

The Cross Plains Review

CROSS PLAINS' OLDEST BUSINESS INSTITUTION

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS

"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"

FRIDAY, JUNE 30, 1944

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COUNTY BOND SALES REACH \$341,150

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

T. ODELL ELROD NOW STATIONED AT FORT SAM HOUSTON

T. Odell Elrod, who is a retired veteran of the 39th Division, is now stationed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas.

Opposes Sales of Surplus War Material to Speculators

Regarding surplus war material, Garret advocates that it should be sold to the public rather than to speculators.

Due to lack of space and length of this announcement the balance will appear in next week's issue of the Review.—Editor.

Local Post Office Goes Second Class Effective July 1st.

Effective July 1st the local post office will be second class, according to F. R. Anderson, postmaster.

Bill Upton Weds Massachusetts Girl In El Paso June 2nd

Of interest to friends in Cross Plains will be the announcement of the marriage of Sgt. Bill Upton, a member of the Coast Guard, stationed at Fort Bliss, to Miss Ann Ackerman of New Bedford, Mass.

Business Houses Of City To Close All Day July 4th

The Chamber of Commerce announces that Cross Plains business concerns will take a full holiday on Tuesday, July 4th, in observance of Independence Day.

BAPTIST CHURCH ELECTS NEW PASTOR

Members of the local Baptist Church met in conference following services Sunday night, June 25th, and elected the Rev. D. E. Simpson as pastor.

FERN BENTLEY AND PFC. C. G. HUTCHINS UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bentley of the Zion Hill community, near Atwell, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Fern, to Pfc. Charnel Grimes Hutchins on Friday evening, June 23rd.

CORN GROWS 10 FEET HIGH IN CROSS PLAINS

On display at the Citizen's State Bank is a stalk of corn measuring 10 feet and 4 inches in height, grown in the garden plot of Mr. Kelly in the northwest part of town.

Our Babies of Today



Donna Nell Weaver

Appearing above is Donna Nell Weaver, 10 month old daughter of Lt. and Mrs. Donald Deaver. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Neel of this city.



Norman Wayne Vaughn

Above is pictured young Norman Wayne Vaughn, three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Vaughn of DeLeon. Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn formerly lived here where he was employed with the ice company.

"Dub" Dennis Found To Be Prisoner Of War In Germany

"Dub" Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dennis of Iraan, and formerly of this city, has been reported a prisoner of war in Germany.

LT. JACK TUNNELL VISITS HERE TWO DAYS

Lt. Jack W. Tunnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnell, who has been attending a B-17 Pilot School at Hendricks Field, Fla., for the past sixty days, visited in the city two days this week.

Dean Bros. & Thate Purchase Oil Lease Of George McCamey

A purchase deal was consummated this week whereby Dean Bros. of Fort Worth and E. E. (Alec) Thate became the owners of the lease and equipment belonging to George B. McCamey of Fort Worth.

W. E. Martin Enters Race For District Attorney; 42nd Dis't.

I am a candidate for District Attorney of this district, and for your consideration make this statement:

E. C. NEEB STATION UNDER LEASE TO GRAY AND RINGHOFFER

Officially opening for business on July 1st, will be the G & R Service Station on the corner of Main and Eighth St., formerly operated by E. C. Neeb.

LARRY MCDONOUGH SPENDS 30 DAYS HERE

F. C. Larry McDonough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Volly McDonough, arrived here Thursday of last week to spend a thirty day leave.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE 42ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

I am 52 years of age; have lived in this district about forty years, (spent some years of early childhood on a farm in Callahan county)



W. E. Martin

I was admitted to practice law in 1918, elected county attorney of Taylor County in that year, served two years.

Local Red Cross Expects Double Quota Immediately

Chairmen of the local Red Cross Surgical Dressing Center have been notified that in the near future they will be sent a double quota of dressings to fold.

NANNIE L. GAINS FINISHES MOTOR TRANSPORT COURSE

Nannie L. Gains of Cross Plains has completed the six weeks' Motor Transport course at the Third WAC Training Center at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. This is one of several army specialist training courses that are open to WACs to prepare them better for service as women soldiers.

