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CYCLONE RIPS CITY SATURDAY

Cross Plains To Take Holiday Monday Damage Near \$20,000; No One Hurt By Storm

MOST STORES WILL AND REMAIN CLOSED OBSERVE ARMISTICE

Schools Also To Celebrate Event With Fall Holiday Supt. McCuin Announces

Most Cross Plains business concerns will observe Monday, November 11, with a full holiday, the Review learned yesterday. Other establishments were planning to observe "Sunday hours."

Among those announcing they would close were Higginbotham Brothers and Company, the Citizens state bank, the Post office, Eldridge Variety Store, and a number of others. A complete list of those planning to close was not available as the Review went to press.

Superintendent A. J. McCuin announced that Cross Plains schools would observe the occasion with a full holiday, discharging Friday afternoon until Tuesday morning.

LOCAL YOUTH TO BE MARRIED SATURDAY

Announcement of the approaching marriage of T. S. Mabrey G. Simons, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Simons of Cross Plains, and Miss Shirley G. Blossing of Hereford, Connecticut, was made last week by the bride-elect's mother. The ceremony will be solemnized Saturday, November 10, at four p. m. in the Broadview Community Church. Rev. Wilfred Mancian will officiate for the double ring ceremony.

Charles Leonard May will give his notice in marriage. Miss Marie Fairweather will be maid of honor. Bridesmaid will be Miss Mary Dunne.

Sgt. E. A. Warrick, of Westport, Maryland, will be best man. Ushers will be Pvt. Donald Goforth of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Pfc. E. E. Vaughn of Big Spring, Texas, all of whom are stationed with the group at Avon Old Farms, Conn.

A reception will follow at the Connecticut Yacht and Cruise Club.

DELEON FREE PRESS HAS NEW PUBLISHER

Heart of Texas newspapermen this week welcome a new member to their ranks, which was brought about by the recent sale of the DeLeon Press to Roy M. Craig and W. S. Foster, of Stamford. The DeLeon paper will be published by Robert L. Collier, who has been serving as assistant publisher of the Stamford-American since being discharged from the Navy nine months ago.

Craig and Foster, owners of the DeLeon paper, also own and publish the Stamford-American, one of West Texas' finest weekly newspapers.

LOCAL MAN'S BROTHER DIES AT RISING STAR

Frank Kent, 58, prominent Rising Star farmer and a brother of C. A. Kent of Cross Plains, died unexpectedly in a Rising Star real estate office at 11:30 Monday morning. He was stricken suddenly with a heart attack. His wife and sister were in the office with him at the time.

LOCAL LADY'S FATHER SUFFERS HEART ATTACK

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox were called to Brownwood Sunday night to be at the bedside of her father, Lee Hickey, of Zephyr, who suffered a sudden heart attack and was rushed to the Memorial Hospital in a dangerous condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox and little daughter, Carol Jean, had just returned from Zephyr Sunday night when they received word of her father's attack. He was apparently well and normal when they left.

Hugh Ross and Marvin Hunter, of Burd, were business visitors in Cross Plains Saturday afternoon.

Buffaloes Will Field Heavier Team Than Wildcats Here Friday Night

Cross Plains will field a slightly heavier team than Rising Star when the traditional foe clash here Friday night at eight o'clock. The Buffaloes will average 138 pounds straight across and the Wildcats will do 130.

Comparative strength of the games is a result of conference games already played. Indicate the Rising Star team to be somewhat stronger. Rising Star lost to Early 24 to nothing, while Cross Plains was defeated 46 to nothing. Too, an Early player who paced against Rising Star had been ruled ineligible when the Longhorns played.

Cross Plains		Rising Star	
Dean Tyler	150	LE Jerry Walker	168
Rudolph Brown	170	LT Bobbie Harding	145
Billy Lamineck	160	LG Joe Gray	150
Raymond Steiger	149	C Charles Lamb	142
Bud Sheehan	175	RG Kenneth Joyce	148
Charles Coburn	210	RT Kenneth Joyce	175
W. L. Dupriest	145	RE Minter Hardin	135
Lane Glenn	155	QB Nick Nichols	150
C. W. Richter	170	LH Dean Bailey	145
Lois E. Davidson	120	RH Wayne Walker	140
Bobby Illingworth	135	FB Damon Leonard	155

E. J. Barr, touring Cross Plains, tackled who scores near 290, will not play in Friday night's game, having resigned from the squad.

14 TEAMS TO PLAY IN CAGE DISTRICT PIONEER GIRL AND LOCAL MAN MARRIED

The basketball district in which Cross Plains will compete this year will be divided into two divisions, and after a tournament in each bracket the respective winners will be pitted in a five game series to determine the representative play-off will enter in bi-district play.

The two divisions are known as the East and West. The western division is composed of: Cross Plains, Baird, Edin, Denton, Clyde, Moran and Prtman. In the Eastern bracket are: Oden, Rising Star, DeWittville, Dunter, Carlton, Alton Valley, and Seranton.

Chairman of the district committee is H. W. Gooding, of Oden. The Baird superintendent of schools is superintendent.

Coming as a surprise to their many friends here and at Pioneer was the marriage Tuesday night of last week, October 31, of Miss Jimmie Morgan, of Pioneer, and Bill Copeland, Cross Plains business man. The ceremony was solemnized in Brownwood with the Rev. Richard Christian officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morgan of Pioneer. She is a graduate of Pioneer high school, where she was an outstanding player on the girls basketball team and was exceptionally popular in affairs of the younger set.

The groom, a veteran of World War II, owns the Copeland Garage on South Main Street in Cross Plains. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Copeland who live West of town.

GIRLS CAGE SQUAD PLAYS FIRST GAME

Coch Hubert Keller's Cross Plains high school basketball girls were to play their first game of the season at Beattie Wednesday night. Results of the game were not available as the Review went to press, however, it is believed at the local campus that the CPES squad will be one of the strongest in recent years.

