

Chiefs Seeking Third Straight Teen Crown

Cross Plains Chiefs are on the trail of a third consecutive championship of the senior teenage division of the Inter-Cities Baseball League. Last week end the local squad was tied with Comanche for the lead. Both owned 6-4 records.

Manager R. C. Merryman said that two games with De Leon remain to be played, and he expected both would be played this week. The De Leon team was knocked from a share of the top spot by Goldthwaite.

Chiefs have won the crown the past two years.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

FORMER LOCAL COUPLE PARENTS OF BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. James Ned Clark of Fort Stockton are the parents of a seven pound, nine ounce baby boy, born June 29. The infant has been named Russell Scott.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Woody and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. John McFarin spent July 4 with their daughter and husband, the Gary Langfords, in Mineral Wells.

The Rev. and Mrs. Joe K. Coppinger and son, Stanley, left Tuesday for their home in Phoenix, Ariz., after visiting here with her father, F. C. Newton, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger.

Pioneer Busy Place On July 4 Week End

In the absence of a replacement for Mrs. Delma Dean, who was forced to retire as reporter from the Pioneer community for reasons of health, a box is now being maintained at Fore's Grocery, where news items may be deposited. The box will be emptied each Monday noon and the items published in the regular Pioneer column in the Review. Be sure to drop your items in the box by noon each Monday.

Visiting with Ethel Brown recently were Mrs. John Nunnally of Rising Star, Mrs. Ben Hudson of Fort Worth, Beverly White of Abilene Christian College and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie R. King of Colorado City.

Visitors during the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray were Rudolph Brown of Fort Worth, C. M. Whiteley of Hurst and his daughter and children, Mrs. Edwin Schaefer, John and Mary Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington in Brownwood Wednesday night.

The Pioneer Club ladies met last Thursday and put in two quilts. The crowd was small due to canning and illness.

Rev. and Mrs. Dan Gaines of Abilene visited friends in Pioneer Sunday and Monday and attended services at the Baptist Church Sunday night.

Tina Haslam of Las Cruces, N. M., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dean and daughters of Clyde spent fourth of July holidays at Lake Brownwood and visited his parents en route to and from the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton, Jr. of Los Angeles, Calif., are spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton. Marcy became ill Sunday night and was taken to Eastland Memorial Hospital. She will be there a few days having tests run. It is hoped that she will soon be all right.

J. D. Hutton and Sandra Linney were married Thursday evening, and left immediately for South Texas to spend a few days.

Jean Fore, Ruth Dunaway of Fort Worth and Mrs. Delma Dean went to see Mrs. Stratton after attending the wedding in Rising Star of J. D. Hutton and Sandy Linney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Elrod and two children of Tahoka, Iva Kirkham and Connie Kirkham of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Coon of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Elton Burgett and Mildred Coon over the week end.

Miss Kathy Payne Becomes Bride Of Ray Purvis July 5

Miss Kathy Payne became the bride of Ray Purvis at the home of her parents Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmielee Payne, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Otis Purvis.

The couple was married before a large window, which was decorated with wedding bells and on the sides were candle-labras and baskets of white gladiolas. The double ring ceremony was performed by the

Rev. E. V. Brooks of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Bill Spencer played the traditional music while the bride's brother, Jerry Payne of Ranger, lit the candles.

The bride was attended by Miss Vicky Hargrove and Miss Melissa Payne, sister of the bride. Their dresses were of rose satin with empire waists. They carried a single long stemmed pink carnation with white ribbons.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. He gown was white satin with an empire waist. Her finger tip veil was of tulle and fell from a white satin bow. Her corsage was of pink and white carnations. She carried the tradition of something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue and a sixpence in her shoe.

Groomsman was Joe McNeel of Fort Worth.

The reception was held in the bride's home. Members of the house party were Mrs. Bob Dean of Clyde, sister of the groom, and Mrs. Jerry Payne of Ranger.

Bride and groom are both graduates of Cross Plains High School. After a wedding trip they will be at home in Cross Plains where the groom has a barber shop.

Mrs. Sam Fleming, Bob, Vicky and Sandy, of Wichita Falls visited their aunt, Mrs. John Watson, last week. Mr. Fleming, who is an instructor in the Air Force, is presently on temporary duty in Japan.

