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SIXTIETH YEAR

Barbecue Set Here Next Tuesday Noon

Completion of the Upstream Flood Control Program on Turkey Creek, a tributary of the Pecan Bayou Watershed, will be the occasion for a dedication ceremony in Cross Plains Feb. 25. The program will be

conducted at the Callahan County Junior Livestock Show Barn just north of Cross Plains on the Cisco highway beginning at 10 a.m. Congressman Omar Burlison will be the principal speaker.

The Turkey Creek Watershed program was started in 1958 under the leadership of the Central Colorado and Brown-Mills SWCDs the Turkey Creek Conservation District with Callahan, Coleman and Brown County Commissioners Courts becoming co-sponsors.

Recognition will be given to the many organizations and individuals having a part in the program which involves conservation land treatment on the many farms and ranches throughout the watershed, along with the provision of easements and right of ways for installing the structural measures. The Upstream Flood Control Program as administered by the SCS provides installation costs for the project which is installed on easements granted to local sponsors and operation

and maintenance is performed as a local sponsoring activity. The Upstream Program affords an excellent example of local people teaming up with the federal government on a conservation resource development project that provides direct benefits within the watershed.

The noon luncheon will be catered at \$1.50 per plate with all interested persons cordially invited, Turkey Creek Conservation District Directors have announced.

John Adair Quits Saddle For 'Easier Chair' At New Home

John Adair has saddled his last steer but looking back on more than 50 years spent as a working cowboy, he says: "I enjoyed every day of it."

He and Mrs. Adair moved to Cross Plains last week from the Owen Ranch, west of Rowden, where he had been foreman the past 33 years. They are now making their home at the corner of East 7th Street and Avenue B, a place recently purchased and now being redecorated.

Adair enjoys a distinction equaled by few. He is an American citizen, without having been naturalized, although he was not born in the United States. It came about because of his Indian heritage. John, who owns a full headright with the Cherokee tribe and carries credentials to prove it, was born in Indian Territory Aug. 10, 1900. His name is the 5,061st listing on the official roll of the Cherokee nation. When Oklahoma became a state, United States citizenship was extended to all whose names were carried on the official Indian rolls. The action was authenticated by an act of Congress.

Adair began work for the Hall and Owen families as a young man in Oklahoma. They transferred him here from Fort Gibson, Okla., in September 1928.

In 1936 he became foreman for what is now the Ludie H. Owen Estate Ranch, a 14,000 acre spread. Owners once said that he never failed to show a profit, this despite the devastating droughts of the 1950's.

"Actually the hardest year we ever had was 1934," John recounts, "when we pumped stock water more than two miles through a leaky 2-inch line; a

hand needed to be more mechanical and plumber than cowboy."

Looking back across the years John recalls many fine cowboys with whom he worked. Of those now living he ranks the top six as Pete Swafford, Henry Wilks, Clyde Blair, his son, Johnny Adair, Glenn Brock and Burl Brown. Swafford was the man whom Adair recommended as his replacement. Pete got the job.

"Any of those fellows could do anything on a cattle ranch," John declares.

Although he's relinquished operational responsibility of the large cattle ranch, Adair doesn't consider himself entirely on retired status.

"I'll continue to work a little for myself and help friends when called upon," he said.

His land, though, is under grass lease to a close friend and probably will remain that way. It will allow more time for trips to Midlothian, where John O. Adair, an only child, resides with his wife and their two children, a son 16 and a daughter 12.

For John Adair and the light of his life, his wife Leoda, the days ahead loom interesting, just as were those which have gone before.



John Adair

E. G. ROBY SUFFERS ATTACK AT ALPINE

E. G. Roby suffered a heart attack last week end while on a business trip to far West Texas with Bill Pope. He was rushed to a hospital in Alpine, and is thought to be recovering satisfactorily. He is expected to be hospitalized 10 days.

COTTONWOOD MUSICALS SCHEDULED ON FRIDAY

Regular monthly musicale will be held at Cottonwood Friday night. Starting time is 7:30.

RIDING CLUB SLATES SALE OF BAKED FOOD

Cross Plains Riding Club ladies will have a baked foods sale March 1, beginning at 9 o'clock, in front of Mayes Flower Shop.

Jim Gilmore Accepts Gun Magazine Posts

Jim Gilmore of Houston, public relations manager for Texas International Airways, who sidelines as a free-lance writer, was named last week to the editorial staff of two national magazines. Both are in the rifle shooting field.

The former Cross Plains man son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gilmore of this city, will serve as an executive contributor for The Handloader, one of the leading periodicals in its field, as well as the editorial board for The Rifle. He had been a contributing editor for Gun Week for a number of years and will continue in that capacity.

School Heads Here Get New Contracts

Three Cross Plains school executives have been given contract extensions.

At the last meeting of the board of trustees the contracts of Wayne Ford, superintendent, and Scot Edington and Jack Watkins, principals, were extended through the 1970 school year.

