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Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Sunday, April 20, was Youth Day at the Cottonwood Baptist Church. The young people were in charge of the worship service. R. T. Hargre read the devotion opening of the Sunday school service. Armo Bentley was the youth moderator for the day. Darwin Breeding read the scripture for the worship service. The young people were assisted by Bro. Jerry Speare, who brought the message, and Bro. Tommy Waldon who led the singing. Both are students at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene. Lunch was served at the church.

Miss Frances Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson, and Don Thornton of Clyde were united in marriage at Clyde April 12. Minister of the Clyde Church of Christ officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Arvin of Baird visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Werner of Snyder visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gilmore, over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Respass and grandson, Keith Willis, of Brownfield and Amarillo have visited here in the Respass home and with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brock in Cross Plains, the past week end.

Jimmy G. Coffey of Dallas and his nephew, Rickey, of Stephenville, visited here Saturday.

A surprise birthday dinner for Mrs. W. A. Gill and Miss Beulah Respass was given in the Gill home Sunday by their friends.

There was a bridal shower for Mrs. Kelly, the former Miss Billie Lou Weaver, by several of the ladies, Mrs. Spivey, Mrs. Terry, Mrs. Kelley and Mrs. Mel Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield attended the State Singing Convention in Stephenville Saturday.

Cross Cut News

MRS. EARNEST BYRD

Hoyt Byrd of Corpus Christi is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd.

Miss Winnie Jane Melton and a girl friend of Fort Worth, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Melton.

Mrs. J. C. Clark is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ozle Woodridge at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Stone and family of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson over the week end.

Week end visitors with Mrs. R. M. Proctor and Miss Willie Jones were Mrs. Lola Hamilton of Palestine and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Proctor of San Angelo. Mrs. Proctor and Mrs. A. H. Plummer returned home with the Earnest Proctors for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hutchins and family of Odessa have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burtrand and family of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cross were in San Antonio the first of the week visiting with relatives, and while there Mrs. Cross underwent a medical check-up at Nix Hospital.

Mrs. Doyle Burchfield was at Glen Lake Wednesday and Thursday of this week to attend a Woman's Society of Christian Service meeting "Time Apart."

COURTHOUSE ELEVATOR TO BE READY SOON

The new elevator being installed in the Callahan County Courthouse at Baird is expected to be ready for public use by May 1, according to an announcement made by County Judge Lester Farmer, the past week. It will serve to move passengers from the basement and three floors of the building and is being installed at a cost of approximately \$30,000, to be paid by the county in cash, without voting a bond issue.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

We had another good rain Saturday which measured about one and one-quarter inch. Some damage was done in the community by strong wind.

Mrs. Jim Hewes and Mr. Black and Vee were in Brownwood Tuesday visiting Mrs. Harvey McKinley and Vee underwent medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hutchins and children of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom Friday night.

Mrs. Charles Smith and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom Sunday. Bro. Smith is in Oklahoma holding a revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys visited in Cross Plains Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan, Cheri and Macky visited in San Antonio over the week end with June and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom were shopping in Clyde Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom, Larry and Lynn visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and girls Sunday afternoon.

'Has Your Driver's License Expired?'

"Has your driver's license expired?" An effort to improve Drivers License Service was revealed today by Major Wilson E. Speir, Commander of Region 4 of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

"If you once held a driver's license in Texas and still have the license in your possession, regardless of the expiration date, it may be re-newed, by going to the Driver's License Office," said J. B. Hart, Captain of the Driver License Service, Midland Region.

If you hold a license that has expired within the last five years you may renew it by mailing your full name, birth date, and description, along with the statutory fee to the DPS Headquarters in Austin for a new license.

At the same time, Major Speir pointed out that Highway Patrolmen are intensifying their driver's license checks for drivers who are driving on expired licenses or no license at all.

"It is not the Department's desire to surprise motorists without warning," Speir said, "So we would like to take this means of advising the public they may expect these checks any time." Major

Speir pointed out, "The Department is now mailing courtesy reminders to all licensed drivers 30 days before their licenses expire and we hope our motorists will take advantage of this reminder and renew their licenses before expiration."

Major Speir stated the Driver's License Law has been in effect almost 22 years in Texas and we feel that no driver has a legitimate excuse for not having a valid driver's license.

The Driver's License Patrolman for this area is in Cross Plains on the first, third and fifth Wednesday of each month for the purpose of giving examinations and accepting renewals of licenses.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Key and family were here from Odessa for a week end visit with his mother, Mrs. Elmer Key, and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shively at Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Martin, Mrs. Gene Renfro and Mrs. Elmer Key visited in Abilene Monday morning with their sister, Mrs. L. M. Baglell.

