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COTTON POISONING URGED IN AREA

CLAIM DAMAGE DONE BY WEEVILS, WORMS CAN BE ELIMINATED

Local farmers are being urged to dust cotton to rid the plant of boll weevils, boll worms, leaf worms and flea hoppers, which annually take a heavy toll from the yield of the crop. J. R. McCann, entomologist for the Sweetwater Cotton Oil Company, was in Cross Plains this week and explained dusting to a number of local farmers in a meeting in the high school auditorium Tuesday night.

After visiting a number of cotton crops in this vicinity, Mr. McCann prepared the following article for publication in the Review.

"I have been in Cross Plains in the interest of the local cotton farmer in regard to assisting them with the control of cotton insects.

"The Sweetwater Cotton Oil Co. employs me as their entomologist to help with the control of insects wherever they operate gins.

"The local farmers are entitled to any help that I can give them absolutely free of charge.

"There is an immediate need to calling the farmers attention to the fact that heavy damage is already being done and quick action is necessary to save the crop the plant now has set.

"Cotton insects can be efficiently controlled by use of dusting machines, and it is going to be necessary to get some dusting machines into the community in the very near future. Farmers in other sections of the state where insects are much more numerous than they are here, are now producing heavy yields of cotton per acre by dusting.

"It pays to dust cotton. The cost of dusting cotton will run about \$2 per acre for the entire season where four dustings are required. In terms of cotton, this represents about 25 pounds of lint per acre per season. Sulphur is used to control the flea hopper and calcium arsenate for the boll weevil, boll worm, and leaf worm. Both can be applied at the same time.

"Farmers who need help in determining the amount of infestation or want advice in regard to the control of insects should get in touch with me."

"FAST AND LOOSE" IS BOOKED HERE TUESDAY

So popular was the first of the screen's biblicodetective thrillers, "Fast Company," that Robert Montgomery and Rosalind Russell added their starring names to the second of the series, "Fast and Loose" opening Tuesday at the Liberty Theatre. Montgomery plays the book thief created by Melvyn Douglas in the first mystery and Rosalind Russell portrays his wife, Garda. It is Montgomery's first role since he left for a long vacation on his eastern farm, and Miss Russell's first since she won outstanding honors in "The Citadel."

"Fast and Loose" is Montgomery's and Miss Russell's fourth co-starring picture. Among their earlier vehicles was the sensational psychological subject, "Night Must Fall."

BAPTIST REVIVAL IS BROUGHT TO A CLOSE

The Baptist revival meeting which began the night of June 30, was brought to a close Sunday night under the tabernacle. Services were conducted by Rev. R. C. Brenkley, pastor of the First Baptist church in Sonora. Rev. G. B. Kendall of Equilla had charge of prayer groups and personal workers.

PARKER BAUM PURCHASES 70 ACRE FERRELL PLACE

Parker Baum, formerly of this place and now of Big Spring, last week purchased the 70 acre tract of land West of town owned by Frank Ferrell. Considerations of the transaction were not made known.

Local School Scholastics Are Increased

NORMAN ANNOUNCES TRANSFERS MUST BE MADE BY AUGUST 1

A slight increase was noted in the scholastic census for Cross Plains independent school district, according to figures released by Superintendent Lewis C. Norman. 512 scholastics were tabulated for the ensuing year whereas the Cross Plains district had but 489 during the term just closed. Transfers from other districts, including Burnt Branch, will swell scholastics for the local school well above 600, opine members of the board of trustees and Norman.

Attention is also called by local school officials that pupils who intend to transfer from one district to another should do so before August first, for after that date it will be necessary to charge tuition fees to comply with state regulations. Parents may obtain transfer blanks from W. A. Williams, president of the local school board; V. C. Walker, secretary, or from Norman.

The law provides that transfers may be made anywhere in the county or to an adjacent district in adjacent counties.

Date for the opening of school in September has not yet been announced by the board of trustees, however, such announcement is expected to be made by the first of August, the Review was told yesterday.

There remains but one vacancy in the local faculty. It is that of a grammar school principal, caused by the recent resignation of Leo Varner to accept the superintendency at Williams. This place will probably not be filled until after August first, when the exact number of scholastics has been determined.

CROSS PLAINS BEING ADVERTISED FAR AND WIDE; MELON CENTER

Cross Plains fruits and watermelons are being advertised throughout West Texas and into New Mexico. Clyde D. Sims, president of the local chamber of commerce, left the first of the week for a vacation trip through that section, taking along several hundred placards to be tacked at vantage points. The placards herald Cross Plains as headquarters for fruits, melons, berries and seasonal vegetables.

LOCAL BASEBALL TEAM DEFEATS FISKE SUNDAY

An inspired Cross Plains baseball team journeyed to Fiske Sunday afternoon and slugged out a 10 to seven victory over the highly touted Fiske nine. Batteries for Cross Plains were: Coffey, pitcher, and Hight, catcher.

A double header between Fiske and Cross Plains is scheduled during the fifty eighth annual picnic July 27 and 28.

STREET PARADE PLANNED TO LAUNCH PICNIC HERE

Plans for an elaborate street parade to officially open Cross Plains fifty eighth annual Picnic are now going forward, according to Fred V. Tunnell, chairman of the committee in charge. Assisting Tunnell are: Dr. J. H. McGowan, H. H. McDermott, Fred Cutbirth and C. O. Holdridge.

E. E. Lutz of Dallas, owner of the Liberty Theatre here, was a business visitor in Cross Plains Wednesday.

Ray Scott of San Angelo was a visitor here Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Earl Smith was in Fort Worth Wednesday.

Goodwill Booster Trip Set For July 21st.

Friday, July 21, has been designated as the day for a goodwill booster trip to be made over the Cross Plains trade territory to advertise the fifty eighth annual picnic to be held July 27 and 28. At least 15 cars are expected to make the sojourn, according to J. L. Settle, chief of the local fire department, under whose auspices this year's celebration is being held.

About 35 members of the high school band will make the trip and render musical selections at each stop.

The itinerary calls for leaving Cross Plains at 8:30 and arriving at Cottonwood shortly thereafter, arrival in Baird at 10 o'clock, Putnam at 11, Atwell at 11:45 and Seranton at 12. Luncheon will be carried by the trippers and spread in picnic style somewhere along the route, possibly near Seranton.

MANY STARS ENTER NET EVENT CARDED HERE JULY 17-18

With a star studded entry list already assured, indications are that the first annual Cross Plains invitation tennis tournament to be held here next week—July 17 and 18—will be one of the most outstanding net events ever held in this section. Entries have already been received from: Abilene, Clyde, Baird, Putnam, Santa Anna, Rising Star, Pioneer, Cross Cut and Cross Plains.

Early Settler In County Succumbs At Rowden Monday

Mrs. S. W. McCoy, 88, a resident of Callahan county for 55 years, died at 12:45 a.m., Monday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. H. J. Gibbs in the Rowden community. Death followed a prolonged illness.

Funeral services were held at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Belle Plain Methodist church with the Rev. J. Hamilton Wright, pastor of First Methodist church at Baird, officiating. Burial was made in Belle Plain cemetery beside the grave of her husband who died in 1925.

Mrs. McCoy was born in Grayson county August 13, 1850. At the age of 21 she moved to Denton county and married there in 1871. She and her husband came to this county 55 years ago, settling on the Bayou about 12 miles south of Baird.

Survivors include four children, N. P. McCoy, of Montana, Hugh McCoy, address unknown, Tom McCoy, of New Mexico, and Mrs. Gibbs. Twenty one grandchildren, survive, as do six great grandchildren.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT TO DIG NEW CHANNEL FOR OLD, OLD CREEK

The state highway department began work this week widening the channel of Turkey Creek where it crosses the highway in the Western outskirts of the city of Cross Plains, preparatory to building a 24 by 105 foot bridge to span the stream. Plans also call for the digging of a new channel across one end of the picnic grounds to eliminate a horse-shoe curve, which engineers believe might impede the flow of the stream after heavy rains and cause flood conditions in the valley.

The new bridge will be just North of the one now in use. It will probably not be ready for traffic before the latter part of the year, the Review was told by highway officials Wednesday afternoon.