6 Local Girls Make College Honor Roll

At least six Cross Plains High School graduates earned dean's list ratings at Cisco Junior College for the Fall semester. All six are young ladies. They are: Christy Chesshir, Betty Purvis, Mrs. Gene Bush, René Gary, Mrs. Charlotte McCowen Montgomery and Barbara Renfro.

REV. ANDY FOSTER HAS EYE SURGERY

The Rev. Andy Foster was brought home Monday after undergoing eye surgery in Abilene two weeks ago. He is thought to be recovering satisfactorily.

Junior-Senior Fete Is Siated Saturday

Cross Plains High School seniors and juniors will spend an "Evening in Paris" Saturday at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet. The Parisian flavor will be found in the cafeteria on the school campus.

Gordon Wood, athletic director at Brownwood High School will be the speaker for the 7 p.m. event. Entertainment will feature Jimmy Grimes, youth director of the First Baptist Church here.

Ch Rain Revives Crops, Pasturage

In Cross Plains S. F. Bond, official Weather Bureau observer, measured the precipitation at .93 of an inch. Most near by communities, though, recorded more. Pioneer had 1.10 and Cross Cut exactly one inch. Rowden, Sabanno, Cottonwood and Atwell reported the approximate same amount.

Having had only 1.02 inches of moisture in December and just .63 in January, farmers and ranchers were beginning to feel the pinch of drought. Winter grasses have failed to appear in normal abundance and wheat, oat and barley fields showed signs of suffering for the need of water.

Some livestock ponds are low and hard rains, to run water would be welcomed.

9 Students Given Scholarship Tests

Eight Cross Plains High School students and one from Putnam took National Merit Scholarship tests from 9 until 12 o'clock here Tuesday morning. The group was composed of five girls and three boys.

From Putnam High School was Miss Elaine Isenhower.

From Cross Plains High School were: Vicky Curry, Mike Knott, Regina Gary, Ames McDaniel, Sherri Neal, Clovie Norris and Phil Spicer.

DARWIN ANDERSON GOES TO MECHANICS SCHOOL

Darwin Anderson, who recently moved to Abilene where he is associated with a large machinery concern, has been attending a mechanics school in Lubbock the past several days.

Sabanno Once Known By Name Of Savannah

By Mrs. B. C. Chrisman
Nee Lavada Ezzell

The Sabanno Schoolhouse, formerly known as "Savannah," the Presbyterian church and the cemetery were located some two miles north of town of Sabanno, the name being changed to Sabanno when the post-office was established in the community, in the early 1900's.

Some of the early teachers were: Miss Katie Neal, of Cisco; Mrs. John Stockton, of Cisco; a Mr. Walker; Owen Hull, of Rising Star; and a local minister, Corbit Bullock.

Among the school patrons were the following families: Boyd, Moss, Porter, Jim and John Brown, Parsons, Black, Ezzell-Harris, Green, and three Erwin families.

A long remembered event that occurred during the school year of Mrs. John Stockton was the blizzard of February 12, 1899.

At the beginning of school on this date, a messenger arrived from Cisco, informing the teacher, Mrs. Stockton of the death of her father, who had died the night before. School was immediately dismissed and Mrs. Stockton rode horseback from Sabanno to Cisco facing a strong north wind while the temperature was 12 degrees below zero; and the messenger walked along beside the horse.

For many years, Sam Erwin and W. R. Ezzell were local trustees of the Sabanno school and devoted much of their time and energy for the betterment of the early Savannah school.



Omar Burlison Will Speak at Noon



H. N. Smith State Conservationist

DUE HERE — Coming to the SCS observance in Cross Plains next Tuesday will be H. N. Smith of Waco, state conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service. He will have part on the morning program.

BERYL M. LUSK TO ABILENE HOSPITAL

Beryl M. Lusk entered Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Monday, where he is presently undergoing a series of tests.

C. B. HESTER ENTERS BROWNWOOD HOSPITAL

C. B. Hester was taken to Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood in a local ambulance Monday morning. Extent of his illness was not immediately learned.



OLD SCHOOL — Pictured here are the students at "Savannah" during the school year of 1896 and 1897. Mrs. B. C. Chrisman of Baird identified those pictured as follows: first

row from left to right, Florence Harris, Lavada Ezzell, Eula Erwin, Eunice Harris, Lee Black, Horace Erwin, Walter Boyd, Willard Green and Joe Boyd; second row, Miss Katie Neal,

teacher, Ruhamah Ezzell, Molly Parsons, Lucy Parsons, Laura Erwin, Lillian Green, and two Smith children; third row, Emma Parsons, Altha Moss, Mary Boyd, Mary Lou Porter, Laura

Big Schools Not As Good Says Large City Teacher

A big city school teacher writes the Cross Plains Review to say that she agrees with the newspaper in the stand it has taken against the report by the Governor's Committee on Public School Education.

