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Mr. and Mrs. Marion L. Longley and two boys, and Wayne Middleton, all of Ft. Worth, visited in the home of Mrs. Longley's mother, Mrs. Pearl Moore here last week.

Mrs. Frenchy Bennett and Diane of Bryan attended the Coats-Coffey reunion held Sunday the 25th near the old Coffey residence about 4 miles west of Cottonwood.

PAYNE CHILDREN AT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Payne had their three children at home with them last Sunday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Grantham, Charles and Roger Wayne of Hebbronville, Mr. and Mrs. Van Campbell and Ronnie of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Payne of Stephenville.

V. C. Walker made a business trip to Baird Monday. Colorado, meaning red, was probably named for the earth coloring in certain sections of the state.

Pvt. Neal Smith, who is stationed at Ft. Bliss, spent a three day pass here this week end with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith.

Volley Joe Williams, who is employed by the West Texas Utilities Co. in Abilene, spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. Wendell Morris of Corpus Christi is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. T. Taylor, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Durringer and family of El Centro, Calif. are visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Robertson.

Patronize Local Merchants

Rowden News

By DOROTHY ROLLINS

I wish to correct an error that was made in last week's news. It was Bro. Johnson of Clyde that is conducting the Church of Christ revival instead of Bro. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McCarty and boys had as their guests last week, Miss Gladis McClain of Clyde, niece of Mrs. McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fry and Judy and Jimmie of Abilene visited Mrs. Bernard Crow and girls Saturday evening.

Elba Baines and family of Lubbock and Dell Bales and Jo Letta of Baby, visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Nigel Baines and family.

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Redden and girls, and Claude Redden, Flora and Katy Swafford, and La Delle Smidley were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olig. English and boys Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gibbs gave a party Friday night, honoring W. B. Gibbs Jr. and Cecil Jones who are leaving for Howard Payne College. Ice cream and watermelon were served the following: Gladis McClain, Oscar Jones, Harold Jones, Gen. Dale Gibbs, Allan Rollins, Leon Swafford, La Delle Smidley, Hattie Swafford, Dorothy Rollins, Flora Swafford, Maggie Anne Goodfellow, Mrs. Lillie Swafford, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gibbs, Dean Gibbs, Cecil Jones and W. B. Gibbs Jr.

Allan Rollins and Carl Mauldin visited Sunday with Douglas Hornor.

Joe Boss Miller, Dorothy Rollins, and Ray Boen accompanied Ray Miller to John Tarleton College at Stephenville, Texas, last Friday.

O. J. English returned home last week after a short visit with relatives at Fort Worth, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and girls had as their guests Sunday afternoon, her brother W. F. Culbirt, and nephew, Gerald Culbirt of Clyde.

Mary Gay Saunders of Abilene spent the week end with Belinda Clipse.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tabors of this community in the death of his son, Mrs. Mammie Brunett, of Seranton.

She resided for some time with her daughter, Mrs. Aca Skiles of Cross. Those attending the funeral from this community were: Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Olson and girls, Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tabors and Anna Mae.

Frankie Crow and Erna Loyce Young of Baird visited Tuesday evening in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Crow and girls Tuesday night.

Barny Ransburger of Coleman spent the week end with Glen Dale Gibbs.

W. B. Gibbs and Cecil Jones left Monday for Howard Payne College at Brownwood where they will be enrolled this year.

Leonard Swafford made a business trip to San Angelo and San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Phillips and little daughter, Barbara Ann of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Allen McCarty and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thomas and children of Marble Falls, Mrs. Bill Lawrence, and Mrs. Lucy Lawrence visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McCarty and boys.

DAVE HARGROVE BUYS LOTS FOR HOME HERE

Dave Hargrove this week purchased from Mrs. Effie Wilkins the two lots directly in front of the W. B. Williams home in the north part of town. Mr. Hargrove plans to build a home on the property.

Mrs. Harold Browning and son of Midland are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fox of Goldthwaite and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fox of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Lots Davidson and Mrs. F. A. Lane Sunday.

M. T. Reinhardt was a visitor in Dallas Monday of this week.

Pvt. Tommy Earl Conlee, who is stationed at San Antonio, spent the past week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Conlee.