Morris Odum was a visitor in Eagle Pass Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady and sons of San Angelo visited the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson.

Mrs. Lee Bishop returned Saturday from Weatherford. She had been staying at her daughter, Mrs. Charles and family for several days.

Norman Vaughn, Forrest and Henry Ring, Billy Dabland, Darwin Breeding and Bennett attended High School at Abilene Christian College Saturday.

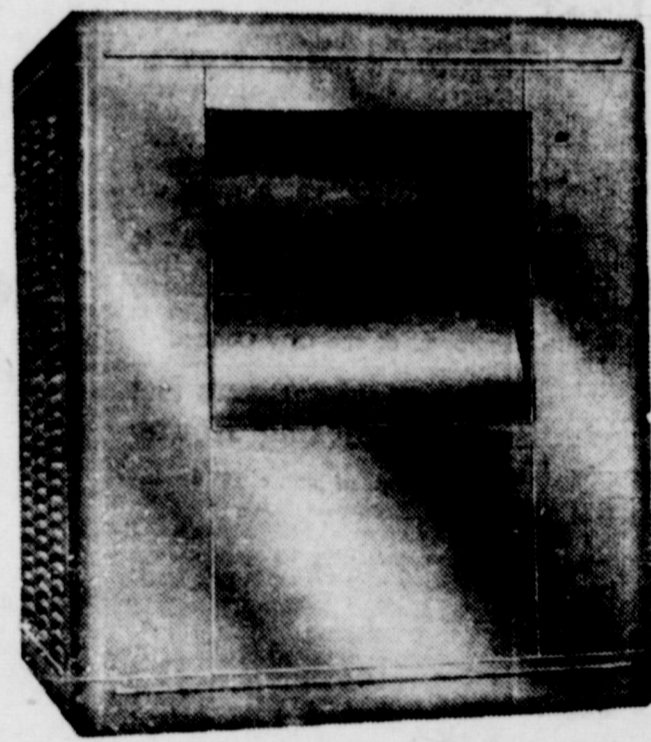
Mrs. Rosa Irvin of Fort Worth here for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ben Arwood and family. She visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coburn baby recently visited here with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coburn, enroute to Crane to their home. Charles, who had as coach at Northwest Texas taken over as county youth program at Crane and get the program in full open house to be held May

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Carrots Cello bag	9c	Potatoes 10 Lbs.	79c

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Hams Lb.	39c	ARMOUR'S PICNIC	
Pork Chops Lb.	63c	CHUCK Roast Lb.	51c

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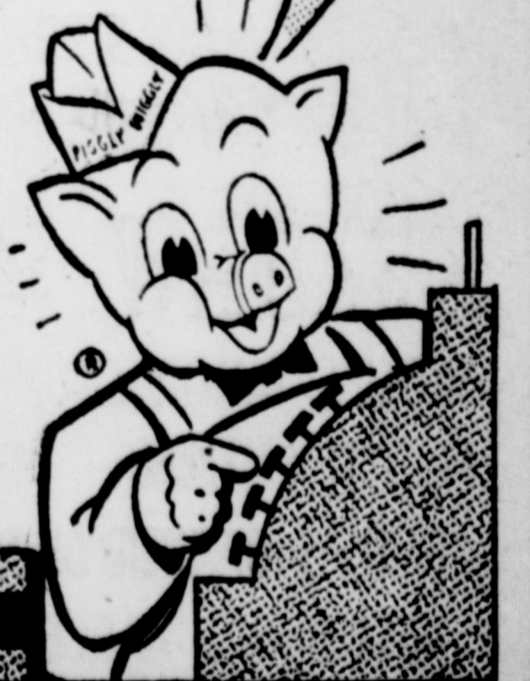
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Local Ladies Attend WSCS Meet in Temple

Mrs. Doyle Burchfield and Miss Missouri Strahan and Mrs. Miserva Eubank were in Temple the past month where they attended the Seventeenth Annual meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Church, held March 24-27.

Mrs. Burchfield was a district delegate and Miss Strahan was a delegate from the local WSCS.

Theme for the conference was "Forward With Christ." During the conference, Mrs. Burchfield attended a training session for all district officers to assist them in conducting instruction for officers in the district.

Mrs. Eubank visited in Georgetown and Taylor before returning home from the conference.

Estelle Freeman Circle Meets

The Estelle Freeman Circle of the First Baptist Church met April 15 for the Circle Program, "Personal Witnessing" with Mrs. A. D. Petty in charge.