"Bigness, expensive plants and equipment do not guarantee a good educational system," writes Mrs. Curren E. (Pat) Allen of 300 Olive Street, Texarkana, Ark. She — the former Jimmie Lou Gwathney — taught school in Cross Plains in the 1930's and early 1940's. Her husband was a business and civic leader during their residence here.

Mrs. Allen encloses a clipping from the Dallas Morning News of a letter to the editor by the Cross Plains Review pub-

lisher and also an editorial by Martin L. Goss, both of which oppose recommendations of the governor's committee.

"I wish I had saved a letter I recently read in a newspaper where a reader advocated consolidations and enumerated the advantages of bigness," she says. It was pointed out that great concentration of students allowed participation in gang warfare, use of narcotics and other similar experiences which were denied teenagers in the smaller schools."

"Even though I teach in a large system I cannot agree that consolidating our so-called rural schools — such as that at Cross Plains — is the answer to our educational needs," she concluded.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Yarbrough of Fort Huachuca, Ariz., visited friends and relatives here first part of the week.



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2 Wins End Girls Cage Season

Although Cross Plains Buffettes will not be involved in post-season basketball playoffs for the first time in four seasons, the squad ended the 1968-69 campaign with two wins last week. The pair of triumphs evened the team's season mark at 12-12 and District 9-A record at 4-4, in third place.

Buffettes looked like champions Tuesday of last week in beating Class AA Merkel 69-60 here, and Friday at Goldthwaite locals decisively 59-32.

Good shooting and a tactical change allowed Buffettes to gain upperhand in the non-conference clash with Merkel. Local lases carried only a 31-30 margin to locker rooms at half-time although field goal shooting percentage was good. Buffette regular forward Sue Walker was placed on defense, to get greater height there, opening the third quarter and Cross Plains controlled backboards on defense. Merkel was limited to seven points while Buffette forwards bucketed 20 points. A visitor rally in the last period failed to overcome the deficit.

Vickie Hargrove won a scoring battle with Merkel's Terri Doan. The Buffette canned 32 points, 10 field goals and 12 free tosses, and Miss Doan collected 30 points. Lydia Albrecht

added 16 to the local tally. Cross Plains again found the range from the floor, counting on 50 per cent of shots in the finale, at Goldthwaite Friday. The hosts led for about two-thirds of the initial quarter, but again Miss Walker went to the defense, hauling down 11 rebounds, and Buffette forwards rallied for a 17-11 edge after eight minutes. From that point

Sabanno Community Is Scene Of Much Visiting

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

This area received some much needed moisture a few days ago. Gauges around Sabanno generally measured over an inch of rain. At the time of this writing, Monday morning, it is cool, dark and misty indicating possibly more rain or snow. It seems February is to be dark and cloudy.

The Busy Bee Club met Wednesday of last week. All reported a good time visiting and quilting. One quilt was finished for Mrs. Gus Brandon, and a pay quilt was also completed. The club enjoyed some visitors. Mrs. Albert Parkinson of Romney was present and helped quilt. Rev. and Mrs. Grady James were in this community and she visited briefly and admired the beautiful quilts just finished. It was nice to have had the visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shirley of Pioneer and Mrs. Jess Graves of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester King and sons Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Belyeu of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkett and Mark and Lydia are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk, and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King were Sunday dinner guests with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thomas and sons, in Eastland.

We are sorry to report that Beryl Lusk entered Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Monday afternoon to undergo major surgery. His wife, Ruth,

locals rolled to the 59-32 win. Miss Hargrove again netted 32 points, 13 two-pointers and six charity tosses and Debbie Tyler collected 12 points, hitting 6 of 10 field goals.

Only blemish on the week's record was a Buffette B team loss to Merkel 59-45. Paula Petty scored 23 points, and Sherry Ingram added 15 more for Buffette reserves.

three children and his mother were at the hospital with him. We hope the best for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon visited her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Palmore, in Dublin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Kent and son of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kent and daughter of Colorado City and the Rev. Larry Simpson of Cross Plains visited Josie and Alma Morris Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin had all three of their children and their families visit them over the week end. They are Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and Randy of Atwell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ege and Barbara and Douglas of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin and Ronald and Belinda of Hobbs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Campbell and Dennis visited with Mr. Campbell's parents in Paducah over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Thompson of Munday and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Switzer and children of Rising Star visited Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer Saturday.

Cost Of Medicare Hiked 10 Per Cent

Increased hospital costs of over 13% have resulted in a 10% increase in Medicare costs to elderly patients, beginning first of this year. This comes as a reminder from R. R. Tuley, Jr., district manager of the Abilene social security office.

Tuley said, "The average Medicare inpatient hospital daily costs rose, nationally, from about \$38 in 1966 to about \$43 in 1967 and continued upward in 1968. Keeping pace with these rising costs required that the deductible be increased from \$40 to \$44 in each benefit period.

"The patient's share of the cost from the 61st to the 90th day rises from \$10 to \$11. If he has to draw on his "lifetime reserve" from the 91st day to the 150th day in one benefit period, his share during that time has gone up from \$20 to \$22. Insured care in a skilled nursing home now costs the patient \$5.50 per day after the first 20 days, instead of \$5," he explained.