When the Mail Arrives from Texas

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Pretty Waves Mary L. Branch, S.K., of Dallas and Ethel King Johnson, Y 2/c of Waco exchange home news at the writing desk in the Women's Lounge of the Pepsi-Cola Center for Service Men and Women in San Francisco, Cal.

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- and, Case \$3.35
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- N, Regular Size, 3 for 23c
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- E, & W, 46 oz. Can 31c
- p or Regular, Lb. Jar 34c
- UPREME, 28 OZ. JAR 30c
- 3 For 5c
- b. 11c
- 30c
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- CASE WHILE THESE
- IE POINT FREE!
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HONOR ROLL

- Those who this week renewed their subscription to the Review for another year are as follows:
- Carl Champion
- Ufc M. P. Wilcoxon
- J. M. Greenwood
- Cpl. Darwin H. Anderson
- Woody Thompson
- Mrs. W. W. Anderson
- Pvt. Billy W. Renfro
- T. E. Brown
- Mrs. Alvis R. Somerford

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CROSS CUT

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Grezes of Kermit are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Grezes.

Mrs. Raymond Markham of Brownwood spent the week end visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Melton and children of Grandfalls are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baucum and Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Melton.

Miss Marie Baucum of Brownwood spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baucum, Billy Joe, Mrs. Alton Barr and Beatrice Watson were Brownwood visitors Monday.

Clifton Chambers of Arlington spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Meadows and children of Laird Hill have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Melton.

Billy Paul Baucum of Grandfalls is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucum.

Mrs. Frank Griffin and children of Kermit are visiting her mother, Mrs. John Clark.

Mrs. Roy Rice and Jimmy Lane of Arlington spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Creamer and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Benson and family of Fort Worth visited here Monday.

Mrs. Rose Martin of Brownwood is visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lake Clark have received word that their son, Tye Clark, who is in England has been promoted to Staff Sergeant.

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Beautiful and protects. Resists chipping, scuffing and scratching. Will not turn white.

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We are pleased to announce that we can supply you with windmills and windmill supplies, including pipe, sucker rods, Redwood storage tanks and galvanized stock tanks.

Our windmills come with or without the tower. If you have your own tower you can buy the windmill head and save money.

Now is the time to get your windmill in proper working shape in order to have plenty of water during the long, hot summer.

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TEMPORARY EXTENSION ON EGG CEILING PRICE

Maximum price ceilings for wholesale grades of eggs have been extended temporarily until OPA puts the finishing touches on a revised egg regulation soon to be issued. Wholesale grades refer to eggs which have not been completely graded or candled. They are now selling considerably below the ceiling, and it is not likely that the existing ceilings will be reached before the revised regulation is ready. Meanwhile the extension of the present ceiling on wholesale grades gives specific assurance that OPA has no intention of removing ceiling prices from eggs.

Incidentally, the Government is asking all housewives with refrigerator space to buy and store an extra dozen eggs for which no storage space can be found. If this current abundance can be saved, says the War Food Administration, it will soon be possible to handle all eggs in the usual manner. OPA reminds housewives that by keeping one dozen eggs ahead now they can take advantage of the present low, or below, ceiling prices.

Edd Coppinger of Camp Walters visited friends and relatives here this week. Mr. Coppinger is staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Harris, for several weeks.

Pvt. Don Frank of Warren, Ohio, visited Mrs. Don Helberg, and Mrs. Fred Helberg of Coleman last week.

Pvt. Sam Gray, who is stationed in California, is visiting his family here.

SABANNO

We regret that the singing in the afternoon of our Soldier's Day was not mentioned in last week's paper. We appreciate more that we have words to express the cooperation from the visiting communities in helping in the entire afternoon of singing.

Miss Irene McCann of Dallas visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Morris of Potosi visited Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baugh were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mayes Friday night.

Mrs. B. F. Elzer of Gladewater is visiting her father, J. M. McCann. Mrs. Lena Black of San Antonio is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. John Slaughter of Fort Worth visited in the W. S. McCann home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lane visited their son, Roy Lane, and family at Carbon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black and daughter of Atwell visited Mrs. Black's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Harris, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Barron at Deer Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merril Dill of Cross Plains visited Mrs. T. Q. Nunn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duke and Donald were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mayes Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Thate has accepted a position in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Duke and Margaret visited Mrs. Duke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Harris, Sunday.

