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FIFTY-SIXTH YEAR

Home Towner

BY JACK SCOTT

Monday is Memorial Day, and the town set aside to commemorate the American servicemen who died fighting this country's wars. Let the flags fly over Cross Plains, a little town that remembers.

With 70 local people on the band trip to Dallas, recent graduates and their sponsors making in ocean breezes in the Texas Gulf, teaching getting away for a rest, and the normal summer leaving for vacation, the old home town hardly been the same in the past few days.

It will be nice to have most of them back home next week.

People are living longer and enjoying it more.

90-year-old Rising Star was seen dining in a restaurant one day last week. At least two local both well-past 90, drive automobiles every day as active as any of town's senior citizens.

Cross Plains' oldest man an avid reader and takes regular strolls over his big yard. The town's only 100-year-old citizen is a lady who is unassisted and seems to take a keen interest in news and things of beauty.

The poet, Robert Browning, must have known a town like Cross Plains, when the Rabbi Ben Ezra he

was old with me! The first was made.

There's been a running feud between Fred Tunnell and the Rev. Charley

Trick ever since the Cottonwood parson dubbed the banker "Freddie Bird," following his visit with B. J. and Lady Bird in the nation's capitol last

year. The minister was seen in town one day recently, talking with the aid of a cane. Someone asked Fred what had happened to his adversary.

"There's nothing wrong with him," Fred said, "he's just dodging the next war."

A donkey is seldom thought of as one of the earlier members of the animal kingdom. There's one at the Whimpy Westernman, though, which does pretty bright things.

The little, white burro, known as Po Go, is that which has been seen in so many parades of late, accompanying Eddie Heard in his actments of "Heard the

bell."

Po Go serves as a dependable bugler, braying loud and long at 6:30 each morning with the precision of an alarm clock. One morning last week he performed another rare feat.

His water trough was empty and he brayed pitifully until his owner went outside to investigate. Failing to notice the empty trough, the owner was about to return when the alert donkey

snatched a nearby water hose between clenched teeth, pulled over and dropped the hose at his watering place, shaking his head violently.

SENTEE VOTING NOW UNDERWAY IN COUNTY

Primary election began Tuesday and will continue through June 2. Date of the election is June 6.

Lloyd Bryan Becomes Post Office Head Man



Lloyd Bryan

Lloyd Bryan became acting postmaster at Cross Plains post office Saturday morning. He was checked in at the close of business Friday night.

Bryan, a popular federal employee and long-time resident of this city, has been employed at the post office since Oct. 1, 1951, when he began as a substitute clerk. He has been regularly employed at the post office since 1958.

There has been no increase in the postal staff since recent retirement of Postmaster F. R. Anderson. Office personnel still includes Mrs. Verna Mae Ramsey and Joe Hanke, Jr., clerks, and Exal D. McMillan, who works part time.

During the interim of Anderson's retirement and Bryan's appointment, Mrs. Ramsey served as clerk-in-charge at the Cross Plains office.

DAVE HARGROVE GOES TO COLEMAN HOSPITAL

Dave Hargrove entered Over-all-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman as a medical patient over the week end.

Quarter Million Pounds Grain Bought In 3 Days

Cross Plains presently boasts the strongest grain market in recent years. More than a quarter million pounds of new-crop wheat and oats were sold here in three days last week.

First sellers of 1964 wheat were Tommie Harris and Baylis Pope. They arrived at Callahan County Co-Op in Cross Plains simultaneously. Both had number one hard wheat, however, the moisture content was high in both instances. The wheat brought \$1.50 per bushel.

The Cross Plains market is said to be exactly the same as that of Brownwood and Baird and will vary from day to day as do quotations in those cities. Buyers in the three towns are all reported filing the same contract.

Initial seller of new-crop oats was Raymond DeBusk of Cross Plains. He sold at 30 cents per bushel.

Other early sellers included: W. S. Jobe and J. R. Shirley, both of the Putnam area; H. E. Coburn, R. T. Watson and O. E. Byrd.

Reports indicate that wheat yields are averaging between 20 and 30 bushels to the acre, with oats ranging from 50 to 60.

"There has been some strengthening of the market as the harvest progresses," said Deel Edgington, local manager of the Co-Op.

Mrs. J. Lee Smith visited last week in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dunn, at Waco.



Photo By The Rev. Don Turner

GROUNDS READY — J. T. (Pete) Walker, sexton at Burkett Cemetery, pauses for a minute's rest after readying things for the annual Memorial Day Services Sunday afternoon. "We're looking for the largest attendance in history," he said.

Burkett Community Will Show Sunday It Doesn't Quickly Forget

Love seems eternal at the picturesque little community of Burkett. Affection there does not end at the grave.

Evidence of both these statements will be seen again Sunday, May 31, as people gather with home towners for the annual Memorial Day observance at Burkett Cemetery, one of the most attractively-kept burial plots in West Texas.

Memorial Day has become homecoming time for former residents of the Burkett and Adams communities. Each year at this time they join with present residents in arranging for maintenance of burial grounds of their loved ones during the year ahead. It's done systematically, with dignity and

tradi-

Sunday afternoon's program will be introduced by Willie Henderson, president of the Burkett - Adams Cemetery Association, who will report on stewardship of present officers and call for a financial statement by Mrs. Merrel Burkett, secretary treasurer. Other officers, working closely with the Memorial Day observance, are: Gilder Adams, vice - president, Mrs. Hattie Adams, Carl Burns, Dalton Gould and Carl Bludworth, members of the board of directors.

Principal speaker for Sunday afternoon's program, which is to begin at 2:30, will be Texas Highway Commissioner Hal Woodward of Coleman. He will relate sketches of history pertaining to the Burkett and Ad-

\$30,000 Fire Guts Top Floor Of Bank Building



STILL SMILING — After being up most of the night, fighting fire and moving fixtures and equipment into another building, people at the Citizens State Bank were still smiling as they opened doors for business 30 minutes ahead of schedule Friday. Pictured here, behind quickly-built tellers windows, are: (left to right) Johnny Adair, Dick Wagner, Mrs. Ivan Clark, Jack Tunnell and Mrs. John Howard Balkum.



Photos By The Rev. Don Turner

PLANNING REBUILDING — Fred Tunnell, bank president, checked his mail Friday morning and began pondering problems of restoring building and fixtures as quickly as possible. "I'll never forget how nice everyone has been to us," he said. In more than 40 years of banking — 27 as head of the local financial institution — Friday was one of his most eventful days.

3 Local Youths Enter Junior Rodeo At Baird Friday, Saturday Nights

A junior rodeo will be held at Baird this week end, sponsored by the Baird chapter of Future Farmers of America. It will be opened with a street parade in the county seat Friday at 5 p.m. Performances are scheduled Friday and Saturday nights, starting at eight o'clock.

Young riders from a number of nearby towns are entered including Scott Odom, Edde Gwyn Elliott and Eddy Don Edmondson of Cross Plains.

