

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

"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"

# CITY MAY GET ANOTHER HIGHWAY

## Home Town Gossip

Nothing but the United States mint can make money without borrowing.

Two weeks ago this column reported that a local man had recently purchased marriage insurance but to the best of our knowledge he had not yet used it. It's our guess—only a guess—that the youth question and a Rising Star will affix their signatures to the certificate of marriage before October first.

Although they have not played a game and their mettle is yet untested, this column is willing to hazard the prediction that Pioneer high school will have its first football team in history this autumn. It took but a fleet-glance at the pack in scrimmage Tuesday afternoon to convince this pencil pusher that they are more than padded shoulders in black and gold playing jersey.

Of course you've heard the old school marm here, who couldn't hear her classes the first couple of days. But there's one even more about a local lad who went away to college a few years back and spent three whole days sitting in the college library waiting for someone to direct him to classrooms.

Bargains days on the old home newspaper are now in effect. Prices are cut 33 and one-third per cent in the face of rising publication costs. It doesn't take a very good knowledge of mathematics to know that unless we collect a larger subscription in good standing for another 12 months, or just telephone or whistle and we'll come hanging over to write you the necessary receipt and collect the cash.

It takes quite a bit of expense to edit and edit news, to set it into type, publish and distribute a newspaper. If you want to continue getting your home paper and want it packed full of news of your own part of the world, let us have your subscription renewed now. Too, we do not suggest to your friends that the Review is a good buy?

Everywhere in today's issue of the Review is the picture of a handsome trophy to be awarded some football player in this district. Although our vote doesn't count, it springs from where we sit that a couple of local lads have a chance to become owners of the coveted award.

Have been hearing so much about housing rentals, inadequate accommodations and the like from Brownwood since news went out of the new army camp was to be located there, that we were about to suggest that part of the "overflow population" locate in Cross Plains and commute to Brownwood. But after

## New P-T.A. To Meet First Time Tuesday

### EVERY PATRON OF LOCAL SCHOOLS IS URGED TO ATTEND

Refreshments Will Be Served And The Year's Program Outlined Officers State

First regular meeting of the newly-organized Cross Plains Parent-Teacher Association will be held in the high school auditorium here Tuesday night, September 24, beginning at eight o'clock. It is pointed out that ever parent of a child attending Cross Plains schools is automatically a member of the P-T.A. and is urged to be present at the initial meeting.

Program for the meeting will include: opening address by Lewis C. Norman; solo, Miss Louise Ingram; reading, Miss Edith Lewis; talk "Purpose of Parent-Teacher Association", Rev. S. P. Collins; piano solo, Mrs. Paul Taylor; two numbers by trio, composed of Misses Mary Jane Stafford, Ethel Luckey and Emma Jane Williams.

At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments will be served by Cross Plains high school home economics girls under the direction of Miss Jane Ferguson.

Members of the executive committee, appointed by Mrs. J. C. Huntington, president, at the meeting of organization, held a business session Tuesday afternoon of this week and named committee heads to serve throughout the year. They are as follows: Mrs. M. G. Underwood, membership; Mrs. Garret Fomby, hospitality; Miss Ethel Manning, fund-raising; Mrs. Fred V. Tunnell, budget and finance; Miss Edith Lewis, parliamentarian; Mrs. Paul Taylor, P.T.A. magazine; Hubert Kelley, program; J. E. Barrington, publicity; C. R. Steele, historian; Mrs. Jeff Clark, study group.

Officers of the association are: Mrs. Huntington, president; Mrs. W. E. Browning, vice-president; Mrs. C. M. Garrett, secretary and Esther Varner Sullivan, treasurer.

### 150 IN SUNDAY SCHOOL IS LOCAL CHURCH GOAL

150 in Sunday School Sunday morning is the goal of officers and teachers of the Baptist church, announced Rev. C. E. Poe, pastor, yesterday, together with the following statement:

"For weeks now our attendance has been hovering around the 120 mark. We are extremely anxious to increase this number to 150, and have set that goal for Sunday morning. Do your part by helping us to realize it by being present and on time Sunday morning," he said.

### HONOR ROLL

- Among those who have taken advantage of the Review's annual Autumn subscription of \$1.00 to renew or subscribe for the coming year are the following. If you have not placed your subscription in good standing for the next 12 months, you are requested to do so at once.
- W. O. Spencer
- George T. Lamar
- Lewis C. Norman
- Mildred Browning
- Evoonne Westerman
- W. E. Lusk
- B. H. Freeland
- P. G. Freeland
- Dow Westerman
- Mrs. L. A. Waller
- Fred Klutts
- Engene D. Rhodes
- Bruce Henry
- Morris Ivy

### World War Veteran Interred In Local Cemetery Thursday

Last rites for E. R. (Ross) Wagner, 49, were held from the residence here Thursday afternoon at 2:30 and interment was made in the family plot in the Cross Plains cemetery. Rev. S. P. Collins, Presbyterian pastor here, officiated. Mr. Wagner succumbed in a veterans' hospital at Legion, Texas, Wednesday afternoon after an extended illness.

In final, parting tribute to a man highly esteemed by his fellows and in respect to a family that enjoys the affection of the entire community, the little lane down by the Wagner home was choked with traffic, and the lawn and premises were crowded with men and women who stood with unbarred heads.

Ross Wagner, who spent all of his life in Cross Plains with the exception of the time he was away with the marines during the World War and the past nine years in Austin, possessed innumerable friends, to whom his passing meant the loss of a warm personal friend.

Survivors include: his wife, who was at the bedside when the end came, and three sons, Benjamin, Dick and John; his mother, Mrs. W. R. Wagner, who had just returned to her home here the day before his death; one brother, W. R. Wagner, Jr., also of Cross Plains, and two sisters, Mrs. Juanita Furr, Amarillo, and Mrs. Henry Cravens, Mertzon.

Burial services were held at the funeral home here on Friday afternoon. Burial was in the family plot in the Cross Plains cemetery. Pall bearers at the funeral and interment services were: Babe Wood, F. R. Anderson, E. C. Neeb, Floyd Phillips, C. W. Kemper and Walter Westerman.

Funeral arrangements were in charge of Higginbothams, Cross Plains. Out-of-town people here for the funeral included: Mr. and Mrs. Key Furr, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cravens and son, Mertzon; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Russell, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clapp and Lance Clapp, Granbury; Mrs. L. M. Wyatt and Miss Grace Wyatt, Winters; Mrs. Lucille Popcoe and

### BUFFALOES DEFEAT GORMAN PANTHERS 26-6 HERE FRIDAY

Before a crowd estimated at 1,500 Cross Plains Buffaloes triumphed 26 to six over the Gorman Panthers here Friday night in the season's first football game for both teams. Taking command of the situation in the opening minutes of the game it was Cross Plains all the way. The Buffaloes scored in the first, second and fourth quarters and easily held the upperhand throughout the 48 minutes of playing time. Gorman's tally came late in the third period, and was the visitors only threat.

Cross Plains kicked off to Gorman to open the game. The Panthers were held for downs and forced to kick out to their own 36. The Buffaloes failed to make the necessary yardage and punted over the double stripe giving the visitors the leather again on their own 20. The Panthers ran two plays and then lost possession of the ball on the 20. A five yard penalty moved it to the five yard penalty moved it to the 15, where the thundering herd had first down with five needed. Billy Mack Smith knifed through tackle for three yards. Byrd smashed center for a first down. A pass from Smith to Longbottom was good for six yards putting the ball on the four marker. Then Kelley fumbled Smith's heave in the end zone to return with all on downs to the visitors. Gorman took over but was unable to gain and after two plays booted out to Byrd who took the punt on a high run and sprinted 29 yards unmolested to pay dirt for the season's first touchdown. Smith booted from placement for the extra point, putting coach "So" Walker's charges out in front seven to nothing.