Thebert Meador of Coleman visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meador, over the week end.

Miss Dorothy Woody of Cottonwood is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woody, and children in San Diego, Calif.

It's Easy To Smile . . .

. . . when you know you have the money on deposit to pay bills or buy that new furniture or even that new home. Your account is safe, and is always available to you, in your bank. And, too, paying by check is always safer. Your cancelled check is one of the best receipts of payment that you can have. Bills paid by check are never paid twice.

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Evenings by Appointment Phone 7451

W. E. Martin—

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punish crime, uphold law and order and make crime an expensive pastime in this district. This is a promise to you that I will keep, and a threat to the lawless that they will soon learn to heed if you elect me your District Attorney. I will make you a worthy successor to Bob Black. (if mortal man can do that)

Most of the long time residents of this District know whether or not I have the ability and qualifications to make good this promise. Those who do not know I refer to any judge, or lawyer in the district, (including my very worthy opponents) and will be happy to stand upon their appraisal of my abilities.

Finally, I want no votes because of the fact that I am engaged in defense work. I am doing this because I think it is my simple duty, but I do claim that if I am better qualified by experience, and from a standpoint of ability to do the job, to fulfill the duties of District Attorney that I am entitled to your vote, and if not, then I am not, and upon this basis, I leave my candidacy in the hands of my friends, and those who know.

Respectfully,
W. E. MARTIN

MISSES McMILLAN AND LANGSTON HAVE PARTY

Misses Joyce and Evelyn McMILLAN and Billie Langston entertained with a party at the City Park on Sunday afternoon, June 25th.

Miscellaneous games were the diversions of the afternoon and at refreshment time cookies and cold drinks were served to Mrs. Lois Swanson, Mrs. Billy Blackley and Burlene, Bill Kanostee, Cecil Cordell, Charlie Coker, Virgil Roark, Pte. Harrington and the hostesses.

LEE'S LIQUID LICE KILLER for your Poultry Houses.
Smiths Drug Store

Ride The Busses It's Economical and Patriotic

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	South West
6:40 a.m.	6:45 a.m.
12:55 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
5:50 p.m.	5:55 p.m.
10:10 p.m.	10:15 p.m.
	North South
7:45 a.m.	7:50 a.m.
11:25 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
4:00 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
7:40 p.m.	7:45 p.m.

Ross Motor Coaches

DELAYED MATERIALS SLOW COMPLETION OF FROZEN LOCKER PLANT

Construction of the local Food Locker plant building is being delayed because of the late delivery of cork insulation. This has slowed down contractors for the present.

Information is that this material is in transit and will be delivered which will likely be Abilene.

As soon as proper insulation is made, the building will then be ready for installation of equipment and it is hoped that delivery of this can be made on schedule.

If all materials and equipment arrive readily, the plant should be in operating condition within the next six weeks.

R. E. Wilson, Jr. and family of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson here over the weekend.

C. R. (Mike) Cook

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Political Announcements

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Omar Burkett

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
Carl F. Hulsey
Thomas E. Hayden, Jr.
W. E. Martin

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS
Mildara S. Low

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
R. H. Freeland
Lester Farmer

FOR COUNTY SHERIFF
R. O. Brame
W. A. Peterson

FOR DISTRICT CLERK
Raymond Young

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
Mrs. Will McCoy

FOR COUNTY CLERK
Leslie Bryant

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
Mrs. T. W. Briscoe

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Precinct Four
J. M. McMillan
J. W. (Jack) Lacy

FOR CONSTABLE
Bert Brown

Nutshell Advertising

80 Acres land in cultivated 1 miles East of Coleman, Texas. For information Mrs. W. B. Shirley, Box 46, Coleman, Texas. (3p)

Excess acid causes you Stomach Ulcers, Indigestion, Belching, Bloating, Gas Pains, get free (Lga. at Smith's Drug (15p-4)

PERMANENT WAVE 50¢! Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. (8-25)

SMITHS DRUG STORE

WANT TO GUY: 5 or 6 room house to move out of town. Price must be reasonable. —Geo. M. Bernard, Route 1, City. (1p)

PEACHES: 100 bushels ready next week at Young's Orchard. (1p)

HELP WANTED: Waitresses. —Wilson's Cafe. (1c)

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Mrs. Mandis Longbottom, Mrs. Joe Herman Becker and Mrs. Mamie Swafford visited in Roscoe, Tex., this week.