Competition will be divided into two divisions, one for contestants through 12 years of age and another for youths from 13 through 20. The show will be in Callahan County Sheriff Posse's plant, one mile east of Baird on Highway 80.

Stock for the show is being provided by Callahan County ranchers.

Contestants are advised to be present at 6:30 p.m. Friday to draw for bulls.

Adviser of the Baird F.F.A. chapter is Dick Vestal, widely-known agriculture instructor, who was reared in Cross Plains.

53 MAKE TRAIL RIDE SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Cross Plains Riding Club held a trail ride Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Roby, north of town. Barbecue supper was served at 5:30 to 115 people. Fifty-three made the eight-mile trail ride.

S. S. REPRESENTATIVE DUE HERE WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Fay Ford, field representative of the Abilene social security district office will visit Cross Plains Wednesday, June 3. She will be in City Hall at 10 a.m. Mrs. Ford states that these field visits are made for the convenience of the residents of this area.

Fire, believed to have originated from electrical wiring, broke out in the second floor of the Citizens State Bank building at 1:30 a.m. Friday, completely gutting the upper story and doing an estimated \$30,000 damage.

The bank quarters below were water-soaked and had to be temporarily abandoned, however, fast efficient work by local firemen kept the blaze out of the ground floor. None of the institution's records, vital papers or money was damaged. They, along with customers' lock-boxes, were in fire-proof vaults.

Equipment was moved by bank personnel and volunteer workers into the Gensley Building five doors south, and the financial institution opened for business 30 minutes ahead of schedule Friday morning.

Wide praise was heard for volunteer firemen for efficient containment of the blaze. For a while the entire block on the west side of Main, between 8th and 9th Streets, appeared imperiled. Rising Star firemen responded to a call for help and arrived on the scene in time to place a pump-truck in the fight.

"They were of great help," said Fire Chief Travis Foster, "and played a vital part in preventing spread of the blaze."

Units from Brownwood and Cisco also hurried to the scene and offered assistance. Coleman firemen were enroute here but were turned back by radio communication, when it was determined additional help would not be required.

People of the town and country pitched in and helped bankers move equipment to temporary quarters. Electricians, telephone people and utility servicemen had the improvised banking house operable in what Fred Tunnell, president of the financial institution, said was record time.

Present plans are to remove the second floor from the bank building and make it a one story structure. Architectural drawings were being made yesterday, preparatory to modernizing both the inside and outside. Fixtures were removed Monday and are being refinished to correct for water damage.

While plans for all work to be done at the banking house are not finalized, it is expected that the temporary quarters will be used six or eight weeks.

MRS. JIM WETSEL BACK IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Jim Wetzel was returned to St. Ann's Hospital in Abilene Wednesday. Friends are hopeful that she will be home again in a few days.

Merrel Burkett and pointed out first graves made, as best he could recall. That of Carrie Whatley, born in 1831 and died in 1893, was believed first. She was the wife of the Rev. M. S. Whatley, an early day minister.

The second grave at Burkett is said to be that of Bertha Edith Mountain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Mountain. The child was born Nov. 4, 1894 and died 10 days later.

Third grave is that of Peter Kellar, born in 1812 and died March 15, 1895.

The fourth grave at Burkett is that of a 14-year-old girl, said to have been killed by a bullet aimed at her father. The child, Ella Foster, was born Dec. 13, 1880 and died June 7, 1895. The family was enroute home from church when the child was fatally wounded.

Buried in the Burkett and Adams Cemeteries are people who were among the first to settle this section of the West. Headstones bear their names and those of their children, providing a cross-section of history.

Sexton at the grounds is J. T. (Pete) Walker, a 52-year-old native of the Burkett-Adams area. He estimates there are between 500 and 600 graves in the Burkett Cemetery—two times present population of the community. The Adams Cemetery is smaller and less often used, by virtue of the fact that it is in a more sparsely settled region. Graves there, though, are no less attended. Like that at Burkett, this burial plot speaks a permanence of affection on the part of survivors.

Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association is now in its 30th year, having been organized during the early 1930's with such families as the Adamses, Wrights, Hendersons, Burketts, Zirckles, Martins and so many more, laying cornerstones for its foundation, and providing leadership in those early years.

Although Sunday afternoon's gathering will be in a cemetery, it will not be a sad occasion. It will be a time to reflect upon the heritage left by loving parents and devoted friends; a time to renew dedication to the principles they championed. It will be a time of joy for those hometowners and former residents, who savor the realization of a duty well done, for a trust maintained.

Local Lady's Mother Succumbs In Lubbock

Funeral for Mrs. William S. Bledsoe, 66, of Lubbock, mother of Mrs. Jack W. Tunnell of Cross Plains, was held last Wednesday at 2 p.m. from St. Paul's Church on the Plains in Lubbock.

Mrs. Bledsoe died at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

The rector of St. Paul's and two of Mrs. Bledsoe's brothers, both rectors in the Episcopal Church, officiated. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park at Lubbock.

Mrs. Bledsoe had been hospitalized since April 30.

Long active in women's organizations, she was secretary of the Kerenhappuch Norman Chapter, Colonial Dames of the 17th Century, and was past president of that group. In addition to the post held at Lubbock, she was third vice-president of the state organization. She was a member of the executive board and a former regent of the Nancy Anderson Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Bledsoe was vice-president of the 20th Century Study Club in her city. She was former president of the Lubbock unit Daughters of the Republic of Texas and had held offices in the state organization.

Born Kathryn Roberta Summers May 23, 1897, at Cuero, she completed school there and moved with her parents to Cleburne in 1915. She attended Johnson County Summer Normal School and for a while taught music. She married William Scott Bledsoe Nov. 25, 1916, and moved to Lubbock. They later lived in Austin, Dallas, El Paso and Phoenix, Ariz., moving back to Lubbock in 1925.

Survivors include the husband, three daughters, Mrs. Rodney Goble of Lubbock, Mrs. Tunnell of Cross Plains, and Mrs. Russell J. Funnell of Colorado Springs; two sons, William H. Bledsoe of Abilene and W. S. Bledsoe, Jr., of Beeville; three sisters, three brothers and 15 grandchildren.

New Officers Take Sew And So Posts

Mmes. W. H. Coppinger and Henry McCoy were co-hostesses when the Sew And So Club met in the home of the latter Thursday afternoon for the last meeting of the year.

Officers for the ensuing year were installed by Mrs. J. E. Wood. They are: president, Mrs. L. W. Westerman; vice-president, Mrs. O. M. Bailey; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Jeff Clark, and reporter, Mrs. C. L. Smith.

Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mmes. A. A. Beekman, Jeff Clark, C. D. Lane, W. S. McCann, Craig McNeel, C. L. Smith, L. W. Westerman, J. E. Wood, H. A. Young and Mrs. Ira Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Dodds and daughters of Brownwood were here one day last week.

County Clerk Mrs. Beatrice Deal, her daughter, Nancy, and Dianne Petty, all of Baird, attended commencement exercises in the school auditorium in Cross Plains Friday night.



