

"AS I
SEE IT"

By Jack McCarty

A Sunday afternoon drive the past week, around this section revealed that Mother Nature has put on her best Spring dress. Farms and ranches of this area look better now than at any time in the past three years and with just a little more rain at a later date, a grain crop seems assured.

Speaking of rain . . . our friend H. V. Falkner, genial butcher at the Piggly Wiggly store here, still clings doggedly to his earlier prediction that all the tanks and creeks in this section will be running brim full by the last of this month. While we do not place any more faith in this weather prognostications than those of some other would-be prophets in this area, we will admit that he is an optimistic souls who tries to spread joy among the local citizens.

This community will suffer a real loss this week when Mr. and Mrs. W. R. (Bill) Wagner leave for Amarillo to make their home. Bill and Noble, as they are familiarly known to their legion of friends throughout this area, will be sorely missed and this department can state, without fear of contradiction that this fine couple are among the most popular and beloved citizens this community has ever known. Having been born and reared in this community, Bill stated that it was with deep regret that they moved to new fields, but he felt that his opportunities in his chosen field of occupation forced him to accept his new job with the Furr Food Store firm in Amarillo. We know that our loss is Amarillo's gain and we join their many friends here in wishing them the best of everything in their new home.

Changes in the personnel at Higginbotham's will move Chester Glover from the hardware department to the office to fill the shoes of Wagner and Elvis Scott will assume command of the hardware department.

The citizens of this area have a real treat in store for them come Saturday night, April 11 . . . that is the date set for the big All-District band concert to be held in the high school gymnasium here. This concert band will be composed of the "cream of the crop" of a large number of high school bands throughout this district. More about this affair will be carried in news columns of the Review next week. But, mark the date . . . Saturday night, April 11, because you will sure want to hear this fine concert.

As an editorial this week, we want to call your attention to politics in our State Legislature in Austin. A bill H.B. 42 by Lamar Zivley, styled the "clean competition" bill is up before the legislature and is nothing in the world but the age-old "fair trade bill" under the guise of a new name. If passed it will force the buying public of the state to pay more for everything.

An effort is being made to persuade the Legislature that the fair-trade price bill is aimed at only one feature of one type of retail business.

But the bill would affect business of all retail firms, from the smallest village to the biggest city. It would prohibit retail sale of

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CLASSIFIED QUIZZERS

About American History

How well do you remember the important documents of American history which you studied in school? You can find out by answering the questions given below. Turn to the Classified Page for the answers.

1. What most important governmental document begins: "We the people of the United States?"
2. What great declaration in American history begins "When in the course of human events?"
3. At the dedication of a battlefield, Lincoln made what famous address, the opening words of which are "Four score and seven years ago?"
4. In what great address did Lincoln say these words: "With malice toward none and charity toward all?"
5. Every American school child has often repeated this doctrine which begins "I believe in the United States of America." What is it?

"Classified Has the Answers"

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Travis Irvin, Veteran Of World War II, Dies Here Tuesday

Funeral services will be held at the First Baptist Church, here, Thursday afternoon (today) at 2 o'clock for Travis Hamilton Irvin, 33, who died at the family home north of town Tuesday. Rev. J. W. Chapman will officiate.

Travis was born July 7, 1919 and attended Deer Plains and Cross Plains schools. He served in the armed forces in the Pacific Theatre for three years during World War II.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Rosa Irvin, Cross Plains; four brothers, Loren of Cross Plains, Oris of Haskell, W. B. and Biggs of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Ben Atwood and Mrs. Bill Shepard of Fort Worth.

Burial will be made in the Cross Plains Cemetery with Higginbotham Bros. & Co. in charge of arrangements.

School Buys Lots Adjoining Campus

Hadden Payne, President of the Cross Plains Independent School District Board of Trustees announced the past week that a deal has been consummated recently, in which the school district purchased four city lots adjoining the school campus on the north from Von Clifton of Midland. The purchase price was \$725.00, he said.

Precinct Commissioner Claud E. Foster and his road crew leveled and graded the lots the past week and the much-needed ground is now being used as playgrounds for students in the first three grades of ward school, Supt. Paul Whitton said.

This sale gave the local school six lots together, the board having purchased two lots from the Commissioners Court last year.

HOSPITAL NOTES

W. C. Rouse, who underwent surgery in a Fort Worth hospital 10 days ago, is reported to be getting along fine. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Purvis and children spent the week end in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Rouse.

Gary Wayne Childers, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Childers, is getting along fine after suffering an acute attack of bronchitis. Gary received treatment in the Rising Star Hospital a few days last week.

W. J. (Son) Sipes returned home Sunday after receiving treatment in the Rising Star Hospital last week.

Mrs. George B. Scott is home from a Fort Worth hospital where she received medical care for several days. Mrs. Scott was brought home Sunday.

Fred Heyser of Putnam is reported to be slowly improving in a Baird hospital.

According to reports from the Rising Star Hospital Wednesday morning the following Cross Plains residents are patients in the hospital:

Mrs. W. C. Potter and infant son, Mrs. Lester P. King and infant son, Mrs. Elvis Scott and infant son, Mrs. Emil Ringhoffer, Jr. and infant son, Mrs. Mary E. Webb of Route 1.

The following patients have been released from the hospital the past week:

Mrs. Morris Odom, Gary Wayne Childers, W. J. Sipes and Mrs. Jess Moore.

ELVIS SCOTTS ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Scott of this city are receiving congratulations on the birth of an eight pound and nine ounce son, Tuesday, March 24, in the Rising Star Hospital. The young man has been named Wesley Don.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Scott of the Cedar Bluff community and maternal grandmother is Mrs. J. C. Foster of Cross Plains.

LESTER KINGS PARENTS OF BABY BOY, BORN MARCH 24

Mr. and Mrs. Lester King are parents of an eight pound baby boy, born Tuesday, March 24, in the Rising Star Hospital. Tommy Paul is the name given the baby. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom King of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shirley of Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson were in Knapp Sunday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Bob Baker and son. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson and son of Roswell, New Mexico joined them in the Baker home for a visit.

Buffalo Netters Win From Bangs During Practice Session Here

Buffalo netters challenged the Bangs netters here, Thursday of last week, in a practice meet and emerged victors.

Results of the competition were: Boys Doubles: James Oscar Koenig and Kenneth Tension of Cross Plains, Pierce and Snow for Bangs. Three sets (6 games). First set, Cross Plains 6, Bangs 0; second set, Cross Plains 4, Bangs 6; third set, Cross Plains 6, Bangs 4. Totals were 16 for Cross Plains and 10 for Bangs.

Boys Singles: Arthur Coats for Cross Plains; Pierce for Bangs. First set, Cross Plains 6, Bangs 0; second set, Cross Plains 7, Bangs 5. Totals: Cross Plains 13, Bangs 5. Girls Singles: Glenda McMillan for Cross Plains, Newton for Bangs. First set, Cross Plains, 6, Bangs 3; second set, Cross Plains 4, Bangs 6; third set, Cross Plains 6, Bangs 3. Totals: Cross Plains 16, Bangs 12.

Girls Doubles: Linda King and Gaynell Bryan, Cross Plains; Hill and Lively for Bangs. First set, Cross Plains 3, Bangs 6; second set, Cross Plains 3, Bangs 6. Totals were 6 for Cross Plains, 12 for Bangs.

Boys Singles: Bum Foster for Cross Plains; Bennett, Bangs. First set, Cross Plains 6, Bangs 1; second set, Cross Plains 6, Bangs 0. Totals: Cross Plains 12, Bangs 1.

Boy Junior Doubles: Charles McCord and Watkins for Cross Plains; Lassael and Mathews for Bangs. First set, Cross Plains 3, Bangs 6; second set, Cross Plains 6, Bangs 4. Totals were: 9 for Cross Plains; 10 for Bangs.

Girls Junior Doubles: Ruth McAnally and Johnnie Fortune for Cross Plains; Hill and Lively for Bangs. One set was played, the score ending 5-5.

Former Resident Dies In Kerrville Tuesday After One Day Illness

News was received here Wednesday morning of the death of Mrs. Marjorie Harvey Neill of Kerrville. Mrs. Neill passed away Tuesday night after becoming ill Monday with a form of meningitis.

Mrs. Neill made her home here and at Pioneer for many years before moving to Kerrville some five years ago.

She is survived by her husband, Alexander Neill of Kerrville; a sister, Mrs. E. A. Ungren of Abilene.

Funeral services for Mrs. Neill will be held at Abilene Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Pioneer Cemetery Report

Mrs. S. O. Skinner, treasurer of the Pioneer Cemetery Fund, reports that a balance of \$209.72 was on hand March 15, with the following donations having been made since the last report was published:

G. A. Miller	\$5.00
Grover Bryson	5.00
Tom Bush	5.00
R. C. Browning	10.00

Exams for Positions In Health Dept. To Be Held

Austin, Tex.—Competitive examinations for clerical, technical, and professional positions with the Texas State Department of Health will be offered on a continuous basis until further notice, Mr. Russell E. Shrader, Supervisor of the Merit System Council, has announced.

Applications and information are available on request from the Merit System Council, 805 Littlefield Building, Austin 15, Texas.

Classifications open for examinations include Public Health Investigator, Veterinarian, Health Educator, Junior Bookkeeper, and Hospital Consultant as well as examinations for typists, secretaries, nurses, sanitarians, investigators, engineers, and laboratory personnel.

All applicants must have high school graduation and training and experience appropriate to the classification. Examinations may be either written, an evaluation of training and experience, or a combination of the two.

Examinations are given in Austin in the Merit Council office and in other centers over the State when justified by the number of candidates in the immediate area.

M/Sgt. L. W. Renfro is here visiting his sister, Mrs. M. B. King and family. Sgt. Renfro has been stationed at Holman Air Force Base in New Mexico, but will report to Camp Stoneman, California March 31 where he expects to be sent to the Far East.

March 31 Deadline For Listing 6-Year-Olds In Annual School Census

Hubert Kelley, official census enumerator for the Cross Plains Independent School District, announced this week that next Tuesday, March 31, is the deadline for parents to have children enumerated for the annual school census.

He pointed out that all families in the district with children enrolled in school have been enumerated, but that patrons with children of pre-school age may have been missed. If you have children in your home who will be six years of age before Sept. 1, this year, please notify Mr. Kelley at the local elementary school and he will call at your home to enumerate them.

It is highly important that all six-year-olds be counted as state aid to schools is based upon the number of students to be entered in school here next year he said.

