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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1960

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PHOTO SHOWS TEAM—Pfc. Benny Glover, sports writer and printer on the Cross Plains Review, is pictured above as he lines up the sights on an 81 mm mortar during field maneuvers of the Texas National Guard, now in training at Fort Hood. Standing with Glover, from left to right, are: M. Sgt. Rex Jones, SPC 4 Bob Burleson and Sgt. Pat Justice, all of Cleman. Other Cross Plains men in training at Fort Hood this week and last are: Johnny Baugh, Bill Freeman, James Oscar King, Jimmy Dewbre, Bill Mayes, Bobb Oliver, Norman Vaughn, Charles McCord, Jerry Huddleston, Vernon Baum and Paul Lane.

Utah School Named Test 'Pilot Program'

The school system has selected as one of 18 in the state to serve as a pilot school for the Texas Small Schools Project. The project has been under way since 1959. After a year of study it has gained momentum from the enthusiasm of the school administrators, the State Board of Education and the National Agency for the Study of Schools.

The Texas Small Schools Project is capitalizing on the experiences of the Rocky Mountain Project of Colorado, and the Catskill Area Project of New York.

The project purposes that each pilot school will experiment with techniques tested in the Rocky Mountain Project and the Catskill Area Project to strengthen its school program. Those techniques proven to be sound will be recommended for all small schools in Texas.

Policy formation and planning is carried on by the Small Schools Advisory Commission and the Texas Education Agency.

Some of the practices will include: experimentation in the development and use of new or different ways of organizing the school program; use of multiple classes; supervised correspondence study; and cooperative service programs.

1960 Is Driest Year Of Record

For the second time in 84 years, no rain fell in Cross Plains during June. This area has received only 1.84 in the past 60 days, and a total of but 3.65 for the first half of 1960.

The past six months have been among the driest in history.

Only other year in the past 84 in which no rainfall was recorded here was in 1954, one of the driest on record. The total rainfall that year was 15.14 however during the first six months of 1954, 9.38 inches fell here, .73 more than for the same period this year.

Farmers and ranchers are already feeling the effects of the prolonged dry weather. Pastures are parched, grain sorghums are suffering and supplies of stock water becoming alarmingly low in some localities.

Odessa Family Is Making Home Here

Junior Baugh, who has been employed as a truck mechanic in Odessa for the past several months, has moved his family to Cross Plains and he is now working at Johnston Truck and Supply Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Baugh and their two children, James Ray, 7, and Ethel Marie, 2, live in the southwest part of town, across the street from Worthy's Grocery and Station.

With the employment of Baugh, the staff at Johnston's firm rose to eight. Other than Dan Johnston, those employed at the concern are: Junior Ford, Richard Illingworth, Charles Waggoner, Perry Jennings, Billy Charles McMillan, Bill Rucker and Baugh.

DOYLE OLIVER ARRIVES IN NORNSBURG, GERMANY

Doyle Oliver, a 1959 graduate of Cross Plains High School and son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Oliver of this city, has reached Nornsburg, Germany, where he is serving with the 53rd Ordnance Company of the United States Army. Doyle entered military service for a two year tour of duty last January 11.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dallas and little daughter, Danielle, of Dallas, spent the long week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dallas and Doug here. They were joined in Cross Plains by her mother, Mrs. Alma Holmes and girls of Floydada. David is employed by Texas Instrument at Dallas.

Mrs. H. G. Barnett and Harriette and Jane of Snyder visited in the Doyle Cowan home Sunday night and in the Earl Barnett home Monday night.

POLITELY PUT . . .

By Porter

Some people are so constituted that they would rather lose a friend than an argument.

Local Businessmen Do Planning Ahead

July's sultry heat did not prevent Cross Plains business and professional men from thinking of Christmas Tuesday.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, held in the basement of the First Methodist Church, plans were discussed for the annual yuletide party held on the streets of Cross Plains. L. F. Foster was named head of a committee to begin now plans for an improved Christmas party. Named to the committee with Foster were V. L. Hobdy and Jack Tunnell.

Regular monthly luncheons of the Chamber of Commerce are held the first Tuesday noon of each month.

Pioneer's Former Students To Meet

Ace Hickman, president, and Mrs. Sam Eakin, secretary, are laying plans for increased attendance and new program features at the annual reunion of former students of Pioneer schools, to be held August 11.

A display which is expected to prove popular with former students will be pictures of as many student bodies as are obtainable. Already photographs have been secured of the years of: 1899, 1907, '08, '09, '10, '13 and '30. Mrs. Eakin, the former Grace Curry, has requested additional pictures be sent her for use at the reunion.

The Pioneer reunion is set this year one day before the annual gathering of Callahan County Old Settlers to be held in Cross Plains. Officers of the ex-student group point out that they arranged the scheduling with the thought that some former residents of this area would like to return at a time when they could attend both events.

LL Champion Will Be Settled Friday

Last ditch fights will be waged by Little League baseball teams here Friday night, and upon the outcome of two games will hang the fate of a champion for this summer's play.

Either the presently-leading Cats, managed by Lloyd Boyle and Gene Rhodes, or the Buffs, tutored by D. C. Jones and Doug Dallas, can win it. Only the percentage difference between a tie game and a victory separate the two contenders.

Little League play here the past week was highlighted by two unexpected happenings. Last Friday night saw the first forfeited game in three years of play. Clay Kinnard and Jimmy Gilmore's Truckers were forced to award a game to the Buffs when a sufficient number of their squadmen failed to arrive for play when an umpire cried "Play Ball".

Other surprise of the week was the continuation of winning ways demonstrated by the cellar-dwelling Pillrollers, managed by Bob Latson and J. T. Myers. By defeating both the Truckers and the high-flying Cats the P. R.'s upped their standing .94 percentage points.

In Friday night's contest, the Truckers forfeited to the Buffs and the Pillrollers trimmed the Cats 13 to 10. Tuesday night's card saw the Pills lace the Truckers 7 to 5, and the Cats humble the Buffs 8 to 1.

In the last games of the Little League season to be played Friday night, the Buffs will take on the Pillrollers in the first contest and the Cats and Truckers vie in the finale, ringing down the curtain on what many say has been the most spectacular season of LL baseball in Cross Plains.

Present standings of teams:
Teams W L T Per.
Cats 10 6 1 .617
Buffs 10 7 0 .588
Truckers 8 8 1 .500
Pillrollers 5 12 0 .294

ROWDEN MEETING TO CLOSE SUNDAY NIGHT

A 10 day revival meeting now in progress at the Rowden Baptist Church will close Sunday night. The preaching is being done by Rev. M. O. Row, pastor of the Broadway Baptist Church in Abilene. Frank O'Banion of San Antonio is leading the singing.

Story Of Giant Snake Proves To Be Big Lie

Big liars are given national recognition each year. Their fabrications become front page news.

Candidates for the top award of 1950 may be two Latin-American youths, who spread the tall tale of a monstrous size rattlesnake reportedly killed in New Mexico.

