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## Chamber of Commerce Goodfellows Ask For Old Toys For Christmas Giving

The Chamber of Commerce Goodfellows have issued a call for old toys which can be repaired and distributed to needy children in the Cross Plains area this Christmas. If you have any toys around your home that have been discarded by your children and can be repaired and refinished, you are asked to deposit them in a barrel located in the office of the City Utilities here.

"Due to the prolonged drought which has worked a terrific financial burden on many farm families in this area, there are a number of children who will not have any Christmas unless the more fortunate citizens come to their aid through the goodfellowship program," stated Lloyd Bryan, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Goodfellow committee.

### Volunteer Workers Needed

Bryan stated that his committee had made arrangements to use the City Hall as a workshop for the repairing of toys and that Tuesday and Thursday nights of each week, starting next week, have been set aside as "Work Nights." He stated that a number of volunteer workers will be needed to carry the project along and anyone wanting to have a part in the program is invited to the shop on these nights. The committee will also need ladies to repair and dress dolls, he said.

Come on, folks, let's play Santa Claus. Let's help out in this toy program!

## Baptist Church To Open Revival Sunday

A series of revival services will get under way at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains Sunday, Oct. 28 and continue through Sunday, Nov. 4.

Pastor V. D. Walters will do the preaching and music director James A. Duke will lead the singing. Mrs. Anna Mae McNeel, church organist, will furnish the organ music, accompanied by Anna Jo Schaffner, church pianist.

High attendance goals have been set in the Sunday School and Training Union. On Sunday morning, Oct. 23, a goal of 250 has been planned with 125 for the evening in Training Union. On the closing day of the revival, a goal of 300 in Sunday School and 150 in Training Union will be sought.

The church will engage in an all night prayer meeting Saturday night, Oct. 27, sponsored by the youth of the church. There will be 15-minute prayer cycles from 9:00 o'clock Saturday morning until 9:00 o'clock Sunday morning which will require the prayer effort of at least 96 persons. "We invite other Christians to join in prayer that God may bless our community and surrounding area with a heaven-sent, heart-changing revival," the pastor stated.

The services will begin at 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. each day. "A cordial invitation to all who need spiritual strength," is was stated.

## EX-STUDENTS SET SATURDAY, NOV. 17, AS SCHOOL HOMECOMING DATE THIS YEAR

### Mrs. J. P. McCord Attends Eastern Star Convention

Mrs. J. P. McCord, Worthy Matron of the local chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, is in Fort Worth this week attending the 75th annual session of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, which is being attended by some 5,000 persons.

Mrs. McCord was accompanied to Fort Worth by Mrs. Olive Jones and Mrs. Horton Morrison of Rising Star.

### Humble To Broadcast Four Games Saturday

Four Southwest Conference football games will be broadcast by Humble Oil & Refining Company on Saturday.

The Baylor-Texas A&M game will be broadcast from Baylor in Waco, Kern Tips and Alec Chesser will describe the play-by-play action and color. Broadcast time will be 7:50 p.m. over KWTX, Waco-1230.

The Rice-Texas game will be broadcast from Rice Stadium at Houston. Ves Box and Jerry Doggett will describe the action and color. Broadcast time will be 7:50 p.m. over Brownwood-1380.

The TCU-Miami game will be played in Fort Worth with Bob Walker and Eddie Barker announcing. Broadcast time will be 7:50 p.m. over KWKX, Abilene-1340.

Texas Tech meets Arizona in Tucson and Dave Russell and Jim Wiggins will be there to describe the game. Broadcast time will be 7:50 p.m. over Lubbock-790.

Mrs. Earl Pyle visited with relatives in San Saba last week.

## Rain Showers Total 1.70

A thunder shower, falling here Thursday of last week, was gauged at .35 by S. F. Bond, official weather observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau.

This, together with 1.36 inches of moisture received Sunday night of last week, gave this community 1.70 inches for the week, which will be of untold benefit to pastures and fall-seeded grain crops.

Many crystal ball gazers are prophesying that this area will receive more moisture around the 29th. We hope they are right.

### R. M. Illingworth Recovering

R. M. Illingworth is believed to be recovering satisfactorily at his home southwest of town following a stroke of paralysis Monday of last week. According to Mrs. Illingworth, he will be confined to his bed for another week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Barr and family recently visited in Tatom, N. M. with Mr. and Mrs. Donald White and sons.



Rev. V. D. Walters



James A. Duke

## Local MYF To Join In CROP Trick or Treat Drive Monday Evening

Members of the local Methodist Youth Fellowship of the First Methodist Church will join other Texas young people again this year to put their "trick or treat" energies into the project of collecting money to help feed hungry children overseas through CROP. The drive will be made in Cross Plains Monday evening, Oct. 29, beginning at 7 o'clock.

CROP, the Christian Rural Overseas Program, is a nation-wide community appeal for food and fiber. It is a program of the Protestant churches through Church World Service. CROP gifts are distributed to disaster victims, refugees and destitute in other lands without question as to race, creed or nationality.

Young people working on this project will be identified when they call at your door Monday night, by arm bands furnished by CROP and will be carrying milk cartons for your convenience in placing your contribution.

Last year a total of \$39.56 was sent to CROP by Cross Plains and it is hoped that a larger sum may be sent this year. The money this year will help distribute surplus powdered milk, a program in which one dollar does the job of twenty. Also Texas this year is raising \$6,000 for a special purchase of powdered milk, desperately needed for tuberculous Koreans.

## Ground Observer Post To Meet Monday Night

Robert Calhoun, Post Superintendent, announced this week that the local Ground Observer Post will meet at the high school next Monday night, Oct. 29, at 7:30, for a training program.

Ralph Kizer, Chief Observer for the post stated that there is a real need for additional volunteers to train and serve as air observers.

All residents of this community who are interested in the civil defense of our nation are invited and urged to be present at the meeting, it was said.

## Mrs. Will Boydston, 82, Died In Abilene; Funeral At Baird

Mrs. Will Boydston, 82, of Baird, lifetime resident of Callahan County passed away Wednesday, Oct. 17, in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene. She had been in ill health the past two years and seriously ill since Oct. 13.

Mrs. Boydston was born Maude McGowan June 3, 1874, in Cottonwood. She was married to Mr. Boydston June 1, 1898, in Baird.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Hartley, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park in Abilene.

