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ONLY 74 VOTES CAST IN CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ELECTION HERE TUESDAY

Fred Stacy, judge of the Constitutional Amendment Election held here Tuesday of this week, reported after the polls closed that a total of only 74 voters braved the inclement weather to cast their ballots, favoring two of the proposed amendments.

Local voters said "No" to Amendment No. 1, which would have established retirement, disability and death compensation fund for officers and employees of the state. The vote here on this proposal was 32 for and 42 against.

The voters here favored the other two proposed amendments with Amendment No. 2 receiving 54 votes for and 15 against and Amendment No. 3 passing by a vote of 45 for and 23 against.

The two favored amendments read as follows: Number Two. The Constitutional Amendment increasing the limit on the maximum monthly payment to needy aged persons from state funds from Twenty Dollars (\$20) to Twenty-

Five Dollars (\$25) per month subject to certain conditions for payment in excess of Twenty-One Dollars (\$21) per month and on the total yearly expenditure out of state funds for assistance to needy aged, needy blind, and needy children from Forty-Two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) per year to Forty-Seven Million Dollars (\$47,000,000) per year, and allocating and appropriating additional sums, supplementing current legislative appropriations, for payment of assistant grants.

Number Three. The Amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-c of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Water Development Fund to provide financial assistance to certain political subdivisions or bodies public and corporate of the State of Texas in the conservation and development of the water resources of the State.

BUFFS LOSE TO LLANO BY 18-19 SCORE; PLAY MASON COWBOYS THERE FRIDAY

By BENNY GLOVER Spotting the Llano Yellowjackets a first period lead of 19 points the Cross Plains Buffaloes rallied in the final three periods only to fall one point short and lose a heart-breaker 18-19.

The Llano eleven scored three times in the first period to gain a 19-0 lead over the Buffs at the end of the first period. But the Buffaloes were not to be denied as they cut the Yellowjackets lead to seven points at the half. The Buffs scored again in the third period which cut the visitors lead to one point. That single extra point proved to be the deciding factor in the contest.

Within the first eight minutes the visiting Jackets racked up their scoring for the night. The first tally came as they capitalized on a Buffalo fumble, inside the Buff 30 yard line. The next Llano score came on an 81 yard run by the Jackets' Hammons.

Cross Plains received the ball on the 20 yard line of the Buffs, and following a five yard penalty against Llano, the locals fumbled the pigskin. Llano recovered on the Buffs' 22 yard line. But the Buffs stopped the drive as an unidentified Buffalo recovered a Llano fumble on the Buffalo three. The Buffaloes moved the ball to their own 26 where they again lost the ball on a fumble. Then Llano's fullback G. Frazier hit paydirt from four yards out. Frazier point boog was good and the Jackets lead their own 15 where they fumbled, the deciding margin of the game.

Then came the longest run of the night as Llano's Hammons raced 81 yards around right end to cross the double stripe. Llano returned the pighide to their own 19 after a Buff punt from the midfield stripe. Then came Hammons' run. The score read Llano 13 and Cross Plains 0 with 3:47 left to play in the first period.

Thirty seconds later the Yellowjackets stung the Buffs for another touchdown. A Buff aerial was intercepted by Llano's quarterback B. Anderson on the Buff 30 and returned to the Buffaloes 14. From there Frazier took a pitchout around left end for the visitors' final tally. The point was no good and the score read Llano 19 and Cross Plains 0 at the end of the first quarter.

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Cross Plains drove 46 yards for their first score with two pass completions sparking the drive. A pass from Scott to end Jim Fleming set up a first and ten for the Buffs operating on Llano's 29. Hutchins, on a fourth down gamble, picked up a first down on a line smash to the Jacket's 15. From there Scott passed to Hutchins in the end zone. The point after was no good and the score stood at 19-6.

Two minutes later the Buffs found the promised land once again. The locals took a Jacket punt on the visitors 42. On second down halfback Hutchins hit Scott with a pass on Llano's 22 yard line. Then Buff Fullback Joe Gary took a pitchout around left end for 14 yards to Llano's 8. Three plays later Scott sneaked into the promised land from two yards out. The point was no good and the score read 19-12.

Llano returned the kickoff to their own 15 where they fumbled, and alert Buffalo John Baum and Perry Jennings covered the loose pighide. But the Buff offense couldn't move and on a fourth down desperation pass Llano intercepted on their own nine. From the nine the Yellowjackets moved to the Cross Plains 49 where a tricky pass and lateral pass moved the ball to the Buffalo five as the first half ended.

The Cross Plains Buffalo Band, under the direction of Roy Flournoy, presented a show with small flashlights with the bright grid iron lights off. The band formed on the sidelines and entered the field with a fanfare. As the lights went out the band formed a large star with a stairway leading to the star. The band played "Stairway to the Stars" while the majorettes climbed the stairs and formed in the center of the star. They presented a lighted baton twirling routine. The band left the field in the formation of a large "CP" and floated the formation off to the south end of the field.

Following the kickoff opening the second half of play, Llano fumbled the ball and Buff tackle Don Watkins recovered for the locals. Two line smashes by Hutchins and Scott moved the pigskin from Llano's 36 to their 26 for a first down. Halfback Norman Vaughn broke through the defense for 13 yards and another first on the Llano 13. Hutchins on two tries moved the ball for a first and goal on the three. Two plays later Hutchins found himself inside the promised land. The try for point was short and the score read Cross Plains 18 and Llano 19.

Following the kickoff Llano moved from their own 32 to the Buff 43 where a stout Buff defense led by Johnny Pancake stopped the drive. Cross Plains took a punt on their own 22 and marched to their own 49 where the ball went over on downs.

Perry Jennings broke through the Llano line to cause two fumbles and recovered the loose ball once on the Cross Plains 40. But the Buffs returned the ball on a deadly fumble on the local's 34. Llano then moved the ball to the Cross Plains 11 where Jennings again came to the rescue, recovering a fumble on the Buff 13.

Llano moved to the Buff 28 from the 45 where the Buff punt dropped dead. But the Buff defense held the Yellowjackets and the ball went "Continued on Page Eight"

Buffalo Basketball Season to Open Here, Nov. 26

Boys and girls basketball season will get underway for the Cross Plains Buffalo basketball squads here on Tuesday night, Nov. 26, when the local teams will be hosts to Cisco's teams. All games during the season will start at 7:00 p.m. with girls' games being played first.

Annual Tournament. The annual Cross Plains invitation tournament will be held Dec. 16 through 21, with four games being played each night except Wednesday, Dec. 18. Tournament games will start at 5:45, it was announced.

Conference Schedule. The conference schedule will open Jan. 10, when the Buff teams will be hosts to the Llano teams, and the season will be closed out against the Eagle squads at Goldthwaite on Feb. 18.

Season Schedule. Following is the season schedule to be played by the Buffalo teams: Nov. 26—Cisco at Cross Plains; Dec. 3—May at Cross Plains; Dec. 10—Cisco at Cisco; Dec. 16-21—Cross Plains Annual Tournament.

Dec. 31—Clyde at Clyde; Jan. 7—May at May; Jan. 10—Llano at Cross Plains; Jan. 14—Clyde at Cross Plains; Jan. 17—Mason at Mason; Jan. 21—Rising Star at Cross Plains; Jan. 24—Santa Anna at Santa Anna; Jan. 28—Goldthwaite at Cross Plains; Jan. 31—Llano at Llano; Feb. 4—Open; Feb. 7—Mason at Cross Plains; Feb. 11—Rising Star at Rising Star; Feb. 14—Santa Anna at Cross Plains; Feb. 18—Goldthwaite at Goldthwaite *Conference Games.

Farm Bureau Holds Annual Convention At Rowden, Past Week

The Callahan County Farm Bureau held its annual convention at the Rowden Community Center last Tuesday night. The meeting was opened with a barbecue supper at 7:00 p.m. with about 40 members and their families attending.

During the business session three board members whose terms expired this year, were re-elected. They were Earnest Higgins of Rowden, Bill Lee Payne of Cross Plains. Three additional board members were also elected to fill vacancies on the board. They were Jack Gilliland of Baird, Bill Hetchett of Rowden and W. E. Wood of Sabanno.

