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With the weather being what it is plus an acute water shortage, citizens here are watching the skies with longing glances, hoping for a good general rain to help avert both troubles, but all local weather prognosticators have pulled in their horns and it is impossible to get a prediction out of anyone.

Good news concerning the water shortage was announced this week when City Water Commissioner Lindsey Tyson stated that a new pipeline had been laid to three new wells about a mile northeast of the present city water field and that connection crews should have the new supply flowing into the lines by Sunday. He pointed out that the new wells should be capable of supplying at least 30,000 gallons daily and this added to the present supply should provide sufficient water for essential uses during the critically hot weather.

Water consumers are warned that this additional supply will not be sufficient to cure our water troubles and everyone is urged to continue to conserve the precious mineral by using it for essential purposes only.

Since the discovery of the Cross Plains Sand oil field west of town, our community has enjoyed an increase in both residents and business firms and only a lack of housing and adequate public utilities has kept this growth from being larger, it has been pointed out by men in the oil business here. Water being the most important item in any community, it behooves every citizen in town to give this matter some serious thought. Instead of gathering in groups of two or more for a sidewalk discussion of what can or should be done, let's tell the members of our city council that they have our wholehearted consent and cooperation to engage a reputable engineering firm to come here and make a survey of our needs and outline a feasible plan for securing ample water for the present and future growth of our community and with a real supply of good soft water, who knows but what our growth might double in the next few years? This could happen because Cross Plains is situated in a good section of the state with a diversified agriculture, ranching, and oil. We are located on one of the principal highways of the state and have good churches and schools. With plenty of water and gas, it is possible that our community could make real, long-lasting gains in business and population. Let's be ready to back any feasible plan that may be offered.

While our neighboring city of Rising Star, located just 10 miles east, is not suffering from a critical water shortage at this time, it is known that they are far short of having plenty of water and it might be that a program could be worked out between the two towns much on the same basis as that which was organized between Eastland and Ranger a year or so ago when those two towns joined hands and built a lake between the two places, thereby solving an acute water shortage problem of years standing.

Let's start the ball to rolling... maybe we can avert another water shortage next year!

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woody, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stangier and son and Miss Dorothy May Woody all of San Diego, Calif., and Billy Gene Woody of Fairchild, Wash., are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Dorothy Woody and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stangier of San Diego, Calif., are spending a two weeks vacation here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woody and family of San Angelo were week end visitors in the Woody home.

CLASSIFIED QUIZZERS

About Words

Want to test your vocabulary? Then try your hand at choosing the correct definitions given for the words you'll find in the questions below. Turn to the Classified Page for the answers.

1. Is belladonna an opera star, a bell tower or a poisonous wild plant?
2. What would your reaction be to a barcarole? Would you eat it for dinner, listen to it or wear it in your buttonhole?
3. Is a caucous a plant found on the deserts of Mexico, a type of political meeting or a member of the Caucasian race?
4. Is a chameleon a lizard, a soft cloth used for polishing or a species of chimpanzee?
5. Is the Decalogue the ten commandments, a low necked dress or a type of catalog?

Work Now Underway On Pipeline To New City Water Wells; Larger Supply Expected Soon

City officials stated positively today (Wednesday) that workmen are now busy laying a new pipeline to three new wells on the Sam Jones tract northeast of town.

Work on this project was reported underway in last week's edition of the Review, but due to failure in securing the pipe, the project was not started until this week.

City Water Commissioner Lindsey Tyson reported at mid-morning that the new pipe had been strung a distance of about one mile from present lines to the new wells and that connection crews are now working to complete the job and he felt that an additional 30,000 or 40,000 gallons of water per day would start flowing into city mains by Sunday.

This additional supply will help a great deal to avert the present crisis and will give sufficient supply to provide local homes and businesses with water for essential uses. However, city residents are urged to refrain from wasting water for any purpose. Commissioner Tyson pointed out that efforts to obtain sufficient water to allow home owners to use it for watering yards and shrubbery have failed and it is not fair for citizens in the low areas to waste water while their neighbors on high ground cannot get enough for essential home use.

The continued cooperation of the citizenship in this matter will be appreciated by the council, it was said.

Farmers Will Vote July 23 ON Wheat Referendum Issue

Local wheat farmers are reminded that July 23 is the date that they will cast their ballot for or against marketing quotas, with penalties for overplanting acreage allotments for the 1955 crop and also the level of price support which will be available.

Growers have asked, "Who is eligible to vote?" The answer is: Any farmer who would be subject to the quotas. Farms will be subject to quotas if the wheat harvest for grain in 1955 is more than 15 acres.

"If quotas are in effect, what will be the penalty for failure to comply with acreage allotments?" The penalty on excess wheat will be the rate of 45 percent of the May 1, 1955, parity price.

A frequently-asked question is: "How does the referendum affect 1955 price supports?" The answer: If two-thirds or more of the voting farmers favor quotas, the full level of price supports which is authorized for the 1955 crop—apparently somewhere from 75 to 90 percent of parity—will be available for those who comply with their wheat and other acreage allotments. If less than two-thirds favor quotas, price support will be at 50 percent of parity for those who comply with their acreage allotments. No price support is available for those who fail to comply with acreage allotments, with or without the marketing quotas.

Wheat growers who may need additional information to clear up points dealing with the referendum or other phases of the program should contact an ASC committee-man or the county office. All eligible producers should vote in the July 23 referendum.

Cross Cut Baptist Revival To Begin Friday Night

The revival of the Baptist Church of Cross Cut will begin Friday night, July 16, and run through July 25. Dr. Earl Allen of First Church, Floydada will do the preaching.

Rev. Ed Jackson, pastor of the Cross Cut Church, states a home-coming will be held August 25 and invites all former members and friends to attend. Dinner will be served at that time, it was said.

Son Born To Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wilcoxon

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wilcoxon are announcing the birth of a son, Marvin Leland, July 5, in the Rising Star Hospital. Mrs. Wilcoxon and baby are doing fine and were released from the hospital Friday.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Wilcoxon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill King and daughters returned to their home here Tuesday night of this week after spending a two weeks vacation visit with relatives in Janesville, Minnesota.

Rising Star Baby Burned To Death In Blazing Farm Home Monday

Final rites for Bryannetta Wolf, four and a half month old Rising Star baby who was burned to death at 7 a.m. Monday when fire destroyed the family home five miles northeast of Rising Star, were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday at the Rising Star Baptist Church.

Services were conducted by the Rev. B. R. Phillee, pastor of the church. Bryannetta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wolf, died in the fire which destroyed the family home while Mrs. Wolf was taking her husband to work. Two other children, Trudy Ann, 5, and James Malcolm, 4, ran out of the house when the fire started and were not injured.

The fire was discovered by a neighbor who drove to Rising Star to report the blaze. By the time firemen reached the scene the house was almost completely destroyed. Cause of the blaze was unknown.

Burial was made in the Rising Star Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

AREA OIL NEWS

An offset to recent discovery well was staked 10 miles northwest of Cross Plains. It is Clark & Cowden Production Co., et al, of Abilene and Dallas No. 3 Naomi Heyser.

Having a proposed depth of 1,900 feet with rotary, it is located 2,310 feet from the north and 990 feet from the east lines of A. F. Woodward Survey 210.

The new project is located 933 feet from southwest of the firm's No. 1 Heyser, a Cross Plains Sand discovery.

McKinney (Cross Plains Sand) Field five miles southwest of Cross Plains gained a new oiler with the completion of Basil Coe, Corsicana, No. 3 Flem Johnson, Block 79, Comal County Survey 181.

Daily potential was 97 barrels of 44 gravity oil, flowing through a 16-64-inch choke with packer set on the casing and 120 pounds tubing pressure. Having a gas-oil ratio of 280-1, the well is producing from 24 perforations at 1,540-44 feet.

M. W. Freeman & Lamar D. Evans of Coleman staked location for No. 2 B. F. Long, et al. Having a proposed depth of 1,600 feet with rotary, it spots 966 feet from the south and 1,234 feet from the east lines of Block 79, same survey.

In that same field, Mrs. June Faye Gray, Cisco, staked three locations, all slated for 1,600 feet with rotary. No. 1 Fred Long is located 105 feet from the south and 615 feet from the east lines of Block 79. Location for No. 1-A Fred Long is 615 feet from the east and 105 feet from the south lines of Section 78. No. 1 Methodist Church spots 105 feet from the south and 405 feet from the east lines of Block 79.

Woodson Producing Co. & Western Petroleum Co. staked locations for two projects in the Scott (Cross Plains Sand) Field nine miles northwest of Cross Plains. Both are slated for 1,900 feet with rotary.

