

The Cross Plains Review

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"When the One Great Scorer Comes To Write Against Your Name He Writes Not If You Won Or Lost But How You Played The Game"

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"Without offense to friends or foes we sketch Cross Plains exactly as it goes."

"Nothing but the United States that can make money without advertising."

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS

More Oil Tests For Callahan Will Get Underway Soon

Oil Co. Inc. of Dallas, has been active in Callahan County exploration during the year, has filed locations for new wildcat ventures to the Palo Pinto section. Three miles southeast of Admiral has been filed for the Star Co. Inc. No. 1 Mrs. O. Smith, 600 foot rotary test 660 feet to the north and 1,890 from the line of section 45 D&D&A survey. Three miles southeast of Eula, located for the Star Oil Co., No. C. Edwards, 1,320 feet from east and 2,530 from the north of section 21 BBB&C survey, on permit for 2,750 feet with the Star Oil Co., No. L. Farmer, one mile northeast of Eula, 1,650 feet from the north and 2,775 from the east line of section 47 BBB&C survey.

Local People At Banquet At Coleman Last Monday Night

Fifteen representatives of the Cross Plains Lions Club attended banquet in the Coleman school Monday night, at which charts were presented to newly organized clubs at Lawn, and Cross Plains.

Those attending from Cross Plains included: Mr. and Mrs. L. Oster, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. In, Mr. and Mrs. Don F. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan, and Mrs. James M. Campbell, Howell, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin.

MEMBER LOCAL YOUTH KILLED ON LUZON IS BURIED IN DE LEON

General for Raymond Dillard, Avery Dillard, killed in the Philippines during the recent war, was held in De Leon Wednesday afternoon. The Dillard family lived in Cross Plains and deceased soldier was well known and had many friends.

Falkner and Olin Corley, of Cross Plains, and both of served on the Island of Luzon which Raymond was killed and as pallbearers at the funeral and interment service.

C. M. ANDERSON IS GUEST ON THURSDAY

C. M. Anderson was hostess to the complimented members Delta Kappa Club with two of bridge at her home Thursday night of last week.

Freshment time the hostess a plate of pineapple and salad, pickles, potato chips, cherries, cherry pie topped with cream, and coffee to the guests: Mrs. Cutbirth, C. Looman, Mrs. O. B. Anderson, Mrs. Ralph McNeel, and Mrs. Edwin Baum, and Mrs. C. R. Cook.

SCHOOL BOARD REVISES VETERANS SCHOOLS IN CALLAHAN

Callahan County Veterans Schools are operated under indirect supervision of the Callahan County school board, composed of: N. L. Long, Frank, Clint McIntyre, Fred V. C. Walker, the Review Monday by L. C. Cash, coordinator.

In an article in the Review in which mention was made of the county board's disapproval in phases of the proposed Alken bill, affecting public schools, the Review called attention to the fact that the board voted its time to the well-meaning veterans program, instead of saying the board had an advisory capacity, we have stated it acted in a hasty capacity. Review editor apologizes for the incorrect adjective.

and Mrs. Ray Curry of Cross Plains arrived here Sunday to move to Cross Plains to where he has been transferred by the Western Union Tele-

Church Women Invite All To Day Of Prayer March 4

Everyone is invited to join in a fellowship of prayer on the "World Day of Prayer" Friday, March fourth, in the Cross Plains Methodist Church at 2:30 p.m. "On that day millions of women in 70 different countries will kneel at the altar of God—to pray. The prologue of prayer will be spoken by women of the Fiji Islands who live near the International Date Line. The prayers will continue westward, following the sun, until after many hours the Great Amen is sung in the cold Arctic and in the tropical Tongas. Some will pray for bread and some for clothing. All will pray for peace and a deeper communion with God."

Football Schedule Will Open Earlier

Football season will start earlier in Cross Plains this Autumn with the first conference game booked for September 30, when the Buffaloes meet the always potent Early Longhorns. The full schedule will not be arranged until early in September, however, games already carded are: September 30, Early here; October seventh, Gorman there; October 14, Santa Anna there; October 21, Bangs here; November fourth, May here; November, Rising Star there; November 18, Blanket here, and Thanksgiving afternoon, Baird here.

LIFE OF GEORGE AND ABRAHAM ARE WELL KNOWN BY SEVENTH GRADERS

If your memory needs a little refreshing regarding either George Washington or Abraham Lincoln just stop any seventh grade student in Cross Plains school and ask a few questions. The youngsters have just finished decorating their room with Washington and Lincoln sketches, prepared under direction of Mrs. Clyde Bunnell, too, adorning the walls are some splendid themes written by the students on the two great Americans.

GAS WELL COMPLETED ON LAWLIS FARM TEN MILES WEST OF HERE

Anzac Oil Corporation has completed a gas well on the O. R. Lawlis tract, 10 miles west of Cross Plains, after commercial oil production was not encountered in the 2,210 feet of drilling. The well, located in the northwest corner of the Lawlis tract in the William H. Brown survey, made a million and a half cubic feet of gas in the Cross Plains sand. Analysis showed the gas to contain one and three tenths gallons of fluid per thousand cubic feet, which informed sources declare is "very wet."

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adair were in Dallas first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. (Buster) Richardson and children, of Fort Stockton, were here Monday for the funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Calhoun.

New And Renewal Subscribers To The Review This Week

- A. B. Hubbard
- R. C. Thompson
- Louis Helms
- Alfred Petterson
- Pfc. Loys Davidson
- Grover Henderson
- Mrs. Robert Harris
- Grace Ables
- Harlie B. Neel
- Ross J. Newton
- E. L. Woody
- J. B. Shirley
- E. E. Shelton
- Harlon Lacy
- Mrs. Jack Drake
- Mrs. Rosa Lovell
- E. B. Scott
- Rich Holder
- Herman Bearden
- O. R. Edwin
- H. R. Glossup
- Mrs. R. O. Mitchell
- H. S. Varner
- Clyde Blair

Girl Scout Troop Is Organized Here By Adult Advisors

Plans were laid last week for the organization of a Girl Scout troop in Cross Plains, when interested persons met at the Citizens State Bank with a field director for the organization and elected adult advisors. Mrs. A. C. Evans was chosen president of the sponsoring committee, Hubert M. Kelley, secretary, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, chairman of organization and training, Mrs. Fred Tunnell finance chairman, A. J. McCuin, Mrs. Garland Austin and Mrs. Jack Scott, membership and nomination, Mrs. Oscar Koenig program, and Mrs. Floyd Jones, public relations. Mrs. Bernice Nichols and Miss Mildred Woody are leaders of the Brownie group from seven to nine years of age, and Mrs. Garland Austin and Mrs. Clifton Barron leaders of the 10 to 14 scouts. Next meeting of the adult advisory group will be held in the directors room at the local bank the second Wednesday afternoon in March at two o'clock.

