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## 32 Seniors To Graduate In Friday Night Exercises

Commencement exercises for 32 seniors at Cross Plains High School will be held Friday at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium. Dr. Terry Watkins, a 1956 graduate of Cross Plains and son of Mrs. Jack Watkins and the late Mr. Watkins of this city,

will deliver the commencement address. He is connected with the mathematics department at Texas Tech University at Lubbock. Following the professional, played for by the high school band, Carl Thomas, president

of the Class of 1975, will give the invocation. Randy Hunter, salutatorian, will speak on "Stepping into the Future". He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunter of near Burkett.

Mattie Faye Dixon, local teacher will sing the class song, "Seasons in the Sun". "Our World Is What We Make of It" is the title of an address by Tony Dimitri, class valedictorian. He is the son of Mrs. Maxine Dimitri of this city. Following the address by Dr. Watkins, Scot Edington high school principal, will present individual awards. Frank Rundell, superintendent, will present the Senior Class.

Candidates for graduation will receive diplomas from Tommie Harris and Baylis Pope, president and secretary, respectively, of the board of trustees for Cross Plains schools. Lynn Tatom, member of the graduating class, will give the benediction following the school song sung by the audience. Recessional will be played by the school band.

Last day of classes will be held here on Saturday, May 24. It was noted that the Saturday date became necessary when a day was lost to inclement weather last winter. All students of kindergarten through third grade will report to classes at the regular time, 8:25 a.m., Saturday, and those pupils in grades four through twelve who must take final examinations will be required to

## City Continues Tests On New Field Water

Tests on content of water in a proposed new water field for Cross Plains were continuing to be run this week.

It was announced at a public meeting by about 15 interested citizens, all city councilmen, and three city employees, that initial samples taken from two wells on the 36-acre tract two miles north of town, contained too high a concentration of nitrates and would not be acceptable to the State Health Department.

Alvin Hutchins, water commissioner, noted that the two initial samples were taken prior to sufficient pumping and contained 61 and 66 parts nitrate respectively, per milligram per litre. Acceptable level of nitrates can be no higher than 45 parts nitrate per milligram per litre, Hutchins reported. It was the opinion of the council that sufficient water does exist on the tract which has been offered by sale for \$15,600 by owner Harold Higbie to the city for development of the water field. Persons attending Thursday's meeting seemed of the opinion that the city should continue tests under directives of the health department for possible lessening of the nitrate problem.

Hutchins noted that two wells have been tested and samples sent to Austin, and another well was being tested Tuesday. Two additional wells were drilled on the tract by the city, and will also be tested. Source of the nitrate invasion of the water strata was not known. Opinions of possible sources varied among those attending Thursday's session.

Biggs Irvin of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood here last week end. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Cris Irvin in Haskell on Sunday, and en route back here visited with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson and Vanda Harris and Blandye in Abilene.

## Annual Atwell Cemetery Memorial Service Sunday

Atwell Memorial and Historical Cemetery Association will hold its annual program on Sunday, May 25, at the Cemetery Shelter. The program committee will be in charge of the activities. They announce that Rev. Arlis Williams, of Abilene, former pastor at Atwell, will be featured speaker. Mike Kelley of Cross Plains will provide music for the occasion. They anticipate that former school teachers will be there and speak to the audience. The program will begin at 10:30 a.m. Officers for the or-

ganization will be named. Present committee officers are Mrs. J. D. (Doris) Goble, Mrs. Roy Neil (Ellowayne) Tatom and Buster Black.

For the dinnertime, the cemetery association will provide the bread, ice, plates and cups. The annual cemetery clean-up will be held Saturday, May 24. A spokesman for the organization said that work will begin about 9:30 a.m., and all persons who possibly can are asked to help. Hoes, rakes and mowers will be needed to get the burial grounds in good condition.

## Holiday Carded Here On Memorial Day

Many Cross Plains businesses will be closed all day Monday, May 26, in observance of Memorial Day.

Most downtown business firms will be closed with the exception of grocery stores. Most service stations, eating establishments and convenience stores along highways leading into the city will remain open.

Among concerns planning to have doors shut are Citizens State Bank, post office, city office, West Texas Utilities, Bishop Chevrolet Co., Neal Drug, Lane's Variety, Western Auto Store, Cross Plains Discount Center, Higginbothams, Bryan's Variety, Hornsby Electric Co., McNeel Insurance Agency, and Mayes Flower Shop, and the Multiple Service Center.

Among those firms which will remain are Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Co., Foster Grocery, Cross Plains Review, JRB Supermarket, Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply, Randall's Super Market and service stations and restaurants.

## Pancake Is Named Buff Back Of Year

Randy Pancake was named as "Back of the Year" during the All-Sports Banquet held May 17 at Cross Plains High School.

In last week's Review it was reported that Randy Hunter was awarded that honor.

Pancake is a senior, and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Pancake of this city. He was an outstanding performer for the 1974 Buffaloes, being one of the leading rushers and scorers, in compiling a 7-2-1 record.

## Junk Man Says Operating Putnam FLEAMK Like Ocean Fishing

R. W. Reynolds, Superintendent of the Putnam Schools, is the originator and operator of a very unusual business—an antique store housed in an old 70,000-barrel oil storage tank located on Highway I-20, one mile east of Putnam, Texas.

R. W., as he is called by his friends, states that running his place, called the FLEAMK, is like fishing in the ocean—there is no telling what you will "catch" next.

It may be someone looking for something as insignificant as a thimble, or it may be a reporter writing for "The New York Times". Then it might be a motorist stranded on the Interstate wanting to hock some personal belonging for gasoline money to take him closer to his destination. Or, as happened lately, it might be Charles Kuralt wanting to shoot pictures and ask questions for his "On The Road" program he does for CBS News.

Reynolds states that since the Kuralt story appeared on CBS News on April 1, he has had communication from many wanting to know more about the FLEAMK, when it is open?—whether he has certain items? etc.

There have been many inquiries about specific items seen on the television presentation. Mentioned most were a pair of old 1949 license plates, an old juke box and some defunct mining stock.

A lot of comical things hap-

## Phone Rate Increase Effected Here Thursday

Effective Thursday, May 15, Continental Telephone Company of Texas was authorized to increase phone rental rates in Cross Plains. Cross Plains City Council met in a called session on that date and approved a rate increase. The new rates are a compromise from the original higher rate request.

Telephone subscribers in all area exchanges owned by Continental are or soon will be paying a higher rental rate, according to Alan Armstrong, telephone company executive at Baird.

The higher rates went into effect in Rising Star and May last Thursday also, and in Baird on May 13. Clyde granted the compromise rates about two months ago.

The new rates within Cross Plains were reported as follows: Business one-party charges will

be \$17.00 monthly, and business two-party connection will be \$15.00. Business extensions remain at \$2.00 per month.

Residential private lines (one party) will be \$8.50 per month two-party \$7.50 and four-party \$6.50. Extensions will remain the same.

Rural rates now effective are: four-party business \$16.00 monthly, multi-party business \$11.45; residential four-party, \$9.75 and multi-party \$8.00.

Armstrong stated that with each construction project it is the aim of the phone company to provide single and four-party lines.

## Alton Barr Named Policeman Of Year

Alton Barr, a veteran Brownwood police officer, was named Brownwood Policeman of the Year Friday night at the Brownwood Municipal Police Association dinner.

