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SIXTY-FIRST YEAR

Houston Man Charged In 'Hit And Run' Count

A Houston man has been charged in Callahan County Court on two counts after a traffic mishap at junction of South Main Street and State Highway 36 in Cross Plains Friday night.

Thomas H. Garner was filed on for driving while intoxicated and leaving the scene of an accident, according to Deputy Sheriff Howard Cox of Cross Plains. It was reported Monday that he was free on bond.

Garner was taken into custody by Deputy Luke Taylor of Clyde near Denton Valley after Cox had radioed an alert for the vehicle, which was believed traveling west on Highway 36. The mishap wasn't reported here until several minutes after its occurrence.

Garner's auto allegedly hit a car owned by Harold Gressett of Comanche and left the scene of the accident. No injuries were reported.



LAWMAN — Cross Plains City Council has appointed Byron Richardson city marshal. He will assume duties of the position May 1. Richardson, who was deputy sheriff here before being elected to a four-year term as county judge in 1962, will replace Homer Simons. Simons became marshal following the retirement of Marvin Cade earlier this year.

\$9,099 Paid For New Water Storage Tank

Additional storage is being bought for Cross Plains' city waterworks.

Mayor Doyle Burchfield was authorized by the City Council to close a deal for a 126,000 gallon reservoir to be erected alongside the city water settling basin on East 9th Street. Purchase price was \$9,099, which was the lowest bid for the tankage.

The new reservoir will be identical to one installed at the same location in 1961. These

two tanks, the overhead tower near the Fire Station, and capacity of the settling basin will give Cross Plains a total of approximately 372,000 gallons of storage space. Peak water consumption here on a hot summer day approximates 200,000 gallons.

"The storage space is being provided as a safeguard against shortage during a major fire or because of a power failure in the water field," Burchfield said.

Pre-School Children Receiving 1 Month Classroom Orientation

Cross Plains schools are endeavoring to offer a little more.

Classes began on the local campus Monday for children who will enter the first grade at the next regularly-scheduled term. The pre-school orientation will run one month, carrying through May 16.

Teaching the incoming first graders is Mrs. Dan Flournoy, a certified elementary school teacher. Supervising the program is Miss Betty Browning, Title I director, and Mrs. Mattie Fay Dixon, first grade instructor. The classroom is upstairs in the high school building.

For one month the beginners will follow regular school schedules from 8:10 a. m. to 2:30

p. m. They will ride buses, eat in the campus lunchroom and participate in all regularly-scheduled school functions.

SATURDAY NIGHT'S RAINFALL REPORTS

Sabanno	1.29
Sterling Odom	1.10
C. T. Barton	.90
Cross Plains	.82
Rising Star	.60
Cottonwood	1.00
Burkett	.77
Rowden	1.20
Earl Pyle	.80
Ike Hickman	.55
Chester Glover Farm	.90
Vernon Phillips	.80
Edwin Schaefer	.80
Bill Lawrence	1.10

Dick Vestal Heads Callahan Teachers

Dick Vestal, Baird High School vocational agriculture teacher, was chosen to head Callahan County unit of Texas State Teachers Association at a meeting of the group Monday night in Baird.

Other officers elected at that time were: Jackie Pruet of Clyde, first vice-president; Betty Browning of Cross Plains, second vice-president; Amelia Smith of Baird, secretary, and Roma McIntyre of Putnam, treasurer.

The newly-named officers will serve throughout the 1969-70 school year.

J. A. BURTON PATIENT IN ANSON HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobdy and Mr. and Mrs. Duke Mitchell visited J. A. Burton, formerly of Cross Plains, in Anson General Hospital Sunday afternoon. Burton is reported recovering from a recent heart attack. His room number is 124.

99 Win School Honor Ratings

Ninety-nine students gained honor roll status at Cross Plains schools for the fifth six-weeks period, according to releases yesterday from offices of principals Scot Edgington and Jack Watkins.

Only 19 high schoolers earned the elite ranking.

The third grade with 14 students with a general average of 90 or better led remainder of the school system. The class with the smallest representation was the sophomore group with only one honor student.

The list, by grades, appears hereunder.

First grade: Mary Jo Schaefer, Duane Hutchins, Dana Bains, Tan Flippin, Sherry Koenig, Cindy Montgomery, Randy Golsen, Brenda J. Weiss, Keith Lawrence and Johnny Moon.

Second grade: Beatrice Jackson, Bill McCowen, Malinda Moore, Allen Phillips, Melissa Payne, Ellen Reynolds, Jackie Strickland, Eddie Hedrick, Jimmy Kelly and Bill Cowan.

Third grade: Linda Carouth, Tracy Dillard, Vivian Franke, James Garrett, Jim Reynolds, Dana Richardson, Sandy Bailey, Steve Baugh, Troy Beggs, Nicky Harris, Frances Knott, Melissa Pancake, Brad Waggoner and John Schaefer.

Fourth grade: Jimmy Crawford, Rusty Dimitri, Ken Hunter, Dennis Kelly, Sam Koenig, Norma Lee, Michael Strahan, Deborah Waldroff and Mike Winfrey.

Fifth grade: Edith Ingram, Ethel Moon, Vicky Moore, Sharen Richardson, Sandra Weiss, Leslie Wyatt, Kathryn Walker and Terry Dillard.

Sixth grade: Charlotte Burks, Debra Crawford, Tony Dimitri, Randy Hunter, Erica Robertson, Richard Sowell, Clarence Tension, Teri Anne Brown, Sharon Dillard, Martha McDaniel and Carl Thomas.

Seventh grade: Charles Hutch-

ins, Barbara Ingram, Suzie Koenig, Roy Merrill, Mary Rankin, Kimberly Tatom and Paula Wright.

Eighth grade: Dennis Campbell, Donnie Dillard, Terry Edgington, Kathryn Morris, Gary Rogers, Larry Tatom, Jackie Thomas, Eddie Weiss, Joe Wilcoxen, Tony Winfrey and Rickey Worley.

Freshmen: Alvie Hutchins,

Donald Pope, Susan Holland, Bobby Cowan, Beverly Tatom, Sherry Ingram, James Wilson, Vickie Foster and Diane Johnson.

Sophomores: Debbie Tyler, Juniors: Clovie Norris, Char-lou Richardson, Sherri Neal and Regina Gary.

Seniors: Patsy Ingram, Sissy Barr, Katherine Sohns, Diane McCowen and Robert Merrill.

McCord And Payne Face Runoff Election Tuesday

First run-off in history of Cross Plains for a City Council

post is slated Tuesday of next week, April 29.

CLOCK CHANGES DUE TO BE MADE SUNDAY

Sunday is clock-changing time again. Daylight Saving Time becomes effective April 27 (Sunday) at 2:20 a. m.

Actually most local people will advance clocks and watches one hour before retiring Saturday night for most schedules the next day will be keyed to DST. Most church schedules Sunday will follow the time change, starting one hour earlier by the sun than before.

J. P. McCord, incumbent, and Jimmielee Payne, a newcomer to local politics, will seek to break a tie which resulted in their vote at the regular municipal election April 5. They finished in a dead-heat with 72 votes apiece at that time.

Mrs. W. F. Kilgore will serve as judge for the special run-off event. Her assistants will be Mrs. L. D. Koenig and Mrs. Chester Glover. Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

As a result of a drawing conducted by Mayor Doyle Burchfield, McCord's name will be first on the ballot. Payne's will be first at the April 5 election.

LOCAL MAN NAMED FOR STATEWIDE COMMITTEE

Joe Hanke, Jr., local rural letter carrier and secretary of the Taylor-Callahan Rural Letter Carriers' Association, has been named by Roy Holcomb of Austin, president of the state organization, to serve on the Constitutional and By Laws committee for the Texas Rural Letter Carriers Association.

The 1969 state convention is scheduled in Austin July 13-16.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ollie Dennis and son, Bryan Dale, of Roswell, N. M., visited last week with Mrs. Jeff Clark in Cross Plains. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Dennis are sisters, daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams.

Weldon Edwards Is WT Hereford Prexy

Weldon Edwards, prominent rancher in the Clyde-Denton Valley area, has been elected president of the West Texas Hereford Association. He was named to the top spot by the cattle organization in a recent meeting in Abilene.

Long associated with Hereford cattle raising and breeding, Edwards was a prime mover to build the Callahan County Junior Livestock Show exhibition building in Cross Plains. Animals from his herd have won championship of the county junior show and major area shows in recent years.

