### Rains Here Gauge 1.71

ing here during the early evening hours Thursday of last week were measured at 1.71 Saturday morning by S. F. Bond (Fos) Bond, local observer for the U.S. Weather Bureau.

General over most sections of the State, the rains are said to have come to this section just in the nick of time to save fall-seeded small grain and cover crops.

Farmers and ranchers in this area report that the rain put out enough water to run the creeks and fill tanks with needed stock water.

The moisture will be of untold benefit to growing crops and pasture grasses and will provide farmers with a season for Spring plant-

of these parts may expect additional the delegation arrived in the host and Marion B. McClure, director of moisture during the month and also predicts a killing frost on April 3, as a result of the thunder heard here last Thursday morning. Take ern motels and at the leading hotel. bandsmen from Sonora, nine from this last paragraph for what it is worth to your morale.

#### AREA OIL NEWS

Survey 155, was completed in the Kerrville received the award. regular field 2½ miles east of Cross

at 1,230-53 feet. Top of the pay was from Mason won in this division.

spotted 21/2 miles west of Cotton- picked was not held because inwood. It is Chizum, Perini & Sandfeet from the north and 2,500 feet cials to cancel the big parade which a dance at the Del Rio Country from the west lines of Mary An- was scheduled as a grand finale of Club after the All-Star Concert. thony Survey 767.

M. L. Kinnebrew Drilling Co., Inc., et al, of Cross Plains No. 1 wildcat nine miles northwest of der into Cuidad Acuna, Mexico, for participate again next year. Cross Plains. Having a proposed depth of 2,300 feet with rotary, it spots 1,882 feet from the north and 1955 License Plates 1,003 feet from the east lines of

George Click Survey 760. (Cross Plains Sand) Field west of Cross Plains gained McCuin Insurance new oiler with the completion of W. Brown, Abilene, No. 4-B Haden Payne, T. H. Brown Survey 218.

choke with packer set on the cas- now on sale at his office here and lections. ing and 100 pounds tubing pres- are selling at a rapid rate.

Five miles southwest of Cross County. Plains, an oiler was gauged in the Basil Coe of Corsicana No. 5 Flem starting number being CD 8855. Johnson, Block 84, Comal CSL Sur- He stated that tags for all types of vehicles can be bought here, in-

cluding cars, trucks, farm trucks, No. 5 Johnson had a daily pumping potential of 30 barrels of 41 truck-tractors, trailers, house trail- Association to Conduct gravity oil from 32 perforations at ers, motor scooters and dealer tags. Texas registration laws require veing on bottom at 1,625 feet.

Callihan Rotary Co. et al, of Abi- in the county of their residence, lene No. 1 Leo Baum et al, Victoria and operation of a motor vehicle CSL Survey 202, has been complet-registered elsewhere subjects the ed. It is another Cross Plains Sand owner to a fine of up to \$200.00 discovery, nine miles west of Cross and re-registration in the county Plains in southwestern Callahan of your residence.

No. 1 Baum had a daily potential inspected by April 1, but an inof 48.30 barrels of 42 gravity oil and spection certificate is not neces-6 per cent water.

It is pumping from perforations for license tags. However, it is necat 1,781-84 feet. Casing is set at essary that you have your last year's 1.851 feet and the hole bottomed license receipt with you when purat 1,858 feet. Pay was topped at chasing your new tags.

Location is 4,000 feet south of the Local Oil Operators nearest production in the West A. C. Open Office in Abilene G. Jack Carter, Dallas, spotted No. 2,500-foot rotary wildcat.

north and 3,533 feet from the east ing to an announcement made here lege is closed and no more memlines of M. J. Webb Survey 2.

#### Dodge, Plymouth Agency Opened Here By R. C. Gilmore

R. C. Gilmore, owner of the new here. Cross Plains Motor Co. here, an- Also associated with the firm are nounces in a display advertisement Francis R. Clarkson, and his wife, in this edition of the Review that Louise B. Clarkson. They formerly his new agency for the sale and worked as Clarkson & Clarkson, service of new Dodge and Plymouth geologists, in Corpus Christi. She automobiles, pick-ups and trucks is has a Ph.D. degree in geology from now open for business, and he in- the University of Chicago. vites everyone in this area to drop by the new show room and see the Rowden March of Dimes new 1955 Dodge and Plymouth cars Musical Raises \$54.28 now on display.

of the Gilmore Automotive Service Community Center Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty, Paul building on South Main Street, the January 28, to raise money for the Whitton, H. P. White and Mmes. new firm will feature a compete March of Dimes, was well attended Oren Barr, Bill Kilgore, August line of Dodge cars, pick-ups and by residents of the community. A Garlitz, Zenovia Strickland, Fred trucks and also the popular new total of \$54.28 was raised and has Cutbirth, J. R. Loveless, Doyle Plymouth line of cars. The firm been turned over to the county Burchfield, Ralph McNeel, Pat Mcwill also operate a service depart- chairman. ment for all makes of cars and Refreshments of cake and punch Koenig, Lloyd Bryan, and Beulah were served to all attending.

tives in Abilene over the week end. soil.

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VOLUME FORTY FIVE

# Cross Plains Review

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1955

Community By Trading At Home

NUMBER FORTY SIX

Help Build A Better

#### BUFFALO BAND MEMBERS PARTICIPATE IN INVITAIONAL BAND FESTIVAL STAGED AT DEL RIO DURING THE PAST WEEK END

tor, Bill King, and 31 sponsors from enjoyed by the entire group. the Band Boosters Club, were in Del Rio Friday, Saturday and Sun-

reservations had been made for sity in Abilene.

Saturday morning the bands band, Del Rio. played in the high school auditori-Daily potential was 50.06 barrels um in a contest to pick the best this concert were: Benny Glover, where he had worked during the of oil, pumping from an open hole concert band and the Puncher Band trumpet; Sandra Lusk, baritone;

The final contest in which the Clure and Ann Koenig, clarinets. A 3,500-foot rotary wildcat was best marching hand was to be termittent showers falling during efer No. 1 Hooper-McLeod, 330 the afternoon forced festival offi- and guests were entertained with the contests.

Local Group Visits Mexico.

Now On Sale At

by Mr. Gratehouse.

Sixty-two members of the Buffalo a sight-seeing tour, which con-Band, accompanied by their direc- sumed some three hours and was Virus Infection Causes

All-Star Concert. The All-Star Concert was preday, where they participated in the sented in the auditorium of Del Rio annual Invitation Band Festival. High School at 7:30 p.m. Saturday. reached epidemic proportions was The group left here at 7:30 Fri- Judges and guest conductors were day morning in private cars and in charge. Judges were Joe Bellaone school bus driven by Supt. Paul mah, director of the Lobo Band of Whitton. A sack lunch was en- Sul Ross College in Alpine; Dougjoyed at a roadside park some 20 las Fry, director of the Abilene miles south of Sonora at noon and Christian College bands at Abilene, of 49 students were absent from city about mid-afternoon, where bands at Hardin-Simmons Universent Tuesday. One member of the

housing in one of the most mod- The All-Star Band included four After being assigned rooms the Pecos, nine from Big Lake, seven group had just time enough to get from Mason, five from Menard, five ready for the kick-off of the fes- from Uvalde, eight from Kerrville, tivities, which started on the high nine from Alpine, nine from Brady, school football field that evening at seven from Bandera, seven from 7:00 p. m., when 19 of the leading San Felipe, five from Cross Plains, bands of the state vied for honors seven from Coleman, five from Sanbands of the state vied for honors seven from Coleman, five from San- as the best show band of the fesderson, five from Junction, three B. H. Gray, Feb. 2 as No. 4-B Teston A, W. B. Smith tival. Tivy High School Band of from Brackettville, seven from Rocksprings and 31 from the host

Diana Farr, oboe, and Sidney Mc-Closed With Dance.

