

"AS I SEE IT"

wonderful rain, continues in the Cross Plains area... (this afternoon) the skies are overcast and there is a light drizzle in the air. The showers are expected to fall here Sunday morning... (the doctor ordering) the rain will slowly over a period of 24 hours, the showers were heavy and will aid greatly in relieving the deep moisture in this drought - parched land. A crop on. Already the budding countryside is taking on the color of green in the past fields and if Old Jack Frost were to make his annual visit for our farmer and rancher will have some good grazing for their livestock this fall.

the election is over on the scene for another four years. Dick are back to the White House and we sincerely hope they are able to lead our nation to four glorious years of peace and prosperity.

is a BIG topic of conversation these days. It is the Buffs are well on their way to District 9-A championship. Serious injuries or a large dose of confidence could cause these to lose the crown at this late date. The Buffs are well on their way to represent district in the co-champion basis.

The Buffs have been twice in district play, they have to have a team that is of winning if given the opportunity. And, too, they have to meet their arch rival, the Rising Star Wildcats in the game of the season, and every supporter knows that the Buffs are always hard for the other to handle, regardless of their record. Let's just take 'em a time. Buffs, and win with a perfect record! You will!

Henry Ward Beecher (1813-1887): "The deeper men go, the deeper is their conviction that life is not all. It is finished symphony. A day dawns out an insect's life, and a bee needs none tomorrow so with him who knows he is related to God, and has the power of an endless life."

Purvis, 70, Dies in Colorado City; Buried in Cisco

Henry Purvis, 70, of Cisco Monday afternoon, November 8, at Root Memorial Hospital at Colorado City after suffering a heart attack.

Mr. Purvis was born June 23, 1886 in Garza County. He was married to Edna Griffin Dec. 25, 1911. He was a member of the Methodist Church and the Cisco Community.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church in Cisco with the Rev. W. Wood, pastor, officiating.

Mr. Purvis was survived by his wife; one daughter, Mrs. G. B. Bowers of Colorado City; two sisters, Mrs. Lida and Mrs. Cora Howland of Cross Plains; four brothers, Mr. Fred Worth, John of Oklahoma and Fred and Perry, both of Cross Plains, and two grandchildren.

Wood Coach To Speak At Presbyterian Church

Mr. Wood, coach of last year's championship football team, will bring a special interest to the Cross Plains chapter of the National Association of Presbyterian Men.

Boosters Club Meet Nov. 13

Mr. Farr, president of the Boosters Club, has announced that the organization will hold its regular meeting on the time, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 13. It is an important meeting and all members should be present.

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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1956

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Buff Down Llano, 43-13; Meet Mason Here Next Friday

The Cross Plains Buffaloes clobbered the Llano Yellowjackets in a District 9-A game played last Friday night by a lopsided score of 43-13, scoring practically all will during the opening half.

Buffalo Football Schedule

Sept 7—C. P. 20, Baird 0.
Sept 14—Open.
Sept 21—C. P. 13, Coleman 40.
Sept 28—C. P. 7, Eastland 6.
Oct 5—C. P. 49, Roscoe 0.
Oct 12—C. P. 34, Throckmorton 0.
Oct 19—C. P. 18, Goldthwaite 14.
Oct 26—C. P. 26 Santa Anna 0.
Nov 2—C. P. 43, Llano 13.
Nov 9—Mason, here.
Nov 16—Rising Star, there.

Conference games.

Buffalo Roster

Clark Baum	E 185 81
Harold Gary	E 174 71
Perry Jennings	T 195 76
John Baum	T 181 73
Joe Gary	G 168 63
Jim McDonald	G 143 80
Don Watkins	C 158 50
David Jennings	B 142 22
Gravel Scott	B 144 20
Pat Moore	B 137 21
Darvel Hutchins	B 155 25
Harold Merrill	C 235 83
Dovle Oliver	E 138 27
Arvil Grider	E 155 82
David Wells	T 145 70
Harry Oulders	T 153 72
Audrey Gary	G 174 81
Johnnie Pancake	G 156 60
James Apple	G 123 62
Ross McGary	C 235 83
Norman Vaughn	B 153 24
Jim Fleming	B 140 26
Bill Strickland	B 122 16
Roland Jones	B 115 52

Probable starters.

Mason Roster

Loeffler, R.	B 115 8
Martin, R.	B 150 10
Dannheim, L.	B 150 11
Lang, L.	B 135 12
Taylor, R.	B 135 13
Black, S.	E 145 14
Dannheim, B.	G 139 15
Reardon, R.	C 135 16
Schumann, S.	B 135 17
Turner, Jerry	G 145 18
Keith, C.	G 150 19
Keller, P.	B 160 20
Martin, B.	T 160 21
Hale, G.	E 145 22
Lively, B.	B 145 23
Kidd, G.	B 135 24
Jordan, P.	T 185 25
Mueller, C.	G 150 26
Kothmann, B.	B 160 27
Kothman, W.	E 180 28
Hemrich, G.	B 125 29
Kothmann, K.	E 150 30
Burst, K.	B 125 31
Rivera, J.	T 175 32
Underwood, J.	G 150 33
Brown, J.	T 180 34
Burnett, M.	T 205 35
Reardon, P.	C 160 36
Stenger, K.	E 130 37
Wilson, L.	B 130 38
Johnson, B.	T 170 39
Gipson, D.	C 150 57
Goff, R.	E 150 45
Garner, G.	T 210 64
Davenport	T 150 62

Future Homemakers of America Attend District Meet

Miss Mary Helen Strong, local Future Homemaking instructor and three members of the homemaking class were in Hamlin Saturday, Nov. 3, to attend the Area IV, District II, homemaking meeting.

The morning session consisted of the opening ritual and films were shown of Africa. The afternoon session consisted of the installation of new officers for 1956-57.

Girls making the trip were Bonita McCowen, Vonda Dillard and Lois Phillips.

Cross Plains To Observe Nov. 29, As Thanksgiving

Members of the Chamber of Commerce here voted unanimously, Tuesday of this week, to observe Thanksgiving, Nov. 29, as Thanksgiving Day in Cross Plains.

W. J. Sipes Purchases Calhoun Insurance Firm

In a display advertisement, appearing on another page of this edition of the Review, W. J. (Son) Sipes, popular and long-time businessman of this city, announces that he has, this week, purchased the Calhoun Insurance Agency from Robert Calhoun and is now in charge of the business.

He states that Mr. Calhoun will be retained by the firm as a salesman and consultant and he asks his friends in this area to call on him in his new business location.

Sipes also owns and operates the Magnolia Wholesale Agency and butane distributorship and he states that he will continue to operate both firms for the present.

The insurance agency will be known as Sipes Insurance Agency and will deal in all kinds of insurance, he said.

