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"AS I SEE IT"

By Jack McCarty

you see the high school beauty contest last Thursday night? didn't, you really missed something! Beauty is something that never has seen a more beautiful bevy of young girls! We would have hated to have missed the task of picking three most beautiful, and the judges made excellent choices in choosing Linda Vaught, good and Mickey Jowers as winners and our congratulations to these girls.

in the daily papers week where King Saud of Arabia ordered a fleet of Cadillac from General Motors at a cost of one million dollars before he left for London. Now we don't blame his mess for wanting the best in court, but it seems to us a guy trying to borrow 200 million dollars to help finance our country, could get along with a lot less... say a few little "priced" Chevrolets with the jewels. We are satisfied that this deal is "good for our country" but we are wondering the question of whether or not it is good for our nation. However, we are satisfied with the "Old Foot-in-the-mouth" Secretary of Defense and his all right and probably he thinks so, too.

is some talk of organizing the Merchants Credit Association in Cross Plains. The matter was discussed briefly at the Chamber meeting this week and will be acted upon at the next meeting. If you are interested in this organization of this type, be sure to be at the next meeting of the Chamber to be held in the basement of the Methodist Church the following day in March at noon.

of the Chamber of Commerce endorsed an extensive extension plan presented by E. O. Kizer, President of Kizer Telephone Co. Under this plan all rural residents of Cross Plains will be able to have dial service out of the local office. The company is asking for a 35-year franchise contract from the City of Cross Plains and the Chamber of Commerce asked the council to grant the contract as a means of improving local service.

et wishes go to W. J. "Son" George Hutchins and Charles Dan Falkner, in their business ventures. With the help of Falkner, all these men are businessmen of our city and have only changed to a new firm and Falkner is an old hand boy, known to a large part of the local population. Their advertisement on page 1 of this edition of The Review.

atulations go, also, to members of the Cross Plains School for their action this week in electing Ferrell Newton, high school principal, and Jack Watkins, elementary school principal, new trustees. Our community is fortunate to have men of continued on back page

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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1957

NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN



CROSS PLAINS' PRETTIEST — Linda Vaught, center, was chosen as the most beautiful girl in Cross Plains High School Thursday night as 31 girls competed for that honor. Rated as the second most beautiful was Jo Atwood, right, with Mickey Jowers, left placing third. The winner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vaught. (Photo by Aubrey Shouse)

Three Local Firms Are Now Under New Management

Three local business firms are under new management here this week as a result of business transactions consummated the past week. W. J. "Son" Sipes, former Magnolia agent sold his agency to George Hutchins, who is now in charge of the business. Sipes is now devoting his full time to the operation of his insurance and real estate firm, purchased recently from Robert Calhoun.

Charles Dillard and Dan Falkner purchased the Hutchins Magnolia Service Station from George Hutchins and are now in charge of the business.

Advertisements concerning these businesses appear on page three of this edition of the Review and the new owners invite the public to visit with them.

Callahan County Singing To Be Held Here Sunday

The Review has been requested to announce that the Callahan County Singing will be held at the Cross Plains Methodist Church Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2 p.m. All singers and lovers of sacred music are extended a cordial invitation.

City And School Elections To Name Aldermen And Trustees Called For April 2 and 6

The City Council, meeting in regular session at the city hall and the School Board, meeting at the high school, Monday night of this week, ordered elections to name aldermen and trustees.

City voters will ballot Tuesday, April 2, to elect three councilmen to succeed Alton Hornsby, Lloyd Bryan and Jack McCarty, whose terms are expiring. According to state election laws, candidates for the places must file their names with the City Clerk at the city hall 30 days before the election, in order to get their names on the ballot. Deadline for filing will be Friday, March 1.

The election will be held at the city hall, with polls opening at 8:00 a.m. and closing at 7:30 p.m. Jim Carpenter will serve as election judge.

School district voters will ballot Saturday, April 6, to select two trustees to succeed Sterling Odum and Claude Mayes, whose terms are expiring. State election laws provide that all candidates in this election must file for places on the ballot 10 days before the election date, with Claude Mayes, Secretary of the School Board. Deadline for filing will be March 27. Jack McCarty will serve as election judge.

Senatorial Election
There will also be a statewide senatorial election to name a state senator to the National Senate, replacing Gov. Price Daniel who resigned the place after being elected governor. This election will be held on the same date of the city election, April 2, and will also be conducted at the city hall.

Linda Vaught Top Beauty Contestant

Tall, smiling and poised, 15-year-old Linda Vaught was hailed as the most beautiful girl in Cross Plains High School after being selected from among 31 contestants here Thursday night.

The Auburn haired sophomore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vaught of Cross Plains.

Runners up in the contest, held in the school auditorium, were Jo Atwood, 15, sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood, and Mickey Jowers, 16, junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Jowers.

Their selection was the result of a contest which kept a good crowd of students, parents and friends engrossed for about two hours. Announcement of the winners was greeted by cheers and applause.

Mrs. Travis Foster and I. B. Lovings, yearbook sponsors, directed the contest with Clark Baum as master of ceremonies.

In the formal presentation of the top three contestants, the school favorites for 1957 also were introduced. They included:

Football sweetheart and junior class favorite Donna Garlitz, escorted by Jerry Foster; FFA and Band Sweetheart; Mary Scott, escorted by Mike McClure, FFA beau; most popular girl Glendene Philley; most popular and second most handsome boy Jim McDonald; freshman favorite Jean Bonner and Bobby Golson; sophomore favorites Mary Koenig and Charles Neeb; junior favorite boy David Wells, senior favorites Fay Graham and David Jennings, and grade school favorites Betty Hinkle and John Baird.

