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## Land Owners Aware Of Incoming Brush Threat

gatherings of area land owners at Eastland Friday night. He will address a meeting to be held in Eastland Livestock Auction starting at 8 p.m.

Matthews spoke to a similar group in the Callahan County courthouse at Baird Tuesday night.

Efforts are being made to obtain one cent per acre contributions from land owners to be used in research for better ways to control invading brush, which presents a constant threat to West Texas rangelands.

Oscar Schaefer of Sabanno, who heads the Eastland County screwworm control committee, will also speak at the Friday night meeting, outlining the current situation facing livestock owners.

"Brush control is a complex problem," Matthews said at Baird. "Surveys show that nearly 82 per cent of Texas rangelands have been invaded by brush, reducing the animal carrying capacity by 50 per cent or more. Universities and the U. S. Department of Agriculture have done much, but it's clear that greater financial support is needed for a crash research program if we are to solve the problem."

Matthews added that more and more ranchers are aware that they must help solve the brush problem.

He described the BCRIA as a non-profit organization not associated with any university, company or agency. A board of directors with 18 members, representing different areas of the state, will direct activities and approve research and educational projects for funding.

## Lakewood Directors Name Bonner Head

J. L. Bonner of Cross Plains was named president of the Board of Directors for Lakewood Recreation Center in an organizational session last week.

Harry Sone of Rising Star was elected vice-president.

Other members of the directorate are J. C. Bowden, Bill Davee, Jack DeBusk, John Lee and James Rutherford.

Davee was named tournament chairman, and Mrs. J. L. Bonner was delegated the same duties for women's events.

## Schools Get Books Valued At \$16,654

Ever wonder what the books cost to operate a school the size of that in Cross Plains?

Wayne Ford, superintendent, advises that the state supplied the local system with 6,163 textbooks during the 1968-69 school year. They were valued at \$16,654.30.

## Cottonwood Sets Musical Program

E. P. (Pop) Whitaker of Baird was in Cross Plains Monday and reported that plans are complete for a special program to be presented at Cottonwood Community Center Friday night. Starting time is 7:30.

"This will be a good one," he said, "no lover of country or Western music should miss it."

## 2-YEAR-OLD CHILD TO SEE SPECIALIST

Little Kelly Ford, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ford, is continuing to experience acute stomach discomfort after being released from a Stephenville hospital over the week end.

She will be taken to Abilene Thursday for further examination by a specialist there.

Clasp Envelopes — Review

## J. T. Beggs Again Heads Booster Club

J. T. Beggs has again been chosen head of Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club.

Other officers elected at a meeting of the organization in the high school building last Friday night include: L. P. Mitchell, vice-president, and Don Harris, secretary-treasurer.

## Court Switch May Involve Callahan

A bill has been introduced in Texas Legislature by Rep. James E. Nugent of Kerr County, which would take Callahan County out of the 42nd Judicial District. The proposal would add Callahan to the 35th Judicial District at Brownwood, which is presided over by Judge Joe Dibrell.

The bill is now before the legislative committee on judicial districts.

## R. C. MERRYMAN BUYS DAMON JONES PLACE

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Merryman have bought the Damon D. Jones place in the west part of town. They moved there last week from the Elmer Vestal farm home, which they have had under lease for some time.

The Joneses have taken the former Jess Moore rural home, which is near their farm, about five miles northwest of town.

## MRS. S. O. MONTGOMERY RELEASED BY HOSPITAL

Mrs. S. O. Montgomery came home Wednesday of last week from West Texas Medical Center in Abilene, where she was a patient four weeks and one day.

Friends will be pleased to know that she is much improved and getting along splendidly.

## MRS. TOMMY CULWELL RUSHED TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Tommy Culwell was taken to Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood in a local ambulance Friday night. Mrs. Culwell, who lives at the corner of 8th Street and Avenue A — the former Gene Adams place — is the mother of Mrs. Charles Dillard.

## MRS. TOM LEE GOES TO CISCO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Tom Lee was taken to Graham Hospital in Cisco Sunday night. She was carried in a Higginbotham ambulance. Extent of her illness had not been definitely learned in Cross Plains as the Review went to press.

# 44 Will Graduate As Schools Close Term

Commencement exercises Monday night will ring down the curtain on public school careers for 44 local graduating seniors.

Principal speaker will be Dr.

Leo C. Purvis, education and psychology professor at Tarleton State College and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Purvis of Cross Plains.

Vesper service for the grad-

uating class will be Sunday night in the school auditorium with the Rev. E. V. Brooks, local Baptist pastor, delivering the message. Minister Dan Flournoy of the Church of Christ

will offer the invocation and the Rev. W. C. (Bill) Crawford, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, will deliver the benediction.

Beginning time for both the Sunday and Monday night programs will be 8:15.

Valedictorian of this year's graduating class is Patsy Lynn Ingram, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ingram. Salutatorian is Katherine Sohns, daughter of Dr. Carl J. Sohns. Robert Merrill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Merrill, is highest ranking boy.

Although commencement program is Monday night, classes were to continue at the local school system through Tuesday for students who will take final examinations.

Students who will be handed diplomas Monday night, either by Vernon Phillips or Dr. Carl J. Sohns, members of the board of trustees, are pictured in this edition of the Review.

Dr. Purvis is a native Callahan Countian, having been born at Atwell. He completed elementary school in that community and was graduated from Seranton High School in 1937. He holds the B. A. degree from Howard Payne, M. A. from North Texas State University and his doctorate from Texas Tech.

He has been at Tarleton State College two and one-half years and has headed the department of education and psychology the past 12 months. His family consists of his wife and their three children, sons 22 and 12 and a daughter 19.

## Missing Flyer Has Cross Plains Folk

First Lt. Henry G. Mundt II, 25, son of Army Major (Ret) and Mrs. Henry G. Mundt of Abilene, has been declared "missing in action" by the U. S. Air Force.

The young officer's mother is the former Gay Pruet of Putnam. John Pruet of Cross Plains is an uncle.

In 1968 Lt. Mundt was assigned to Davis-Montham AFB, Ariz., for flying duty with the Tactical Air Command.

A 1960 graduate of Abilene High School, Mundt received a business degree from Texas A&M University. He was commissioned a second lieutenant following Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, San Antonio, in 1967. Mundt volunteered for the Air Force while doing graduate work.

Following his graduation from pilot training school at Reese AFB, Lubbock, he was assigned to the TAC wing at Davis-Montham.

## Mrs. J. C. Bowden Garden Club Head

Mrs. J. C. Bowden was installed as head of Cross Plains Garden Club Friday afternoon at a tea honoring Mrs. Glenn Payne, outgoing president.

Other newly-chosen officers are: Mrs. J. P. McCord, first vice-president; Mrs. Hadden Payne, second vice-president; Mrs. Leo G. Franke, recording secretary; Mrs. Harold D. Hinkle, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. C. Claborn, treasurer, and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield, parliamentarian.

The president's theme for the ensuing year is: "Come let us garden together."

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mosley and family of Graham spent Mother's Day in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Champion, and Vonita.

## 2 Indicted For Burglary At Putnam And In Rising Star

Cecil Ray Rinehart has been indicted by a federal grand jury at San Angelo and charged with robbery of the Putnam post office Aug. 25, 1967.

Similar counts were also lodged against Robert Dean Hamilton in connection with burglary of the Rising Star post office Nov. 22, 1968.

Other indictments of local interest included 16 counts of mail fraud against Ernest Wade Ramsey involving a scheme in Abilene, Rising Star, Cisco and Hurst, to "defraud persons in the U. S. and Canada" by inducing them to send money in the belief they could earn income by working at home.

## 2 College Courses To Be Given Here

Students will be able to attend college in Cross Plains this Summer.

Work, for which full credit is approved by Cisco Junior College, will be offered in the high school building here four nights weekly.

Wayne Ford, Cross Plains school superintendent who has taught the past two summers at CJC, will serve as instructor for a class in English and one in history during each of the two Summer semesters.

Courses to be offered the first semester (June 2 - July 11) are English 113 and history 213. English 123 and history 223 are scheduled the second semester, which begins July 14 and closes Aug. 22.

Fourteen 1969 graduates and one other CPHS former student have already signed for the English course and 10 have indicated an interest in taking history.

## Musgrove's Drug Bill Gets Texas House OK

A bill introduced by Burke Musgrove, state representative from this district, to curtail

the growing menace of dangerous drugs, won unanimous approval of Texas Legislature Monday.

"Trippers" who take hallucinogenic drugs, such as LSD, would be guilty of a misdemeanor under the bill.

Texas is currently without a law governing use of hallucinogenic drugs.

Under the bill, first offenses for possession of dangerous drugs would be a misdemeanor and second offenses a felony punishable with prison terms of two to ten years.

First offense convictions of pushers of dangerous drugs would be subject to the felony provisions as well as those who employ minors to sell or manufacture dangerous drugs.

Charles Mac Holdridge of Coleman was a business visitor here Monday.

## Evangelistic Team Slated At Mission

Evangelists Dovie Harms and Mary Worden of Hennessey, Okla., will begin a revival meeting at the Old Time Gospel Mission in Cross Plains Tuesday night of next week, May 20.

The well-known evangelistic speakers have conducted services in Cross Plains before and have a large following in this locality.

Preceding each service is a 15-minute spiritual lesson utilizing puppets to emphasize Bible passages.

Mrs. Charlie McCowen, pastor, invites the public to services which begin each night at 7:30.

## Woman Recovering Here After Undergoing Open Heart Surgery

Paulina Paul, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bellar, returned to her home here Sunday after undergoing open heart surgery at John Sealy Hospital in Gal-

veston April 24, where a plastic valve was applied.

She is reported to be doing nicely and will return to Galveston June 3 for a check-up.