These increases were effective on or after Jan. 1, 1969. Tuley emphasized. A person who entered a hospital or skilled nursing home before Jan. 1 pays the old rate throughout his stay if it extended into 1969.

"If you have any questions about this or any other social security matter, inquire at your social security office at Room 2321 Federal Building, Abilene. Telephone number for the Abilene office is 677-5262," Tuley said.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and two children of Haskell visited here Sunday in the home of Mrs. E. Thompson.

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MRS. BLANCHE FORTUNE IS BACK FROM HOSPITAL
Mrs. Blanche Fortune was returned to her home here last week end after spending a few days in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox spent last week in Shriever, La., in the home of their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Yarbrough.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

Clasp Envelopes — The Review

MRS. JESSIE PATIENT AT
Mrs. Jessie Patient is a patient at the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. She was reported to have pneumonia. She may be admitted to the hospital, room 2321.

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Public Supper At Burkett Saturday Night

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

The Burkett Community Supper will be held at the community center this Saturday at 7 p.m. Hosts and hostesses for this supper requests each family to bring sandwiches and their card tables and dominos. The committee in charge of the supper is Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Koenig with Mr. and Mrs. Gilder Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson helping them.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burns spent Friday to Monday at Ropesville with the Richard Burns family due to the illness of one of their children.

Mrs. L. D. Evans honored her brother, E. L. Harris, and sister, Mrs. C. C. Burns, with a

birthday celebration Monday afternoon. Those present beside the honored guests and Mrs. Evans were Mrs. Jean McAnally, Mrs. Mae Beaver, Mrs. Monnie Garrett, Mrs. Vernon Helms and Emmet Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Baty returned home Monday from Austin where he has been under a doctor's care the past month. He is due to go back for a checkup four weeks from now.

Mark and Lydia, children of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkett of Mineral Wells, are spending a few days this week with their grandmother, Mrs. Jasper Burkett, while their mother is at the bedside of her father, Beryl Lusk, of Cross Plains who is a patient at an Abilene hospital. His condition is serious, and he expects to undergo throat surgery one day this week.

Walker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Hunter and family of Johnson City spent the week end with the Bill Hunter family.

The Alvin Hutchins family visited relatives at Seminole and Odessa over the week end.

Sunday guests in the Willie Henderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans, Mrs. Lela Knight and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gilliam.

Brother Of 2 Local Persons Dies Feb. 7

Funeral services were conducted in San Diego, Calif., Monday, Feb. 10, for Charlie W. Young, 61, brother of Mrs. C. E. (Chuck) Woody and Burlie Young of Cross Plains.

Mr. Young died Friday, Feb. 7, after a brief illness. He had visited here several times, the last in March of 1968. The deceased lived in the Oplin and Lawn areas about eight years during the 1930's.

Mrs. Woody flew to California to attend the services. She returned Wednesday of last week.

Other survivors include a sister, Mrs. Della White, and two brothers, Homer and Robert Young, all of San Diego.

According to news from Santa Anna Hospital, Joe Blevins is doing some better following a severe heart attack last week. His daughter, Mrs. Francis Miller, of Odessa has returned home after spending several days with him.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carroll visited the Doug Carroll family of Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Thate and Mrs. Velma Lee Mosley of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Burkett were in Woodson Sunday where they attended the funeral of her relative, Derrill Wayne Brantley, 22, of La Porte.

The J. L. Wallace family of Fort Worth and Andrew Walker and children of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. M. A.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Gray and three little daughters, Cheri, Shelly and Susan, all of San Antonio. They also visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gray. Other visitors in the King home were Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hamrick of Comanche.

Bufs Meet Albany In Bi-District Cage Play

A tall, well coached and heavily experienced team of Albany Lions will face Cross Plains Buffaloes in bi-district basketball clash in Abilene Tuesday, Feb. 25.

Bison Head Coach Les Cowan revealed that of the District 10-A winner last week end. "They like to run and shoot, and have employed a full-court press most of their games this season," Cowan noted. "Ten of their 12-player varsity unit are seniors," he added. The squad breezed through conference play undefeated while wrapping up the title. The team has a high-scoring reputation.

Playoff Details

Cowan and Coach John Geer met Albany Coach Jerry Don Brown and other officials in Albany Tuesday night of last week and completed plans for the bi-district clash.

Cross Plains will act as home team in Eagle Gym (Abilene High School). The neutral site was chosen by mutual agreement. Game will begin at 7:30.

Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50c for students.

Play Carbon Friday

Two practice games face the Herd this week. Buffaloes were scheduled to journey to Carbon Tuesday, and the District 24-B winners will be in Buffalo Gymnasium Friday night. Action in the single game here will start at 7:30 p.m.

