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SIXTY-SIXTH YEAR

Local Cagers Make All-District Teams

Cross Plains High School basketball players were placed on the 10-A All-District teams selected by the state last week. Three were selected from Cross Plains. The list of local players on the teams were Miss Leslie Debbie Allen, Randy Skaggs, John Waldon and Ricky Carmack all of loop champion Early. Second unit male team, composed of six players, is composed of: Allen of Cross Plains, Mike Journey of Dublin, Steve Decker of De Leon, Mike Seidenberger of Bangs and Dale Page and Terry McLean of Goldthwaite.

Those receiving unanimous approval are: Frank of Cross Plains, Jay Adams of Early, Craig Smith of De Leon, Don Keith of Dublin, Jay Rogers of Ranger and Pete Ripley of Bangs. Other team members are Terry Tate of Dublin, Thomas Hall of Goldthwaite and Larry Skaggs, John Waldon and Ricky Carmack all of loop champion Early.

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Local Bank Robbers Handed 10-Year Term

Two young Brown County men convicted February 21 of the November 19 robbery of the Citizens State Bank at Cross Plains were formally sentenced to 10 years in prison Thursday by 42nd Dist. Judge Don Lane at Baird.

Attorneys for the pair, Doyle Wayne Howe, 19, of Brownwood, and Danny Lee Wise, 20, of Brownwood, said they would decide within a few days if the verdicts will be appealed.

Meanwhile, the pair were to be taken to Brown County, where they are under indictment for conspiracy to rob the First State Bank of Bangs on the date before the Cross Plains robbery, and for theft of the vehicle they said they used as the "getaway car" in the Cross Plains robbery.

Both have been held in Callahan County Jail in lieu of \$25,000 bond each since their arrest about 15 minutes after the Cross Plains holdup.

A third young man, Kim Lee Curtis, 22, of Brownwood, also is under indictment for the alleged conspiracy to rob the Bangs bank, according to Brown County heriff Danny Neal.

2 Students Omitted From Honor Roll

Names of two honor students were inadvertently omitted from the Cross Plains school honor roll published last week in the Review.

They are Cynthia Montgomery and Keith Lawrence, both seventh graders, according to Arthur Boyle, elementary principal, who pointed out the omissions.

BAND BOOSTERS SLATE IMPORTANT MEETING

There will be a very important Band Booster Club meeting on Thursday afternoon, March 13, at 5 o'clock. All members and interested persons are urged to be present for this meeting.

Area United Fund Meets In Recent Reorganization

Officers and directors of the Cross Plains Area United Fund met recently at Citizens State Bank in a reorganization session.

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RESERVE CHAMP—Shown above is Sam Koenig of Cross Plains holding his heavy-weight Polled Hereford steer which won championship of the Junior Show at Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo recently. Shown with the 16-year-old Cross Plains High School sophomore is Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gill of Coleman who presented Koenig a trophy. The president of the local chapter, Koenig showed his steer to runner-up honors over 48 other entries. The animal, Pollie, weighed 993-

pounds and was sold at auction for \$150 per pound. Purchaser was Texas Independence Bank of Pasadena. Koenig was also a successful entrant in the calf scramble at Houston, winning a \$275 certificate to purchase a registered beef heifer of his choosing. His sponsor is A&M Pump Co. He will return the heifer he will care for under supervision of O. B. Edmondson, local vocational agriculture teacher, next year for showing in the scramble division. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Koenig.

Adult VB Tournery Set Here On March 13, 21, 22

A three-day adult volleyball tournament will be held at Cross Plains school gymnasium next week, sponsored by the Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club.

Initial action will be held on Tuesday, March 18, and remainder of play will be held on Friday and Saturday nights, March 21 and 22.

Nine women's teams and eight men's teams are entered. Admission will be 50 cents

Pioneer Cemetery Gets \$105 In Gifts

Pioneer Historical Association received \$105 in three donations during the month of February, according to a report from Mrs. Ethel Brown, secretary of the organization which supervises maintenance of the burial ground.

A \$15 contribution to the fund which provides perpetual care for the cemetery came from the children of Mrs. Della Ellis.

Two additional donations were made to the regular maintenance fund. They were reported as Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cade \$10 and the Davis-Morris Funeral Home of Brownwood \$20.

Contributions to either fund may be made by addressing checks to Mrs. Brown at Route 1, Box 147, Rising Star, Texas 76471.

Acknowledgement of all contributions will be made through columns of this newspaper on a monthly basis.

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City Council Delays Phone Company Rate Increase

No action was taken Tuesday night of last week by Cross Plains City Council on a proposed increase by Continental Telephone Co. of Texas.

Telephone company personnel met with the council last week to formally request the

rental rate increase. The company previously noted that about \$31,000 additional receipts will be required in Cross Plains. That is just over \$2,500 per month for telephone subscribers within the city limits of Cross Plains.

It was noted by Jack Scott, mayor, that the city council has no jurisdiction over the rates outside the corporate limits.

Aldermen and representatives of Continental will convene in another meeting at the City Hall on Tuesday, April 1. Scott noted that in this regular meeting of the council that Phone company officials explained that persons who have legitimate questions about local telephone service are welcome to attend the meeting.

Similar rate increases are being asked by Continental at Baird and Rising Star as well as Cross Plains. Proposed rate hikes here follow. One-party business phones would go up \$6.10 to \$19.60 per month, and two-party business phones would be increased by \$7.50 to \$18.50 from the present \$11.00 rate. Private residential lines would be raised to \$9.80 up \$2.80 from the present \$7.00. A two-party residence rental would be advanced to \$9.20, up \$2.95 from the current \$6.25. A four-party line would cost a subscriber \$7.85, an increase of \$2.85 from the present \$5.00.

It was believed that extension telephone rentals would remain at \$2.00 per outlet for businesses and \$1.50 per month per phone for residences.

It was learned here that a similar rate increase request by Continental at Clyde had been resolved. New rates there, as reportedly received here, were one-party business \$17.00 per month and two-party business \$15.00; private residence \$8.50, two-party residence phone \$7.50 and four-party residence \$6.50 per month.

New rates at Clyde are \$2.60 below requested rate here on one-party business and \$3.50 less than requested on two-party business. Settlement at Clyde also shows smaller increases in residential rental rates than sought locally. If proposed rates are granted a private residential line here would cost more than in Clyde, a two-party connection would cost \$1.35 more here than in the westside Callahan County city.

GOLF SCRAMBLE CARDED AT LAKEWOOD SUNDAY

There will be a golf scramble at Lakewood Recreation Center next Sunday beginning at 1 p.m. Everyone is invited to participate.

Clasp Envelopes at Review

No Contest In Council Vote As Deadline Passes

No contest developed for three places on the Cross Plains City Council as deadline passed last Wednesday for filing with name printed on the ballot.

