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LOCALS ARE SECOND IN TRACK MEET

HOME TOWN GOSSIP



Agnes White, chief stamp lick at the local post office, informs this department to do one of two things; either keep her name out of this erstwhile column or discontinue Virgil Graves' subscription.

There being nothing sensational to report concerning the postal Cinderella this week, we comply with her first request.

I, is with much regret that we are informed the Oil Well Supply is leaving Cross and Ted Smith will be transferred to Big Spring.

Ted is a swell fellow and his congenial attitude will be missed about these parts. Here's a wish for luck Ted and when you make that million we'll be expecting you back to the town, where your friend are unnumbered.

Into our sanctum this week walked Isaac N. Bishop who said: "Money is pretty hard to get hold of just now, but I notice in the Gossip you have a great big smile which you register with the collection of each subscription, so I'm here to pay a year in advance; now do your stuff".

Well sub; we cracked our jaws and smiled at friend Isaac for a full two minutes. In odd years—when there are no important elections—a newspaperman has to work his choice "shenanigans" to get in a few dollars to tide off bill collectors.

And indeed, talking about Isaac Bishop, tell us if you don't already know; he's a pretty unusual fellow. Truthful, we believe, as the day is long; which is perhaps due to the fact, that he was born on George Washington's birthday and named for Sir Isaac Newton, a man of whom you will read more further down in this column.

Tremendous trifles: somewhere we have read that William H. Seward instead of Lincoln might have been nominated for the Presidency in 1860, if the ballots for the Republican convention had been printed on time. . . . Then there's the story about a plague of horseflies hastening the signing of the Declaration of Independence so that it was really signed on July second instead of July fourth, the day we celebrate. . . . There is also a story to the effect that one of Napoleon's generals delayed for a late breakfast, thereby causing the "Little Corporal" to lose the battle of Waterloo. . . . and of course, there's the story about the apple that fell on Sir Newton's head which resulted in the discovery of the law of gravity. . . . Too, there's the one about the idea of a steam engine coming from watching a tea kettle. . . .

The Weather

UNSETTLED



Dr. I. M. Howard Named Cross Plains' Most Valuable Citizen

In the rush to get votes in Cross Plains' Most Valuable Citizen contest tabulated in time for publication last week, the Review overlooked the fact that the contest was slated to close Thursday afternoon, and counted the ballots Wednesday night. The action was merely an oversight. It had been the original intention to close the voting Wednesday afternoon, in order to

County Attorney Issues Gambling Warning

RAPS BANKS NIGHTS PUNCH BOARDS AND MARBLE MACHINES

County Attorney F. E. Mitchell yesterday issued a statement of warning to Callahan citizens in regard to gaming machines. The statement as given to the Review follows.

"On account of the fact that a widespread movement is being made throughout the state, to stop violations of the gaming laws, I wish to issue a warning and to make some explanations of the laws against gaming and lotteries. You will doubtless remember that the crime investigation committee of the Texas Senate reported that some 150 counties were allowing gambling to flourish unmolested and named Callahan County as one of such counties. I am sure that the violations referred to, insofar as this county is concerned, consisted wholly in the operation of machines of various types and of certain practices of giving tickets with purchases, or otherwise, entitling the holders of lucky tickets to win a prize in money or merchandise.

"The operation of any machine for profit, which gives those making certain scores, matching certain colors, etc., a premium, either in money or merchandise, is a violation of the law, unless it is a game of skill as distinguished from a game of chance. These are classed as lotteries; and the lowest punishment for establishing a lottery is a fine of one hundred dollars. It is also a punishable offense to sell or dispose of a lottery ticket, the lowest punishment being a fine of five dollars, and the sale of each ticket constituting a separate offense. Under this same lottery law is also classed all punch boards, devices for drawing numbers from cards which give merchandise or other premiums differing in value according to the number drawn, the giving of tickets with sales of merchandise, which entitle the holder to a chance at money or merchandise in a drawing to be held in the future. Under this latter class would doubtless be included the so-called bank nights tickets to theaters.

"Many people have come to me about these matters and asked why something is not done about it. The officers cannot enforce the law without the co-operation of the citizens. I do not feel justified in being both prosecutor and prosecuting witness. My office is open to the citizenship of this county for the purpose of receiving complaints, and I assure you that if you have cause to believe the law is being violated, if you will only come in and sign a complaint, I will see that the cases are prosecuted without fear or favor."

COUNTY GINNED 5,229 BALES OF 1934 COTTON

Census reports shows that there were 5,229 bales of cotton ginned in Callahan County from the crop of 1934, as compared with 8,266 bales ginned from the crop of 1933. J. H. Shrader, special agent for the government, informs the Review.

High School Students Possess Varied Opinions Of Persons In World Spotlight

Evidence of the fact that Cross Plains high school students do most of their reading in text books was manifested Monday afternoon, when a questionnaire submitted the body, concerning people and items prominent in the world's news, brought forth many "peculiar" answers.

The 10 questions asked were: Who is Adolph Hitler. Who is Babe Ruth. Who is Walt Disney. Who is Arthur Brisbane. Who is Zasu Pitts. Who is Amelia Earhart. Who is Tom Blanton. Who is Pikes Peak. And who is the most talked of man in the United States?

The questions prepared by Superintendent Nat Williams and editor of the Review, came as a surprise to the student body and were only for the purpose of gathering information.

Who is Adolph Hitler? Adolph Hitler, the German Chancellor, may be all the world to the Fatherland but Cross Plains students identified him with other nations and many fields. The question, "Who is Adolph Hitler?" brought forth the following answers:

1. He is a French statesman.
2. Ruler of Italy.
3. Italian Dictator.
4. Agricultural worker.
5. I don't know Adolph.
6. Something to do with the government.
7. Member of President's cabinet
8. Dictator of France
9. He is a movie star
10. Dictator of Austria.

Most of the student body, however, answered this question correctly and identified Hitler with the Reich movement in Germany.

Who is Babe Ruth?

The second question: "Who is Babe Ruth?" was expected to be a cinch for the boys, however, errors on the query were about evenly divided with the girls. Base ball's "bambino" was said to be:

1. Man who named Babe Ruth candy.
2. A murderer.
3. A piece of candy.
4. Star base ball fan.
5. Ex-ball player.
6. A prize fighter

Babe Ruth was also said to be manager of many different base ball teams, when in reality he is but assistant manager of the Boston Braves, but is to take up managerial duties in 1936.

Who is Walt Disney?

Walt Disney, the man who draws Mickey and Minney Mouse comic strips, was credited by local school students as being:

1. A member of the Senate
2. A great boxer.
3. Movie star.
4. Radio star.
5. Great representative.
6. Base ball pitcher.
7. A scientist.
8. Foot ball player.
9. Member President's cabinet.
10. He is President O. K.
11. Used to be a boxer.
12. Just a man.

Who is Arthur Brisbane?

Arthur Brisbane, America's highest paid editorial writer and best read columnist, was called by the students:

1. Dictator of Italy.
2. Poet.
3. He is a doctor.
4. Brisbane is not one of my acquaintances.
5. Big man.

6. Maker of Cross Word puzzles.
7. He is an artist.
8. A play writer.

Who is Zasu Pitts?

Zasu Pitts, the timid soul of cinema and one of the screen's highest paid comedienne, was said to be:

1. Zasu Pitts is a man.
2. A singer.
3. Pitts is something.
4. A government officer.
5. He is a farmer.
6. He is a congressman.

Who is Amelia Earhart?

Amelia Earhart, America's leading aviatrix, and holder of several international records, the students said was:

1. A movie star.
2. Our senator.
3. Music teacher.
4. Poet.
5. He used to be a ball player.
6. Radio star.
7. Great novelist.
8. Wealthiest girl in the world.
9. Dress designer.
10. Character in a book.

Who is Tom L. Blanton?

The next question in the series was "Who is Thomas L. Blanton?" The Congressman from this district will no doubt be interested to learn that he was thought to be:

1. Vice President of U. S.
2. Secretary of Agriculture.
3. Post office Secretary.
4. Speaker of House.
5. State Representative.
6. Author of health books.
7. Past President.
8. Member Roosevelt's cabinet.
9. Man who ran against Allred for Governor.
10. Secretary of Treasury
11. A Senator.

And strange to say, none of the students called Congressman Blanton, "The Watchdog of the Treasury", his favorite title.

Mayor Is Well Known

The next question, "Who is Mayor of Cross Plains?" was missed by but eight of the 131 students. Most everyone knew the Mayor as well as his initials, however, many called him "Brother S. P. Collins"; other said Rev. S. P. Collins and Mayor S. P. Collins. The incorrect answers on this question, said the following were mayor of this city:

1. Ralph Chandler
2. Mr. Adams (two)
3. John Westerman
4. Mr. Smith
5. S. F. Bond. (two)
6. Mr. Williams

The next question, "What is Pike's Peak?" drew some very interesting answers. The Colorado mountain top was said to be:

1. Mountain in California.
2. Highest peak in world.
3. Small mountain near Cottonwood.
4. Tallest peak in Texas
5. Burial ground of famous authors.
6. A distance of land.
7. High peak in New York.
8. Hill in Cross Plains.
9. Peak in Arizona.
10. Tallest mountain in world

Roosevelt is Popular

The last question, "Who is the most talked of man in the United States?" drew many opinions and since none is authoritative one is about as good as another. The students, however, said the most talked of men were (in order of mentions given): President Roosevelt, Huey P. Long, Henry Ford, Hoover, Hauptmann, Will Rogers, Charles Lindbergh, Clark Gable and Max Baer.

