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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"

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Local Voters Faced With Two Elections In Next Four Days

Local voters will make two trips to the ballot box within the next four days. They go to the polls Saturday to choose two school trustees from a list of nine; then Sunday a Mayor and two aldermen are to be selected in the biennial municipal election.

Rev. H. V. Falkner asked the Review yesterday to state that he has withdrawn from the Mayor's race in Cross Plains and will not be a candidate. The ballot had already been printed and his name will appear on the ticket, however, he requested that no votes be cast for him in the contest and that if any should be that they not tally them. "My heart is in church work and I feel that my every effort should be devoted to the Lord's calling," the Rev. Mr. Falkner stated.

In the school trustee election, which comes first, the following candidates for three year terms: Ira H. Hall, R. E. (Hick) Edgington, George Hutchins, W. N. Brigner, Claude Mayes, Tom Flippin, Earl Montgomery, Hadden Payne and M. E. (Happy) Howell. The two highest will be certified. In the city election scheduled today, candidates for Mayor are: S. N. Foster, Rev. H. V. Falkner and Garland B. Gary. Aldermen two candidates are opposed. They are Dave Lee and P. Foster, both of whom are present members of the council and are standing for re-election. Elsewhere in today's issue of the Review are sample ballots to be used in the two elections. The sample ballots are printed here in order that voters may have an opportunity to study them before going to the polls. Judges for the school trustee election will be: W. C. Rouse, Joe Weller and Mrs. Bill Wagner. In charge of the city referendum will be three ladies: Mrs. Rufus Edgington, Mrs. Bill Wagner and Mrs. Ross Wagner.

Pioneer-Gunn Club In Meeting Monday

Pioneer-Gunn home demonstration club met with Mrs. Nell Fleming Monday afternoon, March 27, with 23 members and two visitors present. New members taken in at the meeting included Mrs. Doss Alexander and Mrs. Velma Jones. Hostesses were Mrs. John Reddick and Mrs. R. S. Livertt. After regular business was discussed, Mrs. Ethel Woodard, demonstration agent, gave an interesting talk and demonstration on fitting a pattern. She emphasized the need for knowing pattern, how to buy and correct measurements. Delicious refreshments were served to members and visitors. Next meeting of the club will be in the home of Mrs. Jess Opkin April 10. All ladies of the community are invited to be present.

Rural Home Has \$300 Fire Saturday Night

Cross Plains volunteer fire department extinguished a blaze Saturday night which for a time threatened to destroy the R. M. Edgington home, two miles south of town. The fire broke out in a small tool building, adjacent to the house, and was virtually extinguished to the ground by the time firefighters could reach the scene. Origin of the blaze was not immediately determined. Damage was officially estimated at \$300.

EVERY LITTLE NOTE RECEIVED FROM MRS. W. R. WAGNER TUESDAY

Any readers of the Review receiving their subscriptions through mail and quite often their checks are accompanied by interesting comments, but seldom is received which gives the Review a greater chuckle than that from Mrs. Walton Wagner Sunday. "Dear Jack," she said, "I enclosed will find my check for another year of the Review, as I don't want to live in ignorance. My friend, Mrs. Walton Wagner."

Soil Conservation Men Praise Work Being Done By Local Man

C. M. Garrett, community group leader for the Cross Plains district of the Soil Conservation Service, received elaborate praise this week from visiting agronomists for the scientific manner in which the 385 acres in his farm, two miles south of here, are being improved. Garrett, like all other farmers and ranchers cooperating in the Soil Conservation program, has a five year plan, with a different set of improvements scheduled each year. The Garrett farm is now in its fourth year of the schedule. The first year Garrett terraced all of his fields and contoured pastures. The second year was devoted to further pasture improvement by planting grasses especially adapted to his particular type of soil. Grasses planted include: weeping love, sand love, K. R. bluestem, little bluestem, big bluestem and Indian grass. In some pastures the grasses were planted as a mixture. All seed and drills, for planting, were furnished without cost, by the soil conservation service. Third year work was fur-

ther grass propagation and the de-ferment of some pastures to permit better seeding of native grasses. In addition to the natural soil building methods Garrett has been a consistent user of phosphate fertilizers, and has planted rye and hairy vetch as soil builders. Farmers who have not signed up for Soil Conservation benefits are invited to contact Garrett for a full explanation as to how they might do and the advantages to be obtained. "It's everybody's tax money that is being used to promote soil conservation work," Garrett said, "and I'd like to see more of our people avail themselves of its advantages".

Agriculturists Tuesday at the Garrett farm to examine the work being done included: D. C. Cox, Callahan County Soil Conservation director; James F. Domminy, Jr., head of the district soil conservation service with headquarters in Abilene, and C. H. Saldous, president of the Farmers Co-Op at Baird.

Country Club Will Hold Golf Tourney 3 Days During July

July 14, 15 and 16 have been named dates for Lakeview Country Club's annual invitation golf tournament, the Review was told Tuesday by Aaron Robertson, president.

Approximately \$400 worth of prizes will be awarded winners of five flights.

The tournament will be opened with a calcutta pool and chicken barbecue the night of July 14. Local players may qualify for all flights except those competing for medal honors on Sunday preceding the tournament, or any day of that week before Friday.

Inquiries regarding the tournament should be directed to Jack McCarly, Rising Star, tournament chairman.

Robinson said Tuesday that he had been assured that the tournament would attract contestants from: Cisco, Eastland, Ranger, Breckenridge, Coleman, Abilene and Fort Worth.

Fire Destroys \$200 Worth Furniture In Freak Blaze Here

Claude Miller, local merchant was delivering \$200 worth of furniture to Cottonwood Monday, when a freak blaze broke out in the rear of the truck in which the merchandise was being hauled. Virtually all of the furniture was lost. He had no insurance coverage.

Miller told the Review that he had no idea how the blaze originated, unless a cigarette had been inadvertently tossed into upholstery of the furniture. Although the fire was fanned by a high wind he did not notice the damage until he stopped at Cottonwood.

A. D. Petty was a business visitor in San Angelo one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bowlin and family visited in Coleman Sunday.

Sample Ballot

For Cross Plains City Election, April 4, 1950

FOR MAYOR:

- S. N. Foster
- Rev. H. V. Falkner
- Garland B. Gary

FOR ALDERMEN:

- (2 To Be Elected)
- Dave C. Lee
- L. F. Foster

Ross J. Newton Is Badly Hurt In Car Wreck Friday Night

Ross J. Newton, Cross Cut farmer and instructor in the Cross Plains veterans vocational school, is in a Tyler hospital suffering with severe injuries sustained in an automobile accident Friday night. He is reported to have broken both legs, received severe back and internal injuries. Although his condition is not believed to be immediately dangerous, he is reported to have been very painfully hurt and will be required to remain in the hospital several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter J. Davis returned to Cross Plains first of the week where they visited Mr. Newton. They report that neither Mr. Newton nor another couple, who were all in the car at the time, were hurt.

Football Field Gets Topping, Fertilizer

Cross Plains high school football field was being fertilized, topped and leveled Tuesday. It is believed that the sod will be much thicker and the playing surface in tip-top shape by time the new grid season opens in September.

Assisting school officials in the work Tuesday were S. C. Teague, local tractor dealer, and County Commissioner Claude Foster.

Current Census May Put U.S. Population Around 150 Million

When the results of the 17th Decennial Census of the United States have been tabulated by the Bureau of the Census, a population total in excess of 150 millions is anticipated. This will represent a numerical gain of more than 18 millions over the 1940 count of 131,669,275 persons.

The largest numerical gain thus far officially recorded was in the 1920-1930 decade. The 1920 population of 105,710,620 rose by 17,064,426 to the 1930 total of 122,775,046. Conversely, the 1930-1940 decade witnessed the smallest numerical gain, 8,894,229, since 1870 and the smallest percentage of gain, 7.2, in the Nation's history, due to a small net loss through emigration and the lower birth rates of the depression years.

The decades showing the largest population gain percentage-wise were the 1800-1810 period with 36.4 percent, the 1840-1850 period with 35.9 percent, and the 1860-1870 period 35.6 percent. From 1860 to 1910, the population increase averaged about 25 percent per decade.

At the First Decennial Census in 1790, the population of the United States totaled 3,929,214.

Cross Plains boys and girls who are attending colleges and universities, and others who make this city their home including servicemen, are to be enumerated as Cross Plains citizens when the decennial census is taken during April.

