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Bank Increases Both Capital And Surplus

and one-third per cent dividend has been declared additional certificates to shareholders of the State Bank of Cross

financial institution in capital and certified to \$100,000 each. With in undivided profits

may not be due but just about near where grown experi-

an increase in population during the past decade most neighboring cities

ral census reports for as show gains resulted as Plains, Rising Star, n. De Leon and Co., while losses were experienced at Baird, Cisco, Eastland, Col-

neons at a local beauty asked Mrs. George (Mae Wright) if she tried the water diet is highly touted by who are attempting weight.

"I haven't," she said, the drought and that, simply isn't that water around Cross

a person who grew up the influence of country church and as his favorite hymn. "The Old Rugged or "Amazing Grace".

two hymns were sung in family religious groups, many had no song books in the days when this of Texas was first being It is, therefore, grat- to learn that one of "Amazing Grace."

ward to believe but old at Okra claim that J. C. (Doc) Claborn was there in the long that he shot a with uncanny ac-

married men might a lesson from Sam and his young wife and small son recently moved town to a place near The rural house is with all the con- to which they are ned. Living there one getting used to.

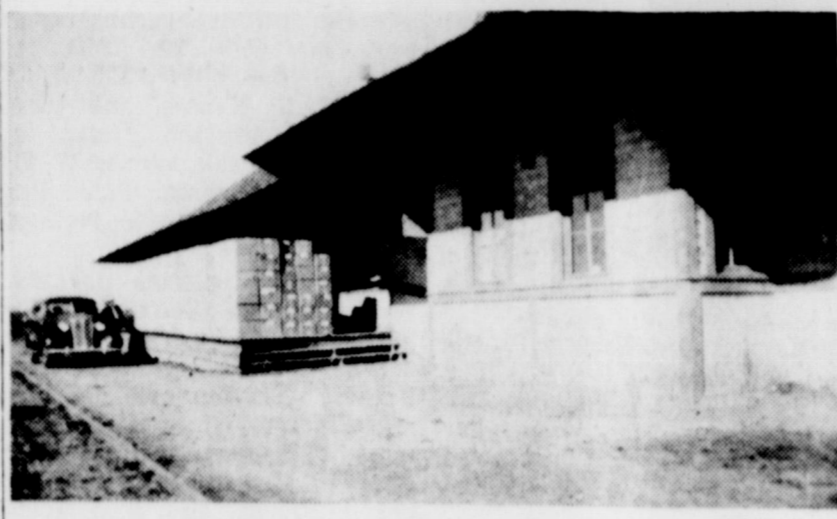
a cold day when things going particularly poor Odum child, Conda, and waded into a pit pond. The mother's tion was ruffled as she out and grabbed her -wet youngster and him into the house, ring if he'd come down pneumonia.

wives are wont to do, as about to let Sam when he said, sweet- comfortingly: "Just Vickie, we now have hardships to tell our children that equal as we've been listen-

and \$200,000 in other reserves the bank has a capital structure of 530,000.

Edwin Baum, president of the bank, said that he felt increasing the capital and certified surplus is in keeping with sound financial principles since total resources of the bank have gone beyond five and one-half million dollars, an all-time high for this season of the year. The increased capital and surplus will also lift the institution's loan limit to \$50,000, rendering it both capable and eligible to serve larger borrowers.

Along with steadily rising deposits the Cross Plains bank is enjoying a growing list of customers. Baum estimates more than 2,000 active accounts. that the institution now serves



OLD KATY DEPOT — This picture made in 1936 shows the old M.K.&T. depot in Cross Plains. When the railroad was abandoned a few years later, the building was bought by W. E. Wood and moved to his farm, northeast of town, where it was converted into a barn. The photo was sent to the Review by R. W. Elliott of Burnet, who came here in January 1911 as the first local station agent. His son, Jerre B. Elliott, who was born here Feb. 11, 1911, was said to be the first child born within the new townsite of Cross Plains. He now operates Dallas' largest hardware store. On the warf at left of the above picture are boxes of mistletoe waiting shipment to northern markets.

Local Boy May Have Made Best Race Ever Run In Texas

"It may have been the greatest two days of running ever by a Texas trackman."

The words are those of Howard Payne College track coach David Noble. The person of whom he is speaking is Junior Lee of Cross Plains, a Howard Payne senior who has establish-

Contracts Renewed For School People

Contract extensions were given five administrative persons by Cross Plains school board in regular meeting last week.

Tenures were renewed through June 30, 1972 for Wayne Ford, superintendent; Scot H. Edington, high school principal; Jack Watkins, elementary school principal; Miss Betty Browning, federal programs coordinator, and Mrs. Maurine McCuin, tax assessor and collector.

Koenig And Bowden File For Re-Election

Gerald Bowden and Oscar Koenig announced this week for re-election as members of the City Council. Jimmielee Payne, other incumbent whose term is expiring, had previously filed.

No others have signed to have names printed on ballots for the April 3 election. Deadline for filing is March 3.

2 ENTERTAINMENTS AT LAKEWOOD THIS WEEK

Two special entertainments are scheduled this week end at Lakewood Recreation Center.

Mrs. Guy Stroud, social chairman, announces that regular bridge play is slated Thursday night. Then Friday evening, Feb. 26, will be family night. Bingo will be played and those attending are asked to bring a white elephant prize. Admission will be 50 cents per player. Both affairs begin at 7 p.m.

Appeals Court Says Goad Had Fair Trial

Curtis Sherman Goad, Jr., who was convicted of having killed Cross Plains City Marshal Byron Richardson, has been denied a new trial by the Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin.

FRESHMEN SCHEDULE BAKE SALE SATURDAY

Members of the high school freshman class will hold a bake sale in front of the post office Saturday morning. Proceeds will go to the Kirkham fund.

ed himself as one of the top distancemen in the nation.

Lee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee of this city. He is a 1966 graduate of Cross Plains High School, and is the only Buffalo cinderman ever to win a state track title. He copped top spot in the mile run as a CPHS senior, setting a new Class A record with a 4:25.0 clocking.