Highway 206 will be re-routed to intersect highway 36 just West of the new bridge. It will be necessary to remove the Tom Cross service station for the re-routing. Right-of-way has already been secured, the Review learned yesterday.

ADON MILLER RIDES IN COLEMAN PARADE

Adon Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller of this place, represented Cross Plains in the street parade opening the annual Coleman rodeo Wednesday afternoon. She rode the horse "Texas," owned by Andy Hudson.

B. H. Freeland was a business visitor in Lampasas Wednesday.

Higginbothams Add Funeral Chapel To Mortuary Service

A modern funeral chapel, large enough for private funerals, and enlarged waiting rooms are being added to the mortuary service of Higginbotham Brothers & Company in Cross Plains.

The mortuary department is being segregated from the remainder of the store by new walls, now being built by a crew of carpenters. An additional front door will be cut in the Northwest corner of the building, to be used for entrance only into the funeral chapel and mortuary department. Furniture, which has heretofore occupied the space now being walled in, will be moved Southward in the building taking about one third of the space formerly used by the hardware department. The hardware section is being condensed and more conveniently arranged, the Review was told.

With the installation of the chapel, Higginbothams will have in Cross Plains one of the most modern mortuary services in this section of Texas.

COTTONWOOD H.D. CLUB MEETS IN PEEVY HOME

The Cottonwood Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. S. R. Peavy, Friday afternoon July eighth. 11 members and one visitor were present.

Mrs. Norman Coffey, president, was in charge of the business meeting. Plans were discussed for attending the encampment at Lake Cisco July 20 and 21.

Those present were: Mesdames J. S. Gafford, Marvin Clark, J. H. McElroy, Floyd Coffey, R. E. Baker, Lloyd Bryan, Norman Coffey, S. R. Peavy, J. F. Coffey, S. A. Moore, Miss Faye Purvis and one visitor, Mrs. Berry.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. J. F. Coffey Friday afternoon August 4, at which time a program on the prevention of diseases will be rendered. All members who possibly can are urged to be present, and visitors are always welcome.

COTTONWOOD CHURCH TO BEGIN REVIVAL FRIDAY

The Methodist church of Cottonwood will begin a revival meeting on Friday night, July 14. Rev. J. Morris Bailey, the pastor will do the preaching and Rev. E. L. Tatum of Waco, will lead the singing. The morning services will be given to a Vacation Bible School, 9:00 to 10:30. The evening services will begin at 8:15. Every one is invited to come, July 14 to July 23.

Mrs. Charley Stone and two daughters of near Brownwood were visiting here Monday.

New Law To Save County \$10,000 Year

Signing of the state ad valorem tax remission bill by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel Monday is expected to mean a saving of about \$10,000 annually to Callahan county, according to estimates worked out by the Review Wednesday afternoon.

No accurate estimate has yet been worked out by county officials the Review learned in a telephone interview Wednesday afternoon.

Comparing Callahan county with McCulloch county, however, the Review arrived at the \$10,000 figure. McCulloch county with a tax valuation of \$9,617,364, will save approximately \$13,000 annually, according to reports released by County Judge Howell E. Cobb.

McCulloch county, Callahan county with a tax valuation of \$7,088,801, should roughly receive seven ninths as much as McCulloch county, thus making the figure somewhere in the neighborhood of \$10,000. These figures, however, are unofficial.

The bill approved by the state's chief executive, provided that half of the state ad valorem taxes collected for the general funds be returned to the county. The remission would start in 1941 and extend over a five-year period.

This measure applies to all counties of Texas, and is expected to take around \$3,500,000 a year from the state's general fund, it was said.

Counties may use the remitted money for a wide variety of purposes, including retirement of bonded indebtedness, lateral road building, flood control, soil conservation, unemployment relief and reduction of the county tax rate.

Officials question the constitutionality of the latest remission law. A ruling by the Attorney General's Department has been requested by some in other sections of the state, and persons in a position to know believe that the measure will be declared unconstitutional.

MARTIN NEEB OPENS CAFE ON MAIN STREET

Martin Neeb has opened the cafe on South Main street, formerly known as the City Cafe, and will operate the establishment under the firm name of the Busy Bee. He told the Review Wednesday afternoon that he planned to close his produce business and devote all of his time to the cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Joey returned home Monday after a two weeks vacation in Menard and Lampasas.

Baird And Clyde Schools Still In Dispute

A month old dispute between Baird and Clyde school districts as to which will get the Midway school, located between the two towns, was no nearer settlement as Callahan county commissioners adjourned from regular session Monday afternoon.

In a recent election Midway voted to consolidate with both Baird and Clyde, due to the fact petitions by both places were voted on simultaneously. Representatives of Midway, Clyde and Baird were spect-

ators in the commission hall when the matter came up. Commissioners have asked County Attorney Felix Mitchell to give his opinion and to advise whether the body has a right to make a re-count of the votes cast at Midway. It is understood that two votes in that box were mutilated but cast against Baird and that instead of being cast out they were tallied against Baird. If so the count would have been 31 to 31 for consolidation with Baird.

Baird proponents declare if

a court contest arises the attorney general might hold that the election for consolidation with Baird was the only legal issue before the voters. Clyde election held concurrently with the Baird election was called after the Baird election was first ordered. County Judge Leonard B. Lewis set both elections at the same time, awaiting an opinion from Attorney General Gerald Mann. The latter sent his opinion that only one election at the time should be ordered.

COUPLE MARRIED HERE THURSDAY AFTERNOON

R. C. Grissom and Miss Silvia Nelson, both of this place, were united in marriage Thursday afternoon by Justice of the Peace J. C. Watson. They are making their home North of town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Watson, of Dallas, visited in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Mae Adams returned to Longview after a weeks visit here with relatives.

Nothing but the United States mint can make money without advertising.

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Home Town Gossip

Miss Nina Biggers, another local school marm, will resume single blessedness at high noon Friday. The ceremony will be solemnized at her home town of the bride-elect.

Back to town is coming of Babe Wood, and having been away for a couple of years Babe should have a repertoire of songs really good. He's to be the Chevrolet man, when and if E. R. Anderson takes over "Tele Sam's" postal business here.

Golfers have many different reasons as to why they're so enthusiastic about the sport. This scribbler thought that he'd heard them all until last week when playing in a threesome with Edwin Baum and made Cates a new idea was addressed.

Lonnie, who usually shoots a pretty nice stick, was having more in the amount of trouble with a hole. For a couple of holes he gazed without saying a half word. Then he confessed: "I know I don't care a hoot for this game, in fact I think it's just half silly, but I'm sore at it and am going to keep playing until I conquer it."

Mrs. W. J. Gray has handled some mighty far distant telephone calls in her switchboard career, but none probably ever excited her as much as one from a small town in Nevada Monday night.

It was a station to station call and Mrs. Gray thought nothing unusual about it, until the party on the other end said: "Hello, mother, this is Helen."

In company with Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Vestal and family Helen was vacationing in the Pacific Northwest and just couldn't resist the temptation to talk home to "mama" on these station to station after seven p.m. rates.

Cross Plains apparently has one of the best baseball teams in recent years this season. Last Sunday the local nine defeated Fiske, a team that has been enjoying phenomenal success the past couple of seasons.

The two squads will play here the two days of the picnic, July 27 and 28.

Our nomination for the best "controlled" young man in town is Wilburn Barr. Last week he came a father with no outward display of emotion. But those "in the know" say he was just as excited as a Jay-bird in a whirlwind.

Old timers in these parts, when asked how long they've been in Cross Plains, have often joked that they helped dig Turkey Creek. The criticism has caused many hearty laughs. But youngsters here now say some day tell their grand children that they remember the "digging of Turkey Creek" and still be living the truth. For a new channel is about to be dug where the stream crosses the highway in the eastern edge of the city.

Humorous sight: Ross Clark making an automobile in the middle of Eighth Street Wednesday afternoon during the shower. Filling station men might justly complain of unfair competition; for they have to pay for their water and then spray it on the auto, while another Nature was providing them with not only free water but also spraying as well.

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BURKETT

making preparation for the rodeo and such activities, not forget the old (Prov. 3:3) all thy ways, acknowledge him, he shall direct thy paths.

date of the Methodist revival has been set for August 17, the S. A. Baker doing the preaching.