POOR SHOWING IN ATHLETIC EVENTS CRIPPLES CHANCE

Cross Plains schools bowed in defeat at the county inter-scholastic league meet at Baird, Saturday, for the first time in five years. It was chiefly the absence of strong competition in athletic events which caused the purple and gold to drop to second place. Cross Plains failed to win a single first in senior boys track and field events, yet the huge total of points garnered in literary and forensic contests kept the local schools in striking distance of Baird, the winner.

In the ward school competition Baird won first place with 91 1/2 points, Cross Plains was second with 85 1/2. Clyde was third with 45, Putnam and Union tied for fourth with 35, Oplin was sixth with 30, Eula seventh with 15 and Cottonwood eighth with 10 points.

In the class "A" high school division: Baird was first with 154 1/2 points, Cross Plains second with 107, Putnam third with 102 1/2, and Clyde fourth with 100 1/2.

In class "B" high school competition: Oplin was first with 73 1/2 points, Union second with 45, and Denton and Eula third with five points each.

In rural school competition: Enterprise was first with 105 points, Atwell was second with 97, Bells Plaine was third with 67, Midway was fourth with 49; Rowden fifth with 37; Deer Plains sixth with 35, Dressy seventh with 21, Lanham eighth with five points.

Listing of all individual place winners is impossible due to the fact that Director General J. F. Boren's report—official tabulations—was not available until Wednesday.

Cross Plains place winners were: Jay Mays, first in senior boys declamation; Mary Billingsly, first in senior girls declamation; Emma Jean Settle, first in junior girls declamation; Emma Williams, second in junior girls ready writing; W. N. Long, first in senior boys extemporaneous speech; Billie Ruth Loving, second in senior girls extemporaneous speech; J. T. Cross, third in senior boys 100 yard dash; Jay Mays, third in senior boys 440 yard dash; Edward Boone, fourth in senior boys 440 yard dash; Jay Mays, third in senior boys 220 yard dash; Stanley Pierce, second in senior boys 880 yard dash; Scott Smith, fourth in 880; Cross Plains boys second in senior mile relay; Jay Mays, tied for third in pole vault; J. T. Cross fourth in discuss throw; Billie Gray tied for fourth in broad jump; Stanley Pierce fourth in shot put; Billie Gray third and J. T. Cross fourth in javelin throw; Bobbie Nell Neel first in girls tennis singles.

Individual winners in junior track and field as well as several other divisions were not included in Mr. Boren's report and for that reason are not published here.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Everett had as their guests Sunday Mr. Everett's parents of Eastland.

CALLAHAN SHOWS GAIN IN NUMBER OF FARMS DURING PAST 5 YEARS

The number of farms in Callahan county, as shown by a preliminary count of the returns of the Supervisor of the 1935 Census of Agriculture, is 1,626, as compared with 1,451 on April first, 1935.

These figures were released to the Review for publication yesterday by Ernest E. Wood, Supervisor of the census.

DR. C. A. VOYLES WILL ADDRESS B. T. U. MEETING

A county-wide B. T. U. meeting will be held at Baird, Sunday afternoon at two thirty. The program will be in charge of the Clyde union. The inspirational address will be delivered by Dr. C. A. Voyles, of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Osburn have as their guest here this week her parents of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Campbell of as their guests Sunday Mr. Everett's parents of Eastland.

Callahan Corn - Hog Committee Formulated For Year's Work

At a meeting held in the office of County Agent Ross B. Jenkins last week, officers for the Callahan Corn-Hog Association were elected for the ensuing year.

H. N. Ebert, of Baird, was chosen president to succeed V. F. Jones. Other officers selected are: E. J. Kendrick, Denton, vice-president; Mrs. R. C. Corn, of Baird, secretary-treasurer. Community chairmen are: G. H. Clifton, Cross Plains; J. E. Fair-

cloth, Clyde; E. J. Kendrick, Denton; Roy Armor, Oplin. The allotment committee was named from this group and includes: H. N. Ebert, chairman; G. H. Clifton, E. J. Kendrick and Roy Armor. There are approximately 125 corn-hog contracts in this county this year, as compared with 204 for 1934. High cost of feed and drought were cited by Mr. Jenkins as being the chief cause for the reduction in the number of contracts.

SPELLING MATCH TO BE REGULAR WEEKLY EVENT: EACH MONDAY

"Owing to numerous requests a blue-back spelling match will be conducted by the Adult School in the I.O.O.F. hall each Monday night, beginning at eight o'clock, said Miss Elizabeth Jackson to the Review, yesterday.

She also urged that all local spellers be prepared to meet the competition of out-of-town participants.

More than 100 people attended the first event of this nature held here in many years at the I.O.O.F. hall Monday night. Several methods of competition were employed to diversify the evening's program.

Plans are going forward to make the match each Monday night interesting for all who attend, whether or not they enter into the competition of spelling.

PIONEER CITIZEN SUCCEUMBS MONDAY

W. A. Kidd, who died at his home at Pioneer, shortly after nine o'clock Monday night, was laid to rest in the cemetery there Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted from the family home with Dr. C. A. Voyles, of Cross Plains, and Rev. M. R. McCord, of Pioneer, officiating.

Mr. Kidd, who had been a resident of this section for many years, died of paralysis after a short illness. He was 64 years, 10 months and two days of age. He is survived by his wife.

Higginbotham Brothers and Company, Cross Plains, had charge of funeral arrangements.

OIL WELL SUPPLY COMPANY TO MOVE STORE FROM HERE

The Oil Well Supply Company here will discontinue business at the Cross Plains store after Saturday night. Plans were going forward yesterday toward the transferring of stock in the local store to Breckenridge, Olney, Dallas and Albany, Ted Smith, who has been manager for the Oil Well here nine years, will assume managerial duties for the company at Breckenridge next week.

The action to move the store came as a complete surprise to Mr. Smith as well as to oil men throughout this area.

Men were tagging the oil field equipment yesterday, preparatory to shipping it to other points Friday and Saturday.

The Oil Well Supply Company located in Cross Plains in December 1925 and was able to remain here more than years after the departure of other large competitive concerns. The store has served to make Cross Plains "oil men's headquarters" in this vicinity. It's absence is expected to be felt deeply.

W. B. GUNN TRANSFERRED TO ANDREWS OIL FIELD

W. B. Gunn, ganger for the Humble Pipe Line Company, at Pioneer, will leave Monday for Andrews, where he has been transferred to serve in a similar capacity. Mrs. Gunn and children will remain at Pioneer until the current school term closes. The Gunn's have resided at Pioneer five years.

Jimmie Walker, formerly of Wichita Falls, will succeed Gunn at Pioneer.

Social Activities

MRS. CLARENCE MARTIN HOSTESS TO '42' CLUB

Mrs. Clarence Martin was hostess to the new forty two club when she entertained with three tables of forty two at her home last Thursday afternoon.

The hostess served refreshments of fruit punch, salad, and cookies to the following guests: Mmes. Eli Powell, C. R. Cook, Walter Rudloff, Phil Anderson, O. L. Dixon, Volley McDonough, Ed Schaffner, H. A. Young, Olen Lewis, L. M. Henson, and Miss Doris Placke.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Eli Powell next Thursday afternoon.

CLUB IS ENTERTAINED AT S. R. JACKSON HOME

Mrs. S. R. Jackson was hostess to the "Thursday Night" bridge club when she entertained with three tables of bridge at her home last Thursday night.

High score for the ladies went to Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, and high score for the men went to S. R. Jackson.

A refreshment plate consisting of congealed salad, devils food cake, crackers, and ice tea was served to members and Misses Enid Gwathmey and Doris Durham.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. R. Lowe next Thursday night.

CLUB IS ENTERTAINED AT SCHAFFNER HOME

Mrs. Ed Schaffner Jr., entertained the Contract bridge club with two tables of bridge at her home last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ben Garner won high score.

A refreshment plate of congealed salad, crackers, chocolate pie topped with whipped cream, and coffee was served to the following guests: Mmes. W. R. Lowe, Ben Garner, Jesse McAdams, Harry Ward, C. B. Osburn, T. S. Holden, Arlie Brown, and the hostess.

ATWELL H. D. CLUB IS PREPARING PATTERNS

The Atwell home demonstration club met in the home of Miss Linnie Moore, county home demonstration agent, was scheduled to be in attendance but was unavoidably detained.

As foundation patterns were to be made at the meeting, council members and ward robe demonstrators went ahead and cut patterns for most of the members. Miss Moore will meet with the club the first Tuesday in April to bring a covered dish.

CLUB TOLD YEAST GOOD TO PREVENT PELLAGRA

Pellagra may be prevented by an adequate supply of vitamin "G", contained in potatoes, spinach, tomatoes, and yeast, taken from facts presented by Miss Vida Moore, Home Demonstration Agent, to Cross Plains Home Demonstration Club, in a former meeting, at the home of Mrs. Mamie Swafford.

Value of vitamins A, B, C, D, E, G, were studied.

The Red Cross has a supply of yeast, for pellagra, suffers who are unable to obtain it otherwise. Miss Moore, she states.

DRESSY CLUB COMPLETES QUILT LAST WEDNESDAY

A quilt pieced by members of the Dressy community H. D. club was fringed and almost completed Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Aline Baum.

