

"AS I SEE IT"

By Jack McCarty

Our congratulations are extended to Band Director W. W. (Bill) King and the members of the Cross Plains Buffalo Band for their outstanding performance in the State Band Day parade at Austin Saturday of last week.

A number of band parents and supporters accompanied the band to Austin and all agree that the parade was one of the prettiest and most colorful they had ever witnessed.

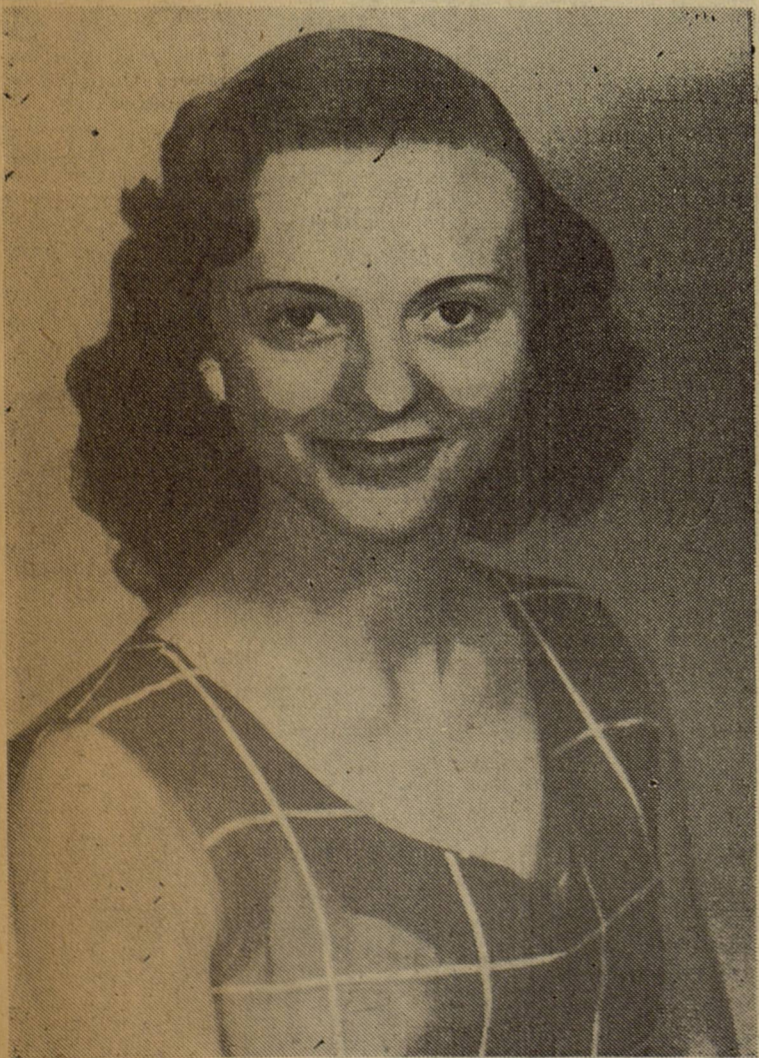
It was a great day for the band members when their director was called onto the field at the half-time where he was announced as representative of the Cross Plains Buffalo Band to receive the second place trophy as winner in the parade.

While we are passing out roses, we want to congratulate Miss Rosemary Spencer upon being chosen as the most beautiful girl in high school in a contest held here last week.

The Cross Plains Buffaloes wind up their football season here next Friday night against a strong team from Eastland, so let's all turn out and cheer for the Buffs.

Tom Adams To Be At Baptist Church Sunday

Tom Adams, a student at Hardin Simmons University, Abilene, will be at the Baptist Church here for both the morning and evening services, Sunday, November 22.



Miss Rosemary Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer of Cross Plains, was first place winner in the annual beauty contest held in the school gymnasium Tuesday night of last week by the Bison staff.

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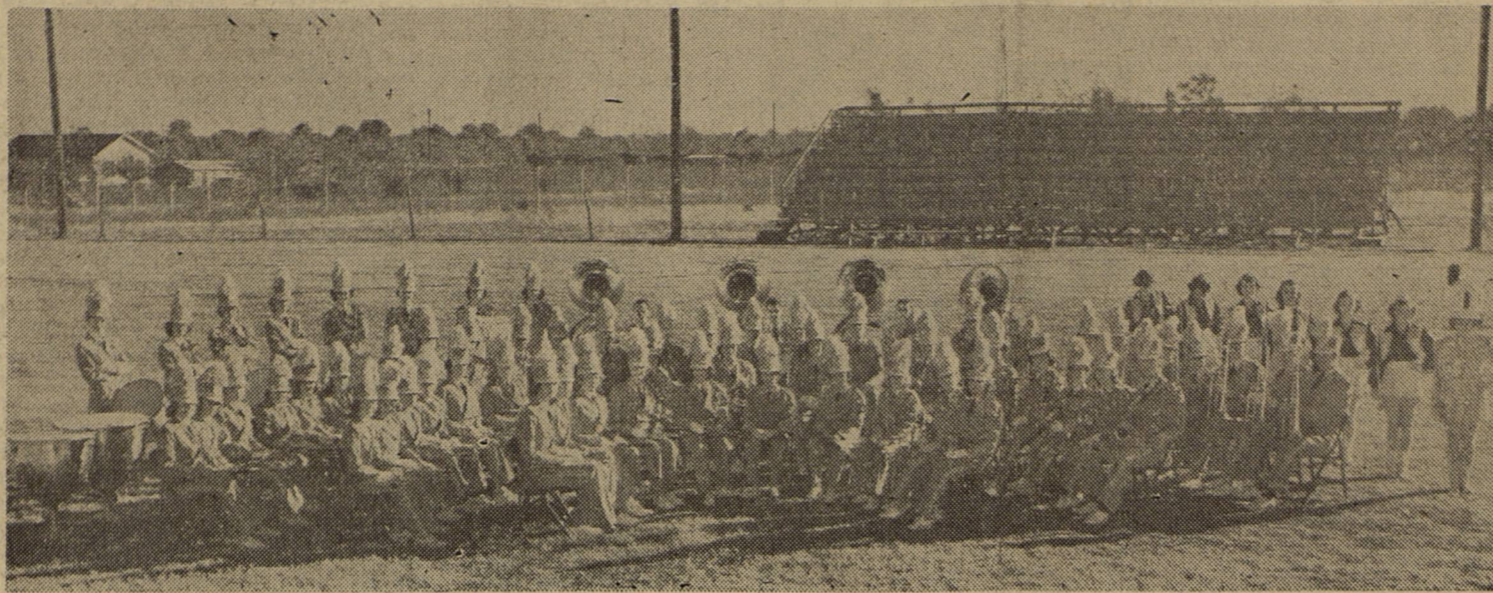
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AUSTIN WINNERS... The Cross Plains Buffalo Band, second place winner in the annual State Band Day Parade in Austin sponsored by the University of Texas.

