

The Cross Plains Review

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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS

"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"

Friday, April 1, 1949 5c per copy Vol. 40 No. 1

Second Baum Well Flows 13 Barrels Per Hour Tuesday

The well was flowing Tuesday afternoon at the rate of 13 barrels per hour through a 2 1/4 inch choke from the Patrick and Fogelson Elmer test on the Edwin Baum well. The well is one location five miles west of Cross Plains. The new well is one location south of the discovery well this acreage, completed two weeks ago.

C. Barr Insurance Firm Merged With C. R. Cook Agency

The C. R. Barr Insurance Agency, one of the oldest in Callahan county, is being merged this week with that owned and operated here by C. R. Cook.

Doris Hall Active In Dramatics Work With Odessa Group

Miss Doris Marie Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Hall of Cross Plains, now an employee of the Shell Oil Company at Odessa, has the leading role in a dramatic presentation widely publicized in the Permian Basin.

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Teams From 14 Schools To Meet Here This Week End

Athletic teams from 14 schools will converge on Cross Plains Friday and Saturday for the district track and field meet. More than 500 contestants and coaches are expected.

New And Renewal Subscribers To The Review This Week

- Leo E. Jones
- Mrs. J. W. Foster
- Ace Hickman
- Claude Mayes
- Sam Plowman
- A. C. Patzig
- Don F. McCall
- Dave N. Poindexter
- A. A. Huntington
- Mrs. Mary E. Terry
- Jack Tunnell
- C. H. Reed
- E. G. Renfro
- E. N. Schaffner
- Mrs. J. P. Smod
- T. F. McCarty
- Mrs. S. E. Archer
- James Lane
- W. O. Smith

Cross Plains Not Likely To Get New Federal Building

The first gleam of hope for obtaining 12 government owned post office buildings for towns in the 37th congressional district came last week as the house Public Works committee authorized \$40,000,000 earmarked for one or more projects in each congressional district.

Six Candidates Out For School Trustee At Saturday's Vote

Six candidates have been nominated for three places on the local school board, to be filled at the trustee election scheduled Saturday, April second. Terms are for three years each.

Harold Moon Will Be Telegraph Agent Here

Harold Moon has been appointed Western Union agent in Cross Plains and will install facilities at the Central Cleaners here to handle receipt and sending of messages.

Miss Edna Krell Now At Campbell Oil Store

Miss Edna Krell has moved her insurance business from the second floor of the Citizens State Bank building to the Campbell Oilfield Supply Store on North Main Street.

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McKennon STAGE SHOW Inc. PRESENTS

Toby's Own Show

World's Most Beautiful

Tent Show

New Plays and Vaudville Nightly

SEE AMERICA'S BEST HILLBILLY ATTRACTION

THE Stardust Ranch Boys

IN PERSON

Dude Sizemore Speck Bonner Ray Mathis Little Jerie Gib Taylor and many others

OPENING PLAY

"Rocket Ship Girl"

TOBY TAKES TO THE AIR IN THIS ONE

New Low Prices

This Year

BIG TENT

Auspices American Legion

Cross Plains, Texas

3 DAYS ONLY!

Starting Monday,

April 11th.

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
April 12, 1919

Mr. Thaxton Evans, son of Jas. Evans and Miss Alida Ferguson, daughter of Eld. J. M. Ferguson, a minister of the Christian Church at Cottonwood were happily married last week. Both the contracting parties were raised at or near Cottonwood and justly merit the respect and confidence of the people generally.

Miss Winnie Scuddy of Rising Star has moved here. She is employed at clerk in the dry goods department at Higginbotham Bros. & Co. She was here for two seasons as milliner for the same firm.

On Wednesday afternoon at the school ground a game of baseball will be played between the fats and the leans. Proceeds go to the Red Cross. It promises to be a good laughable game. Attend and help a good cause.

In the trustee election on Saturday the following were chosen: Mrs. John Horn, C. E. Barr, W. T. Anderson, and Tom Harris. This is the first time a woman has been elected as trustee. A good many men yet are very much opposed to electing a woman. However the Mothers Club was behind the lady candidate this time and that influence was largely responsible for electing one.

20 Years Ago
April 19, 1929

The First State Bank has installed a large electrical clock on the front wall of its building which will be of great service to the public generally. It is a correct time keeper and is in easy view from the main street and sidewalks.

O. E. Childress of Gorman, has erected a new skating rink just beyond the city limits on the east highway. Mr. Childress has followed the skating rink business for the past four years and has a thorough knowledge of the art.

The boys and girls senior class of the First Baptist church were entertained at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Hill last Thursday.

Piano numbers were given by Miss Anna Mae McConathy and contests were carried out and all enjoyed the evening.

Punch and cake was served to the following guests: Misses Novie and Lois McCord, Resa Pierce, Nell Walker, Anna Mae McConathy, Lucille Carter, Messers. Charlie Gatlin, Aubrey and Dorlin Cross, Chase Adams, Phelix Watson, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde King.