Johnny Estes visited with friends in Waco over the week end.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Ben Riffe

Elders Coy Marlain of Cisco and D. C. Foster of this place preached in the Primitive Baptist church Saturday and Sunday. The church held their semi-annual Communion ordinance Sunday with dinner on the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lamb and children of Houston returned home Saturday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Jones of San Angelo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Phillips and Ben, J. D. Goble and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Moore at Albany Friday and Saturday and enjoyed an outing on Moore's Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear and Reba Joe spent Sunday with Mrs. Annie Brashear and Linnie in Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones of Leaders who have been vacationing on the Jones estate visited with her sister, Mrs. Estell Fenton in Brownwood Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Duncan returned Saturday from Tulsa where he has been employed.

Ben Riffe visited with Mr. and Mrs. Keelon Riffe in Cisco Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Melvin Koonsman and Melvin returned to Porterville, Colo. Wednesday after visiting two weeks with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black and children accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maher to Kermit Wednesday of last week and remained for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harrison of Dallas spent the week end in the Clint Brashear home. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bradley returned to Dallas with them Sunday after visiting here two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton McWilliams and boys of Baigt visited Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle Sunday.

Barkett News

MRS. MERRELL BURKETT

The H. D. Club members entertained their families at the school house Friday night. Supper and a program was enjoyed. Music was furnished by Jake and Joe Shepard of Cross Cut, W. B. Bludworth, Mrs. Ivy Burns, Freddy Thate, Calvin Baker and Jim Morgan.

Mrs. Veda DeBusk of Cross Plains and Wayne Harris of this place were in Houston Friday of last week where she attended the services in which Mrs. Billy Cowan was posthumously awarded the Distinguished Service Cross and the Purple Heart for Lt. Cowan who had been declared lost in action after being missing more than a year.

Lt. Cowan, son of Mrs. Veda DeBusk of Cross Plains, formerly of this place, entered the service on December 4, 1941. His wife, Geneva, and 2 1/2 year old son, Phil Ray, live in Houston where she is employed with the Texas Co.

Cpl. and Mrs. Bill Moore are the parents of a son, Larry Thomas, born Friday evening, Sept. 6. Mrs. Moore is the former Catherine Herring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herring.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bowlin of Ft. Worth are the parents of a six pound girl born last week. Mrs. Bowlin is the former Miss Theima Burchfield of this place.

The Burkett and Mosell baseball teams played here Sunday afternoon and Mosell won 10 to 10.

Clarence Pearson is among those on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson went to Sundown the past week to be at the bedside of her brother-in-law, L. L. Buck, who is dangerously ill.

Charlie Holman was rushed to the hospital in Coleman Friday of last week when he became gravely ill, however, his condition is greatly improved at this time. His children, Willie Holmans of South Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Porter of Big Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Holmans of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Holmans of Waco's Store were all at his bedside.

side the first few days.

The Review regrets that mechanical limitations permit publishing only a portion of the Burkett news sent in by Mrs. Merrell Burkett. We apologize.

Lieutenant J. H. Childs and wife of O'Riley Hospital at Springfield, Mo. were visiting friends and relatives here Thursday of last week.

Try Review Want Ads

Mr. and Mrs. Clark have returned here to their home after living at Calif. for several months.

Miss Barbara Hinton, her final divorce decree star, Cary Grant, her band.

At her divorce trial she was said, that she "had nothing in common with never would have."

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SHOP Higginbotham's Hardware Dept. As we are adding to that department each week... Just received a shipment of gas heaters, Seigler Oil heaters. These heaters won't be here long and if you are in the market we would suggest you get yours soon. We get a Maytag washer occasionally and we have a good line of parts for your Maytag washers, if you are in need of repairs see us. Also if interested in a Maytag washer list your name with us and we notify you when we get the machine. Remember too we are DEALERS for the General Electric washer, SPEED QUEEN WASHERS, HORTON WASHERS. REMEMBER WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR PEANUT BAGS & BINDER TWINE HIGGINBOTHAM BROS. & CO. CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

NEW FALL SHOES By Craddock - Terry Left Black Patent Sling Pump High Heel Right — Patent Or Suede Left Tan Calf Sling Pump High Right — Tan Calf Sling Pump Medium HIGGINBOTHAM'S Cross Plains, Texas

