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Home Towner

Interesting topics come up for discussion in the conversation of most any group. Often, questions arise for which there are no immediate or acceptable answers.

Some time now the Home Towner has been making mention of these questions, bidding to search out answers. Research is incomplete but a full evening of poring over many sources, here are a few of the subjects.

How large is Brownwood? It covers approximately 100,000 surface acres, near equal to perhaps, to the largest ranch in this county.

What is the approximate value of all oil produced in Callahan County in a single day? About \$21,498. Production is reported by the Texas Oil Commission as being 1,498 barrels daily.

What is the highest price stock has ever sold for in New York exchange? IBM. It was trading Wednesday at \$707 a share.

Which are the three largest colleges or universities in Texas? University of Texas, 18,442 students; University of Houston, 15,000; and Texas Technological College, 8,866.

Which is the larger stream, the Bayou or Jim Ned Creek? Pecan Bayou is 107 miles long and Jim Ned 71. The former carries more water, having a runoff of 3,600 acre feet.

What is the salary of Texas Governor? Price Daniel gets \$25,000 annually.

What should be done when an animal is bitten by a snake? Local health officials say that should not be killed, but should be penned and observed.

What is the cause of the disease that is infected with the symptoms of beriberi and there will be time for the bite victim to get treatment. They point to the fact that the disease is caused by a lack of vitamin B1.

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Cottonwood Audience Told U. S. Should Blockade Cuba

The United States should blockade Cuba, preventing arms and tanks from Russia being poured into the new satellite country, Texas Supreme Court Justice Meade F. Griffin of Austin told a Memorial Day audience at Cottonwood Sunday afternoon.

"If not instituted soon the consequences may be the loss of American soldiers and lives." In his address before the annual Cottonwood Homecoming

115 Bandsmen To Appear In Concert

One hundred and fifteen students, representing four musical groups, will have part in the annual Spring concert of Cross Plains High School band to be presented in the auditorium on the local campus Friday night beginning at 7:30.

Director Wayne McDonald said Monday afternoon the Tonettes, Grade School Band, and the high school Stage Band and Concert Band would all be presented.

Drum major and majorettes for next year's marching band will be presented. "The youngsters have worked hard and I believe an enjoyable program is in store for all who turn out," said McDonald.

Mary Nabers Wins \$50 Writing Prize

Mrs. Lynn Nabers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott of Cross Plains, was named winner in two writing events at Howard Payne College in Brownwood Monday morning, for which prizes totaled \$50.

The HPC junior took first place in a critical essay contest, the theme of which was the recent Democracy-In-Action observance held on the Brownwood campus, and second with a paper entitled, "The Fight for Freedom." She is a 1958 graduate of Cross Plains High School, attended McMurry in Abilene one year and has been a student at Howard Payne the past two years.

Ted Souder was in Abilene Tuesday night.

John H. Coats, 85, Claimed By Death

John H. Coats, 86, one of Callahan County's early residents, died Sunday morning shortly before noon in a Baird hospital. A native of Coryell County, Mr. Coats had lived in Cottonwood 81 years. He was born July 24, 1874, at Gatesville.

He was the oldest surviving citizen of the Cottonwood area from the standpoint of continuous residence, and a past master of the Masonic Lodge in Cross Plains.

Funeral was held Tuesday at 2 p. m. in the Cottonwood Methodist Church with the Rev. Ray Rochelle, pastor, and Rev. C. R. Myrick officiating. Masonic graveside rites were held in Cottonwood Cemetery. Burial was under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Cross Plains.

Mr. Coats is survived by two sons, John C. of Missouri and Leonard of White River, Ariz.; five daughters, Mrs. A. A. Holley and Mrs. Bryan Bennett of Cottonwood, Mrs. Reese Tye and Mrs. Johnnie Davidson of Abilene, and Mrs. Bob Harris of Lovington, N. M.; 13 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Funderburk of Big Lake spent the week end here with Mrs. Edwin Neeb.

40 People Summoned For Duty On Petit Jury

Forty Callahan Countians have been called to report for petit jury service in 42nd district court at Baird Thursday, May 11. Of the 40, 13 are from the Clyde area, 12 from Baird and its area, five with Cross Plains addresses, three on Cisco routes, three from Moran routes, two with Abilene addresses and one each from Putnam and Cottonwood.

The list as released from the office of Sheriff Homer Price, follows:

Mrs. Betty Young, Baird; Ben Atwood, Cross Plains; H. T. Wagley, Putnam; Travis Chapman, Cisco route, Aubrey Bell, Baird; E. E. Harrison, Clyde route; Clint Davis, Abilene route; Mrs. John Berry, Clyde; Elvis B. Scott, Cross Plains; Mrs. Burette Ramsey, Moran route; Mrs. Clovis McCollum, Moran route; Oren Barr, Cross Plains.

DR. AND MRS. MIKESKA BUY NEW HOME HERE

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Mikeska have bought the first of three new houses recently built in the north part of town by Horace King. They purchased the dwelling furthest to the east and plan to move from their present place on North Main within a week.

TRUSTEES NAME 7 TO EQUALIZATION BOARD

Cross Plains school trustees last week named a board of equalization to sit on tax adjustments Saturday, May 27.

Members of the equalization board will be: R. E. (Hick) Edington, B. D. (Bye) Montgomery, Tommie Harris, J. C. Bowden, Truett Dawkins, Roy Neil Tatom and Mack Childers.

DAVE LEE TAKEN TO HOSPITAL SATURDAY

Dave Lee was taken to Graham Hospital in Cisco Saturday, suffering with a severe case of influenza. He is reported recovering satisfactorily and is expected home within a few days.

GRADUATION EDITION WILL BE PUBLISHED NEXT WEEK

Annual "Graduation Edition" of the Review will be published next week. The issue will contain pictures and brief biographical sketches of all members of this year's senior class.

1,000 Visitors, 500 Dogs Coming To Town Saturday

There'll be a lot of dogs in town Saturday. That statement was vouchsafed yesterday by local members of Star Fox and Wolf Hunters Association, which will be convening here for its annual meeting and dog show.

"We're planning to accommodate 1,000 people and half as many dogs," said Beyrl Lusk, local member of the committee on arrangements. Business sessions, bench shows

Lee Tankersley, 88, Dies Here Tuesday

Lee Prior Tankersley, 88, a resident of Cross Plains the past 12 years, died at his home late Tuesday afternoon, following an illness of about three months. He was a retired farmer.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains with Rev. Don Turner, pastor, officiating. He will be assisted by Minister Bill Nicks of the Church of Christ here. Burial will be in the local cemetery, under direction of Higginbotham's.

Mr. Tankersley was born June 10, 1872, in Franklin County, and married Miss Ethel Thompson at Mount Pleasant, June 16, 1902.

Survivors include the widow, four sons: Leonard of Stockton, Calif., Roy Lee who is in the Air Force stationed in Oregon, Tarzan of Orlando, Calif., and Calvin of Farmington, N. M. three daughters, Mrs. Essie Willingham of Stockton, Calif., Mrs. C. P. Cobb of Waco, and Mrs. Junior Ford of Cross Plains; 20 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

HIGHWAY PATROLMAN TO BE STATIONED HERE

Captain G. L. Morahan of the Texas Highway Patrol, told city officials this week that a one-man station would be established in Cross Plains on or before Sept. 1.

"It has been our plan to put a man in Cross Plains for a long time," he said, "however, there has been some difficulty in securing personnel."

and timed contests will all be held at the City Park on Highway 36 in the west part of town. Also scheduled there is an old-fashioned barbecue supper at 6 p. m. Saturday.

