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FIFTY-NINTH YEAR

## 1,000 Pioneers Due At Friday's Reunion

A crowd of about 1,000 is expected in Cross Plains Friday for the 29th annual reunion of old settlers of Callahan County. The gathering will again be under the oaks at the City Park. Registration is to begin at 9:30 a.m. and the formal program 30 minutes later.

Mrs. Dorothy Boydston Harper of Abilene will lead the group in singing of popular old-time ballads and hymns. Invocation will be offered by the Rev. Lloyd Coker, Cross Plains Methodist pastor. Welcome address will be made by County Judge Roy Gilbreath of Baird, and Mayor Doyle Burchfield of Cross Plains will respond.

Feature of the morning program will be an address by District Judge J. R. (Bob) Black of Abilene, who will be introduced by J. Rupert Jackson, Jr., Baird attorney.

Masters of ceremonies throughout the day will be H. Freeland and James Paul Shanks of Baird and Randall C. Jackson of Abilene.

Basket luncheon will be spread at noon. The afternoon program will begin at two o'clock and is expected to be completed about 5:30.

Special recognition will be given old timers in 13 separate categories.

Frank Spencer of Cross Plains

and George Sadler of Baird will have charge of an old fiddlers contest, and E. P. (Pop) Whitaker of Baird has arranged square dancing as the final program feature, prior to the traditional closing with singing of "God Be With Us 'Til We Meet Again."



"Blondy" McIntosh  
Old Settlers President

**MRS. JUANITA McNEEL BACK FROM HOSPITAL**  
Mrs. Juanita McNeel returned to her home here Tuesday after undergoing surgery in Memorial Hospital at Brownwood last week. She is recovering splendidly.

### TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL Callahan County Pioneer Reunion

Treadaway Park Cross Plains, Texas  
FRIDAY, AUGUST 11, 1967

President ..... Homer McIntosh  
Masters of Ceremonies ..... B. H. Freeland,  
Randall Jackson, James Paul Shanks

9:30 A.M.  
REGISTRATION

10:00 A.M.

Group Singing ..... Mrs. Dorothy Boydston Harper  
Invocation ..... Rev. Lloyd Coker  
Welcome ..... Judge Roy Gilbreath  
Response ..... Doyle Burchfield  
Group Singing  
Silent Tribute to Deceased Pioneers ..... B. H. Freeland  
Introduction of Speaker ..... J. Rupert Jackson  
Address ..... Judge J. R. Black, Sr.  
Introduction of Special Guests  
Announcements

12:00 NOON  
BASKET LUNCH

2:00 P.M.

Group Singing  
Introduction of Guests  
Introduction by Randall Jackson of:  
Earliest Cowboy in County  
Earliest Pioneer Man  
Earliest Pioneer Woman  
Earliest Pioneer Man with continuous residence in County  
Earliest Pioneer Woman with continuous residence in County  
Oldest Native Born Man  
Oldest Native Born Woman  
Oldest Native Born Man with continuous residence in County  
Oldest Native Born Woman with continuous residence in County  
Man coming Greatest Distance to attend reunion  
Woman coming Greatest Distance to attend reunion  
Couple Married Longest  
Couple Married Longest with continuous residence in County  
Report of Nominating Committee and Election of Officers  
Old Fiddler's Contest ..... Frank Spencer, George Saddler  
Square Dancing for Pioneers ..... E. P. (Pop) Whitaker  
Group Singing of "God Be With You 'Til We Meet Again"

## Judge Learned Law Between Boxes As Rural Mail Carrier

District Judge J. R. (Bob) Black, who is to deliver the principal address to old settlers here Friday morning, is not only a native of Callahan County but owns one of the most enviable records of any Texas jurist.

In 44 years of holding public office he has never had an opponent for re-election.

Born at Admiral Oct. 18, 1888, his father, George M. Black, settled in Callahan County in 1878. He ran livestock and was a long-time merchant at Admiral.

Judge Black attended elementary school at Admiral and high school at Scranton.

He began studying law while serving as rural mail carrier on the route from Admiral to Rowden. Most of his studying was between mail boxes on the lonely, rural route.

He went to Cumberland University at Cumberland, Tenn., but had to withdraw after one term when his funds became exhausted.

He was admitted to the bar and hung out his shingle as an attorney at Baird in 1910. He became county attorney in 1912 and served two terms.

In 1927 after five years of private practice, he was appointed 42nd District Attorney, succeeding the late Milburn S. Long who became district judge, upon the appointment of Judge W. R. Ely,



District Judge J. B. Black

another Callahan Countian, to the Texas Highway Commission by Gov. Ross Sterling.

When Judge Long was elected to the court of Civil Appeals, Judge Black was appointed 42nd Judicial District judge and assumed the oath of office Dec. 31, 1944.

Judge Black has seven sons, six of whom were in military service simultaneously during World War II. The other son was inducted later.

Mrs. Black, too, is a native Callahan Countian, the former Minnie Mills, daughter of an early-settling couple at Baird.

## Truck Crash Damage Estimated At \$18,500

An estimated \$18,500 in damages were results of a truck crash on State Highway 36 3.3 miles west of Rising Star at 7:20 a.m. Saturday.

Although heavy property damage resulted, only a slight personal injury was reported. Harry Fisher of Sioux City, Iowa, who was in the tractor's sleeper, suffered head cuts. Driver, Gail D. Schilke, 28, of Freemont, Neb., was not hurt.

The truck, estimated to have sustained \$12,000 damage, and trailer were almost demolished. The cargo, 62 large barrels of honey, was reported about one-third lost at a cost of \$2,500.

Cross Plains Highway Patrolman, who investigated along with Deputy Sheriff J. H. Cox, said that Schilke apparently fell asleep at the wheel. The tractor left the roadway, hit a concrete culvert which snapped both rear trailer axles, and jack-knifed. Welch said that the jack-knife possibly saved the men's lives because the barrels of honey crashed through the front of the trailer narrowly missing the tractor.

Salvage operations Saturday were hampered by bees drawn to the spilled honey. Many of them were killed because ruptured fuel tanks allowed diesel oil to mix with the honey.

The vehicle was owned by Wendell Bruner of Freemont, Neb., and was en route to Temple.

## SOLDIER COMPLETES 2 YEARS ARMY DUTY

Sp-4 Ronald D. Childers is now at home, having recently been separated from the Army after having completed two years military duty. He was stationed at Fort Hood.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers and a graduate of Cross Plains High School. He plans to resume work with a firm in Cisco.

## GOLF COURSE MAKES CITY VACATION SPOT

Lakewood Recreation Center is helping make Cross Plains a vacation retreat.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Andis of Coleman took an air-conditioned motel room here last week and spent their vacation playing golf and enjoying facilities at Lakewood. He is a Coleman businessman. Mrs. Andis is the former Susan McDermott. Both are top-flight golfers.

## Junior Rodeo Set Here Friday Night

Cross Plains Riding Club will stage a junior rodeo Friday night at the roping pens adjacent to the City Park on State Highway 36. Beginning time will be 8 o'clock.

Dick Vestal of Baird will serve as announcer. There will be no admission charge.

## 4 Local Youngsters Win Rodeo Prizes

Cross Plains area youngsters were among the prize winners at a junior rodeo held in Callahan County Sheriff's Posse arena at Baird last week end.