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Mrs. W. D. Ferguson of Brownsville, Mrs. Sam L. Stokes of Corpus Christi and Mrs. Herman Harper, Abilene; two grandchildren, Donald David Ferguson of Brownsville and Sam Boydston Stokes of Corpus Christi and five great-grandchildren.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Bernie Harpole was released from the Veterans Hospital at Big Spring Friday where he underwent a medical check-up. Mrs. Pat McNeel, Sr. and Mrs. Pat McNeel, Jr. and daughter drove to Big Spring to bring him home.

Mrs. A. A. Smith of this city is reported to be recovering satisfactorily in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene, following surgery Wednesday of last week.

Friends in Cross Plains will regret to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. C. O. Hamilton. Mrs. Hamilton is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Neil Shepherd, at Hobbs, N. M.

Judd Barnett was released from Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood Monday of this week after undergoing a medical check-up and is believed to be slowly improving at his home east of town.

Mrs. Andy Hutson underwent surgery in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Monday morning of this week. Mrs. Hutson fell at her home here Saturday morning and suffered a fractured hip. She was carried to the Callahan County Hospital by V. C. Walker in a Higginbotham Bros. ambulance and was later moved to Abilene.

Steve Fortune has returned to his home in San Angelo after spending several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jowers.

Richard Illingworth of Dallas spent the week end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Illingworth and family.

Mrs. Lindsey Tyson returned home Tuesday evening of last week after spending several days in the home of her brother, Henry L. Evans, Jr. in Brownwood. Mrs. Henry L. Evans, Jr. who has been ill, and baby daughter, Betty Ann, accompanied Mrs. Tyson to Cross Plains for a few days visit.

## Buffaloes Win Conference Opener From Eagles, 18-14; Play Santa Anna Friday

### Cottonwood Baptist Church Receives Achievement Award

Dallas—The First Baptist Church of Cottonwood has been named winner of the annual Town and Country Achievement Award sponsored by the Callahan Baptist Association, spokesmen said here Sunday.

The Rev. Floyd Newberry, pastor, will receive a parchment scroll and the church a metal plaque which can be displayed in a prominent position outside the building.

Purpose of the achievement program is three-fold:

- (1) To stimulate interest and initiative in town and country church work.
- (2) To recognize outstanding achievements by pastors and churches.
- (3) To help Texas Baptists realize their responsibilities not only to their own local church and community, but to the nation and the world as well.

The association is one of the 122 geographical areas in which the Baptist General Convention of Texas promotes such work each year.

The denomination includes one out of every six persons in the state, with 3,704 churches and 1,430,000 members in Texas. Approximately two-thirds of the churches are classified as town and country congregations.

### John Howard Balkum Buys Sims Drug Store

Announcement was made here this week that John Howard Balkum, a popular farmer and resident of this community, had purchased the Sims Drug Store here and is now in charge of the business.

In a display advertisement appearing in this edition of the Review, the new owner invites everyone to visit him in his new business.

Mrs. Clifford Sims extends thanks to the many patrons of the store during her tenure and urges customers to continue to favor the new owner with their patronage.

Mrs. Sims stated that her plans for the future are indefinite at this time.

### Brother of Local Woman Buried At Seymour Wednesday

p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24, in Seymour for C. G. Williams, 74, of that city and burial was made in the River-view Cemetery. Mr. Williams, a brother of Mrs. Etta Hawley of Cross Plains died in a Wichita Falls Hospital at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Other survivors include one son, one daughter, one brother and three sisters, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

### J. A. Watkins Dies At Home In Okra

James Alfred Watkins, 72, died at his home in the Okra Community, seven miles northwest of Rising Star at 7 p.m. Friday following a heart attack. Mr. Watkins was the father of Jack Watkins of Cross Cut, principal of the Cross Plains Ward School.

He was born in McCulloch County on June 21, 1882 and made his home in that county until moving to Eastland County in 1941. He had been engaged in farming and ranching until his retirement recently.

Funeral was held in the Okra Baptist Church at 2:30 p.m. Sunday with the Revs. Martin of Okra, Anderson of Brownwood and Agnew of Cisco, officiating. Burial was in the Rising Star Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ellen Harriet Watkins of Okra; two sons Dale of McCamey and Jack of Cross Cut; five daughters, Mrs. Estelle Cobb of Rockwood, Mrs. Claudine Harris of San Angelo, Mrs. Dorothy Davis of Big Lake, Mrs. Wilna Neyland of Del Rio and Mrs. Mary Lee Kothman of Albuquerque, N. M.; three brothers, L. A. of Paint Rock, W. V. of Pear Valley and B. D. of Austin and one sister, Mrs. Ellen Von Dohelen of Pear Valley.

George Jowers was a business visitor in Brownwood Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ramey and children of San Angelo were week end visitors here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Huey of Gustine spent Friday night with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Whitton and children and attended the Cross Plains-Goldthwaite football game.

Mrs. O. T. Cox and son, Ray Gene, of Weatherford and Mr. and Mrs. Don Cox of San Francisco, Calif. visited in Cross Plains Friday with J. H. McElroy and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan.

The Cross Plains Buffaloes came to life in the final period of the game here last Friday night to come from behind and win their first District 9-A game over a classy Goldthwaite squad by a score of 18-14.

Going into the final period the Buffs trailed the Eagles by a score of 14-6, after having been soundly outplayed during the first half of the game.

The first period was scoreless until late in the frame when the Buffaloes recovered an Eagle fumble. The Buffs were forced to punt on fourth but a penalty gave them another chance.

Pullback Darvel Hutchins and Pat Moore gained to the Eagle 42 and Moore picked up nine on the first down. David Jennings passed to Gary for the final 33-yards and the extra point was no good.

Goldthwaite bounced back as the second quarter opened with Connie Todd and Pullback Johnny Vaughan, the leading gainer with 121, carrying to the two. Todd and Philip Edington pushed to the one-half yard line on two attempts.

The Eagles took the second half kick and drives by Vaughan and passes to Jerry Knight placed the ball on the 14. Vaughan galloped to the 10 and Todd went over left tackle for the score. Kirby converted, 14-6.

Late in the third period, the Buffs started a jaunt on the Eagle 48.

### Mighty Mites Win Over Eastland, 13-6

The Junior High Mighty Mites journeyed to Eastland Tuesday night of this week, where they tangled with the Eastland Junior team in a return battle and emerged victors by a score of 13-6, to even the two-game schedule. Eastland won the first game.

Fullback Alvin Hutchins scored the first TD and Geo. Jennings added the extra point and halfback Don Hargrove scored the final tally.

Coach Mac Coppinger stated that his boys all played heads-up football.