Something New For Butane and Propane Users Is Available

A new revolutionary butane-propane system is now available to consumers of this area for the first time. P. I. Matson, owner of the Matson Butane & Appliance Company, Cross Plains, announced yesterday. Known as the MIX-O-GAS System, the product has exclusive patented construction features that make its operation a vast improvement over the conventional butane-propane tank. "Exhaustive tests in the MIX-O-GAS Homemakers Laboratory have shown that on a national basis the average family can cook for as little as 2 1/2 cents a day," said Matson. "Fuel savings are possible up to 45 per cent with the MIX-O-GAS System."

The exterior of the new system does not differ to the eye from conventional butane-propane systems, but the internal construction is considerably changed. As a result of the patented construction features, a constant automatic agitation of the liquefied petroleum gases prevents stratification of the butane or propane.

"MIX-O-GAS gives the butane-propane user the first real balanced vapor blend at his or her appliances whether the tank is full or near empty," explained Matson. "It means that the burners on the appliance can be set for efficient operation at all times with a resulting even, economical hot flame. There's no waste because of different B.T.U.-rated gases reaching the burner from stratified storage."

An invitation to see the MIX-O-GAS System in operation was extended by Matson. He stressed the fact that free demonstrations could be arranged with visible demonstrators.

More than 15 years of practical experience and research on the part of the manufacturer of MIX-O-GAS System, stands back of the new product, according to Matson. The manufacturer actually tested the system in more than 1,000 homes and businesses for extended periods before releasing the product to the public.

"Correct setting of burners and appliances for an even balanced blend at all times prevents smoking up pots and pans," pointed out Matson. "The MIX-O-GAS System is fully automatic in operation and has no moving parts inside to wear out ever. There's no mess or dirt or fuss for the housewife. The butane-propane delivery man does the work."

"Now you can enjoy clean, safe cooking, heating, refrigeration—get plenty of hot water—enjoy the benefits of a better way of life with the new MIX-O-GAS System," concluded Matson. "Be sure to see a free demonstration before you buy," said Mrs. Jean Fore, Manager and J. B. Thomas, retail truck delivery man for Matson Butane & Appliance Company, Cross Plains.

FIRE EXTINGUISHED AT BOUNDS HOME TUESDAY

A grass fire at the Bill Bounds home in the northeast part of town which threatened to destroy a garage building, was promptly extinguished Tuesday morning. Cross Plains firemen answered the alarm but the blaze had been eliminated by time of their arrival.

New And Renewal Subscribers To The Review This Week

- Wes Strackbein
- Oscar Koenig
- H. M. Kelley
- Harv Hasha
- Edwin Baum
- Mrs. W. R. Wagner
- Vernon Mikel
- Mrs. S. E. Archer
- Jim Helms
- A. A. Huntington
- Jim Cross
- George Scott
- W. C. Browne
- Calvin Roady
- L. C. Wilcoxen
- Dr. Maude Longbotham
- L. E. Bellar
- Mrs. J. P. Mitchell
- Mrs. Lizzie Colvin
- Mrs. Myrtle Wiseman
- L. V. Pore
- Jack Tunnell
- J. P. Coppinger
- R. L. Westerman
- Emory Foster

Abilene Firm Is Considering Building 30 New Homes Here

Three Abilene men, officials of the Key City Builders, a company which is conducting housing projects in Anson and Baird, visited Cross Plains Saturday afternoon to look over this community with the view of possibly launching a sub-division here.

They reported themselves as being favorably impressed with Cross Plains but were somewhat doubtful that the demand for GI and FHA homes here would justify an extensive building program. They promised a survey of the situation, however, before abandoning the idea.

They report it impractical to set-up a project unless as many as 25 or 30 houses can be built and sold. "The expense and effort of gaining

VA and FHA approval is virtually as much on one unit as it is for a complete sub-division", the builders said. At present the men who visited here are conducting similar programs in Baird and Anson. The Baird outlay calls for 40 houses, totaling around \$300,000. The Anson program is a \$700,000 project.

Should the Abilene men launch a program here they say scores of local workmen would be employed, and that in addition to the construction of houses, they would likely pave streets in the sub-division and curb all lots. All houses would be modern, most having hardwood floors, floor furnaces, venetian blinds, car ports, garages and complying with government approved building codes.

S. F. Bond Predicts Drouth Will Be Broken By Rains This Week

Local people who have been watching the skies closely for some indication of rain, will be interested in the prediction of S. F. Bond, Cross Plains weather observer, who says the Cross Plains area is due for a wetting this week end.

R. E. (Hick) Edgington also remarks that the last week in March has brought rain the past three years.

The Cross Plains area has received far less than the normal precipitation during the first three months of 1950, and drouth conditions prevail.

County TB Unit To Meet On Thursday

Callahan County Tuberculosis Association will meet Thursday afternoon, March 30, at three o'clock, the Review was advised yesterday by Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, president. The meeting is to be held in the library in the county courthouse building. The year's work will be brought to a close.

District Meet Will Get Underway Here

Preparatory to the meet proper which is to be held in Cross Plains Friday and Saturday of next week, first round play in volleyball and playground ball will be run-off here this week end.

In playground ball eliminations are scheduled in the grade school boys and girls divisions, high school junior boys and girls and senior boys and girls. In volleyball the same divisions are to compete with the exception of high school junior boys and girls.

Pioneer Methodist Church In Meeting

Rev. S. R. Grace, pastor of the Methodist church of Pioneer, has announced that a week end meeting will be held at the church beginning Friday night and continuing through Sunday night. Everyone is urged to be present at these meetings.

Doke Westerman Makes Statement

C. D. (Doke) Westerman submitted the following statement to the Review this week asking that it be published in today's issue. The statement follows:

"A local officer informed me the latter part of last week that due to the fact the boys were under 17 years of age, officers were unable to present a case to the grand jury, involving the stolen chickens found some time ago in the woods on the Westerman farm."

JUNIOR FORD REMINDS OF LEGION BARBECUE APRIL 7

Junior Ford, commander of the local American Legion Post, reminds members of the annual barbecue to be held at the hall on East 8th Street here Friday night of next week, April seventh.

No. 13593

APRIL 1, 1950

Cross Plains School District Trustee Election

Note: Voter's Signature To Be Affixed on the Reverse Side.

Sample Ballot

No. 13593

(2 To Be Elected)

- Ira H. Hall
- R. E. (Hick) Edgington
- George Hutchins
- W. N. Brigner
- Claude Mayes
- Tom Flippin
- Earl Montgomery
- Hadden Payne
- M. E. (Happy) Howell

Cow Theft Charge Is Lodged Against Cross Plains Man

Howard R. Taliaferro, 22 year old Cross Plains man, was arrested Friday night and lodged in Brown County jail, charged with "theft of a cow".

Otis F. Shaw, Brown County Sheriff, told the Review that Taliaferro acknowledged the offense, and that he tentatively set bond at \$1,500. The case will come before the next convention of the Brown County grand jury, possibly within a month.

The cow was allegedly taken from the A. D. Petty farm, three miles south of Cross Plains, Wednesday night of last week, and hauled to Cisco where she was sold to a buyer named Van Tickner. Tickner carried the animal to Ranger the following day with the intention of selling her through the auction ring there. It was in Ranger that Vernon Mikel, Petty's son-in-law, found the animal and notified authorities.

After Tickner explained how he came in possession of the animal, pick-up warrant for Taliaferro was issued and he was taken into custody by local officers Friday night.

After investigation here by Callahan and Brown County officers as well as Texas Ranger C. R. Nordyke, Taliaferro was taken to jail in Brownwood.

Sheriff Shaw, in whose county the alleged crime occurred, told the Review in a telephone interview that the cow had been sold to the Cisco man for \$107.50.

After notifying officers of the fact that the animal was missing Petty and Mikel began visiting auction sales throughout this section in the hope of finding the cow. Petty had gone to San Angelo to attend a sale and Mikel to Ranger.

Girl Scouts Here Note Anniversary

An anniversary reception of the Cross Plains Girls Scout troop two in Cross Plains was held Tuesday night of last week in the basement of the First Presbyterian Church here with about 100 people present.

Misses Betty Browning, Lyna Smith and Ann Alexander, adult leaders, presided at the meeting and explained to parents and friends accomplishments of the local troop during its first year.

Membership pens were awarded to the following girls: Sylvia Baxter, Jane Bonner, Vonda Dillard, Donna Garlitz, Judy McMillan, Mary Lou McNut, Mary Sue Peavy and Mary Scott.

Those receiving second class badges were: Frances Kay Barr, Gay Nell Bryan, Bobbie Nell Edgington, Johnnie Fortune, Carolyn Ellingworth, Lynda Kay King, Sylvia Lucy, Ruth McAnally, Cynthia Lu McCuin, Glenda McMillan, and Bernice Nichols.

Those receiving Brownie wings were: Sylvia Baxter, Jane Bonner and Mary Scott. A drawing and painting proficiency badge was awarded to Ruth McAnally, believed to be the first Cross Plains girl ever to win such honor in the girl scout program.

Tax Assessing For Precinct 4 Nearing Completion for 1950

B. F. Hutchins asks people of commissioners precinct four who have not yet rendered their taxes for the year of 1950, to meet him at the City Office in Cross Plains Saturday or any day next week. He is currently winding up the work and plans to turn in all reports in about 10 days.

PRESBYTERIANS HAVE FELLOWSHIP SUPPER ON THURSDAY EVENING

There will be a fellowship supper at the Presbyterian Church Thursday night at 7:15. Dr. Chester O. Fuson, returned missionary from China, will be the speaker. All members of the congregation will want to hear him.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service next Sunday.

Mrs. C. H. Dawson, Mrs. Mamie Swafford, Mrs. Sarah DeBusk, Mrs. Earl Smith, and Mrs. Etta Booth visited with Mrs. A. J. Mathis in the Rising Star hospital Monday afternoon.

A Classified Ad Will Sell It

Local Farmer Has Hobby Which Proves Interesting and Profitable

Jim Helms, who owns the old Willis Connally place near Burkett, is a man with a profitable hobby.

Some time ago he began making table lamps when time from farm chores permitted. It was just a pastime but friends who saw his handwork were so impressed that a ready market for his lamps was established. Now demand is exceeding his ability to supply.

The lamps are of ranch design. Their base is a solid slab of native mesquite wood, highly polished and lacquered. The upright standard is from a

cactus plant which presents an attractive blonde finish. Everything about the lamp except the shade and electrical parts are home manufactured. Helms buys a shade made of heat resistant sheep skin, upon which are painted Western scenes. The electrical parts he installs himself.

Everything about the lamps is made with hand tools, and about eight full hours is required to complete a single lamp.

Several Cross Plains people have bought the lamps and treasure them far more than the purchase price.

Mrs. G. W. Hester, of Fort Worth, was a recent visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson, in Cross Plains.

In central Illinois, farmers estimate it takes about three hours of man labor to produce 100 pounds of pork.

More than 500,000 acres of Nebraska farm land were sprayed for insects and weeds last year by airplane.



TEXAS INDUSTRIAL WEEK—Governor Allan Shivers (seated) is shown signing a proclamation designating April 1-8 inclusive as the first annual "Texas Industrial Week." Present for the ceremony in the Governor's office are officials of the Texas Manufacturers Association. Left to right: T. J. Butler of Austin, director; Ed C. Burris of Houston, executive vice president; Robert E. Clements of Amarillo, president; H. P. McKenna of New Braunfels, director; W. D. Johnson of Austin, director; Hugh Burdette of Pampa, regional vice president; O. K. Black of San Antonio, regional vice president; and Harry Pickoff of Taylor, director.

County Agent Says Ticks Being Noted On Cattle; Advises Dip

Cutworms have already been reported doing damage to garden crops. The best control for cutworms is to dust the ground around the crop with five per cent DDT powder or five per cent chlordane dust. This is much easier to apply than the old poison bran mash, which many people used to use to fight cutworms.

LONE STAR TICKS

The mild winter has brought out early the lone star tick. Heavy infestations are already showing up on cattle and in lawns in some areas. On cattle, these ticks are blood suckers and cause some secondary damage by leaving raw

wounds where screwworm flies may deposit eggs. Cattle should be dipped or sprayed when the ticks first appear. A good spray mixture is eight pounds of 50 per cent wettable DDT powder and four pounds of six per cent gamma BHC to each 100 gallons of water or you may use 10 pounds of 40 per cent wettable toxaphene in 100 gallons of water. Either solution will kill the ticks present and will protect cattle against reinfestation for a period of two to four weeks.

To control ticks in the lawn, you can dust the surface of the lawn with 10 per cent DDT dust at the rate of one pound of dust to each 1,000 square feet of area.

Former Local Girl And Lubbock Man Recently Married

Broadway Church of Christ of Lubbock was scene of the double ring ceremony that united in marriage Bessie Louise Foller and Cloy H. Weems. Dr. M. Norvel Young officiated.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rutherford of Moran, and formerly of this place. Mr. Weems is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Weems of Falls.

The church was decorated with baskets of white gladioli and palms and lighted with candelabra.

The bride wore a white street length dress with white fingertip veil and navy accessories. She carried a nosegay of yellow carnations tied with yellow and white streamers and observed traditions of wearing "something old, new, borrowed and blue."

Mrs. Foy Bomar, matron of honor, wore gray taffeta and black accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Samuel D. Gardner was best man.

After a trip, the couple will be at home at 1608 1/2 Broadway.

Mrs. Weems is a graduate of Cross Plains high school and Lubbock Memorial Hospital School of Nursing. She is employed at Texas Tech college infirmary as registered nurse.

Mr. Weems, a graduate of Falls high school, will receive a degree in dairy manufacturing at Tech in June. He will be listed in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities" in 1950.

It is said that during President McKinley's administration a man drove a buggy to the post office twice a day to pick up the White House mail. Today a large truck makes three trips, and is heavily loaded each time.

This year's United States savings Bonds campaign will begin May 15 and run through July 4. The Treasury Department has adopted a campaign slogan of "Save for Your Independence." The Liberty Bell is the drive's symbol.

The bubonic plague has recently made its appearance in South and East China and threatens to become a real epidemic. At last reports some 1,000,000 persons had been inoculated and sent to a small peninsula for segregation and treatment.

It is said that there is a shortage of Bibles in Brazil and a theology seminary in Rio de Janeiro has set up a Bible hospital in which worn Bibles are rebound and reconditioned. In this way the few remaining books can be distributed to those who have no copies at all.

A Classified Ad Will Sell It

It Takes Experience

To diagnose car aches and pains, then it takes skilled mechanics to repair the damage.

At the first sign of trouble, drive to our shop because our service is guaranteed. Let us put your machinery in top condition with fast and accurate service at moderate prices.

KEEP BREAKDOWNS AWAY
THE BISHOP SERVICE WAY

Bishop Chevrolet Co.

Cross Plains, Texas

FERGUSON TRACTORS

See The New Ferguson Tractor With The Red Seal Continental Valve-In-Head Motor And Get A Demonstration.

Most Economical Tractor On The Market.

We Have Several Bargains In Good Used Tractors.

See Edd Morgan

Abilene Implement Co.

Harold Garrett To Graduate At A&M In June Exercises

Harold Garrett, senior Agriculture Education major at the Agriculture and Mechanical College of Texas and a 1946 honor graduate of Cross Plains high school, recently participated in a demonstration at Waco on correct parliamentary procedure to be followed in conducting Future Farmers' Chapter meetings.

Harold, a transfer from John Tarleton College, at which place he was a distinguished student for two years, will be graduated from A&M in June, after which he plans to either teach vocational agriculture or go into soil conservation work.

P. O. Boyle, of Coleman, was a business visitor here Saturday morning.

"For Sale" Signs At The Review

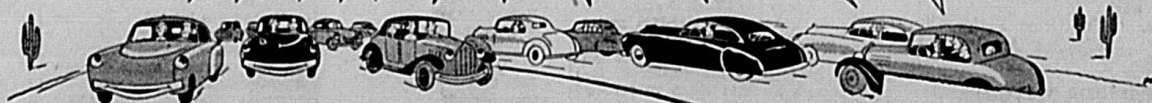
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The great **New No-Nox** — Designed for today's powerful new engines!

GREAT FOR **NEW** CARS! GREAT FOR **OLDER** CARS!

Gulf scientists worked hand-in-hand with leading automotive engineers to bring you this great new gasoline—designed to give peak performance in today's powerful new engines! With the new No-Nox, you'll get whisper-smooth power—thrilling pick-up—quick, safe passing—and unexcelled mileage!

The new No-Nox actually gives smooth new vigor, new pep, and stops knocks in most older cars—even those with heavily carboned engines! If you want to get the very best out of your present car—jack-rabbit starts—surging hill power—and plenty of miles per gallon—fill up with the new No-Nox today!



Get Gulf's greatest gasoline — terrific power in every drop!

The New No-Nox

(Good Gulf — our famous "regular" gasoline — is now better than ever, too!)



Dave C. Lee, Distributor
Cross Plains, Texas

DOG ODDITIES

By Harry Miller, Director, GAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER

DOGS ACTUALLY ACCEPTED FOR SERVICE IN THE U.S. A-9 CORPS DURING WORLD WAR II NUMBERED ABOUT 14,000



FRONTIER PEGGY, BEAGLE OWNED BY HOWARD FRITZ, N. TONAWANDA, N.Y., CELEBRATED MOTHER'S DAY 1946 BY GIVING BIRTH TO A RECORD BREAKING LITTER OF 15 PUPPIES

THE CENTER OF U.S. DOG POPULATION IS NEAR DECATUR, ILL.

© 1950 Gaines Dog Research Center, N. Y. C.

Brownies Meet At Church on Tuesday

The Brownie Scouts and their leaders met at the Baptist church Tuesday afternoon with Linda Tyler and Patty Illingworth acting as hostesses. Plans were made for an Easter hunt next week. Eighteen members, two leaders and two visitors, Mrs. Oscar Tyler and Mrs. R. M. Illingworth, were present.

Local People Attend Convention At Clyde

Among those from Cross Plains who attended the singing convention in Clyde Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greenwood, Gene Greenwood, Joan Hall, Dena Lou Cox, and Billy Wright. Next meeting of the convention will be held the fourth Sunday in June at Denton Valley.

COMMUNITY SINGING AT PIONEER CHURCH SUNDAY

Regular community singing will be held at the Pentecostal Church in Pioneer Sunday afternoon, beginning at two o'clock. Everyone is invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Young visited in the home of their son and family in Abilene Sunday, and the entire group drove on to Sweetwater where they spent the afternoon with relatives and friends.

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By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Rev. J. W. Chapman, of Cross Plains, will do the preaching in a revival at the Baptist Church beginning Sunday morning, April second.

Mrs. J. W. Parkinson is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. S. McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wood, in Cisco last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pratter and children of Corpus Christi are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. John Harris is still a very sick person.

Rev. T. N. Minix, Jr., of Littlefield, visited in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin, recently.

Carlton Holder, of Cisco, was a visitor in our community recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Taylor and girls, of Brownwood, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harter, Sunday.

Several from our community attended the stock show in Cisco Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stephens and boys of San Antonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk and children were Sunday visitors in the W. E. Lusk home.

Donations are still coming in for our cemetery fund and are surely



Fire Rages Over Wide Area Burning Hundreds Of Acres

Fire which began six miles south of Baird Sunday night had swept through pastures Tuesday night, reaching the vicinity north of Rowden and burning off hundreds of acres. No estimate of the damage was immediately available. Firemen from Cross Plains and Baird joined with citizens of the effected area in combating the blaze.

Mr. Earl Smith, Donald and Marie Smith visited in San Angelo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Flippin visited her five year old grandson, Billy Flippin, Jr., in Coleman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox and Dena Lou, and Mrs. A. J. McCuin and Jay, were in Abilene Tuesday.

appreciated. We have had several visitors by the past week and they complimented our cemetery very much.

LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND BIRTHDAY OBSERVANCE IN CLOVIS, NEW MEXICO

W. R. Thompson and son, Lee Thompson, celebrated their birthdays again Sunday at the home of the latter in Clovis, New Mexico. The father and son have observed the last 39 birthdays together with the exception of one time.

In addition to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson who were in Clovis for the observance, others present included: Mr. and Mrs. Pender Mitchell and two daughters, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker, of Seminole.

Here in the United States a new cotton picker has recently been invented which uses suction to remove cotton from the bolls. It is said to pick up cotton that has fallen to the ground, and can be adjusted so that bolls not fully opened will not be affected.

Mrs. W. H. Jones of Breckenridge visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tension and Miss Winona Tension Saturday night.

J. A. Caton accompanied by his son, Norman, of Wichita Falls, and a friend from Dallas, fished on the Llano river last week.

PODDED NUTS
Brazil nuts grow on giant trees, 75 to 150 feet tall, which flourish in the Amazon valley and practically no place else. The nuts are not actually nuts, but rather seeds, which grow in round pods similar to the coconut, about 30 nuts to each pod.

Boy babies predominate in hard times, while girls lead in times of plenty, according to a noted Vienna biologist.

Mrs. J. Lee Smith returned to her home here Tuesday after spending a few days with her daughter in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown of McCamey visited here Tuesday in the home of her aunt, Mrs. John Baum.

Long-life footwear is expected with the use of the new synthetic "cold rubber," which is predicted will double the life of automobile tire treads and already is in use on a number of passenger cars.

ADDED HEIGHT
Ancient Greek actors increased their apparent height by wearing wooden clogs on their feet and conical wigs on top of their masks, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

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EASTER goods aplenty. Get yours now. Caton's Variety Store. (1tc)

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FOR SALE: Boys size 14 2-pc. brown wool striped suit. See at Central Cleaners. (1tc)

FOR SALE: Fishing tackle and equipment of all kinds. Western Auto Associate Store. (1tc)

STRAW HAT season is here and so are we with just what you need. See them. Caton's Variety Store. (1tc)

FOR SALE: Garden hose, priced from \$2.40 up. Some with 10 year guarantee. Western Auto Associate Store. (1tc)

FOR SALE: Have a No. 1 ice box. See it at my home on East 8th Street. Bert Brown. (1tc)

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FOR SALE: 12 Farmall with power lift, row planter and cultivator. See Charley McCowen. (1tc)

FOR SALE: Good used lumber, siding, dimension lumber and everything from a 3 room house; desired lengths and good condition. Entire lot for \$300, a real bargain. May be seen at Jess Flippin place, south of Pioneer in Gunn community. (2tp52)

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FOR SALE: Hog Lard, 12 1/2¢ per pound. J. D. Cauthen, Admiral, Texas. (2tp1)

FOR SALE: Refrigerators from \$194.50 up on 8 1/2 cubic foot box. Western Auto Associate Store. (1tc)

CHICK POINTS and feeders. One brooder below cost. Caton's Variety Store. (1tc)

FOR SALE: International combine, model 82. See John Lawler at Jim Moore place, Caddo Peak. (2tp52)

LOST: 11.00-20 tire and rim. Notify Edd Craig, Hamilton, Texas. (2tp1)

AUTO WASHING & GREASING: Guaranteed to please most particular customers. Roberts Service Station, at corner of Main & 8th Streets. (2tc1)

LOOKING For A New Place To Eat? Try the Blackstone Cafe. Catering to those who care. Big enough to serve you, not too big to know you. Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Brown. (1tc1)

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LOST between Hamilton and Cross Plains a suit case containing ladies green coat and man's plaid jacket and other clothing. Reward. Please telephone collect Mrs. Lawrence Rice, 252 or 618J, Box 607, Hamilton, Texas. (1tc)

MECHANIC WANTED: To rent ideal space for repair shop, in rear of service station on corner Main & 8th St. Good proposition to right man. See N. H. Roberts. (2tc1)

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Farmall tractor for livestock. See Jim Barr. (2tp52)

FOR SALE: Modern 5 room house, well located; also have good saddle. W. A. Strickland. (2tc52)

FOR SALE: Very slightly used plastic dinette suite in yellow finish, also a chrome suite in red and white finish. See Walker at Higginbotham Bros. & Co., Cross Plains, Texas. (2tc52)

FOR SALE: Two bull yearlings, registered Herefords. See Bill Wright, Cross Cut, Texas. (3tp52)

WANTED: Water well and shallow oil well drilling. See W. G. Vaughn at ice house. (4tc50)

FOR SALE OR LEASE: S-32 Walker-Neer, practically new, spudder and tools; also 1946 International truck with wench line. Terms if desired. O. H. Grubbs, phone 28329, Brownwood, Texas, 2103 Fourth Avenue. (4tc50)

BABY CHICKS and STARTED CHICKS at very low prices. AAA grade unsexed chicks \$10 per 100. AAAA grade \$12. Heavy mixed and hybrids \$9. Started chicks slightly higher. Pullets and cockerels in Leghorns and Minorcas. Hatches each Monday and Wednesday. STAR HATCHERY, Baird, Texas. (1tc)

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FOR SALE: My home on highway 36, four miles east of Cross Plains. Marjorie Harvey Neill, 933 Pecan St., Blue Bell Hills, Kerrville, Texas. (1tc47)

IRONING WANTED at my home. Mrs. Grover Henderson. (4tc)

WE HAVE a nice stock 1x6 rough fencing. Baldwin Lumber Company. (2tc52)

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NOTICE FISHERMEN: Live minnows 25¢ dozen, any and all times. Pete Robbins, 1 block south of Bennett Hotel. (4tp50)

FOR RENT: Back end of ice house, ideal location for garage or repair shop. See Glenn Vaughn. (4tc50)

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Yesteryear.... ..In The Old Home Town..

