

## A SANE 4TH

Cross Plains observed a sane 4th, or was it an observed unobserved or neglected 4th? Anyway there has not been reported any casualties resulting from celebrating this great day. In fact, if any one celebrated this the 138th anniversary of our national birthday, we know nothing of it, save that all stores were decorated with the thirteen originals and the stripes. It was Sat. and everybody worked, even the banks and the post office remained open. There was quite a crowd on the streets in the afternoon, but whether here to honor the 4th or the usual Saturday afternoon, we do not know.

## OLD MATTRESSES MADE NEW

I have opened up a mattress renovating shop in the second hand building on Main St., and will be here a few days longer, prepared to make your old mattresses as good as new. So come at once.

J. E. Mayes.

The McDermetts are delivering grain this week.

The screen is the only thing that will keep out those flies. Try it. We have all kinds of screens and building material. come and get yours.

Brazelton-Pryor & Co.

## Died

Little Francis Maude, the 19 month old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Rumph, died July 4th about 3:30 p.m. Burial was made at the family cemetery at Carbon. Little Francis was born Oct. 7th, 1912. She had been sick but about two weeks.

Mrs. Lawrence and daughters Miss Evelyn and Mrs. W. L. Spencer of Carbon were here during the last few days of the baby's illness.

The death of this child comes as a severe loss to its parents. The Review joins the friends of the family in offering its sincere sympathy to the grief stricken family.

A trip to the best mineral wells for 35c a bottle of Pluto Water. We have it. Watch our show window.

City Drug Store

## TO THE VOLERS OF PRECINCT NO. 6.

Inasmuch as the report has been circulated that the firm of B. L. Boydston is running me for public weigher, I am taking this means to say that such report is absolutely without foundation, and that I am seeking the office of my own accord and through my own merits, and because I need it. If elected I promise to give you my very best service. Yours truly,

Jeff Clark

Save money in buying as your neighbor is doing at Carters.

## THE BIG PICNIC

While the big picnic is in its inception The Review is being printed. This issue appears with little reading matter and considerable advertising for which later we will not offer apologies, for it means whereby we live. As for the scarcity of the former we will say that it is because of our having extra work this week without the help to do the work. Read the ads; you might find news therein.

A full line of Undertakers goods at Carters.

## THE FARMERS' FRIEND:

H. W. KUTEMAN,  
Pres.

J. E. SPENCER,  
V. Pres

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

We look after the interest of the farmer at all seasons of the year, and stand ready to grant them an accommodation consistent with good banking.

## The Bank of Cross Plains

(UN-INCORPORATED)

Responsibility \$1,000,000  
CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

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## THE BANK OF CROSS PLAINS

## ABOUT THOSE WEEDS

Some people probably have misconstrued the motives of the City Council in asking that the weeds and brush be cut off of the lots. All that has been sought is to get the town cleaned up that it may present a more pleasing appearance and be more sanitary. Many have responded to this call without question as all should be willing to do. If there ever was a town that needed an application of civic pride in the matter of keeping the lots clean, at least, this is the one. Clean up your premises, and please yourself and as well your neighbors.

## Notice to Socialists

There will be a mass meeting of Socialist of Callahan county at Baird on Saturday July 11th. Stanley J. Clark, the great Socialist speaker will deliver a speech at the court house at 1 o'clock in afternoon on this occasion. Everybody invited to hear him.

W. W. Sitter  
County Secy.

Hub Harell and Porter Davis of Cross Cut were here Saturday.

Pluto Mineral Water is a concentrated water that will be as good as the best when properly diluted. Why buy clear cheap water when you can buy Pluto? Try it.

City Drug Store

Miss Zora Mae Carter who has been teaching at Oriona in Stone-wall county, is the guest of her parents and brother here.

W. A. Williams, Jr., is quite ill this week. We wish that his illness may be of short duration.

## AUCTION SALE

Notice Sale of refused freight. Notice is hereby given that the MK&T of Texas will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at its freight depot in the city of Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas, on the 13th day of July, 1914 at 10:00 A. M. in accordance with the laws of the state of Texas governing disposition by common carriers of refused or unclaimed freight.

The following described property 475—35 lb. meal and 25—100 lb. sack chps shipped by the Wellington Milling Co., Lexington Mo., to their order notify D. P. Cartes, Cross Plains, Texas, and refused by him waybilled on Lexington Mo., to Cross Plains, Texas, 20—206 W—B No. PMG 6, dated June 3rd, 1914 car C&NW 116588. Out of the proceeds of this sale the MK&T of Texas will deduct the proper freight and the demurrage charges due it and the cost of this sale.

The surplus, if any, will be held subject to the order of owner, at any time with in a period of five years, on proof of ownership made by the claimant or his duly authorized agent or attorney. This property may be claimed at any time prior to date of sale by its owner, or payment of all freight, demurrage, or other charges.

W.B. Williams, Agent, MK&T of Texas, OS&D 89. Joe Marshall, F.C.A. MK&T of Tex. R—C 13424

Lost: a solid gold stick pin with a Hungarian opal setting, on the streets or sidewalk Thursday. Return to my office and get reward. Dr. Mary Graves.



## THE FARMERS NAT'L BANK

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

Capital and Surplus, \$30,000.00.

We Bank on You; You Bank With Us.

## The Review: ALMOST GIVEN AWAY

Price of Reading Cut to Pieces!

