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Fruit Outlook Hit By Hard Freezes

Opinions of orchardmen were mixed here yesterday as to whether or not Monday night's freezing weather meant doom for this year's fruit crop. All agreed, however, that the sub-freezing weather would be curtailed. Tuesday night's sub-freezing weather would be curtailed. Tuesday night's sub-freezing weather would be curtailed.

JOHNSON ENTERS DOWNWOOD HOSPITAL
Mike Johnson, Cross Plains hardware merchant, was admitted to Memorial Hospital in Downwood Sunday as a medical emergency. Further information regarding his condition were not immediately available here.

Home Towner Column

Texas schools have begun their annual observance of Public School Week, that year when parents and adults look in on their educational institutions and observations on the results being achieved.

The idea is a good one. Although facilities have improved a great deal in recent years, human nature hasn't changed. Perfection is still an impossible target.

Youngsters aren't far different from their counterparts of three generations ago. They've always learned to be mischievous and been more mischievous than outward appearance indicated.

you sometimes feel that things are getting worse and rising generation lacks the dedication and seriousness to lead a troubled world, take heart. Consider some of the things which have happened here years ago.

Back in the 1920's, the habit of grabbing students by the nose and leading them wherever he wanted them to go. One day he had Marie Neeb (now Mrs. Harrell of Odessa) in his hands and received the prize of his life. Possessed of a terrible head cold at the time, she exhibited the most innocent countenance in the room.

Once the whole fresh class got in trouble with the principal Nat Williams. He convened them in the hall and began calling at a time to a nearby classroom. As students waited to face the stern principal they heard puns and sounds coming from the room. Not a single student returned and those in the study hall became more and more apprehensive with each passing moment. Finally there was a knock. She was trembling with fear but anxious to get over. The delay was

longer than usual. She wondered if there had been a fatality. Finally there came a call for Bobbie Lee Westerman (now Mrs. O. B. Edmondson). As she entered Williams' room, a quick glance revealed all her classmates huddled in a corner, staring fixedly at the floor. She wondered if they were only half conscious or benumbed. "Rend over and grab your ankles," she was told. Scared half to death, she obeyed implicitly. Suddenly there came a thunderous noise as the schoolmaster whacked the desk with a board. Witnesses say that the sound of the first lick produced from Bobbie the highest and longest broad-jump from such a position ever seen on the local campus.

The paramount prank of all came in the mid 1940's. The perpetrators were never identified, but some say Noah Johnson and Pat McNeel, Jr., knew more about it than they ever confessed. A cow was loosed in the high school building one dark night and really had things in a mess by the time teachers and students arrived the following morning.

It's still pretty serious in some quarters but one of the most hilarious incidents occurred here only a few years ago. Bill King was presenting his Buffalo Band in Spring concert in the school gymnasium. About the middle of a long overture, Bevelyn Foster and two confederates, who had crawled along the roof of the building, pushed a bevy of bantam hens through a window. The excited, cackling chickens came gliding down in the midst of surprised spectators and saxophonists.

Once in the long ago, while conducting a Latin class at Scranton, Mrs. S. P. Collins called on a student to rise and conjugate the Latin verb meaning to walk. The lad knew the correct endings, but could not remember the Latin translation for the verb. Quietly he asked a deskmate, "What's the word for 'to walk'?" His friend, equally as befuddled, whispered: "Damn if I know." Not hearing correctly, the first boy rose and very confidently recited: "Damfino, damfino, damfino."

School teaching has always presented its problems, understood only by those who have plied the profession. It should be well to remember then, when paying the annual visit to the local campus soon, that teachers are doing a pretty grand job and deserve an awful lot of cooperation from parents and adults, who themselves contributed enough discord in days of their own studenthood. And who is there, who did not?

Laredo Firm Gets Road Contract Job

A Laredo firm was successful bidder last week on a highway construction project from Burkett to Cross Plains. The project is actually from a point 8 of a mile northeast of Burkett to one mile south of Cross Plains. Low bidder was Border Road Construction Company of Laredo with a submittal of \$504,383.

The construction will become a part of State Highway 206, which will run from Coleman via Cross Plains to Cisco. The route will intersect with State Highway 279, between the Oral Joy and E. M. Long homes, one mile south of town, continue northward along Main Street to the Tom Bryant place and then bear northeastward to intersect with F. M. Foard 596 in Eastland County.

School Holiday Set For Teachers Meet

Twenty-six Cross Plains school teachers will join about 3,000 others from 23 West Texas counties at the annual convention of Oil Belt Teachers, District 7, State Teachers Association, in Abilene March 9.

Local schools will dismiss for a full day for the occasion. "Education — Freedom's Fortress" is the theme for this year's gathering.

Counties sending representatives to the convention are Archer, Baylor, Callahan, Clay, Cottle, Eastland, Fisher, Foard, Hardeman, Haskell, Jack, Jones, Knox, Montague, Nolan, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor, Throckmorton, Wichita, Wilbarger and Young.

No Election Foreseen To Keep District Clerk Post

There are no presently known plans in Callahan County to call an election for the separation of the offices of County Clerk and that of District Clerk.

Recently-enacted statutes require that when a county's population falls below 8,000 the two positions shall be merged, unless a special election is held and citizens ballot in favor of separation.

Callahan County's last decennial census dropped below 8,000 and the consolidation becomes

Estelle Freeland Speaks At Atwell

Miss Estelle Freeland of Baird, who is at home on furlough from Nigeria, Africa, where she spent three years, in missionary work, will speak at the Baptist Church at Atwell Sunday night. She will show color films made on the Dark Continent.

Miss Freeland is well-known throughout this area, having spent her childhood on a farm between Cross Plains and Cottonwood. She is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Freeland of Baird.

C. T. BARTON MADE PECAN EXECUTIVE

C. T. Barton of Pioneer, well-known pecan grower of the Pioneer community, was reelected a director of Eastland County Pecan Growers Association at the annual mid-winter meeting of the group last week.

Other members of the directorate are: B. B. Freeman of Ranger, Edwin Schaefer of the Cook community and C. E. Smith

202 People Aided Here Last Year By Social Security Representative

A field representative of the Abilene social security office comes to Cross Plains every fourth Tuesday to assist individuals in filing claims for benefits and to answer questions about social security. In 1961, the representative assisted 57 individuals in filing claims and

Slick-Talking Con Man Fails To Work Trick Second Time Here

Six years ago a local clerk fell victim to a confidence game ploy by a fast-talking stranger, who walked away with a fine, new watch at no cost to himself. The ruse was tried by the same man on the same clerk here again Monday morning. The trick failed to work a second time.

The story goes something like this. Back in 1956 Mrs. Clarence Bush was working in a local drug store. A fast-talking, busy-looking man rushed in and explained that he'd just broken his watch and needed a new one. While Mrs. Bush—Millie as she's known to her many friends of this area—was showing the watch, the stranger explained that he had a hay-hauling contract for a local rancher and was in a terrible hurry to catch up with his workmen.

"Here, I'll take this one," he said, picking up one of the better watches in the tray, "just put it on a ticket to J. T. McClure and I'll be in and pay you Saturday."

Before she could protest, the watch and the confidence man were gone. Nevertheless, the ticket was made but the Saturday of payment never arrived. Some time later the man was arrested and tried in Callahan County Court and committed to an institution.

Monday morning he walked into Bryan's Variety Store here, where Mrs. Bush is currently employed, ordered a soft drink and then asked to be shown the watches. He'd hardly suggested that he'd take one of the time-pieces and that she could just make a ticket of it, before the case was slammed shut and the very courteous little clerk shouted an emphatic "No!"

The stranger left unperturbed. Incidentally, though, he failed to pay for his drink.

Wednesday Designated As School Visitation Day

Wednesday of next week will be visitation day at Cross Plains schools. The observance is a part of Public Schools Week, which is being noted throughout the entire state.

"We'll be happy to have parents and adults visit us any

day next week," said Superintendent of Schools Paul Whitton yesterday. "however, Wednesday is the day meals will be served in the cafeteria to visitors."

Former Local Pastor Dies In Home At Waco

News has been received here of the recent death of Rev. Graves Darby, who pastored the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains during the early 1930's. The Rev. Mr. Darby died at his home in Waco after several years of declining health.

295 Pupils And 27 Adults Get Tuberculin Tests Here

Tuberculin tests were given 295 local students, 22 teachers and five employees at Cross Plains schools Monday. The tests were given by Mrs. J. L. Ault, county nurse.

Approximately half the students are tested each year, giving every individual enrolled a test every two years.

Patch tests were given 88 first and third graders, whereas 100 fifth and seventh graders, 107 in high school and the 27 adults were given the Heaf test.

World Prayer Day Observance Carded

Local church ladies are completing plans for a World Day of Prayer observance here March 9. Serving as co-chairmen are Mrs. Harold G. Wise and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield.

The March 9 observance will be held in the auditorium of the First Methodist Church and all women of the community are being asked to attend.

