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Experienced Buffs In Second Week's Work

HENNY GLOVER

Seven Buffaloes have played gridiron twice daily each week in pre-season practice under the direction of Coach Bill Gunn and Coach and line mentor, Ed Gunn.

On the practice session during this week, the staff scheduled four scrimmages. Two have already taken place.

Last night the Buffaloes met the May Tigers, and today night the locals await the Eagles' night the Buffaloes go out of the Armadillos on Saturday night. The eleven will return to Coach Gunn invites football fans to watch in pre-season action at 7:30 p.m.

Gunn said to a Review Tuesday morning when at the May scrimmage, "I looked pretty good, in their first scrimmage." Line coach Ed Gunn said, "We are further than I thought."

Buffaloes offense crosses goal line four times while the defense scores less. At Goldthorpe, Buffs scored twice on one, and the "B" one TD win.

Lettermen
Buffaloes boast 15 lettermen, more than four of that year. Line lettermen include Tommy Adams, Alvin Hutchins, Elvin Hutchins and Paul Whitton are the two year letter earners and six juniors in the last years' lettermen are seniors Jerry Elmer Graham, James

Harris, Monty Neeb, Rex Tackett; the juniors are John Baird, Doug Dallas, Larry Hefner, Charles Payne, Keith Watkins and Jay Wilcoxen.

Two juniors, four sophomores and six freshmen round out the Buffalo squad.

Rising Star Tilt Changed

The Review has been notified that the Rising Star game will be played Saturday, Sept. 24, to coincide with the Wildcats homecoming. It was originally scheduled for Sept. 30. The game will be played under the lights on Wildcat stadium at 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 2

Friday, Sept. 2, the Buffaloes will carry the purple and gold banners into battle in the season opener at Baird. The Bears will be trying to run to three consecutive wins over the Buffs.

The county seaters will be 10 returning lettermen from the team that edged Cross Plains 24-20 last year, and ended the season with a 5-5 mark. Baird, rated second in District 7-B, will base their attack from the straight T, and are said to have good speed in the backfield.

Game Time

According to head coach Gunn, non-conference games will start at 8 p.m., and District 10-A tilts will get underway at 7:30.

Cross Plains will again participate in District 10-A, but three teams have been added while two towns moved to another district. Members of this district are Cross Plains, Albany, Clyde, Early, Eastland and Santa Anna.

The Buffs, Albany and Clyde were members last year, while Early moved up from class B ball, Eastland dropped from AA and Santa Anna changed from District 9-A. Merkel and Wylie moved to another league.

Beer Man One Of Nation's First To Receive S. S. Check

Marshall of Pioneer, who next month, owns the first of being one of the living Americans who a social security check mailing in January of the 5,488 retired who were recipients of payment, only a small number yet alive, said H. L. Ben, as the beloved man is known to legions has been a lifelong resident of Eastland County. He that he's never voted

anywhere else. His first check in 1940 was for \$27.19. It was increased to \$50.30 in 1950, to \$56.60 in 1952, to \$61.10 in 1954 and to \$66 last year. Too, since 1943, Mrs. Marshall has been receiving checks for one-half the amount paid her husband.

Social Security is currently celebrating its 25th anniversary and in reviewing early records, Abilene office workers discovered that Mr. Marshall is one of only six persons in the 16-county area who were on the rolls in January 1940.

Cross Plains To Be Well-Represented At Colleges And Universities This Year

Approximately 50 graduates of Cross Plains High School are to enroll in colleges and universities this fall. The number may be enlarged as final decisions are made next few weeks.

Students are that Texas Lubbock will receive a number of students. Expected to return to institution are seven graduates last Spring, 1960 graduate of CPHS, returnees to Tech and institutions are: Rodney of Mr. and Mrs. Oral Darwin Breeding, and Mrs. A. L. Breeding, Joe McNeel, son of Mrs. Pat McNeel Sr., Charles Neeb, son of Mr. H. W. Neeb, sophomore, Jack McCarty, son of Mr. Jack McCarty, sophomore, Foster, son of Mr. Nathan Foster, sophomore, single freshman Plains will likely be E. L. Cowan, son of Mr. E. L. Cowan a May graduate of the local high school.

Duke Mitchell; Tommy Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Porter, all of whom will be classified as freshmen, and Norman Vaughn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Vaughn and Granvel Scott, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvis B. Scott, both of whom will be sophomores.

Going to North Texas State College at Denton are expected to be: Miss Jane Bonner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner, who will be a junior; Jim Lewis, a 1958 graduate of CPHS and son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lewis of Rising Star, who will also be a junior, and Charles McCord, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCord. He too, will be a junior.

To McMurry will probably go: Bill Spencer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer, who will be a junior; Miss Jean Bonner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner; Miss Betty Gosson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Gosson, and Cecil White, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. White. The last three are all May grads of CPHS and will be freshmen students on the McMurry Reservation.

Enrolling at Trinity, where he will be a member of the university football squad, will be Joe Gary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gary. He will be a third year student.

Returning to Howard Payne will be Robert Needham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Needham, a



Local Girl May Reign Over West Texas Fair

Miss Drucilla Jones, Cross Plains High School drum major and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Damon Jones, has been nominated a candidate for Official Sweetheart of the 1960 West Texas Fair, opening in Abilene Sept. 12.

The petite CPHS senior presents an impressive array of honors, all of which are to be considered in selection of finalists. She has been a perennial winner in local beauty contests, is an honor student in her school with an A average, was head majorette last year and will be drum major with this year's band. She is currently serving as president of the local chapter of Future Homemakers of America, was chosen favorite of her class last year, served on the editorial staff of her school's yearbook, was FFA sweetheart, a member of the girls basketball team, percussionist in the school stage band and active in most every undertaking of her school.

Miss Jones' candidacy is being pushed by members of the Cross Plains Chapter of Future Farmers of America, for which O. B. Edmondson is faculty adviser. Winner of the Abilene contest will be announced Sept. 1 at 7 p.m. at a dinner meeting of the Board of Directors of the

West Texas Fair Association. The meeting will be held in the Display Building at Abilene's Exposition Center, located on Highway 36, just east of Abilene.

LOCAL MAN BREAKS ARM IN BULL RACE

Bull-chasing like bull-fighting offers its hazards. Osa Gattis, manager of the dry goods department of the local Higginbotham store, came out second best in a foot race with a Hereford bull Thursday of last week and sustained a broken left arm for the effort. Gattis slipped and fell while attempting to head the bull. His arm was fractured in the fall. He reported for duty at the regular hour Thursday morning, however, and has suffered no loss of time because of the injury.

SLAUGHTERS RETURN HERE TO MAKE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slaughter have returned to Cross Plains to make their home after nearly a year spent in Abilene. They have taken the rent house, owned by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Baldwin, just north of Mayes Lumber Co.

School Bells Toll Opening New Term Here Monday

Pie Supper Set At Sabanno On Friday

The Busy Bee Community Club at Sabanno will hold a pie supper Friday night, beginning at 7:30. Proceeds will go to the organization's building fund. W. E. (Pop) Lusk will serve as auctioneer.

An interesting program is promised and the entire public invited. The Review was told.