Mrs. Don Helberg and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith in Coleman last week.

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We will specialize in washing, greasing and tire repairs.

GIVE US A TRIAL AND BE SATISFIED

Gray & Ringhoffer

Mr. and Mrs. O. family moved to Bu where they will in

Mr. and Mrs. visiting relatives barbecue picnic wood last week.



HE'S OFF ON HIS FIFTY-FIFTH MISSION

We are on our FIFTH MISSION

PEOPLE, we're on our Fifth Mission of Bond Buying! Up to date we up to the quota assigned us. Other towns in the County have gone over we do less?

This is an appeal to the people from your City and your Fifth War tee to come in and buy bonds and get our quota before the deadline. Ji

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 PEANUT BAGS: have closed deal with mills for a reasonable supply of bags. Present price is 11 to 12 cents each. John Fromen Canafax, Rising Star. (thru-Nov.)

PERMANENT WAVE 50c! Do your own Permanent Wave 50c! Do your own Permanent Wave 50c! Do your own Permanent Wave 50c! Do your own Permanent Wave 50c! Do your own Permanent Wave 50c!

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USED CAR CEILING PRICE BECOMES EFFECTIVE ON JULY TENTH

Effective enforcement of the new ceiling price regulations on used cars, which becomes effective July 10, is possible if the buying public will cooperate with the Price Panels of their local War Price and Rationing Boards. District Director J. H. Kuitgen, said today in Fort Worth.

Kuitgen, who is a partner in an automobile dealership in Waco, said that announcement of the regulation has already stopped the steady increase in prices of used passenger automobiles. He urged the public to report all violations to the Price Panels and to refuse, in buying a used car, to enter into any agreement designed to circumvent the regulation. In addition to outright violations of price ceilings, Kuitgen urged the reporting of such evasions as "side-money" agreements and requirements for buying other commodities along with a car.

One factor which will tend to keep prices of used cars within the dollar and cents ceiling is that of financing requirements, Kuitgen said, pointing out that no financing company or firm will loan more than the legal ceiling price on an automobile. He expressed the opinion that individuals or dealers who sell used cars after July 10 will want to conform to the ceiling price when they realize that they might be called on at any time to refund any overcharge. He pointed out that they would be liable to suit by the purchaser for three times the amount of the overcharge.

"While we automobile dealers will lose a little money at the outset, in the long run the regulation will prove beneficial to us and to our customers," Kuitgen said. He said that OPA in this district would "do all in its power" to make the used car regulation effective.

Kuitgen has requested each of the 49 War Price and Rationing Boards in this district to set up a special panel to handle the used car regulation.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Ballard and family moved to Baird on Tuesday, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berks and visiting relatives enjoyed a chicken barbecue picnic at Lake Brownwood last week.

Burkett PERSONALS

PERSONALS
 (By Mrs. Merrel Burkett)
 Letters have been received this week by wives and parents of several local boys that have been stationed in England, part of whom were in the first part of the invasion. Among the boys heard from are: Pfc. Grady Glenn Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Harris; Sgt. Henry B. Burkett, son of Mrs. H. C. Beavers; Pfc. Jesse Holmans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Holmans; Pfc. Andrew Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Walker; and Cpl. Garland Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan.

The following boys who are some place in the South Pacific have been heard from this week also, after not being heard from in the past several weeks: Pfc. Johnnie Ray Holland, son of Mrs. Alva Holland; Pfc. R. L. Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cross; and Sgt. Garvice A. Boyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Corbett Boyle.

Sgt. "Pete" Campbell, son of J. C. Campbell, spent Tuesday to Thursday of last week here. He has been stationed in Florida and had a short pass enroute to another camp where he expected to join another group of boys and be sent overseas.