Barr, a native of Cross Plains and well known here, joined the Brownwood Police Department May 12, 1946, and was promoted to sergeant in July 1960. He is the son of Mrs. S. C. (Sam) Barr of Cross Plains.

It was noted in a story in the Brownwood Bulletin that Barr has served the police department for 29½ years, and he is currently airport security officer and downtown parking control officer. In the past he has served as squad car patrolman, motorcycle partolman and dispatcher.

The dinner was held in the Brownwood Coliseum, and was attended by about 100 persons. Naming Barr to the honor was one of the highlights of the event. Brownwood Jaycees sponsor naming a policeman of the year.

## Pee Wee League To Start Season Here Thursday

Little League is scheduled to begin the season Thursday and Saturday nights, with play scheduled during the remainder of the season on Tuesday and Thursday nights.

Pee Wee League is scheduled to play at 5 p.m. Thursday, followed by Little League games about 6:30 p.m. and 8 o'clock, it was understood.

Additional details will be published in next week's Review.

## Local Artists Card Week End Exhibit

The Paint and Palette Art Club of Cross Plains invites the public to attend its spring art show in the building immediately south of Johnson's Dry Goods on Main Street here this week end.

The exhibition will be open on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sunday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Two pictures, donated by Gladys Garrett and Bobby Golson, which will be raffled off will be on display at the show. Drawing for the pictures will be at 4 p.m. Sunday.

All local artists are invited and urged to display their work and make this a memorable exhibit for our town, a club spokesman emphasized.

## JOHN WOODY ENTERS BIG SPRING HOSPITAL

John J. Woody of this city entered the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring on Tuesday for a checkup. He did not know just how long he would be there.

## 6 Students Win PTO Scholarship Awards

Six students at Cross Plains High School won scholarship awards presented last Thursday by the Parent Teacher Organization.

The PTO met in the school auditorium at 7:30 p.m., with Roy Stambaugh leading the invocation. Mrs. Wayne Brown presided over the meeting and presented the awards.

The Business Award went to Tony Dimitri, a senior, and son of Mrs. Maxine Dimitri of Cross Plains.

Miss Teri Brown won the English Award. She is a senior and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown of Cottonwood.

The Science Award went to Miss Klynn Campbell, also a

senior. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Campbell, Jr., of this community.

Randy Hunter, another senior, was recipient of the Social Studies Award. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunter of near Burkett.

Miss Terry Dillard, a junior won the Math Award. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dillard of Cross Plains.

The Agriculture Award went to Sam Koenig, a sophomore. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. (Dick) Koenig of this community.

Mrs. Harold Garrett's sixth graders had an interesting display of an experiment project of the progress and diet of five white rats, each named The National Dairy Council furnished the rats and diet. The students made a chart to indicate the care and feeding of the group divided into three sections.

Members of the sixth grade also presented scrapbooks and an interesting display of articles on and from foreign countries, class project for this year.

The PTO Story Hour, under the supervision of Mrs. Douglas Weiss, displayed arts and crafts and a poster with each attending child's picture.

A spokesman for the PTO noted that future announcements will be made concerning officers for the ensuing year and distribution of finances for school equipment.

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Good Luck Grads of '75



## Chuck Pennell To Graduate On Friday

Charlie A. (Chuck) Pennell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Grider of Cross Plains, is among Chemical Technology students at Texas State Technical Institute who are candidates for graduation this spring.

State Tech is a post secondary co-educational school offering more than 50 different technical and vocational programs.

Nearly 425 students, including the 19 year old Pennell, will be graduating from the James Connally campus of State Tech in Waco on Friday, May 23.

Pennell enrolled in State Tech in September of 1973 and is married to Sharon Pennell.

State Tech operates campuses in four locations around the state, the Mid Continent campus in Amarillo, the Rio Grande campus in Harlingen,

the Rolling Plains campus in Sweetwater and the Waco campus.

### HONOR SOCIETY PICKS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

The National Honor Society of Cross Plains High School recently named its officers for 1975.

They were as follows: President, Tony Dimitri, son of Mrs. Maxine Dimitri; Vice-President, Lynn Tatom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom; Secretary-Treasurer, Terry Dillard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dillard; and Historian, Martha McDaniel, daughter of Mrs. Esther McDaniel.

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

Clasp envelopes at Review

## Burkett Neighborhood News

By Mrs. Joe C. Golson

This week I would like to dedicate this column and pay a special tribute to the mothers who lost their sons in the defense of the United States of America, and along with them I honor their sons.

I have chosen eight men to represent all our armed forces. Six of them gave their life in the defense of this country during World War II.

Two gave their life fighting an entirely different battle, under strict unusual regulations—a battle of thou shalt not's—a battle that was doomed to failure from the very start—Vietnam.

Lloyd Rich—European Theater and South Pacific battlefield branch of service and classification unknown. Family whereabouts unknown. Grew up and attended school in Burkett.

Lloyd Newton—European Theater and South Pacific battlefield branch of service, Air Force B-17 bomber tail gunner. Grew up and attended school in Burkett, Texas. Mother, Mrs. Alford Newton, Clyde, Texas.

Johnny Wooten—Branch of service, Air Force, classification unknown. Grew up and attended school in Burkett, Texas. European Theater and South Pacific. Mother, Artis Bagley, Fort Worth, Texas.

Delbert Hindman—European Theater and South Pacific. Branch of Service, Army, classification unknown. Grew up and attended school in Burkett, Texas. Whereabout of family unknown.

Henry Cross—Branch of service unknown, classification unknown. European Theater and South Pacific. Mother, Lena Cross, deceased. Grew up and attended school in Burkett, Texas.

Bill Cowen—Branch of service, Air Force, classification Lieutenant. Pilot, European Theater and South Pacific. Mother, Mrs. Raymond DeBusk, Cross Plains, Texas. Grew up and attended school in Burkett, Texas. Bill had completed his mission over Japan, and was on his way back to his carrier ship which was 200 miles out in the Pacific when his plane developed trouble. The airman who was flying wing to Bill saw him land his plane, get out and take off his shirt and boots. Rescue was not possible at that time and Bill was never seen again. He was lost to the Pacific Ocean. Four days later the war was over. Mrs. DeBusk states that Bill left behind a wife, in Houston, Texas, who, to this day, carries his name, and a son, Phil Ray, who now lives in California. Bill Cowen left the look of himself in his son's eyes, and in him he still lives on.

The American fighting man during World War II stands second to none. His ability to fight against odds much greater than he and his courage in the face of death are to be commended. He was a man proud of himself his unit and his country. He had a war to fight and he knew he would win as there was an all out effort of every man, woman and child in this country to back that fighting man. He was given the very best this country had to offer as he came first then we at home could fill our needs.

His morale was high as he knew we, the American people stood behind him united in our thoughts about his war.

His bed at night was a fox hole. It might be in the bitter cold on the side of a hill in Europe or in the steaming, stinking jungles of the South Pacific. He dreamed of home and the girl he left behind. He dreamed of Mom's apple pie and the Saturday night sock hops. He didn't want to be where he was, but his country had called him. He went marching away to do his part to defend his American heritage. Our fighting men's blood filled those fox holes and trenches and our Mother's tears could have filled their graves. God bless you American mothers on this coming Memorial Day. Bless your tears and the empty corner of your heart as that star is gone from your sky for a little while, and nothing can ever replace it. God bless your sons who have given their lives. We shall not forget the price you paid.

