

## City Election Date Shifted To April 6

Cross Plains City Council was advised Friday that this year's municipal election must be held April 6, instead of on April 2 as previously announced. The advice came in a communication from Texas Municipal League and pointed out

that the April 6 date is binding upon cities incorporated under the General Laws of Texas. Home rule cities — those with their own charters — are not affected by a statute change enacted by the Legislature in 1967, the law now coming into

use for general law cities.

Since Cross Plains Independent School District's annual election of trustees is April 6, and the City Hall had been announced in public notices as the polling place for that referendum, problems were posed by receipt of the letter from Texas Municipal League naming the same date for the city election. Election officials had already been engaged by both the school district and the city — in some cases the same people were to work in both.

### Cowan Hutton, Noah Johnson Enter Race For School Trustees

Cowan Hutton and Noah Johnson this week filed as candidates for members of the board of trustees for Cross Plains schools, for which an election will be held April 6 to fill three vacancies.

Two others, Roy Neil Tatom and Vernon Phillips, had previously announced their candidacies, which brings the number to four now seeking the

three openings. Terms of Phillips, D. C. Jones and Edwin Baum are expiring on the school board, and the latter two have announced that they will not run again. School trustees are elected for three-year terms.

Holdover members of the board are: Dr. Carl J. Sohns, Tommie Harris, Zed Bright and Nathan Foster.

### Ex-Local Woman Killed As Two Shot At Odessa

A former Cross Plains woman and her husband were found shot to death at a trailer house in Odessa Monday. Police identified the couple as John D. Cannon, 34, and his wife, Barbara, 32.

Death resulted from gunshots, and the weapon was said found near the husband's body.

Mrs. Cannon was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie George Parrish, who lived many years in Cross Plains and also on a farm north of Rowden. Mr. Parrish was for a time employed by the City of Cross Plains, however, he and his wife now live in Odessa.

Funeral for Mrs. Cannon, who attended school in Cross Plains, was scheduled Wednesday at 4 p.m. in Odessa. Going from here to attend the services were Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Parrish, grandparents of the dead woman, and her aunts and uncles, Mr. and Mrs. Damon

D. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. (Dickie) Brown.

Surviving the Cannons are five children, said to range in ages from two to 15 years.

### Businessmen Study Project For Group

Nineteen members of the Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday at noon in basement of the First Methodist Church and discussed projects which the organization might undertake to render greater service to Cross Plains.

Two committees were named to make studies and report at an early date to full membership of the organization.

John Pruet, Oscar Koenig and James Lawrence were designated as a project committee, charged with responsibility of making recommendations to the C of C as quickly as possible.

Another committee composed of Wayne Ford, Jimmielee Payne and Jack Scott was named to study the organization's participation in the Christmas cheer program each year and possibly suggest a more workable plan than that currently being utilized.

### 7-YEAR-OLD YOUTH AT HOSPITAL IN ABILENE

Kenneth Bates, seven-year-old son of Mrs. Mary Bates, entered Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene this week and was to be placed in a body cast in treatment for a bone infection.

### LEWIS WOODY SECURES REAL ESTATE LICENSE

Lewis Woody, who recently passed examinations for his real estate salesman's license, is now associated with Exal D. McMillan's Real Estate Agency here.

City and school officials got together Monday afternoon and decided to hold both elections April 6 in the City Hall. The city vote will be in the front office and the school referendum in the back portion of the building, the space commonly used for local elections.

Officials previously chosen to supervise the elections will work as planned, except for the fact that it will all be on the same date.

### Historical Marker Set At City Park

B. C. Chrisman of Baird was in Cross Plains Tuesday morning and supervised setting of a historical marker at the City Park in the western edge of town, adjoining Highway 36.

The marker points out a crossing in an old military road, between Fort Mason and Fort Cooper, which was in use from 1851 to 1861. This old road, which later came to be used by pioneers on the frontier, is said to have contributed to the establishing of the first community here.

### Local Man's Sister Dies In California

Mrs. Lilly Laughton, 90, of Oakland, Calif., died Wednesday after an illness of about one year. She was a sister of Ed Petty of Cross Plains.

Funeral was held Friday and Mrs. Laughton was laid to rest in an Oakland Cemetery.

In addition to her brother here, Mrs. Laughton is survived by four sons. Her husband died in 1953.



Pictured left to right are O. B. Edmondson, a Houston C of C official and Darrel Hargrove.

## Darrell Hargrove Shows Best Heifer At Houston

Darrell Hargrove, Cross Plains High School F.F.A. youth and son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hargrove, showed the first place

middleweight Angus heifer in the scramble-calf division of the Houston Livestock Exhibition last week.

The same entry competed for championship of the entire junior division of the show, finishing second and taking the reserve championship. She paid \$80 in prize money.

The heifer will compete this week end in the San Angelo Fat Stock Show. Also entered at San Angelo are six breeding sheep owned by Richard Pope.

## April 1 Deadline For Peanut Acres Signup

"Peanut producers desiring to sell, lease or transfer peanut acreage should immediately request the county ASCS committee to establish a normal yield for the farm," says J. C. Earp, manager of the Callahan County

office in the courthouse at Baird.

The yield established determines the acreage transferred to and from a farm, he pointed out.

For the first time, persons owning farms without a peanut allotment may purchase acreage to be assigned to their farms permanently. Downward adjustments in the acreage bought will be made if the farm is placed under irrigation during the next five years.

All applications for the transfer of peanut allotments must be completed by April 1.

Attention of peanut producers who do not intend to plant their allotted acres this year is directed to the fact that the final date to lease or sell is April 4. This is only three days between the final date to lease or sell and release. Producers not completing a lease or sale of their acreage are advised acreage should be released before the cutoff date.

### CITY UTILITIES REACH HIGH FEBRUARY TOTAL

Receipts by three municipally owned utility systems grossed \$7,035.65 during February.

Sales were as follow:  
Gas ..... \$4,683.35  
Water ... 1,500.30  
Sewer .... 852.00

### Star Fox Hunters Set Nimrod Meet

H. H. Harrelson, president of Star Fox Hunters Association, announces that a general meeting of the membership of that organization will be held Saturday night, beginning at 7:30 in the Community Clubhouse at Nimrod.

"Several important matters are to be decided upon," he said, "and all members are urged to be present."

### Dean's Honor Listing Goes To Larry Smith

Larry Smith, freshman student at Texas Tech in Lubbock and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge, has been named on the Dean's Honor List for the first semester.

He won the place with a 3.36 grade point average on the four point system. He is working toward a major in psychology.

Smith is a member of the band at Texas Tech. As a senior in the Cross Plains Buffalo Band he won a seat in the All-State Band in 1967.

### SINGING CONVENTION SLATED AT SCRANTON

Callahan County singing convention will meet Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist Church in Scranton.

All singers and lovers of gospel music are invited.

## 106 Students Make Honor Roll Status At Cross Plains Schools

One hundred and six students in Cross Plains schools completed the fourth six-weeks period with a general average of 90 or better and earned honor roll ratings.

The sixth grade with 17 honor students led remainder of the educational system. The second grade came next with 13.

Superintendent Wayne Ford announced the full list of honor students by grades this

week. The roll is listed hereunder.

Seniors: Donnie Wilson, Albert Kincheloe, René Gary and Peggy Purvis.

Juniors: Patsy Ingram, Katherine Sohns, Robert Merrill and Diane McCowen.

Sophomores: Clovie Norris, Regina Gary, Sherri Neal, Charlou Richardson and Fred Smoot.

Freshmen: Norma Merrill, Kim Beggs, Judy Bowman and Ronnie Pancake.

Eighth grade: Bobby Cowan, Carroll Falkner, Donna Ford, Vicki Foster, Susan Holland, Alvie Hutchins, Sherry Ingram, Dianne Johnson, Donald Pope, Beverly Tatom and James Wilson.

Seventh grade: Dennis Campbell, Terry Edington, Kathryn Morris, Penny Odom, Gary Rogers, Jacki Thomas, Vicki Vineyard, Eddie Weiss, Joe Wilcox, Tony Winfrey and Rickey Worley.