Good towns are built from within. That is, provided they have the stuff within to build a good town.

On Sunday afternoon at three o'clock there will be a singing at the Church of Christ. There will be some of the most prominent singers and leaders present from all parts of the country.

Miss Mary Massa was a Ranger visitor over the the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank King visited in Burkett Sunday.

Etoyle Taylor of Brownwood visited here Sunday.

10 Years Ago
March 31, 1929

Old Man Weather smiled upon Cross Plains trade territory the past week. A two month drouth was broken early Friday morning, and a freeze forecast for Tuesday night failed to arrive.

Friends and neighbors complimented Mrs. B. F. Peavy with a dinner on her seventieth birthday

at her home Friday March 24. Each guest brought a covered dish and a gift for the honoree. Following the dinner, games and contests were enjoyed.

Those in attendance were: Mmes. Rose McNeel, grandmother Elliott, Bud Davidson, A. F. Tate, P. T. Jones, Jesse Dunlap, L. W. Placke, L. W. Westerman, J. J. Ripper, and Misses Kathryn and Joe Nell Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Baum and Mr. and Mrs. Ressie Browning of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Parker Baum in Big Spring over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Medford were Coleman visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Schaffner, Sr., are parents of a baby girl born Thursday of last week. The baby weighed seven and one half pounds. She has been named Anna Jo.

A torrential downpour of rain resulted in postponement of events in Callahan County Interscholastic League meet in Baird Saturday. Events ran off Friday, however, assured Cross Plains of first place in the ward school division, and an outside chance at the class A high school title. Postponed events will be held Saturday at Baird, announces Lewis C. Norman, director general.

Cross Plains library will observe its formal opening Saturday, the Review was told yesterday by Mrs. Orba C. Booth, president of the Junior Study Club, which sponsored establishing the library.

Local Boys On A&M Committee For Open House Celebration

Three former graduates of Cross Plains high school are members of a committee that is preparing an exhibit for "Open House Day" at Texas A&M College on May 7. They are Harold Garrett, Ferrell Newton and J. W. Newton.

The exhibit, which will portray activities and teaching devices of the Agricultural Education Department and the Collegiate Chapter of the FFA, will consist of motion pictures and other visual aid devices. Also included in the exhibit will be charts and drawings to show the public the steps and activities the student does while preparing for his degree in agricultural education.

The chairman of the committee is J. W. Newton, a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newton of Cross Out, who is due to be graduated in June with a degree in agricultural education. The other members of the committee are Ferrell Newton, also a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newton, and Harold Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Garrett of Cross Plains who are also majoring in agricultural education. They are due to be graduated in January and June of 1940 respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tubbs had as their guests here last week his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. P. Williams of California, his brother and wife from Star, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Walls and Mrs. J. W. Hado of Hamilton, his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. T. Milner, and great granddaughter, of Pioneer.

Pennsylvania is called the Keystone State.

CANCER FUND CAMPAIGN TO BEGIN THIS MONTH

Cancer is everybody's fear: its control is everyone's hope and everyone's business. It can strike rich and poor, executive and farmer, man and woman and child. In 1940 mortality from this disease will probably reach an all time high of 200,000.

While tragedy cannot be given a price tag, the cost of cancer to the country is staggering. The medical expense for the treatment of indigent patients, where bills must be paid by private charity or the government, averages more than \$400.00 for each case. No dollar and cents estimate can express the shattering impact of this disease on a family. And cancer strikes in every other home in America.

The nearest research laboratory may be miles from your town, but it is part of a great scientific defense of your home, your family, and yourself. The costs of this defense are staggering. The annual operating budget for one great center of research is \$1,100,000. Essential instruments cost tens of thousands of dollars. Cancer research beds—where newer forms of treatment are given to the patient—each cost from \$8,000.00 to \$15,000.00 a year. A million dollars, now available, could be conservatively spent in developing and testing new chemical compounds.

As research moves from laboratory and university to the patient, expenses grow. This year, demands upon the American Cancer Society for research will probably reach more than \$7,500,000. Yet only \$3,250,000.00 will be available from the last April campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foster joined their granddaughter, Mrs. Jeanne David, husband and daughter of Three Rivers in a weekend visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cash at Baird.

Paymaster FORMULA-FEEDS

pay-off on the range, in feed-lot, poultry yard and dairy barn.

