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The Bank of Cross Plains

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

This Bank Offers the Public Every Accomodation

Consistant with conservative banking, and hopes to be instrumental in the upbuilding of this town and surrounding country. We are prepared to handle your business in a way to please you, and ask that you command us. It will be our policy to treat every customer courteously, holding in strict confidence such business as may be placed in our care. A deposit from you will be highly appreciated whether large or small. It should be remembered \$1 starts an account. Whether you have any business or not we will appreciate a visit from you.

DODD PRICE, Cashier.

Big Picnic Barbecue

The Commercial Club has decided on the 11th and 12th of July for the Big Picnic and Celebration. The arrangement committee is as follows W. E. Melton, Mr. Holmes and Dodd Price. The committee has everything well in hand and are receiving quite a number of enquiries and requests for stand rights etc.

We will have lots of things to entertain the people, such as steam swings, Ferris wheels, shows of every description, lots of ice water and red lemonade. We will also have quite a number of prominent speakers here that day, and all who attend will have a nice time.

The picnic will be held in one of the numerous groves that are to be found in every direction over the townsite, and we will have lots of shade and plenty of water.

Cross Plains will be six months old the 12th day of July, and we extend an invitation to everyone to visit our city and witness the wonderful growth of Cross Plains. Jan 12th the first lots were sold, and today we have the most beautiful town in West Texas. We have built nineteen brick buildings, voted bonds for \$15,000 school building, put in a \$19,000 waterworks system with 6 inch mains in business section and fire plugs on every corner.

We invite you to be present at this picnic and get acquainted with the people of Cross Plains and Cross Plains country.

The committee is arranging for excursions on the Texas Central, and we are expecting the largest crowd ever seen in Cross Plains.

Remember July 11th and 12th and be here sure.

A small cash payment with 5 per cent per month will secure you a home in Cross Plains. For particulars see Cash Lumber Company.

Keller Stock Company

Arrangements have been made by the management of the Airdome with the Keller Stock Company, recently from Topeka, Kansas where they have been in permanent stock for the entire winter season, for a week's engagement next week, commencing Monday, June the 26th. This company comes highly recommended from different places they have recently visited, as well as seasons reports from Topeka, and they will innaugate as their opening play here, a bran new one, or rather a society comedy in four acts, "Her Unexpected Guest," an intensely amusing comedy as well as interesting in the extreme.

They will introduce refined singing, comedy and dancing specialties between the acts by different members of the Co. for the pleasure of

those who appreciate and prefer the vaudeville department of entertainment.

The prices will be children 15 cents and adults 30 cents.

Don't forget the place, day and date, as this is an extraordinary attraction, and one of merit.

As a result of the "booster" meeting at Tuttle. Ok, addressed by Secretary Kirkpatrick and T. H. Dwyer of the Chickasha Chamber of Commerce, a county-wide movement was launched, having for its object the organization of merchants bankers and farmers in every section of Grady county into associations or co-operative action in meeting existing conditions and furthering the general welfare of the county. The Tuttle meeting was a rousing affair, many farmers being in attendance, together with a large representation of business men.

A. W. Booth was in town this week

Ice War Still Going

The advance in ice prices has been abandoned and the ice war will go merrily on.

Housewives discovered this Monday morning when the wagons started their rounds.

The ice war started this spring when Neeb and Coffman made a trade with the De Leon ice people. Rising Star at once decided to put in a house here, and they gave the management to J. Lee Jones. The price is now 25c per hundred. The ice men claim this has almost eliminated profits in the business, and that they are not making much more than expenses.

Everyone can afford to buy ice at the present prices. We have heard of quite a number of people letting the ice melt and using the water for drinking purposes, while some of

our farmer friends buy ice for their stock. Even if it is quite hot we have the advantage of cheap ice.

Andrew Gurley, living northeast of Chickasha was arrested by Deputy John Philiys on a warrant charging him with shooting cattle belonging to Ed G. Johns. Four or five steers that broke into his fields were badly wounded. Gurley spent the night in jail, but Johns asked that he be dismissed and he was.

The Largest Week

Some merchants are complaining about business being dull but last week we did more business than we ever did before in Cross Plains.

There is a reason for this. The dry weather is causing some merchants to advance prices. We are increasing our business by keeping prices down.

The Racket Store.

Cross Plains Merc. Co.

The oldest firm doing business in Cross Plains. We believe that our success is due to our honest, square dealings with our customers and friends. If you have not been doing business with us, ask your friend who has. We want you to trade with us; we want your business, and we believe that if honest, square dealing and courteous treatment appeals to you that you will be one of our best customers.

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There is nothing prettier or better than one of our Blue Serge suits. The \$20 suits for \$17.00.

We have a swell line of Pants to select from.

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DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Our Dress Goods department is alive with pretty new Dress Goods. One of many things that is so popular is the new hair line serge for skirts.

NOTIONS.

We have everything in Notions Collars, Belts, Belt Pins, Baretts, Hair Nets. In fact everything in the notion line.

EMBROIDERY.

44 in. Embroidered Flouncing for 85c per yard.

27 in. Embroidered Flouncing for 50c per yard.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS.

A brand new lot of Ladies' Shirt Waists, made in the very latest styles. The prices range from \$1.25 to \$2.00.

Nice line of Muslin Underwear

SHOES! SHOES!

Ladies' Pumps, in Patent Leather, Gunmetal, Vici, Buckskin, and White Canvas. We have not forgotten the little "tots," have the bare-foot sandals and the patent strap sandals for them. Men's and Boys' Oxfords; well, we have them in all the lasts and leathers. The best quality for the least money.

HARDWARE.

Our stock of Hardware is complete. Nails, wire, poultry netting, builders' hardware, mowers and rakes, Peter Schuttler wagons, Patterbuggies. The best for the least money.

McCormick Binder Twine 8 1-2c.

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Our Grocery orders have careful attention and are delivered at once.

EXTRA HIGH PATENT FLOUR

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Very Best, \$2.60.

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J. P. WALKER, Proprietor.

Sweet and sour milk, butter and cream delivered every morning.
Satisfaction guaranteed.

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All kinds of Real Estate and Insurance.