The convention discussed and passed eight resolutions which were sent to the state office for further study before being presented to the Legislature. Following the business session, D. C. Cox, Soil Conservationist of Baird showed some slide pictures to the group which were very educational. Officers of the bureau hope to keep the enthusiasm of the organization rising, they said, so that a bigger and better convention can be held next year.

Area Oil News

Richard Clifton and others of Cross Plains No. 4 Julian H. Pope, Wm. B. Travis Survey 148, was completed two miles southwest of Cross Cut in Brown County Regular Field. Lawrence potential was 41 barrels of 42.6 gravity oil, plus 10 per cent water. It is pumping from four perforations per foot at 1,340-50 feet. Casing is set at 1,364 feet and the hole bottomed at 1,375 feet.

A new regular field location was staked four miles southeast of Cross Cut. It is Bankers Oil Co., Inc., of Cross Plains No. 1 J. P. Newton. Having a proposed depth of 1,350 feet with rotary it is 3,761 feet from the north and 343 feet from the east lines of W. L. Swain Survey 145.

A Warkirk (Cross Plains Sand) Field location was staked 10 miles west of Cross Plains. Slated for 3,000 with rotary, it is Callihan Interests, Inc., et al, of Abilene No. 1-B S. O. Montgomery. Drillsite is 2,150 feet south and 536 feet east of the northeast corner of T. H. Brown Survey 218, but located in T. H. Brown Survey 215.

BAND BOOSTER CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 12 Jimmy Lee Payne, president of the Buffalo Band Booster Club, has asked that we remind all members of the club to attend the regular meeting to be held in the Band Hall Tuesday night of next week at 7:30.

Business for the remainder of the school year will be discussed, it was said.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. McCowen and family of Abilene visited relatives in Cross Plains Saturday night.

Business Firms Here To Observe Monday, Nov. 11 As Regular Full Holiday

Following their usual custom, Cross Plains business firms will close all day next Monday, Nov. 11, in observance of Veterans Day. Service stations, drug stores and cafes will operate on a Sunday schedule, it was said. Other holidays observed by Cross Plains firms are: Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's, July Fourth and Labor Day. Shoppers are asked to take note of this holiday and make their plans accordingly.

Nite & Day Cafe To Re-open Here Friday

Morris and Dorothy Odom, owners and operators of the Nite & Day Cafe, popular eating establishment here, announce in a display advertisement appearing in this edition of The Review that they will hold a formal opening of their newly-remodeled and redecorated cafe next Saturday, Nov. 9, and invite the public to be their guests between the hours of 8:00 and 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 and 5:00 p.m. when they will serve hot coffee and cup cakes.

The cafe has been completely remodeled, redecorated and refurbished in the very latest fashion, and Mr. and Mrs. Odom are anxious for the public to see their ultra-modern establishment. Among the major changes made in the building is a new dining room with a seating capacity of 32, which can be closed to the public for use by private parties and luncheon meetings. Other improvements include new booths and furniture and some new kitchen equipment which will aid in cooking and dispensing excellent food for which the cafe is widely noted in this area.

The cafe will reopen for business at 6:00 a.m. Friday of this week, and, as in the past, will serve the public with fine food on a 24-hour schedule, it was said.

School Homecoming Is Cancelled for This Year

The annual Cross Plains School Homecoming, originally scheduled for Nov. 15, has been cancelled, according to an announcement made this week by Loyce W. Bryan, President of the Ex-Students Association.

He stated that a meeting of officers and interested members of the organization was held in the directors room of the Citizens State Bank, Tuesday of last week, and it was voted unanimously to cancel this year's meeting because of a lack of interest.

A meeting will be held next Spring at which time it will be decided when to hold the next homecoming, he stated.

McFarlane Rites Held At Baird Wednesday

Funeral rites for Mrs. Louisa Jane McFarlane, long-time resident of Baird, who died Monday, were held Wednesday, Nov. 6, at 2:00 p.m. at the Baird Methodist Church.

The Rev. T. G. Craft, pastor, officiated and burial was in the Ross Cemetery. Mrs. McFarlane died in the Callahan County Hospital in Baird, after a long illness.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. W. P. Brightwell of Baird, two sons, J. W. of Baird and Dr. Joe R. McFarlane of Brownwood; 10 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

MOTHER OF MRS. CUTBIRTH FRACTURES ARM SATURDAY

Mrs. H. A. McWhorter, mother of Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, is reported to be doing as well as could be expected in the Callahan County Hospital where she has been a patient since Saturday. Mrs. McWhorter fell at her home on the McWhorter Ranch near Baird and fractured her arm just below the shoulder, Saturday afternoon.

Her arm was placed in traction Tuesday of this week. Mrs. Cutbirth has been at Baird with her mother since the accident occurred.

REV. GORDON DENNIS ATTENDS YOUTH WORKERS MEETING

Rev. Gordon Dennis, pastor of the First Methodist Church here, was in Glen Rose, Saturday of last week where he attended an Adult Workers With Youth Conference.

The meeting was held at Glen Lake, Methodist Camp for the Central Texas Conference. Claude Mayes, owner and manager of the Mayes Lumber Co. here was in Lubbock, Thursday and Friday of last week where he attended a Builders Estimating School, sponsored by the Independent Lumberman's Association.

Mrs. Donald Baird and Mrs. Lee Bishop were in Fort Worth Monday and Tuesday where they attended the State Baptist WMU Convention held at the Will Rogers Coliseum. Mrs. Baird returned Tuesday night and Mrs. Bishop stopped in Weatherford for a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Sullivan and family.

RAIN HERE TOTALS 2.50 FOR FIVE-DAY MEASUREMENT; CLOUDY SKIES HANG ON

Slow rains which started falling here Saturday of last week, continued intermittently through Tuesday night, ranging from light mist to hard showers, and were gauged at 2.50 inches by S. F. "Fos" Bond, observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau.

Bond's gauge registered 1.75 Sunday morning and a gauge taken Tuesday evening of this week showed another .75, for the 2.50 total, and skies in this area remain heavily overcast as The Review goes to press Wednesday afternoon.

Buff Football Schedule For '58 Is Announced

Coach James Alexander announced that the football schedule for the Buffaloes for 1958 is complete except for confirmation of a tentative date with Gorman here on Oct. 10, which he thought would be settled this week.

The Buffaloes will be members of District 10-A, and will open next season at Baird on Sept. 5. Their first conference game will be against the Albany Lions at Albany, Oct. 17.

Season Schedule. Following is the complete schedule for next season: Sept. 5—Baird, there; Sept. 12—De Leon, there; Sept. 19—Goldthwaite, here; Sept. 26—Eastland, there; Oct. 3—Santa Anna, here; Oct. 10—Gorman, here (tentative); Oct. 17—Albany, there; Oct. 24—Merkei, here; Oct. 31—Clyde, here; Nov. 7—Open; Nov. 14—Wylie, there. *—Denotes Conference Game.

Rainfall Record

According to rainfall records kept by Observer Bond, local gauges have measured a total of 36.23 inches of moisture thus far this year, to make it possibly the wettest year on record. Here is how the rains came:

Table with 2 columns: Month, Rainfall (inches). January: .36, February: 1.85, March: 1.26, April: 7.40, May: 9.50, June: 3.46, July: .13, August: .00, September: 3.37, October: 6.49, November (to date): 2.50. TOTAL: 36.23

F-M Right-of-Way Secured; Bids Due

Right-of-way for a farm-to-market road from Admiral to Cottonwood has been secured and probably bids for grading, installing structures and paving will be received in the next few weeks, according to County Commissioner I. G. Mobley, Putnam.

Ex-Eastland Sheriff Dies Of Car Wreck Injuries

Funeral services for Virgil F. Foster, 84, former Eastland County sheriff, were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church in Rising Star, with the pastor, Rev. Ed. Jackson, officiating. Interment was made in the Rising Star Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home, there.

Mr. Foster was injured in a car-truck collision in Rising Star at 8:55 a.m. Sunday and died in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene, 12 hours later. The wreck occurred when Mr. Foster's automobile was in collision with a truck and semi-trailer on W. College St. (State Highway 35) in Rising Star.

