

CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

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

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443 WEDNESDAY, OCT. 3, 1973

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Homecomers Said Were 1,000 Strong

Estimated 800 to 1,000 ex-student and former teachers gathered for the Cross Plains Homecoming last Friday afternoon.

seemed to set the pace for the remainder of the activities.

Winning the \$10 prize for the best float or car was the Freshman Class, and honorable mention went to The Class of 1973, last year's seniors. Winning first place and \$7.50 for best decorated bicycle was Kim and Kelly Hedrick, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hedrick. Taking second was Jill Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richardson. The prize money was donated by Johnson's Dry Goods, McNeel Insurance, Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Co., Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply, Dillard Texaco Station, Bishop Chevrolet Co., Garrett Eggs, Mayes Flower Shop, Citizens State Bank and Western Auto Store.

Following registration, coffee and visitation Saturday morning, a luncheon was sponsored by the Parent Teacher Organization and Band Booster Club. It was well attended.

Most of the excitement was generated in a business meeting at 2 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Officers for the ex-student association for the next homecoming were elected. That event will be held in 1976. Incoming officers are Lewis Fortune, president; Rolan Jones, vice-president; and Mrs. Randy Pancake, secretary-treasurer. Retiring officials were Pat McNeel, Jr., president; Noah Johnson, vice-president; Bobbie Lou Hinkle, secretary, and Mrs. Johnny Pancake, treasurer.

Mrs. H. C. (Helen Gray) Freeman of Cross Plains, a member of the Class of 1934 was named Coming Home Queen. She was presented at halftime of the football game along with Miss Linda Eppard, daughter of Mrs. Norman Thomas, who was previously named Homecoming Queen. Mrs. Freeman was named over nine other nominees by secret ballot.

Recognized as the oldest graduate present was Mrs. Howard Curnutt of this city. She was a member of the Class of 1917. Second oldest was Mrs. Juanita McNeel of Cross Plains with the Class of 1919. Third oldest graduate was Frank Spencer of Cross Plains who graduated in 1920.

The Class of 1959 had most members back with 26.

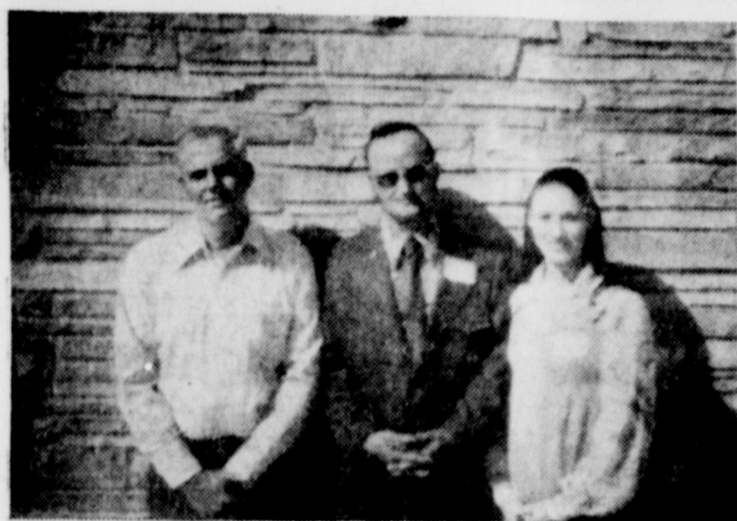
Also recognized were the former student coming the greatest distance to attend the homecoming. They were Eldie Ruth (Barnard) Ellis of Watsonville, Calif., Lois Gavle Lovelady of Oceanside, Calif., Bobby Gains of Temple Hill, Mr. Neal Wolf of Denver, Colo., and Junior Ivey of Ingleswood, Calif.

Another highlight of the business meeting was the honoring of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, Prof., as he is fondly known to a throng of friends and former students, was presented a plaque commending and thanking him for his 32 years of service as vocational agriculture instructor to the school and community. He was presented a 25-inch color television set and a diamond to be put in his Texas A&M University graduate ring. Mrs. Edmondson was presented a bouquet. The money for the gifts was raised from ex-students and friends, under the direction of McNeel, Dick Vestal of Baird and Jack Lacy of Lampasas.

Only dark note of the entire activity was the Buffaloes dropping a 12-8 decision to the Rising Star Wildcats in the football game Saturday night.

The celebration was rounded out by a social in a warehouse of Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Co., and coffee at the school cafeteria.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Boyton and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smith, all of Houston visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith.



CPHS HOMECOMING—

Top photo shows incoming officers of ex-student association. At left Lewis Fortune, president; Rolan Jones, vice-president, and Mrs. Randy Walker, secretary. Second picture shows Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson with plaque after he was honored for long service to school and community. At left is Mrs. H. C. (Helen) Freeman of this city who was elected coming home queen.

Proposed Constitution Changes Are Explained

Editor's Note: Here are analyses of proposed Amendment No. 1 to the Texas Constitution, which will be voted on in the General Election to be held Nov. 3. This brief explanation is intended to be informative and unbiased.

You will vote FOR or Against:

Proponents of Amendment No. 1 say that our legislators can no longer be considered part-time officials. They feel that increasing complexity in the problems of the state government and greater expenditure of time as a member of standing and interim committees meeting between sessions leave the legislator with little time to devote to private business, and they point out the \$4,800 annual salary provided by the constitution hardly meets present-day living costs.

They contend that raising the salary of the offices would provide a more attractive incentive for public service. They feel that legislators without outside employment often find that they are caught in a conflict of interest situation. It is also argued that rising costs make increased per diem allowances almost mandatory so that legislators may maintain two homes during sessions.

Proponents also believe the extension of odd-numbered year regular sessions from 140 to 180 days duration would give more time to analyze and consider important legislation, and the extra time could reduce this rush period.

They point out that while the legislature cannot appropriate money for more than two years at a time, there is no prohibition against annual appropriations, and in even-numbered years the governor can call a special session limited to fiscal and emergency matters under the present constitution.

JOHN WATSON ENTERS HOSPITAL ON MONDAY

John Watson of Cross Plains entered the West Texas Medical Center in Abilene Monday as a medical patient. It is not known how long he will be confined there.

The Review staffer is in room 208.

United Fund Drive Slated Here Friday

Forty-seven ladies will make a door-to-door canvass of Cross Plains and surrounding countryside and communities Friday in an effort to raise \$3,000 for the Cross Plains Area United Fund.

Mrs. Peyton Smith, campaign general chairman, and two co-chairmen, Mrs. Raymond DeBusk and Mrs. Vera Baum, have solicited help of the 47 ladies to help make the drive.

The \$3,000 goal was recently

budgeted by officers and directors of the local United Fund. It will benefit seven organizations and provide relief for area residents and transients and provide the less fortunate and needy a somewhat brighter Christmas.

The budget is \$300 less than was asked for in last year's goal. Most of the unallocated portion of the budget has been dropped.

United Fund officials and the workers will gather at Odom's Cafe at 9 a.m. for a brief orientation and final arrangement session.

It was noted by Jimmielee Payne, president, who asks that each business and individual greet the volunteer worker with as generous a gift as possible, that Rev. Curtis T. Simpson, pastor of the First Baptist Church here, will offer a prayer in behalf of the drive and the workers at the brief meeting.

Payne also stated that it is hoped that the bulk of this year's goal can be obtained in Friday's drive. He also asks that persons who will not be available during Friday's drive to leave donations with a neighbor or bring them or mail them to the Citizens State Bank. "We need the cooperation of each area citizen to reach the goal," he explained.

Mrs. Smith said that it is hoped that each person in the Cross Plains area will cooperate in the drive. "It's success means so much to so many people. She pointed out that Gov. Dolph Briscoe has designated October and November as United Way Campaign Months in Texas, and joins Gov. Briscoe in challenging each person to help in the United Fund and associated drives.