There was no contest in upcoming board of trustee election for Cross Plains Independent School District as deadline for filing passed Monday of last week.

Seeking three places on the city council are, with names in order appearing on ballot, as follows: J. P. McCord, Oscar Koenig and Jimmielee Payne. The latter two are seeking reelection, and McCord, who served previously as an alderman, seeks the place vacated by incumbent Gerald Bowden who did not ask re-election.

Candidates for the school board, in order on the ballot, are R. D. Koenig and L. H. Mosley. Koenig is asking re-election while Mosley filed for the place formerly held by Lewis Fortune, incumbent who did not run again. Only two trustees are to be elected.

According to Texas Election

Pioneer Co-Op Sets Open House Friday

An open house will be held at Pioneer Farmers Co-Op all day Friday, March 14.

"We invited all area residents to come and view our facilities and have free coffee and doughnuts with us," said Franklin Cox, manager of the Co-Op.

The event, slated from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., is sponsored by Farm-land Industries, Inc. and the Co-Op., according to a display ad elsewhere in today's Review. Guests may also register for a high-lift jack which will be given away at the end of the day on Friday.

JAYCEES COMPLETE FIRST PROJECT LAST THURSDAY

Cross Plains chapter of Jaycees completed the organization's initial civic project last Thursday. It was removal of the old awning at Hornsby Electric Co. here.

The local Jaycee chapter plans other similar projects in coming weeks, and will assist in a work day at the Scout cabin on Saturday.

PEANUT COURSE SET AT PIONEER CENTER

There will be a peanut short course at the Pioneer Community Center on Monday and Tuesday, March 17 and 18, beginning at 8 p.m. There will be five extension service specialists directing the course, and all area peanut farmers and other interested persons are invited and urged to attend these lectures.

BILL CALHOON REPORTED IMPROVING AT CISCO

Bill Calhoon of Cross Plains is reported to be improving at E. L. Graham Hospital in Cisco where he was rushed 10 days ago after suffering an apparent heart attack.

Although considered improved, he is still in intensive care unit, and is expected to remain in the hospital for several more days.

Burglars Hit Local Grocery Last Friday

Burglars hit Randall's Super Market on South Main Street in Cross Plains last Friday night or early Saturday morning.

Randall Segura, owner, noted that entry was gained through the wall of the warehouse by removing tin. Front door of the business was also damaged as the burglars apparently tried unsuccessfully to enter there.

Segura estimated his loss at \$150 or more including 20 to 40 cartons of cigarettes, \$30 to \$40 in change in the cash register and other merchandise.

The break-in is being investigated by the Callahan County Sheriff's Department and Cross Plains police.

MRS. JIM BENNETT SAID IMPROVED AT HOSPITAL

Mrs. Jim Bennett of Cross Plains is reported to be improved in E. L. Graham Hospital at Cisco. She was taken there several days ago after being found at her home here semi-conscious.

Mrs Sterling Odom To Show Can Art

Mrs. Sterling Odom of the Rowden community will be in Cisco on Thursday, March 13, as a guest of the Cisco Garden Club. During the club's meeting Mrs. Odom will demonstrate her "tin can art" for the program on "Contrived Containers".

The Rowden lady also will demonstrate her hobby for the Baird 48 Study Club on Monday, March 17, in meeting in the home of Mrs. Bruce Williams in Baird.

ALL-SPORTS BANQUET SET FOR SATURDAY, MAY 3

The all-sport banquet, sponsored by Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club, to honor all local high school athletes has been set for Saturday, May 3.

Guests will include Bill Hicks, Baylor University defensive line coach, and Aubrey Shoats, Baylor, All-American center.

Guests in the home of Mrs. R. C. (Ethel) Brown last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. (Bob) Hodnett of Rising Star, and Mr. and Mrs. Louie Madison of Odessa.

Buff Randy Hunter Top Athlete At Bangs Meet

Cross Plains Buffaloes finished in seventh place at the Dragon Relays at Bangs last Saturday, but furnished the top male athlete of the meet.

He is Randy Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunter of near Burkett. The local senior was named the outstanding boy sprinter of the meet and the outstanding boy athlete of the event. He received a trophy for each top designation.

In gaining the recognition the Buffalo speedster recorded two first place finishes and ran on the Herd's 440-relay team. Hunter copped blue ribbons in the 100-yard dash in a time of 10.4 seconds and in the 220-yard dash in which he clocked in 23.9 seconds.

He also ran a leg on the 440-yard sprint relay team which placed fourth in a time of 46.4 seconds. Other than Hunter members of the team are Rex Beggs, Randall Franke and Greg Turner.

The Herd tallied 37 points in the meet. Others adding to the

point total follow. Ken Hunter ran fifth in the 220-yard dash in a time of 25 seconds.

Turner finished fourth in the 440-yard dash, and was clocked in 56 seconds.

Carl Thomas took sixth place in the pole vault at a height of 10 feet.

The mile relay team, composed of Troy Meiron, Jimmy Crawford, Bubba McConal and Turner, claimed sixth place.

Head Coach Sam McBrierty said that he was disappointed in some of the times the Buffaloes recorded, but added that the track was slow and some of the races were run into the wind. "We are not yet at full strength, and some of the athletes are being changed to different events to try to find the best spot for each," the coach said.

Buffaloes will go to Brownwood Saturday to compete in the Bluebonnet Relays. "We look forward to having a good meet Saturday," McBrierty said.

Burkett Neighborhood News

By Mrs. Joe C. Golson

I've got hogs on the mind. Now when I say hogs, I actually mean a certain type of hog. I am literally nuts about Hampshire brood sows, and when birthing time comes, that is right up my alley. I was taught about the birth of pigs by two men that I think most highly of, my husband, Joe, and Bill Riley the agriculture teacher at Novice, who is at this time with the Santa Anna schools.

When our sons were in high school, they had a Hampshire sow given to them by the Sears Foundation, and the day Mr. Riley brought her home to us was an exciting day. The whole family was at the pen to greet her and from that day on "Mama" was part of our family. She was a beautiful thing to see, her body stood high off the ground; the neck was just right; there was little waste around her jowl. She had a high arch to her back and she had long frame. "Mama" as we called her, was gentle as a kitten. We could pet her like she was a puppy, and she loved for you to rub her behind the ears and scratch her belly.

Mr. Riley said the judges of the time were looking for show pigs that had the round full hams and that a boar would have to be found that would throw full hams to "Mama's" pigs. The rounds of the area were made and one was found by Mr. Riley at Trent.

As we were checking off the days on the calendar, we were busy building a shelter for "Mama" to give birth to her pigs. It had to be rather large as this was to be her home until the little ones were about two months old. We enclosed three sides of the shelter and on the fourth side enclosed about one third the way up. On the inside stood a rail pen made of pipe, in fact they were side-boards of a pickup. The fresh cool sand was hauled and put in the shed and about three loads were piled up outside for filling in when needed.