A careful selection of the literature you order for home reading this spring and summer is very necessary. The best selection for general reading is

### The All-Southern Combination

Cross Plains Review ..... \$1.00 a year  
Holland's Magazine [Monthly] ..... 1.00 a year  
Farm and Ranch [Weekly] ..... 1.00 a year  
A 4-sheet, 22-29 inch Wall Chart, worth ..... \$1.50

### All 4 to You Until Jan. 1, '15 for \$1.00

Or The Review one year and the 4-sheet chart for .. \$1.00  
Or Farm & Ranch and Hollands to Jan. 1, 1915, and The Review for twelve (12) months for only .. \$1.00  
Or Farm & Ranch to Jan. 1, 1915, for ..... 25c  
Or Hollands to Jan. 1, 1915, for ..... 25c

This Chart has four sheets, 22x29 inches, and contains a Full Page Map of Texas, Maps of the United States, Mexico, the World, of the Panama Canal, 1916 Census, Gazetteer of Texas, Portraits of the Rulers of the World and of the Governors of Texas. Sells by agents for \$1.50.

Bring or send for this combination at once. Farm and Ranch and Holland's are published in Texas and give you the best all the Cross Plains Review gives you all the home news.

This Offer to New Subscribers Only.

### Order Them Today

Tell Your Friends About It  
**THE REVIEW, Cross Plains, Tex..**

### SAVE YOUR MONEY

There are lots of things in this store you need and you can save money on every one of them.

THE RACKET STORE

The Price is the thing at Carters.

Jim Bennett left last Saturday for Moran, and lest you get suspicious of his purpose in making this trip it is proper that we say that he went to figure on the metal ceiling work for the Powell building being erected at that place.

## 93 ft. High

How's that for a silo. Its a fact, made of concrete. Call at the office and I will show you a picture of it. Next week I will fill three with Easilage. Then I hope to demonstrate fully that my \$100. silo is practical

### Shackelford Lmbr. Yd.

At last we have a razor good enough to Guarantee for Life



Shumate's Tungsten \$2.75

Sizes and shapes to fit any face and adapted to any beard.

FOR SALE BY

### The Racket Store

#### Entertained

Mrs. Gray Powell entertained a few of the young people at her home with a 500 and 4th of July party Saturday night. All report an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Dodd Price and children are visiting her parents at Midland.

Mrs. Ky Neeb and son C. C., Jr., are visiting her mother Mrs. Cox of Gorman.

Our store will be open on the 8th and 9th until 10 o'clock a. m. and will open at 4 p. m. We have a nice cool place, pay us a visit and refresh yourself with a cold drink or a dish of good ice cream.

City Drug Store

#### MONEY SAVED IS MONEY EARNED

Watch this store and you will understand that it is different; this store is the New Way. Small profits and quick turns is the motto here.

The Racket Store

#### Died

A Mr. Hollis who had been visiting his son John Hollis of Sabanno since last fall died suddenly Sunday Morning and was buried Sunday afternoon at Sabanno cemetery, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. Collins. The deceased was 82 years of age, and had been a member of the M. E. church for 36 years.

# SEMI-ANNUAL STORE

marked in plain figures and one price; you know the price, you can see the saving. Don't miss this **SALE!**

## A Good Reason

The reason this house has enjoyed the liberal patronage of so many of the best people in this town and community is because of our fair and impartial treatment showing no one favors above another but at all times striving to work to the interest of every person that comes into our place of business. We attribute our marvelous success to this great business principle.

It is an unusual thing for a store to give their credit trade the advantage of so great a discount on their purchases, but we believe that every customer who trades with us on time should have the advantage of this great opportunity, if his account is worthy, therefore we extend to all this marvelous money saving opportunity, and will only add the usual 10 per cent for goods charged.

Don't forget that everything goes in this sale, and it is all new and up-to-date merchandise. All goods marked in plain figures. You can see the price. You can see the saving. The Store that treats all alike.

## Opens Saturday July 11th

### Silks

Fifty pieces of silk, regular 50c to \$1.75 the yard goods. Sale price per yard 35c to \$1.10.

If interest in Silks investigate this department.

A full line of ladies' up-to-date neck wear goes in this sale.

Towels Regular 10c, now	08c
Towels " 20c "	15c
Towels " 25c now	19c
Towels " 35c "	27c
Towels " 30c "	38c
Towels " 75c "	55c
Towels " \$1.00 "	83c

### HOSIERY

There is no better wearing hosiery for the price than Iron Clad—every pair guaranteed.

Children's 10c hose ..... 7 1/2c  
Ladies' 10c hose ..... 7 1/2c  
Children's 15c hose ..... 11c

Ladies' 15c hose ..... 11c  
25c Iron Clad hosiery ..... 20c  
35c Iron Clad hosiery ..... 23c

Men's hosiery at same price. We have a good stock of hosiery which we can recommend to give satisfaction.

### SKIRTS

We handle the best fitting skirts to be had. Take notice of these prices—

\$5.00 skirts	\$3.85
10.00 skirts	7.50
7.50 skirts	5.85
12.50 skirts	10.00

A few skirts, one of a kind, at one-half price.

### Ladies waists

Our nice waists, \$1.25, \$2.00, \$2.50 & \$3.00 values all go at \$1.00

## Men's Clothing



We have always enjoyed the reputation of carrying one of the most complete and up-to-date stocks of men's clothing to be found anywhere, including Sears & Roebuck Specials and other well known brands. We have bought too heavily and as we try never to carry goods from one season to another we had rather take our loss now than pay interest and have old stock.

Notice the special prices quoted here and come in and let us fit you. We know that our clothing will please.

Regular \$10.00 Suits	now	\$6.49
" 12.50 "	"	8.48
" 15.00 "	"	9.63
" 18.00 "	"	12.99
" 20.00 "	"	13.45
" 25.00 "	"	16.30
" 1.50 Boy's Suit	"	1.10
" 2.00 "	"	1.35
" 2.50 "	"	1.69
" 3.50 "	"	2.78
" 5.00 "	"	3.45
" 6.00 "	"	4.45

\$1.50 Men's Pants	1.20
1.75 "	1.45
2.00 "	1.55
2.50 "	1.89
3.50 "	2.78

Everything in good clothing at corresponding prices. A few dollars will do wonders at this Cost Sale.