DRESSY SCHOOL IN 1935 — Pictured here are the student body and faculty members of the Dressy school 34 years ago. Shown from left to right, beginning on bottom row are: Paul Neeb, Billy Morris Steel, Tom Gray, Ben Gray, C. J. Baugh, Jr., Jessie Smart, Tom-

mie D. Lee, a Carey boy and Wayne McKinney; second row, Dorothy Johnson, William Smart, Casper McKinney, Earl Baird, Dottie Carey and Nadine Copeland; fourth row, Lola B. McKinney, Mayola Renfro, Virginia Ruth Neeb, Grace Tennis, Corina Lee Crutchfield, Kittie Sue Baird, Virginia El-

son, Christine McGee and teachers, Mrs. Anna Myrl McGowen and Mrs. Leonard O. Crook; back row, Fred Klutts, Elmer Baugh, Lois James Chatum, Ira Sherman, Delbert Smart, Jake Gray and Barney Klutts. Dressy school was consolidated with Cross Plains in Autumn of 1940.

## Beadels Grab Top Spot In Little League Chase

Beadels have claimed sole possession of first place in Cross Plains Little League standings after an abbreviated second week of play.

The leaders began Thursday night's action with a third consecutive victory, 7-1 over the Cats, and Kilowatts, tied for the leadership after first week, bowed to the Buffs in a 19-15 slugfest in the nightcap.

A scheduled confrontation between the Beadels and Kilowatts Tuesday of last week was washed out by torrential rains. The pair of contests carded then will be played at the end of regular season if the league championship hinges on the outcome, according to officials.

### Beadels Win Third

Thursday Beadels claimed a third straight victory, and it gave the team first place in the standings after Buffs upset the Kilowatts in the nightcap.

After the Beadels and Cats played a scoreless first inning, the leaders pushed a pair of runs across in the home half of the second. Four more insurance runs tallied in the fourth. Cats avoided a shutout in the fourth when Tim Bishop scored on an error after a base on balls.

Both pitchers went the distance, five innings, and Jimmy Bates claimed the win, allowing only one hit. Bishop absorbed the loss.

### Scoring Duel

Scoring almost as fast as a cold north wind was blowing, Buffs picked up win number one of the season by besting the Kilowatts 19-15 in a four-inning second contest.

Kilos seemed well on the way to a third triumph by scoring eight runs in the home team portion of the second, but Buffs knotted the score in the first

half of the third. Again Kilobats provided an edge with a trio of scores in the bottom of the frame. But pitching problems continued to plague the Kilowatts, and 11 Buffs crossed home plate in the top of the fourth. A Kilowatt rally fell five runs short in the final inning.

Royce Lawrence picked up the win in one relief inning, and Randy Pancake was the loser in relief.

### Standings

	W	L	Pct.
Beadels	3	0	1.000
Kilowatts	2	1	.667
Buffs	1	2	.333
Cats	0	3	.000

## Miss Renfro Takes Honors At College

Miss Barbara Renfro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro and a 1968 graduate of Cross Plains High School, was honored recently as the best all-around student in physical education at Cisco Junior College.

Barbara was on the dean's list of honor students and received rating of secretarial excellence in the history department. Certificates were awarded in recognition of the achievements. She was also judged the most typical cowgirl at a recent Western Day observance on the Cisco campus and received a plaque as a memento of the event.

### LEO BAUM UNDERGOES OPERATION RECENTLY

Leo Baum of Greenville, former longtime resident of the Cross Plains area, is reported recovering satisfactorily after having recently undergone surgery. His sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Plowman, visited with him last week.

In returning home the Plowmans visited briefly with his aunt, Mrs. J. M. Plowman, at Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newton and children of Bryan visited in the home of her mother and brother, Mrs. A. J. McCuin and Jay, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Butler and family of Ardmore, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Butler of Alice visited here over the week end in the home of Mrs. Fred Tunnell.

## Official Measurements Of Rainfall Here For Past 21 Years

	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1948	.21	1.07	.60	1.39	1.21	2.72	2.09	.50	.40	1.71	.60	1.28	13.78
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	3.02	1.26	1.38	.36	.00	.00	20.03
1951	.00	.91	.94	1.55	4.20	3.88	.81	.76	.71	1.97	.00	.00	15.73
1952	.34	.30	1.30	2.60	3.37	.30	.10	.25	1.65	.80	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	2.09	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	4.95	3.75								15.29

Twenty-One-Year Average Rainfall: 23:76

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

Normal Rainfall Here: 24.54

## Pioneer Writer Suffers Heart Seizure Monday

By Mrs. Ethel Brown

Mrs. Delma Dean, Pioneer news correspondent for the Review, was taken to Eastland Hospital early Monday morning, and she was thought to have suffered a heart attack. We trust that she'll soon be well enough to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming and her mother, Mrs. Matthew, went to Jal, N. M., Tuesday of last week to visit the Jerry Fleming family. They returned home Friday. Visitors in the Fleming home Sunday were the Rev. and Mrs. Tom Flippin and Frank and Opal Fleming of May.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harrison of Odessa visited her sister's family, the John McFarins, over the week end. Joining them for lunch Friday was another sister, Mrs. Kermit Pierce, and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pierce and two children, all of Cross Plains.

The Calvin Roady family visited on Mother's Day with their daughter, the Bob McNeil family, in Clyde. Other members of the Roady family met them in the McNeil home.

Mrs. Fannie Freeman visited with her granddaughter and family, the Macky Belchers, in Clyde from Tuesday to Friday of last week. While there they visited the Rev. and Mrs. Dan Gaines in Abilene. Having dinner in the Freeman home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Huddleston and family of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Culvahouse of Cross Plains. Miss Marie Bryson of Cross Plains visited in the home briefly Sunday.

Mr. R. C. Ames and daughter, Mrs. Esther McDaniel, and two children visited in the Sam Eakin home Sunday. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Eakin of Rising Star.

The Curry Trio sang at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon. Jim Burkett of Burkett brought his airplane to the Eakin landing strip Monday morning to do some spraying for Joe Brown.

Mrs. W. R. Gibson was in Brownwood Sunday where she and the Eugene Gibson family met Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibson, Jr. and two children of Houston at the airport. After dinner a grandson, Billy Gibson of Texas Tech, left for Lubbock

and the others drove over the ranches owned by the brothers inspecting cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy King of Romney visited his sister, Mrs. Ethel Brown, Monday. Miss Marie Bryson was also a visitor.

J. L. Thomas, Jr. plans to leave Wednesday for Nigeria for a two-year's stay in the oil fields there. The Thomases daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Johnson of Abilene, are vacationing in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, Star and Jim, of Clyde visited with his mother, Mrs. Doss Alexander, Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Southers, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Thate and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Beem, all of San Angelo, and Winnie Crownover and Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Hays of Loraine visited the L. L. Hill family Sunday.

Jess Brown's cousin, Mrs. Howard Smith, of Rotan and her daughter visited the Browns Sunday.

## Business Women Honor Local Lady

Mrs. J. Peyton Smith of Cross Plains was designated outstanding member of the Bluebonnet Chapter of American Business Women's Association in Brownwood last Thursday night.

The Bluebonnet Award was presented to Mrs. Smith, immediate past president of the Brownwood chapter, by Mrs. Marvin DeHay, last year's recipient. Mrs. Smith accepted the commemorative plaque, evidencing surprise with the comment: "For once in my life I'm speechless."

Cross Plains people attending the function included Mrs. Clyde D. Sims, who is also a member, and guests, Mrs. Fred V. Tunnell and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bush were their sons and families. Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bush and two daughters, Rhonda and Brenda, of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bush of Breckenridge.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

## Hog Raisers Meet In Baird Thursday

Big Country Pork Producers Association will meet in the district courthouse in Baird Thursday night, May 15, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and outlining activities for the next 12 months.

The meeting has been called for 8 p.m. by Bill Scott, president.

## Local Man Feted On 75th Birthday

John Swafford, well-known lifelong resident of the Cross Plains area, was honored recently on the occasion of his 75th birthday.

A party in his honor was given May 4 at the home of his son, Carlos, in Cross Plains. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Pete Swafford and family of Rowden, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Rawson of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Swafford of Gina of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Barleson and family of Midland and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Swafford.

Mr. Swafford, a retired farmer, has resided in the Cross Plains and Rowden localities all of his life with the exception of about one year in Arkansas.

## Personals

Mrs. Jim Ray Cox of Rising Star spent Sunday here in the home of her mother, Mrs. C. D. Lane.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Ella Dillard Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hoyt of Raymondville, Mr. and Mrs. John Dillard of Abilene, Boyd Dillard, Pauline Dillard, Dick Dillard, Zella Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dillard and family, Mae Dillard, Neal Dillard and Travis Bailey.

## LOCAL LADIES AT WSCS TRAINING

Nine Cross Plains ladies represented the local Women's Society of Christian Service at a session for officers of the women's Society of Christian Service in De Leon, Texas, on May 10-11.

Attending were: Mrs. Ames, R. C. Brown, Mrs. field, Gus Brandon, Crawford, C. M. Gurn Thompson, Fred Tunnell, W. A. Payne.

## FIREMEN GET \$100

Mrs. W. P. Armstrong donated \$100 toward the new booster fire pump to be used on rural roads. The gift was acknowledged by Alton Hornsby.

Mrs. Doyle Nease or in Coleman

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cowen and family visited Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCowan.

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## Spring Horse Show Slated Here June 5

Cross Plains Riding Club's first annual Spring Open Horse Show has been scheduled for June 6, according to L. A. Richardson and Mike Kelley, members of the committee on arrangements.

There will be halter classes for foals, mares, stallions and geldings.

Performance classes will consist of Western Pleasure, Trail, Western Riding, Reining, Poles and Barrels. These classes will be divided into junior (14 and under) and senior (15 and over) divisions.