Pneumonia Fatal To Child Sunday

Little Charles J. Calhoun, seven months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Calhoun, who died in a Rising Star hospital early Sunday morning of pneumonia, was laid to rest Monday afternoon in the Cross Plains cemetery. Services were conducted from the First Methodist Church here with Rev. D. L. Barnes officiating, assisted by Rev. J. U. McAfee and Rev. W. E. Rodgers of Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun carried the child to the Rising Star hospital Tuesday together with their daughter, Karen Ann, who was also ill. The little boy was kept under an oxygen tent for some time, however, his condition grew steadily worse and he expired shortly after three o'clock Sunday morning. The little girl is reported doing satisfactorily, however, her condition is being constantly observed.

Active pallbearers at the funeral service Monday afternoon were: Ralph Panacke, Jim Wetsel, G. M. (Buster) Richardson and Wesley Duke. Honorary pallbearers included Vernon and Derwin Honed, Walter Spradling and Buster Mack Richardson.

Survivors of the baby besides the parents and sister are Mr. and Mrs. E. A. (Bill) Calhoun, paternal grandparents, and W. J. (Bill) Gross, maternal grandfather, as well as a number of uncles and aunts.

SWEATERS AWARDED TO 15 CPHS GRID SQUADMEN

Football jackets were awarded to 15 gridmen and Coach Bill Shield this week, according to an announcement from the school superintendent's office.

Receiving the jackets were: Vernon Phillips, Junior and Ervis Cogglin, Howard Lee Neeb, Royce Fortune, J. C. Anderson, Junior Grider, Gene Walker, Charles Kunkle, Harold Strahan, Vendell Hutchins, James Brown, and managers, Raymond Silgar and Bobby Harris, and coach Bill Shield.

Two or three other jackets will be awarded when the boys to whom they belong return to school.

USED CAR BUSINESS OPEN AT SKATING RINK LOCATION

L. G. (Lehman) Jennings has opened a used car and auto salvage business at his skating rink property on highway 36, one half mile west of town.

Mrs. Craig McNeel returned to her home here Wednesday of last week after a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Friend, in Denver, Colorado.

March 5 Is Deadline For Filing For City Council

Candidates for city council posts have until March fifth to sign candidacy blanks, complying with a new law which stipulates that the forms be signed and filed 30 days before day of election. The election will be held the first Tuesday in April, the fifth.

Lions Club Takes In 3 New Members Here On Thursday

Cross Plains Lions Club met in the Legion Hut here Thursday noon of last week with 27 members present. L. F. Foster, president of the organization called for reports of outstanding committees, and authorized negotiating with the Merkel Lions Club regarding the possibility of staging a minstrel show here during the Spring.

Sabanno Couple To Observe 65th Date of Wedding Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Erwin, prominent Sabanno couple, will celebrate their sixty fifth wedding anniversary Sunday, February 26, at an open house to which all their friends are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin who have lived in the Sabanno community for the past 63 years, are anxious for all old time friends to visit them between two and eight o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Local Teams Win 2 Games Tuesday Nite

Cross Plains high school boys and girls basketball teams scored a double triumph here Tuesday night in games with Brooksmith.

The local lasses, who lost by one point to the Brown County champions Thursday night of last week, avenged that defeat by winning 31 to 19, despite the fact that the game was played without the services of two first string forwards, Juanita Sheppard, one of the most spectacular shooters ever to play for Cross Plains, was high scorer with 19 points.

Harold Strahan led the attack for the Buffaloes accounting for 17 points as the herd won 36 to 33. Ted Sessions also delighted the crowd with eight points tallied with long, high arched shots.

RISING STAR LADY INVITES FRIENDS TO OPEN HOUSE MARCH 6

Mrs. J. Frank Robertson has asked the Review to advise Cross Plains friends that she will hold open house at her new home in Rising Star Sunday, March sixth, from 2:30 until 5:30. Guest of honor at that time will be Mrs. John Henry Hammond of New York City.

BIBLE STUDY CLUB TO MEET AGAIN TUESDAY

A regular meeting of the Bible Study Club will be held Tuesday, March first, at 2:30 in the City Hall.

Mrs. M. P. Mead of Abilene will be present and have charge of the study course. All ladies are urged to be present.

Remains Of Billy Flippin Expected Here March 15th

It is believed the remains will arrive about March 15, coming to Cisco and thence to the funeral home in Cross Plains. Name and details regarding the docking time of the funeral ship in San Francisco harbor have not been learned.

Blake-Caddo Area Gets 2 Extensions

The Blake Caddo field four miles east of Cross Plains has been slated for two extension tries, one by Paul Gardner of Brownwood and the other by A. D. Roberts of Shreveport, La.

The Gardner project is No. 1 J. A. Haynes 330 feet from the west and 989 from the south line of Juan Delgado survey 789 block 9. Permit is for 2100 feet with rotary.

A. D. Roberts is to drill to the No. B-1 Mack Henry, 1,901 feet from the east and 2,447 from the north line of Seth Ingram survey 154. It is on permit for 3,000 feet with rotary.

Plans to test the Marble Falls section had been made by J. E. Fitz-Patrik on the No. 1 H. D. Killgore, seven miles southwest of Brownwood, but were abandoned after the Strawn section had been reached and the well was plugged at total depth of 660 feet. It was located 3,400 feet from the east and 1,000 from the south line of Kerr County School Lands survey 275.

ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN YOUNG PEOPLE OF OLD TIME GOSPEL MISSION

Young people of the Old Time Gospel Mission were entertained Wednesday night of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McCowan. After singing and prayer, refreshments were served. The group then decided to go riding, as a wagon and team was available. Mrs. Homer White and Mrs. McCowan accompanied the young people as chaperones.

LOCAL CONTRACTOR HAS 3 WELLS TO DRILL FOR TWIN OIL NEAR ABILENE

I. C. Looman, of Cross Plains, was moving drilling equipment to Abilene this week, where he has taken contract to drill three wells for the Twin Oil Company to the Swastika oil sand, two and one half miles north of the Abilene city limit. The Swastika is picked up there at about 1,680 feet.

LOCAL GRADE SCHOOLERS PLAY IN BAIRD TOURNEY

Boys and girls grade school basketball teams from Cross Plains played in an invitation tournament at Baird last week end. The event was won by Denton girls and Eula boys.

LOCAL BANKERS ATTEND FORT WORTH CONVENTION

Fred Tunnell and Edwin Baum, officers of the Citizens State Bank here, left Monday afternoon for Fort Worth, where they attended the annual convention for the seventh district of Texas Bankers Association. They returned here Tuesday night.

T. H. Moore of Roby spent the week end with his mother and sister, Mrs. Roy Cowan. His wife returned home with him for a few days visit with home folks.

Prisoner At Baird Steals Key, Opens Jail Door, Escapes

A prisoner, identified by Callahan County Sheriff Joe Pierce as Columbus Wright, literally hooked and crooked his way out of the Baird jail Wednesday afternoon of last week. Wright had been placed in the run-around. While the jail was unattended, he made a pole of broom and mop handles and fished the keys out of the drawer of a desk in the adjoining office, Sheriff Pierce said.

Operators Believe New Well On Penny To Make Allowable

Fitzpatrick and Fogelson were continuing tests yesterday on their number one Penny, Ellenburger producer, a northeast extension for the Baum pool, five miles west of here, in an effort to determine whether the well will flow or become a pump. In any event, however, it is believed to be capable of making the 80 barrel per day allowable.

Rotary equipment used to drill the well is being moved across the road northwest to the Sawyer tract, where a north outpost to the field will be drilled.

CROSS PLAINS TO BE HOST FOR LITERARY, ATHLETIC CONTESTS

Both literary and athletic events for the district track and field meet will be held in Cross Plains this year. Finals in all divisions of the track meet will be held April first and second and the literary contests the following week end.

LOCAL LADY'S FATHER DIES AT SIDNEY HOME

J. A. Hall, of Sidney, father of Mrs. Roger Langston of Cross Plains, passed away at his home in Sidney Sunday of last week after a brief illness. Interment was made in the Pendergrass cemetery the following Monday afternoon.

EXTENSION TO AMERADA POOL MADE IN SHALLOW STRIKE BY E. E. THATE

Coe Oil Company last week completed a 10 barrel well in the Amerada sand on the J. W. Harris tract, two miles northwest of Burkett. The producer is a west offset to the discovery well on the same fee by E. E. Thate, local operator. Thate has completed two wells in the vicinity and is drilling a third.

W. A. (Bill) Culvahouse, local drilling contractor, has contract to drill three more tests for the Coe Company.

The recent discovery in a long south extension to the Amerada field which has been producing more than 20 years.

Call Made For Volunteer Workers To Gravel Cemetery Street Friday

A call for volunteers to help gravel the street to the cemetery Friday was made yesterday by members of the Cemetery Committee. Every family, every business firm and every organization of the radius served by the local cemetery is urged to have a representative present to work the one day. County Commissioner Claude Foster has agreed to install machinery at the pits to load the gravel. Tom Bruce is donating the gravel and 12 local trucks have volunteered their

vehicles to do the job. Needed are about 50 or 60 workmen, equipped with shovels to help unload the trucks, and scatter the gravel over the road bed. The city has agreed to furnish the maintainer for final smoothing of the surface.

V. C. Walker, chairman of the Cemetery Committee, asked yesterday that workmen come at eight o'clock Friday morning or as shortly thereafter as possible. It is hoped that the job can be completed in one day.

Business firms and organizations, who wish to employ a representative for the day, may do so themselves or this detail will be arranged by the committee if payment is guaranteed.

"It will be impossible to complete the job unless sufficient workers turn out, and in justice to those who have already donated trucks, equipment and the gravel, we feel the remainder of us should lend our cooperation", the committee said.

Nutshell Advertising

MINNOWS at my home all time. Pete Robbins, So. Ave. D. (2tc48)

FOR SALE: OIG pigs, weaning size. See Cavin Freeman. (1tp)

WANT TO BUY about 20 head feeder shoats weigh about 100 lbs. See Dale Gary. (2tc48)

LOST: One sack of oats Saturday, Feb. 19, between Cross Plains and Caddo Peak. Finder please notify J. A. Moore, Cross Plains, Texas.

TIRES—Extra good 7.50, 2 good 8.25x20, 4 good 9.00x20 and 3 7-in. Ford wheels. Dan Johnston. 4tc48

WANT TO BUY: Shoats, 100 lbs. up, for top prices. See or write Howard Gary, Box 962, Cross Plains, Texas.

WE HAVE WHAT IT TAKES to fix your radio, or can get it. No experimenting. Jordan Painting & Repair Shop, 25 years in Cross Plains. (3tp46)

WANTED: Well drilling. W. C. Culvahouse, Cross Plains. (1tc42)

Other Ads On Back Page

For Sale

Several nice homes well located. Have two or three very good houses to be moved.

Have some of the best revenue paying property in Cross Plains at very attractive prices.

Sure do have some good buys in a few small tracts, 15 to 40 acres located near town on good highways.

Have a buyer for a good place well located about 1/2 in cultivation, 200 or 300 acres. See me at once if you have this place.