Bufs Clip Eagles

The Thundering Herd nipped host Goldthwaite Eagles 51-47 in the league and regular season finale Friday. The victory gave the Herd a perfect 8-0 District 9-A mark, and ran consecutive victory string to nine games. Bisons stand 15-4 on the season.

Although triumphant, the last win was not nearly as impressive as the Buffaloes initial contest with the Eagles which the Herd won 86-36. Goldthwaite played a slow-down, ball control game. Cowan said that the Eagles were ready for that game.

Bufs trailed only briefly in the first quarter, and had built a 28-21 advantage by intermission. Eagles slightly outscored Bisons in the final 16 minutes.

Accurate shooting was locals salvation. The Herd counted on 53.4 per cent of floor shots, but took advantage of only three of eight free shots. Another big plus was that Cross Plains committed only eight turnovers during the game.

Larry Bishop paced Herd scoring with 14 points. James McMillan and Leslie Cowan counted nine each, and Bobby Cowan netted eight. Rounding out tallying were Ricky Jones' six and Jesse Moon's five. Ted Roberts scored 24 points for the hosts.

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Program Arranged For Rehab Center

A special benefit show, featuring Western music and home-talent entertainers is scheduled in the Baird High School auditorium Thursday night of next week, Feb. 27. All proceeds will go to West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

Mrs. Frank Windham, chairman of the fund-raising endeavor to aid the institution which has treated so many local people, urged yesterday that the event be given wide public support.

"Although an admission charge of only 25 cents for students and 50 cents for adults will be made," she said, "persons willing to pay more for tickets will be welcomed to do so."

E. P. (Pop) Whitaker, widely-known Callahan County musician, will have charge of the presentation of talent.

Mrs. Doyle Cowan and Linda attended the wedding of Miss Ann Griffith and Ronald Black in Fort Worth Friday night. Linda was one of the bride's attendants. Miss Peggy Purvis of Texas Tech also attended the wedding.

James P. Brown, 87, Buried Here

Funeral for James P. Brown, 87, was held from the Cross Plains Church of Christ Monday afternoon with Minister H. McDonald of Rising Star officiating.

Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mr. Brown died Saturday morning at 12:15 at Levelland. Survivors include his wife, Maudie; one son, La Porte; two daughters, Pauline Sherman and Mrs. Fay Brown; four grandsons, 10 granddaughters, 10 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown were in Abilene visiting her sister, who is a hospice nurse.

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Threat Made To Town Schools

Tuesday morning. His recommendation would be to leave the economic index (which continues rural aid) as it now stands.

90 Persons Attend Cub Scout Banquet

Ninety persons attended a Blue and Gold Cub Scout banquet in basement of the First United Methodist Church Saturday night.

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By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore are spending a few days in Corpus Christi with their children, Mrs. Coleen Hawkins and family and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Armo Bentley of Odessa were visitors Sunday morning at the Baptist Church.

The Baptist people have made extensive improvements at the parsonage. New nylon carpeting has been installed in three rooms and hall, and new Chronite covering has been put on cabinets.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blakley of Rowden were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Parkinson and family of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mosley and family of Hamilton spent the week end here in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Champion, and Vonita.

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HAY FOR SALE: 700 bales good hybrid Sudan hay. Sell all or part. See Raymond Franke or phone 725-3794. 41 1tc

IF YOU ARE BOTHERED with termites and roaches in your home and business, call your home town pest control man, Robert Meador, phone 725-3974. 5, 1tc

WANTED: Painting, interior and exterior. Tape, bed, texture, acoustical ceiling. Clean work. Free estimates. Phone 725-5388 after 6 p.m. W. G. Fortune. 47 4tc

HOUSE FOR SALE: 5 rooms and bath. See or call Damon D. Jones. Phone 725-4242. 47 2tp

EARN INTEREST from the first of the month when deposit is made by the 10th in savings accounts at the Citizens State Bank. 49 1tc

ORDER OF ELECTION

State of Texas County of Callahan Cross Plains Independent School District Cross Plains, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held for Cross Plains Independent School District at Cross Plains City Hall on the first Saturday in April 1969, the same being the 5th day of said month, for the purpose of electing two trustees for three year tenures.

Dr. Carl J. Sohns, secretary of the board of trustees for Cross Plains Independent School District. 47 3tc

CITY ELECTION NOTICE

I, Doyle Burchfield, Mayor of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, by virtue of power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Cross Plains on the 5th day of April, 1969, it being the first Saturday thereof, for the purpose of electing three Aldermen for terms of two years each.

Said election shall be held at the City Hall in Cross Plains Texas, under state election laws regulating municipal elections. Polls will open at 8 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

The law provides that names of all candidates to be placed on the printed ballot, must have filed with the City Secretary on or before March 5, 1969. Approved by City Council in regular session. Doyle Burchfield, Mayor 47 3tc

FOR SALE: Bundle hegari at 10c per bundle in field. See Pat Shirley or phone 725-4453. 47 4tp

I NEED listings of small farms for Abilene market - inquiries daily from potential buyers. Paul McCowen, phone 725-4144 or 725-3142. 47 1tc

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WANTED: Water wells to drill. See Vernon Phillips or telephone 725-4551. 16 1tc

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BAND BOOSTERS WILL MEET MONDAY NIGHT
 Cross Plains Band Boosters Club will meet Monday night at 7 o'clock in the Band Hall on the school campus.

