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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1956

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a fellow a feeling of pride community, when he sees...

600 people were on hand today afternoon to attend...

Whitton has been called to practice in our city...

Whitton To Educators Meet in Atlantic City

Whitton, Superintendent of Cross Plains schools, left...

COMPLETED FOR COUNTY STOCK TO BE HELD IN BAIRD FEBRUARY 18

Plans are virtually in for Callahan County Live-

es for the show was in- yesterday, however, Jack...



SWEETHEAT IS CROWNED—Cynthia McCuin, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCuin of Cross Plains...

Cross Plains Girl Crowned Sweetheart Of Abilene District Future Farmers

Cynthia McCuin, a 16-year-old brunette beauty and sweetheart of the Cross Plains FFA Chapter...

Mrs. Bob Smith and baby returned to their home in Brownwood...

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edington and daughters of Albany visited...

600 Inspect New School Buildings Here Last Sunday Afternoon

More than 600 persons inspected two new school buildings here...

Dedication speaker Nat Williams, Lubbock superintendent of schools...

The two structures are an auditorium building (also containing the cafeteria, band hall and vocational agriculture department)...

They were constructed by the sale of \$200,000 bond issue authorized in January 1954...

Paul L. Whitton, superintendent of schools, presided at the dedication...

Walter W. Phillips Buried At Pioneer

Walter William Phillips, 71, was laid to final rest in the Pioneer cemetery Friday morning...

He was born November 20, 1884 in Llano, County and had lived in the Pioneer community for twenty years...

Survivors include his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Lora Smart, Iraan and Mrs. Estelle Barker, Yuma, Arizona...

Mrs. J. H. Lee Buried Here Sunday

Mrs. Neppie White, 85, resident of the Cross Plains area for 53 years, died Friday, February 10...

Funeral services were held at the Cross Plains First Baptist Church Sunday at 4 o'clock with the pastor, the Rev. D. R. Phillely, officiating...

Survivors include six sons, William, Putnam, Tom, Dave and Hobart, Cross Plains, Walter, Mena, Arkansas and Clifford, Coalinga, Calif...

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Coleman and family of Baird attended the dedication of the new school building Sunday afternoon...

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ellsworth of Cutler City, Oregon and Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Havins of Brownwood spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Henry Williams...

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tunnell and children were in Lubbock over the week end visiting Mrs. Tunnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bledsoe and other relatives...

Snow Received Here Last Week Gauged .30

Wet snow that began falling here at 10:00 p.m. last Thursday covered this area in one of the seen last winter scenes we have ever seen...

This additional moisture gives the Cross Plains area a total of 2.79 inches of precipitation thus far this year.

Bufs Win Over Gorman In Final Cage Game

The District 7-A champion Cross Plains Buffaloes defeated the Gorman Panthers, 40-31, here Monday night to wind up regular season play with an undefeated 10-0 district record.

It's was Gorman's sixth loss against four wins in league play and gave the Panthers fourth place in the district race.

Cross Plains is scheduled to meet the District 8-A champion yet to be determined, either Monday or Tuesday of next week in bi-district play.

Terry Watkins meshed 14 points to pace Cross Plains while Max Pierce led the losers with 12.

In a preliminary game the Gorman girls defeated the Cross Plains girls 26-24.

The box score (field goals; free throws, total points): CROSS PLAINS: Moore 3-1-7; Jennings 0-0-0; Watkins 4-7-14; Baum 2-3-7; Cearley 1-2-4; McCord 3-2-8; Totals: 13-14-40.

GORMAN: Dupuy 3-0-6; Pierce 4-4-12; Rogers 3-5-11; Gregg 1-0-2; Warren 0-0-0; Totals: 11-9-31.

Score by quarters: Cross Plains 12 21 23 40 Gorman 6 14 19 31

Girl Scouts Troops Organized at Meeting Held January 26

Three Brownie Troops and one intermediate girl scout troop were organized at a meeting held in the basement of the Methodist Church January 26 at 3 p.m.

Survivors include his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Lora Smart, Iraan and Mrs. Estelle Barker, Yuma, Arizona, six sons, Lee Phillips, Yuma, Ariz, Wylie, Chester, Buddy and Roy all of Amarillo, and Lloyd of Abilene; three sisters, Mrs. Ethel Holland and Mrs. Etta Mae Mayfield of Stephenville and Mrs. Dorothy Isaac, Alvin, three brothers, Raymond, Abilene, Alford, Burnett and Melvin, Galveston, 20 grand-children and six great-grandchildren.

County Voting Strength Over 3000 This Year

An announcement made last week by Homer Price, Callahan County Tax Assessor-Collector, stated that the voting strength of the county for 1956 is above 3,000, including citizens over 65 years of age, who are not required to register in this county.

Registered strength in the 16 voting precincts of the county are as follows: Baird 597; Bell Plain 13; Cottonwood 41; Clyde 409; Cross Plains 443; Admiral 52; Putnam 159; Erath 14; Eula 134; Dudley 31; Atwell 35; Lanham 12; Oplin 62; Rowden 32; Denton 57; Hart 16.

Mr. Marvin Rich was released from Brown Sanatorium in Cisco Wednesday of last week where she has received treatment for several weeks.

Mrs. Mack Campbell underwent surgery in the Overall Hospital in Coleman Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tunnell and children were in Lubbock over the week end visiting Mrs. Tunnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bledsoe and other relatives.

MOD Program and Drive Here Nets Over \$1,200.00 For The Fight Against Polio

The final basketball games of the season will be played here Friday night of this week when the boys and girls teams will be hosts to the Burkett Cagers in non-conference games.

These games should provide fans with an evening of excellent entertainment, since both boys teams are district winners of their respective districts.

Game time is set for 7:00 p.m.

Porter Davis Undergoes Major Surgery Tuesday

Porter Davis of Brownwood underwent major surgery Tuesday morning of this week in Memorial Hospital in Brownwood.

Over 200 Attend Buff Football Banquet

Over 200 persons attended the annual Buffalo football banquet staged in the new school cafeteria here Tuesday night of this week by the Quarterback Club.

The banquet meal was prepared and served by ladies of the local Parent-Teachers Association and was highly complimented by those in attendance.

AREA OIL NEWS

Eleven miles northwest of Cross Plains, R. Clay Underwood of Wichita Falls staked No. 1 Fred Cutbirth as a 2,100 foot rotary wildcat.

Site is 330 feet from the north and east lines of Section 225, A-1 Fred Smith Survey.