Shows Fall Here Sunday

Showers, which started falling here during the early morning hours, last Sunday and continuing intermittently during the morning were gauged at 1.75 inches by S. F. (Fog) Bond, on the U. S. Weather Bureau gauge and .70 by Chester Glover, rain gauger for the U. S. Department of Commerce.

Starting with a hard shower about 3:00 a.m. the rain slacked off to slow, gentle shower which fell off and on until about 11:00 a.m., giving the moisture a chance to "soak in" to the thirsty soil.

The rain put out a lot of stock water in some parts of the community and will be of great benefit to growing grain crops and pastures. Grass and grain are growing fast in this community and there will be excellent grazing for livestock if frost will hold off for awhile.

According to Mr. Bond's records, the total rainfall received the past three weeks now stands at 4.80 inches, while Glover's records show 3.75 inches.

Area Oil News

Two oilers have been completed in Brown County. A regular field of Cross Cut. It is 2 1/2 miles east of Cross Cut. It is Beck Oil Co. of Houston (formerly C. S. & R. L. Beck) No. 6 Howard J. Fomby, Patrick Curlong Survey.

Daily potential was 66 barrels of 41 gravity oil. It is pumping from five perforations per foot at 1,240-52 feet with the casing set on bottom at 1,278 feet.

Other well is in the Blake (Caddo) Field six miles east of Cross Cut. That oiler is Austin & Hill of Burk Burnett No. 2 E. P. Kilgore, N. B. Mitchell Survey 153.



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District 9-A Season Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	Pts	Opp.
Cross Plains	7	1	.875	201	73
Goldthwaite	7	2	.778	140	99
Mason	5	3	.625	153	87
Llano	4	4	.500	152	122
Rising Star	4	4	.500	113	129
Santa Anna	3	3	.500	101	99

District Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	Pts	Opp.
Cross Plains	3	0	1.000	87	27
Goldthwaite	3	1	.750	79	45
Llano	2	1	.667	53	56
Rising Star	1	3	.250	40	91
Santa Anna	0	3	.000	7	73

Last Week's Results

Cross Plains 43, Llano 13, Santa Anna 20, Bronte 13, Goldthwaite 19, Rising Star 14, Mason: Open date

This Week's Schedule

Mason at Cross Plains
Llano at Santa Anna
Rising Star at Gorman (Non-Dist.)
Goldthwaite: Open Date

Baird Trial Moved To Abilene

Baird, Nov. 5—Trial of Albert Kanady, 25-year-old Baird service station operator, charged with murder of a 16-year-old Baird High School student, was transferred Monday to Taylor County.

The case was set for trial Jan. 21. James Rylee Tyson, 16, son of Mrs. Buford Tyson, was fatally shot in the neck Oct. 29. He was in a car in the drive of a Gulf Service Station operated here by Kanady.

Trial of the case was moved to Taylor County at Kanady's arraignment here Monday morning before Judge J. R. Black of Abilene.

Kanady was indicted on the murder charge of the grand jury for 42nd District Court. He had been free on \$5,000 bond.

The trial at Abilene will be in 42nd District Court.

Eight Men To Be Inducted In December

Taylor-Callahan Selective Service Board No. 115, will call eight men for induction into the armed forces on December 7, 1956. 23 men will be called for pre-induction physical examination on December 21.

Georgia Singletary, Clerk of the local board advises that there seems to be some misunderstanding about the time of registration for an 18-year old. A boy is required by law to register within 5 days after his 18th birthday, there is a heavy penalty for not doing so. Going to school, being busy on a job or being a member of a reserve component is no excuse. An employer is required to allow time-off for an employee to register.

Office of the local office is located in the basement of the Post Office Building, Abilene, Texas. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. Closed on Saturdays.

Every registrant, regardless of his classification, should keep his local board advised about his mailing address.

Eisenhower Carries Cross Plains But Democrats Win By Small Margin In County

Cross Plains voters gave President Dwight D. Eisenhower a 57-vote lead over Adlai Stevenson, in his bid for re-election to a second term.

A total of 523 votes was cast in the local box. Eisenhower received 268 and Stevenson 211. Stevenson led in the county by a 32-vote margin, winning over Ike 1,199 to 1,167.

All other Democratic candidates received large majorities over candidates of the Republican, Constitution and write-ins. Pappy O'Daniel falling again his bid for governor. He polled 109 in the local box and only tallied 440 votes in the county. Price Daniel received 312 votes here and 1,726 in the county. The Republican candidate, Wm. R. Bryant, polled 54 votes here and 153 in the county.

All Amendments Carry

Local and county voters favored all eight of the proposed Constitutional amendments by rather large majorities, but Amendment No. 4 which had to do with school teacher retirement carried by the largest vote. The county total showed 1,572 in favor to 291 against this amendment.

Shoppers are asked to keep this in mind and buy for long week end, as most firms will be closed all day and others will operate on a Sunday schedule.

Both the bank and post office will be closed all day, it was said. Paul Whitton, Superintendent of the local schools, stated that school classes will held as usual on this date.

School Homecoming Program Complete And Large Crowd Expected For The Day

Ferrell Newton, vice-president of the Cross Plains Ex-Students Association and program chairman for the annual homecoming to be held here Saturday, Nov. 17, stated this week that plans are complete for holding the reunion and a large crowd of exes are expected to be present to enjoy the festivities.

A big downtown parade will kick-off the day's activities. Led by the Buffalo Band, the parade will assemble south of Highway 36, on South Main and will proceed north to the new school auditorium. Mrs. H. C. Freeman, Jr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson will direct the parade and they ask that all firms and clubs participate by having an entry.

They also ask that boys and girls decorate their bicycles and ride in the parade. Cash prizes of \$10.00, \$5.00 and \$2.50 will be awarded the three winning entries, to be selected by out-of-town judges. Participants in the parade are asked to assemble in front of the Cross Plains Machine Co. by 12:45, so that the procession can be organized and started promptly at 1:30.

Complete Program

Newton stated that the following schedule of events will be carried out:

Registration, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Band concert by the Buffalo Band and the High School Stage Band, 2:15 to 3:00 p.m.

The formal program and business meeting will get underway at 3:00 p.m., as follows:

Jack Scott will serve as master of ceremonies.

Welcome address by Paul Whitton, Superintendent of Schools.

Response by J. H. Childs, of Brownwood.

"History of the Cross Plains School," read by Jack Scott.

Recognition of classes and teachers.

Awarding of prizes to oldest ex-student present and to ex-student traveling the longest distance to be present.

Election of Homecoming Queen and new officers.

Announcements.

Evening meal to be served by the Parent-Teachers Association in the new school cafeteria.

After the evening meal there will be a big bonfire and pep rally staged on the school campus just north of the auditorium.