Early in the second quarter the thundering herd again got ownership of the ball on Gorman's 43 yard line. At this junction, Smith foisted back and heaved a pass to the waiting arms of Pat Moore in the end zone for another touchdown. Byrd failed to add the extra point at a thrust through the line.

Again in the second period the Buffaloes took over on Gorman's 43 yard line. Smith chucked a flat zone pass 18 yards to diminutive Tommy Henkel. Seeing that he was hemmed on three sides, Tommy lateraled off to Byrd, who followed a barrage of defenders 25 yards further for the evening's third touchdown. Smith kicked the extra point making the score Cross Plains 20, Gorman 0.

Late in the third quarter Ed Clark, Gorman back who gave a nice account of himself throughout the evening, passed a 10 yard rifle shot to R. B. Alkers. The huge receiver raced 90 yards for a touchdown. An attempt to add the extra point with a plunge through the line failed, as a fumbling Panther back dropped the ball and was swarmed by a hard charging Buffalo forward wall.

Cross Plains scored again in the fourth quarter. The Buffaloes kicked off to Gorman and the Panthers were held for downs and forced to kick out to their own 36. The Buffaloes failed to make the necessary yardage and punted over the double stripe giving the visitors the leather again on their own 20. The Panthers ran two plays and then lost possession of the ball on the 20. A five yard penalty moved it to the five yard penalty moved it to the 15, where the thundering herd had first down with five needed. Billy Mack Smith knifed through tackle for three yards. Byrd smashed center for a first down. A pass from Smith to Longbottom was good for six yards putting the ball on the four marker. Then Kelley fumbled Smith's heave in the end zone to return with all on downs to the visitors. Gorman took over but was unable to gain and after two plays booted out to Byrd who took the punt on a high run and sprinted 29 yards unmolested to pay dirt for the season's first touchdown. Smith booted from placement for the extra point, putting coach "So" Walker's charges out in front seven to nothing.

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### Military Registration Here Under Direction S.F. Bond

Registering of the young manhood for military service, in compliance with the recently enacted draft law, will be done in Cross Plains by S. F. Bond and possibly six others.

By virtue of his appointment as general election judge, Mr. Bond will be in charge of the military registration for the statute prescribes that "local election officials" will be in charge of this phase of the program.

The revised bill, requiring 16,500,000 men aged 21 through 35 to register for possible service, went through both houses of congress by margins of almost two to one, demonstrating how sharply Hitler's onslaughts abroad have reversed the traditional congressional aversion to peace-time conscription.

The recruits will be drawn from men without dependents, will receive \$21 a month during the first four months of training and at least \$30 monthly, new pay of buck privates, for the remaining eight months.

The legislation permits use of the men anywhere in the Western Hemisphere, United States possessions outside the hemisphere, and the Philippines.

Registration day was set to be October 16 by President Roosevelt when he signed the conscription bill Monday.

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Mrs. A. J. Mathis conducted the Bible study and plans were laid for the Baptist ladies entertaining ladies of all other Cross Plains churches the afternoon of September 30, the fifth Monday of this month.

### BROWNWOOD ROAD VIA CROSS PLAINS TO ABILENE ASKED

Hearing Is Set In Austin For September 30; Military Camp May Help Proposal

Possibilities of receiving a third highway for Cross Plains were brightened this week as the state highway commission granted a hearing for September 30, at which time petition for state designation of the road from Brownwood via Cross Plains to Abilene will be made.

The proposed route would save nearly 10 miles in the distance from Abilene to Brownwood, and would likely become the most popular route from Northwest Texas to the state capital.

It is pointed out that recent allocation of the U. S. army training camp at Brownwood may be a boon to the proposal, due to the fact that the federal government is stressing the building of roads of military importance and is supplying a portion of the funds for construction.

Another "pulling point" for the Callahan-Brown-Taylor county delegation, which will meet with the commission September 30, will be the fact that there is at present no highway from the North to the state park and Brownwood lake, 12 miles of the road—that section from the city of Brownwood to the lake—is already hard surfaced and could be turned over to the state highway department, thereby greatly reducing the cost of the project.

Only about 25 miles would have to be built to bring the highway to Cross Plains, where it would form a junction with 36, which is now under construction.

It is pointed out that first step necessary to securing of the road is to gain favor with the highway commission regarding its merits and then to receive state designation. When state designation is given the road the first step toward realization will have been obtained.

County Judge-elect B. H. Freeland is organizing a delegation from Callahan county to meet with a delegation from Brownwood and Abilene in the state capitol the last day of this month and meet with Commissioners Brady Gentry, Harry Hines and Robert Lee Bobbit.

### BAPTIST LADIES TO ENTERTAIN WOMEN OF OTHER CHURCHES 30TH

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### ONE DAY TOURNAMENT CARDED AT PHILPECO

A one day golf tournament at Philpeco country club has been scheduled by members of the ladies auxiliary, as a method of raising funds for clubhouse improvement.

The tourney is to be held September 29 and will be a medal play affair, according to Mrs. I. E. Cates, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

### TWO SAILORS VISIT THEIR HOMES HERE

Vernon Huntington and Junior Ivy, who are in the United States navy stationed at San Diego, California, have been spending several days with members of their families here and at Cottonwood.

Vernon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. (Bon) Huntington, of Cross Plains, and Junior is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ivy, of Cottonwood.

The boys have just completed training in what they call "boot camp," and upon their return will be assigned to ships for a cruise at sea.

### POSTPONE DELIVERY OF NEW FIRE TRUCK TO GET 1941 MODEL

Arrival of Cross Plains fire department's new truck will be delayed at least 30 days in order to get a 1941 Chevrolet truck chassis rather than the 1940 model. It is pointed out that the '41 model truck possesses 10 more horsepower and is otherwise more desirable.

Purchase of the truck was made through Cross Plains Motor Company, Inc., local Chevrolet dealers.

### Man Visiting Sister In Cross Plains Tells Of Watching British And Italian Planes In "Dog-Fight" Over Egypt

The story was told in Cross Plains by Roy Galloway, Weatherford, Texas, seismologist, who is here visiting in the home of his sister, Mrs. Paul Taylor.

Mr. Galloway went to Cairo, Egypt, in 1938, for the Texas Company to do oil exploration. His wife and son, Heartsill, now 10, joined him there a month later.

Saw Dog-Fight All went well until early Summer when Italy got into the war. The Galloways decided to return to America. The day after they left Cairo, June 18, Italian and

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... And all the pilot was trying to say was good morning.

The good ship President Garfield had been skirting the east coast of Africa en-route from India to Capetown. Everything had been going along fine and the ship heavily loaded with American and others scampering back to their homelands had encountered not a sign of trouble... until that morning.

A plane had darted out from the coast and swooped down over the ship. It had circled about and dropped lower and lower. Passengers lined the decks and looked up wondering. Identity of the plane couldn't be determined. American flags were waved.

Then the pilot began chattering over the radio, but for some reason his words couldn't be made out. The passengers didn't know whether he was telling them to unload, the ship was bombed, or what.

Suddenly, apparently satisfied the pilot flew back to the coast. Later the passengers learned that he was with the South African coast patrol and after learning the identity of the ship had merely tried to say "Good Morning."

British planes staged a dog-fight over Cairo. Getting over to Cairo required 16 days. It took just two months to return.

Here's the itinerary back: From Cairo to Kantara, Egypt, by train; ferry across Suez Canal and train to Jerusalem; to Damascus by taxi; to Bagdad by bus; by plane to Bassar, Iraq; by boat to Capetown, with mine-sweepers ushering them into the harbor; then to Trinidad and to New York, arriving August 18.

