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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1961

FIFTY-THIRD YEAR

PRICE SEVEN CENTS

## Lawmen Grab Boy Fugitive Thursday

Raymond Pierce, 16, of Brownwood, an escapee from a state school of correction for boys at Gatesville, was nabbed in Cross Plains Thursday afternoon. He had hitchhiked here from Brownwood Lake.

Officers said the other boy was not held.

The youth, a Brownwood burglary suspect, Sept. 20 escaped Brownwood peace officers in the downtown area when he was being transferred to Brown County Jail. He was recaptured that same day in Cross Plains also.



**NEW PASTOR**—The Rev. Joe McAfee moved his family to the First Methodist Church parsonage in Cross Plains Tuesday, coming here from Waco, succeeding Rev. John Harper, who was transferred to Ferris, as pastor there. The Rev. Mr. McAfee will preach his first sermon to the new congregation Sunday morning at the regular hour.

## Local Student Rates Among Top Two Percent In Nation



Carol Lynn White

Miss Carol Lynn White, Cross Plains High School senior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Jack White, has been announced as one of the nation's top senior students as a result of a National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test taken last year. She was in the highest two per cent of 576,000 students graded from 15,000 American high schools.

In recognition of the achievement Miss White was presented a letter of commendation by High School Principal Billy Mac Coppinger Tuesday.

The testing program covered: English usage, mathematics, social study, reading, natural sciences and word usage.

Another similar testing program will be carried out this year among members of the present junior class.

## Dan Johnston Buys Plane For Business

Dan Johnston, Cross Plains businessman, has purchased a 175 Cessna airplane. The ship seats four people.

Johnston, one of the state's larger dealers in trucks and transport tractors, will use the plane in contacting prospective buyers in distant cities and in expediting deliveries of equipment from northern factories.

## Mills Of Justice Grind Rapidly In 42nd District Court Monday

Business moved fast in 42nd District Court at Baird Monday.

Grand Jurors called back into session found 24 true bills.

Two defendants who pleaded guilty were tried by District Judge J. R. Black and sentenced.

S. D. Roberts, 47, of Abilene, was sentenced to five years on a theft charge. The sentence was recommended by District Attorney Bill Thomas after Roberts told the court he wanted to plead guilty to stealing a boat motor from Kenneth McPherson.

Leslie Merle Thomas, 34, of Dallas, was sentenced to 52 days in county jail after pleading guilty on a second offense drunk driving charge.

Grand jurors took action on every case presented for consideration. No cases were passed and none no-billed.

Six indictments were returned against three Clyde youths charged with burglary in connection with break-ins at the BBB Drug and Callahan County

Cooperative, Inc., at Clyde True billed on two counts each were Clarence Jay Haynes, 17, Mike David McKelvey, 18, and Larry Bob Bynum, all of Clyde.

Nine indictments were returned against three persons arrested recently in connection with a series of livestock thefts which led investigating officers through six West Central Texas counties.

Carroll Wayne Williams, 40, of Rt. 1, Cross Plains, was named in four bills charging him with goat and cattle thefts. His wife, Laura Levadell, was indicted on two bills charging goat thefts.

Mrs. Williams is specifically charged with theft of 21 and 12 head of goats from George Crain and Edwin Baum respectively, in separate offenses.

Charged with the husband and wife in separate counts is Francis Glenn Moody, 43, of Rt. 1, San Angelo. Moody was indicted on three counts. He is the ex-husband of Mrs. Williams.

Other indictments were returned against:

C. W. McPeak, also known as Claborn Weldon McPeak, no address given, habitual check swindling; and Forrest Earl Shirley, 39, of Abilene; Glenn Lee Hill, 56, of Odessa; Arthur King, 72, of Midland and Jim Davis, 49, of Fort Worth, all second offense driving while intoxicated.

True billed on two counts in a case not docketed for hearing was Clemy M. Henson, no address given. Henson is charged with burglary and theft of a saddle from M. M. Edwards.

The defendant was formerly employed by Edwards and is alleged to have committed the entry and theft Nov. 20, 1956, after leaving the employment.

## POSTAL RECEIPTS ON AN EVEN KEEL HERE

Postal receipts at the Cross Plains office are currently running about level with last year.

Gross receipts for the three month period just ended totaled \$4,177.82 as compared with \$4,379.40 for the same interval in 1960, a drop of \$201.58.

Total receipts at the Cross Plains office are expected to be about \$17,500 this year. The figure was \$17,443 in 1960.

## United Fund Total Now \$3,326; More To Come

The Cross Plains area is believed to have been the first in this section of Texas to exceed its goal for the United Fund, a combination agency to handle all local charities for the year ahead.

Edwin Baum, executive chairman of an area-wide canvass made last Tuesday, reported yesterday that \$3,326.36 has been pledged. Of this amount \$3,175.86 is already banked to the United Fund account.

"There will be other pledges and other payments, coming from all parts of the Cross Plains area," Baum said, "I have never seen a more cooperative response than has been experienced in this undertaking."

It is pointed out that support from rural areas made success of the drive possible. The Atwell area turned in \$153, Rowden \$115, Pioneer \$77.55, Cottonwood \$77.50 and Sabanno

\$49.25. Other localities, such as Cross Cut and Dressy, participated through Cross Plains solicitation groups, it was pointed out.

Organizations in town but whose memberships comprise of citizens all over the area, donated \$155.

Contributions from Cross Plains school faculty members and employees totaled \$400.40. The canvass on the local campus was made by Superintendent Paul Whitton.

"I feel that everyone has done a commendable job and that many worthwhile agencies will benefit by this generosity and labor," said Rev. Harold G. Wise, president of the local UF set-up.

Ladies who participated in last week's area wide canvass were: Mmes. Forrest R. Walker, Morris Odum, J. R. Lovess, Howard McGowen, R. Elliott Bryant, Mike Cunningham, Russell Calhoun, John Pruet, Jack W. Tunnell, Darwin Anderson, O. B. Edmondson, Jack McCarty, Bob Latson, Cranz Nichols, Jr., Herbert Freeman, Zed Bright, J. D. Dallas, Lloyd Bryan, Hadden Payne, Rufus Renfro, H. N. Wilson, Weldon Gary, John Adair, Homer Moon, Johnny Adair, Paul Lutzenberger, Chester Glover, C. R. Cook, J. L. Bonner, Edwin Baum, J. C. Claborn, Pete Fore, Ethel Brown, Delma Dean, Tom Flip-pin, Dora Tate, Joe Fleming, Norman Coffey, V. I. Spivey, Claude Joy, G. O. Lewis, Bill Pope, R. N. Tatom, Jack Scott and J. P. Smith.

Persons who were not contacted by a solicitation group are being asked by Baum to leave their donations at the Citizens State Bank for deposit to the United Fund account.

## 12 Negroes Walk Away From Overturned Truck

Twelve Negroes walked away from an overturned truck in which they were riding here Monday afternoon, none seriously hurt.

The accident happened at 3:45 p.m., at the western city limits on State Highway 36.

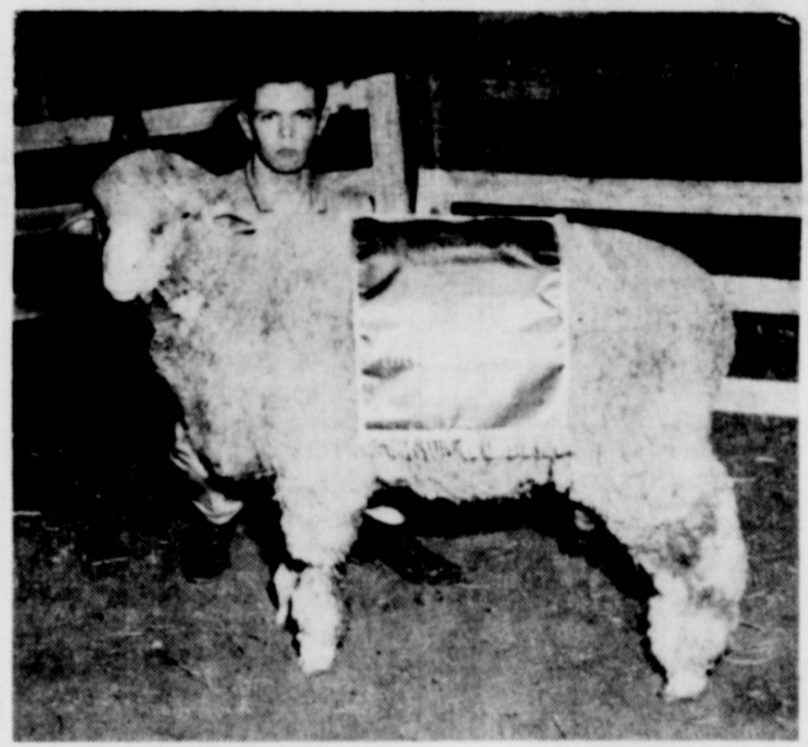
Early Mitchell of Brenham, 21, driver of the truck, said that the mishap occurred when he lost control of steering. Three persons were riding in the cab of the truck and nine in the rear. The vehicle turned over on its top and scooted along the pavement until it hit a guard rail and flipped back on its side.

