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The Bank of Cross Plains

(UN-INCORPORATED)

Responsibility \$500,000

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

This Bank Offers the Public Every Accomodation

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

DODD PRICE, Cashier.

BILLION DOLLAR FUND FOR TEXAS FACTORIES

By educating jobbers, merchants and consumers throughout Texas to demand Texas made goods when possible to secure them, the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association has begun a \$1,000,000,000 factory campaign for factory investment in Texas in 1912.

In a letter being circulated broadcast over the state, the association says:

"The amount seems large, but not too large for Texas. Our farmers haul \$1,200,000 worth of raw material to the foreign factories per day; our forests furnish the lumber for the furniture and woodware factories of the North; a railroad is now being constructed from the gulf to the iron ore fields of East Texas, and our ore will soon be running the

iron furnaces of the East. It will take more than \$1,000,000,000 invested in manufacturing to work up the raw material now being shipped out of the state, and we have only one-fifth of our area under cultivation, and our minerals are practically untouched, but \$1,000,000,000 is quite sufficient for a starter.

The associator will begin with a statewide campaign for the patronage of home industries, and merchants, jobbers and consumers in Texas will be urged to demand goods that are made in Texas whenever possible to do so. The home patronage of our present factories would result flooding them with orders and enable them to enlarge their plants and make it much easier to secure factory investment. Every citizen in Texas can join in this campaign and by patronizing home industry get better goods and cheaper goods, as well as provide a home market for our farm products. The campaign for patronizing home industries will be car-

ried on vigorously until the whole state gets the 'factory spirit,' and then attention will be turned toward bringing factories to Texas.

The association has had under advisement for some time the organization of a delegation of strong business men of Texas to visit the manufacturing and financial centers of the North and East and bring them face to face with Texas' opportunities. Governor Colquitt has agreed to head the delegation, and the committee will go this fall, or as soon as our citizenship gets in line with progress by demanding that our factory products be 'made in Texas.' A trip of this sort will go a long way toward setting Texas right with the outside world.

Texas is today the most inviting field on the globe for capital, and when our opportunities are understood and our citizenship ready to welcom factory investments by patronizing their products, we will experience no difficulty in building up

a civilization that will be the marvel of the Twentieth century."—Star Telegram.

OLD CONFEDERATES FAST PASSING AWAY

General George W. Gordon, commander in chief of the Confederate veterans said: "The time will come when Confederate reunions will be held no more. The old boys are passing away rapidly—at the rate of moae than six thousand a year. To the best of my knowledge there are about one hundred thousand of us left. You can well judge how many there will be ten years hence." Yes, just a few years more and we will no longer have an opportunity to honor the Confederate soldier except in memory, and such a thought must have come to the mind of Sheb Wil-

liams who at his own expense took 125 of the veterans to the Little Rock meeting. All honor to the Confederate soldier.—Banner-Bulletin.

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

The new cold drink stand and restaurant with the open front will be called "The Tone."

Brooms at half price at the Rack-et Store Monday.

Brazelton-Pryor & Co. have a fine lot of mountain cedar fence and carrol posts, also cedar house blocks.

You will not be alone at The Tone

STATE TO DEMAND KATY CHARTER

Austin May 19.—Upon the return of Chairmrn Mafield of the state railroad commission and Commissioner Wortham from Washington, it was learned today that an effort will be made to insist upon the attorney general instituting suit against the Katy of Texas for forfeiture of charter on the grounds of insolvency.

This step was decided upon as a result of the recent action of the railroad in deciding to issue over \$100,000,000 of improvmnt bonds none of the proceeds of which were to be spent in Texas, coupled with the commission claim that the road's liabilities are over \$30,000,000 in excess of its assets.

For window glass and putty, see Brazelton Pryor & Co.

Cross Plains Merc. Co.

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

WE ARE BETTER PREPARED TO SUPPLY YOUR WANTS IN DRY GOODS, SHOES AND HATS THAN EVER BEFORE.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING.

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

We have a swell line of Pants to select from.