Cross Plains businessmen purchased 13 trophies to be awarded winners in various contests. Four additional prizes were contributed, bringing the total number to be given to 17. Local concerns purchasing trophies were: Neal Drug, Higginbotham's, Sisters Cafe, Frozen Food Locker Plant, Cox's Grocery, C. B. Shelton, Piggy Wiggly, Dillard's 66 Station, The Review, Dave Lee, Glen Vaughn, Citizens State Bank and Pancake's Truck Stop.

Visitors from all over Texas are expected to begin arriving here by mid-morning Saturday. The program will continue throughout the afternoon and into the night.

A bench show of coon dogs is slated to start at 3 p. m. and the same type of exhibition for fox and wolf hounds is scheduled at that night. Timed events, such as coon baying, coon treeing and running a coon out of a hollow log are on docket from 11 in the morning until three in the afternoon.

Live coons for the trials are being provided by the Battle Creek Coon Hunters Association of Cisco.

President of the organization meeting here in annual convention is H. H. Harrelson of Cisco. Secretary is Mrs. Buck Maples of Rising Star.

89-Year-Old Lady Buried Saturday

Funeral service was held from the First Baptist Church here Saturday afternoon at three o'clock for Mrs. Mary E. Potter, 89, former local resident, who died Friday morning at 11:40 in an Abilene hospital. She had been seriously ill about two months.

Mrs. Potter had been in Abilene the past year, making her home with a daughter, Mrs. Leonard Gay. She was a long-time resident of Cross Plains before going to Abilene.

Officiating at the funeral services Saturday afternoon were Rev. Ted Vassar, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church in Abilene, and Rev. Don Turner, Cross Plains Baptist pastor.

Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery beside the grave of her husband who died a number of years ago. Arrangements were in charge of Higginbotham's here.

Survivors include one son, Lee Potter of Abilene; two daughters, Mrs. Gay and Mrs. John Spence of California and 21 grandchildren.

Lubbock Lady Dies While Visiting Here

Mrs. Martha Emina Westerman, 74, of Lubbock, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Cordie Booth in Cross Plains at 6:20 Monday afternoon. Death resulted from heart attack.

Mrs. Westerman had been in Cross Plains about two months. She had not been ill.

The body was received by a Lubbock Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon and taken there for burial, beside the grave of the deceased's husband who died several years ago.

Mrs. Westerman, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Marshall, was born in Eastland County, June 12, 1886. She was married at Sabanno, March 10, 1907. Her husband died several years ago.

Survivors include: one son, E. W. Westerman of Dallas; three daughters, Mrs. Rose Mauk of Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. Charles Fitch of West Virginia and Mrs. Bob Foreman of Dell City; two sisters, Mrs. Booth of Cross Plains and Mrs. U. S. Shirrel of Smyer; three brothers, F. K. and L. E. Marshall, both of Odessa, and J. R. Marshall of Big Spring; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

First Carrier On Both Cross Plains Rural Mail Routes Recounts Interesting Highlights Of Eventful Career

Rural mail service from the Cross Plains post office will become 50 years old June 1. The man who made the initial "run" and stayed on as a local letter carrier for 28 years, this week reminisces of the early days on both Routes 1 and 2, for which he was the first carrier.

He is Moses C. Baum of McAdoo who left here in September 1939, transferring to the Dickens County office where he remained in the mail service until retirement in 1953.

Hereunder the veteran letter carrier relates experiences in his own words, recalling the families still receiving mail at the same address as they were a half century ago, of how he first met a barefoot girl at the mailbox, who in later years was to become his wife, and other interesting gems of local history.

"I was first appointed rural mail carrier on Route 1 out of Cross Plains effective June 1, 1911. The route was 18 miles long and the salary was \$60 a month and 7:30 a. m. was the time to report at the post office.

"Tillman F. Wolfe was postmaster and Miss Ella Wyatt was assistant.

"The post office was in the building across the alley west of S. F. Bond's present grocery store, but about 1912 was moved to the brick building now occupied by Bond.

"The cart I had ordered for use had not arrived so the job was begun in a buggy rented from Will Butler. The cart was

and from Coleman and Brownwood.

"A number of families in the Dressy community had put up boxes on Route 1 and neighbors cooperated in getting their mail daily. Tom Ray Wilson, who is now a pharmacist in Spur, recently recalled those days when he, as a small boy, went to the neighbors to get their mail.

"They, of course, welcomed the new route which brought mail near their homes.

"Norrell Long is one, and possibly the only one, who met me at the box as a small boy and then his sons from the same house and same mail box, from the time Route 2 was established.

"The Jim Rone family, living nearer Route 2, moved its box and was the only family I served continuously from June 1911 until I moved away in September 1939.

"During World War I, I received my call to military service on May 28, 1918. I served my route on the 29th and reported to Baird that afternoon for military duty. I served until June 2, 1919, during which time my sister, Rivers Lamar, now Mrs. T. A. Arrowood, served as temporary carrier through a year of heavy rains and a snowy winter. I resumed my duties on June 7, 1919.

"I bought my first Model T in 1915, but in rainy seasons I had to rely on the team and Cozy Cab. At times I went horseback, delivering first class and such other mail as I could carry.

"On some occasions my brother, Jack Baum, would drive the team and wagon to Dinner Branch, two and one-half miles west of town, in time to pull me across in the Model T, then I could make the remainder of the route.

"Once I drove a mule I had not been driving and upon reaching a rather high, narrow culvert just south of the old Hazelwood Hill, the mule refused to cross. I got out to lead the team across. Instead of leading, that mule began to back cutting the buggy around and off the walled-up bank on one side. The double-tree broke, leaving the team on the bank, but the Cozy Cab stood neatly on its back in the bed of the branch. I walked back to what was then the Tom Mitchell home and by telephone called Jack and his wagon and team to my rescue. I haven't liked mules since that time.

"Only once someone tried to swing onto my running board at a turn in the road in what I suppose was an attempted hold up, but I evaded him without much difficulty.

"The route had extensions added and some changes and there were also increases in pay rate. In 1920 we began paying a small per cent into a retirement fund and this percentage, too, was increased through the years.

"Perhaps the outstanding event of my career was in September, 1914, when a young, barefoot girl who had just moved into the community came to

the mail box to mail letters and wait in a nearby shade for the mail, not even knowing a rural box had a flag. Since I had no mail to deliver, she was furious when I waved a greeting to her and her friend and passed on without stopping. Later, when this girl, Miss Irene White, grew to maturity, she became my wife, and today we look forward to our 40th anniversary on Sept. 5.

"In September of 1939, a transfer was arranged whereby O. M. Bailey and I exchanged routes and with my wife and five children moved to McAdoo where I continued to serve as R.L.C. until retirement June 30, 1953, after 42 years service.

"Most of my days were pleasant with warm greetings from partons who I still count as dear friends. Some days, of course, were long, cold and some even quite trying in bad weather.

"I have seen great progress in the rural areas I served. People are better housed, better fed and clothed, and road conditions and transportation are completely transformed. We who pioneered the Rural Free Delivery Service like to feel we had a small part in this rural progress.

"I served under eight postmasters at Cross Plains and one at McAdoo.

"I am now 74 years of age and was born in Cross Plains, the son of the late Moses P. Baum and Eliza Lamar Baum, who were among the very early settlers of the Cross Plains area."

Atwell

BY MRS. ALTON TATOM

We are sorry to report that Mrs. David Foster has been very ill, but is improving. She is in Comanche in a hospital. Her many friends wish for her a speedy recovery. Mrs. Jim Hewes and Mrs. Frank Maher visited her Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Jackson of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster over the week end.

Several from here attended the Rodeo at Baird last week.

