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

Gossip Home Town

standing on a local street one morning this week a rural pencil pusher noticed two out-of-town bread bakers, an outside tailor and a traveling salesman turn up Main street and begin peddling their wares.

At the same afternoon hurrying in the "main drag" our eye caught by quite a crowd gathered about the wagon of a super salesman, dispenser of goods, medicines, not-so-good and what-nots. Hardly an hour later, when we were about to forget for a time the joys of our little city, a Mexican fruit peddler knocked on the door of a local farmer to sell a quantity of fruit and oranges.

Over the question of how progress and growth of cities in Cross Plains, we drifted into a line of thought that has not yet come to a close.

There are in our little city three tailors and a number of ladies' dressmakers. In some instances, the tailors are in competition with the dressmakers. The Cross Plains tailors, needless to say, give support to churches and other organizations. The dressmakers, on the other hand, are in competition with the tailors.

It is not the intention of this column to injure the feelings of anyone by elaborating on this matter, in fact, that is the one thing WE CERTAINLY DO NOT WANT TO DO. It does appear, however, that some town newspaper should mention the cause of every man, woman and child in the community, and although we are all far short of this objective, such is our intention.

Philpeco country club's seventh annual invitation golf tournament is under way today, as shotguns from all over the oil belt are posting qualifying scores. The tournament begins Saturday morning.

Looking back through our files we find that the past six invitations have wound up thusly: 1932: Gild Faircloth, of Ranger, defeated B. P. Bludworth of Brownwood for the first trophy title. 1933: J. T. Hammett, when a money lad of barely 15 years, won the championship by downing Bludworth in a hotly contested match.

1934: J. T. Hammett again breezily victory with a comparatively young "Santy" Hogan, of Hamford. 1935: Sam Conner, of Eastland, over Hammett on the nine-hole green in the most spectacular match ever played up to time on the local links. 1936: Hammett defeated H. G. (Continued on back page)

AREA HAS RECORD FRUIT CROP

More Than 80 Golfers Compete at Philpeco

7TH ANNUAL EVENT GETS UNDERWAY AT LOCAL CLUB TODAY

With five full flights of 16 players each virtually assured, indications are that Philpeco country club's seventh annual invitation self tournament which gets underway Friday, will outstrip all of its predecessors. Qualifying rounds are to be completed by six o'clock Friday afternoon, at which time the long driving contest will be held.

A barbeque supper will be served at the club-house Friday night, immediately followed by the cabaret pool.

More than 80 golfers are almost assured, according to L. E. Cates, tournament chairman. Among the favorites who will compete here are: Bob Sikes, who last week won the Ranger country club's invitation event; J. T. Hammett, defending champion and four times titlist; Alvah Harrell, South Bend swinger; Sam Conner, of Eastland a former Philpeco champion and runner-up to Sikes at Ranger last week end; Alton Pope, of Mineral Wells who won the long driving contest at Ranger and has a string of tournament conquests to his credit; Bob Harle, of Fort Worth whose ability is well known to local golfers due to the fact that he has often competed here; Grover Austin from Pampa who has been playing practice rounds at the club all week and is said to be one of the foremost shotmakers from the Plains country. There will doubtless be others of golfing prominence to compete here, however, nothing definite had been learned as the Review went to press.

Among those who expressed their intention of making the Philpeco invitation, but who have not yet showed up are: Doug Jones, last year's runner-up and Obie Bristol, the man-mountain from Big Spring.

More than \$250 worth of prizes will be distributed among the winners, runners-up and consolation winners of the five flights. The awards have been on display at the Citizens State Bank in Cross Plains this week. Those who have viewed the awards say they are by far the most elaborate ever given by the club.

Qualifying scores already posted include: Earl Pittman, Gorman, 89; Billy Hamrick, Gorman, 90; Bill Allison, Breckenridge, 73; R. L. Perkins, Breckenridge, 85.

Former local golfers who have notified they will return here to play in this year's tourney are: Floyd Joyce, of Frankell; J. W. (Continued on back page)

Duke of Windsor Answers Rising Star Man

RISING STAR, June 6.—Burgess Baggett, youthful Baptist minister of Rising Star, this morning was the proud recipient of a letter from the duke of Windsor.

Baggett had written a letter of appreciation to the duke on his recent radio address at Verdun, France.

The letter from the former English king said in part: "I wish to thank you for your letter, and to say how gratified and encouraged I am to know that you are in sympathy with my broadest message."

Chas. F. Hemphill Weds Albany Lady Sunday Afternoon

Marriage of Thelma Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gordon of Albany, and Charles F. Hemphill, Cross Plains, was solemnized Sunday at the Matthews Memorial Presbyterian church in Albany.

The Rev. J. A. Owen read the service as the couple stood before an altar with a background of Boston ferns flanked with all baskets of pink gladioluses and statice.

The bride's only attendant was her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jason O. Gordon of Farwell. She wore a dress of powder blue chiffon with matching hat and a corsage of pink cornflowers.

Mr. Hemphill's best man was Jason O. Gordon, brother of the bride, while ushers were Frank M. Book, of Sana Webb and Frank King.

Immediately after the ceremony, the couple left for a short trip to South Texas. They will live in Rankin.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Jason O. Gordon, Farwell; Mrs. Emma F. Hemphill, Ross; Henry, Emmarie and Ann Hemphill, Rankin; Mrs. Paul Bonse, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Rigley of Ranger; Judge and Mrs. M. S. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Granger, Mrs. L. O. Mohr and Mrs. Maude Malone, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Jenkins, Seymour; and Dr. and Mrs. Allen, Breckenridge.