<p>PAYMASTER for cheaper gains.</p> <p>Feed Paymaster Calf Meal, or let us make up a special bulk feed to your own formula, or to a formula best suited to your needs.</p>	<p>PAYMASTER for sturdy chicks.</p> <p>Paymaster Chick Starter and Growing Mash contain every needed ingredient to produce healthy, sturdy broilers and pullets.</p>
<p>PAYMASTER for better-conditioned range animals . . . healthier calves and lambs:</p> <p>Feed your cows Paymaster Fortified Range Pellets . . . or Paymaster Cottonseed Meal.</p>	<p>PAYMASTER for more profitable egg production.</p> <p>Paymaster Laying Mash is scientifically formulated to give you more eggs at less feed cost.</p>
<p>PAYMASTER for more milk at less feed cost.</p> <p>A complete line of regular and sweet Paymaster Dairy Rations.</p>	

HOMEFOLKS! These fine feeds are made by West Texas Homefolks for homefolks. Many of you who read this advertisement know the men who make these feeds well — your children go to school with theirs, your wives and theirs go to the same church, you yourselves swap stories with these men. And you know they know the kind of formulated feeds that pay off on West Texas ranges, in West Texas feed-lots, in West Texas poultry yards, in West Texas dairy barns.

HANDY! Paymaster Formula-Feeds are handy to ranchers and farmers throughout the Southwest. Get yours at any Western Cottonseed mill, or at your Paymaster feed dealer.

WESTERN COTTON OIL CO.
makers of **Paymaster FORMULA-FEEDS**

sold by mills at:

• Abilene	• El Paso	• Marfa	• Munday	• Plainview	• San Angelo	• Elk City, Oklahoma
• Brownfield	• Littlefield	• Memphis	• Pecos	• Richmond	• Slaton	• Las Cruces, New Mexico

Eye Catcher

Don't forget to keep your wardrobe in shape with expert cleaning and pressing, so when you go out you'll be an eye catcher for chic dressing.

That goes for both men and women, because all of us want to look our best.

Do you want to put your Winter clothes in shape now for storage? Our preparation assures you of complete moth protection during the warm season.

JIM SETTLE DRY CLEANING

"Enemy To Dirt" Cross Plains, Tex
Clothes Left With Us Are Fully Guaranteed Against Fire and Theft.

Octane Gas and Ward Tires

MOTOR OIL

Upper Lube 25c Pint
Ward Batteries Fit Popular Cars
Buy Now At A Saving
Complete Tire Repair & Vulcanizing Service

Walker Respass

On Highway 36
CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

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Setting Surface Pipe A Specialty
Work-Over & Clean Out Equipment
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Lady, 99, Honored On Recent Birthday

Mrs. Mose Jones, formerly of this place and mother of Mont Jones of Cross Plains, recently celebrated her ninety ninth birthday at the home of her son, M. T. Jones at Stamford.

All of her children were present at a reunion in her honor, with the exception of Dike, of Elkhart, and R. D., of Anson.

Mrs. Jones is the mother of seven surviving children, 29 grandchildren, 33 great grandchildren, and 25 great great grandchildren.

Attending the birthday observance for Mrs. Jones in Stamford were approximately 100 of her kinsmen. Included in the group were the following from Cross Plains: Mont Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones, and Mrs. Earnest Hollis of Nimrod and her four children: Mrs. J. P. Sheffy, Ray Hollis, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hollis and Mrs. Bill Ramsey.

High spot of the day was a banquet meal at noon and the unwrapping of many beautiful gifts, complimenting Mrs. Jones, one of West Texas' oldest citizens.

Jim Wetsel was a visitor in Clyde Monday.

First Baptist Church

J. W. Chapman, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. classes for all ages (A. J. Mc Cui, supt.)
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Jester Signs Cancer Control Month Declaration



Urging all Texans to support "the mighty effort now being made by the American Cancer Society" to defeat cancer, Governor Beauford Jester has declared April as Cancer Control Month in Texas. "A beachhead has been established against this formidable enemy of all humans," Jester said. "However, the tide of cancer continues to mount relentlessly throughout this state and nation. All Texans must become aware of the cancer menace, and all Texans must be reached by the cancer control methods being sponsored by the American Cancer Society." With the Governor are, left to right, Dr. William Gambrell, Col. Ike Ashburn, Mr. Fagen Dickson, Dr. W. S. Bohls, all leaders of the Texas division, American Cancer Society.

Cancer Control Set For Month Of April

Throughout the nation April is observed as National Cancer Control Month, and on April 10, 17, and 24, the Texas State Department of Health is presenting special broadcasts over WOAI in San Antonio, at 7 a.m., outlining twenty different sites of cancer, the common age at which they appear, the accepted methods of treatment, the percentage of cures, and any known preventive measures.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer says that cancer patients today have a brighter prospect for recovery than at any time before in history, and agrees wholeheartedly with the national movement to stamp out cancer through educating the public that "early discovery can mean recovery".

"Surgery, radium and X-ray therapy are working wonders in many different types of cancer", Dr. Cox said. "In all types of cancer except leukemia there is a possibility of cure if the patient is diagnosed in the very early stages. Any suspicious symptoms should be investigated by a competent physician at their first appearance, and if cancer is found to be present and treatment instituted at once, there is every reason to hope for complete recovery. The important thing to remember is that cancer can be cured; but it depends entirely on early discovery.