Mark Foster of Clovis, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom Saturday night and Sunday.

Larry and Lynn spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom.

Rev. and Mrs. Arlis Williams and Don visited Mr. and Mrs. Charnel Hutchins Sunday.

We have been having some very nice showers this week and with last week's rain we have had more than two inches.

Maggie Wilson and Mrs. Tip Wrinkle, and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Foster attended the funeral services for J. W. Scott at Clyde Wednesday. Our sympathy goes to the family.

Ray Allen and two friends, all of Cisco, visited Mrs. Rosa Purvis here Sunday afternoon.

O. O. Sandifer of Cottonwood returned his mother, Mrs. Charlie Sandifer to her home at Wheeler over the week end.

C Of C To Skip Annual Banquet

There will be no annual banquet of the Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce this year.

The function, ordinarily held each May, will be bypassed and the money used for some cause of greater benefit to the community, said Howard McGowen, C of C president.

PUTNAM MAN HONORED WITH FAMILY GATHERING

Bill Jones of Putnam was honored on his 79th birthday by his brothers and sisters and other relatives when they met at the City Park Sunday. Mr. Jones is a brother of the late Mrs. James Lane of this city.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Alex Korzuwki, Alex and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lane and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Jones and Paula, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jones and Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Goodloe and Gay and Norise, Troy Hightower, Shirley Morris, Janie, Clayton, Robert and Jerry Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Henry and Wesley, Abilene; Mrs. Wanda Rounsaville and two sons, Hawley; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones and Beaula Horton, Brownwood; Mrs. Lucy Pryor and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Jones and family, Putnam; Miss Nila Jones and Tommy Lane, Cisco; James Lane, Freddy and Glenda and Mrs. V. A. Montgomery, Robbie and Jim of Cross Plains.

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Rowden

By MRS. BERNARD CROW

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odom and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Odom and family returned to their home, Cottonwood, S. D., after being here for the burial of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odom. They visited with relatives at Cross Plains, Baird, and Rowden.

Mrs. Ruth Campbell of Edinburg spent Sunday night with Mrs. Effie Hollaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Bains, the former Blenda Brashear of Cross Plains, were united in marriage Saturday evening. We wish them a long and happy life together.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sikes visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Smedley at a Baird hospital the past week. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Smedley a speedy recovery and to be home soon.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Judy attended Memorial Day services at Cottonwood Sunday. They reported a nice day.

People from Rowden attended funeral services for Odie Smedley at Baird Wednesday. Our sympathy goes to the Smedley family.

Mrs. L. F. Houndshell spent the past week in the home of her son, Elmer, in Abilene and helped care for her little five year-old granddaughter who has been ill with pneumonia in the hospital at Dyess Air Force Base.

News Of Former Residents

Word comes from Jal, N. M. that Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ratliff are now making their home in that city. He is a former athletic great at CPHS, being best-remembered as Mike Moore. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin of Pioneer.

Jake Watson, who a few years back was one of Texas top cowboys, is now running a transfer and storage business at Mineral Wells. He and his family left here about five years ago.

A couple married at Pioneer 72 years ago recently celebrated their wedding anniversary at their home in Christoval. They are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Westerman.

Mrs. Westerman, who was born Julia Jolly, said she told "Dad" at breakfast of the anniversary day: "I sure didn't feel like this 72 years ago."

A Methodist minister called "Daddy" Smith performed the rites at Pioneer for the couple who had been schoolmates. They boarded a wagon drawn by two horses—"a Studebaker." Mr. Westerman says — and rolled five miles to a farm at Cross Plains where they set up housekeeping.

Mr. Westerman was cowboy in the trail drive days of the West, having worked on the Matador Ranch before Motley County was organized.

He helped drive 2,700 steers up the trail to Montana in 1886 and was on a five-month trail drive with 2,500 head in 1887.

They retired to their Christoval home in 1941.

Robert Smith, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith, who was graduated here in 1948, is now a Certified Public Accountant with offices in the Bank of the Southwest building at Houston.

It's wonderful to get along with people. Everyone wants to be liked.

A man who formerly lived near Burkett and who neighbors say really had the knack for making and keeping friends, recently penned 10 rules for success in this field. The author is A. B. (Abe) Harris, who now lives at McCamey. He is the father of two Cross Plains women, Mrs. Ben Porter and Mrs. Lon Gray.

The guidelines to friendship were elaborately printed and are now displayed in banks, hospitals and a number of such places throughout West Texas. Because they're so practical, the rules are reproduced hereunder. They are:

1. Keep skid chains on your tongue. Always say less than you think. Cultivate a low persuasive voice. How you say it, often counts more than what you say.
2. Make promises sparingly, and keep them faithfully no matter at what cost.
3. Never let a day pass you don't say something encouraging to or about somebody. Praise good work done regardless of who did it. If criticism is needed, criticize helpfully, never spitefully.
4. Be interested in others, interested in their pursuits, their welfare, their homes and family. Be happy with those who rejoice, and have sympathy for those who weep. Let every one you meet, however humble, feel that you regard him as one of importance.
5. Be cheerful, keep the corners of your mouth turned up. Hide your pains, worries and disappointments under a smile. Laugh at good stories and learn to tell them.
6. Keep an open mind on all debatable questions. Discuss but do not argue. It is a mark of a superior mind to disagree and yet be friends.
7. Let your virtues speak for themselves, if you have any. Refuse to talk of others vices. Discourage gossip. Make it a rule to say nothing of others unless it is good.
8. Be careful of others feelings. Wit and fun at the others expense is not worth the cost and may hurt where least expected.
9. Pay no attention to ill-natured remarks about you, simply live so nobody will believe them.
10. Don't be too anxious about your dues. Do your work, be patient and keep your disposition sweet. Forget self and you will be rewarded.

Olan Adams of Fort Worth visited friends and relatives here first of the week.

Laurels Heaped On Ex - Local Graduate

A Cross Plains High School graduate garnered four laurels at a recent Awards Day ceremony on the campus of North Texas State College in Denton.

Jim Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lewis of Rising Star and a 1958 graduate of CPHS, received four top awards. He was cited as the outstanding man in the junior class, acclaimed a member of Bule Key, national honorary fraternity for outstanding juniors and seniors, made a member of Ti Kappa Lambda, music fraternity, and presented for recently having won the distinction of being chosen for Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

He was an outstanding student in CPHS, being valedictorian of the '58 graduating class.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- May 11:
Mrs. H. R. Jeffries
Bowen Max Clark
Velma Faye Pittman
Gaylon Williams
Mrs. John Adair
Mrs. C. D. Lane
- May 12:
Mrs. Roy Acker
Roger Williams
Mrs. J. H. Morgan
- May 13:
Edde Elliott
Fred Cutbirth
Ann Woody
Donnie Joe Pierce
Milton Bynum
- May 14:
Ed Andrews
Arthur Boyle
- May 15:
Wanda Cowan
Mrs. T. E. Baum
Ruby Taylor
James Young
Mrs. J. E. Mikeska
- May 16:
Albert Lee
Wynn Connelly
Guy Watson
- May 17:
Lahoma White
Mrs. Albert Ussery
Mrs. A. R. McNutt
Willard Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy were visitors in Abilene Friday.

News Of People On The Go

Mr. and Mrs. Bromo Bennett of Fort Worth visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cook and Mrs. George B. Scott.

Dick Vestal of Priddy visited his mother, Mrs. E. I. Vestal and other relatives in Cross Plains last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barr and daughter of Coleman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barr and Mr. and Mrs. Lestet Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Earnest of Lovington, N. M., visited last week with her mother, Mrs. John Farr and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gibbard here.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Spivey were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowman and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bowman and two daughters, all of San Angelo.