Pat Van Wrinkle wakes up to a bargain! Mr. and Mrs. Star visited recently. Pat Wood left Sunday for her grandmother recently. E. I. Vestal left Sunday for College. Dorothy Rip left Sunday for her parents with Mrs. J. Ripper. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ter of Hamlin with Mrs. Je. Mrs. Beula Scott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Brownwood. Mr. and Mrs. Mittle daughter Hulan Barr, in the home of Barr over the week. Mr. and Mrs. spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. ing and family. S. S. Nielson for 2 was in Cross town visiting home in Ft. Mr. and Mrs. family had Luke Houser Mrs. Ross H. Tyler, visit. C. N. Ha Ft. Worth well. New M Saunders has Miss Phyl Jr. and wife Va. Mr. and Mrs. of Ham Chandler, spent last Pt. Norma Saun

PIECE GOODS SPECIAL The items listed below are Hard-to-Get, Please Notice Dates will be on sale at our store and make plans now to shop on these STURGES & GIBBS. Friday, September 13 — Curtain Material PLAIN & FLOWERED 10 Per Cent Discount — Cash Please Saturday, September 14 — Seersucker —Lovely Quality, One Dress Length Customer. CASH PLEASE. Monday, September 16 — Gingham —Lovely School Girl Plaids (Limit One Dress Length —Cash Please) Wednesday, September 18 — Linen Limit — Cash Please —PURE IRISH LINEN \$1.89 Thursday, September 19 — Black Sheer —FOR DRESSES — BLOUSES SETS Limit 6 Yards to a Customer — While It lasts. WE HAVE LININGS FOR WOOLENS WE SELL YOU — Sturges & Gibbs Coleman's Ladies' Store

# Personals

**Rip Van Winkle wakes up to a bargain!**



What day is it? I mean, what year is it? My word, I've asleep 15 years!

Dear, I see lots of changes since 1931, but women's hats as silly as ever! and the high cost of living is enough to make me back to sleep for another 15 years!

Look, look at all the new electric gadgets! When I dozed back in the Thirties, we had electric lights and an iron vacuum cleaner at our house! Now we've got a refrigerator, a couple of radios (my last one was a crystal set), clocks, toaster, washer—why, everything you touch switches on it!

Yes, Rip Van Winkle, you're getting twice as much electricity for your money today as you did 15 years ago. It took a great deal of skill and planning—under the guidance of business management—to make electricity the bargain it is right now!

**West Texas Utilities Company**

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**Gingham** —Lovely School Girl Plaids (Limit One Dress Length —Cash Please) **.69**

Wednesday, September 18—

**Linen** Limit — Cash Please **\$1.89** Yard —PURE IRISH LINEN

Thursday, September 19—

**Black Sheer** —FOR DRESSES — BLOUSES — ROBE SETS

Limit 6 Yards to a Customer — While It lasts.

WE HAVE LININGS FOR WOOLENS — WE SELL YOU —

**Sturges & Gibbs**

Coleman's Ladies' Store

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hill of Rising Star visited relatives here Sunday.

Pat Wooten of Houston visited her grandmother, Mrs. Anne Travis, recently.

Jack Ripper and Teddy Walker left Sunday for Deaton where they will enter college.

E. I. Vestal, Jr. and Jack Lack left last week to enter John Tarleton College at Stephenville.

Dorothy Ripper, who is employed in Abilene, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ripper.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams and Mrs. Tom Vaughn and daughter of Hamlin spent the week end with Mrs. Jeff Clark here.

Mrs. Beula Lucas and Mrs. Geo. Scott spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stone at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Barr and little daughter, of Brownwood, and Hulan Barr, of Baird, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Barr over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baum, Jr., spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ressie Brown and family in Brownwood.

S. S. Nichols, the Democratic nominee for Sheriff of this county, was in Cross Plains Saturday afternoon visiting with friends. His home is at Eula.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Houser and family had their brother and sister, Luke Houser of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Ross Horick and children of Tyler, visit them last week.

C. N. Harris and daughter of Ft. Worth visited Mrs. Norma Well, New Mex., Ralph Chandler, Saunders last Friday.

Miss Phyllis Chandler of Roswell, and wife of Newport News, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chandler of Hamlin and Mrs. Ralph Chandler, Sr. of Pittsburgh, Pa. spent last Friday night with Mrs. Norma Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover visited friends in McCombs last week.