Boys' Suits \$1.50 to \$6.00.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTIONS.

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

EMBROIDERY.

44 in. Embroidered Flouncing for 85c per yard.

27 in. Fmbroidered Flouncing for 50c per yard.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS.

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

Nice line of Muslin Underwear

SHOES! SHOES!

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

HARDWARE.

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

McCormick Binder Twine 8 1-2c.

GROCERIES

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

EXTRA-HIGH PATENT FLOUR

Cream Puff, \$2.75. Bewly's Best, \$3.00.

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

Good roads cost money, but if the roads are properly constructed and the money honestly expended, the investment will prove more than satisfactory and profitable.

The corn and cotton rows should be 4-1-2 or 5 feet apart instead of three feet apart, so that it will be possible to continue the cultivation up to the ripening period. If this one last item mentioned, namely not to lay by and leave the crop, but to keep a soft mulch on top of the ground, and the crop entirely free of weeds and suckers until the grains are hard upon the stalk, were literally put into effect, it would add millions of dollars to the value of the crops of the state this year.

Good roads ameliorate the condition of the farmer, promote social intercourse, encourages school attendance and relieve farm life from monotony.

We saw a man the other day disputing with his washwoman about a difference of ten cents in the charge and four minutes later call in four men to join him in a drink for which he cheerfully produced 50 cents. We saw a fellow in church fish deep down in his pocket and bring up a nickel to put in the contribution box and the next evening drop in 85 cents trying to beat a slot machine out of a cigar. We do things nearly every day about as inconsistent as that and if we were told of it, would say it was no one's business but our own—but would that make it right?—Floresville Chronicle.

That imaginative French author and astronomer, Flammarion, has suggested a brilliant device for celebrating the end of wars on earth. His proposal is that all the world's cannon be melted into one huge piece and its cannon balls into a huge sphere, the ball thus made being shot out of the cannon thus made and sent so far out into space by the force of the world's powder that it will pass beyond the influence of the earth and so, finding its place, move about us forever, a brilliant little second moon.

There is no doubt that, supposing the plan carried out successfully—this would be a splendid way of celebrating perpetually the world's regeneration, but suppose the powder wouldn't carry it far enough out for the purpose and the ball landed on earth again? Wouldn't there be complaint from the region where that would-be moon lit?

Grandma Liles, who is 80 years old, sent a silver skinned onion to the News office Saturday, which she grew, as is explained in her letter, from the seed which measured 16 inches and weighed 2 lbs. Thank you grandma, we appreciate the onion, not only for its food value but because of the interest you have in the production of vegetables at the ripe age of eighty years.—Carbon News.

Now honestly don't you think this onion should have been a whopper? An onion that couldn't make a big one, with a "16 inch 2 pound seed" to start from ought not to be honored with a visit to the newspaper office.

R. H. Brame was in one day this week and reported business good with the Home Benefit Association. They have secured the three hundred charter members, and are now working on the fourth hundred. Mr. Brame secured a little over 100 members in the last two weeks.

How long is a dollar bill? This question suggested by an interview with Secretary MacVeagh of the treasury department brought out surprisingly varying answers. The secretary proposes that the dimensions of the American paper currency be reduced and his statement told what the present size is. A dozen men in one office were asked to give an estimate of the length and the answers varied from four inches to eight. The majority of the answers were from four to five inches. One man guessed seven, another seven and a half and a third eight. The exact figures are 7.28 inches long by 3.04 inches wide.—New York Sun.

Clad in faded Jerseys and worn walking attire, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jarbeau, who are making an overland trip from Los Angeles to Kansas City, reached Fort Worth Wednesday morning shortly after 8 o'clock. They have covered 2,000 miles of their trip in eighty actual walking days and expect to arrive in Kansas City, Aug. 1.

Although slender and apparently not at all robust, Mrs. Jarbeau dark-eyed and dark haired, but with complexion untanned by the winds and sun, declares that the trip has done her a world of good and that she has gained weight. "Walking is the greatest exercise in the world," she said, "and if everybody would take a try at it there would not be so many unhealthy people in the world.