Joseph Key Laid To Rest Thursday, Nov. 12

Joseph Key, 83, was laid to final rest Thursday afternoon at Burkett, following services at the Burkett Baptist Church at 2:30 with the Rev. Fred Smith officiating.

Mr. Key was born November 14, 1869, in Middleton Lake County, California, and had been a resident of the Burkett community for 72 years.

Survivors are one brother, Wm. Key of Burkett, and one sister, Mrs. Lizzie Watson of Albany, and a number of nephews and nieces.

Cemetery Donations

V. C. Walker, chairman of the maintenance fund of the local cemetery has furnished the Review with the following list of donations received before November 1.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes Frank McGary 5.00, C. L. Brigner 10.00, Mrs. Jeffrey B. Miller 5.00, etc.

Cross Plains Buffalo Band Wins Second Place In Its Class At Band Meet In Austin

Band To Perform In Regional Contest At Stephenville Saturday

Stephenville—The Cross Plains High School Band will compete here at Tarleton State College Nov. 21 with 17 other bands in a Region II Texas Interscholastic League Band Marching Festival.

High schools to have bands competing include Rotan, Abilene, Ranger, Throckmorton, Mason, Hamlin, Eastland, DeLeon, Coleman, Cislone, Crowell, Anson, Stephenville, Santa Anna, Cross Plains, Dublin, Moran, and Rising Star.

Competition will start at 7 p.m. on Tarleton's Memorial Field.

Bands will be divided into 4A, 3A, 2A, A, and B classes, and each band will present a short marching routine similar to that given during halftime activities at football games.

Judges will grade on general appearance, neatness of uniform, condition of instruments and response to oral commands.

Each band from the moment it steps on the field will be judged on alignment, drum cadence, and the nine required maneuvers.

Bandmasters to serve as judges are A. H. Long, Ponca City, Okla.; Bob Renfro, Texas City; Everett Maxwell, Andrews; and Lyle Skinner, Waco.

Grandson of Local Woman Wins Trip To Chicago

The Review has been furnished the following story from the Boise, Idaho, Evening Statesman. Charles, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Starr of Caldwell, Idaho; and grandson of Mrs. Rosa Purvis of this city who was formerly a resident of Coleman. He is in the upper one-third grade bracket of his class of several hundred and will graduate at mid-term 1954.

The story follows: Moscow, Idaho, (Special) . . . His essay on "Marketing and Livestock Products" won for Charles L. Starr, Marsing, junior in agricultural education at the University of Idaho, an expense paid trip to Chicago next month.

Sate winners assemble at Chicago, December 6-9, as guests of the packing company for a special course on livestock markets and marketing practices.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vestal and baby of Jacobsboro were week end visitors here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Vestal, and other relatives.

The Cross Plains Buffalo Band, under the direction of W. W. (Bill) King, won second place in its class at the annual statewide band meet staged by the Texas University at Austin, Saturday of last week, and was presented a gold loving cup as a trophy.

Marching in a parade of 154 bands up Congress Avenue to the State Capitol building, the Buffalo Band was judged second place winner out of a total of 86 bands competing in its class.

Winners Presented: Winners in the two band divisions were presented their trophies during the half-time period of the football game between Texas U. and TCU in Memorial Stadium Saturday afternoon.

The parade was one of the most colorful and the largest ever staged in the host city. Starting at 10:00 a.m. the parade lasted 2 1/2 hours and the 10-block route was jammed with spectators from all over the state.



WARD SCHOOL FOOTBALL SWEETHEART: Pictured above, Mamie Foster who was recently elected by popular vote of the Ward School Mighty Mites football team as sweetheart for 1953-54.

Cross Plains Churches To Have Joint Service On Thanksgiving

The Churches of Cross Plains will meet jointly Wednesday evening, November 25, at 7:30 for the annual Thanksgiving Service in the First Methodist Church.

Methodist Mens Club To Meet At Church Tonight: Club President George Neel announced this week that the Men's Club of the First Methodist Church will meet in their regular monthly session in the basement of the church tonight (Thursday).

Starting with supper at 7:00 p.m. the club will enjoy an excellent evening of good wholesome fellowship, he said, and all interested men of the community are invited to attend.

Basketball Girls Open Season In Game With Rising Star Last Week

The Cross Plains grade school girls, coached by Herrell Kelley, played two games at Rising Star, Tuesday night, November 10, and won the first game with a score of 20 to 10.

The high school B string also went to Rising Star Tuesday night and were defeated by a score of 38 to 32 with Lois Jean Phillips making all 32 points.

Watch for a date of a return game soon.

District 7-A Football Set-Up Reorganized; Conference Games Set

Coaches and superintendents from all schools in the new 7-A football district, except Rising Star, met here last Monday night for a reorganization meeting and elected Superintendent Coalson of Wylie as permanent chairman.

Supt. Paul L. Whitton opened the meeting and after the election of Coalson the school representatives carried out a business session in which they voted to again set the gate admission to games at 75 cents for adults and 35 cents for students.

Coaches present worked out the conference season schedule with Friday night, Sept. 3, being set as the date for the opening game of the season. Games will start at 8:00 p.m. until Friday night, Oct. 13, when game time will be set up to 7:30 for the remainder of the season.

Six Teams in Conference: District 7-A will be composed of six teams next season, as follows: Clyde, Cross Plains, Eastland, Dublin, Rising Star and Wylie.

Buffalo Conference Schedule: Coach James Alexander stated after the meeting that the Buffalo conference schedule will open here Friday night, Oct. 15, with Clyde. He said, too, that four non-conference games will be scheduled.

Here is the schedule as it now stands:

- Sept. 3—Open. Sept. 10—Open. Sept. 17—Open. Sept. 24—Open. Oct. 1—Open. Oct. 8—Open. Oct. 15—Clyde, here. Oct. 21—Wylie, there (Thursday). Oct. 29—Dublin, there. Nov. 5—Rising Star, here. Nov. 12—Eastland, there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop spent several days last week with his sister, Mrs. Don Harlow, and husband at Lake Buchanan.

L F Foster was a business visitor in Abilene Tuesday.

The Bayou Philosopher Wants Government Job of Investigating Weather Forecast

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou hasn't got much chance with his proposal this week, but that's no hindrance to him.

I have never been interested in a government job, it's not because I object to getting a government check, me and the airlines are both broad gauged enough not to object to a little government subsidy, but the future of a government job never did appeal to me.

I hadn't gotten through more than half the reports on investigations, you know, they're now investigating practically every phase of American life, from marriage to colleges to churches to kindergartens and maybe they need investigatin, that's beyond my field.

As I understand it, the weather bureau had predicted a big snow storm which they discovered out in the Gulf of Mexico was gonna stay in the ocean, but contrary to regulations it violated the predictions and headed for the East.

What I'm writin you about is this: I would like to have a job as a government weather investigator. I figure that's one government job I could handle, without leavin my farm. I've got as much weather out here as they've got in Washington, it needs investigatin just as much as theirs, it's just as unreliable and runs counter to the predictions just as often, and I believe I've got as much equipment as anybody for findin out where a snow storm is two weeks after it's melted.