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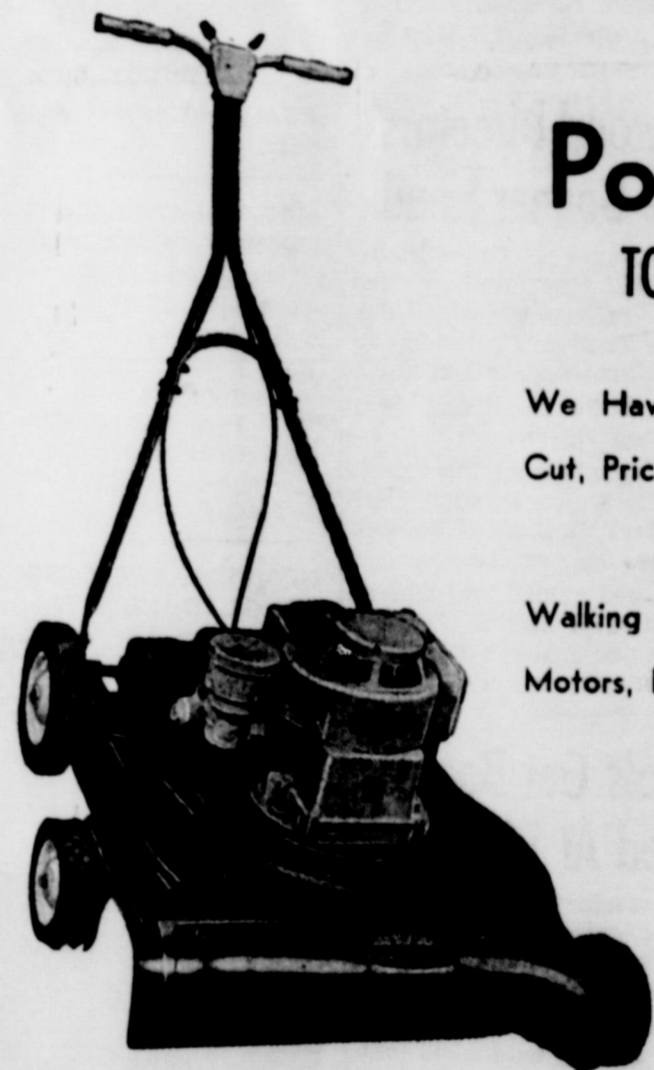


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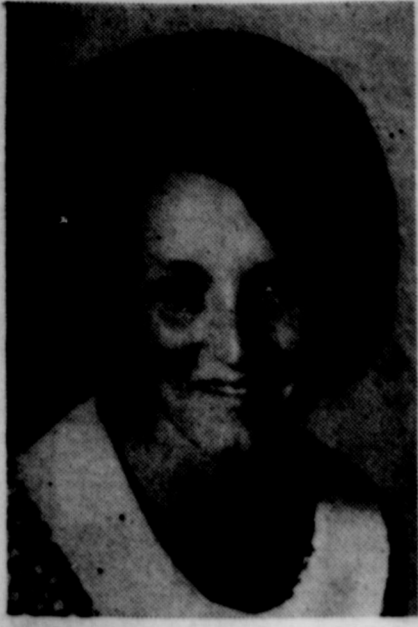
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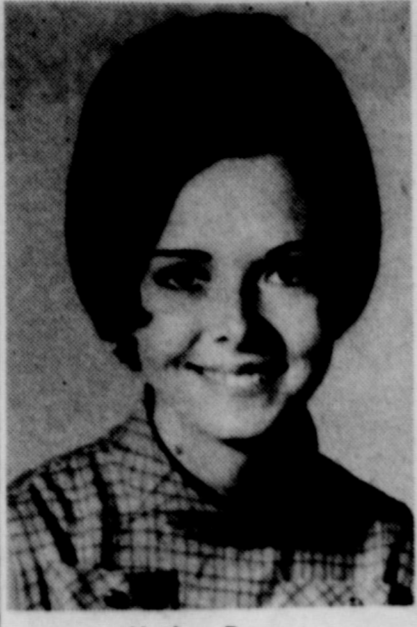


Vickie Lynn Hargrove

Vickie Hargrove is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hargrove. She has lived in Cross Plains all her life.

Vickie, while in high school, was a cheerleader for two years and played basketball four years.

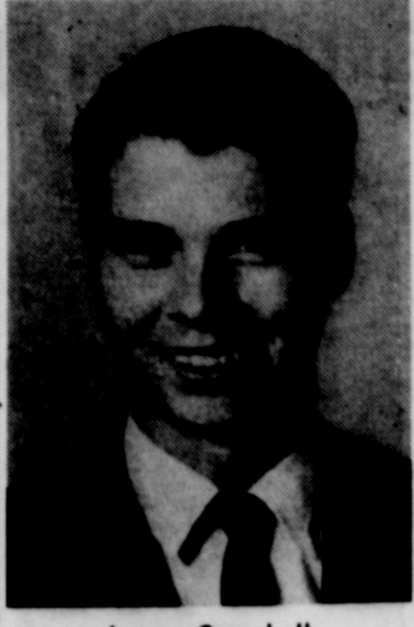
Vickie's plans after graduation are to work this summer. In the fall she plans to attend Midwestern University where she will major in education.



Kathy Payne

Kathy Payne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lee Payne of Cross Plains. She has gone to school in Cross Plains for 12 years. She played basketball in high school three years.

After graduation, Kathy plans to work this summer. At the end of the summer, she plans to marry. In September, Kathy plans to take business courses at Cisco Junior College.



Larry Campbell

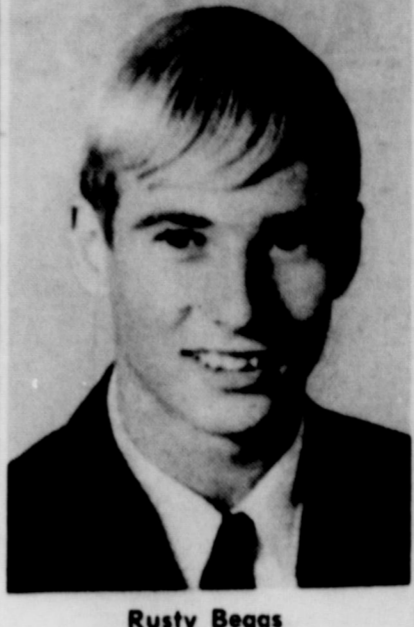
Larry Campbell, born Aug. 3, 1951, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Campbell. He has attended Cross Plains schools for four years. Larry plans to specialize in automobile mechanics at the James Connally Technological Institute in Waco. He plans a career in mechanics after completing the course and training.



Jan Neal

Terri Janice Neal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Neal, was born March 2, 1951 in Temple. She has been a member of the Cross Plains Band six years, served as band secretary-treasurer, and awarded the "John Phillip Sousa" Band award. Jan has been an FHA member four years, FHA officer three years, and an FHA state delegate. She served as an annual staff member her senior year and was a librarian two years.

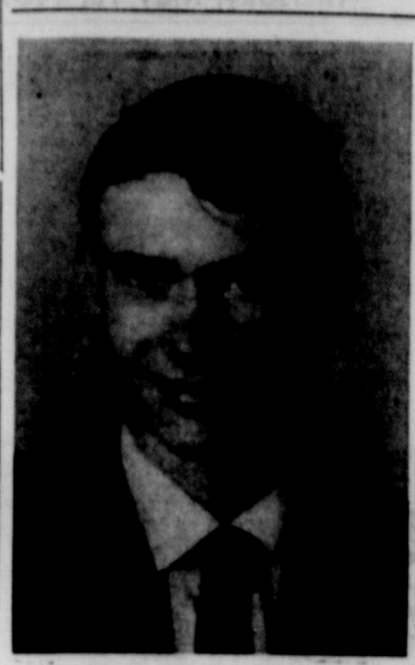
Jan is a member of the First Baptist Church where she serves as church pianist. This summer Jan plans to attend Baylor University in Waco, majoring in elementary education with a minor in music.



Rusty Beggs

Russell (Rusty) Beggs is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beggs and was born March 30, 1951 in Ranger.

He attended Wichita Falls Schools for grades through the sixth and then completed his schooling in Cross Plains.



Robert Glen Merrill

Robert Glen Merrill was born Sept. 26, 1950 in Brownwood. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Roy Merrill of Cross Plains.

Robert has attended Cross Plains Public Schools the past 12 years. He played basketball three years and lettered two years. Robert has gone to three Regional meets and competed in Number Sense.

Robert plans to attend Texas A & M University on a scholarship and major in petroleum engineering.

HAROLD GARRETT INVITED TO W.T. C OF C MEETING

Harold Garrett, local businessman, has been invited to attend the first meeting of directors of West Texas Chamber of Commerce, District V, in Abilene Thursday.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.



Margie Lee Koenig

Margie Lee Koenig was born Nov. 15, 1950 in Cross Plains. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Swafford.

She attended school years at Coleman. She was on the track squad two years in junior high. In the fall of 1967 she moved to Cross Plains with her family. She was on the cheerleader staff her junior year and was on the Cross Plains Junior High School Cross Plains Junior High School year.

Her plans after graduation are to go to work at the instrument store at Sherman.

Mrs. Art Yarbrough visited here in the week end with her sister and mother.

Don Needham, Texas Tech at Lubbock, visited the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bob N...



Gary Childers

Gary Wayne Childers was born in Baird, Jan. 15, 1951. Gary has attended Cross Plains schools for five years. He participated in basketball three years, F.F.A. two years, and was F.H.A. Beau his Senior year.

Gary plans to attend Cisco Junior College and major in Agriculture.



Patricia Childers

Patricia Dean Childers was born in Baird, Sept. 15, 1950. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Childers.

Patricia has attended Cross Plains schools 12 years and participated in basketball and was a school librarian one year.

After graduation Patricia plans to enter the Stenograph Institute of Texas.

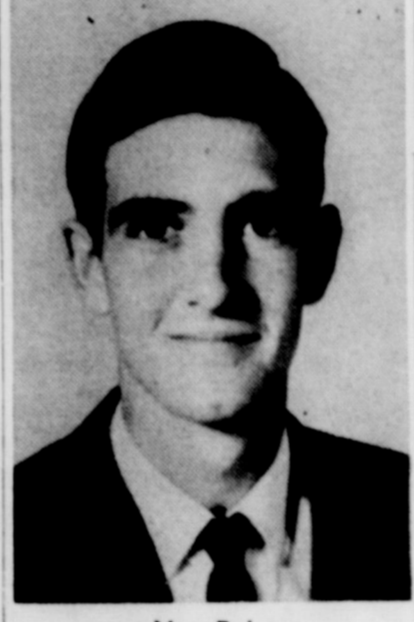


Janice Pittman

Janice Diane Pittman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pittman, was born May 21, 1951, in Rising Star.

Janice has attended Cross Plains schools for 12 years. She was a member of the F.H.A. three years and worked as a librarian in the school library three years.

Janice plans to work and attend T.C.U. at Fort Worth for IBM Computer training.