Mrs. Ira Hall offered the opening prayer and Mrs. Petty gave the devotional. Mrs. Witherspoon was elected to serve as program chairman in the absence of Mrs. Fred Long.

A short business session was in order.

Those present were Mrs. Petty, L. L. Houser, Mamie Swafford, Sam Jones, Ira Hall, Harry Coppinger, L. W. Westerman, W. R. Thompson, A. Abbott, Henry Williams, Witherspoon and L. P. Reed.

Junior G. A. Meets

The Junior G. A. meeting was held at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon. The program topic was "Missions." The program was presented by missionaries as to how God called them to be missionaries.

Attending the meeting were: Becky Baird, Linda Bodine, Kathleen Cowan, Martha Foster, Jackie Holt, Jean McWhorter, Elaine Parker, Diana and Linda Purvis, Eugene Walters and Mrs. Kenneth Holt and Mrs. Donald Baird.

MR. AND MRS. H. R. JEFFERIES ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jefferies of Baird are announcing the birth of an 8 pound 4 ounce son, born Friday, April 18, at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. The baby has been named David Robert.

Mrs. Jefferies will be remembered here as the former Rosemary Spencer. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer of Route 2, Cross Plains, are the maternal grandparents.

Mrs. B. R. Hargrove, Jr., visited in Dallas Thursday of last week.

Mrs. F. R. Anderson and Mrs. B. H. Brown were visiting in Brownwood Tuesday morning with Mrs. W. W. Anderson on her 91st birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield recently visited in Fort Worth with his father, R. Burchfield, and also his sisters, Mrs. W. A. Welty and Mrs. Harold Bowlin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor and children of Abilene were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger visited relatives in Abilene Sunday.

Lee Bishop was a business visitor in Abilene Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Page and baby of San Angelo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Jowers and Mickey.

Junior Grider of Coleman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Grider, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Harris of Big Spring are visiting a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Ab Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Coppinger of Abilene and Mrs. T. A. Coppinger and Mrs. Smith of Baird visited relatives in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Pluto Grider visited in Coleman a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Thompson and children of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Harris, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Exal McMillan visited in Coleman Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Curry and children of Abilene were visiting with relatives here and at Pioneer over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hutchins and children returned to Odessa Monday after a week's visit with relatives in Cross Plains and Cross Cut.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan and family were in San Antonio over the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Buck Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barton of Levelland and Fred J. Tunnell of Dallas spent the week end with Fred V. Tunnell.

Ray Foster of Slaton is visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Strickland visited in Abilene Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hillgrags and son, Scott, of Truth or Consequences, N. M. visited here Friday night of last week with her aunt, Mrs. Jeff Clark.

Mrs. Paul Huntington and daughters of Floydada visited here the first of the week with Mrs. Susie Fore and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore.

Mrs. Roy Flournoy to Present Pupils in Piano Recital Friday Evening

Mrs. Roy Flournoy will present pupils in a piano recital Friday, April 25, in the high school auditorium at 7:30.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend, according to Mrs. Flournoy.

Skits to be presented during the intermissions will be by members of the High School Speech Class, under the direction of Mrs. E. L. Morgan.

Following is the complete recital program in three parts:

I. "Waltz," Wright, Sharla Payne; "Cadets on Review," Elaine, Ricky, Linton; "Rippling Water," Anthony, Gwin, Holbrook; "Skating," Eckstein, and "Red River Valley," Cowboy Song, Freddy McNeil; "Rustic Dance," Howell, Linda Whitton; "Woodland Waltz," Gwynn and "Little Humming Bird," Gest, Marcia Petty.

Skit "The Model Husband," J. L. Cearley, Cheri Gay Morgan and Jerry Koenig.

II. "Swinging Along," Behr, and "From a Wigwag," Thompson, Donald Wilson; "Curious Story," Heller, Mickey Freeman; "Fairies Harp," Thompson, and "Taps," Von Haupt, Jimmy Dennis; "Minuet," Bach, and "Pocahontas Serenade," Eckstein, Sandra Barr; "Waltz," Behr, Eugene Walters; "Colored Window," Frost, and "Soldiers on Parade," Eckstein, Mike Pruett. Skit "Army Blackouts," Grady Scott, J. L. Cearley, Tommy Porter and Bevelyn Foster.

