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## Democrats Certify Dyer As Candidate

A. E. Dyer, Jr. has been certified as the Democratic candidate for County Judge of Callahan County at the general election set for Nov. 5.

At a special meeting of the executive committee in the courthouse at Baird Friday morning, Dyer resigned as County Democratic Chairman,

a post which he has held the past six years, and was unanimously certified as the party's candidate for the place on the ballot made by the recent death of Roy Gilbreath, incumbent, who had been re-nominated at the first primary.

Mrs. Gilbreath has been serving as interim judge, on an appointment by the Commissioners Court, until a successor, chosen at the November election, qualifies for the post.

Hugh Ross of Baird, prominent Baird rancher and lifelong resident of Callahan County, was appointed to replace Dyer as County Democratic Chairman. Ross has been serving as chairman for precinct one for the past several years, however, he formerly served as county chairman for the party.

Present at Friday morning's session were: Alton E. Hornsby of Cross Plains, J. C. Dyer of Putnam, Hilton Tarrant of Eula, Mrs. B. G. Poindexter of Oplin, Dyer and Ross.



Fred Tunnell At His Desk — From Photo Made In 1964

## Fred Tunnell Dies Tuesday Morning

Cross Plains was deeply shocked Tuesday morning when news arrived here that Fred Tunnell, president of the Citizens State Bank for the past 31 years, had died unexpectedly in Cody, Wyoming.

He and Mrs. Tunnell left Saturday at noon on a vacation trip to the northwest with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beene of Comanche. They had planned to be gone about one week. Mr. Beene, president of the Higginbotham corporation, telephoned Tuesday at 6 a.m. and said that Mr. Tunnell had passed away about 30 minutes before.

Death was attributed to heart attack.

Arrangements were made for the body to be flown to Abilene and Higginbotham Funeral Home received it there late Tuesday afternoon.

### Came Here In 1937

Mr. Tunnell had headed the local bank since Aug. 14, 1937. He came here from Rising Star, where he began his career with the old First National in that city in 1917. Two years later he moved to the Continental State Bank at Rising Star accepting the role of cashier and remained with that institution and its successor, the First State Bank, until coming to Cross Plains.

At the time he took over management of the local institution deposits were around \$149,000. Today they are more than 25 times that amount. Other phases of the bank's services have grown in direct proportion, and it now serves more than 2,000 regular customers.

### Community Leader

Since first taking residence

here Mr. Tunnell had been a leader in civic and religious affairs. He served the city as mayor from 1944 until 1946, had been president of the Chamber of Commerce and at intervals had headed the cemetery association, Red Cross and United Fund. He was at the time of his death a member of the board of directors for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and numerous civic bodies. His church affiliation was Methodist, and he had been a member of the local congregation's official board almost continually since coming here 31 years ago. He was exceptionally regular in attendance and served as head-usher.

Roy Butler of Ardmore, Okla., who owns and pilots his own plane, flew to Cody, Wyo., shortly after receipt of the news of his stepfather's death and returned his mother to Abilene. The body arrived there by air-herse, and was brought overland to Cross Plains by Higginbotham Funeral Home. Arrangements were incomplete as the Review went to press.

### Survivors

Mr. Tunnell is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Cecil (Mary Beth) Barton of Bellville; two sons, Fred J. Tunnell of Dallas and Jack W. Tunnell of Cross Plains; three stepsons, Roy Butler of Ardmore, Okla., Ray Butler of Alice and Keith Butler of Corpus Christi; one brother, Joe Tunnell of Levelland; three sisters, Mrs. Charley Smith of Rising Star, Mrs. Mabel Woods of Smyer in Scurry County, Mrs. Irma Carter of Las Cruces, N. M.; six grandchildren and four step-grandchildren.

## T. O. Powell Seeks Election To JP Post

T. O. Powell, a 40-year resident of Cross Plains, will be a candidate for justice of the peace, on the write-in ticket, at the general election scheduled Nov. 5.

On page five of today's issue of the Review Mr. Powell carries an introductory statement to voters.

Precinct six embraces not only Cross Plains but Rowden, Cottonwood, Dressy, Atwell and surrounding localities.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover were Coleman visitors Monday evening.

## Politicking Ends As Student Leaders Chosen For Four High School Classes

A week of politicking and campaigning was culminated at Cross Plains High School Monday with election of class officers for the ensuing year.

Scot Edington, principal, said that each candidate had opportunity during the past week to campaign for office of his choice in each of the four classes. He released the following slate of successful candidates.

Seniors selected Tommy Dadds as president and Dick Dickson, Jr. as vice-president.

Patsy Ingram was chosen secretary, and Sue Walker was named treasurer.

James McMillan won the chief executives' job of the junior class, and his running mate is Steve Fortune. Secretary's post went to Dianna Jones while Clovie Norris was picked treasurer.

Majority of sophomores voted Russell Gould into the chairmanship, and Debbie Tyler was nominated vice-president. Kala Dollard was picked secretary. Norma Merrill will handle the

finances.

The freshman class named Wayne Bishop as its leader. Sharon Bowen won the vice-presidential post, and secretary's seat went to Kathy Purvis. Sherry Ingram was elected treasurer.

Class sponsors were named as follows: Mrs. D. C. Lee, seniors; Eddie Howard, Mrs. Betty Odom and Ross Rowlett, juniors; O. B. Edmondson and J. M. Ethridge, sophomores; and Mr. and Mrs. Les Cowan, freshmen.



SCHOOL DAYS AT ROWDEN — This old picture, made during the 1921-22 school term at Rowden, is provided by Raymond Gibbs. In the first (bottom) row from left to right are:

Robert Hobbs, J. W. Shelton, Virgil Smedley, Charley Mahan, Joe Hazle, Nolan Mauldin, Claudell Sikes, Voncille Gibbs and Clifford Taylor; second row, Vernie Taylor, Vernie

Hazle, Mary Ella Lee, Dora Mahan, Corrie Lou Gibbs, Ruth Blakley, Ethel Taylor, Ava Nell Shelton, Wilma Nell Sikes, Raymond Mauldin and Gene Mauldin; third row, Elvin McCarty,

Cecil Gibbs, Hattie Smedley, Lillian Miller, Lola Smedley, teachers Patsy Austin and Mr. McMahan; fourth row, Warren Price, A. G. Hobbs, Calvin Miller and Elbert Hazle.

## First White Men Ever In Callahan County Rode Through Here 181 Years Ago

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As a leader for the task of selecting a possible communications route between the two towns, the governor of New Mexico chose Jose Mares, a retired militia corporal and a resident of Santa Fe. Whether under orders of the governor or as a voluntary gesture on his part, Mares kept a diary of the trip, and it is from this diary that one may trace his route. He described the terrain over which he passed, noted the campsites and named each one, and cited the distance traveled from day to day.

Preparations for the long trek to San Antonio having been finished, Mares and his companions waded to the townspeople on July 31, 1787. The day was the occasion for the celebration by the Catholic Church of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, and, as the corporal and his little band left

the settlement, numerous residents of Santa Fe accompanied them to their first campsite. A representative of the governor, bearing a standard of Spain, and priests of the Church, with miniature crosses displayed on silken banners, accompanied the militiamen to their first stop at Pecos, New Mexico.

The Mares diary indicates the slow but persistent progress of the men from New Mexico. No single entry in the document reveals more than 30 miles of travel in one day. More often the mileage was from 15 to 20.

The leader of the scouting party and governmental agents in the provincial capital knew next to nothing of the area between the Spanish frontier towns. They were acquainted, however, with the presence of Comanche and Wichita Indians in the wide expanse of the territory through which the militiamen would pass. This information appears to have influenced

Mares in the direction which he traveled and the contacts which he made with Indians he met along the way. Evidently he desired to reassure the tribesmen of Spanish friendship.

Between July 31 and September 5, Corporal Mares hardly veered from an almost straight course eastward. Early morning of September 5 found him in western Montague County. Nightfall of the same day witnessed his entry into a Wichita town that contained a hundred houses. The Wichita town came to be known as Spanish Fort and was a famous French trading station on Red River.

After visiting with the Wichita Indians for three days, Mares resumed his journey and headed in a generally southwest direction. During the interval between September 9 and September 24, the travelers traversed Archer, Young, Stephens and Shackelford counties. The campsite for September

23 was on a dry tributary of Hubbard Creek near the northeast corner of Callahan County. Although the Mares narrative notes that the site was comfortable, the leader appears to have considered it unworthy of any special honor, for he named it Marcial Creek.

A portion of the route for September 24 was through very very thick timber, some of which required tedious detours. During the day the men came to a pass between high hills from which, when they emerged, they observed a mesa to the right. At this point they were along the route of Highway 80, some three miles or more west of modern Putnam.

