

Week's Puzzle  
Mrs. Eddy  
Mrs. Ed Petty  
K. Coppinger

which started falling over  
in April, continue unabated  
daily and records kept  
of "Pos" Bond, observer  
of the Cross Plains area had  
a total of 22.45 inches of  
up to Wednesday morning  
week.

month of May closed out  
rain gauge reading of 9.50  
inches, and is believed  
to be the wettest May on record  
since 1880.

farmers anxiously awaiting  
the opportunity to get into their  
plant row crops, June was  
in with more rain and it  
was one of the first days of  
the first days of  
for a total of 2.08 inches,  
mostly at night, the June  
have all been slow "soak-

this area has been exceed-  
ingly in escaping the rav-  
aged, hail and windstorm  
the past 60 days of turbulent  
reports from area farmers  
that the continued rain has  
ruined their grain crops with  
the grain already lost.  
on the bright side of the  
farmers and ranchers have  
pastures they have seen  
than seven years ago, if  
should cease soon, pros-  
pects for fine peanut  
crops.

Rain Record.  
The rainfall record  
year, to date:  
1957 1.83  
1956 1.26  
1955 7.40  
1954 9.50  
1953 7.75  
1952 1.10  
1951 .22  
TOTAL 22.45

of Local Lady Is  
At El Paso  
Lillian Fleming, 55, sister  
of Fern Francis, of this city  
away in an El Paso hospital  
May 21. Funeral services  
at the Kaster and Maxon  
home chapel in El Paso  
May 23, for Mrs. Fleming,  
daughter of the late Mr.  
H. B. Peoples, made her  
home in Cross Plains with  
her husband, who was a child.  
She died in El Paso 26 years  
ago. Mrs. Francis was in El  
Paso to attend funeral services for  
her.

Brashear Home  
Abilene Hospital  
Blenda Brashear, daughter of  
Mrs. Robert Brashear, was  
operated on at the Memorial  
Hospital in Abilene, Sunday, after  
undergoing an emergency  
operation which she un-  
derwent Friday night of last week.

Dawson Admitted  
Kansas Hospital  
Dawson was admitted to  
the hospital at Hot Springs,  
Ark., last week where he is un-  
dergoing medical check-up according  
to received here the first of  
the week. Mrs. Dawson has been  
in the same hospital for  
weeks now and is slowly  
improving.

Mrs. C. L. Coppinger and  
her parents last week.  
Coppingers, who have been  
in Colorado City for some  
time, are moving to Kermit.

Mrs. Bob Evans of Camp  
will arrive in Cross Plains  
for a visit with her par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gould.

Mrs. John Pruet and  
her sister and husband,  
Mr. Henry Mundt of  
Wells, at Putnam Sunday  
visited their parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. E. Pruet.

Mrs. C. J. Meyers have  
home to their home in  
Port, La., after visiting her  
wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joe  
Meyers.

### Cross Plains' Oldest Business Institution

VOLUME FORTY-EIGHT

## Rising Star Banker Injured In Explosion

W. E. (Bill) Tyler, bank president and R. D. Hill, plumber were injured about 3:00 p.m. Tuesday of this week when a gas explosion badly damaged the First State Bank building in Rising Star.



HONORED AT ACC... David Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dallas of this city, and a junior Art Major at Abilene Christian College, who was honored recently by the ACC Press Club for outstanding photography on all college publications. He also served as President of the Club the past semester.

Tyler, 72, sustained two fractures to his right leg and his hip was also broken. Hill, who was working on the air conditioning system at the bank, received only minor injuries, it was said. He was taken to the Rising Star Hospital for observation.

The explosion centered under a small stationary room near Tyler's office in the rear of the building and blew out heavy glass windows in the office and all across the north side of the building.

A leak from gas lines under the stationary room apparently caused the explosion, it was stated.

## Baptist Vacation Bible School Now In Progress, To Continue Thru June 12

Mrs. Dan Johnston, who is serving as general secretary of the Vacation Bible School now in progress at the First Baptist Church, reported to The Review, Wednesday morning of this week that the school had an enrollment that morning of 101.

Classes will continue through the remainder of this week and through Wednesday of next week, June 12, with a program to be rendered that evening at 8:00 o'clock. All departments of the school will have a part on the program, according to Mrs. Johnston, and handi-work done by the various classes will be on display for the inspection of those attending the program.

All parents of students are urged to attend the program, and the public is cordially invited.

Rev. V. D. Walters, pastor of the church, is serving as principal of the school.

## HIGGINBOTHAM BROS. & CO. EMPLOYEES ENJOY FISH FRY

Employees of Higginbotham Bros. & Co. store here enjoyed a fish fry Thursday evening of last week at the City Park.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Neel, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore, Mr. and Mrs. Osa Gattis, Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Scott, Mrs. Robert Brashear, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover and Benny, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McAnally, Larry and Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Childers and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Walker of Westbrook.

## WCSO Officers Installed At Methodist Church Here Last Wednesday

Mrs. Ida Graves, charter member of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church, presided at installation ceremonies, Wednesday night of last week when new officers of the organization for the coming year were installed. Installation service were held in the church auditorium.

While attending high school here he served as school photographer three years and was editor of the school annual, "The Bison," his senior year. He also served as utility man and staff photographer for The Review for two years, working after school on week ends and during the summers. While working for The Review, he was recognized for his photography skill when his series of oil field pictures, taken locally, was chosen for publication in the oil trade journal, "The Drill Bit."

During the past year, he has made many pictures of Olympic Champion Bobby Morrow, which have been published in newspapers and magazines throughout the country.

Upon completion of his college work, David expects to enter the field of commercial art.

## VISIT IN WOODY HOME HERE

During the week end Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woody of San Diego, Cal., were visitors in the T. Y. Woody home. They had been vacationing in several northern states while visiting Maryland with their son, Charlie Woody and family, who is stationed there with the U. S. Navy.

Other visitors in the Woody home Sunday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Champion and grandson, Ronnie of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Summers and David, Dale and Mary of Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Clark, Harlene Barnett and Willie Champion of Snyder, Mrs. Chuck Woody of Dallas, Mrs. Stacy Summers of Winters, Mrs. Bessie Griffin of Odessa, Russ Peavy of Oklahoma, Mrs. Jess Clark and children of Kermit, Mrs. Frank Woody, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion and Claud of Cottonwood, Glenn Champion of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cavan and children of Cross Plains.