Teams under Keller's direction have always given good accounts of themselves.

W. H. HAMMETT COMING HOME FROM HOSPITAL

W. H. Hammett, of this city, who is in the Taylor hospital at Dallas, is reported recovering rapidly from recent surgery and is expected to be able to return to his home here the latter part of next week. He was visited last week by Rev. D. L. Barnes, Cross Plains Methodist pastor, and was reported to be in the very best of spirits.

BAPTIST W. M. U. PLANS SPECIAL PROGRAM ON MONDAY AT CHURCH

"Fields Yet Untouched By Southern Baptists" will be the topic of discussion when the Missionary Society of the Baptist church meets in its regular meeting next Monday afternoon at the church.

Special musical numbers will be rendered by Mrs. Grady Henny and Mrs. W. A. Strickland.

Everyone is urged to be present and hear the discussion.

Donell Clark, who is attending school at John Tarleton College in Stephenville, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Jeff Clark.

SANTA ANNA RIPS BUFFALOES FRIDAY NIGHT 26 TO ZERO

Herd Fights Valiantly But Hard Running Boys From Mountain City Too Tough

Cross Plains high school opponents Buffaloes suffered another reverse here Friday night when they fell before the onslaught of the Santa Anna Mountaineers 26 to nothing. The game was a non-spectacular affair.

Santa Anna's offense was sparked by Gene Sherrod and Maurice Kingsbury, each of whom accounted for two touchdowns.

The visitors scored first in the opening quarter. After forcing Cross Plains to kick the Mountaineers inaugurated a downfield drive which culminated with Sherrod crossing the double stripe for the tally. The pay off came on the tenth offensive play for the visitors. Sherrod then converted from placement.

Second touchdown came early in the second quarter and was more or less a repetition of the first, however, Kingsbury jumped the leather on the pay off try and Sherrod again booted a perfect placement to make the score 14 to nothing.

The visitors scored again in the second quarter on a sustained drive with Sherrod making the pay-off dash. His attempt to convert was wide and the score stood 20 to nothing at the halftime.

The second half of the game was played of more even terms with the Buffaloes holding the invaders to a single score in the last two quarters. The last touchdown was made by Kingsbury who intercepted a pass thrown by Buddy Sheehan and raced it back 62 yards to pay dirt. Sherrod's kick from placement was locked.

Cross Plains made five first downs to 12 for Santa Anna. The visitors were penalized twice for a total of 20 yards, whereas Cross Plains was set back only twice for an aggregate of 30.

Defensive back Edward Davidson, who had broken into the Cross Plains line only for brief periods until Friday night, sparked the Buffaloes' offensive threat with several accurate heaves, despite the fact that he was often throwing from the center of a bevy of charging Mountaineer tacklers. None of his forwards were intercepted and five were true to the mark. Two were dropped, however, and the total distance picked up amounted to but 39 yards.

Charles Coburn, in the line, turned in a number of spectacular tackles for the herd, and the entire squad fought valiantly, however, the perfectly oiled Santa Anna machine was too much for the Purple and Gold defenders.

25 SUPERIOR CALVES FROM T.O. RANCH COME TO LOCAL STOCKMAN

Porter J. Davis purchased 25 high bred Hereford calves last week from the T.O. ranch at Raton, New Mexico. The calves have been received here and are now on grass at the Davis place four miles south of town.

The T.O. ranch from which the Davis calves were bought are listed as of outstanding sires. It is estimated that 75 percent of the prizes in national shows in recent years have been won by T.O. sires.

The \$40,000 steer calf, sold at Kansas City last month was from the T.O. herd. The winning calf at this year's Ft. Worth show and last year's show at Houston were T.O. bred. The top two calves at the State Fair this year were also from the same stock.

Mr. Davis will keep the calves for breeding purposes. Within the near future Mr. Davis also plans to secure an outstanding bull from the T.O. herd.

Mr. Davis will have two or three entries in the Brown County Hereford Breeders Association show, scheduled in Brownwood the last week in January.

George R. Neal was a business visitor in Comanche Tuesday afternoon.

REVIEW CIRCULATION SHOWS WEEKLY GAINS

The Review acknowledges its appreciation for an ever-increasing circulation. New and renewed subscribers for the past week:

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Gene Hinton
R. G. Thompson
Leeman Underwood

JOHN D. MONTGOMERY BUYS JIM MILLER FARM

John D. Montgomery has purchased the 170 acre tract of land, eight miles west of town, formerly owned by Jim Miller. He plans to move the dwelling which is on the newly acquired property to the place on which he lives, a half mile further down the road west.

\$425 MADE HERE FROM HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

Total proceeds from the Halloween carnival held in the high school gymnasium here Thursday night of last week amounted to \$425.26, according to an announcement yesterday from Superintendent A. J. McCuin.

The funds which are to be spent for school purposes are under the direction of the Student Council, which is composed of: Gloria Strickland, Charles Gibson, Mary Lou Gossett, Winnie Gibson, Elyonne Sandefur, Helein Plummer, Vernell Westerman, Vernon Earl Dillard and Mary Alice Appin.

Mrs. Ethel Mitchell and daughter, of Lubbock, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wagner here last week.

Without offense to friends or foes we sketch Cross Plains exactly as it goes.

A cyclone which struck while most people slept Saturday morning between four and five o'clock did an estimated damage of \$20,000 here and caused Cross Plains to suffer an interruption in communications for more than 32 hours.

The twister is believed to have struck from the Southwest and to have been traveling in a North-easterly direction. First evidence of the wind was found some six miles Southwest of Cross Plains on the farm owned by Mrs. J. C. Watson and Harold Odon. It dipped to the north there and headed inland approximately 20 yards wide for a distance of approximately a half mile before bounding upward.

Its next strike was at the W. F. Baum place one mile out on the Coleman highway, where an out-building was leveled and a number of windows broken. The cyclone is believed to have passed only a few feet to the Northwest corner of the house occupied by the Baum family.

