

\$1,000 WORTH of New Silks

We have just received more than \$1,000.00 worth of our New Fall Silks. Every color that the heart could wish: this is the greatest array of pretty silks that you have ever had the pleasure of looking at in Cross Plains. Tricollets, Satins, Georgettes, Taffetas, Crepe-de-chiens, Silk Poplins, Pongees and other new silks that we don't know the name of. And you will find these priced a great deal lower than they have been.

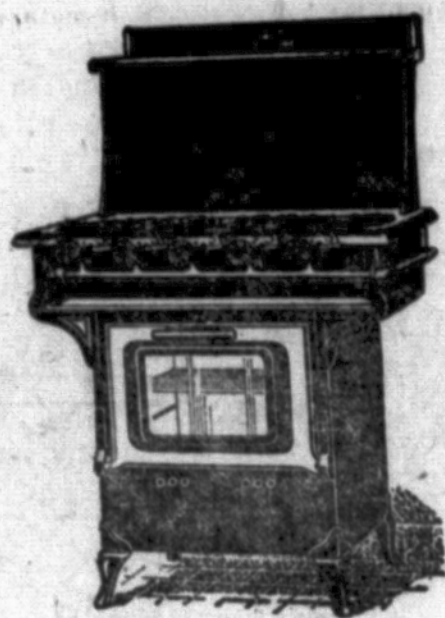
Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords

are still selling at reduced prices. Also, all Ladies' HATS are being sold at Half-price and less.

Groceries Groceries

We are headquarters for everything in the Grocery line. A brand new Car of Cotton White Flour

It's the kind they are using at the bakery to make that good bread, cakes and buns. Try a sack and be convinced of its fine bread making qualities



This Is The Stove

that is nearer like a Gas Stove than anything you can buy. It burns Oil or Gasoline and has no wicks to get out of order. Let us demonstrate this stove for you.

B. L. Boydston

Where It Pays to Trade Cross Plains, Texas

Notice

In order to give my patrons the best professional service, I am setting aside one day each week after July 1, for microscopical work and the treatment of Pyorrhea which will be

WEDNESDAY

Hours by Appointment

Lothar Thomason
Dentist

THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 30, 1920

No. 22

**FATHER !!
MOTHER !!**
ARE YOU FINANCIALLY TRAINING YOUR CHILD?

The responsibility and handling of a bank account in which is worth more to the future independence, economic future, of your child than nine-tenths of the other training receives.

IT IS WORTH WHILE TO THE FUTURE
Your child that you start an account for him at this time. We welcome such accounts and solicit this patronage

PERSONAL SERVICE ABSOLUTE SAFETY
FARMERS NATIONAL BANK
CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE BANK
L.F. BOND, CASHIER
TAYLOR BOND, ASST. CASHIER

FOOD SPECIALISTS

That's All

THE WHITE HOUSE GROCERY & MARKET
F. M. GWIN, Prop.
Now Located on West 8th Street

IMPROVE ROAD TO HILBORN

A committee consisting of Wade and B. G. Lindley, was appointed to see into the matter and costs of building a road from this place to the Hilborn. A committee of fifteen hundred dollars has been subscribed for the road. At a meeting presided by M. E. Wakefield, mayor, in Robertham's store on Monday afternoon, the committee reported the route, one by Liberty, and other north from the Tom Harlow. A second committee consisting of Tom Anderson, M. E. Wakefield, Robert Forbes, Harvey Bond, and Foster Bond, was appointed to work with the first one to further into the matter. The committee will build half of the road and a 40-foot road can be secured. The public highway is to be built.

Everybody interested in Cross Plains and the future of this country should subscribe liberally to this paper. Rising Star will get full credit of the Hilborn development. Cross Plains does not bestir her voice, although the Star has but little influence in point of distance. Give your desire for a bigger and better town by the size of your subscription to this road fund.

Post Office to Move.

Arrangements have been made to move the post office department to the local office from its present location in the rear of the Cross Plains Mercantile building to the north half of the old Carter & Wakefield building, now owned by Robertham's. It is not made known as yet what the present location will be used for.