Baptist convention will be here in August, the date will be announced later.

seems to be several on the individual list at this writing. Mrs. Emma grandmothers, as she is better known in Coleman hospital at present suffering burns received starting a fire in a wood with coal-oil, she was badly burned on the chest and face also.

Knights of the Ren-Echo chapter is under treatment at Blackwell hospital at Gorman in an eye injury resulting from a chip of wood last week.

Wade Golson has been receiving treatment at Coleman under Dr. ... for a swelling of his knee and limbs, he is up and about on a cane. Mrs. Emma Golson and Sealy Jean were Sunday guests in the Wade Golson home.

Mrs. Sam Battershell, Sammie, David and Mary Nell of Hico were Sunday visitors in the homes of Mrs. O. E. Brink and J. E. Oliver. She is a sister.

Mrs. Veda Qwan of Winters visited in the home of her mother Mrs. Wagner and Lida Harris and Verna Keller over the week end. Miss Verna is up and doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wyatt and family of Winters were vacationing here in the home of relatives. The Oliver Smith's, they enjoyed an outing on Brownwood lake.

The Reubert Gray family of Cado and the Williams family of Haskell are here in the home of Lee and Dan Gray and at bedside of their mother who is seriously burned.

Jackie Watson son of Mrs. Doice Watson of Fort Worth is visiting in the home of relatives here the E. P. and Jim Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Wesley were week end visitors in Noxville and Abilene in the homes of Neil Nickelson, Ill and Mrs. A. R. Oliver.

The Cecil Gaines family of Cross Cut have moved in the Mayfield residence here. The Suedegers in the Shillings home, the Willie Holman family in the house near Wright station.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burkett of Abilene visited with their parents Mrs. Jo Boyles and Mrs. Dave Burkett and in the Y. C. Boyles and Mrs. J. C. Boyles homes last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith of Dallas called in home of Mrs. Dave Burkett the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Burkett and family of Abilene were visitors with relatives in Coleman the 4th.

Mrs. Rodney Harlow of Brownwood spent the week in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Watson.

Mrs. Dick Holland was ill over

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GEORGE H. JEWELL BOOSTS SOUTHERN SELECT HERE



George H. Jewell, with warehouse at 823 N. Breckenridge Avenue, Breckenridge, is now wholesale distributor of Southern Select Beer in Callahan, Eastland, Shackelford and Stephens Counties. For sixteen years Jewell was in the real estate and insurance business in Fort Worth, until February, 1938, when he entered the wholesale beer business in Wichita Falls. He moved to Breckenridge in April, 1939, where he resides with his family at 1109 N. Breckenridge Avenue. His son is a student at T. C. U. in Fort Worth, while his daughter attends the Breckenridge public schools. George has made many friends throughout this territory during the short time he has been here, and now has almost 100 per cent distribution of Southern Select Beer in his four counties.

the week end, she suffered an attack of appendicitis. Johannie Rine Holland is home from CCC camp on a visit.

Mrs. Halle Bowden is vacationing at Henderson in home of her daughter Mrs. James Patton.

Mrs. J. E. Oliver accompanied Mrs. F. L. Beakley to Cross Plains one day last week. Mrs. Beakley was hostess to the W.M.S. on last Monday and served ice cream. They helped her tack a comfort in the afternoon.

Jessie Holman received compliments on a cistern which he completed on the W. R. Roberts farm. He is a N.Y.A. youth and was assisted by his father.

Mrs. Quin Harris will attend the State meeting of the H.D. club to be held in Lubbock in September.

The Woodmen circle met last Friday afternoon in W.O.W. hall with nine members present. Ice cream was served, following a business meeting. Mrs. E. P. Watson will have charge of arranging a box of quilt scraps for the W.C. home on date of the next meeting which will be the first Friday in August.

JOE E. BROWN COMES TO LIBERTY SUNDAY

Once upon a time, the popular phrase was "more fun than a barrel of monkeys." Today it's become "more fun than a ring of wrestlers."

Not that there ever are more than two wrestlers in any one ring, where the sport is taken "seriously." But those two grapplers can provide more fun and more excitement than even the circus. Their grunts and groans, their labored muscular efforts and equally labored facial contortions all add up to entertainment of the highest possible merit. Blindfolded wrestling, in which eight or ten persons grapple for each other in the ring while a gentleman with a padded pole prods them from the ringside, wrestling in mood, or lady "rasslers" are all modern refinements of an age-old sport.

But it is the "big" match between two grapplers which has made wrestling a nation-wide entertainment form. Such a match is pictured in "The Gladiator" Columbia comedy at the Liberty Theatre, Sunday and Monday which stars Joe E. Brown as a scientifically-created superman.

The usual wrestling match—as in "The Gladiator"—is for the "championship of the world," since there are about sixty claimants to the title, each with his devoted following. Brown is the challenger in "The Gladiator," and Man Mountain Leon, bearded behemoth of the wrestling ring appears as the world champion, a title which, incidentally, he claims in real as well as reel life.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Outbirth attended the rodeo in Coleman Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Strickland left Monday for a weeks vacation in Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Orba C. Booth had as their guest this week Mrs. Cleon Cogswell of Big Spring.

Cross Cut Girl Substitutes Local Names For Cutaway Words To Tell Funny Yarn

By Margie Pentecost

I am full of woe, I left my home riding a Campbell across the river Jordan on the day of Pentecost for to mak'a my livin'.

My papa tell me I hav'a git out and earn my own Cash.

Walker de Lane searching for de laud of opportunity that is commonly called Callahan County. I thank'a I gon'a go to my Graves, my heart Akins with Pane. So I just Settles down and listens to de Robbins and Martins in de Bush.

Den I see I am in de Webb of despair. Soon my Powell comes to help me Gaines and I find'a Little work. Den my hair no longer turns Gray and I feels Young again.

I decides to build my house and Barnes. I paint my house Brown and puts in a Long Hall for convenience. For protection I put a Barr over each window and gets me a Gunn.

I plant'a my crop. De black Smith do my work and say I Odom nothing.

I find'a no Taylor so I hav'a order my clothes from Montgomery. I

SCRANTON

L. B. Warren has made another location on the B. P. Cozart tract Southeast of the B. P. Cozart well No. 1 and a rig is on the ground ready to begin drilling.

Mr. and Mrs. Meritt of Brownwood and Mrs. Ida Foster of Eastland have been visiting relatives here and attending the Methodist meeting which is in progress.

Mrs. Dave Lane of Lamesa is visiting her daughter Mrs. Hick Bellow.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Jobe of Galveston and J. D. Jobe of Vernon visited in the W. E. Fairies home the past week.

R. M. Brunnett received a message Saturday of the death of his sister Mrs. Roby of Greenville.

A Brotherhood meeting will be held at the local Baptist church, July 21, at 8:15 p.m., Speakers for the occasion will be Judge Cummings, Dr. Adams, Bill Ledbetter, of Abilene and others. Bill Ledbetter is well known being reared here and we remember Dr. Adams as Prof. Adams, who taught in Scranton Academy in 1915. Men in surrounding communities are especially invited to attend this meeting and pastor W. C. Taggart is urging that all local men will hear these speakers.

South Africa's new air bomber can fly 330 miles an hour.

Russia's last census indicates it has a population of 170,120,000.

PALACE

THEATRE—CISCO SUNDAY—MONDAY JULY 16—17

MOUNTIES INDIANS! HEROISM! ADVENTURE! Shirley TEMPLE SUSANNAH OF THE MOUNTIES RANDOLPH SCOTT MARGARET LOCKWOOD THIS COUPON GOOD FOR ONE ADMISSION When accompanied by one 25c Adult ticket to see "SUSANNAH OF THE MOUNTIES" Sun—Mon, July 16—17

Miss Doris Gray left Monday for a visit in the home of a cousin at Austin.

Gaines lots of wealth, I hav'a lots of sweet rest, so I just watch de Bydls fly and Pickett de sweet Williams.

Great Scotts! de hale Slaughter my crop and Pierce my house. I hav'a Wright to do King for a Neer more money.

I hav'a tough luck, so I crawls in a Tumell and de Westerman he say I hav'a no Wright to live there. I say this am a Strickland, I thought I was a Freeman.