REV. D. L. BARNES REASSIGNED HERE

Rev. D. L. Barnes, pastor of the Methodist church here for the past two years, was reassigned to Cross Plains for the next seven months at the annual conference held in Ft. Worth last week.

Heretofore pastorate transfers have been made in November, thus often necessitating change of schools for children of ministers involved. With this in mind, the conference voted to change date of assignments and transfers to spring and early summer of each year.

Therefore Pastors will again be assigned for a one year period next April or May.

Rev. C. D. Wooten, former pastor here, was reassigned to the De Leon church where he has been the past year.

TURKEYS TO START MOVING TO MARKET

Thousands of turkeys through out the Cross Plains area are expected to move to market within the next few weeks. Already a few have been sold, however, the bulk of the crop will go on the Thanksgiving and Christmas markets.

One of the first sales reported here was that of Mrs. Wesley Welch, who sold 172 head for a total of \$903. The buyers brought 25 1/2 cents and the hens 41, the Review was told.

Mrs. Bud Strahan, of Comanche, reports that turkeys have done better than usual this year. She has 75 birds of the Baby Beef variety and plans to sell on the Thanksgiving market.

DALLAS LADY TAKES TEACHING JOB HERE

Miss Judy Pirtle, of Dallas, arrived in Cross Plains Monday afternoon and assumed duties in the local ward school the following morning. She fills a vacancy in the local faculty created by the resignation of Mrs. Ophelia Rhymus.

Miss Pirtle, who taught in the Dallas county schools last year, assumed duties as a first grade teacher, replacing Mrs. Berdine Nichols, who returned to the third grade a position she held last year.

Several business houses, not in the direct path of the twister, suffered minor damages.

At the Earl McDowell home and at the place just West of J. L. Seltie's residence further property damage was done. On up the street at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell, three large trees were twisted from the earth before the cyclone bonned upward again. It just came down at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood, one mile East of town, where the front porch was ripped away.

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Telephone lines which were damaged terribly in the Cross Plains vicinity sustained any communication with the outside world for 32 hours. It was not until five o'clock Saturday afternoon that long distance telephone calls could be made, and many of the lines within the city were also unaltered, delaying inter-community communication.

Damage done to the power lines here, owned by the West Texas Utilities Company, caused a short interruption of electric service, however, by seven o'clock company workmen and service restored to normal.

There were no accounts of personal injury, however, many harrowing experiences were being related on the streets here this week.

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COLOR FILM TO STAR CATHERINE McLEOD AT PLAINS THEATRE NOV. 10

After testing many Hollywood name actresses, a surprised cinema audience awoke one morning to find that producer-director Frank Borzage had selected unknown Catherine McLeod for the feminine starring role in his Technicolor romantic drama, "I've Always Loved You," now at the Plains Theatre Sunday and Monday, November 10 and 11. Mr. Borzage produced this new one for Republic Pictures.

It was quite by accident that star-creator Borzage, who starred Janet Gaynor, Charles Farrell, Barbara Britton and other screen stars on the road to fame, ran across Miss McLeod. She had not been brought to his attention. He simply saw her on her way to work in a small role, and he felt immediately that he had found the girl he sought. He arranged for a screen test immediately.

The results were impressive. Republic studio executives were as enthusiastic as a horse, and a breathless and excited new star was signed to a deluxe contract in a deluxe picture.

Phillip Dorn and William Carter co-star with Miss McLeod in "I've Always Loved You." Maria Ouspenskaya leads the supporting cast and the magnificent musical score was recorded for the picture by Arthur Rubinstein, world-famed pianist.



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LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND FAMILY GET-TOGETHER AT SYDNEY ON SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dunlap and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox and daughter, Deana Lou, attended a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hall in Sydney Sunday. The reunion was at the Phillips family, that of Mrs. Dunlap. The occasion afforded Mrs. Dunlap an opportunity to visit with a sister, who she had not seen in 10 years and a brother-in-law whom she had not seen in 20. They are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carter, of Tucuman, New Mexico.

Pioneer News

MRS. W. E. RODGERS

Paul Huntington and James Pack, Howard Payne students from Brownwood, spent the week end with relatives and friends.

J. W. Fore and Mr. and Mrs. William Gibson visited friends in Abilene last Wednesday.

Marvin Cade of Alpine visited his father, Clay Cade, and his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Marshall, Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Lela McLeod returned home Tuesday after several weeks visit with relatives in Kansas, Oklahoma, and Houston.

Bill Copeland, of Cross Plains, and Jimmie Frances Morgan, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morgan, were united in marriage Tuesday night of last week by Rev. Herbert Christian in Brownwood.

S. W. Lilley of Baird was calling on old friends around Pioneer one day last week.

Mrs. Phil Head, of Los Angeles, Calif. visited Mrs. John Fore last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morgan, Midland, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morgan and Clay Cade.

Rev. and Mrs. Rodgers returned Wednesday of last week from Amarillo where they visited their children for a week.

Mrs. W. G. Walker visited her sisters here in Pioneer Saturday.

Mrs. Ora B. Graves and Sonny boy visited her daughter and family in Burkett three days last week.

Mrs. Jim Conner visited Rev. and Mrs. Rodgers last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ratliff purchased a home in Brownwood and moved there last week.

W. W. Phillips and family have gone to Yuma, Ariz. for the winter and W. H. Phillips and family of Odessa has leased their place and will continue to do washing and run the help-selvy laundry.

The little village of Pioneer was awakened last Saturday morning by a terrible electrical, hail and wind storm. However, no serious damage was done further than blowing down some oil derricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bowder spent a part of last week with her parents at Boerne, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ballow were called last Friday to Grapard on account of serious illness of his mother.

Members of the 42 Club met last Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floy Jones. High score went to Happy Howell and low score to Mrs. Pete Fore.

