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"Nothing but the United States mint can make money without advertising."

"Without offense to friends or foes we sketch Cross Plains exactly as it goes."

CITY LOOKS TO 3RD WAR XMAS

Callahan County Boy Wins National 4-H Title

PROFITS OF \$28,000 IN 6 YEARS MADE IN FARMING ENDEAVOR

Started With One Ewe Lamb And Branched Off Into Cattle, Swine Feeding

A Callahan county farm boy Saturday was acclaimed the nation's outstanding 4-H clubber at the organization's national convention in Chicago. Awarded to him was the national 4-H Club Achievement Award in recognition of superior accomplishments in agricultural and livestock endeavors. The youth is Billy Sol Estes, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Estes, prominent Callahan county ranch people.

Six years ago Billy Sol started his career with one ewe lamb. He later sold the flock founded by the ewe for \$900 and invested in swine. His total earnings from swine were \$17,000. Other earnings from crops, cattle and sheep raised on his father's 1,600 acre ranch swelled his profits to \$28,000 and today the youth boasts a bulging bank account to attest to his aggressiveness.

For six years Billy Sol Estes, 18 has been a leader and during the past few years he has really blossomed in the livestock field, buying, selling and handling cattle like a veteran.

He has served as president of the Clyde 4-H club the past four years and has been a consistent exhibitor of champion calves and swine at the Callahan county show. He exhibited a second prize swine at the West Texas Livestock show at Abilene recently.

But it has been as a commercial operator that Estes has really gone to town. He finishes from 200 to 250 hogs for the market during a year's time, keeping 100 head on feed at all times. He has used government feed wheat for the feeding projects and has been instrumental in securing 21 cars of the feed wheat in recent months for Callahan county farmers.

Estes operates a co-op feed store in Clyde and when farmers do not want all of the feed ordered, he feeds the rest. In addition to all of the hogs that he feeds, he keeps a number of registered swine.

Estes now has 50 head of high quality white-face cows and 55 head of steers that he will winter on ensilage put up several years ago and government feed wheat and corn, fed in lieu of protein feeds. He was graduated from Clyde high school last spring.

INTERNAL REVENUE MAN WILL BE HERE DECEMBER SEVENTH

Herbert W. Patterson, deputy collector of internal revenue will be at the Citizens State Bank in Cross Plains December 7th from 8:30 a.m. until five p.m. to render assistance with current income tax problems to farmers and ranchmen. This will be the only visit of an internal revenue department man in Cross Plains before December 15, deadline for filing declarations of estimated income and victory taxes.

HUB FREEMAN TO BUILD BUILDING ON SO. MAIN

Hub Freeman plans to start construction within the near future on a building on South Main Street at the site formerly occupied by the Welcome Service Station. The edifice will be either of sheet iron, tile or natural stone.

In Navy Air Corps



J. W. NEWTON S2C

J. W. Newton, seaman second class, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newton, of Cross Cut. He was inducted into service on September 1, 1943, and is now stationed at Cabaniss Field, Corpus Christi.

J. W. was a member of the graduating class of Cross Plains high school in 1942. He attended John Tarleton College one year.

Callahan County Committee Elected In Meeting Nov. 24

Farmers and ranchmen of Callahan County met in nine communities November 19th, and elected community committeemen, and delegates who met in Baird AAA office November 24th, and elected the County Committee to administer the Program for 1944.

The County Committee elected were: J. Lester Farmer, Eula, Chairman; Fred W. Stacy, Cross Plains, Vice-chairman; Clyde T. Floyd, Opalin.

The Community Committeemen and places they will serve are: Clyde: John L. Estes, M. E. Jolly and Otto Rogers; Baird: E. A. Franke, Joel Griffin and Ernest Higgins; Eula: W. H. Ferguson, V. C. Stephenson and J. A. McKee; Denton: H. L. Sikes, L. H. Hayhurst and L. W. Caldwell; Rowden: W. L. Lawrence, O. F. Henderson and A. E. Hornsby; Opalin: Tommie N. Poindexter, Ernest Gwin and Roy Armor; Putnam: R. L. Clinton, A. J. Ellis and E. S. Wood; Cottonwood: J. H. McElroy, R. F. Joy and H. L. Thomas; Cross Plains: E. L. Vestal, S. O. Montgomery and C. C. McDermott.

SGT. BILL UPTON IS HOME FOR FURLOUGH

Sergeant Bill Upton, who was recently transferred to Ft. Bliss from the Canal Zone where he had been since before the outbreak of war, visited in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Jim Taylor this week and other relatives in this vicinity. He is to report for duty at El Paso the thirteenth of December.

Bill is a member of a coast guard unit and has been in service three years. He formerly attended Cross Plains high school where he was an outstanding athlete.

MRS. BEN J. GARNER SUSTAINS BROKEN LEG

Friends of Mrs. Ben J. Garner, formerly of this place, will regret to learn that she recently sustained a broken leg and is confined at a Fort Worth hospital. Her condition is said to be improving normally, however, and Cross Plains friends wish her a speedy and complete recovery.

LOCAL F F A BOYS WIN STATE CONTEST

Cross Plains high school F.F.A. chapter has been announced as second place winner in a statewide peanut growing contest, sponsored by the Texas Cottonseed Crushers Association. Second place prize is \$45 in cash.

Winners in the contest were determined by the number of acres planted, yield per acre and profits from the project.

Winners of the first four places for which cash awards are to be given and the order in which they finished were: Bridgeport, Cross Plains, Comyn and Giddings.

