B. L. Boydstun

"Where It Pays To Buy"

We have just closed a ten days sale. We gave you good bargains and you took advantage of them for which we thank you. We feel that you have been benefitted as well as we.

Our regular sale has been withdrawn as per our ad last week, yet we are offering some good bargains on summer goods. There will yet be two or three months summer weather and you should take futher advantage of our low prices and supply your needs.

Our stock of groceries is always fresh and com. Just recieved a car new Cotton White flour. We have feed, grain and peanuts.

Let Us Serve You.

We hear nothing but war talk. The Methodist protracted meet conducting the services. Large crowds have been attending

tonwood and community the first of received

Miss Hermoine Brownlee who is teaching music at Burkett. was Alvin Smith, Phone 86. home with parents Saturday and

is visiting friends and relatives of

were present at Burkett pienic. The young folks enjoyed a party

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ray one evening last week. Mrs. Pat J. Green of Brownwood seed oil.

has been visiting at Rising Star and is at Cottonwood with parents again. Messrs. Carl Coats, Oral Strahan. Berval Ferguson and Bill Evans For sale,

made a business trip to Baird the first of the week. Vernon Strahan who has been in

school at Denton is home again. Mrs. Bessie Murdock proved to be a most delightful hostess Friday evening when she entertained the young ladies of the community An hour or so was spent in games Then they were joined by the young men. After conversing for some time watermelons were served to the following - Misses Annve and Obera Johnston, Mae and Irene Ev erett. Ernestine Ayers, Byrd Mitchell, Jewel Casey. Flora Varner, Nettie Kennedy and Dallas Worthy: Messrs. Oliver Dee Worthy, Bryan Bennett, Buron Ferguson, Phony Worthy, Cecil and Hardy Murdock and Floyd Coffey.

George Earl, fomerly Katy agent here, has been here seeing about his home. His family is now at Winchell.

We have a tew gallons of very best house paint that we are closing out at \$3.00 per gallon. This price is less than the present wholesale cost. Also a good stock of wagon and carriage paint -C. S.

Mrs. C. V. Gregory and young on of DeLeon are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson

Miss Alma Copeiand of south of

T. A. Irving of Clyde on Monday ahead for himself and

To Trade: \$60.00 sewing ma- been similarly blessed.

Miss Beulah Whitehorn of Snyder chine for milk cow .- C. S. Boyles Get your ice by nine on Sun- Williamson County, is days. Positivly will not be open daughter. Mrs. Dick Rat. Several of the Cottonwood people after that hour. Neeb Ice Co. Come and get your FRUIT JARS ed home with Mr. Ratliff on a

Buggy and wagon paint and lin-

ALL KINDS CANE SEED

here this year.

town was here the first of the week Bank of Cross Plains

WOOD delivered on short notice

Joe H. Shackelford, Lmbr.

Cross Plains Grist Mill.

W. S. Jones, week put the Review six

Mrs. Garrett and young son country from this place to water had just received good

three weeks. Mr. Coffman trip to that county

W. P. Taylor of Seymour, wa Mr. Blackwell says he glad to get the Review. l'has not been a reader o

NOTICE Build

Because of the National Crisis now facing

Therefore, we will NOT have a Pienie in

our country, the business interest of Cross Plains

1917 nor be responsible for any held in or around

CROSS PLAINS BUSINESS LEAGUE

Don't Forget to Come to

FOSTER & SON'S

for the

Best Prices on

GROCERIES

is opposed to having a Picnic this year.

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUGUST 3, 1917. FERGUSON AND



almon P Chase

As a farmer boy he saved his money and got an edu-

cation. Then he taught school, became Inited States Senator, Secretary of the Treasury in esident Lincoln's cabinet, Chief Justice of the oreme Court.

There is no limit to the big achievements at can grow out of small savings in the beginning. your ambition goes no further than marriage, home, hildren, education for the children, a happy old age, will require money.

deposit a part of your earnings regularly this bank. Be thus insured against want, and be ady to grasp opportunity for profitable investment uccess comes rarely in any other way.

fultiply your money in our care.

