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## Methodists Get Pastor In Changes

Methodist Church of Cross Plains will get a new pastor as the result of the reassignment of the church's ministers in this area, effective Feb. 15.

The Rev. John Aston Pollard, pastor of the local Methodist Church, will move here as pastor of the Cross Plains-Burkett Circuit.

Other changes in the reassignment include: The Rev. Bob Evans has been transferred from First United Methodist Church in Cisco to Corts Memorial. He will be replaced by the Rev. John H. Williams of St. Stephen United Methodist Church in Arlington.

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of the death of Rev. Thomas B. Granger, pastor of Corts Memorial United Methodist Church in Weatherford, and a leave of absence granted Rev. Rollo Herrington, pastor of the local Methodist Church.

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## Local Exhibitors Do Well At Fort Worth

Preliminary reports from the Southwest Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, now being held, reveal that several Cross Plains exhibitors have won high places in the cattle show.

Highest place learned of here Monday was Bruce Lawrence who captured third place in the Brahman class. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence.

Miss Ann Merryman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Merryman, was reported to have taken seventh place in the Brahman competition.

Miss Merryman's brother, Tommy, claimed 10th place in the Hereford show.

Eddie Wyatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wyatt, won 20th place in the Charolis Cross division of the huge exhibition.

## County Fails To Reach Bond Quota

December sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Callahan County totaled \$11,435, according to County Bond Chairman Howard E. Farmer. Sales during 1971 amounted to \$114,190.00. This represents 88 per cent of the sales goal of \$130,000.00.

Texas purchased \$15,207,564 in Saving Bonds during the month. Total Bond sales for 1971 were \$199,830,508 for 110 per cent of the state's goal of \$181.9 million. One hundred six counties and twelve districts in the state achieved their 1971 sales goal.

Nationwide, December sales totaled \$439 million — a 14.4 per cent increase above December 1970. During the calendar year 1971, sales of E and H Bonds amounted to \$5.5 billion. This is 114 per cent of the National goal of \$4.8 billion.

## Lebanon Baptist To Move Meeting Place

The congregation of the Lebanon Baptist Church, which has been meeting in the American Legion Hall here for the past several months, has moved two blocks south to the sanctuary of the Primitive Baptist Church.



NEW JP — L. P. (Pender) Mitchell has been appointed Justice of the Peace in Precinct 6, Cross Plains area. The appointment was made Friday by County Judge A. E. Dyer, Jr. of Baird. Billy C. McMillan, who has served as local justice for about four years, recently resigned to seek the post of Sheriff of Callahan County. Mitchell has served as Cross Plains City Judge for the past year. The position of justice in Cross is now open for candidates to file for a two-year, unexpired term in the next general election later this year. It was pointed out that candidates must file by next Monday for names to appear on primary ballots.

## TOM COX TERMED SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

W. T. (Tom) Cox, popular and long time Cross Plains merchant, is reported somewhat improved by physicians at Brownwood Community Hospital.

Mr. Cox was rushed to the hospital about two weeks ago after apparently suffering a heart flare-up. He has since suffered a stroke.

## Buffettes Claim Wins; Herd Drops 2 Contests

Cross Plains Buffettes claimed two victories in District 10-A basketball action last week. Local feminine squad remained in second place in the loop race.

Buffaloes dropped two games in as many outings, and are still looking for a first league triumph.

Tuesday of last week Buffettes edged host Early girls 43-40. Local sextet trailed at intermission, but limited the hosts to 16 points in the second half to post the victory. Terry Edington paced the Buffettes attack by scorching the nets for 30 points.

Early Longhorns took a quick first quarter lead, but Buffaloes roared back to cut the deficit to 23-22 at halftime before finally bowing to the hosts 56-47. Boyd paced Early in scoring with 14 points. Buffalo Rod Renfro captured scoring honors for the night with 14 points. Buffalo Tony Golsen added 14 and Ricky Kirkham chipped in with 10.

On local hardwood Friday, Buffettes out-pointed visiting Goldthwaite girls in every quarter for a 57-46 win. Miss Edington again blistered nets as she pumped 35 points through the goal. Miss Davis led the visitors with 25 markers.

Herdsmen fell 12 points behind, 19-7, in the first eight minutes but scored one of the largest scores of the season before losing 75-61 to the Mills County Eagles. Renfro again paced the Buffalo attack with 21 points. Kirkham added another 19, and Golsen tallied 10 for the Herd. Johnny Johnson led the Eagles with 16 markers.

Both local teams will end regular season Friday at Ranger.

## MRS BOB JOY LISTED IN ABILENE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Bob Joy is reported to be improving in Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene. She has been removed from the intensive care unit and is now in a room.

## New Traffic Laws

### OPENING AND CLOSING VEHICLE DOORS

No person shall open the door of a motor vehicle on the side available to moving traffic unless and until it is reasonably safe to do so, and can be done without interfering with the movement of other traffic, nor shall any person leave a door open on the side of a vehicle available to moving traffic for a period of time longer than necessary to load or unload passengers.

### RIDING ON MOTORCYCLES

A person operating a motorcycle shall ride only upon the permanent and regular seat attached thereto, and such operator shall not carry any other person nor shall any other person ride on a motorcycle unless such motorcycle is designed to carry more than one person.

