

## Federal Government Mapping Cross Plains And Rowden Sectors

An engineering field party of the Topographic Division, U. S. Geological Survey, is now engaged in surveying operations for the preparation of an accurate topographic map of Cross Plains and Rowden area. This mapping is part of a continuing nation-wide program that has been underway for many years, the objective of which is to complete and maintain a series of standard topographic maps covering the U. S. and its possessions.

Bobby King of Oberlin, Kan., is now doing the control. He is located here in Cross Plains for the winter. He has one daughter, Vicky, who is in the first grade. Other field parties are now engaged in mapping throughout Texas.

The finished topographic maps are published in rectangular sheets, called quadrangles. These sheets each consist of 63 square miles. At this time 189 square miles is being mapped. They show roads, trails, houses, political boundaries and all other man-made features, as well as lakes, ponds, the courses of streams, and other water features. In addition, these maps depict the shape and slope of the land surface, hills and valleys, and give its altitude above sea level. Quadrangle maps of adjacent areas can be joined to show any desired area, such as a city, county or school district.

Topographic maps serve as a basis for the study and solution of many problems relating to activities that are affected by the character and relief of the earth's surface. The problems may involve mineral or water resources, prospecting and mining, engineering construction of all types, location of industrial sites, urban planning, military requirements, and recreation. "Good maps facilitate the development of all projects that deal with the land," King said.

Although any one mapping project may be partially related to a particular development program or a specific need, the topographic mapping of the Geological Survey is done essentially because these maps have a general-purpose value, and because it is sound economy to have them on hand for any specific planning that future developments or investigations might require, King pointed out.

In the preparation of these maps, most modern engineering methods are employed. Aerial photography and precise photogrammetric instruments are part of the basic mapping process, but field surveys are still required at two stages. The first of these is to establish control points, that is, elevations above sea level and geographic positions. To classify all buildings, roads, water features, and anything that appears on the photographs. To locate all boundaries, city, county, and state. To obtain and check all names. All of stage one is done on the photographs. The second is to check any new development or changes that could not be done during stage one. The control survey is now in progress in this area. The cooperation of local residents and landowners in assisting the field party engaged on this survey is being sought.

### Sale Of 1968 Car Tags Begins Here Thursday

There's something different about 1968 automobile registration plates which go on sale Thursday. For the first time since Texas Centennial — 30 years ago — the tags bear an advertising message.

### Rodney Joy Made Cashier Of Bank

Rodney Joy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oral Joy of Cross Plains, has been recently promoted from auditor to cashier of the Lubbock National Bank. He has been with the large South Plains financial establishment five and one-half years.

### Neighbors, Friends Help Repair Home

There has not been a house raising in this area for many years, but a happening at Cottonwood contains the same Good Samaritan sentiment.

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A group of about 15 men of the Cottonwood and Atwell areas are making repairs to home of Harvey and Willie Wilcox which was recently heavily damaged in a butane gas explosion. Clint Brashear is reportedly heading the project and is receiving ample help from other friends and neighbors of the brothers.

### BILLY C. McMILLAN RETURNS TO TEMPLE

Billy Charles McMillan, who is a patient at the Veterans Hospital in Temple, was at home over the week end but returned for further tests.

### Cross Plains Schools Strive Hard To Field Formidable Teams In UIL Literary Events

Cross Plains schools are making an effort to field entries in all divisions of the upcoming District Literary Meet to be held at Early in Brownwood during March and April.

which reads, "Texas HemisFair in 68."

In Callahan County the new plates may be bought at either the courthouse in Baird or at McCuin's Insurance Agency in Cross Plains. Texas law permits displaying the new tags on or after Feb. 1, the date issuance begins.

New rates on passenger car tags are as follows: up to 3,500 pounds \$12.30, 3,501 to 4,500 pounds \$22.30, 4,501 to 6,000 pounds \$30.30, more than 6,000 pounds will run 55 cents per 100 pounds.

Passenger car tags for 1968 are black with white letters. The lot assigned to Callahan County bears the prefix DCT. Last year's was DCN.

An act of the 1967 legislature placed a minimum of \$5.30 on any vehicle registered, including boat trailers.

Within the cost of this year's tags is a 30 cent charge to go into a fund being started by the state to make all tags reflective in 1969. There will, though, be no tags of this type sold during 1968.

It has been estimated that the Cross Plains office will issue about 1,500 sets of 1968 tags at an average cost of near \$22.30, for a total amount of \$33,150.



Omar Burleson

### Burleson To Run For Re-Election

Congressman Omar Burleson, who represents the 17th District of Texas in the U. S. House of Representatives, has announced for re-election.

He has filed for a place on the Callahan County ballot in the Democratic Primary Election on May 4, 1968.

Burleson was elected to the 80th Congress from the 17th District and has been re-elected to each succeeding Congress.

He is Chairman of the Committee on House Administration in the House of Representatives, and ranks second from the Chairman on the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

### Street Markers Going Up At Most All Intersections

Second phase in a two-pronged civic improvement program, advocated by the Chamber of Commerce and implemented by the City Council, is now underway here.

The first phase, one which called for better lighting of both the downtown and residential districts of the city, was completed more than a month ago. Final step in the project, that of plainly marking principal streets and avenues got underway Monday afternoon, and will be completed within two weeks. Work is being done by city employees in time that can be spared from other responsibilities. Helping with the undertaking is the Rev. Roger Butler, pastor of the First Baptist Church, who headed a Chamber of Commerce committee in planning the second

phase of civic improvement and who had charge of the selection and ordering of markers.

The street sign, supplied by one of the nation's principal manufacturers of this type of equipment, are green with white lettering. Letters on the metal plates are four inches tall and thought to be plainly visible from a distance of 50 yards. The design used here is the same as which was adopted for official

number of America's larger cities. It was recently approved for both Abilene and Brownwood.