Sixth grade: Barbara Ingram, Ricky Kirkham, Roy Merrill, Chuck Pennell, Ricky Purvis, Mary Rankin, Anna Smith, Andy Walker, Paula Wright, Teresa Balkum, Allen Barnett, Star Dodds, Suzie Koenig, Bruce Lawrence, Glen Dale Phillips, Kimberly Tatom and Freddy Waggoner.

Fifth grade: Teri Ann Brown, Debra Crawford, Martha McDaniel, Tony Dimitri, Richard Sowell, Charlotte Burks, Rex

Beggs, Sharon Dillard, Randy Hunter, Barbara Smoot and Carl Thomas.

Fourth grade: Betsy Bowden, Bobra Dillard, Edith Ingram, Betty King, Ethel Moon, Sharlene Richardson, Sandra Weiss and Leslie Wyatt.

Third grade: Kathy Bates, Jimmy Crawford, Rusty Dimitri, Ken Hunter, Dennis Kelly, Sam Koenig and Kimberly Sherman.

Second grade: James Garrett,

Dana Richardson, Melissa Pan-

cake, Merrie Hopson, Brad Waggoner, Sandy Bailey, Troy Beggs, Linda Carouth, Vivian Franke, Nicky Harris, James Reynolds, Wayne Woody and Richard Taff.

First grade: Randy Dillard, Bill Cowan, Allen Phillips, Bobby Glenn Golson, Melissa Payne, Shelley Vineyard, William McCowen, Eddie Hedrick, Ronnie Hutchins, Beatrice Jackson and Jackie Strickland.

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# Interesting Items From Cross Cut Are Revealed

By Mrs. Les Byrd

Coley Pickett underwent surgery in Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood last Friday morning for removal of his gall bladder. He is progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Williams of Vernon spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucum and Bill Baucum.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Chambers, Teresa and Jackie, of Albany visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers, Saturday. Also with them was Mrs. Ruby Baker, Rex's mother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley are planning an addition to their home, including a car port.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, Beverly and Kim, of Atwell and Dana Kaye Richardson of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Lillian Allen and Glenda Kaye of Hamilton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Byrd and Lawrence.

Leroy Byrd went to Brownwood to his doctor for a check-up Monday.

Mrs. Jack Arledge and daughter, Nancy, spent the week end in Dallas with another daughter, Elizabeth Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh spent the week end in Floydada visiting his mother and his sister and family, the Harold Ber-

trands. They also visited relatives in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams of Wellington visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton visited with Mrs. Anderson Newton at Bangs Sunday afternoon.

Bransford Eubank filled the pulpit here at the church Sunday morning in the absence of the Rev. Cecil Dunning, the pastor. Charlie Cones taught the Sunday School class for Mrs. Stambaugh who was away for the week end.

## Only 32 Per Cent Of Cars Inspected

Patrolman Carl Bumstead reports that more than 34,000 vehicles still remain to be inspected in this area for the official 1968 inspection sticker before the April 15 deadline.

Patrolman Bumstead's area includes Eastland, Shackelford, Callahan, Stephens and Brown counties. This area has 50,245 registered vehicles and only 32 per cent have been inspected.

Patrolman Bumstead reminded vehicle owners that under new provisions of the inspection law, the inspection will include front seat belts in cars where the anchorages are part of the manufacturer's original equipment. Also under the new provisions the steering, wheels and rims will be inspected.

Motorists who wait until the last weeks of the inspection period may find that they will need to install seat belts, and with the last minute rush, he supply of available seat belts may not take care of the demand. Dealers will have no way of knowing how many sets to have on hand, so to be on the safe side all owners are urged as possible.

Ted Souder was a business visitor in Abilene Monday.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

## New Individual Mark Set In CPBC Action

Ted Souder stole the individual spotlight, and his team took over the limelight in Cross Plains Bowling Club action last week.

Souder posted games of 206, 190 and 166 in establishing a new individual series record of 562, surpassing by seven pins the former high of 555. His top two games were the best pair in the league for the week. Mrs. J. P. McCord grabbed third place with a 180. Following Souder's record shattering 562 series, came Benny Glover with 493 and Dan Johnston with 473.

First two spots in team competition went to the foursome captained by Souder. The aggregation toppled 821 pins in the final game for top spot in single team game, and the squad's 790 total was third in the bracket. Johnston's quartet sandwiched a 797 effort between Souder's outputs. A total of 2,369 pins were felled by the Souder squad which was best in team series competition. J. P. McCord's team collected 2,302 in the runner-up spot, and Tommy Knight's crew knocked over 2,221 for third place.

McCord's quartet again took the lead in the championship race. The unit disposed of the Johnston squad with a 3-1 victory, and the Souder team blanked Knight's squad 4-0. The McCord win moved the unit out front in the race by three games over Knight's club. Souder's win brought that team to within two games of the number two place foursome.

A battle between McCord and Knight was to have unfolded this week, and Souder was to have met Johnston's unit.

Fourteen weeks have been completed with standings as follow.

	W	L	Pct.
McCord's team	34	22	.607
Knight's team	31	25	.554
Souder's team	29	27	.518
Johnston's team	18	38	.321

County Judge Roy Gilbreath and Tax Assessor-Collector Albert Lovell, both of Baird, were business visitors in Cross Plains last Thursday afternoon.

## Buffettes Split Decision In Two Warm-Up Games

Cross Plains High School Buffettes regained winning form last Thursday in the last of four practice games designed to ready the local sextet for state playoffs.

Buffettes thumped Westbrook 63-59 in Merkel, but lost a third consecutive decision to Stephenville 56-39 Tuesday of last week as host Stephenville, Class AAA winners, took a 56-39 win over the Buffettes. Three Cross Plains starters, forward Valeta Edington and guards Sue Walker and Rosalea Grider, exited via the 'ou' route.

Converted foul shots made the difference in the game. Stephenville hit 26 of 40 attempts while Buffettes managed seven of only 15 shots. Buffettes held a 16-15 edge in field goals made, although connecting on only five of 27 shots outside the key.

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Miss Edington paced local scoring with 19 points, and hit nine of 11 feld goal shots. Miss Renfro counted 12, and Miss Hargrove added eight.

Cross Plains girls shook off excessive fouling and frigid shooting to notch a 22nd victory over Class B district champion Westbrook. A 14-14 first quarter deadlock changed to favor Buffettes 33-25 at intermission.

Local girls padded the eight-point margin by three in the next eight minutes. Westbrook staged a strong rally in the final period, outscoring Buffettes 17-10, but fell short.

Vickie Hargrove sizzled the nets for 26 points, seven field goals and a dozen free throws, in pacing Buffette scoring. Barbara Renfro added 19 and Valeta Edington contributed 18.

Cross Plains counted on 17 of 23 charity tosses for a 74 percentage. Although no records were available on feld goal marksmanship, Coach Jim Eth-

ridge said that it was pretty fair.

### Stephenville Wins

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### LOCAL GIRLS WILL FORM TRACK UNIT

Cross Plains High School has paid entrance fee to the Texas High School Girls Track Association, and became the 13th member of District 20.

A team will be organized in the local school. Cross Plains will compete in Division B, for Class A and B schools.

L. B. Howard of Baird is president of the state association.

Edgar Heard of Coleman was a business visitor here one day this week.

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## SIX LOCAL LADIES AT WSCS MEET THURSDAY

Six ladies of the First Methodist Church in Cross Plains attended a district WSCS meeting at the Methodist Church in Breckenridge last Thursday. Attending from here were Mrs. Merlin Garrett, Mrs. W. A. Payne, Mrs. Lloyd Coker, Mrs. Gus Brandon, Mrs. Fred Tunnell and Mrs. Will Fortune.

## Rev. Bedford Takes San Angelo Church

The Rev. Jack Bedford, former Cottonwood Baptist Church pastor, has accepted pasorage of the Lindell Ave. Baptist Church in San Angelo. He assumed his new position Feb. 25.

The church was organized in 1964 from mission status which it held for eight years prior. The Rev. Bedford, who resigned at Cottonwood a few weeks ago, is the congregation's second fulltime pastor. It has membership of about 100.

