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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

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WILL LAUNCH COUNTY TAX DRIVE

HOME TOWN GOSSIP

There's something odd about this column each week... you doubt that Spring is here...

Best talk about the village this has been of the Social Security Act...

Cross Plains didn't win the basketball championship...

Bobbie Lee Westerman of Brownwood was a week end visitor...

Leota Loving of Commerce and friends and relatives here the week end.

Young and West Trade Farms deal was closed this week...

Brownwood move into new home this week...

Mrs. V. A. Underwood moved from the South part of town...

How long after the abandonment of East Texas missions...

Woman's most exciting indoor sport is marrying a man to reform him.

All some young men can do is look handsome against the counters in the drug stores.

Will Hold Test For Postmaster Job Here

APPLICANTS MUST REGISTER BEFORE TWELFTH OF MARCH

An open competitive examination to select a postmaster for the Cross Plains office has been announced...

To be eligible for the examination, an applicant must be a citizen of the United States...

Under the terms of the Executive order, the Civil Service Commission will certify the name of the highest qualified eligible...

The Commission states that Presidential postmasters are not in the classified civil service...

Full information and application blanks may be obtained at the postoffice for which the examination is held...

Salary of the Cross Plains postmaster is set for \$2,000.

ASK EXTENSION OF LOCAL MAIL ROUTE

Application has been made for an extension of about two and one-half miles out of the Cross Plains postoffice.

Final approval of the route is expected from Washington within the near future.

HEMPHILL PREACHES AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. S. P. Collins, due to illness, Chas. F. Hemphill filled the pulpit...

The Rev. Mr. Collins is said to be improving normally at present and is expected to be at his place next Sunday.

Serial Novel, 'Beauty's Daughter' To Make Bow In Columns Of Review Next Issue

"Beauty's Daughter", a serial printed by the Review, was adjudged the most popular ever...

PETIT JURORS NAMED FOR SECOND AND THIRD WEEKS

List of petit jurors for the second and third weeks of forty second district court were announced yesterday...

Those chosen for the second week are: Norman Finley, Baird; C. B. Snyder, Baird; C. B. Kniffin, Clyde...

Those chosen for the third week are: H. B. Terry, Baird; W. L. Ray, Baird; I. G. Mobeley, Jr., Putnam...

FORMER RESIDENT WHO DIED MONDAY IS INTERED HERE

Mrs. L. J. Ashley, formerly of Cross Plains, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Will Lee at Oplin Monday.

Miss Lucy Jane Howton-Mrs. Ashley's maiden name—was born in Alabama December 26, 1959.

The family moved later to Cross Plains and continued to make their home here until 1930.

Mrs. Ashley was the mother of 10 children, one of whom died in infancy and a son, Perry, who died in April 1929.

"GORGEOUS HUSSY" BASED ON HISTORY

Did Americans play poker and "shoot crap" back in 1825? Did "bookies" haunt the race tracks then?

These are a few of the hundreds of questions which had to be answered, and answered correctly, before the first camera was allowed to turn on Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "The Gorgeous Hussy"...

"The period of the story is 1825-33", explained Nathalie Bucknall, head of the research department.

\$3,458.21 PAID FOR JUNK IRON IN MONTH

Eleven carloads of junk iron have been shipped from Cross Plains in the past 28 days and six or seven more will move from here within the next few weeks.

A crew of men will be put to work on the local junk lot within the next few days cutting 28 junk oil field boilers...

Mrs. Walter Westerman, Tommie Kate Mayes, Lois McCord, Mrs. L. W. Westerman, and Bobbie Westerman were Brownwood visitors Monday.

DUBLIN NOSES OUT HERD FOR DISTRICT DIADEM LAST WEEK

Cross Plains high school basketball team lost the district championship at Breckenridge Saturday night to Dublin, 26 to 25.

PRIZE MONEY WILL EXCEED LAST YEAR

Plans are nearing completion for the annual F.F.A. fat stock show to be held here March sixth.

SPEECH TOURNAMENT DRAWS 14 SCHOOLS

Fourteen schools are entered in the debate and extemporaneous speech tournament to be held in Cross Plains high school auditorium Saturday.

PHILPECO MEMBERS MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Stockholders of Philpeco country club will hold their annual meeting in the Pioneer school building, Friday night, Friday 26.