Mrs. W. C. Wilkerson of Eastland and her sister of San Antonio visited here in the home of Mrs. C. H. Wright Saturday.

Miss Pauline Payne of East Texas arrived here the first part of the week for a visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Neek and son, Junior, were San Saba visitors Sunday.

150 CAUGHT AT ROOSTER FIGHT, NORDYKE MAKES 12 ARRESTS ON SUNDAY

Sheriff C. R. Nordyke and three deputies raided a place 18 miles southwest of Baird—near Eagle Cove—Sunday afternoon and dispersed a crowd of about 150, which had allegedly gathered to participate in cock fighting.

O. C. Nations, of Abilene, was charged with ownership of the "pit" and was charged with gaming along with 11 others.

Complaints that rooster fighting had been going on for some time were lodged with the sheriff's department, and Nordyke and his deputies declare they intend to stamp out the practice in this country.

CEMETERY COMMITTEE AT BURKETT TO MEET 1ST MONDAY IN MONTH

Ernest Martin, chairman of the board of directors of Burkett cemetery association, has announced that members of the executive committee will meet the first Monday of each month and discharge such business as may be necessary.

Anyone having suggestions pertaining to how the cemetery may be beautified or better kept is urged to attend these meetings and submit their proposals, he said.

Frank Jennings is caretaker of the Burkett cemetery for the ensuing 12 months, and anyone wishing special work is urged to contact him at his convenience.

BAND PRACTICE WILL BEGIN JUNE EIGHTH

In accordance with previous plans, the high school band will hold regular practices throughout the summer—meeting each Monday and Thursday at 7:30 in the evening. The first meeting will be Thursday evening June 8th, in the high school auditorium.

The band will be rated on a new system both this summer and the following school year. This system places more of a premium on discipline and interest—points being deducted from a grade for infractions of band rules, and points being added for extra practice hours, public performances, solos, and the like.

Mr. McCook requests all band students to make a serious effort to be at the first meeting and get the practice schedule.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Billingsly had as their guests this week their daughters, Mildred Norman of San Angelo, and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Peyton Smith visited friends and relatives in Lampasas Sunday.

Grain Elevator Not To Be Built Before Fall, Due To Fire

Fire which razed the Kimball Mill and Elevator Company's property in Dumas, Oklahoma, last week will prevent the company from building an elevator in Cross Plains in time to handle the present crop, as formerly planned. All construction employees of the company were rushed to Oklahoma to rebuild the property there.

Ira H. Hall, local manager for the Kimball interests, told the Review Wednesday night, however, that the old Howard building was being remodeled inside to handle this year's crop and that a 15,000 bushel elevator would be ready for use on the site before next year.

Farmers will have the option of either selling their grain or storing it in this year, the same as though the elevator were already built, Mr. Hall said. Or, if they prefer to store the grain and draw a fraction of its value, funds will be advanced on this basis. All grain stored with the company will be insured against all types of loss, the Review was told.

COTTONWOOD H. D. CLUB VISITS FORMER MEMBER

Eleven members of the Cottonwood home demonstration club visited Mrs. Missouri Ramsey in the home of Mrs. Mae Lawrence here on Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Ramsey was loyal to the club as long as she was able to attend.

Refreshments of ice cream, angel food cake, and leed tea were served to the following guests: Mmes. J. S. Gafford, N. G. Borden, J. D. Mitchell, J. L. Suddeth, O. D. Strahan, May Coffey, S. R. Peavy, Norman Coffey, W. H. Coppinger, Misses Missouri Strahan and Eunice Hembree.

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COMMITTEES NAMED FOR CROSS PLAINS 58TH ANNUAL FETE

Committees were named Monday night for Cross Plains fifty eighth annual picnic to be held July 27 and 28, under sponsorship of the local fire department and Band Parents organization. Contract has already been closed with Harry Badger for carnival attractions at the celebration.

Committees to handle various phases of the Picnic are as follows: Program: Band Parents club, charged with the responsibility of providing entertainment throughout both days.

Advertising: Jack Scott, Horace Kitzell, Roy Lee Little, Clyde D. Sims, B. H. Freeland, C. C. Holdridge.

Concessions: V. C. Walker, Edwin Baum, Jr., and Lindsey W. Tyson.

Grounds Committee: O. T. Laws, Loyd McMillan, T. Y. Woody, James Cross and Curtis Strickland.

Parade Committee: H. H. McDermott, Fred V. Tunnell, Dr. J. H. McGowan, Fred Cutbirth, John Adair and Curpen E. (Pat) Allen.

Lights: Jack Graves and Walter Knudhoff.

Brady Golfers Win 13 To 11 In Match At Philpeco Sunday

Brady golfers defeated Philpeco country club golfers Sunday afternoon 13 to 11. Local golfers plan to return the match shortly after the invitation tournament here has been completed. Plans also call for the returning of a match to Graham within the near future.

Results of the individual matches Sunday afternoon follow: (first named players are from Brady). D. A. Harkrider defeated W. A. (Bill) Tunnell seven up with six to play.

Clyde Hall, Jr., outstroked Thomas Buey one up.

Virgil Jones lost to Billy Barton two up with one to play.

W. H. Babin was trimmed by Lowry Horton six and four.

Bert Hawthorne was defeated by E. F. Smith two and one.

W. J. Geron lost to Horace White seven up with six to play.

QUALITY IS HIGHER AND YIELD BETTER; MELONS COMING FINE

One of the largest fruit, melon and berry crops in history is ripening throughout the Cross Plains trade territory, the Review learned yesterday in a check-up with producers, the county agent, and officials of the chamber of commerce who have surveyed the prospects.