Then Vietnam. There will be a follow-up story next week, a story of frustrations, bitterness, and a doomed battle from the very start.

Addie Lee Newton and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Beal of Abilene attended the graduation of Eddie Beal's son and nephew of Addie Lee (Dewayne Beal) at Arlington State University this past week.

Mack Sheppard of Garner, Texas, passed away Friday, May 16. He is a nephew of George and Homer Johnson and known to a lot of folks around Burkett. Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Golden of Clifton, attended the funeral Sunday in Weatherford.

Cora Lee Herring spent Thursday and Thursday night in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Anderson at Santa Anna. All attended the graduation of Paul Anderson from kindergarten.

Curtis Briggs is in a Temple hospital suffering from a copperhead snake bite. Curtis is the grandson of Eureka Whitley and great-grandson of the Lat Mountains.

Visiting the Andrew Walkers last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Walker of San Clemente, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Walker and family of Nimrod. The last time Andy was home was when Mrs. Mel Walker passed away this past winter. Andy is a U. S. Marine and don't get home to see his folks very often.

L. D. Koenig and his daughter, Mrs. Johnny Pancake, and granddaughter, Lesa, as well as Dick and Sharon, Sherry and Jo Jo Koenig, Tamarah and I attended the Eula Play Day Friday night. Lesa won first in jack pot barrel racing and 4th in western pleasure. Sherry won fourth in flags and third in western pleasure and a third in the barrels. Jo Jo won fourth in the poles and 3rd in western pleasure. Tamarah won a first in western pleasure, a first in the poles and a fourth in the barrels. Tamarah was fourth in jack pot barrels, but the money was only to three places. We all had a swell time and Cross Plains was well represented in the winning circle.

Lillian Brown and Marjory Edgington were in San Angelo Friday night to attend the graduation of Marjorey's son, Ronnie, from San Angelo State College. Ronnie has been given a job teaching in the science department at that college next term.

The Burkett supper was well attended Saturday night. I think they said about 120 plates were used. The food was out of this world and we had plenty for everyone, and even had a little left over after everyone had seconds.

Troy Bates of Novice played for the gathering. The Burkett Playboys were on hand, and put out some fine music. Then Barb Sunkle of the Burkett community pulled out her guitar and played and sang "Teddy Bear", "You're Not Womarr Enough" and "Kansas City", to the delight and surprise of the crowd. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Neff were chairmen of the supper and did a very nice job of overseeing the supper. To them we say "thank you" for all the hard work of organizing. Of course we don't want to leave out the other workers of the committee so to the Boly Hoovers, Evans, and Dodsons, and yes, the Golsons, thank you.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Burns and son were out to the supper Saturday night. It was nice to have them come again.

Three ladies of the Novice Community were out to see and hear Troy Bates play. They were Bevie Parham, Opal Gorman and Libby Gorman, friends of mine for many a year.

Late news for last week. Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson had as guests on Mother's Day week end their two daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Golden of Clifton, and Mrs. Jo Greenbauer and son, Scott, of Richardson, also Homer Johnson of Cross Plains. The Johnson's grandson, Bobby George, of Seguin spent the night in the earlier part of the week.

Visitors in the Delbert Boyle home Wednesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boyle, Curtis Burkett, Mrs. Arthur Burkett. All enjoyed an evening of visiting with each other.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Burkett from Bisbee, Ariz., visited in the Delbert Boyle home while they were in this area last week. They came by the store to visit a second with Joe while they were here.

Mother's Day visitors in the Delbert Boyle home were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Strickland, Donna, Daphne and Kelly, of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. Pete O'Brien and Mrs. Bobby Golson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Anderson and sons of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Childers and sons of Scranton spent Mother's Day with Cora Lee Herring, and she had phone calls from Bill and family and J. C. and family to wish her a happy Mother's Day and lots of beautiful cards. Cora Lee's house is sporting a beautiful new storm door. This has been just since Mother's Day.

Marjorey Edgington has had a lot of good help this past week end. Her house is full of girls. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Koenig took a trip to Fort Worth, and Sherry and Jo Jo spent the week end with her. The bunch got on the phone and called for Tamarah to come on out and spend the night. Also Marjory had a house-full for the whole week end. They penned cows and took a load of them to Abilene Sunday night and ate out played cowboy all day. Marjorey how does it feel after all these years getting a bunch of girls off to school on Monday morning?

Mrs. Gayna Dodds of Arlington and son, Joe Dwayne, of this city made a fast vacation trip to the west last week. They spent two nights in El Paso with her brother, Joe Souder, and then to Tucson, Ariz., where they visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Tsaguris. They picnicked one day up on a snow-covered mountain. Mrs. Dodds spent last week end here with her family, Mrs. Flora Wright and Ted Souder.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harrell of Oakland, Calif., and daughter, Patsy of Friona, visited here last Friday with Viola Belle Phillips. James is son of Marvin Harrell of Coleman and the late Ada (Phillips) Harrell all former residents of this area.

Deadline for news 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

## Class Of '39 Plans Reunion In July

Members of the Cross Plains Class of 1938-39 are planning another reunion the week end of July 25, 26 and 27.

Several members have made reservations at the Riverside Motor Hotel in Brownwood where most of the meetings are to be held.

Last July 13 members of the class met at the Riverside Hotel and had a wonderful time reminiscing of their high school days. It was decided at that time to meet again this year in hopes that many more would be in attendance. It is hoped that any member of that Class of 1939, who have not been contacted, would get in touch with Grand-vel Pierce, 2800 Cathedral Way

No. 4101, Dallas, Tex. or just come to the Brownwood.

Highlight of this to be a visit from N. G. Morris of Austa coach for the Buffaloes in 1938-39. Visitors and friend group who would like the reunion will be

Mr. and Mrs. Egan and his mother, Mrs. Millan, of this city's er's Day in Fort Ardella's mother, Barnes, and with the Millan family. Also with Mrs. Barnes was Mrs. Joe Pittman of

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ET POTATOES, 10 pound bag ..... 69c	<b>ettuce</b> LARGE HEADS, EACH ..... <b>29c</b>
CORNIA ORANGES, Seedless Navel, 4 pounds .... \$1	<b>pples</b> DELICIOUS, 3 POUND BAG ..... <b>89c</b>
ADOS, large size, 4 for ..... \$1	