Check Written To Pay For New Fire Truck

Chassis for a new booster fire truck arrived in Cross Plains Thursday, and a check for \$3,472.78 has been written by Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department.

That figure does not include just over \$200 in taxes, which will be refunded, and an estimated \$3,000 more to make the

unit serviceable. Local fire officials have estimated that another \$1,000 will be required to "finish-out" the apparatus. Total cost will near the \$7,500 mark.

Equipment and material costing \$1,900 has been ordered. Included is steel and labor for the 750-gallon tank, a 250-gallon-per-minute centrifugal pump, an

auxiliary pump for grass fires, 200 feet of one-inch hose, hose reel and an electronic siren.

Remaining to be purchased includes material for extensive plumbing required, steel for panels and step boards, radio, gauges and control panel. "The truck will be placed in service as soon as possible,"

Chief Alton Hornsby said this week, "but it will take time to make the unit ready for service."

The fire department bought the 2-ton truck, and the City of Cross Plains has pledged a matching amount, about \$3,000, toward equipping the vehicle.

Donations have made it possible to pay for the truck immediately, Hornsby noted, although gifts have not been solicited. Three gifts, totaling \$155, were received last week. They came from Callahan County Commissioners Precinct Four \$100, J. T. Foster \$25, Jack W. Tunnell \$25 and W. A. Crutchmer \$5.

Parade To Open LL Season

Little League baseball season will open in Cross Plains Tuesday at 6:30 p. m.

Opening game will be preceded by a parade at 5 p. m. and pre-game ceremonies.

The procession, which will form in front of Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply on South Main Street, will include the four Little League teams, their managers and the minor league squads. All area businesses and organizations are invited to enter a floats or vehicle in the parade, according to James Lawrence, league president. The procession will move northward up Main to the Little League Field in Edgewood Addition.

Minor leaguers will present a contest after the parade and before pre-game ceremonies begin. League officers and members of each team and coaches will be introduced before the opener. Members of the local Boy Scout troop will raise the flag.

Mayor Doyle Burchfield will throw out the first ball of the season.

First game will begin at 6:30 p. m., and will be followed by the night-cap, scheduled to start about 8 p. m. The same procedure will be followed each Tuesday and Thursday nights through the 18-game slate.

Bufs and Kilowatts will furnish action in the first game, and Cats and Beadels will tangle in the second contest.

Forty-six youths are listed on rosters of the four teams.

Defending champion Bufs, managed by Lester Wyatt, has an 11-player roll. Three of those are veterans, Tony Wyatt, Royce Lawrence and Lloyd Corley. First-year players, selected in player auction following try-outs Friday night, are: David Clark, Phillip Bennett, David Bennett, Wesley Markham, Richard Taff, Dennis Franke, Steven Baugh and Billy Whiteley.

Dale Bishop and Billy D. Dillard will coach the Cats. The 12-player roster includes seven returnees, Tim Bishop, Deanie Dillard, Jimmy Crawford, Bill Holland, Mike Bowen,

Russell Steel and Gadeous Edwards. Newcomers are Michael Winfrey, Johnny Markham, Howard Edgington, Nikki Wilson and Troy Beggs.

The 11-man team of Killo-watts will be managed by Freddy Tatom, and six players return from last year's squad. They are: Tony Dimitri, Rusty Dimitri, Randy Pancake, Lynn Dickie, Lynn Tatom and Ricky Westerman. Rookies are: Jackie Kingery, Jim Reynolds, Weldon Robertson, Brad Waggoner and Nicky Harris.

Beadels list 12 players who will be managed by Edwin Schaefer and coached by Dr. Melvin Henexson. Seven veterans are back including Ken Hunter, Randy Hunter, Sam Koenig, R. B. Dillard, Jr. Clarence Tension, Randall Franke and Jimmy Bates. Five new players are: Freddy Childers, John Schaefer, Darrell Dillard, Kelly Henexson and Kenny Bates.

Lawrence has stated that the concession stand will be open, he invites local fans to eat supper at the field.

Mayor Calls Town Meeting On Friday

Third session of a recently-instituted series of Town Meetings has been called by Mayor Doyle Burchfield for Friday night at 7:30. The meeting will again be in the City Hall.

Primary purpose of the gathering is to hear reports from the recently-formed committees, which took the leadership in a clean-up campaign here four weeks ago.

Mayor Burchfield, speaking for the City Council as a whole, urged all people interested in the growth and improvement of Cross Plains to be present. "This is everybody's business and all are welcome, both men and women," he said.

Cards of Thanks are 75c when held to minimum length.

100th Birthday For Local Lady Scheduled Monday

Not many hundredth birthday parties have been held in Cross Plains. One is scheduled, though, at Colonial Oaks Monday afternoon of next week, honoring Mrs. Cora Stephenson, a resident there, who will reach the century mark on April 28.

Coming for the centennial celebration are her two sons, Bart Eddy Stephenson of Burkett and William A. Stephenson and his wife of Pampa, as well as numbers of grandchildren, nieces, nephews and long-time friends.

Mrs. Stephenson, whose hus-

band was an early-day blacksmith, has lived most of her life in the Cross Plains and Burkett communities. Her husband passed away in 1938.

In addition to her two living sons, Mrs. Stephenson's descendants include 15 grandchildren, 42 great-grandchildren and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Stephenson fell and broke a hip about three weeks ago. She was taken to a Brown-wood hospital and underwent surgery and is said to be recovering.

"I believe I could stand right now," she said to her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William A. Stephenson, one day this week. She is up and about in a wheel chair and is said to be most happy to be back at Colonial Oaks "among so many friends".

Mrs. Stephenson has a slightly younger sister, Mrs. J. M. (Ludie) Miller, who lives in Waco. They have nearly always been together on the elder sister's birthday, however, illness will prevent Mrs. Miller from attending Monday's party.

Col. and Mrs. Ray Lee, owners and operators of Colonial Oaks, said yesterday that everyone at the home is excited about the upcoming birthday party.



Mrs. Cora Stephenson

C. R. (Mike) Cooks Will Note 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. (Mike) Cook will observe their golden wedding anniversary at a reception in their home west of Cross Plains from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday April 27.

The Cooks were married in Abilene April 28, 1919, by Dr. Millard A. Jenkins, Baptist pastor. During the intervening 50 years they have made their home in Callahan County, living at intervals in Baird, Putnam and Cross Plains. After selling their insurance agency in Cross Plains in 1956, they

have made their home 13 miles west of Cross Plains, however, they recently bought a home in Baird and will move there around June 1.

The couple has one daughter, Mrs. Charles A. Stone of Gruver, two granddaughters, Mrs. Darrell Wright, Jr. and Miss Madeline Stone, both of San Antonio, and two great-grandchildren, Charles and Acelia Wright of San Antonio. Sunday afternoon's reception will be hosted by Mrs. Stone and her children and grandchildren.

Buffs Find Region Track Meet Tough

Three Buffalo cindersmen did not score in regional competition at Denton Saturday, but Coach Les Cowan said, "They all did a good job, and worked hard all Spring."

Joe Dodds recorded his best time of the year, 16.8 seconds, in the 120-yard high hurdles, but finished fifth in his heat. Bobby Cowan logged a 10.7 in the 100-yard dash, and also ran fifth. Ronnie Pancake posted a 5:10 in the mile.

Cowan noted that only the first four in each heat qualified for the finals, although some slower times in other heats made the finals.

Advertising Gets Results!

Just A Reminder

"BLESS'D IS THE MAN THAT WALKETH NOT IN THE COUNSEL OF THE UNGODLY, NOR STANDETH IN THE WAY OF SINNERS, NOR SITTETH IN THE SEAT OF THE SCORNFUL." — Psalm 1:1 D. C. J.

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WALTER STRICKLAND UNDERGOES SURGERY

Walter Strickland is reported doing well after having undergone surgery at the Comanche Hospital Monday of last week.

JUNIOR LEE WINS LONG RUNS AGAIN

Junior Lee, former Buffalo track star who now runs for Howard Payne College, captured double victories for his school last Saturday.

He won the two mile-run in a record 9:34.6, and the mile in 4:17 flat.

Howard Payne won the meet it hosted with 68 points.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Finley of Baird were visitors here Sunday.



