

Ed Stacy Chosen President Of Callahan County Old Settlers; 1,000 Attend Reunion

More than 1,000 Callahan pioneers gathered in the City Park on Friday for their annual reunion. Ed Stacy, local farmer, was elected president of the organization for the year. He succeeds Paul Clyde. Other vice-presidents were Howard Blakley and Mrs. B. L. Boydston. Mrs. B. L. Boydston was re-elected secretary. The Cisco Riding Club was in first place among parade contestants. The Brownwood Riding Club and Callahan County Sheriff's Posse of Baird were among the old fiddlers.

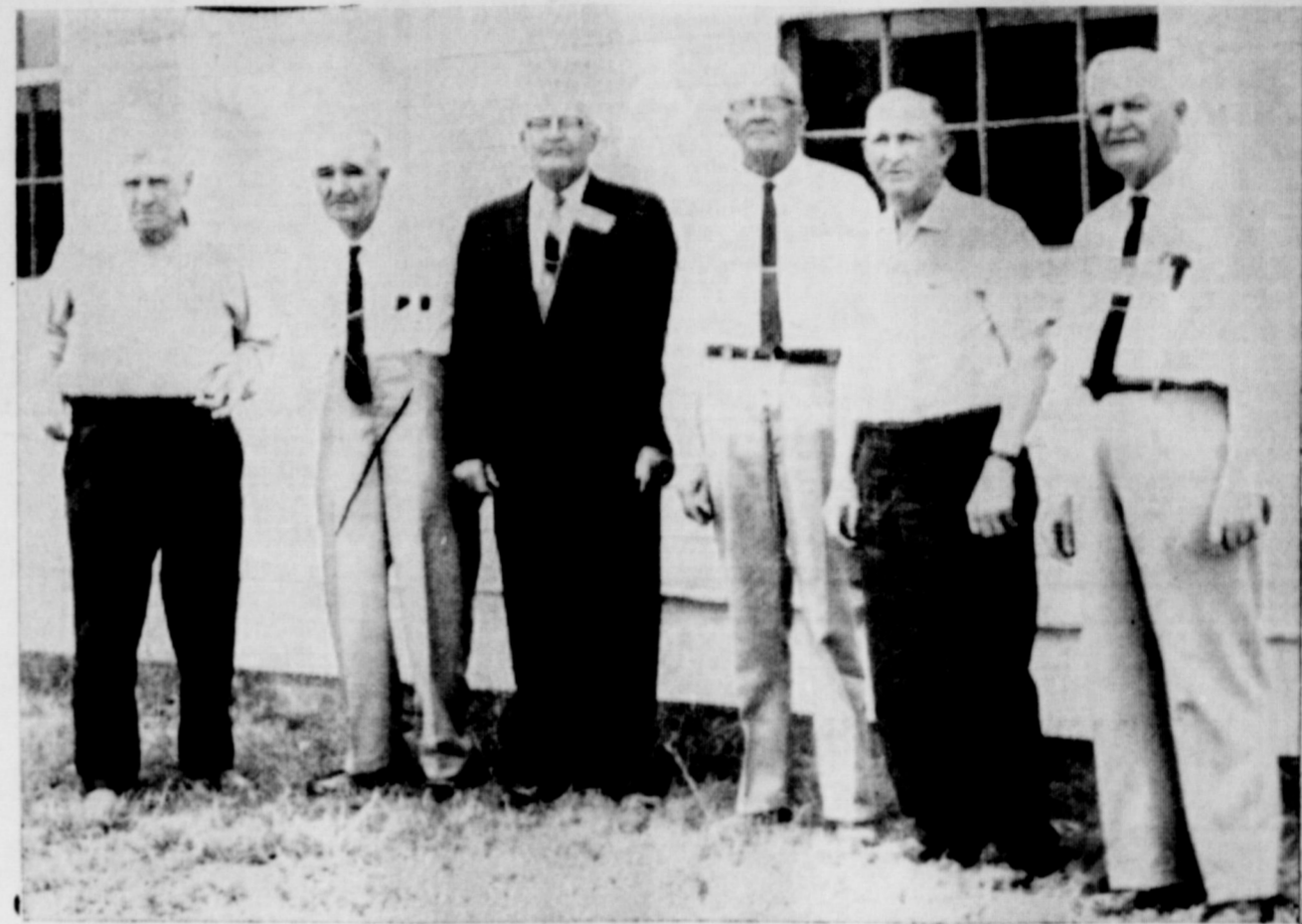
contest held during the afternoon were: 1. Joe Byrd, 91, of Clyde; 2. Ford Smith, 77, of Merkel; 3. R. P. Luce, 77, of Stephenville; 4. Hancell Sanders, 60, of Rowden. Other recognition made during the afternoon's program: Earliest cowboy in county — L. A. Blakley, 85, of Baird, who was born Aug. 19, 1880, in Belle Plain and came to Callahan County in 1880. He also was recognized as the earliest pioneer man with continuous residence in the county and also as the oldest native-born man with continuous residence in the county. Recognized as the oldest man present for the reunion was Tom D. Dawkins, 91, who settled at Baird in 1876. A postal inspector for 40 years, Dawkins now lives in San Antonio. Mrs. Al Young, of Abilene, was the oldest woman present. She settled at Baird in 1887.

1887. She also was recognized as the oldest native-born woman. Earliest pioneer woman with continuous residence in the county — Mrs. Charley Allen, 76, of Oplin. She was born Oct. 17, 1889, in Cottonwood and moved 12 miles south of Baird at the age of three months. She married Charlie Allen at Clyde June 1, 1924, before moving to Oplin. She also was recognized as the oldest native-born woman with continuous residence in the county.



Fred W. Stacy

Oldest native-born man — Barry Bell, 86, of Cross Plains. He was born Feb. 4, 1880. Man coming the greatest distance to attend the reunion — B. W. Fulton of Paradise, Calif. Woman coming the greatest distance to attend the reunion — Mrs. E. B. Ashley of Stayton, Ore. Couple married the longest with continuous residence in county — Mr. and Mrs. S. N. (Steve) Foster of Cross Plains. They were married in Atwell, Jan. 23, 1910, and lived there until 1939 and then moved to Cross Plains.



SIX PAST HEADS — Six persons who formerly headed the Pioneer Homecoming attended the annual gathering of that group at Pioneer last Thursday. From left to right they are: W. T. McClure of Cross Plains, 1957; Dewitt Underwood of Lubbock, 1958; Claude Minton of Houston, 1959; Rev. Tom Flippin of Pioneer, 1963; Hiram Foster of Blanket, 1965; and Willie Wood of Cross Plains, 1966. An estimated 200 ex-residents and former students of the Pioneer, Liberty and Sabanno area attended the event.

Home Towner

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Earliest Pioneer woman — Mrs. A. L. Young, 78, of Abilene, who was born Dec. 30,



Mrs. Charley Allen

Band Director Calls Meet; Sets Practice

E. J. Burt, newly-elected director of the Cross Plains Buffalo Band, has called a meeting of band officers, drum major and twirlers at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 20. The initial meeting will be held at the band hall on the local school campus. Burt also announced that pre-school band rehearsals will begin Monday, Aug. 22, and all students who plan to participate in the high school band program are expected to attend. Rehearsals are to be held twice daily Monday through Friday.

50c CLASSIFIED AD GETS FAST RESULT

"Your ads work fast," said W. T. Cox Friday morning as he advised the Review to cancel one he had running of a grain elevator for sale. "It sold in just a few hours after the paper came out," he said.

W. D. Peavy of Cisco visited here Friday.

Ex-Local Girl To Teach At Baylor

Mrs. Lynn Nabers, the former Mary Scott of Cross Plains, has accepted a position as instructor of physical education at Baylor University in Waco. She will teach classes composed of freshman and sophomore girls. Mrs. Nabers is a graduate of Howard Payne and taught in the Brownwood school system and directed the high school drill team there before going to Waco, where her husband is currently attending Baylor Law School.

4 SCHOOL OFFICIALS TO WORKSHOP FRIDAY

Four school officials in Cross Plains will attend Title I Program, federal project under the education act of 1965, workshop Friday at Cooper High School in Abilene. Going from here are Wayne Ford, superintendent, Scot Edington, high school principal, Jack Watkins, elementary principal, and Miss Betty Browning Title I director.