Former Minister At Cottonwood Expires

Rev. A. A. Carter of Goldthwaite, a retired Baptist minister and former resident of Cottonwood, died unexpectedly at his home Saturday. Funeral was held from the First Baptist Church in Goldthwaite Sunday afternoon and burial was in the cemetery there. Rev. Carter is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Winnie Price of Houston and Mrs. Hulda Boykin of Rising Star; two sons, Loy of Houston and DeAlbert of Koppell, 14 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Deadline Nears In 2 Local Races

Saturday and Wednesday, March 3 and 7, are deadlines for candidates to file for places on ballots for city and school elections scheduled early in April. In the city election, at which time a mayor and two council-



"POP" TO TALK — W. E. (Pop) Lusk of Sabanno, retired Cross Plains school teacher, will speak to local business and professional men next Tuesday noon at the regular monthly luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce in the basement of the First Methodist Church. Lusk was the main advocate of the first school consolidation ever acquired by the local system. He proposed the merging of Sabanno with Cross Plains in 1931 and people of the two communities voted overwhelmingly to follow his suggestion.

2 In Same Family Claimed By Death

Death struck a double blow at a well-known local family the past week.

Albert Koenig, 52, former school teacher in this area and a brother of Willie Koenig, died unexpectedly Tuesday of last week at his home in Elk River Grove, Ill. The funeral was delayed until Tuesday to permit his brother from Cross Plains to arrive in Illinois for services.

Funeral Monday For Local Man's Mother

Funeral for Mrs. Emma D. Button, 74, mother of Bill Button of Cross Plains and an Abilene resident since 1908, was held from a funeral home in that city Monday afternoon.

Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Button died about 1 a. m. Sunday at Hendrick Memorial Hospital following a three-month illness.

Born Sept. 5, 1887, she married William H. Futton in 1908 at Weston. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and was a charter member of the Comrade Sunday School class at the First Methodist Church in Abilene.

Surviving are her husband; three sons, Jack of Abilene, William H. of Cross Plains and Winston G. of California; three brothers, Roy Marks of Red River, N.M., Lois Marks of Grand Prairie and Fred Marks of Celina; three sisters, Mrs. Luther Francis of McKinney and Mrs. Lee DuVall and Mrs. Blucher Tucker of Celina, and eight grandchildren.

BABY BOY BORN TO MR. AND MRS. J. D. CONLEE

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conlee, Jr., of Baton Rouge, La., are parents of a six-pound, two-ounce baby boy, born Feb. 27. He has been named Patrick Joseph.

Mrs. Mina Conlee of Cross Plains is the paternal grandmother.

Fox Hunters Choose This City As Convention Site

Star Fox Hunters Association has again chosen Cross Plains as meeting site for its annual convention scheduled May 12. More than 500 are expected here for the one-day affair. High spot of the day will be a barbecue supper at six p. m. convention day. Field trials and bench show for coon dogs will be held earlier

men are to be chosen, the list of aspirants yesterday included these: for mayor, Ted Souder unopposed for reelection; for councilmen, C. D. (Doke) Westerman, C. H. Dawson and Roy Cox.

Councilmen are elected for two year tenures. Hold-over members of the council are: L. F. Foster, Freddy Tatom and Otis Purvis.

Entrance of Glenn R. Merrill into the school trustee race this week brought the number of candidates to six. Three places are to be filled. Aspirants for the new three-year terms are: Bill Dillard, Forest R. Walker, Hadden Payne, Charlie Sowell, John Purvis and Merrill.

Applications for places on the city ballot will be accepted by Mrs. Ava Childers until closing time at the City Hall Saturday. Dr. Carl J. Sohns, school board secretary, will accept applications for places on the trustee ballot any time Wednesday of next week.

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Before funeral time, however, another member of the family was dead. She was Mrs. Ernest Koenig, 81, the mother. She died Saturday in the Luthern General Hospital at Des Plaines, Illinois. She had been staying the past few years in the home of her children. Her body was returned to Fort Worth by train, where it was received Tuesday afternoon by a funeral coach from Higginbothams in Cross Plains.

Funeral will be held Thursday at 10 a. m. from the Burkett Baptist Church with Rev. E. G. Key, pastor, officiating.

The Illinois man, who left this area about 10 years ago, had recently undergone heart surgery, however, he was believed recovering normally until fatally stricken. He is survived by his widow, four children, two brothers and two sisters.

Willie Koenig left Saturday morning to attend his brother's funeral. In conversation with friends shortly before departure he gave no indication that his mother was ill. Bill returned here Wednesday.

Mrs. Koenig was the widow of Earnest Koenig, who died at 93, in May last year. Burial was to be in the Burkett Cemetery beside his grave.

The Elder Koenigs were married in Coleman County nearly 65 years ago and spent most of their remaining years in this section of Texas.

Mrs. Koenig is survived by two sons: Willie of Cross Plains and Ralph of Lake Villa, Ill.; two daughters, Mrs. Alice Whitfield of Elk Grove Village, Ill. and Mrs. Alma Smith of Plainview, as well as a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

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Wedding Ceremony Highlights News From Burkett Community This Week

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

Vows were exchanged Saturday at 6:30 p.m. at the Church of Christ between Miss Carlie Bludworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bludworth, and David Goble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Goble of Cross Plains. Bill Nicks, minister of the Church of Christ at Cross Plains, officiated. The reception was at the school dining room.

After a brief honeymoon trip, the couple will make their home in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Lillian Brown and Mrs. Willie Henderson entertained with a rehearsal dinner at Mrs.

Brown's home Thursday evening honoring Miss Bludworth and the members of the wedding party. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nicks and daughters, Becky, Jeanie and Suzie, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Switzer, Cliff Kirkham, Jerry Biehl, Miss Jane Elliott, Ted Ehler, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bludworth, Carlie Bludworth, David Goble, Willie Henderson, Dub Brown and the hostesses.

Bill Koenig left Saturday for Chicago, Ill., to attend the funeral of his brother, who passed away Thursday night of last week. Before he got to Chicago, he received another message saying his mother, Mrs. Ernest Koenig, had also passed away. Mrs. Koenig had been making her home with her children in Chicago. Funeral services for Mr. Koenig were held at Chicago Monday and Mrs. Koenig's body is being brought back here for services and burial later this week.

Mrs. Fannie Evans is staying with her daughter at Jayton where she will recuperate after being hospitalized in Coleman about two weeks.

Mrs. E. R. Smith is on the sick list and has made several trips to Clyde where she receives medical treatment.

Luncheon guests in the S. D. DeBusk home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reynolds and son of Orlando, Fla., and Mrs. Reynolds parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Angeley of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Garrett and Mabel Eubanks of Brownwood, Mrs. Menerva Eubanks and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeBusk of Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeBusk of Burkett and their son, J. Pat, a student at Hardin-

Simmons University of Abilene. Mrs. Bill Brown of the Amara Camp spent Friday to Tuesday with relatives at Odessa. She was accompanied to Abilene Friday by Mrs. D. C. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Porter and Donnie spent Sunday in Fort Worth with their son and family, the Alvin Porters.

Mrs. D. C. Doggett of Coleman spent Friday to Monday with Mrs. Mollie Parsons and Eva Slacks. Other recent visitors of Mrs. Parsons' and Mrs. Slack's were Mrs. Jeannie Mae Wright of Coleman and Mrs. Lucy Dibrrell of Echo.

Hill Country Relays Initiate Track Season

Although Cross Plains High School track and field teams have not been completely organized, six Buffalo tracksters will test the cinders this week end at the Hill Country Relays at Mason.

The sextet of Bison making the trek are: Doug Dallas, Charles Barr, C. D. Shields, Mike Montgomery, Max Howell and Jerry Payne.

According to track coach Don Wiggins, the six-man Buff squad will enter seven track and three field events. Track events scheduled include the 100 yard dash, 220, 440, 880, mile relay and the high and low hurdles, and completing a busy day for the Buffs will be competition in the shot-put, discus and pole vault.

Wiggins expects 15-20 cindermen to carry the Buffalo banner when Cross Plains officially begin the track season. Practice sessions began last week.

Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

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(Meaning an overflowing supply.)

(See page 5 for answer)

LOCAL WOMAN JOINS HUSBAND IN ALASKA

Mrs. Charles W. Mosley left Abilene by plane last week for Fort Greely, Alaska, where she will join her husband.

Mrs. Mosley is the former Dorothy Champion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. Macon Freeman of Coleman were visiting friends and relatives here Thursday.

GARDEN CLUB NOTES "GOLDEN AGE MONTH"

Cross Plains Garden Club is completing "Golden Age Month," observed during February, a time when members remember senior citizens of the community in some delightful way.

Next meeting of the club will be in the City Hall March 8.

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POPULAR FAMILY HERE MOVING TO LOUISIANA
Mr. and Mrs. James Yarbrough and daughter, Pauline, are leaving Cross Plains this week for Thibodaux, La., where they have a construction business in the oil field for a number of years, and engaged in the same line of endeavor in Louisiana. The Yarbrough home on Highway 36 has been bought by Mr. and Mrs. Dale Crawford, who is employed by West Texas ties Co. here.

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HAROLD HINKLE

THIS YARN CAUSED MANY LAUGHS HERE

Best piece of humor being repeated in Cross Plains this week went something like this:

A banker visited his doctor for a checkup. After a long examination, the physician reported, "You're as sound as a dollar."