Festival activities were closed Sat-

The local delegation returned home Sunday and reported a won-During the afternoon the Cross derful week-end and expressed the

#### Annual Staff to Sponsor Beauty Contest Feb. 17

The high school gymnasium will be the setting for the high school Sims Drug Store To beauty contest slated for February 17, 1955, at 8 o'clock. Some 20 girls have entered the contest to this Hold Formal Opening A. J. (Ted) McCuin, proprietor of date, and along with the judging During the daily potential it the McCuin Insurance Agency here, of these beauties, a variety program In New Quarters, Sat. gauged 76 barrels of 41 gravity oil. stated this week that the new 1955 will be given, featuring the stage low was the ugin an 18-64-inch license tags for a vehicles are band, vocal numbers and other se-

The Bison staff will use the prosure from 16 perforations at 1,798 The new tags are orange with ceeds of this program to help to 1,802 feet. Casing is on bottom black numerals and over 4,500 are finance the high school year book. at 1,829 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 510-1. available for sale in Callahan The staff and sponsors wish to express their thanks and apprecia-McCuin stated that a total of 800 tion for the generous advertise-McKinney (Cross Plains Sand) sets of registration tags have been ments taken by the business firms Field. It is Jack P. McKinney & received by his office here with the and to others who have made this publication possible

### Brownwood Music the casCollector McCuin pointed out that Membership Drive

hicle owners to register all vehicles sociation will conduct its annual urday. Membership campaign the week of February 14 to February 19, from headquarters located at the Texas ment of the president, Mrs. Ellie All motor vehicles must be safety Lock.

Mrs. Lindsay Tyson will issue

sary when registering your vehicle memberships in Cross Plains. Central Texas excellent concerts by room for loading and unloading. artists or musical organizations of tion. Admission to these concerts

Fred Cutbirth as a proposed ship firm composed of A. H. Masir- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- anyone interested may join the as- ship firm composed of A. H. Masir- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the amount of case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partner- sociation by paying the case Grande Oil Co., a partne an and J. G. (Jimmy) Gratehouse, the annual dues during the one Location is 12 miles west of Cross has recently opened offices in the membership week. After Saturday, Father Of Rowden Lady bers are accepted for another year.

in the Dressy Community, owning certs. an excellent lease on the Dave Inmail their applications to Box 704, he makes his home. Blake Field in North Brown County. Brownwood, Texas. Those mailed Offices of the firm were moved should be accompanied by the an- and great-graindchildren attended from Corpus Christi, and Masiran nual dues, which are \$6.00 each for the birthday dinner. resides there and Gratehouse lives adults and \$3.00 each for students.

#### ATTEND BAND FESTIVAL

that city Friday and Saturday: Mr. to the occasion. and Mrs. W. T. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mayes, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Housed in the remodeled quarters The musical held at the Rowden Bonner, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Farr, Neel, Sr., Herman Harris, Oscar Dyer of Baird.

trip to Fort Worth Friday.

#### Large Number of School Absentees

A virus infection which almost responsible for a large number of absentees from the school rooms and businesses here early this week. School Supt. Paul Whitton stated Tuesday afternoon that a total school Monday and 33 were abfaculty was also absent on Tuesday, he reported.

Several business people and em ployees were also reported off the

# Heart Attack Fatal To

B. H. Gray, 47, oil operator of Coleman, died suddenly Wednesday Buffalo band members playing in morning, February 2, near Burkett night at his drilling rig. Mr. Gray is well known in Cross Plains, having oil property in the Dressy field.

day morning at 10 o'clock at the urday night when the musicians family residence in Coleman with and guests were entertained with the Rev. Ward of Cisco officiating. His body was taken to Luling Friday morning and burial was made

wood, Texas.

three sisters.

Molton Sims, owner and manager of the Sims Drug Store here announced this week that plans are complete for holding formal openins Magnolia Service Stattion, Saturday of this week.

One of the old, reliable firms of completed this week at the new location. Stock and fixtures are being to the center on Saturdays. moved this week and, according to Sims, everything will be in readi-The Brownwood Civic Music As- ness for the big opening on Sat- Oil Well Service Firm

Power and Light office in Brown- for everyone who visits the store owner of the McNutt Oil Well Serv-

the Sims Drug Store also serves as south part of town to the Adair. the local bus station, and Mr. Sims Building on South Main Street, The Brownwood Civic Music As- points out that his new location will across from the postoffice. sociation is a non-profit co-oper- add much to the convenience of ative organization which brings to bus passengers by affording ample are invited to call at the new quar-

Mr. and Mrs. Sims extend everyone national and international reputain this area an invitation to call at Humble Televises Quail their new store on the occasion of is by membership card only, and their formal opening next Satur-

### Plains, being 1,593 feet from the Bacon Building in Abilene, accord- February 15, the membership privi- Celebrates 103rd Birthday

Noah Armstrong, father of Mrs. The company has production here No tickets are sold for single con- W. C. Hazle of Rowden, celebrated pany's TV program, Texas in Re-Those desiring to join the asso- ary 8, with a quiet family dinner raised and then shipped all over ciation should either contact Mrs. at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Texas and to other parts of the and also has production in the Lindsay Tyson in Cross Plains or W. P. James of Coleman, with whom country for restocking. The inter-

Only his children, grandchildren

Mrs. James stated Monday of this week that her father is in fair health and is "up and about" most of the time. Too much company The following accompanied the makes him nervous, she added, ex-Buffalo Band to Del Rio over the plaining that "Uncle Noah" would week end and enjoyed attending like to have had open house for the invitation Band Festival held in his friends, but he just wasn't equal

Armstrong is Coleman County's oldest living resident. Several years Armstrong of Clovis, N. M.

#### HOSPITAL NOTES

from Blackwood Hospital in Comanche, where she underwent sur-H. C. Freeman, Sr., visited rela- Every farmer is a banker — of Alton Hornsby made a business will be glad to learn that Mrs. Jones day in San Angelo visiting Mr. and is getting along fine.



WELFARE CHAIRMAN . . . Pictured above, Lloyd Bryan, owner and operator of Bryan's Variety Store here, who was named chairman of the Community Welfare Organization at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday of this week. The committee will be composed of representatives from the city's churches and other civic organizations, and new quarters for the center have been donated by C. H. Dawson in his building located on Main Street, next door to the telephone office.

## Funeral services were held Thurs-Bryan Heads Welfare

At a meeting of the Chamber of in the Harwood Cemtery at Har- Commerce, held in the basement of the Methodist Church here Tuesday Survivors include his wife of at noon of this week, Lloyd Bryan, M. France was spotted as a Plains delegation crossed the bor- hope that they would be invited to Coleman; his mother, Mrs. Betty L. popular owner of Bryan's Variety Gray of Harwood; three sons, Dan- Store, was named to head the Comiel H., David B., and Donald E. all munity Welfare Organization now of Coleman; three brothers and housed in the Dawson Building on Main Street, next door to the telephone office.