Cpl. Virgil Morgan, who is stationed in Oklahoma, was here last week on a three-day pass to spend a few hours with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan.

Sgt. R. E. Harris returned to Aberdeen, Md., Saturday after spending a furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harris.

Sgt. William Walker returned to Maryland Saturday after spending his 10-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Walker.

Sgt. and Mrs. Rodney Harlow of Alexandria, La., are spending his furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Watson, and other friends and relatives.

Mrs. Dora Turkhauler of Sabin spent the past several days here with her sister, Mrs. Lillie Brown. L. L. Morgan was a business visit of in Abilene Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Johnnie Slaughter is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boyle. She has spent the past several months visiting her husband, who is stationed at Camp Swift, but has been transferred to Camp Dix, N. J.

Minister Claude Guld was a visitor in the A. K. Wesley home Monday, while on his way to Coleman where he is conducting a revival at the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Williams and young daughter of Fort Worth spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams.

Mrs. Will Burns had as guests the past week end her sister, Mrs. Maggie Woodrum of Yukon, and Mrs. Woodrum's daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Elmer of Corpus Christi.

Will Burns is improving in the Scott & White Hospital at Temple where he underwent two major operations. His daughters, Mrs. Alma Audas of Henderson and Mrs. Bertha Jones of Dallas have been with him there the past three weeks, however, Mrs. Audas has returned to her home to stay a week after which she will again be at his bedside. Clayton Burns has been with his father since Friday of last week.

BAPTIST W. M. U. MEET MONDAY, JUNE 26TH

The Women's Missionary Union of the local Baptist Church met in regular session on Monday afternoon, June 26th, at the church. Mrs. A. W. Wright, president, was in charge of the program.

Interesting discussions were made by Mrs. Tom Cox, Mrs. A. J. Mathis, Mrs. A. Webb and Mrs. Howard Strahan on the subject "Baptist Schools and Hospitals."

Every member of the W. M. U. is urged to remember the three million dollar endowment and enlargement program and to help with this worthy cause.

The next regular meeting, Monday, July 3, will be used for Bible Study and everyone is invited to be present.

Grover Henderson and Ralph Buckingham left Monday for San Angelo on a fishing trip.

Mrs. E. W. Handy of Coleman spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell

Mrs. Jack Scott and Mary have gone to Gatesville to spend 10 days with Private Scott, who is stationed at Camp Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Butler and family of Vernon spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Butler.

Mrs. Ira Tension is visiting her mother, Mrs. T. A. Decker, in Brownfield, Tex., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Placke visited Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Martin in Ranger last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith and Marie were in Fort Worth last Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph White and son, Glenn, left for West Virginia on the 20th of June.

Mrs. Joe Gray and children are visiting in Winters this week.

Cross Plains Review

CLAUDE BUNNELL — Publisher
 Mrs. Marguerite Moon — Editor
 Telephone Number — 114

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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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Word was received Tuesday that W. M. Meador, Callahan County Agent, is tending the Turkey Short Course at A&M College and will not be in his office until June 30th.

Link Lawrence and family of Baird visited her mother, Mrs. J. P. Henderson, this week.

