

Cemetery Receives \$231.19 in January

Contributions to Cross Plains Cemetery during the month of January amounted to \$231.19, reports Mrs. John Sawyer, chairman, secretary. Gifts were as follows:

Money: Alford, \$10.00; Mrs. Geo. Amason, \$5.00; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bowen, \$5.00; Mrs. Charles Gasser, \$5.00; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gasser, \$5.00; E. H. Long, \$5.00; W. D. Packer, \$5.00; Bill, \$5.00; Billy Packer, \$5.00; Mrs. Gertrude Wilson, \$5.00; E. C. Smith, \$5.00; \$22.00, sum of page 883 and various amounts by several other donors.

Rowden

By Mrs. E. Gray

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Gery and children of Cross Plains visited in parents' home, Mr. and Mrs. William Gery, over the week end.

Mrs. George Wainwright visited Mrs. Sam Davis and Mrs. Gene Berns the past week.

Due to the death of a little grandchild of Mrs. and Mrs. W. E. Howell, he did not go to church at the Baptist Church Sunday. They were in California with their son, James, and family and for the funeral services for the little child. The sympathy goes out to the Howells.

Visitors in the P. Cross house the past week were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Baker, Mrs. Gene Wainwright, Mrs. Gertrude Wilson and Mrs. John Ader.

Mrs. Mary Baker, county home-making teacher at Cross Plains, visited Mrs. Gertrude Wilson, Virginia and Nancy, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis and family spent the week end at Rowden, S. H., with their son, Bill.

Thomas Berns and wife and family with E. Gray Sunday morning.

Foster, Whitton To Head Legion Here

George Foster, and John Foster, head of the Tennessee Aides American Legion Post at Cross Plains for the coming year.

At a meeting of members here Monday afternoon a slate of officers was elected at 8 o'clock. Foster, chairman; Paul Whitton, vice-chairman; Chester Gasser, treasurer; Mr. Carl J. Baker, secretary; Elmer E. Scott, sergeant-at-arms; Lloyd Bryan, adjutant; Ben Ray, banner; chairman; and Thomas Foster, Clyde D. Baker and Jack Scott, trustees.

Officers presently affiliated with the local post are: Treasurer, Foster; C. E. Cook, Jess Rowland, E. C. Pascoe, Art E. Hall, Ben H. Best, Leo W. Beckley, O. H. Baker, Allan E. Barnard, W. O. Barnard and Leo E. Best.

Best is serving as chairman of a committee to erect and start all eligible ex-servicemen entitled to an American post.

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By Mrs. Leo Best

Lower House and Gert Best of Abilene spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Best and Lavonia.

The late Mr. and Mrs. Henry's home were here this week and in the case of the household goods and other property. Mrs. W. B. and Mrs. Susan Smith of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cox and family of Jasper, Mr. and Mrs. William Baker and wife of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith and Will Chambers of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Best and children of Graham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Best.

Mr. J. E. Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McLean and daughter, Margaret, were here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sautter visited in Abilene, Texas, in the past Sunday afternoon. They all stayed overnight in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Prater spent the week end in Abilene with his daughter, Lucille. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bennett and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Best were in Cross Plains Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Best.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Starnburg were Abilene visitors last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Willie Cox and children of Graham spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Edna Smith.

They will be a dinner and get party at the Community Center Thursday night, Feb. 1, 8 o'clock.

The sympathy goes to the Mrs. William Smith in the death of her mother, Mrs. Susan Smith, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Charles Gasser visited with her daughter's family, the James Wainwright, Saturday. They brought her home Sunday afternoon.

HARRY WATSON MAKES COLLEGE HONOR ROLL

Harry Douglas Watson of Cross Plains has again made the honor roll at Southern Institute at Greenville, N. C., by a 90.00 average student. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Watson.

County Given State Right Of Way Check

A check for \$20,000 for right of way payment was sent to Callahan County Monday by the Texas Highway Department. The sum is awarded in partial payment for the state's share of the cost of the road needed at State Highway 206 between Brown and Eastland Counties.

While county and state share the cost of the right of way, the Texas Highway Department bears the cost of the construction and pays the entire cost of approval work.

MRS. R. C. EUBANK GOES TO HOSPITAL AT TEMPLE

Mrs. R. C. Eubank left Monday for Temple where she was to enter Scott and White Hospital for a physical check up.

L. J. Warren of Abilene was transferring business at Cross Plains one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thompson of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Baker of Burkett were in Fort Worth Friday and Saturday when they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Deane Anderson.

FHA Girls Sponsor Civil Defense Talk

Future dissemination of information of Cross Plains High School are making the public a meeting on civil defense to be held in the school gymnasium here Friday night, beginning at seven o'clock. H. D. Tompkins, of the Abilene Civil Defense office will address the gathering.