A short ride brought the party to a suitable campsite on Deep Creek at a point almost due north of the Admiral community. As was his practice, Mares honored a notable churchman by naming the camp San Esteban or Saint Stephen. Surmising that he now was

north of San Antonio, the leader of the expedition turned south up a dry, rocky creek on the morning of September 25. At this point the diary hints that Comanche Indians may have been traveling with the New Mexicans. Entering Spring Gap, a notable point in the Callahan Divide, Mares recorded that the heathen Indians knew the passes in the section as well as he knew the corners of his house in Santa Fe.

Emerging from Spring Gap on the south side, Mares observed some mesas on his right. He turned southeast and skirted the easternmost mesa — East Caddo Peak — leaving it a half-mile to his right.

Travel on horseback was slow, which allowed opportunity for observing the details of the area. The narrator recorded that he traveled down the west side of a deep ravine that from a distance resembled a river covered with thick timber and having numerous tributaries.

The trail-blazers were viewing the upped valley of Turkey Creek for the first time.

A leisurely ride of 21 miles from the camp on Deep Creek brought them to an open grove of liveoaks on the banks of Turkey Creek. It is impossible to locate the exact site. Mares and his men may have lighted fires near the Cottonwood Road Crossing on the creek a half-mile north of the original site of Cross Plains. On the other hand, they may have camped at modern Treadaway Park on Highway 36.

Regardless of the location, the leader chose a name for the spot that honored a lady. One wonders who she was. Perhaps she was a prominent woman, a resident of Socorro, down river from Albuquerque, or she may have been someone who had befriended Jose Mares when he needed help. Regardless of her identity, he named the site El Arroyo de Mi Sen- (Continued on page 8.)

### Abilene Office Handles SS Changes

Social security beneficiaries in Callahan County who need to report changes of address or other events that affect the payment of their monthly benefits may do so through the Abilene social security office, R. R. Tuley, Jr., district manager, said today. Reports may be made by mail, telephone, or personal visit.

Tuley said that up to now beneficiaries were asked to notify the Social Security Administration on postcard forms pre-addressed to one of six social security payment centers throughout the country. Beneficiaries received the postcard forms when they initially applied for monthly benefits. They should now line through that address on the card(s) and insert "Box 3258, Abilene, Texas 79604."

"This change in reporting methods will reduce the time needed to change addresses and process other information having an effect on payment of monthly benefits. This is now possible due to the increased capacity of social security district offices to transmit the information over high speed communications circuits to payment centers," Tuley added.

In addition to address changes, he said that other events that affect receipt of monthly social security checks include employment, dropping out of school between 18-22, marriage or remarriage in some instances, divorce, and death.

Mrs. O. B. Edmondson and Mrs. L. W. Westerman were visitors in Brownwood Friday.

# Mavericks Maul Buffaloes 57 - 12 In Football Opener

A glittering forecast future for Cross Plains High School Buffaloes was quickly tarnished by Eastland Friday night as the Class AA Mavericks routed the Herd 57-12.

The classy hosts used speed, precision and a fine mixture of plays to pick Buffalo defenses apart and finally collapse them entirely. A quartet of talented tackle-breaking Maverick backs added to Buffalo aggravations.

Bisons tried to use a ball control offense, but found the going rough, netting only 82 yards on the ground. Sticky-fingered Eastland defenders completed the frustrations by swiping four Bison aerials. Eastland, on the other hand, struck lightning-fast on the ground, running for 276 yards in usually lengthy spurts. The hosts also used air lanes to advantage, striking for two touchdowns and 112 yards.

The eight touchdowns and nine conversion points was the most points scored against the Herd since the second game of last season when Hamilton rolled over the Bisons 58-12.

**Eastland Rolls**  
Buffaloes took the opening kickoff and counted two quick first downs. After a short punt, Eastland gained possession on its 15 yard line, and set its first goalward thrust in motion. Key play of the drive was a 21-yard scamper by Wingback George Simms to the Buff 34. A 15-yard personal foul shoved the ball to the Herd's 19, and seven plays later Tailback Steve Wilson hit paydirt from the two. Quarterback Eddie Kincaid circled left end for the two-point conversion. Eastland was off and running.

Mistakes then began to plague the Buffaloes. Buffs attempted a quick kick from its own eight, and Maverick Guard David Cagle broke through to block the kick. Tackle Terry Grimes fell on the free oval in the end zone for a tally. Kicker John Baker split the up-rights for a 15-0 lead with 6:45 left in the first half. End Larry Lane picked off the first misguided Buff pass, and on the first scrimmage play Wilson darted up the middle for a 24-yard, tackle-breaking score. Kincaid skirted right end for the two points with 3:44 left.

Mavericks wasted no time getting on the scoreboard in the second half. Eastland took the kickoff and blitzed 65 yards in only four plays with Wilson

covering the last 40 yards. The speedy tailback cracked over for the two-pointer with only 1:40 gone in the third period.

**Bisons Rally**  
At that point the Herd began its first serious goalward attack of the night. Buffaloes began the move from the 34, and 10 plays and 45 yards in Eastland penalties later had the pigskin on the Eastland 11. The drive fizzled at the eight, but Buff Center Gregg Williams gave the Herd new life at the Maverick 21 with a fumble recovery.

A Quarterback Ricky Jones to Left End James McMillan pass got six, but the key was a fourth down, 11-yard pitch to Wingback Joe Dodds for a first at the four. On his fourth effort the Buff signal caller slipped across the double stripe. A two-point conversion attempt failed with 10:09 left in the fourth stanza.

Eastland built a 39-6 advantage less than two minutes later. Kincaid capped a 41-yard thrust with a four-yard jaunt around left end. He then duplicated the feat for two points.

**Cowan Breaks Lose**  
Buffalo Right End Leslie Cowan took the ensuing kickoff and raced 87 yards untouched for the Bisons' second touchdown. He broke through the Eastland defenders near midfield and outran two pursuing Mavericks to the goal. A pass was intercepted on the conversion try.

Eastland retaliated less than two minutes later when Kincaid

hit Simms with a 25-yard scoring aerial. Simms then set up the seventh Maverick tally with a 55-yard return of an intercepted pass. Three plays later Tailback Ruben Gaeta covered the final yard of the 20-yard drive for six points. Another interception, at the Herd's 23, led to the final score. It was an 11-yard pass from Quarterback Craig Lund to Wingback Bobby Williamson. The same combination clicked for the two-point conversion.

**Game At A Glance**

Cross Plains	Eastland
10	19
82	276
57	112
6 of 20	8 of 14
0	4
2 for 26	1 for 26
6 for 43	10 for 80
3 of 2	1 of 1

**Score By Quarters**

	1	2	3	4	T
Cross Plains	0	0	0	12	12
Eastland	8	15	8	26	57

Mrs. Chester Glover and Mrs. Alice Irvin visited Mr. and Mrs. George Forbes in Cisco Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Cutbirth has returned home after spending several months in El Paso and Ruidoso, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peevy visited her sister, Mrs. Johnnie Breeding, in Lamesa several days last week and visited Mr. Breeding who is a patient in a veterans hospital in Big Spring.

### RIDING CLUB SLATES TRAIL RIDE SATURDAY

Cross Plains Riding Club has carded a trail ride next Saturday afternoon at the Paul Luttenburger place north of town. Starting time will be 2:30.

Supper will be served at 6 p.m. The club will furnish hot dogs, and each family attending is asked to bring a dessert or salad.

All riding club members are invited.

Mrs. Anna Myri McGowen of Monahans visited friends and relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kirksey of Brownwood visited here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Baird were visitors day.

Mr. and Mrs. B. and sons of Andrew here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. over the week end.

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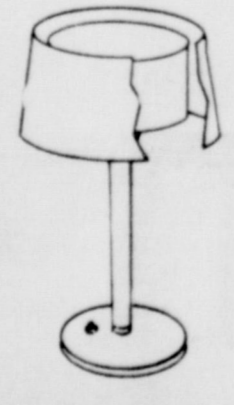
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last week. There  
present, but all  
evening.  
Larry Simpson of  
preached at the  
Church here Sunday  
evening. He will  
again next Sunday.  
is invited to attend

Mrs. James Thomp-  
son visited his  
Mr. and Mrs. J.  
Saturday night and

Mr. Morris visited Mr.  
Earl Morris and chil-  
dren Plains Saturday.  
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ment of Mrs. Retta  
at the First Bap-  
tist Rising Star Mon-

Mrs. O. E. Raughton  
Plains visited Mr. and  
Holcomb Sunday af-

Mrs. Gus Brandon  
and Mrs. H. R. Yates  
Sunday afternoon.  
and Mrs. Larry  
Cross Plains were  
with Mr. and  
Dawkins Sunday

Mrs. Wayne Webb  
Mrs. L. O. Thomp-  
son and Mrs. J. L.  
Sunday afternoon

Mrs. Clark will be  
the Busy Bee Club  
afternoon, Sept. 25.  
always glad to have  
Mrs. Roberson, who  
our community  
ago, was a visitor  
meeting, and it is  
come again.

