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# The Cross Plains Review

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

"When The One Great Scorer Comes To Write Against Your Name He Writes Not If You Won Or Lost But How You Played The Game"

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28, 1936

NO. 20

## "CITY DADS" DISAPPROVE CANNERY

### BELIEVE PROJECT COSTS MORE THAN BENEFITS JUSTIFY

Members of the city council in special session Tuesday night turned "thumbs down" on the local W.P.A. sewing room and cannery, federal government project. The "city fathers" explained that the reason for their action was that they felt the municipality is financially unable to render such assistance as is demanded by the government.

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Thirty-Eight local business men met in the Polisk building on Main Street Thursday morning and voted unanimously to underwrite expense of maintaining the local W.P.A. project—cannery and sewing room. The body went on record, however, to ask the city to pay the necessary \$10 or \$12 per month.  
Jesse McAdams, F. R. Anderson, E. A. Calhoun, C. C. Neeb, and Chas. F. Hemphill were named on a committee to confer with members of the city council at an early date and again request a reconsideration.  
Mayor S. P. Collins attended the meeting Thursday and presented the council's reasons for deciding to discontinue sponsorship of the project.

The meeting had been called by Mayor S. P. Collins, to hear a verbal petition from a committee representing local business men, asking that the city continue to give the project such aid as is necessary for its continuance.

Members of the council last week served notice to W.P.A. officials that they were relinquishing any further responsibility in connection with the project, explaining the financial burden carried by the city was not justified in benefits received.

Local business men, apparently differing with the council as to the benefits of the project, met Monday afternoon and discussed the situation. A committee, composed of J. G. Perry, Martin Neeb, Chas. F. Hemphill, C. W. Barr and Jesse McAdams, was appointed to confer with the council and ask a reconsideration.

At the special meeting Tuesday night, Hemphill, Perry and Neeb were present and submitted the viewpoint business men assumed. Their contention was that the W. P. A. project furnishes employment to a number of "breadwinners" who might otherwise be placed in destitute circumstances; and that the payroll of approximately \$425 per month is a direct benefit to the city as a whole.  
Councilmen retaliated with the explanation that within the past few years the city had spent in the neighborhood of \$1,700,000 to aid in government projects and that pressing obligations prevented further financial co-operation.

### BROWN COUNTY WILL VOTE ON BEER 12TH

Brown county voters will cast their ballots in a special election September 12, on the question of legalizing sale of beer.

Brown county has voted twice before on the beer sale question since beer was legalized in the state and a dry majority has been polled both times.

The commissioners court called the election after receiving a petition requesting the vote, signed by 490 voters.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Davis and family attended a hatchery convention in Waco Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Neeb have as their guest their daughter, Patsy, who has been attending C.I.A. in Denton.

Misses Gaitha Lee Brady and Elizabeth Stone of Brownwood were week-end visitors here.

## Clyde L. Garrett, Rural County Judge, Upsets Veteran Tom Blanton In Saturday's Balloting

### "TIP" ROSS BEATS CECIL LOTIEF FOR LEGISLATIVE SEAT

Clyde L. Garrett, a rural county judge, was elevated to Congress by voters of the 17th District in the Democratic run-off primary Saturday. He defeated Thomas L. Blanton, fiery veteran of 20 years in the House, by nearly 15,000 votes.

Cecil A. Lotief, representative from the 107th electoral district, which is composed of Eastland and Callahan counties, lost his seat in the state legislature to T. S. (Tip) Ross, of Gorman. The Lotief-Ross vote by counties was:

Callahan Eastland  
Lotief 800 3632  
Ross 1527 3369

The Eastland county vote was not complete. Dotham and Tudor, two small boxes, having failed to report. The boxes did not represent enough votes, however, to change the situation.

Garrett carried all but two counties in the Congressional race. Blanton's only majorities were attained in Shackelford and Hamilton counties. Probably as great a surprise as was the margin of his victory, was the fact that the Eastland candidate carried Blanton's home county—Taylor—by nearly 500 votes.