Miss Patty Pennell

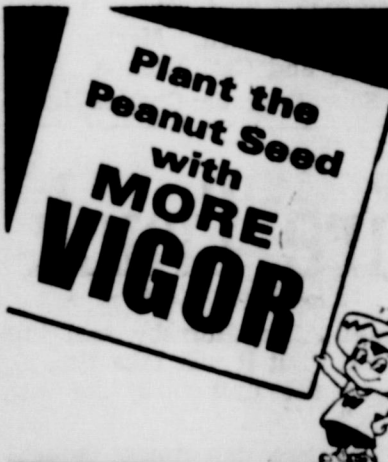
Miss Patty Pennell Will Be Bride Of Stephenville Man

Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Brown, Jr. announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patty Pennell, to Larry Heffley, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lorrard Heffley of Stephenville. The couple will be married on May 31 at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Cross Plains.

Miss Pennell is a senior at Tarleton State College, where she is majoring in elementary education. She is a member of D.S.T. Social Club, Head Major-ette, R.O.T.C. Sponsor of "C" Company, Candidate for Little Colonel, and was elected freshman class treasurer in 1966. She was also a distinguished student the past semester.

Heffley attended Southwest Texas State, where he played football and is now playing for Tarleton. He is a senior and majoring in physical education. The couple will graduate in May, 1970.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Adair and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. John O. Adair and with T. T. Nichols here over the week end.



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J. C. Childers, 77, Buried On Saturday

Funeral for James C. Childers, 77, who lived nearly all of his life in Cross Plains, was held from Higginbotham Funeral Home Saturday morning with the Rev. E. V. Brooks, local Baptist pastor, officiating. Burial was in Southland Cemetery, between Slaton and Post, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Childers was dead on arrival at a Veterans Administration hospital in Temple Thursday morning at 11:15.

He was born at San Angelo Aug. 22, 1891, and moved here early in life. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains. He had been in declining health in recent months and had resided at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home since Nov. 8 of last year.

Survivors include five sisters, Mrs. Mary Edwards of Lubbock, Mrs. Dovie Smith of Abilene, Mrs. Buster Davis of Bokica, Okla., Mrs. Louis Adcock of Dayton and Mrs. J. B. Hill of Cross Plains; one brother, Clint, of Lubbock.

Pallbearers were: Howard McGowen, Billy Charles McMillan, Franzel Odom, Bye Montgomery, Lemoine Pancake and Ted Souder.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge spent last week in Coleman visiting in the home of their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Holdridge and Tim.

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Thursday, April 27, 1966

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HAMBURGER
Patties, package of 10 \$1

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Cheese, 6 oz. pkg., 3 for \$1

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Catsup	Shurfine	4	14 oz. btl.	\$1
Beans	Shurfine whole green	4	303 cans	\$1
Corn	Shurfine	4	303 cans	\$1
Tuna	Food King grated	4	1/2 cans	\$1
Pineapple	Sweet Treat, crushed	4	300 cans	\$1
Juice	Del Monte Grapefruit	4	no. 2 cans	\$1

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KEEBLER'S DUTCH APPLE
Cookies, 14 1/2 oz. bag 47c

LADY SCOTT TOILET
Tissue, 3, 2-roll pkgs. \$1

KRAFT'S
Miracle Whip, qt. --- 49c

RANCH STYLE PINTO
Beans, 6, 300 cans -- \$1

Shortening Snowdrift 3 LB. CAN **69c**

MAYFIELD CREAM STYLE
Corn, 6, 303 cans ---- \$1

J.R.B., JUMBO
Potato Chips, pkg. -- 49c

Meal GLADIOLA, 5 POUND BAG **39c**

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Bleach, 1/2 gallon ---- 27c

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BAYER ASPIRIN, 98c size 69c
AQUA NET HAIR SPRAY, 79c size 59c

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Green Beans	Shurfine cut	5	303 cans	\$1
Beans	Ranch Style	5	15 oz. cans	\$1
Tomatoes	Gold Tip	5	303 cans	\$1
Potatoes	Del Monte, whole, new	5	303 cans	\$1
Beans	and Potatoes, Shurfine	5	303 cans	\$1
Corn	L.E. Grand	5	303 cans	\$1
Peas	Argo Sweet	5	303 cans	\$1
Juice	Texsun Grapefruit	5	no. 2 cans	\$1

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1949	3.49	2.23	2.50	2.49	4.89	3.75	.99	2.65	1.55	3.00	3.19	2.30	33.03
1950	1.07	.27	.12	2.13	6.82	3.60	3.62	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	.13	.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	2.78	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	.26	5.18	.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	9.26	1.82	1.97	3.06	4.23	2.46	2.83	3.29	.80	.22	5.03	1.02	35.99
1969	.63	1.38	4.58	3.72									10.31

Twenty-One-Year Average Rainfall: 23.76
 Normal Rainfall Here: 24.54
 Above figures taken from official records of S. F. Bond, observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau

Burkett Busy With Springtime Chores

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett
 Mrs. Cora Stephenson of Colonial Oaks Nursing Home will be honored on her one hundredth birthday anniversary Monday, April 28 with a come and go party in the dining room of the home. All her friends are invited to attend. Congratulations and orchids to Mrs. Stephenson on this memorable day.

Bob Calvin has been a patient at Overall-Morris Hospital the past week. He is feeling better.

Mrs. Bill Strickland underwent minor surgery at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital Monday morning. She is in satisfactory condition.

C. G. Burkett has spent the past three weeks at Santa Anna Hospital and is still not feeling well. He enjoys having friends visit him.

Luke Harwell still remains in Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood after undergoing surgery recently.

Mrs. R. V. Watson and Mrs. Jack DeBusk, co-chairmen of the Burkett Cancer Drive, report a total of \$175.15 contributions from this area. They want to thank the following workers, Mrs. J. B. Burkett, Mrs. Margaret Young, Mrs. Bill Davee, Carolyn and Sharolyn Barnett and Mrs. Merrel Burkett. They especially appreciate all those that gave so generously to this worthy cause.

News has been received here of the death of Clinton Hamlin of Plainview, husband of the former Mary Neff of Burkett. Mr. Hamlin passed away Wednesday of last week following a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Helms and Mrs. Guy Murphree, all of Rotan, visited recently with relatives here. Mrs. Murphree stayed and is still visiting relatives and friends.

Oscar and Seth Burkett visited friends in Burkett Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watson of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Watson and with her parents at Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Burkett and Mrs. Mae Beaver spent Sunday evening visiting C. G. Burkett at Santa Anna Hospital.

Friends at Ranger Park Inn, Mrs. Burkett's aunt, Mrs. Oliver Karnes at Bangs Rest Home and her relatives at Zephyr. Mrs. W. M. Freeman came home with them to visit a week or longer.

Mrs. D. A. Boyle and Mrs. W. M. Newton were in Brownwood where Mrs. Newton met an appointment with her physician.

The Charles Denney Family have moved in the Dan Flippin house and Charles is employed with the Higginbotham lumber yard in Cross Plains.

Jerry Boyle of Howe visited the D. A. Boyles and the Charles Dennys over the week end.

The Tommy Strickland family are moving to Coleman where he will be manager of the Safeway Store there. They will move there Wednesday of this week. Tommy has been there at the store since last Thursday.

Nathan Oliver of Artesia, N. M., spent Saturday night with his mother, Mrs. Ava Bell Oli-



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Pep Leaders At School

Four cheerleaders selected to serve Plains High School. They were elected in the student body Tuesday.

The leaders will be Jones, Debbie Taylor, Ingram and Kathy P.

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Mrs. Glenn Payne Takes Laurels At Flower Show

Mrs. Glenn Payne was awarded three top honors in the artistic division of Cross Plains Garden Club's 9th annual Spring Flower Show here Friday. She received the award of distinction and the creativity and sweepstakes laurels.

Mrs. Hadden Payne captured the tri-color award.

In horticulture Mrs. J. C. Claiborn received the award of merit. Mrs. Maurine McCuin had the best of the show in Iris. Mrs. C. L. Smith was the sweepstakes winner.

Others garnering blue ribbons in the artistic division were: Mrs. J. P. McCord, Mrs. J. C. Bowden, Mrs. C. L. Smith, Mrs. Ross J. Newton and Mrs. Harold Hinkle.

Winners of blue ribbons in the horticulture division included: Mrs. McCord, Mrs. C. L. Smith, Mrs. McCuin, Mrs. J. Peyton Smith, Mrs. Newton, Mrs. C. V. Dickson, Mrs. Claiborn, Mrs. Glenn Payne, Mrs. Hadden Payne, Mrs. Don F. McCall, Mrs. Hazel Tunnell and Mrs. Ted Rogers.

Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Duncan had two of their children home Sunday. They are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Duncan and children and Mr. and Mrs. Marsh and daughter of Dallas.