III. "Waltz," Brahms, Becky Baird; "Lily Pad," Locke, Karen Calhoun; "Moonlight Sonata," Beethoven, Linda Walters; "Under the Double Eagle," Wagner, Connie Breeding; "Minuet in G," Beethoven, Julia Morgan; "Country Gardens," (Traditional), Linda Whitton, and Mickey Freeman.

Class Social Is Held in Coppinger Home Tuesday

Members of the Althean Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Harry Coppinger Tuesday evening for a social and business meeting.

Mrs. Henry McCoy called the meeting to order, Mrs. Lee Bishop offered prayer and Mrs. J. M. Greenwood led the group in singing the class song, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." Mrs. Mina Conlee brought the devotional, found in Isaiah, 41st chapter.

Following a short business session, a social hour was enjoyed and gifts exchanged.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, pickles, olives, potato chips, cake and fruit punch was served by Mrs. Coppinger and co-hostess, Mrs. L. L. Howser, to the following members: Mmes. Jeff Clark, J. M. Greenwood, W. A. Strickland, Sam Hill, Kate Powell, Henry McCoy, Merritt Dill, Mina Conlee, Lee Bishop, Earl Pyle, A. A. Beekman and Silas Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Dillard of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowers of Rising Star attended the Ice Capades in Fort Worth Saturday night.

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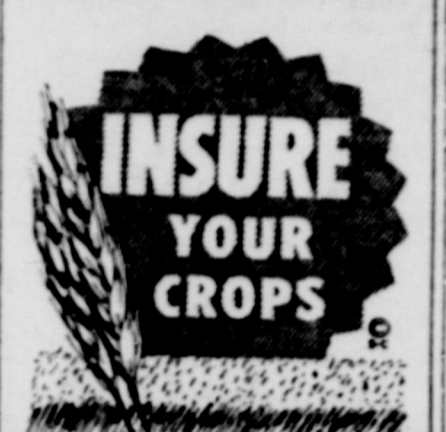
Mrs. Bill Kelley, who before her recent marriage, was the former Miss Billie Weaver, was honored with a wedding shower Friday evening of last week in the home of Mrs. V. L. Spivey at Cottonwood.

Serving as co-hostesses were Mrs. Raymond Terry, Mrs. Robert Kelley, Mrs. Melvin Bowman and Mrs. Spivey.

Mrs. Kelley received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Refreshments were served to 25 guests attending.

Mrs. E. E. Thate of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell and children of Waco were visiting in the Doyle Burchfield home Saturday.



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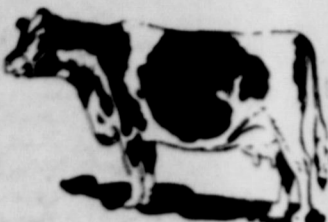
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By VERN SANFORD

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Well, if you've tried everything else, here is a suggestion that may be worth something. It has paid off. Whether it does for you may depend on luck as well as ability.

Some call it jigging. Actually it is just plain horsin'. You might call it bottom fishing with a heavy rig. But it does, occasionally, pay off with a big bass.

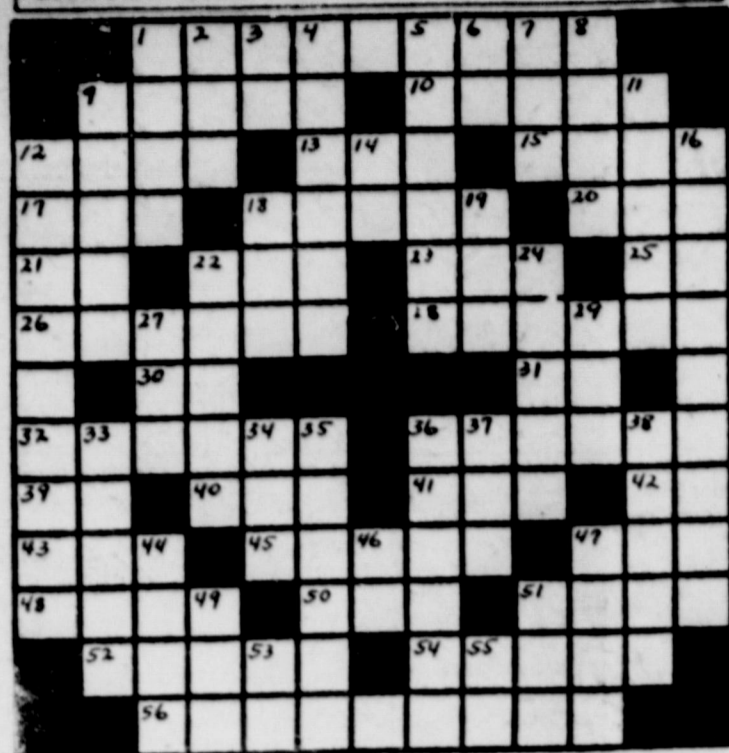
Naturally you must have good

bass water. Always in bassy water there is an area that looks good, but is unworkable with light lines. You can do it, however, with a heavy rig.

