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A great poet once said, "God

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FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1940.

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he Greatest Gift * By Autalee Notgrass * *** CRAIN OUTLOOK BEST IN YEARS *** *** *** CRAIN OUTLOOK BEST IN YEARS

Local Band Is Off To National Contest

RIGHT TO COMPETE **COMES AFTER FINE RECORD AT ABILENE**

Unusually Big Crowd Hears High School Musicians In Spring Concert Friday Nite

Cross Plains high school Buffalo band was to leave Thursday morning for Waco to compete in a national contest for high school bands. The band won the right to compete as a result of its superior showing at Abilene two weeks ago.

Funds to forego expenses of the trip to and from Waco were provided by Cross Plains merchants, in appreciation of the outstanding progress made by the band.

Cook the local musicians rendered a concert in the high school auditorium Friday night. Present at the concert was one of the largest crowds ever to attend a function of this kind in Cross Plains. The concensus was that the band has improved beyond "fondest expectations" within the past 12 months.

Only criticism the band has received thus far from the musicial critics is that greater instrumentation is needed: more alto horns, oboes, etc. Director McCook hopes to be able to enlarge these departments of his band within the coming year. Expense of providing other instruments, needed first, uniforms etc, made it impossible to add these instruments at this time. Bands from three states will be

patience held even in your WORK ON NEW LIGHTS ALONG MAIN STREET TO START WITHIN 10 DAYS

is known as a national contest.

present at Wacoto compete in what

arily delayed, however, it is expected to get underway within 10 days, announces Mayor C. S. Martin. The new lights are to be placed along the sides in modernistic design, the same type of lighting as The deep abiding faith and has recently been completed at Alant prayer of my Mother has

West Texas Utilities and the city of Cross Plains are cooperating in ages said of his Mother, "All the lighting project.

12 STUDENTS FINISH AT WILLIAMS SCHOOL

Following is the class roll:

LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND

Cottonwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Varner, of Williams, will leave the latter part of this month for College Station to attend the Texas A & M commencement exercises. Durward Varner, son of the Cottonwood couple, is valedictorian of the cadet graduating class, which is

PROGRAM

BACCALAUREATE SERMON Sunday Night, May 12 Hymns

Rev. S. P. Collins Hymn Benediction CLASS NIGHT Wednesday, May 15 Introduction of Seniors Class Song

.Class Prophesy SEVENTH GRADE GRADUATION Thursday Night, May 16 When we were beginners. We learned about rhythm Harry's Pockets May King and Queen

Accompanyments

COMMENCEMENT Friday Night, May 17 Salutatory

Address Diploma Presentation Benediction

Work on the installation of new street lights here has been tempor-

A class of twelve will be graduateer Mothers of our own ed from Williams high school on available whereas only five were faced and surmounted the night of May 14th, Postmaster Ir national history was in J. Edward Johnson, of Brownwood, of the five used last year has been aking. It was her undying is to deliver the address to the plugged, making two new wells and on that tanned, weather beat-

The Baccalaureate services are met in the trackless dis- to be held Sunday evening, May searching the horizon for with the sermon by the Rev. Mr. to have a potentiality of 20 gallons ing red-skin tribes that might Barnett, pastor of the Methodist per minute.

church there.

Ellie Shults, Don Looney, Phillip Campbel, Elizabeth Smith, Williams, James Howell and Della more caressing note, footstep Jones.

Leo Varner, who is finishing his guards the lives of her first year as superintendent of the Williams school, has been highly praised for the fine work done in the school this year.

COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT

composed of more than 700 stud-McKnight, federal Farm ents.

Mrs. W. J. Gray, and Mr. and Desday Visitors in Cross Plains Mrs. Hub Freeman visited in Baird and Clyde Sunday afternoon.

SCHOOL CLOSING

Processional Mrs. Dale McCook Invocation Rev. Floyd Thrash Congregation Announcement ... Stept. Lewis C. Norman Sermon

Congregation Rev. C. E. Poe Recessional Mrs. Dale McCook Processional Mrs. Dale McCook Class Will

Class History Recessional Mrs. Dale McCook

Dawn Boy Diploma Presentation Hubert Kelley Special Music 6th Grade Sextet

HIGH SCHOOL Processional Mrs. Dale McCook Invocation Rev. C. E. Poe Clarinet trio Paul Smith. Billy White and Jack Tunnell

Special Awards, J. E. Barrington Don H. Morris Lewis Norman

Rev. Floyd W. Thrash Recessional ... Mrs. Dale McCook

CITY WATER SUPPLY

BETTER FOR SUMMER Cross Plains approaches the Summer months with increased water supply as a result of a new well completed Saturday on the Southeast line of the Chas. Smith place by E. E. Thate. In addition to the finished on the C. D. (Doke) Westerman tract. Six wells are now on the pump last year. And one

four old ones now in use. The well on the Smith placecompleted last week-is producing of the plains, kept her eter- 12th, beginning at 8:00 o'clock from a 46 foot sand and is reported

> L. W. Tyson, city secretary, reports that chemical and biological analysis have recently been made of water from all six of the wells Julienne Granad, Marie Dicker- now in use and that all of them son, Nelda Hubbard, Connie Wat- were found to be free of contaminson, Esther Titsworth, Vaughn Dell ation. A biological analysis is son informs.

> > nesday. Enroute he witnessed a freight train wreck near Putnam, in which 14 cars were derailed.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baum and son Tommy and Mrs. T. E. Baum visited Mr. and Mrs. Ressie Brownday this week.

her mother and father here this the decrease.

n Mississippi. All taxes are ultimately paid by

EXPECT 6 FLIGHTS FOR GOLF TOURNEY AT PHILPECO CLUB

L. E. Cates In Beating Brush For Mashie Toaters; Prize List Is Biggest In History

Philpeco country club's eighth annual invitation golf tournament which gets underway two weeks from today, is expected to attract the largest entry list in history, according to L. E. Cates, general

Qualifying rounds are to be completed by Friday afternoon, May 24, however, members are urged to post their test round figures earlier making way for visitors who are expected to crowd the local links the last two or three days.

The calculta pool and barbecue will be held Friday night, May 24. Match play will start the following morning, and finals in all flights are carded for Sunday afternoon, May

Among the top-noteners expected here for the tournament are: J. T. rell, South Bend: Mack Williams, Graham; Sam Conner and Bobby must lay some definite plans for traditional practice local Republic-Sikes, Eastland: Jimmy Phillips. Ranger: possibly Grover Austin, of Pampa; Bill Tunnell, ace of the local club and scores of others.

Perhaps the most elaborate array of prizes ever given by Philpeco will go to winners and runners-up this year. J. T. Hammett and Charles Rutherford will go to Dallas this week to purchase the

Mr. Cates, who in addition to sending out the customary invitations, has visited a number of nearby clubs in the interest of Philpeco tournament, said yesterday that he expected this year's ourney to attract six full flights.