Refreshments of sandwiches, doughnuts, coffee and cocoa were served to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hamer, Mrs. Chester Ballow, Dutch Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. John Fore and son, J. W. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morgan and visitors Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Happy Howell, Cross Plains.

Putnam News

Mrs. Lester Steward was shopping in Cisco Friday afternoon.

Rev. Mangos Gonsen of Abilene who was recently called as pastor of the Baptist church has moved to Putnam and is now at home in the Baptist parsonage.

Miss Mary and Betty Brown were shopping in Cisco Saturday afternoon.

Jim Simmons and Douglas Frye were in Louisiana over the week end attending a cattle sale. They carried five head with them.

Gus Black, of the Atwell community, was in Putnam Saturday afternoon and stated they had a nice rain at Atwell. He did not think the rain would injure the peanuts very much if the weather fairs up and stays that way for a while. Mr. Black also reported that Frank Maher, his son-in-law, fell from a rig breaking several ribs and receiving other injuries about the chest. He was hospitalized. Mr. and Mrs. Maher formerly lived at Putnam.

Mrs. Bill Royle of Dallas was here over the week end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook, Sr. She returned to Dallas Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Moudt returned to her home in Virginia the past week after visiting with her parents for the past two weeks.

George B. Hull, son of Mrs. Carrie Hull, has arrived from overseas at Roswell, New Mexico by C-47 transport plane from Grand Island and is located with the 1027th air material squad and has been made Sgt. and has a crew of 29 men assigned to him. George B. has been in the army more than four years. His mother and two brothers live in the Dan Horn community.

Rev. G. C. Smith replaces Rev. Baker as the Methodist preacher. Rev. Baker has been transferred to the Abilene district but as yet hasn't been assigned to a church.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Esbuck have returned from Ft. Worth where they spent the week end visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams.

Rowden News

By Patsy Crow

Lilona Redden and Flora Swafford visited Ludie Smedley Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Fats Redden and wife and daughter, Celeta, and Katy Swafford all visited Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs Sunday.

Mrs. Rausberger gave a party celebrating her son Barney's sixteenth birthday Saturday night. Everyone had a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Odell Sunday.

Lorone Sargent visited Flora Swafford Tuesday night.

M. L. Hughes, of Baird, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith in Cross Plains Monday.

Mrs. Ross Wagner had as her guests the past week, her niece and children, Mrs. Johnnie Swenson, of Austin, also a nephew, Herman Bernstein, and two nieces, Lorena and Marie Bernstein, of Long Beach, California.

Mrs. Bill Wagner has returned home after spending a month in the Callahan County hospital nursing.

Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, Mrs. L. W. Westermann and Mrs. Jack Scott were Coleman visitors Monday.

Gary Cooper Stars In Picture Tuesday At Plains Theatre

"Along Came Jones", co-starring Gary Cooper and Loretta Young, comes to the screen of the Plains theatre here Tuesday night for a one day appearance.

The picture a rousing romantic action drama of the border country in the 'Nineties, marks the debut of Cooper as a screen producer with this offering. As Melody Jones, a wandering frontiersman with a strong urge to become important, Cooper reaches a little border town where it seems as though he has achieved his ambition, for he finds himself treated with amazing deference on all sides.

His bubble of esteem is pricked, however, when he learns he has been mistaken for a trigger-expert outlaw. His spirits rise again when he gets the idea of capturing the bandit, a move certain to win him plenty of admiration. There are only two obstacles in his way; one is Cherry DeLongue, a pretty frontier girl who is obviously protecting the outlaw; and the other is the fact that Jones is unable to hit the side of a barn with a gun! However, romance goes into high gear at this point, with drama and comedy deftly blending into the hectic love story.

MIGHTY MITES TO PLAY BAIRD SOON

Coach W. E. (Pop) Lusk's Mighty Mites football team which suffered its first reverse here last week in a game with a heavier Rising Star eleven is not dismayed by the setback and is pointing toward a game with Baird in the near future. The Mighty Mites have \$40 in their fund to purchase playing equipment for next year and the Baird contest is being looked forward to both as a means of adding to that sum and at the same time avenging the stinging loss to the Rising Star team.

Bill Wagner has returned home from Amarillo, where he attended the funeral of C. W. Furr last week end. Mr. Furr was the father of Key Furr, husband of the former Miss Juanita Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Freeland and family of Baird were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Susie Pevey, Mr. and Mrs. Sub Pevey, of Cottonwood, Ray, Mrs. Edith Lincoln and daughter, Robbie, all of Baird, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pevey's home here Sunday evening.

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Senator Taft of Ohio declares the trials of the German war criminals are a disgrace. He says they were tried under an ex post facto law—that we declared the law after the act and not before. Murder has always been against the law—That law does not need to be passed by legislatures nor engrossed on parchment; the Almighty has written it in the conscience of man. No one had told Cain he should not kill his brother but Cain knew it was wrong and he made branded him and sent him forth to wander, accursed, through the world. Nobody has ever objected to that as a wrongful punishment—that is, nobody until Senator Taft came along.

Shall we hang a man for murder of one—and not hang those who were responsible, through concentration camps, slave labor and executions, for the murder of millions?

A hunter popped a pheasant on a hill; It made a great to do and then was still.

It seems, when later on his game he spied. It was his guide.

And one dispatched a rabbit for his laud.

That later proved to measure six feet tall.

And, lest you think I'm handing you a myth, Its name was Smith.

A cautious man espied a gleam of brown; Was it a deer, or Jones, a friend from town?

And while he pondered at the river's brim Jones potted him.

—ALDOUS HUXLEY

2 Ladies To Drill Ellenburger Well In Blake Vicinity

Miss Juanita Moore of Blake and Mrs. Lydia Johnson of Shreveport, La., have a rig moving in on the Frank H. Madison 200-acre tract in the Blake area of Brown County for an Ellenburger test.

