



Some things seem so un-  
derstand or explain them  
brand them as witch-  
craft or sorcery.

Take for instance the  
lily some have to re-  
move warts and skin blem-  
ishes, merely by visual in-  
jection and the whisper-  
ing of a few mystic words.  
Medical science acknowl-  
edges no such power.  
There are, nevertheless,  
scores of persons in the  
Cross Plains area who claim  
to have had warts forever  
removed just that simply.

An attractive Cross Plains  
girl of a few years ago  
had a cluster of warts on the  
back of each hand. A class-  
mate told her that W. M.  
Stansbury could make them  
go away quickly and pain-  
lessly. Most everybody local-  
ly knows Stansbury to be  
what of a mechanical  
genius but few ever heard  
of his possessing such an un-  
usual talent. Nevertheless,  
the girl's faith, she  
went out and asked  
him.

She merely touched the  
warts and mumbled something to  
herself and announced that  
in three days they'd be gone.  
As it sounds, the warts  
disappeared right on schedule.  
The girl was 10 years ago and  
has not reappeared.

Mrs. Lela Gibbs of Row-  
land would be one of the  
persons on earth to  
know any supernatural  
power. She has countless  
neighbors and friends,  
though, who have seen her  
stop the flow of  
blood from a gushing  
wound, or allay the screams  
of a child suffering the  
pangs of a burn. The gift is  
believed to come through  
Divine and Providential as-  
sistance.

Perhaps equally as difficult  
to understand is the uncanny  
power some have in "witch-  
craft" or "doodlebugging" for  
example. Geologists don't recog-  
nize any type of divining rod  
there have been discover-  
ies that tend to defy skepti-

One of the most common methods  
of finding for water, one which  
has been in use since Biblical  
times, utilizes a green branch.  
Late Colonel Dyer of  
Cross Plains, however, made several  
striking discoveries using a  
rod and a door key.

The water field which sup-  
plies the City of Cross Plains  
is said to have been located  
by a divining rod.

At El Paso a few years  
ago officials of a housing de-  
partment called in a "witch"  
to locate water three out  
of four times after engineers  
steadfastly argued none  
could be found in that area.

Van Rogers, local oil  
producer and owner of  
several farms on the Tex-  
as Plains, reports excellent  
results in drilling for water  
where divining rods react.

"They sometimes miss the  
fluid but never the  
rod," he opines, "it's just  
occasionally barren."

Disbelief vanishes when a  
person is protected from  
an  
storm.  
There were no cellars and  
neighbors gathered at this  
the feeling secure that the  
of the house would de-  
disaster.

He kept the sharpest ax in  
Texas. At the first sign  
of a storm he'd fasten it in  
a tree or on a post between  
house and oncoming wind.  
The blade of the ax was point-  
ed toward danger, on the  
theory that it would split the  
storm.

That particular house was  
never damaged, while at  
other times those on all  
sides were either unroofed  
or obliterated.

People felt safer in that  
house than most do  
in a storm cellar," recalls the  
Cross Plains schoolman.

# 7 Wind Up In Council Race

Three new candidates an-  
nounced for places on the City  
Council Saturday, bringing to  
seven the number now seeking  
three places.

The full slate, listed in order  
of filing, is now:

- For Mayor:  
Ted Souder  
M. E. Roth
- For Alderman:  
(2 To Be Elected)  
Roy Cox  
Ira H. Hall  
C. H. Dawson  
Garland Gary  
Otis Purvis

## BROWNWOOD MAN WILL PREACH HERE SUNDAY

Dr. Julian Sleeper of Brown-  
wood will preach at the 11  
o'clock hour Sunday morning at  
the United Presbyterian Church  
in Cross Plains.

Deadline for filing passed Sat-  
urday. Texas statutes require  
that candidates announce 30  
days prior to voting. Election  
will be held April 7 in the City  
Hall.

**Two Year Terms**  
City Councilmen are elected  
for two-year terms. Hold-overs  
on the board are: Freddy Ta-  
tom, L. F. Foster and Darwin  
Anderson.

Filing deadline for two places  
on the board of trustees for  
Cross Plains Independent School  
District passed last Wednesday  
midnight with no new candi-  
dates entering the race. Dr. Carl  
J. Sohns and Jimmy McCowen,  
incumbents, will be unopposed  
for re-election. Date of the trust-  
ee election is April 4. It, too,  
will be in the City Hall.

**Three Year Terms**  
School trustees are elected  
for three-year tenures.



Rev. D. C. Jones

## Pastor To Preach For 8-Day Revival

An eight-day revival meet-  
ing will begin Sunday at the Ev-  
angelical Methodist Church in  
Cross Plains.

The Rev. D. C. Jones, pastor,  
will do the preaching.

Services are to begin each  
night at 7:30. Preaching will be  
preceded by special music and  
testimonials.

"Members of our congrega-  
tion particularly invite every  
person of this and adjoining  
communities to worship with us  
during this revival campaign,"  
said the Rev. Mr. Jones yester-  
day.

## Tom J. Bruce Dies At Brownwood Tuesday

Tom J. Bruce, 80, a Cross  
Plains resident 50 years, died  
at Medical Arts Hospital in  
Brownwood Tuesday morning  
after a critical illness of three  
weeks. He had been in declin-  
ing health, however, about four  
years.

Funeral services were to be  
held from the First Baptist  
Church in Cross Plains, of which  
he was a member, with the Rev.  
Don Turner, pastor, officiating.  
Burial was to be in the local  
cemetery under direction of  
Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Born April 20, 1883, in Brown-  
wood, Mr. Bruce later moved to  
Mills County. He came to Cross  
Plains area about the time of  
the arrival of the railroad here  
and was for many years one of  
the area's active cattle buyers,  
farmers and livestockmen. For  
a number of years he operated  
a slaughtering business and  
supplied local meat markets.

Survivors include a half  
brother, Grover Morgan, who  
for the past several years has  
made his home in Cross Plains  
and San Antonio; seven nieces,  
Mrs. Ethel McDowell of Dallas,  
Mrs. Patsy Halbert of Comanche,  
Mrs. Annie McPherson of Ham-  
ilton, Mrs. Myrtle Thompson of  
Tyler, Mrs. Dennie Oglesby of  
Lindale, Mrs. Minnie Reed of  
Huntington Park, Calif., Mrs.  
Minnie Swann of Cross Plains;  
six nephews, Quinn Robertson  
of Comanche, Myrtle Robertson  
of Dallas, A. D. Wright of Lin-  
dale, Emmett Wright of Lake-  
wood, N. J., Hiram and Clyde  
Wright, both of Tyler.

## COUNTY BOND SALES \$1,931,000 IN JANUARY

Savings bond sales in Calla-  
han County totaled \$1,931 dur-  
ing January.

## Youth-Led Revival At Baptist Church

A three-day Youth-Led Re-  
vival is scheduled this week end  
at the First Baptist Church in  
Cross Plains. Services will be  
held Friday, Saturday and Sun-  
day nights beginning at 7:30  
conducted by students from  
Howard Payne College in Brown-  
wood.

Preaching for the revival will  
be Carl Young and Gary West.  
Young is a math and psychology  
major at Howard Payne. He is  
a member of the college's Life  
Service Band and promotional  
chairman of the Baptist Student  
Union. He is president of Gam-  
ma Sigma Phi on his campus and  
is classified as a senior.  
West is a sophomore, majoring  
in history. He has served as in-  
terim pastor of Southside Bapt-  
tist Church at Dodson and is a  
member of the Mission Band at  
Howard Payne.

Larry Evans, also of Howard  
Payne, music director at the  
First Baptist Church, will be  
the third member of the col-  
legiate revival team here.

A seminar for young people  
and a fellowship period will be  
held following night services.

## Child Run Over By Grandfather's Auto

Dorthea Denise Dillard, 17-  
month-old daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. R. B. Dillard, is reported  
recovering satisfactorily from a  
fractured skull and other in-  
juries sustained at 1 p.m. Sun-  
day, when she crawled under the  
wheels of an automobile being  
backed out of the drive-  
way by her grandfather.

The child is in the Santa Anna  
Hospital. Physicians said Tues-  
day at noon that she is ex-  
pected to completely recover  
with no permanent disfigura-  
tion, although her face also  
sustained severe abrasions.

The accident occurred when  
the grandparent, Boyd Dillard,  
started to drive away from his  
son's home. He had looked care-  
fully to see that no children  
were under or near the car,  
however, the little girl is be-  
lieved to have run into the  
vehicle's path at a point unable  
to be seen by the driver.

