

# The Cross Plains Review

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"When The One Great Scorer Comes To Write Against Your Name He Writes Not If You Won Or Lost But How You Played The Game"

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

Cottonwood News  
MRS. S. B. STRAHAN

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nd Sgt. Norris Ramey... ing years in a Japanese... ow home on leave from... key Hospital. He is now... th and enjoying his visit... c. R. T. Peavy is home from... O. for a 30 day furlough... parents, Mr. and Mrs... yelle.

cielle Whitehead of Abilene... here last week visiting... s and old friends... t. John Purvis with Mrs. P... baby are visiting his... d. Purvis, Lieutenant Purvis... returned from the E... is also visiting in the P... e.

Mr. H. Lucky of Temple is... and Mrs. Lucky... lida Jones returned to school... lue Tuesday... in Archer of Fort Worth... day with his mother, Mrs... Archer.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Dye... dren of Roseau are visiting... er, W. B. Allen... lenny Bilbey married... elia Park of Abilene recent... rivate Willie Weldon is... rged and home after many... the service.

Mrs. E. E. Weaver returned... to the Baird hospital after... k's illness... r. and Mrs. J. H. Strahan... l daughter, Janice Lynn... rgaret Carol of Brookh... s, and L. (J.) and Mrs. B... han of Camp Parks, Calif... past two weeks here with... ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. S... .

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## Special Victory Bond to Honor Late President

Washington, D. C. (Special)—The Treasury has called attention to a special Victory Bond to be sold during the Victory Loan campaign, starting October 29, for \$1,000,000,000.

## A. Fleming Buried at Pioneer Wednesday, Oct. 31

Funeral services for Samuel Alexander Fleming, 85, were conducted at the local Presbyterian church Wednesday, October 31, at 10 p. m. with Rev. J. L. Glenn officiating and assisted by Rev. Maxwell James of near Pioneer.

## Final Rites For Mrs. Mattie McDougal Held Here Tuesday

Final rites for Mrs. Mattie McDougal, 79, were held here at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, October 30, from the Methodist Church with Rev. D. L. Barnes, pastor, officiating.

## High School Honor Roll For First Six Weeks Released

The Honor Roll for Cross Plains high school for the first six weeks of the 1945-46 school term is made up of those students who had an average of 90 or above.

## Cotton Crop Shows Decline, According to Census Report

According to a statement from John H. Shrader, special cotton agent, a census report shows that 277 bales of cotton were ginned in Callahan County from the 1945 crop prior to Oct. 18 as compared with 277 bales for the crop of 1944.

## Milton C. Newton Receiving Training at Keesler Field, Miss.

Milton C. Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Newton, Cross Plains, Texas, and husband of Calista Marie Newton, Lubbock, Texas, began his basic military training at the AAF Training Command's Basic Training Center at Keesler Field, Miss.

## New H. J. Agent Has Been Employed For Callahan County

Judge Lester Farmer was informed this week by District Home Demonstration Agent, Thelma A. Casey, that Miss Loreta Allen of Erath County has accepted the position as County Home Demonstration Agent for Callahan County.

This news will be gladly received by Callahan County people. Miss Dorothy Wilkerson, recently resigned the position here to be the Home Demonstration agent in Erath County, and during the past few weeks the Callahan clubs have been working under the guidance of an agent. The real need of an experienced agent was seriously felt, and the county commissioners centered upon a diligent search for the best home agent they could find.

## Buffaloes Trample May Tigers By Score of 24-7 Friday Night

The local Buffalo squad came back in grand form Friday night, by defeating the May Tigers 24-7, to redeem themselves of the defeat suffered at the hands of the Clyde Bulldogs the week before.

## To Play Rising Star Wildcats Tonight; Game Starts at 7:30

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## Maytag Washer Now on Display at Higginbotham Store

Announcement is being made this week by Higginbotham Bros. & Co. that the local store has been appointed Maytag Washer dealer in this city, and a sample of the new improved washer is now on display.

## Mrs. William Hall in Gorman Hospital

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## Local Stores To Observe Nov. 12 And 22 As Holidays

A petition was passed around the business district Thursday morning and was signed by 41 business firms stating that they would close their stores all day November 12 and November 22, in observance of Armistice and Thanksgiving.