Mrs. Hugh McDermott Injured In Auto Crash

Mrs. Hugh McDermott of this city, received a fracture of the right leg between the knee and hip, when the car she was riding in with her husband was in a collision with a car driven by Bryan Moore, early Thursday morning of last week, in front of the home of Mrs. Sam Barr, just south of town on the Brownwood highway.

She was carried to St. Ann's Hospital, Abilene, in a Higginbotham ambulance, where she underwent bone surgery Saturday morning and is now reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. McDermott were enroute to Houston to see their daughter, Mrs. Hulon Barr and family and were turning across the highway to pick up Mrs. Sam Barr who was to make the trip with them to visit her son Hulon and family, when the accident happened it was reported. The McDermott car was headed south and the Moore vehicle was headed north. McDermott and Moore escaped injury but both vehicles were badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Barr and children of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McDermott and family of Toyahvale spent the week end with their mother Mrs. Barr and children remained here to be with her mother.

Eastern Star Chapter To Hold Bake Sale

The Cross Plains Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold a bake sale Saturday, Nov. 10, at Coleman Furniture Store on Main Street. The sale will start at 9 a.m.

Everyone is invited to call by and pick up a cake or pie for their Sunday dinner.

Roy Rutledge, 70, Dies Friday Following Long Illness

Roy Rutledge, 70, passed away in the Callahan County Hospital in Baird Friday morning, November 2, 1956, following an illness of 11 months. He had been a patient in the hospital for seven months.

Funeral services for Mr. Rutledge were held at the Higginbotham Bros. Funeral Home Chapel Saturday at 2 p.m. with Rev. Lloyd Wilson of Abilene officiating. Interment was in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

Mr. Rutledge was born in Oklahoma on May 3, 1886. He lived in Brownwood before moving to Cross Plains 31 years ago. He was married to Miss Rosa E. Evans in Brownwood on July 8, 1908. Mrs. Rutledge died several years ago.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Lena New, Odessa; three sons, Marion, Waco and Raleigh and Robert of Abilene; one brother, Chester Rutledge, Seminole, Okla.; six sisters, Mrs. E. V. Hayes, Cisco; Mrs. Edna Teague and Mrs. Bessie Ringo, Brownwood; Mrs. Fred Cummins, Abilene; Mrs. E. W. Power, Clyde and Mrs. Sam Stratton, Plainview, 12 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Serving as pallbearers were C. C. Holdridge, Dick Montgomery, G. A. Dutton, Clyde Kelley, Dale Stewart and Carl Champlin.

L. F. BRAWLEY'S ANNOUCE BIRTH OF BABY SON

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Brawley of Route 2, Rising Star, are announcing the birth of a son, Lewis Franklin, Oct. 24, in the Blackwood Hospital, Comanche. The baby weighed nine pounds, four ounces.

Ladies, Your Help Is Needed By Chamber of Commerce Group

The help of the ladies of the community is badly needed by the Chamber of Commerce Goodfellow Committee to help collect toys and refinish them so they will be ready for distribution to needy children of this community Christmas Eve.

You are urged to gather up those old toys your children no longer play with nor want and take them to the collection barrel located in the city utilities office. Also, the committee needs broom handles, scraps of plastic and velvet and old sweaters to be ripped apart for wool thread to be used in making toy steez horses. Older ladies of the community are asked to volunteer their time to make these items. If you are interested in helping this worthy endeavor, please contact Mr. or Mrs. Lloyd Bryan at Bryan's Variety Store.

Work nights for toy repair have been set for Tuesday and Thursday nights of each week. Men, women and older boys and girls are asked to volunteer their services on these nights.

New Sinclair Service Station Opens For Business Here

In a display advertisement appearing in this edition of the Review, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Francis, Sr., announce that they have opened their Sinclair Service Station, located on Highway 36, one block west of the traffic light, and invite the citizens of this area to drive in and get acquainted.

They state that they will give first-class automotive service, using the famous Sinclair line of petroleum products.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis moved here recently from El Paso. She will be remembered here as the former Mrs. Fern Hanke, who served as office manager of the local telephone company for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hise of Abilene visited their daughter, Mrs. Melvin Placke and family, Tuesday.

Philosopher Favors Paying For Old Wars Before The World Brings Out Any New Ones

Editor's note: The bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou has been reading the international news, his letter this week indicates.

Dear editor:

Now that the election is over and my mail box is cleaned out of campaign literature from both sides plus all the demands that I vote as I please just so I vote, which is good advice but hardly necessary, as anybody who hasn't got sense enough to vote like he pleases is pretty hard up, and another thing, while I'm on the subject, I noticed during the campaign the television entertainers were always reminding us that if we didn't go to the polls and vote and we got the wrong men in office, the responsibility would be squarely on us, but what I'd like to emphasize is that just because I did go to the polls and did vote, I'm not going to be responsible for everybody that got elected, you can't pin all of them on me, if they turn out wrong, but anyway, as I started to say at the start of this letter, now that the election is over, I've been giving considerable thought to the world situation.

I don't know about the rest of the world, but personally I wasn't bored with peace at all. Peace suits me fine, and I hope the rest of the world figures out its problems and iron out its troubles without igniting the whole thing.

I can understand how the world can buy television sets and refrigerators and homes and automobiles, etc. on the time-payment plan, well I don't know whether I can understand it or not but I notice it's being done, but you take the average man with about all the installment payments he can stand up under and add the cost of another war to his load, even if it's on the installment plan too, and I'm afraid his knees will buckle.

I know you can trade in a car on a new one before you get the old one paid for, and the same applies to refrigerators, houses, etc., but as I understand it, we not only haven't paid for the last war, we haven't paid for the one before that, and frankly I don't think we've got any business trading for a new one now.

Of course, I understand wars aren't handled like automobiles, sometimes you don't have any voice in whether you're going to have one or not, it's delivered to your doorstep without much warning, but I'm telling you, I can think of a lot of things the world needs worse than another war. I don't know about cars, but if the world would agree not to have a new war until the old ones were paid for, life would be a lot more orderly for a good many centuries to come.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.



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Do You Remember?...