Items of interest taken from the files of the Review of 30, 25, 15, and 10 years ago.

30 YEARS AGO
April 9, 1920

Cross Plains is on a building program that promises to relieve the house shortage that has so long handicapped the growth of the city. Property in the past has been very dull, but never has there been a year when we had enough houses to take care of the demand. Many houses are now being built or planning to be built.

The cold wave, concomitant with Easter, Saturday and Sunday nights was unusually severe, killing peaches, plums, and other fruit and tender garden crops.

J. B. Ellis, who lived in the Anderson house, has moved to the Baptist parsonage. Rev. S. A. Rogers who has been occupying the parsonage has moved to Cottonwood where he is more centrally located for his work as county missionary.

W. P. Pinkston, of O'Brien, last week bought of Tom Anderson the Chess Barr place on South Main Street and will move to Cross Plains at once. He is the son of the late T. N. Pinkston of Liberty and formerly lived here.

The following is a brief mention of the places won by our boys and girls at the County Scholastic Meet in Baird last week.

- Merlin Garrett, first place in senior declamation.
- Carlyle Bond, second in junior declamation.
- Winifred Brigner, second in junior spelling.
- Lillian Jones, first place in essay.
- Freda Farr, first place in basketball throw and broad jump for junior girls.
- Maggie Woods, first in baseball throw for junior girls.
- Raymond Renfro, first in shot put.
- C. S. Boyles, second in 50 yard dash.
- Raymond Renfro, Ray Adams and Kenneth Smith tied seven boys from other schools for high jump.

25 YEARS AGO
April 3, 1925

The WMS of the Baptist church entertained their husbands and children with a weiner roast at the park Monday night. It was an occasion to be remembered. There was an abundance of eats and lots of fun. About 100 were present.

Sunday afternoon the C. of C. band rendered a concert on Main Street before a crowd estimated at 1,000 people, who expressed themselves as enjoying the program very much.

After the street program the band marched to the school ground and spent much time in drill practice.

The WMS of the Methodist

church entertained their husbands Monday night in the home of W. A. McGowen. A special music program was rendered, followed by a sumptuous repast. Some 60 were present to enjoy the event.

The City Council has ordered the testing of the various shallow water wells in and adjacent to town and pumping was begun at the Uncle Bob Garrett place Tuesday morning. This is the first step the council took to locate an adequate supply for city use.

15 YEARS AGO
March 29, 1935

The Oil Well Supply Co. here will discontinue business at the Cross Plains store after Saturday night. Plans were going forward yesterday toward transferring of stock in the local store to Breckenridge, Albany, Olney and Dallas.

Ted Smith who has been manager for the oil well supply here nine years, will assume managerial duties for the company at Breckenridge next week.

The Wednesday Study Club was honored with the presence of District President Mrs. J. M. Perkins and District Secretary Mrs. James, both of Eastland, at the regular meeting of the unit at the home of Mrs. Fred Cutbirth Wednesday afternoon. Members of the Junior Study Club here were also in attendance at the meeting.

Bryan Bennett, well known throughout this area was a stellar baseball pitcher of a number of years ago, and recently of Paducah, has moved to Cross Plains and is now associated with Ponia Worthy in the Main Street Conoco Station here.

For the first time in five years Cross Plains schools have lost the County Track Meet. However, competition was stronger this year than ever before in history of meets. Baird was victorious and Cross Plains won second, with Putnam third and Clyde fourth.

10 YEARS AGO
March 29, 1940

Jimmilee Payne has purchased the Jim McGowen residence in the south part of town and will move the structure to his farm nine miles west of Cross Plains within the near future.

Between 50 and 60 hunters participated in the rabbit drive in the Board Plat community Tuesday. No accurate check on the number of rodents killed is available, however, all concerned reported the drive was an outstanding success.

Cross Plains took first place in the Class A high school division of the annual Callahan county interscholastic league meet Saturday with 146 points, as compared with 133 for Baird, 114 for Clyde and

79 for Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baum and daughter, Sandra, left Cross Plains this week for California where they will make their home.

Friday Last Day To Buy 1950 Car Tags

Friday is the last day for automobile owners to buy 1950 license tags in time to comply with current laws. All vehicles must display the 1950 licenses after the last day of this month.

In Cross Plains the tags are on sale at the Cook Insurance Agency. To date sales have been slow and several hundred local vehicles are believed yet unregistered.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Strickland had as their guest the past week her sister of Wyoming.

Mrs. W. J. Gray, Mrs. Herbert Freeman and children, Mickey and Jimmy, were in Abilene Friday. They returned by Clyde and spent a short while with Mrs. T. J. Gray who is ill.

April 13 Will Be Ladies Night For Local Lions Club

Cross Plains Lions Club is laying elaborate plans for a ladies night banquet to be held the second Thursday night in next month, April 13.

Committees were named at the last meeting of the civic club last week.

Attendance at the Lions Club has been exceptional the past two months, and according to district officials is proportionately best in district "E", which comprises much of the West Central portion of the state.

Members of the committee charged with arranging a program for the ladies night observance told the Review yesterday that they hoped to be able to present a well-known after dinner speaker and a talented group of local entertainers. O. B. Edmondson, president of the Lions Club, will serve as toastmaster at the banquet.

Classified Ads Get Results

Cross Plains Raises \$461 For Red Cross

Cross Plains total contributions in the current Red Cross drive was reported yesterday to be \$461.50. The community's quota was only \$425.

Contributions received since last week's list was published included: Mark Adair \$10, Francis Bowlin \$1, and Olan F. Wilson \$2.50.

Lavonia Redden To Wed Roger G. Duck

Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Lavonia Redden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Redden of Abilene, and formerly of this place, to Roger Glen Duck. The bridegroom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Duck of Wylie. Marriage of the couple will take place on May fifth.

L. W. Westerman was a business visitor in Brownwood Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shield and children, of Abilene, were visitors here Monday morning.

Mrs. C. A. Stone and baby of Cisco were visitors here Monday.

Mrs. Edwin Baum and children were Coleman visitors Friday.

Paul Greenwood, who is employed in Coleman and conducts a program over the radio station there each Wednesday afternoon, visited in Cross Plains Monday.

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Release Nations On Bond In Rape Cases

M. J. Nations, Brown County farmer, has been released on bond of \$7,500 in each of two statutory rape charges, both involving the same girl under 18 years of age. Indictments were returned by the Brown County grand jury in recent session.

Bill Ogilvy, of Rockwood, and Mrs. Tom Price, of Albany, visited here in the home of their mother Sunday.

Mrs. DeWitt Van Pelt has been visiting in the home of her twin sister, Mrs. Jim McGowen, in Odessa.

M. B. Battle of this place was carried to a Gorman hospital last Wednesday afternoon. Friends hope for him a speedy recovery.

Cub Scout Meeting Set Tuesday Night

Regular monthly meeting of the Cub Scout pack will be held in the Legion Hall on East 8th Street here Tuesday night of next week, beginning at seven o'clock, it was announced yesterday by Elvis Scott, Cub Master.

The Cub Scout charter for the Cross Plains organization is to be presented at the meeting, and all members are urged to be present.

The Cub Scout pack is composed of boys between the ages of eight and 11. At present 15 boys are affiliated, however, an effort is being made to enlist new members. Boys and their parents will be welcomed at the Tuesday night meeting.