This organization is charged with collecting, renovating and repairing clothing for distribution to needy persons in this community. The committee in charge of these operations is made up of members of the various churches and civic groups in the city and is assisted by volunteer workers.

C. H. Dawson donated the use of ing of his store in new quarters on free of charge. The Chamber of Highway 36, just west of the Hutch- Commerce voted unanimously to provide the necessary money needed to carry on the project.

Children's Clothes Needed. Mrs. Lee Bishop, chairman of the this city, the Sims Drug Store has ladies' worker group, stated that the been moved from its old location center is in need of children's on South Main Street, across from clothes and asks that anyone dethe postoffice, to the new building siring to donate clothes to the cen-

### Moves to Adair Building

The announcement advertisement In a display advertisement ap appearing in this edition of the Re- pearing on another page of this view states that here will be gifts edition of the Review, A. R. McNutt, ice firm here, announces that his Along with featuring a complete business quarters have been moved line of drug sundries and gift items, from the Petroleum Building in the

Friends and patrons of the firm ters, he said.

### Restocking Program

Quail are one of the most important birds in Texas. And it is estimated that some 3,200,000 of them are bagged each year by hunters in Texas.

Next week, the Humble Comhis 103rd birthday Tuesday, Febru- view, will show how quail are esting films were taken at a quail hatchery in Tyler.

There will also be pictures of a big land clearing machine in operation at Longview. Machines of this type are being used more and more to turn profitable land into valuable farms and pastures.

Monday (February 14) Texas in Review can be seen over KRBC-TV, Abilene, at 8:00 p.m.

#### PIONEER CEMETERY DONATIONS

Mrs. Jess Flippin, secretary-treasago he was honored at Laredo as urer of the Pioneer Cemetery Assothe oldest living ex-Texas Ranger. ciation, reports that the following He has three living children, Mrs. have made donations to the main-James, Mrs. Hazle and a son, B. H. tenance fund since the last report was published:

R. S. Leverett.....\$1.00 Leonard Fleming ......\$5.00 .....\$5.00 Tom Bush ..... Mrs. Benton Jones was released Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown.....\$5.00

Mr. and Mrs. Drew I. Hill and gery the first of last week. Friends Mrs. Verna Mae Ramsey spent Sun-Mrs. G. E. Browning and family.

### Mrs. John D. Montgomery Buried; Husband Is Held

Church of Christ here Friday after- Montgomery, May 6, 1945. noon of last week for Mrs. John Survivors include her husband

Mrs. Montgomery, the former both of Burkett. Leah Naomi Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Evans of Bur- kett Cemetery. kett, was born March 27, 1928, at Burkett and lived there until mov-

#### Mrs. John Coats, 75, **Buried At Cottonwood**

Funeral services were held at Riddle of Breckenridge and placed the Cottonwood Methodist Church in jail at Baird. at 3 p.m. Saturday for Mrs. John H. Coats, 75, who passed away Thursday evening, February 3, in trict Court announced Saturday Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abi- that he had ordered the 42nd Dislene and Rev. Alvie Foster of Abiene officiated.

Mrs. Coats had been in ill health for several years and seriously ill District Attorney, said Saturday the or the past three months.

The former Carrie Emma Kelly,

of Cottonwood, Mrs. Bryan Ben- in the move, he stated. nett of Fort Worth, Mrs. Reese Tye of Paducah, Mrs. Johnny Davidson of Abilene, and Mrs. Bob Harris of Lovington, New Mex.; 14 suffered a blow on the forehead. grandchildren and five great-grand-Kelly of Albany.

#### CEMETERY DONATIONS

V. C. Walker has reported that only one donation has been made to the maintenance fund of the performed. his building and the city and West local cemetery association since the Texas Utilities Co. furnish utilities last report was published. J. C. Mc- Sheriff Price and his two deputies, Gee of Route 2 donated \$5.00 to the fund.

> Walker stated that anyone desiring to make donations are asked to see him or leave their donation at the Citizens State Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harris and son of Bonham brought Mrs. Harris' mother, Mrs. Ira Hall, home Saturday and visited here and at Burkwho is seriously ill with a heart in the Baird Hospital the past

D. Montgomery, 26, who was found and two sons, Mike and Randy; her dead in the bath tub at her home parents; two brothers, C. C. Evans about six miles west of town late of Dublin, and W. H. Evans of Wednesday afternoon of last week. Odem; four sisters. Mrs. Howard Services were conducted by Minister Chatham of Oplin, Mrs. L. S. Mc-Leroy Cowan of Gorman, assisted Cormick of Fort Worth, and Mrs. by Rev. Russell Dennis of Ysleta. Arnold Burton and Jeanie Evans

Interment was made in the Bur-

Husband Charged With Murder

John D. Montgomery, 29-year-old farmer of this community, was charged Saturday morning with murder by drowning of his wife. and was arrested Saturday afternoon by Callahan County Sheriff Homer Price and Texas Ranger Jim

#### Grand Jury To Investigate

Judge J. R. Black of 42nd Dislene. Rev. G. C. Williams of Abi- trict grand jury to report back Wednesday at Baird to investigate the charge.

Wiley Caffey of Abilene, 42nd charge was brought against Montshe was born March 16, 1876, at at Hendrick Memorial Hospital the McAllen and married Mr. Coats on day Mrs. Montgomery was found June 9, 1895, at Cottonwood. They dead revealed that her death was would have celebrated their 60th caused by drowning. Preliminary reports from tests being conducted Survivors include her husband; by the Texas Department of Pubfive daughters, Mrs. Mary Holley lic Safety at Austin also figured

The autopsy at Abilene revealed also that Mrs. Montgomery had

She was found unclad in the tub children; and one sister, Mrs. Annie of water by a doctor who was summoned by Montgomery and another Grandsons served as pallbearers. man. The doctor in turn called in the sheriff and Callahan County Attorney L. B. Lewis.

Caffey was called into the investigation and ordered the autopsy

Investigators included Caffey, Texas Rangers Riddle of Breckenridge and Jim Paulk of Abilene, and County Attorney Lewis

#### Mrs. John Westerman Moved To Rest Home

Mrs. John Westerman of this city was moved from the Callahan County Hospital in Baird to the ett during the week-end, Mrs. Hall Jones Rest Home in Dublin Monhad been in Gainesville for several day in a Higginbotham ambulance. days with ther brother, T. T. West, Mrs. Westerman has been a patient

### Bayou Philosopher Wants Rhode Island Made Puppet Nation, To Handle Formosa

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou has an extremely preposterous idea this week, as you'll agree when you read the following. Dear editar:

I know about as much about international affairs as I do about whether there's any uranium under my farm out here at the Bayou but lack of information never has been any bar to having an opinion, in Congress or out, and I have been giving considerable though to the international situation lately and have come to a conclusion.

The trouble with the United

States, and the advantage Russia has over us, is that we haven't got any puppet

state, one you can pull the strings for but dodge the responsibility of If Russia wants to stir up some trouble in Korea. for example, she doesn't come

out in the open where the rest of the world can pin it on her, she uses her puppet state, Red China, which in turn uses some of its undercover men in Korea. The scheme kept us looking ridiculous in Korea for three years. Now the same thing is hap-

pening in Formosa. Russia is supplying Red China with materials and ideas, Red China is fomenting trouble in Formosa, and the United States and her allies are left with the job of trying to stop bullets after they're fired, when everybody knows the only way to do it is to eradicate the guns, but the guns come from Russia and we can't get at them because we just ain't the war-starting type, which is a good thing, but

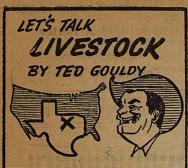
which leaves us with the burnt end of the stick, if you follow my military language.