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CURIOUS BITS OF HISTORY

By A. W. MACY.

THE FIRST RAILROADS.

The first railroad in the United States, in the modern sense of the term, was the Baltimore & Ohio. One or two little roads had been built before, but they were mere tramways, operated by force of gravity or by stationary engines. The Baltimore & Ohio was chartered in 1827, and its construction begun in 1828, the first rail being laid on July 4 of that year. The work did not go forward very fast, only thirteen miles being open for traffic in 1830. After that, however, better progress was made, and five years later 135 miles were in operation. The first railroad built in England was the Stockton & Darlington, twenty-five miles long. It was opened for traffic in 1825; hence railway transportation, in the modern meaning of the term, began with this railway. "Time's Telescope," a sort of year book published in London at the time, said:

"The strides which steam is making in the economy of the country are more gigantic and surprising than those who are domesticated at a distance from its immediate operation imagine. The capability of the locomotive engine to travel with ease and safety, with a weight of ninety tons in its train, at the rate of eight miles an hour, was exhibited to thousands at the late opening of the Darlington & Stockton Railway, and is a striking proof of the immense progress of this new power."

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There are few who know the possibilities of the soil when well manured and watered. One acre has produced 216 bushels of corn, and three bales of cotton have rewarded another man. On Long Island, 400 bushels of Irish potatoes is not an excessively large crop, and at Greeley, Colorado 400 bushels is not an uncommon yield. In the Sacramento Valley, California, Mr. Cleek has, for the past 30 years made a good living, and saved an average of \$400 per year from one acre. On the island of Jersey rents are as high as \$200 and \$300 per acre, and near the city of Paris they are higher still. Near San Diego, California, there is a colony of "little landers" who believe that one acre is enough and many of them are making good with their small farms. With good soils, plenty of manure and all the water needed, the possibilities of the soil are enormous, and one crop follows another in rapid succession. In the Southwest onions are paying fortunes to some men, and irrigation has taught men the need for the most intelligent use of the land.

Vegetables and fruits are healthful and the best foods, with the least cost. Those who eat too much meat seldom have best health; and while it may not be best to be a "vege-

tarian," yet it is certainly not best to hold too closely to a meat diet. Scientists say that "grease-eaters" become dwarfed, and with pinched features and sallow skins, and the eating of much grease is condemned because of its bad effect on the body and mind. Children fed upon a diet of too much grease are not so bright and seldom are able to keep up with their studies so well as children more intelligently dieted. Scientists say that "grease-eaters" become less capable physically and mentally and condemn the excessive use of grease.

It is not to have a small garden which will furnish an abundance of food most of the year. A plot which may be watered from the well, and vegetables kept growing all the time, is best, and such gardens should be common. If the soil be rich enough, one crop may follow another in succession, and there may be vegetables all the time and fruits are easy to secure. But there is too much great desire to use too much land. The small, rich watered plot will produce all that is needed, and the well gives security against drouth. It is difficult to induce people to make their gardens small enough. A plot 20 by 20 feet properly cultivated and rich enough, will produce all the vegetables needed for most families, provided it be well watered, and the soil made to do its best. There are farms where it is practicable to impound sufficient water in ponds, for use when needed, and such ponds are worth far more than the soil in cultivation. With chickens, eggs, milk, butter, vegetables and fruits it is easy to live at home, and to have a table well supplied. There are possibilities also in the home canner.

President Taft does not lack moral courage. A young soldier in the United States regular army, who happens to be a Hebrew as to religion, aspired to promotion to become a commissioned officer, purely on merit. His record was excellent; he had studied and he put in his application, as the army regulations require, for examination, to ascertain his worthiness for the promotion he sought. But the colonel of his regiment made an unfavorable endorsement on the application. The colonel did not approve it, for the reason, he said, that "Jews are not desirable associates socially." The papers, with this endorsement, reached President Taft. What did he do? He promptly and properly rebuked the snobbishness, the unjust race prejudice of the colonel. And he made the rebuke public, so that everybody in the United States who can read may know. He said, did this big-brained and big-framed President of ours, that in his judgment there is no social line to be drawn between Jew and Christian on account of religion. And he also said he was ashamed that any man wearing the uniform of the United States army or navy should so far forget himself as to give utterance to such prejudice.

The President was right. In this country we are all supposed to be Americans and religious belief should have no influence in fixing any mans political or social status. If a man is a gentleman and a worthy citizen he meets the requirements of the American ethical code, and public senti-

ment will endorse President Taft right cordially for what he has done in this matter. The chances are that the young Hebrew will soon become a lieutenant in the regular army.

Finis Vinning, a farmer living two miles from here, reports a strange occurrence in his barnyard. For years he has owned a big brindle tom cat, which formed a strange attachment for a fat speckled hen. They ran about the yard together and were the best of friends. The other day Mr. Vinning went to his tool house to get a pick. He found the hen on a nest and the cat near keeping her company.

A few days later he went to the tool house again and found the hen dead and the big cat in the nest. A few days later Mr. Tom hatched out twelve healthy chicks, which followed him all over the yard, and when he lies down the little ones warm themselves with his shaggy coat. — Anbur (Ky.) Advocate.

Quite a number of people were attracted to 8th street Friday morning. The attraction was a "nigger," and be it known that it is a very rare sight in Cross Plains. In fact before the railroad was built there were quite a number of our people who never saw a nigger, and when J. M. Coffman had one in his employ people would come miles to see it. The longer we can keep the niggers out of Cross Plains the better it will be for the town. We, for one, are in favor of making Cross Plains "The White Man's Town." Let the niggers know they are not wanted, and that we will not have them.

Atwell Dots

The dry weather and hot winds continue, but our spirits have been raised somewhat in the last few days by the light showers we have received, and the rains in neighboring counties, maybe our time will come next, but the corn will soon be lost.

Miss Zola Foster of Cross Plains is here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. D. F. Pounds is visiting relatives at Putnam.

Misses Virda Bisby and Lucy Dean of Cisco, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

A number of fishing trips have been made by the boys and men of Atwell in the last few weeks some of them report great success.