Dairymen Invited To Meeting At School Building On Friday

County Agent Glen Green announced this week that a dairy meeting will be held at the school building here tomorrow (Friday), beginning at 1:30 p.m., and all dairymen of this area are urged to attend, he said.

Problems confronting dairy producers will be discussed, with Richard Burleson, dairy husbandman of the A&M College Extension Service making the main talk.

Local dairymen are sure to gain much information which will be helpful to them in operating their business at a profit, according to Agent Green's announcement.

County Agent Green will be in charge of the meeting.

All-District Band Meet To Be Held Here April 11

W. W. (Bill) King, director of the Cross Plains Buffalo Band, announced this week that the local school will play host to the regular meeting of the All-District Band here Saturday, April 11.

According to King, the meet will last all day and will close with a big band concert in the school gym that evening. A large number of student musicians from school bands in this district will be present for the all-day clinic and the concert band will be composed of the winners in the day's competition, it was said.

Further details regarding the meet will be published in next week's Review.

COTTONWOOD MUSICAL DECLARED A SUCCESS; PROCEEDS GO TO P-TA

The musical and food sale held at the Cottonwood school last Friday night was hailed by members of the Parent-Teachers Association as a big success, according to reports received here.

The proceeds went to the P-TA, it was said, and the Review has been asked to convey this organization's thanks to everyone who had a part in the successful program.

State's Fatality Figure For '53 Shows Decline

AUSTIN, March 20.—Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, today released the State's final traffic fatality figure for 1952.

Complete tabulation of motor vehicle accidents for last year show that 2,498 persons were killed, according to Garrison. This is 48 below the figure for 1951 and sets the death rate at 7.0, the lowest point since the creation of the State Department of Public Safety in 1935. The death rate is based on the number of fatalities per 100 million motor vehicle miles traveled. The national death rate for 1952 was pegged at 7.3 by the National Safety Council.

"This means," said Garrison, "that for the first time Texas fared a little better than the national average."

Total number of accidents was up some 31,000 over the preceding year and the estimated economic loss from traffic accidents was set at over \$154 million, up \$21 million dollars over 1951.

Mrs. George Warfield of McGamey visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Kizer, last week. The Kizers took her home Saturday and visited there over the week end.

Dallas Newsman And Cross Cut Stockman Dies Of Heart Attack

James Dennis (Denny) Hays, 61, Cross Cut stock farmer and a longtime employee of the Dallas Times-Herald, passed away suddenly during the early morning hours Tuesday while in Dallas attending to business matters.

Hays, for the past 32 years, had been chief of staff of the photography department of the Dallas daily paper. Suffering from a heart ailment, he had turned the work over to two of his sons and about two years ago moved to the Cross Cut community where he had been engaged in stock farming. During rush periods he went to Dallas to assist in the operation of the paper's photography department and was helping out when stricken.

He was raised in the Admiral and Putnam communities. Funeral arrangements were incomplete as the Review went to press, but it was learned that services and interment would be made in Dallas.

Melrose Helfin, Sixth Grade Teacher, Resigns

According to an announcement made this week Mrs. Melrose Helfin, popular sixth grade teacher in the elementary school here for the past two years, resigned her position effective with the close of the school year.

Supt. Whitton stated that her resignation was reluctantly accepted by the board and it was the unanimous opinion that Mrs. Helfin has been one of the finest instructors ever elected to the local faculty.

According to her resignation, she expects to join her husband, an army officer now serving with the U. N. forces in Korea, in making their home at an army post somewhere in this country. He is to be rotated home sometime in the near future.

AREA OIL NEWS

Brown County Cross Cut Field gained three projects as the week closed.

Frank W. Young of Springfield, Ill., No. 2 H. H. Smith is located 2 1/2 miles southeast of Cross Cut. Site for the 1,995-foot rotary project is 960 feet from the south and 300 feet from the west lines of W. Miller Survey.

Three and one-half miles southeast of Cross Cut, Sam Broadhead of Meridian, Miss., No. 4 O. L. Keller is a 1,500-foot rotary try. Drillsite is 4,205 feet from the south and 1,480 feet from the east lines of R. Mitchell Survey 141. The other project is Gar Oil Co. No. 1 J. R. Prater, slated for 1,400 feet with rotary. Site is 165 feet from the north and east lines of W. L. Swain Survey 145.

In the Brown County Regular Field, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Cross Cut, Roy D. Payne of Abilene No. 1 A. Garlitz, L. King Survey A-1791, was plugged at 1,541 feet.

BROWN—Sloan Wells No. 2 Otto Leatherwood, Block 18, Juan Delgado Survey, Blake Field, was completed for 64 barrels of 42 gravity oil per day, on pump from perforations at 1,192-98 feet. Casing was set on bottom at 1,211 feet.

Earnest A. Wright, Abilene, is to drill No. 1 B. B. Hickman as a 1,900-foot project four miles north-east of Cross Cut, 750 feet from the south and 2,480 feet from the west lines of Hugh McClure Survey 152.

School Lunchroom Menu

The following lunches will be served in the school lunchroom March 30-April 3:

Monday: Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, green beans, sweet or sour pickles, lightbread, banana pudding chocolate or plain milk.

Tuesday: Blackeye peas, macaroni and cheese or cheese strips, buttered cabbage, beet pickles, orange cake, cornbread, chocolate or plain milk.

Wednesday: Turkey steaks or patties, mashed potatoes, cream gravy, sliced tomatoes, bread, jello with fruit, chocolate or plain milk.

Thursday: Pinto beans, spinach or turnip greens, stewed potatoes, bread, date bread pudding, shredded cabbage, chocolate or plain milk.

Friday: Turkey biscuit pie, whole kernel corn, lettuce and tomato salad, lightbread, caramel raisin pudding, chocolate or plain milk.

Mrs. A. B. Atwood of Kermit and Mr. and Mrs. Joe White of Penwell visited relatives here Sunday night and Monday and attended funeral services for Jack Lacy Monday afternoon.

Farmers Invited To Castor Bean Meeting Here Next Tuesday

An important meeting of farmers of this area will be held at the high school building here next Tuesday afternoon, March 31, when W. I. Ross, assistant Extension Agronomist from Marlin will be present to discuss castor bean farming.

The meeting will begin at 1:30, and will be in charge of County Agent Glen Green. All farmers interested in growing castor beans are urged to attend, it was said.

Alex Shocklee Named Commander Of VFW

In a regular meeting of the Smith-Slaughter Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, held at the club rooms in Pioneer, Thursday night of last week, Alex Shocklee was elevated from Senior Vice Commander to Commander of the post, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Commander Ben Franklin, recently.

According to the announcement, Weldon Wooten, member from Rising Star, was elected Junior Vice Commander of the post and Commander Shocklee named Junior Ford as Post Service Officer.

MRS. PERRY PURVIS SUFFERS BROKEN ANKLE

Mrs. Perry Purvis, who resides in the Atwell community, is reported to be recovering normally after having suffered a broken ankle at her home several days ago. She received treatment in a Cisco hospital and was moved to her home. Mrs. Clifton Reed of Big Spring has been here with her mother, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell and children of Waco were week end visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Thate.

Local Track Teams Win First And Second Places In Bangs Meet There Tuesday

Both high school and ward school Buffalo track teams participated in the Bangs track meet held there Tuesday afternoon of this week. Coach Hub Keuppel's ward school tracksters won first place in their division and the high school team, under Coach Frank Rundell, snared second place in their division. Results of the meet were:

Broad Jump:
1. Jennings, Cross Plains, 16 feet, 10 inches.
2. Queen, Cross Plains.
3. Moore, Cross Plains.

High Jump:
1. Tie between Jennings and McDonald, both of Cross Plains, 4 feet, 8 inches.
3. Walton, Bangs.

100 Yard Dash:
1. Ross, Bangs, time 11.3.
2. Foster, Cross Plains.
3. Jennings, Cross Plains.

440 Yard Relay:
1. Cross Plains, Queen, Moore, Foster and Jennings, time 51.8.

Low Hurdles:
1. Pierce, Bangs. 2. Jones, Cross Plains. 3. Sudderth, Early. 4. Parrish, Cross Plains. 5. Snow, Bangs. 6. Cade, Cross Plains. Best time, Pierce, 20.8.

Discus:
1. Patterson, Santa Anna. 2. & 3. Tyson and McDonald of Bangs. 4. Coppinger, Cross Plains. 5. Neal, Early. 6. Jones of Cross Plains. Winning throw 114 feet.

440 Yard Dash:
1. Segrist, Bangs. 2. & 3. McCullough, Early. 2. & 3. Wallace, Santa Anna. 4. Cozard, Santa Anna. 5. Harris, Santa Anna. 6. Wilson of Cross Plains. Winning time 54.0.

100 Yard Dash:
1. Segrist, Bangs. 2. Parrish, Cross Plains. 3. & 4. Turnell, Santa Anna. 3. & 4. Hallford, Bangs. 5. Franklin, May. 6. Millian of Early. Winning time 10.4.

High Jump:
1, 2 & 3. Parrish, Cross Plains.

Jack Lacy Expires At Home Early Sunday; Burial Here Monday

Jack Lacy passed away at the family home here early Sunday morning, March 22, after an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, March 23, at the Church of Christ with Minister Lawrence Smith of Abilene officiating, assisted by Leroy Cowan, minister of the local Church of Christ. Music was furnished by a quartet from Abilene Christian College.

He was born Jasper Watson Lacy, March 24, 1888 at Burnam Mills, Missouri, lacking only two days reaching the age of 65. He came to the Cross Plains area at the age of 20 and has lived here since that time with the exception of two short periods. He was married to Hettie Webb on August 4, 1912.

He has been a member of the Church of Christ since 1914.

Surviving are his wife, Hettie Lacy; two sons, Harlon of Dallas and Jack Webb of Mullin; and one daughter, Lanora Newton of Vanderbilt; and four grandchildren.

Burial was made in the Cross Plains Cemetery with Higginbotham Bros. & Co. in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Dick Vestal, N. L. Long, Jr., Troy Crockett, Gerald Bowden, Melvin Placke and Herrell Kelley.

Band Boosters Club To Meet Tuesday Night

The Band Boosters Club will have a short meeting at the band hall, Tuesday evening, March 31, beginning at 7:30.

At this meeting plans will be discussed for the All District band meet to be held here April 11.

All Band Booster Club members are urged to be present for this important meeting.



