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SALT, 1 Lb. 10 Oz. 3 for 20c
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HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

White (Copy) Howell

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. (Buck) Shibley of Stanton and Mrs. Barker of Stamford visited friends and relatives here and at Cottonwood last week end.

Mrs. C. D. Lane visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. R. Cox, in Okra on Monday of the week.

GLY WIGGLY

ES, Pound 20c
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Road Work To Be Done By The Highway Department. Regraded And Asphalted

PHILPECO COUNTRY CLUB HAS PICNIC SUNDAY EVENING

On Sunday afternoon, April 16th, about sixty members and guests of the Philpeco Country Club from Cross Plains, Pioneer and Rising Star, spent the afternoon at the Philpeco Lake.

The outing was arranged as a get-together to enjoy the spring weather, renew acquaintances and stimulate interest in the club. Golfing, of course, was the main interest for those who like to chase the golf, and dominoes was provided for those less aggressive; the ladies have a way of always being able to entertain themselves with or without benefit of golf.

During the course of the afternoon the group was honored with the company of Tech. Sgt. J. T. Hammett and wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hammett of Abilene.

Sergeant Hammett has recently returned to the States for a much needed rest after ten months overseas duty, where he completed his missions over enemy territory. J. T. is a radio operator and is assigned to a flying fortress in the Italian theatre of war. Previous to that he had seen action in Africa. He will report to an air base in Santa Monica, Calif., for assignment at the expiration of his furlough.

Before entering the service Sergeant Hammett was one of Texas' outstanding amateur golfers. The coming home he has been awarded a golfing medal in Dallas. He had matches for this year, but was unable to fill them. At six thirty in the afternoon a picnic lunch was spread. Each family attending brought hampers well filled with fried chicken, ham, cakes, pies, etc. and every good thing that goes to make up a sumptuous picnic feast. It is hoped that these outings can be arranged more often through the spring and summer.

BROWNWOOD JAYCEES ANNUAL RODEO MAY 2

The annual rodeo, sponsored by the Brownwood Junior Chamber of Commerce, will be held this year on the football field of the high school. The rodeo will be a fast and exciting one. The opening whistle will blow on Tuesday night, May 2nd, at 8:00 P.M. The programs will feature trick riding, both men and women, juvenile ropers, saddle bronc riding, calf roping, bulldogging, wild milking and Brahma bull riding. Plenty of comedy will be intermingled with the feature events. Five performances are scheduled for the night, no matinee being held. Tickets are on sale at Gilmore's, the Wall's Canteen and Southern Hotel, with popular prices prevailing. Children 50c, enlisted men 20c, general admission \$1.00, reserved seats \$2.10 - new federal tax included.

WASTE FAT DRIVE IS CONSIDERED SUCCESS

The waste fat drive made recently by the second year home-making girls of the Cross Plains High School was highly satisfactory, according to Imogene Newton, porter.

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The response given to this drive by the housewives of the city was amazing and the girls were able to collect seventy five pounds. "We wish to thank each lady individually who contributed to the success of the drive because we know it is going for a very worthy cause," says Miss Newton.

HONOR ROLL

- Those who this week renewed their subscription to the Review for another year are as follows:
- LI. J. M. Westerman
- Mrs. Flora Westerman
- J. O. Smedley
- Pvt. Charles A. Stone

F. V. TUNNELL TO SERVE ON BOARD AS ITS PRESIDENT

Site For The Location Is Still To Be Determined At An Early Meeting Date

On Wednesday, April 12th, the stock holders of the proposed frozen food locker concern, met in the City office for the purpose of transacting business. Forty nine stock holders were present.

As preliminaries, F. V. Tunnell was elected chairman and Mike Cook secretary to carry on the meeting.

Secretary Cook then read a set of by-laws, in which it was proposed that the name of the organization be "The Cross Plains Frozen Food Locker Co." All other items of the by-laws met the approval of the stock holders. They were adopted unanimously and the company incorporated for \$12,500.

The chairman of the meeting then appointed a committee of three, G. R. Neel, W. D. Smith and J. A. Young, to nominate candidates for the board of directors. On this list appeared S. O. Montgomery, who lives West of Cross Plains, J. T. Hewes of Atwell, Floyd Coffey of Cottonwood, Lewis Newton of Cross Plains, Fred Cutbirth, Porter Davis and Fred V. Tunnell, all of Cross Plains. These men were elected to compose the board of directors.

Immediately after the stock holders meeting was concluded, the directors met to organize. At this meeting Fred V. Tunnell was elected president, Floyd Coffey, vice-president, and Porter J. Davis, secretary-treasurer.

On Friday night, April 14th, a director's meeting was held with all members present. At this time the directors went ahead with the business of ordering the equipment proper for the plant, such as curing and freezing vault, locker boxes, electric meat saws, etc. This equipment will be installed by the West Texas Utilities Co., who will furnish the directors with a blue print of the arrangement as soon as possible.

No definite site or location has yet been agreed upon, but it is pointed out that the company will, in any instance, be required to install a concrete floor, due to the weight of the equipment and for sanitation reasons, and to lower the roof of the building acquired to meet the top of the locker boxes. No construction contracts have been let by the locker company.

11 PRESENT TUESDAY AT CLUB'S LUNCHEON

The Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Club met in regular session Tuesday at noon in the basement of the Methodist Church, with 11 members present.

The committee, composed of A. J. McCull, Ira H. Hall and Bill Calhoun, that had been formerly appointed to investigate the possibilities of a Scout hut, made a report. It was pointed out that several locations were available and Rev. Glenn, Scout Master gave a discussion on the relative merits of each location. However, it was decided to go further into the pros and cons of a location before making a definite decision, but the Scout hut will be a reality.

2nd Lt. Bobby Pyle, who has just recently graduated from flight school in Douglas, Ariz., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pyle, who live south of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kirksey of May visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson over the week end.

In SeaBees



W. C. (Bill) Culvahouse

Seabee 2-c W. C. (Bill) Culvahouse, who is now stationed at Camp Endicott, Davisville, R. I., has just recently returned from eleven months overseas duty in the Bermuda Islands.

He is the son of Mrs. Josie Williams of Pioneer who is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Smith.

Bill attended school at Pioneer and was formerly an employee of the Big Lake Oil Co., at Texon.

To friends who would like to write to Seabee Culvahouse, and from whom we are sure he would like to hear, his address is: Seabee 2-c W. C. Culvahouse, 31st N. C. B. Co. A-5, N. C. T. C., Camp Endicott, Davisville, R. I.

Home Economics Girls Win 2 Places In Abilene Meet

Saturday, April 15th, the Home-making chapter of the Cross Plains High School went, under the sponsorship of Miss Hallie Peters, to a homemaking rally at Abilene, held from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. in the Abilene High School Economics building.

Transportation was provided by the following: Miss Hallie Peters, Mrs. Dee Burleson, Mrs. A. J. McCull, Hubert Kelly and Mrs. Olan Montgomery.

Twenty-eight girls from the Cross Plains Chapter attended the rally which is composed of Baird, Clyde, Cross Plains, all of Taylor county and Sweetwater. The girls from this chapter made a commendable record for themselves, taking first and second places in the four contests entered, and from schools of far larger enrollment.

Ribbons were awarded to the following: Imogene Newton placed first in flower arrangements; Pattie Joe Howard took first place in the general utility dressmaking; Ruby Lee Holum placed first in mayonnaise making, and Dorothy Ripper took second place in angel food cake baking.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY UNION MEETS APRIL 17

The Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church met April 17th, with Mrs. Ira Hall, president, in charge, and eleven members present.

A singularly interesting program on the theme "Buckner's Orphans Home," was carried out. The members of the Union will, in the near future, pack several crates of eggs and send to the home. Anyone who is willing to donate eggs for this worthy institution should see Mrs. Howard Strahan or Mrs. Ira Hall at once.

Members of the Union who were in attendance were Mrs. E. L. Redden, Mrs. Ira Hall, Mrs. J. C. Huntington, Mrs. Howard Strahan, Mrs. Etta Booth, Mrs. Greenhouse, Mrs. A. J. McCull, Mrs. Mamie Swafford, Mrs. C. E. Poe, Mrs. Earl Smith and Miss Effie Wood.