Miss Ethel Eathson of Admiral attended services at the Baptist Church Sunday, and was the dinner guest of Mrs. J. W. Woodard.

Several area persons attended the annual meeting of the Taylor Electric Co-Op. last Thursday at Merkel. They were: Mrs. R. S. Peavy, Mrs. Lester Bush, Mrs. Callie Swafford, Mrs. Jesse Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion, Hazel I. Respass and Clarence Bush. Those who have never attended one of those meetings are missing something. There was nice entertainment and dinner and drinks free. A host of members attended.

Mrs. Ethel Anderson helped Mrs. Mollie Brightwell on the ranch last week while the men were working with the cattle.

Those who had Sunday dinner with Mrs. Ethel Anderson were: Mr. and Mrs. Terry Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Raughton, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro and Rod.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Arvin of Rising Star spent last week end with Mrs. Frances Gilleland and attended the musicale at the community center.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Smith of near Admiral, who have been attending services at the Baptist Church for some time since the Admiral Church closed, united with the local church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson, Miss Martha Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robinson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack McCowen and family in Abilene Sunday. Sgt. Bob Robinson left at 6 p.m. for training camp in Wichita, Kan., for one month before going overseas.

Musgrove Speaks At Houston Meet

State Representative Burke Musgrove, speaking to a capacity crowd at the American Legion Convention in Houston Saturday night, declared, "We are presently in history's most sophisticated war for the minds of men, and our nation's strength is severely being tested and probed at home as well as in the rice paddies and jungles of Vietnam."

"At home," he said, "we are being tested in a variety of fields — in law and order — in morality — in education — and in a host of other areas that demand a responsive people and a responsive government."

"Not that your personal sacrifices and gallantry in World Wars and the Korean War was unimportant to the preservation of freedom in the world," Musgrove told the veterans, but I want to emphasize that the battle continues — both domestically and abroad. "The great nations that have gone before fell through internal decay and were not destroyed by the marching armies of a foreign imperialist country."

ANDY GAINES CHOSEN PRESIDENT OF PIONEERS

Andy Gaines, a native of Cross Cut, has been named president of Brown County Pioneers Association, Sons and Daughters.

BAIRD GIRLS WIN AT MERKEL TRACK MEET

Baird girls won championship of a district junior high school track meet in Merkel last Thursday.

Personals

Mrs. Flora Wright was a Baird visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Nabers and son, Scott, of Brownwood were visitors here Sunday.

Tommy Porter, who is employed on the Abilene Reporter-News, was a recent visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Porter, in Cross Plains.

HINTS FOR ADVERTISERS

- When you next call The Review, 725-3571, to place a classified ad, remember that words are your business. Words properly put together in an ad mean more phone calls and more sales for you. Follow the rules below and get more and faster results.
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 Avoid them if possible. They are difficult to answer and people prefer to deal directly.
 - Put in the price, by all means**
 Surveys show that many people will not answer an ad unless the price is given.
 - Keep the readers from guessing**
 On important details it is better to include them if they are relevant to a sale.
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TO THE PUBLIC: Any erroneous reflection upon the character or reputation of any person or firm appearing in these columns promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the manager.

Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Atwell had another wet Sunday. Rain which fell Saturday night measured nearly one inch.

Bobby Hutchins and a boy friend spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins, and Beth. Bobby is employed by Santa Fe in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and Beverly and Kim visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd at Cross Cut Sunday.

Mrs. Elvis Scott visited Mrs. Roy Tatom Saturday.

Dave Draper of Lubbock and James Foster and Jim Leonard of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster over the week end.

Mrs. Dayton Sessions came home Monday from the hospital. We hope she will be up and going soon.

This correspondent didn't get much news. She went to the revival all the past week and enjoyed it very much. There were several additions.

Eula May Absorb Elmdale's School

Patrons of the Elmdale Common School District — their school building gutted by a recent fire — have asked to call an election for a vote on consolidation with the Eula School District.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shields were in Comanche Sunday where they visited with Walter Strickland, who is a hospital patient there.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox were in Brownwood Sunday where they visited his sister who had recently undergone surgery in a hospital there.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Doyle Burchfield, Mayor of the City of Cross Plains, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that a special run-off election be held in the City of Cross Plains on the 29th day of April 1969, for the purpose of breaking a tie between J. P. McCord and Jimmie Lee Payne at the regular election held April 5, 1969, the winner to become a member of the City Council for the ensuing two years.

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

The law provides that writings will invalidate a ballot.

Approved by the City Council in session Tuesday night, April 15, 1969.

Doyle Burchfield, Mayor
3 2tc

BROWNWOOD Cattle Auction

April 16, 1969

MARKET: Steady and active. Stocker and feeder cattle and calves selling strong to mostly steady. Fat calves and yearlings steady to uneven. Packer cows steady to strong. Bulls selling steady. Stocker cows and pairs selling strong in good demand.

Estimated Receipts: 650

Stocker Steer Calves
Wts. 250-425 lbs. 35-50

Stocker Heifer Calves
Wts. 250-425 lbs. 28.50-37

Steer Yearlings
Wts. 500-700 lbs. 29-34
Bull Yearlings 26.50-33
Heifer Yearlings 26.50-31
Plain Feeder Steers 27-31
Plain Feeder Heifers 24.50-29

Cows and Calves, pair
Good \$225-\$270
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Cows 16-18
Canners 13.50-16
Shells 23-28
Stocker Bulls 21.50-25.50
Slaughter Bulls 21.50-25.50
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FOR SALE: Good cedar posts. See Michael Ingram, phone 725-4336. 4 2tp

FOR SALE: Two church buildings in Cross Plains, one 30x60 ft to be moved intact, and one 65x53 to be torn down. Bids accepted until May 1. Church reserves right to reject all bids. Contact Glenn Payne, Cross Plains, Texas. Phone 725-4691 4 2tc

ALUMINUM folding cot with foam mattress \$8.50; lawn sprinkler \$1.29. D&D Family Store. 1tc

ATTENTION LADIES: Register now for either or both of two (1-evening) classes to be conducted at Bowden Lumber Company by an instructor from Dallas. The first in antiquing will be held the evening of May 8, beginning at 8 p.m. The second class in decoupage will be the following evening beginning at the same hour. It is essential to pre-register (by telephone will do) as soon as possible. Call 725-5241. 1tc

SLIGHTLY Used M.W. Power Kraft acetylene cutting and welding set, 2 welding tips, 4 buting tips, etc. \$79.95. D&D Family Store. 1tc

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FOR SALE: Registered Quarter Horse Geldings 3 and 4 year olds, excellent blood lines. See Oral Joy at Shamrock Station, Cross Plains, Texas. 3-4tp

FOR SALE: 8 good turkeys, 3 toms and 5 laying hens. Priced at \$30. See Oliver Robertson. 4 2tp

FOR SALE: Beautiful corner lots. Oak trees. Two sides paved. 2 full lots and ten feet of lot joining. Priced for quick sale, \$1400. Call 725-5581 after five or see Howard McGowen. 4 3tc

CARD OF THANKS

We want to give a sincere thanks to all of our friends who helped our family face a very trying time. For each of you who rendered and service we give our special thanks, and we want you to know it will long be remembered. We also want the ladies of the church to know how much we appreciate their time and efforts in preparing meals. Thanks goes also to each one who brought food to the Oscar Tyler home.