Other members of the committee, named by the Chamber of Commerce to confer with "city fathers" and work out details for street marking, were O. B. Edmondson and Ted Souder.

City employees installing the markers are Bill Dillard, A. B. Foster and Bill Hedrick.

### LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND FT. WORTH STOCK SHOW

Cross Plains people attending the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show over the week end included: Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnell, Mrs. Juanita Mayes and Rex, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom, Larry and Lynn, and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson and Eddy Don, who was at home from Texas A&M.

### Doyle Oliver Enters State Game School

Doyle Oliver was to have left Cross Plains Wednesday for Austin and five days of orientation prior to entering Game Warden Training School at Texas A&M University at College Station.

The 1959 graduate of Cross Plains High School is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Oliver of this city. Oliver recently passed all requirements necessary for appointment to the school. He is a veteran and served a tour of duty in Germany.

His wife, Glenda, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. (Lee-man) Jennings of Cross Plains, and one-year-old daughter, Terri, will live here until his graduation June 1.

### TOM BURKSES VISIT GREAT-GRANDCHILD

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burks returned Monday from Odessa, where they went to visit their first great-granddaughter, Dawn Michell, daughter of A-1c Michael and Mrs. Browning. The child was born Jan. 23.

The child's father is with Air Force personnel in Saigon, Vietnam.

### County Civil Defense Unit To Be Formed

At least five Cross Plains persons are expected to participate in organization of a Callahan County Civil Defense unit.

The county unit will begin a 16-hour school Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 7 p.m. in the Baird High School Agriculture Building with a four-hour session. It will be followed by similar meetings on Feb. 8, 14 and 15. Instruction will be by a member of the Texas Department of Public Safety in Abilene.

Cross Plains firemen planning to attend the sessions are Travis Foster, Alton E. Hornsby, Oscar Koenig, Bill Hedrick and Freddy Tatom. Representatives of fire departments at Clyde and Baird have indicated attendance as have individuals from the Eula area.

### Gene Rhodes Heads Rising Star C Of C

Gene Rhodes, formerly of Cross Plains, has been named head of Rising Star Chamber of Commerce. He succeeds H. McDonald, also a former local resident, who has served as president of the Rising Star C of C three years.

Rhodes and other new officers will be officially installed Feb. 23 at the chamber's annual dinner meeting in the high school gym. A featured speaker for the affair has not yet been named.

Rhodes is local manager for the West Texas Utilities Company at Rising Star.

### CITY UTILITIES GROSS \$9,108.09 IN JANUARY

Gross receipts of Cross Plains' municipally-owned utility systems reached \$9,108.09 during January.

Figures released by Mrs. Ava Childers, city secretary, are as follows:

Gas	\$6,447.05
Water	1,688.25
Sewer	852.00
Gas sales tax	119.89
Total	\$9,108.09

With a colder than normal January, gas sales were believed to have been near an all-time high. The system proved adequate during the extreme weather, though, with no interruption of service.

### BAPTIST WORKERS GO TO CLYDE ON MONDAY

A delegation from Cross Plains attended quarterly Baptist Workers Conference in Clyde Monday night.

### FLOYD LEE RETURNS HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Floyd Lee came home Monday from the Eastland Hospital, where he was taken last Thursday. He suffered an attack of pneumonia.

### Grand Jury Meets Friday

Twenty persons have been summoned for possible grand jury service in 42nd District Court, which convenes in Baird Friday morning, Feb. 2.

The list from which 16 jurors will be chosen is as follows:

Lowell Johnson, Route 1

Ovalo; Blan Odom, Baird; Wendell Smith, Star Route Baird; Mrs. Harry Steen, Clyde; Vance Stephenson, Baird; Nathan Foster, Route 4 Cisco; Mrs. C. W. Floyd, Clyde; W. D. (Bud) Fleming, Putnam; Mrs. Freddy Tatom, Cross Plains; R. A. Miller, Route 2 Clyde; Hilton Tarrant,

### Baird Brothers Show Fort Worth Winners

Two Callahan County youths, Ricky and Andy Vestal, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vestal of Baird, showed their summer yearlings to division championships at the Fort Worth Livestock Exposition and Fat Stock Show last week end.

Ricky, 15, exhibited the first place winner in the Charolais class for summer yearlings, and Andy, 12, did the same in the division for Brahman.

### PROWLERS BREAK GLASS AT DILLARD'S STORE

Prowlers at Dillard's Texaco Station on Highway 36 pushed a vending machine through a plate glass window one night last week.

### M. P. WILCOXENS NOW AT DAUGHTER'S HOME

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxen, Sr. of Cottonwood are now at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Simpson, in Anson. Both were recent hospital patients. She is recovering from eye surgery and he suffered an attack of flu.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Havens and family of Garland visited in Cross Plains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown and family of Midland were Cross Plains visitors last week end.

Mrs. Darwin Anderson and Mrs. Ethel Anderson were Coleman visitors Monday.

### WILCOXEN BROTHERS REPORTED IMPROVED

Harvey and Willie Wilcoxen, brothers who suffered burns in a butane gas explosion which severely damaged their home north of Cottonwood about 10 days ago, are reported improving and feeling much better in Brownwood Memorial Hospital. Willie is expected to be released latter part of this week, but Harvey, more severely burned, is expected to remain for some time.

Clasp Envelopes — Review

## Work Day Planned In Pioneer Locality

By Mrs. Delma Dean

Another reminder is issued that Thursday, Feb. 1, will be work-day at the clubhouse. Everyone is urged to help and bring lunch. Each worker is asked to bring some tools such as hammers, nails, rakes, tack-pullers. Plans are to mend chairs, rebuild the quilting frames and do clean-up work. Visiting with Mrs. Ethel Brown during the week end were John Nunnally and Jack White of Rising Star, Mrs. Gus Brandon of Sabanno, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger, Mrs. Cora Howland and Mrs. Marvin Smith of Cross Plains and Mrs. Annie Laura Alexander of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Langford of Cisco spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McFarin.