Noble made this statement about Lee after the slender, sandy-haired cinderman had what was probably the greatest performance of his career during the third annual Astrodome Federaton National Indoor Track and Field Championships in Houston recently.

In the two-day meet, Lee ran three one-mile races in less than 4:09 and turned in a sizzling 1:49.3 anchor leg in a record-breaking HPC two-mile relay team performance. Lee's times during the two days of competition were as follows: 4:08.7 in a preliminary mile race, 4:05.4 on a mile anchor leg of a distance medley

race, 4:05.9 in an open mile race, and the 1:49.3 in the two-mile relay race.

The senior's time of 4:05.9 in the open mile represented a record for that event in the Astrodome, as well as a new school mark for Howard Payne milers. The old HPC school mark in the mile was a 4:08.9 set by Don Sheppard in 1958.

Lee's 1:49.3 anchor performance put the final touches on a 7:29 two-mile relay clocking which gave the HPC team an Astrodome area school record. The old HPC mark in the two-mile relay was a 7:32 established in 1962. Helping Lee set the new mark were teammates Richard Davis, Walter Harris and Billy Fordjour.

"Junior's season this year could represent a fitting climax to a brilliant career as a distance runner at Howard Payne," said Noble. "I believe he has a great chance of dipping under four minutes in the mile if he continues to work hard and if he gets strong competition," he continued.

Eldorado Girls Bop Buffettes 63-49 In Championship Play

Eldorado defeated Cross Plains Buffettes 63-49 in bi-district basketball action Tuesday night of last week in Wintery.

Local sextet had claimed the District 10-A crown a week earlier with a 58-54 playoff game triumph over Dublin. Eldorado won the District 9-A championship with a playoff victory over Robert Lee.

Buffettes began the contest on the cold side, and fell behind 10 points, 19-9, in the first eight minutes. A scoring rally in the second quarter cut the deficit at halftime to six points, 24-30. Eldorado regained the upper hand in the third canto, posting a 47-36

lead after that period, and the 9-A champs retained command through the final quarter.

Foul trouble added to hindrance of cold floor shooting for Buffettes. Four starters departed via the personal route in the last stanza. Only one Eldorado player, a guard, fouled out. Cross Plains drew 28 team misques, and Eldorado was called on 24 occasions. From the charity line Buffettes bucketed 29 of 37 shots, a 78.3 percentage, and counterparts canned 31 of 42 opportunities, a 73.8 percentage.

Kathy Purvis, forward, was first Buffette to leave for personals, that came with five minutes left. Terry Edington followed about a minute and a half later. Both are starting forwards. Evelyn Kitchens, Buffette regular guard, fouled out with about four minutes left, and a minute later guard Robbie Harmon left the game on personals. Buffettes finished with reserves bolstering the two remaining starters, Debbie Tyler, forward, and Norma Merrill, guard.

Miss Edington paced Buffette scoring with 32 points, 20 of which came in 25 free tosses. Miss Tyler netted 11 points, and other scoring was done by Miss Purvis, four, and Sherry Ingram, two. Eldorado was paced by Kathleen O'Harrow with 36 markers.

On the regular season, according to team satiscian

Showers Come But Drought Continues

Light rains fell over the Cross Plains area twice in four days the past week, however, a damaging drought which has gripped this area for three months remains unbroken.

The two precipitations, one Thursday morning and the other before daybreak Sunday, yielded a total of .76 of an inch of moisture.

Thursday morning's shower lasted only a few minutes but dropped a fifth of an inch of rain. Early Sunday morning

showers were accompanied by thunder and strong wind. F. C. Newton gauged Sunday's rainfall at .56 of an inch.

Official recordings show that Cross Plains has received a total of 1.09 inches of rain since October. Small grain crops appear barely alive and some farmers and ranchers are beginning to experience a shortage of water for livestock. Most ponds are becoming boggy. Winter grasses are virtually non-existent and pastures

are parched and barren. The drought is reminiscent of the dry days of the 1950's.

Water consumption within the town of Cross Plains has reached record proportions for this season of the year, said Mrs. Ava Childers, city secretary. Pumpings ran as high as 140,000 gallons daily in January and are consistently over 100,000 gallons per day, indicating that ordinary usage is being supplemented by lawn watering.

No New Candidates For School Trustee

A check with Dr. Carl J. Sohns at mid-morning Tuesday revealed that there were no new filings the past week for places on Cross Plains school board. Two incumbents, Noah Johnson and Roy Neil Tatom, have announced for re-election to two of the three posts to be filled.

Vernon Phillips, the third incumbent whose tenure is running out, has not revealed his intentions. Deadline for filing is March 3.

Holdover members of the school board are: Tommie Harris, Dick Koenig, Lewis Fortune and Dr. Sohns.

Sissy Barr Chosen University Beauty

Miss Sissy Barr of Cross Plains has been chosen one of the Top 10 Beauties at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville. She is the daughter of Mrs. Clara Nell Westerman of Cross Plains and Hulan Barr of Houston.

Miss Barr, a 1969 honor graduate of Cross Plains High School, was sponsored by Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity. She will be honored with a full page in the university yearbook and receive a trophy

SUNDAY'S RAINFALL REPORTS

Cross Plains	.56
Rising Star	.80
Putnam	.70
Sabanno	.70
Cisco	.50
Cottonwood	.60
Rowden	.50
Burnt Branch	.50
Cross Cut	.70
Pioneer	.65
Burkett	.65
Rowden	.60
Byrd Store	.60

Ex-Local Man Dies Of Gunshot Wounds

Elmer A. Wilson, 41, who grew up in the Cross Plains area, died Saturday in Fort Worth after being shot at a West Fort Worth residence.

He was dead on arrival at Peter Smith Hospital with five bullet wounds in the chest, mouth and arm.

Police questioned a woman in connection with the shooting and said the case would be referred directly to the grand jury.

Funeral was held Monday at 4 p.m. in the Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Cross Plains with burial in Burkett Cemetery.

Mr. Wilson was born Sept. 1, 1929, in Rae, Ark. He was an electrician for General Dynamics Co. in Fort Worth.