Important instructions will be given regarding cases of potential emergency and evacuation, and how they should be handled at the time of an air raid. The speaker promises to answer questions which possibly are at present.

Sabanno

By Mrs. Edwin Ewen

By Mrs. Gene Bennett, and daughter Mrs. Edwin Ewen.

We had some real pretty weather for a change and week, which was very welcome.

Mr. Wagner Lopez of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King over the week end. His wife and two little daughters remained home with her mother and Mr. King.

Misses Nellie and the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Lavon Thompson and family of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wells of Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Wey Thompson spent the week end with their daughter Mrs. John Cook and family at Denton.

Mrs. W. B. Switzer and family of Fort Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Switzer and Janet Prater.

Mrs. Della Dawkins and Miss Lora were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Best.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Duke of Cross Plains Saturday night with her mother Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mendenhall and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Starnburg spent the evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wey Anderson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch J. Jones of Williams were dinner guests in the home of her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bennett Saturday.

We report to hear of Mrs. Edwin Ewen's mother and sister of Brownsville being ill. She is visiting with them for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Curtis spent two days with their daughter Mrs. Susan Best, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Switzer, James and Deloris, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Curtis Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marjorie Erwin and Peggy visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Erwin of Eastland Saturday. They visited Mrs. Erwin's mother, Mrs. P. C. Larkin, eastward for 24 hours Saturday.

Rev. Harold Wain was with us Sunday morning at the Presbyterian Church. Rev. Banks substituted at the Baptist Church because of illness in Rev. Jones' family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wey Thompson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Newton of Cross Plains and in the home of her mother Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gilman of Burkett Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Earl Casey and family of San Angelo and Jim Casey of Eastland visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hicks were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bandy of Prater Sunday.

Travis Lawson, Edwin Erwin and Howard Hicks were transferring business in Eastland Monday.

Mrs. Mary Hollis and Minter E. had several of her children at home Sunday.

New Well Finds In Putnam Sector

The Putnam area continues to hold spotlight for oil activity in Callahan County.

A well was recently completed by Low Drilling Company of Cox in the Grant Turner acreage in Section 36, T4N, R9W, one mile north of Putnam.

Initial potential was 47.30 barrels of oil gravity of 59.0 was through an 8-5/8-inch with 620 pounds casing and 80 pounds tubing pressure. It is producing from 26 perforations at 2,280-94 feet with the casing set at 2,425 feet, total depth. Gas-oil ratio was 90-1.

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Bargains Galore

Higginbotham's

Famous Coach Scheduled To Speak To P.T.A. Here

Abilene College coach, one of the outstanding track and field coaches in the state, will speak to Cross Plains P.T.A. at the school auditorium here on Thursday night. Coach who has provided the training of four gold medalists in the Olympic games and coached on the 1960 U.S. Olympic team, will talk to the P.T.A. about the importance of physical education.



Oliver Jackson

Local Sailor Seen In Movie Saturday

Bill Smart, a 1948 graduate of Cross Plains High School and now an outstanding lineman on the Buffalo football team, will be seen in a movie on national television Saturday night. The "Frogman" depicted how the U.S. Navy sent swimmers to sink enemy fleets during World War II to sink the role of one of the swimmers and was seen in several movies.

Mother And 2 Sons Plan Libya Flight

Mrs. Donald White and two sons plan to leave around March 1 for Libya to join their husband and father, who was recently sent there by an oil company. The boys, James Richard, 12, and Donny, 8, are currently attending Cross Plains schools.

OWNERS OF POISONED DOGS DECLARE ANGER

Irate citizens are protesting the poisoning of dogs at two separate places in the Cross Plains area. One is at Cottonwood and the other within the city limits here. Owners of dogs killed by the deadly doses were reported investigating legal action.

Two Recent Donations To Dressy Cemetery At Dressy

Two recent donations to the Dressy Cemetery totaled \$20, reports Mrs. Flem Johnson. The gifts were: J. A. Miller \$10 and Mrs. Clarence Sikes \$10.

260 CONTRIBUTED TO CEMETERY AT DRESSY

Improvements are being planned for the cemetery fence. Persons wishing to contribute may mail donations to Mrs. Johnson on Cross Plains Route 1.

Claude Foster was in Baird Tuesday.

Local Cub Scouts Face Active Year

Cross Plains Cub Pack, comprising three dens, has been reorganized and enthusiasm for an eventful year looms high. Paul Whitton was recently chosen cubmaster and Elvis B. Scott and Garland Arnold Assistant-cubmasters.

Sew And So Clubbers Enjoy Meet On Lake

Members of the Sew and So Club spent Thursday of last week on Lake Brownwood. The day was devoted to forty-two and other games. At noon baked turkey was served.