Van Baize

Van W. Baize, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Baize was born Jan. 9, 1951 in Stamford.

He attended school in Hamilton six years then transferred to Cross Plains in 1963. While attending local schools he has been a member of the band five years, two of which he served as President. He was President of the F.F.A. two years. His senior year he was elected third most handsome and boy best citizen.

Van plans to go to Cisco Junior College this summer then attend Tarleton State College in the fall majoring in Veterinary medicine.



Maewyn Willis

Maewyn Willis was born Dec. 10, 1950, in Olney. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Willis of Merritt Island, Fla., and the granddaughter of Mrs. S. R. Respass of Cross Plains.

She has attended a total of eleven different schools and has belonged to many clubs. During her junior year, she was a feature reporter of the school paper at her former school and feature editor during part of her senior year.

Maewyn is planning to be a VISTA worker this year and eventually get a degree in sociology from either U.C.L.A. or the University of Tennessee.

LOCAL WOMEN GOLFERS WIN IN CISCO EVENT

Mrs. Lou Brown won first flight championship in a ladies handicap golf tournament at Cisco Country Club Thursday. Mrs. Minnie Cunningham claimed third place in the same flight.

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 FRIENDS TO GOING DATE Mrs. Clarence Scott, celebrate their golden anniversary Sunday. ed friends and neighbor.  
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 GUESTS C LUNCHEON Pasty Ingram, Robert Vern Webb, all sen- the local high school, sts of the Chamber of e at its noon luncheon of last week.  
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 May 16 - 17  
**DISNEY PRESENTS**  
**"HOME-MOBILE"**  
 (84 Minutes)  
 Walter Brennan  
 Tom Lowell

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**GOOCH BLUE RIBBON**  
 Franks, 12 oz. pkg. 49c  
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 Sliced Bacon, lb. -- 69c

**Family Steak** USDA Choice, thick cut for barbecue, lb. **69c**

**GOOCH OLD VIRGINIA**  
 Sausage, per lb. --- 69c  
**GOOCH BLUE RIBBON, SLICED**  
 Bologna, lb. pkg. - 69c  
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 Dogs, pkg. of 4 -- 49c

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**GLADIOLA**  
 Flour, 5 lb. bag ---- 49c  
**LIPTON'S**  
 Tea, 1/4 lb. box ----- 37c

**Shortening** Bake-Rite, 3 lb. can **49c**

**KRAFT'S BARBECUE**  
 Sauce, 18 oz. bottle - 39c  
**CLEAR SAILING**  
 Yams, 2 cans for ---- 29c

**Beans** Arrow Pinto 2 LB. BAG **25c**

MIX OR MATCH			
Buttered Corn	Libby's ...	3 no. 2 cans	\$1
Asparagus	Shurfine cut, green	3 no. 1 cans	\$1
Pork & Beans	Van Camp ...	3 2 1/2 cans	\$1
Kraut	Del Monte	3 2 1/2 cans	\$1
MIX OR MATCH			
Tuna	Food King grated	4 1/2 cans	\$1
Peas	Homefolks, blackeye, snaps	4 no. 2 cans	\$1
Vegetables	Vegall, mixed	4 303 cans	\$1
Pineapple	Sweet Treat, crushed	4 300 cans	\$1
Juice	Texsun Orange	4 no. 2 cans	\$1
MIX OR MATCH			
Beans	and Potatoes, Shurfine	5 303 cans	\$1
Refried Beans	Rosarita	5 303 cans	\$1
Carrots	Shurfine, diced	5 303 cans	\$1
Hominy	Shurfine white	5 2 1/2 cans	\$1
Potatoes	Del Monte, whole, new	5 303 cans	\$1
Juice	Del Monte Pineapple	5 no. 2 cans	\$1

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 Spray Starch, can ---- 49c

**Juice** Texsun Grapefruit, 46 oz. can, 3 for ... **\$1**

**ARROW, CHARCOAL**  
 Lighter Fluid, quart - 29c  
**NABISCO'S, ASSORTED FLAVORS**  
 Toastettes, box ----- 39c

**Yellow Onions, per pound ... 7c**  
**Russett Potatoes, 10 lb. bag - 49c**  
**Lemons, choice, per pound - 29c**  
**Tomatoes, quality, pound ... 39c**

**Drug Items**  
 Tame Rinse, \$1 size ..... 69c  
 Vitalis Hair Tonic, \$1.25 size . 89c  
 Mennen Skin Bracer, 85c size 69c  
 Play-Tex Gloves, 98c value .. 69c

**Dairy Food**  
 J.R.B. Mellorine, 1/2 gallon ... 39c  
 Buttermilk, Foremost, 1/2 gallon 43c

**Frozen Food**  
 Libby's Spinach, 5, 10 oz. pkgs. \$1  
 Libby's Corn, 5, 10 oz. pkgs. . \$1  
 Libby's Peas, 5, 10 oz. pkgs. . \$1  
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# Former Sheriff Will Be Laid To Rest At Baird

Homer Price, 70, who served Callahan County longer as sheriff than any other person, died Monday at 3:30 p.m. in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene after a prolonged illness.

Funeral services were set for Wednesday at 11 a.m. in the First Baptist Church of Baird, with the Rev. Carrol Green, pastor, and the Rev. Albert Cooper, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Baird, officiating. Burial was slated in Ross Cemetery.

Born Oct. 20, 1898, he lived in Callahan County all of his life. He married Ola Boyd Sept. 13, 1926, in Clyde. He was a member of First Baptist Church and Woodman of the World.

He was first elected to the sheriff's post in 1954, succeeding Joe Pierce, and served until Jan. 1, 1969. During his 14 years as sheriff, he served a total of four terms, including one two-year term. Before becoming sheriff he served as a deputy three years. He was a rancher and cattleman before



Homer Price

entering law enforcement. Survivors include his wife of the home; three sons, W. J. of the home, Don of Abilene and Ronald of Baird; one daughter, Mrs. Dale (Doris) Havins of Washington, D. C.; one brother, C. W. of Baird; four grandchildren.

# Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sumner of Denver City spent Wednesday night of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion. The Sumners had visited David at ACC while he was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Champion and family of Roscoe and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Champion and two sons of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion Saturday and Sunday.

E. P. (Pop) Whitaker has announced that the musicale at the community center next Friday will have a special feature. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bassett and children of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. McHugh, and the Rev. Woodrow McHugh and Nancy Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Wilcoxon and son, Johnny, of Andrews visited her mother, Mrs. J. W. Woodard, Sunday and attended services with her at the Baptist Church.

Sunday services at the Baptist Church was in memory of mothers. A quartet, composed of Rev. Woodrow McHugh, Mrs. B. A. Moore, Wendell Smith and Lewis Coppinger, sang.

Mrs. Ethel Anderson had several visitors Sunday to help celebrate Mother's Day. They were Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro and Barbara and Rod, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson and boys and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brooker and girls of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Watson and Miss Patsy of Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Raughton of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris of Rowden.

Miss Maewyn Willis, Beulah and Hazel I. Respass were in Abilene Saturday visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie (Bunt) Joy and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mitchell Sunday en route to Tulsa where he and boys will be employed on a ranch.

Truitt Myrick of Brenham visited his mother, Mrs. C. R. Myrick, Friday night and Saturday. Sunday the Myrick relatives had their annual family reunion at Pleasant Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle visited over the week end in Bronte with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gilmore spent the week end in Grand Prairie with their son, Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. David B. Gray and children of Tonavianda, N. Y., visited here the past week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kilgore. The Grays were en route to Boston where he will attend school.

# Perfect Weather Adds To Joy Of Living At Rowden

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

This community has been enjoying the beautiful weather the last few days. Rains last week filled tanks and put off farming for a week. Tractors will be running full-speed this week.

Saturday is game night at the community center. Each family is to bring sandwiches, drinks and a sweet. Visitors are welcome any time.

Bill Lawrence returned home Monday after spending several days in Medical Center Hospital in Abilene. His visitors Sunday were Jess Brown of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dixon, Mrs. C. W. Price, Red West, all of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Raymond Gibbs and Mrs. Roy Boen.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Crockett of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Harris of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris Saturday night. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and Ivon Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Granvel Gibbs, Carl, Stephen and David Donnovan of Odessa spent the week end with Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Judy.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Caffey and children in Eula, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cauthen in Admiral Sunday.

Those visiting in the George Blakley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blakley and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gorman of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smedley of Abilene and Jack Smith and Buster Black.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and sons Wednesday were Rev. and Mrs. Joe Wilson of Baird. Sunday dinner guests in the home were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duke McIntosh and Lenny, and Mr. and Mrs. David McIntosh and children of Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price were in Abilene Sunday visiting the sick in hospitals there. They visited Mrs. Jim Baggett, a former resident of this community and Mrs. Eldy Tyson of Abilene.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary Sunday were her mother, Mrs. L. A. Luttrell, of Cross Plains and her brother, Dan Luttrell, of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Smokey Calloway of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Clayton of Clyde.

Mrs. Tommie Harris visited her mother, Mrs. Ivon Odom, in Cross Plains Sunday. Mrs. Odom's other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mr. and Mrs. Franzel Odom of Cross Plains.

Chris West made a trip to Stephenville Friday. He will enter summer school at Tarleton State College June 2.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. Lillie Lawrence and the James Lawrence family in Cross Plains one day last week.

Floyd Henderson, a former resident of this community who now lives in Phoenix, Ariz., was here last week visiting

friends and seeing how much the home place had changed. He and his brother, Wilburn, of Abilene have entered their mother in a rest home there. Her health has not been good for some time.

Christine Bower of Abilene visited her sister, Mrs. Ray Boen, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sadler went on a fishing trip Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird visited Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children were dinner guests in the Billy Henry home Sunday. Other guests in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Pat McKennon and son and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore, Jr. and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Larmar Henry, all of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffen and children of Snyder.

Mrs. Joy West received word late Monday afternoon of the death of her uncle, Homer Price, of Baird. This leaves her father, C. W. Price, of Baird the only living member of the Jim Price family.

# Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

depleat    depleate    deplete

(Meaning: To empty, exhaust.)

(Answer on Back Page.)