It is expected that the women will arrive at assigned sections of the city area, and 21 others will make canvasses in surrounding communities and in the school.

Working within Cross Plains will be Mrs. Jack Tunnell, Mrs. Edwin Baum, Mrs. Jack Scott, Mrs. Raymond DeBusk, Mrs. Mike Cunningham, Mrs. E. L. Garrett, Mrs. J. P. McCord, Mrs. Fonia Worthy, Mrs. Jake Dallas, Mrs. Bill Brown, Mrs. Roy Arrowood, Mrs. Hazel Marsh, Mrs. L. D. Koenig, Mrs. Joe Hanke, Jr., Mrs. V. L. Hobdy, Mrs. J. D. Moore, Mrs. J. D. Cole, Mrs. Bobby Dillard, Mrs. A. B. Foster, Mrs. Marie Dillard, Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, Mrs. Vera Baum, Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Mrs. Lou Brown, Mrs. Louise Richardson and Mrs. Leonard Mosely.

Assigned to rural areas are the following:

Mrs. R. L. Barnett, Mrs. Wayne Brown and Mrs. Charles Waggoner will work in the Cottonwood community.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer will handle that job at Sabanno.

Covering the Atwell area will be Mrs. J. L. Marinelli.

Volunteer workers at Rowden are Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Mrs. James Reynolds.

Mrs. Hadden Payne and Mrs. J. L. Bonner will work in the Victoria area.

Soliciting gifts in the Cross Cut sector will be Mrs. Ance Barr and Mrs. Claudia Watkins.

Mrs. Leo Franke will work in the Dressy locality.

Mrs. John D. Montgomery will work along Highway 36.

The Pioneer community will be worked by Mrs. Pete Fore, Mrs. Harold Merrill, Mrs. Joe Fleming, Mrs. Calvin Roady, Mrs. Oliver Smith, Mrs. J. T. Beggs and Mrs. Joe Brown.

Mrs. Roy Stambaugh and Mrs. Lindsey Tyson will work at the local schools.

MRS. BILLY McMILLAN HAS SURGERY MONDAY

Mrs. Billy Charles (Lorene) McMillan, formerly of this city, underwent surgery on Monday of this week in West Texas Medical Center at Abilene. Her family reports that she came through the surgery as well as could be expected and was resting fairly well. She is in room 137.

Clasp Envelopes - The Review

22 Girls Seek C.P.H.S. Most Beautiful Crown

Twenty-two girls will be seeking title of Most Beautiful Girl in Cross Plains High School during the annual beauty contest Saturday night.

The event, sponsored by the Bison staff, school yearbook, will be held in the school auditorium and will begin at 8 p.m. Admission will be 75 cents for adults and 25 cents for students. The proceeds will be used to help finance publishing the annual.

Judges will be from out of town.

Contestants, as reported by the Bison staff, are: Teresa Balkum, Betsy Bowden, Ramona Brooks, Teri Brown, Charlotte Burks, Nancy Chesshir, Dannes Dickson, Terry Dillard, Mary Lupe Dominguez, Margie Duncan, Linda Eppard, Barbara Ingram, Edith Ingram, Lafonda Knott, Hazel Lee, Martha McDaniel, Dena Nickerson, Debbie Potter, Adie Wellmaker, Bonnie Wellmaker, Sandy Williams and Jana Woodruff.

The contestants will be escorted by local high school boys.

An added attraction will be introduction of all class favorites, kindergarten through seniors, and students who have won special recognition will be introduced.

Class favorites were listed as follows: seniors, Anna Smith and Ricky Kirkham; juniors, Ramona Brooks and Rex Beggs; sophomores, Bobra Dillard and Greg Turner; freshmen, Dannes Dickson and Sam Koenig; eighth

School Tennis Courts Are Being Improved

Work began Monday on improvement of the two tennis courts at Cross Plains schools.

Jack Orr, coach who will double as tennis mentor, said that excavation around the present courts began Monday by Callahan County Precinct 4 workers. The dirt will be replaced with caliche preparatory to black topping the entire layout, from backstop to backstop and from fence to fence.

Orr said that the county's work will cost the school nothing, and the City of Cross Plains has also volunteered to help.

At least a portion of the black topping will be paid for through a \$500 grant from Central Texas Opportunities, Inc., headquartered in Coleman.

Orr added that additional funds may be needed, and volunteer labor will also be needed.

The courts were originally built in about 1935, and were financed through public subscription. Orr stated Monday that the courts were in an unplayable condition.

After improvements are completed, Orr hopes to hold an "old folks" tournament, probably in the Spring. The event will be limited to persons over 30 and will be mixed doubles. More details will be released later on the event.

Homestead Petition Presented To City

A petition with 215 signatures of Cross Plains residents was presented to the City of Cross Plains last Friday asking an election be called to approve or turn down exempting homesteads of persons 65 or older from taxes in the political subdivision.

The city council was to have met Tuesday night, and it was expected that action would be taken on the proposal.

Mayor Doyle Burchfield said that the council would have to contact the Municipal League in Austin to obtain instructions in the proper method to handle the proposal.

T. O. Powell of Cross Plains circulated the petition, and he reported that a surprising number of persons in Cross Plains were not registered to vote, and many did not know that the law had been passed whereby a political subdivision could exempt homesteads not exceeding \$3,000 from taxation.

Only about 40 signatures were required in Cross Plains for the petition, needing 20 percent of the qualified voters who voted in the last election held in the subdivision. That was for city council last year when 198 persons balloted here.

LOCAL LADY WILL GET NURSES CAP OCTOBER 4

Mrs. Helen Bates of Cross Plains is among 15 ladies in Cisco Junior College's School of Vocational Nursing which will hold capping ceremonies for the 10th such class Thursday, Oct. 4, at the CJC Hotel Annex at 7:30 p.m.

Invocation for the program will be given by Audy Moore, former local Church of Christ minister who now lives in Gorman.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

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Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins have returned from a trip in behalf of their 34th wedding anniversary. Truett reported one of the nicest trips ever. Went to Sonora and through the cavern, on to Del Rio, visited Armstead Dam, to Uvalde and toured the John Nance Garner home. Visited the birth place of the late President Johnson and saw the Johnson ranch and cattle. a

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Visitors with Josie and Alma Morris Saturday were Eunice Morris and Vetra Connaly of Coleman, Della Morris of Birmingham, Ala., Mrs. Emma Kent of Cook, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morris and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Joy Champman and girls, all of Stephenville.

Sharyn and Wesley Brown of Cross Plains, Mrs. Betty Gee and son, John, of Galveston, and Mrs. Pat Shirley of Pioneer and daughter, Mrs. Pattie Carle of Albany.

Andrey Turnbull of Abilene visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blankenship over the week end.

Goldon Lawson and Arzie Green attended the supper given by the Progressive Club at Nimrod Monday night.