# Ex-Local Girl Teaches Class As Coeds Peep On TV

Fifty University of Texas stu-  
dents recently peered through  
a keyhole to observe Mrs. Hoyt  
Byrd — the former Toody Mc-  
Dermott of Cross Plains — as  
she taught a geography class at  
University Junior High School  
in Austin.

The "keyhole" actually was  
two closed circuit television sets  
hooked up between Sutton Hall  
on the UT campus and Mrs.  
Byrd's classroom in another  
part of town.

Dr. J. G. Umstadd, professor  
of secondary education at the  
University, explained that the  
UT class (Education 332 S), a  
beginning course in secondary  
education is experimenting with  
closed circuit as a way to ob-

serve good teaching methods  
without disrupting the observed  
class.

**Teacher Knew**  
Of course, Mrs. Byrd knew  
that her class was being observ-  
ed and that a microphone and  
cameras were in the room.

"It wouldn't be fair to tune in  
without letting the teacher  
know," said Dr. Umstadd.

The observers outnumbered  
the observed almost two to one.  
Thirty are enrolled in Mrs.  
Byrd's geography class — 17  
Anglo students, six Latin Amer-  
icans and seven Negroes. They  
have a fairly wide variation of  
abilities—but little variation in  
interest.  
The University students, most

of whom hope to be teachers in  
secondary schools, watched and  
listened as Mrs. Byrd, a dynamic  
and enthusiastic teacher, told  
them about the lands of the  
Middle East and the people who  
live there.

Then, carefully, she led the  
boys and girls into a discussion  
about nomads, about farming in  
the desert lands and about prob-  
lems of crowded lands and op-  
portunities (which are as real to  
a boy and girl in parts of mod-  
ern Texas as in the Sahara).

**Class Laughter**  
Spurts of laughter were the  
frequent commas in Mrs. Byrd's  
class, but as long as the Uni-  
versity students watched, she never  
lost them. The laughter was

# State-Wide Horse Show Slated Here

Cross Plains has been desig-  
nated host city for a statewide  
Quarter Horse Show the last  
Saturday in this month, March  
28.

The event has been official-  
ly sanctioned by Texas Quarter

Horse Association, of which  
Horace King, who recently  
moved here from Abilene, is  
president.

**400 Horses Coming**  
Plans were finalized Monday  
and arrangements made to ac-

commodate 400 horses. One  
thousand invitations were mailed  
and it is predicted that a  
minimum of 500 out-of-town  
people will be here for the  
event.

Cross Plains Riding Club will  
sponsor the exposition and show-  
ings in all classes in the arena  
at the highway junction near  
the western edge of the city.

**22 Trophies**  
Twenty-two trophies, provid-  
ed by local business concerns,  
will be awarded. The top colt,  
yearling, two-year-old, three-  
year-old and aged animal in a  
halter and performing class  
will be selected among the  
mares, horses and geldings. In  
addition, a grand champion and  
a reserve champion will be  
picked in each of the three  
classes. Main award of com-  
petition will go to the grand  
champion of the entire expo-  
sition.

**Roby Is Superintendent**  
Superintendent of the show  
will be E. G. Roby of Cross  
Plains, prominent West Texas  
horseman. He advised last night  
that an approved judge, select-  
ed by the associational execu-  
tive board, would be named to  
officiate here.

"We expect this to be the  
biggest thing of its kind ever  
held in Cross Plains," Roby  
said.

**Trophy Donors**  
Trophies are being provided  
by the following business con-  
cerns: Callahan County Farmers  
Cooperative, Inc., Bishop Chev-  
rolet Company, Odom's Night  
and Day Restaurant, K Well  
Service, Novelty Shop, Rose Bu-  
tane, Jennings Station, Dillard's  
Station, Falkner's Station, Pan-  
cake's Station, West Side Sad-  
dle Shop, Big D Drilling Com-  
pany, Taylor Electric, Farm &  
Ranch Supply Store, JRB Super-  
market, W. T. (Tom) Cox and  
two each by the Citizens State  
Bank, Higginbotham's and West  
Texas Utilities Company.

# Buffalo Band Sweeps All Laurels At Brady

Cross Plains High School  
Buffalo Band made a clean  
sweep of all trophies in reach  
at Brady's 16th annual Heart  
of Texas Music festival last  
week end. The local organiza-  
tion took first place in each  
of four contests, two of which  
were against schools of all  
sizes, including those of AAA  
classification.

Cross Plains' initial tri-  
umph of the big week end  
came Friday night in the  
marching and showmanship  
contest at Brady High School  
Stadium. It was an open event.  
Schools of all sizes were eligi-  
ble. Others competing were:  
Lincoln Junior High of Abi-  
lene and high school bands  
from Coleman, Breckenridge,  
and Gorman.

The local band won three  
of four events at Brady last  
year. The one laurel which  
eluded them then was the

showmanship crown.

"For that reason we were  
mighty happy when Drum  
Major Linda Whitton accept-  
ed the trophy for us Friday  
night," said Director Wayne  
McDonald.

The second event in which  
the Cross Plains unit emerged  
victor in competition with  
schools of all sizes was the  
street parade through the  
downtown district of Brady  
Saturday afternoon. In that  
contest schools entered in-  
cluded: Tivy of Kerrville, Del  
Rio, Weatherford, Brecken-  
ridge, Coleman, Lee Jr. High  
of San Angelo, Mason, Lincoln  
Jr. High of Abilene, Gorman,  
two bands from Fredericks-  
burg, Menard and Cross  
Plains.

Competing only in class A,  
Cross Plains took first places  
in sight-reading and concert  
playing.

# God's Acre, Hour Program Being Tried By Methodists

Eight lay-leaders have been  
named to institute a "Lord's  
Acre or Hour Program" at the  
First Methodist Church in Cross  
Plains.

The movement is aimed at en-  
listing gifts of specified amounts  
— an hour or a day's wage  
regularly, an acre's yield, one  
head of livestock or the hand-  
craft of a youth or unemploy-  
ed person — to be sold at auc-  
tion at an annual harvest festi-  
val in the Autumn.

Selected to implement the  
program among the local con-

gregation were: Paul Whitton,  
president of the steering com-  
mittee; O. B. Byrd, steering  
committee vice-president; Ed-  
win Baum, secretary-treasurer;  
Jimmie Lee Payne, project chair-  
man; harvest festival chairman,  
Mrs. Forrest Walker; publicity,  
Mrs. H. C. Freeman, Jr.; J. C.  
Bowden, special events, and  
Jack Watkins, chairman at-large.

At the Harvest Festival, sched-  
uled in the Fall, all gifts will  
be acknowledged and convert-  
ed into cash to further the  
church's religious work.

# Col. Lee Buys Gregg's Share In Colonial Oaks

A deal is in the process of  
being closed whereby Col. Ray  
mond Lee will become sole own-  
er of Colonial Oaks, residential  
rest home for senior citizens  
in Cross Plains.

Bill J. Gregg of Midland is  
conveying his one-half interest  
to Lee. Papers were being  
drawn yesterday and are ex-  
pected to be finalized this week  
end.

Lee said Tuesday that he and  
his wife are moving to Cross  
Plains from Baird to be more  
closely associated with the  
home.

Fifteen persons were in per-  
manent residence at Colonial  
Oaks Tuesday. Accommodations  
are available for 30.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Holland  
visited in Cross Plains Sunday.

## DICK DILLARD GETS EMERGENCY SURGERY

Dick Dillard, manager of the  
Big D Drilling Company of  
Cross Plains, underwent emer-  
gency surgery for the removal  
of a ruptured appendix in  
Brownwood Monday. Friends  
will be pleased to know he is  
doing well.

## MOTEL CABIN BURNS HERE MONDAY NIGHT

Fire, believed to have origi-  
nated from faulty wiring, de-  
stroyed a cabin at the Farm Mo-  
tel, owned by Mr. and Mrs.  
Oral Joy, one mile south of  
town, Monday night. The cabin  
was that nearest State Highway  
279. The loss was estimated at  
\$1,000.

**BAND BOOSTERS MEET NEXT MONDAY NIGHT**  
 Cross Plains Band Boosters will meet Monday night at seven o'clock in the Band Hall on the school campus. Members are urged to attend.  
 Mrs. Max D. Lovett of San Angelo visited her mother, Mrs. A. C. Billingsley, here last week.