GAS CONSUMPTION HERE HIGHER McMILLAN SAYS

Gas consumers in Cross Plains used more fuel during the Winter just past than the same period a year earlier, it is announced by Smith well, another was recently Lloyd McMillan, city gas super-

McMillan attributes the increased

LOCAL STORE GIVES SENIOR GIRLS GIFT

Every girl who is to graduate from Cross Plains high school this Spring received a minature cedar chest Monday afternoon from Higginbotham Brothers & Company here. Presentation was made by V. C. Walker, manager of the furniture department and a former member of the local school board. In addition to the chests, which the girls described as "lovely", remade regularly every 30 days, Ty- freshments were served the young ladies at a local drug store

C. R. Cook was in Dallas Wed- BETTER BE COUNTED IN CENSUS: YOU MAY NEED

People who have not been enumerated in the 1940 federal cen- Young. sus are urged by civic leaders to contact Mrs. W. B. Waldwin local Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner, of ing and family in Brownwood one enumerator, at once. Cross Plains warmer in Winter. population will be less than 10 years ago, as will most other towns Mrs. C. A. Stone and baby, of throughout this section, however, home some time this week, located Brownwood, visited in the home of civic leaders wish to minimumize in the East part of town. She has

> who is fails to be enumerated in Tyler is visiting her now, but will Bill Bounds was to leave Thurs- the 1940 federal count may face dif- return to his business in Copperas lay morning for a visit of 10 days ficulty in proving residence or Cove, within the next few days. or two weeks at his boyhood home establishing age if in future federal pension assistance of any kind is

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

By virtue of the power vested in me as Mayor of the city of Cross Plains, I, C. S. Martin, hereby proclaim the week of May 20 - 25 as "Professional and Service Week of the Works Progress Administration."

Service Division Projects.

This proclamation is in cooperation with W.P.A and further notice of local observance will be given next week by Mrs. Maudie R. Russell, local sewing room

Witness my hand this the sixth day of May A.D., 1940.

(Seal of office)

C. S. MARTIN Mayor,

Work Cemetery And Republicans Hold Talk Its Business Here Next Tuesday

A cemetery working and business Hammett, defending champion who tery Association. All who have regates to the county convention has won the local event five times latives or friends buried here are which was held in Baird the followin the past seven years; Alvah Har- asked to be present and take part. ing Tuesday. "The time has come when we While Democrats ignored their

the maintenance of the grounds. Failure of Cross Plains Demourgently requested to be present. a full-time sexton are blamed for ignation of F. R. Anderson. J

very unsightly condition. ed of E. I. Vestal, Porter J. Davis, chosen at the July primary. Drew Hill and Mrs. Mathis, opines that 300 members should be gained | DEER PLAINS SCHOOL for the Cemetery Association, if those who should contribute to its

support will do so. former residents, this article in to- neither Cross Plains or Cottonwood store. Having served as head of day's issue of the Review is meant and that its condition is the same s a personal solicitation," Mrs. as heretofore. Mathis declared. "If you expect | A number of the patrons have exconsumption to a few additional the graves of your loved ones to be pressed their desire to transfer to many friends here who extend him consumers and colder weather kept clear of cockleburrs and weeds, Cottonwood and Cross Plains, and Mrs. Barnes a most cordial

ire no longer able to do so." Membership fees in the associ- Dill and Collis Eager. ation are 25 cents per month or 75 cents per quarter. Send or give METHODIST LADIES TO fees to Mrs. Mathis or any of the aforementioned committeemen, it is

Mrs. Mathis urged especially that good representation of the ladies the meeting, whether they come prepared to work or not.

2 LOCAL HOUSES BEING INSULATED THIS WEEK

Two Cross Plains homes are be TO PROVE IT SOME DAY ing insulated this week. The homes are those of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Gregoire and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. The insulation process makes

houses cooler in the Summer and

been visiting in the home of her It is pointed out that a person mother, for the past two weeks. Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Booth of An applied for. Too, census records son visited in the home of their are vital to applicants for govern- daughter, Mrs. Phil Bingham, here

This week has been set aside nationally for sponsors to report to their communities what has been accomplished in public service through the Professional and

supervisor.

City of Cross Plains

Convention While Democrats "Idle"

For possibly the first time in 25 meeting has been called for Tues- years Cross Plains Democrats failday, April 14, by Mrs. A. J. Mathis, ed to hold their regular precinct secretary of the Cross Plains Ceme- convention Saturday, to name dele-

our cemetery. At present we have any met in regular custom. J. G. Ranger; Alton Pope, Mineral Wells; no sexton and there is no authoriz- Weiler, of Cross Plains, was named Bob Hafle, Fort Worth; Doug ed collector other than the secret-delegate to the county G. O. P. Jones, Big Spring: Elmer Norris, ary, who does not have time to convention, which he attended Tues-Weiler was named Callahan coun-Plans call for the thorough work- ty Republican's delegate to the ing of the cemetery next Tuesday state convention to be held May 28 morning, and then about noon the in Dallas. He will go to the condiscussion of business pertaining to vention uninstructed.

> Representatives of all families who crats to hold regular precinct conhave members buried here, are vention was blamed on the fact that there is no precinct chairman Recent rains and the absence of here, as a result of the recent res the cemetery grounds being in a Rupert Jackson, county chairman, has named no successor to Ander-The cemetery committee compos- son to serve until a chairman is

STATUS IS UNCHANGED

The Review learned Wednesday "Due to the fact that no funds afternoon that as yet Deer Plains day or Friday to replace Mr. Underare available to correspond with school has been transferred to wood in the local Higginbotham

you must assist us in a financial whereas others prefer to keep the way. A few, who have heretofore, school at Deer Plains again next borne the entire load announce they year. Members of the board of trustees are: Elbert Pierce, M. F.

SERVE LUNCH TUESDAY

Ladies of the local Methodist church will serve chicken dinner Tuesday noon of next week, pro of the community be present at ceeds from which are to be used in making repairs at the parsonage. The entire public is invited to take lunch with the ladies Tuesday. A fee of 25 cents will be assessed.

MR. AND MRS. LEO BAUM MOVE INTO NEW DWELLING

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Baum moved Tuesday into a newly constructed ottage on the Baum place, 10 miles West of town. Friends of the couple showered them with miscellaneous gifts Thursday of last week. Many nice and practical Mrs. Ray Tyler is moving in her gifts were received by the popular

> Dr. I. M. Howard left Wednesday morning for Temple to go through a medical clinic. He told friends upon his departure that he expected to undergo an operation before returning to his home here.

Mrs. Ell Powell and Mrs. J. G nesday morning.

AREA TUESDAY JUST **EXACTLY AS NEEDED**

Farmers Report No Smut Or Rust Visible In Grain: Big Smiles Predominate

Revived by more than two inches of rain, small grain crops throughout the Cross Plains trade termorning to be offering the brightest prospects in more than seven years. Slow, gentle rain began falling here shortly after noon Tuesday, growing harder by mid-afternoon and continuing intermittently until almost mid-morning Wednesday. Low, overhanging clouds indicated additional showers might be forth-

The precipitation, which measured 2.16 inches in Cross Plains Wednesday morning, brought the year's rainfall to 9.83 inches. 1940 rains

re been recorded a	s follows:
January 5	29
February 2	1.12
February 16	1.08
February 17	02
March 10	37
March 29	05
April 5	3.60
April 6	
April 10	12
April 16	54
April 24	01
April 25	02
May 7	2.16

TOTAL. 9.83 Especially heartening was the refar, indicating that the crop will

Grain prices on the Cross Plains market Wednesday morning were approximately: number one wheat 92 cents; oats 37 or 38 cents.

