

# CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

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CROSS PLAINS' OLDEST BUSINESS INSTITUTION — LARGEST CIRCULATION IN CALLAHAN COUNTY

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443 WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 19, 1973

SIXTY-FIFTH YEAR



**BISONS OF 1938**—Pictured here are the Cross Plains High School Buffaloes of 1938. Mrs. Frank Frame, P.O. Box 1146, Jal, N. M., sent the photograph. She is the former Evelyn Pethel of Cross Plains. She, among other CPHS students of that time

plan to attend the homecoming here Saturday, Sept. 29. She identified the Thundersing Herd of '38 as follows: First row, left to right, Bobby Pyle (deceased), Billy Mack Smith, Ebb Huckaby, Granvel Pierce, Ted Walker, and Junior Ford. Second row: Harold Brown, Benji Pillans, Henry Ar-

mond Hemphill, Ray Smith (deceased), Horace Smith, Colvin Lackey and Robert Anderson. Third row: Harold Barclay, Frenchy Bennett, Jack McMillan, James Underwood (deceased), Bill Upton and Paul Harlow. Fourth row: Ivan Clark and Basil Lusk. Coach is "Beans" Morris.

## Petition Seeks Exemption Of Homestead Tax In City

A petition is being circulated in Cross Plains to have the city call an election to exempt homesteads from taxation. It is being circulated by T. O. Powell.

Powell said Tuesday that he presently had 190 signatures. According to Powell, he wants to have about 200 signatures on

the petition before filing it with the city. All that is required, Powell said, is to obtain 20 per cent of the number of voters which cast ballots in the last election of that political subdivision, that in this case, being the City of Cross Plains. According to city records, 198 votes were cast in this year's

city council election in April, which would mean that only about 40 signatures would be needed. The signers of the petition would, of course, have to be registered, qualified voters of the city.

The petition seeks to exempt homesteads of up to \$3,000 from taxation. That law was passed by the recent legislature, and was approved as a constitutional amendment by Texas voters in the last general election. It was number six on the ballot and was an amendment to Article 8 of Section 1-B of the state constitution. Powell explained.

The homestead exemption applies only to home owners 65 years old or older.

It was pointed out by Powell that elections for homestead exemptions may be called in any political subdivision can voluntarily enact homestead exemption legislation. Residents of the Brownwood School District recently voted on the proposal and it passed by better than a 10 to 1 margin.

Mayor Doyle Burchfield stated Tuesday that the council had not discussed any action on the petition, but would upon being presented with the document. He added, "We will have to contact the municipal league to obtain instructions for necessary steps to be taken."

### AUTUMN SEASON BEGINS OFFICIALLY SATURDAY

Officially the Autumn season will not begin until Saturday, Sept. 22.

Cross Plains area residents have already tasted a preview of the coming cooler season. A cold front which passed through this sector shoved temperatures to the mid-fifties early Tuesday morning.

## Tim Helm Semifinalist For Merit Scholarship

Principal Scot H. Edington has announced that a Cross Plains High School student has been named a semifinalist in the 1974 National Merit Scholarship Program.

He is Tim Helm, a senior and son of Rev. and Mrs. Luther J. Helm.

He will compete for about 3,100 Merit Scholarships to be awarded in the spring. In the eighteen annual competitions completed to date, 34,450 students have won Merit Scholarships valued at more than \$95.5 million.

According to Edward C. Smith, president of National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC), "The approximately 15,000 Semifinalists are representative of the nation's most academically talented young people, and they bring honor not only to themselves, but also to their families, their teachers, and their communities."

"From this group will come many future leaders in business industry, and the professions," he said.

The semifinalists were the highest scorers in each state on the Preliminary Scholarship Aptitude Test National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT NMSQT) administered last October to over one million students in about 17,000 schools nationwide. These students, who constitute about one-half of one percent of the graduating secondary school seniors in the United States, will complete high school and enter college in 1974.

Semifinalists must qualify as finalists to advance in the competition for Merit Scholarships. To become finalists, the semifinalists must fulfill requirements that include receiving the endorsement of their schools, confirming their high PSAT NMSQT scores on a second examination, and by providing evidence of their academic and other accomplishments

Ninety percent or more of the semifinalists are expected to become finalists, and each finalist will receive a Certificate of Merit in recognition of distinguished performance in the competition.

Every finalist will be considered for one of the 1,000 National Merit \$1000 Scholarships that are allocated on a state basis, according to each state's percentage of the total U.S. high school graduating class. A selection committee made up of experienced college admissions officers and secondary school guidance counselors judges all information about each finalist in combination—his high school academic record, accomplishments, leadership qualities, extracurricular activities, as well as test scores. The winners of these one-time awards of \$1000 that are financed by sponsors and NMSC will receive a single payment next fall, after they enroll as full-time college undergraduates.

Many of the finalists will also be considered for renewable four-year Merit Scholarships. Winners of renewable Merit Scholarships receive up to \$1,500 per year, which can amount to \$6,000 over the four college years.

## Bufs Travel To Gorman Friday In Non-Loop Bout

Cross Plains Buffaloes will journey to Gorman Friday in a non-conference clash with the Panthers of District 6-B. Game time is 8 p.m.

The Herd will be attempting to get back in the win column after losing 20-8 to Wylie last week. Gorman will also be seeking a victory after losing the season opener to Dublin by a wide margin. The Panthers, however, have had a week to

regroup forces since the curtain raiser while Bufs are 1-1 on the season.

Bisons may have picked on a rough opponent to attempt a winning comeback. The Panthers, rated fourth in the eight-team district, are experienced, big and have plenty of depth. At least 12 starters are back in the Panther fold from the team that the Buffaloes managed to beat 18-0 last year. Cross Plains Head Coach Don Lee said that his charges would be giving away several pounds per man on the average to the Gorman team.

Gorman is expected to throw the oval a lot, a tactic which burned the Herd on occasions last week. Although reported to lack exceptional speed, two Panthers, Halfback Ricky Ruller, 145, and Guard Mike Shipman, 165, earned all-district honors last year. Seven Gorman gridgers tip the scales at 200 pounds or better, and four of those are returning starters.

Scouting reports here indicate that although the Dublin Lions, a team Cross Plains tied in a scrimmage this season, routed the Panthers, it was done mostly on pass interceptions and long kick returns. Buffalo Coach Lee said that Dublin did not move the ball at will on the tougher 1974 Panthers.

### MRS. V. I. SPIVEY BACK FROM HOSPITAL STINT

Mrs. V. I. (Leona) Spivey returned to her home at Cottonwood last Sunday following 25 days of tests and treatments in the West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. She reports "home never looked so good!"

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

## 1974 Chevrolets Make Debut Here Thursday

The 1974 line of Chevrolet automobiles will be shown at Bishop Chevrolet Company on North Main Street in Cross Plains on Thursday.

The local dealership, in a display advertisement elsewhere in today's Review, invites the public to come in and see the newest offering of the Chevrolet line. Dale Bishop, owner and manager of the business, stated that there will be free coffee and doughnuts for all who come in on Thursday. He added that there will also be free gifts for each lady who views the new autos.

Several 1974 models will be on display at the local agency for viewers to inspect. The of-

ferings will include most of the models offered by Chevrolet this year.

