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Cards of Thanks, Resolution of Respect, and any kind of church or lodge entertainments where an admission fee is assessed will be charged for at our regular line rates, minimum 50c.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wood and Billie June Taylor were in Anson Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs. S. C. Harris of Corona, California who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Edwards, in Anson.

Lee Champion of Wichita Falls visited relatives here last week.

Local People Attend Funeral For Kinsman

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover and son, Benny Ray, attended reburial services at Lometa Sunday for David W. Neal, Jr., a nephew of Mr. Glover, who was killed in the Pacific while serving with the army during the recent war. The body was previously buried in an armed forces cemetery on Luzon in the Philippines.

Full military honors were accorded by the Lometa post of the American Legion. Services were conducted from the Lometa Church of Christ.

CLYDE WILDCAT DUE TO HIT PAY THIS WEEK END

Top of the Home Creek lime is due and expected to be reached late this week on the cable tool wildcat four miles west of Clyde, Great Lakes Carbon Corp., No. 1 Beulah Pycatt, 2,000 feet from the south and 1,400 from the west line of section 44 BBB&C survey. It was last reported drilling in basal Cisco at 2,472 feet. No shows have been logged so far.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. McAdams, of San Antonio, were week end guests in Cross Plains, visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Barr, and with other kinsmen here.

'I Give You Texas'

By Boyce House

The old Pecos River bridge, subject of poems, songs and Roy Bean yarns, is doomed. The work of demolition is underway or may even be completed.

A new bridge has been built and the old one has been unused for several years.

J. C. Carter, executive assistant for public relations for the Southern Pacific Railway, has made a study of the old structure, which was built in 1892 and was in service till 1944.

A large salvage firm bought the old bridge.

Cowboys, to avoid the long ride down into and up out of the canyon, used to ride their horses across the high bridge. A young and pretty woman, "Pecos Kate", rode across and when a suitor was too faint-hearted to follow, she rejected him—or so the song says.

Trains used to stop so that passengers could take in the view. Far below was a tiny trickle of silver—the Pecos river. On its banks were even smaller objects, hardly discernible—they were cows.

While the bridge was under construction, a scaffolding broke and seven men plunged to the boulders below. Judge Roy Bean rode over from Langtry to hold the inquest. The bodies were lying in a row. He instructed the jury to return a verdict that "these here seven men met their death by falling from the bridge." One juror spoke up, "But, Judge, one of them ain't dead."

"Well," said old Roy, "he will die and I ain't gonna ride 14 miles on a soreback mule to hold another inquest. Officially and legally, he is dead."

The jury so found—and two days later, the seventh victim did pass away.

The old structure is part of the Southwest. Many old timers will hate to hear that it is gone.

DEEP TEST IS DRILLING AHEAD SOUTH OF BAIRD

Nine miles southwest of Baird, drilling was continuing below 3,000 feet, with no shows reported to that point, on the Ellenburger wildcat, C. U. Bay No. 1 E. L. Harris and W. B. Barton, 1,320 feet from the north and 1,750 from the west line of section 8 BBB&C survey. It is on permit for 4,600 feet.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farr have gone to Eunice, New Mexico to visit several weeks with a daughter, Mrs. Homer Earnest, and family.

Grand Jury Selected For November Court

Forty second district court opened its Autumn term in Baird Monday morning when the grand jury was sworn in. Current term of court is expected to run a week longer than usual to complete hitherto unfinished business.

Following is a list of those on the panel:

Homer E. Swafford, Clyde; Harry Steen, Clyde; Albert E. Gardner, Rt. 1 Clyde; Ernest Ham, Rt. 2 Clyde; S. S. Harville, Rt. 1 Ovalo; Ben L. Russell, Jr., Baird; M. L. Hughes, Baird; B. F. Hutchins, Rt. 4 Cisco; Loren Everett, Putnam; John D. Isenhower, Putnam; C. R. Cook, Cross Plains; Dorse Harris, Star Rt. 2 Baird; Archie Nichols, Rt. 1 Baird; Fonia Worthy, Cross Plains; Billie G. Hatchett, Star Rt. Baird; and Mark Burnam, Rt. 1 Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Walker have moved to Clyde to make their home, he was formerly employed at Copeland's Garage here.

Personals

Neal Smith and Gerald Moon of Abilene witnessed the Baylor-TCU game in Fort Worth Saturday night, coming here Sunday to visit homefolk.

Mrs. J. C. Crawford and family left Friday of last week for Snyder where Mr. Crawford is employed and the family will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Soc Walker and Karen Jane of Colorado City spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crabb have returned from San Angelo where they visited several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker of Seminole are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson here and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker at Burkett for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald White of New Mexico spent the past week end here with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Mc... spent last week in San Antonio with relatives.

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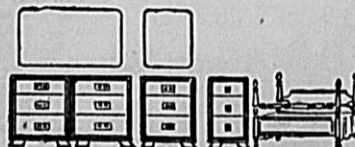
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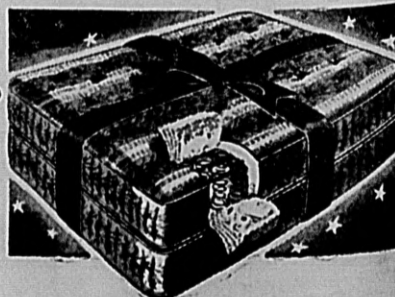
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LOCAL LADY HAS SURGERY
IN HOSPITAL AT GORMAN

Mrs. Earnest Riggs, who under-
 went an operation in the Gorman
 hospital Tuesday of last week is
 reported to be doing satisfactorily,
 however, she was said to be in a
 very serious condition.

Polly Moon of Waco spent the
 week end here with relatives and
 friends.