2 More Local Men Inducted Tuesday And 6 More Ready

Two Cross Plains men were among the group from Callahan county inducted into the armed forces after passing second physical examinations at Lubbock Tuesday. They are: J. L. Francis and Volney Monsey. Failing to pass the physical tests at Lubbock were Carl D. Antrey and Laddie Kelley, also of Cross Plains.

Six other Cross Plains men were among the group to pass first physical tests at Baird Tuesday, preparatory to being sent to Lubbock for further examination. In this group were: Walter White, Jr., Roy Lane, Oral Ray, Walton Ray, Boyd Dillard and Jack Scott.

GRANDSON OF LOCAL COUPLE SELECTED AS OUTSTANDING CADET

Flight Officer LaVelle R. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson, Jr., of Route 4 Waco, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson of Cross Plains, was selected Outstanding Cadet of the aviation cadet class which graduated November 3rd, at the advanced single-engine flying school, Napier Field, Alabama.

Flight officer Wilson was selected by officials of the school for his flying ability, ground school grades, athletic ability and military discipline and courtesy.

Flight officer Wilson was born in Waco and attended Waco high school, where he was a member of the basketball and track teams. He entered the armed service when the Texas National Guard was called to active service and served in the infantry for two years. He was stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass., when he was accepted for aviation cadet training.

He is well known in Cross Plains, having visited in the home of his grandparents a number of times.

LOCAL LADIES QUILT MONDAY FOR ORPHANS

Mrs. L. W. Placke entertained in her home Monday afternoon, from two until six o'clock, with a quilting and social. A number of ladies from the Church of Christ were present to quilt for an Orphans' Home. The quilt completed one quilt for the orphans.

LUNCHEON CLUB TO MEET NEXT TUESDAY AT NOON

Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Club will meet Tuesday of next week in the dining hall of the Methodist church, according to an announcement yesterday from Fred V. Tannell, president.

HONOR ROLL

Those who this week renewed their subscription to the Review for another year are as follows:

- T. A. King
- S. A. Flemming
- E. M. Long
- Mrs. C. E. Atwood
- Jim Elrod
- Leo Baum
- Clyde White
- C. R. McKinney
- Mrs. L. D. Long
- J. D. Hawkins
- P. W. Payne
- O. M. Bailey
- Mrs. R. L. Holland
- Don McCall
- Mrs. Marion West
- W. R. Thompson
- B. A. Moore
- Joe Lilly
- Dale Gary
- John Dunn
- L. L. Montgomery
- O. M. Gage
- L. C. Freeman
- Mrs. Lillie Swafford
- Ivan Odum
- S/Sgt. Franzel Odum
- Mrs. J. P. Smartt
- B. I. Marshall
- Mrs. S. P. Long
- J. A. Champion
- V. L. Fulton
- Frank Woody
- Frank Havens
- Silas Havens
- Jimmie Settle

Double Ceremony Weds Two Local Couples Tuesday

Two Cross Plains couples were united in marriage at Atwell Monday night with Rev. D. C. Foster, Sr. father of one of the bridegrooms solemnizing the rites. The couples were, Miss El Wanda Tedrow and D. C. Foster, Jr. and Miss Billie Jean Cross and Russell Calhoun.

All four of the newly weds were in Abilene Tuesday and could not be contacted by a representative of the Review for details concerning the marriages however, the following data was garnered from friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. Calhoun, nee Billie Jean Cross, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cross, well known Cross Plains couple, and has resided here virtually all of her life with exception of a few years at Burkett. She was a student at Cross Plains high school. The groom, Russell Calhoun is a graduate of Cross Plains and former student of Cisco Junior college. He is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Calhoun of this city.

Mrs. Foster, nee El Wanda Tedrow is the daughter of a well known Seymour couple. She came to Cross Plains in September accepting a place in the local school faculty. The groom, D. C. Foster, Jr. is a former student at Cross Plains high school where he was an outstanding athlete. He is at present employed by a bottling firm in Abilene.

A more comprehensive account of the double marriage will be published in next week's issue of the Review.

Staff Sergeant Fred McMehee, who is stationed in the air corps at Harrington, visited friends here Saturday afternoon. He was enroute to his home near Abilene to spend the week end with his parents.

In Air Corps



SGT. ROBERT GIBSON

Sergeant Robert Gibson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson, of Pioneer. He entered the air corps in March, this year, and was sent to Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. for training, where he, in a period of six months, attained the rating of sergeant.

He was recently selected as a cadet for flight training and is now at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, waiting to begin his pre-flight training.

Robert was graduated with the class of 1942 from Pioneer high school, after which he was engaged in defense work in California until his entrance into the service the past spring.

Final Rites For Jake Strickland Are Held In Burkett

Final rites for Jake Strickland, 51, of Burkett, were held Monday afternoon, November 29, at four o'clock at the Burkett Methodist church, with Rev. L. M. Lawhon, pastor officiating.

Mr. Strickland succumbed Sunday afternoon, November 28, at his home in Burkett, after an illness of only a few days. He was rushed to a Coleman hospital last week when he became ill with heart trouble, however, within a few days was removed to his home Sunday afternoon, soon after which he had an attack and passed away suddenly.

Survivors include five sisters, Mrs. D. S. Taber, Mrs. H. H. Porter, Mrs. E. G. Adams, Mrs. Jimmie Davis and Miss Fannie Strickland, all of Burkett; three brothers, W. R. "Bud" Strickland and Tom Strickland, both of Burkett, and Jim Strickland, of Baird.

Interment was made in the Burkett cemetery, with Higginbotham, Cross Plains, in charge.

ANNA LOU ERWIN IS RECOVERING IN AN EASTLAND HOSPITAL

Miss Anna Lou Erwin, 11 year old daughter of Finis Erwin, who resides Northeast of Cross Plains, underwent a major appendix operation in an Eastland hospital on Thursday, November 25.