Janet Harlow and Cathy Anderson of Arlington visited with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore the afternoons of Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington of Brownwood spent night and Monday with the Fores.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Burgett and Mildred Coon visited Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Harris in Cross Plains Saturday night.

Mrs. Luther Forbes and Mrs. Donald Stover are still on the sick list, and were unable to attend church Sunday.

Mrs. Lorine Bryson is caring for her father in her home this week. His wife had a stroke recently and is in an Abilene hospital.

Larry Bowman of Cisco Junior College spent the week end at home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Martin of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stover, over the week end, and attended church in Pioneer Sunday.

Mrs. Wanetta Parson of Brownwood and her mother, Mrs. Cowan Hutton, were in Eastland on business Monday.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flippen during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Flippen and baby and Mack Flippen of Abilene.

Stanley Huddleston of Ballinger, Judy Barr and baby of Coleman, the Rev. Dan Gaines of Abilene, Dow and Veda Mae Flippen of Corpus Christi, Ronnie Flippen of Stephenville is spending a few days with them. Cathy James of Denton College and her girl friend, Marie Forrells, and Neil Blair also visited with them Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Eakin visited with her mother, Mrs. Ed Curry, in Cross Plains last week, and also visited her sisters, Blanch Brooks, Gertie Maud Powell and Kate McCarty, also of Cross Plains.

Derlene Brooks and her sister, Lanell Brooks, and Mr. and Mrs. Pinkie Ellis, all of May, visited in the Sam Eakin home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray visited in San Angelo last week with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Tonne and children. Mrs. Gray's sister, Annie Scrogum, of Odessa, was also in San Angelo and returned home with the Grays for a few days visit.

Mrs. Grace Eakin visited in Rising Star with Mrs. Charlie Tyler one day last week.

The Robert Carliles of Albany spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shirley, and all enjoyed a birthday dinner celebrating Mrs. Carlile's (Patty) birthday. Brent Key of Cross Plains also spent the day with them.

Jess Dean Hutton has a severe case of influenza, and Lynn Hutton has a mild case. Mrs. Hutton took the boys back to Eastland Monday morning for more shots. It is hoped that they can soon be well, and that the other members of the family don't take the flu.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ratliff during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Morton and family of Ranger, Ed Watson and Brad of Big Lake, Ray Westall of Killeen,

## Knight's Team Grabs Share Of CPBC Lead

Tommy Knight's team defeated J. P. McCord's foursome 3-1 last week and claimed a share of the leadership of Cross Plains Bowling Club. The latter squad had unchallenged lead for the past several weeks.

Ted Souder's quartet rebuffed a challenge by Dan Johnston's squad in winning 3-1. The victory left Souder's crew in third place.

Tommy Knight paced his unit's triumph by posting the high individual series of 507 which was spiced with a 186 game, rated runner-up in high individual game. Benny Glover posted an opening game 192, and his 477 three-game total of 477 was second in the series division. Mrs. J. P. McCord placed third in both brackets with a 177 game and series aggregate of 429.

Teamwise McCord's foursome grabbed the high game diadem with an 814 closing effort, which shadowed Knight's opening 802 team score. Souder's unit had a combined 783 score for third place. Knight's team won the series laruel by toppling 2,271 pins. Souder's bunch felled 2,248 maples, and McCord's squad was third with 2,125.

Second division teams were to have tested the top two clubs in this week's action. Johnston was to tangle with Knight, and Souder was to skirmish McCord.

After nine weeks of competition, stands follow.

	W	L	Pct.
McCord's team	21	15	.583
Knight's team	21	15	.583
Souder's team	17	19	.472
Johnston's team	13	23	.361

Mr. and Mrs. Bell of Corpus Christi and Dwight Ludueke of Brownwood. Daney Ratliff and Ray Curry spent the week end in Burkburnett visiting Maj. Ben Eakin.

Cards Of Thanks — 75c

## Mother Of Local Pastor Succumbs

Mrs. Zeulah Emmett Coker, 89, native of Comanche County and mother of the Rev. Lloyd Coker of Cross Plains, was laid to final rest in the Indian Creek Cemetery near Comanche last Thursday morning.

She died 4:45 a.m. on the Tuesday before.

Mrs. Coker, daughter of the late Thomas A. McDonald and Hulett Bell Stanton McDonald, was born March 23, 1878 in Comanche County. She was married, Nov. 10, 1895 in Comanche to the late Dave Coker. They were the parents of three children. One son, Otis Coker, preceded his mother in death.

She was a member of the East Side Baptist Church, Comanche.

Mrs. Coker is survived by two sons, Elton Coker of San Angelo, and Rev. Lloyd Coker of Cross Plains; a brother in Tennessee; four grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.