Potato Chips, Pringle's, twin pack ..... 89c

**Buns** JRB HAMBURGER & HOT DOG, 8 CT. **3 For \$1**

KRAFT'S  
 Bar-B-Q Sauce, all flavors, 18 oz. bottle - 69c

GLADIOLA, WHITE OR YELLOW, 6 OZ. SIZE  
 CORNBREAD MIX, 6 pkgs. . \$1

DREAM WHIP  
 TOPPING, 6 oz. box ... \$1.19

10 OZ. BOTTLES — 8 PACK CTN. — PLUS DEPOSIT  
**Dr. Pepper . . . 79c**

HERSHEY'S, 16 OZ. SIZE  
 CHOCOLATE SYRUP, can . 39c

KLEENEX FACIAL  
 TISSUE, 280 count box .. 59c

FRENCH'S SQUEEZE BOTTLE  
 Mustard, 8 ounce jar, 3 for ..... \$1

**Towels** ZEE, JUMBO ROLL ..... **39c**

BAKER'S CHOCOLATE FLAVORED  
 CHIPS, 12 oz. bag ..... 79c

LIQUID  
 SANIFLUSH, 16 oz. bottle . 49c

ECONO  
 Paper Plates, big 100 count package .... 79c

ARROW  
 Charcoal, 10 lb. bag ..... 99c

**KETCHUP**  
 HUNT'S — 20 OUNCE BOTTLE  
**49c**

**Dairy and Frozen Foods**  
 PARADE  
 WHIPPED TOPPING, 10 oz. tub 49c

**Ice Cream**  
 J.R.B. — ALL FLAVORS  
**Half Gal. Ctn. 79c**

CLARES SPECIAL CRINKLE CUT  
 POTATOES, 2 lb. bag ..... 39c

**Whipping Cream**  
 GANDY'S — 1/2 PINT  
 3 for ..... \$1

IMPERIAL  
 MARGARINE, 1 lb., quarters ... 59c

**Strawberries**  
 TROPHY — 10 OUNCE CTN.  
**4 For . . . . . \$1**

**Health & Beauty Aids**

J & J BABY — 7 OZ. — REG. \$1.45  
**SHAMPOO** ..... **\$1.19**

RIGHT GUARD BRONZE, REG. \$1.29  
 DEODORANT, 4 oz. .... 89c

**Shaving Cream**  
 PALMOLIVE RAPID SHAVE — 6 OZ.  
**Reg. 99c . . . . 39c**

GLEEM, REG. \$1.41  
 TOOTHPASTE, 7 oz. .... 89c

**Razor Blades**  
 WILKINSON STAINLESS STEEL — 5's  
 Reg. 95c ..... 49c



## Owens-Grantz Vows Set For August 23

Miss Tonya Jean Owens and Bill Allen Grantz will be married August 23 in First Baptist Church Chapel in Abilene.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. Lavern Owens of Abilene.

Parents of the prospective bridegroom are the Rev. and Mrs. Harry A. Grantz of Breckenridge. He is the brother of Mrs. Carroll Rhodes of Cross Plains.

Miss Owens was graduated from Abilene High School, attended Cisco Junior College and is employed in the Respiratory Therapy Department at Hendrick Memorial Hospital.

A graduate of Winters High School, Grantz attended Cisco Junior College and will receive a bachelor of music degree from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene this summer. He is employed at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Emergency Admissions.

## SOUTHEAST CROSS CUT FIELD GETS GAS WELL

A project has been plugged back and recompleted as a gas well in the regular field five miles southeast of Cross Cut.

It is Sioux Natural Gas Corp. of Houston No. 1 G. W. Williams, spotting 660 feet from the south and 827 feet from the west lines of John Beck Survey 792.

Absolute, open flow was 53,000 cubic feet of dry gas daily from perforations at 1,158-68 feet.

It was originally completed in 1958 by Reynolds, Kirk & Neel perforations at 1,773-82 feet.

The project was deepened in 1968 by Kirk & Neel and completed from perforations at 2,014-17 feet.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gray returned Friday from San Antonio where they visited their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Gray and girls, a few days.

Ms. Karen McIntyre of Mt. Carmel, Ill., spent several days here recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Conn. Mrs. Conn's sister, Mrs. J. C. Rees, of San Antonio is visiting with them this week.

Deadline for news 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

## WELCOME TO SERVICES AT

### Cottonwood Church Of Christ

Bible Study ..... 10 A.M.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 A.M.  
Evening Worship ..... 7 P.M.  
Thursday Evening Singing  
And Bible Study ..... 8 P.M.  
Sterling Walker, Minister

## TEXAS TALK

By Glenn Winfrey

The worst is over... probably. Statements like this have become the most common hedge in the cattle industry in the past few weeks as top executives of the beef business find reason to be cautiously optimistic in the face of rising per capita consumption and a decrease in the industry's number one problem, glut. Caused by a combination of price controls, natural cattle cycle (cattle population reaches a cyclical peak every 10-11 years) and high feed prices, glut (oversupply) seemed for a while to be unending. Consumers are solving the problem by buying more beef and accepting grass-fed meat. Packers buying grass-fed cattle have to use 2 or 3 of the young pasture-fed cattle to produce as much meat as a single grain-fed animal. So the problem seems to be solving itself, but even the optimistic cattlemen (not the easiest thing to find) say it will take at least 18 months before the industry is back to normal.

Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Co.  
CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

## SHADY OAKS INVITES AREA LADY GOLFERS TO EVENT

A ladies golf tournament will be held at Shady Oaks golf course, located between Baird and Clyde, during the first week in June. A spokesman for lady golfer playing at Lakewood Recreation Center, noted that local feminine linksters have been invited, and it is hoped that several from this area will participate.

## HECE Students Fete Employers Recently

Students of HECE (Home Economics Cooperative Education) feted their employers at an appreciation banquet in the Home Economics Lab on Tuesday, May 6. These students in the class are: Randy Pancake, Brenda Walker, Kora Turner, Kathy Walker, and Greg Turner.

Randy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pancake. He is a senior at Cross Plains High School and is employed at the Dairy Queen. Randy's employer is Mrs. Shirley Woodruff.

Brenda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling O. Walker of Burkett, is employed at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home where her employer is Mrs. Frances Wolfe. Brenda is also a senior.

Kora, a senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. V. Turner of Pioneer. She is employed at Bryan's Variety Store. Her employer is Mrs. Mozelle Richardson.

Kathy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker of Burkett. She is a junior. Kathy works at the Cross Plains Dairy Queen where she is employed by Mrs. Shirley Woodruff.

Greg, who resides with his grandmother, Mrs. C. W. Wyatt, is employed at JRB Food Market. His employer is Mr. Jimmie Payne. Greg is a member of the junior class.

These students and their sponsor, Mrs. Betty Odom, would like to thank their respective employers for cooperating in the program this year.

## Mother Of Ex-Local Lady Dies Monday

Mrs. Maude Clark, 81, of Comanche, mother of Mrs. Vera Baum Ferrell of Abilene and formerly of Cross Plains, died at 4:10 a.m. Monday in a De Leon hospital after a lengthy illness.

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Tuesday from a Comanche chapel.

The Rev. Leroy Woolsey, pastor of Free Will Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Born Maude Baker, March 7, 1894, in Eastland, she married Sam J. Clark Dec. 19, 1921, in Eastland, and he died in 1958.

Mrs. Clark was a 45-year Comanche resident and a member of Free Will Baptist Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Vera Farrell of Abilene, Mrs. Reba Hall of Hockley, Mrs. Wanda Jean Morton of Comanche and Mrs. Doris Goodwin of Combes; a son, S. J. Jr. of Orchard; 12 grandchildren, and several great-grandchildren.

## BAPTIST PASTOR, WIFE BACK FROM MISSISSIPPI

Rev. and Mrs. Curtis T. Sampson returned to their home here last Saturday morning following about four days in Jackson, Miss., where they attended a School of Evangelism and also participated in a Billy Graham Crusade. They report that some 1454 ministers and wives of 15 different denominations attended the evangelism school. They were "mightily inspired" by their experience there.