In New York they bought a car and started home.

### SHERIFF WARNS AGAINST ILLEGAL TRASH DUMPING

Warning is given by Sheriff C. R. Nordyke that he will press complaints against persons charged with dumping tin cans and rubbish along roadsides and on property other than their own.

"In recent weeks the Sheriff's office has received complaints from several parts of the county that the law forbidding the dumping of rubbish along roadsides and on private property is being violated. It is not our desire for anyone to suffer the consequences of prosecution, therefore, this warning is being issued in the hope that it may be respected," he said.

WALLACE BENNETT HEADS JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS At a meeting of the Junior class of Cross Plains high school Friday afternoon officers were elected for the ensuing year. They are, as follows: Wallace Bennett, president; "Toody" McDermott, vice-president; Kathryn Anderson, secretary; Harold Browning, treasurer; Adell Pierce, reporter.

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"Tim Tylers Luck Cartoon—Comedy"

—plus—

—Novelty—

Sunday-Monday

"WATER LOU BRIDGE"

—with—

VIVIAN LEIGH ROBERT TAYLOR

—plus—

—News — Cartoon—

Tuesday-Wednesday

"BLONDIE ON A BUDGET"

—with—

PENNY SINGLETON ARTHUR LAKE

—also—

—News — Novelty—

Thursday

"1,000.00 YEARS B.C."

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INTERESTING PROGRAM FOR PIONEER P.T.A. IS PLANNED FOR SEPT. 24

An interesting program has been arranged for the regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of Pioneer to be held September 24. Yearbooks will be ready at that time and are to be distributed.

An appropriate picture will be given the room in ward school having the largest number of mothers present at the September 24 meeting. The class in high school having the largest number of mothers present at meetings during the year will receive a half holiday.

DRESSY H. D. CLUB MEETS SEPTEMBER 26

The Dressy Home Demonstration club will meet at the Dressy Methodist church building on Thursday, September 26 at 2:30 p. m. Election of officers will be held and plans for achievement events will be made. All members are urged to attend.

STUDY CLUB HOLDS FIRST MEETING IN HOME OF PRESIDENT

The Wednesday Study Club held its initial meeting of the 1940-41 club year in the home of Mrs. Howard E. Coburn Wednesday afternoon of last week, September 11, at four o'clock.

The president's address was given by Mrs. Coburn, and Mrs. D. C. Lee gave an interesting introduction to the year's course. The general topic for the year's work is "Some Aspects of Contemporary American Life."

Mrs. Broocke Eubank read the constitution and by-laws. Coffee and ginger-bread, topped with whipped-cream, was served to Mesdames Eubank, Lee, J. A. Caton, Horace Kitzrell, Olan Wilson, Miss Ethel Manning and the hostess.

PARTY COMPLIMENTS 2 LITTLE GIRLS WHO ARE MOVING TO CISCO

Rena Fay Knight, Doris Marie and Wanda Jean Hall honored Betty Jo and Juakana Youngblood with a farewell party Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira H. Hall. Betty Jo and Juakana are moving in the near future with their parents to Cisco.

Ice cream, cookies and punch were served to the following: Wanda Clark, Zelida Fay Ballard, Frankie Sue Atwood, Dona McGee, Wanda Ruth Atwood, Peggy Jo Freeman, Billie Jean Cross, Bobbie Jo and Juakana Youngblood and hostesses Rena Fay Knight, Doris Marie and Wanda Jean Hall.

W. N. LONG ENLISTS IN U. S. MARINE CORPS

W. N. Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Long of Cross Plains, left Thursday for Dallas, where he enlisted with the United States Marines. From Dallas he was sent immediately to San Diego, California, where he will be stationed.

PALACE THEATRE CISCO

SUN.-MON.-SEPT. 22-23

IN TECHNICAL COLOR! \$5,000 REWARD MORE EXCITING AND COLORFUL THAN 'JESSE JAMES'

HENRY FONDA THE RETURN OF FRANK JAMES with GENE TIERNEY JACKIE COOPER HENRY HULL

GARY COOPER in 'THE WESTERNER'

'BOOM TOWN'

PUTNAM

There was a party held on the lawn of the Baptist church Saturday night in honor of James King and Zada Williams who were leaving this week for college. James graduated from the Putnam high school and this will be his first year in college, while Miss William will be in her second year. There was a good sized crowd attended the party and all enjoyed and had a general good time.

The gin here has turned out 107 bales of cotton up to Saturday night. The crop is making more than farmers thought it would make. Some farmers report that they will make about one-half bale per acre while others report less. It looks like the crop would make an average yield of about one-third of a bale to the acre. The gin turned out about three hundred and twenty five bales last season and it looks like they may gin four hundred or more this year.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook who have been vacationing in Iowa with their son this summer returned to Putnam Friday afternoon. They left here early in the spring and have been gone ever since. Mr. Cook states he liked the country up there mighty well and it was a fine farming country, but they grow corn mostly, and he said he was talking to one man who had in 200 acres in corn and had placed in the elevator 120 bushels for every acre he had planted. Where they can grow 100 bushels of corn per acre, it can be sold pretty cheap and still make money. Taking corn at the present price of about 60 cents per bushel, this would equal about \$72 per acre revenue on corn. Mr. Cook states that it is much hotter there than it is here on account of no breeze blowing like it does in Texas.

R. L. Ray of Fort Worth, a former merchant and cotton buyer in Scranton was in Putnam Saturday afternoon shaking hands with old friends of former years. Mr. Ray was in business for some ten or 12 years before selling out and moving to Fort Worth about twenty years ago. Where he has lived since leaving Putnam. After going out of the mercantile business he entered the oil business and operated in this and many other oil fields over the state for a number of years before retiring from that business.

Miss Ruth Caraway returned from Comyn Thursday where she had been visiting her grandmother for the past several days.

Mrs. J. B. Eubanks returned last Tuesday from a visit with relatives in California for the past two or three weeks.

Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John McIntire at Sweetwater the past week returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ramsey visited Mr. and Mrs. Archie Talley at Olney Sunday. Mrs. Talley is the former Miss Nina Morgan.

Cream of the stage, screen and radio talent of America will be presented at popular prices in the State Fair of Texas' giant outdoor musical revue, "Americana." A cast of 150 dancers and top-name entertainers will be presented on a 300-foot stage in front of the Fair's Grandstand.

One of the largest telescopes in the world is at the W. J. McDonald Laboratory in the Davis Mountains in Southwest Texas. Operated jointly by the University of Texas and the University of Chicago, the observatory is staffed by some of the nation's leading astronomers.

Mrs. Pearl Smart and daughter, Miss Fern Smart have returned to their home here after a visit of several days in San Angelo, Abilene and other West Texas points.

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Texas Queen



Miss Araceli Sanchez, beautiful young lady of Latin-American descent, who competed in the Queen of Queens contest at the State Fair of Texas last year, is entering the Starr county contest again this year. Miss Sanchez is a member of a prominent ranch family of Rio Grande City. She will be escorted about the fair grounds while in Dallas by Mrs. Paul T. Vickers of McAllen, who has charge of the Valley's regional agricultural exhibit.

CROSS CUT

The Cross Cut school will open September 30th. The delay is because this will give all of those that want to pick cotton a chance to do so.

Now that the meeting is all over the skating has begun again in the gym. And all of those that like to skate are welcome.

Mrs. J. C. Clark has returned home after an extended visit in New Mexico and North Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Thannisch of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Thannisch of Spur, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer E. Barnes over the week end.