In fact, I'm set up and ready to go. All I lack is gettin on the pay roll.

Buff's Edge Wylie By Score Of 13-12; Play Eastland Here Friday

Coach James Alexander's Cross Plains Buffaloes eked out a conference football win here last Friday night by the narrow margin of 13-12, over the Wylie Bulldogs.

The game was an evenly-matched affair throughout the evening with each team marking up 10 first downs and two tallies and only the educated toe of Tackle Bill Sipes kept the fracas from being a tie ball game.

Fullback Glen Fleming started the scoring early in the opening quarter when he plowed across to pay dirt from the one-yard line. His score and conversion by Sipes was set up by a Wylie fumble, recovered by the Buffs on the Wylie 30-yard stripe.

Wylie came back in the second frame to score when back Eugene Beyer ripped 10 yards to score for the Bulldogs. His extra point pass try failed and the Buffaloes led at half-time by a score of 7-6.

Coming back strong in the third quarter the Bulldogs scored again with Beyer crashing over from the one-yard line. His attempt to run the extra point failed and the Bulldogs took the lead by a score of 12-7.

The Buffaloes recaptured the lead about midway of the final period when Jerry Foster scampered 18 yards to score. Sipes try for point failed and the final score read 13-12 for the Buffaloes.

Wind Up Season Friday: Winding up the season here next Friday night, the Buffaloes will be hosts to the Eastland Mavericks in a conference game and it is hoped that a large crowd will turn out to "root" for the home team.

Eastland boasts a fine team and this game should prove to be an interesting one for spectators.

Band Presents Sweetheart: Miss Billie Ann Kilgore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kilgore of Cross Cut, Sweetheart of the Buffalo Band, was presented during halftime ceremonies last Friday night. She was escorted by Band President Billy Busbee who also presented her with a bouquet of red roses. Flower bearer was Miss Kay McCarty, who was escorted by Grady Scott.

Game Warden Asks Fox Hunting Delay

Game Warden Harold D. Penney said this week that he is asking hunters in this area to cease any fox-hunting activities until after the close of deer season. He said that a number of local sportsmen have been hunting fox at night by using lights.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson visited in Knapp with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and son and in Big Spring with their son and family, Capt. and Mrs. Gloster Thompson, Sunday afternoon.

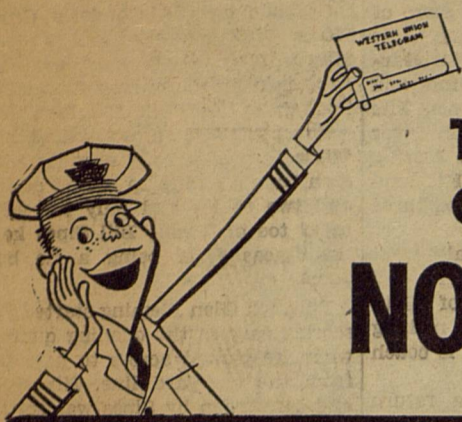


Yours faithfully, J. A.

Do You Remember?...

November 18, 1938
 Three Cross Plains produce buyers paid \$14,653.48 for turkeys shipped from here to adorn Thanksgiving tables throughout the nation.
 Mrs. Earl Montgomery was honored when Mrs. T. J. Bruce complimented her with a miscellaneous shower at her home Thursday afternoon of last week.
 Four carloads of sheep were shipped to Wood River, Nebraska, on Friday of this past week by Raymond DeBusk.
 Dick Warren, 38 year old farmer

living two miles south of Clyde, died in a Baird hospital Thursday night. Funeral services were held at the Cross Plains Methodist Church Friday afternoon and burial was made in the local cemetery.
 Funeral services for W. B. Shirley, 66, who died in Austin Thursday afternoon at the Baptist Church. Aware of the fact that Coleman has never beaten Cross Plains on the gridiron, the Bluecats are expected to wage a hectic effort for triumph Friday night when they



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Mrs. Danny Myrick Given Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. Danny Myrick was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower at the home of Mrs. T. T. Nichols Saturday, November 14, from 4 to 8 o'clock.
 Mrs. Johnny Adair greeted guests, Miss June Atwood sat at the register and Mrs. V. A. Montgomery and Miss Frances Spencer served refreshments of punch, cake and mints. Chrysanthemums were used as decorations through the house.
 The bride received a beautiful selection of gifts.
 unknown to the victim, a burglar entered the home of Dr. S. E. Shoult, in the northeast part of town and departed with \$11 of the doctors cash. The money was taken from a pocket book contained in the doctor's pants, the aforesaid pants hanging on a chair near the victims bed.
 Mrs. Walton Baum and little son are visiting in Woodson this week.
 Mrs. Gene Walker and Mrs. Mary Burton and children of Abilene spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burton.
 Mrs. Don Sparks of Fort Worth visited here over the week end in the homes of her mother, Mrs. Lou Falls, and her sister, Mrs. A. C. Halsell, and husband.

ATWELL NEWS

By Mrs. Alton Tatum

There seems to be an epidemic of coughs and nose sniffles, some say its the dust from rained-on peanuts that has caused it but not all the sufferers have been working with the peanuts.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewes and Howard Pillans joined Mr. and Mrs. Steve Foster and others Sunday and went on a deer hunting trip. We wish them good luck.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pillans and Glena of Cross Plains attended church Sunday and visited in the Ebb Rouse and Alton Tatum homes.
 Visitors in the E. F. Hutchins home Sunday were Rev. Bobby Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys, Mrs. Emory Foster and Rev. J. C. Nance and family of Cisco.
 Mr. and Mrs. Steve Foster and Lela Foster of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Howard Pillans and the Bill Pope family Wednesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd of Cross Cut visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Tatum Saturday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brashear and Melinda Weeks visited Mrs. Brashear and Linnie in Cisco Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Brashear is suffering a cold at this time.
 Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady visited grandmother Lovelady at Brownwood Sunday afternoon. The hospital was holding open house and they reported grandmother was having a good time and had a lot of pretty flowers.

Humble To Broadcast Three Grid Battles

Humble Oil & Refining Company will broadcast three football games Saturday for fans all over Texas. Broadcast time for all games will be 1:50 p.m.
 The Baylor-SMU game will be described from Baylor Stadium, Waco, by Kern Tips and Alec Chesler.
 A play-by-play account of the TCU-Rice game will be brought from Fort Worth by Ves Box and Eddie Barker.
 Action from the Texas Tech-University of Houston game will be described from Rice Stadium, Houston, by John Ferguson and Bob Walker.
 H. C. Freeman, Sr., returned to his home here Sunday after a visit with his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Freeman, at Azle. His son brought him home and visited with relatives here.

Alathean Sunday School Class Enjoys Social

Members of the Alathean Sunday School class of the Baptist Church were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Flippin Monday evening November 16.
 Mrs. J. M. Greenwood, class president, called for the secretary-treasurer report and plans were made for the Christmas social, which will be on December 21st at Dressy Hall. All members and their husbands are invited to be present. Mrs. Chapman will be hostess for the evening.
 Names of secret pals were revealed and gifts exchanged by each. Names were drawn for new pals.
 A social hour was enjoyed and the hostess passed a delicious refreshment plate of sandwiches, potato chips, cookies and spiced tea to Mrs. Jeff Clark, Emil Ringhofer, M. F. Dill, Lee Bishop, Eli Powell, J. M. Greenwood, Mina Conlee, J. W. Chapman, Edd Cornelius, W. A. Strickland, George Scott, Gene Renfro Harry Copping, Earl Pyle, L. L. Howser, A. D. Petty and two visitors, Mrs. Lydia of Baird and Mrs. Skinner from Pioneer. Terry Copping and the Flippin's granddaughter were also present.
 Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Collum of Fort Worth were week end visitors here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Huntington.
 Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Chapman and daughter, Kathryn, were in Buffalo, Oklahoma, during the week end to attend the 50th anniversary of the Buffalo Baptist Church. Rev. Chapman filled the pulpit at the church Sunday morning.

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Jimmy Settle of Henrietta spent Armistice day here with his father, Jim Settle and wife.

J. E. Marshall of Byers spent a few days here last week visiting his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barrington and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rumbley of Sweetwater visited in the Lee Bishop home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morris and daughter of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barr of Midland visited with Mrs. C. E. Barr and family over the week end.

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ROWDEN NEWS

By Velda Crow

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Miller and family of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose and Grandmother Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow visited her father, L. L. Cutbirth, who is ill in the Baird hospital, Sunday afternoon. He hopes to be home from the hospital the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stephens and Eddie visited Mrs. C. E. Stephens, Weldon and Donald over the week end.

Miss Marjorie Mauldin is staying with Pearl Smedley while her folks are in New Mexico to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gene Mauldin's father.

Local Women Attend Meeting In Cisco

Mrs. Raymond DeBusk, Mrs. Ralph McNeel, and Mrs. Lindsey Tyson were in Cisco Saturday afternoon to attend the regular meeting of the Beta Upsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, an organization for women teachers.

Mrs. Tyson had a part on the afternoon program and discussed "Customs in Japan." The year's program theme is "International Relations."

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell were in Colorado City Sunday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Gene Penn, and family.

Mrs. Edna Frances, Mrs. M. B. Shook and Miss Vesta Bond attended the show in Rising Star Thursday night.

New School Bus Arrives Tuesday

Supt. Paul Whitten went to Fort Worth Tuesday and drove a new GMC school bus back to Cross Plains, the second to be delivered to the school in the last two weeks.

The bus carries 48 passengers and is equipped with a large rack on top and also racks inside, and will be used by the Buffalo football squad and Buffalo Band in making their trips.

Galyn F. Rhymes Completes Pre-Flight Training at Lackland AFB

Galyn F. Rhymes, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rhymes, Cross Cut, Texas, having successfully completed the initial phase of his aviation cadet training program, has been graduated from the USAF Pre-Flight School, Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

The graduation was marked at a parade and assembly of the 3740th Pre-Flight Training Group. This organization conducts the introductory course for all students enrolled in both pilot or aircraft observer training. The program constitutes a major mission of Lackland, the Gate-way to the Air Force base, commanded by Brig. Gen Wycliffe E. Steele.

Having completed the twelve-week pre-flight course, he will enter the first flying training phases of the program at bases of the Flying Training Air Force. Many of the pre-flight graduates will receive delays enroute to their new assignments which will enable them to take a brief home leave.

The graduating class included a number of students enrolled as members of South American, European and Asiatic nations as well as United States cadets. They are engaged in the training either under provisions of the Mutual Defense Assistance Program or under agreements presently in force between their home countries and the United States.

SABANNO NEWS

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Rev. Anderson of Brownwood was a visitor in our community Sunday afternoon. He is an old pastor and friend to many of us.

The Joe Lilly twins, Wanette and Wanell, have been visiting in the home of their father and Mrs. Lilly. Others of his family have been visiting and helping gather his crop. Mr. Lilly has been sick for several months. We missed them at church services Sunday afternoon, hope they can be out next meeting afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thelbert Meadors and children of Coleman visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meadors, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson of Romney visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. W. S. McCann, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vickers of White Pine, California, have been visiting in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gleaner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lusk of Abilene and others whose names we didn't get, were Sunday visitors in the W. E. Lusk home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mitch McCann.

Several from our community attended the annual Hunters Association meeting near Rising Star Saturday and Sunday night. We had a good feast of barbecue with all the trimmings. The dog show and program were very interesting with the blue ribbon going to a Dallas hunter in the dog show.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Miller, Mrs. Conger and Gerald Holcomb were visitors in the Wes Holcomb home over the week end.

Mrs. Walter Laminack and a friend from Cisco were out driving around in our community Sunday afternoon. Mr. Laminack has had a peanut crop out here even though they live in Cisco. We miss them in our community and welcome them back any time.

Crops are gradually coming to a close the end of another year. Farmers in our community have made good crops and cattle are in good shape.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gage and little daughter of Moran visited in the home of her parents Friday.

Mrs. Jim Clark and children and Mrs. Junior Livingston and baby visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins visited in the W. S. McCann home Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. King visited Mrs. Edwin Erwin Thursday evening.

Little Peggy Erwin visited with her grandmother Larkin last Tuesday night.

VETERANS ? BOX

Q—I have a 20-year GI home loan and I've recently had to take on some additional financial obligations. Now I'm afraid I won't be able to meet my monthly payments. Is there anything that can be done, so I won't have to default on my loan?

A—Yes. It may be possible for the terms of repayment to be extended over a longer period of time, which would result in lower monthly payments. You should discuss the matter with your lender or your VA office.

Q—Through an oversight, I paid my GI insurance premium just before the 31-day grace period came to an end. But I'm afraid the premium won't reach VA until after the grace period expires. Will my insurance lapse?

A—The postmark date on the envelope is considered as the date on which the premium was paid. So long as the postmark date is within the grace period, you will be protected.

Q—I had to interrupt my World War II GI Bill training to go back into military service. I'm about to be separated from service, and I want to resume my studies. Is there any time limit on going back to school?

A—You will be required to re-sume your GI Bill training within a "reasonable period" after your discharge. This reasonable period is determined individually, and depends upon a number of factors, such as availability of training and the like.

Q—I'm a disabled Korean veteran, and I'm planning to take training under Public Law 16. How long would I be allowed to train? Would the length of training depend on the amount of military service I've had?

A—You would be permitted to train for as long as is necessary to restore your ability to earn a living in spite of your handicap; that is, to become rehabilitated. The maximum, generally, is four years. Training time does not depend on your length of military service.

Parents of Baby Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hinton are the parents of a baby daughter born Friday, November 13, in McAllen. The little lady has been named Darla Jean.

