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Farmers Invited To Attend Farm Bureau Meeting At B'wood

J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, has announced that a District Farm Bureau meeting will be held in the Brownwood Hotel at Brownwood on Friday, February 13...

YESTERYEAR - - - - In The Old Home Town - -

Items of Interest taken from the files of The Review ten and twenty years ago.

20 Years Ago February 17, 1928

L. Jackson, who resides one mile East of town, has announced to the Review that he has entered the race for the office of public weigher of this precinct...

W. F. Bounds and Ford Davis are moving the barber shop, next to the Club Cafe, to a new location just North of Bill Cross' Barber Shop...

Cattle, lambs, pigs and chickens will be shown by the FFA Chapter here next Saturday in the fifth annual FFA fat stock show.

Students showing animals and fowls in the show are Kent Davis, Larry McDonald, Vernon Baird, Leonard Baum, Desl Edlington, Hadden Payne, Toody McDermet, Della Davis, Glenn Erwin, Ivan Clark, Jimmie Lee and Glenn Payne...

White Leghorn chickens will be exhibited by Harold Stephens, Bruce Strahan, Kent Davis, Nuel Ike Childs and Glenn Strother.

Veterans' News

More than a half-million World War II veterans in 1947 bought homes of their own with the aid of Government guaranteed loans under the GI Bill...

VA said 540,000 GI home loans were made to veterans during the year compared with 410,000 in 1946. This brings the total number of GI home loans approved since the program started late in 1944 to 1,659,771.

VA found that the average home bought by veterans in 1947 carried a price tag of \$7,300. Four of every 10 veteran-purchasers paid over \$8,000, and one in 20 upwards of \$12,000 for the homes they chose.

Of 490,000 first-mortgage loans guaranteed during the year, 290,000 were for the purchase of existing homes at an average price of \$6,700. About 160,000 were for newly-constructed houses averaging \$8,200 each.

Eligible veterans, estimated to number more than 14,000,000, still have nearly 10 years in which to exercise their loan guarantee rights under the GI Bill. Real estate loans carry a Government guarantee of 50 percent of the amount of the loan, up to a maximum guarantee of \$4,000.

One in every three World War II veterans has taken some form of education or training under the GI Bill or Public Law 16 since both laws went into effect, VA said.

Almost three-quarters of a million educational institutions and on-the-job training establishments have been approved by state approving agencies and VA to offer training to veterans under the GI Bill and Public Law 16.

Before World War II there were about eight million acres planted to rubber trees in the world.

E. O. Adams was a business visitor in San Saba Friday.

Fred Cutbirth and J. L. Bonner attended the stock show in Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. George Scott and Mrs. Fred Heyser visited Mrs. Jim McFarland in a Brownwood hospital one day last week.

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SOCIAL SECURITY PROTECTS FAMILY SAYS R. T. FISHER

"The Social Security Act places emphasis on the importance of the family and gives special protection to women with young children," said Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Abilene social security office.

"Some women callers," Mr. Fisher continued, "think that benefits are paid only to 65-year-old widows. When a qualified worker of any age dies and leaves a widow who was living with him at the time of his death, she is immediately eligible to receive:

1. Monthly payments for herself and her unmarried children under 18, or

2. A single cash payment if there are no children. Many women seem to think that in the event of their husband's death that they can get back only the few dollars paid in social security premiums. It should come as no surprise to a widow to learn that she and her minor children are eligible for regular monthly payments. Many such benefits are now in force. These monthly benefits frequently mean for children the difference between going to work and going to school. Monthly benefits to widows have been the means of keeping many families together and homes intact.

CAPTURED GERMAN PAPERS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC

Captured German documents recently released by the State Department describing Nazi-Soviet Political Relations are now available to the public in booklet form, the Government Printing Office announced Monday.

These documents, taken from secret German foreign office files, are available for \$1.00 from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C.

COX GROCERY AT BURKETT UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Dub Jones and Mrs. Jap Burkett are now operating the W. T. Cox Food Store at Burkett, formerly managed by W. R. Thompson, who recently purchased a grocery business in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Calhoun have moved to their recently finished home on Brownwood Lake.

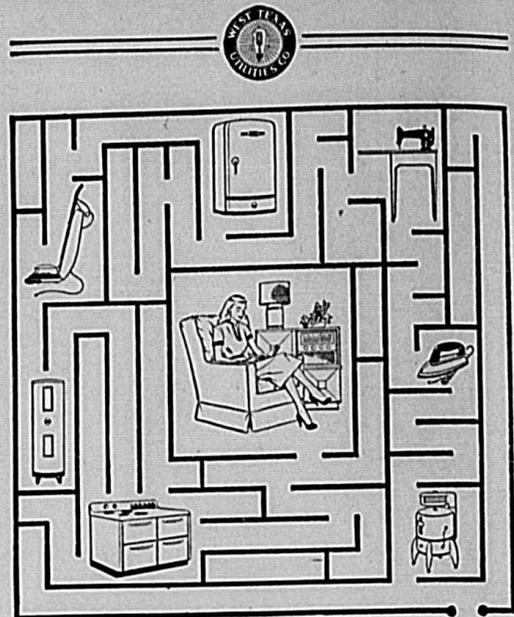
Lon Haley has gone to Crane to visit his daughter, Miss Eloise Haley, for two or three weeks.

Teddy Walker of Baird visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker, several days last week while school was suspended there.

Try Review Want Ads

Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation; the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak. - Matthew 26:41

When one has no design but to speak plain truth, he may say a great deal in a very narrow compass. - Sir Richard Steele



It's a-MAZE-ing!

Husbands, please note! The average housewife performs 70 different tasks in her normal day's work! (Frankly, most women will think that figure is far too low, but it comes from the U. S. Government's Office of Education!)

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Political Calendar

The Review is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the democratic primary, July 21, 1948.

- Assessor-Collector: H. (Bob) Joy
City Judge: L. Farmer
City Treasurer: Wesley (Turk) Reynolds
City Clerk: Gene Bell
Commissioner, Precinct 4: Claude E. Foster
District Clerk: Driskill Neithercutt

647 BALES OF COTTON GINNED IN CALLAHAN

According to census records of John H. Shrader, Department of Commerce agent for Callahan county, 647 bales of cotton were ginned in this county prior to January 18, 1948 from the 1947 crop.

This figure shows 182 bales more ginned in 1947 than for the same period of 1946 when to the same date 465 bales were ginned.

AUSTIN OREH ASKED OF 8 SCHOOL GRID DISTRICT

Officials of Texas Interscholastic League are being asked to approve a football district including: Cross Plains, May, Rising Star, Baird, Bangs, Moran, Santa Anna and Early. Officials of these schools drafted a request asking Austin approval of the set-up.