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FOR SALE: Tomato plants, several varieties. 25c per dozen, \$1.50 per hundred. Telephone 725-3671, W. A. Payne. 4 2tc

FOR RENT: 4-room furnished house. See B. C. McCowen or phone 725-4654 after 5 o'clock. 2 ttc

SEXTON WANTED for Admiral Cemetery. Anyone interested telephone 725-4916. 4 3tp

FOR SALE: Ford tractor. Good condition. New rubber. Write Loys Reid, Route 1, Box 277, Clyde, Texas, or see Shirley Cox at Cross Plains, Texas. 1tp

HOUSE FOR RENT: 3 rooms and bath. \$25 a month. See Mrs. Jim Wilson at 551 Ave. E or call 725-2892. 1tp

FOR SALE: B-Farmall, 3-point hitch, hydraulic lift, and pto; good tires, priced at \$325. Douglas Ingram, Box 42-A, R. 1, Cross Plains. Telephone 725-4794. 4 2tc

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GOOD BUYS in used cars: 1966 Ford, custom 4-door V-8 \$950, 1964 Grand Prix \$1095, 1965 Ford Econline Van \$950, 1966 Pontiac, 9-passenger wagon \$1875. See or call Johnston Truck & Supply in Cross Plains, telephone 725-2181. 4 2tc

NOTICE: I am taking orders for Knapp Shoes. Please call 725-4674 or write to me, Mrs. Jack Carouth, Route 2, Cross Plains. Have complete sales catalogue. Shoes in any size or width. 4 3tp

NOTICE: Warning is given that we will not be responsible for bills made by Mr. B. H. Brown after May 1, 1969. Any obligations incurred before that time should be mailed to P. O. Box 481, Cross Plains. Signed the Brown Family. 3 3tp

NOTICE: I have taken over Mrs. Earl Montgomery's Watkins route and will be calling on you soon. Mrs. Sam B. Sexton. Phone 725-4963 in Cross Plains, Tex. 4 2tc

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank friends for the cards, flowers and prayers during my stay in the hospital. The love and concern was a source of strength and your visits will be remembered always by me.
Bob Blackwell

CARD OF THANKS
We send most sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for their many expressions of sympathy and comfort during our bereavement. Your kindnesses during that sad time will be forever held in grateful remembrance.
Mrs. J. B. Hill and Family, Brothers and Sisters

CARD OF THANKS
I want to thank relatives and friends for making my 86th birthday happy with gifts, cards and visits.
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FOR RENT: 2-bedroom house, furnished. Cleo Joy, telephone 725-5504. 1tp

STRAYED: Black and yellow Jersey cow with "T" on left hip. Last seen Monday at Edwin Schaefer place, 3 miles East of Sabanno. Finder please phone 643-4237 for reward. 4 2tp

FOR SALE BY SEALED BID: The old lunchroom building located on the north end of Cross Plains school campus. All bids must be in by 4:00 p.m. May 12, 1969. The building will be open daily for inspection. Bids must be accompanied by a check for 10% of the total bid. Bids are to be submitted to the Superintendent's office or mailed to Box 587, Cross Plains 4 2tc

REMOVE excess body fluid with FLUIDEX tablets, only \$1.49 at Neal Drug. 4 9tp

WANT LADY to live in furnished apartment in my home. Occupant to pay utility bills for rent. See Mrs. Minnie Little or phone 725-3913 or 725-2392. 3 2tp

PAINTING: Inside or outside. Contract or by the hour. See Frank Byron Foller or phone 725-3727. 2 ttc

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SEWING MACHINES Sales & Service, call J. T. Beggs, 643-4384. 28-ttc

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Local Schools Get Fine State Report

Superintendent of Schools Wayne Ford has received a complimentary letter from Texas Education Agency for the efficient manner in which the federal government's educational program is being administered in the Cross Plains system.

Miss Betty Browning directs and coordinates these activities. The letter to Ford came after the Cross Plains school system had been monitored by representatives of TEA.

Travis J. Smith, consultant with the agency, wrote as follows:

"I found all teachers had on file results of objective measurements which support the educational needs of participating

students. An instructional program consistent with the plan stated is being carried out. Materials and equipment conform to the approved application and are being used in support of program activities. Well planned reading labs are making good use of instructional materials and equipment. All professional people in this program are properly certified and are performing functions specified in the consolidated application."

No unfavorable criticism whatsoever was offered.

MOTHERS MAKE PLANS FOR GIRLS BASEBALL
Will Cross Plains have a summer baseball program for little girls?

If so, mothers of all girls who wish to participate are being asked to meet at Odom's Restaurant Thursday morning, April 24, at 9 o'clock.

"Come down and let's plan a good recreational program," said a spokesman for the mothers. She also urged that they park cars in the rear of the cafe.

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Woman Known Here Expires In California

News has been received here of the death of Mrs. William Dee (Lillian) Cowan, 67, of North Hollywood, Calif., in a Glendale, Calif., hospital Tuesday of last week. Death resulted from a heart condition.

Mrs. Cowan was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Jones of Cross Plains and a sister of Mrs. Doyle Burchfield, who presently resides here.

Funeral was held Friday at noon in Forrest Lawn at Glendale. Burial was in Forrest Lawn Memorial Park.

Mrs. Cowan was born Aug. 1, 1901, in Clarence, Ala. She came to Texas with her parents in 1904, settling at Maypearl in Ellis County. They moved to Cross Plains in February 1919. She graduated from Cross Plains High School with the class of 1920. She was married to Elza Hawkins in February of 1948, and they made their home in North Hollywood. He died in November 1954. In November 1964 she married William Dee Cowan. He passed away in October 1966. Mrs. Cowan was a longtime member of the Cross Plains Methodist Church.

In addition to her sister in Cross Plains, Mrs. Cowan is survived by two other sisters, Mrs. O. C. Alexander of Kiowa, Kan., and Miss Georgia Jones of San Bernardino, Calif.; three nephews, John and James Alexander of Enid, Okla., and Jack Alexander of the U. S. Navy at San Diego, as well as a close companion, Mrs. R. S. Dembsay of Glendale, and a host of friends.

Col. and Mrs. Ray Lee were in Baird Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Champion of Comanche visited relatives and friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Odom of College Station visited here over the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baum were in Brownwood Sunday where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Browning and with Mrs. T. E. Baum.

Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

ostentatous ostentatious ostentatios

(Meaning: Pretentious.)

(Answer on Page 8.)

Better Than Inch Rains Fall In Sabanno Sector

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Sabanno had rain again Saturday night. It measured over an inch. Everything is looking pretty, and farmers are anxious to get back in their fields.

Friday night, April 25, will be Game Night. All of you who enjoy games of dominos and 42 are invited to attend. Visitors are always welcome.

The Busy Bee Club was scheduled to meet Wednesday. Mrs. Edwin Erwin was to have been hostess for the session. The club enjoys having visitors.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer visited with her brothers, Fred and Charles Coffey, in Abilene Saturday. She also visited with her son, James, while there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Webb and Lyndell of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris of Coleman spent Friday night with his sisters, Josie and Alma Morris.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins Sunday were Hamon Lawson of the Williams Community, Eldridge Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox and daughters of Eastland and the little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thate, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson of Romney.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Kent and son of Cisco visited Josie and Alma Morris Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb were Sunday dinner guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and children in Clyde. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Clark were with the family. It was a

good day together, Mrs. Wes Holcomb reports.

Calvin Morris was in Abilene Sunday where he visited with his wife, who has been a patient at West Texas Medical Center for some time. He reported that her condition remains about the same, but not quite as good as a few days ago. It is hoped that she will soon be much improved.

Mrs. P. C. Larkin of Rising Star and Peggy Erwin of Stephenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wordis Erwin Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb were business visitors in Monday recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Switzer and children visited the O. B. Switzers Sunday.

Visitors with Josie and Alma Morris recently were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rust and boys of Union Center and Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins were business visitors in Gorman Monday afternoon.

Several of the Busy Bee Club members met Tuesday afternoon and finished a pay quilt for Mrs. Dan Applin.

Lester King and his partner have drilled more water wells in the area for different ones. It seems the irrigation business is picking up. As long as the nice rains, such as have been received recently, irrigation will not be necessary, rain is unpredictable.

Little Items Of Local Interest
Ruby Crouch and Edith Rae Johnson of Abilene visited here Sunday in the home of Mrs. Kate Powell.
Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Jones of Gatesville and her parents of Rising Star were visitors here Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jones Jr. had as their guests a week end Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Jennifer of City, Mrs. G. Q. Armbruster of Lueders, Mr. and Mrs. Bush of Breckenridge and Freeman of College Station.

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Students, Teachers Hear Heritage Talk

West Texas Schools American Heritage Project was culminated in a banquet last Thursday, April 17. The affair was held in Carter Cafeteria at McGlothlin Campus Center at Abilene Christian College.

Those attending from Cross Plains were: Coach John Geer, Mrs. Betty Odom, Robert Merrill, Kathy Sohns, Clovie Norris, Kim Beggs, Debbie Tyler, Alvie Hutchins and Beverly Tatom.

The speaker for the evening was Dr. Fern C. Stukenbroeker from the FBI headquarters in Washington, D. C. "A New Type of Subversion in the United States" was the theme of his speech. He said this new type of subversion was the "New Left" which consisted mainly of the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS). He elaborated fully on the extreme activities of this well-publicized group.

Dr. Stukenbroeker also presented two Freedom Foundation medals. One was presented to Mrs. Marene Johnson of Eastland and the other to Edward L. Kirk of Abilene.