We welcome Miss Kathryn Duffee back for the coming school year. She arrived here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wingo of Wichita Falls have moved here, taking the place of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Pettit with the Sinclair Prairie.

Mr. Homer E. Barnes, Mr. Robert Hill and Mr. L. E. Newton attended the Scout's Pow-Wow in Brownwood, Monday night.

The Cross Cut Baptist W.M.U. met in regular session Monday at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Ocar Melton in charge. Mrs. Frank Adams gave a talk on peace from St. John 14th chapter and 27th verse. It was enjoyed by all. It was decided to send the linen shower to Hendricks hospital at Abilene, September 30th. The church house was cleaned and the steps painted. Next Sunday is the regular preaching day at the Baptist church every one is invited to come.

Seems depicting a blitzkrieg, air raid, and other interesting events will be featured in the most spectacular fireworks display ever seen in the South, as a grand finale of "Americana", outdoor revue of the 1940 State Fair of Texas.

Texas' turkey industry is turning out fine birds worth more than \$10,000,000 annually. Climate is helping Texas maintain its supremacy as a turkey producer even though other states are now promoting the industry.

FOSTORIA AND Fiesta Ware You will be using your room more this Autumn and Winter and there's nothing to enhance the beauty of your table service like beautiful Fostoria. We too wish to invite your attention to Fiesta Ware in six lovely shades. Smiths Drug Store

ATWELL

Singing Sunday night was well attended.

Miss Helen Lyons was hired by our local school to teach in the absence of Miss Gentry who has undergone an operation at the Graham hospital at Cisco. This is the second week of school and everyone is pleased with Miss Lyons.

Jim Harlow and Mrs. Bessie McDaniel and children, Bertina and James Earl of Cross Plains were visitors in the D. C. Foster home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brashear and son, Tommy Wayne of Mississippi and Kilgore is visiting in the G. T. Brashear home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan and son of Baird were pleasant callers in the Ben Pillans home Sunday.

Woodrow Jones spent the week end at San Angelo visiting relatives and loved one there.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brashear and daughter, Annetta of Breckenridge visited in the G. T. Brashear home Sunday.

We are sorry to learn Sunday, Guy Brashear isn't doing so well the past few days. Mr. Brashear has been in ill health the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ezzell of Rising Star called to see their father, Mr. Guy Brashear Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewes and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear attended the picnic at Clyde sponsored by the sheep and goat raisers association.

Tribute will be paid at the State Fair of Texas, October 5th to 20th, to the rapidly developing potato industry in the counties surrounding Hereford, Deaf Smith County, in northwest Texas.

LOCAL YOUTH WORKING IN MINE IN ARIZONA

Fred Klutts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Klutts who live Southwest of town, is now in Bisbee, Arizona, where he is employed in a copper mine. Letters from Fred bring word that he is highly pleased with his work and especially the Arizona climate.

To keep in touch with doings in the old home town, Fred has instructed that the Cross Plains Review be sent to him for a year at Box 2048, Bisbee, Arizona.

QUILT CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. MEADOR

Members of the Sally Quilt Club met in the home of Mrs. Jack Meador Thursday afternoon of last week with 11 members and five visitors in attendance.

Refreshments of cookies and tea were served to the following: Mmes. Ben Atwood, Mammie Swafford, Bill Davidson, E. I. Vestal, Pat Shirley, J. Meador, Ota Gattis, Everett Wright, F. A. Lane, C. E. Atwood, O. G. Ballard, J. E. Dennis, Carl Champion, Wayne Dennis and Chas. Taylor.

Next meeting of the club will be in the home of Mrs. O. G. Ballard the afternoon of September 26.

COTTONWOOD CLUB TO MEET AT COFFEY HOME

The Cottonwood Home Demonstration Club will hold their regular meeting Friday afternoon September 20, at the home of Mrs. Floyd Coffey in Cottonwood. This will be an important meeting, as new officers for the club are to be elected at this time and final plans will be made for entering the club exhibit at the West Texas Fair. All members are especially urged to be present at this meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Thrash and family have their father and mother, Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Bowman, of Arlington as guests this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner and daughter visited in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Outbirth here Sunday.

SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION VOTE SET FOR SATURDAY

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Statistics show that there are 37,000 persons killed in the United States each year from automobile accidents. Statistics further show that over 100,000 persons are maimed for life for the same cause.

With the above figures in mind, I want to call your attention to the fact that within a few days 30 school busses will be operating in Callahan County. These busses will be transporting to and from school daily over 1000 school children.

The drivers of these busses were carefully selected by the local boards of trustees and must be approved by the County Superintendent, County School Board, and Deputy State Superintendent.

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# PIONEER PANTHERS MEET BANGS TODAY

The season curtain raiser for Pioneer high school football team will be Friday afternoon at 2:30 when the Panthers tangle with the Bangs Dragons, in a non-conference conflict. The game will be played at Pioneer.

Coach Carol Howard's athletes are all in the pink of condition and pointing to the Bangs game.

Bangs opened the season against May in a game at Rising Star last Thursday night. May eked out a 6-0 victory. May outplayed the Bangs team in the first half and Bangs outplayed their opponents in the final half but failed to score.

The following week Pioneer plays Woodson. Then on October fourth, the Panthers tangle with Clyde at Pioneer is with Olden, there, Pioneer. First conference game on October 18.

## INVITE LOCAL LADIES TO BRECK TOURNAMENT

Oil Belt Women's Golf Association is sponsoring a tournament at Breckenridge country club, October eighth through the tenth, members of the local ladies golf association at Philpico Golf Club have been advised.

Feminine noble wielders in this section who want to play in the tournament are requested to leave their entries at the Philpico club, Mrs. L. E. Cates, president of the local group said.

T. E. Powell, of Baird, was in Cross Plains Monday. Mr. Powell was a pioneer banker and business man in Callahan county and enjoys a large number of friends in the Cross Plains vicinity.

every trustee, teacher, principal and superintendent, also every operator of a car in Callahan County to assist in every way possible in making our roads and highways safe for the school children of the county.

Following is Article 30th, which deals specifically with the "Operation of School Buses in Texas."

"When any such 'School Bus' stops, every operator of any motor vehicle or motorcycle approaching the same from any direction shall bring such motor vehicle or motorcycle to a full stop before proceeding in any direction; and in the event such 'School Bus' is receiving and (or) discharging passengers, the said operator of such motor vehicle shall not start up or attempt to pass in any direction until the said 'School Bus' vehicle has finished receiving and (or) discharging its passengers.

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"More good small grain seed are needed in Callahan County" the group of 40 farmers decided who attended the small grain improvement meeting last Wednesday in the District Court room. E. A. Miller, Extension Agronomist, urged growers to stay with the tried and proven varieties of wheat such as tenmarq, standard black hull, or turkey. He said these varieties of wheat, Wintex barley and new nortex oats gave the best yields in this area. Demonstrations carried on by farmers of the county and county agent Ross Brison prove the wisdom of his statement. Tenmarq wheat outyields others 5 bushels per acre Wintex barley, in one-year's demonstrations out-yielded other varieties 8 bushels per acre while with new nortex oats the increase was five bushels per acre.

As a result of the meeting an order for state certified small grain seed is being gotten up. It is expected that seed wheat will cost \$1.15 per bushel in Baird—Wintex barley will cost \$1.00 per bushel and New Nortex oats will cost 85c all delivered to Baird. Small grain growers of the county are urged to leave orders for seed with any of the A.A.A. Committeemen; B. L. Boydston; County Agent, Ross Brison; Vocational Agriculture teachers, V. A. Underwood and Roe Curtis; E. L. Pierson, secretary, ACA; or with Andrew Young or D. C. Hargrove. It is expected the seed will be ready for delivery October 1.