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Extreme Care Needed In Handling Of Milk Says Health Officer

The production and distribution of milk is a business requiring great care in the handling of the product, as it is highly subject to contamination. Inasmuch as milk can be readily contaminated, control of production and distribution is necessary in the form of sanitary regulations. Milk that is produced and handled from farm to consumer, where sanitary precautions have been taken to make it a clean, wholesome product, is designated a Grade A milk, said Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer.

In the production of Grade A milk, it must come from clean and healthy cows. It is produced under conditions that will insure freedom from dust, dirt, and fly contamination in both the dairy barn and milk house. The dairy barn construction is such that it can be easily cleaned. Facilities are provided in the milk house to wash and sanitize utensils and equipment easily and quickly, and to store them in a place protected from contamination. Adequate cooling facilities are provided in the milk house so that the temperature of the milk can be lowered immediately after milking. It is the bacteria in milk that indicate the care with which it is produced and handled.

Water supplies should be safe in order that no harmful bacteria may be introduced into milk from contaminated water in the process of washing and rinsing utensils. Carriers of disease organisms, or milk handlers who may be ill, can also introduce harmful organisms into a milk supply.

Pasteurization does not make a dirty milk clean. A clean quality milk can only be provided by having it produced and handled under sanitary standards. In brief, the consumer is assured that when Grade A pasteurized milk is used, it not only is a safe milk, but it has the added quality of being a clean milk.

From the San Antonio Express: A campaign against foreign ideologies has been mapped by Texas lawyers.

The bill of rights committee of the State Bar of Texas Thursday asked every local bar association to conduct campaigns to awaken the public to the meaning of American liberty and to revive consciousness of the bill of rights and the constitution.

Riley Strickland of Amarillo presided at the meeting, which outlined a course of action to root out Communist propaganda.

Genuine good taste consists in saying much in few words, in choosing among our thoughts, in having order and arrangement in what we say, and in speaking with composure. -Fenelon



TEXANS TALK TIDELANDS TO TRUMAN
—Apparently pleased with their conference with the President on state ownership of submerged lands, Robert Lee Bobbitt of San Antonio, chairman of the Texas State Tidelands Committee, Attorney General Price

Daniel and Senator Tom Connally leave the White House. The Texans explained their state's annexation agreement with the US and the importance of submerged land revenues to the Texas Public School Fund. They asked Mr. Truman for another hearing before he takes action on pending legislation.

Have something to say? say it, and stop when you're done. - Tyrone Edwards

Burley Paul McCowan of Harlin-Simmons at Abilene, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCowan.

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY

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News and Pelican Pranks

Cottonwood News

By Hazel Respass

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Robbins and family returned to their home here Tuesday after spending several weeks in California visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Robbins accompanied them home for a short stay, returning to California last of the week.

Mrs. Mollie Murray and son, L. V., were called to Weatherford by the death of a sister, Mrs. Laura Jones, who has been ill for quite some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Peevy of Abilene visited with Mrs. W. O. Peevy Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thomas and daughter, Wilma Lee, and Mr. Day of Cleo visited in the S. H. Thomas home Saturday.

Floyd Weaver of Brownwood spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Weaver.

Doyle Burchfield, who was carried to a Gorman hospital early last week, was returned to his home in a Higginbotham ambulance last Friday in a much improved condition.

THIEVES ARE USING AERIAL METHODS IN OIL FIELDS

Thieves are now using aerial reconnaissance methods to locate their prey in Texas oil fields, says John W. Kelley, chief investigator for Texas Mid-Continental Oil and Gas Association, who this week warns oil men that oil field supply thieves are stepping up their activity to take advantage of current steel shortages and scarcity of materials.

In a recent case, it was reported that tools and supplies were spotted in flights over the oil fields and confederates were tipped off of the location of the equipment. Using trucks, thieves hauled heavy equipment off to junk yards where "vendors" disposed of the stolen property.

Kelley also warned that persons selling pipe and supplies at low prices should be watched as the goods might be stolen. It is a Texas law, also, that dealers in used oil field equipment must maintain ample records, bill of sale and information as to place of purchase of all second hand oil field supplies he handles.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Harlow and son, Randy, of Abilene visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al P. Groebel, of San Angelo, were attending to business in Cross Plains Monday.

ALATHEAN CLASS MEETS IN YOUNG HOME LAST FRIDAY

The Alathean Class of the Cross Plains Baptist church met Friday, February 6, in the home of Mrs. H. A. Young for their regular business session and social.

After routine business had been disposed of, and a number of plans made for the month's work, the regular social hour was suspended in order that members might attend funeral services for Walter Rudloff. Later in the afternoon, the group met again with the hostess and Mrs. L. L. Howser served refreshments.

Among those attending were Misses L. L. Gwaser, L. H. Hall, George B. Scott, A. D. Petty, J. W. Dunlap, Howser, Earl Pyle, J. M. Greenwood, Lee Bishop and the hostess, Mrs. Young.

It is said the Methodist in this country contributed \$164,138,457 in 1947 for all church causes. Of this amount \$31,076,049 was given for world service, missionary and educational work, and other benevolences.

The Women's Society of Christian Service, which has a national membership of 1,508,924 Methodist women, contributed \$14,793,680 for local church work and missionary projects during the year.

The florist's new assistant picked up the phone and listened attentively as he heard the order for flowers.

"The ribbon must be extra wide," the man was saying, "with the 'Rest in Peace' on both sides, and if there is room, 'We Shall Meet in Heaven'."

There was a sensation when the flowers arrived at the funeral. True, the ribbon was extra wide, but the inscription it bore read: "Rest in Peace on both sides, and if there is room, we shall meet in heaven."

Miss Helen Ruth Plumlee and Miss Vernell Westerman, who are students in Abilene schools, visited friends and relatives here over the week end.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, and beautiful floral offerings received from our many friends. Mere words are much too empty to express our feelings for each of you.

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FOR SALE: Three-wheel Cushman scooter. Good condition. For quick sale \$85. Inquire of Chess W. Barr at City Office, Cross Plains, Texas. (4tc46)

WANTED: Water well drilling. Any size, anywhere, new equipment. Contact W. C. Culvahouse, Gen. Del., Cross Plains, Texas. (4tp45)

FOR SALE: One Aluminum sided building, 30 x 35 ft., to be moved. Jess Graves. (2tp46)

FOR A BED ROOM or room and board see me at my home, North of skating rink, just off highway 30. Mrs. Arthur Tallafiero. (2tp46)

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Good '42 Dodge pick-up, 4-wheel drive. See W. C. Culvahouse at first house North Higginbotham Lumber Yard. (2tp46)

AUSTRA-WHITES—For high egg production and fancy meat. Baby chicks \$10 and \$12 per 100. STAR HATCHERY, Baird, Texas. (1tc43)

FOR SALE: We are booking Pedigree Kash, Bagley, Qualla, and Harper Cotton Seed for Spring delivery. Simpson Seed Co., Coleman. (1tc 33)

WANT TO BUY: Feeder shoats, weighing 100 to 125 pounds. Dale Gary. (2tp45)

FOR QUICK SALE: 1937 Dodge coupe. Good shape, good tires. It costs nothing to look at the best buy in town. See Grady Ramey at Review or E. 7th St. after 5 p.m.

