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I have purchased the various goods from Mr. B. L. Pate and at the same stand in Rising Star.

keep a large and complete stock of goods and to sell at a price that will show low profits and quick turnover. Our new idea of doing things is our idea of doing things and we hope to merit your trade.

acquainted.....

ow that the "Latch String" is at this store. I am anxious to be acquainted. We are just waiting for nothing pleases us more than to hold old ones.

patronizing this store for the first time has operated it with an invitation to continue to do so. We have come to Rising Star and we are always willing to do what we know how.

Ferrington

TEXAS

the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Eubanks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berry Baird spent Sunday night in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wiley of Eufaula are visiting his mother, Mrs. J. H. Hill.

Buckie Coats and J. W. Leavelle of Baird were in Adm. S. M. ...

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bonds of Baird spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Connie Brown.

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thing but the States that can money without using."

The Cross Plains Review

(SERVING THE LARGEST SHALLOW OIL FIELD ON EARTH)

Without offense to friends or foes we sketch Cross Plains exactly as it goes.

INTEREST KEEN IN STOCK SHOW HERE

Home Town Schedule Trips To Atwell And Pioneer Gossip

honor made by the Review last week in giving the sheet its thirteenth date, the actual date was February 13, placed me in a very embarrassing position.

paper had been off the press more than 15 minutes when the boys as: Chas. F. Hemphill, Barr, Pat Allen, Mrs. W. ...

Saturday morning the thing did not all over again. Calendars sent in by: Joe B. McAdams, ...

from Clyde came a neatly prepared postcard on which was pasted our false date as clipped last week's issue. This friend, ...

Being a man of speed, Sheriff Anderson Nordyke wired from Baird. "Beware of Friday the thirteenth."

Further adding insult to injury, Hal Hollingshead addressed his letter, Jark (Wrong Way, or Half Right) Scott.

Nothing builds a town more substantially than friendliness. It is of a neighborly community in which people build homes and lay plans for permanent residence.

Cross Plains has all the God-given requirements for a good sized little city. Mother nature has blessed us abundantly, it only remains for us as men and women to do our parts.

Stretch the old smile a little broader, make the handclasp a little stronger.

The girls basketball tournament here this week end promises some real entertainment to sports loving fans. If Cross Plains girls come through victorious they may lay an undisputed claim to the title of West Central Texas champions.

They'll be faced with some mighty tough opposition, however, for each of the other three competing teams is pointing for a Cross Plains upset.

BE FRIENDLY RITES FOR MRS. W. L. PARKER HERE SATURDAY

MEETINGS AT EACH PLACE TO BE HELD IN SCHOOL HOUSES

Farmers of the Atwell and Pioneer vicinities will be officially invited to join the truck crop movement being sponsored by the Cross Plains chamber of commerce.

First meeting is to be in the Atwell school building Monday night at seven thirty. Then Tuesday night a similar meeting will be held in the auditorium of the Pioneer school building.

Director Dale McCook and his high school band will accompany the delegations and render concerts at both Atwell and Pioneer.

Already assured of nearly 1,000 acres of such crops as: water melons, cantaloupes, tomatoes, etc. plans for advertising Cross Plains as a logical marketing center are now going forward.

Several farmers who have planted truck crops the past few years are expected to make the Monday and Tuesday trips and relate their experiences.

INFANT CHILD LAID TO REST THURSDAY

Carey Joe, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morrow, Jr., of Oklahoma, was laid to rest in the Cross Plains cemetery Thursday afternoon.

Out of town people here for the funeral included: Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Kennon and son, Donald Neal of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morrow, Sr., Big Spring, Mrs. E. S. Hamlin of Putnam, and Albert Wilson of Davidson, Oklahoma.

BURKETT AND CROSS PLAINS BREAK EVEN

Before a packed gymnasium, Cross Plains and Burkett high schools split even in a twin basketball program here Monday night.