W. D. Smith spent the past week
 end visiting relatives in Dallas.



The 'Boss' Drops Down for a Gail

Vice Admiral Donald B. Duncan, USN, Commander, Second Task Fleet, is shown after lowering himself to the afterdeck of a submarine during maneuvers of ships engaged in a Midshipmen's training cruise. Helicopters such as this Sikorsky HO3S are now being used extensively by the Fleet, particularly in carrier units, for sea-air rescue, plane guard and taxi and general utility service between Fleet units.
 (Official Navy Photograph)

Enlarged Seating
For Gridiron Here
Gets Fans Support

Although Cross Plains is not expected to feel the need of additional seating at the high school football field here this year, local fans who attended the Rising Star-Early game at Rising Star last Friday night came away with the thought that this community should begin making preparation probably this summer to accommodate greater crowds.

"Football teams are like farming", said one fan, "there are dry years when you don't make a thing and then conditions get favorable and bumper yields are harvested. Within a year or so Cross Plains will again have a great team and with more people now manifesting an interest in high school sports we will need proper accommodations."

Most popular suggestion for enlarging Cross Plains stadium facilities being talked here this week was to move all present seating to the east side, that used by the visitors, and to erect on the west side probably two or three times as many seats as is presently available. It is hoped that construction can be of steel, similar to Rising Star's stands, in order to remove the hazard of fire and future possibilities of a collapse when the stands are full.

To realize such a project it is expected that at least two or three civic organizations will have to share heavily in financing and promoting the proposal.

WMU MEETS MONDAY
IN BUSINESS SESSION

Fourteen members of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union met at the church Monday afternoon in a business session, presided over by Mrs. A. W. Wright. A social hour followed regular business transactions.

Bible study will be on the program next Monday afternoon when Mrs. L. L. Howser will have charge of the meeting at the church. A cordial invitation is extended members and interested persons to be present.

Ira Hall made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my appreciation to my many friends who remembered me during my recent illness, with the beautiful flowers and get-well cards, and other favors that were mine to enjoy. They express the affection each of you had for me. I will always be reminded of your kindness.

Mrs. Susie Fore

Mrs. Gus Hart of Big Spring spent the week end visiting her sister, Mrs. Willis Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Baum spent the week end visiting in Brownwood.

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TURKEY CREEK QUILT CLUB MEETS IN COATS HOME ON OCTOBER 29

The Turkey Creek Quilting Club met in the home of Mrs. J. H. Coats Friday, October 29, with nine members present: Mrs. W. A. Burton, Mrs. Will Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Goble, Mrs. Cecil Goble, Mrs. Barney Shirley, Miss Zona Arvin, Mrs. Sallie Dalton, Mrs. A. A. Holley and the hostess. Also present were four visitors: Mrs. Charley Coats and daughter, Mildred, Rev. and Mrs. Gilliland.

Two quilts were completed at the gathering of the group.

Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Cecil Goble November ninth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kirksey and daughter, Judy, of Brownwood, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson here Sunday.

BAIRD LEGIONNAIRES HAVE FREE BARBECUE THURSDAY NEXT WEEK

Members of Baird American Legion Post were to attend regular meeting of the Cross Plains chapter Wednesday night. The local post now holds regular meetings the first Wednesday night of each month.

It is reported that the Baird legionnaires will again hold a free barbecue November 11.

Misses Emma Dee Worthy, Barbara Sue Garrett, Barbara Ann Illingworth, Mrs. C. M. Garrett, and Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Evans attended a district Westminster Fellowship rally in Albany Sunday afternoon and evening. The Cross Plains young people had charge of the devotional service at the evening session.

Mrs. Lee Welch of Rising Star was a visitor here one day last week.

SLOW DEMAND WEAKENS PEANUT MARKET SAYS PMA

Peanuts found very little demand anywhere in the country this week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture reports through the southwest area office of its Production and Marketing Administration.

Prices of shelled goods averaged a shade lower this week than last, but not many sales were made. Most of the production of shelling plants went to the Commodity Credit Corporation in both the southeastern states and the southwest.

Farmer's stock peanuts sold at government support levels in all sections. The only exception was in Virginia, where an occasional bright lot of Jumbo's brought a slight premium.

Good picking weather made for rapid harvest in nearly all sections. Trade estimates indicate two thirds of the crop has gone to market in the southwestern states and more than half in the southeast.

Quality held up well in the southeast and in Oklahoma, but current Texas diggings dropped to lower grades. Percentage of sound meats ranged from a low of 56 in some Texas localities to as high as 78 for some Oklahoma fields.

Southwestern mills had crushed very few peanuts and reported no peanut oil for sale. Small lots of peanut meal carried quotations of \$76 to \$70 a ton.

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VA is extending its recruiting into most parts of the nation because of the current shortage of qualified stenographers in the nation's capital.

Entrance salary for these positions is \$2,498 per year with a very good chance for quick promotion to higher grades, VA said. Travel to Washington will be at government expense.

An adequate number of rooms for single persons are available in Washington at rates from \$5.00 a week and up. Government quarters at Arlington Farms in dormitories are also available for girls.

Employment may be obtained through an regional office, hospital or center of the Veterans Administration.

A savings in insurance premiums is available to World War II veterans who still are paying their GI insurance premiums on a monthly basis, VA said.

Pointing out that approximately 90 percent of the veterans are paying premiums on a monthly basis, VA explained that they may receive a three percent annual discount by paying their premiums on a quarterly, semi-annual or annual basis.

In addition, the fewer premiums due lessens the chance of a policy lapsing.

Veterans can take advantage of the savings by visiting any VA office or writing to the VA Dallas Branch Office insurance service, requesting the type of premium payment desired.