Driver of the truck, Guinn Cecil James, 27, of Idabel, Okla., was treated at Rising Star Hospital for shock. Mr. Foster is survived by a son, Everette of Alice; a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Noel of Oklahoma City, two grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Mrs. B. C. McCowen, Mrs. L. F. Hounshell, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jennings were in Winters Saturday to attend the funeral of John Wesley Hounshell, 79.

PHILOSOPHER CLAIMS WORLD CAUGHT UP WITH HIM; IT'S SHORT OF CAPITAL TOO

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou claims the world is catching up with him, but catching up hardly seems the right phrase. Dear editor:

I know a lot of people think I'm backward, either opposed to progress or unable to achieve any, but I can't be held responsible for other people's ignorance, and would like to point out that in some respects I'm ahead of my time.

For example, I was reading in a newspaper last night which I picked up in Cross Plains the other day—somebody had dropped it on the street and while I can't go around picking up after other people, I made an exception in this case, for all I knew, the Russians had changed dictators again and I thought I ought to keep posted, although which dictator is dictating in Russia is about as important to me as which tire went flat first when all four are down—as I say. I was reading in this paper where some of the heavier thinkers in Washington are worried because they've discovered there's a world-wide shortage of capital now afflicting mankind.

They said this is a serious situation and something ought to be done about it. Yours faithfully, J. A.

Bond, veteran weather prognosticator, pointed out this week that rainfall for the month of October more than doubled the total received here during the same month last year and average low temperatures for the month were almost 10 degrees cooler than last year.

While farmers are hopefully looking forward to an opportunity to harvest their crops, the moisture has been a real artist in this area, and farms and ranches are prettier and in better condition than they have been in the past eight years. There has been little or no run-off water during the past few days, with the rain falling slowly and being soaked up by the earth for that much needed deep moisture penetration.

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Sister of Mrs. Dave Lee Dies In Dallas Wednesday

News was received here early Wednesday morning of the death of Mrs. E. L. Hunt, of Dallas, sister of Mrs. Dave Lee of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Lee were called to Dallas Friday night to be at the bedside of Mrs. Hunt who had suffered a cerebral hemorrhage.

Mrs. Hunt, the former Monnette Jennings, is survived by her husband, one son, Bobby, a student at SMU, Dallas, and one sister, Mrs. Lee. Funeral arrangements were pending for Mrs. Hunt, as The Review went to press Wednesday afternoon. The Hunt's home address in Dallas is 3202 Arizona.

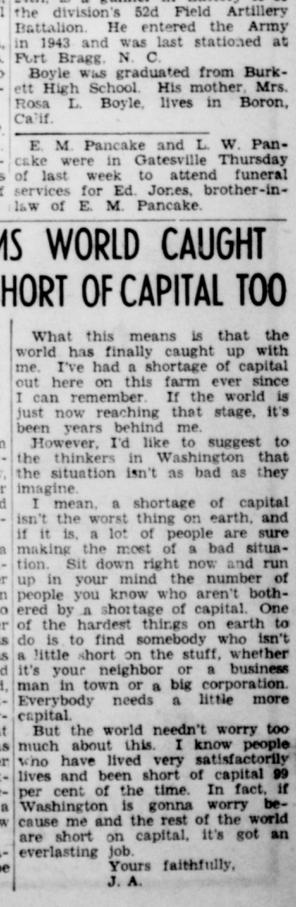
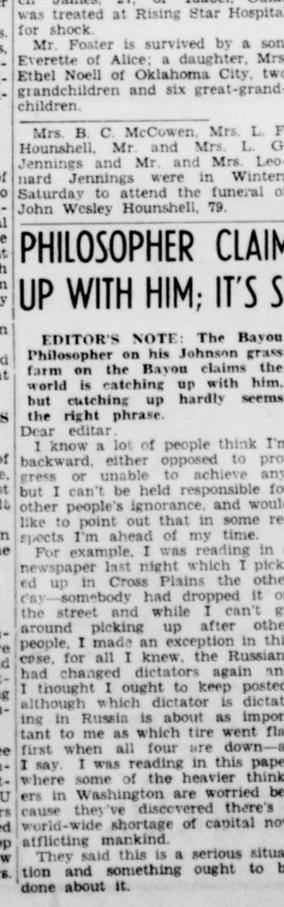
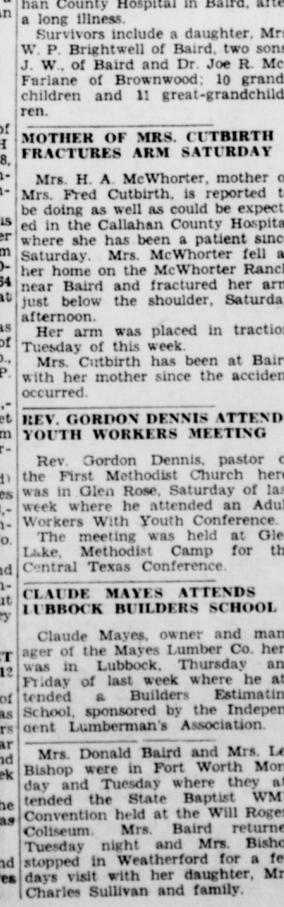
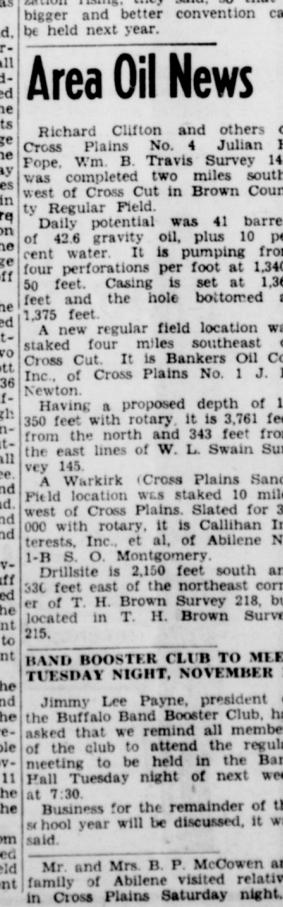
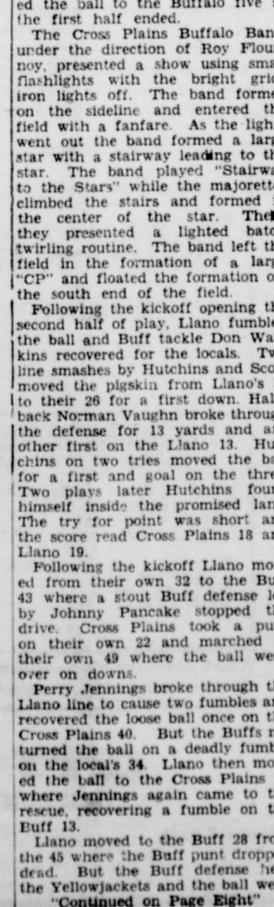
Burkett Soldier Is With First Cavalry In Korea

1ST CAV. DIV., Korea (AHTNC)—Army Specialist Third Class Carl D. Boyle, whose wife, Florence, lives in Burlington, N. C., is a member of the 1st Cavalry Division in Korea. The division, previously in Japan, has absorbed all units of the 24th Infantry Division in Korea, since the latter's recent deactivation.

Specialist Boyle, formerly of the 24th, is a gunner in Battery A of the division's 52d Field Artillery Battalion. He entered the Army in 1943 and was last stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C. Boyle was graduated from Burkett High School. His mother, Mrs. Rosa L. Boyle, lives in Boron, Calif.

E. M. Pancake and L. W. Pancake were in Gatesville Thursday of last week to attend funeral services for Ed. Jones, brother-in-law of E. M. Pancake.

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MISS 1957 CHRISTMAS SEAL—Carolyn Calvert of Austin, Miss Texas of 1957, aids her mother, Mrs. Robert W. Calvert, in preparing Christmas Seals for mailing over Texas. Mrs. Calvert is a long-time member of the board of the Texas Tuberculosis Association, and she and her daughter have spent many past pre-Christmas seasons working with Christmas Seals. Miss Calvert is the first named Miss Christmas Seal of Texas, adding another title to her previously acquired Miss Texas title.

Prussic Acid Can Be Dangerous to Livestock

College Station.—The time of the year is approaching when cattle owners should be warned that Johnson grass or sorghum after a frost is sometimes extremely high in prussic acid content and is very dangerous to livestock.