Your Senator Reports

(Senator Lyndon B. Johnson, writing from Washington, gives a weekly report on happenings in the National Capitol as they affect Texas and Texans.)

As soon as word was received in Washington of the destruction done in Haskell and Knox Counties by the recent tornado, I got in touch with county officials offering any help that my office could provide to victims of the storm. I was told of the wonderful work being done in the affected areas by the Red Cross and by hundreds of volunteers.

The Red Cross assigned 13 national staff members to the area, including three nurses and a building supervisor. All chapters in the affected sections provided emergency feeding. The Wichita Falls mobile canteen assisted at Knox City and the Fort Worth canteen at both Knox City and Haskell.

Within a short time five or six hundred trucks, manned by volunteers were on the scene clearing away debris left by the storm.

The West Texans were hard hit, but they are already at the job of building back. That's the Texas way.

Every Texan felt proud last week of a fellow-Texan, Col. Royal N. Baker of McKinney when he became the man who shot down more jet planes than anybody else. Col. Baker, whose wife and four children are waiting for him in McKinney, has completed more than 125 missions as commander of the 4th Fighter-Interceptor Group in Korea. He has received personal congratulations from Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbot, Air

Force Chief of Staff General Hoyt S. Vandenberg, and General O. P. Weyland, Commander of Far East Air Forces.

The Texan is scheduled to be rotated home March 27. I would like to give a luncheon for him here in Washington and have sent an invitation to him in Korea.

Had the pleasure, as President of Texas State Society, of naming Betty Ann Kilday, San Antonio, to be Texas Princess at the Annual Cherry Blossom Festival coming up early in April. Betty Ann is the 18-year-old daughter of Congressman and Mrs. Paul J. Kilday, and she will do Texas proud in the Cherry Blossom ceremonies. Her father is one of the most able members of Congress and Chairman of the Texas delegation.

Texans visiting here keep reporting good rains. Good! Hope there's more to come.

I joined Senator George Smathers of Florida last week in sponsoring a resolution designating May 3-9 as National Mental Health Week. The resolution was urged by the Texas Mental Health Society, among other organizations.

President Eisenhower has submitted to Congress a proposal to reorganize the Federal Security Agency as the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby of Houston, present FSA Administrator, would become Secretary of the new Department and achieve Cabinet status. President Eisenhower's plan has been approved by an extraordinary session of the House of Delegates of the American Medical Association.

The Senate approved last Wednesday a resolution empowering special subcommittees of the armed Services Committee to make investigations, along the line of those made in the past by the Preparedness Subcommittee. I was chairman of this committee for the past two and one-half years, and I spoke on the Senate floor on behalf of the resolution.

There was never any political partisanship in the work of the Preparedness Subcommittee and all its reports were unanimously approved. We will work together in the future as we have worked together in the past. Whatever may be our differences on other subjects, we stand together in the defense of our nation.

I know all true Texans feel that way. We must determine, through this Committee, whether our nation is doing enough to safeguard the lives and liberties of our people. We must make certain we are not

So the People May Know

The publication laws of Texas are many. Few attorneys are familiar with all of them, and public officials charged with carrying out these laws may not have a detailed knowledge of them.

This series of articles calls attention to some of the publication laws so as to attract the interest of more citizens in the governmental units that they support with their tax dollars; and to inform government officials who may be in violation of these laws through unfamiliarity with them.

One of the provisions of the law is that the tax assessor and collector must by the first of April each year prepare the delinquent tax rolls of water control and improvement district.

Directors of the water control district must publish the delinquent tax rolls in a newspaper. The law says:

"Art. 7880-72. Water—publication of delinquent tax roll of water control and improvement district.

"The tax assessor and collector shall on or before the first of April each year prepare a delinquent tax roll, showing all charges upon the tax rolls which have not been paid and file same with directors of said district. The directors shall publish said delinquent tax list showing name of owner, description of property, and total amount due, in a newspaper published in the county where said district or any part thereof is situated. Said notice shall be published once a week for two weeks. If no newspaper is published in the county said notice may be published in a newspaper outside of the county. There shall be paid to the newspaper for publishing such a notice a reasonable fee fixed by agreement, not to exceed, however, twenty cents for each rendition or each tract of land, allowing not to exceed three lines single column thereto. The publisher of such notice shall file in the office of the district a copy of each issue of the paper furnished charged with carrying out these laws may not tached thereto. The notice herein provided for to be made by publication is intended to be for the information of all taxpayers and shall not be, or be held to be, a requisite to the filing of any suit for the collection of taxes and such suits may be filed without publishing such notice."

wasting one penny designed for defense.

I think that is a good American creed for these times.

PIONEER NEWS

By A. O. (Slim) Harris

Lonnie Gray attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Alice Page, at Goldthwaite last Friday.

Mrs. Susie Fore was accompanied to Abilene last Friday by Mrs. Eula Fore. Mrs. Susie Fore is taking treatments from a specialist.

Jean Plumlee and wife are here visiting his mother. Jean has been in a veterans hospital near Los Angeles, California, suffering with a stomach ailment. He underwent several major operations. He only weighed 104 pounds when he was dismissed but is gaining some since coming here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stout of May visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Marshall, over the week end.

Uncle Jack Meador of Cross Plains is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Pat Shirley, a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gray of Big Lake visited with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Martin of Cisco visited her sister, Mrs. Belle Lustad, here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson of Coleman visited friends at the Pioneer Gasoline Plant here last Sunday.

Mrs. Earlene Burge and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brown. Mrs. Burge returned to her home in Ira Sunday afternoon.

Remember Easter Sunday at the Pioneer Baptist Church: Sunday School, worship hour and presentation of certificates to those attending the Bible study in the Book of Philippians, lunch at the church, Easter egg hunt for the kiddies. At 3:00 p.m. an ordination service for V. D. Mitchell as Deacon of the church, evening worship with the Lord's supper at the close of the service. The revival will continue on through the week with Rev. Dan Whaley doing the preaching.

As I was out and around last week I noticed that Doss Alexander was removing some of his peach trees. Mr. Alexander told me that some of the trees were nearly 20 years old and were still going strong until the past dry spell. That goes to show what a short time can do to what man has been many years building to a profitable stage. All men suffer the same, some in smaller or greater degrees when conditions overtake man as he journeys through life's short span.

Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Seward are taking her mother, Mrs. May

ATWELL NEWS

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Elder Hardaway of Waxahachie preached at the Primitive Baptist Church Wednesday night and visited with Elder C. L. Casey of Cisco.

Mamie Foster spent Tuesday night with Bonnie Kirkham and attended a Girl Scout program.

Mrs. J. P. Purvis is at home now. She fell and broke her ankle recently. Doyce Purvis and children of Big Spring were with her last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hewes recently visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harvie McKinney and boys of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd and family of Cross Cut Wednesday night.

Carla Jackson of San Antonio visited with Lynette Hutchins Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Alton Tatom visited with Mrs. Dayton and Metta Sessions Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Bernice Foster and Mrs. Howard Pillans were in Eastland Friday to see the dentist, Dr. Jolly.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuff Hutchins and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bentley of Putnam.

Miss Ileen Foster took supper with Carl Smith of Rising Star Sunday night.

Visiting Emory Foster Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Newman Jackson and children of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and children and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Foster and children.

Freddy Tatom visited in Cross Plains Sunday night with Vondal Hutchins and Gerald Foster.

Visitors in the J. T. Hewes home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom, Roy Neil and Ellowayne spent Sunday visiting in Cross Plains and Cross Cut.

Mrs. Alton Tatom, Mrs. Ebb Rouse and Eddie Faye, Mrs. Bernice Foster and children, Mrs. Howard Pillans and children and Mrs. Nathan Foster and Randy visited Mrs. Lela Foster in the Steve Foster home in Cross Plains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan visited friends and relatives in Fort Worth over the week end.

Rutherford, to the Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood where she will take treatment for a few days.

Construction work on the new highway from here to Cross Plains should be getting underway before too long. Some of the property owners along the route are getting their fences moved back.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cloud visited with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Tom Flippin, in Andrews over the week end.

Advertising Doesn't Cost—It Pays

SABANNO NEWS

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

We have another oil rig in our community. This one is on the Joe Lilly place about one and one-half miles southwest. Everyone is predicting that they will get a well. We hope they'll get a good one.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb and baby of Grand Prairie visited in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King, Sunday morning.

Bonnie and Bernie Pancake of Pioneer visited Jimmie Scott Sunday afternoon.

The Busy Bee Club Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Truett Dawkins with 16 present. Several visitors were with us. One quilt was finished. Cookies, cakes and coffee were served to all. Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Charlie Goleanor.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford of Cross Plains spent Wednesday in the home of Mr. Lawson and boys. Mrs. Swafford visited with the Busy Bee Club in the afternoon.

Glendora Raughton of Cross Plains visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb.

Mrs. W. S. McCann and Mrs. C. M. McCann visited with Mrs. Laminack Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Day of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Crocker of Cross Plains and J. D. Conger of Big Spring visited in the home of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Lusk and children of Abilene visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk, Thursday night. Basil and wife made a trip to Fort Worth, leaving the children with their grandparents until they returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann and Eldridge Lawson were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Truett Dawkins.

Mrs. Wes Holcomb visited with her mother, Mrs. Julia Conger, of Cross Plains.

Mr. Wiley and Doris visited with Mrs. Wiley, who is in Cisco, last Sunday.

James Erwin and Stevie Foster visited with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Goleanor visited Mrs. Green and Arzie Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Gwynn Elliott and son visited in Abilene Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Elliott and sons.

Miss Betty Bettis and Gene Greenwood, students at Tarleton State College, Stephenville, visited here Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greenwood.

Charles Mack Holdridge and Junior Grider, who are stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, spent the week end here with their parents. A buddy accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnell and Mrs. M. W. Wyatt visited relatives in Comanche Sunday afternoon. The Tunnells also visited with their daughter, Mary Beth, at Stephenville.

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Naturally it is quite an occasion to have lunch with the President of the United States. This was my rare privilege a few days ago and one which I enjoyed immensely.

President Eisenhower believes that the basis of cooperative efforts should be on personal understandings, and that personal contacts are the only way to accomplish it.

We all know that in any human relationship, when really we know a person, we can usually better understand and appreciate his attitude and his viewpoint.

This is not to say that business was discussed at the President's luncheon. Actually, matters of legislation were not referred to. The President did discuss his experiences during World War II in connection with meetings with Stalin. He also discussed having met Malenkov and his impression of him as a man. Although he did not deal in very much speculation, he did discuss various possibilities of world events by reason of Stalin's death and the leadership of the Soviet falling to Malenkov.