Terry Edington took first place in barrel racing for girls of 12 years and under, as well as second place in pole racing.

Judy Lutzenburger, competing in the 16 to 19-year-old cow-girl category, took second place in pole racing and fourth in barrel racing.

Maxey Evans won second place in roping for cowboys between the ages of 16 and 19.

Terry Johnson captured third in bull-riding for cowboys between 16 and 19.

Other Cross Plains contestants included Rex Mayes and Kala Dillard.



Senior and Junior Queens of Farm Bureau

## Diane McCowen Chosen Queen For Farm Bureau

Year-old Cross Plains beauty, Diane McCowen, was chosen Callahan Farm Bureau Queen at a party Friday night. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul

County attorney, emceed the event, held in the Baird High School cafeteria. Mrs. Lowell Johnson was chairman of the committee in charge of the con-

test.

Miss McCowen, who will be a junior at CPHS this year, has been an honor student throughout her school career.

## Who Remembers When Blue And Gray Marched Together In 1901?

Ernest F. Mercer, 77-year-old Sherman man, writes that he plans to attend the annual reunion of old settlers in Cross Plains Friday and that he would like to contact someone, who recalls a parade here in early July of 1901.

"It was the highlight of a five-day gathering," he says, "and Civil War soldiers of the Confederacy and the Union paraded together. Women were also in the procession, wearing dresses covered with stars and stripes."

"I was 11 years old at the time and lived at Atwell," the Sherman man writes. "My father and I rode down there on horseback."

## Rehearsals Set At Pioneer Thursday

It will be a big day in Pioneer County when ex-students, former residents of Cross Plains, Liberty and Sallis meet in annual re-

An estimated 200 persons are expected to gather under the tabernacle at Pioneer for the day-long event.

Although no formal program has been announced, J. C. (Jake)

Huntington of Brownwood, association president, has guaranteed an enjoyable bill of fare. The day's ceremonies will start about 9 a.m. with registration and addresses by a number of well-known persons. A highlight of the reunion will be a memorial service for ex-students who have passed away since the group last convened.

A catered lunch will be served at noon. Representatives of cemetery associations at each of the communities are expected to be on hand to accept maintenance and improvement donations. An auction of quilts and handiwork is slated for the afternoon of which the proceeds will go into cemetery treasuries.

Nomination and election of officers for the ensuing year as well as visiting, picture taking sessions and reminiscing will round out the yearly gathering.

## ATHLETIC BOOSTERS WILL MEET COACHES

Athletic Booster Club will meet in the high school study hall Thursday night at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend and meet the three new CPHS coaches who will be present.

## EASTERN STAR CARDS BAKE SALE THURSDAY

Cross Plains Order of the Eastern Star will hold a baked foods sale Thursday morning in front of Mayes Flower Shop on South Main Street. Sale will begin at 9 a.m.

## FREEMAN CANTALOUPE BETTER PECOS' FINEST

Pecos cantaloupes are fine but for flavor and texture Oliver Freeman, Cross Plains farmer, has what local newsmen believe is a better product.

Three cantaloupes from the Freeman patch were brought to the newspaper office last week and adorned the tables at three separate homes. Concensus was that the locally-grown cantaloupes were not only larger but more pleasingly flavored.

Freeman has a patch of cantaloupes which indicated that a man might gross as much as \$2,000 an acre on the melons if there were sufficient nearby markets at harvesting time.

## PASTOR AND FAMILY OFF TO NEW MEXICO

The Rev. and Mrs. Roger Butler and children left Wednesday morning for Glorieta, N. M. They will return home Aug. 18.

Dr. Robert Campbell, director of religious activities at Howard Payne College, will fill the pulpit at the First Baptist Church Sunday.

## Man Made Co-Op Boss

Members of Pioneer Farmers Association, for which a peanut plant is now being built on Highway 36, three miles from Cross Plains, have designated R. D. Boland, a lifelong resident of Scranton, as business manager of the organization.

Boland, who began work with the association Aug. 1, has been in the peanut grader for seven years and has a number of southern friends who will continue to make him a valuable asset at Scranton.

## Rehearsals Begin Aug. 21

Rehearsals for Cross Plains High School band will begin Aug. 21, it was announced by Director Ed Burt. Rehearsals will be held from 8:30 until 11 each morning Monday through Friday until school starts.

It is said that this year's Cross Plains Band is expected to number 70, an increase over last year.



# Game Night Slated At Pioneer

By Mrs. Delma Dean

Thursday night, Aug. 10, is game night at the club house in Pioneer. Everyone is urged to make plans to be there and enjoy the games and refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady spent last week end in Baird and Clyde visiting their children. Joe, George and Cindy, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roady, came home with their grandparents and spent the week. The Bobby Roadys are leaving this week to spend a few days vacation in Arkansas.

James and Virginia Brown spent Thursday night with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Brown, here. They were en route to Fort Worth from Colorado to make their home. He will be employed there.

Mrs. Bob Hodnett visited Mrs. Ethel Brown one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Westerman returned home Saturday from a trip to points in New Mexico.

Dan Danner of Ballinger stopped for a chat with Delma Dean Tuesday. They were neighbors in Runnels County, near Ballinger, in 1930 through 1933. It's nice to meet old neighbors again.

The Deans visited with Jay and Iva Kirkham Wednesday night. The Kirkhams were planning on getting off Friday for a week's vacation with their children, Bonnie and family of Abilene, and in Midland with their son, Billy and family and on to Hobbs, N. M., to see another son, Bobby, and wife.

Mrs. Maggie Burgett and Mrs. Doss Alexander are both doing well, considering the type of surgery they underwent. Mrs.

Alexander is in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene and Maggie is in ward 2-B at Dyess Air Force Base Hospital in Abilene.

J. D. Hutton is in the hospital at Eastland. Hope they can all be home soon.

Mrs. Delma Dean was sick Sunday and unable to attend church. She went to the Eastland clinic Sunday for a check-up.

Logan Long was visiting friends in Pioneer Sunday.

Dee Pinkston and wife of Crane visited with Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray went to San Angelo Friday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Tonne and family to return their twin grandsons, John and David.

Mrs. J. R. Rector's brother and

## Local Marine Draws Station In California

Marine Cpl. Roger C. Ritter left Sunday for Camp Pendleton, Calif., after spending a 26-day leave with his wife, the former Sue Thomas, and other relatives here.

The marine has just returned from a 13-month tour of duty in South Vietnam, and will be discharged in November. His present assignment is with the Fifth Marine Police Battalion at Camp Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Underwood of Kennedy visited Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Underwood and Mrs. Alice Irvin here during the week end.

Card of Thanks 75c

## H. L. SWANNS HAVE CHILDREN AS GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swann had their three children as visitors during the week end.

They are: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Swann, Randy and Lisa, of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Chandler, Latricia, Max Jr. and Linda, of Malvern, Iowa, who left Tuesday after a week's visit, and Lt. Col. and Mrs. H. L. Swann, Jr., who has just returned from Ecuador and will remain here for several days.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains

## Hunters Set Supper; Election On Saturday

Officers will be elected to head the Star Fox Hunters Association for the ensuing year at a meeting of the club at Nimrod Clubhouse Saturday at 8 p.m., according to H. H. Harrelson, president.

A barbecue supper will precede the election. Attendants are asked to bring a covered dish and a sweet although the barbecue and beans will be furnished.