CHANGING LOCATIONS

F. M. Gwin has moved his stock of groceries from the old Gresham building to the small brick corner. It is used as grocery warehouse by B. L. Boydston, west of the Boydston store.
R. Robertson & son are moving their stock of drugs to the Gresham building.
Tom Henson is moving his restaurant to the Robertson drug store building.
P. Smith has bought a new Buick car, and is now prepared to go anywhere by modern methods.
Minnie Lee Randolph
Born Feb. 4, 1895, died July 20, 1920, age 25 years, 5 months, 16 days. She was married to Lee O. Hartis July 21, 1908. To this union was born two children Thelbert and Ione. She was then married to Reed Randolph May 19, 1915. To this union was born two boys. She leaves her husband and four children, mother and four sisters: Mrs. M. R. Pate, Mrs. W. W. Everett, Mrs. E. W. Everett of Cottonwood, Mrs. E. G. Pierce of Deer Plains, Mrs. J. E. Hart of Cisco and other relatives to mourn her death. She died at Cisco, the remains being brought to Cross Plains for burial, Rev. Stuckey, the Methodist pastor at Cisco, conducting the services.
A precious one from us has gone. A voice we loved is stilled; A place is vacant in our home. Which never can be filled. God in his wisdom has recalled. The boon his love had given. And tho' the body slumbers here. The soul is safe in Heaven.
Written by a Sister.

BAILEY LEADS NEFF BY SMALL VOTE IN GUBERNATORIAL RACE SATURDAY

Thomason About 37,000 Votes Behind Neff; Looney Vote Light

In the Democratic primary held throughout the State on Saturday, Joe Bailey led Neff in the race for Governor by five to ten thousand votes. Monday's papers gave the four candidates the following vote, as reported from 227 counties: Bailey 112,509. Neff 107,791. Thomason 74,949. Looney 36,983. Bailey carried Callahan, Coleman, Brown and other surrounding counties by a very small vote. The race between Bailey and Neff in the run-off will be warm. The second primary will be held on August 28. W. A. Johnson and Lynch Davidson will be in the second primary for Lieutenant Governor. Blanton has almost two votes to Grisham's one for Congress. Ely has a big lead over Overstrider for District Judge. In the county, the following were nominated: Judge, J. R. Black. Attorney, L. W. Green. Clerk, Grady Respass. Superintendent, B. C. Chrisman. Tax Collector, Pitt Ramsey. Sheriff, G. H. Corn. Tax Assessor, C. W. Corner. Commissioner, Precinct 4, J. W. McDaniel. Public Weiger, Precinct 6, J. W. Payne. In Brown County, Frank Emison and R. C. Gotcher are leading for treasurer, and will be in the run-off. Claire Bettis is elected tax collector.

HILBORN FIELD IN CROSS PLAINS TERRITORY; DEVELOPING THIS WAY

All Wells in Vestal Field Drilling; Discovery Well Improving
In the Hilborn field, the Hilborn No. 2 and the Shook have set things ago. That we have a big oil field seven miles northeast of us can not be doubted. All wells so far indicate that the production will be found south, west, or north, or all these directions. Hilborn No. 2, 1-2 mile south of the Hilborn, indicates that the field might go south. The Shook, 1/2 mile north, shows that a good direction. The Taylor Ingram northeast condemns that direction. The Vestal southwest makes the territory between the Hilborn and Cross Plains look mighty good.
The P. J. Bush, 1-2 mile southwest, is due in soon, being now about 3000.
Shook No. 4, 1-2 mile west, an offset to the Cade land, is drilling at about 2900.
Many new rigs are being erected back towards Cross Plains. The original Vestal well is still improving, making more oil all the while.
The consolidated C. E. Barr, drilling at about 2000.
The Greenlee, T. J. Harris, drilling at about 1800 feet.
The Templeman, J. H. Lee, at about 1600 feet.
The L. P. Litzinger, J. N. Gooch, near Pioneer, drilling at 1800.

Meets at Dressy

Andy Foster, pastor of the Baptist church at Dressy, is conducting a protracted meeting. Rev. P. O. O'Brien of Carbon is doing the preaching. A good meeting is reported.