HUGE BASS LANDED AT LAKEWOOD LAKE
 Buddy Moore of Abilene landed a nine pound, 12½ ounce bass at Lakewood Recreation Center lake Sunday. It is believed to be the largest fish of its kind caught at Lakewood. It weighed two ounces more than a large bass caught some time ago by Lange Kinsey, also of Abilene.

Twin Triumphs End Junior Cage Season

Double wins over Santa Anna teams Thursday capped successful and winning basketball seasons for Cross Plains Junior High School squads.

Local girls posted an impressive 15-2 mark, and Mighty Mites came on strong after a slow start to earn a 10-8 season record.

In the finale here Cross Plains girls defeated Santa Anna 28-12, and Mites rallied to decision the junior Mountaineers 31-27.

Terry Edington and Paula Wright shared scoring honors in the last outing with 12 points each. Coach John Geer put all his players into the game. Locals owned a 19-3 lead at half-time.

Visiting Santa Anna owned a six point advantage over Mites at one point in the third quarter, but a mid-court press and Mite rally lifted locals to victory. Cross Plains outscored Santa Anna 9-2 in the final stanza. Rodney Renfro tallied 15 points, and Donnie Dillard and Gary Rogers canned six each.

Monday of last week Cross Plains split with a pair of host Early teams. Girls withstood a fourth-quarter 10-point Early flurry after leading 17-4 after three cantos to post a 21-14 victory. Miss Edington paced scoring with 18 points. Again all 13 varsity players saw action.

Early bounced the Mighty Mites 40-24. The hosts opened a 15-4 lead in first quarter over the locals going without services of three starters. Renfro bucketed 15, and Roger Crawford tallied six points.

Cross Cut

By Mrs. Les Byrd

Our sympathy goes to Mrs. Betty Prater in the death of her brother, Tom Campbell, of Aransas Pass. He died suddenly Tuesday of last week at the age of 61. He was raised at Burkett and lived here for several years. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Prater of Kermit carried his mother to Aransas Pass for the funeral services that were held Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. D. L. Riley suffered deep and painful burns on her hand and arm Monday evening while preparing supper. A pan of hot grease ignited and did some damage to their kitchen as well as burning her. She managed to put the fire out as she couldn't make her husband hear her at the cow pen where he was doing the milking. The arm she burned was the one which she broke a while back and the cast had just been off a short while.

Mrs. Roe Martin of Longview is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Tom Chambers, and her brothers, the Byrd men.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton and Mrs. Les Byrd visited in Goldthwaite Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Keeler and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Tye Clark of Aledo and their son, Roger, and his friend, who are students at Howard Payne College in Brownwood, visited the Earnest Byrd family and in the Tom Chambers home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley honored Volley McDonough of Cross Plains with a birthday dinner Friday.

Visiting one night with the Rileys were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greenwood of Cross Plains. Sunday visitors in the Riley home were Mrs. Eula Hunter and Mrs. Birdie Helms of Burkett.

We were happy to have these visitors at the community night last Wednesday. Allen Chambers and his granddaughter of May and Mrs. Browning of Cross Plains.

We had an inch of rain last week. We needed more, but were real happy to have that amount.

County Superintendent L. C. Cash of Baird was here last Wednesday.

Visitors in the Ben Atwood home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson of Abilene, Mrs. Ethel Anderson of Cottonwood and Mrs. R. T. Watson of near Burkett.



Miss Linda Cowan

Engagement Of Linda Cowan To Abilene Man Is Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle W. Cowan of Cross Plains have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda, to Ricky L. Adkisson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Junior F. Adkisson of 1502 Lakeside Drive in Abilene.

Wedding has been scheduled at the Church of Christ in Cross Plains on March 22 at 8 p.m. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

The bride-elect, a 1968 graduate of Cross Plains High School, has been employed by a retail concern in Abilene for the past several months. The prospective bridegroom, a 1965 graduate of Cooper High School and veteran of two years in the Marines, is employed by a manufacturing firm in Abilene.

Oregon Interment For Charlie Sipes

News has been received here of the death of Charlie Sipes, retired army sergeant, who made his home in Cross Plains at intervals after being separated from military service.

A sister, Mrs. Eva Sipes Hodge of Corsicana writes that he passed away Jan. 27. Burial was in Willamette National Cemetery in Portland, Ore.

He was born in 1889 and was raised in Cross Plains. Survivors include two sisters Mrs. Hodge and Mrs. Ola Sipes Gotcher of Two Rivers, Wis., a host of nephews and nieces. He was a brother of the late Sam Sipes of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gilmore were visitors in Snyder Sunday.

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Pioneer

By Mrs. Delma Dean

JAMES LAWRENCE GIVES \$15 TO FIRE DEPARTMENT

A \$15 donation from James Lawrence to Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department was acknowledged by Alton E. Hornsby, company chief, this week. The department recently battled a grass fire on Lawrence land in the Sabanno area.

BRIDGE PLAY SET AT LAKEWOOD SATURDAY

Mrs. O. B. Edmondson will be hostess for regular bridge play at Lakewood Recreation Center Saturday night.

PIONEER THEATRE SETS MIDNIGHT FILM FEB. 22

Paul Conn has announced that his theater, Pioneer Drive-In, will show "Torture Garden" as a midnight show Saturday. Regular admission will be charged, Conn states, and feature will begin at 11:30 p.m.

Eugene Gibson of Brownwood was a business visitor in Cross Plains Thursday.

Quality Printing. The Review

Pioneer was having typical February weather Monday morning, dark, misty and dreary.

Another reminder to each of you that Thursday night, Feb. 20, will be Family Night at the clubhouse. Pie and coffee will be served.

Jess Brown was taken back to the West Texas Medical Center in Abilene Friday suffering with pneumonia. His son, Joe Brown, visited him Sunday. He was much better, and he thought he would get to come home first of this week.

Mack and Bill Gray of Rising Star visited Mrs. Agnes Brown Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott had lunch with the Vernon Phillipps Saturday.

Visitors during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flippen were: Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Thomas and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. James Cloud of Texas City and Mrs. Judy Barr and two children of Coleman.

Eddie Flippen left for his work, and when he got there, he called back and said that the snow was kneedeep there.

Gale and Tan Flippen spent the week end in Brownwood with her mother, Mrs. Rutledge.

Mrs. Fannie Freeman and daughter, Merlene Gale, and children had lunch with Mrs. Ethel Brown Tuesday. Mrs. Freeman went back to Midland on Thursday with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schaefer of the Cook Community gave a birthday dinner Sunday honoring their grandson, John Schaefer, and Mrs. Ida Gray. Others attending were John's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schaefer and Mary, Lonnie Gray, Mrs. Scott of Moran and the Herman Reimers of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ode Creech of Sabanno visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming Wednesday night of last week.

Wanetta and Homer Parson were dinner guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roady and little son of Goldsboro visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady Sunday. They also visited Mrs. Doss Alexander a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sterling Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Nutt, all of Andrews, visited Sterling's mother, Mrs. W. R. Gibson, Sunday.



Miss Christy Ann Chesshir

Christy Chesshir, Douglas Dallas Tell Wedding Date

Announcement is made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Christy Ann Chesshir, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Chesshir, and Douglas Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dallas.

The ceremony will be solemnized at the Cross Plains Church of Christ March 6 at 7:30 p.m.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Cross Plains High School, having finished with the class of 1966. She is currently attending Cisco Junior College, where she is a sophomore student.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Cross Plains

High School with the class of 1962, and took his Bachelor of Arts Degree from Sul Ross in 1968. He has been teaching at Eastland public schools the past three years, where he is an athletic coach and teacher of social subjects.

All friends of the couple are invited to attend the wedding ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bush of Breckenridge spent the week end here in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bush.

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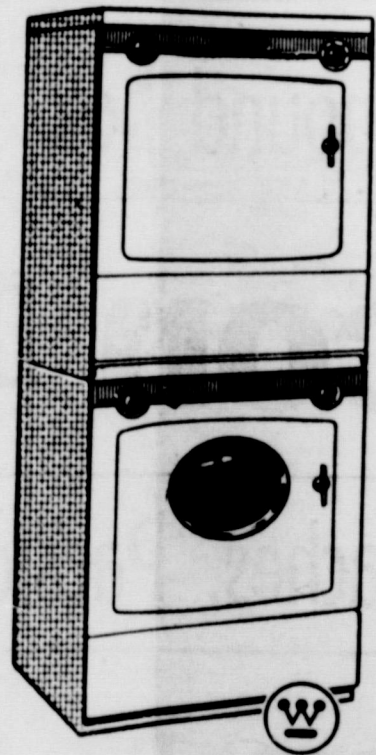
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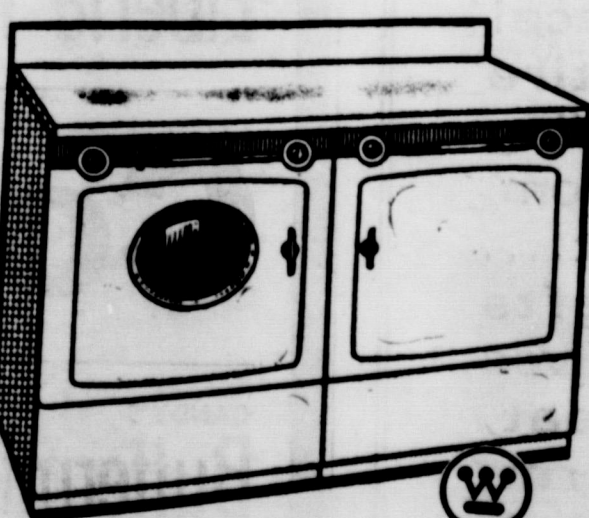
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Rowden Community News Report

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs
Rowden community is very thankful for the good rain last week. Most gauges measured one and .50 inches or more. Farmers will be anxious to start working on the fields getting ground ready for spring planting.