Burkett News
By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

A large crowd attended the Hallow'e'en carnival Saturday night. There were a number of visitors from the various communities. One of the usual events was the queen contest. The candidates for queen were first, second and third grades queen was Mary Koenig, with J. Pat DeBusk as escort; fourth and fifth grades, Patsy Bludworth, with Max Watson as escort; sixth, seventh grades, Lafon Jones, with Robert Dixon Koenig as escort; eighth grade, Joan Evans, and Austin Keefer as escort; freshmen, Lavada Gray with Earl Jones as escort; sophomore, Rita Thate with W. C. Strickland as escort; seniors, Billie Payne McKinney with Wadie Burroughs as escort. Joan Evans was crowned queen with Sandra Odom and J. W. Tomlinson as crown bearers. The queen was crowned by the announcer Gilder Adams. Music was by Mrs. Adele Adams. Proceeds amounted to over \$400.

Mr. Lee has been ill for several days.
Mrs. M. A. Wilson and Jackie

and Miss Thelma Cowan visited W. M. Colvin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter of Fort Worth visited relatives over the week end.

Mrs. M. C. Rich has been ill the past few days and was in the hospital over the week end with a throat ailment.

Week end visitors in the home of Mrs. Alva Holland were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holland of Bisbee, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holland and children of Petrolia; and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Holland and children of Albany.

Mrs. C. S. Parsons has been at the bedside of her husband at McKinney where he underwent surgery one day last week.

Mrs. Claude Burns and James Allen of Ozona visited relatives and friends here and at Coleman from Thursday to Sunday.

Mrs. Mildred Bagley and Gail of Chicago are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herring for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Laws of Coleman were week end visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Comedy of Lamesa visited her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Dewey Cason, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bent Harris and Mr. and Mrs. John Otto Harris of Coleman visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Herring and family of Baird visited relatives here and attended the Hallow'e'en carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Tinney and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Copeland of Altus, Oklahoma visited Mr. and Mrs. Lat Mountain over the week end.

Mrs. James Leonard of Hobbs, New Mexico visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Koenig from Friday to Sunday.

Oscar McDermott passed away, Monday at 8:00 p.m. at the Coleman hospital after a few weeks illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farmer of Baird visited here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hammett were in Stephenville Monday.

Ennes Franklin, student at ACC whose home is in Houston, visited with his cousin Thelma Peavy and other kinsmen here Sunday.

Sabanno

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Duke and baby of Cross Plains were visitors in our community Sunday.

Several from here attended the Hallow'e'en carnival in Cross Plains. Mrs. Aron Gage was a luck winner of the nice wool blanket given away. Hurrah for her.

Rev. Grace, pastor of the Methodist church at Scranton, was a Sunday afternoon visitor in the Edwin Erwin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins visited in the Lawson home Sunday afternoon.

Grandma Maddox visited her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Goleanor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Duke attended Sunday school here Sunday morning.

Bobby Blackwell and Aubry Lee Hicks are employed with the peanut mill in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ingram

visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Price, last Tuesday.

Misses Alma and Josie Morris attended the fifth Sunday singing in Cisco Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Baugh of Cisco was a visitor in the Ecll Mayes home last Tuesday.

Bennie McCann of Cisco visited home folks last week.

The Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Lawson King last Tuesday afternoon. Had a good crowd and an interesting meeting. Next meeting will be a cake demonstration in the home of Mrs. Edwin Erwin Tuesday afternoon, November 9. Visitors are always welcome.

Mrs. Henry Minnix of Abilene was a recent visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Gage and children visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mack McClusky, of Eastland last Sunday.

Rev. D. L. Barnes of Midlothian and his daughter of Childress were visitors here Tuesday.

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FOR SALE: Ground peanut hulls \$10. per ton, delivered. Dan Johnston. (4tc30)

FOR SALE: Abruzzi rye seed, fine for peanut fields. Claude McAnally, 9 mi. northwest of Cross Plains. (2tp31)

FOR RENT: 3 room house in southeast part of town. See Odell Golson at Dave Lee Station. (2tp31)

FOR SALE: Combination AC-DC radio; also good air conditioner, priced to sell. Mrs. Pete Robbins. (2tp31)

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Thanksgiving And November 11 Will Be Holidays Here

Both November 11 and Thanksgiving will be observed as holidays in Cross Plains, it was decided by the Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Club in regular meeting Tuesday noon in the basement of the Methodist church.

No petition will be circulated among business men, due to the fact that the agreement to take four holidays each year has been the custom here for a decade or more. July fourth, November 11, Thanksgiving and Christmas Day are observed each year by most all Cross Plains business concerns, however, others unable to take the full day often observe 'Sunday schedules'.

Mrs. Mattie Holley of Abilene and Mrs. Hale of California visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Coffey Sunday night and attended services at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey spent last week in Port Worth attending the Eastern War convention there.

Mrs. W. J. Cross and Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton visited Mrs. Fannie Price Monday afternoon.

The Cottonwood school was visited by Cleve Pierce, State Inspector for Public Schools Monday, October 25. He commended Mrs. H. M. Gary for taking care of the school property, house and books and conforming to the rules and regulations in the operation of the lunch room program.

Pioneer

By A. O. (Slim) Harris

Mrs. Susie Fore returned from the hospital at Brownwood and is doing very nicely. She is recuperating at her home. Her daughter, Mrs. Vera Storts, of Lake Charles, Louisiana, is here with her for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sawyers and grandchildren visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Harris Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Akers is again back on the staff of teachers in our school following a few days illness.

Henry Flippin of Eden visited his brother, Tom Flippin, and family a few days this week.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nichols, of Rising Star, went to Lubbock Saturday to attend a fellowship meeting.

A redemption of some of the Pioneer townsite property was made this week by some of the original owners.

Pecan gathering seems to be the order of the day as the peanut harvest is about over in this section.

Merlin Peterson, of Pecos, was in town for a short while Monday looking after his property here.

Mrs. G. W. Fore received word that her father, Mr. Harlow, is to undergo an operation at Dallas.

Near .25 inch of rain fell in this vicinity Sunday night which hampered the finishing of the peanut harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Thomas entertained a group of relatives with a back yard weiner roast Friday evening.

The exercises rendered by the grammar school children here last week were greatly enjoyed by those who attended.

