

"AS I SEE IT"

By Jack McCarty

There is a tinge of Fall in the air these nights... which reminds us that football time will soon be here.

Overlooked department: Some two weeks ago, Junior Ford, local postal employee and farmer came out with a 10-day weather forecast in which he predicted rain for this area.

Our congratulations go, this week, to the officers of the Citizens State Bank on their promotions.

Under the continued guidance of these senior officers, we predict a bright future for this financial institution and believe it to be one of the principal assets of our community.

A cordial "welcome home" is extended to ex-students of the Pioneer school who are holding their annual reunion under the tabernacle of the Pioneer Baptist Church today.

Our thought for the week: Those who realize the value of time, comprehend the importance of employing it to the best advantage.

Take time to live, for that is what time is for; killing time is suicide. Take time to work; it is the price of success.

Take time to dream, it is hitching your wagon to a star. Take time to look around; it is too short a day to be selfish.

CEMETERY DONATIONS

The following donations have been made to the Cross Plains Cemetery Association the past week according to V. C. Walker, chairman:

Mr. and Mrs. Was. Swafford of Loraine attended the Old Settlers Reunion Friday and visited Mrs. Chas. Taylor and other friends and relatives.

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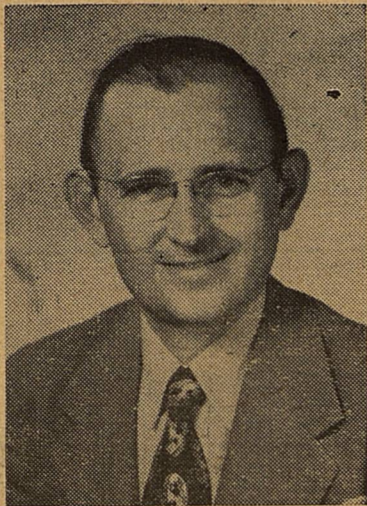
NUMBER TWENTY-TWO



Fred V. Tunnell



Edwin Baum



Jack Tunnell

Mrs. Mary L. Ray, 80, Buried Last Sunday

Mrs. Mary Lillian Ray, 80, co-owner of Ray Motor Co. in Baird, was laid to rest in the Ross Cemetery in that city following services at the Baird First Baptist Church at 4 p.m. Sunday.

Mrs. Ray died Saturday morning at Callahan County Hospital after a serious illness of two weeks. She had been co-owner of the firm, believed to be the oldest automobile dealership in Texas, since the death of her husband, W. J. Ray, in September, 1937.

Mrs. Ray was born Oct. 21, 1874 in Georgia.

Survivors include three sons, Lonnie W. and Harold E. of Baird and Woodfin of San Antonio; two daughters, Mrs. Cliff Harville of Abilene and Mrs. Elmer Norman of Electra; nine grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren; two brothers, James Johnson of San Angelo and W. R. Johnson of Oplin; two sisters, Mrs. W. O. Peavy of Cotterwood and Mrs. R. C. Vaught of Baird.

Buffalo Band Holding Daily Practice Sessions

Members of the Buffalo Band, under the direction of J. G. "Pop" Stanley, are now holding daily practice sessions at the school band hall, in preparation for the beginning of the football season which gets underway here Friday night, Sept. 2, when the Buffaloes will be host to the Baird Bears in their non-conference game.

Director Stanley stated that the band is meeting at 8:00 a.m. for practice before it gets too hot. He reported approximately 55 musicians on hand for the first two sessions which got underway Monday morning at this week.

This session will continue until school starts, Monday, Aug. 29, he stated.

Bank Officers Are Promoted

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Citizens State Bank, held Friday afternoon of last week, three officers of the institution were promoted.

Fred V. Tunnell, Executive Vice-President, was elected President replacing the late W. P. Brightwell, who died from injuries sustained on an auto accident some weeks ago. Tunnell joined the bank in August, 1937, as Executive Vice-President, moving here from Rising Star where he had held the same position with the First State Bank, there.

Edwin Baum, who for a number of years served as Cashier, was elected to Vice-President. A native of this community, being a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Baum, of this city, he joined the local bank in November, 1936.

Jack Tunnell, son of the new president, was advanced from assistant cashier to Cashier. He joined the Institution in August, 1946, after receiving his discharge from the U. S. Air Force, having served as a bomber pilot in the Pacific Theatre during World War II. He was also elected to fill the vacancy on the board of directors.

S. O. Montgomery, local stock farmer and a director of the bank since November, 1942, was named as an inactive vice-president.

Under the able guidance of President Tunnell, the bank has made excellent progress during the year. A financial statement published in May, 1954, shows total resources amounted to \$160,008.84, as compared with \$2,297,244.27 at the time of the last call made by the Banking Commissioner, in April of this year.

The 1954 statement revealed that deposits amounted to \$118,119.59, as compared to \$2,075,778.96. Loans totaled \$104,242.50 in 1954, compared to \$594,186.88 in April of this year.

President Tunnell stated that no changes will be made in the policies of the bank, and customers are assured of friendly and courteous service at all times.

Humble TV Program To Show Water Ski Tourney

Exciting action films of the 5th Annual South Central Regional Water Ski Tournament will be presented by the Humble Company next week on Texas in Review. Several expert Texas water skiers competed in the event at McQueeney, winners of which will try for national honors in August.

Another interesting feature will be a profile of Dr. John Travis, Jacksonville physician. Selected at the outstanding country doctor of the year in 1952, Dr. Travis is still practicing, though he is now in his eighties.

Monday (Aug. 22) the program appears on KRBC-TV, Abilene, 8:00 p.m.

Football Coach Calls Meeting Of Players

Coaches James Alexander, Ferrell Newton and Billy Mac Coppinger announced this week that they will meet with prospective football players Saturday, Aug. 20, to issue uniforms and make plans for the coming season, and they urge all boys of the community who want to play to be on hand at this meeting.

Head coach Alexander stated that he expected about 40 boys to report for duty this year and that he felt that the Buffaloes chances for the season were good. A pre-season look at the team reveals a fairly good backfield with much more speed than the Buffaloes have had in several seasons.

Regular practice sessions will get underway Monday morning of next week, and according to Coach Alexander's announcement, workouts will be held twice daily from 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. and again from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. This schedule will be carried out during the entire week, he said.

New Game Uniforms Here A set of 22 new game uniforms have been purchased and received, according to an announcement by Supt. Paul Whitton. They are grey with purple numbers. This will give the squad two complete sets of uniforms in addition to their practice togs.

Pioneer Ex-Students To Meet There Today

W. D. Smith, of this city, Secretary-Treasurer of the Pioneer School Ex-Students Association, announced this week that everything is in readiness for the annual reunion of the organization to be held under the tabernacle of the Pioneer Baptist Church, Thursday (today), Aug. 18, beginning at 9:00 a.m. and continuing until 4:00 p.m.

Officers of the association include: DeWitt Underwood of Lubbock, president; Ben Marshall of Pioneer, vice-president and Smith.

Approximately 200 ex-students of the school and their families are expected to be on hand for the day's festivities, Smith stated.

Most of the day will be spent by the old timers in visiting and renewing old acquaintances and at the noon hour a delicious buffet luncheon will be served by ladies of the Pioneer Home Demonstration Club.

During the afternoon there will be several talks by ex-students and the annual business meeting and election of officers will be held, it was said.

President Underwood will be present and preside during the day, it was announced.

Secretary Smith pointed out that anyone who ever attended school at Pioneer is eligible for membership in the association and is urged to attend the reunion.

AREA OIL NEWS

Lloyd Rich, of Cross Plains spotted No. 2 S. H. Henry Estate as a 1,400-foot cable tool project four and a half miles west of Rising Star.

Site is 450 feet from the south and 150 feet from the west lines of the northwest quarter of H. Genoway Survey.

Same operator's No. 1 S. H. Henry Estate will be a 1,400-foot cable tool project spotted 150 feet from the south and west lines of the northwest quarter of H. Genoway Survey.

McGraw (Cross Plains Sand) Field three miles west of Cross Plains, Callahan County, has gained two weeks and two new locations.

J. K. Dobbs, Fort Worth, completed both wells. No. 2 W. L. Baum, A Montgomery, had a daily potential of 168.66 barrels of 42 gravity oil. Flow was through a 14-inch choke with packer set on the casing and 75 pounds tubing pressure from 20 perforations at 1,588-93 feet. Casing is set at 1,614 feet off bottom.

Other well is No. 2 J. L. Baum, same survey, having an 18-hour potential of 81.75 barrels of 42 gravity oil. Flow was through a 14-64-inch choke with packer set on the casing and 75 pounds tubing pressure from 80 perforations at 1,574-94 feet. Casing is set at 1,629 feet and the hole bottomed at 1,630 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 200 l.

A wildcat has been staked by R. W. Brown, operating from Abilene, to be the No. 1 George Brooks. Location is 2 1/2 miles southeast of Pioneer, being 150 feet from the south and east lines of Stanley Lackerman Survey 797.