Donald White has gone to Stephenville where he is attending John Tarleton College.

Betty Jean Browning will leave Sunday for Deaton where she will enter TSCW.

Polly Moon will leave for Waco Sunday to attend Baylor University.

Lyna Lee Smith has gone to Denton to enter College for the fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Montgomery were in Eastland last Saturday night to watch games of a soft ball tournament.

Dr. and Mrs. Mack Boyer, of Anson, were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bunnell, of Abilene, were guests Sunday in the home of her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Biggers and little daughter, Janice, of Corona, California, have been visiting Mrs. Biggers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Brown in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Russell, Mr. Mrs. Harold Ray and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Farmer, all of Baird, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Outbirth.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weiler the past week were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meyers of Shreveport, La., Mrs. Louise Gonder of Hollywood, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Weiler, Barbara and Joe of Baytown.

**GAME OF DEATH STARS** EDGAR BARRIER FRIDAY & SATURDAY AT PLAINS

A fanatical sportsman's boredom with big game hunting and his insatiable desire to find something more worthy of his skill than wild animals leads to grim happenings on a lonely jungle island in RKO Radio's thrilling new drama, "A Game of Death." The maniac hunter lures ships onto the rocks of his island by means of misleading navigation lights, and so provides himself with human prey, whom he hunts with bow and arrow and dogs. John Loder plays a shipwreck victim whose efforts to escape from the mad hunter take him on a wild chase through the swamps and jungles of the island. Edgar Barrier is the mad hunter, and Audrey Long and Russell Wade are two victims of the menace.

### Mystery Film "Blue Dahlia" Here On Sunday

No tip-offs to the identity of the killer in Paramount's murder mystery, "The Blue Dahlia," due Sunday matinee and Monday night, September 15 and 16, the Plains Theatre, will be found in performances by the cast.

All three stars, Alan Ladd, Veronica Lake and William Bendix, are among the many logical suspects right up to the climax point at which the case is cracked.

Only Raymond Chandler, writer, John Houseman, producer, and Geo. Marshall, director, knew the murderer's identity and they wouldn't talk.

"We made sure that none of the players gave away any clues," states Marshall. "In a murder mystery, which needs of course they made a good guess. If they did, they solved one of the most baffling mysteries I've ever read."

"Nobody knew who committed the crime until the last day of production, unless of course they made a good guess. If they did, they solved one of the most baffling mysteries I've ever read."

### NAVY ANNOUNCES DEADLINES HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED

The Navy announced last week that deadlines have been established on applications for transfer of reserve and temporary officers of the Marine Corps and the Navy Nurse Corps to the regular Marine Corps and regular Navy Corps under present regulations.

Reserve Marine officers who desire commissions in the regular service must submit applications prior to October 15. Navy Nurses must apply before October 1.

Both deadlines apply to officers on terminal leave and inactive duty as well as those on active duty.

The two limits on applications followed a previous announcement, made two weeks ago, setting a similar deadline on requests for changeover to the regular Navy. The Navy's Bureau of Personnel ruled that Navy applications must be submitted before September 15.

### H. C. FREEMAN FAMILY ENJOYS REUNION LAST WEEK END NEAR CISCO

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Freeman, Sr. of this place enjoyed a reunion with their children and families at Presbyterian Encampment grounds at Cisco, last Saturday and Sunday.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Freeman of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Cy Freeman and family of Abilene, Henry Freeman and family of Putnam, Riley and family of Leuders, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Freeman of Cross Plains, Mrs. Volly Johnson and family of Abilene and Dr. and Mrs. Eli Powell of this city. Oliver Freeman and family were not present.

Miss Marie Bryson has gone to Big Spring where she will teach in a nearby school this term.

Noel Ike Childs of Austin visited his aunt, Mrs. Leah King, here last week.

Read the classified ads

Jimmie Kate Howell returned to Deaton Sunday where she will enter the fall term of NTSC.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Henkle of Brownwood visited here Wednesday of last week. Bobby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Henkle, former residents here.

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Although we don't list it on our balance sheets, we wish you to know that no asset of this bank is treasured more highly than is your friendship and good will.

We have enjoyed a nice growth in the past few years and are now serving more depositors than ever before in history, however, we know that without the kind words you are speaking and have spoken for us in the past this growth would not have been possible.