All persons interested in cancer control are urged to hear these special broadcasts on April 10, 17 and 24, on WOAI San Antonio,

Cottonwood

By Hazel L. Respass

Mrs. Gertrude Garrett visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maddox, last week. U. Z. Erwin of Dalhart is visiting his sister, Mrs. S. H. Thomas, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Joy are the proud parents of a new son, James Richard, born at the Baird hospital last week.

Mrs. D. H. Winslett and Mrs. W. J. Cross and Mrs. J. W. Lawler made a business trip to Brady last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cross visited in Muleshoe last Sunday.

Rev. Tom Flippin of Pioneer filled the pulpit Sunday for Brother C. R. Myrick and Brother Myrick preached for the Pioneer people last Sunday. Mrs. Flippin and boys accompanied Rev. Flippin.

Rev. S. R. Respass of Swenson visited friends and relatives here Wednesday. Mrs. Grady Respass of Sweetwater also visited in the Respass home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey viewed the tornado wreckage at Desdemonia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Graham made a business trip to Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis of the Admiral community visited friends and relatives in Cottonwood Sunday afternoon. The Ellis's have purchased them a home near Moran and will move there in the next few months.

Reburial Thursday For Billy Flippin

Last rites for Pfc. William R. (Billy) Flippin were conducted from the Cross Plains Baptist church last Thursday afternoon with Rev. J. W. Chapman, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Van Martin, Rising Star minister. Burial was made in the Pioneer cemetery with the Rising Star and Cross Plains American Legion Posts conducting military rites.

Billy, as he was affectionately remembered here, was born November 17, 1924, near Pioneer but spent his boyhood at Coolidge, Texas, returning to Pioneer with his parents in 1940. He was converted at the age of 12 and joined the Baptist church.

Billy was killed by a Japanese sniper while serving as lead scout for his platoon on Okinawa May 24, 1945, being 20 years, six months and seven days of age at the time of his death.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Flippin, a four year old son, Billy, Jr., and three sisters: Mrs. R. D. Hitt, Mrs. M. C. Larkin and Mrs. Leroy Reddick, all of Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Kirksey and daughter of Brownwood were visitors here Saturday.

Harry Coppinger was a business visitor in Fort Worth one day last week.

Floyd Weaver of Brownwood spent the week end here with his father.

Miss Mildred Coats is now working in Comanche in the office of the REA.

Sabanno

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

The Home Demonstration Club met in the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon. Our Agent, Miss Rosie McCoy, met with us.

Our good friend and neighbor Mrs. Lawson, passed away Tuesday night. Funeral services were held from the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon. Burial was made in the Sabanno cemetery. Our sympathy goes to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stansbury and girls have moved to Austin. We hope their move will be the best for them.

Felix Boland of Scranton was a business fellow in our community last week.

Clois Wayne Webb, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King is recovering from an appendix operation. He's in the Graham hospital at Cisco. We hope he will soon be up and able to be out again.

Ralph Erwin and friend, Ed Brown of Cisco spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin.

We all enjoyed the good rain, sure means a lot to the stockmen and farmers.

Several from our community attended the singing in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Hock of near Putnam into our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Miller and Barbara, Duane and Mieke of Big Spring were week end visitors in the home of Mrs. Miller's brother, Arzia Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Gage and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk visitors in the home of Mr. Mrs. Jim Requa Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. S. Erwin visited with Mrs. Arthur Evans in Cross Plains Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Cox was a visitor Abilene Monday of this week.

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Statement From S. C. Barr:

After 30 years in the insurance business in Cross Plains, I now find it necessary, because of reasons of health, to retire. The business has been sold to C. R. Cook, who will consolidate it with his agency.

Before closing accounts I wish to express my heartfelt thanks to friends who have favored me with their insurance business during these many years. I have tried at all times to serve you to the very best of my ability and you were kind enough to permit us to carry your insurance coverage year after year. It has been a pleasant vocation and I hope you will continue to favor the agency which succeeds mine.

With very best wishes to everyone, I beg to always be, sincerely yours.

S. C. (Sam) Barr

Statement From C. R. Cook:

It is with pleasure that we announce the consolidation of the S. C. Barr Insurance Agency with our own as of April first.

All policies placed with Mr. Barr will receive the very same coverage with us and we pledge our very best efforts to servicing these policies at all times.

Here and now we wish to publicly thank all who have favored us with all or a portion of their insurance business during our 11 years in Cross Plains. From time to time we have endeavored to broaden our service and now feel qualified to supply coverage for any type of insurance risk.

To Mr. Barr we offer our thanks for years of friendly relationship and best wishes for quick improvement from his present illness. There'll always be a chair for Sam in our office and here's hoping he uses it often.

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 - Admiral Console Combination Radio-Phonograph
 - A \$179.50 val. \$149.95
 - Tool Box, 8x9x22, a \$5.45 val. \$4.49
 - Screw Type Bumper Jack, a \$1.69 val. 98c
 - Handy Pick Up Cart, \$6.49 val. \$5.49
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Boy Cowan was in Cisco Saturday where she received a general medical check-up at a clinic there. She was accompanied by Mrs. Doyle Cowan.

Mrs. E. R. Smith had her daughter, Mrs. Leslie Evans, and family visit them last week.

Mrs. Bill Payne of Austin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Payne, during the week.

BURKETT QUILTERS MEET IN HOME OF MRS. JR. KEY

Mrs. Junior Key was hostess last Thursday to Aunt Mary's Quilting Club in her home near Burkett. Two quilts were completed and a covered dish luncheon served at the noon hour.

Among those attending were Mmes. B. W. Webb, Wm. Key, W. C. Henderson, Luther Knight, Callie Gray, Elmer Key, Sam DeBusk, Freda Koenig, Dee Bludworth and five visitors who were

Mrs. Shirley, mother of Mrs. Key, two sisters from Pioneer and an aunt from Cross Plains.

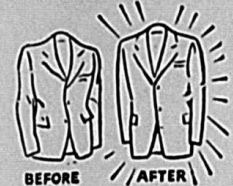
Next meeting will be April 7 in the home of Mrs. Luther Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Moore of the home of Mrs. Roy Cowan. Mrs. Billy Wagner, Jr., has returned to Stanton after having visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Bill Wagner, several days last week.

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Even when friends dropped in for a visit, and expressed admiration for the newlywed's home, the wife would remark: "Of course, if it weren't for my money, Henry wouldn't be able to afford a place like this."

One day, the husband purchased a television set. His wife examined the device, then said: "It's beautiful. But I don't have to remind you, Henry, that if it weren't for my money, it wouldn't be here."

"My dear," the harrassed husband replied quietly, "I deem it time I tell you something. If it weren't for your money, I wouldn't be here."

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FOR SALE: 1941 Chevrolet Club Coupe. Claude Mayes. (1tp)

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FOR SALE: F-12 Farmall and 3 good milch cows; also several used cars. See Charlie McCowen. (2tp1)

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The new U. S. 80 highway stretch from the west boundary of Eastland County to Baird will be paved this year, in the opinion of S. J. Treadway, division engineer for the State Highway Department. Delay is being occasioned on the stretch from Baird west to Abilene. Treadway thinks it may be early

1950 for completion of the approximately 20 mile gap.

EM 1 Tom Maddux, who is stationed on the Great Lakes, visited old friends in Cross Plains this week. He reported that his sister and two brothers are now living in California.

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Farm young people everywhere are taking increased interest in forest management. These two youths are receiving a lesson in the use of the increment borer, an instrument used to determine growth rate of trees. Professional forester, right, instructs.

For the second straight year local farm boys and girls have a chance to compete for state and national awards in a 4-H club forestry project. Three hundred dollar college scholarships plus all-expense paid trips to the 1949 4-H Club Congress in Chicago will go to four national winners in the forestry contest.

Four-H Club members interested in forestry are eligible to compete. In addition to the four top awards, to be distributed on a regional basis, each of the state winners will receive a gold medal.

The 4-H forestry project emphasizes youth's stake in the woodlands of this state. Farmer owned woodlands today constitute a major portion of the Nation's commercial forest area. They represent also a steady source of wealth to their owners that in many cases is virtually untapped.

American Forest Products Industries, a national, non-profit association of wood-dependent industries, is sponsor of the 4-H forestry awards. Last year 18 states participated in the national forestry competition. College scholarships went to club members representing Idaho, Georgia, New York and Wisconsin.

"Opportunities for farmers, who manage their woodlands for continuing forest crops, are greater today than ever before," Charles A. Gillett, managing director of American Forest Products Industries, declared in announcing his organization's sponsorship of the 1949 award. "The importance of good forest management practices on the Nation's farms cannot be over emphasized."

Detailed information about the 4-H forestry project may be obtained from the county extension agent.

Personals

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pyle last week included: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hendrick, of Lometa; Mrs. Alfred Walker, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edwards and children, all of San Saba: They came to be with R. J. Edwards, who was seriously ill with pneumonia for a while but is now reported much better.

Mrs. W. J. Gray has returned home from California, where she visited in the home of her son, Bill Gray, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Moore of Fort Worth were visitors here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Rutledge and sons of Brownwood were Sunday guests in the T. W. Kelley home.

Oxford is the oldest university in England.

Soil Conservation District News

Field work has been completed, over three months ahead of schedule, on the Soil Conservation Service flood control survey of the Brazos River watershed. Regional Director Louis P. Merrill of Soil Conservation Service announced recently.

Survey findings are now in the regional headquarters here for checking and tabulation, and the drafting of the report on the survey is under way, Mr. Merrill said. The survey party is headed by A. H. Bean.

The survey was started last July first. Its purpose is to show whether the benefits that can be expected from a Department of Agriculture watershed treatment program in aid of flood control would justify the program cost. Similar surveys on other watersheds have shown that most of the damage done by floods is to crops and livestock. The aim of an agricultural flood control program is to slow down runoff and water flow, thereby reducing damage to agriculture and preventing erosion as well.