## LOCAL GIRL ACCEPTS THERAPIST POSITION

Miss Garnette McGowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGowen and a 1967 graduate of Cross Plains High School, has accepted a position with West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene. She began training this week as a physical therapist, and after completing the week's training school, she will be assigned in that area.

J. D. Sandefer of Breckenridge was here Thursday.

Miss Gladys Riggs visited her brother, Henry Riggs, in Abilene last week end.

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# All Sports Banquet Slated Friday Night

J. T. Beggs, president of the Athletic Booster Club, announces the annual banquet for members, supporters and

high school athletic teams will be held Friday night, May 16, in Cross Plains High School gymnasium. Starting time is 7:30.

It will be catered by Underwood's and a barbecue dinner will be served. Plates will be \$2.50.

Principal speaker for the occasion will be Herschel Kimbrell, athletic director at McMurry College in Abilene.

"It will not be necessary to bring membership cards," Beggs said, "everyone will just pay at the entrance."

Gary Odom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Franzel Odom, is here on leave from the Air Force. Upon returning to duty he is expected to be transferred to another base.

Clasp Envelopes — review



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KLEENEX JUMBO TOWELS, each roll

CORN, Stokley's, cream style or w.k., 5, 303 cans

CUT GREEN BEANS, Stokley's, 303 can, 3 for

Flour GLADIOLA, 5 POUND BAG

HONEY POD PEAS, Stokley's, 303 can, 3 for

FRUIT COCKTAIL, Stokley's, 303 can, 3 for

SUN SHINE RINSO, giant size box

Short Ribs PER POUND

BISCUITS, 3 cans for

BOLOGNA, Decker's, 2 pounds for

CHUCK ROAST, per pound

Bacon DECKER'S, 1 POUND

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## Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carter and sons of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carter.

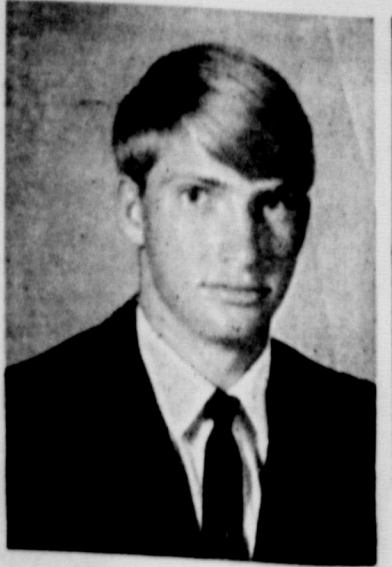
Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ludlow and children of De Soto spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions.

Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and Beverly attended the Freshman Class party at Lake Cisco Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odum and grandson, Michael, of Baird visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom Sunday afternoon. Freddy Tatom and family and Roy Neil Tatom and family were also visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Sunday.

Telephones in the Atwell community have been out since Friday, and the news is somewhat short this week.



Randy Montgomery

## Randy Montgomery Named For Degree

Randy Montgomery, Cross Plains High School graduate and presently a student at Cisco Junior College, was chosen top applicant from Area IV for the American Farmer degree at a recent FFA convention at Tarleton State College in Stephenville.

The American Farmer degree is the highest awarded by the national association of the Future Farmers of America. This degree will officially be awarded to Randy next October at the national convention in Kansas City.

Randy is the son of John D. Montgomery of Cross Plains.

Only one American Farmer degree can be awarded for each 1,000 FFA members.

In 1965 Randy was the Star Chapter Farmer of the Abilene District, and in 1968 he was the Star Lone Star Farmer of the Abilene District.

## LOCAL PASTOR LEADING OLDER ADULT ASSEMBLY

Rev. W. C. (Bill) Crawford, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains, is at Glen Lake Camp at Glen Rose this week, where he is assembly preacher and lecturer at the church's Older Adult Assembly.

The meeting, in which the Rev. Mr. Crawford will also lead a Bible study on the Sermon on the Mount, began Tuesday and will continue through Friday.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Dola Richie, in May Sunday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burks over the week end were: Pansy Johnson of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burks and family of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Price and sons of Potosi, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Parks and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Burks and daughters of Abilene.

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

## BROWNWOOD Cattle Auction

May 7, 1969

MARKET: Steady on stocker and feeder cattle and calves. Fat calves scarce, but strong. Packer cows steady on active market. Bulls steady to strong. Stocker cows and pairs in good demand due to good rains and plenty of grazing.

Estimated Receipts: 530

Stocker Steer Calves	Wts. 250-425 lbs. .... 32-45
Stocker Heifer Calves	Wts. 250-425 lbs. .... 29-37
Steer Yearlings	Wts. 500-700 lbs. .... 28.50-33.50
Bull Yearlings	..... 25-33
Heifer Yearlings	..... 26.50-31.50
Plain Feeder Steers	..... 26.50-31
Plain Feeder Heifers	..... 26-29
Cows and Calves, pair	
Good	..... \$235-\$280
Plain	..... \$160-\$225
Stocker Cows	..... \$165-\$215
Slaughter Cattle	
Fat calves	..... 28-30.25
Fat cows	..... 20-22.50
Utility & cutter cows	..... 18-20
Canners	..... 16-18
Shells	..... 14-16
Stocker bulls	..... 22.50-26
Slaughter bulls	..... 22-25
Hogs (top)	..... 20

FOR SALE: 210 acres grassland near Zephyr, \$120 acre. Can be divided. Eugene H. Gibson, Brownwood. Telephone 646-6308. 7 tlc

WANTED: Sewing to do. Alice Irvin, phone 725-3824. 1tc

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom house on 3 lots. Paved street, garden spot, nice neighborhood, priced right for quick sale. B. C. McCowen, Rt. 2, Box 104-A, Cross Plains, Tex. Phone 725-4654. 7 tlc

FOR SALE: Tomato, sweet and hot pepper plants. Hardy outdoor grown, 30c per dozen. Phone 725-3671. W. A. Payne. 7 tlc

FOR SALE: 12 good, young, white-face cows with calves, \$275 per pair. See E. E. Weaver, Cottonwood. 1tp

FOR SALE: Four rooms of furniture, and house for rent or sale. See Cleo Joy. Phone 725-5504. 1tp

WANTED: Part time waitress. Apply Odom's Cafe. 1tc

ZEBCO 202 REEL and rod combination \$4.95. Crappie rigs 17c, snelled fish hooks 11c per card. D&D Family Store.

FOR SALE: Galvanized tin, 70 bales of Sudan hay at 65c a bale, and 30 cross ties. See C. H. Dawson, 245 Brownwood Road. 7 tlc

NOTICE: Trash hauling, lawn mowing (I don't skim the ground like some) and trash barrels sold at \$3.50 and up. E. M. Curry, phone 725-4901. 7 tlc

FOR SALE: 2 fan-type air conditioners with 4 speeds, very good, \$15 each; 1 air conditioner, 3-speed, with pump, \$22.50, excellent condition. Like new 4,000CFM air conditioner, used very little, \$60. Want to buy glassware, colored, cut or pressed; old relics used furniture, antiques, blue crockery, trunks or anything old or different. Come look at our store. See what grandma used to have in her house. Southwestern antiques and primitive things. Old Sims Drug building, 741 South Main, Cross Plains, Texas, phone 725-5581. 1tc

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CARD OF THANKS  
I wish to thank everyone for the cards and prayers during my surgery and stay in the hospital, and for the thoughtfulness to my parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bellar. May God bless every one of you.  
Paulina Paul

CARD OF THANKS  
Just a few words to express my heartfelt thanks to all those who have been so thoughtful of me during my illness. The concern, the love and the prayers of so many have been inspirations to me during my hospital stay and at home.  
May the Lord bless each of you in my sincere prayer.  
Mina Conlee

CARD OF THANKS  
Thank you friends and neighbors for your visits, letters, cards and telephone calls while I was in the hospital. It's wonderful to live among people like you.  
Mrs. Dayton Sessions

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## NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING CROSS PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session in McCuin's Insurance Agency in the City of Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas, at 9:00 a.m., on the 27th day of May, 1969, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Cross Plains Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1969, and any and all persons interested, or having business with said Board, are here notified to be present.  
DONE BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF Cross Plains Independent School District, Callahan County, Texas, at Cross Plains, Texas, the 7th day of April 1969.  
Carl J. Sohns  
Secretary,  
Cross Plains Independent School District

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# Mothers Day Brings Visitors To Sabanno

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Sunday, Mother's Day, was enjoyed with children coming home and parents visiting children. It was a beautiful day weatherwise.

Everything is full of Spring with its beauty, so many green pastures with lots of grass for cattle grazing, the bluebonnets and wild flowers aglow.

A good fruit crop is in store if hail or other trouble doesn't hit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Watkins of Garland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robinson, who live near the Beryl Lusk place.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon visited with relatives in the Williams Community Sunday.

Busy Bee Club members met Monday afternoon and finished a quilt for Mrs. Truett Dawkins.

Josie and Alma Morris visited their sister, Mrs. Emma Kent, and her children in the Cook Community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and children of Clyde visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Saturday night.

Word came Monday morning of the improved condition of Mrs. Calvin Morris. She was moved from intensive care at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene to a private room Saturday. It is reported that she seems to enjoy her meals. Sabanno friends are happy to learn that she is better.

Mrs. J. L. (Millie) King returned home from the Eastland Hospital Thursday. She recently underwent surgery there. We are happy to know she is doing so well.

Patricia and Bobby Dale Clark of Clyde visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Holcomb, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris of Coleman visited Alma and Josie Morris recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott of this community will be celebrating one of the happiest occasions in their lives at their home next Sunday, May 18. It is their 50th wedding anniversary. Let's all as neighbors and friends help make it a happy day for the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blackwell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King and the Edwin Erwins Friday afternoon. We are glad to report that Bob is doing much better after a long stay in West Texas Medical Center in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson of Romney Thursday morning. The Parkinsons are moving to Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King had their children home for Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Nathan (Louise) Foster, went to Austin Saturday morning where they visited in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Annette) Ege and family. Saturday afternoon they drove to the Eges' ranch, near Smithville, where they visited until Sunday afternoon.

It was a wonderful get-together, and there were many interesting sights at the capitol. It is a beautiful drive to Lake Travis, a huge body of water, and the county is beautiful there.