## BAIRD ROBBERY SUSPECT CAUGHT, RELEASED HERE

Cross Plains Deputy Sheriff J. H. Cox apprehended a man suspected of robbing a Baird service station Monday. Cox took the man into custody about 8:30 p.m. Monday here. Upon arrival of Sheriff Grayson Miller and another deputy from Baird the man and his vehicle were searched, and no evidence was found of the robbery. He was released.

According to an employee of Burson's Exxon Station at Baird about \$40 was taken in the alleged robbery.

Visitors here last week in the homes of Mrs. Joe B. Evans and Mrs. Guy L. Stroud were Mr. and Mrs. Jay Evans of Snyder, also Bob Evans of Pecos.



Mrs. Glen Johnson

## Thomas-Johnson Vows Said In California On May 2nd

Miss Janie Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Thomas of Cross Plains, and Glen Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson of San Diego, Calif., were united in marriage on Friday, May 2 in San Diego, Calif.

The Rev. Jack Nichols performed the ceremony.

The couple is now residing in Chula Vista, Calif.

The bride is a 1972 graduate of Cross Plains High School, and she attended Cisco Junior College at Cisco for two years.

## Cottonwood Area News

By Mrs. Wayne Brown

Congratulations to our four local seniors, who will be receiving their diplomas this coming Friday, May 18. Bill Nickerson Jr., Johnny Kingery, Richard Sowell and Teri Brown. We are proud of you and wish for you the best in the future years.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Summers of Denver City, Miss Debra Champion and Phillip Lemons of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Champion and Deena of Denver City were here Mother's Day visiting Mrs. Alice Champion Roy left on Tuesday after spending several days working the fields.

Those visiting with Mrs. Ethel Anderson over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Renfro, Carrie and Synda, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Sowell and Matt.

Mrs. Mae Belle Cauthen of Baird was at the quilting in Cottonwood this past Thursday.

Miss Virginia Lane of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers and Aubrey Garth Fortune returned home on Thursday after spending several days in the West Texas Medical Hospital in Abilene.

Stella Davidson, Lee Bennett and Dixie Coffey attended an Eastern Star dinner, honoring Mrs. Doris Easterling, Associate Grand Matron and other grand officers of the Grand Chapter of Texas on Thursday evening in Coleman. Other members of the Cross Plains Chapter attending were Exa McCord, Elsie Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gann.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown returned to their home Thursday after spending several days in Yuma, Ariz. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer J. Ford Sr. While there they visited with Roy Carr and Mr. and Mrs. Mel Mohrs. On Sunday they attended the First Southern Baptist Church of Yuma and the mothers were honored guests at the Ol Trails Restaurant for dinner, and were presented lovely corsages for the occasion.

It was amazing to see cattle on the ranges grazing on what we here would consider nothing across the desert sections of that country. Fishing, sunning and swimming were great this time of year. Day time temperatures were close to 100 degrees every day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cunningham visited this past week with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Coppinger. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler, Rusty and Ricky spent the week end with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith, Lori and Richard in Opalin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown visited with his brother, James Brown in the Dyess Air Force

## MUSICALE AT PIONEER CANCELED THIS MONTH

There will be no Blue Grass Festival at Sharon Park this next Saturday evening, according to Sam Warren, director. Inasmuch as there will be a similar festival at Glen Rose on the same date, cancellation is being made for the one scheduled here.

The next festival at Sharon Park will be on June 28 when he plans to have a free barbecue at noon and have music all afternoon. Further details will be in future issues of the Review.

## 4-YEAR-OLD IS HOME FOLLOWING HIP SURGERY

Kellie Anne Rogers, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Rogers of Cross Plains came home on Tuesday from the Scottish Rite Crippled Children's Hospital in Dallas. She underwent corrective surgery on her hip Monday of last week. She will remain in a cast for six weeks and return to the hospital for a month of therapy.

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

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### LOCAL FEMINE GOLFERS PLACE IN RECENT EVENTS

Lou Grider and Maryann Brown participated in the Ladies Invitational Golf Tournament at PAR Country Club at Lake Proctor on Tuesday, May 13.

Maryann won low gross score in the first flight with an 83, and Lou tied for third place in the same flight with an 87.

On Thursday the two local ladies were partners in Brady's Ladies Partnership Tournament, and Frankie Smith of Pioneer teamed with Juanita Smith of Brownwood. All came home empty handed.

### OLIVER SMITHS WINNERS IN CISCO GOLF TOURNEY

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Smith of Pioneer won first place in the second flight at Cisco's Guys & Dolls Golf Tournament last week end.

Maryann Brown of Pioneer teamed with her father, Carrel Smith, and finished fifth in the championship flight.

Deadline for advertising is 5:00 P. M. Monday.

## Wednesday, May 13

### Dean-Cole Vows In Clyde August

Mr. and Mrs. L. Dean Cole are the engagement and wedding party of the bride, Janie Denise, to Cole.

Miss Dean is a graduate of Clyde High School and a student at Clyde College. She is employed by Gooch Packing Co. in Abilene. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Mrs. Delma (Ellar) Dean Cole.

Cole is the nephew of Mrs. Odie Cole. He is a graduate of High School and attended Simmons University employed by Taylor Co. in Abilene.

The couple will be married August 22 at the First Church in Clyde.

Deadline for news Tuesday morning.

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CHEF BOY-AR-DEE RAVIOLI, no. 300 can, 2 for .....  
RANCH STYLE BLACKEYED PEAS, 23 oz. size, 1 for .....

## Sunshine Cookies

HYDROX COOKIES ..... MIX OR MATCH  
FIG BARS .....  
CHOCOLATE FUDGE .....  
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BRUCE FLOOR WAX, 27 ounce can, 1 for .....  
PROLONG FLOOR WAX, 27 ounce can, 1 for .....  
IDEAL BLEACH, 1 gallon for .....  
CUT-RITE SANDWICH BAGS, 75 count .....

## Greens

GRIFFIN'S, NO. 303 CAN, 3 FOR ..... 49

ATKINS PICKLES, sliced or whole dill, 1 quart .....  
GRIFFIN'S PURE MUSTARD, 16 oz. size, 1 for .....  
HEINZ HAMBURGER RELISH, 10 oz. size, 1 for .....  
GRIFFIN'S GRAPE JELLY, 18 oz. jar, 1 for .....

## Drinks

SHASTA, 12 OZ. SIZE, 6 CANS FOR .....

COMET EXTRA FLUFFY LONG GRAIN RICE, 14 ozs. ....  
CARNATION SLENDER, 4 env. pkg., 1 for .....  
FRANCO AMERICAN SPAGHETTI, with tomato sauce, 15 oz.

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# Classified Ads

## Eden Area News

**N. V. Gibbs**  
 Mrs. Kim Keele in Cross Plains. In the afternoon they visited in the rest home and with Mrs. Loy Nell Gage of Fort Worth. They also visited Mrs. Grace Brown in the Eastland hospital and visited in the George Barnard home.

Anthony Sikes of Baird visited in the N. V. Gibbs home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris were on a vacation trip this past week. Their travels took them through Little Rock, Ark., Nashville and Chattanooga, Tenn., Louisville, Kentucky and Bowling Green Kentucky where Terry Harris is living. They report seeing this country at its height of beauty and also seeing their first tobacco fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harris of Abilene were in the home with Nicky while Tom and Lora Faye were on this trip.