The Rev. T. Y. Adams of tending condolence who is in charge, is a tong preacher. Several adhave been made to the church

ade to the Dressy chuch seventy-two years old in this month. ough of Cross Plains, Mrs. Rov church is due to close mer of Baird. The Review joins the f the week, probably to- many friends of the family in ex-

Mr. Hally of Abilene was in Cot Car of fresh meal and feed just guest of his parents, Mr. and were thirteen conversions and Volley McDonough, tive miles give to the many could not last. madditions to the church by south of town on Tuesday morning. He said he was not opposed to high. C. B. McKinney. Pioneer. G. And the season has just started. and was buried at Rising Star on er education, but is seeking to save W. Pounders. Sabanno, and J. P. He sold something more than \$200 and five by letter, making Wednesday. Elder J. M. Harlow the nuiversity from "powers seeking to perpetuate certain practices calcumark."

W. Pounders, Sabanno, and W. Pounders, Sabanno, and Something to perpetuate certain practices calcumark. good success. The pastor Death resulted from Bright's disease. torty oid additions have The deceased would have been He leaves the following children to mourn his death: Dallas Scarborough of Abilene, Homer Scarborough of San Angelo, Mrs. Volley McDon-Smith of Rising Star, Mrs. Dr. Dill ting being conducted at ot Rising Star. and Mrs. W. J. Far-

ce Blitch is visiting in

All of Europe will have to be rebuilt and when the war is over, prices are going to soar skyward. Your delay is going to be expensive.

Regardless of the kind of building or alterayou have in mind investigate our FREE PLAN SERVICE to customers.

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s Plains, Texas

OTHERS INDICTED

JURY AGAINST STATE OFFICIALS. ALL GIVE THE BOND REQUIRED

E CROSS PLAINS REV

Four, Buildings Custodian One.

cation of public funds. He gave bond for Sunday. in \$1,000 in each case.

Commissioner of Insurance and Banking Charles O. Austin gave bond in \$1,000 each of four indictments in up Callahan's 101 quota in the draft which he is charged with the misappli- are the following: Owen Baum, Hugh cation of public funds.

GOVERNOR ADDRESSES INSTITUTE ON in the first 202 call: J. W. Hearne.

lated to stun the progress of the uni-

of Speaker Fuller to call a special , session of the legislature. In discussing the west Texas college matter he said he saw Mr. Fuller vote

for Abilene on the second ballot. Sald Life Threatened.

In an address at Walnut Springs Governor Ferguson said he had received three anonymous letters threatcould prove that every cent of the money charged to have been misap. He is a clear and forceful speaker or no war. propriated had been properly applied. You will find it at Ruthertords at He could prove it, he said, and those

> Says Fuller Has Right. committee of lawyers met at Austin and decided Speaker Fuller had the right to convene the house in special session for impeachment purposes without a call from the governor

Announces for Third Term. he would be a candidate for a third line of goods. term before the Democratic primaries

WAR FOR HUMANITY. LANSING SAYS GERMANY NEVER IN-TENDED KEEPING PROMISES.

stroyed forever the evil ambitions of the military rulers of Germany." He deciared that Germany hever in-

smashed the periscope of a hostile submarine and undoubtedly destroyed the undersea boat in the Mediteerane an sea, according to advices receiv

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first draft have been mailed. They are divided into groups and are called to Baird for examination on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, to be present at eight o'clock a, m.

Judge B. L. Russell, secretary of the county board, this week sent the Review a carbon copy of the or-Secretary of State Six, Ineur. ficial list of all registrants in the ance and Banking Commissioner county in the order in which they are to be called. C. E. Boydstun made from this list copies of all Governor Ferguson was indicted by names from Cross Plains, Cottonthe Travis county grand jury. Seven wood, Dressy, Rowden, Atwell, and charges allege misapplication of pub- Sabanno, and those wanting to know lie funds, one alleged embezzlement and their numbers can see a copy at one alleged diversion of a special Boydstun's store or at the Review fund. He gave \$5,000 bond in one office. Our quota is 101, and accase and \$1,000 in each of the others. cording to Judge Russell, 202 men Secrétary of State C. J. Bartlett have been summoned to Baird, was also indicted. The secretary sixty-seven for Friday and sixtyis charged with six alleged misappli seven for Saturday and sixty-eight