The Mighty Mites will meet Rising Star next Tuesday night in another return game. They defeated the Rising Star lads in the first game played here last week and will be out to make it two in a row come next Tuesday night.

### Coleman Furniture Store Holding Closing Sale

Funeral services were held at 4 in an half-page advertisement appearing in this edition of the Review. Mr. and Mrs. Verne Coleman, of Rising Star, announce that they are closing out their furniture store here and list a large number of bargains for local buyers.

Mr. Coleman stated this week that he had accepted employment with an oil company in West Texas and the two stores were more than his wife could operate. She will continue to operate the Rising Star store and will be assisted by her other, Bill Tune, who has been serving as manager of the local store, it was said.

### PIONEER CEMETERY DONATION IS LISTED

Mat Browning, Secretary of the Pioneer Cemetery Association was in town this week and reported that E. L. Garrett donated \$5.00 to the maintenance fund since the last contributions were published.

Mr. and Mrs. Ponia Worthy spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barr in Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Worthy at Andrews.

### Philosopher Comes Out In Favor Of A New Lincoln Theory Of Government Assistance

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou is no student of Abraham Lincoln, his letter this week reveals.

Dear editor:

You wouldn't exactly call me a student of history, I'm like most of us, I'm not sure what happened yesterday, not to mention century before last, so it was with considerable pleasure I read in a campaign speech the other day what a candidate said about Abraham Lincoln.

According to him, it was Lincoln's idea that the Federal government should "do for people the things they can't do well themselves", and he was in favor of that philosophy of government.

I want you to know that I'm in favor of it too, but the trouble is not enough government officials will follow up on it. They've left me and Abraham Lincoln high and dry.

For example, take writing a check. I don't know why it is, but the government is a whole lot better at writing checks than I am; that is, if you take the long-range view of writing a check and include getting it cashed. I don't mean to say the government doesn't write a lot

Jennings and Hutchins pushed to the eight and Jennings passed to Clark Baum for a score.

Baum's conversion attempt was no good and Goldthwaite remained in front, 14-12.

Goldthwaite drove back to the Cross Plains 48 and fumbled. The Buffs recovered, fumbled and recovered another Eagle fumble.

With time running out, Cross Plains Buffs took over on the Eagle 40 but an incomplete pass and a loss dropped it back to the 41. Scott fired a pass 41-yards to Gary for the winning margin. Baum's kick was no good.

Cross Plains connected on only three of the 14 aerials but all three were good for touchdowns. Goldthwaite completed six of eight passes.

### GAME IN BRIEF

Cross Plains	Goldthwaite
9 First downs	10
132 Yards gained rushing	116
92 Passing yardage	82
225 Net yardage from schim.	198
14 Passes attempted	8
3 Passes completed	6
0 Passes intercepted by	0
4 Punts	5
35 Punting average	35
26 Yards penalized	35
3 Yards penalized	35
4 Fumbles lost	3

Score by quarters:  
Cross Plains ..... 6 0 0 12-18  
Goldthwaite ..... 0 7 7 0-14

### Buff's Entertain Mountaineers

The Buffaloes will be hosts to the Santa Anna Mountaineers in a conference game next Friday night. The Mountaineers have lost their first two conference tilts to Rising Star and Goldthwaite, and will be out to get in the win column here.

Game time is set for 7:30 p.m.

### Buffalo Roster

*Clark Baum	E 185 81
*Harold Jennings	E 174 71
*Perry Jennings	T 196 76
*John Baum	T 181 73
*Joe Gary	G 168 63
*Jim McDonald	G 143 80
*Don Watkins	C 158 59
*David Jennings	B 142 22
*Gravel Scott	B 144 20
*Pat Moore	B 137 21
*Darvel Hutchins	B 155 25
*Harold Merrill	C 235 83
Doyle Oliver	E 138 27
Arvil Grider	E 155 82
David Wells	T 146 70
Harold Childers	T 155 72
Audrey Gary	G 175 61
Johnnie Pancake	G 156 60
Jimmie Apple	G 125 62
Ross McGary	C 235 83
Norman Vaughn	B 153 24
Jim Fleming	B 140 26
Bill Strickland	B 122 16
Roland Jones	B 115 52

### Mountaineer Roster

*Fleming, Charlie	E 150 72
*Hayes, Jesse	T 187 66
*McClure, Robert	G 200 73
*Johnson, Jerry	C 175 73
*Dillingham, Jackie	G 175 73
*McIver, Doyle	T 215 75
*Brown, Maynard	E 160 81
*White, Eugene	B 135 64
*Herring, Kenneth	B 145 68
*Ray, Donald	B 160 71
*Gilbert, Daniel	B 165 77
*Donham, Larry	B 135 60
*Densman, Bob	B 130 67
*Ramberger, Bob	T 220 83
*Seal, Wilbur	B 144 80
*Pembroke, Lowell	B 155 82
*Perry, Robert	E 130 63
*Fellers, Donald	G 135 62
*Curtis, James	E 150 70
*Anderson, William	E 174 79
*Payne, Roy	B 140 65
*Jennings, Bill	B 130 69
*Smith, O. B.	B 135 61

\*Probable starters.

### District Results

District 9-A results of games played last Friday night were: Cross Plains 18, Goldthwaite 14; Mason 40, Rising Star 0; Burnett 13, Llano 12 (non-conference); Santa Anna, open date.

of checks. My complaint is not enough of em are addressed to me.

Or take plowing, that's something I never have been able to do well for myself, although up to now the government has ignored Lincoln and left the job to me, as the shape my farm is in will demonstrate.

Other things I can't do very well are build a fence, patch a roof, clean out a well, butcher a hog, hoe a garden, mow the lawn, etc.

As far as I'm concerned, to take just one example, I think I can prove I can't plow very well for myself, and while I don't know that the government can do it any better, my notion is a lot of government workers are where they are in order to escape the plow, but that's not what Lincoln said. What he said was, according to this candidate, the government ought to do for me what I can't do well myself.

Obviously this opens up a brand new field for government activity, and I am now working on a list of all the things I can't do very well and will appreciate you finding out and telling me where I'm supposed to mail it. I'm on page five of my list now.

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.



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Do You Remember?...

October 24, 1941

Interest in a Halloween carnival to be held on the school campus the night of Oct. 31 was reaching a white-heat yesterday as the four classes of high school and the ward school as a whole vied for honor of choosing a queen to reign over festivities of the occasion.

Fifty-four students made the honor roll, with averages of 90 or better, at Cross Plains schools for the first six weeks period.