"YOUR OPPORTUNITY NOW" 250-acre sandy land farm: 8 miles of Cisco on good road, mail and school bus route; entire tract enclosed with net fence, 85 acres in cultivation, 5-room house, old but sound, barn, grainaries, and poultry house; splendid corn and loading chute, inexhaustible well, good quality water, windmill, water piped over the place. Some Bermuda, some Johnson grass, 80 acres of brush, but a real combination sandy land farm. Possession now, \$35.00 per acre. Small cash payment will handle. Bert E. Low, 505-506 First National Bank Bldg., Brownwood, Texas, Phone 3925. (2tp45)

HOSE MENDING: Bring your hose to me for quick and guaranteed work. Mrs. Grady Ramey, E. 7th Street. (1tc45)

FOR SALE: Modern six room house and three lots. Northeast part of town. T. B. Burks. (3tp45)

ROOM FOR RENT, with or without kitchen privileges, located one block North highway 36 from A. D. Smith residence. Fay Gifford. (1tp)

FOR SALE: Shop made saddle, two years old and in good shape, 15-in. swell, 14-in. seat, 3 1/2-in. cantle. Howard Davis, Cutbirth ranch, 8 mi. West Cross Plains. (2tp45)

FOR SALE: Several good cars: '37 Pontiac coupe, '40 4-door DeLuxe Ford, '41 Chevrolet coupe with rebuilt motor, new tires, clean both inside and out; '42 Ford tudor really worth the money. Edd Morgan, Cross Plains. (1tc43)

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One 5-room house and six lots located close in, \$2,000 cash will handle this deal, balance payable like rent. Have several other nice homes to offer you. Have several active business propositions that are paying good dividends too. Also have several good country homes with small acreage, located on good highways.

Have 58 acres on hiway 36, unimproved at only \$1,300.

Have 25 acres with a small house on it at only \$400.

Still have a few nice lots, well located, for sale.

Now if you want to buy anything see me today, if I haven't got it, I can get it for you.

Bert Brown

"The New Real Estate Dealer" Box 471, Cross Plains, Texas

FOR SALE: Superflex kerosene ice box. See Fieldon Strickland at Calhoun Motor Co. (4tp46)

FOR SALE: Milo Feed, whole grain, bring four sacks. Ira Hall. (4tp46)

I now have a large registered O.I.C. boar; fee \$5.00 cash, or an 8-week old pig. J. M. Greenwood, 4 1/2 mi. South of Cross Plains. (4tp46)

FOR SALE: Baled sweet sudan hay, C. M. Garrett, phone 183F3. (4tp45)

FOR SALE: 250 young white Leghorn hens. See Roy Thornton at Holloway place near Rowden. (2tp46)

FOR SALE: 3-pc. wicker suite in good condition and priced at only \$20.; also old upholstered chairs and rockers, end tables, drop-leaf breakfast tables, round dining table. Come in and shop. Purdy Furniture Store. (1tc)

FOR SALE or will trade for milk cow: donkey, cart and farming tools. See T. W. Kelley, 13th St., Cross Plains. (1tp)

GOLDEN BUFF MINORCAS — Beautiful golden colored, heavier than Leghorns, good layers and fine fryers. Chicks \$10 and \$12 per 100. Pallets \$22. Star Hatchery, Baird, Texas. (1tc43)

LOTS GOING UP 5, 6, 7, & 8 by Foster Gro. Mary Lou Shelman. (4tp44)

FOR SALE: 4-burner all white porcelain apartment type gas ranges in first class condition; 2-burner hot plate and a few gas heaters. Can save you money on the merchandise and the price is right. Purdy Furniture. (1tc)

BABY CHICKS: A hatch every week day in season. Book your chicks now. A good place to buy your chicks at prices. See us for your chick supplies: feeders, water founts, brooders, starting batteries. Our first hatch comes off January 30. Rising Star Hatchery. (1tc43)

FINER O.I.C. HOGS, whitest, healthiest, fastest-growing, quickest maturing. Pigs, bred gilts, young boars. Shanks Hog Farm, Clyde, Texas. (4tp45)

3-ROOM neatly furnished apartments one block from stores, shops, depot, post office, cafes. Near high school, fine community, all utilities. Shanks Apartments, Ph. 74, Clyde, Texas. (4tp45)

FOR SALE: 160 acres land, 6 mi. Northeast of Cross Plains, on mail and school bus route, 2 houses, well, windmill, garage, barns. Long time, convenient terms. See Ben Pierce, Cross Plains. (2tp45)

WILL TAKE YOUR AAA orders for building terraces, also can make fill-ins. See me and we'll work out your terrace problems. Weldon Gary, 5 mi. N. of Cottonwood. (4tp45)

FOR SALE: 3/4 box springs, 3/4 rollaway bed, full size walnut poster bed; roll top child's desk, a little dandy, and other good used furniture for your home. Purdy Furniture. (1tc)

FOR SALE: Poland China brood sow to bring pigs this month. See J. P. Parvis, Atwell. (2tp45)

FOR SALE: 200 bales bright peanut hay. Dale Gary. (2tp45)

FOR SALE: Four room house on 3.4 acres, garage, barn, chicken house, cellar, elstern and few fruit trees. Best buy in town. G. W. Thompson. (4tp44)

FOR SALE: 6-burner upright gas range, battery set table model radio, I-row John Deere Model L tractor and equipment, and many other things useful on the farm. W. W. Smith, corner Ave. C and E. 10th St. (2tp44)

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FOR SALE: One set of counter scales in good condition, either Simpson or Dayton. Piggy Wiggy. (1tc42)

WANT TO BUY: Junk iron, any and all kinds. Glenn Vaughn at Ice House. (1tc41)

FOR SALE: We are now booking pedigree Martin Milo Seed direct from W. P. Martin, originator of Martin Milo, also Arizona Hegari, Simpson Seed Co., Coleman. (1tc 33)

Economic Survey Of Cross Plains Area Being Made By T&P

Field work portions of the Texas and Pacific Railway Economics survey for Cross Plains and Callahan County will begin this week with the visit of H. G. Jordan, Research Assistant in charge of the survey conducted by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Mr. Jordan will work with Mr. F. V. Tunnell, vice-president of the Citizens State Bank of Cross Plains, in gathering material for the study. Local businessmen and government agencies will be contacted by Mr. Tunnell in collecting data on all factors affecting agriculture industry, and commerce.