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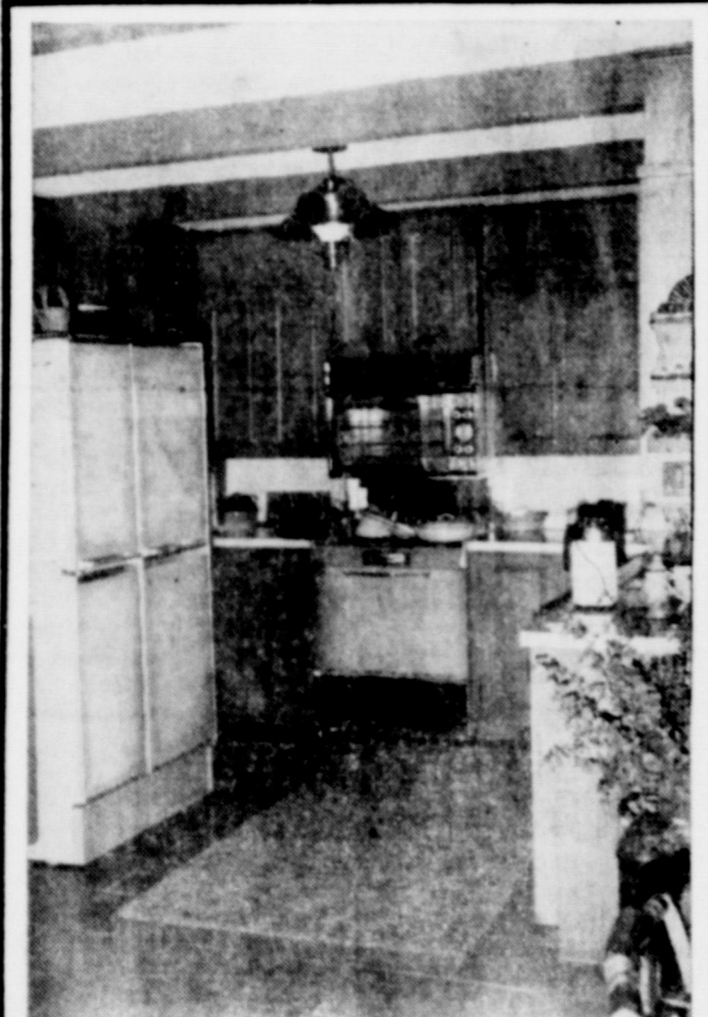
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Cross Plains Junior High School Mighty Mites absorbed first football loss of the 1973 campaign Tuesday night of last week 20-0.

Early had a fine team, local Head Coach Mack McConal said. They are outstanding both offensively and defensively he continued.

The loss was the first in three outings for the Mites this year. The team previously had beaten Santa Anna 12-6 and Rising Star 30-14.

Most of the visiting victorious team's tallies came on long plays. Score at the half was 12-0.

Cross Plains did have several scoring opportunities, but could not hit pay dirt. Twice the Mites drove to the Early four yard line, but could not push the score across. Early blocked all five Mite punt attempts.

Another blow to the Mites was the loss of Halfback Richard Taff who suffered a hair-line fracture of his right arm. He will probably miss the remainder of the season. Another Mite was injured in a motorcycle mishap last week end. He is Steve Brown, starting tackle, who sustained a severely cut leg in the accident.

Cross Plains was to have journeyed to Goldthwaite Tuesday night, and will travel to Gorman Tuesday, Oct. 9. Game time will be 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Dickson, Jr. of Austin spent the week end at Lake Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Callaway, and here with his mother, Mrs. C. V. Dickson, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Jones of Ira, former Cross Plains residents, visited friends here on Monday. They were en route from Santa Anna, where he held a revival, to Simmesport, La., where he will conduct a revival beginning Friday of this week, at the Evangelical Methodist Church.

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Foundation	50.00
Hospital Tumor	500.00
Loss	175.00
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Relief	100.00
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	300.00
	124.00
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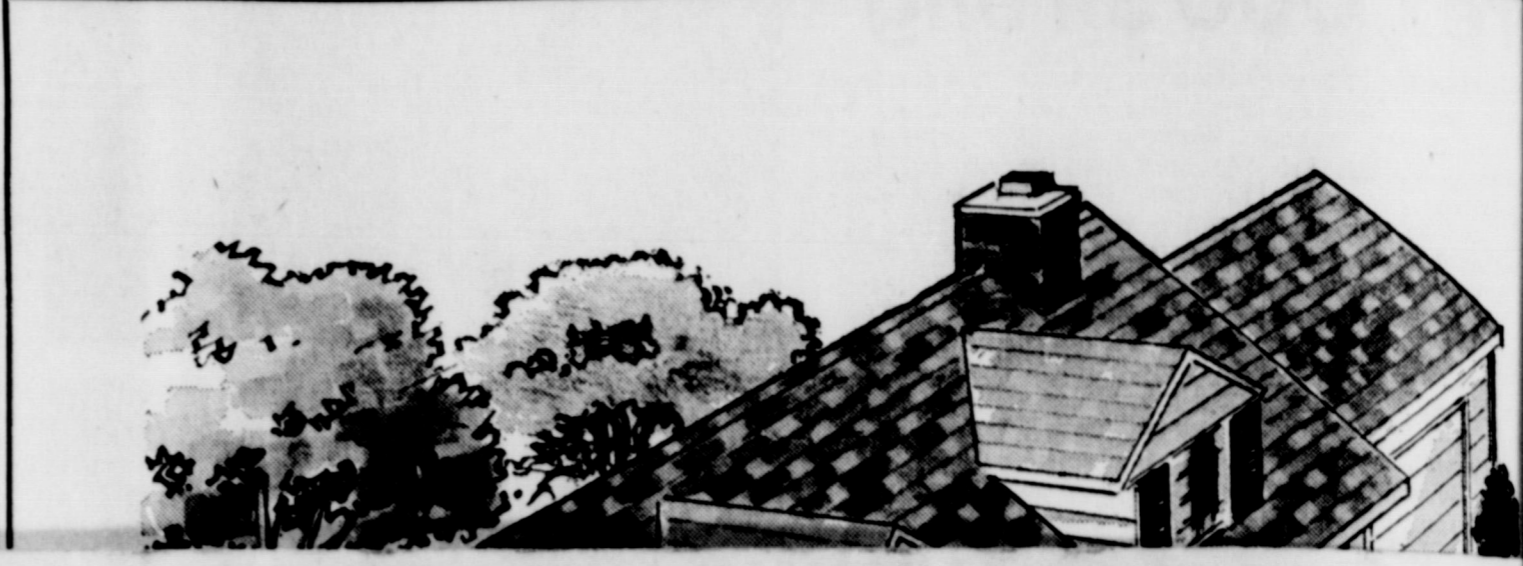
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American Red Cross	175.00
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Girl Scouts, Council	346.50

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\$280 Given Pioneer Cemetery Last Month

The endowment fund which is to provide permanent care for the Pioneer Cemetery received just four gifts during the month of September, but they totaled \$280, according to a report by Mrs. Ethel Brown, secretary-treasurer of the association.

Mrs. Brown reported that there is now a total of \$5,909.55 in the endowment fund. She asks that all persons who wish to help reach the \$10,000 goal to please get in donations at earliest convenience. She added that Pioneer cemetery is far behind other area communities in similar drives conducted or being conducted in so far as amount of money collected is

concerned. The latest contributors and respective amounts were listed by Mrs. Brown as follows: Mrs. Hattie Bryson Lacy \$50, Miss Marie Bryson \$215, Etta Watts \$10, and E. D. Hurley \$5.

There were no donations to the regular maintenance fund, according to Mrs. Brown. The regular fund can provide money for maintenance from interest earned.

All gifts, to either fund, should be sent to Mrs. Brown at Route 1, Box 157, Rising Star, Texas 76471 or to the Citizens State Bank in Cross Plains. Donors should clearly mark to which fund each gift is to be deposited.

BISON JUNIOR VARSITY TO HOST EARLY OCT. 4

Cross Plains Junior Varsity Buffaloes will be looking for victory number one this season Thursday as the unit will host the Early B team in Buffalo Stadium. Game time will be 7 p.m.

The interning Bisons have dropped tilts to Bangs and Gorman in the two previous outings this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Wolfe of Denver, Colo., visited his uncle, Rev. and Mrs. Andy Foster, here last Saturday while attending the homecoming. Other guests in the Foster home were B. W. Huntington of Baytown, and Mr. and Mrs. George Watkins, of Lubbock.

Cottonwood Community Hosts Many Visitors

By Mrs. Wayne Brown

The Cottonwood homes were bustling with families at the homesteads to attend the homecoming festivities over the week end. On Sunday afternoon a trace of rain fell in sections and during the early hours on Monday we received from .30 to an inch of rain from the storm that arrived here.