The nine riding in the rear of the truck were covered only by a tarpaulin. Witnesses described it as miraculous that none was seriously hurt.

The Negroes were enroute to their homes in Brenham and Somerville after having picked cotton several weeks in West Texas.

Highway Patrolman Jerry Matthews, who investigated the accident, said six received minor scratches and bruises, and were attended by a local physician. Their names and ages were given as: Ceola Burns, 58; Daisy Phillips, 39; Ruby Jewel Phillips, 6; Lucille Davis, 38; Onie Hogue, 19, and Romeo Mentez, 17. Other occupants of the truck, all of whom were uninjured, were: Matthew Scarlett, Eliza Simpson, Arthur Young, Johnny Phillips and Jessie Hodges.

The Negroes spent Monday night in the American Legion building here and journeyed on Tuesday.



STATE CHAMPION — Walter Pope, Cross Plains High School FFA boy, is pictured here with his grand champion ram lamb of the Texas State Fair. The photo was made in Dallas immediately after presentation of the blue ribbon award. The youth, a junior in CPHS, is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope.

## Plans Nearing Completion For Flower Show Nov. 4th

Cross Plains Garden Club's second annual Flower Show will be held in the school cafeteria here Nov. 4, from 2 until 6:30 p.m.

Winners are to be selected in two divisions. There will be 10 classes in the first division and

nine in the second. Plans were nearing completion for the exhibition yesterday, said Mrs. A. J. McCuin, flower show chairman.

"We're anticipating a larger and more colorful show than our first effort last year," she said.

## Extension Granted For Rural Route 2

A five and one-half mile extension has been approved for Cross Plains Rural Mail Route 2, to serve a number of homes just east of town.

The extension calls for Route 2 carrier to leave Highway 279 at its intersection with Highway 36 at the traffic light, travel east over Highway 36 to the Atwood corner, a distance of two and one-half miles, thence north over county road to gravel pit or intersection of FM Road 374, a distance of two and four-tenths miles.

"Patrons wishing to avail themselves of this service will please file form 4232 with the local post office," said Postmaster F. R. Anderson.

## RAY JONES BUYS 280 ACRE CROSS CUT FARM

Ray Jones of McCamey has purchased the 280 acre farm at Cross Cut, formerly owned by the late Lelia Pope. The land is just south of the Cross Cut cemetery and joins the 160 acre tract known as the John Conlee farm, which Mr. Jones has owned for a number of years.

## Claud C. Joy Enters Commissioner Race

Claud Joy, well-known local farmer, this week announces his candidacy for County Commissioner of Precinct 4, subject to action of primary election in May.

Mr. Joy's opening statement to voters appears hereunder.

"I am announcing my candidacy for Commissioner, Precinct 4. I was reared at Cottonwood where I am, at present, operating a dairy farm, and have lived here most of my life. If elected I expect to devote full time to the duties of my office.

"I have had fifteen years experience in construction and maintenance of roads and handling heavy machinery. Like most of my neighbors, I would like to see better roads in this area. I would like to take the borrow ditches out of the middle of the roads, and eliminate blind corners. I would like to promote more Farm to Market roads in this precinct and to see that every farmer has a road from his farm to a public road.

"I believe that the people of this precinct want and deserve competent representation in the County Court House. I sincerely believe that I have the technical qualifications and the personal integrity to do this job. I will appreciate your consideration and support."

Claud C. Joy

## JACK WATKINS BUYS 172 ACRES OF LAND

Jack Watkins has bought 172 and one-half acres of land, formerly owned by members of the Calk family. The property is east of Cross Cut, near the Watkins home.

## \$150,000 Peanut Crop Moving Here

The peanut harvest is now in full swing throughout the Cross Plains area. Quality is reported good and yields above average.

First nine crops to be marketed in Cross Plains were sold by: August Garlitz, Ed Petty, John Howard Balkum, G. T. Dawkins, Sam Balkum, C. H. Lovelady, Bill Ingram and W. A. Gill.

Highest quality nuts marketed up to Tuesday at noon were sold by J. H. Balkum. They brought \$222.19 per ton, reported B. D. Montgomery, local buyer.

Throughout the Cross Plains area peanuts are reported averaging slightly over 20 bushels to the acre, as compared with the national average of 18 bushels to the acre.

It is estimated that about 700

tons will be marketed in Cross Plains from the current crop, bringing around \$150,000. Most hay is expected to be retained by producers, however, its value would appreciably raise the over-all value of this year's peanut crop, Montgomery said.

Quality of the current crop's hay is likewise said to be high. First hay sales were reported here this week. One load went at \$24 per ton and another at \$25.

Although harvests are well underway, the peak marketing period will not be reached for possibly another week. If weather remains fair the entire harvest may be completed in six more weeks, opine well-informed sources.

## District Clerk's Office May Be Merged Into County Clerk Job

Statutes enacted by a recent Texas Legislature threaten to do away with the office of District Clerk in Callahan County.

Texas law states that when population of a county falls below 8,000 the office of District Clerk will be consolidated with that of County Clerk. Last decennial census in Callahan County, made in 1960, showed Callahan County's population to be 7,929.

County Attorney James Paul Shanks conferred with District Judge J. R. (Bob) Black Monday in regard to how the law pertains to this county. A letter was drafted

to Attorney General Will Wilson in Austin for an official ruling. An answer is expected within the next few days.

Present District Clerk in Callahan County is Mrs. Corrie Driskill. Her current tenure expires Jan. 1, 1963, and it is presumed the merger would not become operative until that time.

Officers up for election in Callahan County in voting to take place next May are: County Judge, County Superintendent, County Clerk, County Treasurer, County Commissioners from precincts two and four, and all Justices of the Peace.

## BORN TO MR. J. T. CROSS

Mrs. J. T. Cross of Cross Plains, Calif., are the parents of an eight pound baby boy born Oct. 20. The father is W. J. (Bill) Cross of Cross Plains.



# Cross Cut

By Mrs. Les Byrd

Jack Arledge killed another rattlesnake here in Cross Cut Saturday. They are getting too numerous for comfort.

Mrs. Newton Anderson of Dallas came the first of last week to Rising Star to attend funeral services for her aunt, Mrs. Jim Anderson. She spent the rest of the week visiting relatives the Jack Watkins family and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dillard and children have moved to Cross Plains from the Baptist parsonage here. We are sorry to lose them.

Mrs. O. B. Byrd and O. B. Byrd, Jr., spent the week end in Petersburg with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howe. O. B., Sr., joined them there from his work on the Texas Plains, and they all attended a football game in Lubbock.

Mrs. Proctor and Miss Willie Jones spent a few days in Rising Star last week with their niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Large. Visiting them now is Mrs. Proctor's son, Jack, from Luling. He is also visiting his sister, Mrs. Leroy Byrd and family. Jack is still on crutches from his surgery, but is much improved.

Mrs. Martha Chambers of Brownwood spent last Friday afternoon with her niece, Mrs. Les Byrd, while her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Morgan, attended to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones of Mc-Camey have purchased the old J. W. Newton home place. O. B. has leased the place and will

continue to live there. Jack Watkins purchased the Calk land here and will stock it with cattle.

Mrs. Carl Shults and Mrs. Maggie Seymore of Abilene visited their sister, Mrs. John Clark, one day last week. Also visiting with her were her son, Ciscero, his daughter-in-law and baby of Lawn.

Harve McPeters of Blackwell spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Byrd.

Mrs. Laura Keeser, Waymon and Ann Moore, attended decoration services at Hog Creek Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton of Cross Cut and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brum of Brownwood attended the football game in Vernon between Vernon and Brownwood Friday night. They went from there to Martha, Okla., and spent the week end with Mrs. Newton's mother, Mrs. Nettie Watts, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton had all their children home some time during the week end. They are: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newton and children of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Newton and children of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Haun and children of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lane and daughter of Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newton of College Station.