"As bad as that?" exclaimed the banker, as he fainted dead away.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley of Abilene were business visitors in Cross Plains Monday and also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vellie McDonough. Mrs. Riley will be remembered here as the former Emma Newton.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

March 1:
Dorothy Aiken
Jay McCuin
W. J. Cross
Mrs. Mamie Swafford
Minter B. Sheffy
J. E. Hanke

March 2:
Lois Minton
L. B. Jones
Joe Weiler
Terri Janice Neal
Jack Webb Baum
Gayl Mikeska
A. Bertrand
Mrs. Ira Loving
J. J. Woody
Mrs. Leroy Brooker
J. T. Hewes
Betty Helms
Stephen George Friend

March 3:
Charley McCowen
Denna Hagar
Gerry L. Holly

March 4:
Mrs. Felix Oglesby
Harvey Thomas
W. A. Crutchmer

March 5:
Mrs. Dwayne Wilson
Loy Don Black
John Prentice
Edith Pauline Nelson
Frances Staggs
Betty Fisher
Mrs. Carrie Cross

March 6:
Mrs. Gene Wilcoxon
David Dallas
John Chesshir
Jerry Tate
Reuben McCowen
Mrs. Ben Strickland
Mrs. H. C. Beaver
Janie Dean
Butch Webb
Kenneth Jordan

March 7:
Mrs. W. A. Strickland
Rev. H. V. Falkner
Mrs. D. C. Hargrove, Jr.
Mrs. Henry Meador
Dwight Black

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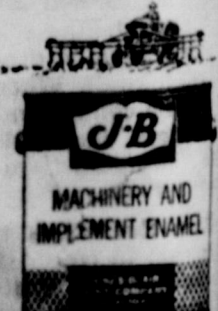
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Well Folk Enjoy Visiting With Friends And Kinsmen

By Mrs. Alton Tatom
 Emory Foster's sisters, Nina Beasley of Killen, Mrs. Edna Pruitt of Gates, recently visited her for days and nights.
 and Mrs. Lynn Mills and on from Fort Worth spent night and Sunday with Mrs. Clyde Lovelady.
 and Mrs. McKinley and Virgil Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewes
 and Mrs. Freddy Tatom and Lynn spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Tatom.
 and Mrs. Nathan Foster

and Steve and Randy were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin at Sabanno.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre of Cross Plains visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins, Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Euel Wilson and children left this week for Quantico, Va., after spending a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady. Euel is a Marine and is in the photographic department.

Rev. and Mrs. Arlis Williams and Don visited Mr. and Mrs. Charnel Hutchins Sunday. Rev. McAuley also visited them in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster for a while Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and Beverly and Kim and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom in Baird Sunday afternoon.

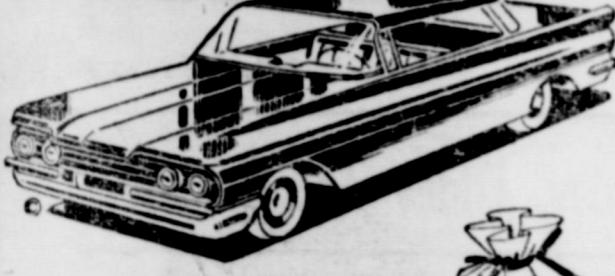
Edwin Baum visited in Brownwood Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. Ed Baum, who is spending some time with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Browning.

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**Older than he looks - Wiser than he shows
 A lover of books - And wife who sews**

(He'll Be Surprised To Find This Here)

IN DAYS OF YORE

35 Years Ago

March 18, 1927: School superintendent T. R. Haggard was unanimously reelected as superintendent of schools here for 1927-28 school term. R. O. Eubank was in town Saturday and presented the editor with some fine specimens of English Walnuts. Mrs. Carl Longley has opened a gift shop and novelty shop on South Main Street. The girls basketball team will attend a three day tournament at Breckenridge this week. Members of the first team are: Gladys Swan, Zelda Barr, Virgie Eager, Juanita Wilson, Lois DeBusk and Kathleen Neeb. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duke, Aunt Tish Walker and daughter, Mrs. Dordie, were visitors in the Marvin Smith home Sunday. Miss Helen Ogilvy and Miss Fannie Baum were guests in the J. Lee Smith home last week. Mrs. Lizzie Booth, 85, died at the home of her son, J. W., Feb. 12. Twenty-four guests were present at a bridge party Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Harvey. Mrs. Minnie Mannering of Colorado City is visiting here.

30 Years Ago

March 18, 1932: Figures released from four local produce houses Wednesday revealed that \$155.70 per day is being paid farmers of this area for eggs. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Rich were in Cisco Sunday. A check for \$2,275 is expected by the local school system within the next few days. The amount is \$3.50 of the state allotment of \$17.50 yearly for each scholastic enrolled in the school district. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Franklin are parents of a son. Among those from Burkett who tested their nerves by seeing Frankenstein at Coleman last week were Mrs. Helberg and children, Jasper Burkett, Yuna V. Cross, Alpha Wright, Mildred Newton, Frank Cross, Clifton James, Vera Pearl and Ernestine Oliver, Byron Newton, Grace Golson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Phillips and family and Miss Thelma Taylor. Mrs. Cranz Nichols, Jr., of Galveston is visiting her parents. Leta Neeb, Juakana Westerman, Mrs. Jeff Kelly, Mrs. Luke Westerman, H. H. McDermott, Jr., and Earl Webb attended the stock show in Fort Worth the past week end.

25 Years Ago

March 5, 1937: FFA stock show to be held here March 6. J. C. Garrett resigns City Council post. Cross Plains area receives year's best rainfall Thursday morning. Miss Vernie Placke, Dessie Huntington, Ruth Mae Kelley and Emmitt Branscum were at Dressy Sunday. Roy Arrowood is preparing to drill a well on the Fred Long place at Dressy. Gloster Thompson underwent a tonsillectomy last week. Construction of the first unit of a county lateral road between Cross Plains and Putnam will get underway early next week.

20 Years Ago

Feb. 27, 1942: Babe Wood, proprietor of Cross Plains Motor Co., Inc., local Chevrolet dealership, will close his doors March first for the duration. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Clark are parents of a baby boy. Students from Cross Plains making the honor roll at John Tarleton Agriculture College for the first semester were Kent Davis, and Fred J. and Jack Tunnell. Announcement has been made of the marriage on Feb. 9, of Miss Falba Ray Hurlley of Pioneer and Milton Newton of this city. Teddy Walker, student in North Texas State Teachers College, spent the week end at home. Leroy Butler left Thursday for Bakersfield, Calif., where he will be employed. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Ford are parents of a baby girl born Feb. 16. Fred Tunnell attended the annual convention of West Texas Bankers in Fort Worth over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moore will celebrate their golden wedding an-

niversary March first with a family reunion. W. O. Peevy's children and a number of friends surprised him with a birthday dinner Sunday.

10 Years Ago

Feb. 28, 1952: Cross Plains girls are winners of District 7-A basketball championship tournament. Contributions received to date on the new rural fire truck total \$2,173. Billie Jean Wright was selected Abilene District FFA sweetheart last week at the annual banquet in Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford have returned from California where they visited relatives and friends. R. E. Wilson is in the Rising Star Hospital suffering from pneumonia. Old Man Winter made his entry into this section Sunday night and a cold north wind accompanied with fine snow turning the landscape into a wintery scene here Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edgington and Malecia, who were in Hot Springs, N. M., for three months and also made a short tour of Wyoming, are now living in San Angelo. Mrs. Ruby Copeland was in Austin Sunday visiting her brother.

5 Years Ago

Gene Davidson, son of Rev. and Mrs. Rollo Davidson of Seymour, was killed Sunday afternoon in a two car collision one and one-half miles South of here. Cross Plains took first place in Class A competition of the 1957 Stage Band Festival at Brownwood Friday. Jim McDonald accepted the trophy. Billy Mayes and John Baum are entrants in the Coleman boxing tournament. Walter Pope of Atwell entertained his Sunday School class with a party recently. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Nichols are parents of a baby daughter. Recently elected officers of the Cross Cut Arts

\$267 More Paid For Fight On Screworm

With efforts already underway to eradicate screwworm flies in Texas, contributions continue to come in from Cross Plains area livestock owners to help finance the undertaking.

Edwin Baum, local treasurer for the endeavor, reported 17 more contributions totaling \$267.50. A few of these were in addition to prior donations.

Recent contributions included these: Freddy Tatom \$20, Cowan Hutton \$35, M. F. Dill \$7, Mrs. Fred Heyser \$35, Harmon (Jack) Smith \$25, M. E. Howell \$5, James P. Clark \$7.50, J. H. Meador \$5, I. M. Tension \$1, Charnel G. Hutchins \$3.50, Earl Montgomery \$11.50, Chester Glover \$11, Mike Cunningham \$12.50, N. L. Long \$4, J. M. Greenwood \$30, John D. Montgomery \$48 and Mrs. S. O. Montgomery \$6.50.

EUAL VESTAL BUYS DUPLEX APARTMENTS

T. E. (Eual) Vestal has purchased the two-story duplex apartment building just west of the Krell Insurance Agency in the south part of town. The structure was formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. (Red) Huckaby.

and Craft Club are Mrs. Pete Golson, Mrs. Lewis Newton, Mrs. Les Byrd, Mrs. Charlie Sowell, Mrs. Albert Lovell and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Placke and daughters attended the lecture series at Abilene Christian College last week.