Eight miles west of Cross Plains L. L. Shell Jr. and Jimmie Bell of Abilene spotted No. 1 S. O. Montgomery as a 1,999-foot rotary test.

Site is 4,167 feet from the south and 990 feet from the west lines of T. H. Brown Survey 215.

Completed in the McGraw (Cross Plains) Field three miles west of Cross Plains was R. K. Stoker of Cross Plains No. 3-B McGraw Estate, in Robert Henderson Survey 852.

Daily potential was 96 barrels of 40.1 gravity oil, flowing through a 16-64-inch choke with packer on casing and 140 pounds on tubing.

Flow was from 28 perforations at 1,634-1,641 feet. Total depth was 1,660 feet, with casing set at 1,558 Gas-oil ratio was 200-1.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wiginton and Randall and Mrs. Harlen Wiginton of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Collis Eager and Jim, Mrs. Eunice Starr and H. C. Placke visited Mrs. G. L. Eager and Virgie Sunday.

Philosopher Unsure About Governors On Cars, But Thinks It'd Work On Tractors

Dear editor: I don't have too much faith in public opinion polls, mainly because it's hard to say what a nation thinks when most of the individuals in it haven't made up their minds yet, and also because they miss so often, except when they report on something you can't really check up on, like weather 63 per cent of the women favor a new style or 59 per cent of the men believe the winners aren't as cold as they used to be, but I read one the other night that got me interested.

According to it, 70 percent of the American public is in favor of putting governors on cars to hold them down to 60 miles an hour.

Now I am not disputing the accuracy of this poll, but if 70 percent of the drivers think they're going to fast, why don't they slow down? And if anybody thinks keeping all cars from going faster than 60 miles an hour will stop all accidents, my advice to him is to stay off the streets the next times he goes to town, and in the meantime check up on his hospitalization insurance.

Mrs. Fred Cutbirth and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, local co-chairmen for the March of Dimes Drive, reported this week that over \$1,200.00 had been subscribed to the worthy cause here.

The variety show and auction sale held in the school gym Thursday night of last week raised a little over \$1,100, they said and other contributions in the community swelled the total to over \$1,200.00.

A large crowd was present for the annual program and auction sale last Thursday night and it was hailed by all as one of the best ever staged here.

An excellent program made up of local talent was enjoyed by all and the auction sale was a complete success with bidding fast on cakes, pies and merchandise donated by citizens of the community.

Cotton Connel Promoted To Corporal In Alaska

Eldon (Cotton) Connel, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Slaughter of this city, has been recently promoted to Corporal, according to reports received by his parents last week.

He reports that the snow in Alaska is from five to 12 feet deep in some places. There is not much for the boys station there to do as the weather is so bad and he enjoys hearing from all his friends.

His address is Cpl. Eldon B. Connel, US 54147918, Btry "D", 167th A.A.A. BN., APO, c/o P.M. Seattle, Washington.

World Day Of Prayer Program To Be Rendered Friday, February 13

A World Day of Prayer program will be rendered at the First Methodist Church Friday, February 17, at 3 o'clock. The meeting is being held jointly by the churches in the community.

The World Day of Prayer has been designated on an international, interdenominational, interracial basis to join the people of the world together in furtherance of the doctrine, "The Lord Is Thy Keeper" and such meetings are being held over the world.

Mrs. C. M. Garrett of the Presbyterian church will be in charge of the meeting.

County Singers To Meet At Clyde Next Sunday

Fred Stacy, President of the Callahan County Singing Convention, announced that the organization will hold its regular singing session at the First Methodist Church in Clyde next Sunday afternoon, starting at 2:00 o'clock.

All singers and lovers of gospel music are extended a cordial invitation to attend, he said.

Brother of Pioneer Men Critically Ill

Jess and Bart Brown of Pioneer received a message Sunday that their brother, Fred Brown of Brawley, Calif. was critically ill. According to the report he had recently undergone surgery and little hope was held for his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Tunnell of Dallas spent the week end here with Mrs. John Browning and Betty. Tommy Tunnell returned home with his parents after spending two weeks here.

is no fixed thing. If you're going 40 miles an hour and somebody meets you on top of the hill going the same speed, you've got an 80-mile-an-hour wreck and science hasn't invented the gadget that'll prevent it.

Personally, I don't have the answer to the wreck problem, and if anybody else has, he's hiding it. I don't think about it except when I get on the highway, and when I get on the highway I'm too busy avoiding cars to do any clear thinking.

But this idea of a governor intractors. It's not that tractors go too fast going up one row and down another, it's just that they go too often. That's one thing that's causing the surplus.

What this country needs is a governor which will allow you to run a tractor only three days a week, although here again a gadget is no substitute for thinking. I thought of slowing down every tractor work long ago, and while it hasn't made me rich, can't anybody pin any part of the surplus on me.



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State Capitol NEWS

Austin—US Trust and Guaranty creditors can expect first payment about mid-July. Liquidator J. D. Wheeler told the Senate investigating committee.

Liquidation process was set in motion when a Temple firm was appointed to collect notes owed US Automotive Service, a US Trust affiliate.

Insurance Com. Chmn. J. Byron Saunders would not say that Texas is "over the hill" yet with insurance problems. But he did say the companies which pass the solvency test and get licenses after May 31 "will be entitled to public confidence."

If sound management had been instituted, US Trust might have been saved as late as last fall, according to a Dallas CPA who made partial audit. Felix Einsohn said he found inadequate trained clerks handling million-dollar operations. He quit his work after refusing to prepare for A. B. Shoemaker, president, a "certified financial statement inconsistent with my evaluation of facts."

Continuing its "clean-up" drive, the Insurance Commission:

1. Granted leaves of absence to four examiners named in a suit alleging conspiracy to commit fraud, but indicated they would not be re-employed.

2. Ordered the following companies to "show cause" why their permits should not be revoked: Trans-Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Dallas; American Home Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Dallas; Texas Union County Mutual Insurance Co. of San Antonio; and Merchants National Life Insurance Co. of Denton.

3. Announced plans of cut rates for insuring crops against hail damage.

4. Reminded companies that all advertising of insurance securities must be approved by the commission before publication.

Hart Back With Governor

Return of Weldon Hart to his old job as Gov. Allan Shivers' first assistant is causing much speculation.

Hart has been serving as chairman of the Texas Employment Commission since 1953. Before that he was the governor's top political

and public relations strategist.

His return to the Capitol is variously interpreted as (1) gridding for the battle to control the Democratic state convention, (2) priming for new political campaigns, or (3) an aid in clearing up criticism resulting from insurance developments.