Before, during, and after the luncheon, our conversation was that which you might have with any friend. Shortly before the luncheon, which was at one o'clock, President Eisenhower came in and said to me, "I am glad to see a fellow Texan." During the past several years, I have met General Eisenhower on more than one occasion. Mostly, it was at a time when he was testifying before the Committee on which I served.

At the table, the President discussed a huge copper and brass chandelier over the table in the State Dining Room. He told me that Teddy Roosevelt had the crystal chandeliers removed from the White House to the Capitol because when the windows were open, the wind made the prisms rattle and tinkle, which disturbed him. These chandeliers now hang in several places in the Capitol of the United States.

Another interesting bit of information was the fact that prior to the Administration of Teddy Roosevelt, what we commonly know as "The White House" was originally referred to as "The President's House." However, when the Committee on Renovation of the Executive Mansion recently repaired the White House at a cost of more than four million dollars, they made official the original identification. Officially, it is "The President's House," and on the back of each piece of silverware is engraved, "The President's House."

During the course of our meal, I remarked to the President that I was sure he had attended White House official functions where they always serve a punch. He said that of course he had. Then I referred to the character of that punch which to me is about the worst stuff I ever tasted. He agreed completely and said he would try to do something about it.

After lunch, we went to the President's living quarters where he has on display, medals awarded to him by about every country of any prominence in the world. I asked him if he had any Russian medals, and he said that he did have, but when he went in politics, he salted them away in some other place.

The subject of the President's golf game arose, and I let him know that several years ago I was a golf enthusiast but had not played but a few times since before the war. He said that no one should get so busy that he must neglect some sort of exercise and recreation, and I am sure he is correct.

As everyone knows, Mr. Eisenhower practices his golf in the "backyard" of the Presidential Mansion. That backyard is much larger than most of us have. In fact, it can be measured in acres rather than feet. Mr. Eisenhower showed me where he usually stood to make his practice shots. He can hit the balls in two or three different directions, and never get "out of bounds" of the grounds.

Another interesting experience of the last few days was an hour and a half conference with Mrs. Clare Boothe Luce, newly appointed Ambassador to Italy. I discussed with her religious freedoms in Italy. Most everyone is aware that American religious groups carrying on evangelical work in Italy have experienced considerable difficulties during the past three or four years.

Mrs. Luce surprised me in that she was thoroughly familiar with these happenings and assured me that she would do everything possible to see that it would be much better to prevent a recurrence of incidences of the kind which have transpired in the past, than to try to smooth them over after they have occurred. She suggested that representatives of these religious activities in Italy call on her personally soon after she arrives, in order that she may have their full point of view.

Alathean Sunday School Social In Powell Home

Members of the Alathean Sunday School class of the Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Eli Powell, March 9, for a business and social meeting.

Mrs. J. W. Chapman brought the devotional from the 19th Chapter of Psalms. The class sang the song "Bless Be The Tie That Binds".

A short business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Jessie Clark in the absence of the president.

Secret pals were revealed and gifts exchanged by each. After a very enjoyable social hour the hostess passed a delicious refreshment plate of lime sherbet, cake and mints to the following members: Mmes. Earl Pyle, Lee Bishop, Mina Conlee, Jessie Clark, Lillie McMillan, J. W. Chapman, W. A. Strickland, A. D. Petty and Harry Coppinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Charles McMillan of Bangs visited here Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McMillan. Mrs. Patsy Ruth Hunt accompanied her brother and wife home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gregory of Blanket were Sunday visitors in the L. W. Placke home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Davis and sons left for their home in Wink the first of last week after spending sometime here with his mother and sister, Mrs. T. M. Davis and Myrtle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McMillan of Coleman visited their son, Exal McMillan and family, Saturday night.

Miss Ann Baum of Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Baum, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood and Mrs. Darwin Anderson and daughter visited Travis Irvin, who was receiving medical treatment in the Rising Star Hospital, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Williamson of Lindsey, California have been here visiting her brother, J. M. Tubbs and wife. Mr. Tubbs accompanied the Williamsons to Hominy, Oklahoma for a few days visit with another sister, Mrs. S. R. Baron, returning to his home Thursday.

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Zig zag stripes in gay colors make this terry cloth after-swim coat a sure attention-getter on the beach. The serpentine stripes on one side of the reversible jacket contrast with the solid white cotton terry of the other side. The eye-catching beach coat is designed by White Stag.

SON BORN TO MR. AND MRS. E. RINGHOFFER, JR.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ringhoffer, Jr., of Route 2, are announcing the birth of an eight pound, 11½ ounce son, March 22 in the Rising Star Hospital. He has been named Robert Lee.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. Ringhoffer, Sr. of Route 2 and maternal grandmother is Mrs. Mae Bailey of Scranton.

Mrs. John Pruet and son, Mike, visited in Fort Worth Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ann Pinnell.

Mrs. L. F. Foster, who has been taking care of her sister in San Antonio the past several months, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burton had as visitors Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Newton of Anson, Mrs. Mary Burton and children of Abilene, Mrs. W. A. Burton and children of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Stephens of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Woody of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Do You Remember?...

Taken From The Files of The Review, 15 and 25 Years Ago

MARCH 25, 1938

Callahan County's annual inter-scholastic league track and field meet got underway in earnest at Baird this week.

Trustees of the Atwell school district notified the Cross Plains board Wednesday night that they had voted unanimously to transfer the entire high school here for the 1938-39 term.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan are the parents of a baby girl, born Thursday of last week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rudloff Sunday, March 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Neel of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Neel of De Leon and Miss Bobbie Neel, a student in Weatherford Junior College, spent the week end with their parents here.

One of the most successful rabbit drives of the spring was held last week northeast of town. Fifty-two hunters were present and reported slaying between 300 and 400 rabbits.

Thelma Younglove and Miss Gregg, nurses in Sealy Hospital, visited Mrs. Alice Younglove Sunday.

MARCH 23, 1923

A light snow fell for an hour here

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lee were in Coleman Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coppinger of Abilene were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Harris Sunday.

Mrs. C. B. Gregory of De Leon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson, here Sunday.

Arthur McDonough has returned to his home in St. Helens, Oregon after spending a couple of months here with his brother and sister, Volle McDonough and Mrs. Tom King and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Williams and daughter of Monument, New Mexico spent a few days here the past week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Placke and Mr. and Mrs. George Williams of Burkett.

Monday, but melted as it hit mother earth. The thermometer recorded freezing temperature here last Thursday night and ice was in evidence Friday morning.

Last Friday morning, March 18, the infant boy baby of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Henderson was buried in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

Sunday night fire of an unknown origin destroyed Olan Adams' garage and Hudson sedan.

C. B. Pannell of Moran has purchased one-half interest in the Bill Cross Barber Shop and his moved his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Newton and children of Fort Worth spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sipes and family.

Miss Helen Upton entertained last Saturday night with a slumber party, honoring Miss Nell Rush of Throckmorton.

Bill Ogilvy of Rock Springs is visiting here this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conlee, a fine boy, Sunday, March 18.

W. E. Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Butler motored to Brownwood Sunday to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Porter Henderson.

We regret to report that Mrs. Herbert Freeman is critically ill in the Brownwood Sanitarium.

Lee and Dale Bishop attended a business meeting of Chevrolet dealers in Abilene Monday.

Mrs. Mina Conlee was a visitor in Brownwood Wednesday of last week.

Rev. C. Y. Butler spent the first of the week in Rankin in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Butler, who had been visiting with her daughter and family for several days, returned home with Rev. Butler Wednesday.

Mrs. Ben Riffe spent last week in San Antonio with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Faucett and family. A brother of Mrs. Riffe, Charlie Jones of Corpus Christi, was in San Antonio to visit with her during the week. It was the first time they had seen each other in 20 years.

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NEAL SMITHS PARENTS OF DAUGHTER, BORN MARCH 15

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smith of Lubbock are announcing the birth of a daughter on March 15 in a Lubbock hospital. The baby has been named Nancy Lynn and weighed five pounds and two ounces at birth.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Reh of Bennington, Kansas and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith of this city. Mrs. Smith has just returned from visiting the family in Lubbock.

MOVE TO COTTONWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bunnell have moved the past week to the Coppinger place at Cottonwood and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Calhoun have moved to the Bunnell place just south of the high school building on North Main Street.

Mrs. Zenovia Strickland and Miss Kathryn Anderson were Abilene visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Childs and sons and Mrs. Brown of Fort Worth, J. H. Childs and Roy Byrd of Brownwood and Mrs. Tom King spent Saturday with Volle McDonough.

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WMU Meets Monday Evening At Dressy Hall

The WMU of the Baptist Church met at Dressy Hall Monday evening, March 23, at 7:30 for their Bible study "Women of Destiny" and a business meeting.

Ten members were present for the meeting.