Several hundred bushels of early peaches have already been marketed by local orchardmen, however, the bulk of the crop will not begin moving before at least another two weeks.

Berries, despite damage done by recent rains, are yielding heavily. Claude Stephens, who lives about eight miles West of town, reports he has kept his patch well picked supplying trucks which came to his place in quest of berries. The yield, he says, is greater than ever before. Rain damages caused O. T. Laws to lose several hundred gallons of berries, however, he reports the vines are putting on again and that a second crop will be ready for harvest before long.

Quality of peaches here this year is said to be unusually good, due largely to extensive spraying done by growers during the Spring months. H. A. Young, who owns one of the largest orchards in this vicinity, picked about 200 bushels of peaches this week which were virtually flawless.

Silas Havens, who lives West of town, also was showing some perfect specimens in town this week. He reports his crop is just beginning to ripen.

Apples, too, are doing splendidly, as are plums, apricots and pears. Apricots, however, is the only one of these fruits that has ripened extensively thus far this year.

More than 1,000 acres has been planted to watermelons and cantaloupes in this vicinity this year, and farmers say prospects are exceptionally bright.

With a bumper crop of melons, fruits, berries, and vegetables assured, the local chamber of commerce is furthering its advertising program to secure an adequate for the crop when it begins to move.

Clyde D. Sims, president of the C. of C., is handling this phase of the program.

Cottonwood Youth Picked In Student Who's Who In U.S.

Announcement has been received from the publication "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities" that Durward B. Varner, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner, of Cottonwood, and graduate of Cross Plains high school, has been acclaimed one of the most outstanding college students in the United States.

Young Varner has completed his third year at Texas A & M College. The 1939 edition of the "Students Who's Who" will say the following of the Cottonwood youth:

"Varner, Durward Belmont, born January first, 1917, Cottonwood, distinguished student, received Danforth scholarship and most outstanding freshman award, president of sophomore and junior classes, secretary-treasurer of marketing and finance club and press club, member of basketball team and student athletic council, reporter for Abilene A & M club. Majored in agricultural economics. Will receive B.A. degree and plans a business career. Hobby: athletics. Home: Cottonwood."

Strict Rules For Operation Of Boats On Lake Brownwood To Be Enforced

Garrison. The rules are designed to have proper illumination of craft operating at night, to curtail reckless driving, provide for sufficient life preservers, prevent overloading of boats and otherwise protect life and property.

Boat operators are urged not to risk cruises on open waters unless weather forecasts are favorable. It has been pointed out that sudden squalls have swamped many boats on Texas lakes.

According to a list of rules and regulations published by the water district, all persons or corporations operating or maintaining boats on Lake Brownwood must secure a license from the water district office.

The boats must carry a license number, plainly readable at all times, at least three inches high on the port side of each boat. Commercial boats shall carry the letter "C" together with its number.

The fee for a private power driven boat is based on the seating capacity of the boat and is 50c for the first passenger and 25c for each additional passenger.

The seating capacity includes the driver. Minimum fee is \$2.00 and the maximum fee is \$5.00. Licenses run from March 15 to March 15.

The same rules apply to privately owned sailboats.

Boats using detachable outboard motors, or row boats, or other small craft pay according to length, the fee being \$2.00 annually for boats up to 16 feet in length, \$2.50 for boats from 16 to 18 feet and \$3.00 for boats over 18 feet. Rowboats and canoes must pay a \$1.00 fee.

Commercial boats Power driven commercial craft pay a fee of 50c for the first passenger and \$2.00 annually for each additional passenger. Minimum fee is \$7.50. Fees for outboard motor boats, rowboats and other small craft range from \$7.50 to \$10.00.

Drivers of commercial boats must be licensed. Cost of the license is \$3.00.

Safety regulations provide that power, motor or sail driven boats less than 26 feet in length must have a white light aft to show all around the horizon; a combination light on the fore part of the boat lower than the white light showing green to starboard and red to port.

Boats of this length must carry approved life preserving devices sufficient to sustain afloat every person on board and every boat must carry approved fire extinguishers. Boats are to carry a whistle or mechanical sound producer capable of producing a blast of two seconds or more duration.

Boats from 26 to 40 feet in length must be equipped with a white light at the bow throwing an unbroken light over and are of the horizon 20 points of the compass and 10 points on each side of the boat. They must have a green light to starboard and red light to port, the lens to be not less than 16 square inches and a Fresnel glass. The red and green lights shall be fitted with inboard screens to be inclosed long and of sufficient height to prevent lights being seen across the bow.

Every boat must carry approved life preservers sufficient to sustain afloat every person on board and commercial boats are to be supplied with life jackets for children with plain signs posted stating where they are available. Fire extinguishers and horns or whistles shall be the same for small boats.

Rowboats and canoes, regardless of their size, shall show a white light at least 18 inches above any obstruction of the boat. The light must show all around the horizon.

Sailboats or rowboats of all sizes have the right of way over all power driven boats at all times and shall not be passed or met closer than fifty feet, and then the power-driven boat must at all times slow down to half speed.

Power driven boats passing any craft shall show down to half speed if it passes within fifty feet from the boat. This is to reduce backwash, intentional or unintentional.

Penalties for violations of the rules and regulations includes fine, jail sentences and suspension of licenses.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adair moved this week into the C. M. Garrett residence in the North part of town. The house has just recently been re-worked both inside and out, and the grounds beautified and improved.

Miss Ida Mae Hudson visited in Hamlin Tuesday.

Miss Floy Hudson returned with her for a visit.

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

Eastern Stars In Meeting At Lodge

Members of the local Eastern Star chapter met Monday night in the lodge hall and installed officers for the ensuing year.