But there is a way out, and I'm surprised that somebody else hasn't thought of it first. What the United States needs is a puppet state to do is fighting without requiring an act of Congress or involving the nation.

Now here's my proposal. There's Rhode Island sitting up there, not doing anything outstanding but not causing any trouble either and without very many votes. Why don't we declare Rhode Island an independent nation, sever our relations through with it as a state, and then channel all the men and weapons needed through it and let her handle the Formosa situation or any other spot where the Communists break out? As an independent nation, with no connection with the United States, Rhode Island could start shooting where ever shooting is required, and we could sit back and send diplomatic notes to Russia every time Russia's toes were stepped on saving ain't it unfortunate but we can't do a thing with the independent and liberated nation of Rhode Island she buys a little equipment from us now and then, we got the receipts to show for it, but beyond that we don't have any connection with her, and if anybody wants to declare war on her, go ahead, we can't help it, but if you fly over our area getting to her, that'd be a violation of our air and an act of war against us, which is a horse of a different

This idea might not work, but you can say the same for most of the diplomatic ideas tried up

Yours faithfully,



BY TED GOULDY Fed Cattle, Stockers Open Strong.

Did You Know . . .

e vestigation and or tered

Your Car Is A Necessity . . .

For Good Roads . . .

Tax Other Sources . . .

necessities?

Senator

Representative

Austin, Texas

has already reached a saturation point?

How Your Gasoline Sales Tax Is Spent . . . .

found an active, strong market in of good and choice feeder steers sold from \$11 to \$15 and rannihans and Fort Worth Monday. Some sales at \$21.50. Stocker calves were in culls brought mostly \$9 to \$10. were higher than last week. Choice small supply with a few good steer Medium and good stocker and slaughter steers brought up to \$25 calves selling at \$21.

to \$13. Bulls sold mostly at \$14 to \$20.

alves sold at \$19.50 to \$20.

quality kind to supply the needs choice calves cashed at \$19.50 to \$18. Sows were steady to 50 cents

The Section of the Se

Motorist!

Are you in favor of House Bill 181, in which our Governor proposes an additional

... the motorist now pays an average of 24% SALES TAX on gasoline in Texas?

Your automobile has ceased to be a luxury in your everyday life and is now recog-

While we are in complete sympathy with the Governor's Good Road program,

Did you know that out of the 6c SALES TAX on gasoline in Texas, ONLY 2c goes

Don't you think it's time we taxed, untaxed gimmicks and luxuries instead of

Contact Your Legislators . 1997 Was a party and to arrest a program better the acceptance of the accep

If you oppose this additional SALES TAX being levied against the already overburdened motorist, clip the following form, fill it out and mail to your Senator and Representative now, the time is short.

PFTROLFUM MARKETERS

ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS

portant birds in Toras, and it is a ver has been any per to not doing

for construction and maintenance of highways in Texas? Two cents of this is divert-

ed to other state governmental costs and the remaining 2c goes to the Federal Gov-

we oppose any additional SALES TAX on gasoline until a complete study is made

concerning possible taxation of several still untaxed luxury items and gimmicks.

nized as a necessity. Don't you feel that the tax bill already levied against gasoline

You as a motorist are paying 1/3 of all taxes collected by the State of Texas.

2c per gallon increase in the state SALES TAX on gasoline?

Cows and bulls were mostly steady. ers brought up to \$23.50. Lower sold from \$9 to \$10. Stocker steer Good young beef cows brought up grade butcher cattle sold from \$13 calves were in small supply and a down, but some individuals sold Fat cows drew \$11 to \$13, and \$14 to \$21.

canners and cutters cashed at \$7 Butcher Hogs Higher. Calves were strong with some to \$10. Shelly canners sold around | Top butcher hogs sold at \$18.25 at spots higher. A few choice slaughter \$7. Bulls sold mostly at \$10 to \$14 50 cents higher than last week. with some individuals higher. Stockers and feeders continue in Good and choice slaughter calves Overweight butchers and less de-

good demand and not enough high brought from \$16 to \$19. A few sirable kinds sold from \$15.50 to

feeder steers sold from \$14 to \$20, and medium grades sold at around Good and choice beef steers sold some choice feeders at \$21.50. Some from \$21 to \$25 and good fed heif- thin, medium quality, stocker cows few medium to good kind sold from

Fort Worth Monday. This was fully Fort Worth-Well-finished cattle of order buyers. About three loads \$20. Plain and medium kinds sold higher and sold at \$13.50 to \$16.

#### Washington

"As It

OMAR BURLESON



Washington, D. C .- The China ituation—The official position in Washington is that Red China will ot fight. Although no one could be certain on this point, this much can be borne in mind to support that position.

Russia is not likely to get herself nvolved in a war on account of China. Communist China has no navy to speak of; her air force. except for fighter planes, is not strong enough for a sustained offensive; she has only a few developed resources; little oil and no industry to speak of. Human backs are the main means of transportation in many areas. An army and an air force, with no real industry to support them, lack staying pow-

can be used to intimidate weaker have the largest army in Asia and nations in southeast Asia. In fact, it has paid her big dividends thus

curred.

It is my personal belief that the liversionary tactic.

The existing situation is sensitive, to say the least, and there is no need to speculate on what may happen. The Chinese Communists have tasted victory in several instances which has raised their prestige in Asia and it has caused the Communist leaders to become pretty drunk with power. This is a dangerous thing, and particularly for the Oriental mind, which could result in the worst.

ive or even younger.

of the employers' desire to keep down their pension liability, which is increased when older workers

re taken on. against hiring workers of thirtyfive to forty-five years of age will mean that in a short time fewer vorkers will be supporting a growing lot of jobless citizens, either through taxes or by direct contributions. The answer may lie in making private pension and welfare programs more flexible than they are at present. This problem may never become acute in our area, but of course, it is acute to the individual when it happens to him.

extension of the draft, he has proboys seventeen to nineteen years c 'cold war".

I recently heard the definition of a diplomat: "A diplomat is a man who always has problems for good solutions." An analogy to this definition is the man in government who is always looking for a way not to do something rather than a way to get something done.

Rev. H. P. Shaw and wife of Risng Star had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Whitehorn, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Shelton visited with the Shaw's and Whitehorn's Sun-

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her children in Fort Worth, Bowie Tuesday. and Grandview.

during the week-end.

Jake Huntington at Pampa.

Mrs. Lou Falls returned home | Lee Bishop and H. F. Summers Sunday after an extended visit with made a business trip to Eastland

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Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Halsell visited Baird spent Monday afternoon here relatives and friends in Fort Worth with his mother, Mrs. Z. W. Mc-Clellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore returned | Clarence Bush took his grandto their home at Pioneer Wednes- mother, Mrs. M. F. Cordell to her day of this week after a few days home in Merkel Saturday after she visit with his mother, Mrs. Susie had visited here for several weeks Fore, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. with her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Bush

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### prove that . . . Be this as it may, the Chinese The Communists began the fight

n Korea under the impression that he United States would not enter he war against them. President Eisenhower and the Congress have now removed any such doubt rearding Formosa. I offered an amendment to the President's request that Congress back up his policy, stating that this action should not set a precedent which would lead either people in this country or overseas to think that the President had to take such acion every time an emergency oc-

Chinese Communists have their eye nore on southeast Asia than on Formosa, and that they may be throwing up a smoke screen as a

Emylopment Practices—According to persons who have studied the trends in employment practices, men over forty or forty-five years of age are finding it difficult to find employment. In the case of women, the age is around thirty-

The practice is said to grow out

Reserve Program-With the President's program for a four-year posed an enlarged Reserve. Much will be heard about the Reserve program in the coming months. In brief, the general plan will allow age to volunteer for six months basic training to be followed by 9½ years participation in the military reserve. In connection with this program, the President made a prediction that we must face the possibility of a 50-year period of

This has a most pessimistic sound, but it should have been obvious to all of us for several years past that we are probably in a very long period of high tension, with no reasonable expectation that the world, with all the upheavals taking place, can soon settle down to the peaceful status we used to know.

day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Adams of Big Spring were week-end visitors here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sipes, E. O. Adams and other relatives and friends.