The whole story has now been proved a hoax.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dillard of Cross Plains who were in New Mexico over the week end, returned with a complete account of how the story got started.

A New Mexican big game hunter recently died and among his possessions was a stuffed reptile of the boa family. His widow, tired of look-

ing at the ugly specimen, discarded it. The stuffed snake was found by the two youths, who envisioned publicity and fame. They are reported to have rubbed calf brains on the snake's skin to give it a fresh look and then to have made up the story of it roaring instead of the conventional hissing or rattling.

Mrs. W. O. Edgington of Albuquerque ended the 'snake story' by her announcement she discarded the snake skin from a cabin in Roswell.

The Latin-Americans had originally claimed the snake was some 16 feet long, weighed an estimated 300 pounds and was as large in diameter as a telephone pole.

The story spread far and wide.

Tomato, Potato Or Seed Pod, Is Dead

The strange potato vine in the L. M. (Fred) Purvis garden has done its do. The plant, which had potatoes on its roots and something resembling small tomatoes growing from its foliage, has been pulled. The "tomatoes" quit growing after reaching the size of a grape and appeared to be dying.

Agronomists have said the above ground growth on the vine is a seed pod and not a tomato. O. B. Edmondson, local agriculture instructor, this week occurred in the identification. To the garden owner, however, and to a Review writer the designation of "dogged tomato" seemed accurate.

Leaky Taps Waste Money Says Mayor

How much can a leaky commode increase a water bill?

There are many answers to that question, however, it is known that one meter registered 70,000 gallons recently, when the householders were gone from home and all hydrants off for 30 days. The commode, however, was left running a full stream. The cost was \$42.

Members of the City Council in session Tuesday night point out that leaks inside the house, as well as those to behind meters are the responsibility of consumers. To prevent excessive bills, Mayor Ted Souder, speaking for the board of aldermen, yesterday urged that lines be checked and all dripping taps and leaky faucets be repaired.

"We can not make adjustment in bills for failure on the part of consumers to keep serviceable lines and hydrants," he said "our responsibility is to provide water and we are making a serious effort, spending a great deal of money to provide uninterrupted service; good business demands that collections be made for all water metered to a consumer."

People Here Asked To Attend Meeting

Instead of prairie schooners, trailer houses and pitched tents will be the ensemble at an authentic religious camp meeting at Jim Ned, 22 miles south of Abilene, beginning Sunday evening, July 17. It will follow the annual Jim Ned Old Settlers Reunion earlier in the day. Cross Plains people have been invited.

The camp meeting, designed to reach the unsaved and revive the slothful Christians will be interdenominational. It is layman sponsored and preachers of several evangelical denominations will alternate in program activities. One or two evangelists will be assigned to the preaching. Services will be held daily at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. preceded by old-fashioned "grove" prayer meetings for groups of several ages.

The meeting will be held on the site of the first Methodist church in West Central Texas. A circular saw from an East Texas timber mill brought here in the late 1870's and used to summon worshippers to the brush arbor meeting, will be used again to call to the main services.

4 RECENT GIFTS FOR FIREMEN TOTAL \$110

Four contributions were recently made to Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department. The gifts, totaling \$110, were in appreciation for help in extinguishing recent grass fires.

Donors and amounts were as follows: Webb Ranch \$25, Charley Howard Edgington \$25, Bill Kilgore \$35 and E. C. Byrd \$25.

WILDCAT OIL VENTURE STARTED IN CALLAHAN

A wildcat oil venture has been staked in Callahan County.

The test will be W. B. Omohundro and L. A. Hedrick of Wichita Falls No. 1 H. R. Seale Estate, 13 miles south of Baird. Slated for 3,750 feet with rotary, it spots 1,482 feet from north and 2,713 feet from west lines of Section 10, Blk 3, T&P Survey.

Free Swim Lessons Offered Next Week

A free public service is being offered boys and girls of the Cross Plains area.

A four-car caravan has been organized to transport youngsters to and from Brownwood all next week, where they may receive free swimming lessons. The instruction will include both swimming and Red Cross life saving lessons.

The caravan will leave the First Methodist Church at 6:30 Monday through Friday of next week. Adults volunteering the transportation are leaders in the Cub Scout and Campfire Girls program here.

Mrs. McAnally, 68, Dies In Big Spring

Mrs. Roy L. McAnally, 68, resident of Cross Plains, who died last week in a Big Spring hospital, was laid to rest in the Brown Ranch Cemetery of Coleman County last Thursday afternoon. Rites were conducted by Jack Hale, minister of the Santa Anna Church of Christ.

Mrs. McAnally was born Aug. 28, 1891, in Houston County. She was married to Roy L. McAnally Aug. 29, 1911. The family resided in Burkett until moving to Cross Plains in 1954.

Survivors are her husband; two sons, J. R. McAnally of Kermit and C. A. McAnally of Irran; four sisters, Mrs. L. A. Kile of Coleman, Mrs. Ruby Hamilton and Mrs. Nita Snider, both of Fisk, and Mrs. Anna Haney of Independence, Mo.; five brothers, Claud McQueen and Henry McQueen, both of Fisk, Lum McQueen of Gruver, Will McQueen of Corpus Christi, and Glenn McQueen of Andrews; and five grandchildren.

Lewis T. Nordyke Authors New Book

Lewis T. Nordyke, former Cottonwood man and well-known author, is publishing a new book, entitled "Nubbin Ridge". The volume is due to be released Sept. 30.

"Nubbin Ridge" is a non-fiction story with a Callahan County setting. It deals with the communities of Turkey Creek and Cottonwood, makes mention of Cross Plains, Baird and other nearby towns. Many residents of this county are said to be characters in the book.

After finishing school at Cottonwood, Nordyke entered John Barleton at Stephenville. He later finished the University of Missouri. His career as a working newspaperman includes jobs with the Stephenville Empire-Tribune, the Amarillo News-Globe and the Associated Press. As a free lance writer he has been a frequent contributor to the Saturday Evening Post and Reader's Digest. His best-known work is a book entitled "Cattle Empire", a historical account of the fabulous XIT ranch.