#### Blanton Will Move

As soon as returns were tabulated, Blanton issued a statement from his office in Abilene, saying: "I will take my defeat on the chin."

Almost simultaneously came his announcement that he would move to Washington, D. C. and open a law office. The statement follows:

"While I dislike leaving Texas, I must retrench my depleted finances and I feel that due to my intimate knowledge of the business of all government bureaus, opportunities in Washington, D. C., present a wider field and offer greater chances for immediate success," Rep. Blanton said. He will take a vacation before going to the capital.

#### Garrett Is Busy

Judge Garrett, in Eastland, took his victory as a matter of course and announced that he had made no plans and that his work of presiding over the Eastland county court and commissioners court would keep him busy until the first of the year.

Despite the fact that the ticket was unusually short the balloting brought out a far heavier vote than had been anticipated with more than 2,900 citizens visiting the polls in Callahan county.

### FORMER LOCAL STAR GOES PROFESSIONAL

Rex Clark, speedy Texas Christian University halfback, who got his first taste of football at Cross Plains high school, was selected last week to play in the Centennial All-Star game in Dallas, the night of September 7.

Rex, who was a backfield sensation even when playing for Cross Plains in 1928, will be a member of the Chicago Bears' professional eleven. He will divide backfield duty with Bobby Wilson, S.M.U. all-American.

### PORTER J. DAVISES ARE BACK FROM CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Porter J. Davis and children, Kent and Delia, returned home Tuesday night from a trip to Waco and Fort Worth. In Waco Mr. and Mrs. Davis attended a state convention of hatchery proprietors, where new trends in the business were discussed.

Enroute home, they stopped in Fort Worth and visited the Frontier Centennial.

Mr. and Mrs. Murman McGowen and family have returned to their home in Pampa, after a few days visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Underwood and son, Billie, attended the Frontier celebration in Fort Worth the past week.

### Results Of 2nd Democratic Primary

	For Congress		Agricultural Commissioner		Rail Road Commission	State Representative		
	Blanton	Garrett	McDonald	Terrell	Thompson	Morris	Lotief	Ross
Cross Plains	79	207	198	78	121	158	41	244
Baird	191	385	343	205	422	137	174	394
Belle Plains	39	15	34	17	51	3	45	10
Cottonwood	56	70	50	35	49	53	27	98
Tecumseh	7	4	8	1	10	0	3	8
Clyde	161	182	175	146	180	143	176	160
Admiral	23	27	28	16	33	14	25	23
Putnam	91	200	177	101	136	152	76	215
Erath	5	27	25	7	10	21	11	21
Eula	42	50	50	38	52	33	42	44
Caddo Peak	8	6	7	4	5	8	9	6
Dudley	12	37	30	13	24	19	38	11
Atwell	33	19	27	18	12	38	20	30
Lanham	10	19	17	10	10	19	9	15
Dressy	29	42	50	21	32	33	11	60
Oplin	82	60	100	32	78	60	38	103
Rowden	21	14	21	11	20	12	12	23
Denton	15	66	47	23	28	43	35	44
Hart	10	16	16	9	16	9	8	18
Totals	914	1446	1412	785	1298	955	800	1527

### BROTHER OF TOM BRYANT EXPIRES AT HOME IN KRUM

Friends of Tom Bryant were grieved this week to learn of the death of his brother, R. E. Bryant, 70, at Krum, Monday. He succumbed very suddenly of heart disease, reported attending physicians.

A funeral service was held at Denton Tuesday afternoon, before the body was taken to Moody for interment in the family plot of the cemetery there. Interment services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Th deceased had been in declining health for the past year, however, his condition was not considered critical and news of his sudden passing came as a deep shock.