Chevrolet is offering 44 models this year, four less than in 1973. Possibly the most dramatic change in operation of the 1974 line is a sequential ignition interlock in the seat belt system that calls for the driver and front seat passengers to be seated with belts buckled before the car will start.

There are three different distinct bumper systems on the new Chevrolets in compliance with the more stringent government impact regulations.

Engine refinements and changes in design will also be apparent in most Chevrolet models for 1974.

## Garden Club Starts Mrs. Claborn Fund

A Garden Club Memorial Fund has been established at Citizens State Bank of Cross Plains in memory of Mrs. Bernice Claborn. It will be called The Bernice Claborn Garden Club Memorial Fund and will be a continuing fund. The Cross Plains Garden Club will acknowledge personally each memorial gift.

Mrs. Claborn was the first president of the local club, was one of its most loyal supporters, and loved and respected by every member, past and present.

## Rick Kirkham Elected Most Handsome Boy

Rickey Kirkham, a senior, was elected "Most Handsome" boy at Cross Plains High School by popular vote of co-eds.

Kirkham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kirkham. Named second Most Handsome was Kenny Pancake, also a senior. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pancake.

Chosen third Most Handsome boy is Lynn Tatom, a junior. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom.

## Hay Show Planned For County On October 26

Good quality hay is an asset to many Callahan County farm-

ers and ranchers who depend on hay for their winter feeding program. Hay quality is dependent upon many things including proper fertilization, timing of cuttings, moisture at harvest and other factors.

There has been some interest in having a local hay show for Callahan County producers and if enough entries can be obtained the show will be held on October 26.

Twelve to 15 entries are needed to have a hay show. Any type of hay may be entered in the show and deadline for receiving entries is October 1. The entry deadline is necessary so that a protein analysis can be made of the hay. The cost for this protein analysis will be \$3.00. Other factors to be used in judging includes maturity, texture, leafiness, freedom from injurious foreign material and color. Classes will be arranged depending upon the entries.

Further information on entries is available from the County Extension Office at Baird. The phone number is 915-854-1518.

### EDWIN WEISS HOME GETS YARD OF MONTH PLAQUE

Cross Plains Garden Club's yard of the month plaque has been awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weiss for September.

A spokesman for the organization said that the Weiss yard was chosen for its neatness and beautiful green grass.

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**1935 SECOND GRADE**—Pictured here is the second grade at Cross Plains schools in 1935. The photograph, faded by time, belongs to Pat McNeel, Jr. of Cross Plains. He and a few other ex-local students attempted to identify the students. They are listed as follows: First row, left to right: unidentified girl, Phillips girl, Smith girl, un-

identified girl, Estelle Lotief, Nita (Scott) King, Inez Magness, Charles Dodson, Eldon Ray Erwin, Bobby Dixon and Jimmy Lancaster. Second row: Wanda (Atwood) Anderson, Doris (Hall) Givens, Rosa Mae Havens, Evelyn McMillan, Betty Dennis, Bettie Jo Youngblood, Marjorie Helms,

Billy Doris Blitch, Neal Smith, Bill Haught, Glen Gage and Billy Hightower. Third row: Danials girl, Frances Franke, unidentified girl, Donnel Williams, Mrs. Pat Allen (teacher), Alvis Kemper, unidentified girl, John Pruet and Pat McNeel, Jr. McNeel is president of the ex-students association.

## TOWN TALK

By J.B.E.

the fortunes of the town took a turn for the better as did this writer's hopes of winners of games involving area Buffaloes were 20-8 by Wylie last week and this department picked only four in 10 contests last week. Record of pigskin battles stand at 14 of 20 percentage of 70.

full slate is on tap for week end, and no games loom as this writing. Here goes anyway. Good may be the AAA team in the should beat Cleburne 14-12.

test time for the Bulldogs in hosting. We'll take Clyde 14-13. Good teams should be ready to win trail by beaters 28-12. Good teams meet when goes to De Leon, and nips the Bearcats.

AA Cisco seems to be this year and will be a good Baird team. could be much better expected. Longhorns clip Menard by about 13-7.

Goldthwaite and Bangs would be toss-up. The seem to be favored performances 20-19. Anna has a tough Lemets Mountaineers be hard-pressed, but narrow 22-20 victory.

knows the outcome of Dublin at Ranger contest a guess says Rangereen, 19-12. Cross Plains will have to do than last week to beat others. Buffaloes might 20-14 decision.

T - T Review is asking subscribers to please notify this when a change of address is necessary. subscribers to the home newspaper do not notify review, then the postal will, but it costs per at least 10 cents. Times more. There is the post office person do about charging papers for changes of It is postal policy. time is not much, but several are received week, it adds up, and in inflationary time, most newspapers are being in a price rise. Your thoughtfulness notifying us of address changes will be appreciated.

T - T important dates are approaching which affect Cross Plains and area. annual Cross Plains homecoming is only 10 away, Saturday, Sept. 29. crowd is expected to Cross Plains for the day, and we hope each person will happily the many returnees. Cross Plains area United drive will also soon be. Exact date has not learned by the Review, but the annual fund-raising campaign to support charities is scheduled sometime in October.

T - T Review has received a from Mildred Smith in Calif. She wrote to that she enjoyed the town paper, and thanked one who was so kind her father died here.

note follows, in part, to express my grati-



# Burkett Sector News Items

By Lovey Nichols

Over a hundred people attended the Burkett Community supper Saturday night. There was a lot of good food and good entertainment. Everyone enjoyed themselves.

The Echo community monthly musical will be this Saturday night at 7:00. All interested persons are welcome. All musicians are invited.

Loren Crocker is better. He is now out of the intensive care unit at the V.A. hospital in Big Spring.

Jack Boyle is in the V.A. hospital in Big Spring. He is not doing good. They are running tests on him.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols and Darby visited Saturday evening with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bishop and Dorothy in Rising Star. Dorothy returned home with the Nichols and stayed until late Sunday night. She attended both church services and a fellowship given after church.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Porter and sons went to Abilene Monday to take Bobby to the doctor for a check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. William Walker visited in Big Spring with Loren Crocker.

Visiting the Carl Blutworth's Sunday was Mrs. Blutworth's aunt, Mrs. Iva Morgan of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blutworth attended the Baker reunion at the R.E.A. club rooms in Coleman. About 56 attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gray and children of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walker and son and Mrs. W. M. Newton visited the Mel Walker's this weekend.

Bro. and Mrs. Tom Dufresne held a fellowship at their home

following the evening service Sunday. Miss Mattie Fay Dixon, first grade teacher at Cross Plains grade school, furnished the entertainment. She showed the young people how to yodel and sang for them. Afterwards they enjoyed homemade sherbet and home movies. Those attending were Miss Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunter, Silvia Allen, Tammy Martin, Sidney and Troy Rasbury, Ken and Randy Hunter, Randy Jennings, Dorothy Bishop, Jackie Strickland, Lovey Nichols, Bro. and Mrs. Dufresne and Christy. Everyone had a great time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Warren attended the Warren family reunion at Lake Coleman last weekend. About 60 persons attended. Those attending came from Florida, Dimmitt, Snyder, Graham, Kermit, Baird, Moran, Putnam, Cross Plains and Burkett. They had lunch Saturday and Sunday at Coleman Lake and supper Saturday night at the Burkett Community Center. They had a wonderful time.