## School Calls \$180,000 Bond Vote February 16

Members of the Board of Trustees of the Cross Plains Independent School District, met in a called meeting here Friday afternoon and heard their bondsmen, George Buescher Jr., a finance consultant of Abilene, explain the costs and necessary steps in calling a bond election

## Local Girls, Cisco Boys Win Tournament Titles

Cross Plains girls and Cisco boys won championships of respective divisions in the B team basketball tournament held here Thursday and Saturday.

Interning Buffettes nipped Rising Star 32-31 in the contest for the top diadem Saturday night. Margie Duncan led local scoring with 21 points, and Miss Polk paced Rising Star with 17 markers.

Cross Plains turned the tables on the Rising Star unit after the latter nipped Buffettes 29-25 in first round play.

Cisco reserve Loboes sustained one loss en route to the crown. Loboes decided May 29-23 in the finals.

Proceeds from the tournament, which Head Coach Mack McConal rates as a fine meet with good sportsmanship by all with no trouble, went to the athletic department for purchase of new equipment. All labor was donated and only cost of trophies was deducted from the gate which left a net of \$132.

Cisco girls took third place

in the school district to finance cost of construction of new facilities to replace those lost by fire two weeks ago when the elementary school was burned to the ground in a fire of undetermined origin.

After a thorough study of the proposals, board members voted

unanimously to call an election to authorize sale of \$180,000.00 in bonds to finance the new construction and set Wednesday, Feb. 16, as the date for the election. The motion was made by Dr. Carl J. Sohns and seconded by R. N. Tatom.

No action was taken on plans to clear the site of the walls of the old building.

Board members believe that the bonds can be repaid with an increase of only 30¢ in the tax rate which now totals \$1.50 on the \$100 valuation. Architects have not completed their work on plans for the new building which will also house a new high school science laboratory and the high school home economics department, consequently exact costs of the project are not known, but School Board President Vernon Phillips pointed out that only enough bonds will be sold to cover the costs of the project and it could well be that the full issue will not be needed.

The old building lost to the fire was constructed in 1926, and board members are hopeful that they can replace it with a facility that will serve equally as well over the next 50-year period.

School Superintendent Wayne Ford expressed complete satisfaction with the plans thus far and said that he hoped that it would be possible to move grade school classes into a new building soon after school starts next fall.

The proposed new building will be modern in every respect and will be of masonry construction, it was said.

## Annual Belle Plain Cemetery Meet Set

The annual membership meeting of the Belle Plain Cemetery Association, Inc. will be held on Friday, Feb. 11 at 2 p.m. in the District Court Room in the Courthouse at Baird.

Any person who has relatives, friends, or loved ones buried in the cemetery is a member of the corporation and is entitled to full voting privileges. The purpose of the meeting is to elect one director whose term expires and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

## Voter Registration Is Explained

Secretary of State Bob Bullock said today that despite some newspaper articles and radio bulletins to the contrary, voter registration does not end Jan. 31.

Secretary Bullock said, "I am aware of at least two newspaper articles and several radio announcements which state that Jan. 31 is the last day for voter registration. Apparently there is some confusion about the new voter registration law passed by the last legislature. Under the new law, voters can register any time during the year. However, persons must register at least 30 days prior to an election, to be able to vote in that election."

Bullock stated that his office was mailing a reminder of the new voter registration law to all County Tax Assessor-Collectors who are responsible for issuing voter registration certificates.

## MRS. A. L. BREEDING BACK FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. A. L. Breeding was released from Brownwood Community Hospital last Friday after twice undergoing surgery. She is reported to be recovering normally.

## GEORGE GARNER REPORTED TO BE SERIOUSLY ILL

George Garner, longtime resident of Cross Plains, is reported to be seriously ill in a Veterans Hospital in Temple where he has been a patient for the past few weeks.

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Freddy McNeel

## Freddy McNeel Takes Honor Posts At A&M

Freddy McNeel, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. (Pat) McNeel, Jr. of Cross Plains, has recently been elected to two high places on the campus of Texas A&M University at Bryan.

The 1968 graduate of Cross Plains High School has been chosen as a member of the Civilian Student Council at Aggieland. The A&M senior, who also attended Tarleton State College at Stephenville was also selected as president of his dormitory, White Hall. He serves as upperclassman representative of the dormitory.

McNeel was very active while in high school here, and was a member of the Buffalo Band and served as an officer in that organization. He also was a member of the annual staff.

## ALBERT KINCHELOE CALLED TO CALIFORNIA

Albert Kincheloe, formerly of Cross Plains now living in Fort Worth, flew to West Minister, Calif., Saturday to be at the bedside of his father who is critical.

## MRS MYRTIE JONES IN EASTLAND HOSPITAL

Mrs. Mertie Jones of this city underwent surgery in Eastland Hospital last week. At the latest report, she was improving improving nicely.

## School District's Top 10 Taxpayers Are Told

The top 10 taxpayers in Cross Plains Independent School District render properties assessed at almost one million dollars, according to tax roll of the district. The total amount rendered by the big 10 is \$935,370.

Biggest ranchland, listed as the holdings of Mrs. Ludie Owens. Its listed tax value is \$138,600.

Tax rolls list the second largest taxpayer as Amarda Hess Corporation, oil properties which have been sold since roll compiling, as valuation of \$108,370. In third place is Permian Corporation with rendition of \$101,900.

Higginbotham Bros. and Co. ranks fourth with a rendition of \$100,720.