School bells will ring again in Cross Plains Monday morning, heralding the beginning of a new term. 538 students are expected to report to 26 instructors.

In keeping with established custom here, it will be an "all business" opening day. No formal exercises are to be held. Students will report to classes, be issued books, hear courses outlined, requirements explained and assignments made. Buses and lunchroom will operate on regular schedules. Classes will begin at 8:30 a.m. Dis-

missal time in the afternoon will be 3:10.

In the elementary school this year will be two sections of all primary grades. Employment of another teacher, increasing the faculty to 26, was necessary to accommodate this innovation.

Teachers and their assignments are: Administration of the entire system, Paul Whitton, superintendent.

High school principal and instructor of social subjects, Billy Mac Copping. Other high school teachers and their assignments are: band and commercial subjects, Roland G. Howell; English and American History, Wayne Ford; English, history and Spanish, Mrs. Dave Lee; commercial subjects and driver education, I. B. Loving; science and mathematics, David L. Neel; mathematics and head coach, Bill Gunn; vocational homemaking, Miss Mary Helen Strong; vocational agriculture, O. B. Edmondson; and science, Jack White.

Principal of elementary school and mathematic, Jack Watkins; first grade, Mrs. Charles Ballew and Mrs. Carrol Westerman; second grade, Mrs. O. B. Byrd and Mrs. Paul Whitton; third grade, Miss Betty Browning and Mrs. Roy Acker; fourth grade, Mrs. Roy Stambaugh and Mrs. Lindsey Tyson; fifth grade, Mrs. Raymond DeBusk and Mrs. Truett Jones. Junior high school Mrs. Clyde Bunnell, language arts; social studies and athletic coach, Don P. Wiggins; science, health and arithmetic, Herrell D. Kelley; social studies and language arts, Mrs. Katherine F. Swindle.

Buildings on the local school campus will present new radiance Monday morning as a result of redecorating and maintenance accomplished during the summer months. All classrooms have been redecorated, furniture repaired and polished, windows cleaned and the entire plant and grounds carefully groomed.

Lunchroom personnel this year will include: Mrs. Robert Brashear, Mrs. Herman Harris, Mrs. Duke Mitchell and Mrs. Authur Burton.

Bus drivers are: school mechanic O. B. Switzer, Roy Acker, Boyd Luttrell, Albert Lovell, Rev. James Brandon, Sam Hill, Carl Champion, Virgil Tension, Glen Vaughn and Claude Thomas.

School custodians are E. H. Oliver and Tension.

Teachers, Trustees Will Hear Eminent Educator

Dr. Guy D. Newman, president of Howard Payne College, will speak to teachers and trustees here Thursday night in the first faculty gathering of the term. The meeting will be held in the school cafeteria and will be preceded by a dinner, prepared by cafeteria personnel.

The Brownwood educator, author of the book, "When God Invaded History", has been one of the nation's outstanding leaders of the Democracy-in-Action program and earlier this year accepted an award from Howard Payne made by the Freedom Foundation at Valley Forge. The award was the Freedom Foundation's principal presentation in the Thomas Jefferson award category for college campus programs in Americanism.

Supt. Paul Whitton will introduce the 26 members of this year's faculty, six of whom are beginning their first term in the local system, and outline the school calendar. Following the meeting in the cafeteria, teachers will report to their respective departments for opening day instructions from principals and the issuance of supplies and class registers.



Dr. Guy D. Newman

Putnam Schools To Have 8 Faculty Members

Putnam public school will open Monday morning, Aug. 29, with a faculty of eight. Enrollment is expected to be approximately the same as last year.

R. W. Reynolds, Putnam superintendent, reports that classes will begin at 8:30 Monday morning and dismiss at 3:30 that afternoon. Buses and lunchroom will operate on regular schedules.

There will be a general assembly at 10:00 a.m. which the public is invited to attend. Teachers in the elementary school are: Mrs. Roland Nichols, first and second grades; Mrs. M. M. Sheffield, third and fourth; Mrs. John McIntyre, fifth and sixth and M. M. Sheffield, seventh and eighth.

The high school teachers are: Kenneth Leverett, English and social studies; Jerol Price, science and coach; Mrs. Verda Brown, English and business and R. W. Reynolds, math.

NEW PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR MOVES HERE

Rev. and Mrs. Harold G. Wise and children have moved into the Presbyterian manse here and he has assumed duties as pastor of the church.

The Wise family came here from West Collin Parish, where he pastored churches at Prosper and Walnut Grove.

Missionary To Speak To Victory Baptists

Dr. Frank Dearmore of Fort Worth, a missionary to Central Africa, will speak Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Victory Baptist Church in Cross Plains. The church meets in the building just north of Piggy Wiggly on North Main Street.

Rev. Lee Rutledge, pastor of the church, invites anyone interested in hearing Dr. Dearmore to attend Sunday morning service.

Cottonwood Church Beginning Revival

An eight-day revival meeting will begin Sunday morning at the Cottonwood Church of



Otto Johnson

Christ. Otto Johnson of Baird will be the evangelist speaker. Services will begin each evening at 7:30.

Song services will be under the direction of Cecil Cox of Abilene.

Members of the congregation extend a cordial welcome to the entire public to attend as many of the worship services as possible.

Approve Waterflood For War-Kirk Field

Secondary recovery through water-flooding has been approved by the Texas Railroad Commission for oil leases owned by L. A. Warren and Callahan Interests, Inc., in the War-Kirk field, 10 miles west of Cross Plains.

Production in the War-Kirk field is from the Cross Plains sand. Average depth in the field is 1,775 feet. The field was discovered by Warren in 1953.

CROSS PLAINS PUBLIC SCHOOLS CALENDAR FOR 1960-61 TERM, BEGINNING MONDAY

Six-Weeks Period	Begin	End	Days in Period
1	August 29	October 7	29
2	October 10	November 18	30
3	November 21	January 13	30
4	January 16	February 24	30
5	February 27	April 7	27
6	April 10	May 22	29

HOLIDAYS		
Labor Day	1 day	Sept. 5
Thanksgiving	2 days	Nov. 24-25
Christmas	12 days	Dec. 22-Jan. 2 Inc.
Dist. TSTA Meet	1 day	March 10
Easter	2 days	March 31 & April 3

Do You Remember?...

45 YEARS AGO
August 27, 1915

A. Hanke, who lives about three miles south of Dressy, sold a bale of cotton here on Saturday, the first of the season. The bale brought 10 1/4 cents, which is considerable above the market price, and was bought by B. L. Boydston. The bale weighed 550 pounds.

Taylor and Broad Bond have returned from a trip to Houston and other points in East and South Texas. They had meant to go to Galveston for an outing, but were caught at Houston by the hurricane that did so much damage in the country last week.

The Farmer's National Bank has had two signs put on the corner of their building at the intersection of 8th and Main Street. One of the attractive signs has gold letters with a black background and the other has black letters with gold background.

40 YEARS AGO
August 27, 1920

Shook No. 3, north of the Hillburn wells was shot into a big producer on last Saturday, the 21st. In a few minutes after it came in, the oil was turned into the pipeline. It is estimated to be making 90 barrels an hour.