The best spot is at the base of big tree trunks that stick out of water, or where there is considerable brush under the water. Rig up your light salt water tackle, or use a good stiff action rod with a heavy reel loaded with from 20 to 30 pound test line.

The bait doesn't make too much difference, if it is something that will attract the bass. Right now some of the fishermen are using those black plastic worms or black

CROSSWORD • • • By A. C. Gordon



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| ACROSS | 42 - Indefinite article | 16 - Being |
| 1 - Storyteller | 43 - Vex | 18 - American |
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| 13 - Numerical | 50 - Head dolly | 27 - Bone |
| 15 - Ireland | 51 - Vast | 29 - Stick |
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| 20 - ... appeal | 56 - Dilatoriness | 35 - Spouted |
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| 22 - Mrs. Hog | 1 - Remainder | 37 - Fish eggs |
| 23 - Gondol... | 2 - Skill | 38 - Capacious |
| 25 - Nickel (chem.) | 3 - Roman numeral | 44 - To tie |
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| 28 - Scottish landed proprietors | 5 - Throat tissue | 47 - Diving birds |
| 30 - Zeus' beloved | 6 - Half an em | 49 - Age |
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eels. They have a good heavy sinker on the terminal that will take the bait to the bottom. After it has had a chance to settle down, work it only slightly and not too often. Just an occasional movement up and down. The chances are a big bass already has spotted it. He's not likely to be in a hurry to attack. You may spend a half-hour there, but don't take the lure out. Finally the old bruiser can't stand it any longer and he rushes it.

Set your hook and start up, all with the same motion. Don't give him a chance to wrap the line around a limb or crawl under a fence. More depends upon your retrieve than most anything else. That's the reason you need a good heavy line, one with which you can hoist him out.

When you are fishing for the big ones it is man against fish. If you land the fish you are the best. After you get him on the stringer find a new location and start all over again.

Will it work? Try it yourself. There is another way you can use the same rig, except for the lure. This time use a deep running, large plug. You might even want a trailing jig. Troll it fast through good bass water, and deep. That's why you'll need the heavy equipment, so you can pull it deep.

This is being done every day on Texoma with wonderful results. You may not do it the first time, but the idea is worth a little practice.

Again, will it work? Again, try it.

HAWAIIAN LURES—Twenty-five years ago a fisherman in Ohio by the name of Fred Arbogast was testing out lures to see what effect they would have on catching fish. There was something about a Hawaiian skirt that intrigued him, so he made a skirt from an original lure and called it the Hawaiian Wiggler.

It didn't take long for this lure to catch on. Every man wanted one in his tackle box because it was a bass killer. Since that time Fred has gone to his reward, but his Hawaiian Wiggler lives on. More than 14 million of them have been sold.

This year a number of silver Wigglers have been made up for presentation to a few long-time users. I am proud to have one.

GAR FISHING—It won't be too long before gar fishing will be coming along again. Over near Madisonville they are catching some of these big tackle busters already. Recently two were taken in Blue Lake on the east side of the Trinity, about 25 miles northeast of Madisonville.

One of them weighed 118 pounds and the other 74, with more than a score of smaller ones.

The gars were taken in gill nets. However, they can be taken on rod and reel and there is plenty of fight in doing it.

ICE FISHING—We don't have ice fishing in this part of the country, but occasionally we do have some real chilly weather. Fishermen on Lake Texoma have found a way to help overcome some of the chill. They are using charcoal heaters in their boats.

Others use gasoline stoves for the same results.

While we believe in comfort, we hesitate to recommend a stove for a small boat. It's taking a lot of chance, especially in a boat where there is a gasoline tank or extra can of fuel.

Rocking of the boat, a gust of wind or even excitement while boating a fish could cause a terrible tragedy. If you've never seen a boat on fire in the middle of the lake, with its passengers struggling in the water, we can tell you it's not a pleasant sight.

Speaking of cold weather. Early morning fishing is chilly even in late Spring. If you want the big economy size of warmth—take along a Jon-e, jumbo-size warmer. It's a new self-starting, lighter-fluid type of hand warmer, only it's giant size.