"My husband and I achieved a record in crossing the Great American desert. We spent thirty one days in this waste of sand and scorching sun, sometimes going for twenty-four hours without food. The desert is 725 miles long, and I presume that I am the only woman who ever walked across it. We carried rations and water with us and I didn't even get tanned. We each wore out two pair of hob-nailed shoes while crossing the desert.

"We have crossed California, Arizona, New Mexico and a large part of Texas. We are going to New Orleans, thence to St. Louis and on to Kansas City all on foot. We will remain in Fort Worth two weeks to get new uniforms.

"We are making the trip for a two-fold reason. First, for the mere pleasure of it and second because my husband intends to write a book on his impressions of the jaunt. We are selling postcards to make running expenses. It may be a surprise to you, but we have spent more than \$600 and are due to spend much more before reaching our destination.

"We started from Los Angeles Nov. 22, 1910, but have made many stops on the road. We spent fifty days in Tucson Ariz., and two weeks in El Paso. Only eighty days have been spent in walking. We reached here from Weatherford on the train because our postcards gave out and we came on here to get a new supply.

On the front of the gray Jerseys of the Jarbeaus are the initials "L. A. K. C." which signifies Los Angeles to Kansas City. They wore high boots, hobnailed and strong. On arriving in Fort Worth, Mrs. Jarbeau donned a pair of high pumps and said it was a source of pleasure to get in civilized togs again.—Star-Telegram.

Arriving in the "ancient city" of Jacksonville Fla., one experiences a transformation to another century.

Although the modern hotels are of great beauty, they are constructed on lines of the Middle Ages, the Moorish style of architecture predominating. As one walks about the courts of the Ponce de Leon or the Alcazar, falling waters from their fountains translate him to the Alhambra of Grenada, the Escorial of Castile or the Alcazar of Seville.

Nowhere in the vast domains of our country is there anything so quaintly old as St. Augustine. The mission house at Monterey is a good second, but the gap between them seems that of centuries. The original architecture is unlike that of any other upon this continent. What first impresses the stranger is the extreme narrowness of the streets.

Overhanging balconies in the old section of the city render it quite possible for neighbors upon opposite sides to shake hands.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A drunken man staggered into church one Sunday and sat down in the pew of one of the deacons. The preacher was discoursing about prevalent popular vices. Soon he exclaimed: "Where is the drunkard?" The drunken man was just far enough gone to think the call personal, so rising heavily replied: "Here I am" and remained standing while the drunkard's character and fate were eloquently portrayed. A few minutes later the preacher reached another head of his discourse and asked; "Where is the hypocrite?" Gently nudging his neighbor, the drunkard said in a audible whisper: "Stand up, deacon, he means you this time just as I stood. It will do you good."—Ram's Horn.

L. D. Morris, who resides about twenty miles northwest of Brady, reports a very unusual discovery on his farm. Mr. Morris was engaged in digging a post hole when he struck a formation resembling a stone wall and after excavating farther he found a complete wall of masonry in a good state of preservation inclosing a room about fifteen by thirty feet with an ell, which he has not unearthed.

Mr. Morris says he is a stone mason himself and that the walls are as well built as a modern mason would build them in this day. Tradition does not tell of any prehistoric people in that section and all are at a loss to determine anything about the builders.

A Maine great-grandmother promulgates these four rules for health, happiness and long life:

"A glass or two of buttermilk every day for health. This is excellent for the stomach and counteracts the acids which act on the body cells.

Take olive oil mixed with the food or a tablespoon. This aids in promoting good looks, good spirits and good digestion.

Sleep on a pillow of hops, which promotes sound and refreshing slumber. The best sleepers live longest and enjoy better bodily and mental health.

Cultivate cheerfulness. This not only makes the cultivator happy but makes those around him, or her, more comfortable and inspires friendship.

By way of amendment: A residence in Texas—and the century mark is assured.—Star-Telegram.

No longer is the United States senate the leading millionaires club of America. The number of millionaires in the upper branch of congress has been decimated, and the time may not be far distant when the senate will become known as the poor man's club.