Bro. and Mrs. Thomas Dufresne and Christy visited the George Johnson's Sunday afternoon.

J. Pat DeBusk and son Andrew of Houston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeBusk, last weekend.

Joe Parrish, John Hendrick, Ed Needham, and James Ataway visited the Jack DeBusk's last weekend.

Last week I listed the player from Burkett on the Cross Plains High School football team. There are only two players on the Cross Plains Junior High team. They are Cody Golsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Golsen, and Jackie Strickland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Strickland.

Hap Bearden visited Ethel Thate Sunday and attended church services Sunday with her.

## YORTH KNOWN LOCALLY SUFFERS BROKEN ARM

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Long and Tracy of McCamey spent a week end recently with Mrs. Zelda Long. On Wednesday of last week young Tracy, Sept. 11, was in football practice, jumped to catch a pass and broke his arm above the elbow. They called his grandmother to let her know it was not considered serious and he was getting along fine.

## WILDCAT OIL TEST AT RISING STAR SAID DRY

A 3,000-foot wildcat oil test five miles northeast of Rising Star, Nichols Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 Been, has been abandoned as a dry hole.

The venture spotted 330 feet from the south and 467 feet from the west lines of James E. Cox Survey A-58.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

## Mighty Mites Trip Santa Anna 12-6

Cross Plains High School Junior Varsity found going tough against Bangs B team in the season opener here last Thursday. The visiting Dragons claimed a 16-0 verdict in a primarily defensive struggle.

The Dragons tallied first touchdown just before the first half ended on a 26-yard pass. Another aerial accounted for the two bonus points.

A faked fourth down punt from about 46 yards away gave Bangs its second six-pointer. Another pass netted the bonus points.

Cross Plains staged sustained drives several times but could not push the ball across the double stripe.

Coach Don Lee said that

## CLYDE AREA GAINS SITE FOR WILDCAT OIL TEST

John F. Warren of Midland will drill No. 1-A Bartin as a proposed 1,400-foot wildcat.

Location is 10 miles south of Clyde on a 140 acre lease.

It spots 725 feet from the north and 1,150 feet from the west lines of the southwest quarter of Section 8, BBB&C Survey.

Cross Plains did not play badly, and it was primarily a middle-of-the-field defensive struggle except for the two long touchdowns. He added that Bangs did have a fine JV ball club, and a trio of fine backs.

Bisons will test the Gorman B team at Buffalo Stadium Thursday at 7 p.m.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

## WELCOME TO SERVICES AT . . . First Baptist Church

10TH & MAIN — CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

SUNDAY SCHOOL . . . . .	9:45 A.M.
MORNING WORSHIP . . . . .	11:00 A.M.
CHURCH TRAINING . . . . .	6:00 P.M.
EVENING WORSHIP . . . . .	7:00 P.M.
WEDNESDAY PRAYER SERVICE . . . . .	7:30 P.M.

Curtis Simpson  
Pastor

Carroll Rhodes  
Music Director

## BAPTIST YOUNG WOMEN HAVE SOCIAL THURSDAY

Seven members of the Baptist Young Women of the First Baptist Church here met for a social at the home of Mrs. Benny Glover last Thursday night.

Attending were Mrs. Don Gosnell, Mrs. Cliff Kirkham, Mrs. Mark Walker, Mrs. Carroll

Rhodes, Mrs. Stuart Mrs. Bobby Johnston, hostess.

Deadline for news is Tuesday.

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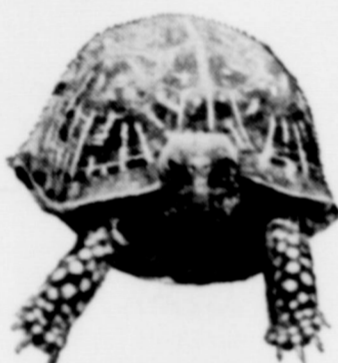
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 USDA INSPECTED, WHITE MEAT FRYERS, breast quarters, lb. . . . 69c  
 USDA INSPECTED, DARK MEAT FRYERS, leg quarters, lb. . . . 65c

### FRYERS, USDA Inspected, whole only . . . lb. 59c

WILSON CORN KING BACON, 1 pound . . . \$1.39  
 LIVER, BOLOGNA, SALAMI LUNCH MEAT, Gooch, 6 oz. pkg. . . . 59c  
 DECKER, ENDS AND PIECES BACON, 3 lb. box, each . . . \$1.98

### Club Steak PER POUND \$1.49 Hot Dogs ARMOUR STAR, 12 OZ. PCG. 99c

RATH BLACK HAWK SAUSAGE, pure pork, lb. . . . \$1.09  
 GOOCH OR DANKWORTH GERMAN SAUSAGE, 12 oz. ring . . . \$1.39  
 DELICIOUS, MADE DAILY HOT BARBECUE BEEF AND SAUSAGE

#### Dairy and Frozen Foods

FOREMOST BIG DIP Ice Milk, 1/2 gallon . . . 59c  
 FOREMOST COTTAGE CHEESE, 24 oz. . . . 59c

#### Florida Orange Juice

Minute Maid ORANGE JUICE, 6 ounce can, 3 for \$1.00  
 Minute Maid ORANGE JUICE, 12 ounce can . . . 59c  
 Minute Maid ORANGE JUICE, 16 ounce can . . . 85c  
 Minute Maid LEMONADE, 12 ounce can . . . 29c  
 Minute Maid GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, plain or pink, 6 oz. . . . 29c

RANCH STYLE BEANS, 23 oz. can . . . \$1  
 RANCH STYLE BEANS, 52 oz. can . . . 63c

#### DISHWASHING COMPOUND

CASCADE

13c OFF LABEL  
 GIANT SIZE  
 59c



NABISCO NUTTER-BUTTER COOKIES, 13 1/2 ounce pkg. . . . 49c

AMERICAN BEAUTY RONI MAC, 24 ounce . . . 53c

### GOLD MEDAL FLOUR . . . 89c

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR, 25 pound bag . . . \$3.94  
 COFFEE MATE, 16 ounce jar . . . 89c

#### Breeze Detergent

25c OFF LABEL

King Size . . . \$1.19

SOY SAUCE, La Choy, 5 ounce bottle . . . 27c  
 BEEF CHOW MEIN, La Choy, 16 ounce can . . . 71c  
 FABRIC SOFTNER, Sta Puf, 1/2 gallon . . . 89c  
 SYRUP, Log Cabin, 24 ounce bottle . . . 72c  
 MUSTARD, Red Boy, 2 4ounce size . . . 29c