STRAIGHT SHOOTER — Bill Vineyard, local highway patrolman, holds trophies recently won at Austin for pistol marksmanship. One represents his being fourth highest scorer among the best of Texas Department of Public Safety. The other is for having been a member of the second highest scoring team.

Dick Ames Gives Water Well Pipe

R. C. (Dick) Ames gave \$100 worth of casing to Cross Plains FFA chapter this week, which will be used to line a water well drilled at the exhibition barn, one mile north of town.

The new well, said to be much better than the original one, will be completed and placed into service the latter part of this week.

Engagement Told Of Local Couple

Announcement is made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Esther Simons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Simons of Cross Plains, to Mack Ingram, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ingram, also of this city. The wedding vows are to be exchanged July 1.

HUTCHINS FAMILY MOVES BACK HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins and two children moved back to Cross Plains from Ranger over the week end and he is now employed in the market department at the J.R.B. Store. The family is residing at the home they own, just across the street from Bowden Lumber Company.

PUBLIC INVITED TO RECITAL ON SUNDAY

Of interest to many Cross Plains friends is a voice recital to be held at the First Methodist Church in Rising Star at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, presenting Miss Julie Watkins, soprano.

She will be accompanied by Miss Linda Koonce, who will present piano selections. Friends are invited to attend.

County Attorney James Paul Shanks was a business visitor in Cross Plains Friday.

5-Day VBS Starts Monday Morning

A five-day Vacation Bible School will begin at the Evangelical Methodist Church in Cross Plains Monday morning and continue through Friday. Classes will be held from 8:45 until 11:45 each morning.

"The public is invited," said Mrs. D. C. Jones, wife of the church's pastor.

Amarillo Boy, 10, Falls From Car Top

Weldon Swafford, 10-year-old Amarillo boy, was painfully cut across the body Saturday night, when he was thrown from the top of an automobile and landed in a barbed wire fence. More than 100 stitches were required to close a series of lacerations over much of his body.

The accident occurred three miles east of Cross Plains in Eastland County.

No Place To Play Fails To Stop Teen-Age Ball Team

Twelve local teenagers, ages 16-18, will represent Cross Plains in a Texas Teen-Age Baseball League comprised of nine area cities.

The local squad will participate in the league despite a controversy about use of the local baseball park. A committee of local Little League officials met last Thursday night and voted to restrict play on the local field to "get grounds in shape for the upcoming District LL playoffs to be held here."

This area's Teen-Age loop is composed of Cross Plains, Cisco, Carbon, Albany, Baird, Clyde, Eastland, Gorman and Ranger.

Members of the local team are: Gene Thomas, Mike Turner, Donnie Taylor, Jim Brown, Sammy Lee, Baylis Pope, Rick Latson, Bobby McMillan, Fred

Johnston, James Switzer, Donnie Rhodes and Ronnie Rhodes. Managers are Wayne Graves and Benny Glover.

First two games will be forfeited because of inadequate personnel. They were carded with Carbon and Cisco. Season will open for the locals June 4 at Ranger. First home date is slated for June 6 with Baird.

Pioneer Cemetery Gets \$23 In Gifts

Four gifts, totaling \$23, were given this month for maintenance of Pioneer Cemetery, reports Mrs. Joe Bryson, secretary-treasurer.

Donors were: Eula Fore \$2, W. C. Bryson \$1, Sam Eakin \$10 and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Risinger \$10.

Claude M. Cox, 63, Succumbs Last Friday

Claude M. Cox, 63, of Rising Star, former Gulf consignee for that city and Cross Plains, died Friday at 6 p.m. in a Brownwood hospital after an illness of six months.

Funeral was held from the First Baptist Church in Rising Star Sunday, with burial in the City Cemetery there.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ola Mae Cox of Rising Star; a son, Robert R. Cox of El Sabrante, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Florence Forbes of Abernathy and Mrs. Sarah Roebuck of Las Cruces, N. M.; one sister, Mrs. Annie Mae Medlin of Petersburg, and eight grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike H. Kendrick of San Diego, Calif., visited friends and relatives in the Cross Plains area last week.

LOCAL LADY DISMISSED FROM ABILENE HOSPITAL
Mrs. Carlos McDermott has been discharged from Herndon Memorial Hospital in Abilene after undergoing surgery last week. She is now at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. W. Tutt, at 1726 E. North in Abilene, and is believed to be recovering satisfactorily. Friends are hopeful that she will be able to return home in a few days.

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SINCERE THANKS

To the loyal friends, who so heroically fought the blaze which ravaged the upper story of our banking house early Friday morning. The help in controlling and extinguishing the fire, moving out fixtures and equipment and installing them in temporary quarters and the cooperation and understanding of so many of you, deserves expressions of gratitude far beyond our ability to convey.

Your neighborliness and friendship was again asserted and shall forever be held in grateful recollection.

Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department, which all of us so genuinely admire, did a magnificent job. The help of Rising Star firemen and Brownwood, Cisco and Coleman, which hurriedly dispatched units here was likewise most appreciated. To all of them we send this public expression of our debt of gratitude.

Until our former quarters are adequately restored, we will be doing business in the Gensley Building, five doors south on Main Street.

We are proud to say all records, customers' lock boxes and vital papers and securities were adequately protected in our two fireproof vaults and are undamaged.

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WALT DISNEY'S
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"ALMOST ANGELS"
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SUN. - MON. - TUES.
May 31 - June 1 - 2
"FUN IN ACAPULCO"
Elvis Presley

erry Harris Will Again Lead High School Band

erry Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris, will again lead Cross Plains High School Band next year, he was re-elected president of the organization over the week end, shortly before their departure for Indiana.

Fox Hunters Thank Stores For Awards

"You've got a fine little town here with a swell group of merchants," said H. H. Harrelson, of Cisco, president of Star Fox Hunters Association, Thursday.

He expressed thanks for trophies provided by Cross Plains business concerns at the recent convention of his organization here. Donors were: Higginbothams, Sisters Cafe, Citizens State Bank, Farmers Co-Op, Cross Plains Review, Big D. Drilling Company, West Texas Utilities, JRB Super Market, Neal Drug, Foster Grocery, Dillard Drilling Company, Pancake's Truck Stop, Rose Butane, First State Bank of Rising Star, Cross Plains Frozen Food Locker and C. B. Shelton.

al Couple Plan 6th Wedding

and Mrs. M. L. Rouse announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Treva, and Jimmy Garrett, also of this town, will be exchanged at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains the evening of June 6, to which all friends of the couple are invited.

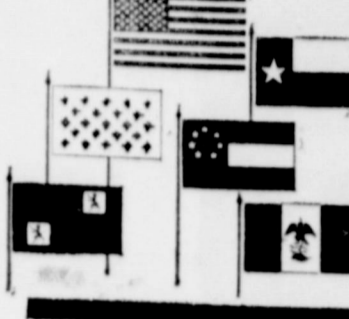
and Mrs. Edgar Jones looking forward to the arrival of their son, Weston, and family of Chicago here for the next few days.