When wilted by frost or drought, certain chemical changes sometimes occur in the plant and it develops a content of prussic acid, or hydrocyanic acid, says Dr. C. M. Patterson, extension veterinarian.

The poison acts quickly, and can kill an animal within a short time after the damaged plant has been eaten.

Symptoms described by the veterinarian include an appearance of nervousness, difficult breathing, and difficulty in standing. Whether a poisoned animal can be saved depends upon how quickly a veterinarian can get to it. Treatment involves injecting antidotes directly into the blood stream.

Young plants will develop more prussic acid than those approaching maturity, points out Patterson. The leaves will contain from three to 25 times more acid than corresponding portions of the stalk in plants in the boot stage. The upper, younger leaves will contain more acid than the lower leaves.

Frosted or drought stricken Johnson grass or sorghum should not be grazed until it is completely dry, advises the veterinarian. If Johnson grass or sorghum is ready to cut before a frost, it may be cut during the first day after the frost and used for hay if care is taken to see that it is completely cured before baling.

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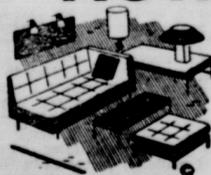
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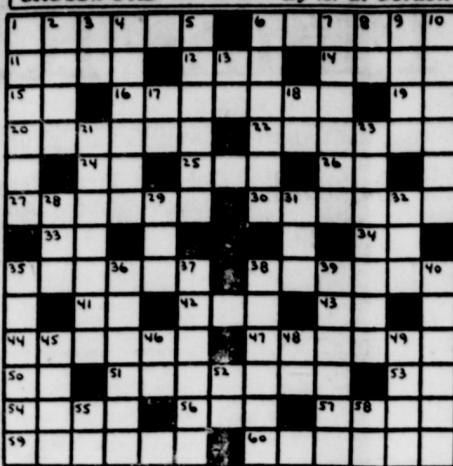
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 - 20 - Lived like the birdies live
 - 22 - Light talk
 - 24 - Pronoun
 - 25 - Decorate the inner man
 - 26 - Everyone individually (abb.)
 - 27 - Side-stepped
 - 30 - Equine chair
 - 33 - Measure of area
 - 34 - Greek letter
 - 35 - Hold in port
 - 36 - Meets
 - 41 - Aerial train
 - 42 - An envoy of state (abb.)
 - 43 - Boy's nickname
 - 44 - To gush
 - 47 - To stir
 - 50 - Pronoun
 - 51 - Produces force
 - 53 - Theoretical
 - 54 - To declaim
 - 56 - A whisky
 - 57 - Assuage
 - 59 - Obliterates
 - 60 - Instant
- DOWN**
- 1 - Get even
 - 2 - Appraise
 - 3 - U.S. state (abb.)
 - 4 - Flashed with success
 - 6 - Adjust
 - 7 - Stationed
 - 8 - Boy's nickname
 - 9 - Frost
 - 10 - meal course
 - 13 - Greek letter
 - 17 - Neon (chem.)
 - 18 - Music note
 - 21 - Livelier
 - 23 - Junior frog
 - 28 - Those at the front
 - 29 - Go astray
 - 31 - Be indisposed
 - 32 - Aflame
 - 35 - Make certain
 - 36 - Chooses
 - 37 - Tilters
 - 38 - Dumshushes
 - 39 - Slipped backward
 - 40 - Make melancholy
 - 45 - Former Russian ruler
 - 46 - Argon (chem.)
 - 48 - Periodic En. (abb.)
 - 49 - Winner by
 - 52 - Yes vote
 - 55 - Sodium (chem.)
 - 58 - Public notice

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Do You Remember?...

November 6, 1957

Registration for gasoline rationing will get underway in Cross Plains November 12 and continue through the fourteenth, however, automobile owners are going to be asked to register the first day in so far as is conveniently possible.

The George R. Neels now have three sons and a son-in-law under the nation's colors. All have been volunteers. Harlie B. Neel is now a mechanic technician in the ground corps of the U. S. Army Air Force; R. W. (Dub) Neel is a hospital attendant second class and is stationed with the American fleet somewhere below the equator and across the international date-line, presumably in the vicinity of the Solomon Islands; Kermit Neel recently enlisted in the Navy and is now undergoing training and Donald M. Weaver, husband of the former Miss Bobye Neel, is an aviation cadet now in training to become a pilot in the United States Army.

After a two weeks recess to permit students to help harvest peanuts, Pioneer school is to re-open Monday morning.

Misses Lucille Adams and Princy Lou Henderson, student nurses in the Wichita Falls General Hospital, spent Saturday to Monday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Henderson. Burkett News.

Marion Jennings has been hired to drive the school bus formerly driven by Merrel Burkett who will be inducted in the Army Friday. Among the others that will be inducted in the Army are Jesse Holman and Clarence Porter. Burkett News.

Barney Klutts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Klutts of Cross Plains, is reported to be recovering nicely in Arizona where he underwent an operation for the removal of a ruptured appendix last week.

Miss Madeline McAnally of Cross Plains, a student in John Tarleton Agricultural College at Stephenville, has recently been signal-honored. She has been appointed battalion sponsor for the second battalion of the JTAC cadet corps. Madeline also enjoys the distinction of having been an honor student at the Stephenville college ever since enrolling.

Mrs. Joe Baum has returned to her home four miles west of Cross Plains from a trip to New Mexico, where she visited in the home of two of her sons and their families.

George Swan, early day Cross Plains merchant, died in an Amarillo hospital Saturday morning after an illness of several days.

Mrs. Orville Reece of Scranton, who underwent an operation at Abilene recently, is recuperating in the home of her mother, here, Mrs. Annie Brashear. Atwell News.

Complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Soc Walker, who resigned their positions in Cross Plains High School this week, the Senior Class and teachers of the local high school entertained with a farewell party Monday evening, November 2.

The Halloween Carnival held last Saturday night left the Cross Grammar School with a broad smile and a fat purse, or at least a fatter purse. Jo Nell Dunlap was successful in the queen's race.

Mrs. Howard Strahan and Mrs. Walker Respass entertained the Junior Girl's Auxiliary of the Baptist Church with a "hobo" party on Monday evening, October 26, from 7:30 to 9:00 o'clock.

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Fire of undetermined origin totally destroyed the C. D. Baird gin, six miles west of Cross Plains, about seven o'clock Thursday morning. The loss of several thousands of dollars was only partially covered by insurance.

Weighing heavy loads became a real problem in Cross Plains this week when all but one large weighing device was closed down by a representative of the state department of weights and measures. The public scales, closed last week, remain condemned.

Mrs. Elizabeth Huber, 70, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Reed, here Saturday morn-

ing at 8 o'clock after an illness of more than a year.

Alton Clark and family of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark of Olney arrived Sunday night to be at the bedside of Mrs. Luke Clark who has been seriously ill. Cross Cut News.

Mrs. W. A. Williams complimented her husband with a surprise birthday party and five tables of "42" at her home Thursday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lu Allen and daughters drove up to Cisco Sunday afternoon to get Miss Ina Meadows who arrived from Los Angeles, Calif. Miss Meadows is Mrs. Allen's sister, Nimrod News.

Mrs. Bob Cunningham entertained members of the Sewing Club at her home Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Neeb left the first of the week for Brownwood to make their home. Harry Neeb remained here to complete his senior year in Cross Plains High School.

Led by line ramming fullback Lloyd Flahie, Cross Plains High School Buffaloes pelted the Moezelle Mustangs 39 to nothing in a district 25-B football game here Friday night.

The Good-Will Quilting Club met Thursday of last week at the home of Mrs. H. S. Varner and quilted five quilts for Mrs. S. A. Moore. There were 28 ladies present. They will meet there again this week and quilt for Mrs. J. H. Strahan, Cottonwood News.

There was a shower given to Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Fowler Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Worthy. They received quite a number of useful gifts. They had the misfortune to get their home burned Wednesday of last week. Cottonwood News.