Mrs. L. D. Westerman, Sr. of Cross Plains is the maternal grandmother, and is in McAllen with her daughter and family.

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Sports Afield

By Ted Kesting

If you have never camped out, but think there might be a bit of pioneer blood in your veins, by all means patronize the public camp grounds where everything is made easy for you before attempting a real wilderness jaunt.

You can camp from Maine to California in our national parks, national forests and state parks, usually in spots of great natural beauty. In addition, dotted all along our main highways are other camp grounds run in connection with municipal parks, filling stations or motels, and only a nominal charge is made for overnight camping.

If you can't make such a trip this fall, start making plans now for next year. A good way to start is by sending 25 cents to the Superintendent of Documents, Washington 25, D. C., for the large may "Recreational Areas of the United States." It's well worth the price.

If you're wondering about equipment for this kind of camping, here are some suggestions from Col. Townsend Whelen, camping editor of

Sports Afield magazine:

The tent usually seen in public camps is the "A-Wall." It is quite satisfactory (although difficult to erect) but it is not the best type. The most comfortable tents and the easiest to erect are the umbrella and the pyramidal tents with walls. For two or three persons a tent should be at least 9x9 feet. If you are going to spend some time in camp, a fly trap to raise alongside the tent as an awning gives shade and a comfortable place to sit and work or cook. A canvas tent floor is very

desirable.

If you have to economize in packing space and weight, air mattresses laid on the cloth are entirely practical and very comfortable. But most auto campers prefer folding cots. However, cots must have a mattress too—either kapok or an air mattress. It is not very pleasant sitting on the ground in these camps, so most campers bring folding canvas chairs and folding tables.

It's a good idea to carry a two- or three-burner gasoline cook stove. You may be near electricity, but

just in case, include a wash basin, two buckets, one for fresh water and the other for a slop-jar, and if permissible to throw away, use of garbage on the ground, and a broom—many others that you've camped before you.

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Austin—John C. White, Texas commissioner of agriculture, is the newest prospective candidate for governor.

White declined to permit his name to go on the Republican ticket for commissioner of agriculture last year under the cross-filing arrangement. Other candidates for state offices were on both tickets.

A strong critic of Secretary Benson, White has particularly opposed Benson's stand against livestock price supports.

Victor over the late J. E. McDonald for the state agricultural office three years ago, White won easy re-election last year.

Coming to the fore among prospective gubernatorial candidates is Reuben Senterfitt of San Saba, speaker of the Texas House of Representatives.

Senterfitt announced that he was considering the chief executive's of-

office. Thereupon, he received a considerable number of encouraging letters. And the people in his home county started organizing Senterfitt-for-Governor clubs.

Ralph Yarbrough of Austin appears to be a candidate. Others who might get into the race were still waiting to see what Governor Shivers would do.

On this waiting list are Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey of San Augustine, Attorney General John Ben Shepperd, Congressman Lloyd M. Bentsen, Jr., of McAllen, Land Commissioner Bascom Giles, Senator A. M. Aikin, Jr., of Paris, and Mayor Roy Hofheinz of Houston.

In the U. S. Senate race, incumbent Lyndon B. Johnson is running as hard as he can, although he has so far no announced opposition.

Johnson received the endorsement of former vice-president John Nance Garner of Uvalde.

Texas Republicans have announced that they will put up a strong candidate against Johnson.

Former congressman Ben Gull of Pampa, now an assistant to the U. S. Postmaster General, seemed a likely GOP choice.

Anti-Johnson Democrats also are moving behind the scenes to select a candidate.

Governor Shivers was not considered by most observers here as a probable starter in the senatorial race. Nor was former governor Coke Stevenson, who lost to Johnson by that historic 87-vote margin in the last

time out. Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, says it is hard for him to understand public apathy to deaths and injuries on the highways.

In all wars in which this nation has participated since 1777 more than a million men were killed.

Since the first traffic fatality in 1899, more than a million persons have died in traffic accidents, Garrison said in a speech here.

By putting into effect a relatively simple program of engineering, education, and enforcement, and with real public support of that program, the traffic death rate could be cut in half, Garrison declared.

Delegates to the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, convening at Mineral Wells, voted against giving their advocacy to price support on cattle.

The convention asked instead that the Secretary of Agriculture expand his government beef-purchasing program.

Fitting into the pattern of economic recovery for livestock producers is the U. S. Department of Agriculture school lunch program, which includes beef and gravy.

An Austin chili firm for example, shipped out seven carloads of this product to points in Texas and Louisiana in a single day.

More than 6,000 cattle have been removed from overgrazed and undergrazed lands of drought areas through fulfillment of government contracts by the Austin company.

Maybe Texas will know, come spring, whether or not the natural gas gathering tax passed by the last legislature is valid.

About \$14 million per year is being collected under this tax law, and the money is being held in suspense until such time as the court test is completed.

Tentatively, the U. S. Supreme Court has decided to hear the case early in January. That means the final ruling will be due early in the spring.

Texas school children may read the United Nations declaration of human rights in their textbooks, but no editorial comment on the document.

Eugene R. Smith of El Paso, member of the State Board of Education, complained that one textbook's comment on the declaration had a "pink slant."

W. W. Jackson of San Antonio, another board member, commented, "We're dealing here with something deeply fundamental. I certainly hope that the time never comes when we descend to the level of thought control."

Vote to include the declaration in textbooks, and omit comment on it was 12-3.

Mrs. L. P. Reed returned to her home here Sunday after spending several weeks in Madina with her son, Austin Reed, Sr., and family. Mr. Reed has been seriously ill but is much improved and is able to be up part of the time. Austin Reed, Jr., and Miss Barbara Gail Whitehead brought Mrs. Reed home.

Washington

"As It Looks From Here"

OMAR BURLESON
Congressman
17th District



Washington—This being an "off year" politically, a discussion of campaign promises seems appropriate.

First, let me say that I have never made campaign promises. It has been the custom and usual practice since time immemorial for a candidate for public office to represent himself an honest man, and one who would serve the people whose votes he solicited, "honestly and efficiently." Well, certainly he would not say he would be dishonest in public office, nor that he would be inefficient.

My father used to say that no man need claim credit or uniqueness for being honest. Every man is supposed to be honest, and should be considered so until he himself proves otherwise. Why should any man boast that he is honest?

Now all of us have heard these remarks by candidates running for office. It is something to say, and they mean it sincerely, but why should it be necessary to make such a claim? It may be as well for the candidate to say that he is opposed to crime and sin.

Well, these are the obvious campaign promises. But what about the candidate or the political party which promises to do a lot of things which appear to be the popular thing at the time? We have all heard candidates say, "When I am elected, I will do so and so." In some instances, on specific issues and in certain offices, this may be perfectly proper, but in the broad sense, and particularly in a legislative office, he is likely talking through his hat. He either doesn't know what the limitations are to carry out his specific promise, which means ig-

norance of the situation, or else he does not care whether or not he can fulfill those promises.