Proposed depth is 1,500 feet with combination tools. F. J. Saddler, oil operator, of Abilene No. 1 N. S. Johnson was spotted in the McGraw (Cross Plains Sand) Field at Cross Plains. Staked for 1,750 feet with rotary, it spots 250 feet from the south and 1,798 feet from the west lines of Wyatt Hickman Survey 6.

Tom and Thurman Baum of Big Spring and Mrs. Doyle DeBusk of Fort Worth attended the Old Settlers Reunion Friday and while here visited Mrs. Mary Bond and Vesta.



REUNION... A view of the city park, showing a part of the large crowd in attendance

at the annual reunion of the Callahan County Old Settlers Association. (Review photo)



OLD-TIMERS MEET... W. J. Hornsby, 89, who lives in the Old Settlers reunion held at the city park here last Friday.

who lives at Admiral at the Old Settlers reunion held at the city park here last Friday. (Abilene Reporter News Photo)

Large Crowd Attends Old Settlers Meet

A large crowd, estimated at approximately 3,000 pioneers and their descendants, was on hand Friday to attend the annual reunion of the Callahan County Old Settlers Association, which was held in the city park here.

Bob Norrell, Baird banker, gave the welcoming address and the principal address of the day was delivered by Rev. Cal C. Wright, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Spur. The Rev. Mr. Wright's wife, the former Eva Clements, daughter of a pioneer family, was introduced and spoke briefly. They were married in 1909.

Norrell was elected president for 1955-56. Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, Baird, was elected first vice president, and S. M. Eubanks, Putnam, second vice president. Mrs. B. L. Boydston, Baird, was re-elected secretary-treasurer for her eighth term.

Bob Westerman, now of Christoval, was awarded the ribbon for being the earliest cowboy in the county—in 1884. Earliest pioneer man and woman were W. A. Harris of Spur, 1876; and Mrs. G. Baum of Cross Plains, 1878. Mrs. Baum got ribbons also for being the earliest pioneer woman with continuous residence and for being the oldest native born woman in the county—1878.

Earliest pioneer man with continuous residence was Bud Reynolds of Clyde—1878. Oldest native born man and woman were Tom Smartt of Baird, in 1877; and Mrs. Baum. Oldest native-born man with continuous residence in the county was H. L. Harris of Cross Plains, since 1879.

Man coming greatest distance to the reunion was Charles NeSmith of Sheridan, Calif., and woman, Mrs. F. M. Utzman of Pasco, Wash. The couple married longest were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smartt of Baird, in 1900. Couple married longest with continuous residence were Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Eubank of Putnam, in 1902.

During the day President S. S. Harville of Oplin spoke briefly, Randall Jackson, and Beth Preeland, both of Baird, and Fred Heysor of Putnam were emcees. Invocation was by Mrs. Jennie Baum of Pioneer. Fred Stacy of Cross Plains led group singing at intervals during the program.

Old Fiddlers Compete In the old fiddlers' contest R. H. Wooten of Cross Plains was first; E. G. Gardner, of 1525 Pine St., Abilene, second; and O. L. La Boff of Cross Plains third. Ben Odum of Cross Plains also was a contestant.

Judges were Deputy Sheriff Robert Calhoun of Cross Plains and Hancel Sanders of Baird. Mrs. V. E. Hill of Baird, was in charge. Pat Sadler, small son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sadler, of Rowden, entertained the large crowd with special violin numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Long, Jr. and son of Snyder visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barr and Mr. and Mrs. Norrell Long over the week end.

Revival At Evangelical Methodist Church To Open Sunday Morning

Officials of the Evangelical Methodist Church here, announce this week that the annual summer revival will get underway at their church next Sunday morning, Aug. 21, and will continue through Sunday night, Aug. 28, with Rev. Clyde Hamel of Chattanooga, Tenn. bringing the gospel messages.

Services will be held nightly, with prayer service beginning at 7:30 and preaching at 8:00 p.m., it was said.

A. A. Bertrand, member of the local church will be in charge of the song services, according to the announcement.

Rev. Hamel is widely known as a strong preacher and is the son, grandson and great-grandson of a preacher.

A cordial welcome awaits all who attend the services, it was said.



Bob Norrell

Church of Christ To Open Gospel Meeting

James Priest, Minister of the Church of Christ here, announced this week that the annual summer gospel meeting will get underway at the church next Monday night, with Hoyt Houchen, Minister of the Highland Church of Christ, in San Antonio, bringing the nightly messages. The meeting will close Wednesday night, Aug. 31, he said.

Services will get underway each evening at 8 o'clock and the congregational singing will be led by Gene Priest.

Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend these services, Minister Priest stated.

Bayou Philosopher Decides Tilling The Soil May Be Fun, But Getting Deposit Slip Is Better

Dear editor: I ran across a statement the other day which kept running through my mind.

The statement was: "The satisfaction of tilling the earth—that is what makes a farmer".

That's a nice profound-like statement, but the only trouble with it is that about half the time it ain't true.

For example, I know several farmers that what made them farmers was going busted in town. I know some more who are still farming because they never made enough to get to town to try their hand at going busted.

And of course there are a lot of farmers who are farming because they like it, they like to be their own boss, and they make good money at it.

But the idea that you have to like to till the soil to like being a farmer doesn't set well with me. Sure, it's fun to plow, up to a certain point, but after that point it gets a little monotonous, which is the reason you see farmers frequently standing up while plowing.

Understand, though, there are lots of satisfactions that come from

farming, and tilling I guess is one of them, but it's not the biggest. For example, one of the biggest satisfactions I know connected with farming is coming out of the bank with a deposit slip, when the price is right. There just never was a piece of ground whose turning with a plow could equal the satisfaction of folding a deposit slip in your bill fold and heading for a store.

I'll admit there's a lot of real satisfaction too in seeing your herd of cattle grazing on your land, when the grass is lush and green, but there's even more satisfaction in seeing your calves go through an auction ring and going by the office to pick up your check.

Farming is about like any other job. It has its pleasant, interesting moments, but pay day is what adds zest to the whole operation. It's sort of like a newspaper. The work is fascinating, but what's more fascinating is opening a lot of letters with subscription checks in em. I aimed to put one in this letter, but the pleasures of plowing got my mind off of it.

Yours faithfully, J. A.



WIND UP BASEBALL SEASON Pictured above, the Cross Plains Little League team which wound up the season at the Comanche invitation baseball tournament recently.

Left to right, first row: Darrell White, Jimmy Wells, and Roger Copeland; second row: James Merrill, Sammy Odom, Emery Lusk, Da-

vid Flynn, Dale Priest; back row Coach Ben Flynn, Paul Whitton, Jr., George Jennings, John Baird, Jimmy Gilmore, Douglas Dallas and Coach John Priet.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Cross Plains Independent School District, Cross Plains Texas, at the office of the Superintendent until 2:00 p.m., August 25, 1955 for erection of a Gymnasium in Cross Plains, Texas.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a Cashier's Check, issued by a bank satisfactory to the Board of Trustees, or a Bid Bond from a reliable Security Company, payable without recourse to the Cross Plains Independent School District, in amount of five per cent (5%) of the largest possible total of the bid or bids submitted as a guarantee that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty as called for in the specifications.

At the above hour the bids will be opened publicly and read aloud. Bids received after the closing time will be returned unopened. Telegraphed or telephoned bids or alterations will not be considered. Attention is called to the fact that not less than the prevailing wage rates being paid on similar work in Cross Plains or in Abilene, Texas at the time bids are opened, must be paid under this contract.

Plans, specifications and proposal forms will be available at the office of Tucker & Lindberg, Architects & Engineers, 161 1/2 Cedar Street, Abilene, Texas, where they may be examined without charge, or may be obtained upon deposit of \$15.00 for each set of plans. The full deposit amount will be returned upon the return of the plans and specifications in good condition within fifteen (15) days after the award of contract.

The Board of Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to waive all formalities.

CROSS PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

By Claude Mayes, Secretary Board of Trustees

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Miss Maggie Sue Carter was here from Abilene over the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carter.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham Tuesday of last week were his brother, Ben Cunningham and wife and sister, Mrs. Mary Wheat of Ranger.

services at the Methodist revival in Pioneer Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King Saturday night.

Mrs. Lorena Lilley's niece, Martha, of Washington is here visiting with her for several weeks.

SABANNO NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and daughter of Kilgore visited in the home of Misses Josie and Alma Morris Saturday night.

Several from our community attended the Old Settlers Reunion at Cross Plains Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin and children visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Sunday. They were enroute to Galveston.

Rev. Whitehorn and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba, Patsy and Janie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cumba in Rising Star Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott, Jimmie and Donna Hefner and Jimmy Ray King visited in the home of Mrs. Lonnie Wood in Cisco Sunday afternoon and also visited in the Edwin Erwin home.

Ronnie, Beverly and Barbara Lusk of Abilene are visiting in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk.

Golden Lawson and Arsie Green attended the Rodeo in Ranger Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claton Pratter and children of Arlington visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King, over the week end.