Local School Holds League Meet On Friday, April 14th.

The all-day league meet of the Cross Plains school district, as a substitute to the regular county track meet, was held April 14th.

Those participating in the sports were divided into sides, one known as the S. O. S. and the other U. S. H. S. These teams competed against each other with the S. O. S. team winning the meet.

Senior track winners were: 50 yard dash, Richard White; 100 yard dash, Truett Myrick; broad jump, Etzel Henson; high jump, Etzel Henson; 440 yard dash, Richard White; shot put, Ferrel Newton; mile run, Truett Myrick.

Junior track winners were: 50 yard dash, Billie Wayne Jones; 100 yard dash, Billie Wayne Jones; broad jump, Jack Schaffner; high jump, Billie Joe Shirley; chinning bar, Lane Glenn.

In the high school literary contests, the winners were: declamations: Junior girls, Abbie Lou McDonald; Junior boys: Carl Weaver; senior girls: Doris Marie Hall; senior boys: Glen White. Spelling: J. D. Conlee and Herstine Hawkins (tied). Typing: Dorothy Ripper. Ready writers: Gerald Moon.

In the grammar school contests, winners were: boys declamations: Roger Williams, Merlin Hutchins, Alton McCowan.

Girls declamation: Mary Beth Tunnell, 1st; Barbara Sue Garrett, 2nd; Ann Baum and Barbara Jean Ramsey tied for 3rd place.

5th and 6th grade spelling winners were: Junior Grider, Willard Meador, Barbara Jean Ramsey, Dana Lou Cox, and Emma D. Worthy.

7th and 8th grade spelling winners were: Roger Williams, Roylene Arrowood, Lavina Ingram, Jeanette Joy, Lorett Rouse.

Number sense winners: Robert Smith and Roger Williams.

Story telling: Juanelle Miller, 1st; Glendora Raughton, 2nd; and Morris R. Cavanaugh, 3rd.

PIONEER PEOPLE HAVE ENTERTAINMENT FOR BOWIE SERVICEMEN

Enterprising residents of the little town of Pioneer have thought of and executed a unique idea for the entertainment of servicemen of surrounding camps.

Four churches of the community, The Church of Christ, Baptist Church, Methodist Church and Church of the Nazarene got their heads together and decided to have an all-day service with one of those old-fashioned dinners-on-the-ground, to which they would invite fifty servicemen from Camp Bowie.

The day was set for Easter Sunday, invitation extended to the boys of Camp Bowie; to which 28 responded, bright and early on Sunday morning the bus from Brownwood brought the boys over, they attended church and afterward enjoyed extravagantly the good eats provided.

R. C. Brown, chairman of the Pioneer Red Cross, displays a letter from Miss Carrie Reeves of Brownwood, who helps the boys to arrange their trips, in which she said, "The boys tell me they had a grand time at Pioneer, they enjoyed every feature of the entertainment; the services, the sumptuous spread and the afternoon singing. The boys were home sick for a touch of civilian life and the cordial friendliness of the women-folk and girls provided that touch. And they were agreeably surprised when, on boarding the bus for the return trip, they were handed back their dollars for the fare."

O. B. Edmondson To Serve On War Food Committee

The Callahan County War Food Committee met Monday evening in the Commissioner's courtroom in Baird for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization. The meeting was called by the temporary chairman, Miss Dorothy Wilkerson, county home demonstration agent.

O. B. Edmondson, teacher of vocational agriculture of Cross Plains, was elected permanent chairman, and Sam A. Billingsley, administrative officer for AAA, was chosen secretary.

The following committees were selected:

Canning: Dorothy Wilkerson, chairman; Mrs. H. E. Galloway, Miss Sue Herndon.

Frozen foods: O. B. Edmondson, chairman; Miss Eudora Hawkins. Dried foods: Miss Madge Wagner, chairman; Mrs. Iva Lou Ashley.

Storage of foods and feeds: N. A. Waldrop, chairman; Joe H. Brown, W. M. Meador, Hazel Peters, F. E. Tutt.

Seeds, insecticides, and fungicides: W. M. Meador, chairman; N. A. Waldrop, J. W. Reed.

Soil and water conservation: F. E. Tutt, chairman; J. W. Reed, Sam A. Billingsley.

Publicity: Sam A. Billingsley, chairman, and chairman of each of the other six committees.

The principal purpose of the War Food Committee is the correlation of the work of the various agencies of the United States Department of Agriculture and all commercial firms who are interested in the production and preservation of food for the war effort.

WESTERN UNION TO BE LOCATED IN MIKE COOK'S OFFICE

Mr. A. G. Burleson, of San Angelo, district superintendent for the Western Union Telegraph Co., was in Cross Plains on Thursday of last week making arrangements for an office to be opened in this city, however at the present, until further details have been ironed out, messages will be accepted at and deliveries made from C. R. Cook's Insurance office. Plans are to later install a teletype machine in the same location. Mr. Burleson is expected back in Cross Plains the latter part of this week to discuss the matter further.

A. HANKE PASSES AWAY AT HOME WEDNESDAY

Adolphe Hanke, who lives south-east of Cross Plains, passed away at his home at 6:30 AM on Wednesday morning.

Mr. Hanke was well past the middle age of life and had been in failing health for many months. He is survived by his wife, who has also been in failing health for several months; and other survivors, whose names the press does not know at this time.

Higginbothams, Cross Plains, will be in charge of burial arrangements and further details will appear in this paper next week.

Mrs. Eddie Graham has returned to her home here. Pvt. Eddie Graham is stationed at a port of embarkation, awaiting shipment overseas.

In India



Pvt. Jack Robbins

Pvt. Jack Robbins, well known Cross Plains man, who has been in the service since December 29, 1942, is now stationed in India. He is in training in Atlantic City, N. J.; Reno, Nevada; Fresno, Calif.; and Kelly Field, San Antonio, before going overseas. He is doing duty with the ground crew of the air corps.

Private Robbins, in a recent letter, said that since leaving the States he had traveled enough miles to reach around the world and he wouldn't trade a cabin on the Brownwood Lake for everything he had seen.

Before entering the service he was employed by an oil company at Hamlin, Texas.

His wife the former Juanita Tyler, is making her home with her mother in Cross Plains for the duration, and is operating a beauty shop here.

CALLAHAN COUNTY H. D. CLUB TO MEET SATURDAY, APRIL 22

All club women are invited to the Callahan County Council meeting Saturday. It is to be held in the district court room of the county court house.

A demonstration is to be given on Flower Arrangement and the making of corsages. Judge B. H. Freeland is to give a short talk on county government. Also, at this meeting, plans are to be made for club women to attend the district meeting, which is to be held at Eastland, May 9th, states Dorothy Wilkerson, Home Demonstration Agent.

COTTONWOOD YOUTH MAKES GOOD IN ARMY

From the Public Relations office at Fort Knox, Ky., comes the release that Pvt. Robert Joy, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy of Cottonwood has recently made "Expert" on the machine gun, scoring among the best shots in his company at the Armored Replacement Training Center, preparatory to combat duty.

Private Joy is nineteen years of age and entered the Army on December 1st, 1943, soon after his eighteenth birthday. He is the nephew of Mrs. M. E. Howell, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Joy of this city.

FORMER LOCAL MAN RECEIVES PROMOTION

From the Public Relations office of the Parachute School at Fort Benning, Ga., comes the information that Pfc. Melvin A. Tate has been promoted to Corporal and is assigned to the Headquarters Squadron, Headquarters Special Troops of the Parachute School, on duty with the Guard Section.

Corporal Tate is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tate of San Angelo and formerly of Cross Plains. His grandmother, Mrs. Savannah Tate, lives in the east part of town.

Corporal Tate attended school here before moving with his family to San Angelo. He has been in the service since April 19, 1942. His friends will be pleased to learn of his promotion.

Road Work To Be Done By The Highway Department. Regraded And Asphalted

Cross Plains and Abilene will, after many years of effort on the part of both cities, soon be connected by an all-weather highway.