Mrs. Truett Daw-  
son the fair in Abi-  
lone.

From this community  
the annual meet and  
of the Star Fox Hunt-  
ing which was held  
back show barn just  
Plains Saturday.  
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gathering, especially  
rainy. A large crowd  
for the weather to  
so dark and rainy.

Mrs. Wes Holcomb  
Erwin Erwin, accom-  
panying Mrs. Jim Clark of  
business visitors in  
Friday. They also visit-  
neighbor, Bob Black-  
is a patient in the  
hospital in Abilene. He is  
improving.

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friend to all who re-  
member, visited in this  
Thursday morning.  
Mrs. Marinelli and  
Mrs. Nathan Foster of  
community visited  
Mrs. Wordis Erwin  
afternoon.

Mrs. Dennis Shawver  
was visited with his  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl  
over the week end.

Mrs. J. L. King visit-  
ing sister, Mrs. Lonnie  
of Cisco Friday.

Mrs. Jimmie Jackson  
and her little daughters of  
were visiting her par-  
ents and Mrs. Douglas

Mrs. Myrl McGowen of  
visited relatives here  
week end.



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# Rowden Community Report

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Rowden was blessed with an inch of rain Saturday which began falling early that morning and resulted in a nice, cool rainy day. The moisture will help all growing crops with possible exception of peanuts that are maturing. The Gibbs' garden peanuts are coming along fine. This writer has already pulled up several vines to see how they are progressing.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne in Baird Wednesday night.

Those visiting in the George Blakley home were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gorman of Baird and Raymond Gibbs.

Visitors in the Jimmy West home during the week were: Mrs. Hattie West, Mark Baum, Mr. and Mrs. James Isenhower, Dale and Cristy, all of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price had as guests last week her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell, of Hatch, N. M., Mrs. Beth Ritchey of Tulsa, Mrs. Felix Mitchell of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mitchell of Cottonwood, Mrs. Jerrol Price of Putnam, Mrs. Ethel Stevenson and Mrs. Grace Vaught of Baird.

Mrs. Duke McIntosh of Baird visited her daughter, Mrs. Don Harris, and family Friday afternoon.

Those visiting Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond during last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Buren Burks of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell of Hatch, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen, Mrs. Weldon Gary and Mrs. Effie Holloway.

Word was received by Sterling Odom of the sudden death Sunday of Mrs. Olin English of Freeport. The family formerly lived in this community and still owns a place here. We send our sympathy to Olin and the boys in their loss of a wife and mother. Funeral for Mrs. English was at Frost, Tex., on Tuesday.

Mrs. Sterling Odom, Mrs. Billy Henry and Mrs. Blain Odom attended a dinner at the Golden Stagecoach Inn in Abilene.

## Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Rev. and Bob Waggoner and baby of Fort Worth were visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday. He preached for both services.

John Bennett of Fort Worth visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. Bryan Bennett, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Clyde visited Mrs. J. W. Woodard Sunday afternoon.

Friday night, Sept. 20, will again be time for the musical at the Cottonwood Community Center. The public is always invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Kent of Oregon visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Duncan.

Mrs. Ethel Taylor of Tampa, Fla., a sister of Mrs. L. W. Coppinger, visited the Coppingers over the week end.

Bill Coats entered an Eastland hospital last week for treatment of his throat.

Mr. Fay Wiseman of Florence visited his sister, Mrs. W. A. Gill, and husband last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Chambers visited in Albany with her mother Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion were in Abilene Sunday visiting their son, Claude Champion, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thate and boys of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Sam Swafford and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Thate here Sunday and Glenda Cox of Eastland.

Garth Fortune had the misfortune of sticking a nail in his foot while working on his house.

### L. L. MONTGOMERY ENTERS PATIENT AT SAINT ANN'S

Lloyd (Doc) Montgomery entered Saint Ann's Hospital in Abilene Sunday as a medical patient.

lene Tuesday. The dinner was the formal opening of the Delphian Club year in Baird.

Ellen Reynolds spent Sunday visiting Vivian Franke in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence were in Abilene Wednesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lawrence and Tye Rae. They also attended the West Texas Fair.

Those visiting in the Gene Mauldin home during the week were: Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and boys of San Angelo, Carl Mauldin of Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Elliott and boys of Abilene, the Rev. Carrol Green and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lovell and Bobby Don of Baird and Mrs. Effie Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell of Hatch, N. M., along with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Smedley of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Russell of Menard Saturday.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs were in Abilene Tuesday where Mrs. Leila Gibbs had a physical check up, and visited her sisters, Mrs. Truitt Hollingshead and Mrs. Elveda Sikes.

## Amendment 5 Explained

Editor's Note: (Here is the fifth of 14 proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution which will be explained in the order in which they will appear on the official ballot to be voted Nov. 5. These analyses are intended to be unbiased.)

The proposed amendment which you will vote FOR or AGAINST, reads as follows:

"A constitutional amendment authorizing an annual salary for members of the legislature in an amount not to exceed \$8,400 per year and extending the per diem allowance to 140 days of the Regular Session."

Proponents say that the legislators can no longer be considered a part-time official because redistricting has given him more constituents and legislative work includes many hours spent on standing and special interim committees which meet between sessions, leaving him little time to devote to private business or profession. They point out that the \$4,800 annual stipend now provided is not adequate to accommodate present living costs. In the same way they say the 120-day cutoff period for payment of the \$12 per diem allowance even though expenses continue throughout the full session of 140 days places an additional hardship on legislators.

They contend that it is essential that members of the legislature visit their districts during a session and the round trip at 10¢ per mile makes it necessary for the legislator to finance any remaining trips he might make to his district. Opponents state that an annual \$8,400 salary would be payment for what could be termed a part-time job and is far in excess of the full-time salary drawn by the average Texan, and the longer period during which the \$12 per diem allowance would be paid, would add still further to the expense of government operations at a time when state finances are already overburdened in meeting expanding needs of a growing population.

They say that it is not necessary for legislators to return to home districts every month which proposed travel increase would encourage, and point out that adequate office allowances are provided, whereby members can be in constant touch by phone or wire with their constituents, without cost to themselves. Opponents feel that if members are forced by financial pressure to stay on the job in Austin, sessions might be shorter and more productive.

## Youth Known Here Accidentally Killed

Hershel R. Griffith, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Griffith of Andrews, former residents of Pioneer, was electrocuted Wednesday of last week while out for football with the high school football squad.

He was killed as he attempted to remove a ground squirrel from a sprinkler pipe, which was raised and came in contact with an electrical line.

The youth's parents formerly lived here. The mother is the former Patsy Jean Wiley, daughter of Mrs. W. O. Wiley. The father is the son of R. F. Griffith of Pioneer. Mrs. Fred Davis and Mrs. J. R. Rector, Jr., were aunts of the youth.

### MUSICALE SLATED FRIDAY AT COTTONWOOD CENTER

E. P. (Pop) Whitaker of Baird has reminded area residents of the regular third Friday musicale at Cottonwood Community Center Sept. 20. No admission will be charged for the promised good program which begins at 7:30 p.m.

Review cost only 75¢ when held

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West and Cindy attended the Baird-Santa Anna football game Friday night. Their son, Chris, is a member of the ball team in Baird.

Many from here attended the West Texas Fair including Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price and their guests Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence were at the musicale Saturday night at the Gaston Wylie place.

Mrs. Sterling Odom visited her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer, in Abilene Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. James Reynolds was in Abilene Thursday to see her sister, Mrs. Bill Moore, Jr., and little daughter, Christi Rene, at Hendrick Hospital.

Hoyt Lovern of Oplin visited in the Bill Lawrence home one day last week.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen during the week were Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Mrs. Effie Holloway and Christine Bower of Abilene.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mrs. R. G. McQuin in the Callahan County Hospital at Baird Thursday.

## Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Miss Betty Purvis visited with Beth Turner here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Jackson of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Buster Foster of Cisco visited in the home Sunday.

The Rev. Roger Butler and David and Donald Ray visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom at the cabin at Lake Leon Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black and Loy visited Harvey McKinly who is a patient in Memorial Hospital in Brownwood, Friday night. He suffers with a heart ailment. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith visited with Romalee Saturday night. Mrs. Hewes was with them on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Teague and grandson visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins Sunday. Mr. Teague was to move a house for Mr. Hutchins Monday.

## Putnam Youths Do Well At W.T. Fair

Larry Jobe and Roger Reynolds, two Putnam 4-H Club boys, entered Sears gilts in the recent West Texas Fair.

Roger, showing any kind of animal for the first time, was successful in winning second place in the junior class and fourth place in the open class. Previously Roger's gilt had placed second and Larry's third in the county show.