Kathy Gregg of Cross Plains spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Kellar, Danny and Lanny, of here, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Harris and grandsons, Stacy and David, of Rising Star went to Arlington to see "Six Flags Over Texas" Sunday.

Martin Jones has gone to May where he plans to spend the winter in a rest home.

## Coordination Needed Between Governmental Agencies

(AN EDITORIAL)

It some times seems that there is little, or no coordination between governmental agencies.

Uncle Sam spends billions on the Soil Conservation Service each year to rebuild worn-out soil and conserve fertility for future generations. That this is a sensible idea, all will agree.

Why is it, though, that while so much effort is going into soil conserving, the government permits salt water from oil and gas wells to poison millions of other acres? Anybody knows that a good dose of salting will do more damage than soil conservationists can correct in a thousand years.

Other federal agencies are busy raising fish to repropagate streams, lakes and ponds to provide food and recreation for American sportsmen. While this work goes on, fish are being killed by the millions through pollution. Salt water alone is not responsible for stream pollution. Plants and city sewer disposal units have been guilty in many localities.

There should be coordination. It is ridiculous for one government agency to spend tax funds for a given purpose, and then see all benefits canceled by damages incurred for the lack of protection of public interest by another department. It's almost as silly as a father sending one son into a field to chop Johnson grass, and then allowing another to sow it.

And speaking of lack of coordination between governmental agencies, here is a flagrant fact, common to all counties in Texas. No liaison is maintained between the Deed Records and Tax Rolls. A piece of property may change hands many times without various tax gathering agencies knowing anything about it unless one of the owners makes a report. As a consequence tax statements are often mailed to former owners of property who do nothing but toss them in the nearest waste-basket. A regulation requiring County Clerks to give all political sub-divisions a "take off" of all real estate transactions at regular intervals would partially correct this. At least the collectors would be officially notified to whom they should look for taxes. Statements would go to proper people and collections doubtlessly helped.

## Sew And So Club To Meet All Day

Members of the Sew and So Club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. M. Bailey.

It was voted to meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. C. L. Smith and complete a quilt at that time. Members are reminded to bring a covered dish for the noon meal. The club is also collecting clean, white rags, to be sent to the Peaceful Valley Crippled Children's Home at Bangs. The rags should be brought to the home of Mrs. Smith Thursday.

Refreshments of open-faced sandwiches, pickles, olives, cake and coffee were served to: Mmes. Wilbur Williams, Craig McNeel, Pat McNeel, Sr., Henry McCoy, Mack Campbell, Claude McAnally, Eddy Wood, L. W. Westerman, H. A. Young, Edwin C. Neeb, Richard Thompson, C. L. Smith, Vellie McDonough, the hostess, and a visitor, Mrs. Pender Mitchell of Albuquerque, N. M.

Next regular meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Jeff Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Foster are visiting friends in the Rio Grande Valley of Texas. They plan to fish several days in the Gulf of Mexico before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newton of College Station spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCuin in Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newton at Cross Cut.

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS NEXT TUESDAY

Regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held next Tuesday at noon in the basement of the First Methodist Church.

I. G. Mobley of Putnam was transacting business here Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fry of Clyde visited relatives here and at Pione week end. He is employed Abilene bank.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Collis Eager and my Hoyler over the week were Mrs. Eager's parents and Mrs. J. N. Bauldwin brother, Eugene, of Cleb

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Silas Havens  
Linda Baum  
David Goble  
Joyce Klutts  
Mrs. Annie Bishop

October 27:

Glen McNutt  
Chris Ray Connelly  
Lanny Kellar  
Walter Pope  
Randal Thornton  
Ed McAnally  
Mrs. E. E. Blankenship  
Earl Allen  
Mrs. Zed Bright

October 28:

Debra Kunkel  
Mrs. Oscar Tyler  
A. F. Harris  
Johnny Harris  
J. W. Crites  
Doyle Oliver

October 29:

Mrs. Don F. McCall  
Mrs. Claudie Beeler  
Barbara Renfro  
Mack Ingram  
Troyce Breeding  
Mrs. Calvin D. Baker  
Mrs. Jim Morgan

October 30:

David McGowen  
Dean Roger  
Jim Whitton  
Judy Lutzenberger  
Clovie Norris  
Carl Smart  
Dr. J. E. Mikeska  
Noel Black

October 31:

Donald Pope  
Ronald Pope  
Roger Watson  
Mrs. Ches Barr  
W. W. King  
Gerald Qualls  
Beryl Lusk  
Mrs. Lottie Teague  
Mrs. E. A. Jennings  
Mrs. Metta Sessions

November 1:

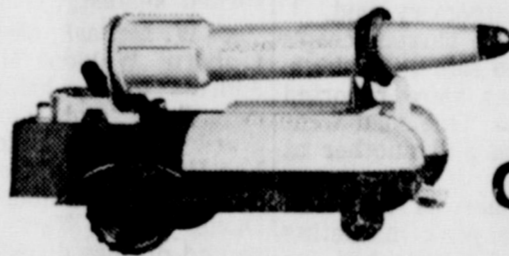
Kay Burkett  
Billy Hargrove  
Mrs. Hugh McDermott  
Nelda Curry  
Jeraldine Parrish  
Flora Thomas  
Mrs. H. A. Young  
Gilder Adams

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Gray and little daughter of San Antonio spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barrington and children of Houston visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop here over the week end.

Guests in the home of Mrs. G. L. Eager and Miss Virgie Eager last week end were: Mrs. Dick Wiginton, Mrs. Hue Wiginton and Randall, Mrs. Ben Hart, Bobby Hooper, Mrs. Lillian Hooper, Mrs. Eunice Starr, Mrs. Leslie Strange and Biff, Mr. and Mrs. Collis Eager and Jimmy Hoyler.

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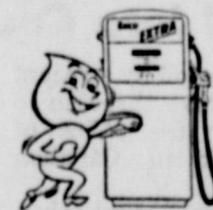
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## 10-A Cellar Dwellers To Clash In Eastland Friday

Cross Plains Buffaloes will clash with the Eastland Mavericks in both teams' District encounter. Buffaloes and the Mavericks are currently sharing the 10-A cellar in conference warfare with two losses. Cross Plains is only one ahead of Friday's hosts, while Eastland has allowed one triumph while Eastland has yet to win. Both elevens lost heavily to their graduation, and in the past have played both squads for this season. Cross Plains and Eastland Schools have two things in common, both have a weak offense and a weak defense. The Buffs hold the edge in the departments. Cross Plains has scored 51 points this season while the Mavericks have managed only 23 touchdowns, 12 points, in seven outings operating mainly from the single wing. Buffaloes have seen 165 yards pushed across their goal line and Eastland has allowed 260. On the 10-A sheet, although both are in the cellar, Cross Plains has tallied

12 points and has allowed 35, Eastland has but one TD, but 89 points have crossed the Mavs' double stripe. Cross Plains scored a mild upset victory over the Mavericks here in 1960, 34-15 in the rain. Schedule calls for a 7:30 p.m. kickoff at Eastland Friday.

### SWEET POTATOES GROW LARGE IN LOCAL SOIL

A volunteer vine at the home of Ed Flowers just east of town has yielded 34 and one-half pounds of sweet potatoes. The vine was unwatered and not particularly well-attended. Largest potato on the vine weighed nine pounds and seven ounces. Another scaled six and one half pounds. "It speaks well for fertility of soil in the Cross Plains area," Flowers said.

Robert Phillips, nephew of Mrs. Osa Gattis of this city, reported for duty with the 49th Armored Division at Fort Polk, La., Wednesday. Robert has been employed in Lubbock while attending Texas Tech College.

## Johnston Team Wins Lead In CPBC Loop

Johnston Truck & Supply spotted George Hutchins Mobil the first game Thursday night, but rallied to defeat the Mobil team 3-1 and grab first place in CPBC competition.

In the other contest, Mayes Lumber Co. blanked D. C. Lee Gulf 4-0 and in the process moved out of the league cellar replacing themselves with the Gulf quintet.

Charles Waggoner led Johnston's squad to victory with a 436 series, an average of 145 pins per game. Raymond Franke paced the losers with a 407 three game total.

Jim Gilmore captured top honors this week as he rolled the high average and high game of the week in Gulf's losing cause. Gilmore totaled 468 pins, averaging 156, with his 188 being high game of the week. Johnny Pancake paced Mayes five with the loop's second high average, 151, in a 454 series. Pancake's 170 game was runner-up to Gilmore.