Cards of Thanks, 75c

Official Measurements of Rainfall Here In Past 10 Years

| Month | 1950 | 1951 | 1952 | 1953 | 1954 | 1955 | 1956 | 1957 | 1958 | 1959 | 1960 |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| January | 1.07 | 0.00 | 0.34 | 0.00 | 0.71 | 1.39 | 1.65 | 0.36 | 1.35 | 0.00 | 2.85 |
| February | 0.27 | 0.91 | 0.30 | 0.40 | 0.30 | 1.71 | 1.28 | 1.85 | 2.01 | 0.56 | 2.30 |
| March | 0.12 | 0.94 | 1.30 | 3.75 | 0.75 | 0.21 | 0.30 | 1.26 | 1.55 | 0.30 | 0.00 |
| April | 2.13 | 1.55 | 2.60 | 1.20 | 4.51 | 1.17 | 5.55 | 7.40 | 3.60 | 1.63 | 1.76 |
| May | 6.82 | 4.20 | 3.37 | 4.25 | 3.11 | 3.08 | 2.25 | 9.50 | 3.10 | 3.27 | 1.84 |
| June | 3.60 | 3.88 | 0.30 | 3.00 | 0.00 | 2.65 | 0.22 | 3.46 | 1.50 | 5.37 | 0.00 |
| July | 3.02 | 0.81 | 0.10 | 2.52 | 0.25 | 3.47 | 0.00 | 0.13 | 2.00 | 4.09 | |
| August | 1.26 | 0.76 | 0.25 | 2.28 | 0.50 | 2.72 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 2.00 | 0.93 | |
| September | 1.38 | 0.71 | 1.65 | 0.15 | 0.00 | 0.25 | 0.00 | 4.07 | 2.78 | 1.32 | |
| October | 0.36 | 1.97 | 0.00 | 5.87 | 2.01 | 2.30 | 2.45 | 5.66 | 2.36 | 5.17 | |
| November | 0.00 | 0.00 | 3.12 | 0.48 | 2.50 | 0.00 | 2.35 | 4.90 | 2.21 | 0.63 | |
| December | 0.00 | 0.00 | 1.40 | 0.28 | 0.50 | 0.53 | 1.95 | 1.00 | 0.25 | 4.01 | |
| Total | 20.03 | 15.73 | 14.73 | 24.18 | 15.14 | 19.46 | 18.01 | 38.58 | 24.71 | 27.30 | |

Ten Year Average Rainfall: 21.78 Normal Rainfall Here: 24.54

Above figures taken from official recordings made by S. F. Bond, observer here for the United States Weather Bureau.



This is an aerial view of one of the attractive rural homes of the Cross Plains area. The place is that of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hargrove and is located four miles north of Cross Plains. The house is only a short distance west of the Cross Plains to Cottonwood pavement.

BIRTHDAY STRIP

- July 7:
Donnie Neal Dillard
- July 8:
Martha Baum
Jerry Huddleston
Mrs. August Garlitz
- July 9:
James Earl Cowan
Betty Browning
- July 10:
Connie Breeding
- July 11:
Jacquelin Holt
Edna Burkett
- July 12:
Doris Sheppard
Larry Melton
W. T. (Dub) McClure
- July 13:
Danny Keller
Sandie Penn

Local Woman Weds Man From Abilene

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Mrs. Bertha Smith of this city and Harry F. Millard of Abilene. The ceremony was solemnized June 17 in Cisco with Rev. E. J. Blackwell, pastor of the United Pentecostal Church officiating.

The bridegroom is employed by the Abilene public school system, and the couple will spend part time in that city and the remainder in Cross Plains.

Mr. Millard's daughter is a well-known television personality. She played the part of "Mandy" in the People's Choice program, starring Jackie Cooper. She is now playing in the popular western feature, "Tate" on N. B. C.

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Comparative School Report

| | ADA | Valuation Assessed | Local Tax Maint. | Bond Retire. | Total Tax |
|--------------|------|--------------------|------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Cross Plains | 503 | \$ 3,500,000 | \$1.00 | \$.50 | \$1.50 |
| Clyde* | 537 | 2,538,000 | 1.40 | .65 | 2.05 |
| Baird* | 369 | 3,600,000 | 1.00 | .50 | 1.50 |
| Rising Star | 319 | 1,836,000 | 1.25 | .25 | 1.50 |
| Albany* | 534 | 10,200,000 | 1.20 | .58 | 1.78 |
| Coleman | 1251 | 7,552,000 | 1.22 | .48 | 1.70 |
| Santa Anna | 420 | 4,046,000 | 1.25 | .25 | 1.50 |
| Eastland* | 693 | 5,242,000 | 1.00 | .50 | 1.50 |
| Throckmorton | 363 | 10,000,000 | 1.25 | .25 | 1.50 |
| Scranton | 116 | 433,682 | 1.30 | .73 | 2.03 |

* Tax increases set for ensuing year

lished a store on the old Comanche Trail. The store was later designated as a post office, and the first mail carrier was John Archer who rode the route from Brownwood to Byrd's as a pony expressman.

In 1886, S. R. Windham willed five acres of land on the banks of Pecan Bayou for a school church and cemetery. He constructed a log school house, which bore the name Windham School.

When Brown County was organized, an election was held to select a county seat. Byrd's Store lost to Brownwood by one vote.

Following the election, Byrd's turned almost entirely to ranching. There was ample water and grass and cattlemen moved into the area in such large numbers that the land was overstocked. Native homesteaders found themselves without grass and resorted to the then new invention of barbed wire. This action ruined grazing for non-property owners and started the first "Brown County Barbed Wire War." Captain Scott and his company of Texas Rangers was finally brought in to settle the issue and avert open hostilities.

Byrd's Store has remained in operation continuously since 1870, changing ownership many times. When Brownwood Lake

was built in 1932 the locality became one of the popular fishing spots on lake, and fly rods and artificial baits are now the primary items of sale in a store which once featured calico and horseshoe nails and ammunition for frontier rifles.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones, Shawnee, Okla., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. Mrs. Truett Jones in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carter and Miss Jean Bonner of N. M. and attended the long week end in Brownwood.

Descendants of the late settlers in the Cross Plains area held their family reunion at Paint Rock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Byrd, children of Corpus Christi, here over the week end with in the home of her parents, and Mrs. Hugh McDermott, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd, at Cross Plains. Children remained with Byrds for a longer stay.

FOR and AGAINST



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BY **BILLY JAMES HARGIS, D.D.**
FOUNDER CHRISTIAN CRUSADE

The National Council's Peace Propaganda

Herbert A. Philbrick, former FBI undercover agent in the Communist Party wrote an extremely important article early this year which was published in the February and March issues of News and Views, published by the Church League of America located in Wheaton, Illinois. This article was entitled, "World Order Study Conference—Moscow's Mouthpiece." Most readers probably remember that this was the National Council-sponsored meeting held in Cleveland during November 1958 which called for American surrender to communist demands that Red China be recognized and advised our nation to "avoid . . . general hostility" towards the communist conspiracy.

National Council of Churches' leaders are promoting the propaganda which came out of this Fifth World Order Study Conference under a program called the "Nationwide Program of Education and Action for Peace." Mr. Philbrick said that the basic material used consists of 15 pieces, including two 64-page booklets. Herbert A. Philbrick has been a student of communist propaganda for more than 20 years. At first he was victimized and duped into joining a so-called "Christian" youth organization with "peace" propaganda, and later worked his way into the Communist Party at the request of the FBI. Over the years he has given particular attention to studying Communism's "peace" offensive to disarm and defeat the United States.

On the basis of his first-hand knowledge of the communist conspiracy and subsequent study, Herbert Philbrick had this to say about the National Council of Churches' peace campaign being conducted in connection with the 1958 World Order Study Conference: ". . . the 'peace' propaganda now being distributed to the local churches by the National Council of Churches is, in my opinion, the slickest, neatest, trickiest, and the most insidious I have ever seen. On every fundamental issue it agrees with the current line of Soviet foreign policy . . . to untangle the massive distortions of fact—and the Study Material is loaded with them—would take at least a thousand-page volume to expose adequately, unravel, and explain."