ANNOUNCING

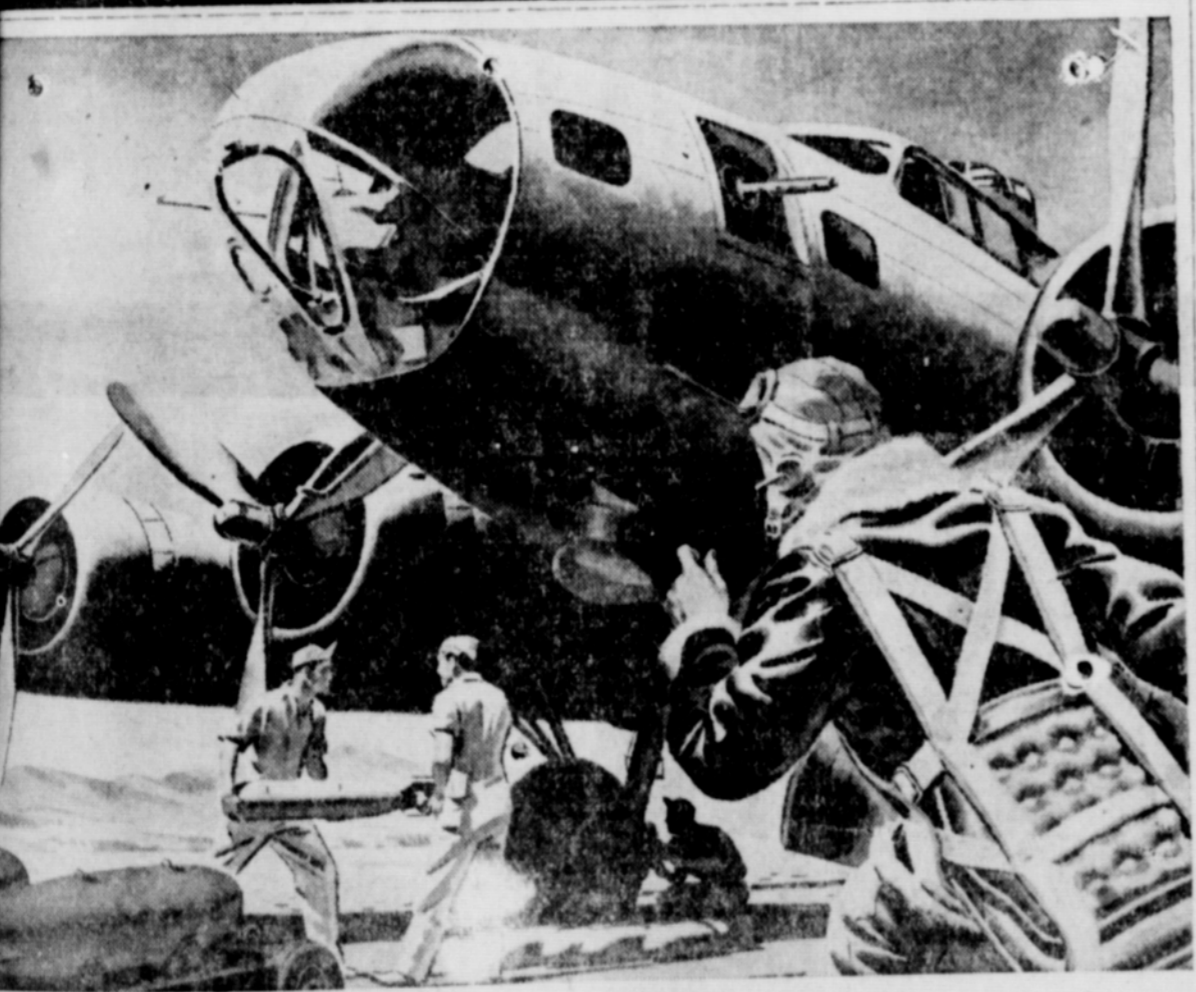
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Our boys take their missions and fulfill them. This is our mission. Let us fulfill it NOW!

City of Cross Plains
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ATWELL
Mrs. Albert Favcett returned recently from California and is on an extended visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Riffe. Aaron Jones spent Saturday night with Roy Lee Mitchell in the Sabino community.

Mrs. D. A. Abernathy is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sessons. Her husband is in the Air Corps.

Mrs. Lucille Kilbough and sons of Oklahoma are visiting relatives here.

Prof. Charles Hutchins of Camp Cook, Calif., is on a two-week furlough in the home of his mother.

put the beaters on notice NOW that their positions are not permanent.

Equalize Freight Rates
Garrett stands for equality and uniformity of freight rates and will support and work for legislation that will achieve a fair adjustment.

Reduce Subsidies
He favors reducing subsidies to the every minimum and instead give an honest and fair price to the farmer, stockman, dairyman and oil man for what they produce.

Aid in Building Rural Homes
"To encourage the improving and building of rural homes, where farmers have sufficient equity in their land to adequately secure a loan—when funds are not available through other sources"—Garrett says, "I favor the government extending credit to farmers and producers, from one to three thousand dollars, on a long-term basis and at a low rate of interest—2 or 3 per cent."