Anna Lou has been seriously ill, however, the latest reports were to the effect that she is convalescing normally and will probably be able to return to her home the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Fomby, of Perry, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with Mrs. Fomby's mother, Mrs. John Tyson. They were the Friday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson.

ABSENCE OF MEN IN SERVICE WILL DIM SPIRIT OF YULETIDE

Expect Fewer Furloughs Is Word Received Here From Many Men In Army Camps

Plans are moving forward here for the observance of a third war time Christmas, however, in most homes there will be only token festivities; all eyes seem focused on Christmas of '44, when it is hoped the war will have been brought to a victorious conclusion and American servicemen returned to their homes. With several hundred men from this immediate locality under the colors and more than 70 overseas either in or near the combat zone, the yuletide can not of course, provide the customary happiness of united families and friendly fellowship.

Fathers, mothers and wives of men in the service have received letters by the dozens in recent weeks reporting that there would be fewer furloughs this year and the presence of uniforms on the streets of Cross Plains would likely be less common this yuletide. But most all the missives have expressed wishes for a continuance of the Christmas cheer and carried a postscript: "Save a place for me around the festive board in '44'."

Local stores are comparatively well stocked with Christmas merchandise this season, despite the shortage of many gift items. Toys, particularly are different from in other years, however, American ingenuity has provided suitable substitutes for metal and other needed items gone to war. The war time toys are better than most merchants had expected and will bring the usual thrill to youthful hearts. Clothing stores, drug stores and groceries too, have experienced difficulties in securing many of the items ordinarily offered to the Christmas trade, but in comparison with other cities, shoppers say the Cross Plains concerns are well stocked.

No arrangements have been made here as yet to light the business district of Cross Plains during Christmas, and it is not known whether or not steps in this direction will be taken. A number of other cities, however, have announced they will be lighted, pointing out there is no shortage of electricity and that wire, globes and other necessary items are available. It has been argued in some points that Christmas lighting would be advocated for civilian morale, however, Cross Plains people need only an occasional thought of their fighting sons is necessary to keep morale high and their spirits in time with the nation's war effort.

BROTHER OF LOCAL LADY IS MADE STAFF SERGEANT IN ARMY

Mrs. Clyde Sims received word this week that her brother, LaVorn "Son" Starnater, who is on desert maneuvers in California, was recently promoted to the rank of Staff Sergeant in the Infantry.

S/Sgt. Starnater is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Starnater, of Abilene. He has been in service about a year and was stationed in Camp Berkeley before leaving for California.

Mrs. L. W. Placke had as her guest the past week, her sister, Mrs. Bryan D. Beck, of Corpus Christi.

Loys Davidson, who recently returned home from West Texas, where he has been employed, is now employed in Breckenridge.

Home Town Gossip

There was once a time when rivalry between neighboring towns was so keen that it was not considered "wise policy" to linger long in a village adjacent to one's home town. Men visiting ladies in neighboring cities were often met by "sneakies" from the young ladies of town and shown the error of their ways. In short, inter-city rivalry was just not the order of the day. Many oldsters can remember when such feeling of animosity existed between Cross Plains and Rising Star.

Times have changed a great deal. Now young people of the communities mix with Christian cordiality. A visitor in one community is accorded every courtesy and hospitality for which Texas is so genuinely famous. The people of the two communities have long since realized that nothing is to be gained by the rivalry of neighboring cities or ill-will toward its citizens. On the other hand lives are richer by the companionship of neighboring townsmen.

In the old days of inter-city rivalry the fight was generally fought in the newspapers, and editors spent nights thinking of dirty words to call their contemporaries. Coming from Rising Star one afternoon after a very pleasant visit with M. S. (Doc) and D. J. (Jack) McCarty, the Rising Star Record, we went to thinking how much better the present day attitude. We pass the Record office with a smile for a short chat, we notice that other Cross Plains men have the same desire regard to members of their profession there. Too, words in that Cross Plains and Rising Star boys who formerly met on the gridiron, the basketball court and other scenes of athletic endeavors, embrace like brothers when they meet on the various fronts of this global war. Yes, Americans have forgotten city rivalries are now know and understood deep, mutual ties.

Dan Cupid slipped in and a double knockout this evening claiming as his victims: El Wanda Tedrow and D. C. Foster, Jr. and Miss Billie Jean Cross and Russell Calhoun. The were solemnized by Rev. D. C. Foster Sr., at his home near Atwell Monday night.

Best congratulations and best wishes to the newly weds.

Another war loan drive is to be started in January, probably the fourth. Quotas have not yet been assigned but you may be assured it will be high for the stager of war has not depreciated, when conditions will again be upon to dig deep to find the money cash to meet the fourth bond buying quota. But with virtually in sight our endeavor must be quickened—not less;—to hasten the day when 1,500 men from our midst return to their places in the and in the community and help their lives, where war so interrupted.

Some months have elapsed since citizens of Cross Plains, Pioneer Star and other cities of the route went to Cisco and their case in opposition to the A.T. rail road's application to place their line from DeLeon Cross Plains. The Interstate Commerce Commission representative who examined the evidence, issued a verdict "in the near"—which was taken to mean within six weeks at the most. Nothing has been reported as yet for a Christmas present will get a favorable ruling from the Commission. If so, it'll be a gift that every man, woman and child in the area will appreciate.

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BURKETT

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Mr. Strickland had been employed in Service Club Number 3 at Camp Bowie the past several months, and was taken to the hospital in Coleman last week when he became ill with heart trouble. He was believed to be well on the way to recovery Sunday afternoon and was removed to his home here, soon after which he had an attack and passed away suddenly.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Margaret Foster, who is employed in Brownwood, visited her mother, Mrs. Carl Sheppard, here last week.