D. F. Pounds went to Putnam last Monday to join his wife and child.

T. H. Purvis attended the W. O. W. unveiling at Cottonwood last Sunday evening.

Rev. Davis filled his appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

The old folks enjoyed an ice cream supper at Uncle Jack Robertson's last Thursday night.

J. C. Foster and family visited relatives at the Terminal City last Saturday and Sunday.

The baby boy of A. D. Purvis has been sick several days with fever and tonsillitis.

J. L. Lindsey took a wagon-load of peaches to Putnam Monday.

Mr. Brashear and family visited at J. D. Maddux last Sunday.

R. P. Evas moved near Sabanno last week where he will teach school next year.

Peggy.

Madison, Wis., June 8.—Eighty years of age and still enjoying life. Mrs. Amy D. Winseip of Racine, Wis., will enter the University of Wisconsin next fall as the only octogenarian in the United States in school, and probably in the world.

Mrs. Winseip, who now is completing her second year in the arts course at Ohio State University, was a personal friend of Abraham Lincoln. She is coming to Wisconsin in order to be near her home.

The tone serves chili exclusively that's why it's the best.

BIG PICNIC

AND

Free Barbecue

AT

Cross Plains July 11th and 12th

Quite a Number of Prominent Speakers
Plenty of Amusement for EVERYONE
and all you can eat and drink F R E E
CROSS PLAINS will be six months old
July 12th and we invite everyone to
come and see the wonderful improve-
ment in that short time. Come see the
WONDER OF WEST TEXAS in the
way of Town Building. Only 6 months
old and has 21 Brick buildings and a
\$19,000 waterworks system.

Lots of Shade and Plenty of Ice Water

See Big Circulars for Particulars. Address the
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A Long 'Short' Cake This

Massilon, Ohio June 19.—Four hundred and forty-one square feet of strawberry shortcake furnished the piece de resistance at the Sunday dinner for inmates of the Massilon state hospital.

The bakers at the institution asserts that the cake is the biggest one on record. It was twenty-one feet square and made up of two layers, for which several hundred pounds of flour were required and between these 500 quarts of berries picked in the hospital garden were placed. Seven men were required to convey this great delicacy to the dining room tables where 1,800 patients disposed of it with fifty gallons of milk.

Manchester, Conn., June 19.—The police here have a puzzling case in Edward Rudant an 8-year-old boy, who has confessed to a dozen carefully planned robberies which occurred recently. The lad is too young to be admitted to any institution in the state and he has not been arrested, although the police declare that his extraordinary criminal tendencies make it unwise to allow him to go at large any longer.

John D. Is "All Shook Up"

Cleveland, June 19.—"Church-going can be more strenuous than golf," said John D. Rockefeller yesterday after he had shaken hands with more than 200 of his friends at the Euclid Avenue Baptist Church.

He remarked that his arm and hand would be sore for days from the hand-shaking. Mr. Rockefeller promised he would have something to say to the men's Bible class next Sunday.

Gray Powell and George Carter were in Baird this week to attend the Parks-Miller wedding.

Adam Was the First Man

To Wear "Hand-Me-Downs."

He wore the "Hand-Me-Down" Fig Leaf Style.

Fashions have changed since then. Is your next suit to be selected from a pile of 38's or 40's for no one in particular? or will it be a Tailor-Made—made expressly for YOU, just as YOU want it, of the style of TO-DAY, not months ago?

Since the cost is no more, why not be a Tailor Dressed Man and forsake this "hand-me-down" idea? This is the Twentieth century. Get out of Adam's class.

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Having always made our prices as low as the lowest on new goods we are now pricing our used instruments in strict accordance with this practice.

TERMS: Our terms need no comment. They are the best. Quality, Prices, Terms. We have combined these three considerations so as to form a thing you can not afford to ignore, OPPORTUNITY. Read the prices and the terms; come and have the quality demonstrated to you; then you will open the door to the opportunity of getting the best bargain ever offered in a piano.

WE QUOTE AS FOLLOWS:

One Style B. Kingsbury Piano, second hand, but in good shape, regular price \$300; now \$125.
 One Style C. Kingsbury Piano, second hand, in good condition, regular price \$275; now \$118.
 One Wellington Piano, slightly used, nearly new, regular price \$325.00; now \$195.00.
 One Style S Kingsbury Piano, slightly used, regular price \$350.00; now \$205.00.
 One Style Y Kingsbury Piano, good as new, regular price \$400.00; now \$250.00.

On these goods we will give terms as favorable as \$10 down, with installment payments as low as \$1.25 per week. For those who are interested in organs we have prices to correspond with the above. Our one great object is to sell.

C. H. MAHAN
 BAIRD, TEXAS.



A Dollar Saved
 IS TWO DOLLARS BETTER THAN
A Dollar Spent

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

Farmers National Bank of Cross Plains

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T. E. Powell, Pres., S. L. Driskill, Vice Pres., S. F. Bond, Cashier,
 Taylor Bond, Ass't. Cashier.
 R. P. Odom, J. A. Barr, E. J. Barr, T. B. Vestal.

Patronize Home Industry.

Call For Drinks Bottled In Cross Plains.

Everything clean and sanitary. The best of everything used in our bottling. By calling for our goods you help a home institution, and one that will help Cross Plains grow.

Cross Plains Bottling Works

W. H. KING, Manager.

Cross Plains,

Texas.

Carrie Nation Is Dead

Leavenworth, Kan., June 20.—Carrie Nation who gained fame several years ago as a saloon smasher, died here last night from paresis. She had been ill for several months. Mrs. Nation's physician told her several days ago that she could not live, and she received the news with a smile. Worry over lawsuits which she had brought against lecture bureaus for failure to pay her caused her breakdown.

She will be buried in Kansas City. Mrs. Nation was born in Kentucky in 1846, and early in life married a man addicted to intoxicants, which caused her great hatred of saloons. Her second husband was David Nation, who sympathized with her antisaloon views. Mrs. Nation's saloon-smashing record commenced in Wichita Kan. in 1900 when she attacked the barroom of the Carey Hotel. Her favorite weapon was the hatchet. She was arrested many times but she did not seem to mind it.