### MENS HATS

\$6.50 John B. Scetson Hat	\$5.45
5.00 "	3.98
4.00 Stern & Bern Hats	2.98
3.50 "	2.79
3.00 "	2.43
2.50 "	1.89
2.00 "	1.42
1.75 "	1.28
1.50 "	1.15

All Straw Hats  
One-third (1-3)  
OFF



Our Entire Stock of Dry Goods, Men's Furnishing Goods, the Latest thrown on the market at most advertisement carefully and our reputation for Honest Merchandisement is behind every price quoted. When We put on a sale it means price on absolutely everything!

## IT ALL GOES AT SALE

It Is All

### EXTRA SPECIAL

During this big sale we are going to offer some of the best prices on high grade flour that you have ever known. The famous White Crest flour will be included in this sale.

100 lbs. White Crest \$2.90	Best meal	75c
100 lbs. American Beauty \$2.75	100 lbs. Sylvan Patent	\$2.35

You will miss something if you don't take advantage of this money-saving event.

### MEN'S SHIRTS

Regular \$1.50 Shirts	now	\$1.25
" 1.25 "	now	1.05
" 1.00 "	now	83c
" .75 "	now	55c
" .65 "	now	48c

The Store will be closed all day Friday, July 10th Marking down

PRICES.

Don't Forget the Date, July 11 to 20. CASH OR CREDIT. 10

# DAVIS-GARNER

Remember, with us, Quality is the Thing. CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

# STOCK TAKING SALE

## NOTICE!

Everything in our store is marked in plain figures and one price; you know the price, you can see the saving. Don't miss this SALE!

## SALE! SALE!

SALE!  
SALE!

Warner  
&  
Co.



Clothing, Shoes, Ladies' and largest in the County, is now attractive prices. Read this to this Unusual Sale. Our wise, Square and Fair. Treated and every statement made. Bargain Opportunities. The has been cut and cut deep.

## SALE PRICES, and

New

## IN GROCERIES

We list below a few of the many extra values that will be offered in this department.

10 best granulated sugar \$4.85 25 lbs best granulated sugar 1.25  
 50 kgs Arbuckle coffee 85c 4 pkgs A & H soda 25c 5 cans good lye 25c  
 1 lb. Bucket of Cottolene \$1.35 1 can Blue Flag syrup 50c  
 Space will not permit us to give all the prices we would have you know; so come and see.

## A Good Reason

Again our SEMI-ANNUAL-STOCK-TAKING TIME rolls around and notwithstanding the fact that our business has exceeded our expectations we find that through our desire to supply our patrons with their every need, we bought entirely too many goods, therefore we are making prices in this sale that will interest all, and at the same time help us to carry out the established policy of this firm of making each season take care of its own purchases thereby preventing an accumulation of old and out of season merchandise. In order to accomplish the purpose we have in view, we are cutting the prices and cutting them deep; in fact we are going to make this a real bona fide money-saving event.

The reputation of this firm is behind every article offered in this sale so you can't make a mistake. Remember that everything offered will be strictly new and reasonable merchandise.

## Closes Monday, July 20th

### DRESS GOODS

You will find this department full of new things at greatly reduced prices.

12c Gingham ..... 9½c  
 Best AFC Gingham ..... 8c  
 10c sateens ..... 7½c  
 60c wool dress 54 in. .... 16½c  
 wide ..... 45c  
 Reg'l'r 20c wash linen 16½c  
 Regular 20c solid colors 16½c  
 " 25c Egyptian Tissue 21c  
 " 5c Heather Lawn ..... 4c  
 " 8c Irena Organdie ..... 6c  
 " 10c Valmont Batiste 8c  
 12½c figured Lawn ..... 10c  
 " 15c solid Batiste 12½c  
 " 18c solid and figured Organdie ..... 13c  
 " 20c black Organdie 16½c  
 " 12½c Dimity Madras 10c  
 " 16 2-3c " " 13½c  
 " 18c " " 15c  
 " 20c " " 16½c-3c

### NOTIONS

Pearl Buttons, per doz. 3½c  
 Best Brass Pins, paper 3½c  
 Best Needles paper 2½c  
 Boss Ball thread, a box 20c  
 One lot 5c laces ..... 3½c  
 8½c laces per yard ..... 6½c  
 10c laces per yard ..... 7½c  
 One lot 5c embroidery 3½c  
 8½c embroidery per yard 5c  
 12½ " per yard 9c  
 25c " per yard 18c  
 Arrow Brand Collars 11c  
 50c Corsets ..... 39c  
 \$1.00 " ..... 85c  
 1.50 " ..... \$1.25  
 5c Handkerchiefs ..... 2½c  
 10c " ..... 7c  
 Everything on Notions reduced. Embroideries at Sale Prices.

### Ladies' Underwear

Regular \$2.00 Petticoats now ..... \$1.49	Regular 50c Drawers now ..... 38c
Regular 1.75 Petticoat " ..... 1.38	" 75c Drawers now ..... 55c
" 1.50 " " ..... 1.21	" 10c Vest now ..... 7c
" 1.75 Gowns now ..... 1.38	" 15c Vest now ..... 11c
" 1.50 Gowns ..... 1.21	" 20c Vest now ..... 15c
" 1.00 Gowns ..... 83c	" 25c Vest now ..... 18c
" 75c Gowns ..... 55c	" 35c Vest now ..... 27c
" 35c Drawers ..... 27c	" 50c Vest now ..... 39c

### STAPLES

Wearwell per yard ..... 8c  
 Virginia plaids ..... 4½c  
 Silver King " 8½c grade 6c  
 Best feather tick a yd. 14½c  
 Mattress tick ..... 8c  
 50c table linen ..... 40c  
 60c table linen ..... 45c  
 75c " ..... 56c  
 \$1.00 " ..... 82c  
 1.50 " ..... \$1.20

Large stock of napkins included in this sale.  
 All underwear and men's shirts included in this sale.