### CORRECTION IS MADE IN NAME OF PALLBEARER

In an account of the funeral for C. M. McAnally in last week's issue of the Review the name Alfred Thate was listed as a pallbearer, when it should have read Alfred Franke. The Review apologizes for the error.

## Burkett Supper To Be Held Sept. 21st

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

The Burkett community supper will be Saturday, Sept. 21, at 7:30 p.m. at the community center. Everyone is invited to attend. Bring a salad and sweet or vegetable and meat and enjoy the supper together. Entertainment has been planned by the following committee: Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bullard, Mrs. Monnie Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burns, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gould, Mrs. Birdie Helms and Gill, Mr. and Mrs. Will McAnally and Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson.

We are happy to report that E. L. Harris, Mrs. Ruby Biehl and Mrs. Colie Thate are all getting along better. James Rodgers entered a V. A. Hospital the latter part of last week. Details on his condition have not been learned.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Neitzke of St. John, Mich., arrived here Friday night to make their home in the area. They are staying with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker, until they get settled in their own home.

Visitors in the M. A. Walker home Sunday were the Andrew Walker family and the Glenn Gray family of Brownwood.

The K. Y. Fairman family of Denton spent Friday to Sunday in the George Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Herring and Mike of San Antonio spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Herring. The L. D. Herring's spent Monday a week ago in Cisco with the R. D. Childers family.

Mrs. Eula Hunter spent Friday to Sunday at Cross Cut with Mrs. Roy Newton while Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley went to San Antonio to the fair.

Mrs. Belle Parsons had as her guests Saturday to Tuesday her grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Parsons and Kim.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sueltenfuss of New Braunfels spent Saturday to Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Mae Beaver, who went home with them for an indefinite visit.

Mrs. Frank King of Houston spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker. They all went to Ballinger to visit Mrs. Baker's brother, R. E. George, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Newton, Wayne Newton and Mrs. Bill Davee attended Hemisfair last week and visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Klarfeld at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins and family spent Saturday and Sunday at the Hemisfair. They were accompanied to Johnson City by the Bill Hunter family, who stayed there to visit Mr. and Mrs. Hank Hunter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gilman and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Vinson at Coleman Lake Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Burkett

## BROWNWOOD Cattle Auction

September 11, 1968

MARKET: Market barely steady on all feeder classes. Slaughter cattle and all stockers steady with last week.

Estimated Receipts: 1,100	
Stocker Steer Calves	
Wts. 250-425 lbs. . . . .	30-33.50
Stocker Heifer Calves	
Wts. 250-425 lbs. . . . .	25-28
Steer Yearlings	
Wts. 500-700 lbs. . . . .	24-27.50
Bull Yearlings . . . . .	19.50-24
Heifer Yearlings . . . . .	21-23.50
Plain Feeder Steers . . . . .	21-24.50
Heifers . . . . .	21-23.50
Cows and Calves, pair	
Good . . . . .	\$195-\$235
Plain . . . . .	\$145-\$200
Stocker Cows . . . . .	16.50-20
Slaughter Cattle	
Fat Calves . . . . .	24-26
Fat Cows . . . . .	17-18.25
Utility and Cutter	
Cows . . . . .	15-17.75
Canners . . . . .	13-15
Shells . . . . .	12 down
Stocker Bulls . . . . .	21-24
Slaughter Bulls . . . . .	20-23
Hogs (top) - No hogs offered.	
A few no. 3 hogs 17.75.	



Which of the following is spelled correctly

grammer      grammar      grammu

(Meaning: Science of words.)

(Answer on Page 8.)

## Local Man's Sister Dies In California

W. T. McClure received word Sunday of the death of his sister, Mrs. Faye McCullough, in Justin, Calif.

Mrs. McCullough was born Faye McClure, daughter of the

late T. J. McClure in 1894, and lived Star as Mrs. Mark until 1940, when died.

One son, Tom

vives.

# Save At Fosters

New Low Prices — Top Value Stamp

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GREEN BEANS, Red Dart, cut, 303 can, 7 for

INSTANT POTATOES, Borden's, 8 1/4 ounce box

Coffee      MAXWELL HOUSE, 1 POUND CAN  
MAXWELL HOUSE, 3 POUND CAN

CORN, Our Darling, white or golden, 2, 303 cans

DEL MONTE PEAS, 303 can, 2 for

VIENNA SAUSAGE, Swift's, 4 ounce can, 2 for

Flour      GLADIOLA, 5 POUNDS      55¢

PORK & BEANS, Van Camp's, 300 size can, 2 for

PIONEER BISCUIT MIX, 2 pound box

GULF SPRAY, insecticide, quart can

Franks      GOOCH'S, ALL MEAT, LB.      50¢

WAX PAPER, Cut Rite, 125 foot roll for

PICNICS, per pound

BISCUITS, 3 cans for

Bacon      DECKER'S, PER POUND      65¢

CHUCK ROAST, per pound

GROUND CHUCK, per pound

PIG LIVER, per pound

DOUBLE TOP VALUE STAMPS EACH WEDNESDAY  
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# Foster Grocery

TRAVIS FOSTER, Owner

### Polio, Vaccines

and ninety-nine of vaccine were Cross Plains schools and at the of Carl J. Sohns, city Sunday after-  
 administered students and Wednesday and measles vaccines. Director's office Sun- polio vaccine and received inocula- measles.

### JACK WATSON HAS EYE SURGERY ON THURSDAY

Jack Watson, well known former Cross Plains resident, underwent eye surgery for removal of a piece of steel Thursday in a Mineral Wells hospital. He suffered the injury Monday of last week.

He is reported to be recovering normally, however, neither the extent of damage to the eye nor length of his stay in the hospital was known here late Monday.

David Wells and C. H. Dawson attended the convention of the American Party in Dallas Tuesday.

### FFA Chapters Elect Year's Officer Slate

Danny Hutton has been elected president of the Future Farmers of America chapter at Cross Plains High School by second and third year agricultural students.

Russell Gould was named vice-president, and David Merryman was chosen second vice-president. Other officers are: Kim Beggs, secretary; Bill Melton, treasurer; J. S. Archer, parliamentarian; Ronnie Pan- cake, reporter; Brad Harris, sentinel; and Freddy Lane, historian.

The Greenhand chapter, composed of first year students, chose Carroll Falkner as president. Others are Bobby Cowan, vice-president; Rodney Free, second vice-president; Ronald Pope, third vice-president; James Wilson, secretary; Charles Chesshir, treasurer; Alvie Hutchins, parliamentarian; Donald Pope, reporter; Wayne Bishop, sentinel; and Ricky Neal, historian.

### JOE FLEMINGS HOST VISITORS PAST WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming had as their guests their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fleming, of Stephenville Tuesday of last week. Also visiting in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Flippin and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ross.

They all went to Brownwood Lake, and were joined that night by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flippin, Mrs. Eddie Flippin and Tan and Mr. and Mrs. John Vermillion of Rising Star for an ice cream supper.

Mrs. Jim Fleming and Ronnie Flippin started school Friday at Tarleton State College, and Mr. Ross is to leave for Guam.

Mrs. Minnie Little was returned to her home here Friday by her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe White, of Odessa with whom, along with other relatives, she had been visiting for some time. Mrs. Little visited her sisters in Abilene during the week end.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

# Classified Ads

**LOST:** Somewhere between Cross Plains and the Willie Wood place, one overloard spring for a pick-up truck. Finder please notify L. W. Coppinger, Phone 725-5369. 1tp

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the many friends and neighbors of Mrs. Cecil Pelton for the contributions, hospital visits and cards, also for the house visits and telephone calls since her return home. Last but not least, thanks to Rev. W. C. Crawford for standing by in our time of need. May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Pelton and Family

### CARD OF THANKS

I am grateful to the friends who remembered me in so many wonderful ways during my recent stay in the veterans hospital and since returning home. Your friendship is appreciated far more than words can express.

Elvis B. Scott

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our most sincere thanks for every kindness received from you during our sorrow. The expressions of sympathy in all the various ways will be long remembered by each of us. Again we wish to tell you fine people of our deep appreciation of your understanding and concern.

Mrs. Pauline McNally  
 Cokey Geringer  
 Madeline Long

### NOTICE TO VOTERS OF PRECINCT 6

After having been requested by a number of friends and long time residents of the Cross Plains area to seek the office of Justice of Peace for Precinct 6 in the upcoming general election, I have decided to submit my candidacy for this important place and sincerely solicit the vote and support of every one.

I will, of course, be a candidate on the write-in ticket, however, to vote for me all you will have to do is to write my name in the designated column.

In asking your support and influence I feel it pertinent to give you a brief account of my views and general fitness for the office which I seek.