Cake and lemonade was served to Mmes. Wallace Jones, Doyle Neeb, Fred Stacy, J. L. Cavanaugh, E. F. Neeb, C. D. Baird, R. M. Neeb, Marshall Jones, Mose Baum, Neeb Leota Jones, Kaola Cavanaugh and hostess.

Mrs. E. O. Adams Athalie and Billie Mae, and Mrs. Mattie McDougald visited in Abilene Friday.

Miss Eloise Haley of Big Spring was a visitor here last week.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY HAS OUTLOOK PROGRAM

Mrs. V. C. Walker and Mrs. Ed Schaffner Jr. were hostess to the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church when they entertained at the home of the later Monday afternoon.

The "Outlook" program was rendered with Mrs. George Neil acting as leader. Mrs. H. A. Young gave a summary of the bulletin. Mrs. Neil gave an interesting talk on "The Old Gospel Trail", and a very interesting talk was given by Mrs. Brad Harris.

Refreshments of congealed salad, crackers, ice tea, and olives, was served to the following guests: Mmes. George Neil, H. A. Young, Brad Harris, Mann, J. G. Perry, Walter Rudloff, R. S. Gaines, J. A. Caton, L. M. Maddux, E. Terry, Bill Cross and the hostess.

MRS. WARD ENTERTAINS JUNIOR STUDY CLUB

The Junior Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Harry Ward Tuesday afternoon.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Lewis Norman, and the following program was rendered. Miss Sara Chapman acted as leader. "Missions of Texas" was given by Mrs. Stanley Clark. "Old Forts" were discussed by Mrs. Lewis Norman and "The State Capitol" was given by Miss Sara Chapman.

The next meeting will be with Miss Sara Chapman Tuesday April 9.

SABANNO H. D. CLUB IS DOING IMPORTANT WORK

The Sabanno home demonstration club met with Mrs. Walter Havenor, Friday afternoon, with eight members and four visitors present. The afternoon's program included the working on foundation patterns.

Five members of the Sabanno club met with the Rising Star club March 19, for the purpose of cutting patterns. Four waist patterns were cut while there. Those attending the meeting at Rising Star report a very enjoyable time and state that the work being done there is a real inspiration to do bigger and better things in the Sabanno club. Efforts are underway to finish the foundation patterns as early as possible.

During the business session it was decided to have a club family tuckey party at the home of Mrs. J. S. Erwin on the night of April sixth. The next meeting of the club will be the home of Mrs. Edwin Erwin.

MISS LIDA MOORE VISITS LOCAL H. D. CLUB VISITS

"To make an individual pattern," said Miss Vida Moore, county home demonstration agent, to the Cross Plains club in a meeting at the home of Mrs. Ralph Chandler, Tuesday afternoon, "cut the pattern large of unbleached muslin, pinning and darting to fit the body; then cutting away the surplus leaving only a good seam."

"By using a pattern like this," she stated, "your dress will fit without having to be fitted each time."

The next meeting of the Cross Plains home demonstration club—April ninth—will be at the home of Mrs. W. M. Smith.

Refreshments were served Tuesday afternoon to: Mrs. Mamie Swafford, Mrs. Olan Adams, Mrs. O. T. Laws, Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. H. C. Williams, Mrs. W. A. Beavers, Mrs. C. M. McAnally, Mrs. W. J. E. Henkel, Mrs. Ralph Chandler, Sr. Mrs. C. V. Johnson, Mrs. Ralph Chandler, Jr., Mrs. Merlin Garrett, Mrs. Jim Barr, Miss Merle Williams, Miss Hazel Ogilvy and Miss Moore.

Mr. and George Thomas and family of Anson were visitors here over the week end.

Mr. Fred Burgess was her guest Monday her mother, Mrs. Mary, and her of Col.

COUNTY DEMONSTRATION AGENT VISITS CLUB AT COTTONWOOD PAST WEEK

"The responsibility for an active succession lies with each co-operator as well as with the demonstrators" declared Miss Vida Moore, Home Demonstration Agent to the 12 members of the Cottonwood Home Demonstration Club in a meeting held in the school building, Friday afternoon, March 22.

The importance of planting an adequate garden to cover the needs of the food budget was stressed. "If the drought made it impossible for you to have but half enough of certain foods last year, perhaps by planting twice as much this year you may have plenty", said Miss Moore.

The next club meeting will be held with the adult educational classes of sewing and of art, conducted by Miss Juanelle Sparks, and Mrs. P. G. Freeland, respectively. This meeting will be April 12, and is for the purpose of fitting each member present with a foundation pattern.

Those present at the meeting Friday were: Mesdames; C. V. Ramsey, V. L. Fulton, Lily Newton, Sub Pevy, S. A. Moore, O. D. Strahan, J. M. Sparks, E. K. Copinger, P. G. Freeland, and Misses; Eunice Hembree and Missouri Strahan.

Mrs. W. A. Williams spent the week end visiting relatives in Big Springs.

E. O. and O. E. Adams are visiting in Pampa, this week.

DRESSY

Dressy students entered some of the events at the track meet on both days; the following being some of the reports of which we have received:

The high school spelling team composed of Dorothy Johnson and Maeola Renfro won first place with a team grade of 95.

In the 7th grade spelling contest Earvine Carey and Fred Klutts received third place with an average of 90.

Our school tied for second place in the "Three-R" entry.

We appreciated this honor as this was our first experience in this very interesting little contest.

In the Arithmetic contest which is somewhat similar to the "Three-R" contest, we were ably represented by Hazel McKinney and Fred Klutts.

Virginia Ruth Neeb was our representative in Essay writing.

The following named pupils made a very creditable showing in Declaration: Dorothy Johnson, Earvine Carey, Maeola Renfro and Ira Sheman.

In the "field" events we made only a few entries. Glen Payne winning a place in the 50-yd. dash. Delbert Smart in the 100 yd. and Earl Lee in high jump.

The pupils have enjoyed this meet very much and in future events they expect to go better prepared to win.

They desire to express their thanks to the following patrons who attended the meet and helped to provide ways for their going and returning there from: Mr. P. W. Payne, Mr. Flem Johnson, Mr. Carl Klutts, and C. D. Baird. They appreciate your interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Odum are the proud parents of a ten pound baby girl born at the Griggs hospital at Baird, Wednesday.

The well drilled by Mr. Goss on the W. T. Wilson place but no oil.

Miss Evelyn Pehlert spent the day with Miss Bobbie McKinney, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Carrey visited grandma Carrey at Pioneer, Saturday and Sunday. Pioneer Carrey is right sick.

Mrs. Jim Miller of T. visited her mother.



NEW YORK—The dime store heiress the former Barbara Hut-ton of the Woolworth Mdivani, is through with her husband, the Georgian Prince, Alix Mdivani. At least she said so while making ready to sail from London for New York to ask divorce. They were married two years ago. She says they are parting the best of friends—and not a penny will be settled on the Prince. Photo shows Alix and Barbara shortly after their marriage.

RELIEF COMMISSION TO MAKE LOANS FOR SEED, REVIEW TOLD

Special funds have been made available to the Texas Relief Commission by the Federal Emergency Relief Administration for the purpose of making emergency seed loans for Spring planting of commercial and forage crops, it was announced yesterday by Adam R. Johnson, state relief director.

"These funds have been made available to meet the emergency created by temporary lack of funds in the farm credit administration which heretofore has made such loans," Mr. Johnson said. "Loans will be made in all cases of emergency regardless of whether the applicant is on relief rolls or not. Applications will be taken by county relief offices."

All applications will be passed upon by the local county committees which heretofore have functioned under the farm credit administration. It was pointed out, however, that no loans would be made to farmers who are able to obtain credit through usual commercial channels and that in cases where existing crop or chattel liens existed, waivers and nondistribution agreements from such lien holders will be before any loans will be approved. For non-relief clients, loans not to exceed \$50 will be approved.

Mr. Johnson said the relief commission will discontinue making these loans immediately upon resumption of activities by the farm credit administration.

EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN UNDERWAY AT M. E. CHURCH

The Methodist Church is engaging in a pre-Easter evangelistic campaign. A program of services, appropriate to Lent and Passing Week, have been arranged. Preaching services have been planned for each night of the week preceding Easter. The public is invited to all these services.

Next Sunday's sermons will be the morning hour, Our Guide and Our Goal in Christian Service; at the evening hour, Deadwood, or, One of the Sins That Crucified Jesus." Are these same sins being committed today, and if so by whom? Let's think it over, Rev. J. C. Mann, said.

"If your duty does not call you elsewhere, you are cordially invited to all services at the Methodist Church," the Methodist pastor announced.

T. D. LITTLE UNOPPOSED FOR CITY COUNCIL POST

Two elections are docketed for local citizens next week. The city election, at which there will be but one candidate—T. D. Little for reelection as Alderman—is called Tuesday. The school trustees election, is set Saturday of next week.

New Kidneys

Trade your neglected, tired and old kidneys for new ones. You would avoid Night Rising, Nervousness, Headaches, Burning, Itching and Urinary Disorders, etc. Must fix you up. (S-text). Must fix you up. (S-text). At all drugists.

C. R. COOKS BUYS HOME IN EAST PART OF TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cook and family are moving this week into the residence, first door East of Dr. John Rumph, formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Farr and family. Mr. and Mrs. Cook announce the purchase of the place from "Uncle" Charles Neeb.