Welcomed, although unexpected, was a message received Monday from the state highway department by S. J. Treadway, Abilene division engineer. It stated that the War Production board had approved use of materials for hard surfacing the highway from its northern terminus at highway 80 just east of the municipal airport southeastward to meet the present improved section.

Cross Plains, county and chamber of commerce officials have long urged completion of the Cross Plains-Abilene segment of the highway. When the war began W.P.B. refused to release materials for this highway and hope for any work on it before end of the war had been all but abandoned.

The work will be done by the highway department with its own forces. The wide roadway will be regraded, standard drainage structures built, a base of caliche and a surface of asphalt laid.

The route of highway 36 leads from Abilene to Freeport on the Gulf of Mexico coast. The four and one-half miles now to be improved is the extreme northern bit of the entire route.

The highway is now hard-surfaced from here to its intersection with highway 183, which connects Baird and Coleman. From that point to four and one-half miles from its northern end at highway 80 Abilene it is well surfaced with caliche and gravel and is an all-weather road. The remaining strip has been impassable in extremely wet weather.

The route of highway 36 touches the towns of Abilene, Cross Plains, Rising Star, Comanche, Hamilton, Gatesville, Temple, Cameron, Caldwell, Somerville, Brenham, Rosenberg, Damon, Brazoria and Freeport.

It is a paved highway from the gulf to a few miles northwest of Temple, unopened from there to near Gatesville, gravelled into Gatesville, paved from Gatesville to Hamilton, gravelled from Hamilton to the Comanche county line, unpaved into the city of Comanche, and on to Rising Star, paved from Rising Star through Cross Plains to highway 183 south of Baird, gravelled to four and one-half miles from Abilene.

4-H GARDENERS TO VIE FOR BADGES OF MERIT

The National 4-H Victory Garden Activity, which has contributed appreciably to increasing food production since its inception in 1942 is continued this year. Through their 4-H projects, members last year produced 6 million bushels of garden products.

As incentives to outstanding achievements by rural youth gardeners, the Sears-Roebuck Foundation provides gold-plated medals for four county winners, \$25 War Bonds for eight state champions, and trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next December as well as \$100 War Bonds for eight sectional-national winners.

Last year's state, sectional-national winner in Texas was E. J. Harrison of Cleburne.

MRS. J. A. YOUNG RETURNS FROM TEMPLE HOSPITAL

Mrs. J. A. Young, who has been for the past few weeks, taking treatment for a throat ailment in the Scott & White Hospital at Temple, is being returned to her home here. Although not completely recovered, she is expected to improve as well at home as in the hospital. Mr. Young was accompanied by V. C. Walker and she will be returned in a Higginbotham ambulance.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Sivells of Fritch are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Smith this week.

ROWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fortune attended the funeral of Grady Woods at May Sunday afternoon.

Several were present at the Church of Christ services Sunday, with Brother Nichols of Abilene doing the preaching.

Mrs. Lillie Swafford visited Mrs. Tommy Harris Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McDonald received word Monday that their son, Roy Lee, of Arizona, was seriously hurt Sunday in a car wreck.

Roy Thornton is quite ill at this writing. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McDonald of Yuma, Ariz., arrived at the home of his parents Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Havenor has returned to her home after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Herman Lillie, in Gatesville.

DELTA KAPPA CLUB IS ENTERTAINED IN BAUM HOME ON TUESDAY

Mrs. Edwina Baum, Jr., was hostess in her home on Tuesday evening to the members of the Delta Kappa Club, when she entertained with two tables of contract bridge.

In the series of games, Mrs. Ralph McNeil made the high score for the evening.

At the close of the games an attractive refreshment plate of tuna fish, sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, olives, icebox cake and coffee was served to the guests: Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Mrs. Herbert Freeman, Mrs. Mike Cook, Mrs. Jack Scott, Mrs. Ava Walker, Mrs. Ralph McNeil, Mrs. Pat Allen and the hostess.

The club will have its next meeting in the home of Mrs. Mike Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McClellan and Miss Johnnie Mae Finley of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. McClellan over the week end.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. J. W. DUNLAP

The Home Demonstration Club met on April 12th, in the home of Mrs. J. W. Dunlap.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. J. W. Barr. Three songs were sung, led by Mrs. Dunlap. As the roll was called, those present answered with "How I Correct my Child."

Mrs. A. W. Wright reported for the finance committee and read a nice letter from Mr. E. E. Lutz, owner of the Liberty Theatre. The club will sponsor and distribute tickets for the picture to be shown on Thursday, April 20th, of which \$5.00 will be given to the Red Cross.

Mrs. Frank Williams gave a report for the flower and card committee. Mrs. I. H. Hall resigned as council's delegate and her alternate will take charge until further notice. Mrs. Hall supervised a program on the Moods and Emotions of Women, assisted by Mrs. A. W. Wright, Mrs. Jim Barr and Mrs. Luke Westerman.

Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Paul Harlow, Mrs. Jim Barr, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. I. H. Hall, Mrs. Claude Stevens, Mrs. A. W. Wright, Mrs. Luke Westerman and the hostess, Mrs. J. W. Dunlap. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. A. W. Wright on Wednesday, April 26th.

Miss Peggy Jo Freeman spent the week end in Abilene with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Freeman.

Pfc. Yok Wong of Camp Bowie spent the week end in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Marlon Harvey of Cross Plains spent the past week end in Baird and Abilene.

FARMERS URGED TO PLANT MORE OIL CROPS

Now is the time when farmers make the crop plans which will make or break our oil supply position for the year 1944. We are fixed alright for 1944. We have had the biggest slaughter of hogs in history. We have turned out the oil from 1943 crop of soybeans, peanuts and flax—the biggest ever grown in the United States. We are going to be able to import more from foreign countries than we did earlier in the war.

But what about 1945? Farmers will give the answer with their plantings of the oil crops this spring. We will need more fats and oils in 1945 than in 1944. That will be a year of heavy demand for explosives and other military products of the oil crops, or great demands for fats as food. But, it will be a year of smaller production of animal fats, as the hog population declines under the need of adjustment of animals to feed supplies. We will have 400 to 500 million pounds less of these fats than in 1944. We must replace this with oil crops. That replacement will require the full national goal acreage of these crops. Should oil crop acreage fall short of the goal for 1944, the nation risks falling short of critical war material in 1945, states Sam Billingsley, Callahan county AAA administrative officer. The March 1, intention to Plant Report indicates that Texas will fall short of the peanut goal by about 275,000 acres. The situation is similar in other oil crops. Although increased price supports for soybeans and peanuts were announced after March 1, and acreage planned is somewhat greater than indicated on March 1, it appears that present plans are still far short of the goal.

The direct war use for oils must be met—glycerine for explosives, plastics for guns, other weapons and equipment—give for construction of hulls for PT boats and planes. We need edible fats and oil to feed our Army.

Mrs. Grace Haley of Baird spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. A. Ogilvy.

Mrs. Etta Booth and Mrs. A. J. Mathis were Cisco visitors on Monday.

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CARD OF THANKS. We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks and appreciation to all our friends and neighbors for the many useful gifts and donations for our home. May God bless each of you abundantly, is our prayer.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fox and son. JUNIOR CLASS ENJOYS OUTING AT BROWNWOOD. On Thursday, April 13th, Junior class of the Cross Plains high school, accompanied by Earl Smith, Mrs. Strong, Miss Theus and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Jones enjoyed an outing at the Brown State Park.

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JUNIOR CLASS ENJOYS OUTING AT BROWNWOOD

On Thursday, April 13th,
Junior class of the Cross Plains
high school, accompanied by
Earl Smith, Mrs. Strong, Miss
Thorns and Mr. and Mrs. D. B.
son enjoyed an outing at the Brown
wood State Park.

Thirty-two members of the ju
nior class and six of the senior
made the trip, enjoying boat
ing and various games for en
tertainment. Late in the afternoon
picnic supper was spread and
games played.

Review Want Ads Bring Back

C. R. (Mike) Cook representing Southland Life Insurance Co.

Political Announcements

The Review is authorized to
announce the candidacies of
the following, subject to the
action of the Democratic pri
mary to be held in July.