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CLYDE GIRL CAGERS WIN DISTRICT TITLE

Clyde High School girls basketball team captured the District 10-A championship Friday night.

Clyde's sextet nipped Eastland's female squad in overtime 32-30 in Albany in the final game of a three game playoff.

The 10-A champs' bi-district opponent will be the winner of District 11-A, in which a playoff between girls teams of Mason and Goldthwaite are involved.

Clyde emerged victorious in the first round of the best-of-three, but Eastland squared the series last Thursday to force the third game on a neutral court.

LOCAL YOUTH IN CALF SCRAMBLE AT HOUSTON

Eddy Don Edmondson will vie with other vocational agriculture students this week in "Scramble Calf" competition at the Houston Fat Stock Show and Livestock Exposition. He will be accompanied to Houston by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Baldwin here last week end were his sister, Mrs. Myrtle McElroy and daughters, Mrs. Gene Huddle and Mrs. Herman Hagere and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Baldwin, all of Fort Worth.

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WTU Having Open House Wednesday

The West Texas Utilities office in Cross Plains is inviting patrons and friends to drop in next Wednesday anytime between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. for coffee and cookies.

"We're just having a little informal open house to say hello and thanks for everything to our friends, and will appreciate everyone dropping in on us at that time," said Bill Button, local manager, yesterday.

Cross Plains Sends 25 To Rifle Match

Twenty-five people from Cross Plains were in Winters Sunday afternoon where two local rifle teams fired in Cub, Boy and Explorer Scout competition. Although neither of the local squads emerged victorious, Cubmaster Paul Whitton and Scoutmaster Wayne Westerman expressed enthusiastic appreciation of the showings made by local youths.

Members of the Cross Plains Boy Scout rifle team were Donald and Phillip Streight, Bobby McMillan, Joe Pierce and Ronnie Rhodes. Local Cub Scout riflemen were: Joe Dodds, Jack Tunnell, Jr., Clayton Kinard and Don Scott.

Others attending the meet from here included: Paul and Jim Whitton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tunnell and daughters, Carolyn and Julie, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Arnold, Gale, Claudia and Beekie, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Scott, Tommy Dodds and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Westerman.

Coleman won shooting honors in both the Cub and Boy Scout divisions, and Eula took the championship in the Explorer Scout marksmanship.

J. L. Bonner was in Brownwood Tuesday.

Rowden

By Mrs. E. Crow

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mr. and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Judy, Mrs. W. E. Nowell and Lon Duncan attended the Workers Conference at the Cross Plains Baptist Church. The Rowden church won the banner for the month.

Mrs. Lela Gibbs visited Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird Thursday.

The ladies met for their regular quilting day Wednesday. Sixteen ladies were present with visitors from Admiral and Cottonwood. There from Cottonwood were Mrs. C. E. Myrick, Mrs. J. F. Coffey, Mrs. Herman Heine, Mrs. Lizzie Woodward and Mrs. Collis Eager, from Admiral were Mrs. J. D. Cautiben, Mrs. Smart and Reubel and Ethel Eastham. All reported a very enjoyable day.

There will be a dairy meeting at the Community Center Thursday night of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains visited Hance and Jess Miller Monday.

Mrs. Warren Price and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs visited Mrs. John Adair Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Lebew, Dennis and Lynna, of Spur spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Crow.

Those having dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Nowell, Mr. and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Judy and Mrs. Sterling Odum, Virginia and Nancy. Mr. and Mrs. Brian Dale Brown and children of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Price Sunday evening.

In keeping with a custom started several years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Koening and Mr. and Mrs. John Purvis got together Friday night for a joint celebration of wedding anniversary.

Mobil Captures CPBC Crown; Johnston 2nd

George Hutchins Mobil bowling team won the Cross Plains Bowling Club championship, and all places were settled last Thursday night.

Mobil whipped D. C. Lee Gulf 3-1 to put the Gullies in third place while Johnston Truck & Supply blanked Mayes Lumber Company 4-0 to finish second and push Mayes Lumber into the cellar.

Even though places are secured, one more night of competition remains on the league schedule. Tonight sees the champs seeking to prove their superiority as they battle second place Johnston Truck and Gulf tangling with Mayes Lumber with nothing but prestige at stake.

Mobil and Gulf bowlers hogged honors last Thursday. Mobil grabbed high team game with 716 pins in the second tilt, but Gulf edged its opponent in actual output for high series laurels with an aggregate of 1,998 pins. Mobil's 1,990 was second, but with their handicap posted a 2,107 total.

The best two individual games were railed in the second game. Gulf's Dick Grider nipped Mobil's Raymond Franke by a single pin with a 184 to Franke's 183. But Franke gained the upper hand in the average department with a 164 average, 492 series, and Grider was runner-up with an average of 156, a 470 pin series.

Dan Johnston led his team to victory with a 459 series, averaging 153 per game, and John Patcake paced Mayes Lumber with a 399 collection or a 133 average.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stacy, Mrs. J. C. Graham and Mrs. Ruby Copeland visited in Brownwood and Coleman Thursday.

Among those attending the stage band festival in Brownwood Friday were Mrs. Edwin Baum, Mrs. John Pruet, Mrs. Dan Johnston, Mrs. Russell Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Latson and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitton.

Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GE
Mobil	57	35	.619	—
Johnston	51	41	.554	6
Gulf	45	47	.489	12
Mayes	31	61	.337	26

Sabanno

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Second Lt. and Mrs. Jerry Erwin are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wordis Erwin, and Peggy. They are enroute to Fort Hood from Fort Belvoir, Va., where Jerry has been attending an engineers officers orientation course since Dec. 1.

There will be services at both churches next Sunday. Rev. Wise preaches at 9:30 a.m. for the Union Sunday School group and Rev. Jones at the Baptist Church at 11 a.m.

Mrs. Lee Cumba and Mrs. W. E. Lusk will be hostesses to the Busy Bee Club Wednesday afternoon. Visitors are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler, Rev. Joe Jones and Robert Meador visited with Mrs. Ada Butler, who is a patient in the nursing home in May, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brooker and girls and Harold Ingram of Abilene visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ingram, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert of Cisco visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Barron Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Olaf South of Sweetwater visited with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin, Friday night.

Rev. Joe Jones visited in the community and also with Mr. and Mrs. John Price in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Raymond Cumba of Port Lavaca is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon visited with his mother in Clyde and other relatives in Abilene over the week end.

Mrs. Lee Cumba and Mrs. J. W. Beene were business visitors in Eastland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cullen and children of Snyder were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Barron over the week end.

Doane Switzer of Fort Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer and James Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pelton of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Truett Parsons over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sneed and children of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Simpson Sunday.

Rev. Joe Jones had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meador Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Beene, Mrs. Lee Cumba and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk visited with Mrs. O. B. Switzer Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon and sons visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon, in Cottonwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Price and daughter of Weatherford visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Price in Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ingram here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox and daughter of Carlsbad, N. M., spent the week end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins and Eldridge and Goldie Lawson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Authur Erwin and Mrs. Sheb McCannlis of Cisco and Mrs. Claude Spon were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ingram, Harold and Paul were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pruet and children of Abilene visited with Misses Josie, Alma, and Columbus Morris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin and children of Hobbs, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and Stevie and Randy and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Black of Wheeler were Sunday dinner guests in the Edwin Erwin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dale Blackwell of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blackwell Sunday and Saturday.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer, James, and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Switzer attended the wedding of Ravid Goble in Burkett Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and children of Novice visited with her father, Wes Holcomb, Sunday. Mrs. Holcomb is in Gustine where she is staying with their daughter, Mrs. Junior Livingston, who is recovering from surgery.

Wayne Gibbens of Breckenridge, candidate for the State Legislature, was in Cross Plains Monday afternoon in the interest of his candidacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Richardson attended the Chamber of Commerce banquet in Baird Friday night.

LOCAL MYF HOSTS SUB-DISTRICT MEET

Members of the local Methodist Youth Fellowship of the First Methodist Church were hosts Monday night to 80 youths from six churches for their regular sub-district meeting.

During the program Keith Watkins of the local church was in charge of the devotional and speaker for the evening was Bob Robertson of Stephenville, Conference Youth Director.

Following the program, a recreational period was enjoyed in the church basement and refreshments were served.

Call Meeting To Pick LL Officers

Annual election of officers for the Cross Plains Little League program will be held here Thursday night at Odum's Restaurant, Edwin Baum, president of the set-up, has called the gathering for 7:30.

Four officials are to be chosen to guide the recreational program this Summer.

Present officers are Baum, president; O. B. Edmondson, vice-president; Mrs. Herbert Freeman, secretary and treasurer, and Bob Latson, player representative.

"We expect all managers, assistant-managers, sponsors and interested individuals to be present in fact, everyone is welcome," Baum said.

M. C. Baum Honored With Birthday Dinner

Honoring M. C. Baum, who this week celebrates his 75th birthday, three of his children and their families, Mrs. Baum and several kinsmen gathered at the family home on North Main Street here Sunday and enjoyed a day together.