BRIAN BENNETT, FONIA WORTHY NOW PARTNERS

Brian Bennett, well known throughout this area as a stellar baseball pitcher of a number of years ago, and recently of Paducah, has moved to Cross Plains and is now associated with Fonia Worthy in the Main Street Conoco Station here.

Hulan and Alton Barr and Edwin Baum, Jr. were in Fort Worth over the week end, where they attended the Fat Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Westerman and Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth last week.

Stanley Clark, Lindsey Tyson, Bill Calhoun went fishing near San Saba last week.

NOTICE

I have opened a Produce House in the Porter J. Davis building on South Main Street. Will pay highest cash prices at all times for your poultry, eggs, and cream.

Come, see me when you have produce to sell.

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C. E. Robertson, Mgr.

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ARE YOU PROUD TO SAY "MY HOME TOWN"?

Chambers of Commerce, Lions, Kiwanas, Rotary clubs and booster organizations of all types have played their parts in establishing reputations for the various cities in which they are located, but few or any of them has done as much as Cross Plains has a chance to do without the assistance of any organization. Of course, you are already wondering, what thing that Cross Plains could do to gain such prominence and distinction.

It is merely this: we could make our town favorably known throughout the length and breadth of Texas by merely being a little more civic minded in beautifying the roads leading into town and cleaning and improving our premises. Think how beautiful our city might be if all trees along highway 206—in the city limits—were white washed, pruned, and a few rose gardens planted at intermittent distances. Cross Plains has the natural possibilities to make a beautiful little city. The approach from all directions is attractive, but not enough to cause more than a passing word of favor.

But suppose we were to start in at the City Park—on the West—with a program of white washing tree bases, sawing away the dead and ugly branches, planting a few rose gardens on the barren spots; then continue on through the town and out the highway Eastward? Would not this be a beautiful little city; the kind you would be proud to call "my home town"?

The expense of such a plan would be nominal. C.W.A. labor might even be used.

When this plan had been fully worked out, it would be wise to have a city-wide clean up day. Not merely the kind where the Mayor issues a proclamation calling upon citizens to cooperate and where everyone reads it and then forgets all about it, but a good old fashion clean-up-day, where lawns are mowed, trash hauled away and burned, perhaps a few homes and fences painted. You've really got to have an imagination to conceive how beautiful Cross Plains might be, if merely these inexpensive, practical ideas were put into effect.

Installment Buying

It is easy to recall when, during the early months of the depression, some citizens placed the blame for it on installment buying. They contended that by this plan the buying public had contracted heavier obligations than they could meet, and that the crash was bound to come.

Now comes interesting proof of their mistake. Business reports for the past year show that installment buying reached the record total of

1929, when the volume amounted to more than six billion dollars. Evidently the buying public is still satisfied with the plan, else they would not have returned to it the moment money commenced to flow again and they found themselves again able to buy. In a canvass of Cross Plains you can find some who condemn installment buying, but you will also find just as many to endorse it. That the great majority of people can be depended upon to buy only what they need, and what they can pay for, is a recognized fact. This fact, and the system which sellers have for safeguarding credit accounts, seems to give assurance of the dependability and service of installment buying.

If you cannot pay spot cash for that which you need for your comfort and convenience, then you can and will use your credit. Doing without when there is a way to have the things you actually need, and a clear way to pay for them, is not justified. So long as you keep your credit good, and you do not buy unwisely, it makes little difference how you pay for it.

HOME DEMONSTRATION NOTES

By Miss Vida Moore
County H. D. Agent

"My new clothes closet has cost me about 85¢ for tacks, nails, and material for a frame," says Miss Juanita Holloway, Wardrobe Demonstrator for the Rowden Home Demonstration Club. The frame was made of 1x2 in. blind stops and covered with lardboard boxes, being used to make a double wall. Paper that was used to finish the inside and outside of the closet.

The closet is 28 inches wide, 50 inches long and extends to the ceiling. A rod for supporting cloth hangers was made from the radius rod of an old car. Three shelves on one side are used as a shoe rack a compartment above the closet is used for storing quilts.

"I have planted vegetables to completely fill my food budget and am planning to have an extra amount on hand," says Mrs. Nollie Smart, Farm Food Supply Co-operator for the Admiral Home Demonstration Club.

Garden greens are favorites of Mrs. Smart's family and she has spinach, mustard, turnips, swiss chard, lettuce and tender greens planted. Even in last years drouth Mrs. Smart raised more spinach than she could use, fresh—but she plans to can all the surplus vegetables grown this year.

"By planting vegetables and especially the green leafy ones, a week or two apart, it will be possible for the family to have a good supply of greens all summer," says Mrs. G. W. Brock of the Clyde Helping Hand Club. Mrs. Brock has a garden plot 45 x 90 feet and is laying tile to completely sub-irrigate it. Wood ashes have been added as a fertilizer.

"I hope to learn more about

THE BOOK

the first line of which reads, "The Holy Bible," and which contains Four Great Treasures

by BRUCE BARTON

ONLY God did not forget Joseph, and his dreams, which had been the original cause of his trouble, were finally to bring him release and success. In a previous chapter we have recalled the famous dream of Pharaoh and how, by its interpretation, Joseph was able to organize the food supplies of Egypt so that the abundant harvests of seven years were stored away against the famine of the succeeding seven years.

All other lands were desolate, including the land where his father and guilty brothers dwelt, and at length the brothers are forced to go to Egypt to buy corn; they open negotiations with Egypt's great official.

And Joseph knew his brethren, but they knew him not.

His hour of revenge had come. For several days he kept them guessing. He locked them up and after their release kept Simeon a sa hostage until they should return and bring their little brother Benjamin with them. They promised, and started off. Imagine their surprise when they opened their sacks to find not merely corn they had come to purchase but the money which they had come to purchase but the money which they had given in payment. They hurried on to Jacob, their father, and told him how the governor had received them and of his demand that they should bring little Benjamin when they came again. How they went again to Joseph, still without recognizing him; how they were received and entertained at his palace; the trick he played upon them to test their love for little Benjamin and so stir up the memory of their different treatment of the other little brother whom they supposed they had killed.

So came the people of Israel into Egypt, saved by Joseph, whose name was potent enough to secure protection and provender for them, and for four generations.

And the children of Israel were fruitful, and increased abundantly, and multiplied, and waxed mighty; and the land was filled with them.

Now there arose up a new king over Egypt, which knew not Joseph.

A new king, a new crisis, a new hero to meet the crisis; the next great character of the Old Testament, Moses. It was his part to take the children of Israel out of Egypt, as it had been the work of Joseph to save their lives by getting them in. And when the day of deliverance arrived, and they marched forth into freedom and the wilderness, the procession was led by the bones of Joseph.

And Moses took the bones of Joseph with him: for he had straitly sworn the children of Israel, saying, God will surely visit you (he was a dreamer you see, to the end); and ye shall carry up my bones away hence with you.

gardening, canning and the preparation and serving of vegetables in my club work", says Miss Ovena Bladock, 4-H pantry demonstrator for the Clyde 4-H girls club. Ovena is making her garden with her mother and is sharing the work too. She plans to can at least 200 containers of food by herself and to learn the method of conserving all fruits, vegetables and meats.

BURKETT

Sarah Mae Hounshell
Mrs. T. A. Burns was a Rising Star visitor Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burkett

and Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wesley were in Ballinger on business Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Brown and little daughter, Joe Ann spent Sunday in Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Thate of Santa Anna were Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Roberts.

Lew Fuston of Strawn was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Henderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Evans and children of Oplin were Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Evans and family.

Mrs. Romie Wilson and daughter Romadelle of Albany spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. G. W.

Ramsey and children.

Earl Brown, Ben Wooten, and Ben Strickland were in Baird on business Monday.

Seth Burkett happened to the misfortune of getting his finger cut off in a planter.

The Burkett High School has ricket High School won the volly ball championship Saturday at the Coleman High School court.

Thirteen teams were entered. The girls first match was with Buffalo and the Buffalo girls were defeated in two games 15-10 and 15-8.

The Burkett High School have a fine record and we are very proud of them. The volly ball team consists of:

Eula Mae Burkett, Iwarney Walker, Oleta Thate, Evalyn Williams,

Marie Brown, Lois Martin, Jo Ella Henderson, Leota Moore, Ann Golsen, Irma Dell Harwell, Estelen Wooten and Virginia Gray.

Dr. M. G. Walker was notified Tuesday morning of the death of his son, Austin Walker of Big Springs. Funeral services were held Wednesday at Big Springs.

Misses Betty and Estelene Wooten spent Sunday in Cross Cut with relatives and friends.

Mrs. F. B. Porter is spending this week in Brownwood with Mr. and Baxter Porter.

The Boy Scouts of troop 29 are building a log cabin on the Bayou on the Wagner property. The expect to complete it before school is out.

The Scouts of Troop No. 14, Coleman, are expected to come out

Thursday night to aid our boys in passing some second class tests.

Miss Guida Casey spent the week end in Santa Anna with Mr. and Mrs. Kit Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sheffield and daughter, J. Y. spent Sunday in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lucas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burns, and daughter, Wanda Jean and Miss Theda Evans spent Saturday in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Nickelson and children of Novice spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wesley and Miss Ila Wesley accompanied them home for a short visit.