Mobil Pipeline Company has a tax valuation of \$98,720, and West Texas Utilities is fifth with renditions totaling \$95,230.

Texas Telephone & Telegraph Co. heads the next four largest contributors to school financing here with a rendition of \$63,750. Following in order are: Santa Fe Pipeline Co. \$62,160; C. M. Caldwell and Alice Walker, \$64,920 on ranchland, and J. D. Sandifer oil properties \$61,000.

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## U. F. Officers To Be Elected Feb. 8

Officers to head the Cross Plains United Fund for the ensuing year will be elected in a meeting of the organization which will be held Tuesday, Feb. 8, according to Jimmielee Payne, outgoing president of the United Fund.

The session will begin at 3 p.m., and will be held in the directors' room at the Citizens State Bank.

Payne has urged all officers, directors and other interested persons to attend the meeting.

## Legion Hall Open For Public Use

Members of the American Legion Chapter in Cross Plains voted to again open the Legion Hall, at the end of East Eighth Street, to public use in a meeting Friday night.

It was pointed out that Elvis B. Scott and Claud Foster have been appointed trustees of the building, and persons or organizations wishing to use the facilities must contact either or both of them.

American Legion will also again hold monthly sessions on the first Monday night of each month at the hall beginning at 7 p.m.

It was noted that all events being held at the Hall will require adults in charge, being responsible for the building and its fixtures. All fees will be payable in advance.

The following fees will be charged for the following events which will be welcomed by the local Legion: Girl and Boy Scouts for \$1 per meeting, reunions \$15 and dances, school and civic nature, \$25.




**LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST**

Visiting in home of his aunt Mrs. Harry Millward, during the week end were Buddy Criswell of Houston, his mother, Mrs. Pearl Criswell of Cisco; also Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cox of Copperas Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Freeman met their son and wife, Jim and Sue Freeman at their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bush Friday and together they attended the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show.

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Miss Dianne Key

**Miss Dianne Key To Wed David Merryman March 10**

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Key of Cross Plains are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dianne, to Mr. David Merryman, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Merryman, Jr. of Cross Plains.

The wedding has been planned on Friday, March 10, at the home of the bride's parents, at 7 p.m. The Rev. Paul Smith, pastor of the Concho Baptist Church in Coleman, will read the vows.

The bride elect is a 1971 graduate of Cross Plains High School where she was active in social affairs and was a member and officer of the Future

Homemakers of America Chapter. She attended Cisco Junior College.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1970 graduate of Cross Plains High School and was a member and officer in the Future Farmers of America chapter. He was an outstanding athlete and participated in most of the organized sports programs.

**Cross Cut**

By Mrs. D. L. RILEY

Mr. winter visited us last week.

Several are sick in our community. Mrs. Les Byrd and Mrs. Elsie Byrd have sore throats and colds, and Les Byrd is in the hospital having tests made.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Byrd are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Howe, at Kingsland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley, Jr. and Bee Jones attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Strawn at their home at Lake Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley, Jr. visited Tuesday evening with Mrs. Eula Hunter at Burkett. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hick Edington and Terry. Visitors in the Riley home were Mrs. Wayne Ford of Cross Plains and dinner guests Saturday were Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Brooks of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baucom visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom and attended church with them Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Myers and Lynn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. August Garlitz.

We were happy to learn Mrs. Jack Sherrill got a good report from her doctor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Byrd spent the week end visiting Mrs. Les Byrd and Les in the hospital at Brownwood.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Norris last week were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Johnston and daughter of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond De-Busk of Cross Plains, Mrs. Edna Henderson and Howard Norris of Santa Anna, H. W. Norris of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Bransford Eubank attended the 50th wedding anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Lester Strawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tut Hight of Rising Star were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cone.

Visitors last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Arnold were their children, Claudie Lou and Deana Kay of Abilene Deana Kay is spending the week. Gail of Waco spent the week end.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

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**Burkett Area News Highlights**

By Mrs. Eddie Strickland

Mrs. Nora Jennings of Coleman spent three days with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jennings.

Charlie Giddens of Houston spent three days last week in the Bill Davee home.

The Tommy Larners took over the Burkett Store Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Koenig were in Fort Worth for the stock show last week end.

A get-acquainted reception was held Sunday night after services at Burkett Baptist Church honoring the new pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Tommy Lerner and Robbie. Later that night the Lerner family was involved in a wreck near Cisco. They were not seriously hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Don Biehl of Artesia, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biehl here and the Jerry Biehls in Brownwood.

Leonard Waggoner of Abilene, local Church of Christ minister visited Mr. Biehl in a Brownwood hospital.


Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Payne of Walters, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bradford

of McCamey visited Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Adams last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Al Kontues of Long Beach, Calif., visited the Tommy Larners recently.

Mrs. Carey Kathy of Cisco, Strickland and Mrs. Carlos McPlains.

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- BOLOGNA, Decker's, all meat, per pound .....
- CUT GREEN BEANS, Griffin, 303 can, 3 for .....
- SPINACH, Griffin, chopped or wh. leaf, 2 cans .....
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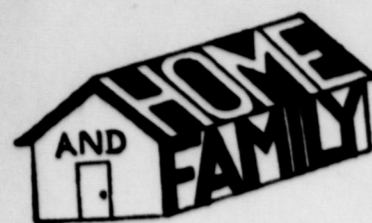
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# HINTS

FROM HIGGINBOTHAMS

By Barbara Williams

Mrs. R. C. of Goldsmith, Texas, writes of a good way to whiten clothes: Soak clothing for 30 minutes in a solution of 1/2 cup Cascade dishwasher detergent, 1/4 cup liquid bleach, and 1 gallon of very hot water. Squeeze out clothing and wash as usual.