A birthday dinner was served at noon with the honoree, Mrs. Baum and three of their children and families in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCreary and two daughters of Shallowater, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Baum of San Antonio and Mrs. Forest Keith and three daughters of Tulia, Bob Cunningham was also a dinner guest.

Out-of-town kinsmen who called during the day to extend congratulation included Mr. and Mrs. W. C. (Bill) Huchingson of Abilene, and Mrs. E. E. Webb and son and daughter of Burkett. During the afternoon a number of other relatives and old time friends dropped by to pay respects and offer best wishes.

Mrs. L. W. Westerman and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson were in Brownwood one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Farr of Wichita Falls spent the week end here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Alice Boyle was a recent visitor in Fort Worth where she attended the funeral of Robert H. Spicer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Foster are recent visitors in Fort Worth where they attended the funeral of Robert H. Spicer.

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Shirley Dies Bird Saturday

Ida May Shirley, 75, a resident of Cross Plains, died Saturday afternoon at 5:10 Callahan County Hospital.

Shirley came here from on the Texas Plains, in she was born April 27, McCulloch County.

Shirley was married to B. F. Shirley, 7, 1907, in McCulloch County.

She is survived by her husband, four sons, Craig F. of Plains, B. L. of Amarillo, A. of Cross Plains, and J. of Dallas; four daughters, Elizabeth Turner of Mrs. Harry Ellis of Kress, Charlie Baker of Elk Grove, Mrs. Orville Plunk of 22 grandchildren, 24 grandchildren.

and Mrs. John Purvis business visitors in Dallas

and Mrs. Sam Clark of Colorado City visited last week in the home of sister and her husband, Mrs. John Ford, and their brother, Clyde Beel-

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS MEETS AT CLARK HOME

Willing Workers class of the First Baptist Church Sunday School met in the home of Mrs. Jeff Clark Feb. 23 with Mrs. Ross Respass as co-hostess.

Mrs. Luke Westerman led the class song. The minutes were read of the last two class meetings. The class had quilted a quilt to be given to someone who needed it, and it was decided to give it to the Vernon Falkner family which has had much sickness.

It was voted to have a regular visitation day. Two members will go together each Tuesday afternoon. After several games the hostesses passed refreshment plates carrying out the George Washington motif.

The following members were present: Mrs. Luke Westerman, Mrs. A. A. Beekman, Mrs. L. L. Houser, Mrs. W. S. McCann, Mrs. Earl Pyle, Mrs. Henry McCoy and the hostesses.

Courthouse Work Moves 4 Offices

An improvement project now underway in the Callahan County courthouse at Baird is expected to be completed before April 1, said County Judge J. Lester Farmer Tuesday.

Workmen are presently repairing basement of the building. Four offices located on that floor have been temporarily moved to the courtroom on the second floor.

Scoring Odd But Lions Claim Win

Proceeds from a farcial basketball game between Lions Club members and local school teachers, played in the school gymnasium Saturday night, grossed \$161.90.

Although scoring was of doubtful accuracy, the service clubmen claimed victory by a count of 83-80.

Members of the two teams were announced as follows: teachers: "B. B." Gunn, "Chrome Dome" Coppinger, "Spider" Watkins, "Loveable" I. B. Loving and "Model T." Ford; Lions: "Wilt the Stilt" Souder, "Wiggin" Don Wiggins, "The Burkett Flash" Scot Edgington, "Dodging" Damon Jones, "Handlebar Hank" Joe Hanke, Jr., "Tarantula" Watkins, "Playboy Casanova" Dodds, "Bull Fighter" Edmondson and "Lover Boy" Latson.

Score-keepers were announced as: "Law Abiding" Byron Richardson and "Honest" Jack Watkins.

Net proceeds from the event will be used in local civic work.

"On behalf of Cross Plains Lions, I want to thank everyone who by attendance or otherwise contributed to Saturday night's undertaking," said Dr. M. E. Roth, president of the club, "we are grateful to the players, ladies who provided sandwiches, those who helped in the concession stand, ticket sellers, members of the planning committee and those who made facilities of the gymnasium available."

Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick visited Thursday of last week at Santa Anna with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Granad, a brother of Mrs. Myrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Ballinger of near Cisco visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Wilcoxon. Mr. Gilbert is reported to have been real sick the last few days with a bad liver condition.

Several attended the singing at Admiral last Thursday night. Those who attended from here were: V. L. Fulton, Mrs. Sam Swafford and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heine.

Those who attended the Rowden Community Center quilting last Wednesday from here were: Mrs. J. F. Coffey, Mrs. C. R. Myrick and Mrs. Herman Heine.

Mrs. F. W. Respass of Rising Star visited with Beulah and Hazel Respass last Thursday night.

Beulah and Hazel Respass visited in Stephenville last Thursday with two cousins, Mrs. Mary Story and Mrs. Ruby Stokes also stopped to see Mrs. Floyd Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos McDermott of Cross Plains attended services at the Methodist Church Sunday night with the Rev. Marshal Tutt family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Thompson of Haskell visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson have bought the J. C. Evans place about one mile west of Cottonwood from the Evans heirs. Bill has been renting the farm for about 20 years. They will move their house on it in the near future.

Pioneer

By Jean Fore

Several in our community are on the sick list this week due to colds and virus. We hope everyone will soon be up and out, again.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean and Mrs. Cowan Hutton were in Eastland first of last week where Mrs. Dean underwent dental surgery in Eastland Hospital. She returned home Thursday and is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack McCarty visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin, one day last week. The McCartys are moving to Cross Plains from Andrews. They purchased a lot west of Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGowen on East Highway 36, and have moved a house on the property.

Mrs. Eula Fore spent Tuesday night in Cross Plains with Mrs. Annie Bishop and attended the Workers Conference at the Baptist Church Tuesday night.

Mrs. Grace Eakin visited Mrs. Eula Fore and Mrs. Velma Brown one day last week.

Mike Ratliff and son, Mike, of Jal, N. M., visited their family, Mrs. Ratliff, Daney and Dru, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson and his nephew, Fred Byerly, of Rotan, visited Mrs. William Byerly at Blanket Saturday. Enroute home they visited Mrs. Raymond Gray and other relatives and friends in Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray of Rising Star visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray, Saturday.

Mrs. Charlie McCowan and Naomi of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Grace Eakin last Monday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lee Black of Wheeler visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Scott Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. E. M. Curry of Cross Plains spent Monday night with her daughter, Mrs. Grace Eakin.

Visiting during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shirley were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Key and family of Odessa, Mrs. Lester King and boys and Mrs. A. J. King of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rawls and family of Girvin spent the week end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hester.

CHURCH LADIES HONOR MRS. WAYNE WESTERMAN

The Women's Association at the First Presbyterian Church honored one of its members, Mrs. Wayne Westerman, with a baby shower recently at the home of Mrs. Harold Wise.

Present were Mmes. Harold Wise, Carl Sohns, Clay Kinnard, Harold Garrett, C. M. Garrett, Fonia Worthy, Sam Barr, Don McCall, Howard Coburn, A. C. Billingsley and C. C. Westerman.

Personals

Mrs. J. E. Mikeska of Clyde visited here Tuesday.

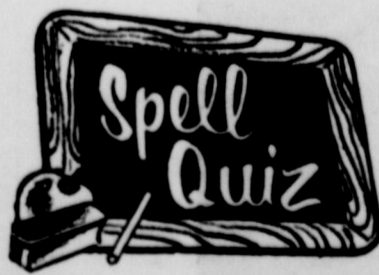
Mrs. Henry Cravens of Merton visited Mrs. Mary Wagner and Dick in Cross Plains last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Parkenson and girls of Tuscola visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Champion and Vonita, recently.

Mrs. Bert Brown has returned home from Coleman after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Frank Wright. While there she attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr. Wright, formerly of Cross Plains.

Visitors here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hanke, Jr., were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ingram of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ingram of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Sammie J. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Woodridge, Lin and Dan, all of Bangs.

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Miss Irma Perez emphasized that in spite of the difficult struggle Methodism are having, still the church is growing and youths of her country are greatly involved. She expressed her appreciation for work of the missionaries who are able to reach the people with the truth concerning America. "This," she says, "is terribly important."

Mr. Ferreiro told of the work of the church in Cuba in the midst of a revolution. He expressed appreciation to this country and to his church for helping get his mother a visa from Cuba, but was reluctant to mention anything about the Castro and the present government, since his father has been retained in Cuba.

Both student emphasized that too many times federal grants of money to their countries have no meaning to the average man, since these grants generally fall into the hands of those in the upper class who are in control of the government. But when it channeled through the church, it takes a personal role by providing better education, medical help, and other social improvements, he said.

Believing that the peace of the world will eventually depend upon the progress that the churches make, the First Methodist Church is spending five weeks in a mission study of "Latin American Lands in Focus." Next Sunday a guest from Panama will speak, says Rev. Charles J. McAfee, pastor.

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In buying this business from Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayes five years ago, the people of the Cross Plains area generously favored us with a large portion of their requirements in this line. To each and every one of you, we extend profound thanks and wishes.

Although our tenure has ended in the lumber business in Cross Plains, we will always cherish the memory of friendships made during this experience and take pride in the fact that there are today 21 happy homes and two new churches which we had the happy privilege of constructing.