### The Best Grade OIL CLOTH 10 cents per yard

In order that every one may have a chance at this, the quantity to each customer will be limited.



### SHOES

We sustain the reputation the country over of selling the most dependable shoe in all this section. We have the exclusive agency for such lines as Hanans, Roberts, Johnson & Rand, Pilgrams, etc. Boys', Misses' & Children's shoes & Low Cuts reduced on same basis as the prices quoted below.

\$3.50 Pilgrams ..... \$3.10
4.00 " ..... 3.55
4.00 Patriot ..... 3.55
4.50 " ..... 3.55
5.00 R. J. & R. .... 3.95
6.50 Hanan ..... 4.85
7.00 " ..... 5.65
4.00 Ladies Society Star ..... 3.10
3.50 " ..... 2.95
3.00 " Patent Leather Shoes and Slippers ..... 2.35
1.75 Kid Shoes and Slippers ..... 1.35
2.50 Special lot Men's Shoes and Slippers ..... 1.98

## 500

Five Hundred yards ribbon that must go in this sale

### TRUNKS AND SUIT CASES

\$15.00 Trunks ..... \$11.85
12.00 " ..... 9.90
10.00 " ..... 7.85
6.50 " ..... 4.95
5.00 " ..... 4.10

Suit Cases and bags at sale prices.

The Store will be closed all day Friday, July 10th, marking down PRICES.

per cent Added on all Goods Charged. Don't forget the place

# WARNER & COMPANY

TEXAS. Everything sold as advertised. Watch us Grow.

Your suit cleaned and pressed for \$1.00

Carl Murdock

PROF. WILL ERWIN

PIANO, VOICE AND VIOLIN

TERMS REASONABLE

A SCHOLARSHIP

Brownwood has a good Commercial College. That is what Brownwood people and graduates of the school say.

If you have never quenched your diaphragm at the iceless, perfectly sanitary soda fountain at the Cross Plains Drug Store, you have missed the greatest and most pleasant means of alleviating the warmth of these hot days.

Posted Take Notice

The public is requested to take notice that all Pastures owned, Controlled or leased by the undersigned, in Coleman Co. Texas, are Posted according to law and trespassing is prohibited.

E. Burns, James Gelson, T. H. Colvin, W. T. Burns, J. R. Adams, Burkett Texas.

For Sale: A good 950 to 1000 lb. horse, Good puller and a good buggy horse. Call at this office.

A good second hand buggy for sale cheap.

Davis-Garner & Co.

DENTIST

Dr. Mary L. S. Graves Office over Farmers Nat'l Bank, Cross Plains, Texas. Call me 24 or Central.

Wanted: A position by an experienced person. Address P. O. box 123, Cross Plains.

A nice piano for sale cheap, cash or credit at Davis Garner & Co.

Removal Notice:

I have moved my office to the McCord building just south of the Racket Store, where I will be pleased to have you call on me.

Dr. Tyson

Liberty Notes

After an absence of several weeks I will come again with some of the Liberty happenings. Crops are growing off pretty fast now, especially the grass. Everybody is rushing in order to catch up with their work by the picnic.

Mrs. Springer of Memphis who has been visiting her sister Mrs. M. C. Walker of this place returned home last week.

Frank Hank of San Antonio has moved into the Forbes house here.

Rev. Thomason preached at the Baptist Church last Sunday.

Oh! oh! two more autos at Tin Can Guess they will join in the parade as soon as the owners recover from the shock of their first drive.

The twelve year old niece of Ben Barrington attempted to run away and return to East Texas last Saturday night about 8 o'clock. The alarm was given and a posse of citizens were soon on the trail. They did not find her, however, until about 10 o'clock Sunday morning, when she appeared at Mr. Berry's 2 miles east of Cross Plains and asked for something to eat.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Roach

last week a 9 pound boy. Mother and baby doing well.

One of J. C. Holder's sons-in-law came up in his car last week.

Candidates are getting to be as numerous and familiar as tramps in this part of the country.

A number of Liberty citizens are talking of having their phones connected with the Cross Plains exchange, as it will make it more convenient for business.

Mrs. Sam Webb has been on the sick list for several days. Her baby is also sick.

Tom Bruce and wife attended church at this place Sunday.

Well I will ring off and tell more next time.

Skin flint

Partner Wanted: for wolf and fur trapping this fall and winter. Also want to buy two genets. J. J. Dodson, at Frank Williams.

YOU CAN AFFORD IT Facts and Figures On Young People's Earning Ability.

\$50 pay\* for an unlimited life scholarship in Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Telegraphy or Business Administration and Finance in our school. \$50 will pay for the board and lodging of the average student while completing one of these courses. When two of these courses are taken at the same time a discount of \$5.00 is made.

With the famous Byrne Simplified Shorthand and Practical Bookkeeping and our practical way of teaching Telegraphy and Railway Station Work, we give the student a more thorough training, in half the time and at half the usual cost of a course in other schools teaching other systems. This is conclusively proven by the indorsements in our catalogue from those who have attended other schools and studied other systems.

We conclusively prove every statement we make, and that is why we have the largest business training school in America. Our catalogue is free for the asking, and it will give any parent or young person just the information they desire in helping them to make up their mind as to the school to patronize the course to take, the cost, and the increased earning capacity.

Fill in name, address and course interested in, and mail to Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.

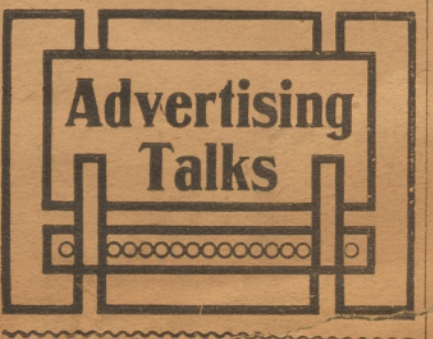
Name..... Address..... Course.....