Baptist Meeting To Begin April Ninth

A Sunday School enlargement campaign is being conducted at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains this week, preparatory to the annual revival campaign which is to start April ninth, reports Rev. J. W. Chapman, pastor.

Goal of the current enlargement campaign, which is being led by Rev. J. C. McKenzie of Carlton, is to have 300 enrolled in the church's Sunday School program. This would represent a 30 per cent gain.

Another Oil Well Started On Vestal

Drilling is now going forward on Isett, Watson & Heller's number two Vestal, a two location north offset to the recent Caddo test on the H. L. Vestal place, five miles northeast of Cross Plains, in Eastland County. The number one Vestal drilled by the same operators is reportedly a small producer with a high gas-oil ratio.

Sew And So Club In Meet Wednesday

Mrs. Z. W. McClellan and Mrs. Arnold Painter were joint hostesses when they entertained members of the Sew and So Club at the home of Mrs. McClellan last Wednesday afternoon.

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent in fancy work and social entertainment.

A refreshment plate of tuna fish salad, crackers, cookies, coffee and candy eggs, with white napkins and painted with Easter eggs and bunnies by Miss Mildred Woody was passed to the following guests: Mrs. V. C. Walker, Mrs. A. D. Petty, Mrs. H. E. Coburn, Mrs. C. C. Holdridge, Miss Mildred Woody, Mrs. Garland Gary, Mrs. Edwin Neeb, Mrs. C. D. Lane, Mrs. Gene Adams, Mrs. Mack Campbell, Mrs. H. J. Norris, Mrs. Wilbur Williams, Mrs. J. C. McDermott, Mrs. Joe Weller, Mrs. W. M. Smith, Mrs. J. W. Carpenter, Mrs. Oscar Smith, Mrs. M. W. Wyatt, and Mrs. Craig McNeel.

Next meeting of the club will be in the home of Mrs. George B. Scott on April 12.

Mrs. George Christy of Abilene was a visitor here last Thursday.

LOCAL LADY NOW AT HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. G. M. Sims, who recently underwent surgery at the Harris Memorial Hospital in Fort Worth, was returned to her home here over the week end. After remaining at home for about a week she will go back to Fort Worth for another check-up. Her many friends will be glad to know that she is believed getting along nicely.

Area Lashed By Damaging Winds

March weather in all its fury was experienced throughout the Cross Plains area this week, as sand and grit propelled by high velocity winds covered the sky in a pinkish hue.

Unless the area is covered with rainfall within the very near future, repetitions of the sandstorms are expected. Farmers and ranchmen report an urgent need for rain. Small grain crops are already suffering appreciably, and pastures have taken on a parched appearance. Housewives would welcome rain not only as a boon to lawns and gardens but as a means of ending the duststorms which are multiplying Spring house cleaning chores.

Luncheon Club Will Meet Tuesday Noon

Regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Club will be held next Tuesday, April fourth, in the basement of the Baptist church.

The club meets the first Tuesday noon of each month and all business and professional men of the city are invited and urged to be present. S. N. Foster is president of the organization, C. H. Dawson vice-president, and Doyle Burfield secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Jack Howser visited with her husband in Dallas last week.

Billy Mack Coppinger, of Abilene, spent the week end here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Coppinger.

Hubert Kelley was a business visitor in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fleming and Imogene, of Snyder, also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleming and Rue, of Borger, visited the men's mother here recently and other relatives at Pioneer.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Laura Peavy Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Shaw and Donnie Lee of Bridgeport, Texas, Mrs. Loyce Gregg and Leah Sue of Abilene, Boyce Robbing and Miss Betty McCarty of San Angelo.

A Classified Ad Will Sell It

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Foster had as their guest over the week end his brother, of Lufkin, Texas.

Mrs. C. R. Cook returned Sunday from San Angelo where she had been several days at the bedside of her grandmother, Mrs. F. T. Scott.

Hundreds Tell Bob Wills Of Hadacol's Numerous Blessings

Bob Wills Hears About HADACOL'S Blessings



Bob Wills, famous western music band leader, loves to talk with his fans at the Tyanon Building auditorium in Oklahoma City about the blessings of HADACOL. In the picture above Miss Betty Lou Lobb, 720 College St., Bethany Okla., a very promising young singer, tells Bob how HADACOL has helped her. Hundreds of folks who are obtaining rich blessings from the precious B Vitamins and Minerals in HADACOL visit Wills each week for his network broadcast, which is originated from KBYE, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma's western music station, and sent over a leased wire to stations, KRMG, Tulsa; KWEN, Fort Smith; KGLC, Miami, Oklahoma; KLYN, Amarillo, and KWFT, Wichita Falls.

Hundreds of folks, who are benefiting every day from taking HADACOL meet at the Trianon Building in Oklahoma City where Bob Wills, famous band leader, and his Texas Playboys broadcast each noon for HADACOL.

"It looks like all my fans are getting wonderful benefits from HADACOL," said Wills. "It is a real pleasure to broadcast for HADACOL because the folks taking HADACOL are so enthusiastic that I feel like I am performing a real service for mankind."

Hundreds have told Wills of the blessed benefits of HADACOL and the following statement by Miss Betty Lou Lobb, 720 College St., Bethany, a well known singer, is a good example.

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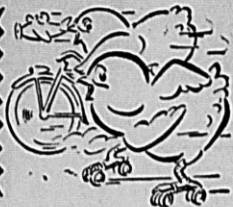
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Personals

Jack Stout, of May, was in Cross Plains Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger were in Ballinger Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster and his mother were in Slaton this week.

George D. Neel visited in the home of his son in De Leon this week.

Charles H. Dawson was a business visitor in Baird one day last week.

Mrs. O. B. Edmondson and son, and Mrs. Claude Mayes and son were visitors in Eastland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington, of Pampa, visited friends and relatives here and at Pioneer this week.

Mrs. S. F. Bond, who has been visiting with her daughter, Miss Pauline Bond, in Dallas the past six weeks, plans to return home next week.

Mrs. M. Rawlings, of Austin, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Joy, in Cross Plains. Mrs. Rawlings has been here the past three weeks with the exception of several days last week which was spent in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Year-ton at Coleman. She plans to return to her home in Austin this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner and daughters, Jane and Jean, were in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton spent the week end visiting in Fort worth.

W. D. Smith and daughter, Lyna, spent the week end visiting in Dallas.

Mrs. Fred Cutbirth and Mrs. Leo Baum were Coleman visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Foster were Dallas visitors the first part of the week.

Mrs. H. A. Year-ton, of Coleman, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Joy, in Cross Plains this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson spent the week end in the home of their son, Leo Thompson and family, in Clovis, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Caton and baby of Wichita Falls visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Caton, the past week end.

Orlan Williams, of San Angelo, visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Williams, here last week end. Then Monday, the couple's daughter, Mrs. A. W. Coffee, arrived to spend a few days. Mr. Williams has been ill for the past two weeks.

THE AMERICAN WAY



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Cross Cut News

By Peggy Rhymes

Boy! Have I been busy the past few weeks. With 10 page term papers in English, home projects in home economics, and a new civics teacher, and all this together with everything else has really been rushing me. I haven't even had time to listen for any news. However, things have let up some now, so maybe I can gather a little.

We have been having pretty weather the past few days, that is, it has been warm. If this wind continues to blow as it did yesterday I am afraid the farmers in this vicinity will be out of luck for their fields. Also wondering how they can keep their featherless chickens warm during the next freeze.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Merrill, of Winters, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Phillips over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rhymes and family were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Watt Foster of Bangs Sunday.

Miss Anita Newton visited her sister, Imogene, who is attending TSCW at Denton, during the week end.

Mrs. Roe Martin and Jeanette and Jerry of Brownwood were visitors in the home of J. L. Byrd Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Newton and A. J. of Thrifty were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton Monday evening.

Construction work is underway at the Baptist church. It is being remodeled. There are reports that it will cost a "nice lump sum" when finished, however, it will be very pretty.

Last Tuesday evening the Girl Scouts celebrated their first birthday at the Presbyterian church in Cross Plains. Miss Donna Garlitz received her Girl Scout badge.

Personals

James Campbell was a business visitor in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mrs. Will Fortune of this place is in the Rising Star hospital for treatment.

Charles Coburn, who is attending Howard Payne College in Brownwood, spent the week end here in the home of his mother.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Tension gave Mrs. Tension a birthday supper at the home of their son, L. B. All the children and grandchildren were present, except B. M., who was working in Brownwood at the time.