OUR LOVE TO ALL OF YOU

AUNITA MAYES

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ELECT WAYNE GIBBENS

to a second term as YOUR State Representative

SMEAR TACTICS, in my opinion, have no place in any political race. It is for this reason that I believe there are certain matters which should be called to the attention of the people of this district.

There are powerful professional lobbyists who live outside this legislative district who would like very much to defeat me in my race for a second term as your state representative. I have consistently voted independently and for the best interests of the people of this area, and for this reason I have aroused the lobby's dislike for me.

It is regrettable that my opponent is conducting the type of campaign these professional lobbyists would like to see carried on in this legislative race. I assure you that I will not have any part in a "mud-slinging" campaign, and that I will continue to ask for your support solely on the basis of issues and my legislative record and that of my opponent.

As the campaign progresses, it is my plan to tell you, the voters, the facts about the legislative records of each of us. I will try diligently to meet as many of you as time will allow.

Sincerely,
WAYNE GIBBENS
State Representative

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Thursday, March 1, 1962

CITY ELECTION NOTICE

I, Ted Souder, Mayor of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, by virtue of power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the city of Cross Plains of the 3rd day of April 1962, it being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Aldermen for terms of two years each.

Said election shall be held at the City Hall in Cross Plains, Texas, under state election laws regulating municipal elections. Polls will open at 8 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

The law provides that names of all candidates to be placed on the printed ballot, must have filed with the City Secretary on or before March 3, 1962.

Approved by City Council in regular session.

TED SOUDER, Mayor
46 3tc

FOR SALE: Electric Silvertone Console Chord Organ. A bargain at \$150.00. Call 725-2913. 45 2tp

MATTRESSES RENOVATED: Cotton, innerspring or fleted, one-day service. Guaranteed workmanship, neighborly prices. Alford Mattress Factory, 114 East College St., Rising Star. 47 3tp

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FOR RENT OR LEASE: Pasture and farm land, 100 acres pasture, 30 acres cultivation, will consider at least three year lease. 2 1/2 miles northwest of Cross Plains. If interested, write F. L. Ashley, 1227 E. 16th, Big Spring, Texas. 47 2tp

FOR SALE OR RENT: 4-room house with bath, fenced yard, block south of school. Call Mrs. Lon Coffey, 725-2222. 44 tfc

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POLITICAL CALENDAR

Your serious consideration of the following candidates is invited:

State Senator, 22nd District: TOM CREIGHTON

State Representative, 63rd District: SCOTT BAILEY

County Judge: WAYNE GIBBENS

County Clerk: LOWELL BOYD

County Treasurer: BYRON RICHARDSON

County Superintendent: C. LEE SMITH

Commissioner, Precinct 4: BEATRICE GREEN DEAL

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: ROYCE V. WHITE

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: SARAH M. McCOWEN

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: HAZEL REYNOLDS

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: L. C. CASH

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: JOHN HOWARD BALKUM

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: DUKE MITCHELL

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: JAMES P. (J. P.) CLARK

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: BERNIE A. MOORE

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: CLAUD C. JOY

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: GARLAND B. GARY

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: EARL L. MONTGOMERY

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: ALTON TATOM

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: NATHAN S. FOSTER

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: DOYLE W. COWAN

Justice of the Peace Precinct 6: ZED BRIGHT

ORDER OF ELECTION

Cross Plains Independent School District
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CALLAHAN
Cross Plains Independent School Dist., Cross Plains, Texas.
To the qualified voters of said district:

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in Cross Plains Independent School District, in Cross Plains, Texas, at the City Hall, on the first Saturday in April, 1962, same being the seventh day of said month, for the purpose of electing three trustees of Cross Plains Independent School District, to succeed Dayton Sessions, Hadden Payne and Forest Walker, whose terms expire.

The law provides that the names of all candidates to be placed on the ballot, must file with Dr. Carl J. Sohns, secretary of the board of trustees, on or before March 7, 1962.

DR. CARL J. SOHNS, Sec.,
Board of Trustees,
Cross Plains Ind. School Dist.,
Cross Plains, Texas. 45-4tc

CIVIL DEFENSE AND DISASTER ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE CREATING A MUNICIPAL DEFENSE AND DISASTER RELIEF COMMITTEE, CREATING THE OFFICE OF MUNICIPAL DEFENSE COORDINATOR AND PROVIDING THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THAT OFFICE; CREATING AN OPERATIONAL ORGANIZATION; GRANTING NECESSARY POWERS TO COPE WITH EMERGENCIES THREATENING LIFE AND PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS; AUTHORIZING COOPERATIVE MUTUAL AID AGREEMENTS FOR RELIEF WORK BETWEEN THIS AND OTHER CITIES OR COUNTIES; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES; PROHIBITING UNAUTHORIZED LIGHTS AND WARNING AND ALL-CLEAR SIGNALS AND MAKING VIOLATIONS A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$50.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS:

Section 1. There is hereby created the Municipal Civil Defense and Disaster Relief Committee of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, which shall hereafter consist of the following:

(a) The Mayor of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, who shall serve as Chairman of the Committee, and who shall be known as Municipal Defense Coordinator of the City of Cross Plains, Texas.

(b) The Assistant Defense Coordinator of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, who shall be charged with the preparation of a civil defense plan for said city, together with such other duties as the Coordinator may prescribe. The Assistant Coordinator shall be appointed and hold his position at the pleasure of the Municipal Defense Coordinator. The Assistant Coordinator shall serve as Vice-Chairman of the Municipal Civil Defense and Disaster Relief Committee of the City of Cross Plains, Texas.

(c) The Directors of Divisions and Chiefs of Services of such Divisions as may be provided by resolution by the City Council or by directive of the Municipal Defense Coordinator.

(d) Representatives not to exceed twelve in number from civic, business, industry, labor, veterans, professional, or other groups, to be selected and appointed by the Mayor.

Section 2. The powers and duties of the Municipal Civil Defense and Disaster Relief Committee shall include the recommendation for adoption by the City Council of a civil defense plan for the City of Cross Plains, Texas, and the recommendation for adoption by the City Council of any and all mutual aid plans and agreements which are deemed essential to the implementation of such civil defense plan. The duties of such Civil Defense and Disaster Relief Committee shall also include the making of a survey of the availability of existing personnel, equipment, supplies and services which could be used during an emergency, as provided for herein, as well as a continuing study of the need for amendments and improvements in the civil defense plan adopted by the City Council. The Civil Defense and Disaster Relief Committee of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, shall meet upon the call of either the Chairman or Vice-Chairman.

Section 3. The Mayor of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, is hereby authorized to join with the County Judge of the County of Callahan, and the Mayors of other cities in said county in the formation of a Civil Defense and Disaster Relief Council for the County of Callahan and shall have the authority to cooperate in the formation of a Civil Defense plan for the County of Callahan and in the appointment of a Civil Defense Director for the County of Callahan, as well as all other powers necessary to participate in a county-wide program of civil defense and disaster relief insofar as said program may affect the City of Cross Plains, Texas.

Section 4. The office of Municipal Defense Coordinator is hereby created. The Municipal Defense Coordinator shall have the authority to request the declaration of the existence of an emergency by the City Council or by higher authority. In the event it is deemed necessary to declare the existence of an emergency without delay, the Coordinator may, if the City Council is not in session, do so, but such action shall be subject to confirmation by

the City Council at its next meeting. The duties and responsibilities of the Municipal Defense Coordinator shall include the following:

- (1) The control and direction of the actual operation or training of the civil defense and disaster relief organization of the City of Cross Plains, Texas.
- (2) The determination of all questions of authority and responsibility that may arise within the civil defense and disaster relief organization of the City of Cross Plains, Texas.
- (3) The maintenance of necessary liaison with other municipal, district, state, county, federal, or other civil defense organizations.
- (4) The marshaling, after declaration of an emergency as provided for above, of all necessary personnel, equipment or supplies from any department of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, to aid in carrying out the civil defense plan.
- (5) The issuance of all necessary proclamations as to the existence of an emergency and the immediate operational effectiveness of the civil defense plan.
- (6) The issuance of reasonable rules, regulations, directives which are necessary for the protection of life and property in the City of Cross Plains, Texas, and such regulations shall be filed in the office of the City Clerk and shall receive widespread publicity, unless publicity will be of aid and comfort to an enemy.
- (7) The supervision of the drafting and execution of mutual aid agreements in cooperation with representatives of the State and of other local political subdivisions of the State, and the drafting and execution, if deemed desirable, of an agreement with the county in which said city is located and with other municipalities within the county, for countywide cooperation of efforts in defense and disaster relief.
- (8) The supervision and final authorization for the procurement of all necessary supplies and equipment, including acceptance of private contributions.
- (9) The authorization of agreements for the use of private property, after approval of the City Council, such private property to be used for air raid shelters and other purposes affecting the general welfare.
- (10) The operational civil defense and disaster relief organization of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, shall consist of the officers and employees of said city designated by the Municipal Defense Coordinator as well as all volunteer municipal defense workers. The functions and duties of this organization shall be distributed among such divisions, services and special staff as the City Council shall prescribe by resolution or the Municipal Defense Coordinator shall provide by directive. Any such resolution or directive shall set forth the form of organization, establish and designate divisions and services, and designate officers and employees to carry out provisions of this ordinance. Insofar as possible, the form of organization, titles and terminology shall conform to the recommendations of the State Defense and Disaster Relief Council of the State of Texas and of the Federal Government.
- (11) Each person serving as a member of the Municipal Civil Defense and Disaster Relief Committee, or an officer, employee or volunteer in any capacity in the Municipal Civil Defense and Disaster Relief Organization created by resolution or directive pursuant to the authority herein conferred, shall prior to assuming his duty or duties, take an oath which shall be substantially as follows: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Texas, against all enemies, foreign and domestic that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I will not take any office or position in any organization, group or committee of any political party or organization that advocates the overthrow of the Government of the United States or of this State by force or violence; and that during such time as I am a member of the Municipal Defense and Disaster Relief Committee of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, I will not advocate or become a member