Bert Brown

"The New Real Estate Dealer" Box 1385 Cross Plains, Texas

FOR SALE: New Hampshire Red fryers \$1.00. Phone 193F3. C. M. Garrett. (1tc48)

FOR SALE: Two wagons, two trailers, and two tractor tires, tires at Respass Station, wagons and trailers at my home. R. B. Belyeu, Rt. 1. (2tp48)

FOR RENT: Nicely furnished apartment with private entrance and all conveniences, also a comfortable bedroom, 2 blocks from heart of business district. Mrs. Charley Taylor. (1tp)

FOR RENT: 2 room unfurnished apartment, private bath and rear entrance. See Mrs. Gary at City Drug Store. (1tp)

FOR RENT: One 3 room apartment and one 2 room apartment, furnished. See Mrs. Joe Walker, across from Fonia Worthy's Gro. (2tp47)

USED FARMALL Regular Tractor, with planter and cultivator, on good rubber. If interested see us at once for we have a bargain for you. Higginbotham Motor Company. (2tc47)

FOR SALE: Two wagons, two trailers, and two tractor tires, tires at Respass station, wagons and trailers at my home. R. B. Belyeu, Rt. 1. (2tp47)

FOR SALE: Several squares new galvanized sheet iron in 6, 10 and 12-ft. lengths. Claude Stephens, Rowden, Texas. (2tc47)

FOR SALE: 1936, 1 1/2 ton International truck for \$150. See at E. G. Kimbrough's, South Main St. (4tp45)

BABY CHICKS: Good Quality. Prices Reasonable. Buy your chicks from us this season. Modern and sanitary all electric incubators, have some AAAA chicks. Come in to see us or write in your order. See us for your chick supplies. Rising Star Hatchery. (1tc44)

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BUTTON HOLE MAKING Wanted, satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. Nora Long, at white home across street west of Baptist parsonage. (2tp48)

FOR SALE: Modern house, four rooms and bath in north part of town. J. N. Laughlin at Cromer Hotel. (2tp48)

FOR SALE: China cabinet and buffet to match, very nice and in excellent condition; also a clean upright gas range at really a bargain. See these anytime at my residence. Don L. Purdy, Cross Plains. (1tp)

FOR SALE: Fresh green spinach for canning, at W. A. (Red) Huckabone. (2tp47)

FOR LEASE OR RENT: Good farm, 150 acres in cultivation. M. Wilcoxon, Cottonwood, Texas. (2tp47)

USED FARMALL Regular Tractor, with planter and cultivator, on good rubber. If interested see us at once for we have a bargain for you. Higginbotham Motor Company. (2tc47)

WILL PAY 5¢ each for used bur-lap sacks, holes and all. Ira Hall. (1tc41)

BABY CHICKS: Highest quality, low prices. Buy chicks from us this season and save the difference. Modern, all electric 140,000 capacity incubators. AAA and AAAA grade chicks. Come to see us or write for price list. Star Hatchery, Baird, Texas. (1tc43)

INCOME TAX RETURNS And Railroad Commission Forms Prepared EDNA KRELL 2nd. floor Citizens State Bank bldg. Cross Plains, Texas

Personals

C. A. Stone of Cisco was a visitor here Thursday.

Mrs. R. L. Young visited in Abilene Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Winslett of Capitola, California have returned here to make their home.

Cross Plains high school basketball girls lost to Brooksmith 20 to 21 Thursday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Richardson of Fort Stockton were visitors here over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. J. U. McAfee visited their daughter-in-law from New York in Corsicana first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McCord had as their guests over the week end their daughter, Novie and her husband, of Santa Anna.

Miss Dixie Respass, of Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Respass, here Saturday and Sunday.

Kenneth Day, student in Baylor University, spent the week end with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foster at Pioneer.

Mrs. A. W. Wright spent the week visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. T. Heard, in Raymondville, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Young have returned home from a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Hickman in Alice, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Atwood and children of Kermit and Mrs. Joe White and children of Penwell visited here in the home of Mrs. T. D. Little Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Eppler of El Campo, and Mrs. S. L. Campbell and children of Cisco, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coleman of Cisco visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Schaffner here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy H. Moore and little son of Tulla visited in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Roy Cowan, over the week end.

Noah Sealy Johnson, who is attending school in Fort Worth, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Flem Johnson, west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Kirksey and daughter, Judy, of Brownwood spent the week end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson.

Representatives from Cross Plains school system will attend the annual meeting of the Oil Belt Teachers Association in Wichita Falls March 11 and 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Kirksey and daughter, Judy, of Brownwood spent the week end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Childress and son of Dallas spent the week end here in the home of her father, W. D. Smith. Mr. Smith and Lyma returned home with her for a short visit.

Orion C. Williams, of Del Rio, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, here over the week end. Orion is recovering from injuries sustained sometime ago when his car was struck by a freight train.

Cpl. Billy C. McMillan of this city has been released from active military service. He has been a patient at Brooke General Hospital, located at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, one of the largest and most complete medical installations in the world.

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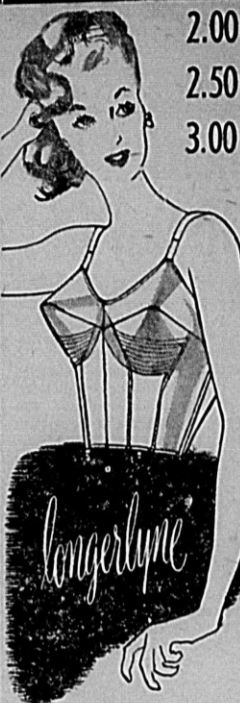
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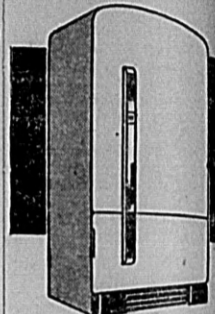
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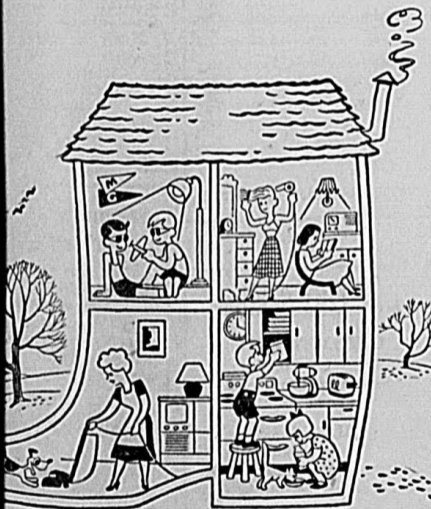
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Till she learned to keep house by the system of touch,
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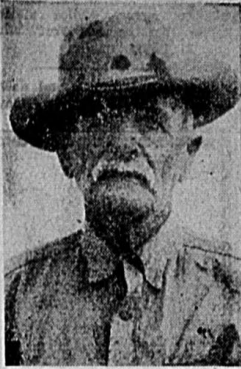
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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Welch of Rising Star were visitors here Friday.