Warren Everett of Cottonwood stated to a representative of The Review that the Cottonwood public school will begin on the first Monday in September. H. S. Varner will be principal and F. E. Mitchell will be first teacher.

Mayor Wakefield is having some needed work done on Main Street in the way of putting gravel in the holes and filling in on the sides of the concrete crossings, which have been very mean for sometime.

35 YEARS AGO
August 28, 1935

A large force of men are now at work laying the pipe for the

Cross Plains schools will open Sept. 20 according to superintendent-elect S. E. Settle of Baird, now county school superintendent. Other members of the faculty this year will be Miss Katie Foy, principal, Miss Doris Pyle, Mrs. Daisy Baum, Miss Lillian Robertson, Miss Leo Tyson and Miss Noble Phillips. water distributing system in the residential district, which will be completed before work starts in the business section. Additional wells to develop greater water supply are being drilled and the work is progressing nicely. The Review is informed.

Drilling operations continue in Cross Plains and adjacent territory with increased interest. Cross Cut has gotten some producers recently.

The Cross Plains Motor Company announce that the 1926 Model Fords will be on display in a few days.

The third annual Callahan County Fair will open at Baird Sept. 10.

Cross Plains school will open Monday, Sept. 14.

The first bale of cotton of the season was brought in Saturday, Aug. 22 by Joe Marsh of

Cottonwood. The bale weighed 496 pounds and brought \$119.54 plus a premium of \$62.50.

25 YEARS AGO
August 30, 1935

Voters of this justice precinct, Cross Plains, Dressy and Caddo Peak, went to the polls Saturday and rejected the continuance of the sale of 3.2 beer. The vote carried dry by 54 votes. Cross Plains rejected the beer sales by 40 votes, Caddo Peak by 10 and Dressy by 4.

Cross Plains relief quarters have been transferred to Baird and Mrs. Gertie Spraws, head of the local unit, has moved there. Case workers for Cross Plains and Putnam is now Mrs. Flora Nordyke.

A burglar blasted locks to the safe of the Anderson Chevrolet Company and escaped with about \$15 Saturday night.

Twenty-seven athletes reported to Cross Plains High School Monday afternoon for pre-season workouts. The Buffaloes take on Coleman in the season opener Sept. 27.

Philpeco Country Club golfers won the championship of the Heart of Texas and Oil Belt associations by defeating Ranger nine to six at the Cisco course Sunday afternoon.

20 YEARS AGO
August 30, 1940

Cross Plains schools will open Monday morning according to Supt. Lewis C. Norman. Norman stated that approximately 600 students were expected to enroll.

In the run-off primary Saturday, B. H. Freeland defeated J. H. Carpenter for the county judge's office, and J. M. (Jim) McMillan beat Jeff Clark for commissioner of the fourth precinct. For Representative of the 17th District, Sam Russell defeated incumbent Clyde L. Garrett and John Lee Smith was victorious over Omar Burlison for the State Senate.

Mark Adair, Cross Plains businessman, underwent a tonsilectomy at the Coleman Overall Hospital Monday. He is doing splendidly.

C. D. (Doke) Westerman this week assumed management of the Magnolia Service Station, on Eighth Street, just across the street north of the Methodist Church.

15 YEARS AGO
August 24, 1945

Pvt. Lloyd Bryan is now on Luzon according to news received here by Mrs. Bryan.

Benjamin R. Wagner has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Ross Wagner and family the past 15 days while on leave from the U. S. Navy.

Cross Plains schools superintendent, A. J. McCuin, was elected as secretary of the newly organized District 7-B football league. The district includes Cross Plains, Baird, Clyde, Rising Star, May, Williams and Langs.

Sgt. Nolan Bryan reported to Fort Sam Houston Friday, for further assignment after spending a 30 day furlough here with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Bryan.

10 YEARS AGO
August 25, 1950

175 people who attended

MRS. FRED LONG IS
HOSTESS WITH PARTY

Mrs. Fred Long entertained the nine and ten year old Sunday School and Training Union classes of the First Baptist Church with a party at her home Thursday evening.

Fifteen members and visitors enjoyed hog dogs, cold drinks, ice cream and cake served by the hostess. Mrs. Ike Neal assisted Mrs. Long with the social.

school at Pioneer prior to 1900 met in annual reunion at the Lakewood Country Club Friday.

A. J. McCuin, former superintendent of Cross Plains Schools, announced recently that he plans to open a general insurance agency shortly after September.

Cross Plains voters took to the polls Saturday to cast their ballots in the Primary Election run-off and School Tax vote. The school tax question, if approved, will raise the rate per \$100 from \$1.00 to \$1.25.

Elvis B. Scott will assume the duties of Commander of the Tommie Aiken American Legion Post here succeeding Junior Ford.

O. B. Edmondson, local vocational agriculture instructor, has been elected as one of the directors of the Texas Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association.

5 YEARS AGO
August 25, 1955

Supt. Paul Whitton announced that Cross Plains schools would open Monday, Aug. 29, and a full day's schedule would be carried out.

Benton Jones, genial owner and operator of the City Drug Store here, announced this week that he had sold the business to L. D. Bayless, a registered pharmacist from Kermit.

Clyde Slaughter was named as City Marshall by the City Council in special session Monday night.

Head Coach James Alexander stated Tuesday that football practice got underway Monday morning with 35 boys reporting for the twice daily sessions.

1 YEAR AGO
August 27, 1959

Alex Shocklee, Deputy Sheriff here, asked The Review to warn residents of this area to take precautions against thieves who daily are ransacking homes where occupants are not at home.

Ten returning lettermen are heading a 32-man squad of Buffaloes in work-outs prior to regular season play according to Bill Gunn, head coach.

Kizer Telephone Co. Inc. announced yesterday that their new phone directories will be mailed Sept. 1.

Miss Barbara Merrill and Larry McAnally exchanged wedding vows Thursday evening in a double ring ceremony at the First Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. James Yarbrough were in Abilene Monday morning.

Margaret McCarty, of Baird, spent the week end here in the home of her father, Dan McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy were in Abilene Saturday night where they attended the professional football game. They were joined in Abilene by Mr. and Mrs. Loren Barr of Midland, who returned to Cross Plains with them to spend the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dallas visited her parents over the week end. Yarbrough Butch Webb stayed with grandparents while they went on to Odessa to in the home of Mr. and Darvel Hutchins.

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Freeland of Baird was visitor here Tuesday.

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EDDY PETTYS PARENTS OF 8 POUND DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Petty are parents of a baby girl, born Aug. 6. The little lady weighed eight pounds and six ounces and has been named Lisa Doreen. Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger are the maternal grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Petty Sr. are paternal grandparents.

Miss Lou Ellen Watkins, who is attending nurses school in San Angelo, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Watkins in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Vollie McDonough attended the funeral of William Medcalf in Santa Anna Monday afternoon.



Here's an aerial view of the home on the B. H. Freeland farm located about five miles north of Cross Plains on the farm-to-market highway to Cottonwood. "Judge" Freeland is a native of the Cottonwood Community who now resides in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott and their daughter, Mrs. Lynn Naders and husband of Brownwood, returned home Sunday from a vacation spent at Cloudcroft and Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Jack and Danny McCarty were business visitors in Lubbock Friday of last week. They were accompanied to Lubbock by Mrs. Alton Hornsby who visited relatives there over the week end.