Mrs. L. F. Foster made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

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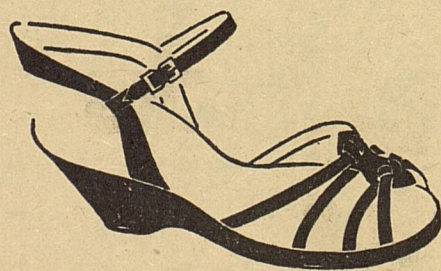
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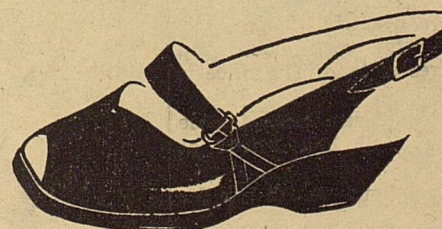
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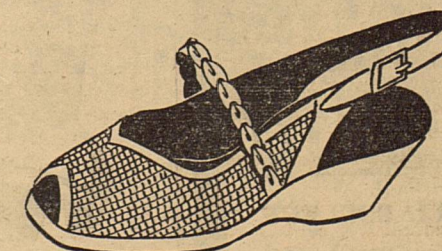
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FOR SALE: My home in Edgewood Addition. See Karl Peterson or phone 69, Cross Plains, Texas. (5tc50)

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2. The Declaration of Independence.
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FOR SALE: Spred Satin, the wonder paint. Baldwin Lumber Co., Cross Plains, Texas. (5tc52)

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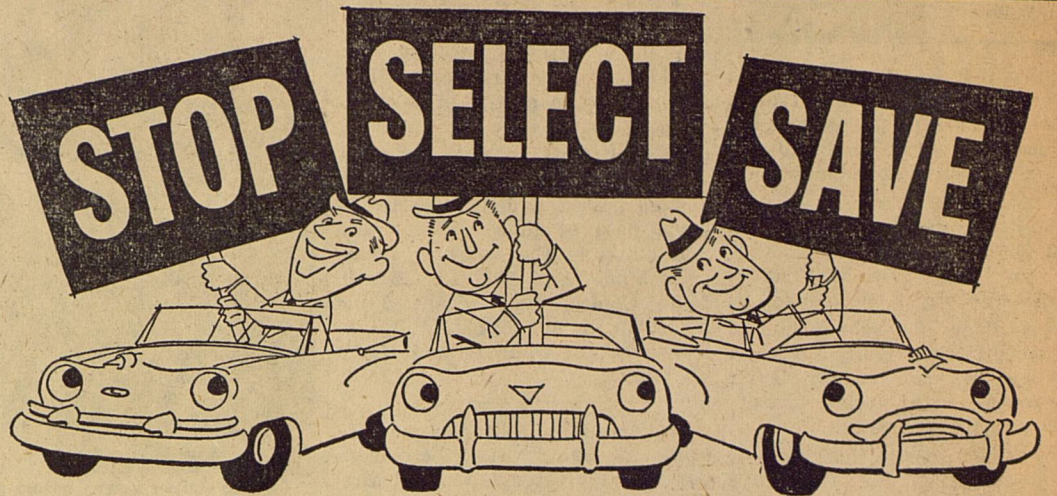
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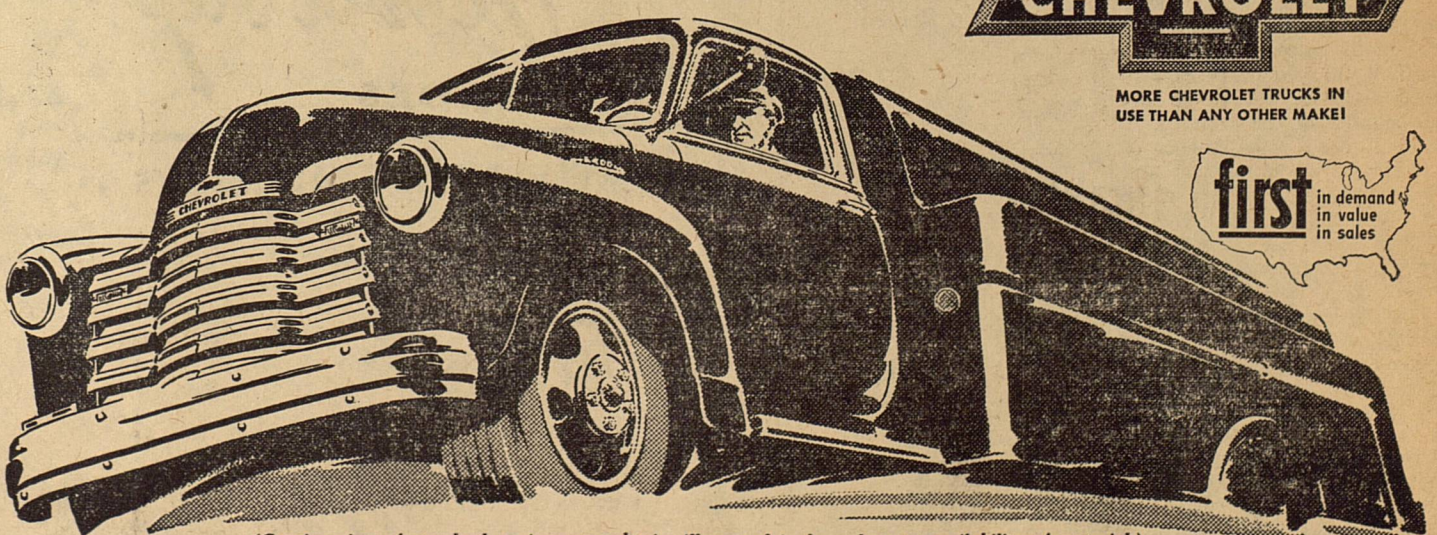
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Women's Union Prayer Services At The Baptist Church Next Month

The Women's Union Prayer Service will be held at the Baptist Church during the month of April, on each Wednesday afternoon beginning at 3:00 o'clock.

All women of the community are extended a cordial invitation to attend these services.

Howard Neeb and Miss Carolyn Gillet of Midwestern University visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Neeb, Saturday night and Sunday.

PLAINS

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

March 25-26

Loretta Young
Jeff Chandler

"Because of You"

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

March 27-28

Gene Autry

"Riders in the Sky"

Plus

Penny Singleton
Arthur Lake

"Blondie"

SUNDAY & MONDAY

March 29-30

Sterling Hayden
Richard Carlson

"Flat Top"

(in thrilling color)

TUESDAY ONLY

March 31

Joan Fontaine
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BURKETT NEWS

By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

This community was saddened Sunday on hearing of the sudden passing of John Tabor of Quanah. He died Saturday. Mr. Tabor, a former resident of Burkett, is survived by two sons, Cleburne of El Paso and Clinton of Novice; three sisters and a host of other relatives. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Burkett Baptist Church with Rev. E. E. Fielder conducting the rites. Burial was at the local cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Burchfield of Cross Plains are visiting their granddaughter, Mrs. T. C. Strickland and family, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Adams and baby of Fort Worth visited their parents here over the week end.

C. C. Burkett, of Wichita Falls visited his family here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Thames and children of Brownwood visited her mother Sunday.

Miss Eula Keefer of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Keefer, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klutts and girls of Hamilton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bludworth and Patsy moved to Bakersfield, near McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Harris is visiting their son, Grady Harris and family of Aransas Pass. Connie Jean returned home after visiting there several days.

Mrs. Lena Thate is visiting a daughter, Mrs. Cliff Griffin of Houston.

Mrs. Eli Ensor visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hoover last week. She is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hoover this week.

W. C. Strickland of McMurry, Abilene, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Strickland, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilder Adams of Abilene visited homefolks Saturday and Sunday.

R. L. Vaught of Dayton is looking after business interests in Cross Plains this week.

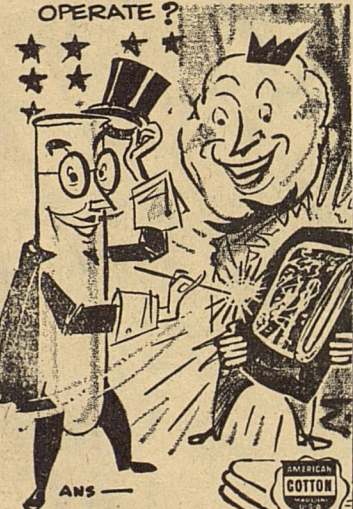
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Phillips of Coleman were visitors here one day last week in the home of his sisters, Misses Belle and Ella Phillips.

Moses of Biblical fame stuttered badly.

Lot's wife is never mentioned by name in the Bible.

COTTON QUIZ

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Butler-Lasater Vows Read At Rising Star Friday Evening at 7:30

The marriage of Miss Wilma Jean Butler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Butler of the Blake community, to Herbert Doyle Lasater, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Lasater of Eastland, took place Friday evening, March 20, at 7:30 o'clock in the Rising Star Church of Christ.

Minister H. McDonald performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with baskets of white Dutch iris and variegated caladium. Tall candelabra flanked the altar on each side.

Candlelighters for the ceremony were Eddy Bradley and Bobby Butler.

Matron of honor was Mrs. L. C. Hounsell of Van Horn. Miss Claudene Lasater of Eastland was bridesmaid and junior bridesmaid was Karen Jean Steele of Rising Star.

Bill Lasater of Eastland served as best man and groomsmen were Gene Young and Donald Kinnard of Eastland. Robert and Keith Butler were ushers. Kenneth Butler was ringbearer.

Don Parrish of Brownwood and Sam Jones and Mmes. Ray Nunnally, H. McDonald, Warren Bailey and Sam Jones sang "I Love You Truly" and "Oh Promise Me" and chanted the traditional wedding marches at the processional and recessional.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a pink suit with navy accessories. Her shoulder corsage was a white orchid. She carried a white Bible topped with an arrangement of white flowers. The Bible was a gift to her from the late Mrs. E. F. Agnew.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Out-of-town guests attended from Van Horn, Abilene, Eastland, Brownwood, Breckenridge, Cross Plains and Natchez, Mississippi.

After a short wedding trip to points of interest in Texas, the couple will make their home in Eastland.

JOHNSON AND COX MOVE NEW HOMES TO SITES HERE

Noah S. Johnson and Howard Cox, popular young business men of this city, have, the past week, completed the moving of new homes to their farms, located on Highway 36, about five miles northwest of town.

The new five-room houses are modern in every respect and will be occupied by the owners.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clements of Stephenville visited here Friday afternoon and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baum.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Woody, who have been making their home in San Diego, California the past several years, have moved back to their place at Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Brigner were business visitors in Eastland Monday.

M/Sgt. L. W. Renfro and Mrs. M. B. King were in San Antonio the past week visiting Mrs. King's daughter, Mrs. William Gibson and family. Little Billy Gibson returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Mary Wagner visited relatives in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crouch of Abilene visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Freeman, Sr., and other relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Hargrove, Mrs. B. R. Hargrove, Jr. and Mrs. M. L. Morgan visited in Baird and Clyde Monday.