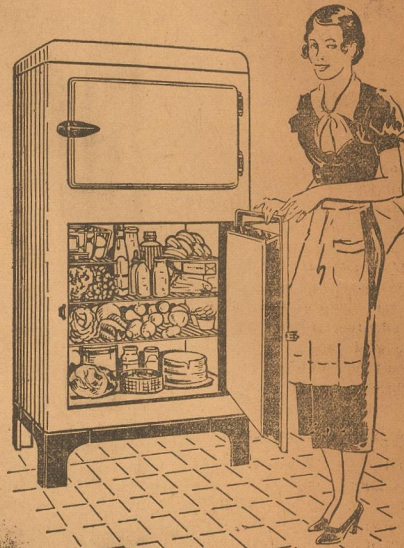
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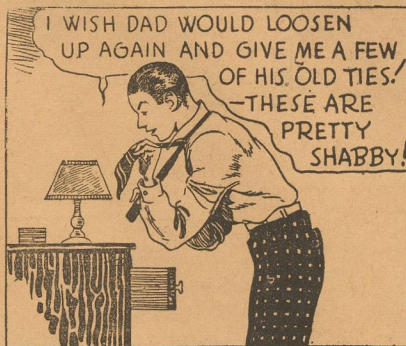
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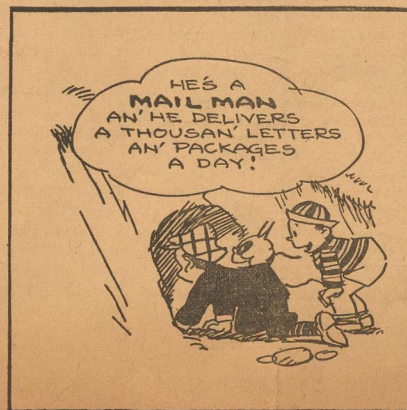
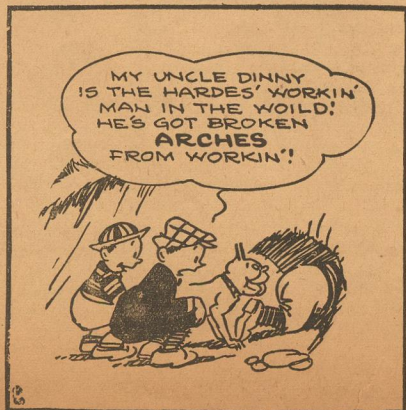
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SLUMBERING GOLD

By Aubrey Boyd

Seventh Installment

SYNOPSIS: Strange friends they were—young Ed Maitland, whose fathers had followed the sea from New England, but who had started north to make his fortune when the first news of the Yukon gold find in '97 found him stranded on the Pacific coast; and Speed Malone, who told little enough of his past but admitted to a knowledge of all the gold camps. With ten dollars—half of Maitland's total wealth—Speed gets into a game of Solo, and seems to be winning.

The shell dealer, whose eyes had never left Speed's face, rived into the crowd. No one else saw the lightning gesture with which the outlaw jerked his guns. There was a glint in both his hands a split fraction of a second before the forty-fives flashed and roared and spoke again. Fallon's weapons had hardly shifted when they were wrecked in their holsters. The third shot knocked the cigar from his mouth, and the fourth went sideways at another mark on the near edge of the gaming table, where a man who had drawn at the same time as Fallon, dropped his gun from a nerveless hand, his wrist streaming blood.

Speed backed away, eyes raking the crowd, guns held close and ready.

"I told you I wasn't patient, and I ain't," he said, in a voice Maitland never had heard. "But bein' elected camp boss on a platform of cussedness, I accept accordin'. Nothin' on legs will cross Porcupine Bridge till the trail from here to there is in shape, and in good shape. The trail is barred for four days work. If anyone doubts about my havin' the guts to make that good, they can signify their views here and now by sayin' liar and coyote."

It was the third evening after the barring of the trail. Maitland and his partner talking along with Brent near a roughly bridged crossing at the upper end of the road work, which a landslide that day had interrupted.

During three days, new steamers had been pouring into Skagway a mob of adventurers—"Sweepings" of the Coast towns as well as bona fide prospectors who knew nothing of the cause of the dispute and cared less. Fallon had been packing them in at Liarville to vote the trail open; had chosen a posse of gunmen in advance from among the wildest. Before this gathering threat most of the trail workers had given way.

"They's a short string of us will go the limit, if you want to," Brent was saying.

Speed shook his head. "It wouldn't be no kind of a break for the boys who made this trail to get

hung for it. Tell them—to pick up their tools, leave her open and stand clear."

"I've got an old deer gun back to camp," Brent shifted the quid slowly in his cheek. "She ain't seed no real action since she fit a string of hide thieves from a buffalo waller away back in '71. I'd ruther shoot her out than see you called that way."

There was acknowledgement in Speed's smile, but he declined the proposal, and the old-timer gloomily withdrew to carry his decision to the few men who were still waiting for it.

"Better trail w ith him, Bud," Speed said to his partner, "and look up Garnet. We ain't seen him for two days."

"What are you going to do?" Maitland asked, with a foreboding that Speed had not disclosed his real intention.

"We agreed once," said the out-

Garnet as your chance of gettin' there —"

But there is no law, East or West, and no tie as strong as that which binds a man to a partner against fighting odds, and with Maitland the bond had been steel-woven by the memory of a bleak day in the Sound. Speed here found himself opposing something as elemental as his own refusal to yield.

The creek had a glacial canyon, with smooth rock faces in the bed and a timber growth that started well up on the steep banks. Above a defile connecting with the bridge there was a rocky bluff which commanded a long view of the canyon and of the trail along the rim. Its weakness lay in a broken gulch that fell from it into the creek on the north side, and its possible exposure to gunfire from the hills on the other bank. It would be difficult to take, however, on the side



Suddenly a bullet went "spang" over the rampart.

law, after a pause, "that I'd warn you and we'd split partners if I ever went up against the Law. Seems like I've reached that junction, Bud. I'm into this play neck deep and I can't quit."

Maitland gave a sober nod of half-comprehension.

"It's only my hand Fallon's callin'," Speed explained earnestly and with more emphasis. "He'll head through here, first with his shebang, and either he don't cross this bridge, or I don't live to see it. But he has the backin' of the miners' law, or will have, by sun-up."

"Mob Law," Maitland amended. "If you don't see your way to quit, Speed, you can't count me out. On principle, I'd—"

The Westerner groaned. "You ornery down-East Yanks, with your principles and proverbs—Listen, Bud. Whether I ever reach Dawson or not don't matter a whole lot; with you it's different. It's what you come for. I've figured

facin' the trail.

Here, within a rock corral, some goods lay stacked; provisions, a water canteen, several boxes of shells and a forty-four Winchester carbine. The outlaw had evidently foreseen what was coming.

During supper he was broodingly quiet. A blood-red moon was rising through the timber. It lighted the mountain headlands, and left vast deep shadows, made more tenuous by the occasional howl of a timber wolf, a lynx's shrill bark, or the hoot of an owl. He picked up the carbine, his eyes on something invisible to Maitland, far up the trail. But presently he set the gun down. "That's Pete's mare," he said.

A blurred shape moved in the distant timber shadows. When it crossed a lane of moonlight, Maitland recognized the mare and the boy. Guided by a sight as keen as Speed's, Pete came toward them as they descended the bluff. There was something gallant and fine Maitland, thought, about that slight, boyish figure.

On meeting them, Pete gave him a reserved nod; glanced from the bluff to the across the canyon, and spoke to Speed. "Need an exter gun hand?"

"I got one too many now," Speed muttered.

"Then, will you let me go through? I could ford the creek," Pete pleaded simply. "That wouldn't be 'crossin' it on legs."

Speed's eyes rested on the mare's light saddle pack, and then on the boy's face, which looked pale in the half-darkness. "Headin' for Bennett alone?" he asked.

Pete nodded. "My partner—Bill's dead."

The words gave Maitland a peculiar shock. "How?" Speed asked softly.

"He was in a game—in Skagway—with some of Fallon's men. Lost his outfit. H'd been drinking. They found him on the beach—afterwards—drowned."

Speed did not speak for a moment. Then he said, "How do you aim to make out, kid?"

"There's a man in the Yukon Bill was to meet on the lakes," Pete said hesitantly. "I'm going up to find him. If I don't see you boys again—" the formal tone broke slightly—"I'm wishing you luck—"

He was in the saddle and away. The mare shot down the defile at a headlong gallop, took the full span of the bridge in a beautiful leap, and flashed up the hill on the

other side into timber.

A half mile to the south the trail came in view over a timbered mountain shoulder. In the rising sun, the trees cast long shadows across it, and it was a flickering in the rosy aisles between them that gave the signal.

A team of gray mules topped the rise, shielding the men behind. Other pack animals followed, and their drivers gathered on the vantage ground, peering down the long vista toward the creek crossing.

There was a puff of smoke; a bullet screamed over the bluff through the morning silence; then came the sharp rifle crack. Out of the blue canyon mist, a great-winged golden eagle rose and soared away.

"We're jake so long as they keep in the creek," said Speed. "She flattens out short of the bridge—Unless they can dig past under the near bank. Watch that gully, Bud." He drew the six-shooters from his belt and inspected them; then raised his head carefully above the rim of the rock corral to get a steeper view.

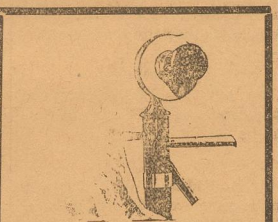
His eye raked the canyon below for a glimpse of Fallon. Suddenly a bullet went "spang" over the rampart, and he slid back with a grunt, shaking away the blood that oozed from a raw seam above his temple. Smoke was swirling out of some brush a few yards below the point where the trail reached the creek bottom.