Den de sin Burns my face when I hav' to crawl out, so I just crawls Underwood in my pasture.

I think'a mahy I gona be lika Adam, eat from de wrong Bush. So I tak'a deLusk and go to de river for to git in a Ship and sail home-ward. Alas! when I got there I find'a de Ship am gone. So I lay down to sleep an dream of my Powell. De cowyotes Howell and woke me, and I jumps up and Lacy my shoes.

My hair has now turn White I gits home my papa no recognize me. He think'a I am a Jones. I hav'a Moore tough luck. So I just Walker on down de Lane and Hunter another home.

Yours very truly, First and Last

DAN HORN

Sunday, July 16 Dan Horn annual Home Coming will be held at the Mitchell Baptist church. Every one invited to come and spend the day. There will be a basket lunch at the noon hour. In the afternoon good singers have been invited.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Strickland and children of Monday spent the 4th in the J. G. Strickland home.

Claude Lambright threshing his grain near Bluff Branch his wheat on the Camp place averaged 12 bushels per acre.

Walter King of Cleburne spent the week end here with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Buydie Hill of Cisco visited his mother, Mrs. C. U. Horn Sunday afternoon.

J. D. Speegle visited his brother R. F. Speegle in Putnam Sunday.

Jim and Ernest Brooks were here last week to see their parents Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brooks who are ill.

Lester Horn has improved where he can be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. McCerkle of Nimrod were gone in the W. H. Ervin home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. G. R. Neel is Leader Of W. M. U. Methodist Missionary Society members met at the church Monday afternoon in their regular meeting. Mrs. E. B. Porter, president, called the meeting to order and turned the program over to Mrs. George Neel who gave the council report. Those attending were: Mrs. George Neel, Mrs. P. B. Porter, Mrs. W. J. Cross, Mrs. Jack Aiken, Mrs. Walter Rudloff, Mrs. Fred V. Tunnell and Mrs. H. A. Young.

THE OLD TIME GOSPEL MISSION

Sunday school each Sunday at 10 o'clock a.m. with Brother Richard Mitchell superintendent. Miss Irene Powell pianist, and Miss Mildred Mitchell, secretary-treasurer. Our school is divided into three classes class No. 1 consists of adults both men and women, and is a fine lively class with brother Wesley Strack-beth as teacher. Class No. 2 is composed of a large group of fine young people who delight in studying the word of God. And with sister Aletha Kelley for teacher and sister Powell as president of such a lovely class, I am sure any young person will receive a joyous welcome who will come and enter this good work with them.

Class No. 3, is a class for the children and is about the biggest of all in number and why not? When they are so delighted with sister E. A. Callhoun as their teacher, who gives them birthday presents, and nice rewards for good deportment, say that makes me want to be a boy again.

Our 11 o'clock service is given to worshipping God in the spirit, and usually some pastoral message is delivered by the pastor, however last Sunday we were so blessed until the usual message was omitted. Evangelistic service at 8:00 o'clock p.m., young people's meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting and worship Saturday evenings at 8:00 o'clock. To any of these services the public is cordially invited.

Pastor

Miss Doris Gray left Monday for a visit in the home of a cousin at Austin.

'Come Into the Kitchen', Invites Modern Woman



The kitchen today can be the loveliest room in the average home! "This is possible because time and labor saving electric servants keep it clean, cool and cozy," says Miss Eudora Hawkins (inset), home economist for the West Texas Utilities, who frequently visits in the numerous homes here which now are equipped with the electric range. "Come into the

kitchen' is a standing invitation in thousands of homes where women are proud to show the beauty of cooking equipment and the ease with which they cook," Miss Hawkins declares. She insists that the electric range is the foundation for an all-electric kitchen, supplemented by electric refrigerator, dishwasher, hot-water heater and the many smaller appliances designed to "take drudgery out of the home."

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bolles had as their guests Monday Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mouton of Seagraves. Tuesday, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Poe attended her guest this week her sister, Mrs. Volle McDonough, her guest this week her sister, Mrs. Ernest Mouton of Seagraves. Tuesday.

AFTER INVENTORY SALE

While invoicing we found many odds and ends in our stock that must be closed out, hence these values

REMNANTS

Put them go: regardless of cost or former price deduct one-half price marked on each remnant. Plenty of dress lengths, blouse lengths, skirt lengths.

This is a remnant sale that will be worth your while to attend. Prices have been slashed one-half without regard to cost or former selling price. SHOP CAREFULLY. ALL SALES FINAL.

LADIES BATHING SUITS Sizes 30—32—34and36 These suits are of Acetate Rayon, Zephyr Cotton and Laxtex Yarn, and sell for \$3.95 Special for this sale— \$2.95

SHEETING 36 Inch Brown Sheeting good quality, a sheeting you would expect to pay 10c a yard for. Special for this sale— 6c yard

BOY'S SHANTUNG PANTS and SHIRTS to MATCH Pant sizes 6 to 16 Shirt sizes 12 1/2 to 14 Regular price \$1.25 sale price— 79c each Matched Suits \$1.58

MEN'S SHANTUNG PANTS and SHIRTS to MATCH Pant sizes 32 to 40 Shirt Sizes 14 to 16 Regular price \$1.49. Sale price 98c each Matched Suits \$1.96

WOMEN'S SHOES Sizes 4 to 8 Widths AA A and B Women's black patent pumps, black patent sandals, cocktail tan calf pumps, and blue kid step-in. Our regular \$3.95 value sale price— \$2.95 pair Also open toe cut-out one strap in black patent and cocktail tan, black mesh open heel, white mesh open heel, all \$2.95 sellers—while they last for — \$1.95

MEN'S UNDERWEAR The Manco shorts and vest made by the Manhattan Shirt Company. Sale price. 50c each

MEN'S DRESS TROUSERS Groupe No. 1 Sizes 29 to 34 Regular price \$1.95, sale price— 98c pair

MEN'S DRESS TROUSERS Size 28 to 34, Groupe No. 2 Regular \$2.95 values, sale price— \$1.49 pair

MEN'S DRESS TROUSERS Sizes 28 to 44, Group No. 3 Regular prices \$4.95 and \$3.95 values. sale price— \$2.69 pair

SHANTUNG Printed Silk Shantung, Our 98c seller, sale price— 49c yard

DRESSES QUAKER LADY DRESSES Sizes 12 to 44 Made of Bemberg Sheers and wash silks, our regular \$3.95 value, special for this sale only— \$2.95

MEN'S SHOES Choice of any white shoe for— \$1.95 pair

HIGGINBOTHAM BROS. & Co. CROSS PLAINS, — TEXAS

HOWELL Theatre—Coleman Thur.—Fri.—Sat.—July 13-14-15 Come to the Rodeo! While Here, Attend Our Cool, Comfortable Theatre. MATINEE EVERY DAY

Cecil B. DeMille's UNION PACIFIC Barbara Stanwyck - Joel McCrea

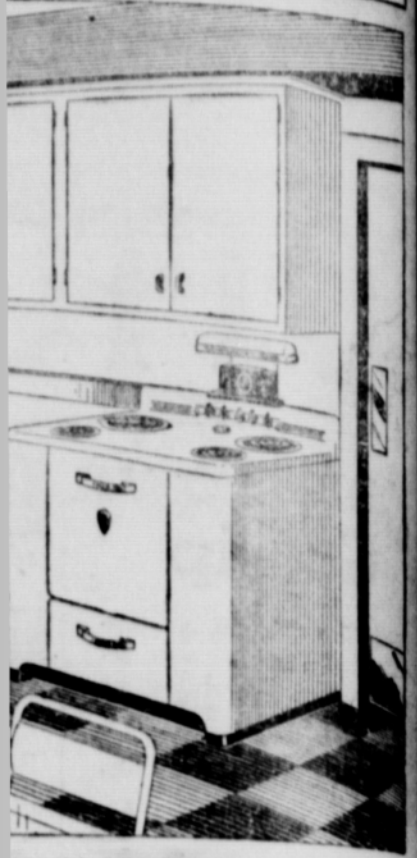
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"I do declare, Pa, better'n my home-sarsparilly..." THE FIRST TASTE WINS Y

The first time folks taste SOUTHERN SELECT they usually say—"Now, this is what I call GOOD beer. Maybe you're one of those who have been heard about SOUTHERN SELECT all these years, but ne tried it. Then don't go on missing such a grand dr any longer. Lots of SOUTHERN SELECT drink tasted their first bottle over 40 years ago and it's their favorite. It must be good to have pleased many people. Call for SOUTHERN SELECT next ti you're thirsty. GEO. H. JEWELL, Distr. 823 N. Breckenridge, Breckenridge, T

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WASHINGTON NEWS
FROM CONGRESSMAN CLYDE L. GARRETT
Includes a portrait of Clyde L. Garrett.

RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS:
The \$1,755,000,000 relief appropriation bill approved by the House is expected to pass the Senate shortly.

NATIONAL DEFENSE:
The Senate will receive a bill that was passed by the House appropriating \$202,685,547 for national defense...

FARM SECURITY LOANS INCREASE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE:
The Farm Security Administration announced that its nationwide survey of the progress of rehabilitation borrowers showed that 186,619 children of school age in these low-income farm families had been enabled to attend school last year as a result of the program.

compared by advice on sound farming methods.

SHEEP FOR SMALL FARMER:
Small-farm operators who depend upon a small flock of sheep as a source of cash income need a sheep that produces a good crop of wool as well as lambs of good market quality.

COUNTY MAPS:
Detailed county maps, showing all highways and much other information, are being prepared for all counties in the United States.

HENRY FORD:
I have just read a column by H. I. Phillips, which I thought you might like. It starts off in this manner—(Henry Ford started the Ford Motor Co. 26 years ago with \$2,800—New Item.)

Then a man demonstrates a horseless carriage and asks financial backing. He says his name is Henry Ford. Nobody knows him. He gets it. The business starts.

BABY BOY IS BORN TO MR. & MRS. WILBURN BARR

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Barr are the parents of a eight and a half pound baby boy born Wednesday July 3, in a Rising Star hospital. The baby's name was not learned by the Review. Both mother and child are reported to be doing very nicely.

PERSONALS

Mrs. F. T. Scott and Mrs. Lee Hickey returned to their homes in San Angelo Sunday after a few days visit here with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Blair of Louisiana visited here this week in the home of her mother, Mrs. Mollie McClain.

Mr. and Mrs. Bromo Bennett of Cisco were Sunday visitors here.

Mrs. Babe Wood of Abilene spent Sunday and Monday here.

Mrs. T. E. Baum, Mrs. H. R. Rich, and Mrs. A. D. Smith, left Saturday for Muskogee, Oklahoma to visit their brother, George Goodman who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baum had as their guests over the week end her mother and Tommy Ray Webb of Burket.

Jimmie Settle who is a student at Texas University in Austin visited here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Settle this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Atwood and two daughters of Lubbock were visiting friends and relatives here the past week.

Mrs. W. R. Rose returned to her home in Tolar Saturday after a few days visit here with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Hill left Sunday for Hamlin to be at the bedside of her father who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wright have returned home after a weeks visit in Amarillo.

Mrs. A. G. Crabb and daughter were San Angelo visitors last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Holden had as their guest last week her mother, Mrs. L. C. Smith of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kittrell have as their guest his mother of Ozona.

carriage might go all right, but the bank is putting all its money into Government bonds. He goes to a close friend, who expresses the belief a horseless carriage might have a future, but that on account of the economic setup, the unbalanced budget, the inflation scare, etc., it is no time to launch a new project. He goes to another close friend, who is quite delighted with the horseless buggy, but who "isn't putting any money into anything now on account of the European situation." He goes to a politician. The politician says a horseless carriage looks okay on paper and might be profitable through replacing the horse and buggy; but that to replace the horse and buggy would be to throw blacksmiths, hack drivers, feed store workers, harnessmakers, etc., out of work. He finally locates a couple of capitalists who have imagination enough to see a future for the automobile, but he drives them out by predicting that "they will make millions." The thought of what they will pay in taxes scares them so much they order Mr. Ford to forget all about it. He decided to try Wall Street. The SEC demand a demonstration. The car works perfectly, but the commission cautious Mr. Ford against undue optimism, overstatement or the use of superlatives. It holds up everything while it makes a six-month inquiry to see if his right name is Henry Ford. A broker agrees to float stock. The flotation is rendered a little difficult by SEC rules that lines in the advertisements such as "may ultimately become as popular as the horse and buggy" and "likely some day to take its place as a pleasure vehicle" be deleted in the interests of honesty. Ford suits Wall Street, finally gets \$2,800 from a group of friends—Heaven knows how—and starts a small shop. Labor delegates warn him that for every man he hires to make an auto he must hire at least one live ory stable worker. There are a series of strikes. They are referred to the NLRB. The NLRB investigates for a year and a half and files a report charging that a horseless carriage industry is unfair to whip makers. Mr. Ford appeals to Washington and explains, plans rather pathetically, "All I am trying to do is to make some horseless carriages." There are frenzied speeches in the Senate and House in denunciation of the new invention by orators who speak as "a friend of that noble animal, the horse." The President names a Commission "To Inquire Into the Aspects of the Horseless Carriage With a View to Possible Effects on the Economic and Social System." The committee announces it will have a report ready in three years.

CITY ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING PUBLIC DANCE HALLS AND PUBLIC DANCES IN THE CITY OF CROSS PLAINS REQUIRING A LICENSE FEE AND PERMIT FEE; PROVIDING REGULATIONS THEREFOR AND FIXING A PENALTY, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF CROSS PLAINS

SECTION 1: The term "public dance" as used in this ordinance shall be taken to mean any dance or hall to which admission can be had by payment of a fee, or by the purchase, possession or presentation of ticket or token, or in which a charge is made for caring for clothing or other property, or any other dance to which the public generally may gain admission with or without the payment of a fee. The term "public dance hall" as used herein shall be taken to mean any room, place or space in which a public dance or public hall shall be held.

SECTION 2: It shall be unlawful to hold any public dance or public hall within the limits of the City of CROSS PLAINS until the dance hall in which the same may be held shall first have been duly licensed for such purpose. Applications will be made on forms furnished and prescribed by the City for that purpose. The license, when authorized by the Board of Commissioners of the City of CROSS PLAINS shall be issued by the City Clerk and the fee therefor shall be paid at the time of the issuing of the license. An annual license fee for each public dance hall shall be required in the amount of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars.

SECTION 3: No license for a public dance hall shall be issued until it shall be found by inspection that such hall complies with and conforms to the health and fire regulations of the City; and that it is properly ventilated and supplied with sufficient toilet conveniences and is a safe and proper place for the purpose for which it is used, as determined by regulations heretofore or hereafter adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Cross Plains.

SECTION 4: In addition to the "Public dance hall" license provided for in Section 2, there shall be required a "public dance" permit. No person, persons, societies, clubs or organizations, shall hold a public dance or public hall until a permit shall be issued therefor by the Clerk of the City of Cross Plains, and application for such permit shall be upon a form furnished by the City and shall be filed with the City Clerk at least forty-eight hours before the dance or hall is to begin, and said permit shall be issued by the City Clerk when all the provisions of this ordinance and other ordinances in reference to the subject are complied with, and upon payment of the public dance permit fee, which fee shall be Two and 50/100 (\$2.50) Dollars.

SECTION 5: No license or permit issued under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be transferred, unless approved, by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Cross Plains upon application.

SECTION 6: The Mayor of the City of CROSS PLAINS is hereby empowered to appoint three persons who when approved by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Cross Plains shall constitute a Board of Dance Censors. It shall be the duty of the members of said Board to attend public dances held in the City of Cross Plains and to report to the Board of Commissioners or the Chief of Police any disorderly conduct or drunkenness observed at said dances, and shall make suggestions and recommendations to the Board of Commissioners for the better regulation of said dances.