Due to the fact that this analysis is the first of its type on Cross Plains and Callahan County, Mr. Jordan stressed the importance of cooperation on the part of businessmen and agencies in supplying information when contacted by Mr. Tunnell. According to Mr. Jordan, "Some of the material vitally needed to carry the study to completion can be obtained only directly from the people living in each locality covered by the survey."

The study is part of an economic survey program sponsored by the Texas and Pacific Railway. Covering 62 counties along the route of the Texas and Pacific, the study will afford a complete inventory of natural, human, and capital resources in each territory.

Data will be compiled over the pre-war years as well as the post war years in order to chart trends in economic activity of the city and county over a period of years. Designed to open up the potentialities and conditions which would be of interest to industries contemplating a location in this territory, the study is of primary concern to each locality.

Cotton Production Increased In 1947 In Nearby Counties

Cotton yields in Callahan and nearby counties made a big comeback in 1947, according to records of the Abilene district, which takes in 15 counties. More than twice as many bales were harvested in 1947 than 1946 with a total for the district of 334,230 bales ginned in 1947 as compared with 157,804 in 1946.

Reports by counties follow:

County	1946	1947
Callahan	465	647
Coleman	2730	3112
Dickens	7463	21184
Fisher	15283	23184
Haskell	21068	44729
Howard	10158	34530
Jones	15918	33180
Knox	15754	27829
Mitchell	13258	22525
Martin	9492	46266
Nolan	10168	11326
Runnels	12841	21401
Scurry	16596	31087
Stonewall	2005	3400
Taylor	4705	9088
Total	334230	157804

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Kelley Brothers To Take Grammar School Teams To Tourney

Coaches Hubert and Herrell Kelley are planning to take their Cross Plains grammar school basketball teams to Baird next week end to compete in a county-wide cage affair.

Grammar school girls coached by Hubert are: June Atwood, Doris Wood, Eddie Payne Rouse, Barbara Hutchins, Kathleen Harris, Nona Pillans, Jimmie Nell Lane, Mae Alexander, Glendora Raughton and Sheila Nichols.

The boys team coached by Herrell Kelley includes: James Barr, Bobby Lee Oliver, Bobby Dillard, Bobbie Lee Carley, Vernon Phillips, Audrey Purvis, Charles Barnard and Johnny Adair.

Pioneer-Gunn H. D. Club Meets Monday

The Pioneer-Gunn Home Demonstration Club met in the club room at the Pioneer school on Monday afternoon, February 9, at two-thirty. Mrs. Ethel Brown, vice-president of the organization, was in charge of proceedings. Mrs. John Fore, secretary, called the roll and read minutes reporting on business activities of the past year.

Mrs. Helen Marquardt, Eastland county H. D. agent, met with the group and gave an interesting talk on various subjects of interest to the club. She also demonstrated leather button making. Mrs. Velma Brown, council delegate, gave a report on the Council meeting at Eastland, which was attended from Pioneer-Gunn club by Mrs. Eula Fore, Mrs. Jess Flippen, Mrs. Ethel Brown, Mrs. Nell Fleming and Mrs. Emma Foster.

Plans were discussed of cleaning the Pioneer cemetery within the near future.

Members present were Misses Foster, Fore, Italy Gray, Brown, Gertrude Hester, Ethel Brown, Lola Pancake and Miss Grace Brown.

Cross Plains Girls Upset Eula Sextet

Cross Plains high school girls basketballers defeated their arch-rivals, Eula, Saturday night in a special exhibition game as a part of the district cage tournament for boys quintets at Rising Star.

Coach Hubert Kelley's lassies nosed out the seldom-beaten Eula sextet 26 to 25 in a game which held the large crowd on the edge of their seats until the final whistle.

3 Schools Planning Merger With Baird

Citizens of Belle Plain, Admiral and Jackson communities will go to the polls March sixth to vote on a proposed consolidation of schools with Baird. Simultaneously voting will take place on the proposal at Baird.

An election for this purpose was called by members of the county school board in called session last Thursday night.

MRS. JOHN MCGEE HAS MAJOR SURGERY SAT.

Mrs. John McGee, who underwent an appendectomy in the Baird hospital Saturday, is reported recovering normally and will be returned to her home, five miles West of Cross Plains Sunday. She was able to be up and walk about the hospital the third day after surgery.

WMU TO MEET IN ROYAL SERVICE

Members of the Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon at the church in a Royal Service program. The Lottie Moon Circle will have charge of the afternoon's work, and the Dorcas Circle will be guests.

Every member of both circles and any other interested person is cordially invited to attend the meeting, said Mrs. Joe Baum, reporter for the group.

HAROLD GARRETT MAKES JTAC HONOR LISTING

Harold Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Garrett, who is attending John Tarleton at Stephenville and majoring in educational agriculture, was placed on the honor list of the school for the first semester just ended.

After completion of courses at the Stephenville school this term, Harold plans to enter Texas A&M this fall.

NEW RESIDENTS TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop, who recently purchased and moved into the former T. S. Holden residence on North Avenue B, are holding open-house on Sunday, February 15, from two until five o'clock in the afternoon at their home in honor of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, and also the fifty

first anniversary of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop. Their many friends are cordially invited to call during the hours.

TURKEY CREEK QUILTERS MEET ALL DAY FEBRUARY 6

The Turkey Creek quilting club met February 6 at the home of Mrs. Richard Goble. Two quilts were completed during the day and a covered dish luncheon spread at

noontime. Among those attending were Sallie Webb, Mrs. Corrie Allie Burton, Nattie Norrington, Millard Huddleston, Mattie Mrs. Lee Graham and Dottie Key. Next meeting will be with A. A. Holley on February 20. Mrs. Omar Smith and Eddie, are on the sick list this week.

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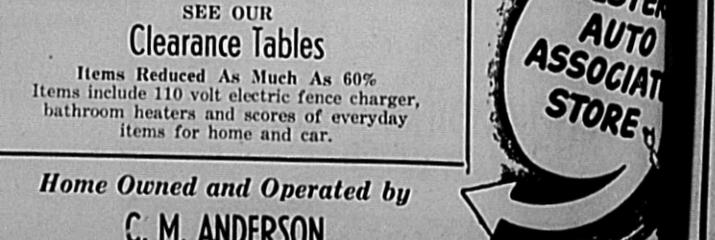
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Burkett News

By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

Due to the cold weather over Sunday there were only a few who attended Sunday School and church. Minister Dan Fogarty filled his appointment at the Church of Christ.