Cpl. Granvel Pierce, who is stationed at Atlanta, Georgia, visited relatives and friends here the latter part of last week.

Miss Norma King, who is employed in Ballinger, spent the past week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King.

Miss Emma Jane Williams, who is employed in San Antonio, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Socrates Walker, of Colorado City, arrived here Friday to spend the week end with Mr. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker.

C. V. Johnson, who has been employed in the shipyards at Houston, is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Placke had as their guests the latter part of last week Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Williams and daughter Jane, of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Skelton have returned to their home in Fort Smith, Arkansas, after several days visit here in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Gregoire.

Miss Earline Sillis, who is attending North Texas State Teachers College in Denton, arrived here Wednesday evening to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Miss Alice Hyson, and other relatives.

Cpl. J. E. Burkett left the first of this week for Arizona, where he will be stationed. He spent an 11 day furlough here with his wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bowden returned home from Fort Worth the first of last week where they visited his father and also met his sister, Mrs. James Patton, and Seaman first class Patton, of Howland Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bish and daughter were in Fort Worth last week, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Barrett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Williams and baby, Mrs. Doulah Adams and daughters, Juan and Joyce, all of Fort Worth spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Gelson and family have moved to the B. W.

DELTA KAPPA BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED IN EDWIN BAUM, JR. HOME

Mrs. Edwin Baum, Jr., entertained members of the Delta Kappa Bridge Club with two tables of contract bridge in her home last Tuesday evening, November 23.

High score winner for the evening was Mrs. Ava Walker.

After a series of games, a refreshment plate of pineapple salad, chocolate pie topped with whipped cream and coffee, was passed to the following members and guests:

Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, Mrs. Jack Scott, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Mrs. H. H. McDermott, Jr., Mrs. Ava Walker, Mrs. Curran E. Allen, Mrs. Ralph McNeal, Mrs. Herbert Freeman and the hostess, Mrs. Edwin Baum, Jr.

PIONEER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pack and son, J. T., of Caddo, and James Pack, of the Coast Guards of Galveston, visited friends in Pioneer and Cross Plains Saturday night.

Miss Geneva Marshall who is teaching school at Holiday, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Huntington and Harold Dean, of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington and Norma Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Huntington, Mrs. Sam Marshall, Sam, Jr. and Ann, Mr. and Mrs. John Fore and Corporal John W. Fore, of this place and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Huntington and Patty Sue, of Cross Plains, went to Brownwood Sunday to meet Lt. (Jg) B. W. Huntington who flew over from Kingsville.

Mrs. F. P. Grant spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her husband at Camp Swift.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Carley and children, of Trent, spent the week end with relatives in Pioneer.

Rev. Randal filled the pulpit in the Baptist church Sunday.

Cpl. "Moosey" Fore will return to Camp Barkeley within the near future, after spending his furlough with his parents.

Dr. I. M. Howard, of Ranget, was a visitor in Cross Plains Monday.

INFANT DAUGHTER OF FORMER LOCAL COUPLE BURIED HERE NOV. 15

Funeral services for the nine month old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Potter, of Abilene, formerly of this place, were held Monday afternoon, November 15 at three o'clock at the Old Time Gospel Mission in Cross Plains, with Rev. W. M. Lightford officiating.

The baby died in a Brownwood hospital, after an extended illness.

Survivors include the bereaved parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. "Pat" Potter, maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Magnus, of Brownwood, and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Potter, who live West of Cross Plains.

Interment was made in the Cross Plains cemetery, with Higginbotham Cross Plains in charge.

CPL. ALVIN SWAFFORD IS GIVEN A MEDICAL DISCHARGE BY ARMY

Cpl. Alvin R. (Pete) Swafford, who has been in service almost two years, received a medical discharge from the United States Army recently, and arrived here Sunday for an extended visit. He sustained a leg and knee injury about six months ago, and has been in an army hospital at San Bernardino, California for the past four months.

Pete, son of Mrs. Lillie Swafford of the Rowden community, was a member of the Ninth division stationed in California, and formerly stationed in Kansas. He was a tank driver.

Miss Alleen Williams of Fort Worth, visited friends and relatives here and in Burkett the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tyler and son Nathan Ray, and Mrs. Weldon Stewart were business visitors in Brownwood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Drew Hill and other relatives in Cross Plains Sunday.

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ROWDEN

Mrs. Barr Elliott and children of Fort Worth, have been visiting friends and relatives here the past few days.

Buddy Gibbs, of San Diego, is here on a vacation visiting relatives and friends. He has been employed in an aircraft factory in San Diego for the past two years.

Mrs. Jim Childers and children of Ovale, and her son Tommy and wife visited relatives at Burnt Branch and Rowden.

Herman Wood, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Will Fortune, came home Saturday from Houston, where he has been employed.

Mrs. Averett and children of this place, were visitors in Cross Plains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Harris and son, Tommy Dan, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Harris in Cross Plains Thursday.

Mr. W. V. Roberts was very ill a few days this week. He is reported to be improved.

Cecil Jones, who has been employed in Fort Worth for the past few months, has returned to his home here.

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5:50 p.m.	5:55 p.m.
10:10 p.m.	10:15 p.m.

Arrivals From North	Departures To South
7:45 a.m.	7:50 a.m.
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Mrs. Luke Westerman read the devotional, after which several piano selections were rendered by Mrs. Howard Strahan.