The wedding of Miss Barbara Ila Burkett, of Burkett, and Jack McMillan of Coleman, formerly of this city, were solemnized Saturday night, Oct. 11, at eight o'clock, in Baird.

Funeral for Mrs. Clara Cutbirth, 23, who was drowned early Monday morning when an automobile in which she was riding plunged off Highway 80 near Baird, were held at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon at Dudley Baptist Church.

Mrs. Norman Coffey of Cottonwood was elected chairman of the Callahan County Home Demonstration Council at a meeting Saturday in the district courtroom in Baird.

The high school elected a queen for each of the four grades for the Halloween Carnival Saturday night. The freshman queen is Sealy Jean Golsen, sophomore, Dorothy Mae Medcalf, junior, Nancy Jo Godwin and senior Merie Dean Koenig, Burkett news.

The junior department of the Methodist Church complimented Tommy Butler, Billy Butler and Mary Beth Tunnell Monday night on the occasion of their birthday.

Miss Earline Morris, former Cross Plains high school student and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris of Sipe Springs, became the bride of Sgt. Robert English, of Camp Bowie, in an impressive ceremony at the First Methodist Church in Sipe Springs Thursday evening.

A new band room will be constructed on the high school campus here within the near future. Work is slated to start November 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey and Mrs. J. F. Coffey visited at Rotan and Jayton Sunday, attending the marriage of Miss Doris Holley of Jayton, a niece of Mrs. J. F. Coffey.

October 23, 1936

Cross Plains trade territory received another taste of Winter early Thursday morning, as rain and a strong North wind sent the mercury scaling downward. 39 degrees was registered here early yesterday morning.

Funeral rites for Eddie Joe, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Koenig who died in a Brownwood hospital shortly after four o'clock Saturday afternoon, after an extended illness, were conducted from the Cross Plains Methodist Church Sunday.

Mrs. Mary K. Renfro, 78, one of Cross Plains' oldest citizens, died at her home in the West part of town Thursday of last week. Funeral services were conducted from the local Baptist Church Friday afternoon at four o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woody, long time resident of Cottonwood, were honored at their home Sunday, when more than 100 relatives and friends gathered there to pay them compliment. The reunion was the celebration of both of the couple's birthdays, his being October 15 and hers October 14.

Miss Louise Burkett won the diamond ring in a popular girl contest sponsored by a recent medicine show. Burkett news.

Mrs. Volley Joe Williams complimented Mrs. W. J. Sipes with a miscellaneous shower when she entertained with three tables of contract bridge at her home Monday afternoon.

Miss Clara Westerman entertained Misses Frances and Adell Pierce Tuesday afternoon of last week with a birthday party.

Six Cross Plains high school agriculture students and the instructor, V. A. Underwood, attended the Premier Ranch Cattle Sale at Mason Oct. 15. Students making the trip were Paul Harlowe, Alfred Thaitte, Leonard Baum, Bobby Henkel, Deel Edington, Harold Barelay.

Mr. and Mrs. Pender Mitchell and baby left Friday for California to make their home. We are sorry to see them leave, but we wish them well. Cottonwood news.

Vida Armstrong returned home Sunday from Arp, where she has been visiting her brother, Thurman Armstrong. Sabanno news.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Glass of Goldthwaite were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sipes Friday evening and attended the Cross Plains-Goldthwaite football game, that night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cook of Fort Worth returned home Monday night after spending the week end with her sisters, Mrs. S. N. Foster and Mrs. Sam Jones and their husbands.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Alton Tatum

Mrs. Jim Hewes, Maggie Wilson and Mrs. Frank Maher were shopping in Abilene, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis have returned home after a two weeks visit in Tennessee.

Wayne and Patricia Weeks from San Angelo are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dupriest from Texon visited Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rouse over the week end and attended the Cross Plains-Goldthwaite football game. Garland is to be inducted into the Army in November.

Mrs. Dayton Sessions and Mrs. Nathan Foster are employed at the broom factory in Cisco.

Stevie Foster visited Bobby Hutchins Sunday and James visited Vernon Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and girls visited at Cross Cut Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Byrd and Dolores.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Long, Jr. and son, Donald Charles, were here from Snyder over the week end visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bush of Tye and their son, Gene, were visiting relatives and friends in Cross Plains over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Black of Waco visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Black during the week end.

Mrs. J. C. Bowden honored her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Sipes and her brother, W. J. Sipes, with a birthday dinner at the Bowden home at Burkett Sunday. Attending were the Bowden family, Tommy Adams, the honorees and Mrs. W. J. Sipes and children.

Miss Billie Ruth Loving of Abilene visited her mother, Mrs. Ira Loving and family Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Loving returned home with her daughter Sunday afternoon for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Foster had dinner in Rising Star Sunday with her father, Arthur Smith and brother, Curt Smith and family.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Walker and children of Westbrook and Clyde Walker of San Angelo.

TEXAS IN REVIEW

Football, an interesting election and a jeep derby will highlight Humble Oil & Refining Company's TV program, Texas in Review, next week.

The football highlights will be taken from Baylor-Texas A&M, Rice-Texas and TCU-Miami games. Ace sportscaster Kern Tips will describe the scoring and other key plays.

The election feature will be furnished by Allen Junior High school

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in Austin. Recently the student body divided into political organizations and had a regular campaign before voting for officers.

Sports fans will also enjoy excitement furnished by the jeep derby which was held on Padre Island across the Port Isabel Causeway. The main event was a 30-mile race against time with drivers crisscrossing the island's sand dunes.

Texas in Review will be seen at a new time in many areas of Texas

beginning with the program week of Oct. 29.

Texas in Review can be seen daily, Oct. 30 over KRBC-TV, Abilene, 9:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dillababy of Abilene were visiting relatives and friends Friday Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephens of Abilene visited in the Dale home Saturday afternoon.



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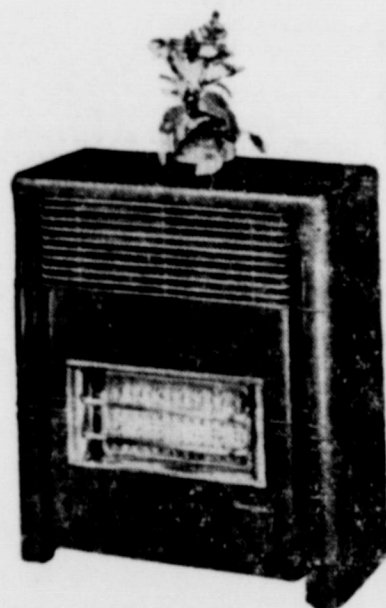
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Mrs. C. S. McClellan and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge visited Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Jowers and Mickey.