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## CHIEFS REVEAL MORE DONORS THIS WEEK

D. C. Jones, Chief baseball team manager, revealed three more donations to the team this week.

Listed were J. P. McCord \$5 and Dairy Bar \$15 on the equipment cost fund drive. Sponsors, Dairy Bar and Pancake Truck Stop Station, also sponsored a supper for the team in Brownwood Friday night.

Cards Of Thanks — 75c

Thursday, August 11

## LEE REDDICKS DONORS \$10 TO FIRE COMPANY

J. R. Wagner, secretary of the Cross Plains Fire Department, received the receipt of a \$10 donation from Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reddicks. The local fire company answered a call to the place.

Mr. and Mrs. David Doss family of Dallas visited here Friday.

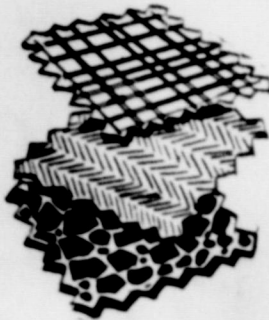
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## Aug. 28th

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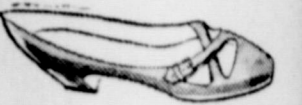
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DRESSES - - - - \$ 7.95 - \$17.95  
SWEATERS - - - - \$ 2.98 - \$15.95



## HIGGINBOTHAMS

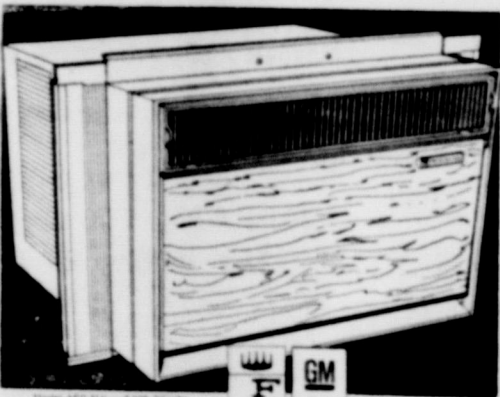
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## Burkett Baptists Invite Public To Revival Meet

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett  
The public is invited to attend the Baptist revival that began last Sunday and will continue through next Sunday. Donel Key, pastor of the Blanket Church, is doing the preaching and R. E. Neff is song director. Morning services begin at 8:30 o'clock and evening services start at 8:40.

Miss Sharon Lee Herring was honored Saturday afternoon with a miscellaneous shower at the community center. Refreshments were served to about 55 guests. Sharon Lee is the bride-elect of R. D. Childers of Cross Plains. They plan to be married next week.

Mrs. L. F. Mayfield is getting along satisfactorily after undergoing surgery at San Angelo last week.

Latest reports are that Mrs. Stella Watson of Ranger Park Inn at Santa Anna has been taken to Santa Anna Hospital and her condition is critical.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Evans and boys of Huntsville, Ala., visited her brother and family, the D. R. Goulds, Saturday. They were en route to Seattle, Wash., where they will leave by air for Korea where he will be stationed for two years.

Johnnie Tinney and boys of efors are spending this week with the Jack Strickland family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hutchins of Weatherford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jennings, and other relatives and

friends last week end. Mr. and Mrs. James Ward and Tina Kay of Crozet, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDowell of Abilene were visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Colie Thate and Boots McDowell from Sunday to Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fuller of Odessa visited in the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson, one day and night last week. They were en route home from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Burkett and Mrs. Mae Beaver spent Sunday in San Angelo with relatives.

Mrs. Claude Tyler of Coleman visited with Mrs. Willie Henderson Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson attended the wedding of Karen Reese, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Reese of San Angelo. Candy Henderson was a member of the house party.

Earl Baker of Ballinger and Bob Baker of Fort Worth spent Friday to Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker. While they were here they plowed their father's land because he is hardly able to work due to his age and health.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Oliver of Artesia, N. M., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Ava Bell Oliver, and sister and son, Mrs. A. E. Brown, and Dub.

F. C. Newton is in California where he is spending several weeks in the homes of his children who live on the West Coast.

## Do You Remember?..

### 55 Years Ago

A. W. Booth, one of the county's old timers, has related to the newspaper how he kept a ten dollar bill (unknown to him) for 35 years. When the country was first organized he did some work for the county for which he received \$30 from Judge Brown at Baird. When he returned home he filed away some papers which he had never looked at until a few days before when he found a \$10 bill folded in one of the papers. "Just think," he said, "how often I was hard up and needed a few dollars and that ten dollar bill was there all the time."

W. M. Mathews was in town from his home near Dressy Monday. Mr. Mathews was a Confederate soldier and related that most of his soldier friends have gone to their eternal resting place.

FOUND: Saturday ... lady's black velvet shoe, number 4 1/2 has 10 buttons. Owner may have shoe by applying at newspaper office and paying for this notice.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hall celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Wednesday, Feb. 28, at their home in Cross Plains.

Cross Plains Fire Department was organized last week and has ordered 500 feet of hose and a hose cart which will be delivered within 15 days. Members of the department are Gray Powell, Eldon Boydston, Sam Carson, John Carter, Chess Baum, Pierce Shackelford, Board Bond, Alfred Williams, J. M. Greenhill, Fred Robertson, Mayor Wagner and city aldermen.

Crops in the Cross Plains area are saved again by soaking rain which fell Monday and Monday night.

Woodrow Wilson has been nominated for the presidency by the Democratic National Convention.

The moving picture show is running Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights, and Saturday afternoon. The picture is bright.

The cornerstone of the Cross Plains Public School building was laid Tuesday evening by the Masonic Lodge.

Miss Luah Cutbirth and Mr. Russell Hart were married at the Methodist Church in Baird Aug. 14.

Jack Aiken, commissioner, has begun work claying the sandy stretch of road one mile south of town.

Nov. 22 file: Public school opened Monday morning in the new building. Members of the faculty are S. E. Settle, Misses Jonnie Beard, Vina Gaines, Grace Cox, Myrtle Trantum and Alice Ford.

### 50 Years Ago

C. J. Russell and Miss Annie Cade were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Cade the 20th ... Thursday one inch of rain fell in Cross Plains ... Workers on the Red Cross drive reported

they secured \$63 ... The Drew Hill home in the southwest part of town was destroyed by fire Sunday night. The family is living in a tent preparatory to rebuilding at an early date ... Miss Ophelia Wesley, a teacher of Botany in C. I. A. Denton, is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley ... Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Neeb announce the birth of a daughter on the 11th ... Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Jones returned to Callahan County last week to make their home after living in Arizona for some time.

### 41 Years Ago

Saturday, July 24, is primary election date ... More oil wells have been completed in the area. Humble Co. and the Texas Company have leased lots of acreage in the area ... Geo. Baum threshed 3,100 bushels oats recently on his place near the bayou ... Mr. and Mrs. Tom Havens and children of Brownwood spent the week end with the Henry Williams family ... Cross Plains baseball club defeated the Baird Coyotes 16-2 Sunday ... George Bennett who is attending summer school at Stephenville, spent the week end with homefolk.

### 31 Years Ago

Work will begin Monday morning on the \$8,076 road from here to Abilene ... School patrons desiring to transfer their children to another school district must do so before August 1 ... Juanita Vestal began work at the West Texas Utilities Co. Wednesday ... July 29 will be clean up day at the cemetery here ... The Elmer Vestal, Jody Huntington and Everett Wright families are on a week's fishing trip to Don Martine Lake in Mexico.