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**Roast** CHUCK, YOUTH FAIR BEEF, LB. **49c**

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Sauce, 7 cans -- \$1

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11 OUNCE CAN DEL MONTE MANDARIN

Oranges, 4 cans \$1

**Corn** DEL MONTE, Whole Kernel or Cream Style .. **5 cans for \$1**

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1950 ..	1.07	.27	.12	2.13	6.82	3.60	3.02	1.26	1.38	.36	.00	.00	20.03
1951 ..	.00	.91	.94	1.55	4.20	3.88	.81	.76	.71	1.97	.00	.00	15.73
1952 ..	.34	.30	1.30	2.60	3.37	.30	.10	.25	1.65	.00	3.12	1.40	14.73
1953 ..	.00	.40	3.75	1.20	4.25	3.00	2.52	2.28	.15	5.87	.48	.28	24.18
1954 ..	.71	.30	.75	4.51	3.11	.00	.25	.50	.00	2.01	2.50	.50	15.14
1955 ..	1.39	1.71	.21	1.17	3.06	2.65	3.47	2.75	.25	2.30	.53	.00	19.46
1956 ..	1.65	1.28	.30	5.55	2.26	.22	.00	.00	.00	2.45	1.95	2.35	18.01
1957 ..	.36	1.85	1.26	7.40	9.50	3.46	.12	.00	4.07	5.66	1.00	4.90	38.58
1958 ..	1.35	2.01	1.55	3.60	3.10	1.50	2.00	2.00	2.73	2.36	.25	2.21	24.71
1959 ..	.00	.56	.30	1.65	3.27	5.37	4.09	.93	1.35	5.17	4.01	.63	27.30
1960 ..	2.85	2.20	.00	1.76	1.84	.00	2.20	2.01	2.20	3.50	2.51	.97	21.07
1961 ..	5.60	1.58	.46	.67	4.21	7.30	2.58	.45	.67	3.25	.55	3.66	31.20
1962 ..	.00	.61	.76	3.09	.37	6.22	4.08	.30	7.36	3.07	.92	1.18	27.96
1963 ..	.00	.50	.25	1.86	8.24	2.12	.22	.73	.78	2.67	.58	.83	20.87
1964 ..	2.40	1.67	1.47	2.69	.30	.35	.10	3.02	8.95	1.45	1.68	.35	24.43
1965 ..	2.50	1.85	.41	.76	7.87	2.41	.00	2.30	2.85	2.40	1.60	1.55	26.40
1966 ..	.51	.86	.43	5.40	.00	4.26	.00	5.57	3.15	1.26	.02	.00	21.46
1967 ..	.00	.57	.91	3.39	5.40	2.44	1.22	.82	5.21	1.83	1.90	1.20	24.89
1968 ..	9.20												9.20

Eighteen-year Average Rainfall: 23.12

Normal Rainfall Here: 24.54

Above figures taken from official records of S. F. Bond, observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau

### 4,000 Voters For County Predicted

Voter registration forms have been pouring into Tax Assessor-Collector Albert Lovell's office this week faster than clerks could process.

"We have a stack six inches high in front of us right now," Lovell said Tuesday morning, "and from the way forms are coming in it appears that Callahan County may exceed 4,000 registrants."

Completion of voter registration presents Lovell's staff with another sizeable chore. It is that of assorting registrants into proper precincts and preparing certified lists of voters in time for upcoming city and school elections the first week in April.

### Candidates Must File By Feb. 5

Monday of next week, Feb. 5, is the last day in which a candidate may file for county or district office in time to have name printed on ballots to be used in party primary elections in May.

Democratic candidates must file with County Chairman A. E. Dyer, Jr. at Baird, and Republican hopefuls are required to file with County Chairman Ike Neal of Cross Plains.

### LEOMA VAUGHN NOW IN CLYDE REST HOME

Leoma Vaughn, former Cross Plains lady, has taken residence in a nursing home at Clyde.

J. C. Claborn was a business visitor in Brownwood Tuesday morning.

### Rowden Folk Wonder About Coming Spring

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

This community had more rain showers over the week end to add to the muddy conditions everywhere. So far this year, Rowden has had ice, sleet, rain, fog and so many cloudy days. People are beginning to wonder what Spring will be like. Some think cellars need to be dried out for future use. Ducks have been seen going north the last few days, a sign of warm weather. It's nearly time to think about early gardening, but no one has gardens ready.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smedley and Oden and Larry Joe Parsons of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blakley and Mrs. Tommy Gorman of Baird were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Blakley Sunday.

Mrs. Elveda Sikes, Ernest and Hobson Sikes of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Leila Gibbs Saturday. Mrs. Leila Gibbs was sick with a cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West attended funeral services at Denton Valley for Mrs. W. E. Connel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sadler visited in the Gene Mauldin home one night last week.

Mrs. John Adair visited Mrs. Ernest Hughes in Abilene recently. She also keeps in touch with her aunts, Mrs. Alice Younglove, Miss Kate and Minnie Merryman and Mrs. Tom Sheppard when in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McKenney of Baird were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children Tuesday night.

L. M. Luttrell of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. George Straub of

Carlsbad, N. M., were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary last week.

Guests in the N. V. Gibbs home Saturday were Bruce Rose of Fort Worth, Jess Springfield, Alex and Ronnie Thomas of Azle, Ernest and Hobson Sikes of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains. The men had good luck on a quail hunt, although it was raining some.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adair spent Sunday in Ranger with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Adair.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen in the hospital Wednesday of last week. She also visited Mrs. L. B. Howard.

Chris West was in the group of Baird boys with calves at the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth. Chris did not get to show his calves, but gained a lot of experience. Better luck to him next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Phillips and children are visiting with Jerry McDonald. Jerry is able to be up and drive his pick-up.

Those visiting in the Jimmy West home recently were Red West, Mrs. Hattie West and Mr. and Mrs. James Isenhower of Baird, also Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price and Mrs. James Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen are still patients in the hospital at Baird. Wylie Smedley returned to the hospital Sunday morning. Visiting with them Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and Ivon were in Snyder Saturday visiting with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trevey.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Masters and girls of Snyder were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price attended open house in Abilene Sunday of the new West Texas Medical Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence were in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon visiting at the rest home with his mother, Mrs. Lillie Lawrence.

Elic Bainbridge received word that his father, S. V. Bainbridge, of Lawton, Okla., was critically ill. Mr. and Mrs. Bainbridge left immediately for Oklahoma, but they did not get there before his father's death. They attended funeral services in Lawton Friday for his father.