Happy Birthday Column

- June 28: Norma Jean Hutchins
- June 29: D. Smith, Mrs. Raymond DeBusk, Mrs. Lucille Rich, Brent Underwood, Larry Ramey
- June 30: Erwin Haackonsen, Mrs. Melvin Placke, Raymond DeBusk, Mike Watson, Michael Hutchins, Melody Hutchins, Edwin Hutchins, Pickie Wayne Chambers
- June 31: Charline Chesshir, Mrs. Jack Watkins, Laria Davis, Earl E. Hooks, Mrs. Elmer Biehl
- June 1: Anita Wooten, Rita Bates, Dave Lee, Gary Gilmore, Junior Harding, Bea Black, W. E. Wood, Robert L. Hayes, Christine Graham
- June 2: Bill Pope, Darrel A. Walker, Herrell Kelly, Jane Nunn, Bruce Hubbard, Donny Webb
- June 3: Mrs. Emory Foster, Mrs. C. R. Woody, Sandra Weiss



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- BLUE RIBBON HEAVY BEEF ROUND STEAK, choice cut, lb. 69c
- BACON Gooch Blue Ribbon or A. F., Sliced, 1 lb. Tra-Pak 49c
- PICNICS, short shank, 6-8 lb. avg., lb. 25c
- CHEESE, Shurfrosh Longhorn, lb. 49c
- CHUCK ROAST, lb. 39c

GLADIOLA FLOUR
5 POUND BAG
39c

Meal GLADIOLA WHITE 5 lb. Sack 29c

- FOOD KING CATSUP, 12 oz. bottle, 2 for ... 29c
- SKINNER'S, CUT MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI, 2, 7 oz. boxes ... 27c
- ARROW, DRIED PRUNES, 16 oz. cello bag ... 29c
- SHURFINE GRAPE JUICE, 24 oz. can ... 43c

Shortening BAKERITE 3 lb. Can 49c

- SHURFRESH, FIG BARS
- COOKIES, 2 lbs. 49c
- NEW DETERGENT SUPER SUDS, giant .. 59c
- DEL MONTE TUNA FISH, flat can .. 29c
- WALDORF TOILET TISSUE, 4 roll ctn. ... 29c
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School Days About Over For Veteran Custodian; E. H. Oliver Quits June 30

E. H. Oliver, who has watched a generation of children start and finish at Cross Plains schools, is nearing the end of a long career. He has been custodian of buildings on the local campus since 1944 and will reach retirement June 30.

"When I started 29 years ago, there were five buildings on the local campus — now there are seven," the veteran custodian recalled Monday.

Only four of the present 40-odd employees of Cross Plains schools were with the system when Oliver began. They are Mrs. D. C. Lee, O. B. Edmondson, Herrell Kelley and Mrs. Raymond DeBuck. Three superintendents — A. J. McCain, Newell H. Odell and Paul Whitton — have served here during that time.

Few persons ever mopped up more footprints or swept away more litter than has Oliver during the past two decades. He is quick to say, though, that Cross Plains teachers and students have been most cooperative in making his job easier.

"Teachers have a system of

leaving classrooms in order," he says. "There's not a litterbug on our faculty."

Many well-known adults,



E. H. Oliver

some mothers and fathers, were first graders here when Oliver started at Cross Plains schools in 1944. Some of those he recalled in only a moment's reflection are: Mrs. E. W. Foster, Mrs. Fritz Barnett, Benny Glover, Mrs. Ronald Gray, Paul Lane, Charles McCord, Reuben McCowen and Jimmy Rice.

Oliver also recalls others, who have gone on to places of position and prominence since he first encountered them as children on the local campus. A half dozen or more, he reminds, died on battlefields around the world during World War II.

"I've had an enjoyable job, getting to know so many fine youngsters has been one of the richest experiences of my life," he said.

Asked what his plans are for the future, Oliver had no quick answer.

"I just can't say," he declared, "but it's going to take some doing for me not to jump up in the morning and head for the schoolhouse. It's been a habit that I won't quickly break."

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McDaniel of Lubbock visited friends and relatives here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hancock of Dallas spent Saturday and Sunday here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Peavy.

Denise Peavy of Abilene was a visitor here in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Sandifer, over the week end.

Classified Advertisements, 40c

Wayne Howle of Stephenville, who did practice teaching in vocational agriculture here this Spring, visited O. B. Edmondson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Browning of Brownwood visited here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Baum and with Mrs. T. E. Baum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow and children of Lovington, N. M., visited her parents, Elder and Mrs. Dave Foster, here over the week end.

Fabian Bearden of Baird transacted business in Cross Plains one day recently.

Mrs. Roland G. Howell of Dayton, Ohio, spent the past week here visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. B. Baldwin.

Mrs. W. M. Smith has returned home from Oklahoma City where she spent a week in the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith. From there she went on to Okmulgee and visited her sister and family.

Wedding Plans Are Revealed By Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Jack N. White are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sandra Jean, to Noel Ingram, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ingram. The ceremony will be at the Rising Star Church of Christ at 4 p.m. June 27. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Peavy of Clyde were visitors here Saturday.

Lahoma White and a friend from Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. White, here last week end.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge spent last week end with relatives and friends in De Leon.

Miss Nancy McDermott of San Angelo visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDermott, in Cross Plains last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Corneilus Elliott and children of Arlington visited in Cross Plains Friday night and attended commencement exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. George Webb and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bevin Foster of Dallas were visiting friends and relatives here over the week end.

Sabanno People Urged To Remember Project

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Let's not forget the cemetery working at Sabanno this coming Saturday morning, May 30. We will decide whether or not to sow grass over the cemetery then. Come early and bring hoes and rakes.

Mrs. Lonnie Switzer and Mrs. Watson will be hostesses for the Busy Bee Club this week, Wednesday afternoon. Visitors are always welcome.

J. V. (Grandpa) Rector, 89, passed away Tuesday of last week in a Rising Star rest home. He was the father of a good family in our community, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rector, Sr. Funeral services were held in the Sabanno Baptist Church with Rev. J. C. Koen, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Sabanno Cemetery with Higginbotham's of Cross Plains in charge. We extend our sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox and baby of Carlsbad, N. M., were here for the funeral of his cousin in Rising Star Saturday. They also visited with Mrs. Cox's brother, Eldridge and Golden Lawson.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles J. McAfee and children of Cross Plains and Dr. George Steinman of Abilene were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King were in Cisco Thursday to be with his brother, Marshall King, who was moved from a hospital in Dallas to the Green Acres Nursing Home in Cisco. His condition isn't too good. Mrs. L. M. Barron of Cisco is his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lambert and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer recently.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ingram were in Abilene Thursday on business and also visited their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon attended the funeral of his mother's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Rhodes, in Midland last week. Mrs. Nolan Brooks and girls visited her brothers, Eldridge and Golden Lawson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Underwood of Fort Worth visited Josie, Alma and Columbus Morris Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Ramsey and daughter, Mary Francis, and two grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hollis and children of Abilene, and Herbert and Vivian Hollis and children all visited with their mother, Mrs. Mary Hollis, and Minter B. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba of Brownwood and Rev. J. C. Koen were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Labon Grizel of San Francisco, Calif., were through here last Wednesday. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk, who now own the place formerly owned by the Grizel family, after a brief visit, they continued on their way, stopping in Eastland to visit with his boyhood friend, the Rev. T. N. Minix.