No. 9-A Mrs. Naomi Lydia Heyser is located 2,310 feet from the north and 990 feet from the east lines of Wm. Scurlock Survey 211. Site for No. 10-A Heyser is 2,310 feet from the north and 330 feet from the east lines of the same survey.

The firm's No. 7 Heyser, same survey, was plugged at 1,866 feet. Also in that same field, Woodson et al, No. 2 George T. Baum, Victoria County Survey 202, was plugged at 1,855 feet.

Woodson & Callihan Rotary Co. No. 1 Fred Cutbirth, Bartola Garcia Survey 208, wildcat one mile northwest of the same field, was plugged at 2,260 feet.

Woodson Producing Co. & Forrest W. Gregory No. 1 Sue Beck, Wm. Carper Survey 749, wildcat two miles south of Cottonwood, was plugged at 1,930 feet.

Three miles south of Cottonwood, Woodson, et al, No. 1 Mrs. M. G. Moore, J. W. Scott Survey 1, was plugged at 1,950 feet.

Lamar D. Evans & Gary Wright, Coleman, spotted two projects in the new Cross Plains Sand producing area six miles northwest of town.

Both are slated for 1,850 with rotary. No. 1 Lula Haile is located 3,426 feet from the north and 220 feet from the west lines of G. M. Vignal Survey 798.

Their No. 2 Lula Haile spots 2,976 feet from the north and 220 feet from the west lines of the same survey.

Oil Field Worker Stricken With Polio

Billy R. White, 21, roustabout for the Woodson Producing Co. here, was stricken with polio here Sunday of last week and was moved to the polio ward of a San Angelo hospital Monday.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. White of San Angelo and had been working here for the local drilling firm during his college vacation period. White was living at the Ray Hotel here and complained of feeling bad early Sunday morning. A local physician was summoned and it was found that he was running a high fever and his case was diagnosed as poliomyelitis. His parents were called and his father came in an ambulance to take him to the San Angelo hospital where it was found that he was suffering from spinal polio which had paralyzed both legs.

Health authorities here stated this week that all persons who came in contact with White Saturday or Sunday should report at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene and receive a polio vaccine serum.

Local physicians also stated that anyone in this area suffering from fever for no apparent reason should be examined as precautionary measures against contracting this dreaded disease.

WEATHER REPORT; HOT AND DRY!

Chief topic of conversation hereabouts the past week has been the weather, with almost everyone you meet commenting on the heat.

S. F. (Fos) Bond, U. S. Weather Bureau observer here, stated Wednesday of this week that his thermometer had topped the 100-degree mark every day this week, with a high of 106 being reached Monday.

The terrific heat has aggravated the serious water shortage and is also playing havoc with growing crops, pastures and yards in this area. Rain is badly needed, but weather forecasters continue predictions of "fair and continued warm" weather.

Baptist Revival To Begin At Local Church Wednesday Night

Rev. J. W. Chapman, pastor of the First Baptist Church here, announced this week that plans are complete for the annual summer revival which will begin next Wednesday night, July 21, with evangelist Charlie Taylor of Houston doing the preaching.

In speaking of the revival, Rev. Chapman stated that he had been looking forward to the coming of Evangelist Taylor for several months. He said, "Charlie is a young man of rare ability as an evangelist, and expects the revival to be a real one. He is an exceptionally well-equipped preacher of the gospel. You will not find a more eloquent young man in the pulpit. He is humble, loyal and zealous in his work for the Lord and we know that when you hear him once you will want to hear him again."

He pointed out, too, that Tom Adams, youth director of the local church, will conduct the music and work with the young people and he stated that no better team of Christian workers can be found to conduct a revival.

Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend all the services, it was said.

HOSPITAL NOTES

J. D. Henderson of Cross Cut was carried to Overall Hospital, Coleman, Monday morning in a Higginbotham ambulance following a heart attack at his home. No report had been received from Mr. Henderson Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Dorse Harris is reported to be getting along nicely following major surgery in Overall Hospital, Coleman, Friday of the past week.

Mrs. A. W. Heddings was released from Blackwood Hospital in Comanche Tuesday. Mrs. Heddings was admitted to the hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham recently visited in San Angelo with relatives and spent the Fourth in Christoval.

Mrs. Mary Burton and children of Abilene visited here Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burton, and Betty remained for a weeks visit with her grandparents.

Little Leaguers Lose To Rising Star, 9-2; To Play Three Games Thursday And Friday

Dr. Charles Ballew Joins Graham Hospital Staff At Cisco

According to an announcement made last week, Dr. Charles Ballew, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ballew of Rising Star, has joined the



staff of the Graham Hospital in Cisco, and he and his family are now at home in that city.

Dr. Ballew finished his army internship in June at the William Beaumont Army Hospital in El Paso, 1953, where he took up the study of medicine after receiving his BS degree from Texas Technological College, Lubbock, in 1949.

While attending medical school he served a 12-month internship in surgery at Gaston Hospital and worked as a laboratory technician at Baylor Hospital.

He is well known here, having attended school at Pioneer. His mother is a first grade teacher in the Cross Plains grammar school.

Callahan County Receives \$352,996.17 In School Aid

Austin—Callahan County school children are among those over the state sharing the most impressive period of Texas Public Education in state history, a compilation of figures from 1949-1953 released in Austin this week shows.

The county received \$352,996.17 for public education during the last fiscal year as its share of the giant 211 million total spent over the state. The Texas Education Agency report said. It also showed that money for the state's school children had increased from 145 million in 1949 to the present figure.

Interviewed this week, Governor Allan Shivers noted that education funds were distributed through the Gilmer-Aikin formula to a wide variety of uses.

Largest amounts went for salary and operations. Fifteen thousand more teachers with average salary increases of \$1,000 in the last few years took a large percentage.

Shivers also explained that last year school administrators received more money to spend for needed improvements than ever before.

Figures also showed lesser known—but important—uses for funds. These included school buses that pick up children in rural areas and transport them safely to school. Cafeterias with hot noon lunches, only recently becoming less than a luxury to public schools, received financial help also, figures showed.

Shivers, who called the present school systems "the best yet in Texas' bir for better education," said that the picture looked even better for future students.

"With the continuance of this aggressive improvement program, Texas can expect to meet efficiently increasing demands for public education," he said.

Smith Descendants To Hold Reunion July 24-25

Descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. R. W. Smith, pioneer residents of the Pioneer community, will hold their annual reunion Saturday and Sunday, July 24-25, at Lake Brownwood.

The Smith family settled in Pioneer in 1879 and have a host of friends in this section who will enjoy attending the reunion and visiting with members of the family.

In the first regulation game of the season, played here Friday night of last week, the local Little League team lost to Rising Star by a score of 9-2, in five innings of play.

The two teams will play a return game on the Rising Star diamond Thursday evening, starting at 6:00 o'clock. This will be a five-inning twilight game, as the Rising Star team does not have a set-up for

Volunteer Firemen Kept Busy Answering Alarms

During the past five days, members of the local Volunteer Fire Department have been kept busy answering fire alarms at the rate of one to three a day.

The community has been fortunate thus far in that all blazes have been grass fires and quick response of the firemen have kept them under control without loss to property owners. On Monday of this week firemen were summoned to a grass fire at a residence in the southwest part of town and after extinguishing the blaze and getting their equipment back on the trucks, the alarm sounded on a second fire. Reporting directly to the telephone office for directions the rural truck left immediately for the Cottonwood community where a raging pasture fire was out of control and threatening the entire community. The blaze was brought under control after about 20 acres of grass burned.

Salt Mining Is Feature Of Humble TV Program

How salt finds its way from mine to dinner table will be the main feature of the Humble Company's Texas in Review next week. Salt production is the oldest of Texas' mineral industries, dating back to Spanish colonial days. Scenes taken at Grand Saline show how great blocks of salt are blasted from the mines to start their journey toward the familiar package on the grocer's shelf.

Other features will include the Volunteer Firemen's Training School at Texas A&M College, a story on "Civilians at War" during summer training for Texas Reservists at Fort Hood, and the first pictures of the new "automatic car parker" just installed in Houston's recently opened, multi-story Medical Arts Garage.

Monday (July 19) Texas in Review can be seen over KRBC-TV, Abilene, 8:00 p.m.

Cemetery Donations

Donations totaling \$30 have been received by the local cemetery association the past week, according to V. C. Walker, chairman.

Donations were made by the following:

- Mrs. Pattie Watkins 10.00
- Mrs. Eva M. Huntington .. 10.00
- Mrs. W. H. O'Hara 10.00

Bayou Philosopher Explains People Do Not Listen To Candidates Like They Formerly Did

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou tries to explain the lack of interest in politics this week. Don't know whether he succeeds or not.