School Lunch Program Indorsed
Regarding the school Lunch Aid Program, Mr. Garrett states, "I think it is one of the finest programs in which the government has cooperated. I do not think this program borders on us leading towards 'Hitlerism' as some maintain." Our Lord said, "Whosoever shall give to drink unto one of these little ones a cup of cold water, verily I say unto you he shall in no wise lose his reward." Certainly, if this be true of a drink of water, it must be doubly true of providing food for a multitude of school children—some 4 1/2 millions—now receiving lunch aid, who otherwise

Balance of the announcement of **CLYDE GARRETT**
(Continued from last week)

Let People Select Their Own Doctors
Mr. Garrett states that he is opposed to legislation now pending in Congress providing for the raising of 3.1-2 BILLION dollars annually from payrolls mostly, to provide medical care by the government, which would destroy the effectiveness of medical care in the United States. This legislation proposes to place in the hands of one man, the power and authority to hire doctors at fixed salaries to provide medical service; to designate which doctors may be specialists; to determine the number of individuals for whom any one physician may provide service; to determine arbitrarily what hospitals or clinics may provide services for patients. "Medical attention and hospitalization should, of course, be made available to and placed in the reach of everyone. In fact, both are now available under the American Hospital Association's Blue Cross plan for voluntary group hospitalization. I believe that our people desire that medical care for their sick be provided by their doctor—not by bureaucrats or politicians," Garrett declares.

Advocates Return to Standard Time
Garrett states that he believes serious consideration should be given to going back to standard time. "It is possible," he asserted, "that war time may have produced desirable results in some parts of the country, but it is very doubtful that such results have been produced in many places, and in the meanwhile the new time has disarranged the lives of a great many people. Our people do not object to foregoing any inconvenience necessary to the war effort but they do not need unnecessary regulations to make them war conscious. I firmly believe that 90 per cent of our people would prefer to go back to the standard time. The present time works hardships on farmers, mothers and school children, and thousands of women employees who are compelled to go to their work before daylight and seriously affects church attendance, etc."

Abolish All Unnecessary Boards and Bureaus
He advocates the abolition of all unnecessary boards and bureaus and insists that operation of those retained be strictly confined to the law and constitution. "In the present emergency," Garrett points out, "it is necessary to have some bureaus. However, at the earliest practicable date, we must abolish them and return to our status prior to the war. If bureaucracy continues to grow and thrive after the war, our nation is doomed. Let us

may go hungry. I believe that this splendid cooperative program should be continued.

COTTONWOOD
Lt. and Mrs. R. G. Thompson of Frederick, Okla., spent the week end with home folks. They were accompanied by one of Lieutenant Thompson's buddies and his wife. Richard Purvis left Tuesday of last week for Lullback where he entered the Navy.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Moore in Cisco Sunday.
Miss Zona Arvin of Dallas visited with her sister, Miss Mary Arvin, last week.
Rev. W. H. Howell of Abilene, former pastor, preached at the Baptist Church Sunday. He was accompanied here by Mrs. Howell.
Eunice Hembree visited with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Ledbetter the first of this week.
Miss Ruth Ramey left for Berger last week where she plans to work. Quarterly Conference was held at the Methodist Church Sunday. At the noon hour dinner was served at the church.
A shower was given Thursday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Whitehorn at their home. Many useful gifts were received. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Buford Tyson and family of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Morton Whitley and daughter of Denton.
Carol Rutherford and Mrs. Altie

OPLIN GIRL FEELS HEREFOR CALIF
Mary Ruth Johnson, of Oplin, Okla., is feeling a Hereford calf from the commercial herd of W. M. Meador, County Agent here.
Mary Ruth is the first girl shown at the local fall and winter livestock show, and also won the Honorary Fat Stock Show, which will be held, Mary Ruth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson.