John Baum escorted Miss Atwood, Miss Jowers by the third place most handsome boy Granvel Scott and Miss Vaught by the boy selected as the most handsome. Mr. Baum is a brother of Mrs. David Wells.



Ferrell Newton



Jack Watkins

GET TWO YEAR CONTRACTS
Pictured above, Ferrell Newton and Jack Watkins, high school and elementary school principals, respectively, who were given new two-year contracts by the Board of Trustees meeting in regular session at the school, Monday night of this week.

The new contracts cover the school years 1957-58 and 1958-59.

Stage Band To Play Concert At San Saba; Stephenville Here Feb. 21

The Cross Plains High School Stage Band journeys to San Saba Friday afternoon of this week to render a concert at the high school that night.

The group will spend the night there as guests of San Saba band members and will return home Saturday.

On Thursday, Feb. 21, the Stephenville High School Stage Band will render a concert in the school auditorium here for students and school patrons. Everyone in the community is invited to attend, it was stated.

R. C. BAUM UNDERGOES MAJOR SURGERY

Friends will regret to learn that R. C. Baum of Idabel, Okla. underwent major surgery at Baylor Hospital in Dallas three weeks ago. He is slowly improving according to reports received here, but is expected to remain in the hospital for some time.

His address is Room 281, Baylor Hospital, Dallas, Texas. Mr. Baum is a brother of Mrs. Mary Bond of this city.

Thundershower Gauges .10 Inch of Moisture

A thundershower, falling in this area about mid-morning Wednesday of this week, was gauged at .10 inch of moisture on the U. S. Department of Commerce gauge, kept here by Chester Glover.

The sky is overcast and there is a chance for additional moisture as the Review goes to press.

Cage Teams Lose To Mason; Win Over Rising Star Wildcats

Mason cowpunchers corralled Cross Plains' Buffaloes, 51-22, here Friday night to hang onto a first-place tie with Llano in District 9-A. Llano whipped Santa Anna, 49-44, in Santa Anna. Both Llano and Mason now have 6-1 loop records, while Cross Plains is 3-4 in district play.

Roy Goff and Jay Brown paced Mason with 12 points each, while Clark Baum netted eight for Cross Plains.

Cross Plains won the girls game, 43-43. Vonda Dillard led the hosts with 18, while Janet Mayo tallied 31 for Mason.

The Cross Plains Buffaloes notched their fourth win of the season in District 9-A play Tuesday night by noosing out the Rising Star Wildcats, 39-38.

Pat Moore was high with 16 for the winners, but Howard Walker of Rising Star took scoring honors for the night with 21 points.

Rising Star won the girls game, 47-32, with Mary Haynes scoring 29 points for the winners.

The box score: (field goals, free throws, total points)

Junior Cage Teams Down Rising Star, Past Week; Play Clyde Here Tonight

The Cross Plains Junior High basketball teams, coached by Billy Mac Coppinger and Jack Watkins, were in Rising Star last Thursday for return games with the Junior Wildcats and returned home victors in both boys and girls games.

The local boys won 26-20 and the girls won 23-20.

Clyde Junior High teams will play in the local gymnasium tonight (Thursday) with the first game scheduled to get under way at 5:30. There will be games, including "A" and "B" boys and girls and a high school girls "B" game.

Father of Local Woman Buried In Rising Star

Funeral for Robert Roy Rutledge, 68, of Rising Star, father of Mrs. Billy Dillard of this city, was held at the First Baptist Church in Rising Star Tuesday, February 12, 1957 at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Willis C. Hazel officiating.

He was born January 15, 1889 in Florence, where he was reared. He was married there on Dec. 28, 1919. He was a carpenter and contractor, and a member of the First Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; five daughters, Mrs. Edna Zellars of Frisco, Mrs. Lois Wright of Wink, Mrs. Oma Ruth Butson of Rising Star, Mrs. Frances Clark of Kermit and Mrs. Dillard of this city; five sons, James of Anchorage, Alaska, Leonard of Blythe, Calif., E. E. (Jiggs) of Rising Star, Elwood of Bakersfield, Calif. and Lee of Tyler; one brother, three sisters and 24 grandchildren.

Dr. Eli Powell Undergoes Surgery in Temple Last Week

Dr. Eli Powell was reported Tuesday to be resting as well as could be expected, following surgery in Scott and White Hospital at Temple last week. Dr. Powell has been in failing health for sometime and was admitted to the hospital the first of the week. Dr. Powell is in Temple with his husband.

A number of friends and relatives from here have visited in Temple the past week with the Powells.

Fred Tunnell Back On Job At Citizens State Bank

His many friends in this area were pleased to see Fred Tunnell, popular president of the Citizens State Bank back at his desk Monday morning after being released from an Abilene hospital on Sunday.

He underwent surgery on Wednesday of last week for an internal disorder which had been aggravated by his recent serious injuries received in an automobile accident on Dec. 16.

Fred is doing fine and says he is feeling better each day.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Jowers and Mickey, during the week end were Mrs. Oscar Page of San Angelo and Mrs. Larry Nichols and children of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Petty were visiting in Lewisville over the week end with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mikel, and daughter, Little Cindy Michel returned home with her grandparents for a visit.

Chamber Of Commerce Hires New Secretary And Endorses Telephone Company's Proposal



The Chamber of Commerce, meeting in regular session for noon luncheon in the basement of the Methodist Church, Tuesday, voted unanimously to appoint a committee to employ a paid secretary to handle the business of the body and President A. J. McCuin named Alton Hornsby, Dave Lee and Jack McCarty to secure a man to fill the place, recently vacated by Robert Calhoun who is now serving with the U. S. Army at Fort Bliss, El Paso.

The committee elected Lloyd Bryan to the office of secretary and he will begin his new duties immediately, it was said.