Obviously, we could not begin to unravel this clever propaganda in such a brief column. Just remember these tips. A major phase of the current communist conspiracy line is their "peace" offensive which is designed to disarm and defeat the United States. Negotiations are a tactic of war to the communists. They have no intention of living up to any agreement with our nation, and the disarmament which they seek is one-sided disarmament of America. Oppose this evil propaganda with all your strength and patriotism if it comes through your church.

Address your questions to Dr. Hargis at P.O. Box 977, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

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Sedimentation Reported Low In Brownwood Lake

Sedimentation in Lake Brownwood has been favorably reduced following application of a conservation program on 66% of the watershed. This information was revealed by a sedimentation survey requested by the Brown-Mills SCD and made jointly by the Soil Conservation Service and Brown County Improvement District No. 1. The survey was started in August, 1959, and completed early this year according to E. J. Hughes, Area Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service at Brownwood.

Since catching the first water in July, 1932, Lake Brownwood has lost 13,962 acre feet of water storage capacity to sedimentation, it was learned. When completed in 1932, the lake capacity was established at 149,925 acre feet. By 1940, according to a survey of that year, the reservoir had been reduced to 145,720 acre feet which amounted to a loss in storage capacity of 4,205 acre feet or an annual average of 553 acre feet during the first 8 years. Almost 20 years later, the 1959 water storage capacity was found to have diminished another 9,759 acre feet or an average of 498 acre feet per year. The lake was found to be silting up at the rate of 0.37% per year during the first 8 years and has been reduced to 0.34% from February 1940 survey to the recent August 1959 study, both being made by the Soil Conservation Service. The latter survey showed the lake has lost 9.3% of the original capacity during the 27-year study.

Distribution of sediment over the reservoir varies greatly as was determined by soundings made at 71 segment data ranges strategically located over the lake. The greatest capacity loss due to sedimentation was found to occur at and near the confluence of unprotected streams. Hog Creek which empties into the reservoir just east of Byrds Store has lost over 58% of the original capacity, while a sounding immediately north of the State Park headquarters had lost less than 1% in storage capacity.

Soil Conservation Districts covering the Jim Ned and Pecan Bayou Watersheds above the lake have contributed immeasurably to the application of a going conservation land treatment program, Hughes states. Conservation treatment on lands in the water shed is carried out under Soil Conservation Districts including the Central Colorado, Brown-Mills, Lower Clear Fork, Middle Clear Fork, Runnels and Upper Leon. These Districts are assisted by Soil Conservation Service Work Units at Coleman, Brownwood, Baird, Abilene Ballinger and Rising Star.

The Work Units of the Soil Conservation Service have assisted farmers and ranchers in preparing 1550 Soil and Water Conservation plans on about 650,000 acres or 66% of the 980,864 acre lake watershed. Rangeland in the six Soil Conservation Districts comprising the watershed has, in general, a good hydrologic cover for control of soil erosion and about 65% of the cropland is presently being cropped to small grain and perennial grasses, the survey revealed.

In addition to the Conservation land treatment program in the watershed that is needed for soil erosion control and profitable farming and ranching, floodwater retarding structures are being planned to protect

flood plains, cities, roads, bridges and downstream reservoirs. To date, the Brown-Mills, Central Colorado and Middle Clear Fork Soil Conserva-

tion Districts with the assistance of the Soil Conservation Service have planned 44 flood-water retarding structures on the Jim Ned and 12 on Turkey Creek. The Upper Pecan Bayou and Lake Brownwood laterals would require an estimated 35 additional retarding structures for needed protection against sedimentation and downstream flooding.

Byrd's Store Nearly Became The City Brownwood Now Is

On the banks of the Bayou at the mouth of Hog Creek, is one of the best known fishing sites on Lake Brownwood.

It's Byrd's Store, a rock building which houses a general store, and several cabins.

To look at it, fishermen would think the store was started to accommodate sportsmen. However, Byrd's Store was one of the first communities in Brown County and its history dates back to 1864, 13 years before the organization of Callahan County. It was once a strong contender for the county seat of Brown County. In fact Byrd's Store lost to Brownwood by a single vote in an election to choose the site of the county government.

The story of Byrd's, traced through children of the late Dr. J. D. Windham, shows that the little village was once the home of many prominent West Texans and played a vital role in the early day history of this section.

Dr. Windham, one of the

state's earlier physicians and the second to come to Brown County, brought his eight children to Byrd's Store in 1864. Another son, S. R. Windham, returned there after the civil war and reared seven children. Early day families in the Byrd's Store area were the families of Dr. J. D. Windham, S. R. Windham, Dave Anderson, Bill Goddard, Charlie Lane, Jim Rogers, John McPeters, Sam Innis, Martin Byrd, L. P. and Merg Baugh and George Graham.

In about 1885 Indians raided the Byrd's Store area, stealing most of the horses. Men of the community joined together and overtook the raiders, recovering all of their horses and probably a few others for their trouble, according to oldest accounts.

To protect themselves against the Indians, Martin Byrd was selected from the early settlers to make trips to Fort Worth by ox-cart and bring back guns and ammunition. He made several trips up to 1870, when he estab-



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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

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Burkett

MRS. MERRELL BURKETT

Someone is invited to attend regular monthly Community Center this night. Bring two covers and enjoy the evening with friends and neighbors. Burkett family reunion next week end, July 15, 17 at the Kirkland Boat on Lake Brownwood. Members of the family and others are expected to be from over the state. Mrs. Joe Everett of Aransas Pass, former of Burkett, are parents of Mark Allen, born Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Cross is the baby's great mother. Boyle underwent a check-up at a Brownwood hospital last week. Services are pending Opal Thomas of Coleman.

man who passed away early Tuesday morning at her home in Coleman after a lengthy illness. She was the daughter of Mrs. Ava Bell Oliver and sister of Mrs. Earl Brown, both of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burkett visited Mrs. Carmileta Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Kay Jackson and family, all of Cisco, Sunday. Mrs. Elmer Biehl and Jerry spent the past week in Artesia, N. M., where they attended the wedding of the Biehl's older son, Roy.

Luther Porter spent last week in the hospital at Coleman. Mrs. Carrie Cross and Mrs. Pearl Miles returned home last week after being gone about two weeks. Mrs. Cross had been visiting the J. E. Burkett's of Aransas Pass and Mrs. Miles visited relatives at May and Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Harris are visiting the Grady Glenn Harris family at Aransas Pass. Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Adams and daughter, Debby, and Mrs. Hattie Adams spent Sunday in

MRS. J. G. SAUNDERS AND PHAE TO ABILENE

After 39 years in Cross Plains, Mrs. J. G. Saunders and daughter, Phae, have moved to near Abilene. Phae will attend Gail Business College.

Their new home is a mile and one-half northwest of Potosi. Their new address is Abilene route 2.