FOR CONGRESS 17th Judicial
District
Robert M. Wagstaff

FOR STATE REPRESENTA
TIVE
J. J. Callaway
W. B. Starr

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
Carl P. Hulsey

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
B. H. Freeland

FOR COUNTY SHERIFF
R. O. Brame
W. A. Petterson

FOR DISTRICT CLERK
Raymond Young

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
Mrs. Will McCoy

FOR COUNTY CLERK
Leslie Bryant

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COL
LECTOR
Mrs. T. W. Briscoe

FOR COUNTY COMMIS
SIONER, Precinct Four:
J. M. McMillan
J. W. (Jack) Lacy

FOR CONSTABLE
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west of town. (2tp)

FOR SALE: Buster Richardson
one in North part of town.—See
Fred Tunnell at Citizens State
bank. (1tp)

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Olin J. English, Rowden. (2tp)

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box, 2 computing scales.—See W.
Butler at Red & White. (4tc)

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x 12 feet and 1 1/2 lots, 75 by 140
feet, one block from Main Street—
and V. Harrell. (1tp)

CROSS CUT

Pvt. Carl Chambers of Tarrant
Field, Fort Worth, spent the week
end here visiting friends and rela
tives.

Rafmond Martin 8 2-c of San
Diego, Calif., is visiting friends
and relatives here.
Mrs. James Shults and daughter,
Dana Kay, of Crane, are visiting
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ar
ledge.

Billy Paul Baucum left Saturday
for Grandfalls where he has ac
cepted a job in the oil field.

Bobby Lindsey, who has been con
fined to his bed with scarlet fever,
is now able to be up.

Mrs. Alton Barr and daughter,
Barbara, are making their home
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill
Baucum, who live at the Rudeo
Oil Camp.

Mrs. Raymond Creamer and chil
dren of Brownwood spent the week
end visiting in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Ernest Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Byrd and
Lillian were business visitors in
Brownwood last week.

Mrs. J. J. Hawkins entertained
her daughter, Louzelle, with a party
Tuesday night, April 11, celebrating
her 16th birthday.

Miss Myriene Cox and La Wanda
McKeahan of Byrds spent the week
end with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kel
ley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Byrd spent
the week end in the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Hugh McDermott of Cross
Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baucum and
Billy Joe spent Friday in Brown
wood, where Mr. Baucum served
on the grand jury.

C. V. Johnson, who is employed in
the ship yards at Houston, spent
the week end visiting friends and
relatives.

Miss Alene Crutcher, who is em
ployed at Brownwood spent the
week end with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. L. D. Crutcher.

Mrs. Joss Arledge, Mrs. James
Shults and Dana Kay visited S. P.
Arledge, S. 2-c, and his wife, at
Norman, Okla., over the week end.
Mrs. Ernest Byrd, J. T. and Lill
ian were Eastland visitors Mon
day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Long and Della
Stone of Brownwood visited Mr.
and Mrs. A. Baucum over the week
end.

Mrs. Earl Horton underwent a
minor operation at her home Sat
urday. She is recovering nicely.
The ladies in the lunch room
canned carrots last week.

Glen Gunn from Jewod visited,
James Hill over the week end.

Julian Head and Bailey Allgood
of Brownwood were visitors in
Cross Plains on Thursday.

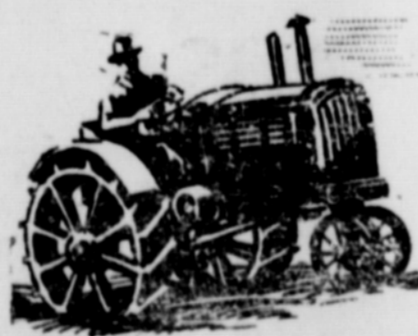
Betty Mayfield of Abilene visited
Joan Neuh the past week end.

Miss Wanda Miller spent Sun
day and Monday in Abilene.

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Students making the honor roll
in the Burkett schools for the fifth
six weeks' period are as follow:

First grade: Jane Godwin; sec
ond grade: Mary Zelma Strick
land, La Faye Burns, Robert Dix
on Koenig; third grade: Barbara
Golson, Cecil Jennings; fifth
grade: Joe Goslon, W. C. Strick
land, Carline Burns, Alleen Hun
ter, Rita Thate; sixth grade: Gil
der Adams, Billy Howard Brown,
Wadle Burroughs, Boyd Babb
Young; seventh grade: Arnold Bur
ton, Vonda Jennings; eighth grade:
Lavada Fae Edlington, Patsy Wat
son, Donald Newton, Billie Paul
Golson, Tye Brown, Virginia Car
ville, Gordon Chambers, Corene
Hoover, Tommie Ray Webb, Joyce
Helms; freshmen: Janie Baker,
Andy Dale Young; sophomores: J.
W. Boyle, William Clyde Key, Le
Roy Williams, Lella Edlington;
juniors: Wayne Newton, Roy
Young; seniors: Tom Arthur Young.

To be eligible for the honor roll
a pupil must make a general aver
age of 90 or above on all work and
must be neither tardy nor absent
during the six weeks' period.

ATWELL

J. C. Foster of Slaton arrived
Monday to spend a few days with
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John
Foster, and other relatives.

David Foster received a message
Sunday stating that his uncle, Al
len Witzel, formerly of this place,
passed away Saturday in his home
near Loop, Texas.

Mrs. Minnie Coppinger of Cotton
wood visited her brother and fam
ily, J. M. Jones, Thursday and Fri
day of last week.

Mrs. Doris Goble spent Friday
with Mr. and Mrs. Walton Goble
near Cottonwood.

Mrs. Mary Jane Cook, mother of
Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle, took seriously
ill in Baird last week. She has
been moved to the home of her
daughter in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Owen Rouse and children
of Baird visited in the W. C. Rouse
home recently.

Rufus Whitehorn of Cottonwood
spent Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Hef
ner.

Wilkesy Hefner spent Friday
and Saturday with his aunt in
Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nance and
baby and Mrs. Blynn Stewart of
Sanatorium are visiting their pa
rents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Foster
and other relatives this week.

Mrs. Doris Goble left Monday to
be with her husband, Cpl. J. D.
Goble, who is stationed near War
renton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow and
baby of Cross Plains spent Tuesday
night of last week with her pa
rents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Foster.

George Carol Purvis of the Navy
air corps spent a two day leave
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
George Purvis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and
children of Bronte visited in the
Tipton Wrinkle home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bently of
Zion Hill visited in the Ebb Rouse
home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ralph McNeel and Mrs. Pat
Allen were in Fort Worth over
the week end.

Mrs. Roy Arrowood and daughter
were in Coleman Sunday to attend
the funeral of Mr. Critz.

SHUFFLE BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED APRIL 14

Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Mayes
graciously entertained the mem
bers of the Shuffle Bridge Club
in their home on Friday evening,
April 14th, with two tables of con
tract bridge.

The playing rooms were attrac
tively decorated with spring garden
flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Free
man were the high scoring couple for
the evening.

COTTONWOOD

Those visiting in the home of Mrs.
H. S. Varner Sunday were Mr. and
Mrs. Leo Varner and children of
Brownwood, Mrs. R. F. Arvin and
daughter, Jo Beth, of Baird, Mrs.
Frank Sullivan of Thrifty and Mrs.
Durward Varner and son of Waco.

Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Respess and
Patsy of Dumont spent the week
end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McElroy are
visiting their daughter, Mrs. O. T.
Cox, of Weatherford, this week.

Our community was shocked Sun
day when the message came stat
ing that Allen Witzel of Carlisbad,
formerly of this place, had passed
away. Walker Respess of Cross
Plains, S. R. Respess of Dumont,
Miss Beulah and Hazel Respess
left Sunday for Seminole to be
with their sister, Mrs. Witzel, and
attend the funeral Monday after
noon.

Those attending the Workers Con
ference at Atwell Thursday were
Rev. C. R. Myrick, Mr. and Mrs.
R. C. Thompson, Mrs. Grady Ramey,
Mrs. H. S. Varner, Mrs. S. A.
Moore and Misses Mary Thomas
and Eunice Hembree.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett of
Putnam spent Monday in the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey.