BARNES TAKES OVER IN UNDERWOOD PLACE AT HIGGINBOTHAM'S

M. G. Underwood relinquished nead of the dry goods department at Higginbotham Brother & Company here Thursday morning to bebecome associated with his brother. Jim Underwood, in the grocery usiness at Gorman.

J. Q. Barnes was to arrive Thursthe dry goods department here in 1924 to 1928, Mr. Barnes is no new comer to Cross Plains, and has welcome upon their return.

LESLIE BRYANT IS IN COUNTY CLERK'S RACE

Leslie Bryant, of Clyde, who has been employed in the Tax Asessor and Collector's office and the county agent's office at Baird for the past several years, Thursday entered the race for County Clerk of Callahan county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held July 27.

will appear in this newspaper next RADIO ARTISTS COMING

HERE NIGHT OF MAY 23

Mr. Bryant is 27 years of age,

His official letter to the voters

married and the father of one child.

The "Sunshine Boys", who are heard regularly over radio station K.G.K.O. at Fort Worth are being brought to Cross Plains the night of May 23 for a concert in the local Methodist church. Sponsoring the novement is the W.M.U.

Proceeds from the concert will be used in parsonage repairs.

CITY STREETS WILL GET WORKING THIS WEEK END

City streets are to be worked either this week end or the first of next week, it was announced Saunders were in Brownwood Wed- from the city office Wednesday aft-

SUNDAY IS MOTHER'S DAY

OF YOUR CHOICE

Bill Gray, Cross Plains athlete now a student in McMurry College, was delayed from entering professional baseball this week, as a result of a finger injury sustained at Baird Sunday, in what he had expected to be his last amateur

Bill has been offered a contract to pitch for Oklahoma City of the Texas league, and would have probably reported for duty this week, had not the injury rendered him unfit for competition for at least

The hurt was sustained when Bill stabbed a hard drive, lined through the box by Bob Joy.

IT IS ESTIMATED TO TAKE 86,500 CAPITAL TO EACH MAN EMPLOYED

It is estimated that, on the average, \$6,500 must be invested before American industry. That much money spent which goes into factories, machines, tools and other facilities. Multiply that \$6,500 some 40,000,000 times, and you have the approximate investment in American industrial enterprises. That is capital, the capital has so long been subjected to political and radical attack. Its crime seems to be that it creates jobs, purchasing power, and taxable wealth, higher wages, shorter working hours and a general rising standard of living.

Where capital in big sums doesn't exist, comfort, security and opportunities don't exist. It takes "big money" to keep a progressive nation going. It took "big money" in endless streams to create our unqualified industrial civilization, To argue that the basic interest is as sensible as to argue a person is opposed to food.



WHAT IS THE VALUE OF YOUR EYESIGHT?

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STUDY CLUB HOSTESS

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Mrs. H. E. Coburn presided durng the business session. At the close of the meeting Mr. ms served refreshments.

COTTON EXPORTS ARE RUNNING 2,710,000 BALES OVER LAST YEAR

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Terrible Siren," by Emanie Sachs | Knights of Pythias lodge will at | Mrs. S. M. Buatt, and Miss Alice when members of the Wednesday tend an open-house social to be held Younglove will leave Friday morn-Study Club met with Mrs. G. M. in the Brownwood K. of P. castle ing for San Antonio, where they Sims in regular meeting last Thurs- hall Tuesday night of next week, will attend commencement exercises day. Mrs. Sims gave a short bio- it is announced by R. L. Little, at Robert Green hospital. Miss

keeper of records and seals. Thelma Youngtove is a member of At the Brownwood meeting dele- the graduating class and will re- 1,047,950 barrels of crude daily, or gations from some 10 or 12 lodges | ceive her R. N. degree throughout this section are expected to be in attendance.

PARTY COMPLIMENTS MISS YONA GRISHAM

Misses: Gertie and Bertha Murl months was caused by the subsidy party in the home of Mrs. Dr of ten dollars per bale paid by the Pierce. After a series of games,

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COTTONWOOD HOST TO

the annual monthly workers con ference of Callahan county Baptist churches. An unusually large crowd was in attendance and a very successful day together is reported. Those attending from the Cross Plains church were: Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Poe, Miss Effic Wood, Mrs. A. J. Mathis, Mrs. E. N. Ridgeway, Mrs. Etta Booth, Mrs. Jack Meador, Mrs. John Proctor, Mrs. A. L. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. C. R. Cook and Mrs. F. T. Scott. Next regular meeting of the Bap tist workers conference will be a

SETTLE FAMILY BACK AFTER SEVERAL MONTHS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Settle retu Lee, who occupied the settle home at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A.

Mr. Settle will open a man's shop in Cross Plains within the very near future, in the building vacated last week by Underwood's grocery. Fixtures for the store are being manufactured by Williams Planing Mill here.

Texas has two of the five deepest oil tests ever drilled one in South Texas going to 13,728 feet and one in West Texas to 12,786 feet. California has the deepest, which went to 15,004 feet.

Texas has more oil refineries than the two next largest refining states combined. The Lone Star State has 141 plants with 1,386,705 barrels daily capacity, while California and Pennsylvania together have only 111 with 1,2750,60 bar-

The Gulf Coast area of Texas has 2 oil refineries with a capacity of more than any other entire state.



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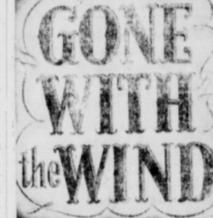


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Cottonwood was host Tuesday to and gas industry.

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as well as power drive. Simple to operate and adjust. Handles all small grains and

A brown mare mule, which strayed from a farm near Comanche, was located by the owner, H. M. O'Brien, of Comanche, last week as a result of a 25 cent advertisment in the

COMANCHE 25 DAYS

REVIEW AD LOCATES MULE MISSING FROM

The mule strayed to the S. C. Harter place, in the Sabanno community, nearly 40 miles from the O'Brien farm near Comanche, and was being held by Mr. Harter, who had been seeking to find the right ful owner.

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Cross Plains Review REVIEW AD LOCATES MULE MISSING FROM

COMANCHE 25 DAYS A brown mare mule, which stray-Postoffice at Cross ed from a farm near Comanche, was located by the owner, H. M. O'Brien, of Comanche, last week as a result SUBSCRIPTION RATES of a 25 cent advertisment in the ear in trade territory \$1.50 Review

The mule strayed to the S. C. Harter place, in the Sabanno community, nearly 40 miles from the O'Brien farm near Comanche, and was being held by Mr. Harter, who had been seeking to find the rightful owner.

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Of course, a whole book could be filled with jokes about drakies. Here are some of the time-honored

A negro, facing a court martial for fleeing in the face of the foe. was asked, "Were you running?" He answered, "Naw, suh, but I passed several whut was."