Mrs. Oscar Page of San Angelo and Mrs. M. F. Lohn of Brady visited Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Jowers and Mickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pierce of Abilene recently visited here with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hendrick of Big Lake spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hargrove, Jr. and family.

### 1956 Amendments To The Social Security Laws

In addition to the changes made in the Social Security law by the 1956 Amendments which have been treated in separate articles in this series, there were a number of other changes which are summarized below. Persons desiring more detailed information on any of these changes are invited to write the social Security Administration, Abilene, Texas.

1. The new law serves to increase somewhat the rate of interest creditable to the Social Security Trust Fund.

2. A new Trust Fund, the Disability Insurance Trust Fund, is established, and definite amounts, based on total social security tax collections, are to be deposited therein. Disability insurance payments will be made from this special Trust Fund.

3. In computing benefits of new claims, five years of low or no earnings may now be dropped even though the insured worker had fewer than 20 quarters of coverage to his credit. This will permit newly covered self-employed persons to get full benefits by disregarding the years 1951-1955 when they were excluded from coverage, and will also benefit some others filing their claims now or in the future.

4. Remarriage will still terminate a widow's benefits. However, if the remarriage is ended by the death of the new husband before the new marriage has been in effect less than a year, her rights to benefits on the earlier husband's record are restored. A marriage of such short duration does not give her rights to benefits on the later husband's record, so it seemed equitable to restore previous rights in such cases.

5. Federal courts, in imposing sentences for convictions for treason, sedition, subversion, espionage, sabotage, may bar social security payments to the convicted person otherwise due on his or someone else's social record. Such penalty would not, however, affect the social security rights of the convicted person's dependants or survivors.

6. Social security coverage is denied for service after June 1956 in the employ of any organization required to register under the Internal Security Act of 1950, as a Communist-front, Communist-action, or Communist-infiltrated organization.

This concludes this special series of articles on the 1956 Amendments which have been published by this newspaper as another service feature intended to acquaint its readers with matters of interest and value to them contained in the Social Security Act.

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2-pc. in turquoise tweed, reg. 179.95	2-pc. Charcoal, reg. 149.95 value	Platform Rocker in red frieze, reg. 49.95	18.95
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Miss Glendene Phillely visited in Brownwood Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Duke and attended the ball game.

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### Sabanno News

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

The Busy Bee Club members and other ladies in our community met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins Wednesday afternoon and quilted two quilts for Mrs. Bill Smoot.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Lusk and children of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk, Sunday.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer and sons visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Coffey in Abilene, Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meador visited with Mrs. Smith, mother of Mrs. Meador, in an Abilene Hospital Sunday morning. We do hope Mrs. Smith will soon feel much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Day of Coleman were Wednesday evening visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dukes of Rising Star were Sunday afternoon visitors in the Edwin Erwin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cumba and son of Cisco visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Heffner and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Snyder and children and S. O. Switzer of Bangs visited in the O. B. Switzer home Saturday night.

Mrs. Bill Smoot and children were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ingram.

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### Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Inabnet Observe 60th Anniversary

During the week end of October 13-14, many relatives and friends visited Mr. and Mrs. John D. Inabnet in their home at Pioneer to honor them on their sixtieth wedding anniversary.

The bride attended Cross Plains High School, graduating with the class of 1934. She was active in all activities of the school, being a member of the Cross Plains Buffalo Band for five years, served as band sweetheart her senior year and also was a cheer leader one year. She attended North Texas State College at Denton the past two years and has been employed in Midland the past summer.

The bridegroom graduated from Lubbock High School and attended Southern Methodist University in Dallas. He is a veteran of two years in the U. S. Armed Forces, and is at present employed by Lucky Distributing Co. in Midland.

The couple are at home at 108 Stokes in Midland.

Grandchildren attending were: John Stringer, Nancy Stringer, Neal and Bobby Stringer, Billie Fae and Charles Geist, Jean and Jerry Sanders, Joe and Dick Wylie, Dickie Boyd, Tom and Pat Inabnet, James and Betsy Inabnet, Linda and Jimmie Keeling, Minter Ray and Jo Nell Hardin, Lois and Roy Don Hickman, Ann and Max Shumake, David Livingston and Carol Kay Kilgore.

Great-grandchildren present were: Grady, Dudley and Cynthia Jane Milton and Barbara Wylie, Mary Lu Geiss, Ronnie and Sue Jane Sanders, Inabnet, Dale Keeling and Elaine and Donna Hardin.

Other relatives attending were a cousin, Cora Carter and a niece, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haley and children, Peggy and Jack.

Mr. and Mrs. Inabnet deeply appreciated being remembered and wish to express their thanks to everyone. This glad occasion will afford them many happy memories in the days to come.

### Future Homemakers of America To Hold Meeting Monday Night

Miss Mary Helen Strong, instructor of the homemaking classes of the local high school has announced that a meeting will be held in the school auditorium Monday evening at 7:30, and all paid members of the FHA are invited to attend.

At the meeting, according to the announcement, a program will be rendered and freshmen homemaking students will be initiated.

### Rowden News

By MRS. BERNARD CROW

Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Gibbs and children of California and Mrs. Bob Darby of Venezuela, S. A. are spending their vacation with their mother and brother, Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond. Others visiting in the home are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hazle, Mrs. Hermon Morton and Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs, Baird, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gibbs and children, Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary of San Angelo.

The ladies met and enjoyed a quilting Thursday. A quilt was made for Mrs. Annye Miller and also one for Mrs. Leila Gibbs.

Mrs. Dale Brown spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Crow Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Lehw and children, Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crow, Richie and Theida Crow, Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary, San Angelo.

Will Hornsby is feeling some better the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders and family were here from Waco over the week end visiting her grandmother, Mrs. B. W. Webb at Webbville and other relatives.

Mrs. Tom Cox and Mrs. James Yarbrough and daughter were Abilene visitors Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Ben H. Bradley, Sandra and Eddy of Rising Star visited in the Jack McCarty home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Nichols and son visited in Abilene Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Nichols and family.

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### Womans Society of Christian Services Meets In Loveless Home

Mrs. J. R. Loveless was hostess in her home Monday afternoon for the October social meeting of the Womans Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church. Eleven members were present.