Thank you, Mrs. R. C., helpful hints are always appreciated. What newspaper are you receiving way out in West Texas? (Correspondence can be addressed to me at Higginbothams General Offices, P. O. Box 392, Comanche, Texas 76442.)



Speaking of whitening, DO NOT use chlorine bleach on fabric that contain silk, wool, or spandex fibers, polyurethane foam, or on a fabric with a special finish (such as those used to improve such properties as wrinkle resistance, shrinkage resistance, crispness, or sheen, or to produce durable embossed and sculptured designs) unless the manufacturer states on the label that chlorine bleach is safe.

Why? Because the resin in some of these finishes absorbs and retains chlorine, which weakens and sometimes yellows the fabric. Some fabrics are not weakened or yellowed until they are ironed, but then the damage may be severe. Whether the fabric actually yellows before or after ironing, the ironing weakens the fibers.

Chlorine caused yellow stains on wool and silk cannot be removed. Before ironing however, you may be able to solve yellowing problem on some fabrics. Rinse the fabric thoroughly. Then soak it for 30 minutes or longer in a solution containing 1 tsp sodium thiosulfate to each part of warm water. Rinse thoroughly. To strengthen treatment, make the sodium thiosulfate solution with water as hot as is safe for the fabric. The chemical can be bought through your pharmacist, though he will

likely have to order it for you.

Commercially prepared color removers will also remove chlorine yellowing, but do not use them on any fabric that will fade. Follow the package directions after rinsing your garment thoroughly with plain water.

Remember these things about chlorine bleach, too: White or faded spots caused by chlorine bleach on colored fabrics cannot be restored to the original color, so take care! Don't splash that bleach!

Store bleach upright in a cool place, out of reach of children. Do not use it with ammonia, bowl cleaners, or other household chemicals, or put it in metal containers. Higginbothams hope you put safety FIRST in all of your homemaking activities. (And after safety on that laundry list, put washday equipment by SPEED QUEEN!)

O. M. Baum, 78, Local Native, Dies

Funeral for O. M. Baum, 78, was held at 3 p.m. Saturday in Stevens Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Glen Bowman officiating, assisted by the Rev. A. J. Wormwood, both Methodist ministers.

Burial was in Coleman cemetery. Mr. Baum died at 5:30 a.m. Friday in Holiday Hill Nursing Home.

Mr. Baum was born Jan. 9, 1894, in Cross Plains and has several relatives in this area.

He was a retired maintenance man for Texas Co. He had lived in Coleman County since 1929. Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Mrs. L. H. Johnson of Coleman, Mrs. B. B. Seal of McAllen, Mrs. A. L. Moore and Mrs. W. L. Brown, both of Arlington; two stepsons, Bill Ewing of Grand Prairie and Max Ewing of Las Cruces, N. M.; 12 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren.

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		<b>Fruit Cocktail</b> DEL MONTE, 303 SIZE CAN	<b>4 FOR \$1</b>
		<b>Flour</b> GLADIOLA, 5 POUND BAG	<b>49c</b>
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DEL MONTE, 8 OUNCE SIZE  
TOMATO SAUCE, 10 cans ..... \$1

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FOLGER'S INSTANT 6 OUNCES

**Coffee 99c**

SHURFINE, TOMATO  
SOUP, 10 oz. can ..... 10c

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SHURFINE  
PANCAKE MIX, 2 pounds ..... 45c

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POPCORN, 2 pounds ..... 39c

## Brother Of Pioneer Lady Receives Serious Burns

By Wanetta Parson

Mrs. Pete Fore has received heart breaking news. Tuesday her brother, Albert Harlow, of Grand Prairie was welding when paint fumes exploded and his entire body was burned. At first his head was so swollen that he could neither see, hear nor talk. She was relieved to hear Sunday that he can again see and hear and talk a very little. He is awaiting skin grafts at the Great Southwest Hospital, Room 120, Grand Prairie, Texas 75050. He grew up in Cross Plains and would enjoy hearing from old friends.

I guess I struck a match and started a fire. Almost everyone has had a comment on who causes high food prices. I'm sure I left out a few remarks because there were several who said just about the same thing. One neighbor was upset enough to say that if the farmers are put out of business by legislation who do the city dwellers think will get hungry first? Another had an outstanding point about how little of what we call our grocery bill is really food. Think about the light bulbs, cosmetics, hygiene supplies, sewing notions, household cleaners, paper products and other related convenience items on through kitchen utensils, toys and non-food value bottled drinks that Americans purchase. Oh yes, don't forget the dog food even if it's a farm product. You can easily see that an honest person would have to admit the farmer wasn't getting the money from these. One thoughtful individual suggested that he was tired of paying more for the can that his beans come in because the price of steel was up after another pay raise to laborers. All know that Americans spend a smaller percent of their total income on food now than 20 years ago, and yet most individual foods are much higher than before. Farmers are getting less on some produce and not a great deal more on more than 20 years ago — so where does this increase in the groceries appear. Nothing but labor and product prices seem to be going up together. A lady who always keeps up with statistics assures me that there is only 3c worth of wheat in a 37c loaf of bread. If the farmer only gets 3c who gets the rest anyway?