Democratic Leaders Exchange Fire

Early skirmishes by rival leaders in the Texas Democratic party indicate a real brawl for state convention control in May.

Executive Committee Chairman Sandlin charged the Liberals are planning to bolt the convention if they don't win out. He proposed a "winned-take-all" agreement to avoid sending competing delegations to Chicago as in 1952.

Liberals Byron Skelton and Tom Moore Jr. countered with predictions that the "Shivers Executive Committee will control the party machinery, in particular the credentials committee . . . depriving legally elected delegations of their votes."

As each faction held schools and sent out literature to bolster its strength, the sniping continued. Samples: Conservatives said Liberals were bringing in out-of-state union organizers; Liberals said Conservatives would use machine tactics and tricks.

Amendments Listed

A drawing for position on the Nov. 6 ballot gives first place to the constitutional amendment providing for financial compensation to prisoners later found innocent of a crime.

Tom Reavley, Secretary of State, conducted the drawing, assisted by Sibly Dickinson of the same office.

Second on the ballot will be the amendment relating to re-allocation of county funds; third, an amendment broadening the University of Texas investments and the college building program; fourth, one expanding teacher retirement; fifth, a \$100,000,000 veterans' land bond issue; sixth, revising the constitutional oath of office; seventh, providing waiver of jury trial in lunacy cases; and eighth, authorizing a judge to deny mail in a felony case to a person twice previously convicted of felony.

Because of legislative error in the context of the ninth amendment, authorizing state aid to the totally disabled, it will have to be voted upon at a special election on Nov. 13.

"Right-to-Work" Decision Due

Texas Supreme Court reports it will make a decision soon on the variety of Texas "right-to-work" law. Previously the court had set the case aside pending U. S. Supreme Court action on a similar Nebraska case.

An early decision by Texas high court might permit the issue in-

olved to be considered by the federal tribunal before it rules on the Nebraska case.

Short Snorts

Gov. Allan Shivers has designated Feb. 19-25 as Advertising Week in Texas; and Feb. 22 as U. S. Army Reserve Day . . . Ralph Yarbrough took another step toward official announcement of his third-time candidacy for governor. He appointed Roger I. Daily, Houston oil and gas attorney, as his state campaign manager . . . Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd asks Congressional enactment of a law limiting appeal of state criminal cases to federal

courts. Texas' U. S. Senators and the organizations for attorneys general and chief justice, back the plan on the grounds it would save money, prevent appeals for "frivolous" reasons . . . A statewide drive to get the legislature to adopt an interposition resolution, to preserve segregation, has been launched by the Association of Texas Citizens Councils. Attorney General Shepperd cautious encouragement to a delegation which sought his help. He termed interposition the state's "last line of defense" against federal encroachment.

Wheeler, state insurance liquidator, reports that money collected from insurance firms in liquidation, \$1,474,921 in 1955. Payments to creditors of these firms amount to \$844,320. Expenses of liquidation were \$367,853. Cash on hand at end of the year was \$600,000. An unlicensed driver is twice as likely to be involved in an accident as one with a license. Homer Garrison Jr., director of Department of Public

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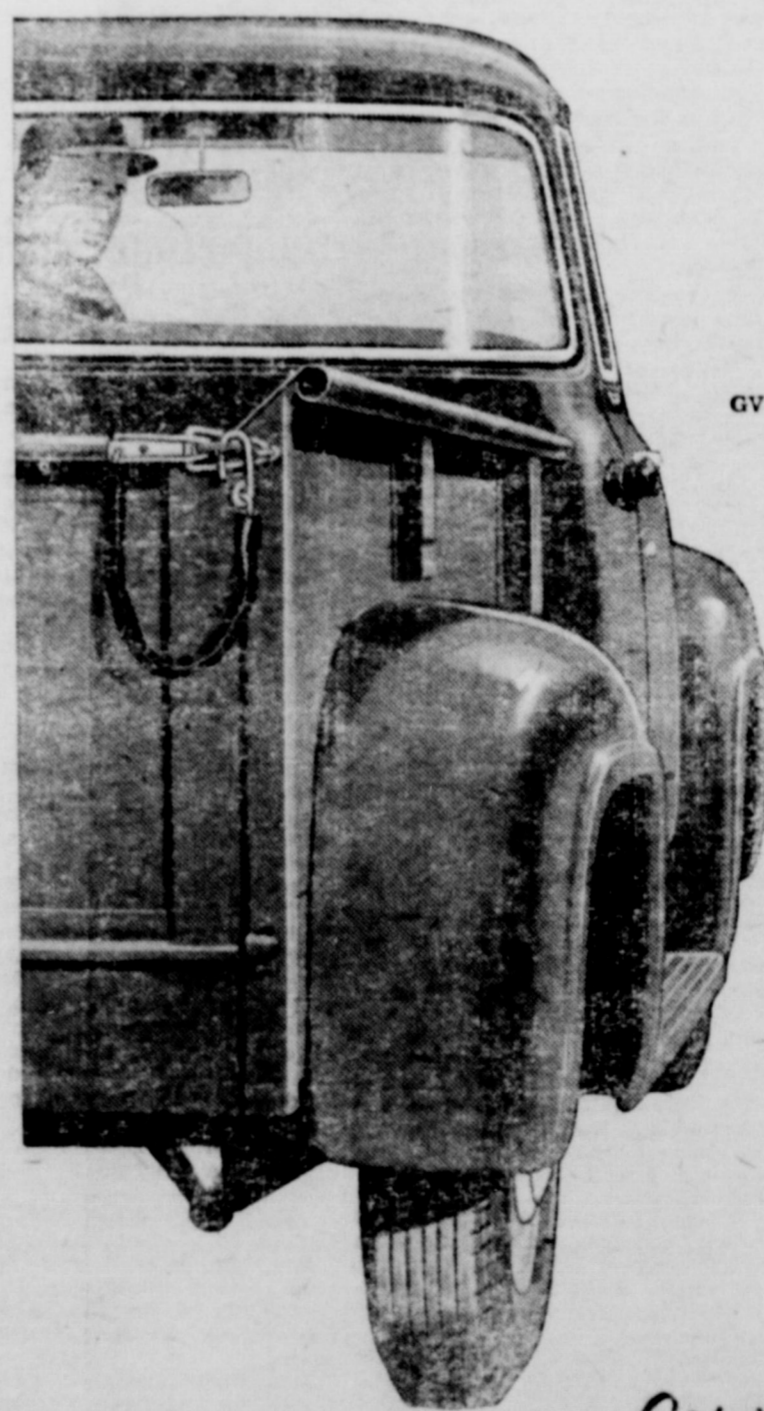
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WELL NEWS

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

One awoke Friday morning the most beautiful snow that had all melted.