Some of my neighbors and me were talking the other afternoon about politics, or I better put it the lack of politics. Nobody it seems, has gotten very steamed up over politics this year, and the election is right here on us. It used to be, along about this time all you could hear was politics, and when four or five people got together a hot argument always developed, with maybe a little fist-fight on the side. But nowadays not only can you fail to get up any arguments, you can't even get out a crowd at a political speakin, and the few that do turn up just sit there and eye the speaker without much show of response, and there ain't nothin more discouragin than a candidate flailin his arms and meltin down his collar, with nobody listenin.

My neighbors were offering all kinds of explanations for this luke-warm interest in politics, one of em said it was the fault of the voters, they just was fallin down on their job of makin democracy work; another said it was the fault of radio and television, they offered too much competition.

playing at night. The Rising Star diamond is located in Williams Memorial Park, just across the street from the hospital.

Starting Teams

Following is the starting teams in last week's game:

Cross Plains:	
Alvin Hutchins	G
James Merrill	P
Grady Scott	1B
David Flynn	2B
Doyle Oliver	3B
Robert Eubank	SS
Cecil White	LF
Belvin Foster	CF
Bill Fortune	RF

Rising Star:	
Walker	O
Earp	P
Coleman	1B
G. Jones	2B
Wilson	3B
J. Jones	SS
Alford	LF
Nichols	CF
Carroll	RF

Play Cisco Teams Friday
Two more games are scheduled here on Friday night, when the first two local teams will vie with the Major and Minor teams from Cisco. The Cisco teams are coached by Bill Pope, who resides near Scranton.

The Friday night games will begin at 6:00 p.m. and will also be five-inning affairs. The first will be a twilight game with the final diamond clash being played under the lights.

A good crowd was on hand to see the game last week and it is hoped that an even larger group will be present at the Friday night games. Admission to all Little League games is free.

Scranton Man Suffers Dislocated Shoulder

Morris Morgan of the Scranton community suffered a dislocated shoulder at his home when the car he was working on fell on him.

He was carried to a Cisco hospital and later moved to an Abilene hospital where he received treatment by a bone specialist. He has been released from the hospital and has returned home.

Primitive Baptists To Hold Services Sunday

The Review has been requested to announce that the Primitive Baptists will hold services here Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock hour at the American Legion Hall with the pastor, W. W. Brown, doing the preaching. A basket lunch will be spread at the noon hour.

Sacred Heart Singing will begin, in the afternoon, at 2 o'clock and everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend both the morning service and singing.



I do not agree with any of these. The fault lies mostly with the candidates, and it's not that the candidates aren't as good as they ever was, it's just that they have used up all the adjectives against each other. There ain't nothin original left to call an opponent.

Time was when, if a candidate promised to take the skin off his opponent, a big crowd would turn out to hear him pour it on, and some really colorful speaking resulted, but after a few years of it, after candidates have called each other about all there is to call a man, the novelty wears off. When candidates have succeeded in describing each other down to a certain point, there ain't nothin left to say, there ain't no more skin left to take off, and consequently people lose interest.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.



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MORE MONEY for SCHOOLS

During Governor Allan Shivers' administration more money has been spent for schools than ever before.

The result? — better schools, more and higher paid teachers, and better guidance for your children.

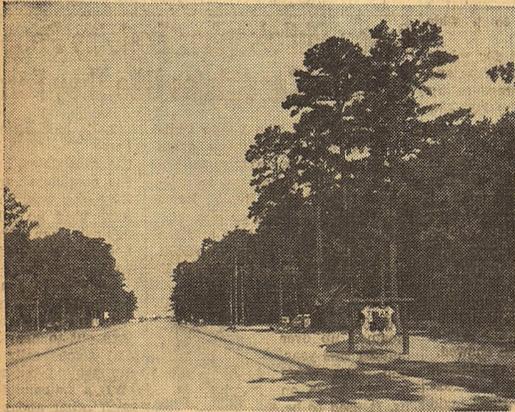
Since Allan Shivers became your governor, the school funds have increased from 145 million to 211 million dollars per year. Teachers get \$1000 a year more. Your child receives individual attention from 15,000 more teachers. This educational climb is your child's guarantee of a profitable and happy future. For you it means assurance about his growing-up years. It means a better Texas for everyone.

In CALLAHAN COUNTY \$352,996.17 was spent for your child's education during the last fiscal year. He got better teachers with higher salaries and an administration that had more money to spend for its needs. Texas veterans received more educational aid. The money went for other—but mighty important—things, too, like school buses and cafeterias with hot noontime lunches. It meant more vocational help for your child. It went for many things, all necessary for a better education for him.

Texas comes first with Allan Shivers



PRESENTS INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT TEXAS



TOURIST IN TEXAS

In 1951 Texas played host to 9,156,000 tourists who came in 3,391,000 cars. They spent a total of \$375,200,000 in our communities and cross roads. The Texas Highway Department furnished travel guidance and information to a total of 631,000 prospective visitors last year. Of these, 184,000 were written requests received in the Austin office, while 447,000 motorists visited the Highway Travel Information Bureaus for the purpose of obtaining maps, literature, and information.



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PIONEER NEWS

By A. O. (Shim) Harris

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray spent last week with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Tonne, in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pancake and son, David, are at home in Eunice, New Mex., where he is employed by an oil well cementing company.

Mrs. S. O. Skinner spent the past week at the home of her son, Sam Skinner, who lives in Pasadena, Tex.

Mrs. Eula Fore visited with her sisters, Mrs. Clara Huntington in Cisco and Mrs. Eula Huntington in Abilene a few days last week.

Miss Carolyn Illingworth was a week end visitor with Miss Glenna Brown.

Mrs. Katy Bryson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryson, has entered Draughtons Business College in Abilene for a summer course.

Mrs. O. C. Smith and son and daughter of Smethport, Penn., have been here several days while her father, Ed' Stroup, underwent a surgical operation in the Rising Star Hospital. He is now at home and doing very well. His daughter and children are now continuing on a vacation trip to California.

Mrs. Winie O'Donnell of Waxahachie and Mrs. Sterling Gibson of Sundown spent a week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson.

A fish fry was enjoyed at the Henry McCoy tank last Monday by a group of their friends.

The program and refreshments were enjoyed by a good attendance last Thursday night at the Community Center. A musical program was rendered by Robert Calhoun and his Blackjacks Shinnery Boys, who did a swell job with the musical numbers. Two young ladies sang, a short business session was held then ice cream and cake was served to all present. The next program will be August 12 and the Community Center folks are expecting a larger crowd. The program committee will announce plans on August 5 in this paper, so be on hand and exchange gossip with your neighbor and enjoy the program. Plenty of good cold water will be available at the next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hutchins of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cross of Cross Plains were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Rachels last week.

Mrs. Charles France of Fort Wayne, Ind., is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Chaney.

L. J. Tate and family of Oil Center, New Mexico, are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Tate.

Rev. Quint Farley and family

Washington

"As It Looks From Here"

OMAR BURLESON
Congressman
17th District



Washington, D. C.—Immediately after the Puerto Ricans shot up the House of Representatives wounding five members of Congress, it was decided by top officials that we must have better protection.

As a member of the Committee to handle the matter, we have been trying to devise plans for a professional and efficient police force. With the exception of a half-dozen or so out of over one hundred, the Capitol Police receive their jobs through patronage and there is a rapid turnover in personnel.

It probably will require some period of time to really do a good job of reorganizing the guard force for the Capitol and the surrounding grounds and buildings. If it is not done before the Congress adjourns, we will have to hold hearings and write a Bill sometime during the recess.

Subsequent to Mr. Anthony Eden's "Locarno" speech to the British Parliament, and just before he and Mr. Churchill came to the United States, I joined with twelve other members of Congress in contacting President Eisenhower expressing grave concern with such a policy. The "Locarno" idea gets its name from the agreement made in Locarno, Switzerland, in which Hitler's Germany and Mussolini's Italy participated. In the modern instance it means we would be doing business with the Communists instead of the Nazis or Fascists. It embraces the idea that an agreement of non-aggression would be dependable. It also would confirm and recognize as legitimate the advances the Communists have made.

An editorial in The Daily Star of Tucson, Ariz., says that the action of those of us contacting the President would not contribute to peace, but contrarily to war. As a matter of fact, the President fully agreed and requested that we write a letter expressing our views, and we did so. A few days afterwards, the House of Representatives, without a dissenting vote, adopted a provision to the Foreign Aid Bill in almost exactly the same language as contained in our letter to the President.

We should know by this time that any agreement with the Communists is not worth the paper on which it is written, and that if we recognize the aggressive conquests of the Communists, we thereby endorse and condone their actions. A "Lo-were" guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCoy last week.

Mrs. Dorothy Mitchell returned home last Saturday after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fossett in Corpus Christi for a few days.