Surviving are: the widow, and eight children; Mrs. Houston, of San Antonio; Mrs. Charles S. Rowe, of Washington, D. C.; John Baker Bryant, of Krum; William B. Bryant; Louise Bryant, Edna; Clarence Bryant, Washburn; Oscar Lee Bryant, South Texas; McCurdy Bryant, Lockney; also four brothers and one sister: Mrs. H. H. McCurdy, Moody; Tom Bryant, Cross Plains; Charlie Bryant, Fort Worth; Cullen Bryant, Georgia; and Gerald Bryant, Krum.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant left Cross Plains soon after receipt of the news for Moody, where he made arrangements for the interment services Wednesday afternoon.

### BLAZE DESTROYS TWO OUT-BUILDINGS HERE

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed two out-buildings at the Ira Upton place, in the Northwest part of town early Saturday morning. The blaze was detected shortly after midnight and firemen summoned.

There being no water-plug nearby, firemen were forced to fight the blaze with only chemical equipment, yet they were able to save the house, which was seriously threatened.

### FIFTH SUNDAY RALLY AT VICTORIA CHURCH

A regular fifth Sunday rally will be held at the Victoria Methodist Church Sunday. Dinner will be served on the ground at noon. An interesting program has also been arranged. The Review was told by Rev. B. L. McCord, pastor. "We extend a cordial invitation to the entire public to come and bring a well filled basket, the Rev. Mr. McCord stated.

### SON BORN TO COUPLE HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Champion, who live just North of town, are parents of a seven-pound baby boy born Thursday night, August 20. The child has been named Carl Edward.

### RECEIVES PROMOTION



Clyde L. Garrett, from county judge of Eastland county to Congress of the United States, was the promotion given Clyde L. Garrett by voters of the 17th Congressional District. He carried 10 to the 12 counties, leading by 14,965 votes.

### GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT TO BE HUGE

Texans may face a ballot larger than the average newspaper page in the November general election, Marlin E. Sandlin, assistant Secretary of State, has reported.

In counties in which independent candidates have filed the ballot will be eight columns wide with columns 20 per cent wider than those of regular newspaper width.

Six columns will carry the names of the six parties' candidates and one column will be left blank for "write-ins."

The first column will carry the Democratic party's nominees because that party polled the largest number of votes in the last general election. Other parties which have filed or have announced intention of filing are the Republican, Union, Prohibition, Socialist, and Communist.

### WHALE OF A STORY: COUPLE TAKE VOWS KNEELING IN FISH

Kneeling in the mouth of a stuffed whale, Betty Gentry, 31, formerly of Baird, and J. Rob Henderson, oil driller of Olney, were married in Long Beach, California, Tuesday night.

Rev. Isaac McRae performed the ceremony while a string trio played the wedding march. The bride wore a gown of white satin with bridal veil.

The whale is on exhibit at the fishing dock in Long Beach. Betty Gentry formerly lived in Baird. She left there about 18 months ago, and was recently divorced from her first husband.

### LOCAL MAN WEDS POPULAR BURKETT GIRL WEDNESDAY

Miss Sarah Mae Hounshell, of Burkett, and Buri McCowen, of Cross Plains, were united in marriage at the Burkett parsonage Wednesday evening, August 26, at 6:30, with Rev. W. S. Fisher solemnizing the rites.

A single ring ceremony was read in the presence of only three witnesses: Mrs. T. A. Burns, with whom the bride had resided the past two years, Miss Exie Burchfield and Mrs. W. S. Fisher.

The couple left shortly after the ceremony for a bridal tour through Louisiana. Upon their return they will make their home in Cross Plains, where the groom is employed.

Mrs. McCowen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hounshell, who reside in the Cross Cut vicinity. She is a graduate of Burkett high school. For the past two years she has served as assistant postmistress at Burkett.

The groom is well known in Cross Plains, where he is connected with an automotive concern.

The marriage Wednesday evening was the culmination of an extended romance.

### COTTONWOOD H. D. TO MEET THIS AFTERNOON

The Cottonwood home demonstration club will meet in the home of Miss Eunice Hembree Friday afternoon at two o'clock, the Review was told Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Vida Moore, county home demonstration agent, will be in attendance and demonstrate the making of frozen dessert.