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

PHILOSOPHER FINDS SERVICE STATION BOYS IN SAME SHAPE AS THE FARMERS

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou thinks he sees a parallel between farmers and service station men, his letter this week reveals.

Dear editor: Not that it eases the farm problem to know about this, but other lines of work are having their troubles too.

For example, I read in a news paper last night that "the entire service station industry is facing its most serious economic test in 15 years."

It went on to explain that the trouble is, "profits have not increased at the same rate as expenses," and also that "oil companies build stations indiscriminately, and thereby increase the number of retail outlets to a point where the competition is so great that no one is making money."

Now, I want to say that I sympathize with the service station boys, I know what it is to have expenses mount and profits drop, and I know what over-production can do to you.

But as for the solution, that's another thing. I was talking with a neighbor of mine about this and he said, "Thunder, if they can't make a living where they are, let em move to town and get a job there," but I explained that most service stations are already in town.

Unfortunately, attention has been called to the plight of the service station men too late to get it in the platforms of either party this year, although both sides sure missed an opportunity to draw up a ringing plank about this matter. After all, if you count up the number of stations in your town, and multiply it by all the towns in the United States, plus those along the highways out in the country, you can see it's possible the service station vote may amount to a balance of power in the coming election. Somebody sure slipped up.

I know some expert is going

to blame the situation in defiance of the law of supply and demand and announce that the only thing to do is to sit back and let nature take its course, let the marginal service stations go under and leave the field to the most efficient, but as I understand it, even the efficient ones are having trouble, even the ones that clean your windshield and all the windows, sweep out the floors, walk the dog, heat your baby's bottle, wipe your glasses for you, give trading stamps and come to attention and salute as you pull out.

I think this problem ought to be solved, but first we got to solve the farm problem. Ought to get around to the service station boys maybe by the year 2000.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Clark Reunion At Cottonwood

Sunday, Aug. 14, was a big day for those attending the Clark reunion at the Cottonwood Community Center.

J. P. Clark played host to some 75 who gathered for fun, food and visiting.

Highlight of the day came when Harry Clark arrived from San Fernando, Cal. to be with his family and friends. Mr. Clark developed car trouble in route from his home and it was feared he would miss the reunion.

Local guests attending were: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding, Darwin and Connie, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom, Larry and Lynn, Mrs. Garland Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy, Mr. O. O. Sandifer, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champson, Mamie Swafford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody, Velma Sue Thomas, T. Y. Woody, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilcoxon and daughters and the host and his family, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark and Barbara.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Joy, Steve, Dickcy, Darrell and Lois, Mrs. Billy Hinkle, Vickie and Teresa, Mr. and Mrs. Claxton Joy, Mrs. Milton Jones and Diana, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Joy and David, all of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Clark, Pam and Susie, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clark, Sherry and Jeff, Fort Worth; Mr. Harry Clark, California; Mrs. Pat Burns, Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Winchester and Fielding, Moran; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Breeding, Lamesa; Mrs. Don Helberg and Oslene Swafford, Coleman; Mrs. Emma Bankhead, Roscoe; Mrs. M. L. Hughes, Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith, Mrs. Will Varner and J. N., Abilene.

Cottonwood
By HAZEL I. RESPASS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Walker of New Boston and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ross of Baird were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith recently.

Those who enjoyed a fish fry recently at Jack Smith's were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farmer of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Art Shaw of West Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heysler.

Bill Robinson has resigned as school bus driver after driving for 12 years for the Cross Plains

school and said he was already missing the children.

Bob Harris and son, Butch of New Mexico and Mrs. Dutch Holey visited in Missouri with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coats last week. Mrs. Harris remained here with her father, J. H. Coats.

Several attended the revival at Scranton one night last week. They were Mrs. Herman Heine, Mrs. W. B. Gilleland and Hazel I. Respass. We heard our former pastor, Rev. Dean Franklin of Palo Pinto preach.

Mrs. Mary Hogbin visited in Abilene and Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McIntosh of Andrews spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maddox.

The Church of Christ will begin a revival Aug. 28 and extend over Sept. 4 with Minister Otta Johnson of Baird, doing the preaching and Cecil Cox of Abilene directing the singing. Services will be held at 7 p.m. daily.

P. M. Duncan is now employed at Rowell, N. M. His family remained here.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick spent Friday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Danny Myrick in Abilene.

Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Cooper and daughter, Brenda, of Milford visited here Monday.

Don L. Purdy of Abilene was a business visitor here Monday.

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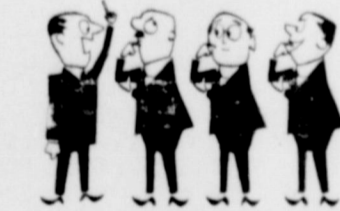
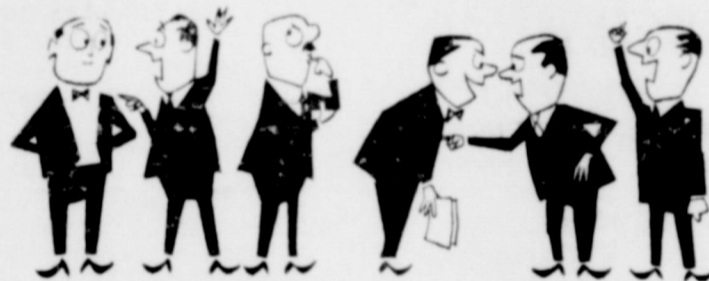
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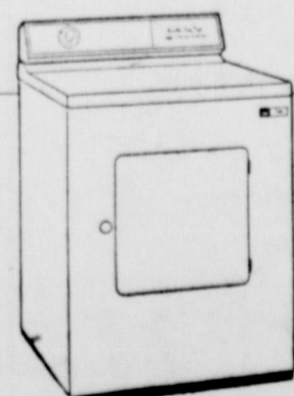
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Yarbrough Rites Held At Putnam

James Alvin Yarbrough, 73, a Putnam resident for the past 25 years and owner of large land holdings in that area, died Tuesday at 7:30 a. m. Death resulted from heart attack.

The deceased was a brother of W. P. Yarbrough of Cross Plains.

Born in Clay County, Ala., Nov. 6, 1886, he lived in Commerce, Tex., several years before moving to Putnam.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 with burial in the Oakwood Cemetery at Cisco.

Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Mildred Carter of Vernon and Mrs. Roma McIntyre of Rt. 2, Moran; three brothers, D. A. and R. C. of Moran and W. P. of Cross Plains; one sister, Mrs. Onie Abernathy of Baird and one grandson.

Nunn Family Has Reunion On Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Nunn and family held their annual reunion at Brownwood Lake, Aug. 12, 13 and 14. The occasion marked the eleventh gathering of the family and the sixty-first wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Nunn.

Those attending the reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hinkle of Cross Plains, Betty Nunn Scanlon of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Tate of Pioneer, N. Y. and Mrs. L. W. Phillips, Joy and Janna, Glenn Nunn, Henry E. Nunn and Mr. and Mrs. James Pascell, all of Abilene.