Dale Mitchell is spending a few days in Abilene with his cousin, R. L. Gobel, this week.

Ed Duncan spent the week end at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. O. Harris.

Mrs. Vera Harris and her sister, Mrs. Allie Montgomery, of Cross Plains spent a few days with their sister, Mrs. Blanche Clark in San Angelo recently.

Rev. Joe Green of Brownwood preached at the Baptist Church here Sunday in the place of Rev. Quint Farley. Rev. Farley is in a revival meeting at Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Bellar and children of Odessa are here vacationing and visiting relatives and friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dean of Putnam and Mrs. J. T. Brown spent the week end with Mrs. Delma Dean.

Relatives visiting with Mr. and Mrs. T. Milner for a few days were Mrs. Cornia Powell, Mrs. Ruby Clark and daughter, Kay Clark, Mrs. N. M. Stafford, and Don Milner all of Allen, Oklahoma. They were enroute to California for a vacation trip.

Those visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Que Durham last week were Mrs. A. M. White, Jack Thigpen and Ama White, Corpus Christi, Ab White, Jr., Lee Harrison, and Bill Short and wife of Hamilton.

A lot of cooks sometime spoil the broth, but on the other hand a little help in handling in items of news that I fail to get, makes the gossip column a lot longer and that is what the publisher wants me to do.

Yes, its dry and hot these days. Our crops need rain badly for in a few days it will be too late to do very much good. A lot of folks in the community are already hauling water for home use.

Mrs. Pete Barbar and sons of Houston and Mrs. Jesse Clark and son of Eldorado are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Woody.

Mrs. W. D. Smith and Mrs. J. A. Moore visited with relatives at Sinton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ingram of Route 1 received news from their son, Donald J. that he has arrived in Germany where he will be stationed with the armed forces.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Williams and daughter, Jane, of Monument, New Mex., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Placke, and brother, Melvin Placke and family, last week. Jane remained here for several more days visit with relatives before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wolfe of Austin visited his mother and sister, Mrs. J. C. Graham and Mrs. Ruby Copeland, the first of the week, and with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dawkins of Fort Worth, who are spending their vacation here with Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Copeland.

carno" type of agreement, following Indochina, would be another "Munich".

The Small Watersheds Bill—better described, I think, as the flood prevention measure—passed the Senate with crippling amendments.

The Department of Agriculture has been almost put out of the picture entirely.

Another blow to the Bill passed by the House requires that any dam holding over 2,000 acre feet of water must be approved by Congress. In addition, any small watershed project would have to be approved by an "appropriate" State agency. A few States have such agencies, but the great majority would have to create a new department, and this would be up to the various Legislatures.

In other words, the Bill seriously handicaps the good start which had been made. Those of us who have worked on this legislation for a long time are hoping that something yet can be done to maintain the progress previously made and to strengthen it for the future.

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Do You Remember?...

July 12, 1929

John Weese, oil well driller, formerly of Cross Plains, but now living in Pioneer, received severe injuries when his auto overturned at a curve of the road in Baird as he was leaving that place Saturday morning.

Mrs. J. B. Brown died at her home a short distance east of Cross Plains about six o'clock Wednesday afternoon of last week, and was buried in the Pioneer cemetery.

Notice has been received from the State Board of Education stating that Cross Plains High School has received additional credits in the English department. This gives our local school full affiliation in English and a total of 16 1-2 units.

The five sons of W. R. W. Smith, with their families, comprising a host of grandchildren and great-grandchildren, celebrated the 4th with a big family reunion at the old homestead at Pioneer. Two sons, W. D. and S. J., live in Cross Plains; J. L., Killeen; W. W., Pioneer, and E. M., Canyon.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bowen died at their home in Cross Plains last Saturday morning.

John Browning and family and Miss Marie Bryson and sister, Mrs. Silix and children, left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Saunders are leaving this week for California where they will make their home.

Mrs. Key Furr and babe of Amarillo are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wagner.

July 14, 1929

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

Local farmers are being urged to dust cotton to rid the plant of boll weevils, boll worms, leaf worms

and flea hoppers, which annually take a heavy toll from the yield of the crop.

Adon Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller of this place, represented Cross Plains in the street parade opening the annual Coleman rodeo Wednesday afternoon.

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

Mrs. Norman Coffey and Miss Faye Purvis honored Mrs. Vernon Townsend with a shower in the home of Mrs. W. O. Peavy at Cottonwood Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Townsend, until her marriage on July 1, was Miss Yrma Sudderth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Sudderth, formerly of Cottonwood.

Meeting at Kendrick park in Callahan county last Sunday, the Woody family held its second annual reunion.

Mr. Charlie Ellis and family of Longview and Mrs. Charlie Huntington and son of Cisco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fore and family, Sunday.—Pioneer news.

ATWELL NEWS

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Gus Black was honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday in his home by his children. Visitors were Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Bryan, Mrs. Stephenson, Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon and son, Sabanno, and Clark Hewes, El Paso.

Joroy Bentley of Putnam visited Jay Hutchins last week and attended the vacation Bible school.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan and Mackey visited in Fort Worth and Dallas, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black were baptized into the Missionary Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Foster of Cross Plains is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom this week.

Lynette and Beth Hutchins spent Sunday in the Buster Foster home. The Baptist revival will begin the 21st of July and close August 1st, with services being held twice daily. Rev. David Kuykendall, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, Sanford, will do the preaching. Rev. Kuykendall is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene. Everyone is invited to attend all services.

Mrs. Edna Foster and children spent Wednesday with Mrs. Tuff Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tuff Hutchins and family spent three days on Lake Brownwood the past week.

Mrs. Clarence Bush is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan at Scranton this week and helping care for her mother who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Coppinger and Fonia Worthy were in Coleman Sunday afternoon visiting Mrs. Dorse Harris. Mrs. Worthy, who had been staying with her sister, returned home with them and Mrs. Norrel Long remained with her sister, who is recovering from major surgery.



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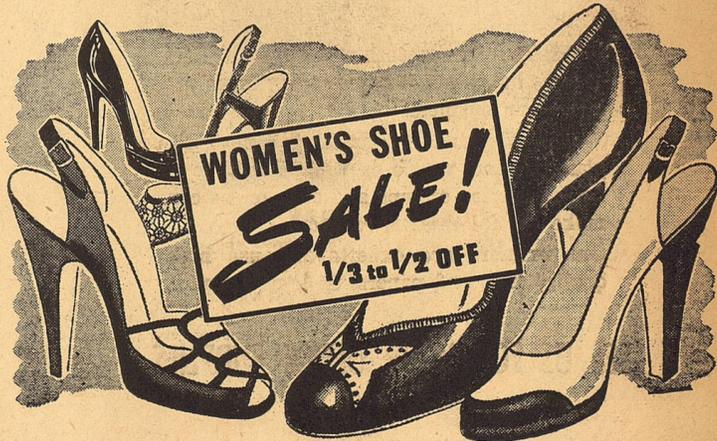
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Mr. and Mrs. James Culvahouse and family of Kermit spent Monday night here with his sister, Mrs. W. W. Smith and husband. Mrs. Smith accompanied her brother and family to Durant, Okla., Tuesday where they will visit another brother, J. M. Culvahouse, and family.

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Woody Reunion Held At Kendrick Park Sunday

The annual Woody reunion was held at Kendrick Park at Denton friends enjoying the day. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Woody and Billie Ruth, J. L. Woody, S. E. Woody, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cowan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin T. Champion, Glendale and Claude, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilcoxon and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody and Minnie Lois, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Proctor, Mrs. Dick Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. Chester E. Woody, Mr. and Mrs. U. F. Casey and sons, James Ned Clark and Janie Clark, Mary B. McMillan, Mary Sue and Buel Peavy, Thermanie Crites, Mrs. E. E. Crites, Mrs. Myrtle Bibb, Mr. and

Mrs. Alvin Bennett and Rosa Lee and Pat, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Koenig, Mrs. Thelma Peavy, Chryl and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bennett and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Simons and children and Robert Calhoun all of Cross Plains. Also Mrs. Jesse C. Clark, Eldorado; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse F. Bowlers, Jr., and sons, Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Woody and son, Mrs. Mallie Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Edmonds, Kenneth Woody, Mrs. Janie Younglove, T. A. Younglove, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bleeker and children, Valda and Vernon Allen, H. B. Vestal, T. M. Skipper, Mrs. Lurlee Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Martin and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cargile and children, Alice Agnes Cargile and children, Alice Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dunn and Ray, and Lon Lockley, Abilene.

BURKETT NEWS

By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

Don and Dan Jobe of Scranton filled the pulpit at the local Methodist Church Sunday. Other visitors at the church were Mr. and Mrs. Clinton of Scranton and Mrs. Jasper Wright of Cisco.