# Williams Defeats Putnam Panthers In Season Opener

Coach Austin Newton's Williams high school Bulldogs opened the 1940 season Friday afternoon with a 12 to six defeat of the Putnam Panthers. The game was played at Putnam.

Williams scored first when Albert Chambers, fullback, plunged over from the two yard stripe. Talmadge King made the second Williams toucher on a 30 yard pass.

First conference game of the season for Williams will be on the Bulldog's field Friday afternoon, when they play host to an invasion of the Scranton gridders. The two teams are members of district 12-B.

Other games on Williams' schedule are: September 27—Williams vs May, game site not decided. Oct. 4.—Desdemona at Williams, conference. October 11—Open. Oct. 18—Sidney at Sidney. Oct. 25—Indian Creek at Williams.

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Nevertheless, these amazing things did come to pass and Baring-Gould, most fortunate than most hymn-writers, lived to see the day.

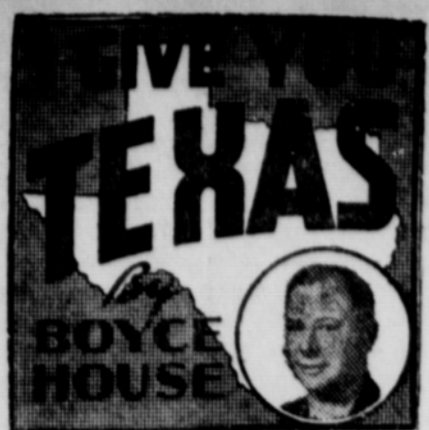
From its obscure birthplace—Horbury, England—it has winged its way to the farthest ends of the earth.

Obviously, Baring-Gould never dreamed of anything like this. He wrote his hymn for a specific occasion (Horbury's White Monday Festival in 1865).

"It was written in a very simple fashion, without any thought of publication. I wanted the children to sing when marching from one village to the other, but could not think of anything suitable.

But the hymn was not sung then as it is heard today. The tune used was that written by H. Smart and known as "Brightly Gleams Our Banner."

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How do you go about writing a book? Well, in case you're figuring on doing one, be assured it's a lot of work—at least, this commentator has found it so.

Take "Were You in Ranger?" for example. Upon returning to Texas in 1920 (I had spent several years in the State during my boyhood), it was my determination to write about the romance of oil.

But being the one-man staff of a daily paper is a full-grown job and for 10 years—including Cisco and Ranger, likewise oil towns—there was too much to do in the way of writing up killings, accidents, new wells, football and other day-by-day happenings to think much about the proposed book.

However many incidents were stored away in memory; there was a sub-conscious accumulation of colorful incidents and, on quiet Sunday afternoons, the dust was blown off the old files of the Ranger Times and bygone events were studied.

When J. R. Record, managing editor, offered a job on the staff of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram there was less responsibility (a fellow just had one "run" and not

and blue-penciled an entire stanza. The words were first published in The Church Times and in 1872 they were included in a collection called "Church Hymns With Tunes," edited by Sir Arthur Sullivan for which he wrote a large number of tunes, including that for "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Many stories are told about this hymn. One of them dates back to the Boer War. Peace was near at hand, and the chaplain general decided to arrange a service of thanksgiving.

The author of this song was an Englishman of family, who defied custom by marrying a factory girl.

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a whole paper to carry on his shoulders). Then began a space-time search of the files of the Star-Telegram for 1917 through 1920. The big, flat volumes, wrapped in heavy brown paper, were on top of the shelves in the Public Library and could be reached only by climbing on a chair.

Here is an odd thing: It was necessary for me to leave Eastland County in order to get the perspective but, during this research in Fort Worth several trips back to Ranger had to be made to talk to people about boom events when I used to see those people every day while living there.

You've got to have some luck, too. By coincidence, I ran into Gene Reynolds on the street in Fort Worth and, in a long interview, he unfolded the information about melodramatic Police Chief Byron Parrish and the criminal element that Parrish conquered in Ranger—Gene himself was desk sergeant there and later chief of police and this information was the basis for the most exciting part of the story.

After filling a fat notebook, it was necessary to allow the material to take shape in my mind for a year—in other words, 10 years of living in the oil fields, one year of concentrated research and interviewing, one year of study—before a single word was written. The actual writing took only six months of spare time.

But, now that the manuscript was completed, could a publisher be found? It looked as though the answer would be No, for six houses rejected it. Finally, a small company in Dallas accepted it.

It went into a second, a third and a fourth edition. That was several years ago but there has been a revival in the demand for "Were You in Ranger?" in the last couple of months because of this columnist's connection with the big Texas oil movie, "Boom Town."

Here's an old joke: Ike and Moe were walking along on a very cold morning. Ike, who had been talk-

ing about the book, said, "I can't my first name is Adam."

Best Joke—A London newspaper explains why Hitler's invasion of England did not arrive at the appointed time. Hitler's document forgery factory, it declares, has not completed drawing up the papers which will prove that the British intended to do it first.

WITH NEW SKATES RINK REOPENS IN SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

After being closed for more than a month, the skating rink in Cross Plains high school gymnasium will be reopened Saturday night.

Three sessions are to be held Saturday night, beginning at 7:30, 8:45 and 10 o'clock. Regular skating nights are to be Thursdays and Saturdays.

CASH PRIZES OFFERED STUDENTS FOR ESSAYS

Cash prizes are to be awarded Texas high school students for the best essays on "Texas Resources and What an Investment in Them Means to America." They will be limited to 750 words and must be in the hands of the publicity department of the State Fair by October fifth.

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Former Cross Cut Lady Dies At Home In Vernon Sept. 9

Mrs. Link Newsome, 67, formerly of Cross Cut, died at her home in Vernon Monday, September 9, after a long illness. Death resulted from heart ailment.

Funeral services were conducted from the First Baptist church of Vernon, and interment was made in the cemetery there.

Mrs. Newsome was born in Faulk county and came with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pyle to Brown county early in life.

Survivors include: eight children, six boys and two girls; two brothers, Earl Pyle, Cross Plains; E. J. Pyle, Goree, and five sisters; Mrs. Lela Harrell, Hereford; Mrs. W. N. Baker, Houston; Mrs. S. J. Hofner, Skellytown; Mrs. Kirby Martin, Pioneer, and Miss Doris Pyle, Pioneer.

Mrs. Newsome had been bedridden for nearly two years, however, lately she had been able to be up at short intervals. Her condition was not thought to be immediately dangerous, and her passing came as a deep shock to members of the family, and friends throughout all Texas.

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LOCAL YOUTH MAKING IMPRESSIVE RECORD WITH COLLEGE TEAM

Although his team failed to score and was defeated 23 to nothing Saturday night, press reports of the Daniel Baker-Hardin-Simmons University football game declared that J. H. Childs, formerly of Cross Plains, was the most consistent ground gainer for the Hill Billies.

J. H. is playing his first season with Daniel Baker and has three more years of competition left. He is expected to become one of the classiest backs in the Texas conference before hanging up his cleats.

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**AT BURKETT PLIMENTS RECENT DE LAST FRIDAY**  
Friday honoring Mrs. Burkett who before August 22, was Mrs. Earl Brown. Mesdames A. K. Wesley, Elmer Edmondson, George Williams, Beulah Adams, Brown entertained friends with a miscellaneous program.

Brown presided at the bride's book, which was read by Mrs. Harris led a series of

games, stunts, and songs, after which was a proxy proposal to the honor by Mrs. W. M. Newton.