School Faculty Complete; Set Meetings, Registration Dates

Faculty at Cross Plains schools was brought to full strength this week when a science teacher accepted a position here. He is Edmond Ramsey Howard who will teach seventh and eighth grade science and high school biology. He is 23 years old and is married. He is expected to move here within the next few days. A graduate of Dublin High School, he attended Tarleton State College and graduated from Sam Houston State College with a Bachelor of Science and Master of Education degree. Howard joins three other new teachers in this school system for the coming year bringing the number of instructors to 22. They are E. J. Burt, band director, Joseph E. Dufner, English instructor, and Neudy Butler Radcliffe, third grade teacher.

Trustees, Faculty Meet A "get acquainted session" will be held in the cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. Monday for board of trustees and school faculty. It will be preceded at 6 o'clock by a meeting of high school and elementary mentors with respective principals. "It will be an orientation session," according to Supt. Wayne Ford.

Following the board-teacher meeting, the trustees will go into session at 8:30 with the superintendent to adopt the 1966-67 school budget. That session will be held in the study hall in the high school building. Schedule Released Scot Edington, high school principal, recently announced the schedule and registration dates for all high school students. The schedule, by periods, is as follows: First period — band, physical education I (boys first semester), physical education II, English III-A, and typing. Second period — English IV-A, biology-A, health (girls first semester), American history-A,

Scot Edington Will Take M.A. Degree

Scot H. Edington, Cross Plains High School principal and son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Edington of Burkett, will receive his Master of Arts degree from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene Thursday night, Aug. 18.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

Pioneer-Liberty-Sabanno Group Elects J. C. Huntington As Head

An estimated 200 ex-students and former residents of the Pioneer, Liberty and Sabanno area attended the annual Ex-

\$5,448 Worth Of Free Food Issued

A total of \$5,448.13 worth of surplus commodities was distributed to Callahan County recipients during July and August.

The State Department of Public Welfare, Commodity Distribution Division at Brownwood, advised County Judge Byron Richardson that the items were valued as follows: NFD milk \$1,154.30, milled rice \$446.76, flour \$507, cornmeal \$401.35, margarine \$307.50, shortening \$278, rolled wheat \$202.40, peanut butter \$598.56, canned chopped meat \$1,102 and raisins \$449.28. Judge Richardson said that 364 people, representing 223 families, receive the free foods. Distribution points are Baird and Cross Plains.



J. C. Huntington

Students Homecoming at the Pioneer tabernacle Thursday. Jake Huntington of Brownwood was elected president of the organization for the ensuing year. C. C. Westerman of Pioneer was again picked as vice-president, but the post of secretary is yet unfilled. Two women were asked to fill that position, but neither could

serve. Willie Wood of Cross Plains is the outgoing president and Mrs. Kate Watson, also of this city, was formerly the secretary.

Approximately 110 persons were served catered lunches at noon.

Mrs. E. M. Curry of Cross Plains was the oldest ex-student present and Charlie O'Neal of Roswell, N. M., was the man attending from the farthest point. Several others were from distant points throughout Texas. Former teachers of the communities attending included Mrs. Lorena Woods Brandon, Carl Butler, Bill McDowell and Mrs. Ethel King Brown.

Eight quilts were auctioned, some twice, with the proceeds being given to the Pioneer Cemetery fund. They brought approximately \$110. Most of the quilts were made by Pioneer club ladies, but some were furnished by individuals.

Date for next year's gathering has not yet been set, however, it was announced that usual custom would be followed, that is holding the event one day prior to the Callahan County Pioneer Reunion.

Vandals Damage Road Machinery

Theft of a tractor battery and vandalism to road machinery, owned by J. H. Strain Construction Company of Trent, was reported to local officers Tuesday morning. The equipment was being used on a construction job now underway between here and Rowden.

Deputy Sheriff N. L. Long, Jr. stated that a 12-volt battery was removed from a 3-day-old tractor and that its cables were cut and removed.

Gauges on another large tractor were smashed and belts and cables slashed.

A maintainer had been started and was still running when workmen arrived on the job Tuesday morning.

More than \$600 worth of reflectors, being used on the highway to alert motorists of the construction work, are reported to have been stolen since the work began several weeks ago.

CROSS PLAINS LADY STILL IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. S. O. Montgomery of this city was reportedly improving from a recent illness, however, she is still confined to Cox Memorial Hospital in Abilene. She has been a patient there for the past month.

Callahan Youth Wins 3 State Oratorical Event

A Callahan County boy has distinguished himself as one of the Future Farmers of America's top speakers.

He is Murray Edwards, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Edwards of Clyde, who last week won a Tri-State FFA public speaking contest in Fort Worth.

Young Edwards, who won the Texas FFA title in a contest at Austin in July, will now represent Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana at a regional FFA contest, the place and date yet to be determined.

Winner at the regional meeting will be one of the four finalists in public speaking at the National FFA convention to be held in Kansas City during the American Royal Oct. 14-22.

Also Hereford Winner

Murray also will represent the Junior Hereford Assn. in the finals of the American Junior Hereford Assn. public speaking contest at the Hereford show at American Royal in October. He won the latter title during the annual Texas Junior Hereford Assn. tour last June. Also he was the winner of the Texas Interscholastic League public speaking title in district

competition in the spring.

Young Edwards was a sophomore in Clyde High School. He finished his first year in FFA work. He is president of the Callahan County 4-H Council and past president of the Clyde 4-H Club. He was Callahan County's 4-H Gold Star winner in 1965.

Steer Feeder

He exhibited the champion steer at the Callahan County show this year, had the best pen of three steers in the junior division at the Houston show. He won the county showmanship title this year and was a member of the Clyde 4-H livestock judging team.

He took part in band and sports in Clyde High School last year and is president of the Methodist Youth Fellowship in Clyde Methodist Church.

MRS. CRAIG McNEEL HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Craig McNeel returned home last Thursday from Brownwood Memorial Hospital, where she underwent surgery and was a patient 14 days. Friends will be pleased to know that she is much improved.

Eula Schools Will Open Aug. 29; Teacher Short

One faculty post is yet unfilled for Eula schools which begin the new term Aug. 29. It is that of a science teacher.

Superintendent Billy MacCoppinger estimated that approximately 200 students will enroll as compared with a total of 187 at the close of last semester.

Members of the high school are as follows: Hugh Elliot, commercial subjects; Joyce Elliot, English; Odell McCoy, math; Jean Corley, home economics; Claude Rock, vocational agriculture; Gerald Jennings, principal and coach, and superintendent Coppinger, who will instruct classes in history. The elementary school faculty includes: Mary Holden, first and second grades; Carolyn Moore, third grade; June Hogdin, fourth grade and Mrs. George Crook, fifth and sixth.

Mrs. Henry Culpepper and Mrs. Arlene Farrar will handle the school cafeteria.

Bus drivers will be Henry Culpepper, Dick Favor, B. C. Miller and Grayson Miller.

Clifford Tarrant will serve as buildings custodian.

LOCAL GIRL ELECTED FOR CORPUS SCHOOLS

Miss Mary Weaver, daughter of E. E. Weaver and a 1966 graduate of Texas Woman's College, has accepted a teaching position with Corpus Christi public schools and will be assigned to the Weldon Smith Elementary School. She will probably teach either the first or second grade.

Danny McCarty of Glen Rose visited with friends and relatives in Cross Plains and Baird during the week end.



CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. I. M. (Doc) Tension of Cross Plains were honored with an open house in commemoration of their golden wedding anniversary at their home west of town Sunday. Approximately 125 friends and relatives attended the event or sent gifts. All but one of the couple's 10 surviving children attended a dinner and helped Mr. and Mrs. Tension receive guests at the home Sunday afternoon. The local couple were married in Duster on Aug. 13, 1916, and moved here 41 years ago.

Rains Total 2 Inches In Atwell Community

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

More than two inches of rain fell in this community from Wednesday night through Sunday afternoon.