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



Rosalea Grider

Rosalea Grider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Grider, was born Feb. 28, 1951, in Rising Star. She has attended Cross Plains Public Schools for 12 years. She was a member of the Buffette basketball team two years. She was chosen cheerleader two years and served as head cheerleader her senior year. She participated in track one year.

Miss Grider plans to be married after graduation.



Mike Fritchlee

Danny Michael Fritchlee, son of Raymond E. Fritchlee of Etna, Ohio, was born on July 2, 1951, in Rising Star. He is the grandson of Mrs. Doss Alexander of Pioneer, with whom he has lived his entire life.

He has attended school 12 years in Cross Plains. Mike is a member of the Church of Christ.

After graduation, he plans to enter Cisco Junior College, where he plans to major in computer programming.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.



Mike Lusk

Mike Lusk, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Lusk, was born Oct. 31, 1950, in Cisco. He has attended Cross Plains schools 12 years, participating in such activities as agriculture, band, basketball, football and track. His future plans are to go to school at Devry Institute of Technology in Dallas to become an electronics technician.



Richard Gail Lee

Richard Gail Lee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee. He has been in Cross Plains schools for 10 years. Richard was a member of the FFA three years and was a track manager.

Following graduation, he plans to become an electrician.



Linda Coker

Linda Coker, age 17, was born in Lamesa July 29, 1951. She attended Brownfield schools until she moved to Cross Plains last August.

Her favorite hobby is horseback riding. Her plans for the future are centered in the field of veterinary medicine.



Dora Dominguez

Dora Dominguez was born Oct. 14, 1949, at Edinburg. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Dominguez. She has attended Cross Plains schools four and one-half years.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McAdams of Houston spent the week end here visiting friends and relatives.



Tommy Dodds

Tommy Lane Dodds, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dodds was born in Rotan, Nov. 8, 1950.

Tommy participated in football three years, track three years, band three years, stage band two years, and received the NEDT Test awards his freshman and sophomore years. Tommy is president of the senior class.

In the fall Tommy plans to enter the University of Houston and major in engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Westerman were in Coleman Sunday where they visited Mrs. E. E. Henderson.

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# News Of Cross Plains

By Mrs. Les Byrd

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers visited last Friday night and Saturday in Albany with their sons, Rex and Carl, and their families.

Mrs. Elsie Byrd took her mother, Mrs. Rosa Edington, to Burkett Sunday to the home of another daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bullard, for Mother's Day.

We congratulate three boys in this community on their graduation. They are Paul Stuart Sowell and Lanny Gene Kellar, who we still claim although Lanny lives at Lake Brownwood since their home was destroyed by fire more than a year ago, and O. B. Byrd, Jr. Stuart and Lanny are graduating from Cross Plains High School, and O. B., better known as Sonny, is graduating from Brownwood High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newton, Angela and Jon, of Bryan spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton, and with her mother, Mrs. Maurine McCuin, and Jay at Cross Plains.

The Ferrell Newton family of Clyde and the Buddy Haun family of Eastland were visitors in the Lewis Newton home Saturday.

Gary Byrd and Louis Moore of Abilene visited in their grandparents' home, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Byrd, one day last week.

All the mothers of our community were made happy this past week by seeing or hearing from their children. Some were

too far away to come. Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mrs. Jennie Newton evening meal with Hunter in Burkett of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley spent Wednesday week with his brother and wife.

Elizabeth Smith of her friend, Miss Gray of Houston spent week end at home with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ledge, and Nancy, and his roommate, who are students Tech, were home far end. They all enjoying at Lake Brownwood the time.

O. B. Byrd, Jr. by Jack Tunnell, Plains, was in Lake the week end looking college there with entering school the fall term.

Mrs. O. B. Byrd sister, Mrs. Sandy Abilene Saturday night.

Mrs. Clifton Monahan and her Sidney Dugas of spent last Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Tom They visited in Cole and went on to Brown the week end with son, Frank Dibrill,

Mr. and Mrs. Bob and children of O Saturday night with ents, Mr. and Mrs. L

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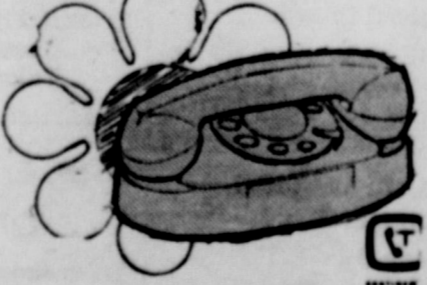
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- May 22 — Buffs vs. Beadels and Cats vs. Kilowatts
- May 27 — Cats vs. Buffs and Beadels vs. Kilowatts
- May 29 — Beadels vs. Cats and Kilowatts vs. Buffs
- June 3 — Kilowatts vs. Cats and Beadels vs. Buffs
- June 5 — Kilowatts vs. Beadels and Buffs 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



**Noel King**  
Noel King, son of Mr. Noel King, was born Dec. 23, 1950. He attended Cross Plains schools for four and a half years. Previously she attended Thrall schools. Mary participated in girls track one year. Her plans after graduation are to work at General Dynamics in Fort Worth.



**Mary Dominquez**  
Mary Dominquez was born on June 6, 1951, in Edinburg, Tex. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Dominquez. She has attended Cross Plains schools for four and a half years. Previously she attended Thrall schools. Mary participated in girls track one year. Her plans after graduation are to work at General Dynamics in Fort Worth.



**Ricki Jones**  
Richard Clint Jones was born Jan. 16, 1951, in Fort Worth. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Jones. Ricki participated four years in basketball and was named to the all-district team his senior year. He entered three years in football and received all-district honors his senior year. He was medalist on the golf team his junior and senior year and placed second at region his junior year. He won second place at district in tennis. Ricki plans to attend Cisco Junior College this fall and then start his spring semester at Oral Roberts University in Oklahoma.



**Sissy Barr**  
Patricia Petty Barr was born in Houston, June 17, 1951, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Westerman. She moved to Angleton in 1952 and attended school there through junior high. Sissy has attended all four years of high school in Cross Plains. She has been a member of the Buffalo Band for four years, serving as twirler three years and head twirler two years. As a junior she was chosen Band Sweetheart and FFA Sweetheart. She served as class secretary her sophomore and junior years, class favorite her junior and senior years, FHA officer, Crisco Award for "Outstanding Homemaker," Best Citizen, member of the basketball team, and Runner-up Miss C.P.H.S. After graduation, Sissy will enter summer school at Sam Houston State College in Huntsville, where she plans to major in English in preparation for becoming an English teacher. Dan McCarty of Glen Rose visited friends in Cross Plains last week end.



**Sue Walker**  
Sue Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest R. Walker, was born in Abilene, May 22, 1951. She has attended school in Cross Plains 12 years. She has been a member of the Buffalo Band six years, was a majorette two years, and drum major two years. She has been a member of FHA four years and served as its treasurer her sophomore and senior years. She played basketball four years and was Honorable Mention All-District Guard her junior year, and All-District as a senior. Sue also participated in track two years. Sue served as class treasurer as a senior and as a sophomore and was secretary as a freshman. As a senior she was chosen Miss CPHS and Band Sweetheart. Sue is a member of the United Methodist Church. She plans to attend Sam Houston State College this fall, where she will major in secondary education.



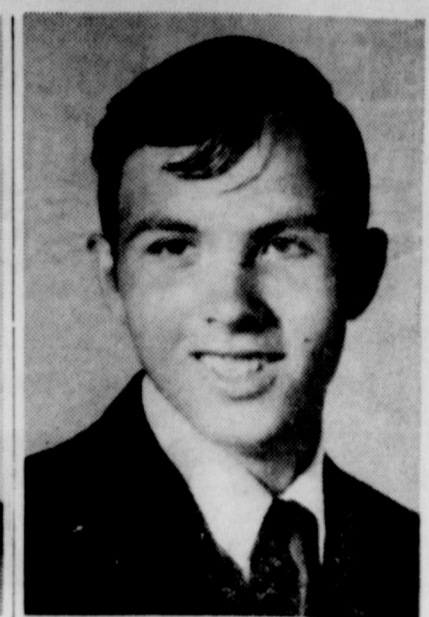
**Vernon Arlis Webb**  
Vernon Arlis Webb, son of Mrs. Lila Webb, was born Oct. 1, 1950, in Fort Worth. He has lettered four years in football, played basketball two years, and ran track one year. He was on the annual staff one year, on the office staff two years, and won District and Region in Informative Speaking his senior year. Vern is active in the First Baptist Church, where he is on the Youth Council and the Associational Youth Council. He plans to go to Howard Payne College or Baylor next fall.



**Jack Tunnell, Jr.**  
Jack W. Tunnell, Jr. was born in Rising Star, March 9, 1951. He has attended school at the Cross Plains schools 12 years. Jack has been in Cross Plains High School Band and was the Band Vice-President his senior year. Jack is planning to attend Texas Tech in the fall with an Advertising Art and Design major.



**Judy Lutzenburger**  
Judy Mariee Lutzenburger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lutzenburger, was born Oct. 30, 1950, at Cisco. Judy has attended Cross Plains Public Schools all of her 12 years in school. Judy is an active member of the Cross Plains Riding Club and was sweetheart of that organization for two years. She plans to attend Cisco Junior College in the Fall.



**Andy Johnson**  
Andy Johnson was born in Gorman in 1950 and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson. He attended school at Putnam two years. Andy's plans for the time after graduation are to enter the army. After his army obligation has been completed he may attend Cisco Junior College.

Cross Plains' 26 Teachers Make Experienced Staff

The 26 Cross Plains school faculty members have an average of 15 and one-half years experience in the teaching profession and eight and one-half years in the local system. Eleven local teachers have BA degrees and 15 hold MA's. Fifteen of the teachers are women (seven with masters and eight with bachelor degrees) and 11 are men (eight with masters and only three with bachelors). The 26 local faculty members have a combined total of 403 years classroom experience, more than half of which has been in Cross Plains. Mrs. Gordon Griffin of Brownwood was a business visitor here Friday.