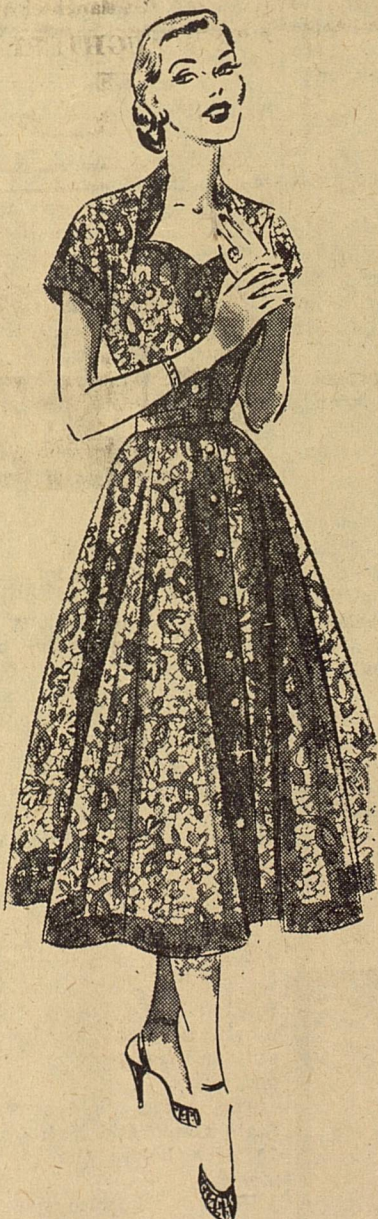
LADIES, are you tired of the every day grind? Want to get away from it all? Well, let the senior girls take the drudgery out of your spring cleaning. They will wash your windows for 20c apiece or if you want the outside washed and do the inside yourself it will be 10c a window. There will be a senior girl around in a few days to contact you. (Itc)



ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT—

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Baum of this city are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lavern Ann, to James Robert Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Henderson of Talpa. The wedding will take place in the First Methodist Church here May 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy were visitors in Brownwood Saturday afternoon.



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Light and airy cotton lace buttons from the flattering neckline to the hemline with beautiful rhinestone-studded buttons. A palette of colors; Mocha, cocoa, navy, dusty pink, Topa beige, and aqua. Sizes 12 to 20.



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Bill Wagners Honored At Going Away Party Here Tuesday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wagner were honored with a going away party Tuesday night by the employees of the Higginbotham store at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Neel.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagner will leave this week end for Amarillo where he will be an auditor for Furr Foods Company. He has served as book-keeper of the local Higginbotham store the past 28 years.

Games of '42' were enjoyed throughout the evening and the honored couple were presented with a gift from the group.

Refreshments of punch, cake and mints were served to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Placke, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brasear, Mr. and Mrs. Exal McMillan and Billie Helen, Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. Howard Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. Neel.

Mrs. McMillan and Billie Helen sang "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You".

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Falkner and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cowan were visiting friends in Hamilton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop drove to Lamesa the past week end for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Otis Lee and family.

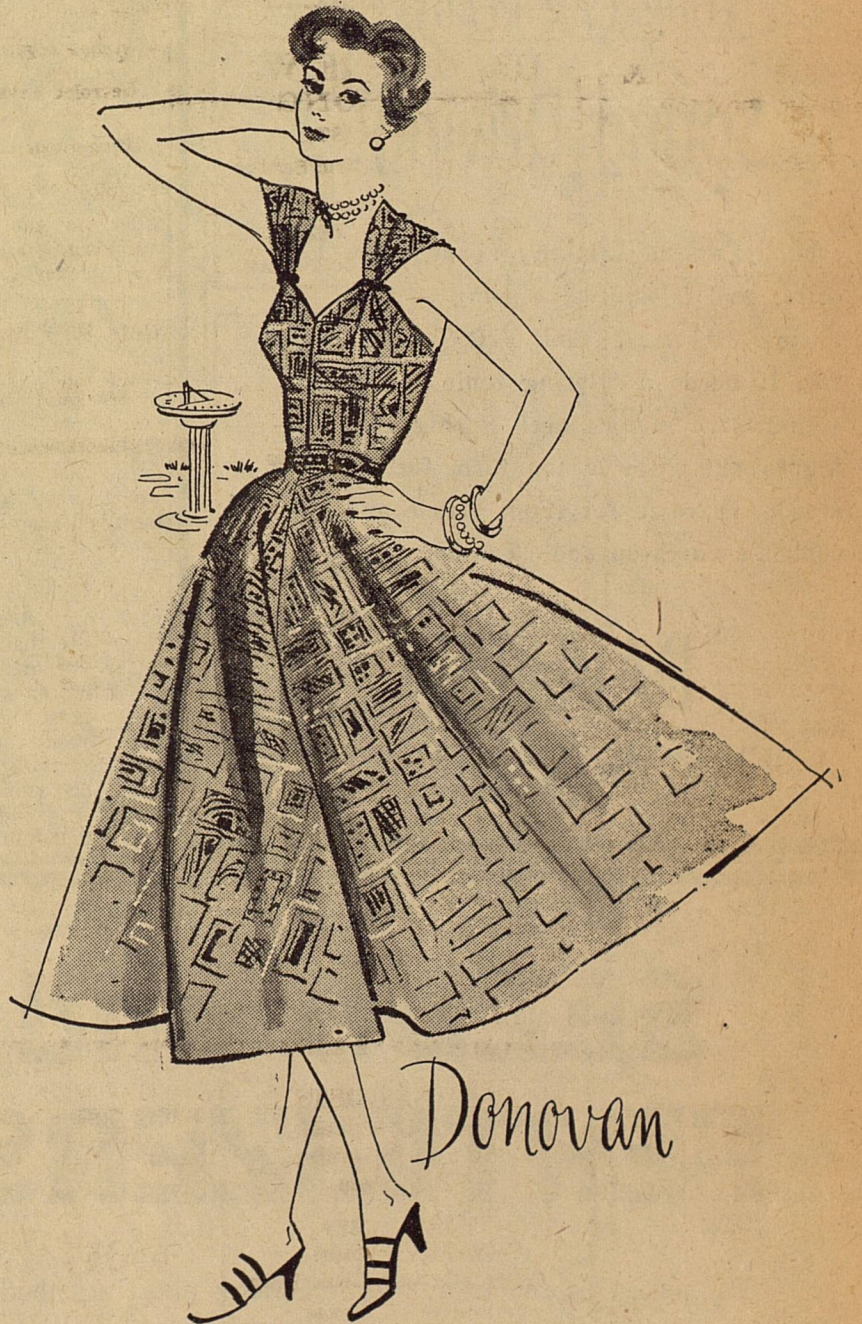
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ADAIR'S

Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

By Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex.—Let's talk about money—about spending a hundred and sixty odd million dollars of your money.

That's what the Legislature is doing. But even considering the size of that amount, the economy forces seem to be in control.

The proposed spending budget for the next two years is within tax revenue that the state can expect to receive. That means, if appropriations bills as they now stand are finally passed, no new taxes will be needed.

More liberal minded legislators have advocated a number of new expenditures. In the House last week, for example, representatives said "no" to a proposal that would have given \$2,600 more to the University of Texas at Austin.

Lawmakers eyed keenly a reduction in the oil production allowable, ruled by the Railroad Commission.

Comptroller R. S. Calvert has expected the cut and figured it into his estimate of state income for the next two years. But if there should be further drops in oil production, state tax revenue would fall below present anticipations.

The biggest part of the state's revenue is from a tax of about 11 cents per barrel on oil.

Calvert has been told by experts, however, that the demand for Texas oil may increase next summer. Allowables are fixed on the basis of demand and other factors. Right now, imports of foreign oil are cutting into the demand for Texas crude.

With the conservatives scoring victories in both House and Senate, the future looked doubtful for increasing pay of teachers and state employees and for improving the state's highways.

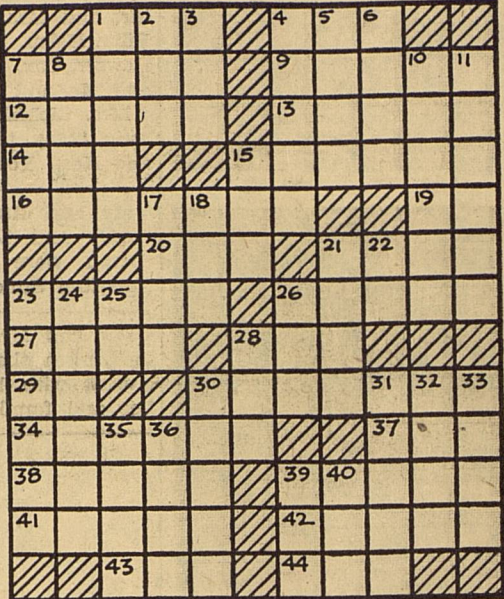
Representative Charles Murphy of Houston advocates a constitutional amendment that would devote all future increases in the

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

LAST WEEK'S
ANSWER



- ACROSS**
1. Small rug
 4. Striking success (slang)
 7. Glistened
 9. Conform
 12. Large artery
 13. Not clear
 14. Blue grass
 15. To seed again
 16. Unites, by interweaving
 19. Bachelor of Divinity (abbr.)
 20. Perched
 21. Glen
 23. Ten-armed cuttlefish
 26. Work
 27. Large casks
 28. Coin (Peru)
 29. Sun god
 30. Those of a modern school of painting
 34. Ducks
 37. Hasten
 38. Trap
 39. Censure
 41. Check in growth
 42. Made of oak
 43. Honey-gathering insect
 44. Affirmative vote
- DOWN**
1. Ethical
 2. Emmet
 3. Beverage
 4. Flutters
 5. Harem rooms
 6. Salary
 7. Weakens
 8. Loop of metal
 10. Indian (New Mex.)
 11. Tedding machine
 15. Soak flax
 17. Egyptian goddess
 18. Bounder
 21. Surrealist painter
 22. Jewish month
 23. Pressure
 24. Pleasingly odd
 25. United Nations (abbr.)
 26. Bowl
 28. European wild boar
 30. Island off Greece
 31. Quiver
 32. Duration
 33. Observed



County H. D. Agent Meets With Pioneer Club On Wednesday

The first program in the study of living room improvement was given by Miss Mildred Daniel, Eastland County Home Demonstration Agent, at the Pioneer H. D. Club meeting March 18. Her topic was "comfort in the living room." Extension Service slides were used to show the proper use of color and types and arrangements of furniture and other suggestions for making the living room comfortable and useful, as well as attractive.

Samples of several kinds of good weather stripping, insulation and screening were shown and discussed by Miss Daniel.

Mrs. Henry McCoy, council delegate, brought the report of the March council meeting.

Mrs. Dick Brown reported that a deed to the club house and grounds has been acquired by the club. Further improvements to make the building into a convenient community center are planned.

District 8 T. H. D. A. meeting will be held in Brownwood March 26 and 27 and plans are for Pioneer to be well represented.

The club birthday anniversary will be celebrated Tuesday, March 24, with an all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon at the club house. That being regular quilting day, we'll work a little too.

Those present at the meeting were: Mmes. W. E. Gober and August Garlitz, hostesses; and Mmes. Calvin Roady, B. T. Stovall, H. C. Fridge, Bart Brown, Dick Brown, J. E. Wood, Henry McCoy, J. W. Foster, Joe Fleming, Miss Mildred Daniel, agent, and one visitor, Mrs. J. H. Day, Abilene. —Reporter.