Mrs. Melvin Hammell and daughter, Sandi of Schultz and Mr. and Mrs. Hermann Weaver of Spring spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly and boys and visited with their other sister and her family, the Bill Nickersons, while here to attend the homecoming at Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nickerson and son, Stephen, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Nickerson of Houston visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson and family over the week end. Miss Kathy Nickerson was home over the week end to be with her family and attend the week end festivities in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Moore, Angie and Bryan from San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Anderson of Corpus Christi were in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore from Friday through Sunday to attend the exes activities at the homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Champion and boys from Grapevine and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Champion and family spent the week end with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Alice Champion and to attend homecoming. Mr. and Mrs. Don Thornton of Fort Worth visited with the group on Saturday night.

Mrs. Bill Sheppard and daughter, Ginger of Fort Worth and Bobby McCutkle, Donna and Windy of Abilene visited with Mrs. Ethel Anderson during the afternoon on Saturday. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Sowell joined her grandmother for Sunday dinner. On Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson visited with his mother.

Family and friends in the home of the Blanton Childers for the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Childers and children of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett and two children of Odessa, Arnold Childers from Brownwood, Miss Deana Kaye Childers of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Childers and boys from Cisco, Everett Wilcoxen of Hobbs, New Mexico and Roland Jones of Cross Plains stopped by on Sunday to visit with the group. Cotton Barber from Brady spent the week end visiting with Aubrey Childers.

Rev. and Mrs. Barnett Rippetoe of Dublin spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle. On Sunday the group attended the morning services at the Cottonwood Baptist Church. Late Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sprawls of Scranton visited the Wrinkles.

Mrs. Joe Long of Carlsbad, New Mexico, recently spent the week end with her brother, Bill Robinson, Mrs. Bill Robinson, Mrs. Martha Malone and Mrs. Bobby J. McCowen were in Dallas over the week end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hix Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hughes spent Thursday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hardison, Lois and Nancy in Sweetwater.

A ladies Bible study is being held at the Church of Christ on Tuesday mornings from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. They wish to extend an invitation to all the ladies of this area to join them. This study course will be held on Tuesdays only.

The business meeting of the congregation at the Cottonwood Baptist Church has been moved up to this coming Wednesday night, October 3, 1973 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting date has been moved up a week due to matters which have to be

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Breeding, Danny and Darcas, of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Plummer and Lance of Irving spent last week end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding. Joining them on Sunday for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stephenson and Cindy of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom, Larry and Lynn, Altom Tatom, Mrs. Gussie Oglesby and Mrs. Ethel Clark, all of Cross Plains.

handled immediately.

On Sunday evening the youth presented the evening services at the Baptist Church. Youth director, Scott Kniffen, took over the evening services. Dennis Kelly was song leader. Brad Waggoner made the special announcements. Tricia Davis was pianist for the young peoples choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman McInnes of Orange, California, were here visiting with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton McInnes. The couples spent several days in Arkansas this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Spencer of La Porte, visited this past week with his brother, Warren Spencer. Over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Spencer II of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Weaver and family of View visited their father and grandfather.

Mrs. George Cave attended a two-day workshop for Nursing under Texas Nursing Association, at the Hilton Inn in Abilene Friday and Saturday of last week.

PERSONAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jones of Weatherford and Mrs. Elna Horton and Mrs. Patsy Lanford of Ranger.

Visiting Mrs. L. M. last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Whitworth of Terrell, J. G. Hodges of Galveston, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fort Worth.

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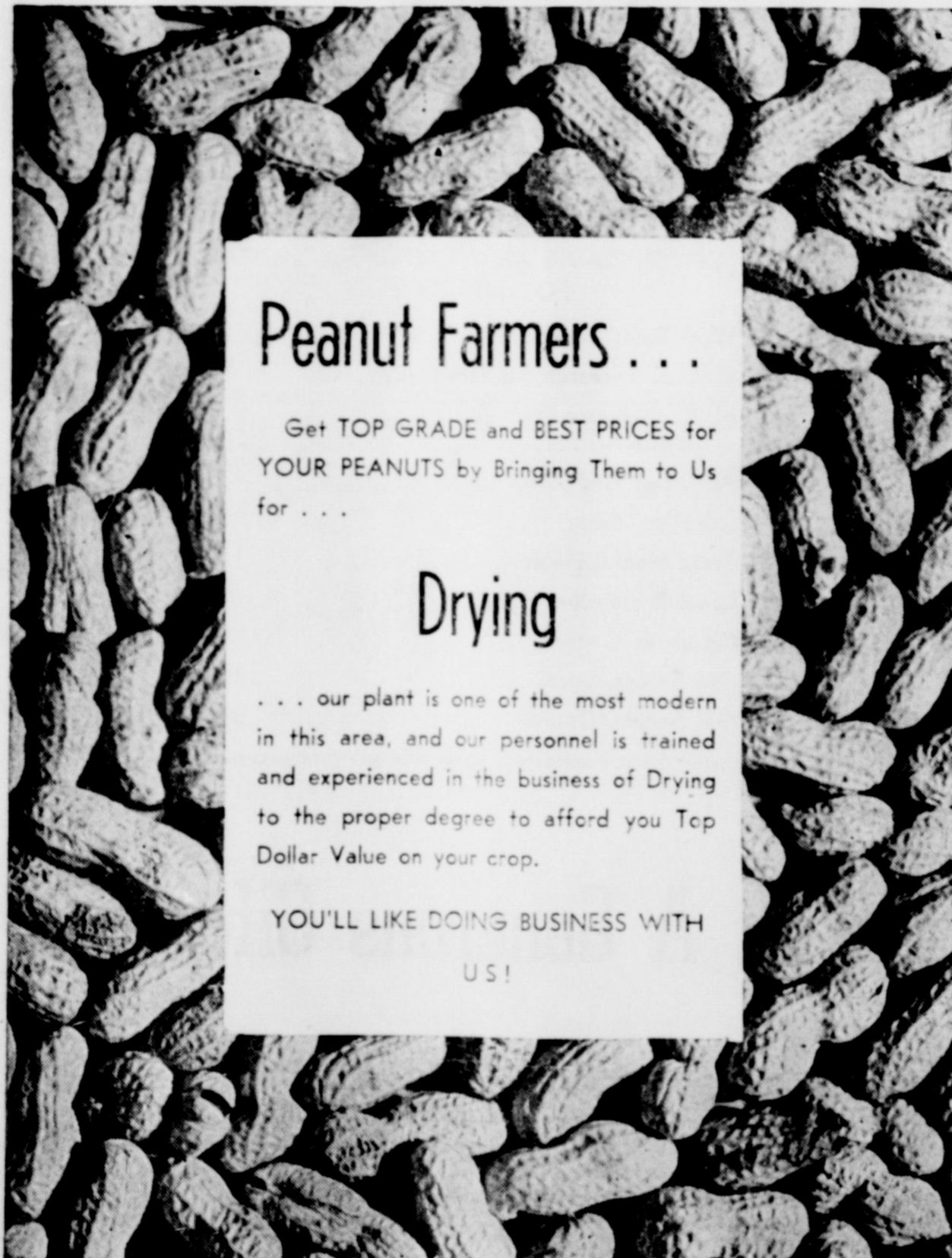
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Cross Plains Drop Homecoming Wild Game To Wildcats

Cross Plains bowled 12-8 to a fine victory over the Rising Star Wildcats in the homecoming game here last night. The game was a battle through most of the night. Two second quarter touchdowns by the Wildcats doomed the Herd. Only the first half, four by the Rising Star first came on the only Wild-

Norrell, 89, Dies At Baird

Norrell, 89-year-old member of the board and president of the Baird National Bank, died about 1 Monday at his home in Baird.