42 Club Members Are Entertained

Mrs. Melvin Haney complimented members of the 42 club when she entertained with two tables at her home Thursday afternoon of last week.

Homemakers Club Plans Year Book

The Pioneer Future Homemakers club met Tuesday, May 30, at the Philpico Country Club, to make plans for their 1939-40 year's study and planned many fascinating programs and contests.

Delta Karda Club Meets Wednesday

Mrs. R. Elliott Bryant was hostess when she entertained members of the Delta Karda club with two tables of contract bridge at the home of Mrs. Tom Bryant Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. C. E. Poe Is Leader Of W. M. U.

A royal service program was rendered when members of the Baptist missionary society met Monday afternoon in their regular meeting at the church.

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DRAFTING WEALTH IN WARTIME:

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CASH INCOME FOR FARMS:

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LAND MARKERS:

Finding a needle in a haystack is easy compared with the task of rediscovering the lost or obliterated markers among the 12,000,000 "corner" in original land surveys on \$1,800,000 acres of public domain, which form the basis for compiling the new official master map of the U.S., soon to be issued by the General Land Office.

WILDLIFE BUREAU BULLETIN:

More than 200 kinds of plants and animals are eaten by game ducks in the U.S. and Canada. Analyzing almost 8,000 stomachs of 18 duck species, Biological Survey scientists have found that about 34 of the food content is plant material. Pondweeds, bulrushes, and smartweeds rank first, second and third, respectively, in the plant food list.

ADD TO BUSINESS:

With the President's request for a supplemental appropriation of \$25,500 for the Department of Commerce, the first step toward making this Department an aid to business, was taken. The first will later lead to the establishment of the Bureau of Industrial Economics.

For Summer . . . A NEW SUIT

Preserve your good appearance and good disposition in a cool, tropical weave summer suit.

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I GIVE YOU TEXAS

BY BOYCE HOUSE

Random reflections re Old Mexico:

Two Spanish words are all that the traveler "Cuanto?" which means "much?" and "Gracias," means "Thanks."

Incidentally, when this brought his Spanish into the first time since high days, several in our Lions who did not speak the said, "Your Spanish is so we can understand it?"

Prices are quite reasonable. In the United States, the largest and most luscious berries you ever ate, with a cream so rich it will pour, costs eight cents in a money in La Reforma Hotel shop; and you can obtain glass of thick, pulpy, orange juice (not diluted) as in our drug stores.

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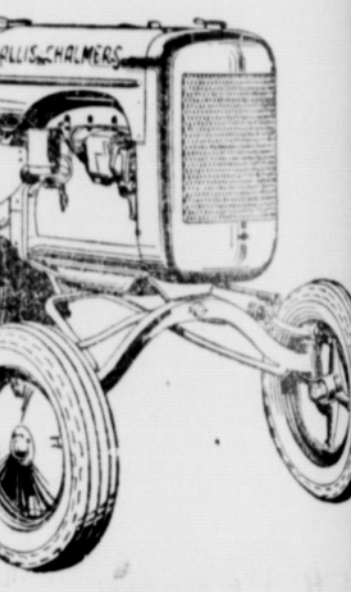
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FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 1939

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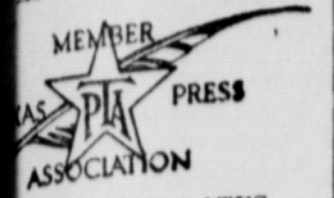
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CLYDE L. GARRETT

LEGIC MINERALS: Now in conference in the Senate that proposes...

RSIVE ACTIVITIES: To curtail subversive act was favorably reported...

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Western Auto Supply Co. Associate Store Division (3216 Main Street) (Dallas, Texas)

Mr. Hewith has been very ill for the past several days.

FOR SALE or TRADE: 2 row Deere tractor, one hay press, single row cultivator, iron wheel wagon, 300 egg incubator, one saddle, 8 foot windmill, 100 barrel cypress tank. Water well drilling wanted. W. B. Varner, Cottonwood. (pd 38)

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WOOD, TEXAS RAIG, Registrar

Next put where other barley made 35 bushels average same period. A letter has been sent Superintendent of the seedling for price quotations. That are interested in growing seed of this new and improved variety of barley are invited to operate in getting up on the seed.

Table with 3 columns: Location, READ UP, and Time. Locations include Brownwood, Austin, etc. Times range from 7:30 to 11:10.

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Challenge... it's a mileage at priced last! Affinite... impounding wear. grabs the he brakes. o take the bumps and the tening.

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BURKETT

Mrs. F. L. Benkley in charge of A. project express appreciation patrons here who are interested her work at the gym. A public itation was extended to the munity to attend the exercises Monday, June 5th, from 1 to 6 m.

All 4H & H.D. clubs are processing nicely. The HDC met in Brownwood Saturday. Mrs. L. C. Scott presided from here.

Miss Helen Taylor of Burkett was one of the sponsors to appear over the ABC Athlete Monday in the broadcast put on by Miss Katherine Stridger.

We are requested to announce that all who are interested in the history program for another year see Mrs. Ernest Martin, Carson Baker and J. L. Tabor.

Let us remember June 11th this day is Father's day and also man's day in the churches. We reminded at this time each year the long lasting faith of our hers who have gone on. To all ther day should be just as imtant in our memories as Mother's day.

The Methodist Sunday School will begin a training school at the 4th Monday, June 12th.

Friends of Dr. Sealy were much rested in his condition and listed intently over KIRC, Abilene, for a report of his improved condition.

It seems to be quite a lot of sickness. John Tabor, E.G. Adams, Wade and Mrs. Wade Gibson were disposed over the week end.