Officials of the Kizer Telephone Co. met with the Chamber of Commerce and explained the need for a 25-year franchise in Cross Plains, so that the company could receive a government loan to install a complete rural telephone system in this area.

E. O. Kizer president of the company, explained the company's plans and showed those in attendance maps of the proposed rural system.

The Chamber voted unanimously to endorse the program and asked the city council here to grant the company the needed franchise.

Merchants Credit Association
The need for a retail merchants credit association was discussed briefly and action postponed until the next meeting on a proposal by W. J. Sipes to organize an association in his office here if there is sufficient demand for one.

John L. Ferrell, 81, Dies Of Heart Attack; Buried Here Sunday

John Lewis Ferrell, 81, died at his home about midnight, Thursday, February 7, 1957, following a heart attack. He had been in failing health for several months, but his death was unexpected.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church here, Sunday, February 10, at 2 p.m. with Rev. Robert Walker, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Comanche, officiating, assisted by Rev. John J. Norris pastor of the local church. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Mr. Ferrell was born Sept. 24, 1875 in Ashland, Miss. He was married Oct. 7, 1897 to Miss Ollie Elizabeth Goodman in Fannin County. The couple made their home in the Dreary Community for several years. They moved from Plainview back to Cross Plains 15 years ago. Mrs. Ferrell died in 1950.

Surviving are five sons, Doyle L. of Plainview, Joe of Friona, John L. Jr. of Lubbock, Frank of Richmond, Va., and Floyd Ferrell of Memphis, Tenn.; three daughters, Mrs. Howard Baum and Mrs. Leo Davis of Lubbock and Mrs. A. B. Carr of Dallas; 13 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Sons of the deceased and one grandson, Don Davis, served as pallbearers.

Huckabys Sell Rowden Store To Baird Man; Move to Town

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Huckaby have sold their service station and store, located on Highway 36, in the Rowden Community to Roscoe Shellnut of Baird, the past week.

The Huckabys have moved back to town and are now residing in the Baldwin house, across the street from Mayes Lumber Co.

Philosopher Baffled By Expert's Opposition To Drouth Legislation That Might Not Work

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson-grass farm on the Bayou has been drouth-stricken thinking, if you want to call it that, his letter this week indicates.

Dear editor:
I was reading along in a news article out of Washington last night when my mind sort of idling when suddenly I went back over the same item because something it had slipped up on me and shocked me awake.
There it was in the second paragraph. It was a statement by an agricultural expert who was opposing a drouth relief bill in congress on the grounds that "it would create more problems than it would solve."
This brought my feet down off the chair they were propped on and set me thinking hard.

This is one of the strangest reasons for opposing anything I ever heard of.

If people are going to stop passing bills or thinking up inventions or doing anything else just because they'll create more problems than they solve, we might as well call off Congress, close up the state legislatures, shut down the colleges, and outlaw the automobile.

Take the automobile, for example. In view of the fact more people have been killed in car wrecks than in all the wars we've ever fought,

Yours faithfully,
J. A.



FOOTBALL SWEETHEART . . . Miss Donna Garlitz, high school junior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Garlitz, who was crowned sweetheart of the Buffalo football squad in ceremonies at the dual grid banquet, held at the school auditorium recently. (Review photo.)

Mrs. Clyde Durringer of El Centro, Calif. arrived in Cross Plains Sunday for a visit with her mother and sister, Mrs. R. Robertson and Mrs. Mary Gensley. She will also visit with relatives in Fort Worth while here.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pillans during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fletcher and family, Bay City, Mrs. Kenneth McPherson and family, Baird and the George Morgan family of Abilene.

Sabanno News

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cumba and son of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cumba and children of Avoca and Patsy Cumba of Abilene spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann visited with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson at Romney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Durham visited in Dublin last week.

Jim Casey is on the sick list. Hope he will soon be up and around again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk visited in Sidney Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ingram and John visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ingram, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mitchell of Abilene is visiting in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott.

Mrs. Kite of Brownwood is visiting in the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Beene.

Moody Laminack and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin attended the singing in Rising Star, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Braddock and baby of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kelly of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Webb, Lindell and Marita, of Cisco, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King.

Mrs. Lorena Lilley visited Amy Dodson Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dawkins of DeLeon were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brooker and baby of Abilene were Sunday visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ingram and children.

Mrs. Lorena Lilley attended the funeral of John Ferrell in Cross

Fidelis Sunday School Class Social Held Feb. 5

Twenty members of the Fidelis Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in a bi-monthly social at the home of Mrs. Arlis Webb Tuesday evening of last week with Misses A. B. Dewbre, L. T. Foster, Mae Dillard, Wilda Edington and Enal McMillan as co-hostesses.

After a short business session with the president, Mrs. Hadden Payne, presiding, the group enjoyed wholesome Bible games and quizzes.

A tuna salad plate garnished with olives, pickles and potato chips accompanied with Valentine cookies, hot chocolate and coffee was passed.

Among those attending was Miss Lindsey Tyson, Dave Lee, L. F. Foster, N. L. Long, Pat McNeil, Sr., Tom Cox, V. L. Hobdy, Chester Glover, T. R. Montgomery, Homer Moon, Kenneth Holt, J. P. McCord, Otis Purvis and the hostesses.

Plains, Sunday afternoon.

Edd Miller of Lampkin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Thursday and Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stephens and children of Colorado City visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott, over the week end.

The Community night which was held at the Baptist Church last week, was well attended and everyone enjoyed the get-together. Rev. Whitehorn was master of ceremonies and entertained with a number of tricks and readings, there was singing by the group attending and good quartets entertained. All present enjoy the pie, coffee, hot cocoa and cold drinks. The get-together, in behalf of the March of Dimes drive, listed donations as \$36.44. Those in charge want to express their sincere appreciation to all who had a part in this worthy cause.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Rich and son, Mike, from Odessa, spent the week end visiting Miss Marcel Rich in Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rich of Cross Plains. They also visited Mrs. Glen Pope, a niece of Mr. Rich, who is a patient in Memorial Hospital, Brownwood.