Jim Hewes and Maggie were shopping in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson and Mr. and Mrs. Jess from Echo visited Mr. and Mrs. Foster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tip Wrinkle visited Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle at Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Benja Pillans and from Abilene visited Mr.

and Mrs. Ebb Rouse Sunday. Connie and Bimble Goble from Cross Plains and Garland DuPriest and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan and sons also visited the Rouses.

Several families attended the dedication of the new school buildings and also the March of Dimes program in Cross Plains last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McKinley and boys from Brownwood visited Mr. Black last week.

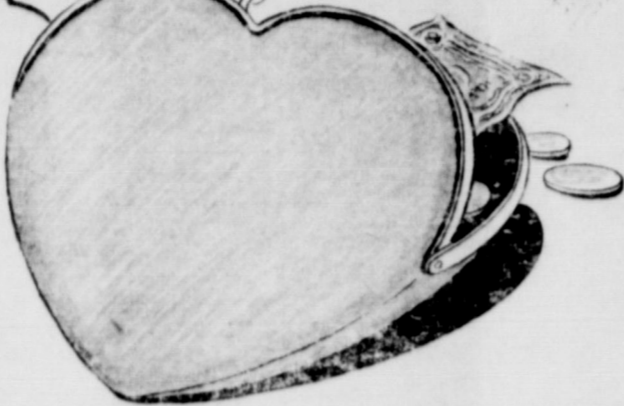
Rev. Don Love and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady visited Grandmother Lovelady in Brownwood Sunday. They reported her broken limb healing nicely and she will soon be back in her wheel chair.

Jim Wetsel visited in Cisco Sunday afternoon.

DIG DEEP FOR THE HEARTS OF TEXAS

FEBRUARY IS HEART FUND MONTH IN TEXAS AND THE NATION



Get The Brooder House Ready Early

Texas poultrymen will start 8 to 10 percent of the 1956 replacement of chicks during this month, and careful attention should be given to the cleaning and repairing of the brooder house in preparation for growing the chicks, says Ben Wormell, Extension Poultry Husbandman of Texas A. and M. College.

The brooder houses should be cleaned and put into good repair by making sure that windows, doors and ventilator sections are well fitted and working smoothly. The roof should be checked for leaks.

Thermostat apparatus on brooder stoves should be carefully checked and stoves cleaned to assure a dependable source of heat when it is needed, says Wormell.

Adequate feeder and watering space is recognized by poultrymen as important to uniform growth of all birds. Up to three weeks of age, birds should be provided with one inch of feeder space per bird. It should be increased to two inches, from three to four weeks of age, and during six to seven weeks, it should be increased to three inches per bird.

These needs can be met by one four foot trough for each 100 chicks at the start. At six to seven weeks of age they will need three troughs four feet long by four inches deep per 100 birds.

Wormell recommends five one gallon waterers by each breeder having a capacity of 500 chicks. From two to three weeks of age, two waterers with a three gallon capacity should be provided for each 100 birds. If a water system is available, a four foot automatic water trough should be provided for each 250 chicks.

Where chicks have access to range, Wormell recommends one square foot of floor space for every two birds. Since green feed is often not available on the range there is a trend toward growing pullet replacement chicks in confinement, he adds. Under these conditions each bird should be provided with one square foot of floor space, until they are eight or nine weeks of age.

On this basis a 30 foot by 40 foot house would be required to raise replacements for a thousand hen laying flock. Wormell adds that it will probably be to the poultryman's advantage to double this space, 30 by 80 feet, and keep the pullets confined to the house until maturity.

One sound method that is now being employed by some poultrymen is to leave the chicks in one house for the six months period and for the first year of egg production.

Making sure the brooder house and equipment is adequate and in good repair will pay good dividends in the production of a high percentage of good quality uniform pullets for next year's laying flock, says Wormell.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnell Clark of Dallas were week end visitors here with his mother, Mrs. Jeff Clark and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coburn attended the dedication services at the school auditorium Sunday afternoon and visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coburn.

Visitors in the W. P. Harlow home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charne Harlow and Buddy, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Freeman and Mrs. A. T. Hamilton all of Abilene.

Mrs. John M. Purvis, Jr. and children of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brashear and children and attended the school dedication.

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OMAR BURLESON Congressman 17th District



Washington, D. C.—Immediately following the passage of the Natural Gas Act ... it was my privilege as Chairman of the House Administration Committee to present the Bill at the White House. Speaker Sam Rayburn and Vice President Dick Nixon signed the measure as soon as it was ready for their signature, and we wanted to loose no time in placing it before President Eisenhower.

Hearings before the Agriculture Committee ... are now in progress on a measure which will liberalize the Watershed Protection Act of 1954.

By reason of present requirements imposed by the Department of Agriculture, the Congress should either amend the 1954 law and make it possible for local communities to develop an upstream water protection project or we might as well repeal the law entirely.

Except for the pilot projects, it is about impossible for local landowners to finance any such development unless they are given credit toward their contribution by including the value of easements, right of ways, land uses, etc. It is the hope we might be able to change these requirements by law, which will make workable one of the best programs ever devised.

Flood prevention means closing the barn-door before the horse gets out.

Intercontinental Ballistic Missile (ICBM) ... was a subject of brief discussion in last week's column. It is difficult to discuss such a big subject in such a short space, but there is nothing more important to survival than the most rapid development of this awful weapon by the United States.

Thus far we had a preponderance of power by reason of our ability to deliver a hydrogen bomb by long-range aircraft. There is little doubt but that ability has been a deterrent to war and the best guarantee of peace. This advantage, however, will be wiped out should Russia beat the United States in the development of an ICBM capable of carrying an atomic or hydrogen warhead. There are substantial reasons to believe that they are now ahead of us. Hearings are now in progress before certain committees of the Congress on this very sensitive situation. These hearings are highly secret and cannot be discussed, but some encouragement is to be had from the fact that Congress is inquiring into the reasons why our missile program has not progressed further than it has.

This Country absolutely cannot afford to have its missile program bogged down in governmental red tape and something must be done and be done soon if we are to reach the point which we should have attained in this respect two or three years ago.

It is my belief that our very survival is literally at stake. The A-bomb only helped speed the end of World War II, which we had already won. The ICBM is the best guarantee of avoiding war we pray we will never have to fight.