M'ADAMS POSTPONES ANNIVERSARY EVENT

Jesse McAdams announced Thursday morning that McAdams Motors, Inc. third anniversary celebration, originally scheduled for this week end, had been postponed one week.

TRUCK STRIKES MAN WHILE STANDING ON SIDEWALK AT "STAR"

Ben Marshall, of Pioneer, suffered a broken leg Wednesday morning when a large truck—moving van—overturned on a downtown street in Rising Star.

SHIP CARLOAD HORSES, MULES TO MISSISSIPPI

A rail carload of horses and mules left Cross Plains first of the week enroute for Mississippi.

LOCAL COUPLE PARENTS OF 7 POUND BABY GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conger are parents of a seven pound baby girl born Tuesday morning, February 23.

REV. RAYMOND BURTON AT COTTONWOOD SUNDAY

Rev. Raymond M. Burton will fill his pulpit at the Cottonwood Methodist church both at the morning and evening service Sunday.

RISING STAR AWARD WILL BE RETURNED

The trophy won by Cross Plains high school basketball team at the Rising Star invitation tournament several weeks ago will be returned to school authorities this week.

Mrs. V. A. Underwood was a visitor in Fort Worth Wednesday.

Scranton Citizens Observe Arbor Day By Planting Trees

The people of the Scranton community gathered at the school house Monday for the purpose of beautifying the campus.

After the work was finished lots of amusement was derived from two softball games and several track and field events.

CONTRACT AWARDED EASTLAND FIRM TO COLLECT \$175,000

A contract has been awarded Ed Pritchard and Company of Eastland by the Commissioners Court of this county to collect delinquent taxes...

The contract let by the commissioners is in accordance with specifications outlined and entered into by the Attorney General's department and the State Comptroller's department...

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MARCH TERM GRAND JURORS ANNOUNCED

Grand jurors selected for the March term of forty second district court were announced this week from the office of Sheriff Robert L. Edwards.

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Tomorrow**

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Every young man expects to wake up some day and find himself famous, and many of them do get as far as waking up.

The LETTER BOX

By Flora Jackson
"Why did you come back to Cross Plains?" It's a tradition. Every body comes back. I came back because in this climate I foresaw the steady development of our little farm to a self sufficient "unit" (that's college).

I have a dream picture of a hundred other families following in my footsteps—"coming back home" purchasing this rich soil and settling in a radius of one mile of our little city's center. This would mean a new Cross Plains territory that would give the "come backers", a chance to work out our own destiny. For two years—while living in the "Athena of America" I saw the slow misery of disintegration endured by a half dozen families, trying to keep up with the times. But with no security.

In my dream colony of "come backers" I would have the farms cut up into twenty acre tracts. I believe with our good soil and lots of hard work this twenty acres could be made to produce 100 percent of the family living. Mind you every inch of ground would have to be used intensively.

I would have my colony of come backers live simply, disclaiming the gew-gaws of the urban world, the radio, picture shows, electric refrigeration, tile bathrooms—yes I wouldn't allow them an automobile.

In my dream utopia we should not be robbed of a worthwhile culture. We would build up a new indigenous culture which would be lealously espoused. Science would show us how to build our one hundred houses of the building stones found throughout this territory.

We would have cows, chickens and orchards on each farm. I would even have them build a cement tank for our fish. There would be hog carcasses strung up in each smoke house there would be the bubbling of soft soap in black kettles—yes, we would be hemmed in by a sense of security alien to our age.

I talked to day with "Haviner", Rev. Collins tenant. His words come back vividly to me. "We never lived so well, nor had so little cash in our lives." "Last year we fattened and killed a large hog. We canned a beef. We have chickens we canned lots of vegetables—sold enough to buy clothes and other necessities. We didn't try to make money, we tried to live."

Independent? I hear my friends laugh. Don't be ridiculous they advise. Nevertheless I look seriously into the future. And the dust storms you ask? Did you know that this worthless dust gives us our twilight and sunset (Another thing learned at college and did you also know that the frustrated life gives us beauty in mere resistance for there is beauty even in sorrow.

My next story to you will be on "law enforcement."

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T. P. BEARDEN, Manager

PIONEER

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington made a trip to Brownwood over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fore visited Mrs. Fore's sister in Cisco Sunday.