Burkett boys are Coleman county champions and Cross Plains enjoys the same distinction in Callahan county.

"THINGS LEFT UNDONE" IS PASTOR'S SUBJECT

Girls Cage Champion For West Central Texas To Be Named Here Saturday Night

Officially girls basketball does not go beyond the county tournaments but Rising Star, Cross Cut, Pioneer and Cross Plains fans believe a tournament to be played here this week and will determine the most outstanding sextet in West Central Texas.

Competing will be Rising Star, champion of Eastland county; Cross Cut, Brown county title-holder; Cross Plains, Callahan county champion, and Pioneer, who has been nosed out in two tournaments by a single point by their county champion.

Comparative dope indicates no favorite. Any of the four teams is given a good chance to win.

Friday night Rising Star meets Cross Cut in the opener, and Cross Plains and Pioneer tangle in the finale.

Omar Burkett Outlines Duties As State Representative And Gives His Position

To date there have been introduced in the House of Representatives, 464 bills, covering every conceivable kind of legislation.

A bill, when filed with the Chief Clerk, is brought to the floor of the House for first reading and then referred to the proper committee on that particular subject.

There has been much said, and is being said over the State, about the lack of work being done and accomplished by the Legislature.

For the information of the citizens of my district, and elsewhere, there are 11 separate and distinct committees appointed from the membership of the House, which is comprised of 250 members.

I have been assigned a place on Common Carriers, Highways and Motor Traffic, Privileges, Suffrage and Elections, Public Printing and Judicial Districts.

Resides these assignments I have been assigned by the Chairman of each committee, on two different sub-committees, the latter having to do with checking and reading all bills and recommending back to the whole committee recommendations as to whether hearings are desired by the author of the bill.

Another controversial matter before the people of the State is the proposed increase in the truck load limit. Many bills have been introduced on this particular subject and I want to state to our people, and the general public that this question has two sides to it.

I have heretofore stated to our friends, my stand on tax matters. Various bills have been introduced raising revenue, making appropriations, and many proposals have been made for new set-ups and divisions.

I want to state to you frankly again, that I am, in no uncertain terms, opposed to separate bureaus and commissions being created now or at any time, for such would only mean more taxes for the common men and average citizens to pay.

I have received many letters, in fact, I now receive many letters, in 20 letters per day, four-fifths of them from my district, and the balance elsewhere from over the state, regarding matters before me on my committee assignments.

(Continued on back page)

BOTH LOCAL GIRLS AND BOYS VICTORS IN COUNTY TOURNEY

Cross Plains boys and girls basketball teams swept Callahan county honors at Baird Saturday night in the inter-scholastic league tournament.

The Buffaloes defeated the Baird boys in the final game, 25-15, earning the right to compete in the district tournament at Breckenridge.

In earlier games, Cross Plains beat Eula, 33-12, while Baird advanced to the finals by downing Clyde, 23-14, and Denton, 43-27.

The Cross Plains girls beat Eula in the game, 47-18. High scorer in the game was Foster, Cross Plains forward, with 24 points. The local girls scored 147 points in the county tourney compared with 46 to all of their opponents.

Lacey led the Cross Plains boys with 11 points, while Dunlap set the pace for Baird with five points.

METHODIST BISHOP VISITING DISTRICT

It was announced at a District Laymen's banquet in Stephenville last Thursday night that Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of the Methodist church will be in Cross Plains Monday, February 27.

As to the proposal of the Governor to raise revenues by a Transaction Tax. For your information this proposal was given to the Legislature in the form of a proposed constitutional amendment to allow the people to say whether or not they desire Transaction Tax, and eliminate State ad valorem taxes.

My plan would be to exempt from State tax, all properties up to \$10,000.00. This would take care of the small home owner, the small farm and ranch owner and still require a large revenue from corporations, foreigners and citizens outside of our State.

MRS. BRYAN BENNETT RECREATIONAL LEADER FOR COTTONWOOD CLUB

Cottonwood home demonstration club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sub Peery with 15 members present.