CARNATION, ALL FLAVORS CARNATION SLENDER, 4 env. ctn. . . . 89c

CARNATION, ALL FLAVORS INSTANT BREAKFAST, 6 env. ctn. . . . 74c

SHASTA, ALL FLAVORS, REG. OR DIET 12 OZ. CAN, 10 FOR

### Drinks . . . \$1

#### Health & Beauty Aids

REGULAR \$1.41  
 VITALIS LIQUID, 7 oz. . . . 89c

VASELINE INTENSIVE CARE LOTION, 15 oz., reg. \$1.75 . . . \$1.17

REGULAR 90c  
 EXCEDRIN TABLETS, 36's . . . 59c

SUAVE, LEMON SHAMPOO, 16 oz., reg. 85c . . . 49c

ULTRA BAN 5000 — REGULAR \$1.35  
 DEODORANT, 5 oz. . . . 69c

ADULT 24's  
 ALLEREST TABLETS, reg. \$1.49 . . . 99c

#### MIX OR MATCH — 5 FOR \$1.00

GREEN BEANS, Allen's cut . . . No. 303 Can  
 BEETS, Parade . . . No. 303 Can  
 CARROTS, Parade, sliced . . . No. 303 Can  
 GREENS, Parade, turnip & mustard . . . No. 303 Can  
 BEANS, Ranch Style . . . No. 300 Can  
 BLACKEYED PEAS, Ranch Style . . . No. 300 Can

PARADE 1 GALLON  
 FABRIC SOFTNER . . . 89c

#### MIX OR MATCH — 6 FOR \$1.00

BEETS, Gold Tip, diced . . . No. 303 Can  
 CARROTS, Gold Tip, diced . . . No. 303 Can  
 HOMINY, Van Camp, white . . . No. 2 Can  
 VIENNA SAUSAGE, Red Bird . . . 4 Oz. Can

#### Garden Fresh Produce

YELLOW ONIONS, medium size, per pound . . . 12c

Potatoes 10 POUND SACK . . . 89c

BANANAS, Golden Ripe, 2 pounds . . . 29c

Apples CALIFORNIA DELICIOUS, PER LB. . . . 29c

BELL PEPPERS, medium pods, per pound . . . 29c

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 Butter, Vanilla Flavor,  
 and Fudge Patties.  
 new cookies will be intro-  
 to Girl Scout leaders at  
 training on Tues-  
 October 9.  
 advertising in the Review



### Mrs. J. C. Claborn Dies On Wednesday

Residents of Cross Plains were shocked and deeply saddened Wednesday, Sept. 12, upon learning of the death of Mrs. J. C. (Bernice Marie) Claborn of this city.

Mrs. Claborn, 58-year-old active worker in First Baptist Church and Cross Plains Garden Club, died suddenly in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene at noon, where she had been a patient a few days. She had been ill about 10 days.

Funeral service for the prominent and popular wife of J. C. (Doc) Claborn, local Higginbotham store manager, was held from Higginbotham Funeral Chapel at 2:30 p.m. Friday. The Rev. Curtis T. Simpson, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains, officiated the final rites. Burial followed in Rising Star Cemetery under direction of Higginbothams of Cross Plains.

Born March 8, 1915, at Carbon, she was the former Bernice McMillan and married J. C. Claborn July 21, 1936, at May. They had lived at Cross Plains 15 years, moving here from Rising Star.

Survivors are her husband, J. C.; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McMillan of Fort Worth; two sisters, Miss Lorraine McMillan of Fort Worth and Mrs. Vesta Lee Andrews of Abilene; a niece and a nephew.

Pallbearers were Jack Tunnell, Jack Scott, Pat McNeel, Jr., Ray Stambaugh and Hadden Payne of Cross Plains and Doyle Lasater of Abilene.

### DARVEL HUTCHINS ARE PARENTS OF BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Darvel Hutchins of Dallas are the proud parents of a baby boy born in Baylor Hospital on Monday, September 17. The little lad weighed five pounds and three ounces, and has been named Danny Edward. The couple have two daughters, Tammy, 6, and Stephanie, 13 months.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Denton of Seminole and Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins of this city. There is also a great-grandfather.

### 2 Ex-Local Brothers Expire Last Sunday

Sam Jones, about 94, of Plainview, passed away last Sunday morning and was buried there on Tuesday. His brother, Dike Jones, about 83, passed away the same morning in Elkhart, Texas, and was buried there on Tuesday, also.

They were the sons of the late "Uncle Mose and Aunt Becky" Jones, early day settlers of Cross Plains. The Jones family moved to Jones County in 1901.

Among their survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Laura Tubbs and Mrs. Ray Herndon, both of Anson, and one brother, Tom, who is at present in the Veterans Hospital at Dallas, and a niece, Mrs. Jim Barr, of Cross Plains.

Ralph Lee returned to his home here last Sunday after undergoing further treatment at the John Sealy Hospital in Galveston. His family reports that he is doing nicely.

### Ciscoans Win Lakewood Guys & Dolls Golf Title

J. L. and Leatha Stafford of Cisco captured the championship of the Guys and Dolls golf tournament at Lakewood Recreation Center last week end.

Thirty one teams entered the two-day event which featured prizes of cut glass dishes for the ladies and golf balls for the men. Mrs. J. C. (Fannie) Bowden served as tournament chairman. Couples participated from Knox City, Hamilton, May, Brownwood, Eastland, Cisco, Baird, Stephenville, Comanche and local club members.

Second place in the championship flight was copped by May Lee and Alan Grider, and third place went to the duo of

Sally Hargus and John Lee. No scores were immediately available.

First flight title went to Jeff and Faye Graham. Runner-up team was Oliver and Frankie Smith, and third place went to Maryann Brown and Dick Grider.

Second flight champs were O. B. and Bobbie Edmondson. Ed and Frances McNally captured the runner-up spot, and third place went to Pete and Jean Fore.

Three teams were tied for second place in the first flight. They were, other than the winners, Jack and Juakana Scott. A sudden death playoff decided the winners on the second hole.

### Peanut Harvest Begins In Cottonwood Area

By Mrs. Wayne Brown

The combines and thrashers are busy in the peanut fields around our area. The weather has taken on feel of fall this morning. Fall harvesting is keeping most of the ranchers and farmers busy at this time.

Reminder to all of Homecoming at the Cross Plains school on September 29th. A chance to meet old school chums and classmates, and reminisce of "the good ole days."

The Cottonwood Musical is this coming Friday, Sept. 21, at the Community Center. There

will be local and surrounding area musicians here to bring you great western musical entertainment. Refreshments will be on sale on the premises by the local Ladies Club. No admission fee is charged. If you haven't seen your neighbors and friends for a spell, meet them at the musical.

Miss Kathy Nickerson left on Sunday evening for Abilene, where she will start classes at Draughon's Business College. Classes started on September 17.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hughes over the weekend were their daughter and her two girls, Mrs. Pat Hardison, Lois and Nancy, and Mr. Hughes's aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kirkpatrick, all of Big Spring.

Mrs. V. I. Spivey has returned home from being in the West Texas Medical Center for several weeks. Welcome home Leona. Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bowman and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowman of Paint Rock visited overnight with Leona this past week while she was in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powell and Mr. and Mrs. George Kirilla of Brookfield, Ohio, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown and Teri.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Sandifer and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hughes attended the West Texas Fair in Abilene last Tuesday.

Charles Coppinger of Odessa was here to spend a day with his father, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Coppinger, this past week.

Randy Cave was home over the weekend visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cave.

Mrs. Ethel Anderson spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Renfro and Carrie one day this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly, Leonard and Jack Kelly visited with Y. H. Kelly at Wichita Falls on Sunday.

### 3 Local Youths Not Hurt In Collision

Bruce Johnson, Diane Johnson and Susan McNeel, all of Cross Plains, were not injured in a two-car collision near Abilene last Friday.