### NEWS OF

## Former Residents

C. R. (Raymond) Steele, a revered, early day school teacher in this area, writes from 2402 Slide Road in Lubbock to order a birthday subscription sent to his son, Weldon and family, a custom of long standing.

With Mr. Steele's renewal order came the following communication which will be of interest to his many friends in the Cross Plains Dressy area:

"I wish to take this opportunity to correct some errors in a write-up about my wife and I when we lived for many years in the Dressy community and also the date of our moving from there.

"The article stated that when the last school I taught closed in May 1942, that we continued to live in the Dressy community for several years and later moved to Coleman, whereas the facts are: in early Spring of 1942 I was elected to teach in the Coleman County schools, a position that I accepted and where I continued to teach for six consecutive terms. After this last school closed in Coleman County in 1948, I accepted a school in Foard County and taught at Thalia in that county for three terms.

"I am proud of having been a member of the teacher's profession for some 46 years. I only wish that I could have been a more worthy member.

"In conclusion, I am writing this with a sad heart — a broken-hearted husband who has to face life alone, since my dear companion passed away on Feb. 4, 1967. This world will not be the same again for me. I miss her cheerful and sunny disposition and sincere Christian life."

Billy C. Freeman, son of Mrs. Fannie Freeman formerly of Pioneer, has been promoted to assistant vice-president by the First National Bank in San Angelo. The Cross Plains High School graduate has been with the San Angelo bank since 1962 and had been an assistant cashier since early last year.

Freeman and his family live at 404 South Monroe in San Angelo.

Nathan Oliver of Artesia, N. M., who played shortstop on the great semi-pro baseball team which Cross Plains had during the oil boom days of the mid-1920's, was here recently and told of having recently visited with "Chick" Bond in Snyder, who played first base on the squad. He also said that Howard Mitchell, slugging outfielder on the old time team, works for a bomber factory at Fort Worth.

## "Story Of Elijah" Slated At Mission

The story of Elijah will be portrayed with puppets at the Old Time Gospel Mission here Thursday night of this week and the same date next week. The presentation will be made by Evangelist Mary Worden of Hennessee, Okla. Poth services start at 8 o'clock and Mrs. Charley McCowen, pastor, invites the public to attend.

## Williams Reunion Is Slated Saturday

A reunion of former residents of the Williams community and those who once attended school there will be held Sunday, Aug. 13. The gathering will be in the gymnasium on the old school campus. Attenders are asked to bring basket lunches.

## MRS. C. C. McDERMOTT IN ABILENE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Carlos McDermott remains in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene after having undergone major surgery Wednesday of last week. Her room number is A-508.

Mrs. J. M. McMillan is still hospitalized in Abilene.

Oscar Anderson is reported improved in a veterans hospital in Temple.

Mrs. Linnie Green and H. L. McGowen visited their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Olsen, at Meridian first of the week.

## Bowden-Nicholas Nuptials Exchanged At Abilene

Miss Betty Diane Nicholas of Abilene and Kent Floyd Bowden of Cross Plains exchanged marriage vows Saturday in Corinth Baptist Church at Abilene.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Tommy Nicholas, and the late Mr. Nicholas. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bowden are the bridegroom's parents.

The Rev. James Johnson of Breckenridge officiated. Debbie Mayhall was organist, Ken Mayhall soloist.

Presented in marriage by her brother, Don Nicholas, the bride wore an empire gown of silk organza over taffeta with alencon lace bodice and sleeves. A sleeveless coat formed the train.

Flower headdress with seed pearl and crystal accents held her veil. She carried a gardenia and white roses.

Jan Roberts of Goree was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Donna White, Bobbi Sue Tubbs and Toni Johnson of Breckenridge, and junior bridesmaid was Betsy Bowden of Cross Plains, sister of the bridegroom.

They wore empire gowns of aqua and matching bow headdresses with veils. They carried daisies.

Denise and Dana Mayhall were flower girls.

Best man was Mike Bowden of Fort Worth, brother of the bridegroom. Groomsmen were Danny Nicholas, the bride's bro-

ther, Don Coker of Odom of Cross Plains, brother of the bridegroom, Arnold Childers of Odom, both of Cross Plains, and seated guests.

The bride was graduated from Cooper High School and an associate in nursing from Cisco Junior College. She is freshman at a cheerleader.

A graduate of Cross Plains High School, Bowden recently completed a tour of duty with the army.

The couple will live after a trip to Brainerd. Parents of the bride hosted the rehearsal.

## GEORGE BENNETT VACATION VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett have returned to El Centro, Calif., after here with his mother, Mrs. Bennett. She accompanied on a trip to points where they met kinsmen.

George, who left in the early 1930's, is visiting old friends and mates Monday. "I am here with his mother," he said, "and I wish and hope they will call when they come my part of the world."

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## Silas Havens Expires In Midland Saturday

Silas Havens, 85, retired farmer and longtime resident of the Cross Plains area, died at 12:05 a.m. Sunday in a Midland hospital.

Funeral was held from the Cross Plains Church of Christ Tuesday at 10 a.m. with Lawrence A. Smith of Abilene Christian College officiating.

Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery beside the grave of his wife, who died Jan. 2, 1961, with Higginbotham Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Havens was born Oct. 26, 1881, in Dallas. He was a member of the Church of Christ and the Woodmen of the World. He still owned the farm, two miles southwest of town, where he and his late wife lived and where their children were reared.

Survivors are three sons, S. L. of Midland, W. F. of Gardena, Calif. and C. C. of Garland; four daughters, Mrs. E. L. McIntosh of Odessa, Mrs. W. D. Brown of Midland, Mrs. R. E. Haakonsen and Mrs. H. W. Anderson, both of Fox River Grove, Ill.; 14 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers Tuesday were: Ted Souder, Raymond Franke, Oscar Koenig, Troy Crockett, James Chesshir and Carl Champion.

## Personals

Mrs. Clarence Bush returned home last week end from South Texas, where she spent two weeks at the bedside of her sister who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Browning of Abilene spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burks. Other visitors in the Burks home were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edrington and daughter of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Holden and daughter of New Orleans, who have been visiting his mother in Rising Star, were renewing acquaintances with old friends in Cross Plains Tuesday.

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**WANTED:** Go Cart without motor. Contact Mrs. Sam Eakin phone 725-4473. 18 2tc

**FOR SALE:** 3 bedroom house. 1955 4-door Dodge car and 10 acre grass farm with 5-room house and 2 good wells. Will lease farm. See T. A. (Bud) Nunn or Frances Kendrick, 1 door north of City Hall. 1tp

**FOR SALE:** Ladies golf clubs, 4 woods, 6 irons, 9 through 3, \$45. See Mrs. J. C. Bowden. 19 3tp

**FOR SALE:** Fat hens and fryers, 40 cents each. J. G. Hawkins, 10 miles north of Rising Star, 1/2 mile east of Romney store. 17 tfc

**FOR SALE:** Reasonably priced 2-bedroom home. Air conditioned, garage, carport and well. J. H. Strahan. 18 5tc

**FOR SALE:** 9 gilts and 2 boars, all registered Hampshire. Gene Gann, Rising Star Route 2, telephone 643-4382. 19 2tp

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We are humbly grateful to friends and neighbors for their countless manifestations of sympathy and concern during our bereavement caused by the passing of our loved one. Words are inadequate to express the appreciation we feel to each of you. Please accept this simple thanks as acknowledgement of the lasting gratitude we shall forever hold for each of you.  
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## BROWNWOOD Cattle Auction

August 2, 1967

**MARKET:** Steady and active on packers and stocker cows with last week's decline. Pairs very active. Steer yearlings about steady with some 50c to \$1.00 lower. Steer calves uneven with spots \$1.00 to \$2.00 lower. Heifers fully steady with last week.