As your correspondent I am sorry that I missed going to the Old Settlers' Reunion, and, therefore, do not have the names of the ones who ate at the Atwell table. It was reported that there were a lot of people there to enjoy the friendship of many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, Beverly and Kim, spent Wednesday through Friday at Brownwood Lake on a fishing trip. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd of Cross Cut visited with them Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pillans visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Friday, and Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Withgott and

daughter of Woodward, Okla., and Elbert Mercer of Hobart, Okla., visited with the Sessionses Thursday through Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sessions and son are on vacation from Fort Collins, Colo., and are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ludlow and children spent the week end and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy visited with them Saturday.

Visitors at the Primitive Baptist Church here Sunday included Elder and Mrs. C. T. Venable and Elder E. B. Tabor of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Tip Wrinkle visited with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown at Bronte Tuesday. Pat and Leola were also visiting them.

Mrs. Essie Jones Alexandra of Lampasas visited with Mrs. Ethel Hewes Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Murton and children of Riverside, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie McKinly visited Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Black, Mrs. Ethel Hewes, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Al Graham and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Koonsman and son and Vee and Lavada visited with Harvey Black Sunday.

Herbert Ellis visited his father at Baird Sunday afternoon in the nursing home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Webster of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Ellis of Moran visited with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bentley visited on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller had as their guests the past week their son and family of California.

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COTTONWOOD MUSICAL CARDER FRIDAY NIGHT

There will be good, country music at the Cottonwood community center Friday night, according to E. P. (Pop) Whitaker of Baird. The session will begin at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Harlow of Grand Prairie visited friends and relatives here last week and attended the old settlers reunion.

TUESDAY NOON is the deadline for advertising copy

Area Missionary Will Preach Here Sunday

The Rev. Robert Holt of Abilene will fill the pulpit at both morning and night services Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains.

The Rev. Holt has been serving this area as missionary for the past year and a half, and formerly pastored a church in Austin. He will preach here in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. Roger Butler, who with his

wife and family, are visiting this week.

Rev. Butler will attend associational officer at Mineral Wells Monday, 22, and will return here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Brownson visited in the home of Mrs. L. A. Kiser and Mrs. L. A. Kiser Brownwood Saturday.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIFTEEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 33 proposing an Amendment to Section 6, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, to authorize state participation in programs financed with funds from private or federal sources and conducted by local level or other private, nonsectarian associations, groups, and nonprofit organizations, in establishing and equipping facilities for assisting those who are blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped in becoming gainfully employed, for their rehabilitation or restoration, or for providing other services essential for the better care and treatment of the handicapped.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 6, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 6. (a) No appropriation for private or individual purposes shall be made, unless authorized by this Constitution. A regular statement, under oath, and an account of the receipts and expenditures of all public money shall be published annually, in such manner as shall be prescribed by law.

(b) State agencies charged with the responsibility of providing services to those who are blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped may accept money from private or federal sources, designated by the private or federal source as money to be used in establishing and equipping facilities for assisting those who are blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped in becoming gainfully employed, in rehabilitating and restoring the hand-

capped, and in providing other services determined by the state agency to be essential for the better care and treatment of the handicapped. Money accepted under this subsection is state money. State agencies may spend money accepted under this subsection, and no other money, for specific programs and projects to be conducted by local level or other private, nonsectarian associations, groups, and nonprofit organizations, in establishing and equipping facilities for assisting those who are blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped in becoming gainfully employed, in rehabilitating and restoring the handicapped, and in providing other services essential for the better care and treatment of the handicapped.

"The state agencies may deposit this subsection either in the state treasury or in other secure depositories. The money may not be expended for any purpose other than the purpose for which it was given. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Constitution, the state agencies may expend money accepted under this subsection without the necessity of an appropriation, unless the Legislature, by law, requires that the money be expended only on appropriation. The Legislature may prohibit state agencies from accepting money under this subsection or may regulate the amount of money accepted, the way the acceptance and expenditure of the money is administered, and the purposes for which the state agencies may expend the money. Money accepted under this subsection for a purpose prohibited by the Legislature shall be returned to the entity that gave the money.

"This subsection does not prohibit state agencies au-

thorized to render services to the handicapped from contracting with privately-owned or local facilities for necessary and essential services subject to such conditions, standards, and procedures as may be prescribed by law.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing assistance to the blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped in becoming gainfully employed, in rehabilitating and restoring the handicapped, and in providing other services essential for the better care and treatment of the handicapped."

AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing assistance to the blind, crippled, or otherwise physically or mentally handicapped in becoming gainfully employed, in rehabilitating and restoring the handicapped, and in providing other services essential for the better care and treatment of the handicapped."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of the state.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13 proposing an Amendment to Sections 2 and 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas as so as to repeal the provision making payment of the poll tax a requirement for voting and so as to authorize the Legislature to provide for the registration of all voters.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 2 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, effective February 1, 1968, by deleting the following language:

"and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before offering to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that said poll tax was paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she, as the case may be, shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any official authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing and left with the judge of the election. The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive the receipt therefor in like manner, the wife may pay the poll tax of her husband and receive the receipt therefor.

provided, however, that before offering to vote at an election a voter shall have registered annually, but such requirement for registration shall not be considered a qualification of an elector within the meaning of the term 'qualified elector' as used in any other Article of this Constitution in respect to any matter except qualification and eligibility to vote at an election. Any legislation enacted in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment shall not be invalid because of its anticipatory nature. The Legislature may authorize absentee voting. And this provision of the Constitution shall be self-enacting without the necessity of further legislation. Any member of the Armed Forces of the United States or component branches thereof; or in the military service of the United States may vote only in the county in which he or she resided at the time of en-

language underscored: "Section 2. Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications who shall have attained the age of twenty-one (21) years and who shall be a citizen of the United States and who shall have resided in this State one year next preceding an election and the last six (6) months within the district or county in which such person offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before offering to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that said poll tax was paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she, as the case may be, shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any official authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing and left with the judge of the election. The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive the receipt therefor in like manner, the wife may pay the poll tax of her husband and receive the receipt therefor.

Sec. 3. If any other Amendment to Sections 2 or 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, being for a different purpose, is adopted at an earlier election or at the same election as the adoption of this Amendment shall not be construed as nullifying any change made by such other Amendment.

Sec. 4. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in November, 1966, at which election ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR repealing the poll tax as a requirement for voting."

AGAINST repealing the poll tax as a requirement for voting."

Sec. 5. If the foregoing Amendment is adopted, the proclamation of the Governor declaring the adoption of the Amendment shall set forth the full text of the amended Sections, as amended by the proposed Amendment, which shall be submitted by the Legislature and which shall be duly adopted prior to such proclamation.

Sec. 6. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of the state.

tering such service so long as he or she is a member of the Armed Forces."

Sec. 2. That Section 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by changing the word "may" to "shall" in the last clause thereof and by deleting the words "in all cases containing a population of ten thousand inhabitants or more."

The text of this Section as so amended, is shown below, marked through by a broken line and with the new language underscored:

"Section 4. In all elections by the people, the vote shall be by ballot, and the Legislature shall provide for the numbering of tickets and make such other regulations as may be necessary to detect and punish fraud and preserve the purity of the ballot box, and the Legislature may provide by law for the registration of all voters in anticipation of the election of any elector."

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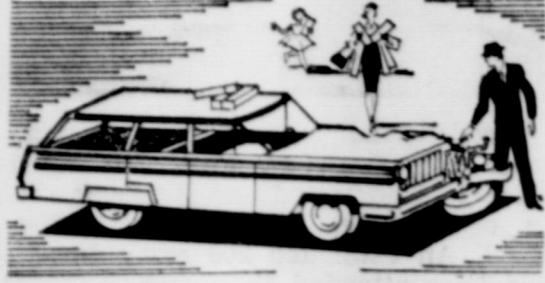
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Settler Rodeo Is Held Huge Success

Settler Reunion Rodeo, held by the Cross Plains Club, was hailed a huge success by spectators and club alike at the conclusion of the two-day run Saturday.

Estimated 2,000 persons gathered for the night performance, overflowing the arena and surrounding the east part of town. The rodeo watched 98 contestants during the two-day run. Stock was furnished by the Cross Plains contestants. Many show laurels are listed hereunder:

- 2. Kenneth Black, Gustine; 3. Royce Kitchen, Cisco. Saturday: 1. Kenneth Bolander, San Angelo; 2. Horace Gibbs, Rising Star; 3. Black.
- Bull riding:** Friday: 1. Wayne Stewart; 2. (three-way tie) Jimmy Owens, Abilene; Bill Cullen, Coleman; Kenneth Thompson, Cisco. Saturday: 1. Jim Hargrove; 2. Bill Hargrove, Clyde; 3. Dee Ogden, San Angelo.

GAS WELL DISCOVERY FINALED AT BURKETT

A huge Gardner Sand gas well in the regular field six miles southwest of Burkett has been completed. Calculated, absolute open flow was 16 million cubic feet daily.

It is W. W. Lechner and Davis & Davis Inc. of Coleman No. 1 Nelle Bailey.

The discovery is producing from 2,131-43 feet although total depth is 2,447 feet. Location is 2,431 feet from north and 2,342 feet from east lines of Section 14, HT&B Survey.

Claude Minton of Houston attended reunions in Pioneer and Cross Plains last week end.

Sabanno People Delight In Annual Reunions, Visiting

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Last week was a full week and an enjoyable one. The day at Pioneer Thursday was an enjoyable one for many from Liberty, Sabanno, Pioneer and Cross Plains. Students and teachers had a good time reminiscing old school days. John Holder, who lived with his parents many years ago as a young boy, made a talk which brought back memories of years ago.

The Old Settlers Reunion the next day at Cross Plains was also enjoyed by many Sabanno people. A wonderful address by Judge Ely of Los Angeles, Calif., preceded the noon hour. Friends enjoyed a picnic lunch together and visited with many old friends.

Vera Harris Ogden of California, who hadn't visited this place in 41 years, was here for the reunion. Her visit was an enjoyable surprise. She flew on to Dallas where she was met by her half sister, Josephine Harris Lilley of Stephenville. They all came for the reunion where they met other members of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Harris families, Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon and family, Mrs. Dwight Black (Florence) and family and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Duke (Rosa Mae) of Crane and other members of the Harris family, all of whom lived at Sabanno as young people. Other former Sabanno people were Willard Gage, a long-time resident of Sabanno, now retired and living in Coleman, Mrs. Cora Lilley of Ozona and her daughters, Jo Beth and family of Kansas and Wanette and husband of Knickerbocker, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Holder and Mrs. Noel Black and

TO WORK ON TIME BUT TRANSPORTATION UNIQUE

Mrs. Russell Calhoun is an ingenious and daring lady with just a touch of caution included.

Saturday morning the Cross Plains grandmother found herself stranded at home with no automobile to drive to her place of employment at Johnston Truck & Supply. To walk meant being late, but outside stood the answer to her problem.

It was a motorcycle which belonged to her husband's cousin, Fred Bino of Sour Lake who is visiting the Calhouns. All work at the local truck firm stopped as she arrived on time atop the two-wheeler sporting a bright blue crash helmet.

Poverty Board Asks Callahan Committee

Callahan County will soon take a more active part in the war on poverty.

First step will be the selection of a Policy Advisory Committee to directors of Central Texas Opportunities, Inc., a non-profit organization serving Callahan, Coleman, Runnels, Concho and McCulloch counties. Committee selection will be held Sept. 1 at 7:30 p.m. in the commissioner's court room in the courthouse at Baird.

Joe D. Philpott, organization director, said, "Any person interested in a community action program, designed and instituted to improve the social and economic opportunities of the county and effectively wage the war on poverty, is urged to attend."

Mrs. Effie Force of Marietta, Ga., is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee and family here.

Happy Birthday Column

- August 18:** Tommy Hornsby, Harry Watson, Paul Edward Walker, Chester Brown, Emil Ringhoffer, Don Turner, Jr., Mrs. J. T. Walker
- August 19:** Rex Mayes, Mrs. Jim Helms, Jerry Wayne Perry, Eddie Heard, Mrs. Ronald Miller, Mrs. J. B. Neeb, Mrs. S. O. Skinner, Fannie Clark, Tomara Renee Atwood
- August 20:** Mrs. James Whitmire, J. L. Bonner, Mrs. Odell Golson, R. P. Barnett, Spurlin Holder, Lurene Richardson, Mrs. Boswell Burks, Ronnie Lovell, Mrs. George Forbes
- August 21:** Mrs. B. R. Hargrove, Bill Ramsey, W. W. Rose, Donny Miller, Barbara Smoot, Jimmy McCowen

- Margaret Thetford, Charles Wayne Watson, E. K. Coppinger, Donny Porter, Grady Wooten, Mrs. Harold Morgan, Mark McAnally, Bill Graham
- August 22:** Sheri Kunkle, Rev. Gordon Dennis, Mrs. Arlie Thate, Zena Graham, Earl Archer, Mrs. Jimmy Nichols, Mrs. Edward Markham, Patsy Button
- August 23:** Kenneth Givens, W. M. Stansbury, Hugh McDermott
- August 24:** Bobby Payne, E. B. Webb, Debra Ann Hollis, M. A. Walker, Mrs. Herbert Freeman, Mrs. James E. Wilson, Mrs. W. T. McClure, Barbara Ann Black, Mrs. Lester Mannering, Johnnie Breeding, Eddie Neitzke, Harry Dodds, Sherry Sheryl Erwin

Mrs. S. J. Smith, 85, Buried On Tuesday

Funeral Services for Mrs. S. J. (Silas) Smith, 85-year-old longtime resident of Cross Plains, was held Tuesday from the Cross Plains Church of Christ at 3 p.m.

Mrs. Smith died at her home here about 12:30 p.m. Sunday. Jim Hance, local Church of Christ minister, officiated at the final rites, and burial was in Pioneer Cemetery. The deceased had been in ill health for the past several weeks and had recently returned to her home here after staying with kinsmen for quite some time.

She was born in Milo County on Aug. 31, 1880, and married Silas J. Smith in Eastland on Jan. 5, 1897. She had made her home in Cross Plains for the past 30 years.

Survivors include two sons, H. A. of Rotan and H. J. of Llano; four daughters, Mrs. A. L. Cobb of Midland, Mrs. Ruby Adkins of Seminole, Mrs. John Cox of Copperas Cove and Mrs. Eloise Kirkpatrick of Midland; one sister, Mrs. Jessie Mitchell of Lindsey Okla.; 15 grandchildren; 39 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woody and daughter, Ann, of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Bart Miller of Odessa visited the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover and Benny visited in Slaton with Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Ellis and daughters and in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Steele and Mrs. Elbert Pierce last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lusk and twin boys of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk.

Mrs. Myrtle Gage Campbell of Lakewood, Calif., and her daughter, Mrs. Mildred Gage Hale and sons of Garden Grove, Calif., visited with the Truett Dawkins family and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Morris and the Edwin Erwins Tuesday. They were visiting her daughter, Lois and family, in Eastland, and Roy in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and children of Clyde visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Barton visited Josie and Alma Morris Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Taylor and daughter, Mrs. Sam Harter of Abilene, visited with the Edwin Erwins Sunday afternoon. The Rev. and Mrs. T. N. Minix of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hudson of Merkel visited Josie and Alma Morris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bo Beene of Grosvenor Sunday.

Douglas Campbell is in Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene where he was to undergo surgery. We hope the best for him and that he will soon be able to come home.

Visitors in the Edwin Erwin home Sunday were their children, Ralph and family and the Nathan Foster's, Steve and Sue Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilcoxon of Stephenville visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon, Jr., and Joe last week.

The Ralph Erwins' children have returned home to Hobbs, N. M., after a visit with their grandparents.

Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon, Jr., visited with Mrs. Willie Mae Needham in Cross Plains one afternoon last week.

I want to pay thanks of appreciation to the many friends for their letting me know how much they enjoyed my column from Sabanno in the good old Cross Plains Review.

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Friday Night — "Hell Bound Millions"
Saturday Night — "Time Erupts Into Eternity"
Sunday Night — "What Price Glory"
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AUG. 14-21 8 P.M.
UNDER THE TABERNACLE

7 Newsy Items Compose Cottonwood News Column

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. Harry Childers came home Tuesday of last week from Cox Memorial hospital where she had undergone major surgery. She is recovering nicely at home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. McCowen, Beth and Ronald of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben McCowen of Coahoma visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and Martha Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Burton and two children of California are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Green, both of whom are still in Baird. Mr. Green is in a rest home there.

Mrs. Bernice Coats of Lubbock is visiting Mrs. Francis Gilleland.

Mr. J. W. Woodard was brought home Saturday morning in a Higginbotham ambulance from a Gorman hospital where he has been the past two weeks. He seems to be much improved.

LOCAL PEOPLE ENJOY PICNIC AT PALO DURO

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Clark and son of Lamesa, Staff Sergeant and Mrs. Billy G. Woody and children of Amarillo, Airman Bob Robinson of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark and Barbara enjoyed a picnic in Palo Duro State Park Sunday.

Mrs. Don Needham and son, Mack Earl, and her uncle, Earl Cammack of Freer were here Friday to attend the Old Settlers Reunion.

Chas. F. Hemphill of Albany, former Cross Plains merchant and civic leader, visited with old friends in Cross Plains Friday.

Mrs. Lloyd Coker and Melba visited Mrs. Pearl Rudloff in Medical Arts Hospital at Brownwood one day last week.

Mrs. Maud Whitzel of Carlsbad, N. M., and her daughter, Mrs. Rozell Holliday and children of Irving and Paul Fairbairn and his mother, Mrs. George Ruth Williams of Fort Worth visited in the Respass home last week.

D. W. Fulton of California attended the old settlers reunion at Cross Plains Friday. He is visiting in the J. W. Woodard home here.

Burks Family Holds Reunion On Sunday

A large number of kinsmen and friends attended a reunion of the Burks family last Sunday. It was held at the old home place west of town.

Relatives attending were Bill Morrison of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burks of Baird, Mrs. Mary Neff and Rena Lambert of McAdoo, Robert Burks of Brownwood, Suzie and Lizzie Burks and Ted Morrison of the home, Mrs. W. R. Johnson of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burks and family of Tokyo, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wills of Ovalo, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Burks of Crane.

Also: Mrs. F. D. Price and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parks and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Burks and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Whittaker of Girard, Danny Burks of El Centro, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cross of Bangs, and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Neff and family of Floydada.

Friends who called were Mrs. Blanche Fortune, Gladys Riggs and Earnest Riggs of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Bronley of Crane, Mrs. Leona Swafford of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gould and family of Burkett and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dodgen of Coleman.

Cards Of Thanks — 75c

Expect Large Crowd For Domino Tourney

A large number of contestants is expected to participate in the year's second domino tournament to be held in Cross Plains Friday and Saturday night.

First session both nights will begin at 7 p.m. at the American Legion Hall. Entry fees are \$1 each, but entry may be made as individuals or partners. Entry deadline is Thursday, today, at 5 p.m. All persons are invited to attend and may enter by contacting Ted Souder, Nathan Foster, Dick Wagner or Benny Glover.

Women of this area are especially invited to display domino skills. It was pointed out that the tournament is designed to include entries from all the surrounding communities and rural areas.

All proceeds of the affair will go toward defraying expenses incurred by the Cross Plains Teenage Baseball League.

Personals

Mrs. Vera Baum had as her guests recently, Lue Baum, Reba and Cave of Lubbock, Mrs. Bob Henderson and children of Ballinger, Billy Ray Goodman of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Goodman of Quannah.

Visiting in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Coker last Wednesday were Mrs. Coker's sister from Dublin, Mrs. Ethel Black and daughter, Linda Kay and brother, Woodrow Capell, from Carlsbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Newsom of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Testerman of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pyle here last week end. Mrs. Testerman, the former Kathleen Newsom, and Mrs. Newsom were born and raised at Cross Plains.



SWEEP MARRIAGE HONORS — Mr. and Mrs. S. N. (Steve) Foster of Cross Plains made a clean sweep of marriage awards at the annual old settler reunion here Friday. The couple, wed at Atwell in a buggy in front of the Rev. C. C. Andrews home Jan. 23, 1910, were recognized as the couple married longest and couple married longest with continuous residence in this county. They moved from Atwell to Cross Plains in 1939.

Dave Lee Leading Gulf Sales Contest

Fort Worth district of the Gulf Oil Corporation announces Dave Lee, Cross Plains consignee, as the leader in a sales contest now underway.

The campaign heralded as a "Totem Pole Race," credits the Cross Plains representative as holding a commanding lead. He is being pursued by consignees from Albany, Stephenville, Granbury, Seymour, Mineral Wells and Denton, in that order.

"Business is good in Cross Plains," Lee said in commenting upon his company's announcement, "but why shouldn't it be, there's not a finer bunch of folks anywhere for a man to sell and serve."

Mrs. Leila Foster and son, Gerald of Cross Plains spent Wednesday through Saturday at Eules visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arden Strahan and family and Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Elliot and daughter. They attended "Six Flags Over Texas" with the Elliots Friday.

Mrs. E. E. Henderson of Coleman visited here last Friday in the home of her sister, Mrs. L. W. Westerman.

Mrs. Minnie Little of Cross Plains left Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Joe White, of Odessa to further recuperate from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Adair and children visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Adair at the Owen Ranch west of Cross Plains over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosa Henderson and daughter, Gail, of Henderson are visiting here in the home of her mother, Mrs. Pearl Moore.

Clyde Walker, Jr. Is Buried Monday

V. C. (Clyde) Walker, Jr., 52, who was reared in Cross Plains, died unexpectedly in San Antonio Saturday.

Funeral was held Monday at 2 p.m. from Higginbotham's Funeral Chapel here with the Rev. Lloyd Coker, local Methodist pastor, officiating. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery.

Mr. Walker was born March 14, 1914, at Alvarado and came to Cross Plains with his parents when he was a small boy. He attended Cross Plains schools and football fans remember him as an outstanding athlete on the Buffalo squad. He was a member of the Methodist Church and a veteran of World War II, having served with the Air Force. He had for a number of years been engaged in oil field work and at the time of his death he was employed by a San Antonio drilling company.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker of Cross Plains; two sisters, Mrs. Ava Childers of Cross Plains and Mrs. Mildred Browning of Springtown; and two brothers, S. A. of Big Spring and E. G. of Rankin.

Pallbearers were Ronald Walker, Tommy Adams, Wayne Browning, Lynn Browning, Donald Peninger and Teddy Souder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeston Lilly of Stephenville were here Friday for the Old Settlers Reunion.

BABY GIRL BORN TO COUPLE KNOWN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Spencer of Abilene are the parents of a baby girl born Tuesday 2 p.m. in Hendricks Hospital at Abilene. She weighed six pounds and was reported doing splendidly. Both mother and child are well. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards of Cross Plains are grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edwards of Clarksville are maternal grandparents.

MRS. E. L. POPE SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

Mrs. E. L. Pope of Cross Plains was reported slightly improved at an East Texas hospital Tuesday morning after entering for treatment of a chronic condition Tuesday week.

Mrs. Brent Underwood

daughter, Jane, of Odessa, visited here in the home of Mrs. Howard Cox and Mrs. Leeman Underwood over the week end.

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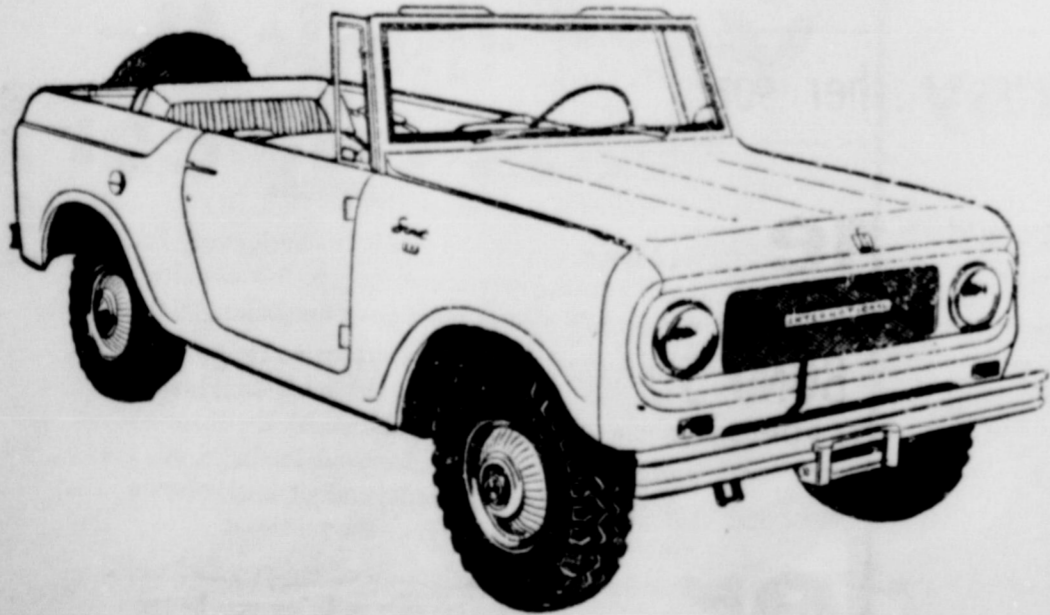
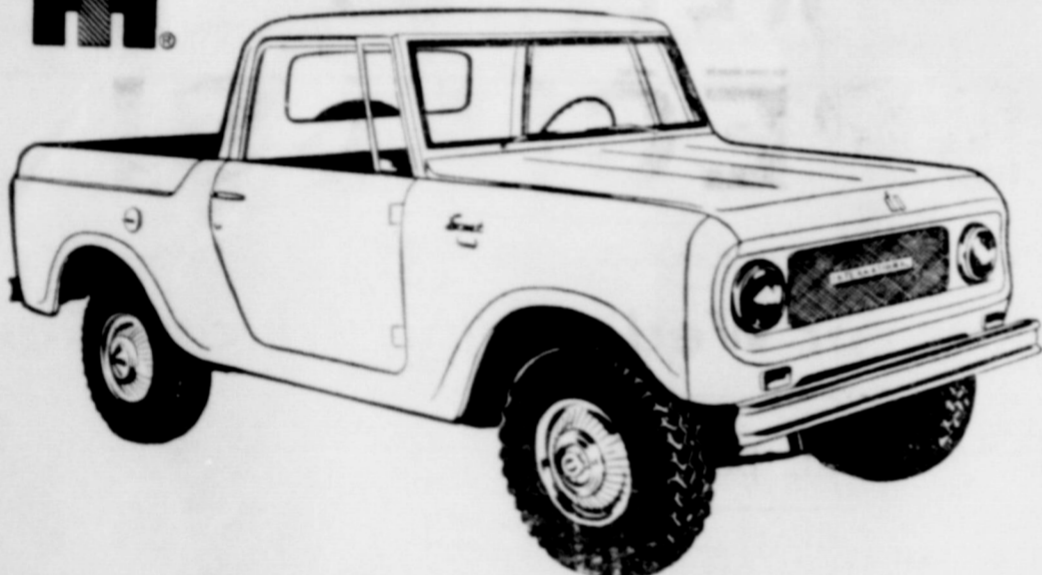
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Business Visits Homes Of Several Burkett Families

Mrs. Merrel Burkett spent Wednesday through Saturday in Merkel where they visited his sister and family, the Pete Burfields.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Porter had as their guests over the week end their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Porter of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy James Slack and Cindy of Odessa visited Mrs. Parsons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dodgen of Coleman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gould, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burks and family of Tokyo, Tex., spent the first of this week with her brother and family, the D. R. Goulds. David and Dalton Poole of Abilene were with them.

The Burks' grandson, Danny Burks of El Centro, Calif., accompanied his grandparents.

Steve Parker of Cross Plains, son of Mrs. R. C. Grissom of Burkett, is in Overall-Morris Hospital where he is being treated for polio. The seriousness of his condition has not yet been determined.

J. E. Mobley, 78, Expires At Baird

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\$201.50 Given To Liberty Cemetery

Vernon Phillips, treasurer of the Liberty Cemetery Association, reports \$111.50 has been contributed for maintenance of the burial plot there, and \$90 has been given for fencing the plot. A quilt, donated by Ella and Belle Phillips, brought \$23 at auction during the Pioneer, Liberty and Sabanno reunion last Thursday. It was bought by Harlon Lacy of Dallas.

Donors for the maintenance fund are as follows: Mrs. S. P. Keller \$10, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gage \$5, C. M. Pinkston \$5, Ella and Belle Phillips \$15, J. H. Pinkston \$15, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackburn \$10, Pinkston Heirs \$6, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Webb \$5, the S. B. Webb children \$16.50, Marvin Cade \$5, Ada Harrell \$5, Carl Butler \$2, Mrs. Eula Fore \$1, Willie Wood \$1, Dewitt Underwood \$5, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phillips \$3, Ella Duke \$2.

Donors for the fencing fund are as follows: Mertie Pinkston, Minnie Little, Hettie Lacy, Rosa Gooch, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gage, Davis Williams, Mrs. W. L. Bratcher, R. W. Pinkston and C. L. Webb, \$5 each, Ella and Belle Phillips \$15, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Pinkston, J. H. Pinkston and C. M. Pinkston \$10 each.

Phillips said, "We are endeavoring to maintain the premises at Liberty Cemetery in an attractive condition and need help and support badly from all families with loved ones buried there."

Those wishing to help maintain and fence the cemetery are asked to mail gifts to the Citizens State Bank of Cross Plains, which serves as depository for the association. "Please designate the amount given for each fund," the treasurer asks.

Norma Franke Named FB Queen Last Friday

Miss Norma Jean Franke, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Franke of Cross Plains, was crowned Callahan County Farm Bureau Queen for 1966-67 at the organization's contest held at Eula Friday night.

Norma Jean, who nosed out five other county girls for the title, will represent the county in District 7 Farm Bureau Queen competition Aug. 26 at Brownwood. She received her crown from last year FB Queen Carolyn Gardner of Eula, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Gene) Gardner.

The program was held in the auditorium of Eula High School following a salad supper in the school cafeteria.

Dick Vestal, vocational agriculture teacher in Baird High School, was master of ceremonies. His state and national FFA winning talent team, and instrumental group known as Mummerhead Sadler and His Nail Driving Five, provided special music.

Runner-up to the queen was Judy Cottle, 17, a senior in Moran High School and daughter of ranching couple Mr. and Mrs. James Cottle, who live two miles east of Moran.

The junior queen and only contestant was Elaine Eisenhower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Eisenhower of Putnam.

The senior queen is a graduate of Cross Plains High School. She plans to attend Angelo State College for one term; then enroll in the School of Nursing at Hendrick Memorial Hospital Abilene, for an RN degree.

Other contestants were Elaine Henry, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Henry, Baird ranch family; Christy Chesshir, 18, to be a freshman in Abilene Christian College and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Chesshir, Cross Plains; Susan Rock, 17, senior in Eula High School where her father, Claude Rock, is vocational agriculture teacher; and Roberta Scott, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scott, Oplin ranch family.

Judges were Mrs. Ann Justice, secretary of the Eastland County Farm Bureau; Gayle Baucom, Eastland County FB service agent; and Jim Lee Bacon of Anson, farmer and service agent of the Jones County Farm Bureau.

Special recognition was given Mrs. L. B. Jones, Moran; Mrs. Blain Odum, Baird; Mrs. John D. Montgomery, Cross Plains; Mrs. Mack Coppinger, Eula; Mrs. John Armor, Dudley; and Mrs. Lowell Johnson, Oplin, for their work in connection with the contest.



Norma Jean Franke

Needed Rain Falls Over This Section

Scattered showers which fell over the Cross Plains area the past week revived parched pastures and boosted the outlook for peanut and cotton crops.

In Cross Plains the precipitations measured 1.10 inches, however, west of here the fall was much heavier.

S. F. Bond, official Weather Bureau observer, has measured 1.49 inches of moisture here during August. None was recorded in July and the rain fall for the year thus far stood at 12.95 inches late Monday.

Rainfall reports from other nearby communities included the following: Atwell 2.00 inches, Cross Cut .70, Sabanno 1.00, Rowden 2.75, Cottonwood .90, and Pioneer .50.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wilson and sons left last Thursday for a two weeks vacation in New Mexico.

GOSPEL MEETING AT PIONEER CONTINUES

Gospel meeting of the Pioneer Church of Christ is continuing this week at the tabernacle there. Services will run through next Sunday, and starting time is 8 p.m.

Dan Fogarty of Mount Pleasant is doing the preaching, and large crowds have heard the nationally known evangelist the first of the week.

PUBLIC NOTICE

A hearing will be held on the 22nd day of August, beginning at 8:30 p.m., in the high school building at Cross Plains, Texas, for the purpose of adopting a budget for Callahan County for the fiscal year of 1965. All interested persons are invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams and two children of Fort Worth spent the week end here in the home of her mother and brother, Mrs. Flora Wright and Ted Souder. The children remained for a longer visit.

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Judge Ely Defends U. S. Supreme Court Rulings

Controversial decisions of the United States Supreme Court were defended and explained here Friday by U. S. Appellate Court Judge Walter R. Ely, Jr. of Los Angeles, who delivered the principal address at the annual gathering of old settlers in the City Park.

Judge Ely is a native of Baird and the son of W. R. Ely, prominent Abilene attorney.

The speaker recalled that happiest days of his life were spent on the ranch of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper McCoy, near the banks of Pecan Bayou in this county.

"There were no paved roads here when I was a boy," said the judge of the 9th Circuit of the U. S. Court of Appeals, the nation's most widespread. "I remember when it was an all-day enterprise to go to Abilene from Baird."

"If everyone in the world came from Callahan County, it would be a better place in which to live." Then he spoke of the parental devotion which early-day settlers gave to their young persons.

Judge Ely reviewed recent Supreme Court decisions involving prayers in public schools, equal rights and states' rights discussing recent criticism of the court.

While not agreeing with all decisions of the Supreme Court, he pointed out that judges must be independent in their decision-making, without fear of reprisals. "Some of the attacks on the court have been rather reckless," he said.

"The prayer decision had been interpreted by some persons as indicating the court was against prayer," he said.

"It went no further than this, that no government agency can prescribe a prayer in our schools which a child must say without isolating himself from his class," he said.

He spoke of the decisions on equal rights. "We as decent people can hardly expect our Negroes to bear arms, to defend the liberties of this country, and deny to them the rights in the government which they support with their taxes."

He reminded critics that the court was interpreting the Constitution, and that the people have the right to amend the Constitution.

He commented on recent demonstrations against the Viet Nam war.

across the streets of San Francisco with signs protesting the war in Viet Nam," said the Marine Guadalcanal veteran. "I am a little sick when I see it."

He said Congress had voted time after time for the commitments in Southeast Asia and "because we gave our word," the U. S. was committed to remain.

"As a man builds his reputation on honor, so a country must build its reputation on honor," he said.

25 Buffalo Gridders Report For Practice

Twenty-five Buffalo gridders began meeting twice daily pre-season practice sessions at the high school Monday morning.

Jack Gray, head coach, said Tuesday, "The enthusiasm is good and the players are real eager." He continued, "We are top-notch in that category, but we have not had enough time to accurately size-up the team."

Morning workouts begin at 7:30 and afternoon sessions start at 5:30 with each practice lasting about two hours. Practice will drop to one each day when school begins on Aug. 29.

Opponents for the coming grid campaign consist of three Class AA schools, two class B squads, and one class A outfit in non-conference play. Season begins with the thundering herd taking on Eastland Sept. 9. District 9-A play starts Oct. 21 with Goldthwaite.

Complete schedule follows: Sept. 9 — Eastland, there Sept. 16 — Hamilton, here Sept. 23 — Clyde, there Sept. 30 — Baird, here Oct. 7 — Gorman, there Oct. 14 — Bangs, here Oct. 21 — Goldthwaite, here Oct. 28 — Early, there Nov. 4 — Santa Anna, here Nov. 11 — Rising Star, there

* Denotes district games.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and every one for their kindness, words of encouragement, food, flowers, visits and the friends who sat up with us at the funeral home through our mother's illness and death. Our special thanks goes to Dr. Carl J. Sohns and Mrs. John Purvis for their faithfulness.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 24 proposing an amendment to Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section thereto, Section 2a, to provide for voting on electors for President and Vice President, and on all state-wide offices, questions or propositions by persons qualified to vote in this State except for meeting county or district residence requirements, and to provide for voting on electors for President and Vice President by otherwise qualified United States citizens who have moved into or out of the State preceding a presidential election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
 Section 1. Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas is amended by adding a new Section thereto, Section 2a, to read:

"Section 2a. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Constitution, the Legislature may enact laws and provide a method of registration, including the time of such registration, permitting any person who is qualified to vote in this State except for the residence requirements within a county or district, as set forth in Section 2 of this Article, to vote for (1) electors for President and Vice President of the United States and (2) all offices, questions

or propositions to be voted on by all electors throughout this State.

"(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Constitution, the Legislature may enact laws and provide for a method of registration, including the time for such registration, permitting absentee voting for electors for President and Vice President of the United States in this State by former residents of this State (1) who have removed to another state, and (2) who meet all qualifications, except residence requirements, for voting for electors for President and Vice President in this State at the time of the election, but the privileges of suffrage so granted shall be only for

such period of time as would permit a former resident of this State to meet the residence requirements for voting in his new state of residence, and in no case for more than twenty-four (24) months."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment permitting persons qualified to vote in this State except for the residence requirements in a county or district to vote for Presidential and Vice Presidential Electors and for all state-wide offices, questions or propositions, and permitting citizens of the United States recently arrived or departed from the State to vote for Presidential and Vice Presidential Electors."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment permitting persons qualified to vote in this State except for the residence requirements in a county or district to vote for Presidential and Vice Presidential Electors and for all state-wide offices, questions or propositions, and permitting citizens of the United States recently arrived or departed from the State to vote for Presidential and Vice Presidential Electors."

Sec. 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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Aug. 10, 1966

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Plain Feeder Heifers . . . 20 - 23

Cows and Calves, pair
 Good 210 - 240
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 Stocker Cows 17 - 21.40

Slaughter Cattle
 Fat Calves 23 - 25.60
 Fat Cows 17.50 - 19

Utility and Cutter
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 Shells 12 - 13.50
 Stocker Bulls 22 - 26.50
 Slaughter Bulls 20 - 22.60
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PUBLIC NOTICE

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Housing Authority of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, will receive bids for construction of Low Rent Housing Project No. TEX 172-1 until 6:30 P.M., C.S.T., on the 8th day of September, 1966, at the City Hall in the City of Cross Plains, Texas, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposed forms of contract documents including plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Housing Authority of the City of Cross Plains and at the office of the Architects and Engineers, Fitch & Holdredge, 5731 Gulf Freeway, Houston, Texas.

Copies of the documents may be obtained by depositing \$50.00 with the Architects and Engineers, Fitch & Holdredge, 5731 Gulf Freeway, Houston, Texas, for each set of documents so obtained. Such deposits will be refunded to each person who returns plans, specifications and other documents in good condition, within 10 days after bid opening.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the Housing Authority of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, U. S. Government Bonds or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bid-

der and acceptable surety an amount equal to five percent of the bid shall be submitted with each bid.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish and for satisfactory performance and payment bond, or bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages set forth in the specifications shall be paid on this project, that the contractor will be required to perform with his forces the construction trades of structural concrete, carpentry, and that preference insofar as practicable, shall be given by the contractor hiring of workers for the project to qualified local labor.

The Housing Authority of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, reserves the right to waive any or all bids or to waive informalities in the bid. No bid shall be withdrawn a period of sixty (60) days sequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the Housing Authority of the City of Cross Plains, Texas.

Housing Authority of the City of Cross Plains, Texas
 By: Jimmilee Payne, Chairman
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10-Year-Old Boy Describes Customs Of 2 Foreign Lands

Which do you think a 10-year-old Texas boy would find more interesting Germany, Tunisia, Spain or Cross Plains?

Brad Bowden, local fifth-grader and son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bowden, has a positive answer to that question. He just recently returned home from a trans-Atlantic flight to Europe and North Africa and is quick to say, "It was nice seeing things over there but I have a lot more fun in Cross Plains."