After numerous games and contests a refreshment plate of pumpkin pie a la mode and hot coffee was served to each of the following guests: Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. J. W. Dunlap, Mrs. L. L. Howser, Mrs. Luke Westerman, Mrs. O. G. Ballard, Mrs. O. W. Gray, Mrs. Howard Strahan, Lucille and Marie Smith and the hostess Mrs. Earl Smith.

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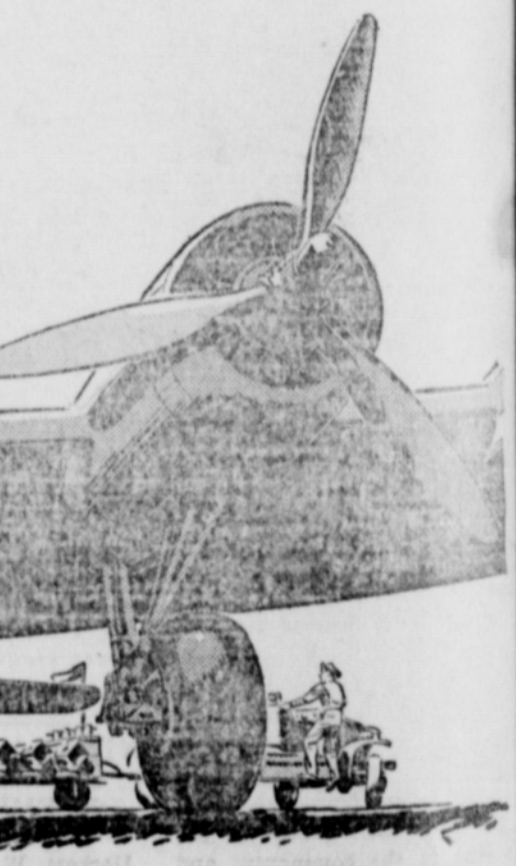
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MEMBER REMINDER

17 cent coast stamps are good through August 8 in states outside the east area A-S coupons are good through November 22. Period 1 coupons are good through January 3. Stamp No. 29 in Book 4 for 5 pounds through Jan. 1944. Stamp No. 18 in Book 1 for one pair. Stamp No. 1 on airplane sheet in Book three for one pair.

FATS—Brown stamps and J good through December. Brown stamp K becomes December 14 and remains so December 4. BLESSED FOODS—Blue stamps A, B, and C good through November. Green stamps A, B, and C good through December.

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COTTONWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sprawls and daughter Evelyn, of Marion, Texas, spent the week end with her mother Mrs. Altie Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Cox and family, of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Renfro and family, of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Frazier and family, Audie Frazier and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bryan and family, of Cross Plains, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McElroy of Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baker, of Abilene, Mrs. J. R. McGary and Mrs. Bob McGary, of Stamford, visited with the Robertsons' the past week.

George and Wanda Weldon are visiting their aunt in Abilene this week.

Minister C. L. Cox preached Sunday at the Church of Christ and was accompanied by his wife and his son, Cecil, also his sister and daughter, of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Strahan, W. B. Allen, Myrtle Wiseman, Mrs. Altie Fuller and Bonnie and Bessie and Barbara Allen ate Thanksgiving supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Peavy.

Carrol Rutherford, of Baird, spent Sunday with Mrs. Altie Fuller and family.

Misses Beulah Respass and Miss Corri Strahan, who are teaching at Bayou spent the week end here with homefolks.

We are proud to hear that Otis Bennett is doing better this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey and children spent Sunday with her parents at Putnam.

Mrs. W. E. Kelleff, of Odessa, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Shirley.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall have as their guests this week, Mrs. James Hall and baby, of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pierce and family of Baird, were visitors in Cross Plains the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Norma Sherman spent the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Thate, of Abilene were in Cross Plains the latter part of last week.

Pfc. Bill Pleck, of Camp Bowie was a Cross Plains visitor Wednesday evening.

Homer Moon, who is employed in Brownwood, visited his family here last week.

Mrs. W. H. McMillan and children, of Lawn, visited relatives and friends here Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion West, who reside South of Rising Star, were visitors in Cross Plains Friday.

Mrs. Cora Anderson had as her guests this week, her daughter and children, of San Antonio.

Jack Ried, of Camp Bowie, visited friends in Cross Plains Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCuin and daughter, Cynthia Lee, and Miss Hallie Peters spent the week end with relatives and friends in Winters.

Miss Juanita Burks, who is employed in Abilene, spent the Thanksgiving holiday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burks.

Staff Sergeant Bob Roach, of Rising Star, who is stationed in Victorville, California, visited friends in Cross Plains Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Don Helberg and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helberg in Burkett and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith near Coleman the latter part of last week.

Buddy Gibbs, who has been employed in an aircraft plant in San Diego, California for the past two years, arrived here the latter part of last week for several days visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. S. G. Robinson recently had as her guests, Mrs. L. D. Long, of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Long and Calvin Long, who recently received an honorable discharge from the army. Calvin is now employed in Fort Worth.

Take Bexel Vitamin B Complex Capsules. Contains all 5 of the most essential Vitamins.

Get Them At SIMS DRUG CO. Cross Plains, Texas

Mrs. Bill Kendall and son, Billy, have returned to their home here after several days visit with relatives in McCaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stone and daughter, Adella, of Brownwood, spent Thanksgiving here with friends and relatives.

SLAP THE JAP WITH SCRAP. YES IT WILL HELP TO LICK HITLER TOO. BRING IN ALL OLD IRON, COPPER, RUBBER, STEEL, ETC. IT WILL GO DIRECTLY INTO THE CHANNELS OF WAR PRODUCTION.

UNCLE SAM IS ASKING FOR EVERY OUNCE OF SCRAP. REGARDLESS OF WHAT YOU HAVE, IF IT IS NOT NEEDED PUT IT TO WORK IN HELPING LICK THE AXIS.