Mrs. Mary Lou Dunlap and son, Tommy, of Abilene visited in the Bainbridge home Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond recently were Dale Gibbs of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge, Mrs. Effie Holloway, Mrs. Babe Sadler and Mrs. Willis Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price took Mrs. J. D. Cauthen of Abilene Thursday to see her doctor. Mrs. Cauthen is not doing so well at this writing.

Changes come in many ways in rural life. After 41 years as mail carriers, Mr. and Mrs. James Burks are retiring from the Star Route 2 which serves this community. Rowden folks will miss them, and hope the best of everything for them in their retirement. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Curtis of Baird are carrying the mail at present.

## Burkett Playboys To Entertain Echo Folks

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

The Echo community will have an auction of various items including cakes and pies Saturday night of this week with the proceeds going to the March of Dimes. Refreshments will be served free, and music will be furnished by the Burkett Playboys. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. R. E. Neff entered Over-all-Morris Memorial Hospital the latter part of last week. The nature of her illness has not been learned.

Mrs. Pete Walker is still undergoing tests at Hendrick Memorial Hospital where she was taken last week.

Joe Blevins entered Santa Anna Hospital Friday of last week where he is being treated for a kidney ailment and undergoing various tests.

Bob Herring spent about ten days in the Santa Anna Hospital and was dismissed Monday. He went to Ranger Park Inn to make his home. His daughter, Mildred Bagley of Chicago, will close his home in Burkett and after taking care of necessary business, she will leave this week end for her home.

District Superintendent of the Methodist Church, the Rev. Nelson of Cisco, spoke at the morning service for the church here in the absence of their regular preacher, the Rev. Lloyd Coker, who was away to attend the funeral of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilder Adams and Mrs. Hattie Adams attended an art exhibit at the Hospitality Room in the First National Bank in Coleman Sunday afternoon. Debby Adams had a painting on display.

Up to Monday of this week, Burkett had rainfall varying in different areas from 9 to 11 inches during the several days of rain.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Verner of Lubbock and Mrs. Clyde Brown of O'Donnell were here Saturday to move things out of Mrs. Brown's house which she has traded to someone in Abilene for a house in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jennings of Throckmorton spent Friday of last week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Bludworth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Herring have been in Santa Anna each day for some time visiting his brother, Bob Herring, and their daughter, Mrs. Rowena Anderson, who is hospitalized there with double pneumonia. Her condition is improving satisfactorily.

Debby Baker of Fort Worth spent the week end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bludworth.

Mrs. J. B. Burkett and three girls spent the week end in Whitesboro with her grandmother and other relatives.

Gaylon Harris was home over the week end between semesters at Tarleton State College.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Walker were Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker and Charlotte of San Angelo, Mrs. C. A. Walker and family of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan visited friends here Monday.

Bill Davee has returned home after spending a few weeks in Houston. Mrs. Davee remained in Houston for a while longer.

The Bill H. Brown family are attending the stock show

in Fort Worth this week. They plan to go on to El Paso next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Adams of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. V. C. Adams, Monday. She went home with them to stay until this week end.

Mrs. R. E. Neff has been released from the hospital and is recuperating at home.

Donations to the Burkett-Adams Cemetery Fund in January included J. B. Burkett \$10, A. G. Boyle \$5 and Blanch Hounshell \$5.

### POPE BOYS ENTER FORT WORTH SHOW

Ronald and Richard Pope have sheep entered in the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show competition this week. The youths, students at Cross Plains schools, are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope.

### COMANCHE REA TO GET \$958,000 LOAN

Congressman Omar Burleson wired announcement from Washington Tuesday afternoon of a \$958,000 R.E.A. loan to Comanche County Electric Cooperative Association to finance 110 miles of lines to serve 572 new subscribers in Brown, Comanche, Callahan, Eastland, Mills, Shackelford and Stephens Counties.

### 2 VACANCIES EXIST IN FIRE COMPANY

Two vacancies currently exist in Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department.

Full complement of the company is 25 men.

Wayne Ford visited his parents near Stephenville last week end.

Tommy Hornsby, student at Tarleton State College at Stephenville, spent the mid-term recess last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton E. Hornsby.

### Pfc. Burlie Simons Wounded By

Pfc. Burlie Simons of Cross Plains has been reported in combat against the enemy in Vietnam.

The Cross Plains man suffered wounds in the leg. He was first taken to a hospital near Saigon, but was to be moved to another hospital for further treatment.

Pfc. Simons was in control when hit by enemy fire.

Howard McGowan, business visitor in Brownwood this week.

E. J. Barr of Cross Plains said that the Coleman R.E.A. for which he works, will be repairing damage done by a recent ice storm.

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GARDEN PEAS, Libby's, 303 can, 4 for .....

Corn LIBBY'S, CREAM STYLE OR WHOLE KERNEL, 303 SIZE CAN, 4 FOR ..... 8

FANCY SPINACH, Libby's, 303 can, 5 for .....

BACON, Armour's Star, per pound .....

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# Of Former Residents

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was 5 it was decided Al should "go to town" so the Purvises moved to Putnam, then located on Highway 80 a few miles west of Cisco. Now Putnam is not on Highway 80 — the town is under the highway since an overpass was built across the town.

"Purvis is the only man we know who received diplomas from two high schools. He graduated from Putnam High after playing football there. Then he moved to a bigger city of Cisco and got drafted into high school again to play football with the "big dam Lobos," name of the Cisco team that still sticks. That "big dam" moniker grew out of the fact that a big dam was built nearby."

"The Purvises have lived in Fort Worth many years except for two years in Albuquerque. Al was president of the Fort Worth Jaycees in 1942 and several times was honored as the "man of the month."