No less than \$50,000,000 worth of senators has been ripped from the upper branch by an operation as simple as the one that left Adam without one of his ribs. The late Democratic cyclone had much to do with it. From present indications there will have to be formed an association for the conservation of our millionaires in the senate unless it is to become the poor man's club.

The death of Stephen B. Elkins of Virginia carried \$15,000,000 out of the senate. The retirement of Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island carried \$10,000,000 away. Four million went with Eugene Hale of Maine, when he made way for Senator Johnson, elected by the Democratic legislature.

Chauncey M. Depew of New York, director in thirty-two different railroads, walked off with \$7,000,000.

Then there was John Kean of New Jersey, who while scarcely in the class of Elkins, was worth \$5,000,000. When he left another \$5,000,000 iron man bit the dust so far as the senate was concerned.

In the broad, sweet fields of private life wandered Nathan E. Scott of West Virginia, with his \$4,000,000. With him, along the rose-

SEE US BEFORE SAYING "IT ISN'T IN TOWN."

We carry a complete line of Paints, Oils and Varnishes; Window Glass in all sizes from 8x10 to 24x32. We are still in the Drug Business, with a full line of Drugs and Sundries, Toilet Articles and Jewelry.

 J.A. Wagner & Son

bordered byways, went James P. Saliaferro of Florida with \$3,000,000 Hughes of Colorado died, removing another \$2,000,000.

There was \$50,000,000 right at one clip. The men elected to replace these millionaires are virtually poor men, or at least, what the world considers poor in these days of big fortune.

Watson of West Virginia, who replaced Elkins is about the only millionaire in the batch of baby members. He is worth \$2,000,000. Senator O'Gorman of New York is by no means wealthy and he expects to be obliged to support his large family on \$7,500, which is his salary in the senate. He used to receive \$17,500 as judge of one of the New York courts and he admits now that it is not going to be easy to keep up the senatorial pace on \$7,500. Senator Money of Mississippi, who retired with the last congress, was a poor man and John Sharp Williams, who succeeded him, is not wealthy.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Will Stone Hurt

Jim Stone and his sister Mrs. Albert Chestnutt, received news Friday morning that their brother Will, residing in the Byrd's Store community, had been found in the road unconscious and was probably fatally hurt. As soon as Jim could get to town he left with Felix Byars in the latter's auto for his brother's home. They found Will unconscious and learned that he had started the night before for a physician for a neighbor and was hurt by his horse throwing him or running into a gate. His absence had caused no uneasiness, as he had remarked on leaving home that he might not return that night.

It was thought best that the injured man be taken to Brownwood for treatment, and accompanied by a physician and relatives Mr. Byars drove his auto to that city the same afternoon. Saturday it was decided to perform an operation and Albert Chestnutt went down in company with Dr. Morris, who was called in consultation. The operation was done and since then the sufferer has perhaps slightly improved, but his condition is still dangerous. Friends are hopeful of an early and decided change for the better.—Bangs Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris left Tuesday morning for Stamford. Mr. Harris subscribed for the Review before he left so he could keep up with the rapid growth of the Terminal City.

Mr. D. A. Cline of Santa Anna is in town this week placing copies of the new book "Horrors of the White Slave Trade." This book is a true story of the Blackest Crime ever committed in this country. It should be in the home of everyone, as it reveals the plans and traps that are set for our young people.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Allison were in Sipe Springs and Rising Star last week. They returned Monday.

The Tone has a tone of its own.

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BENNETT LAND CO.

Lands, Loans, and Insurance.

We have Bargains in Real Estate for Sale and Exchange, in this and other counties. See us before buying or selling. We devote our time to the Real Estate Business. Can make loans of any amount on improved Farms and Ranches, on long time at 8 1/2 per cent interest. Vendor's Lien Notes taken up and Extended.

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Goes Anywhere

For Anybody,

At Anytime.