Among those in and near Cross Plains who have been called by the local board for examination to make McDermett, Jim Lawrence, John Superintendent of Public Buildings Miller, Biliv Bagwell, Jake Hoover. and Grounds Charles L. Stowe was Hugh Gregory, Jim and George indicted for one alleged misapplica-tion of public funds and gave bond Calheun, J. C.Childers, A. C. Evans, Lonnie Ray, J. F. Crow, Charley The cases will come up at the next Harlow, Cliff King, J. E. Wilford, term of the district court presided Poley Williams, W. J. Calhoun, A. over by Judge James R. Hamilton, C. Ashley, Edgar Jones, Glen Bathat convenes the first Monday in Oc- pard Charley Austin, P. T. Clark, Jno. Goodman, Elmer Henderson,

W. G. Gibbs, and N. P. Sipes.

Those claiming exemptions must The governor challenged the right the date of the mailing of the notices, which was Monday, the 30th. he last day will thus be Monday August the 6th

one of the most efficient and successul evangelist in the southwest. and preaches with power. He is a a consecrated Christian gentleman. who stated to the contrary were liars. That is a volume in sentence.
"Hear ye him." C. R. Kidd.

A nice assortment at prices. M motto is 'more sales at less profit' This means more money for both Governor Ferguson announced that of us. Will save you money on my

We are going thru the throes

has known since 1886 and 1887, aceacks, N. Y., Sunday, to the officers' cording to those who have lived Lansing, emphasizing the port of Brain was light, corn will be light. German imperialism to United States and the world, declared his belief that the German people would not cast on the sake of th the German people would not cast off the yoke of the yoke of autocracy "until the physical might of the united democracles of the world has depleted or time to mature. With late rains poratoes cap make a big tended to keep the promises she made. The finding of the peanut as a crop to the United States and said America. to the United States and said America for this country is the most tortunate would win because our cause is just thing that could have happened. It is a wet weather crop and it is adown by the way it is holdin this year Its yield in 1914 and

> e Review and The Semi ekly Farm News for \$1.75.

Prepare Yourselves

The modern soldier fights with modern weapons, and the business man, who is constantly on the FIRING LINE, cannot hope for success unless he also goes into battle fully and modernly equipped.

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The Bank of Cross Plains

Un-Incorporated C. C Neeb Asst. Cashier

Virgil Hart. Cashier

Several farmers are now receiving nice little sums from watermelon patches. E. A. Aaley and A. J. Ge rge Nordyke, Grady Respess. He has dispensed with his horses.

put in their claims seven days after CEMETERY ASSOCIATION NEEDS

Uncle Jim Coffman, president of E. N. Parrish of Cleburne will do dues are not but a dollar a year, ening his life. He denied the charges the preaching Brother Parrish and the work is very important. is to work in. We must take care of our dead, war

J. E. Lin ruist, engineer on the Katy, has bought the Dunlap Garage, and has taken charge. Jeff Clark will manage it for him Charley Mangham, who managed it will engage in something else.

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Governor Ferguson addressed 5,000. The Cottonwood list in this call:

people, including the 2,000 delegates Will Evans, Marian Thompson to the Texas Farmers' State institute,

Will Evans, Marian Thompson pendent, thanks to his business. were examined on Tuesday of last subscribed for the Review for six months. The R. man was in Baird months. The R. man was in Baird where he mer Mr. Irving where he mer Mr. Irving here on Thursday of last well and Levi Norvolke.

Elder I. P. Scarborough, an old-like system of education and said any timer in Callahan County, died at system of education that would give to the few the education of last well and will be stationed temporarily give to the many could not last.

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> Albert C. Evans, who was drawn among the first in the county. went to Abilene on Monday, where he offered his services to Uncle Sam the Cemetery Association. asks us in the capacity of mechanic in the to announce that members of the Navy. He was accepted at Abilene The Methodist revival begins association must pay up or the work and sent to Dallas for further examnext Sunday at 11 o'clock. Rev. will have to be discontinued. The ination. Albert is a good tinner and mechanic and he should, make himself valuable in the capacity he

Jim Helms of Burkett has voluneered for the National Guards, joining at Fort Worth. Jim savs he wants to go to France, else he would not have joined. He says that men should not give the gloomy side of the war, in talking to voung men. He confidently expects to get back without serious mishap.