Mr. Norrell was born Jan. 8, 1884, at Cottonwood. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Norrell and was a vital part of the county throughout his life.

Mr. Norrell began his banking career in 1908 and served as president of the bank for many years. He was married to Alma Gray in 1921 at Baird. He was a member of the Baird Methodist Church and was active in civic affairs of Baird.

Mr. Norrell's survivors include his wife; one sister, Mrs. L. Kerlin of Amarillo; one brother, Pink Norrell of Abilene.

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ANNOUNCING... NEW LOCATION & OWNERSHIP

I have purchased Johnson's Barber Shop and I am now operating the business as RAY'S BARBER SHOP in that location on Main Street, across from McNeel Insurance Agency. I wish to invite all my customers to visit me in my new location, and I cordially invite all of Noah's customers to come in and give me a trial.

RAY PURVIS, Owner
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Cottonwood Cemetery Gets \$80 In Gifts

Contributions during the months of August and September to the endowment fund of the Cottonwood Historical Association have boosted the amount above the goal of \$10,000, according to a report from Mrs. Norman Coffey, secretary-treasurer of the organization.

The total of the endowment fund now stands at \$10,019.10, Mrs. Coffey stated. During the past two month period \$80 was given the fund for permanent care of the cemeteries at Cottonwood. Donors and respective amounts follow: Mr. and Mrs. Thaxton Evans \$40, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. (Bill) Robinson \$15, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilcox \$15 and Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Wilcox \$10.

Mrs. Coffey explained that although the goal has been reached, donations are still encouraged and needed, so that the interest from the endowment fund will be increased. Interest earned will be used for the maintenance of both the old and new cemeteries at Cottonwood, she pointed out. The secretary added that the Historical Association would now like to reach the amount of \$12,000 in the permanent care fund.

Donations may be mailed to Mrs. Coffey at Cottonwood Rural Station, Baird, Texas 79504.

Local 4-H Club Adds 11 Members Monday

Cross Plains 4-H Club added 11 new members at a regular meeting at the school agriculture building Monday night.

The club is now composed of 20 local youths. Next regular meeting will be held in the school's agriculture building on November 5, according to reporter John Schaefer.

Newest additions to the club are Charlotte Brown, Kim Jones, Ruth Burleson, Kathy Jones, Charles Jennings, Erwin Clark, Bill Burleson, Mike McClure, David Clark, Rhonda Montgomery and Lora Bowden. Greg Gergross, county agent, of Baird was present for the meeting and showed two films for new 4-H'ers.

Visiting with Mrs. Delma Dean the past week end were Mrs. Bob Dean and family, and Betty Haslem and Tony, all of Clyde, also Mrs. Ethel Brown and Nora Shirley of Pioneer, Vondell Kev and Mrs. Jo Condeley of Cross Plains.

CARD OF THANKS

THANK YOU, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dillard, for hosting the Class of '52 in your home. Class of '52.

CARD OF THANKS

The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us as a precious memory. Thanks for the nice food, flowers, visits, especially while he was in the hospital, and for every comforting act of kindness. The Family of Pat Shirley

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for the countless courtesies extended to us while Dorothy was in the hospital and since she has returned home. The cards, calls, letters, flowers and every expression of concern was genuinely appreciated. Our thanks also to Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Belar for seeing after our home and stock while we were gone. Heartfelt thanks again to each of you. Duke, Dorothy and Dale Mitchell.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the owners and staff of Colonial Oaks Nursing Home for the loving care given our loved one. We also want to thank the wonderful friends and neighbors for the food brought to the home and each expression of sympathy upon his passing. We genuinely appreciate the ladies of the Methodist Church for preparing and serving the dinner. Each consideration will be long and gratefully remembered. The Aiken Family

FOR SALE: Cimarron Oats, some with vetch. Paul McCowen, 725-5544. 27 ttc

FOR SALE: Farm land; dwelling; grain drill; Chev. truck; wheat seed, \$5.00 per bu.; Wanted, land preparation for grain sowing. Call (817) 725-2773. 27 ttp

RETIRED COUPLE would like to rent house with an acre or so if possible. Call 725-5031. 27 ttc

FOR SALE: F.F.T. Courtesy Pickup, 1973 custom 10 Chevrolet pickup, V-8 350 cu. in. Like new. Spare hasn't been on the ground. Good gas mileage 14.6 mi per gal. See at Bishop Chevrolet. 27 ttp

FOR SALE: Late model Long combine. Call 725-2521. 26 ttc

WANTED: Substitute dishwasher. Also want waitress on evening shift, mature school girls applications will be considered. See Dorothy Odum at Odum's Cafe. Phone 725-3911. 23 ttc

NEED A NEW HOME? Call Bowden Lumber. 13 ttc

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

To the duly qualified electors of the County of Callahan and the State of Texas, notice is hereby given that an election will be held throughout Callahan County and the State of Texas on the 6th day of November 1973, for the purpose of balloting on nine proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Texas. Said election will be held in accordance with the Texas Election Code, and polls will be open at 8 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. at each voting box in Callahan County.

Election order issued under authority of A. E. Dyer, Jr., County Judge, Callahan County, Texas. S. A. E. DYER, JR., County Judge, Callahan County, Texas. 26 ttc

Office Supplies At Review

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to so many friends who sent cards, flowers, visits and good wishes to Mary L. Williams when she was in the hospital at Brownwood. We still say the best friends in the world are in Cross Plains. Mary L. Williams and Mrs. Sam C. Barr.

CARD OF THANKS

ExStudents Homecoming Day, Saturday, September 29, 1973, will always be a very special memory for me. The great honor that I received from my former students and other fine people of this community will be long remembered with heartfelt gratitude. Bobbie and I ask that you please accept this as a word of sincere "Thanks" and deep appreciation for the wonderful gifts and for your kindness and loyal friendship.

This was indeed a pleasant surprise and we want you to know that we are truly grateful to each of you for making this such a special and happy day for us. Sincerely, O. B. and Bobbie Edmondson.

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STRAYED: Red and white, muley, striped Jersey type cow, weighs about 700 lbs. Strayed from my place near Lakewood Recreation Center. Finder please notify Eddy McCarty, 643-4387. 27 ttp

LARGE SELECTION of house plans. See at Bowden Lumber. 13 ttc

FOR SALE: Springer cows, and cows and calves. Bill Lawrence, 725-4911. 12 ttc

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

FOR SALE: Okra, fresh, irrigated, cut every day. 25c per lb. or \$6.00 per bushel. Call after 5 p.m. Phone 643-3042. 24 ttc

FOR SALE: Registered and non-registered horned Hereford bulls. Ready for light service. Phone 915 - 624-2346, call at night Leonard Flippin. See at rock house 2 miles east on FM 585. 23 ttc

WANTED: Carpentry work, painting, etc. Small jobs accepted. Call 643-3416. 11 ttc

WE HAVE ADDED new books to our trading shelf. You may trade 2 books for 1, or buy the book at reg. price up to \$1.60 for 25c. Any books, reg. price over \$1.00 is 50c. Cross Plains Discount Center. 12 ttc

WANTED: Higginbothams wants Nu-Way Stamp books. Redeem them in the dry goods, ready-to-wear, shoes, men's, hardware and lumber departments or apply on your account in the office for \$3 a book. 49 ttc

FOR SALE: Telephone poles, 18' to 30' for building barns and haysheds. Located East one mile on Hwy. 36. Call 817 - 725-2571. 6 ttc

BROWNWOOD Cattle Auction
September 26, 1973

MARKET: Buyer attendance better than last week and active. Packer cows and bulls were \$3 lower. Stocker cows and pairs were steady with last week's market and stocker & light feeder cattle were steady. Heavy feeders were dull to \$2.50 lower.