All members of the Cottonwood home demonstration club were urged to be present and visitors are extended a hearty welcome.

### KANSAS PASTOR WILL FILL PIONEER PULPIT

Rev. R. B. Twitty, Presbyterian pastor from Kansas, will fill the pulpit at the Pioneer Methodist Church Sunday night, the Review was told Wednesday afternoon by Rev. B. L. McCord, pastor, who urged that a large representation of the membership be present.

The Rev. Mr. Twitty is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McAdams in Cross Plains.

### CHARLIE BAIRD BETTER; IS RECOVERING NORMALLY

C. D. Baird, prominent Dressy ginner, was reported yesterday "recovering normally" from serious injuries sustained two weeks ago in a fall from the top of his gin.

X-ray pictures revealed no fractures.

### PIONEER SCHOOLS MAY BEGIN TERM MONDAY MORNING

Pioneer schools have been docketed to begin the Fall term Monday morning at 9 o'clock, however, the opening date will be postponed if a new school bus fails to arrive in time to transport pupils the first morning.

In an interview with L. C. Cash, superintendent, Wednesday night, the Review was told that the bus was promised for delivery Saturday of this week, however, trustees have been notified that it may be delayed several days.

The bus was purchased early in the Summer. It is a 65-passenger conveyance and will operate on the Cook-Curtis route.

The 11 members of the Pioneer faculty for the ensuing year are: L. C. Cash, superintendent and instructor of history; W. Williams, principal, athletic director and instructor of math and science; Miss Doris Jo Pyle, English; J. F. Hassel, vocational agriculture; Miss Mary B. Oxford, home economics; Mrs. Hallie Williams, public school music; Charles Rutherford, and Caroline Gray, intermediate grades; Lillian Battle, third grade; Mrs. Charles Ballew, second grade; Mrs. Ada Alexander, first grade and grammar school principal.

Miss Oxford, a C.I.A. graduate, is the only new comer to this year's faculty.

### GOVERNMENT SETS 30 DAY HUNTING SEASON ON DUCKS

Thirty-day hunting season for the more than a million Americans who go gannig for ducks was announced recently by the Biological Survey, a division of the Department of Agriculture.

Officials said that stringent restrictions imposed last year on the hunting of waterfowl were, in the main, being continued.

Imposed under the 1918 Migratory Bird Treaty Act between this country and Canada, the rules were approved by Secretary Wallace and President Roosevelt.

Chief changes in them this season are division of the country into three, instead of two, hunting zones; addition of redhead and canvasback ducks and Atlantic Brant to the protected list on which all shootin is banned; and permission for open water shooting under certain restrictions.

Chief limitations retained:

1. Use of live decoys, baiting by spreading corn, or shooting from sink boxes or batteries are prohibited.

2. Hunting shall be only from 7 a. m. to 4 p. m., standard time.

3. Repeating shotguns shall not be loaded with more than three shells and guns larger than 10-gauge are prohibited.

4. The daily bag limit and total possession limit shall be 10 ducks and four geese and brant.

The three zones this season with their hunting dates: Northern, shooting opens Oct. 10 and closes Nov. 8; Intermediate, Nov. 1 to 30; and Southern, Nov. 26 to Dec. 15.

The 30-day season applies to ducks, geese, Wilson's snipe or jacksnipe, and coot or mudhens. The prohibited list includes swan, Ross' geese, wood ducks, ruddy ducks and bluehead, in addition to the three species added this season.

Daily bag limits and possession limits this season include rails and gallinules (except sora and coot); 15; sora, 25; coot, 1; snipe, 15; woodchuck, 4; doves, 20; and band-tailed pigeons, 10.

States in the Southern zone are Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, New Jersey, North Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Armstrong, of Arp, are visiting here at present.

Cecil A. Lotief of Eastland was a business visitor in Cross Plains Thursday afternoon.