"Nobody lied," said Speed, as he tore a handkerchief and tied it round the wound, "when they said this man Fallon could shoot. But I got him placed now."

Changing his position, he edged along the boulders till he touched the outer rim. A bullet hissed between his neck and the rock, with a glancing spark. Speed wheeled out and fired in the same instant.

"Nicked his gun arm," he said, as he whipped back into shelter. "Fallon shoots best left-handed. Watch your gulch, Bud."

Whispers of smoke eddied out from various points high in the timber. The men who had started the ascent, paused irresolutely. These shots from above came as a surprise, throwing a new and disturbing factor into their plan. They suspected that Speed had planted



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a guard on the hill to protect the bluff, and they had no way of guessing its strength. Finally they dropped back into the canyon to consult, it seemed, with their leader.

"You haven't any men up on that hill?" Maitland asked Speed.

Speed's grin was mysterious. "Ain't I, though. I got one, and he's as good as a gang. The little devil had it all figured when he crossed the bridge."

"Pete!" Maitland exclaimed. But their attention was now summoned back to the posse. They caught a glimpse of Fallon with his arm in a bandage, giving orders.

Until now Speed had contented himself mainly with making the trail impassable. Now he shot with a searching intent to kill, hoping the while that Pete would vacate his position. But the gun kept speaking on the hill; the boy was standing his ground. After the first few yards of ascent, the timber on the near bank offered the attackers a helpful screen. Speed's eye came back to the boulders on the other side of the creek. If he could reach these, he could sweep a wider arc of hill, with no impeding trees.

He was gathering up the ammunition to make this desperate move when a sudden din from below stopped him. Maitland, from his lookout!

The deep voice of a heavy-calibered gun was booming and reverberating through the canyon. It had halted the men on the hill, who now answered it by pouring a hot fire into the creek. Bullets were splashing like rain around a wiry, gray-headed figure who was fording the creek through a blue smoke haze, toward the boulders Speed had in view. Coolly munching a large tobacco wad, he returned the broadside a she went, without haste, but with terrible effect.

"By Ginger!" cried Speed. "It's Brent's deer gun. And ain't she a talkin'!"

At this point there was a wavering in the rear of the crowd. A hum ran electrically down the pack train, and Fallon summoned back his men with an exultant shout. The crowd spread out to gove way to a cavalcade coming down the trail.

"Soldiers?" Maitland asked in wonder.

Continued Next Week

Sheriff's Sale

The State of Texas, County of Callahan.

WHEREAS, by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the District court of Callahan County, Texas, on the 18th, day of March, A. D. 1935, wherein C. W. Logsdon is Plaintiff, and A. B. Smothers, Amanda Ward and the Unknown heirs of said Amanda Ward and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said Amanda Ward are defendants on a judgment rendered in said court against said Defendant and in favor of the Plaintiff, for the sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Twenty Three and 80/100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum, from date of judgment together with all costs of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1935, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the Court House door of said County, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of A. B. Smothers, Amanda Ward and the unknown heirs of Amanda Ward and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said Amanda Ward, upon, to-wit: SITUATED in Callahan County, Texas, and being described in two tracts as follows: FIRST TRACT: The North 50 acres of the West one-half of the Northeast one fourth of Section No. 33, Lunatic Asylum land, patented to A. F. Jones, assignee of J. H. Davis, by Patent No. 9, Vol. 3, dated November 22, 1905, and being described by metes and bounds as follows: BEGINNING at a point 475 vrs. West of the Northeast corner of said Northeast quarter; Thence South 593—68 varas to corner; Thence West 475 varas to the West line of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of said Northeast quarter; Thence North 593—68 varas; Thence East 475 varas to the place of beginning.

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YOU CAN BANK ON THIS

By C. C. NEEB

THERE ARE STARS OUT IN SPACE SO LARGE THAT THEY COULD NOT PASS BETWEEN US AND THE SUN—THEIR DIAMETERS EXCEED 93,000,000 MILES

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This institution always strives to do its part in the development of our territory. We have done this by ever striving to keep our banking service modern in every way, rendering to patrons and depositors all the aid which sound business warranted. If we can serve you in financial matters please feel free to call upon us.

CITIZENS STATE BANK



The Bison

NEWS OF CROSS PLAINS
HIGH SCHOOL

Editor: JIMMIE SETTLE Staff: Entire Student Body

One Act Play Off For District Meet

The one act play cast went to Breckenridge today to enter in the Interscholastic League District meet contest for one act plays.

This play in under the supervision of Miss Navalyn Price. The characters in the play are: Ella, played by Jennie Laura Jackson, Mrs. Joplin—by Dixie Little, Ed—Jimmie Settle, and the Stranger by Melvin Placke.

These students have been working with Miss Price for sometime on this play and we are hoping it will win a place in the District meet.

Cross Plains Places Second In Meet

The track meet was won by Baird with Cross Plains second and Clyde third.

Nearly all of the events Saturday were taken by Baird. Cross Plains took four first places in literary events Friday night.

Baird ran away with the track and field division of the meet. Cross Plains, along with Putnam and Clyde shared most of the other events.

Boys tennis division was won by Clyde and the girls by Baird and Cross Plains.

Cross Plains is starting now in preparing for he track meet next year, which we are planing to win.

Pokes and Jokes

Author Unknown

That one-eyed V-8 Ford has been going West lately and it looks as though the driver has finally beat a certain Seniors time. Well, better luck next time senior.

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Bert Lusk almost made a nite of it down at Cottonwood Saturday nite and when he did get back he was still so thrilled with the adventure that he went straight home and left Jimmie to walk in. Was Jimmie mortified!

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Darrel Shufford, another Cottonwood visitor, also came home the other night with a small basketball. Oh well, I guess Darrel is just another one of those "pick pockets."

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For a bunch of blistered faces you must visit the Senior home room sometime and a good look at Rosalea, Helen, Cheryl, and Bobbie. Their faces are about the color of ripe tomatoes. You girls had better wear bonnets to next track meet you attend.

WHO'S WHO

Doris Westerman

Doris has been a prominent member of Cross Plains High School, for the last four years. She graduated with honors from Ranger Grammar School in 1931.

She was a member of the Cross Plains High School girls debate team in 1934. She will graduate this year with the possible honors of valedictorian or solutorian.

After graduation she plans to enter some good college and become a novelist or a school teacher. Doris, here is luck to you.

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Louise Nelson

Miss Nelson came to Cross Plains High School in the fall of 1933.

She was elected as sponsor of the Junior class and everyone liked her and waited her for the Senior sponsor.

Miss Nelson is not only sponsor of the Senior class, nor teacher of Spanish, but she is also the pep squad sponsor.

Under the two years supervision

of Miss Nelson the pep squad has gone over in a big way. In 1933, they yelled the Buffs into a bi-district championship. Miss Nelson was always three and yelling.

She had over forty members in the pep squad this year.

Miss Nelson is always willing to do her part in any way to help the senior class. She gives them parties, picnics, and helps them sponsor any kind of athletics that will help them.

The Senior class is planning a trip to Carlsbad Cavern in the near future, and it is under Miss Nelson's work that this trip will be made possible.

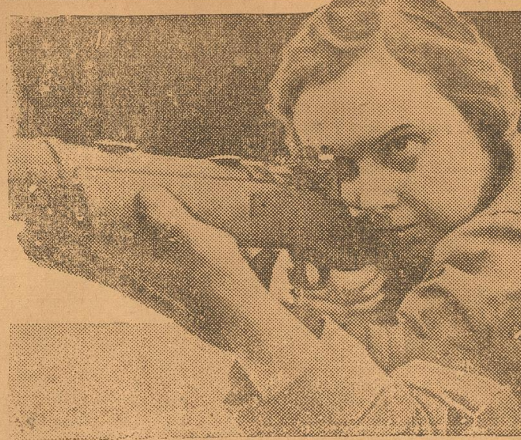
Miss Nelson's home is in West Texas at the little town of Meadow.

(We do not know how old she is)

She is a graduate from A.C.C.

At college she was liked by everyone, and every day she has been in C.P.H.S. she has been liked better. We hope that she sticks around many more years and that some other Senior class will be as lucky as we are.

Expect 'Mystery Plane' To Find Hawii Western Girl Sets Great Rifle



Seattle—Miss Shirley Frazer, co-ed at the University of Washington, missed by one shot the all time record in rifle shooting to become 1935 champion. She shot six rounds 100 shots as follows: 100, 100, 100, 99, 99, 100, or, 598 out of a possible 600.

Sport News

By Jay Mayes

For the first time in five years Cross Plains Schools have lost the County Track Meet. However, competition was stronger this year than ever before in history of meets. Baird was victorious and CPHS won second place, with Putnam third, and Clyde fourth. Baird received 157 points, Cross Plains 107 and Putnam 102 and Clyde 100½.

The Senior track won third place in track and field events, but the Juniors boys won first place in their division by a wide margin. Childs, Ray, and Usery took second third, and fourth places in all sprints in order named. Their relay team won first place. Those on this team are: Hemphill, Huntington, Ray, and Childs. Childs won first place in chinning the bar with a new record of 47. Ray won third in broad jump and Hemphill won fourth in high jump. Their time was not available Tuesday.

In Senior track and field events only one record was broken. Bryant, Baird, won first place with a record of 10.1.