If you want a nice table set of paper napkins and table cloths for spreading your lunch in the open, we have them, 25c a set.

City Drug Store

B. T. Higginbottom and his foreman for the carpenter work Mr. Boswell returned Sunday from a trip to Dallas, where they bought the iron for their building here. They say that they did not buy the plate glass.

You can buy it for less at Carters.



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 every Saturday night at M. W. A. 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.

Meets every Friday night at 8:30 at the I. O. O. F. Hall. C. W. Barr, Sec.

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

M. E. Church, South.

Preaching each 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

Sunday school each Sunday 10 a. m. R. P. Odom, Supt.

Prayer meeting each Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Woman's Home Mission Society meets Thursdays before the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. Mrs. Alvis Pres.

You are cordially invited to attend all our church services.

Presbyterian Church.

Presbyterian church, preaching on 2nd and 3rd Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Regular session meeting, Friday, 3 p. m.

Baptist Church.

Preaching 2nd & 4th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sunday School begins 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8:15. Ladies Aid Mondays 3:30 p. m.

Junior B. Y. P. U. meets every Sunday 3 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U 4 p. m.

Pastor.

TEXAS FACTS

MINERALS.

Practically every mineral known to the geological world is found in Texas.

Compared with other states, we rank twenty-third in mineral production.

We produce 19 minerals in commercial quantities.

Texas' available coal supply is valued at \$10,000,000,000 more than all the farm property of the United States.

The first commercial mining in Texas was in 1882. Since then, the mines, wells and quarries of the state have yielded products valued at \$227,000,000.

The Texas mines produce \$20,000,000 annually.

Texas mine employees receive \$5,000,000 annually in salaries and wages.

The mining industry of Texas represents a capital investment of \$20,000,000.

Thirty-five thousand people are dependent on the Texas mining industry for a living.

NATURAL GAS.

About 33 per cent of the Texas farms are mortgaged. The mortgage indebtedness is approximately \$225,000,000.

The average mortgage debt of a Texas farm is \$1,548; the average equity \$4,619.

Texas has the largest land area in the U. S.

THE SOURCE OF CHEAP MONEY

EDITOR'S NOTE:—This is the second of a series of Articles on AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS prepared by Judge S. A. Lindsey, chairman of the Texas Farm Life Commission.

Suppose one wishes to borrow on land security, \$10,000. It is not easy to find one person who has that sum to lend. When he does, he finds a man of affairs who will lend the money only on such rates as prevail in that community. It is easier to find twenty persons with \$500 or a hundred with \$100 each. In Eastern states and in European countries working people and persons of small means put by their savings in saving banks which pay 3 and 4 per cent on time deposits.

Every one of Uncle Sam's industries except his greatest, agriculture, has worked out methods of getting to the source of cheap money, and he has decided to work out a system for that neglected industry. He sends his agents to all parts of the world. Some of these in the countries of Continental Europe have reported that the people there have systems of rural credits which manage to tap this great source of cheap money just as other industries do, and receive copious streams of finance which give new life and vigor to agriculture, causing the fields to bring forth five-fold. Desiring to see what light these systems might shed on our agricultural problems President Wilson sent a Commission last year throughout Europe to investigate the systems there.

The methods are so simple and the benefits so great and widespread that one seeing them wonders why we should not long ago have adopted some similar method suited to agricultural conditions here. This Commission has prepared a plan which is now before Congress and which I will explain in my next article.

Texas farm property increases in value at the rate of \$3,500,000 per day.

The value of the average Texas farm is \$5,311; of this amount \$3,909 is invested in land, \$503 in buildings, \$136 in implements and machinery, and \$763 in livestock.

The average value of Texas farm (improved and unimproved) is \$5 per acre.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce the following named persons as candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July, 1914:

For Associate Justice Court Civil Appeals. Judge Ocie Speer (re-election)

For District Attorney for 4 Judicial District N. N. Rosenberg of Breckenridge

For County Clerk: Homer Shanks (Tom) E Parks of Baird Chas. Noidyke, of Cottonwood

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# KEITH OF THE BORDER

A TALE OF THE PLAINS

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### SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—Jack Keith, a typical border plainsman, is riding along the Santa Fe trail on the lookout for roaming war parties of savages. Keith had won his spurs as captain in a Virginia regiment during the civil war. He had left the service to find his old southern home in ashes, his friends scattered, and the confusion of western life had allured him. He notices a camp fire at a distance and then sees a team attached to a wagon and at full gallop pursued by men on ponies.

CHAPTER II—When Keith reaches the wagon the raiders have massacred two men, shot the horses and departed. He searches the victims finding papers and a locket with a woman's portrait. He resolves to hunt down the murderers.

CHAPTER III—Keith reaches Carson City and is arrested there charged with murdering and robbing the two travelers. His accuser is given as Black Bart, a notorious ruffian.

CHAPTER IV—They can readily swear the crime to Keith. The latter goes to jail fully realizing the peril of swift border justice. A companion in his cell is a negro, who tells him he is Neb and that he knew the Keith family back in Virginia.

CHAPTER V—Neb knows about the two murdered men from the description by Keith. He says one was John Sibley, the other Gen. Willis Waite, formerly an officer in the Confederate army.

CHAPTER VI—The plainsman and his humble friend escape from the cell.

CHAPTER VII—The two fugitives become lost in the sand desert.

CHAPTER VIII—They come upon a cabin and find its lone occupant to be a beautiful young girl. Keith recognizes her as a singer he saw at Carson City.

CHAPTER IX—The girl explains that she came there in search of a brother who had deserted from the army. She had met a Mr. Hawley, who had induced her to come to the cabin while he sought to locate her brother.