Hub Swan of Trent, who was here the first of the week visiting friends has joined the National Guards at ander Mr. Dunlap's proprietership. Sweetwater, and left here on Thursday to get wite his company.

Just Put in New Line

of Window Glass. We can fill your wants

in this line.

A sanitary fountain and the best of drinks A most particular prescription department. The best of drugs and patent medicines.

The store of service. Visit us when in

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we are in for a slight drouth. Perwill not be spoken of so much.

Watermelons, that most luscious and delectable of summer's offerings are now getting within the range of the ordinary purse, which is to say that once in a while a newspaper scribe may eat one.

politically,

political capital out of it. But life. somehow or other he strikes us as about the limit when it comes to little, conceited. self-important, picayunish, rush-in-where-angelsfear-to-tread specimens of the genus homo. Most of his most ardent supporters are blushing for him.

not be so popular atter this war. Franks of Llano. More and more it is going to be "Made in Texas" goods. Why not cut out wherever possible, the buying of goods from other countries? The nearer we come to living at home, buying home-made and home-grown products, the nearer independent do we become. Don't-build up another Nation, or another part of our own Nation, at FIVE MEN KILLED AND THREE the expense of our own locality By giving Germany the enormous trade she has enjoyed the last decade or so we have helped build the most formidable enemy the world ippine Islands. Dead are:

According to the Committee of Nation al Defense, the country's supply of gasoline is getting scarce. 1910 the Nation had 400,000 motor vehicles and now 4,000,000. At present our supply of crude oil 300,000,000 barrels, and we use 40,000,000 barrels annually in automobiles. The moral points to a curtailment of if not the entire doing away with joy riding. Econmy lows who do not boast a car can not be held blameworthy for exhausting the gasoline supply.

Governor Ferguson is doing his best to make political capital out the University affair. His charges that it is a school exclusively for high-brows are groundless. His fight against the traternities is a farce. Quite a number who live in ment. Seven countles are in excess and near this place have attended of their quotas, as follows Donley. that institution, nearly all of whom, 45; Potter, 162; Uvalde, 27: Willacy. not being of tich tamilies, were 26. El Paso heads the list of city reclassified as non-trais and of course quirements with a net quota of 637; were not in favor with the so called high-brows." They believe that the 277: Fort Worth, 232, and San Antofraternities are a drawbac to the school, yet they can not admit that he claims to be against the frater forces and the national guard. Austin them in the fight on them in the

University. The influence of the HE CROSS PLANS REVIEW University in politics or out is not an objection per se. The biggest and greatest school in the State or the South, naturally its influence must be great. The public One Dollar a Year Strict- schools over the state are demanding more and more of its graduates. Its law students are practicing in nearly every county seat in the State. Its graduates from the engineering department are build-FOUR ISSUES CONSTITUTE A MONTH the railroads and superintending most of the big construction work CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS. of the country. It is a great school and its influence must be felt. Don't If there is as much of the dry let your bias against good schools, spell in front of us as there is behind if possibly you have such a bias, lead you into the belief that Furgehaps in the after years '86 and '87 son is sincere in all he says. Our higher schools are the hope of the

To Insure Soldiers

Work is progressing on a plan to provide insurance for American soldiers. Secretary McAdoo and ten prominent insurance men and other committees are working out It was never done before. A the details of a bill to be presented governor of this fair State has so to Congress. It is nothing but manipulated the board of regents right that a man who is going to of the University that he has fight for his Government should brought about the dismissal of know what provision will be made certain members of the faculty who for his dependents in case of his as good Democrats exercised their death. It is line with all big busiprivilege of opposing the governor ness. Most people spend their time laying by in store for their heirs, and if a man knows a suitable pat-Governor Ferguson may want the rimony will be left his dependents press of the State to make as much if he should make the supreme as it can of his fight on the Uni- sacrifice, he will be better contented versity. It seems he wants to make to take the hazard of a soldier's

> Mrs. I. W. Wozencraft and daughter. Miss Rella, of DeLeon are the guests of Mrs. Wozencraft's daughter, Mrs. W. M. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Horn and Drew Baum motored to Brownwood "Made in Germany" articles will Monday night to meet Mrs. Ray

> The Acme Row binder has improvements worthy of your consideration-real improvements over any machine on the market. Come

CAVITE HARBOR BLOWUP.