Home Man Gets a Well.

Jimmie Morgan returned to his home at Liberty on Tuesday from Rockdale, where he has been for some time drilling an oil well for a company. He states that he brought in a good well at 635 feet. He holds some good acreage in that section. The gravity of the oil is good he states.

Moves to Cross Plains.

Mrs. Tom Bryant and children of Moody have moved to Cross Plains where they joined Mr. Bryant, who is engaged in the real estate business.

On Summer's Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Parsons and family left this week for a summer's visit with Mrs. Parson's relatives at Palaski, Tenn. They usually spend a month or more in Tennessee every summer.

Sells Garage

W. S. McCrary has sold his interest in the Mack's Garage to his partner, Ralph Chandler. Mr. Chandler is being assisted by Pete Jones and Charley Nichols. Mr. Chandler is a first-class mechanic and should do well with the business. Mr. McCrary has made a trip south, but does not know as yet what he will do, but is contemplating moving to New Mexico.

Mrs. Harless Marries

Mrs. Maggie Harless, aunt of G. W. Cunningham, was married to D. N. Coleman in the parlor of the Belmont Hotel at Graham on Tuesday, July 20. They are now living at Ada, Okla., the home of the groom. Mrs. Coleman formerly lived here, where she has many friends who wish her and her husband well.

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and everything that goes with it to complete a home.

Joe H. Shackelford's

Lumber and Paint Store
CROSS PLAINS

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The City Drug Store
PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST
CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS
The Rosall Store
NYAL AGENCY

OUR CONGRESSMAN AGAIN



THOMAS L. BLANTON
A Big Winner for Congress.

J. B. Eubank of Byrds was in town on Saturday.

OUR COMMON ENEMY

The fly is one of the most despicable and dangerous pests with which man has to contend. Fly time is here now and we must make war, unremitting war upon him. He is not very easy to exterminate, but it can be done. Stand guard over all the garbage about your premises, and swat every fly that comes within your screens. The house fly brings typhoid fever germs on his feet and crawls about on food depositing them in his tracks. Typhoid fever claims thousands of victims every year, and yet the germs are carried by the fly and is a preventable disease.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mathis returned on Saturday from a visit with Mrs. Mathis' brother at Hamilton. They bought a new Ford at Hamilton from this brother. Uncle Jack shows to be improved in health.

Per Cent Off on Men's and Women's Low-cut Shoes

Season for Oxfords is nearing its close, we get a big reduction in price on men's and women's shoes. We have a good complete stock in our usual dependable qualities. You are invited to inspect this line of bargains.