C. E. Bayless of Bonham is visiting his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bayless.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wagner and son of Vernon visited here over the week end with his mother, Mrs. Mary Wagner and Dick. Gretchen Wagner returned home with her parents after spending a week here.

Herman Keith of Hillsboro is spending this week with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adair.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morgan and family of Jal, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schaffer of Freer are visiting this week with their father, I. W. Morgan who has been ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown and family of Sonora visited here Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Silas Havens. Donna and DeLoe remaining for a longer visit with their grandparents.

## Work Started on New Building To House Dillard Drilling Co.

Work got underway here Monday morning of this week on the foundation work for a new, modern building to house offices of the Dillard Drilling Co., owned and operated by N. M. "Neal" Dillard. The firm expects to occupy the new quarters before July 1, it was said.

The new structure will be of masonry construction and will measure 38x24 feet and will contain three offices, reception room and rest room.

Located on Highway 36, just east of the Dairy Bar in the west part of town, the building will add to the attractiveness of that section of the city.

## Evangelical Methodist Bible School To Have Exercises Sunday Eve

Bill Pope, Superintendent of the Evangelical Methodist Church Vacation Bible School being held at the church this week, announced that a program will be held Sunday evening, June 9, closing the school, when students will be in charge of the services.

Classes are being held daily this week from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. and will continue through Saturday. An enrollment of 47 students was reported Tuesday.

The public is cordially invited to attend the program, Sunday evening.

## Mrs. Evans Reported To Be Much Improved

Friends in Cross Plains will be happy to learn that Mrs. A. C. Evans of Prosper, formerly of this city, is reported to be much improved following a serious illness.

Rev. and Mrs. Evans made their home in Cross Plains for some six years while he served as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. Rev. Evans retired from the ministry the first of this year and he and Mrs. Evans plan to move to Waco in the near future, where they will make their home.

## MERLIN HUTCHINS ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF THIRD CHILD; ALL HAVE SAME BIRTHDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hutchins of Odessa are announcing the birth of a seven pound, 10 ounce baby boy, born May 30, at Odessa. The baby has been named Merlin Kevin.

The couple have two other children, Michael, 5, and Melody, 2, who celebrate the same birthday, May 30. Mrs. Hutchins' birthday is May 28.

# Bayless, Sipes and Bryan Elected to Head Chamber of Commerce; Banquet July 12

## \$96.00 Contributed To Cemetery Association

V. C. Walker, chairman of the local cemetery association has reported the following have made donations to the association the past week:

- J. A. Atwood \$5.00
- Mrs. Lucy Baum 5.00
- C. W. Brigner Estate 20.00
- Mrs. W. M. Clark 3.00
- Mrs. L. M. Renfro 3.00
- Mr. and Mrs. Carlos McDermott 10.00
- Higginbotham Bros. & Co. 50.00

## Burkett Memorial Day Services Held Sunday

The annual Burkett Memorial Day services were held Sunday afternoon, June 2, at 2:00 o'clock in the school auditorium. Due to wet ground the service could not be held at the cemetery as had been announced.

A large crowd attended the service and the business meeting which followed, at which time members of the Cemetery Committee were re-elected. They are: E. L. Harris, Arlie Thate and Doyle Burchfield.

Mr. Burchfield, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Neel and Mrs. Clyde Bunnell of Cross Plains, attended the service.

## Ike Neal Receives Award In Merchandising Contest

Ike Neal, owner and manager of the Smith Drug Store here, received notice the past week that he had been selected to receive a Distinguished Merchandising Award from the W. A. Sheaffer Pen Co. for his participation in a merchandising program sponsored by the company last Christmas season.

Here is the letter he received along with a plaque from the Sheaffer Company:

"Dear Mr. Neal:  
"It is certainly a pleasure for me on behalf of the W. A. Sheaffer Pen Company, to inform you that you have been selected as one of our dealers to receive a Distinguished Merchandising Award for your participation in our 1956 Christmas merchandising program and contest conducted between Nov. 1, 1956 and Dec. 31, 1956.

"I would like very much to present the award to you in person, but since that is impossible, I am forwarding the plaque to you under separate cover and hope, in some way, this letter will compensate for a personal presentation.

"Sincerely yours,  
"W. A. SHEAFFER PEN CO.  
"J. H. ASTHALTER,  
"General Merchandising Manager."

## CURTIS SHIELDS SPENDING LEAVE WITH MOTHER HERE

A-2 Curtis Shields arrived in Cross Plains May 18 to spend a 30 day leave with his mother, Mrs. Mel Shields and other relatives, before reporting to Dyess AFB, Abilene where he will be stationed.

## John G. Varner, 82, Dies In Abilene; Rites Set There For Today

John G. Varner, 82, of Abilene, former resident of Cottonwood and Baird, passed away Tuesday, June 4, 1957 at 7:10 p.m. at Hendrick Hospital in Abilene where he had been a patient since May 17. He had been in ill health for the past three years.

Born March 8, 1876, in West Virginia, he came to Texas with his parents at the age of 10. They settled in Dallas County, and later lived at Cottonwood for several years. He was married to Lillie Luce of Baird 60 years ago last Nov.

Varner was a retired railroad man, working for the T&P Railroad in Baird for years.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday (today) at the Highland Church of Christ in Abilene, of which he was a member. Officiating will be E. R. Harper and James D. Willeford. Burial will be in Elmwood Memorial Park.

He is survived by his wife; three daughters, Mrs. W. H. Coppinger of Cross Plains, Mrs. C. A. Morris and Mrs. F. D. Nichols of Dallas; three sons, Dr. R. W. Varner and J. M. Varner, Abilene and Frank Varner of Oceanside, Calif.; one brother, H. S. Varner of Cottonwood; 15 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

## MRS. SAM DEBUSK UNDERGOES SURGERY IN TEMPLE FRIDAY

Mrs. Sam DeBusk is reported to be recovering satisfactorily following surgery at Scott and White Hospital in Temple Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeBusk of this city and Mrs. Freida Koeng and Mrs. Bill Davee were in Temple Sunday visiting with Mrs. DeBusk. Mrs. Jack DeBusk returned home after spending several days in Temple and Mrs. Bill Davee remained with her mother.