The oil test on the Flippin property is well underway, however, they had a bit of trouble with breakdowns this week.

Uncle Jimmy Morgan has been on the sick list for a few days.

John Fore has been 'under the weather' for several days, ailing with hay fever.

Mrs. Fannie Freeman entertained a group of friends at her home Friday afternoon, sponsored by Mrs. Roberts of Coleman, and giving a demonstration of Stankey products. Several who attended received prizes in the products she had to show.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cochran and daughter, Carolyn Nell, of Amarillo, came in Thursday night and visited until Sunday afternoon with both parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Cochran.

Rev. W. E. Higginbotham, of Lubbock, dropped by for a brief visit with Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Rodgers. He was enroute to Houston.

Mrs. Ora B. Graves and daughter, Juakana, visited Mrs. Bill Clark and family over the week end.

LOCAL LADY ATTENDS FUNERAL OF BROTHER IN TERRELL THURSDAY

Mrs. Benton Jones left Early Tuesday morning for Terrell, where she was to attend funeral services Thursday for her brother, E. C. Gantt, 65, who died Monday in a St. Louis hospital of heart disease. The deceased, whose home was in Muskogee, Oklahoma, had been in the St. Louis hospital several days. Survivors include the widow and two sisters.

Bill Baucom, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom, arrived here Monday afternoon from the Pacific, where he has been serving with the armed forces. Bill will spend a 30 day furlough with home folks.

HOWARD PAYNE INVITES LOCAL FOOTBALL TEAM TO GAME THERE SATURDAY

Coach Bill Shield and the Cross Plains high school football team are among the 36 teams invited to attend the Howard Payne-East Texas Baptist game in Brownwood Saturday night as guests of the Howard Payne Athletic Department.

LOCAL WARD SCHOOLERS PLAY BAIRD THURSDAY

Cross Plains ward school football team goes to Baird Thursday night of this week for a return engagement with the county seat lads.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clifton of Big Spring visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Clifton, last Thursday night.

OUTSTANDING FILM AT THE PLAINS THEATRE SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Theatre patrons will welcome news of the billing at the Plains theatre here Sunday and Monday. Scheduled is "Life With Father", starring Irene Dunne and William Powell.

Filmed in technicolor and featuring one of the screen's most popular team, reviewers have credited "Life With Father" as being one of the most entertaining films to emerge from the Hollywood mill in recent years.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Upton of Trickum spent the week end here in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Claude Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Miller, of Colorado City, stopped for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arrowood here Sunday afternoon. They were enroute home from Austin where they attended the Texas University-SMU game Saturday.

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BEGINNING SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 6, 1948
NOTHING SOLD AT THESE DRASTIC MARKDOWNS UNTIL THAT TIME

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All Lines Included

Prima Donnas
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10.95 Dresses Now Only **\$7.95**

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One Nice Lot Odds and Ends Reduced To **\$14.95**

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New Colors And Latest Styles **\$2.95**

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Sizes From 4 to 16 Special . . . **\$1.98**

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1 Table Loaded With A Good Run of Sizes **\$1.98**

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White Blankets - Single Sheet Size Now Only - **\$2.35**

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Sizes 8 to 14 Special . . . **\$1.98**

Double Size - Cotton Blankets Now Only - **\$2.69**

5% Wool - Double Size Blankets Now Only - **\$4.49**

Men's Dress Shirts

One Nice Lot To Select From Only **\$1.98 Each**

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Good Grade, Full 36 Inches Wide Per Yd. . . **29c**

Men's Leather Jackets

Horsehide, Long Coats Regular \$24.50 Value **\$16.50**

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Cross Plains, Texas

SCHOOL TAXES

Your School Taxes for 1948 may be paid to Chess W. Barr at his office in the City Hall.

You are urged to pay your taxes early. Mr. Barr will be happy to supply any information you may desire concerning your school taxes.

GOOD FOOD USED RECORDS



Fleer's Chewing Gum
(Limit One Pack To Customer)

Smitty's Cafe
FLOOR GULF BLDG. HI-WAY 36
CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

TIPPING ALLOWED

FOOTBALL

HOWARD PAYNE COLLEGE VS East Texas Baptist

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Such clean Venetian blinds! Dust skids right off Flexalium, it's so satin-smooth! This aluminum bends for quick brush-ups, snaps back into perfect shape! Lighter, easier to operate. And the beauty lasts! Plastic finish won't chip or crack. Flexalium is fireproof, rust-proof, weather-proof.

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COLEMAN, TEXAS

Mrs. Tyre Watson and daughter, Suzanne, of Atlanta, Georgia, visited in the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. R. Wagner, here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sims were visitors for a short while in Rising Star Sunday afternoon.

Roy Arrowood, Anse Barr, Fred Cutbirth and Jack Scott attended the Baylor-TOU football game in Fort Worth Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill have moved to Kermit to make their home where he has accepted employment.

Miss Rosa Marie Robbins visited in Anson Sunday.

Try Review Want Ads

COURT CHUCKLES by S. M. REGI

I'M SORRY TO HEAR YOUR LITTLE GIRL IS LOST. . . WHAT DOES SHE LOOK LIKE?

SHE HAS HER FATHER'S NOSE, BUT SHE'S THE IMAGE OF ME. . . WHEN I WAS A CHILD!



Dr. Cox Warns Of Dangers Of Rabies In Wandering Dogs

The "dog-days" of the mid-summer months originally derived their name from the prevalence of rabies spread from rabid dogs at that season of the year, but actually rabies occurs at all times of the year. During the past year the State Health Laboratory found 847 animal brains positive for rabies. Four deaths occurred in humans.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, states, "Few persons need be warned that rabies is a fatal disease yet proper precautions against its spread are often neglected. Stray dogs should be humanely destroyed or impounded, and all household pets should be vaccinated. Annual vaccination efficiently practiced will stamp out rabies in Texas."