Mrs. N. A. Yarbrough and daugh
ter, who have been visiting her
folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McElroy,
have returned to Quoddy, Maine,
where her husband is stationed with
the Seabees.

Sgt. Charles W. Coats, Jr., sta
tioned at Matagorda Peninsula,
spent the week end with his pa
rents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coats.

Miss Geraldine Ramey spent
the week end with her sister, Mrs.
E. L. Redden of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ellis and
children of Fort Worth visited with
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Sunday.

Mrs. H. S. Varner is visiting with
her daughter, Mrs. R. F. Arvin, this
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Shelton
visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
R. C. Thompson, of Cross Plains
Sunday.

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| 10:40 p.m. | 10:45 p.m. |
| Arrivals From | Departures To |
| North | South |
| 7:45 a.m. | 7:50 a.m. |
| 11:25 a.m. | 11:30 a.m. |
| 4:00 p.m. | 4:05 p.m. |
| 7:55 p.m. | 8:00 p.m. |

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one of those stories in the papers or
magazines. And there's one thing
those writers seem to agree on no
matter where they are stationed
with our men...and that is that
the men who have left their homes
and families to go

away and fight this war don't want
to come back and find that prohibi
tion has been put over on them while
they were away...either nation
ally or locally. They have heard
about the attempts being made and
they resent it bitterly."

"I agree with them, Judge, even
though I don't happen to drink my
self. Furthermore, I don't think
it's fair for us at home to be mak
ing any major changes while
10,000,000 of our fighting men are
away and have no chance to ex
press their opinions."

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Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Sivells of Lubbock are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Smith this week.

ROWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fortune attended the funeral of Grady Woods at May Sunday afternoon.

Several were present at the Church of Christ services Sunday, with Brother Nichols of Abilene doing the preaching.

Mrs. Lillie Swafford visited Mrs. Tommy Harris Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McDonald received word Monday that their son, Roy Lee, of Arizona, was seriously hurt Sunday in a car wreck.

Roy Thornton is quite ill at this writing. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McDonald of Yuma, Ariz., arrived at the home of his parents Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Havenor has returned to her home after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Herman Lillie, in Gatesville.

DELTA KAPPA CLUB IS ENTERTAINED IN BAUM HOME ON TUESDAY

Mrs. Edwin Baum, Jr., was hostess in her home on Tuesday evening to the members of the Delta Kappa Club, when she entertained with two tables of contract bridge.

In the series of games, Mrs. Ralph McNeel made the high score for the evening.

At the close of the games an attractive refreshment plate of tuna fish sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, olives, icebox cake and coffee was served to the guests: Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Mrs. Herbert Freeman, Mrs. Mike Cook, Mrs. Jack Scott, Mrs. Ava Walker, Mrs. Ralph McNeel, Mrs. Pat Allen and the hostess.

The club will have its next meeting in the home of Mrs. Mike Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McClellan and Miss Jeanie Mae Finley of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. McClellan over the week end.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. J. W. DUNLAP

The Home Demonstration Club met on April 12th, in the home of Mrs. J. W. Dunlap.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. J. W. Barr. Three songs were sung, led by Mrs. Dunlap. As the roll was called, those present answered with "How I Correct my Child."

Mrs. A. W. Wright reported for the finance committee and read a nice letter from Mr. E. E. Lutz, owner of the Liberty Theatre. The club will sponsor and distribute tickets for the picture to be shown on Thursday, April 20th, of which \$5.00 will be given to the Red Cross.

Mrs. Frank Williams gave a report for the flower and card committee. Mrs. I. H. Hall resigned as council's delegate and her alternate will take charge until further notice. Mrs. Hall supervised a program on the Moods and Emotions of Women, assisted by Mrs. A. W. Wright, Mrs. Jim Barr and Mrs. Luke Westerman.

Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Paul Harlow, Mrs. Jim Barr, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. I. H. Hall, Mrs. Claude Stevens, Mrs. A. W. Wright, Mrs. Luke Westerman and the hostess, Mrs. J. W. Dunlap. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. A. W. Wright on Wednesday, April 26th.

Miss Peggy Jo Freeman spent the week end in Abilene with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Freeman.

Mrs. Marion Harvey of Cross Plains spent the week end in Baird and Abilene.

Mrs. Grace Haley of Baird spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. A. Ogilvy.

Mrs. Etta Booth and Mrs. A. J. Mathis were Cisco visitors on Monday.

FARMERS URGED TO PLANT MORE OIL CROPS

Now is the time when farmers make the crop plans which will make or break our oil supply position for the year 1945. We are fixed alright for 1944. We have had the biggest slaughter of hogs in history. We have turned out the oil from 1943 crop of soybeans, peanuts and flax—the biggest ever grown in the United States. We are going to be able to import more from foreign countries than we did earlier in the war.

But what about 1945? Farmers will give the answer with their plantings of the oil crops this spring. We will need more fats and oils in 1945 than in 1944. That will be a year of heavy demand for explosives and other military products of the oil crops, or great demands for fats as food. But, it will be a year of smaller production of animal fats, as the hog population declines under the need of adjustment of animals to feed supplies. We will have 400 to 500 million pounds less of these fats than in 1944. We must replace this with oil crops. That replacement will require the full national goal acreage of these crops. Should oil crop acreage fall short of the goal for 1944, the nation risks falling short of critical war material in 1945, states Sam Billingsley, Callahan county AAA administrative officer.

The March 1, Intention to Plant Report indicates that Texas will fall short of the peanut goal by about 275,000 acres. The situation is similar in other oil crops. Although increased price supports for soybeans and peanuts were announced after March 1, and acreage planned is somewhat greater than indicated on March 1, it appears that present plans are still far short of the goal.

The direct war use for oils must be met—glycerine for explosives, plastics for guns, other weapons and equipment—glue for construction of hulls for PT boats and planes. We need edible fats and oil to feed our Army.

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We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks and appreciation to all our friends and neighbors for the many useful gifts and donations for our home. May God bless each of you abundantly, is our prayer.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fox and son.

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FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY Carl P. Hulsey

FOR COUNTY JUDGE B. H. Freeland

FOR COUNTY SHERIFF B. O. Brame W. A. Peterson

FOR DISTRICT CLERK Raymond Young

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Fresh crop of COTTONS

Cotton Dresses as fresh and crisp as the first twig of Spring Grass — Dresses you will want to live in during the warmer days to come — wear them at home and do your shopping in town.

THE COOL COMFORT of these neatly styled Cotton Dresses that are easily laundered will help you to keep fit for the daily tasks — Charming styled, yet easy to keep.



SELECT SEVERAL FOR WEAR NOW AND LATER \$2.95 —to— \$5.95



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Patent Leather sandals — Similar to picture — sparkling on your feet — the footwear choice of style-minded women.

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Other styles in Gaberdine with patent trim worthy of your consideration — a complete fulfillment of your expectations in Spring's newest modes—Select yours now—

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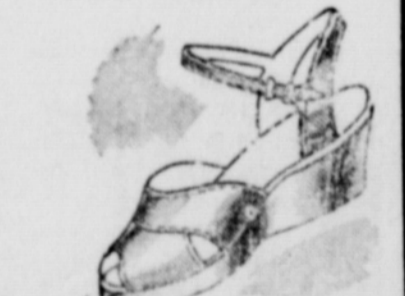
NOTE: Ration Stamp No. 18 in Book No. 1 will expire April 30th. Airplane Stamp No. 1 in Book No. 3 continues good for purchase of shoes indefinitely.

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Plenty of Styles in non-rationed sandals for women, growing girls, and . . . YES, even for children . . . we have a nice variety for your choice . . . and no stamp is required.

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NOTICE

These families in the Cross Plains School District who have children that will be six years old by September 1st and who may not have been contacted by the Census, will kindly get in touch with A. J. McCain, Supt.

FOR SPRING HOME APPEAL Furniture Modes for Lovelier Living!