The group was en route to Wylie when the Johnson car was hit from the rear by another automobile. Damage was heavy to both vehicles.

Bruce and Diane are children of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Johnson, and Miss McNeel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat McNeel, Jr.

All three are students at Tarleton State University at Stephenville.

### MRS. LAWRENCE LEE HAS SURGERY AT GALVESTON

Mrs. Lawrence (Hazel) Lee of this community entered John Sealy Hospital at Galveston early last week and underwent surgery on Friday. The exact nature of her condition was not known by the Review. She may be addressed in care of John Sealy Hospital, Room 8B, M-19, Galveston, Texas 77550.

### YOUTH KNOWN HERE STUDENT AT AUSTIN

Donald Charles Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Long, Jr. of Brownwood, has entered the University of Texas at Austin and is employed part-time by the Department of Public Safety there.

### Mighty Mites Trip Santa Anna 12-6

Mighty Mites of Cross Plains Junior High School claimed a 12-6 victory over Santa Anna juniors in season football opener for the local unit here Tuesday of last week.

Although the Mites never trailed, it was the third quarter before Cross Plains got on the scoreboard. First local score came on a 30-yard sweep of right end by Left Halfback Richard Taff.

Defensive Halfback Glynn Nickerson got the second Mite touchdown when he returned a punt about 40 yards.

Santa Anna got on the scoreboard late in the fourth canto with the aid of Mighty Mites mistakes, cutting the locals lead to 12-6.

Coach Mack McConal said that the Mites made a lot of mistakes, but this year's team is an all-new aggregation. Not one starter is back from the successful Mites of 1972.

Taff and Fullback Jeff Hymmer came in for praise on offense, and defensive standouts were Mark Burkett, Nicky Harris and John Schaefer.

Mighty Mites lost services of Stevie Baugh on the first play in the season opener. He sustained a broken arm and will miss the season. He will be missed by the team, McConal stated. "He was doing a fine job for us," the coach continued.

Cross Plains dominated the game more than the scoreboard indicated, rolling up 192 yards rushing to 68 for Santa Anna. Early comes here Tuesday.

### MRS. JOHN WATSON IN HOSPITAL AT ABILENE

Mrs. John (Kate) Watson of Cross Plains entered Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. Exact nature of her illness was not learned first of the week. She was undergoing tests and treatment.

Her room number is S-308.

### MRS. JOHN FORD SAID IMPROVING SLOWLY

Mrs. John Ford is recuperating at her home here following a heart attack suffered about a month ago. She is reported to be recovering normally but slowly, according to Mr. Ford. The Review erroneously reported last week that Mrs. Ford had surgery.

### MUSICALE AT ECHO SET SEPTEMBER 29

The monthly musicale at the Echo community has been rescheduled for Saturday, Sept. 29. Starting time remains at 7 p.m.

Last week's Review carried an item that the monthly event was slated for Saturday, Sept. 22.

### LITTLE ITEMS OF INTEREST

Edith Hinesly, Donna Darlene, have returned home after some time. Mrs. Hinesly is the daughter of Pauline Regian of Plover. Joe Nelson of Rising Star, granddaughter of Floyd

Miss Vi Harlow of Dallas and Mrs. Albert Harlow of Grand Prairie spent last end in the home of Mrs. Pete Harlow. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington of Brownwood visited them on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. and Mrs. Lynn Sande Tony of Euless, and Mrs. Bruce Strahan and family visited here in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Strahan and Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Strahan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Brownwood visited Mrs. Long on Sunday of last week and on Monday Mrs. Long left for about a week's Hawaii with the Travel sponsored by First Bank of Brownwood.

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# Sabanno Community News

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stennett of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Campbell and girls of Sabanno and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jackson and girls of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Campbell Sunday.

We as friends and neighbors of Mrs. Pat Shirley and family extend our deepest sympathy to them in the loss of their husband and father Pat Shirley, who passed away at the Graham hospital in Cisco early Sunday morning. Death was due to a heart attack.

Mrs. Jane Thomas of Eastland spent the weekend at home with the Jack Thomases. Jane is feeling much better and looks good—was so good to visit with them for awhile Sunday.

Mrs. Earnest Clark and Irvin were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Bowan Clark in Cross Plains.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer was a dinner guest with Mrs. Ola Thompson in Cisco Friday.

Mrs. Jack Thomas and Mrs. Truett Dawkins were business visitors in Abilene Friday and attended the fair.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and Patricia,

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and sons Allan, Glenn and Crane, Dick Linely and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Fink, Irvin Wayne Webb and girl friend all of Cisco visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blankenship returned home from Abilene Wednesday, where Mr. Blankenship was in the hospital for a general checkup. He's doing nicely now and glad to get home.

Mrs. Jack Thomas and mother Mrs. Addie Brumfield, were business visitors in Eastland recently and also visited with Mrs. Jane Thomas at the nursing home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb visited with her oldest sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McCorkle, in Stamford recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Marinelli visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin were in Abilene Thursday where Mrs. Erwin had a check with her doctor, they also visited with Mrs. Erwin's sister, Elva Cantrell of Abilene.

Mrs. R. A. Stennett (mother of Mrs. Douglas Campbell) is

in Graham visiting with her two sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bowman of Brownwood were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark and baby Sunday night.

This is Busy Bee Club meeting week. Mrs. Earnest Clark will be hostess for this meeting. We are always glad to have visitors.

I have missed a few in my news report due to no answer over telephone—please call me when I can't get you—or call anyway.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas attended the ball game at Wiley—reported a real good time.

Mrs. Edwin Erwin had a call Sunday from Abilene telling of the serious illness of her brother Garth Minix of Houston.

Also word from Everett Erwin, who had his second heart attack, was in Lubbock hospital for some time, but is back home and doing better. We hope he continues to improve.

Among friends and neighbors who called at the home to express their sympathy to Mrs. Lester King and family in the death of her father, were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Mrs. Lillie Williams, Mrs. O. B. Switzer, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin, Mrs. Don Parson, and others whose names I didn't get.

## RUTH SS CLASS HAS SOCIAL IN INGRAM HOME

The Ruth Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church here held its quarterly social Wednesday of last week in the home of Mrs. L. L. Ingram.

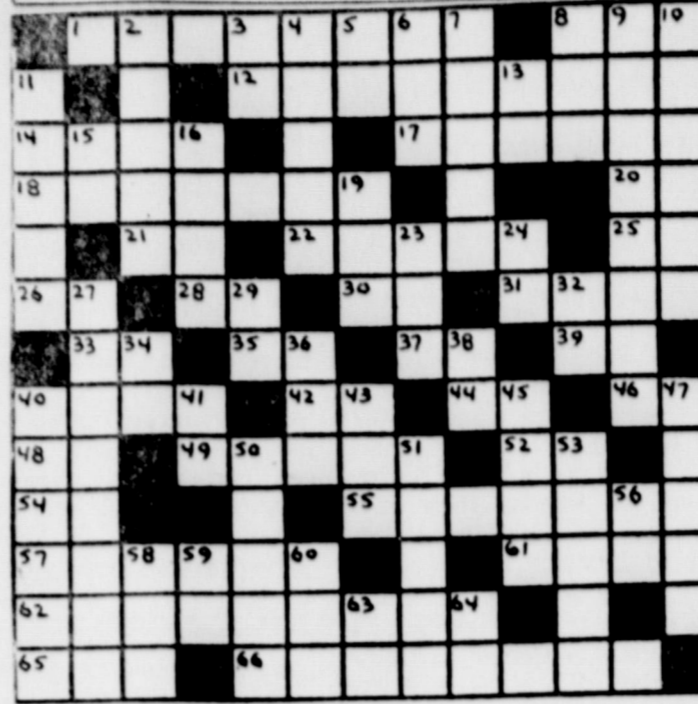
Special prayers were said and devotional given.