Rev. Whitehorn, Clarence Scott, Truitt Dawkins and Dewitt Myers spent several days fishing the past week at Llano.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer spent the week end in Fort Worth with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Switzer and children. Linnie and James returned home after a weeks visit with their uncle and aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Duke and children of Cohama are visiting in our community.

Oscar Patterson of Chattanooga, Tenn. is visiting in the home of his sister, Mrs. John Price.

Mrs. Loran Barron accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Barron to Port Lavaca where they visited in the home of her daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Freeman.

Jesse Westmoreland of Seminole visited in the Wes Holcomb home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie McCann and children of Coleman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and baby of Abilene visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Saturday.

Jimmie Ray King of San Antonio is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King and Mr. and Mrs. E. Edwin attended church

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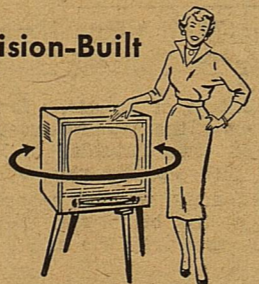
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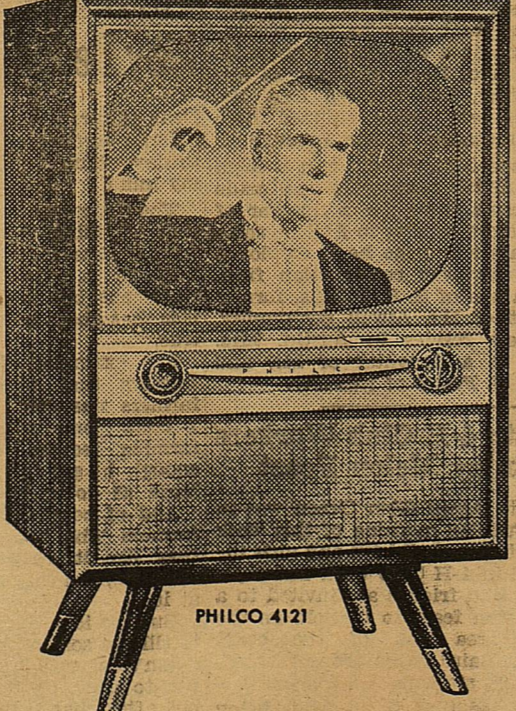


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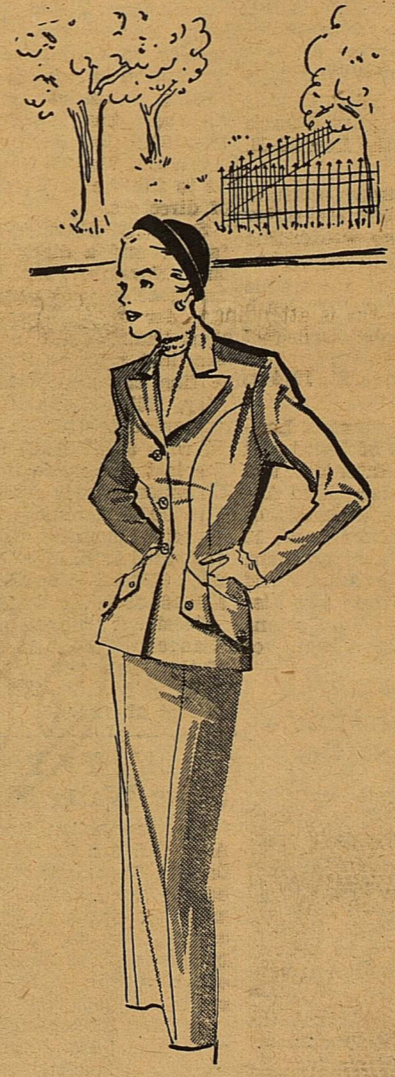
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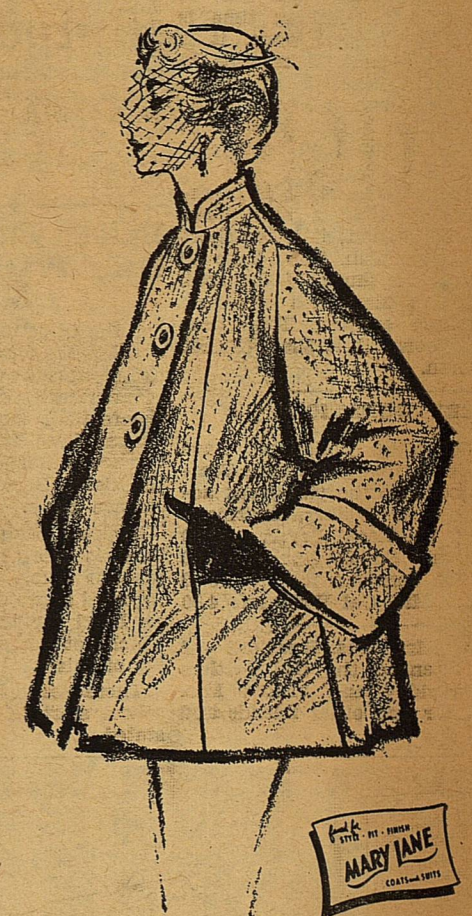
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Do You Remember?...

August 9, 1940
 Last rites for Mrs. Tommy March, 39, who died Tuesday morning in a Colorado City hospital after a brief illness, were held from the Cross Cut Baptist church Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Twenty three more days of vacation for children throughout the Cross Plains trade territory and then the tolling of school bells will call them back to classrooms.

B. W. Huntington left Wednesday for Randolph Field, San Antonio, to undergo examination for entrance to the air corps of the United States army.

Harold Womack, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Womack of Cross Plains, left for Kelly Field in San Antonio late Tuesday night, after having passed all examinations requisite to his enlistment in the air corps of the United States army.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer are parents of an eight pound baby boy born two weeks ago at the Over-all Hospital in Coleman.

Deel Edington, Kent Davis, Donel Clark, Donald Smith, Eugene Johnson, Larry McDonough, Billy Joel Underwood and Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Underwood attended the annual F. F. A. encampment at Lake Cisco Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Faires are the proud grandparents of a boy. This boy not only has the distinction of being the first grandchild, but is the first boy in all the Faires' families in more than 30 years. Scranton news.

Last Thursday morning seven F. F. A. boys accompanied by A. J. Edwards left for the Brownwood Lake. Those to go were Wayne Brown, Richard White, James Henderson, Curtis Henderson, Wayne Harris, Jake Watson and John L. Brink. James Henderson and William Curtis Henderson won the washer pitching championship and placed fourth in horse shoe pitching. Jake

Watson won third place in chinning bar and Wayne Brown won third place in the hundred yard back stroke, first in fifty yards free style and first place in the hundred yard free style. He also performed the amazing feat of swimming across the lake. Burckett news.

Complimenting Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, who until her marriage July 21 was Miss Bobbie Lee Westerman, a miscellaneous shower was given Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Neeb with Mrs. Ronald Miller, Mrs. Herbert Freeman, Mrs. Garrette Fomby, Mrs. Hulian Barr and Miss Rosa Van Lane as joint-hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton have as their guests this week, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ayers and Mrs. Alma Hodges of California, Mrs. Mary Hogdon of Florida, Mrs. Earnestine Disser and Mrs. Mable Fulton of Karnes City. Cottonwood news.

August 9, 1935
 Cotton income in Callahan County was more than 50 per cent higher in 1934 than it was in 1932, notwithstanding the most severe drought in history. Farmers received for their cotton last year, \$565,857, compared to \$392,033.49 in 1932.

Mrs. E. E. Medford of Moran, aunt of Mrs. W. J. Gray of this city died at her home in Moran Wednesday, August sixth.

Cross Plains stands in readiness for the observation of one of Central West Texas' oldest celebrations here next week, the Cross Plains fifty third annual Picnic and Old Settlers reunion.

Norris Chambers, who is attending Brantley Draughons Business College at Fort Worth, is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Chambers this week. Cross Cut News.

Miss Juanelle Sparks is attending Texas Technological College, at Lubbock, where she will study art, designing and psychology. Cottonwood news.

Mmes. Norman Coffey and Floyd

Washington

"As It Looks From Here"



OMAR BURLISON
 Congressman
 17th District

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Each week President Eisenhower holds a meeting of his Cabinet. It is often supposed that each Cabinet Member, when it comes his turn, brings up for discussion the problems of his Department.

It does not work exactly this way. Prior to the meeting, the Secretary of the Cabinet meeting has prepared for the President's approval the issues to be discussed. Generally, each Cabinet Member is called upon to explain how the particular question affects his department. The issues affects his department. The ture. In other words, they are those which affect the entire Country, and not especially applicable to a single department of government.

A matter of recent discussion by the Cabinet was the effects of the present business boom. Business generally over the Nation is extremely good. Everything is up except farm income. President Eisenhower and his advisors seemingly are not for the "eager in increase more than at present. From all indications, they fear that, should business be too good from now until next Spring, in the wake of such high-level activity there might follow a recession.