Eddy Bradley of Rising Star visited friends here one afternoon last week.

Guests in the V. I. Spivey home over the Fourth were his father, Jeff Spivey, of San Angelo, and his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Harvey of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Foster returned to their home here Sunday from a two week's vacation through the Old South. They visited six states other than Texas.

Clyde with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate and Mrs. Ethel Tabor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan spent Monday at the Coleman Lake Park. Other members of their family that met them there were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Morgan and family of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Morgan of Santa Anna, J. C. Campbell, and Mrs. Jackson and two children, Harvey and Hal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker and Charlotte of San Angelo visited relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Graham and granddaughter, Connie Lou Graham, of Eastland, visited their daughter, Mrs. Cecil Harr and family Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Key and family of Midland spent the holiday week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Evans. The children, Allen, Connie and Pam are staying over until the 13th when they will be back on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Barr and son of New Mexico spent the holiday week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. McKinney and in Cross Plains with his relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Walker of Lampasas spent the holiday skiing with Mr. and Mrs. Gilder Adams at Lake Brownwood.

Jerry Strickland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strickland, is a patient in Overall Hospital suffering with a severe internal injury to the nose. He was accidentally hit on the nose one evening last week while he and his brothers were playing baseball at their home.

Linda Sue Holland of Denver City is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Alva Holland while her parents are in Brownwood with her other grandmother, Mrs. Bill Byrd, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Gill of San Marcos spent the holiday week end here with her mother, Mrs. Emma Golson.

Cross Cut

By MRS. LES BYRD

Mrs. Jimmy Windham was honored with a pink and blue shower at the Community Center last Monday afternoon from 3:00 to 5:00 o'clock. Hostesses were Mrs. Hollis Kellar, Mrs. O. B. Byrd, Mrs. Lewis Newton, Mrs. Elvie Byrd and Mrs. Les Byrd. She received many useful and pretty gifts. Refreshments were served to eighteen ladies.

Mrs. Myra Gregg and Kathy of Abilene, and J. T. Prater and daughter, Wanda of Wink, spent the fourth of July holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Prater.

Our children from Corpus Christi, Hoyt, Toody, Judy and Alan Neil were home over the week end. Hoyt and Toody will return to Corpus Tuesday morning and Judy and Alan Neil will stay a couple of weeks with us and the Hugh McDermetts at Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Melton and children spent two days on Lake Brownwood during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watkins and Keith and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitton and Jim of Cross Plains spent the fourth of July holidays on the Llano River fishing.

O. B. Byrd Jr. spent last week in Graham visiting his aunt.

Jake Byrd of Maryneal visited Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Byrd and Lawrence, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richardson and baby went to Odessa Saturday and carried Howard and Ronnie Hubbard home after a months visiting here. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newton of College Station and Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Newton and children of Clyde visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton through the holidays.

O. B. Byrd has returned home from the Plains where he was combining grain for several days.

We sat on our front lawn and watched the fireworks at Lake Brownwood Monday night. It was very pretty to see.

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Reunion Of Thorn Family On Sunday

Descendants of the late Rev. and Mrs. T. C. Thorn, early-day settlers of the Cross Plains area, met in the home of a grandson, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Thorn and daughters, Becky and Kay, at Eden Sunday for their first family reunion.

Those registering were: Mr. and Mrs. Flem Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Johnson, Diane and Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Walker, Randy and Sue, all of Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Fleming and Chunk Thorn of Putnam; Mr. and Mrs. Charnel Harlow, Mrs. Wid Harlow, Billie Ruth Harlow and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hamilton, of Abilene; Mr.

and Mrs. W. T. Thorn of Paint Rock.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harlow, Ann and Charles, of McCamey, W. C. Harlow, Sharon and Billy of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harlow of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barton and Janie of San Angelo, and Major and Mrs. Grady Carbel, Linda and Tommie of Sacramento, Calif.

Jane Bonner has returned to North Texas State College at Denton after spending the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner here. Jane was a bridesmaid in the wedding of Miss Billie Helen McMillan and James F. Abraham in Big Spring Saturday.

Typewriter Ribbons. The Review

Pack Meeting Set Saturday Evening

Regular monthly Pack meeting of Cross Plains Cub Scouts will be held Saturday night at the City Park. Watermelons will be sliced and served to everyone present.

A special feature of this month's Pack meeting will be the awarding of badges to Cubs for recent achievements. Parents and all Cub Scouts are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Whitley of Pilot Point spent the week end in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Settle in Cross Plains.



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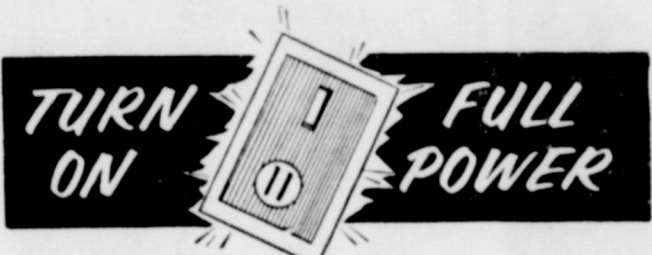


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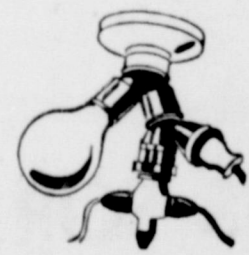
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By HAZEL I. RESPES

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Edwards and two children, Lynn and Joan, of Arlington, visited Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton over the week end.

Those who visited Rev. and Mrs. Myrick Saturday and Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Bigbee and children of Telephone, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hughes and two children of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Myrick and son of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Weaver and daughter of Houston visited in the Weaver home Saturday.

Bryan Bennett has been ill the first of the week with a heart ailment.

Mrs. W. B. Gilliland attended a wedding in Abilene Saturday night of a grandson of Walter Phillips.

Those who visited in the Respass home over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Grady G. Respass of Sweetwater, Mrs. Wendell Willis and two children of Denver Colo.

Mrs. Floyd Woody and children of Florida visited Mr. and Mrs. Kim B. Robbins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Brownville and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Coffey of Dallas visited Sunday with Mrs. J. F. Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gillet of Baird came down Thursday of last week. He is former mail carrier of Star route.

Mrs. D. Van Pelt visited her sister, Mrs. Jesse Sparks and family, Thursday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schaffer and two children of Tyler visited his mother, Mrs. Herman Heine, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard have bought Mrs. W. O. Peevy's place and are cleaning up in preparation to move in.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moseley of West and her brother, Van Peters of Waco, were week end visitors here in the home of their cousin, Mrs. Pearl Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnel Clark and family of Dallas are spending this week vacationing at Lake Brownwood and visiting his mother, Mrs. Jeff Clark and his sister, Mrs. Pat McNeel, Jr. here.



Miss Billie Helen McMillan And James Abraham Wed

Miss Billie Helen McMillan became the bride of James Frederick Abraham of Utica, N. Y., in afternoon rites held at the Webb Air Force Base in Big Spring Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Exal D. McMillan of Cross Plains are parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Charles Abraham of Utica, N. Y.