FOR SALE: 9 foot electric refrigerator; worth the money. Telephone 725-2281 or 725-2851. 43 tfe

FOR SALE: Holstein bull, grandson of \$50,000 sire and heavy yielding cow. Bull to be sold weighs 450 pounds, priced at \$100. See Dan Applin. 48-2p

FOR SALE: Pecan, Peach, Pear, Apricot, Plum, Cherry, Nectarine, Persimmon, Fig trees. These trees are all 4 to 5 feet, each wrapped individually in damp peat moss to keep roots from drying out until set out. We also have a nice selection of grape vines, berry vines, shade trees, rose bushes, bedding plants and bulbs. Simpson Seed Store, Coleman, Texas. 41-16tc

WE NEED your listings. Have one client wanting some 300 to 600 acres in Sabanno Valley. Improvements doesn't matter. Brush ok. Also have a member of Texas Veterans with papers. We need land for sale, anywhere. J. C. Traweck & Son, Bangs, Texas. 45 2tc

FOR SALE: 5 room house, 3 doors west of tist parsonage. See C. H. son. Cross Plains.

GOOD USED television set, picture, A-1, seek Copping.

FOR LEASE: 124 acres of ture land. See or call W. H. Copping.

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FOR SALE: Used records & Sister's Truck Stop.

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GUESS WHO
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Puzzle This Week:
D. J. (Jack) McCARTY

SELL AND PROFIT... BUY AND SAVE... GET A BETTER JOB... HIRE GOOD HELP!

Concerning Former Residents

(Raymond) Steele, a long-time Callahan County school teacher, is now retired and lives at East 9th Street in Cole. The veteran schoolmaster has a mighty fine group of students during his long tenure in the classroom and enjoys more than keeping up their progress through coffee and home town news. When a man reaches retirement it must be a rewarding realization that young lives have been influenced for good efforts and example. Such a fact should certainly be to Raymond Steele.

Mrs. Bob Smith, the former Miss Lois McCord, is employed in the Republic National Bank at Dallas. The building housing that financial institution is said to be the tallest west of the Mississippi River.

Miss Mary Massa, who left here in the early 1930's, is a long-time employee of the First National Bank in Fort Worth. She works in the savings department. Mary formerly worked in banks in Cross Plains and Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Westerman visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Henderson in Coleman Sunday.

Robert Short, 2741 North Odessa, writes to order view continued to her address a means of keeping up old friends in the Cross Plains area.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Nabers of Brownwood spent the week end here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott.

ONLY THIS AND NOTHING MORE

Editor's Note: The Review does not customarily print poetry, however, the following anonymous contribution is believed to be of sufficient quality to merit breaching the rule.

From whence it came, the publishers do not know or care, it gave them a chuckle and will possibly do the same for others.

In commissioners precinct No. 4

A lack of interest one can't deplore.

It leads the field with candidates galore.

Some are inexperienced; some know the score.

But all grow voluble, as ambitions soar,
With promises fantastic or sound to the core.

Some state specific intentions, detailed a' and fore,
Some just promise their best and the details ignore.

Some point with pride to records of yore,
At least the campaign won't be a bore.

As time grows short, loud grows the uproar,
As they busily add planks to their platform floor.

So gather up all your election lore;
To pick the right man will be a big chore!

But if you find not one by whom you set store,
Then man, you are hard to please for shore!

But don't give up; just write in one more.
To vote is a privilege as never before!

PEARL CRISWELL HONORED ON BIRTHDAY SATURDAY

Mrs. Pearl Criswell was honored with a surprise birthday celebration at her home Saturday.

Her daughter, Mrs. Jim Sawyer and son from Midland; son, Don Criswell and family of Irving were present as were other friends and relatives, including Mr. and Mrs. Grady Clark and family and Mrs. Weaver Callaway of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Millward and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Culvahouse of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gerhard, Mr. and Mrs. Ode Criswell and Joe Criswell of Rising Star.

Plates of turkey, dressing and all the trimmings were sent to those ill and unable to attend.

The remark was made during the party, "Well, Pearl really got one put over on her today," as it was a complete surprise.

Eddie Petty of Breckenridge was a business visitor in Cross Plains the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnell spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Butler and children in Ardmore, Okla.

Cross Cut

By Mrs. Les Byrd

Everyone is invited to a game party at the Community Center Thursday night, March 1. Hostesses are Mrs. Elvie Byrd, Mrs. Jack Arledge and Mrs. Hollis Kellar. Starting time is set for 7 p.m.

Mrs. Rosie Edington was a patient in a Brownwood hospital most of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd, Mrs. R. M. Proctor and Miss Willie Jones are visiting with relatives in Odessa for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom attended the basketball game between Talpa and Hawley at Howard Payne University gym Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will MaGhee and granddaughter of Bangs visited with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Norris and Clovie one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris and Clovie spent Saturday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Seymore and family, at Brooksmith.

Visiting the Norrises Sunday afternoon was his nephew, John Ratcliff, whose home is in Lubbock, but is attending Howard Payne University majoring in social science. Also visiting them was a cousin of Homer's, Mr. Johnson Ratcliff, of Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge and Nancy visited the Hubert Belew family in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Spending the week end in the Earnest Byrd home were: Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Schoats and baby of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hardin, Mrs. Paul Allen and Blenda Kay of Monahans, Tommy Creamer and Donna Cook of Fort Worth, Sunday visitors were Junior Chambers of Bryson and Mr. and Mrs. Claud DeBusk of Coleman.

Mrs. Bill Baucom has been ill with cold for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sowell and boys and Mrs. N. J. Coley spent Sunday in Ovalo with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carol Westerman at Pioneer Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Haun and children of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Newton and children of Clyde visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hollis Kellar and boys spent Sunday in Goldthwaite with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford.

O. B. Fomby is now recuperating in the Golden H. nursing home in Early. His son, Forest, of Corpus Christi was here visiting with him last week and brought him here for his mail.

CLYDE ELIMINATED IN REGION CAGE TOURNEY

District 10-A and bi-district basketball winner Clyde High School Bulldogs were eliminated in the first round of the Region II-A basketball tournament at Denton last week end.

Honey Grove dumped Clyde boys 64-53. The Bulldogs gained the regional meet with a 48-36 beating of Copperas Cove, champions of District 9-A.

Clyde ended the season with a 16-13 record.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odom and son, Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Deel Edington and son, Ronnie were in Houston this week to attend the stock show.

PHILOSOPHER SAYS CONQUERING SPACE IS LIKE CONQUERING JOHNSON GRASS

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou is off in space this week, his letter indicates.

Dear editor: "The trouble with conquering space is that I'm not sure it's going to stay conquered."

"Like nearly everybody else, I arranged my work so I could watch Col. Glenn take off in that rocket, and I was pulling hard for him although I'll concede Col. Glenn was the one taking all the risks. Naturally, anybody who stops to think is amazed at what we've done and is proud of the achievement and it gives the Russians something to think about, namely, that this country can do about anything it sets out to do, once it puts its mind to it, and if you can set an orbiting capsule down in the ocean with a man in it, you can set one down in Moscow with a bomb in it."

"And there's more to come, as one of the scientists responsible for the success of the flight said a few years from now the type of rocket ship used to put Col. Glenn into orbit will look about like a modern airplane looks compared with the Wright Brothers' plane."

"But here's the thing: people are always talking about conquering space, and I'm all for it, but conquering space may turn out to be about like conquering this Johnson grass farm. You can do it for a while, but if you don't keep conquering, it'll close in on you, and sometimes it'll beat you even when you're trying. I can't imagine a worse job than trying to conquer space when it extends outward forever in any direction you look, endlessly, beyond the fringes of the imagination. If I ever heard of permanent employment, that's it."

"As I see it, there are two main things wrong with space: there's too much of it, and there's nothing out there to breathe."

"For example, I'm all for going to the moon. That is, I'm all for somebody else going, but I think man ought to prepare himself for the possibility that going may be sort of like a trip

to the Sahara Desert. The main thing about it is having gone and come back, and if anybody brings up the idea of a second trip, you may want to change the subject."

"I don't know why man thinks he can make a go of living on the moon, taking his oxygen with him and manufacturing a new supply after he gets there, when he hasn't made too good a showing in earth, where the air is free."

Actually, though, conquering space has its interesting points and I'm as eager as you to see what those scientists do next. The fact you can't actually conquer it is no drawback, at least this has never stood in the way of farming."