Following the business meeting, Mrs. H. S. Varner, Mrs. Elton Jennings and Mrs. Floyd Coffey, gave very interesting discussions on the economic conditions of farm families in the South.

Those present were: Miss Beulah Respass and Mesdames H. S. Varner, Marvin Clark, R. E. Baker, Walker Respass, J. F. Coffey, Elton Jennings, Steve Gafford, Bryan Bennett, Howard Strahan, John Coats, Floyd Coffey, S. E. Archer, Sub Peery and Norman Coffey.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Richard Thompson Friday afternoon February 24, at which time Miss Clara Brown will give a discussion and demonstration on back grounds for rooms in the home. All members are urged to be present and visitors are cordially invited.

R. Elliott Bryant was a business visitor in San Antonio this week.

Mesdames Fred Outbrith, Edwin Hamn, Jr., and Jack Scott visited in Anson Thursday.

Work is progressing nicely on highway 36 Westward from Cross Plains. About six miles of road bed has been thrown up and building of bridges and culverts will get underway shortly.

DO RANCHMEN WANT FEDERAL TRAPPER?

Do Callahan county ranchers want a federal trapper to come here and trap for wolves, or had they rather continue the present plan of paying bounties? County Commissioners have called a public meeting to be held in the courthouse Monday morning at 10 o'clock to determine the wishes of the majority.

At present the county pays a bounty of \$300 on female wolves, \$100 on males, and \$250 on pups.

20 ranchmen from the West side of the county met with the court this week and asked that the bounties be discontinued and a government trapper be employed.

Others have expressed dissatisfaction to a government trapper and prefer to continue the bounty payments. Commissioners at a loss to know which of the two plans is most acceptable have called the public meeting, and ask that all interested be present Monday morning.

Varner Says He'll Beat Tallest Girl Cage Team In Texas

Coach Leo Varner, whose Cross Plains girls last week annexed the county championship and are this week end playing in a round robin tournament here for the unofficial crown of West Central Texas, yesterday openly admitted that he expected to defeat the towering Highland sextet here February 24 and 25.

Highland has entered seven tournaments this season and emerged victorious on seven occasions. The team, said to be the tallest girls high school basketball team in Texas, has lost only one game this season. That was to Meadow, last year's A.A.U. winner, however, the following night the Highlanders came back to trounce Meadow by nine points.

Senior heifers (milk stock from 12 to 18 months of age) Donnell Clark, one and Bobby Pyle one. Junior heifers (milk stock below 12 months of age) Vernon Huntington, Jerry Angeley, Larry McDonough, Edward Bennett, Horace Smith, one each.

GAY MARITAL MIX-UP ENLIVEN JOE PENNERS "GO CHASE YOURSELF"

A merry marital mix-up in which a bank clerk unwittingly kidnaps a fleeing heiress and the clerks wife becomes involved with the tower of side-splitting situations heiress' titled fiance, provides a Joe Penner's newest laugh film, "Go Chase Yourself", to show at the Liberty theatre Tuesday and Wednesday.

The comedy of errors begins when Penner, a daffy bank teller, is kidnaped by a gang of bandits after they have cracked his bank, and escape in their captive's luxurious trailer.

When they encounter a beautiful heiress fleeing her scheduled marriage to a money-seeking count, the thugs inveigle Penner into a wittingly kidnapping the heiress.

Lucille Ball, as Penner's hard-boiled wife, sets out in search of her lost husband and finds herself shadowed by police on a train. She passes herself off as a cousin to one of the passengers, who happens to be the jilted foreign Count. The situation leads to screamingly funny events when the pair encounter the heiress' family and Penner and the girl show up on the scene.

How the gangsters are foiled in their escape when Penner gives the police a clue during a remote control broadcast from a trailer camp, and how the marital situation is ultimately straightened out, leads to one of the most hilarious finishes seen in many months in "Go Chase Yourself," an RKO Radio Picture.