Mrs. Johnson has been in the oil business for 10 years and has production in Louisiana. With others, she has drilled 10 or 15 wells.

Both Mrs. Johnson and Miss Moore were reared at Blake and are daughters of Mrs. J. M. Moore and the late J. M. Moore.

The 200-acre lease adjoins a 400-acre Madison tract on the northeast. Central Texas Oil & Gas Company and E. E. Kirkpatrick are drilling on the 400-acre tract.

Ellenburger production first was obtained in the No. 1 O. H. Fomby, drilled by Lee Heisel and Charles Kilner of Cisco, which is producing 42 gravity oil from 3,147 feet.

LORENE POTTER WEDS LONNIE JAMES OCT. 28

Miss Lorene Potter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Potter, became the bride of Mr. Lonnie James on Monday night, October 28, at Brownwood. The groom is the son of Rev. and Mrs. H. F. James who reside on the H. A. Young place West of town.

The ceremony was solemnized at the same hour and place of that of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Harold Potter, in a double wedding. Mrs. James and Mr. Potter are brother and sister and Mrs. Potter and Mr. James are brother and sister. Both couples are well known here.

WOODLEY WILL DRILL DEEP OIL TEST FIVE MILES EAST OF BAIRD

Callahan county is scheduled for another deep wildcat Thursday in application to drill the Woodley Petroleum Company and Danziger Oil & Refining Company No. 1-A Mable George, 600 feet north and east lines of section 76, B0H survey. The project will go to 4,200 feet with rotary. The test will be five miles east of Baird.

SAM PLOWMAN ATTENDS GRANDMOTHER'S FUNERAL IN TYLER ON OCTOBER 26

Sam Plowman of this city attended the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Susan Alameda Plowman, 93, in Tyler October 26. She died there October 25 at the home of a daughter.

Mrs. Plowman was the mother of thirteen children and nine survive her.

MR. AND MRS. G. M. RICHARDSON AND SON, BOSTER MARK VISITED MR. AND MRS. J. G. ALLEN AND FRIENDS HERE THE PAST WEEK END.

H. P. Moon made a business trip to Odessa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sims visited in Coleman one night last week.

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Paul Smith, who has been attending school in Cleveland, Tenn., has transferred to a like school in Three Hills, Alberta, Canada.

Fred Tunnell was a business visitor in Abilene last Saturday.

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GLENN B. WHITE HOME AFTER ARMY RELEASE

Glenn B. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White, arrived here last week after formal discharge from the Army where he was a Technician Fifth Grade.

"How do I know you flew from Chicago this summer?" asked by the boy in the fifth grade.

Typewriter ribbons at the Review

Epidemic Of Flu In Mild Form In Texas Predicted

Reports coming in from various sections of the State indicate that the number of influenza cases appears to be increasing with the advance of the fall season, and during the past week 190 cases were reported in Texas.

"It is essential to realize that influenza, no matter how mild the attack, calls for a period of convalescence, because serious complications can occur if this important fact is ignored," Dr. Cox said.

The State Health Officer declared that living by the laws of nature, getting plenty of sleep, daily exercise in the open, nourishing foods and good personal hygiene offers the best known bulwark against all respiratory diseases.

Margaret Wetsel Weds Wedad Smith On Friday Morning

In an impressive single ring ceremony at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wetsel, Miss Margaret Wetsel became the bride of Wedad Smith of New Mexico, here Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

The ceremony was solemnized before an improvised altar in the living room of the Wetsel home in the North part of town. The altar was beautifully decorated with fern and chrysanthemums and flanked on either side by large white baskets of pink chrysanthemums.

Following the ceremony the wedding party, which consisted of: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arrowood, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adair, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long, Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henderson, Mrs. M. G. Sims, Mrs. Hulian Barr, Mrs. Ed Powell, Mrs. J. C. Kubank, Mrs. Jack Scott, Sammie Long and the principals, retired to the dining room where the bride and groom cut a three-tiered, beautifully decorated wedding cake.

BIBLE QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY THE VOICE OF PROPHECY

Question—What part of the Bible is most popular? Answer—It is said that more copies of the Bible than any other part of the Bible.

Q.—Did not the apostles divide the chapters and verses of the Holy Bible? A.—The so called Geneva Bible of 1560 was the first English version with chapter and verse divisions as we now know them.

Q.—What is the "blessed hope" of the church? Is it the conversion of the world? A.—The blessed hope is not the world's conversion, but the second coming of Jesus, Titus 2:13: "Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ."

Q.—Don't you think we make our own heaven right here on earth? A.—We decide our destiny here, but it is written in John 14:2-3: "In my Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come and receive you into Myself; that where I am, there you may be also."

Q.—Did the Israelites ever offer human sacrifices? A.—Contrary to God's command, they practiced this heathen custom in times of apostasy, Jeremiah 7:30-31: "For the children of Judah have done evil in my sight, saith the Lord: they have set their abominations in the house which is called by My name, to pollute it, and they have built the high places of Tophet, which is in the valley of the son of Hinnon, to burn their sons and their daughters in the fire; which I commanded them not, neither came it into My heart."

Mrs. George Scott and Mrs. C. R. Cook visited in the homes of Mrs. F. T. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hickey in San Angelo Friday of last week.

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BILL WHITE MAN OF EL PASO ... Bill White, former coach and Baird football manager, signed from the team at El Paso as manager of the team and other business interests.

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LEDBETTER FAMILY HAS REUNION ON SATURDAY Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ledbetter of the Scranton community entertained with a homecoming at their home Saturday night honoring their children.

Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ledbetter Jr. and children of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ledbetter and children, Annette and Carolyn Ledbetter of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Speiser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ledbetter and son, of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ledbetter and daughter of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ledbetter and daughter of Scranton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snoddy of Iran, Mrs. Lola Hinsel of Abilene, and Miss Eunice Hembree of Scranton.

It is said that 2652 of New York City's police force were detailed to guard President Truman on his recent visit to the city to attend the opening of the United Nations general assembly. This number is said to have been one of the largest details in the city's history.