The record for the last few years are:

- 120 yd. high hurdles 18.5
- 1932 Duncan, Baird
- 100 yd. dash 10.1
- 1935 Bryant, Baird
- 880 yd. dash 2:05
- 1933 Chrisman, Baird
- 220 yd low hurdles .27
- 1932 Walker, and Spencer CPHS
- 440 yd dash 52.8
- 1933 Melton, Baird
- 22 yd dash 23.6
- 1933 Melton, Baird
- Mile Run 5.05
- 1933 Payne, CPHS
- Mile Relay 3.39.6
- 1934 Baird
- Pole Vault 11 ft.
- 1933 Atchison, Baird
- Broad Jump, 20 ft 4 in..

HINTS TO THE BOOKLOVER

There is one type of book that most of us fail to read enough of, and that is poetry. Most of us prefer novels to poetry, simply because poetry is a little harder to read. There is just as much story and entertainment in reading poetry as there is in fiction. There are a great many books of poems by our famous poets such as collected poems by John Mansfield, poems by Edna St. Vincent, Millay, poems by Hart Coane and numerous other outstanding poets.

Some of our greatest writers have been poets for this reason to be considered educated one should read poetry.

CLASSIFIED ADS

City Floral Nursery announces the sale of certified plants: tomatoes, cabbage and peppers by the dozen or 1,000. Special price on large orders. Pot plants, cuttings and small plants.

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New Car Registrations In County Since First of Year Through Middle of March.

2-28-35 W. M. Smith, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Company	35 V-8 Tudor
2-25-35 V. A. Montgomery, Cross Plains, Anderson Chev. Co.	35 Chev. Truck
2-25-35 O. E. Adams, Cross Plains, Anderson Chev. Co.	35 Chev. Truck
2-9-35 J. F. Morgan, Cross Plains, Calhoun Motor Co.	35 Plymouth
2-2-35 Clyde Thate, Burkett, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
2-18-35 Frank Adams, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
2-11-35 Jesse Brown, Cross Plains, Anderson Chev. Co.	35 Chev. Truck
2-9-35 Vernon Lane, Cross Plains, Anderson Motor Co.	35 Chev. Truck
3-9-35 Jesse McAdams, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Fordor
3-7-35 W. M. Weiler, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
3-6-35 Don F. McCall, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Truck
3-4-35 Arcadia Refining Co., Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Pick
3-4-35 Arcadia Reining Company, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
3-2-35 W. S. Ramsey, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
3-1-35 J. G. Weiler, Cross Plains, Calhoun Motor Co.	35 Plymouth
3-15-35 Anderson Brewery Corp., Cisco, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Truck
3-18-35 Ross B. Jenkins, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
3-18-35 Capitan Oil Corp., Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
3-18-35 B. R. Blankenship, Baird, Wooten Motor Company	35 V-8 Tudor
3-10-35 R. L. Edwards, Baird, Ray Motor Company	35 Chev. Coach
3-13-35 Farris Bennett, Baird, Allison Motor Co.	35 Dodge Pick
3-13-35 V. D. Reeves, Baird, Wooten Motor Company	35 V-8 Tudor
3-12-35 Kyle Ellington, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Deluxe
2-9-35 Jesse McIntosh, Clyde, Ray Motor Co.	35 Chev. Coupe
3-9-35 Mrs. J. B. Cutbirth, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Fordor
3-6-35 J. C. Belue, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Fordor
3-5-35 Drew Beam, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Truck
3-5-35 W. R. Cook, Clyde, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Sedan
3-5-35 J. B. Pitzer, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
3-4-35 R. E. Mayfield, Baird, Ray Motor Co.	35 Chev. Sedan
3-2-35 M. M. Edwards, Clyde, Ray Motor Co.	35 Chev. Coupe
3-1-35 Dick Young, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Coupe
2-28-35 H. R. Kendrick, Clyde, Graves Garage., Tuscolo.	35 Plymouth
2-26-35 G. T. Jones, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
2-23-35 Vance H. Cowan, Baird, Ray Motor Co.	35 Chev. Sedan
3-16-35 Capt. Build. Loan Assn., Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
2-19-35 C. C. Reed, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
2-14-35 C. C. Dodson, Cross Plains, Street Motor Co.	35 Pontiac
2-16-35 M. V. Tiekner, Cisco, Ray Motor Co.	35 Chevrolet
2-15-35 E. H. Simons, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Coupe
2-15-35 George N. Nitschki, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
2-11-35 Carl Rose, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Truck
2-11-35 Wylie L. Caffie, Abilene, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
2-9-35 V. A. Lane, Cross Plains, Anderson Motor Co.	35 Chev. Truck
2-5-35 H. A. Swan, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
1-28-35 L. A. Ingeram, Baird, Ray Motor Co.	35 Chev. Sedan
1-26-35 W. E. Browning, Cross Plains, Anderson Chev. Co.	35 Chev. Coach
1-26-35 Dr. J. B. Bailey, Clyde, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Coupe
1-26-35 H. W. Martin, Baird, Ray Motor Company	35 Chev. Sedan
1-24-35 Canyon Oil & Gas Co., Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Truck
1-24-35 L. P. Foster, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Coupe
1-21-35 George Martin, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Coupe
1-19-35 J. A. Meadows, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
1-19-35 H. C. Gentry, Baird, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
1-19-35 Mildred Butler, Clyde, Wooten Motor Co.	35 V-8 Coupe
1-1-35 Premier Oil & Refining Co., Baird, Ray Motor Co.	35 Chev. Pick
1-11-35 J. E. Bullock, Laird, Ray Motor Co.	35 Chev. Coach
1-10-35 A. A. Beekman, Cross Plains, McAdams Motor Co.	35 V-8 Tudor
1-10-35 H. P. McGentry, Clyde, Wooten Motor Company	35 V-8 Coupe

PROFESSIONAL CALENDAR

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Cross Plains, Texas

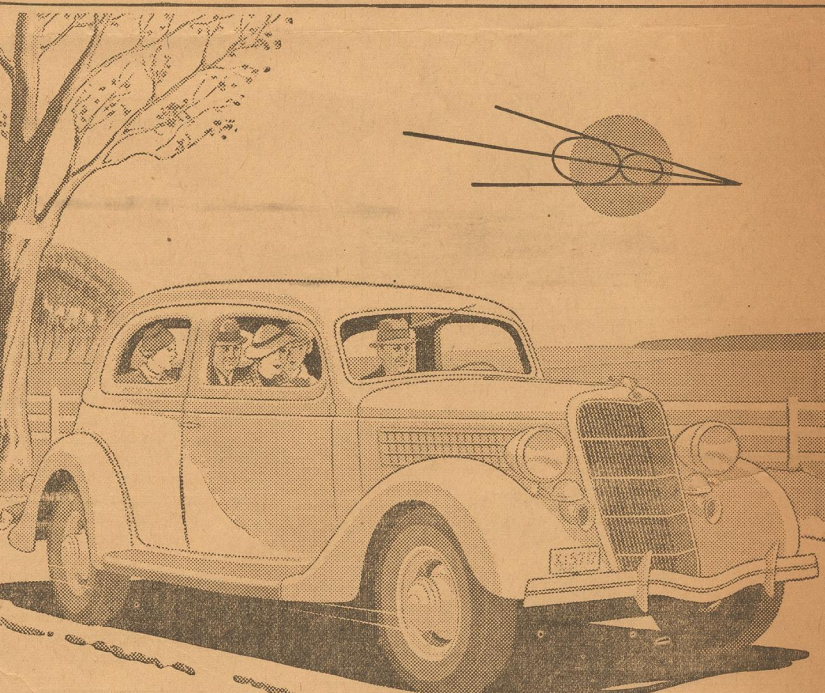
Dr. J. H. McGowen
Office, Farmers National Bank Bldg.
DENTIST—X-RAY

V. C. Walker
Mortician
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Funeral notices are something of which none of us wish to think, and as a result they are often forgotten with the funeral arrangements. It is an item that should not be overlooked.

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Table listing various food items and their prices, including Plums, Sugar, Flour, and Potatoes.

Items of Interest From COUNTY AGENT'S OFFICE

By Ross B. Jenkins

Sweet Potato Production

During the past week there has been quite a bit of discussion concerning the best ways of planting...

Some highlights from the past weeks discussion are: The best seed or plants are those from Hill Selected potatoes...

The sweet potato should not be planted on beds less than 4 feet apart and should be put 14 inches apart in the drill...

The beds should be thrown up as high as is possible to get them with a lister. Potatoes should never be put out on level soil...

Potatoes are most often dug too soon in this section. They should stay in the ground until frost and should frost fall on them...

It is being planned to cure the crop this fall and sell on the late winter or spring market.

Meet Mr. Summer at Clyde Saturday afternoon March 30th for a full discussion. Our Slogan is "Make Callahan County the Largest Sweet Potato Producer in Texas."

Contracted Acres May Be Planted To Maize, Hegari, Fetereta, And Sorghums

The rented acres may be safely planted to maize and headed, fetereta, hegari, sorghums, peas, sudan grass, or any crop that is not a commodity if such food and feed crops are needed beyond the other feed crops...

On lands that have been frozen out in wheat this year, it is permissible to plant any crop for sale on those lands provided some other contract is not violated.

This liberal concession should help many farmers in Callahan.

Some people are confused relative to the two bale cotton exemption. The new ruling provides that if the land had a history of as much as two bales, that much would be no tax free cotton this year, under this rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvall Reece and children from Seranton.