Survivors are his wife of Fort Worth; one son, Neal, and one daughter, Margni, both of Fort Worth; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson of Cross Plains; three brothers, the Rev. Clarence Wilson of Carbon, Elzie of Fort Worth and Roger of Cross Plains; two sisters, Mrs. Eva Fleming of Snyder and Mrs. Caroline Wilson of Edinburg; one grandmother, Mrs. Hester Sullens of Chico, Calif.

Pallbearers were: Jimmy McCowen, Billy J. McCowen, J. W. Fore, N. L. Dillard, Reuben Pittman and Bill Keene.

MOTEL OWNER BREAKS LEG IN HOME MISHAP

Mrs. Bertha Watt's, owner and operator of Motel 36 in the western edge of Cross Plains, is reported recovering satisfactorily after sustaining a broken leg in a fall one night last week. The mishap occurred in the living quarters at her place of business.

Other officers and leaders designated at that time include: Mrs. Louis Mayfield, vice-president; Mrs. Dub Brown, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Guy Stroud, social chairman, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, co-chairmen; Mrs. J. C. Bowden, golf chairman with Mrs. E. L. Garrett co-chairman.

Mrs. Ross Rowlett Will Head Lakewood Ladies

Mrs. Ross Rowlett was chosen president of Lakewood Ladies Association at an organizational meeting and salad luncheon held at the clubhouse Friday.

Other officers and leaders designated at that time include: Mrs. Louis Mayfield, vice-president; Mrs. Dub Brown, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Guy Stroud, social chairman, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, co-chairmen; Mrs. J. C. Bowden, golf chairman with Mrs. E. L. Garrett co-chairman.

Thirty ladies attended the organizational session, followed

Harlem Majestics Due On Saturday

Comic basketball is the keynote of performances of the Harlem Majestics, a skilled, touring cage team which will appear at Cross Plains High School Gymnasium Saturday at 8 p.m.

The team's appearance is being sponsored by the Athletic Booster Club, which will share in profits as it did when it brought the Harlem Stars here a few years ago. Admission, at the door only, will be \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for students.

The Majestics term their brand of basketball antics "magic" and promise to hold the audience spellbound, spreading joy and laughter to all viewers. Majestics feature all of the comedy routines made famous by bigger names in the business. Dribbling, trick ball handling and involved routines are included. One attraction is a five-foot, eleven-inch performer who can "dunk the ball" forward and backward.

The Majestics' pre-game, warm-up show, called the Magic Circle, is reported to be worth the price of admission by itself.

Opposition will be furnished by a group of former local great area cage stars.

Annual Meeting For United Fund Slated

Annual meeting of the United Fund will be held Thursday February 25, in the conference room at the Citizens State Bank. Starting time will be three o'clock.

Jimmielee Payne, president of the local charitable organization, reports that officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

MRS. MAMIE SWAFFORD BREAKS LEG IN FALL

Mrs. Mamie Swafford, long time resident of this city, suffered a broken leg in a fall Saturday in the yard at her home. Upon being discovered in the yard, she was rushed to Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital by local ambulance. No other details were immediately learned by the Review.

PAULA BOND NOW AT HOME ON 9TH STREET

Paula Bond, who was a patient at Colonial Oaks recovering from recent surgery, has moved to her home at the corner of 9th Street and Avenue C. Her father, S. F. Bond, resides there with her.

MRS. CHARLEY TAYLOR SUSTAINS BROKEN ARM
Mrs. Charley Taylor fell last Wednesday night and sustained a broken arm. The fracture is believed mending satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion McMillan and children of Odessa visited his mother Mrs. Martin McMillan last week end.

DATE SET FOR ANNUAL SHERIFF POSSE RODEO
Callahan County Sheriff Posse annual rodeo will be held in Baird April 29, 30 and May 1. The show will again be produced by Walt Alsbaugh.

Mrs. W. B. Williams and son, Roger, have returned here after visiting in the Houston area last week.

Local Choir Entertained At Cottage In Cross Cut

By Mrs. Les Byrd

We had a small tornado here Thursday which blew away a barn and corral that had just recently been built on the old Walter Prater place west of Cross Cut.

Mrs. Les Byrd and Mrs. B. C. McCowen hosted the choir from the First United Methodist Church at the McCowen residence Wednesday night. Seventeen persons enjoyed the singing and refreshments.

Many from here attended the basketball game between Cross Plains and Eldorado girls at Winters Tuesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd visited Mrs. Lola Wooldridge and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chambers in Brownwood last Tuesday afternoon. They also visited sick folk at the hospital.

Mrs. Lee Melton spent last week in Odessa with her husband and daughter and family. Her son, Larry, and his family were there to be with them. He will be leaving for Okinawa in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baucom have moved to their home in Cross Plains. We are very sorry to lose them from our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton gave a birthday supper Friday night for Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley and Vellie McDonogh, who have all just recently had a birthday. The supper was great and such a good and beautiful birthday cake Mrs. Newton had baked.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton went after church Sunday to Eastland to have lunch and visit their daughter and family, the R. P. Hauns.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clark of Fort Worth are here for a week with the George Wrights, and are working on their home at Lake Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cones visited their daughter, Betty, and family at Hawley one day last week.

We received .70 of an inch of rain Sunday morning about 4 o'clock. How good it sounded.

Maybe some more will soon be coming.

Mrs. W. B. Porter and children of Odessa brought her mother, Mrs. Lee Melton, home Saturday, and returned home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Melton's son, Larry, and wife visited her Sunday while Larry is waiting his orders to Okinawa to be gone for 18 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reynolds and children of Odessa came Saturday and stayed until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd. Others visiting Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and girls of Atwell and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richardson and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Proctor of San Angelo spent Sunday with his mother and his aunt, Willie Jones. They visited Earnest's sister, Mrs. Leroy Byrd, and family a while Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Arledge of Odessa spent the week end here at their place. He and Jack sprayed their cows and worked some in the fields Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge and Nancy visited in the Edwin Schaefer home in the Sabanno Community Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Gray of Pioneer spent Sunday night in the home of her daughter, the Jack Arledge family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers left Thursday and returned home Monday. They visited a son, Kenneth, and family in Snyder and a son, Clyde, and family in Westbrook while gone.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Goode have her mother and step-father of Odessa with them for a few weeks while her mother is recuperating from an illness.