BY SUB EXPLOSION

Five men were killed and three inured in an explosion aboard United States submarine A-7 at Cavite, Phsi-Lieutenant, junior grade, Arnold

Machinist's mate, first class, H. H.

Chief electrician, J. M. Curry. Machinist's mate, K. S. Kunz.

The injured, all of whom sustained burns above the waist and on arms, are: Chief Electrician C. Schailin, Second Class Fireman A. M. Jacobs

to be due to a collection of gasoline

The A-7 was one of the oldest types of submarines. She was built in 1902 and had a displacement of only 120 tons and a maximum speed per hour of nine knots. Ordinurily shecarried

What Texas Must Furnish The state of Texas must furnish a cording to the figures given out by Brownwood Sunday. the state adjutant general's depart-15; Foard, 12; Karnes, 14; Kendall. Bagwell. Houston, 637; Dailas, 408; Galveston, only cities already intexcess of their Parmer Jim is such an enemy as teers accepted by the regular lighting nities. It is said he did not oppose shows an excess of 13 and Waco 237. Credit has been given in every ease Legislature two or three years back. guard on the rolls April 1, or for those As to a poor boy's chance these enlisting up to midnight of Jane 30, of the students in that school las April 1 to June 30. These were certily or in fied to the state adjutant general by

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WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY AUG. 15th & 16th

In the Charley Neeb park.

A little later, a great deal better, more genuine a musement, more solid enjoyment than other years have afforded, and then some more. Your friends will be here, Come over and join them, spend a couple of care free days in the shade of the beautiful live oak grove down on old Turkey creek.

OLD-TIME FIDDLERS CONTEST

We will give \$10.00 to the winner of this contest. No old time fiddler will be barred, and no admission fee will be charged.

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Featuring their up-to-date jumping horse, carry-us- all and many midway attractions.

No use to tell you, just come over and see. Nice shady trees to lounge under. Cool water, plenty of shades; In fact, every-thing that goes to make up a first class picuic.

PLenty of room to park your car and hitch your team. Everybody of me, bring your family and camp with us.

For privileges, write Manager, W. A. Payne.

Let Watkins make your pictureere for one week only. Monday Aug. 27 to Saturday Sept. 1st.

W. C. Perry was called to the bedside of his mother at Buffalo. Gap, Monday,

total of 30,545 men for the army, ac- Misses Copeland motored to rence, Jr.

Miss Vivan Patterson of Delicon

Brown or black mule strayed from my place. Liberal reward for party notitviug me. J. G Hightower,

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Your family deserves all the advantages your neighbors provide for theirs, especially when it comes to providing tanks or zinc cisterns that will give you pure drinking water. Regardless of the kind of water you now have, you owe it to yourself and your family to provide good cistern water.

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the railroads of Texas were built and are maintain ad and operated for your benefit. They are necessary or your welfare and happiness, else they would not have been authorized or constructed.

Legally, it is the duty of the railroads to furnish you ith reasonably adequate and expeditious transporta-

You are required to pay, in the way of freight and ssenger rate and fares, enough to pay all of the ecessary expenses of operating and maintaing the ailroads and in addition thereto, enough to yeild to he owners a reasonably fair return upon the value of he property devoted to your use and benefit.

The amount that you are required to pay is controlled by your public officials, acting under oath, and appointed by your President or elected by you. The mount that these public officials require you to pay is determined mainly by what it costs to operate the railroads. As you will see further on, neither the Interstate Commerce Commission or the Texas Railnad Commission have authorized the charging of more

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General

families of Burkett passed thru town

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bibb of Brad-

Miss Doris Piles, of Cross Cut.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hampton re-

turned on last Friday from a visit at

Hubbard City. They were accom-

panied home by Mrs. H. V. Mills,

is visiting the family of her cousin,

to Mr. and Mrs. Mack Per-SAVE Your Face for Watkins, he Peak on the 29th a boy. here Aug 27th to Sept. 1st. to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Otto and Dick Thate and their

on Wednesday morning en route to to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pop Throckmorton to visit relatives. 30th a 9 1-2 lb bov.

boy, on July 30th.