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Soldier Is In Vietnam

Local Sergeant Duke C. Marsh is a member of the Force Communications Group unit in Vietnam that won the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award for the second consecutive year.

Marsh is a telephone supervisor with the Communications Group at Nhat Air Base, that is providing direct navigational air traffic control in that zone during the summer July 1967 through 1968.

Marsh was graduated high school after entering the service, completing requirements for his diploma during off-duty hours. His wife, Betty, is the daughter of Mrs. A. L. Fowler, Colorado City, Tex.

LETTES TO RUN SON THURSDAY

Albrecht, Vickie Stover, Tyler and Sue Walker compete in the Region 5 meet at Mason on Thursday.

Albrecht will be entered in the 100-meter low hurdles, and she won in the district meet. Miss Stover will be in the 100-yard dash and she finished second in the district.

Tyler and Miss Walker are the former two in the relay. The local quarter-mile runner-up.



PILOT — Marine Second Lieutenant Tommy J. Alford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Alford, and husband of Mrs. Candy Alford, all of Route 1, Rising Star, has made his first solo flight. It was made in a T-34 "Mentor" trainer after five months of intensive academic, military and physical training, including a month of primary flight training at Saufley Field, Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Pensacola, Fla. He will continue to more advanced phases of training for 13 months before receiving his pilot's "Wings of Gold".

LAKEWOOD FISHING IS REPORTED GOOD

Lakewood Recreation Center manager Bob Needham reported fishing has been excellent the past few days. Saturday an angler took a seven-pound and four-pound bass in shallow water.

He also stated that redear bream have been biting good.

Johnny Parks of Clyde was here Friday afternoon.

Second Trip Set To Boost Rodeo At Baird May 1-3

Not only is Callahan County Sheriff's Posse rodeo, scheduled in Baird May 1, 2 and 3, expected to be one of the state's best portrayals of the Old West, it is also expected to be the best advertised.

The second of two goodwill tours, to boost the upcoming rodeo, will be made Saturday. A motorcade will leave the courthouse at 8:30 a.m. and visit 12 cities, returning to Baird around 6 p.m.

The itinerary calls for arrival and departure times at the

following places: Clyde 8:40 and 8:55; Abilene 9:10 and 10:30; Merkel 10:15 and 10:30; Anson 10:55 and 11:10; Stamford 11:35 and 1 p.m.; Lueders 1:20 and 1:30; Albany 2:05 and 2:25; Breckenridge 3 and 3:30; Ranger 4 and 4:15; Eastland 4:30 and 4:45; Cisco 5 and 5:15; Putnam 5:30 and 5:40.

The first of the two trips was made last Saturday. Towns visited at that time were: Coleman, Santa Anna, Bangs, Brownwood, Blanket, Comanche, DeLeon, Rising Star, Cross Plains.

7 Men Named On School Tax Board

Seven men have been named to serve on a board of tax equalization for Cross Plains Independent School District. First meeting of the group will be May 27 at 9 a.m. in the office of Mrs. Maurine McQuinn, school tax assessor-collector. It is on South Main in Cross Plains.

Named to the board were: B. D. Montgomery, Glenn Payne, A. L. Breeding, Nathan Foster, Roger Watson, August Garlitz and Pete Fore. Cross Plains school board voted to pay the tax equalizers \$5 per half day or \$10 per full day's work.

BILL JONES ENTERS HOSPITAL IN DALLAS

Bill Jones of Cross Plains entered a Veterans Administration hospital in Dallas latter part of last week. He was to undergo complete examination.

VA SERVICE OFFICER AT LONGVIEW PARLEY

C. O. Fleming, Veterans Service Officer for Callahan County, attended a regional Rehabilitation Clinic for service officers held in Longview Thursday and Friday.

The purpose of the clinic was to give the service officer up-to-date information pertaining to the various benefits available to veterans and their dependents and survivors.

Phillips Will Again Head School Board

Reorganization of Cross Plains school board returned all officers to their former positions. Only change was the election of Roy Neil Tatom as assistant secretary, to replace Nathan Foster, who retired from the board.

Other officers are: Vernon Phillips, president; Tommie Harris, vice-president, and Dr. Carl J. Sohns, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby spent the week end in Glen Rose with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty and family.



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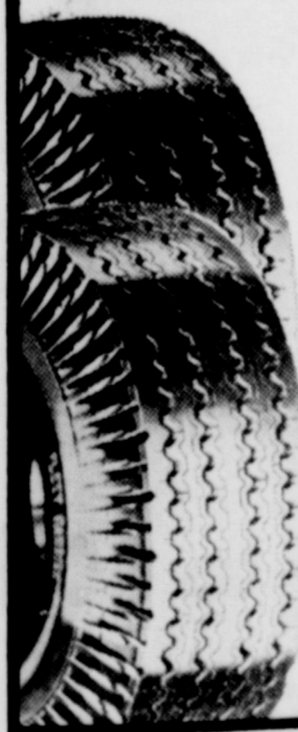
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2 Re-Entry Tries Set Near Clyde

Schkade Brothers Drilling Company of Abilene has filed application to re-enter two wildcat oil tests in Callahan County. Both are located two miles north of Clyde.

No. 1 Kleper is to be cleaned out to 3,200 feet. Site is 330 feet from the south and 2,310 feet from the west lines of Section 73, BBB&C Survey.

The venture was originally drilled in 1954 as Bridwell Oil Co. No. 1 Klepper.

Other project is No. 1 W. O. Groene. Proposed depth is 1,800 feet with rotary. It spots 725 feet from the south and 800 feet from the west lines of Section 73, BBB&C Survey.

The venture was originally drilled in 1965 as Arnold & Olga Barrett No. 1 W. O. Groene.

CORA LEE STEPHENS COMES HOME FRIDAY

Mrs. Cora Lee Stephens, who formerly resided here and at Burkett, was transferred from Ranger Park Inn at Santa Anna Friday afternoon to Colonial Oaks in Cross Plains. She made the trip in a Higginbotham ambulance.

Friends will be pleased to know that Mrs. Stephens is doing well and most happy to be back at Colonial Oaks.

HARRY MILLWARD GOES TO HOSPITAL AT BAIRD

Harry Millward was taken to Callahan County Hospital at Baird Friday morning in a local ambulance.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

TOMMY PURVIS BEGINS ARMY DUTY LAST WEEK

Tommy Purvis, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Purvis, entered the army last week and has been temporarily assigned to Fort Bliss at El Paso.

Tommy is an honor graduate of Cross Plains High School, having finished with the class of 1965 and is a former student at Texas Tech.

Linda Dill Shelf Is Added At Library

A memorial shelf has been added at Callahan County Library in the courthouse at Baird in tribute to the late Linda Dill of Baird. More than 100 books have already been included in this collection, all given by friends and relatives.

It is reported that general shelves in the library have recently been enhanced with the following titles: Preserve and Protect by Drury; The Hurricane Years by Hawley; Message from Hong Kong by Mignon G. Eberhart; the Velvet Hammer by Faith Baldwin; Winter People by Phyllis Whitney; and Mystery of the Crimson Ghost, also by Whitney.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carmichael of Abilene visited friends here one afternoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins and children of Odessa spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins.

Do You Remember?...

58 Years Ago

School trustees have ordered an election April 29, for the purpose of voting bonds totaling \$15,000 to build a school building in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Ivon Odom of Dressy who was severely burned several weeks ago died Friday morning from the injuries.

The Wednesday Book Club met at the home of Mrs. Walton Wagner April 6 with eight members present.

53 Years Ago

Rev. S. P. Collins preached his last sermon here Sunday to an overflow crowd.

Jess Moore and family have been called to Baird because of the serious illness of his sister, Miss Winnie Moore, who took suddenly ill Thursday with typhoid fever.

Martin Neeb announces this week as a candidate for reelection to the office of public weigher.

School closed Thursday with graduating exercises to be held Monday night. Graduates are Misses Ruby Atwood, Clara Boyles and Roy Mitchell.

Parents of baby sons born last week are Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Hack Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Aaron, Mr. and Mrs. James Boyle and Mr. and Mrs. Salon Wilson; girls were born to Mr. and Mrs. George Evans and Mr. and Mrs. James Cross.

43 Years Ago

The Mother's Self Culture Club held its first regular meeting at the Methodist Church April 7.

Mrs. Duke Westerman and Misses Ollie and Clara Westerman were Brownwood visitors the past week.

Little Motor Co. advertises the new Pontiac Six coach or coupe for \$825.