CHAPTER X—Hawley appears, and Keith in hiding recognizes him as the notorious Black Bart. Hawley tries to make love to the girl.

CHAPTER XI—There is a terrific battle in the darkened room in which Keith overcomes Black Bart. Horses are appropriated, and the girl who says that her name is Hope, joins in the escape.

CHAPTER XII—Keith explains his situation as a fugitive from justice.

CHAPTER XIII—The fugitives make for the ford of the Arkansas aiming to reach Fort Larned.

CHAPTER XIV—Here the girl is left in charge of the hotel landlady.

CHAPTER XV—Keith is riding Black Bart's horse, and in the saddle-bags discovers a letter bearing the name of Christie Maclair and he believes Miss Hope deceives him in disclaiming that name. Miss Hope tells the landlady that she is the daughter of General Waite.

CHAPTER XVI—The fugitives Keith and Neb drift into Sheridan. Here Keith meets an old friend named Fairbain, a doctor. The plainsman speaks of the murder of General Waite, but Fairbain insists that he saw the general alive in Sheridan only the day previous.

CHAPTER XVII—At the tavern Keith is disturbed by the talk of two men in an adjoining apartment. One of them speaks of trying to find Black Bart. He calls his companion, Fred Willoughby, which is the assumed name of the brother of Hope. Waite. When the other man is gone, Keith enters the room.

CHAPTER XVIII—Willoughby acknowledges that Hope is his sister, but is evasive about Christie Maclair.

CHAPTER XIX—An overheard conversation convinces Keith that Hope Waite is not the stage singer Christie Maclair, but that Black Bart has some plot in progress involving the two girls and the profligate brother.

CHAPTER XX—Hope, getting a clue to the fact that General Waite is at Sheridan, starts for that town.

CHAPTER XXI—Hope Waite is mistaken for Christie Maclair at Sheridan.

CHAPTER XXII—Keith meets the real Christie Maclair and finds that Black Bart has convinced her that there is a mystery in her life which he is going to turn to her advantage.

CHAPTER XXIII—The plainsman calls upon Hope Waite and tells of her resemblance to Christie Maclair. They decide that Fred Willoughby may hold the key to the situation.

CHAPTER XXIV—Keith locates Willoughby, but it is to find the army deserter just shot dead by a lawless gang.

CHAPTER XXV—Hope is told of the death of her brother by Keith. He again comes across Christie Maclair.

CHAPTER XXVI—Keith tries to learn what representations Black Bart has made to the stage singer, but she declines to tell him.

CHAPTER XXVII—Hope suggests that in order to learn the secret of Black Bart she must briefly impersonate Christie.

CHAPTER XXVIII—Dr. Fairbain is in love with Christie Maclair, and Keith induces him to detain her from the stage while Hope goes to the theater where she meets Black Bart.

CHAPTER XXIX—Black Bart really believing Hope to be Christie Maclair, tells her that General Waite has suspected his plans about an inheritance and that they must fly. Hope is alarmed and demurs.

CHAPTER XXX—General Waite appears and confronts Christie Maclair. He says Black Bart has stolen papers from him regarding an inheritance.

CHAPTER XXXI—Keith coming upon the scene is informed by General Waite that Christie Maclair is the half sister of Hope. The latter has been carried away by Black Bart and his gang.

CHAPTER XXXII—Dr. Fairbain avows his love for Phyllis. She accepts him.

CHAPTER XXXIII—Keith and his friends strike the trail of Black Bart.

CHAPTER XXXIV—Hope has been taken back to the old cabin of the gang.

CHAPTER XXXV—The wilderness cabin is the scene of a fight in which Keith and his partners overcome their outlaw enemies.

CHAPTER XXXVI—Black Bart and the plainsman meet in a duel in a wild spot and Keith is the victor.

CHAPTER XXXVII—The plainsman is wounded in the fight with the desperado but is nursed back to life and health by the faithful Hope Waite.

else was changeless. Then into the far northern sky there rose a black speck, growing larger and larger; others came from the east and west, beating the air with widely outspread wings, great beaks stretched forward. Out from their nests of foulness the desert scavengers were coming for their spoil.

### CHAPTER XXXVII.

At the Water-Hole.

Up from the far, dim southwest they rode slowly, silently, wearied still by the exertions of the past night, and burned by the fierce rays of the desert sun. No wind of sufficient force had blown since Keith passed that way, and they could easily follow the hoof prints of his horse across the sand waste. Bristoe was ahead, that brim drawn low, scanning the horizon line unceasingly. Somewhere out in the midst of that mystery was hidden tragedy, and he dreaded the knowledge of its truth. Behind him Fairbain and Hope rode together, their lips long since grown silent, the man ever glancing uneasily aside at her, the girl drooping slightly in the saddle, with pale face and heavy eyes. Five prisoners, lashed together, the binding rope fastened to the pommels of the two "Bar X" men's saddles, were bunched together, and behind all came Neb, his black face glistening in the heat.

Suddenly Bristoe drew rein, and rose to the full length in the stirrups, shading his eyes from the sun's glare, as he stared ahead. Two motionless black specks were visible—yet were they motionless? or was it the heat waves which seemed to yield them movement? He drove in his spurs, driving his startled horse to the summit of a low sand ridge, and again halted, gazing intently forward. He was not mistaken—they were horses. Knowing instantly what it meant—those riderless animals drifting derelict in the heart of the desert—his throat dry with fear, the scout wheeled, and spurred back to his party, quickly resolving on a course of action. Hawley and Keith had met; both had fallen, either dead or wounded. A moment's delay now might cost a life; he would need Fairbain, but he must keep the girl back, if possible. But could he? She straightened up in the saddle as he came spurring toward them; her eyes wide open, one hand clutching at her throat.