Two Johnston Truck teammates, Waggoner and Dan Johnston, claim the best two averages in the league, 148 and 143 respectively. Two Gulf team members are next, Gilmore at 141 and Benny Glover at 133. Mobil's Raymond Franke is fifth with a 137.

Team	W	L
Johnston Truck	16	8
Geo. Hutchins Mobil	14	10
Mayes Lumber Co.	10	14
D. C. Lee Gulf	8	16

Next Week's Schedule  
Mayes vs. Mobil  
Johnston vs. Gulf

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Farr of Wichita Falls visited with friends and relatives in Cross Plains and Burkett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Key of Midland spent the week end with friends and relatives in Cross Plains and Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Weathermon of Hobbs, N. M., spent Thursday night with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Montgomery, and also visited Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Montgomery.

## IN DAYS OF YORE

### 45 Years Ago

At last heavy rains have fallen in this area. The City Lake is full and will furnish water for about four months. Cotton has advanced in price this week with one bale selling for 18c and another for 18 1/4. R. M. Renfro has harvested 1,850 bushels of peanuts from 70 acres. The first two loads sold for 96c and he expects to sell the remainder for over a dollar. Emmett Watson of Burkett has purchased a new Ford. Thomas B. Lee and Miss Flora Kirby of Tennessee were married Saturday. Dan Gooch of Pioneer is preparing to make a trip North and West intending to locate in one of the places. Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wood, a son, and to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Westerman, a daughter. Both couples are residents of the Liberty community.

Attending the fair from Cottonwood were Mrs. Pate, Hart and Misses Ina Gattis, Leda Ferguson and May Everett, Messrs. John Hart, Sy Mitchell and others.

40 Years Ago  
Citizens of Cross Plains have started a movement to build a sanitarium. F. M. Gwin has sold his grocery and meat market here to Jeff Clark. Geo. W. Cunningham and E. Oglesby are serving on the petit jury of the Federal Court at Abilene this week. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neeb have returned from a month's visit in the home of their children in West Texas and New Mexico. G. G. Jones, pioneer citizen of this section, now lives with his son, J. M. Jones at Atwell.

35 Years Ago  
General election will be held Tuesday, Nov. 2nd. Bachus & Clapp have sold their garage to Harvey Derrington. Misses Mary Parker, Lexie May Williams and Beatrice Reasoner motored to Brownwood Saturday. Mrs. Eli Neeb and son, Garrett were Dallas Fair visitors last week. Orian Williams of John Tarleton College spent Sunday here with his parents. Miss Leta Neeb spent the week end in Abilene. To appear on the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church Sunday night will be Mayolo Garrett, Sam Barr, Jim Barr, Elbert Walker, Erwin Rawlins, Charles F. Hemphill, Collis Eager, Bud Derrington, Ara Eager, Mrs. Young, Luther Leach, Lester Barr, Mrs. Starr, Emmarie Hemphill, Seaborn Collins, Walker McLain, Olney Walker and Merlin Garrett.

25 Years Ago  
Miss Fanora Neeb has attained a high scholastic average at Howard Payne College and has been chosen into the Lincoln Scholarship Society. Cross Plains received a taste of Winter Thursday morning when the mercury scaled downward to 39 degrees. 100 relatives and friends gathered at the J. A. Woody home Sunday to celebrate the birthdays of the popular couple. Miss Louise Burkett of Burkett won the diamond ring in a popular girl contest sponsored by a recent medicine show. Miss Clara Westerman entertained Misses Frances and Adell Pierce Tuesday afternoon of last week with a birthday party. Mr. and Mrs. Pender Mitchell and baby left last week for California to make their home. Roy Lee Little, Wilburn Barr, Vincent Leewright, Clyde Kelley and Leland Straley were Centennial visitors in Dallas and Fort Worth Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. F. A. Lane and Mrs. Lois Davidson and son visited in San Saba over the week end.

15 Years Ago  
Miss Betty Connel of Clyde became the bride of Merlin Franke last Saturday. 26 Cross Plains FFA boys attended the State Fair in Dallas last week end. Sgt. William Gibson is home after serving 14 months in the Philippines. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harris of Burkett are parents of a baby son. Petty Officers Harold and Gerald Moon are on terminal leave from the Navy. Pioneer college students home over the week end were Paul Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Huntington Mr. and Mrs. Ray Plumlee, Sam Marshall and Ann Frances Alexander.

1 Year Ago  
Larry McAnally received the top farm award at Kansas City this week. He was accompanied to that city by O. B. Edmondson, local teacher of agriculture. Buffalo football squad open district play here against Santa Anna Friday night. Attending Hardin Simmons University are Roland Jones, Sharon Gilmore, Pat Moore, Vondean Walters and Benny Glover.

Robert Smith and Linda Boynton will wed in Houston. Mrs. Susie Fore of Pioneer was honored with a tea Saturday afternoon on her 80th birthday.

## Putnam Man Dies In Baird Hospital

W. J. (Bill) Shirley of Putnam, a resident of Callahan County the past 61 years, died in the Callahan County Hospital at Baird Thursday at 6 p.m. of injuries sustained in an automobile accident five days before.

Doctors said Mr. Shirley suffered a stroke at the time of the mishap and was partially paralyzed.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at three o'clock from a Baird funeral chapel. Burial was in Ross Cemetery at Baird.

Born Dec. 15, 1886, in Gunterville, Ala., he came to Texas in 1891 and to Callahan County in 1900, settling in the Cottonwood community. He moved to Putnam in 1926 and had lived there since.

Mr. Shirley was still active as a farmer before the accident. He married Addieline Scott March 14, 1910, at Baird.

Surviving are his wife; four sons, Jewel of Putnam, Walter and O. B. of Cisco and Earl of Abilene; two daughters, Mrs. Burl Clinton and Mrs. Alton White of Putnam; 12 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, and one step-grandson; one brother, L. D. Shirley of Beaumont, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. H. C. Richards of Arab, Ala., Mrs. R. L. Brawley and Mrs. W. M. Ashley, both of Gunterville, Ala.

Mrs. Vida Marlar of Corpus Christi and Mrs. M. F. Carey of Blanket visited here Thursday.

## COUNTY TB ASSOCIATION TO MEET THURSDAY AT 5

Callahan County Tuberculosis Association will meet Thursday afternoon, Oct. 26 in the home of Mrs. Lea McDonald at Baird.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Mikeska and daughter of Clyde were Cross Plains visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Browning of Springtown spent Saturday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Browning and Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker.

Mrs. Oscar K... patient in the Hospital a fe...

Mr. and Mrs. Sam... kel visited Sunday with Mrs. Drew I. Hill and Mrs. Mae Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby and Tommy visited in Dallas over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hornsby and attended the State Fair. Mrs. Zenovia Strickland accompanied them to Arlington and visited with relatives over the week end.

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## Tommie Harris Reminds Of Wheat Acreage Laws

Wheat growers of Callahan County are being reminded by the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Office that the period of signing up under the program continues through Dec. 1.

Tommie Harris, Callahan County ASC Committee Chairman, said it is important for farmers of the county to get into the county office to come information about the 1962 wheat stabilization program.

The wheat stabilization program, recently enacted by the Congress is designed to reduce national wheat acreage by at least 10 per cent. Wheat farmers are encouraged to make additional voluntary reductions for which a higher rate of payment is available.

Harris urged farmers who are interested in the wheat stabilization program to get in touch with the County ASCS.

## Carol Ann Needham Heads Stage Band

Newly-elected officers of the stage band at Cross Plains High School are: Carol Ann Needham president, Brenda Pennell vice-president, Latrelle Bright secretary and treasurer, and Linda Whitton, librarian.

The stage band is currently working on a project to raise \$200 to buy new coats for boys in the organization.

## LOCAL FAMILIES NOW IN NEW RESIDENCES

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dillard and children have moved to the W. B. Williams rent house on Avenue D, formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Carlos McDermott.

Mr. and Mrs. McDermott have moved diagonally across the street to the house formerly occupied by the J. L. Melton family.



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## Local Girl To Wed Forsan Man Oct. 27

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blankenship announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Billie Ruth, and Eugene Strickland of Forsan.

The couple will exchange vows in Big Spring, Oct. 27.

The bride-elect was until recently a senior student in Cross Plains High School. The prospective bridegroom is employed by an oil well service concern at Forsan.

The couple plan to reside in Big Spring.

## Ex-Local Resident Buried Wednesday

Funeral service for Mrs. Martha E. McDaniel, 82, a former resident of Cross Plains, who died Sunday in Alamogordo, N. M., were to be held from Higginbotham Funeral Chapel here Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock with Carl Hudson of Miami, Tex., officiating.