Now "Mama" was bred for July pigs and the summer was so very hot so water holes were not made but the ground was wet down several times to cool her. She was cooled by starting slowly with the feet and working up the legs and her belly and sides, being careful not to get water on her back while she was hot as this would kill her.

About a week before "Mama" was expected to deliver she was put into the farrowing shed and was watched and checked. Then at first sign of milk she was put into the pen in the center of the shed. Electric lights were run into the shed and "Mama" had a window fan hung from the top to blow on the wet sand. Her pen was spotless at all times and she was kept clean.

The alarm clock was set and every two hours the trip was made to "Mama's" pen to see how she was doing. If the signs were go, Bill Riley was called as "Mama" always had her pigs backwards and they were half grown when they hit the ground. It was long between pigs and "Mama" had to have shots to rush her up. Mr. Riley would get out of bed and help us deliver. It didn't matter that he was to teach the next day. He would stay with "Mama" as long as we needed him, as we almost lost her at one birthing, and did not want to come that close again.

When the baby pigs were

born they were cleaned and put with "Mama" for a little while then put to the side until all the pigs were born. "Mama" was then given antibiotics and her pigs put with her. Coffee was made and as the men and boys drank, they talked of the body structure of the pigs.

"Mama" never had a pig to win the county show but her off-spring won as high as second in their class. One never placed under ninth, and in with 200 head that is not bad. I loved every second I spent in F.F.A. with our sons, and I must say I miss the thrill of the show ring. Yes, I miss "Mama" also. Many a day I'd make the trip to her shed and spend part of the day. I would take a book along and read and watch her pigs. You see "Mama's" pen was cooler and much quieter than my house where teenage boys were running around playing loud music. "Mama's" pen was my retreat and she never seemed to mind me being there. All that is left of those days are the films and ribbons of the shows, but every once in a while we get them out and relive the show-ring days.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanly Sortland of Anchorage, Alaska, are visiting in the Cross Plains area. Mrs. Jo Davee and Mrs. Lois Garrett brought Mrs. Sortland by the store to sit a spell. I understand the Sortlands visited Mrs. O. K. Angeley, the Bill Davees, the Garretts and the Hap Beardens as well as others during their stay in the great old State of Texas. Now I know that Mr. Garrett is a golf widower, and that Bill has to run to keep up with Jo Davee. I wonder what sport Mrs. Sortland is interested in that keeps Mr. Sortland hopping. Have a nice trip home, and say did you take out a subscription to the Cross Plains Review before you went home? Better so you will be able to keep up with your friends in Cross Plains.

Mr. Joe Hanke, I heard you had a special day the first of March, so here goes. Happy Birthday to you. There was a big birthday dinner at the home and Joe Jr. was there with Eralee, Paula Kay and John. Have many more Joe, and my wish for you is health.

I am glad that so many enjoyed the golf gag that I wrote about last week, thank you. I didn't have much time to work on the news last week and it wasn't as well prepared as it could have been. Some times I have to think them up write then type them in just four hours, and it takes all week to put out a good report. I'm sorry but my time has not been my own here of late.

Jack Boyle had a few friends in to play dominoes March 4, and had a big pot of chili cooked. Those taking part were L. L. Morgan of Brownwood, Jack DeZusk, Jack Boyle and Tootter Adams, all of Burkett.

Bevo Webbs' sisters were in the store the other day. Mrs. Zora May Baum of Cross Plains and Mrs. A. B. Rowan of Fort Worth. Mrs. Baum thank you for your nice words of the Burkett news.

Mr. E. B. (Sweetie) Webb, our friend of Webbville, passed away and was laid to rest in the Burkett Cemetery. We in Burkett will miss Sweetie, and we offer our condolence to the Webb family in their loss. The Webb family goes back a long time in this area and everyone will feel the loss.

J. Scott Henderson visited his father, Johnny, on Wednesday. Scott lives in Houston and he

was on a business trip to Fort Worth promoting the sale of Simmental cattle. He said the grand champion of the Houston Stock Show was a Simmental Cross, also the Grand Champion of the San Antonio Stock Show. The calves were the same family out of the same bull. Johnny and Scott were visiting around Burkett while they were catching up on talking to one another.

Lou Brown tells us how you get Dub to dig out your flower beds, I'm sure all the ladies would like to know.

Jo Davee peddled her bike up to the store to have the tires checked last Wednesday. Several of the ladies are getting their bikes out of winter storage and riding them during the Indian summer days.

I would like to say hello to Tonya Johnson, and her family. Tonya fell from the car about a month ago and spent several days in an Abilene hospital. She is at home at this time, but will be in a cast for several weeks. Lots of love to this family. The Lowell Johnsons live over Oplin way, and we have been friends for years, and we think of them often, and wish a speedy recovery for their little daughter.

Kathryn Cravens is a very lovely lady and a friend of mine, and I am very honored at being able to say friend. Kathryn understands me as we are born under the same sign. We are both Scorpio. Later I will do a story on her life, but it will be my own and in my way of thinking. Kathryn thank you for the gift novel (The Pursuit of Gentlemen). It is with honesty I say I am very proud to have known you and be able to say you are my friend.

I would like to welcome the Andrew Walker family to the Burkett community. They have moved into the Walker home place. I hope you will be very happy living among home folks here at Burkett.

Mrs. Margaret Young visited the store Wednesday. She had with her Andy and Roy, her sons. They had all been to the Webb services.

Mrs. Ben Porter and Bonnie (Porter) Illingworth and Cindy visited the store Friday afternoon. They were in Burkett visiting kinfolk, and Bonnie dropped by to see Jo as they were classmates in the Burkett school back in the '40's. We all enjoyed talking with one another and I just happened to have pictures of our grandchildren, Bonnie and her family live at Tyler, and her husband is a driller for an oil company.

Mrs. Elbert Jennings' sister, Gladys, and a nephew, Buel Chanler of Stamford visited in the Jennings home over the week end of the 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson visited several towns on a long outing the week end of the first. They motored over to Fort Worth, Dallas, Denton, Clifton, Argyle, and Richardson. In Clifton they were joined by their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Golden and attended the Bill Meadows Honor Reception that was held in Argyle. Mr. Meadows was substitute rural mail carrier for 50 years and the party was in his honor. The Johnson's other daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jo Greenbauer of Richardson joined them at the party.



J. P. SEMINAR—Four Justices of the Peace from Callahan County were among the more than 75 judges participated in a 26-hour basic Texas Justice of the Peace Training Center seminar conducted February 18-21 in Arlington. Judges from Region VIII participating included Judge L. F. Mitchell of Precinct 6, Cross Plains; Judge Garvin Jones of Precinct 1, Place 1, Baird.