Trouble all His Life

Man that is born of his parent is of few days and full of microbes. He goeth to school when a youngster and gets the seat of his pants paddled for something he didn't do until he is sick at heart. He grows up like a weed in a back yard and soon reaches the age when he is composed largely of feet, freckles and an appetite for pie. About the time he gets too long for short trousers and not long enough for long ones he goeth away to college, learneth how to monkey with a three dollar mandoline and play whiskey poker. He cometh home a bigger fool than ever and marrieth a sweet young thing whose pa is supposed to be wealthy, but whom he subsequently ascertaineth, could not buy the prize rooster at a county fair. He worrieth along from year to year, gradually increasing offsprings until his house resembles a Sunday school just before Christmas. He fretteth through the day and lieth awake nights trying to figure out how to keep himself and his dependant population out of the poor house. Efforts are rewarded by his daughters run off and get married and bring home a nice son-in-law every few days to feast at his board. His sons grow up and call him governor and set him back a five spot every day or two. About the time he has acquired enough lucre to make it worth while for his heirs to quarrel over, he contracts a cold and is hurried away before he has time to have a talk with his family. His sons blow in his estate on bad whiskey and plug hats and his wife puts the finishing touches to his career by marrying the hired man.—Anon

Niggers Appointed to Help Republicans

Washington, June 14.—Hardly had the announcement been made yesterday of the appointment of the negro, T. W. Vernon, former register of the United States treasury, to the position of supervisor of schools of the Five Civilized Indian Tribes, than protests began to be received in Washington. The first came from a Cherokee Indian, F. N. Lanrum, member of the Oklahoma state senate. Many protests came from Muskogee where the negro's headquarters will be, and it was stated while teachers would resign and many Indian children would leave school. The Taft administration has been looking to the future campaign in making these negro appointments. The senate is now considering confirming the negro, Lewis, to a position in the department of justice as assistant attorney general.

In having a really life size opium den which the police raided recently Topeka offers first bid of \$100,000 as city to metropolitan.

That's Right Old Girl

Jefferson City, Mo., June 14.—"I am going to marry Harry Van Warring when we are both ready," declared Miss Ethel Fasken today, when asked about her romance with the ex-convict. "My parents have no objection and it's nobody's business," she added. "Harry Van Warring was a guest at my home in Carthage from May 29 until June 5. He received a hearty welcome from myself and my parents. He will be a guest at our home several times no doubt during the summer."

Thus the efforts of the penitentiary officials, Secretary of State Roach and Governor Hadley have proven futile in an attempt to prevent the successful working of Cupid in the penitentiary, even though these officials have convinced themselves that the proposed match had been broken up as is the case often with parents when they interfere with lovemaking affairs in their own households.

Sweetwater Has Aviator

Sweetwater has the [redacted] claiming among her [redacted] man who built the airplane that broke the record for speed at the great Aviator's Meet in Paris last week.

The ship referred to was dubbed Foster No. 7, and was built by Mr. Foster in St. Louis Mo., last year.

Mr. Foster is just in receipt of a letter from the owner, W. S. Benwell, in which he expresses his appreciation of the workmanship on the maceine, which enabled him to capture the \$2,000 purse last week.

The Sweetwater aviator said he built the machine strictly for speed. Naturally he is feeling mighty good over the record made with the machine, but regrets that he was not the owner still when the big flight was made.—Sweetwater Reporter.

"Just Wait A While"

Atlanta, Ga., June 9.—"The young people in this case are very much in love with other and appear to be very much in earnest. Therefore, we recommend to them that they bow to the decision of the lower court and wait patiently until the young lady is 14 years of age. Then she can legally join her husband."

This was the unique decree handed down in the court of appeals of this state yesterday.

The case before the court was that of the parents of Willie Smith, 13 years old, against Marvin Crapps in which they were seeking to recover their daughter from her chosen husband, whom she married a few months ago. In the city court of Baxley, Ga., the parents won their case on account of the youth of the would-be bride and the court of appeals sustained the decision.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors who so willingly rendered their helping hands through the sickness and death of our husband and father W. R. Irwin.

Mrs. W. R. Irwin and children.

Green Mitchell, wanted in Oklahoma City on a charge of horse theft, jumped from a moving Rock Island train en route from Enid to escape officers who had him in custody, sustaining injuries that probably will result in his death. Mitchell's head was badly cut, he was bruised about the body, one arm was broken and internal injuries resulted. He is at a local hospital. The theft of about fifteen head of horses from local dealers is charged. Mitchell jumped from the train between Yukon and Council.

An exceptional mother-in-law was brought to light in a suit filed in the

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Money to Lend on Land.

Long time—Low rate of interest, Vendor's lien notes bought taken up and extended.

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Wm. Gibbard

At Carter & Konnady's Store REPRESENTS

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He don't want you to die, but if you must, he would like to fix you up.

S. P. RUMPH, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

Phone No. 37. Residence 39

district court at Oklahoma City by George Weidenholt against Frank Sibenaller, administrator of the estate of Dorothy King and R. R. Brandt. The plaintiff claims that his mother-in-law Dorothy King, transferred all her personal property to him to handle as he saw fit, on November 22, 1910, and exhibits an instrument to that effect, signed at Clyde, Mo. On March 30, 1910, the deceased had sold two lots in Cppitol Hill addition to R. R. Brandt for \$1,662, which he was to pay on installments. She died December 15, 1910, and Frank Sibenaller was appointed her administrator. Now he claims the payment due on the lots for the estate, while Weidenholt claims them under the deed.

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Central Meat Market

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

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J E WOOD, Proprietor.

Right handy to the depot, on Main street.
Short Orders, Condis and Cigars.
A full line of Fancy Groceries. . .

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For First class Barber work.
Hot and Cold Baths, etc. The
Very Best Laundry

CRYSTAL CAFE AND Bakery

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Regular dinner and supper.
Fresh bread all the time.
EDGAR DAVIS, Proprietor.

E. G. Morris

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We Do All Kinds of Repairing

Dying, Cleaning and Pressing. We take orders for the Leading Tailors of the United States and we guarantee Perfect Fit and Satisfaction.

We can have your clothes made from the cloth direct from the Woolen Mill

Call and see us. Next door to Adkisson's Fruit Stand, Cross Plains. Phone us and we will call for your work and deliver.