Burial was made in Cross Plains Cemetery beside the grave of the deceased's husband, who died in 1949.

Mrs. McDaniel was born in Collin County, May 11, 1874.

Survivors include a son, J. W. McDaniel of Louisiana, a foster son, O. B. Dollar of Magnolia, Ark.; eight daughters, Mrs. W. C. Tisdale of McAllen, Mrs. Clyde Grover of El Paso, Mrs. S. O. Turner of Amarillo, Mrs. W. L. Ong of Houston, Mrs. E. A. Dann of Alamogordo, Mrs. George K. Hadley of Edinburg, Mrs. Victor Warren of Borger, Mrs. Mozelle Turentine of Odessa; a brother, Joe Helms of Mountain Air, N. M.; three sisters, Mrs. R. B. Lilly of Crowell, Mrs. Ellis Brisco of Brownwood and Mrs. Julia Knight of Burkett. The deceased was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Annie Crockett and Mrs. Ed Henderson, both of Cross Plains.

The deceased had 37 grandchildren, 34 great grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers Wednesday afternoon were: Osa Gattis, Jim Wetsel, Fonia Worthy, Glen Vaughn, Troy Crockett and Lloyd Bryan.

## Rowden

By Mrs. B. Crow

Mrs. Maggie Moon, Mrs. Weldon Gary and Mrs. John Adair wish to express their appreciation to each one in this community that contributed to the United Fund drive. The workers collected \$115.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock of Coleman visited their son and family, the Glen Brocks, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odom and Marian and Joan Windham of Oplin spent the week end with their son, Mike, at Roswell, N. M., where he is attending college.

Mrs. B. Crow visited Mrs. E. E. Aiken Saturday evening. Mrs. Aiken is home now and feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom attended the Farm Bureau meeting at Eula Saturday night.

Bro. and Mrs. W. E. Nowell had Sunday dinner with the Lon Duncan family.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Brown and girls of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Don Mauldin and daughter of Merkel spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Roland.

Mrs. John Adair visited Mrs. B. Crow Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Larimer Henry at Baird Sunday.

Mrs. Luke Westerman, Mrs. Young of Cross Plains and Mrs. John Adair of this community visited Mrs. Lelia Gibbs Friday morning.

Mrs. B. Crow visited Mrs. Sterling Odom Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Audry Gary and son of Cross Plains visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary, Saturday.

Dave Lee transacted business in Baird Monday.

Visitors in the Charles Hubbard home during the week end were M. Sgt. Mitchell Hubbard of Fort Hood, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Bowers, Fort Worth, Helen Adams, Lovington, N. M., and Mary Coon of Tomball.

## TWO SETS OF TWINS IN BIRTHDAY STRIP

Although the Review has on file birthdates of nearly 3,000 people, it is seldom that more than one set of twins is mentioned in the Birthday Column. Today's feature, however, is an exception, it names two sets.

## TO EASTLAND CHURCHMEN PAUL L. WHITTON SPEAKS

Paul Whitton, Methodist district lay leader, spoke to the Methodist Men's Club at Eastland Tuesday night.

## SHAKESPEARIAN TRAGEDY LOCAL SOPHOMORES SEE

Cross Plains High School sophomores, who have been studying Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar" as an academic pursuit attended a stage portrayal of the classic in Brownwood Tuesday night. The play was put on by Howard Payne College students.

Earl Cammack of Freer visited his sister, Mrs. Pearl Moore, in Cross Plains last week. They were in Brownwood Monday and spent several hours with friends there.

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Thursday, October 26

Don L. Purdy of Abilene was in Cross Plains Saturday.

Harry Dodds was a business visitor in Borger last week.

Mrs. E. P. Watson of Brownwood visited with the Roger Watsons and Mrs. J. C. Watson Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCuin and son, Jay, visited in the home of her parents in Winters Sunday.

Raymond Young of Baird a business visitor in Cross Plains Thursday.

Miss Bonita McCowen of Abilene spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ley McCowen, here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kirk of Brownwood were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmondson Saturday evening.

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## 500 Project Underway Methodist Church Here

Improvement project, estimated to cost about \$2,500, is under way at the First Methodist Church here. The work is being completed over all windows. Members of the committee overseeing the work are: Alton Hornsby, Doyle Burchfield and Jimmielee Payne.

Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. Craig McNeel and Mrs. Pat McNeel, Sr., Susan and Freddy McNeel, were visiting near Eastland Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howell of Big Spring visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Harris, Saturday.

### LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND FUNERAL LAST FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Petty, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Belew of Cross Plains, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Petty of Breckenridge, attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Faye Petty Johnson, of Big Spring in Merkel Friday.

The deceased is remembered in Cross Plains as a niece of the late W. A. Williams, who visited here on many occasions.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. White, Richard, David and Lahoma, attended the homecoming ball game at McMurry College, Abilene, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. L. D. Koenig, Lynn and Eddy, visited in Tyler over the week end with Miss Jessie Ruth McAdams and while there attended the Rose Festival.

## Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

metropalis metropolis metropolis  
(meaning the chief city or principal center)

(See back page for answer)

## Burkett

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church Saturday at 2 p.m. for Willie Holman, 55, of Corpus Christi.

E. L. Harris, chairman of the United Fund, had received \$275 for the Burkett area by early Tuesday morning. He expresses his appreciation to those that volunteered to help him. They were Misses Carolyn and Sharolyn Barnett, Sharon Lee Herring and Mrs. Bill Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everett Burkett are the parents of a six pound, 13 ounce girl, Lydia Jo, born Wednesday, Oct. 18, at Overall Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Burkett of Aransas Pass and Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk of Sabanno. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk of Sabanno, Mrs. Mattie Gary of Cross Plains and Mrs. Carrie Cross of Burkett.

Freddy Thate sustained a broken arm last week in an accident on his farm while hauling feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Burroughs and Stephen and Teri of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Burroughs Saturday.

Rev. E. G. Key attended a Baptist District meeting at Goldthwaite Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Thate attended the Burns family reunion at the Earl Burns home in Winters Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Mize and children of Colorado City visited in the Paul Gilliam home Friday night. They also visited Mrs. W. C. Henderson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Henderson, Billy and Candy, of Junction and Mrs. Georgia Tate of Coleman visited in the Willie Henderson home Saturday.

Mrs. Mike Burroughs visited in Sweetwater on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Burroughs. Teri Burroughs returned home with her grandmother for a visit of several days.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Knox attended the TCU-A&M football game in Fort Worth last week end.

Mrs. Alma Audas spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Mike Burroughs.

Wade Golson of Glen Cove spent Monday with his mother, Mrs. Emma Golson.

John O. Harris of Coleman visited his brothers, Emmet and Walter Harris Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bob Markland of Santa Anna was a visitor in the home of Mrs. Eldon Knox Friday morning. Other guests in the Eldon Knox home Friday were Mr. and Mrs. John Tate of San Antonio.

Pete Couch of Abilene was guest at Knox Ranch on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan attended the funeral of her nephew, Bill Metcalf, Sunday afternoon. Metcalf lived at Midland where he died. Funeral services were held at Stevens Funeral Home and burial in the Coleman Cemetery. Others from here that attended the services were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burns and Seth Burkett.

Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Key and ElWanda left Friday evening for Rockdale where they attended the funeral of an uncle.

Mrs. Ida O'Neal of Novice visited Saturday to Thursday last week with Mrs. Laura Bullard.

Among those that attended

## Brother Of Local Woman Dies At 82

James Winslow Weatherman, 82, died Thursday morning in his home at Rising Star. He was a brother of Mrs. Lou Falls of Cross Plains.

Mr. Weatherman was a retired rock mason.

Funeral services were held from the First Baptist Church in Rising Star Friday afternoon with Rev. H. K. Neely, Jr., and Rev. D. L. Barnes officiating.

Burial was in Rising Star Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham's.

Mr. Weatherman was born Nov. 23, 1897, in Murfreesboro, N. C. He married Sally Emma Robinson Nov. 26 1899, in Rising Star. He had been a resident of Rising Star since the age of 9, and was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include the wife, of the home; four sons, T. C. of Long Beach, Calif., N. W. of Hobbs, N. M., S. E. of Murfreesboro, Ark., L. A. of Rotan; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Nadine White of McAllen, Tex., and Mrs. Dorothy Helen Bearden of Baird; one sister, Mrs. Lou Falls of Cross Plains; 11 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Ervin Hull, J. C. (Doc) Claborn, F. B. Joyce, Don Harris, Bill Witt and Luke Grisham.