Judge Lee Savell of Precinct 5, Place 1, Clyde, and Judge Walter Francisco of Precinct 8, Putnam. The training center is headquartered on the Southwest Texas State University campus, where part of the seminar sessions are held. The training program is funded through the Governor's Office - Criminal Justice Division. There is no charge to the participating counties.

Marie Bryson Buried At Pioneer Sunday

Marie T. Bryson, 86, of Big Spring, formerly of Pioneer and Cross Plains, died at 9:10 a.m. Saturday in an Abilene hospital after a long illness.

Funeral was held from Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in

The Johnsons had a ball, seeing friends that they had not seen in years. It was just like a big family reunion she said with just a little catch in her voice. The Johnsons lived in Argyle around 15 years, before moving to the Cross Plains area. Saturday morning all motored over to Richardson for lunch at the Greenbauer home; then back home Sunday, but full of warm memories they shall never forget.

I would like to say "Hi" down in Clifton to the Greenbauers. I met them at the Burkett supper. They enjoy the Cross Plains paper so much that I think we should all say Hi.

Cora Lee Herring is at this time in the Santa Anna hospital. We wish you a speedy recovery and hurry home girl.

MAN KNOWN LOCALLY REPORTED QUITE ILL

Guests in the Ben Atwood home here last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson, Mrs. Vanda Harris and Blandye, all of Abilene, and Mrs. Ethel Anderson of this community. Also Mrs. Atwood's brother Biggs Irvin, of Fort Worth visited on Sunday.

Another brother, Oris Irvin of Anson is still in the hospital at Wichita Falls and expects to undergo surgery soon. His condition is considered quite serious.

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E. F. Norton of Clyde was in Cross Plains on business on Thursday of last week.

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MRS. JOHN ADAIR AFTER HOSPITAL
Mrs. John Adair is home here Monday week after spending several weeks in the hospital going surgery. She is going improving.

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Pork Chops SWIFT TEND-R-LEAN, WAFER THIN, PER LB. ... \$1.19	Pork Steak SWIFT TEND-R-LEAN, SEMI-BONELESS, PER LB. 89c	
PORK, Armour, excellent for seasoning, per lb. 69c	HOT LINKS, Gooch Blue Ribbon, per pound 79c	BACON, Swift Premium, 12 oz. pkg., each 99c
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Mighty Mites Claim 6th At Santa Anna

Tracksters at Cross Plains Junior High School captured sixth place in a field of 22 teams at a track meet at Santa Anna last Friday. It was the initial competition for the Mighty Mites this season.

Timmy Dillard won first place in the 60-yard dash in a time of 7.3 seconds. He also took third place in the 100-yard dash in 11.8 seconds.

Jack Neeb also garnered a blue ribbon in the 440-yard dash with a clocking of 56.1 seconds.

Mite 440-yard delay was second in 50.3 seconds. The quartet is composed of Timmy Dillard, Randy Dillard, Glynn Nickerson and Jack Neeb.

Nickerson was sixth in the broad jump with a leap of 15-feet, 8-inches.

Greg Pancake tied for sixth place in the high jump clearing 5-feet, 2-inches.

Only local junior high school girl to place was Miss Kim James who placed fourth in the 880-yard run. Her time was 2:57.0.

Both boys and girls teams will participate in a meet at Bangs Friday.

Mrs. Ralph Richards of Strawn visited here with Mrs. Addie Brumfield last week. Wednesday through Friday. On Thursday other guests were Mrs. Joe Halifax and Mrs. Harry Harwick of Odessa.

Deadline for news 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

GAME NIGHT TUESDAY AT LAKEWOOD CENTER

Game night has been scheduled for Tuesday, March 18, at Lakewood Recreation Center. Table games of all types will be played beginning at 7 p.m. at the club house.

Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. E. L. Gaines and Mrs. Cecil Joyce.

Local Track Girls Score In Bangs Meet

Girls track team at Cross Plains High School tallied 21 points in only the second meet for the unit at Bangs last week end.

The feminine track program was re-instated at the local school this year after an absence of several seasons. Joe Coppinger is the coach.

Highest local finisher at Bangs was Dena Nickerson who took second place in the 440-yard dash in 68.9 seconds. Melissa Pancake was third in the same event and was timed in 69.6 seconds.

Teresa Merrill took fourth in the discus with a throw of 75-feet, 3 1/2-inches, and she was fifth in the shot put with a distance of 25-feet, 10-inches.

Linda Carouth finished sixth in the 60-yard dash. She was clocked in 7.9 seconds. A week earlier at Santa Anna, Miss Carouth won a medal in a third place finish in 7.7 seconds, in the same event.

Local girls will vie in a meet at Rising Star on April 5, and will participate in the District 10-A meet at Brownwood on April 17.

Ronald Pope Member Of TSU Judging Team

The Tarleton State University Senior Livestock Judging Team placed second in the Houston Livestock and Rodeo Intercollegiate Judging Contest recently.

The team is composed of six members. Included is Ronald Pope, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope of Atwell. The former Cross Plains High School student is a junior animal science major at the Stephenville university. He is also a member of Alpha Chi.

Another member of the fine judging team is Ricky Vestal of Baird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vestal, Baird vocational agriculture instructor and Cross Plains native.

The senior team placed first in sheep judging, third in quarterhorse, fourth in cattle and fifth in swine.

Other team members are Jay Davis of Coleman, Gary Wilson of Mozelle, Wayne Eaton of Abilene and Freddy Zenner of Fredericksburg.

Stanley Westbrook, assistant professor of agriculture at TSU and team judge, reported 16 teams from 10 states participated in the contest.

Otto Martin Honored On 80th Birth Date

Otto Martin was honored with a dinner and celebration last Sunday in observance of his 80th birthday. The event was held at the home of he and his wife here. It was noted that his birthday is actually March 8 but the celebration was held the following day.

Hosts for the event were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin, all of Austin, sons of the local couple.

Relatives and friends attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin and Mr. and Mrs. James Clyde Martin and Teresa of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Don Martin, Bruce and Burt, and Ronnie Holman, Lynn, Mikie, Denise and Veronica, of Houston; Walter Martin, Jr., of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Ross, Russel and Steve, of Amarillo; Juanita Martin Mr. and Mrs. Jack Salmon and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Rod Waggoner and baby of Abilene; Mrs. Lyda Harris of Burkett; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Renfro and Sammie Renfro and son, Gene, of Roscoe; Mr. and Mrs. Arvie Martin of Bangs; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neff of Tuscola; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Prescott of Trent; Mr. and Mrs. Herman McDaniel of Colorado City; Rex McDaniel of Loraine and the following from Cross Plains, Mrs. Isabell Koenig, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Key, Mrs. Edith Holman, Mrs. Callie Swafford and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kincheloe and daughter spent last week end here with his mother, Mrs. Lena Kincheloe, and her parents near Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burkett.