## Harold Browning Receives Discharge From Marine Corps

Sgt. Harold Browning received a discharge from the Marine Corps October 18 at the San Diego separation center, after having seen duty in the Pacific with the First Marine Air Wing from October 18, 1943, to February 20 of this year.

## Son of Local Couple Awarded Bronze Star For Heroic Duty

With the XXIV Army Corps in Korea—Staff Sgt. DeWitt D. Newton, 21, Cross Plains, Texas, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement with the famed 7th Infantry Division on Okinawa Shima.

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## "We Have a Solemn Duty..."



TO OUR WOUNDED.—The Victory Loan affords the people of a grateful nation an opportunity to show by action their thankfulness to our disabled soldiers. It is this Victory Loan which shall help to make it possible to hospitalize and rehabilitate them, so that they may take again their rightful places in society. We cannot fail—we must not fail these heroes of ours.

## Hallowe'en Carnival is Big Success; Total Proceeds \$475.00

The Hallowe'en Carnival, described as the most successful one ever staged here, was held in the gymnasium of the local school Tuesday night with proceeds amounting to \$475.00.

## W. J. Snow Receives \$22 Premium for 1st Bale Cotton Ginned

W. J. Snow from down in the Burkett country brought the first bale of cotton to Cross Plains to be ginned this year. He also had the privilege of ginning the first four bales here.

## S-Sgt. S. N. Ramey Is Home After Being A Jap POW 3 Years

S-Sgt. Samuel Norris Ramey is enjoying a 30-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Ramey, at Cottonwood, and other relatives and friends, after having been held a prisoner of war of the Japanese since May, 1942.

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## Victory Loan Drive Started Monday 11 Billion Is Goal

The 8th and last of the War Bond drives—The Victory Loan Drive—to raise money for financing the war kicked off on its first leg of the Journey Monday morning, October 29, with rallies over all the nation. The National quota has been set at \$11,000,000,000, with \$4,000,000,000 of that being Series E bonds.

A new two hundred dollar bond in memory of the late president Roosevelt and having his picture thereon is being put on the market for the first time. There is a great necessity for this drive and we should not hesitate to invest in Victory—we have already invested in war and it is not pleasing to talk about. But let's not forget those boys that fought some paying the supreme price and others coming home maimed for life; remember them and invest that this job may be finished with peace to all nations.

## \$37 Added to Local War Chest Drive Collections in Week

Mr. L. F. Foster, local chairman of the Community War Chest Fund, states that the total amount donated by local citizens to the fund now stands at \$690. Six donors gave \$37 the past week. They are:

J. C. Hefner Cafe	5.00
Roy Arrowood	5.00
Dr. J. A. Gregoire	5.00
W. P. Brightwell	15.00
Clyde Sims	5.00
Ira Hall	5.00

## Lt. John Purvis Is Spending Terminal Leave at Cottonwood

Lt. and Mrs. John Purvis and baby daughter arrived at Cottonwood October 18, where they plan to make their home. Lieutenant Purvis is now on terminal leave prior to return to inactive duty status effective December 17.

## Sgt. Henry Williams Released After 5 Years of Service

Separation Center, Hill Field, Utah—Sgt. Henry E. Williams formerly of the 415th AAFBU Base Unit at Hill Field, Utah, has been released from the Army Air Forces after five years of service. Sergeant Williams, who entered the army in September, 1940, spent 12 months overseas in Caribbean Theater with the 6th Air Force where he saw duty with the AAF as a supply sergeant.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, will gladly be corrected if brought to the attention of the editor personally at the office, Eighth Street, Cross Plains, Texas.

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**CROSS PLAINS H.D. CLUB WINS FIRST PLACE WITH EXHIBITS AT FAIR**

The Cross Plains Home Demonstration Club won first place with its hand made Christmas gifts exhibited in the County Council booth at the Fair in Baird Saturday, October 27.  
Other clubs entering and place won by each are as follows:  
Eula; steps in picture making, and crocheted cordette hand bags, second place.  
Enterprise; hooked rugs, third place.  
Dudley; individual dress forms, and tufted bed spread.  
Clyde Helping Hand; clothing made from fruit feed bags, tied for fourth place.