## HERRELL KELLEY IS TO BE COUNSELOR AT BOYS CAMP

Herrell Kelley, teacher in the local school system, left Wednesday of this week for Camp La Junta at Hunt, Texas, near Kerrville, where he will be a counselor again this summer.

Mr. Kelley has served as counselor in the boys camp the past four years.

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Help Build A Better Community By Trading At Home

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1957 NUMBER ELEVEN

## Chisholm Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, on the need for scouting in this community, and voted to sponsor a Cub Scout Pack to be organized in the near future.

A. J. McQuin, Chamber president, named Alton Hornsby, Bob Latson, Sam Baikum, Pat McNeel, Jr. and Dale Bishop as a Scout Committee, charged with the responsibility of administering the new program.

C. R. Pennington, head of the Abilene Retail Merchants Credit Association, was a guest speaker at the meeting and discussed the need and workings of a credit organization for Cross Plains. President McQuin named L. D. Bayless as chairman of a committee composed of W. J. "Son" Sipes and George Neel, to investigate the matter and report to the next meeting of the body.

Members voted to hold the first annual Chamber of Commerce banquet, Friday night, July 12, in the school cafeteria, at which time new officers will be installed and an excellent program will be rendered for members and their guests. Tickets for the affair will go on sale here next week at the office of Lloyd Bryan, secretary, at \$1.50 each. Tickets can also be purchased from Alton Hornsby at Hornsby Electric Co. or from L. F. Foster at the West Texas Utilities Co. Everyone in the community is invited to purchase a ticket and attend his affair, which promises to be one of the outstanding functions of the year here.

The program committee, composed of Jack McCarty, Fred Tunnell and L. D. Bayless, promises an excellent speaker for the occasion and state that two outstanding citizens of the community will be honored. Their identity will not be revealed until that night, it was said.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Winnie Shuford was released from the hospital in Gorman Saturday afternoon where she had received medical care.

Dr. Eli Powell returned to his home here Monday afternoon after spending a few days in the Gorman Hospital at Cisco where he underwent medical treatment.

Mrs. Doyle Burchfield was released from Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, Sunday, after undergoing a medical check-up. She will return to the hospital Thursday (today) and will undergo surgery Friday.

Mrs. Walter Westerman is a patient in the Rising Star Hospital.

## Steve Foster Home From Temple Hospital Today

S. N. (Steve) Foster is expected home today (Thursday from Scott and White Hospital in Temple where he underwent major surgery Monday morning of last week.

Mr. Foster is reported to be making a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Greenwood and baby of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coppinger and sons of Colorado City were visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greenwood recently. The Coppingers also visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Coppinger while here.

## PHILOSOPHER CLAIMS SCIENTISTS ABOUT TO BREAK SURPLUS-RIDDEN FARMER

Editor's Note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou may be mixed up in his thinking, his letter this week indicates, but then again he may not be.

The trouble with farming is that science won't leave it alone. For example, I was reading last night in a newspaper which an insurance salesman left out here yesterday, he didn't sell me any insurance but I think I sold him on taking my name off his prospect list, where scientists at an agricultural research center in Indiana have developed a pill which, when you feed it to livestock they gain a lot faster on less food.

In one test on cattle, steers showed 11 per cent improvement in gain and a 9 per cent improvement in feed efficiency.

The scientists immediately halted this as an important step forward, but that's not the way I see it, and if Sec. Benson is on his toes instead of the farmers' for a change he won't see it that way either.

If cows are going to gain 11 per cent faster and use 9 per cent less feed doing it, anybody who knows arithmetic can see this means a 11 per cent increase in the meat supply and a 9 per cent increase in the feed surplus.

time a scientist succeeds in growing two bushels of corn or maize or wheat or what not where only one grew before, somebody has to put up two warehouses to store it in where only one was before.

You keep this up for any length of time, and you can see what'll happen to the surplus, which is already bigger than the national budget.

As I see it, scientists are the worst enemy of the farmers, and if they can't do any better, they ought to give up agricultural research and work on the hydrogen bomb or space ships.

What the farmer needs is a pill which will slow down, not speed up, agricultural production. What he needs is something that'll make a cow eat twice as much as she's eating now and take three times as long to get ready for market, with of course an adequate price to take care of the long drawn-out process. What he needs is a chemical to spray on his seed to make cotton for example take two years to mature instead of six months. As for corn, with a two-year supply already on hand and another crop on the way, something in the nature of a century-plant type corn, which makes ears every ten years, would be ideal. The same thing would apply to practically everything else grown on a farm.

The way it looks from here, agricultural research is about to bust not only the warehouses but the farmers to boot.

Your faithfully,  
J. A.

# Atwell News

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Edgar Sessions was by to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions last week. He was enroute to Dallas to join his National Guard Company for a few weeks training at Fort Hood. Mrs. Lecta Tunstall and three daughters of Oklahoma have recently visited the Session family, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and girls attended a reunion at the Fisherman's Lodge at Lake Brownwood, Sunday. The reunion was for the family of Mrs. Leroy Byrd.

Mrs. Jim Hewes, Mrs. Frank Mahler and Maggie Wilson were Abilene visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom and Jim Hewes attended the cattle sale at Eastland, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pillans and Nathan Foster visited Steve Foster in Temple, Sunday.

Neal, William, Betty and Joyce Pillans attended church services Sunday with Mrs. Nathan Foster and children.

Rev. Ira Pittman of Abilene preached Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Chick. Rev. Pittman was accompanied by Mr. Jordan of Monahan.

Mrs. Dayton Sessions spent part of last week at Baird with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan and Cheri spent Sunday of last week in San Antonio with June and family and Macky, who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gobel and children of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rouse.

Herrell Kelley and E. K. Coppinger were business visitors in Abilene, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brock visited the Martin McMilians last week.

## Smith Family Reunion Is Held At Lake, Sunday

The annual reunion of the descendants of the late W. R. W. and Francis Parlee Smith, early settlers of the Pioneer community, was held at Brownwood Lake Sunday, June 2.