Mrs. Roy Cloud and Melenda of Abilene are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ingram, for a few days. Mrs. Bill Ramsey and children of Romney visited with Josie, Alma and Columbus Morris Wednesday night.

Mrs. Larkin of Rising Star is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Wordis Erwin, this week

2 Shutouts Keep Cats LL Record Unblemished

The Cats, local Little League team which has been leading since the beginning, waltzed through another week undefeated.

The top nine won two shutout victories on the pitching arms of Larry Bishop and Richard Pope. In the last 11 innings Bishop and Pope have allowed just three hits.

Tuesday, in the only game played, the Cats whalloped the Kilowatts 14-0 on a one hitter. Winning pitcher Pope, now 6-0 on the season, allowed the safety, a single to first baseman Pete Barbar, but struck out eight. Bishop followed and fanned six in two innings. James McMillan was the loser despite 12 whiffs, but the Cats worked him for 10 walks and 10 hits.

First Extra Inning

Thursday's curtain-raiser was the first extra-inning game this season. The Kilowatts finally subdued the Scouts 7-6 in seven innings. Lawrence Lee picked up his first win in three relief innings. Don Scott toiled the first four innings.

Dave Hargrove was the loser in one inning of relief. Randy Strickland hurled the first six innings, fanning six enroute.

The score was knotted 5-5 at the end of regulation play.

Second Shutout

The Cats posted their second straight shutout last Thursday night with a 5-0 blanking of the Buffs.

Bishop started and got the win in three innings to bring his record to 2-0. Pope relieved

for a trio of frames and struck out seven. Dave Merryman of the lower in whiffing 11 Cats in going the distance.

The Buffs collected two

Dominate Hitting

The Cats not only commanded respect in the standings but also at the plate. Three of the top five hitters are Cats.

Larry Bishop, Cats, replaced James McMillan as the league's leading hitter during the week. His average stands at .347 while Kilowatt McMillan slipped to a .266 and second place. Jim McCowen of the Cats and Dave Hargrove of the Scouts are tied for third with .266. Cat Joe Dadds is fifth with .245.

Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cats	8	0	1.000
Buffs	3	4	.429
Kilowatts	3	5	.375
Scouts	1	6	.143

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Peavy of Abilene visited here in the home of his parents Sunday.

L. A. Warren of Abilene visited with Bob Latsone here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin J. Peavy of Orlando, Fla., were guests here last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Yolie McDonough.

Mr. and Mrs. Vellie McDonough were in Pleasant Valley Sunday where they visited the home of her brother, R. Lintz.

Notice of the Names of Persons Appearing as the Owners of Unclaimed Amounts Held By:

CITIZENS STATE BANK

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

This notice is given and published pursuant to Section 3, Article 3272b, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, in an effort to locate persons who are the depositors or owners of amounts in accounts that have remained inactive or dormant according to the provisions of Article 3272b for more than seven (7) years.

The unclaimed amounts due the depositors or owners listed herein will be paid upon proof of ownership at the office of the named depository within nine (9) months, and if unclaimed thereafter they may be subject to report to and conservation by the State Treasurer in accordance with said Article 3272b.

Item No. of This Report	Names of Missing Depositors	Last Known Address	
		Rt.; Box No.; No. & St.	City and State
1.	Black, Ethel S.	1839 La. Ueta, N. E.	Albuquerque, N. M.
2.	Brooks, Mrs. C. H.		
3.	Calder, Christover V.		
4.	Calder, Howard Curtis		
5.	Caddo Production Company	5930 Tremont Street	Dallas, Texas
6.	Dunnigan, W. E.		Cross Plains, Texas
7.	Eldridge, Miss Billie		Cross Plains, Texas
8.	Flanagan, J. P.		
9.	Hose, R. A.		
10.	Humphrey, J. A. (Trustee)		
11.	Ingram, Mrs. M. L.		
12.	Moore, J. H.		
13.	New House, Arthur A.		
14.	Rogers, Dan		
15.	Shamrock Production Co.		
16.	Spencer, H. L., C. D. Wilson and W. M. Vickery		
17.	Wright, Mack M.		

AFFIDAVIT OF DEPOSITORY OFFICER

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF CALLAHAN

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Jack W. Tunnell, who, after being by me duly sworn, deposes, says, and certifies as true the following:

- That he is Cashier of Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains, Texas, the Depository named in the above Notice.
- That the foregoing is a full and complete list of the names of all depositors and creditors for whom dormant deposits or inactive accounts have been held for more than seven (7) years and whose existence and whereabouts are unknown to the Depository.
- That such listed depositors and creditors have not asserted any claim or exercised any act of ownership with respect to their deposits or accounts during the past seven (7) years.

(Signature) Jack W. Tunnell

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 23th day of May, 1964.
(Seal) (Signature) Ethel Sims Notary Public Callahan County, Texas.

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2 Big Events Due In Burkett This Week

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

Again the public is invited to attend the annual Memorial Day Service at the Burkett Cemetery next Sunday, May 31, at 2:30 p.m. There will be a short program and business session.

Attorney Halbert Woodward of Coleman will be principal speaker for the occasion.

This service should be a reminder to all of us who have loved ones and friends buried here to attend and contribute to the upkeep of this sacred place.

Members of the Cemetery Association invite you to visit the Burkett and Adams Cemeteries at any time convenient to you, and see the beauty of the places and improvements made from time to time.

The Community Supper will be Friday night, May 29, at 7:30 p.m. at the Community Center. Everyone is invited to attend and bring two covered dishes, a salad and sweet or vegetable and meat. Committee members for this month are:

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Neff, chairman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biehl and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Evans.

Friends and neighbors are invited to attend a "housewarming" Saturday, June 6, at 7:30 p.m. honoring Miss Velma Byers and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Byers, and Dan, who recently moved to Velma's new home.

The Baptist Vacation Bible School will begin Monday, June 1, and end Friday, June 5, at 8:30 to 11:30 each morning. All young people in the community from intermediates down are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Biehl and baby attended the Cross Plains graduation exercises last Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Evans' grandson, Mike Montgomery, was among the graduates.

Visitors in the R. E. Neff home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Walker of Coleman, their daughter and husband of Llano and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Key, Mr. and Mrs. Gilder Adams, Debby and Tamorah, all of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harris went to Knox City Tuesday to attend the graduation of their grandson, Bob, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Adams visited in the Wallace Adams home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tomlinson and family of Coleman spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harris and Mrs. Wilda Tomlinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson were in Comanche Monday to attend the funeral of the grandfather of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. C. Henderson, of Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Koenig and children have been in New Mexico visiting his sister and family, the James Leonards, and her brother, Max Henson, and family.