November 7, 1941
In observance of Armistice Day most all Cross Plains business concerns will be closed Tuesday.
Money from the harvesting of crops is literally pouring into the pockets of farmers throughout the Cross Plains area. Gins are running night and day, peanut threshers are far behind schedule and turkey buyers have been working into the wee-small hours of the morning receiving birds for Thanksgiving market.
Miss Ollie Brooks of Cross Plains, and R. L. Brown of Texarkana, were married Saturday morning, November first, in the home of Rev. Dyer Campbell, pastor of the Second Christian Church in Texarkana, who read the single ring ceremony.
Miss Ethel Pierce, about 48, a long time resident of Cross Plains died suddenly at Rising Star Tuesday night about 6:30 of a heart attack.
Funeral services for Mrs. Noah Johnson, who died at her home six miles West of town early Tuesday after a prolonged illness was conducted from the residence at three o'clock Wednesday afternoon.
Little Marie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith, who live in the North part of town, sustained a painful elbow fracture while playing on the school campus Monday.
Raymond Strackbein, who is in the U. S. Navy and stationed at Seattle, Wash., visited Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Colhoun the first of the week.
The State Home Makers Area Meeting was held Saturday, November 1, in San Angelo. Those attending the meeting from the Home Economics classes of Cross Plains high school were: Mrs. Soc Walker, Jimmie Kate Howell, Verda Gray, Madie C. Edington and Merlin Richardson.
A. E. Ellis of this place and Mrs. Mary Hackler of Athens, Tenn., were married Sunday at 2 p.m., October 26. They will make their home in Athens.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Woods, of Blake, announce the birth of a baby daughter, born October 21.
The Baptist State Convention is to be held in Abilene at the First Baptist Church, next week. Elected messengers, to attend the convention, from the local Baptist Church, are Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Poe, Mrs. A. J. Mathis, Mrs. C. R. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones.
Miss Bobbie Nell Brashear of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brashear during the week end. Atwell news.
Mrs. D. C. Foster, of Atwell, entertained at her home Tuesday afternoon, November 4, with a miscellaneous shower, honoring Mrs. Harold Barclay of Brownwood, the former Miss Mary Jane Foster.
Friends will be gratified to learn that Miss Anna Bell Barron, who was injured in an automobile collision east of here about four months ago, sustaining a broken back, is now able to walk. It was at first feared that she might never walk again. She is at present visiting her sister, Mrs. B. B. Huntington in Cross Plains.
Mrs. L. C. Cash is on a trip to California to visit her son, Foster Cash and nephew, James Day. Pioneer news.

near news.
L. F. Holder, local school teacher, received treatment last week for blood poisoning in his arm, and it was checked before serious damage was done. Burkett news.
November 6, 1936
300 Callahan county school children, including 75 from Cross Plains, will visit the Texas Centennial in Dallas this week end. The local contingent headed by Supt. Nat Williams, Miss Anna Mae McConathy, principal of grammar school and 10 chaperones, left here Tuesday morning for Cisco, where they entrained on a Centennial Special.
In one of the greatest political landslides in the history of the United States, Roosevelt and Garner, standard bearers of the democratic party, carried 46 of the 48 states in the nationwide balloting Tuesday.
Bruce Graham, formerly of Cross Plains, and Miss Vernie Murrill, were united in marriage at Venice, Calif., October 30.
The new model Chevrolet will make its bow in Cross Plains Saturday, at Anderson Chevrolet Company, local dealers, place four of the new models on exhibition at their show rooms.
Mrs. Mollie McLain had as her guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Rone of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. John Fore of Abilene.
Vernon Spencer, Alva Cavanaugh, Leo Baum, Tommie Harris, Donald and Vernon Baird attended the Centennial Thursday and Friday. Dressy news.
Mrs. S. E. Holdridge, of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Missouri Ramsey. Cottonwood news.
Mrs. T. D. Little complimented Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Leewright with a wedding dinner at her home Monday night.
Mrs. Jack Lacy entertained Friday afternoon with a birthday party for her son, Jack Webb.
Weidon Baggett fell from a pecan Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton of Sweetwater, were week end visitors here.