FB Will Send 2 To Citizenship Seminar

Callahan County Farm Bureau will send two students to a Citizenship Seminar for high school students at Baylor University in Waco July 29 through Aug. 2. Elimination contest will be held at Eula school cafeteria May 31 preceded by a salad supper beginning at 3 p.m. To be eligible a student must be in the top 30 per cent of his class and entering his junior or senior year in September. Entrants should contact his school superintendent or Farm Bureau office in Baird. All expenses will be paid.

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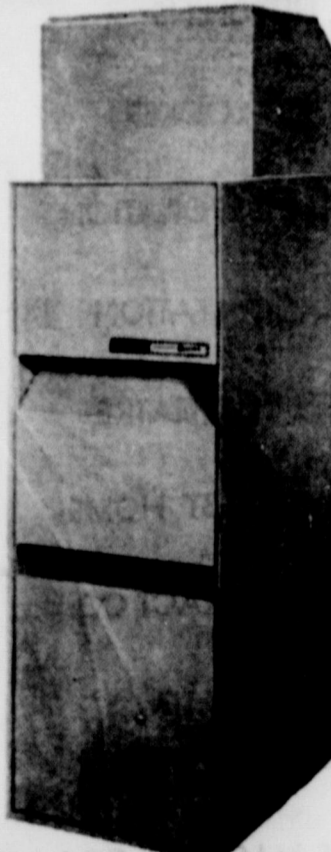
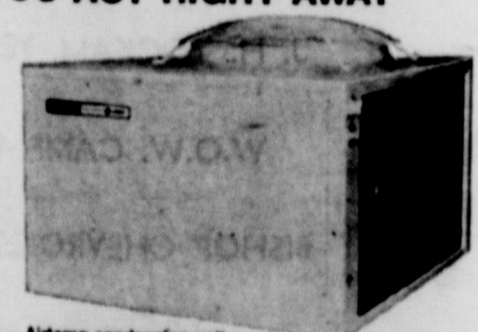
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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gassiot of Corrigan are parents of an eight pound, 12 ounce baby girl, born April 24. The child has been named Nancy Ann. The mother is the former Vera Lee Falkner of Cross Plains. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Falkner of Portales, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. H. Gassiot of Corrigan. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watson of Dallas visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Needham during the Mother's Day week end.



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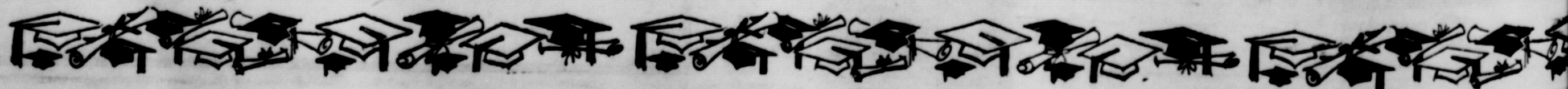
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## Do You Remember?...

**32 Years Ago**  
**May 21, 1937** ... Cross Plains firemen will sponsor the 55th annual picnic and Old Settlers Reunion here ... Durward Varner of Cottonwood was last week chosen the outstanding freshman at Texas Agriculture and Mechanical College at College Station ... The Ralph Chandlers are parents of a baby girl ... Miss Clara Nell McDermott has accepted a place in the primary department of Dressy school for the 1937-38 school term ... A medical examination of pre-school children of Pioneer was made last week ...

**8 Years Ago**  
**May 25, 1961** ... Rev. Don Turner will be principal speaker at the annual memorial services for Burkett and Adams Cemeteries Sunday afternoon ... Miss Lou Ellen Watkins has completed two years and nine months of a three year program at Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in San Angelo and will receive the graduate cap June 2 ... Ladies of the Sew and So Club have given \$100 to Boy's Ranch near Abilene ... Mr. and Mrs. C. Hogan have returned from California ... Bill Spencer has been elected president of the McMurtry College Indian Band ... Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Exal McMillan visited in Big Spring the past week ... Mrs. Sheryl Taylor and son of California and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lee Neeb and sons of Oklahoma City are visiting here ... Alzie Price of Rowden suffered a heart attack at his home Monday ... Mrs. H. G. Wise was hostess to members of the Sew and So Club Thursday ... Mr. and Mrs. E. W. James are in Hobbs, N. M., at the bedside of their daughter ... The C. M. Garretts attended a Shetland Pony Association meeting in Weatherford Sunday.

Edna Earl Gray and Leora Bearden and Jack Martin, all JTAC students, are spending the summer with their parents at Burkett ... Mrs. H. D. Childs, who has been a patient in the Baird Hospital for several weeks has recently returned home ... W. N. Long, an honor graduate of Cross Plains High School, has recently been promoted sergeant in the U. S. Marines ... Mrs. Charlie Shepard and Mrs. L. L. Howser attended the Baptist Convention in San Antonio.

**27 Years Ago**  
**May 22, 1942** A severe hail storm did thousands of dollars worth of damage in the Cross Cut area early Sunday night. Roofs were shredded on a number of buildings, windows were broken, crops damaged and automobiles left in the open were pitted by hail stones ... Miss Lucille Montgomery became the bride of Glen Payne Saturday evening ... The Navy Department has reported Junior Ivy is listed as missing ... Miss Ovella Wood of this city and Perry Johnette of Camp Bowie were married Saturday ... Mrs. J. A. Tibbetts sustained a broken leg last week while fishing at Lake Cisco ... Fred V. Tunnell underwent an appendix operation in a Cisco Hospital Saturday ... Miss Eloise Lane, a student at NTSTC at Denton has been elected president of the Quintillian Club for 1942-43 ... Winds Monday night unroofed the east side of the H. H. Cooksey house at Cottonwood and blew hen houses over, porches off and did damage to a number of other houses in that community ... Donnel Clark and Mike Moore were Fort Worth visitors Wednesday ... Mrs. Edwin Baum, Jr. and son, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Webb and grandson, Tommy, Ray Webb, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Webb left Sunday for a visit with relatives in California ... Miss Madeline McAnally has returned to her home here from Stephenville where she attended John Tarleton the past term ... Misses

### Mrs. G. L. Eager, 95, Buried Here Sunday

Funeral service was held Sunday afternoon for Mrs. G. L. (Lillie) Eager, 95-year-old longtime resident of the Cross Plains area.

Mrs. Eager, who moved here 58 years ago from Stanton, died at her home about four miles north of town Friday afternoon. She had been in ill health for several years.

Funeral service was held at 3:30 p.m. Sunday from the United Presbyterian Church in Cross Plains of which she was a member. The Rev. Grady James, pastor, officiated and was assisted by Dr. R. T. Bridge of Oregon. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of this city.

Born Jan. 15, 1874, she married G. L. Eager on Jan. 20, 1892, in Axtel. He died Feb. 17, 1954. Two sons, Carl Lee and William Luther, also preceded her in death.

Survivors include one son, Collis, of Cross Plains; five daughters, Mrs. Eula Hart, Mrs. Ara Wiginton and Mrs. Jeanette Wiginton of Abilene, Miss Virgie Eager and Mrs. Eunice Starr, both of Cross Plains; six grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Joe Fleming, James Hickman, E. K. Copping, A. L. Breeding, Merritt Dill and Lester Barr.

Mrs. A. B. Atwood of Kermit and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Atwood and daughter, Renee, of Dallas, visited Mrs. Minnie Little last week end. Mrs. A. B. Atwood remained for a longer stay with her mother.

### Kathleen Cowan Will Wed Lt. Donald Staffon In June

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cowan of Cross Plains announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kathleen, of Port Lavaca, to Lt. Donald W. Staffon, son of Mrs. Marjorie Staffon of Kirkland and F. C. Staffon of Houston.

The bride-elect is a 1964 graduate of Cross Plains High School, and is a 1968 graduate of Tarleton State College. She is presently teaching in the Calhoun County school system.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Iuanah High School, and is a 1967 graduate of Tarleton State College. He is presently completing Navigational Training School at Mather Air Force Base, Calif.

Wedding date has been set for June 14 in the base chapel.



Miss Kathleen Cowan

#### Just A Reminder

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Dallas Foster

Travis Foster was born in 1951, at Baird. His father is Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster.

He attended Cross Plains schools 12 years and is an active member of the basketball team for three years and the Lone Star Farmer also participated in basketball.

He plans to attend the James Connally Technical Institute in Waco where he plans to study auto mechanics.



Stanley Goble

Stanley Goble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Goble, was born in Baird, July 5, 1951. He has lived with his parents in Cross Plains all his life and attended Cross Plains schools 12 years.

After graduation he plans to attend the James Connally Technical Institute in Waco where he plans to study auto mechanics.



Danny McGowen

Danny Howard McGowen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGowen, was born Nov. 11, 1950, at Rising Star. He has attended Cross Plains schools 12 years. He was a member of the FFA three years.

After graduation, Danny plans to fly to California where he will be employed for the summer.

#### 19 LOCAL CHILDREN VISIT ABILENE ZOO

After having completed a study unit on zoos, 19 pre-school children here were taken on a tour of Abilene's zoo Friday. Accompanying the group were Mrs. Dan Flournoy, teacher; Mrs. Charlene Chessier, aide; Donna Ford, Susan Holland and Diane Johnson, student assistants.

### Lakewood Club Golf Is Slated June 1-15

Golf tournament for Lakewood Recreation Center members has been carded for June 1 through June 15. Men's and women's divisions are planned, according to Bill Davee, tournament chairman.

Five flights are planned in the men's bracket, and trophies will be awarded winners of each flight. All contests will be matched play.

Entry fee is \$2 per player. It is hoped that every club member who plays golf will enter the tournament," Davee emphasized. He also requested that each person planning to participate turn in score cards prior to tournament time to insure proper flight placing.

Pairings will be made Saturday, May 31, and elimination will begin at players' convenience on June 1. Most finals are expected to be played the last day of the tournament, Sunday, June 15.

Ladies are expected to follow similar procedure. Mrs. J. L. Bonner is chairman for the women's division.

#### 43 CPHS SENIORS VISIT ACADEMY OF FREEDOM

Forty-three Cross Plains High School seniors, accompanied by County Librarian Mrs. J. H. McElroy, school librarian Mrs. D. C. Lee and Superintendent Wayne Ford toured the Douglas MacArthur Academy of Freedom in Brownwood Wednesday of last week.