Mrs. Tom Cox of Brownwood was a visitor Sunday.

Phil Harris, who has attended at Fort Knox, Ark., is expected to arrive Saturday for a 30 day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris.

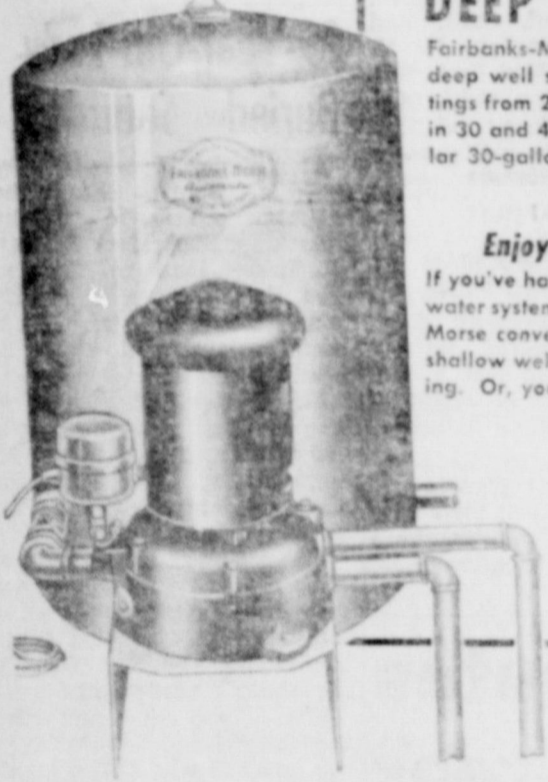
Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Harris were in Lampasas Sunday afternoon, where they visited J. Peyton Smith, who has at the bedside of her mother a Lampasas hospital the several weeks.

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- ★ Only ONE moving part
 - ★ Motor rated for continuous duty
 - ★ Bearings have sealed-in lubrication
 - ★ John Crane rotary shaft seal
 - ★ Non-corrosive bronze impeller
 - ★ Install over or away from well

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- Features that mean years of continuous service
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 - ★ Non-corroding bronze impeller
 - ★ Stainless steel motor shaft
 - ★ Motor rated for continuous service
 - ★ Lifetime sealed bearings at pump end of motor
 - ★ No leather belts or gears to wear out
 - ★ John Crane rotary seal prevents leakage
 - ★ Guaranteed against defects in materials, workmanship

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JACK W. TUNNELL, C.

Soldier In Military Exercise

Pfc Sidney W. Shirley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Shirley, Route 2, Cross Plains, is participating in Exercise Thunder, a nine day joint Army-Army Corps of Engineers training exercise at Fort Ord, Calif., which ended April 29.

Shirley is a 1958 graduate of Cross Plains High School.

Warren of Abilene business here Tuesday.

NEW PHONE BOOKS TO BE ISSUED AT PUTNAM

Fabian Bearden, manager of the Putnam telephone exchange, said yesterday that copy for a new directory is now in the hands of printers and that new books would be issued before the end of May.

BAILEY WAYNE BARR NOW SERVES IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Bailey Wayne Barr, son of Mrs. J. B. Hill of Cross Plains, is currently stationed with the United States Coast Guard in Newfoundland.

Clarence Burkett of Coleman was a business visitor here Monday. He has recently opened a rubber stamp business in Coleman.

May 31 Deadline In Feed-Grain Program

May 31 has been set as final date for farmers to signify intentions to participate in the federal government's 1961 Feed Grain Program.

Owners and operators of farms and ranches which have a 1961 grain base for corn or grain sorghums, are being asked to call at the office of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee's office on the second floor of the courthouse in Baird before May 31 and sign for the benefits.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Anderson and daughter of Roswell, N. M., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson at Cottonwood.

May Usually Wettest Month Of Year — Old Records Show

Rainfall over the week ended May 7, measured 1.31 in Cross Plains. S. F. Bond, local observer, gauged one inch Saturday and then .31 early Monday morning.

Total moisture received thus far during 1961 in Cross Plains has been 9.57 inches.

First four months rainfall in Cross Plains this year measured 8.26 inches. This is 2.15 more than the average for the first

four months here during the past 12 year period.

May is customarily the wettest month of the year in the Cross Plains area. The average here for the past 11 years has been 4.07 inches. The 35-year record, as maintained by Putnam, S. official observer at Cross Plains, shows the average rainfall for May to have been 4.01 inches since establishment of the station in 1925.

P-TA Installs New Officers Recently

Cross Plains Parent Teacher Association held its first regular meeting of the current school year Wednesday afternoon, May 3, at the school auditorium. The first grade, under direction of Mrs. Charley Ballow and Mrs. C. C. Westerman, presented an outstanding May Day program.

Mrs. Bob Latson conducted the installation of officers for the ensuing school year. They are: Mrs. Nathan Foster, president; Mrs. Sam Balkum, first vice-president; Mrs. Howard McGowan, second vice-president; Mrs. Jack Tunnell, secretary; Mrs. Clay Kinnard, treasurer; Mrs. Johnny Adair, historian, and O. B. Edmondson, parliamentarian.

A president's pin was presented to Mrs. Foster to wear during her tenure of office and Mrs. D. C. Jones was given a past president's pin as outgoing president.

A delegation of the newly-elected officers, accompanied by Mrs. Jones, attended a school of instruction in Ranger Friday, May 5. It was sponsored by the Fastland-Callahan Bi-District Council.

46 PRE-SCHOOLERS IN CLASSES HERE FRIDAY

Forty-six children, who will enroll in public school in September, attended classes all day here last Friday. Four other pre-schoolers, who were enumerated in a recent count, were unable to be present but will be a part of next year's first grade, giving it a total of 50 as compared with 48 here at present.

Mrs. J. C. Bowden was a visitor in Coleman Tuesday.

Mrs. E. B. Scott and son, Granvel, were visitors in Abilene Monday.

Visiting in the W. B. Baldwin home last week end were Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Moreland of Clearwater, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Bexley of Aransas Pass, and Dr. C. M. Baldwin of Plainview. Dr. Moreland and Mrs. Bexley are brother and sister of Mrs. Baldwin.

Rev. J. D. Furry Dies At Brownwood Home

Rev. John D. Furry, 65, who lived in Cross Plains until early this year, died at his home in Brownwood Saturday afternoon after an illness of several years.

Funeral service was held Sunday from a Brownwood funeral chapel with Revs. H. P. Shaw and E. H. Parks officiating and burial was in Hog Creek Cemetery.

Mr. Furry died at 5:30 p.m. Saturday at his home. He was born Jan. 28, 1896, in Brown County.

Survivors include his wife; five sisters, Mrs. Mary Phillips, Mrs. Julie Thompson, Mrs. Parlee Strawn, Mrs. Becky Byrd and Miss Lizzie Furry, all of Grosvenor, and two brothers, Alfred Furry of Brownwood and Claude Furry of Grosvenor.

LAST OF CIVIL DEFENSE CLASSES SCHEDULED HERE

Last of a series of instructional meetings on civil defense will be held in the high school auditorium here Monday afternoon, beginning at one o'clock.

Martha Graves of Cisco Junior College, who has been conducting the courses, will again be here and show a film dealing with fall-out, its dangers and ways of safeguarding against. The meeting is open to the general public.

Mrs. B. K. Eubank of Big Spring was a visitor here over the week end.

Clint Eudaley of Spearman, nephew of Mrs. Rosa Purvis, visited her Monday and also with Mrs. R. W. Purvis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barr visited in Brownwood Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Long and Donald Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Long of Portland, Ore., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann here Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wooldridge of Cleburne visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnell here over the week end.