Keep-U-Neat Tailor Shop

WHEN A MERCHANT

sells lots of goods there is always a reason.

LOW PRICES

and fine quality are making good business for the Cross Plains Furniture and Undertaking Company.

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The basis of all successful advertising is REGULARITY and PERSISTENCY.

SPASMODIC advertisements—advertisements run now and then without any definite plan of campaign—very rarely bring results.

It is a mistake for any merchant or manufacturer to run one or two, or even a dozen, advertisements and expect to get business as a result of them—he might just as well throw the money away for all the good it will do him.

IT IS CONSTANT REPETITION THAT COUNTS IN ADVERTISING—KEEPING ONE'S NAME BEFORE THE PUBLIC ALL OF THE TIME.

No matter how small the announcement, if it is run REGULARLY, it will make an impression on the public—people will get in the habit of looking for it, and when they need the article advertised, "THEY WILL RESPOND" to the advertisement.

There are times, of course, when a single advertisement is all that is necessary to attain the result desired but that is only in special cases.

To develop a REGULAR CONSISTENT BUSINESS, regular, consistent advertising is necessary.

The merchant or manufacturer who runs only one or two advertisements in any publication and expects results from them is not only UNFAIR TO HIMSELF, but is unfair to the publication as well.

There is no publication big enough or strong enough to pay any advertiser on a few insertions. That is the reason "TEST" ADVERTISEMENTS are practically useless in determining any publication's value as an advertising medium.

And that is why publications should refuse to print single advertisements, when such advertisements are to be used to "try out" the publication.

A Very Cheerful View

Here is a cheerful and reasonable suggestion from the Waco Tribune which can be applied to every section of this state just at this time, and all should take the Tribune's views of the situation: "The Tribune is never a pessimist about the resources and possibilities of this grand Central Texas country, the section that this paper is proud to call 'home.' If the soil anywhere in Texas will yield reward for labor here is the place. We always make something, no matter how limited or how scant the rain. But lack of rain has its legitimate effects here as elsewhere and so it is not wise to ignore actual conditions. There has been lack of rain lately. A drought is not on—not yet. But rain is needed for corn in particular and unless adequate rainfall comes in this section within five to ten days (according to conditions in localities) it is evident that the corn yield will be virtually a failure. That is the outlook today and it is as well to face it squarely. And now let us be cheerful and hope the needed rain will come in time. It is by no means consoling to know that our condition is not exceptional. If our people cannot make sufficient corn we should be glad to see our neighbors make it and buy Texas-grown rather than Missouri or Kansas grain. But it is regrettable to know that our neighbors are not facing conditions any more cheerful and promising than we are. Rain is a Texas need just now. Shall we get it? We think so. The experience of past years warrant the hope, but at the worst McLennan county and Central Texas farmers are going to have something to sell when the autumn days come and at good prices, too. So we are seriously cheerful."

J. P. Cross the Jeweler, will do your repair work cheaper than any one else in town, because he has no high expenses to pay. Office at home and no rent. Even if he has to do your work free and furnish every-

Steamer Burns No Lives Lost

Paducah, Ky., June 22.—Quick work on the part of the captain John L. Lowry, of the steamer John L. Lowry, saved the lives of sixty-five persons at 1:30 o'clock this morning when the boat burned opposite Smithland Ky., in the Ohio river. With fifty excursionists and the crew of fifteen the craft was slowly making its way up the river in mid-stream, when fire broke out near the engine.

Roused from their sleep the passengers crowded decks in a panic and only coolness of the crew averted a heavy loss of life. Several barrels of oil exploded but miraculously hurt no one. Captain Lowry made for the Illinois side with all speed. By the time the nose of the steamer touched shore the fire had gained great headway, but the passengers got off without injury. A roll call of passengers showed everyone present and none injured.

It had not been determined this morning whether any of the negro deck hands had been burned, but it is believed they escaped.

The John L. Lowry is in the regular trade between this city and Evansville. At this season excursion rates are put on for the round trip, hence the large number of persons aboard. The boat is a total loss.

First reports reaching here were that many persons had been drowned and relief boats were sent out.

Gentleman traveling in Texas met on the road a wagon drawn by four oxen and driven by a countryman, who, in addition to the skill flourish of the whip was vociferously encouraging the hoined horses after this fashion:

"Haw Presbyterian! Get up Methodist!"

The traveler stopped the driver, remarking to him that he had strange names for his oxen, and he would like to know why he thus called them.

"Well," said the driver. "I call this ox Presbyterian, because he's true blue and never fails, pulls thru difficults, and holds up to the end. 'I call this one Baptist, because he's always after the water and seems as if he'd never get enough; then again he wont eat with the others. I call this one Episcopalian because he has a mighty way of holding his head up, and if the yoke gets a little tight he tries to get clear the trace. I call this ox Methodist because he puffs and blows as he goes along, and you'd think he's pulling all creation, but he doesn't pull a single pound unless you continually stir him up.—EX.

Suppose You Try This

New Haven, Conn. June 15.—The removal of a piece of the bone, two and one-half inches square and an inch thick, from the skull of Mrs. M. M. Bard of Cleveland, has restored to her her liking for water and has made her lose an abnormal desire to play the piano constantly.

For many years she has had an extreme aversion to the sight of water, even in a river or a pond and has been possessed of a strange desire to play on the piano all the time and has developed other peculiar mental ailments. Examination by surgeons disclosed a fracture of the skull and an operation was advised, which has restored her to her normal condition.

If he didn't know it before, John Driggers, the well known Oklahoma stockman now has reason to believe that green Kaffir corn is not good feed for cattle. Nine fine steers in the pens of Mr. Driggers, south of Mountain View, are dead as a result of loading up on green Kaffir having broken into an old rick yard where it grew volunteer. The steers were ready for market and were worth about \$50 per head.

TAKE THE REVIEW. \$1.00

Our Saturday Special.