I have been a resident of this justice precinct approximately 40 years and know most of our people and share with them their desires to keep this law-abiding community the ideal environment for family living. I have always been a student of government and genuinely interested in matters of legislation and law enforcement. I feel that this life time of study will be of real value in applying the statutes as any fair and efficient justice of the peace will be required to do.

In the coming weeks I earnestly solicit your close investigation of my fitness for this office and if possible to give me your active support. In return I pledge, if elected, to serve fairly and with dignity and integrity.

Sincerely,  
 T. O. Powell

**FOR SALE:** My home in Cross Plains, \$6,000. Will take 35 per cent down and remainder on easy terms. Call Mrs. Jess Graves, 643-2414 in Brownwood. 25 3tp

**FOR SALE:** 1946 Chevrolet, 1 1/2 ton truck, grain bed, good tires, runs good, A-1 shape, \$300. Wendell Smith, Star Route 1, Baird, or telephone 854-1487. 25 2tp

**LOST:** A pair of glasses in business part of town about three weeks ago. Finder please contact B. H. Brown or leave at Review office and receive reward. 1tp

**FOR SALE or Rent:** 160 acres between Cross Plains and Rising Star, 1 mile north of Highway 36. For rent, 7-room house, corner of Ave. E and 4th; 8-room house on S. Main St. (Brownwood road); 2-room house in northwest part of town. C. H. Dawson, 245 South Main. 1tc

**CASH for producing oil or gas royalties.** Write P. O. Box 518, Cross Plains, Texas. 8 tfc

**FLAGS —** Beautiful new, 50-star American flags with sewed stars and stripes, 3 feet by 5 feet \$7.40. The Review office. 1tc

**WANTED:** Party able to make \$19.25 monthly payments on like new spinet piano. Can be seen in this vicinity. Write Mgr., Joplin Piano, 315 South 16th, Waco, Texas, 76703. 1tp

### THANKS EVERYONE

I wish to thank everyone for the kindnesses and good wishes during my recent stay in the hospital and since returning home. Your interest and concern was most appreciated and shall not be soon forgotten. Thanks everyone.

Fonia Worthly

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank friends of Pioneer and Cross Plains for their countless kindnesses during our recent sorrow caused by the tragic passing of our 14-year-old son, Hershel, Jr. Your many manifestations of concern during those days of bereavement shall be forever held in grateful appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Griffith and Children

### MATRESSES RENOVATED

Using only the cotton from your present mattress after it is cleaned, feathered and combined with a New Inner-Spring Unit, we will build you a Mattress that will give you Lasting Comfort. Visit Our Sleep Shop In Brownwood, 1502 Austin Ave. **WESTERN MATTRESS CO.** In Cross Plains call 725-5142.

**FOR SALE:** Ora oats; will sack in your sacks. See Don Brown on week end. 23 tfc

**FOR SALE:** Apples from Santa Fe, N. M. Markham Roadside Fruit Stand. Phone 725-5734. 24 2tp

**FOR SALE or trade for place in Cross Plains.** 6 room house, 1 bath and 1 half-bath located in Coleman. Price \$1,250. Call 5-3109 after 6. 24 4tp

**LOSE WEIGHT safely with Dex-A-Diet Tablets.** Only 98c at Neal Drug. 22 4tp

**FOR SALE:** 1961 4-door Oldsmobile with air. A real nice car. E. K. Coppinger. 22tfc

**IRONING WANTED:** Val Steele, Apt. 402, Ave. A North and East 15th Street. 21 5tp

**IF YOU ARE BOTHERED** with termites and roaches in your home and business, call your home town pest control man, Robert Meador, phone 725-3974. 5, tfc

**COOKING APPLES:** Ready to go, 2 miles north of Pioneer. \$1 per bushel. At C. C. Westerman's. 21 tfc

**FOR SALE:** 106 acre farm located on Highway 206 1 mile north Burkett. Remodeled 3-bedroom house. 70 acres in cultivation. Contact Bill Brown at Burkett, or phone 624-2245. 21 tfc

**FARM FOR SALE:** Old Coppinger farm, 5 miles north of town. 148 acres, good farm house, plenty of water. Paul McCowen, phone 725-4144 or 725-3142. 22 tfc

**WANTED:** Hay baling, have wind-rower and new John Deere baler. Joe Ingram, call 725-4339. 15tfc

**SEWING MACHINES** Sales & Service, call J. T. Beggs, 643-4384. 28-tfc

**WANTED:** Substitute dish washer. Apply in person at Odom's Cafe. 22 3tc

**FOR SALE:** Ranches, farms, homes, motels, business properties. For any of your real estate needs call Douglas Campbell, Repr., United Farm Agency, Cross Plains. Telephone 725-4329. 4 tfc

**FOR SALE:** Modern 2-bedroom house on Highway 36, across street from Truck Stop Cafe. Priced at \$6,000. See Mr. or Mrs. Eddie Heard. Phone 725-4531 in Cross Plains or 625-2474 in Coleman, Tex.

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**MONEY deposited in savings** at the Citizens State Bank by the 10th of any month earns interest from the 1st. 43 tfc

**FOR SALE, CHEAP:** 6-foot Case combine, ready to cut maize; has good canvasing. Call 643-4619, Rising Star. 25 2tc

**FOR SALE:** Olds Irombone, like new. Call 725-5551 after 5 p.m. 1tp

**FOR SALE:** The Snack Shop on North Main Street. A money-making business for nominal investment. See or call Mrs. O. K. Angeley. 24 tfc

**FOR SALE:** 150 acres on Cross Cut-Byrd's Store road on Red River, \$125 per acre. 1,600 acres 4 miles south of Cross Plains. Eugene H. Gibson. Phone 643-2407, Brownwood, Texas. 24 tfc

**FOR SALE by owner:** 293 acres, 160 cultivation, 5 miles north Cross Plains. 6-room house, plenty water, on mail, school routes. Phone, electricity. One of the best farms joining highway. 49 acre peanut allotment. 18 acre wheat allotment. Mrs. Dave Hargrove, phone 725-2061, Cross Plains, Texas. 23 17tp

**CUT FIREWOOD WANTED:** 50 to 100 cords. Quote price per cord and give description, to John Gardner, 1717 Pagewood, Odessa, Texas. 19 tfc

**WANTED:** Custom plowing and sowing. See Jerry Allen or call 725-3451. 21 tfc

**BUTANE AND PROPANE** for prompt gas service, day or night, call 725-3221. We also have propane for bottle service. Rose Butane Gas Service, one mile east of town on Hwy. 36, Cross Plains. (1tc)

**FOR SALE:** 1964 80cc Yamaha motorcycle in good shape. Includes all tools and accessories plus two crash helmets. Call 725-5551 after 5 p.m. 1tp

**BARRELS FOR SALE:** Good for fuel or trash. See or call Weldon Gary at Rowden store, phone 725-3643. 24 tfc

**PROPERTY OWNER** Leaving state. Wants someone to take up payments on lake lot. Balance due \$390, at \$12.46 per month. Inquire at Shamrock Shores office or call 643-6161. Gary Luker, Star Route 2, Brownwood, Texas. 24 4tc

**FOR RENT:** Small house. See or call Mark Adair. 24 2tc

**FOR SALE:** Overhead garage door and one electric cook stove. See or call Henry McCoy, 725-4541. 22 tfc

**WANTED:** 2 LVN's. Small nursing home. Good working conditions. Colonial Oaks Nursing Home, Cross Plains. 22tfc

**WANTED:** Hay baling. Have new windrower and hay conditioner. Also drill water wells. See or call Vernon Phillips, 725-4551. 16 tfc

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## Citizens State Bank

# Former Resident News

Homer Golson, a former Cross Plains area resident who now lives at 2824 Speight St. in Waco, writes the Review to re-count the storm which struck Zephyr, about 50 miles southeast of Cross Plains, on May 30, 1909.

Excerpts from his letter follow.

"Saturday night, May 30, 1909, at 11:30, a cyclone blew Zephyr away, killing lots of good folk who lived there back in horse and buggy days. Some of persons killed lived in Brownwood but were spending the night in Zephyr or had kinsmen there. The storm also killed horses, chickens, hogs and cattle.

"Three of us boys had been to a party near Crawford, Tex., and were a little late getting home, and were watching the storm. It looked like a black ball of smoke rolling over. Lightning flashed like a bird flopping its wings.

"We were afraid that it was in Brownwood, Burkett or Cross Plains. We had a lot of kin folk out that way."

Mr. Golson added that every time he passed through the lit-

tle town of Zephyr he was reminded of that stormy night.

## 3 Local Exhibitors Take WT Fair Prizes

Ronald and Donald Pope, entered as a team, and Darrell Hargrove combined took \$104 in prize money in stock show division of the West Texas Fair at Abilene last week.

The Popes collected \$54 for 10 placings, and Hargrove earned \$50 for his third place Angus senior yearling heifer in open division. The Pope twins competed in both junior and open division of the sheep show.

The sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope had the reserve champion four-tooth ram in the junior show. Other placings in junior bracket were first and second in aged ewes, second with a pen of three, and fourth in ram lamb competition. The high school freshmen took third and fourth with aged ram lamb and exhibitor's flocks and sixth with their ram lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McGowen Jr. of Pecos visited relatives here last week.

## CROSS PLAINS HIGH SCHOOL BUFFALOES 1968 SEASON FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 13	Eastland 57	Cross Plains 12	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	Rising Star	Cross Plains	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	Wylie	Wylie	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 4	Jim Ned	Cross Plains	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	Baird	Cross Plains	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 18	Santa Anna *	Cross Plains	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 25	Goldthwaite *	Goldthwaite	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 1	Early *	Cross Plains	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 8	Bangs *	Bangs	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 16	Central Catholic	Abilene	7:30 p.m.

\* Denotes District 9-A Game

## Ben's Grid Picks

By Benny Glover

Friday the thirteenth, 1968, struck Ben's Grid Picks in a similar fashion to how the stock market crash in October 1929 affected the economy of the nation. It was a disaster.

Only five of the 11 projected winners of football games concerning area school teams came through with victories. That lowly mark left this column with a disgusting 455 percentage for the first week's efforts, far from a respectable record.

Hopefully the old saying: "A bad beginning makes a good ending," will be proven true in the ensuing weeks. With confidence shaken and a growing dislike of pre-season forecasts, this prognosticator attempts this week to revenge the cutting thrust "King Football" struck last week.

Eleven games are on the card for the second big week end of the 1968 gridiron campaign with suggested winners in bold type.

Cisco at Albany: Lions gave good battle last week, and are about as strong as Ranger. Loboes must wait, 28-7.

De Leon at Comanche: Indians should win another from Class A team. Bearcats could

make a battle of it, 14-8. Clyde at Hamlin: If the Bulldogs can't beat Merkel, Pied Pipers will be too much to handle, 28-6.

Eastland at Ranger: Buffs found Mavericks very tough, but Bulldogs are too. Should be very close, 22-20.

Brady at Coleman: Bluecats won a game, but looks like Brady will stop win streak at one, 20-8.

Merkel at Baird: Badgers appear stronger than first thought and a little better than much improved Bears, 22-14.

Bangs at Robert Lee: Dragon lost to Jim Ned, and Steers reported to be potent. Bangs loses another close one, 14-8.

Lometa at Early: Longhorns came out hooking last week, and should continue, 14-6.

Goldthwaite at Marble Falls: Eagles due for a rebound, but foe is unknown, 6-0.

Santa Anna at Junction: The 9-A Mountaineers could be headed for a long season, and shouldn't win this one, 14-6.

Rising Star at Cross Plains: Herd looked bad last week, and Rising Star is strong. Desire to win should be stronger this week, 14-13.

## 6 Ladies Attend Rally At Gorman

Six local ladies of the United Methodist Church and the pastor, W. C. (Bill) Crawford, attended a Cisco district missionary rally of the Women's Society of Christian Service in Gorman Thursday.

Ladies making the trip were: Mrs. Fred Tunnell, Mrs. R. C. Brown, Mrs. H. C. Thompson, Mrs. Gus Brandon, Mrs. R. C. Ames and Mrs. W. A. Payne.

## Cost Share Money Used Up For 1968

"As a result of reduction in Agriculture Conservation Program funds allotted to Callahan County," J. C. Earp, manager of the ASCS office in Baird says, "no cost share assistance will be available for carrying out approved practices during the remainder of 1968."

## Bufs Have Most Gridmen In 9-A

Cross Plains led all schools in District 9-A in the number of boys certified for interscholastic league competition during the current football season.

Superintendent Wayne Ford, a member of the certification committee, reports the five district schools have approved the following numbers: Cross Plains 35, Goldthwaite 31, Early 30, Bangs 30 and Santa Anna 29.

## COUPLE RETURN FROM SOUTH DAKOTA VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. John Watts returned home Saturday from a trip through several northern states and a six-day visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odum and family at Cottonwood, S. D.

Little Scott Nabers of Brownwood visited his grandparents in Cross Plains over the week end.

## FARMERS CAUTIONED ON DIVERTED FIELDS

Local farmers are cautioned that even though they have already received payment for diverting land from production of feed grain and cotton, such acreage cannot be grazed until Oct. 1 without violating a Department of Agriculture agreement.

Mrs. M. C. Landoit, Sr. was a recent visitor in San Angelo.

C. E. Bentley of Abilene visited briefly in Cross Plains Thursday.

County Attorney James Paul Shanks of Baird was a business visitor in Cross Plains Friday.

## Clyde Youth Callahan's

Randy Edwards, Clyde H'er and Mrs. J. C. Edwards exhibited the Callahan County Sears

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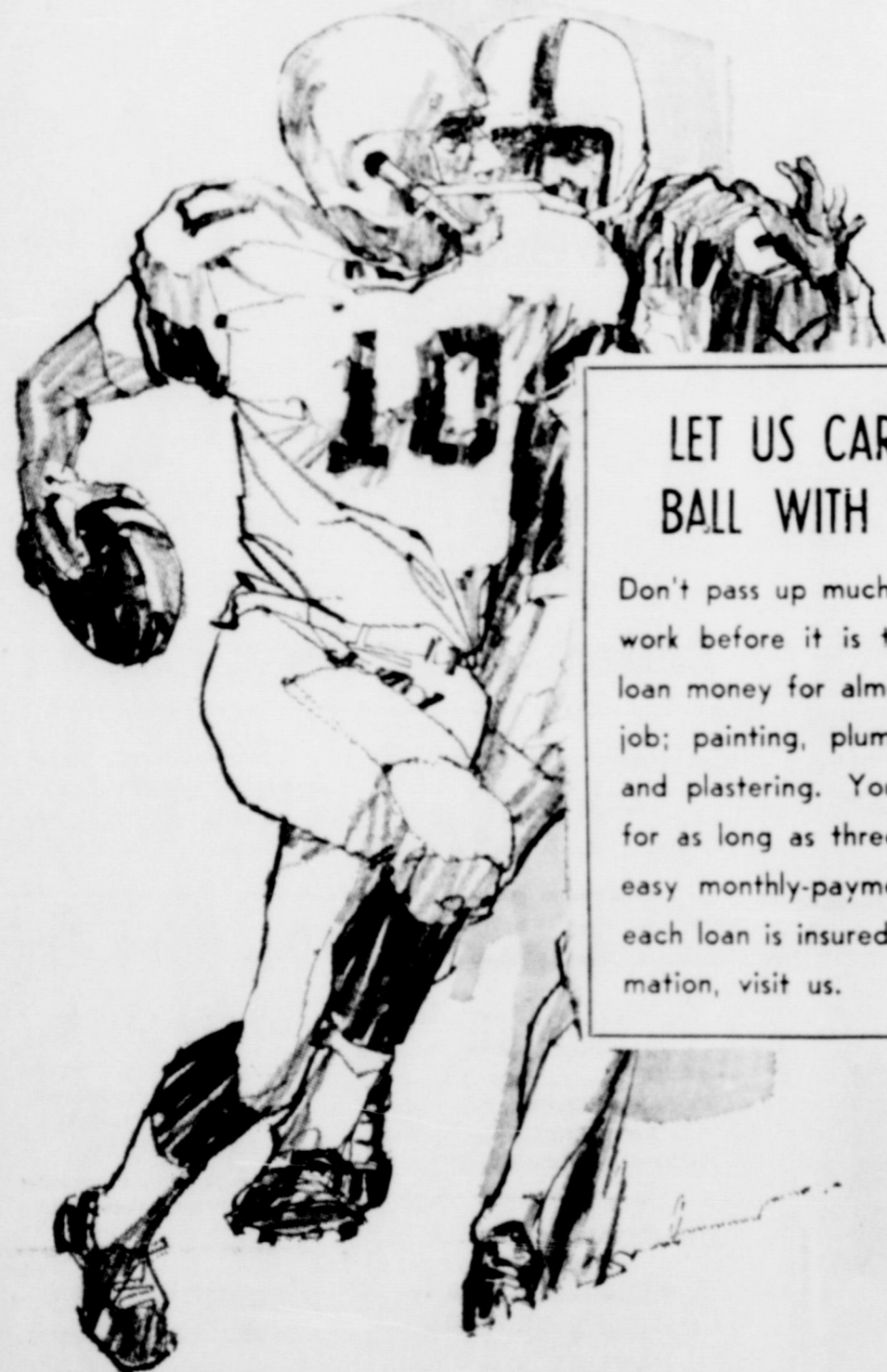
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## Barley Counted As Feed Grain In '69

Information has been received in Callahan County that barley has been designated as a feed grain for 1969.

ASCS has notified producers with barley bases that this crop will be counted as a feed grain in 1969.