Ivon Odom has been in the San Antonio area with his harvesting equipment for the last two weeks. Other men from the area are there also to harvest grain. Rains kept them out of the fields until last week, but he reported that more machines were coming in each day. He will return to this area when grain is ready to harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Price and Mrs. Dutch Holley in Cottonwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dend of near Mason spent the week end in the Bob Dye home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barbee, John and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Barbee all of Abilene visited in the Eugene Bell home Sunday.

The Jim Needham family of Coleman visited in the Robert Watson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs were in Azle last Tuesday to attend the funeral of Jesse James Springfield. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rose and children while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson and sons were in Haskell Saturday visiting in the Carl Bailey home.

Christine Bower of Abilene and Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. Ray Boen during the week.

Those attending the Cross Plains Senior Baccalaureate services Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children.

Mrs. Tony Steele and Tonya visited Mrs. Jimmy West Tuesday afternoon.

**LAKEWOOD POOL OPENING SCHEDULE IS REVEALED**  
 The Lakewood Recreation Center swimming pool will be open Tuesday through Friday of this week, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. The pool will be closed each Monday.

After this week, the pool will be open six days each week, 2 p.m. to 6 p.m., according to Mrs. Eunice Pointer, swimming instructor.

To report fire in Cross Plains Call 725-6234.

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## Williams Infant Is Buried In Abilene

Funeral service for Misty Dawn Williams, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Williams, Jr., of Abilene was held at 2:30 p.m. Monday from an Abilene funeral chapel.

The infant died at 5 p.m. Saturday at an Abilene hospital.

Paul McGaughey, minister of Westgate Church of Christ in Abilene, officiated.

She is survived by a host of relatives including a great grandmother, Mrs. Lorine Bryson of Cross Plains.

Miss Lois Parkinson of Dallas is visiting the W. S. McCanns this week. Other visitors last Sunday were S. E. Parkinson of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Scott and Carl of Andrews. On Monday the McCanns visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parkinson in Eden.

Tommy Hornsby of Laredo is here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton E. Hornsby.

**Office Supplies at Review CARD OF THANKS**  
 We wish to thank our friends and relatives for their prayerful concern for Mary B. while she was in Abilene. Your prayers of faith are what counts. To each of you, we say "our prayers, love and best wishes" are for you.

Mary B McLeod and Maggie Wilson

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We shall always remember with deep gratitude your comforting expressions of sympathy during the loss of our loved one. A special thanks to our friends and neighbors who sent food and flowers and to the Evangelical Methodist Church and Christian people who remembered us in prayer. May God bless each one of you.

The Family of Sam Lawson

**DEPARTMENT OF THE Treasury - Internal Revenue Service Notice OF SEALED BID SALE.**  
 Under authority contained in section 6331 of the Internal Revenue Code, the property described below has been seized for nonpayment of delinquent internal revenue taxes due from George M. Taff, Route 2 Box 52, Rising Star, Texas 76741. The property will be sold at public auction under sealed bids in accordance with the provisions of section 6335 of the Internal Revenue Code and pertinent regulations. Bids will be opened June 4th, 1975, at 11:00 A.M. at City Hall, Cross Plains, Texas. Description of Property. All that certain tract, lot or parcel of land lying and being situated in Callahan County, Texas, and being lot No. 5, Blk. No. 44, Central Addition to the town of Cross Plains, Texas, according to the Plat of said Addition recorded in the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas. Property may be inspected at: Cross Plains, Texas. All bids must be submitted on Internal Revenue Service Form 2222, Sealed Bid for Purchase of Seized Property. Submit bids to the Revenue official named below prior to the opening of the bids. Bids must be accompanied by the full amount of the bid if it totals \$200 or less. If the total bid is more than \$200, submit 20 percent of the bid or \$200, whichever is greater. Upon acceptance of the highest bid, the balance due, if any will be Required in Full. All payments must be made by cash, certified check, cashier's or treasurer's check or by a United States postal, express or telegraph money order. Make checks and money orders payable to "Internal Revenue Service. Only the right, title, and interest of George M. Taff in and to the property will be offered for sale. Doyle Hammack, Revenue Officer, 2305 Federal Building, Abilene, Texas.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
 THE STATE OF TEXAS  
 To: The Father of Jeffrey Allan Martin Defendant. Greeting:  
 You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 19th day of June 1975, at or before ten o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Callahan County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Baird, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on the 8th day of May A. D. 1975, in this cause, numbered 12,576 on the docket of said court, and styled, In The Interest of a Child.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: In the Interest of a Child.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows to wit: The whereabouts of the father of Jeffrey Allan Martin are unknown. The Step Father is in the process of Adopting Jeffrey Allan Martin, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas this 9 day of May A. D. 1975.

Attest:  
 S/ MRS. CORA MAE PAYNE Clerk,  
 District Court, Callahan County, Texas.

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**YARD SALE:** Hwy. 36, Pioneer across from Smith's grocery. Friday and Saturday. Clothes records, books, curtains, patterns, shoes, jewelry, hand knitted and crocheted items. 8 1tp

**FOR SALE:** Young Charolais bulls. J. M. Greenwood, phone 725-7282. 8 3tc

**NOW OPEN:** Markham Fruit Stand 1 1/2 miles east of Cross Plains on Highway 36. Featuring pineapple, tomatoes, squash and Colorado pinto beans. 1tc

**STANLEY'S CRITTERS** formerly Stanley Kennel, now open in new location: Hwy. 67, Brownwood to Bangs, follow the signs. Open weekly Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and every third Sunday monthly. Buying live caught young and adult raccoon, fox, ringtail, bobcat. Other. For prices write Rt. 1, Box 403-A Brownwood, Texas. Will buy furs in season. For sale, live traps, carrying cages and catchers. 6 4tc

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We are deeply grateful for friends and neighbors for their prayerful concern during my illness, while in the hospital and since returning home. Your every act of kindness is sincerely appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Conn

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 Again we wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends and relatives for prayers, calls, visits, food, flowers and comforting words upon the loss of our dear mother.

May God bless each of you.  
 The Family of Mrs. Emory Foster

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Attest:  
 S/ MRS. CORA MAE PAYNE Clerk,  
 District Court, Callahan County, Texas.

**NOTICE!**  
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**BABYSITTING** in my home. Phone 725-6227. 8 2tc

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**BABYSITTER** needed for 9 mo. old girl beginning May 27. Call 725-6284 after 6 p.m. 7 2tp

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**FOR SALE BY SEALED BIDS:** 3-point blade, scraper and shredder. Items may be seen at bus barn at Cross Plains school campus. Sealed bids accepted until 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 15. Bids to be opened by school board night of May 15. Board reserves right to reject any or all bids. Address bids to Superintendent Cross Plains Schools. 4 7tc

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"Our World Is What We Make of It"	Valedictorian
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Infant Daughter Of Ex-Local Couple Dies

Sherry Lynn Flippin, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred die Flippin of Abilene, well-known ex-local couple, died at 7:30 a.m. Thursday at an Abilene hospital.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at Cedar Hill Cemetery. The Rev. Travis R. Bedford officiated.

Survivors include her parents; a brother, Eric Wade Flippin of the home, paternal grandmother, Mrs. Winnie Flippin of Pioneer and maternal grandmother, Mrs. E. B. Hindman of Abilene.