Visitors in the B. D. Bludworth home last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Gaston McDaniel of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. Mabel McDaniel of Melrose, N. M., and Mrs. Bernice Griffiths from Colorado. They also visited the Elmer Biehls and the D. R. Gould family.

Mrs. D. A. Young and Cindy of Zephyr and Mrs. W. M. Freeman and granddaughters, Marsha and Janet Willis, all of Sweetwater visited in the Merrel Burkett home Monday. Mrs. Freeman remained with the Burketts and the girls went home with Mrs. Young to visit for a while.

Mrs. Eugene Strickland and Mrs. Elbert Strickland and children of Forsan spent Friday to Tuesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blankinship. Thelma Merle Walker of Rising Star is spending two weeks with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Walker, and aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker.

Play Off Contest Next Monday Ends Ladies League For Summer

League competition ended last Monday in Cross Plains Ladies Bowling League, with only a play-off remaining between Pancake's Truck Stop, winner of the first segment of the split season, and West Texas Utilities, second half champion.

Presentation of trophies and WIBC patches will culminate the league's activities Monday night.

Action closing night found in favor of the electricians as they stymied Foster's Grocery 4-0. The Hightower quartet bowed to Lucille's beauticians 3-1, while Pancake's fell victim to Johnston Truck & Supply by a similar total.

Betty Crawford spiked a 152 series with a single game of 169, securing top individual laurels in both divisions.

"Heading the class" as the season closed were the following: Peggy Golson 142, Ethel Sims 136, Betty Crawford 132, Jimmie Montgomery 128, Bonnie Illingworth 121 and Sharon Koenig 120.

Buff Band Near Front Of 500 Processional

Of the 174 units to march in the Memorial Day parade at Indianapolis, Cross Plains High School was assigned position number 41, well toward the front.

The processional will be led by the Purdue University band. The parade is in 10 divisions in addition to the honor division. Each division has a theme. That of the section in which Cross Plains band will participate is "Cowboy-West."

5 WOODMEN ATTEND CONVENTION MONDAY

Five local Woodmen attended a convention of West Texas Log Rollers, Woodmen of the World, in Sweetwater Monday night. Making the trip were: Roy Cox, Exal D. McMillan, Fred Stacy, Ted Souder and Jim Wetsel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry G. Cox of Lawton, Okla., visited his father, Roy Cox, in Cross Plains over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Petty and children of Baird visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mac Copping and son, Paul, of Eula were week end guests of relatives and friends in Cross Plains.

Card of Thanks 75c

Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

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(meaning accord; agreement)

(Answer on Back Page)

Abilene Ladies Attend Quilting at Eastham Home Near Admiral

Mrs. B. Crow

Leola Gibbs, Mrs. N. V. Gene Mauldin and Mrs. Gene Price attended the quilting at the home of Bertie Eastham of Wednesday, Thirty ladies present for the day, had a nice time together.

Mrs. Ray Boen visited Mrs. Sterling Odom and Nancy Monday afternoon. Mrs. Scott teaches homemaking in the Cross Plains schools.

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Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Bobby Hutchins was home over the week end. He works in the Santa Fe freight yard in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and children, Pat and Leola, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tip Wrinkle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Tunstill from Memphis, Tenn., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions and Aunt Metta.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Scott visited Dave Foster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins, Bobby and Beth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre and baby Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Hewes and Vee visited Harvey Black in the Gorman Hospital Sunday. Harvey is not feeling so good, but we hope he soon gets much better.

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Eastland Auction Co. Reports Stock Sales

Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. Smith and husband of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster north of Cottonwood recently. Mrs. Smith will be remembered here as Miss Hazel Ward.

Mrs. Ruby Ross and children of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kilgore of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Garland Lewis over the week end.

Miss Eunice Hembree and W. P. Ledbetter of Scranton visited in the Respass home Monday morning.

K. B. Robbins was taken to Cisco last week to a doctor. He is still not able to get around very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mitchell had his sister, Richie, and family of Odessa visit them over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Champion and family spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion.

V. L. Fulton said he was feeling some better. He was at home Monday morning and was driving his car.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Childers are building them a new house near his parents' new home west of Cottonwood about one-half mile.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dun are progressing nicely with their house near Mr. Mary B. McLeod. They are doing the building themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion visited his brother, J. C. Champion, and wife Saturday at Comanche.

OIL TRY DRILLING AT 3,060 TUESDAY

A deep oil test was drilling below 3,060 feet late Tuesday on the Sam Plowman place, 10 miles west of Cross Plains. The venture is that of Eugene Goltz of Abilene. The test is slated to explore the Ellenburger limestone.

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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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Wives Of Former Residents

Huntington of Abilene long-time resident left last week for New York City, Washington, D. C., and several other points of interest.

Huntington and children before returning home next month she plans side trips to New York City, Washington, D. C., and several other points of interest.

COUPLE REMARRY RECENTLY
H. S. Region and Her husband recently at Coleman hospital in the only daughter of the late Lloyd Lee.

H. S. REGION ENTERS VETERANS HOSPITAL
H. S. Region left Wednesday morning to enter the Veterans Administration Hospital in Temple.

ELLA DILLARD TO HOSPITAL
Ella Dillard of Cross Plains entered Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene as a patient last week.

OSA H. GATTIS GOES TO HOSPITAL MONDAY
Osa Gattis was taken to an Eastland hospital in a local ambulance Monday at noon. He reported for work as usual Monday morning but became painfully ill a few hours later.

A Personal Word



While serving you as Sheriff, I have had one thought uppermost in my mind at all times. It has been to provide law enforcement and the type of friendly, neighborly service which the people of Callahan County so rightly deserve.

If at any time I have failed to meet your expectations, it was certainly a mistake of the head and not of the heart. I have tried to do my very best and, if elected, feel qualified by experience to do an even better job.

Conducting the affairs of this important office does not leave me time to make a personal canvass of the county, however, I feel that you prefer that I remain on subject to your call 24 hours a day. This I have and will continue to do.

Most earnestly ask your support for re-election and in recognition of my dead-level best to making you a capable law enforcement officer and administrator.

HOMER PRICE FOR SHERIFF

COMPARATIVE DATA REGARDING LOCAL GRADUATING CLASSES

The 1964 graduating class at Cross Plains High School this year was the largest since 1947. The recent group of 46 was one smaller than that of 17 years ago.

An oddity concerning CPHS graduates here in recent years is that boys have outnumbered girls, as the following chart reveals.

Year	No. In Class	Girls	Boys
1948	32	13	17
1949	33	20	13
1950	20	11	9
1951	33	17	16
1952	33	13	20
1953	28	14	14
1954	45	24	21
1955	32	15	17
1956	27	13	14
1957	34	18	16
1958	30	12	18
1959	39	16	23
1960	35	21	14
1961	28	9	21
1962	37	12	25
1963	25	6	19
1964	46	20	26
TOTALS	557	254	303

Girl Known Here To Wed June 20

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kinnard, of Albany, are announcing the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Juanita Ann, to Samuel D. Walls, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Walls of Bedford.