Dove season opens Tuesday. The birds are reported especially plentiful this year.

Buster Atwood, of Kermit, visited his mother, Mrs. C. E. Atwood, here this week.

Miss Elizabeth Morris of Santa visited Bobbie Lee Westerman here the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Baum and daughter, of Lamesa, were weekend visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ressie Browning and daughter of Brownwood were visitors here Sunday.

COTTONWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. John Treager and family, of Porterville, Calif., have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson, and other relatives.

Junior Highth, of Santa Anna, is visiting his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Buatt of Cross Plains, visited Mrs. Missouri Ramsey last week-end.

Mrs. Pearl Rylee and daughters, Dolores and Mrs. Ella Tyson of Baird, and Mrs. Steakley and husband of Oplin, visited in the home of W. R. Thompson Sunday.

The announcement party and shower given for Mr. Loyd Bryan, of Cross Plains, and Miss Mozelle McElroy, at the home of Mrs. Missouri Ramsey Friday night, was well attended. They received a number of useful gifts. Cake and punch were served to 75 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Worthy visited Mr. and Mrs. Riley Worthy and baby of Breckenridge Friday.

Mrs. Victoria Arvin is visiting her son, Clarence Odell, and family in California.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Strahan and boys visited in Big Springs last week.

Mrs. Walter Bailey and children of McLean, visited her brother, V. L. Fulton, and wife, last week-end.

Mrs. M. E. Respass and daughters, Misses Benlah and Hazel, visited in Abilene Sunday. Dixie Ann returned with them for a visit.

The Baptist meeting began Sunday with Rev. Whatley, of Snyder, doing the preaching and Luther Forbes has charge of the song service.

BURKETT

Sarah Mae Homshell, Mrs. Aubrey Brown and daughter, Barbara Ann, of Mankin, arrived Friday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Bowden, of Fort Worth, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. James Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bell left Tuesday for a few days fishing trip to the Llano river.

Mrs. J. G. Saunders, of Cross Plains, was a Burkett visitor Sunday.

James Elder, of Midland, visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Carlos McDermott here this week.

Miss Madge Renfro, of Midland, visited in the home of her sister here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jackson and family attended the Centennial in Dallas and Fort Worth over the week-end.

CROSS CUT NEWS

The Methodist revival closed Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Hix, of Comanche are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Teague this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom and son, Billie Paul, visited in Brownwood Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Gaines, of Temple, visited relatives here a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Melton and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Melton visited in Temple Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Gaines and family, of Brownwood, visited Mr. and Mrs. Major Gaines Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom, Marie, Billie Paul, and Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Newton, Chloe, Charlie Mae, and Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd, Oneta and two babies left Tuesday for the Frontier and Texas Centennial at Fort Worth and Dallas, where they will spend a few days.

Mrs. Alton Clark, of Pampa, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luke Clark here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell, of Burkett, visited in Cross Cut Sunday.

Grace Tension and Lillie Gain-esare have returned from a visit of more than three weeks with Lillie's sister, Mrs. W. J. Pickrell, at Markley, Texas.

Mrs. O. H. Cannon of Cisco was a visitor here Friday and Saturday. Miss Frances Penn, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. A. McGowan, for the past week, returned to her home in Dallas Saturday.

Miss Madge Renfro of Midland visited friends and relatives here this week.

Clois Webb, Ruth Barr, Billie Ruth Clark, and Ernestine Sipes were Abilene visitors Sunday.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Jersey cow, good milker. REV. J. C. MANN, Cross Plains, Texas. 2tp

Mrs. W. R. Wagner, Jr., had as her guest last week her niece, Miss Frances Smedley of Rowden.

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Notice of Sale

The property located in Cross Plains, opposite Howard Supply Company, described as Lots Number 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in Block 69, out of the Central Addition, together with buildings and filling station equipment, will be sold at Auction at the Court House, in Baird, Texas, on Tuesday, September 1, 1936.

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ROWDEN

Mr. Leonard Mauldin left Tuesday for South Texas.