Jack Arledge reported an inch of rain at his place.

We regret very much to hear of the death of Mrs. Jay Kirkham. She died Monday morning. Our sympathy goes to her family. She grew up in our community, and was loved by everyone.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horner Norris during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Fester, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Sowell, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnston, and Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom all of Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby E. Johnston of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Norris attended the funeral of Mrs. Laura Cawley in Rising Star Sunday afternoon.

Oklahoma Rites For Local Lady's Mother

Mrs. Dillie M. Shelton, 95, mother of Mrs. Jack Smith of Cross Plains, was laid to rest last week in Sunset Gardens, near Stillwater, Okla. Funeral was conducted from the First Christian Church at Perkins, Okla., with the Rev. Max Haskett, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Shelton, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Martz, was born Feb. 22, 1875, in Missouri. She married Ed White in 1891 in Kansas, and they moved to Perkins, Okla., in 1895. In 1903 she married W. F. Shelton in Cushing, Okla. She had made her home in Perkins since 1942.

She was a member of the First Christian Church in Perkins.

Survivors include: two sons, Frankie Shelton of Perkins and George White of Oilton; four daughters, Mrs. Chloe Cisco of Tulsa, Mrs. Hazel Abbott of Dallas, Mrs. Iren Moen of Barstow, Calif., and Mrs. Jack Smith of Cross Plains; 12 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and 13 great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one daughter.

Mrs. Shelton was well known in the Cross Plains and Cottonwood communities, having made many friends here during visits in the Smith home.

County Attorney and Highway Patrolman Wayne Meritt of Baird were here Friday.

George Barnard, Jr. and family of Schertz visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Barnard, Sr., here last week end.

Little Items Of Local Interest

J. W. McFarlane of Baird was here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomson of Livermore, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Louie Rogers of Modesto, Calif., visited with Mrs. Martin McMillan during the week. Mrs. Grady Alford of May and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lee of Rising Star were also visitors in the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gruver visited in her parents, Mr. Cook, here one week end.

Mr. and Mrs. visited in the daughter and Mrs. Jimmy Gilgren, in Houston end.

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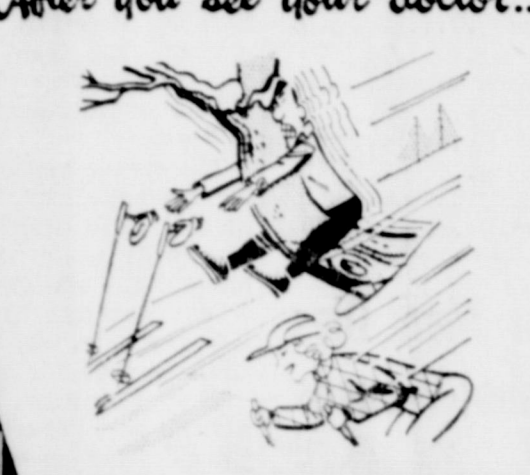
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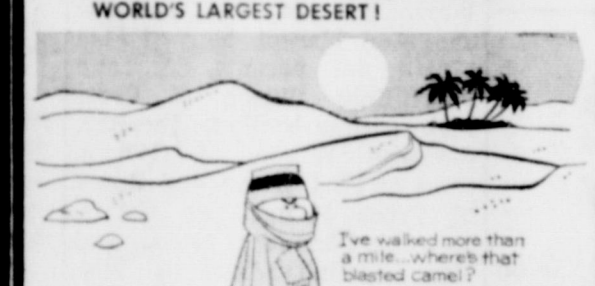
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Ex-Local Resident Dies In California

News has been received here of the death in Bakersfield, Calif., of Mrs. Eva Newton Perry, 81, a native of the Cottonwood-Caddo Peak area. She was a sister of the late Tod Newton of Cross Plains.

She passed away Feb. 10, and was laid to rest in Union Cemetery at Bakersfield two days later.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Ida May Michel and Mrs. Mildred Pollock, and two sons, Hugh and Paul Perry, all of Bakersfield, as well as several grandchildren, great-grandchildren and other relatives.

Lois Parkinson of Dallas visited her sister, Mrs. W. S. McCann, in Cross Plains last week. They were joined here by their brother, S. E. Parkinson, of Cisco and the three drove to Brady where they were guests in the home of another brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parkinson.



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Freeland, 70, Dumb At Baird

Freeland, 70, a former resident of Cottonwood and died in a Baird nursing home Thursday at 5:45 p.m. in illness of about two weeks.

was born Dec. 22, 1900 in Freeland, Texas. He had been a resident of Cottonwood for six years. Before that he was a longtime resident of Freeland and Cottonwood. He was married to Bonnie Mitchell in 1921. She preceded him in death.

was retired. He was preceded in death by his wife, Betah H. Freeland, in 1969.

is survived by one son, L. S. Munger; one daughter, Mrs. Eudora Tipton; one grandchild, Mrs. Eudora Tipton; one grandchild, Mrs. Eudora Tipton; one grandchild, Mrs. Eudora Tipton.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home of L. S. Munger, 1001 N. 10th St., Abilene. Burial was in the Abilene Cemetery.

Funeral At Abilene
L. S. Munger

Funeral services for L. S. Munger, 88, of Abilene, Texas, will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home of L. S. Munger, 1001 N. 10th St., Abilene.

Munger had made friends in the Cross Plains area in recent years, being here on several occasions planning to purchase a home on the Caddo Peak Ranch, seven miles from town on highway 36.

belongs to his daughter, Mrs. Eudora Tipton, and her husband, an Abilene resident.

Reduction Credit Interest Rate

Directors of Coleman Production Credit Association approved a reduction of the association's interest rate from 7.75 per cent to 7.50 per cent, effective Feb. 24.

Under the association's variable interest plan, this means the new rate will apply to all loans made after Feb. 24.

President Charles R. Hickman states that this plan adopted in 1968 so that interest rates could stay in step with the money market in New York City.