James Reynolds had just completed a tank for Jimmy West which caught about two feet of water.

Game night at the community center was well attended Saturday night and all enjoyed the supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cauthen and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cauthen and children Sunday afternoon in Admial.

Mrs. Louise Bennett of Roswell, N. M., visited her sister, Mrs. Bill Lawrence last week. Other guests in the Lawrence home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ross and children of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge were in Abilene Sunday where they visited her mother, Mrs. Mollie Taylor.

Mrs. James Reynolds and Mrs. Tommie Harris attended the P.T.A. program Thursday in Cross Plains. Jim and Nicky

were on the program. Mrs. Larmar Henry of Baird visited in the James Reynolds home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs spent Thursday in the Walter Rose home in Cross Plains. Other guests in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Hollingshead and Mrs. Elveda Sikes, all of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Granvel Gibbs and Carl and Stephen returned Mrs. Leila Gibbs to her home here after spending ten days in Odessa. Granvel had undergone surgery on his foot two weeks ago. David Donovan of Odessa accompanied them on the trip here.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin during the week were, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and sons of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Harris and Mrs. Ray Boen.

Mrs. Hadden Payne visited Mrs. Sterling Odom, Mrs. Don Harris and sons and Mrs. James Reynolds and Jan, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price were in Merkel Tuesday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Outlaw. They also visited Mrs. Vergie Akin in the rest home there.

Guests in the N. V. Gibbs home Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Granvel Gibbs, Carl and Stephen, and David Donovan, all of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains, and Mrs. Leila Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary visited their son Audry Gary and family in Weatherford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Nicky and Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children attended the Cub Scout Ban-

quet in Cross Plains Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom, and Ivon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen visited Mr. and Mrs. George Blakeley one day last week.

Those visiting Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond during the week were Douglas Gibbs of Fort Stockton, Hoot Swafford of Clyde, Buren Burks of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen last week were Mrs. Sallie Eastham of Fort Worth, Miss Jennie Harris of Baird, Mrs. H. B. Garrett of Stephenville, Mrs. Roland Mauldin and sons of San Angelo, Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Raymond Gibbs and Mrs. Bill Lawrence.

Sunday dinner guests in the Jimmy West home were his brother, Jonny West, of Pasadena, Mrs. Hattie West and Red West of Baird. Other visitors during the week were Mr. and Mrs. James Isenhower and children and Mark Baum of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Marrs and son of Denison were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Swafford and girls. Other guests

in the home were Douglas Gibbs of Fort Stockton, Hoot Swafford of Clyde and Rhonda Franke of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Tommie Harris visited her mother, Mrs. Ivon Odom, in Cross Plains Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Washburn of Sipe Springs visited her father, Jerry McDonald, Sunday.

Personals

John D. Isenhower of Putnam was a business visitor in Cross Plains Tuesday.

Mrs. Lynn Nabers and son, Scott, of Brownwood visited here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott, first part of the week.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burks over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Burks and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cheirs and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Parks and sons, all of Abilene, Mr. and Ms. Howard Burks of Fort Worth, Mrs. Dee Price and sons, Mrs. Glen Ferguson and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burks and Jan and James, all of Potosi.

Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ege of Austin spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Black Higginbotham spent several days last week on their farm here.

Mrs. Robert Brashear visited Mrs. Roy Tatom Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black and Barbara visited Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon and son at Sabanno Sunday and at Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Loy Don Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Beth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith of Fort Worth spent Saturday night with Mrs. Ethel Hewes and stopped to visit Buster and family. He also visited Harvey Black who is a patient in an Eastland hospital.

Mrs. Robert Brashear visited Mrs. Roy Tatom Sunday afternoon.

Burke Musgrove To Have TV Program

State Representative Burke Musgrove will begin a series of weekly television reports to the 53rd Legislative District and those in the Abilene area.

Musgrove's 15-minute show, called "Capitol Comment," will be aired each Friday on Abilene's KTXS-TV station, immediately following the 6 p.m. and 10 p.m. news.

The program will be videotaped in high band color in Austin and transmitted to Abilene. Guests will appear on the show with Rep. Musgrove to informally discuss governmental issues.

The first edition of "Capitol Comment" will be aired Friday, Feb. 21, on channel 12. Featured guest this week will be Representative Vernon Stewart of Wichita Falls. An eight-term veteran in the House, Stewart chaired the House Juvenile Crime and Delinquency Committee, and was the prime figure in the recently widely publicized Gatesville School investigation.

Jim Carpenter of Abilene was a business visitor here Tuesday.

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