One woman that called wanted to remind people that the farm housewives have to pay the same high prices for groceries as anyone else. Naturally, many comments were very political and I can't write those. One thing was clear — few really trust any politicians and many would like to hear the names and addresses of our representatives listed periodically in the paper along with reminders of whatever farm legislation is under action at the time. That sounds like a wonderful public service.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hutton recently returned from a honeymoon trip to South Texas. We are all relieved to hear that Mr. Elton Burgett's report showed no heart or lung trouble, but he will have surgery the first week in March. He has a cyst which cuts off his breathing and it is believed to be benign. He was in the hospital this past week but got to come home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hutton had supper with the Cowen Hutton family Thursday.

Travis Parson had his tonsils removed Saturday at Brownwood and is home doing just fine. He wants to thank everyone for all the nice gifts and the visits.

Jake Huntington is still in the Brownwood Memorial Hospital and doing just about the same.

Mrs. Anna Laura Alexander's grandson, Jim Alexander, will be guest preacher at the Pioneer Church of Christ Sunday. Jim is a senior at Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Merrill made an over night trip to Bay City the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harrell had Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Ellis of Brownwood as guests Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Daniels spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming.

Jim Fleming has spent this past week in Fort Worth with his 4-H boys who had entries in the livestock show.

Mrs. Lois Joy, mother of Mrs. Parker Brown, is doing better and is out of intensive care at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. Her room number is 225.

Miss Donna Brown attended the rodeo and fat stock show in Fort Worth.

Don't forget Ladies, this Thursday is club day in Pioneer. Sybil Gibson and Louise Brooks will have in quilts. Bring a calendar to fill in with 1972 dates and your secret pal gifts.

Mrs. Ida Gray is home after spending several weeks in Stanton with a long time friend, Mrs. Mary Holcombe.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ringhofer and Mrs. Irene McAnery of Romney, Jack Arledge of Cross Cut and Velma Brown visited Ida Gray Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Gibson reported a wonderful week end with her children. Friday she went to Brownwood and was joined by the Eugene Gibsons as she traveled to Fort Worth to visit the W. R. Gibson, Jr. family. She returned home late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rector, Jr. attended a going-away dinner in Bangs Sunday for his nephew Billy Covington, who goes into the Army this week.

Mrs. Jess Brown and Mrs. Joe Brown were in Abilene Saturday.

The H. T. Parsons visited the Homer Don Parson family on Thursday night.

Mrs. Grace Eakin is in Kentucky visiting relatives.

The Calvin Roadys reported another happy week end filled with visits from their children.

The Pioneer Ladies Club has a word of appreciation for Mrs. Calvin Roady. She served as president of the local club for seven years, and did a fine job. She tried to resign a couple of years ago, but as the saying goes, when you find a good work horse you work it to death. She finally got a much deserved rest this year when Mrs. Pete Fore took over her duties in January.

Mrs. Carolyn Martin and children of Abilene spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Howser of near Houston, visited her mother, Mrs. Ed Long, here over the week end.



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 J. H. Meador  
 Harold G. Wise  
 Kathy Jo Fussell  
 Joyce Jones

**FEBRUARY 3**  
 Darrell Wyatt  
 Mrs. Edgar Jones  
 Rector DeBusk  
 Mrs. J. W. Beene  
 Mrs. Grenny Landsdale

**FEBRUARY 4**  
 Mark Walker  
 Bob Childres  
 Mrs. T. D. Archer  
 Ivan Clark  
 Walter O. Graham Jr.  
 Barry Bell  
 Junior Baugh  
 L. M. Baum  
 Mrs. Terry Harris  
 Judy Byrd  
 Linda Joy Sadler  
 Jimmy Thomas  
 M. E. Rouse  
 R. L. (Bob) Young  
 Delma Dean

**FEBRUARY 5**  
 Mark Adair  
 Glen Dale Champion

Penny Odum  
 Mrs. Carolyn Ogden  
 David Hargrove  
 Johnny Rouse  
 Eva Slack  
 Mrs. C. H. Edington  
 James W. Lindsey  
 Ronnie McNutt  
 Barbara Lynne Oliver

**FEBRUARY 6**  
 Curtis Ray Shields  
 Mrs. Ivan Clark  
 Terry Cearley  
 Tommy Garrett  
 W. A. Huckaby  
 Norman Farr  
 Mrs. Larry McAnally  
 Jerry Beene  
 Elmer Duncan  
 Tommy Graham  
 Billy Evans  
 Mrs. Jimmy Mobley  
 Junior Ford Sr.  
 Mary Ruth Lee

**FEBRUARY 7**  
 Allen Lovell  
 Mrs. B. A. Moore  
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**FEBRUARY 8**  
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## Wilson-Strickland Vows Repeated Here Recently

Deana Cherise Wilson and Randy Lane Strickland were married Saturday, January 15, in a candlelight ceremony in the home of Mrs. Marie Dillard, the grandmother of the bride.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Wilson of Cross Plains. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strickland of Burkett, are the parents of the bridegroom.

Officiating was the Rev. Rollo Herrington, minister of the Cross Plains United Methodist Church.

Terry Dillard, cousin of the bride, played the wedding music and the theme song of "Love Story".