THE APPRECIATIVE STORE... PALACE... THEATRE—CISCO... SUNDAY—MONDAY... JUNE 11—12

Mrs. Mattie Tabor is still confined to her bed and under treatment of Dr. Moody.

Dr. Pearce left Sunday to be at the bed side of his mother who is quite ill in Lampasas.

Dr. (Jennie) Manning and daughter Irene of Alamo accompanied a friend Morris Vie Doole and Stacy and spent several days here in homes of E. P. Watson Roger and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watson and many friend and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brutton of Brownwood called by to see Miss Pearl Oliver last Friday.

William Loyd Andas son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Andas of Henderson has visited the past week here in homes of grand parents, W. T. Burns and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Andas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Newton of St. Louis are visiting Mr. Newton's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Newton and aunt, Mrs. T. A. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith of Stamford spent the week end with relatives and in home of Oliver Smith.

Mrs. Hallie Bowden and the F.B. Porters of Cross Plains were in Brownwood over Sunday. Mr. Porter's brother and family from Lubbock were visiting in the Porter home. Mrs. Porter reports her father is ill.

The WMS met in regular session Monday with 12 members present and one visitor Mrs. Porter of Cross Plains who gave a short talk from the study book which was finished by Mrs. J. E. Burke. The district WMS will meet at Ballinger next Wednesday. Mrs. Wade Goslon will give the year book program next Monday the 12th.

Mrs. Veda Cowan and son Billie have moved to Winters for the summer months. Billie has employment with IREA for three months.

Otto Brink had a glad surprise on last Wednesday when his friend Miss Emma Lou Logan of Sonora came by from Southwestern College of Georgetown to pay him a visit.

Mrs. Emma Lou, Nola Fae and Otto Brink were guests in home of Mrs. J. E. Oliver on last Wednesday. Miss Emma Lou will return to Southwestern for the summer term.

Kenneth White of A&M College has returned here to spend his summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete White of Amerasia camp.

Mrs. Hattel James of Odessa visited with James parents of Doole before she was accompanied by Miss Vera Pearl Oliver to Odessa Saturday.

"FOUR GIRLS IN WHITE" AT LIBERTY ON SUNDAY

Hospital life as viewed from the eyes of a nurse is revealed in a stirring new picture coming Sunday to the Liberty Theatre for a two day showing. It is "Four Girls in White," with the four nurses of the title played by Florence Rice, Una Merkel, Ann Rutherford and Mary Howard, and the man in the case enacted by Alan Marshall.

One of the most sensational train wreck sequences ever filmed forms the background for the dramatic high-light of the picture which tells the story of four girls who enter upon nursing careers with four different reasons, only to be won over by the single purpose of service to humanity when the dreaded "disaster call" puts them face to face with suffering human beings.

Specifically, the story deals with a girl who decides to become a nurse as a means to a profitable marriage and what happens to her to make her a heroine rather than a selfish little schemer.

Prominent roles in support of the principals are played by Kent Taylor, Buddy Ebsen and Jesse Ralph, S. Sylvan Simon, who filmed "Road to Reno" and "Spring Madness" directed. The story is an original one by Nathalie Bucknall and Endra Bohem, with the screen play by Dorothy Yost.

Higginbothams Cross Plains, Texas

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINT HEADQUARTERS

There's where you'll find the paint I use!

A COMEDY OF ERRORS By GEORGE WATSON



***** DRESSY *****

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Steele from Wink are spending their vacation here with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Franze Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tucker are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cason this week. Mrs. Tucker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cason.

Mr. and Mrs. Maroon Freeman of Coleman, spent the Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Long spent Sunday with Mrs. Sam Long.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Mustain are spending their vacation with relatives here. They will move back to their home at Trehkham soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nech brought their son Paul home last week from Sealy hospital. Paul was operated on the 26 day of May for appendicitis. He is doing nicely now.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nech and family spent Sunday in home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer.

Mrs. W. O. Spencer, Mrs. Frank Spencer and Mrs. Vernon Spencer were Baird visitors Saturday.

Miss Leo McDermett and Miss Lenora Lacy have returned home for their summer vacation. They both attended school in Abilene.

NEW ROOF IS PLACED ON METHODIST CHURCH

A new roof was placed on the Methodist church building here this week. Workmen completed the job Wednesday. The structure had been needing a new roof for some time, recent repairs having proved inadequate.

Misses Minnie and Louise Copping left Monday for San Angelo where they have enrolled in the Jolley Beauty College.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baum, Jr. had as their guest this week, Billie Ruth Bryant of Monahans.

WITH OUR WILDLIFE

By JOHN R. WOOD State Game Warden

Fishing in Texas

Recently there was a bulletin published by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission by William J. Tucker, the executive secretary to the commission entitled "Fishing in Texas." This bulletin has some 23 pages dealing with the factors leading to the decline of the state's fresh water fish supply, with suggestions for their correction. A copy may be obtained free by writing to the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, a bulletin every fisherman in Texas would want to read. This article will deal with a short review of this Bulletin No. 13.

"Fishing resources of Texas fresh waters are having greater demands made upon them than ever before not only because good roads and the automobile have reduced by perhaps 90 per cent the time consumed in travel. People living amid surroundings that are becoming constantly more complex, are further removed from nature and therefore feel the urge to be in more natural surroundings. Out fishing is the best way to get away from the humdrum of life."