### DWELLING MOVED TO HIGHWAY SITE HERE

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Goble have moved a dwelling into Cross Plains and situated it on lots facing Highway 36 in the east part of town. The house was formerly on a farm near Cottonwood.

the Fox Hunters Association at Quannah last week were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burns, Luther Porter, Vernon Helms, E. A. Jennings all of Burkett and Cliff Morris of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Key of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Key of Odessa attended the Holman funeral Saturday and visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Herring, Jr., and baby of Coleman and J. C. Herring of Sweetwater water spent Sunday in the L. D. Herring home. Sharon Lee Herring spent Saturday night with the Junior Herring family.

Miss Paula Klutts of Hamilton and Joe Fequa visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Evans Saturday and went on to Abilene to attend the McMurry and Arlington State football game.

John Baird of Dallas spent Friday to Sunday with his friend, Dwayne Clark.

Mrs. Bill Strickland spent Friday to Sunday in San Angelo with her grandmother, Mrs. D. C. Clark, who is ill.

Mrs. Willie Holman and sons, Charles and Ronnie, of Corpus Christi and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Holmans of Aransas Pass returned to their homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Evans were in Coleman the first of the week at the bedside of their granddaughter, Cathy, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burton, who entered Overall Hospital Monday.

Visitors in the Ben Strickland home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Booth of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Strickland and family of Tye and the James Hill family of Brownwood.

## Ten Million Minnows Per Year Will Be Raised On Local Farm

A minnow farm which will raise ten million minnows per year is now being installed in Cross Plains by Jim Whiteside, reputed to be one of West Texas' most skilled fishermen.

The farm is just east of Cross Plains on Highway 36. It will supply lakes in this section of Texas.

Three water wells have already been drilled on the 11 acre tract upon which the farm is to be located. Already dug are 13 ponds in which minnows will be raised.

"This is becoming a big business and Cross Plains is particularly well-located to supply a wide area," Whiteside said.

### BOB YOUNG QUITTING THE BARBER BUSINESS

Bob Young, who operated a barber shop at his home three miles north of town has sold his equipment and is retiring from the business. Mr. Young has had trouble with a leg which he injured several years ago and is unable to stand on it as much as barbering requires.

He is one of the oldest barbers in this section of Texas from the standpoint of experience in the profession.

## News Of Former Residents

Mr. and Mrs. Phelix Watson of 1933 Ivanhoe, Abilene, and their son, Jerry, of Dallas will leave November 5, via DeSta Air Lines, for one week to Nassau in the Bahama Islands. The trip was won by Mrs. Watson for signing the largest number of people to bowl in league at one of Abilene's bowling lanes. Mr. and Mrs. Watson are former residents of Burkett and Cross Plains.

Nat Williams, superintendent of Lubbock schools, a former Cross Plains resident, has been named a trustee for the Teacher Retirement System of Texas. His appointment was announced by Gov. Price Daniel Thursday. The appointment is until Aug. 31, 1967.

Two ladies who have been gone from Cross Plains nearly 40 years were visiting old friends here Friday. They were Mrs. Vida Marlar (the former Vida Teague) who now lives in Corpus Christi and Mrs. Melvin Carey (the former Millie Teague) who now lives in Blanket. The ladies are daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Silas Teague. Their brother, Clyde Teague, is in the television sales and repair business at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins are now at Dixon, Mo. He is in military service, stationed at Fort Leonardwood. They were married in Abilene the past summer. Mrs. Hutchins is the former Vondean Walters.

## Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Rev. Trexter of Fort Worth spoke at the Baptist Church Sunday for "TANE", Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education, Inc., and a collection was taken for the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heine attended the Rose Festival at Tyler Saturday and visited her sons there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Willis and two children, Maywin and Keith, of Wichita Falls visited Beulah and Hazel Respass Saturday together with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brock and Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Respass of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Mabel Lemond of Abilene visited her father, V. L. Fulton, Sunday and attended services at the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Johnny Davidson of Abilene visited her sister, Mrs. A. A. Holley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carey and son, Larry, of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Goble, Sunday.

Miss Eunice Hembree of Scranton spent last Thursday night with Beulah and Hazel Respass.

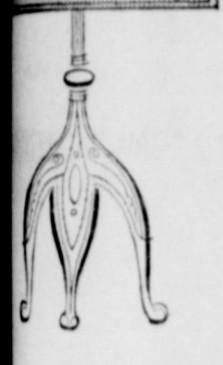
Rev. Robinson of Abilene has filled the pulpit the last two Sundays at the Church of Christ for Rev. Cox while his brother-in-law at Amarillo is seriously ill. Sunday most of the congregation spread lunch together at Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilcoxon's home.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick attended the Community Center gathering at Sipe Springs last Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobby of Cross Plains accompanied them to Sipe Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gillet of Baird were here Monday visiting with friends.

Beulah Respass had a good sweet potato crop this fall. She planted one large sweet potato in her back yard, watered it regularly and harvested 27 useable potatoes, some real large, about 14 inches long and some small ones.

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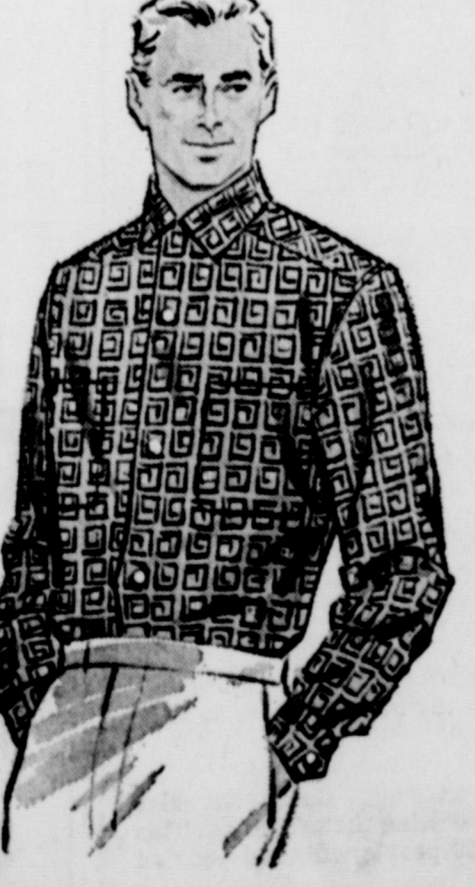
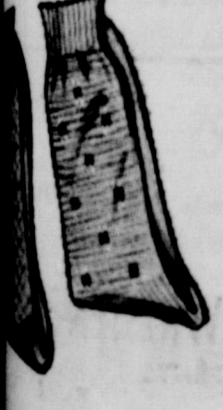
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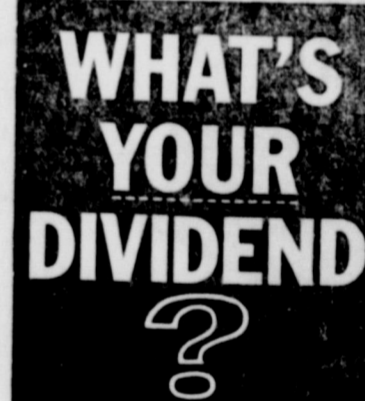
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## Early Backs Beat Aerial Attack 21-6

Longhorns came to a low snap and a partially blocked kick gained Early possession of the oval on the Cross Plains 45 late in the first period. Quarterback Fred Newbury tossed a pass to Lea in the right flat who ran 10 yards to paydirt on third play. The conversion try failed, as did all PAT attempts of the night.

With 3:42 left in the first half Early upped their lead to 12 points as Lea scrambled six yards up the middle for a TD which capped a 75 yard drive.

**Bufs Take to Air**  
The Buffaloes stormed back for their counter with an airborne drive that carried 65 yards in seven plays.

Quarterback Dallas completed five of six passes in the drive from the newly inaugurated spread formation. The last pitch was a nine yard affair from Dallas to left halfback Dwayne Clark in the end zone. Key play of the drive was a 30-yarder from Dallas to Clark for a first on the visitors' 30.

At half time the scorebaird read Early 12, Cross Plains 6.

The Buffs fumbled away a golden opportunity after guard Emory Lusk covered a loose ball on the kickoff opening the second half on the Early 25. Clark lost possession of the pigskin on the Longhorn 11 after he and Falkner had swept end for eight and three yards respectively and a first on the visitors' 14 yard line.

In the scoreless third period, Early also threatened, but a stiffened Herd defense turned back the march on the 12.