The State Health Officer stressed this fact as important: A dog suspected of being rabid should not be killed at once, but should be kept confined for ten days, since this is the infective period before death of the animal. If the dog does not develop rabies within ten days, the individual bitten is safe as far as that particular bite is concerned. Further observation of the animal should be at the discretion of the veterinarian since many other conditions resemble rabies.

The head of the suspected animal should be packed in ice and sent to the State Health Department for examination. Freezing the brain, or killing the dog prematurely or in such manner as to injure the brain may make correct laboratory findings impossible.

Mere handling of a rabid animal is not sufficient reason for treatment, as scratches by the animal's paws ordinarily do not constitute exposure. It should be understood that rabies is transmitted only through exposure to saliva which gains entrance into the body wound, ordinarily through a bite.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Reiger, of Houston, visited friends and relatives here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adair visited in West Texas and New Mexico the first several days of this week.

Tom King, Jr., and Lester King were visiting home folks Sunday.

Miss Jesse Ruth McAdams, registered nurse who is employed in a Houston hospital, spent of the week here with her mother, Mrs. L. D. Koenig.

Buy Now For Christmas

Sunbeam Rubber Dollies, with a complete wardrobe, in a suitcase all her own.

New shipment of boxed handkerchiefs for ladies, men, boys, girls, and children.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS are now on display. We have everything you will need for the tree, table or house decorations.

We have a fine line of gifts for showers and parties.

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In order that we shellers may supply you desirable seed peanuts next spring, we must have peanuts that are thoroughly cured before placing in storage, as green peanuts will heat when bulked.

You farmers are not gaining anything when you sell your peanuts green, to some sheller, and permit him to dock you for excess moisture. There would be no dock if your peanuts were dry. This is your opportunity to provide desirable seed, next spring, to plant.

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Let us help your plan a complete, year round Water System for your home.

Pumps, Pipe and Fittings with other supplies are supplied with each sale, complete.

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Check For Leaks In Gas Lines Urged By Local Fire Marshal

Pursuing their program of reducing property damage as a result of fire, Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department this week issued a warning that all gas heater connections should be thoroughly checked before winter sets in.

"A few simple rules will prevent many fires," firemen declare, "if citizens will only take time to stop and think before installing heating equipment."

L. W. Tyson, secretary of the fire department and local fire marshal, yesterday declared:

"No heater or cookstove should ever be connected to the gas jet with rubber tubing," he said. "This is an open invitation to fire and death. The rubber tube, as a transmitter of gas, has slain its thousands among the 12 millions now using natural gas. It has murdered them silently by suffocation, or by fire or explosion."

A home is not entirely safe even though every stove is connected with the proper metal tubing. These may have become loose since they were last used several months ago, and should be checked to see that all connections are tight, Tyson said.

The fire marshal called special attention to wall heaters. "All wall heaters should be checked very carefully to see that they are properly insulated."

AUNT SALLY QUILTERS MEET IN W. M. KEY HOME THURSDAY

Aunt Sally's Quilting Club met Thursday, October 28, in the home of Mrs. W. M. Key at Burkett with ten members present for the all-day quilting. Three quilts were completed and a covered dish luncheon enjoyed at the noon hour.

Those present were Mmes. Earl Gray, B. W. Webb, Elmer Key, Junior Key, J. C. Watson, W. R. Marshall, Mary Adams and Cora Belle Koenig.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Junior Key next Thursday, November 11, when another all-day quilting will be held.

VETERANS Question Box

Q—My husband is a World War II veteran suffering from a service-incurred disability and is in need of a prosthetic appliance. Will Veterans Administration pay for the appliance?

A—VA will furnish a prosthetic appliance if the veteran has a service-connected or service-aggravated disability requiring an appliance.

Q—I enlisted in the war during July, 1947. Am I entitled to loan benefits under the GI Bill?

A—If you served at any time between September 16, 1940 and July 25, 1947 and you were discharged under conditions other than dishonorable after at least 90 days of active service, or for a service-incurred disability in less than 90 days, you may qualify for a GI loan.

Q—What is the last date on which a veteran of World War II may apply for a GI loan?

A—Such veterans have until July 25, 1957 in which to apply for GI loans. Armed Forces Recruitment Act enlistees will have 10 years after their period of enlistment is ended where the discharge date is later than July 25, 1947.

Q—My son was disabled during World War II. Will Veterans Administration pay him an additional sum for dependents?

A—If your son is rated 60 percent or more disabled, he is entitled to an additional sum for his dependents.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. King Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Horace Herod and Mrs. Earl Killough of Albany.

Personals

Doris Hall returned to Odessa Sunday after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Freeman and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnson in Las Cruces, New Mexico last week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foster last week end were their grandson, Kenneth Day and family of Waco, where he is a student in Baylor University, also Mr. and Mrs. Foster's nieces, Mrs. Frank Madison, Mrs. Martha Gaines, Mrs. Maggie Conway, of Blake, and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cash of Baird, also Mrs. H. B. Gaines and Mrs. C. J. Brooks, of Guymon, Oklahoma.

Be Fair To Yourself

Don't take chances with your health this winter when often a simple cold, which sometimes leads to a number of disorders, can be prevented by the use of a stimulating tonic.

We Carry Nationally Advertised Products Christmas buying will soon be in full swing and we will have a fine assortment of gifts for your selection.

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Benton Jones, Owner Cross Plains, Texas

Radiators Need Care

before cold weather sets in. A small leak may cause you to lose anti-freeze that would insure you against freezing all winter. Have yours checked now.

If your core is too shot-up for repairing, we can furnish new cores for 1937 models up.

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City Taxes Due

Your City Taxes for 1948 become due and payable on November 1. Notices have been mailed and prompt payment before February 1 will avoid penalty.

Call by the City Office at your earliest convenience and get the matter cleared up. Information cheerfully given on any tax question.

City of Cross Plains

Mrs. Ava Childers, Collector

REMEMBER?