He and his family recently moved to San Angelo.

### EULA SCHOOLMAN HAS PHYSICAL CHECK - UP

Billy Mac Coppinger, superintendent of Eula schools, underwent a medical check-up at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene over the week end.

TUESDAY NOON is deadline for news and advertising

## PUBLIC NOTICE

I have opened a well-equipped barber shop in the building just north of the City Hall, and will appreciate serving all my friends and customers at this new location.

Your business will be sincerely appreciated.

Louis Richardson



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### Bibb Laid On Friday

Mrs. Myrtle C. held Friday afternoon funeral services for her husband, Bibb Laid, at the Cross Plains Funeral Home. The services were officiated by Minister J. J. Brown, pastor of the Cross Plains Baptist Church. The burial was in the direction of the Cross Plains Cemetery. The funeral was held Tuesday night at 7 o'clock in the evening at the home of the Medical Center in Brownwood. Mrs. Laid had been rushed to the hospital in Brownwood. Death was due to a heart attack.

Mrs. Laid was born at Dido, Tex., and married Henry Laid in 1929, in Cherokee County, Okla. She was a member of the Cross Plains Baptist Church of Cross Plains.

She leaves to survive two sons, Fred Laid, Farmington, N. M., and Cyril, Okla.; a daughter, Mrs. Louise Laid, Brownwood, N. M., and a granddaughter, Gilliam of Weed, Okla. She is survived by her brothers, G. H. Cogburn, Okla., and J. W. Cogburn, Okla., and many other relatives.

Funeral services were held at Dido, Tex., on Friday, March 7, 1968, at 10:30 a.m. The funeral was held at the home of Mrs. Laid, 1001 S. Main St., Dido, Tex. The funeral was held at the home of Mrs. Laid, 1001 S. Main St., Dido, Tex. The funeral was held at the home of Mrs. Laid, 1001 S. Main St., Dido, Tex.

### Merchant Has Abilene

Underwent nose operation at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, Tex., last week to correct a deformity caused by an accident several years ago. Friends are glad to know that the operation was satisfactory.

### Days

- Mrs. W. A. Strickland
- Mrs. D. C. Hargrove, Jr.
- Mrs. Henry Meador
- Mrs. Black
- Mrs. Wooten
- Mrs. T. C. Culvahouse
- Mrs. L. W. Westerman
- Mrs. Jane Parker
- Mrs. Jack McCarty
- Mrs. J. C. Claborn
- Mrs. Ferrel Whiteside
- Mrs. I. O. Martin
- Mrs. Cowan Hutton, Jr.
- Mrs. Lewis Fortune
- Mrs. E. W. Purvis
- Mrs. W. B. Harmon
- Mrs. E. P. Pillans

- Mrs. Jack Tunnell, Jr.
- Mrs. George Neel
- Mrs. Bill Smoot
- Mrs. Debbie Hargrove
- Mrs. Edgar Sessions
- Mrs. C. R. Myrick
- Mrs. C. A. Walker
- Mrs. Rene Alken
- Mrs. David Burchfield
- Mrs. Merrie Hopson
- Mrs. Gerald Stephens

- Mrs. Lucille Hester
- Mrs. Durrell Smithson
- Mrs. J. T. Sheppard
- Mrs. Robert Brashear
- Mrs. Carl McCord
- Mrs. Apple
- Mrs. Gattis
- Mrs. Hargrove
- Mrs. Riggs
- Mrs. Simpson
- Mrs. C. Holdridge
- Mrs. Mattie Sykes

- Mrs. Wilcoxon
- Mrs. Leona Hitt
- Mrs. Wilson
- Mrs. Bernard
- Mrs. E. D. Evans
- Mrs. Sheppard
- Mrs. Dewayne Teague
- Mrs. Daye Graham
- Mrs. Jean Riffe
- Mrs. George Hoover

- Mrs. Morgan
- Mrs. Bobby Havens
- Mrs. Parsons
- Mrs. W. Webb
- Mrs. Hutchins
- Mrs. Glenn Strickland
- Mrs. Carl Gray
- Mrs. Daisy Rudloff



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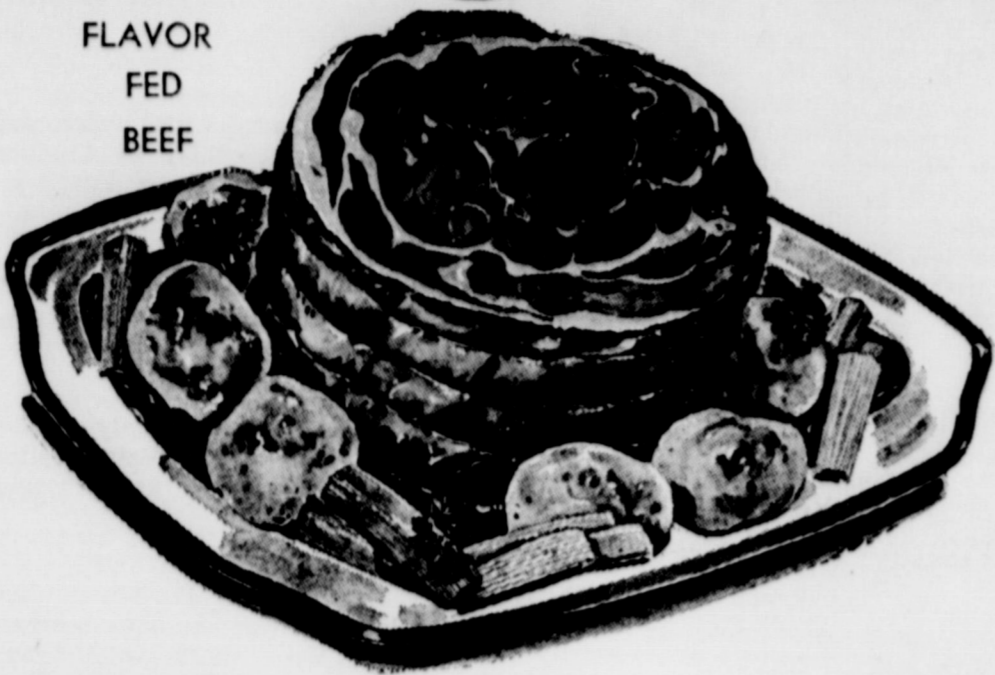
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- FAMILY STEAK, flavor fed beef, pound . . . . . 65c
- SLICED BACON, J.R.B., per pound . . . . . 65c
- RED SNAPPER, boneless fillets, per pound . . . . . 69c
- SALT JOWL, fine for seasoning, per pound . . . . . 25c
- CHOPPED SIRLOIN STEAK, 5 oz. steak, each . . . . . 29c
- DECKER'S HOT LINKS, per pound . . . . . 69c
- SAUSAGE, shop made, seasoned just right, 2 pounds . . . . . 89c
- PORK STEAK, lean and tender, per pound . . . . . 59c
- HAMBURGER PATTIES, pkg. of 10, pkg. . . . . 99c
- FRESH PORK NECK BONES, per pound . . . . . 19c

IMPERIAL 10 POUND BAG  
**SUGAR - - 98c**  
WITH \$2.50 PURCHASE

MARYLAND CLUB 1 POUND CAN  
**COFFEE - - 69c**

ENERGY 1 GALLON  
**BLEACH - - 39c**

SHURFINE 5 POUND BAG  
**FLOUR . . . 29c**

GOOCH'S FRANKS  
12 OZ. PKG.  
**49c**

- ARGO GREEN BEANS, 6, 303 cans . . . . . \$1
- FOOD KING BUTTER BEANS, 6, 303 cans . . . . . \$1
- SHURFINE CUT BEETS, 6, 303 cans . . . . . \$1
- ALMA BUTTER BEANS, 6, 300 cans . . . . . \$1
- CORN, Mayfield, 5, 303 cans . . . . . \$1
- ARGO PEAS, 5, 303 cans . . . . . \$1
- RANCH STYLE SPAGHETTI, 5, 300 cans . . . . . \$1
- TEXSUN GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 5, no. 2 cans . . . . . \$1
- DEL MONTE PINEAPPLE JUICE, 5, no. 2 cans . . . . . \$1