The association borrows from the public and has a "going" rate. "Due to the fine record of the Production Credit System, we are able to borrow ample funds at a reasonable rate of interest," Hickman added.

In a flexible manner of borrowing assures the members they will have money available at the lowest possible cost consistent with sound business practices," Hickman continued.

The association has a loan fund of \$5,500,000, with a total of \$1,064,000 and a balance of \$4,436,000.

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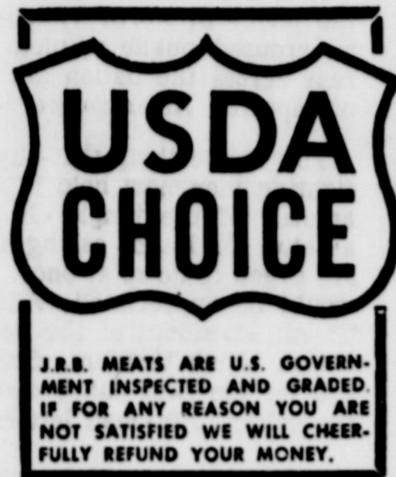
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EVERY DAY LOW PRICES

- GRIFFIN WAFFLE SYRUP, quart 65c
- MARGARINE, Shurfresh soft pack, lb 40c
- LIFEBOUY, deodorant soap bar, reg. 20c
- DRIVE DETERGENT, king size 1.47
- DOVE LIQUID DETERGENT, 12 ozs. 35c
- FINAL TOUCH, fabric softner, giant 87c
- LUX SOAP, bath bar 19c
- BREEZE, giant size 87c
- CAKE MIX, Shurfine layer, 18 ozs. 29c
- SALAD OLIVES, Towie, 10 ozs. 59c
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- PICKLES, A.F., dills, quart 55c
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 - MEAT DINNERS, Shurfrost, 11, ozs. 38c
 - DRINKS, Shurfine, flavors, 10, 12 oz. 96c
 - ALL DETERGENT, 49 oz. box 79c
 - COLD WATER ALL LIQUID, qt. 87c
 - LUX LIQUID, 22 ounces 62c
 - RAISIN BRAN, Skinner's, 10 ozs. 33c
 - COOKIES, Shurfresh choc. pies, 12 43c
 - CRACKERS, Keebler's, 1 lb. box 39c
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 - COFFEE, Folger's, Maxwell House, lb 89c

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4. 2 1/2 Qt. Dutch Casserole	\$1.75	\$1.49
5. 2 1/2 Qt. Dutch Casserole	\$1.75	\$1.49
6. 2 1/2 Qt. Dutch Casserole	\$1.75	\$1.49
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Prominent Burkett Man Sustains Fractured Hip

By Mrs. A. H. Carroll

The rain early Sunday morning was certainly welcome, and maybe we will receive more soon.

We were sorry to learn that E. L. Harris fell Saturday at his home and sustained a

broken hip. He was taken to the Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital at Coleman where he underwent corrective surgery Sunday morning.

Oscar Burkett is reported to be doing quite well at this time. He is in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital, but will be taken back to Holiday Hill as soon as he is able to go.

Recent week end visitors of Rita Adams were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bohnstedt of Burk Burnett.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll from Wednesday to Friday last week was her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Payne of Walters, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Allen and son of Breckenridge spent Saturday night with his mother, Mrs. Raligh Neff, Mr. Neff and Olivia. On Sunday Olivia accompanied her brother to San Saba to visit their grandmother, Mrs. McKneely.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Beihl spent from Wednesday to Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Biehl and family in Brownwood.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Walker were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wallace and baby of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Woods of Coleman, Darrell Walker and friend, Vickie Rice, of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker and family of Cross Plains.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Denny and family on the Hall Ranch last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cupid and baby, Scottie, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyle and Mrs. Jerry Boyle.

Rev. and Mrs. Milton Baty's daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Vernon Arrell and Luann, of Austin are here visiting a few days with her parents while Mr. Arrell is on business in Massachusetts.

There was a nice crowd at the supper Saturday night at the Community Center, and several visitors were there, too, but I failed to get their names.

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On important details it is better to include them if they are relevant to a sale.
- Be available**
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Mrs. Ray Young, 78, Buried On Tuesday

Mrs. Ray (Annic) Young, 78, long time resident of the Eula community, died Sunday morning in West Texas Medical Center in Abilene.

Funeral was held Tuesday morning from an Abilene chapel with the Rev. James Mahoney, pastor of Elmdale Baptist Church, officiating, assisted by Dr. Frank Charlton, pastor of St. Paul Methodist Church in Abilene.

Burial was in Ross Cemetery at Baird.

She was born May 29, 1892, in Taylor County, the daughter of pioneer settlers, Mr. and Mrs. R. Day of Taylor County. She married Ray A. Young May 25, 1912, in Abilene. They moved to Hale Center in 1913 where they farmed until 1925, when they returned to their home between Clyde and Abilene.

Mr. Young was a farmer and rancher until his death in 1964. She was a member of the Elmdale Baptist Church.

Survivors include six sons, Raymond of Baird, William D. of Abilene, Arthur L. of Waco, E. E. (Pete) of Roswell, N. M., Ben R. of Odessa and John W. of Riverside, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Alice Belle East of Nathalie, Va., and Mrs. Madge Davis of Temple; 18 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; two brothers, Ed Day of Amarillo and Clifford Day of McClain, and one sister, Mrs. W. R. Stevens of Wichita Falls.

Couple Known Here Tell Wedding Plans

Mrs. Ruby Nell Hubbard of Rising Star, formerly of Cross Plains, has announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Linda Nell, to Bobby L. Burns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Burns.

The bride-elect, a 1969 graduate of Rising Star High School, is presently attending Cisco Junior College. The prospective bridegroom, a 1966 graduate of Rising Star High School, is a 1970 graduate of Tarleton State College at Stephenville.

The wedding is planned for Saturday, March 20, at 5 p.m. in the First Baptist Church at Rising Star. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

COLEMAN LARGEST OF AREA COUNTIES

Coleman is the largest of four counties which form parts of the Cross Plains area. In square miles Coleman has 1,282, Brown 949, Eastland 952 and Callahan 857.