Rev. W. B. Morton of Coleman preached at the Methodist church. They spent the afternoon in the J. W. Tickner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beavers spent the week end at Waco visiting Mr. and Mrs. Al Sitzer and baby.

Granny Harris is on the sick list this week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Harris of Pyote are visiting relatives here. She is also on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson moved to their new home in Cross Plains Thursday of last week. Their many friends regret to see them leave Burkett, but wish them success in their business up there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones moved this week to the place formerly occupied by the W. R. Thompson's. He is operating the Cox Grocery with the assistance of Mrs. J. E. Burkett.

Mrs. Nettie Cross spent the week end here but returned to Fort Worth to continue her visit with her son.

The county basketball tournament will be held here at the gym, beginning Thursday night of this week.

Car License Sales Average 20 Daily

Averaging twenty car tag sales per day since February 1, Cook Insurance office reports approximately 180 passenger, commercial and farm 1948 license plates sold here to Wednesday night, with sales becoming increasingly stronger each day since Monday, when weather conditions improved sufficiently for people to get to town.

Tags may be placed on vehicles when purchased instead of the usual wait until March 1, however it is pointed out that owners must present certificates of title and 1947 license receipts upon request to buy, before new numbers can be issued.

Cook also reports that applications for renewal of operator's license in this area have been heavy since October of last year and that each week has been between fifty and seventy five renewal applications, indicating that drivers are becoming "license conscious" and also that expiration dates were about the same the country over. He said, however, that driver's applications for renewals had begun to slow down now and only a few more were expected during the coming two-year period, when renewing operator's licenses will start all over again.

LOCAL COLLEGE MAN HAS RECENT SURGERY

Dean Womack, student at Amarillo Junior College, is reported convalescing rapidly from a minor operation for removal of tonsils in an Amarillo hospital several days ago.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Womack of this city and a veteran of World War II.

Try Review Want Ads

ANOTHER PRODUCER IS FINISHED ON WALLACE LEASE WEST OF TOWN

A fifth producer for the new deep oil field five miles West of Cross Plains was completed this week and given official gauge by the Railroad commission Tuesday. The recent completion is the Fogelson & Angewright number four Hulda Wallace, an East offset to the G. H. Brodie producer on the Parks-Anderson heirs tract.

SIMS DRUG CELEBRATES 21st YEAR IN BUSINESS

This week Sims Drug Store, operated by Mr. and Mrs. Moulton Sims, is celebrating the anniversary of 21 years of business in the same building, on South Main Street here; opening on February 14, 1927 when both Clyde and Moulton Sims were interested in the project.

Several years later, Clyde, who recently disposed of Sims Grocery on North Main Street, sold his interest to Moulton, who has been sole owner since.

For the past five or six years the bus station has been located at the store. Both Mr. and Mrs. Sims express their appreciation of business relations with people of the Cross Plains trade territory in advertising appearing on another page of this issue.

Rowden News

By Patsy Crow

The Bayou school had the March of Dimes party Friday night. They played forty-two and then had a womanless style show. Everyone enjoyed it very much.

Katy Swafford and Joyce Johnson stayed all night with Mrs. Bill Bragg Thursday night.

Donald Stephens visited Chief Horner Friday evening.

Mrs. Lee Horner visited Mrs. Crow Monday evening.

Miss Purvis, who has been ill for two weeks, is back teaching again.

Sunday, February 15, is singing evening. The time is set for 2:30 at the Rowden Baptist church.

Sonny Bains was ill and absent from school Monday.

Wallace Horner was ill and absent from school Friday.

The Bayou basketball team will enter the Baird County tournament.

Katy Swafford went home with Johnson Monday evening.

Lorene Sargent went home with Joy Price Friday evening.

Horse Bains went back to college Friday evening.

Putnam News

Ode Johnson, of Seranton, was in Putnam Friday morning and reported everything in his community getting along splendidly.

Gus Black was in from Atwell Friday morning looking after some work he has going on here.

Walter Francisco was looking after business in Baird Friday morning and meeting old friends.

Kelley Damon returned to Lawn Friday where he is employed by the Santa Fe Railroad. He spent several days of his vacation here visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Damon.

C. H. Lovelady and Dwight Black were in Putnam Saturday afternoon.

A. W. Warren, prominent farmer and stockman of the Hart community, was in Putnam Saturday afternoon transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough of the Union community visited with friends here Saturday.

Slim Taylor was in from his farm in the Zion Hill community and from the way he talked he does not think much of the all-weather road from Putnam to his place.

Norman Lowry was home from College Station this week, where he is a student at Texas A&M.

John Cook and Mrs. John Kellner were in Cisco looking after business interests Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clark of Fort Worth were out over the week end visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Clark.

Henry Bailey of the Hart community was in Putnam Saturday.

Abilene Livestock Show Set For March 6 to 10 This Year

The Abilene Livestock Show has been set this year for five days in March, opening on Saturday the sixth and continuing through Wednesday the tenth.

To date, 128 entries have been made to the show, which is open to 4-H and FFA boys in 19 counties of the Abilene territory. The show is sponsored by an agricultural committee of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce, headed by John Womble.

Last year the show listed 417 entries and the manager expects twice that many in 1948. Entry blanks are available at county agent offices and from vocational agriculture teachers of the area, as well as the Abilene Chamber of Commerce. Deadline for entries is February 23.

The Belgians were first to use a tank ship, carrying oil from the United States to Europe in 1869.

The average cost of the U. S. weather service is about six cents per capita each year.

Personnel of the Navy's Air Service Training Unit at Lakehurst, N. J., conducted an aerial survey of week end traffic conditions on an arterial highway near the New York base for the State Highway Department.

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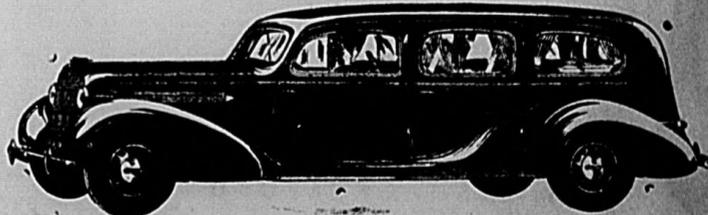
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There have been more than 25,000 tons of peanuts sold for the extraction of oil at prices from \$150.00 to \$180.00 per ton in the Southwest area this year. Why should the grower pay more for seed? Texas and Oklahoma seeders have been advised that they will be compelled to pay 100% parity for all peanuts purchased for seed. Parity today is \$250.00 per ton.

