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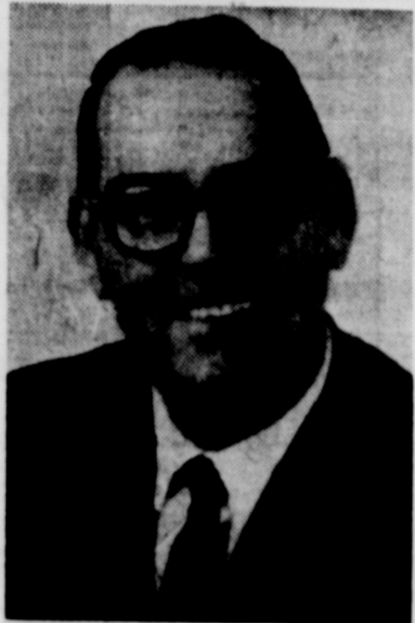
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SIXTY-SEVENTH YEAR

## Sons Honor O. B. Byrd at High District Post

O. B. Byrd, a member of the Cross Plains Lodge, was installed in the Cross Plains High District Post on December 4 as District Grand Master of the Fourth District of the Lodge of Texas. Magistrate of the Lodge is O. B. Byrd, of Albany, Baird, Cross Plains, Moran and the installation was in the Masonic Grand Temple as a final session of the Lodge of Texas. The installation was in the Brownwood Lodge on Thursday evening at the presence of newly installed Most Excellent Grand Master of the Lodge of Texas, Tom Yantis of Brownwood. Mr. Yantis was assisted by Furman Vinson, Grand Senior Warden; Walter Brownwood, District Grand Master of the Lodge of Texas; and O. B. Byrd, District Deputy Grand Master of the Lodge of Texas. This ceremony was the first official act of the newly installed of



O. B. Byrd

tron of the Brownwood Eastern Star, Mrs. Mary Call, District Deputy of the Eastern Star; Mrs. Bill Black, