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

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS

Scranton Man Most Successful In Soil Conservation Work

M. Ray of the Scranton community group was selected as the outstanding conservation farmer by Lower Clear Fork Soil Conservation District Supervisors in their monthly meeting. Mr. Ray will be entered in the "Save Soil and Save Texas" contest. During the fall of 1946 Mr. Ray carried out a complete soil water conservation plan on his farm just southwest of Scranton, obtaining assistance from the Lower Clear Fork Soil Conservation District. The complete conservation plan was worked out in November of 1946 with aid from Soil Conservation Service. Mr. Ray applied conservation practices with his neighbors which made it much easier to do most of his job.

Mr. Ray started out on his conservation job by taking care of his soil residue. This enabled his soil to "take up" more water and be subject to blowing. After he had taken care of his crop residue, Mr. Ray seeded fifty one acres of vetch and Abruzzi rye to be used as a cover crop. This cover crop has been extended until all that is subject to blowing has been seeded to cover crops of vetch and rye. He inoculated all legume crops before planting and applied superphosphate at the rate of 20 to 200 lb per acre at the time vetch and rye are seeded using 100 pounds of vetch and thirty pounds of rye per acre. Mr. Ray seeded his crop residue management program by leaving all residue on the ground after harvest of a seed crop.

Mr. Ray has improved his small vetch pastures by utilizing his temporary pastures and "resting" native pastures. Mr. Ray completely terraced his farm in the spring of 1947, connecting all terraces on the level as to conserve water in addition to conserving soil. Only a small acreage of peanuts grown on the Ray farm, however these peanuts are stripped of grain sorghum to further guard against the possibility of an erosion.

List of accomplishments on his farm follows: 120 acres of cotton farming, 192 acres of sorghum, 130 acres of crop residue management, 185 acres of strip cropping, 60 acres of range improvement, 65 acres and terraces, 65 miles. Mr. Ray has made great gains about two and one half years plans to leave someone a farm better than he received it. He definitely believes that the District Program is the correct approach as it leaves the responsibility about soil conservation definitely in the hands of land owners.

D. CLUB MEETS IN MRS. JIM BARR HOME HERE ON WEDNESDAY

Cross Plains home demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Barr Wednesday afternoon of week with Mrs. Paul Harlow, president in charge. Six visitors and eight members were present. Gerald Bowden was chosen as demonstrator, and with Ed Cornelius was named to lead a leaders meeting in Baird week.

Evelyn Scott, county home demonstration agent, was present at the meeting and gave a demonstration on sewing machine equipment. Mrs. Paul Harlow was elected a candidate for delegate to district meeting to be held in Angelo April seventh. Next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. O. D. Strahan March 22.

COOL FRIENDS MEET AFTER 42 YEARS HERE

E. Weaver, of Cottonwood, pleasantly surprised Sunday school day friends, whom he had last seen in Arkansas 42 years ago, drove up to his place to visit and reminiscing of old times. The man was Doyle Spur who has been living at May for the past 10 years. Weaver and Spur attended school together at Zion, Arkansas, in 1907 and had not seen each other since.

OLD MAN OPERATED ON AT BAIRD ON MONDAY

Billie Gibbs, Rowden farmer, rushed to a Baird hospital where he underwent an emergency operation. Friends will be delighted to learn that he is recovering normally.

New And Renewal Subscribers To The Review This Week

Lester Barr
Mrs. Donald White
S. J. Smith
R. M. Black
M. C. Hargrove
Mrs. J. E. Price
W. C. Culvahouse
Mrs. S. B. Strahan
J. C. Brashear
Luke Clark
Mrs. P. A. DeLay
Mrs. M. O. Nessmith
M. A. Golsion
Don Purdy
Emory Foster
A. A. Beekman
Ed Tennison
Mrs. J. J. Harris
Mrs. Rena Newton
D. D. Rutledge
Mrs. E. H. Powell
L. V. Fore

Country Club Will Name Officers At Meeting Thursday

Annual meeting of stockholders of Lakewood Country Club was to be held Thursday night of this week, March 17, in the Pioneer school building, beginning at 7:30. It was announced yesterday by Dick Gober, secretary and caretaker for the organization. Purpose of the meeting is to choose officers for the ensuing year and discuss several important matters regarding policy. All members are urged to be present.

Scranton Girls To Play At Hillsboro

The Scranton basketball girls, as a result of their good year of winning 27, losing 10, were given a trip to the State basketball play-off at Hillsboro. Seagoville was the winner of the state game but only after two over time periods. As a result of their winning they will be able to play two games against the Iowa Champions before 14,000 people.

LOCAL MAN'S FATHER IS LAID TO REST ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16

N. A. Richardson, 77, father of Byron Richardson of Cross Plains, who died at his home in Breckenridge Monday afternoon following an extended illness, was laid to rest Wednesday afternoon in the Wayland cemetery at Breckenridge with members of the Masonic lodge conducting the graveside service.

Survivors include the widow, two daughters and six sons, five grandchildren and a number of relatives and friends. A company of Cross Plains Masons attended the funeral and interment services Wednesday afternoon as did a number of relatives and friends from this locality.

MRS. CLYDE SLAUGHTER ILL IN BAIRD HOSPITAL

Mrs. Clyde Slaughter was said to be critically ill Tuesday in a Baird hospital where she has been a patient ten days, suffering from complications of pneumonia and a heart ailment. She was carried to the hospital on Monday after the funeral of a son on Saturday, who was returned here from overseas. All the children of Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter have been called to her bedside, where she is constantly under an oxygen tent.

BAPTISTS AT PIONEER MAKE BIG SHOWING ON NEW CHURCH BUILDING

Members of the Pioneer Baptist church turned out last Thursday for a day of carpentering, during which time girder sections of the main roof were raised and other work completed toward finishing the new church building just south of the post office.

Ladies of the church appeared at noon with well-filled baskets and served luncheon to workmen. Pastor of the Pioneer church expressed appreciation for the fine showing made and the hope that all who can will turn out and help in the early completion of the building.

Gene Adams and Frank Spencer were business visitors in Fort Worth Monday.

4 Way Track Meet Here Last Friday Won By Clyde Boys

Clyde high school thinly-clad romped off with first honors in a four school track meet in Cross Plains Friday afternoon. The Clyde athletes garnered 74 points to 38 for Rising Star, 21 for Cross Plains and 20 for Baird.

Results of individual events were as follows:

110 yard high hurdles: Rogers, Clyde, first; Parker, Clyde, second; Barton, Cross Plains, third, and Gillitt, Baird, fourth.

100 yard dash: Jones, Clyde, first; Mayes, Baird, second; Gibson and Hill, of Rising Star, third and fourth.

440 yard dash: Gibson, Rising Star, second; Cook, Clyde, third, and Johnson, Baird, fourth.

220 yard low hurdles: Rogers, Clyde, first; Parker, Clyde, second; Hickman and Clark, of Rising Star, third and fourth.

Pole vault: Rogers, Clyde, first; Parker, Clyde, second; Hickman and Clark, Rising Star, third and fourth.

440 yard relay: Clyde, first; Baird, second; and Cross Plains, third.

880 yard relay: Webb, Clyde, first; Edmiston, Rising Star, second; Collins, Clyde, third; Walker, Cross Plains, fourth.

220 yard dash: Jones, Clyde, first; Ferrell, Clyde, second; Harris, Rising Star, third and Yarbrough, Baird, fourth.

1 mile run: Webb, Clyde, first; Hutchins, Cross Plains, second; Star, Rising Star, third, and Coffee, Baird, fourth.

1 mile relay: Rising Star, first; Clyde, second, and Cross Plains, third.

Discus throw: Paige, Phillips and Coburn, all of Cross Plains, first, second and third, and Schaffrina, Baird, fourth.

Broad jump: Jones, Clyde, first; Mayes, Baird, second; Sessions, Cross Plains, third, and Johnson, Baird, fourth.

Shot put: Stewart, of Clyde, first.

BABY GIRL IS BORN TO LOCAL COUPLE TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Nigar, who live on the Cutbirth ranch 10 miles west of Cross Plains, are parents of a baby girl born Tuesday morning, March 15, in a Baird hospital. Both mother and child are reported doing nicely.

Former Cross Plains Boy Is Now One Of Top Men In Washington Office Of R.E.A.

One of the top men in Rural Electrification Administration at Washington is a former Cross Plains man, George Wilfred Haggard, son of T. R. Haggard, former local school superintendent. The following Associated Press story was carried by Texas newspapers Sunday under a Washington date line.

"If you wanna' get religion," the REA man said, just be present at one of those occasions in a Texas farmhouse when they turn on the lights for the first time.

"It'll make a Christian out of you to see the anticipation in the faces of the men, families that have been living in semi-darkness all their lives, drawing water by hand, washing clothes over a rub board reading by kerosene lamps. With electricity, they have a new life."

"It was a Texan, George W. Hammond, third highest federal official of the Rural Electrification Administration, speaking, to Haggard, whose forebearers settled Texas in 1836, the REA cause is a religion.

"He has been present at such events as he has described dozens of times.

"Today, in his office at the Department of Agriculture George Haggard thinks he's the happiest man in the city.

"His job as assistant administrator of the REA is the perfect outlet for his basic philosophy which is to help the people improve their material welfare, and to expand and strengthen the democratic process.

"The REA cooperatives do both of these things, Haggard believes. They give to the people a new resource, electricity, and they let the people have a democratic voice in the operation of this resource.

"The REA pattern", a phrase being bandied about Washington lately, represents a new technique in the government working with people to improve their own living

Bobbie Harris And J. 'Dub' Collins Electrocutated Near Pioneer Monday

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon for Bobbie (Hank) Harris, 18, of Pioneer, and J. (Dub) Collins, 22, of Rising Star, who were electrocuted early Monday morning while working on a pipe line one mile north of Pioneer.

Services for Harris, popular Cross Plains high school student and outstanding athlete, were conducted from the Church of Christ here Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock, and burial was made in the Pioneer cemetery. School here and at Pioneer was dismissed the entire day

Tuesday in respect to the youth who was held in high esteem by faculty members and classmates. All Cross Plains business houses also closed during the funeral hour.

Funeral for Collins was held from the Higginbotham funeral chapel in Rising Star Tuesday afternoon and interment made in the cemetery there.

The two youths were killed shortly before eight o'clock Monday morning, when a joint pipe they had excavated came in contact with a power line. They were working for the Pioneer Gasoline Company.

It was believed that the 22 foot joint of pipe had been removed from the line and was being upended to pour out rust and corrosion when it came in contact with a 7,200 volt electric line. Lonnie Gray, foreman on the job, rushed to their assistance and attempted to apply artificial respiration, however, efforts were futile and the youths were taken to a Rising Star hospital, where they were pronounced dead upon arrival.

Harris, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harris, was an outstanding football player at Cross Plains high school, however, because of ineligibility this year he served as student manager and assisted coach Bill Shield. He won the half mile at the district track and field meet here last year and had been an exceptional athlete in other sports. In addition to his parents he is survived by one brother and one sister.

Collins was a graduate of Gorman high school and a veteran of World War II. He went to Rising Star following his discharge from the service and operated a cafe there until several months ago. He is survived by his wife, Georgie Mae, of Rising Star, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Collins, of Gorman, one sister and several brothers.

Active pallbearers at the Harris funeral were: Bobby Lacy, Edson Marshall, John D. Webb, Raymond Silgar, Vernon Phillips, Paul Neeb, Charles Kunkle, Vendell Hutchins, Royce Fortune, Harold Strahan. Other Cross Plains high school boys were honorary pallbearers and girls of the senior class served as a flower escort.

BOOK REVIEWER TO BE PRESENTED HERE WIDELY ACCLAIMED

Miss Evelyn Oppenheimer, who will be presented in a review of the current best selling novel, "Hound Dog Man", in the Cross Plains high school auditorium the night of March 24, has received the highest praise from critics and press.

Following are excerpts from quotations regarding her work:

"She is without contest the dean of book reviewers in the Southwest", the Houston Post.

"Her reviews stand out as superb achievement," Shreveport Journal.

"Marvelous review artist", Margaret Mitchell, author of Gone With the Wind.

"She makes an audience think and like it", Dallas News.

NEW OWNERS NOW IN MIDGET CAFE HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cawley have taken over the Midget Cafe on South Main Street here, and assumed management of the business this week. On another page of today's issue of the Review the new owners have an introductory advertising message to which they invite attention of the public.

MRS. EVA HUNTINGTON HAS TONSIL OPERATION

Mrs. J. C. Huntington, who underwent an operation for the removal of tonsils in a Rising Star hospital last week was returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. John Fore at Pioneer Saturday. Friends will be glad to learn that she is much better.

J. Lee Smith, Jr., of New Orleans visited his mother, Mrs. J. Lee Smith, Sr., last week.

John Hembree, now of Abilene, became postmaster in Cross Plains in 1913.

In three years 151,700 successful landings were assisted by Navy Ground Controlled Approach units.

Reburial Service Here Thursday For Another War Dead

Cross Plains will receive the last remains of another of her war dead Wednesday, when body of Eddie Henderson, killed in Italy January 12, 1945, arrives here for reburial in the home town cemetery.

Services will be conducted from the local Church of Christ, of which the deceased was a member, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 with Minister Lawrence Smith officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot of the Cross Plains cemetery.

The body will arrive in Baird at 12:20 Wednesday afternoon where it will be met by a company of friends and brought to the home of his mother, Mrs. Ed Henderson, Sr., in the southwest part of town. The remains will lay in state there until time for the funeral Thursday afternoon.

Eddie entered the army at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, April 10, 1944, was assigned to the infantry and shipped to Camp Hood for basic training. After 17 weeks he was transferred to Fort Mead, Maryland, as an overseas replacement, and landed in Italy, November 14, 1944.

Survivors include his widow, the former Lilac Smedley, the mother, two sisters: Mrs. Macon Freeman, of Coleman; and Mrs. Della Van Burum, of San Antonio, and one brother, Johnny Henderson, who lives between Bartlett and Coleman, as well as a number of relatives and legions of friends.

Pallbearers at the funeral and interment services Thursday afternoon will be: Troy Crockett, Harlon Lacy, Harold Freeman, Doyle Neeb, Melvin Placke, Roy Arrowood, Vernon Baird and Jack Scott.

Arrangements will be in charge of Higginbotham's, Cross Plains.

1949 Plymouths Go On Display Friday At Calhoun Motors

The new 1949 Plymouth will go on display Friday morning at the showrooms of Calhoun Motor Company on East 8th Street in Cross Plains. For the first showing of the model the local dealers, Russell and Robert Calhoun, will have three cars to display and demonstrate.

An invitation to the public to come and view the new cars is extended by the Calhoun brothers, who describe the '49 model as "the most beautiful offering in Plymouth's history".

Girls Scout Troop Is Organized Here

A girl scout troop for girls from 12 to 14 years of age, was organized Thursday afternoon at the school here with Mrs. Garland Austin as leader.

Requirements for registration have been completed and one hike already taken. Additional recreational activities are planned for the near future, and girls who wish to participate are invited to contact Mrs. Austin soon. There is room for additional members, too the assistance of mothers is invited as a troop committee of three parents is required before the troop can be registered.

ABILENE MAN TO PREACH HERE ON SUNDAY MORNING

Elder Brown, primitive Baptist minister, will preach at the Legion Hut on East 8th Street here, Sunday morning, March 20, at 11 o'clock. The public is invited.

Volunteer Workers To Gravel Cemetery Street Here Friday

A long-needed project will be completed here Friday, when volunteer workers turn out to gravel the west end of 8th Street, which leads from the business section of town to the cemetery. Surfacing material, trucks and other equipment have already been pledged without cost, however, some 75 to 100 laborers will be required.

Tom Bruce is donating gravel, County Commissioner Claude E. Foster is providing loading equipment and several Cross Plains truckers have volunteered their vehicles for hauling. Needed will be an ample number of workers to unload the trucks and spread the gravel over the street surface. After this has been done the city maintainer will do the finish work.

The street to the cemetery is virtually impassable in wet weather, and plans are to spread a sufficient thickness of gravel to make it easily navigable at all times.

21 Local Teachers Attend Convention

Twenty one teachers of the Cross Plains school faculty attended the annual convention of the Oil Belt Teachers Association in Wichita Falls Saturday. Those making the trip were: Supt. A. J. McQuin, Hubert Kelley, O. B. Edmondson, Harrell Kelley, Mrs. S. E. Paige, Mrs. Bernice Nichols, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. Clyde Bunnell, Mrs. Clifton Barron, Mrs. Garland Austin, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scott, Mrs. D. C. Lee, Mrs. Travis Foster, Miss Betty Browning, Miss Billie Ruth Loving, Miss Mildred Woody, Jack Stout, Mrs. Ruby Ballew, Miss Frances Alexander, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Acker.

PIONEER PASTOR AND FAMILY COMPLIMENTED WITH HOUSE WARMING

Snaking into the home of Rev. and Mrs. Tom Flippin one night last week, members of Pioneer Baptist church set the stage for a house warming party and showered gifts upon their pastor and wife. Presented were: a dining room suite, dinner set, silverware, curtains, table cloth and scores of items of kitchen ware and useful home utensils and appliances.

Present for the function were about 100 people including the families of: S. O. Skinner, Joe Bryson, Roy Acker, A. O. Harris, Harris, Jack Stout, E. L. Gardner, Chester Ballew, John Fore, J. T. Rogers, F. M. Mills, Mrs. Falba Peterson, Mrs. Eugene Grider, August Garlitz, Luther Shirley, Dow Flippin, Mrs. Maxine Poindecker, W. H. Phillips, J. F. Morgan, S. A. Partee, V. J. Munsey, Sam Sessions, W. J. Phillips, L. W. Pancake, Sam Partee, Sr., G. W. Fore, Mrs. C. B. Freeman, G. R. Flippin, J. D. Stewart, Mrs. T. L. Narron and possibly others whose names were inadvertently omitted. Refreshments of coffee, cookies and hot chocolate were served.

F. V. TUNNELL NAMED TO EXECUTIVE PLACE FOR BOY SCOUT WORK

Fred Tunnell has been chosen institutional representative in the Chisholm Trail Council of Boy Scouts of America. This is the first time Cross Plains has been thus represented on the Council.

The Cross Plains Boy Scout troop is sponsored by the Wesley Bible Class of the Methodist Church. Committeemen from the class to supervise and sponsor various activities of the troop are: J. M. Greenwood, E. K. Coppinger, Tunnell, B. K. Eubank and Clyde Bunnell. Melvin Placke is Scoutmaster for the Cross Plains troop.

EDDIE PETTY IS BETTER ACCORDING TO REPORTS

Eddie Petty, who was taken to a veterans hospital in Temple last week, was said yesterday to be showing improvement. Friends who wish to write him may address their letters to Ward 19-A, Veterans Hospital, Temple, Texas.

MRS. DOYLE LOVELL HOME FROM RISING STAR HOSPITAL

Mrs. Doyle Lovell, who underwent recent surgery in a Rising Star hospital, is reported improving and is now at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Belyeu.

B. H. Freeland and Frank Bearden of Baird were visitors here Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller of Kermit visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller here the past week end.

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Schools Started To Halt The Spread Of Contagious Disease

In a vigorous campaign to elevate the State health level by preventing the spread of communicable diseases which might be transmitted by foods, the State Department of Health is conducting training schools for food handlers in all sections of Texas, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Food handlers are being instructed in sanitary methods of preparing, handling and serving food for public consumption," Dr. Cox said. "Actual experience has shown that an insanitary eating establishment is one of the surest sources of spreading infection. The lack of proper sanitation in food handling is a definite menace to public health and our goal is the education of cooks, waiters, butchers, bakers, fountain men, and all other food handlers to such a level as will insure an elimination of this health hazard."

The training schools consist of elementary courses in bacteriology, communicable diseases, medical zoology, foods, disinfectants, sterilization, personal hygiene, and sanitation.

Since the program was instituted about 8 years ago, more than 400 schools have been conducted, with a total of over 25,000 food handlers receiving their certificates of completion in the courses.

Arrangements for such a food school can be made through any county health unit, by requesting the service from the Division of Health Education, State Department of Health, Austin, Texas.

NEW HOME GOING UP ON NORTH MAIN HERE

Mrs. Eunice Starr has bought a corner lot from W. T. Wilson at Main and 11th Street, just south of the V. C. Walker residence, and plans to build on the property this Spring. Material for foundation and concrete work has already been moved to the site.

Navy planes averaged 6.64 flight hours per day during their first month of operation in the Berlin airlift.

County Agent's Column

By Oliver F. Werst

Budwood

If you're planning on budding pecans later on, this is the best time there is to cut and store pecan budwood.

Budwood cut in early winter does not season as quickly or as uniformly after it's taken from storage as that cut just before the sap rises in the spring. J. F. Rosborough, the Extension Horticulturist of A&M College says that late February and early March is the best time of the year to get budwood.

The most desirable wood is that cut from vigorous shoots of the previous season's growth, and is

usually found toward the top of the tree. Shoots ranging from 3/4 to 1 inch in diameter are the ones that make the best budwood. A pole cutter, 6 to 12 foot long makes a good budwood cutter, since most of the wood can be cut from the ground or from a short ladder.

Budwood bundles should be tied tightly together near each end so the sticks will not be loose enough to twist in handling. As each bundle is tied, cut a small notch in one end of the sticks and write the name of the variety on it with a pencil. After the budwood is cut, tied and labeled, place it in moist shingle tow, spagnum moss, peat moss or equal parts of shavings and sawdust.

Rosborough suggests having the storage material wet enough to prevent drying of the budwood, but not wet enough to squeeze moisture out of it. Lard cans with good fitting lids make better storage containers than wooden boxes, since they don't permit drying out of the budwood and still allow plenty of aeration.

Budwood should be held in cold storage at 32 to 38 degrees F., where it remains in a dormant condition until ready for use at any time during the growing season. Current season—or freshly cut budwood may be held for several weeks at this temperature, says Rosborough. When cold storage isn't handy, it's a good idea to pack the budwood for several days in moist shavings or peat moss mixed with chunks of ice the size of a baseball. Graftwood should be cut at the same time and stored the same way as budwood. It's time to make those cuttings now.

Hog Feeding

Spring farrowing season is here. Every pig saved means more profit. Good management and good feeding at farrowing time saves young pigs. Plenty of protein in the brood sow's ration while nursing pigs helps her to give more milk, raise more pigs and get them off to a flying start. An excellent protein supplement for hogs of all ages and classes is: 40 pounds of cottonseed meal, 40 pounds of tankage and 20 pounds of alfalfa leaf meal. There are also many excellent commercial protein sup-

14 Local Students Enrolled At Tech

The Cross Plains area is well represented at Texas Technological College at Lubbock this semester with 13 former local boys and one girl enrolled.

In the division of agriculture at Tech are: Donnell C. Clark, who will receive his degree in June; Dick Vestal, scheduled to graduate in 1950; Billy Anderson, a member of the class of '51, and Horace Bains, of Rowden, also a '51 class member.

In the division of engineering are: Ed Coppinger, slated to graduate in June; Colvin Lackey, due to finish in '50; Roger Williams, a '52 class member; W. B. Gibbs of Rowden, who graduates next year, and Junior Nichols, now in his first term.

Robert Smith, an accounting major, is to graduate in '51. Clyde Lovelady, of Atwell, received his degree in Marketing in January of this year. Mary Helen Strong, a '47 graduate of Cross Plains high school, is enrolled at Tech as a sophomore in Home Economics. Morris Barrington, a former Cross Plains student, is taking pre-dental work and is due to finish Tech in '50.

Franklin Grant, formerly of Pioneer, is a junior in the school of journalism.

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Timely Dairy Tips

Every good dairyman knows pasture is good basis for profitable dairying. When cows are on this good green feed especially important to avoid scours, bloat, and digestive troubles. In order to avoid such troubles some type of dry ration should be put before the cow at all times. The cows do well when they have plenty of dry or cottonseed hulls before the all times.

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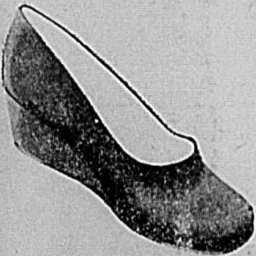
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Personals

Dan Caldwell, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and John Washam, postmaster at Sweetwater, visited in the home of their aunt, Mrs. T. M. Shuford, here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Helms and daughter and Mrs. Gracie Lou Newsome, all of Ozona, visited Jim Helms and other relatives and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Ferrell and son, Billy, of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carr of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ferrell.

T. S. Holden, Sr., of Snyder, and T. S. Holden, Jr., of New Mexico, were business visitors in Cross Plains Saturday afternoon.

Sabanno

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

The Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Aron Gage (our club president) last Tuesday afternoon. Had six members present and two visitors, Mrs. C. M. Paulk and Mrs. Larey. They joined our club and we are very happy to have them. Visitors are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Stokes and Colvin Patton of Mineral Wells were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk. Mrs. Stokes and Mrs. Lusk are sisters.

Misses Alma and Josie Morris were visitors in the J. S. Erwin and Lawson's home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. L. King and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin were Cisco visitors Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Balkum visited her mother, Mrs. W. P. Armstrong, and Alma Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Lilly of Baird visited in the Joe Lilly home last Tuesday.

We are sorry to say our beloved neighbor, Mrs. Lawson, is still very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harter and son of Brownwood visited his parents here Friday night.

Rev. A. C. Evans preached for us Sunday afternoon. We are always glad to have him, and have him visit in our homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hicks.

Clois Wayne and Billy Webb of Dallas spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King.

Ralph Erwin of Cisco visited his parents Friday night.

Mrs. Aron Gage and Mrs. Maude McCann attended council meeting in Eastland Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. L. King and Mrs. Edwin Erwin have had letters from Mrs. Z. W. Green who is away visiting her children in California. She reports lots of rain there and the country is very beautiful. She will be there for some time.

Mrs. Nolan Brooks of Cisco has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Lawson, the past week.

Rev. Dan Applin and daughter were among the visitors in our community Sunday afternoon. They visited with the Lawson family.

There will be plenty of fried chicken later on in the Sabanno homes. Most every woman has a bunch of chickens. Our mail carrier has delivered 1200 baby chicks in the past two weeks.

Pioneer

By A. O. (Slim) Harris

Butane production of the Pioneer plant has been purchased by a firm at Brownwood. Neute Staggs will be their salesman.

Mrs. John Fore was with her sister, Mrs. Eva Huntington, at the Rising Star hospital a couple of days last week while having her tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Mills, of Holder, are new residents at the Pioneer plant. Mr. Mills is employed as manager.

Bart Thomas has accepted employment as truck salesman for the Lewis Wheat Butane Co.

Mrs. Delma Dean visited in Lubbock with relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McMillin have moved to San Angelo.

Rev. J. Henry Littleton, 17th District Baptist Missionary, visited Pioneer folk and looked over progress of the new church building.

Some of the local anglers have been seen with a can and shovel in hand. It must be about time for the finny tribe to dodge or get hooked.

Sterling Gibson is home for the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson.

If it's fun you really enjoy, try and be present at the next Baptist BTU social. It will be announced at church services so come and learn when and where the next one will be.

Billy Freeman accidentally burned his foot when a bucket of hot water spilled out of his hand last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Taylor of Abilene visited over the week end with his sister, Mrs. W. R. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Partee, of Hobbs, New Mexico, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flippin, returning home Sunday.

Miss Bobbie Wright of Cross Plains spent the week end with Miss Winnie Gibson.

Feed for the cut worms will soon be available as garden work is in full swing in our locality.

School trustees here in 1916-17 were: Joe Shackelford, G. B. Swan, E. P. Crawford, C. E. Barr, J. A. Atwood, R. P. Odom and L. P. Henslee. The faculty consisted of eight teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shiek, of Ashmore, Illinois, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Craig McNeel here this week.

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Crackers, lb. box - - 25c	Milk, 2 tall cans - - 25c
Bacon, lb. - - - 44c	Ground Beef, lb. - - 45c

COFFEE, Folger's - 1 lb. can - - - 48c

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Black Eyed Peas, can - 10c	Corn, can - - - 10c
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EMPTY TRUCK going east Saturday. See Dan Johnston. (12c)

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FOR SALE: Good used Coolerator, 393-lb capacity. See Walker at Higginbotham's. (2c50)

FOR SALE: 1940 model H John Deere tractor and tools. Priced to sell. See at old Friesland place five miles north of Cross Plains. C. F. Williamson, 75A Grand Ave. Abilene. (2c51)

ATTENTION FARMERS: I will buy or sell 500 pounds more or less of wheat to fill a railroad car. Comanche, Westar or Wichita varieties preferred. B. K. Eubank. (12p)

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FOR SALE: New Hampshire Red fryers \$1.00. Phone HEPF. C. M. Garrett. (12c48)

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FOR SALE: F-12 Farmall tractor with planter and cultivator. See Wesley Duke at Calhoun Motor. (2p50)

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FOR SALE: 300 cedar posts, 25c each. Tom Ray Wilson. (2p50)

FOR SALE OR TRADE: My four room house with bath on 2 lots in southwest part of town for property in or near Abilene. See George Barnard at Higginbotham's. Mrs. C. D. Caldwell. (4c50)

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The United States in Latvia, enlarged many times, according to Gaida, for her country had a democratic government, patterned closely after that of the U. S. Telephones, radios, electrical appliances and many of the other conveniences which Americans enjoy, with the exception of automobiles, were common to them. However her country had nothing to compare with giant industries like the Timken Roller Bearing Company where both she and her husband work. "In Eastern Europe there are no benefits for the working people as are taken for granted here," says Mrs. Miller.

IN RACE FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE PLACES HERE

The three members of the Cross Plains school board whose terms are to expire in April have agreed to again stand for election. They are Clint Brashear, W. M. Neeb, and L. L. Montgomery.

Voting will take place at the City Hall here the first Saturday in next month, April second. Candidates must file at least 10 days before election to be given a place on the ballot.

SINGING CONVENTION TO MEET HERE ON MARCH 27

Callahan County Singing Convention will meet at the Methodist church in Cross Plains the fourth Sunday in this month, March 27, it was announced yesterday. Singing will begin at two o'clock in the afternoon, and all lovers of good music are invited to be present and participate.

NEPHEW OF LOCAL LADY BURIED IN MORAN SUNDAY

Ralph Watkins Brooks, nephew of Mrs. O. M. Smith of this city, was laid to final rest last Sunday at Moran. Services were held from the First Baptist church there. Mr. Brooks was twenty seven years of age.

Among those attending from here were O. M. Smith, Norrell Long, Fred Long, and Mrs. John Westerman. Mrs. Smith was unable to attend due to ill health.

Mrs. W. B. Boyd and Mrs. B. B. Caldwell of Hamlin spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Smith.

Rowden News

By Patsy Crow

Bayou girls and boys defeated Denton boys and girls in volleyball Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Steele visited with their son at College Station over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Crow and Richie visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and family Friday night.

A number of people attended a musical party at Mr. and Mrs. Jess Miller's Friday night.

Thelda and Velda Crow visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bragg of Baird Tuesday night.

Mrs. Odie Smedley has been at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Clyde Slaughter.

One attending a social for the Junior Training Union class were R. L. and Velda Smedley, Bruce Rose, Thelda and Velda Crow, Mike Odum, Mrs. Billy Rose, Mrs. Barney Gibbs, Mrs. Crow and Mrs. Clifton Hancock and Mrs. Ruth Odum. The social was in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odum. The class is taught by Mrs. Clifton Hancock.

Rev. and Mrs. Clifton Hancock were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odum and family.

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—If Anyone

- Elopes
- Dies
- Gets Married
- Has Guests
- Goes Away
- Gives a Party
- Has a Baby
- Has a Fire
- Is Ill
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Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones were visitors in Sweetwater Tuesday. Paul V. Harrell was in Edgewood Wednesday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Franke Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Ziesel, of Munday, sister of Mrs. Franke, also Mr. and Mrs. Moscow Wilson, of Millersview, a sister of Mr. Franke.

C. R. Cook transacted business in Fort Worth and Dallas during the week.

Weldon Wooten was in Edgewood Tuesday.

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HOLT WELL LOGS SHOW IN TOP OF THE CADDO

J. H. Holt's number one Howard Fumby oil test, three miles east of Cross Cut, was reported to have passed a nice showing in the upper section of the Caddo lime, however, plans are to continue to 3,150 feet to explore the Marble Falls.

BURKETT QUILTERS MEET IN MRS. JOE HANKE HOME

Members of Aunt Mary's Quilting Club at Burkett met last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Joe Hanke. Two quilts were completed and a donation of \$1.00 made to the Red Cross. A covered luncheon was served to twelve members and two visitors.

Among those present were Mmes. Earl Gray, Lon Gray, Dee Bludworth, Luther Knight, Harold Odum, Callie Gray, W. C. Henderson, B. W. Webb, W. M. Key, Elmer Key, Junior Key, Freida Koenig, W. E. Koenig, and Misses Laverne and Elizabeth Koenig. Next meeting will be March 24 in the home of Mrs. Junior Key.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton in Ranger.

The first Naval Reserve Aviation base was established at Squantum, Mass.

First Baptist Church
J. W. Chapman, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
A. J. McCuin, supt.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
sermon by the pastor
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
"Training in Church Membership"
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
sermon by the pastor
Missionary Society, each Monday afternoon 3:00
The Sunbeam Band meets at the W.M.S. hour. There is always a good program.
Brotherhood meets each Monday evenings at the church 7:00
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday Evening 7:00
choir practice follows

Burkett News
By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

Rev. J. W. Tiekner filled his regular appointment Sunday morning, and instead of church services at night, Mr. Carson Taylor of Abilene, gave a very interesting talk and also a very educational film was shown by him.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Andrews and Nancy of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker of Seminole visited Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker over the week end.

Miss Joy Dean Holland of Brady visited her grandmother, Mrs. Alva Holland, and an uncle, Walter Lewis Holland, during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fuller of Odessa over the week end.

Mrs. Earl Brown visited her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brown, at Odessa over the week end.

Little Larry Don DeBusk, year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. DeBusk, is recovering after swallowing several aspirins one day last week. He was rushed to the Coleman hospital, but is doing fine.

Mrs. C. H. Edington was carried to the hospital Saturday with a throat hemorrhage following a tonsillectomy last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marciel Coleman and baby visited her father, W. R. Chambers, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker Sunday.

Mrs. R. M. has been on the sick list several days.

Mrs. Freddie Thate is confined to her bed with the measles.

Wade McDaniel and son, Joe, of Spur, visited friends and relatives here last Thursday.

ANOTHER WELL COMPLETED FOR CALLAHAN PRODUCTION

Completion of an official gauge of 21 barrels of 39 gravity oil per day has been made on the Robert W. McKissick No. 1 Helen Woods, production extension in Callahan County three and a half miles northeast of Clyde. The production was on pump from sand at 1,633-68 feet.

It is located 150 feet from the north and 1,300 from the east lines of section 68 BBB&O survey. McKissick has filed locations for three more extension tries to the area.

Cottonwood
By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Landon of Abilene, Mrs. M. R. Lovell and Sandra visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lovell in Fort Worth recently.

Claudell Joy, who was injured in an automobile accident recently, is recuperating at home since last week. He is improving slowly.

The ladies who attended the ladies meeting at Clyde last Thursday were Mrs. E. E. Shelton, Mrs. C. R. Myrick, Mrs. Norman Coffey and Mrs. H. S. Varner.

Mrs. W. J. Cross is visiting in Austin part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thomas and daughter, Wilma Lee, and Mr. Day of Cisco, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Thomas Saturday.

Miss Beulah and Hazel Respass and Walker Respass of Cross Plains visited G. H. Clifton in the Gorman hospital Sunday afternoon. His condition is better and will possibly be brought home last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doris' Doore of Goldthwaite, Mrs. Charlie Higdon of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Dock Taylor of Brady visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore last week. Mrs. D. Moore and Mrs. Higdon remained with the Moore's to help nurse Mr. Sam Moore. Mr. Moore has been quite ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. W. B. Gilliland is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Coats in Lubbock this week.

made a 4 percent payment. I would like to know if I have to report the payment made by VA as income in my income tax report?

A. No. While this VA payment is not taxable as income of the veteran, the amount of interest thereby paid may be listed by him as a deduction for tax purposes.

Q. What is the deadline for starting a course of institutional on-farm training under the Vocational Rehabilitation Act. (Public Law 16)?

A. You may apply for institutional on-farm training under Public Law 16 at any time after your discharge or separation from the armed services, but in time to complete your training by July 25, 1956.

Q. What benefits are available to veterans of World War II living in U. S. territories?

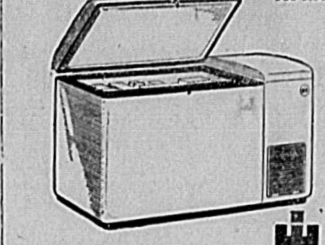
A. Ordinarily, all VA benefits available to World War II veterans, their dependents and beneficiaries in the continental United States are also available to them in the U. S. possessions and territories.

Q. Can you tell me how Veterans Administration operates in foreign countries?

A. The VA administers benefits available to veterans, their dependents and beneficiaries in foreign areas through the United States Foreign Service.

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STUDENT IN 1916-17 HAD GENERAL AVERAGE OF 99 1/2

One of the highest grades ever made in Cross Plains high school was 99 and one fourth, made by Miss Nora White in the school year of 1916-17. She was a ninth grade student that year. In addition to winning a five dollar gold piece for the highest general average, Miss White won a cash award for solving an algebra problem of a Biblical nature.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our many thanks to friends of Cross Plains and elsewhere for the beautiful floral offering, the comforting words, and many kindnesses during the reburial of our beloved son, returned home from overseas.

The Lee Potter Family.

The year of 1914 is remembered in the Cross Plains area as about the nearest normal of all to normal. That is, both yields and prices for agricultural commodities were about average.

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

30 Years Ago
March 28, 1919

Andy Smith, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith of Cross Plains, returned home on Friday on a discharge from service in the army.

Sgt. Carl Slaughter arrived here Monday on a discharge from Camp Travis where he has been stationed during his stay in the army.

Large crowds were in town Tuesday enjoying the sunshine and the fine rain we all have had. Everyone is feeling fine over the prospects of fine crops.

Joe Shackelford returned on Monday from a trip to Dallas.

We have nothing new to report on the matter of oil development in this locality.

Uncle Charley Neeb almost had a contract for a well on eighty acres near the old town, but it never materialized.

If there is anything in having plenty of season in the ground this will be a bumper crop year. This country had all the rain it needed last fall and has been getting its need during the winter.

20 Years Ago
April 5, 1929

The first open air concert of the spring season was given by the local band on Main Street Saturday night, and an unusually large crowd of people from both city and surrounding communities were present to enjoy the fine music.

Definite agreements were reached the first of this week whereby the Cross Plains-Rising Star new golf course will be established at the Phillips Petroleum Co. lake on the highway about equal distance from the two cities.

In the midst of the prayer meeting service at the Baptist church Wednesday night of last week, Rev. Hill was informed that a few minutes of his time; at least in the judgement of four young people, was otherwise more urgently needed, to which all agreed and granted a short leave of absence when it was learned that two young couples were waiting to be married.

The popular young signers of the marital agreement were Mr. Lawrence Paschall and Miss Edith McMillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McMillian, Mr. Richard Scribner and Miss Artist Breeding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Breeding, all of whom are heartily congratulated by their many friends.

In the early part of last Thursday night a coupe belonging to John Miller was stolen in Cross Plains. At the time of the theft the car was parked in front of the Sims Drug Store on South Main Street.

The Senior play which was to be presented April 5, has been postponed indefinitely on account of Brunk's Comedians being here this week.

10 Years Ago
March 10, 1939

New skates and a hardwood floor have been ordered by the board of trustees of Cross Plains schools to be used in installing a skating rink in the gymnasium.

Supt. Lewis C. Norman said yesterday that the rink would probably be ready for use the latter part of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Powell of Abilene and formerly of this place, are parents of an eight and one half pound boy born Friday, March 3.

Misses Clara Nell McDermott and Bobbie Lee Westerman were the week end guests of Miss Thelma White in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Owen re-

CANADIAN QUARTET APPEAR
HERE WEDNESDAY EVENING

A quartet of Canadian singers from Prairie Bible Institute at Three Hills, Alberta, Canada, were to appear here Wednesday evening, March 16, at the high school auditorium at 7:30.

Rev. Leo E. Janz, member of the group, was to deliver a message based on the Bible and gospel songs rendered by the four men.

Paul Smith, student at the Canadian school and son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith, arranged for the group to come here and asked home friends to make their visit a welcome.

turned to their home in Oklahoma Saturday after a few days visit here.

On a warm spring afternoon we can't help but envy George Coats who has the educated mule; the one that shades friend George while he snoozes in the field.

Four loads of fed calves were shipped from here last week. Two loads belonging to W. O. Spencer and sons had been on feed 120 days. Two loads were also shipped by H. L. Harris and were pen fed.

Finishing touches are being put to a building on North Main Street, which will be occupied shortly after the first of April by J. D. Conlee's filling station and grocery. The structure is being built by Joe B. McAdams.

The Liberty theatre here is being re-decorated both inside and out at present.

Reburial Rites Held
Friday Afternoon For
Returned Local Man

Reburial rites were conducted Friday afternoon at three o'clock from the First Baptist church for Pfc. Mabry Lavelle Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Potter of Abilene, formerly of Cross Plains. Rev. C. E. Poe of Waco, former pastor here, officiated with Rev. J. W. Chapman, pastor, assisting. Full military honors were accorded by the Tommie Alken American Legion Post here. Interment was made in the Cross Plains cemetery.

Potter lost his life in 1944 while in combat with the 36 th Infantry Division in the Italian campaign. He entered the service in 1942.

Mrs. Sam Gilliland and Mrs. Harold Ray, of Baird, visited in Cross Plains Friday afternoon.

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Mrs. A. A. Holley was hostess March 11 to members of the Turkey Creek Quilting Club when seven members, and Miss Missouri Strahan, a visitor, met in her home. Two quilts were completed during the day and a covered dish luncheon served at the noon hour.

Among those present were W. A. Burton, Mrs. Bill Williams, Mrs. George Parke, Barney Shirley, Mrs. J. H. C. Mrs. Sallie Dalton and Miss han.

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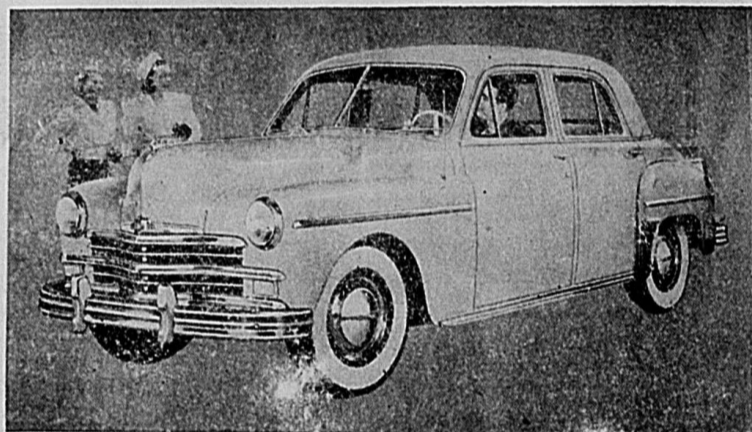
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Rowden Is Getting R.E.A. Electricity

Kerosene lamps will soon give way to electricity in the Rowden community.

The Taylor County Electric Cooperative (REA) is now setting poles and getting ready to string lines from Belle Plain to Rowden and the immediate area to furnish light and power.

About 65 farmers will benefit from the new modern service in this immediate area. Not only they but the big Bayou school, just below the junction of State Highway 36 and U. S. 138 will be lighted.

Rowden farmers said their application for electricity with the REA had been placed about five years ago. "Now we're about to realize our dream," Claude Stephens, postmaster and owner of the lone store, said.

Service is promised about April 1st.

In the meantime, linemen and hole-diggers are engaged between the junction of No. 36 and U. S. 138 toward Denton Valley. Creosoted poles are being set.

BLAKE CADDO POOL GETS ANOTHER TEST

The Blake Caddo field of Brown County, three miles east of Cross Cu', has been slated for an offset extension try to J. K. Hughes Oil Co. and W. P. Newton in the No. 4-A F. H. Madison, 1,980 feet from the north and 330 from the east line of S. Ingram survey 154. Permit is for 2,800 feet with rotary.

SS REPRESENTATIVE TO BE IN CISCO MARCH 24

E. Glen McNatt, field representative of the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration, will be at the Cisco Post Office at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 24. Persons wishing to file retirement or death claims, or having social security problems to discuss, should call as soon after 2:00 as possible.

FORMER COTTONWOOD MAN APPOINTED TO TEXAS HIGH COURT

Mead Griffin, born at Cottonwood March 17, 1894, has been named by Governor Beauford H. Jester to the state supreme court, filling a vacancy created by the resignation of Associate Justice A. J. Folly.

Although he left Cottonwood in 1914 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Griffin, the Supreme Court Justice is well remembered and has many friends in this section.

Peanut Prices Are Somewhat Reduced

Peanut prices eased slightly in the southwest during the past week under slow demand, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Shelled No. 1 Spanish peanuts sold at 16 1/2 to 17 cents a pound, f.o.b., southwest shipping points. Some sales brought as low as 16 1/2 cents. Prices averaged about one-fourth cent below last week's quotations, but showed little change from a year ago.

Around 441.8 million pounds of shelled peanuts were produced from September 1 to date, compared with 329.2 million for the same period last year. The unusually heavy movement of shelled goods for export was reflected in a new record high disappearance. Domestic consumption was substantially below the war years.

With practically all farmers' stock peanuts out of producer's hands, sales were too few to establish a market. Shellers in the three major producing areas continued to move unworked shelled No. 2's and oilstock under the Commodity Credit Corporation price support program.

No sales of peanut meal and oil were reported.

Only record ever set by a Cross Plains boy in the state track and field meet at Austin was by Claude Harrell in 1914. It was in broad jump with a leap of 21 feet.

Mrs. V. C. Walker and Mrs. C. M. Browning of Fort Worth are visiting relatives in California for two weeks.

Floyd Jones, of Graham, visited here Friday afternoon.

Navy personnel inhaling air at 70 degrees below zero through the Arctic breather will actually take in plus 64 degree air.

L. W. Westerman was an Abilene visitor Friday.

The snorkel breathing device now used by U. S. Navy submarines was developed by the Dutch and captured by the Nazis.

The first Naval Air Reserve was formed in 1923.

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Local Girl Scout Leader Highlights Organization Work

By Mrs. Garland Austin

The Girl Scouts of America have just celebrated their thirty-seventh birthday. The organization was founded by Juliette Low in 1912. She became interested in scouting through her friend, Lord Baden-Powell, in England. She was determined to have her own country share in the movement and began her work by gathering together eight girls. Mrs. Low's tireless energy and boundless enthusiasm gave this country the joy and benefit of Girl Scouting.

Girl Scouting gives girls a chance to do more of the things in which they are already interested and plan good times with other girls. It is the sort of fun that lasts because it can help girls to be interesting and useful persons, with ideals and a code that girls the world over try to follow.

Girl Scouts hike, camp and cook in the out-of-doors. They sing, play and plan parties. They learn to use their hands and create their own designs. They find things in nature and in their own community to interest them. They play games and develop skills in different sports. From all of the things to do in the Girl Scout program, girls will surely find many, many that they will enjoy the year round. Whatever girls choose to do they find it fun to work and play with other people. They share good times and learn to know and understand other girls. Each has a share in making the troop a success.

The local leaders are trying to bring this same program of pleasure and usefulness to the girls of this community.

PROPOSED 75¢ MINIMUM WAGE A BOON TO SMALL MERCHANTS AND FARMERS

The proposed increase of the minimum wage to 75 cents an hour under the Wage and Hour Law should be of great benefit to both small merchants and the farmer, although both groups are exempt from the law's requirements, William J. Rogers, Regional Director of the Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Division, said in Dallas today. "A man that works a regular 40 hour week at 75 cents an hour will make about \$1,500 per year. For the average American family of four, nearly all that money will have to be spent with the small merchant for food and clothes—products which the farmer produces."

Under present price conditions, 75 cents is about equal to 40 cents—the present minimum wage—in 1938 the year the Wage and Hour Law was passed. This will not afford a satisfactory standard of living for the average American family, but it will bring the minimum up to the standard set by Congress eleven years ago.

Food, clothing and rent are the first demands on the income of the worker, Rogers pointed out, and any increase for those now making below the proposed minimum will have to go for these things. When foreign markets for the farmer's goods are decreasing, it will benefit farmers to have an increased market at home.

While both the farmer and the small merchant are exempt from the minimum wage and overtime requirements of the act, employees of large establishments—those whose employers have annual sales of over half a million dollars—will receive direct benefits of the Act under the present proposal. Comparatively few merchants are in the group that will be covered by the Act, while all will benefit from business resulting from the increased purchasing power in the hands of workers.

Cross Plains Annual Picnic, first held in 1882, is now the oldest celebration of its kind in Texas.

Some 30 years ago Cross Plains was frequently called "The Hub".

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