L. W. Westerman is recovering from injuries sustained in an automobile wreck east of Cisco Friday night.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the following who donated blood for our son before he underwent surgery Oct. 31: Reuben McCowen, Dwayne Phillips, B. B. and Lois Young, Fay and Lorraine Merrill, Robert and Ina Stout, Nelwm Young, James A. Stout, Jess Upton, A. F. Hernandez and Loneta Herendt. Also we want everyone who volunteered to give blood to know that we appreciate your kindness so much. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Merrill

Miss Billie Helen McMillan returned to Howard Payne College Thursday night after spending a few days at home with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Walker of Rankin and Clyde Walker of San Angelo visited in the V. C. Walker home over the week end.

Cross Plains Review — 2

Football Highlights Will Be Televised By Humble

Highlights from four football games played by Southwest Conference teams will be featured Tuesday night on The Humble Company's Football Review.

Kern Tips will describe the highlights taken from the Texas A&M-SMU Arkansas-Rice, Baylor-Texas, and Texas Tech-Tulsa games.

In addition, the program will show TCU's key play, the screened pass, the fundamentals of end play demonstrated by members of the Rice team, and a look back at the 1948 SMU-Arkansas game.

On Tuesday, Nov. 12, "Football Review" can be seen over KRBC-TV, Abilene, 9:30 p.m.

Terry Watkins, a North Texas State College student, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watkins, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Milford Reynolds and family, all of Dallas, spent the week end with Mrs. W. P. Armstrong and Alma.

Thursday, November 7, 1957

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morris daughter, Melody, of Fort visited relatives here over the end.

Mrs. Zelma Austin and Sam Joe of Kermit were visiting and Mrs. N. L. Dillard and the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Pano Phillips were week end visit the home of her mother, M. C. Billingsley.

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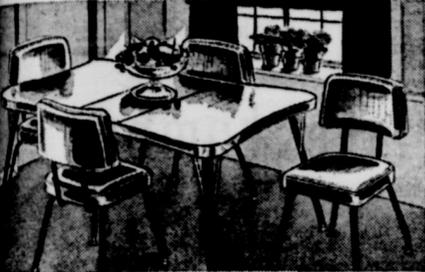
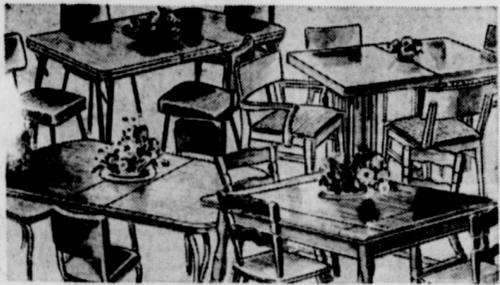
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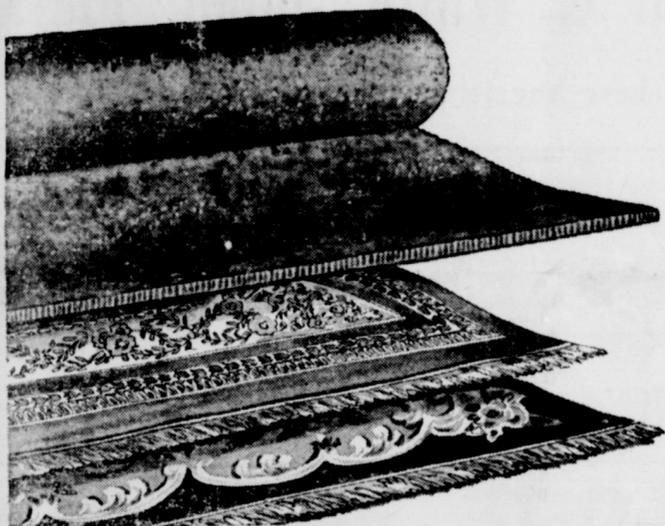
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Atwell News

By Mrs. Alton Tatam

Well, it's still raining this Monday morning. We have had one inch. Farmers are happy to have the moisture on the grain but it is bad for the peanuts and combine feeds.

Clint Brashear had an unfortunate accident Friday. While working on a fence, a stick struck him just under the eye. Six stitches were required to close the cut, but he is very fortunate his eye was not damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Ball and children returned to their home in Pueblo, Colorado last week after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewes. Mrs. Ball is the former Elia Mae Hewes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle and Leola visited Pat at Waco the past week end and we are happy to report that he was able to return home with them for a 15 day leave.

Rev. H. B. Dawdy from Howard Payne College, Brownwood, preached at the Baptist Church Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rouse.

The flu is still in our community. Mackey Morgan is one of the victims that is in bed and several others are able to be up but are still very weak.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatam, Beverly and Kim visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd at Cross Cut Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rouse visited Doris and Eddie Fae and families in Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin and children of Hobbs, New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pillans of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rouse Friday.

Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Dee A. Bennett and young son of Oil Center, New Mexico, and Weldon Bennett of Jal, New Mexico, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bennett and family last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fulton of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton Saturday.

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

Mrs. Naomi Ellis and daughter, Kathy Jo, of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers Saturday.

Robert Foller of Baird attended the Halloween musical Thursday night here at the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harrison of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. Bates Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Woody and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Woody Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Myrick and son of Abilene spent Saturday night with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick.

Miss Minnie Lois Woody and Kathy Jo of San Angelo were at home Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Woody.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Joy were called to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Sunday morning by the illness of their granddaughter, Shirley Lou Purvis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Purvis.

H. S. Varner received word last week of the illness of his daughter, Mrs. R. F. Arvin of Baird, while Mr. and Mrs. Arvin are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Russell Warren in Tucson, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Sandifer visited his parents in Wheeler County over the week end.

Mrs. R. S. Peavy visited in Andrews Thursday of last week with her son, Oran and family, and Friday she visited in Odessa with her granddaughters, Sheryl and Jerry Peavy.

Mrs. Hattie Lacy has returned home after spending several weeks in Dallas where she underwent surgery. While recuperating she visited in the home of her sons, Harlon Lacy and family in Dallas, and also with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lacy at Lampasas.

Charley E. Jones of Alice and Mrs. J. W. Alexander of Lampasas visited their sister, Mrs. J. B. Riffe and husband, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Mr. Jones also visited his brother, Guy Jones of Wyoming, who is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones at Leuders.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobby were in Stephenville Sunday where they attended funeral services for her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Marr, at 4 o'clock in the First Baptist Church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan, Mrs. W. L. Bryan and Mrs. J. H. McElroy visited with relatives in Abilene Sunday afternoon. Shannon Bryan returned home with them after visiting in Abilene since Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hobby and family of Abilene visited in Cross Plains Saturday night with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobby.

Mr. and Mrs. George Webb Jr. and baby of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and family of Rising Star were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foster and family the week end of the 26th.

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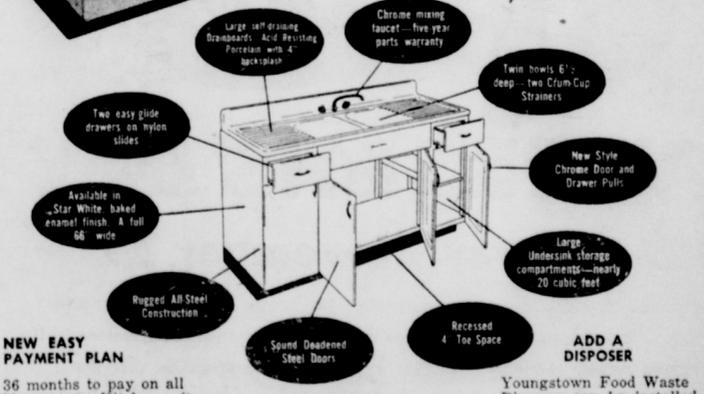
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Rowden News

By MRS. BERNARD CROW

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary and Audrey attended the football game at Cross Plains, Friday night.

John Adair has returned to his home here after spending several days in the Rising Star Hospital, following surgery.

Mrs. B. Crow visited Mrs. Voncille Gibbs Wednesday afternoon.

Wylie Smedley visited his father, Noah Smedley, at Merkel, Sunday.

Mrs. Weldon Gary visited Mrs. George Sadler, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary spent Sunday night with her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow. A large attendance enjoyed the barbecue at the Rowden Community Center, Tuesday night. This supper was sponsored by the Farm Bureau. Mrs. Annie Bowers is sick and has been in the hospital at Baird, but is now at home and doing better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. McCowen and daughter returned to their home in Carlsbad, New Mexico Wednesday after visiting here for a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley McCowen and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyle and children of Howe visited from Tuesday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall, and at Eureka with relatives. The Howe school had been closed for the week due to so many cases of flu.