Estimated Receipts: 1,600 head

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| Stocker Steer Calves    | Wts. 250-425 lbs. .... 29-35       |
| Stocker Heifer Calves   | Wts. 250-425 lbs. .... 26-31       |
| Steer Yearlings         | Wts. 500-700 lbs. .... 23.50-26.50 |
| Heifer Yearlings        | ..... 23-25.50                     |
| Plain Feeder Steers     | ..... 21.50-25                     |
| Plain Feeder Heifers    | ..... 20-23.50                     |
| Cows and Calves, pair   | Good ..... \$200-\$245             |
| Plain                   | ..... \$160-\$200                  |
| Stocker Cows            | ..... 15-18.50                     |
| Slaughter Cattle        | Fat calves ..... 24-25.75          |
| Fat cows                | ..... 16-17.80                     |
| Utility and cutter cows | ..... 15-16                        |
| Canners                 | ..... 13.50-15                     |
| Shells                  | ..... 11-13                        |
| Stocker bulls           | ..... 21-26                        |
| Slaughter bulls         | ..... 20-23.50                     |
| Hogs (top)              | ..... 21.50                        |

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**FOR SALE:** My home on East 9th Street, situated on a 75 x 150 foot lot. Also have house and lot at Lakeshore Lodge priced right. See Mrs. Josie Trantham, or write P. O. Box 353, Cross Plains. 19 3tp

**FOR SALE:** Two year lease, stock and equipment on good grocery and ice business located on Highway 36, 1/2 block east of red light in Cross Plains. Come by Bill's Drive-In Grocery or contact Bill Vineyard. 19 tfc

**FOR RENT:** Furnished, 2-bedroom apartment and three trailer spaces. Call after 5 p.m., 725-4654, or see B. C. McCowen. 19 2tc

**FOUND:** Covering plow for tractor (found on State Highway 206) owner may have same by contacting me and paying for this ad. J. W. Brown, Cross Plains. 1tp

**FOR SALE:** Mated pair of Welsh ponies. Real gentle and good kid ponies. Contact Glenn Merrill or call 725-4625. 19 2tp

**WANTED:** Hay baling, new crimping machine and baler. Joe Ingram, phone 725-4339, Cross Plains. 12 tfc

**WRECKING:** An old barn 44'x90'. Lots of 2x6's, 2x4's 1x4's, 4x4's and 1x12's, no rotten lumber. Write or come and see lumber. Will sell for 6c per board foot. A. C. Evans, P. O. Box 264, Talpa, Texas 76882. 18 2tc

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**FOR SALE To Be Moved:** 7-room, 4-room and 2-room houses, formerly Lucille Rich property, or will rent where located. C. H. Dawson, owner, 245 Brownwood Road, Cross Plains. 1tc

**RELIGIOUS BOOKS** are now on sale and by order at Vaughn's Grocery in Cross Plains. New revised edition of Halley's Bible Handbook, non-denominational (over 2 million copies in print), in stock. Other books and Royal Bibles by order. 19 11tc

**I HAVE** property owner at Shamrock Shores, Lake Brownwood, that is leaving the state. He will sacrifice \$200 equity for \$40. Balance of \$350 to be paid \$15 per month. See Gary Luker at Shamrock Shores office Ph 6436161. 19 4tc

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# Sabanno Needs Rain; Hay Fine

**Mrs. Edwin Erwin**

The past few weeks have been busy for the hay raisers, most every farmer has more hay in their barns than in a long time. The dry land peanut farmers are needing rain on their crops along with rain in general.

Report from game night was that a good crowd and several visitors attended.

This week end will be a full week end with a big day at Pioneer Thursday and then the Old Settlers Reunion in Cross Plains Friday, a day we all love to remember where we can see and meet old friends and a good day in general.

We had donations of \$2 from each of the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vestal for our cemetery. Mrs. Paul Lutzenburger, Mrs. Claude Mayes

and Dick Vestal. We thank you for all donations. Our cemetery is in good condition and it is a place we want to keep beautiful.

The children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Zed Green met at the home of their brother, Zeddie Green, in Cisco for a reunion last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen (Vance) of Andrews, Ina Green of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Masters (Gladys) of California, Shortie of Cisco, Arzie of Sabanno and Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Stencil of Big Spring. In Carrol Stencil of Big Spring attended. Afternoon music was enjoyed by the Green brothers and Bob Blackwell and son of Sabanno. The Edwin Erwins were invited to be with the family and all had a good visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Norred of Big Spring, Bill Brandon of Put-

nam visited with their father, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Friday morning.

Moody Laminack attended the Kendrick Jamboree at their place between Cisco and Eastland Saturday night. He reported a most joyous evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Earl Casey and children of San Angelo spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey, Sr. They all visited with Jim Casey in Eastland Saturday.

Mrs. Calvin Morris entered Saint Ann Hospital in Abilene Friday where she is undergoing x-ray tests. We hope she will soon be much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Day of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilcoxon and baby of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon Jr., and Joe Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary Hollis and Minter B. accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ramsey and Mary Francis to Anson Sunday where Mrs. Hollis and her sister had a good day together at the home of her sister, Mrs. Gene Parker.

Mrs. Truett Dawkins attended a bridal shower in the home of her niece, Dianne Brooks, in Cisco last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb and children and families are having a good time together at Proctor Lake this week.

Mrs. Ethel Brown visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Key and daughter of Cross Plains visited with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lester King and sons Friday evening.



Mrs. Charles J. Strength, Jr.

## Purvis - Strength Vows Are Repeated Recently

Linda Helen Purvis and Betty Purvis was bridesmaid. The attendants wore sleeveless wedding dresses of yellow dotted Swiss, and carried long stemmed roses.

J. W. Tomlinson of Brownwood was the groom's best man and Walter Pope was groomsmen.

Mrs. Melody Strickland was organist and Peggy Purvis was soloist.

Ruth Faucett of Abilene was flower girl and Charles Wayne Tomlinson was ring bearer. Candles were lighted by Cheryl Faucett of Abilene and Jimmy Glenn Riffe. Ushers were Reggie Stover and Herbie Strength.

The brides parents hosted a reception at the church following the ceremonies.

The couple now make their home at White Settlement, near Fort Worth, where he is employed by General Dynamics.

**LL STARS HONORED WITH STEAK SUPPER**

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell, owners and operators of Sisters Cafe in Cross Plains, sponsored a steak supper for Cross Plains Little League All-Stars Tuesday of last week.

Fifteen players attended the fete as did Manager Lester Wyatt and N. L. Dillard, local league president.

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### EX-AREA AIRMAN NOW WITH VIETNAM FORCES

Airman First Class Howard J. Daughtrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Daughtrey of Charleston, S. C., is on duty at Tuy Hoa Air Base, South Vietnam.