Mrs. Lawson Cash and Mrs. Floyd Joyce attended the county council in Cisco Saturday afternoon.

Pioneer basketball girls defeated Carbon and Desdemona in Eastland county tournament and were later defeated by Scranton.

The Methodist Missionary ladies met in the home of Mrs. R. G. Brown with Mrs. Mildred Browning as co-hostess in their social meeting Monday, February 22. The study of Africa was presented by Mrs. Richard Lawrence, Mrs. Floyd Joyce and Mrs. J. W. Thornton. A lovely refreshment plate was passed to Mesdames L. C. Cash, Floyd Joyce, Jake Dupree, J. W. Thornton, R. W. Lawrence, Matt Browning, Marvin Smith, Norene Smith, Truman Smith, J. F. Hassel, J. W. Foster and the two hostesses.

Dr. King, pastor of the Baptist church in Rising Star preached the first sermon in a series of sermons on Evangelism that will be held each night at the Methodist church throughout the week. We cordially invite all the people to come and meet with us.

Bill Tunnel and Lawson Cash attended a meeting of supt. and trustees in Eastland last Thursday night.

Mrs. Doyle Webb has had another blood transfusion, which was the eighth and is still in a very serious condition.

Mrs. Jake Huntington entertained with a birthday party complimenting her little daughter, Norma Jean. Refreshments were served to 34 little guests.

The Baptist ladies met in their regular study Monday afternoon. They took up the study of Hebrew Mrs. McCracken as vice-president, presided in the absence of Mrs. Russell Dennis. They will meet in an all-day meeting this next Monday, each member bringing a covered dish and the ladies will quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Cash made a trip Monday afternoon to get their son, William, who is convalescing from a case of the mumps. He had been visiting in the home of his grand-parents.

Miss Grace Lou Helms spent the week end in the home of Erlene Sillix. The two girls had quite a little fall from a horse they were riding and Erlene is still in bed. Doctor, reported that Erlene wasn't hurt seriously and a few days rest would help her.

METHODIST CHURCH ITEMS

Burkett, Echo, Dressy By R. P. James, Pastor

Mrs. Cleo Golson Gill has transferred her membership from Burkett to First Methodist Church, San Marcos, Texas.

Sermon topics for Sunday, February 28. "Religious Satisfaction" at Burkett at 11:00 A.M. "The Divine Impact" at the home of A. J. Nation at 3:00 P.M. "When Substitutes Fail" at Burkett at 7:30 P. M.

Jay Gould, Mrs. Jay Gould, and Charlie Gould have transferred their membership from Echo to Bangs.

Led by Miss Vera Pearl Oliver Burkett young people rendered an excellent program at the young people's union meet at Santa Anna last Monday evening. The next Union meeting will be at Coleman at 8:00 P. M. March 22. Santa Anna young people will give the program in March.

Coleman County Methodist pastors will meet at First Church, Coleman Monday, March 1, at 10:00 A. M. Anyone is welcome to meet with them.

DON'T SCRATCH Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to relieve any form of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, or other itching skin trouble within 48 hours or money refunded. Large 2-oz. jar 50c, at Sims Drug Co. 10-16-6mo.

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CROSS CUT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Calk and family have moved here from Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Plummer have moved to Rising Star.

Mrs. Vera Woolridge and Miss Jo Woolridge of Brownwood, visited Mrs. J. C. Clark and family Monday.

The Cross Cut basketball teams have received their sweaters. The ones receiving sweaters are, boys: Charlie Howard Edgington, Noble Melton, Hollis Kellar, Jack Terry Newton, O. B. Byrd, Clyde Chambers, Harold Odum and Coach Shannon.

Girls: Ruth Pickett, Tula Kellar Margaret Byrd, Willie Mae Gaines, Johnnie Melton, Ondella Jackson, Chloe Newton and Lorene Mitchell.

The Cross Cut girls basketball team won first place at the Williams' tournament. In the finals they defeated Blanket 44 to 21.

The following Cross Cut girls made the all-tournament team: Margaret Byrd, Ruth Pickett, Johnnie Melton and Tula Kellar.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelby and family of East Texas are visiting friends here. Mr. Smelby took ill with influenza Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Regan Swank of East Texas are visiting friends and relatives here.

Harold Gafford of East Texas visited relatives here last week.