They are trying to find a moderate way of breaking the upward spiral. There are numerous factors involved. One method is to tighten up the supply of money. Another is to discourage by certain actions stock market speculation. Install-

Coffey were joint hostesses when they complimented Mrs. Leo Varner with a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter Saturday night at Cottonwood.

Miss Zera McWhorter of Oplin, and Fred Patterson of Cross Plains, were married at Abilene Saturday evening.

Cross Plains schools will open for the fall term September 9th.

ment buying and credit generally are another part of the operation.

Just what the Administration expects to do with the decline in farm income, I do not know. It seems to me, however, that farm prices must be restored to the balance existing in the period from 1946 to about 1950 or the entire economy will have to level downward to get back on an even keel. We can not continue operating our economy with half at 80 percent and the other half at 100 percent and remain healthy.

Added deficits at the National, state and local levels will merely add to the severity of the adjustment downward if farm prices are not brought back to a point of equal buying power. We can not have the earning income to balance the budget unless farm prices are in balance. We are now losing close to a billion dollars for this reason and will continue to lose it until something is done. Even if it takes the expenditure of a billion dollars to prevent a loss of 75 billion of earning income, it would appear to be good business. The record shows that this was about the loss sustained in 1954.

According to the economist every indication at the present time points to still lower farm prices on the one hand, and more and more capital deficits on the other. The periods of 1920, 1929, 1937, 1949 and 1953 should give us a little warning. If we wish to avoid the results of those times, action should be taken now.

This economy of ours is a very, very complex system. It requires some regulation, but the regulation should be applied evenly. It should not be imposed on a part for its protection and leave the remainder

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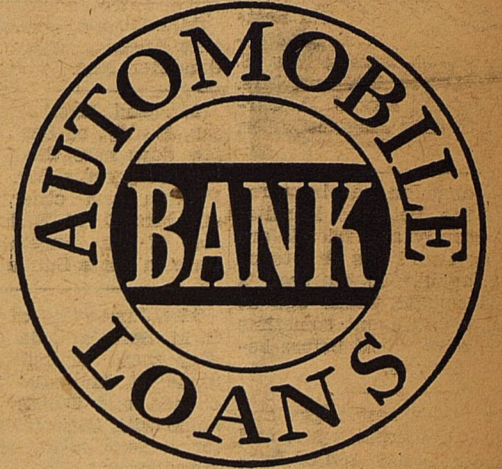
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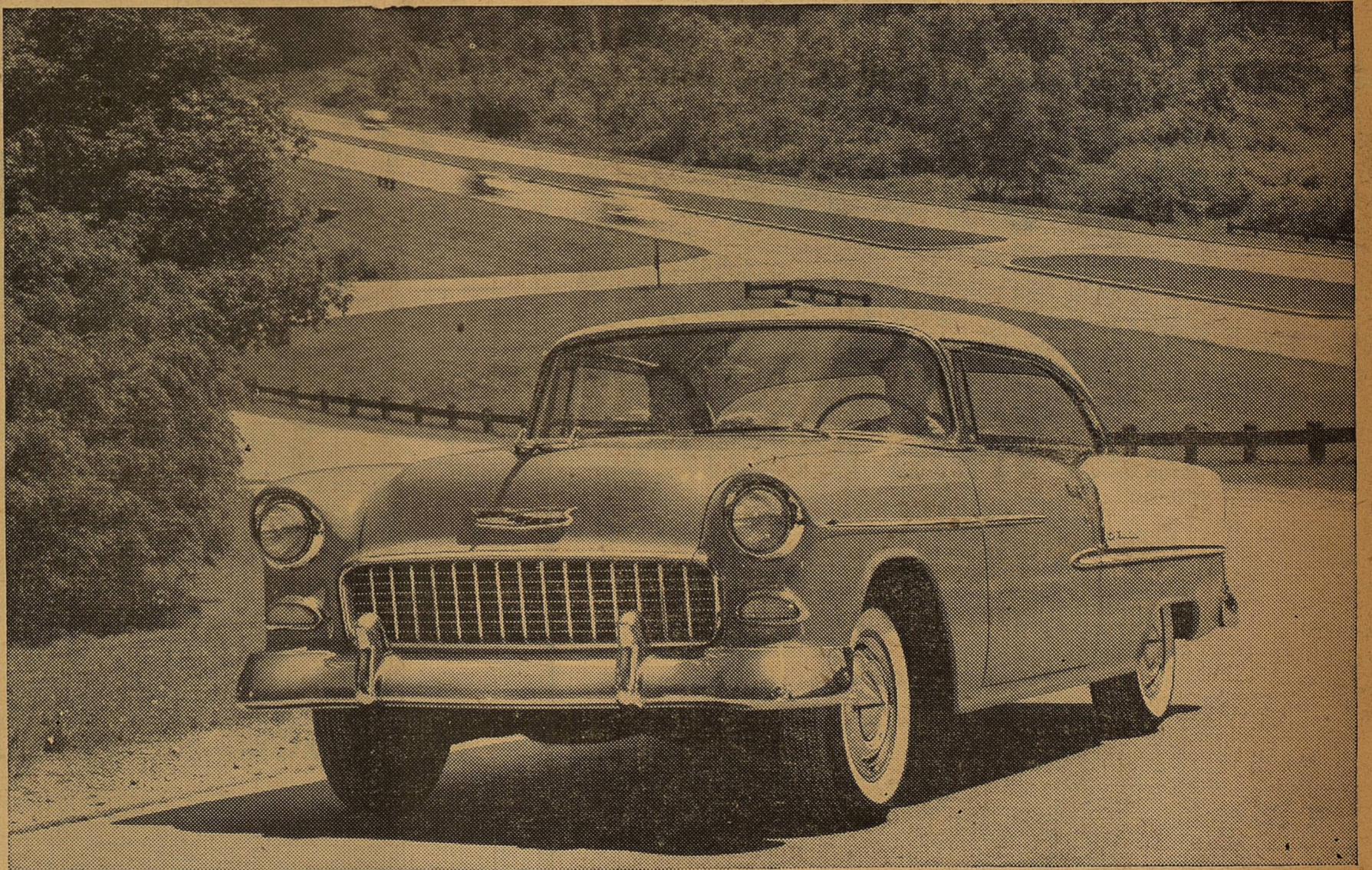
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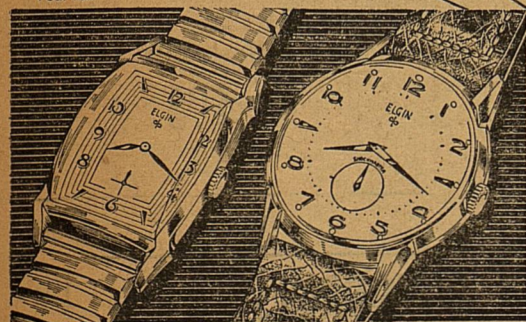
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Burkett Baptist Revival To Begin Friday, Aug. 19

Plans have been completed for the revival meeting to be held by the Burkett Baptist Church beginning Friday, Aug. 19, with the Rev. Bob McPherson pastor of the First Baptist Church at Weatherford conducting services at 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. Prayer services will be held each evening at 7:30. Services will continue through Sunday, Aug. 23.

Cottage prayer meeting are being held each evening this week preceding the revival services. Monday night, August 15, the meeting was held at Bill Koenig's; Tuesday night, Willie Key's; Wednesday night at the church and Thursday night, Seth Burkett's.

Everyone is invited to attend all services which will be held in the community tabernacle.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hargrove, Jr. and boys and Mrs. Dwight Hendrick visited with relatives and friends at San Angelo and Christoval during the week end.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. W. T. Wilson and attending the Old Settlers reunion were Mrs. E. R. Norton, Tularosa, New Mexico; Mrs. E. C. Carter, Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Scheiffer and Mrs. J. D. Carter, Austin and Miss Maggie Carter, Abilene.

Vollie McDonaugh has been released from the Veterans Hospital in Temple recently and friends are happy to note that he is able to be about town again. He suffered a heart attack several weeks ago at his home here and spent sometime in a Brownwood hospital before being moved to Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Riggs and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harris and son of Burkett returned home Monday after a few days vacation that took them through Oklahoma where they visited with relatives. They also visited the Roaring Springs, in Missouri and in the Ozark Mountains in Arkansas.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gibson and sons, Fort Worth, W. E. Gage and daughters, Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smith and Nancy, Austin. Nancy is spending the week with her grandparents while her parents are fishing at Lake Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cross and Mrs. M. N. Lawler left this week for a vacation trip to Los Angeles and Atwater, California, points in Nevada and with relatives in Salt Lake City Utah. They expect to return home the first week in September. Mrs. Mary E. Hayes of Cross Cut, sister of Mrs. Cross, will be in charge of Mr. Cross' monument business while they are away and may be contacted at the Cross home.

Richard Thompson Family Enjoys Reunion

The Richard Thompson family reunion was held at their home here Saturday. After two days fishing at Lake Brownwood, they enjoyed the day at home where a bountiful dinner was served.