The 45,000 square mile watershed of the Brazos annually produces more than 2,500,000 head of livestock, 750,000 bales of cotton and 6,000,000 bushels of wheat. About 2,000,000 acres of bottomlands along the Brazos and its tributaries are subject to overflow.

When the report on the Brazos watershed survey has been completed, it will be sent to Washington headquarters of SCS for checking and for review by other agencies. The report then goes to the Secretary of Agriculture. If the report receives the Secretary's approval, it is presented to Congress.

Reports on flood surveys of two of the Brazos main tributaries, the Little and Bosque Rivers, are in Washington now, Merrill said. The Little River survey was made in 1947, the Bosque Survey in 1948.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to neighbors and friends, and the people of Pioneer, Cross Plains and Rising Star, for their innumerable kindnesses shown us during our bereavement. Your many expressions of sympathy and friendship following the return of our beloved one from overseas meant more to us than we have words to declare. The floral offering, food and every word and thought for our welfare are gratefully acknowledged.

The Flippin Family

Ace Hickman, Baird rancher and banker, was a business visitor in Cross Plains Monday morning.

Warning Made That Smallpox Cases On Increase In Texas

With the appearance of an unusual number of small pox cases during the past week, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer has issued a warning that this dangerous, disfiguring and often fatal disease can once again become a widespread health problem unless vaccination is used to protect the public against it.

Four cases of smallpox were reported from one county, and while that number may not seem great, it is nevertheless the same total as was reported for the whole state during the entire year of 1948.

"Smallpox vaccination, which affords complete immunity form this disease, is a painless, inexpensive procedure, which should be used to protect every individual in the state," Dr. Cox said. "When we grow lax about our vaccination and allow susceptible persons to be exposed to smallpox, it follows that the disease will spread throughout the unvaccinated population, bringing serious illness and possible deaths."

Dr. Cox urged all parents to see that their children have been properly vaccinated, and if there is doubt about the immunity still being in effect, they should be given another vaccination. If they are immune, the vaccination will not "take", but if it does take, then the immunity was low and the vaccination was needed for their protection. "This same thing applies to adults," Dr. Cox said. "Check and be sure that your own immunity is established, as well as that of your children", he advised parents.

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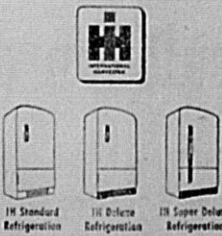
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H. D. Agent's Column

By Evelyn W. Scott

Pleasant Valley Plan
 Children, just as their parents, are from association with others their age outside the family. Yet it is often a problem for parents to make it possible for the pre-school age child to play with other children, especially true in the case where neighbors may be a distance away.

The Pleasant Valley home demonstration club of Wise county has set out a plan which has proved worthwhile for both children and mothers.

a storage box for toys and each member contributed equipment. The play supervisor at each meeting is responsible for light refreshments for the children.

Mrs. Sam Kaker, president of the club, and Fern Hodge, county home demonstration agent, report that the results have been quite satisfactory. The children are well cared for; they learn simple games, benefit from supervised play. The mothers are pleased with the arrangement as a means of developing child personality as well as making it possible for them to attend club meetings.

Mrs. Eloise Johnson, extension family life education specialist of Texas A&M College says, "Mothers of young children quite often would like to take part in clubs and community life, but are held back because there is no way to take care of the children. The Pleasant Valley plan might be followed by other clubs to benefit both the children and the mothers."

This Tastes Good In Texas
 Recipe of the Week
 "Honoring the Irish"

Fruited Pork Chops
 4 thick pork chops
 1 medium chopped onion
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1 tablespoon dry mustard
 1 teaspoon nutmeg
 Juice of 1 lemon
 1 tablespoon worchestershire sauce
 1 cup pitted dried prunes which have been soaked 1 hour or soaked in hot water for a short time
 Brown pork chops in small amount of fat. Add other ingredients in order given. Cover and bake in 350 degree oven for one hour.

Complete Menu
 Fruited Pork Chops
 Baked Irish Potatoes
 Frozen English Peas
 Green Gelatin Molded Vegetable Salad
 Hot Rolls - Butter or Margarine
 Lime or Lemon Chiffon Pie
 Milk - Coffee

Timely Tips
 1. Irish potatoes are fit for any meal because they are plentiful, adaptable and easy to prepare.
 2. Cook them in their jackets to keep the vitamins and minerals.
 3. Prepare the potatoes for baking then wrap loosely in aluminum foil.
 4. Potatoes are nutritious - one of the old standbys in good meal planning.

Winter Time Landscape Jobs
 Note to rosebush fanciers: roses will do better if set in ground which has been sodded with grass for the past five years.