Word has been received here that Mrs. Rosa Irvin is slowly improving and gaining strength in a Fort Worth nursing home, after suffering a stroke last Autumn. She is a former long-time local resident and kinsman of a number of Cross Plains area persons.

Jimmielee Payne was a business visitor in Brownwood Thursday.

**POLITICAL CALENDAR**  
The Cross Plains Review has been authorized to announce the following as candidates for the stated political offices in 1968, subject to action of the primaries.

**For Representative, 17th Congressional District:**  
OMAR BURLISON

**For Sheriff:**  
HOMER PRICE

**For Tax Assessor-Collector:**  
ALBERT LOVELL

**For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:**  
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**CASH BUYER** ready to invest in land in the Cross Plains area. See me at once if you have a farm or ranch for sale and mean business. J. C. Traweck, Bangs, Tex., telephone 752-3764. 43 2tp

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**FOR SALE:** My home and furniture, \$8,500. Come by and see the place. Mrs. Jess Graves, Cross Plains. 41 4tp

**FOR SALE:** Nice 2-bedroom home in Cross Plains, good location, all hardwood floors, rugs on all, carpet, nice patio, ducted air, all furniture except personal items go with sale; home is just like new. M. L. Terrell Real Estate. Office phone 629-1725, or night 629-1926. 42 tfe

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**Clasp Envelopes — The Review**

**FOR SALE** by owner: 10, 20, 30 or 50 acres of land, 1 mile south of Cross Plains on Brownwood highway, 15 minutes from Lake Brownwood. Also, nice house and lot in Shamrock Addition at Lake Brownwood. See Oral Joy, 1 mile south of Cross Plains on Brownwood highway, Rural Route 2. 41 4tp

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
The Rev. Lloyd Coker family wish to express to everyone our deepest appreciation for the acts of kindness shown us during our time of sorrow. May God bless all is our prayer.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to express my sincere thanks to those who sent me cards and flowers while I was in the hospital. May God bless each and every one of you is my prayer.  
Mrs. V. L. Falkner

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We are humbly grateful to the many friends who were so thoughtful and kind during the illness and following the passing of our loved one. The many, many things you did to lighten our grief during those sad days will forever remain a treasured memory. Thanks most sincerely to each and every one of you.  
The Family of Mrs. W. L. Bryan

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I want to thank each and every one of my friends who remembered me with flowers, cards, gifts and visits during my recent stay in the hospital and at home. Your kindness will always be remembered. Thank you so much.  
Sincerely,  
Judy Lutzenberger.

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**MAIZE FOR SALE:** \$2.25 per hundred. See Tommie Harris in Rowden community, or telephone 725-4876. 43 2tp

**FOR SALE:** Registered polled Hereford bulls. Paul McCowen, telephone 725-4144. 43 tfe

**FOR SALE:** 1954 Buick, a good, old serviceable car. E. K. Coppinger. 43 tfe

**FOR SALE:** 50 good age Spanish nannie goats now kidding. C. H. Hallmark, P. O. Box 64, Cross Plains. 43 2tp

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**FOR SALE:** Used 21-inch console Olympia television. See C. B. Hester, across street east from Souder Grocery, or call 725-3784. 43 4tc

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## Rains Aid Grain Crops Of Atwell Community

By Mrs. Alton Tatom  
Atwell had another wet week end. It was a warm rain that will make the grain grow.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Webster of Irving and Mrs. Viola Everett of Putnam visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions visited in Baird Monday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. (Hick) Edgington and Terri of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Stevie Foster of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black were in Temple Wednesday for Mrs. Black to have a medical check-up.

Mrs. Ethel Hewes and Mrs. Harvey McKinley were in Brownwood Wednesday of last week and visited Willie and Harvey Wilcoxon in Memorial Hospital.

J. D. Cauthen visited Harvey Black Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Ta-

tom and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Mrs. Jim Dewbre and girls were in San Angelo Wednesday of last week to visit Bobby Hutchins in the hospital there. Bobby accidentally shot himself in the back of his leg, just below the knee. He left the hospital Friday and went back to work Tuesday.

Several men of this area helped others repair the side of the Wilcoxon house that was blown out. Several of the women served lunch Friday.

Eddy Don Edmondson, senior at Texas A & M University, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson last week end.

Visitors last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann here were Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Brummett and daughter, Helen, of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parkinson of Romney visited in the home Sunday afternoon.

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## Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

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(Meaning: Free from mistakes.)

(Answer on Page 8.)

## Cross Cut Column Gives Lively Community News

By Mrs. Les Byrd

C. A. (Charlie) Jackson passed away in his home at Brownwood early Friday morning. He was laid to rest in the local cemetery Saturday by the side of two of his children's graves, Billy Bees and Charles. Sympathy goes to his family in their bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Byrd and Miss Dora Martin of Anson visited the ladies' sister, Mrs. Jenie Stone Thursday. Miss Martin remained for a longer visit with her sister.

Terry Baum of Cross Plains visited with Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd Thursday afternoon. She is between semesters at TCU.

Haskell Mills of Brownwood visited his aunt, Mrs. Betty Prater, Thursday afternoon, and had the evening meal with her.

There has been much work to do since the rain. All the cellars and cesspools had to be pumped.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brum and Mr. and Mrs. John Peevehouse of Brownwood had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton Friday.

Leroy Byrd returned from the hospital Friday after a three weeks stay. He will be confined to his bed most of the time for another three weeks.

Clifton Chambers and daughter, Jeana, of Monahans spent two days with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers. Jeana is between semesters at Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Sick folks are gradually getting some better in the Cross Cut area, but they are recovering slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers, Clifton Chambers and Jeana visited with Mrs. Martha Cham-

bers in Brownwood last Thursday afternoon, and with Leroy and Earnest Byrd at a hospital there.