Rowden News

By Mrs. BERNARD CROW

Those spending the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Don, were Miss Irene Mauldin of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Brown, Abilene and Roland, Cisco Junior College.

Ray Boen spent the week end in Fort Worth visiting his sister, Mrs. Anye Miller and other relatives.

Mrs. Sterling Odum attended the PTA meeting at Cross Plains, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose visited Mr. and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow visited relatives at Clyde Monday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Nowell, Rosemary and Dicky and some friends, whose names I failed to learn, had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin attended the girls basketball tournament at Abilene the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane Weaver and boys of Abilene visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Akin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Dale Brown spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary of Abilene spent Monday night and Tuesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow.

CARD OF THANKS
I am glad to report that I am now at home and feeling fine following surgery and want each of you to know that I sincerely appreciated your thoughtfulness to me while I was in the hospital and since I have returned home. It is in time of sickness, that friends such as you, mean so much.
Mrs. A. A. Smith.

Ben Wagner returned to his home in Vernon Thursday of last week after visiting a few days with his mother, Mrs. Mary Wagner and Dick. Mrs. Wagner spent several days in Vernon with her two grandchildren while their parents, were vacationing in New Mexico, West Texas and points in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McClellan are visiting relatives, in Austin this week.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bell and Mrs. Abilene visited relatives over the week end.

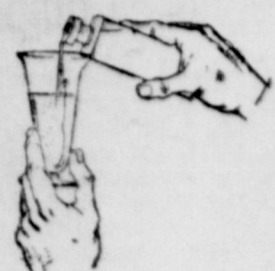
CHURCHES OF CHRIST

SCHEDULE OF SUNDAY SERVICES and SERMON SUBJECTS

BURKETT BILLY MIZE, Minister	PIONEER G. A. DUNN, Jr., Minister
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.	Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.	Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Sermon Subject:	Sermon Subject:
	"Bible Excuses"
	Evening services 7:00 p.m.
	Sermon Subject:
	"We Know"
	Wednesday study 7:00 p.m.
COTTONWOOD MELVIN PLACE, Minister	CROSS PLAINS JAMES E. FRIEST, Minister
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.	Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Sermon Subject:	Sermon Subject:
"The Golden Rule"	"Excuses"
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.	Young People's Class 6:15 p.m.
Sermon Subject:	Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
"The Result of the Little Maid's Faith"	Sermon Subject:
	"Character of Satan"

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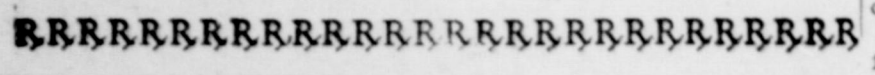
A Little Plain and Fancy Boasting



THE VALUE of a product is not in the label itself but in its significance. There is invisible quality in every label bearing the name of this pharmacy. Frequently, your doctor prescribes some U.S.P. (United States Pharmacopoeia) or N.F. (National Formulary) drug without specifying the manufacturer. On all such occasions, we use the very best standard brand. When you bring your prescriptions to us, you are assured of fresh, pure ingredients of the highest quality and competent, accurate compounding.

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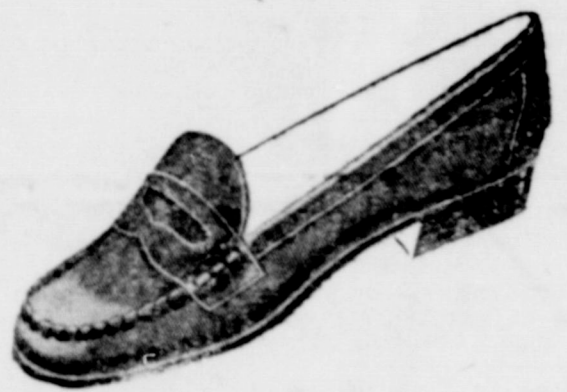


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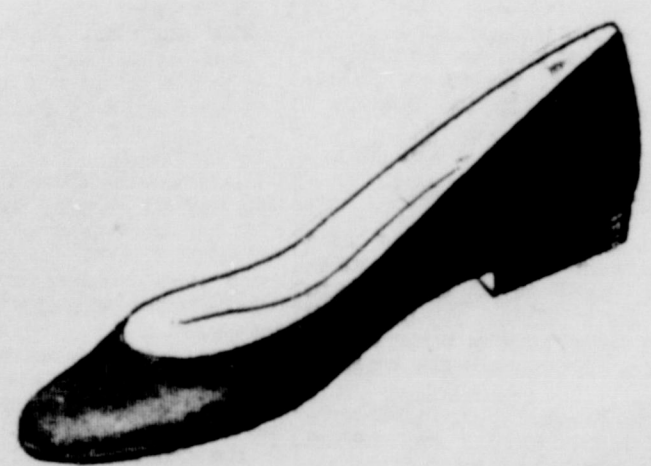
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You Remember?...