This suggestion comes from Sadie Hatfield, extension landscape gardening specialist of Texas A&M College, who adds this reminder: be sure your rosebushes come from a reliable nursery. Roses can be set out now, or anytime as long as the ground isn't frozen.

There is still some time left for removing unattractive and unhealthy shrubs, and replacing them with better ones. This should be done before the spring season begins, adds Miss Hatfield.
 City dwellers may want to grow a few vegetables as part of landscape plan. If so, pruning the roots and the tops of overgrown shrubs will make room for their new plantings. Among those vegetables Miss Hatfield lists as suitable for planting now in most parts of Texas are roots or seed of asparagus, seed 'endive, carrots, lettuce, mustard and turnips.

The recent state wide freeze injured a large number of shrubs. Don't prune such frost injured shrubs right away, she warns. Leave the injured part on for a while as further protection against other cold snaps, should they occur.

About the care of shrubs, Miss Hatfield has this to say: It's a good idea to examine the flowering quince, gardenias, roses and wix leaf legustrum for signs of scale. That goes for peach and plum trees as well. County agricultural agents have further information on the treatment and protection of shrubs from insects and disease.
 When shrubs, trees or roses have abnormally yellow leaves, this specialist suggests using a corrective treatment of one cup of iron sulphate (or copperas) and two cups of sulphur. Mix this in well with the soil within 15 square feet of the plant, says Miss Hatfield.

Mrs. Mamie Swafford left Friday morning for Roscoe to visit a few days in the home of her sister.

Greece occupies the southernmost tip of the Balkan Peninsula.

Seven towns claim to be the birthplace of Homer the great, 9th century B. C. poet.

There are four pecks in a bushel.

A. H. McCord was a business visitor in Baird last week.

Scheherazade was the fabled teller of stories in The Arabian Nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sunderman of Baird visited friends here Sunday.

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Miss Dorothy Marie Wooten, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Wooten of Groesbeck, became the bride of DeAlbert Hasty of De Leon on March 20 in an impressive ceremony at the Methodist church in Groesbeck. The bride is a former resident here where she attended Cross Plains schools while her father was pastor of the local Methodist church.

The marriage rites were read by Rev. Z. L. Howell of Waxahachie, maternal grandfather of the bride, who was given in marriage by her father. Brides maids were her sister, Miss Virginia Wooten and Miss Marylin McNatt, a cousin. A reception in entertaining rooms of the church followed the double ring ceremony.

Miss Joan Hall went to Odessa Friday to visit her sister, Doris, and attend the district Home Economics meeting in Midland. She returned home Sunday afternoon.

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We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their deeds of kindness during the illness and passing of our wife and mother. May God's richest blessing be upon all of you.

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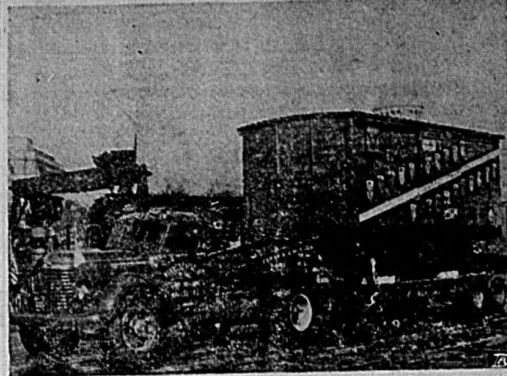
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**RUMOR DENIED THAT
BAIRD MAY BECOME
R. R. WHISTLE STOP**

Rumor afloat in Baird that installation of Diesel - electric locomotives on freight and passenger trains might make Baird a "whistling post" instead of a division point as it now is, was dispelled unofficially recently by railroadmen.

Report that all crews would operate from Fort Worth through Baird to Big Spring, obviating necessity of crews staying or living in Baird. One merchant said such a move would cut his business 20 per cent.

However, railroad union men said no such change as rumored would be brought about unless the rail employees themselves should vote for it and have the concurrence of the officials. Installation of Diesels, though, will cut down number of rail employees at Baird, it was learned.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Baldwin visited friends last Sunday who were injured in the Desdemonia storm and hospitalized in Gorman.

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Burkett News

By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

There will be a cake and pie sale at the Woodman hall at Burkett Saturday, April 2, beginning about 8:30. This is sponsored by the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church.

Bishop W. C. Martin of the Methodist church, Dallas area, will be at the First Methodist church at Eastland, Texas Sunday, April 3, at 2:30 p.m. for district rally. Bishop Martin is a forceful speaker that you will not forget if you hear him. Everyone is cordially invited and especially everyone that can go from the Cisco district churches. This will be a very valuable meeting for our churches.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Skiles of Cisco spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tickner, and attended church Sunday.

The Burkett 4-H boys and girls clubs gave a radio program over KSTA Saturday. Those having part on the program were: Colene Burkett, Barbara Golsen, Billie Dan Dodwin, Zelma Strickland, Lafaye Burns, Bonnie Sue McKinney, Joan Evans, Jane Godwin, Lafon Jones, Phillip Burkett, Jackie Watson, Dickie Koelzig, Don Gray, Max Watson, Harold Glenn Chambers.