Steve Williams has re-entered Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood for further treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Arcie Hubbard and Howard of Odessa spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Proctor of San Angelo spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Proctor, and aunt, Willie Jones.

We guessed the rainfall last week wrong. Eleven inches fell here, and it has rained quite a bit more since then.

Larry Smith is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge, and his sister, Nancy, from Texas Tech in Lubbock. Larry is between semesters and will register Thursday for the Spring semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray of Pioneer and Mrs. Annie Scrogum of Odessa visited the Arledges Sunday. Mrs. Scrogum is Mrs. Arledge's aunt.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Arledge, Larry and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Gray and Mrs. Scrogum attended the formal opening of West Texas Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley and Mrs. Jennie Newton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Donohoe at Mozelle Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Dunning had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom Sunday and spent the afternoon.

Most folks from here attended the funeral services for Mr. Jackson at Davis-Morris Funeral Home Saturday at 11. The Jacksons lived in this community for 25 years or more.

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## Junior High Cagers Win 3 Of 4 Games

By David McGowen

Local Junior High boys basketball squad seems to have found the key to success on the hardwood. Last week the quintet defeated two opponents to mark victories eight and nine. The eighth victory was over Santa Anna Monday night with a score of 48-35, and the ninth consecutive win came Thursday night here over Bangs 27-24. The girls split in two meetings, being dumped by Santa Anna 28-10, but trouncing Bangs girls 22-14.

At Santa Anna Bobby Cowan led local scoring with 33 points which must be an individual scoring record. Wayne Bishop looped in 10 points. Curtis Shields and Rodney Renfro dunked two each, and Gary Rogers added one. In the Bangs game here Thursday night Cowan led again with 13, Darrel Walker added 10 and Wayne Bishop balanced the scoreboard with four in the close victory.

The girls were set back by a defensively alert Santa Anna sextet which held the local group to only 10 points. Kathy Purvis rendered four points and was aided in the losing cause by Medina Stansbury, Diane Johnson and Terry Edington, who scored two points each. The loss was the fifth for the year. A different story followed the locals against Bangs as they rolled up 22 points and their fourth win of the season. Recently recruited forward Terry Edington showed promising potential by leading scoring for the Cross Plains group with 14. Kathy Purvis added five, Sherry Ingram two and Medina Stansbury one.

Next scheduled game for the local junior high athletes will be at Rising Star Feb. 5.

### HOSPITAL RELEASES KENNETH L. BATES

Kenneth L. Bates of Cross Plains was released from Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene one day last week.

### EDDIE HEARD IS DOING OKAY AFTER SURGERY

Edgar H. Heard of Coleman, former Cross Plains Justice of the Peace, is reported recovering satisfactorily after undergoing back surgery in a Brownwood hospital Tuesday of last week.

### Connie Breeding Winters Teacher

Miss Connie Breeding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding of Cross Plains, has accepted a position as teacher of a second grade in the Winters school system.

Connie, an honor graduate of both Cross Plains High School and Hardin-Simmons University, took her degree on Jan. 18, and was employed at Winters the following day. She began teaching Jan. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby of this city accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young of Baird to Glen Rose last week end to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty and family.

### Return Buff-Eagles Match Here First

A packed house is expected at Buffalo Gymnasium night when the Bisons and Goldthwaite Eagles in District 9-A basketball meet both teams.

The Herd bowed in two times in the last encounter the league's leaders in Buffalo Jan. 15. An Eagle could virtually clinch the title for the visitors, but a victory could force a tie after completion of a season play.

Friday's test hinges on coming through Tuesday games with triumph. The Herd carried a 3-1 record to Star Tuesday, and Eagle 4-0 through first round.

Buffettes, leading the nine division with an 8-1 record, will be in the round action, will be in the night's action at 7 p.m.

Both local teams will meet at Santa Anna Tuesday night, before ending the season with Early here.

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## Sabanno Laments Missing Of Citizen

**Edwin Erwin** has lost a dear old father (Della) Boyd, away in a nursing home. She and her children were in this community when they were always had a things which were good of churches, whatever needed to anytime. Her husband a local Methodist and later he had a post office in Cisco, lived until the time in 1943. Funeral Mrs. Boyd were First Methodist Cisco at 2:30 p.m. burial in Cisco husband. The family by all who knew

day. Her daughters, Mrs. Bill Ramsey and Mrs. Minter B. Shaffey, accompanied her. It was a good, enjoyable day for the family.

Peggy Erwin of Stephenville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wordis Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer had a joyous surprise when they received a telephone call from their son, James, who was in Hong Kong when he called. He was to return to Vietnam in a short time, however. We are all hoping the best of everything for James.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon visited his mother in a nursing home in Baird Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horn of College Station spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin. Mrs. Horn is the oldest daughter of the former Annette Erwin, now Mrs. Charles Ege.

The influenza cases in this community seem to be improving. Only complaint now is that they are weak. Wes Holcomb had a bad case recently.

Mrs. Beryl Lusk, Mrs. Mary Hollis and Minter B., Mrs. Bill Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin visited with Mrs. Ola Lusk Thompson at her home in Cross Plains Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Thompson's husband is in an Eastland hospital, and she was home in Cross Plains for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hollis and children and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hollis and son of Abilene visited their mother, Mrs. Mary Hollis, and Minter B. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Switzer and children of Rising Star visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester King and boys visited with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl King, in Dallas over the week end. Lester came home with a case of the flu.

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**CROSS PLAINS COUPLE ADOPT BABY DAUGHTER**

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Weiss of Cross Plains adopted a baby girl Jan. 14. She was born Jan. 11 and weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces. She has been named Staci LeAnne.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Weiss of Cross Plains. Bill Baucom of Cross Cut is her great-grandfather.