Our pledge is to serve your every banking need so efficiently that in a measure our appreciation of your friendship may be partially expressed.

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President Vice-President



EDWIN BAUM, Cashier

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## Double Features . . . PRO & CON

Our theatre has had numerous requests to discontinue double features on week ends, due to length of time required to see two pictures, some of which are not considered interesting. Also length of time required for parents waiting for children.

The management has worked out a program that will be as fascinating as the double feature shows and through October only single features and variety shorts will be shown. Your patronage during the month will assure us you are well pleased with the arrangement.

COMPARE THESE TABLES FOR TIME SPENT

Double Feature Time	
Western	60 to 65 minutes
2nd Feature	65 to 75 "
Serial	18 to 19 "
Cartoon	9 to 10 "
Coming Attractions	10 to 11 "
2 hr. 45 min. to 3 hrs.	

Single Feature & Variety	
Western	60 to 65 minutes
Serial	18 to 19 "
2-reel Comedy	19 to 20 "
Cartoons	9 to 10 "
Coming Attractions	10 to 11 "
1 hr. - 56 min. to 2 hrs.	

More varied entertainment in a lesser time.

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Frank Cross, Mgr.



**SELLS STORE EULA; TO TAKE IT EASY UNTIL JANUARY**

Nichols, who has operated at merchandise store at Eula past three years, sold the store recently to A. G. Black in, who took immediate possession.

Nichols, who was elected in the Democratic primary

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You'll be pleased when your Fall clothes are pressed and pressed to PERFECTION! Send your suits, coats and dresses EARLY. Then we can give you better service and you'll be ready for fall without further bother.

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**Wood News**

**S. B. STRAHAN**

Richardson is home with a discharge after medical examination at last week.

is extended to the neighborhood to attend a gypsy night. Everyone please dress, a bandana and sh around the waist.

R. Ramsey visited her and her husband Mr. and Underwood at Pioneer

Memorie of Scranton on Sunday.

Garrett and Mrs. Nor entertained with a gift the home of the former Underwood on last

Goodlet and Rosa-Clyde visited relatives joined here for the and a return by Pat's Rev. and Mrs. Ross

O'Neal and Richard united in marriage on Reverend Falkner at

Mrs. W. B. Gittleland in Ft. Worth and Waco

Tyson and two visited her mother Mrs. R. N. Whitthorn.

Shelton returned to San Antonio las Monday a week with her R. N. Whitehorn.

**"DON'T SAY YES" ROSALIND RUSSELL PLAYS TUESDAY ONLY**

something really new headgear in Rosalind in "She Wouldn't Columbia Pictures' comedy starring her with Lee at the Plains Theatre, Sept. 17 only.

billiners whipped up Freudian for Miss sport.

theory that a gal's hat mood, or vice versa, were given free reign her subconscious hat lished with symbols of the bonds of in-

Mrs. Clyde Kelly of visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. week.

Mrs. C. O. Hamilton for rest this week, their husband of Houston.

fax of Rising Star as visitor in town last

Barnes will leave for week end where he Murray College.

**should dyeing**

shrinkage must be faded. Badly sunfaded spots have been chemically, effects of and deodorants considered. Prints can-dyed to hide designs.

colors can be stripped lighter.

ment can be given to give you new and pleasure by skill-

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# OUR ANNIVERSARY

POLICY IS THE SAME AS WHEN WE STARTED IN BUSINESS HERE BACK IN 1916

## GOOD FURNITURE

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In 1916 none of us could look into the future and foretell the conditions of 1946 but the founders of this firm were determined that the furniture sold in 1916 would be of such high quality that much of it would be giving service in 1946—and it is. Those first customers learned to their profit, that low price means nothing without the quality that goes with it to make an honest value.

Perhaps that is the compelling reason why so many young couples just starting their homes come here for their furniture. "Dad and mother bought their furniture from Austin-Morris" is an expression we have heard often in recent years, and it is our aim that much of the furniture they buy will still be giving service when their children come to Austin-Morris for the furniture they need to start a home.

### Our Customers Tell Us

They have received a large measure of extra satisfaction from doing business with Austin-Morris because, long after furniture or appliances were bought from us we were here

to stand behind our guarantees, make justified adjustments and service appliances bought from us. This was a particularly happy situation for them during the war.