Present to enjoy the reunion with their parents were Mr. and Mrs. John Traeger, Porterville, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Traeger and children, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson and sons, Roswell, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Pender Mitchell and children, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Capt. and Mrs. R. G. Thompson and children, Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and son, Fort Worth. All the Thompson children were present except one daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ramey who are in Japan. The Ramey family expect to be home in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pancake and son visited in Monahans over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pancake and sons.

Mrs. George Jowers visited in Abilene Tuesday afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Larry Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Author Gray and son, Randy, of San Angelo spent a few days here the past week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Balkum and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Balkum and family also of San Angelo visited in the Balkum home Sunday.

Mrs. James Hall of Olton and Mrs. O. M. Seats and daughter of Plainview spent Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall. Glenda and Tommy Hall returned home with their mother Friday, after a few days visit with their grandparents.

Mrs. Louise B. Council of San Antonio is spending the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Payne. Mrs. Council was a teacher in the Cross Plains schools in 1904-6 and will be remembered as Miss Louise Voight.

Lt. and Mrs. Allan Lamb and baby of San Angelo spent Friday here with Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hargrove, Jr. and boys. They left San Angelo Tuesday of this week for Kingston, N. C. where Lt. Lamb will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hardin and Mrs. Dale Brown and Mark Allan all of Abilene were visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Brown, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding and children and H. L. Breeding returned home Wednesday night after visiting with relatives at Goldthwaite for a few days. Before returning home they also visited at Lake Buchanan and Longhorn Cavern.

Mrs. Rosa Watson Is Honored With Dinner

Mrs. Rosa Watson was honored with a birthday dinner at her home here July 30 by her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Watson, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watson, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Watson, May; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sprawls, Cross Plains; Mrs. Binnie De Busk and daughters, Longview; Mrs. Rosa McNutt and daughters, Mrs. Clyde Bunnell, Cross Plains and Mrs. Bunnell, Ima Jean and Belvin and Douglas Bunnell all of Stephenville.

Everyone reported a nice day.

Miss Sandra Kilgore returned home from Midland last week after visiting for several days with her sister, Miss Billie Ann Kilgore. Sandra returned from Midland by plane and was met in Abilene by her mother, Mrs. Bill Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood, June and Jo. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson and Vanda visited the Bill Edington family in Albany, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Coppinger were in Hurst during the week and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morris and Melody.

Mrs. S. E. Whitton of San Antonio was a week end visitor here with Mrs. Chas. Taylor.

Mrs. Dick Vestal and sons are pending this week in Fort Worth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Echeberger, while their husband and father is training at Fort Hood.

Miss Lyna Lee Smith of Fort Worth and Mrs. Emma Cooper of Anson were week end visitors in the W. D. Smith home.

Mrs. David Chappell of Brownwood spent a few days last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith.

David Elliott returned to his home in Abilene Sunday after visiting for a week with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith.

Cal Young, F. W. Schroeder and H. D. Austin, West Texas Utility officials of Abilene and E. L. Jackson of Cisco were business visitors in Cross Plains Thursday of last week.

Mrs. John Pruet and son, Mike of this city and Mrs. Leta Pinnelle and daughter, Jane Ann, of Sweetwater are spending this week in St. Jo, Arkansas with Mrs. R. M. Talant.

Beuford Conn of Monahans spent the week end here with Morris Ray Cavanaugh and other friends.

F. L. Tucker and Damon Boyd of Grand Falls spent Thursday night here with Mrs. Chas. Taylor.

Mrs. R. G. Jones Honored With Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson honored Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. R. G. Jones on her 90th birthday at their home August 2nd. Mrs. Jones is 75 years old and the birthday cake that was served to 32 guests was a Brock a sister of Mrs. Jones attending.

Mrs. Jones received many nice gifts and enjoyed visiting with the guests during the afternoon.

FAMILY HOME FROM VENEZUELA; VISITING BURKETT RELATIVES

A former Burkett family, who have been making their home in Caracas, Venezuela for the past 12 years, are at home for a visit with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. King and sons, Ross and Carl, arrived Aug. 4 to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker of Burkett.

Mr. King has been employed in Venezuela for the past 12 years with the Texas Company and will be in the New York office of the company for a month before he and Mrs. King sail for their home in Venezuela.

They will leave Burkett in September for Delaware where the boys, age 13 and 15, will enter St. Andrews School. They will be in school during the winter and join their parents in Caracas next summer.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our friends and neighbors who in any way helped us in our sorrow. The lovely flowers, the food that you brought and the kindness we will never forget.

The children and grandchildren of Mrs. B. W. Everett and her sisters Mrs. W. W. Everett, Mrs. E. G. Pierce and Mrs. J. E. Hart.

DALE GORES MOVE TO UVALDE

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gore left early Tuesday morning for Uvalde where he will be educational director at the First Baptist Church in that city. Mr. Gore has served the local Baptist Church in the same capacity the past year and attended Howard Payne College, Brownwood. Mrs. Gore was a first grade teacher in the local school last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright Announce Birth of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wright of Abilene are the proud parents of a baby son, Paul Deal, born August 14. Both mother and baby are reported to be doing fine.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wright of Cross Plains and Mrs. C. E. Ballard of Abilene is the maternal grandmother.

Mrs. Rosa McNutt is on the sick list this week.

Miss Linda Cade Weds Jr. Grider In Mexico

Marriage vows were exchanged in Villa Acuna, Mexico, Aug. 14, by Miss Linda Cade of Burkett and Eugene Grider Jr., of Cross Plains. Miss Cade is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cade of Burkett and Mr. Grider is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Grider Sr., of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Grider was dressed in navy blue with pink accessories. To carry out the old tradition, she wore for something old, her shoes, something new her dress, she wore a borrowed bracelet and a blue can-can petticoat. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickson and Jim Calhoun accompanied the couple to Mexico.

Mrs. Grider attended the Burkett High School. Mr. Grider was graduated from Cross Plains High in 1960, and is now employed with the Low Drilling Co. Albany. The couple will make their home in Coleman.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. W. A. Watson of May, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Rosa Watson of this city underwent surgery in Blackwood Hospital in Comanche Wednesday of last week. Reports his week are that she is doing fine. Mrs. Hattie Norris and Mrs. H. J. Harris both of this city have been released from Overall Hospital in Coleman the past week after receiving medical treatment.

C. W. Brigner is reported to be critically ill in the Rising Star Hospital. He was returned to the hospital Monday of this week after spending a few days at his home southwest of town. Mr. Brigner has been in ill health for sometime and seriously ill for several weeks.

Mr. Bond plans to visit in Dallas during the week end with Mrs. Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Coppinger and Terry of Colorado City spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greenwood and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Coppinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan of Weatherford spent Sunday night and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop.

Mrs. Albert Givins and baby and Charlotte of Dublin spent Monday here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kunkle and daughter of Arlington are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall.

Claude Beeler and Eddie Wood who are employed at McCamey, spent the week end with homefolks.

Gene Penn of Midland visited here during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell. Mrs. Penn and the children accompanied him home after visiting here several days with the Howells.

Legion Auxiliary to Hold Important Meeting

Mrs. Elvis Scott, president of the American Legion Auxiliary has requested the Review to announce that the auxiliary will hold an important meeting at the Legion Hall Tuesday evening, August 23, beginning at 7:30 at which time new officers will be elected and plans will be made for entertaining the teen age students before opening of school.

Mrs. Scott has been notified by State Auxiliary that the local group were first in the district to reach their membership quota and ranked 7th in the State.

All members of the auxiliary are urged to keep the date in mind and be on hand for the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baum left Monday for their home in McAadoo after a two weeks visit here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marrs and baby of Albany visited Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobdy Sunday afternoon.

Friends of Mrs. S. F. Bond will regret to learn that she is seriously ill at the home of her daughter in Dallas. For those who would like to remember her with a card her address is Mrs. S. F. Bond, 8674 Turtle Creek, Dallas, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my sincere thanks to each that visited me and for the lovely flowers, cards and letters that were brought or sent to me while I was in the Hospital. They were all appreciated. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. Ivan Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barnard returned home from Denton Sunday after a few days visit with relatives.

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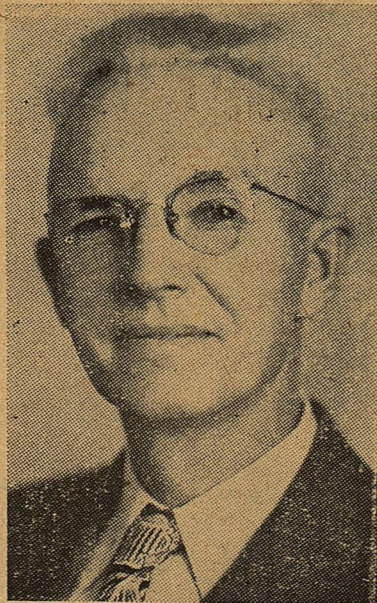
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PERSONALS

Mrs. A. B. Harris is visiting in Abilene with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coppinger.