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of silk organza and chiffon with trim of pink embroidered roses. The gown had long sleeves and sabrina neckline. A crown of sequins and pearls held her fingertip veil of French illusion. She carried pink rose buds encircled by white carnations.

Mrs. Kala Templin, the bridesmaid, served as matron of honor. Bridesmaid was Jan Strickland, sister of the bridegroom.

They wore gowns of hot pink and foam green chiffon, designed with long sleeves and high waist lines. They carried a long stemmed pink carnation.

Flower girl was three year old sister of the bride, Tectia Dee, who slept through the entire ceremony.

Candlelighters were Nikki Wilson, brother of the bride, and Timmy Dillard, cousin of the bride.

For something old the bride

carried the wedding socks of her grandfather. Something new was her pearl earrings. Something borrowed were the pearls belonging to her aunt. Something blue was the blue garter she wore.

Jerry Strickland was his brothers best man. Groomsmen were Richard Pope and Steve Fortune of Cross Plains. Jackie Strickland, cousin of the bridegroom, carried the rings.

Donnie Dillard and Randy Pancake, cousins of the bride, seated the guests. Marsha Strickland, cousin of the groom, registered the guests.

Mrs. Jackie Pancake, Mrs. N. L. Dillard, Mrs. Jack Strickland, Mrs. Jerry Strickland and Mrs. Ray Worley served punch and wedding cake at the reception in the Dillard home.

After a short wedding trip the couple will make their home in Cross Plains.

**MRS. W. L. PLACKE BREAKS ARM IN FALL**

Mrs. W. L. Placke, who is a long-time resident of Cross Plains, fell recently and broke her arm. She is in Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene and is reported doing very well. Reports indicate that she will be able to go to her daughters home in Coleman the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Jimmy Baum and Miss Vesta Bond attended funeral services in Coleman Saturday for Mr. O. M. Baum.

## Ex-Local! Lady Dies In Abilene Saturday

Mrs. Ida Estelle Tyson, 60, a resident of Shady Oaks Lodge, died a 8:05 p.m. Saturday following a lengthy illness.

Funeral was at 3 p.m. Monday in the Elliot's Chapel of Memories with the Rev. R. M. Parsley officiating.

Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Tyson was born Feb. 23, 1911, in Robinson County. She moved to Abilene from Cross Plains in 1947 and was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors are one son, five sisters, three brothers and four grandchildren.

**MRS. OPAL GATTIS HAS MEDICAL CHECK**

Mrs. Opal Gattis entered Scott and White hospital in Temple Tuesday of last week for a medical check-up. She returned last Thursday evening.

**SEW AND SO CLUB TO MEET ON THURSDAY**

The Sew and So Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Ola Thompson on Thursday afternoon beginning at 2:30.

Mrs. C. V. Dickson attended the funeral for O. W. (Bill) Henderson in Abilene Friday afternoon. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ellis, former Cross Plains residents who sent their greetings to local friends. Coincidentally, the Elises rent a house in Abilene owned by the late Mr. Henderson.

The D. T. Crockett family of Fort Hood visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Crockett, over the week end.

## Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

It's so cold the Atwell people don't stir much. The biggest job is getting cattle fed and watered.

The Ray Tatoms and the Dayton Sessions still have colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster made a trip to Odessa to see James and family. He returned home with them and was to return Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Beth and Terri Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dayton Sessions got word Saturday that her brother, Ray Jones, was in West Texas Medical Center suffering the flu and a heart flare-up. He is to be released soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom attended the Workers Conference at Baird last Monday night.

Arvin Brashear and Benjamin of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom Saturday.

**HEAVY SNOW AREA MONDAY**

Heaviest snow in several years falling over the mid-afternoon. Snow continued into the night. Roadways became arduous but not impassable.

Classes were held at local schools, but in two hours late roads to town were closed. Moisture visible in snow, which covered ground two to three inches deep, was gauged an inch by F. C. Kay, official weather man.

**BAPTIST CHURCH EVANGELIST ON**

First Baptist Church of Cross Plains will hear the Rev. J. W. Jones for the April revival at 7 p.m. He is the pastor of the Baptist Church at the past four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben and Patti of Abilene, week end with his couple and Mrs. Tom Burris.

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**WATER TEMPERATURE SELECTION**  
 Choice of Hot wash with Cold or Warm rinse; Warm wash with Cold or Warm rinse; Cold wash with Cold rinse.

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 Choice of either Normal agitation and Fast spin speed or Gentle agitation and Slow spin speed. Gentle agitator action is 65% of Normal. Spin speed for water extraction is 625 RPM (approx.) on Fast and 421 RPM (approx.) on Slow.

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## LEGAL NOTICE

### RESOLUTION AND ORDER CALLING MAINTENANCE TAX AND BOND ELECTION

The State of Texas Counties of Callahan, Brown, Coleman and Eastland

### CROSS PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the CROSS PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT deems it advisable to establish a maintenance tax and issue bonds under the provisions of Chapter 20 of the Texas Education Code by submitting (for an election called for the purpose) the propositions hereinafter set forth; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF CROSS PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

SECTION 1: That said elections shall be held on the 16th day of February, 1972, at the City Hall, Cross Plains, Texas, and the entire District shall constitute an election precinct for said election.

SECTION 2: That the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of the election:

ALTON HORNSBY, Presiding Judge  
ZENOVIA STRICKLAND, Alternate Presiding Judge

The Presiding Judge shall appoint not less than two nor more than four qualified clerks to serve and assist in holding said election; provided that if the Presiding Judge herein appointed actually serves, the Alternate Presiding Judge shall be one of the clerks.