Mobil's CPBC Lead Sliced By 2 Games

George Hutchins Mobil bowling team saw two games of their league lead disappear last Thursday night, but the leaders still possess a six game edge. Mobil's advantage was cut as D. C. Lee Gulf, third place quintet, clipped the top squad 3-1.

4 HOGS SCALED HERE WEIGH 1,970 POUNDS

Four of the largest hogs seen in Cross Plains in years were weighed at the public scales here Thursday. They were scaled at 1,970 pounds. The swine belonged to F. L. Merrill, who said he had a boar which he believed much heavier than those weighed.

Do You Know This Person?

From the brief biographical sketch listed hereunder, can you guess the well-known, local person to whom it refers? Test yourself, then turn to page six for the answer.

He's now slowing down a bit but he's been one of the finest farmers and busiest fellows in these parts. Never misses a funeral or fails to visit the sick; knows everybody and likes them all.

He sings deep bass - and likes to go
Has an honest face - and not one foe

PHILOSOPHER CLAIMS WEATHER MUST BE PERFECT FOR ORBITING AND FARMING

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou takes a look at space flights, his letter this week reveals.

"Dear editor:
"Like nearly everybody else, I was glued to a television set watching preparations for sending a man into orbit around the earth and like everybody else I too was disappointed when the launching had to be postponed."
"I was talking later on with a man in town and he said, 'Aw, I don't understand it, why should a few seconds get in the way when he's going to be orbiting above them anyway?'"
"It's pretty clear that that man doesn't understand the intricacies of space launchings or farming either."
"I don't know whether you're aware of it or not, but launching a man into space is almost exactly like farming — the weather has got to be just right before you tackle it. It can be too cloudy to orbit the earth just as it can be too wet to plow, or too windy to fish."
"Even if the weather is right, that's not the whole answer. On a bright, sunny day, a leak in a fuel line can stop Col. Glenn from orbiting and me from farming, and I think everybody ought to come to a fuller appreciation of the complex difficulties of both these enterprises."
"If a man is all set to orbit the earth or cultivate its surface, he's got to be philosophic about the situation and not rush into either unless everything is exactly right. Col. Glenn, as far as I'm concerned, expressed a sound philosophy toward both orbiting and farming when he crawled back out of his space cabin after the flight was postponed and said: 'If not today, some other time. What's the rush?'"
Col. Glenn, you're welcome to visit this Johnson grass farm any time you want to."
"People have got to understand that it's impossible to say: 'Next Thursday at 9 a.m. sharp we'll put one man into orbit and two million farmers to plowing.'" "Space and farming technicians have learned long ago that things don't work that way, and I'll be glad when the rest of you laymen learn it too."
Yours faithfully,
J. A.

MRS. JAUNITA MAYES BUYS LOOMAN PLACE

Mrs. Juanita Mayes has bought the home on North Main Street formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Looman ofampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Smith, who have rented the house for the past several months, are looking for another place. Mrs. Mayes and sons plan to move to their new residence around March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McMillan and daughter, Loraine, of Fort Worth were here to spend Saturday and Sunday with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Claborn.

Log Rollers Slate Meeting On Lake

A convention of Wodmen of the World Log Rollers will be held Tuesday night of next week at Lake Shore Lodge on Brownwood Lake, announces Roy Cox, of Cross Plains, president of the organization.

Log Rollers will be present from: Abilene, Roscoe, Hamlin, Rule, Rising Star, Brownwood and Cross Plains.

Two candidates from here are to be initiated into membership at the Tuesday night meeting. They are Harry Dodds and Jerry Mathews.