Also Mrs. Pearl Parks, Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Pascell and Jimmie of Dickens, Jimmie, Shelia, Karen Cheryl and Paula Pascell of Abilene, T. A. Nunn of Pioneer, Mrs. Enos Hawley, Judy, Marlyn and Ray from DuBois, Penn., Mr. and Mrs. Sterling McCarty, Johnnie and Theresa of LaMesa, Mr. and Mrs. John Keeney and Joanna of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. John McGinnis of Brownwood, Mrs. Allie Brooks and Urie of Dallas and Mrs. Walter Phillips of Amarillo.

E. E. Henderson is critically ill at Burkett.

Rowden

By MRS. BERNARD CROW

Bro. W. E. Nowell and Mr. and Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Judy had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sikes visited Mr. Walter Jones and Mrs. Lois Elliott in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow visited her Uncle Jay Cutbirth, who is seriously ill at the St. Ann's Hospital, Monday evening.

Frank O'Barion of Eldorado and Miss Edna Applin of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose, Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Judy recently.

Mrs. John Adair visited her mother, Mrs. Bob Merriman, at Cross Plains Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bone of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and family attended the Odom reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Odom at Grapevine over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Odom and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odom and family of Cottonwood, S. D., are visiting relatives and friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Sikes and son of Portales, N. M., visited relatives at Rowden the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kline and Martha of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Dub Gibbs and family of Abilene spent the week end with Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond.

GIFT TEA SATURDAY FOR MISS CHRISTINE SMART

A gift tea honoring Miss Christine Smart, who has been accepted for entrance to Shannon Memorial Hospital School of Nursing at San Angelo, will be held at the Night and Day Cafe in Cross Plains Saturday afternoon, from three until four.

Friends of the young lady who was salutatorian of her graduating class here last May are invited, said Mrs. Raymond DeBusk yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding and Connie visited his niece who was a patient in the Goldthwaite Hospital, Thursday

Frank Gray To Wed Girl In Santa Anna

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kingsbery of Santa Anna announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Kay, to Richard Frank Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gray of Rising Star, former Cross Plains High School faculty member and assistant coach.

Miss Kingsbery, a graduate of Santa Anna High School, also attended Patricia Stevens Modeling College in Fort Worth, and was later employed there as an instructor.

Her fiance, Mr. Gray, a graduate of Rising Star High School, and Sam Houston State Teachers College, is presently employed as a Texaco consignee in Rising Star.

The couple will exchange vows at 7 o'clock on the evening of Saturday, Sept. 17, in the First Methodist Church in Santa Anna. The Rev. Jim Turner of Anson will officiate.

Doughboys Of '18 Gather In Reunion

Inclement weather notwithstanding, the second annual reunion of Callahan County veterans of World War 1 and their families was held at the palatial home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shanks, southwest of Clyde, Friday evening with 85 people in attendance.

There was no formal program, however, the "Doughboys of '18" exhibited genuine pleasure as they reminisced of experiences more than 40 years ago and feasted from overloaded picnic baskets.

Plans are to stage the annual reunion again next year, some time during the summer months at a time and place yet to be designated.

McDonald Bids Friends Adieu

H. McDonald, who recently left here after serving three years as minister of the Cross Plains Church of Christ, during which time he was one of the city's most active civic workers, submits the following message to friends of this area: "Dear friends of Cross Plains: We moved to Cross Plains August 15, 1957, and have spent three of the happiest years of our lives in your midst. It has been a genuine pleasure to live in your town and we feel that we have been enriched very much by having lived in Cross Plains. Too, we believe that we have some very close friends here and also believe that some of the best people that we ever have known live right here in Cross Plains.

"We moved to Cross Plains, as you know, to work with the Church of Christ as Minister, and feel that we have enjoyed three very profitable years in the work of the church. "Also, we have been privileged to work with the Chamber of Commerce, Boy Scouts and the Little League. Also we enjoyed a pleasant association with the School. All of these have been very enjoyable to us. "We know that we have made mistakes, due to our lack of wisdom, knowledge and ability, and we beg your forgiveness for these short comings. "These three years shall not soon be forgotten. They brought so much joy and happiness to our lives. There were so many wonderful things happened to us during our stay here. We shall always remember these three years as the climax of our lives, yes, the years that we spent right here in Cross Plains. "We are going to miss you. We hope that you will not forget us, but just drop us a card once in a while. We believe that you deserve the best, and we hope that you always get it. "May God bless the leaders of the town, Boy Scouts, Little League and of our country so you may continue to enjoy the best of everything. "God be with you till we meet again. "Mr. and Mrs. H. McDonald."

"BAPTIST WMU MEETS TUESDAY MORNING The Winona Treadwell Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Albert Lovell. Mrs. Dan Johnston presided over the business meeting, and Mrs. Tommy Hinkle directed the program entitled, "Recognizing His Ownership."

Mrs. Lovell served punch and cookies to the following members: Mrs. V. D. Walters, Mrs. Dan Johnston, Mrs. Tommy Hinkle and Mrs. Donald Baird.

Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

Abstinence Abstenance Abstinance

(Meaning self-denial)

See Classified Page for correct answer.

Sabanno

By MRS. EDWIN ERWIN

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Lawson and children of Temiclo, Fla., have been visiting in the home of Misses Josie, Alma and Columbus Morris.

The Baptist revival will start next Sunday. Everyone has a welcome to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harvey of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Lanon Hill and Mrs. F. O. Stokes visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lusk Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beene and Jerry accompanied their son, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beene and baby to Seminole over the week end where they attended the Kight reunion. Mrs. J. W. Beene was a Kight before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Minix and Shelly of Houston were visitors with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blackwell visited Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ingram Thursday night.

Mrs. Jim Casey returned home Monday from the M. D. Anderson Hospital where she has been a patient for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Brummett and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Barron visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Barron in Cisco Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer and James visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wordis Erwin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cantrell

of Abilene visited with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Haskell Wilson and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smoot.

W. E. Lusk and Wes Holcomb were business visitors in Abilene Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Riffe visited in the Bill Smoot home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brooker and girls of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ingram over the week end. Paul had been visiting in the Brooker home.

Dan Notgrass has been on the sick list again but seems to be doing some better.

Mrs. Elick Nisbitt and son, Richard, of San Angelo (the former Ruth Bullock) and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur were visitors in the Edwin Erwin home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brooks visited in the J. W. Beene home Friday.

Mrs. Lavenda Chapman and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morris of Stephenville visited in the home of Josie and Alma Morris Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Morris were also visiting.

Mrs. Deloris Norrid of Big Spring is visiting with her father, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann have sold their farm and will be moving to Cross Plains soon. We regret losing them but Cross Plains will gain. They are some of Sabanno's oldest settlers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann visited in the L. L. Ingram home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McClure were in Ruidoso, N. M. over the week end.

Dr. Bradley Will Not Open Hospital

Dr. Ben Bradley will not reopen the Rising Star Hospital. He has begun construction of a medical clinic near his home, one mile South of Rising Star, on the Brownwood highway. The building will house his office, reception room and laboratory. Equipment which Dr. Bradley owns in the hospital will be moved to the clinic.