Office Supplies at Review

Sabanno Sector News

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Our fruit trees are all so pretty, almost in full bloom. We are all hoping the freeze will not happen. The old saying is "Thunder in February means frost in April." So we have some time to go yet. But this is a pretty true saying. Several have planted gardens, such as onions, potatoes, carrots and spinach. So let's hope we'll not have any more freezing weather.

The Busy Bee Club met this past week. Those attending were: Mrs. Gus Brandon, Mrs. Truet Dawkins, Mrs. Wes Holcomb, Mrs. O. B. Switzer, Mrs. Lillie Williams, Mrs. J. L. King and Mrs. Edwin Erwin. Several members were out due to illness. We like having visitors.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer and sister Mrs. Mary Bates, of Cross Plains attended the funeral of H. B. Harding at Stevens Funeral Chapel in Coleman Sunday afternoon. Mr. Harding was father of Mrs. Winfred Switzer. Burial was in the Gouldbusk Cemetery. Mrs. Winfrey Switzer is known in our community. We extend our deepest sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, visited with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Livingston, and with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark and Shane in Gustine recently.

Capt. and Mrs. Rick Terrell of Austin spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wordis Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arze Green visited Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer Friday night.

Troy Watson is still improving. He is able to be up and around and enjoys having visitors and their children who come home. Visiting with them Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lee of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Watson and son and Mrs. Albert Kanady and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Watson.

Identical twins girls were born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norred Feb. 16 in Chatsworth, Calif. Their names are Carrie Christine and Stacey Machele and are the great-granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon. Is Gus ever proud of those twins.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Thompson and son of Eastland were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King Saturday. Mr. King is slowly improving from a sick spell sometime ago. He is able to be up and doing around. They visited with his sister, Mrs. L. M. Barron at the Cisco Rest Home Friday afternoon. Mrs. Barron has a host of friends here who think of her.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cox, Johnnie Kay and Roby of De Leon, were Saturday evening supper guests with their mother, Mrs. Lillie Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb were Sunday night supper guest with their daughter, Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Earl Johnston and Jami of Garland spent last week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Norris and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnston.

Cottonwood Area News

By Mrs. Wayne Brown

It is cloudy and cold outside this Monday morning. The fruit and oak trees are budding and in bloom and fields are turning green from our spring-like temperatures these past several weeks. On Sunday it was cold, drizzly and overcast during the morning, with sunny and blowing dust in the late afternoon. Last year in April we received an ice and sleet storm which damaged the fruit.

Mrs. Charles Waggoner left Sunday morning for Cushing to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Brown. Mr. Owen was taken to the hospital early

Sunday after becoming suddenly ill. He regained consciousness later in the day, however his exact condition is not known at this time.

Relatives and friends at Mrs. Ethel Andersons' this week end were Jack Watson, Todd and Guy of Abilene, Biggs Irvin of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Connell of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Holcomb of Sabanno, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Goble, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson, Vanda and Blandye Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Sowell and Matt, and Mrs. Rodney Renfro and Carrie. On Saturday the Atwoods, Darwin Andersons and Ethel visited with Rodney.

Mrs. Earline Wilson of Irving spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burl Hughes. On Sunday the trio visited in Ranger with Mr. and Mrs. John Sevir and family. Other visitors in that home were John Willeford, Henry Willeford and son of Arkansas, Johnny Willeford of Poenix, Ariz., and Carolyn Hughes of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson were in Abilene last Thursday visiting with Mrs. Martha Malone and Mrs. Vivian McCowen. Tina and Ronald. On Sunday Martha and Tina were here to visit the Robinsons.

Last week end Mr. and Mrs. Dayton McInnis were in Mascov visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burst, Michael, Kacy and Amy. Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. David McInnis of Colorado City visited the Dayton McInneses. They had been to the tractor show in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Champion and Deena of Colorado City, Debra Champion and Phillip Lemmons of Lubbock, visited with Mrs. Alice Champion during the week end. On Saturday the family went to Comanche where they had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnett.

CONCERNED CITIZENS SET MEETING AT RISING STAR

The Concerned Citizens of Texas will hold a meeting next Thursday at 3:30 p.m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank of Rising Star. All members and interested persons are invited and urged to attend this very important meeting, a spokesman for the organization stated.

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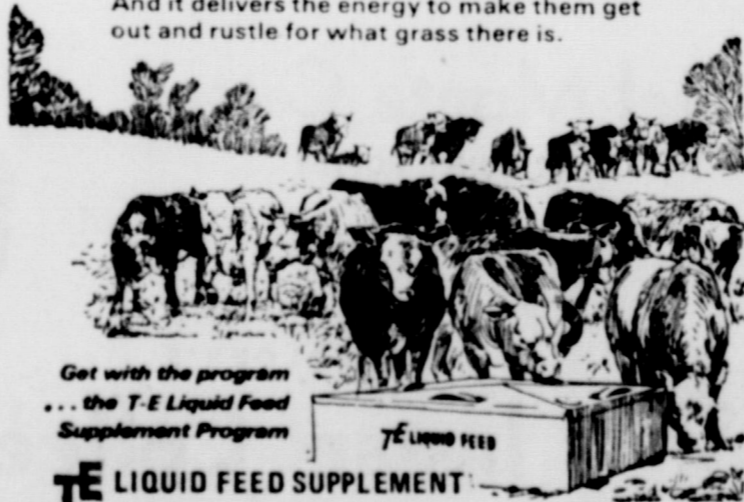
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Saturday, March 15, work day at the Scout Cross Plains. Work is to begin at 9 a.m. The poles are at the end of the project and it is hoped that the cabin will be put up Saturday. Scouts Jaycees are slated for about 40 Scouts and parents from Abilene are expected to be here in the construction. The cabin in Cross Plains and have never built a cabin and are interested in being invited to help. Cub Scout leaders will be present and refreshments. A-frame chain saws, axes and lots

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Rowden Area News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

March is slipping by so fast with a variety of weather, but Sunday reverted back to its usual bad weather. We had a touch of rain, cloudy, from cold to hot and ending in sun shine. Fresh plowed fields are ready for early planting and grain fields have taken on the new look of spring.

Don't forget that Saturday night is family night at the community center. Bring your supper and enjoy eating with your neighbors and friends. 7 p.m. is the time.

Bea Jackson of Cross Plains spent Friday night with Ellen Reynolds.

Ned McDonald of Cross Plains visited his father, Jerry McDonald during the week.

Mrs. Gillis Graham of Cameron visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson and sons last week end.

Jerry Holloway of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bell.

Janet Reynolds accompanied Janna Higginbottom and her mother to Abilene Saturday. The occasion being Janna's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence were in Abilene last Thursday visiting the Glenn Lawrence family.

Those visiting in the Warren Price home during the week were Dale Gibbs of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Smedley of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Price of Cottonwood.