## Ex-Postmaster At Cross Cut Buried

Charlie A. Jackson, 76, former Cross Cut merchant and postmaster, died Friday morning at his home in Brownwood following a sudden illness.

Funeral service was held at a Brownwood funeral chapel Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Ray Elliott officiating. Burial was in Cross Cut Cemetery.

Born in Kaufman County, Oct. 5, 1891, he was a retired Cross Cut postmaster, serving from 1941-1960. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

He moved to Brown County in 1933 and had lived in Brownwood the past eight years. He was married to Winnie Griffin at Whitehouse, Tex., June 25, 1912.

Survivors include his wife of Brownwood; one daughter, Mrs. J. W. Stone of Brownwood; two grandchildren.

## Buffette B Team Takes Third Spot

Cross Plains Buffette B basketball team won two of three games in the Albany B Team tournament last week end, and brought home the third place trophy.

Local guards, Robbie Harmon, Sharon Archer, Sissy Barr and Donna Brown paved the way for victory in the first outing Thursday afternoon. Hamlin B girls could not crack the Buffette defense in the first quarter, and forwards warmed up to finish with 29 points to Hamlin's 9. Lydia Albrecht paced local scoring with 12 points, and Sue Calhoun had seven.

Buffette eight-member team fell to Throckmorton 30-24 in second round play Saturday morning. Although the Buffette reserves notched an 8-6 first quarter lead, locals could not find the range in the second period and finally bowed. Misses Albrecht and Calhoun each hit eight points and Norma Merrill and Debbie Tyler bucketed four apiece. Throckmorton had earlier defeated Anson, a team which thrashed the Buffette sextet earlier in the season.

Cross Plains brought home the third spot trophy in the eight-team girls division Saturday evening with a 34-20 decision of Albany B. Buffettes turned a 14-4 first period lead into a 31-9 margin after two more stanzas. Miss Albrecht again led the Buffette scoring with 19 points. Miss Tyler had 11 and Miss Merrill four.

Coach James Ethridge said after the season finale that he was real happy with the team as a whole and thought the experience would help the future varsity players.

Advertising Gets Results!

## Buffettes Take Two More Cage Clashes

Two victories last week on hostile hardwood stretched Cross Plains High School Buffettes win skein to 11 straight, 17th and 18th wins of the season against four defeats, and kept the local sextet atop the District 9-A standings at the halfway point.

Tuesday of last week Cross Plains nipped Eula sextet 53-41, and Friday Cross Plains rang up a fourth win in league play with a 64-28 lusting of Early.

Alternate hot hands, from the free throw line against Eula and from the field against Early, eased the way for the two Buffette triumphs. Tuesday at Eula Vickie Hargrove paced Buffettes at the charity line hitting 13 of 16, just under 84 per cent, while the team hooped 17 of 25 for 68 per cent. "It was a marked improvement," Coach Jim Ethridge pointed out. At Early Friday Buffettes lighted the score board on 55 per cent of field goal attempts, but slumped to 16 of 31 free shots.

Clip Eula Buffettes romped to a 12-5 advantage in the first eight minutes against Eula, but at half-time the hosts had narrowed the deficit to three points, 25-22. After playing on almost even terms through the third period, Buffettes rallied in the final canto for 18 while Eula

could manage only 10.

Vickie Hargrove paced balanced Buffette scoring with 19 points. Valeta Edington hooped nine field goals for 18 markers, and Barbara Renfro bucketed 16 points on six field goals and four free shots.

Frances Rock was Eula's top marksman with 19 points, and Judy Tarrant chipped in with 18.

Buffettes nipped Eula 33-30 in Buffalo Gynasium several weeks ago.

Early Falls Buffettes played without Valeta Edington, leading scorer up to that time, who was ill. The team, however, romped to a fourth consecutive District 9-A win over Early 64-28.

A 25-point second quarter pushed the local sextet to a 30-point lead, 44-14, at intermission. Miss Edington's replacement, Rhonda Knott, set a sizzling pace in the first half with 18 points, however, Miss Renfro took top scoring honors with 23 points. Miss Hargrove tallied 16, and rounding out scoring were Sue Calhoun three, and Lydia Albrecht and Kathy Payne two each.

Miss Dugley and Miss Lindley tooped Early scoring with 12 points each.

Howard Cox visited friends in a Brownwood hospital one day last week.

## DALE MITCHELL CUTS FINGERS IN ACCIDENT

Dale Mitchell, local carpenter, sustained severe cuts on three fingers of his left hand Wednesday afternoon of last week in mishap with a power saw. He was taken to an Abilene hospital, but the wound was not as serious as first thought. The hand is said to be healing nicely.

## RISING STAR AIRMAN GETS MILITARY AWARD

Technical Sergeant Edwin P. Davidson, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Colwell of Rising Star, has received his second award of the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Cannon AFB, N. M.

Sergeant Davidson was decorated for meritorious service as a personnel technician at Da Nang AB, Viet Nam. He was cited for his outstanding professional skill and initiative.

Mr. and Mrs. James Oscar Koenig and family of Bronte visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar G. Koenig here last week end.

## Mrs. T. R. Haggard Expires At Denton

Mrs. Thomas R. Haggard, widow of a former Cross Plains school superintendent, died Thursday in Denton, where she had lived many years.

Funeral was held in Denton's First Baptist Church Saturday at 9:30 a.m. and graveside rites at Colorado City that afternoon at 4:30. Burial was beside the grave of her husband who died in 1959.

The Haggards lived in Cross Plains in the late 1920's, when he served as school superintendent here. He was the first superintendent in the new building on North Main Street.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. G. L. Hardin of Denton; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Among surviving nieces are Mrs. Alvin Seibt and Katharyn and Beth Duff of Abilene.

Mrs. Haggard's son, George Wilfred Haggard, was the deputy director of the national REA, killed in a plane crash in 1951.

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