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I GIVE YOU TEXAS by BOYCE HOUSE

Nine ways to kill a good town: 1. Don't attend any civic meetings and if you go, arrive late.

Recently when your columnist asked the one and only J. Frank Doble who his favorite Texas character was, the famous Southwestern writer made this characteristically forthright reply:

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS IN BRYAN BENNETT HOME FRIDAY

Mrs. Floyd Coffey, newly elected president of the Cottonwood Home Demonstration Club, presided for a regular business meeting at Mrs. Bryan Bennett's Friday afternoon November 7, 1941.

COTTONWOOD

R. G. Coppinger who has been stationed at Ft. Leonard, Mo., being in 28 year age, has been discharged and is home.

MISSION STUDY CLASS TO BE HELD AT CROSS PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH

The Mission Study Class is to be held at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains Monday, November 17, beginning at ten o'clock.

SALLY QUILTERS MEET WITH MRS. LON HALEY

The Sally Quilt Club met Thursday afternoon, November 6, in the home of Mrs. Lon Haley, with three members present.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our profound appreciation to friends who were so sympathetic and consoling during our recent bereavement caused by the sudden passing of our beloved wife and mother.

"Refuse to make a speech if you cannot make a good one," says The Menard News, claiming that it is better to be suspected of dumbness than to prove it.

"He has good common sense," "He knows how to get along with the legislature"

These are typical comments of citizens in a poll conducted by the Texas Surveys of Public Opinion about Governor Coke Stevenson.

After getting Uncle Reuben seated at a football game between two colleges, his nephew told him, "You'll now see more excitement than you ever saw for two dollars."

A stranger applied at the police station for lodging, and when asked his name, replied that it was Smith.

"Give me your real name," he was ordered. "Well," said the applicant, "put me down as William Shakespeare."

"That's better," said the officer. "You can't fool me with that Smith stuff."

The cottage in which Edgar Allan Poe wrote "The Raven" in Philadelphia has been restored as a literary shrine.

The national forests of the United States have a total area of more than 162,000,000 acres.

One of the earliest exhibition parachute jumps was made from the Statue of Liberty.

Bill Sewell of Coleman, visited friends here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Martin returned to their home here the first of the week, after a visit in Temple, where they attended the Texas City Municipalities Convention.

MisSimplicity Long? Short? In-between? The identical garment in three lengths... with an adjustable (patented) waistline feature... makes this garment fit as if it were custom made... and for only 3.95

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Fine Gift Suggestions For The Men In Your Midst 39 More Shopping Days Until Christmas Now is the time—before the rush begins and before higher prices prevail—to make that Christmas list for the men in your life and get their gifts "on ice."

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CROSS PLAINS GIRLS MEET MORTON VALLEY Cross Plains' high school basketball girls journeyed to Morton Valley Wednesday night of last week, where they defeated the touting Valley sextet by a score of 16-10.

BEAUTY WOMAN SPENDS \$16 YEARLY ON BEAUTY American women spend almost \$600,000,000 a year for perfumes, lotions, beauty treatments and services designed to enhance their appearance, according to Census Bureau.

TIES Distinction Common usage Alaska is not considered a part of the continental United States, although it is a part of the same continent.

Book Chicks Now For Spring Delivery On Protected Basis Thus assuring you Chicks When You Want Them!

Simpson Electric Hatchery "Ask Your Neighbor Who Buys Our Chicks" COLEMAN, TEXAS

Pete Garvin Sells 1 The C. M. Caldwe E. C. (Pete) Garvin, who has been ranching for sometime on the Caldwell ranch, the Dick Cordwell ranch in the Spring Gap mountains has sold his lease on this 12,000-acre outfit to Caton Jacobs of San Angelo, along with mutton goats and cattle on the place. He is keeping his sheep.

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Former Cross Plains Team - Mates Meet on High Seas as U. S. Gobs When Their Ships Exchange Fuel

Two Cross Plains boys in the United States navy, who had not seen each other since last Christmas which they spent together in California, met on the high seas recently when the ship, on which one was stationed, was obliged to loan fuel to another.

THE 1941 DISTRICT 8-8 TROPHY



Above is H. Ford Taylor, Ballinger theatre owner, holding his 1941 football trophy to be awarded to the most valuable player in district 8-A on a poll of coaches

Personal Items --

Miss Myrtle Davis visited her parents in Holder the past week end. Randall Aiken, of Cisco, was a visitor here Friday night. Miss Ada Clark visited friends and relatives in Williams the past week end.

74 YEAR OLD PULLS 50 POUNDS COTTON IN D

ANSON - From Truly come news story. H. C. Hall, 74, pioneer of the county, refused quit work, and states that he pulled three miles recently and time enough left to pull 50 lbs. cotton.

OUR CAKES TAKE THE CAKE

A Barr's Bakery cake will add to the enjoyment and success of every occasion. When you plan your next party or reception, let us suggest and prepare an appropriate cake.

REMEMBER WHAT CROSS PLAINS MAKES, MAKES CROSS PLAINS!

Barr's Bakery

SERVICE TELLS THE TALE

Expert workmanship and prompt, smiling service keeps our customers returning to us, day after day, month after month. We do your cleaning and pressing carefully and conscientiously.

Pat Allen, The Tailor

If You Want a Better Battery To stand the gaff of Winter Driving GET A

Advertisement for Willard Battery, Calhoun Motor Co., Cross Plains, Texas. Includes an image of a battery.

Advertisement for Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills. Includes an illustration of a woman holding her head in pain and a child.