Cotton White Flour just reshaw have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. F. Crow of south of

Crownover of El Paso is town her parents, Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. A. Y. Crow of Dr. W. J. Westbrook. this week,-

were here last week the Sipe Springs Record. tneir son, J. F. Crow. Wyatt Gilbert and Gordon, various towns.

McDermett has bought a a sister of Mrs. Hampton. from Sid Monsey, putting ck on the deal.

Freda and Annie Cutbirth Lake are the guests of the there some time.

sh stock at all times. Phone Rutherford.

FOR SALE

. M. Casey

Cottonwood, Texas

J. E. Lindquist, engineer on the Katy, lett on Thursday tor a two or three weeks vacation in Colorado.

His wife and little girl have been

for an undertaking job elsewhere than you can buy it here for. You wants; day or night service. will save money by buying here. Rutherford.

A baby's cap made of tatting. lost between Dressy & Lee Payne's

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These statements are correct as far as they go, but they do not tell all the truth, for the reason that they do not show the other expenses of the railroads, such as taxes, etc.. The other expenses, taxes, hire and rent of equipment, rents of joint facilities, rents accrued for lease of roads and miscellaneous rents will for the year ending June 30, 1917, amount to about seven. teen million five hundred thousand dollars. Taxes alone will amount to over five million dollars. These expenses are just as legitimate and necessary as the expense of running the trains.

TO THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS

When these other necessary expenses are deducted, it will be seen that the railroads of Texas have earned during the year ending June 30 not over 6 per cent upon the value of their properties that are used exclusively for transportation purposes for your benefit.

For the eight preceding years the railroads of Texas had been operated at a net loss of over twenty million

While other legitimate business is paying dividends of from ten to fifty per cent per annum, surely no just man will object to the railroads occasionally earning such a small return on the value of their property. Surely they ought to be permitted to earn 6 per cent once in nine years without being complained at, or

Out of the aforesaid return, the railroads must pay the interest on their bonds and other indebtedness and make betterments, etc.

Unfortunately, the inability of the railroads to earn anything like adequate returns makes railroad investments very unattractive and accounts for the almost complete cessation of railroad construction.

More and better railroads are needed, but until the business and earnings of the railroads improve so as to favorably compare with other business, men with money will not invest in railroads, there being so many other avenues of investment where the returns are much larger and much more certain. Whenever the operation of railrods becomes reasonably profitable. money will be readily obtainable for building additional

An analysis and understanding of the conditions of the railroads, physical and financial, will convince any fair-minded man that they cannot stand a reduction in either their freight or passenger rates, and give to the people anything like adequate service. If passenger rates were reduced. freight rates would necessarily have to be increased. Everyone who buys anything. shipped by rail, has to contribute to pay freight rates. Only those who travel extensively would want passenger rates reduced and freight rates increased. These few are more able to pay the present reasonable passenger fares, than the masses of the people to pay greater freight rates.

To you who pay the expenses and are entitled to know the facts, this simple statement of the condition of these public service utilities is submitted and we most respectfully and earnestly ask your fair and intelligent consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

General Managers Texas Railroads

Austin, Texas

boy, on July 30th.

o Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pop 30th a 9 1-2 lb bov. Cotton White Flour just re-

t Boydstuns Crownover of El Paso is her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

were here last week the Sipe Springs Record. tneir son, J. F. Crow.

Vyatt Gilbert and Gordon, eek to fill several dates as various towns. McDermett has bought

from Sid Monsey, putting ick on the deal. Freda and Annie Cutbirth

Lake are the guests of the

FOR SALE

M. Casey Cottonwood, Texas

to Mr. and Mrs. Mack Per- SAVE Your Face for Watkins, he Peak on the 29th a boy, here Aug 27th to Sept. 1st.