Plate favors were made by Miss Eileen Williams, and refreshments of ice cream, cookies, and ice water were served by Misses Lucile Bludworth, Majorie Brown, Wanda Jean Burns, Pank Evans and Eileen Williams to the following guests:

Mesdames V. C. Adams, E. G. Adams, C. D. Baker, Henry Beaver; Dutch Rheel, D. B. Bludworth, Buck Bludworth, Earl Brown, Jack Boyle, Clyde Brown, L. L. Burkett, Seth Burkett, Minnie Burkett, H. C. Burkett; Jasper Burkett, F. B. Porter, G. A. Burns, Hugh Burns, W. R. Chambers, Raymond Cross, Elmer Edmondson.

W. M. Freeman, Cross Plains, John Fox, Paul Golsen, Lee Gray, Monnie Garrett, Ernest Harris, Emmet Harris, Quinn Harris, W. C. Henderson, Willie Henderson, Eddie Henderson, Jim Helms, G. F. Herring, C. J. Hunter, Elmer Henderson, Joe Harper, Melvin Jones, Richard, G. D. Markin, Dorie McCulloch, James Moore, Will McAnally, Carl McAnally, Edgar McAnally, Lot Mountain, W. M. Newton, O. L. McKinney, Gertie Oliver, Lena Phillips, G. G. Shewmaker, J. P. Salyer, Coleman; Tip Tabor,

Carson Walker, George Williams, S. V. Webb, A. K. Wesley, Roger Watson, Earl Zirkle, Felix Watson, Misses Christine Brown, Aleta Chambers, Chairene Freeman, Cross Plains; Verma Keller, E. W. Tyrus, and Billie Howard Brown.

Those sending gifts were: Mesdames Beulah Adams, Harold Adams, J. C. Bowden, C. C. Burns, LeRoy Beard, Carl Bludworth, Grace Brown, Myrtle Brown, L. D. Evans, Carrie Cross, Lucille Calk, Coleman; Oliver Karns, Cross Plains; Frank Golsen, Vernon Helms, A. B. Hunter, C. J. Newton, Cross Cut; Chris Parsons, Johnnie Slack, Oscar Sanderson, Brownwood; Paul Thate, Dick Thate, Minnie Porter, Annie Wesley, John Wagoner, Ben Wooten, B. W. Webb, J. W. Walker, San Angelo; D. A. Young, Sweetwater.

Misses Opal Freeman, Myrtle Younglove, Vera Pearl Oliver, Oleta Perkins, Charlie Mae Newton, Cross Cut; Ann Golsen, Georgia Ferrell, Alice Cross, Ola Burkett, Betty Walker, Mary Lee Burkett, Bernice Burkett, Pard Adams, Helen Ruth Adams, Lucille Adams, Ada Colvin, Coleman; Mrs. Ida Thate, Elbert Campbell, Aransas Pass; Mary Oliver, Mrs. Burkett, Terry, Miss; Esther Burkett, Mrs. Tom Strick-

**LOCAL PEANUT MAN EXPLAINS GRADING AND THE REASONS**

**Points Out First Interest of Government Buyer Must Be For The Consuming Public**

By W. B. STARR

The government has affected standards of grades of practically all crops grown by farmers. Just why this has been done, is a matter not altogether understood by many farmers.

Many peanut growers feel that the matter of grading their peanut crops affects only the growers and those to whom they sell their crops, (the shellers). The government in setting up a standard of grades for "thresher-run" peanuts considered not only the interest of the farmer and the sheller, but also a third section of our population—the consumer of peanut products. The consumer, who eats the peanut crop, represents a much larger section of the public interested in our peanut crops, than do either the peanut grower or the peanut sheller. The government in setting up standard grades of all commodities (this holds true also in grades affecting "finished goods"—processed or manufactured articles) gives first consideration to the consumer, and it is proper that this should be so.

In setting up a standard of grades for thresher run peanuts, the consumers were considered from two different angles.

First, the matter of sanitary conditions were considered as affecting the health of the consuming public, also the right of the public to clean food. Second, it was assumed that if sanitary conditions were recognized in grading peanuts, so that it was possible to process peanuts into products, which would be clean and wholesome, that there would be a greater demand for these peanuts, which would mean the

land, Mrs. G. W. Ramsay, Miss Omie and Doty Ramsey, Mrs. R. T. Weaver, and Mrs. Gladys Walker.

**Rumors Say O'Daniel Will Advertise Texas On Radio After Second Term Ends**

BY AUBRA DODSON  
Special to The Review

Austin—Well, folks, the Texas election has been over so long that nearly all of the campaign literature has disappeared from the streets and alleys . . . but here's one that I have heard since the election:

When Ernest Thompson went to the Rio Grande Valley to campaign a group of his friends called on him and told him they were glad to see him but they had one request to make of him . . . they asked him not to speak harshly of O'Daniel while in the valley. Thompson was astonished and, of course, asked the reason. His friends replied that the Governor had done more to advertise that section in his radio addresses than all the money they had ever spent through the chambers of commerce, and other advertising. Reports are that Thompson complied with the request.

The Governor's manner of campaigning is unique in many ways, but in one way particularly. In his first campaign and also this year he never had anyone to introduce him. When a friend asked the reason for this the Governor replied:

"If I have a prominent man to introduce me, he is usually in politics, or has been and of course has political friends and political enemies. If he introduces me then I take on his enemies."

Now's that for shrewdness? Grapevine reports, that sound reliable, are that the Governor will appear on a large commercial radio program to advertise Texas after his second term is ended. His salary, according to the rumors, will be plenty and the prospective backers think he is worth it.

O'Daniel broke his policy of no introduction this year when he was presented at Tyler by State Senator Pace. The Governor's pull did not do him any good, however, and Pace was badly defeated in the runoff. The coat-tail riders did not get very far this year, in most cases. It seems that Texans were out to vote for whom they pleased—and they did.

I was standing on a street corner the same evening after Willie made his acceptance address. A little newsboy about eleven years of age came scurrying along and yelling the headlines, "Willkie Dares Roosevelt and defies Hitler." A man asked the youngster, "Who is Willie?" The chap replied, "He's a guy running against Roosevelt. He thinks he will make Roosevelt mad."

A man from Houston said he had been observing theatre crowds' reactions to Roosevelt and Willie when they appeared in newsreels. He stated that in the ultra-smart show places in Houston audiences would applaud long and loud when Willie's picture was flashed on the screen, and the applause for The President was somewhat lighter. In suburban theatres where working people and small business men formed the audiences, Willie's likeness received dead silence, but at the appearance of Roosevelt the noise was tremendous. He tested this

consumption of a much larger crop than would otherwise be consumed, thus favorably affecting the farmer.

**Not Desirable**

In setting up the requirements for the different grades of thresher run peanuts, consideration among other things was given to the matter of shelled and cracked peanuts. Investigation showed that from a sanitary standpoint such peanuts were not desirable. It was shown that where the sheller held such peanuts in storage for any extended period of time, that they would be infected by weevils and become wormy. It was also shown that cracked and shelled peanuts in thresher run peanuts have a tendency to become dirty. This tendency is made worse by the oily nature of the cracked peanuts. In most shelling plants, these dirty and oftentimes wormy peanuts are mixed with the clean peanuts as they are shelled, and often pass on into the finished candy and butter products. It is for these reasons that the government grades allow only a minimum amount of cracked and shelled peanuts in thresher run stock, and that the grower is penalized by lower grades and consequently lower prices if this minimum amount is exceeded.

Unless strict care is exercised by

**SLUMBER PARTY FOR MILDRED BROWNING THURSDAY EVENING**

A slumber party was held in honor of Miss Mildred Browning, Thursday of last week at the home of Patsy McNeel.