# Sincerely yours,

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I believe that the possibility of taxing gimmicks and luxury items should be thoroughly explored before this bill is considered.

of travel, I feel that I am already paying a sufficient Sales Tax on gasoline.

to our one that discuss of ours and pu

tending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Evans and family of Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chat-By Mrs. T. C. Strickland ham and children, Oplin; W. H. Evans, Wichita Falls, and Mr. and

Mrs. L. S. McCormick, Fort Worth. This community and surrounding Rev. and Mrs. Jim Bales were in communities were saddened on hear- Midland recently to attend the weding of the death of Mrs. John D. ding of friends. Rev. Bales served

Cross Plains community. Our deep- Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harris and relative.

### est sympathy is extended to her sur- Bobby of Bonham visited his par-ATTENTION PEANUT PRODUCERS . . .

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over the week-end.

ton Verner, and family. daughters of Eunice, N. M., visited J. L. George, Wichita Falls; Mr. and end. Koenig, last week-end. They and and Mr. and Mrs. Smokey Mosley tended the funeral of Charley Car- Mrs. Dora Roberts of Coleman. michel of Brownwood, a distant Mrs. Emmit Harris is a patient Brubaker and family of Wichita Foster home Wednesday night of

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie folks in the community. Thate Sunday, honoring Mrs. Thate's mother, Mrs. Lura Bullard, tonwood visited his mother, Mrs. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Belle Barnett, Sunday. Vernon Bullard, Burkett; Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Helms and ited homefolks over the week-end. Mrs. Gordon Bullard, Mr. and Mrs. daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Char-Lilburn Farris, Mrs. Lula Farris, all lie Trewett at Gatesville the first of Lawn; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Cate, of the week. Rodney and Cynthia, Novice; R. W. Mrs. Pete O'Brien and children and Tom Byers filled the pulpit at man.

Thursday, February 10, 1955, ents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harris, Mason, Cross Plains, and Miss Rita of Brownwood visited her parents

in San Angelo over the week-end ker home were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. with her for a visit. visiting their daughter, Mrs. Clay- George, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baker Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Holman and and daughter and Mrs. Mat McEl- Dwayne of Aransas Pass were visit-Mr. and Mrs. James Leonard and roy, all of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. ing relatives here over the weekher parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeda Mrs. Bob Baker and son, Coleman,

in the Coleman Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnett of Cot-

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Boyle Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown were Sunday visitors in the C. D. Ba- Mr. and Mrs. Boyle returned home

Week-end visitors of Mrs. Betty Jones and Jesse Holman and fam-Mrs. Jack and S. D. DeBusk at- of Jal, N. M.; Mrs. W. T. Thate and ily and Mrs. Jack Doenig and Falls; Mrs. Willie Jennings and A birthday dinner was given at There are still several other sick daughter, Bisbee, Ariz., and Pfc. and Mrs. Austin Keefer of Fort Huauacha, Ariz.

Miss Zelma Strickland, a student at McMurry College, Abilene, vis- the local Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hughes of Baird

visited Mr. and Mrs. Tip Wrinkle daughter of South Texas; Mrs. Bill from Cross Cut visited in the Dave

> visited in the Stewart Bentley home and will be discharged in May. near Putnam Sunday.

Sunday visitors in the T. H. Strickland home were Mr. and Mrs. Carev James Burns filled the pulpit at Hightower of Ranger and Mr. and the Trent Church of Christ Sunday Mrs. Bill Johnson and son of Cole- with Mrs. Lela Foster in Cross

Bimmie and Connie Goble of Cross Plains visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rouse, over the week end.

Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and baby visited Mrs. Merlin Hutchins in

Cross Plains Wednesday. Edgar and Shirley Sessions were home over the week end. Rev. Bobby Bryan and wife visited the Sessions family Sunday.

Pfc. Freddy Tatom has been promoted to Corporal now. Freddy is stationed at Fort Tilden, New York. Mrs. Tuff Hutchins and children He has been in the service two years

Herbert Ellis visited his father in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Friday. Mr. Ellis lives in Athens, Tenn.

Mrs. Alton Tatom spent Monday Plains.

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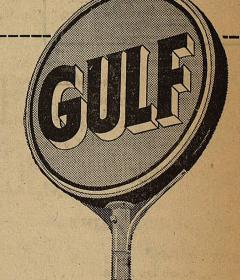
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#### **ROWDEN NEWS**

Several of the Rowden residents attended the girls' Hardin-Simmons invitation basket ball tournament Friday and Saturday. The Cross. Plains girls were runner-ups in the

Mrs. Bill Lawrence, Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Judy and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird visited Mrs. B. Crow Wednesday afternoon.

There will be a bridal shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gibbs Saturday night at the Rowden Community Center, February 12.

A number of members of the Life Service Band of Howard Payne College were guests at the Rowden Baptist Church Sunday. Many good sermons and songs were en-

Mrs. Annye Miller is visiting in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Dan

Misses Thelda and Velda Crow with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fry and Honored With Shower

Mack Holdridge of Cross Plains Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ludie Owens is visiting with The honoree's were married De-

Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odom and fam- living. ily while Mrs. Swafford is away.

#### SABANNO NEWS

preach at the Presbyterian Church Sunday at the 11 o'clock hour. Everyone has a welcome to worship with us.

Rev. Whitehorn, pastor of the local Baptist Church, will fill the pulpit Sunday. All have a welcome to be at the church of their choice. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Duke, former residents of the community, visited here recently.

Pink Marshall visited in the W. E. Lusk and Edwin Erwin homes recently. This community was home to him years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey entertained members of the Union Sunday School Friday night of last week with a supper at their home. Everyone enjoyed the fellowship to-

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie McCann and children of Coleman visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mc-Cann Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King were in

Scranton Sunday night, where they visited a relative, George Gattis, who is seriously ill. Misses Josie and Alma Morris vis-

ited in the home of their sister, Mrs. Emma Kent, Friday night. Dewitt Myers is a patient in the Rising Star Hospital. We hope for

him a speedy recovery. We were blessed with a good rain which fell a few days ago. The fall was gauged at 1½ inches.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foster of Pioneer visited their niece, Mrs. Lorena Lilly, Thursday night. Mrs. W. S. McCann visited with

Mrs. Lula Green Saturday after-Mrs. Howard Hicks and Bradley

visited with Mrs. Bobby Roady Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Beryl Lusk and daughter,

Sandra, made the trip to Del Rio over the week-end with the Cross Plains Band, of which Sandra is a

Walter Laminack of Cisco was a visitor in our community Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins visited in the Lawson home Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Myers and sons attended church services in Rising Star Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloris Webb and children of Cisco visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L.