> Otto and Dick Thate and their families of Burkett passed thru town on Wednesday morning en route to Throckmorton to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bibb of Bradshaw have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. F. Crow of south of

Miss Doris Piles, of Cross Cut, is visiting the family of her cousin and Mrs. A. Y. Crow of Dr. W. J. Westbrook this week,-

> Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hampton re- down for both he states. turned on last Friday from a visit at Hubbard City. They were accoma sister of Mrs. Hampton.

three weeks vacation in Colorado. His wife and little girl have been

Why pay \$10. 00 to \$15.00 more

Reward.

Arthur Young, accompanied by Dan McAlister, of the Bayou west of town, was in town on Monday, Arthur says on account of the continued drouth he has deemed it adcattle, altho they are in good con-

Jewel Browning last week made a trip to Dallas and Sherman, going as far as Waco with C. C. Hampton in the latter's car. Jewel made application for membership in the National Guard at Sherman and in the Navy at Dallas, and was turned

S. M. McDowell of Liberty who panied home by Mrs. H. V. Mills, his Review be changed from Sabanwas here on Saturday, asked that no to Pioneer, saying he could get J. E. Lindquist, engineer on the it on Friday this way. He wants to Katy, lett on Thursday tor a two or get the paper early that he may keep up with whatever special offerings progressive merchants may turned home. the Review

W. A. McGowen, and son Russel. J. W. Westerman, and Nuff was the guest of Miss Nina Brownfor an undertaking job elsewhere Arvin of Cottonwood, returned on than you can buy it here for. You Tuesday from a trip to George West Misses Herndon and Velma wants; day or night service. will save money by buying here. and other South Texas points. Mr. Warren of the Burnt Branch com-McGowen states that the training camp at Leon Springs, which they visited, is a big thing. Something like sixteen toousand men are sta- time, is home again. A baby's cap made of tatting, tioned there, and all kinds of work lost between Dressy & Lee Payne's is being done to make the place

Cottonwood and community visited Mr. and Mrs. Wright and joined by Mr. Brooks and family on Monday evening, greatly cooling family of Scranton the first of the a visit to New Mexico and Okla., the atmosphere and laying the dust week

The Methodist protracted meet- Miss Carrie Whitehorn, who has Ambrose Browning and family crowds were present both day and her work at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Robbins.

visited relatives of Cottonwood Sunday and Monday.

Cottonwood Sunday.

been in school at Denton, has re Reporter offer thru the advertising columns of J. M. Casey has been sick for

> several days. Miss Emma Lee Haily of Abilene

munity visited friends in Cotton-

Elder J. M. Ferguson, who

Return to Boydstuns sanitary and give it every conven- Denton where he attended the Brown, at this place.

Mrs. Guss Burkett of Burkett is Leon are visiting relatives an visiting her parents at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ray and A light shower of rain fell in family and Miss Obera Johnson day for Moran where they will be

ing closed Sunday night. Large been visiting here, has returned to of Bronwood are visiting his parents

Miss Iney Brown of Rising Star in and near Sndyer.

Sunday evening some where between Clydo and Baird, Bervel week from Dublin, where she had Misses Mabel and Eunice Childs Ferguson and Oral Strahan happen- been visiting relatives. of Sabanno and Joe McDonough of ed to a near-serious accident when Cross Plains visited friends in their car callided with another. No one was seriously hurt but great Monday. They have been here on Miss Missouri Strahan, who has damage was done to both cars .-

PIONEER NEWS

are thru with their work, and some four members added, are visiting and others are going Mr. Moore of Blake spent last

J. N. Gooch and family returned Foster last week from Okla, where they have been visiting relatives. Miss Maude Coats spent the last

F. F. Thomas has returned from two weeks with her aunt. Mrs.

Mrs. Jim Brown and children Miss Ethel King and brother, timers of this place who moved spent the latter part of the week in Ray, of Pioneer are the guests of west about a year ago, has returned Bangs with relatives.

home. He reports crops a failure Mrs. Acker of Rising Star is visit-

Miss Mollie Bryson returned last

Mr. Marvin Smith and family returned to their home at Fluvana a two week; visit at the former's parents and other relatives. M Smith says it is dry out there an that he planted his crop after a light and started on his trip.