Mr and Mrs. Fred Campbell of Burkett visited friends and relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Clark of Cross Plains visited relatives here last week.

Linden Newton was in Brownwood Sunday.

Dub Stone and Miss Ondella Jackson were in Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Baum and children of Big Spring visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Baum here last week.

There is nothing dearer to a man than a good wife; and nothing more expensive than the other kind.

City Drug Store, Cross Plains supplies M&L Products. Eliminates all worms. Increases egg production. Flock treatment, once used always used. Guaranteed or money back.

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CAREY COME-BACK DISPROVES ADAGE

Harry Carey continues to disprove the old adage that "they never come back" in "Little Miss Nobody," Jane Withers' latest triumph which is schedule at the Liberty Theatre here Tuesday and Wednesday.

of the silent days, recently began his comeback career in "The Prisoner of Shark Island" and his work was so excellent that Producer Sol M. Wurtzel rewarded him with the important role of the pet shop owner who be-friends "Ginger" June in her new Fox hit.

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Don't Scratch

Use BROWN'S LOTION for ITCH ATHLETES FOOT, BAD ODORS, ECZEMA, TETTER, RINGWORM, CHIGGER AND MOSQUITO BITES, etc. Quick Relief. 60c and \$1.00 at City Drug Store.

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... the way she keeps it up day after day ... always active, always doing something- It's Butter Top Bread that helps provide this endless energy; it builds her up, keeps renewing the energy she burns every single day. Butter Top Bread is fresh, fine textured bread, richer in all the healthful elements. It makes you want to do things!

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It's An Ill Wind, etc.

There is an old saying: It's an ill wind that blows nobody good." We are sure that our customers do not appreciate the sandstorms. But when your clothes get full of sand and dust just bring them down to us and we will have them looking like new in jig time. Of course, we are not working in cahoots with the weatherman. But if your clothes get full of sand we will appreciate the opportunity of fixing them up.

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His was a problem of financing increased acreage and improved equipment for more profitable operation of his farm. He consulted our staff, and together we worked out a financing plan satisfactory to him and to the officers of our bank. A loan was arranged, and his increased income has enabled him to repay it in less time than he expected.

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In The Spring

If you're planning to paint your home, add a room, repair or build a new fence, we invite you to figure with us.

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SOCIETY CLUBS PERSONALS

METHODIST W.M.S. HAS MEET IN CATON HOME

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. S. Ramsey with Mrs. W. S. Ramsey serving as leader. "Bringing Old Health" was the program. The opening song was "Thank Thou The Bread Of Life". Refreshments were served to 13.

W. Kelly of this place spent week visiting relatives in Colorado.

TO HAVE PROGRAM AT DRESSY CHURCH SUN.

The B.T.U. of the Cross Plains Baptist Church will visit the Dressy Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, February 28th with a program of regular B.T.U. work. The program will start promptly at 3 P. M. and will last one hour. All the departments of the B.T.U. will participate and the program will be interesting as well as instructive. Young people are especially invited.

Miss Anna Mae McConathy spent the week end in Brownwood.

DEQUE PHANZ CLUB IS ENTERTAINED MONDAY

Miss Betsy McAdams entertained the Deque Phanz club with a formal bridge party at her home Monday night.

A red and white color scheme was used in carrying out the George Washington motif.

Miss Margaret Wagner was high score winner for the evening; and cut prize went to Mrs. W. A. Beavers.

Refreshments of fruit cocktail, tuna fish sandwiches, potato chips, olives, cherry pie topped with whipped cream, and coffee were served from the dining table which was covered with a lace cloth with red carnations forming the center piece. Those attending were: Miss Cheryl Lutgens, Mrs. W. A. Beavers, Miss Ava Walker, Mrs. Volly Joe Williams, Mrs. Joe McAdams, Miss George Cecil Cook and Miss Margaret Wagner.

Miss Lois McCord will entertain the club at their home next Monday night.

PARTY IS COMPLIMENT TO 2 H.S.U. STUDENTS

Mrs. Walter Rudloff entertained with a forty-two party Saturday night, honoring Misses Lucille Willis, students in Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, who were visiting in the home of the latter's aunt Mrs. H. A. Young.

A refreshment plate of punch and cake was passed to the following Miss Merchason, Miss Willis, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Schaffner, Jr., Miss Mary Ruth Longbotham, Mrs. H. A. Young, and Mr. and Mrs. Rudloff.