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ASSETS	
1. Cash and due from banks (including \$1,825.82 unposted debits)	\$ 630,197.58
2. U. S. Treasury securities	1,261,569.23
3. Securities of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	100,000.00
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	899,224.38
8. Other loans	1,618,374.33
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	7,678.80
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises (Royalty Interest)	1.00
13. Other assets	3,155.10
14. TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,520,200.42
LIABILITIES	
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,879,408.66
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,757,065.57
17. Deposits of United States Government	8,397.68
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	292,990.20
20. Deposits of commercial banks	50,000.00
21. Certified and officers checks, etc.	25,989.85
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$4,013,851.96
(a) Total demand deposits	2,147,313.87
(b) Total time and savings deposits	1,866,538.09
27. Other liabilities	26,299.19
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$4,040,151.15
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
35. Equity capital, total (sum of items 36 to 40 below)	\$ 480,049.27
37. Common stock-total par value	75,000.00
(No. shares authorized 750)	
(No. shares outstanding 750)	
38. Surplus	75,000.00
39. Undivided profits	130,049.27
40. Reserves for contingencies and other capital reserves	200,000.00
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of items 34 and 35 above)	\$ 480,049.27
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (sum of items 28, 29, 33, and 41 above)	\$4,520,200.42

I, Jas. R. Wagner, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
 Correct - Attest: JAS. R. WAGNER  
 Edwin Baum Jack W. Tunnell Jack Scott Directors  
 State of Texas, County of Callahan, ss:  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of May, 1969, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
 (SEAL) ETHEL SIMS, Notary Public  
 My commission expires 6-1-69

# Burkett Supper Saturday Night

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

The community supper will be this Saturday at 8 p.m. Everyone is invited to prepare a salad and sweet or vegetable and meat and enjoy the supper together. Hosts and hostesses for the event are Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Evans, chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Neff, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biehl and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dodson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Biehl of Brownwood are parents of a 7 pound, 10-ounce boy, Christopher Allen, born Friday, May 9. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McCormick of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biehl of Burkett. Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Evans are maternal great-grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Walker and girls of Lampasas spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Walker.

Mrs. Eldon Knox underwent surgery at Methodist Hospital in Houston last Saturday. Her condition is very serious, and her many friends here are concerned and hope she will feel better soon.

Sunday visitors in the E. L. Harris home were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lancaster of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Bludworth, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Golson and LeRoy Golson.

The condition of Bob Colvin remains serious. He has been a patient at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital several weeks.

Mrs. L. D. Evans and Mrs. Byron McAnally celebrated their birthdays Monday with a party at the Evans home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harris, Emmet Harris, Mrs. C. C. Burns, Mrs. Eula Hunter, Mrs. Vernon Helms and Mrs. Mae Beaver.

Mrs. Tommie Connelly underwent surgery Monday at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. Her condition is satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Deel Edington left Dallas by jet Sunday for Cleveland, Ohio, where he is undergoing a check-up for his heart condition.

Mrs. Cora Gray and Mrs. B. C. Evans spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson.

Visitors in the Merrel Burkett home Saturday were Mrs. Opal Willis and daughter, Marsha, and her girl friend and Mrs. W. M. Freeman, all of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Newton and Tommie of Brownwood, Sid Newton and Mike McCullough of Austin, Kay Burkett of Houston and Jo Waldrop of Nacogdoches.

Mrs. Verda Brown of O'Donnell and Mrs. Verner spent Saturday night with Mrs. Lillian Brown. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brown and the Bob Gillespie family of Abilene and the Billy H. Brown family were Sunday luncheon guests in her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Hunter and family of Johnson City visited Mrs. Eula Hunter and the Bill Hunter family Saturday.

Billy Henderson of Tarleton State College spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson of Burkett and Mrs. Georgia Tate of Coleman.

The Joe E. Burkett family of Mineral Wells spent the week end with Mrs. J. E. Burkett and the J. B. Burkett family.

Wayne Newton of Brownwood spent the Mother's Day week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Newton.

Sunday guests in the M. A. Walker home were Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker and Charlotte of San Angelo and her mother, Mrs. Condra, and Mrs. Barbara Condra and son, all of Ballinger, the Andrew Walker family of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker of Burkett.

Mother's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Evans were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chatham and Connie of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Evans and children and Mrs. Baines of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McCormick of Fort Worth and their two grandchildren, Gregg and Renea Biehl, of Brownwood, the Bill Goss family of Lueders, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burton and family, Mrs. Zula Burton and Mrs. Cora Gray, all of Coleman.

Those visiting in the L. D. Herring home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Herring and son of Winters, the S. L. Anderson

family of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Childers and son of Cisco. Their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Herring, of San Antonio talked to them by telephone since they could not be home for Mother's Day.

Visitors in the C. D. Baker home Sunday were Skipper Nichols, Mrs. Marie Andrews and family and Mrs. Nancy Stancil and son, Michael, all of Fort Worth and the Earl Baker family of Talpa.

Visitors in the R. V. Watson home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watson and the Max Watson family, all of Dallas, Mrs. Gertie Neel and Mrs. Vera Pearl Bunell of Cross Plains.

LeRoy Golson of Robstown spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Golson. Sunday guests of the Golsons were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Webb of Cisco and Mrs. Verna Skiles and son, Jackie, of Haskell.

Visitors in the D. A. Boyle home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyle, Jerry and Sandra of Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Strickland, Debra, Donna and Daphne of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Denny and Clark and A. G. Boyle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Edington spent Saturday and Sunday morning in Llano with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Scot Edington and family of Cross Plains spent Sunday evening with them.

The Tommie Strickland family of Coleman spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyle, and his mother, Mrs. T. H. Strickland.

Mrs. Eula Hunter had as her guests Sunday the Hank Hunter family of Johnson City, the Bill Hunter family of Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter and Janice and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Hunter and two boys, all of Coleman.

Five generations were present in the D. A. Boyle home Sunday. From the oldest to the youngest, they were: A. G. Boyle, D. A. Boyle, Arthur Boyle, Mrs. Elaine Boyle Denny and Clark Denny, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDowell of Abilene spent Thursday to Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Colie Thate and Boots McDowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson spent Thursday of last week in Abilene visiting their granddaughter, Candy Henderson of Junction, who was a patient at West Texas Medical Center.

Sunday guests in the O. W. Helms home were Mr. and Mrs. George Webb of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Glanders and Durate Brisco of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Helms and three children of Dallas, Mrs. Bill Spans and son of Haskell and Boots McDowell of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lee of Corpus Christi arrived here Sunday to spend several days with their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Burkett and family.

Mrs. Mildred Bagley, Mrs. Karen Embry and two boys, Brian and Scott and Mrs. Edith Hermensen, all of Chicago, arrived here Sunday night. Mrs. Bagley will spend a month's vacation here and Mrs. Embry will go to Dallas where she will be employed by Western Union after a vacation here. Her mother, Mrs. Hermensen and the boys have come to make their home at Burkett and will live in Mrs. Embry's home recently purchased from Kathryn Cravens. Burkett welcomes these newcomers and hopes they will enjoy their new home.

The George Johnsons had their two daughters home for Mother's Day week end. They were Mrs. Sonny Golden of Clifton and Mrs. Jo Greenbauer and sons, Cliff and Scott of Dallas. They also had Jim Richards of Fort Worth as a guest.

Sunday visitors in the D. R. Gould home were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burks and family of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Parks and family and the Dee Price family all of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burks and family of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Bludworth, W. B. Bludworth, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Biehl and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Dodgen and Jackie, all of Burkett.

Mrs. Maury Hill of St. Louis and Mrs. John Beasley of Terra Haute, Ind., left Tuesday morning after spending two weeks with Mrs. Hill's sister, Kath-



WEBBVILLE SCHOLARS — Pictured here are students and teachers at Webbville school, northwest of Burkett, in 1935. Front row from left to right: Tom Arthur Young, Edward Day, Nanny Roy Young and Travis L. Crutchfield; second row, Lorin Golson, Margaret Shepherd, unidentified, Joe Day, R. C. Merryman and B. C. Day; third row, Harvey Crutchfield, Ida Mae Day, C. V. Johnson, Juanita Golson, Maurice Johnson, Jim Hunter and Dora Cardinez; fourth row, teacher Pete Curry, Lucy Cardinez, Mary Cardinez, Jim Martinez, J. T. (Jake) Shepherd, A. W. Johnson, Horace B. Crutchfield, Mattie Crutchfield and Mrs. Raymond DeBusk (then Veda Cowan) teacher.

ryn Cravens. They all had as their guests Sunday two friends, Mrs. Joseph Sandlin of Blackwell and Mrs. Columbus B. Bryant of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Jud Barnett visited in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Little and children, in Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. Ernest Riggs visited over the week end and on Mother's Day in Abilene with her sister, Mrs. Willie Whittington, and family.

Tuesday noon is deadline news and advertising.

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

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## Surprise On 89th Birth Due "Ed" Richardson Fr

W. E. (Ed) Richardson, a native of Callahan County, will be surprised Friday, May 16, on the occasion of his 89th birthday.

Hostess for the event will be

Mrs. Louise Till, Mrs. Christi, Mr. and Mrs. son's youngest daughter are being asked to the family home on Street from 4 p.m. time Friday.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stephens and Randy and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Rutherford, all of Abilene, visited in the home of their mother, Mrs. Linnie Green, in Cross Plains Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGowen and David and Danny also visited with the family and were guests at luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peevy visited in the home of her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Breeding, in Lamasa last week, where they met two of her brothers, W. C. Perry of Taft, Calif., and Marion Perry of Bakersfield, Calif. The Breeding and W. C. Perry returned home with them for a few days visit.

The Richardsons married at Cottonwood County in 1910, and the Texas coast until traveled for some 15 then returned to Cross Plains to make their permanent home.

Their children are: Myrtle Wilson of Independence, Myrtle Baugh of Baytown, Mamie Richardson of Mrs. Till.

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ROSE DALE, CREAM STYLE OR WHOLE KERNEL Corn, 6 cans for ----- \$

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Bacon, Decker's, 1 pound package 65

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DEL MONTE Catsup, 2, 14 oz. bottles - 47<sup>c</sup>

CELLO Carrots, 3, 1 lb. bags ----- 2

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