Bro. Lovd of Cisco closed the We've no rain yet, save one light protracted meeting Sunday night. shower. The majority of the people There were twelve conversions and

week at her daughter's Mrs. Will

Blake Jones and family of the Blake Community spent Saturday and Sunday at the Eakins home. A bunch of the men and boys left Tuesday for a few days fishing Mrs. Erwin and children of De trip on the Colorado. - Hiawathe

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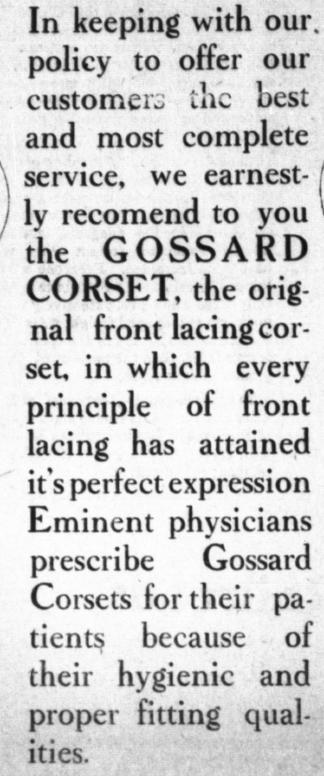
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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hazelwood of west of Abilene are the guests of Hugh's sister, Mrs. Wakefield Robbins. Hugh states that he has been married for several months Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Keller an their daughter, Mrs. Noah Arm strong of Blake, and their grands the two eldest boys of Mr. and M J. M. McDaniels of Dressy, let Tuesday for a visit at Hale Cer where Mr. and Mrs. Keller hav

Miss Grace Benskin spent Su th friends at Rising Star

Raff . Lively

On Saturday evening July 7, 1917 in the presence of a few close friends and relatives Mr. Herman Raff and Miss Lola Lively were married at the Methodist parsonage at Estancia, New Mexico, Rev. Bretz

The groom is a promising young man of Willard where for the past two years he has been emyloyed as salesman for the Willard Trading Co. The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Lively of Cedarvale, where she has resided the past year and has many friends who wish for her a life of much happiness.

Estancia News. N. M.

account of being sick, has not been able to assist much in the meeting now in progress at the Baptist church York where his wife will soon join

Ed Crockett and family are due to France. to attend the San Saba Fair this week. Ed is lured there on account f reported barbecue.

A. L. Springer and family and his sister and mother, passed thru town on Saturday morning on their way to their home at Sterling City in part as follows: , well. Mr. Morgan accompanied let waters, cameras, films, stathem ar far as Cross Plains.

Larkin Bagwell and family of fountain ens. etc. Bradshaw are visiting Mrs. Bagweil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seph Martin of Dressy.

A. T. Davis, old-timer of Cross Cut, and his family left on Tuesday for Vaughn, New Mexico, where they have taken up land. A. T. subscribed for the Review to follow him to that dry state. We proffer the hand of welcome when they

Pioneer, left on Tuesday morning this course. W. P. Brightwell or a fishing trip to the Colorado

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Mrs. George Lamar arrived here ast week the guest of her husbands relatives. George, who is an officer in the army, has been sent to New him. We understand he' is going

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after visiting O. K. Morgan at At- Cold drinks, candies, cigars, toi- place. tionry, perfumes, toilet goods,

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Albert Robbins of Nolan County My home in Cross Plains for sale is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. tively no fishing will be -Ches Barr. L. Robdins of sonth of town.

WATKINS GUSTI

I am now using a car the Watkins goods, and w

hum seed for sale

Dr. Jayson Tyson and h ters of Santa Anna, accor by a niece Mrs. Arpie S Shelby County, were here last week the guests of Dr. brother. Dr. John Tyson

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in of Byrds, and W. A. Williams and for eighty-acre farm family of this place, spent Thurs- allies

actes near Pioneer to McDonough. The Underwoods tain

usiness lot in western are prothers of Mrs. McDonough. It had been twenty-two years since perty in town of Clinton Underwood and his sister ie for anything worth thad met

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Mrs. Tom Young

ter and family attended

are half brothers and the Brutons

FAMILY REUNION

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