There was a darkey who got scared and galloped down a path the negro said, "Git ontta de way, Mr. Rabbit, an let somebuddy run

ous white man squirted some high-life on the animal, which dashsire it will be furnished by a flest ed down the road. The negro came out and said, "White folks, how much ob dat medicine did you put "Oh, about five cents' worth." The old fellow said, "Well, squirt a dime's worth on me 'case I'se got to ketch dat mule.

A new parson had just announced the text of his first sermon when a ripe tomato hit him in the face. He wiped the pulp and julce away and announced, "Bred'rn an' sistern, fer de next thutty minutes, I'se gwine to preach a powerful sermon an' den youse gwine to see de blankety-Mrs. J. G. Saunders had as her blankest fight you'se eval seed."

Several members of the congregation were hurt in a stampede that resulted when, in the midst of a Leslie Bryant of Baird was in funeral sermon, the "corpse" rose Cross Plains Monday interviewing up in the casket. At an investi-McNeel. Mildred Browning voters concerning his contemplated gation, the justice of the peace insisted that one of the "sisters" tell exactly what the parson had said. "Well," she replied, "as he run by me, he say, "D-an archytect that would build a church wid only one

ald Alice publisher while a teleman," sat up half the night reading it and the next day there was a mob surging around the jail look ing for a prisoner, so Ringwald sent "queries" to the big papers and sold the story for 50 times what he had paid for the book-Frank Grimes, editor of the Abilene Reporter, writes poetry-and it's good enough that it has been included in several anthologies-Moran Dunlap, Meridian Tribune editor, one of the first to start publishing "I Give You Texas", has been nominated for postmaster-Miss Eliza Gilliland, publisher of the Baird Star, which also publishes "I Give You Texas," has been re-appointed postmistress. Her father founded the Star, edited it for more than 50 years and the "imposing" stone on which the paper was made up for half a century marks his grave. Ralph Yarbrough, now rounding out his second term as district judge at Austin, will not be a candidate for re-election but will return to the private practice of law. Yarbrough two years ago made a strong race for Attorney General-Adventure Magazine for May has a Texas flavor, with articles by C. L. Douglas of the Fort Worth Press, and Mody C. Boatright of the State University-And E. S. Shoaf of the Wood AKE THE AROMA TEST AND YOU'LL County Democrat reminds that the North and East Texas Press Association meets in Lufkin, May 10 and 11. with eight trophies at stake.

> A cyclone is a high wind that starts no place in general and is going nowhere in particular but is * For County Judge: in a h-of a hurry to get there, as *

my grandpa ust to say. Jack Hawkins in Groesback Journal remarks:

"The Journal does not claim to be a truthful newspaper about everything. We will say Mrs. So and So's baby is beautiful even if it's ugly. We will say the deceased was a good man even though we might not think he was so good. But with all our little white lies, this paper can tell the truth, too. If you want the truth about the awful political situation in Texas today, read this column. One hundred dollars to anyone who proves what we say is not the truth. One dollar to anyone who proves that we don't have one hundred dollars."

A colored "aunty" when asked * For Public Weigher w she had raised all 12 of her * Precinct 6: hildren replied, "I raised 'em wid | * T. Y. WOODY shingle and I raised 'em often."

A negro, after an airplane ride, * DREW I. HILL tepped on to the ground and said, * J. C. WATSON Mr. Aviator, thank you for both dem rides-my first one and my * For Constable:

When asked if he preferred white black chickens, Rastus answer- ***********

DELTA KARDA MEMBERS ************** MEET ON WEDNESDAY

Members of the Delta Karda club met in the home of Mrs. Fred Cutbirth when she entertained with two tables of contract bridge Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mrs. J. H. McGowen was high score winner for the afternoon.

Following a series of games, refreshments were served to the following guests: Mmes. McGowen, Edwin Baum, V. A. Underwood, W. J. Sipes, T. S. Holden, R. L. Little, and Miss Bobbie Lee Westerman.

THE NAIL WAS MADE FOR OPPOSITE WALL

Two lunatics were busy in a room hanging some pictures. One was engaged to drive a nail into the wall head first by hitting it on the point when, suddenly, he turned around to his friend and remarked. "The man who made these nails was crazy."

The friend wanted to know why and he explained that the point was on the wrong end of the nail, whereupon his friend immediately told An old colored man, who had him that it was he who was crazy, ridden into town, left his mule in because that nail was made for the

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mayes were in Abilene Friday

Mrs. F. M. Gwinn has returned to Odessa after a visit of several days with friends in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hudson have as their guest her mother of Ham

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Rose, of Tolar, visited in the home of their daughter, Mrs. V. A. Underwood here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Smith, formerly of Paducah, have bought and recently moved into the Vernon Barclay place one mile Southwest of town on highway 209.

A deal was closed this week whereby Claude McAnally became owner of the Barclay place, com-Facts about folks: V. D. Ring. prising 1611/2 acres, nine miles West of town. Considerations of the

> Texas has five oil fields producing oil from below 10,000 feet.

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A darkey was trying to find out from his son whether he had gotten married. The son was using a lot of big words in an effort to evade but the older man broke in I ain't askin' you, is you ain't; I'se asking you, ain't you is?"

******* Political

Announcements

The Cross Plains Review is * authorized to announce the fol-* lowing candidates for the re-* spective offices, subject to the * action of the 1940 Democratic

* For Congress, 17th District OTIS MILLER THOMAS L. BLANTON

* For District Clerk: RAYMOND YOUNG

* For County Tax Assessor * and Collector

B. O. BRAME

B. H. FREELAND

* For County Sheriff: C. R. NORDYKE

> MRS. WILL McCoy MISS JENNIE HARRIS MRS. VIOLA MAYFIELD

MRS. S. E. SETTLE

* JEFF CLARK J. M. MCMILLAN HOWARD GARY BRYAN BENNETT

* For Justice of Peace:

PERSONALS

Mrs. Garland Cunningham of Albany, visited friends and relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Dale McCook had

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryant here this week were his brother and sister.

Dr. and Mrs. Eli Powell were toleave Thursday for a trip through several Southern states and a brief visit in Mississippi.

Cornelius Elliott and Bobby Hise as their guests Sunday his brother of Abilene spent Saturday and Sun-

Mrs. S. P. Long and Mrs. Marie Sharrock were in Moran Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Cutbirth visited in Anson Sunday

Leland Straley had as his guests here this week his mother and sist-

Mrs. Albert McCollum and son and wife and C. W. Dick, Jr., of day here visiting friends and re- and Mrs. Bill Weiler of Coleman were visiting here last week.

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But the growing tax burden is a serious factor in wages and employment, since the Texas oil industry now pays taxes equal to 36 per cent of its labor payrolls.

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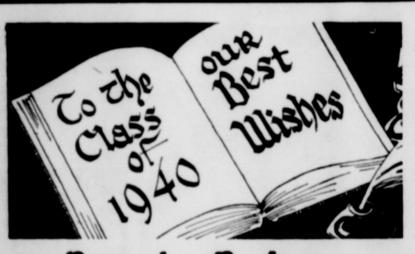
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Our wish is that your journey throughout life will be as happy as your school days have been.