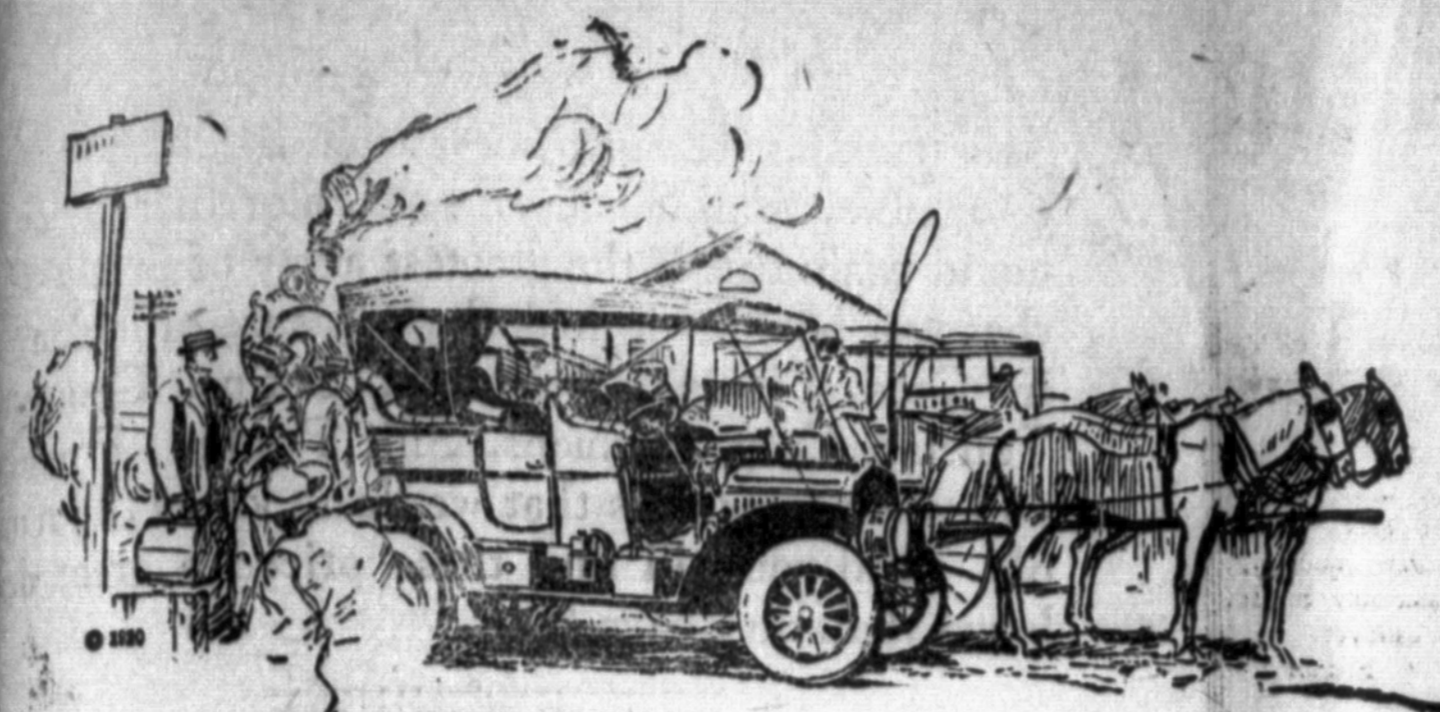
Beach Suits at \$22.50 value, now \$17.50

and Colors Tan and Gray. a good selection to pick from. splendid value and you will make no mistake in snapping up. Bargain. Come in and make a selection before your size is gone or your favorite color is gone.

HIGGINBOTHAM BROS & COMPANY

ingly, and
ring waiter, they quitted their
and went out to the open air,
rashed the Oonodaga; they ar-
at the mezzanine floor; they
nfe in Hilliard's apartment.
"I said, Harmon jocosely. "I
could afford to live like this!
ou've got a rich backer, and I
t." He rubbed his hands in
good nature; his eyes were spar-
and his fat body was a-quiver-
rantly. "Well, the first thing to
do, where did you say you
hat contract of ours hidden?"
there any hurry about that now?"
rd was fairly beside himself with
ill." The sudden whir of the
one buzzer seemed to ruffle the
r's nerves, for he started vis-
"Who's that?"
st a moment."
Hilliard
down the receiver. "Yes?
es, have him . . . no; hold the
"He beckoned hilariously to
ion. "Waring's downstairs now;
e ready to see him, aren't you?"
e broker was suddenly plunged
uncertainty.
is—no! No!"
Hilliard was vis-
ible by an unobscured chill; he tried
alyze it and couldn't.
e big man was breathing with dif-
y. "I . . . you go down and
no, that wouldn't do either. . . .
at to see him alone. I want to
im to call off his investigator, so
we begin a new campaign we
I have any verified report against
the old."
e, sit!" Hilliard shook his head
ngly. "The man who's had to
l the gaff so far; I'm going to be
n any conferences. That's my
rmon licked his lips again and
towed repeatedly.
fell. . . . It's . . . if you let
e talking then . . . or . . .
Hilliard turned back to the trans-
sk him to come right up," he said,
upheld the instrument and looked
nly at the broker. "You're not
es, I'm . . . Now let's get at
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there?"
As Hilliard stared at him an icy
wave of suspicion swept him from
head to foot.
"What's your hurry? It's my fu-
neral, isn't it?"
"You are anxious, though! Har-
mon, I—"
"No . . . no hurry at all. Only
as long as I'm here . . . and the
game's played out . . . as a favor
to me . . . let's cancel it. Where
is it? I . . . Good God, son, don't
you want that thing out of the way?
It's no good with an alias on it! I'll
put up the money—I—"
A sharp rap on the door stopped him
short. Hilliard turned the knob; War-
ing and Mr. Cullen burst in.
"Why, Mr. Cullen!" He said in as-
tonishment. "They didn't tell me you
were here! Hello, Rufus."
"Hilliard!" Cullen's face was red
and excited. "Oh, I beg your pardon!"
He had seen Harmon.
Hilliard, taken utterly by surprise,
began to phrase the introductions; he
had only just begun when Harmon in-
terrupted—Harmon with a set jaw and
blazing cheeks. He was standing by
the writing table, and one hand was
resting heavily upon it. His manner
was curiously apprehensive, curiously
desperate.
"Ah! . . . Mr. Cullen . . .
most happy, I'm sure . . . and Mr.
Waring . . . delighted!" His voice
was stifled in its throatiness. "Gentle-
men, I have the honor to be pres-
ident . . . of the Silverbow Mining
corporation . . . He paused; his
hands waved aimlessly. "Of Mon-
tana. . . . Gentlemen. . . . I
hear there's been some adverse crit-
icism of our property . . . you're
stockholders, I understand . . . not
used to criticism . . . He flung his
head erect. "I offer you personally
to relieve you . . . of any
and all obligations . . . and pay
back penny for penny." Here his knees
shook and he swayed appreciably. He
was holding himself upright only by
tremendous visible effort.
"The man's sick!" Cullen stepped
toward him. Waring and Hilliard
were standing fascinated. The broker
warded off Cullen with both hands.
"No, I'm not sick! . . . Contract
calls for delivery of ninety-nine per