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MRS. O. B. EDMONDSON IS HOSTESS TUESDAY

Mrs. O. B. Edmondson was hostess when she complimented members of the Delta Kappa Club with two tables of bridge at her home Tuesday night of last week.

At refreshment time a plate of tuna fish salad, crackers, olives, potato chips, peanut pie, and coffee was passed to the following guests: Mrs. McNeill, Mrs. Edwin Bann, Mrs. H. H. McVermett, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Mrs. Clark Anderson, Mrs. C. R. Cook, Mrs. Jack Scott and Mrs. Hulian Barr of Baird.

Cottonwood News MRS. S. B. STRAHAN Jack Jones, a former resident of Cottonwood and recently discharged from the service, visited Oren Peery Thursday night. Jack now resides at Rising Star.

Mrs. Barbara Peery and Mrs. Tommie Banta went to Odessa this week to see a sister, Mrs. Collier, who is ill.

Mrs. Marion Rutledge and children of Waco visited her parents, the Frank Champions, this week.

Mrs. L. E. Davis went to Clyde Sunday to visit the Ralph Brooks.

Mrs. Thelma Peery went to Lamesa Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. Leonard Breeding.

Mrs. Minnie Vaughn and daughter Mrs. Livingston and Mrs. Mollie Ray visited Mrs. W. O. Peery Sunday. They were on a return trip from Dallas where their brother, Grady Johnson, is recuperating from an operation for a stomach cancer.

Eugene Parvis of Midland visited home folks here Sunday.

Dorothy Gillett, of Sweetwater, who attends Draughons Business College, spent the week end with her cousin, Lessie Jo Wood, here.

Mrs. Mary Cason, of Coleman, visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Reinhardt here Sunday. Mrs. Cason is Mr. Weaver's sister.

ANN ALE MEMORIAL

Miss Ann McCallister, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Richard McCallister, died at her home in Abilene, Texas, on Friday, October 27, 1946, at the age of 30 years.

The funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock on Monday, November 11, 1946, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Richard McCallister, 1314 1/2 Street, Abilene, Texas.

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MRS. O. B. EDMONDSON IS HOSTESS TUESDAY

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VOTE LIGHT HERE IN ELECTION ON TUESDAY

FOR CHRISTMAS

It is said that 2,652 of New York City's police force were detailed to guard President Truman...

Cottonwood News

NUTSHELL ADVERTISING

FOR SALE: One 5 room house to be moved. Price \$1,000.

Get Ready For Winter. Now is the time to bring your car in for Winterizing. Let us check the battery, generator, set the points and fill the radiator with anti freeze solution.

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NEW AUTOMOBILE & TRUCK TIRES

FOR SALE: 154 head of good aged goats.

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Cross Cut News BY THE EIGHTH GRADE. BOY SCOUTS CUB PACK IS FORMED. A Boy Scout Cub Pack was organized in Cross Plains Tuesday night...

Battery Charging. New batteries are hard to get. Take good care of yours but if it goes bad see us for a genuine, guaranteed re-charging. We have nearly new rent batteries furnish you while yours is being repaired.

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PEANUTS WANTED. We are now ready to buy all the peanuts we can get and invite you to get in touch with us when you are ready to sell. We will come out and look your peanuts over in the field, if you wish.

SMITHS DRUG STORE. QUICK RELIEF FROM symptoms of Distress Arising from STOMACH ULCERS. DON'T SCRATCH! Durham's Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to relieve itching accompanying Eczema, Rash, Flies, Ordinary Itch and other minor skin irritations.

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Our stock is large and we call your attention to such items as:

Men & Women's Watches	Rings
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Smiths Drug Store

Cross Plains, Texas

ALATHIAN CLASS IS ENTERTAINED TUES.

The Alathian Class of the First Baptist church entertained their husbands with a Halloween social on Tuesday evening of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wright.

To the enjoyment of all, everyone came in costume. Noises of owl hoots and cat yells were heard everywhere.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with the Autumn colors, hats, bats, and witches.

To satisfy the curiosity of the ghost, the witch called the roll and each unmasked as their names were called. Games as old fashioned as Halloween itself were enjoyed throughout the evening.

Refreshments of doughnuts, coffee, and hot chocolate were served to the following:

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Miller, Mrs. A. J. Marbis, Mrs. Mary Adams, Joe Howser, Mrs. L. L. Howser, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dunlap, Mrs. Ira Hall, Mrs. Gene Adams, Mrs. R. C. Thompson, Mrs. Luke Westerman, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greenwood, Mrs. Henry McCoy, Mrs. Cora Howland, Mrs. J. C. Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pyle, Mrs. W. A. Strickland, Mrs. Earl Smith, Mrs. Howard Strahan and the host and hostess Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wright.

PERSONALS

Von Clifton was a business visitor in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stone and daughter of Brownwood spent the week end here visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox and daughter visited friends and relatives in Sidney Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Browning and son have returned to their home in Odessa after visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burks.

The state of Wisconsin is said to lead the nation in the production of fur, according to the American National Fur Breeders Association. The state possesses an ideal climate for growth of a thick and valuable fur.

There were 461 silver fox ranches in Wisconsin in 1945, the association reported.

Barkett News
MRS. MERRELL BARKETT

The Eucla basketball teams played here Thursday night. The Barkett girls won while the boys were defeated by several scores.

The Cross Cut "out side" team played the Barkett "out side" team here Friday night and Barkett won.

Miss Zenobia Christine Brown visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brown, Saturday. She is a member of Pi Kappa Beta, art club at Abilene Christian College. This club, made up of students studying art, meets monthly to discuss various topics relating to art, and promotes social activities and lectures on art.