We hope to have the pleasure of serving you often in years to come.

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SCRANTON ******* ---- *******

Funeral rites were held for Jams Heath, 89 of Eastland Thursday at the Baptist church here by Rev. Jones Weathers, Baptist pastor of Eastland. Mr. Heath was an old ettler of Eastland county, unmaried, the only immediate relatives Weed of Dan Horn; and a number f nieces and nephews. Interment vas made in Scranton cemetery this week. with Eastland undertaker in charge.

Marvin Ray Leveridge happened to a painful accident Thursday afternoon. He was in a boat on the gin tank, and on seeing that it was class presidents, going to capsize, jumped, hanging his leg on the boat, tearing a gash, that required a number of stitches to sew it up. He is getting around

Mrs. J. H. Shrader left Thursday for Dallas for a visit with Mr. Shrader's mother, who was serious ly ill, but is reported to be improv-

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and Felix Boland were Dallas visitors Mrs. B. P. Cozart, who is recuperating from a serious illness at the ome of her daughter.

J. D. Jobe of Crowell visited his ieces, Miss Lou Jobe and Mrs. W E. Faires Friday.

Bernard O'Brien, J. D. Sprawls d W. E. Faires were business

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isitors in Cross Plains Monday.

A Mother's Day program is to be rendered at the Baptist church at 8 p.m. Mother's Day, the Sup! endent of the Sunday School is asking that we make that day special day for everyone to attend Sunday School.

CLUB LADIES DEVISE NEW WAY TO IRRIGATE

Grease traps, a concrete box in the ground, to siphon off the sink water so it may be freed of the subirrigation has proved to be a uccessful way to conserve waste water, according to Miss Clara Brown, county home demonstration

The following people have built crease traps this year as a comnunity demonstration; Mrs. Jim Barr, Cross Plains; Mrs. Andrew Johnson, and Mrs. Jud Bratton, Oplin: Mrs. E. J. Barton, Denton: Mrs. Dolph Hodges, Tecumseh; Mrs. W. E. McCollum, Mrs. W. A. Young, Enterprise; Mrs. Floyd Coffey, Cottonwood; Mrs. W. A. Everett, Putnam; Mrs. Burette Ramsey, D. D.

Jones, Union. The subirrigation is under rame garden which is planted to eafy vegefables and radishes.

Mrs. E. J. Barton of Denton says that four weeks from the day hers was planted that she was eating greens and radishes. She believes they are the tenderest, crispest vegetables she has ever grown.

Mrs. W. E. McCollum has been eating vegetables from hers since the middle of March. She says that she has a vegetable or more every day on her table from her frame garden

Mrs. Andrew Johnson, has strawberry bed over her subirrigation from her kitchen sink. She will not get many berries from her plot this year but she does like the system of conserving the sink

Mrs. Jim Barker planted strawberries last year in a frame garden and reaped a few berries from the 100 plants she set out in her 7 by 30 foot frame. This year she has many more plants and a good supply of berries for her own use. She gathered 9 pints Monday and says she always gets at least 2 pints.

COTTONWOOD PLANS BOY SCOUT TROOP

A meeting will be held at the Cottonwood school building the night of April 17, at eight o'clock. to determine whether or not a Boy Scout troop will be organized at that place.

All parents and boys over 12 years of age are invited to be present, as the interest manifested at | this meeting is expected to result in either the formation of a Scout troop or the abandoning of the

Mr. and Mrs. Hulan Barr were Abilene Tuesday.

Miss Rosa Van Lane and Mrs. Walter Westerman were in Coleman Monday morning.

Miss Virginia Blair, of Abilene, spent the week end here in the me of Miss Fern Smart.

ABILENE CHRISTIAN

Geneva Marshall, daughter of Mrs. Sam Marshall, has been elected Junior representative of the Student council for the next year at Abilene Christian college,

Election was staged last Friday following two weeks of spirited campus political activities. Runoffs were held Saturday and results were announced the first of

To be elected an official of the student body is one of the highest bonors a student can receive. This student conneil is composed of the nine student officials and the four

SALLY QUILTERS MEET WITH MRS. E. I. VESTAL

Members of the Sally Quilt Club met in the home of Mrs. E. I. Vestat Thursday afternoon of last week with 13 members and two visitors in attendance. Two quilts were finished during the afternoon. Cookies and san tarts were served

to the following: Mmes., Jud Barnett, C. F. Nichols, J. C. Huntington, Jack Meador, Lon Haley, Everett, T. T. Nichols, E. I. Vestal, W. M. Wright, F. A. Lane, C. E Atwood, Bill Davidson, Jesse Youngblood, Jeff Clark and Chas Taylor.

Next meeting of the club will be the afternoon of May 16.

98 CALLAHAN FARMERS GET WHEAT PAYMENTS

E. L. Pierson, Secretary of Callahan County A. C. A., is in receipt of 98 wheat parity checks for 1940. These checks were received by wheat producers in Callahan county who complied with the wheat allotment established for the farm for 1940. Other parity checks are expected to arrive soon

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Freeman were in Baird Sunday.



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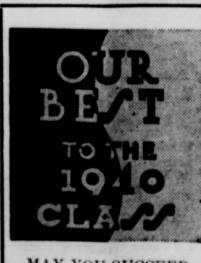
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Just Horse Sense About Fishing History will soon repeat itself

among many fishermen who will take to the streams and lakes for their regular fishing trips. Many foolish acts will be the result of thoughtless actions on the part of the fishermen. Some of these acts are funny after a while, but along with this there will be many tragedys. In line with all this let me call your attention to a few little things that will probably make your fishing trip more enjoyable as well as help your Game Department make fishing better for everyone.

Take Good Care of Short Fish At a glance one can usually tell whether or not be has caught a fish that must be returned to the water Catch the fish in the lower lip with your thumb and fore finger, remove the hook and release him easily to the water. If it is necessary to catch the fish with your hands, wet your hand first to prevent the disturbance of the slime that covers the fish. Be sure you have a legal fish, before he goes on the string. This oversight might make a fishing trip an unhappy one. Check the old tackle box for a ruler before you leave home or

mark off the lengths on your boat or tackle box. Remember bass in the home of Mrs. C. E. Atwood must be eleven inches long and crappie seven inches. Don't waste fish. Take only those that can be used, and use those that you take.

Ge Careful Seining Bait Seining bait may prove to be more expensive than buying it from a bait dealer, if care is not taken. Be sure that you do not seine min nows over three inches long-small bass, crappie and perch are not minnows. All species other than minnows should be released to the water immediately. Minnows that are too small for bait should be likewise returned to the water. They may be large enough for bait next time you go fishing. They are also valuable fish food.