All articles shown were some phase of work carried on by the clubs during the year.

Patronize Local Merchants

**Cross Cut News**

By FRESHMAN CLASS

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hounshell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hounshell Sunday.

Cpl. Anderson H. (Bud) Hounshell returned home October 25 from the European Theater of Operations. Bud was awarded the Bronze Star, Good Conduct medal, Presidential Unit Citation, and six battle stars. He has received a discharge.

Capt. Charles Jackson is here with his family on a furlough. He came from Labrador and expects to be discharged when his furlough ends December 10th.

Miss Mary Fowler of Bangor, Maine, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson.

Bob Lindsay, who has been employed in Breckenridge, enrolled in school Monday morning.

Lt. Jack Terry Newton of the U. S. Marines visited relatives in Cross Cut last week. Jack came from Guam and will report to Corpus Christi at the end of his furlough.

Pvt. J. T. Byrd is spending a furlough with his family here. J. T. received his basic training at Camp Panama, Tyler, and has signed up with the army for service in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Chambers and children have moved to Dallas.

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**DAUGHTER OF LOCAL COUPLE MARRIED IN ARKANSAS RECENTLY**

Hot Springs, Ark.—Edith Colleen Petty, T-5, WAC and Vernon D. Mikel, T-4, were united in marriage by Chaplain Harry T. Strong of Army and Navy General Hospital at 7:00 p. m. Friday, October 19, at the chaplain's home in Hot Springs.

Mrs. Mikel is a member of the 6th WAC Hospital Co., AAGH, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Petty of Cross Plains, Texas.

Sergeant Mikel's home is at Clarksville, Texas. He has been stationed at Army and Navy General Hospital for two and one-half years, serving as a laboratory technician. Mrs. Mikel has worked a year as a WAC laboratory technician in the same laboratory.

Guests present for the ceremony were Major and Mrs. Joseph E. Flynn and daughter, Phoebe Ann; Miss Sarah Jane Smith and Mrs. Harry T. Strong.

The couple will reside in Hot Springs, where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton went to Sweetwater Saturday where they met Mrs. Newton's mother, Mrs. Nettie Watts of Altus, Okla., and her niece and her wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Davis of Channey, Ga., who are guests in the Newton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arizona Hardin of Monahans visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dyrd over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Willis and Mr. and Mrs. Asa Biggs of Houston visited in Cross Cut Saturday and Sunday.

Edmond Gaines, formerly of Cross Cut, and wife and two children visited in Cross Cut Monday afternoon. Edmond has just been discharged from the Navy and is enroute to the Rio Grande Valley where he is to be employed by the Immigration Service.

**Cottonwood News**

MRS. S. B. STRAHAN

At last Cottonwood was permitted to welcome home one of her native sons, Junior Ivy, who has been a Japanese POW and after liberation anxiously expected here. Mr. S. A. Moore entertained with a shower for Mrs. Ivy Saturday last Thursday. Various games were enjoyed after which refreshments were served to about 15 guests. Mrs. Ramey received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tunnell and Mrs. Bill Norris all of Lubbock are visiting Mrs. J. R. Ramey.

Mrs. H. S. Varner and Mrs. S. A. Moore entertained at the home of the Mrs. Varner, with a dinner honoring local servicemen Sunday.

These present were ex-sailor E. E. Redden and Mrs. Redden, S-Sgt. Norris Ramey and his mother, Mrs. J. R. Ramey, sailor Junior Ivy, Pfc. R. T. Povey and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Suh Povey. Others present were Roy and Mrs. U. S. Luckey, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tunnell, H. S. Varner and S. A. Moore.

Fort Archer underwent a major operation in a Galveston hospital last Thursday.

Miss Billeby and Carol Purvis were united in marriage by Rev. Fate Redden at the latter's home Sunday morning.

Cpl. Edward Coppinger of the medical corps, and who underwent a major operation recently in Houston, is at his father's home, LeVels Coppinger, on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cunningham of Anson are visiting her parents, the Lewis Coppingers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Coppinger now living in Abilene are the proud parents of a baby girl born September 28, and named Karla Jean.