When the train came in back in 1910

TEN years ago you might have seen one or two automobiles waiting outside the station, when the weather was pleasant.

Today the square is crowded with them. And most of the cars you generally see there are moderate-price cars.

Anybody who tells you that owners of moderate-price cars are not interested in the quality of their tires has never met very many of them.

We come in contact with the small car owner every day and we have found that he is just as much interested as the big car owner.

There is one tire, at least, that makes no distinction between small cars and large cars so far as quality is concerned—the U. S. Tire.

Every U. S. Tire is just like every other in quality—the best its builders know how to build.

Whatever the size of your car, the service you get out of U. S. Tires is the same. It isn't the car, but the man who owns the car, that sets the standard to which U. S. tires are made.

We feel the same way about it. That's why we represent U. S. Tires in this community.

Select your tires according to the roads they have to travel:
In sandy or hilly country, wherever the going is apt to be heavy—The U. S. Nobby.
For ordinary country roads—The U. S. Chain or Usco.
For front wheels—The U. S. Plain.
For best results—everywhere—U. S. Royal Cord.



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for one year
for 6 months
for 3 months
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for one year.
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Car Owners
Should protect themselves against
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ance Co., or the Fireman's Fund,
or the St. Paul, all strong old line com-
panies. Rate has been material-
ly reduced. You can rest much better
after you have a policy in one of
these companies. For rates see o-
phone.

Lost
A ladies' hand bag between Roy
Cowan's and W. M. Franke's Fri-
day July 24. It contained two
purses, a black one containing \$28
and a red one something over \$1,
also two deposit slips issued by
the Farmers National Bank to Bon-
nie Moore, one for \$120 and the
other for \$11.02. Liberal reward
if returned to either Farmers Na-
tional Bank or to Roy Cowan.