### FROZEN FOODS

- Chicken, Beef, Turkey MEAT PIES, Morton's, 8 ozs., 5 for . . . . . \$1
- Meat Conf., Salisbury Steak, Beef, Chicken, Turkey MORTON'S DINNERS, 11 ounces, each . . . . . 49c
- HONEY BUNS, Morton's, 9 ounce package . . . . . 29c

- WHOLE KERNEL OR CREAM STYLE CORN, Shurfine, 303 can, 5 for . . . . . \$1
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, Shurfine, 5, 303 cans . . . . . \$1
- VIENNA SAUSAGE, Shurfine, 5 reg. cans \$1
- SHURFINE MILK, 7 tall cans for . . . . . \$1
- WAFFLE SYRUP, Shurfine, quart jar . . . . . 39c
- TOMATO JUICE, Shurfine, 3, 46 oz. cans . . . . . \$1
- PORK & BEANS, Shurfine, 8, 300 cans . . . . . \$1
- SHURFRESH OLEO, 1-lb. qts., 6 for . . . . . \$1

### NORTHERN — 4-ROLL PACKAGE

- TISSUE, 3 for . . . \$1**
- LIPTON'S TEA, 1/2-pound box . . . . . 79c
- DINNER, Lipton Main Dish, assorted, . . . . . 69c

### MIX OR MATCH

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	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1950	1.07	.27	.12	2.13	6.82	3.60	3.02	1.26	1.38	.36	.00	.00	20.03
1951	.00	.91	.94	1.55	4.20	3.88	.81	.76	.71	1.97	.00	.00	15.73
1952	.34	.30	1.30	2.60	3.37	.30	.10	.25	1.65	.00	3.12	1.40	14.73
1953	.00	.40	3.75	1.20	4.25	3.00	2.52	2.28	.15	5.87	.48	.28	24.18
1954	.71	.30	.75	4.51	3.11	.00	.25	.50	.00	2.01	2.50	.50	15.14
1955	1.39	1.71	.21	1.17	3.06	2.65	3.47	2.75	.25	2.30	.53	.00	19.46
1956	1.65	1.28	.30	5.55	2.26	.22	.00	.00	.00	2.45	1.95	2.35	18.01
1957	.36	1.85	1.26	7.40	9.50	3.46	.13	.00	4.07	5.66	1.00	4.90	38.58
1958	1.35	2.01	1.55	3.60	3.10	1.50	2.00	2.00	2.73	2.36	.25	2.21	24.71
1959	.00	.56	.30	1.65	3.27	5.37	4.09	.93	1.35	5.17	4.01	.63	27.30
1960	2.85	2.20	.00	1.76	1.84	.00	2.20	2.01	2.20	3.50	2.51	.97	21.07
1961	5.60	1.58	.46	.67	4.21	7.30	2.58	.45	.67	3.25	.55	3.66	31.20
1962	.00	.81	.76	3.09	.37	6.22	4.08	.30	7.36	3.07	.92	1.18	27.96
1963	.00	.50	.25	1.86	8.24	2.12	.22	.73	.78	.26	5.18	.83	20.87
1964	2.40	1.67	1.47	2.69	.30	.35	1.10	3.02	8.95	1.45	1.68	.35	24.43
1965	2.50	1.85	.41	.76	7.87	2.41	.00	2.30	2.85	2.40	1.60	1.55	26.40
1966	.51	.86	.43	5.40	.00	4.26	.00	5.57	3.15	1.26	.02	.00	21.46
1967	.00	.87	.91	3.39	5.40	2.44	1.22	.82	5.21	1.83	1.90	1.20	24.89
1968	9.26	1.26											10.52

Eighteen-year Average Rainfall: 23.12 Normal Rainfall Here: 24.54  
Above figures taken from official records of S. F. Bond, observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau

### Odessa Couple Buy Mac's Grocery Here

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Owens, formerly of Odessa, have bought Mac's Grocery on South Main Street and assumed management of the business Saturday. They are making their home in quarters in the back portion of the store building. The business was formerly owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McCowen, who in an advertisement elsewhere in today's issue of the Review invite friends and former customers to continue with their successors.

### GOLDEN CIRCLE SS CLASS HAS SOCIAL LAST WEEK

The Golden Circle Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday night of last week for a social at the church.

The president, Mrs. Leila Foster, presided for the business meeting. Mrs. N. V. Gibbs gave the devotional after which games were enjoyed by the following: Mrs. J. P. McCord, Mrs. Joe Fleming, Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, Mrs. Mike Cunningham, Mrs. Sterling Odom, Mrs. J. C. Claborn, Mrs. Exal McMillan and Mrs. J. H. Balkum.

### HOWARD FARMER HAS SURGERY ON TUESDAY

Howard Farmer, widely known Baird man and vice-president of the First National Bank of that city, underwent gall bladder surgery at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Tuesday morning.

His many friends will be pleased to know that he is thought to be doing satisfactorily.

### OPAL GATTIS MOVES SHOP TO HER HOME

Opal Gattis has moved her beauty shop from its former downtown location to her home at the corner of North Main and 16th Street.

### MARCH CAME IN LIKE A LAMB LAST FRIDAY

March came in like a lamb last Friday. If there's truth to the adage that "if the month comes in like a lamb it will go out like a lion," more winter weather is in store for local residents. Some take comfort, though, in the fact that the old saying doesn't always prove correct.

Jimmie Settle of Littlefield was here last week end.

Elvis Scott is expected home from a veterans hospital at Temple this week end.

## Burkett Cemetery Gets Support

**By Mrs. Merrel Burkett**  
The Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association received \$20 in contributions during February. Donors included J. B. Harris \$5, C. C. Gould \$5 and Norman Farr \$10. Those contributing in January were J. B. Burkett \$10, A. G. Boyle \$5 and Blanch Houshell \$5.

J. B. Burkett is spending two days at A&M University taking a course in insecticides.

Mrs. R. E. Neff entered Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital last week. According to latest reports her condition is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Burkett and Mark and Lydia of Mineral Wells visited during the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. E. Burkett, and brother, J. B.

Burkett, and family. Mrs. James Rodgers was hostess to the Burkett Ladies 42 Club Thursday evening of last week.

B. E. Stephenson is at home here after spending several weeks at Dickens.

The J. L. Williams family has moved from Cross Plains to the house formerly owned by Mrs. Verda Brown.

Andrew Walker and children of Cross Plains spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Herring spent Monday to Thursday of last week in Cisco with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Childers. Mrs. Childers was ill, but was feeling

better when they left. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Herring and son spent Sunday in the L. D. Herring home.

Mrs. Don Peninger and daughters, Debra and Marsha, of Millsap visited in the Milton Batey home Sunday.

S. A. Gregory of Fort Worth spent Saturday and Sunday in the C. D. Baker home. Mrs. Lucy Dibrell and Mrs. Luther Porter spent Tuesday of last week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker visited in the Carroll Burkey home at Coleman Monday evening.

Those visiting in the home of Mrs. Mae Beaver and Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Burkett over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMillan and Byron of Carlsbad, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sueltenfuss, Sandra and Steve, of New Braunfels, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McAnally of San Angelo and Karen Sitzer of Brownwood. Mrs. Rose Lee Soules, postmaster at Star, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burkett, and they all attended the Big Country Association of Postmasters supper in Abilene Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker spent Saturday evening and Sunday in San Angelo with the W. O. Walker family. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Biehl and children of Brownwood spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biehl and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Evans.

Gilbert Williams of Big Lake visited his uncle, C. G. Burkett.

### Little Items Of Local Interest

Gene Finley of Baird was a visitor here Tuesday.

Don Brown of Midland spent last week end at his farm just north of Cross Plains.

A safety program was presented to Cross Plains school students Monday afternoon.

Dick Grider was a business visitor in Coleman one day this week.

Mrs. E. E. Henderson of Coleman visited friends and relatives here one day last week.