February 6, 1942
 During this week Cross Plains started operating on a six day week. Other words, there will be no day holidays as heretofore. The school week is being extended to rural areas by the department of education to permit rural students to farm work, in cooperation with the national defense which is urged on farm production. Marvin Ray Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith of this city, resigned as a member of the city council in regular ses-

sion of the body Tuesday night. He explained that recent attacks of asthma necessitated his removing from Cross Plains to Brownwood, where the malady is less bothersome. Cross Plains high school Buffaloes completed their conference basketball schedule at Brady Friday night with a 46 to 27 conquest of coach Russ Holland's Bulldogs and thereby laid undisputed claim to the conference diadem. Carl J. Sohns (Office City Drug) and Mrs. Earl Smith of this city, seaman first class in the United

Telephone Directory CHANGES AND ADDITIONS

... Ruby	5-3189
... ell, Eldon	5-2302
... rd & Falkner Magnolia Station	5-2581
... ke, Merlin	5-3443
... ard, James D.	5-3743
... J. Office	5-2991
... hins Magnolia Wholesale	5-3201
... am, W. H.	5-2553
... aniel, Mable	5-3554
... ake, Lamoine	5-3327
... hn, Gro. & Station	5-3691
... Carl J. Sohns (Office City Drug)	5-2241
... ehorn, E. B.	5-2834

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 Cross Plains Rising Star

States Navy, who was reported "missing" following the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor December 7 was declared "officially lost in the service of his country" in a telegram received by the parents here Tuesday night from Rear Admiral Jacobs, Chief of the Bureau of U. S. Navigation. A memorial service in tribute to the well known Cross Plains boy, the first to lose his life in the service of his country during the present war, will be held at the First Baptist Church here Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in connection with the regular Sabbath service.

Two acres of land, just South of local cemetery has been purchased by the Cross Plains Cemetery Association through cooperation with the city council.

Mrs. Lester Hoover, Miss Mavis Jones and Mrs. Bailey Wilson entertained Friday evening, Jan. 30, in the home of the latter, with a surprise birthday party, honoring Bailey Wilson, 14 members of the Cross Plains Fire Department attended.

Miss Vondelle Brown visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Brown the past week end. Vondelle has been attending a defense school in Dallas, Pioneer news.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan and children moved to Cross Plains last week. We regret to see our citizens move away. Cottonwood news.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odom of Bisbee, Ariz. announce the birth of a six pound and fourteen ounce baby girl, Sandra Gail, born Jan. 28. Mrs. Odom is the former Miss Verda Gaines of this place. Burkett news.

February 5, 1957
 City tax payers are warned this week by Mayor S. P. Collins against assuming an indifferent attitude toward city taxes, and urged to be more cooperative. The mayor calls attention to a recent resolution of the city council assessing penalties for delayed payment.

Honor rolls announced from Cross Plains schools this week show 71 students to have an average of 90 or better. Best average in high school went to Doyle McMillan who posted 93.

Cross Plains will be host Saturday to the annual Callahan County basketball tournaments, in which eight boys and five girls teams are entered.

Mrs. Homer Moon and three children will leave Friday for San Antonio where they will make their home. Mr. Moon will operate a repair shop of his own there.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tyler of this place are the parents of an eight pound baby girl born Tuesday, Feb. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Bryson, who live East of town, are parents of a seven and one half pound baby girl born Jan. 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Bush of near Sabanna are the proud parents of a baby girl born Sunday night, Jan. 31.

Doris Marie Daniel who was seriously injured when struck by an automobile Thursday afternoon of last week, is reported improving.

Burkett

By Mrs. T. C. Strickland

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker and family have moved to Huntsville, where he is attending school and has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Edmondson and baby of Weatherford visited here part of the past week.

Mrs. Lillian Weaver of Lubbock and son, Pvt. Noel L. Weaver of Twenty-nine Palms, Calif., and Miss Janice Jeeters of Lubbock spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. T. C. Strickland and family. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield of Cross Plains visited in the Strickland home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulan Harris and children of Robert Lee visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Adams and family of Fort Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Adams.

Mrs. J. B. Pricer, Sandra and John of Santa Anna visited friends here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jesse Harris, Troy Tomlinson, J. W. Morgan and J. W. Tomlinson, Dale Weeks and Eddie Strickland visited Mr. and Mrs. Hester Copeland and family of Bangs.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Dwight Black spent the week end at home. He and Harvey McKinley of Brownwood are employed at Hobbs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pillans, William and girls from Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ray Erwin and children of Merkel also visited in the Foster home and James spent Saturday night and Sunday in Abilene with Neal.

Rev. and Mrs. Chick visited in the community, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd and Dolores from Cross Cut and Mrs. Merlin Hutchins, Michael and Melody from Odessa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady visited his mother, and also Mr. Sykes, at Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tip Wrinkle and Leola visited Pat in Fort Worth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rouse and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys visited in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eura Griffith and Averil, Mr. and Mrs. Sandlin and Mary from Fort Worth, Mr. Ledbetter and three sons from Abilene and Lavada and Mel from Brownwood visited Mr. Black, Sunday.

Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. Hattie McGary, of Haskell, visited her brother, Bill Robinson and family, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Winchester, son and daughter, Fielding and Rondabeth, of Ibe, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Woody and son, Allen, of Grand Prairie, were home this week end.

Minnie Lee Woody and daughter of San Angelo, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Woody Saturday.

Mrs. Hazel Coppinger visited in the Respass home Saturday night and Sunday.

Charles Clifton of Ballinger, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clifton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Brown and two daughters of Pioneer visited Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy, Monday.

Leonard Coats, of Pecos, visited his father and sister, J. H. Coats and Mrs. A. A. Holley, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Sandifer visited their daughter and family, the Gallivan's, in Fort Worth, Sunday.

Mrs. Morris Snyder and son, Jr., of Moran, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sparks, Monday.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We are truly grateful to the good friends who did so much for us during our recent sorrow. May we take this means of saying thank you for the many comforting expressions of your friendship and affection.

The family of J. L. Ferrell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Neeb of Brownwood were visiting with friends and relatives here Tuesday.