Patsy Joyce Dutton Weds In Virginia

Miss Patsy Joyce Dutton, of Portales, N. M., daughter of G. A. Dutton of Cross Plains and Mrs. Wm. F. Tutor of Norco, California, was married to Gary Mack Trammell, F.A.A.-W.T.C., Dam Neck, Virginia, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Trammell also of Portales, April 29, at 9 a.m. in the Navy Chapel at NAS Oceana in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Chaplain Sims read the double ring ceremony. Traditional wedding music was played by the organist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was dressed in a beige pleated street length dress. Her accessories were platinum bone and her hat was of beige lace covered with chiffon. She carried a white Bible topped with a bouquet of white carnations.

For something old, the bride wore her grandmother's wedding ring. She also wore the traditional something new, borrowed and blue and a penny pinned in the year of her birth in her shoe.

Mrs. Thomas A. Campbell of Clovis, N. M., sister of the bride served as matron of honor and David J. Gadia of Dam Neck, Virginia, was best man.

The couple are at home in Virginia Beach, Virginia, where he is attending the Naval Guided Missile School.

Mr. Dutton and his daughter, Mrs. Campbell, have returned to their home after the wedding.

MRS. HOWSER IS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HOSTESS

Willing Workers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a social at the home of Mrs. L. L. Howser Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Jeff Clark, president of the class, opened the meeting with a prayer. Devotional was conducted by Mrs. L. W. Westerman and Mrs. Earl Pyle delivered the invocation.

After a short business session and a Bible quiz, a delicious refreshment plate was passed to 12 members and one visitor, Mrs. A. Abbott.

LOCAL MAN'S KINSMAN DIES IN MINNEAPOLIS

News was received here Monday afternoon of the death of Orville Williams, retired printer, in Minneapolis, Minn. He was a brother-in-law of Dan McCarty, father of Jack McCarty of the Cross Plain Review.

Funeral services were to be held in Minneapolis Wednesday morning.

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JUD BARNETT COMES HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Friends will be pleased to learn that Jud Barnett has returned home from a Comanche hospital, where he recently underwent surgery and is reported regaining his health satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde D. Sims were in Brownwood Thursday evening, where she attended a business meeting for insurance women of this area.

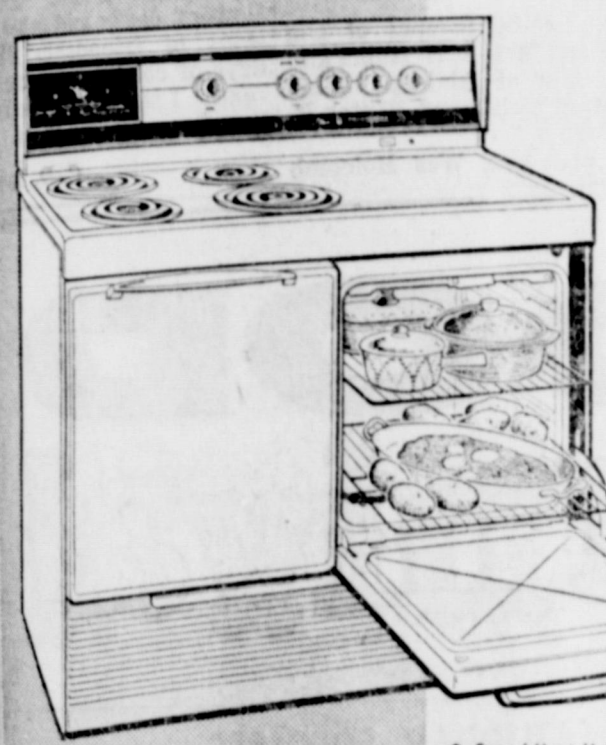
Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Mikeska, Jr., and Gayle were in San Angelo over the week end, where he attended the West Texas Tumor Conference, sponsored by the American Cancer Society.



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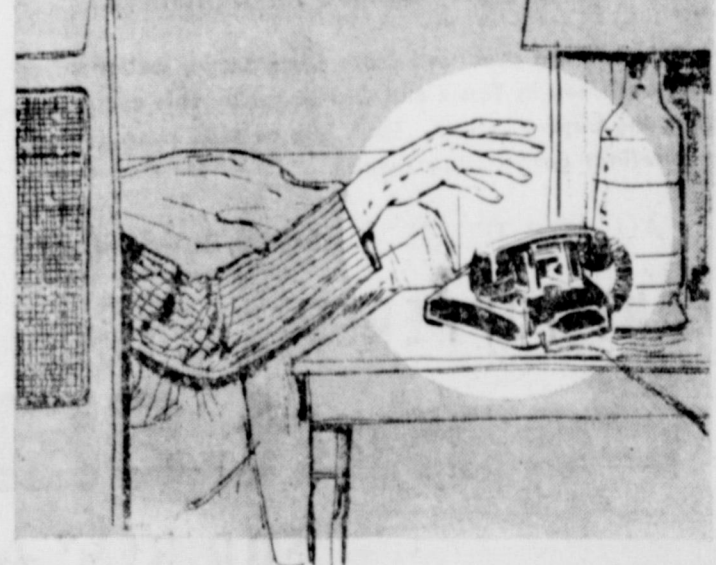
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CLOSED SUNDAYS

PHILOSOPHER SAYS ANSWER TO CUBAN PROBLEM IS, THERE'S NOT AN ANSWER

Editor's note: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou discusses ignorance this week, a subject on which he claims to have a first-hand knowledge.

Dear editor:
Although I don't think the fate of the world rests on Cuba, as a matter of fact, I don't know what the fate of the world rests on, maybe nobody, at least there's nobody I can put my finger on, everybody is pretty generally agreed the United States pulled off a diplomatic flop in connection with that country, but that's not what I've been thinking about.

What I've been thinking about is that in the past week I've read articles by dozens of columnists, experts, statesmen, etc., and while every one of them can tell you what we did wrong about Cuba, not a one of them can tell you what we should have done that would have been right.

Everybody seems to be outraged at how we could have pulled such a blooper, and everybody keeps on hollering, "Why can't we do something about the Cuban situation?" But when you ask them what, they shrug and say that's Washington's job.

The editorial writers of this country are first rate at telling us what we did wrong, but when it comes to telling us what we could do right, they've moved on to the next crisis and what we did wrong about that.

Now you might think this is a criticism of the editorial writers and columnists, but it isn't. The reason they don't tell us what we ought to do about Cuba is that they don't know either.

What a lot of people don't understand is that there are a lot of problems in this world to which there ain't no answer.

If you're looking to me to tell you what the answer to Cuba is, I'll tell you just as soon as I figure out what the answer is to the farm problem, tomorrow's weather, the city problem, family squabbles, the value of the dollar, teenagers, middle-agers, old people, earthquakes, television, and why my tractor won't start. Don't wait around for an answer, if you've got work to do.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Pioneer

By JEAN FORE

Mrs. Eva Huntington of Abilene, Mrs. Ray Frye of Cisco and Mrs. Annie Bishop of Cross Plains spent Friday and Saturday in the home of Mrs. Eula Fore. Mr. and Mrs. John Hart of Cross Plains also visited in the Fore home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson returned to their home Wednesday after several days visit in San Antonio with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton and family of Shallowater visited over the week end on their farm and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kilgore and daughter of Alamogordo, N. M. visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Westerman Saturday. They were enroute to Fort Worth to be at the bedside of his father, who is very ill. Mrs. Kilgore is a sister of Mrs. Westerman.

Mrs. Roy King visited relatives in Odessa and Andrews last week.