Midway through the final cant Williams drop kicked his 27 yard three point field goal after a Cross Plains bobble had set the stage.

With just over a minute remaining to be played fullback Olsey Seaton banged the final yard of a 41 yard eight play march for Early's last tally. A pass interference ruling was invoked when Lea tripped on the locals' four for a 21 yard gain. Williams' drop kick was partially blocked on the PAT effort.

As time ran out Cross Plains owned the ball with a first on Early's 24 following a Dallas to Falkner pass had worked for 21 yards.

## Ex - Burkett Man 56, Buried Friday

William Stevens Holman, 57, a former resident of Burkett was laid to rest Friday afternoon. He died Tuesday in Corpus Christi where he had been living since 1941.

Funeral was held from a Coleman funeral home and burial was in the Burkett Cemetery.

The deceased was born June 19, 1906. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; his mother, Mrs. Nellie Holmans of Burkett; two sons, Charles and Ronnie Holmans of Alice; two daughters, Mrs. Christine Burchfield of Newport News, Va., and Mrs. Willene Pallazzo of Guam; two brothers, Jesse Holmans of Aransas Pass and Willard Holmans of Coleman, and two sisters, Mrs. Opal Porter of Burkett and Mrs. Vera Porter of Fort Worth.

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Game at a Glance  
Cross Plains Early  
8 first downs 13  
70 yds. rush. 219  
144 yds. pass. 65  
14 of 32 pass. comp. 4 of 10  
0 pass. int. by 0  
3 for 34 punt avg. 2 for 48  
1 for 15 penalties 4 for 40  
2 fumbles lost 0

Score by Quarters  
1 2 3 4 T  
Cross Plains 0 6 0 0 6  
Early 6 6 0 9 21

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson were in Abilene Friday.

## PHILOSOPHER DOUBTS THAT MR. K CAN GET HIS FARMING DONE IN 6-HOUR DAY

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou views the six-hour day proposed for Russian farmers. The six-hour day is something he may be an expert on.

Dear editor:  
"As everybody pretty well agrees, the Russians are ahead of us in space and behind us in farming, and while I won't say this proves us farmers are smarter than our space scientists, still it's hard to argue with a fact.

"But what I started out to say was I read about Mr. Khrushchev's twelve-hour speech before a big Communist party gathering in Moscow last week, a six-hour speech one day, followed by another six-hour one the next day. That is, I read a few highlights; one of the choicest freedoms of democracy is the freedom to not listen to a one-hour speech by a politician, not to mention a 12-hour ordeal. And down toward the end I noticed that Mr. Khrushchev has promised all the Russians, including farmers, that by 1980 they'll be working only six hours a day, five days a week, and, he added, everybody will have paid vacations, including farmers.

"Incidentally, he added also that if farmers don't start producing more right now, somebody's going to get sent to Siberia.

"But what interests me most is this six-hour day Mr. Khrushchev is going to give farmers. "Now I have tried a six-hour day out here on this Johnson grass farm, and I like it fine, only I have found out that if everybody else tried it, I'm afraid the Secretary of Agriculture would stop worrying about too much food and start worrying about too little.

"Maybe the present Russian farmers are smart enough to work twelve hours a day and still not produce a back-breaking surplus, but American farmers have never been able to swing it. The more they work, the more they produce, and the less they get for it and the longer they have to work to come out even.

"I am afraid though that before Mr. Khrushchev gets all his farming done in a six-hour day, he's going to have to control the weather, produce a flat-free tractor tire, a perpetual battery, an ever-lasting crankshaft, a dust-free carburetor, abolish insects and outlaw fishing, and I doubt if he'll be able to do that by 1980, which is only 18 years away. If I was a Russian farmer and wanted to try the six-hour day, I believe I'd cross the border."

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Witt of Rising Star were visitors in Cross Plains Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Osa Gattis visited in Rotan over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Yantis.

Mrs. Oattie Knight returned to her home here this week after visiting relatives and friends in Houston and Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Harry Walker and son returned to their home in Abilene Wednesday of last week after spending several days with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Verna Mae Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Scott and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kilgore, Bob Latson and Rick, Max Howell and Billy Watson were among Cross Plains residents attending the Cisco Junior College Homecoming football game in Cisco Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grisson and daughter, Bonnie Jean, are now living on the Webb Ranch at Burkett after having made their home in Montana the past three years. Mrs. Grisson is taking care of their grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Grissam, of Cross Plains.

## RIISING STAR COUPLE ARE PARENTS OF BABY GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Patterson of Rising Star are parents of a baby daughter born Friday, Oct. 20, at the Rising Star Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds and has been named Chrystie Jean.

Mrs. Patterson will be remembered here as the former Alta Faye Graham.

Grandparents are Mrs. Elsie Lewis of Rising Star, M. E. Patterson of Hialeah, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham of Cross Plains. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Scott of Rising Star, Mr. Patterson of Missouri and Mrs. Nannie Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Williams of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Henry Williams has returned home from San Antonio and Portland, where she visited with her son, Orian, and daughter, Mrs. Merle Coffee.

## Name 4 Directors For Farm Bureau

Four directors for Callahan County Farm Bureau were elected Saturday night in a meeting at Eula. Chosen members of the directorate were: Hadden Payne, Jack Farmer, Lee Smith and Tommy Milliron.

Officers to serve for the ensuing year will be elected at the next regular meeting of the organization, scheduled in November.

Joe McNeel, a Texas Tech student, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McNeel, Sr., over the week end.

Mrs. E. E. Ritchie of May recently visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox before going to Odessa for a visit with relatives.

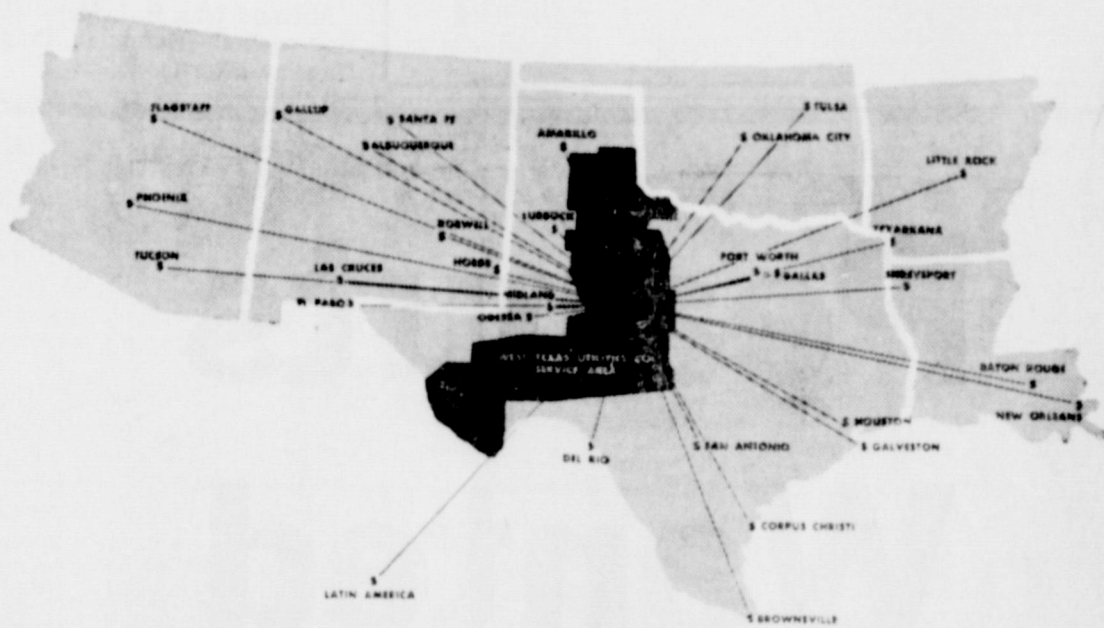
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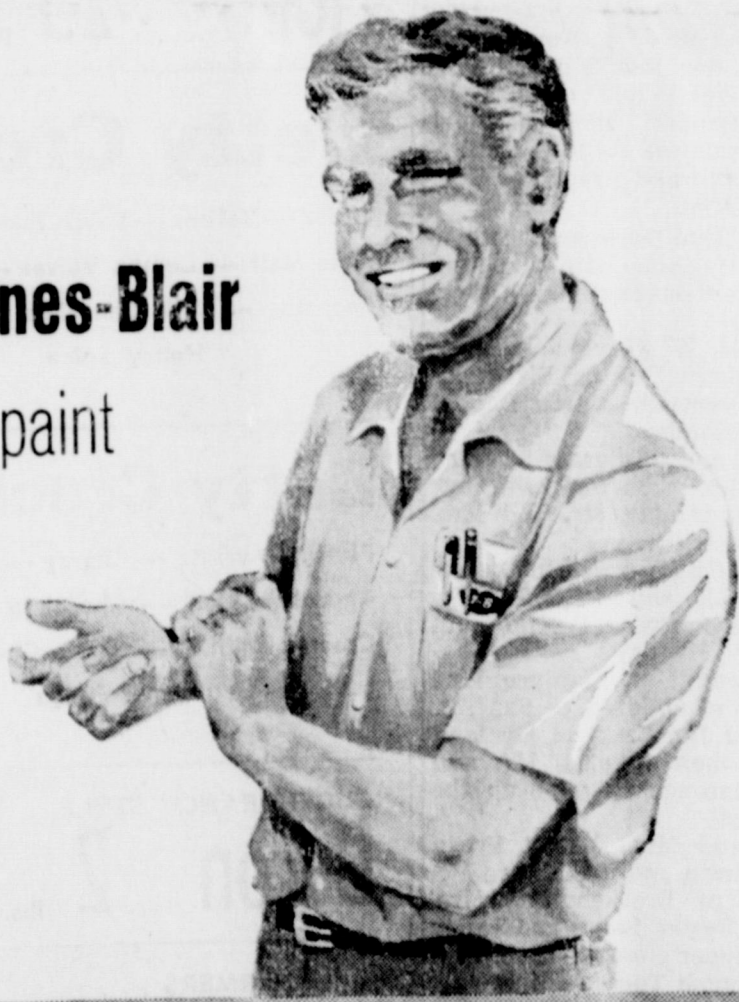
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## Pioneer