"Doctor," he called as soon as he was near enough, his horse circling, "thar is somethin' showin' out yonder I'd like ter take a look at, an' I reckon you better go 'long. The nigger kin com' up ahead yere with Miss Waite."

She struck her horse, and he plunged forward, bringing her face to face with Bristoe.

"What is it? Tell me, what is it?"

"Nothin' but a loose hoss, Miss."

"A horse! here on the desert?"

looking about, her eyes dark with horror. "But how could that be? Could—could it be Captain Keith's?"

Bristoe cast an appealing glance at Fairbain, mopping his face vigorously, not knowing what to say, and the other attempted to turn the tide.

"Not likely—not likely at all—no reason why it should be probably just a stray horse—you stay back here, Miss Hope—Ben and I will find out, and let you know."

"No, I'm going," she cried, zipping a sob in her throat. "It would kill me to wait here."

She was off before either might raise hand or voice in protest, and they could only urge their horses in effort to overtake her, the three racing forward fetlock deep in sand. Mounted upon a swifter animal Fairbain forged ahead; he could see the two horses now plainly, their heads uplifted, their reins dangling. Without perceiving more he knew already what was waiting there on the sand, and swore fiercely, spurring his horse mercifully, forgetful of all else, even the girl, in his intense desire to reach and touch the bodies. He had begged to do this himself, to be privileged to seek this man Hawley, to kill him—but now he was the physician, with no other thought except a hope to save. Before his horse had even stopped he flung himself from the saddle, ran forward and dropped on his knees beside Keith, bending his ear to the chest, grasping the wrist in his fingers. As the others approached, he glanced up, no conception now of aught save his own professional work.

"Water, Bristoe," he exclaimed sharply. "Dash some brandy in it. Quick now. There, that's it; hold his head up—higher. Yes, you do it, Miss Hope; here, Ben, take this, and pry

his teeth open—well, he got a swallow anyhow. Hold him just as he is—can you stand it? I've got to find where he was lit."

"Yes—yes," she answered, "don't—don't mind me."

He tore open the woolen garment soaked with blood already hardened, felt within with skilled fingers, his eyes keen, his lips muttering unconsciously.

"Quarter of an inch—quarter of an inch too high—scraped the lung—Lord, if I can only get it out—got to do it now—can't wait—here. Bristoe, that leather case on my saddle—run, damn you—we'll save him yet, girl—there, drop his head in your lap—yes, cry if you want to—only hold still—open the case, will you—down here where I can reach it—now water—our canteens—Hope, tear me off a strip of your under-skirt—what am I going to do?—extract the ball—got to do it—blood poison in this sun."

She ripped her skirt, handing it to him without a word; then dropped her white face in her hands, bending, with closed eyes, over the whiter face resting on her lap, her lips trembling with the one prayer, "Oh, God! Oh, God!" How long he was at it, or what he did, she scarcely knew—she heard the splash of water; caught the flash of the sun on the probe; felt the half-conscious shudder of the wounded man, whose head was in her lap, the deft, quick movements of Fairbain, and then—

"That's it—I've got it—missed the lung by a hair—damn me I'm proud of that job—you're a good girl."

He looked at him, scarce able to see, her eyes blinded with tears.

"Will—he live? Oh, tell me!"

"Live! Why shouldn't he?—nothing but a hole to close up—nature'll do that, with a bit of nursing—here, now don't you keel over—give me the rest of that skirt."

He bandaged the wound, then glanced about suddenly.

"How's the other fellow?"

"Dead," returned Bristoe, "shot through the heart."

"Thought so—have seen Keith shoot before—I wonder how the cuss ever managed to get him."

As he arose to his feet, his red face glistening with perspiration, and began strapping his leather case, the others rode up, and Bristoe, explaining the situation, set the men to making preparations for pushing on to the water-hole. Blankets were strung between ponies, and the bodies of the dead and wounded deposited therein, firm hands on the bridles. Hope rode close beside Keith, struggling to keep back the tears, as she watched him lying motionless, unconscious, scarcely breathing. So, under the early glow of the desert stars, they came to the water-hole, and halted.

The wounded man opened his eyes, and looked about him unable to comprehend. At first all was dark, silent; then he saw the stars overhead, and a breath of air fanned the nearby fire, the ruddy glow of flame flashing across his face. He heard voices faintly, and thus, little by little, consciousness asserted itself and memory struggled back into his bewildered brain. The desert—the lonely leagues of sand—his fingers gripped as if they felt the stock of a gun—yet that was all over—he was not there—but he was somewhere—and alive, alive. It hurt him to move, to breathe even, and after one effort to turn over, he lay perfectly still, staring up into the black arch of sky, endeavoring to think, to understand—where was he? How had he come there? Was Hawley alive also? A face bent over him, the features faintly visible in the flash of firelight. His dull eyes lit up in sudden recollection.

"Doc! is that you?"

"Sure, old man," the pudgy fingers feeling his pulse, the gray eyes twinkling. "Narrow squeak you had—going to pull through all right, though—no sign of fever."

"Where am I?"

"At the water-hole; sling you in a blanket, and get you into Larned tomorrow."

There was a moment's silence, Keith finding it hard to speak.

"Hawley—?" he whispered at last.

"Oh, don't worry; you got him all right. Say, his voice sobering, "maybe it was just as well you took that job. If it had been me I would have been in bad."

The wounded man's eyes questioned.

"It's a bad mix-up, Keith. Waite never told us all of it. I reckon he didn't want her to know, and she never shall, if I can help it. I've been looking over some papers in his pocket—he'd likely been after them this trip—and his name ain't Hawley. He's Bartlett Gale, Christie's father."

Keith could not seem to grasp the thought, his eyes half-closed.

"Her—her father?" he questioned, weakly. "Do you suppose he knew?"

"No; not at first, anyhow; not at Sheridan. He was too interested in his scheme to even suspicion he had actually stumbled onto the real girl. I think he just found out."