Pressure on our Fish Supply

There are a large number of factors that have been important in the reduction of the fish supply. Water of course is the main factor in a good fish supply. This area of water has been greatly reduced because of the cutting of the trees and thus causing the soil to shift to the creek and river beds. Over grazing and lack of soil erosion control too allows the soil to fill up the streams and the vast amount of muddy water being subjected upon the fresh water fish kills many of them, and this makes the streams unfit for their continued existence. Years ago the fishing in these streams was better because the water was not run through the channels in a very short period after rains. This water was allowed to run slowly through a long period of time thus the water was in the stream longer, it produced more minor aquatic animals and consequently also produced more fish.

Industrial and municipal wastes allowed to enter the streams thus

HIGGINBOTHAMS

Cross Plains, Texas

Only \$1.50 for this GOSSARD

To keep your hips and waist sleek, try this seamless knitted two-way stretch elastic step-in. It's shaped at the waistline, and is 16 inches long! Model 176.

The firm lace uplift bra is designed for the small to average bust. Model 256.

Be Glorified by GOSSARD Higginbothams CROSS PLAINS, -- TEXAS

DRESSY TRUSTEES ELECT OPLIN GIRL TO FACULTY

Members of the board of trustees of Dressy independent school district last week elected Miss Laidie Lee Looney, of Oplin to teach in the primary and intermediate grades during the forthcoming term. C. R. Steele is principal of the Dressy school.

Populations Increases Burden

Twenty years ago there were 5,000 artificial lure-fisheries sold in Texas. Last year there were more than 50,000 of such lures sold. This does not include all the fishermen, because there was no count made of the thousands who fish with natural baits. From this one can easily see that there are many who do not pay a cent toward helping replace the fish that are taken. This burden rests on the shoulders of a few who purchase artificial lure lures, and thereby make the task too great to satisfy the ones who fish and return home with the same old story "no luck today."

With the improvement of the natural environment of the fish, and by aiding nature with reproduction and an adequate restocking program, we can make fishing better in Texas and best of all there will be fish to catch.

Did you know that sportsmen of Texas, through their license fees, are footing virtually the entire bill

CLOSE SEWING ROOM AND OPEN CANNERY TUESDAY

The W.P.A. sewing room has been closed in Cross Plains and a cannery opened in the building Tuesday morning. Mrs. John Russell, who supervised the sewing room, is also in charge of the cannery. She told the Review yesterday morning that the same policy as followed last year would be observed this Summer in the matter of canning fruits and vegetables on a commercial basis.

Miss Hannah Margaret Hudson visited friends in Abilene last week.

Review ads get results

EATWELL CAFE advertisement. Text: "I wish to announce to my friends and former customers that I have again taken over the EATWELL CAFE and invite their resumed patronage. Remember we serve those choice plate lunches for only 25c. Sandwiches and short orders a specialty. Warren Cunningham"

Furniture FOR THE BRIDE advertisement. Text: "We're slashing prices to reduce our stock of furniture before the semi-annual inventory. Here is your chance to purchase high quality furniture at only a fraction of its real value. Small down payment and convenient monthly payments makes it possible for you to enjoy greater home happiness. Come in today."

Pabco Felt Base Floor Covering advertisement. Text: "One of the most beautiful designs we have ever had the pleasure to show. A covering that lays flat on the floor and is recognized as one of the most durable on the American market today. 23c per Running Foot"

Rugs--Rugs--Rugs--Rugs--Rugs advertisement. Text: "We have made arrangements with the Firth Manufacturing Company to make rugs to the size and specifications our customers desire. You can now get a rug to fit any room without having to pay more than you would for a standard size. We have 18 new patterns made up for you to choose from. Come in and let us explain more of this plan."

Beautiful Ready Made Awnings For Your Windows advertisement. Text: "Beautiful Ready Made Awnings For Your Windows. Ready to Install. 28 inch size \$1.00, 34 inch size \$1.25, 36 inch size \$1.25. Attractive Design. BARGAINS IN USED RADIOS. Must Close Out Before Inventory. All have been rebuilt and are guaranteed O.K. \$3.00 UP."

BEAUTIFUL 5 PIECE BREAKFAST SUITE advertisement. Text: "Table and four chairs made of solid rock maple. Sturdily built and beautiful enough to adorn any home. \$39.95. If additional pieces are desired to match this suite we can set them for you in only a few days. Suite is similar but not exactly like one illustrated."

BEDROOM SUITES and LIVING ROOM SUITE advertisement. Text: "BEDROOM SUITES: Walnut veneered suite of four pieces—bed, chest of drawers, vanity and stool. \$39.75. Many other suites to choose from. Priced upward. See them during our pre-inventory clearance. LIVING ROOM SUITE: A two piece inexpensive suite of furniture that will not only gladden the heart of a June bride but that of brides of many years ago as well. Over-stuffed and beautifully upholstered. \$39.75"

HIGGINBOTHAM BROS. & CO. CROSS PLAINS, -- TEXAS

PIONEER

R. W. Lawrence left this week for Teague, where he was transferred by the Sinclair. His family will join him there about the fifteenth. Friends and neighbors regret very much the loss of the Lawrence family, and attempted to show their love and appreciation for them in a small measure with a picnic and farewell party last week.

Revival services at the Methodist church are progressing splendidly. Rev. J. W. Chisholm of Rising Star, is delivering some wonderful messages. The entire public is invited to these services.

Mrs. Merle Brown has as her guests this week her mother and her niece of Bronte.

Mrs. Marvin Smith has as her guests this week her sister and a niece.

Miss Elizabeth Marshall and Miss Marjette Smith, of Ranger are visiting their parents here at present.

Students returning to their homes here from Howard Payne college are: Anna Sue and Mary Frances Lawrence and Maurine Browning.

Woodrow Smith, teacher in the Pioneer school system, returned here this week after an absence of several days. He left yesterday, however, for Brownwood to work during the summer months.