Classified Ads — 50c per week

Three vacancies now exist on Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department. Company at full strength has 25 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnel and Mrs. Ethel Sims visited friends in Abilene hospitals one day this week.

Scores of people from here attended the Baird-Cross Plains girls basketball game in Abilene Tuesday night.

General rains were falling over the Cross Plains area as the Review went to press Tuesday afternoon.

### Personal Items Of Local Interest

Henry McCoy was a business visitor in Strawn last week.

L. F. Foster left Saturday for Phoenix, Ariz., to make his home.

Mrs. Carry Cross celebrated her 91st birthday at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom and sons and Mrs. Tatom's mother, Mrs. Ethel Clark, spent the week end in Fort Worth.

L. C. Cash, county school superintendent, of Baird visited in Cross Plains and Pioneer Monday.

Mrs. Whaley Jackson of Sipe Springs visited her mother, Mrs. Chess Barr, in Colonial Oaks Nursing Home here Monday.

Mrs. Dell Van Buren Antonio visited her mother, Ed Henderson, in Coleman over the week end. Her birthday celebration was Sunday.

Guests over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Walker were: Mr. Socrates Walker and Mrs. Tommy Adams Spring, Mr. and Mrs. (Ted) Walker of Baird, Mrs. Don Peninger and daughters of Millsap.

Mrs. C. V. Dickson, Jr. and Miss Diana Dickson visited in the home of Mrs. Jimmy D. Cox near ridge Sunday afternoon. They also visited and Mrs. Michael Bossier City, La., the Mrs. R. T. Grimes and Rev. Meredith of Fort

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## Garden Club Sets Supper Landscaping Project

The Garden Club has set an ambitious project at Cross Plains, and has means of financing. Children's tickets, for first graders through age 12, will be sold at the door only at 75 cents each. Pre-schoolage children will be admitted free when accompanied by parents. Serving time for the Saturday, March 23, fete will be from 6 to 8:30 p.m., according to a garden club spokesman. Entertainment will also be furnished "off and on" throughout serving hours. Gardeners will also have baked goods on sale at the supper.

The Baptist Church at Cottonwood will bring the devotional the week following, Sunday afternoon March 17.

### GOSPEL MISSION WILL LEAD AT DEVOTIONAL

Old Time Gospel Mission Church will have charge of devotional services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

The Baptist Church at Cottonwood will bring the devotional the week following, Sunday afternoon March 17.

### MELODY STRICKLAND REPORTED IMPROVING

Friends will be pleased to know Melody Strickland, who recently underwent surgery, is now at the home of her daughter, 658 Woodlawn in Abilene, and is reported doing splendidly.

### STREET SIGN MARKERS AGAIN GOING UP HERE

Street marker installation has resumed in Cross Plains. It is expected that city employees will have the task completed in a few days.

Work on the project was halted recently due to shortage of correct brackets to hold the attractive signs.

### HOUSE SALES CAUSE 2 FAMILIES TO MOVE

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Perkins have bought the place on East 9th Street owned by the Silas Havens estate, and are presently remodeling the house.

The house in the north part of town, formerly owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Perkins, has been bought by Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wyatt, who moved to the place over the week end.

Week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hopson here were Matt Browning of Colonial Oaks, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hopson and Steve of Eastland, Cliff Hopson of Pioneer and Mrs. Bill Graham of Baird.

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**FOR LEASE:** 54 acre dryland peanut allotment. See Noah Johnson at barber shop or telephone after 7 p.m. 725-3269. 49 2tc

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**FOR SALE:** 80 acres good peanut land, 51 acre peanut allotment, well with good water. Older improvements. United Farm Agency. Phone 725-4329. 49 tfe

**FOR SALE:** 6 digit Burroughs adding machine in good condition, \$22.50. See or call J. M. Greenwood, 725-4408. 49 2tc

**MUST SELL — am taking loss!** Mike McClure house completely remodeled. New sub-floors with Spanish tile covering, wall paneling throughout, all new bath fixtures, workshop and garage, drapes and curtains included. Will sell for \$3,500. Call 725-4242 or 725-4327 or write Mike McClure, 305 Midway, Baytown, Texas 77520. 36 tfe

**FOR A GOOD BUY** on a Speed-Graphic press camera, and darkroom equipment, contact the Review, Cross Plains, Tex. 76443. 1tp

## POLITICAL CALENDAR

The Cross Plains Review has been authorized to announce the following as candidates for the stated political offices in 1968, subject to action of the primaries.

- For Representative, 17th Congressional District:  
OMAR BURLESON
- For State Representative, 53rd Legislative District:  
BURKE MUSGROVE  
BRYON RICHARDSON  
BOB (Bobby Joe) MANN
- For Sheriff:  
HOMER PRICE  
GRAYSON MILLER  
J. W. (WES) PATTON
- For Tax Assessor-Collector:  
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**FOR SALE:** Laundromat in Cross Plains. Contact Johnny Cook in Rising Star. Telephone 643-4417. 48 2tc

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**NEED LISTINGS** on farms that will G.I. Have several buyers now. Eugene H. (Gene) Gibson, Roy McCullough Real Estate, 3604 4th, Brownwood, Tex. Phone 643-2407. 31 tfe

**MONEY** deposited in savings at the Citizens State Bank by the 10th of any month earns interest from the 1st. 43 tfe

**CARD OF THANKS**  
To the wonderful friends who remembered me with cards, letters, flowers, gifts and good wishes during my recent stay in the hospital, I send most profound thanks. The manifestations of your love and concern shall be forever held in grateful remembrance.  
Melody Strickland

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I deeply appreciate each and every one of the kindnesses and expressions of concern from my many friends and neighbors during my recent stay in the hospital. The visits, cards, letters and flowers were genuinely appreciated, and the thoughtfulness of each of you will be long remembered.  
I. M. Tennison

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank the wonderful friends for so many kindnesses during our sorrow. The food brought, the help at the home and comforting words and deeds by so many of you shall be forever held in grateful remembrance.  
Homer H. Ray  
T. H. Ray  
Ruby Lee Gilliam  
Louise Elam

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Mere words cannot express the appreciation that we feel in our hearts for the innumerable kindnesses and considerations received at your hands while Jackie was in the hospital and since his return. It would indeed be a sad world if there were not for friends and neighbors such as you to help carry burdens in time of need.  
Mrs. Evelyn Calaway and Jackie Dale Monsey

**FOR SALE:** 2 bedroom modern home, one-row Bermuda grass sprigger, 4-row planter, 8-disc one-way, 1 Hampshire board. Donald Stover, phone 725-4769. 49 2tc

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**ORDER OF ELECTION**  
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To the qualified voters of said district.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in Cross Plains Independent School District, in Cross Plains, Texas, at the City Hall, on the first Saturday in April, 1968, same being the sixth day of said month, for the purpose of electing two trustees of Cross Plains Independent School District, to succeed Edwin Baum, D. C. Jones and Vernon Phillips whose terms expire.

D. C. Jones, Secretary, Board of Trustees, Cross Plains Independent School District, Cross Plains, Texas. 49 3tc

**CITY ELECTION NOTICE**  
I, Doyle Burchfield, Mayor of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, by virtue of power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Cross Plains on the 6th day of April, 1968, it being the first Saturday thereof, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Aldermen for terms of two years each.

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

The law provides that names of all candidates to be placed on the printed ballot, must have filed with the City Secretary on or before March 6, 1968.