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Fresh Groceries

Fruits and Vegetables
Marigold Flour.
Guaranteed Shelf
Hardware.
Builder's Hardware

Goods Delivered to any part of the City

CASH GROCERY COMPANY

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CRYSTAL CAFE ^A ^N ^D Bakery

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Good Things To Eat.

Spring Chicken for Dinner
Sunday. 25 cents.

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for the Big Picnic **JULY 4**

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Work Right.**

E. G. Morris

Robt. Forbes

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**Real Estate and Insurance.
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TEXAS.

**PAY LESS
and
Dress Better**

**GENE MELTON,
Gents Furnishing**

GO TO

Frank Carpenter's Barber Shop

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

Cross Plains,

Texas,

Mr. Martin was in town Thursday

W. A. Petterson was in Baird on
business last week.

Your troubles are our troubles.
See us for binder repairs.
B. L. Boydston.

Clifford Day, of Hawley, was in
town this week on business.

Mrs. E. O. Adams visited relatives
in Abilene last week.

Mr. Foote was in Rising Star
again this week.

**THE RACKET STORE IS
HEADQUARTERS FOR**

Fruit Jar Rubbers, Fruit Jar Lids,
and Fruit Jar Fillers.

C. S. Boyles has been putting in
his furniture and fixtures this week
preparing to open an up-to-date
saddle, harness and leather shop.

We have the best rigs and want
people to drive them, but we would
like to have a little money as we go
along. Everyone will feel better.
Pay your cash before leaving the
stable.

Bryson & Knight.

The Review man visited the bot-
tling works this week, and found the
manager Mr. Fletcher busy turning
out some fine bottle drinks. This is
a new enterprise for Cross Plains
and should be patronized by every-
one.

Postmaster T. F. Wolfe says
service on Rural Route No. 1 Cross
Plains, will start June 1st. Mose C.
Baum will be the carrier.

The Bank of Cross Plains moved
into their new building on corner of
Main and Eighth, this week. It isn't
completed yet, but they had to
move into their temporary build-
ing, so they moved to make
room for two more brick buildings
in the Spencer block.

Mr. Renfro, S. L. Monsey and
others went fishing last week. They
report a fine time and lots of fish.

Afton, the small child of E. O.
Adams was badly hurt Thursday
morning. He was hooked by a cow.

Manager Hill turned the water in-
to the big mains this week. He is
now pumping into the big reservoir.

Fruit Jar Rubbers and Lids by
the wholesale and retail, At The
Racket Store,

Hear the "Irish Vocalist" at the
Airdome Saturday night. Only costs
a dime.

J. P. Cross and S. F. Bond were
in Dallas last week and bought new
machinery for the Cross Plains gin
company.

T. T. McCord has a crew of men
at work on his building on Main
street. He will carry a full line of
racket goods.

Willis & Newton, of Crosscut,
unloaded a threshing machine here
this week.

M. E. Church, South.

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

T. H. Davis, P. C.

Epworth League.



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

Presbyterian Church.

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

Rev. Sheil, Pastor.

Baptist Church.

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

Rev. Smith, P. C.

Lodge Directory

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



Meets every Fri-
day night at 8:30
at the I. O. O. F. Hall.

Drew I. Hill, Sec.

W. O. W. Camp No. 778.



Meets every Sat-
urday night before
the first and third
Sundays, at W. O. W. Hall, over J.
A. Tucker's Resturant, Cross Plains,
Tex.

E. T. Bond, Clerk.

M. W. A. Camp No. 12357.



Meets on Satur-
day night before 2
& 4 Sun. at I. O. O.
F. Hall, Cross
Plains, Tex.

M. C. Baum, Clerk.

Masonic dge No 627.



Cross Plains, T. x.
meets on or before
full moon in each
month at Masonic
Hall over school building

W. R. Penticost, W. M.

Mrs. S. F. Bond is in Marlin for
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some better.

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Rook Club.

The Rook Club spent a very pleasant afternoon on Wednesday May 24, with Mrs. Belmont Shields.

At the usual hour dainty score cards were passed and six interesting games were played at the close of which Mesdames Chas. Carter and Guy Croft were winners of first and second high score.