Baptist YWA Girls Hold Meeting Tuesday, Nov. 5

The Winona Treadwell Young Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 5, at 3:45, at the church. The opening prayer was given by Joan McNutt and group sang the YWA song, "Oh Zion Haste."

The president, Anita Baugh, presided during the business session. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Janie Schaffner and the treasurer's report was given by Joan McNutt. The Community Mission Chairman, Betty Wyatt, reported on the October and November projects.

"Three Knocks in the Night," the program from the YWA Window, was given by Vondean Walters, Anita Baugh, Joan McNutt and Janie Schaffner. The program was closed with a song and prayer for the missionaries on the prayer calendar.

The YWA manual was studied under the direction of Mrs. Lindsey Tyson.

Present at the meeting were: Anita Baugh, Joan McNutt, Vondean Walters, Betty Wyatt, Janie Schaffner; one visitor, Earlene Falkner, and YWA Counselor, Mrs. Tyson.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 12, at the church.

Fidelis Matrons Sunday School Class Has Social

Members of the Fidelis Matrons Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church held their regular social in the home of Mrs. J. P. McCord Tuesday night of last week with Mmes. Peyton Smith, Otis Purvis, Norrell Long and Vernon Falkner as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Ralph McNeel, a long-time member of the class, who left Sunday for Fort Worth where she is to be employed by the Department of Public Welfare, was honored by the members and presented with a gift.

Mrs. Peyton Smith, class president, opened the meeting and Mrs. Leila Foster was in charge of the devotional.

Following a short business meeting the meeting was closed with prayer by a guest, Mrs. V. D. Walters. During the social hour, Mrs. McCord directed a Bible quiz.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie with whipped cream, coffee and Coca-Colas were served to the following: Mmes. H. P. Moon, A. Webb, V. C. Walters, Leila Foster, W. T. Cox, O. B. Edmondson, A. J. McCuin, Ralph McNeel, L. P. Foster, Lucille Rich, T. J. Garrett, John McFerrin, and Chester Glover.

Miss Lynda King of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King, the past week end.

Miss Bonita McCowen of Abilene spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley McCowen.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS



Brownie Troop No. 4 met last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. O. B. Furtune and Mrs. Sam Lane, leader and assistant leader, in charge. After a brief business meeting, the troop spent a very busy hour making Halloween masks fashionably out of paper bags. They started "loot bags" also to use Halloween night but time ran out before they were completed so the girls finished them at home.

A perfect attendance was recorded. Peggy Lane served delicious cup cake which she made, and punch to all present.

The Brownie Scout Troop 5 met Friday of last week with Vanda Anderson, president, presiding.

During the business meeting plans were made for making candy at the next meeting. The meeting was closed with a game and their Friendship Circle.

Attending the meeting were: Vanda Anderson, Carolyn Tunnell, Terry Baum, Meritza Hefner, Alicia Newberry, Betty Purvis, Garnet McGowan, Kathy Gregg, LaNeal Dillard, Dolores Stewart, Peggy Erwin and Mrs. Jack Tunnell and Mrs. Harold Garrett.

The Girl Scouts met Thursday, October 24. Miss Browning told us that we would have to take two pictures of objects, two pictures of Girl Scout activities and two pictures of town activities.

We went to Mickey Freeman's house to take pictures.

Mrs. Freeman served apples to the following members: Linda Whitton, Jackie Holt, Gwin Holbrook, Sue Edington, Karen Calhoun, Mickey Freeman and Becky Baird.

TEL Sunday School Class Entertained By Mrs. Neeb

Members of the TEL Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. J. B. Neeb Friday, November 1, for their monthly social.

The meeting was called to order by the class president, Mrs. L. W. Westerman. Mrs. Annie Bishop offered the opening prayer and the theme song "Blest Be The Tie That Binds" was sung. Mrs. Ira Hall brought the devotional from the 103 Psalm.

During the business meeting the minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. W. R. Thompson and Mrs. Henry Williams gave the treasurer's report.

Bible questions and readings were given during the social hour, and the class presented the hostess, Mrs. Neeb, with a gift expressing their love for her.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. S. G. Jones, Annie Bishop, L. W. Westerman, W. R. Thompson, Henry Williams, Ira Hall, Jess Dunlap, A. Abbot, F. C. Newton, Lydia Robbns, Charles Proctor and Tom Lee.

Army Needs Recruits for Foreign Gyroscope Units

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Replacements for Gyroscope units in Europe are needed to fill existing vacancies. These units include the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment, 534th Field Artillery Battalion (155 HSP), 55th Field Artillery Battalion (8" HT), 168th Engineer Battalion (C), 714th Tank Battalion, 126th Transportation Corps Company (Med Trk), and 320th Engineer Company (Topo Corps).

Upon completion of basic and advanced training, the enlistee will join his chosen unit in Europe.

Only young men without prior service will be accepted to fill the existing vacancies. Applicants must possess high mental and physical qualifications.

While in Europe, enlistees will have the opportunity for sightseeing, visiting the Vatican in Rome, skiing in Switzerland, touring the Scottish countryside, and visiting famous museums and national shrines.

Those who are interested in enlisting for assignment with one of the Gyroscope units with travel to Europe are urged to act as soon as possible. Terminal dates for enlistment vary between November 15 and January 15. In order not to miss out on the unit desired, see the U. S. Army Recruiter, Master Sergeant Leonard E. Evans, immediately. His office is located at the post office building, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Page and baby of San Angelo spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jowers.

Miss Cynthia McCuin was home from Hardin-Simmons University the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pancake and family were here from Odessa over the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pancake.

In most cases processing time on your claim will be shortened if you write the social security office and find out what information is needed before you go in to file.

Granddaughter of Local Couple Married Oct. 20

Wedding vows were exchanged at 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 20, in the Sipe Springs Baptist Church by Miss Janis Marie Jackson and James C. Lain. Rev. William E. Noel officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jackson of Sipe Springs and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lain of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Chess W. Barr of Cross Plains are grandparents of the bride and attended the wedding.

Miss Anna Collier of Goldthwaite and Stephenville was maid of honor and Mr. Dale Lain of Hamlin was best man. Mr. David Jackson of Wichita Falls and Mr. Ernest Glazner of Anson were ushers.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

The couple will make their home at 521 North Belmont, Odessa, Texas.

Cottonwood 4-H Club to Meet Monday, Nov. 11

The Cottonwood 4-H Club will have its regular meeting at the Cottonwood Community Center Monday night, Nov. 11, according to Edgar H. Albrecht, reporter of the club.

All members are urged to be present as new officers will be elected.

Persons who are drawing social security checks and are not age 72 all the year are required to file an Annual Report at the end of any year in which they work and earn over \$1,200.

Persons under 72 drawing social security benefits should notify the Social Security office as soon as they determine their total earnings for the calendar year will be over \$1,200.

Read the Want Ads

PAY TAXES NOW

Payments made before February 1, will not be subject to additional fees for interest and penalties, and to accommodate property owners this office has mailed statement of 1957 taxes.

POLL TAXES

Don't forget that if you wish to vote during 1958, your Poll Tax must be paid before Feb. 1, 1958. 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 . . .

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VETERANS' DAY

Monday, November 11

On June 1, 1954, the name "Armistice Day" was changed to Veterans' Day, so as to honor all men and women who served America in its armed forces. Monday, Nov. 11, we salute the courageous veterans who helped preserve our priceless heritage of freedom and democracy, resolved to make our nation strong and peaceful, and keep faith with those we honor.

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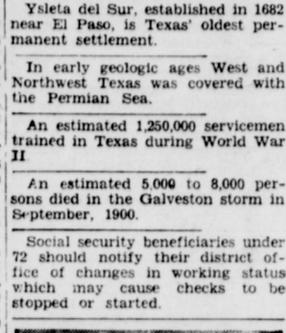
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SCOT GAINS BRING HOPE TO WILDLIFE

SAN ANTONIO—Activation of a rank-and-file sponsored wildlife conservation headquarters has been justified in its first nine months of operation, Cecil Reid of Austin, Executive Secretary of the Sportsmen's Clubs of Texas, told the Alamo Kiwanis Club here.