Mrs. Merlin Garrett was in Denton over the week end to attend the Redbud Festival at TSCW March 20 and 21. Mrs. Garrett's daughter, Barbara, served as a princess for the festival.

Mrs. Dave Hargrove and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Plumlee were in Hamlin Sunday to attend the wedding of Mrs. Hargrove's twin grandsons, Troyce and Loyce, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Hargrove.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobdy were in Dallas over the week end to attend a Western Auto merchandising show. They also visited with her sister, Mrs. Jewel Garrett, in Stephenville Sunday night.

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Sew and So Club Meets

Mrs. Gene Adams entertained the Sew and So Club Thursday evening, March 19, at her home.

All business was set aside and a very pleasant social afternoon was enjoyed by those present. The hostess served sandwiches, olives, potato chips, punch and coffee to: Mmes. Mack Campbell, W. J. Carpenter, C. D. Lane, Craig McNeel, Z. W. McClellan, W. B. Williams, H. A. Young, A. D. Petty, Edwin Neeb, W. A. Payne and Luke Westerman.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. B. Williams on Thursday, April 2.

I. N. Bishop of Brownwood was a visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Chilcoat of Kermit, former citizens of this community, were week end visitors here.

James Moore and son of Coleman and Mrs. George Williams and Mrs. Burkett of Burkett visited Mrs. J. A. Moore Sunday afternoon.

Thursday, March 26, 1953

CITY ELECTION NOTICE

I, S. F. Bond, Mayor of the City of Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Cross Plains, Texas, on the 7th day of April, 1953, A.D., it being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing officers to fill the following places:

Two (2) Aldermen to serve for a period of two years.

Said election shall be held at the CITY HALL in Cross Plains, Texas, under the State Election Law regulating municipal elections. Polls to open at 8:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m.

Approved by City Council in regular session, February 24, 1953.

Signed and executed this, the 24th day of February, 1953, A.D.

S. F. BOND, Mayor

Attest:
AVA CHILDERS,
City Secretary.

(4tc49)

Neal Wolf of Wyoming visited friends in Cross Plains Monday morning.

Announcing...

I am pleased to announce that my son, Robert Childers, will be in charge of the Franklin Welding Shop, and we invite all customers to bring us their work. We will give the same guaranteed service. Your patronage will be appreciated.

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Already you're thinking about those long drives and trips, you're going to take, this Spring. But . . . think FIRST about your car. It needs a "Spring tonic" too! Lazy, winter-worn motors need Spring conditioning to put them in top form for the new season. Drive in for fresh grease and oil—complete check-up and clean-up!

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Ira Hall

That would help the road situation, if a gasoline tax increase were passed; but it would not give any more money to schools.

Governor Allan Shivers voiced his disapproval of any new state taxes except a 1¢ increase in the gasoline tax, to pay for more roads. The Governor also said he hoped for court approval of the present natural gas tax which would bring in 40 to 45 million dollars. He added that if the gas tax is found constitutional he may call a special session to appropriate the money for state improvements and services.

One proposed solution to the highway problem is to authorize construction of toll roads. But there is difference of opinion in both House and Senate as to how the toll road authority should be set up.

The first bill to be introduced was one that would permit the installation of a Dallas-Fort Worth toll road. Later there were other bills in both House and Senate, these making the toll road authority statewide.

The House bill, for example, provides that the three highway commissioners would head the state toll road agency.

Sponsors of this bill say it would make possible the construction of needed roads immediately; that the roads would be built by private industry; and that they would save tax money.

Supporters of this measure also argue that a central state agency would be preferable to a number of local, un-coordinated toll road authorities.

The Highway Department, meanwhile, was about a million dollars better off than it expected to be.

The Department lets contracts for improvements on 446 miles of state roads. The total bids amounted to about nine and a half million dollars.

The department had figured that the cost would be more than 10 and a half million.

Senators gave their support to Pioneer Airlines in that carrier's controversy with the Civil Aeronautics Board.

The board had denied Pioneer larger mail subsidies, claiming to be necessary after putting larger aircraft into operation at the board's suggestion.

By a resolution passed unanimously, the Senate called the CAB's action ill-considered, capricious, and arbitrary.

By all tests so far, the Legislature has approved giving the right of jury service to women.

A resolution calling for the necessary constitutional amendment passed the House of Representatives by a vote of 124 to 16. A Senate committee also put its OK on women jury service.

If the resolution is finally passed, the voters will have their chance to approve or disapprove the proposition at the general election in November next year.

Forty-two states now permit women to serve on juries.

The Senate passed, 26 to 2, and sent to the House a bill providing that persons convicted of drunken driving would automatically go to jail for three days and pay a \$50. fine.

Senator Carlos Ashley, author of the bill, said it would aid law enforcement and traffic safety if people who drive while drunk know they will have to spend some time in jail.

The bill would not change the maximum penalties of two years in jail and \$500 fine.

Radio and television stations do not want to be sued for any libelous statements made by persons who buy time on the stations.

In the House is a bill by Representative J. R. Paxton of Elkhart that would give the desired protection, requested by the Texas Association of Broadcasters.

Witnesses told the judiciary committee, which voted the bill out, that stations actually have no control over what a political candidate says in a broadcast or telecast, though he may be asked for an advance script.

Senate committee approval was given to a bill by Senator Searcy Bracewell of Houston that would provide a special deer hunting season for those who employ the bow and arrow.

The season would be set by the State Game and Fish Commission 10 days before the regular deer season.

Hunters who use the bow and arrow are true sportsmen, says Howard Dodgen, commission secretary. Howard Basch, president of the Texas Bow Hunters Association, told the committee: "We prefer to do it the hard way."

SHORT SNORTS: The Supreme Court will hear arguments next month on the validity of the drivers responsibility law. The San Antonio Court of Civil Appeals has ruled in favor of the Texas Department of Public Safety in upholding the act . . . a Senate Committee voted to prohibit further expansion of Texas junior colleges, but Senator Grady Hazewood of Amarillo gave notice that he would bring the proposition out on a minority report. . . . The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports that Texas now produces more gas, consumes more within its own borders, exports more to other states, and has more underground than any other state.

Carbon Paper at the Review



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Burkett Baptist Church

Rev. Edwin E. Fielder, Pastor

Sunday:

Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 8 p.m.
Youth Fellowship 9 p.m.

Monday:

W. M. S. 3 p.m.

Wednesday:

Teachers and officers
meeting 8 p.m.
Bible study and prayer
meeting 8:30 p.m.
First Wednesday after first Sun-
day is regular monthly business
meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Brotherhood on the first and third
Tuesday night at 8 p.m.

Burkett Methodist Church

Pastor Rev. R. V. Lindsey

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Services 11:00 a.m.
1st., 2nd. and 4th. Sundays

M.Y.F. Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
1st., 2nd. and 4th. Sundays

W.S.C.S. Monday 2:00 p.m.
Prayer Service Wednesday Even-
ing 6:30 p.m.

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Singspiration 7:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.

Monday:

Woman's Missionary Society . 3:00

Thursday:

Youth Fellowship (every other
Thursday night).

First Methodist Church

Church School 9:45 a.m.

Preaching 10:50 and 7:15

Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m.

Evening Service 7:00

W.S.C.S. Mondays 2:30 p.m.

Mid-week Service,

Wednesday 7:15 p.m.

Choir Rehearsal,

Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

Board Meeting fourth Tuesday

of each month 7:30 p.m.

C. Y. Butler, Pastor

Presbyterian Church

Rev. A. C. Evans, Pastor

Presbyterian Sunday School,
Sunday 9:45 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Women's Association, Mondays at
..... 3:00 p.m.

Choir practice, Wednesday even-
ing 8:00

Presbyterian Westminster
Fellowship, Sunday 7:45 p.m.

Burkett Church of Christ

James Burns, minister

Sunday:

Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
Communion 11:45 a.m.
Young People's Class 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday:

Ladies' Bible Class 2:30 p.m.
Song Practice and Bible Classes ..
..... 7:00 p.m.

Church of Christ

Pioneer, Texas

B. A. Anderson, Minister
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Worship Hour 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

Cottonwood Baptist Church

Rev. C. R. Myrick, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Services 11:00 a.m.

Training Union 7:30 p.m.

Evening Worship 8:30 p.m.

W.M.S., Monday 2:30 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Service ... 8:00 p.m.

Friday Brotherhood 8:00 p.m.

Rowden Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning worship service 11:00

Training Union 7:00 p.m.

Evening worship service 7:30

Wednesday evening worship .. 7:00

Pioneer Baptist Church

Rev. Quint Farley, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.

Prayer Meeting, Wed. 8:00 p.m.

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Krell Insurance Agency

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Sims Drug Co.

First Baptist Church

J. W. Chapman, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship 11:00 a.m.

Training Union 7:00 p.m.

Worship 8:00 p.m.

W.M.U. Monday afternoon at ..

..... 3:00

Brotherhood, Monday evening,

at 8:00

Teachers Meeting Wednesday

evening 7:15

Prayer Meeting Wednesday even-

ing at 7:45

Choir practice and fellowship,

Wednesday 8:30 p.m.

A cordial invitation is extended
to all to attend any or all of these
services.