This is election year. Contact your Congressman and directors of your Growers Association NOW, demanding explanation why this price. Join us in our crusade for cheaper seed. There are today more than 12,000 tons being customed shelled in the Southwest area to be exported to Germany and occupied countries, perhaps as a gift. The price of shelled, treated seed is going to be contingent upon the price Commodity charges as for their holdings. Why should the grower pay inflationary and exorbitant prices for seed?

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NEAL DILLARD SUSTAINS PAINFUL HAND INJURIES

Neal Dillard was treated at a German hospital Friday for a hand injury, sustained while working on an oil well west of Cross Plains. A portion of his thumb was lost by the mishap.

Eve Montgomery was a business visitor in Brownwood Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses to us during our bereavement caused by the passing of our beloved mother. Your every act of neighborliness is appreciated for more than we can express.

The Copeland Family

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adair were returned to their home here Friday of last week from a Texas hospital where they have been patients for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farmer of Baird were visitors here Sunday.

Red Hickey was an Abilene doctor one day last week.

It is Parry was a business visitor in Abilene last week.

Mrs. J. M. Hamby is a patient in a Baird hospital for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Baum carried their baby to Baird last week for a medical observation.

Howard Cox was a business visitor in German one day last week.

I know that the Lord is always on the side of the right, but it is my constant anxiety and prayer that I and this nation should be on the Lord's side.—Abraham Lincoln.

Admiral Nimitz recently underwent a foot operation in the Naval Hospital in San Diego.

The surgery was performed to correct a foot deformity caused by a banister which forced the toes out of line.

After the operation the Admiral was said to be feeling well and the foot is in good condition.

H. D. Agent Column

Rye Makes Good Stock Feed

It has been brought to my attention that farmers have rye left over from last years vetch and rye crop. With this county going into the production of vetch seed, with rye as a by-product, something is going to have to be done with the rye to keep the farmer growing vetch, our most suited cover crop for the soil. So I recommend rye as a stock feed. It makes a good feed when fed correctly.

Considering only its chemical composition, we should expect rye to equal wheat in feeding value, for the composition of these grains is very similar. However rye is usually less palatable to stock than the other grains and when fed as the only concentrate or in too large amounts, it is more apt to cause digestive disturbances.

Therefore, rye should be fed with due care and such type of stock is discussed herein. For dairy cows the rye should be ground or crushed and had best not form more than 40 to 45 percent of the concentrate. Fed as part of a suitable concentrate mixture, ground rye has been equal or nearly equal to ground barley or corn for dairy cows. For best cattle rye should be ground coarsely, cracked or rolled. It is best to mix it with corn, oats, sorghum or barley. Steers fed only ground rye and alfalfa hay in 4 experiments gained 231 pounds per head daily on the average and required 451 pounds rye and 334 pounds hay per 569 pounds gain. Others fed shelled corn and alfalfa hay gained 244 pounds a day and required 529 pounds corn and 241 pounds hay per 100 pounds gain. On the basis of the amount of feed for 100 pounds gain, ground rye was fully equal to corn in these trials.

Rye is apparently liked better by sheep than by most other stock. When fed as the only grain to fattening lambs it was fully equal to barley or wheat in a Minnesota trial and to wheat in Nebraska experiments. In these trials rye, fed as the only grain, produced about as good results as a mixture of half rye and half barley, corn or oats. There is no advantage in grinding rye for sheep.

For hogs, rye feeding experiments have varied and poor results were obtained when rye was fed as the only grain and for best results it should be mixed with at least an equal amount of other grains, such as corn, sorghum, barley, oats, or wheat. Best to feed ground.

Rye is not palatable to horses. Rye is less palatable than other grain and therefore should be fed with due care and preferably as only part of the concentrates; so if you have rye on your hands, let us use it to our advantage and feed it in a balanced ration.

Summer Prolific - A New Tomato Variety

(1936 Progress Report)

The season for home-grown tomatoes in the Stephenville area ordinarily extends from late June until August 15. Then hot weather hails production of the better varieties. By planting varieties such as Porter, tomatoes may be had from the garden the remainder of the summer and fall. These varieties are fruitful during hot, dry weather, but the fruits are small and, therefore, of limited value.

In attempting to develop a tomato of acceptable size that would produce after mid-summer, Porter's Scarlet Globe is very productive during hot weather but the fruit is small. Stake-Seed is one of the best of the large fruit tomatoes adapted to the Stephenville area, but it will not set fruit normally during the hot weather of late summer. Several promising selections were made from this cross.

Two co-operators in Erath and Comanche counties reported outstanding success with small commercial plantings. Each sold more than \$500 worth of fruit from less than 1/2 acre. The tomatoes were easy to market throughout the late summer and fall when no other tomatoes were produced in the area.

The smooth globe-shaped fruits of Summer Prolific are deep pink over the entire surface area. They average 4 or 5 fruits per pound in late summer, and 4 to 5 per pound in the fall. The exceptional firm fruits are well attached to thick stems. After ripening, they will remain on the vine in good condition for several days.

Summer Prolific makes vigorous vine growth with ample foliage to protect the fruits from sun-scald. The small flowers have heavy pedicels which may provide some protection to the tender flowering part during hot, dry weather.

It was found at Stephenville that seed should be planted in the latter part of April. The plants will be of sufficient size to transplant in the field the latter part of May.

Moulton Sims was a visitor at the Stock Show in Fort Worth on Friday of last week.

Clyde Sims, who is a patient in Veterans hospital at Dallas, was able to spend the week and here with his wife and relatives. He returned to Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wyatt and family visited their daughter and new grandson in Brownwood last Saturday.

Clete Callaway, of Comanche, was a visitor in Cross Plains Monday morning. Mr. Callaway, who formerly lived here, is now in the tin business at Comanche.

OFFHAND OBSERVATIONS

The franc is the most widely circulating coin in Europe, being used by about 145,000,000 people. In Italy the franc is known as the lira; in Serbia, the dinar; in Spain, the peseta; but the value is the same. The system of coinage is known as the Latin Union.

Automobile owner, after the smash.—"Well, all I can say is I am sorry."

Truck driver.—"Oh, is that all you can say?"
"Why, yes."
"Well, then you just listen to me."

It is said tomatoes, carrots and beets were severely damaged by the recent cold weather in the Rio

Grande Valley, but citrus fruits and cabbage were not injured. A thorough survey of the young vegetable crops indicated the tomato crop suffered the worst.

According to a report twenty-four Estonians, including nine women and a small boy, have arrived in this country after crossing the Atlantic Ocean in a 43-foot sail boat.

The group sailed from Stockholm last summer and finally landed at Savannah, Ga. From there they were sent to Ellis Island, New York. They were refused admission to the United States because the Estonian quota had been filled.

Later the Canadian Government gave them permission to enter Canada, where the group after many trials and disappointments, expect to make their home.