Mrs. Georgia Street, who had been elected to the Cross Plains High School faculty for the en-

suing school year, has resigned the post here and will be as receptionist and teacher. She had been employed by Bradley at the hospital. Dr. Bradley will leave Rising Star for a number of weeks for a six weeks postgraduate course at the Cooke College in Chicago, after which he will return to Rising Star to resume his practice at his location.

Mrs. H. A. Soderberg is granddaughter, Carole Odessa spent last week end in the home of their parents and great-grandparents, Mrs. Lewis Coppinger.

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Bureau To At Rowden

County Farm Bureau held a kick-off meeting at the Rowden Community Center Monday night.

Sterling Odom, president of the organization, stresses that important matters are taken up and urges that members plan to be present.

Jordan, area field man, in attendance and speak in group. Captains to conduct membership drive have named and will announce national plans for the upcoming membership drive.

Pioneer
 By JEAN FORE

community will be sad this week because of the loss of Mr. and Mrs. B. I. or better known by in and around Pioneer Uncle Ben and Aunt They are moving their home near the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stout. Uncle is best known by the vicin- ity from day to day especially to see the sick community. We will miss them and hate to see them from our commu- nity extend to them good luck and much hap- piness in their new location.

and Mrs. Paul Harlow, and Jeff visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore and Monday and left for their home in Lawton, N. M. after spend- ing a few days vacation in San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Brown- ington and Atwell.

and Mrs. Cowan Hutton of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Del- bert and Sunday night. They returned home from a fam- ily reunion of the Huttons at

Maggie Burgette, daugh- ter of J. H. Coon was re- ceived from Scott and White in Temple last Thurs- day and visited in the Coon home on Friday and then re- turned to her home in Lawton. We hope for her a speedy recovery. Mrs. Coon and Mildred Mrs. Louise Jackson returned home with Mrs. Bur- gette on an extended visit.

Cloud has been visiting in Lawton a few days with his wife Rutledge. The Rutledges returned home Monday.

G. D. Justice and fam- ily returned to their home in Lawton, Okla. Friday after a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Merrill and Teresa. Merrill and Teresa return- ing with them for an ex- tended visit.

Barbara McAnally and Barbara McAnally are the proud parents of a baby son born Sunday at 2:30 in Memorial hospital at Brownwood. He weighed eight pounds and five ounces and they named him Mark. The grandpar- ents are Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lastest reports were that mother and baby are

MR. AND MRS. GLEN WOOTEN
 Joy was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. Wooten of Cross Plains at a Brownwood hospital.

Mrs. Bryant McClure visited Mr. and Mrs. McClure recently.

Turkey Creek Runs Half-Bank Sunday

Heavy rains on the watershed of Turkey Creek caused the stream to run half-bank full Sunday morning.

In Cross Plains precipitations over the week end measured only 1.51 ins. however, Cottonwood, Atwell and Rowden reportedly received several times that amount. Heaviest fall was in the area between Rowden and Cross Plains. Rain fell in torrents for a short while about 4 a.m. Sunday. Traffic on Highway 36 was stalled for more than 20 minutes by the deluge.

The week end moisture brought the total for Cross Plains thus far this year to 11-85 inches. Normal for the year here is 26 inches, indicating that 1960 will fall well below the mean unless the latter months of the year are exceptionally wet.

Mrs. Martha Moss, of Foss, Okla., and son and wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Moss and Eva Nell, Prague, Okla., visited Mrs. Moss' sisters Mrs. T. B. Elder and Mrs. Mary Renfro here recently.

E. RINGHOFFER HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY SUPPER

Emil Ringhoffer Sr. was honored Aug. 18, with a birthday supper at his home south of town.

Guests attending were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Ringhoffer of Moab, Utah, Mrs. Annie Snodgrass of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray of Pioneer, Mrs. Jack Arledge and Nancy of Cross Cut, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ringhoffer Jr. and family of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ringhoffer and family of May.

Oren Barr Weds Mrs. Leta Parks

Oren Barr of Cross Plains and Mrs. Leta B. Parks of Tempe, Ariz., were married Monday morning in Seminole. They are now making their home here.

The bride is remembered in Cross Plains, having resided here a number of years. Until 1957 she made her home on the Ches Barr place South of town. She has a 16-year-old daughter who will be a student in Cross Plains High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Watkins were in San Angelo one day this week.

Farmers Holding Election By Mail

Callahan County farmers are currently conducting a mail campaign to name community representatives for the Agricultural Stabilization Committee for the ensuing year.

Ballots must be mailed not later than Sept. 12 or they may be delivered to the ASC office in the courthouse at Baird until 5 p.m. the afternoon of that day. Farmers who may have failed to receive ballots may receive them by making their omission known. The Review was told.

Candidates from four areas of the county are as follows:
 The Cross Plains area: Ben R. Atwood, John H. Balkum, Arlie L. Breeding, Alvie R. Cavanaugh, Nathan Foster, D. C. Har- grove, Jr., Earl L. Montgomery, E. F. Odom, Sterling Odom and Glenn W. Payne. The Putnam area: Earnest Ray Battle, J. D. Cauthen, Travis Chapman, Wil- liam B. Clinton, Douglas Fry, Ernest N. Higgins, John D. Isen- hower, Weldon D. Isenhower, John E. Petty and Raymond Sprawls. The Oplin area: Robert L. Armor, Maurice Atwood, Fred Burnsm, Frank Johnson,

RETURNS FROM TRIP TO WEST TEXAS, NEW MEX.

Mrs. Sam Swafford of Cotton- wood, returned to her home last week from a sight-seeing trip with her son, Buddy Thate and wife of Hawley.

While away they visited in Brownfield where Mrs. Swafford lived in 1925 and 1926. She and her husband farmed a half-section near there and she stated that while they made a good living, they did not raise as much on the whole tract in those days as present-day farm- ers are raising on 80 acres with the aid of irrigation in that area. Mrs. Swafford stated, "the trip through the fine irrigated farm country has made me a strong believer in the value of water and I hope that the flood con- trol project on Turkey Creek can be completed so that this area may have irrigation."

They visited with the Charles Cox family in Carlsbad, N. M. Tommy Johnson, Blain Odom, Winifred E. Scott, Charley T. Straley and Robert T. Walls. The Baird-Clyde area: W. B. Caton, Nelson A. Estes, Jerald (Jack) Farmer, Forrest Franke, Thadis T. Goble, William E. Gardner, Hugh W. Ross, James L. Snyder, Hilton W. Tarrant and J. Chester Waggoner.

and enjoyed seeing Carlsbad Caverns. They also visited in Cloudcroft and other points of interest in New Mexico before returning home.

C. H. Dawson and Lee Bishop were business visitors in Dallas, Tuesday of this week.

LARRY McANALLY'S ARE PARENTS OF BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Larry McAnally are parents of a baby boy, born Sunday in a Brownwood hospi- tal. The child has been named Wendell Mark.

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WILLIAMS FAMILY HOME AFTER TOUR

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams and Miss Ida Nell Williams of Austin have recently returned from a three weeks vacation trip during which time they traveled in nine different states. While gone they visited with their son and brother, Roger Williams who is employed as a chemical engineer near Ogden, Utah.