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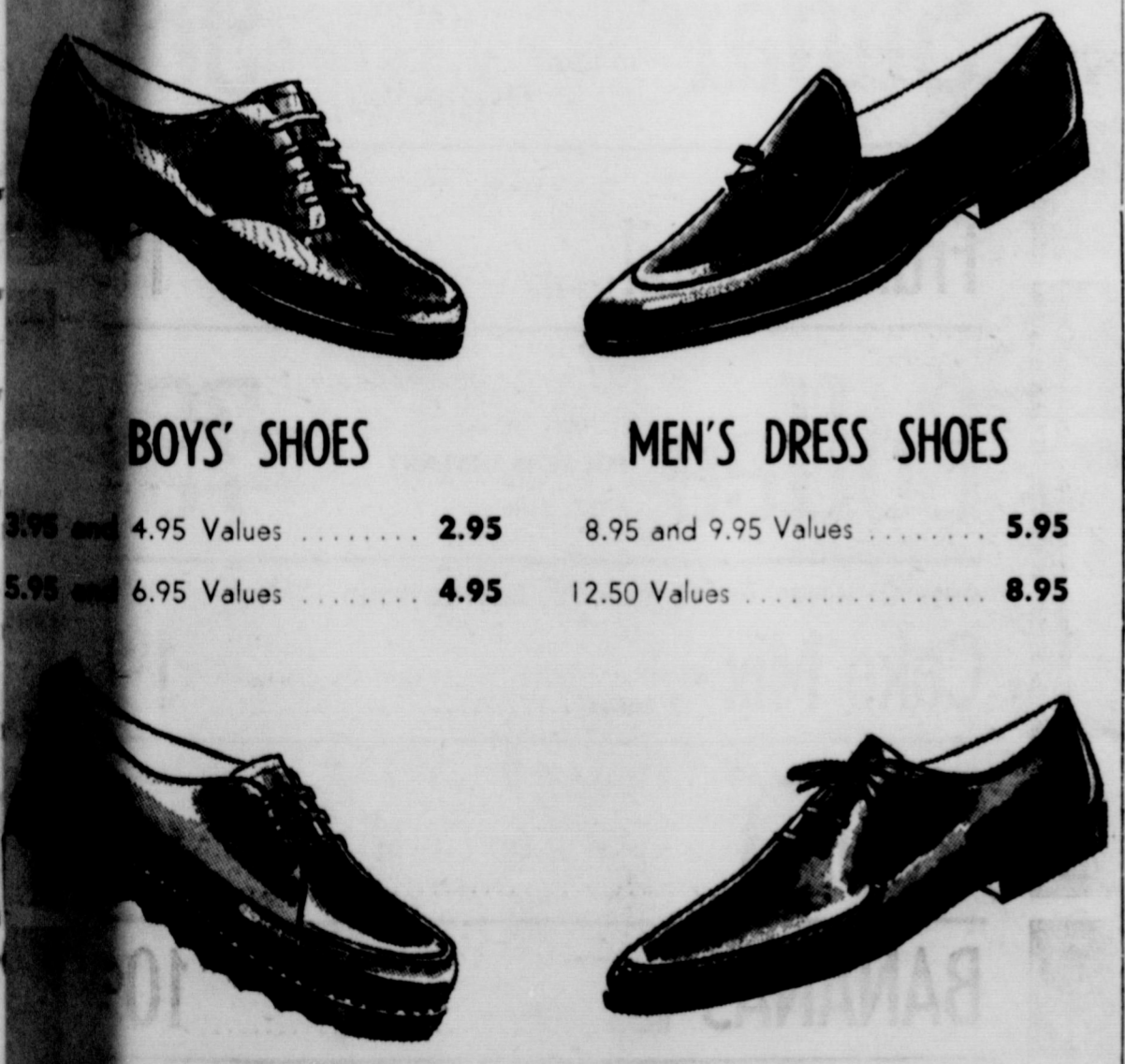
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The Gulfers nabbed both high game and high three game series honors last week. A 708 pin single tilt total was rolled by Gulf in the initial 10-frames and a 2,083 pin collection was best in the series columns.

Gulf's Benny Glover nabbed both high game and high average laurels. Glover finished the night with a 189 game, and his 164 average, a 493 three game aggregate, was tops. Dan Johnston turned in the second high games, a 170, also in the third contest, and another Johnston Trucker, Charles Waggoner, had the second best average, 148, edging Johnston with a series of 444 to 441. Johnston averaged 147 for his triumphant team. Dick Grider posted Gulf's runner-up average of 144, a series of 432 pins.

Raymond Franke paced Mobil with a 406 total for an average of 135, but close behind was teammate Cliff Gilmore with a 394 series or an average of 131. Jessie McAdams, a substitute for Mayes Lumber Co., led the quintet with a 432 and 144 series and average respectively. Don Watkins was second for Mayes Lumber with a 117 average, 353 series.

Tonight (Thursday) Johnston and Mobil battle in a crucial contest, and Gulf and Mayes tangle.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Mobil	48	32	.600
Johnston	42	38	.525
Gulf	39	41	.488
Mayes	31	49	.388

W. A. Huckaby was a business visitor in Stephenville Thursday.

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of consolidations Commissioners' Court, of Commissioner's which includes Atwood and Cross henceforth vote in Justice of the Precinct 6.

of voting precincts, precincts and commissions, there has misunderstanding in as to just exactly lines ran. When precinct six was first it included only Dressy and Cross boxes have long been merged here.

Cottonwood and served by a commission precinct. The commissioners' states former confu-

Negro Convicted In Traffic Death

A Negro sergeant in the Air Force was found guilty of murder with a motor vehicle Saturday and sentenced to four years in the state penitentiary. He is S/Sgt. Willie Ridgeway of Dyess Air Force Base.

The case was moved to Abilene on a change of venue from Callahan County, after the defendant contended he could not receive a fair trial in this county.

Killed in a collision with Ridgeway's automobile was Mrs. Imogene Boozer of Fort Worth. The accident occurred on U. S. Highway 80.