Lee Swan announces that he has purchased the Mack's Cafe. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Green of Sabanno are parents of a girl.

Orrell-Dodson Chevrolet Co. advertised the Touring Car for \$510 FOB Flint, Mich.

33 Years Ago

Miss Iva Elrod and Jay Kirkham were united in marriage Saturday night.

Cross Plains Fire Department will present a play "Sky High" Thursday and Friday night. Members of the cast are: Chas. F. Hemphill, Rosa Van Lane, Rosalie Cutbirth, Lindsey Tyson, V. C. Walker, Boots Harlow, Margarite Wagner, Dr. McGowan and Orba Booth.

Cross Plains seniors will present their play April 24 with the following cast: Durward Varner, Dixie Little, Buster Atwood, L. B. Loving, Ruth Barr, Melvin Placke, Helen Johnson, Oral Ray, Oleta Thate, Ida Nell Williams, Bobye Neel and Peggy Marshall.

18 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edington of Albany are parents of a baby girl.

Cross Plains annual picnic has been postponed due to the drought.

Mrs. V. I. Spivey was elected president of the Cottonwood Parent-Teachers Association for the ensuing year. Other officers elected were Mrs. W. A. Burton, Mrs. Frank Costello, Mrs. Norman Coffey and Mrs. Edgar Albrecht.

Mr. and Mrs. Bon Huntington are parents of a son; Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel Newton announce the birth of a daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Mason are also parents of a girl.

9 Years Ago

H. McDonald has resigned as minister of the Church of Christ.

Sterling Odom was reelected as school board president recently. Other officers are Hadden Payne, Chester Glover and Forrest Walker.

Safety stickers on 638 cars in Cross Plains according to Cliff Gilmore with a balance of 25 per cent of cars and trucks to be inspected before April 14.

Albert Lovell elected to head Band Boosters Club for ensuing year.

Bill Vineyard of Comanche was a business visitor here Saturday.

Amerada To Deepen Well Near Burkett

Amerada Petroleum Corp. filed application to re-enter and deepen to 442 feet with rotary a regular field project two miles north of Burkett.

It is No. 4-A J. W. Harris, located 220 feet from the south and 660 feet from the west lines of Section 6, John Sanders Survey 162.

The venture was plugged in 1959 at 413 feet.

BRAD CALHOUN ENDS SPECIALIST'S SCHOOL

Seaman Apprentice James B. (Brad) Calhoun, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Calhoun of Cross Plains, has graduated from the U. S. Navy's basic electricity and electronics school at the Naval Training Center at San Diego, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland G. Howeli of Dallas visited briefly in Cross Plains Saturday morning.


New County Agent Due Here May

Callahan County will have a new farm agent beginning May 1. Gregory Gergraves has been assistant county agent in Falls county is expected to be transferred to Callahan County.

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Eventful Week Passes Pioneer Residents

Ethel Brown, substituting for Delma Dean, Mrs. Bob Joy of Cross Plains spent Sunday with her family, the Browns. Mrs. Grace Brown was in Eastland Hospital Monday morning to the home of Mrs. C. B. Hester. She is reported to be improving. Mrs. Greenman, daughter of Mrs. Jess Brown, and Mrs. E. M. Curry, Sr. of Cross Plains visited the Tom Flippins over the week end. Visiting in the J. L. Thomas, Jr. home for several days are her mother, Mrs. L. E. Dowdy, of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Johnson of Abilene. Vernon is scheduled to leave May 20 for Kansas City, Mo., for six months training in the National Guard. His wife will join him after he completes six weeks of training. Mrs. E. M. Curry, Sr. of Cross Plains spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Grace Eakin. Visitors in the Eakin home over the week end were Mrs. Joan Warren of Andrews a niece and a grandson, Dempsey Eakin, of Brownwood. Mrs. Marie Pancake spent last week in Cross Plains with her mother, Mrs. E. M. Curry, Sr. Mrs. Ila Mae Marshall and Detta Webb visited the Pat Shirleys Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean left Thursday for a few days visit with their daughter and family, the Jim Haslams, in Las Cruces, N. M. Mrs. W. R. Gibson visited Mrs. Matthew in the Joe Fleming home last Friday. Mrs. Jack White visited her two daughters, Mrs. Spencer Pickens and Beverly White, in Abilene Saturday. Beverly, a student at ACC, has been ill but is now much better. Mrs. Elton Burgette and Mildred Coon visited Mrs. A. F. Harris in Cross Plains Thursday afternoon.

College Students Fill Revival Team

A revival meeting will begin Sunday at the Eastside Baptist Chapel in Cross Plains and continue through May 4. Evangelist will be the Rev. Kerry Peacock, a junior at Hardin-Simmons University. Music director will be Dan Zeigler, a sophomore at H-SU. Paul Hall, another H-SU sophomore, will serve as pianist. Services will be held each evening beginning at 7:30. Youth activities are planned for several nights during the revival. Harold Garrett was a business visitor in Los Angeles last week. Cards of Thanks are 75c when held to minimum length.



Miss Cynthia Lynn Ross

Amarillo Girl And Eddie Joe McAnally Set Wedding Date

Miss Cynthia Lynn Ross is the bride-elect of Eddie Joe McAnally, according to the announcement made by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Ross of Amarillo. The couple will be married May 29 in St. Paul Methodist Church in Amarillo. McAnally, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. McAnally of Cross Plains, is also a candidate for May graduation at McMurry. He is a member of Alpha Chi, national honorary society, Sigma Tau Delta, honorary English fraternity and Kappa Kappa Psi, men's social club on the Abilene campus. He has been on the dean's list throughout his entire college career. The couple will be married May 29 in St. Paul Methodist Church in Amarillo.

Lakewood Members Choose 3 Directors

Third time was a charm Saturday night as Lakewood Recreation Center annual membership meeting was held after two prior meetings postponed. Primary business was election of three new members to the board of directors. Named to two-year terms were Bill Davee, J. L. Bonner and Harry Sone. Retiring directors are Dave Lee, O. B. Edmondson and Glenn Henry. Holdovers are John Lee, J. C. Bowden, Jack DeBusk and James Rutherford. The 28 members present, combined with proxies, constituted a quorum, and it was voted to hold an invitational golf tournament later this year. Directors will set the date in session early next month. A Scotch foursome golf tournament and sack lunch picnic preceded the membership meeting.

Cross Cut Sees Many Visitors In Springtime

By Mrs. Les Byrd
There will be a week end revival at the church here, May 2, 3 and 4. The pastor will do the preaching, and the song leader will come from Howard Payne College. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wooley and children of Brownfield have visited recently with his brother, Roy, here. Mr. and Mrs. James Shults of Odessa spent the week end with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge and Nancy. Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Melton and Bill during the week end were Mrs. E. W. Porter and three children of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Weiss and baby daughter of Cross Plains. The pastor of the church here Rev. Mack Jones and Bonnie Hickin from Howard Payne College, had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom were also present. We gauged 90 of an inch of rain Saturday night. It surely is making the gardens grow. One can see the beans coming up. The fields are too wet to work yet from the last rains. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton Sunday afternoon were the Ferrell Newton family of Clyde and the R. P. Haun family of Eastland. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and Beverly and Kim of Atwell visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. David Riley and two sons, David and Shea, of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley, Sunday. They also visited with Mrs. Jennie Newton. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Byrd of Santa Anna have visited recently with her sisters, Mrs. Jennie Stone and Miss Dora Martin. Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley attended revival services at the Baptist Church in Cross Plains last week end. Mrs. Alton Barr, Mrs. Jimmy White and Penny of Brown-

Sew And So Club Will Meet May 1

The Sew & So Club met with Mrs. L. W. Westerman last Thursday afternoon with 11 members present. Next meeting will be May 1 in the home of Mrs. Craig McNeel with her mother, Mrs. Zulima Painter and Mrs. Helen Wood as hostesses. ANDIS-WATSON TEAM WINS LAKEWOOD GOLF Team of Cecil Andis and Mrs. Billy Watson carded a 45 to win the Scotch foursome competition at Lakewood Recreation Center Saturday afternoon. Runner-up duo with a 46 was Billy Watson and Mrs. Ed McAnally.

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African Enjoys Fishing Experience At Rowden

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Terry Harris of Cross Plains and Abdelkader Fakhfakh of Tunisia, Africa who is also practicing teaching in Santa Anna, came out Tuesday afternoon to fish. This was quite new and enjoyable for the friend from Africa.