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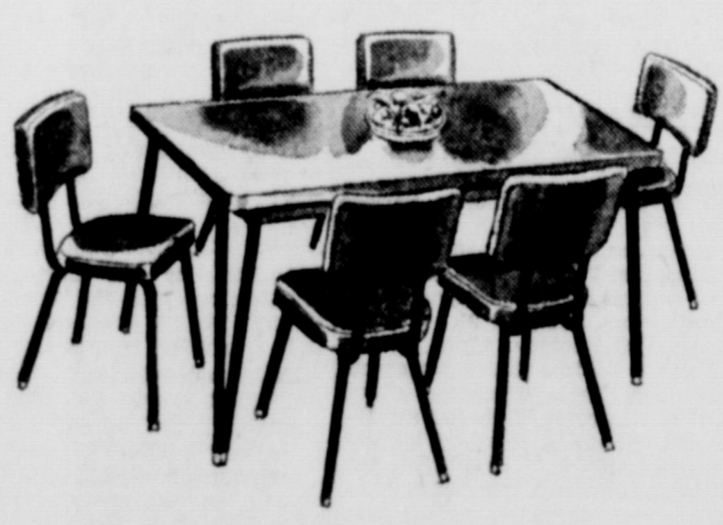
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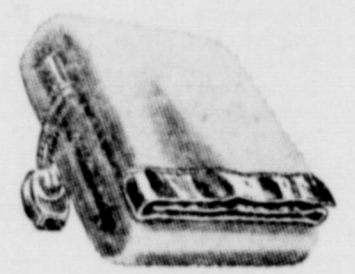
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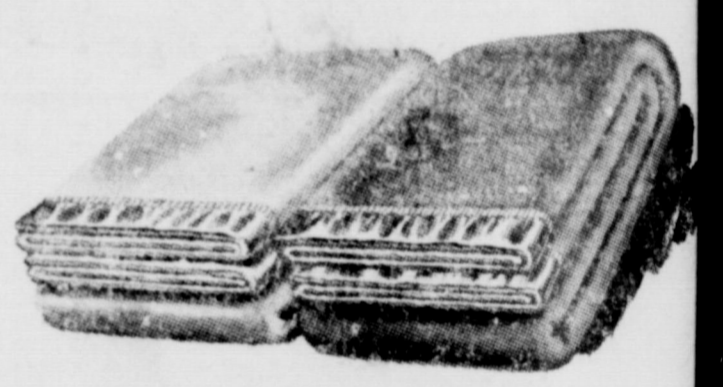
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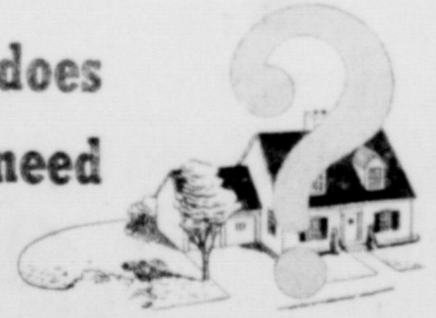
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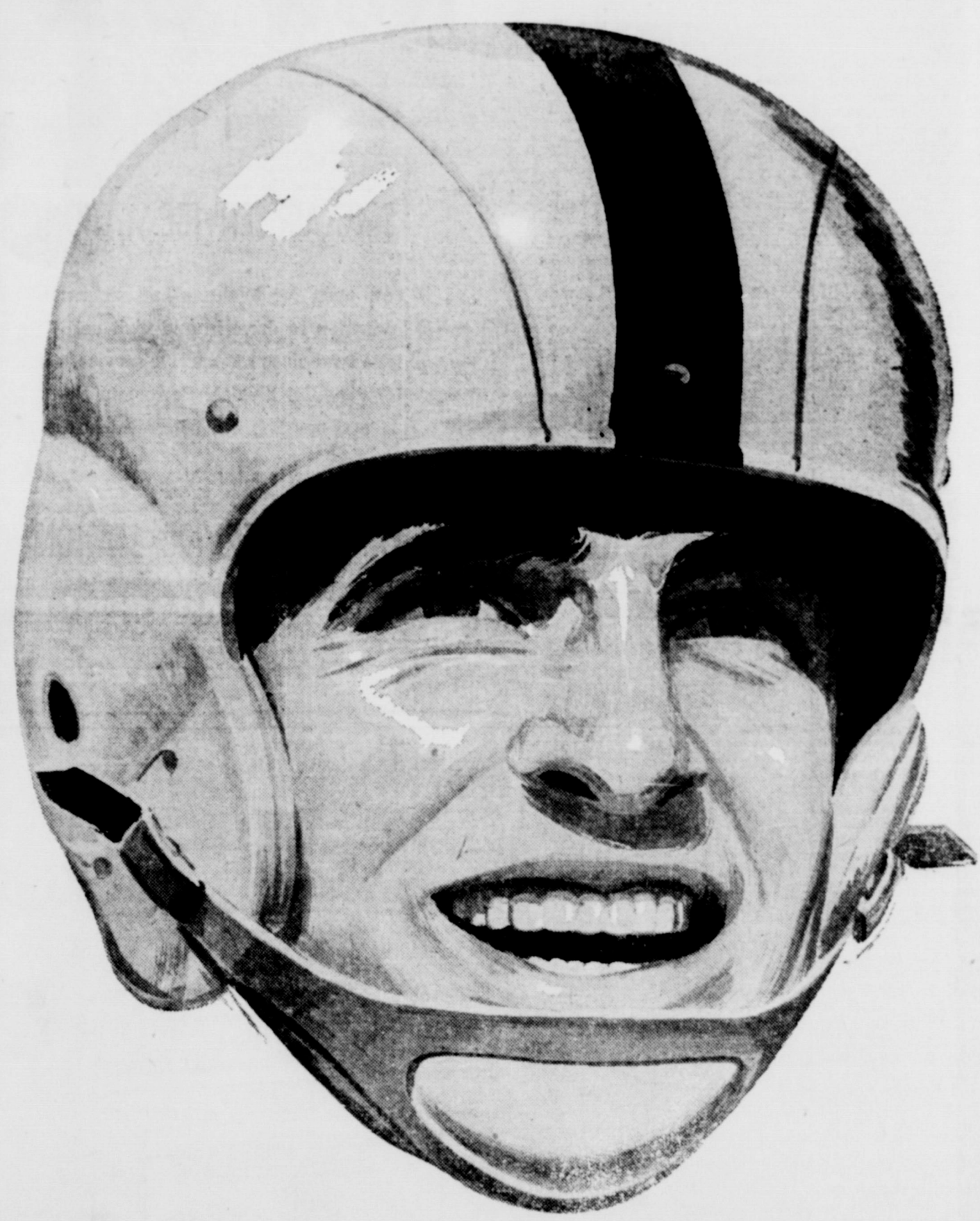
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It gives me a great deal of pleasure to announce to the citizens of the Cross Plains area that I have, this week purchased the . . .

CALHOUN INSURANCE AGENCY

. . . from Robert Calhoun and I am now in charge of the business.

I invite you to visit me in my new business venture and assure you that I will give your Insurance needs my very best attention.

Mr. Calhoun will be retained in the firm as a salesman and you are invited to contact my firm when you are in need of expert advice on your insurance problems.

W. J. 'Son' SIPES

THANKS . . .

I take this method of expressing my sincere thanks to my many friends and loyal patrons who have favored me with their business during my stay in business in Cross Plains, and I hope you will continue to favor Mr. W. J. Sipes with your patronage.

I will remain with the new owner, Mr. Sipes, and invite you to call me when you need insurance or help on your insurance program.

ROBERT CALHOUN

Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pillans of Austin stopped here Friday morning and left a donation for the Cemetery Association.

Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Respass of Brownfield visited here in the Respass home and with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brock at Cross Plains, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee A. Bennett of Oil Center, N. M., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi E. Bennett, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Joy's house was ignited by lightning during a thunder-shower last week. Very little damage was done as Mrs. Joy sent the odor of burning pine before the blaze started.

Rev. Floyd Newberry is in Corpus Christi this week attending the Baptist Convention.

Mrs. Johnny Davidson of Abilene, visited her father, J. H. Coats, and sister, Mrs. A. A. Holley, last Saturday.

Mrs. R. F. Joy and Mrs. Parker Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whitehorn Saturday in the nursing home at Brownwood.

The Methodist people will hold a series of services, beginning Nov. 12 and lasting over Nov. 18. Only evening services will be held at 7 p.m. Rev. W. A. Cockerell of Caddo will do the preaching. The public is invited to each service.

Mrs. Stubblefield of Colorado City is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Kelly and husband, on the Barnard dairy farm.

Miss Mamie Foster Weds George Webb, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foster, of this city, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Mamie, to George Walker Webb, Jr. of Dallas. The couple were married Tuesday, Oct. 30, at Rockwall, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Webb, Sr. of Dallas are parents of the bridegroom. The couple are making their home at 1837 Los Cruces Lane, Dallas, and are attending Pleasant Grove High School.

CARD OF THANKS

I am slowly improving and want the friends in Cross Plains to know that the cards, letters and other remembrances sent me have helped me so much. Your thoughtfulness to me will always be remembered.

Mrs. Ethel Henderson

Melvin Bowman Honored With Surprise Birthday Party Monday Night

Melvin Bowman was honored by his wife with a surprise birthday party at their home in Cottonwood Monday night of this week.

Music was enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served to some 30 relatives and friends.

Sew and So Club Meets

The Sew and So Club met in the home of Mrs. Harry Coppinger, November 1. Mrs. Coppinger, vice-president of the club, called the meeting to order.

The club voted to have a float in the homecoming parade to be held Nov. 17. Other business was discussed.

The meeting adjourned for a social hour.

The hostess and co-hostess Mrs. Coppinger and Mrs. W. J. Carpenter, passed a delicious refreshment plate to the following members: Mmes. W. A. Payne, Craig McNeil, H. A. Young, Wilbur Williams, Gene Adams, Norma Saunders, A. D. Petty, A. Painter, W. J. Carpenter, Marvin Smith, Luke Westerman, I. N. Riley, and Mack Campbell.