FROM HIGGINBOTHAM'S FURNITURE DEPARTMENT

CHAIRS New beauties in rockers, lounge chairs, and platform rockers. \$3.95 to \$39.95

WOOL RUGS We have small rugs and 9x12 wool rugs that you'll truly admire. They are high quality rugs that will add beauty to any room. \$3.95 and up

You will want to spend more time than ever this year, right outside in your own yard. Come by today and see our lawn chairs, and other yard furniture!

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Plenty of Play Pens—Just the thing for baby for these summer months to come. See our stock today!

PLAY PENS High quality improved type of mattresses! Mattresses For All Baby Beds

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Drive by turning in your dead stock,
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OST: Child's round looking, Sun-
day, Flinder please return to Mrs.
Scott. (1fc)

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work horse, 2 go-devils, one olive-
green row peanut planter. Also 2
bales of good smooth pasture wire.
Olin J. English, Rowden. (2tp)

FOR SALE at a bargain, 14 ft.
great case, electric slicer, meat
lock, 2 computing scales.—See W.
Butler at Red & White. (4tc)

FOR SALE: 150 bushel of seed
beans.—See W. B. Varner. (1tp)

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HELP WANTED: We need more
help. Want reliable girl or woman
for pleasant hotel work. Room and
board furnished. Neeb Hotel (1fc)

TRY BEXEL VITAMIN B Com-
plex capsules, the concentrated
food supplement. (3tc)
Sims Drug Store

WANTED TO BUY: Good used
stove with good tires.—Hub Freeman
Freeman's Shop. (2tc)

FOR SALE: One frame house 20
x 12 feet and 1 1/2 lots, 75 by 140
feet, one block from Main Street.—
Ed V. Harrell. (1tp)

FOR SALE: Farmall A tractor
with all equipment in good shape.
—See Lester Bash, 5 miles North
Cross Plains. (2tp)

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Huckaby. (1fc)

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FOR SALE or Trade: One set of
tracto rasid bands, one male O. L.
C. hog.—See "Bill Lawrence", 2 1/2
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house, fifteen cedar post and one
roll of 4 foot wire. All for \$15.—
See Red King at Ideal Barber
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FOR SALE: Good Jersey heifers
and milk cows. Some milking and
heavy springers ready to calf. At
my barn all time. Also some shoats
and piggy sows for sale. H. L. Ham-
ilton. (1fc)

FOR SALE: One good milk cow,
O. F. Bennett Farm, 1 1/4 miles
east of Cottonwood. (1tp)

CROSS CUT

Pvt. Carl Chambers of Tarrant
Field, Fort Worth, spent the week
end here visiting friends and relatives.

Rafmond Martin 8 2-c of San
Diego, Calif. is visiting friends
and relatives here.
Mrs. James Shults and daughter,
Dana Kay, of Crane, are visiting
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ar-
ledge.

Billy Paul Baucom left Saturday
for Grandfalls where he has ac-
cepted a job in the oil field.

Bobby Lindsey, who has been con-
fined to his bed with scarlet fever,
is now able to be up.

Mrs. Alton Barr and daughter,
Barbara, are making their home
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill
Baucom, who live at the Rudeo
Oil Camp.

Mrs. Raymond Creamer and chil-
dren of Brownwood spent the week
end visiting in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Ernest Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Byrd and
Lillian were business visitors in
Brownwood last week.

Mrs. J. J. Hawkins entertained
her daughter, Louise, with a party
Tuesday night, April 11, celebrating
her 16th birthday.

Miss Myrielle Cox and La Wanda
McKeehan of Byrds spent the week
end with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kel-
ley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Byrd spent
the week end in the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Hugh McDermott of Cross
Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baucom and
Billy Joe spent Friday in Brown-
wood, where Mr. Baucom served
on the grand jury.

C. V. Johnson, who is employed in
the ship yards at Honston, spent
the week end visiting friends and
relatives.

Miss Alene Crutcher, who is em-
ployed at Brownwood spent the
week end with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. L. D. Crutcher.

Mrs. Jess Arledge, Mrs. James
Shults and Dana Kay visited S. P.
Arledge, 8 2-c, and his wife, at
Norman, Okla., over the week end.

Mrs. Ernest Byrd, J. T. and Lili-
an were Eastland visitors Mon-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Long and Della
Stone of Brownwood visited Mr.
and Mrs. A. Baucom over the week
end.

Mrs. Earl Horton underwent a
minor operation at her home Satur-
day. She is recovering nicely.

The ladies in the lunch room
served carrots last week.

Gleam Gunn from Jerod visited
James Hill over the week end.

Julian Head and Bailey Allgood
of Brownwood were visitors in
Cross Plains on Thursday.

Betty Mayfield of Abilene visited
Joan Neeb the past week end.

Miss Wanda Miller spent Sun-
day and Monday in Abilene.

**W. B. BALDWIN
LUMBER**

Campbell Quality Paint
Builder's Hardware
Johns-Manville Roofing
Phone 202, Cross Plains

**We Specialize In
Tractor And Farm Equipment Repair**



Parts are increasingly hard to get but we make every
effort and have been fairly successful in replacing
worn parts with new ones.

**Bring Us All Your Repair Jobs
None Too Large Or Too Small**

Dillard Brothers

**36 PUPILS LISTED ON
BURKETT HONOR ROLL**

Students making the honor roll
in the Burkett schools for the fifth
six weeks' period are as follows:

First grade: Jane Godwin; sec-
ond grade: Mary Zelma Strick-
land, La Faye Burns, Robert Dix-
on Koenig; third grade: Barbara
Golson, Cecil Jennings; fifth
grade: Joe Golson, W. C. Strick-
land, Carline Burns, Aileen Hun-
ter, Rita Thate; sixth grade: Gil-
der Adams, Billy Howard Brown,
Wadlie Burroughs, Boyd Babh
Young; seventh grade: Arnold Bur-
ton, Vonda Jennings; eighth grade:
Lavada Fae Edington, Patsy Wat-
son, Donald Newton, Billie Paul
Golson, Tre Brown, Virginia Car-
ville, Gordon Chambers, Corene
Hoover, Tommie Ray Webb, Joyce
Helms; freshmen: Janie Baker,
Andy Dale Young; sophomores: J.
W. Boyle, William Clyde Key, Le-
Roy Williams, Lelia Edington;
Juniors: Wayne Newton, Roy
Young; seniors: Tom Arthur Young.
To be eligible for the honor roll
a pupil must make a general aver-
age of 90 or above on all work and
must be neither tardy nor absent
during the six weeks' period.

ATWELL

J. C. Foster of Slaton arrived
Monday to spend a few days with
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John
Foster, and other relatives.

David Foster received a message
Sunday stating that his uncle, Al-
len Witzel, formerly of this place,
passed away Saturday in his home
near Loop, Texas.

Mrs. Minnie Copping of Cotton-
wood visited her brother and fam-
ily, J. M. Jones, Thursday and Fri-
day of last week.

Mrs. Doris Goble spent Friday
with Mr. and Mrs. Walton Goble
near Cottonwood.

Mrs. Mary Jane Cook, mother of
Mrs. Tipton Winkle, took seriously
ill in Baird last week. She has
been moved to the home of her
daughter in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Owen Rouse and children
of Baird visited in the W. C. Rouse
home recently.

Rufus Whitehorn of Cottonwood
spent Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Her-
ner.

Wilkey Befner spent Friday
and Saturday with his aunt in
Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nance and
baby and Mrs. Blynn Stewart of
Sanatorium are visiting their par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Foster
and other relatives this week.

Mrs. Doris Goble left Monday
to be with her husband, Cpl. J. D.
Goble, who is stationed near War-
renton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow and
baby of Cross Plains spent Tuesday
night of last week with her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Foster.
George Carol Purvis of the Navy
air corps spent a two day leave
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
George Purvis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and
children of Bronte visited in the
Tipton Winkle home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bentley of
Zion Hill visited in the Ebb Rouse
home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ralph McNeel and Mrs. Pat
Allen were in Fort Worth over
the week end.

Mrs. Roy Arrowood and daughter
were in Coleman Sunday to attend
the funeral of Mr. Critz.