Delightful refreshments were served at the Drug store which was quite a treat.

Pleasant memories of our pretty young hostess and the enjoyable afternoon will ever be with us.

We were glad to have Mesdames Bond and McKelvin as visitors.

Mrs. Marvin Terry entertains on May 31.

A Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shields and Miss Tootsie visited the family of Mrs. S. J. Shields at home Saturday and Sunday.

W. E. Meiton was in Cottonwood first of this week visiting his father, who is quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Allison visited relatives in the Sabano country Saturday and Sunday.

Green Clark, of Crosscut, was in town this week.

Mr. Leslie Hayes, of Clyde, was here Saturday and Sunday on business.

See B. L. Boydston for your McCormick repairs.

Brazelton-Pryor & Co., handle the famous Hodge Red Fence. Best for garden and lot fencing.

Your troubles are our troubles. See us for binder repairs.
B. L. Boydston.

Mr. Kemper has things about straightened out at the new hotel, and is now doing business.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnhill, of Cisco, are here this week visiting the family of T. T. McCord.

Carter & Kenady have received a full line of Buggies, Wagons and Implements. If you need anything in this line, go and see them.

Flaxoap for cleaning floors, furniture, wood work and all painted or varnished surfaces. Brazelton-Pryor & Co. sell it.

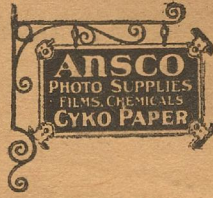
Why not stain your floor, paint your house, barn or roof? Brazelton Pryor & Co. handle the famous Sherwin-Williams and have just what you need.

Visit The Tone.

Mr. Richardson, of Baird, was in town this week.

W. M. Franke renewed his subscription to the Review this week.

Take The Review for a year.



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Texas.

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E. E. McCollum,

Cisco, Texas.

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We use the old style iron like our fore fathers used. In regard to workmanship we fear no trouble and guarantee everything to be first class. Will give you nice smooth work far above the average.

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

Central Meat Market

JONES & SON, Proprietors



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

IN CENTRAL BUILDING, Cross Plains

We Do All Kinds of Repairing

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

We can have your clothes made from the cloth direct from the Woolen Mills.

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

Keep-U-Neat Tailor Shop

The Cross Plains Restaurant

J E WOOD, Proprietor.

Right handy to the depot, on Main street.

Short Orders, Condis and Cigars.

A full line of Fancy Groceries. . . .

QUALITY

Whatever reputation we may have made in fifteen years in the piano business we attribute to the **QUALITY** of the goods we have handled, together with what we could do in the way of fair dealing. Our reputation depending mainly on this fact, we are compelled to always make **QUALITY** the first consideration.

PRICES.

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

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ERNEST CHADWELL KILLED AT COLEMAN SAT. NIGHT

Saturday night between ten and ten thirty o'clock several pistol shots rang out on the still air and as a result Ernest Chadwell is now resting in the Coleman cemetery and Owen Griffis is the acknowledged cause of his death and after an examining trial held in private is released on bond for one thousand dollars. As the court refused to permit a reporter at the trial it is impossible for us to report the evidence taken. The circumstance that surrounds the sad affair makes it rather difficult to give an authentic report but as near as we can learn it is one of the most fearful tragedies ever enacted in Coleman.

The prominence of the parties and the far reaching results has thrown the entire town into a state of gloom and all day yesterday and this morning it was discussed in low tones and with seeming reluctance.

The report of the affair most generally believed to be authentic is something like this. Griffis returned to his home from the skating-rink at about ten thirty and hearing some one trying to enter the back part of his house secured his gun, went out the front door, passing around the house discovered Chadwell who upon the appearance of Griffis started to run at which Griffis called to him to stop, after repeating the call and the fleeing man not stopping, he fired; some say three times, some say five. Chadwell continued to run crossing Commercial Avenue, then turning and running back, falling in the street dead, one bullet having struck him under the left shoulder and passing through to the skin on the right side in front. After the shooting Griffis went into the house and phoned for the officer to come and get him as he had killed someone. He was taken to jail where he was kept until this morning at the examining trial he was released on bond for \$1000. Chadwell was buried yesterday. The Odd Fellows of Coleman, he leaves a wife and three children, Griffis has a wife and two children.