Rowden had 120 inches of rain Saturday night. April showers are welcome and will make the countryside even more beautiful. Some farmers are wondering if their maize will come up after all the rain.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Blakley Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gorman of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smedley, Mrs. Joe Parson and Larry Joe all of Abilene.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary during the week were Anthony Sikes of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kilgore and children of Odessa.

Jerry McDonald accompanied his daughter, Mrs. Carl Washburn, and husband to visit Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDonald of Baird Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Nicky were in Santa Anna Friday night to attend that school's Senior Play. Their son, Terry, is doing practice teaching there.

Ned McDonald of Dublin spent Saturday night with his father, Jerry McDonald.

Those visiting during the week end with Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond were her granddaughter, Mrs. Larry Summers, and family. The Summers family were en route from Georgia to El Paso to live, and they will work with Mrs. Bob Darby in her cleaning business there. Other visitors in the home were Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Burks of London and Mrs. Effie Holloway, Mrs. Bill Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McClain.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen during the week were Chester Derrick of Odessa and Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Mrs. Bill Lawrence, Mrs. Effie Holloway and Raymond Gibbs.

Anthony Sikes of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge Sunday. Mrs. Bill Lawrence also visited in the home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Walter Strickland in the Comanche Hospital Sunday after having lunch with Mrs. Lillie Lawrence in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Sterling Odom visited Mrs. R. L. McClain Tuesday morning of last week. Mr. and Mrs. James Isenhower and children of Marfa spent the week end in the Jimmy West home. Other visitors in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Raymond Gibbs and James Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henry and Nancy attended services at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains Sunday night with the James Reynolds family. Ellen Reynolds was baptized during the service.

This community lost another family last week, when Gene and Vernie Belle Mauldin moved to Conroe. They will operate an ice cream parlor in a new shopping center there with their son, Carl. They will be missed here after living in the community for 33 years. Best of luck to the Mauldins in the new business. Their address is 411 Sherman, Conroe, Tex.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited her son, Glenn Lawrence, and family in Abilene Saturday.

Guests in the Tommie Harris home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Franzel Odom and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Harris of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson of Abilene.

Hoyt Lovvorn of Oplin and Jess Bower visited in the Bill Lawrence home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children were dinner guests of Mrs. Cora Howland in Cross Plains Sunday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cook in the afternoon.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs were in Cisco Friday to visit Judy Gibbs at the college.

Mrs. Warren Price, Blan Odom and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McWhorter attended the R.E.A. meeting in Merkel last Thursday.

Mrs. Sterling Odom visited Mrs. Billy Mac Coppinger in Eu-la Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cauthen and children visited in the Warren Price home one night last week. Mrs. Bill Lawrence also visited in the home one day.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Terrol and Troy were dinner guests of her aunt, Mrs. Annie Mae Crawford in Clyde, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Henry of Baird visited in the James Reynolds home Saturday.

Elic Bainbridge has been sick with flu the past few days. Even though spring has arrived flu is still around with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited in the J. D. Cauthen home Monday morning in Ad-miral.

ELMER PEEVY GOES FOR MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

Elmer Peevy entered Cox Memorial Hospital in Abilene over the week end. He was there only for a check-up.

OIL TEST ON BARR PLACE IS FAILURE

F. O. Calvert No. 1 Mrs. S. C. Barr, 2,510 feet from the north and 1,515 feet from the west lines of W. G. Anderson Survey 777, drilled one-half mile south of Cross Plains in the regular field, was plugged as dry at a depth of 365 feet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Horton and family of Lubbock visited in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Montgomery and family, and in the home of her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCowen and Naomi, over the week end.

Callahan County Has 104 Notaries

Mrs. Beatrice Deal, county clerk, reminds that notaries public who desire reappointment must pay the required fee and file a new oath and bond between May 1 and May 15.

A check of records in the courthouse at Baird revealed that there are presently 104 qualified notaries public.

Cross Plains presently has 28 notaries public. They are: Maurine McQuin, Glen R. Merrill, James V. McCowen, Vivian Lee, Bobbie J. Johnston, Leonard Walker, Dale Bishop, C. G. Hutchins, E. K. Coppinger, Dan Johnston, Chester Glover, Wil-sie Balkum, Billy Jean Calhoun, S. F. Bond, L. G. Jennings, Russell Calhoun, Rosa A. McNutt, Roylene Wilson, Doyle Burchfield, Margaret McNeel, Pat McNeel, Jr., Emma Dee Coppinger, Jack W. Tunnell, Edwin Baum, Ethel Sims, Jack Scott, Mary Pancake and James R. Wagner.

Baird notaries are: James C. Asbury, Vada Bennett, Ruby Berry, Roberta S. Corn, Jo Dennis, James Eubank, Howard E. Farmer, B. H. Freeland, Ruth Gary, Fred Goble, Alma God-frey, Betty Hardwick, Jon Hard-

wick, Cuebelle Harris, Doris Harris, Lorene Harris, Dora Hounshell, Karon Huckabee, J. Ruper Jackson, Jr., Ruby Jones, Bessie Lambert, Ann Long, J. W. Loper, Albert Lovell, Lanelle Matson, Doxie Mc Pher-son, Bob Norrell, Pauline Par-son, Viva Peek, Hazel Reynolds, Glen Rockey, B. L. Russell, James Paul Shanks, Bud Smith, Nell Stanley, Alma G. Stephenson, James Hollie, Curtis W. Sutphen, Charles Walker, Glen-ard Walker and Raymond Young.

Clyde notaries: Frank T. Bailey, Beatrice Black, Georgia Eager, Wauneta Estes, Gerald Holcomb, J. C. Holmes, J. T. Holmes, A. N. Johnson, Lee Loper, R. A. Miller, C. Lee Smith, Gaston Swofford, Gladys Swofford, Homer E. Swofford, Jerry Swofford, Lynda Swof-ford, May Swofford.

Putnam: R. L. Clinton, W. R. Francisco, Mary Guyton, Laverne Rutherford, Jo Ann Wag-ley.

Others: John W. Loven, Dor-thy McKinlie, Claud Painter, Marshall Pylant, Laoveda Rosin-baum, Fred M. Newman.

LITTLE LEAGUE SCHEDULE FOR 1969 SEASON

- April 29 — Buffs vs. Kilowatts and Cats vs. Beadels
- May 1 — Buffs vs. Beadels and Cats vs. Kilowatts
- May 6 — Cats vs. Buffs and Beadels vs. Kilowatts
- May 8 — Beadels vs. Cats and Kilowatts vs. Buffs
- May 13 — Kilowatts vs. Cats and Beadels vs. Buffs
- May 15 — Kilowatts vs. Beadels and Buffs vs. Cats
- May 20 — Buffs vs. Kilowatts and Cats vs. Beadels
- May 22 — Buffs vs. Beadels and Cats vs. Kilowatts
- May 27 — Cats vs. Buffs and Beadels vs. Kilowatts
- May 29 — Beadels vs. Cats and Kilowatts vs. Buffs
- June 3 — Kilowatts vs. Cats and Beadels vs. Buffs
- June 5 — Kilowatts vs. Beadels and Buffs vs. Cats
- June 10 — Buffs vs. Kilowatts and Cats vs. Beadels
- June 12 — Buffs vs. Beadels and Kilowatts vs. Cats
- June 17 — Cats vs. Buffs and Beadels vs. Kilowatts
- June 19 — Beadels vs. Cats and Kilowatts vs. Buffs
- June 24 — Kilowatts vs. Cats and Beadels vs. Buffs
- June 26 — Kilowatts vs. Beadels and Buffs vs. Cats

Vern Webb Top Speaker

Vern Webb, Cross Plains High School senior student, took first place in informative speaking at the regional University Interscholastic League Meet in Denton Saturday. He was the only local contestant to win the right to participate in statewide competition at Austin May 1-3. Young Webb was coached by Jim Ethridge, who was also one of his athletic mentors. He is also an outstanding athlete and has won three football numerals.



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Pair At Rising Star Held As Burglars

Two men were arrested Monday in connection with a series of burglaries at Rising Star. Two others are expected to be picked up soon.

Deputy Sheriff Loy Williams arrested Robert Dean Hamilton of Cisco Monday. He is charged with burglary of Higginbotham's store in Rising Star. He also is charged with receiving and concealing stolen property.

Justice of the Peace Wells Dalton of Eastland set bonds in each case of \$2,500.

Gordon Hawkins of Rising Star also is charged before Justice Dalton with the store burglary. His bond also was set at \$2,500, which he made and was released.

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