Bro. Williams filled his regular appointment at the Rowden Baptist Church Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Juanita Swafford. Several from Rowden attended church on the bayou Friday night.

Miss Frances Smedly spent the past week with her cousin, Billy Wagner, at Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McDonald and children returned home Saturday from a trip out West.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose and son, Billy, returned home from a trip out West.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mauldin and

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CITY DRUG STORE

BURKETT BRIDE-ELECT IS HONORED IN SHOWER

A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Sarah Mae Homshell, bride elect of Earl McCowen, was given at the home of Mrs. W. R. Roberts Tuesday afternoon, at which 75 ladies registered in the hand-tinted bride's book, presided over by Cleeta Martin.

Piano numbers were rendered by Mrs. Hugh Burns, readings by Miss Vera Pearl Oliver and Miss Myrtle Younglove, after which baskets and arm-loads of gifts were conveyed to the honoree, who occupied a special throne. Misses Virgie Moore and Estalynne Wooten assisted in presenting the gifts to the bride-elect, who passed them for inspection by guests.

Refreshments consisted of chicken salad sandwiches, pickles, two kinds of cake and fruit punch. Plate favors were scrolls tied with pink and blue ribbons bearing the announcement: "Sarah and Earl, August 26, 1936."

WARMS FILLS WILL ROGERS' LAST FILM

All of the romance, the rich down-to-earth humor and kindness that mark Will Rogers' performances have been captured in the picture which marks the climax of the great star's career. "In Old Kentucky," at the Liberty Theatre, Sunday matinee, Monday and Tuesday.

Adapted and modernized from Charles T. Dazey's play—for thirty years America's favorite—"In Old Kentucky" presents Rogers as a philosophical, humorous horse trainer who breeds colts into champions and smooths the course of love for youngsters in the sunny south.

The plot of this colorful romance revolves about the rivalry between two feuding Kentucky families, both anxious to produce champion horses.

Rogers is the trainer for the wealthy Shattucks first, then for the Martingales. And the Shattucks replace him with a young man brought from the East, Russell Hardie, who immediately falls in love with Nancy Martingale, played by Dorothy Wilson.

Through plot and counterplot, the two families vie for advantage until the day of the big race arrives. It is then, in the smashing surprise climax, that Will Rogers proves his craftiness and his ability as match maker.

Bill Robinson, king of tap dancing, is Rogers' side-kick in "Old Kentucky," and heads a supporting cast which includes Charles Sellon, Louise Henry and Alan Dinehart.

George Marshall directed the picture from the script by Sam Hellman and Gladys Lehman. Edward Butcher was associate producer.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS AT CLARK HOME

The Missionary Society of the Baptist Church was entertained Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jeff Clark in their regular monthly Bible study hour.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. T. G. Edwards, who turned the program over to Mrs. J. E. Henkel, who acted as leader for the afternoon.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Carmen Wright, Mrs. V. C. Tatum, Mrs. L. W. Westerman, Mrs. T. G. Edwards, Mrs. J. E. Henkel, Mrs. L. M. Henson, Mrs. C. Hatchet, Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. V. A. Montgomery, Mrs. A. Webb, Mrs. W. A. Williams, Mrs. J. C. Huntington, Mrs. W. C. Adams, Mrs. C. W. Kemper, Mrs. Fenny, of Waco, Mrs. E. M. Watson, of Burkett, and the hostess.

DELTA KARD MEMBERS ENTERTAINED MONDAY

Members of the "Delta Karda" club met at the home of Mrs. Edwina Baum Monday afternoon in their regular weekly meeting. They were entertained with two tables of contract bridge.

Mrs. Stanley Clark was high score winner for the afternoon.

The hostess passed a refreshment plate of tuna fish salad, toasts, olives, cake and ice tea to the following: Mrs. Stanley Clark, Mrs. Volley Joe Williams, Mrs. V. A. Underwood, Mrs. J. H. McGowen, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Mrs. W. J. Sipes, and Mrs. Jack Scott.