SECTION 7: The license or permit of both such license and permit of any public dance or public dance hall as herein defined may be revoked by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Cross Plains for the following causes in addition to those set forth elsewhere in this ordinance upon satisfactory proof:

Disorderly conduct at or near the premises where a public dance is being conducted; drunkenness at or near the premises where a public dance is being conducted; boisterous or loud noises calculated to disturb the peace at or near the premises where a public dance is being conducted; the noisy, boisterous, or unruly congregation, assembly, or gathering of persons at or near the place where a public dance is being conducted; affray or any other disturbance at or near the premises where a public dance is being conducted. Providing however, that any of such acts or conduct shall not constitute sufficient cause for revocation of license or permit if they are shown to be wholly disconnected with and do not grow out of the occasion of said public dance.

SECTION 8: All public dance halls shall be kept at all times in a clean, healthful and sanitary condition, and all rooms connected therewith shall be open, and the entire place shall be well lighted, any member of the Police Department shall have the power, and it shall be their duty to cause the place, hall, or room where any dance or hall is held or given to be vacated whenever any provision of this ordinance is being violated or whenever any incident act shall be committed, or when any disorder of a gross, violent or vulgar character shall take place therein. It shall be unlawful for any person in charge of said public dance hall to permit any boisterous or disorderly person to enter, be or remain in or to assist in any such public dance hall or public dance; and it shall be unlawful for any person to conduct himself in a boisterous or disorderly manner in any public dance hall or public dance. No intoxicated, grossly mannered or vulgar person or indecent character shall be permitted in any dance hall, and no person or persons shall be permitted who conduct themselves in a gross or vulgar manner in such place. No indecent, freak or immodest dances are to be allowed.

SECTION 9: Any person interested in or affected by the acts and ruling of any member of the Police Department in closing or vacating or causing to be vacated or closed, the place, hall, or room where any dance or hall is held or given is hereby given the right of appeal from said ruling or acts to the Board of Commissioners of the City of Cross Plains, provided said notice of appeal is filed with the City Clerk within five days from the ruling of said ruling of the Chief of Police or any member of the Police Department.

SECTION 10: The Police officers of the City of Cross Plains are hereby empowered in the case of any and all dances to enforce all rules, regulations, and ordinances relating to public dances and public dance halls, and are hereby empowered to revoke any dance permit at any time when any provision of this ordinance is, not being complied with.

SECTION 11: It shall be unlawful for any public dance or public dance hall as herein defined to be or remain open for dancing on Sunday.

SECTION 12: The provisions of this ordinance shall in no way interfere with private dances given at the private homes of reputable people or with dances given by reputable and permanently organized clubs, societies or corporations, when the attendance is restricted to the members of the society, club or corporation and their guests; provided, however, that the terms of the ordinance shall apply to any and all instances where any dance or hall is had where admission can be had by the payment of a fee or by the purchase, possession or presentation of a ticket or token or in which a charge is made for caring for clothing or other property, or to which the public generally may gain admission with or without the payment of a fee.

SECTION 13: If any provision or section of this ordinance is found or declared by any court jurisdiction to review this ordinance, to be invalid, same shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions hereof.

SECTION 14: Any person, persons, society, club or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than Twenty (\$20.00) Dollars nor more than Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars for each such offense.

SECTION 15: The fact that the local conditions creates an emergency requiring that the charter provision that all ordinances be read and passed at two separate and distinct meetings be suspended, and the same is hereby suspended when this ordinance is read and passed twice at one and the same regular session of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Cross Plains, and shall become effective immediately upon its passage and publication as required by law.

Passed and approved this 5th day of July 1939.

C. S. Martin, Mayor

L. W. Plaecke, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM BEFORE PASSAGE:

J. G. Aiken, Corporation Judge

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LOCALS Mrs. Buster Atwood and son returned to their home in Kermit after a three weeks visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Little.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moore and daughter left Monday morning for Baird where they will make their home. He will be employed in the bakery there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson of California spent the past week here visiting friends and relatives. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sims left Monday morning for a weeks vacation in Mexico.

Miss Clea Martin returned to her home Saturday after a weeks vacation in Hamlin and Cross City.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade McDaniel of Spur visited friends and relatives here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDaniel of Abilene were visitors here Friday.

KIN OF LOCAL WOMAN DROWNED NEAR HASKELL ON SATURDAY MORNING

News has been received here of the tragic death of Juanita Ray Melton, eight year old grand daughter of Mrs. W. M. Melton, of Cross Plains. The child was drowned in a tank where her sister was washing at the family home near Haskell, about 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

Juanita Ray was wading in the tank and wandered unnoticed into deep water. A physician was summoned and was on the scene when the child's body was removed from the tank. All efforts to restore life, however, were to no avail.

Funeral services were held Sunday and a large concourse of friends gathered to pay last respects to the beloved little child and extend sympathy to the bereaved family. The Meltons formerly lived at Pioneer and Rising Star, and Juanita Ray attended school at Pioneer.

Mrs. Pemberton Is Hostess To Club

Members of the Delta Kappa club met in the home of Mrs. E. E. Pemberton Wednesday afternoon of last week when they were entertained with two tables of contra bridge.

Mrs. T. S. Holden was high score winner for the afternoon.

At refreshment time the hostess passed a plate of banana salad, sandwiches, apricot pie topped with whipped cream, pickles and orangeade to the following guests: Misses T. S. Holden, Fred Cuthbert, J. H. McGowan, Edwin Ramm, V. A. Underwood, Jack Scott and Miss Bobbie Lee Westerman.

Mrs. George Thomas had as her guest this week her sister in law of Miles.

RUSTIC THOUGHTS By Earl A. McDowell

If everybody could make up their mind as quick as some of us can change it this would be a mighty fast world.

Most people are so busy dreaming of success that they don't have time to achieve it.



Ran into Webb Ruff recently in Austin. The aviator and former theatre manager—breezy, red-headed and likeable—regaled a group of us with reminiscences of a tour he made with Will Wood and Old Rip, soon after the horned frog awoke from his 31-year nap in Eastland. (Wood's father told, before the old courthouse was torn down, of having placed a frog in the cornerstone.)

In Dallas, as the sheriff was leaving with Old Rip after having a writ of attachment in a lawsuit, Ruff called out: "That frog is worth \$30,000 and if anything happens to him, you can count on having a lawsuit yourself."

The sheriff halted in his tracks and inquired anxiously: "What do you feel him?" Ruff grinned and shook his head. "Don't you come along and help me take care of him?" the officer pleaded.

Again Ruff's reply was a shake of the head. So the perspiring sheriff quickly approved a bond, handed the frog back and mopped his brow in relief.

When a self-styled scientist in St. Louis proclaimed that the frog was a fraud, another St. Louisian offered to bet \$10,000 that Old Rip was on the level. Ruff and Wood consulted a lawyer with the idea of bringing a libel suit against the scoffer. The attorney told them he doubted that the law covered the reputation of a frog but the threat of litigation silenced the detractor, anyway.

Ruff told also about their visit to the White House. President Coolidge and the frog stared unblinkingly at each other for a full minute. "Silent Cal" had met his match and he murmured admiringly, "Most remarkable."

More entries in the "oldest joke" contest: George Jean Nathan, the famous New York dramatic critic, once remarked that the most ancient stage jest was the one about the man who invented a dill pickle compass—to show which way the pickle would squirt.

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If you can stand one more, there's the story about the two men who were lost in the woods and had been without food for hours. One of them, a real optimist, spoke up, "If we had some ham, we'd have some eggs."

Vagrant memories from south of the Rio Grande: Into a single day were packed a visit to Gradalupe, most sacred shrine in Mexico, the interior of its cathedral awe-inspiring; the first view of the two volcanoes, beautiful "Sleeping Lady" and magnificent Popo, a wisp of smoke rising from the latter; the Aztec monastery, with its ancient books and decaying colonnades; then the Pyramids of the Sun and the Moon, the former having a bigger base than the biggest Egyptian pyramid; and then a visit to the temple with its images hinting at the mysterious story of a "White god" who visited Mexico many centuries ago.

As one stood where thousands of Aztecs once watched weird dances and fantastic rites that were climaxed with human sacrifice, one had only to close his eyes and he could imagine the beat of drums, the plumed dancers, the gorgeously-robed priests, the prostrate body of the victim, the uplifted knife of obsidian, the plunge of the blade, and then the heart still beating—lifted up in tribute to the sun.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Clark of Fort Worth visited here Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Clark. They were enroute to the World's Fair in California for a six weeks vacation.