COTTONWOOD

Those visiting in the home of Mrs.
H. S. Varner Sunday were Mr. and
Mrs. Leo Varner and children of
Brownwood. Mrs. R. F. Arvin and
daughter, Jo Beth, of Baird, Mrs.
Frank Sullivan of Thrifty and Mrs.
Durward Varner and son of Waco.

Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Respass and
Patsy of Dumont spent the week
end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McElroy are
visiting their daughter, Mrs. O. T.
Cox, of Weatherford, this week.

Our community was shocked Sun-
day when the message came stat-
ing that Allen Whitzel of Carlsbad,
formerly of this place, had passed
away. Walker Respass of Cross
Plains, S. R. Respass of Dumont,
Miss Beulah and Hazel Respass
left Sunday for Seminole to be
with their sister, Mrs. Whitzel, and
attend the funeral Monday after-
noon.

Those attending the Workers Con-
ference at Atwell Thursday were
Rev. C. R. Myrick, Mr. and Mrs.
R. C. Thompson, Mrs. Grady Ramey,
Mrs. H. S. Varner, Mrs. S. A.
Moore and Misses Mary Thomas
and Eunice Hembre.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett of
Putnam spent Monday in the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey.

Mrs. N. A. Yarbrough and daugh-
ter, who have been visiting her
folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McElroy,
have returned to Quaddy, Maine,
where her husband is stationed with
the Seabees.

Sgt. Charles W. Coats, Jr., sta-
tioned on Matagorda Peninsula,
spent the week end with his par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coats.

Miss Geraldine Ramey spent the
week end with her sister, Mrs. E.
L. Redden of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ellis and
children of Fort Worth visited with
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Sunday.

Mrs. H. S. Varner is visiting with
her daughter, Mrs. R. F. Arvin, this
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Shelton
visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
R. C. Thompson, of Cross Plains
Sunday.

**Ride The Busses
It's Economical and
Patriotic**

| Arrivals From South | Departures To West |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| 6:40 a.m. | 6:45 a.m. |
| 12:35 p.m. | 12:40 p.m. |
| 5:50 p.m. | 5:55 p.m. |
| 10:40 p.m. | 10:45 p.m. |

Ross Motor Coaches

| Arrivals From North | Departures To South |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| 7:45 a.m. | 7:50 a.m. |
| 11:25 a.m. | 11:30 a.m. |
| 4:00 p.m. | 4:05 p.m. |
| 7:55 p.m. | 8:00 p.m. |

**SHUFFLE BRIDGE CLUB
ENTERTAINED APRIL 14**

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mayes
graciously entertained the mem-
bers of the Shuffle Bridge Club
in their home on Friday evening,
April 14th, with two tables of con-
tract bridge.

The playing rooms were attrac-
tively decorated with spring garden
flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Free-

was the high scoring couple for
the evening.

At the close of the evening a re-
freshment plate of pimento cheese
sandwiches, pickles, iced tea, and
devil's food cake topped with
whipped cream was served to the
following: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert
Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bon-
ner, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson,
Mrs. Edwin Baum Jr., and the host
and hostess.

**SPECIAL
Batteries Batteries**

Willard — Delco — Goodyear



We now have on hand a good supply of batteries but
we cannot promise to be able to restock. Buy now
while the stock is available.

Calhoun Motor Co.

**Want To Buy
Milk**

If a sufficient quantity of whole milk can be purchased in
the Cross Plains vicinity, we would like to establish a route
in the area, whereby milk would be picked up each day and
delivered to our plant for cheese making.

Persons interested in the creation of a route such as this may
gain further information by contacting John Campbell at Bur-
kett, Texas, or by communicating directly with the Central
Food Producers Company at Coleman.

Routes such as this has been in operation throughout the
Coleman area for several years and producers tell us they find
this a very profitable way in which to market whole milk.

Government subsidy on whole milk amounts to 60 cents per
100 pounds, and this coupled with the payment from us—based
on butterfat content—amounts to an appreciable sum. Any
persons or group of persons interested in this proposition are
invited to contact us.

**Central Food
Products Company**

Coleman, Texas

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"The war stories I like best are the
ones by the special correspondents
who live right with our troops. They
give us a better idea of how our men
react to things going on over there
and back here at home."

"I agree with you, Sam. I never miss
one of those stories in the papers
and magazines. And there's one thing
those writers seem to agree on no
matter where they are stationed
with our men... and that is that
the men who have left their homes
and families to go

away and fight this war don't want
to come back and find that prohibi-
tion has been put over on them while
they were away... either nationally
or locally. They have heard about
the attempts being made and they
resent it bitterly."

"I agree with them, Judge, even though
I don't happen to drink myself. Fur-
thermore, I don't think it's fair for
us at home to be making any major
changes while 10,000,000 of our
fighting men are away and have
no chance to express their opinions."

This advertisement sponsored by Conference of Alcoholic Beverage Industries, Inc.

Statement of Condition
CITIZENS STATE BANK

Cross Plains, Texas, April 13th, 1944

| RESOURCES | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Loans & Discounts | \$179,685.70 |
| Overdrafts | 191.06 |
| Banking House & Fixtures | 4,000.00 |
| Cash and Due from Banks | 338,242.90 |
| U. S. Bonds | 159,754.36 |
| State Warrants | 600.48 |
| CCC Cotton Certificates | 162,700.00 |
| Total | 661,297.74 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Capital Stock | 25,000.00 |
| Surplus | 25,000.00 |
| Undivided Profits | 7,310.70 |
| Deposits | 787,863.80 |
| Total | 845,174.50 |

The above statement is correct
F. V. Tunnell, Vice-President
Member of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

PERSONALS

Jack Tunnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred V. Tunnell, flew into Brownwood from his base in Coffeyville, Kansas, on Saturday afternoon. He visited in Cross Plains until Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Richardson of Moran were visiting in Cross Plains on Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. "Doc" Walker of Colorado City visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker recently. Doc is football coach in the high school there.

Pvt. J. N. Bowen of Fort Raymond, Alaska, is spending a twenty day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Bowen of Cottonwood. Private Bowen will report to Camp Shelby, Miss., for further training. He is attached to the 153rd Infantry, Mr. and Mrs. Bowen have a younger son, Eldon, who is also in the service and stationed at a naval base in San Diego, Calif.

Le Kernit Neel, who has just finished radio school in Silver Springs, Maryland, and wife are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Neel and family. Seaman Neel will report to the 8th Naval District in New Orleans on April 25th.

Mrs. W. E. Butler has returned to her home here after visiting in Abilene with her brother, P. P. Bond and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rich are moving into the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Shirley. Mr. and Mrs. Rich have purchased the place.

Mrs. N. A. Yarbrough of Quoddy Village, Maine, visited with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McElroy, and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan from Saturday until Monday.

Herman Aiken of Anson, formerly of Cross Plains, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Aiken last week.

Joe Houser of this city visited Miss Sylvia Hazel in Cisco on Friday of last week. While in Cisco he called on Mrs. Chase Adams, who is in the Graham Hospital and reported her much improved.

Mrs. Walter Westerman visited in Brownwood with relatives on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Charlie Stone, the former George Cecil Cook, has gone to Camp Blanding Fla. to be with her husband, who is stationed there. Her daughter, Adelia remained in Cross Plains with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cook.

BAPTIST WORKERS MEET AT ATWELL

The Baptist Workers Conference of the Callahan Baptist Association met with the church at Atwell on Thursday, April 13th.

An inspirational program on the theme, "The Holy Spirit" was carried out with H. D. Blair and A. A. Davis leading the discussions.

At the end of this program a beautiful lunch was spread, after which the board meeting was held, led by Rev. J. Henry Littleton.

Attending this meeting from Cross Plains were Rev. C. E. Poe, Mrs. A. J. Mathis, Mrs. Gresthouse, Mrs. Jodie Huntington, Mrs. E. L. Redden, Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. Mamie Swafford and grandson, and Mrs. Etta Booth.