Mrs. Parker Baum led the opening prayer and Mrs. I. N. Riley gave the devotional. The study was presented by Mrs. Baum and Mrs. Riley.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members: Mmes. Jack Aiken, H. J. Norris, M. Eubank, V. C. Walker, I. N. Riley, Doyle Burchfield, Parker Baum, W. A. Payne and Miss Missouri Strahan.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep gratitude for the many acts of kindness extended to us during my illness. For the lovely flowers, your visits, cards, the food you sent, for your prayers and for every expression of your friendship, we say Thank You. Mrs. VOLLIE McDONOUGH.

### So and Sew Club To Meet In Coppinger Home

The So and Sew Club will meet next Thursday afternoon, Nov. 1, in the home of Mrs. Coppinger. All members of the club are asked to keep this date and attend the meeting.

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<b>Sugar</b>	10 lbs.	<b>95c</b>
Lettuce	15c	FRESH Tomatoes 13c
<b>Coffee</b>	HIXON, lb. can	<b>83c</b>
FRESH BAG Spuds	10 lbs. 39c	ARMOUR'S No. 1 Fryers 39c
<b>BACON</b>	Sliced, MATCHLESS, lb.	<b>39c</b>
OUR VALUE, No. 303 Tomatoes	2 cans 25c	OUR VALUE, No. 303, CUT GREEN Beans 2 cans 25c
<b>Cheese</b>	VELVEETA, 2 lb. box	<b>79c</b>
Worton, Family size, FRUIT Pies	39c	Kounty Kist, Whole Kernel, 12 oz. Corn 2 cans 23c
<b>Pi-Do</b>	AUNT ELLEN'S 9 oz. box	<b>10c</b>

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Don't forget that if you wish to vote during 1957 your poll tax must be paid before February first. You will not want to be disfranchised for the need of a poll tax receipt, so attend to this detail at once. Poll taxes may be paid at the Citizens State Bank in Cross Plains as well as at the office of

## HOMER PRICE

Sheriff & Tax Assessor-Collector for Callahan County

## Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Doris Moore of Odessa visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Butler and daughter, Etta, of Abilene were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bush ate birthday dinner with Mrs. Ann Heine Oct. 17. Mr. and Mrs. Vorus Kelley and daughter, Brenda of Dallas, are spending their vacation with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Gilleland this week.

Mrs. Jess Carter of Austin stopped by the Respass home a few minutes last Friday on her way to Abilene to visit a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McIntosh now of Odessa spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maddox.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and grandson, Gary Wayne, have recently returned from a trip through these places, Stillwater and Perkins, Okla. Springdale, Arkansas and also visited in Missouri returning by way of East Texas, New Boston, Texas, visited the Dallas Fair and with relatives and friends along the route. They reported a wonderful trip.

Misses Beulah and Hazel Respass visited Mrs. F. W. Respass in Rising Star Saturday.

The County singing class met here Sunday afternoon and was well attended. Many good singers attended from near places.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford made a business trip to Baird Monday morning.

Melvin Placke of Cross Plains is preaching for the Church of Christ people at the present time.

Miss Rose Lee Bennett of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Bennett, and attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

## Mrs. Linnie Stephens, Earl Green Wed

Announcement was made the past week of the marriage in Abilene, Oct. 9, of Mrs. Linnie Stephens of that city and Earl Green of Houston.

The couple are making their home in Houston.

## DALLAS COUPLE ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF BABY DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Young of Dallas are announcing the birth of a six pound 11 ounce baby daughter born Wednesday, Oct. 17 in a Gorman Hospital. The baby has been named Jacqueline Marie.

Mrs. Young will be remembered here as the former Barbara Illingworth She and the baby are now at the home of her parents and will remain here for several weeks. Mr. Young is at present stationed with the armed forces in Kentucky.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Illingworth, and great-grandmother is Mrs. Ida Graves, all of Cross Plains.

Paternal grandparents are Geo. Young and Mrs. Sara Stroud, of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Byrd White of Dallas are great-grand-parents.

Joe Houser of Odessa spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McClellan and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge were business visitors in East Texas, Sunday and Monday.

## Burkett

By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

The Burkett annual Halloween Carnival will be held at the school gymnasium Tuesday night, Oct. 30.

A-3c Tommie Knight is spending a 20 day furlough with homefolks. Tommie has been stationed in Wyoming and will report to San Francisco, Calif. for shipment to Korea.

Max Watson, a student at John Tarleton College, Stephenville, has been elected the newest cadet of his platoon for two weeks. He and a friend, Travis Sears of Albany, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and Billy.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Porter and Jimmy and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Boyle of McCamey were visiting with relatives here over the week end.

Visitors in the homes of Cy Burns and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burns Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burns and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cobb and baby of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Pickett and baby all of Buffalo and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson and baby of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Trewett of Gatesville visited her father, Y. C. Boyle, Sunday.

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# State Capitol NEWS

## State Growth Foreseen

Texas' need for state office space will be tripled by 1980. So say planning consultants for the state building program. They estimate that Austin alone will have some 11,500 state employees 24 years hence. Statewide the total is set at 24,000 to 30,000.

Planners say the 200,533 square feet of floor space in the Capitol should be augmented to make a total of 1,720,000 square feet. To accomplish this, four new office buildings would be built. Capitol grounds would be extended north six blocks to 19th Street.

"Broad estimate" of the cost: \$87,000,000.

Another recommendation in the recently completed Capitol area master plan is to sell or abandon four older state-owned buildings dotted over Austin.

**Gas Test Case Set**  
Whether the state should refund some \$4,000,000 in natural gas taxes will be considered by the Third Court of Civil Appeals on Feb. 6.

District court ruled for the gas company in the test case. An issue is whether some 30 companies who paid taxes, without protest, can get their money back.

Companies which paid under protest were repaid shortly after the law was declared unconstitutional.

**Alcoholics Increase**  
A sharp rise in alcoholism among Texans during 1956 is indicated.

Twice as many patients have been admitted to alcoholic wards this year as last, report the State Hospital Board.

Total number of alcoholics in the state is estimated at 155,100. This is almost twice the 1940 estimate of 83,303, represents about 3 per cent of total population.

**Farm Income Up**  
Texas cash farm income for 1956 is running slightly higher than 1955, despite the drought.

But, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, the figures reflect desperation, not prosperity.

High income, it is explained, comes from sale of production materials, such as breeding stock. Specialists compare it to the situation of a factory which keeps income up by selling its machinery.

Total through August was \$627,000,000, compared to \$925,000,000 a year ago.

**School Trustees Confer**  
Texas school board members talked all around their integration problems, finally settled on a resolution urging each district to approach the question with "dignity."

Only one dissenting vote was heard among the some 200 attending the Texas Association of School Boards convention in Austin.