King, Friday night. Mrs. Nathan Foster and Randy visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lorena Lilly attended the Woodman Circle in Cisco Friday. She reported a good supper and a good program.

Mrs. Clarence Casey was hostess to the Busy Bee Club Wednesday afternoon. One quilt was finished. Delicous refreshments were served to 13 members.

We had a good singing Sunday afternoon which was attended by a large number of visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and children of Abilene visited their parents over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Riffe accompanied by their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Riffe of Crown Point, Ind., spent the week-end in San Antonio visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Faucett.

The man who continually boasts about his principles usually means

Mrs. Dick Brown Entertains Pioneer Home Demonstration Club

The Pioneer Home Demonstration blub met Tuesday, February 1, in the home of Mrs. Dick Brown.

Mrs. Jess Flippin, club president, called the meeting to order, at which time the civil defense program was discussed and it was voted to accept the council and regulations required. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Flippin gave reports on the club quilt which was sold for \$31.50, with proceeds going to the Eastland County polio fund. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in quilting.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Jess Flippin, Februany 15, from 2-4 oclock.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members answering roll call: Mmes. Henry McCoy, B. C. Brown, Lige Tate, Elmer Gardner, Will Foster, Jess Flippin and one visitor, Mrs. E. L.

#### spent Friday night and Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith

A surprise shower was given Mr. visited with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny and Mrs. Jack Smith, in the home Adair and Bobby Monday afternoon. of Mrs. Raymond Demere of near Mrs. B. Crow visited with Miss Putnam recently. Various games Annye and Jep Cutbirth at Dudley and music was enjoyed during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adair for a few cember 20, at Cottonwood by Rev. C. R. Myrick. Mrs. Smith is the Mrs. Lillie Swafford is visiting in former Jesse Franklin of this city. Jal., N. M., with Mr. and Mrs. Doug- They have completed their new las Gibbs. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ta- home located two miles north of tom Cross Plains are staying with Cottonwood, where they are now

> It would appear that the family tree of some confidence men must be a slippery elm.

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W. B. BALDWIN who reside north of town, was conducted from the Baptist Church Friday afternon. The child suc-LUMBER cumbed after only a brief illness of pneumonia. Joe Alice, six month old daughter

GLIDDEN QUALITY PAINT of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brooks, was interred in the Cottonwood ceme-BUILDER'S HARDWARE tery Thursday. She succumbed of burns sustained when she rolled Johns-Manville Roofing into the fire last week. Phone 202, Cross Plains

Mrs. Elic Thate ocmplimented her daughter, Wynola, with a party on ner ninth birthday at ther home ast Friday afternoon.

The Busy Bee Quilting Club met at the home of Mrs. R. T. Watson

SEW AND SO CLUB MEETS

The Sew and So Club met February 2 in the home of Mrs. Richard Thompson with eight members present. Mrs. Mack Campbell, club resident, was in charge of the meeting, which was opened with the singing of the club song. Minutes were read and approved.

After a business discussion, the evening was spent in sewing and making quilt blocks and visiting.

The hostess passed a delicious plate of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, jello salad and custard pie to the following: Mmes. Jess Dunlap, Harry Coppinger, H. A. Young, Howard Coburn, Mack Campbell, W. J. Carpenter, Craig McNeel and L.

W. Coppinger. After a very enjoyable evening the club adjourned to meet in the home of Mrs. Howard Coburn, Feb-

MISS BETTY COPPAGE WEDS JAMES B. RIFFE JR.

Miss Betty Coppage and Mr.

James B. Riffe Jr. were married in a double ring ceremony read by Rev. Jasper H. Cox at the Methodist parsonage in Crown Point, Ind. January 31, 1955, in the presence of her immediate family. Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan H. Lattz. Mrs. Lattz is a sister of the bride. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Coppage of Crown Point. She is a 1951 graduate of Crown Point High School and is employed by the Illinois Bell Telephone Co. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Roffe of Cross Plains. He graduated from

Mr. and Mrs. Riffe left for their home in Crown Point Tuesday after visiting here with his parents and other relatives.

the local high school with the class

of 1947 and is now employed by the Western Electric Company in

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Baum visited Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Clark in Comanche Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Umberson of Synder were visiting her mother, Mrs. Cola Plumlee, Saturday evening. Other visitors in the Plumlee home were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Plumlee and family of Portland and Mrs. J. I. Busbee of Rising Star.

Do You Remember?...

nesday afternoon at 3:30.

Plains cemetery January 26.

in the Cottonwood cemetery.

Poe, pastor, officiating.

Funeral services for Riley Free-

man, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J.

Tuesday afternoon with Rev. C. E.

Known to be the first time in

in the hands of subscribers last

week. Fire which originated under

the cylinder press the Saturday

morning preceeding last week's pub-

lication did damage which necessitated nine days repair work. R. E. (Robert) Harris has ac-

cepted a position in the N. Y. A.

office which is located in the county agriculture building at Coleman.

Misses Rosa Van Lane and Helen

Grace Gray were joint hostesses

when they honored Mrs. Claude

Mayes with a bridal shower at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Eli Powell

Mrs. Norman Coffey and Mrs.

Floyd Coffey were hostesses at the

home of the latter in Cottonwood

Thursday evening, February first,

when they complimented Mrs. B. F.

Sullivan of Big Spring with a gift

February 1, 1935

Plainview and an early settler in

the Sabanno community, was laid

to rest in the Pioneer ceemtery

Funeral services for John H., in-

fant son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Grider

Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. A. A. Huntington, 57, of

Monday night.

O. B. Williams, Jr., 15 year old

son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Williams

who live between here and Cross

Hard, itermittent showers Fri- Lunchroom Menus day night yielded 1.12 inches of The following lunches will be named Penny Jo. moisture, according to a government served in the school lunchroom for gauge kept by the Review. the week of February 14-18: Just before going to press, word

Monday: Italian spaghetti, canreached Cross Plains that R. O. died sweet potatoes, tomato relish, Eubank of Coleman, and father of hot biscuits and butter, chocolate Broocke Eubank of Cross Plains, pudding and milk. died in a Coleman hospital Wed-Tuesday: Blackeyed peas, cheese

and macaroni, vegetable salad, cake, bread and milk Wednesday: Meat loaf, mashed

potatoes, green beans, tomato and Cut, was laid to rest in the Cross lettuce salad, jello, bread and milk. Thursday: Pinto beans, stewed potatoes, mixed greens, beet pickles, onions, fruit cobbler, bread and

> Friday: Chili-burgers, green salad, twistees, peanut butter cookies, and milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Exal McMillan spent O. Freeman, were conducted from the week end in Coleman with his the Cross Plains Baptist Church parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mc-Millan.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford atmore than 10 years and one of the tended the funeral of Mr. Swafvery few times in history was the ford's cousin, Mrs. Elic Hale, at absence of the Cross Plains Review Putnam, Sunday, February 6.

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nouncing the birth of a baby daugh- ernoon. ter, born Saturday, February 5, in a Coleman hospital. She has been

moved to their home Monday and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody and are reported to be doing fine.