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James Perry, of Clyde visited friends here this week.

EXPOSITION IS SET FOR FEBRUARY 25TH; RANSON WILL JUDGE

Indications are that Cross Plains F.F.A. chapter's sixth annual fat stock show to be held here the last Saturday in this month, February 25, will far surpass all previous expositions. Prizes are expected to be greater, more animals will be exhibited and interest and competition are believed keener.

19 calves, 38 fat pigs, six fat lambs, seven Jersey heifers and four pens of white leghorn chickens are entered.

Leon C. Ranson, who judged last year's show, has been engaged again this year. Notice of his acceptance was received late last week.

Feeding milk fed calves are: Larry McDonough, two; Deel Edlington, two; Hadden Payne, two; Glen Payne, two and Ivan Clark one.

Dry lot calves: Larry McDonough, two; Hadden Payne, two; Glenn Erwin, two; Kent Davis, three and Jerry Angeley one.

Boys who have three or more calves will show three in a class for group awards.

Fat pigs: Tom Arrowood, six; Bobby Pyle, six; Merlin Franke, six; Basil Lusk, four; Colvin Lacey, two; Paul Harlow, two; Nolan Bryan, two; Wallace Bennett, two; Jerry Angeley, two; Harold Browning, two; Donnell Clark, two; Clifton Fortune, one and Wilma Clark one.

Boys who have six or more pigs will show in a group of six for additional awards.

Fat lambs: Paul Harlow, two; Basil Lusk, two; Harold Browning, two.

Senior heifers (milk stock from 12 to 18 months of age) Donnell Clark, one and Bobby Pyle one. Junior heifers (milk stock below 12 months of age) Vernon Huntington, Jerry Angeley, Larry McDonough, Edward Bennett, Horace Smith, one each.

Pens of white leghorns: (two hens and one rooster) Jack Coleman, Basil Lusk, Clayton Scott and Roy Longthornham.

JOINT SERVICES WILL BE HELD 3 TIMES BY LOCAL CONGREGATIONS

The announcement of joint services to be held by the Baptist, Presbyterian and Methodist churches three consecutive Sunday evenings preceding Palm Sunday and the proposed simultaneous revivals to be held in the respective churches is meeting the approval of the people and the pastors are looking forward to good results. The Review was told yesterday.

The local pastors will do the preaching in the joint services and each church will follow its own plan for the week before Easter. "The best preparation we can make for these services is to begin now to attend the regular services of the churches and not waiting until March 19 to start," Rev. Floyd Thrash stated this week.

BURKETT AND CROSS PLAINS PLAY AGAIN

Another basketball game between Cross Plains and Burkett boys will be played in the gymnasium here Tuesday night, it was announced shortly before press time by coaches "Beans" Morris and W. R. Chambers. The contest will start promptly at seven thirty.

Burkett meets the Comanche county champion Friday at three o'clock in the district tourney at Brownwood. Cross Plains tangles with Breckenridge quintet in this district's tourney Friday afternoon at four. The winner of the Cross Plains Breckenridge game will face the winner of Eastland and Throckmorton county in the second round.

James Perry, of Clyde visited friends here this week.

WASHINGTON NEWS



FROM CONGRESSMAN
CLYDE L. GARRETT

LEGISLATION:

A large amount of important legislation was introduced in Congress the past week. A measure providing reciprocal taxation of government salaries after December 31, 1938, and prohibition of retroactive taxation of State salaries was introduced by Chairman Doughton of the House Ways and Means Committee; Senator Capper of Kansas wants an amendment to the Constitution excluding aliens from the count in apportioning State membership in the House of Representatives; A complete report on our relations with Mexico in connection with the expropriation of our oil properties, to be made by the State Department, was asked by Representative Kennedy of New York in a resolution; Senator Thomas of Utah wants the Civilian Conservation Corps made permanent.