We should either put one capable and qualified man at the head of such a project and give him the go-ahead sign with everything we have behind him, subject to periodic review at top level, or just admit defeat at the outset and put the budgeteers and coordinators in charge to insure that we are destroyed as cheaply and efficiently as possible.

Should Russia perfect the ICBM before the United States, they would never need to attack us. Ballistic nuclear blackmail would freeze our present and potential allies into neutralization and inaction.

If we do nothing, Soviet infiltration and subversion would see to it that the lion's share of the world's resources (trained people, raw materials, productive capacity, vital real estate for dispersal, etc.) would all shift to the Soviet side. The defeat of the United States would

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McIntosh have returned to their home here after spending sometime in Marathon where he has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Galloway and children of Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baum and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge of Cross Cut spent Sunday afternoon at Lake Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray and Marlyn Whiteley of Pioneer visited in Baird Sunday with Mrs. Gray's nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ringhoffer, Jr. and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Porter and Bobby Illingworth were in Dallas the first of the week to be with Tommy Porter who underwent surgery in the Scottish Rites Hospital Monday morning.

M-Sgt and Mrs. Harley Neel spent Wednesday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. George Neel. Sgt. Neel returned to the states Sunday Feb. 5, from Paris, France where he has been stationed the past year. Mrs. Neel has been making her home in Comanche while her husband was overseas. Neel will be stationed at Connelly AFB at Waco.

then be only a matter of time.

It is a nice slogan to say that "we have the most powerful Air Force in peace-time history," but what we must have is one better than Soviet Russia. As part of this need, we must beat Soviets in the ICBM race, or the lights of freedom will begin going out all over the world.

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COTTONWOOD

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. John Varner and Melvin of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sumner of Odessa and children also Glendale Champion spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner received a card from Mrs. S. A. Moore of Brady telling them she is much improved but yet not able to do much work.

Mrs. W. A. Gill gave a quilting last Thursday which was well at-

tended. Mrs. Floyd Coffey, Durward and grandson, Rickey of Stephenville, visited the Coffey's here last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Ross Respass of Brownfield visited here last week in the Respass home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Holiday of Roswell drove from Memphis, Tenn. last Tuesday stayed Tuesday night, Wednesday and Wednesday night in the Respass home returning to Roswell Thursday.

Several from here attended the dedication services at Cross Plains school building Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Van Pelt of Odessa and Mrs. T. A. Coppinger of Baird attended services Sunday morning at the Baptist church.

We are losing some of our citizens. Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Montgom-

BURKETT NEWS

By Anita Strickland

The Sweetheart Banquet was well attended Monday night at the Burkett Baptist Church. A very interesting program was given with Mrs. P. A. Voss as the principal speaker. A nice refreshment plate was served to 67 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holland and Linda of Colorado City visited his mother over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Porter and family and Roy Porter of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Adams visited Mr. and Mrs. Archie Adams and family of Fort Worth over the week end.

Mrs. P. A. Voss and Paul Arnold visited her parents in Fort Worth the past week end.

Jack Brown is very ill in the Veterans Hospital at Big Spring.

Word was received here Monday of the death of Mrs. Alice Williams, 88 of Sweetwater. She is a sister of Cyrus Burns and the late W. T. Burns. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield of Cross Plains visited in the T. C. Strickland home Saturday night.

Mrs. Reece Porter and Jimmie of McCamey and Miss Glenda Sue Porter of ACC, Abilene visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. Boyle.

The senior English class attended a play at Mozelle High School Tuesday.

Luther Porter is home after spending several days at Hendricks Hospital at Abilene suffering from a back injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete O'Brien and children of Brownwood visited in the G. Boyle home over the week end.

ery are moving to Rising Star or near there, where they have bought their home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maddox have returned to their home here after spending about four weeks at Marathon where he was working.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hale of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford Sunday.

Annual Sweetheart Banquet Honors Baptist Young People and Friends

The young people were honored with a sweetheart banquet Saturday evening at 7 o'clock in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church, and was sponsored by the ladies of the church.

Guest were received by Mrs. Carroll Aly. The decorations gave emphasis to Valentine and sweetheart theme. Red candles in crystal containers centered the tables that were covered with white cloths, interspersed with valentine motifs along the tables.

Donald Baird offered thanks. The banquet dinner consisted of fried chicken, cream potatoes, English peas, congealed salad, hot rolls, cherry pie topped with whipped cream, tea and coffee.

Those serving the tables were Mmes. Dan Johnston, R. D. Hill, Donald Baird A. J. McCuin, Norrel Long, and Henry McCoy.

Carroll T. Aly was master of ceremonies after the dinner. The focal point in the banquet room was the king and queen chair that was draped in red velvet. Jerry Tyler and Joan McNutt were crowned King and queen by Rev. D. R. Philley.

The program consisted of two songs of love, "Ole Man River" and "Because" sung by C. T. Aly accompanied by Glendene Philley.

"Cupid Advice to the Lovelorn" a playlet was given. Characters were, farmer, David Jennings, his wife, Billie Helen McMillan, their daughter, Cynthia McCuin who had gone to college seven years and some how the teachers just wouldn't give her a passing grade. Other characters were Terry Cearley, Marion McMillan, J. B. Bodine and Clark Baum.

"Hearts Lifted" (Benediction, was by Patsy Parrish.

Guests were Rev. and Mrs. D. R. Philley, training Union director, Donald Baird, teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop Mr. and Mrs. Hadden Payne, Mrs. Dave Smith and youth leaders, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Aly.

Young people that were present to enjoy the occasion were: Carolyn Tatum, Mamie Foster, Linda Vaught, Don Watkins, Mary Scott, Ronald Gray, Linda King, Cynthia

Pioneer Home Demonstration Club Has Special Meeting

The Pioneer Home Demonstration Club met in special session Tuesday, February 7, at the home of Mrs. Calvin Coady. The meeting was called to order by the co-agent, Mrs. Hart.

The following officers were elected, Mrs. Bart Brown was elected president by acclamation; Mrs. Calvin Roady was elected vice-president. Other officers filling their places in the usual way.

Mrs. Hart gave an interesting demonstration on foods of necessity. Several old members were present for the meeting and three new members were welcomed into the club.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Edward Pancake February 21 at 2 p.m. All club members and those desiring to become members are extended a welcome to attend.

Mrs. Dale Brown and baby and Mrs. Buddy Hardin of Abilene spent Tuesday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Brown.