Approved by City Council in regular session.  
Doyle Burchfield, Mayor  
49 3tc

**FOR SALE:** My home unfurnished. 27 pecan trees, fruit orchard. New garage and carport. Water well with electric pump. 2 gas lights and large garden plot, \$7,000.00. Mrs. Jess Graves. 49 tfe

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**NEW BOOK:** The Review now has for sale a new book, entitled "Trail Dust," authored by Douglas Meador of Matorador. It is a star-dusted philosophy by an editor from a small West Texas town, available at \$3.85. 47 tfe

**FOR SALE:** 306 acres on Pecan Bayou at Brownwood. Six per cent loan. At Grosvenor, 197 acres pasture land, \$125 per acre. Eugene H. Gibson, phone 643-2407, Brownwood. 47-tfe

**FOR SALE:** 160 acres, 55 acres good, level mixed land, balance in native pasture, good fences, 1/2 minerals, on paved road, older set of improvements, only \$16,000. United Farm Agency, phone 725-4329. 47 tfe

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WORSHIP ..... 11:00 A.M.  
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## Family Night Planned For Pioneer Thursday

**By Mrs. Delma Dean**  
It surely is cold this Monday morning. Some of the fruit trees are blooming. Hope the fruit didn't get killed.  
Thursday is regular club day, and Thursday night is family night again. Mrs. Nora Shirley, instead of Mrs. Nell Fleming, was to put in a quilt Wednesday afternoon, and was hoping that everyone who wanted would help that afternoon so the quilt could be finished Thursday afternoon. Everyone is urged to bring a thimble and help.

Those visiting Mrs. Ethel Brown last Monday were Mrs. Bob Hodnett of Rising Star, Mrs. W. S. McCann, Mrs. Marvin Smith and Jean from Cross Plains and Mrs. Gus Brandon of Sabanno.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Huddleston went to Tatum, N. M., Friday to see their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Huddleston. They stopped by Midland to see Mrs. Fannie Freeman, and will be back home some time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray spent Sunday in the Stag Creek community visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hardin.

Mrs. Laverne Hutton and her mother had lunch Friday in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Parson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walker and children of Cross Plains had lunch with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carey, Saturday.

R. L. Carey, Jr. and family of Winters spent Sunday with his parents, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sherrill and daughter, Mrs. Junior Ingram, and baby of Crane visited in the home that afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Sherrill went to Odessa Monday to spend a few days caring for a new grand-

baby, and to visit with her daughter-in-law. The baby's father is working for an oil company in Libya.

Jess Brown visited with R. L. Carey Friday. Thelma Wade of Merkel, called her parents, the Careys, and told them all her children and grandchildren were with her for the week end.

Week end visitors in the Mike Ratliff home were Nick Nicholson of Tyler, Dr. Shimoon and Red Daniels of Muskogee, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Morton and children of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming were in Jal. N. M., one day last week to see their son, Jerry, and his family.

Patty Carlile and boys of Albany were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shirley, Sunday. Christine King and children and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Key and children of Cross Plains visited them Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Grace Eakin visited her mother, Mrs. E. M. Curry, Sr., and her sisters, Blanch Brooks and Gertie Powell, in Cross Plains and Mrs. Marie Pancake in Pioneer recently.

Those visiting Mrs. Marie Pancake Sunday were Kenneth Brooks and two daughters of Odessa and Mona Wilson and two sons of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Edd Henderson and a friend from Royalty, Tex., visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin Sunday.

Jo Clara and family of Breckenridge visited her aunt, Mrs. Annie Laurie Alexander, one day last week. James Alexander of Clyde visited his mother during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rody went to Breckenridge Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Rody spent Wednesday night of last week in Clyde with a son, Bobby Rody, and family, and visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob McNeil in Baird Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Parson of Brownwood spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton and Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Parson.

Vi Harlow of Dallas spent the week end with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Kellar of Odessa came by to see Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore Thursday morning.

Ronnie Flippen of Stephenville spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flippen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Barron of Breckenridge spent Wednesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott.

## Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

dogeril doggeral doggerel

(Meaning: Trivial verse.)

(Answer on Page 8.)

## Do You Remember?..

February 27, 1920

Cross Plains urgently needs a night policeman and the Review and a number of citizens are urging the council to employ one.

Miss Missouri Strahan has announced for County Superintendent.

Cross Plains and Abilene have joined hands in an effort to secure extension of the M. K. & T. railroad from here to the Taylor County city. (Present editors note: Although the R. R. asked to make such extension, it was denied by the Texas Railroad Commission, and because of this the line to Cross Plains was ultimately abandoned 20 years later, for the reason that the dead-end spur, terminating at Cross Plains made it impractical and unprofitable.)

Cross Plains people are angry over the fact that daily newspapers, in writing of the big new oil strike on the Vestal farm, generally refer to it as being so many miles from Cisco, Baird, Brownwood or some other place, seldom saying that it is only a mile and one-half from Cross Plains.

February 27, 1925

Chas. F. Hemphill is erecting a home on South Main Street.

Leroy Butler and Clovis Tyson returned from a fishing trip to the Bayou last week. They exhibited 35 fine fish as evidence of their skill.

Higginbothams is advertising \$2 inch gingham in new spring colors at 15c per yard.

Oil activity in the Cross Plains area is being slowed for the need of water to fire boilers for rigs. Several new tests have failed to spud because of his reason.

March 1, 1935

Raymond Hamilton, desperado of the Southwest, whose acts of bravado equal those of Sam Bass, Jesse James and even Billy the Kid, is believed to have passed through Cross Plains this week. At least Rangers and County Sheriffs picked up here what they believe to be a new trail for the widely-sought bandit.

Aubra Dodson writes from Austin that in his opinion that the much-talked horse racing bill before the Texas Legislature will not pass at this session.

March 1, 1940

Cross Plains and Oplin will vote to legalize beer March 9.

Larry McDonough showed the grand champion calf at Cross Plains F.F.A. Stock Show Saturday.

Bryan Bennett has entered the race for County Commissioner. Drew Hill will again be a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

First patient in Callahan County's new hospital at Baird was Homer Driskill, Baird grocerman.

William Curtis Henderson of Burkett was greatest individual scorer at the Coleman Livestock Show last week. He took two first places and two thirds. The national debt has risen

to the stupendous amount of 43 billion dollars. (Present editor's note: This is less than one-seventh of the present national debt.)

March 2, 1945

A Brownwood man was found dead in his car here Wednesday morning. Death resulted from poisonous fumes.

Cpl. Newton H. Kinnard of Camp Polk, La., is spending a short furlough with his mother Mrs. Lottie Kinnard, here.

Cpl. Otis D. Williams of Admiral has been awarded the Bronze Star for heroic action while serving with General Patton's forces in Europe.

Jay Mayes has landed in Belgium with a detachment of U. S. Paratroopers. Three hundred and twenty-three divorces were granted in 42nd district court last year.

February 24, 1950

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Smith are now deep in the interior of Mexico, where he is doing missionary work.

## \$162 Contributed To Cemetery Here

Nineteen contributions made to Cross Plains Cemetery during February totaled \$162, it is reported by Mrs. Paul Lutzenburger, secretary treasurer of the Cemetery Association.

Gifts were received as follows: Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Westerman \$10, Mrs. Pearl Aishman \$25, Lillie Mae McMillan \$5, Flora Wright \$10, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cross \$5, Sew & So Club in memory of Mrs. T. B. (Tip) Elder \$5, Mrs. Juanita McNeel \$5, Tom and Jessie Mitchell's children \$14, Mrs. Kate Powell \$5, Mrs. M. N. Lawler \$5, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox \$5, Dan Flippen \$5, Mrs. Alma Illingworth \$3, Mrs. Mozelle Bryan \$10, Mrs. Clara Nell Westerman \$5, Rhonda and Mike Strahan \$20, Mrs. S. C. Barr \$5, Mrs. H. B. Gregory \$5 and H. H. Henson \$5.

## J. B. HARRIS DOING FINE AFTER ACCIDENT

J. B. Harris of this city is reported improving splendidly from an injury sustained in a truck accident about four miles east of Rising Star Monday of last week.

Twenty five stitches were required to close a wound on his head. He was rushed to a Rising Star physician for initial treatment, then taken to Brownwood Memorial Hospital where he was held overnight for observation and x-rays.

The truck, owned by Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Company, was considered a total loss.

Mrs. Lorena Settle is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Settle at Littlefield.

Juanita Rhodes, who is now staying in Brownwood, visited friends here first of the week.

## Girls Brownie Troop Again Formed Here

A Brownie Troop has been organized in Cross Plains and now has 11 members. The organization, which is sanctioned under the Girl Scouts of America, is for girls in the second and third grades.