Despite the bad weather, a picnic lunch was enjoyed by the following: Fred and Juanita Smith and Lynn Smith, Fort Worth; Lee and Jewell Cobb, Midland; Munrow and Eloise Kirkpatrick and Cecil, and Jackie Baxter, Ray and Mona, Aztec, New Mexico; Frank and Lola Hughes, and Larry Wayne Hughes, Kempner; Mike and Minnie Smith, Copperas Cove; Jeuet and Myrtle Beverly, Jack and Windell, Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Smith and Michael and Mr. and Mrs. John Cox, Killeen; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cox and Bryan Wayne Brownwood; Mrs. Zula O'Neal and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hamilton and Pamela, Evans; J. W. Cox and Jo Ben, W. D. Smith, Jessie Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Smith, Cross Plains; Joe and Ruby Lee Adkins and Mrs. Elmer Adkins, Ross, Danny and Vicki, Semincle; Leslie and Evelyn Smith, Austin and Horace, Judy and Connie Smith, Midland.

Mrs. Ben Bradley of Rising Star and Mrs. Mary Whiteside of Aubrey, Arkansas, were visiting with friends in Cross Plains, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. G. V. Cunningham and Byrene Richardson of Cisco, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Coppinger, Sunday.

John Wanger left Wednesday of last week for Brookly AFB, Ala. after spending a 15 day leave here with his mother, Mrs. Mary Wanger and Dick.

Clark Baum, Benny Glover, Joe McNeel and Dan McCarty visited in Austin Friday of last week. While there, Clark, made arrangements to enter Texas University this fall.



Miss Gay Nell Bryan, Mr. William Frederick Barnett Wed Here Saturday Evening, June 1

Miss Gay Nell Bryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan of Cross Plains, became the bride of Mr. Wm. Frederick Barnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Barnett, 536 Westwood, Richardson, in the church of Christ, Cross Plains, at seven o'clock in the evening, June 1. James E. Priest, minister of the church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Mr. Bryan gave his daughter in marriage. Her dress was fashioned of chantilly lace over ruffles of nylon tulle. The sweetheart neckline was beaded in seed pearls and rhinestones. The chapel-length veil was designed of imported illusion gathered from an empire crown tiara.

Mr. Don McKenzie of Detroit, Michigan, served the groom as best man.

Groomsmen were Ray Odion, Three Rivers; Vincent Doan, Bonham; Victor Baker, McGregor, and Phillip Barnett, Richardson.

Bridesmaids serving Miss Bryan were: Miss Guyann Barnett, Richardson; Miss Lynette Davis, Richwood; Miss Sharon Cummings, Panhandle, and Miss Cynthia McQuin, Cross Plains.

Little Miss Pat Vaughn served as flower girl dressed in blue taffeta and lace with a miniature fan styled like the bridesmaids.

Shep Strong, cousin of the groom, carried the ring on a satin pillow.

The church altar was centered with a tree candelabra, burning cathedral tapers and garlanded with plumose fern. Floor candelabra embellished with commodore fern and flanked with baskets of white gladiolus and stock. The baptistry was centered with a large sunburst arrangement of white stock and gladiolus.

Musical selections and the Bridal March were sung by a chorus from Abilene Christian College, composed of Miss Sam Sims, Houston; Miss Cecelia Puckett of Lubbock; Jeryl

Young, Brady; Jerry Cummings, Panhandle; Bob Eagleton and Kerry King, Bonham. Miss Sims, soloist, sang, "Because," "I Pledge My Love to You" and "The Lord Bless You and Keep You."

The bridesmaids wore dresses of soft blue lace and silk cotton in flowing princess lines. They carried fans fashioned of chantilly lace and Esther Reeds, showered with satin love-knotted streamers.

Miss Shannon Bryan, sister of the bride, acted as her Maid of Honor. Her dress was fashioned of a darker blue chantilly lace and taffeta. Her flowers were identical to the bridesmaids gathered in a deeper blue.

The reception was hosted at the bride's home in Cross Plains. Serving in the house party were Misses Martha Barnard and Billie McMullan of Cross Plains, Janette Martin of San Saba and Joree Barnett of Richardson.

The bride's table was skirted with a floor-length cloth of nylon tulle, cascaded with showers of satin streamers. The table was centered with the chantilly lace fans from the bridesmaids and candelabra, holding white tapers. The wedding confection and the punch bowl completed the table setting. Floral arrangements were placed at vantage points throughout the house.

For traveling the bride wore a blue cotton and silk sheath dress with white accessories. The orchid from her bouquet was used as a traveling corsage.

Both the bride and groom are students at Abilene Christian College. The bride, an honor graduate of Cross Plains High School, is a member of the Ellen H. Richards Club and the groom is a member of Phi Delta Psi Social Club.

The couple will make their home in Dallas this summer and they will resume their studies at ACC this fall.

## Bryan-Barnett Wedding Party Is Entertained

Mrs. W. G. Barnett of Richardson honored members of the Bryan-Barnett wedding party with a buffet dinner, following rehearsal, Friday evening of last week in the Lloyd Bryan home.

Groomsmen of the wedding party were honored Saturday morning with a breakfast at the home of Mrs. W. L. Bryan, grandmother of the bride-elect, at which time they were presented gifts by the groom.

Mrs. J. H. McElroy maternal grandmother of the bride-elect honored the bridesmaids with a breakfast at her home Saturday morning. Gifts were presented to the attendants by the bride, following the breakfast.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Ferguson and Herrell Kelly visited in Tulsa last week with Charles and Bobby Ferguson.

Mrs. W. W. Smith visited last week with her sister, Mrs. A. A. Criswell, following the death of Mr. Criswell.

Roland Gene Bryan of Abilene spent last week with his grandmother, Mrs. W. L. Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Placke and daughters visited with her uncle in New London, the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Houshelt of this city were called to Winters, Tuesday to be at the bedside of his brother, John Houshelt who is critically ill.

Harlene Barnett of Snyder visited in the Doyle Cowan home over the week end. Wanda Cowan returned home with her for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow and children returned to their home in Livingston, New Mexico, Tuesday after spending the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Foster and other relatives here. They also visited in Dallas and Grand Prairie while here.