Mrs. Lester E. Maxwell and family of Fort Worth spent the week end with her mother and brother, Mrs. C. L. McDonald and Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker were here from Abilene during the week end visiting Mrs. Verna Mae Ramsey and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dillard and children of Abilene spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. May Dillard and daughters.

McCuin, Clark Baum, Vonda Dillard, Betty Harris, Dorothy Montgomery, Anna Jo Schaffner, Glendene Philley, David Jennings, Mary Frances Gary, Betty Wyatt, Mary McNutt, Betty Golsen, Joan McNutt, Jerry Tyler, Jackie Dewbre, Gaynell Bryan, Billie Helen McMillan, Carl McCord, Belva Barnett, Bonita McCowan, Nelda Dillard, Wendy Long, George Jennings, Buddie Philley, Betty Hinkle, Drucilla Jones, Glens Pillars, Marshall Searcy, Patsy Parrish, Joyce Tyler, Sammy Long, Coy Searcy, James Cowan, David Wells, Joe Gary, J. B. Bodine George Webb, Darvil Hutchins, Thomas Searcy, Jackie Pancake, Bobby Kirkham, Marion McMillan and Terry Cearly.

Odessa Couple Visiting Here And At Baird

Rev. and Mrs. Van Pelt of Odessa are visiting this week with Mrs. Van Pelt's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger and with Mrs. T. A. Coppinger and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Freeland at Baird. They also have been visiting with friends at Cottonwood where they made their home for several years while Rev. Van Pelt served as pastor of the Baptist Church there.

Rev. Van Pelt visited the Review office Tuesday and reported that their son, Tommy D., now serving in the Navy had recently spent a furlough with them leaving Sunday, February 5, for California where he will sail for Pearl Harbor for six months schooling. Tommy entered the service in June of last year and finished boot training at San Diego, Calif. where he was honor man of his company. He then joined a submarine crew and was in school at New London, Conn. for three months.

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ROWDEN NEWS

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 By Order of Board of Trustees
 Claude Mayes, Secretary
 47-4tc

CARD OF THANKS

Words are inadequate to express my deep appreciation to the many friends who remembered me in so many different ways while I was in the hospital. Especially do I want to thank the Eastern Star for the lovely flowers and for those who sent letters and cards.
 Mrs. Marvin Rich.

SABANNO NEWS

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk visited relatives in Sidney Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King were Eastland visitors last Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Whitehorn and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gage and children of Moran and Patsy of Abilene were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Coffey of Abilene visited with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer Sunday.

Mrs. Wes Holcomb accompanied their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and baby to Gustine over the week end where they all visited in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Livingston and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roady and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hicks visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hicks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Webb and children visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Casey visited with his brother Clarence Earl and family in Clyde last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer visited in the Wes Holcomb home Monday.

Mrs. Lorena Lilley was a business visitor in Baird last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loran Barron visited their daughter and son, Mrs. Bon Huntington in Cross Plains last Thursday.

Mrs. Wordis Erwin entertained with a party Valentine Day at 2 p. m. All reported a jolly big time.

A religious film was showed at the Baptist church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Snyder and children and Mr. Switzer all of Bangs visited in the O. B. Switzer home Sunday.

Joe Houser of Odessa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Houser, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Pillans of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pillans were in Houston over the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fletcher and daughter.

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FOR SALE: 1955 Ford Customline, radio and heater and overdrive, clean, low mileage. I can trade with you. Howard McGowen, So. Main Street, Cross Plains, Phone 5-3823. Itc

FOR SALE: Two 1951 Chevrolets, both four doors, both clean and good with all extras. See Howard McGowen, South of Woody Service Station on old post yard, Cross Plains, Phone 5-3823. Itc

FOR SALE: 1951 Ford Tudor, radio, heater, overdrive. One would have to buy a new car to get one that runs any better. See Howard McGowen, South of Woody Service Station, Phone 5-3823. Itc

FOR SALE: 1950 Club Coupe Studebaker, good tires, radio heater and overdrive. Mechanically perfect. See Howard McGowen, So. Main, Cross Plains, Phone 5-3823. Itc

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FOR RENT: 130 acre farm two miles west of Cottonwood, write G. W. Coats, Knox City, Texas 45-3tc

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OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

GREETINGS:

The greatest source of assurance for the future of the American way of life is our public school system, which enables our youngsters to become familiar with the magnificent history of men and events which has made our Republic the most powerful, respected and favored country the world has ever known.

The public schools provide the tools of knowledge which will equip our young men and women to become constructive and responsible citizens in this land of freedom.

We have a great responsibility to maintain and advance the ideals and standards which our people have come to expect of their public schools. We must keep pace with the growing needs of our school by providing new classrooms, improved methods and by encouraging loyal, able, qualified men and women to adopt teaching as a lifetime career.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the week of March 5-10, 1956, as PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK in Texas, and urge every citizen to visit at least one public school during this period and to become personally acquainted with the problems and accommodations of our educational system.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 10th day of January, 1956.
Allan Shivers
Governor of Texas.

ARMY PLANS ALL-OUT EFFORT FOR RESERVISTS ON FEB. 22

Austin—A one-day, all-out-recruiting effort will be made by U. S. Army Reserves in Texas on February 22.

Aimed at increasing the strength of the Army Reserve Forces in the Lone Star State, teams composed of Reservists and Regular Army Advisory personnel will make personal calls on prospective enlistees in the 70 cities and towns in Texas where Reserve units are located.

Gov. Allan Shivers has signed a proclamation designating Washington's birthday—Wednesday, February 22—as U.S. Army Reserve Day in Texas, "in honor of the Father of Our Country and the Commander in Chief of the Continental Army."

The Governor's Proclamation not only praises the contribution made to the national defense efforts by the Reservists but also urges young men to seriously consider doing their part by joining a U. S. Army Reserve Unit.

February 22 also is the final day of National Defense Week. In this connection President Dwight D. Eisenhower said, "Our Reserve strength is more important today than ever before. It is therefore gratifying to learn of the plans for National Defense Week—under the slogan 'Reserve Power is National Defense.' I am delighted to endorse this undertaking, which I hope will receive the greatest possible measure of citizen cooperation and support."

In an effort to build up the reserve forces to nearly three million men (2.9 to be exact) Congress passed the Reserve Forces Act of 1955. It was signed into law by President Eisenhower last August.

Under one program of this law, high school students 17 to 18 1-2 years of age, may enlist in a Reserve unit, serve six months active duty after graduating from high school, then go to college or enter into the business world with draft deferred status.

Other provisions of the Act make the U. S. Army Reserve attractive to older youths who have had no Military service, and to those young men who already have served two or more years active duty.