The next meeting will be Nov. 15 in the home of Mrs. I. N. Riley.

H. L. Breeding Honored On 90th Birthday

H. L. Breeding was honored on his 90th birthday with a dinner at his home near Cottonwood, Sunday, Oct. 28, by his children and grandchildren.

Mr. Breeding has been a resident of Callahan County for 79 years. When he came to the county, he lived for a year at Belle Plain before moving to the place at Cottonwood where he now resides.

Children present for the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Arvie Breeding and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Breeding, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Schriener, Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. Felix Oklesby and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding, Cottonwood and Mrs. E. Jones, Abilene. One son, J. M. Breeding of Lamesa was unable to be present for the celebration but visited with his father the week end of the 28th of October.

Grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oglesby and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jones and children and Wilda, Corene and Elvis Jones, Abilene and Connie and Darwin Breeding, Cottonwood.

Visiting in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Breeding and son and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Atwood and daughter, Oplin.

Christmas Parcels Must Be Mailed Overseas by Nov. 15

Persons who intend to mail Christmas parcels to armed forces personnel overseas this year were urged to get them in early by post-urged to get them early to assure the parcels arriving by Christmas, says F. E. Anderson, Cross Plains Postmaster.

Ordinary parcels must be mailed no later than Nov. 15, said Anderson, and air parcels no later than Dec. 1, to assure delivery by Christmas.

The Department of Defense has advised all persons planning to mail Christmas parcels to armed forces personnel overseas consult local post office representatives for complete mailing instructions.

Mailing requirements vary according to the overseas area concerned. Air parcels to all areas are limited to 30 inches in length and girth combined and two pounds in weight. Generally, ordinary parcels are limited to 100 inches in length and girth combined and 70 pounds in weight. However, special size and weight limitations are in effect for parcels destined for delivery in England, Scotland, Turkey and Wales.

Customs declarations must accompany parcels addressed military post offices in the Canal Zone, England, France, Iran, Morocco, Netherlands, Saudi Arabia, Scotland and Wales.

Cigarettes and other tobacco products are prohibited in parcels addressed to military post offices located in Denmark, England, Eritrea, France, Germany, Italy, Morocco, Scotland and Wales. Coffee is prohibited in parcels addressed to Military Post Offices in Denmark and Germany.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hargrove, Jr. were business visitors in Abilene, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kilmer of Albuquerque, N. M. recently visited Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Foster.

Miss Lorna Smith of Fort Worth visiting during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ponia Worthy visited in Coleman Sunday afternoon with Norrel Long and in Abilene with Mrs. Hugh McDermott.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Koenig and family were visiting in Rising Star Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Denman Burns, and family.

Norrel Long was released from the Overall Memorial Hospital in Coleman Tuesday of this week after receiving medical treatment for several days.

Sunday, November 4th, Mr. and Mrs. Don McCall, Jim Barr, Mr. and Mrs. Ponia Worthy, Rev. and Mrs. Zuefeldt, and Ellen Zuefeldt attended the installation of the Rev. Dr. Harry Sorrels as pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church in Abilene.

Classified ads get results.

Burkett

By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

A nice crowd attended the family night supper and enjoyed a film at the Burkett Methodist Church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schillings of Arizona visited his sister, Mrs. Carl Burns and family, recently.

A large group enjoyed the weiner roast and skating party at Coleman Friday night, sponsored by the Burkett Baptist Church.

Rex Holland and Berenda of Colorado are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Strickland and girls visited Mrs. Ethel Tabor and Joyce at Baird, Sunday.

Miss Anita Strickland of Abilene was home from Thursday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Strickland and Darrell, of Baird, visited here Sunday. Mrs. Betty Martin returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Clark and son, of Arizona, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cross of Aransas Pass visited his mother, Mrs. Carrie Cross, and other relatives here over the week end.

All residents are urged to be present at the Water Board meeting Monday night at the local gymnasium. There will be speakers present to explain all questions pertaining to the improvement of the water system.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Free and sons visited her brother, Leslie Hargrove and family, in Abilene Sunday and Sunday night.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Hayes over the week end were Charles Kelley and Johnny Hayes of Dallas.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Strahan visited in Texas City over the week end with their son, Darwin Strahan and family. Mrs. Strahan and Ronda returned home with the Strahan's for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover in Stephenville Tuesday night with their son, Benny, a student at Tarleton State College and attended a concert rendered by the Air Force Band.

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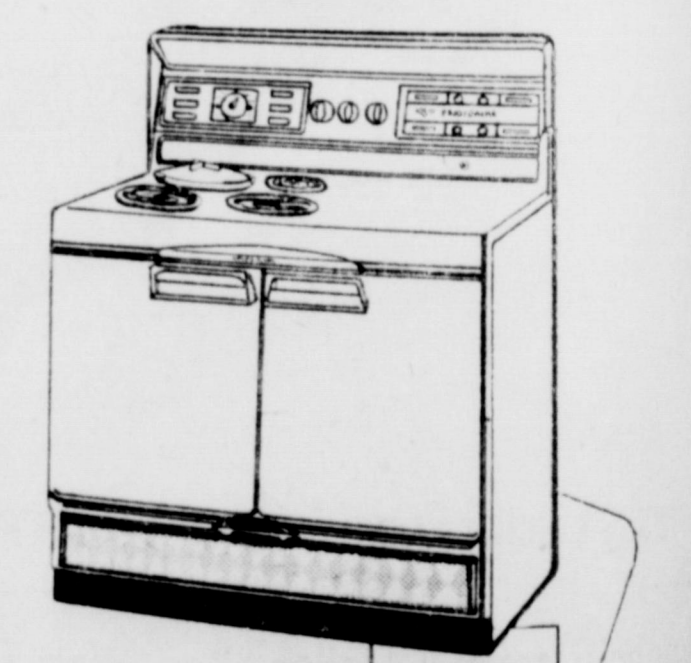
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Payments made before February 1st will not be subject to additional fees for interest and penalties, and to accommodate property owners this office has mailed statement of 1956 taxes.

Don't forget that if you wish to vote during 1957 your poll tax must be paid before February first. You will not want to be disfranchised for the need of a poll tax receipt, so attend to this detail at once. Poll taxes may be paid at the Citizens State Bank in Cross Plains as well as at the office of

HOMER PRICE

Sheriff & Tax Assessor-Collector for Callahan County



Austin—Good news from Gov. Allan Shivers.

Texas' Governor reports that the State will begin the new biennium with a \$50,000,000 surplus. He also advised the Texas Research League, to whom he made the announcement, that under the same general budget now in use, a tax bill might be avoided by the upcoming legislature.

Four future needs were listed by the retiring governor, for the Legislature's consideration.