CALLED HER FAMILY
TO HER BEDSIDE
Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now
She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For
Her Recovery.
Royce City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kil-
man, of this place, says: "After the
birth of my little girl . . . my side com-
menced to hurt me. I had to go back
to bed. We called the doctor. He
treated me . . . but I got no better. I
got worse and worse until the misery
was unbearable. . . . I was in bed for
three months and suffered such agony
that I was just drawn up in a knot.
I told my husband if he would get
me a bottle of Cardui I would try it.
I commenced taking it, however, that
evening I called my family about
me . . . for I knew I could not last
the better. That was six years ago
and I am still here and am a well,
strong woman, and I owe my life to
Cardui. I had only taken half the
bottle when I began to feel better.
The misery in my side got less. . . . I
continued right on taking the Cardui
until I had taken three bottles and I
did not need any more for I was well
and never felt better in my life. . . . I
have never had any trouble from that
day to this."
Do you suffer from headache, back-
ache, pains in sides, or other discom-
forts, each month? Or do you feel
weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so,
try Cardui. The medicine that has
helped thousands of women.

Time to Paint

This is the time of year when all your buildings should receive a fresh coat of Paint to protect the surface from the burning rays of the sun

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Than it is to lose your feed for want of one

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Don't wait until your feedstuff spoils or stock suffers to build. Do it now, and let us furnish the material

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See me for the

Wonder Windmill

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from the smallest to the largest. You will save by using them

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Use it in generous quantities around your out houses and stop the breeding of flies, and keep your places cleaner.

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Mrs. L. M. Bond last week visited in Cisco, being the guest of Mrs. J. W. Ray. She says Mrs. Ray's home is one of the finest in the country, costing one hundred thousand dollars.

Wesley Webb, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Webb, began work in the bookkeeping department of the Farmers' National Bank on Tuesday morning. He has been attending a business school at Brownwood.

S. L. Neely of Abilene, was here Friday of last week and made us a call. He and Mrs. Neely were on their return home from a two months visit to their old home in Tennessee and stopped off to visit

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This agency is well equipped to handle all your insurance. We have the biggest American fire insurance company, namely, the Home of New York, and we might add the best one. Also represent five other million dollar stock companies, all good ones, and will have no other kind. You will get a square deal from us and from our companies in case of fire.

We can insure your grain at home in town, or anywhere.

We can insure your car against fire and theft anywhere.

We can insure homes against fire and tornado and hail.

We can insure school houses.

Your life against death.

We keep your insurance in force and look after your interests like they were our own, and glad to do so. Yours for business,

L. P. Henslee.

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PERSONAL ITEMS

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You can buy plenty of maize and corn at Davis-Montgomery's barn.

A fresh car of White Rose and Cake flour at Butler's.

A good piano for sale.

Mrs. Jim McGowen.

Mrs. Bernice Gault of Jayton has been visiting her grandmother Mrs. Keuday.

Miss Mary Robertson has returned home from Dallas, where she has been teaching music.

R. H. Davanay and family have rented the Lindquist residence and have moved to same.

L. P. Henslee and family returned on Friday from a three-weeks visit with relatives in Fannin and Hunt counties.

Owen Coats and family from Jayton have been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coats at Cottonwood last week.

Quilla Cochran, who is clerking for the Prairie Oil & Gas Co. at Ranger, is visiting his sister, Miss Elsie Cochran at Burkett.

L. P. Henslee, Jack Meader, Bill Forbes, and Russell McGowen made a trip to Baird on Saturday, where the first mentioned delivered a brand new Ford to Mr. Meader.

George Kenady from Peacock, and Dallas Kenady of Spur have been visiting their grand-mother N. Y. Kenady of this place.

Mrs. E. R. Norton and daughter, of Encinas N. M., have returned home after visiting Mrs. Norton's mother, Mrs. N. Y. Kenady of Cross Plains, and other relatives.

H. A. Carter and John Meadors of Abilene, representing the Stephens automobile, were the first of the week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Carter.

E. H. King of New York, who is interested in the oil development of this country, has sent in a check for two wheels to extend his subscription to the Review for another twelve months.

L. W. Shaw and S. W. Bagley, proprietors of the new rooming house just west of the Review office, who have been working in a newspaper office in Breckenridge for a few weeks, spent last week in Cross Plains, where they assisted in putting out the Review for that week.

To the voters of precinct No. 6: Accept my thanks for your great appreciation shown me by your large amount of votes cast on last Saturday, and to those who voted against me, I have no ill will against you and will weigh for you just as if you had voted for me.

J. W. Payne

Ford for Sale, in A1 condition. W. A. Rawlings.