On election day the polls shall be open from 8:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

MRS. A. J. McCUIN is hereby appointed as the Clerk for absentee voting for said election, and the School Tax Office in said District, Cross Plains, Texas, is hereby designated as the place at which absentee voting shall be conducted for said election. For the period absentee voting is permitted by law, the hours designated for absentee voting shall be from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. on each day except Saturdays, Sundays and official State holidays.

SECTION 3: That at said election the following propositions shall be submitted:

**Proposition Number 1**

"SHALL the Board of Trustees of the Cross Plains Independent School District of Callahan, Brown, Coleman and Eastland Counties, Texas, be authorized to levy and cause to be assessed and collected an annual ad valorem taxes for the further maintenance of public free schools therein at a rate of not to exceed ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS (\$1.50) on the \$100 valuation of taxable property in said School District, as authorized by Section 20.04 of the Texas Education Code?"

**Proposition Number 2**

"SHALL the Board of Trustees of the Cross Plains Independent School District of Callahan, Brown, Coleman and Eastland Counties, Texas, be authorized and empowered to

issue the bonds of said District to the amount of ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$180,000) for school building purposes, to wit: the construction and equipment of school buildings in the District and the purchase of the necessary sites therefore, and shall there be pledged and levied, assessed and collected annually ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the District sufficient, without limit as to rate or amount, to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds as the same become due, said bonds to be issued in one or more series or issues to mature serially or otherwise not more than FORTY (40) years from their date, and to bear interest at such rate or rates as in its discretion the Board of Trustees shall determine?"

SECTION 4: That the official ballots for said election shall be prepared in accordance with V.A.T.S. Election Code, so as to permit the electors to vote "FOR" or "AGAINST" the aforesaid propositions which shall be set forth in substantiality the following form:

**Proposition Number 1**  
"MAINTENANCE TAX"

**Proposition Number 2**  
"THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

The word "FOR" and beneath it the word "AGAINST" shall be made to appear on the left of each proposition. A square shall be printed on the left of each of the words "FOR" and "AGAINST", and each elector shall place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way he wishes to vote.

SECTION 5: All resident qualified electors of the District, including those who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be permitted to vote at said election. At said election two separate ballot boxes shall be provided at each polling place. In one box only resident qualified electors who own taxable property and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be allowed to vote. In another box all resident qualified electors (who are otherwise qualified but do not own taxable property which has not been duly rendered for taxation) shall be allowed to vote. The votes cast in each of said boxes shall be recorded, returned and canvassed in such manner as will reflect separately the votes cast by the qualified electors who own taxable property and who have duly rendered the same for taxation.

SECTION 6: A substantial copy of this resolution and order shall serve as proper notice of said election and said notice shall be published one time at least ten (10) days prior to the date set for the election in a newspaper of general circulation in the District.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 28th day of January, 1972.

S/VERNON PHILLIPS  
President, Board of Trustees

Cross Plains Independent School District.

ATTEST:  
S/CARL J. SOHNS  
Secretary, Board of Trustees  
Cross Plains Independent School District  
(District Seal)

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
First, I thank God for permitting me to live among people who are so thoughtful as you. I do thank each one for your visits, cards, flowers and especially your prayers. May God bless each of you as my prayer.  
Mrs. A. L. Breeding

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank each of my friends for the many thoughtful acts shown me while I was in the hospital. The cards, visits and calls were genuinely appreciated.  
Bobby Hinkle

## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE OF MAINTENANCE TAX AND BOND ELECTION

The State of Texas Counties of Callahan, Brown, Coleman and Eastland

### CROSS PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

To The Resident Qualified Elector or Of The Cross Plains Independent School District including Those Who Own Taxable Property In Said District And Who Have Duly Rendered The Same For Taxation:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in CROSS PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT on the 16th day of February, 1972, in obedience to a resolution and order duly entered by the Board of Trustees of said School District, which is attached hereto and made a part of this Notice for all intents and purposes.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID DISTRICT, this 28th day of January, 1972.  
S/ CARL J. SOHNS  
Secretary, Board of Trustees  
Cross Plains Independent School District.  
(District Seal)

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WANTED: Higginbothams want Nu-Way Stamp books. Redeem them in the dry goods, ready-to-wear, shoes, men's, hardware and lumber departments or apply on your account in the office for \$3 a book. 49 4tc

## For Couple Known On Anniversary

Mrs. George L. Hanke and her husband will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary reception from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 6, in the party room at the north end of the High Rise apartment building at 311 Commercial in Coleman.

Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to call the celebration will be held at the home of Mrs. Joe Hanke, Jr., and Mrs. John, of Cross Plains, and Mrs. Frank and Mrs. Frank, Jr., of Cross Plains, and Miss Diane McMan and Mrs. Lee McMan.

Hanke, a retired mechanical engineer, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hanke of the community. He was near Coleman, but was near Burkett.

Hanke, the former Anna was born in Milan, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Essler. The couple was married on Oct. 12, 1922, in Scotland, Texas, St. Joseph Catholic Church. Following their marriage, they moved to Coleman and for a number of years now have their home on their farm of that city. They are members of the Sacred Heart Church in Coleman.