**MRS MACK CAMPBELL AT COLEMAN HOSPITAL**  
 Mrs. Mack Campbell entered Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman as a medical patient last Friday at noon. She was expected to remain there several days.  
 Mrs. I. N. Riley of Big Lake was a visitor here last week.

**Charles Barr Named To All-District Cage Quintet**

Charles Barr, Buffalo senior cager, was the lone Cross Plains High School player to be named to the 10-A All-District basketball team.  
 Barr, son of Oren Barr of Cross Plains and Mrs. Frances Barr of Fort Worth, capably manned the center position for the Herd this year. He has earned four cage letters and three football numerals in his high school career. The six foot, two inch postman sparked the Bison to a winning season and garnered high point honors in almost every Buffalo outing.  
 Four other schools were represented on the five-man elite squad of the six-team conference. They were: Buddy Howe, Clyde, Johnny McGee, Ranger; Terry Treadwell, Eastland; and Tommy Barton, Baird. Albany was the only school failing to place on the first quintet.  
 Cross Plains, in turn, failed to gain a position on the honorable mention list. Albany had three, Bob Oliver, Larry Bartee and James Lenamon; Ranger two, Arthur Mendoza and Ronnie Hinds; Kenneth Rodgers of Clyde, Wally Harris of Baird and Mike Miller of Eastland



Charles Barr

were also honorable mentions. According to local Basketball Coach Scot Edington, the cage mentors of the league made choices of the team, not choosing any of their own players, and mailed them to the District Secretary, Buddy Dulin of Albany, a coach in the Shackelford County school. Dulin compiled the reports and released the information last week.  
 Edington also stated that the girls all-conference team would be revealed at a later date.

**LOCAL COUPLE BECOMES PARENTS OF DAUGHTER**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Marion McMillan are parents of a baby daughter, born March 7 in Brownwood Memorial Hospital. The child weighed six pounds and 14 ounces and has been named Marcie Michelle.  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dewbre and Mrs. Martin McMillan of Cross Plains are grandparents.

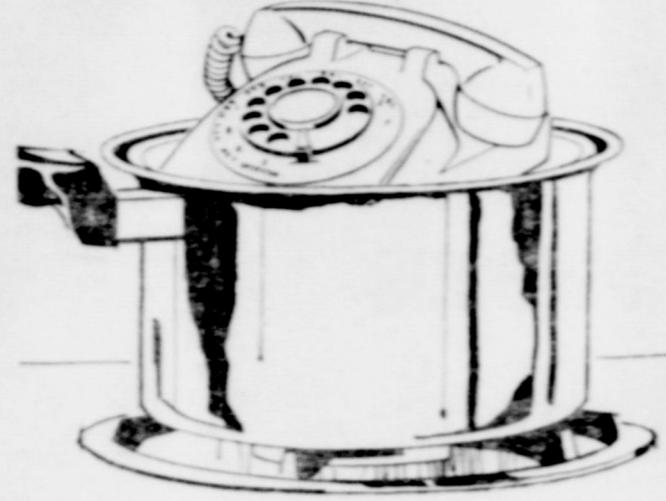
**NEW OIL VENTURE 7 MILES SOUTH PUTNAM**  
 Borden & Rorie, Abilene, have staked a 500-foot rotary venture in Callahan County Regular Field.  
 Located seven miles north of Putnam, No. 1 Laford Green is spotted 1,418 feet from north and 180 feet from west lines of Section 2990, TE&L Survey and a 110-acre lease.

Brown County's first tax levy was made in 1859.

**News Of Former Residents**

W. N. Black writes from his home in Clyde to say that recent mention of the windmill on the Tishia Walker place, north of Cross Plains, reminds him of the time he and Tom Pinkston went to Cisco to buy that windmill and tower. Mr. Black, a former well-known resident of the Atwell area, says that every time he sees a picture of the famous San Jacinto monument he recalls that some of the stone in the base of that great memorial was cut by his son, A. G. Black.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph ... have moved to 1234 N. Green Acres in Hobbs, N.M. is now in the registered business and is farming several hundred acres of irrigated ...  
 J. A. (Jim) McGowen, former Cross Plains automobile salesman and resident of this area many years, writes from his home in Odessa to renew his ...  
 Review subscription to keep relatives here.  
 Texas Supreme Court ... in a suit concerning the ... of W. L. (Bill) Kendall in ... explosion in Albany three ... ago. The court reversed ... and civil appeals court ... which had granted the ... \$50,000 judgment.  
 File Folders — The ...

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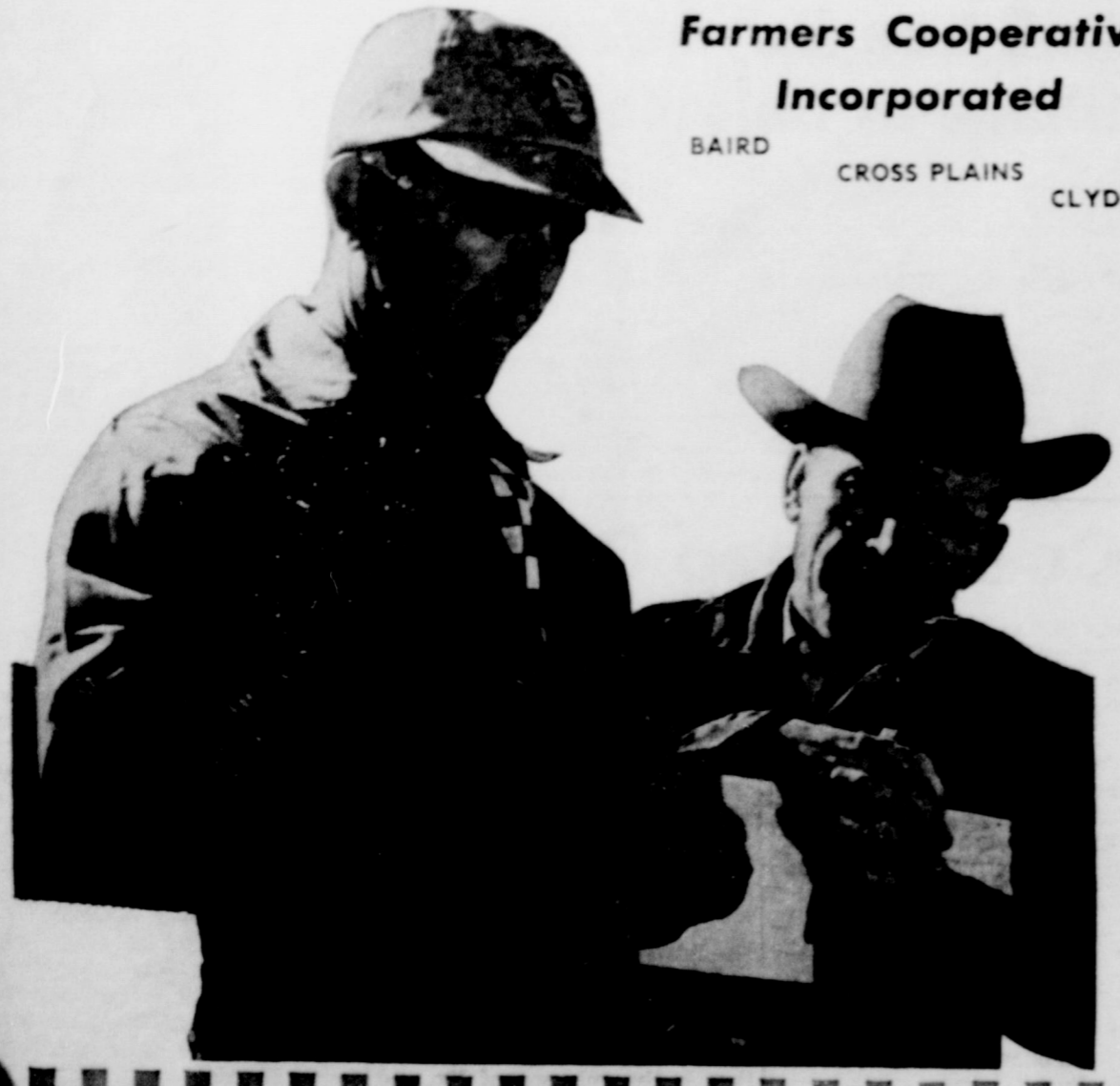
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tation problems, too.  
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**Happy Birthday Column**