Mrs. C. M. Anderson and son were Abilene visitors Friday afternoon.

L. W. Tyson and Dave Lee attended the Golden Glove matches in Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Anderson had as their guest last Thursday her brother and wife of Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Stone of San Angelo were visitors here last Thursday.

S. P. Bond owned and operated the first public utility in Cross Plains.

A. J. McCuin attended a meeting in the Victor Hotel in Cisco Wednesday night of last week.

James M. Campbell was a business visitor in Abilene and Merkel Friday.

First discovery of oil in the Burkett community was in 1918 on the G. M. Gray place.

The veterans vocational school in Cross Plains is reported to be one of the most efficiently operated in this section of the state, according to VA investigators.

Dr. B. T. McClennan, founder of Daniel Baker College at Brownwood, was an early day pastor at Burkett.

First newspaper ever published in Callahan County was the Clarion, first edition of which came off the press November 15, 1879.

Cross Plains' first gin was built in 1893 by the late J. M. Coffman. It was located on the banks of Turkey Creek, and handled many "bale to the acre" crops. The street upon which highway 36 enters Cross Plains from the west is known both as Fourth Street and as Pecan.

Jason, of Greek mythology, led the Argonauts in search of the Golden Fleece.

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- Is Ill
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- Receives an Award
- Builds a House
- Makes a Speech
- Holds a Meeting
- Or Takes Part in Any Other Unusual Event

That's News We Want It

The Cross Plains Review
PHONE 114

EXPLANATION GIVEN ON NON-PROFIT PHASE OF CHARTERS FOR HOSPITALS

A non-profit hospital is not a charity hospital, city and county officials were told recently at a meeting with directors and staff members of Brownwood Memorial Hospital for a discussion of hospital problems as they affect the community at large.

In explaining to city council members, the commissioners court and other local officials why the hospital is chartered as a non-profit institution and is consequently tax-free, members of the hospital staff pointed out that, for instance, Howard Payne College has a similar charter and pays no taxes.

The local hospital definitely is not a charity hospital, although it handles many charity cases. However, in the minds of many people the terms "non-profit" and "charity" mean the same thing.

Harry Miller, hospital superintendent in charge of the meeting, emphasized that the hospital must charge for its services in order to remain in operation since it is not endowed, nor is it supported by taxation.

In discussing hospital rates Mr. Miller agreed they were high. But everything else is high, too, these days, he said.

Since 1946, he said, the cost per

stay in a hospital has risen 11 per cent. But the overall cost of living has gone up 15 per cent.

Some people objecting to a rate of \$7.50 per day point out that they can get a good hotel room for less. The comparison with a hotel room can exist only in the matter of linens and maid service, Mr. Miller said. The hospital rate also includes three meals each day, availability of a trained nurse 24 hours a day and many other services not included in hotel rates.

Dr. H. L. Lobstein outlined the history of the hospital and its growth from what had been a private residence into its present 100-bed capacity. The hospital has admitted more than 31,000 patients since 1939 and 3,735 babies have been born in the institution.

The hospital's charter was explained by Dr. Ernest Cadenhead. Originally organized as a profit institution, it was reorganized early in the war in order to secure a grant of \$125,000 from the federal government under the Lanham Act.

The federal government, in its grants to hospitals in war-emergency areas, required the hospitals to become non-profit institutions which would admit all patients regardless of creeds, color or nationality.

Dr. Cadenhead said stock held in the original hospital was exchanged for notes against the new organization. Later the notes were cancelled.

The hospital "owns itself," Dr. Cadenhead said. Its policies are set by the board of directors, who serve without pay.

Proposed socialized medicine legislation was discussed by Dr. Roy Hallum. Socialized medicine, he said, breeds hypochondria; those who do not actually need medical treatment rush to the doctor on the slightest provocation simply because they're paying for it and it is human nature to want to get the full value from our money.

Millions would be spent in administration of socialized medicine and there would be the red tape usually associated with government control.

Difficulty in securing nurses was told by Miss Agnes King, superintendent of nurses. Private hospitals simply cannot compete with civil service and the armed services in the matter of pay and other benefits and Memorial Hospital has resorted to attempts to train local girls under the supervision of registered nurses.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox were in Comanche Thursday and Friday, where they attended a funeral of her cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Childs, of Baird, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Westerman here last Thursday.

Mrs. Milton Wyatt was brought to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Tunell here, after being in a Rising Star hospital several days.

The Presbyterian Church in Cross Plains was organized in 1893, however, the first building of the congregation was erected in 1913.

Yesteryear....

.. In The Old Home Town ..

Items of interest taken from files of the Review printed 10, 20 and 30 years ago:

30 Years Ago
February 28, 1919

Miss Jewel Mitchell left on Tuesday for Corpus Christi where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Harvey Dennis.

Walter Breeding, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Breeding of Caddo Peak, arrived on last Saturday from Camp Bowie, where he was discharged from the service.

Cliff Borden, Walter Reeder and others went on Monday to see the Grass well this side of Sipe Springs and count how much money they had lost by not having property close.

In most school districts over the county now the influenza epidemic and other diseases have about subsided, making school conditions practically normal so far as health is concerned. Therefore from now on during the school year we shall insist on the enforcement of the compulsory school attendance law.

Sam Thomasson, carpenter and contractor, and his family have moved here from Clyde. Mr. Thomasson will be connected with the Joe H. Shackelford Lumber yard. He is a first class workman and will no doubt do a good business. Mr. Thomasson is a brother of Mrs. J. M. Hembree.

W. M. Wright, who owns a mighty good farm on Board Flat two miles north of town, has just finished a nice five room cottage that he and his family have good reason to be proud of. We are glad to see a good home on his place.