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Murphy Dye of Abilene, who recently purchased Mayes Lumber Company in Cross Plains, was a business visitor here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McCarty spent the week end in Lubbock with their son, Danny, who is attending Texas Tech and working on the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

CUB SCOUT LEADERS COME HERE TUESDAY

An area meeting of Cub Scout executives will be held at the school cafeteria in Cross Plains Tuesday night of next week, beginning at 7:30. Visitors will be here from Baird, Clyde, Coleman, Winters and Eula.

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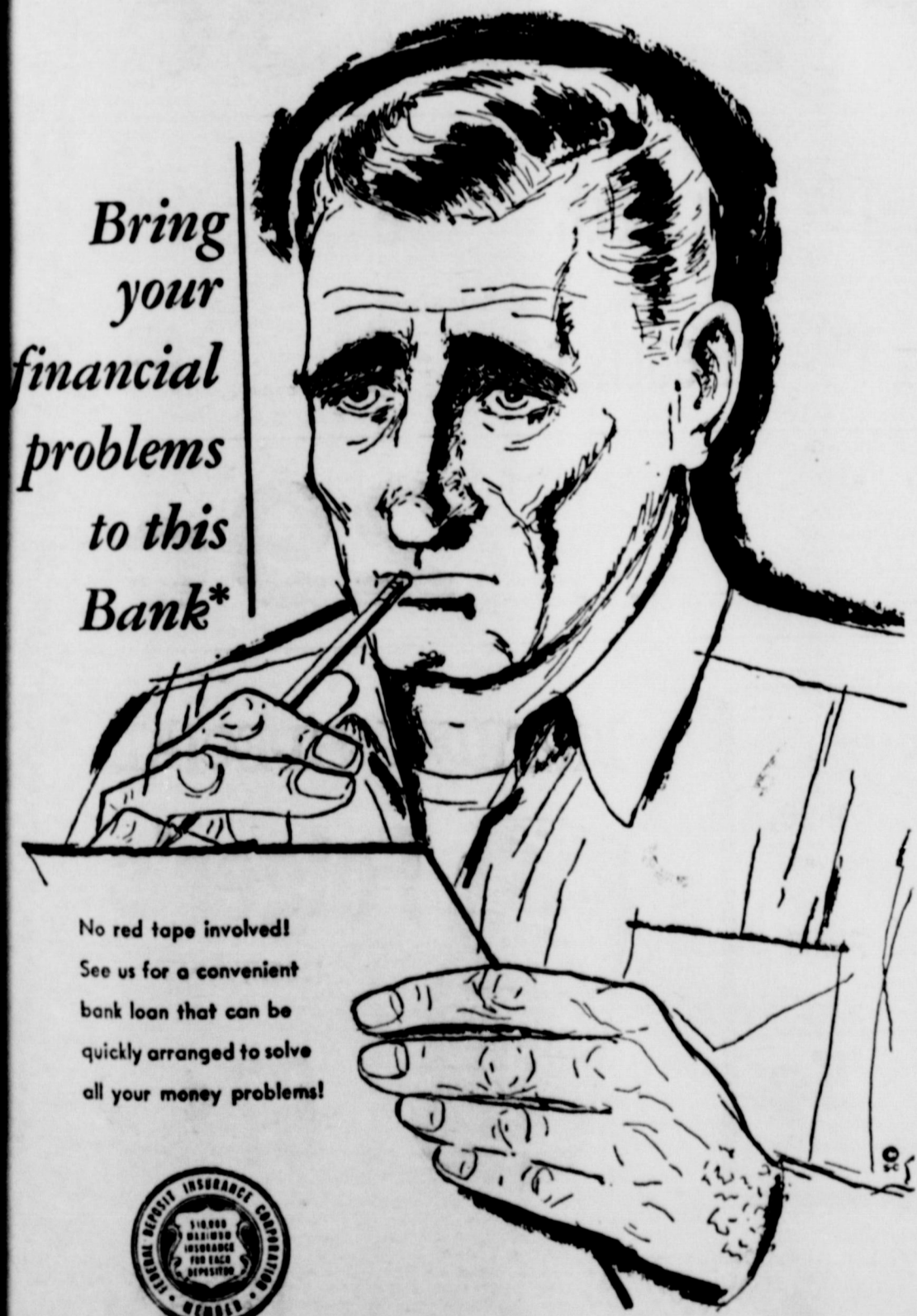
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W. B. BAUM, Vice-Pres.

JACK W. TUNNELL, Cashier

For COLDS take 666



PICK-UP SPECIALS

4 — 1960 and 1961 half-ton Pickups

7 — New Pickups and Scouts in stock

Give Us A Try We Trade

Dan Johnston Truck & Supply

Cross Plains, Texas

they'll look like NEW!

Let Us Clean Your CLOTHES

Our modern cleaning process makes your clothes "look like new" after we are through with them!

Every Garment Cleaned to Perfection Every Time!

WE GIVE S&H GREEN STAMPS

Jim Settle Dry Cleaning

"ENEMY TO DIRT" CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

"Come in - and have coffee and cookies with us."

Wednesday

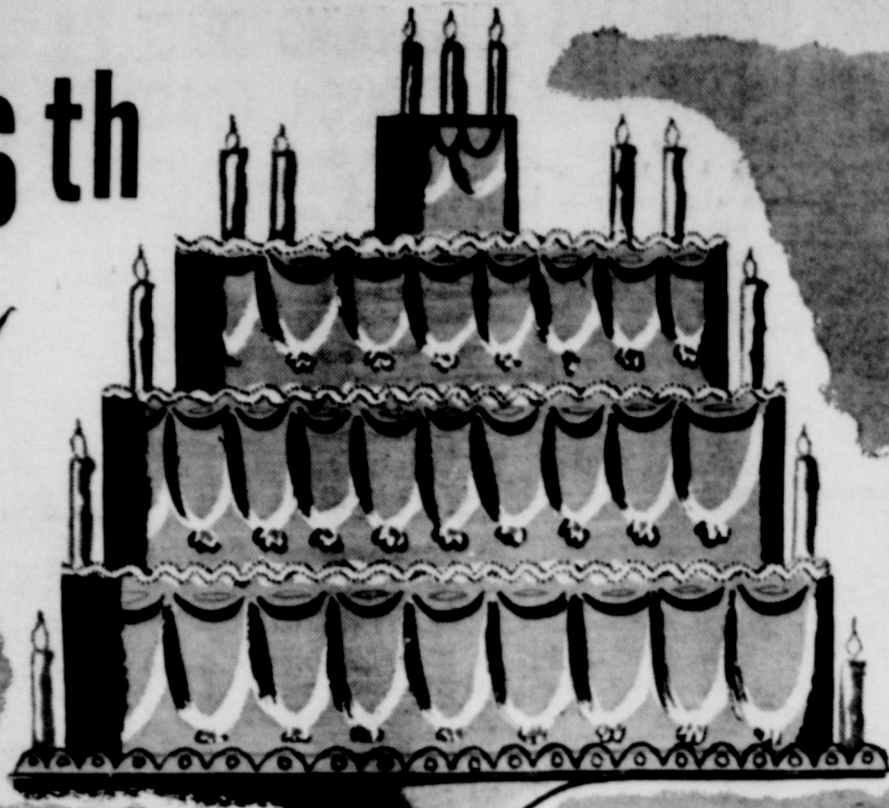
March 7, 1962

9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

West Texas Utilities Company



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WE GIVE DOUBLE
FRONTIER
STAMPS
EVERY WEDNESDAY

W.T. COX
FARMERS MARKET
"WHERE MA SAVES PA'S MONEY"
Phone 5-3841 Cross Plains

BIRTHDAY PARTY SALE

SPUDS NO. 1 **10** LBS. **39c**

To Our Customers

We want to say **THANKS** for 25 years of loyal patronage. Serving you with high quality foods has been a delight. We hope you will stock up on these values Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

MORTON'S
Chipo's reg. 49c size **30c**
MEAD'S
Potato Chips 2 19c pkgs. **19c**
MARIGOLD
Milk gal. jug **69c**

Frontier Stamp Bonus

We will give an extra \$1.00 worth of Frontier Stamps with every \$5.00 purchase of groceries next Saturday, March 3.

BACON GOOCH RANCH STYLE **2** LBS. **95c**

HUNTS Fruit Cocktail 5 303 cans 1 ⁰⁰	HUNTS Catsup 5 14 oz. bottles 1 ⁰⁰	HUNTS Spinach 8 300 cans 1 ⁰⁰
HUNTS, SPICED Peaches 5 2 1/2 cans 1 ⁰⁰	HUNTS, TOMATO Juice 10 300 cans 1 ⁰⁰	HUNTS, HALVES OR SLICED Peaches 4 2 1/2 cans 1 ⁰⁰

PICNICS GOOCH LB. **29c**

BIRTHDAY SPECIAL

Folger's

Vacuum Packed



59¢

Birthday Gifts For You

Come in Saturday and enjoy Chipos, coffee, and cup cakes, served FREE.

We will also give away Balloons and Miniature loaves of bread.

Hot Dogs only **5c**

SERVED FROM 9 a.m. TO 5 p.m. SATURDAY

BIRTHDAY SPECIAL

Folger's

INSTANT



67¢

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