Church of Christ

Leroy Cowan, Minister

Sunday Morning

Bible Study 10:00

Worship Service 10:50

Sunday Evening

Young People's Meeting 7:00

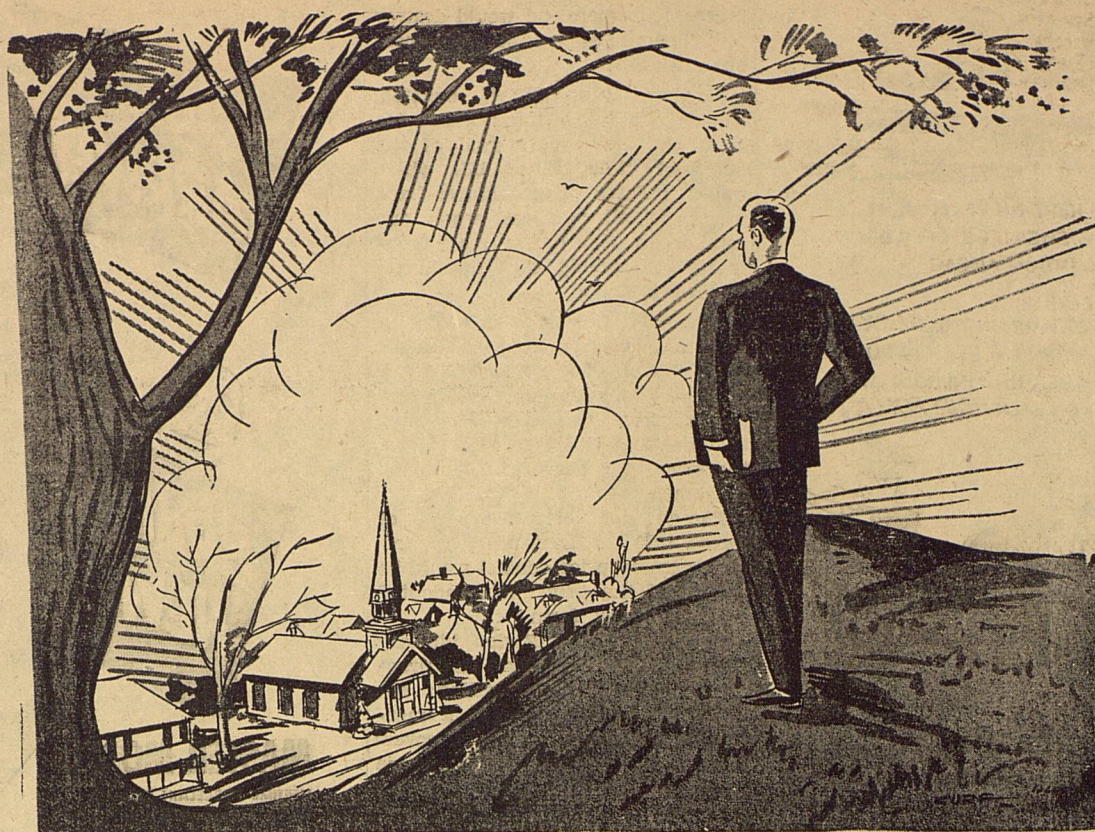
Evening Worship 8:00

Tuesday Afternoon

Ladies Bible Class 2:30

Wednesday Evening

Mid-week Service 8:00



Mankind today is still living in a troubled world! The struggle for freedom still goes on just as it has down through the ages.

Habakkuk, in the Book of Habakkuk, inquired, "How can a loving and just God permit a foreign government to treat human beings so cruelly as the Chaldeans did the Israelites?" Today men ask similar questions about the inhumanity of some foreign powers and perplexing problems and situations in our own country that threaten our very freedom.

The Book of Habakkuk conveys a message that we all need today—"The just shall live by His faith".

The Church is a symbol of that faith, and so long as men may look to their Church for help and guidance, so long will the fires of freedom burn.

Today we need our Churches as never before, and our Churches need us. So for the sake of our freedom, God and country, let's support our Churches to the utmost. Let God, through our Churches, solve our perplexing problems.

The following firms and individuals, realizing the important part our Churches play in the life of our nation and in our community, sponsor this advertisement as a public service.

ROWDEN NEWS

By Velda Crow

Rev. and Mrs. Farley and family and Marjorie Mauldin had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and Thelda and Velda.

Several in the community are ill with colds and other causes. We wish for all a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Gibbs and Richie Crow of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and Thelda and Velda and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Marjorie and Irene visited Mrs. W. T. Jones Saturday afternoon.

Sonny Bains had Sunday dinner with Dean Gibbs.

Lanell Farley spent Sunday with Larna Sherrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunderson and family of Minneapolis, Minn. are visiting her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Judy and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Stephens and Weldon Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. Farley, Mrs. B. Crow, Thelda and Velda and Marjorie Mauldin.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley from Rowden and Denton Valley communities visited with them Saturday night.

Mrs. B. Crow and Velda visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs Saturday afternoon.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall over the week end were: Mrs. Albert Givens of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. James Hall and children of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kunkel of Arlington. Charles was discharged from the Coast Guard on March 3 and is now employed with an aircraft company at Grand Prairie.

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By Harry Miller, Director, GAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER



A SAMOYED SLED TEAM IS KEPT ON PERMANENT CALL IN THE LOS ANGELES SHERIFF'S OFFICE FOR RESCUE WORK IN MOUNTAIN AREAS



THE RISING OF HAIR ON THE NECK OF A DOG WHEN ANGERED IS DUE TO THE ACTION OF A TINY INVOLUNTARY MUSCLE ON EACH HAIR FOLLICLE

BEAGLING WAS A FAVORITE SPORT OF KING HENRY VIII

State Highway Bridges Undergoing Face-Lifting

Austin, Tex., March 15.—Have you noticed the face lifting being performed lately on some of the old-styled concrete bridges? If not, you are probably one of the more fortunate motorists who have not had to travel over obsolete narrow concrete bridges with high massive railings.

D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer, explained that work was being programmed as funds would permit to lower these obsolete concrete railings. The reason for this construction is twofold—safety and economy, Greer said. Trucks with overhanging beds or with a protruding load are continually striking the tops of the high banisters, causing costly damage to both bridges and vehicles. In addition to these physical damages suffered by the Highway Department and truckers alike, oftentimes serious injuries and wrecks are caused as a direct result of these high railings being sideswiped. Greer continued that these tall banisters have a psychological effect, causing drivers to shun the massive railings and in doing so, enmeshed on the adjoining lane of traffic. Many head-on collisions have re-

sulted from a "fear complex" of these high banisters.

Greer concluded that the solution to these obsolete narrow bridges with high railings would be to widen all such structures. However, due to limited funds, this is impossible since the Department is only financially able to provide a remedy and not a cure for these deficient bridges at this time.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of J. W. (Jack) Lacy wish to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many acts of kindness shown during the long illness and death of our dear husband and father.

Words are so futile and helpless that we cannot express our gratitude to the many friends who helped and called to offer help.

May God bless you. We shall remember you in our prayers.

Mrs. Jack Lacy and children

Mrs. Bruce Harris and Mrs. Joe Martin were shopping in Brownwood Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Ruby Copeland and Mrs. J. C. Graham visited in Brownwood Monday.

"AS I SEE IT" . . .

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merchandise "below cost" plus mark-up, and it applies to all merchandise in all types of stores. Its effect would be to prohibit a merchant selling as cheaply as he might be able and willing to sell. It would result in increases of costs to the consumer, and would destroy an element of competitive merchandising.

Further, this bill, if enacted, would be a big opening wedge toward the long-sought goal of the standard "fair trade" bill which would enforce manufacturer-fixed prices on all retailers, when one retailer in the entire state contracted to comply with manufacturer's prices.

Advocates of legislation to fix or sustain prices have been before every session of the Legislature for two decades with measures in the present form or other all having the practical end effect of raising the price of goods available to the consumer.

The question before the people of Texas, and the Legislature, is how far statutory price-control would be carried if the principle is adopted as law in any form.

Sponsors of the Zivley bill say it is designed to abolish the practice of "loss leader" selling; but its terms are as wide as a merchant's inventory, and it covers the department store, the hardware store, the clothing shop, just the same as it applies to the retail grocer.

The bill has been set for hearing before the House state affairs committee the night of April 1, when opposing business groups will reiterate old arguments for and against legislative price regulation. But left in between is the consuming public of Texas, which would pay the bill; and the fact this would be a big bill is obvious from the intense and determined efforts to secure price legislation.

If you are against the state government regulating the pricing of retail merchandise, write your representative and senator at Austin and let them know where you stand. Do it today!

Thought for the week: "There's no limit to the good a man can do if he doesn't care who gets the credit."

Miss Billie Ruth Loving of Denton visited her mother, Mrs. Ira Loving, and other relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lee of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Don Harlow of Abilene are here visiting their father, J. B. Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sims were Abilene visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Keumpel and little daughter were in Pflugerville over the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Keumpel.

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A. W. Wright made a business trip to Comanche Tuesday.

Bess Johnson visited her daughter, Mrs. Bob Nelson and family, in Monahans during the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. L. LaBef visited relatives in Dublin Sunday.

Madeline Stone of Fort Chadbourne is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cook, this week.

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NEW USTER CREAM SHAMPOO	Lge. size	89c
LUSTER CREAM SHAMPOO	Lge. Size	89c
DRENE SHAMPOO	Lge. Size	53c
WOODBURY'S SHAMPOO	Lge. Size	29c
HALO SHAMPOO	Lge. Size	89c
HELEN CURTIS SHAMPOO	Lge. Size	89c

CAKE MIXES

CORN BREAD MIX	Hush Pupp Mix	21c
YELLOW CAKE MIX	Swan's Down (coupon good for 10c)	29c
WHITE CAKE MIX	Pillsbury's	39c
YELLOW CAKE MIX	Pillsbury's	39c
DEVIL'S FOOD CAKE MIX	Betty Crocker	39c
PIE CRUST MIX	Pillsbury's, 2 Pkgs.	31c
PANCAKE MIX	Pillsbury's, Small Size	19c
ROLL MIX	Pillsbury's	29c
PANCAKE MIX	Pillsbury's, Large Size	36c
PANCAKE MIX	Aunt Jemima, Large Size	34c

CABBAGE

Pound

4c

CARROTS

Reg. 10c Pkg. 3 for

25c

POTATOES

10 Lbs.

48c

WHITE SWAN

TEA

(with glass)
3 Pkgs.

1.00

DUNCAN

TEA

(with glass)
4 Pkgs.

1.00

PUDDING

Royal, Pkg.

6c

LEMONS

Pound

15c

APPLES

Reg. 20c, 2 Lbs.

36c

Celery Hearts

Cello Pkg.

29c

CANDIES

REG. 5c CANDY BARS	6 for	25c
CANDY JELLY BEANS	3 Pounds	1.00
CANDY ORANGE SLICES	3 Pounds	1.00
CHOCOLATE DROPS	3 Pounds	1.00
CANDY EASTER EGGS	3 Pounds	1.00
CANDY CORN	3 Pounds	1.00

INSECTICIDES

WONDER ROACH KILLER	10% DDT	50c
ROACH KILLER	US XXX	50c
OD ROACH POWDER	2 Cans	1.00
BEE BRAND POWDER	2 Cans	45c
FLY SPRAY	Kook Kill, Qt.	59c
FLY SPRAY	Gulf, Qt.	59c

Brown Syrup

Brer Rabbit, 1 Gal.

1.00

Piggly Wiggly