His wife, Virginia, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Corn of Baird.

Airman Daughtrey, a plumber, is a member of the Pacific Air Forces which provides air power to maintain the U.S. defense posture in the Pacific and conducts air operations in Southeast Asia.

Before his arrival in Southeast Asia, he was assigned to Dyess Air Force Base.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McGowen and two sons of Pecos visited here briefly Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robinson of Del Rio spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Martin are spending the week visiting their children in Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Martin are expecting their grandson, James Clyde Martin, home from Vietnam about Aug. 20.



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### FREDDIE JOHNSTON ENDS 6-WEEK R.O.T.C. TRAINING

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He received six weeks of training designed to evaluate his potential as a future Army officer. Successful completion of the basic camp enables him to train towards a commission while in college under the new two-year ROTC program.

Training is similar to that given Army basic trainees.

### HOWETT N. WILSONS NOW ON VACATION

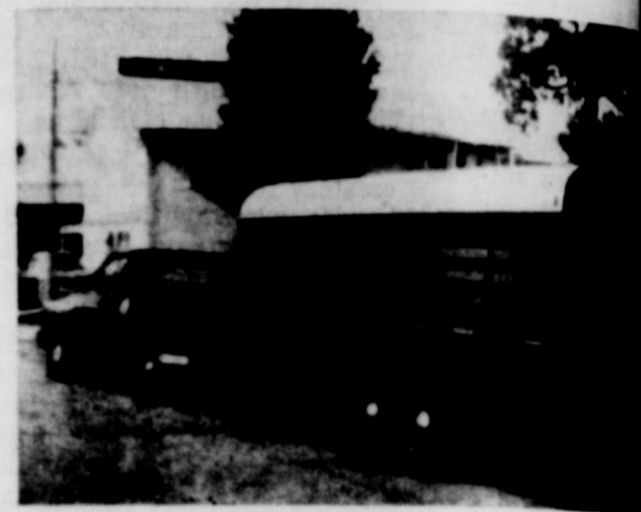
Mr. and Mrs. Howett Wilson and sons are now vacationing in the northwestern United States and Canada. They planned to visit Washington, Canada, Vancouver Island and back through Oregon and California. They are to be gone for several days.

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### Rallies Kayo Chiefs Senior Teen Baseball

winning rallies drop- ed two and allowed the three runs on four hits. Cross Plains touched winning pitcher Allen Grider for the one run on four hits and two free passes. Cross Plains had base runners in the fourth, fifth and seventh, but could not manage a timely hit. Chiefs hitters were Randy Walker, single; Weaver and Barr, doubles; and Lockwood, triple.

**Ranger Rally Wins**  
Friday night Ranger rallied for a trio of runs in the fifth and seventh innings to overcome a 5-0 Chief advantage.

Cross Plains claimed a 2-0 lead in the second when Ricky Jones lead off with a home run to left-center field. Sammy Balkum then singled and Jim Freeman drove the base runner home with a double. In the third Gary Fomy upped the lead to 3-0. On Jones' single after walking and stealing third. Chiefs got two more runs in the fifth when Walker led off with a single and scored on Jones' double. Barr sacrificed Jones to third and Robert Merrill singled the final run across the plate. Cross Plains collected 12 hits.

Jones was the losing pitcher in going the route and fanning six. He had fashioned a two-hitter with two outs in the seventh when an error, two singles and a double doomed the Chiefs. Ranger picked up three runs on a home run with two runners, aboard on errors, on the bases.

Chiefs, champions of the Inner-City League, have ended their season, but manager D. C. Jones said last week end that prospects look good for next year. Eight Chiefs will be back, and at least seven players will graduate from junior teenage status.

Jones expressed his appreciation to all who helped in any way to make the season successful, and especially thanked umpires, money donors and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Merrill, executive vice-president and secretary-treasurer respectively of the local teenage league.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox left Saturday for Schriever, La., where they were to visit several days in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Yarbrough and Patricia.

Mrs. Charles Whitehead of Austin visited her grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Graham, and Ruby Copeland here Thursday while en route to visit her son, Richard Whitehead, who is stationed at Fort Carson, Colo.

### Mrs. Martha Arvin Buried On Sunday

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Victoria Arvin, 88, mother of Floyd O'Dell of Cross Plains, were held Sunday from the Cross Plains Church of Christ at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. Arvin died at 7 p.m. Friday in Permian General Hospital in Andrews where she had been a patient since June 28, being transferred there from an Abilene hospital. The deceased had made her home with her son here prior to her illness, but had resided in Cottonwood most of her life. She also spent several years in Santa Maria, Calif. Mrs. Arvin was born March 1, 1879, in Erath.

Minister H. McDonald of Rising Star officiated at the final rites and was assisted by Cross Plains minister, Dan C. Flournoy. Burial was in Cottonwood Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Survivors are two sons, R. L. O'Dell of Andrews and Floyd of Cross Plains; three sisters, Mrs. Luella Knox of Houston, Mrs. Ellen Kersh of Plainview and Mrs. Mabelle Grothe of Abilene; one brother, Johnny Cox of Abilene; six grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were James Ches-shir, Oscar Koenig, Elmer Peavy, Doyle Cowan, Troy Crockett and Lewis Woody.

**W. W. AISHMAN STILL PATIENT AT SANTA ANNA**  
W. W. Aishman of Cross Plains is reported seriously ill in a Santa Anna Hospital where he has been a patient for past 17 days.

Mrs. Aishman was also hospitalized there recently, but is now recuperating at home here.

### Bertha Hutchins To Marry Denton Man September 30

Mr. and Mrs. Charnel G. Hutchins announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Bertha Lee, to Marion Shirley Johnson of Denton.

The couple will exchange marriage vows Sept. 30 at 5 p.m. in the home of the bride-elect's parents here, with the Rev. Roger Butler, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains, officiating.

Miss Hutchins is a graduate of Texas Woman's University and is presently employed as a child welfare worker with the State Department of Public Welfare in Lamesa. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Denton High School and was attending North Texas State University when he enlisted in the Army. He is a veteran of duty in Vietnam, and intends to continue his college education at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

The couple plan to reside in Lamesa.

### BAUBY BOY IS BORN TO COUPLE KNOWN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newton of Bryan are parents of a seven-pound baby boy, born July 31. He has been named Jon Harrison.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton of Cross Cut and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McQuinn of Cross Plains. Frank Pumphrey of Winters is the great-grandfather.

The Newtons have one other child, Angela, who will soon be five years old.

**DODDS, MERRYMAN PLAY IN BASEBALL TOURNEY**  
David Merryman and Joe Dodds played with the runner-up Comanche Hot Rods in a junior teenage baseball tournament at Coleman last week end.

The two local youths, members of the Cross Plains Drillers, were selected for the Comanche team for tournament play. The Hot Rods lost to Baird in the initial game, but won four other games before bowing to Eastland in finals Saturday night.

Merryman saw action as a pitcher, and Dodds played catcher.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pyle were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Walker of San Saba, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCarthy and three boys of Kansas City, Mrs. Ralph Newsom of Palacios and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Newsom of Vernon.

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### JIMMIELEE PAYNES ON VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmielee Payne and daughters, and their son, James, a teacher in California, are vacationing this week in New Mexico and Colorado.