Read The Classified Ads

FIVE AREA STUDENTS ATTEND ABILENE

Five students from the vicinity enrolled February 10 for the Spring semester at Christian College, Abilene. From here are Julia Ann, Ruth Plummer and Ann A. of Pioneer, and Aaron P. Cottonwood.

1505 students from 27 nations making the largest number in a Spring semester in the history of the college.

Orville Wright, co-discoverer of the airplane, died January 7, 1910, at age 35.

He had been suffering from hardening of the arteries and collapsed in his lab, nephew and niece, Mr. & Mrs. Horace A. Wright, were bed side when he passed, was 76 years of age and for.

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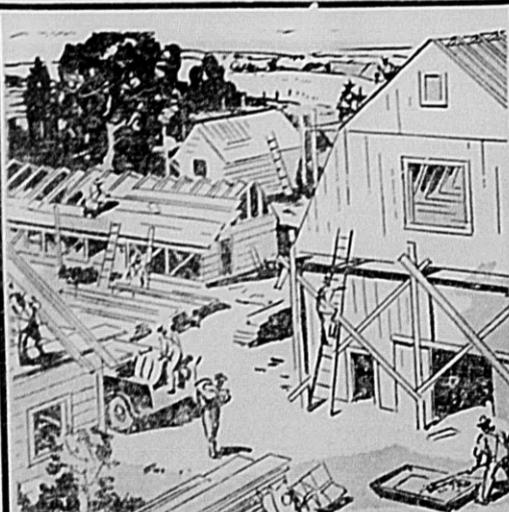
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While driving out through the Fort Stockton country, I got drowsy. I had been counting the sheep.

A spring at Fort Stockton, known as the Comanche Chief, pours out 35,000,000 gallons a day. Clyde Smith, insurance man, said. A smaller spring was the water supply of the old fort. The one-time ammunition building still stands; in fact, it is in use by the Boy Scouts. It is a rock structure. A building which was used as quarters by the officers is now a residence and I was told that the interior had been modernized until it is the most beautiful of any home in the city.

Another very attractive home was built from rocks that were gathered from the grounds of the abandoned fort.

It's time that some fairness was introduced into Congressional hearings.

This business of browbeating sovereign American citizens by some man who is a member of Congress and therefore is supposed to be our servant ought to be changed at least to the extent that the citizen shall have the right to hit back.

A Congressman can bulldoze a business man, for example, and then refuse him the right to introduce witnesses to support his position and to uphold his good name. He isn't even allowed to cross-examine some irresponsible individual who may have it in for him and gets before the committee and makes untrue, unsupported accusations.

The idea that Howard Hughes had to write out the questions he wanted to ask and submit those questions to the committee chairman for his approval or rejection is repugnant to the American spirit of fair play.

That's one reason why this country rocked with applause for the tall Texan who refused to be browbeaten but stood his ground and slugged in true Texan style until that durnyankee Senator tucked his tail and ran.

Typewriter Ribbons at 'the Review

March Of Dimes Now Nearing Local Quota

Cross Plains contributions to the current "March of Dimes" mounted to \$229.96 this week as receptacles placed in business houses were "robbed" and their contents added to funds previously acknowledged, announces G. T. Owen, chairman of the campaign in Cross Plains. Cross Plains quota in the 1948 "March of Dimes" is \$250, and Owen said that he believed the total would be reached when the boxes were robbed the final time two weeks hence.

LOCAL TEACHERS TAKE ADVANCED EDUCATION COURSES THROUGH HSU

Six Cross Plains school teachers began a course in advanced education the past week through Hardin-Simmons University, at Abilene. The Cross Plains group is attending classes one night each week. The classes are being held at Brownwood, as a convenience to teachers from some 12 nearby cities, who are enrolled in the program.

The Cross Plains faculty members taking this instruction include: Hubert Kelley, Mrs. Cecil Smith, Mrs. Ruby Nichols, Herrell Kelley, Mrs. Clyde Bunnell and Superintendent A. J. McCuin.

JAMES CAMPBELLS TAKE LLOYD RICH DWELLING

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Campbell and children have moved into the Lloyd Rich dwelling on North Avenue D. They formerly lived in the H. R. Itch place in the West part of town on highway 33. Mr. Campbell is superintending drilling operations for E. J. Ruwaldt, Al P. Groehl and the Carter Drilling Company in the Cross Plains vicinity.

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tion. This should be in the form of an adequate statement from a private physician showing the veteran's present physical condition. All expenses incurred in securing such statements must be borne by the veteran.

Q.—Must a veteran have 10 percent or more service-connected disability to be eligible for outpatient treatment?

A.—Any veteran with an established service-connected disability is entitled to outpatient treat-

ment for the service-connected disability regardless of the degree of disability.

Brevity is the best recommendation of speech, whether in a senator or an orator. — Cicero

The Belgians were first to use a tank ship, carrying oil from the United States to Europe in 1869.

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Of Year For Senza; Keep In Good Physical Condition

The season of the year senza or "flu" is more according to Dr. Geo. State Health Officer, pneumonia, influenza, or what may call them, are being spread from person through discharges from nose and throat. To protect and others from such there are some of the remember:

Senza is highly infectious, everybody is susceptible. No matter how many have had the disease contract it again. Thereaway from people who are sneezing, or who are coughing with colds, influenza, pneumonia. Keep away from public places. Have your own hands washed with soap and water. Sneeze or cough into a handkerchief.

By drinking plenty of fluid simple nourishing food, taking some exercise, opening doors, dress according to the weather, get plenty of fresh air in a well-ventilated room; the bowels regulated. These results may ensure a quick recovery if influenza allowed to get about too long. Persons convalescing from senza are particularly susceptible to other infections; so, if you are getting over some illness, get your normal routine gradually.

Senza may develop arthritis in families. Our nation does not seem to be built onto our own. In our Capitol city, President Truman has announced that we have one built anyway—whether we want it or not. The people who do not seem to be coming right in the question, "Who does the house belong to any-

41 BURKETT STUDENTS MAKE HONOR ROLL FOR THIRD 6-WEEK PERIOD

Forty one students throughout the Burkett school system attained honor grades for the third six-week period of the current term, announces the superintendent, W. R. Chambers.

Those whose names appear as honor pupils are: First grade: Joe Everett Burkett, Tony Burns, Lafonda Edmondson and Arlon Jones.

Second grade: Kenneth Cross, Tommy Porter, and Bonita Strickland.

Third grade: Lanette Burns, Scotty Edgington and Jeannie Evans.

Fourth grade: Sonja Evans, Yvonne Morgan, Anita Strickland and Max Watson.

Fifth grade: Phillip Burkett, Jimmy Hall, Jane Godwin, Linda Kelly, Lovera Mountain and Norene Strickland.