Highlights of their vacation were a trip up Pikes Peak, a drive through Rocky Mountain National Park, a visit to the Mormon Tabernacle in Salt Lake City, where they heard the famous Mormon choir, a trip through Yellowstone National Park, a stop at Mr. Williams' birthplace in Nebraska and also a visit with his sister, Mrs. Ora Parrish in Enid, Okla.

Mrs. Jack Scott was in Brownwood Monday.

Cross Cut

By MRS. LES BYRD

Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt and Mrs. Homer Seymore of Abilene visited their sister, Mrs. John Clark one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chambers of Georgetown visited for awhile Friday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd.

Mrs. Nettie Watts was brought from a Brownwood hospital to the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton, last Thursday. She is doing fine and is up and about some.

Elizabeth Smith and four girl friends from San Angelo visited at home with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge, Larry and Nancy, from Thursday until Saturday night.

Rev. Charlie Myrick of Cottonwood preached at the Baptist Church here Sunday morning. He and Mrs. Myrick had lunch with Mrs. Laura Keesee, Waymon and Ann Moore.

Mrs. Jake Dupriest of Denver City is visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watkins and Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arcie Hubbard and Ronnie of Odessa came for their son and brother, Howard Lee, Saturday night. He had spent two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd. They returned home Sunday.

Commencement exercises were held at the Baptist Church Friday night for the children who attended Bible school last week. A good attendance was had all week and good attendance Friday night.

Miss Glenda Melton of this community and Wilburn Weiss of Cross Plains were married last Thursday. After a trip to Buchanan Dam they are at home in Cross Plains. We wish for them a long and happy life together.

Mrs. Lee Melton was carried back to the hospital in Brownwood over a week ago. We hope she is able to come home soon. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baucom, visited her Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kelley and Mike of Garden City are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelley.

Mrs. Minnie Arledge and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge, Larry and Nancy, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Teston in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

We are very thankful for the good rain we had Sunday morning. We need more, however,

Proper Range Use Is Important Practice

By MRS. LES BYRD

Proper range use on native rangeland is one of the most important conservation practices being applied in the Brown Mills SCD, according to SCD Cooperators, I. B. Caines, Bransford Eubanks, Houston Jolly and Wind Palmer, all of Grosvenor, practice proper use. These ranchers believe that grass plants should not be grazed too short. Important pasture grasses should not be grazed shorter than one half of the growth of an ungrazed plant the same age. Once more than 50 percent of the leaf surface of a grass plant is removed, the growth rate of that plant is reduced very rapidly and if grazed too close over a period of time, the plant will die. This ungrazed reserve of forage left, when only half is taken and half is left, have several important uses.

This cover reserve will serve as winter hay. It will help keep soil temperatures down in the summer and will keep temperatures warmer in winter. This extra cover will help hold up rain and cause it to go into the soil instead of running off. This cover and litter returns needed fertility back to the soil. It improves the habitat for microorganisms which are necessary for nature to complete her cycles required for plant and animal growth.

Resumption of regular meetings of the Sew and So Club, after Summer recess, will be made at 2:30 Thursday afternoon of next week, Sept. 1, in the home of Mrs. Charley Smith. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. C. R. Cook and Mrs. George B. Scott were in Anson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cutbirth were in Ruidoso, N. M. over the week end.

Arlander Byrd of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Byrd and Lawrence Sunday. Visiting with them Saturday was Harve McPeters of Winters.

Mrs. Jimmy Windham is back in the hospital. I didn't learn how ill she is, but hope it is nothing serious.

Mrs. Hollis Kellar and boys spent last Thursday night in Trickham with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin.

Burkett

By MRS. MERRELL BURKETT

Mrs. W. F. Jordan was hospitalized in Coleman last week. She had been with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson, where she was recuperating from a broken hip. Last week she developed double pneumonia and is in critical condition.

Mrs. A. E. Brown returned home Tuesday after spending several days in Overall Hospital suffering a broken arm.

Elmer Henderson is still in serious condition in Overall Hospital where he was taken Thursday of last week.

Misses Sandra Odom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odom of Cottonwood, S. D., and Carline Bludworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bludworth, attended open house at ACC last week. They will enter school there this term.

Visitors in the Jim Helms home the past two weeks were Mrs. Barney Klutts and children, Vanita, Carlos and Jimmy Carroll, of West Point and Paula and Sherron Hicks of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Helginson of Abilene attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Miss Erlene McDowell of Abilene is spending this week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and

Mrs. Colie Thate.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odom and children, Sandra and Robert, of Cottonwood, S. D., spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Montie Garrett.

Mrs. Charlie Sueltenfuss and children, Sandra and Steve, and her nephews, Glenn and Bruce Burkett, all of San Angelo, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Beaver. Her daughter, Scharla Chandler, returned home with her after spending the summer here with her cousin, Kay Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Edington and Valetta and Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Thate and Roger spent several days last week on a trip to South Texas and Old Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Edington and baby of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Edington during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Walker announce the birth of a new grandson, Paul Ed, 9 1-2 pound son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker of Cross Plains. The baby was born last week in Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood.

Mrs. Clyde Brown attended an area school meeting at Meridian. The Putnam school where she teaches is one of the 18 pilot schools in Texas. The purpose of the pilot project is to improve the small schools.

Mrs. Clyde Brown and Mrs. Andy Young visited the Jim Penningtons in Haskell last Monday and Monday night.

LOCAL FARM BUREAU TO HOLD POLICY MEETINGS

Callahan County Farm Bureau was represented at a District 7 policy-forming workshop in Brownwood recently by W. E. Box and County Agent Glen W. Green. Plans are now being made to hold similar gatherings in various communities of this county.

Betty Nunn Scanlon of El Paso is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Nunn.

Mrs. R. G. Hopson and children, Beverly and Julus of Blanco, Texas, have been visiting Mrs. Hopson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams the past week.

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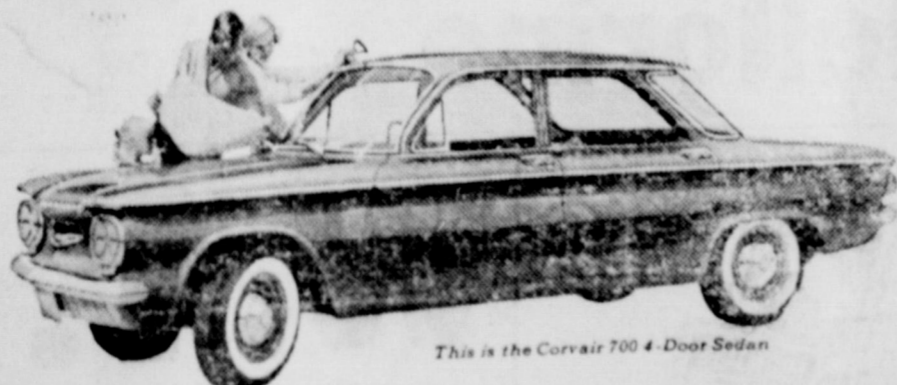
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Band Boosters Take Aggressive Program

Proving that an organization is stimulated when its members are presented a challenge, the Band Booster Club here is currently engaged in a membership drive which may see new heights reached.