### OUR EMPLOYEES

AN ASSET TO US, AND TO OUR CUSTOMERS

We feel that a large measure of the success of this firm is due to the loyalty and long service of employees. Some have been with us since the earliest days of the concern. Five employees have a total of 124 years of service, an average of almost 25 years each. Our customers tell us

they find suggestions offered by our well trained personnel both helpful and practical when shopping for home furnishings. Our longtime employees are so well acquainted with our business policies customers know they can accept the word of our employees as company policy.

SEPTEMBER WILL BE 30th ANNIVERSARY MONTH AT AUSTIN MORRIS WATCH OUR ADVERTISEMENTS AND WINDOWS FOR SPECIAL

## 30TH ANNIVERSARY VALUES

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Complete Home Furnishers and Funeral Directors  
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QUALITY COMES FIRST HERE

Brownwood, Texas

**Pioneer News**  
**MRS. W. E. RODGERS**

Mrs. E. P. Anderson of May is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Gibson.

Mrs. John Dillard has returned from a visit with her daughter at Raymondville.

W. R. Gibson, Eugene, and Buck attended a barbecue and golf tournament in Ballinger Sunday.

C. W. Graves went to Brownwood one day this week to visit a brother who has been very ill.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Rodgers made a business trip to Brownwood on Monday, they also visited the Elkins family while there.

Sunday will be the 3rd Sunday singing at the Pioneer Pentecostal church. Everyone is invited to these singings.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Graham and son Lloyd of Brownwood were calling on friends here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edna Powell and little daughter of Artisia, N. M. were visiting friends in Pioneer and Crese a late last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ragland and son Roy of Burkett spent the week end with Mrs. Ragland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Graves.

Rev. and Mrs. McCluskey and Mrs. Saddle Blanshange of Brownwood called on Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Rodgers Friday last week.

Dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Pearl Lane and Opal Connelly on Sunday were Mrs. James Lane and children, Mrs. Henry Reed and children, and Mrs. Marie Walker and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Montgomery at Cross Plains Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cash, Baird, were in Pioneer last Wednesday.

Mrs. Pat Shirley and Mrs. John Fore were in Cisco last Friday, delegates to the annual Baptist Association.

Mrs. Floyd Jones was in a Dallas Hospital several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Joe Wright, Graham, who underwent an eye operation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright, Lubbock, were week end guests in the home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones.

Mrs. Clyde Logan, Graham, spent last week here in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ballow.

Rev. Bill Powell, Brownwood, filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church last Sunday with his family they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Silgar, and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shirley.

Paul Huntington, Brownwood, spent last week end with his cousin, J. W. Fore.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Marshall, Abilene, were Sunday visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Marshall.

Christine Shirley spent most of last week in Cross Plains with her aunt, Mrs. Wida Dennis, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore made a business trip to Ft. Worth last Friday, also visited her brother, Frankie, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Townsend, Dallas, over the week end.

Charlie Huntington and son, Cisco, were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of his brother, Dutch Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Rossie Coward and daughter Della, Jonesboro, visited last week in the home of their nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Papp.

Mrs. Ralph Huntington was a patient in a Brownwood hospital last week, with a severe attack of strep throat.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth White and daughter, of College Station, and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Clark and children, of Cross Plains, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ches Barr here last week end.

Mrs. E. O. Adams has returned home from an extended visit with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Flahie of Indianopolis, Indiana, also visited with her son and family, Mr. B. M. Adams of Marshall, Texas.

Teacher—Hobbie, who is going to send your father Hobbie—You'll just wait and see. He wrote it.

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Today & Saturday  
 13th & 14th  
 MATINEE & NITE BOTH DAYS

**ROY ROGERS**  
 KING OF THE COWBOYS  
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**Sunset in EL DORADO**  
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Sunday & Monday  
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At the flood-tide of her glory!  
**Gene Tierney**  
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PLUS  
 LATEST NEWS  
 MATINEE EVERY  
 WEDNESDAY — FRIDAY  
 SATURDAY — SUNDAY  
 COME TO OUR MATINEE AND  
 KEEP COOL DURING THE DAY

NOTICE  
 During the month of October only single features and variety shorts will be shown on Friday and Saturday.