Lions Club Meets Here Monday Night

Thirteen members and two guests were present Monday night at the regular semi-monthly meeting of Cross Plains Lions Club, held at Sisters Cafe.

Wayne McDonald, director of the club's minstrel show to be presented early in the Spring, reported rehearsals will begin soon.

Named to a concession committee to handle a booth operated by the Cross Plains club at the annual Callahan County rodeo were: Dan Johnston, Roy Cox, Harry Dodds, Paul Conn and Joe Hanke, Jr.

Lions heard a report that 100 pairs of used eye glasses were gathered here recently for shipment to underprivileged persons abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Looman of Pampa were business visitors here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Biggs Irvin and two daughters and Mrs. Rosa Irvin all of Fort Worth visited relatives here Friday night and Saturday.



Popular Local Couple Plan Quiet 64th Wedding Date

A couple married in Leon County 64 years ago will note a quiet anniversary in Cross Plains Friday. They are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Goble of this city.

"Twenty-four years of our married life was spent on the Cordwent ranch, then the largest in Callahan County," she said Monday, "they were happy, eventful ones."

The Gobles were married at

the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woodward, in Leon County, Feb. 9, 1898. They now make their home on South Avenue D here. They have four sons and two daughters: Ira of Abilene, Richard, Cecil and J. D. of Cross Plains, Mrs. Frank Brown of Abilene and Mrs. Bertha Kelley of Cross Plains. They also have 20 grand children and 25 great-grandchildren.

3 Spots Open But Only 2 Candidates

Two candidates have announced intentions of seeking places on the board of trustees for Cross Plains schools in the election scheduled the first Saturday in April. Three places are to be filled.

Terms of Hadden Payne, Forest Walker and Dayton L. Sessions are expiring. Payne and Walker have specified intentions to seek reelection. Sessions, who has served nine years on the board, states he will not again be a candidate.

Candidates must file by March 7 in time to have names printed on the election ballot. Applications should be filed with Dr. Carl J. Sohns, school board secretary.

Teddy Souder was a business visitor in Abilene Monday.

IN DAYS OF YORE

35 Years Ago

Feb. 18, 1927: Mr. and Mrs. Walton Baum are parents of a ten pound boy . . . F. M. Gwin, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, made a trip to Austin in interest of highway construction and maintenance . . . Henry Armond, three year old son of the Charley Hemphills had his tonsils removed this week . . . The Review has installed an Electricaster which casts cuts for advertising service and news matter . . . Emma Jane, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Williams, suffered a severe shock and serious injury when she fell backward down the door of their storm cellar striking her head on the concrete steps seven feet below the surface . . . Born to Mr. and Mrs. Pat McNeel, a fine boy, Monday, Feb. 14 . . . Macon Freeman, Tom Bryant and Waldo Wilburn were Dallas visitors the first of the week.

30 Years Ago

Feb. 19, 1932: Fifteen hundred dozen eggs, 1,100 pounds of cream and 450 pounds of poultry were purchased by the Davis Feed and Produce Company here Saturday . . . Winter rains, which have fallen here intermittently for more than a month, have delayed farm work and is threatening crops . . . Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, Texas' first woman Governor, has begun her fourth campaign in seven years for gubernatorial votes . . . Cross Plains joins in the National celebration of the 200th anniversary of George Washington's birthday . . . John Clark's store at Cross Cut was robbed of around \$12 worth of tobacco, candy and canned goods one night last week . . . Misses Vera Pearl and Ernestine Oliver of Burkett entertained Saturday night with a leap year-Valentine party . . . Most of the Burkett citizenship attended the Coleman Bank opening celebration Monday. Bill Wright was the lucky man who held the ticket which awarded the cow and calf . . . To represent the school in Round Robin debates at the interscholastic league meet March 26-26 will be Harold Clark and Charles Frank Hemphill, boy's team, and Sara Collins and Emmarie Hemphill compose the girl's team.

25 Years Ago

Feb. 12, 1937: Garrett Motor Company, headed by J. C. Garrett, has been appointed dealer for Dodge and Plymouth automobiles in Cross Plains . . . Cross Plains high school boys won the Callahan County basketball tournament held Friday and Saturday . . . Nineteen third and fourth grade Cottonwood school students visited Barr's Bakery and the Review Tuesday afternoon . . . Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lane are parents of a daughter . . . Dr. and Mrs. J. H. McGowan have purchased the Ben Garner residence in the North part of town . . .

BABY BOY BORN TO MR. AND MRS. BILL RUCKER

M. and Mrs. Billy Rucker are parents of a baby boy, born Jan. 30, in the Rising Star Hospital. The child weighed seven pounds and 12 ounces and has been named Ricky Wayne.