One speaker declared integration should be handled strictly on a local basis. Another deplored that school boards have been made the "goats" in the controversy.

**Short Snorts**  
Number of Texas factories increased 25 per cent from 1947 to 1953, according to the Dept. of Commerce.

Value of manufacturers rose to \$1,780,600,000 or 103 per cent. It put Texas industrial growth well ahead of the nation as a whole.

Children in 17 Texas counties will seek funds for Christian Rural Overseas Program instead of candy on Hallowe'en night. Last year the state's youngsters brought in \$39,000 from their holiday rounds.

Texas schools received nearly \$84,000,000 in federal funds last year, according to the U. S. Office of Education. Texas' share was the second largest in the nation.

A \$5,000,000 pecan harvest this fall is expected to boost the sagging fortunes of Texas farmers and ranchers. This year's crop is estimated at 25,000,000 pounds, 34 percent less than last year, but still considered a "good" harvest.

Texas has had 487 more citizens leaving the armed forces than entering so far in 1956. Entries total 33,014, separations 33,501, says State Selective Service Headquarters. Of those entering, 28,203 en-

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop spent Sunday at Buchanan with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Harlow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger visited in Baird Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Freeland and Mrs. T. A. Coppinger.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Tension and family of Odessa visited with relatives and friends during the week end.

M. A. Jones of Killeen was a business visitor in Cross Plains the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Looman left Saturday for Mannington, West Virginia to visit with his mother, Mrs. C. V. Oertje and other relatives.

To most of us our memory is the thing we forget with.

listed voluntarily, 4,811 were drafted. Payments to Texas farmers under the 1956 soil bank program have hit \$7,852,242, says the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

Mrs. Jeff Clark and grandson, Freddie McNeel, visited in Clyde Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobdy spent Sunday in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McDonald and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Freeman and baby were here from Abilene Sunday visiting H. C. Freeman, Sr. and other relatives. Mr. Freeman returned home with his son and family for a few days visit.

Mrs. H. H. Hutson returned to her home here Wednesday of last week after visiting in Austin for several days with her children, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hutson and son and Don Hutson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby and son, Tommy, visited in Clyde Sunday with Mrs. Hornsby's sister, Mrs. Vera Nelson and her daughter, Mrs. Jake Phillips and husband of Bakersfield, Calif., who are visiting with Mrs. Nelson.

Mrs. Ladelle Drake of Killeen visited here over the week end with her sister, Mrs. Ralph McNeel.

Mrs. Sallie Varner of Abilene was visiting with friends in Cross Plains Friday afternoon.

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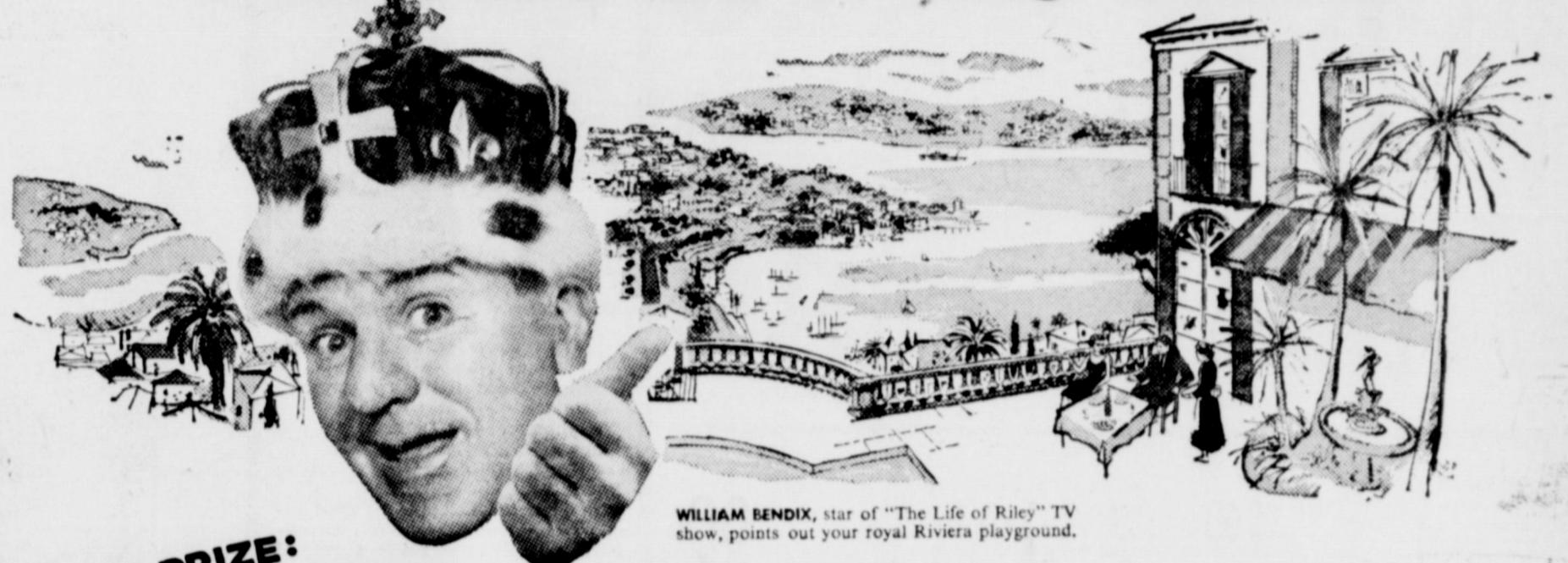
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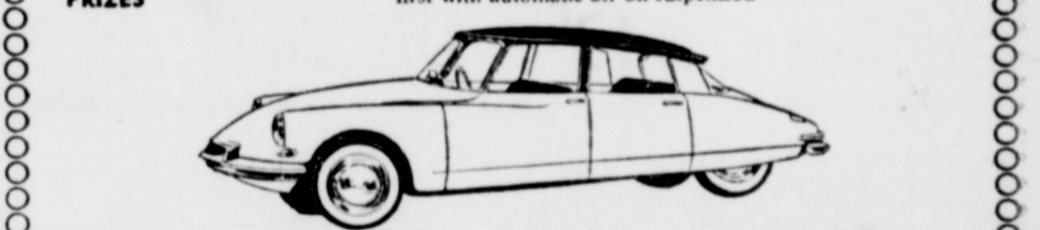
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## Doleful Senators Due Shock When Ike Wins, Fears Doc

One of the strongest Eisenhower men in our town is Doc Brown. He says he just can't put up with Stevenson's socialized medicine program; there are a lot of other things he doesn't like about it, but that one is enough for him, he says. Doc is a pretty outspoken cuss, but he's a good doctor. At least, he's the best one in town, being the only one, and our people always call him when they're sick whether they like his politics or not.