Helen Bates of Abilene and her two friends, Teeny Escano and Myrna Terdigion of the Philippines who are taking nursing training at Hendrick Hospital visited Ralph Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting Mrs. Ray Boen during the week and Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thorn-

ton and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Starnes of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Starnes were en route home from visiting her mother and sisters, Mrs. Anny Miller, Mrs. Martha Kapper and Mrs. Ray Nell Bloomberg and family over the week end in the Fort Worth area.

Those from here attending the Tractor Pull in Fort Worth over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Nickey, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and Ivon Odum.

Terrel, Troy and Tonya Harris spent the week end in Baird with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Duke McIntosh.

The Tony Steele family were in Clyde Sunday visiting in the John Steele home.

Mrs. Ray Boen visited Mrs. Alton Hornsby in Cross Plains last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie were in Abilene Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dye and baby daughter, Lori Ann.

The James Reynolds family visited the Robert Watson family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. Pat Morgan in Cross Plains Wednesday afternoon.

Burkett Supper Set Saturday At Center

The Burkett community supper has been scheduled for Saturday, March 15, at the Community Center in Burkett. Visitors and all Burkett area residents are invited.

Serving will begin at 7:30 p.m., and persons attending are being asked to bring a salad and sweet or a vegetable and a meat.

Burkett Playboys will be on hand to furnish entertainment.

Members of the committee are Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter (Tooter) Adams, Mrs. Freeda Burkett and Mrs. Lillian Brown.

GARDEN CLUB CARDS MEETING ON FRIDAY

Cross Plains Garden Club will meet Friday, March 14, at 10 a.m. at the Garden Center for an all-day session.

"A Time for Direction" is the title for the flower show workshop.

Hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. Glenn Payne, Mrs. Joe McWilliams and Mrs. Leo Franke.

KELLIE ROGERS HOME FROM HOSPITAL STAY

Kellie Anne Rogers has returned to her home here after spending six weeks in the Scotts Rite Crippled Children's Hospital in Dallas.

She underwent a closed reduction on her left hip and was immobilized in a body cast which will remain on her for six months. She is reported to be doing fine.

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We want to thank our friends and every one for their kindness since Mr. Smith got sick. We thank those who visited him in the hospital, for the telephone calls, the evangelical Methodist Church for the lovely flowers. And above all for your prayers. We hope and pray that if you ever get sick there will be some one praying for you. Thanks. Mrs. Wm. M. Smith & Jean Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smith Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith Robert Smith and families

THANK YOU NOTE

We wish to thank everyone for the many words of sympathy for the beautiful floral and bountiful food offerings in the loss of our dear husband and father. Mrs. Clint Forter, Carlos, Charles and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who helped us so much during the recent loss of our loved one. For the flowers, cards, visits, food and for every kindness shown, we are deeply grateful. The Alton Lancaster family

CARD OF THANKS

There is no way we can express to all our wonderful friends in Cross Plains our appreciation for your concern during Leoda's stay in the hospital and since returning home. Your cards, letters, flowers and words of concern are appreciated more than you will ever know. A great big "thank you" goes to each and every one of you for your thoughtfulness. May God bless each of you is our prayer. John and Leoda Adair

Style Show Carded For PTO Thursday

A Spring style show will be presented at the Cross Plains Parent Teacher Organization meeting on Thursday, March 13, in the high school auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

Young ladies in the Future Homemakers of America chapter, the local 4-H Club and women of the organization will participate. Fashions shown will be from Johnson's Dry Goods, Cross Plains Discount Center, Higginbothams, and also garments designed and made by some of the young ladies.

A display presentation by the Cross Plains Girl Scouts will be on exhibit in the lobby. The public is cordially invited to attend a preview of the Spring designs at the style show.

School Lunch Menu

The following menus will be served at the cafeteria at Cross Plains schools during the ensuing week.

Wednesday: meat and rice, French fries, coleslaw, caramel raisin pudding, hot rolls, milk

Thursday: steak fingers and gravy, mashed potatoes, green peas, fruit salad, hot rolls, milk

Friday: chili burgers, potato chips, chuck wagon beans, pickles, banana pudding

Monday: ham and potatoes, carrot stick, green beans, apple sauce, rolls, milk

Tuesday: tamales and beans, spinach, cornbread, apple cobbler, milk

HIRAM FOSTER PATIENT IN ABILENE HOSPITAL

Hiram Foster was taken back to the West Texas Medical Center last week end for further tests and treatment. His condition was not believed to be critical and his family expected to bring him home in a few days.

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MARCH 19

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2 WCTCOG JOBS OPEN IN AGING PROGRAMS

Person in this area are advised that applications are being accepted until March 12 for two job openings with West Central Texas Council of Governments aging programs.

The openings are for aging program specialist and aging planning specialist. Additional information and applications may be obtained from the WCTCOG at Box 3195, Abilene, Texas 79604.

DEEP WILDCAT TEST SET IN EAST PUTNAM AREA

Producing Zones Co. of Dallas has planned a 4,000-foot wildcat venture as Isenhower Properties 2-3. The test is located two and one-half miles east of Putnam on a 320 acre lease in Callahan County.

It spots 1,730 feet from the north line and 2,190 feet from the most westerly east line of Section 3, GC&SF Survey.

SOUTHWEST PUTNAM AREA GAINS 2 FIELD PROBES

J. K. West of Clyde has staked two regular field locations four miles southwest of Putnam on the Henry Fry lease.

Both are slated for 850 feet. No. 4-C Fry will be drilled 450 feet from the south and east lines of Section 27, D-DA Survey.

Site for No. 5-D Fry is 2,190 feet from the south and 750 feet from the west lines of Section 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Koenig were in Eastland Tuesday of last week where she checked with her physician. En route home they stopped in Cisco and visited with the Rev. Ross Grace, former Methodist pastor at Burkett.

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At Burkett For E. B. Webb, 64

Funeral service was held last evening from a Coleman home for E. B. Webb, a prominent longtime Burkett area rancher.

Mr. Webb died Tuesday morning of last week in a Coleman hospital for an extended illness.

The Rev. Loyd Hagemeyer, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains officiated. Burial was in Burkett Cemetery.

Born Aug. 24, 1910, in Pioneer, Mr. Webb moved to Coleman County in 1924. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Jacqueline Ann Mackey of Abilene; a son, Early Wayne of Burkett; two sisters, Mrs. A. B. Rowan of Fort Worth and Mrs. Zora Mae Baum of Cross Plains; three brothers, Wesley of Cisco, O. W. of Burkett and Tomny of Quitman; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Tommy Winfrey, Ricky Adams, Jack Knox, Jim Moore, Buddy Mayes and Richard Stephens.

Miss Susan McNeel, student at Tarleton State University, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McNeel, Jr., here last week end.

Monday evening at 5 o'clock is deadline for advertising.