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Cross Plains, Texas

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Have you thought of giving your husband or son a NEW SUIT for CHRISTMAS? We have most of their measurements on file, so you can just drop by and pick out the sample and order the suit in time for delivery XMAS. Our attractive patterns and surprisingly low prices will please you.

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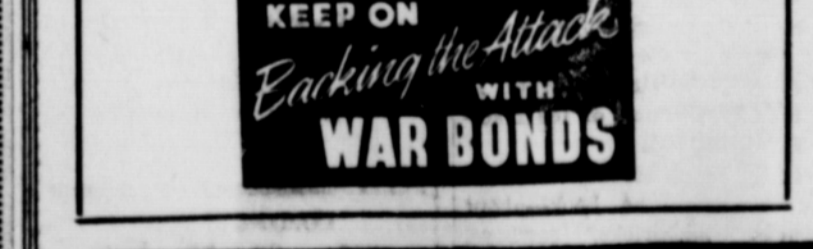
On account of rationing and federal regulations our stocks are not quite as complete as in other years, but we do believe that we are able to offer comparative stocks to any store in this part of the State and we will be happy to serve you.

We expect a very busy season from now until Christmas and this year, as never before, it certainly behooves everyone to do their shopping as early as possible. We feel sure that it is not necessary for us to call your attention to the fact that late shoppers will, in all probability, be disappointed this year. We do not hope to be able to replace, before Christmas, items sold out. And, to use an old saying, "A Hint to the Wise Is Sufficient." Remember—Only Four More Weeks Until Christmas.



Buy Gifts For Mailing Now Uncle Sam says that all Christmas packages must be in the postoffice before December 10th, to be sure of being handled in time for Christmas.

Buy gifts you intend to mail right now. You can mark them, "Not to be Opened Until Christmas" if you wish.



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COMPLETE LINE OF CLOTHING FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN. WE INVITE YOU TO COME IN AND SEE HOW WELL WE ARE PREPARED TO SERVE YOU.

SHOES FOR EVERYONE

WE HAVE A LARGE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK OF SHOES FOR ALL MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY. WE ARE PROUD OF THE VALUES WE ARE OFFERING IN THIS DEPARTMENT.

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FOR MEN WE HAVE A NICE LINE OF SUITS, JACKETS, SWEATERS AND OTHER WARM WEARING APPAREL, ALSO SHIRTS, TIES, HATS, ETC.

FURNITURE LIMITED

GOOD FURNITURE IS SCARCE AND HARD TO GET, BUT WE HAVE A NUMBER OF PIECES THAT WILL MAKE APPRECIATED CHRISTMAS GIFTS. COME IN AND LOOK AT OUR STOCK.

HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

IN OUR HARDWARE DEPARTMENT WE OFFER MANY ITEMS FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS BE SURE TO SEE OUR STOCKS OF DISHES, GLASSWARE, AND MANY OTHER ITEMS.

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Nutshell Advertising

PUBLIC NOTICE: Notice is hereby given that all of my place Northwest of town is hereby posted against hunting, fishing, peccan gathering and trespassing of every nature. No exceptions to this will be granted and the public is hereby notified that all violators will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. Mrs. John Barr. (3tp)

FOR RENT: 1 and 2 room apartments. See Mrs. Cora Anderson. (1tp)

PUBLIC NOTICE: Notice is hereby given that all land owned and controlled by me is hereby posted and from this day forward anyone fishing, hunting or otherwise trespassing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. Horace Wood. (3tp)

FOR SALE: farmall tractor, full equipment; a four disk dry land plow; 8 foot McCormick-Derringer binder-seed. O. Warren, at Ezzell place 4 miles South Scranton. 2tp

PECAN TREES: Big enough to bear. Papershells acclimated. A grove of papershells means good income. Visit us for pecan trees, fruit trees, Fat Hogs, Fine pigs cheap. Shanks Nurseries & Hog Farm, 1/2 mile North of Clyde, Texas. (2tp)

FARMERS: we have plenty of peanut bags but there is no use to buy until you need them. When you're ready, see John Fromen Canafax, Rising Star, Tex. (1tp)

FIBER: If Excess acid causes you pains of Stomach Ulcers, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching, Bloating, Nausea, Gas Pains, get free sample, Udga, at Smith's Drug Store. (10tp)

FOR SALE: Child's tricycle, in perfect condition. Just like new. See Mrs. Pete Robbins. (1tp)

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FOR SALE: Good Jersey heifers and milk cows. Some milking and heavy springers ready to calf. At my barn all time. Also some shorthorn and piggy sows for sale. H. L. Hamilton. (1tp)

BOOKING BABY CHICKS NOW: for delivery date wanted next Spring. R.O.P. Sired U. S. Approved, at no higher price than ordinary chicks. Simpson Electric Hatchery. Coleman, Texas

STRAYED from my place at Sabanao, big bay horse with front legs scared by wire cuts. Anyone knowing whereabouts of this animal please notify Howard Hicks. (2tp)

FOR SALE: 4 good work horses and harness and all plow tools. 3 good milk cows and 2 good calves. H. V. Falkner at Butlers store (1tp)

FOR SALE: 31 model A Ford coupe at bargain, in good condition. See W. A. Prater, Cross Plains 2tp

"BARGAINS" in Farms, Ranches, City property, 30 years of knowing how helps us find the buyer for you or the property you want. List yours. SHANKS LAND OFFICE, 809 Oak, Abilene, Texas. (2tp)

FOR SALE: my home on North Main Street, Write C. W. Kemper, 2006 Pecos St, San Angelo, Tex-3p

WE FIX TUBES that appear to be unrepairable. All tube work is absolutely guaranteed. Walker Respos, Tire and Tube Repair (1tp)

FOR SALE: 80 1/2 acre farm, 2 1/2 miles South Cross Plains, 54 acres cultivation, all good strong land on Turkey Creek, 4 1/2 acre fruit orchard; lots pecans, paper shell and native, rest good grass land; plenty water, well, tank and creek. Lots of improvements. H. W. Strackbein. 3tp

FORMER LOCAL MAN IS SERIOUSLY ILL IN A BROWNWOOD HOSPITAL

Friends will be gratified to learn that M. A. Martin, of Breckenridge formerly of Cross Plains, who has been seriously ill the past several days, is slowly improving in a Brownwood hospital. He was taken to the hospital Sunday suffering with a serious stomach ailment.