20 Years Ago
March 1, 1929

The Sims Drug Co. moved into their new location on South Main Street and had their formal opening on Thursday of last week. The line of drugs, neat cold drink fountain and modern display fixtures for more drug sundries present an attraction that would be hard to surpass by attempting a better arrangement.

The extra space provided in the local Higginbotham Bros. & Co. store since they discontinued handling groceries has been replaced by a line of hardware and an additional furniture display department is being arranged on the north part of the building.

Due to the lack of interest displayed in track and field events by the majority of the athletes of the Cross Plains high school the Buff track team will probably be weak.

Rex Clark is captain of the team, others trying for places are: Orba Booth, Felix Watson, Claude Mayes, A. C. Dodson, Jr., Herbert Maddox, and Floyd Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Barr motored to Ranger Sunday.

E. D. Priest transacted business in Cisco, Putnam and Abilene Saturday.

Jim Settle, Frank King, Cap Crabb, J. M. Williamson, Chas. F. Hemphill, Rev. S. P. Collins and Sam Barr attended the Presbyterian Layman Convention in Waco last week.

Work will begin March first and completed by September first on the first underground long distance telephone cable ever installed in the United States, the cable to be laid between Fort Worth and Cisco, officials of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. announced Saturday.

Mrs. R. B. Forbes and son, Earl, and Mrs. Howard Mitchell were Cisco visitors Sunday.

10 Years Ago
February 17, 1939

Work is progressing nicely on highway 36 westward from Cross Plains. About six miles of road bed has been thrown up and building of bridges and culverts will get underway shortly.

Farmers of the Atwell and Pioneer vicinities will be officially invited to join the truck crop movement being sponsored by the Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce, when delegations from this place visit each of the communities early next week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lane and Mrs. A. J. Mathis returned last week from a business trip to the Rio Grande Valley.

SISTER OF LOCAL LADY BURIED ON SATURDAY

Mrs. B. W. Webb of Burkett and Mrs. C. E. Atwood of this place left Friday morning for Amarillo where they attended the funeral of their sister, Mrs. W. A. Brock, who died Thursday night.

Mrs. Brock had been ill for sometime and Mrs. Webb and Mrs. Atwood had just returned home after a visit with her last week.

Grain Storage on Farms Gets Top Attention

The government mapped plans last Wednesday for an "emergency grass roots" drive to help farmers expand storage to house mammoth grain crops expected with the coming harvest.

A program under which the government would provide storage construction loans to farmers will begin as soon as Congress approves, an Agriculture Department official said. The Senate Agriculture Committee began hearings on the storage problem today.

With big crops in prospect on top of an anticipated record-high carryover of feed grains from last year's harvest, the official told the United Press that a "minimum" of 250,000,000 bushels of new storage space must be built.

The department's campaign will concentrate on the corn belt, he said, because "that's where the storage problem is going to be serious." He said, however, that efforts would be made to prepare for wheat storage "trouble spots" expected in the Pacific Northwest and the Southwest.

Officials said the department would encourage farmers to build and buy storage by (1) helping to finance the new construction with loans, and (2) guaranteeing that the government will rent the new storage to hold grain collected under price-support loan programs, if the farmer himself doesn't need it.

In addition, an official said, the government itself if necessary, will buy some bins for farmers to use in storing surplus government-owned corn.

Department and farm bloc spokesmen predicted speedy congressional action on administration bills to empower Commodity Credit Corporation to get back into the storage business—and provide storage construction loans to farmers.

Eventually, official said, the government may have to own large quantities of storage to handle larger and larger stocks of government-owned grain.

First newspaper published in Cross Plains was the Herald, which was started by J. D. Gaines in 1902. Its existence, however, was short.

Mrs. Craig McNeel returned to her home here Wednesday of last week after a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Friend, in Denver, Colorado.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our gratitude to friends and neighbors for their kindness in our sorrow in the death of our mother, Mrs. S. D. Stone.

The Stone Family

Mrs. Walton Wagner visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gravens in Mertzon last week.

Celebrating the third anniversary of its founding the Beta Upsilon chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma sorority for women teachers, met in the Laguna Hotel at Cisco Saturday. In attendance were Miss Doris Jo Pyle of Pioneer, Miss Anna Mae McConathy of Cross Plains, members of the sorority, and Miss Elizabeth Tyson of Cross Plains, a guest.

The sorority is composed of women teachers from Callahan and Eastland Counties. Miss McConathy is vice-president.

Jack Arledge of Cross Cut is in San Diego, California, where he will attend the World's Fair exposition. He left Texas with a party of friends from the western part of the state.

Mrs. B. Herring and Mrs. H. Davis of Putnam were visitors here this week.

The Higginbotham building in Cross Plains was at one time called the largest edifice under a single roof between Fort Worth and El Paso.

Mrs. Roy Arrowood and daughter were Abilene visitors Friday.

During days of the townsite oil boom in Cross Plains the population is said to have been as high as 5,000 at times, however, the number of dwellings here was less than now.

Read The Classified Ads

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Johnson as their guests last week had Mr. and Mrs. Loganport.

John Kendrick, of Cross Plains is a nephew and namesake of the first Democratic governor of Texas.



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Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer of South Dakota are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gillette of Comanche and Will Bishop of Junction, relatives of the Wood's, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wood first of the week.

Mrs. B. B. Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jones of Tyler, W. H. Jones of Graham and Mrs. and Mrs. M. C. Green of Abilene attended the funeral of Mrs. George Gardner last Monday at Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Winslett, Mrs. M. N. Lawler and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lawler and family of Capitola, California are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cross.

Mrs. Myrtle Wiseman of Fort Worth was back home Saturday for a short visit.

The writer was agreeably surprised one evening last week while stopping at Peavy's Station in Cross Plains, when a car drove up for service, who was no other than Mead Griffin, Judge Griffin was enroute to Austin.

The third quarterly conference will be held at Cottonwood Methodist church Saturday night, Feb. fifth. And on Sunday morning and night Brother James Holdridge of McMurtry will preach for us.

Aron Varner of Abilene ACC was home Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Varner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Banta, who have been on an extended visit in Sweetwater, returned home last week.