Leaders of the local troop are Mrs. Charles Dillard and Mrs. Louis Richardson.

All girls in the second and third grades in this area are invited to join, according to the leaders. Meetings are held each Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock in basement of the First Methodist Church.

## Annual Meeting At Lakewood Thursday

Annual membership meeting of Lakewood Recreation Center will be held at the facility, midway between Cross Plains and Rising Star, Thursday night, beginning at 7 o'clock, according to an announcement by J. R. (Dick) Wagner, secretary.

Business to come before the meeting will include the election of four directors and considering changes in the organization's by-laws.

Members who will be unable to attend are being encouraged to sign proxy blanks, designating another voter in their stead. Following the business session bingo games will be played.

## AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS OF FARMS AVAILABLE

Aerial photocopies of producer's farms are now available in the county A.S.C.S. office in the courthouse at Baird.

Wheat, cotton and feed grain producers are given a photo of their farm at the time they sign-up in this year's program. They also receive an explanation of how certification will be made of diverted acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox spent the week end in Odessa visiting in the home of their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Underwood.

## News Of Former Resident

Joe Weiler, a prominent independent oil operator in the Cross Plains area a number of years ago, writes from Huntington, W. Va., and says that he expects to be in Cross Plains this summer and hopes to see a number of his friends at that time.

An oddity in the Huntington family is related in a letter from Mrs. Rankin (Dessie) Blackburn, who lives at 102 North Cedar in Brownfield. In a recent note she points out.

Her father, B. D. (Bon) Huntington, was the first born child of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Huntington. Mrs. Blackburn was the first born grandchild of the one well-known local couple, her daughter, Dianna, was the first born great-great-grandchild. The latest descendant is little Barry Scott Salmon.

Shirley Purvis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Purvis and a freshman at Junction High School, was one of 10

finalists recently chosen for cheerleader at Junction. Only one freshman sophomore are permitted to compete for the honor. Shirley's selection was a surprise, regarded as an honor. The young lady is a student at Junction.

She is the granddaughter of L. M. Purvis and Mrs. Claude Joy, all of Cross Plains.

R. L. JACKSON, OWNER OF BAIRD HOSPITAL. R. L. Jackson, Cross Plains car dealer, who was injured in an automobile accident near San Antonio, three members of his family were killed, was released to Callahan County Jail at Baird one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. were in Breckenridge where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Scott.

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### Buffaloes Run Second in Early's Track Meet

Clarkland and Mike Cross Plains Buffaloes to the runner-up position in the early track meet. Strong in the initial cinder season, the 15-team meet captured the points, and Bangs, a member next with 59.

Buffaloes were named the performer of the meet with 32 points, high jump, and won the 100-yard dash with a leap of 19.3 seconds. The senior sprinter relay to a finish, took third place with a heave in inches, and clocked in the 100-

yard dash was the third individual scorer of the meet with 24 points, and he was outstanding hurdler. Bright, a senior, led in both hurdles. He toured the 120-yard dash in 16.3 seconds, clocked in 43.7 for a first place finish in the 100-yard intermediate relay. Dick of Goldthwaite led in high pointer. Buff Placers members of the meet talents to lift into the second

### Used Here By School

idea travels far, as is by a letter received by Sect Edington, High School principal. A letter from a school administrator in N. Tex., who had an efficient "student locator" presently being in the Cross Plains

tem incorporates a where any student can on a moment's notice grades are being and other pertinent information in Cross Plains the view of utilizing "student locator" in his

### HEPATITIS FELS TRACK STANDOUT JUNIOR LEE

Junior Lee, outstanding trackster at Howard Payne College and son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee of Cross Plains, was admitted to Brownwood Memorial Hospital Tuesday of last week suffering with hepatitis. It was not known here how long he would be required to stay in the hospital, but a long period of rest has been prescribed after his release. Friends may address him at the hospital at Room B-10.

### GOLDTHWAITE BOWS TO ALBANY IN BI-DISTRICT

District 9-A champion Goldthwaite Eagles bowed out of state basketball playoffs in bi-district action in Coleman Tuesday of last week. Albany Lions, 10-A winners, thumped the Eagles 74-65. The Lions were bumped out of contention in the Region II-A tournament at Denton last week end.



Jerry Strickland outstanding performer



Mike Bright outstanding hurdler

looked for improvement before the District 9-A meet at the same site on April 6.

### Schedule Change

Buffaloes have accepted an invitation to participate in the Bulldog Relays at Ranger next Saturday. The Herd was originally scheduled to compete in the Brady Relays March 9. Twelve teams are expected to vie for the crown at Ranger. The meet is held in conjunction with a junior college meet. Teams scoring points in the event at Early Saturday were: Goldthwaite 108, Cross Plains 70, Bangs 59, Ranger 58, Lometa 42½, Rising Star 40, Early 31, Richland Springs 24, Cherokee 16, May 14, Rochell 12, Santa Anna 12, Jim Ned 9, Blanket 7½ and Gorman 3.

### Local Girl To Model For Fashion Review

Miss Vickie Hickman, 18-year-old Cross Plains High School senior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hickman of this city, is one of 25 area beauties chosen to model in the Queens Division for Abilene Downtown Lions Club annual Benefit Fashion Review on March 14. The musical review, a charity project, will be held in the Abilene High School Auditorium beginning at 8 p.m. It will feature latest fashion styles for Spring and Summer.

Miss Ginger Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Bailey of Clyde, will represent that city in the review. The two girls will be guests of the club at a noon luncheon at the Windsor Hotel March 14. Miss Hickman, who represented Cross Plains FFA chapter in the West Texas Fair Sweetheart Contest last year, has been voted Best Citizen at CPHS. In addition to being active in basketball and a cheerleader, she was also elected Homecoming Queen as a sophomore and class favorite as a freshman, sophomore and junior.

Miss Bailey, 16-year-old junior, is a former Miss Wool contestant. FHA representative, member of the high school band and won second in UIL district poetry reading contest. Twenty three other girls from area towns and Abilene colleges will also participate in the Queens Division.

### James Harris Begins Helicopter Schooling

WOC James Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harris of Cross Plains, reported to Fort Wolters, near Mineral Wells, Monday to begin helicopter flying school. He is training to pilot the wingless aircraft. The Cross Plains High School graduate entered the Army last September, and has been stationed at Fort Polk, La., since. Harris spent last week with his parents while on leave before beginning the long school. Don Brown of Midland visited here during the week end.

### Game Night In Sabanno Provides Fun For Many

Game night Friday night was one of the most enjoyable evenings we have had in a long time. The weather was nice, a big crowd of home folks and several visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rody, Mr. and Mrs. Fore of Pioneer, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson of Romney, Mrs. Nathan Foster and Randy of Atwell, Truman Blalock of Scranton and an old Sabanno friend, Scoot Lilley, and his wife from a ranch between Coleman and Baird, attended. I said to Scoot, "Did you see about our game night in the Cross Plains paper?" He laughed and said, "Sure, what do you thing I take that Cross Plains paper for." Scoot lived here when a young man, and was liked by all who knew him. Albert Parkinson also lived at Sabanno when a young man, at about the same time Scoot lived here. He, too, was liked by all. They met and had a good talk of longtime ago Sabanno days. Both still love the thoughts of coming back to Sabanno. It was the first time they had seen each other in 27 years, and it was a treat for all to see both Scoot and Albert and their wives. This is what makes our little Community Center an enjoyable place to meet.

Along with these old friends we enjoyed our other visitors and just being with our home folks. We had a good time eating "stew and crackers" and that along with home-made pies, coffee and other drinks. Sabanno has a lot of good cooks. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thate and sons of Smithville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins over the week end. Mrs. Wes Holcomb was hostess for the Busy Bee Club Wednesday afternoon. Two quilts were finished, and a good time was had together. Delicious refreshments were served to all. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hollis of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Hollis, and Minter B. here Sunday. R. C. Taylor of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Friday afternoon.