Use Safe Boats

Never use a boat that is unsafe and always have life preservers for every member of the crew. Boats with rotten boards should never be used. In case your boat does turn over, never get excited. Most wooden boats will support three or four people even if turned over or filled with water.-Wait for help and never try to swim a great distance to shore. Many a good swimmer has lost his life trying this stunt. If it is necessary to swim, never try to swim with your clothes Remove your shoes first and then other clothes. It is better to loose your clothes than your life. Never wade unknown waters with aip boots, because if you go into water over your head with hip boots on, it is nearly impossible to remove them. Holes or rock jumpoffs will cause one to lose balance and here is where the trouble com-

First-Aid and Fishing Trips

Every fisherman should have some first-aid equipment in his ishing outfit. Scratches and bruises should be treated immediately to prevent infection. Never try to get a complete sun tan on a single fishing trip. The pain from sun burns is a poor trade for a sun tan. Every fisherman should have a kit to treat poison snake bits.

Play safety first and maybe you will not have to use first-aid.

CLUB LADIES VISIT STEPHENVILLE PLANT

The Callahan County Home demonstration Council, under the leadership of the chairman, Mrs. Jim Barker is sponsoring a tour to Stephenville, Friday, May 10, to visit a refrigerator locker. The Land Use Planning Committee and others are cooperating.

Home demonstration club' women have been working to create interest in refrigerator lockers since January of this year. 40 men and women have been in-

vited to make the trip May 10, Friday. The group will leave the courthouse at 12 o'clock noon. The purpose of the trip is to see a locker in actual operation and to secure all the information possible on this new system of refrigeration. The Home Demonstration Council has invited Mr. C. E. Bowles, here May 15, Wednesday, Mr. Bowles will be a guest of the Baird Luncheon Club at noon and a meet-

Cooperative Marketing Specialist ing for all those interested in securing information on refrigerator lockers, 2 to 4 p. m. District Court Room. The public is invited to this meeting.

E. D. Priest of Abilene was in Cross Plains Friday.

Mr. and Mrs O. E. Adams, Mrs. E. O. Adams and Mrs. Mattie Mc-Dougald visited relatives in Waco past week end.

Oil properties now represent over 30 per cent of the assessed value

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Mrs. V. L. Fulton, Mr. B. Hill and son, Sam-S. E. Archer attended

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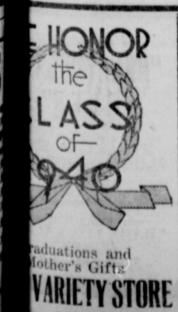
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Sweet Tooth Cost Citizens \$69,000 In Taxes Annually

The annual sugar bill of Callahan County housewives and other sugar consumers is approximately \$69,000 This estimate is based on government figures which show the average yearly per capita consumption to be one hundred pounds purchased dev. and Mrs. A. A. at the average retail price of 5.4 Goldiffwaite last week cents per pound which prevailed during 1939.

The retail price of sugar reachconference at Putprices prevailed when the United States market was controlled by

armistice, the average retail price with B. H. Freeland in pound has been around 5 cents. If cents for sugar in 1938 as they did when foreign sugar controlled the

> Before the present Federal sugar ontrol act expires next December, she did not accep not only the growers of sugar cane users all over the United States are gainst a continuation of the existing policy which favors foreign producers who have in the past

brought about exceedingly high reail prices when permitted to doninate the United States market. A bill has been drafted and introniced in the National House of tepresentatives by Congressman stricting imports to the quantity

Many organizations of house-Bill which is known as H. R. 8893 and are writing their Congressmen and Senators to vote for the measure which will soon be voted on.

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H. D. Club

feathers and ten yards of cloth. tre willing to help our neighbors. Game night has been set for May 10th, at Mrs. Huntington's residence. We expect a big crowd.

Twenty-five per cent of the yearly income of the average man is armarked for taxes of some kind.

Our club is very much interested

n the refrigerated food lockers.

Eastland Countie. ed by Omar Burl

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history, that division of General Motors recently built the 700,000th of these models. The event took place less than a month after production of No. 600,000.

Sweet Tooth Cost Citizens \$69,000 In Taxes Annually

The annual sugar bill of Callahan | ******* ___ County housewives and other sugar nri Strahan left Monconsumers is approximately \$69,000 gton to visit with her This estimate is based on government figures which show the average yearly per capita consumption Carter and children to be one hundred pounds purchased Rev. and Mrs. A. A. at the average retail price of 5.4 Goldthwaite last week cents per pound which prevailed Eastland Counties, was defeatduring 1939.

The retail price of sugar reached the peak immediately after the world war and averaged 19.4 cents per pound in 1920. These high paper will fill all unexpired subprices prevailed when the United States market was controlled by foreign sugar producers. In 1923, which was five years after the armistice, the average retail price was 9.9 cents per pound, but when the domestic producers of sugar cane and sugar beets have been permitted to produce two-thirds or more of the sugar requirements of ployed for the next few months in pound has been around 5 cents. If | sary edition for the Rising Star Recents for sugar in 1938 as they did when foreign sugar controlled the Miss Reeda Asterham a mind market in 1923 the sugar bill for reader appeared in the women's the United States would have been | court in Chicago a few days ago on | primarly for the masses to provide

Before the present Federal sugar | The defendant contended. First control act expires next December, she did not accept any money. Sec not only the growers of sugar cane ond, she detected at once that her and sugar beets from 22 producing states, but housewives and sugar was an investigator. users all over the United States are expected to unite in protest against a continuation of the existing policy which favors foreign producers who have in the past brought about exceedingly high re- lack of evidence." "Thats right," tail prices when permitted to do- the jurist said, and dismissed the ninate the United States market.

A bill has been drafted and introduced in the National House of Representatives by Congressman Paul H. Maloney of the Ways and Means Committee to supplant the present sugar control law. It is designed to encourage continuation of existing reasonable retail sugar prices by permitting American farmers to again become free men to raise what they can of the country's sugar requirements while restricting imports to the quantity this country needs after our wants are supplied from our own lands.

Many organizations of housewives and other consuming groups look with favor on the Maloney Bill which is known as H. R. 8893 and are writing their Congressmen and Senators to vote for the measure which will soon be voted on.

> Cross Plains H. D. Club

agent, demonstrated the making of feathered comforter. The stitcheathers and ten yards of cloth.

This is a big undertaking, but we are willing to help our neighbors. Game night has been set for May 10th, at Mrs. Huntington's residence. We expect a big crowd. Our club is very much interested

Twenty-five per cent of the yearly income of the average man is armarked for taxes of some ki

in the refrigerated food lockers.