Aladdin Laboratories of Minneapolis has just produced this big one, patterned after their famous lighter-size hand warmer. It has an easy starting, no flame heater, and also serves as a handy cigarette lighter. I'm told they also have a belt that you wear close to the body for real cold days. Resembles an old-time money belt and has two pockets in the back for inserting the warmers.

NATURAL—“Lifelike and true-to-nature” is how Burke's Flexo-Products Co. refers to their new Flexo-Lures. Plastic lures seem to be growing in popularity, and this Traverse City (Mich.) manufacturer is making artificial bait that is as realistic as can be.

They now produce everything from artificial red ants, to floating frogs and the most “natural” eels. Especially “tempting” is their Flex-Minnow for spinning, trolling or casting. Sure hard to tell 'em from the real McCoy.

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Visiting here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baum were Mrs. Baum's brother, E. E. Gilbert of Austin, and the couple's grandsons, S. G. Baum of Austin, Johnny Gilbert of Stephenville and Walton Baum Jr. of Midland.

Susie Morgan of Sherman the week end with her mother, Clarence Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Strickland were Cross Plains Monday.



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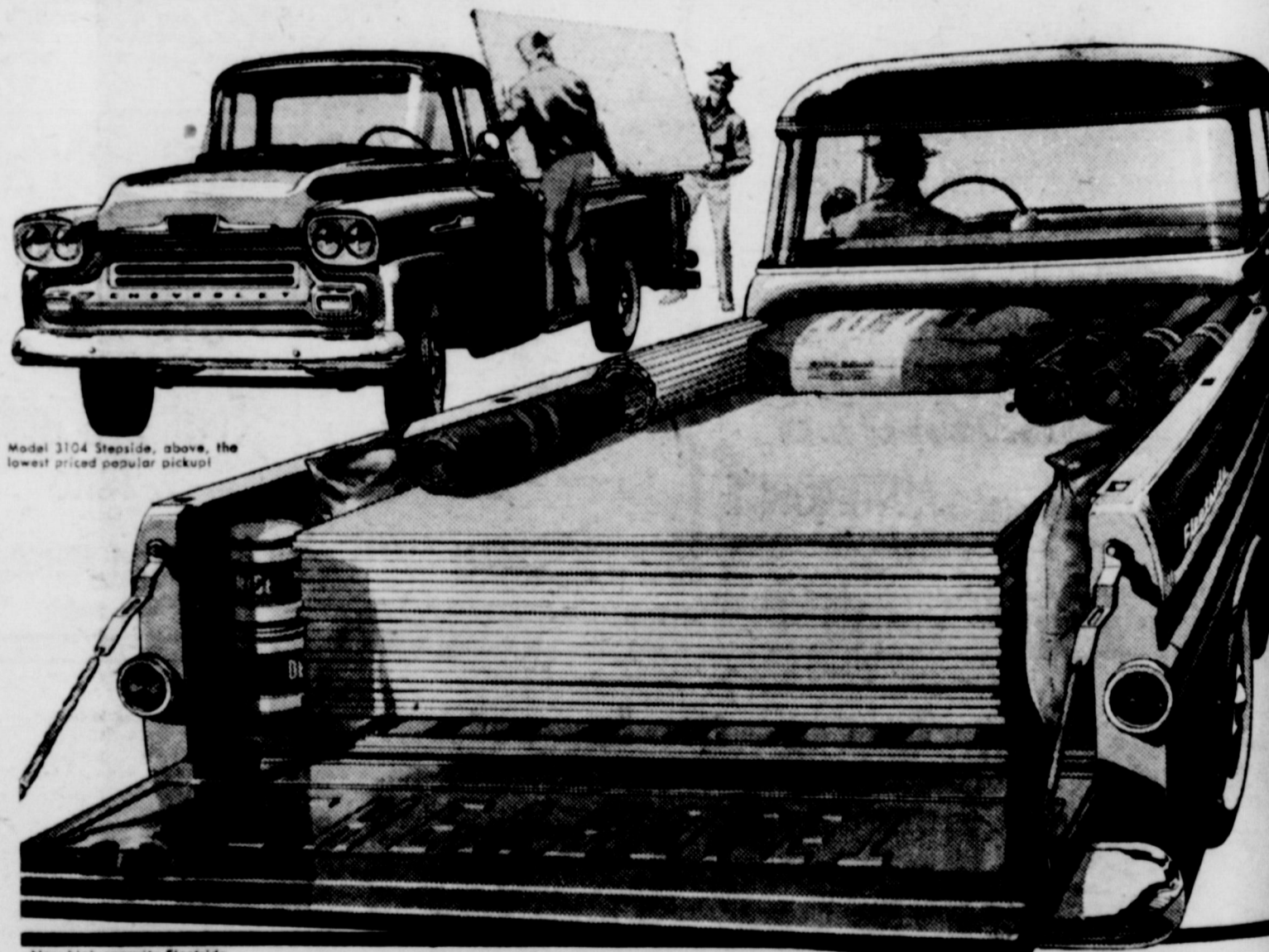
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State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford

Unemployment or no unemployment, most people this side of the Rio Grande aren't willing to bend their backs to pull onions at 50 cents an hour.