- March 12: Mrs. John Farr, Marvin Wilcoxon, Mrs. Leona Hitt, James Wilson, George Barnard, L. D. Evans, Mrs. George Hoover, Linda Sheppard, Michael Dewayne Teague, Billye Faye Graham
- March 13: Julia Morgan, Bobby Havens, Alice Parsons, Mrs. B. W. Webb, Christine Hutchins, Perry Glenn Strickland, Mrs. Earl Gray, Mrs. Daisy Rudloff
- March 14: Myrtle Davis, Tony Carlisle, Terry Harris, Rodney Renfro

- Jimmy Dewbre, Joel Mayor, Clyde Walker, Jr., Louis E. Richardson, Mrs. Jim Miller, Ben Pillans, Mrs. Luther Shirley
- March 15: Martha J. Shaefer, Debro Denise Stout, Joe McNeel, James Barr, Betty Albrecht, Vicky Nigar, Mrs. L. F. Foster, Marian Odom, Mrs. W. W. Aishman, Mrs. John Ford, Forrest Scott, Hansel Sanders
- March 16: Leonard Joy, Ralph A. Koenig, Mrs. Chuck Woody, Mrs. Buddy Hardin, Eddy Edmondson, James Richard Neal, S. F. Bond, Mrs. Claude McAnally, Mrs. J. C. Boyle, Mark Baum, Estelle Freeland
- March 17: Mrs. Fritz Barnett, Albert Givins, Arnold Childers, Donald Stover, Regie Stover, Grandmother Smoot, Vondal Hutchins, Elmer Biehl, Margni Wilson, Mrs. Mary Hayes, Doyle Neeb, Stevie Baugh
- March 18: Henry Ring, Bruce Johnson, Jay Wilcoxon, Mrs. J. H. Riggs, Regina Allen Wilson, Faye Renfro, John McFerrin, Dorothy M. Shaefer

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 CROSS PLAINS - RISING STAR  
 Highway 36 Phone 725-4701

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY**  
 March 13 - 14  
 "A SUMMER PLACE"  
 Richard Egan, Dorothy McGuire, Sandra Dee, Arthur Kennedy, Troy Donahue  
 NEWS REEL

**FRIDAY — MARCH 13**  
 Mid-Night Show  
 "THE ALLIGATOR PEOPLE"  
 Starts At 11:30 p.m.

**SUN. - MON. - TUE.**  
 March 15 - 16 - 17  
 "SUMMER HOLIDAY"  
 Cliff Richard

**WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY**  
 March 18 - 19  
 "THE RESTLESS BREED"  
 Scott Brady - Anne Bancroft  
 PLUS LISTON-CLAY Championship Fight

**Easter Value Parade**

Your Higginbotham Store Is Loaded With Bright New Arrivals To Revitalize Your Easter Wardrobe. Shop At Home And Be Delighted With Quality And Values . . .



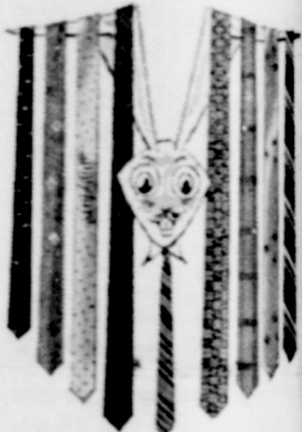
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## Do You Remember?...

**27 Years Ago**  
 April 2, 1937: 63 students were listed on the school roll for the last six weeks. First grade students listed here: Billy Anderson, Loys Davidson, Johnnie Milford Ramsey, Billy Joel Frank Ramsey, Billy Joel Frank Ramsey, Evelyn Fay Coulter, Evelyn Fay Coulter, Cowan, Lois Ruth Harris, Fay Ray, Mary Helen Mary Brown, Wanda Browning and Bonnie Lou Browning. Mr. and Mrs. E. Weaver of Cottonwood are parents of twins born Sunday, a boy and the other a girl. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Freese are parents of a son. One-act play in Cross Plains School will compete with Friday night for the championship of this county and distinction of entering district competition. Miss Vera and Clarence Porter of were married Wednesday night of last week. Mr. Tom Strickland of announce the arrival of daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Godwin are also parents of baby girl. Miss Pauline who is attending school spent Easter at home. The Sally Quilting Club met at home of Mrs. C. E. Atwood March 25 for an all day day with the following present: Mmes. W. H. Fore, Clark, Jack Meador, Ben Atwood, Joe Bryson, Herbert Placette, T. Nichols, C. T. Nichols, Hayes and R. Brooks. Postmaster of the office \$2,000 a year. New officers of the Scranton FFA are Starr, president; Gerald Rogers, vice-president; Clayton secretary; Glenn McCort treasurer. Walter King, re- and W. R. Harter, farm dog. Foster Cash, a at Howard Payne Col- visited at Pioneer over the

**22 Years Ago**  
 March 27, 1942: Callahan County votes dry by more than two to one. Hadden Payne underwent an operation for the removal of his appendix last week. Mr. and Mrs. Drexal Underwood of Hobbs, N. M., have been visiting relatives here. Mrs. Paul N. Dacus, the former Miss Hasseltine Kimbrough, was complimented with a bridal shower March 19. H. R. Lacy, stationed at Camp Bowie, spent the week end with friends and relatives. Barney Klutts visited friends in Stephenville the past week end. Workmen began Monday morning tearing down the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, nine miles West of Cross Plains, preparatory to building a new and larger residence on the same site. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harlow and family who have been living in Odessa, have returned to Cross Plains to make their home. Sam Swafford and Mrs. Frank Thate were married March 16. Frank Robertson of Rising Star was named president and Edwin Baum, vice-president of Philpoco Country Club last week. All sugar sales in the United States will be halted midnight April 27 for approximately one week. The ban was ordered as a step preparatory to sales under rationing, which will go into effect as soon as the moratorium on sales ends.

**3 Years Ago**  
 March 30, 1961: March rainfall below average in this area. Gerald Robertson and sons of El Centro, Calif., visited his mother and sister, Mrs. R. Robertson and Mrs. Mary Gensley last week. Roy Cox elected as a delegate to the national convention of Woodmen of the World in Los Angeles. Van Rogers of Sudan has purchased the 65 acre farm one mile south of town from L. W. Westerman. Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black of Atwell have adopted a baby boy. Mr. and Mrs. Mac Copinger are parents of a son.

## New LL Candidates Asked to Register

James R. Farmer, player coordinator of the local Little League organization, urged Tuesday that all boys who wish to participate in the summer program here for the first time register with him before Sunday, March 15.

"It is imperative that we know how many boys will be candidates for the six teams," Farmer said. Four Little League squads and two Peanut League teams will be fielded. All boys who will be eight years old and not 13 before August 1 is eligible for positions.

Try-outs for new candidates will be held at LL Park the afternoon of April 3, and player auction is slated for that night.

## CEMETERY WORKING SET AT ZION HILL

A public working of the grounds at Zion Hill Cemetery has been set for Saturday, March 14. All persons with friends and kinsmen buried there are urged to come prepared to work. Picnic lunches will be spread at noon.

Zion Hill is between Cottonwood and Putnam.

## 300 PATRONS DINE AT CAFETERIA WEDNESDAY

Three hundred and sixty-two persons looked in on Cross Plains schools last Wednesday, which had been designated visitation day as a part of Public School Week.

Superintendent Paul Whitton reported 300 took luncheon at the school cafeteria.

## FRIENDS FROM AFAR AIDING LOCAL BAND

R. W. (Bob) Teach of Fort Worth, a petroleum consultant and who is partners with Noah S. Johnson in livestock raising here, sends a check for \$10 to aid Cross Plains High School Band in raising money for its Indianapolis trip.

"I want to have a small part in such a fine undertaking," he writes.

born March 28. Stick horse made by Putnam boy, Roddy Reynolds, 12, gallops across five continents. Mrs. V. C. Walker is recovering from a fall.