1. Full-time paid parole supervisors.
2. Authority to back up responsibilities placed on the governor.
3. Abolition of earmarked special funds.
4. A building for housing state archives.

Austin's biggest spotlight will, of course, be turned on the Capitol building come January. Arrival of a new Legislature will quicken the tempo of the city. Large turnovers in the summer primaries mean a horde of newcomers to both houses.

Casade For Archives

Legislators likely will hear many pleas for a "permanent and proper home" for Texas archives.

Group after group has joined the crusade to protect the state's historical documents. Their theme: a remote Quonset hut is no fitting place to house the original Texas Declaration of Independence and William B. Travis' famous "victory or death" letter from the Alamo. Besides being unhandy and undesirable, say the crusaders, the hut is unsafe. It's the same building where Highway Department records burned two years ago. It's leaky, and some water already has seeped in and damaged some documents.

Texas State Historical Foundation is taking the lead in rallying its 2,400 members and other tradition-minded groups to seek legislative action.

Water Money Sought

Texas Water Resources Committee is working against time to have a statewide water conservation program ready for the next Legislature. Already approved by the committee is a proposed \$10,000,000 appropriation to buy storage space in federal reservoirs.

Three other proposals are being re-written and will be taken up at a December meeting. They are (1) an anti-pollution bill to deal with contamination of under-ground water supplies, (2) a constitutional amendment to set up a \$100,000,000 bond fund to finance local conservation projects and (3) an enabling bill to finance the bond revenue.

Also still being considered is a three-cent property tax with proceeds marked for water conservation. Some observers have suggested that several plans operating all at once will be needed to finance the kind of water program Texas needs. Texas League of Municipalities is backing a \$30,000,000 program.

Sam Houston Shrine

Another request of the Legislature, this one from Huntsville, will be laid before both houses in Austin, come January. Asked for will be \$82,000 to add three new wings to the Sam Houston Memorial Museum, plus a \$3,000 appropriation increase for maintenance.

Gas Pricing Formula

Att'y Gen. John Ben Shepperd has filed a "friend of the court" brief in the case of Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Co. vs The City of Detroit. He wants the U. S. Supreme Court to review a decision by the court of appeals for the District of Columbia.

Shepperd's complaint is that the appeals decision compels the FPC to use a gas pricing formula that penalizes small producers. "The Federal Government should not have the power to fix Texas natural gas prices," Shepperd contended, "but if they assert that power, then the FPC should determine local prices on a local basis."

Christmas Is White Hope

Despite a steady four-months sales decline, Texas merchants still think Christmas will cure the year's average.

Opinion surveys by the University of Texas at Business Research show that "typical merchants are confident that holiday business will surpass 1955 and that satisfactory volume can be expected well into 1957."

Latest figures pointed the other way. September sales were down 12 percent from a year ago, and the year as a whole was 6 per cent under 1955. Slipping significantly from last year were: Automobiles, 28 per cent; Food Stores, 18 per cent; Furniture, 13 per cent; Building Materials, 13 per cent.

Bureau explanation in a nutshell: People bought so heavily in '55, they're having to use '56 income to pay off the installments.

Farmers At Work

Widespread rains, though generally light, put farmers to work day and night. It was a chance to get crops in before the soil dried out again. But it wasn't soon enough, say agriculture experts, to prevent a hard winter for livestock owners.

"It's pretty late in the year for enough winter grazing to be produced," herds will require heavy supplemental feeding," said a spokesman for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "But with additional moisture, farmers and ranchers can begin their 'comeback' next spring and summer."

Short Shorts

Frank A. Driskill is the new ad-

ministrative assistant to Land Commissioner Earl Rudder. Driskill, a Crockett businessman, succeeds Douglas Weitzel who went to Longview as an investigator in the district attorney's office... Six major air-sampling stations will operate in Texas after the first of the year, reports the State Department of Health. Sites will be Dallas, Houston, Corpus Christi, San Antonio, El Paso and Point O'Connor on the Gulf Coast. Air will be tested for sources of types of contamination... State Assistance for Austin city finances was suggested by a Travis County grand jury last week. It noted that the city furnishes police and fire protection and other governmental services to state institutions and buildings — all except from city taxes... Texas contributions of \$5,000 have been sent to Europe to help feed refugees in Hungary, according to John Gillies, Texas Director of the Christian Rural Overseas Program... Request has gone to Washington for approval of 1957 Texas cotton acreage allotments the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee has announced. Figures were not released. West Texas cotton farmers say they will be unable to repay their obligation and make a normal income unless their acreage quotas are increased... Lawrence E. Ledbetter, superintendent of the Capitol building and grounds, has retired after 33 years of state service. He was among 17 long-time employees of the Board of Control to retire at the same time. A new policy of that department makes retirement compulsory at age of 72. Those leaving ranged in age from 70 to 82.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobby were Sunday afternoon visitors in Stephenville with Mrs. Jewell Garrett and family.

Robert Phillips of Headton, Okla. was a week end visitor with his out and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Osa Gattis.



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CARD OF THANKS

The family and relatives wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for all the acts of kindness during the illness and death of their loved one, Roy Rutledge.

The Roy Rutledge family.

Mrs. Dwight Hendrick of Big Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Morgan and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morgan and family of San Angelo visited with relatives here and at Scranton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming and sons recently visited with relatives in Paducah. Mrs. T. G. Mcmother of Mrs. Fleming, returned home with them for an extended visit.

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Arwell News

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Biggest and best news is the rain which fell over the week. The amount varies around one inch. It was raining Sunday and everyone forgot to go to church. It is not much news this week. Mrs. Buster Foster and Mrs. Ablene visitors Saturday and Buster had some cotton.

Mrs. Buck Johnson and Mrs. San Antonio spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. I. W. and Mrs. Robert Brashear visitors. Mrs. Roy Tatom, Sunday afternoon.

OF THANKS

For this means of expressing my thanks to my many friends for their thoughtfulness during my illness and stay in the hospital. Your cards, letters, gifts and were truly appreciated and I wish that you have the same true friends in your hour of

Gene Rhodes

Gene Rhodes was a business visitor Monday.

Hattie Gray has moved to the Merriman house east of the Miller Plant from Moran where she made her home for some-

Mrs. Gwynn Elliott and Mrs. San Angelo visited over the week with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence and Mr. and Mrs. W. D.

Mrs. Robert Cunningham and home Monday after a two day visit with relatives in Corpus Christi and a few days with relatives in Houston. Mrs. Johnny McLain of Houston and a few days visit with Mrs. in Houston. Mrs. Johnny McLain of Corpus Christi, sister of Cunningham, accompanied home for a visit.

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Lloyd Bryan, Collector

Safe or Sorry, How Will Your Hunt Be?