So say Texas farmers. Their crops are going to rot in the fields, they add, if the U. S. Labor Department doesn't relax restrictions on importing Mexican nationals.

Spokesmen for organized labor have demanded a ban on importing labor because of climbing unemployment. But farmers say that idle aircraft mechanics, no matter how numerous, are no help in getting the crops in. According to the farmers, abundant rainfall gives promise of the best harvests in years—if they can field hands.

Labor Department has put a limit of 26,500 braceros to be used in Texas during April and May. It's about one-fifth the number used this time last year. Rio Grande Valley growers say they could use the whole bunch in their area.

Texas Employment Commission says there are already about 26,500 here; hence, no more imports. Under Labor Department regula-

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University of Texas Commission voted to restudy after hearing UT students' protests.

COME TO THE FAIR—Texas Fine Arts Association is inviting all Texans with any sort of artistic bent to bring their handiwork to the Fiesta of Arts and Crafts May 9-11 in Austin.

Artists and craftsmen from over the Southwest will be showing and selling their works from booths scattered over the grounds of Laguna Gloria, TFAA's picturesque headquarters overlooking Lake Austin.

TFAA spokesmen said they particularly wanted to encourage exhibits from small town groups, such as hooked rug clubs and church needlework groups. Booths may be rented for nominal fees. Applications should be made at once by writing Mrs. Willie Burk, P. O. Box 5623, Austin.

Designed to create the atmosphere of an Old World fair, the fiesta will have strolling musicians, singing gondoliers, boat rides, a Mexican Market, Siamese gardens, puppet show, fish pond, and, of course, a serious art exhibit.

JUDGE GREENHILL FILES—Judge Joe Greenhill of Travis County, who was named to the Supreme Court last fall by Gov. Price Daniel, to succeed the late Judge Few Brewster, has filed for election to the office. Judge Greenhill, who has had 20 years of trial and appellate Court experience, says he will campaign actively in every county in the state between now and the July 26 primary.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baum have returned to their home here after spending some time at Lewisville, where they visited in the home of their son, Walton Baum, while Mrs. Baum was recuperating from a recent illness.

JACK FOGARTY
Coordinator

INTERNATIONALLY KNOWN TEAM OF EVANGELISTS TO SPEAK IN SAN ANGELO

The Fogarty Brothers, well known evangelists of the Churches of Christ, will be the featured speakers at a 22-day "Big Tent Revival" meeting to be held in San Angelo starting Saturday, June 7.

The group is headed by Jack Fogarty, a former Army Chaplain, who has addressed audiences all over America and in seven foreign countries.

The featured speaker for the San Angelo program will be Dan Fogarty, a younger brother, who is considered to be one of the most dynamic speakers of the Churches of Christ.

Rounding out the team is young Bob Fogarty, son of Jack Fogarty, who will conduct a special youth forum to be held in conjunction with the San Angelo series.

A San Angelo spokesman said that audiences of 5,000 nightly are expected to fill a big tent located on Highway 87 (South) near Goodfellow Air Force Base. Directional signs, placed about the City of San Angelo, will lead visitors to the site.

The general public is invited to attend the lectures which get underway every night at 8:00 p.m. In addition to the mass meeting held in the evenings, special classes will be held throughout the 22-day period beginning at 9:30 in the morning.

Visitors are expected from 13 states.

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Mrs. Joe Baum.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton Sunday were Mrs. Clorette Easterline of Arkansas, Mrs. Josephine Fulton of McLean and Mrs. Lillie Fulton and son of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bayley of Goldthwaite, Dr. and Mrs. Ben H. Bradley of Rising Star and their son, Eddy Bradley, a student at Webb School, Bell Buckle, Tenn., visited in the Jack McCarty home Friday evening and attended the Spring Band and Choral Concert.