Birthday gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served to Meses, Lorena Settle, A. D. Morrison, Bob Hodnett, Dan Appolin, Opal Gattis, W. B. Harmon, Otis Purvis, M. E. Rouse, W. R. Marshall, and two guests, Mrs. Mabel Jones of Tecumseh, Okla., and little Michael Eppard, Mrs. Harmon's grandson.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

Office Supplies At Review

## CROSSWORD By A. C. Gordon



### ACROSS

- 1 - Packer
- 8 - An adept
- 12 - Musical compositions
- 14 - Dashi
- 17 - Member of the clergy
- 18 - Emancipate
- 20 - Never!
- 21 - Thus
- 22 - Severe
- 25 - Bookkeeping entry (abbr.)
- 26 - Behold!
- 28 - Negative
- 29 - Proposition
- 31 - Evasive
- 33 - Period of the day (abbr.)
- 35 - Prose
- 37 - Exact
- 39 - Public notice
- 40 - Endure
- 42 - Music note
- 44 - Roman 999
- 46 - Printer's unit
- 48 - Either
- 49 - To embarrass
- 52 - Like
- 54 - Music note
- 55 - Earned
- 57 - Moral

- 61 - The moon, personified
- 62 - Boisterously
- 63 - One of the months (abbr.)
- 66 - Family patronage

### DOWN

- 2 - Gum
- 3 - Thus
- 4 - ... potato (abbr.)
- 5 - Law enforcer
- 6 - And so forth (abbr.)
- 7 - Revolves
- 8 - Broadcast
- 9 - To incur
- 10 - To accompany
- 11 - Danger
- 13 - In reference to position (abbr.)
- 15 - Footfall
- 16 - Gaseous element
- 19 - Consume
- 23 - To rifle
- 24 - Prose
- 27 - Pertaining to musical dramas
- 29 - Mystic Sanskrit word
- 32 - Parent
- 34 - Manuscript (abbr.)
- 36 - Greek letter
- 38 - .. office
- 40 - Spanish dance
- 41 - Ancient musical
- 43 - Tinet
- 45 - To post
- 47 - Meritorious reward
- 50 - Type of meat
- 51 - Term of greeting
- 53 - Flares
- 56 - Printer's unit
- 58 - Terror
- 59 - That thing!
- 60 - Being legal action
- 63 - Beginning of "apocrypha"
- 64 - Yukon Territory (abbr.)



## WILSON, FREE BIRTHDAY PARTY ATTENDED BY 125

Mr. and Mrs. Doug McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCool, Pat Remhet, and Don Keily, all of Houston, and Randy Davis of Austin were among the out-of-town guests attending the fifth annual birthday party honoring Benny Free and Don Wilson, held here on August 25, and attended by an estimated 100 to 125 persons.

## MRS. DUKE MITCHELL SAID RECOVERING NORMALLY

Mrs. Duke (Dorothy) Mitchell of Cross Plains underwent surgery at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene early last week. It is reported by friends that she is recovering normally. Friends may address her at the hospital at room 716-S.

## MRS. CHARLIE BIRD IS SAID TO BE IMPROVED

Mrs. Charlie (Johnnie) Bird of Lakewood Recreation Center, who has been in the intensive care unit of the Brownwood Community Hospital for the last 10 days, was moved to a private room on Monday. She is considerably improved, according to friends of the family.

## LOCAL OPERATOR WILDCAT NEAR PUT

R. C. Ames of Cross Plains, No. 2 B. A. and Bay, has a planned 600-foot well in the area nine miles north and 1.320 the east lines of D&DAI Survey. The lease is composed of acres.

Mrs. Willard (Sarah) went to Corpus Christi of last week to be at side of her mother, M. LaCour, who suffered heart attack. Another is due to take her place and Mrs. Thomas is due home middle of this month.

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Mary Scott Nabers of Brownwood will bring a program on charm. All members and their friends are invited and urged to attend.

Mrs. J. C. Bowden, Mrs. Pete Fore and Mrs. Oliver Smith will be hostesses for this luncheon.

Mrs. Della Morris of Birmingham, Ala., is visiting here in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris.

## CHUCK THOMAS BACK FROM HOSPITAL STINT

Charles W. (Chuck) Thomas, who suffered two broken arms several months ago, has been dismissed from the Veterans Hospital at Temple where he has been confined, and returned to his home here Tuesday of last week.



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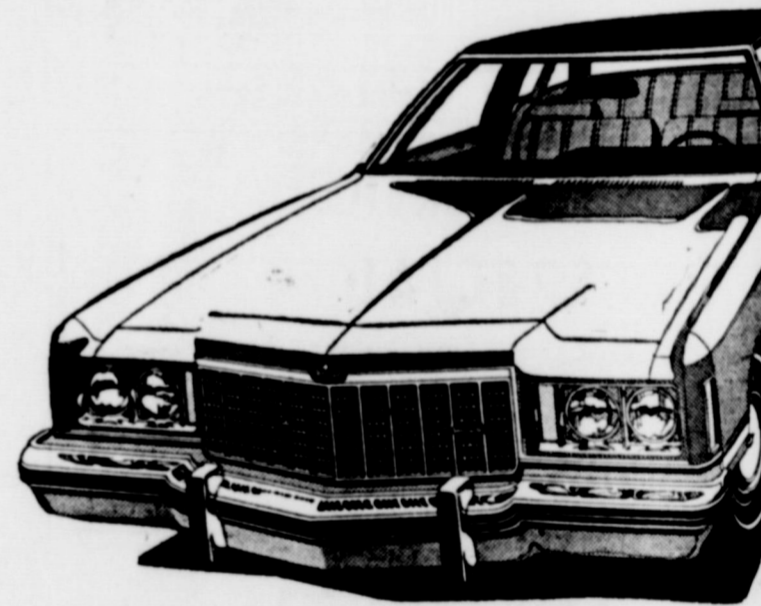
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## Do You Remember?...

Sept. 8, 1933: City gas mains stand idle waiting for main line to be laid to the city limits. Members of the Campfire Girls Chapter organized here include: Nancy Hinkle, Doris Nell Gray, Bobbie Neel, Martha McAdams, Billie Ruth Loving, Marjorie Hester, Pattie Coburn, George Cecil Cook, Willie Dean Mullins and the Guardian.

Sept. 14, 1934: Officers for the Pep Squad include: President Cheryl Lutgens; Vice-President, Bobbie Nell Neel; Secretary, Rosalee Cutbirth; and Reporter, Dixie Little.

Sept. 13, 1935: Despite rain and bad roads 468 enrolled in school classes. This figure is expected to increase when muddy roads become passable.