The evening was spent in pulling taffy and numerous activities. Those making most of the event were: Earline Sillix, Billie Ruth Loving, Mildred Browning, and Patsy McNeel.

Miss Browning left September 15 to attend Texas State College for Women at Denton, Texas.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this means of extending our heartfelt appreciation to neighbors and friends for their innumerable acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during our bereavement caused by the passing of our beloved husband, father, Our prayer is that God in His infinite wisdom will bless each of you abundantly.

The Wagner Family

**CARD OF THANKS**

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**GEORGE JEWELL**  
Breckenridge, Phone 476, Breckenridge

they are running grades, do not exclude shelled and cracked nuts from the samples. Just why they do this will be explained in an article next week. It would be less confusing and much better for the peanut industry if all parties buying thresher run peanuts graded their purchases by the same standards.

Value of Texas chickens exceeds \$25,000,000 annually. This includes eggs and chickens sold in the ordinary commerce of the country and not those raised for home use only.

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FORMER LOCAL GIRL IS HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Word has been received here that Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell and son, Charles Kenneth, formerly of Cross Plains, have returned to their home in Artesia, New Mexico, after an absence of some 10 days, during which Mrs. Campbell was in an Illinois hospital suffering with injuries sustained in an automobile wreck.

Home Town Gossip

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searching a couple of hours yesterday trying to help a new couple locate a home here, it appears that Cross Plains has plenty of housing problems of her own. The time is not far short when a number of houses must be built here or the situation is going to become acute.

World War Veteran

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Patti Joe Popow, Silver Valley; Mrs. James P. Westmoreland and Mary Westmoreland, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jentho, J. C. Jentho, Mrs. Herman Bernstein and sons Louis and Herman, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Ramsair and children, all of Albany; Judge and Mrs. B. L. Russell of Baird; Mrs. S. E. Settle, Baird; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sikes and Frances Smedley, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Oak Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Arch Wimerley, Coleman; M. G. Underwood, Gorman; Bill Ogilvy, Rock Springs, and Winifred Haley, Big Spring.

Buffaloes Defeat

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fourth quarter when one of Pat Moore's high, spiraling punts was fumbled by the visiting safety man and Cross Plains recovered on Gorman's nine yard line. Three plays at the line picked up seven yards, from which point Byrd lumbered through for his second visit of the evening into pay territory. The place kick was blocked and thus the scoring ended with Cross Plains 26, Gorman six.

Perhaps the most encouraging feature of the game to local fans was the brilliant showing made by the light, Cross Plains forward wall. Led by Bob Hockaby, Pat Moore, Roy Longbottom and Giles Upton the smaller, less experienced defenders rose to unexpected heights. Little "Foxy" Wolf, R. C. Warren, C. H. Lovelady and others in the line played valiantly.

Couch Walker used 20 men in the game, many of whom were under fire for their first time.

The locals made seven first downs to the visitors' two. Cross Plains tried nine passes, connecting with three for 66 yards. None was intercepted. Gorman attempted seven passes, connecting with one, setting two intercepted and four knocked down. From scrimmage Cross Plains had a net gain of 99 yards on running plays as compared with 40 for Gorman. Cross Plains penalized three times for 25 yards, and Gorman five times for 45 yards.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT GUARANTEES JOBS TO GUARDSMEN ON RETURN

Austin, Texas, Sept. 7.—The State Highway Department with an average of 8,500 employees the year around is vitally affected by legislation passed by Congress which may call to active duty all active reserve officers and officers and men of Texas National Guard units. "Many of our men belong to the National Guard," the State Highway Commission stated, "and a large number of our engineers are reserve officers subject to call." "The Texas Highway Commission has notified all its employees that those who are called for active duty with our country's defense forces will have a job with the Department when they return." "Every man in the organization, from the Highway Commissioners on down, is ready to do his part, whether it be active military service, improvement of needed military roads, or routine work to keep present highways in shape to carry military or peacetime traffic."

TROPHY FOR THIS DISTRICT'S BEST GRIDDER



Presenting H. Ford Taylor, Ballinger theater owner, who will present this handsome trophy to the football player voted the most valuable to his team in District S-A during the upcoming season. Last year a similar award went to Doug Cox of Ballinger, now a freshman at Southern Methodist. Teams competing in S-A include Winters, Ballinger, Brady, Mozell, Coleman, Cross Plains, Santa Anna, and Bangs.

Severest Test For Local Footballers Comes Friday Nite

What is expected to be the most severe test of the 1940 season for Coach Socrates Walker's Cross Plains high school Buffaloes comes Friday night, when the thundering herd invades Brady for the conference curtain riser with the championship Brady Bulldogs.

The Bulldogs who have never lost a game in district S-A, and despite McCulloch county predictions to the contrary are favorites to again cop the loop bunting, met Rochelle last Friday in their first game of the current season. The Bulldogs breezed through to an easy 29 to nothing triumph, and are reported to have suffered no casualties in so doing.

The local athletes are generally in acceptable condition, however, a number of first stringers suffered minor bruises in last week's 26 to six conquest of Gorman and may not be able to last through the entire 48 minutes at Brady.

Cross Plains Buffaloes, however, have established somewhat of a reputation as "dope upsetters" and should a few breaks fall in their favor Friday night anything may happen. Too, coach Walker's charges appear this year to have a tenacious spirit and yield grudgingly to opposing ball carriers grudgingly.

Nothing is definitely known as to the type of attack the locals will use against Brady's highly touted gridiron gladiators, but consensus here seems to be that more than the average amount of footballs will be sailing through Brady skies Friday night. Quarterback Billy Mack Smith and southpaw Hoyt Byrd have been sharpening their aims in practice this week and receivers have been receiving serious schooling in the subject of leather grabbing.

Several hundred local people are expected to follow the team to Brady for the game.

GOVERNMENT PEANUTS WAREHOUSE CERTAIN

A peanut warehouse for Cross Plains became a reality Friday when Oscar Schafer and W. B. Starr visited here and leased buildings to house the project. First units bought here will probably be stored in the back of the Review Publishing Company building or that recently purchased by Tom Coy, just South of the Motor Inn, on Main Street. Mr. Starr and Mr. Schafer told the Review.

An article concerning government grading of peanuts, written by Mr. Starr, appears elsewhere in today's issue of the Review.

Most farmers will begin digging peanuts next week, however, a few have already started.

BAND AND PEP SQUAD INVITED TO ABILENE

Cross Plains high school band and pep squad has been invited to compete for cash prizes in the West Texas Fair Parade of Pioneers at Abilene October eighth.

Prizes will be \$50, \$25, and \$15. In addition, each band will be awarded an attractive plaque with Parade of Pioneers, October 8, 1940, engraved thereon.

CONLEE AND SIMS IN NEW LOCATIONS

J. D. Conlee, who has operated a grocery store on North Main Street for the past two years, moved Thursday to the station and grocery in the Southwest part of town, formerly operated by Alton Barr.

The Conlee Station and Grocery will be taken over by Clyde Sims, who until about a month ago was associated with his brother and father in the drug business here.

CROSS CUT SCHOOL TO BEGIN SEPTEMBER 30

Cross Cut schools will open for the Fall term September 30. It has been announced by members of the board of trustees. The opening was delayed until that date, in order that a number of children in the district could assist in gathering of crops before starting the Autumn semester.

LOCAL ACCORDIANISTS PLAY AT RISING STAR

Jimmie Kate Howell, Bonnie Lou and Lona Helen Huntington of Cross Plains were among entertainers at the Rising Star Fair last Friday. They rendered accordian numbers.