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### CALIFORNIA COUPLE HONORED AT COTTONWOOD SUNDAY

A large group of friends and relatives met after church Sunday, June 2, at the Cottonwood Community Center, to honor Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woody of San Diego, California. A basket lunch was spread and the afternoon was spent in singing and visiting.

Present to enjoy the day were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woody, San Diego, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Champion and grandson, Comanche; Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Woody, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Ned Clark, Harlene Barnett and Willie Champion, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Champion and children, Novice; Mrs. Jess Clark and two children, Kermit; Mrs. Stacy Summers, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sumners and three children, Denver City; Glenn Champion, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion and Claude, Cottonwood; Mr. and Mrs. U. F. Casey and Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cowan and three children, Mrs. Frank Champion and Mrs. Sub Peavy, all of Cross Plains.

Friends present were: Mrs. Myrtle Wiseman and Jackie Dewbre, Cross Plains; Mrs. Jim Wilson, Ruby and Frances, Mrs. W. A. Gill and Margaret, Darla Bates and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark and Barbara, Cottonwood.

Mrs. Ben Huntington and son, James Derrell, returned home Tuesday from Abilene where they visited for a few days with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Collum. Monday morning they attended Hardin-Simmons University commencement exercises at the First Baptist Church in Abilene at which time Mr. Collum received his Bachelor of Science Degree. He is a medical technician at Hendricks Memorial in Abilene.

David Warkell of Abilene to spend a two week visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pettit.

Mrs. Garland Austin, wife of Joe Kermit, spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Denson.

Misses Billie Ruth and Jan Cannon of Lubbock spent the day of this week for a visit. They will attend Texas State after visiting for a few days with Mrs. Ira Loving and family.

## Thursday, June 2

### Dill Family Reunion At Cisco, Sunday

The children and grand children of the late F. W. Dill, re-unioned at Cisco, Sunday, June 2, for the annual reunion.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. F. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. X. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Dill, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Dill, Cross Plains.

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## Mrs. McMillan Entertains Sunday School Class

Mrs. Martin McMillan was hostess to members of the Alathene Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church, at her home Friday, May 28.

The meeting was called to order by the class president, Mrs. Henry McCoy. Mrs. Jeff Clark opened the meeting with prayer and Mrs. J. D. Conlee brought the devotional from the book of Isaiah.

After a short business session, gifts were exchanged by secret pairs and palm names were revealed.

The hostess passed a refreshment plate of ice cream and cake to Misses Jeff Clark, J. D. Conlee, J. M. Greenwood, Ed Cornelius, Sam Hill, Henry McCoy, Earl Pyle, L. L. Howser and one visitor, Mrs. C. C. Mason.

## TEXAS IN REVIEW

Explorer Scouts from Fort Stockton will be seen taking an exciting excursion down the Rio Grande aboard rubber life rafts on "Texas in Review" next week (June 10).

The Humble Company's TV program will show the scouts as they explore the Big Bend Country.

Viewers will also see Conroe and the oil fields there. The story of the discovery and development of the oil-rich area will be graphically told.

One of the state's important industries will be examined on a camera trip to Center and Nacogdoches where the thriving broiler industry is concentrated. Climax of the story will be the Texas Broiler Festival at Nacogdoches.

The importance of city water supplies will be emphasized by a visit to Marshall for a look at the city's modern water works. This plant is one of the most up-to-date in the state and points up the value of expert water engineering.

On Tuesday (June 11) "Texas in Review" can be seen over KRBC-TV, Abilene, 9:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vaught and Linda visited relatives at Haskell, Okla., a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Barton of Pioneer visited at Levelland over the week end with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barton.

Parker Baum and daughter, Martha, were in Jayton Sunday visiting in the home of Billie Parker Baum and family. Mrs. Baum and children returned to Cross Plains with Mr. Baum and Martha for a visit.

Bob Brown of Wilmington, Calif., visited here the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Fort Worth visited in the home of Mrs. W. W. Smith, over the week end.

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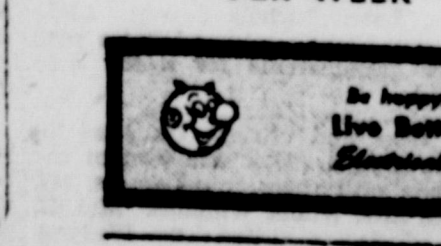
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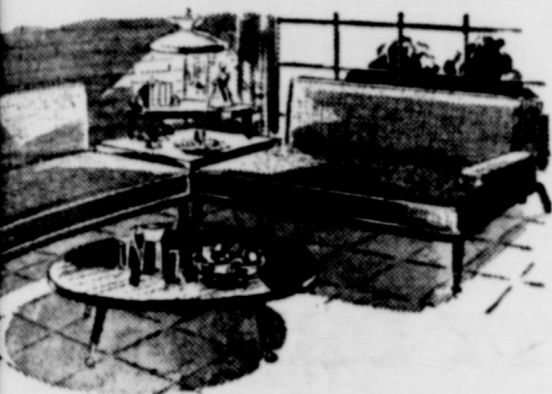
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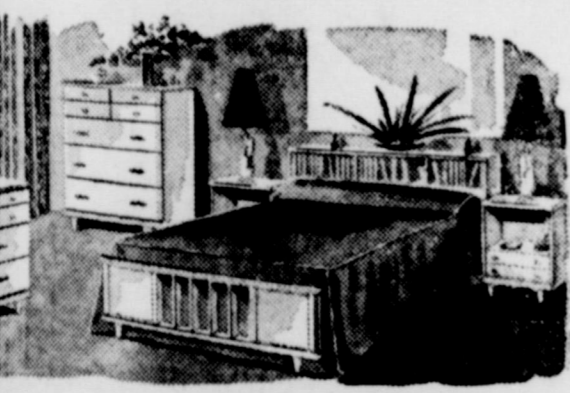
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# Do You Remember?...

June 5, 1942  
Voters of Cross Plains and Deer Plains school districts will go to the polls Saturday to ballot on the proposed consolidation of the two districts.

E. E. Thate, of Cross Plains, and Dean Brothers, of Fort Worth, have closed a deal for 25 oil leases at Petrolia, 20 miles northeast of Wichita Falls, in Clay County. The property was purchased from Ben Grimes, of Denver, Colorado, for a consideration of \$100,000.00.