Sept. 18, 1936: A community sing-song and chicken dinner will be held at the Methodist Church Friday night to raise money to improve the parsonage. The meal, which will consist of baked chicken, dressing, vegetable, drink and dessert, will cost 25 cents.

Sept. 17, 1937: An eight pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King this week. Both mother and daughter are reported doing well. Mrs. Tom Bryant was hostess for the "42 Club" this week.

Sept. 16, 1938: A deal was closed this week between Travis Foster and James Cross, whereby the latter became operator of the Magnolia Service Station, just across Eighth Street from the Methodist Church.

Sept. 15, 1939: Cotton has been moving at a rapid clip in Cross Plains this week, necessitating gin operation until 10 o'clock at night. Skating will begin in the gymnasium at the high school Thursday night and will be held weekly.

Sept. 13, 1940: W. A. (Red) Huckaby this week received an invitation to display his collection of Bells at the State Fair. He is reported to have the largest collection of Bells in Texas.

Sept. 26, 1941: A band hall is to be built on the Cross Plains School campus. Construction should begin some time next month.

Sept. 18, 1942: Morris Odom and Armond Mitchell joined the Navy Monday. They will leave Cross Plains for the East Coast.

Sept. 17, 1963: Many local "Fighting Outfit," the 36th Division, in Italy. Walter Respass will open a service station on South Main Street some time this month.

Sept. 15, 1944: Officers for the Senior Class at Cross Plains High School include: Ernest Clark J. D. Conlee, Jr., Charlene Hudson, Eldon Ray Erkin Lucille Smith and Maxine Strong.

Sept. 21, 1945: Construction on a building to serve as a warehouse for peanuts and hay is being rushed to completion by A. D. Petty. The building is located on South Main, just north of the old City Ice Plant.

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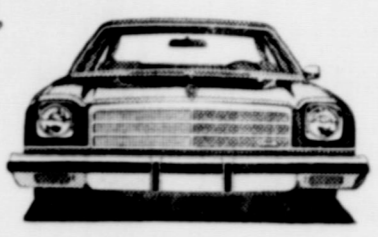
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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

#### SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 1973

**NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 8)**

Article III, Sections 5, 24 and 49a and Article VIII, Section 6 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Provide for regular annual sessions of the Legislature. The regular session in each odd-numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 180 days. The regular session in each even-numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 60 days and would be limited to consideration of fiscal matters and any emergency matters submitted by the Governor. The 60 day session could be extended by the Governor for a period not to exceed 30 days.

Provide an annual salary for members of the Legislature not exceeding \$15,000 per year and a per diem not exceeding \$18 per day for each day of each regular session or special session.

Provide that no appropriation of money shall be made for a longer term than one year and direct the Comptroller to make annual estimates of anticipated revenue rather than biennial estimates.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for annual regular sessions of the legislature; and to provide an annual salary of \$15,000 and per diem for the members of the legislature, effective in January, 1975."

**NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 7)**

Article XVI, Sections 50 and 51 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses.

Presently a single adult person is not entitled to claim a homestead exemption and a married man can abandon a family homestead without the consent of his wife.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses."

**NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 13)**

Article VIII, Sections 1-a and 1-b of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the residential homesteads of unmarried adults.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the homesteads of unmarried adults."

**NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 1)**

Article XVI, Section 59, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Subsection (e) which:

Provides that no law creating a conservation and reclamation district shall be passed unless a copy of the proposed law is delivered to the commissioners court of each county and to the governing body of each incorporated city or town in whose jurisdiction said district or any part thereof is or will be located. Each such commissioners court and governing body may file its written consent or opposition to the proposed law with the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representatives. Each special law creating such a district must comply with general laws then in effect relating to consent by political subdivisions to the creation of such districts.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of laws creating certain conservation and reclamation districts."

**NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 12)**

Article XI, Section 7 of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide that all counties and cities bordering on the coast of the Gulf of Mexico are authorized to levy a tax to pay for bonds issued for the construction of sea walls and breakwaters upon a majority vote of the resident property tax-payers. Counties and cities are presently authorized to levy such taxes and this amendment only changes the required vote from a two-thirds majority to a simple majority.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing counties and cities bordering on the Gulf of Mexico to issue bonds

for the construction of sea walls and breakwaters upon a vote of the resident property tax-payers."

**NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 26)**

Article V, Section 8 of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new paragraph which:

Provides that the district court, concurrently with the county court, shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court and in a probate proceeding shall also have the jurisdiction otherwise conferred on it by law. It also provides that the legislature may increase, diminish, or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, may adopt rules governing the filing, distribution, or transfer of cases and proceedings as between the courts having jurisdiction of probate matters, and may provide that all appeals in probate matters shall be to the courts of civil appeals.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment stating that the district court concurrently with the county court shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court, and providing the jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that in any probate proceeding the district court shall also have jurisdiction otherwise conferred upon it by law, and further providing that the legislature may increase, diminish or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, and further providing that the legislature shall have power to adopt rules governing the filing, distribution and transfer of all such cases and proceedings as between district courts, county courts, and other courts having jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that the legislature may provide that all appeals in such matters shall be to the courts of (civil) appeals."

**NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 6)**

Article III, Section 49-b of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide for an additional \$100 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund. This amendment increases the present \$400 million authorization to \$500 million;

Remove the present provision which permits buying of land only by those veterans who served between September 16, 1940 and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the armed conflict in Viet Nam. This amendment would allow all veterans who serve after September 16, 1940 to buy land from the Veterans' Land Fund, provided they are otherwise qualified;

Provide that, in the event of the death of an eligible

Texas veteran after the veteran has filed with the Board an application and contract of sale to purchase through the Board the tract selected by him or her and before the purchase has been completed, then the surviving spouse may complete the transaction.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for an additional \$100 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund."

**NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 29)**

Article XI, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Section 5(a) which:

Authorizes and requires incorporated cities, towns, and villages, regardless of population and notwithstanding the constitutional limitations on total tax rates, to levy such annual ad valorem taxes on the taxable property in the city, town or village as are necessary to pay the principal of and interest on, when due, the general obligations hereinafter issued by the city, town, or village. The legislature is empowered to limit by general or special law the total principal amount of general obligations which may be issued, but unless and until the legislature acts to do so, the limitations established by statute with respect to the total principal amount of bonds which may be issued by independent school districts shall apply as the rate limitation on cities, towns, and villages.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it appears on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize cities, towns, and villages to levy such ad valorem taxes as are sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on their general obligations hereafter issued subject to the restrictions provided by law."

**NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 25)**

Article VIII of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Section 2C which:

Allows the Legislature, by general law, to exempt all real and personal property used by non-profit water supply corporations or cooperatives from all property taxes. The exemption would apply only to such property as is reasonably necessary to conduct the business of a non-profit water supply corporation or cooperative.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from property taxes certain property used by a non-profit water supply corporation or a non-profit water supply cooperative."

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## Wylie Axes Herd 20-8 In Mistake Filled Contest

Wylie Bulldogs proved too much for the Cross Plains Buffaloes in second game of the 1973 football campaign last Friday night as the District 8-A hosts defeated the Herd 20-8.

The contest was one riddled with mistakes on both sides, but the lack of secure tackles was primarily the downfall of the visiting Bisons. Some local fans opined that the purple and gold Buffaloes looked like a complete different team than had romped past the Blanket Tigers 53-0 a week before.