HOWELL Coleman

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, JUNE 11-12-13

Advertisement for Vernon and Irene Castle, featuring Astaire Rogers and the story of their lives.

SCRANTON

For the enlightenment of some who have asked what has become of the Scranton correspondent, will say its busy berry picking time in Scranton.

Yes and if rain is news any more we have had rain and more rain. From the looks of the farms, think the farmers are trying in a great way to comply with the government in growing a green crop to turn under, if they get it turned under.

Mrs. Knox Walters left Thursday for Sheldon where she will join her husband. Mrs. Walters has been in the home of her parents, here for several weeks, recuperating from a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Reese accompanied Mrs. Walters to Sheldon and will make their home there for the next few months.

Mrs. Bob Schaffer of Freer and Mrs. Clarence Bush of Cottonwood visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Morgan the past few days.

Drilling was resumed on the Warren well on the Clinton lease, Sunday after some delay caused by casing off water. They are hoping to top the pay sand by Tuesday.

Funeral rites for J. H. Johnson were held at the Baptist church at 3 p.m., Sunday with Rev. R. S. Bright of Potosi, former pastor and Rev. Helm local Methodist officiating. Death came Saturday afternoon following a second stroke of paralysis. Mr. Johnson had lived in this and Zion Hill community for the past 47 years, and was out standing as a good farmer.

JEWELRY

We have just stocked a line of high class jewelry, upon which we are in position to offer some most attractive prices. This line of quality jewelry includes Elkin wrist watches for both men and women, wedding bands in beautiful new designs, lockets and crosses, bracelets and bracelets and many, many other adorning items far too numerous to mention. We invite you to come in and see our line.

AIRMAID HOSIERY

Airmaid Hose for Ladies Sox and Ties for Men (Perfect Gift for Father's Day, Sunday June 18)

SMITH'S DRUG STORE

ATWELL

The farmers are more than busy this week. We have had rain most of May very little is planted and what was planted is almost beyond working out, at this writing it is still almost too wet to plow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Alexander from Lampasas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Riffe.

The singing convention here Sunday afternoon was not very well attended due to a funeral held at Scranton and due to bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan and little son from Albany visited Sunday with Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Pillans.

Maek Howell from near Littlefield is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Sessions this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Tatom and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom.

Atwell is to have a new test for oil on the J. K. Jones estate. The rig was moved on the ground Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Putnam visited with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey Sunday.

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COTTONWOOD

Mrs. Kathryn Tipton and children of Tennessee, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Ingram and children of Crane spent last week-end with her mother Mrs. W. B. Shirley.

Mrs. Emma Dutry and family of Eagle Lake visited with her uncle Mr. S. H. Thomas and family Sunday.

Miss Grace Taylor of Belton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivo Taylor of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Moore and son of Breckenridge spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore.

Mrs. Allen Whitzel and Roselle Mrs. Arsie Mercer and sons and Miss Vestal of Loop were visitors here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Thompson, W. R. Thompson, C. W. Worthing and Mrs. Lois Whitehorn attended the funeral of J. H. Johnson at Scranton Sunday.

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Pick 7 Jurors In Floyd Pretz Murder Trial

Floyd Pretz, 29, charged by indictment with the murder of his mother, Mrs. Annie Pretz, 45, at Baird last November 16, went to trial in 42nd district court Wednesday morning.

Selection of a jury from a special venire of 100 started at 9:30 and when court recessed at noon seven jurors had been selected and sworn in.

The state, represented by R. O. Black, district attorney, and Felix Mitchell, Callahan county attorney, indicated through questioning of jurors that it will ask the death penalty for Pretz. The defense, represented by Russell & Russell and Abilene, likewise indicated it will seek acquittal upon a plea that Pretz was insane at the time his mother was killed.

Jurors chosen during the morning were: Floyd Carter, Cottonwood, farmer; W. H. Fortune, Cross Plains, farmer; J. E. Brown, Cross Plains, farmer; R. G. Looney, Op-Itin, farmer; J. C. Isenhour, Putnam, rancher; S. G. Jones, Cisco Route 4, farmer, Lon Childress, Baird, farmer.

Defense had exercised seven challenges at noon Wednesday, the state one. Eight of the panel were disqualified by the court for being opposed to the death penalty or being against acquittal on a plea of insanity. Approximately 20 of the venire were excused by the court before the selection of a jury began.

Young Pretz, a Cisco limotype operator at the time of his mother's death, looked wan when brought into court. His brother, Clarence, who was in the United States navy at the time of Mrs. Pretz' death, was in the courtroom but did not sit with Floyd.

When the case was called both state and defense announced ready.

Adair's Takes on New Ladies Hosiery Line

Announcement is made this week by the Majord Hosiery Company of the appointment of Adair's, in Cross Plains, as dealers for Majord products in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Kenyon and son of Midland, visited with Mrs. Kenyon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Young here this week.

Mrs. Fred V. Tunnell and children were Rising Star visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Nat Williams and two daughters of Baird visited friends here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crabb of San Angelo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Farr, here this week.

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LINES TO A MOTHER

What in life is half so precious As a trusting little child Ours to guide their wayward foot-steps.

And to make their lives worth while Once an anxious little mother Whispered in my waiting ear

My baby boy such a treasure Will be called away I fear. Know we not what destiny's shaping

For this charming little lad Will be the prince of a pathway Make her heart with sorrow sad, Or will he heed his mother's teaching.

Find the way which leads to God, And with faith and with obed-ience Tread the path our Saviour trod.