The club has recently purchased \$1,000 worth of new uniforms and instruments for this year's Cross Plains High School Band. In addition, all old suits were cleaned, sized and repaired. Regular meetings of the organization will be held each third Monday night in the Band Hall, on the school campus, and all parents and patrons are urged to attend. In addition to the transaction of business, a social hour will be a regular part of all meetings.

"We are proud of the part we've been able to play in equipping this year's band," said Mrs. Zed Bright and Mrs. Herbert Freeman, secretary and treasurer respectively of the organization, "and believe every Band Booster will feel genuine pride in the part he has played when the marching band takes the field this year."

Other officers are: Albert Lovell, president, and Russell Calhoun, vice-president.

P-TA To Have Sack Lunch At Meeting

Cross Plains Parent-Teacher Association will hold its first meeting for the new school year here Tuesday night, beginning at 7:30.

Members are urged to bring a sack lunch to be spread in the school cafeteria, following the business sessions. New teachers and pupils are to be introduced. P-TA officers are: Mrs. D. C. Jones, president; Mrs. O. B. Eyrld, first vice-president; Mrs. James Yarbrough, second vice-president; Herrell Kelley, treasurer; Mrs. Eddy Petty, secretary; Mrs. Howard McGowen, historian, and O. B. Edmondson, parliamentarian.

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Plan To Organize Garden Club Here

All persons interested in forming a Garden Club in Cross Plains are being urged to attend a meeting for that purpose to be held in the City Hall here Friday afternoon, Aug. 26, at 2:30.

Mayor Ted Souder and Mrs. VOLLIE McDONOUGH have been contacting a number of those interested in the movement, and they express hope that 25 or 30 persons will be present for the organizational meeting.

"It is our aim to stress community beautification through the club," Mrs. McDONOUGH said, "and make the organization a civic asset."

Mayor Souder asked yesterday that those interested in the movement take time to telephone and tell others about the organizational meeting and work toward securing a sizeable representation at the initial gathering.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil White were in Abilene Saturday where he made final arrangements for moving there to attend McMurry College this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty and Dan and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil White and John were visitors Sunday in the home of Mrs. McCarty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bayley in Goldthwaite.

Mrs. Bill Gregg and son, Lamar are scheduled to return to their home here today (Thursday) after a two weeks visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rhinehart at Canton, N. C. They are to be accompanied home by their son and brother, Jimmy, who has spent several weeks in Canton with his grandparents. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. John Watts of Brownwood who visited in Atlanta, Ga.

Cub Scouts Need Mothers, Youths

D. C. Jones was reelected Cubmaster at regular monthly meeting of the Cub Scout Pack in the American Legion Hall Monday night.

Committeemen O. B. Byrd, J. B. Strength, Arlis Webb and Russell Calhoun were chosen for another year, and named to serve with them was Beryl Lusk, who replaces Pat McNeel Jr., whose son is soon to enter the Boy Scouts.

Clay Kinnard and Jack Tunnell were elected assistant-cubmasters and Russell Calhoun was named secretary and treasurer.

Den 1 is ready to begin weekly meetings with Mrs. Clay Kinnard and Mrs. Jack Tunnell as Den Mothers. Dens two, three and four, however, are handicapped by the need of Den Mothers. Leaders in the program point out that only one hour per week is required of Den Mothers, and since neighboring communities have an abundance of persons willing to serve in this capacity, Cross Plains should be able to supply the necessary adult workers. It is pointed out that the compensation is having an active hand in helping boys develop into respectable citizens. A woman does not necessarily have to have a son enrolled in Cub Scout work to be eligible to serve as a Den Mother.

There is also room for more boys between the ages of 8 and 11 years.

Next Pack meeting will be in the Legion Hall Sept. 27. Persons willing to serve as Den Mothers are asked to contact Cubmaster Jones or telephone RA 5-2672 or RA 5-2673.

Atwell

BY MRS. ALTON TATOM

We have had a nice rain over the week end and it measured three inches here. It didn't run much water into the stock tanks and some are getting low, but it cooled our days and nights and will be a lot of help to the feed not matured.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, Beverly and Kim, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd Sunday. Randy Foster spent the week end in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barclay and girls.

Several of the members of the Primitive Baptist Church attended the association at the Kokoma Primitive Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre attended church at the Missionary Baptist Church Sunday morning and visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. Authur Applin and Debbie from Abilene were visitors at the revival Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McKinley and sons visited Vee and Lavada over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow and children from Lovington, N. M., have been visiting here and at other places the past week.

Mrs. Effie Jones and son, Bobby and his family, from Abilene attend church services at the Missionary Baptist Church Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Black from DeLeon visited Vee and Lavada Sunday afternoon.

Freddy and Lynn visited us Sunday while Recie and Larry visited in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Everett from Putnam visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Sunday.

Mrs. Dayton Sessions with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones from Dallas, Mrs. Sherman Pillans from Austin and Gussie Jones from Cross Plains, are visiting their sister and family, Mrs. Lizzie Mercer in Oklahoma for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carter have had company the past week. Sorry I didn't get the names. It was a sister she hadn't seen for quite awhile.

Rev. and Mrs. Arlis Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday. Our revival closed Sunday night. We had good preaching and the attendance was good also each night.

Pam and Susie Clark of Duncanville are visiting this week with their cousin, Barbara Clark, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odum and daughter of Cottonwood, S. D. spent the week end with his mother and other relatives and friends in Cross Plains.

Bevelyn Foster, who is employed in Dallas, spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Foster, in Cross Plains.

BILLY SAM SIPES IS ASSIGNED ON OKINAWA

Army Specialist 4 Billy Sam Sipes, 23, a graduate of Cross Plains High School and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sipes of Ranger, recently arrived on Okinawa and is now a member of the 9th Logistical Command.

Specialist Sipes, a finance clerk in the command's headquarters Company, entered the Army in July, 1958, and was last stationed at Fort Carson, Colo. He received basic combat training at the fort.

A 1955 graduate of Cross Plains High School, Sipes attended Tarleton State College.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson and Mrs. E. E. Shelton spent Sunday afternoon in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ringhoffer of Moab, Utah, visited relatives and friends here the past week.

B. H. Brown returned to his home here the first of last week from California where he visited for five weeks with his children.

12-YEAR-OLD YOUTH KILLS BIG RATTLER AT SABANNO

Reptiles are on the move. Reports from over the Cross Plains area indicate snakes have been crawling more than normally the past several days.

James Switzer, 12-year-old seventh grader here, killed a 62-inch rattler at the farm home of his parents in the Sabanno community one day this week. The snake weighed six pounds and measured nine and one-half inches in circumference. It had 12 rattlers and there were indications that several had been severed.

Rev. John Harper, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Cross Plains, killed a small Copperhead in the alley between the Higginbotham store and McGowen Motors late Tuesday afternoon. Another copperhead escaped and was seen crawling beneath a back door, into the Higginbotham building.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Scott, Mrs. George Hutchins and Mrs. A. B. Foster were in Brownwood Tuesday afternoon to attend the double funeral for Mrs. J. B. Alldredge and daughter.

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