The same is true with the political parties and of the platforms they announce. Broad policies and philosophies should, of course, be set forth as definitely as possible, but statements of positive intent are one thing, and the execution of those intents and purposes is another.

For instance, the candidate for Congress tells folks about the things he is going to do when he reaches Washington. He is likely to appeal to the popular sentiment, whatever it may be at the time. Well, there are 435 members of the House of Representatives and 96 Senators, a total of 631 members of Congress. They represent the 48 states of the Union - the big cities, the shipping centers, the coal fields, the great industrial



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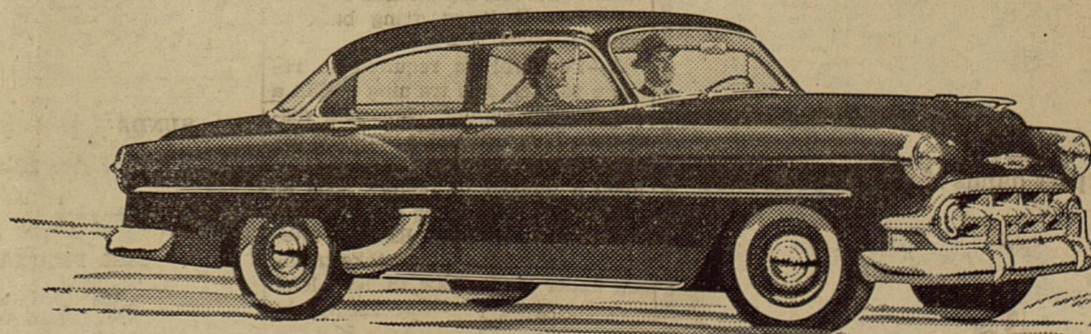
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Soil Conservation District News

C. E. Hicks, a cooperater with the Middle Clear Fork Soil Conservation District, has planted about thirty acres of cover crops on his farm near Clyde.

E. J. Thomas has planted twelve acres of cover crops, J. A. Jennings, twelve acres; W. E. Box, twenty acres; W. B. Splawn, twelve acres; and eighteen acres of cover crops have been planted on the Harris Estate. Seventy-one acres have been seeded to cover crops on the W. B. Varner Estate. All of the above mentioned are cooperators with the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District.

The Lower Clear Fork Soil Conservation District cooperators planting cover crops this fall include, R. L. Clinton, ten acres; E. R. Komesak, sixty-five acres; and W. H. Levern, eighteen acres.

Numerous other farmers have indicated their intentions to plant cover crops immediately after harvesting peanuts and feed.

The Central Colorado Soil Conservation District has placed W. E. Box of the Belle Plains community in charge of some of the district equipment.

E. H. Barron, vocational agriculture teacher at Clyde, also has

charge of some of the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District equipment.

C. M. Garrett of Cross Plains has some district equipment which can be rented for a small charge by those interested in using this equipment on their respective farms.

N. M. George of Baird has charge of the Lower Clear Fork Soil Conservation District equipment.

J. C. Dibrell, Jr., has served as supervisor from his zone of our local district since 1944 and as chairman of the Board during most of those years. Dibrell, a modest and unassuming sort of fellow, has quietly guided the district into the thinking of farmers, ranchers and townspeople to an extent that has resulted in it ranking among the top in the state, based on conservation measures applied on the land. Twice in recent years, under his guidance, the district has won cash awards in a state-wide contest and missed by only six points one year of being judged the most outstanding district in the state. The annual average attendance at board meetings of over 80 percent during each of the past several years for the five-man board further attests to his outstanding

COTTON QUIZ

HOW DOES COTTON HELP HOLD MILADY IN PLACE?

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LAST YEAR MORE THAN 65,000 BALES OF COTTON WERE USED IN MAKING GIRDLES, BRAS, AND OTHER FEMININE 'UNMENTIONABLES'

leadership.

Dibrell became a district cooperater in 1942. He has long since completed the planned conservation program for his ranch, all of which has been maintained and those practices repeated which recur year after year. Terracing, diversions, contour farming, ponds, range improvement, revegetation cover crops and stubble mulching are among the conservation practices he has planned and applied on his land.

He operates a 1100 acre ranch eleven miles northeast of Coleman in the vicinity where his father and grandfather ranched before him. The main enterprise of the ranch for a period of almost sixty years has been registered Hereford cattle, but a flock of Rambouillet sheep are maintained and general crops are produced.

His long association with the land has enabled him to observe its gradual decline in productivity. When the soil conservation district movement arrived, it found almost a readymade believer. He has been a loyal supporter and firm believer in the district idea since he first became acquainted with it.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tunnell and children were in Lubbock over the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bledsoe.

Mrs. Verna Mae Ramsey spent the week end in Abilene with her daughter, Barbara, and attended the Hardin Simmons-New Mexico A&M football game Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Storts of Lake Charles, Louisiana, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington of Pampa are visiting Mrs. A. C. Fore and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore this week.

Annual Texas Ranch And Farm Show To Be Staged In Fort Worth This Month, 19-22

Fort Worth—The most complete exhibition of farm and ranch equipment ever staged in the Southwest will be held in Fort Worth, Nov. 19-22.

Southwest farmers and ranchers and their families will find every conceivable type of equipment or appliance used on the farm or ranch on display when the second annual Texas Ranch and Farm show opens its doors at 10 a.m. on Thursday, Nov. 19.

The show is being staged in the exhibit buildings at the rear of Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum on Fort Worth's west side.

More than 100,000 visited last year's show and this year's event is expected to attract even more interested Southwesterners.

In addition to the many commercial exhibits, show visitors will also find varied displays of an educational nature.

A big grass exhibit is being arranged under the joint sponsorship of the Fort Worth Farm and Ranch Club and the Texas Research Foundation for the express purpose of assisting ranches in the re-seeding program.

The exhibit which shows all of Texas' fish and wildlife will be set up by the Texas Game and Fish Commission.

The show is being sponsored by Texas Ranch and Farm, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram's farm magazine.

Majority of Traffic Deaths Among Pedestrians Found To Be In Old Age Group

"With pedestrians, death seems to play favorites."

Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, president of the Texas safety association, and services advisor for the Gulf Oil Corporation made this observation today as he pointed out that safe walking odds apparently decrease with age.

"More than one-third of all pedestrians killed in 1952 were aged 65 or older," Col. Tilley said.

"Of a total of 8,600 pedestrian fatalities in traffic accidents last year, 3,000 were in this age group," he explained.

He said, "that several factors may be involved in the high traffic fatality rate among older pedestrians."

"Often older people have dimmed eyesight and hearing," he said. "Sometimes they can't see or hear

TB Ass'n. Urges Hunters To Donate Deer Hides

Austin—That shot you fired at a buck deer Monday may save a man's life.

Sure, it sounds strange. But it goes this way:

There are more than two thousand patients in the four state tuberculosis hospitals. Life for many of those patients becomes dull, flat, stale — unsufferably monotonous. Some of them pull out, against the advice of doctors. They go back home, carrying their infection, cutting down their chances to get well.