Promoted this week to the grade of first lieutenant at Minter Field, Army Basic Flying School, was Foster L. Cash of Pioneer.

The wedding vows of Miss Mavis Jones, of this city, and Harold Smith, of Brownwood, were solemnized shortly after seven o'clock, Monday evening, June first at the home of Rev. and Mrs. S. P. Collins. Rev. Collins, pastor of the Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony.

Miss Dorothy Jean Cash, an honor graduate of Howard Payne College at Brownwood and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cash of Pioneer, was elected to the Cross Plains High School faculty at a meeting of this week.

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board of trustees here Monday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barr had as their guest this week, their son, Anderson Barr, who is stationed in the Army Air Corps at Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Mrs. J. H. Westerman, of Rising Star, formerly of Cross Plains, recently received word from her daughter, Mrs. William C. Cornelius, the former Miss Coris Westerman, stating that she had returned to her home in Trenton, New Jersey, after an extended visit in New York City, and all points of interest there, including Statue of Liberty and Radio City. Doris also visited in Philadelphia and saw the Liberty Bell.

Mrs. Willard Holman was honored with a miscellaneous shower Friday, at the home of Mrs. Lou Burkett, who was assisted by Mrs. D. A. Boyle, Mrs. C. C. Burkett and Mrs. A. K. Wesley. Burkett news.

Miss Ann Golson is home for the summer after teaching in the Ira school the past term. Burkett news.  
Mr. and Mrs. Orba Booth, of East Texas, are guests in the home of his mother, Mrs. Cordie Booth, here this week.

Miss Billie Jean Cross has returned to her home here from Brownwood, where she visited in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cross.

Barney Klutts will leave within the next few days for College Station, where he is to attend A&M College this summer.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Banto June 1st, a son, both mother and baby are doing nicely. Cottonwood news.

I. B. Loving, Jr., sustained a broken arm the first part of this week, when he fell on a cement floor in a grocery store, in Fort Worth, where he has been employed for the past several weeks.

Mrs. H. G. Whitehorn and C. W. Worthy, of Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Murdock, of Big Spring, attended the funeral of Tom Moore at Lometa, Texas, Sunday afternoon.

Teddy Walker has returned to his home here from Denton, where he attended North Texas State Teachers College the past term.

June 4, 1937  
Funeral services for J. V. Chapman, 66, secretary for the City of Cross Plains who died at his home here early Tuesday morning were held at Bonham Wednesday afternoon. Death resulted from a heart ailment after an illness of but three days.

Announcement has been received by Seranton school officials that 11 and one half credits of state affiliation have been approved by the department of education.

Miss Aletha Mitchell and Clyde Kelly, both of Cross Plains, were united in marriage Saturday evening at ten o'clock in the Baptist parsonage at Coleman.

Marriage of Miss George Cecil Cook and Charlie Stone, both of this place, was solemnized at Coleman Saturday afternoon with the Rev. Bob Jones, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, reading the single ring ceremony.

Services for Mrs. F. C. Lily, 77, long time resident of the Sabanno community seven miles northeast of Cross Plains were held at the Presbyterian church here Friday.

Mrs. R. Brooks died at her home here Friday afternoon of last week after an illness of several days.

Friends and members of the Sally Quilt Club met in the home of Mrs. C. E. Atwood on Thursday of last week to celebrate the first anniversary of the club in an all day meeting.

Misses Eloise Lane, Betsy McAdams, Bobbie Nell Neel, and George Cecil Cook were co-hostesses when they honored Mrs. Buster Atwood with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. George Scott Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. Pat Allan was guest of honor when Mrs. Arthur Mitchell and Mrs. Orba Booth entertained with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. F. R. Anderson Saturday afternoon from four to six.

Mrs. Claude Shannon complimented Mrs. Charlie Jackson with a farewell handkerchief shower Tuesday. Sandwiches, cake and punch was served to the guest. Cross Cut news.

Rev. and Mrs. Van Pelt, Misses Edith Coppinger, Yofa Sudderth, Myrl Forbes, Winnie, Minnie and Louise Coppinger, Mrs. Gary and Daughter, Irene, Nadine and Ruth, J. A. Moore and Carl Eager attended Rally Day at Dressy, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Plumlee and son of Portland spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore and Mrs. Zola Plumlee. Randy Plumlee remained here for a months visit with his grandparents. Pat Moore returned to Portland with his sister and family where he will be employed.

Misses Martha Barnard and Jo Ann Montgomery have returned home from Abilene Christian College to spend life summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore visited in Dallas and Grand Prairie Sunday and Monday with here sister, Miss Vi Harlow, and the Albert Harlow family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sheppard and girls and Mrs. Rosa Irwin, of Fort Worth, visited with relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Flahig and Ginger Ann, of Fort Worth, spent the week end with Mrs. Flahig's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Adams.



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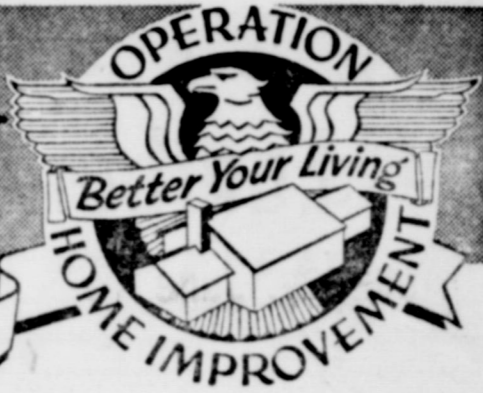
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor and family of Abilene were visiting with relatives here Sunday.

Kay McCarty is visiting in Goldthwaite with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bayley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odom and children left Monday morning of this week for their home in Cottonwood, South Dakota, after a ten day visit here with his mother, Mrs. Bill Weiler and Mr. Weiler and his brother, Morris Odom and family, and with relatives at Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger visited his mother, Mrs. Mae Dillard and girls, over the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Forgay and family were here Sunday visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bishop and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hutchins and sons spent the week end at Odessa visiting Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hutchins and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Vaught and daughters. Terri Vaught returned home with her grandparents for a few days visit.