He said SCOT "has provided a generally stimulating affect" on wildlife affairs and has been instrumental in "broadening the entire approach to proper conservation of our natural resources."

"SCOT's state headquarters," said Reid, "were conceived under shotgun circumstances last winter in a crash move to help crystallize public sentiment toward salvaging the then threatened public administration of wildlife affairs."

"Through SCOT's statewide educational influence, the Game and Fish Commission not only was spread further enforced retrenchments but was provided with a re-financing program that bodes well

Nation's Top Men Named To Produce Rodeo At The Fat Stock Show

FORT WORTH—The 1958 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show rodeo will be produced by two of the nation's top men in the hooves-n-horns circuit.

Verne Elliott, who for more than 30 years has put on the Fort Worth rodeo, will work with a new partner, Harry Knight of Fowler, Colo., to produce the 1958 show Jan. 24 through Feb. 2.

Elliott, who lives in Platteville, Colo., recently bought a quarter interest in the Cremer Rodeo Company, which also is owned by Knight and Gene Autry, Western movie and television star. Knight, once a champion rodeo bronc rider, and Autry purchased the famed Cremer rodeo stock several years ago.

In addition to the Fort Worth Show, the Cremer Company was signed to produce the annual Madison Square Garden Rodeo in New York, the Boston Gardens Rodeo in Boston and the International Exposition rodeo at Chicago this year.

The Fort Worth rodeo will feature Annie Oakley, the singing, riding and shootin' heroine of television.

for the present as well as future generations."

Reid told the Kiwanians that despite substantial early gains in wildlife conservation, the big target has not yet been dented. "It would be like bragging we had shot down Sputnik with a sling-shot to claim our objectives have been conquered," he quipped.

Long range conservation impetus is being accelerated "all along the line," said SCOT's Executive Secretary, "yet we already see some immediate dividends for the deserving sportsmen."

He listed among these "early meat commitments" the projected series of public hunting areas jointly sponsored by the famous King Ranch and SCOT.

Reid emphasized that "probably the greatest factor in our building for the future of Texas Wildlife is SCOT's technical committee." "This celebrated group comprises some of the nation's top scientists and is the only such committee in existence," he said.

"This committee presently is concerned with counseling the existing wildlife administration agencies," he added, "but is giving equal emphasis to the long haul by using its vast background and experience to make wildlife management sufficiently lucrative to attract the trained talent now so sorely needed."

COUNTY AGENT'S NOTES

The Fifth Annual Eastland County Pecan Show at Cisco, Dec. 6 and 7 is open to growers in Eastland and adjoining counties according to Oscar Schaefer, Cook, President of the County Pecan Growers Association.

The pecan growers organization together with the Cisco Chamber of Commerce will jointly sponsor the show.

Pecan growers with only one tree are eligible to show their nuts the same as the grower with a large orchard, Schaefer said. Each owner is limited to one entry of each papershell or improved variety of pecans.

Rules and regulations, classes and premiums were recently worked out according to Schaefer by Doss Alexander, Pioneer; B. B. Freeman, Ranger; and Kent Word, Cisco, along with County Agricultural Agent J. M. Cooper.

Cash premiums will be paid for the first two places in each class provided there are at least three entries in the class.

Classes of improved varieties are expected to be seen in the following: Burkett, Mahan, Western Schley, Texas Prolific, Eastern Schley, Kincaid, Barton, Stuart, Cemanche, Success, Van Deman, Jersey, Williamson, Delmas, Curtis, Onilwon, San Saba Improved, Halbert, John Garner and Squirrels Delight.

There will be classes for the seedlings and for the new Government cross pecans that growers are testing out. Judges will be from Texas A&M College. The show will be in the Home Supply Bldg. in Cisco.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Foster are vacationing in Louisiana and Mississippi this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitton and family were visiting in Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Souder and daughter of Abilene visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wright.

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Mrs. J. D. Riley and daughters of Abilene visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Flippen, Danny and Carolyn of Andrews visited in the Joe Fleming home over the week end.

Mrs. Tom R. Adams was here from Odessa over the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Burkett and family and Johnny Wood, all of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bush Sunday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to each and everyone who gave blood and stood by during my operation while in the hospital and since my return home, also for all the food and other deeds of kindness shown all of us by each and everyone. Especially do we thank Dr. Sohns for his service. May God bless each of you is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dillard mother, Mrs. Ella Dillard.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Rich of Grand Prairie have been visiting friends and relatives here the past week.

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Whatever your "lure," it's recommended that you drop it close to an old tree. Then be sure you mark the spot. And not on the side of your boat, either. DID YOU KNOW?—Old fishermen never die, they just smell that way. Coney Island got its name from the many "conies"—or wild rabbits—found on the Island. The starfish eats oysters in the shell. It pulls the bivalve open with its suction tentacles, then turns its own stomach inside out to digest the treat. "Bullfrog" refers to a specific species of a large frog. The sex of the animal is not involved in the name. Therefore the female also is a bullfrog. The Giant Water Bug carries his unborn on his back, where they have been placed by the female. Not all crows are black. The Clark's crow, named after the explorer of the Lewis and Clark expedition, is a gray and white bird, with black trimmings. According to Government experts, the annual value of a single blacksnake is approximately \$3.75 in rodent control. Any hunter's wife can tell you that a bird in the hand is worth about \$12 a pound. Glenda Yarbrough of Abilene spent the week end at home.

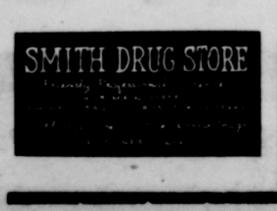
What About Baits? Fishermen wonder, at one another, what the other is using as bait. Here's the bait successfully used by 29 different fishermen last year in landing good strings of various parts of Texas: Six good strings on minnows; two on Hellbenders; one on plugs. The remaining 23 on a Rod and White Pico; a Shyster Spinner, Blood Chugger. Success also was reported with fishermen with small hooks with oatmeal. It is reported to show that you can catch with any kind of bait, now where to fish and how to catch them. Come and Get It! Every fisherman has a "fishin' hole" that he favors over all others. The really ambitious fisherman "sets up" the hole to attract fish so that the big boys are in for a strike. Many different ways do you tempt fish into the lair? A fisherman tells us he wraps a bale of alfalfa hay in wire (about 2-inch mesh) with a rock, and on a cable almost to the bottom of the lake. The other end of the cable he attaches to his boat, so that he can haul the fish when necessary. A veteran follows the same method except he fills a towsack

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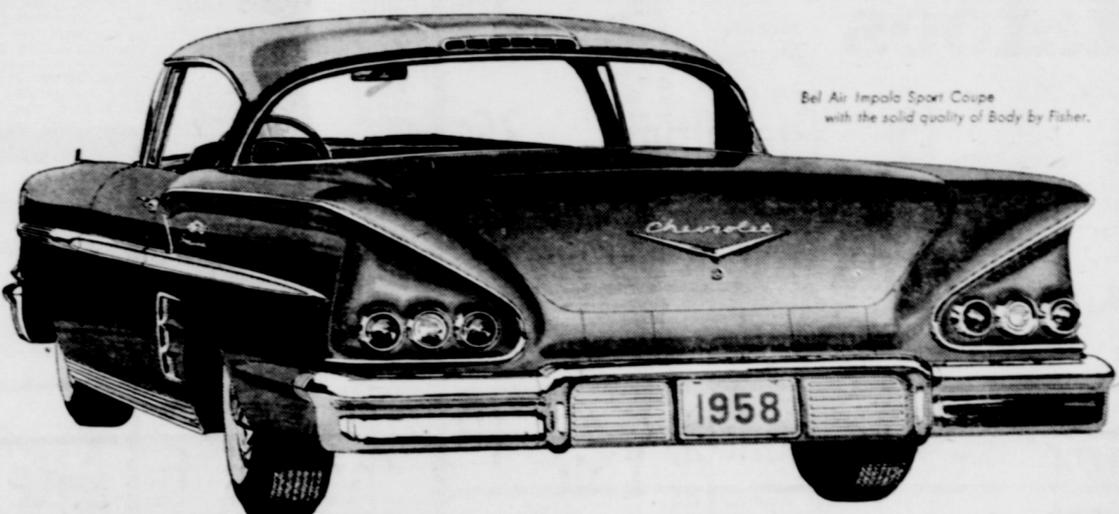
Max Watson and Curtis Karr of Seymour, both students at Tarleton State College, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson over the week end. Mrs. R. T. Peavy, daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Peavy of this city, is a patient at Hendrick Memorial Hospital this week undergoing a medical check-up. Weldon Newton and Carl McCord of Texas A&M College and Charles McCord, a student at Tarleton State College, spent the week end at home.