Mrs. J. M. Greenwood, Mrs. Albert Conlee and Mrs. Earl Pyle spent Saturday in Abilene with Mrs. L. L. Howser, who has been in the hospital.

### MRS. W. L. BRYAN STRICKEN MONDAY

Mrs. W. L. Bryan suffered a stroke at her home here early Monday morning and was rushed in a local ambulance to Callahan County Hospital in Baird.

Friends will be pleased to know that she is believed improving satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gilmore were visitors in Snyder Sunday.

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 17 proposing an amendment to Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, so as to authorize an increase in the total amount of bonds or obligations that may be issued by the Veterans' Land Board to Four Hundred Million Dollars (\$400,000,000); providing for the issuance of said bonds or obligations and the conditions relating thereto and the use of the Veterans' Land Fund; and providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, be amended so that the same will hereafter read as follows:

"Section 49-b. By virtue of prior Amendments to this Constitution, there has been created a governmental agency of the State of Texas performing governmental duties which has been designated the Veterans' Land Board. Said Board shall continue to function for the purposes specified in all of the prior Constitutional Amendments except as modified herein. Said Board shall be composed of the Commissioner of the General Land Office and two (2) citizens of the State of Texas, one (1) of whom shall be well versed in veterans' affairs and one (1) of whom shall be well versed in finances. One (1) such citizen member shall, with the advice and consent of the Senate, be appointed biennially by the Governor to serve for a term of four (4) years; but the members serving on said Board on the date of adoption hereof shall complete the terms to which they were appointed. In the event of the resignation or death of any such citizen member, the Governor shall appoint a replacement to serve for the unexpired portion of the term to which the deceased or resigning member had been appointed. The compensation for said citizen members shall be as is now or may hereafter be fixed by the Legislature; and each shall make bond in such amount as is now or may hereafter be prescribed by the Legislature.

"The Commissioner of the General Land Office shall act as Chairman of said Board and shall be the administrator of the Veterans' Land Program under such terms and restrictions as are now or may hereafter be provided by law. In the absence or illness of said Commissioner, the Chief Clerk of the General Land Office shall be Acting Chairman of said Board with the same duties and powers that said Commissioner would have if present.

"The Veterans' Land Board may provide for, issue and sell not to exceed Four Hundred Million Dollars (\$400,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the Veterans' Land Fund, Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) of which have heretofore been issued and sold. Such bonds or obligations shall be sold for not less than

interest on the bonds heretofore and hereafter issued by said Board shall be paid out of the moneys of said Fund in conformity with the Constitutional provisions authorizing such bonds; but the moneys of said Fund which are not immediately committed to the payment of principal and interest on such bonds, the purchase of lands as herein provided, or the payment of expenses as herein provided may be invested in bonds or obligations of the United States until such funds are needed for such purposes.

"All moneys comprising a part of said Fund and not expended for the purposes herein provided shall be a part of said Fund until there are sufficient moneys therein to retire fully all of the bonds heretofore or hereafter issued and sold by said Board, at which time all such moneys remaining in said Fund, except such portion thereof as may be necessary to retire all such bonds which portion shall be set aside and retained in said Fund for the purpose of retiring all such bonds, shall be deposited to the credit of the General Revenue Fund to be appropriated to such purposes as may be prescribed by law.

"All moneys becoming a part of said Fund hereafter shall likewise be deposited to the credit of the General Revenue Fund.

"When a Division of said Fund (each Division consisting of the moneys attributable to the bonds issued and sold pursuant to a single Constitutional authorization and the lands purchased therewith) contains sufficient moneys to retire all of the bonds secured by such Division, the moneys thereof, except such portion as may be needed to retire all of the bonds secured by such Division which portion shall be set aside and remain a part of such Division for the purpose of retiring all such bonds, may be used for the purpose of paying the principal and interest thereon, together with the expenses herein authorized, of any other bonds heretofore or hereafter issued and sold by said Board. Such use shall be a matter for the discretion and direction of said Board; but there may be no such use of any such moneys contrary to the rights of any holder of any of the bonds issued and sold by said Board or violative of any contract to which said Board is a party.

"The Veterans' Land Fund shall be used by said Board for the purpose of purchasing lands situated in the State of Texas owned by the United States or any governmental agency thereof, owned by the Texas Prison System or any other governmental agency of the State of Texas, or owned by any person, firm, or corporation. All lands thus purchased shall be acquired at the lowest price obtainable, to be paid for in cash, and shall be a part of said Fund. Such lands heretofore or hereafter purchased and comprising a part of said Fund are hereby declared to be held for a governmental purpose, although the individual purchasers thereof shall be subject to taxation to the same extent and in the same manner as are purchasers of lands dedicated to the Permanent Free Public School Fund.

"The lands of the Veterans' Land Fund shall be sold by said Board in such quantities, on such terms, at such prices, at such rates of interest and under such rules and regulations as are now or may hereafter be provided by law to veterans who served not less than ninety (90) continuous days, unless sooner discharged by reason of a service-connected disability, on active duty in the Army, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard or Marine Corps of the United States between September 16, 1940, and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from Viet Nam, and who, upon the date of filing his or her application to purchase any such land is a citizen of the United States, is a bona fide resident of the State of Texas, and has not been dishonorably discharged from any branch of the Armed Forces above-named and who at the time of his or her enlistment, induction, commissioning or draft, was a bona fide resident of the State of Texas, or who has resided in Texas at least five (5) years prior to the date of filing his or her application. The foregoing notwithstanding, any lands in the Veterans' Land Fund which have been first offered for sale to veterans and which have not been sold may be sold or resold to such purchasers, in such quantities, and on such terms, and at such prices and under such rules and regulations as are now or may hereafter be provided by law.

"Said Veterans' Land Fund, to the extent of the moneys attributable to any bonds hereafter issued and sold by said Board may be used by said Board, as is now or may hereafter be provided by law, for the purpose of paying the expenses of surveying, monumenting, road construction, legal fees, recordation fees, advertising and other like costs necessary or incidental to the purchase and sale, or resale, of any lands purchased with any of the moneys attributable to such additional bonds, such expenses to be added to the price of such lands when sold, or resold, by said Board; for the purpose of paying the expenses of issuing, selling, and delivering any such additional bonds; and for the purpose of meeting the interest or principal due or to become due on any such additional bonds.

"All of the moneys attributable to any series of bonds hereafter issued and sold by said Board (a 'series of bonds' being all of the bonds issued and sold in a single transaction as a single installment of bonds) may be used for the purchase of lands as herein provided, to be sold as herein provided, for a period ending eight (8) years after the date of sale of such series of bonds; provided, however, that no such moneys as may be necessary to pay interest on bonds hereafter issued and sold shall be set aside for that purpose in accordance with the resolution adopted by said Board authorizing the issuance and sale of such series of bonds. After such eight (8) year period, all of such moneys shall be set aside for the re-

retirement of any bonds hereafter issued and sold and to pay interest thereon, together with any expenses as provided herein, in accordance with the resolution or resolutions authorizing the issuance and sale of such additional bonds, until there are sufficient moneys to retire all of the bonds hereafter issued and sold, at which time all such moneys then remaining a part of said Veterans' Land Fund and thereafter becoming a part of said Fund shall be governed as elsewhere provided herein.