Brigadier General Lewis S. Griffin, Chief of the Texas Military District, reports that Texas has 85,000 men in its Reserve now. But only 7,500 are active. Says Griffin "Our goal on February 22 is to get as many young men active in the Reserve as possible — both those with, as well as without, prior service. We must be prepared at all times. Delay costs money. Lack of training costs lives. Only through adequate military strength can we have peace."

"Our Army," says Wilber M. Brucker, secretary of the Army, "is constantly changing. It is forever developing new tools and new techniques. Its men must know how to use and apply them. No longer can we afford to spend long months after a conflict begins, in preparing our Reserves for their vital role."

Coleman Counties Oldest Man Observes Birthday

"Uncle" Noah Armstrong, Coleman's oldest citizen, celebrated his 104th birthday Wednesday, Feb. 8, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ima James. The celebration was quiet this year with his two daughters, Mrs. James and Mrs. W. C. Hazel of Rowden, and a few other close relatives visited him.

Born in Frontier Territory in Missouri in 1852, he came to Texas with his parents as an infant. They settled at Saledo in Bell County where his father built a house which is a landmark known as "Stage Coach Inn".

He joined the Texas Rangers at Lampasas when he was 23 years old and is the oldest Ex-Texas Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cash of Baird were visiting with friends in Cross Plains Sunday and attended the services held at the new school building Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dennis and Kay and Ann all of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Cardwell and Jimmy Gatis of Abilene visited here Sunday, February 5 with Jack Meador and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Champion and girls.

ATTENDING MEETING

Jimmy Dan Hoyler, son of Mrs. Collis Eager, represented the Cross Plains Presbyterian Church at an overnight meeting of the young people of Abilene Presbytery at Snyder, February 10-11. Also attending were Mrs. Don McCall, Mrs. H. P. Morris and the Rev. Roy Zuefeldt, who spoke to the young people about "Our Living Faith".

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Thursday, February 16

H. C. Freeman, Sr. attended church in Rising Star Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Brightwell was a visitor in Cross Plains day.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Renfro were here from Abilene Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan, Mrs. J. H. McElroy and Mary Renfro.

Billy Sam Sipes of Cross Plains here the past few days with parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. and family.

Mrs. T. M. Shuford and Mrs. Dave Hargrove visited friends at Cottonwood Sunday afternoon.

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WHAT GOES ON AT C's HQ

McNatt, manager of the office of the Texas Employment Commission the past eight months, has been promoted to the position as Abilene manager. He was named Thursday by Donald Hawkins, 47, formerly of the act-nager for the past month. McNatt was at the state of a special assignment. It's new responsibility will

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be to supervise the processing of all unemployment compensation claims from throughout Texas. He, his wife and their daughter, Ann, have moved to Austin.
Hawkins was in charge of one of the placement departments in the Fort Worth TEC office before going to Abilene. Prior to that, he had been manager of the Amarillo and Wichita Falls local offices. He worked two years during World War II in the state TEC headquarters at Austin.
He has been with TEC since 1937, when he joined the Amarillo office as an interviewer.

Orville Ray visited here for a short while Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Ray. He was enroute to Houston from Odessa where he has been employed for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Greenwood and baby returned to their home in Midland Tuesday after a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greenwood. Monday afternoon the two families visited in Gorman with Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Pounds.

INCOME TAX FACTS No. 1 How to Save on Your Income Tax

(This is one of a series of articles on federal income tax filing. The articles are based on information provided by the American Institute of Accountants and the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants.)

The eve of April 16 will see a mad scramble in many households to put together the necessary facts and figures for the federal income tax returns due on that date. (April 15 falls on a Sunday this year, making April 16 the deadline.)

The last minute rush produces not only long lines at Internal Revenue Service offices, but also many careless mistakes by taxpayers.

Most of the errors are very simple. For example, about one million returns are filed every year with signatures missing. (This includes joint returns with only one signature and individual returns with no signature at all.)

Little slips in arithmetic last year resulted in overpayments by taxpayers of \$18,000,000. Taxpayers got back these overpayments eventually, after the government discovered the mistakes, but the taxpayer cannot rely on the government to save him from all his errors.

The mistakes of arithmetic favoring the taxpayer were even larger—perhaps not entirely by coincidence. All returns are checked, and when an underpayment is discovered the government not only collects the difference, but also charges interest.

Opportunities Overlooked
Apart from obvious mistakes, many taxpayers overlook opportunities to claim exemptions and deductions, and other ways to reduce their tax.

In order to help you avoid such pitfalls, this newspaper is publishing a series of articles prepared with the help of the national and state organizations of certified public accountants. These articles — if you save them and use them along with the official instructions that come with your tax forms — may save you money.

Your first step is to consider whether you should file at all, and then what kind of a return to file. For income tax purposes you are

not required to file a return if your gross income in 1955 was less than \$600, or if you are 65 or older and had less than \$1,200 gross income. But if you had income from self-employment of \$400 or more, the return must be filed for social security tax purposes.

Don't forget that tax on salary or wages may have been withheld during the year by your employer, even if your income was less than \$600, and the only way to get it back is to file a tax return.

Advantage of Joint Returns

A common mistake is the filing of a separate return by a wife who had a small income. If the wife files a separate return, she is not permitted to file another return jointly with her husband, nor is her husband allowed to claim an exemption for the wife on his separate return.

Most married couples will save money by filing a joint return, as this "splits" their income to put them in the same bracket as though each of them had received half the total income.

There are unusual cases, however, such as those involving capital losses, in which separate returns might result in a saving. If this is a possibility, it is best to figure both jointly and separately before deciding which way to file.

The instructions that come with your tax forms give further information. Help is also available from the Internal Revenue Service, which urges you to consult a properly qualified advisor if you need outside assistance.

Next article: Save Money with the P Form.

Larry and Nancy Frazier of Abilene and Sidney Frazier a student at Howard Payne College, Brownwood, were visiting in Cross Plains during the week end with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Haisell, teachers in the Woodson school spent the week end at their home in Cross Plains. Mr. Haisell, who coaches girl's basket-ball states that his team has finished the district play off with the enviable record of 8-0 in conference play. Mr. Haisell says he has his fingers crossed in that he is not sure how far or where his team is going but at least they have started somewhere.

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Do You Remember?...

February 14, 1941

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Thompson of Cottonwood celebrated their fifty-sixth wedding anniversary Sunday, February 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Barr have been remodeling their home on Main Street this week and will convert the structure into a duplex.