Estimated Receipts: 891
Stocker Steer Calves wts. 250-425 lbs. 56-75
Stocker Heifer Calves wts. 250-425 lbs. 54-72
Steer Yearlings wts. 500-700 lbs. 40-55
Bull Yearlings 42-50
Heifer Yearlings 45-52
Plain Feeder Steers 40-48
Plain Feeder Heifers 44-48
Cows & Calves - pair
Good 8350-8485
Plain 8250-8375
Stocker Cows 8250-8380
32-38 per lb.

Slaughter Cattle
Fat calves 40-44
Fat cows 30-34
Utility & cutter cows 28-31.50
Canners 23-28.50
Shells 22 down
Stocker bulls 40-45
Slaughter bulls 37-41
Hogs (top) none

Representative Sales
Sammy Smith, Mullin, 1485 lb. Char. Bull @ 41; Dick Bailey, Blanket, 1270 lb. Blk. Bull @ 41.50; Billy Stewart, Bwd., 305 lb. Wf. Str. @ 67.50; Charles Roark, Bwd., 420 lb. Blk. Str. @ 56.50; R. C. Lentz, May, 890 lb. Blk. Pair @ 8417.50; Wylie Oil Co., Mullin, 260 lb. Blk. Wf. Str. @ 77.50; Claude McPherson, Gustine, 405 lb. Wf. Str. @ 61; Jim Tongate, Bwd., 8 Hol. Hfrs. Avg. Wt. 685 lbs. @ 40.50; V. H. Bramlet, Rising Star, 425 lb. Char. Hfr. @ 49.75; Glenn Nichols, Mullin, 510 lb. Bl. Wf. B @ 50.25 & 515 lb. Blk. Wf. Hfr. @ 49; Isla Barrett, Comanche, 555 lb. Wf. Bull @ 51.50 & 505 lb. Blk. Wf. B @ 54.

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FOR SALE Registered Pomeranian dogs, 5 grown females, 1 grown male and 2 weaning size puppies. Call Cecil Hines, 725-4576, after 5 p.m. 27 ttp

FOR SALE: Peanut hay in the field, middle or last of this week. Paul McCowen, 725-5544. 27 ttc

PORCH SALE: Wednesday through Saturday, corner of East 8th and Apple St. 27 ttp

HAVE 45 acres to plant in winter grain for one-fourth yield. In Sabanno district. Phone 725-4303. 26 ttp

WANTED: Responsible party to take up payments on 18-month-old Singer console model sewing machine. Does all fancy stitches without attachments. Original price \$389.50. Balance \$119.86 or \$13.40 monthly. Call 725-3381. 25 ttp

HOUSE FOR SALE: 1/2 block off Main on East 7th in Cross Plains. Car port, new paint. Call 915 - 624-2181, Burkett, Texas. 26 ttp

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Rep. Nabers Named In State Who's Who

Announcement has been made by the United States Public Service that Lynn Nabers of Brownwood has been named to the 1973-74 edition of "Who's Who in Texas." This publication is filed in the Library of Congress in Washington, the Texas Archives at the state capitol, and in libraries throughout the United States.

Nabers, a native of Brown County is a member of the Day and Nabers Law Firm and serves as state representative for the 55th Legislative District, which includes Brown, Callahan and Coleman counties. He is married to the former Mary Scott, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott of Cross Plains, and the couple have two young sons.

He is a graduate of Howard Payne College and Baylor University School of Law.

Mr. and Mrs. Vargu Milner of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Ester Stafford of Ardmore, were visitors for several days last week in the home of Mrs. Lona Milner and Mrs. Glenn Williams.

Clasp envelopes at Review.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU . . .

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Mrs. B. A. Luttrell
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Billy Stroope
Mrs. Eunice Starr
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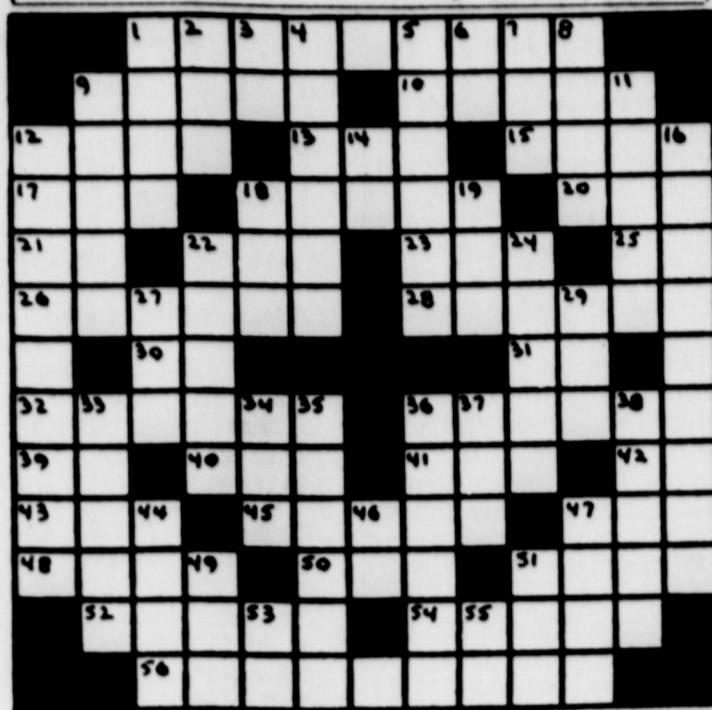
A representative of the District Social Security office in Abilene will be in Cross Plains, at the City Hall, on Thursdays, Oct. 18, Nov. 15 and Dec. 20, at 10 a.m.

A representative will be in Baird at the courthouse at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 6.

Visits will be made to Rising Star at the City Hall, 10 a.m., on Wednesdays, Oct. 17, Nov. 14 and Dec. 19.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

CROSSWORD . . . By A. C. Gordon



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| ACROSS | 48 - Male title of respect (plural) | 7 - Employ |
| 1 - Aware | 50 - Make known | 8 - Short comic play |
| 9 - Wood joint | 51 - Domestic animal | 9 - Lukewarm |
| 10 - Office furniture | 52 - To void | 11 - Closes forcibly |
| 12 - An ancient Asiatic | 54 - Figured disks | 12 - Very important |
| 13 - Anger | 56 - Eight-sided | 14 - In reference to |
| 15 - Old age (Scottish) (poetical) | DOWN | 16 - Put into form of a play |
| 17 - To uncover | 1 - To transfer | 18 - Sign of a theatrical full house |
| 18 - To address | 2 - Unit | 19 - New Zealand parrot |
| 20 - Sailor | 3 - Negative | 22 - Anchor position |
| 21 - Music note | 4 - Scurrilous marksman | 24 - Acknowledge |
| 22 - Have being | 5 - Standards of excellence | 27 - Electrically-charged atom |
| 23 - Meadow | 6 - Old English (abb.) | 29 - To freeze |
| 25 - Parent | | 33 - Jun |
| 26 - Newspaperman | | 34 - Toothed gear |
| 28 - Employment of cruelty | | 35 - Back layers |
| 30 - Either | | 36 - Exaggerate |
| 31 - Roman 1100 | | 37 - Speed |
| 32 - Loose-fitting garments | | 38 - Woodfasteners |
| 36 - Far East | | 44 - Therefore |
| 39 - Preposition | | 46 - This or that (abb.) |
| 40 - Cooking vessel | | 47 - To soothe |
| 41 - Large container for liquids | | 49 - Dry, of wine |
| 42 - Cloth | | 51 - Sleep talk |
| 43 - American Indian | | 53 - Thoroughfare (abb.) |
| 45 - Color | | 55 - Preposition |
| 47 - Girl's nickname | | |

Burkett News Column

By Lovey Nichols

Visiting the R. E. Neff family Sunday were two of her nieces, Betty Jean McKneely of Abilene and Linda McKneely of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barnes in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Bobby and Dale Porter spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Porter in San Angelo.