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FOREIGN PURCHASES OF AMERICAN GOODS:

During 1938 purchases of American goods by foreign buyers were four-fifths as large as in the boom year 1929. From this sale of goods the Americans realized more than three billion dollars; and about three million jobs for workers in factories, on farms, on railroads and the merchant marine. Goods in heaviest demand were materials, machinery and products that are important in war preparation. While the U. S. sold over three billion dollars to foreign countries, it bought only about two billion dollars' worth of their goods.

INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY:

So far, industrial activity and trade are running according to plans and expectations. There will probably be a reduction in the rate of industrial production during the month of February. Some declines have already been shown in automobile and steel output. The chief hope for a strong spring and summer revival still lays in construction. Awards of building permits and contracts are making this more certain.

LOANS TO BUSINESSMEN:

A bill has been introduced to give authority to national banks to make loans to small business or industry for capital purposes, up to a maximum of \$500,000 to a single borrower. This should hasten recovery. If farmers and home builders can be given special Federal assistance to help them straighten their credit problems, then businesses should also be given assistance.

THINK OF PEACE:

Far from being beneficial to the healthy state of mind is the present talk of alliances, armaments, aggression and other war psychology. The attempts to make us hate any foreign nation are not patriotic. We have no reason to have a defense line in the Yangtze or on the Rhine. We should be aware of war propaganda and think instead, in terms of peace. Our first thought now, and always, should be one of peace, not of war.

BALANCED BUDGET:

In order to bring about a balance in the budget, a man who is an expert on knowledge of Federal Governmental taxation and spending policies, Russell Magill, recently under Secretary of the Treasury—has outlined three methods. First a 60% increase in taxes; second, a 1.3 reduction in expenditures; and, third, a sufficient increase in the national income. Congress would rather reduce expenditures of the government than to increase taxation. Mr. Magill states that even with heavy increases in income, estate and gift taxes, it would take about three years to balance a national budget of about seven billion dollars. There is definitely need for a system of taxation that will allow a balance over a cycle of years, leaving an excess of revenue over expenditures to reduce the debt.

******* THE BOOK SHELF *******

LENAE DEAN ROBERTSON
* For anything except a book *
* On this book shelf always look *

Solace

You haven't known sorrow unless, you've stood
By the side of a little white bed,
And have heard the doctor's quiet words,

"I'm sorry; your baby is dead."
And in the midst of your stunned heartbreak
You think of the games she played,
And her simple toys and the joy she gave.

And the end of the dreams you'd made
But heal your hurt with this sweet thought—
That now the angels smile
To see your baby playing dolls
In heaven's golden aisle!

Recently a group of us were discussing prayers to teach children. I was surprised at the number who said that our old stand-by, "Now I lay me" had brought terror and confusion to childish hearts because of the suggestion in "If I should die before I wake." There is a definite lack of suitable prayer poems for small children but they can be found. If you are interested in a new one for your child and will write to me in care of this paper, concerning your special needs, I shall be happy to assist you.

Cousin Fanny told the photographer that unless he made her look as she did in her girlhood, some sixty pounds ago, she wouldn't accept her new pictures.

The current issue of the Year Book of The Poetry Society of Texas is now available. Besides the prize-winning poems of the year, the book contains a list of the members, accounts of various activities of the organization, and complete information about the Society's monthly and annual contests.

Mr. Balster's girl friend says that the only persons she excuses for using poor English are the ones who know better.

Our doctor likes for us to have a big company dinner. It always means that he not only gets a good meal but he gets a good fee the next day too.

Sometimes you can trip over an imaginary obstacle and fall harder than you would over a real one.

"Bird Below the Waves" by Benjamin F. Mosser is a collection of this well-known poet's spiritual verse, written in a period of thirty years. The huge volume of one-thousand seven hundred pages gives eloquent testimony to the growth of a beautiful soul. If certain passages seem mystical to the average reader, much remains to nourish and uplift the inner man. It is a

HEARING SET ON LOAD INCREASE FOR TRUCK

A hearing on the proposal to increase the load limit for trucks from 7,000 to 20,000 pounds, as provided in house bills 13 and 14 will be held in Austin February 21, according to Omar Borkett, state representative from the 10th floratorial district, which comprises Callahan and Eastland counties. Several truckers and supporters of the load increase are expected to attend from this county.