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MRS. NEWTON ATTENDS EXECUTIVES' PLANNING

Mrs. Ross J. Newton of the Cross Plains Garden Club, who is vice-director of District V Garden Clubs, accompanied Mrs. Joe Smith, zone director, to Temple last week, where they attended a meeting of the executive board, which was sitting at that time to formulate plans for the ensuing year.

MRS. JIM WETSEL IS BACK IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Jim Wetzel has returned to the Santa Anna Hospital after being home only four days from a prior stay. She went back last Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover visited Mr. and Mrs. George Forbes in Cisco Sunday.

E. D. Priest and daughter of Abilene visited here Thursday afternoon.

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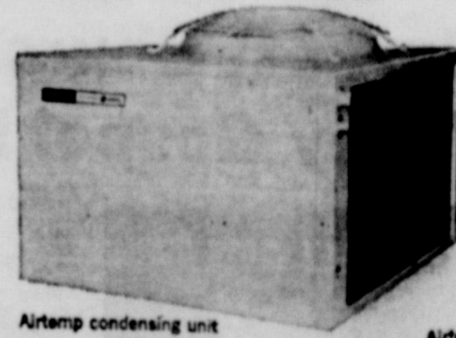
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 July 10, 1969
Greenwood
 Las Vegas

Greenwood, 56, of Las Vegas, died Wednesday of last week after recent heart surgery at Sunshine Hospital.

Greenwood was a native of Las Vegas. He attended Cross Cut and Cross communities. He attended here but left in the to work in Carlsbad later he moved to and then to Nevada. had been the past 26

his death came in a from his wife to an uncle of Mr. late Wednesday. some relatives and were of the opinion as recovering satis-

in addition to are: two half-brothers, four half-sister, four Leroy and Ernest Cut and Earl Byrd two aunts, Mrs. of Cross Cut and the Martin of Long as a great num-

at Las Vegas.

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- Bacon** SLICED, DECKER'S, TALL KORN PER LB. **59c**

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- CHUCK WAGON
- BOLOGNA, all meat, garlic or plain, per pound .. 69c
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- McCORMICK'S BLACK, 2 OZ. SIZE
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- Food, 14 cans \$1
- Pepper, can 19¢
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- GOLDEN AGE, 28 OZ. BTL., No Deposit
- Sugar, 5 lbs. 49¢
- Bleach 27¢
- Drinks, 6 for - \$1

Peas Del Monte Sweet, 303 can, 4 for \$1

MIX OR MATCH

Butter Beans Seaside	6	303 cans	\$1
Peas Ranch Style Blackeyes	6	15 oz. can	\$1
Vegetables Am. Beauty mixed	6	300 cans	\$1
Green Beans Raider	6	303 cans	\$1
Butter Beans Food King	6	300 cans	\$1
Ranch Style Pinto Beans	6	300 cans	\$1
Corn Mayfield, cream style	6	303 cans	\$1

MIX OR MATCH

Limas Food King Green & White	7	300 cans	\$1
Sausage Red Bird Vienna	7	reg. cans	\$1
Green Beans Gold Tip cut	7	303 cans	\$1
Beans Food King green & shelled	7	300 cans	\$1
Baby Limas Food King	7	300 cans	\$1
Beans Food King Mexican Style	7	300 cans	\$1

MIX OR MATCH

Pork & Beans Food King	8	300 cans	\$1
Beans Food King, navy, pinto, red	8	300 cans	\$1
Hominy Uncle William	8	300 cans	\$1
Peas L.E. Grande June	8	300 cans	\$1
Butter Beans Alma	8	300 cans	\$1

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Bananas, 2 lbs.	25¢	Grapes, lb. 39¢
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Holiday Makes Happy Scenes For Cross Cut

By Mrs. Les Byrd

Joseph Patton of Lubbock visited with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bransford Eubank, and his aunts, Misses Mabel and Lydia Eubank, over the week end.

Earnest Byrd was taken to Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood Saturday morning for treatment.

Ray Holland of Santa Anna spent a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Coley Pickett, recently.

The Lewis Newton family met at Sonora at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lane for their annual family reunion during the holidays. All in the family were present. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Newton of Brownwood. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newton, Jimmy, Grady and Camile, of Lubbock came home with the Newtons Saturday night and stayed until Sunday afternoon.