But if God in tender spares not, And calls him from this dreary land We'll be dwelling up in heaven

With the shining angel band, She must bow in meek submission Not my will but thine be done, So be happy little mother, God protects your baby son.

Lillie Harrell Clark

SOFTBALL TEAMS WILL PLAY FRIDAY EVENING

The Community Public Service Company's softball team, as yet undefeated in city competition, will give the highway squad a challenge at the perfect record Friday when they meet at the field, adjacent to the Sinclair Prairie house in the southwest part of town. Game time is six p.m.

STOCKS FLOUR MADE BY COMPANY INVESTING IN GRAIN ELEVATOR HERE

W. D. Smith Piggly Wiggly owner and manager here, this week announces the stocking of Piggly Wiggly flour, a new product to housewives of this section of Texas.

"The flour is made according to Piggly Wiggly specifications by the Kimball Mill & Elevator Company now constructing the grain elevator in Cross Plains. In view of the fact that this company has invested in our town, I intend to push this brand of flour; I know it's high quality for its made according to Piggly Wiggly specifications," Mr. Smith said to the Review yesterday.

DALE GARY BUILDING GRANARY NEAR STORM

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COTTONWOOD LADIES TOLD HOW TO AVOID AUTOMOBILE WASHING

"Brushes should be applied before reaching a curve and not after corner has been approached," Miss Missouri Strahan, program leader on a "Guide to Better Motoring," to the Cottonwood Home Monday night at the home of Mrs. John Coats Friday afternoon, June second. Twelve causes of highway tragedies and how to avoid driving emergencies were discussed by club members.

During the business session, council delegate Mrs. Floyd Coffey gave a detailed report of the council meeting at Baird. Mrs. Norman Coffey, president of Cottonwood club, was elected. Delegate to the A & M Short Course College Station, Mrs. S. B. Jones, vice-president, was elected. Mrs. J. M. Coffey, delegate to the A & M Short Course College Station, was elected. Mrs. J. M. Coffey, delegate to the A & M Short Course College Station, was elected.

Those present at the meeting were: Mesdames O. D. Strahan, Sub Peery, J. F. Coffey, J. S. Coffey, Eldon Jennings, Norman Coffey, R. E. Baker, J. D. Mitchell, A. Holley Leonard Coats, J. Coats, Floyd Coffey, Jess Jones and Miss Missouri Strahan, the 14-H club girl, Miss Susie Coats.

The club adjourned to meet again this time Miss Brown will be present to test pressure cookers. It is very necessary for successful canning and for the prevention of food poisoning," said Miss Brown. Members are asked to bring material, needles, and thread and to bring further lessons in Italian Hemstitching and Bertha Fagoting.

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Home Town Gossip

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More than a quarter of a century ago as a lad this rural boy spent much time in the law office of Judge Boyer, at Baird.

The judge, always interested in teaching a speech than collecting a fee, labored day after day with the little rhyme: Peter, pumpkin eater

through the years our adoration for the "Judge" has lessened, and it was a pleasure to receive a letter from him this week which recalled many pleasant recollections of Cross Plains and Cottonwood and of men and women who were once in the affairs of these fine communities, but who long since passed their mortal rewards.

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PENSION R.E.A. Approv

DRESSY COMMUNITY WILL GET SERVICE BY END OF SUMMER

The Rural Electrification Administration has approved a contract between the Coleman County Electric Cooperative, Inc., and the Walco Engineering & Construction Company, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, for building 398 miles of line to serve some 790 members.

The successful bid was \$218,924 and includes materials and labor. The total cost, with sub-station, meters and overhead added, will be \$253,805. The Review was told a communication from the R.E.A. yesterday. Contracts call for work to be completed by late Summer.

One section of the line will extend into the Dressy community, five miles west of town, serving a number of homes in that vicinity.

Construction of these lines will provide nearly 63,000 man hours of employment in direct labor alone, the Review was told.

Superintendent for the job will be S. R. Hale. Engineers are Wm. G. Morrison, Waco, and Clifford Thompson, Attorney; Critz and Woodward, Coleman.

The communication received by the Review from the R.E.A. yesterday is as follows:

All who wish to get service on the new lines should sign up for it at once and make arrangements for wiring and plumbing installations. The route of the line is now being laid out, and the network is planned to reach areas where enough member service contracts have been signed to make construction economically feasible.

Efficient contracts have been signed in any particular area, the lines will be routed another way.

Experience has indicated that usually a number of requests for service come in after construction has started. These requests can not ordinarily be granted until the contractor finishes building the project as planned and laid out before his crews arrive. Priority must be accorded these lines for which service contracts are signed up early.

Construction of other lines must depend upon the availability of funds after the main project is built.

'KENTUCKY' COMING TO LIBERTY THEATRE IS HIT IN TECHNICOLOR

With the glorious tradition of the Blue Grass country as its background, and a love that is all fire and pride as its theme, "Kentucky," a 20th Century-Fox Technicolor production opens Sunday at the Liberty Theatre.

Much of "Kentucky" was filmed on location in the heart of the Blue Grass state, and the Kentucky Derby itself furnishes a spectacular climax.

Loretta Young and Richard Greene are seen in the leading roles, and it is their love which brings peace to two great families who have hated each other bitterly since the Civil War. Loretta is seen in the role of Jack Dillon, the Goodwins and the Dillons are the families that have been feuding.

The cast also features Walter Brennan, Academy Award winner, in the role of Peter Goodwin, Sally's uncle, and the greatest expert on horseflesh in Kentucky.

Others included in the film are Douglas Dumbrille, Karen Morley and Moroni Olsen. David Butler directed from a screen play by Lamar Trotti and John Taintor Foote. Darryl F. Zanuck was in charge of production.

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