Mrs. Earl Zirkle of Coleman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thate, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Oliver of Artesia, New Mexico and Mrs. Bill West of Coleman were visiting relatives here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. White and Kay visited Sgt. and Mrs. Bill White of Wichita Falls over the week end.

Mrs. J. C. Watson was on the sick list last week and spent one night in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Byrd spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents at Breckenridge.

Bevo and S. V. Webb of San Antonio are visiting relatives here this week end.

This community was saddened Thursday morning of last week on hearing of the death of Ari Boyle at a veterans hospital at Waco. He had been confined to the hospital for the past few years. This community extends its sympathy to his survivors.

Sealy Jean Golsen, Lorraine Golsen, Hulah Harris, all of San Marcus spent the week end with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter of Fort Worth were here over the week end.

Mrs. Lillie Brown is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hill, of Brownwood.

J. J. Slack was rushed to the hospital Sunday morning. He was seriously ill and is not much improved at this writing.

Miss Jo Garland, accompanied by a Mrs. Scott, met with the Burkett H. D. Club Tuesday of last week. Miss Garland gave a very interesting demonstration on Harmony in the Home. After some group singing, recreation was led by Mrs. T. C. Strickland. Refreshments were served. The next regular meeting will be April fifth at the home of Mrs. Lester Strawn.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beavers visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burkett and baby at Sonora Wednesday. On Thursday Mmes. Beavers and Burkett attended the graveside services of the reburial at Houston of the Beaver's son, Thurmond, who was killed in the invasion of Salerno Beach, Italy on Mt. Salerno February 18, 1943. He is survived by his wife of Houston, mother, Mrs. Maggie Beavers of Talpa, father, H. C. Beavers of Burkett, two brothers, S-Sgt. Charles Beavers of Enid, Okla., Garland of Talpa; three sisters, Mrs. Ray Norris of Talpa, Mrs. R. Lagow of Coleman and Mrs. T. C. Laws of Austin. A grandfather, George Ray, Sr., age 97, also attended the funeral.

A Bible club under the direction of Mrs. J. E. Burkett will be organized Monday evening, April 4, at 4:00 at the Methodist church. All children of this community are invited to attend. Those out-of-town children who wish to attend will have ways provided to get them here and take them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter of Baird are spending a few days here repairing their house.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyle have recently moved to the house owned by Harry Porter.

Miss Mayble Johnson moved to the house formerly occupied by the D. A. Boyle family.

A birthday party honoring T. C. Strickland was given by his wife Sunday. His birthday was March 29. Those attending were Mrs. Hattie Adams and Gilder, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis and Yvonne, Miss Fannie Strickland, J. E. Oliver, W. R. Strickland and the T. C. Strickland family.

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Try Review Want Ads

**Funeral Rites Held
For Sabanno Woman
Thursday Afternoon**

Funeral services for Mrs. Lula Dabbs Lawson, 70, who died March 22 at her Sabanno home, were conducted Thursday afternoon at 4:30 in the chapel of the First Methodist church there with Rev. Dan Applin and Ivan Sherrill officiating. Burial was made in the Sabanno cemetery.

Mrs. Lawson was born April 26, 1878, at Forrest City, Arkansas. At the age of 22, she met and married Henry N. Lawson December 10, 1910, and to this union were born five children.

In 1919 the Lawsons moved to Texas from Arkansas and settled in the Sabanno community, where the five children were reared. Mrs. Lawson became a member of the Barnes Chapel Methodist church in September of 1926.

The deceased is survived by her husband; two sons, Eldridge Lawson of Nimrod, and Goldon Lawson of Nimrod; and three daughters, Mrs. Nolan Brooks of Cisco, Mrs. Truett Dawkins, Nimrod, and Mrs. Oma Fay Thate of Nimrod. She is also survived by four grandchildren, one brother, Pierce Dabbs of Jonesboro, Arkansas, and several nieces and nephews.

Palbearers were Oscar Schaefer, Gerald Dawkins, B. Hearrin, E. L. Mayes, A. M. Green and Moody Lamnack.

Arrangements were in charge of Higginbotham's, Cross Plains.

Sample Ballot

Cross Plains City Election
April 5, 1949

For Alderman:

(3 to be elected)

- Edwin Baum
- L. W. Tyson
- J. H. Cox
- L. W. Placke

Rowden News

By Faisy Crow

T. S. English of Cross Plains visited in the home of his family, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Rowden over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sikes, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow attended church Sunday afternoon.

A number of people attended singing convention at Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lela Gibbs visited her mother, Mrs. Miller, and Mrs. Mrs. Walter Rose.

Both grammar school teams were defeated Friday by the Baird teams. After the outsiders played the school.

Horace Bains who is principal in Tech visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Bains, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow visited Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Lela Gibbs Monday.

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