There are 128 telephones on the Cross Plains system.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Mayes and Billy visited a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Westerman in Artesia, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody and Minnie Lois Woody, Rosa Robbins and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woody and family of Cisco visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wilcoxon Friday night.

More than \$70,000 worth of town lots were sold in one afternoon here in January 1911, when the Cross Plains townsite sale was held.

No town in Texas the size of Cross Plains enjoys a lower fire insurance rate than does this little city.

Cross Plains men to serve as members of the draft board during the recent war were Sam Barr and Ode Strahan.

Before becoming a county in its own right Callahan was at times attached to Bexar, Travis, Eastland, Young and Comanche counties.

In early days the community of Cross Plains was often called Schleicher and sometimes Turkey Creek. The former name was in honor of an outstanding pioneer jurist.

Cross Plains' first jail was built in 1912 at a total cost of \$125.

Sabanno school district was consolidated with Cross Plains in 1931 without a dissenting vote in either community.

There are 24 teachers in the Cross Plains school system.

Cross Plains has the only airport in Callahan County.

Cross Plains Masonic Lodge was chartered December 16, 1896.

Cross Plains' first church building was built by the Baptist congregation in 1882.

Science Directs Deadly Blow At Mesquite Tree

By PAUL F. ELLIS
United Press Science Writer

The undesirable mesquite tree that is robbing the nation of many thousands of acres of crop or cattle raising land is facing a deadly blow from science.

The tree is being "pulled" from the face of the earth by a new device developed at the Southwest Research Institute and already hundreds of acres have been cleared, opening up new fields for crops and lands for cattle.

The invention commonly is known as a "tree-upper." Attached to a tractor, it pulls up trees in two yanks. The roots and all come out and the necessity of dynamiting stumps is eliminated.

The invention was primarily designed to attack the mesquite tree, a "weed" tree that grows throughout the Southwest and takes nourishment out of the earth. It will work, however, on most any type of tree up to 11 inches in diameter.

The "puller" uses hydraulic jacks with the compressed air being furnished by the tractor motor. Scientists here explained that most standard tractors are equipped to produce compressed air, and that the "puller" which weighs about 3000 pounds, can be attached quickly.

At the bottom of each of two hydraulic jacks there is a pair of cinchers. They clamp tightly around the trunk of the tree and the hydraulic lifts, which have a total combined lift capacity of 60,000 pounds, do the yanking up-

ward. Usually two yanks are necessary. One lifts the tree about two feet, and the second takes it all the way out of the earth along with the roots.

The "puller" is one of about 40 inventions that the institute of inventor Tom Slick's program, has investigated. In all about 4000 inventions have been submitted to the institute.

The San Antonio scientist reported that the first model of the tree puller was completed in 1947 and that since that time has won successful tests. The institute is now in the process of marketing the device and at least four manufacturers are expected to put it into production soon.

It is a "little brother" to the bulldozer, the scientists here say, but has more advantage when it comes to clearing spaces of trees.

SLOW RAIN AGAIN WETS LOCAL AREA WEDNESDAY

Slow, soaking rain, which began falling in the Cross Plains area Tuesday night, was continuing at noon Wednesday when more than one-half inch moisture had been guaged. Cloudy and warm had been the weather menu here for several days previous to Tuesday night's fall.

Rain was said to have been somewhat general over the state from northeast central Texas through the Pecos Valley and southeast to Waco and the gulf area. More precipitation was forecast for the week end.

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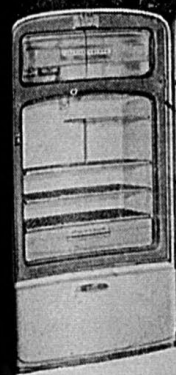
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Question Box**

Q. I am an honorably discharged World War II veteran. At present, I am in prison for a minor offense. May I receive a correspondence course under the provisions of the GI Bill?
A. Yes. The Veterans Administration makes contracts with approved schools and will pay for accredited courses, but no subsistence allowances will be paid.
Q. I am a World War I veteran and have been working out my income tax report. Do I have to show my compensation from VA?
A. Disability compensation is exempt from federal income tax. However, this is a matter within the jurisdiction of the Internal Revenue Bureau.
Q. I would like to know why the pension I had been receiving under the law is now called compensation?
A. Public Law 494, 79th Congress,

provided that the term "compensation" be applied to all service-connected disability or death benefits paid through Veterans Administration.
Q. What income limitation provision is attached to the pension I will get as the widow of a soldier who died in a Japanese prison?
A. No income provisions are applicable to compensation payable for service connected death.

**Don't Treat Measles
Lightly Says Dr. Cox**

With the present incidence of chickenpox almost twice as high as records indicate for a seven year median, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, issued a statement today declaring, "It is a great mistake to treat even light cases of childhood diseases such as chickenpox, measles, scarlet fever or whooping cough as though they did not amount to much. That sort of treatment makes it possible for these diseases to spread and cause serious outbreaks among children and the resulting lowered resistance makes them easy victims, to other forms of infection."
"Some of the most serious epidemics of chickenpox which we have had, have been traced to mild cases—that is, to cases so light that a doctor was not called. In some instances the children have continued to go to school and to associate and play with other children. In others, after they have been kept at home for a few days, they have returned to school and have scattered these germs among their schoolmates. Eventually a group of cases—sometimes very serious ones—have developed from the carelessly-handled mild case. The result was another epidemic that could have been prevented."
The State Health Officer said that the family doctor is the best judge of the seriousness of such childhood diseases, and suffering and anxiety will be avoided if the child showing symptoms of illness is put to bed and a doctor's advice sought and followed.

Classified Ads

Visit The Sadler and Troub Grocery and Service Station at the "Y," next door to Ben Franklin's Welding Shop. Your business appreciated. (2tp48)
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County Agent's Column

By Oliver F. West

Cattle Lice

Now is the time to be on the lookout for lice on your cattle. Lice are more abundant and injurious to cattle during the winter when the hair is long. Rotenone and methoxychlor both are being recommended to put on cattle for lice control. If rotenone is used two treatments at fourteen day intervals should be given. The animals can be dipped or sprayed with one pound of five per cent rotenone, ten pounds of wettable sulphur per 100 gallons of water.
Due to the fact that DDT is highly accumulative in butterfat, we are recommending the use of methoxychlor as a substitute for DDT on all dairy animals. Methoxychlor is not accumulative and can be used at the dosage recommended for DDT.