There isn't a deer, duck, turkey, dove or quail in Texas worth the price of a permanent injury or death to a hunter, says E. H. Cooper, extension wildlife conservation, specialist. He adds, there is little excuse for hunting accidents if a few simple rules of safety are observed.

First, he says, know your gun... its capacity and proper operating procedure. Keep the weapon unloaded until the actual hunt gets underway in the field. If hunting with others, know where the others will be and when, and keep guns away from children.

Never cross a fence or climb a tree with a loaded gun. Doing so can cost a limb, loss of an eye or even a life. And remember, says the specialist, alcohol and gun powder do not mix. The same applies to alcohol and gasoline.

Once the hunt is underway, be sure of the target. Never pull a trigger until all doubt about the target is removed. Livestock and fellow hunters are always out of season.

The wise hunter is familiar with hunting regulations and obeys them.

He also respects the rights and properties of the landowner and doesn't enter upon the property of another without permission.

Finally, says Cooper, see that fellow hunters respect and obey the same rules which you follow. Cooperation with and consideration for the other fellow will make the annual trek to the woods a pleasure and improve the chances for taking the game sought.

Miss Anna Ruth Jennings of Fort Worth spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Iris Jennings and boys.

Mrs. Jake Watson and baby returned to their home here Saturday night after visiting for several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Jordan in Marietta, Okla.

Recent visitors here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gould, were Mrs. G. G. Shoemaker of Texas and Mrs. Bob Evans of Ellenville, La.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McCowen and L. F. Hounshell spent the week end in San Antonio, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wallace and S-Sgt. and Mrs. Elmer Hounshell and family.

Pecan Specialists Offer Suggestions On Marketing

Indications are that opening pecan prices will be below average. The major contributing factor to this outlook for a lower price structure in 1956 is the large carry-over of pecans from 1955 crop purchased at above average prices, say pecan specialists at Texas A&M College.

In an effort to combat this impending problem, representatives of Federated Pecan Growers have recently consulted with U. S. government officials of the School Lunch Purchase Program and the Commodity Credit Corporation. The Federated Pecan Growers is made up of members of state pecan growers associations in the southern pecan belt including Texas. While nothing definite has as yet come from these consultations, hopes are high that some relief will be forthcoming and that it will help stabilize a reasonable price for this important Texas crop.

The specialist and representatives of the Texas Pecan Growers Association urge pecan growers not to become unduly alarmed and as a consequence sell their pecans at an unreasonably low price. While it is

true that the Texas market for pecans is influenced greatly by the size, condition, and prices paid for the Southeastern crop, Texas growers generally do not experience a difficulty in marketing their high quality pecans.

Growers are advised to harvest their pecans as early as possible to avoid losses from crows, squirrels and bad weather. The crop should be handled carefully to insure pecans of uniform high quality.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Walker and family of Westbrook spent the week end here with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson of Pampa spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming and sons.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vestal and sons of Priddy spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Vestal and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dillard and children were here from Abilene over the week end visiting his mother, Mrs. Mae Dillard and girls.

Mrs. Clyde Bunnell and Mrs. Roger Watson and Billy were Brown-wood visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Balko visited Mr. and Mrs. Jason in Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilks visited with Mrs. Hugh McDermott at St. Ann Hospital in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Elliott and sons, Neal and David, of Abilene visited Sunday in the W. D. Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lutzenberger and Judy were Abilene visitors Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Wagner visited relatives and friends in Abilene the week end.

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Lettuce lg. head 21¢ Pears lb. 21¢

Apples Washington Delicious lb. **.12**

Cranberries lb. 27¢ Grapefruit each 9¢

BELL Peppers lb. 15¢ NAVEL Oranges lb. 15¢

SNAP BEANS KENTUCKY WONDER lb. **.12**

Potatoes 10 lbs. 39¢ SWEET Potatoes lb. 10¢

Cherries 300 size can 25¢ MIXED Nuts lb. 55¢

Welch's, GRAPE Juice 1 1-2 pts. 29¢ Stokley, GRAPEFRUIT Juice 46 oz. can 29¢

Pepper FRENCH 4 oz. **.29**

YACHT CLUB Coffee lb. 83¢ Kimbell, Grape and Apple Jelly 20 oz. size 25¢

Hominy STOKLEY No. 2 can **.12**

Stokley, WHOLE GREEN Beans 300 size can 27¢ Time Out, WHOLE Beans 300 size can 15¢

Beans CHUCK WAGON 9 cans **1.00**

EMPEROR Dog Food 3 cans 25¢ KIM Dog Food 2 cans 25¢

FRISKEE Dog Food 2 cans 35¢ PARD Dog Food 2 cans 49¢

PORK Liver lb. 29¢ Cracker Barrel, KRAFTS Cheese pkg. 37¢

ALL MEAT Weiners lb. 39¢ CHUCK Roast lb. 39¢

Sausage 2 lb. bag **.79**

Keep Your **Z.N.** Green Stamps book in your pocketbook with your other valuables



Fall Harvest

Sale

Free!

COFFEE AND SAUSAGE WILL BE SERVED
Pencils & Soap Will Be Given Away
Gifts For The Kids While They Last

Auction Sale

Don't miss our big Auction Sale to be staged at 3:00 and 5:00 p.m. Saturday, when selected items will be sold to the highest bidder. Come join in the fun and buy yourself some real bargains!

Coffee WHITE SWAN lb. can **.95**

Market Specials

Chuck Roast lb. 39¢
BEEF Short Rib 29¢
GOOCH'S "OLDE VIRGINIA" Sausage 2 lbs. 1.09
GOOCH'S "OLDE VIRGINIA" Bacon lb. 55¢
GOOCH'S Bacon Squares lb. 25¢

Come in Saturday and sample our Gooch's 'Olde Virginia' Sausage.

FLOUR SALE

Gold Medal, 25 lbs. 1.79
White Deer, 25 lbs. 1.69
(Free Mixing Bowl with each purchase)
BETTY CROCKER SALE
CAKE AND FROSTING MIXES
Angel Food, 2 Boxes 99¢
Reg. Mixes, 3 boxes 95¢
Regular and confetti

(FREE GIFT WITH EACH PURCHASE)
Stock up on your baking needs for the holidays ahead while you can buy these low, low prices.

GOT ANTS ROACHES MICE GET Sure-Kill
IF YOU CAN FIND A BETTER KILLER—BUY IT!

OUR VALUE Tomatoes 7 No. 303 cans 1.00
EATMORE CRANBERRY Sauce Tall Can 1.99
Mellorine 1-2 gal. 45¢

HEAVY SYRUP, OZARK SWEET Potatoes 5 No. 2 1-2 cans 95¢
OUR VALUE, ELBERTA Peaches In Heavy Syrup, No. 2 1-2 can 29¢

W. T. COX FARMERS MARKET