ATWELL

Miss Ruby Pillans returned home Sunday, after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. George Morgan, in Baird.

Mr. Perry Purvis is building him a new modern home, which will be ready to occupy by the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones visited their daughter, Mrs. Morgan, in San Angelo this week-end.

Elbert Mercer and family from Roosevelt, Okla., visited Mrs. Mercer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mill Jones, recently.

SOCIETY CLUBS PERSONALS

ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY COMPLIMENTS COUPLE

Announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Mozelle McElroy, of Cottonwood, and Loyd Bryan, of Cross Plains, a miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. Missouri Ramsey, at Cottonwood, Friday night. More than 75 guests were in attendance.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McElroy, prominent Cottonwood couple, and the groom-elect is the son of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Bryan, of Cross Plains. Scores of practical gifts were presented the couple.

A refreshment course which included cake and punch was served.

METHODIST LADIES TO ENTERTAIN MONDAY

Ladies of all Cross Plains churches have been requested to meet Monday afternoon in the auditorium of the Methodist church in the regular fifth Monday social. An interesting program has been arranged. The Review was told.

The program will begin at four o'clock.

"LIFTERS" CLASS AT M. E. CHURCH FORMED

The "Lifters" class of the young people's division of the Methodist Sunday School was reorganized Sunday morning with Mrs. M. G. Underwood as sponsor. Helen Gray was elected president, Frank Cross vice-president, and Dixie Little secretary-treasurer.

"Look up, lift up," was the motto chosen by the class. A hearty invitation to all young people to come and be a part of the class is extended.

MARTIN HOME SCENE OF COMAL H. D. MEET

The Comal home demonstration club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Martin.

Roll call was answered with "my plans for achievement day". It was decided to quilt the club quilt the second meeting in September and members are urged to get their blocks in by that time.

Screened porches were discussed at the meeting. Refreshments were served to members, one new member and one visitor.

BIRTHDAY STRIP

- \* The Review congratulates the \* following this week on the oc- \* casion of the anniversary of \* their birthday. \* Mrs. W. J. Cross, Thursday, \* August 17. \* Mrs. Ralph Chandler, Thurs- \* day, August 17. \* Mrs. T. H. Kendrick, Sun- \* day, August 23. \* Loy Bertrand, Monday, Aug- \* ust 24. \* Helen Grace Gray, Monday \* August 24. \* Margaret Wagner, Wednes- \* day, August 26. \* Louis Helms, Wednesday, \* August 26. \* Socrates Walker, Sunday, \* August 30. \* Marie Neeb, Monday, August \* 31. \* \* \* \* \*

MISSIONARY MEETING HELD HERE THURSDAY

A missionary zone meeting was held here Thursday, August 20, at the Methodist Church. A very interesting program was given both morning and afternoon.

A sixteen-year-old colored girl, who has been attending church training school at Tyler, gave a very inspiring talk in the afternoon.

Members present from visiting towns were Rising Star, 14; Carbon, 4; Pioneer, 2; DeLeon, 7; Dublin, 4; Brownwood, 1; Fort Worth, 1; Cisco, 2; Eastland, 1.

MRS. SCHAFFNER IS HOSTESS TO W. M. S.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Ed Schaffner, Jr., Monday afternoon.

A World "Outlook" program was given with Mrs. George Neel acting as leader. Others on program were: Mrs. J. C. Mann, Mrs. Jack Aiken, and Mrs. Nat Williams.

Refreshments of peach ice cream and cookies were served to 13 members and one visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Browne Baum visited her sister and attended the Frontier Centennial in Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wagner and family of Austin spent the week-end here visiting his mother, Mrs. Walton Wagner. Mrs. Wagner returned home with them for a visit.

S. R. JACKSON HOME IS SCENE OF CLUB PARTY

Members of the Thursday night bridge club met at the home of Mrs. S. R. Jackson Thursday night for their first meeting in two months. They were entertained with two tables of bridge.