**************** CALLAHAN AMONG 100 TEXAS COUNTIES IN Off--Hand WHICH NO DOGS TAXED Callahan is one of a hundred Tex-

Observations s counties where the entire canine population escaped the tax assessor when he made his rounds last year. Moran Enterprise suspends pub-This information is revealed in the lication, after many years, Moran 1939 report of the State Comptrollis to be without a newspaper. Wayne Sellers who ran for representjust been released in Austin and ative of the 107th representative shows that no dogs were rendered district composed of Callahan and for taxation in this county for that ed by Omar Burkett. Mr. Sellers In 154 Texas counties the tax states, "I wish to announce that assessors reported a total of 3,559 the Enterprise has been acquired by the Shackelford Leader which

dogs assessed for an aggregate of \$52,502 for tax purpoes. Travis leads all counties in total scriptions. The equipment has valuation of canines with 108 on been sold to a printing firm and the tax rolls for a combined valuwill be moved out of the city. It is

ation of \$10,900.

to suspend publication of the Enter-BABY GIRL BORN TO MR. prise, but it might as well be known AND MRS. W. G. WATSON

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Watson are Mr. Sellers states he will be emparents of a nine pound baby girl born Sunday at the home of Mr. this country the retail price per getting out a special 50th anniver- and Mrs. J. C. Watson here. The child has been named Frances May Both mother and baby are reported doing nicely

\$1,253,000,000. As it was, sugar a charge of violating a city ordin- a protection which all men desire consumers saved \$600,0000,000 in 19- ance against commercial fortune | a protection which all men desire

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CUB SCOUT TROOP TO BE ORGANIZED HERE

With a recently organized Boy cout troop in Cross Plains off to splendid start, plans now call for instituting of a Cub Scout program here. A meeting for this purpose will be held in the ward school building here Friday night, May 17, at five o'clock.

ered program for boys between the ages of 9 and 12. Cubs will meet weekly in the afternoon at the home of one of the boys with a mother f one of the cubs-known as the Den Mother"-and a Boy Scout in

Mothers, fathers and boys beween the ages of 9 and 12 years are urged to attend the meeting here riday night of next week.

Dr. J. H. McGowen

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B. F. Russell Attorney at Law BAIRD, TEXAS ****** PERSONALS

Mrs. Leo Tyler and Mrs. T. W. Briscoe of Clyde visited relatives and friends here Monday.

Oil company office and supervisory workers in Texas are now paid 6 per cent more than in the boom year of 1929, while working hours have been reduced 8.5 per cent.

BROWNWOOD, TEXAS

THUR-FRI-SAT JACK BENNY

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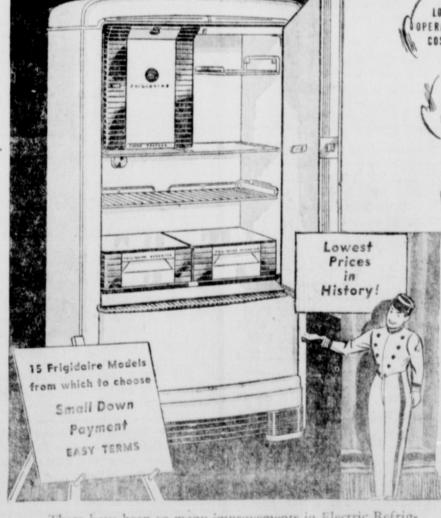
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and refining workers in Texas now in Texas is also refined in Texas. Arcie Hubbard. receive 5 per cent more wages than making petroleum refining the in the boom year of 1929, while state's largest manufacturing inworking hours have been reduced dustry. by approximately one-third.

The Texas petroleum industry pays one-fourth of all the school taxes in the state.

Texas made oil tools and equipment are shipped to every oil producing country in the world.

259 new oil fields discovered in the figures. entire United States last year.

42 were drilled last year.

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The first reported use of Texas oil was in 1543 by survivors of the

Texas oil producers lost over 68 er. million barrels of their market to other oil states with cheaper producing costs in the past two years. Texas oilmen found 107 of the according to Railroad Commission

When a housewife buys a 40 cent Texas oilmen have drilled 75 oil roast she gets 29 cents worth of latives in Lamesa this week. tests to below 10,000 feet, of which | meat and pays 11 cents in hidden

CROSS CUT

One of the most enjoyable affairs given in connection with the closing of school was the junior AT HER HOME FRIDAY and senior banquet-program given in the Cross Cut gymnasium Wednesday evening May first.

The gym was beautifully decorated in the class color, purple and gold with balloons. These colors predominated in the place cards and favors and the table was centered with a May pole also purple and gold.

Mothers of the juniors served tail, hot rolls, creamed potatoes, buttered peas, carrot and celery Fort Worth, were notified and are salad, iced tea, cake and ice cream.

The program for the evening was composed of invocation by Mr. Armstrong. Toast by president of junior class; response by president of senior class, piano solo by Charl Mae Newton; remarks by Mr. Barnes, song "Lilacs In The Rain." by Connie Mae Martin, class prophesy, Mr. Hill, and the address by Mr. W. R. Chambers of Burkett.

of junior class; Connie Mae Newton | againt them. and Jack Arledge.

The confetti and tear up prom was led by another sweetheart

Those present at the banquetton, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Arcie Hubbard, Ruby Leveritt. De Soto expedition, who used a Connie Mae Martin, Marie Baucom, ed on a farm, and made his own heavy coastal asphalt to repair Charlie Mae Newton. Dollye West- way educating himself. He says he fee, Ruby Ragland and Mavis Walk-

> es Pentecost, Jake Byrd, Foster Moore, Clyde Chambers, John Rag- 29th judicial district. He will had accepted the call and would and and W. R. Chambers.

Helen Westerman is visiting re-

'Mother's Day" program will be

A Mother's Day fishing party is | acres. ing given Wednesday, May 15th. A large crowd attended the skat-

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Clark of Longview are visiting relatives

g party Monday night.

A large crowd attended the candiate rally and pie supper Friday

ight. The "Early high String Band," and Cross Cut string band

om Indiana, are visiting her parits Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beibl

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xpenditures each year of the Texs petroleum industry goes to Texas lease and royalty payments.

The Texas petroleum industry pays over \$271,000,000 a year in

000 a year from the Texas petroeum industry in lease and royalty

MRS. B. F. BRITTAIN WAS INJURED FROM A FALL

Mrs. B.F. Brittain was injured by fall. She was sweeping the floor and trying to move a rug in some way and her foot slipped, causing her to fall. Dr. Payne of Eastland, was immediately called, and after no bones broken, only serious bruises. She has been confined to her room since and it will be several days before she will be able to be

E. G. SCOTT ABLE TO BE OUT AFTER AN ILLNESS LASTING SEVERAL DAYS

E. G. Scott is able to be out on the streets again after an illness which has kept him in for several months. He was taken ill about Christmas and has been unable to be out since until the last few days. However, it looks natural to see prom. The sweetheart prom was Mr. Scott back on the streets, and led by the sweetheart of high at the domino hall. He is one of the school. Charlie Mae Newter and best checker players in town, and Dick Kaiser. Following was the there are only two or three that circular prom led by the president can win a game when he is pitted

JUDGE SAM RUSSELL WAS CAMPAIGNING IN PUTNAM LAST THUR.

ville was in Putnam Thursday in several Bass weighing 7 to 9 prom were: Mr. and Mrs. John shaking hands with friends and pounds to date, Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Ross New. | making new acquaintances, in the man from the 17th district.