A coyote howled somewhere in the darkness, a melancholy chorus joining in the with long-drawn cadence. A shadow swept into the radius of dancing firelight.

"Is he conscious, Doctor?"

Fairbain drew back silently, and she dropped on her knees at Keith's side, bending low to look into his face.

"Hope—Hope!"

"Yes, dear, and you are going to live now—live for me."

He found her hand, and held it, clasped within his own, his eyes wide open.

"I have never told you," he said, softly, "how much I love you."

She bent lower until her cheek touched his.

"No, Jack, but you may now."

THE END.



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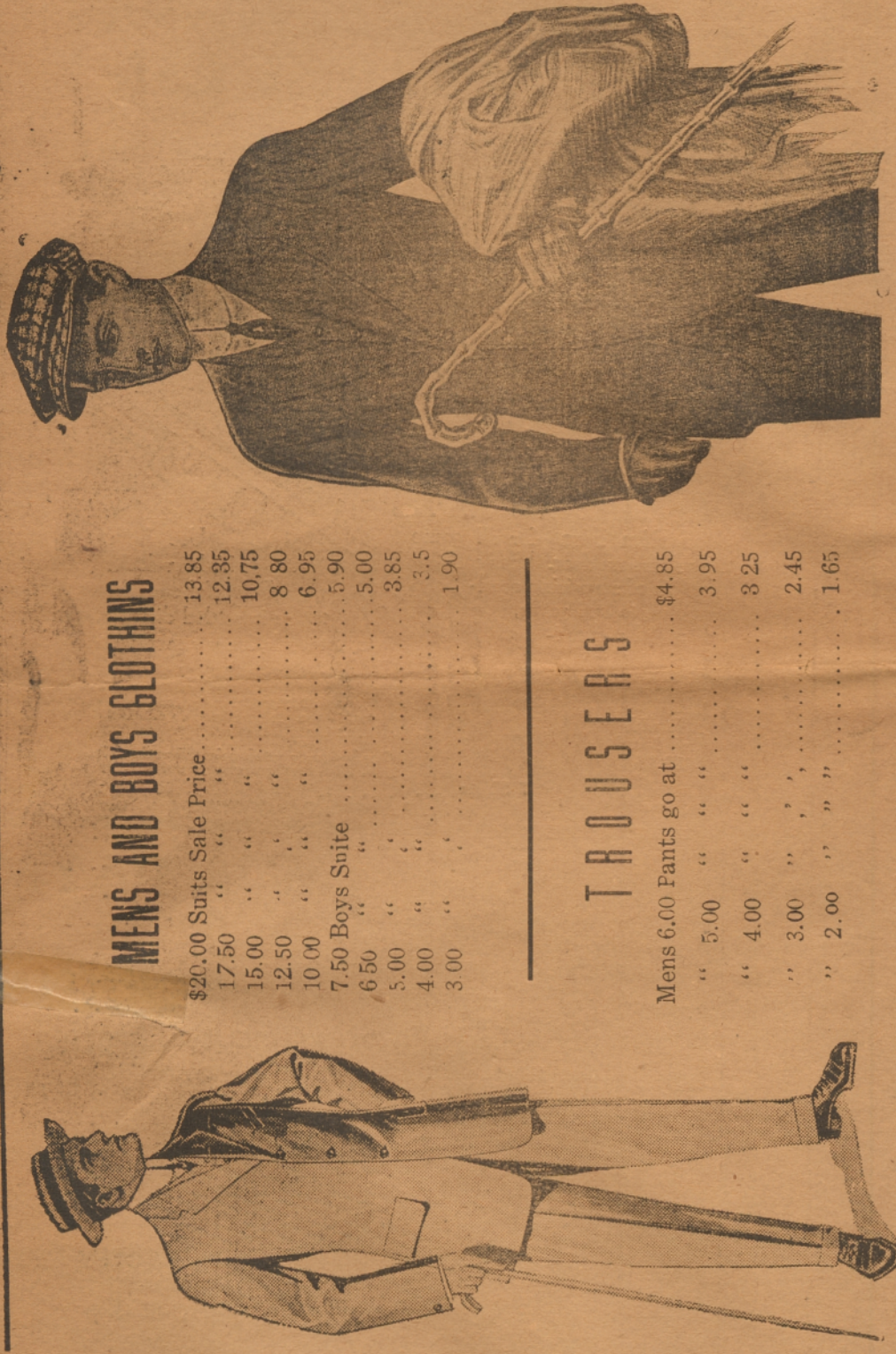
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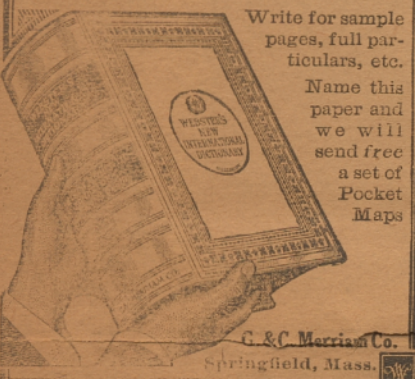
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**PROGRAMME!**

**Cross Plains Picnic  
Wednesday and Thursday  
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**JULY 8th**

11 a. m. - - - Local Candidates  
1:30 p. m.—F F Hill of Denton speaks in interest of Col. Thos. H. Ball for Governor.

4 p. m.—**BALL GAME, Blanket Vs. Cross Plains**  
The visitors will have with them two former Texas League Stars, Bert Hise and Ingram, both of Navigator fame.

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**Thursday, JULY 9th**

10 a. m.—Ball Game, Cross Plains Vs. Blankett  
11 a. m.—Representative for Judge Thos. Blanton will speak.

1:30 p. m.—Hon. W. R. Smith will speak in the interest of his candidacy for re-election to congress  
3 p. m.—Ball Game, Cross Plains Vs. Blankett

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