But if they had a little more to do — mainly something to do with their hands — they might stay. They might get well, go back home useful and healthy citizens.

And here's how that crack of your high-power rifle pointed at that buck deer can figure in the picture.

The hide off that deer can be the means of furnishing many of those sick people a new interest. If you'll just bundle up the hide and ship it, at no expense to yourself, to the Austin Taxidermist Studio, Austin, it will be tanned and turned over to the occupational therapists at the state hospitals. Ship the hide express collect.

There isn't any doubt about the result. It was proved last year.

Word was sent out by Helen Colburn, director of public information for the Texas Tuberculosis Association. Twenty-four deer hides came in.

And the result when the tanned hides were taken to the hospitals was amazing—and touching. Those lonely, homesick people began making things. Almost anybody can make things out of a chunk of buckskin—maybe only a tobacco pouch or a gill mitt, maybe something as elaborate as a jacket.

The point is that those people had a chance to work, with their hands as well as their minds, on something that interested them. Some made moccasins and gloves for themselves. Most made little presents for relatives and friends. A few sold what they made for pin money. And there isn't any great stack of that kind of money lying around the state tuberculosis hospitals.

The twenty-four deer hides showed what can be done—even though the real goal may be far away because Texas just doesn't spend much money on occupational therapists.

But this year, with the word going out well in advance, there ought to be a flood of deer hides—plenty to keep these people busy until the next season rolls around. At lot of sick people who might otherwise leave will stay in the hospitals and get well.

It costs you nothing, this life or two you might save.

So when you aim at that buck, don't miss.

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visited friends in Abilene Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Anderson were in San Marcos over the week end visiting with their son, Bill Anderson.

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Sister of Local Woman Buried At Ranger, Nov. 8

Funeral services for Mrs. G. O. Kimbrough, 62 year old resident of Ranger since 1918 and an Eastland Countian for more than half a century, were held Sunday afternoon, November 8, at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in Ranger. Rev. Ralph Perkins officiated and interment was made in the Evergreen Cemetery.

Mrs. Kimbrough, born on March 11, 1891, in Lockhart, died early Saturday morning following a long illness. She was married to G. O. Kimbrough at Cisco on December 24, 1914, and was a member of the First Baptist Church and the Auxiliary of the Carl Barnes Post of the American Legion.

Survivors include her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Steward M. Doss of Dallas, and Mrs. O. C. Ward of Ranger; two sons, John O. Kimbrough of Fort Worth and Joe Kimbrough of Abilene; two sisters, Mrs. E. G. Kimbrough of Cross Plains, and Mrs. G. J. Postert of Hobbs, New Mexico; three brothers, Richard V. Rice, Buckeye, Ariz., Walter Rice, Jennings, La., and Cecil Rice, Alice, and five grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Kimbrough of this city and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dacus and sons, Jimmy and Tommy of Baytown were in Ranger to attend services for Mrs. Kimbrough.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Ben Williams of the Cook community became ill Thursday of last week while attending the Workers Council meeting at the Baptist Church here and was rushed to the Rising Star hospital in a Higginbotham ambulance. Mrs. Williams' condition was not serious and after a few days treatment she was taken to her home.

Ben Wheeler of Abilene suffered a heart attack Saturday afternoon at the Red and White grocery store in the south part of town and was carried to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene by V. C. Walker in a Higginbotham ambulance. Mr. Wheeler, a representative for Southwestern Life Insurance Co., was reported to be in a serious condition, but Tuesday had been moved from the hospital to his home and was doing nicely.

Marvin Clark, who underwent surgery in a Temple hospital several days ago, is expected to be moved to his home a few miles west of town sometime this week. His condition is reported to be somewhat improved.

Mrs. Eugene Grider has been released from Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene after having undergone bone surgery. Mrs. Grider was injured in a car accident on highway 36 a few miles east of Cross Plains several days ago and suffered a broken arm in the accident. She is reported to be getting along nicely.

O. W. Newton Challenges Jay Gould in Yam Raising

O. W. Newton of this city was in the Review office one day last week displaying his sweet potato crop, recently harvested.

Newton stated that he felt he was in the running with Jay Gould as far as yam raising is concerned since he harvested 10 yams from one plant with one potato measuring 18 inches in length and weighing 7 1/2 pounds.

While the total weight of his crop did not equal Jay's, he stated that he only planted a runner from another plant in the beginning while Gould planted the whole potato.

Not desiring to take part in this argument, we are only reporting the facts and leave the settling to others.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garrett and son of Coleman spent a few days here during the past week with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Garrett and son. Monday Joe and T. J. visited in Fort Worth.

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H. C. Freeman Displays Large Hen Egg Here

H. C. Freeman, pioneer resident of this area, was in the Review office early Wednesday morning of this week displaying a large hen egg he picked up from a nest at his home earlier.

He stated that it was laid by a Hampshire Red hen and weighed six ounces and measured 7 3/4 inches one way and 3 3/4 inches the other.

He reported later in the day that when broken the outer shell contained a complete yolk and white plus another hard-shelled egg which also contained a yolk and white.

Seems that local gardens and poultry are strutting this year in an effort to out-produce those of other years.

Miss Anna Belle Harrell was a visitor in Brownwood Tuesday.

Specialist Gives Tips On Preservation of Venison

The annual army of Texas hunters will take to the brush and mountainside to seek the antlered buck both for the thrill of good marksmanship and the satisfaction of ultimately being served a juicy venison steak, next Monday, November 16.

A practical side to the sport after the proud buck has fallen, says R. E. Callender, extension wildlife specialist, is the preservation of the meat. Don't waste an ounce of it, he says, because venison is a palatable substitute for domestic animals. Deer meat may be processed similar to beef or lamb.

Immediately after the animal is shot in the field, bleed and quickly remove the viscera, Callender says. The carcass should be wiped dry inside with clean rags and if the animal is badly shot up it may be necessary to wash the inside with water. In any case, dry the carcass promptly.

The prize possession should remain dry and be cooled immediately. If cold storage is unavailable, prop open the carcass and hang it from a tree to chill at night and during the day wrap it in a tarp or blanket and move to a shady spot.

Transport the fallen buck inside the car or in the trunk. This, Callender adds, is better than on the fender next to the warm engine. The buck should be wrapped for protection, especially from flies.

Deer meat is successfully cured,

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CLASSIFIED QUIZZERS

About Birthdays

How many birthday months of famous men can you identify? Read the questions below and check your answers with those on the Classified Page.

1. In what month fall the birthdays of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Alexander Hamilton and Daniel Webster?
2. In this month were born the Dionne Quints and Ralph Waldo Emerson. What month is it?
3. Nathaniel Hawthorne and John Quincy Adams were born in this month, in which also falls the "birthday" of American Independence. Which month is it?
4. Two great presidents, Washington and Lincoln, were born in what month?
5. In what month fall the birthdays of Jefferson Davis, Nathan Hale, Harriet Beecher Stowe, and John Howard Payne?