A SMALL CAN OF Calumet Baking Powder GIVEN FREE

With Each Purchase of

White Crest Flour



Beginning Saturday, June 3, we will, for a short time, give away, absolutely FREE of charge with each purchase of White Crest Flour, a can of CALUMET, containing enough powder to make 100 Calumet biscuits, as per a special recipe by a noted Teacher and Demonstrator of Domestic Science and Economy, which recipe accompanies the gift. Number of cans limited. First come first served.

THE CASH GROCERY
Phone 45. CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

WATCHMAKING.

Efficiency is acquired by years of special training. Years past I repaired free of charge and furnished all material. But I was learning the trade then. I know the trade now.

J. F. FOOTE

WATCHMAKER, JEWELER AND ENGRAVER.
With Baum & Holmes Drug Co. Cross Plain, Texas.

GOOD CLOTHES

AT RIGHT PRICES

I make a specialty of Gents' Furnishings, and can give you better service, quality considered, than any one in town.

GENE MELTON

GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

Orders taken for Good Clothing.



Where They Make Good Pictures

Crown Studio

Upton & Busbee, Props.

Give us a Trial We'll Do the rest

Cross Plains, Texas.

BENNETT & WILLIAMS

Many house owners place a limit on their tin work but, at the same time demand first class material and workmanship. In this we can satisfy you in every respect. We use the old style iron like our fore fathers used. In regard to workmanship we fear no trouble and guarantee everything to be first class. Will give you nice smooth work far above the average.

The water proposition is a thing to study about, to have good health you must use clean, pure water. This can be had by buying one of our Lavatory tanks with filter attached. Come see our work then we know you will buy. If you want your house to look right, get us to decorate it for you.

M. E. Church, South.

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

T. H. Davis, P. C.

Epworth League.

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

Presbyterian Church.

Preaching Saturday night before Third Sunday at 8 p. m. Third Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 p. m.

Rev. Shell, 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.

Rev. Smith, P. C.

Lodge Directory

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.

W. O. W. Camp No. 778.

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

M. W. A. Camp No. 12357.

Meets on Saturday night before 2 & 4 Sun. at I. O. O. F. Hall, Cross Plains, Tex. M. C. Baum, Clerk.

Masonic Lodge No 627.

Cross Plains, Tex. meets on or before full moon in each month at Masonic Hall over school building. W. R. Penticost, W. M.

Reports that Madera will force sweeping changes in the board of directors of the National railway, are denied by the finance minister. It is announced that the Limantour railway policy will be continued.

A cabinet member said that a plan for dividing the haciendas for poor farmers is ready for operation. Another earthquake occurred last night in the Colima district.

Madero returns to the capital to-night and attends a bull fight tomorrow for the benefit of the earthquake victims.

A Kansas man whose wife has gone abroad paraphrases the song title, "My Wife's Gone to the Country," with "My Wife's gone to the Old Country," and ends by saying he hopes the seamen's strike will continue till Christmas.

W. E. McKinney
The
Shoe Repair Man.

ALL KINDS OF HARNESS WORK.

Rear Racket Store.

LOCALS

News of the week told quick

Wm. Neeb who formerly lived in the Dressy community, has moved to town and is living just north of G. C. Webster.

Mr. Henslee has bought Albert Adkisson's interest in the Cross Plains Confectionery.

Merit Hawk has opened a chili stand next door to Cross Plains Confectionery.

See Cash Lumber Company, east side Main street, for bargains in Building Material.

See Cash Lumber Company for a home on the installment plan.

The tone at the tone never changes.

Claud Alvis, of Cisco, was in town this attending to business for Davis-Garner Co. Mr. Alvis will be manager for this place, and says they expect to open about the 1st of September. He gave the lighting system a trial, and it proved very satisfactory.

C. T. Carter was in San Angelo on business last week.

D. C. Campbell left Thursday for Belle Plain for a visit with relatives.

Mr. Edington of near Crosscut, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Drury of near Dressy, were in town Thursday. Mr. Drury says he is getting anxious for a rain, and he talked like he was in earnest.

W. E. Spencer and H. J. Cureton, the townsite men, were here this week on business.

S. F. Bond returned from Waco Wednesday. He reports Mrs. Bond some better.

Get your share of pint cups at The Racket Store Monday, price 1c each, 5 to a customer.

Bryson and Knight have dissolved partnership. Mr. Knight retains the Livery stable and Mr. Bryson the Hotel and Restaurant.

Mr Stevens, who has been here placing the fixtures for the Bank of Cross Plains left Thursday for Palestine.

Rev Collins of Scranton, filled his regular appointment Sunday night. Mr. Collins is pastor of the Presbyterian church, and tells us they expect to build a modern church here in the near future.

Special for Monday, Pint cups 1c each The Racket Store.

Mrs. S. P. Rumph is in Carbon visiting friends. Doc says "the old home ain't what it used to be."

Roy Bond is in Dallas this week on business.

Mesdames Barr and Butler were in De Leon last Sunday.

Mr. Foote visited home folks near Duster Sunday.

Miss Barrett, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Stephens, left Thursday morning for her home in Stephenville.

Sam Berry and wife were in town Thursday.

J. M. Childers brought in a nice lot of early peaches last week, and gladdened the hearts of the Review force with a bucket of them. Mr. Childers reports everything in very good shape, considering the dry weather.

W. E. Melton and Baum & Holmes have decorated the front of their stores on 8th street in the likeness of the beloved rattlesnake. They did it by blowing bronze powders over black paint.

W. S. Butler, the brick and concrete contractor has been doing some nice work in and around Cross Plains. He does anything in that line, and makes a specialty of flue building.

A. W. Booth says Frank Harlow is on the stool of repentance. Said he struck Mr. Harlow on the street one day this week and he was humming that old time "melody" "Rare back rooster crow for day, Dinah's got a wooden leg laid away."

Miss Emma Havins returned Tuesday evening from a two weeks stay in Brownwood.

Geo. G. Carter went to Baird Wednesday to attend the wedding of Mr. Parks and Miss Miller.

Mr Goodman of the Dressy community returned Tuesday evening from a visit in Fannin Co.

Mr. Booth of near Cottonwood was in town Tuesday.

Ben Gunn and Roy Clack of Cross Cut were in Cross Plains Monday.

Alvin Smith and family went fishing the first of the week.