We understand that Griffis claims that he did not know who he was shooting at, and we can offer no explanation of the circumstance that would cause a man of Chadwell's standing to be found as it appears that he was found.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

POLICE GO WITH HIM TO WORK

New York, May 25.—Escorted by six mounted patrolmen, eight bicyclo-coats on foot and two on bicycles, Harry Gorrie is taken to his home, No. 511 Fifty third street Brooklyn from the E. W. Bliss Projectile Works, Fifty third street and First avenue, while 3,000 jeering men and women hurl stones, clubs, tin cans, bottles and pepper at him.

As Gorrie enters his doorway the police turn and charge the mob. Gorrie's foes disperse when threatened with arrest. Then a police guard is placed in front of Gorrie's home, because of a rumor of a plan to blow up the building with dynamite.

Gorrie who is thirty years old has been a machinist in the projectile works five years. When a strike of the machinist was declared April 29 because the men insisted on an eight hour work day, Gorrie refused to go out.

Could Not Afford to Quit. "I can't quit" he said. "I haven't any money, and there's the wife at home. I'll stick by the company and keep on working the nine hours, even though you fellows win."

Gorrie was the only machinist who appeared for work next day. The news spread through the neighborhood. Every morning when he went to work he was met on the street by men and women and denounced as a traitor. Every evening a crowd awaited him outside the shop.

He went to the Fourth avenue police station and said to Capt. Post "I've got to work and if I continue to work I'll be killed. I must have police protection."

Capt. Post looked out the front door and saw the angry men and women. He was met with jeers and catcalls and a stone was flung at him. Post lost no time in assigning the sixteen policemen to see Gorrie from and to his home in safety. Long before it was time for Gorrie to go to work this morning the men began to gather in front of his house. It is estimated fifteen hundred persons were there, ready to do violence to the lone man.

Women Tried to Blind Him. The police surrounded him and with clubs drawn, drove back the crowd and got Gorrie to the shop.

Men and women gathered outside two hours before it was time for Gorrie to quit work last night. When he came out there was a yell of derision. Again he took his place in the center of the police square. Then he calmly lighted his pipe and puffed away, never answering a question or doing more than dodge when a missile was hurled his way.

Before the police had gone two blocks women began to charge the lines and throw handfuls of pepper at Gorrie.

"I won't quit now if I'm killed for it" he said as he entered his home. "But it is tough to feel as if you were the worst man in the world, all because you insist on earning your own living."

MARRIED IN WESTERN COWBOY STYLE

Marathon, Texas, May 25.—Astride cow ponies, wearing red bandanas, with sixshooters at their belts, Miss Effie Lee Schley and D. Fred Rice were married on the Grapevine ranch in Brewster county, sixty-five miles south of here. It was a cowboy wedding in every particular. The minister was a cowboy and was attired in Western style. The guests were roughly clad cowboys and hardy ranch women.

The wedding breakfast was served from the "chuck" wagon and the dishes consisted of "sons of guns" and "black creek" coffee. After the breakfast the couple started in a carriage for Marathon, sixty-five miles distant, and after arriving here took a Sap train for San Antonio, where they are now spending their honeymoon.

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BIG ANTI RALLY AT AT FT. WORTH MAY 24

Fort Worth, May 24.—Three special trains have already been arranged from various parts of Texas for the opening of the anti campaign at the rally to be held at Fort Worth June 5. C. B. Dorchester, the well known attorney of Sherman, was the first to call for such a train notifying the Frisco general office yesterday that one would be required from Sherman and guaranteeing that 1500 people would come from the section traversed by the train if it were furnished.

Paul Waples, chairman of the Fort Worth business men's committee that will entertain all visitors in Fort Worth at the time of the rally, has also been notified that there will be a special train from Dallas carrying 500 people, and one from Houston with an equal number from that place. Each of these trains will have its own band aboard and these, with the three local bands, will insure plenty of music during the day.