J. M. Greenwood was a business visitor in Cisco Tuesday.

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Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

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(Meaning: Furniture covering.)

(Answer on Back Page.)

Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Harry Childers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers, is training extensively with the oil company by which he is employed. He is now living in Odessa, but has been studying engineering and oceanology in Houston, Dallas and his last flight was to Canada. He reported that the scenery there is beautiful.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Spivey were cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Caris Newton of Oregon, who visits them each year, Larry Spivey and two sons and Mrs. Don Brooks and two children of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bennett and two children and Jerry Bennett, Leonard and Mike Margrove of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gill Sunday.

W. A. Gill has been on the sick list for several days. He was taken to a physician in Abilene Monday.

Another one of our beloved former citizens was laid to rest here Sunday afternoon. He was Durward Everett Coffey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey, who was living in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Duncan had their two grandsons visit them Sunday. They are the sons of Elmer Lloyd Duncan.

Randy Bigbee, a student at Howard Payne College, and his fiancée of Brownwood had dinner with Mrs. C. R. Myrick Sunday.

Mrs. Hazel Coppinger of Abilene had Sunday dinner and spent Saturday and that night with Beulah and Hazel I. Respass. Other visitors in the home Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Spencer of Kermit and Mr. and Mrs. Don Weaver and daughter, Angela, of Abilene.

Mrs. W. B. Nickerson and daughters, Kathy and Connie, visited E. E. Weaver and Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Sunday. They reported his condition isn't good.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hughes of Bronte spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwin Childers and family, including Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Turner, attended services at the Baptist Church here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Glenn Coffey and daughter, Susan, stopped briefly at the Respass home Monday morning.

For **COLDS** take **666**

Peanut Week Set March 3 To 13th

The National Peanut Council has named March 3-13 as National Peanut Week. To keep the consumer aware of the many uses of peanuts and peanut products and their nutritive value, the growers sponsor a 10-day promotion period each year. This time, known as National Peanut Week, provides a peak-up period for recipes, pictures and stories furnished year-round to the newspapers, radio and television as well as in-store promotion.

Callahan County was organized in 1877.

File Folders — The Review

Personal Items Of Local Interest

Ruby Crouch of Abilene visited with Mrs. Kate Powell here Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Freeman visited friends in Clyde Friday night.

HOME ECONOMIST IS IN TOWN ON TUESDAY

Mrs. Barbara Williams of Comanche, home economist for 14 Higginbotham stores in this area, visited in Cross Plains Tuesday.

Mrs. Vera Peck visited friends in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. ... in Abilene Friday.

Leland Warren visited in the ... Mrs. Bob Lane week end.

Mrs. Elvis ... home of her ... Mr. and Mrs. ... children, in ... end.

HELP A CAPTURED AMERICAN SERVE

It is believed that the only force capable of the policy in North Vietnam toward prisoners an aroused public opinion. For that reason, citizens across the nation are writing letters of captured American servicemen.

This is one thing that any person can do for fighting men now held in "tiger cages" and animals of the jungle. If you have not already a letter to Hanoi asking release of these men are urged to do so at once. A second, or even a third, would be appreciated. Address your letter to: Thank, President of the Democratic Republic of Hanoi, North Vietnam. Ordinary letters require age for the first ounce and 8c for each additional thereafter. Air-mail letters are 25c for each.

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FRUIT COCKTAIL, Del Monte, no. 303 can, 4 for ...
TOMATO CATSUP, Del Monte, 14 oz. bottle, 2 for ...

Short Ribs

BEEF, 3 POUNDS FOR ...

PINEAPPLE, Libby's, mix or match, 1 1/2 size can, 3 for ...
PEAS, Del Monte Early Garden, no. 303 can, 4 for ...

Flour

GOLD MEDAL, 5 LB. PAPER BAG FOR ... 5

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NOTICE!

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On February 27

Date of Next Sale Will Be Announced Through Columns of this Newspaper.

Pioneer People Survive Winter's Raging Wrath

By Mrs. J. T. Beggs
We have survived another blizzard-like week end. The wind blew some snow around Sunday afternoon, but there was not enough to see on the ground. There was plenty of ice around the Beggs house Monday morning. This area received good showers twice last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady have been in Clyde the past week attending their grandson, Art, Jr., while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roady, have been at the hospital with their baby who became ill last week. Mrs. Roady reported that the baby is much improved, but is still in the hospital.

Charlie Harrell has been ill for several weeks. He is reported still not doing well. Mrs. Harrell made a short business trip to Brownwood last week.

W. D. Clark and Mack Childers spent a part of last week at the J. T. Beggs farm drilling test holes for water wells. We are glad to report that several wells flowed enough to be cased for irrigation purposes. Also there was some dragline work done on C. T. Barton's branch through his pasture and on a tank for Beggs.

Miss Reba Stark was a visitor on Wednesday with Mrs. J. T. Beggs. Mrs. Beggs attended a Stanley Party in Rising Star Thursday night.

Two loads of hogs were sold and several new calves born last week at the Beggs farm.

The cherry pie supper at the Community Club was a success with a good turnout. Two more quilts have been put in to do as "pay" quilts. The remodeling of the snack-bar and of the cabinets of the club is almost completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilkinson of McKinney visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton Sunday. Cowan's mother, Mrs. J. P. Hutton, of Shallowater visited with them Thursday through Saturday. The Huttons took her to

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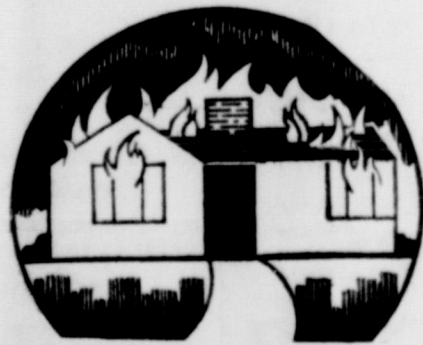
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Cottonwood Rites For D. E. Coffey

Durward Everett Coffey, 33, a native of Cottonwood died in a Stephenville hospital Friday. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Stephenville, former long time residents of the Cottonwood Community.