Mrs. H. P. Vaughn and sons of Arkansas have been visiting here a few days.

Lloyd Boyle is now at home after spending sometime in the Veterans Hospital at Temple.

E. L. Harris, who underwent surgery in a Brownwood hospital last week, is now at home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brown of Hobbs, New Mex., have been visiting in the community the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Adams spent the week end in Fort Worth visiting their son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Newton and family and Wayne Newton are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Harris are here from McCamey visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Boyle visited in Coleman over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Peldon Strickland of Abilene visited relatives here over the week end. His father returned home with them for a visit.

Joyce Tabor of Baird is visiting relatives in the community.

Misses Anita and Bonita Strickland have returned home after a four weeks visit with relatives at Lubbock.

Mrs. T. C. Strickland is in Lubbock visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Weaver, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyte A. Weaver of Abilene visited in the T. C. Strickland home Saturday and Sunday.

LET'S TALK LIVESTOCK BY TED GOULDY



Fort Worth—Mrs. Pauline Scaling Martin topped the feeder calf trade at Fort Worth Monday with a load of 503-pound steer calves that sold for \$20 per hundred. The calves were fancy quality and carried enough flesh to attract either feeder or packer bids. It is likely that these calves, when finished will again top the Fort Worth market since they were bought by Judge F. W. Fischer of Dallas, who operates the famous "push button" feedlot near Gainesville in Cooke County. Judge Fischer makes a habit of topping the market with his choice fed cattle at regular intervals.

Canners and cutters drew weak to mostly 50 cents lower prices at Fort Worth Monday and fat cows sold around 50 cents to \$1 or more lower. The decline completely wiped out last week's advance and some besides. Bull ruled steady. Fat steers and yearlings were fully steady to strong when good and choice and plainer grassers were weaker.

Stockers and feeders were mostly steady, some spots higher and some lower in the uneven trade. A good many out-of-town and out-of-state buyers were on the yards and a good many of them were active in looking for stocker and feeder calves and yearlings. Slaughter calves were steady to weak, spots 25 to 50 cents off.

Butchers hogs of good and choice kinds sold at \$24.50 at Fort Worth, steady with the previous close. The less attractive kinds sold from \$22 to \$24.25. Sows were steady to 50 cents above the previous week's close at \$15 to \$19.

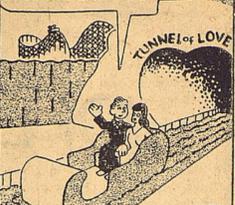
Northern market centers reported prices more stable Monday after the bad collapse of late last week when their hog prices dropped mostly \$1 to \$2 per hundred or more.

Good and choice fat lambs topped at \$17 to \$21 at Fort Worth Monday, steady with the advances of the previous week. Yearling wethers were 50 cents to 75 cents higher, and sold from \$10 to \$12.75 when fat. Old ewes were again slow and weak, selling mainly from \$4 to \$4.50. Feeder and stocker lambs cashed at \$12 to \$15.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Turner and family of Fort Worth are spending their vacation here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wyatt, and family.

Vic Vet says

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Reunion Enjoyed By Adams Descendants

The annual reunion of the descendants of the W. C. Adams family of Cross Plains was held July 10, 11 and 12 at Dykes Ward Camp on Lake Brownwood.

Attending were six daughters of the Adams family, as follows: Mrs. Leo H. Tyler, Baird; Mrs. Jeff Clark, Cross Plains; Mrs. Frank Williams, Bigelow, Ark.; Mrs. Herman Rieger, Houston; Mrs. Ollie Dennis, Truth or Consequences, New Mex.; and Mrs. Bill Davidson, Lubbock; and two sons, Gene Adams, Cross Plains, and Charlie Adams, Lubbock. Also attending was the only sister of Mrs. Adams, Miss Anna Outbirth of Abilene.

Other relatives and friends attending were Mr. and Mrs. Olen Adams, Burkett; Mr. and Mrs. Pat McNeel, Jr., and Freddy, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Donnell Clark, Dallas; Miss Betty Rieger, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Billie Mac Adams and Tommy, Big Spring; B. W. Adams and Bruce, Burkett; Mrs. Donald Flahie and daughter, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Tyler, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Connie Tyler and David and Steven, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughn, Sammie, Lou Ree and Tommy, Center Ridge, Ark.; and Larry Adams, Lubbock; Ollie Dennis, Herman Rieger, Frank Williams, Mrs. Gene Adams, Mrs. Ruby Ridding of Odessa a niece of Mrs. W. C. Adams, and Mrs. B. W. Webb.

A bread kneading bowl which was used in the Adams family for 50 years was used at the reunion and silverware of the original family was also used. Fishing, swimming and visiting were enjoyed by all attending.

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Local Woman Attends Family Reunion Recently

Mrs. Lillie Lawrence has returned from Barton Springs where on June 18, 19 and 20 she attended the annual eighth reunion of the Teague family, and while there attended a gift shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams of Brady on their 50th wedding anniversary.

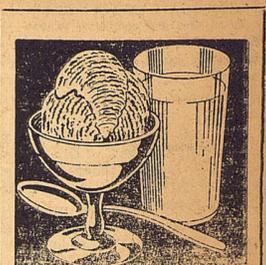
Eight brothers and sisters of the Teague family are living and attending the reunion were Matilda Smith, Austin; Ellen Williams, Brady; Lillie Lawrence, of this city; Pearl Lawrence, Brady; Henry Teague and R. C. Teague, Austin. Unable to attend were Nellie Hughes and San Antonio, and Lou Rochester of California.

Mrs. Lawrence also visited in Austin, San Antonio and Port Arthur before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop visited at Buchanan several days last week with his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harlow.

Mrs. Rollo Davidson of Seymour has been spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garrett. Mrs. Davidson took her father to Temple Tuesday where he underwent a medical checkup at Scott and White Hospital. Mr. Garrett's report was that his general health is good but his eyesight is falling rapidly. He is now at home and will be happy to have his friends call by to see him.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Falkner visited in Rising Star Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walker Respass and Mrs. L. W. Mayfield.



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What Do You Say?

- MAN SAYS:
1. Attend the church of your choice.
 2. We are all headed for the same place (meaning heaven).
 3. You go your way and I'll go mine and I'll meet you in heaven.
 4. He that believeth is saved and may be baptized if he wishes.
 5. There is nothing in a name.
- GOD SAYS:
1. There is one church (Eph. 4:4-6, Eph. 1:22-23)
 1. In the last day (the judgment day) we will all be judged (Jno. 12:48, Jno. 5:28-30) and the righteous separated from the unrighteous (Mt. 25:31-46).
 3. Christ is the way. No man cometh unto the Father but by Christ. (Jno. 14:5-6).
 1. "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved" (Mk. 16:16).
 1. Salvation is in the name of Christ and in none other (Acts 4:10-12).

Choose this day whom you will serve. Your only choice is to choose between God and Man. No man can serve two masters for he will hate one and love the other or he will cling to one and despise the other (Mt. 6:24).

Jesus taught that loving the Lord with all one's heart, soul, and mind was the greatest commandment (Mt. 22:36-40). He also taught that one who loved Him would keep his commandments. (Jno. 15:9-14).

If you love Christ you will keep His commandments, but if you do not love and confess Him you will be denied before the angels of God (Lk. 12:4-9). For such disobedience and lack of love and respect, the one who is disobedient has only the promise of being cast into hell (Lk. 4:4).

The Churches of Christ (Rom. 16:16) believe the Bible to be the inspired word of God and adhere to its teachings without addition or subtraction. We do this to show our love for Him and His word.

Your soul is at stake. What will it profit you if you gain the whole world and lose your own soul? Render obedience to God today to save yourself, and speak as the oracles of God instead of speaking as the oracles of men.

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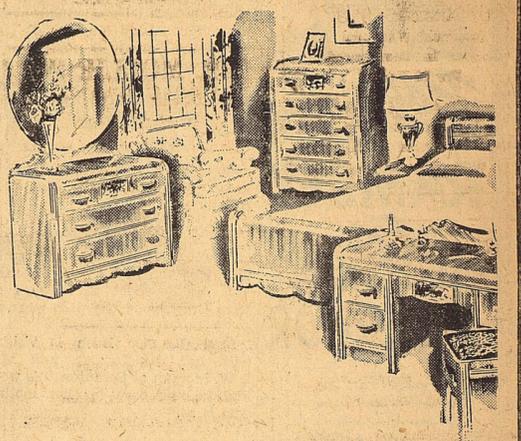
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Answers to CLASSIFIED QUIZZERS

Here are the answers to the Classified Quizzes about words, appearing on Page 1.