The Rev. Beazley St. Thomas read the double ring rites.

Nuptial music was by Mrs. William P. Brooks of Dallas, organist.

Maid of honor was Anne Etheridge of Covina, Calif. Jane Bonner of Cross Plains was bridesmaid. They wore faulle sheaths with net overskirt, matching shoes and headbands.

Short white gloves completed their costume. Miss Etheridge's costume was violet, Miss Bonner's lilac. Both attendants carried cascade arrangements of white carnations.

Brian Bootel of Philadelphia, Pa., was best man. Dr. Billy W. Sandefer of Evansville, Ind., was groomsmen. Ushers were Bill Montgomery of Maryland and Dr. Al Arnie of Franklin, Ky.

Something old was a pair of pearl earrings. Something new was the bridal attire. Something borrowed was a white Bible, belonging to Mrs. Jim Bouldin. Something blue was the traditional blue garter. In her slippers the bride had good luck pennies.

Reception following the wedding was at the Desert Sands Restaurant. Mary Camp registered guests and Mrs. Sandefer

CHEER LEADERS HERE WILL ATTEND SCHOOL

Cross Plains High School cheer leaders will attend a special training course at Southern Methodist University in Dallas from August 7 to 12.

Girls who will attend the school are: Martha Baum, head cheer leader; Brenda Pennell; Sandra Illingworth and Barbara Purvis.

8 YEAR OLD GIRL AT HOME AFTER SURGERY

Little Miss Marie Williams, eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ollis Williams who live north of Cross Plains, was returned to her home this week from Fort Worth where she recently underwent surgery at Saint Joseph's Hospital. Marie's many friends will be delighted to learn that she is recovering rapidly.

and Mrs. Billie McClure served. For a wedding trip to Niagara Falls the bride chose a white linen sheath with black jacket. Accessories were black and white and she wore an orchid corsage.

Upon their return, the couple will reside at 304 Johnson, Big Spring.

The bride is a graduate of Cross Plains High School and attended Howard Payne College at Brownwood. She is employed by Cosden Petroleum Corp., Big Spring.

The bridegroom was graduated from Utica Catholic Academy at Utica and is a member of the Knights of Columbus. He is presently stationed at Webb AFB.

The rehearsal dinner was held at the Desert Sands Restaurant in Big Spring Friday evening. Gifts were presented to the attendants by the bride and groom. 21 people were in attendance. The head table was decorated with a center-piece of orchids and white gladioluses.

Mrs. Judd Barnett was hostess at a 10 o'clock breakfast at the Desert Sands Saturday morning for the bride, her mother, the groom's mother and sister, and friends of the groom's family, as well as Mrs. J. L. Bonner and Jane.

Atwell

BY MRS. ALTON TATOM

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Griffith spent a night last week with Mr. Black and Vee enroute to California.

Rain measuring .7 fell over this community Tuesday night and early Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuff Hutchins and children and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis attended the Reed reunion at Cottonwood Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom visited in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady attended a reunion of the Deal family Sunday at Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton attended a Morton reunion at Abilene State Park Sunday.

Mr. Allen Ellis and Mr. Clyde Hutsel and sons from Athens, Tenn., visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, Beverly and Kim, were fishing on Lake Brownwood Monday.

Miss Peggy Draper of Slaton, and James and Randy Foster spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barclay at Brownwood. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and Stevie visited Sunday through Monday with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Brown and children from Jal. N. M., spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tuff Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis visited Monday in Putnam with Mrs. Mary Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hutchins from Lamesa and Mary Hutchins from Las Vegas, Nev., visited last week with relatives at Cross Plains and Atwell.

Mrs. Lela Foster and Gerald visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins Sunday afternoon.

—TO LATE TO CLASSIFY PUBLIC NOTICE: I will not responsible for debts other than those contracted by myself effective this date, July 5, 1960. A. T. Stewart, P. O. Box 82, Cross Plains, Texas. 14 4tp

WICHITA FALLS MAN BUYS DWELLING HERE
J. E. Robertson of Wichita Falls has purchased the dwelling formerly owned by Clara Foster in Cross Plains. The house is located on East 7th Street. Mr. Robertson is a Primitive Baptist minister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sipes and family of Ranger spent the Fourth of July week end visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Champion and baby of Sweetwater visited in the Doyle Cowan, T. Y. Woody and Calvin Champion comes here last week.

GARRETT SHETLAND 2nd AT BRADY EXHIBITION
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gen Cross Plains garnered a laurel with their entry in the Shetland Pony Show exhibition over the week end with the Brady Jubilee.

The Garrett entry took place in the 1959 stallions.

Mrs. Lee Cobb of Midland been visiting her mother, Silas Smith, in Cross Plains past several days. Mrs. Cobb whose husband recently passed away, says she will continue to reside in Midland.

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Personals

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Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobdy had as their guests here Friday, Saturday and Sunday, his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Hobdy, of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Overstreet and son of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mayes and Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy over the week end. They all went to Lake Brownwood, returning home late Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith attended the Fate Atwood reunion in Abilene Saturday. All of the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Atwood were present, as also were all of their grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newton of College Station spent the long week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton at Cross Cut and with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCuin in Cross Plains. Jay McCuin, who had been visiting in College Station, returned home with them.

Sabanno

By MRS. EDWIN ERWIN

Rev. and Mrs. Haskel Wilson and children were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey have returned home from a two weeks visit with their two daughters and their families in El Paso.

We have much sickness in our community. Mr. W. E. Lusk had surgery in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene last Saturday and reports received late Monday revealed that he was some better, but that he will be hospitalized for some time. Mrs. Gus Brandon entered St. Anns at Abilene Monday and will have surgery Wednesday. Oscar Pierce, formerly of Sabanno, who now lives in Cross Plains and is the father of Mrs. Dan Notgrass, had surgery at St. Anns Monday. We hope for all three, they'll soon be much better and back home, we miss them.

Mrs. W. S. McCann returned home from Dallas where she visited her mother and sisters, and their daughters. Mrs. McCann reports that her mother was some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Berle Lusk had a telephone call from Corpus Christi last Wednesday telling of the arrival of their first grandchild, little Mark Allen Burkett. He weighed seven pounds and one ounce. His mother is the former Sandra Lusk. Both the mother and baby are doing well. Congratulations to parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkett and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk and Mr. and Mrs. Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Casey are vacationing at San Saba with relatives and friends. They go on to Houston from there, where Mrs. Casey will enter Anderson hospital for a "check up".

J. L. King attended the family reunion of the Matthews family, his late wife's relatives. He was accompanied by three of his four daughters, Mrs. Jessie Lawrence Kelley and Mrs. Edna Claton Prater, both of Abilene and Mrs. Clovis Webb of Cisco. Mr. King visited with W. E. Lusk on his return trip home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheb McCannlis and Mr. and Mrs. Authur Erwin of Cisco visited in the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Switzer and children of Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer last week.

Mrs. Alta Harris of Abilene was a visitor here Tuesday.