Relatives visiting Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Tyson were Dr. and Mrs. Henry B. Hardt of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Tyson and son, Bob, of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Galloway and children, Vicki and Robert of Brownwood.

rapidly in a Cisco hospital. X-ray pictures revealed that she sustained a broken leg. She is also suffering with head and internal injuries.

Mrs. Lon Anderson and Mrs. C. W. Barr were co-hostess Tuesday afternoon when they complimented Mrs. Lloyd Baum with a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter from two o'clock until five.

The choral club of Cross Plains high school was organized Monday afternoon, Feb. 1 under the supervision of Miss Louise Nelson. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Eloise Lane, vice-president, Miss Louise Graves, secretary-treasurer, Miss Martha Nan McAdams and reporter, Miss Josephine Harris.

CITY ELECTION NOTICE

I, W. D. Smith, Mayor of the City of Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Cross Plains, Texas on the 2nd day of April, 1957, A. D., it being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing officers to fill the following places:

Three (3) aldermen to serve for a period of two years.

Said election shall be held at the CITY HALL in Cross Plains, Texas, under the State Election Law regulating municipal elections. Polls to open at 8:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m.

The law provides that the names of all candidates to be placed on the ballot, must be filed with Ava Childers, City Secretary, on or be-

ORDER OF TRUSTEE ELECTION

CROSS PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 State of Texas
 County of Callahan
 Cross Plains Independent School District

To the Qualified Voters of Said District:

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Cross Plains Independent School District, in Cross Plains, Texas, at the City Hall, Cross Plains, Texas, on or before March 27, 1957.

Approved by City Council in regular session, February 11, 1957.

Signed and executed this 11th day of February, 1957, A. D.

W. D. SMITH, Mayor
 Lloyd Bryan, City Secretary.

Hall on the first Saturday in April, 1957, the same being the 6 day of said month 1957, for the purpose of electing two trustees of Cross Plains Independent School District, to succeed Sterling Odom, and Claude Mayes whose terms expire.

The law provides that the names of all candidates to be placed on the ballot must be filed with Claude Mayes, Secretary of Board of Trustees, on or before March 27, 1957.

Claude Mayes, Secretary
 Board of Trustees
 Cross Plains Independent School District
 Cross Plains, Texas.

47-41c

Mrs. Henry L. Evans, Jr., and baby daughter, Betty Ann, of Brownwood, visited here Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Tyson.

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We are happy to announce to the citizens of this area that we have purchased the Magnolia Service Station, located on the corner of South Main Street and Highway 36, from George Hutchins and are now in charge of the business.

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I am pleased to announce to the citizens of this area that I have, this week, taken over the operation of my Insurance Firm, located in the Telephone Co. Building and will devote my full time to serving your needs in Insurance and Real Estate.

Robert Calhoun, former owner and recent employee of the business, terminated his connection with the firm, Monday of last week.

Insurance - Real Estate

I have recently made an extensive study of the insurance business, and invite you to call on me when you have problems or need advice on your insurance needs.

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Mrs. AND MRS. JERRY DON EDGAR AT HOME IN CISCO

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Edgar are at home in Cisco after their marriage in Carlsbad, N. M. They were accompanied to Carlsbad by Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson of Cisco.

Mrs. Edgar is the former Miss Gatha Lee Melton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Melton and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Haucum and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Melton Cross Cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Brigner were visiting in Merkel Sunday with his father C. W. Brigner and reported Mr. Brigner's condition to be slightly improved.

Mrs. A. J. McCuin has been in Abilene for several days with her grandmother, Mrs. S. L. Alexander of Winters who has been a patient at Hendrick Memorial hospital for sometime. Mrs. Alexander, 91, suffered a fractured arm some two weeks ago and has been in Hendrick Memorial Hospital since that time.



Austin—Possibility of financing the most ambitious program in state history without new taxes has been put forth by Gov. Price Daniel.

In his budget message to the Legislature Governor Daniel recommended a \$32,000,000 increase in state spending during the next two years. More money would go for public school teachers' salaries, judicial salaries, state hospitals and salaries, state hospitals and special schools, Prison System, Railroad Commission, State Highway, Public Safety and Insurance Departments, higher education, state employees' retirement, an archives building, old age pensions, aid to handicapped, state advertising, water conservation, highway right-of-way buying, legislative salaries and state law enforcement commission.

Financing would be on a "little bit here, little bit there" basis. Daniel said he felt legislators might expect some increase in the comptroller's forecast of expected revenue. He also called on the oil industry to work out its bottlenecks to allow for increased oil production. This could bring the state an additional \$40,000,000 in the next biennium.

A 10 per cent boost in auto license fees for right-of-way buying was proposed by the governor. He also recommended studying diversion of part of the permanent school fund to the available fund to finance public school costs, and higher tuition to help pay college teachers more.

And, if after all these, still more money is needed, he proposed a tax of 3.4 cent per 1,000 cubic feet of gas reserves tied up in long-term contracts.

John Q. Speaks

Most of the 55th's significant legislation is now in the committee stage. Committees are required to hold public hearings at which any interested person may appear to say why he's for or against the bill being considered.

In the course of a session controversial measures bring hundreds, even thousands, of citizens to speak their minds at committee hearings.

1. Cutting firemen's hours to 60 in larger cities, 63 in smaller. Fire-fighters Association is pushing vigorously. Cities say they can't afford it, protest state interference in local affairs.

2. Giving more legal rights to women, another bi-annual bone of contention. Many women's groups are backing bills to abolish the wife's separate acknowledgment on property sales and allow women to con-

vey their separate property without husband's consent.

3. Regulating handling of sale of eggs. House committee approved the bill which would require dealers and wholesalers to "properly label" eggs. Owners of small flocks, not claiming a specific grade for their eggs, would be exempt.

4. A bill requiring the admission of reporters to precinct, county and state political conventions. Approved by Senate Committee. A TPA "Better Government" Bill.