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| DELSEY, TOILET TISSUE, 4 roll carton .....         | 53c | CHOICE, WITH LOTION SOAP, reg. size, 2 for .....        | 39c |
| CHOICE, WITH LOTION SOAP, bath size, 2 for .....   | 51c | CASHMERE BOUQUET, NEW PINK SOAP, reg. size, 2 for ..... | 23c |

## Fruit Pies SHURFROST FAMILY SIZE 4 for \$1

|   |     |   |     |
|---|-----|---|-----|
| VEL BEAUTY BAR SOAP, bath size bar .....        | 26c | MILD, PINK VEL LIQUID, large size ..... | 37c |
| SHURFRESH, CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES, 14 ozs. .... | 39c | SUPREME CRACKERS, 1 lb. box .....       | 31c |
| NABISCO RITZ CRACKERS, 1 lb. ....               | 43c | SHURFINE PRESERVES, apricot, 18 oz. ... | 45c |

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|--|-----|---|-----|
| IRELAND'S, CHIPPED AND SLICED BAR-B-BEEF, 15 oz. can ..... | 69c | ALCOA ALUMINUM FOIL, 75 ft. ....                | 85c |
| JEWEL SHORTENING, 3 lb. can .....                          | 49c | ARROW, CELLO BAG PINTO BEANS, 2 lbs. ....       | 21c |
| CLOROX BLEACH, 1/2 gal. ....                               | 45c | SHURFRESH, CHICKEN, BEEF MEAT PIES, 2 for ..... | 39c |

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## Joint Party Honors 2 At Burkett

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

Mrs. H. C. Beaver and Mrs. Leah Bobo celebrated their birthdays Friday, March 6, with a dinner at the Beaver home. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burkett and girls, Cheryl and Pam, Mrs. Vernon Helms, Mrs. C. D. Baker, Mollie Parsons, L. L. Morgan, W. E. Walker, Mrs. James Hill and children of Abilene, Freeda and Kay Burkett, Sandra Burns and daughter, Mitzi, Lilian Brown, Eula Hunter, Monnie Garrett, H. C. Beaver, Mrs. Beaver and Mrs. Bobo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Biehl spent Thursday to Monday in Fort Worth where they attended the wedding of her sister, Ann McCormick, Saturday.

The cemetery association received \$5 during the month of February. The donor was W. M. Byers.

Beverly Knight, bride-elect of Eddie Strickland, was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the Community Center Friday afternoon. Refreshments of cake, coffee and punch were served to the guests. Ninety guests were registered in the lovely bride's book.

They are being married Tuesday night of this week at the Baptist Church and plan to make their home in Burkett.

Willie Henderson spent Saturday to Monday at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital. The cause of his illness has not been determined so he is going back and forth for a few days for further tests.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Walker were taken to San Angelo Thursday of last week where she entered Shannon Hospital for treatment of a nerve in her face that has caused severe pain

the past few weeks. She is expected to be dismissed during the early part of this week. They were taken to San Angelo by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker. He returned home that night and she stayed with them until Sunday.

O. L. McKinney returned home the later part of last week after spending two weeks at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blankinship were in Cisco Friday visiting her grandmother, Mrs. H. A. Roachel, who sustained a broken hip when she fell Thursday. Mrs. Blankinship and her brother, C. F. Langford of Santa Anna went back Sunday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy James Slack and family of Odessa were Sunday dinner guests of his grandmother and mother, Mrs. Mollie Parsons and Mrs. Eva Slack. Mrs. Mattie Webb and Mrs. Bevo Webb visited during the afternoon.

The Tye Brown family of Coleman visited his mother, Mrs. A. E. Brown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Pat DeBusk spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeBusk.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davee of Houston arrived Sunday to spend two weeks at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Strickland and family of Coleman spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyle and Mrs. T. H. Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker, Cathy and Paul Ed, of Rising Star visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bevo Webb of South Dakota are spending about two weeks here with his

mother, Mrs. Mattie Webb, and other relatives.

The men's domino club met at the D. A. Boyle home Monday. Mrs. Boyle served them a chili dinner. Those present were: A. G. Boyle, Jack Boyle, J. W. Morgan, Jack DeBusk, Dutch Biehl, Luther Porter, Reece Porter, Roger Watson and D. A. Boyle.

## Eastland Livestock Gives Sale Report

At the Eastland Livestock Auction Tuesday 410 cattle, 167 hogs and 15 sheep and goats were sold. Sale officials reported 160 sellers and 65 buyers.

Stock and selling prices were as follows:

Butcher Bulls — 16 to 18.25  
 Stocker Bulls — 18 to 22  
 Butcher Cows — 13 to 15.40  
 Stocker Cows — \$120 to \$178 per head  
 Canners and Cutters — 8 to 13  
 Butcher Calves — 20 to 22.30  
 Stocker Calves, light choice, 22 to 27 and 1 sold for \$30  
 Stocker Calves, heavy choice, 18 to 23.50  
 Pairs of Cows and Calves — \$125 to \$185  
 Butcher Hogs — 13.75 to 15.25  
 Sows — 9 to 13.50

Mr. and Mrs. Granvel Scott of San Antonio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Scott, and Don here Sunday.

Mrs. Ollie Shackelford of Port Arthur is visiting her brother, Ben Riffe, and wife here this week.

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## Ladies Bowling Loop Lead Is Deadlocked

Pancake's Truck Stop regained a share of Cross Plains Ladies Bowling League lead Monday night after having been knocked from the number one position for the first time this season last week.

Monday of last week Lucille's Beauty Shop defeated Pancake's 4-0 to take the lead and blank the latter for the first time this season. Johnston Truck & Supply decided Foster's Grocery 3-1 and West Texas Utilities shutout Hightower's Boot Shop 1-0.

Two WTU teammates copped high game honors last week. Joy Dillard's 182 was best and Betty Crawford's 171 was next. In the series competition Ethel Sims paced Lucille's and Peggy Golsong led Pancake's.

Monday night, however, Pancake's returned to old form with a 4-0 beating of Foster's, and coupled with Lucille's 3-1 loss to West Texas, reclaimed a share of the spotlight. Johnston Truck dumped Hightower's 3-1.

Betty Crawford posted high game of 168, and Ethel Sims' 426 pin series, average of 142, was best in that department.

Next week finds Lucille's taking on Hightower's, Pancake's tangling with Johnston, and WTU skirmishing Foster's.

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|-------------|----|----|
| Lucille's   | 11 | 5  |
| Pancake's   | 11 | 5  |
| West Texas  | 10 | 6  |
| Johnston's  | 8  | 8  |
| Hightower's | 5  | 11 |
| Foster's    | 3  | 13 |

## Pioneer Stockmen Welcome Snow

By Mrs. Delma Dean

Large flakes of beautiful snow are falling fast and furiously at this writing. We had one and six-tenths inches of rain last night, Sunday. The moisture will be welcomed by all the farmers and ranchmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Cochran and boy were visiting in Odessa over the week end.

Nettie Smith spent one afternoon last week with Ethel Brown.

Guests in the Pat Shirley home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Lester King and children of Cross Plains and Mrs. Robert Carlile and boys of Albany. Mrs. Carlile and boys also spent Saturday night there.

R. L. Carey was in Eastland on business Monday. Mrs. Carey accompanied him to De Leon where she stayed with her sister, Mrs. Jack Sherrill, while he attended to business in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sherrill were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carey Friday night, Sunday. Mr. Carey's nephew, C. W. Carey, of San Angelo visited in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stover and children were visiting in Oklahoma through the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker and children were in Clyde Sunday visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Era Wade. Rev. Dan Gaines and wife of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Copping of Cottonwood were

dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin Sunday. Dub Eakin of Rising Star visited in their home during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Marshall in May Sunday afternoon. Mr. Marshall isn't feeling very well. We hope he will be better.

Visitors in Mrs. Joe Bryson's home Sunday afternoon were her children and grandchildren, Mrs. Clara Westerman and Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Dean of Cottonwood Friday. Friday afternoon they accompanied their son, Bob Dean, of Clyde to the Brownwood Lake.

Mrs. Lonnie Gray and Mrs. Emil Ringhoffer visited in Baird Tuesday with A. H. Ringhoffer and Junior Ringhoffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray were in Rising Star Sunday visiting with Lonnie's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Watson returned Monday from a trip to New Mexico where they visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Watson.

Mrs. Henry McCoy visited in the Troy Watson home Friday.

Visiting this week in the Troy Watson home were: Mr. and Mrs. James Watson and family of Tuscola, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watson and Kim of Merkel, Bobby also of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kanady and Wesley of Rising Star. Berney Tucker

arrived Saturday from Abilene. N. M. He and Mrs. Tucker, Norman, returned Sunday to New Mexico. Mrs. Taylor and son had spent this week visiting with friends and relatives in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Large family of Midland also spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Watson.

Mrs. John H. Casey and dren visited over the week end with the children's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ford, Sr. in Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. James Casey and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton Sunday.

Cowan Hutton and Cheshshir carried the little child to Galveston Friday. trouble is very rare and took it to the Galveston hospital to be treated. The parents remained in Galveston. We hope that something will be done to help.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Pinkston visited with Mr. and Mrs. Brown over the week end. Pinkston and Mrs. Brown sisters.