******* PERSONALS *******

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Meredith returned to her home in New Orleans Saturday after a two months visit here with her daughter, Mrs. R. Elliott Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Harville of Baird visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Outbirth here Sunday.

Mrs. Walton Wagner visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cravens in Meritan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith and family visited their daughter in Dallas Sunday.

notable contribution to the fifty of more volumes of prose and poetry by the eminent poet Laureate of New Jersey. "Bird Below the Waves" is published by The Magnificat Press. The quatrain quoted below will find a sympathetic heart in any crowd:

To smile when tears were all a heaven could ask,
To hope when hope lies vanquished on the sod,
To love—ah, that the unbending of the task—
To dare to have one thought and name it God!

Have you begun planning your summer vacation? It's fun even if you have to stay home. Go down to the filling station now and get some road maps. Names like Two Gun, Rabbit Ear Pass, Going to the Sun Highway, Medicine Park, Devil's River, Taos, Coeur d'Alene, can make a long winter evening last till daylight.

Written February 3, 1939

Cross Cut Pastor And Lufkin Girl Marry Recently

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Powell, of Lufkin, Texas, to Rev. Edward L. Clark, former pastor of the Cross Cut Baptist church.

The marriage was solemnized at the First Baptist church in Lufkin with the Rev. J. R. Nutt, pastor, reading the ceremony.

Mrs. Clark is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Powell and a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University. Rev. Clark is the son of Mrs. Katherine Clark of Kenedy and a graduate of Howard Payne college in Brownwood.

The couple are now making their home in Fort Worth.

DAUGHTER OF FORMER LOCAL COUPLE EXPIRES

Friends here will be grieved to learn of the death of the one month old daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Fox, formerly of Cross Plains who are now living at Post Oak, Texas, where he is pastor of the Post Oak Holiness Church. Death resulted from double pneumonia after an illness of one week.

Rev. Fox was formerly pastor of the Old Time Gospel Mission here.

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EASY LONG TIME PAYMENTS MAY BE ARRANGED.
COME AND SEE

Higginbothams

Cross Plains, -:- Texas

MASONS TO CELEBRATE WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY NIGHT OF FEBRUARY 23

Cross Plains lodge 627 A.F. and A.M. will hold the annual George Washington birthday celebration February 23, beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic hall here.

The Hon. Judge A. O. Newman, of Coleman, will be the principal speaker.

Members and Order Eastern Star and their families are urged to attend. Barbecue will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lane and Mrs. A. J. Mathis returned last week from a business trip to the Rio Grande Valley. Mr. Lane brought back several bushels of Texas oranges and grape fruit, which

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CROSS PLAINS, -:- TEXAS

BIRTHDAY STRIP

* Kathryn Young, Feb. 12
* Herbert Freeman, Mon. Feb. 13
* Mrs. S. P. Collins, Mon. Feb. 14
* M. L. Jones, Tues. Feb. 15
* Billy Davidson, Wed. Feb. 16
* Cheryl Lutgens, Wed. Feb. 16
* Linsey Tyson, Thurs. Feb. 17
* Dr. Mary Shellman, Feb. 17
* E. O. Adams, Fri. Feb. 17
* Fred Stacy, Sun. Feb. 19

Members of the "42" club met in the home of Mrs. Pat McNeel when they were entertained with two tables Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. E. E. Thate was high score winner for the afternoon.