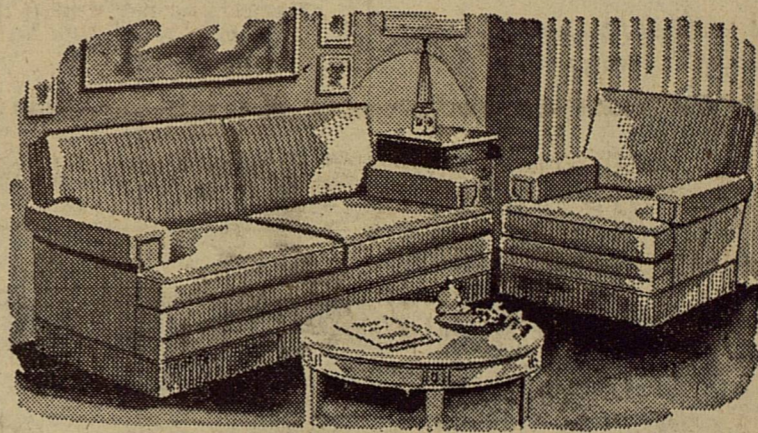
Mrs. T. Y. Woody left for Houston Sunday morning to be at the bedside of her grandson, Pete Barber, Jr., who is critically ill in a Houston hospital. A telegram received here Monday by members of the family stated that his condition was unchanged.

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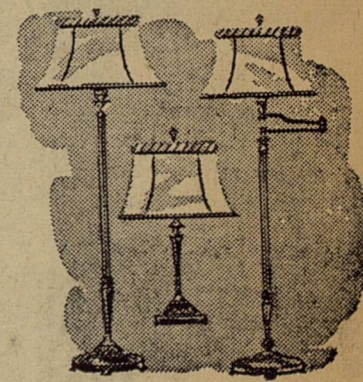
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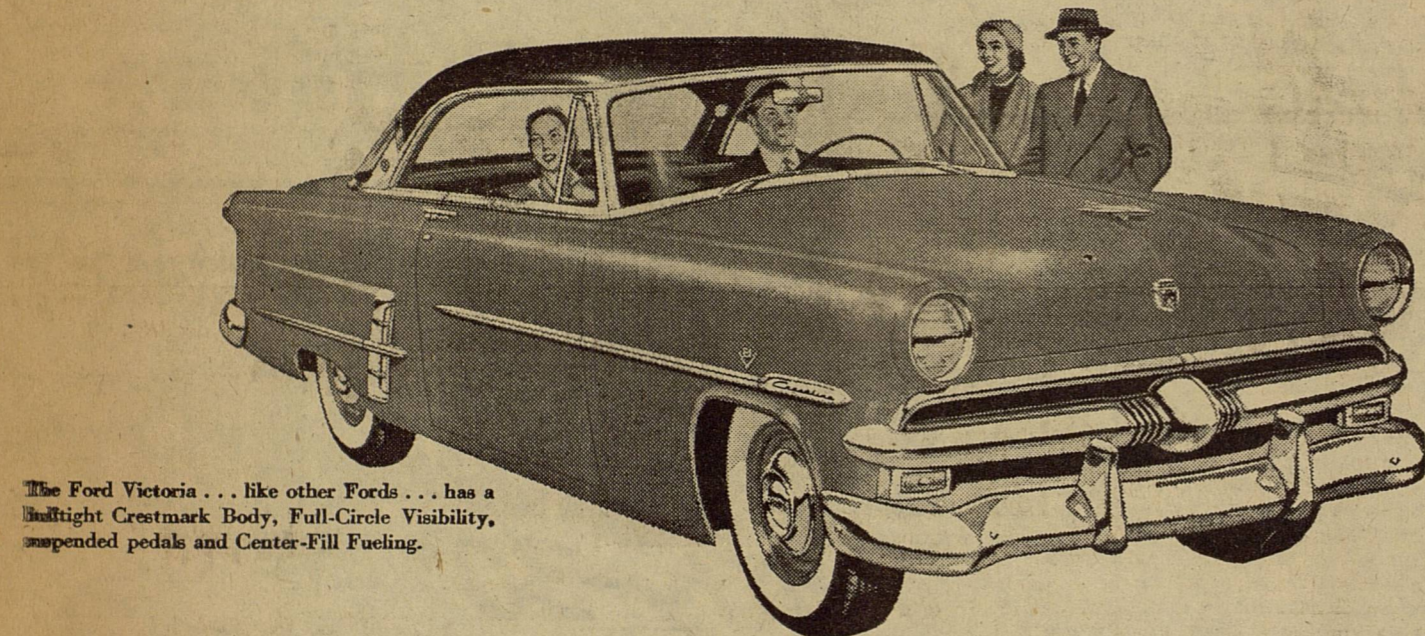
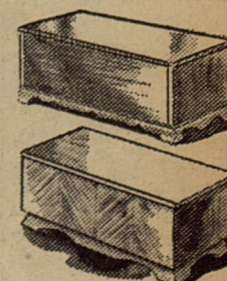
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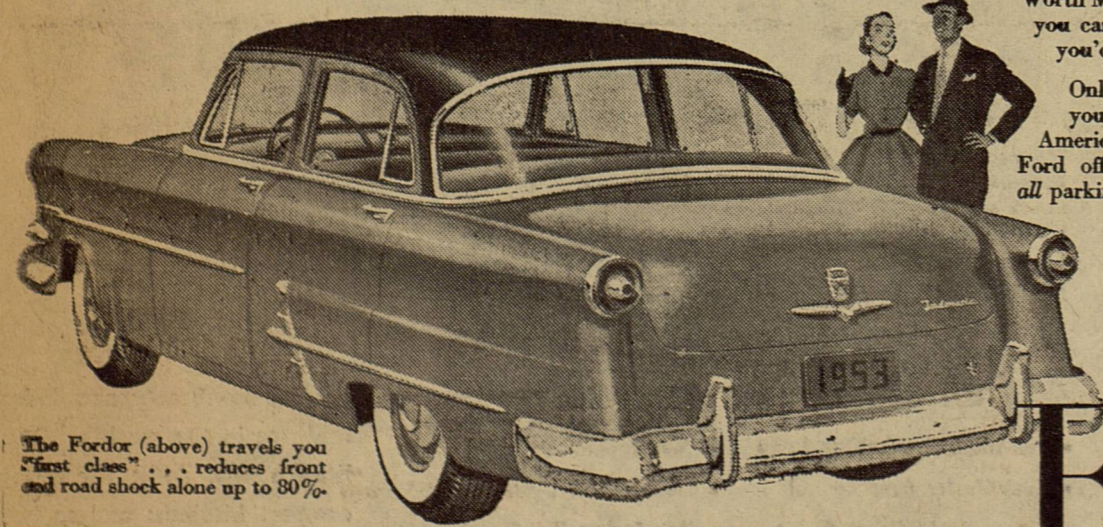
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