Those attending the Eastern Star meeting in Cross Plains Monday night included the following ladies: Mrs. Emer Edmondson, Mrs. Roger Watson and Mrs. Marvin Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Henderson are parents of a 6 pound girl, Sandra Jean, born Sunday morning. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. Quinn Harris underwent surgery in the Coleman hospital Wednesday morning. Mrs. Raymond Cross was also a surgical patient in the hospital at Coleman the day after part of last week. Both are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Holman are at their home after spending the past week in the Jesse Holmans home.

Mrs. Fannie Evans underwent surgery Monday at the St. Joseph Hospital in Dallas. Her sons, Bert and David, are at her bedside.

L. L. Morgan spent Thursday to Sunday in San Angelo.

Mrs. Lee Gray is employed in the Circle C' clothing factory at Coleman.

Mrs. Willie Floyd Jennings was honored Wednesday of last week when a group of ladies entertained with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Merrell Barkett. Refreshments were served to a large attendance.

Mrs. Alva Holland enjoyed a nice surprise Sunday when her son, Johnnie Ray, of Lowell, Arizona, visited her for a short time. He had made the trip by plane which he piloted.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Harris Jr. of Baird were called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Art Harris, who has been very ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pearce of Bangs spent Saturday night here with his father, Dr. B. F. Pearce.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Burfield of Cross Plains spent Sunday here in the Tom C. Strickland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrell Barkett, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Newton of Cross Cut, attended the Cole Bros. circus in Brownwood Wednesday night of last week.

Mrs. Jack Boyle spent the first of last week in Odessa with her husband. He returned home with her to spend a week.

H. C. Beaver and Charlie Burkett visited relatives in Ft. Worth Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Adams and son, Glider, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter and Miss Fannie Strickland spent Sunday with the Tip Tabor family in Baird.

Williams Colvin spent the past week end in San Angelo with his brother, Bob Colvin.

FOOD VALUES

FLOUR - R & W - 25 LB. SACK
FRUIT Cocktail - in syrup No 2 1/2 can - .39 BLEACH - 33 brand Qt. Bl.
PEACHES - R & W - HEAVY SYRUP NO. 2 1-2 CAN
SPINACH - Crystal Pack No 2 Can .15 RAISINS - Seedless Fresh 2 Lb Pkg
WASHING POWDER - ANY AND ALL KINDS SATURDAY LIMIT: 1 BOX TO CUSTOMER
MINCE Meat (Save Sugar) 9 Oz Pkg .17 GRAPEFRUIT Juice 46 Oz. Can
KRAUT - NO. 2 1-2 CAN
CORN FLAKES - 18 Oz Pkg 2 for .13 SPUDS - 10 Lb. Mesh Bag
TOILET PAPER: 1 ROLL TO THE CUSTOMER
COFFEE - Schilling 1 Lb. Jar .39 LARD & OIL - While It lasts Saturday

Red & White Store

"THE STORE OF FRIENDLY SERVICE"
M. E. (Happy) Howell

THE TOWN GOSSIP

W. T. Cox was a business visitor in Abilene Tuesday afternoon.

H. V. Faulkner was in Star Monday.

Miss Doris Pyle, teacher at Cross Plains, visited her parents in Abilene over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark and family visited relatives in Clyde last week.

Say I saw it in the Review.

Notes From H. D. Agent LORETA ALLEN

Shrink Wool Goods at Home

If you ever had a new wool dress come back from it's first trip to the cleaners a size too small, you'll be interested in hearing this information.

Wool goods of any kind should be properly shrunk before it is made up. This precaution was never necessary than today, when wool fabric is scarce and often so high-priced. Shrinking the wool with a steam iron is a simple and satisfactory method of shrinking, if care is taken to hold and press with the weave and not to stretch or pull in the process.

But without a steam iron first dampen the wool thoroughly and press it with a moderately warm iron under a press cloth. Roll the fabric in a wet sheet it is a simple way to dampen it. Dip a sheet in water, wring it out and spread it on a table. Lay the wool material flat and straight on the sheet. Roll sheet and wool together first; but not tightly, and allow it to stand overnight. Then press the wool on the wrong side under a dry press cloth. Don't pull or stretch the material as you shrink. Many retail stores are now shrinking all wool goods before they are offered for sale, so there's a point to check in buying. But if the fabric hasn't been shrunk, it may be taken to a tailor or it may be shrunk at home.

Mrs. M. McGowan and family and Jim Settle and family were Abilene visitors Sunday.

Government officials have confirmed our uneasiness concerning the sugar shortage.

The average housewife has been careful to conserve sugar hoping she soon could bake a few loaves for her family but reports say the scarcity of this all important commodity is now the worst in history—worse even than during the war—with little chance of relief until effects of the maritime strike can be shaken off. Spare rations number 9 and 10 will be continued valid through November 10 and No. 51 good for five pounds will continue until January 1, so it seems the housewife will continue to conserve her sugar and the family will continue to go without pies.

The shortage of soap will also continue throughout this year but hope is held out to the long suffering public that there will be plenty of soap for all of us next year.

According to soap manufacturers there will be probably plenty of soap on the markets in 99 days and a plentiful supply, they say, will likely cause a reduction in price which is good news to all.

It was pouring. Two men who had quarreled went out in the rain to settle their differences. They fought until one got the other on his back and held him there. "Will you give up?" he asked, and the reply was "No."

After a time he said, "Gonna say uncle?" The reply again was a determined "No."

"Then," said the other, "will you get on top for awhile and let me get under? I'm getting soaked."

The first payment of the per capita apportionment to school districts for the 1946-47 school year has been made and another payment will be made in November. The payment just made was \$3 each for the 1,281,876 children of school age in the state of Texas.

The apportionment for the entire school year is \$25 and is paid in installments to the school districts.

Read the classified ads.

F. F. A. BOYS FEED FOR SPRING SHOWS

Fourteen show calves are being fed by members of the Cross Plains F.F.A. chapter of the school for spring showing, announced O. B. Edmondson, instructor. The class has fifty members, seven of whom are feeding calves and some six feeding hogs.