Dale Gary Drills Test At Cross Cut

H. D. (Dale) Gary of Cross Plains is now in the oil business and has filed for application to drill a 1,400 foot test near Cross Cut. Rotary tools will be utilized.

The couple will be married June 20 at the First Assembly of God Church in Albany.

She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Lottie Kinnard of Cross Plains and of the late John F. Sherman and Mrs. Sherman of Abilene. She is the great-niece of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carey of Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kirksey and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Nabers of Brownwood attended graduation exercises in the school auditorium here Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGowan and children were in Waco over the week end.

Jean Fore Pinch Hits As Pioneer News Reporter

By Jean Fore
Our reporter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean, are spending a week's vacation visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Haslam, in Roswell, N. M.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin last week were: Scott Hickey of Crane, Jim Eakin of Roswell, N. M., Mr. Green and Norma Carey of Lubbock, Rev. Dan Gaines of Abilene and Mrs. Wimpy Westernman and Mrs. Homer Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Merrill have been making frequent trips to Coleman the last few days getting acquainted with their new granddaughter, Pamela Kay, who weighed seven pounds and fifteen and one-half ounces. She was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Merrill in an Abilene hospital May 20. They were moved to their home in Coleman Friday. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Harris of Rising Star.

Mrs. Mathe Green of Brownwood visited with Mrs. Ethel Brown Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harlow of Grand Prairie, Vi and Janet Harlow, Cathy Anderson of Dallas, Mrs. Bessie McDaniel and son, Buddy, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow of Lovington, N. M., Mrs. Russell Dennis of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Olan Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Foster of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Kellar of Cross Cut visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore.

Mrs. Sam Eakin visited with Mrs. Lewis Coppinger and Mrs. Inez Ingram in the Cottonwood community one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson were business visitors in Rising Star Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Marie Pancake and sons who have been combining in South Texas for several weeks returned home Thursday to make the harvest closer to home.

Mrs. Lynn Daniel returned home Friday from California accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Betty Chapman of Denver City, to be at the bedside of another daughter, Mrs. B. M. Patterson, a patient at Let-

Homers, No Hitter Spice Minor Action

Two second basemen hit home runs in the "A" team game and two pitchers combined to hurl a no-hitter in Minor League play Monday of last week.

Giant second bagger Dave Hinkle won the game for the Giant "A" with a circuit clout in the bottom of the last inning, clipping the Cubs 13-11.

Jim Whitton, Cub second sacker, also poled a round-tripper in a losing cause.

Jack Thomas was the winning pitcher and Eugene Bates took the loss.

Roger Crawford and Brad Bowden combined talents to keep the Giant "B" hitless in two innings posted a 5-2 victory for the Cub alternate unit.

Crawford was the winner, and Calvin Corley was the loser. Eddie Wyatt hurled the last inning.

Giant "A" team possesses a 3-2 record and the Cub "A" owns a 2-3 mark. Reserves of the two teams are deadlocked with two wins, two losses and one tie each.

The Minors did not play last Friday night.

Derrel Hutchins of Odessa was a guest here in the home of his parents over the week end.

CARD OF THANKS

Again I wish to thank friends of the Cross Plains area for their many kindnesses and courtesies during my recent stay in the hospital. Your numerous expression of friendship and concern were most appreciated.

George Barnard

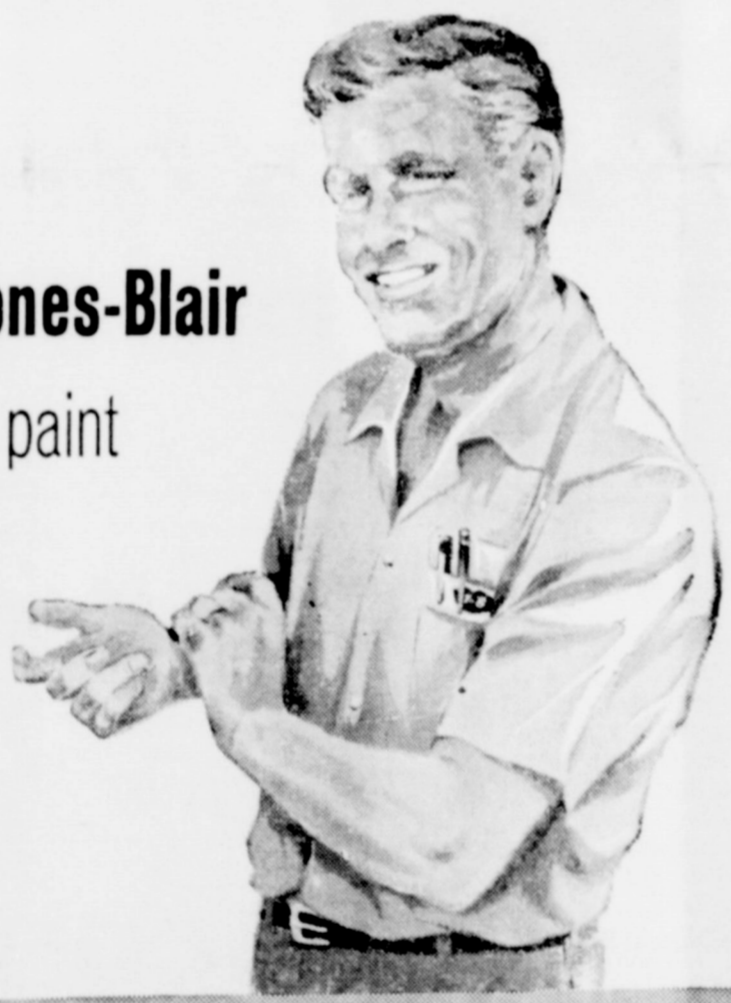
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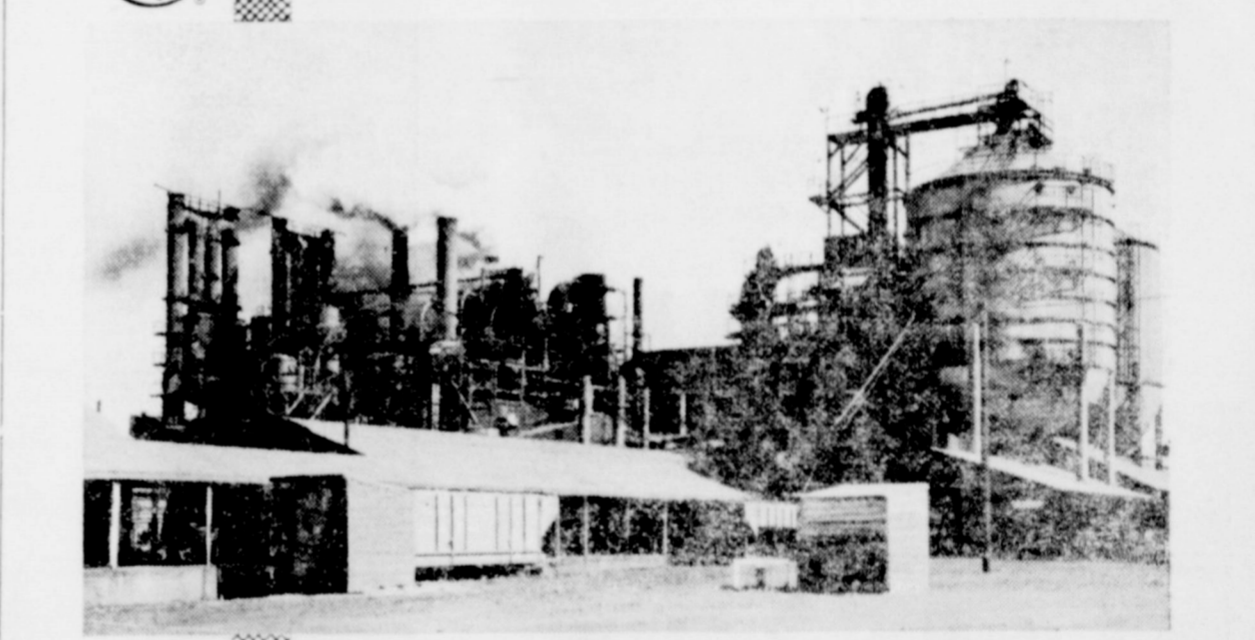
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Again, here is a PATTERN FOR PROGRESS.