Local Youths Place In Rodeo At May

According to announcement by officials of the May Junior Rodeo, three Cross Plains area youths placed in the event held May 8, 9 and 10 at May.

Sherry Koenig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Koenig took first place in the junior goat tying.

Paula Wright shared second place in the senior goat tying competition. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wright.

Glen Dale Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Phillips of Pioneer, captured third place in the bronc event.

No times nor points were announced.

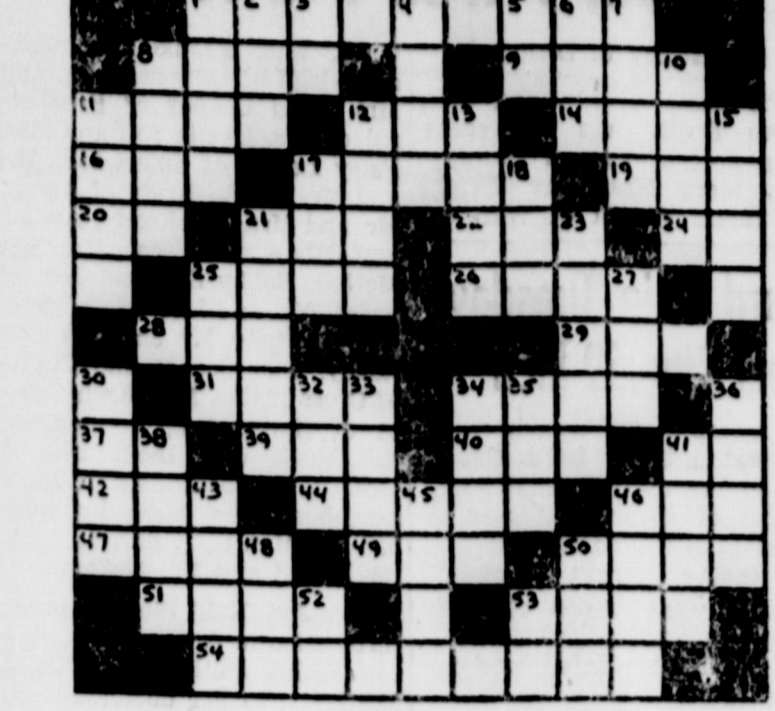
Girl Known Locally On Champ Golf Team

The Booker, Texas, girls golf team ran away with the Class B state high school championship at Morris Williams Golf Course in Austin, recently by defeating its opponent by 83 strokes.

Mona Marshall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Marshall of Booker, is a member of the team. Miss Marshall is a sophomore at the Booker school.

Mrs. Marshall will be remembered in this area as the former Dot Branton of Rising Star. Mona is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Pulley Buchanan of Rising Star, and is the granddaughter of Mrs. Frances Marshall of Pioneer who now resides in Iowa Park.

CROSSWORD By A. C. Gordon



- ACROSS**
- 1 - Ancient military great
  - 8 - Very soon
  - 9 - Persian poet
  - 11 - A fissure
  - 12 - Poker prize
  - 14 - Extended over
  - 16 - Ager
  - 17 - Continuous course
  - 19 - Mineral spring
  - 20 - Preposition
  - 21 - Blenish
  - 22 - Bring legal action against
  - 24 - Musical note
  - 25 - Force; power
  - 26 - Withered
  - 28 - Destiny
  - 29 - Bull
  - 31 - Goffing devices
  - 34 - Morally low
  - 37 - Opposed to in a sporting way
  - 39 - Collegiate cheer
  - 40 - Lila
  - 41 - Greek letter
  - 42 - ... lala
  - 44 - Fix firmly
  - 45 - Thing, in law
- DOWN**
- 1 - Girl's name
  - 2 - Allotted share
  - 3 - Printer's unit
  - 4 - Shakespeare's birthplace
  - 5 - Perform
  - 6 - Printer's units
  - 7 - Utters sharply
  - 8 - ... sol bomb
  - 10 - Deeply engrossed
  - 11 - Ceremony
  - 12 - Saucy
  - 13 - To draw
  - 15 - Fastening device
  - 17 - To convert into leather
  - 18 - Regret
  - 21 - Wood joint
  - 23 - Expunge
  - 25 - Tiny mark
  - 27 - The day before the big day
  - 30 - Casttime Russian tear
  - 32 - Auricle
  - 33 - To embark
  - 34 - South African Dutchman
  - 35 - Insect
  - 36 - Famous Italian actress
  - 38 - Thick slice
  - 41 - Military meal
  - 43 - Asiatic nation
  - 45 - To conceal
  - 46 - Decays
  - 48 - Time period
  - 50 - Lala
  - 52 - Social Protocol (abbr.)
  - 53 - Behold!

Mailbox Improvement Week Is May 19-24

Postmaster, Joe E. Hanke, Jr. announced that the Postal Service has designated the week of May 19-24 as Mailbox Improvement Week, whereby rural customers are encouraged to improve the appearance of their mailboxes. A neat attractive mailbox will make a significant contribution to the appearance of the countryside and the streets within a town, Hanke noted.

The placing of the owner's name on the mailbox is optional, but where box numbers are assigned, the box number must be shown on the side of the box visible to the carrier as he approaches, or on the box door where boxes are grouped.

Clasp envelopes at Review

Recent Band Trip Details Told

Editor's Note: Following is an article penned by Carroll Rhodes, director of the Buffalo Band of Cross Plains High School, concerning the band's recent trip to Corpus Christi.

(The Sound of Percussion)" and "Horse". The band finished the parade at 11 o'clock, and although the band was still going strong, after the parade was over there was not a more exhausted group of kids or band director. It was 11:30 before the buses got everyone back to the motel, which agreed to keep its restaurant and swimming pool open late for the kids. It was nearly 2 a.m. before everyone had a chance to eat. If Mrs. Joan Apple and Tim Mosley had gone back into the motel's kitchen and started cooking, the band would still be waiting on their orders. In fact, some of the sponsors and students ended up being waitresses and dishwashers.

After a short night's rest, the band loaded and left the motel at 9:30 a.m., but stopped at a truck driver's restaurant to eat a combination breakfast-dinner. They did not eat at the motel for the service was terrible. The cafe had been contacted earlier and had assured that they would be able to handle everyone. The band arrived at the cafe at 9:45 a.m. and it was 12:30 a.m. before everyone was through eating. It seems that the cafe's extra help didn't show up. This is what

On May 2, the Cross Plains Buffalo Band, the Pride of Cross Plains, met at the band hall at 8 a.m. and after an inspection, loaded and left at 8:45 for the Corpus Christi Buccaneer Illuminated Night Parade. Traveling in a caravan of two buses, a van, a pickup, and a car, the trip went very smoothly. Everyone stopped at Marble Falls by a scenic roadside park overlooking the Colorado River and ate sack lunches. At 6:30 the buses pulled in at the May flower Motel which was just across the street from the bay. After checking in, everyone proceeded to eat and then go swimming in the motel pool. The next morning one group of students and sponsors left at 7 o'clock to go to the beach, while another group who wanted or needed their beauty sleep left at 9 for the beach. After spending the morning combing the beaches and swimming, everyone was ready to eat at 12:30.