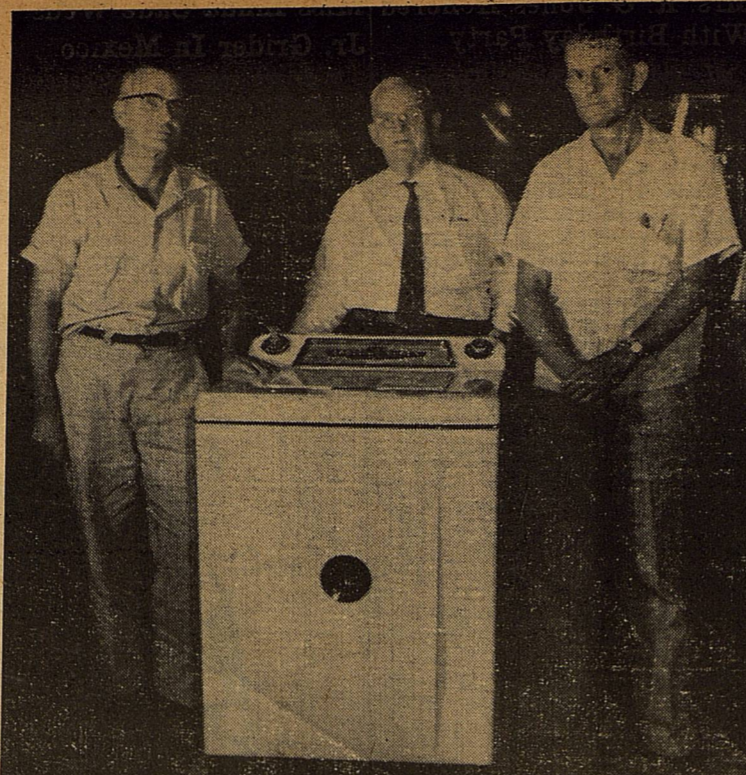
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Plumlee and children of Portland are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore and Mrs. Zola Plumlee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawson and son, Jerry, of Brownsville and Mrs. Lawson's mother, Mrs. A. C. Garrett, of Rio Hondo, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garrett, Friday, August 12th.

Gene Priest and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan and Shannon attended revival services at the Gorman Church of Christ Thursday night of last week and visited the Leroy Cowan family.

Mrs. A. R. McNutt, Mrs. A. R. Sprawls and Mrs. Rosa McNutt were in Comanche Wednesday of last week to be with Mrs. Sprawls brother, W. A. Watson while his wife underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McClellan of Baird and Mrs. Z. W. McClellan and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge visited in De Leon Wednesday afternoon of last week with Mrs. H. L. Locke and family.



CONTEST WINNER . . . W. H. Pillans, former resident of the Atwell, community is pictured on right in the above photo, receiving a new Speed Queen automatic washing machine from Higginbotham Bros. & Co. here Saturday afternoon of the past week. Pillans entered the Speed

Queen (Free for All) contest at the local store in July and was notified that he was the winner early this month. Pictured with Pillans on the left is Robert Brashear, hardware department employee and Geo. R. Neel, center, manager of the local manager of the Higginbotham store.

ATWELL NEWS

By Mrs. Alton Ta'om

The revival at the Missionary Baptist Church closed Sunday night. Bro. Chandler did the baptizing at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon and Rev. Charles Kueck of Abilene preached at the morning and evening services.

There was a large attendance at the Primitive Baptist Church Sunday. Elder Floyd from Snyder brought two visitors with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy King and Betty of Abilene spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton and Betty remained for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pillans and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan Sunday.

Mrs. Emory Foster's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ward, of Houston visited her last week. Mrs. Foster's sisters Ila Buster, Lubbock, Mrs. Arthur Brashear, Temple, Mrs. Ansel Pruett, Gatesville and Mrs. Nina Beasley, Killeen also visited her and she returned home with Mrs. Beasley to visit at Killeen and Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd and Dolores of Cross Cut and Mrs. Arcie Hubbard and boys of Odessa visited

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom Sunday afternoon and attended the Baptist service of Mrs. Tatom.

Bimmie and Connie Goble of Cross Plains spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rouse. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dillard of Abilene visited the Rouses Friday night.

PIONEER NEWS

Mrs. E. A. Tate

The Methodist revival closed Sunday night and was a wonderful success. People all over the country were blessed by such good messages the evangelist brought each evening. The Methodist people want to express their great appreciation to the Baptist people for the use of "he seats and piano."

Mr. and Mrs. Pate Bingham and family of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Webb and daughter also of Stamford spent the week end in the home of their sister, Mrs. Jess Flippen. Mrs. Flippen accompanied them to Stamford for a brief visit.

Mrs. Leroy Reddick and children of Cisco spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Doyle Hitt. Mrs. Hitt is hospitalized at Rising Star at this writing. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Tate visited relatives in Abilene over the week end.

Red Neal of Gatesville was here Thursday and Friday getting his water well cleaned out for the convenience of his new renters.

Several people from our community were in De Leon Saturday to attend the Watermelon festival. All reported a nice time and plenty of watermelon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray made a business trip to Brownwood Monday of this week.

Merlyn Whitley has returned home after a 10 day vacation trip to West Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Teston received word from their grandson, Bobby Brawley that S. E. Brawley is in Lee County Hospital, Hobbs, New Mexico suffering from polio.

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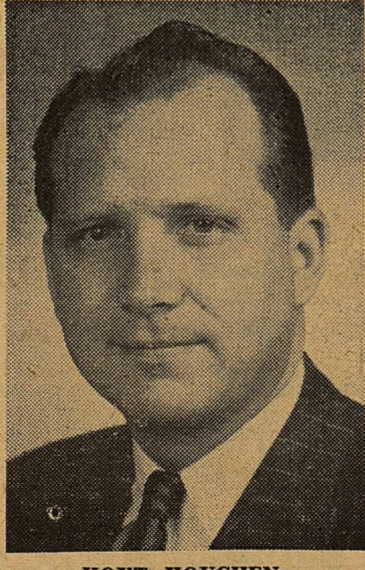
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AUSTIN—Despite "go slow warnings from top state officials, 28 or more Texas schools have announced plans for complete or partial racial integration.

Gov. Allan Shivers, in setting up a statewide advisory committee, cautioned against "hasty, ill-considered action." Earlier Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd had warned schools against "rushing headlong" into desegregating ahead of legislative action.

Though the Texas Education Agency makes no recommendations to schools, it is keeping tab on locally-decided policies. Its file of newspaper clippings from over the state shows that about 36 schools have definite plans, either pro or con.

In numerous other districts studies are being made by li-racial committees. Questionnaires are measuring sentiment in some areas.

Texas Citizens Councils, similar to an anti-integration organization in Mississippi, have sprung up in some East Texas areas. Dallas and Kilgore have councils pledged to "fight desegregation by every legal means."

Austin last week was the largest city with a high percentage of Negro students to plan integration this fall. It will begin in the top three grades which are 15 percent Negro. A liberal transfer policy is expected to ease adjustment.

San Antonio, with 7.7 per cent Negro students, is the largest school system to plan immediate integration. All grades will be included here.

Other towns adopting immediately, across-the-board integration include Corpus Christi, Lubbock, San Angelo, El Paso, Crystal City, Carrizo Springs, LaFeria, Mission and Brownsville.

More popular is a partial desegregation policy, such as Austin's. It begins usually on the high school level with a staggered schedule for lower grades.

Cities favoring this include San Marcos, Robstown, Bishop, Port Lavaca, Brownwood, Kerrville, Weslaco, Harlingen, Sinton, Kingsville, Friona, Rockport, Aransas Pass, Karnes City, Kennedy and Runge.

When it hears of a school planning to desegregate, the Education Agency writes local officials for a blueprint of the plan. These are made available to undecided school leaders who want to know how others are solving the problem.

Vaccine Shipment Expected
 Arrival of 50,839 shots of Salk polio vaccine was expected by the State Health Department this week. This is part of Texas allotment of 1,177,069 shots in addition to the

vaccine given free to first and second grade school children. Under the "volunteer control" plan adopted by the State Polio Vaccine Committee, 83 per cent will be allocated for commercial use, 17 per cent for public agencies.

This week's shipment was to come from the Wyeth Laboratories in Marietta, Pa.

Meanwhile, Health Department figures showed polio on the increase. Forty-five new cases were reported during the past week, bringing the 1955 total to 939.

Of the victims 45 had received Salk vaccine. **Crop Prospects Improve**
 August predictions for 1955 Texas farm production, through improved since early summer, fell below 1954 figures.

US Department of Agriculture forecast showed a probated cotton crop of 3.9 million bales—one per cent lower than 1954.

But prospective 378-pound yield per acre is the highest since 1866. Improved soil moisture, irrigation and new yield-increasing practices by growers are credited for the high figure.

Texas cotton acreage is nearly one million acres less than for 1954. Widespread summer rains have upped wheat crop by more than two million bushels. In June the USDA forecast a total of 11,883,000 bushels; by August the figure was raised to 14,212,000.