Mrs. J. P. McCord and Mrs. C. A. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Riddle Mr. and Mrs. Franzel Odom of Barr visited Mrs. Benton Jones in and Brenda Hargrove visited in the the Rowden community are an- a Comanche Hospital Monday aft- Dave Hargrove and B. A. Moore

homes during the week end Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woody and Mrs. Henry McCoy and Mrs. J. E. family of San Angelo spent the Wood visited in Fort Worth with

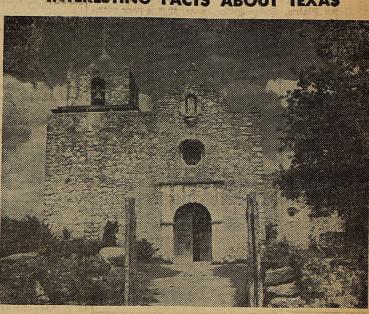
Mrs. Odom and daughter were week-end here with his parents, relatives over the week end. family.

Mrs. Ralph Lloyd and Mrs. C. A. Stone were here Wednesday and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Plumlee and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Greenwood Thursday of last week visiting in sons of Portland spent the week of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. Paul the C. R. Cook home. Madeline end here with her parents, Mr. and Greenwood of Midland visited their Stone accompanied them back to Mrs. B. A. Moore, and other rela- parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Green- Winters after a few days visit with

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PRESENTS INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT TEXAS

wood, over the week end.



MISSION LA BAHIA

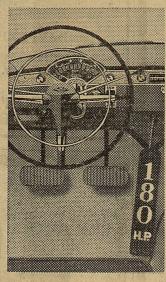
Mission La Bahia, a few miles from Goliad, will ever remain a shrine of all Texans. It was built in 1749, and formed the nucleus of the settlement of Goliad, one of the three Spanish outposts in Texas, the other two being Nacogdoches and Bexar, now San Antonio. Here in 1812 Magee gave Salcedo, Mexican General, his first taste of Anglo-Saxon war tactics and here Col. J. W. Fannin and his men surrendered honorably to Urrea only to be slaughtered like dogs within sight of this mission. The massacre took place on Palm Sunday 1836, and of 357 Texans in that doomed band, only 27

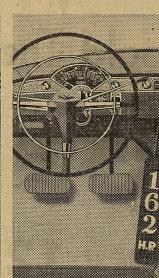


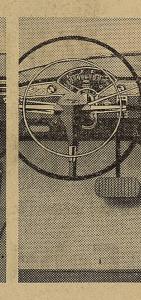
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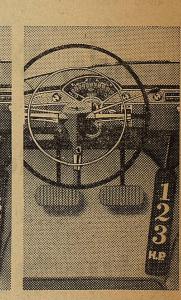
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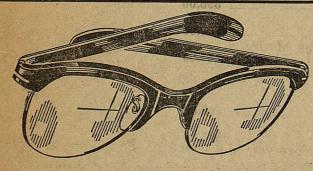
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The Peevy's: Sub, Thelma, the lid is still sailing. Elmer and Mattie.

Jimmy Clifton of Midland spent the week end here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Vollie McDonough and their house guest, Arthur Mc-Donaugh of St. Helens, Ore., attended church at Rocky Creek Sunday morning, had lunch in Brownwood, then visited Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pumphrey at Mercury Sunday aft-

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCord, Carl and Charles attended the Fat Stock Show and Rodeo in Fort Worth during the week-end.

Mrs. J. H. McElroy is staying in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. Travis Renfro, who underwent surgery Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford and Golden Lawson made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday of last week. They also attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth on their return

FROM

Austin-Austin is full of grab" investigations.

Attorney General John Ben Shepperd blew the lid off veterans' land

mittees. Also peering into the "land of cottonseed cake per head daily. block sale" scandals are grand juries in Travis and DeWitt coun-

Voting to conduct a full investikett, Wade F. Spilman, Virginia Duff, Reagon R. Huffman and Jesse Osborn. Burkett is chairman; Spilman is vice-chairman.

Recalled by the Senate investi-Sen. Jimmy Phillips.

tioning, Rep. Leroy Saul charged their previous pasture. that the senator was preparing to the investigation for "personal pub-

of the Veterans' Land Board show- than the ration provided by previous ing him present and voting for pasture. individual applications were erroneous. He said that the board didn't pass on the applications . . that it was an administrative mat-

ter turned over to the chairmanformer Land Commissioner Bascom

The same practice is being followed under the new chairman, J. Earl Rudder, Shepperd said.

his influence as a board member water resources study committee, Shepperd also said he didn't use to get favors for any applicants. He further stated that a 1953 letter from G. Curtis Jackson, Jr., Zavala County attorney, complaining of block land deals by C. O. Hagan, was not seen by him until after the investigation started.

#### Shepperd Files Suits

This testimony came as Shepperd filed the first two of a prospective long list of suits to forfeit block land deals and recover the money paid land operators.

G. Curtis Jackson, Jr., was a defendant named in one of the suits. Shepperd testified that Jackson was identified in one of the land deals.

Shepperd's first two suits were against L. V. Ruffin and B. R. Sheffield both of Brady, and J. Paul Little, G. Curtis Jackson, Jr., and H. R. Stallings, of Crystal City. The Brady group was sued for \$336,247; the latter for \$150,000.

Sheffield has been identified as a Giles, who quit as land commissioner and veterans' land board chairman on Jan. 1. Giles refused to testify before the Senate committee on his business relations with Sheffield and other land operators.

Rep. Dolph Briscoe, Jr., author of the House investigation measure, also introduced a bill providing 10year prison terms and \$10,000 fines for using deceit, fraud or duress on veterans, or false or forged documents in land deals.

Insurance Committee Action Corrective insurance bills have

run into a slow-down. Four were heard by a House Committee including one to regulate insurance company securities. All were sent to a sub-committee for two weeks. mittee

In the Senate the insurance committee heard two bills. One Would fix a \$375,000 minimum capital and surplus for new legal reserve life companies, all in cash. One requires examinations of legal reserve life agents. Both were attacked as monopolistic-for the big companies and were sent to subcommittees.

Legislative committees moved slowly on a mass of other bills awaiting their action.

Several labor bills were heard. One by Sen. George Parkhouse, dealing with "the Port Arthur situation", won favorable action. It would permit picketing only by employees representing a majority of the workers of a struck firm.

Another bill by Parkhouse would prevent pickets from interfering with common carrier service to a struck plant; and would fine or jail common carrier employees for refusing to cross a picket line.

Water Committees Busy Two committees studied water

legislation. Rep. Harold Parishs constitutional amendment for a \$200 million bond issue and a 1-cent property tax, was reviewed by the constitutional amenoments committee, and held over for action.

Sen. Dorsey B Hardeman's constitutional amendment for a \$100 million bond issue and a 3-cent

Good Maintenance Feed For Poor Cattle Only

College Station-Singed pricklypear, supplemented with cottonseed cake, is a satisfactory maintenance ration for steers in poor condition but not for steers which have been on a high level of nutrition.

"The quality and amount of feed which the animals have received, and their condition when pear feeding begins largely determines how teers will react to pricklypear feeding," says Leo B. Merrill, commenting on recent studies at the Sonora Agricultural Experiment Station.

When placed on pears, steers weighing less than 640 pounds sales to start the movement and feeding period. Steers weighing 720 gained weight during a three-month and Mrs. Don L. Bishop at Lamesa. their uncle, Vollie McDonough. pounds or more actually lost weight Both houses of the Legislature when fed pricklypear. Both groups have their own investigating com- were supplemented with two pounds

Merrill, who is range specialist at the station, says the differences of opinions regarding the value of gation, the House set up a com-bably is due to the conditions under which it was fed.