Richard Thomson, who is suffering from a rheumatic trouble, has returned from Hendricks Memorial hospital but is only slightly improved.

Misses Hazel Respess, Missouri Strahan, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brock, Virgil Fulton and Billie Coats attended quarterly conference at Putnam Sunday.

**'Who's Who' in C.P.H.S.**

**JAMES ALEXANDER'S HONORED WITH PARTY SATURDAY NIGHT**

Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander were honored with a shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Huntington last Saturday evening, Oct. 27, by hostesses Mrs. Huntington and Mrs. Ivy Plimlee.

After a lively evening of games and stunts, the guests were entertained by a trio singing: "Will You Remember," "Mab Lady Lou," and "That's For Me." The trio, dressed in gorgeously flowering evening dresses were Martilla Chambers, Ann Marshall of Abilene Christian College, and Norma Huntington of Howard Payne College. They were recommended at the piano by Mrs. Jean Cash David.

The gifts were presented to the newly married couple as the grand award concluding a musical quiz. A bowl of large Dahlias bedecked the center of the table covered table from which Miss Norma Huntington served punch and cake.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Cash, Doss Alexander, A. O. Harris, Pete Fore, J. B. Huntington, Claude Hammet of Eastland, John Fore, C. M. Browning, W. W. Phillips, James Alexander, and Fred Sprawls. Mosdames Debra Dean, J. W. Foster, W. R. Gibson, Henry McCoy, Norma F. Gibson, M. B. King, Frances Marshall, The Plimlee and Jean Cash David. Misses Geneva Marshall of Dallas, Kay King, Norma Huntington, Ann Alexander, Winnie Gibson, Jo Claire Hughes, Martilla Chambers, Ann Marshall and Zilla Faye Huntington. Also present were Bobbie Harris, Jay Hughes and Franklin Gibson.

Those sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Harris of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harris, Mrs. C. D. Ballou of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. Tidwell and Sister Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox and Lou attended the Home Com. services at Sidney Monday night.

**Ruby Lee Holcomb, reporter**

**OPAL MAY UNDERWOOD**

Opal is the daughter of Lou Underwood. She was born July 1929, at Pioneer. Starting to school there she attended until her sophomore year when she came to Cross Plains High.

Opal May enjoys having fun and helping the class decorate their official Honorable Discharge. She was called at Review office, received shipment, and she got the money. Ideal for the girl business.

**HAROLD GARRETTE**

Harold is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Garret of this city. He has attended CPHS throughout his school years. During his high school year he had the highest average of any boys in his class, and parliamentary of the P. F. chapter.

Harold's favorite subject is geometry. He plans to attend John Tarleton College next fall and major in Animal Husbandry. His favorite hobby is feeding and handling cattle.

**JIM CLARK SWORN INTO ARMY RECENTLY**

Jim Clark of this city left today for Dallas where he will report for induction into the army before being sent to a training station at Ft. Sam Houston. He has recently sworn into the army after successfully passing all required examinations.

Jim is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clark of this city.

**RUPTURE SHIELD EXPERT HERE**

Dr. M. Shevnan, widely known expert of Chicago, will personally attend at the Connelley Hotel, East Tuesday only, Nov. 8, 9, 10, 11, 4 p. m.

Dr. Shevnan says: The Zettie case is a tremendous improvement of all former methods, effecting immediate results. It will not hold the rupture perfectly as long as the size or location but it will increase the circulation, strength, the weakened parts, and then close the opening in ten days on average ease, regardless of lifting, straining or any positive body may assume. A national known scientific method. No rubs, straps or cumbersome arrangements and absolutely no medicines or special treatments. Mr. Shevnan will be glad to demonstrate with charge.

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SALE: Wood; pole, cord or H. Hekman, Rising Star, (3p)  
SALE: six foot kerosene heater. Can be seen at Blake's Plant.—Willie Griffith. (4p-25)  
SALE: Auto merchandise, good equipment postwar positions. No one working considered. — See Manager, Weatherly Motor Co., Inc., Brownwood, Tex. (2p)  
SALE: Progressive Everbrite lampery plants, \$1.00 per set.—A. W. Wright at Higginbotham's. (2p)  
STATE OF TEXAS  
ELECTORAL COLLEGE  
COUNTY OF CALLAHAN  
VOTERS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS:  
HERE IS HEREBY GIVEN public notice that the undersigned, County Judge, of Callahan County, Texas, will receive until 10 o'clock a. m. on the 12th day of November, 1945, for the purchase of the following described road and improvement of the roads of Callahan County, Texas, to-wit:  
Crawler Type, Diesel Power, 2000 lbs. or less than 125 hp. Bar H. P.  
The intention of the Commission Court to make payment on above described road equipment and the contract therefor, by issuance of time warrants in maximum amount of not exceeding 4 percent interest rate not exceeding 4 percent annuities with the maximum maturity not exceeding ten years from the date of said warrants.  
J. L. FARMER, County Judge

**Army Recruiters To Be At Local P. O. Every Wednesday**

The main U. S. Army Recruiting Office for this area is located in Brownwood. For those who cannot go to this office there will be an Army Recruiter at the Post Office here every Wednesday from 9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. each week.  
Men who are from 17 through 35 and would be interested in securing full information on enlistment into the Army are welcome to write to the substation, which is located in the Memorial Hall in Brownwood. When writing it is advised to give full particulars of information regarding present status and mention any previous service.  
Recently 17 year olds were made eligible for enlistment into the Regular Army of service. If he enlists for periods of 18 months or 2 years he may not get into the branch of the Army which he prefers, although there is a much better chance of getting into the preferred branch than if he were drafted into the Army which he does not want.  
All applicants who are 17 must have the signature of their parents or guardian to be accepted for enlistment. The parent or guardian signs only a form at their local office.  
The recruiting drive in this area is just getting under way and is expected to reach peak at the end of this month. Enlistments so far have exceeded the number expected, especially the re-enlistments of veterans who will be furnished with 21 of November if the men who have been discharged on the point system desire to get back in and retain their rating which they held at the time of discharge.  
At the present time the office in Brownwood fills out the preliminary forms on the applicant. For applicants in this area all necessary transportation will be furnished to and from the Brownwood office. After the forms are made up, the applicant is sent to the Dallas office where he receives his complete physical examination and takes his oath if accepted into the Army. All transportation is furnished.

**Try Review Want Ads**

**CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION**

Scaled proposals for constructing 19,204 miles of Grading, Flexible Base and Double Asphalt Surface Treatment from 4.5 miles South-east of U.S. 80 to Highway U.S. 182 On Highway No. 96, covered by FAP 844 (1), (2), & (3), in Taylor and Callahan Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 10:00 a. m., Nov. 8, 1945, and then publicly opened and read. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply, subject to and from the Brownwood office. After the forms are made up, the applicant is sent to the Dallas office where he receives his complete physical examination and takes his oath if accepted into the Army. All transportation is furnished.

Work of "Laborer" or "Mechanic"	Per Diem Wage (Based on Eight Hour Working Day)
Crane Operator (3/4 c. y. and over)	9.20
Crane Operator (under 3/4 c. y.)	8.80
Mechanic	6.80
Roller or Blade Grade operator	7.20
Distributor Driver	7.20
Distributor Operator	6.40
Scraper operator (7 c. y. & under)	6.40
Spreader box operator	6.40
Tractor operator (20 or more H. P.)	7.20
Truck Driver (over 1 1/2 tons mfgs. rated capacity)	6.40
Planman	4.80
Labor, miscellaneous, unskilled	4.80
Truck driver (1 1/2 tons mfgs. rated capacity or less)	4.80
Water boy or watchman	3.90

Those classifications not listed above and found necessary to execute this contract may be found included in the proposal for Group 3. Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Plans and specifications available at the office of J. C. Roberts, Resident Engineer, Abilene, Texas, and Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

**Now For A... New Start!**

The activities of everyone have been geared to the needs of wartime days, but peace has removed many limitations. It is time to make readjustments for the future—time for a new start.  
Some things will be different, and it is the hope of all that many things will be better. In any case the days ahead will be days of peace, and it will be possible to plan ahead.  
Make a start by opening an account at this bank of dependable, friendly service. We are looking to the future and it will be our aim to give depositors an even better service.  
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MR. & MRS. A. W. FRANKE CELEBRATE WITH 25TH ANNIVERSARY DINNER... Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Franke were honored on their 25th anniversary Sunday, October 28...