"This Amendment being intended only to establish a basic framework and not to be a comprehensive treatment of the Veterans' Land Program, there is hereby reposed in the Legislature full power to implement and effectuate the design and objects of this Amendment, including the power to delegate such duties, responsibilities, functions, and authority to the Veterans' Land Board as it believes necessary.

"Should the Legislature enact any enabling laws in anticipation of this Amendment, no such law shall be void by reason of its anticipatory nature.

"This Amendment shall become effective upon its adoption."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on November 11, 1967, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the amendment to extend the Veterans' Land Program by authorizing the sale of bonds to increase the Veterans' Land Fund for the purpose of purchasing land in Texas to be sold to Texas veterans who served in the Armed Services of the United States between September 16, 1940, and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the present armed conflict in Viet Nam, which amendment would amend Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, and provide for an additional \$200,000,000 in bonds, such funds to be expended in accordance with instructions and requirements that may be provided by law."

"AGAINST the amendment to extend the Veterans' Land Program by authorizing the sale of bonds to increase the Veterans' Land Fund for the purpose of purchasing land in Texas to be sold to Texas veterans who served in the Armed Services of the United States between September 16, 1940, and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the present armed conflict in Viet Nam, which amendment would amend Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, and provide for an additional \$200,000,000 in bonds, such funds to be expended in accordance with instructions and requirements that may be provided by law."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

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# Happy Events Highlight Cottonwood News Beat

By Hazel I. Respos

Little Rhonda Bedford, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Jack Bedford, celebrated her seventh birthday with a party Tuesday afternoon of last week in her parents' home. Those who attended were: Tracy Billard, Edith and Barbara Ingram, Frances Knott, Marie Hopson and Sue Bedford of Abilene. Rhonda received a long distance telephone call from her grandmother in Dallas wishing her a happy birthday. She also received many beautiful gifts, including a shoulder purse and \$7 in money. Rhonda said, "It was a wonderful birthday."

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Myrick and family, Wadie and Sammie, of Garland visited his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick, Wednesday night of last week. Mrs. Mollie Brightwell, Mrs. Bernice Louise Newcomb and Mrs. A. G. Waggoner of Baird had supper Wednesday night of last week with Mrs. Ethel Anderson here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Coppinger visited with Mrs. Ethel Anderson Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore recently returned from a two week vacation at Corpus Christi where they had a cabin where they could fish and relax. They also visited their children there. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Moore. They reported an enjoyable vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Myrick and family of Brenham visited his parents here first of the week.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waggoner here over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Arvol Cohagen and son, Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. Garold Brown of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Owens and two sons, Raymond and Richard, of San Angelo.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Lavrie Foutz of Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Ray and Mrs. Fred Heyser of Baird.

R. D. Childers is a civilian again after serving two years in the U. S. Army. He was promoted to Special 4 in the army before being discharged.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Childers and children are spending a few days at home and are working on their new home about two miles east of here. They will return to Kermit where he will resume his work.

Miss Mary Weaver recently visited in Denton returning by way of Fort Worth where her sister, Mrs. Shirley Byrd, joined her for the trip home. Dean returned to his home in Fort Worth last Friday with the Byrds.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs.

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O. S. Smith here recently were: his son, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith, their daughter and her girl friend of Odessa. Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith went on to other places selling his maps and books.

Last week a newhew and his family and a boy friend of his son's visited Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith, and attended the baseball games at Coleman. The boys played with the Colorado City team.

## Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. James Foster and children from Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pillans and girls of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Foster visited on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black and Barbara were in Fort Worth Saturday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Al Graham and saw the Graham's new baby boy. The Grahams have three daughters also. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith were there also. Loy Don came home after six months in the National Guard at Fort Ord, Calif. The Blacks met him in Dallas.

Vee and Harvey visited with Mrs. Ethel Hewes Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tip Wrinkle visited with Maggie Wilson Thursday afternoon. Maggie visited with Mary B. McCleod Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom with Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Foster and Lela and Gerald Foster, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre and girls spent Friday and Saturday at Lake Brownwood. The Tatoms, Lela and Gerald Foster went home Saturday afternoon. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Turner of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Darvel Hutchins of Seminole and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins and sons joined them on Saturday and Sunday.

Maggie Wilson spent Friday with Mrs. Ethel Hewes. It was Maggie's birthday and Mrs. Hewes made her a cake. Harvey and Billy were there also.

Mrs. Christine Nance and daughter, Betty, and her children, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom visited with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Odum and son at Rowden Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. V. Dickson attended the annual Dickson-Harris Reunion at Graham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dillard and little daughter have been vacationing in Arkansas.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coburn this week were their daughter, Patti Sue Dolenger and two sons of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Peavy were in Dallas during the week end visiting friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Champion and Vonita visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mosley and son, in Goldthwaite last week end.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover visited Mr. and Mrs. George Forbes in Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clark and two sons of Dallas spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Jeff Clark. Les, a nine-year-old, remained for a longer visit with his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson left Monday for Dallas, where he is attending annual convention of Texas Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association. The organization is honoring Edmondson for 30 years service in the agriculture teaching field.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Peavy and Denise of Midland were here this week. They picked up her nephew and niece, Mickel and Kathy Gallivan, who had been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Sandifer, and returned them to their home in Arlington, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. George Friend and children of Denver, Colo., arrived here Sunday for a three week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Craig McNeel. The Friends were to attend "Six Flags Over Texas" at Arlington Wednesday.

## Double Funeral Held For Professor And Daughter

Double funeral was held from the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains Tuesday at 3 p.m. for Luther Elic Claborn, 32, and his 9-year-old daughter, Cynthia Ann, who were killed in a three-car accident at Tulsa, Okla., Thursday of last week. They were the son and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Claborn of Cross Plains.

The dead man's wife and another daughter, Cecile, were hurt in the mishap and are hospitalized at Tulsa, Okla. Mrs. Claborn was reported to have undergone surgery twice and is still in a critical condition.

The Claborns were en route from Urbana, Ill., to Houston, where he was to assume duties as professor of mathematics at Rice University. He had been on the faculty of the University of Illinois.

Tuesday afternoon's funeral was conducted by the Rev. Les White, Paint Creek Baptist minister, and the Rev. George Hughes. Burial was in Elm Cemetery, northeast of Rising Star, under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Cross Plains.

Mr. Claborn was born Nov. 9,

1934, in Huntington Park, Los Angeles, Calif. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Crosbyton and married Mary Lee Van Atten Sept. 7, 1954, in Lubbock.

Mr. Claborn held a PhD degree in mathematics which he earned at the age of 27. Survivors include his wife and the daughter, Cecile; his parents; a sister, Mrs. Don Anderson of Crosbyton.

Cynthia Ann was born in Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 3, 1957.

Survivors are her mother; her sister, Cecile; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elic E. Claborn; her great-grandmother, Mrs. Aletha Major.

Pallbearers for Mr. Claborn were Jimmy McNeill, Owens Keith Crump, Arnold Hodges, Sam Covington, Jr., Charles G. Clarke and Robert Fossum.

Pallbearers for Cynthia Claborn were Danny Claborn, Weldon Hill, Larry Claborn, Norman Claborn, C. A. Claborn and J. W. Anderson.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Turner and son of Mineral Wells visited in Cross Plains last week. They had been vacationing on Brownwood Lake.

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A kindergarten may be organized in Cross Plains for children four and five years old if interest is sufficient.

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