J. C. Earp reminds that it is also important for other producers who may be planting barley that the seeded acreage will be counted against their feed-grain permitted acreage.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnell, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beene of Comanche, left Saturday for a week's vacation trip into Colorado.

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**Debra Dillard**  
James Nichols  
Elaine Parker  
Lee Roberts  
Jimmy Glen Meador  
Mrs. Charles Dillard  
Mrs. Gerald Bowden  
Freddie Childers

**September 24:**  
Sharron Thorton  
David Gambill  
Elmer Graham  
Clayton Smart  
Mrs. Sam Clark  
Shirley Simpson  
Dianna Mobley  
Faye Smith  
Eddie Lawayne Rose  
Sheree Knight

**September 25:**  
Neal Dillard  
Britian Hollingshead  
Burl McCowen  
Alfred Lee  
Steve Strickland  
Mrs. Karon Huckaby  
Mrs. Bonita Horton

**Mrs. Carrie L. Neeb Is Buried Saturday**

Funeral services for Mrs. Carrie L. Neeb of Brownwood, 78-year-old former Cross Plains resident, were held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. from a Wichita Falls funeral home. Burial was in Wichita Falls by the side of her late husband, J. B. Neeb.

Mrs. Neeb died at 12:50 p.m. in Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood after suffering a heart attack. She had just returned from a trip to the Texas Valley, and had been home about an hour before being stricken.

Born Aug. 19, 1890, in Mason County, she was a member of the Coggin Avenue Baptist Church, and was active in the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains when residing here. She married J. B. Neeb, a retired railroad employee who died in 1966, on Jan. 28, 1918, in Gainesville. The couple lived in Cross Plains several times during their married life, however, she had resided in Brownwood the past two years.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. W. O. Clark of Pharr and Mrs. Cora Graham of Fayetteville, Ark.; one brother, H. N. Russell of Brownwood and a number of nieces and nephews.

**Granddad, Grandson Win Lakewood Golf**

A grandfather-grandson team won first place in a one-day golf tournament at Lakewood Recreation Center last Sunday. The duo, Pender Mitchell and Robert Lewis, posted a handicapped score of 140, besting the second place squad of Gerald Ezra and Dwaine McDaniel by two strokes.

Third place was shared by the teams of L. C. Hounsell-Don Needham and Tony Geye-David Daniel, both with 143 cards.

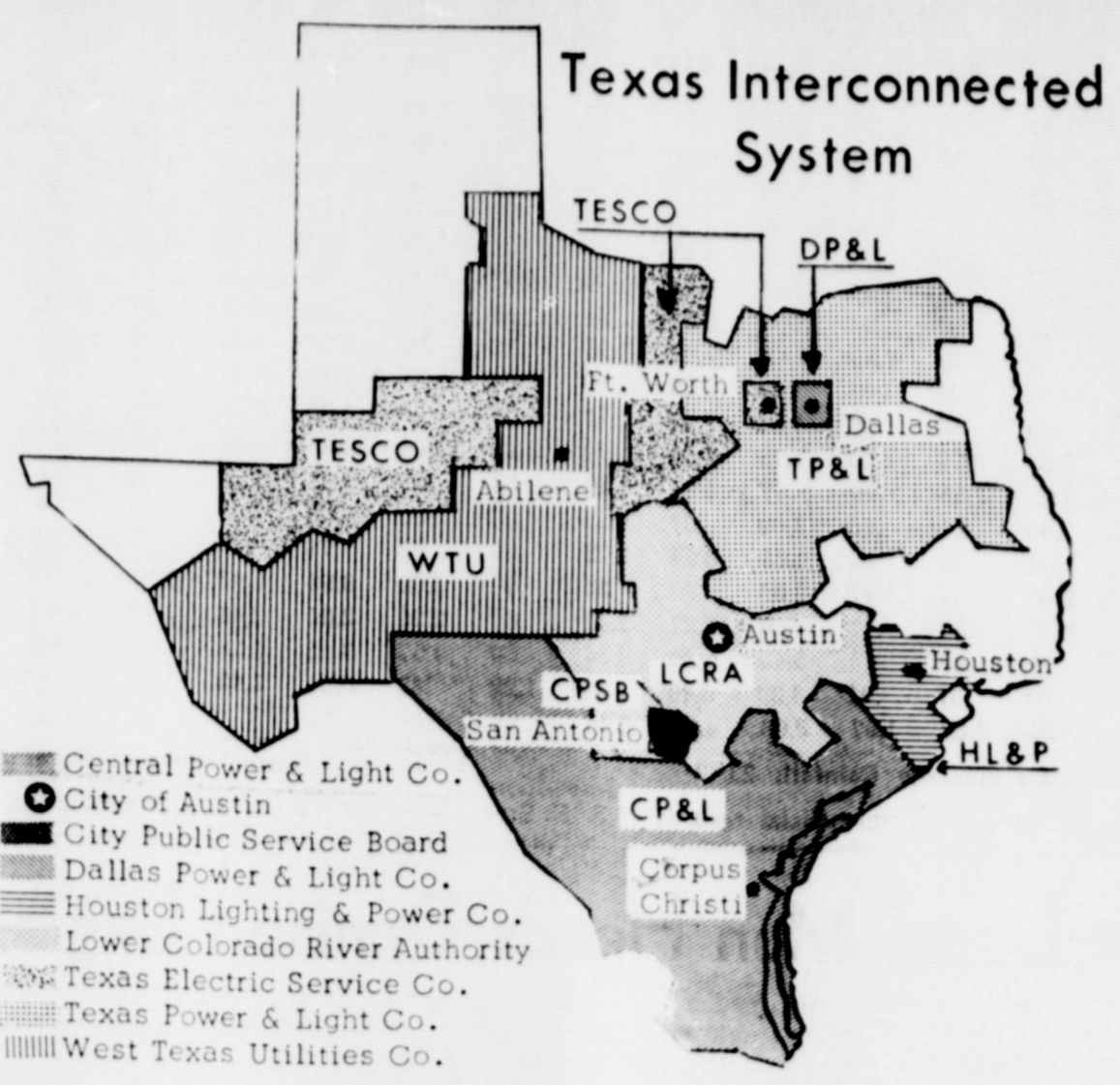
Merchandise prizes were awarded from the \$1 entry fee paid by the 30 participants.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Adkins of Charleston, Ill., were guests last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Craig McNeel here. The Illinois couple also visited his brother and family in San Antonio and attended the Hemisfair.

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**Cross Cut Receives 1 1/2 Inch Rain**

**By Mrs. Les Byrd**

We had a rainfall here of 1.50 inches Saturday. We needed it so very much. We are hoping for more.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Markham of Brownwood visited with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelley of Richland are spending some time here.

Dub Arledge of Odessa is here with his brother, Jack, and family. He is doing some work on his place while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Byrd of Houston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd, a few days last week. Their daughter, Mrs. Arcie Hubbard, and family of Odessa came Saturday and stayed until Sunday on their way to Denton where Ronnie will enter the university there as a junior this term.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers visited his mother, Mrs. Martha Chambers in Brownwood Monday.

Mrs. Loyda Griffin of Grapevine is visiting her cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley, and her aunt, Jennie Newton. She came last Thursday, and is still here. Mr. and Mrs. Riley and Loyda went to visit Loyda's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stone in San Antonio Friday. They all attended Hemisfair while here. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eula Hunter of Burkett and Mrs. Maud Haby of Coleman spent the week end with Mrs. Jennie Newton.

Mrs. Jack Arledge carried her son, Larry Smith, to Lubbock last Thursday where he will attend Texas Tech this year. Larry had to go a little early as he is a band student.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Haun, Ann and Brian, of Eastland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cones and their daughter, Mrs. Garland Arnold and Becky visited another daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and children, at Blackwell Sunday.

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**Late Score Foils Mites In Opener**

Host Santa Anna Junior High School's late score spoiled Cross Plains Mighty Mites bid for a victory in the football opener Tuesday of last week.

Cross Plains had held a 6-0 advantage until the last two minutes of the game after Full-back Rodney Renfro had scampereed 50 yards to paydirt in the first half. The speedy fullback took a high pass from center on a fourth down punting situation, but ran the ball for a touchdown. Santa Anna pushed across a two-point conversion to win.

Mites were to have hosted Rising Star Wildkittens here Tuesday, and will travel to Early Sept. 24. Mighty Mite games start at 7:30 p.m.

Head Coach John Geer said that he was real pleased with his team's performance, and pointed to last year's 36-6 defeat as proof of the unit's improvement. "We must, however, get the players into better physical shape," he continued.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Jon Hardwick of Baird visited briefly in Cross Plains Monday. They were en route to Austin to attend the Democratic convention.

Bob Tesch of Fort Worth was attending business here Monday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Johnson and family.