1. Belladonna is a poisonous wild plant.
2. You would listen to a barcarole, because it is the song of Venetian gondoliers.
3. A caucus is a type of political meeting.
4. The chameleon is a lizard.
5. The ten commandments are known as the Decalogue.

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Fidelis Matrons Class Entertains on Thursday

Members of the Fidelis Matrons Sunday school class of the Baptist Church entertained their families with a picnic and get-together on the church lawn Thursday evening of the past week. Mrs. V. L. Hobby is teacher of the class.

Serving as hostesses were Mmes. Lonnie Dillard, O. B. Edmondson, Elmer Baugh, Hick Edington and Tom Cox.

Mr and Mrs. R. O. Tennon and daughters were in Odessa over the week end visiting their son and brother, Kenneth, who is employed by Safeway Stores in that city. For his many friends who would want to get in touch with him his address is 818 South Texas Street, Odessa, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Bryant of Austin are visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryant.

Ab Harris was in Big Spring over the week end visiting his sons, Hardy and Howard and families. Mrs. Harris visited with relatives in Abilene while Mr. Harris was in Big Spring.

Miss Anna Belle Harrell and Mrs. Ruby Copeland visited in Coleman Wednesday of last week.

SABANNO NEWS

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lusk of San Angelo visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk over the week end. They will leave for California soon to make their home.

Lonnie Switzer is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Coffey, in Abilene.

Aubrey Hicks spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Switzer of Big Spring and Mr. S. O. Switzer also of Big Spring visited in the O. B. Switzer home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Casey had dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Laminack in Cisco Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb left for Brownwood Tuesday morning to be at the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Jim Clark, who is to undergo a serious operation. We hope for Ruby a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin, Donna and Dickie of Hobbs, New Mex., spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin.

Mrs. Basil Lusk and children and a friend, Mrs. White, of Abilene visited in the W. E. Lusk home Sunday.

J. L. Switzer and family of Abilene and Mrs. J. I. Winfield of Artesia, New Mex., visited in the O. B. Switzer home recently.

Miss Patsy Cumba left for Abilene this week where she will enter Draughtons Business College. We will all miss Patsy but hope her the best of luck.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk were business visitors in Cisco Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer and Mrs. Edwin Erwin made a business trip to Cisco Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys had dinner in the Edwin Erwin home Sunday.

Political Announcements

The Review is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary in July:

For County Judge:
J. L. Farmer (re-election)
Joe Allen Jones
Joe Pierce
Rob Cochran

For County Sheriff and Tax Assessor-Collector:
Homer Price
J. W. (Wes) Patton

For County Treasurer:
Hazel Reynolds (re-election)

For District Clerk:
Mrs. Corrie Driskill (re-election)

For County Clerk:
Mrs. Chas. Robinson

For County Superintendent:
L. C. Cash (re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
Claude Foster (re-election)

For Constable, Precinct 6:
Bert Brown

For State Representative, 76 District:
Paul Brashear
Omar Burkett

CARD OF THANKS
I want to say thanks to all my friends who remembered me during my stay in the hospital, and since my return home. Your kindness to me was greatly appreciated.
R. B. Jordan

David Dallas, who is employed in Lubbock this summer, spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dallas, and Douglas.

Mrs. Pearl Moore accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Marian Longley, and sons to their home in Sacramento, Calif., this week where she

CARD OF THANKS
I want to take this means of expressing to my friends my many thanks for all the kind things they have done for me since I have been having trouble with my leg. Your kindness will always be remembered.
Mrs. E. D. McMillan

ARTHRITIS?

I have been wonderfully blessed in being restored to active life after being crippled in nearly every joint in my body and with muscular soreness from head to foot. I had Rheumatoid Arthritis and other forms of Rheumatism, hands deformed and my ankles were set. Limited space prohibits telling you more here but if you will write me I will reply at once and tell you how I received this wonderful relief.

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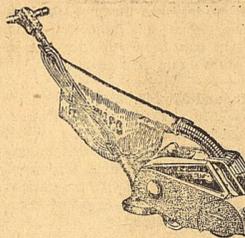
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TAX BILL SIDELIGHTS: Efforts were made in the Senate to reduce the 27 1-2 percent oil depletion allowance, so important to Texas. Both Senator Daniel and I opposed these proposals and spoke against them. They were defeated.

The 52 percent tax rate on corporations, scheduled to drop to 47 percent this year, was continued for another year. This will result in the Government receiving \$1,200,000,000 more from corporations than would have been received under the lower rate.

This is the first comprehensive revision of the tax laws since 1939.

RIO GRANDE FLOOD: As soon as news of the Rio Grande flood reached me, I wired city officials of Langtry, Eagle Pass, Del Rio, Sheriff, Ozona and Laredo, as well as county judges of Maverick, Val Verde and Webb counties, offering the facilities of my office for any aid we could give.

After receiving word that a number of Mexicans were stranded in Villa Acuna, across the river from Del Rio, I obtained necessary clearance from the State Department and arranged with the Army to fly across the river with food and medical supplies provided by the Red Cross.

My office was in immediate contact with the Civil Defense Administration, the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Labor, State authorities in Texas—doing everything possible to help arrange for emergency food supplies, medical supplies, water purification equipment, and anything else needed.

We worked with the military on a project for establishing temporary pontoon bridges to replace bridges put out of commission at Laredo, Del Rio and Eagle Pass.

The office of your Senator is always at the service of the people of Texas. We try to act promptly at all times—and especially so in the case of emergencies involving the lives and welfare of individuals.

WORK SPEEDING UP: A report at the beginning of July showed that Congress passed more bills in June than during all the first five months of the session put together. We are acting now on the basis of committee hearings and committee reports made earlier in the session.

The tempo is fast, and getting faster. As you read this, Congress has only a little more than two weeks to go if the July 31 adjournment goal is to be reached. We still have much work to do.

We have to act on important foreign legislation—the atomic energy bill—on the various bills to strengthen control of subversives in this country—on the Social Security Bill. The foreign aid authorization bill will be up for action, followed by an appropriation bill to carry out its provisions. We will have placed before us conference reports on housing, the tax bill, and other legislation.

We are working early and late. You can understand why I was able to get away from my desk before midnight only one time last week.

You can understand, also, why I am looking forward to getting back to Texas after this session is over and visiting with my friends.

Miss Linda Lee Harrell of Brownfield is visiting Miss Gay Nell Bryan this week.

Dick Wagner returned home Saturday night from Amarillo where he had been visiting with relatives for several days. John Wagner accompanied his brother home for a week end visit, returning to Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Falkner had as visitors last week, Mr. and Mrs. Don Phillips of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Falkner and family of Oil Center, New Mex., Mr. and Mrs. Riley Falkner of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Falkner and family of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. John Falkner of Fort Hood.



By John C. White, Commissioner

Floods and Drought

Two natural disasters loomed over Texas in the closing days of June; one struck with dramatic swiftness, the second was paying a return visit.

It is a fantastic "joke" that Texas can be plagued with floods and drought at the same time—and often within a few miles of each other. That is what happened last month.

The devastating floods at Lamesa, Ozona and along the Rio Grande, resulting in tragic loss of lives and property, captured the newspaper headlines. But at the same time, farmers and ranchers in many parts of Central and West Texas began to feel the now familiar effects of a lack of water. The aftermath of both disasters will linger for a long time.

Despite recent rains in many areas of Texas, drought conditions are approaching the critical stage in a number of central and southern counties. Feed crops and pastures are deteriorating as strong winds and a blazing sun deplete the soil moisture.

Typical of these drought-ridden areas is McCullough County, located in the geographic center of the state. A farm and ranch center, its county seat is Brady. Rural residents make up about 50 percent of the total population and most of its economy is based on agriculture.

The moisture situation is grave. Less than five inches of rain has fallen in McCullough so far this year, and only a total of seven inches has been received since last October. This in a county whose normal rainfall is 24.94 inches annually.

The fields of cotton, grain sorghums, oats, corn, and forage crops along the Colorado River valley, Brady Creek and San Saba valley are suffering. Pastureland which makes up most of the remainder of the county is also in poor shape. As a result an appeal has been made to Austin and the Federal government urging that immediate steps be taken to have the government feed program reinstated before more of the county's seriously depleted livestock has to be sacrificed.

Aid has been requested from Federal authorities and Texas agricultural leaders are forming plans of action. From all indications, the drought can be a real problem in the state again this year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Buzbee of the Cross Cut community have returned home after spending several days vacation in the Davis Mountains. Mrs. Zola Plumlee, who spent last week in Odessa with her daughter and family, accompanied them home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Balkum, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Balkum, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Balkum and son, Mr. and Mrs. August Garlitz and daughter attended a family reunion in the E. T. Balkum home near San Angelo Friday night of the past week. Some 38 relatives were in attendance.