Leo Franke is feeding one Hereford from the Fitzsimmons herd at Llano and one Black Angus calf acquired at the Houston show last January.

Billy Parker Baum daily grows a Black Angus, also secured at the Houston show.

Lois Edward Davidson is feeding out a registered Hereford from the Fitzsimmons ranch, N. L. Long, Jr., part time student, is feeding two Herefords from Cox and McGinnis and Dick Vestal, also part time student here, is feeding one Hereford from Fitzsimmons and three from his own herd.

Sterling Gibson has one Hereford calf from the Fitzsimmons herd and Billy Anderson is feeding one Hereford bred by Porter J. Davis, one bred by Orr Barr and one bred by Ross Newton.

Raymond Franke is feeding a registered O. I. C. sow; Wayne Freeman, a registered Duroc; Willard Meador, two Poland Chinas and James Brown, two Poland Chinas. Other members are entering the show classes but have not yet acquired animals.

F.F.A. SWEETHEART

Appearing above is Miss Helen Ruth Plumlee, Cross Plains high school senior, who last week was selected sweetheart of the local Future Farmers of America chapter. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miss Plumlee of Pioneer.

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FUNERAL SERVICES FOR PINK JOHNSON HELD AT RISING STAR TUESDAY

Pink Johnson, 42, son-in-law of Mrs. Viola Tyler of this city, died at Dayton, Texas November 4 after an extended illness of a stomach disorder. He had been in a critical condition ten days.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in Dayton at four o'clock Monday afternoon with the pastor officiating. The body was brought by train to Rising Star Tuesday and after services at the Methodist church there burial was made in the Rising Star cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are former residents of the Rising Star area moving from there to Hamilton several years ago. He was transferred by an oil company to Dayton two years ago.

Survivors include his widow, the former Irene Tyler, and three sons, Buford and Donald of Dayton and Curtis who is a member of the Armed Forces stationed in Washington.

Relatives from Cross Plains at his bedside when death came were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robbins, Mrs. Tyler, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Montgomery.

Attending the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Oral Ray, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tyler and others.

Mrs. Juanita Robbins has assumed duties at the Robbins Beauty Shop after several days out of town due to illness in the family.

COX'S Saturday Food Value

PEAS TENDER SWEET - No. 2 Can
MILK - DARICRAFT - PER CAN
MEAT CURE AND SAUSAGE SEASONING
APPLES - DELICIOUS - EXTRA FANCY - LB.
APPLES - DELICIOUS - BOX
FRUIT JUICE MIX - ORANGE & GRAPEFRUIT 46 OZ.
BROOMS - BROWNIE TREATED QUALITY
Plenty Boss Walloper Glove
SOAP FLAKES - SILVER FOAM
HAVE AN EXTRA NICE COMBINATION CABINET RADIO AND RECORD PLAYER
ELECTRIC PHONOGRAPH (RECORD PLAYER) \$45.30
STEAK - FORE QUARTER - LB.
ROAST - CHOICE QUALITY - LB.
SEE US FOR PEANUT BAGS
W. T. COX
The Farmers Market

CITY SPENDS QUIET ARMISTICE HOLIDAY

Cross Plains spent a quiet Armistice Day Monday. Although most business houses closed for the day, or observed Sunday hours, no celebration was scheduled. Simple flying of the United States flag in the business section paid silent tribute to the heroic dead of two world wars and prayers of the world for a lasting peace.

Streets were virtually clear of traffic and pedestrians all day Monday as many people visited out of town or just stayed home.

Butler, could I have a job? "Yes, uh, we ain't got job, but evabody takes private in his house."

He was pulling out of when a young man big onto the observation and swung himself up and sat on the train platform with some scorn.

"Gee fellows don't keep me waiting," he started. "I was your age I had a cup of coffee in one half a mile, catch the skin of my teeth, and you ain't understand. "Pop," the young man, "I missed the last station."

He reported that Methodist of the North Texas conference increased their membership 681, district superintendent at business meetings reference recently held in

AND RIDING TO BE HELD DURING PENS SUNDAY

and riding events will of the polo pens next afternoon, beginning at two o'clock in the Cross Plains arena.

Contests between contestants will be held after noon as well as riding in which as spectators as desired may be invited.

PARTY VOTES HELD HERE AT WEDNESDAY'S ELECTION

of voters here made amendments in last election, says J. A. Campbell the last vote ever in a state election, was voted for the proposition and three opposed it by a wide majority.

DEEP TEST STARTED ON ED BAUM TRACT

Dwan Brothers spudded this week on a projected Ellenburger line tract, located on the Edwin Baum farm five miles west of Cross Plains. Plans call for a thorough exploration of the Ellenburger limestone is encountered in commercial quantities at a shallower depth.

The Dwan Brothers test is approximately three miles southeast of the recently completed well near Rowden, which gave strong promise after acidizing.

Seventy member PEP SQUAD OFFERS QUEEN SEATING PERFORMANCE

Seventy all-white clad members of the Buffalo Pep Squad, under the direction of Miss Billy Ruth Loving, presented a lovely picture at last Friday nights game between Cross Plains and Rising Star when they performed at the half-time.

Forming an arrow-pointed heart, the group welcomed the football sweetheart, Miss Barbara Gilson, as she appeared on the field escorted by Claudell Joy, captain of the team.

The queen was then seated on her improvised throne which was hoisted to the shoulders of four squadmen, while the drum corps beat out soft rhythmic time.

The pep squad and sponsor deserve compliments for their fitting performance of the evening and their enthusiastic support of the Buffalo team throughout the season.

REPAIRS BEING DONE TO NEWTON AFTER STORM

Repairs to the Newton, Tex. gas station, which was damaged by a storm last week, will be completed by the time the station is reopened.

REVIEW CIRCULAR SHOWS WEEK

The Review acknowledges appreciation for new circulation, new subscribers for the

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W. A. Huckaby
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