First Contract-Letting On Retention Dams Here Will Be Held In Temple February 28

Bids will be opened Feb. 28 for construction of two retention dams to be built in Turkey Creek Water Control District. Construction is slated to start immediately thereafter, declares E. J. Hughes of Brownwood, Area Soil Conservationist.

The Turkey Creek District, Callahan County Commissioners Court, and the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District have fulfilled requirements of sponsoring local organizations in providing land right, easements, operation, maintenance and conservation on the land above the structures.

All construction costs will be provided by the Soil Conservation Service at the contracting agent for the United States Department of Agricultural Flood Prevention Program. Upon completion, the flood prevention structures will be turned over to the local people for operation and maintenance by sponsoring local organizations, as provided in the Turkey Creek Watershed Work Plan Agreement, executed Nov. 23, 1959.

Two flood prevention structures are being advertised for letting in one contract. Site two is located on the C. W. Coats estate land two miles west of Cottonwood. Grantors of easements for the structure are the Coats estate, Floyd Odell, Emmett Price, Billy Walker, Mrs. W. B. Gilleland and the A. W. Arwin

estate. Site three is located on the L. C. Dean farm which is about two miles west of Cottonwood. Easements were granted for this structure by L. C. Dean, Mrs. Mollie Murray and the Bill Evans estate.

Invitation to bid for the two floodwater retarding structures calls for placing and compacting of about 200,000 cubic yards of earth filled material, excavation of about 4,000 cubic yards of rock, furnishing and installing about 4,100 pounds of reinforcement steel in 93 cubic yards of class A and B concrete, placing of about 30,000 square yards of topsoil, furnishing and installing 400 feet of 24 inch diameter spun concrete pipe and furnishing and installing of about 15,000 feet of wire fencing around dams and emergency spillways. The contract is scheduled for awarding in the State Soil Conservation Service Office at Temple, on Feb. 28, and is to be completed within 212 calendar days.

Ralph W. White, project construction engineer with the Soil Conservation Service at Brownwood, will supervise layout and construction of the work, Hughes states. The conservation program on farms and ranches in the watershed will be given special emphasis by D. C. Cox and other members of the Baird Work Unit staff in their assistance to the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District.

Tennison Resigns Local School Job

Vergle Tennison, who has been a building custodian and bus driver for Cross Plains schools the past three and one-half years, will work his last day on that job Friday. He and his family will move to Brownwood, where he will work for a dairy. Tennison drove the school bus which serves the Board Flat area.

A successor will probably be selected by school trustees at the regular meeting of the group, scheduled Monday night.

CITY MARSHAL SHOWS PUBLIC SPIRITEDNESS

City Marshal Cranz Nichols, Jr. is taking on an additional duty. It is one for which he will receive no pay.

Persons having Veterans Administration or Social Security forms, which they need help in completing, are being asked to call on him for assistance.

"I've had experience in this type of work and will be glad to help anyone in need of this assistance. I would accept no pay, of course," he says.

Nichols may be contacted through the city office.

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Business is being followed with the sale of license plates in Texas. No longer are plates sold with registration receipts as a requirement we instructed to adhere to exception," said Assessor-Collector yesterday.

Went on sale in last Thursday at A. J. (Ted) McCuin. Passenger car license bought this year by Westerman with growing getting the

pick-up tags were by Ottie J. Knight. went to Herman commercial registration bought by W. A. W. A. Watson got County is expected \$122,000 from the 22 plates. Of this \$100,000 will accrue to treasury, the re- going to state coffers.

Old Mother Man Dies

Elta Murphy, 90, of mother of D. J. Perkins Plains, died Saturday at five o'clock in Star Hospital following attack.

phy was born in Bas- March 11, 1871. were held Monday at the Church of Christ Burial was in Cemetery.

include the hus- sons, D. J. Perkins of and U. L. Murphy onio; two daughters, McDonald of McCam- Jack White of Ris- brother, R. Z. Swain Star; a sister, Mrs. Lewis of Kerrville; 21 ren, 41 great-grand- and two great-great-

FIREMEN HEED 2 ALARMS AT SAME TIME THURSDAY

For the first time in memory of local firemen, two alarms were received simultaneously here Friday morning.

The calls, which came as fast as the telephone could be answered twice, were from the home of Mrs. Lem Renfro in the east part of town and from the Truck Stop Cafe on East Highway 36. Both were grass fires.

T. Y. Woody, who retired from the fire department two years ago after 22 years of active service, said it was the first time in his recollection the local fire department had been summoned two places at the same time.

"It was a good thing we had two trucks," he commented.



Starr Peanuts Prove Best Money Makers Among Spanish Varieties

W. B. Starr of near Sabanno, a pioneer experimenter in agriculture and regarded as an authority on peanuts and sweet potatoes, declares that the new variety of peanuts which bear his name, had more profitable yield last season than any other variety of Spanish peanuts. Several farmers throughout the Cross Plains area, who planted Starrs, are in complete agreement.