Texas Fishermen Help In Creel Census

Austin—Texas' fresh-water fishermen are being recruited by aquatic biologists to advance a creel census as a key factor in fish improvement projects at several large lakes.

The Chief Aquatic Biologist said dozens of fishermen are being checked each month, mainly by field men operating at the landing docks. The checks at Caddo Lake near Marshall necessarily have to be made on the highway.

The angler is asked to permit his catch to be counted and measured and to tell how many hours it required to make his catch. Length-weight curves have been compiled on various reservoirs under study. Consequently, weights can be ascertained from the length of the fishes.

Such curves, made several years ago, reveal that a two-pound black bass from Possum Kingdom would be 13½ inches long; or 16 inches long on Medina Lake; 17 inches on

Lake Travis, and 15½ on Texoma.

The variations in weight on the measurement basis themselves provide the field men with data in their study of condition factors, and thus accelerate plans to strengthen food sources in the lagging lakes.

The creel census is designed to determine the catch of fish per man hour; type of fish caught; and a combined total of annual fish production on the lakes studied.

Lakes now being used in the creel

census are Devils Lake, near Del Rio; Medina near San Antonio; Lake Travis near Austin; Nasworthy and San Angelo near San Angelo; Whitney near Hillsboro; Caddo near Marshall; and Lake Corpus Christi at Mathis.

The Chief Aquatic Biologist said other lake areas will be checked later as additional phases of the state-wide fish management program are put into effect.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the people of Cottonwood and community, want to thank the fire department of Cross Plains and other men of the community for putting out the grass fire that threatened our entire community Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Orban Young and Mrs. Leann Young of Fort Worth visited Mrs. C. E. Barr and family here over the week end.

Mrs. Dick Montgomery and Mrs. A. O. Harris are visiting in San Angelo with their sister, Mrs. Blanche Clark.

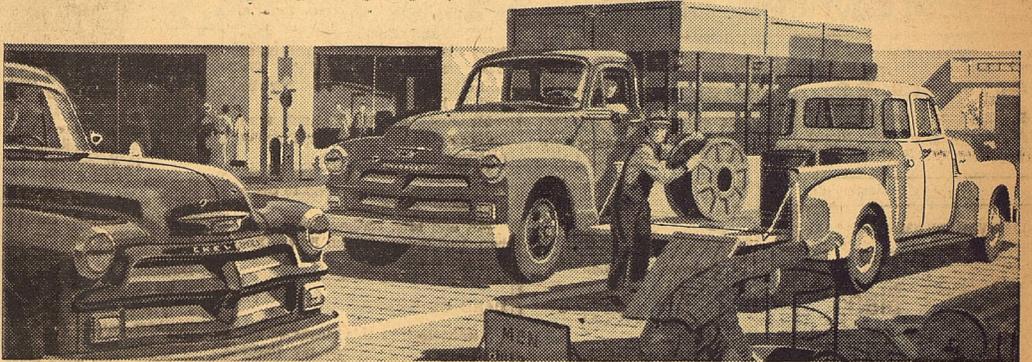
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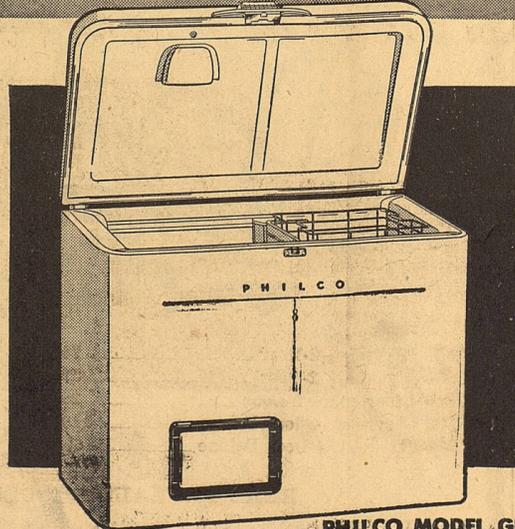
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Austin—Texas politicians turned to the grass roots trails, trying to swing undecided votes, as the campaign wound into its final days.

Most attention was centered on the governor's race, in which Allan Shivers and Ralph W. Yarborough flung charges and countercharges at each other in a dazzling exchange. Some of Shivers' contentions were:

That Yarborough was using "vile methods in an attempt to cover up his tie-in with the CIO-PAC which was trying to take over the government of Texas."

That Yarborough campaigners had spread false rumors to the effect that Shivers wanted to abolish the orphans state home at Corsicana.

That Yarborough had promised George Parr to call off the clean-up campaign in Duval County.

Yarborough Retorts
Yarborough came back with these accusations:

That Shivers had tried to suppress an FBI investigation of the Gatesville school last year.

That Shivers is a "hyphenated Democrat-Republican."

That Shivers had not reported all of his campaign expenditures.

Positive Side
Both candidates, stump speaking in the villages and towns, also had their positive statements to make, in addition to charges against each other, although the latter phase made the most headlines.

Shivers, saying that he was drawing surprisingly good crowds, emphasized his record in office, pointing to more money spent for roads, schools, and welfare programs.

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Yarborough pledged improvements in the state government and more money for state services.

He also expressed interest in a state youth program to combat juvenile delinquency, and was critical of the slash in appropriations which wiped out the Community Services Division of the Youth Development commission.

"The field representatives of the Commission who worked with local government and groups, and also as parole supervisors for youngsters released from state schools on parole, were eliminated," Yarborough commented.

Delegate Ruling

Texas' Supreme Court has been asked to determine how Democratic delegate strength shall be counted this year.

Significance of the question is that its solution will have a strong bearing in deciding control of party conventions.

Previously the State Democratic Executive Committee had called for computation of delegate strength by considering both Democratic and Republican votes that Shivers received as a cross-filed candidate in 1952.

Anti-Shivers loyalists, backed by two lower court decisions, have argued that the convention strength should be based only on Democratic votes recorded in the last state election year.

It is the first time in Texas political history that the question has arisen.

Drought Aid

John C. White, the state commissioner of agriculture, went to Washington and asked that federal assistance be given to 27 Central Texas counties, hard hit by the drought.

White told federal authorities that Central Texas people face possibly the worst crisis in history unless help—in the form of money or rain—comes soon.

COTTONWOOD

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morse of Oplin and Mrs. Mamie Irvin of Glendale, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Herman Heine had a come and go bridal shower Friday night at her home for Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCowen. They received a very nice shower of many nice and useful gifts. Mrs. McCowen is the former Vivian Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Harvey of Texon visited Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Spivey and Larry over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Maas of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Gilmore last week. From here they visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Werner at Snyder. Mr. and Mrs. Werner are visiting in the Gilmore home this week.

There was a grass fire in the cemeteries here and pasture nearby Monday afternoon. Thanks to the Cross Plains fire boys and neighbors for extinguishing the blaze before it reached any homes.

Into permanent receivership went the General American Casualty Company of San Antonio, so ordered by District Judge Jack Roberts of Austin.

Judge Roberts ordered the company's over 120,000 policies to be cancelled after stating that he had delayed the receivership move in hope that the firm's officials could reorganize, but that they had been unable to raise the necessary financing for another try.

Red Law

Texas' new anti-communist ruling that outlaws membership in the Communist Party or any organization attempting to overthrow the government by force may not hold up in court, says Attorney General John Ben Shepperd.

Shepperd, who called the legislation the "most inclusive and far-sighted anti-Communist law in the nation," warned state lawyers that a former court ruling holding that control of sedition belong exclusively to the federal government might render the law invalid.

Shepperd added that the ruling, handed down by a Pennsylvania court, might "knock out all state sedition and treason laws."

Suspended by the Supreme Court as an order halting the prosecution of Duval County political boss George Parr and several of his associates.

Attorney General Shepperd, hailing the ruling which clears the way for action on 28 indictments returned by a special Duval County grand jury, said it "clears the decks for prosecution of the indictments."