Pioneer

By A. O. (Slim) Harris

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Huntington, of Pampa, are visiting with her mother for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mann are visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Teston. They have recently moved to their home just west of town.

Uncle Gees Harris was out and around seeing old friends and feeling very well following an accident not many days ago.

The simultaneous revival will begin on April 16 and will continue through the 23rd. The pastor will have some one to assist him during that time. Everyone is invited to attend each service. This is in keeping with all Southern Baptist areas west of the Mississippi River, several thousand evangelists and other workers will participate in this work.

Dry weather has retarded all crops and gardens in this area. High wind with no rain is evidenced by the air being full of sand and dust.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sawyers and grandchildren, Miss Jewitt Sawyers, of Eastland, were visitors with their niece, Mrs. A. O. Harris Sunday.

Health Department Conducting Program For Food Handlers

The Texas State Department of Health's program of teaching food handlers sanitary methods of preparing and serving food continues to be very popular, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. It is one method of attack on that great group of respiratory diseases which include influenza, scarlet fever, measles, whooping cough and the common cold, the viruses of which are spread from person to person by the excretions of the nose and mouth.

Restaurant sanitation programs have become more necessary because of changes which have taken place in our national eating habits. Once upon a time it was customary for most people in Texas and in the U.S.A. to eat three meals a day at their own table. "eat out" was an unusual and exciting event. Now, all the family, including the baby, eat out.

In this constant mingling of people to eat and drink there exists a vast and complicated arrangement perfectly designed for exchange of saliva via cups, glasses, spoons, forks and fingers that go in and out millions of mouths. There are few hours in the day in any community when these vectors of respiratory and other diseases are not busy.

The prime purpose of restaurant sanitation is to have all dishes and utensils sterilized and to have all those who handle or serve food understand and practice restaurant sanitation every day and all the time.

The public in every community needs to be concerned about the cleanliness of its public eating places. You can help by demanding cleanliness in the places you eat.

Burkett News

By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

Regular fourth Sunday singing was well attended Sunday with visitors being present from a number of surrounding communities.

Rev. Frank Stone filled his regular appointments here Sunday.

John Paul McCasland, of Howard Payne College in Brownwood, visited his uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson, here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcell Coleman and baby, of Coleman, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Edington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter, of Fort Worth, visited relatives and friends here over the week end.

J. J. Jones has been very ill the past several days. All of his children have been called to the bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth White and family of Colorado City have been visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. White.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McAnally and Mr. and Mrs. B. McAnally and Cathy visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl McAnally in Balmorhea last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Key are the proud parents of a baby daughter born Sunday. Mrs. Key is the former Miss Reba Nell Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Biehl, of Odessa, visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biehl, and sons last week end.

Mrs. Ray Dean Young is again at home after spending two days in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones and Arlon and Oliva, of Waco, visited in the J. J. and Seth Burkett homes Sunday. They also visited relatives in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Silt, of Midland, visited in the H. P. White home this week and did some fishing on Brownwood lake.

Kathryn Cravens, of New York City, visited in the W. M. Newton home here a few days. She is now in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bell, of No-vice, were visitors in the community Wednesday.

Wayne Newton, of Austin, and Donald Newton, of San Marcos, visited their father, Wiley M. Newton, here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis Henderson and son, Billy, of Corsicana, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete O'Brien and children, Pat and Carol, were called to Snyder last week to the bedside of his father who was seriously injured in an automobile accident. They have returned home.

Vernon Bludworth is now in a Temple hospital after spending a week in a Cisco hospital.

Visitors in the M. A. Walker home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller and family of Brownwood, and the former Annie Lee Gray of Iraan.

Mrs. Hattie Adams and Gilder, W. C. Strickland and Mrs. Alva Holland attended the Callahan County Singing Convention at Clyde Sunday. They also visited Mrs. Ethyl Tabor and Joyce of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holland and children, Billie Vale, Douglas, and Paula Jean, of Petrolia, visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. M. A. Wilson and son, Jackie, of Abilene visited W. J. Colvin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Wilson, of Buffalo visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boyle and attended the singing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burkett recently moved from the Will Burkett home to their home formerly occupied by Melvin Jones and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams have moved from the Amarada lease to the Will Burkett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Harris and daughters, Judy, Nancy and Connie Jean, have returned to their home at Aransas Pass after visiting relatives here and at Coleman.

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BILL McMILLAN WRITES FROM VETS HOSPITAL

The Review is in receipt of a letter from Bill McMILLAN, who has been a patient in a veterans hospital at Dallas the past several weeks, in which the Cross Plains man advises that he is doing fine. "I would like for all my friends to know that I am looking forward to seeing them again, and appreciate their concern regarding me", he said.

Mrs. James M. Campbell and Mrs. J. L. Bonner were in Fort Worth Friday.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks to my friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness during my recent illness. Your cards, letters, flowers and visits were appreciated very much.

Alvie Cavanaugh

BURLESON SAYS:

Congressman Omar Burleson in a speech before the House of Representatives, United States Congress, said recently:

"Mr. Speaker, during the recent coal strike much resentment was expressed on the Floor of this House. The wrath against the conduct of Mr. Lewis and his powerful union was, in my opinion, well justified.

"Since the crisis has subsided, very little, if anything, is being said or done towards preventing a future occurrence of like nature. Mr. Lewis has gained the highest hourly wage rate for his miners than exists in any of the major industries. The auto workers are sixth down the line and the pressure is on Mr. Reuther to demand wage raises. Mr. Murray will soon be ready to start his campaign for increases for his CIO Steelworkers. Then will come Mr. Green of the AF of L, who must catch up with the others.

"The pressure is on every union head to make his demand and so goes the merry-go-round. The union boss must maintain his position as leader and he can only do so by keeping up with the gains of his competitor. But is it really competition? This type of competition is not strange to the Country now, but the union which can tie up a complete segment of our economy, and thereby finally paralyze all business and industry related thereto, must be pretty much monopolistic.

"There are measures pending in the House and in the other Chamber which propose to apply the Anti-Trust Laws to the powerful unions which are capable of paralyzing this Nation, and I think it is time that consideration be given those proposals.

"The right of labor to organize and bargain collectively need not be denied or impaired, but when any group is able to impose its will upon free people, without self-discipline, and in a manner incompatible with the national welfare, then it becomes the duty of this Congress to protect the rights of those outside these special groups who may, in periods of emergency, be completely at their mercy."

pect that they have the disease, since all the information that can be gathered may be of some use in finding a cure for it.

Lon Haley Has Been Regular Reader Of Review 2,132 Weeks

There are scores of homes throughout the Cross Plains area in which the Review has been a regular caller each week of its 41 years of publication. Still on the mailing list are about 60 names to whom Belmont L. Shields mailed the initial issue on April 1, 1909.

Few charter subscribers though, can date their Review subscriptions further back than Lon Haley, long time resident of this community. Together with Pete Moore and several others whose names he fails to recall, Mr. Haley helped Shields set-up presses and type cabinets in a dwelling down in the old town. That was in early March, nearly a full month before the first issue of the Review came out. After working one day helping Shields, Mr. Haley dug down into his pocket and handed the enthusiastic publisher a dollar bill for a year's subscription.

"I've been a subscriber ever since and always look forward to the coming of the Review", Mr. Haley told the Review editor one day last week.

"You say your elopment was sort of forced on you?" "Yes, after she came down the rope, her dad pulled it up."

He had been walking with one foot on the sidewalk and the other in the gutter. About a mile down the street, he met a policeman. "You're drunk," said the officer. "Oh so that is what is wrong! I thought I was crippled."

The Associated Press says that the Census Bureau figures show the United States Negro population grew at a relatively more rapid rate than the white population during the 1940's. They also indicate a greater relative improvement in the average income or earnings of the Negro population.

The acting President of Nationalist China, Mr. Li Tsung-Jen, says he is still at the head of China and warns Chiang Kiashek not to "usurp" the post. General Chiang had announced that he was resuming the presidency, which he resigned in January, 1949. Mr. Li is under medical care in New York.