By Jean Fore

The United Fund drive in our community has been very successful thus far. We still have several to contact, and we thank everyone who has helped and given to this worthy cause.

Mrs. C. B. Freeman and Merlene of Brownwood visited with friends in Pioneer Thursday.

Paul Huntington and daughter, Holly, of Melvin visited in the Pete Fore home Saturday.

Rev. Tom Flippin returned to his home Friday from Missouri where he conducted a two week revival meeting.

Mrs. Kate McCarty and daughter, Joan Norris, of Andrews visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Flippin and family of Corpus Christi visited over the week end with his parents, Bro. and Mrs. Tom Flippin, and other relatives.

Ray Curry of Abilene visited with his sister, Mrs. Sam Eakin, Sunday afternoon.

William Gibson of San Antonio visited Saturday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson, enroute home from deer hunting in Wyoming where he killed a big buck.

Mrs. Jake Huntington of Pampa who has been staying in the Pete Fore home helping care for their mother, Mrs. Susie Fore, and Mrs. Mitchell Inabnet of San Antonio, and Holly Huntington of Melvin left Monday morning for Pampa for a few days visit and to attend a retirement party for the Huntingtons Tuesday night. Jake Huntington is to retire from the Phillips Co. the first of December.

Mrs. E. M. Curry and Mrs. Ruby McCowan of Cross Plains visited one day last week with Mrs. Sam Eakin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carey, Jr., and family of Winters are visiting a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carey, Sr., and helping with peanut harvest. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carey of Blanket visited Monday in the Carey home.

C. C. Westerman and Wayne Westerman of Cross Plains were business visitors in West Texas and New Mexico last week. Work was started on clearing

### VICTORY BAPTISTS TO BEGIN REVIVAL NOV. 5

A revival meeting will begin Nov. 5 at the Victory Baptist Church in Cross Plains and continue through eight days. Singing will be held the opening afternoon, beginning at two o'clock.

Rev. Lee Rutledge, pastor, will do the preaching.

Sabbath services will begin at the usual hour and week night services at seven o'clock.

Singing will be directed by Casey Pittman of Blake.

### BABY GIRL BORN TO COUPLE KNOWN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ferguson of Coleman are parents of a baby daughter born in the Over-all Hospital in that city Thursday, Oct. 19.

The child weighed eight pounds and three ounces and has been named Angela. Mrs. Ferguson is remembered as the former Miss Byrene Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Richardson.

The old fence from around the Pioneer cemetery first of the week getting ready to erect a new one. Anyone wishing to donate for this fence please send donations to Mrs. Joe Bryson, Star Route, Cross Plains.

Mrs. Sam Eakin visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Davis. Mr. Davis is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean visited Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton and family Sunday and enjoyed a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eakin of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin Monday afternoon.

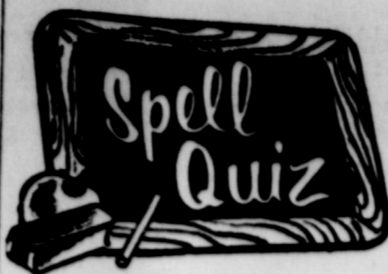
Mrs. Sam Eakin was a visitor in Cross Plains Saturday with Mrs. Harry Millward.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. James of Cross Plains visited friends in Pioneer Tuesday.

We are happy to report that Mrs. Tom Flippin was not badly injured after being hit by a tractor driven by Alfred Lee as she was driving home from the store Monday night. The car was badly damaged. Mrs. Flippin received a cut hip and bruises.

Mrs. Mildred Smith of Rising Star visited Mrs. Sam Eakin Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Marshall of May visited friends in Pioneer Tuesday afternoon.



Correct answer is: metropolis

## Sabanno

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Peanut harvesting is in full swing in our community now.

The all day service at the Baptist Church last Sunday was a nice day. Rev. Joe Jones preached at the eleven o'clock hour. Lunch was spread on the tables under the shade trees on the church grounds at the noon hour. The ordination service was very impressive and a good sermon was delivered by Rev. V. D. Walters of Abilene.

The Busy Bee Club members and any others who will quilt are invited to meet Wednesday to quilt for some of our neighbors' children and families who lost their things in the storm Carla. There will be an all day quilting, and each one is invited to bring a covered dish for the noon meal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stevens and family of San Antonio spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hicks visited Mr. and Mrs. Rody near Pioneer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk have a little granddaughter. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkett, the former Sandra Lusk, are the proud parents. She has been named Lidia Jo. She was born Oct. 18, and weighed six pounds and 13 ounces. Mother and baby are doing fine. They have a little son also.

John and Wash Arther of Albany and Morgan visited their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey Sunday.

Gus Brandon accompanied his brother, Dr. Joe Brandon of Gorman to Clyde Sunday where they visited their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King visited with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cloris Webb, and children in Cisco Sunday and attended church services at the First Baptist Church and heard the Rev. Dick O'Brian.

Rev. Lloyd Doyle and brother, Darr, of Cisco attended the ordination service Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. W. Purvis and Diane and Linda of Cross Plains attended services at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Little Judy Notgrass of Cisco spent the week end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Notgrass.

Arzie Green and John Leverige and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin were business visitors in Gorman Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Earl Casey and children of San Angelo and Jim Casey of Eastland visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Erwin of Sundown and Mrs. Laura McDonald of Breckenridge, Mrs. Nathan Foster, Stevie and Randy were supper guests in the Edwin Erwin home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King entertained a group of their friends with a chili supper in their home Monday night. A good supper and four tables of "42" were enjoyed by all.

L. M. Barron was a business visitor in Abilene Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hollis and children of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hollis and children of Rising Star, visited their mother and sister, Mrs. Mary Hollis and Mrs. Minter B. Sheffey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon in Putnam Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Notgrass and Judy visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Saturday night.

Rev. D. L. Barnes, Methodist pastor at Rising Star, visited here Wednesday morning.

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## Mighty Mites Tie Early Grid Squad

Cross Plains Junior High School football squad maintained its undefeated record Tuesday night in Brownwood, playing a scoreless tie with an aggregation from Early school.

Although the Mighty Mites are undefeated, the tie was their second and drops them behind Santa Anna, which is also undefeated and has but one tie.

Last game of the season for Coach Don Wiggins' team will be at Eastland next week.

Alton Hornsby was in Abilene Tuesday.

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## HALLOWEEN CANDY DAY

For Crippled Children and the Blind ON SALE THIS WEEK

### TEA AT BOWDEN HOME FOR GARDEN CLUBBERS

Mrs. J. C. Bowden is honoring Cross Plains Garden Club members, their families and friends at a tea at her home south of town Sunday afternoon from two until five o'clock.

Garden Club members will display floral arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. V. visited relatives at Sunday.

Mrs. J. Lee Smith home Tuesday from a her sister, Mrs. Emma and other relatives in Okla.

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