Kill The Ants

The time for accomplishing the most satisfactory control of cut ants and red harvester ants is right now. The colonies are weakest during the winter when there are no young queens, and when there is ordinarily very little brood of young ants being produced. The ants that are present are very likely grouped together in a central town at this time. Since the queens do the egg laying to perpetuate the colony, the destruction of all the queens at this time will result in the final extermination of the nest.

For control, the central or main town should be located; treatment of the individual small hills scattered about the field or orchard or garden will accomplish nothing, as only a small number of workers exclusive of queens are thereby affected, in the cut ant colonies. For the harvester ant each hill must be treated.

For treatment, coat the ground upon and for a distance of at least five or six feet in all directions around the colony with a ten per cent chlordane dust. If possible force the dust down the entrance of the colony with a hand dust gun.

A two or three per cent chlordane solution may also be used instead of the dust. A chlordane wettable powder or an emulsion form may be used in preparing this solution. Three ounces of the 74% chlordane emulsion mixed with 10 gallons of water makes a good solution. Pour about one half gallon of this material down into each opening of the cut ant colony and about 3 gallons into the opening of a red harvester ant colony and on the ground around the colony.

Another control is as follows: (1) Remove a shovelful of earth at the surface opening to a passageway into the interior. (2) Pour into the passageway a barrel full of water. (3) As the last gallon or two of the water runs in pour along with it a quart of carbon disulphide (highlife). (4) Close all entrances over the town in the immediate vicinity. Do not set fire to the charge of carbon disulphide.

In either of the above treatments it may be necessary to repeat the application in three or four weeks, if there is still activity around the colony.

Garden Ants

Ants of various sizes and color are present in almost every flower garden and vegetable garden. In general most of the ants are not harmful to the plants, but the fire ant is an exception. This ant will feed on almost anything that can

be found and will often kill the plants. Other ants will be found on the plants but feed principally on the honeydew which is secreted by plant lice or on a sweet secretion exuded from the flower buds. Chlordane is the best material for the control of ants of all kinds. Completely cover the ground upon and around the nest with a 10% chlordane dust. If a wettable form is desired pour about 1 teacup of a 2 to 3% solution down into the nest. For larger colonies greater amounts should be used.

Rowden News

By Patsy Crow

Thelda and Velda Crow spent Friday night in Baird with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Crow and Richie.

Lorene Sargent, Katy and Mrs. Lillie Swafford spent the week end in Abilene with Lorene's folks, Mr. and Mrs. Sargent.

Barbara Parish spent Friday night with Ann Thornton.

Betty Jo Parish spent Friday night with Billy Ann Taylor.
Bayou girls basketball team will play Star, of Mills County, at the district tourney at De Leon on Wednesday night, February 23.

Both girls and boys of grammar school teams entered the Baird grammar school tournament this past week end. Both teams won over Putnam Friday afternoon but later on both teams were defeated by Eula.

Miss Ludie Smedley of Abilene visited her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley and Pearl over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odum and Mike visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odum of Burkett Sunday.

Hubert Kelley of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odum and Mike Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Clifton Hancock visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin. Mrs. Lillie Swafford also visited there.

Veterans' News

World War II veterans receiving education or training under the GI Bill are urged by the Veterans Administration to include the name and address of their school or training establishment in all correspondence with VA.
This information should be included in addition to the clearly legible, complete name and address of the veteran and the extremely important claim number.
Student-veterans and job-trainees who follow this advice will expediate any action on their case by VA and avoid delays often caused by lack of sufficient information contained in correspondence from veterans.
Veterans Administration has conducted a training program for cor-

rective therapists at the Winter VA hospital in Topeka, Kansas, to broaden their understanding of the needs and problems of neuropsychiatric patients.

The course—the sixth given for corrective therapy personnel in VA hospitals—was a joint program of the Division of Physical Medicine Rehabilitation of VA's Department of Medicine and Surgery, and the Division of Adjunctive Therapy of the Institute of Psychological Medicine.

Training programs previously were conducted at VA general medical and surgical hospitals in Richmond, Virginia; Hines, Illinois, and Los Angeles, California. Two previous courses also were held at the Topeka hospital.

Future training programs are planned for the Topeka VA hospital and for other general medical and surgical hospitals, to keep corrective personnel informed of the latest developments in their field.

**Law Of Averages
Also Catches Up
With Violators**

There's nothing accidental about accidents or the people who have them, Director Homer Garrison of the Department of Public Safety said recently.

"You can set your watch by the regularity with which collisions occur," Garrison said. "You can predict with absolute accuracy what violations of the safety laws will cause the collisions. And you can pick out most of the people who will have them, because they are the people who habitually violate the laws, either ignorantly or deliberately."

Emphasizing the Texas Safety Association's campaign to teach people more about traffic laws and the reasons for complying with them, Garrison said: "Headless people can get by, for a time, with cheating the laws on speeding, passing, driving while drinking, and pedestrian regulations. But the law they can't cheat is the law of averages."

The law of averages catches up every day with many drivers who make a habit of crowding their luck, the Safety Directors said. Speeding, he explained, does not mean simple disregard of the arbitrary limits of 60 in the daytime and 55 at night. "You violate the speed law anytime you drive faster than you should, in view of the conditions prevailing at the time," Garrison declared. "Pedestrians, sidewalks, small communities, livestock on or near the road, narrow bridges, turns, wet or icy pavement, congestion—all these are hazards that call for extra alertness and slower speeds."

Eighty per cent of the drivers involved in fatal collisions on Texas highways are found to have

committed violations, while 87 per cent of the pedestrians killed are guilty of unsafe practices.

"There are two kinds of people who meet death in collisions," Garrison said. "Those who do it and those who don't get it the way when they see it coming."

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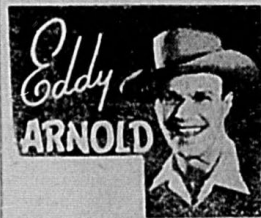
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