LIFE'S Little TROUBLES



CAN'T SLEEP—No need to lie in bed—worry and fret because CONSTIPATION or GAS PRES-SURE won't let you sleep. Be sensible—get up—take a dash of **ADLER-1-KA** as directed, to relieve the pressure of large intestines on nerves and organs of the digestive tract. Adler-1-Ka assists old food wastes and gas through a comfortable bowel movement so that bowels return to normal size and the discomforts of pressure stop. Before you know it, you are asleep. Morning finds you feeling clean—refreshed and ready for a good day's work or fun. Get Adler-1-Ka from your druggist today.

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Doris Merle Newton, who is employed in Amarillo, visited her family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Newton, over the week end.

Ed Henderson reports that the fishing trip he took last Friday, with such high hopes, was a complete flop.

Messrs J. E. Hays, M. F. Underwood, and Jay Garrett of Cisco were Cross Plains business visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Eudora Hawkins, Home Service Supervisor for the West Texas Utilities Company, was a business visitor in Cross Plains, Wednesday afternoon.

"CROSS PLAINS DRY AGAIN" SAYS BROWN

The following article was handed to the Review with the request that it be published: "Last Saturday two State men, members of the Liquor Control Board, drafted me, inducted me into the service and had me escort them to the office of the Justice of the Peace. There they presented Judge Hill with a Search and Seizure Warrant. Judge Hill approved this warrant with his signature, and the big officers said to me, 'let's go', so we went to a private residence in Cross Plains, presented the occupant of the residence with the search warrant, then proceeded to search the place. We found a quantity of whiskey, seized it, arrested the occupant of the house and LEFT CROSS PLAINS DRY."—Signed Bert Brown.

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritic or neuralgic pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get one package of Ro-Ex Compound today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. Pleasant and no trouble at all. You need only 2 tablets several times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pain does not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Ro-Ex will cost you nothing. Try it at once and by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ro-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by

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Bring us your scrap of all kinds. We will see that it goes into the channels of war production. Remember that old piece of junk iron in your back yard may become the weapon to crush an enemy and save the life of some American boy.

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Shred'd Cocanut 15c

CARROTS, 2 Bunches 5c

MONARCH Salad Dressing, 1 Pt. 25c

Plenty Grape Juice

BAR-B-Q Sauce, Heinz, 8 oz. 21c

HERSHEY COCOA, 1/2 Lb. 11c

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SOUR PICKLES, Bruces, 1 Pt. 6 oz. 23c

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Safe and Sure YOUR WAR BOND Dollars

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Laugh? Men you'll sure scream! When you see—

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Here's a REAL little Melodrama!

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"WOMAN OF THE TOWN"

Short Subjects

COMING SOON

"SALUTE TO THE MARINES"

"PRESENTING LILY MARS"

"TEXAS"

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40 SENIORS FINISH IN EXERCISES SET NIGHT OF MAY 19

Grammar School To Hold Its Exercises On Evening Of May 17th in Auditorium

The Cross Plains schools will end the current term with the final exercises for the seniors on the evening of May 19th.

Final arrangements incidental to the completion of the term are being rounded out to bring this year's work to a successful close.

Forty seniors will have concluded their high school curricula and will receive their diplomas and awards on the closing evening.

Rosa Mae Havens will be the Valedictorian, having the highest average for the term and the Salutatorian will be Bessie Folter, with the second highest grade.

The Baccalaureate Exercises will be held on Sunday night, May 14th, in the High School Auditorium with the Reverend Noel Grisham, pastor of the Church of Christ in Cross Plains, who has his home in Abilene, making the address.

The speaker for the final exercises of the grammar school will be held in the high school auditorium on the evening of May 17th, however, final plans for the event are now incomplete.

Through her last illness friends learned in her a quiet bravery, self-complaining, though continuously undergoing great pain; ever being as friends called on her, never discussed dying until the last two days of her life, even though she knew she had not long to live. Then it was her desire to be buried in order, regarding final things, giving to those she loved the things most cherished by her. She was completely conscious the last three hours of her life.

Mrs. Young is survived by her husband; her mother, Mrs. Mary Terry; four brothers, Walter Terry, Haskell; Troy Terry, Callie; Ambrose Terry, Leesville; Herman Terry, in the service stationed at Camp Hood, Texas, and her sister, Mrs. S. C. Copeland of this city. Also several nieces and nephews, among whom is Luellie Pillsbary for the services were Miss of Sweetwater.

Members of the Sunday School to which she attached herself after resigning as children's superintendent, acted as flower girls; the floral offerings bearing testimony to the high esteem in which she was held.

Interment was made in the Cross Plains Cemetery with Higginbotham's in charge.

EDGE B. H. FREELAND SUSTAINS MINOR HURTS

County Judge B. H. Freeland sustained two broken ribs and other minor bruises, which necessitated his remaining in the hospital in Abilene for several days, on Thursday night of last week.

He, with several other men, were turning to Abilene from Abilene, when they ran into an electrical ball storm. They were unable to see a truck parked on the road, the blinding hail and rain, and into it. The low speed at which they were traveling, and the quick taking of the driver served to stop the accident from being more serious.

Lenoy Butler, former grocer of this city, was here on Friday and moved his family to Vernon, Texas to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Robbins of Abilene visited friends and relatives in Cross Plains over the week end.

Nothing but the good States mint can do money without advertising.

CITY IS SADDENED BY PASSING OF MRS. H. A. YOUNG

Saturday, April 22nd, the friends of Mrs. H. A. Young Cross Plains and elsewhere, were saddened by her passing. Mr. and Mrs. Young have lived in Cross Plains for the past nineteen years, during which time she has endeared herself to all who know her.

Mrs. Battie C. Terry on January 19, 1886, at Gorman, Texas, she was the time of her death, forty years, two months and twenty days of age.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, April 23rd, at the Methodist Church with Rev. C. D. Wooten of Fort Worth and former pastor here, saying the rites, assisted by Rev. H. Bowman and Rev. C. E. Poe of Abilene.

Mrs. O. B. Edmondson and Mrs. C. R. Cook were Eastland visitors on Monday.

Sam Barr, Mrs. Alton Barr and daughter, Mrs. Jack Scott and Mary were in Fort Hill, Okla., the latter part of last week to visit Pats, Jack Scott and Alton Barr.

MAY QUOTA OF RED CROSS BANDAGES HAVE BEEN RECEIVED HERE

The local chapter of the Red Cross, having finished their March quota of bandages on schedule, has received their May quota of nine thousand bandages for folding. Those who will be able to help with this work are requested to come in as soon as possible, and do your share.

The quotas are on the increase due to the rapid using of them on the battle field and in the hospitals. Don't let one soldier suffer because you waited too long to fold a bandage.

MRS. CHASE ADAMS RETURNS FROM CISCO HOSPITAL TO HOME

Mrs. Chase Adams, who underwent major surgery in the Graham Hospital in Cisco two weeks ago, has been returned to her home in Cross Plains to complete her convalescence. Her health is showing rapid improvement and perhaps soon she will be seen at her old stand again, Higginbotham's Dry Goods Department.

CALLAHAN BOY TO SEE SHIP LAUNCHING

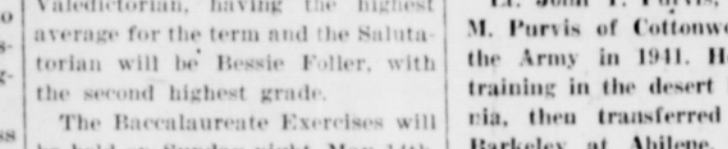
Billy Sol Estes of Clyde, Texas, winner of the National Blue Ribbon award for achievement in 1943, will represent members of the Boys' 4-H clubs at the launching of the Liberty ship named in honor of O. B. Martin, former Director of the A. and M. College Extension Service, at Houston on April 27th. If weather is permissible Billy Sol will give a five minute talk on the history of O. B. Martin and the work of 4-H boys and girls in Texas.

REGULAR SCHEDULE NOW OPERATE JOHNSON MOTOR

Since abandonment of through this section, Motor Lines, who forms through here at irregular have set up a daily service. The amount of freight this place over their routing through in other words they weight rather than. Now, however, they have Cross Plains as a point and will in the in and carry out freight advertisement appears page of this paper.



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