High Quality Shoe Repair Work Your Business Appreciated Ralston Shoe Shop West of Bank Building... Gasoline & Oils Ethel 20c WE HAVE NOW INSTALLED A COMPLETE BATTERY RE-CHARGING AND TESTING SET...

RUPTURE SHIELD EXPERT HERE... M. Shevnan, widely known in Chicago, will personally attend the Connellie Hotel, East...

Atwell News... Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jones and daughter, Rita Mae, returned from a Sunday visit to the Ben Pillans home...

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ROBERT W. ANDERSON

### Robert Anderson on Leave; Expects To Be Discharged Soon

C.P.M. Robert W. Anderson of the Naval Base Hospital in Oakland, Calif., arrived here Monday morning to spend a 29-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Anderson.

Robert has been in the Navy since January 8, 1942, and has spent 21 months in the Southwest Pacific, returning to the states in January of this year.

He will report to a recruiting station at Dallas and from there he will be sent to a separation center to be discharged from the service.



CPL. JACK E. COLEMAN

### Cpl. Jack E. Coleman Discharged From Army October 23rd

Pictured is Cpl. Jack E. Coleman, son of Mrs. E. N. Schaffner, Sr., of this city, who received an honorable discharge from the Army October 23 at the Ft. Bliss separation center. He returned to the states October 3, after having spent 15 months in the ETO with the 688th Field Artillery of the 3rd Army.

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He was awarded the ETO ribbon with four battle stars, having participated in the Battle of the Bulge, Central Europe, Northern France, Rhineland and Central Europe. He has been visiting here and in Austin since receiving his discharge.

### Check to Be Made On ILLEGAL USE OF LICENSE PLATE IN TEXAS

AUSTIN — October 30 — Hundreds of Texas residents are operating their automobiles illegally with license plates secured in other states where the plates may be obtained at a lower rate than in Texas.

Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., director of Texas Department of Public Safety, has advised that there will start immediately an enforcement program to see that all persons who are residents of Texas properly register their automobiles. Thousands of dollars are going into the revenue of other state treasuries when it should be going into the Texas treasury for the maintenance of Texas highways.

### 15-Day Extension Granted Livestock Owners in City

It was agreed by the City Council in a meeting Tuesday night that all livestock owners in the city would be given until November 15 to comply with the recent Livestock Ordinance before action would be taken by health officers. The required time for compliance with this order expired November 2.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stephens and Claude Stephens visited Mrs. C. C. Taylor at Moody, Texas, last Friday.

### Mrs. Morris Way Huntingdon Buried In California, Oct 29

Rosary for Mrs. Morris Huntington was conducted Delano, Calif., Monday the 28th at 8 p. m. Thursday, October 29, high mass at 10 a. m. Friday at St. Marys Catholic Church, Delano.

Mrs. Huntington died October 29. In the Delano hospital from injuries sustained in an accident Tuesday, October 26, she was born April 4, 1854, at New York City, and had lived in Delano district with her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Marlowe, for the past ten years. She was a native of Delano high school.

Mrs. Josephine Marlowe Huntington was married to Mrs. Morris Wayne Huntington in 1943 in Los Angeles, Calif.

She is survived by her husband, who is in Japan, her son, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunt, and Patti Sue and Leona Huntington, of this city, and the services.

### Olis D. Williams Discharged From Army With 79 Points

T. J. Oils D. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams of Star Route 1, Baird, received a discharge from the Army October 14 at Camp Claiborne, Ark., with a total of 79 points.

Williams entered the service February 17, 1942, and received training at Ft. Bliss, Ft. Sam Houston, Camp Polk, La., Camp Cooncomb, Calif., and Indian Town Camp, Pa. before sailing for overseas duty with the 370th Regiment of the 95th Infantry Division, from Boston, Mass., August 8, 1944.