Even with the improved outlook the 1955 crop will be less than half that in 1954.

High yields of hay also were foreseen as a result of showers. Sorghum, corn and peanuts were aided. On the unfavorable side, rains delayed insect control programs and created a critical problem in cotton fields.

Book Lists Mailed
 A list of 318 proposed public school textbooks has been mailed out to county and district superintendents.

Dr. J. W. Edgar, state commissioner of education, urged they be made available for public inspection.

Petitions and suggestions will be heard by the 15-member state textbook committee between Sept. 15 and Oct. 1. Its recommendations will be drawn up Oct. 3-8.

Actual adoption will be by the commissioner and State Board of Education. Texts chosen will be for use in September, 1956.

Seven out of eight parents either are satisfied with Texas public schools or are too uninformed to have an opinion.

That conclusion was drawn from study of 16,788 "parent reactionnaires" circulated in 59 school districts by the Texas Association of School Administrators.

Survey results were announced last week in Austin by Dr. Kenneth E. McIntyre who coordinated tabulation.

Criticism, he said, was aimed more at high schools than lower grades. Also some parents felt the schools fell short in developing "good behavior."

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Farr and daughter left Sunday morning for Colorado for a weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop returned home from Houston Sunday night after a week end visit with her brother, Robert Barrington and family.

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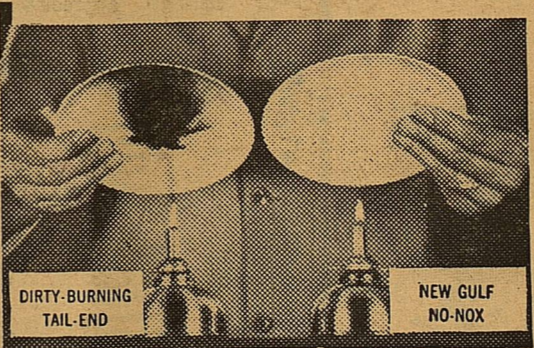
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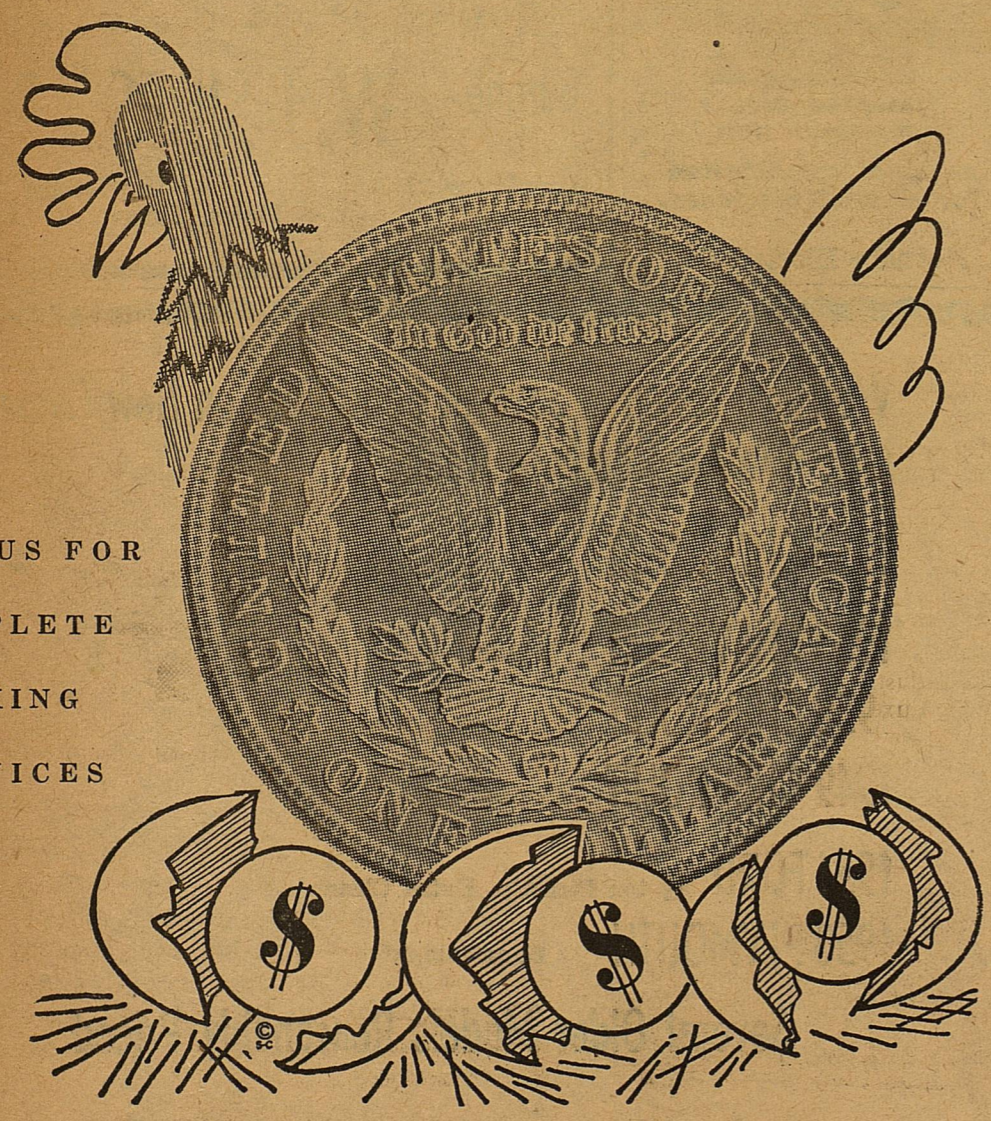
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Mrs. G. T. Brashear and Linnie of Cisco visited the Robert Brashear and Claude Foster families here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Fry and son Bob of Weatherford, were visiting with friends here Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Mary Wagner and Dick are visiting in St. Louis, Missouri with their son and brother, John Wagner, who is stationed at Scott Field. They will also visit with relatives in Amarillo before returning home.

Mrs. Johnny Cowan and son of Abilene and Mrs. Billy Parker Baum and daughter, Reba Sue, of Tatom, New Mexico visited here Friday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Parker Baum, Clark and Martha.

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AUSTIN, August—The first apparent hunting dividend from the improving weather conditions was foreseen by the Director of Wildlife Restoration for the Game and Fish Commission in the nature of a possible fall antelope harvest in both the Big Bend country and Panhandle.

He said census counts now underway indicate sufficient antelope numbers maybe present to warrant an open season. The Commission which has authority to regulate harvest conditions on the basis of on-the-spot developments, decided against a shoot last fall.

The Director pointed out that, while conditions now are favorable, the final decision will not be made until the Commission meets in July.

Previously, it had been pointed out that the long dry spell had at least been partly broken in most Texas areas and that wildlife was rallying accordingly.

The director emphasized that although the overall antelope population is limited, it is generally scientifically desirable to authorize a restricted shoot to absorb local surpluses.

Tentatively, on the basis of preliminary reports, he said up to four hundred buck antelope might be available for taking in an early October season West of the Pecos. The Panhandle shoot, very likely of smaller proportions, would be staggered with the Big Bend affair, to permit use of Commission personnel and equipment on both events.

Because buck antelopes ordinarily are harvested while herded up with does, close care has to be taken to avoid hunters, mistakes. Game wardens accompany the hunters who are issued permits for their privilege of stalking the fleet game animals.

The actual hunting designations are made from drawings held in Commission headquarters in Austin. It was stressed that, for the time being, the proposed hunts are strict-

ly in the possibility stage and that nothing official will be available until after the aerial counts are taken and following the formal Commission decision next month.

"This is all we know about it now," said the Director. "We will announce the decision about the suggested open season when the facts are known. We hope sportsmen will refrain from writing us now. They will have plenty of time to make known their interest after the Commission has acted."

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Coppinger and John of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Coppinger spent last week end visiting relatives and friends in Odessa and Midland.

Miss Wilda Jones of Abilene visited her aunt, Mrs. Winnie Shuford, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Woods and family visited at Cross Cut last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Creamer. The Woods have returned to Texas to make their home after spending some time in San Diego, California. They are now at home at Wickett, Texas.

Herrel Kelly returned home Saturday from Bay City where he spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mehrens.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lindsey of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Koenig and family of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. James Lindsey of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Willie E. Koenig and Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Huntington and daughter of Floydada were visiting Friday night and Saturday in the Pete Fore Home. Mrs. Jake Huntington accompanied her son and family home after visiting here for several weeks.

Mrs. E. R. Norton of Tularosa, New Mexico and Mrs. E. C. Carter of Ballinger attended the Old Settlers Reunion here Friday of last week and visited for a few days with their sister, Mrs. W. T. Wilson and other relatives.

Mrs. Travis Renfro and Mrs. Tommy Jones of Abilene visited with relatives here Friday and attended the old settlers reunion. Mrs. J. H. McElroy returned home with the two ladies for a visit returning home Sunday.

Sharon Ann Gattis of Lubbock is spending a two weeks vacation here with her father, Ocie Gattis.