FANCY WORK STARTED BY LOCAL H. D. WOMEN

Mrs. M. L. Beavers and daughter Betty Lou, and a nephew, W. D. Lakoy, of Hobbs, New Mexico, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beavers here this week.

Mrs. Mary Dees had as her guests over the week end her husband of Commerce and her mother and brother of Sulphur Springs.

J. W. Orr and family of Hollis Oklahoma visited in the homes of Mrs. E. M. Long and E. L. Mayes here the past week end.

MISS NOVALYN PRICE REVIEWS "GONE WITH THE WIND" TUESDAY

Ladies of the Missionary Society of Methodist Church entertained with a silver tea in the basement of the church Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock.

Mrs. W. S. Ramsey introduced Miss Novalyn Price, who reviewed the book "Gone With The Wind". Margaret Mitchell.

The proceeds from this tea will go to help buy a new piano for the church.

Following the book review a refreshment plate of tea and cookies with violets as plate favors was passed to: Mrs. Clyde Walker, Mrs. Ralph Chandler, Mrs. J. G. Weiler, Mrs. H. A. Young, Mrs. W. S. Ramsey, Mrs. W. R. Wagner, Mrs. W. L. Armstrong, Mrs. Lou Anderson, Mrs. J. J. Ripper, Miss Bertha Gartner, Mrs. Nat Williams, Mrs. T. G. Edwards, Mrs. V. J. Williams, Mrs. Pearl Harris, Miss Ethel Manning, Mrs. Tom Bryant, Mrs. Elliott Bryant, Mrs. Edwin Baum, Jr., Mrs. Jack Scott, Mrs. Molten Sims, Mrs. J. H. McGowan, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Mrs. W. J. Carpenter and son, Mrs. M. G. Underwood, Miss Mary Opal Baker, Mrs. Eddie Henderson, Mrs. B. K. Eubank, Miss Jimmie Lou Gwathmey, Miss Elizabeth Tyson, Miss Mary Beth Langston, Mrs. Arthur Mitchell, Mrs. J. A. Caton, Mrs. George Noel, Mrs. J. P. Smith, Mrs. Edwin Neeb, Mrs. P. L. Shuler, Mrs. E. N. Schaffner, Jr., Mrs. Walter Rudloff, Maurine Gaines, Mrs. J. P. Leewright, Mrs. R. S. Gaines and Miss Novalyn Price.

CROSS PLAINS H. D. CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. BARR

Cross Plains home demonstration club met Wednesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Oren Barr. A program dealing with the organization and the history of home demonstration club work was rendered with parts being taken by Mrs. C. A. Putnam, Mrs. H. C. Williams and Mrs. Jim Barr.

A report of the council meeting at Baird was given by Mrs. Jim Barr.

It was decided at the meeting to begin fancy and gift work now in order that there may be an abundance for the annual achievement day exhibit next Autumn.

Next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. Jeff Clark, March third, at which time Miss Vida Moore will be in attendance. Roll call will be answered with "Whats New in Spring Styles". Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. Luke Westerman, Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. H. C. Williams, Mrs. H. G. Whitehorn, Mrs. C. A. Putnam, Mrs. Marvin Smith, Mrs. Jim Barr, Mrs. J. C. Huntington, and Mrs. Bryan Bennett and Mrs. Rosa Havens, new members; Mrs. Lester Barr, Mrs. Lizzie Leech, Mrs. Pink Barr, Mrs. M. A. Merrill and Miss Hazel Ogilvy, visitors, and Mrs. Oren Barr.

SENIORS ENTERTAINED AT PARTY WEDNESDAY

Betty Usery and Josephine Harris entertained the senior class of the Cross Plains High School with a monopoly party in the Home Economics building on Wednesday night of last week. It was sponsored by Mrs. M. G. Underwood and Mr. Lewis C. Norman.

A Valentine scheme was used with heart shaped folders tied with white ribbon used as place cards. There were also Valentine decorations and a Valentine book was used for a register.

A refreshment plate of heart shaped tuna fish sandwiches, cookies, hot chocolate, and candy hearts was passed to the following: Willie Mayes, Earlene Smith, Ross Hemphill, Billie Gray, J. T. Cross, Dale Bertrand, Billie Welch, Boyce Strong, Martha Nani McAdams, George Cecil Cook, Garland Smith, D. C. Hargrove, Doyle McMillan, Eugene Cross B. W. Huntington, Bobbie Gaines, the hostess and sponsors.