Funeral was held Sunday afternoon in a Stephenville chapel with the Rev. Don Caldwell officiating. Burial was in the family plot of the Cottonwood Cemetery.

Mr. Coffey was born March 1, 1917. He was a member of Riverside Baptist Church. He had lived in Stephenville 16 years, moving from Cottonwood. He was a mechanic.

Survivors include his parents, of Stephenville; one brother, Jimmy Glenn Coffey of Irving; and one sister, Mrs. Donald McCleskey of Granbury.

LOCAL WOODMEN ATTEND LOG ROLLERS CONCLAVE

Roy Cox, Jim Wetsel, Ted Souder and Exal McMillan attended a Woodmen of the World Log Rollers convention in Abilene Thursday night. Two candidates were initiated and a buffet meal served.

Bobby Lane of Abilene was a visitor in Cross Plains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gilmore visited relatives in Snyder last week end.

Game Night Carded In Sabanno Area Friday

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

The weather is a big thing in the news. Saturday was a real spring-like day, but by church time Sunday it was getting cold. It got colder all day. This area got a shower Saturday night. We received .70 of an inch of rain which was fine, but Monday morning wind and sand were really moving.

Busy Bee Club met this week with Mrs. Sharyn Watson as hostess. The club worked on a pay quilt all day on Tuesday. Visitors are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox and girls of Cisco were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Watson and Boys and Mrs. Robert Kenady visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Watson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dale Switzer of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Switzer and children of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. James Switzer and daughter of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Switzer of Rising Star visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Robinson has returned home from a trip to Comfort. She accompanied her son, Roy Robinson, and visited four days with the family and children helping care for them. Their other grandmother fell and broke her hip.

Mrs. Gus Brandon was in Brownwood recently to be with relatives in the death of Clarence Self, who passed away in a Brownwood hospital after a brief illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and Vetra Connally of Coleman visited Alma and Josie Morris recently. Vetra, as she is known to all, is recovering from a broken arm she suffered while feeding her cattle. They reported that she is doing nicely now.

The following were in Abilene Friday to see their physicians: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin. Mrs. Nathan (Louise)

Foster accompanied her parents, the Erwins.

Mrs. J. L. King was in Cisco and Eastland recently where she visited her sister in the rest home in Eastland and Mrs. L. M. Barron in the rest home at Cisco.

Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon, Jr. returned home last of the week from a few days stay in the Eastland Hospital. We hope she will soon be herself again.

Mrs. Emma Morris and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morris and little son, of Stephenville visited with Josie and Alma Morris Sunday.

Mrs. Sybil (Erwin) Mabrey of Weatherford visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott visited with Mrs. Ballew Saturday night.

Andrew Johnson of Albuquerque, N. M., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Lillie Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer visited with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Switzer and children, in Rising Star Sunday night.

This coming Friday night will be game night at the Community Center. Everyone has an invitation to attend.

Word was received here Monday of the death of John Potter in Cisco. Mr. Potter was one of the Star Fox Hunters and was loved by everyone. The Star Fox Hunters Association members will be honorary pallbearers.

Lester King is a busy man. He's kept busy with his water well drilling outfit. This writer wonders how many wells he has drilled.

THUNDER HEARD TWO TIMES IN FEBRUARY

Thunder has been heard in Cross Plains on two separate dates in February.

Believers of the adage "Thunder in February brings frost in April", caution that a late Spring is likely.

Local people heard thunder twice last week, Thursday and Sunday mornings.

Happy Birthday Column

February 25

Mrs. Paul Whitton
Mrs. C. M. Garrett
Madie Brown
Mrs. Dennis Jennings
Celesta Strahan
David Havener

February 26

Mrs. Audrey Gary
Mrs. Leroy Byrd
Mrs. Leila Gibbs
Gerald Qualis
Mrs. Anse Barr
Mrs. J. M. McMillan
Connie Young
Mrs. R. P. Barnett
J. S. Archer

February 27

Thalia Wilcoxon
Mrs. Kenneth Holt
Albert Lovell
Ella Duncan
Mrs. Laura Plummer
Mrs. Houston Strong
Garland Cade
Patrick Joseph Conlee
Judy Holcomb Livingston

February 28

Charlotte Burks
Stephen Brown
Bobra Dillard
Mmr. J. T. Hodnett, Jr.
Roy Kerbow
B. C. Christman
Mary Pancake
Randy Foster
W. G. Vaughn
Keith Watkins
Susan McNeel
Earlene Falkner
Rosalea Grider Woodcox
Linnie Brashear
Mrs. Claud Foster
Joe Frendle Mullins, Jr.
Charla Burks

March 1

Jay McQuin
Kelly Michelle Scott
Dorothy Aiken
W. J. Cross
Mrs. Mamie Swafford
Minter B. Sheffy
J. E. Hanke
Fred Landolt
Raymond Newman

March 2

Roy Dillard

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Winds Negate Benefits Of Rain In Rowden Area

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Rain measured early Sunday morning was .60 of an inch at the N. V. Gibbs farm. It was accompanied by high winds which turned very cold by the break of day. The rain was appreciated, but two days of strong winds has dried the ground.

Mrs. Mary Outlaw of Merkel spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, and they attended the musicale in Cottonwood.

Grady Wooten and Jim Reynolds spent Saturday with Nicky Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene spent Saturday in the Sterling Odom home.

Mrs. Don Harris, Terrell and Troy, and little Misty McIntosh visited Mrs. Ivon Odom and Mrs. F. M. Best in Cross Plains Wednesday.

Mrs. James Reynolds visited Mr. and Mrs. Larmer Henry in Baird Wednesday.

Visitors in the Jimmy West home during the week were C. W. Price of Baird and Raymond Gibbs.

Norban Sikes of Portales, N. M., and Anthony Sikes of

Baird, both former residents of this community, visited Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond one day last week.

Mrs. Duke McIntosh of Baird accompanied Mrs. Don Harris and sons to Dublin to visit Mr. and Mrs. Danny Prater.