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- For State Representative 107th District: Charles H. Dawson
- For Sheriff: Joe Pierce
- S. S. (Nick) Nichols
- For County Superintendent: L. C. Cash
- B. C. Chrisman
- J. E. (Ed) Sunderman
- Tax Assessor-Collector: M. H. (Bob) Joy
- For County Judge: M. W. (Dickie) Huntington
- J. Lester Farmer
- For County Clerk: Bruce Bell
- For County Treasurer: Hazel Reynolds
- For Commissioner, Precinct 4: Claude E. Foeter
- For District Clerk: Corrie Neithercutt
- For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3: T. M. Shuford

News From COUNTY AGENT

By Oliver F. West

NEWCASTLE DISEASE FOUND IN COUNTY

Mr. W. B. Higgins came to the County Agent about two weeks ago and needed some help in finding out what was wrong with his sick chickens. His laying hens were laying around six dozen eggs a day and in two days they had stopped laying completely. Some baby chicks about one month old were getting down in the legs, looking drowsy, gasping, and twisting their necks. Some of them would bend their necks down and twist them all the way around. Some of the hens were also making this gasping sound. These symptoms all looked like Newcastle Disease, so it was decided to send about three of the chickens to the Veterinary Research Laboratory at A&M College to verify the diagnosis. The examination at A&M revealed that the chickens had Newcastle Disease. Dr. L. C. Grumbles, Poultry Pathologist, of A&M College is the man who did the laboratory work.

At the present time there is no known treatment for Newcastle disease. Following an outbreak of Newcastle disease it is advisable to market for slaughter all survivors. In case it is necessary to keep laying hens that have survived an outbreak, no hatching eggs should be sold. Circumstantial evidence has at times pointed to hatcheries as disseminating agencies and there is some evidence to indicate that transmission through eggs does occur.

It is known that the virus that causes the disease may survive on an infected premises for two to three weeks following an outbreak of the disease and it is recommended that poultry houses be vacated for at least 30 days before being restocked with susceptible birds.

Death losses in this disease vary according to the management and other diseases that might be present at the same time. Instances in which losses in young birds were as high as 90 per cent have been reported. Ordinarily the mortality is about five per cent.

When the laying hens are hit with the disease, it usually takes from three to five weeks for them to get back to normal egg production and then all young hens might not still be laying.

Experimental work carried out in the laboratory and in the field with various vaccines indicate that considerable promise lies in this method of control. Various kinds of vaccines are on the market now. Vaccines should not be used on a premise unless Newcastle disease is known to be present, or in the immediate vicinity so that exposure to the disease is almost certain to occur.

One must remember that there is not any medicinal treatment for this disease. Recovered birds may become carriers of the disease. Poultry owners should insist that feed dealers deliver feed in new unused bags and that poultry and egg buyers furnish clean disinfected crates and cases.

The County Agent would like to hear from anyone who might sus-

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Miss Dorothy Culvahouse, of Kermit, is doing the preaching. Services begin each evening at eight o'clock. All young people are especially invited, the Review was told.

Miss Culvahouse is being assisted by Mrs. Wes Smith, the pastor. Special singing each night is under direction of Mrs. C. M. McCowen and Mrs. T. O. Powell.

Saturday night the congregation will observe the Lord's Supper and feet washing.

"Come out and be with us", invites Miss Culvahouse.

Shower Compliments Mrs. Junior Baugh

Mrs. Junior Baugh was honored with a shower Wednesday afternoon of last week when Mrs. Elmer Baugh, Mrs. Nolan Bryan, Mrs. Doyle Lovell and D. T. Wrinkle entertained at the home of the latter.

Refreshments of cake, olives, sandwiches, and spiced tea were served to the following guests: Mrs. H. B. Baxter, Mrs. John Campbell and children of Abilene, Mrs. M. R. Paron and children of Abilene, Mrs. Richard Thompson, Mrs. Ira Calhoun, Mrs. Dale Gary, Mrs. Buck Kelly, Mrs. C. O. Gillit, Mrs. Doyle Cowan, Mrs. Homer Turner, Mrs. Curtis Wyatt, Mrs. N. H. Kinnard, and Mrs. R. W. Purvis.

Those sending gifts were: Mrs. C. A. Baugh, Mrs. Jake Woodard, Miss Ann Tabor, Mrs. Lon Tabor, Mrs. N. E. Grisham, Mrs. Leroy Grisham, Mrs. Chester Glover, Mrs. Roy King, Mrs. V. V. Monsey, Mrs. R. M. Illingworth, Mrs. Lee Grady, Mrs. Lipton Wrinkle, Mrs. M. C. Mason, Mrs. Charley Taylor, Mrs. Charlie Dillard, Mrs. Ira Hall, Mrs. C. C. Whitehorn, Mrs. C. W. Proctor, Miss Kate Ryan, Mrs. Alice Younglove, Mrs. Howard McCowen, Mrs. Edgar Jones, and Mrs. J. Peyton Smith.

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Rowden News

By Patsy Crow

Rev. and Mrs. Clifton Hancock had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Rose and Bruce. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery.

Everyone enjoyed the pie supper at the Denton Gym Friday night.

The Denton boys and girls volleyball teams played in the Clyde tourney Thursday night. The boys were defeated by Clyde and the girls were defeated by Eula.

Mrs. Swafford visited Mr. and Sterling Odom and Alton Hornsby visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and children Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Parrish and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence and Glen Ray Saturday night.

Mrs. B. Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains and Sue visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and Patsy Monday.

Oran Bains has been on the sick list the past week.

Oscar Jones, who was recently discharged from the navy, has returned to his home here.

Donald Stephens and Dean Gibbs visited Velda and Thelda Crow Sunday afternoon.

Donnie Mauldin and Donnie Ray English visited Mike Odom Sunday.

Roland Dee Mauldin visited R. L. and Nelda Smedley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smedley and Ludie Smedley, of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Judy and Grandpa Smedley and Dale Gibbs and Patsy Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley and Pearl Sunday.

Ray Boen, Mrs. Annie Miller, Mrs. Barney Gibbs and Mrs. Lillie Swafford visited Mrs. Panny Price who has been ill in the Baird hospital.

Marjorie Jean Mauldin visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones Saturday.

Belinda Kline spent the week end in Baird with some of her friends.

Josie Faye Davis of Denton spent the week end with Barbara and Betty Parrish.

There will be a study course at the Rowden Baptist Church this week. Everyone is invited to attend.

KNEE CAP BROKEN IN CAR WRECK SATURDAY

Delmar McCormick, brother of Mrs. James M. Campbell, of Cross Plains, sustained a fractured knee cap, arm and body injuries in an automobile wreck on the Brown-wood-Bangs highway Saturday afternoon. Cause of the mishap was not immediately learned.

MRS. A. J. MATHIS TAKEN TO RISING STAR HOSPITAL

Mrs. A. J. Mathis was taken to the Rising Star hospital Monday morning. Although ill, she was not believed to be in danger. Friends are hopeful that she will be able to return to her home here within a week or so.

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By Hazel I. Respass

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelly and daughter, Dixie, of Weatherford visited his mother, Mrs. W. B.

Gilliland, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Taylor and family of Brady visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore, Saturday.

Jimmie Glen Coffey was home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey visited in Putnam Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clifton, of

Big Spring, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Clifton, recently.

The quilting parties are quite popular around. One given by Miss Mary Thomas last Thursday was well attended, all reporting a nice dinner and an enjoyable time and some quilting done.

Mrs. Wallace Bennett and son attended services at the Methodist church Sunday with her grand-

parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton.

J. W. DUNLAP RETURNED HOME FROM HOSPITAL

J. W. Dunlap was returned to his home here last Saturday after spending a few days in the Rising Star hospital.

Friends will be glad to know that he is improving very nicely.

EARLY DAY COTTONWOOD LADY SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. F. T. Scott, 91, early settler in the Cottonwood community, is dangerously ill in the Shannon Memorial Hospital, San Angelo. She suffered an apoplectic stroke Tuesday morning last week and has shown little, any, improvement.

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Pickles, qt.	27c - 25c	
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Orange Juice	21c - 18c	
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Utility Honey	19c - 15c	
LIBBY'S, No. 2 1/2 Can		
Fruit Cocktail	39c - 37c	
CUT RITE		
Wax Paper	27c - 25c	
HEAD START		
Dog Food	10c, 3 for 25c	
MAYFIELD, No. 2 Can		
Corn	15c, 2 for 25c	
STANDARD, No. 2 Can		
Tomatoes	15c, 2 for 25c	
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