PRESBYTERIAN MOTHERS GUILD TO MEET MONDAY

A meeting of the Presbyterian Mothers Guild will be held Monday afternoon, March first, at two thirty o'clock in the church auditorium. The Review was told yesterday by Mrs. C. C. McCall, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Barr and daughter of Abilene visited friends and relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. W. A. Beaver had as her guest this week her sister-in-law of New Mexico.

Miss Mary Beth Langston visited with her parents in Abilene Saturday and Sunday.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINED FRIDAY

Mrs. Ralph Chandler entertained her Sunday School class with three tables of forty two at her home Friday afternoon of last week.

At refreshment time the hostess passed a refreshment plate of fruit jello topped with whipped cream, cake, and coffee to the following guests: Mrs. T. E. Baum, Mrs. A. G. Perry, Mrs. A. L. Shuler, Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mrs. Jesse Youngblood, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Martin Neeb, Mrs. C. D. Hudson, Mrs. Albert Chandler, Mrs. W. J. Cross, Mrs. L. M. Kimbrough, Mrs. Brad Harris, and Mrs. Clyde Walker.

Miss Lucille Merchason and Miss Lucille Willis, students in Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene spent the week end in the home of Miss Willis' aunt, Mrs. H. A. Young here.

Tylene Usrey left Saturday for Abilene to attend "Parson's school of beauty culture."

Mrs. Carl Brown has been visiting Mrs. Billie Usrey for the past two weeks.

CLUB IS ENTERTAINED AT UNDERWOOD HOME

Mrs. V. A. Underwood entertained the Delta Karda club with two tables of contract bridge at her home Monday afternoon.

The St. Patrick motif was carried out in bridge accessories and table covers.

High score for the afternoon went to Mrs. Jack Scott.

At refreshment time a plate of tuna fish salad, crackers, olives, upside down cake topped with whip-cream, and ice tea was passed to the following: Mrs. Edwin Baum, Mrs. R. E. Bryant, Mrs. Jack Scott, Miss Geneva Atchinson, Miss Ava Walker, Mrs. Volly Jo Williams, Mrs. W. J. Sipes and the hostess.

The club will meet in the home of Mrs. Volly Joe Williams next Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kelly and daughters Marion and Barbara Ann of Coleman visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ferrell, Harold Baum, Miss Alice Ferrell and Charlie Sims, all of Austin visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

STUDY CLUB MEMBERS MEET IN NEEB HOME

Mrs. C. C. Neeb was hostess to the Wednesday Study Club, February 17, at four P.M. with eighteen members present. Mrs. R. S. Gaines, vice-president, presided in the absence of the president.

Plans are being made to sponsor a book review sometime in March. Mrs. T. G. Edwards was elected delegate to the sixth district convention to be held in Brady April 13 and 14, with Mrs. Walter Ramsey as alternate.

The club was glad to welcome Mrs. Carmen Wright as a new member.

The story of Madame Bullerfi was given by Mrs. Walton Wagner. The next regular meeting of the club will be in the home of Mrs. V. W. Tatum March 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McAdams and daughter Jessie Ruth visited relatives in Wichita Falls the first part of this week.

Miss Mary Opal Baker was a visitor in Mineral Wells, Saturday and Sunday.

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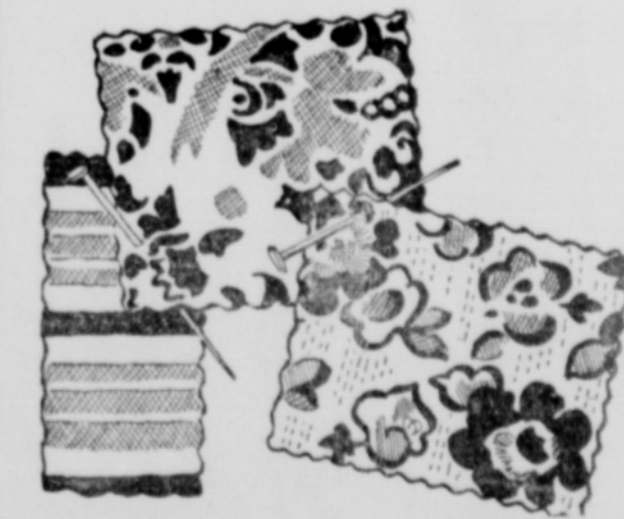
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The sticks were discovered in a dust-covered trunk in the M.G.M. property building. They are of stout hickory with cross-T handles designed by Chaney himself.