He saw action in France, Holland, and Germany, returning to the states July 5 of this year.

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### Burkett News Mrs. Merril Burkett

The Burkett Annual Carnival was a grand success Saturday night with an unusually large attendance and proceeds amounting to \$38,000. Miss Eureka Mountain, senior, was crowned queen of the carnival with Gordon Chambers as her escort. Other entries in the contest were as follows: Beulah Ann Tutor, Junior, with Andy Dale Young as her escort; Joyce Helms, sophomore, with Tye Brown as escort; Billie Payne McKinney, Freshman, and Tommie Ray Webb as escort; Joyce Strickland, 8th grade, with Clinton Tabor as escort; Barbara Golson, 5-7 grades, with Joe Golson as escort; Annie Marie Hunter, 3-4 grades, with James Oscar Koenig as escort; and Patsy Henderson, 7-2 grades, with Max Watson as escort. Crown bearers, Althea Hunter, train bearers, Jacqueline Webb and Bustie Gowlin.

Funeral services were held here Friday for Billy Wayne Wilson, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wilson of Abilene. Death was caused by polio after being ill only a few days. Minister J. P. Salyer of Coleman was in charge of services.

Survivors include his parents and one brother, Jack, and one grandmother, Mrs. Gailin of Cross Plains.

A. E. Brown suffered a great loss when his barn burned Sunday evening about eight o'clock. The Brown family was not at home and the fire, which started in the barn, was in time to save all his show calves and a portion of his grain that was stored in the barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter are the parents of a son, Sammie Darill, born October 23 at the Coleman hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burkett and Charles Ann of New Central spent Sunday here with relatives. The Miss Bonita Mountain and Miss Bobbie Evans, both of Fort Worth, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Latt Mountain and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Evans, respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rancum of Santa Anna, Miss Ann Golson of Big Spring and Miss Sula Golson of Stephenville spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Emma Golson.

Funeral services were held here Thursday last week for B. D. Wesley, formerly of this place, and interment was made in the local cemetery. He and his wife had moved from here only a few weeks ago to make their home near their daughter, Mrs. Neal Nicholson, postmaster at Novice.

Survivors included his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Nicholson of Novice, and Mrs. Clyde Trout of Brownfield; two foster sons, Dick Thate and Albert Thate, both of Denver, Colorado; two sisters, Miss Opheila Wesley and Mrs. S. H. Crocker, both of Burkett; and three brothers, A. K. and A. P. Wesley of Burkett and Eugene Wesley of Nevada.

The rites were read by Minister J. P. Salyer of Coleman and Higginbotham Bros. of Cross Plains were in charge of arrangements.

### Mrs. Anita Hunt and William Clark Wed Last Friday Night

Mrs. Anita Hunt and William (Son) Clark were united in marriage here Friday night, October 26, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Drew I. Hill with Mr. Hill, Justice of the Peace, reading the ceremony.

Mrs. Clark chose for her wedding attire a blue tailored suit with black accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Fortson of Ft. Stockton.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clark of this city, and is home on a 45 day furlough after having spent 10 months in the European Theater of Operations. At the conclusion of his furlough he will report to Ft. Sam Houston. Mrs. Clark will return to Ft. Stockton where she will make her home until he is discharged from the service.

### Final Rites Held for B. D. Wesley at Burkett, October 25

Funeral services for B. D. Wesley of Novice, formerly of Burkett, were conducted Thursday afternoon, October 25, from the Burkett Church of Christ with Minister J. P. Salyer, Coleman, officiating.

Uncle Bud, as he was known by his many friends, passed away at his home in Novice, Tuesday, October 23. He with his wife moved to Novice only a few weeks ago, having resided in Burkett for a number of years.

He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Clyde Trout of Brownwood, and Mrs. Neal Nicholson of Novice; two foster sons, Dick Thate and Albert Thate of Denver, Colo.; two sisters, Miss Opheila Wesley and Mrs. S. H. Crocker of Burkett; and three brothers, A. K. and A. P. Wesley of Burkett, and Eugene Wesley of Nevada.