The other day several of us were standing around in front of the post office, talking politics—the Eisenhower men and some Stevenson men—when Doc walked by looking glum. One of the Stevenson men said: "Hey, Doc, what's the trouble, did Ike just tell you in some bad news?"

Doc Brown said no, he hadn't heard from Ike this week, but he was worried.

"Not about Ike, you understand," he told the Stevenson fellow. "Ike has got it made. Even Stevenson people are beginning to admit that. Poor old Ike isn't going to get any farther in this race than he could have Kefauver's conskin cap on the tail cut off."

"The ones I am worried about are these out-of-state senators who are coming down here to Texas to tell us how to vote. I sure feel sorry for those boys. It must be tough to face life with their attitude."

"To hear them tell it, this country is in a terrible shape. The farmers are starving, all

Yours Truly,  
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# Bargain Buys

## Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

LARGE, FLORIDA					
Tomatoes	lb.	15 <sup>c</sup>	Carrots	Cello bag	12 <sup>c</sup>
Cabbage	lb.	5 <sup>c</sup>	Cucumbers	lb.	19 <sup>c</sup>

**Apples** Black Ben, lb. **.10**

Cranberries	lb.	25 <sup>c</sup>	Squash	lb.	10 <sup>c</sup>
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**Coffee** Yacht Club, lb. **.89**

KIMBELL'S, Asstd.		SOLID PACK			
Jellies	3 for	100	Anricots	gal.	99 <sup>c</sup>

**Pepper** Frenche's 4 oz. **.27**

**Grape Juice** Welch, reg. size **.27**

Mackerel	lb. can	15 <sup>c</sup>	BEST MAID, SALAD	Dressing	qt.	39 <sup>c</sup>
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**FROZEN PIES** lg. Peach, Apple, Bosenberry and cherry **.49**

## Low Priced Choice Meats

SPARE	Ribs	lb.	47 <sup>c</sup>	KRAFT VELVEETA	Cheese	2 lbs.	85 <sup>c</sup>
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**Hams** Gooch's Picnic, lb. **.27**

CHUCK	Roast	lb.	39 <sup>c</sup>	ROUND	Steak	lb.	67 <sup>c</sup>
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## Vegetables in Abundance

Not until three weeks ago did we at the Review office realize that there was an abundance of fresh vegetables grown in and around Cross Plains in spite of the drought. Doc Tension was the first to report on a crop of okra that was almost unbelievable, then came J. C. Hefner of the Sabanno community with mustard greens like we have never seen before and Friday of last week Mrs. Bob Young who lives a few miles north of town came by with turnips and greens, the best you ever ate, and a sack of hot peppers.

Mrs. Young has a small plot of ground in one corner of her yard that has produced for several months now and she is still gathering okra and peppers and will have collards ready as soon as we have frost. She has canned 44 pints of beans, 10 pints squash, put okra in the freezer along with dividing with her neighbors. She also had earlier in the season lot of potatoes, onions, squash, beets and cucumbers.

The far below normal amount of rainfall we have received this year has failed to kill the green thumbs of many of our citizens, and for those who have been able to water a small plot, conditions have been just right for their gardens to produce better than in normal times.

## Burkett School Honor Roll

Walter R. Chambers, Supt. of the Burkett School, has announced the first of the week that the following have been listed on the honor roll for the first six weeks of school:

First grade: Valeta Edington and Jerry Strickland.

Second grade: Sharon Herring, Margie Young, Bruce Adams and Chris Knox.

Third grade: Carolyn and Sharon Barnett, Lana Edington, Linda Gould and Cathy McAnally.

Fourth grade: Larry Don DeBusk, Gaylon Harris and Larry Boyle.

Fifth grade: Jack Knox and Darrell Hunter.

Sixth grade: Elwanda Key.

Seventh grade: Richard Burns and Billy Vance Watson.

Eighth grade: Tommy Adams.

Freshmen: Coralea Rhoads.

Sophomore: Pat DeBusk.

Juniors: Bonita Strickland.

Seniors: Hilda Anderson, Lanette Burns and Scot Edington.

In order to be eligible for the honor roll, according to Supt. Chambers, a pupil must make a general average of 90 or above on his school work and must not be absent during the period.

The ten highest scoring pupils in high school for the period are: Scot Edington, 98; Hilda Anderson, 96.5; Lanette Burns, 94.5; Coralea Rhoads, 93.75; Bonita Strickland, 93.75; Neida Hunter, 91.3; Hank Hunter, 91; Pat DeBusk, 90; Donald Key, 88.5 and Sandra Pricer, 88.25.

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## Date Of Filing SS Claim Vital Factor For Farmers Past 65

"Every self-employed farm operator past the age of 65 should find out from his social security office whether it would be better for him to file his claim now or wait until after January 1, 1957," says R. R. Tuley, Jr., Abilene district manager for the Social Security Administration.

In brief, according to Tuley, if the amount of farm income creditable for social security purposes in 1956 is going to be less than was the 1955 amount, filing a claim for benefits now will result in a higher benefit figure than would be true after January 1, 1957, outside of minimum benefit situations where neither year's income is much over \$500.

Such differences could range from 10c to several dollars, and comes about because a claim is filed in 1956 may have the benefit computed on the 1955 income plus half of the 1956 income average over 18 months. On the other hand, a claim filed in 1957 will take into account the 1955 income and all of the 1956 income average over a 24 month period. This latter course would result in a lower average monthly earnings figure when 1956 income is not as large as was the 1955 income. All benefit

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amounts stem from the insured person's average monthly wages or earnings.

Tuley added that women farm operators should remember that the age figure for them to keep in mind is age 62 rather than age 65.

Since a brief article such as this cannot give all possibilities, he urges readers of this newspaper to get in touch with a representative of

his office when he makes a visit to this part of the sixth city district serviced by the office. C. M. Vaden, Jr., of the Plains on Friday morning, Oct. 20 and Dec. 21.

John Elliot of Natick, translated the Bible for the can Indians.

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BLACK BEN	Apples	lb.	12 1/2 <sup>c</sup>	GOOD QUALITY	Spuds	10 lbs.	49 <sup>c</sup>
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**Tomatoes** Vine ripened Selected lb. **.12**

Mellorine	1-2 gal.	45 <sup>c</sup>	ZEE	Tissue	4 rolls	35 <sup>c</sup>
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