Sixth grade: Robert Dixon Koenig, Lafaye Burns, Edna Crocker and Zelma Strickland.

Seventh grade: Cecil Jennings, Bonnie Boyce, Barbara Golson and Petra Martinez.

Freshmen: James Austin Keefe, Sophomore: Wadde Burroughs and B. B. Young.

Juniors: Billie Faye McKinney, Arold Burton and Vonda Jennings.

Seniors: Gordon Chambers, Lavada Edgington, Joyce Helms, Correne Hoover, Donald Newton, Patsy Watson and Tommy Ray Webb.

STUDENTS AT LOCAL SCHOOL INVITED TO ABILENE FEBRUARY 11

Cross Plains high school has been invited to send representatives to visit the Hardin-Simmons campus in Abilene on February 11 for the annual Texas Interscholastic League Speech conference. Invitations have gone forward to 200 other West Texas schools also. Conferences will be held on debate, declamation, forensics and dramatics.

Speech students and faculty members of Hardin-Simmons university will assist Dr. Katharine Boyd, head of the college Speech Department and conference director, in presenting the day's program. Registration of guests will begin at nine a.m. in Behrens Auditorium and President Rupert N. Richardson will welcome guests and introduce speakers.

At two fifteen in the afternoon a murder scene from Macbeth by Shakespeare will be presented by Abilene high school students.

The average cost of the U. S. weather service is about six cents per capita each year.

Our Master taught his disciples one brief prayer, which we recite after him the Lord's Prayer. — Mary Baker Eddy

Personnel of the Navy's Air Reserve Training Unit at Lakehurst, N. J., conducted an aerial survey of week end traffic conditions on an arterial highway near the Navy base for the State Highway Department.

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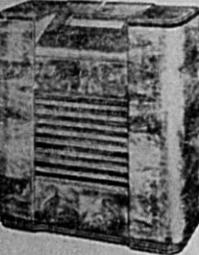


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MISS JOAN HALL ENTERTAINS WITH A VALENTINE PARTY

Miss Joan Hall entertained a number of friends in her home Monday evening, February 9, with a leap-year valentine party. The living room was gaily decorated with red hearts and movie stars as pin-up boys. Engagements to attend were made with boys by the girls. Each boy was presented a corsage of vegetables by the girls.

After numerous games and contests during the evening, refreshments were served to Lela Hill and Raymond Silgar, Doris Price and Buck Gibson, Barbara Sue Garrett and J. C. Anderson, Barbara Jean Ramsay and Jimmy Coffey, Mary Beth Tunnell and Harold Strahan, Billie Joyce Atwood and Alvin Brashear, Dena Lou Cox and Merlin Hutchins, Emma Dee Worthy and Merl Don Mitchell, Anna Bann and Billy Foster, Marie Smith and Bobby Lane, the hostess and Alvin McCowan.

MRS. ROY ARROWOOD IS COMING HOME THIS WEEK

Mrs. Roy Arrowood, who recently underwent major surgery in the Harris Methodist Memorial Hospital at Fort Worth, is reported recovering nicely and will be returned to her home here the latter part of this week.

250 VET EMPLOYEES NEEDED AT BERGSTROM

Bergstrom Field, near Austin, has been recently opened to veterans who possess specialties usable in the Air Force and who can meet the requirements for duty at that field.

Bergstrom Field was a war-time base for training flight personnel and now is used principally as a base for the Air Transport Command.

At present there are vacancies for about 250 men in 70 specialties ranging from clerks to Aircraft flight engineers. It is anticipated that these vacancies will be filled rapidly, so anyone interested should apply at once.

Vows On Saturday Unite Miss McNeel And Denver Groom

Miss Patricia Ann McNeel became the bride of Mr. George E. Friend of Denver, Colorado on Saturday evening, February 7, in a candlelight ceremony at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Craig McNeel of this city.

Vows were exchanged before an improvised altar accented by baskets of white stock and blue iris, with cathedral tapers burning at each side. Reverend Stephen C. Jacklin of Abilene read the double ring rites.

The bride chose a powder blue suit for her wedding ensemble and a single orchid was her corsage. For "something old," she wore a coin in her shoe which had been worn by her mother at her own wedding. For "something new," she carried a handkerchief given her by her grandmother; and for "something borrowed and something blue," she wore a blue satin garter belonging to Miss Billie Ruth Lovin. The bride's only attendant was Miss Lovin who wore a navy faille frock and gardenia corsage. Mr. Ralph Friend, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was hosted by the bride's parents. The table was laid with white lace over blue, colors of the bride, and the buffet was centered with an arrangement of white stock and blue iris rising from a crystal bowl, with lighted hurricane lamps at each end. Mrs. Fred J. Tunnell, of Lubbock served the three-tier cake and Mrs. G. C. Evers presided at the silver coffee service. Favots were tiny ballerina slippers trimmed with blue.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Weller, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Evers, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McNeel, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McNeel, Pat McNeel, Jr., and Miss Margaret Ann Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bouse of Rising Star, Mrs. Ella Crabb of San Angelo, Mrs. Arnold Painter of Charleston, Illinois and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campbell of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnell Lutgens of Llano, Mrs. Fred J. Tunnell of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jaekel of Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Friend left shortly after the reception to spend a honeymoon in New Orleans where they will attend the Mardi Gras and afterward go to Aurora, Colorado where they will be at home at 1509 Clinton Street. The bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs. G. C. Friend of Denver.

SON BORN TUESDAY TO FORMER LOCAL COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. William Gibson, of San Antonio, are parents of a seven and one half pound baby boy, born Tuesday night shortly after eight o'clock. Mother and child, which has been named William Allen, are reported doing nicely in a San Antonio hospital.

The father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson, of Pioneer, and the mother is the former Norma Frances King, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King of this city.

THANKS, FRIENDS

I wish to thank all my friends who were so nice to me during my recent illness. The lovely flowers, cards, telegrams, letters and gifts were greatly appreciated.

Thanks, again,
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Cross Plains Girls Won 22 Of Last 26 Basketball Games

Cross Plains high school girls defeated Rising Star 19 to eight in an exhibition game Friday night of last week in the Rising Star gymnasium.

The meeting was the second of the current season for the two teams with Cross Plains having emerged victorious on both occasions.

The local team coached by Hubert Kelley has played 23 games, winning 22. Of the four defeats the local sextet suffered one each to Crews, Eula, Desdemonia and Novice. Both Novice and Eula have since been defeated by the local girls.

Members of the squad are: Juanita Sheppard, Johnnie Mae Meador, Ladelle Smedley, Patti Sue Huntington, Nelda Purvis, Roxie Pillans, Alona Huntington, Doris McClain, Marie Havens, Billie Joyce Atwood, and Marie Smith.



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