Darby Nichols spent Saturday night and Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bishop in Rising Star.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mel Walker last week were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gray and children of San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker of San Angelo, Charlett Walker and boys of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. William Walker of Burkett, Roger Watson, Tooter Adams, also of Burkett, L. L. Morgan of Brownwood, J. C. Boyle of Coleman, and Charlie Burkett of Cross Plains.

Our Postmaster, Freeda Burkett, attended the national meeting of the National of Postmasters last week in Dallas. She served on the geant at Arms committee vera Strickland was in of the Post Office in absence.

We were all saddened (Monday) to learn of the of Mr. Loren Crocker. He been in the V. A. Hos Big Spring for several He suffered a heart att passed away about 10 Sunday night. At this no know any of the ments.

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Congressman Omar Bureson announces approval of a \$33,372 OEO Administration and General Community Programming grant to the Central Texas Opportunity, Inc. with headquarters at Coleman, serving Callahan, Coleman, Concho, McCulloch and Runnels Counties.

The grant is effective November 1, 1973, to run for three months and will provide for the administration and management of the community action agency, job replacement services, pre-vocational and vocational training classes and needed referral and outreach services. In addition, youth councils will be organized and a community awareness of housing problems will be promoted.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barton and family of Bellville, and Mr. and Mrs. Huey Wiginton of Abilene visited Mrs. Carl Marsh during the week end.



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CPHS CLASS OF '28 IS WELL REPRESENTED

Eleven members of the Class of 1928 were represented at the recent Homecoming. They all met in the home of Lois DeBusk Garret for a short social Saturday afternoon. Those present were Brownie Baum of Odessa, Maxine Gwin Glass of Midland, Elizabeth Tyson Fomby of Fort Worth, Earl Forbes of Arp, Robbie Stephens of San Angelo, Theola Payne Neeb, Aletha Mitchell Kelly, Ressa Pierce Glover, Jackie Lane Davidson, and Lilly Mae Merryman Wilks, all of Cross Plains.

SHALLOW OIL TEST AT BAIRD IS SAID DRY

A 780 foot oil test five and one half miles northeast of Baird has been termed a dry hole.

It is H.L.M. Oil Co.'s No. 9 G. M. Slaughter, a regular field venture. It spotted 2,150 feet from the south and 2,300 feet from the wet lines of Section 7, D&DAL Survey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Williams and family of Freeport visited last week end in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Albrecht of Cottonwood.

Clasp envelopes at Review.

F.H.A. Chapter Has Dad Date Night

Cross Plains Chapter of FHA held a "Daddy Date Night" in honor of their fathers, September 7. Coffee and donuts were served.

Those attending were: Teresa Balkum, Cindy Purvis Audrey Purvis, Norma Lee, Norman Lee, Dena Nickerson, Bill Nickerson, Debbie, Allen, Edwin Schaefer, Pat Rector, J. R. Rector, Nancy Chessir, James Chessir, Tammie Stroud, Sandy Williams, Leslie Wyatt, Lester Wyatt, Teri Brown, Edith Ingram, Terry Dillard, Sharene Richardson, Donnie Dillard, Luann McConal, Mack McConal, Dot Reed, Bobra Dillard, Barbara Ingram, Kathy Kingery, H. L. Kingery, Paula Wright, Kim Tatom, Roy Neil Tatom, Wayne Ford, Scot Edington and FHA sponsor, Mrs. Betty Odom.

SOUTH BAIRD OIL PROBE IS TERMED AS DRY HOLE

Laco Oil Co.'s No. 6-D F. L. Seale Trust, a 947 foot oil venture, has been abandoned as dry hole. It was located six miles south of Baird.

The probe spotted 325 feet from the south and 6,495 feet from the east lines of J. P. Collins Survey.



Mrs. Wayne Bishop

Wed-Bishop Vows Repeated Church Here Saturday

Jo Reed and Wayne exchanged wedding vows in a double ring ceremony at First Baptist Church in Cross Plains at 4 p.m. Saturday. Officiating the rites were Rev. Curtis T. Simpson.

with headdresses of matching bows.

The couple repeated marriage vows before an arch of greenery with green and yellow bows flanked by baskets of greenery.

A three-tiered wedding cake with yellow roses and topped with a miniature bride and groom, graced the table which was covered with a cloth of white lace and held crystal appointments.

Miss Debbie Tyler of Cross Plains registered guests at the wedding. Mrs. Tom Adams of Andrews and Miss Debbie Dillard of Cross Plains served the cake to guests, and Miss Julie Tunnell of this city served the punch.

The groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner on Friday in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The bride is a 1973 graduate of Cross Plains High School. The groom is a 1972 graduate of Cross Plains, and he is employed by the 3M Corporation at Brownwood.

For a short wedding trip, the bride chose a two-piece suit of navy and white with navy accessories. Her corsage was from the bridal bouquet.

The couple will make their home in Cross Plains.

They were honored on Saturday, Sept. 22, with a bridal shower which was also held in Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

LACO SLATES OIL TEST IN WEST CALLAHAN AREA

Laco Oil Co. of Abilene will drill No. 8 A. B. Cribbs in the regular field 15 miles southeast of Abilene.

The planned 1,600-foot venture is on an 80 acre lease. It spots 1,930 feet from the south and 2,130 feet from the west lines of Section 28, BBB&C Survey.



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Rowden Area Bustles With Activity

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

This community had a share in some of the rain fall last week. About 50 of an inch was gauged at the N. V. Gibbs place.

Guests in the Jimmy West home last Tuesday night were Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Price, Mrs. Hattie West, Mrs. Ruby Berry, all of Baird were there to celebrate the 42nd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price.

Dale and Roger Gibbs of Abilene, Jimmy West and Jesse Bower visited Raymond Gibbs during the week.

Mrs. Ruby Russell is spending a few days at her place near Menard.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele and Tonya were in Clyde Sunday afternoon visiting Mrs. Opal Steele and Mr. and Mrs. John Steele and children.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence have visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson and sons during the week. The Watsons moved on their place last week. We welcome this new family to our community.

Those visiting Mrs. Ruth Boen last week were Bernice Elliott of Ballanger, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haddock and Christine Bower of Abilene.

Clara Brown returned to her home in Portales, N. Mex. after spending two weeks with Mrs. Ruth Boen and Christine Bower.

Ellen Reynolds spent Saturday night with Kim Strahan in Cross Plains.

Red West drove out Thursday night from Baird to visit a while with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West. He is feeling much better.

Visitors in the Don Harris home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Coffee and daughters of Eula and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie.

Mrs. Mae Belle Cauthen of Abilene spent Friday with Mrs. Warren Price. Other visitors in the home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Price of Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and

Roger of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited in the Lawrence Elliott home near Brownwood Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lawrence, Tye Rae and Tamara stopped by the Bill Lawrence home for a short visit before attending the Cross Plains school homecoming Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dendy of Mason spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Bob Dye and family.

Visitors of Mrs. Leila Gibbs last week were Mrs. Martha Capper and John Boen Garrett of Arlington and Ethel Eastham of Admiral and Mrs. Tony Steele and Tonya.

Guests in the Sterling Odom home for dinner and visiting Saturday were Mrs. Ivon Odom of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trevey, David and Scott Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Clyde. The two couples were at the homecoming in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crutchfield of Baird visited Mrs. Larmer Henry one day last week.

Mrs. Ruth Boen and Clara Brown visited Mrs. Bill Lawrence one day last week. Clara lived on what is now the Lawrence place when she was a young girl.