At refreshment time the hostess served a plate of tuna fish sandwiches, cordoned apples, potato chips, and coffee to the following: Buddy Phillips, Martha Smith, Freddie Smith, Myrtha Westerman, John Henry McDaniels, Pattie Ruth Irvin, J. M. Westerman, Billie Porter, L. J. Clark, Hazel Clark, Wilma Clark, Ivan Clark, Robert Hodges, Becki Marshall, Melvin Darnell, Neely Earl Crisp, Norine Welby, Lester Welby, Ina Doris Gossett, Garland Gossett, Albert Atwood, "Pinky" Tolson, Evelyn Paste, Mary Jo Sheehan, O'Keefe Eakin, Mrs. Guy Westerman, Betty Jane Westerman, Guy Nell Westerman, "Uncle Dan" Atwood, Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Marshall and the hostesses.

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Mr. and Mrs. George T. Lamar of Cisco were visitors here Saturday.

Mrs. B. W. Everett of Cross Plains visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett and family in Putnam Sunday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Floyd Coffey and children and Mrs. Irene Strahan of Cottonwood.

Dr. and Mrs. Eli Powell, Mrs. C. R. Cook and Mrs. J. C. Saunders were visitors in Fort Worth Tuesday.

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J. L. Settle

"Enemy to Dirt"

News of the People! Where They're Going and Little Items About Local Celebrities At Work and

Valentine Party Is Enjoyed Friday

Misses Christene Petterson, Jamie Jordan, and Wanema Marshall were co-hostess when they entertained friends with a Valentine party Friday night at the home of the latter.

The Valentine motif was carried out in attractive colors. Refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies were served to the following: Buddy Phillips, Martha Smith, Freddie Smith, Myrtha Westerman, John Henry McDaniels, Pattie Ruth Irvin, J. M. Westerman, Billie Porter, L. J. Clark, Hazel Clark, Wilma Clark, Ivan Clark, Robert Hodges, Becki Marshall, Melvin Darnell, Neely Earl Crisp, Norine Welby, Lester Welby, Ina Doris Gossett, Garland Gossett, Albert Atwood, "Pinky" Tolson, Evelyn Paste, Mary Jo Sheehan, O'Keefe Eakin, Mrs. Guy Westerman, Betty Jane Westerman, Guy Nell Westerman, "Uncle Dan" Atwood, Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Marshall and the hostesses.

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Mrs. B. W. Everett of Cross Plains visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett and family in Putnam Sunday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Floyd Coffey and children and Mrs. Irene Strahan of Cottonwood.

Dr. and Mrs. Eli Powell, Mrs. C. R. Cook and Mrs. J. C. Saunders were visitors in Fort Worth Tuesday.

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News of the People! Where They're Going and What They're Doing Little Items About Local Celebrities At Work and Play, Pastimes and Fun

Valentine Party Is Enjoyed Friday

Misses Christene Petterson, Janice Jordan, and Wacema Marshall were co-hostess when they entertained friends with a Valentine party Friday night at the home of the latter.

Pat McNeel Home Scene Of Party

Members of the "42" club met in the home of Mrs. Pat McNeel when they were entertained with two tables Thursday afternoon of last week.

Methodist W. M. U. Convenes Monday

A regular meeting of the Methodist Missionary society was held Monday afternoon at the church.

Miss Vestal Is Hostess To Club

Miss Juanita Vestal entertained members of the Delta Kappa club with four tables of contract bridge at her home Tuesday night.

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TEACHERS ATTEND BETA Upsilon MEET IN CISCO

Celebrating the third anniversary of its founding the Beta Upsilon chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, sorority for women teachers, met in the Laguna Hotel at Cisco Saturday.

BEERY SAVES ROONEY 'STABLEMATES' SCENE

Wallace Beery's youthful experience as an animal trainer and jockey saved Mickey Rooney from being seriously injured at Hollywood Park, during a scene for "Stablemates," currently showing at the Liberty Theatre Saturday night prelude and Sunday matinee and Monday.

85th Birthday Is Celebrated Sunday

A reunion of the Westerman family was held here Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Westerman, the occasion being his eighty-fifth birthday.

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