Mamie A. Jordan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jordan of this city and Alvis R. Somford, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Somford of Rising Star, were united in holy wedlock at the Dressy Baptist Church Sunday night.

Mack Smart, affectionally known to hundreds as "Dad", died suddenly at his home North of town Wednesday afternoon of last week of a heart attack.

Mrs. C. H. Wright has been in Amarillo the past several days at the bedside of her son-in-law who is seriously ill with a heart ailment.

Phil Anderson, Jr., has accepted employment by the West Texas Utilities Company. His position at the City Drug Store has been taken by Clifford Barr, who recently returned to Cross Plains after attending Texas Tech at Lubbock.

A shower honoring Mrs. Doyle Burchfield, the former Miss Mable Jones, was given in the home of Mrs. E. E. Thate Tuesday afternoon, February fourth.

A miscellaneous shower complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Leon Thate, was given recently by Mrs. Homer Clark and daughter, Hazel.

Returning from a meeting with C. G. Beeching, Midwest Sales Manager of the Hudson Motor Car Company, held in Dallas yesterday, E. A. Calhoun, Hudson dealer for this territory, declared that Hudson will

immediately launch one of the most aggressive pre-spring merchandising drives the company has ever undertaken.

Funeral services were held at Adair last Friday for Gray B. Foller, 58, long time resident of Cottonwood.

Mrs. Cora Gaines honored Miss Mary Edna Strickland with a pre-nuptial shower Thursday afternoon. Her marriage to Mr. Alvie Ayers of Tucson, Arizona will take place Sunday, February 16 at the home of the bridegrooms mother, Burkett news.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Foster are residing in Cisco at the present as Buster is employed in a filling station, Atwell news.

The home of Mrs. Guy Westerman was the scene of a miscellaneous shower last week given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Brooks, who until her recent marriage was Miss Nunnie Lawson.

The girls debating team, Connie Mae Martin, Aileen Crutcher and Robert Hill attended the debate tournament at Abilene last Thursday. Cross Cut news.

February 14, 1936

Cottonwood high school boys and Denton girls emerged victorious in the annual Callahan county high school basketball tournament staged in the local gymnasium last week end.

Funeral rites for John T. Browning, 44, who succumbed to an attack of pneumonia at his home here Thursday afternoon were conducted from the Pioneer Methodist Church Friday afternoon.

William Andrew Ellis succumbed, after an extended illness at the home of his son, A. E. Ellis, at Cottonwood, Tuesday morning, Feb. 11. Mrs. Mattie Scarborough, widow of the late W. M. Scarborough, of Burnt Branch, succumbed Saturday February eighth to an attack of influenza and congestive heart failure.

Porter J. Davis was elected president of the Citizens State Bank to succeed Sam C. Barr, resigned, at the regular meeting of directors held Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Clyde Sims underwent a tonsillectomy operation in the Over-all Memorial Hospital at Coleman, Tuesday, Feb. 11.

L. D. Westerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dow Westerman of Cross Plains, underwent a major surgery at a Cisco hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biehl are the proud parents of a boy, born at the Coleman hospital Thursday night, Burkett news.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McWilliams attended the funeral of their daughter at Wingate Tuesday. The daughter's death was the second death in the same home in less than a week, as grandson of Mr. and Mrs. McWilliams died last Thursday. Atwell news.

Brooks Eubanks, of Cross Plains has been appointed by the University of Texas Geological Department, to make a mineral survey of Eastland and Callahan Counties.

G. W. Haisted of Wichita Falls, who is a brother-in-law of Jesse McAdams, succumbed Monday morning in his home to an attack of apoplexy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Schaffner, Sr. are the parents of a seven and a half pound baby boy born Monday morning about 11 o'clock in the Graham Sanatorium at Cisco.

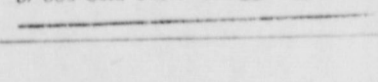
Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Joy and family of Crowell are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Joy and other relatives, Cottonwood news.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Plahie and Ginger Ann of Fort Worth, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Adams. Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Adams and sons, Bruce and Ricky, visited in the Adams home Sunday.

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Pecan Valley, CUT BREEN Beans 3 No. 2 cans	25 ^c	WHOLE Beans Renown	24 ^c
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Flour Gold Medal, 25 lbs.	2.35
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Sun Spun, STRAWBERRY Preserves 12 oz. size	25 ^c	ZESTEE, APPLE Jelly 3 20 oz. size	1 ⁰⁰
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FLOUR Pillsbury, 25 lbs.	2.35
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One frying pan free

3 lbs. MRS. TUCKER'S Shortening ctn. &	83 ^c	HORMEL Lard 4 lbs.	72 ^c
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Bucket, WILSON Lard 8 lbs.	1 ⁴⁹	BAKERS BEST Flour 5 lbs.	39 ^c
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BROOMS Reg. 98c	79 ^c
Reg. 1.25	1.09
Reg. 1.45	1.23

For Cookies, CHOCOLATE Chips 4 pkgs.	1 ⁰⁰	Sun Spun, APPLE Sauce 7 cans	1 ⁰⁰
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CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES

PINE GROVE Corn 3 10 oz. cans	25 ^c	MORTON, SALAD Dressing qt.	39 ^c
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Beef Ribs, lb.	29 ^c
Ground Meat lb.	35 ^c
Star Sausage lb.	29 ^c
Pork Chops lb.	45 ^c



Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Mrs. J. L. Bonner and Mrs. Edwin Baum visited in Abilene Monday.

Arthur McDonough of St. Helms, Oregon is here visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Volle McDonough.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Falkner and family of Brownwood visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Falkner, Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Atwood and June and Mrs. Darwin Anderson were visiting in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Acker visited with relatives at Knox City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morris and Melody of Hurst visited Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy and other relatives Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kirksey and daughter of Brownwood were week end visitors here with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson and son.

Mrs. Fonia Worth and Mrs. Mac Coppinger were Abilene visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hutchins and children of Odessa visited several days the past week with relatives here and at Cross Cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Gregg and daughter visited in Fort Worth Friday.

David Dallas and May Alexander both students at ACC were visiting homefolks over the week end.

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MELLORINE Ice Cream 1-2 gal.	49 ^c	LIBBY'S FROZEN, ORANGE Juice can	19 ^c
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Pears HUNT'S In Heavy Syrup 3 No. 2 1-2 cans	77 ^c
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ZEE Tissue 4 rolls	33 ^c	DEL MONTE, PINEAPPLE Juice 16 oz. can	29 ^c
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Bacon WILSON'S THRIFT BRAND Sliced, 2 lbs	55 ^c
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