Mrs. Eula Fore attended memorial services in Cottonwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dupriest and sons of Rankin visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Dupriest.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy King visited Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fleming and baby of Pampa and Jim Fleming of Cisco Junior College spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming and Jerry. Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Skinner and Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Falkner of Cross Plains visited in the Fleming home Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Tom Flippin have completed their new home and are planning to move into it next week.

Rev. and Mrs. S. C. Batchelder left for Fort Worth Thursday after visiting a week with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hill and family of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hill and Lula Mae of Childress and Mrs. Freddy Thate and Roger of Burkett visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hill during the week end.

T. O. Powell of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eakin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Pittman and son of Midland are spending a few days with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stover, Regie and Vickie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gray of Iraan are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray. The Grays and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge and family of Cross Cut spent the week end at Byrd's Store fishing.

An all-day meeting was enjoyed by ladies of our community Wednesday of last week at the club house. A covered dish luncheon and quilting session were enjoyed. Two quilts were finished to be sold and proceeds to be given to the cemetery fund. About 12 ladies were present during the day.

Sabanno

By MRS. EDWIN ERWIN

Mrs. Wordis Erwin and Peggy were in Austin Saturday where they visited their son and brother, Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gage and girls of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Long of Portland, Ore. and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann of Cross Plains visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wood, Jr. of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pruett of Abilene visited Misses Josie and Alma and Columbus Morris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin attended the parade and rodeo in Baird Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. Haskell Wilson and children were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beene.

Word was received here late Monday evening of the condition of Dorothy Casey. She was to undergo surgery again Wednesday. Her husband left immediately for Houston to be at her bedside.

Mrs. Truett Dawkins, Mrs. Nolan Brooks and children accompanied Mrs. Charles Cox and daughter to their home in Carlsbad, N. M. and remained for a few days visit in the Cox home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and sons of Eastland visited their mother, Mrs. J. L. King and husband, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hicks

visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clarence Casey's sister from California visited in the Casey home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Switzer of Dallas visited in the O. B. Switzer home over the week end.

Paul Ingram visited Mack and Mike Ingram Saturday night.

(Intended for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Thompson and Bobby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beene and Randy visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Saturday morning.

Mrs. Dan Applin and Ruth visited Misses Josie and Alma Morris Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brooker and girls and Harold Ingram visited in the L. L. Ingram home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk visited relatives in Sidney Sunday. Allen Presley Holcomb is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb.

Columbus and Alma Morris visited Mrs. Emma Kent and Melba Jean Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Nesbitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba visited their children of Brownwood one day last week and went from there to San Angelo to visit her brother who is recovering from a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Beene and Randy visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beene and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba last week.

Mrs. Lucille Sampel of Big Spring and Mrs. E. H. Hollis and Debra Ann of Abilene visited Mrs. Mary Hollis and Minter B. Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb

visited relatives in Anson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ramsey, Mary Frances visited with Mary Hollis and Minter B. Sunday.

Chips Lead LL Rival With Perfect Record

Through the first three games of the Little League pennant chase the Chips hold a perfect game lead over the second place Cats.

The Chips sport a perfect record of three wins against losses, while the Cats have victories and one loss.

The Trickers are in place with a tally sheet showing one win and two defeats. The dwellers are the Kilowatts have yet to win.

League Standings
Chips 3 0 1
Cats 2 1 1
Trickers 1 2 3
Kilowatts 0 3 0

Last Week's Results
Tuesday:
Trickers 23, Kilowatts 6
Chips 6, Cats 2.

Friday:
Cats 9, Trickers 3
Chips 13, Kilowatts 7.

Tuesday:
Chips 16, Trickers 4
Cats 14, Kilowatts 7.

CARD OF THANKS

I am deeply grateful for many friends who remembered me in so many ways during stay in the hospital and my return home. The flowers, cards and other expressions of friendship made days of confinement more pleasant. I say again, thank a lion for your kindness.

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Glenda Brashear Bride Of Arvin Bains, Jr. Saturday

As a surprise to their friends, was the marriage Saturday evening of Glenda Brashear, daughter of Mrs. Robert Brashear and Mrs. Robert Brashear of Cross Plains, and Arvin Bains, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rowden of Rowden.

The single ring ceremony was officiated by Rev. W. E. Nowland of the Rowden Baptist Church at the home of the bride's father and wife, Mr. Arvin Brashear, in the presence of only immediate relatives of the two families and close friends.

The bride wore a white chiffon gown over white tulle with white accessories. Her hair was styled in a bouffant and was of pink carnation color. The ceremony was attended by Miss L. F. Foster of Merkel as best man.

Following the marriage ceremony, Mrs. Arvin Bains and Mrs. Bains hosted in their home reception. Miss Jerry Koeppel, classmate of the bride in school here, was a member of the wedding party.

The couple left for a brief trip to San Antonio, where Mrs. Bains wore a white checked suit with white accessories.

Returned to Coleman this week and will make her home in that city, where she is employed. Mrs. Bains has been working at an insurance concern since she graduated from business school early in 1958. She will commute between Coleman and San Antonio until a replacement is found by her employer.

Mrs. Bains are graduates of Cross Plains High School. She finished with a class of 1958 and she with the class of 1959.



Mrs. Oran Bains, Jr.

87-Year-Old Lady Birthday Honoree

Mrs. Maggie Boyd was complimented Sunday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Dewbre, with remembrances on the occasion of her 87th birthday.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Johnson of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boler, Mary Frances and Mack, all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Boler of Weatherford, Mrs. Ernest Pierce and Mrs. Hershel Graham and girls of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boyd of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Boyd of May, Mrs. Mary Gaudner of Cisco, Mrs. Jim Casper of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. John Dewbre of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre.

Cub Scouts Pick Olympic Entries

Cub Scout Dens 1 and 2 met at the football field on the local high school campus Tuesday and picked representatives for a local team to compete in Cub Olympics, scheduled here May 21.

Cross Plains will enter Dale Hunt in high jump, Brad Harris in push-ups, Clayton Kinnard in the 50-yard dash, Rickey Jones in the 60-yard dash, Gayle Arnold in the 75-yard dash, David Merryman in softball throw, Bobby Davis in the barrel walk and Jack Tunnell, Jr., in the broad jump.

Plans were also made Tuesday afternoon for a welcoming committee of eight Cub Scouts to serve at the Olympics. A concession stand on the ground will be manned by Cubs.

Mike Lusk furnished refreshments at the Tuesday afternoon get-together for: Dale Hunt, Rickey Jones, James Huntington, Clayton Kinnard, Jack Tunnell, Jr., Mrs. Jack Tunnell, Carolyn and Julie, and Mrs. Clayton Kinnard and Cindy.

Mrs. Lillian Hurlburt and Miss Karlene Gassaway of Waco visited Mrs. Pearl Moore here last week end.

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Cottonwood

By HAZEL I. RESPASS

Mrs. Loyd Jones and friends of Baird were here last Friday visiting the graves of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Johnson and left a donation for the cemetery.

Mrs. Morris Snyder of Moran visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sparks last Friday.

Rev. Tidwell had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woodard. He supplied at Adm. Baptist Church for the pastor, Rev. Ted Johnson.

Mrs. Kenneth Burns and two girls of Breckenridge are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Garland Lewis and husband.

Those visiting Mrs. J. F. Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Anderson of Donna, Mrs. Ruth Campbell of Edinburgh, Mrs. Mattie Holley, Hubert Holley, Abilene; Mrs. Grover Gibbs and Poley Holloway of Rowden and Mrs. Laverne Percell of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack McCowen visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Long in Carlsbad, N. M. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Thompson of Haskell visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson Sunday.