REMEMBER when a bare bulb like this was the last word in lighting? That's when you started calling your electric bill a "light" bill.

Then electricity began to take on more chores. It learned to cook and sew and clean, to wash, and iron, preserve food, entertain the family—in general, to make life healthier and happier and easier all around. Lighting became only a fraction of that job.

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Yesterday.... In The Old Home Town..

of interest taken from
of the Review 10 and
Ags.

10 Years Ago
November 16, 1928

Dr. S. E. Shoults,
part of town, was
burglar last Saturday
eleven dollars taken.

have been active here,
Peinam and other near-
recently, it has been said.

produce houses here have
with turkeys the past
of the fine birds
from surrounding
The fowls have been
an average of \$4.20 each.

A. E. Hill of Waco preached
Baptist Church Sunday
evening services.

Margaret Mozelle, foreign
to China and a sister
E. Young, will conduct
classes each Thursday
return to China.

meeting will be in the home
Charles Hemphill.

afternoon of this
wedding was solemn-
local Methodist parson-
Miss Mildred Baum be-
bride of Doyle DeBusk,
Huckabee officiat-

DeBusk is the daughter of
A. Baum. The groom is
at the Cross Plains Motor

Arthur Carmichael led
football team in a
victory over the Coleman
Friday night in a score of

the time the first touch-
made in the first four
of play, Stenchy Davis
(Speedy) Clark ran wild
ends while Murry and
dropped the Bluecat lines.

Boone has again accepted
at the J. E. Henkel

10 Years Ago
November 4, 1938

election will be held Decem-
choose a night watchman
marshall for Cross Plains,
assume duties immediat-

There are said to be 3 or 4 candi-
dates for the office.

Two Cross Plains business con-
cerns are changing locations this
week. Caton's Variety Store is mov-
ing from the building one door
south of Smiths Drug Store to
quarters formerly occupied by Bond
Bros. Merchandise Store.

Into the building vacated by
Caton will move the Underwood
Grocery, owned by Jim Underwood,
which has been located on the east
side of the street.

Cross Plains men chosen to ap-
pear for petit jury service for the
third week in November court are
Clint Porter, Jimmie Baum, and
D. C. Hargrove.

Announcement has been made of
the marriage Saturday evening at
six o'clock of Miss Leota Jones and
Doyal Rhodes, both of this place.
The bride is the daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Wallace Jones.

A shower honoring the couple
will be given today in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stacy, with
their daughter, Mrs. Vernon Baird
of Abilene, acting as hostess. Mr.
and Mrs. Baird attended the couple
at the marriage ceremony.

Miss Wallene Barclay of this
place and Malcolm Steele of Dressy
were united in marriage Sunday
afternoon at four o'clock at Cotton-
wood with Rev. D. Van Pelt read-
ing the rites. They were accompan-
ied by Miss Eloise Lane and the
bride's brother, Harold Barclay.

Mrs. Steele is the daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Barclay and
the groom the son of Mr. and Mrs.
C. R. Steele of Dressy.

A carload of horses and mules
was shipped from here to Mississip-
pi last week by Edd Morgan.

At a meeting of the local school
board Monday night, Miss Autalee
Notgrass of Atwell was elected to
teach in the grammar school here.
She will assume duties Monday
morning.

Addition of the new teacher gives
Cross Plains a faculty of 20 in-
structors.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CALLAHAN
To the Sheriff or any Constable
of Callahan County, Greetings:
You are hereby commanded to
summon Henry Stellick and the
unknown heirs of Henry Stellick,

C. W. Holmes and the unknown
heirs of C. W. Holmes, C. E. Brow-
den and the unknown heirs of C.
E. Browden, Roy A. Little and the
unknown heirs of Roy A. Little, J.
W. Johnston and the unknown
heirs of J. W. Johnston, Wm.
Augustine and the unknown heirs
of Wm. Augustine, Harold Mar and
the unknown heirs of Harold Mar,
Mrs. J. W. Burke and the unknown
heirs of Mrs. J. W. Burke, and the
unknown heirs of Mrs. J. W. Burke,
the husband of Mrs. J. W. Burke,
W. T. Cox and the unknown heirs
of W. T. Cox, I. B. Loving and Met-
tie Loving, who reside in Callahan
County, Texas, L. L. Howser and E.
M. Thomason, who reside in Calla-
han County Texas by making publi-
cation of this Citation once in each
week for four successive weeks pre-
vious to the return day herof,
in some newspaper published in
your County, if there be a news-
paper published therein, but if not,
then in the nearest County where
a newspaper is published, to ap-
pear at the next regular term of
District Court of Callahan County,
to be held at the Court House
thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the
1st Monday in November A.D. 1948,
the same being the 1st day of No-
vember A.D. 1948, then and there
to answer a petition filed in said
Court on the 13th day of October
A.D. 1948, in a suit, numbered on
the docket of said Court as No.
10569, wherein C. L. Smith is Plain-
tiff, and Henry Stellick and the
unknown heirs of Henry Stellick,
C. W. Holmes and the unknown
heirs of C. W. Holmes, C. E. Brow-
den and the unknown heirs of C.
E. Browden, Roy A. Little, and
the unknown heirs of Roy A. Little, J.
W. Johnston and the unknown
heirs of J. W. Johnston, Wm. Aug-
ustine and the unknown heirs of
Wm. Augustine, Harold Mar and
the unknown heirs of Harold Mar
Mrs. J. W. Burke and the unknown
heirs of Mrs. J. W. Burke, and the
unknown heirs of Mrs. J. W. Burke,
the husband of Mrs. J. W. Burke,
W. T. Cox and the unknown heirs
of W. T. Cox, I. B. Loving and
Mettie Loving, who reside in Calla-
han County, Texas, L. L. Howser
and E. M. Thomason, who reside
in Callahan County, Texas, are de-
fendants, and said petition alleg-