Remember that Thursday, March 12, is the day set for club working day. All members, hamer, saw, etc. We to finish putting up the rock. Dinner will be served at the club house.

Hershel Ellis of Tyler and Bob Harris and his mother Monday night.

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### Wetsels Plan 60th Wedding Anniversary Sunday Afternoon

Mrs. Jim Wetsel will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary with open house party, March 15, from 1:30 to 5. Everyone is invited. Mrs. Lorena (Tot) Cox and Mrs. Wetsel were married March 14, at Vashiti, Clay County, and moved to Cross Plains in 1942. They have three daughters: Mrs. P. A. North of Hobbs, N.M., Mrs. W. J. Smith of El Paso and Mrs. Jack Tobak of Albany, Ga.; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

"We request no presents," said Mrs. Wetsel yesterday, "just the presence of our friends will be the greatest gift of all."

### Emory Lusk And Bride Will Have Fewer Anniversaries

Wedding anniversaries will be infrequently for a couple married recently in the First Baptist Church in Sabanno. Vows were recited on Leap Day, Feb. 29.

The bride was Sandra Clark of Rising Star and Emory Lusk of Sabanno. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lusk.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Effie Gayles of Rising Star. The bridegroom's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk of Cross Plains.

### Twelve Writer Thinks 'Master Spell' Is Due

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

There had been 1.10 inches of rain in the northern Sunday. It's too early to call it a master cold spell that usually comes along.

Several of the parents and grandparents went to school Tuesday. I always enjoy it and think the pupils do so many helps. They have to learn words. I had ABC book.

Mrs. Emory Foster and Mrs. B. F. Foster are fishing this week on the coast and at Del Laredo with Ray and Mrs. Roy Tatom



**ENGAGEMENT TOLD** — Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Floyd, Sr. of Bowie are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Linda Kay, to Charles H. Payne of Cross Plains, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hadden Payne. A graduate of Bowie High School, Miss Floyd is a sophomore education major in North Texas State University at Denton. Payne is a graduate of Cross Plains High School now attending Texas Tech College at Lubbock studying for a degree in animal husbandry. They plan a June wedding and will live in Lubbock where they will continue their studies.

### Young People Will Fill 33 Posts At Baptist Church Here Sunday

Young people of the First Baptist Church will fill 33 posts of responsibility at Sunday School Sunday morning.

Assignments announced yesterday were:

Sunday School superintendent, Fred Johnston; assistant-secretary, Treva Rouse.

Nursery department: Barbara Renfro, superintendent and Billie Carroll and Judy Gibbs assistants.

Beginner's department: James Morgan, superintendent; Eddy Edmondson and James Morgan, teachers of four and five-year-old boys, and Martha Foster, teacher of four and five-year-old girls.

Primary department: Jay Hutchins, superintendent; Jerry Ramey and Jay Hutchins, teachers of boys classes and Rene Gary, Vanda Anderson and Connie Goble, teachers of girls classes.

Junior department: Tommy Ramey, superintendent; Donnie Miller, teacher of 9 and 10-year old boys; Kathy Huddleston, teacher of 9 and 10-year-old girls; Tommy Ramey, teacher of 11 and 12-year-old boys, and Sue Edington, teacher of 11 and 12-year-old girls.

Adult 1 department: Sharla Payne, superintendent and teacher of young married ladies; James Goble, teacher of a men's class and Virginia Odom, teacher of a ladies' class.

Adult 2 department: L. V. Falkner, superintendent and teacher of women from 36 through 45; Steve Foster, teacher of men from 46 through 55; Nancy Odom, teacher of 46-55 ladies.

Adult 3 department: Kathleen Cowan, superintendent and teacher of ladies from 63 to 69; Tommy Garrett, teacher of men from 56 to 65; Dianna Purvis, teacher of 56-65 ladies; Patti Pennell, teacher of ladies 70 and up.

Ushers for revival services:

### Personals

Mrs. W. H. Coppinger and Mrs. Henry McCoy were Abilene visitors Friday.

Mrs. Max Lovett of San Angelo visited here in the home of her mother, Mrs. A. C. Billingsley, last week.

Mrs. Leroy Nichols and daughter, Penny, of Snyder, visited here in the home of her sister, Mrs. Edgar Jones and her husband this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adry Wheeler and Lisa of Denton spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cowan. Other visitors in the Cowan home Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wheeler of Trent, Miss Sara Wheeler of Crane and Mrs. Garvis Tarpley and three children of Snyder.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to thank everyone for being so thoughtful of me during my stay in the hospital. Your cards, letters, flowers, prayers, kind words and expressions of friendship were genuinely appreciated. I shall remember each of you always and with profound affection.

Herrell Kelley

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### Many Out-Of-Town People At Funeral

Out-of-town visitors attending the funeral of Mrs. J. C. Freeman here recently were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hayes of Plainview, Mrs. Anna L. Simmons of Amarillo, Mrs. Lucy May Wilson of Tulla, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hess and two daughters of Seminole, a Mrs. Wilkerson, Mrs. H. Hatcher, Mrs. Minnie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Purtle, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Evans, and Rev. Brobust all of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Moldon of Valera, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pettmon of Rising Star, Macon W. Freeman Jr., and two children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ayers of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Van Buren of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. J. Byron Fort and son of New Mexico, Mrs. Ronny Dial and daughter of Albuquerque, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Freeman of Loraine, Mrs. Alice Freeman, Opal Willis and two daughters of Sweetwater, Mrs. D. A. Young of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bassett of Midland, Mrs. Charles H. Spears, Mrs. W. H. Fort, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fort, Jr., of Lovington, N.M., Jim, Paralee, and J. C. Foster of Stamford.

**LOCAL FLORISTS ATTEND SHOW IN FORT WORTH**

Mrs. Juanita Mayes of Cross Plains and Mrs. Lucille Huddleston, Rising Star florist, attended a design show at Hotel Texas in Fort Worth over the week end.

**HERRELL KELLEY BACK AT WORK AT SCHOOLS**

Herrell Kelley returned home Sunday afternoon from an Abilene hospital where he was a patient several days. He resumed teaching duties in junior high school Monday morning.

## Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

Matriarc      Matriarch      Matriarche

(Meaning a woman who rules a family.)

(Answer on Back Page)

### LITTLE GIRL GOES TO GALVESTON HOSPITAL

Little Lanita Baugh was removed from an Abilene hospital to Galveston Friday. She is reported suffering a rare malady, said to be causing a protein deficiency. The little lady is the 21-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Baugh.

The child and her parents were taken to Galveston by Cowan Hutton and James Chess-hir.

### DAUGHTER IS BORN TO COUPLE KNOWN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Gray of San Antonio are parents of a baby girl, born Saturday, March 7. The child weighed eight pounds and 10 ounces and has been named Shelly Denan.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gray and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King, all of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jones of Abilene visited here in the home of his brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones, Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Myrl McGowen of Monahans visited her mother, Mrs. George B. Scott, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cook over the week end.

### W. T. McCLURE ENTERS HOSPITAL IN ABILENE

W. T. (Dub) McClure, prominent Callahan County rancher, entered an Abilene hospital over the week end for examinations preparatory to possible surgery.

### NEEB BROTHERS VISIT HOME OVER WEEK END

Charles and Monty Neeb, both of Lubbock, spent the week end here visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Neeb.

Charles recently completed a tour of military duty, having gone into the service shortly after graduation from Texas Tech. Monty is in his third year at Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope were in San Antonio Monday, where they visited in the home of his brother, Jack Pope, who is a candidate for associate justice of the supreme court.

Horace Smith of Odessa, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith who formerly owned the Petty place south of town, stopped here recently enroute home from Temple where his young son had just undergone open heart surgery. The boy is reported recovering satisfactorily.

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### POLITICAL CALENDAR

The Cross Plains Review has been authorized to announce the following as candidates for the stated political offices, in 1964, subject to the action of the primaries.