PERSONALS

Mrs. C. C. Elliott and daughter, Marilyn, of Brownwood, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Stanley Pierce, of Fort Bliss, El Paso, visited relatives and friends here recently.

Cpl. and Mrs. James Paschall, of San Marcos, arrived here Wednesday morning to spend a fortnight with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wright and children and Miss Vida Armstrong visited Miss Anna Lou Erwin, who recently underwent an operation in an Eastland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Armstrong and Miss Alma Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Clark visited Anna Lou Erwin in an Eastland hospital Monday.

John Fulton, of Pampa, is expected to arrive here the latter part of this week for several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton, who reside North of Cross Plains.

Misses Colleen Rouse and Leota Long spent Thanksgiving at Abilene in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitchell.

Homer Moon was a business visitor in Odessa the latter part of last week.

Mrs. John Barr left Wednesday morning for a visit with relatives and friends in Big Spring.

Mrs. Volly Joe Williams and baby left Tuesday evening for San Diego, California, where they will join Mr. Williams, who is in the United States Navy, for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Placke, of this place, Mrs. Gilbert Williams and daughter, Jane, of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Bryan D. Beck, of Corpus Christi, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Martin in Breckenridge Thursday.

James Pack, who is in the U.S. Coast Guard stationed at Galveston, William Gibson, Cpl. "Mousey" Fore, who is stationed at Camp Barkeley, San Marshall and Misses Marjorie Jordan and Norma Frances King were Cisco visitors Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pack and son of Caddo, and James Pack, who is in the Coast Guard, formerly of Pioneer, visited friends here and in Pioneer the past week end. James, who arrived here Saturday from New Orleans, where he has been attending school, was enroute to Galveston, where he is stationed.

John Kendrick spent Thanksgiving Day visiting in Brownwood.

Miss Billie Ruth Loving, student in North Texas State Teachers College at Denton, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Loving.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig McNeal had as their guests during the Thanksgiving holiday, their daughter, Patsy, who is attending North Texas State Teachers College.

COUNTY H.D. AGENT DEMONSTRATES HOME MADE CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Useful home made Christmas gifts are not only patriotic, but lend a personal touch, of which the receiver appreciates," said Miss Dorothy Wilkerson, County Home Demonstration Agent, to the women of Cross Plains Home Demonstration Club in a meeting November 24, in the home of Mrs. O. G. Ballard.

Among the novel made at home gifts exhibited by Miss Wilkerson were: hand bags and beret set of matching materials, sewing kits, table mats of oil cloth, decorated small pie plates for the kitchen walls, ornamental lapel pins made of wood, candies and fruit cake, and receipts, and a number of other attractive articles.

Miss Wilkerson also explained the programs of the 1944 year book. Demonstrations required of the Extension Service, to be carried on, clothing, and home food supply.

Cross Plains club. The food demonstrator has not yet been named.

After the social hour, Mrs. Ballard exhibited her home canned foods.

The next meeting will be the club's Christmas party, to be held December 15th at the home of Mrs. Jim Barr, at 2:00 p.m.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. Ira Hall, Mrs. F. W. Wright, Mrs. L. W. Westerman, Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Jim Barr, Miss Dorothy Wilkerson and the hostess, Mrs. Ballard.

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DON HELBERG MADE SERGEANT IN THE ARMY AIR CORPS

Donald R. Helberg, who is stationed in the United States Air Corps at Langley Field, Virginia, has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant. He has been in service thirteen months, and received training as a technician at Goodfellow Field, Sheppard Field, and in Salt Lake City, Utah, prior to being transferred to Langley Field.

Sergeant Helberg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helberg, of Burkett. His wife and sons are making their home in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane accompanied by Mrs. E. L. Mayes, of Sabanao spent Thanksgiving visiting relatives in San Angelo. They returned here Friday evening.

Mrs. Gilbert Williams and daughter Jane, accompanied Mr. Williams to their home in Fort Worth Monday, after several days visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Placke.

INTERMEDIATE GIRLS ENTERTAINED WITH TACKY PARTY NOV

Mrs. Harry Coppinger, president of the Intermediate Girls' Club, entertained members of the Intermediate Sunday School class of the First Baptist church with a tacky party in her home Tuesday evening, November 30, from 7:00 until ten o'clock.

Miss Mary Jo Harris was prize, awarded to tackiest person in attendance. Second went to Miss Mary Jo Autry.

After numerous games and tests, refreshments of hot late and cookies were served following girls in attendance.

Misses Mary Jo Autry, Faye Webb, Margaret Ann, Velma Merrell, Barbara G. Mary Jo Harris, Genee Day and the hostess, Mrs. Coppinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Varner and Bentley, of Brownwood, Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. S. Varner at Cottonwood, were the week end guests of W. J. Gray.