No. 10569 in the 42nd District
Court of Callahan County, Texas.
C. L. SMITH)

vs
J. W. JOHNSTON ET AL)
TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE
OF SAID COURT:

Now come, C. L. Smith, plaintiff,
who resides in Callahan County,
Texas and complains of Henry
Stellick and the unknown heirs
of Henry Stellick, C. W. Holmes
and the unknown heirs of C. W.
Holmes, C. E. Browden and the
unknown heirs of C. E. Browden,
Roy A. Little and the unknown
heirs of Roy A. Little, J. W. John-
ston and the unknown heirs of J.
W. Johnston, Wm. Augustine and
the unknown heirs of Wm. Augus-
tine, Harold Mar and the unknown
heirs of Harold Mar, Mrs. J. W.
Burke and the unknown husband
of Mrs. J. W. Burke and the un-
known heirs of Mrs. J. W. Burke,
the husband of Mrs. J. W. Burke,
W. T. Cox and the unknown heirs
of W. T. Cox, I. B. Loving and
Mettie Loving who reside in Calla-
han County, Texas, L. L. Howser
and E. M. Thomason who reside
in Callahan County, Texas.

I.
That plaintiff is the owner in
fee simple of the surface of the
hereinafter described tracts and
parcels of land situated in Calla-
han County and that plaintiff and
defendants are the joint owners
and together are the sole owners
of the minerals in and under the
hereinafter described tracts of
land and the said plaintiff owning
all the minerals except a small
fraction which is divided among
the defendants in the following
proportion, to-wit:

II.
I. B. Loving et ux Mettie Loving,
1/16 royalty of the production of
the oil and gas produced from
said land.

Henry Stellick a 1/128 undivided
interest in and to the oil, gas and
other minerals in and under the
east 80 acres of land herein men-
tioned and an undivided 1/256 in-
terest in the oil, gas and other
minerals in and under the west 33
acres of said land.

C. W. Holmes, an undivided 1/512
interest in the oil, gas and other
minerals in and under the east 80
acres of said land, and an undi-
vided 1/512 interest in the oil and
gas in and under the west 33 acres
of the C. L. Smith tract of land.

C. E. Browden an undivided 1/512
interest in and under the oil, gas
and other minerals in and under
the east 80 acres of said land here-
inafter described tract of land.

J. W. Johnston an undivided
1/512 interest in and to the oil,
gas and other minerals in and
under the east 80 acres of said
tract hereinafter described.

Wm. Augustine, an undivided
1/512 interest in and to the oil,

gas and other minerals in and
under the east 33 acres of the said
land and an undivided 1/512 in-
terest in the oil, gas and other
minerals in and under the east 80
acres of said C. L. Smith 113 acres
hereinafter described.

Mrs. J. W. Burke, an undivided
1/512 interest, in and to the oil,
gas and other minerals in and
under the west 33 acres of the C.
L. Smith 113 acre tract of land,
an undivided 1/512 interest in the
oil and gas in and under the east
80 acres of said C. L. Smith 113
acre tract of land.

Harold Mar, an undivided 1/512
interest in and to the oil, gas and
other minerals in and under that
may be produced from the east 80
acres of the C. L. Smith 113 acre
tract of land hereinafter described,
E. M. Thomason 3/80 undivided in-
terest in the oil, gas and other
minerals in and under the east 80
acres of the C. L. Smith 113 acre
tract.

III.
On March 12, 1938 I. B. Loving
and wife Mettie Loving attempted
to convey to W. T. Cox an undi-
vided 13/152 interest in the oil, gas
and other minerals in and under
the 113 acre tract of land hereinaf-
ter described, and plaintiff shows
to the court that if I. B. Loving and
wife Mettie Loving had any interest
to convey, it was only a royalty in-
terest and that said purported deed
to W. T. Cox is void and of no
force and effect and should be can-
celled in so far as it attempts to
convey a mineral interest in and
to said land; that on or about the
2nd day of May, 1947, I. B. Loving
and his wife Mettie Loving exe-
cuted an oil and gas lease to the
defendant, L. L. Howser covering
the entire 113 acre tract of land
hereinafter described and that said
purported oil and gas lease casts a
cloud upon the title of plaintiff
and should be cancelled, set aside
and held for naught.

IV.
That said real estate is situated
in Callahan County, Texas and de-
scribed as follows:

Beginning at the SW corner of
a 50 acre tract deeded by I. N.
Jackson and wife to W. H. Cle-
ments out of the D. Millican Sur-
vey; Thence North 514 varas;
Thence East 1241 varas to stake for
corner; Thence South 514 varas
to stake in the South boundary
line of the Jesse Dyson Survey for
corner; Thence West 1241 varas to
the place of beginning and con-
taining 113 acres of land, more or
less, and that said land is of the
estimated value of \$5,000.00.
Wherefore, plaintiff prays that
citation be issued and served by

publication for the time and in
the manner required by law as to
the defendants whose residence is
unknown to plaintiff and that said
mineral interest be partitioned be-
tween plaintiff and all the de-
fendants who are joint owners of
said mineral interest; that the oil
and gas lease executed by I. B.
Loving and wife Mettie Loving be
cancelled and that the mineral
deed from I. B. Loving and wife
Mettie Loving to W. T. Cox be
cancelled, set aside and held for

naught and that any interest that
the said W. T. Cox has in the oil,
gas and other minerals in the
land herein described, be declared
and determined as royalty interest
to be apportioned to the defendant,
W. T. Cox out of such interest that
said I. B. Loving may have and to
the royalty in said land and that
the reservation made by I. B. Lov-
ing in a conveyance of the land
herein described be determined and
declared a royalty interest, and for

such other and further relief in
law and in equity to which plain-
tiff may be entitled.
W. R. Ely,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
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Abilene, Texas.
(4c30)
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Rowden News

By Patsy Crow

The Bayou basketball teams were defeated by the Denton teams last Tuesday night. The Bayou teams will go to Centennial Friday night, November 5.