The above picture shows Mr. Starr sitting on a sack of Starr peanuts and with the crop yield

of two acres — one planted in Starr peanuts and another in Spantex peanuts. The two acres were in the same field and were planted at the same time with the same kind and amount of fertilizer.

The yield for the acre was 24 sacks of Spantex and 28 sacks of Starr peanuts. Mr. Starr is shown with the four extra sacks. The Starr acre had 1,730 pounds that brought \$196.87 as compared with the Spantex acre with 1,440 pounds bringing \$160.72. The Starr peanuts graded 73 per cent, while Span-

tex had a grade of 74 per cent. The Starr's Highland Springs farm, operated by Mr. Starr and his son, Lee, had an allotment of 167 acres last fall, one of the largest in Eastland County. Twelve of the acres were planted in the Starr variety. The Starr seeds were limited.

The Starrs saved 9,300 pounds of seed from their Starr acres for planting next spring.

The Starr peanuts were developed at the Texas A&M College Experiment Station at Stephenville and named for Mr. Starr.

Atwell

Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and Kim visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Hewes visited in Brownwood Wednesday with Mrs. Harvey McKinley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charnel Hutchins and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bentley at Eula Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady attended church at the East Side Missionary Baptist Church in Cisco Sunday morning.

Edgar spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions.

O. E. Ray and family from Trent visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. James Foster visited with his parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom visited in Abilene Sunday with Rev. Arlis Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Black visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Foster Sunday.

FRANK GRAY TAKES JOB AT SANTA ANNA SCHOOL

Frank Gray of Rising Star, former Cross Plains School instructor and assistant football coach here, has assumed duties with the Santa Anna school system. He is serving as junior high school science teacher there, succeeding A. D. Donham, who died unexpectedly two weeks ago.

O. B. Edmondson was a visitor in Fort Worth Friday.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- February 8:**
Mrs. C. C. Westerman
Elvis B. Scott
Charles Strength
B. P. McCowen
Grady Newton
Sherry Wilson
- February 9:**
Dr. Moreland Baldwin
Mrs. A. Webb
Vernon Phillips
Mrs. A. B. Foster
Gravel Scott
Mrs. N. L. Dillard
Ronnie Flippin
Cecil Johnson
Mrs. Ethel Clark
Skipper Nichols
Mrs. Clifford Hill
Mack Pancake
- February 10:**
Les Byrd
Mrs. V. C. Walker
Elizabeth Griffith
Mrs. T. O. Powell
- February 11:**
Mrs. W. D. Smith
Kenneth Lowery
Alvin Parrish
Mrs. A. Painter
Voncille Gibbs
Mrs. J. C. Grantham
Mrs. Tom Burks
Mrs. Callie Havner
- February 12:**
Mrs. Henry Wilks
M. A. Golson
Jean Hamby
Barbara Jean Perry
L. D. DeBusk
Tom Lee, Jr.
John Garland Lee
- February 13:**
O. B. Byrd
Howard McGowen
Mrs. E. E. Aiken
Mergie Young
- February 14:**
Mrs. Ed Rice
Mrs. Donald White
Mrs. Dan Johnston
Vollie McDonough
Billy Watson
Mrs. Chas. Ballew
Tommy Cowan
David Merryman
Kathryn Ohlhausen
Mrs. Walker McLain
Martin Jones
Mrs. Dave Hargrove
Mrs. Voncille Gibbs
Dan Notgrass
Carlos Jackson Klutts

THOMPSON'S GRANDSON RECEIVES APPOINTMENT

Richard G. Thompson, Jr., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson of Cross Plains, has been appointed by Congressman Omar Burleson to take competitive examinations, preparatory to an appointment to the United States Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colo.

Mrs. A. C. Billingsley had as her guest over the week end her daughter, Mrs. Max Lovett, of San Angelo.

JUNIOR HIGH STUDENTS SELECT BEST CITIZENS

David Grider and Judy Cloud were chosen best citizens by members of the 8-A English Club in Cross Plains Junior High School last week.

Members of 8-A English Club conferred the identical honors upon Sid Newton and Barbara Shocklee this week.

W. L. Goble was in Coleman Monday.

\$25 GIVEN FIREMEN IN GRASS BLAZE AID

Two donations, totaling \$25, were made last week to Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department. Both were in appreciation of the extinguishing of rural grass fires. R. E. Kuykendall gave \$15 and Merlin Franke \$10.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lovell of Baird visited friends and relatives in Cottonwood and Cross Plains Saturday.