One band that will probably be secured is the Fort Worth letter carriers' band. This band is made up entirely of musicians who are letter carriers at the Fort Worth postoffice. They practice daily at noon at the postoffice and are fast becoming one of the crack musical organizations of the state. Their band uniforms are of gray similar to their letter carriers' uniform.

Announcement that Gov. Colquitt would be one of the speakers at the rally has been enthusiastically received here, as his presence with that of the other prominent men named as speakers will insure the widest interest in the Fort Worth gathering. On the list of those to deliver addresses that of George Clark of Waco, who took such a prominent part in the campaign of 1887, comes next to Gov. Colquitt. John H. Kirby of Houston, the millionaire lumberman, and C. K. Bell, former attorney general and candidate for governor in 1906, follow. Other prominent men who have already accepted invitations to speak are: E. G. Senter, Nelson Philipps and Barry Miller of Dallas; John W. Ownby and Fred Dudley of Paris; Jonathan Lane and H. M. Garwood, Houston; R. W. Rodgers, Texarkana; Reese Tatum, Dalhart; Mc-

Donald Meachum, Navasota; M. E. Kleberg, Galveston, secretary of state, C. C. McDonald; and Carlos Bee, San Antonio.

Because of the great number of speakers the rally will open at 10:30 a. m. and the luncheon to be served to the visitors by the Fort Worth business men will be given in the building. Five thousand pounds of meat and two thousand loaves of bread have already been ordered for this big lunch, together with other things on a similar scale.

It is expected more people will be fed at this luncheon than were ever present at another single meal in the Southwest.

MRS. BOND ENTERTAINS

At the lovely new home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bond on East Eighth street, quite a number of friends gathered Monday night to meet Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bond of Royston Ga.

Tables were arranged for 20 to play "Progressive Book."

After six enthusiastic games Mrs. B. L. Bond and Mr. C. C. Neeb were the champions having remained at head table the entire evening.

Refreshments of cake and cream were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Butler. The evening was so delightfully spent we could hardly realize 'twas almost the midnight hour. So wishing Mr. and Mrs. Bond a pleasant visit in Texas we each bade our merry partners good night after assuring our hostess of having had a lovely time.

Those present were Mesdames Baum, Carter, Harris, Bond, Henson, Wagner, and Butler, Misses Kemper, Vickery, Davis and Robertson. Messrs Henson, Carter, Baum, Wagner, Carson, Butler, Bond and Harris.

A Guest.

B. L. Boydston, of Baird has already shipped quite a lot of merchandise. He has the groceries in the Spencer building next to Cross Plains Furniture Co.

Mr. Harman returned Saturday from Sylvester, Fisher county.

Mrs. Adkisson has been quite sick this week.

Atwell Locals

We are needing rain badly.

Rev. Richburg filled his regular appointment Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Deals and Alford of Haskell attended church here Sunday.

Several of the Atwell boys went to Waco on the Cross Plains excursion.

Rev. Richburg delivered an interesting lecture on State-wide prohibition Sunday evening.

Miss Florence Maddux was the guest of Miss Lillian Pillion Saturday night.

Miss Nora Stephens was the guest of Miss Ora Gilbert Sunday.

Misses Lydia Brashear and Pearl Purvis were pleasant callers at Mr. Jones Sunday.

Misses Florence Stephens and Linnie Brashear were guests at the birthday dinner given by Miss Hattie Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Pounds and Mr. and Mrs. [redacted] are each the proud parents of a boy baby.

The Choral Club met Friday night and the program was well rendered.

Singing Sunday night at the Methodist church was well attended and was enjoyed by all.

The basket ball girls played an interesting game Saturday evening.

Miss Pearl Purvis returned home Friday from a visit with her uncle, Fred Purvis.

The Methodists of this place have decided to hold the childrens day exercises under the old tabernacle. There will be dinner on the ground, and the pastor will address the children in the evening. The exercises will be held June 4th at 10:30 a. m.

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