Interment was made in the Burkett cemetery with Higginbotham funeral home of Cross Plains in charge.

### Cpl. Anderson H. Hounshell Returns To States from E.T.O.

Cpl. Anderson (Tod) Hounshell arrived at his home in Cross Plains, Texas, after having served 28 months in the European Theater of Operations. He left Marshall on October 10, aboard the St. Mary, and landed in Virginia October 17.

Corporal Hounshell was inducted into the service on June 9, 1942, at Camp Wallace. On June 8, 1943, he sailed from Newport News, Va., and landed in North Africa where he was in his first battle. He saw action in six countries, including North Africa, Sicily, Italy, France, Germany and Austria.

Tod has been awarded the Bronze Star, Good Conduct Medal, six battle stars and Presidential Unit Citation.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hounshell of Cross Plains. They have two other sons in service, Pfc. Oscar M. in the Army of Occupation somewhere in the Pacific, and Pvt. J. C. now at Fort Ord, Calif.

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Friday & Saturday  
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Last Chapter of "GHOST CITY"  
Comedy — Cartoon  
Sunday & Monday  
It's Dynamite Set to Music in Technicolor  
SUNNY TUFTS  
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EDDIE BRACKEN  
MARJORIE REYNOLDS  
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Tues. & Wed.  
VAN JOHNSON  
GLORIA DEHAVEN  
LIONEL BARRYMORE  
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News — Sports  
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### IRVIN WAYNE GAGE TALKS TO BROTHER IN GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

Irvin Wayne Gage of Abilene, formerly of this city, placed a long distance telephone call to his brother, Pfc. O. M. Gage Jr., at Geneva, Switzerland, Saturday, October 29, and it was Tuesday morning before connections could be made for them to talk. Mr. Gage states that he could hear his brother very plain. They talked for 4½ minutes.

Private Gage is with the 84th Ordnance Tank Maintenance Company, and has been overseas since January, 1944.

PAPER CLIPS, staples, gum paper, at Review Office.

### DAISY GRAVES AND J. H. RUDLOFF UNITED IN MARRIAGE TUESDAY

Miss Daisy Graves became the bride of J. H. Rudloff here Tuesday evening, October 30, at eight o'clock in the Methodist Church with Rev. D. L. Barnes reading the ceremony.

The bride wore an aqua blue suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of white orchids.

Mrs. Rudloff is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graves of this city.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rudloff also of this city. The couple will make their home in Brownwood where he is employed.

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Bright & Early Coffee, lb pkg. 29c KRAUT, quart fruit jars 25c

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PEACHES in gallon cans 80c DATES, Dromedary pitted, 7 oz. pkgs. 75c  
Brer Rabbit Syrup, gallon pail 75c SCOTT Paper Towels, roll 75c

### Syrup

White Swan Gallon Pail 75c

SUMMER SAUSAGE, lb. 35c GROUND BEEF, lb. 75c  
VELVEETA CHEESE, 2 lb. box 75c Steak, Loin and T-bone, choice, lb. 2.25

### Flour

25 lbs. \$1.15  
50 lbs. 2.25

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Effective dates of the support price program are October 1, 1946 to September 30, 1947, according to C. R. Hodges of Texas Production and Marketing Administration. Seasonal variations are being applied for the first time to hog prices, meaning the \$12 average Chicago price will vary according to normal seasonal changes. This price ranges from \$10.75 in December, 1946 to \$13.25 in September, 1947, Hodges said.

The present support price of \$15 per hundred, Chicago, with no seasonal variation, was announced May 21, 1945, to be effective until September 3, 1946, and now is extended to September 30, 1949, he continued.

Next year's average support price of \$12 at Chicago will reflect at least 50 per cent of parity to farmers as provided by the "Steady" act.

In arguing at the new support price, the average difference between P. S. average farm prices for all hogs and average Chicago market hogs for hogs is about 10 per cent. Hogs have been added to present 50 per cent of parity price, the addition now including allowances for some. Heterofore, some have been reflected in farm prices but not in Chicago prices, Hodges explained. Parity for hogs September 15 was \$12.00 and 60 per cent of parity for the same date was \$11.34.

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