**NUTSHELL ADVERTISING**

TOYS—TOYS—all metal for the kids, Holdridge Variety Store. (11c)

WANTED: Lady to stay with Mrs. M. J. Gilliland, Baird, Texas. Job is very easy—no hard work. Person doesn't have to be very strong to take care of the job if they qualify otherwise. Write Mrs. M. J. Gilliland, or Mrs. V. E. Hill, Baird, Texas. (31c24)

FOR RENT: Farm house 2 miles north city on school bus and mail route, gravel road. Lots of water and wood. Will sell \$8 Plymouth car also. E. K. Cappinger. (11c)

GO TO Sarah Easley Shoes, Commerce, Texas. (11c)

FOR SALE: 160 acres mixed sandy land, half in cultivation; large four room house, good water well, located nine miles south of Baird, one mile off Highway 183. Priced to sell. J. O. Connel, Clyde, Texas. (31c24)

JUST RECEIVED another carload of Trinity Cement and Trinity Mix. Baldwin Lumber Co. (11c)

FOR SALE: Underwood standard typewriter in good condition, may be seen at Smith Drug. Pat Shirley, Pioneer, Texas (21c24)

FOR SALE: 15 acres of land, with 5 room house, sleeping porch and bath, all modern conveniences; place fenced and well watered, priced to sell. See C. B. Hester, Pioneer, Texas. (11c)

FOR SALE: Five disc one-way John Deere plow. R. E. Edington, Burkett, Texas. (21c24)

FOR SALE: Hoffman upright piano in good condition. See Mr. or Mrs. J. D. Edington, Burkett, Texas. (21c24)

FOR SALE: House with three 14 ft. rooms and hall 8x14 to be moved. W. J. Colvin, Burkett, Texas. (21c24)

FOR SALE: My home in northeast part of town, the garage 18 x 19, small orchard and five pecan trees, nice garden spot, good well water and cellar also 35 V-8 Tudor auto. J. H. Strahan. (21c24)

LIST YOUR ROOMS for rent at Plains Cafe and Fountain. Need space for working people. Clyde McAllister. (11c24)

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN AVIATION, EITHER UNDER G.I. BILL OR AS A PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL, ROBERT CAL HOYN CAN GIVE YOU INTERESTING DETAILS. WHITE FLIGHT SERVICE, AIRFIELD, BROWNWOOD, TEXAS. (41c24)

DEAD OR DISABLED animals removed free. Phone 300, Cross Plains. BROWNWOOD RENDERING Co. (31c23)

LOST: 1943 Cross Plains high school class ring, initials P.R.S. inside. Reward if returned to Mrs. Brooks Hill, City Drug Store. (31c23)

FOR SALE: Reconditioned peanut sacks in A-1 condition. Cross Plains Feed Mill. (41c21)

**FOOD BUYS**

**SUGAR - PURE CANE - 10 LBS.**  
**PEACHES, R&W in syrup No. 2 1/2 can .32**  
**SPINACH, R&W fancy No. 2 can .19**

**GREEN BEANS, Best Tex No. 2 can**  
**PORK & BEANS, 17 Oz. Jar**

**FLOUR**  
 ALL SIZES

**WHITE**  
 VITAMIN ENRICHED

**Pillsbury's BEST XXXX Enriched Flour**

**HOMINY Jackson Brand, No. 2 1/2 can .17**  
**APPLES, Mexico Delicious lb.**  
**Grapefruit Juice, Tex. Pure 46 Oz. can .37**  
**ORANGES, Popular Size lb.**

**COMPOUND - BIRD BRAND - 3 LBS.**  
**BANANAS, lb. .11**  
**BOLOGNA lb. .29**  
**CHILI, Armour Star lb.**

**THESE PRICES GOOD FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY**

**RED & WHITE STORE**  
 "THE STORE OF FRIENDLY SERVICE"  
**M. E. (Happy) Howell**

**FOOD VALUES**

**MESS KITS - ARMY STYLE - EACH**  
**NO. 2 GALVANIZED TUBS - EACH**  
**PINE APPLE - CRUSHED - GAL.**  
**APRICOT NECTAR NO. 2 CANS, 46 OZ. CANS AND GALLONS**

**ALL KINDS OF DRIED FRUIT**

**FITCH'S - 25 C SIZE - HAIR OIL**  
**COFFEE - WHITE SWAN - LB.**  
**PLENTY WHITE FLOUR & MEAL**  
**SYRUP - HALF GAL. BUCKET BRER RABBIT**  
**WHITE SWAN - LUNCHEON PEAS PER CAN**  
**HOMINY - NO. 2 1-2 CAN - LB.**  
**SEVEN STEAK - LB.**  
**PRESSED HAM - LB.**

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**CITY ENA**  
**September Bring**

**MOISTURE TOTALS**  
**FOUR AND HALF INCHES FOR MONTH**

Late Crops And Pastures Are Chief Benefactors But Tanks Also Aided.