5. More power for the State Highway Department in condemning land for road rights. Sought by the department as necessary for the stepped-up building program. Opponents call it "arbitrary," say land owners wouldn't have time to get out of the way of bulldozers.

6. Licensing and regulating bail bondsmen. Proponents say it is necessary to stop "jail running" and "fee splitting" by lawyers and bondsmen.

7. Raising Legislative salaries to \$7,300 a year. Backed by Texas Jaycees, opposed by economy-minded solons and others who saw a similar constitutional amendment vetoed at the polls several years ago. House committee, nevertheless, approved.

Feed Regulation Okayed

Both House and Senate have passed bills updating regulation of livestock feed sales.

Differences in the proposals by Sen. George Moffett of Chillicothe and Rep. Grainger McIlhany of Wheeler will have to be adjusted.

Basic aim is to require labeling as to contents of feeds and closer inspection of manufacturing.

Insurance Form Shut Down

State agencies have moved to close ICT Insurance Company of Dallas. Described as "hopelessly insolvent," the company is alleged to be \$4,500,000 in the red.

On request of the Insurance Commission, Atty. Gen. Will Wilson obtained a temporary court restraining order against business operations.

Officials emphasized the business involved, a casualty company, should not be confused with ICT Life Insurance Co.

Oil Situation Tense

Eyes of the world will be on the Texas Railroad Commission hearing Feb. 19 to decide the March Allowable.

In the background is an implied threat of federal control if state agencies and industry fail to step up production to supply Western Europe.

Texas officials were sharply critical of the Washington attitude. Governor Daniel said the President should use his authority to cut crude oil imports and reduce refinery runs. These, plus pipeline connections for independents' wells, would make it possible for Texas to export more crude oil, he said.

Water Board Changes

Amid the hue and cry for water conservation, State Auditor C. H. Cavness noted numerous "weaknesses" in the present State Water Board set-up.

In his annual report of the board Cavness suggested reorganization along the lines of the State Highway Commission. This means a three-man policy board a full-time administrator.

Primary needs, said Cavness, are for continuity of direction and a

state-wide master water plan.

Co-Op Bailing

Rural electric co-ops can continue to serve customers in an area after it is annexed to a city, says the State Supreme Court.

But others in the city area cannot become members of the co-op, said the court.

It was the end to draw-out litigation between the City of Gilmer and Upshur Rural Co-op with other Texas co-ops and private utilities joined in.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Baum of Hobbs, N. M. visited here Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baum.

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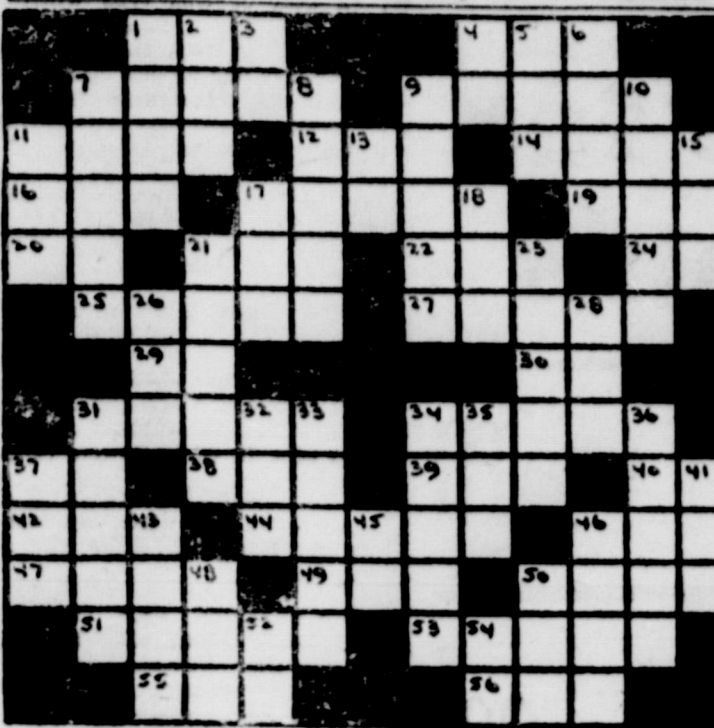
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CROSSWORD — By A. C. Gordon



ACROSS
 1 - To complete
 4 - connection
 7 - Fund fault
 8 - Inadequate
 11 - Flat land
 12 - Satisfy the inner man
 14 - Form in droop
 16 - Citric drink
 17 - Shining
 19 - Snowy skier
 20 - Regarding
 21 - Health resort
 22 - Resting place
 24 - Printer's measure
 25 - Throw back
 27 - Islam's sacred scripture
 29 - Proceed
 30 - Silver (chem.)
 31 - The Code
 34 - Former
 37 - Sun god
 38 - Large cask

DOWN
 2 - Dexas
 40 - Provided
 42 - Public notices
 44 - To furnish
 46 - Hoist
 47 - Festive
 49 - Combining form for "tail"
 50 - Baking place
 51 - Girth of soldier of duty
 52 - Aptitude
 55 - Greek letter
 56 - That thing's DOWN
 1 - Costume
 2 - Girl's name
 3 - Greek letter
 4 - Kind of electric current
 5 - To peck
 6 - Darts
 7 - Transferer
 8 - Aboveboard
 9 - Supply
 10 - assumed

ACROSS
 11 - Blemish
 13 - Boy's nickname
 15 - Obscure
 17 - Mimic
 18 - Court
 21 - To gambol
 23 - Characteristic
 26 - Self
 28 - Time past
 31 - Feminine title
 32 - Bring legal action
 33 - Boredom
 34 - Testimony
 35 - Disturbance
 36 - Copious flow
 37 - Taster
 41 - Bog
 43 - Swing around
 45 - Medical title
 46 - Bird (Latin)
 48 - To rear
 50 - Grain
 52 - Tantalum (chem.)
 54 - Chinese distance measure

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Saturday, Feb. 16

8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

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This vaccine will last for one year from the date of administration and you are required to have your dogs vaccinated at one year intervals. There will be no license charge made by the city but a charge of \$1.75 per head will be made for administering the vaccine. This will be a cash fee, we cannot make charge tickets on this fee.