At 3:30 the band assembled in full uniform and went to West Oso High School where all the bands were to congregate. At 5:30, the Cross Plains buses led a caravan of buses to the staging area, where each band was assigned a spot for assembling. Then the band had to wait from 5:30 to 9:30 before starting marching. The parade started at 8 p.m. but being the 32nd of 35 bands, it was 9:30 before Cross Plains was able to start. The parade was to have been three miles, but it turned out to be approximately four and one-half miles long, which is not counting "marking time" for about a mile. The band was well received throughout the parade and many favorable compliments were heard. The band's new uniforms really caused them to stand out. The people along the sidewalks were constantly asking for the band to play, which when they did, the crowds really enjoyed the numbers the band played which were "TSOP

caused the delay in getting back. Other than the buses getting separated from the sponsors' cars outside of San Antonio, the rest of the trip was fairly uneventful. In order to make up for lost time, nobody stopped for supper, but just snacked at each gasoline stop. The band arrived at Cross Plains at 10 p.m., Sunday night, and the lights of home never looked better.

The sponsors who went were Mr. and Mrs. Buck Brown, who took a car; Mr. and Mrs. John Burleson; Mrs. Joan Apple, who took a car; Mrs. McNutt; Betty Lewis; Betty Weiss; Mrs. Lillian Jackson; Jean McWilliams, who took a car; Mody Mosley, who took a van loaded with the students' suitcases, and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Rhodes, and all the band parents would like to thank the people of Cross Plains for supporting the band and helping to make the trip possible.

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## Concerned Citizen Group Says 'House Is On Fire'

By Wanetta Parson

Have you ever been called a "name" and knew by the language of the speaker that it was meant as an insult; yet, you did not know what it meant?

The Concerned Citizens of Texas and all opponents of ERA have recently been labeled as Communists, Ku Klux Klanners and Birchers by ERA proponents, who resort to attack when they can't face the facts. We know we aren't Communists and we haven't seen any of our members burning crosses. But since we didn't know what a "Bircher" was, we decided to find out.

Initial study was done via Congressional Record, June 12, 1962 and findings of the California Legislature which investigated the John Birch Society in the mid-sixties.

It was soon apparent that ERA proponents attacking us didn't know what the John Birch Society represented. It was found by the California investigation to be a non-religious study group, although most members are very religious and represent every church in our nation. The subject of the studies is Communism, its global structure, American subversion and ways to educate the public to recognize and defeat the subtle attempts to "take our nation without firing a shot." The organization is non-political, refusing to endorse even members who run for office.

In the early 60's the Society successfully educated enough people to cause the failure of a major piece of legislation the Communists desperately wanted passed. The California study revealed that the Society was then placed number 2 on the Communist list of enemies with the CIA being first. The Californians uncovered orders sent to comrades to "slander and discredit the John Birch Society". They even traced the planted story from one newspaper to another stating that the Birchers were Nazi "cells" and enemies of the California investigation.

After learning these findings we found that indeed many who were fighting ERA on an individual basis were members of the John Birch Society, but they receive no financing from the Society for this task. One active ERA opponent offered to show a film which we accepted for our May 8 meeting. We are thankful to know of such a well organized force seeking and sharing the facts with the public. We also extend our gratitude to each individual and organization who endeavors to fight ERA and the other corruptions gnawing away at America. It's a shame that most people still have their heads in the sand!

The goal of the Concerned Citizens of Texas is not a selfish one. We want only to preserve the principles that allowed the development of our great nation. The abandonment of these principles for so-called equal rights, legal fetal murder, smut schooling for children, support of those who are able but unwilling to work and other moral injustices to the taxpayer . . . is hurting you and our nation.

If a man is sleeping and his neighbor rously awakens him, he is apt to be angry . . . until he learns that the neighbor was only trying to warn him that his house was on fire. "Friend, your house is on fire!"

### Brother Of Local Man Dies Tuesday

S. J. Barnard, 86, of Mound, near Gatesville, passed away on Tuesday morning in a Gatesville hospital following an illness of about two years. Burial was at 2 p.m. today (Wednesday). Mr. Barnard was the brother of George Barnard of this city. He had lived most of his life in that area.

Mr. Barnard is survived by three daughters and three sons, three sisters and the one brother, George Barnard. He was preceded in death by his wife and one daughter.

## Putnam FLEAMK

(Continued from Page 1)

begin to feel something crawling on them, that they look in the yellow pages for a good exterminator.

Not all reporters who come to the FLEAMK are looking for just a story. Betty Cook, who writes for "Scene Magazine" of the Dallas Morning News, bought several items including a bear rug Reynolds had just purchased from a Moran citizen. In quizzing the rug's prior owner, she was unable to get any serious information about it so she concluded that it was a "hot" rug.

There are other times when things take a more serious turn . . . like the time the man broke the \$65.00 butter dish. Or, the occasion when the leg of the table gave way and \$200.00 worth of glass was demolished.

"How long have you been getting all this junk together?" And, "Where do you get it?" These are the two most commonly asked questions by those entering the FLEAMK for the first time. Answer to the first is simple because he is going on five years at the tank. Answer to the second is a bit more complicated because he makes auctions, estate sales, buys from other dealers and individuals and gets some of it from people who bring it to him. He usually concludes his explanation by saying that when people find out your are the "junk man", they will bring it to you.

In talking to R. W. you get the impression that he enjoys his hobby because the business is his own to run the way he likes, and, according to him "You don't have to think much to do it." In all he seems to take a certain amount of pride that he is a pretty important "junk man".

Mrs. O. D. Strahan and Mr. and Mrs. Nealon Young and granddaughter, Cheryl, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Stephenville. Mr. Young's aunt and uncle of Whitney were visited also.

Review Advertising pays.

## Pioneer Area News

By Esthloy S. Dickson

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady was the scene for a host of visitors recently. They were Mrs. May Wright and Claud Wright of Waurika,

Okla., Mrs. Frankie Campbell and Virgil of Lampasas, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooper of Breckenridge, Mrs. Myrtle Self and Mrs. Patsy Lester of Spicewood, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Roady of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Art Roady, Arthur and Calvin, of Abilene, Mrs. Sue McNeil, Bobby Sue and Joe, of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Freeman of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roady, Joe, George and Cindy, of Cross Plains, Mrs. Arch Cooper of Globe, Ari., is spending this week with them. She is Mrs. Calvin Roady's sister. Their neighbors who came by were Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Barton, Charley Harrel and Mr. McCarty.

### Hard Rain Tuesday Nets City .59 Inch

Showers early Tuesday morning and a brief, hard shower just before noon Tuesday yielded .59 of an inch of rain in Cross Plains, according to official weather bureau gauge.

There were traces of moisture both Sunday and Monday, but the light rainfall was not measurable.

Tuesday's .59 of an inch, combined with the .19 of an inch received here in three other showers on May 4, 10 and 11 and a shower on Tuesday of last week which measured .64 of an inch, brings the month's aggregate to 1.42 inches. Total for the year stood at 6.95 inches Tuesday afternoon.

### MRS. JAMES APPLE BACK FROM HOSPITAL STAYS

Mrs. James (Joan) Apple returned to her home here last Friday following a week's stay in a Cisco hospital and several days in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. She is much improved and feeling well now.

Mr. and Mrs. Nealon Young and granddaughter, Cheryl, from Mentone, California have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Young's sister, Mrs. O. D. Strahan. Mrs. Young is the former Ila Mae Everett.

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