With four and one-half inches of rain already received here during September, the outlook for Fall harvest is now much brighter than a few weeks ago, and a drought which cost thousands of dollars to farmers and stockmen remains only an unpleasant memory.

S. F. Bond, local weather observer, reported Tuesday night that he had recorded precipitations this month as follows:

Sept. 3	1.04
Sept. 12	.81
Sept. 13	1.29
Sept. 14	.95
Sept. 15	1.31

Late fall will now mature more abundantly and fields can now be sowed to smaller grains, offering a strong likelihood of some early crops for stockmen. Peanut crops and pasture lands which had begun to suffer recently as a result of the protracted drought are greatly revived and are among principal benefactors of the September moisture.

In some localities quite a bit of stock water was caught, however, West of Cross Plains eight and 10 miles, the need still exists for a "guilty washer," a rain that will replenish tanks, now far below their normal level.

Within the city of Cross Plains many householders are smiling broadly over the prospects of fall gardens. Lawns have already greened noticeably and the city water supply caught up a reserve, which had been impossible for the past two months.

**BURKETT CALL COMPETE AT**

A. I. Edwards, vocational culture teacher from Portland, Ore., represented the B. P. of America in the junior division of the State Fair when the first annual Fair is held this year from Oct. 5 to 20.

The two Burkett boys, Tye Brown and L. Brown, who have been for three years, at major Texas shows, will weigh 1100 pounds. Will be feeding calves as owner of the year won the championship of the Abilene of his entrants also entered hereford and the Feder-Breeder in the best dr. country. His entry in will be a 1000-pound show will for a separate program showing, enabling to have exclusive show rings and while their show exhibit has been set. Divisional superior for the show are dairy cattle; Good Texas A. & M. Co. division; T. L. Lee, biological school; Regentbrecht, assistant county agent will supervise the VA MAN HER SATURDAY

**Baptist Workers Make Pleas For Buckners Home**

The Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist church is requesting every one who will to donate home canned fruits and vegetables to Buckner's Orphan's Home. It is pointed out that several dozen empty jars are on hand in the basement of the church and donors may exchange jars, if they wish.

Other articles, such as clothing, new or used and any useful item, will be welcomed and appreciated. Donors are requested to bring articles to the church, the pastor's home or leave with any member of the W.M.U. not later than Monday, September 23.

**VETERANS GIVE UP PRIORITIES TO GET EULA SCHOOL GOING**

Men who fought in World War II apparently believe that the kids should get their schooling. School, after the Eula Public School, near Clyde, burned down a few days before opening date, many veterans waived their priorities to hard-to-get equipment and school opened on schedule.

War Assets Administration sold the school buildings, tables, chairs, typewriters and wastebaskets from Camp Bartlesley, Sheppard Field, San Angelo, Army Air Field, Big Spring, Army Air Field and the WAA warehouse in Fort Worth.

Baby Daughter Born To PFC. and Mrs. Jack Thomas

Private First Class and Mrs. Jack Thomas are announcing the birth of a baby daughter, born September 15 in a Santa Anna hospital. The child weighed eight pounds and two ounces and has been named Velma Sue.

Private Thomas is now serving in Italy. Mrs. Thomas is the former Stella Mae Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lee.

**POSTPONES GAME BETWEEN BAIRD-PUTNAM**

Football game scheduled to be between Putnam and Baird this Friday night of last week called off because of this. Another date for the game has not yet been announced.

**SMITHS DRUG STORE**

Save Your Calf!  
 A shame to lose one with scours when a \$1.00 bottle of DUREHAM'S COMBINATION TREATMENT will save it. You, risk nothing. If it does not save your calf your \$1.00 will be refunded by SMITHS DRUG STORE