## BOWDEN

by Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Day started off with sun but before the day was over a white cover of snow. The moisture is needed for grain fields. Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. Barney Gibbs Mattie Gibbs last week. Mrs. Ruth Boen during week were Christine of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Lovorn of Oplin. Odom visited in Abilene.

Harold and son of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sunday afternoon. Price of Baird visited McDonald last week. Mrs. Barney Gibbs Mattie Gibbs last week. Mrs. Ruth Boen during week were Christine of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Lovorn of Oplin. Odom visited in Abilene.

Mary Lou Dunlap and Azusa, Calif., visited last with her sister, Mrs. Elic Elice, and her mother, Billie Taylor, at Baird. Bill of Abilene also visited, and Mrs. Bill Lawrence friends in Cross Plains afternoon.

Gibbs of Abilene visited Mrs. Warren Price on day night.

Mrs. Delbert Davis daughter of Eula visited in Harrisburg Friday night. Lawrence took Cross Plains calves to Fort Worth where his grandson, Lawrence, placed third in Brahman Cross.

Mrs. D. V. Goode is Cut visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence recently. The Pete Swaffords were Mrs. L. D. Marrs and Mrs. Judy Denison. Mr. and Mrs. Swafford and Gina of Abilene visited Sunday.

Mrs. Warren Price Mrs. Mae Belle Cauthen and Mrs. Reynolds family Sunday dinner guests in Henry home. Mrs. Henry home at Baird. Hattie West of Baird Sunday night in the Jimmie home.

Mrs. Tony Steele of Abilene visited in the N. V. Gibbs Sunday afternoon.

Congratulations to the newly weds Martha Robinson and Ken Malone.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith and children of Abilene spent the week end visiting his parents, the Richard Smiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nickerson of San Angelo are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson and family.

Mr. Lewis Coppinger was operated on Monday morning and at this time we have no reports on his condition. We wish him a speedy recovery.

## Cottonwood

By Mr. Wayne Brown

What a beautiful sight to watch the snow falling and to the delight of the children the snow stayed on the ground. The countryside is blanketed in a splendor. Earlier this Tuesday morning it was clearing but as the morning progressed there is some fog rolling into the area. Like the children, I have to be right out in the snow making snow men, walking and doing feeding chores. School too, was not dismissed due to snow.

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# Sabanno Stock Farmers Face Cold, Rough Time

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

This has been a week of cold, cold weather. A good thing for the fruit crops, even though it has been rough on the stock farmers who had to be out in the cold feeding and seeing to the water and other things. The thermometer has been down past freezing all week except on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Wes Holcomb received a letter from Mrs. Clarence (Ma) Casey, Sr. Friday telling of the serious illness of her son, Jim Casey, who now lives in Fort Worth. He was to have entered a hospital in Ranger on Tuesday. His wife and mother plan to be with him during his stay after undergoing surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Lusk of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk Sunday afternoon.

Misses Alma and Josie Morris are slowly recovering from the flu. They have really had a rough time.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Poindexter of Abilene visited in the Edwin Erwin home after services Sunday night. They ask that we make note of the services for next Sunday, Feb. 6. There will be services at the church at the 11 o'clock hour with a basket lunch to be spread at the clubhouse, near the church building, at noon. Everyone is invited and bring a basket lunch. A singing will be held at the

church starting promptly at 2 p.m. Everyone who loves good singing is invited to come and enjoy the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thate and sons of Fort Worth spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark of Clyde visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lester King Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer visited with Lorene McMillan in Cross Plains Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and Mrs. Verta Connally of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Brown and children of Mineral Wells visited with Josie and Alma Morris recently.

The Edwin Erwins visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King and Mrs. Lillie Williams Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dale Clark of Clyde visited with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon visited with her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Palmore, in Dublin over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeddie Green of Cisco and Golden Lawson visited with Arzie Green Sunday.

Mrs. Edwin Erwin accompanied Mrs. O. B. Switzer to Abilene Tuesday where she visited her sister, Elva Minix Cantrell.

Mrs. James Switzer of Cross Plains visited with Mrs. Edwin Erwin Thursday morning.

Mrs. Lillie Williams was a business visitor in Cisco and Eastland Monday.

## Honor Club Claims Girl Known Here

Miss Tisa Angeley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Angeley of Brownwood and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Angeley of Cross Plains was initiated, on Thursday, Jan. 27, into the National Beta Club.

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Telephones, Incorporated, is a subsidiary of the Continental System, served more than 2500 telephones in five Texas towns. They are Springtown, Reno, Kamay, Loraine and Maryneal. This consolidation will provide improved engineering, construction and management through the use of the larger company's personnel and resources. This is part of the overall long-range program of Continental System to have only one operating company in each state.

Texas Telephone and Telegraph Company now serves 120 Texas towns with a total of 52,726 customers. The Continental System recently passed the 1,800,000 telephones mark.

Mr. and Mrs. David Williams of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hutchins, and other relatives and friends here during the week end.

## PERSONAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Roy Cox had as visitors over the week end, his daughter and grandchildren of San Angelo.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann here over the week end were their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Kidd, and Mrs. McCann's sister, Lois Parkinson, of Dallas. S. E. Parkinson of Cisco visited also.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odum attended the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show last Friday and Saturday.

Don Wilson of Traverse City, Michigan, visited in Cross Plains last week with relatives and friends. His mother, Mrs. H. N. Wilson accompanied him back to Michigan for a short visit.

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