Visitors on the fourth of July with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chambers, their daughter, Judy, and their grandchildren, Debbie, Angie and Gene Parish, of Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Chambers and Teresa of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Chambers, Sue and Kay, of Lueders and their friends, a family from Bryson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud DeBusk of Coleman visited in the Earnest Byrd home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anse Barr and the N. L. Long family of Brownwood spent the fourth on their place on Lake Brownwood.

We lost our nephew, Staniel Greenwood, who lived in Las Vegas, Nev., Wednesday of last week. He always visited here with his kinsmen and friends in October of each year. We al-

ways looked forward to his visits.

Mrs. Earnest Byrd and Lillian visited briefly with Mr. and Mrs. Luke Clark in Brownwood Sunday afternoon. Luke hasn't been so well, but is improved some now.

Mrs. Doyle Cowan is in Fort Stockton this week with her sister, Mrs. James Ned Clark, caring for the Clarks' new son.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stevens and son of Irving spent Friday night and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dennis.

BABY BOY IS BORN TO COUPLE KNOWN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Donny Dennis of Houston are parents of a baby boy born Sunday morning, July 6. The child weighed seven pounds and six ounces and has been named Lawrence Wayne.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dennis of Cross Plains.

IRS PAYS TRIBUTE TO PRIEST'S LONG TENURE

E. D. (Eddie) Priest of Abilene, former well-known Cross Plains businessman, was recently honored by the Internal Revenue Service and presented a certificate of service, recognizing his 25 years tenure with IRS.

Clasp Envelopes — Review

Garden Club Has 2 Accredited Judges

Cross Plains Garden Club now has two nationally accredited flower show judges in its membership. Mrs. J. P. McCord received notice of her certification as accredited judge June 23. Requirements for a judge include the completion of five courses of study over a period of years in horticulture, flower arranging and flower show practice. A final reading exam over all books studied was taken in April by Mrs. McCord.

Mrs. J. C. Bowden received her certification last fall.

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LONNIE YOUNG VISITS BACK IN HOME AREA

Lonnie Young of Salt Lake City, Utah, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. W. M. Stansbury, and brother, R. L. (Bob) Young, here this week. Lonnie, who was reared at Cottonwood, left here in 1949.

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Banking House	3,000.00
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	3,000.00
Other Assets	1.00
Prepaid Insurance Premium	3,155.10
Cash & Due from Banks	\$ 494,180.42
U. S. Bonds	1,260,668.03
Municipal Bonds	914,318.48
Federal Land Bank Bonds	100,000.00
	2,769,166.93
	\$4,527,917.18
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus	75,000.00
Undivided Profits	135,786.33
Reserve for Contingencies	200,000.00
Reserve for Taxes	3,223.15
Reserve for Interest	8,251.49
Deposits	4,030,656.21
	\$4,527,917.18

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Signed, Dave C. Lee

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Rowden's Noisy Nights Characterize Summer

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

It seems that hot weather is here to stay and no rain is in sight.

City people usually like to come to the country to enjoy the peace and quiet. If you have been outside at night and listened to the crickets and catydids chirping and if you have an air conditioner going full blast, it's a noisy place. If a big rain suddenly came the frogs would add their croaking to all this and complete a perfect summer night. Then in the early morning hours the coyotes begin their mournful howling. This acquaints you with a night in the county. We wouldn't trade it for any city life.

Guests in the Sterling Odom home the fourth were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trevey of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. James Isenhower, Dale and Christy, of Marfa were guests in the Jimmy West home during the week end as was Jonny West of Pasadena, Mrs. Hattie West and Red West of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West, Chris and Cindy, enjoyed a birthday dinner honoring her mother, Mrs. C. W. Price, in the home of Mrs. Ruby Berry in Baird Sunday.

Mrs. Tommie Harris attended a bridal shower honoring Kathy Payne in the home of Mrs. V. L. Hobdy in Cross Plains last week.

Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Brooks of Cross Plains visited in the homes of Mrs. Leila Gibbs, James Reynolds and N. V. Gibbs Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom were in Abilene Sunday night to visit the family of Byron Richardson.

Mrs. Pete Swafford and three children, Margie and Judy of the home and Johnny Koenig of San Angelo, attended her family reunion at the Coleman Lake last week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and sons last week were Mr. and Mrs. Mac McIntosh of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Praelter of Dublin and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Caffey of Eula.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mr. Ray Boen recently.