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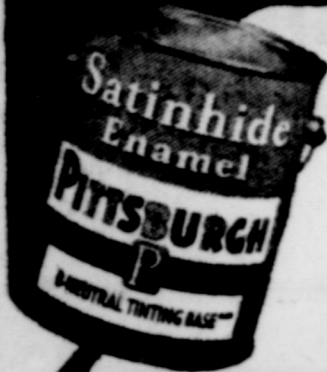
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The wedding ceremony will be held Saturday evening, June 15, at 8:00 o'clock, in the First Baptist Church of Cross Plains.

All friends of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony.

Clyde Walker of Midland, visited several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker.

Mrs. George Barnard returned home the first of the week from Denton where she has been visiting for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Walker and children returned to their home at Westbrook Saturday after a few days visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Holdridge of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McClellan are spending this week with relatives in Austin. Friday evening they will attend the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Nancy Dingwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Vaught and daughters of Odessa are visiting here a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vaught and Linda and Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins and sons.

## Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. John Purvis left Saturday by plane for Chatham, New Jersey, where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mulburger for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gill entertained the Church of Christ members with an ice cream supper in their home, Monday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woody of California were with a gathering of the Woody relatives and friends at the Community Center here, Sunday.

Those who visited in the J. H. Coats home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris and son of Lovington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Bennett, John Bennett and Greg Bennett.

Beulah and Hazel Respass attended graduation exercises at Abilene Christian College, Tuesday night of last week. Exercises were held in Robinson Chapel.

David Burkhardt, a student at TWC, Fort Worth, and John Bennett, also of TWC, accompanied Rev. John Fraser out the past week end. John Bennett filled the pulpit at the Methodist Church, Sunday night. This will be the last service for Rev. Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sawyer of Eastland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Varner and Mrs. W. B. Varner of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner, Sunday afternoon.

Word has come to us that John Varner of Abilene had surgery Saturday and last report was that he is very sick.

Beulah and Hazel Respass and Gaylon Coppinger visited in Sweetwater last Thursday with Grady Respass.

Mrs. Bill Waldroup and baby daughter, Susan, of Wink, are spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Zola Plumlee.

J. D. Conlee, Jr. of Baton Rouge, La., spent the Memorial Day week end here visiting his mother, Mrs. Mina Conlee and other relatives.



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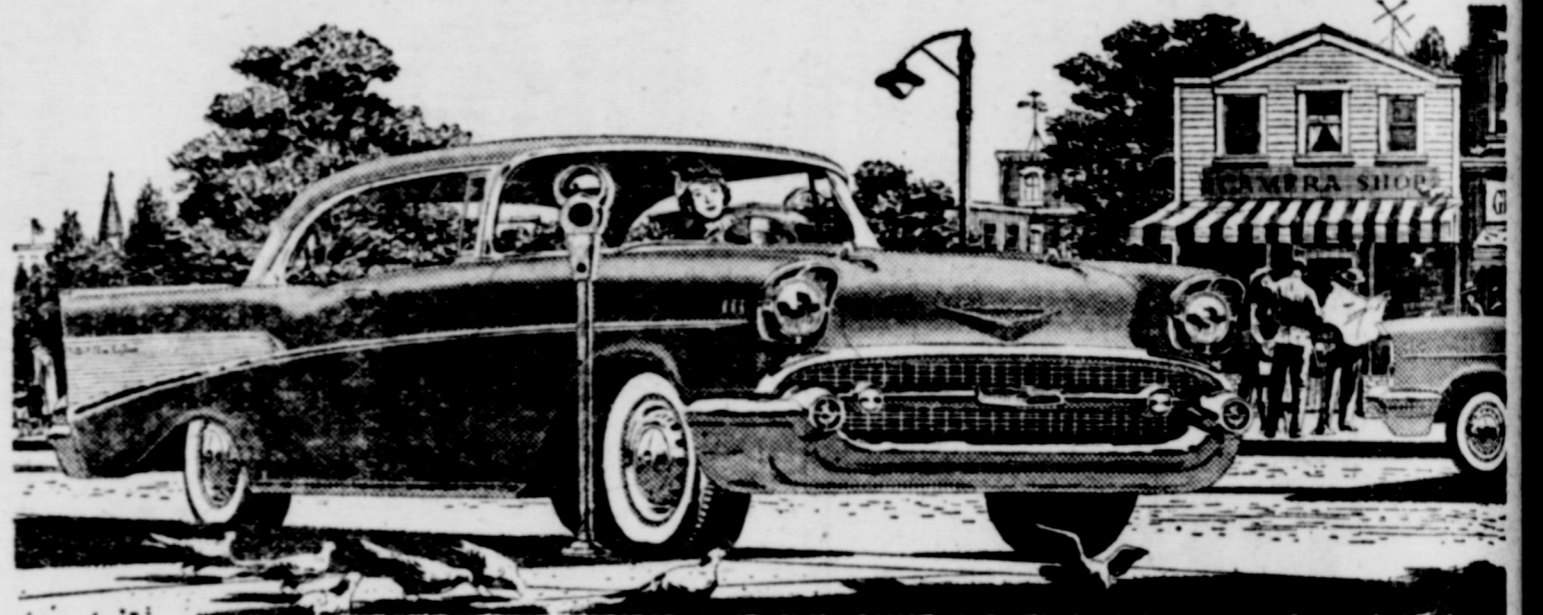
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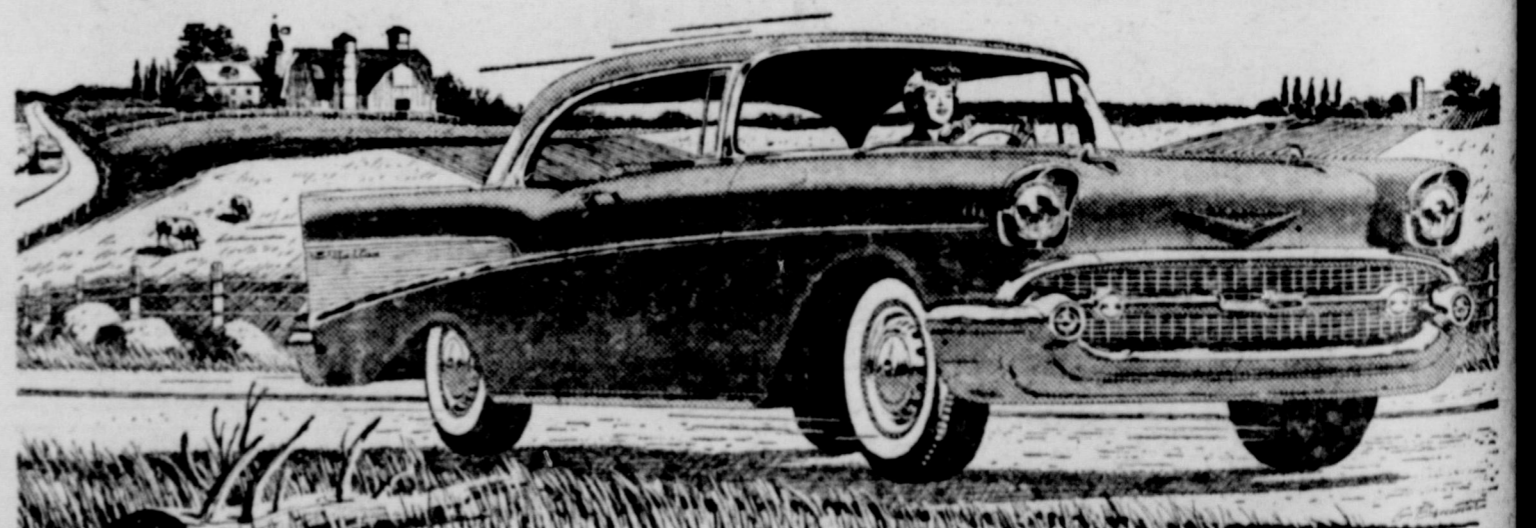
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Bible Study ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Sermon Subject:  
"The Saving Faith"  
Evening services ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Sermon Subject:  
"O Thou of Little Faith"  
Wednesday study ..... 7 p.m.