Mrs. Ruth Boen and Jesse Bower attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Nettie Gardner in Breckenridge last Tuesday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson during the week end were Lt. Col. and Mrs. R. G. Thompson of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and Annette of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ramey and Judy, also Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ramey and Kevin, all of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ramey and Candy of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ramey of Denton, and Mr. and Mrs. Pender Mitchell of Cross Plains.

Band Uniform Fund Boosted By \$360

The drive to pay for new uniforms for the Buffalo Marching Band was boosted by \$360 during the past two weeks, according to officers of the Band Booster Club, sponsoring organization.

The latest contributions came in 11 gifts.

They were listed as follows: Cross Plains Ex-Student Body \$5, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom \$10, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fortune \$25, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Tyson \$10, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paul Golson \$25, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore \$25, Mrs. Juanita Mayes \$10, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Coppinger \$10, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Balkum \$15, Mr. and Mrs. Damon Jones \$25, and Ex-Student Association \$200.

All donations of \$10 or more are posted on "Pride Boards" at two local businesses, and all donations will be acknowledged through columns of the Review. Thus far only \$2,468.79 has been received during the campaign. The booster club had \$4,091.35 on hand to begin the drive for a grand total of \$6,560.14 toward purchase of the new uniforms which cost \$8,750. Still needed is \$2,189.86. The new apparel is due for delivery in about two weeks.

Donations may be made at the Citizens State Bank.

Wednesday Rites For Lauren J. Crocker

Funeral service for Lauren J. Crocker, 67, of Coleman and former Burkett resident, will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in a Coleman chapel. He died Sunday in a Big Spring VA hospital.

Robert Bestic, Church of Christ Minister of Coleman, will officiate. Burial will be in Coleman City Cemetery.

Born Aug. 7, 1906, in Fisher County, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Crocker. He had lived in Coleman County all his life. He was a retired painter and a member of the Church of Christ. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors are three daughters, Mrs. Jeanette Miller of Hobbs, N. M., Mrs. Romelle Combs and Mrs. Sandra Sunderland, both of California; his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Crocker of Hobbs, N. M.; 11 grandchildren, one great-grandson.

School Sells Bus On \$451.50 Bid

The Chevrolet 20 passenger panel bus which the local school had up for bid was sold this week to the highest bidder, who will receive title as soon as clearance is received from the State Board of Control.

The bids, as listed by Supt. Wayne Ford, were as follows: Jimmie McCowen \$189.90, Carl Champion of Dumas \$200, Arthur Boyle \$205, Douglas Campbell \$256, and W. A. Flippen \$451.50.

COMMUNITY AND COUNTY COMMITTEE VOTE SET

ASC Community Committee election will be held on December 3, and ballots will be mailed to voters about 10 days prior to election.

Community boundaries, A through D, will again correspond to precinct lines, and according to J. C. Earp, Jr., ASCS executive director, and six nominees will be selected in each community.

County convention will be held in the courthouse at Baird at 9 a.m. Dec. 12.

LOCAL BAPTISTS CALL OFFICERS MEETING

Hadden Payne, superintendent of the Sunday School department of the First Baptist Church here has announced that a teachers and officers meeting will be held at the church Wednesday, at 6:45 p.m., followed by a called conference of the church.

All teachers, officers and other members are invited and urged to attend these meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Scott and son, Carl, of Andrews spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann, and attended the school homecoming.

UNITES ON THURSDAY FOR MOTHER OF LOCAL MAN

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams and family of this city attended the funeral services of his mother, Mrs. Ruie Chaddock in Arlington last Thursday. Mrs. Chaddock recently resided in the local nursing home, convalescing for a time.

Plead Guilt Or Face Jury Shanks Ordered

Callahan County Attorney James Paul Shanks of Baird has been ordered to either face a jury or plead guilty to charge of sodomy at his trial date which is scheduled for Tuesday, October 23.

After a radio interview with an Abilene station, Travis County District Attorney said that earlier negotiations with Shanks's lawyer were off.

Two other men arrested with Shanks on February 13 in an Austin park restroom, have had hearings. Roberto Caraveo of Austin plead no contest on September 20 and will be sentenced on October 4. He was found guilty. Donald Burke of Austin plead guilty and will be sentenced this week. Both men received five year probation sentence recommendations from Travis County District Attorney's office.

Showers Fall Over Area During Week

Cross Plains and area was dotted with showers Wednesday of last week and again on Sunday.

Cross Plains netted 63 of an inch on September 26, bringing the month's total to 3.76 inches. Aggregate for the year is 25.48 inches, according to records maintained by F. C. Newton.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Bill Payne of Dallas attended the school homecoming and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Payne last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Van Campbell of San Angelo visited in the Payne home on Sunday.

Visitors during last week end in the J. T. Beggs home were Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Beggs and Danyel of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith of Fort Worth, also Miss Susie Koenig of near Burkett and Miss Edith Ingram of Cross Plains.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore were Bessie McDaniel and Buddy of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harlow of Grand Prairie, Vi Harlow of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow of Channelview, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington of Brownwood, and Mrs. Dave Foster of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Helms of Burkett and his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Helms of Gatesville recently visited relatives in El Paso. While in that area, they did some sightseeing in Juarez, and visited the largest pecan orchard in the world near Las Cruces, N.M. En route home they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hudnall in Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox of Copperas Cove spent last week end here visiting Miss Jo Ben Cox, Mrs. Georgia Graham and Sylvia.

Soil Survey Data Is Useful In Urban Areas

What causes sidewalks to bulge and break, or brick walls to crack? Les Ethetton, District Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service at Baird, says in many cases this is due to the soils they were built on. Ethetton went on to say many people do not realize the great force a soil can exert. Many clay soils for instance spread apart and have huge cracks in dry weather, yet the same soil will run together in wet weather to become a sticky mass. This shrinking and swelling movement of the soil has the strength to damage falls, foundations, sidewalks and roads.

Ethetton stated different soils have different limitations for different uses. Some soils will absorb water quickly while others hold water tightly. A septic tank may cause many problems if it is built in a soil that releases water slowly.

In the past developers may not have paid enough attention to the soils they built on. Ethetton feels that the trend is reversing all developers, engineers, and contractors are constantly seeking information about the suitability of certain soils. Soil surveys conducted by the Soil Conservation Service point out the different soils.

The survey will show the location and suitability of certain soils for building foundations, locating septic tanks, determining the effect a soil will have on the corrosion of pipe, and will even alert builders to areas that are frequently flooded. Ethetton said contractors can use this information to alert them to problems that might result from the different soils present on the site. Often times what appears to be a defect in construction may be a result of the soil the structure was built on. With the large amount of subdividing and building present in Callahan County it is best to know the soil you build on, Ethetton says.

Ruby Dell Henry of Ranger visited Mr. and Mrs. Duke Mitchell and Dale Tuesday.

Visiting last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foster were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, Rodney and Ricky, also Mr. and Mrs. Bevelyn Foster, Tonya, Tammy, and Webb, all of Dallas, Martha Thate of Fort Worth, Mrs. Dennis Weathermon and Shawn of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Walton of Coleman.

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Tour, Conservation Director Vote Set For Tuesday

All persons interested in the management of Coastal Bermuda Grass are invited to attend a tour of the Glenn Rocky farm on Tuesday, Oct. 9. Les Ethetton, who is with the Soil Conservation Service at Baird, explained that the tour is being sponsored by the Callahan County Rural Development Committee.

The tour will assemble at the new Community Center Building in Baird at 2 p.m. on October 9.

Prior to the tour an election will be held to elect a director for the zone 5 of the Lower Clear Fork Soil and Water Con-

servation District. All voters are encouraged to attend and vote. Greg Callahan County Agent will conduct the election.

Following the election, progress will explain some fertility and pasture management programs in effect on the farm prior to the tour.

Ethetton said extensions have been kept by concerning fertility, effects the quality, protein, and the cost of production.

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