LEAVE THIS WEEK TO MAKE FUTURE HOME IN ALABAMA

Misses Julia and Lulu Whitman, accompanied by Mrs. C. C. McCall, left this week for Alabama to make their home. Mrs. McCall will return to her home here sometime next week. She plans to move in the near future to Corpus Christi where her husband is employed in the building of a navy yard.

NEW CHEVROLETS WILL GO ON SALE SATURDAY

Babe Wood, manager of Cross Plains Motor Company, Inc., local Chevrolet dealer, announces that 1941 model Chevrolets will go on display here Saturday. Few details concerning the new model have as yet been divulged, however, it is intimated that the '41 models possess many new innovations in motor-ing luxury.

A bulletin entitled "Soybeans for the Table" has been issued by the Bureau of Home Economics, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and is available free upon request.

LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND MARRIAGE OF BROTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Varner, of Williams, and Esther Varner Sullivan, of Cross Plains, attended the marriage of Durward Varner to Miss Paula Price in Waco Saturday afternoon at four o'clock.

Durward is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner, of Cottonwood.

COTTONWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Estel Allen and son of Burkett visited with Mrs. M. E. Respass Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Coppinger was operated on Sunday afternoon at the Hendrick Memorial hospital for appendicitis, she is doing nicely.

Junior Ivy who is stationed at San Diego, California is home on a furlough.

Miss Reba Waldrop visited home folks last week end.

Mrs. S. E. Archer and son Fort left this week for a visit with relatives at Lorraine.

Eunice Hembree spent last week end with her niece, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Andrews of Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rainey and family near Lubbock moved to our community last week. They are parents of Mrs. E. L. Redden.

Mrs. Keith of Brownwood is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. R. J. Willoughby and family.

Mrs. H. S. Varner and daughter, Miss Esther, Mrs. Floyd Coffey and son Jimmie Glen attended the wedding of Durward Varner and Miss Paula Price at Waco Saturday.

The H. D. club will meet at the home of Mrs. Floyd Coffey Friday afternoon. Miss Brown will be with us Everyone invited.

Mrs. Fannie Brown has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S. Gafford for the past week.

M. L. Hair of Grandview is visiting his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Webster.

The eleventh commandment: "If any shall fall in their stewardship of the Earth, their faithful fields shall become sterile, stony ground and wasting gullies, and their descendants shall decrease and live in poverty or perish from off the face of the Earth."

K. P. ORPHANS TO PLAY PUTNAM HERE ON OCTOBER FOURTH

A football game between the Knights of Pythias orphans home and Putnam will be played in Cross Plains the night of October fourth, it has been announced by members of the local lodge who are acting as sponsors of the game.

The K. P. home team, known as the Grasshoppers, are not eligible for competition in interscholastic league competition, and for that reason Putnam's eligibility will not be hampered regardless of the outcome of the contest, according to an announcement from R. J. Kidd, head of the University of Interscholastic League.

Knights of Pythias lodges in this area: Brownwood, Gorman, Cross Plains, Cisco, Baird, Coleman and Rising Star will be notified of the game and urged to attend in a body.

The entire proceeds from the game, with the exception of 40 per cent which goes to Putnam and that necessary for incidental expenses will be given to the orphans.

Cross Plains high school band will be asked to furnish music for the game, as there is no game on local team's schedule and the local musicians are not expected to be otherwise engaged.

Admission charges will be 15 and 25 cents.

DR. ROY A. LANGSTON WILL SPEAK AT M. E. CHURCH WEDNESDAY

Dr. Roy A. Langston, district superintendent, will speak at a fellowship supper at the Methodist church here Wednesday night at 7:30.

Sunday school at the church will begin Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and preaching at 11.

Young people's service will begin at 7:00 p. m. Plans for the new year's work will be discussed. "Your Trojan Horse" will be the sermon subject of the pastor at 7:45 p. m. Visitors and strangers are welcome.

F. E. L. SCHOOLS LOCAL OFFICERS TO LOOK OUT FOR 5TH COLUMN CROWD

Are there fifth columnists in this part of Texas? The Federal Bureau of Investigation — department of justice — intends to find out. To help in confounding investigations, Texas officers from all over West Texas are being called to meet in Abilene Friday to receive "secret schooling" from department of justice officials. Sheriff C. R. Nordyke, of Callahan county, and Joe Pierce, local deputy, plan to attend the meeting in Abilene.

Red and green neon lights have been installed under water at federal fish hatcheries at Spearfish, S. D., and are expected to prove better lures for insects than the above-water, drop-cord lights commonly used.

Review Ads Get Results

Notice

We wish to inform our many friends and customers both old and new, that we have moved our business location from North Main Street to the Barr's Station, on the highway South of town.

We need no introduction, to this new location and surrounding territory, having operated the Tom C. Station for a number of years and we earnestly ask the business of our former customers as well as the new customers.

We are much better equipped to take care of needs than before, as we plan to carry a nice line of fresh and cured meats, plain and fancy groceries, a full line of flavors in "Cross Plains Maid" Ice Cream.

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Home Town Gossip

SCHOOL BUS

DON'T PASS BUSES WHEN THEY STOP TO LET OUT STUDENTS

School Officials Striving To Maintain Perfect Record Of No Mishaps This Year

Following-up a recent warning issued by County Superintendent B. C. Chrisman, local bus drivers and school officials are cautioning motorists to respect the laws governing the passing of vehicles carrying school children.

It is pointed out that all busses are painted one conspicuous color with the words "School Bus," displayed on each side and at the back, in order that they should be recognized without difficulty.

"Recently a number of motorists have been whizzing by my bus while it was stopped along the route to pick-up and let out students. This is a strict violation of law and we are expected to report such violations as a precautionary measure to the children we haul. I am, in the future, going to take down the license number of cars that disregard this statute and see that they are reported to the proper authorities," said one local bus driver to a representative of this newspaper the first of the week.

This warning is being given prominent publicity in the hope that no one will be subjected to the embarrassment of a fine, and that a perfect record of no casualties may be maintained by local school bus driver this year.

COTTONWOOD CLUB NAMES MRS. LLOYD BRYAN PRESIDENT

Cottonwood home demonstration club met Friday afternoon, September 20, in the home of the retiring president, Mrs. Floyd Coffey.

Report of the last council meeting was given by Mrs. Norman Coffey. Officers elected to serve throughout the ensuing year are: Mrs. Lloyd Bryan, president; Mrs. Floyd Coffey, vice-president; Mrs. Bryan Bennett, council delegate; Mrs. Sub Peavy, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Norman Coffey, reporter and Mrs. S. E. Archer, recreational leader.

Present at the meeting were: Mesdames, H. S. Varner, J. F. Coffey, Bryan Bennett, Sub Peavy, Norman Coffey, John Mitchell, Lloyd Bryan.

Next meeting of the club will be Friday afternoon, October fourth, in the club room of the high school building.

MISS JOHNYE FRANCES BALDWIN OPENS STUDIO

Miss Johnnye Frances Baldwin will begin teaching private classes in physical education here next week, including instruction in tap, ballet and acrobatic dancing. Classes are to be held each Tuesday and Friday afternoons, at Miss Baldwin's studio, which will likely be adjacent to the school campus.

AAA OFFICE RECEIVES 1940 COTTON PAYMENTS

E. L. Pierson, secretary of the Callahan county A. C. A., received 629 cotton parity checks totaling \$17,296.29. These payments were received by cotton producers who planted within their 1940 cotton allotment. The above amount of money represents only about one half of the total cotton parity payments that will be received within the next two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. . . . in Cisco Monday.

Carlton Holder, of . . . business visitor in . . . Wednesday afternoon.

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FOR SALE: NorTex seed oats and Ferguson barley, both guaranteed to be free of Johnson grass. Priced reasonably. See ED HENDERSON Cross Plains. (1tp)

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