Everyone had a swell time at the Bayou Hallowe'en carnival last Thursday.

There was a large crowd at the fifth Sunday singing with dinner on the ground Sunday. There was some wonderful singing and everyone enjoyed it.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Gibbs of Abilene visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Maudie Sunday.

A number of the youngsters gathered at the Bayou gym Friday night and played basketball.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stephens and Harold Lynn of San Angelo have been visiting his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stephens, and family this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smedley of Ballinger visited his folks, Mr.

and Mrs. Odie Smedley, Friday.

Miss Ludie Smedley of Abilene came home to attend the Hallowe'en carnival Thursday night.

Dean Gibbs and Donald Stephens had supper with Carl Maudin Sunday night.

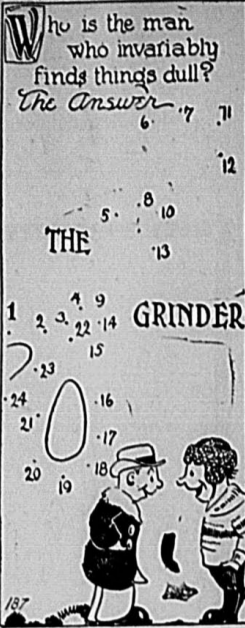
Horace Bains, who is attending college at Lubbock, arrived Friday to visit his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Nigel Bains. He returned to Lubbock Sunday morning.

Miss Bonny Munselle spent Tuesday night with Miss Irene Mauldin.

JUDGE CLYDE GRISSOM WILL SPEAK IN BAIRD FOR LEGION BARBECUE

The American Legion Post of Baird announced this week that final arrangements had been made on its November 11, Armistice Day barbecue. Everyone is invited to come and participate in the Memorial services which are to begin at 10:45 a.m. and then to participate in a free barbecue to be served on the grounds of the American Legion Hut at Baird. The program for the day includes the Memorial services to begin at 10:45 a.m., and this program is to be highlighted by an address from Chief Justice Clyde Grissom of the court of Civil Appeals at Eastland.

MOTHER GOOSE DOT PUZZLE



Surprise Party For H. L. Breeding Held At His Home Sunday

A surprise birthday dinner, honoring H. L. Breeding on his 82 birthday, was held Sunday at the Breeding home, five miles northwest of town with 40 people in attendance.

Those present were: Earl Gallo-way, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Breeding, Arvie Breeding, Leonard Breeding, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Breeding and Deborah, all of Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Nosler and Lynn of Mullen; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding and girls of Oplin; Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Huntington and children, Miss Wilda Jones, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Green all of Abilene; W. H. Jones, Breekenridge; Mrs. Winnie Shuford, Mrs. J. C. Huntington and Patti Sue, Mrs. Eddie Jones, Corene and Elvin Jones, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Oglesby, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Scrivner and children, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding, all of Cross Plains. Included in the group were all of his children, 12 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my gratitude and thanks to neighbors, friends and relatives for their kindness, food, fruit and gifts, also for all the favors accorded me during the four weeks of my illness. Please accept my sincere thanks and very best wishes to each and everyone of you. Sincerely your friend,

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News & Comedy

News From COUNTY AGENT

By Oliver F. Werst

NUTS

Beefsteak is good but there are more calories per pound in pecans. According to the nutrition experts, pecans have 3336 calories per pound, while a pound of steak has only 1635. Turkey follows up a poor third with only 1060 calories per pound.

In other words, says J. F. Rosborough, A&M College horticulturist more calories can be bought for a dollar in pecan meats than in most any other type of energy food. And the next few months of the fall season offer the best opportunity for using pecans in food mixtures at reasonable prices.

Texas will harvest one of its largest pecan crops in history this year—close to 42 million pounds. The recent dry weather has kept their size down a little below average this year, but the meats are plump, rich and oily.

Pecan growers who have large quantities of nuts to harvest are interested in reducing the harvest cost as much as possible. A number of growers in Texas used a mechanical tree shaker. This is a simple bit of equipment that has a fifty foot steel cable and hook which is fastened around a limb. The cable is attached to a shaft that works off a pulley attached to a tractor. Throw the cable around the limb of the tree, fasten the hook and put the tractor in gear. The pecan tree does a St. Vitus dance, and in three to five minutes all the pecans are on the ground. A blueprint of this machine can be secured from the county agent or from the Extension Service at College Station.

These machines will save from a third to a half of the harvest cost, and can be made in any local blacksmith shop.

Squirrels and crows gather in quite a bit of the harvest, but a pecan grower with a large crop can well afford to hire a man to keep the crows out with a shotgun. As for the squirrels, metal squirrel guards are available, and when placed around the trunk of the tree will keep the little beasts from getting into the tree.

It isn't every year we get a bumper crop of pecans, says Rosborough, so we should take advantage of this year's heavy production, and like the squirrel, store up a supply of the rich, tasty food. Pecans in the shell may be placed in cold storage before the first of January, and held at a temperature slightly below freezing. However, it's more practical to shell the pecans and store the meats. In the freezer locker these meats can be kept as long as two years.

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In a game between the Putnam and Cross Plains 'B' squads, the local school was victorious by a count of 19 to eight.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to you dear friends and neighbors for every kind deed during the long illness and death of our darling mother and grandmother.

Especially we wish to thank Dr. Powell for his kind and gentle care of the one we loved so much. Brother Smith for his comforting and consoling words of sympathy.

To each of the women who sat up and helped with such loving care. To the ones who prepared and served the dinner and to the ones who sent the beautiful floral offerings.

May God's richest blessings be on each and everyone of you is our prayer.

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No. 2 Cans	No. 2 Cans
Tomato Juice, 2 cans for - 25c	Tomatoes, 2 cans for - 25c
Tall Can	2-lb Box
Carnation Milk, 2 cans - - 29c	Crackers - - - - - 40c
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