You do not have to live in the city limits in order to have your dog vaccinated on the above date. If you are out of town and have a dog, protect him, yourself, family and neighbors by having him vaccinated for rabies. Bring your pets in on the above date. A representative of the city will start picking up dogs without rabies tags on March 1st. Protect your pet by having him vaccinated in time.

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Flour Kimbell's, 25 lbs. **1 69**

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"AS I SEE IT" . . .

(Continued from page One) their calibre in charge of our classroom activities.

Our Eager Beaver department. Claude Mayes, genial owner and operator of Mayes Lumber Company here, was telling us about a long distance telephone call he received Monday of this week from Chicago wanting to sell him a \$4.00 subscription to the National Lumberman's Magazine. Mayes stated that it was impossible to turn a fellow down on a deal of this type when he went to the trouble and expense of calling from that far away. We love our Review subscribers, but our financial structure would make this type of solicitation impossible!

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Smith and little son of Abilene visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McMillan.

Mrs. Patsy Hunt and son are visiting with relatives in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCowen of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wallace of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McCowen, Sunday.

Mrs. Walker Richardson of Coleman visited here Thursday with her mother, Mrs. J. G. Sims, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Groce and daughters, Dinah and Debbie, of Rising Star visited friends here, Sunday.

Glendene Philley was in Big Spring during the week visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. R. Philley and sons. Rev. Philley brought his daughter home Sunday night and visited here Monday with friends.

Mrs. W. H. Coppinger visited in Dallas last week with her sister, Mrs. F. D. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Coggin of Brady were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adair.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Langford of Stanton were week end visitors here with her mother, Mrs. A. A. Smith and other relatives.

Mrs. Dave Hargrove visited her son, Melvin Hargrove and family, in Abilene the first of last week.

Mrs. Lloyd Bryan was an Abilene visitor Thursday.

Miss Martha Barnard was home from Abilene Christian College over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Renfro of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. L. W. Renfro, Sunday.

Mrs. Verna Mae Ramsey spent Saturday in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Walker and husband.

Geo. Neel and Elvis Scott were business visitors in Comanche Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Curry and children were here from Abilene over the week end visiting relatives.

Mertle Wiseman has been confined to her home due to illness, the past week. She was reported to be slowly improving the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge visited in Abilene Sunday afternoon with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Holdridge.

Mrs. C. A. Barr and Jo Holland, visited in Coleman, Sunday.

Lee Bishop and E. K. Coppinger were business visitors in Abilene, Monday.

Lloyd Bryan was a business visitor in Baird, Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Allen were in Irving looking after business interest, last week. Mrs. L. D. Ekrut of Irving, returned home with the Allen's for a few days visit.

Mrs. Jake Dallas and son, Douglas, visited with friends in Baird, Sunday.

Mrs. B. R. Hargrove, Jr. and Mrs. B. R. Hargrove, Sr. were visitors in Gorman, Tuesday.

Mrs. Guy Gilstrap and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin West of Lubbock visited over the week end with their mother, Mrs. A. G. West and other relatives.

Mrs. M. B. King and Mrs. Chester Glover were visiting in Stephenville Saturday afternoon with Lynda King, a student at Tarleton State College.

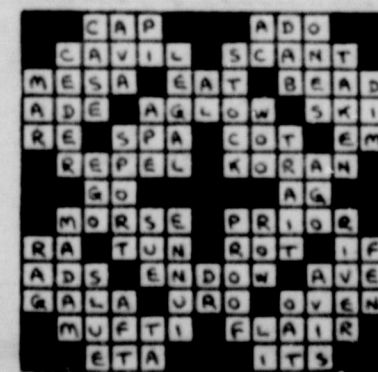
Mr. and Mrs. Hub Freeman were in Temple Sunday with Dr. Eli Powell, who underwent Surgery last week, and Mrs. Powell.

Jimmy Busbee of Abilene visited Sunday with Miss Billie Helen McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Walker and children were here from Westbrook for a week end visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker.

Donald Beeler of Fort Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Beeler and sons, over the week end.

This Week's Puzzle Answers



HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. W. A. Huckaby was released from Callahan County Hospital at Baird, Saturday night after receiving treatment for injuries suffered in a fall at the Rowden store last week.

Mrs. A. A. Smith is reported to be recovering satisfactorily at her home here from surgery she underwent in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene several days ago.

Lynn Brashear and his mother, Mrs. Robert Brashear, returned to Houston Sunday where Lynn has again entered M. D. Anderson Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. E. R. Smith entered the Callahan County Hospital last week where she is undergoing a medical check-up.

Mrs. Judd Barnett was released from a Brownwood Hospital Friday of last week, where she underwent treatment for several days for pneumonia. It was believed when she entered the hospital she was suffering for a severe attack of flu, but following further examination, it was reported she was suffering from pneumonia.

Mrs. E. R. Smith was released from the Callahan County Hospital in Baird the first of the week where she had been a patient for several days while undergoing a medical check-up.

Miss Alice Bryson, a teacher in the Novice School System, spent the week end here.

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Mrs. Earl Montgomery and Dorothy were in Abilene Saturday visiting Miss Betty Montgomery, a student at Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hoggins of Fort Worth and Eakin from Brownwood, Ethel Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Tatom over the week

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