Sue Loveless returned home during the week after visiting with relatives in Dallas the past week.

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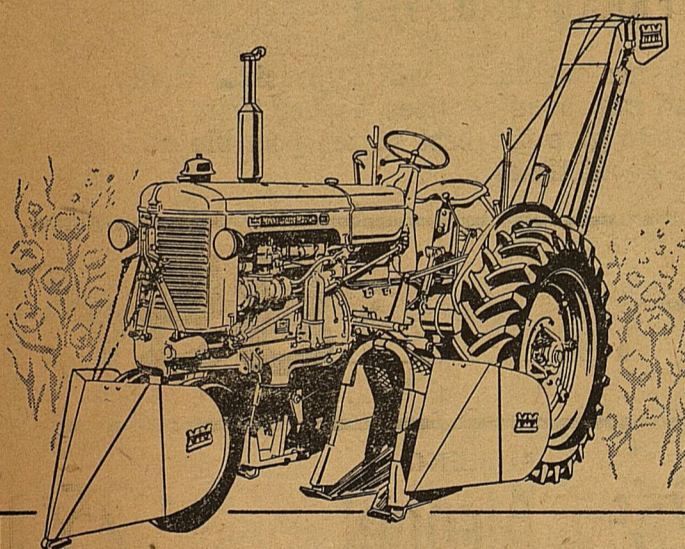
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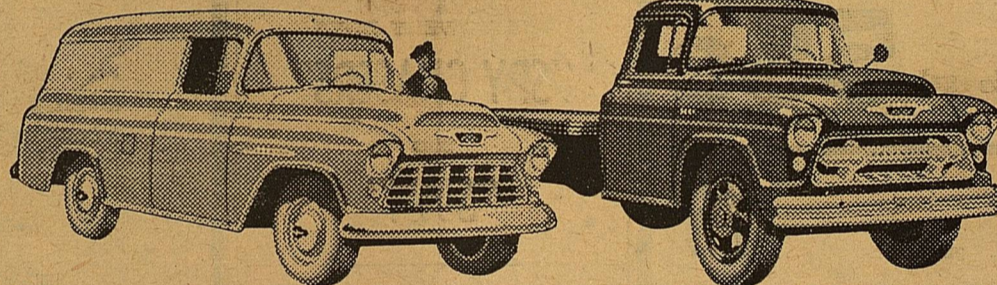
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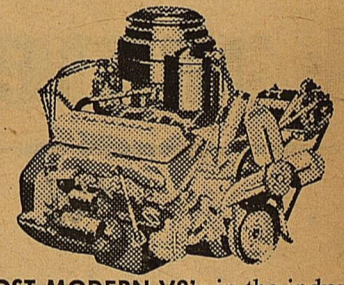
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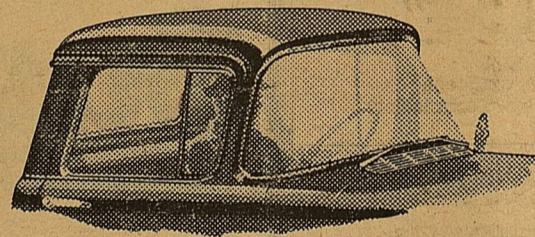


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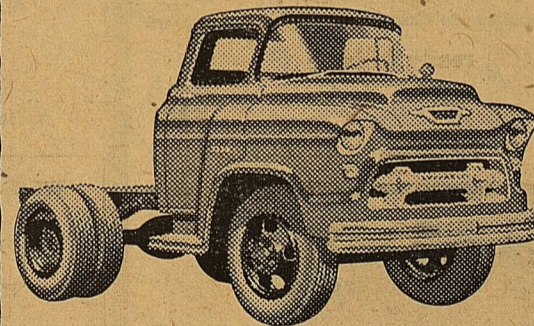
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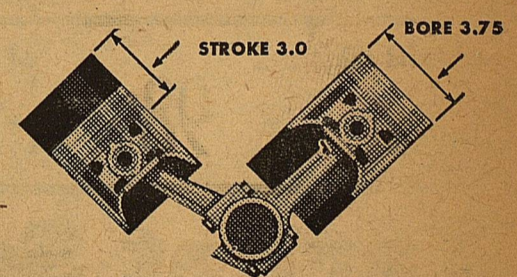
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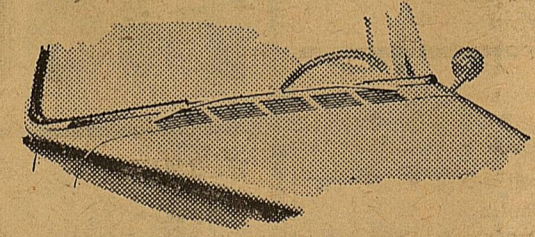
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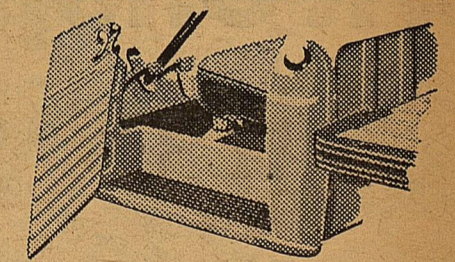


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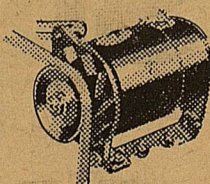


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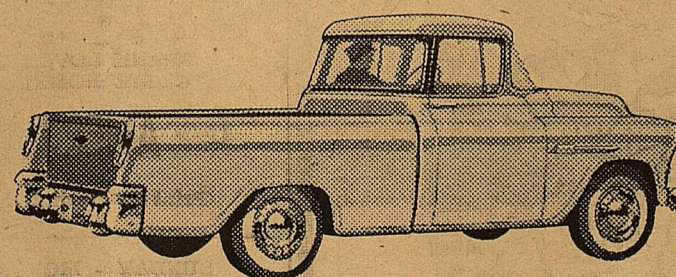
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ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. BERNARD CROW

Stevie Lineveauer of Midland is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Akin, for a few days this week.

Bro. and Mrs. Dan Applin and girls had Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Judy. Bro. Willie Reeves is also staying in the Gibbs home while holding the revival at the Baptist Church at Rowden.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains and Sue visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cutbirth, Mrs. W. T. Cutbirth and Breida of Clyde, Mrs. Howard Fry and children of Abilene, Mrs. Georgia Handley of McGregor and Mrs. Lizzie Young of Waco spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and Thelda.

Mrs. Hopkins Sikes and sons of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose Saturday evening.

Attending the William Fore reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lovell and sons Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Fore, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fore and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Falkner and family and Mr. and Mrs. Billy W. Jones and son.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. DeBusk and their daughter Mrs. Kenneth Switzer of Dalhart, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham and other relatives here last week and attended the Old Settlers reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jernigan and sons of Odessa spent last week in the Claude Beeler home here. They were enroute to their home from San Antonio where they visited her son Teddy Davidson. They also visited with her father, Sam Swafford and wife while here.

Visiting in the D. C. Foster home during the week end were Mrs. Louella Knox, Mrs. Jessie McCracken, Mrs. Nannie Lamb, Mrs. Dollie Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Waldrip and Mr. and Mrs. David Foster, Jr. and boys all of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Foster and son and Rosie Lee Skelton of Pecos and Miss Kay Barr, Cross Plains.

COTTONWOOD

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. Bryan Bennett and grandson, Gregg Bennett, of Fort Worth are spending their vacation with Bryan on the farm.

Mrs. J. B. Jernigan and boys of Odessa spent some time with her father, Sam Swafford and wife last week.

Tom Dawkins, a retired postal inspector, of San Antonio visited in our town last week and attended the Old Settlers Reunion at Cross Plains Friday.

Mrs. Dallas Barnum of Dallas visited Mrs. W. B. Gilliland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelley, Dixie and Mrs. Sudderth of Big Spring were back home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vorus Kelly and daughter, Brenda, of Dallas, visited his mother, Mrs. W. B. Gilliland, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Brown and daughters of Pioneer visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Richardson of Lockney and Mrs. W. B. Varner of Abilene visited Mrs. W. B. Gilliland and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbid Sikes and Mrs. Mattie Holley of Abilene visited Mrs. J. F. Coffey Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Clifton of Big Spring and Hazel Clark visited in the Respass home Sunday.

Miss Jeanie Clark of Boles Orphan Home is visiting here for two weeks.

Mrs. Levi E. Bennett visited her daughter, Mrs. Vic Nigar in Baird recently.

Mrs. Susie Peavy had the sad news of the passing of her sister.

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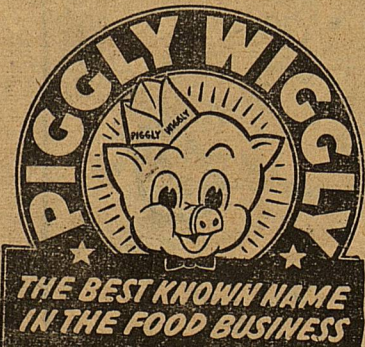
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