Another Memorial Day has passed and as usual many former residents were here for the annual homecoming. Among those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Strahan of Odessa, Judge and Mrs. Meade Griffin of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Ryan of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hawkins of Hart, Mrs. Charles Witham, Mrs. Felix Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Norrell of Baird, Judge and Mrs. Charlie Nurdyke of Stephenville, Miss Missouri Strahan and Mr. and Mrs. Oral Strahan of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Stephenville, Mrs. L. B. Windham, Mrs. Mary Ayers Hogbin and Miss Eunice Hembree of Scranton, Mrs. Mary Ramsey of Putnam, Mrs. Henry Hagar, Mrs. Jim Hagar of Moran and John Cox and daughter of Moran. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Wright of Abilene also attended.

Another pioneer of our community has passed away. J. H. Coats died May 7 at 11 a.m. at a Baird hospital, after a long illness.

Among those from here visiting in Abilene Thursday were: Mr. and Mrs. John Purvis, Mrs. D. C. Hargrove and Mrs. Bernice Moore, Mrs. C. R. Myrick and Hazel I. Respass.

Mrs. O. C. Lewis of Oklahoma is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Garland Lewis for a few days.

BOBBY BOLSON WINS 2ND IN BLANKET BRONC SHOW

Bobby Golson took second money in bronc riding at a rodeo held in Blanket last week end. He will compete in the same event at the rodeo scheduled in May this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Jones of Stith, near Merkel, visited in the home of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Jones here Tuesday.

Additional officers were elected to complete the slate of club executives. Edmondson was named first vice-president; Ted Souder, second vice-president; Don Wiggins, third vice-president; Don Watkins, tail-twister; L. F. Foster and Damon Jones, directors for two years and Roy Cox and Jack Watkins, one-year directors. Previously-elected officers included Dr. M. E. Roth, president and Bob Latson, secretary.

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Lions Club Takes In 4 New Members

Cross Plains newly-organized Lions Club received four additional members at a regular meeting of the group in the basement of the First Methodist Church here Monday night. They were: Dan Johnston, Jack Watkins, O. B. Edmondson and Dr. J. E. Mikeska.

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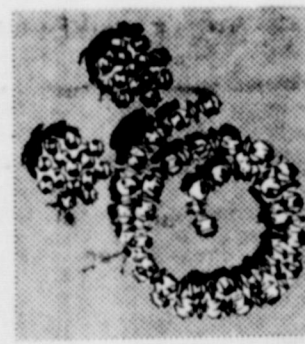


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NOTICE Of Board of Equalization Meet- ing, Cross Plains Independent School District:

In obedience to an order of
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larly convened and sitting, notice
is hereby given that said
Board of Equalization will be in
session at the high school study
hall in the City of Cross Plains,
Callahan County, Texas, at 9
o'clock A.M., beginning on Sat-
urday the 27th day of May, 1961,
and from day to day thereafter,
for the purpose of determining,
fixing and equalizing the value
of any and all taxable property
situated in the said Cross Plains
Independent School District,
until such values have finally
been determined for taxable
purposes for the year 1961, and
any and all persons interested,
or having business with said
Board, are here notified to be
present.

**DONE BY ORDER OF THE
BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF
Cross Plains Independent School
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was one of six Amarillo graders singled out for honor by the American Legion of Texas. He received a certificate and medal in recognition of scholarship, honor, leadership and service.

certificate read: "This certificate of distinguished achievement is awarded to Richard Bryan of Sanborn Elementary School in recognition of achievement acquired as winner of American Legion School further recognition of the honor, courage, scholarship and service, necessary to the protection and advancement of our society."

Oscar Page and child-San Angelo visited with here one day last week.

Max D. Lovett of San Angelo visited with here one day last week.

FORTUNE TWINS HONORED ON THEIR SIXTH BIRTHDAY

Terry and Jerry Fortune, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fortune were honored by their mother with a party celebrating their sixth birthday May 2.

Present to celebrate with the twins were Jackie Loveless, Chuckie Pennell, Terry Edington, Rodney Renfro, Freddy Childress, Larry and Lynn Tatum, Julie Tunnell, Vickie Goble, Kenny Pancake and Jan and George Oscar Page of San Angelo. Ten mothers also attended the party.

SEW AND SO CLUB HOLDS MEETING THURSDAY, MAY 4

The Sew and So Club held its meeting Thursday of last week in the home of Mrs. A. D. Petty with 17 members in attendance.

Meeting was opened with the singing of the club song after which a business session was held. Mrs. Vellie McDonough and Mrs. I. N. Riley were in charge of the social hour.

A refreshment plate was served to Mmes. E. C. Neeb, Marvin Smith, Craig McNeel, L. W. Westerman, Eddie Woods, Jeff Clark, Harold Wise, Houston Strong, A. Painter, Charlie Smith, Pat McNeel, Sr., A. A. Beekman, Henry McCoy, W. B. Williams, McDonough and Riley.

The club will hold its next meeting in the home of Mrs. C. D. Lane, May 18.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Holbrook and daughter were Abilene visitors Saturday.

Cemetery Gifts \$27 Below Fixed Costs

Contributions to Cross Plains Cemetery Association fell \$27.84 below actual expenses during April. Total gifts amounted to \$97.16. Regular monthly maintenance expense is \$125.

Dick Wagner, secretary of the maintenance organization, reports April contributions were: S. O. Montgomery estate \$21.01, E. E. Rich \$10, J. A. Atwood \$5, E. C. Neeb Oil Interest \$3.65, Mrs. Wm. D. Brown \$10, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pyle \$5, Mrs. J. P. Smith \$10, M. L. Jones \$10, Mrs. Claude Mayes \$10, Hadden Payne \$10, and sale of pipe \$2.50.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bertrand of Santa Anna were in Cross Plains Friday.

Fabian Bearden of Baird was a business visitor in Cross Plains Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peevy visited at the Callahan County Hospital in Baird Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smedley who are recovering from injuries suffered in a car accident in Oklahoma.

THANKS
I take this means of thanking all my friends and neighbors for all the many kindnesses shown me and my family while I have been hospitalized in Houston.
May God bless each of you, is my prayer.
J. M. TUBBS

Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

insulate insolate insalate

(Meaning to place alone or to separate)

(See back page for answer)

ARMY RECRUITER AT POST OFFICE TUESDAY

M Sgt. L. M. Evans will be at the Cross Plains post office from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday of next week for the purpose of discussing the military service as a possible career for high school graduates.

3 PUTNAM TEACHERS TO ATTEND AUSTIN SEMINAR

Three members of the Putnam school faculty will attend an instructional conference in Austin this week end.

They are: Superintendent R. W. Reynolds, Mrs. John McIntyre and Mrs. Clyde Brown.

Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Shaw of Alvard visited with relatives here a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner and son of Atlanta, Ga., visited here in the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Wagner the past week.

MARVIN WILCOXEN WINS SATURDAY'S \$15 AWARD

Marvin Wilcoxen won the top prize of \$15 at the cash drawing in town Saturday afternoon. The \$10 prize went to Mrs. Sub Peevy. Winners of \$5 each were: Mrs. Nettie McNelly, T. B. Elder, E. D. Duncan, Francis Baker and Rita Bates.

Don L. Purdy of Abilene visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Peevy of Abilene spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. O. O. Sandifer.

Mrs. Blanton Childers, Mrs. Chuck Woody and Mrs. J. A. Wilson were Brownwood visitors Thursday of last week.

Danny McCarty and Bill Waddle of Sherman, both students at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty.

IN DAYS OF YORE

50 Years Ago
Our little town was very quiet last week for the exception of Saturday; everybody at work except the marble players and they would have been but they didn't want to break their obligations. Cross Cut news.