Mrs. Jimmy West and C. W. Price went to Moran Friday.

Mrs. Ruth Boen attended a birthday party in Baird Saturday honoring Mrs. Vida Hill.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs visited Mrs. Elveda Sikes and Ernest Sikes at their farm near Potosi Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge were in Abilene Wednesday visiting Mrs. Laura McWhorter. They also visited Mrs. Mollie Taylor in the rest home at Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Price in Baird Saturday night. Mrs. H. B. Garrett of Stephenville visited Mrs. Ruth Boen one day last week.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dye Saturday morning.

Mrs. Warren Price attended funeral services in Baird for P. G. Freeland Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs visited Judy Gibbs in Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds, Jim, Ellen and Jan, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Cora Howland in Cross Plains recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harris of Coleman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris, Friday night.

Official Measurements Of Rainfall Here For Past 23 Years

	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1948	.21	1.07	.60	1.39	1.21	2.72	2.09	.50	.40	1.71	.60	1.28	13.78
1949	3.49	2.23	2.50	2.49	4.89	3.75	.99	2.65	1.55	3.00	3.19	2.30	33.03
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	.60	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	2.90	2.00	2.78	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	.61	.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	.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	.57	.91	3.39	5.40	2.44	1.22	.82	5.21	1.83	1.90	1.20	24.89
1968	9.26	1.82	1.97	3.06	4.23	2.46	2.83	3.29	.80	.22	5.03	1.02	35.99
1969	.63	1.38	4.58	4.05	4.70	4.97	.60	1.80	3.82	4.33	1.58	3.33	35.77
1970	.06	2.68	3.35	1.65	3.08	2.43	.14	3.44	4.76	1.02	.00	.25	22.86
1971	.08	.76											.84

Twenty-Three Year Average Rainfall: 24.24

Normal Rainfall Here: 24.54

Dick Vestal of Baird was in Cross Plains Monday afternoon.

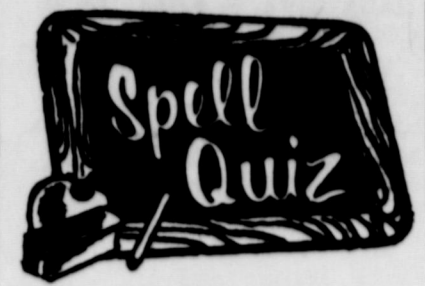
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover visited Mr. and Mrs. George Forbes in Cisco one day last week.

Ted Souder was a visitor in Austin last week end.

Mrs. B. C. Stroope of Brownwood, the former Threna Crites, was a visitor here Tuesday.

Review Advertising Pays!

Mrs. Norma Saunders has moved to Coleman and is now residing at 511 San Saba Street



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NO FEB. 29 MEANS 2 MISS BIRTHDAYS

Among the more than 1,500 records of birthdays maintained by the Review, only two persons missed having a birthday this year due to the fact that February has but 28 days. Debbie Ann Perry and Mrs. Dwane Gale have Feb. 29 birthdays. Perhaps they will wish to get together for a Leap Year party in 1972.

ELDERLY CLYDE MAN KNEW ORPHANS HOME

Noel Black of Clyde, former long time resident of the Sabanno sector, wrote the Review recently recalling early days at Buckner's Orphans Home in Dallas, where he lived for a time more than 75 years ago.

Quality Printing, The Review.

Funeral Tuesday

Mrs. J. A. ...

Mrs. J. A. ... of Cross Plains ... Sunday night in Hospital at Abilene ... lengthy illness.

Funeral was ... First Baptist Church ... officiating, assisted by V. D. Walters, pastor of wood Baptist Church, Abilene, at 3 p.m.

Burial was in ... Cemetery.

Born ... Plains May 5, 1891 ... up in the Cross Plains ... and married J. ... here on April ... made their home ... Coleman highway ... southwest of Cross Plains.

Survivors are ... a daughter, Mrs. ... (nie) Davis of ... sons, Rick of the ... of Cross Plains, ... N. M., and Bill ... brother, Jim Elmer, ... six grandchildren.

Pallbearers were ... Joe Fleming, J. C. ... Lawrence, Doyle ... Reed Miner.

4 Wells Staked Near Cross Cut

Sherwood B. Owens of Albany has staked four locations six miles southeast of Cross Cut in the regular field.

All are on the B. Eubank 39-acre lease.

No. 1 - WS Eubank will be a water supply well and is slated for 500 feet. Site is 300 feet from the north and 3,849 feet from the west lines of Section 141, Robert Mitchell Survey.

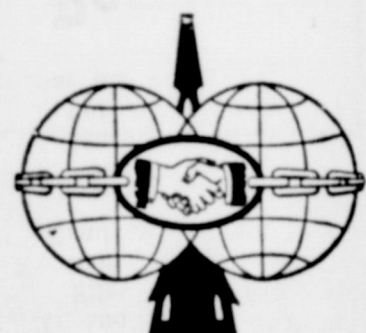
Other projects are slated for 1,400 feet.

Site for No. 2 Eubank is 200 feet from the north and 3,849 feet from the west lines. No. 3 Eubank spots 200 feet from the north and 4,707 feet from the west section lines.

Site for No. 4 Eubank is 800 feet from the north and 4,707 feet from the west section lines.

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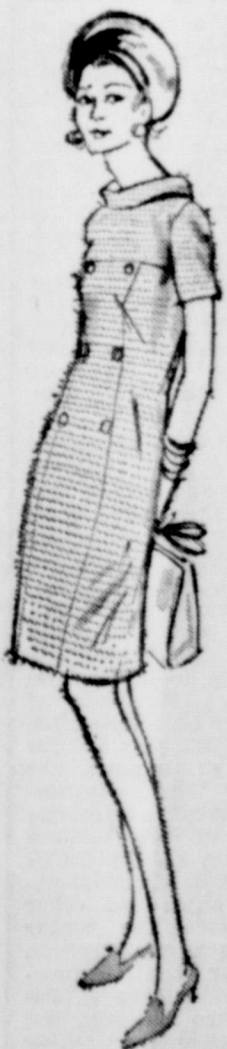
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