Headed maize for sale at my barn 1-2 miles northeast of town. W. A. Rawlings.

Ford for Sale—A practically new Ford in good condition. See L. P. Henslee at the Review Office.

For Sale.

Want to trade 10 acre lease or residence lot in Cross Plains for Ford roadster or truck.

W. E. Butler

Subscription Rates.

The subscription price of the Review out of the county is \$2.00 one year; six months, \$1.10; three months, 65c.

A blue dapple gray mare, about five years old, 15 hands high, branded TJ on right shoulder. Been at my place since July 5. If not called for will be estrayed.

C. E. Barr.

To Kill Screw Worms

Heal wounds and keep off Flies, use Martin's Screw Worm Killer; more for your money, and your money back if you are not satisfied. Guaranteed by City Drug Store.

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Four full blood Poland-China pigs, just weaned. One brand new Ford touring car, with starter. All priced worth the money.

C. S. Boyles.

Have a few small leases and royalties, well located, to sell at right price, cash or credit.

Have client who will trade leases and royalties in on good farm, or residence, and pay cash difference, about fifty-city basis. Trade for farm or ranch land anywhere.

L. P. Henslee.

Same-as-New Ford.

I have 1919 touring Ford, never hurt, looks new, with two extra casings. Has to be cranked. Sell for \$700 and some terms to responsible party. Deliver now.

L. P. HENSLEE.

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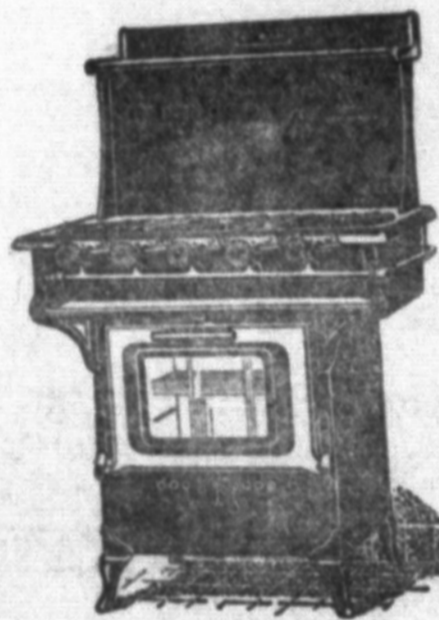
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LETTER FROM NEW MEXICO

Cross, local thresher man, came in from threshing for the week. He states that the average yield for wheat, according to his estimate, is fifteen bushels, and for thirty to the acre. The writer returned from a trip to East Texas, and from observation, even the renowned county of Denton will not exceed thirty bushels to the acre. Grain is light all the way to Alabama line going northeast, and to be better on the Plains.

Mr. L. P. Henslee, Dear Sir:

Enclosed find \$1.00, for which send your paper to N. L. Pinkston, Melrose, New Mexico. We left Cross Plains July 3, and arrived at my brother's at Melrose July 14, being on the road eleven days. We sure saw lots of good country and fine crops, also the best grass I ever saw. One thing the Plains is noted for is its good water. We had a very nice trip, the roads were good except about one day's travel. Stopped at Slaton just upon the Cap Rock, the night of the ninth, and on that date it certainly did rain. Crops were good in that section, but a little late here.

The next day after we arrived we all took a thirty mile trip north, up in the wheat belt. They have just begun to thresh, ten or twelve trucks pass every day hauling wheat to town. The land is a good grade of sandy loam. Have seen land in Texas not as good grade of land as this, sell from \$50 to \$100 per acre, and good land with very good improvements can be bought from \$15 to \$25 per acre, and the people that think New Mexico is a regular desert, wish they would come out and see the products they are still hauling to town of last year's crop. We had a good rain yesterday, which, people say, will insure a good crop. Land is advancing fast, and to the people that expect to ever come here to get a home, I advise them not to wait too long, as land has doubled in value the last two years, and is still advancing, but I think it is cheap at \$20 per acre. I am well pleased with the country, and if I had words of money, would spend it for land in New Mexico.

C. M. Pinkston.

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