Dr. Upton has left Pioneer and gone to Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bond and J. A. Royston of Royston, Ga., are visiting relatives here this week.

Ben Hart left Monday for Portersville, Calif., to live with his brother, Tom Hart.

W. E. Havins stuck a nail in his foot this week which is causing him much pain.

40 Years Ago
Misses Julia Payne, Ollie Thorn and Willie Payne were visitors in Rising Star Sunday.

Eugene Wagner who has been ill for sometime returned to Cross Plains last week from the home of her parents at Sipe, Springs.

C. S. Boyles celebrated his 27th year in business in the county May 15.

The Comal school closed last Friday, May 6. The teachers, Miss Emma Havins and Mrs. Will Thate have been given a cordial invitation to continue their work for another school year.

W. J. Watts of Brookfield, Mo., was a visitor in Cross Plains recently.

Cross Plains men called for duty on grand jury and petit jury announced by J. R. Ely, presiding judge are: C. S. Boyles, M. E. Wakefield, W. P. Brightwell, S. C. Barr, J. L. Ferrell and T. J. Bruce.

Mrs. C. B. Gregory and children have returned to their home in DeLeon after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson.

Attorney Virgil Hart has moved his family to Cross Plains from Brownwood.

25 Years Ago
Cross Plains Junior class will present a four act play Friday night. Members of the cast are: B. W. Huntington, George Cecil Cook, Ross Hemphill, Gene Blitch, Johnnie Mae Swafford, Elouise Lane, Martha Nan McAdams, Mary Billingsly, Ruth Fortune, Eugene Cross, Helen Frailey, Daisy Graves, Josephine Harris and Bobby Gains.

The house owned by Mrs. A. F. Tate and occupied by the E. A. Morrises, located in the southwest part of town was destroyed by fire Friday morning.

Miss Alma Armstrong is reported recovering normally after undergoing a tonsil operation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley of Rowden, are parents of a baby girl.

Haynie Spencer and Miss Jewel Grimes visited relatives and friends here over the week end.

Homer Jackson Arvin of Cottonwood died Saturday of typhoid fever.

Mrs. O. D. Strahan and sons and Miss Missouri Strahan visited the V. V. Strahan family at Big Spring over the week end. Cottonwood news.

10 Years Ago
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robertson, Jr., of El Centro, Calif., are parents of a baby girl.

City clean-up campaign will

start in Cross Plains next week. Baird suffered approximately \$100,000 damage by wind and hail storm Monday evening.

Winners in the recent spelling bee held were Mrs. Johnnie C. Freeman, 77, of Coleman first and Mrs. A. J. Mathis, 81, of Cross Plains. High school bracket, Weldon Newton and Mrs. Eddie Petty.

Mrs. Ida Graves has been a patient in the Rising Star hospital while recovering from a fractured ankle.

Miss Helen Plumlee who is teaching school at Merkel visited her mother the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Womack left this week for Dallas, where he will be employed by a construction company.

1 Year Ago
The home of Mrs. Rosa Lovell at Cottonwood was struck by lightning Friday morning and an estimated \$1,000 damage was done by the fire.

500 residents are expected to vote Saturday in First Primary Election.

Albert Lovell was elected Tuesday to head the Chamber of Commerce. Jack Tunnell will serve as vice-president and Doyle Burchfield secretary-treasurer.

Miss Mary Helen Strong, local homemaking instructor and Misses Claudette Baugh, Carole Cox and Wanda Cowan attended the state FHA convention in Austin last week end.

People of Callahan County invested \$14,752 in Government bonds last month.

Cross Cut

By MRS. LES BYRD

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kelley and Mike of Garden City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelley. They attended Memorial Services at Cottonwood Sunday.

Mrs. Jake Byrd and Gary visited Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Byrd and Lawrence Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton attended Decoration Day at Wolf Valley Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mills of Goldthwaite and Mrs. W. H. G. Chambers of Mullin returned home with them, and they all visited with Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton had his aunts, Mrs. Eva Stone of Plainview and Mrs. Lillie Marshall of Coleman, as week end guests at their cabin on Lake Brownwood. Mrs. Coe Cross of Coleman was a part time guest.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford of Goldthwaite, Miss Roberta Cox of Brownwood visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Kellar and boys Sunday.

Word has been received here of the serious illness of Oscar Melton. The Meltons lived in our community for over thirty years, moving to Duncan, Okla., last summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wagner and children of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner of Atlanta, Ga. spent several days here last week with Mrs. Mary Wagner and Dick.

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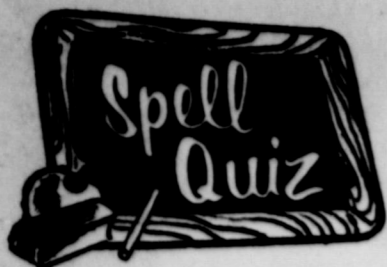
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Correct answer is:
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Burkett

By MRS. MERRELL BURKETT

E. G. Key, local Baptist minister, was rushed to the Coleman hospital Sunday morning after suffering a severe stomach convulsion.

Ben Strickland has been on the sick list after suffering a heart attack Saturday night. H. C. Beaver also suffered a light attack Sunday morning. They are both doing all right.

Mrs. L. D. Evans celebrated her birthday Saturday with a dinner at her home. Twenty-three guests were present.

Don Harper and Miss Nancy Mann of Abilene attended services at the Church of Christ Wednesday night of last week. He delivered the sermon for the evening.

Minister Jerry Richardson and family of Abilene were here Sunday and he did the preaching for the Church of Christ. He will also do the preaching this Wednesday night.

Mrs. W. M. Newton has been a patient at Hendrick's Memorial Hospital in Abilene the past several days undergoing a physical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan have gone to Coleman each day the latter part of last week to be with their son, Eldon Morgan, who was hospitalized several days following an accident in which he lost two fingers and suffered other cuts and bruises on his hand.

More than forty persons attended an ice cream supper at the Baptist Church Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Barrett of Henderson, formerly of Burkett, visited Mrs. Alma Audas Tuesday. They spent Thursday and Friday at the Llano River accompanied by Mrs. Audas and the Jess Bells of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Burkett of Aransas Pass and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie (Beau) Burkett and girls of Pharr are spending their vacations here with Mrs. Carrie Cross and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkett and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk and son Mike of Sabanno visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkett and son, Mark, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray of Brownwood visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tye Brown and boys of Coleman visited his mother, Mrs. Earl Brown, Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Campbell of Coleman visited friends here Wednesday of last week.

Luncheon guests in the Arlie Thate home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Forney Burford and Edsel of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs.

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Mrs. Billie McDonald and son, Ronnie, of Denton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Godwin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Evans spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chatham of Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy James Slack and daughter, Cindy, of Odessa and Rev. Floyd Jennings, local Methodist minister,

Mrs. Eva Slack Sunday visited Mrs. Mollie Parsons and Mrs. Gilder Adams, Mrs. Hattie Adams and Mrs. Ethel Tabor were in Abilene Monday where Mrs. Hattie Adams underwent a physical checkup. They took Mrs. Tabor to her home at

Baird. She had spent the past few months here with Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. Ida Slack received word Sunday of the death of her nephew, Charles Hollingsworth, of Lubbock. Funeral services were to be held there Tuesday.

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Thursday, May 11

Mrs. Monnie Garrett went home with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odom of Cottonwood, S. D. They remained here several days after the funeral of their nine-

year-old son, Robert, Plains last Tuesday.

Mrs. A. D. Jenkins of Star was a business visitor to Cross Plains Wednesday

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