LOST: Tarpoleon for truck, somewhere between Pioneer and Cross Plains, reward will be paid finder, by Elkins & Co. Rising Star.

COTTONWOOD

Mrs. Edra Hornbuckle and baby of South Texas is visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell.

Rev. Ross Respass filled his regular appointment at Pueblo Sunday he was accompanied by Mrs. Respass and Patsy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Elliott and family visited in Cross Plains Sunday.

Misses Mozelle McElroy, Kat Champion, Minnie Coppinger, Myerl Forbes, Winnie Coppinger, Agnes Varner and Mrs. Olla Coffey attended the show in Cross Plains Wednesday night.

Mrs. Verma Mae Ramsey and Barbara Jean of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Missouri Ramsey Tuesday.

Mrs. Etta Mitchell of Baird spent last week end with Eunice Hembree.

Freddie Farmer and Neel Norred of Putnam were business visitors here Tuesday.

Stanley Coppinger attended the Stock Show at Fort Worth past week end.

Mrs. J. A. Joy received a message Tuesday of the death of her brother at Whon, Texas.

The Quarterly Conference at the Methodist Church Sunday was enjoyed by all present presiding Elder Curry preached at the eleven o'clock hour, there were representatives from all the churches on the charge.

The play entitled "The Wren" will be presented by the Kottonwood Comedy Klub next Friday night, March 29th, at auditorium admission 10 and 15 cents.

Miss Juanell Sparks and Stanley Coppinger visited Rickey and Dan Mitchell at Baird Saturday.

ATWELL

Singing Sunday night was well attended. Several visitors were present. Mr. Henry Purvis and Mr. Wright, from Cisco, were among the visitors.

Mr. Mack Howell and son from Littlefield are visiting Mr. Howells sister, Mrs. Sessions this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Foster are the happy parents of a baby boy, born March 19th. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Dennis Hayes and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson and Frank Hayes from Dallas visited O. A. Blakemans' Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Payne from Union visited Mrs. Paynes father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Sunday.

A surprise birthday dinner was given at J. C. Brashear's Sunday in honor of Mr. G. T. Brashear and son, J. C. as both had a birthday in March. Thirty two were present.

Those present from off were Mr. and Mrs. Harvy Gilbert, daughter, Teddy and son Eldon, also Paul Brashear from San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Pinnel Margil and Warren Elliott from Moran. Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Cook and children from Ranger.

Battery ReCharging Starter and Generator Service Bennett & Worthy

When Your Head Feels "Stuffy" . .

Advertisement for Vicks Vapo-Rol featuring an image of the product and text describing its benefits for colds and allergies.

CORRECTION In the March 15 issue of the Review a line in the article stating that April first is the last day to purchase automobile "tags", a line was transposed which caused the items to read incorrectly. The story should have been as follows: April first is the deadline to buy auto "tags" as the fiscal year ends at midnight that day. Any vehicle driven on public highways is subject to a 20 percent penalty. Vernon R. King, Tax Collector and Assessor, urged that motorists not wait until the last day to purchase their license plates, as to do so will perhaps cause delay in being waited on. He also asked that motorists bring last year registration and transfer receipts to hasten registration details. "This information", the Tax Assessor and Collector said, "is intended to be of benefit to those who might not know the new laws regarding registration for this year."

SING SING NIGHTS IS SHOW CARD WEDNESDAY

Berton Churchill, the beloved deacon of "Alias the Deacon", which ran on Broadway for over two years, comes to the screen of the Liberty Theatre, Wednesday, in an important role in Monogram's "Sing Sing Nights" which stars Conway Tearle.

Born in Toronto, Canada; Churchill preceded his entrance on the stage with two years as a printer's devil, a year's study of law in a New York law school, and five years as a member of the Board of Speakers in the same city.

His spell-binding ability while addressing assemblies gave him the idea of embarking upon a stage career and he made his first professional appearance with the American Stock Co.

He is by no means a newcomer to the screen, having made his cinema debut over 10 years ago in "Tongues Aflame".

"Sing Sing Nights" directed by Lew Collins, offers Churchill in the role of Governor of the state who has the fates of three men in his hands, knowing that only one of them is guilty of the murder for which the three are to be executed. An ingenious method is provided in establishing the guilty party, thus enabling the others to be given their freedom.

FROM MOVIE WEDDING TO HER OWN ON SAME DAY ELIZABETH YOUNG'S RECORD

They have to know how to "act" in Hollywood. The ability is expected of the older troupers but the youngsters can not always comply. "There's Always Tomorrow" which opens Sunday at the Liberty theatre was in its last days of filming at Universal Studios. Director Edward Sloman wanted the last foot of film "in the cans" by Monday morning, necessitating the last scene being photographed on Sunday morning.

It was Elizabeth Young's wedding day. It was necessary for her to leave a very romantic scene with Robert Taylor, the youthful heart throb of the film, and rush home to prepare for her own marriage, in the afternoon, with Joseph Mankiewicz, the playwright.

SON IS BORN TO DALLAS COUPLE, WELL KNOWN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dugger, of Dallas, announce the arrival of a baby boy, born March 21. Mrs. Dugger is known here and at Pioneer as the former Miss Frances Rockett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gunn and family, of Pioneer, had as their guests last week end Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brock and children, of Olney.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bryan attended Mrs. Bryan's brother-in-laws funeral in Brownwood Sunday.

COMMON CAUSE OF BALDNESS

One of the chief causes of premature grayness, falling hair and ultimate baldness is lack of circulation in the scalp. To overcome this and bring an abundant supply of blood to nourish the hair roots, massage scalp at night with Japanese Oil, the antiseptic counter-irritant. Thousands of men and women report amazing results in stopping falling hair, growing new hair on bald areas and in eliminating dandruff and itching scalp. Japanese Oil costs but 60c at any drugist. Economy size, \$1. FREE "The Truth About the Hair" Write Dept. 36 NATIONAL REMEDY CO. 56 West 45th Street, New York

DICKIE HUNTINGTON IS HONORED MONDAY NITE

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Huntington entertained Monday night from seven thirty to 10:30, honoring their 13 year old son Dickie, Games and contests were played for a time and then gifts were unwrapped and inspected, one of which was a bottle of castor oil.

Guests were then invited in the dining room where refreshments of cake and fruit punch were served. Pink and orchid color flowers decorated the room. The friends present for the occasion were: Ralph Huntington, J. W. Fore, Paul and Norma Jean Huntington, of Pioneer; Mary Elizabeth Carey, Doris Jean Barr, Emma Jean Settle, Johny Frances Baldwin, Betty Jo Davidson, Swana Clark, James Clyde Lane, Emma Jane Williams, Vernie Placke, Mildred Browning, Roy Harris, B. W. Adams, Robert Anderson, Ross D. Jackson, Vernon Huntington, Joe Kendrick, Henry Armond Hemp-hill, all of Cross Plains.

The adults served were: Mr. A. C. Fore and Mrs. J. B. Huntington, of Pioneer; Mr. C. D. Lane, Mr. W. B. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Westerman, with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Huntington and their oldest son B. W. and little daughter Patty. Mrs. Westerman assisted in the entertaining.

CROSS CUT

We are reliably informed—borrowed from Home Town Gossip—that the school is to receive several units of affiliation this term. Several have already been promised as a reward for work already done and inspected provided the good work is kept up.

Everyone here has the Spring fever. It's a serious disease.

A new station has opened here. Prosperity must be returning. High Tower gasoline is being sold in the old Campbell garage by Mr. Jackson of this community.

Mrs. Deoma Triplitt and her daughter of Brownwood visited here the week end.

Norris Chamber attended a party at Williams Saturday night!

Mrs. Tom Baucum of Albany visited her mother, Mrs. Jesse Byrd Sunday and Monday.

Howard Smith was a visitor here Sunday.

Lonny Edington entertained with a dance Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Byrd visited in Rowden, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin West spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Looney.

Linden Newton and Hollis Keller Andelia Jackson and Willie Mae Gaines were in Brownwood Saturday.

Robbie Stephens visited Faye Stockton Saturday night.

J. T. Freeman visited Elva Stockton Sunday.

Bill Richardson visited June McDonough Friday night.

Andelia Jackson and Hollis Keller attended the show in Cross Plains Saturday night.

Ruth Pickett spent the week end with Melba Woodrige.

Lavonia Clark was in Burkett Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark spent the week end in May.

Jack Davis visited Elva Stockton Saturday night.

Harold Freeman was in Cross Cut Saturday night.

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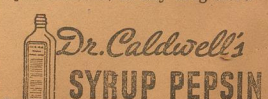
The "liquid test"

...it ENDS bowel worries for many people

This is a test that tells you whether the system needs a cathartic change. If you have constant sluggish spells or bilious attacks, and laxatives seem to make things worse, it would be wise to try this:

Stop all use of any laxative that does not encourage variation from a "fixed dose" (which may be entirely too large a dose for your individual need). Use instead, a liquid laxative that you can measure and regulate, as to dose. As necessary to repeat, take smaller doses, less and less often, until the bowels are moving without any help at all.

Doctors use liquid laxatives, and a properly prepared liquid laxative, containing natural laxative agents like senna and cascara is a joy and a comfort; a real help in establishing regularity. Ask your doctor about this! (Doctors use liquid laxatives.) You can get Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is a most dependable liquid laxative, at any drug store.



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