PONY LEAGUERS PLAY AT EASTLAND FRIDAY

Cross Plains Pony Leaguers are to play Eastland there Friday night.

The Drillers journeyed to Ranger Tuesday night of this week, where they lost 10 to 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Newton and children of Clyde spent July 4 with relatives in the Cross Plains area.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Tunnell and son, Tommy, of Dallas, visited relatives and friends here over the week end.

NEWLY WEDS SET UP CROSS PLAINS HOME

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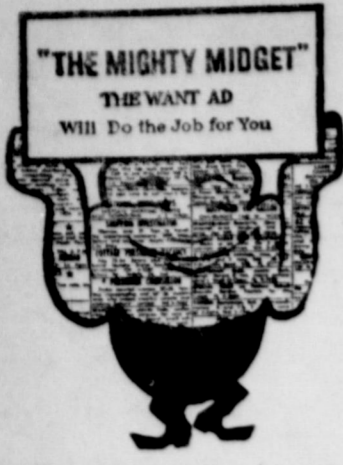
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Mrs. C. A. Stone and Madeline, and grand-children, of Spearman, relatives and friends and Brownwood birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Woody and family of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Floyd Woody and children of Green Cove, Fla., visited relatives and friends here last week.



TO BECOME NURSE — Miss Jerry Koenig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Koenig of Cross Plains, has been accepted for entrance into Tyler Eastern School of Nursing and will begin classes July 15.

Jerry, a recent Cross Plains High School graduate, was one of 40 selected from 60 applicants.

Cisco Pony Nine Wins Here 11-6

Cross Plains Pony Leaguers suffered a 11 to 6 defeat at the hands of Cisco here Thursday night, before one of the largest crowds of the season. The local nine got off to a five run lead in the first inning, however, the visitors began pecking away at the deficit and in the fifth inning went ahead 7 to 5.

Homeruns proved costly to the Drillers. The Ciscoans polled six round-trippers. Darrel Wyatt, Cross Plains shortstop, hit for the circuit to give the locals their only four-bagger of the game.

Cross Plains pitchers were Terry Dewbre, Walter Pope and C. D. Shields, with starter, Dewbre, absorbing the loss.

MAN KNOWN HERE IS BURIED AT MIDLAND

Lee Cobb died in Midland Wednesday. He was the husband of the former Miss Jewel Smith, daughter of Mrs. Silas Smith and the late Mr. Smith of Cross Plains. Burial was in a Midland cemetery.

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PHILOSOPHER CLAIMS HE KNOWS WHY TRUMAN WON'T GO TO L A CONVENTION

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou is getting set for the summer National Political Conventions, his letter this week indicates.

Dear editor:

A neighbor of mine who has been working sixteen hours a day so he can rest and take it easy possibly the last ten or twelve months of his life, had a flat on his car near my house yesterday morning and was working fast to get the spare on so he could rush on into town to get a part for his tractor so he could get back to work and I was standing there helping him, somewhat, at least I offered to help but he figured I'd be in the way, so he said "No thanks, you probably want to get back in your field and get on with your work. Here, take this newspaper. I understand you like to read em. I never have time to read one myself."

I didn't say anything, but I took the paper and went back home, not to my field, I don't need outside advice on how to run this farm, and sat down on the porch and read where Harry Truman isn't going to the Democratic Convention in Los Angeles.

This news, the article said,

stunned a lot of people, as Mr. Truman always has attended Democratic National Conventions. All the experts seemed baffled.

Regardless of what reason Mr. Truman gives for not going, I already know.

Him and me have discovered the best way to attend a political convention, prize fight, baseball game, summit conference, or any other sporting event is to lean back in an easy chair, prop your feet up, and watch it on television. Dodging traffic, fighting your way into the convention hall or baseball stadium, and trying to see around the man in front of you while somebody behind you is yelling in your ears . . . all that belongs to a bygone era and me and Mr. Truman are living in the 20th century. The only hitch in the set-up is that some day the delegates themselves may catch on, like baseball players already have, and refuse to go without a good salary, sick benefits, and retirement pay. Some people say some of the delegates in fact have already seen to these details, but I don't know anything about that.

Meanwhile, though, when the Democratic convention starts in Los Angeles, and the Republic-

SON-IN-LAW OF LOCAL LADY DIES AT DeLEON

C. B. Gregory, long time railroad man and son-in-law of Mrs. R. E. Wilson of Cross Plains, was buried Monday, June 27, in DeLeon, where the deceased and his family had lived many years.

Attending the funeral from Cross Plains were Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson and Dwayne Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond De-nere visited Dr. and Mrs. Joel Mayor in Kerrville over the week end.

George Morgan of Blooming Grove visited his cousin, G. E. (Ed) Morgan, in Cross Plains the past week. They attended the Annual Cowboys Reunion at Stamford, as has been their custom for a number of years.

an convention starts in Chicago, I'll be on hand, sitting comfortably at home on my Johnson grass farm out here, waiting to see which party really gets smart and writes a government-financed picture-tube replacement plank into its platform. That's one phase of the farm problem everybody seems to have overlooked.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Cemetery Gifts In June Are \$181.97

Contributions to Cross Plains Cemetery during June totaled \$181.97, it was reported yesterday by Dick Wagner, secretary.

"If gifts during July are generous," Wagner said, "we will soon have the cemetery in the best condition in many years; a little additional money is required to accomplish the things planned."

Donors last month were: Mrs. J. H. McDaniel \$5, Mr. and Mrs. Olney Walker \$1, Mr. and Mrs. Huel Moore \$1, M. L. Jones \$10, J. C. Champion \$3, Mrs. Ed Henderson \$5, T. J. Bruce \$5, Mrs. C. H. Wright \$5, Dan McCarty \$5, Jess Moore \$50, Mrs. L. A. Waller \$5, Joe and John Ferrell \$10, Mrs. M. N. Lawler \$5, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rich \$5, R. H. Wooten \$5, S. R. Cade estate \$10, Olen Adams \$5, J. S. Harlow estate \$20, J. A. Atwood \$5, E. C. Neeb Oil Interest \$6.97 and John D. Montgomery \$10.

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40 Years Ago July 9, 1920

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Casting more ballots than ever before in history, the Democratic party finally nominated Governor Cox of Ohio for President at San Francisco this week. Delegations were polled 44 times before a decision was reached.

The Cottonwood spirit was demonstrated again last week as neighbors gathered at the H. H. Wingfield farm, recent scene of sorrow, and completely worked all crops. Those who joined in the deed of kindness were: Mack Perry, Frank McGary, Rev. S. A. Rogers, J. J. Watters, W. C. Childress and daughters Burnice and Thelma, Carl Champion, W. C. Young, J. A. Burchfield, Felix Oglesby, Virgil Fulon, Allison McGee, Butler McGee, Ervin Jones, Elmer Peevy, Bernie Moore, J. B. Moore, Will Trammel, Walter Breeding and S. G. Robinson.