Miss Yvonne Melton of Oplin visited her grandmother, Mrs. P. Henderson, and other relatives recently.
Foller were quietly married Saturday afternoon by Rev. L. P. They will make their home in

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REPORTS OF VARIOUS CASUALTIES REACHING HERE ALMOST DAILY
Afton C. Adams Missing In Action
Mrs. Mary Adams was notified by the War Department on July 4th that her husband, Pvt. Afton C. Adams, has been missing in action on the Italian battle front since May 23rd. Further details were undisclosed.
Chase, as he is familiarly known here, was wounded in the same theatre last December, however the injury proved of lesser consequence than at first thought and he was back in action within a month or so.
He enlisted in March 1943 and trained at Fort Robinson, Calif., and on the East coast before going overseas. He was with the 30th Infantry of the 3rd Division.
His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Adams, with their family have lived in Cross Plains for many years and Chase attended school here until graduation.
He was employed at the Review for several years as linotype, and was one of its most valued employees.
Concerned friends of the family are trusting that soon word will come that Chase has been located and that all will be well.

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ATLANTIC CONVOY
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COMING SOON
"THANK YOUR LUCKY STARS"
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"PALM BEACH STORY"
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Killed in Action
The War Department officially notified Mr. and Mrs. Lee Potter, rural residents of Cross Plains, that their eldest son, LaVelle, was killed in action in Italy on January 25th.
They were notified on February 27th that he was missing in action but no further information had been received until July 3rd. No details of his death came in the telegram but the information was that a letter following would describe the circumstances.
LaVelle was 21 years old, a member of the 30th Division and had been in service over two years. He received training at Muskogee, Okla., Camp Bowie, Texas, Camp Blauding, Fla., and Camp Edwards, Mass., before going overseas.
He is well known in Cross Plains, having attended school here and lived in the territory virtually all his life.
The tragedies of war are beginning to color the lives of people of this small town more than ever before as almost daily word is received by parents and wives of men in the service.
Cross Plains has been fortunate, up to now, that so few casualties have been reported of boys from this territory. Through all the activities of the 30th Division, where in Callahan county is so well represented, reports of casualties from this town and surrounding territories has been sparse, considering that approximately one-tenth of the population of Callahan county is in the service.
Within the past ten days, however, we are beginning to feel the sting of it. In this week alone reports from four men in this area have been received.
Sad is the community because of the report that good old Chase Adams is missing in action. sorrowful also, that LaVelle Potter has been definitely reported killed. And the word that young Clovis McDonald is missing. Then the word that Paul Ducus, husband of the former Haseltine Kimbrough, and father of little Jimmy Ducus, had been wounded. And, Sgt. Alfred L. Brown of Burkett, wounded in action.
Later reports have been joyfully received that Brown and Ducus were only slightly wounded and

SGT. FRED J. T. AWARDED AIR SOMEWHERE IN
Sgt. Fred J. T. was awarded the Air Medal for his gallantry in action in England on June 10th.
This medal is for completed missions territory.
Fred J. has been in three months and is a radio gunner.
His wife is the first Browning of Cross P.
GRANDSON OF FREEMAN KILL ACTION, ON JUN
Word has been received from Freeman that his grandson Johnson, was killed in France on June 14 the 90th Infantry D.
His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were residing in Cross Plains several years before her marriage.
Young Johnson overseas three or four months ago.
Further details of surrounding his death are available.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray returned from a trip to Italy.
That Brown is probably again.
Many others in the names we do not have been reported upon.
We recall in the Italian invasion, his town was saddened of "Mutt" Slaughter, that even at Pearl Ray Smith lost his Ivey of Cottonwood in the Philippines. Later reported a prisoner.
No doubt, and fear it, that in all probability to far in the future he will be continually be "one successful life together."
The Juanita Burks of Abilene and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burks, last week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Williams daughter of Ept Worth are returning here this week.

PIGGLY WIGGLY Says - Let's have a BACKYARD PICNIC

Last year you may have gathered the family together and driven to the country for a glorious 4th of July picnic. But this year when the need to conserve for VICTORY is greatest—how about having your picnic in your own backyard? You'll find your backyard really a grand place to celebrate—and you can invite your neighbors too! To insure complete success, serve them with fine foods from PIGGLY WIGGLY!

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ALVIS R. SOMERFORD
Seaman Somerford is reported as having been injured in action two months ago. The Navy in November has been overseas nearly of this year.
He is the youngest and Mrs. J. L. Somerford.
His wife resides in Calif., and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cross Plains.
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