Leonard Mauldin accompanied the Roland Mauldin family of San Angelo to Conroe to visit the Gene Mauldins. Letters from Mrs. Mauldin tells that their ice cream business keeps them busy at this time of year.

Visiting in the George Blakley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Smith of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smedley and Owen, Terry Jones, Mrs. Joe Parson and Larry Joe all of Abilene, Robert Blakley, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gorman,

Jack Nobles, Patricia Whitt and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blakley all of Baird and Jerry McDonald.

Cindy West spent three nights last week in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price, of Baird.

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

Visiting Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird. Visitors during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen and Joy and Cindy West.

Visiting in the Warren Price home Monday were the W. B. Gibbs family of Abilene and Jimmy and Larry Cauthen of Admiral.

Elic Bainbridge visited A. D. McWhorter in Cox Hospital one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lawrence and son of Abilene were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence, Saturday.

Tim and Jim Gary arrived Saturday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Audry Gary of Weatherford, to spend two weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary.

The Tommie Harris family and James Reynolds family had a picnic and swimming at a lake on land leased by Tommie on July 4th.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Arnold of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Osa Gattis of Cross Plains and Mrs. Ethel Lawrence.

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

Mrs. Golda Josey of Gravel Ridge, Ark., spent July 4th holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thornton, and Arvin. Other guests in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge, Dora Lilley, Alta Harris, Bill Harris, Berry Grant and Aubey Lawrence.

Judy Gibbs spent the holidays in Llano in the home of Carlos McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Nicky attended the baseball picnic at Lakewood Center Monday.

Mrs. Larmar Henry of Baird visited in the James Reynolds home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barr had as their guest Thursday night her son, Capt. Oliver F. Meads of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Woody and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pruitt visited in Fort Stockton with Mr. and Mrs. James Ned Clark last week end.

Clint McDaniel, 55, Dies In New Mexico

News was received here Tuesday at noon of the death of Clint McDaniel, 55, at a hospital in Clovis, N. M. His home was in Melrose, N. M.

Mr. McDaniel, who suffered from a heart ailment, was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McDaniel, who once lived in Cross Plains. His mother was a sister of D. Bludworth, who lives between Cross Plains and Burkett. Doyle Burchfield is a cousin of the deceased.

Funeral services were to be held in Melrose at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Drillers Ax De Leon, Stay In Pennant Race

Cross Plains Drillers defeated De Leon 19-9 Tuesday of last week, and in doing so remained in contention for the junior teenage Inter-Cities Baseball League championship. Reportedly at week's beginning Drillers and Goldthwaite were deadlocked for the lead.

Rodney Renfro was winning pitcher at De Leon, and helped his cause with a three-run hit. Robert Lewis was credited with the save.

Local Teacher To Marry Brownwood Man Aug. 16

Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Carroll, 1306 Ave. B in Brownwood, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Billie Frances, to Mr. Alwyn G. Clausen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Alwyn Clausen, 1900 Belmeade Street in Brownwood.

The bride-elect, a 1960 graduate of Brownwood High School, received a Bachelor of Science degree in elementary education from Howard Payne College in 1963. She has been employed in the Cross Plains Elementary School for the past six years.

Her fiance, a 1960 graduate of Brownwood High School, received a Bachelor of Science degree in business from Howard Payne College in 1964, and a Master of Science degree in economics from Baylor University in 1966. He is employed as instructor of economics on the college level at Schreiner Institute at Kerrville.

The wedding will be Saturday, Aug. 16, at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Brownwood with the Rev. Logan M. Cummings, pastor, officiating.

Eula-Elmdale Vote Saturday

Qualified voters of the Eula and Elmdale school districts, who recently balloted to consolidate their school systems, go to the polls Saturday in a bond assumption election. All resident voters of the two districts are eligible to cast a ballot.

Voting will take place in the Eula school cafeteria. Election officials will be Reo

Jolly, William M. Antilly and Mrs. Doris Barr. Polls will be open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Mrs. David Motley of Ranger visited here in the home of Mrs. Pearl Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smith and two daughters of Houston spent July 4 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith.

Personal Items Of Local Interest

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

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Janie Lynn and Jimmy Jal, N. M., accompanied parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. M., accompanied by Pioneer, with John Watson Sunday.



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