S. R. Cade and family went fishing Wednesday.

The Racket Store will sell pint cups Monday for 1c each, 5 to a customer.

Guy Croft who has been away figuring on a contract, returned this week.

Misses Beulah and Jessie Adams visited their uncle D. J. Cutberth at Meridian last week.

Miss Ferguson of Cottonwood is visiting friends here this week.

J. M. Coffman was in Woods on this week visiting Scott Gilbert and fishing in the Clear Fork.

John W. Aiken of Burnt Branch, was in town Sunday. John W. was suffering with tooth-ache, but he had his "Personal Liberty Pain Killer" along.

Quite a lot of wheat has been sold in Cross Plains. We have a number of buyers and they are paying the very highest prices. The price ranges from 85c to 92 1-2c. Wheat is better than it was expected to be. Bring your grain to Cross Plains and get the highest price.

J. P. Helms, who lives on the Bayou near Burkett was in town this week and called on the Review. Mr. Helms is one of the oldest citizens of the Cross Plains country, having moved here 34 years ago, about the same time J. M. Coffman settled here.

The young people were entertained at the residence of Will Pybus, Tuesday night in honor of Miss Eva Swan. Cross Plains String Band furnished the music. Everyone reports a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer of the Bayou country were in town last week.

Come to the Harmon place and get your plums. M. Snyder.

A BIG LAND BARGAIN

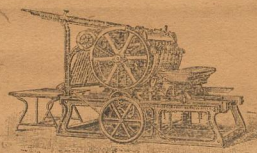
102 Acres Sandy Land, 3 miles west of Cross Plains. 40 acres in cultivation, balance woods pasture. Near one of the Finest Orchards in the Cross Plains Country, and exactly the same soil as the orchard land. Very good house and improvements. his land will be worth \$35.00 per acre in a short time, but the owners have other interests that requires their surplus cash, therefore they are sacrificing this place at **\$30 Per Acre** \$700 Down, Balance to suit purchaser. Address The REVIEW, Cross Plains, Texas.

Smith & Adams

Have moved into their new brick building, in the Powell block, next door to Wagner's drug store, and are better prepared than ever before to serve their customers and friends. Full line of Dry Goods, Groceries and Shelf Hardware. All their friends, customers, and others are invited to call on them at their new quarters.

Smith & Adams

Cross Plains, Texas.



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Quality Printing
A Specialty.



Cross Plains,

Texas.

COME to DeLEON June 28-9

Special Rates on all Railroads

STATEWIDE

PROHIBITION RALLY AND BASKET PICNIC

Two Solid days of amusement and fun for young and old, such as, Ferris wheel, Carry-us-all and all kinds of shows in keeping with the occasion. Speakers of Statewide reputation have been secured. Senators Horace W. Vaughan and Robt. E. Cofer, Cyclone Davis and many others. We will have men whose reputation gives them prominence and you should hear them. Plenty of Shade and good water for all campers.

DON'T Forget the Date, June 28, 29
DON'T Forget the Place, Deleon, Tex.

DON'T BE DELAYED.

Promptness, Courteousness, and Merchandise with Quality, at legitimate prices.

REMEMBER OUR JUNE SPECIALS

CARTER & KENADY, General Merchants.



On Saturday June 10, the Crosscut and Scranton baseball teams crossed bats on the local lot.

The game was well played up to the fifth inning when Crosscut got to Purvis for 4 hits netting as many scores. Scranton put one run over in the sixth and came back with 2 in the eighth and one in the ninth.

Clark started the game for Crosscut. And in the 7 innings he pitched gave up 14 hits, he gave way to Nelms in the eighth who retired the Scranton boys in one, two, three, order. The final score was 11 to 4 in favor of Crosscut.

The hitting of Jeff Clark of Crosscut and Haley of Scranton, each getting four hits, were features of the game.

Batteries for Crosscut, L. Clark, Nelms and J. Clark.

For Scranton, Purvis and Boland.

On Wednesday June, 21, the fastest game of base ball so far this season was played between "The All Stars" and the first team of the town.

The game was well played by both teams. Garrett and Brock scored in the second inning on a hit, a walk and a sacrifice by Havins. The "All Stars" scored in the third on hits by Price, Elliott and Outlaw. The first team came back in the fourth with two runs.

In the seventh Croft for the first team was "touched up" for 3 doubles and two singles, and gave way to Hazlewood, who took up the burden with 3 men on the bases and none out. But he forced Elliott to hit to third and a pretty double was pulled off from Havins to Garrett, to Brock and the next man struck out. The boys got 5 hits off Outlaw in the Eighth netting 4 scores. One score came in the ninth on a walk a hit and a sacrifice, which completed the run getting as far as the first team was concerned. The ninth proved the complete "blow up" of the first team. Hazelwood gave up 5 doubles which resulted in giving the game to the "All Stars."

The game was one continual round of "nagging" at the umpires on the part of the first team.

Score 9 to 8 for the All Stars.

A cotton oil refinery plant has been set in operation in Chickasha. This is the first industry of the kind located in Oklahoma. The plant is large, having a storage capacity of 500,000 gallons and can turn out 500 barrels of refined oil ready for domestic use each day. The equipment of the plant is the best that is manufactured.

W. A. SHIELDS
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
CIVIL PRACTICE ONLY.
ABSTRACTS AND LAND
TITLES A SPECIALTY.
Office at Courthouse
BAIRD TEXAS

Mother

In the course of a brief article called forth by the recent death, of his own mother, Editor Clarence Poe, of The Progressive Farmer, pays the following deserved tribute to a rapid vanishing type, the woman of the Old South:

I sometimes wonder if the world has ever known a higher type of womanhood than the Southern women of my mother's time. They grew upon the plantations of the Old South in what proved to be sunset glow of a patriarchal civilization that has vanished as completely as the social order of Homer's time, but whose charm and romance still lure us to dreams of its beauty. They were just budding into womanhood when the fateful war drums sounded in '61, and their young souls were tested in the four years of enic struggle and distress that followed. And then with spirits made perfect through suffering with a dignity which poverty had not altered and a courage which defeat had not shaken, they took up life on the small farms of the South and became the inspiration of the best that was wrought by the men in tattered gray in the long ordeal of our rebuilding.