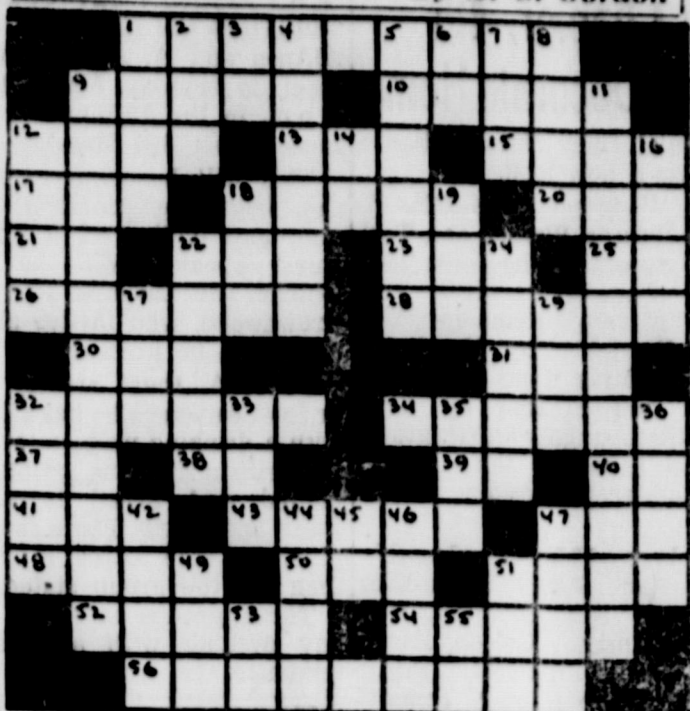
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 - 31 - Make for easier operation
 - 32 - Waterways
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 - 39 - Illumination
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 - 19 - Declare
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 - 36 - Encourage
 - 42 - To fasten
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 - 45 - Germanium (chem.)
 - 46 - ... while
 - 47 - Oh, the pity of it!
 - 49 - Depressed
 - 51 - Mrs. Swan
 - 53 - Roman 999
 - 55 - Italian river

Green-Lusk Vows Set In Louisiana In July



Miss Jenna Marie Green

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Green of San Antonio are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jenna Marie, to Sgt. Michael Lusk of Lackland Air Force Base at San Antonio.

Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk of Cisco, former longtime resident of the Cross Plains-Sabanno communities.

The couple plan to be married in a Baptist Church in Lafayette, La., on July 19.

The bride-elect is a graduate of John Jay High School at San Antonio.

A 1969 graduate of Cross Plains High School, Sgt. Lusk has served with the U. S. Air Force for four years.

SHALLOW OIL VENTURE STAKED NEAR PUTNAM

J. K. West of Clyde staked No. 1 C. V. Brown in Eastland County Regular Field.

The planned 500-foot venture is located eight miles northeast of Putnam on an 80 acre lease. Drillsite is 450 feet from the south and east lines of Section 3178, TE&L Survey.

SITE AMENDED ON OIL TEST NORTH OF BAIRD

Lewis Production Inc. of Abilene has amended the location of its No. 2 Snyder Mineral Trust, four miles north of Baird in the Red Horse (Lower Lake Sand) Field.

The planned 4-200-foot venture now spots 660 feet from the south and west lines of Section 140, BBB&C Survey.

1,450-FOOT WILDCAT TEST SLATED SOUTH OF BAIRD

JLH Corp. of Abilene will drill No. 1 Billie Henry at a proposed 1,450-foot wildcat in Callahan County.

Location is 12 miles south of Baird on a 147 acre lease.

It spots 330 feet from the north and 950 feet from the east lines of George Hancock Survey 339.

To report fire in Cross Plains Call 725-6234.

Review Advertising Pays.

Rising Star Sailor Starts Aviation School

Victor M. Childers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor A. Childers of Rising Star, has begun basic training at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.

Upon completion of Aviation Officer Candidate School he will be commissioned an ensign and begin more than a year of intensive ground and inflight training leading to his designation as a naval aviator.

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Lloyd Boyle Buried At Coleman Sunday

Funeral service was held Sunday at 2 p.m. from a Coleman funeral chapel for Lloyd O. Boyle, 54-year-old Burkett native, who was well known in Cross Plains.

Mr. Boyle died at 6:30 p.m. Friday at a Veterans Administration Hospital in Temple following a lengthy illness.

The Rev. Bill Merritt, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Coleman, officiated. He was assisted by Robert Bostick, minister of the Coleman Church of Christ. Burial was in the

Coleman City Cemetery.

Born Dec. 13, 1920, in Burkett, he married Sarah Cullins June 21, 1946, in Overton. He had lived in Coleman County all of his life, and was a stock farmer. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife of the home; a daughter, Mrs. Holli Dela Rosa of Coleman; a son, Larry of Coleman; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boyle of Coleman; two brothers, Vernon and Garnice, both of Coleman and one grandson.

Miss NanRee Elliott of Carbon and Eastland spent last week end here with her grandmother, Lela Foster, and Gerald.

Breast Cancer Film Set At Clyde March 13

All Callahan County women and high school girls are reminded and encouraged to see the film on breast cancer, presented by the Callahan County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

The film is titled "Breast Cancer Where We Are", and it will be shown at the Clyde High School Auditorium on Thursday, March 13, at 7:30 p.m.

A Clyde physician, Dr. Azucena Sinahon, will be present at the showing of the film.

Club women of the county will serve refreshments following the film.

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BAIRD YOUTH INJURED IN TRACK WORK MISHAP

Joe McNeil of Baird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob McNeil of that city and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady of Pioneer, suffered a slipped disc in a track workout at Baird last Wednesday afternoon.

He underwent surgery at West Texas Medical Center on Thursday for the injury. Latest word from him is that he is recovering exceptionally well. He was partially paralyzed by the injury.

It is expected that he will remain in the hospital about six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Butler and Louann of Ardmore, Okla. spent last week end here with his mother, Mrs. Carl Marsh.

Buff Tennis Teams Win Pair Of Recent Matches

Cross Plains High School tennis teams have won two matches in two recent outings.

Local netters hosted Dublin last Wednesday taking 11 of 13 matches.

On Friday the locals traveled to Ranger defeating the hosts 8-0.

Coach Donnie McMillian said he is pleased with the progress the teams are making.

Teams are composed of Robert Allen, Steve Petty, Randy Pancake and Ramona Brooks, seniors; Greg Turner, Edith Ingram, Terry Dillard, Joe Simp-

son and Loye Brown, juniors, and Bubba McConal, Monty Richards, Rusty Dimitri, Debbie Allen, Barbara Reed, Melissa Pancake, Cindy Purvis, Norma Lee, Martha Rameriz, Denna Nickerson and Becky Pancake. Match results with Dublin follow.

Boys singles: Allen defeated Royce Warren 6-0, 6-2; Simpson beat Martin Yarbrough 6-1, 6-1; R. Pancake defeated Tim Keith 8-0 in a pro set.