Otto Bordenkircher, staff writer on the Fort Worth Star Telegram, who visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Robertson of Rising Star over the week end, was in Cross Plains Monday morning.

Poley Williams was in Brownwood Monday afternoon. Mr. Williams has been ill for some time now, however his many friends are hoping for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. T. E. Marshall and sons, of Shreveport, Louisiana, and Mrs. Leonora Gott, of Abilene, visited in the home of Mrs. W. J. Gray here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnell and family visited with friends and relatives in Sipe Springs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Varner and Miss Verda Gray were in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sweetwater, of Sweetwater, was in Cross Plains Thursday afternoon.

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LYRIC THEATRE BROWNWOOD, TEXAS FRI-SAT: 11-15 HENRY FONDA "Young Mr. Lincoln" SAT. MIDNIGHT SUN-MON: 15-17 JACK BENNY, DOROTHY LAMOUR "Man About Town" TUE-WED: 18-19 ANN SOTHERN, ROBERT YOUNG "MAISIE" Special Kiddie Matinee Saturday Morning at 9:30 FRI-SAT: 14-15

THE BOOK SHELF

Lexie Dean Robertson "On this book shelf always look for anything except a book"

Up at Oklahoma University last week I covered myself with confusion and embarrassment as a result of my well-known inability to remember people. One of my very best friends whom I see only once every year or three, Dr. H. Hubbard, President of Texas State College for women at Deaton dropped in at the Writers Conference one evening. Now for some months I had been in communication with

Dr. Hubbard who is one of my very favorite college presidents—he has even very graciously invited me to be on his own Writers Conference program next February and no unexpected visitor from Texas could have given me more pleasure by his appearance, so when I didn't recognize him I would have been happy for an earthquake, or a bolt from Mars to have struck just before I had to confess that I couldn't quite remember who he was! He doesn't know it but if my own husband had unexpectedly appeared the chances are I wouldn't have known him either. It is a fact that once in Fort Worth when I had spent the night with a much loved cousin whom I had seen once or twice a year for at least ten years, I didn't know her next day when she unexpectedly attended the meeting where I was scheduled to speak. The papers are full of remedies for most human ailments; why doesn't somebody discover one for "face-blindness"?

When you read this I shall be on my way to the tall cold mountains! The journey as planned by LHR includes a few weeks in New Mexico and Colorado, then to the Pacific Coast where I hope to see something of Hollywood, the Fair at San Francisco (but if necessary I'll skip that in favor of China Town); then a leisurely trip up the Coast Highway through the redwood forests with detours to Yosemite and Crater Lake till we reach Seattle and on to Vancouver; across Canada to Glacier Park, and homeward via Yellowstone Park, Salt Lake, and Grand Canyon! It's a nice trip if I can get it! JER hasn't said yet whether we can stay that long or go that far, but I have accepted invitations to give poetry-readings all along the way and it would be too bad to disappoint an audience!

After this week, the Book Shelf will be a travel letter till I am home again. I wish you would write to me too!

Have you decided yet what you think about the name for this column? I can think of dozens of good ones but the trouble is somebody else is already using those!

It is time I was getting away from home and seeing something of the great world. Passing through Fort Worth last week I had a handful of air mail letters to post. Looking for an air mail box, I tried to post my letters first in a fire alarm box, and next in a traffic control box. Finally I spied a box indisputably marked U.S. mail so I hastily dropped them in, only to discover that I had mailed those important letters in a box meant for packages only!

I'm trying to learn how to pronounce some of the places I mean to see. When I was in school that taught me to say Albnkirik but now I hear people saying and so do I. Albnkiriky! When I read at the University of New Mexico at Albuquerque next week I'll find out what is right and let you know. But no matter who pronounces Colorado to rhyme with "pay dough" or "shadow" it will always be "rah do" to me!

Dr. Jim Pentecost of Winters and Mrs. Laura Lewis of Olney visited their sister, Mrs. C. C. Westerman, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Barr and daughter of Abilene were week end visitors here.

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Those attending were: Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Poe, Miss Effie Wood, Mrs. Tom Cox, Mrs. Jack Graves, Mrs. Etta Booth, Mrs. A. L. Dean, Mrs. M. F. Houser, Mrs. Rosa Ridgeway, Mrs. A. J. Mathis and Mrs. Westerman.

In a meeting July 24, at the church all ladies are urged to bring canned goods to send to the Baptist hospital.

Mrs. M. E. Howell Entertains Club

Mrs. M. E. Howell was hostess when she entertained members of the 42 club with two tables at her home Thursday afternoon of last week.

High score for the afternoon went to Mrs. Walter Rudloff.

At refreshment time the hostess passed a plate of sandwiches, cookies and punch to the following guests: Mmes. Walter Rudloff, E. E. Thate, Tom Cox, Curtis Strickland, Melvin Haney, H. A. Young, and Miss Lucille Willis.

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Fish Production

Note: The author wishes to thank Walton Baum, superintendent and L. A. Proctor, assistant superintendent of the Cisco Fish Hatchery, Cisco, Texas, for the following information on a year's work in fish production at one of our state fish hatcheries. Fish production habits and fish hatchery operations are explained.

The Cisco Fish Hatchery is located below the hollow dam at Lake Cisco, five miles north of the city. The hatchery has 29 acres under fence and 22 ponds that cover a total of 12 surface acres. This hatchery produced a total of about 390,500 fish last year and were distributed over this area of Central Texas.

About January 1, of each year the ponds are cleaned out and filled with pure, untreated water and brood fish are then placed in the ponds. These ponds are above five feet deep and contain about one-half acre each. Along the last of February the fertilization of the ponds is started. Either barn yard manure or any commercial fertilizer is used in order to have the ponds rich to produce daphnia and other aquatic foods for the young fish.

Raising of Bass

When the water reaches a temperature of about 60 degrees, near the middle of March, the male bass builds a nest and then drives a female to the nest to deposit her eggs. She then leaves the nest and never returns. The male fertilizes the eggs and cares for them until they hatch and the small bass, or fry, leaves the nest. The eggs hatch in about 10 to 15 days. If the water temperature suddenly drops below 55 degrees the eggs will be killed. After the eggs hatch the fry is trapped out of the brooding ponds and placed in rearing ponds, which have been heavily fertilized. These ponds are stocked at the rate of 20,000 fry per surface acre of water and are to be grown to a length of three inches or better before being supplied to the public waters of the state.

About three pair of brood crappie per surface acre of water are placed in the brood ponds. Each crappie will lay not less than 25,000 eggs. Adult broam and crappie will remain in the ponds with the young and are fed daily, and a strong effort is made to supply abundance of food for every fish; so growth will be uniform and the tendency to eat each other will be lessened.

Broam will deposit its eggs from the middle of April to September in water that is about 70 degrees. Broam are placed in the brood ponds at the rate of 10 pair per surface acre of water. Broam will lay about 10,000 eggs.

Catfish

Catfish production is very interesting, because the process is so different compared to methods of other fish production. Wire pens are constructed on wooden frames and are built in water about two feet deep. In the pen is placed a ten gallon milk can to serve as a nest. A male and female is placed in this pen about the middle of April. The male by the action of his tail cleans the can inside and the surface is polished. The female is driven into the can to deposit her eggs. She is then driven out and the male cares for the eggs, which are like jelly and about the size of a double fist, until they hatch. The hatchery attendant observes the eggs every day and when they hatch the can and small catfish are removed to a rearing pond to grow to a length of about three to five inches before being released in public waters of the State.

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state. About the 10th of June there develops a variety of sizes in the bass rearing ponds due to the fact that some have not fed as much as others. The larger sizes will slowly exterminate the others. The growing ponds are then drained and bass are placed in ponds according to sizes to continue growing. At this time the ponds are stocked at the rate of 5,000 bass per acre of water and the growing continues till the fall distribution in September.