#### PIONEER

G. A. DUNN, Jr., Minister  
Bible Study ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Sermon Subject:  
"The Saving Faith"  
Evening services ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Sermon Subject:  
"O Thou of Little Faith"  
Wednesday study ..... 7 p.m.

#### WATSONWOOD

N PLACKE, Minister  
Bible Study ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Subject:  
"Our Labor is Not  
in Vain"  
Worship ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Subject:  
"Let Us Abide in the  
Love of God, That We Cannot be Saved"

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JAMES E. PRIEST, Minister  
Bible Study ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Sermon Subject:  
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Evening services ..... 7:15 p.m.  
Worship ..... 8:00 p.m.  
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Spaghetti 6 Cans	60c	DEL MONTE Catsup 3 - 14 Oz. Size	50c
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**Crisco** 3 Lbs. Limit **.85**

KIMBELL'S Orange Drink 46 Oz.	27c	KIMBELL'S Grape Drink 46 Oz.	27c
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GLADIOLA Meal 5 Lbs.	39c	YATCH CLUB Coffee 1 Lb.	79c
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- SPRAY NET, Helen Curtis, reg. 1.69 size ..... 1.49
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- BUBBLE BATH, Colgate's, 1.00 size ..... 59c
- BRILLCREEM, with pump dispenser, 1.00 size .... 79c
- DYANSHINE PASTE, any color ..... 10c
- SHOESHINE KIT, reg. 89c ..... 69c
- LIQUID POLISH any color, reg. 25c ..... 19c
- MOTH-PROOFER, Johnson's ..... 79c

**Choice Meats**

MATCHLESS Bacon 1 Lb.	53c	NATURAL CHEDDAR Cheese 1 Lb.	65c
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**Roast** CHUCK 1 Lb. **.39**

LOIN Steak 1 Lb.	67c	KRAFT'S HALF MOON Cheese 1 Lb.	45c
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Melorine Foremost - 1/2 gal. **39c**



J.N. Green Stamps

**Rowden News**  
By MRS. BERNARD CROW

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. Bill Hazle, Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Crawford and children of Arizona, are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley.

The ladies enjoyed their regular quilting day Thursday. Mrs. Amnye Miller visited with the ladies in the afternoon. She has recently returned home after spending several months at Fort Worth and Arlington.

Mrs. B. Crow visited her mother, Mrs. L. L. Cutbirth, at Clyde, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smedley and children, of Abilene, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley, Monday.

Miss Irene Mauldin is at home from Snyder where she taught school the past year. Irene will attend school at Hardin-Simmons University this summer.

Noah Smedley is at home for a few days. He will return to Merkel where he has been staying for sometime.

Roland Mauldin is at home for the summer after attending Cisco Junior College.

C. D. Shields visited relatives at Whon for several days the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bayley were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jack McCarty and family, Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Woody of San Diego, Cal. and Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Woody visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Champion at Comanche, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stanley visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stanley, Jr. and children at Granbury and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sullivan and children at Irving, the past week.

William Henry Harrison was the oldest U. S. president to take office. He was 68.

Theodore Roosevelt was the youngest president of the United States. He was 43.

**Tips Given On Social Security Regulations**

Ever miss a bus or a train or a plane because you got to the station or terminal a few minutes after the time table said was departure time? That wasn't too bad in most cases, for there was another train, bus, or plane coming along not too long afterwards that you could still take.

However, R. R. Tuley, Jr., Abilene district manager for the Social Security Administration, reports that being late on some social security matters might mean missing out on thousands of dollars of protection against income loss by reason of death, disability, or old-age.

Space doesn't permit giving a detailed report on all such possibilities, but Tuley suggests our readers give the following a thorough going over and make certain to get in touch with his office if any of the

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terms seem to apply to them.

2. Persons severely disabled for more than a year probably will never benefit from the disability provisions of the law if they delay inquiry until after June 30, 1957.

3. Certain school district employees who do not have to have state certificates to hold their present jobs cannot get social security coverage unless the school district takes affirmative action before June 30, 1957.

5. Insured persons past age 65 with annual earnings of less than \$2,090.01 are losing money by not filing their social security claims now.

The flag of the 11 Confederate States of America was known as the "Stars and Bars".

The Stars and Stripes has flown over West Point continuously since the academy was built.

Read the Classified Ads

**Thursday, June 14, 1957**

First oil well in the U.S. was in Titusville, Pa., in 1862.

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