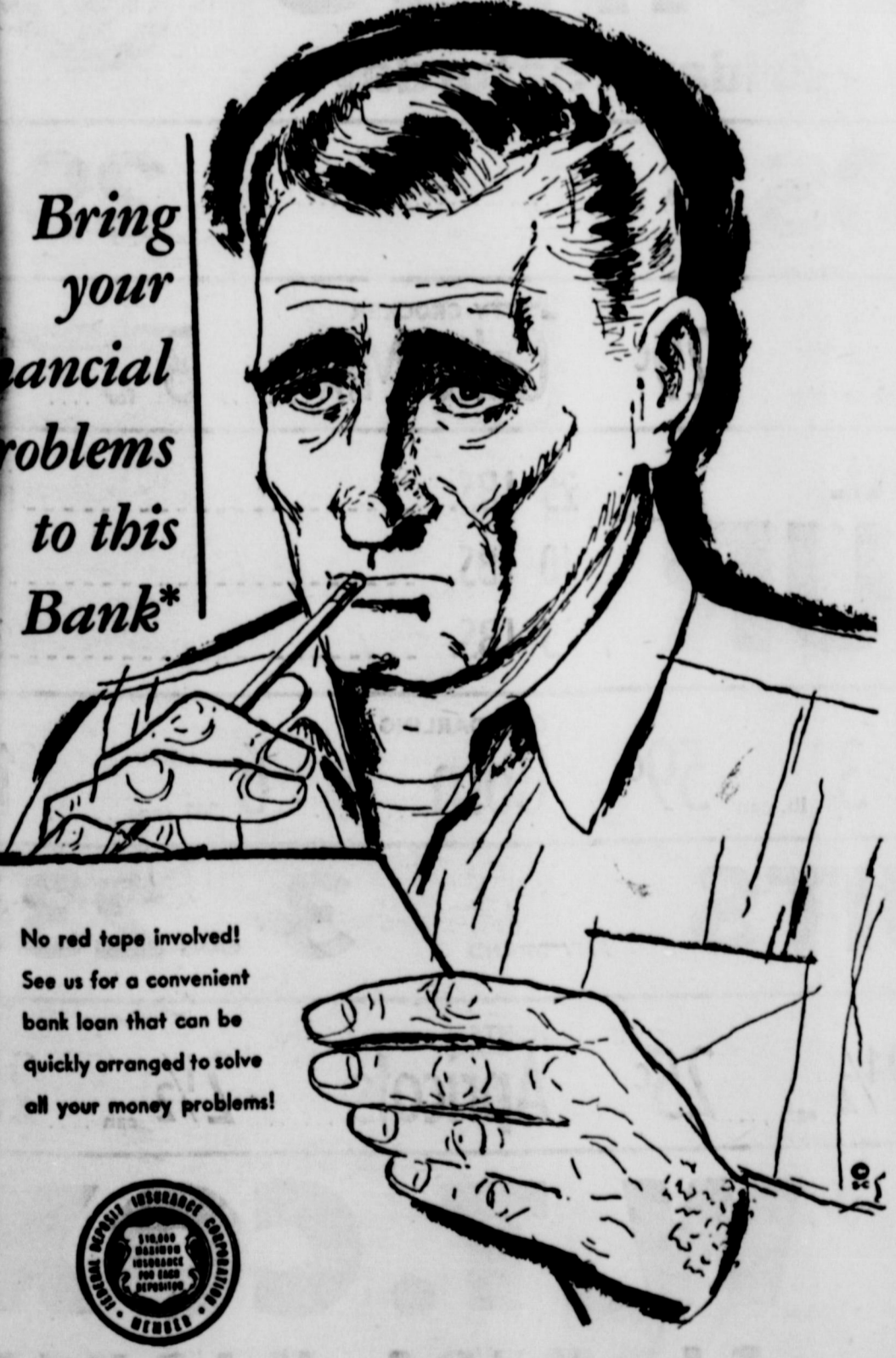
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BABY GIRL IS BORN TO JOHN D. MONTGOMERY

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Montgomery of Cross Plains are parents of a baby girl born Feb. 2, in Hendrick Hospital at Abilene. The child weighed seven pounds, six and one-half ounces at birth. Both mother and child are reported doing splendidly.

Oren Bains, who is stationed at Fort Chaffee, Ark., is here on leave.

J. T. Myers, who is stationed at Fort Polk, La., is visiting his wife and son here.



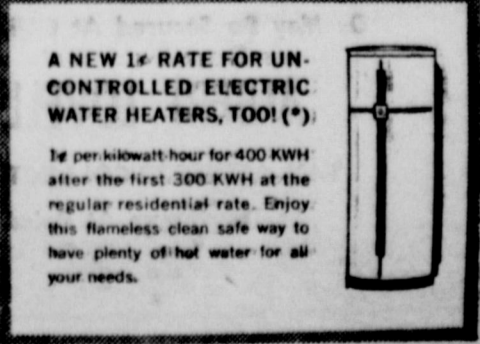
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