ANNOUNCING WEEK-END VALUE

FLOUR, O'KEEN'S BEST 48 LB.	\$2.10
FLOUR, O'Keen's Best - 24 lb.	\$1.10
MEAL, Aunt Jemima - 10 lb.	39c
COFFEE, Admiration lb. glass jar	35c
PURE EAST TEXAS RIBBON CANE	\$1.30
COFFEE, Admiration lb. package	32c
POST'S TOASTIES, 2 large	25c
WHEATIES, A Large Box for	11c
CORN, Mayfield, No. 2 Can	12c
MORTON'S SUGAR CURE	10 LB. 85c
POTATOES, No. 1 Idaho, Mesh Bag, 10 lb.	42c
PECANS, Paper-shell - pound	35c
COCOANUTS, Large Size, each	30c
TOMATOES, NO. 2 CAN	10c
ORANGES, Nice Size dozen	50c
FAT BACK, A better Product - lb.	15c
COUNTRY SAUSAGE HOME MADE LB.	30c

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Thursday

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PURE LARD, SWIFT OR ARMOURS	4 LB.	60c
SYRUP, NICHOLSON'S SORGUM	1-2 GALLON JAR	60c
MEAL, EVERLITE, WHITE CREAM	25 LBS.	\$1.00
FLOUR, A 50 POUND PRINT BAG FOR ONLY		\$2.00
POTATOES, 10 POUNDS OF IDAHO GROWN FOR		30c
SUGAR CURE, MACK'S OR MORTONS		80c
PLYMOUTH COFFEE, PER POUND ONLY		20c
CHEESE, AMERICAN, LONGHORN, VELVEETA	8 PTS.	40c
ALL MEAT WEINERS, 6 POINTS PER POUND		30c
BOLOGNA, A GOOD PRODUCT	6 PTS. PER POUND	20c
ALLSWEET OLEO, THE BEST	6 PTS. PER POUND	20c

Bargain Buys

We believe in the Ole Time Religion We Love Everybody.

FLOUR, R.&W. 25 LB.	\$1.05
LYE, Red & White, 3 cans for	25c
COFFEE R.&W. 1 POUND	32c
MILK, Red & White Small 6 cans	25c
SUGAR, THE BEST 10 LB.	65c
TOMATOES, No. 2 can - 2 for	23c
PURE LARD, 4 POUNDS	68c
MOTHERS PREMIUM OATS, Pkg.	29c
SYRUP, RIBBON CANE GALLONS & HALF	
SOAP, Toilet Soap, 6 bars for	25c
SPUDS, 10 POUNDS FOR	35c
OLEO, Blue & White per pound	20c
SOAP, R.&W. LDY. SOAP 6 FOR	25c
WEINERS, Per Pound	25c
BACON, SLICED DECKERS & LB.	35c
BOLOGNA, Per Pound	23c

We have a surprise for you beginning Saturday, December 4th, and running through each Saturday until January 1st.

BRING US YOUR EGGS SATURDAY BY ALL MEANS.

Red & White M.E. (Happy) Howell

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ANOTHER Only 3 Students

HOWEVER 29 MORE HAVE ALL GRADES OF 80 OR ABOVE

Grammar School Honor Roll For Third Six Weeks Is Announced This Week

Only three students made the honor roll for the third six weeks period at Cross Plains high school, according to a copy of the list released from the office of Dee Burleson, principal, Tuesday afternoon. The three students are: Beadie Foller, Rosa Mae Havans and Mary Helen Strong, all of whom had no grades below 90.

In view of the fact that so few fell in the honor rating, Mr. Burleson issued a list of secondary honor students who made no grades below 80. They are as follows:

Billy Anderson, Mary Jo Autry, Marion Baum, Bill Belyne, Mildred Coats, Louise Daniels, Vonnie Foller, Lee Glenn, Lanell Griffin, Mary Jo Harris, Billy Haught, Noah Sealy Johnson, Billy Langston, Evelyn McMillan, Darlene McWilliams, Nollie Miller, Verma Lee Montgomery, Faye Nash, Ferrell Newton Dixie Respass, Dorothy Ripper, Charlene Shirley, Lucille Smith, Neal Smith, Maxine Strong, Winile Beth Teague, Frances Westerman and Vernell Westerman.

Grammar school honor students are as follows:

First grade: Tommy Gantney, John H. Brown, Don L. Helberg and Herbert Hutson.

Second grade: Sammy Drew Hill, Carl King, Johnny Wagner, Joyce Neeb, Delma Jean Newton, Ida Frances Shipp, Vesta Jean Erwin and Arthur Coats.

Third grade: Doris Wood and Corine Jones.

Fourth grade: Johnny Adair, James Barr, Robert Reed, Billie Jean Taylor.

Fifth grade: Barbara Jean Ramsey.

Sixth grade: None.

Seventh grade: Raylene Arrowood.

Eighth grade: Robert Smith.

VICTORY RALLY TO BE HELD AT SCHOOL HERE NIGHT OF DEC. 16TH

A victory rally program is to be held in the high school auditorium here the night of December 16, at which time an interesting musical program is to be presented. Admission charge to the program will be by the purchase of a defense stamp or bond. Throughout the patriotic program, the purpose of which is to sell a sizeable amount of war securities, novel and comic numbers will be presented. Students and faculty members have been working on the presentation the past several days.

CHARLES JACKSON IS CAPTAIN IN ARMY

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson, prominent residents of the Cross Cut community, received word this week that their son, First Lieutenant Charles Griffin Jackson, had recently been promoted to the rank of Captain in the United States Army.

Captain Jackson has been in the army about two years and is now stationed in Greenland. He is well known here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Moore returned to their home in Fort Worth Tuesday, after several days visit here with relatives.

Have You Remembered? If Not You Should Do So