At refreshment time ice cream and cake was passed to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. McGowen, Mrs. Nat Williams, Mrs. Arthur Mitchell, and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCord, and Lois McCord visited in Big Spring and Sweetwater the latter part of last week. Mrs. McCord remained in Sweetwater for a visit with her parents.

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### County Agent's Column

#### Callahan Will Get Bang's Disease Tests

Recently Davis Owens of the Owens ranch was in the office desiring that arrangements be made whereby cattlemen and farmers might take advantage of the services of the Federal government in eradicating Bang's disease from the herds. Since he was in, there has been not less than 25 other men who have shown an interest in the same move. Accordingly the County Agent took steps to secure this service for those who wish it. Dr. Noyes was in the office this week and left some 10 or 12 applications for interested cattlemen to sign up and the service will be given those who sign for it within the next 45 days. This is an individual agreement that is signed voluntarily with the producer.

Cattle that are tested and found to react are appraised as to how much it would cost to replace the animal. The condemned animal is shipped to Fort Worth and killed. The government will pay the difference in the amount the packer returns on the animal and the appraised price, so long as the government is not obligated to pay more than \$25 on grade animals and \$50 on registered stuff.

Bang's disease causes abortion. It does not always attack cows in the same manner. Some cows will show a positive reaction yet yield a calf year after year with seemingly no ill effects, yet her offspring is many times affected and slings her calves. The disease spreads very fast in the herd, being picked up in the feed and in the water. The germs will live in the soil for long periods of time. More cattle losses are being attributed to this trouble than most any known and is getting steadily worse.

For further information relative to the service, to the disease, or for blanks to sign the agreements call at the office of the county agent.

It should be clearly understood that Bang's disease is not the only cause for abortion. There are at least three other known germs that cause the same results and do not show on the Bang's test, but this disease is present here in Callahan county and should be dealt with at once by those who have got it into their herds.

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**Cattle Numbers Will Be Reduced**  
This summer's drouth will reduce further the cattle population

from the all-time peak of 1933.

Heavy marketings of cattle this year are reported by the bureau of agricultural economics. Continuation of the drouth is greatly accelerating the movement. How much the livestock population may be reduced this year the specialists of the bureau cannot say, but they point to the 1934 drouth record when the number of all cattle and calves on the farms was reduced about 6,000,000 head.

On January 1, 1934, there were 74,000,000 cattle and calves on the farms. This was an all-time peak started in 1928, when the total was about 57,000,000 head.

On January 1, 1936, there were 68,000,000 cattle and calves on the farms. Officials considered this relatively large even though there had been heavy selling in 1934 caused by the drouth and continued heavy marketing since that date.

Despite the decrease in 1934 and 1935 the number was 11,000,000 more than the total estimated for January 1, 1928.

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#### ATWELL

This community is still suffering for rain. Cotton will be very sorry and late—feed a failure.

Elorace Brashear from near Slaton has been visiting with his parents and relatives here for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan and little son, from Baird, visited Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Pillans, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Lavender and children, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Lavender and children, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Pillans and Mr. and Mrs. J. C.

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Brashear spent Sunday at the Deep Creek camp meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foster, son, Truman, and Jim Hutchins are visiting in Slaton this week.

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I am grateful to you for the splendid support you gave me in my race for Representative, and my friends for their efforts in my behalf. Also I take this opportunity to express my appreciation for the new friendships and acquaintances that have been my privilege to acquire, and to thank my fellow candidates and opponents for the many courtesies shown me throughout the campaign. For those who saw fit to oppose me in this race, I have the kindest feelings and hope that the future will bring us all closer together in our efforts to serve this great Government in which we live.

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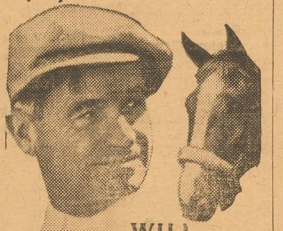
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