He accompanied his aunt and five cousins to Sousse, Tunisia, where his uncle is a professor of agriculture, on loan from Texas A & M University to the Tunisian government.

Flew Atlantic

In commenting upon his nearly 8,000 miles of plane flying, Brad said that he was never really afraid but that the trip from the Brownwood airport to Love Field in Dallas made him the most nervous.

"It was the first time I'd been up," he says, "and it takes a little time to get used to flying."

His plane left New York on the trip over and landed in Madrid, Spain.

Slept Through Spain

"Actually I never saw Spain at all," says the youngster, "we were there only two hours and I slept the whole time."

From Madrid he flew to Tunis and went on down to Sousse, which overlooks the Mediterranean Sea. Swimming in the calm, blue waters of the Med-

iterranean is remembered as one of the most delightful experiences of his trip abroad. He and a nine-year-old cousin spent most of their spare time there.



Brad Bowden

Not much English was heard except from the Americans who live in the community where the Cross Plains boy's kinsmen are quartered.

Customs Strange

Asked what great differences he noted in the customs abroad and those of his home country, Brad pointed out that in Tunisia all stores close for three hours just after noon each day because of the extreme heat and everyone seeks out the coolest place he can find, while many persons wear American and European style clothing.

a large number of the women and very old men garb themselves in loose, white robes; the beggars on the streets of all North African towns are especially numerous and persistent. From North Africa the Cross Plains boy flew to Germany, where he spent a week with the family of another kinsman in military service at Bumbholder, a town which he describes as being "not much larger than Cross Plains".

While a 10-year-old might not be expected to learn a great deal about a country during only a week's sojourn there, Brad demonstrates that such is not necessarily the case.

Learned A Lot

"In Germany I learned that many things we take for granted in the U. S. are very valuable in Europe."

He explained that he was told that it was the custom there for a motorist who ran over a tree to be forced to pay for the value of the wood destroyed and compensate its owners for whatever fruit or nuts it would have borne or the shade that it would have provided. The same thing is true with chickens run over by an automobile, he pointed out. The driver of the car is required to pay for the chicken and the value of all the eggs it might have produced.

The Summer now ending has been the most interesting of Brad's lifetime, and he is frank to say that he's sorry to see it end and school start again.

LOCAL FHA CHAPTER SETS WELCOME PARTY

Cross Plains chapter of Future Homemakers of America will give a welcoming Coke party Friday, Aug. 26, at 2:30 p.m. at the homemaking cottage on the school campus.

Girls are asked to wear dress attire, and all freshmen and FHA members were urged to attend.

25 NOW LIVING AT NURSING HOME HERE

Twenty-five persons are now living at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains a spokesman for the home said Tuesday morning.

Three more senior citizens took residence at the local nursing home within the last few days. There presently are four vacancies.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Taylor and family of Safford, Ariz., visited friends in Burkett and Cross Plains during the week end.

Susan Souder of El Paso arrived here Sunday for a few days visit with her grandmother and uncle, Mrs. Flora Wright and Ted Souder.

Local Shooters Win 2 Firsts Last Sunday

Two Cross Plains shooters collected first place awards Sunday in competition at the Grand Prairie Gun Club Varmint and Sporter Matches.

J. L. (Pokey) Bonner shot his way to first place in sporter class, winning the 200 yard aggregate. Jim Gilmore led the heavy varmint field, also taking top 200 yard honors in that division.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Allen and son of Victoria visited here recently in the home of her mother, Mrs. Rosa Purvis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ray of Brownwood visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. VOLLIE McDONOUGH.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smith and daughters, Nancy and Lynda, of Houston spent the week end here with Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith. Others visiting in the home were Mrs. H. B. Campbell and daughter Mildred Hale and sons, David and Jeffery, all of Ibbetson, Calif., an Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gage of Coleman.

W. W. AISHMAN ENTERS SANTA ANNA HOSPITAL

W. W. Aishman of this city has been receiving medical treatment at a Santa Anna hospital for the past week. He was reported only slightly improved Tuesday, and it was thought he would remain there for several more days before being released.

DOUG CAMPBELL HAS SURGERY ON MONDAY

Doug Campbell of Cross Plains was reported recovering normally Tuesday after undergoing surgery on his back Monday in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. He was expected to be released from the hospital in about 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Fulton and grandson of Oktaha, Okla., and Mrs. Vinie Burch of McLean visited Gladys Riggs and E. W. Riggs here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGary returned to their home in Andrews last week end after spending several days here with her mother, Mrs. Sally Atwood.

Berry Bells Host Reunion Sunday

A reunion of the descendants of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Bell held Sunday at the local place's home in the north of town with 75 children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren present for the occasion. Eight of the couple's children were there for the first time only one not attending their youngest daughter, who is in Japan, where her husband is serving with military.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Mough and two children of Covina, Calif., visited here and Mrs. VOLLIE McDONOUGH here the past week.

Recent visitors with Nettie Wilson were Mrs. Alfred McClure of Abilene, Bernice Coats of Lubbock, Frances Gilleland of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon of Grosvener and Mrs. Mrs. Jake Carter, who live of town.

Athletic Boosters To Meet Tuesday

Cross Plains Athletic Boosters Club will hold its second meeting of the new school year Tuesday night at 7:30 in the study hall at the high school building.

"All members are urged to attend," Harry Dodds said in announcing the session. "Plans will be finalized for a barbecue for 1966-67 local athletes and club members, and committees will be named for the various club projects," he explained.

O. D. STRAHAN TAKEN TO HOSPITAL TUESDAY

O. D. Strahan, well-known Cross Plains man, was taken to a Big Spring hospital Tuesday. He was believed to have suffered a heart attack. Other details were not immediately available for publication.

O. B. Edmondson returned home Friday from a state meeting of vocational agriculture teachers in Fort Worth.

Rowden News Revealed In Factual, Interesting Report

By Mrs. B. Crow

Lonnie Smedley of Davenport, Okla., and his daughter, Mrs. Truman Patterson of Gainsville visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price and attended the Old Settlers Reunion at Cross Plains last week.

Several people from this community attended funeral services for Fred Cutbirth at Godfrey Funeral Home at Baird last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Hollingshead, Mrs. Eleuda Sikes and Earnest Sikes of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Miller and family of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Judy and Mrs. Leila Gibbs all had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rose at Cross Plains Friday.

Virginia Odom is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom, Nancy and Ivan. She has just returned from Colorado where

she spent six weeks in college. She will teach again at Snyder this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Lehw, Lynna and Dennis of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crow and Richie spent Sunday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow.

Granville Gibbs and Carl and David Miller of Odessa, grandsons of Jackson Miller, spent some time last week with Mrs. Leila Gibbs and the N. V. Gibbs family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adair attended the Johnson reunion at the Coleman park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin spent the week end with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Masters, Melinda and Charlotte of Snyder and all attended the reunion there Sunday. L. T. Mauldin was also present for the reunion.

Mrs. Jim Gibson and Mrs. D. S. McGee, Lynda and Freda Kay of Temple visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow Thursday.

Visitors of Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond last week were Jack Blakley of Amarillo, Mrs. Verda Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird, Mrs. Elic Bainbridge and Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Judy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blakley attended the old settlers reunion at Cross Plains Friday.

Jane Miller of Stephenville spent the week end with Judy Gibbs. Judy went home with her Monday to spend part of this week.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mrs. B. Crow Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Muncille and children of Carlsbad, N. M., and Mrs. Betty Muncille of Abilene had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin one night last week.

COACHES, SCHOOL HEAD ATTEND 9-A CONFERENCE

Coaches Jack Gray, Carter Williams and Billy Pope and Supt. Wayne Ford attended an executive committee meeting of District 9-A at Early Monday night.

The session was to discuss schedules and matters pertaining to University Interscholastic League athletes for the 1966-67 season.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry McDonough and children, Blenda and Ray returned to their home in West Covina, Calif. Monday after a ten day visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. VOLLIE McDONOUGH.



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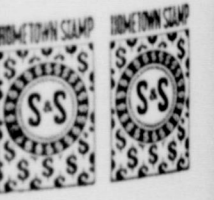
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