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Catfish production is very interesting, because the process is so different compared to methods of other fish production. Wire pens are constructed on wooden frames and are built in water about two feet deep. In the pen is placed a ten gallon milk can to serve as a nest. A male and female is placed in this pen about the middle of April. The male by the action of his tail cleans the can inside and the surface is polished. The female is driven into the can to deposit her eggs. She is then driven out and the male cares for the eggs, which are like jelly and about the size of a double fist, until they hatch. The hatchery attendant observes the eggs every day and when they hatch the can and small catfish are removed to a rearing pond to grow to a length of about three to five inches before being released in public waters of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Tyson of Coleman were the guests of Mrs. J. W. Tyson here Sunday.

Mrs. J. Walter Jones has as her guests her daughter and two children of Kansas.

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EVENT RUNS 1 DAY PAST SCHEDULE DUE TO BIG ENTRY LIST

Cross Plains first invitation tournament, which ran a day longer than scheduled due to an unusually large entry list, was concluded Wednesday afternoon.

Play which started Monday morning continued all that day and Tuesday, and was then carried on in the gymnasium Tuesday night until nearly midnight.

Results of the individual matches appear hereunder. Unless otherwise designated players are from Cross Plains.

Men's Singles, First Round Jack Clemmer, of Clyde, lost to Billy Mack Smith 2-6, 6-2, 6-4; Tommy Holden, Jr., lost to Hoyt Byrd, of Williams, 6-2, 7-5; Gene Finley, of Baird, lost to Donald Allen, of Putnam, 6-4, 3-6, 6-0; Harold Barclay, lost to James Rhodes, of Putnam, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3; Norman Benson, lost to George Steakley, of Abilene, 6-1, 6-3; Jim Tom Lawrence, of Baird, lost to Frank Sunderman, of Putnam, 3-6, 8-6, 6-2; Billy Davidson defeated Elmer Brown, of Clyde, 6-4, 6-4; Paul Campbell lost to James Pack, of Pioneer, 10-8, 1-6, 6-3.

Men's Singles, Second Round Smith defeated Byrd 6-3, 4-6, 6-3; Allen defeated Rhodes 6-4, 3-6, 6-0; Steakley defeated Sunderman 6-1, 6-3; Davidson trimmed Pack 10-8, 6-0.

Final In Men's Singles Allen defeated Smith 6-3, 4-6, 6-3; Steakley defeated Davidson, 6-2, 6-1.

Final In Women's Singles In one of the classic matches of the tournament Allen dived Steakley for the championship in the men's singles 7-5, 4-6, 6-2.



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Tennis Tournament

(Continued from page 30) Tommy Holden, Jr., and others whose names had not been learned by the Review.

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PUTNAM

W. P. Everett of Abilene spent Sunday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett.

Mrs. R. L. Buckanan has been on the sick list this week.

Miss Probie Stewart has been quite ill at her home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett and son, Mrs. A. B. Everett visited, Levi Everett who recently suffered severe burns at Comanche.

C. W. Wortley and R. J. Young of Cottonwood were business visitors in Putnam Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coats of Adminal were Putnam visitors Monday.

Tire's Last Few Miles May Cost Motorist Most

Intelligent economy which means money in pocket, but not at the hazard of damage to property or personal injury, is something to be commended and a factor in which every thinking citizen of today is interested.

EASTLAND COUNTY IS MOST DEBT RIDDEN OF WEST TEXAS AREA

Eastland county is the most debt ridden county in West Texas, according to the state auditor's report, Taylor county is second, with Brown county coming for third place.

SHOWER COMPLIMENTS BRIDE SATURDAY AT HOME IN COTTONWOOD

Mrs. Norman Coffey and Miss Faye Purvis honored Mrs. Vernon Townsend with a shower in the home of Mrs. W. O. Peavy at Cottonwood Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Townsend, until her marriage on July 1, was Miss Yrma Sudderth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Sudderth formerly of Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Townsend left Monday, July 11 for Santa Maria, California, where they make their home. En-route they plan to visit in Brownfield, Carlsbad Cavern and other places of interest.

Mrs. Townsend received many useful gifts. Games were played and ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mesdames W. O. Peavy, Floyd Coffey, J. F. Coffey, Fred Kelley, L. J. Sudderth, Lloyd Bryan, John McElroy, Sublet Peavy, Turner Peavy, S. A. Moore, Irene Swan, Marvin Clark, J. S. Gafford, and Howard Strahan.

Misses Belnah Respass, Ruth and Nylene Gary and the hostesses, Thelma and Mrs. Anderson.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames W. B. Varner, Ross Respass, J. E. Forbes, Harry Coppinger, J. M. Sparks, and Juanella Obera Respass, and Dixie Ann, Misses Hazel Respass and Eunice Hem-bree.

TEXAS POET LAUREATE MAKES SPEECH TOUR U. S. AND CANADA

Lexie Dean Robertson, poet laureate of Texas, accompanied by her secretary, Mrs. H. C. Gray, of Rising Star, left by automobile this week on a trip giving personal appearance programs that will take her over the greater part of western and northwestern United States and into British Columbia.

The party will travel by automobile visiting the scenic spots along the route, arriving in the program cities in time for the evening engagements.

C. R. Nordyke of Baird was a visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Helms and daughter of Big Spring arrived here this week for a visit.

Mrs. C. B. Gregory of De Leon visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson here Saturday.

Dale McCook was in Abilene Wednesday.

Cuba is shipping coffee to France, Spain and Czechoslovakia.

London has organized a women's auxiliary fire department.

Production of rose oil in Turkey last year aggregated 612 pounds.

Japan shipped 7,000,000 gallons of beer into China last year.

Reunion Of Woody Family Attended By Local People

Meeting at Kendrick park in Callahan county last Sunday, the Woody family held its second annual reunion. Games, and picture taking provided the entertainment.

A picnic lunch was served to the following: T. T. Woody, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Younglove and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Woody and family, Mrs. J. A. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hill and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Blesker and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Edmonds and children all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Blankenship and family of Albion; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Graham and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Blankenship and children of Clyde.

Mrs. Della Graham and son of Sidney, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shelton and baby of Sipe Springs; Theodore Nordyke of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Strahan, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion and children, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Woody and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woody, Mrs. Molly Woody, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody and children of Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Woody and children of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Campbell and son, Clarence Ledbetter of Fort Griffin; L. H. and Robert Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Götter and children, all of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Myrtle Prior of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Woody, Robert and Myrtle Younglove, Mrs. Y. B. Johnson and children and Mrs. Minnie Porter of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Woody and children of Big Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Porter of Ardmore, Oklahoma; J. J. Porter and daughter of Burkett.

Mrs. Herman Pool and son of Holtville, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Champion and son of Lawa; Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Moody and children of Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Protor and family of Cross Plains.

BROTHER AND SISTER ENTERTAIN COLEMAN KIWANIS LAST WEEK

Jack and Dorothy Ripper, music pupils of Mrs. Florence L. Beakley, of Burkett, entertained the Kiwanis Club at Coleman during their regular weekly luncheon hour Tuesday of last week with several songs and piano numbers.

Carlos McDermott was a Fort Worth visitor Tuesday.

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PIONEER Mrs. Sidney Hughes of Wink and mother, Mrs. Will McGowan of Cross Plains spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Hughes. Mr. Charlie Ellis and family of Longview and Mrs. Charlie Huntington and son of Cisco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fore and family Sunday. The many friends of L. W. Puncake are glad to know that he is improving in health, also that Mrs. Puncake has recovered from blood poisoning caused from washing a pipe on her face. Rev. A. A. Palmer preached at the Baptist church Sunday night. He has accepted the call as their pastor. The Revival meeting will start at the Baptist church Sunday, July 16th. Rev. Bradford of Brownwood doing the preaching. Everyone invited to come. Mrs. Joe Pack, Mrs. A. Harris Miss Ina Pyle, Mrs. John Fore, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Brooks and daughter, Zimrod attended work- ers conference at Cisco last Thurs- day. Edsel Millwee of Donnell is vis- iting friends and relatives here. James Pack who is working in Brownwood spent the week end with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Starkey and family and Norma Jean Hunt- ington attended a family reunion of Mrs. Starkey's family at Buffalo Gap Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson McKin- nery are the proud parents of a 10 pound baby girl, July 8th. News was received from the R. W. Lawrence family last week that they were liking their new home in Teague just fine. Misses Dorris Jenn and Lexia Dean Marshall spent last week visiting friends in Cross Plains. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Phillips and

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