25 Years Ago July 5, 1935

Miss Lorena Childs and Vernon Lane, both of this place, were married at Coleman Sunday morning.

Miss Lucille Burkett became the bride of Arthur Carmichael Thursday at noon.

Marriage of Miss Viron Brady and Richard Lawrence was recently solemnized in Brownwood.

Mrs. Bye Montgomery returned to her home here Saturday after a visit of several days with relatives and friends in Mertzon.

Mrs. C. D. Lane complimented her daughter, James Clyde, with a birthday party Friday on the occasion of her thirteenth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Holden of this city and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tyler of Rising Star were fishing on the Clearfork last week, when a flash flood caused the river to rise abnormally fast. They escaped injury but their automobiles were completely submerged.

10 Years Ago July 9, 1950

Since Callahan County's population has fallen below 10,000, the office of Tax Assessor and Collector is to be merged with the Sheriff's department. The consolidation will not be until the present office-holder's term is completed.

Newell H. O'dell, high school principal at Archer City, was this week chosen superintendent of schools in Cross Plains.

Paul Greenwood left Sunday for Lubbock, where he enrolled in Texas Tech to study music. For the past several months, Paul has been conducting a radio program over the Coleman station.

Jack Lacy, Jr., senior student at Texas A&M, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Webb of Kuitman, in East Texas, spent the July fourth week end with his mother, Mrs. B. W. Webb and other relatives in the Cross Plains area. Tommy bought a new automobile while here.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris and family returned home Saturday from a weeks vacation in Arkansas and Oklahoma.

Mrs. Rosa Purvis returned to her home here Friday of last week after spending two weeks visiting in the home of her son, Carroll Purvis and family in Clyde.

Mrs. Mary Wagner and Dick spent the Fourth in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wagner and family in Vernon. Little Geanne Wagner returned to Cross Plains with them for a week's stay.

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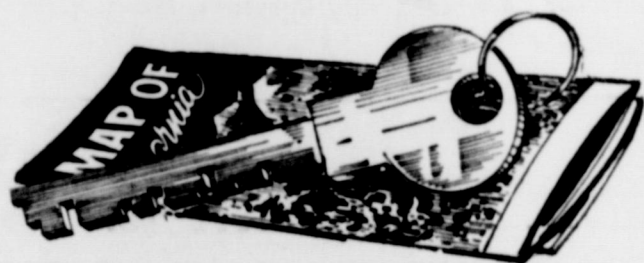
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Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Woody and Mrs. Jess Clark and children, Mrs. Pete Barbar and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cowan and children, and Miss Sandra Illingend on Lake Brownwood. They worth spent an enjoyable week were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Barnett and girls of Snyder.

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Mrs. Opal Koenig Buried At Burkett

Mrs. Opal Koenig, 51, lifelong resident of Coleman County, died at 2 a.m. at her home in Coleman.

She was born April 12, 1909, in Burkett. Her husband, B. H. Koenig, died in 1943.

Mrs. Koenig was a member of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were at 2 p. m. Wednesday in the Burkett tabernacle. The Rev. E. G. Key, Burkett pastor, will officiate. Burial was in Burkett Cemetery.

She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Ava Belle Oliver of Burkett; one son, Harvey of Menard; two daughters, Mrs. Coleman Priest and Mrs. Monroe Priest, both of Coleman; two brothers, Nathan Oliver of Artesia, N. M., and Buddy Oliver of Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. Earl Brown of Burkett; and nine grandchildren.

TRIWRLERS LEAVE SUNDAY

Cross Plains High School Band's drum major and seven twirlers will leave Sunday morning for Texas Christian University in Fort Worth, where they will attend a week's band school. They are to return here late Friday night of next week.

Pioneer
By JEAN FORE

Fourth of July visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean were Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton and family of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dean and daughter.

The Bob Dean family is moving from Putnam to their new home in the Sabanno community. We are happy to have them near our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carlisle and family of Albany and Mr. and Mrs. Lester King were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shirley Monday.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryson over the week end were their daughter and grandson Joan and Rickey, of Abilene.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Storts of Lake Charles, La., Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Dale Storts and sons, New Therta, La., Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington, Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Westerman.

Mrs. Harris Gibson and family of Deming, N. M. are spending two weeks in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson. Other visitors in the Gibson home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibson and family and Mrs. Carmen Woodard and son and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gibson and son of San Antonio Debbie, daughter of the Bill Gibsons remained for a longer visit in the Gibson home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Storts, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Dale Storts and sons, Mrs. Susie Fore, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Westerman and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore attended the Huntington reunion at Lake Brownwood Sunday.

Spending the week end holidays with Bro. and Mrs. Tom Flippin and Freddy were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Flippin and son.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hill entertained as their guests during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hill and family of San Angelo and Mrs. Freddy Thate and Roger of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryson visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hill Monday night.

Mrs. Eula Fore returned to her home Friday from a visit in Abilene with Mrs. Eva Huntington. She spent the week end at Lake Brownwood attend-

ing the Huntington family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Regie Barr and daughter of Abilene spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brown, Buck and Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Teague of Lampasas visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Merrill over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Merrill and Teresa visited Mrs. Effie Teague in Bangs Sunday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming, Jim and Jerry during last week and the Fourth of July holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fleming and family of Pampa, Mrs. Homer Phillips Jr. and family of Floydada. Jerry returned to Pampa with the Glen Fleming's for a

two weeks visit.

Mrs. Maxine Poindexter and family, and Lawn and Kathy Huddleston of Artesia, N. M. were visitors with Mrs. Fannie Freeman and Merlene over the holidays. Merlene, Dewayne Poindexter and Kathy visited relatives in Odessa Saturday and Sunday.

Sam Eakin and Danny Ratliff returned home from Kentucky last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tyler of Rising Star visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hitt have recently moved to their new home in Cross Plains. We miss them from our community but know they are enjoying their home. We are glad to hear that Cross Plains is much improved.

Mrs. Elaine Ratliff and Mike left for their home in Jal, N. M. Monday after spending several weeks visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Germany of Petersburg arrived in Pioneer for a few days visit with her father, D. G. Harris, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Crockett of Arlington spent the week end here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Crockett.

Local Scouts Get Rank Advances

Six Cross Plains Boy Scouts returned to their homes in Cross Plains Saturday after an eventful week spent at Camp Tonkawa near Abilene.

Assistant Scoutmaster Chuck Woody, who accompanied the youths on the outing, reported that five of the group won advancement in rank while at the camp. Arnold Childers and Phil and Don Strength won second class ratings, while Jack Webb Baum and Mike Pruet were made first class scouts. Allen Woody won the rank of Star Scout while at the encampment.

Presentation of awards and merit badges was made at a court of honor held Friday night. Allen Woody received merit badges in first aid, pioneering and nature. Archery awards and pro-marksmanship badges were presented to Arnold Childers, Mike Pruet and Jack Webb Baum.

The Cross Plains troop 81 served as color guards at Friday morning's flag raising ceremony.

Assistant Scoutmaster Woody told the Review yesterday that

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