Home Making is Fun

When you feel well. It is misery when you don't. Have you ever dragged through a day made miserable by a Headache, Neuralgia, Muscular Pains or Functional Menstrual Pains—a day when only your sense of duty kept you on the job?

Advertisement for Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills, showing the product packaging and a list of ailments it treats.

Coaches Will Vote To Determine District Most Outstanding Player

For the third straight year H. Ford Taylor is offering a beautiful gold football trophy to the most valuable player in district 8-A. This player is to be selected by coaches of the district in a special poll and will be awarded at a special program sponsored by the Ballinger Lions Club at the close of the season.

Quiet, Please

(Caps and Lower Case) It costs you two dollars to blow your auto horn in Memphis. They're experimenting up there with a noiseless city and when the car horns quit blowing they say the natives heard the bullfrogs on the river and thought a flotilla steamboats was invading the city.

About Beavers

The mountain beaver does not live in water, but is never happy far from it. Through the summer months it prefers to forage for green crops, but when winter comes the little animal stores up hay for the months when snow will cover the ground outside its den.

Big Consumer

About 394,000,000 fire bricks and 146,000 net tons of refractory cement are used annually by the steel industry. This is enough material to build a complete city of more than 15,000 homes.

Old Medicines

In China, the dried and powdered bodies of five poisonous creatures (the lizard, snake, toad, spider and centipede) still are used in medicines.

Ezekiel Hopkins in December, 1775, was appointed the first and only commander-in-chief of the United States Navy who was not a President.

Rubber Welding

An improvement over the old style of vulcanizing in Auto Tire Repairing. New Machine to do the job.

Priced From \$1.50 Up

All Work Guaranteed You Can Now Get Those Genuine Phillips Products AT

Advertisement for Buster Richardson's Service Station, featuring Phillips products.

Notice City Tax Payers

The City Council, in a regular meeting October 21st, voted to suspend all penalties and interest on delinquent City Taxes if paid before December 31. This suspension of penalties and interest will amount to a considerable saving to persons who own property on which all taxes have not been paid.

The City feels that with this suspension of penalties and interest and the improved financial condition all delinquent taxes should be paid.

CITY TAX COLLECTOR

Large advertisement for Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association. Features an illustration of a woman and children walking, with a dog. Text includes 'and do be careful!' and 'Five mornings a week, nine months a year, we mothers of Texas get our children ready for school.'

S. F. Bond's Remarks At 1941 Homecoming Of Former Students

By S. F. BOND "Bond memory paints the scenes of other years, green be their memory still, and bright amid those joyous scenes appear, the school house on the hill."

ATWELL

Benley of Seranton spent week end with Billie Joyce. Mrs. Bentley, Billie Joyce Brash, Coleman Phillips and Fernie were Cross Plains visitors Friday night. D.C. Foster filled his regular appointment at the Primitive Baptist church Sunday and Sunday.

IT'S SHOWTIME BROWNWOOD'S Leading Theatre's

Now through SAT. MARY MARTIN in "THE BIRTH OF THE BLUES" with "Rocheester" Plus "The March of Time" MIDNITE SHOW SAT. Also SUN.-MON.-TUES. DEANNA DURBIN CHARLES LAUGHTON ROBT. CUMMINGS in "STARTED WITH EVE" Watch for "HOT SPOT"

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NOW AND SAT. W. C. FIELDS LEON ERIOL in "NEVER GIVE A SUCKER A EVEN BREAK" MIDNITE SHOW SAT. JIMMY LYDON, JUNE PRESSLER in "HENRY ALDRICH FOR PRESIDENT" SUN. AND MON. BOB YOUNG, RUTH HUSSEY in "MARRIED BACHELOR" TUES. AND WED. HENRY ALDRICH FOR PRESIDENT with Jimmy Lydon, June Pressler

Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Wooten and children visited relatives in Hillsboro Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge and son, Charles Mac and Mrs. Z. W. McClellan were business visitors in Dallas Tuesday. Dick Lewis and Bobby Hill, of Camp Bowie, were Cross Plains visitors Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beeler were Rising Star visitors Monday night. Mrs. John Russell of Baird visited friends and relatives here Tuesday. L. M. Tyler, student in Howard Payne, visited Donnell Clark Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Close, of Brownwood, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bruun, in Cross Cut, Sunday. B. A. Moore and daughter Coleene, of Wink, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hargrove, Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Walter Jones and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield have returned to their home, after a months stay in Gorman. Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Montgomery were business visitors in Rising Star Wednesday. Woodrow Maggart and daughter, Sandra, of Coleman, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Maggart Saturday. Mrs. Grace Stanford and daughters, Betty Jean, Mabel, Helen and Evelyn and son, W. D., of Meridian, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brown this week. Mrs. E. P. Foster visited her daughter's home, Mr. and Mrs. Newman Jackson at Cisco Sunday. Mrs. J. M. Jones and Gus, of Abilene, visited in Abilene Sunday. Gussie remained this to attend the State Baptist convention. Mrs. (Bill) Stansbury accompanied by S. N. Foster left Sunday night to help gather crops on Foster's place this week. Erwin Purvis returned Tuesday night to camp Leonardwood, after spending his furlough home folks. Walter Jackson, Reed and Mrs. J. B. Owens of Abilene attended church here Sunday. Mrs. (Bill) Stansbury accompanied by S. N. Foster left Sunday night to help gather crops on Foster's place this week. Mrs. (Bill) Stansbury accompanied by S. N. Foster left Sunday night to help gather crops on Foster's place this week. Mrs. (Bill) Stansbury accompanied by S. N. Foster left Sunday night to help gather crops on Foster's place this week.