Judge Russell states he was rearman, Veda Moore, Katherine Duf. taught school, served as a soldier Jack Arledge, Dick Kaiser, Jam- the 29th, Judical district and is Hollis was in the News office one now serving as district judge of the day this week and stated that he

J. B. BEESON WAS IN PUTNAM THURSDAY

J. B. Beeson of Baird, local manbers are now investigating sites for a course. It will need around 100

Miss Juanita Parker of Thurber is visiting her uncle and aunt Mr and Mrs. Hull this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hull visited in Stephenville, and attended an annual cemetery working at Han nibal Saturday afternoon return-

Those attending the Callahan county singing convention from Putnam, Sunday afternoon were and Mrs. W. A. Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. E N Hull and niece Miss Juanita Parker and W. P. Stephen and possibly others.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. COOK ARE HOME AGAIN AFTER VISITING SOUTH TEXAS

Crazy Water Gang," from Mineral in South Texas with their son chiding Aransas Pass, Rock Port, Corpus Christi, San Antonio, Victworkers in wages and salaries and oria and a number of smaller towns o Texas farmers and land-owners in the southern part of the State. Mr. Cook who has been in bad



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******************* LOTIEF NOTIFIES HE WILL SPEAK AT PICNIC

Ceell A. Lotief, of Rotan, now a andidate for the state senate notified the Review yesterday that he at the annual celebration.

Members of the invitation comnittee: Mayor C. S. Martin, Paul V. Harrell and Jack Scott, mailed aboard the freight cars which were invitations this week to all can- not wrecked, but it was not known examination he reported there were didates for State and district of whether there were any in the othficers. County and precinct candi- ers. It was conceded that if there dates are to be invited personally. were, they were undoubtedly dead.

Mrs. Browning her daughters, of a good time while gone fishing in surface of the wreckage, nor could the bay and big lakes and catching they hear any cries. ing fine since returning. Mrs. Cook stated she made her first trip in an airplane while she was gone with her son in law in his Taylorcraft machine.

62 POUND CATFISH WAS CAUGHT OUT OF LAKE CISCO TUESDAY

or four miles east of Cisco on the Eastland road landed a cat fish Tuesday morning weighing 62 lbs., It was caught with a pearch hook, and was the largest fish ever caught out of lake Cisco. The Bass fishing contest put on by the Red Front Drug Store, offering prizes for the largest Bass caught the first week in May and for the largest Bass caught during the month of May is going over good. There are a number who have entered the Judge Sam Russell of Stephen- contest and have already brought

REV. HOLLIS ACCEPTS FULL TIME CALL TO NORTH PARK CHURCH

Rev. F. A. Hollis who has been pastor of the Baptist church at Putduring the world war, served as nam for the past four years, has county attorney for five years and been called to the pastorate of the then elected as district attorney for North Park Baptist church. Rev. make a formal announcement this move to Abilene some time in the near future to take up the work there. He has been called for fulltime. Many regret the leaving of Rev. and Mrs. Hollis; but wish them success in their new field of

BIG LOSS IN TRAIN WRECK NEAR DOTHAN WEDNESDAY MORNING

Fear was held that the bodies of would speak in Cross Plains at the beneath the wreckage of 17 cars of annual Picnic in July. He was the a long west-bound Texas and Pacifirst candidate to notify of his ac- fic freight train which were deceptance of an invitation to speak railed early Wednesday morning a mile and a half west of Dothan. None of the train crew was injured.

nary investigation of the wreck the menu consisting of fruit cock- out again. Mrs. George Conner and health for several years reported could not see any bodies on the plenty of fish. He says he is feel- The wreck occurred in a road-

> sible to see underneath. Hoboes frequently ride in bunkers in empty refrigerator cars. Since 15 of the 17 cars were empty refrigerator cars,

A. E. Pistole, division superintendent, and A. C. Ogg, trainmaster, rushed to the scene from Big Spring. At noon Wednesday they had not determined cause of th

One theory was that the journal axle) on one of two gondola cars

loaded with coke broke. The refrigerator cars were splintered, many beyond repair. Coke was strewn all over the right of way and along highway 80 nearby.

There are 345 different taxes on taxes on a loaf of bread.

One dollar out of every four paid for rent represents taxes of some

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Mr. and Mrs. Hub Freeman were in Baird Sunday.

Success in every enterprise

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RIB ROAST,	Lb.	15c
Assorted LUNCH M	EAT lb.	22c
SLICED BACON,	lb.	17c
KRAFT CHEESE,	lb	21c

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Jimmie of Dallas sper

week end with Mr. an one or more-hoboes may be laying

bed cut through a hill, and the cars were piled criss-cross in it in such a manner that it was impos-

likelihood that men were in the wreckage was heightened.

The right-of-way was badly torn

The train consisted of about 60 cars. Harry Walker was conductor.

an automobile and 58 kinds of

63 varieties of taxes representing 30 per cent of its value.

Womack and family a SUBSCRIBE FOR THE REVIEW He Writer Sunday, May 12. MOTHER'S DA Remember her with that will really wa

othing but the

Martha Washing Gossip Chocolates And many other Appropriate Item

term in Cross Plains and for eds of local lads and lassies Smiths Drug 8 awaited vacation days SPECIAL e of the cutest little gals the of home town, Miss da Martin, will renounce de blessedness Saturday

> fortunate young man at Coleman and it is likethe popular couple will their abode there. More dete details next week.

to become Mrs. Lynn

cinning of Philpeco country eighth annual invitation golf boxes have recently been

and are being saved until look as though they'd been

"District seven, of which Cross tained this attitud-KERMIT MAYNA A man, of our acquaintance, visitors during the professional and mail weekly with

Sabanno Lady Is Laid To Last Rest

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charge of Higginbothams. We to the cigar store Indian, wave farewell to the scare-

JE WILL AGAIN MAKE SENATE RACE

ongratulations are in order

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MONDAY NIGHT AT METHODIST CHURCH

FUNCTION WILL BE

Announces Mrs. M. Russell In keeping with Mayor C. S. Martin's proclamation naming the week of May 20-25 as "Processional and Service Week of the Works Progress Administration" in Cross Plains, a public observance will be reelection, I desire t held in the basement of the Metho- platform of 1936 at

dist church Monday night, and too Various actions I ha the local W.P.A. sewing room will cerning same. be open for visitors all next week. In commenting upon the forthcoming observance, Mrs. Maudie I strongly advocate R. Russell, local sewing room sup- zed the principal of f ervisor, yesterday issued the follow- free press. Strictly

been set aside for open house at is cordially and urgently invited gressional Record, fe

milles a typical Western missioner of W.P.A. and Mrs. Kerr, all maintained at en will be a program by local speak- fice-holder. My co ers, songs and games. ditions in Cross Plains ap-

Sunday Afternoon

Funeral services for Mrs. J. W. Nicholas, of the Sabanno community, who died at her home there Saturday, were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in Mills County, near Mul-

JAMES CROSS OPENING SERVICE STATION AT

HIGHWAYS' JUNCTION

ailding, terracing and making

ment concerning his formal opening I have and shall cor is the social security oblig- columns of today's issue of the

OF C DIRECTORS TO MEET FRIDAY EVENING

session Friday night in the Citizens reasonable increases upon State Bank building at eight ral resources rather than o'clock, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. C. V. Ramsey, secretary.

C. L. Adams of Lubbock visited Gant were business visitors his mother, Mrs. W. C. Adams here

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Congressman Clyde Local Sewing Room Will Hold tion as Representative Open House All Next Week of Representatives a D.C., from the 17th His official annour

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Free Speech and

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for the adequate an for the widows at veterans in the pre Congress.

in 1936 in opposition