Bailey Wayne Barr of Corpus Christi was a visitor here the first part of the week in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. B. Hill. She returned home with him for a visit.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kirkham and Rick over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kirkham of Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kirkham, Ronda and Wayne, of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Davis, Kyle and Kelly, of Elm-dale, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Kirkham, Mr. and Mrs. John Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cowan and George, Mrs. Joe Fleming, of Pioneer, Mrs. Ben Pillars and Randal Franke.

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## 36th Buff-Wildcat Grid Rivalry Unfolds Friday

It's always a slam-bang affair when Buffaloes of Cross Plains High School and Wildcats of Rising Star High School get together on the gridiron. Friday should be no exception as the two squads collide at 8 p.m. in Buffalo Stadium.

Although this year's contest will not have the added zest of a conference game as it has the past two years, other factors should serve to send spirits soaring. Both elevens will be seeking initial win of the 1968 campaign. Buffaloes were humiliated by Eastland 57-12 last week, and Wildcats dropped a 14-0 decision to Early. Bisons will attempt to gain a second straight victory over the arch-rivals, and Wildcats will seek to reinstate a six consecutive year superiority after last season's 12-6 demeritment.

### Wildcats Class B

The Herd drops from Class AA opposition, Eastland, to Class B to take on Rising Star, but little relief is expected in the quality of competition. The

### ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB OKAYS ADDRESS SYSTEM

Athletic Booster Club approved a motion for the purchase of a public address system to be used at sports events by Cross Plains High School. The action was taken in regular session Monday night.

The club is in midst of a membership drive, and stipend is \$3.50 for the year.

Next meeting of the organization will be Sept. 30.

### ANNUAL REPORT MADE TO METHODIST WOMEN

The W.S.C. of the United Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. E. E. Blankenship at 9:30 Monday to hear annual reports. Reports were given by Mrs. R. C. Brown. A devotional was brought by Mrs. C. M. Garrett on "God's Psychiatry".

Attending were Mesdames, Gus Brandon, W. A. Payne, R. C. Ames, E. K. Coppinger, H. C. Thompson, E. W. Riggs and W. C. Crawford.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

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### REVIEW

Wildcats have been tagged as solid favorites to take the District 19-B pennant with nine starters back from last year's Class A competition team.

Wildcats have a quartet of experienced backs to handle ball carrying chores. Dalton Hughes, a 187-pound hard running fullback, heads the veteran backfield. Dick Clarke, 155, a sophomore who started as a freshman, is the quarterback, and Tony Long, 155, and Craig Schaefer, 145, are the other two.

An equally strong and veteran line makes Rising Star doubly potent. Center Mike Rhodes, 210-pounder who was a 9-A all-district selection last year, is the pivot in the forward wall. Danny Hughes, 165, guard, is back and a trio of tackles return, Tom Perkins, 186, David Bailey, 175, and Johnny Owen, 175. Returning ends are senior letterman Tony Geye and three-year numeral winner Ronald Green.

### Buff Mistakes

Buffalo Head Coach Les Cowan stated this week, "We made mistakes against Eastland, but they will be corrected this week."

Cowan also said Buffs should be in top physical shape for Friday's contest. Tackle David Merryman and Guard Vern Webb sustained injuries in the Eastland game, but both are expected to be ready for play against Rising Star. J. S. Archer, tackle, will be ready also, according to Cowan. Only Jesse Moon, senior fullback, will be on the sidelines with a fractured ankle.

### Yearly Record

Friday's tussel will be the 36th renewal of the gridiron rivalry between the two schools since 1929, first year of inter-scholastic sanction. Cross Plains has won 21 times while Rising Star has claimed 13 victories. Only one tie has been recorded, and that was the first encounter, 6-6.

### Buffalo-Wildcat Record

Year	CP	RS
1929	6	6
1930	20	6
1931	7	34
1932	6	7
1933	7	0
1934	13	0
1935	18	6
1936	20	7
1937	7	27
1938	18	6
1939	21	6
1940	32	7
1942	0	15
1944	21	0
1945	7	0
1946	19	7
1947	0	6
1948	6	38
1949	14	45
1950	18	14
1951	27	0
1952	26	0
1953	12	7
1954	19	7
1955	46	0
1956	32	0
1957	33	0
1960	18	8
1961	7	36
1962	6	12
1963	0	14
1964	8	20
1965	7	12
1966	0	26
1967	12	6

## Official Measurements Of Rainfall Here In Past 18 Years

	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1950	1.07	.27	.12	2.13	6.82	3.60	3.92	1.26	1.38	.36	.00	.00	20.03
1951	.00	.91	.94	1.55	4.20	3.88	.81	.76	.71	1.97	.00	.00	15.73
1952	.34	.30	1.30	2.60	3.37	.30	.10	.25	1.65	.00	3.12	1.49	14.73
1953	.00	.40	3.75	1.20	4.25	3.00	2.52	2.28	.15	5.87	.48	.28	24.18
1954	.71	.30	.75	4.51	3.11	.00	.25	.50	.00	2.01	2.50	.50	15.14
1955	1.39	1.71	.21	1.17	3.06	2.65	3.47	2.75	.25	2.30	.53	.00	19.46
1956	1.65	1.28	.30	5.55	2.26	.22	.00	.00	.00	2.45	1.95	2.35	18.01
1957	.36	1.85	1.26	7.40	9.50	3.46	.13	.00	4.07	5.66	1.00	4.90	38.58
1958	1.35	2.01	1.55	3.80	3.10	1.50	2.00	2.00	2.73	2.36	.25	2.21	24.71
1959	.00	.56	.30	1.65	3.27	5.37	4.09	.93	1.35	5.17	4.01	.63	27.30
1960	2.85	2.20	.00	1.76	1.84	.00	2.20	2.01	2.20	3.50	2.51	.97	21.07
1961	5.60	1.58	.46	.67	4.21	7.30	2.58	.45	.67	3.25	.55	3.66	31.20
1962	.00	.61	.76	3.09	.37	6.22	4.08	.30	7.36	3.07	.92	1.18	27.96
1963	.00	.50	.25	1.86	8.24	2.12	.22	.73	.78	.26	5.18	.83	20.87
1964	2.40	1.67	1.47	2.69	.30	.35	.10	3.02	8.95	1.45	1.68	.35	24.43
1965	2.50	1.85	.41	.76	7.87	2.41	.00	2.30	2.85	2.40	1.60	1.55	26.40
1966	.51	.86	.43	5.40	.00	4.26	.00	5.57	3.15	1.26	.02	.00	21.46
1967	.00	.57	.91	3.39	5.40	2.44	1.22	.82	5.21	1.83	1.90	1.20	24.89
1968	9.26	1.82	1.97	3.06	4.23	2.46	2.83	3.29	.80				29.72

Eighteen-year Average Rainfall: 23.12

Normal Rainfall Here: 24.54

Above figures taken from official records of S. F. Bond, observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau

## Ex-Local Man Heads Denison Legion

Junior Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ford of Cross Plains, has been installed as commander of Grayson County American Legion Post at Denison.

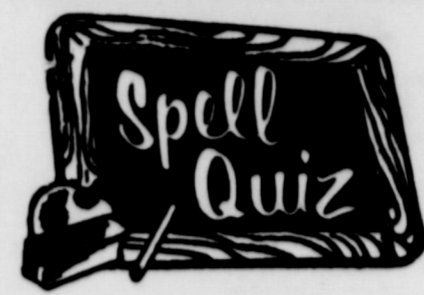
Ford now enjoys a distinction

of having headed Legion posts in two separate cities. He was commander of the Tommie Aiken Post in Cross Plains in 1943.

Ford, who was reared here,

is a veteran of World War II and served with the famed 36th Texas Infantry Division.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.



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### NEW 'PHONE BOOK WON'T SHOW CITY

The new telephone book to be out in November will not list subscribers in sections as from Cross Plains, May or Rising Star, as has been done in recent years. Instead telephone listings will be alphabetical. No regard will be paid to its location on the system.

### TRAFFIC MISHAP HERE LEAVES NO INJURIES

Damage was considered heavy to two vehicles which collided just west of the city limits on the old Coleman road late Saturday afternoon.

A late model car driven by Richard Wilson of this city collided with the rear of an auto owned by Gary Childers of this city, as the latter was attempting back into driveway at the Leo Franke place, according to an investigating officer. Neither was hurt.

### FIRST WHITE MEN

(Continued from page 7) ora del Socorro — of My Lady of Socorro. From the site of Plains, the men traveled down Turkey miles before choosing for the night of September 11 at the key Creek on Pecan Creek.

The Autumn season advanced, and the observed cane-like ing in the water streams. Especially impressed with the ing trees that grew and with other timber that filled the valley. Noting the in the streams and ant crop of pecans clusters on every li siring to honor the tron saint of agriculture named the Canebreak and Cre isidro.

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