To the generation my mother belonged, and I think her spirit was sweeter for the times thru which she had lived.

Before her marriage in 1880 she was a teacher, and not so much to any aid from the schools as to the instruction and inspiration I received from her do I owe whatever material success I have been able to win. Yet I feel, and I know she feels that this is the smallest part of the debt I am due her. If I have kept, if I may keep, in Tennyson's fine phrase my "trust in all things high;" if I may hope that, "though I trip and fall, I shall not blind my soul with clay" I must pay tribute to the influence of a mother and father whose well-lived Faith enabled them to appraise life's values fairly. They fired me with ambition for achievements and success but they taught first and most of all the truest victor or defeat is within one's own soul, and that the earth knows no more tragic failure than the man who has bought so-called success at the cost of his only enduring treasures—his manhood and his ideals.—Clarence Poe, in Starkville (Miss.) Progressive Farmer.

From Brownwood Bulletin:

The east bound passenger train out of Brownwood this morning struck a reaper belonging to G. C. Paige nine miles east of town, and gave Mr. Paige and his son a close call for their lives. They were on their way to the field and were crossing the railroad at a sharp curve when their attention was directed to the rapidly approaching train. The train was almost upon them before they saw it. The boy was driving and had presence of mind enough to lash the team which gave a lurch and cleared the track, but the train struck the reaper, and tore one side of it off. Mr. Paige was riding further back on the reaper

er and jumped in time to prevent injury.

Married an Indian

Boston, June 22.—Miss Loretta Colombo, a Boston society girl, is today the bride of Chief Wolf Wanna, a full blood Navajo Indian. They were married last night.

The romance which led to the marriage dates back to the time when the bride, a girl of 13, spent some time on her father's ranch near San Antonio, Texas, where Chief Wanna was employed as foreman. She was attracted to the Indian, a Carlisle graduate, and he reciprocated. An engagement followed some years later. Chief Wanna for the past five years has traveled for the government lecturing on Indian life in war and peace.

Violates the Liquor Law

Austin, June 14.—The attorney general's department today in a ruling held that when a saloonkeeper knowingly sells liquor to a person who is buying it for an habitual drunkard, it is a violation of the liquor law.

The question came up over a woman writing to the department advising the department that her

husband is a habitual drunkard and that he gave money to other men to buy liquor and that saloon men knew when sales were made for her husband.

No Beer for This Lady

Atchison, Kan., June 11.—With the use of a rifle and her good right arm, Mrs. Tillie McGowan a temperance advocate, broke up a picnic at which beer was being served here last night.

Mrs. McGowan was passing the picnic grounds when one of the "keg party," knowing her temperance sentiments chidingly invited her to have a drink. She accepted a cup of the beer, intending to take it away to use as evidence against the merry makers.

One of the men said she would have to drink the beer or give it up. She answered by picking up a stone and striking the man over the eye with it. The man grappled with her and in the struggle his face was scratched and his shirt badly torn. Mrs. McGowan then secured a rifle and chased one of the party into the Missouri river, firing a shot at him, but missing. Finally she let the man swim ashore and apologize. His companions had all fled.

Robt. Williamson has returned from Waxahachie where he has been attending school.

Don't Turn Her Away

Springfield, Ill., June 14.—"Get away, I'll have no child of mine coming home this time of night," is the alleged greeting of George Barton to his daughter aged 18, on returning from a memorial picnic at 10 o'clock last night as the door slammed shut and the girl went away. At 2 o'clock this morning the girl hurled herself under an interurban car and was killed.

Rook Club Entertains

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wright honoring Mr. and Mrs. Guy Croft with a going away party Monday evening June 19.

Dainty score cards were passed and partners found for the ever interesting game of "Rook" which was indulged in till a late hour.

Laughter and conversation served as a pleasant accompaniment to the shuffle of the cards and excitement ran high throughout the different games. Mrs. Croft winning high score.

Delicious ice cream and cake was served to the guests by Miss Thompson and our hostess.

The guests reluctantly departed expressing themselves enthusiastically as on all occasions when they have the pleasure of being entertained in this pretty home.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Croft, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Webster, Misses Hall, Vickry, Thompson of Hico, Messrs. Neeb, Hall and Marchbanks.

A new ten-story hotel to be known as "The Severs" was financed in Muskogee today when a St. Louis trust company agreed to furnish the capital and a mortgage for \$275,000 the cost of the building was filed for record. The hotel will be built on ground which Captain F. B. Severs filed on as a Creek Indian. He is now over 70 years old and is one of four white men adopted by the Creek tribe.

John Lewis, the sheriff at Chickasha, Ok., who has been running his new E. M. F. car for about a week is one man who didn't have to serve a long apprenticeship before mastering the chauffeur's art. Almost from the very start he managed his car with the dexterity of an expert. The reason is plain. Besides having a natural knack for manipulating machinery. Mr. Lewis took the chauffeur's preparatory course when he was running a traction engine with his threshing outfit while he was a farmer.

Where is the coolest place in town? Answer the tone.

Judge Hart of Mineola, was here this week prospecting.

APPEARANCE PLUS SERVICE.

Things Are Not Always What They Seem!

For instance when you walk into a drug store and hand a prescription to the man behind the case, it may be filled right, or it may not be. How are you going to tell the difference? You can't tell by the looks, smell, taste, immediate effects, or force, always; so you must leave it to the druggist who does the work. We are here to fill your prescriptions in case you trust us with them, and we promise to make as close a price as is consistent with good business principles. We will never in any way use impure drugs in filling a prescription for you or your loved ones.

You May Want a Cheap Prescription

But we don't do that kind of business, hence you will have to seek elsewhere. The price of prescriptions has changed less in the past few years than anything you use in your home. We are making the same prices today that we made a year ago. We never boast of having the cheapest prescription men in town. We claim to give you the service and purity first. Then our price is made accordingly, and not according to what the other fellow charges you. We assure you, however, that if any store fills a prescription for you cheaper than we do, you may know he has used a cheaper preparation than we.

Respectfully,

Baum & Holmes

Phone 23.

Cross Plains, Texas.