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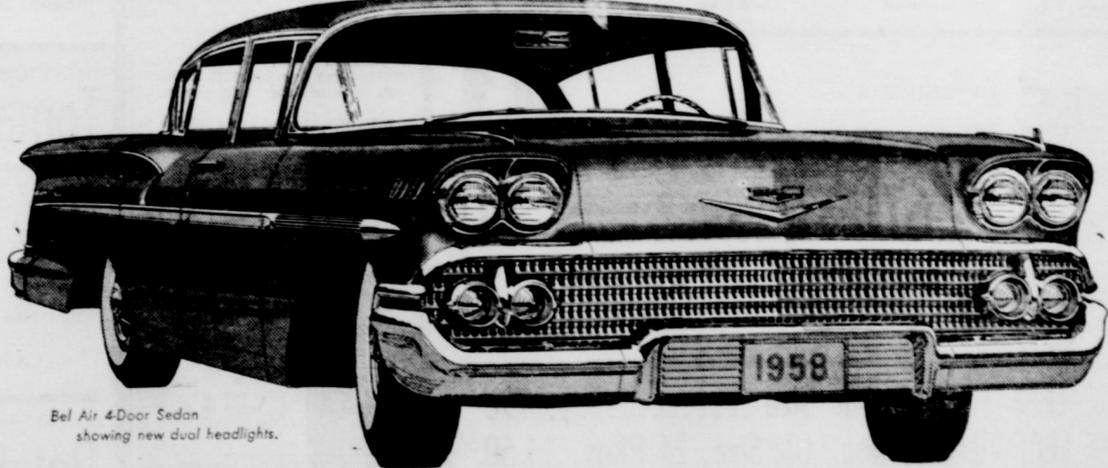
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BUFFS LOSE TO LLANO

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over on downs. Cross Plains moved the ball from the 28 in their end of the field to the visitors 13 in nine plays a drive covering 59 yards. But Llano's Anderson was not intercepted a Buff aerial and returned it to the Buff 25 to stop the locals desperation drive. Llano kept possession of the ball for the remaining two minutes to end the game.

STORY IN FIGURES

Cross Plains	Llano
18 first downs	10
236 yards rushing	261
74 yards passing	44
5 of 16 passes complete	1 of 2
0 intercepted by	3
7 for 40 penalties	7 for 65
3 fumbles lost	5
3 for 27 punts average	3 for 29

SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4
Cross Plains	0	12	6	0
Llano	19	0	0	0

DISTRICT 9-A Season Standings

Team	W	L	T	Pts	Opp
Mason	7	0	1	338	155 28
Llano	6	2	0	750	239 105
Goldthwaite	5	4	0	556	137 120
Santa Anna	4	4	0	500	141 87
Cross Plains	3	5	0	375	100 147
Rising Star	0	7	0	000	50 206

Last Week's Results
Llano 19, Cross Plains 18; Goldthwaite 40, Rising Star 6; Bronte 14, Santa Anna 13; Mason: Open Date.
This Week's Schedule
Cross Plains at Mason.
Santa Anna at Llano.
Gorman at Rising Star (Non-District).
Goldthwaite: Open Date.

Home Builders Can Get Finance Help

Prospective home buyers and builders in small communities and members of minority groups will greatly increase their prospects of obtaining financing for their homes if they make use of the facilities offered by the Voluntary Home Mortgage Credit Program, Housing Administrator Albert M. Cole said today.

"In spite of the tight money market, the new 5 1/2 per cent interest rate on Federal Housing Administration loans is sufficiently attractive to enable VHMCP to obtain private financing to meet the needs of all qualified borrowers," Mr. Cole said.

In addition to being the Housing Administrator, Mr. Cole is also Chairman of the VHMCP's National Committee.

"The availability of funds coupled with the lowered down payments on FHA-insured mortgages," Mr. Cole added, "can result in quite a spurt in home building in small communities if prospective home buyers and home builders take advantage of the VHMCP's facilities."

VHMCP was established by Congress in 1954 to serve as a nationwide mortgage clearing house by bringing together persons who are unable to obtain FHA or VA financing for homes from local banks or lending institutions all over the country who are in the market for such mortgage loans.

Region XIII, which serves the States of Texas and New Mexico, has its office at 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas. Mr. C. J. Hermann, Executive Secretary in charge of the office, reports that 2,350 loans, totaling \$19,750,000.00, had been placed through August 15, 1957, with private lenders for the purchase or construction of private dwellings in these States. On a national basis, VHMCP placed 29,741 loans totaling \$275,422,929.00 with private lenders in the same period.

VHMCP's services are available to all persons in small communities and to members of minority groups anywhere. All applicants for obtaining home loans with VHMCP's assistance must certify that they have been denied loans by two local or reasonably accessible lending institutions.

Agricultural employers report social security for their employees only once a year—this annual tax report is filed with the Internal Revenue in January for the preceding year.

If you are drawing Social Security benefits and are paid over \$1,200 in 1957, you may be entitled to have your benefits refigured in January 1958.

Mrs. J. D. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Watt Scheiffer of Austin visited Mrs. W. T. Wilson Sunday.

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Employers Reminded To Report Workers

Employers of farm workers were reminded of their responsibilities under the provisions of the Social Security Act by C. M. Vaden, Jr., Field Representative of the Abilene Social Security office.

Anyone who is employed to do farm work is covered by the Social Security law if he: (1) receives wages of \$150 or more from any agricultural employer in a year, or (2) works 20 or more days in a year where his wages are figured on a time basis such as by the hour, or the day, rather than on a piece-work basis such as by the row, or the hundred pounds.

According to Vaden, the crew leader who furnishes and pays the workers in his crew is always the employer, unless the farmer and the crew leader have agreed in writing that the crew leader is the farmer's employer. When there is such a written agreement, the members of the crew, as well as the crew leader, are the farmer's employees.

The employer of farm workers should: (1) keep a record of each worker's name, social security number, and the amount each one earns, and (2) arrange to pay the social security tax of 4 1/2 per cent of the total covered wages; one half of the taxes may be deducted from the worker's pay. The taxes are payable to the Director of Internal Revenue in January of each year.

"It is from these annual reports which are filed by crew leaders and farm operators that workers receive credit for their earnings. These wage credits are the basis for a worker's retirement in his later years, or income to his family if he should die," Vaden explained.

Crew leaders, farmers, and their hired workers may get social security numbers or information about the insurance from the Abilene Social Security office. Additional information about social security taxes may be obtained from the Director of Internal Revenue.

Joe Howser of Odessa was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Howser, over the week end.

HOSPITAL NOTES

John Adair was released from the Rising Star Hospital Monday of this week where he had been a patient since undergoing surgery the first of last week. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

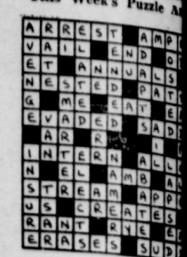
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cowan left Monday of this week for Fourtown where Mrs. Cowan has been admitted to the M. D. Anderson Hospital for surgery.

Friends here will be happy to learn that Mrs. C. F. Hise of Abilene, and formerly of this city, was released from Hendrick Memorial Hospital Monday of this week following surgery several days ago and is now at her home. Mrs. Melvin Placke of this city is staying with her parents.

Mrs. Claude Foster was released from the Callahan County Hospital in Baird Saturday and is now recuperating from surgery at her home here.

E. I. Vestal was admitted to Scott & White Hospital Sunday, where he underwent surgery Tuesday of this week. Vestal, who is with her mother, called to report Tuesday that he was getting along nicely in the operation. His room number is 360.

This Week's Puzzle



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