The loss evened the Herd's season record at 1-1.

The initial quarter and major portion of the second period featured five turnovers with neither team able to muster a major scoring threat. Each Wylie tally came on a fourth down play. The second Bulldog touchdown actually came on a fifth play from scrimmage because a Buffalo penalty nullified the fourth down action.

Wylie also found weak spots in the Bison pass defense, completing six of eight aerials, for one touchdown and a two-point conversion.

Not all was dark for the Buffaloes. The Cross Plains passing game was more effective with nine completions in 16 throws for 111 yards. Leading receivers were Right End Bard Bowden who caught four passes for 43 yards, and Split End Greg Turner grabbed two missiles for 40 yards. On the ground the hosts out-gained the Buffs 141 yards to 112, but Fullback Rick Kirkham turned in another fine performance. He rambled for 77 yards on nine carries.

The Bulldogs gained the upper hand in the contest with just 1:10 left in the first half of play. On fourth down Wylie Quarterback Dale Doby launched a 25-yard missile to Don Conder for the tally. The conversion attempt failed, but Wylie went to the dressing room at halftime leading.

Cross Plains got into the scoring column in the third quarter when Linebacker Eddie Wyatt broke through the Wylie defense to block a Bulldog punt which rolled out of the end zone for a two-point safety. One Buffalo tried to fall on the elusive pigskin before it left the playing field, but could not corral it.

With just over four minutes remaining in the third stanza, Cross Plains went ahead for the

only time in the contest. Fullback Kirkham ripped off a 43-yard jaunt to set up the only Buffalo touchdown of the game. Right Halfback Randy Pancake found paydirt from one yard out. Kirkham was stopped short on the two-point conversion play. Cross Plains briefly held an 8-6 advantage after the 64 yard drive.

Wylie quickly countered moving the ball about 65 yards to inside the Herd one where Doby sneaked in for the go-ahead touchdown. The tally came on the last play of the third quarter and was on a fifth play from scrimmage which was allowed because of a Buff penalty. Another major penalty aided the Bulldog drive.

The final Wylie score came with just 1:20 left in the game as the Bulldogs were primarily interested in running out the clock. Doby scored on a 41-yard option play, rambling through almost the entire Buff squad. At least nine Bisons had a chance to down the Bulldog. A pass play was successful for the pair of bonus points.

Although the Buffalo defense was not nearly as potent as a week prior, Middle Guard Bruce Lawrence and Kenny Pancake led the Herd in defending.

## Shanks Trial Now Set For Thursday

Callahan County Attorney James Paul Shanks of Baird is now scheduled to stand trial on the charge of sodomy on Thursday, Sept. 20, in Austin.

At least five times before, the trial has been postponed because of various reasons. The hearing was most recently slated for last Thursday, but Shanks' lawyer, Charles Burton of Austin, was busy defending a man accused of murder.

The trial is again scheduled in 167th District Court in Austin before Judge Thomas Blackwell. The trial is reported to be without a jury. Reports reaching here indicate that Shanks and co-defendant Robert Carver of Austin, will both be tried on Thursday.

Shanks, Caraveo and another Austin man, Ronald Burke, were charged with sodomy after their arrest in a restroom in an Austin park Feb. 13. Burke pleaded guilty before Blackwell last Monday.

## Luther (Pat) Shirley Buried Here Monday

Funeral for Luther (Pat) Shirley, 71-year-old widely known Pioneer area farmer, was held at Higginbotham Funeral Chapel Monday at 4 p.m.

The longtime and prominent Pioneer area farmer died Sunday morning in a Cisco hospital where he had been about 10 days suffering a heart condition.

The Rev. Rufus Wilson, pastor of Midway Baptist Church at Big Spring and former pastor of the Pioneer Baptist Church, officiated. He was assisted by the Rev. Bill Sanders present pastor of the Baptist Church at Pioneer.

Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery under direction of Higginbothams of Cross Plains.

Mr. Shirley lived in the Pioneer community for 65 years and was a member of the Pioneer Baptist Church.

Born in Callahan County June 30, 1902, Mr. Shirley married Nora Meador Dec. 23, 1923, at Cross Plains.

Survivors are his wife, Nora; three daughters, Mrs. J. E. Key and Mrs. Lester King, both of Cross Plains, and Mrs. Robert Carlile of Albany; six grandchildren; a great-grandchild; and two sisters, Mrs. Ola Eakin of Granbury and Mrs. Jess Graves of Cross Plains.

A half brother, Noah Ross, preceded him in death.

Pallbearers were Pete Fore, Ike Neal, Carl King, David Merriam, Ben Atwood and Bob Dean.

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## Defer Grazing On Burned Grassland-Conservationist

Numerous grass fires that have occurred on local ranches during the summer have greatly increased the need of a deferment on those pastures, stated A. H. Ringhoffer, Range Conservationist with the SCS at Baird.

Due to the large amount of dry grass on most ranches at the time of the fire, very high temperatures were reached. Because of the high temperatures and low humidity, there was a complete burn of all the current years growth of grass and forbs.

Since all dead grass is destroyed, livestock will concentrate on the recently burned areas where the grass regrowth is tender and is easy to graze. The burning itself may not permanently injure most grasses, but grazing too soon after a fire may destroy them.

In order for pastures to respond, then maintain the production level that was grown before the fire, pastures should be deferred at least until next June. Any use made prior to such time that grasses have fully recovered will delay the time when normal production is reached. Small areas of large pastures could be protected by using temporary fences.

Also destroyed by the fires was the accumulation of mulch which had been built up over several years. Plant mulch on the ground helps reduce evaporation of soil moisture. Drying winds pull out tremendous amounts of moisture from bare soils. Litter helps to keep the wind from touching the soil and greatly reduces this loss.

The torrential type rains we normally receive have a great deal of power as they strike bare soil. Raindrops pound and pack the surface so it seals over and hinders water from entering the soil. These drops also loosen soil particles which then wash away with the runoff water. Raindrops striking grass are robbed of their power to pack and erode the soil. A good mulch cover is the best insurance against soil and water loss, according to Ringhoffer.

## Athletic Boosters Set Monday Dates

The Athletic Booster Club of Cross Plains schools will meet each Monday night before home football games of the Buffaloes, according to Eddie Petty, club president. Starting time will be 8 p.m., until otherwise notified.

It was announced that membership tickets may now be purchased from Dale Bishop, Dick Grider or Petty, as well as other booster club members. The memberships are selling for \$5.50 each, and include two admissions to the All-Sports Banquet, sponsored by the boosters, which is held in the Spring each year and honors all Cross Plains High School athletes.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Burkett of Bisbee, Ariz., arrived at their Cross Plains home Monday afternoon for a visit of several days after spending a week in Houston visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Jennings and children.

## J. W. Brooks Expires In Abilene Hosp

J. W. Brooks, 87, a resident of Colonial Oaks Nursing Home for about two years, passed away in West Texas Medical Center in Abilene on Thursday, Sept. 13, and was buried in Odessa on Saturday at 10 A.M. He had been confined to the hospital about two weeks. Survivors include Mrs. Brooks of Cross Plains. Printing at it's very best. Office Supplies At Review.

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