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**For Sheriff:**  
N. L. LONG, JR.  
JAMES E. DAY  
W. C. (SMOKEY) EDWARDS  
A. H. TURNER

**For Tax Assessor-Collector:**  
ALBERT LOVELL

**For Commissioner Precinct 3:**  
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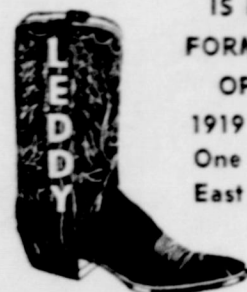
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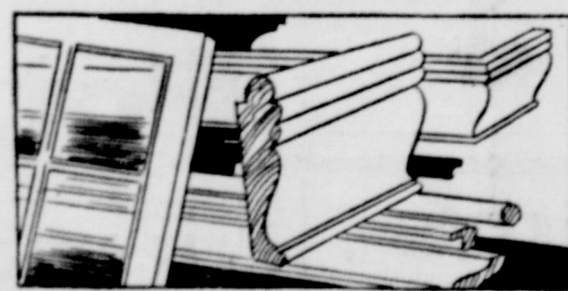
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### 60th Anniversary Celebrated Sunday

and Mrs. Charley Newton, present Brown County court former long time resident of Cross Cut, celebrated 60th wedding anniversary at home in Brownwood.

relatives visited the Newton home Sunday to extend congratulations and best wishes to the popular couple.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson were Cisco visitors Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Watson of Rotan visited his mother, Mrs. Rosa Watson, here Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. L. L. Howser and Mrs. Henry McCoy visited relatives and friends in Fort Worth last week.



**PROMOTED** — Glen Fleming, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming and a former employee of the Higginbotham store in Cross Plains, has been made manager of the B & R Television and Appliance Co. at Pampa, one of North Texas' larger concerns of its kind. Mr. and Mrs. Fleming and children returned to Pampa in January. They had formerly lived there.

Mrs. Henry McCoy left Monday for Orla, near Pecos to join her husband who is employed in the oil field there.

#### CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank each and every one for every act of kindness while I was in the hospital and since my return home. Your prayers, cards and visits were all appreciated far more than mere words can express. May each of you be blessed abundantly.

C. D. Westerman

## Narrow Margins Spice Bowling League Action

Five of 12 games were decided by a combined total of 39 pins in Cross Plains Bowling Club competition last Thursday night.

Of the five cliff-hangers, two pins was the difference in one tilt, three and five in two games and 10 in two others.

All of the six local quintets were involved in a thriller.

Johnston Truck & Supply and Higginbotham's provided two of the exciting matches. The Merchants prevailed by three pins in the initial contest and by five in the final conflict, the Truckers, however, rolled up a 134 pin margin in the second 10 frames to gain a 2-2 split with the league leaders.

D. C. Lee Gulf and Sisters Cafe were also participants in two close tilts in a split decision. Gulf eased to an 89 pin advantage in the first game, but the cafe quintet bounced back to take the next two games by two and 10 pins respectively.

In the other match George Hutchins Mobil nipped Mayes Flower Shop by 10 pins in the first outing, but the Florists roared back and fashioned a 3-1 victory.

#### Cut Lead

For the third straight week challenging Mayes Flowers narrowed Higginbotham's lead, this week by one game. The Merchants now own a four game edge over the Florists, and Sisters and Johnston, tied for third, are nine games off the pace.

#### Showdown

Thursday night begins the last round of this season and two crucial battles are on tap. Higginbotham's seeks to

prove its superiority against fast-closing Mayes Flowers, and Sisters and Johnston tangle for the number three spot. Gulf and Mobil will meet to possibly determine the cellar dwelling position.

#### Top Ten

With the season four-fifths gone, competition remains strong for positions in the top ten keglers.

Gulf claims three places, Higginbotham's and Mobil occupy two spots, and Mayes, Sisters and Johnston own one each.

Members of the elite are: Wayne Graves 163, Mayes; Benny Glover 151, Gulf; V. A. Montgomery 151, Sisters; Dick Grider 148 and Jim Gilmore 147, Gulf; Raymond Franke 147, Mobil; Wayne McDonald, JT&S 147; Elvis Scott 142 and D. C. Hargrove 141, Higginbotham's; and Ted Souder 141, Mobil. All ties are listed according to total pins.

Last Thursday Gulf's Benny Glover claimed both individual high honors. He collected 561 pins in three games, an average of 187, and his third game 205 was tops. Bill Mayes, MFS, aggregated 507 pins, an average of 169, for runner-up slot, and Wayne McDonald was third with 496 pins, an average of 165. Mayes' Wayne Graves' 199 was runner-up in the game bracket and Glovers 195 was third.

Teamwise three quintets finished first, second and third in both brackets. Mayes was first with 2,207 pin series and an 805 game, Gulf was second with 2,112 pin series and 752 game, and Johnston was third with 2,056 pin series and 749 game.

## Peach Trees In Bloom In Cross Cut Locality

Mrs. Les Byrd

The peach blooms are out, the Lilac leaves are half grown but "the old mesquite isn't out yet." So we can't say spring is really here yet. The stock feeding still goes on day after day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jackson of Brownwood were visiting friends here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. T. J. Chambers and children of Lueders visited her parents Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Melton and boys, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Porter and children of Odessa spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Baucom. Visiting Sunday were Mrs. Alton Barr and Bobby Baucom and Wilburn of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Weiss of Cross Plains, also Mrs. Jimmy White and baby of Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newton and children of Vernon spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton.

A number of the band parents were in Brady over the week end watching the band perform. Congratulations to the band on winning so many trophies.

Dub Arledge of Odessa has spent a week here fencing and laying irrigation lines to water a six acre project on his place. He has had an enormous tank dug for water.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Norris and Clovie attended the Annual Coleman Stock Holders Banquet in Brownwood last Thursday night.

Mrs. Buddy Haun and children of Eastland visited Mr. and

### CPBC Standings

| Team               | W  | L  | Pct. |
|--------------------|----|----|------|
| Higginbotham's ... | 28 | 12 | .700 |
| Mayes .....        | 24 | 16 | .600 |
| Sisters .....      | 19 | 21 | .475 |
| Johnston .....     | 19 | 21 | .476 |
| Gulf .....         | 17 | 23 | .425 |
| Mobil .....        | 13 | 27 | .325 |

#### CARD OF THANKS

We are humbly grateful to our friends for the many remembrances during our recent sorrow, caused by the passing of our loved one.

Your prayers and every demonstration of friendship were appreciated and will always be remembered with the deepest gratitude. God bless all of you. The family of Mrs. J. C. Freeman

### SOUTH CLYDE SECTOR GIVEN WILDCAT TEST

R. R. Bloomer and Skinner Corporation, both of Abilene, have scheduled the drilling of a wildcat oil try in Callahan County.

No. 1 Mrs. Max Logan, located seven miles southwest of Clyde, is spotted 1,980 feet from north and 1,090 feet from west lines of Section 28, BBB&C Survey and an 80-acre least.

Contract depth is 2,100 feet with rotary.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCuin and Mrs. Ethel Sims visited Mrs. J. G. Sims in a Bangs rest home Sunday afternoon.

Tommy Adams, student at Tarleton State College, spent the week end with kinsmen in Burkett and Cross Plains.

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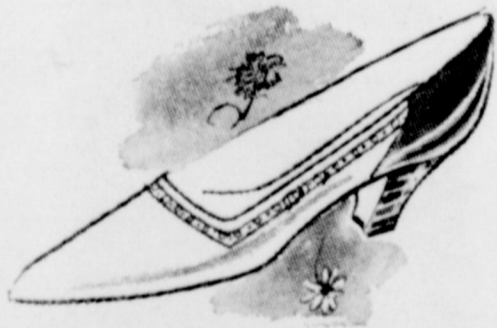
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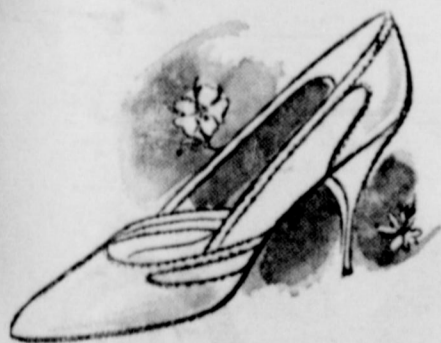
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## Sabanno Event Proves To Be A Gala Occasion

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

We have had showers, a norther and it is snowing in the second week in March. We are all glad to know Spring is just around the corner.

Our game night last Friday was real good. We had a house full, all playing games, visiting and just enjoying ourselves. Quite a few visitors were present, and they are always welcome.

The Busy Bee Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Gus Brandon and Mrs. J. L. King as hostess. Two quilts were finished, refreshments were served and the following attended: Daisy Holcomb, Millie King, Lorena Brandon, Zelda Wilcoxon, Laura Casey, Ola Lusk, Addie Dawkins and Maume Erwin.