Girls singles: Allen beat Ar-rain Stevens 6-2, 6-1; Reed defeated Donna Mitchell 6-2, 6-4; Purvis was defeated by Luann Leatherwood 2-8 in a pro set.

Boys doubles: Turner and McConal bested Kilcreas and Peer 6-2, 6-0; Richards and Dimitri defeated Caitn-Suggs 6-2, 6-3; Simpson and R. Pancake beat Kennedy-Keith 8-0 in a pro set.

Girls doubles: Ingram Dillard lost to Billingsley-Brown 1-6, 1-6; Brooks and M. Pancake defeated Baker-Pendleton 6-1, 6-2; Nickerson and B. Pancake beat Cox-Relly 10-8 in a pro set.

Match results at Ranger last Friday follow.

Boys singles: Allen defeated Mark Bethany 6-0, 6-1; Petty beat Denny More in split sets 6-3, 4-6, 7-5.

Girls singles: Allen defeated Meg Astran 6-4, 6-2 and Reed win over Cathy Jacoby in two tie breakers 5-2, 5-3.

Boys doubles: Turner and McConal defeated Hernandez-Bernaman 6-2, 6-1 and Richards and Dimitri blanked Terry-Rose 6-0, 6-0.

Girls doubles: Ingram and Dillard defeated Astran-Igo in split sets 6-4, 4-6, 6-4, and Brooks and M. Pancake beat opposition 6-2, 6-1.

Coach McMillian noted the following workout schedule. Girls varsity practices from 2 to 4 p.m. and boys varsity works out from 4 to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. He also pointed out that the courts are open for a first-come, first-served basis after 6 o'clock week days. For other information he may be contacted at the school.

DILLARD FIRST IN SNAKE SACKING AT BELTON

R. B. Dillard of Lake Brownwood, will try to set a new snake sacking record at Brownwood this coming week end, won first in a similar contest at Belton last week end.

He sacked five rattlesnakes in 17.5 seconds last Sunday. His wife, Rosa, assisted him in holding the sack.

At Taylor recently Dillard, formerly of this city who is current world's champion snake sacker, was second in a sacking contest in 60.03 seconds with a five second penalty for being bit while sacking.

FHA Chapier, 4th Grade Decorate Home

Colonial Oaks Nursing Home here has a new look.

On Wednesday, March 5, Misses Brenda Walker and Teri Brown decorated the walls with green shamrocks, elves and other "Blarney" items in color for St. Patrick's Day, March 17. The decorative items were furnished and created by Mrs. Marie Stambaugh's fourth grade class in honor of their adopted grandparents residing at the home.

Members of Mrs. Stambaugh's class include: Ricky Brown, Kim Chambers, Toni Edington, Mac Foster, Tamarah Golson, Paula Hanke, James Hennesay, Craig Hughes, Jo Jo Koenig, Tommy Lee, Randy Mayfield, Andy Meiron, Cathy Meroney, Johnny Neeb, Lorrie and Mike Newman, Bonnie Phillips, Teresa and Tonja Potter, Thomas Prather, Tina Sanders, Robert Simons, David Strickland, Brock Watson, Shari Watson, Nicky Williams and Carroll Wilson.

This is another of the projects sponsored by the Cross Plains chapter of the Future Homemakers of America.

TRIO OF 1-ACT PLAYS SLATED HERE MARCH 20

Reminder is made by the Drama Club of Cross Plains High School that three plays will be performed at the school auditorium on Thursday, March 20.

Admission to the one-act plays will be \$1 per person.

BAPTISTS SLATE SINGING NEXT SUNDAY NIGHT

There will be aspecial old-fashioned gospel singing service at the local First Baptist Church next Sunday evening beginning at 7 p.m. Everyone who enjoys good singing should be present.

There will be solos, duets, trios, quartets, as well as choir and congregational singing.

KIN OF COTTONWOOD LADY DIES AT TEMPLE SUNDAY

Weldon Sandifer of Wheeler, brother-in-law of Mrs. O. O. Sandifer of the Cottonwood community, expired in a Temple hospital early Sunday morning.

It was learned here that funeral was held on Tuesday at Wheeler. No other details were immediately available.

YOUTH RALLY AT EULA SLATED FOR SATURDAY

Baptist youth of Callahan County will hold their monthly rally at Eula Baptist Church at Eula next Saturday evening beginning at 7:30. The youth choir of the Eula church will present a musical "Priority". All young people are invited and urged to attend this musical treat.

Taylor Co-Op Sponsor Youth Tour Contest

An all expense paid Rural Electric Youth Tour to the nation's capital will be awarded to two winners of an oral and written contest sponsored by Taylor Electric Cooperative of Merkel, it was announced this week by Don Hart, manager.

The contest is open to any boy or girl who is at least sixteen years of age but not eighteen prior to September 1, 1974.

Deadline for entering the contest will be April 9th. Finalist will be selected to appear for interviews by a committee of judges.

Winners of the contest held last year were Connie Lentz from Blackwell High School and Greg Pope from Eula High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kirkham of Levelland visited here last week end with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kirkham, and other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant McGowen of Porterville, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Stephens of San Angelo visited here last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains, Sr.

Mrs. C. C. Holdridge of this city celebrated her birthday early by spending about four days of last week in Coleman with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mac Holdridge and Tim. She enjoyed on Thursday evening a band recital in which Tim participated.

A.A. ALANON SET OPEN MEETING ON MONDAY

AlAnon and A. A. groups will meet on Monday, March 17, at 8 p.m. in the Multipurpose Center on East 8th Street.

This will be an open meeting, beginning promptly at 8 p.m. and ending at 9 o'clock. Guest speaker will be Carl Gotcher of Carleton House in Brownwood, who invites all his friends to be present.

In A. A. there are no dues or fees. Anyone who has a friend with a drinking problem or anyone with a drinking problem is invited and urged to attend these meetings. There will be plenty of free coffee, a spokesman for the group stated.

These groups met last Monday evening with a good attendance.

Grass Fires Keeping Local Firemen Busy

Cross Plains firemen have been busier than normal the past several weeks answering calls to grass fire. Six alarms have been answered since February 13.

Three calls were heeded that day. Rural units made runs to the Wayne Brown place in the Cottonwood community just after noon, and at 7:30 p.m. rural firemen were called to a log fire two miles south of town on Highway 279. City firemen doused a grass fire at the Jessie Clark place on East 10th Street at 1:35 that afternoon.

City firemen also extinguish-

ed a grass fire at the home on Avenue B on February 21.

Rural units went to non Phillips place Tuesday of last week fore noon. It was a grass fire.

Last Thursday at rural units were summoned to the Richard Ames place east of Cross Plains another grass fire.

Thirty-five firemen were involved in the various Monday evening at is deadline for adver-

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