In Texas the annual value of raw materials produced is \$700 per capita, while the value added by manufacture is only \$600. Contrast this with the highly industrialized state of Ohio. There the annual value of raw materials produced is \$125 per capita, while the value added by manufacture is \$1330.

Thus, as these figures show, additional processing of raw materials is the most direct way to sound industrial development. Communities seeking new industry will find that an assessment of local raw materials is the vital first step.



Sue Edington Chosen C.P.H.S. Drum Major

Sue Edington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. (Hick) Edington will be drum major of Cross Plains High School Buffalo Band next year. She was selected in try-outs Sunday with Ed Cain, bandmaster at Howard Payne College in Brownwood, serving as judge.

Miss Edington, who will be a senior next term, has been a majorette in the band and a consistent winner in twirling competition, both Interscholastic League and open events, for several years.

Other girls participating in the Sunday try-outs were Misses Dianna Purvis and Patty Pennell.

"Mr. Cain was most complimentary about the ability of all contestants," said Director Wayne McDonald just before the Buffalo Band left Monday morning for the 2,200 mile to Indianapolis.

Retiring drum major of the band is Linda Whitton, who will enroll at McMurry College in Abilene next year.



Sue Edington

COURTHOUSE WILL NOT OPEN FRIDAY

In observance of Memorial Day, which falls on Saturday, Callahan County courthouse at Baird will be closed all day Friday, to give officials and their staffs a long week end.

9 Students Given 10 School Awards

Ten awards for outstanding accomplishments were presented to nine students at school-closing exercises here Friday night.

Presentations were made by Wayne Ford, high school principal, to: Kathleen Cowan, best girl athlete; Alvin Parrish, best boy athlete; Nancy Odom, homemaking award; Mickey Freeman, Betty Crocker homemaking award; Tommy Ramey, leadership laurel; Cynthia Hickman, two awards, one for leadership and the other for best citizen in high school; Linda Whitton, most outstanding band senior; Mike Montgomery, salutatorian, and Glenda Lane, valedictorian.

Be Good To Your Country, 46 Local Graduates Urged

"This is the greatest nation in the history of free nations and you've got to help keep it that way. Your country has been good to you — now you be good to your country."

These were the edicts laid down by Dr. Guy D. Newman, president of Howard Payne College, as he spoke to 46 Cross Plains High School graduates and an audience which filled the school auditorium to capacity Friday night.

"If you don't have faith in God and man," he emphasized, "your education is superficial." "If members of the present generation are to find the rain-

bow God has planted in the firmament for them to pursue, they must learn to handle wisely their handicaps, whatever the nature, and abstain from self-pity. If they are to rise above the hundreds of factors which have conspired against their success, they must acquire a sense of orientation and discipline."

"Mediocrity, present today as always, can be surmounted only by the stairway of motivation, and it is the duty of each young person today to seek out this stairway and begin now an ascent to continue through all his life."

Rural Mail May Be Slowed By Consolidation Of Routes

Unless there are overriding protests to the contrary, the two rural mail routes out of the Cross Plains post office will be consolidated July 18. It is presumed that Morris Thomas, present Route 1 carrier, would serve the enlarged route.

The two routes are 53.95 and 54.10 miles in length, serving 166 and 169 families respectively. The consolidated route would be 108.40 miles long and serve 335 families.

Charles H. Ryan, Deputy Assistant Postmaster General, recently pointed out that the consolidation will delay mail deliveries for some patrons until around three o'clock.

Cross Cut News Gives Community Highlights

By Mrs. Les Byrd

L. D. DeBusk of Burkett visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Byrd and Lawrence, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Williams and daughters of Petersburg spent the week end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Byrd and O. B. Jr.

We are very happy for the band students who are on their Indianapolis trip this week and know it will be very educational and enjoyable for them.

Rev. A. T. Ilse and son, Terry, of Dallas spent the week end with the Charlie Sowell family and attended commencement exercises Friday night. Rev. Ilse filed the pul-

pit at the Baptist Church in Baird Sunday morning.

Spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Wright were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wright and daughter of Early and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Harris and Michael of Granbury. Little Michael remained to visit this week with the Wrights.

Attending memorial services at Hog Creek Sunday afternoon from here were: Waymon Moore, Mrs. Laura Keesee, Ann Moore and Mrs. Edna Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd, Mrs. Elsie Byrd and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Kellar and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richardson and Dana Kay of Cross Plains spent Sunday with Mrs. Proctor and Willie Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd also spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Newton and children of Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton Sunday. Robert remained for a few days visit with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton were in Tyler Wednesday where Roy attended to business and the others visited with Mr. and Mrs. Orian Pope.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sowell and boys Wednesday of last week were: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kennermer, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Kennermer and boys of San Angelo.

Mr. Sowell's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ellis and son of Rockdale, visited them last Friday.

Mrs. Sowell, Richard and Stewart attended church in Baird Sunday morning and had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lovell, Eric and Allan. Rev. Ilse and Terry lunched with them.

Rev. Davis, the Baptist pastor, and Mrs. Davis had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Toad Baucom Sunday, as also did Mr. and Mrs. Homer Norris and Clovie, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh.

Dub Arledge of Odessa and his grandson, Gregg Arledge of Colorado City, spent the week end with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge.

Nancy Arledge went to San Angelo Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Gray of Pioneer, to visit in the home of the Gray's daughter, the Gilbert Tonne's.

Arvin Baucom of Coleman spent last Friday afternoon with his brother, Bill, on his 74th birthday. Coming that night and bringing a big birthday cake and home-made ice cream were: Mr. and Mrs. Alton Barr, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Baucom, Wilburn and Peggy, of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy White and Penny of Zephyr and Mr. and Mrs. Toad Baucom.



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