Jim Casey of Mineral Wells visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Zella Erwin visited with her sister, Mrs. F. C. Tucker, of Rising Star Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Oren Barr of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Mary Hollis and Minter B. recently. We are glad to report that Alma Morris is feeling some better, but is recovering slowly. Visitors with her and Josie Morris Sunday were Mrs. George Pruett and children and Mrs. Vernon Groat and children, all of Hamlin, and Miss Donna Pruett of Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Brandon, in Baird and also his son, Bill, of near Putnam recently. Those who watched television Sunday night saw the film and report of the terrible explosion in Clyde Sunday. Jim Clark, who lives nearby where it occurred. He is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb of this community. His wife, Ruby Holcomb Clark called her parents Monday morning, and said that it was such a terrible thing. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Yates Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris and children of Pioneer and Mr. and Mrs. John Morris visited with Josie and Alma Morris recently.

### 10 Gifts Made To Pioneer Cemetery

Ten contributions to Pioneer Cemetery were made during February. The gifts totaled \$62. Donors and their amounts were as follow: Bill Graham \$5, Mrs. Norman Claborn \$10, Steve Atwood \$5, T. S. Harris \$5, Mrs. Ann Tune \$2, Kenneth Brooks \$5, C. N. Fisher \$5, Mrs. Charles McDonald \$10, Dan Flippin \$5 and A. L. Gray \$10.

### MOTHER-IN-LAW HAS ANSWER TO PROBLEM

A son-in-law recently cautioned his mother-in-law in Cross Plains that if she didn't lose weight her life might be shortened. "In that case," replied the local lady, "you may have to put on a couple of extra pallbearers."

### Houston Chronicle Likes Ad In Review

A classified advertisement recently published in the Review has attracted attention of the Houston Chronicle, one of Texas' greatest newspapers. A clipping from the publication was recently sent to the Review by Cecil Barton, former local resident, who now lives at Bellville and is a regular reader of the Chronicle. The Chronicle's comment, headed "The Cross Plains Way," was as follows: "Minor arguments in Houston too often wind up in a shooting scrape. In smaller towns they do it in a more civilized manner. A recent classified ad in the Cross Plains Review illustrates the point. It read 'Notice: if the party who exchanged churns recently will return my churn intact, no vengeance is planned.' 'Of course we don't know if the churn came back, and if it didn't, what DID happen. But it was a nice try anyway.' Irving Corn of Baird was here Thursday. Mrs. Edwin Baum and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson were in Abilene Thursday afternoon.

### Garden Club Will Meet Here Friday

Cross Plains Garden Club will meet Friday afternoon in the City Hall. Program will consist of 'Nature's Originals', a study and display of wild flowers by Mrs. Vollie McDonough, and 'Fashion With Flowers' by Mrs. John Petty. Hostesses for Friday afternoon's gathering will be Mrs. Glen Payne and Mrs. J. C. Claborn.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

### PIONEER DRIVE-IN THEATRE

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## Rowden Residents Hope For Harsh Winter's End

**By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs**  
When neighbors talk these days, the conversation is about all the winter weather and wondering when they can start plowing in the fields and gardens. Some roads still have mud holes to get stuck in, and all are rough.

According to the old saying, "If it thunders in February, it will frost in April," then there will be frost the 27th of April. There may not be any need to get early gardens started if this is true.

Most crops are not planted until in May and June, especially cotton and peanuts. Your reporter can remember when her father planted corn, maize and cotton early. These crops were all up and ready to be hoed out when school was out in May. Most country kids spent the summer helping in the fields. Farming is so different today.

Jonny West of Pasadena and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price of Baird were visitors in the Jimmy West home Sunday.

Bryan Lee Reese of Baird and Chris West attended a ball game in Coleman one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence were in Abilene Sunday where they visited Luther Folkner in West Texas Medical Center and Kenny Bates in Cox Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gray and son of Abilene were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and Terrell Friday night.

Those visiting in the George Blakley home during the week end were C. O. Smedley of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blakley of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Smith of Cottonwood and Jerry McDonald.

Mrs. N. V. Gibbs visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Guests in the Gene Mauldin home during the week were Mrs. Elva Morris of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and sons of San Angelo and Mrs. Effie Holloway. Gene is still on the sick list.

Leonard Mauldin was in Coleman to attend a funeral one day last week.

Those visiting Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond during the

week were Mr. and Mrs. Buren Burks and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gibbs of Abilene, Elic Bainbridge, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McClain and Mrs. Jimmy West. Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Outlaw of Merkel were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Sunday.

Wylie Smedley had to enter the Baird hospital again last Thursday suffering with asthma.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke McIntosh and Lannie of Baird visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and Terrell, one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge visited E. H. Oliver in Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Helms of near Burkett one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Nicky visited Mr. and Mrs. Franzel Odom and Penny in Cross Plains Saturday night.

## Atwell

**By Mrs. Aiton Tatom**

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom were in Abilene Friday for medical check-ups, but the doctor was in surgery so they will have to go back this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ludlow and children from De Soto visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Friday night through Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children visited on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, Beverly and Kim, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd at Cross Cut Sunday.

Arvin Brashear and son were out on the old home place Saturday doing some clean-up work.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foster visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Foster of Big Spring visited over the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis visited at the nursing home in Clyde Sunday with Mr. Ellis, and all his children were there. Herbert said that there were no grandchildren, but all the children were present.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black, Barbara and Loy Don, included Miss Joyce Smith of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. Al Graham and daughters of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McKinly, Virgil, Tommie and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black and Billie, Vee and Ethel, Loy Don returned to Fort Worth to work this week.

Mrs. Elic Thate of Coleman was a visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner and Mrs. C. R. Cook were visitors in Abilene Tuesday.

## MOVED To New Location

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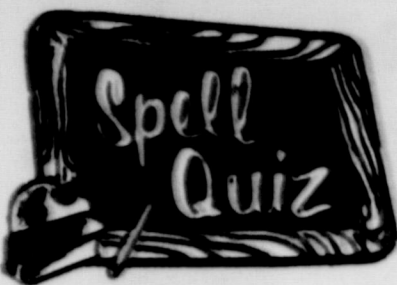
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### REV. LLOYD COKER IN REVIVAL AT BLANKET

The Rev. Lloyd Coker, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Cross Plains, is holding a revival meeting at the Methodist Church in Blanket this week. The meeting began last Sunday.

Fred Williams, layman from De Leon, spoke at the local church Sunday.

### BABY GIRL IS BORN TO COUPLE KNOWN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Champion of Abilene are parents of a baby girl, born Monday, March 4, in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. The child weighed six pounds and one-half ounce, and has been named Hayley Dawn.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Barrett of Abilene.

## Items Of Interest From Cottonwood Community

**By Hazel I. Respass**

The Rev. Jack Bedford has been called as pastor of the Lindale Ave. Baptist Church at San Angelo.

The dinner guests Sunday at the Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick's were the Rev. and Mrs. Roger Butler, Baptist pastor at Cross Plains, Jimmy Grimes, the song leader, and Bobby Johnson, the pianist, all of Cross Plains.

The Rev. McIntosh, a supply minister of Fort Worth, filled the Baptist pulpit here Sunday. The pastor, the Rev. Goss, went to his former church to offer his resignation. He has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist Church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Addes Gibson, who have been visiting in Tucson, Ariz., for several months, spent the week end here with her sister, Mrs. John Woodard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waggoner and family visited her brother, Buddy Owens, and family in San Angelo Sunday. They also saw the Rev. Jack Bedford while there.

Luther Folkner is recovering satisfactorily after major sur-

gery Tuesday of last week. He is expected to be home in a few days.

Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, Mrs. Marshall Newcomb, Mrs. A. G. Waggoner and little Mike Young, all of Baird, had dinner with Mrs. Ethel Anderson last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle had some of their children home over the week end. They were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and daughter, Kathey, of Bronte and Mrs. Evelyn Mangum and son of Cisen.

Thursday night a few friends of Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle came to the home to visit and have a 42 party. They were Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Wilcoxen and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion.

Mrs. Norman Coffey was back at her post of adult teacher in the Baptist Church here Sunday after an absence of about four months because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Chambers had their daughter and grandchildren of Abilene visit them Saturday.

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