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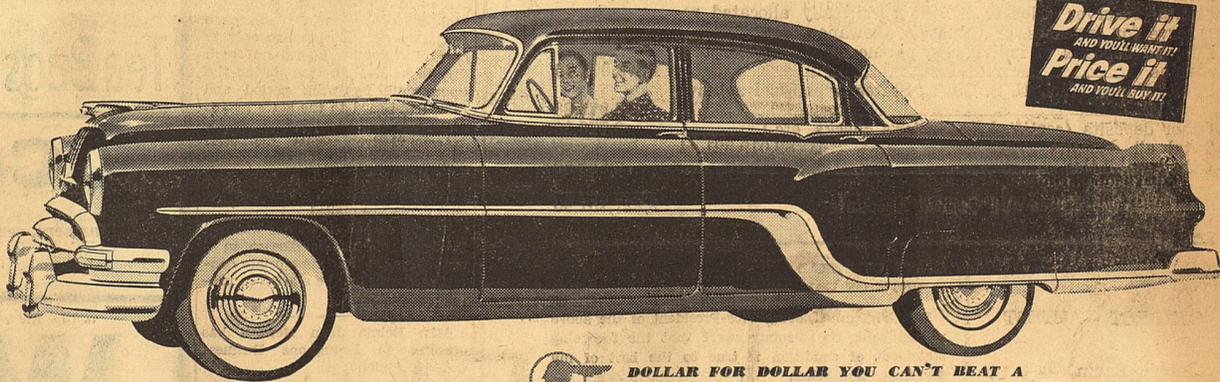
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Pioneer HD Club Holds Regular Meeting

The Pioneer Home Demonstration Club held its regular meeting Tuesday, July 6, at the club house. During the business session one of the new cook books was passed to each member to inspect. These books will be delivered to members of the club in the near future to sell.

Making pickles and relish were discussed during the meeting, and recipes were given each one present.

Plans were made to send two members, Mrs. Leo Franke and Mrs. Jess Flippin to the encampment at Lake Brownwood, July 8-9. They will give their report at the next club meeting.

Ice cold watermelon was served by the hostess, Mrs. S. O. Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Foster and children of Atwell and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Oliver and girls of Cross Plains spent 3 days last week fishing on the Llano River.

Mrs. W. D. Smith, Mrs. J. A. Moore and son, Truman Moore, of this city and James and Gerald Moore of Coleman were in Sinton over the week end to attend a birthday celebration for Luther Baird, brother of Mrs. Moore.

Clarence Aishman of Iraan visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Aishman, Sunday. Other visitors in the Aishman home were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown of Carbon, aunt and uncle of Mrs. Aishman.

TREES



Mrs. A. W. Armstrong of Rising Star visited Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Martin of this city over the week end.

Leo Wells was a business visitor in Wichita Falls a few days last week.

Mrs. Jeff Clark is spending this week in Dallas with her son, Donnel and wife.

Miss Lyna Lee Smith returned to her home in Fort Worth Sunday after a two weeks vacation with her father, W. D. Smith and wife, here.

Miss Kathryn Chapman is visiting in San Antonio this week with Miss Malaine Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cutbirth have returned home from a ten days vacation trip to points in New Mexico.

Health Dept. Launches New System For Reporting Diseases

Austin—Diseases in domestic animals and fowl is coming under closer expert scrutiny since July 5 when state health and veterinary authorities launched a new system of reporting presence, prevalence, and distribution of animal diseases.

Depending on how much cooperation is forthcoming from private veterinarians, on whom the success of the program hinges, State Health Officer, Henry A. Holle, said the new system ideally will reveal bi-weekly incidence of domestic animal diseases occurring in any of the state's 254 counties.

Included among diseases reported are anthrax, brucellosis, equine encephalomyelitis, leptospirosis, ornithosis (psittacosis), rabies, and others.

Thus, health officials will have an up-to-date check on infections afflicting household pets and farm animals, providing ailing animals were seen by veterinarians. Infections in animals are exerting increasingly greater influence on human health, state health leaders point out.

Agencies cooperating in the new venture are the State Department of Health, Livestock Sanitary Commission, A&M College School of Veterinary Medicine, Texas Veterinary Medical Association, the Disease Control Branch of the Agriculture Research Service, and the United States Public Health Service.

The State Health Department for years has maintained a reporting system for human communicable diseases. And for the past three years the department has conducted a monthly survey pin-pointing the county of origin and species of all rabies - positive animal heads autopsied by the Bureau of Laboratories.

This new animal morbidity system is separate from the human disease record, and absorbs the monthly rabies report.

The report system works like this:

Two identical self-addressed, postage-free report cards are mailed to each of the state's 700-plus private veterinarians. One card covers the first half of the month; the other the second half.

A column of most important animal diseases is printed on each card. The veterinarian has only to check the number of cases of each disease he has observed during the appropriate two-week period and return the card to the state health agency.

Accumulative results for each monthly period are by the Bureau of Laboratories and a copy sent to each veterinarian when new report cards are mailed.

The tabulation shows any unusual incidence of specific disease in a given area, so that appropriate control measures can be started to prevent its spreading.

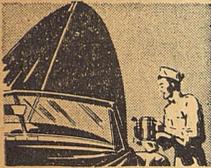
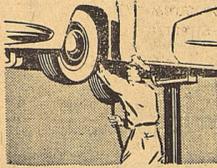
Miss Delma Jean Newton has enrolled in Draughtons Business College, Abilene.

Mrs. J. R. Starnater of Abilene visited her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Sims, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bishop and sons were business visitors in Abilene Monday.

Fred Tunnell and Clyde Sims are spending a few days in Fort Worth.

Proper Lubrication . . .



Proper lubrication is mighty important for smooth, trouble-free summer driving.

Protect those vital parts on your car that can cause repair bills if not greased often enough. Drive in here at least every thousand miles for factory method lubrication.

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Charter No. 1637

Statement of Financial Condition Of The CITIZENS STATE BANK

at Cross Plains, Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1954, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts & CCC Loans	635,514.44
United States Gov't. Obligations, direct and guaranteed	872,475.00
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	125,886.61
Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	585,495.99
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	5,000.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	2,000.00
Other Assets	1,379.86
Total Resources	2,227,751.90

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common Capital Stock	50,000.00
Surplus: Certified \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Undivided profits	36,596.87
Capital reserves (Not to include specifically allocated reserve for expenses, or valuation allowances)	65,000.00
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,873,072.86
Public Funds (Incl. U. S. Gov't., States & political subdivisions)	136,978.28
Other deposits (certified & cashier's checks, etc.)	9,770.30
Total all deposits	\$2,019,821.44
Other liabilities	6,333.59
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	2,227,751.90

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CALLAHAN

CORRECT - ATTEST

Edwin Baum
W. P. Brightwell
W. B. Baldwin

DIRECTORS

I, F. V. Tunnell, being Vice-President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. V. TUNNELL

(SEAL)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1954.

Ethel Sims
Notary Public, Callahan County, Texas

Read the Classified Ads

ROWDEN NEWS

By Velda Crow

Miss Pearl Smedley, who spent last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Crawford in Amarillo, has returned home.

A number of the Rowden ladies attended a pink and blue shower for Mrs. Dale Gibbs, Thursday night in the home of Mrs. Conley Pruette in Baird.

Misses Irene and Marjorie Mauldin visited with Miss Pearl Smedley Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ludie Owens of Oklahoma has been visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. John Adair.

Miss Velda Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stephens and Lyn and Mrs. C. E. Stephens and Donald in Abilene Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mr. and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Judy and Mrs. Lella Gibbs visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker in Baird Thursday night.

Dean Gibbs of Baird and Kenneth Beeler of Cross Plains visited church here Sunday.

Visiting in the B. Crow home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs of Baird, Kenneth Beeler of Cross Plains and Donald Stephens of Abilene.

The annual picnic was held on the Bayou on the Blan Odom place on

July 5. A number of people were on hand to enjoy the picnic lunch and to visit with old friends. Swimming and games of forty-two were enjoyed during the day.

Mrs. B. Crow and daughters visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cutbirth at Clyde Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Acker visited in West Texas and New Mexico last week.

Ed Johnson of Fort Worth spent Sunday night here with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Acker.

Mrs. Howard Cox and daughter, Carol, visited her sister, Mrs. Tim Lancaster and family, in San Angelo the first of the week.

Mrs. P. D. Hall and daughter of Sidney visited her uncles Tom and Howard Cox, Friday afternoon.

Major and Mrs. Donald Weaver and family of Gatesville visited here Monday with her father, George Neel and wife.

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We can supply you with GATES V-BELTS to keep your

- WASHER
- REFRIGERATOR
- LAWN MOWER
- POWER TOOLS

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EVERY WEDNESDAY IS

DOUBLE STAMP DAY

Double Profit-Sharing Stamps Given With Every Purchase on Wednesday

Crisco 3 LB. CAN **85c**

Valley Fresh Vegetables & Fruits

Homemakers are invited to try our Valley-fresh fruits and vegetables delivered to our store twice weekly by truck direct from the Rio Grande Valley.

Beef **Ribs** Lb. **29c** Ground **Beef** Lb. **39c**

Handi Grape Soda, Orange Soda, Black Cherry, Root Beer, Sparkling Soda, 12 Oz. Cans . . .

12 for **1.19**

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Tenderleaf **Tea Bags** 16 Count **19c** Scrappy or Kim **Dog Food** 3 Cans **25c**

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Farmers, see us for your Cotton Sprays . . . we have a complete stock of Toxaphene and Toxaphene DDT Sprays.

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