Many studies have found prickly-

pear valuable as a maintenance ration where severe drought prevails. The 640-pound animals made gating committee, headed by Sen. little gain on pasturage prior to Dorsey B. Hardeman, was Attorney pear feeding, indicating that the General Shepperd, for testimony pastures had provided little more under oath. This at the request of than a sustaining ration. Pricklypear and cottonseed cake provided Because of Phillips' line of ques- a ration as good or better than

But such was not the case in the run for attorney general and using heavier animals, Merrill reports. Steers in the 720-pound-plus class lost weight, indicating the pear Shepperd testified that minutes and cottonseed cake was poorer

> Jimmy Cade and Buford Conn visited in Dallas last week.

tax is awaiting committee action. Another House committee heard arguments on a bill for setting up a water commission. In the Senate, two rival plans by Senator Hardeman, who was chairman of the and Sen. Crawford Martin, call for a water commission pointive, the other elective. All three would abolish the present Board of Water Engineers.

Arthur McDonough of St. Helens, an Abilene hospital. Oregon, a former resident of Cross Plains, is visiting his brother, Vollie McDonough, here and with his sister, Mrs. Tom King of May.

Thomason of Glendale, Calif., and at home in Hobbs, N. M. Mrs. Vena Shackleford of Putnam visited here Sunday in the Joe Baum home.

Larry spent from Wednesday to Childs of Brownwood were dinner Saturday of last week visiting Mr. guests Saturday in the home of

Pricklypear Proves To Be Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ritchie of Blan- Lloyd Bryan and daughter, Gayket visited their daughter Mrs. nell, and Mrs. W L. Bryan were in Howard Cox and family here Mon- Abilene Friday evening of the past week to visit Mrs. Travis Renfro, who is recovering from surgery in

> Otho Aishman visited here Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Aishman, and Mrs. Mollie McGee. Otho was returning to Frank Thompson and Mrs. Mary school after spending a few days

> Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lamont Childs Jr. and two sons, Carl and Marshall, and Mrs. Child's mother, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bishop and Brown of Fort Worth, and J. H.

### THANKS, FOLKS...

It is with a feeling of genuine gratitude that we extend our sincere thanks to the many citizens of this community for the cordial welcome accorded us during our Formal Opening here Saturday of last week.

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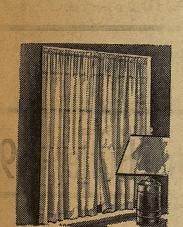
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Lady Betty, Prune Juice Quart	29c	Potatoes	1,0c
Potatoes	39c	Cabbage	5c

**GLADIOLA** 

25 LB. BAG (With Coupon)

Preserves 20 Oz. Jar.	29c	Jelly 20 Oz. Jar	29c
Kimbell's Grape  Jelly 20 Oz. Jar	29c	Jelly 64 Oz. Jar	79c

89c SUGAR 10 LBS.

Carnation Mik 2 Tall Cans	25c	Catsup 14 0	z. Bottle 150
Plymouth		Shedd's Salad	20
Coffee Lb.	89c	Dressing	390

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Fresh Eggs Added - Chocolate, Marble, Yellow & White, pkg.

S&H **Green Stamps** 

Every Wednesday is Double Stamp Day with purchase of \$3.00 or more. These stamps have been given



#### Small Grain Insect **Control Data Given**

ay to spray for small grain insects? That's a common question among

ed per linear foot, advises Dr. F. M. Fuller, extension entomologist.

An infestation count will give the nsect population. A minimum of five counts consisting of one running foot each, should be made at

In spring-seeded grain an average! may warrant chemical control.

Use one-fourth to one-half pound of parathion in emulsion form and Mrs. Ben Pillans of Cross reveals. water. Application should be made ter of Cross Plains. when the temperature is above 50

Winter grain mites.—These pests are difficult to detect and usually first noticed when grain takes on a silvery appearance. The entomologist says infested plants are stunted but it's doubtful whether grain yields will be increased if the insects are controlled.

Chemical control is advisable when stands of very young grain are seriously threatened.

Either parathion or TEPP at a ate of one-fourth pound of actual material to the acre will kill the

Brown wheat mites.—Research inlicates control measures will not always increase the yield. But under evere attacks chemical control may pe profitable. Use one-third to onehalf pound actual parathion to the

Fuller adds a note of caution. Parathion and TEPP are poisonous and should be handled with care. Livestock should not be allowed to graze grain for five days after beng treated with TEPP and 21 days after a dose of parathion.

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SUNDAY - MONDAY February 13-14

RICHARD WIDMARK BELLA DARVI DAVID WAYNE

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In CINEMASCOPE (Color by Technicolor)

> TUESDAY February 15

WENDELL COREY EVELYN KEYES

HELLS HALF ACRE"

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY

February 16-17

TONY CURTIS JANET LEIGH

THE BLACK SHIELD OF FALWORTH'

(Technicolor)

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bush Announce Birth of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bush of Bor- Birth of Baby Daughter ger are announcing the birth of a er, Rhonda Ranea, January 29th.

and Mrs. Lester Bush of Cross ruary 2. farmers now since many small grain Plains, and the maternal grandand brown wheat mites—are on the Julian of Borger. Great-grandparougs in fall-seeded grain are war- of Cross Plains and Mrs. M. F. Harris, Rising Star, and Mr. and this new product. ranted when 100 or more are count- Cordell of Merkel is the greatgreat-grandmother.

#### Former Cross Plains Couple Are Parents of Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Miller, Jr., of child of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Harris. random diagonally across the field, San Antonio, formerly of Cross Plains, are parents of a seven pound 3 ounce baby son born in has been named Michael Olvis.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. to the acre, he recommends. If the Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. emulsion concentrate contains two Miller, Sr., of Kermit are the paper acre in at least two gallons of ler of Kermit and Mrs. J. C. Fos-

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Abilene Couple Announce

Susan Lynnette is the name Mr.

Little Susan Lynnette has nine Mrs. W. P. Smith, Midland; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. | Weldon Wootten of Abilene visit-W. O. Wiley, Amarillo, and great- ed friends in Cross Plains Monday. grandmother, Mrs. M. Harris, Hous-

The baby is the 40th great-grand-

The experience of more than nine ernoon. thousand farmers shows that conpopulation of 25 to 50 greenbugs San Antonio, January 25. The baby servation farming increases the per acre yield of cotton by 32.5 percent on 9,348 farms, a survey

Erosion is the greatest known pounds actual parathion per gallon, ternal grandparents. Great-grand- waster of plant food. In a normal apply at a rate of one to two pints parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mil- year, erosion removes twenty-one times as much plant food from the soil as crops do.

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The first of a series of advertiseseven pound 12 ounce baby daught- and Mrs. Billy Jack Harris of Abi- ments designed to acquaint the molene have given their eight pound toring public with their new gaso-

Paternal grandparents are Mr. 4 ounce baby daughter born Feb- line, New 1955 Gulf No-Nox, appears in this edition of the Review. Sponsored jointly by Gulf Corpests-greenbugs, winter grain mites parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. B. living grandparents as follows: pa-poration and D. C. Lee, local bulk ternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. agent, the advertisements are atents are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bush J. B. Harris, Rising Star; great-tractively designed and carry ex-Control measures against green- and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Champion grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. cellent sales messages concerning

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Neeb and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ingram attended the funeral of Mrs. Ingram's aunt, Mrs. J. H. Brown, at Voss Saturday aft-



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