Mrs. Truett Dawkins and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon, Jr. will be hostesses for the meeting Wednesday afternoon, March 18. Visitors are welcome.

Rev. Charles McAfee and Rev. W. T. Johnson and Janet and Charles McAfee of Cross Plains were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Eisenhower of Cisco visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jim Clark and children of Clyde visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cantrell of Abilene visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Livingston and children of Gustine visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, recently.

Rev. J. C. Koen and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon, Jr. and boys.

Mrs. Nathan Foster and Stevie and Randy were Sunday dinner guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lusk visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thomas and son of Eastland visited her mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer accompanied the band students to Brady Friday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hicks Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Earl Casew of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Casey of Eastland, W. F. Lilley of Fort Worth and W. L. Moore of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey and their sons and their families visited with them over the week end. They are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey and children of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Casey of Eastland.

Mrs. Lester King and son of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Edwin Erwin Saturday morning. County Judge Scott Bailey

and his mother of Cisco and Buck Collins of Rising Star visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb Sunday afternoon.

## Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. Hallie Smith of London, Ark., visited Mrs. Freetta M. Mitchell last week.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick attended Workers' Conference last Thursday night at De Leon.

Mrs. Allen McLeod and daughter, Allene, and grand children of Houston attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday while visiting her sister, Mrs. Clara Jones, and husband at Cross Plains.

Everett Wilcoxon was returned home Sunday afternoon. He is at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Wilcoxon. Everett is able to get around with the aid of crutches.

Miss Mary Joe Comings from Abilene united with the Baptist Church here Sunday. She is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding now.

Beulah and Hazel I. Respass visited with W. P. Ledbetter and Miss Eunice Hembree at Seranton Sunday afternoon. Mr. Ledbetter will celebrate his 89th birthday next Sunday with all his children, if it is possible for all of them to come.

Mrs. C. W. Coats and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Powell of Connecticut attended services at the Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Miss Rubell Smart, Mrs. Francis Gilleland and Mrs. J. W. Woodard visited Mrs. Tom Smart in the rest home at Merkel last Friday.

Mrs. Blondy Robbins of California visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Robbins this week.

**LOCAL MAN ATTENDS STATE BOARD PARLEY**  
Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson will leave Thursday night for Austin, where he is to attend sessions of the State Board of Directors of Texas Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of which he is a member. They will return here Saturday.

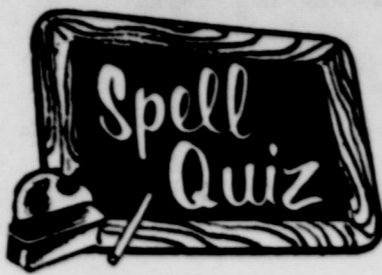
**UTILITY OFFICE WILL CLOSE ON SATURDAY**  
Beginning in April the West Texas Utility Company's office in Cross Plains will be closed each Saturday.

The office has formerly closed at noon on Saturday, but beginning in April it will not be opened at all on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion visited in the homes of their sons, Glen and Claude, in Abilene Sunday.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Thanks a million for the flowers, cards, visits and telephone calls, even the kind thoughts during my stay in the hospital.

There is one thing we cannot very well do. That is, go through this world alone. Some day everyone needs a friend. God bless each of you.  
Bill Lawrence



Correct answer is:

Matriarch

## "DOKE" WESTERMAN IS HOME FROM HOSPITAL

C. D. (Doke) Westerman returned to his home here Thursday from Coleman, where he was a patient in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital two weeks. Friends will be glad to know he is much improved.

## BAIRD QUILTERS WILL BE AT COTTONWOOD

Cottonwood Quilting Club and the Baird Quilting Club will meet March 18, at the Community Center at Cottonwood and quilt for Mrs. Herman Heine. Thursday, March 19, they will quilt for Mrs. O. O. Sandifer. Visitors are always welcome and all members are urged to be present.

## Rowden

By Mrs. B. Crow

People of our community were proud to hear that Bill Lawrence is home from the hospital and doing good. We wish for him to be up and about soon.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Roland Mauldin, of Abilene, Mrs. Alton Hornsby of Cross Plains and with Mrs. George Blakley of the Community Center last week.

Mrs. Joe Higgins of Cross Plains visited her sister, Mrs. Sam Holloway, Tuesday.

Mrs. B. Crow was at St. Ann Hospital Tuesday and Wednesday of last week with her aunt, Miss Annie Cutbirth, of Dudley, who had emergency surgery.

Mrs. Sterling Odom, Mrs. Warren Price, Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs attended the quilting at Mrs. Ebbert's in Baird Wednesday. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elliott in the afternoon.

Oran Bains visited with Gene Mauldin Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odom and Marian and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin attended the ball game at Brownwood Tuesday night.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence and Mrs. B. Crow attended funeral services for L. H. Hayhurst at Elliott Funeral Chapel Tuesday. Burial was in the Dudley Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smedley and son and daughter, Mrs. Scotts and baby, of Big Spring spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price.

Bobby and Gina Adair spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Adair.

W. B. Gibbs and children of Abilene visited Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond Saturday.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs visited Mrs. George B. Scott Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence one day last week.

Mrs. Sam Holloway visited Mrs. Gene Mauldin Tuesday.

Leonard Mauldin visited relatives at Coleman Thursday.

Sterling Odom visited with B. Crow Sunday afternoon.

Don Purdy of Wichita Falls was a business visitor in Cross Plains Monday.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our sincere thanks to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department for the prompt and efficient manner in which they responded to our call for help Monday night when our motel was afire. From our hearts we again say thanks for the fine job done in protecting our property.  
Mr. and Mrs. Oral Jay

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## Weather Odd And Wet Over Area Past Week

A varied assortment of weather was experienced in the Cross Plains area Sunday and Monday.

Spotted showers began falling over much of this locality late Sunday and continued throughout the night. Then Monday morning at 9 o'clock snow began peppering down briskly and continued nearly an hour. It melted almost immediately upon contact with the wet earth.

Moisture reports from the showers and snow varied considerably. In Cross Plains the two precipitations totaled .85 of an inch, bringing the aggregate for 1964 to just under five inches — 4.93. At Cottonwood only .50 of an inch was recorded. Herman Heine, however, gauged more than an inch at his farm one mile east of Cottonwood.

A new government weather gauge on the Chester Glover farm, three miles north of town, registered .80 from the snow and rain. The gauge is one provided by the Department of Commerce to secure accurate readings from this area.

Other reports on the moisture included these: .70 at the Sterling Odom place, two miles south of Rowden; 1.70 at Keller

Store in Cross Cut; 1.60 at Pioneer; 2.20 inches at O. B. Byrd's place, three miles southwest of Cross Cut; 1.10 at Atwell; 1.50 at Sabanno; .50 at J. C. Bowden's place near Burkett; two inches at Ivan Clark's home north of Burkett; 1.80 at the S. D. DeBusk place, between Cross Plains and Burkett.

## Pony League Season Planning Set Friday

Officials and all adults interested in Pony League baseball activities for the coming season are asked to meet with Little League representatives Friday March 13.

According to Dr. M. E. Roth, LL president and who called the meeting, the session will be held at the Roth Clinic on East Eighth Street at 6:30 p.m.

General plans will be made for the Pony League organization at Friday's meeting.

Chas. F. Hemphill of Albany was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Tony Dodds, student at ACC, visited friends and relatives here during the week end.

## Theater Here Will Rate Future Films

Paul Conn, manager of Pioneer Drive-In Theater, announces a new service to citizens in the community. Beginning next week he will make available the film information contained in The Green Sheet, well-known monthly publication of The Film Estimate Board of National Organizations. Patrons may phone the Pioneer Drive-In Theater for information about current movies or get it at the box office.

Conn states, "The Green Sheet is a reliable source of unbiased information about latest movies. It assists adults in their selection of film entertainment and also assist parents in fulfilling their responsibility to guide their own children to suitable and enjoyable movies."

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Underwood of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Underwood, here during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. (Drew) Baum of Mineral Wells visited his sister-in-law, Mrs. F. V. Baum, at Colonial Oaks in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

**COTTONWOOD QUILTERS MEET LAST THURSDAY**  
Members of the Cottonwood Quilting Club met Thursday, March 6, at the Community Center and finished two quilts for Mrs. R. S. Peavy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dyer of Houston visited friends and relatives here the past week.

Mrs. W. F. (Bill) Boardman now making her home with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Anderson of Brightwell ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boardman attended a musical program at Brownwood Coliseum Sunday afternoon.

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