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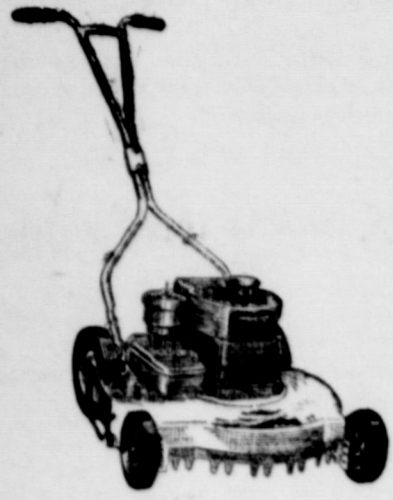
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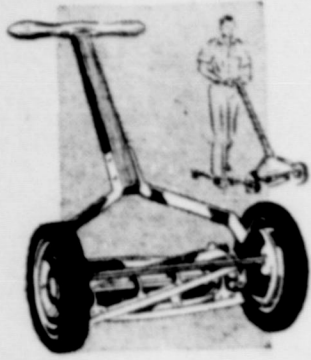
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Sabanno News

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Rev. Bobby Reed of Abilene preached at the Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur of Albany visited in the home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Lusk and children of Abilene visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb visited with their children at Abilene Sunday. Little Allen Pressley returned home with them for a visit.

Rev. Cleveland will preach at the Union Sunday School Sunday morning. Everyone has a welcome to come and worship together.

Mrs. Wordis Erwin and Peggy were shopping in Brownwood Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. C. B. Switzer and Mrs. Buck Bates were visiting in Abilene Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King were in Temple last Thursday, where Mr. King had a physical check-up. She came back with a good report.

Mrs. Howard Hicks visited with Mrs. Edwin Erwin Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pratter and children of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King.

Mr. Lee Cumba accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King to Temple Thursday of last week and visited with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gage and children.

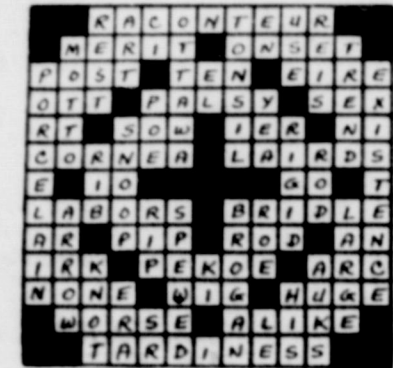
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Durham Sunday evening.

Moody Laminack accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Durham to Eastland Sunday afternoon, where they attended church services.

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Webb and children of Cisco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Durham were in Dublin last week attending to business. Their plans are to move to Dublin in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McCowen visited in Abilene Sunday afternoon.



PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Rixford of Comanche were visiting here for a short while Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Rixford's cousin, Bill Kilgore, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Tyler of Rising Star was Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin at Pioneer.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin at Pioneer were his sister, Mrs. Paul Bearden, and a friend, Mrs. Ray of Decatur.

Mack McCarty of Fort Stockton, brother-in-law of Mrs. Sam Eakin of Pioneer, was a visitor in the Eakin home several days the past week.

Mrs. Ida Miller of Bangs visited here several days last week in the home of Mrs. Vellie McDonough and Mrs. Carlos McDermott.

Mrs. L. F. Hounshell spent the week end in Baird with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hounshell.

Mr. and Jake Huntington of Pampa brought her mother, Mrs. Susie Fore, home Friday after an extended visit in their home, and are visiting with Mrs. Fore and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bowden and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson attended the Ice Capades in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mrs. O. W. McDonald and her daughter and son of Stamford spent Saturday with Mrs. W. M. Gilliam and Mrs. Lucille Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seitzle attended services at the Polytechnic Methodist Church in Fort Worth Sunday morning and visited for a short while with Rev. and Mrs. Roy Zuefeldt and daughter, Ellen. They attended the Ice Capades Sunday afternoon before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker are in Fort Worth with their daughter, Mrs. Anderson Nelson, while she is recuperating from surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Richardson were here from Tahoka over the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Osa Gattis and Mr. and Mrs. George Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Mercer of Kilgore, Mrs. Grady Mercer and girls of Athens and Mrs. G. T. Brashear of Cisco visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brashear Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Walker and children of Westbrook visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Swinney of Lubbock spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson visited at Stephenville Thursday of last week with their son, Max Watson, a student at Tarleton State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Tervooren of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Vellie McDonough Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Bishop and Mrs. Donald Baird were in Abilene Tuesday morning attending a committee meeting making plans for Sunbeam and GA camps at Leuders this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCuin and Jay were in Winters Friday of last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. McCuin's uncle, W. W. Nance.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Foster and son, Mack, of Toyahvale were week end visitors here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos McDermott and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foster.

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