Calleia practiced a difficult cripple's walk with them. The actor is so great an admirer of Chaney's art that the studio made him a present of the sticks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garner were in Breckenridge Monday.

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CALLAHAN CLUBS ARE REPRESENTED IN RADIO PROGRAM FEBRUARY 22

Home demonstration clubs of Callahan county were represented by Mrs. Paul Shanks and Mrs. John Russell of the Enterprise club, in a radio program over radio station K.R.B.C. Monday-February 22—from 2:45 to one o'clock.

"Hot Beds and Cold Frames" was the topic discussed by the ladies.

While it is not often repeated out loud there seems to be an understanding that father is to furnish the money and mother the prayers.

"About all I know about inside baseball is that the umpire is more likely to be fair and right than the frenzied fans who throw pop bottles and in vociferous at him." Rufus Hoskins.

BURKETT

A. K. Wesley, Mrs. B. D. Wesley and Norman Farr were in Abilene on business last Wednesday.

Miss Gatha Lee Brady of Brownwood visited Miss Vera Pearl Oliver during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Moore, Misses Virgie and Leveta Moore visited in Stacy Sunday and Monday.

The Burkett Epworth League presented the program at the County League Union meeting at Santa Anna Monday night.

Mrs. Earl Zircle and son Bobby accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Adams to San Angelo Monday.

If mother fusses with the children all day without whipping them, she thinks that is a display of grand and lofty patience.

Most of the men who leave their wives and come back at inopportune times were not shipwrecked like the late Enoch Arden.

While the good fishing may be over in the next county, don't go there in search of it; it was last month.

A large portion of the genuine hospitality is found in hotels where one pays about what it is worth.

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Stuff 'n' Dates by Ned Moore THE FIRST WHITE CHILD WAS BORN IN AMERICA NEARLY 500 YEARS BEFORE IT'S DISCOVERY BY COLUMBUS

The LETTER BOX By B. P. Pillars There is a movement on foot which has been advocated for years by our State Superintendent of Public Instruction and his supervisors to consolidate and standardize public schools.

Q. Where is the "Hank Smith Park?" B.M. A. It is the acreage surrounding the former home of Hank Smith in Crosby county, now occupied by his son.

Q. What was the purpose of Gen. Wolf's invasion of Texas? O. P. A. Mexico had persistently refused to recognize Texas independence despite Santa Anna's treaty and feared annexation of Texas to the United States.

SABANNO CLUB MEETS AT FINIS ERWIN HOME The Sabanno demonstration club met Friday, February 12, at the home of Mrs. Finis Erwin.

Q. What did Lafitte call his Galveston Island pirates' camp and how long did he operate there? G. N.C. A. The buccaner settlement was known as Campechy, and Lafitte operated his pirate ships from there for four years (from 1817 to 1821).

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long as there was no direct interference with Texans in the conduct of their business. Others, foreseeing a military despot rule over Texas, favored forestalling it by armed opposition.

Q. With what two early Texas railroads was Paul Bremond actively identified? P.B.T. A. He was one of the builders of the H & T. C. Ry., chartered in 1848 as the Galveston and Red River Railroad.

Q. When was the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College opened and under what conditions, H. F. D. A. In October, 1876, under a Federal land grant of 180,000 acres The State had made an appropriation of \$75,000 for buildings and these were erected on a tract of 2,416 acres in Brazos County.

Q. What was the first county title of Hopkins County and when was it moved to Sulphur Springs? C.C.M. A. Hopkins County was created in 1846 from Lamar and Nacogdoches counties, counties, with Tarrant about five miles north of Sulphur Springs the county site.

Q. Is there any ground for the tradition that St. Denis laid out the Camino de Real or San Antonio trail? H. C. A. It is probable that it was the route traveled in the main by expeditions of both Indians and Spaniards between the Rio Grande and the Natchitoches-Nacogdoches section, but for special reason for assuming that St. Denis was the first to use and mark it.

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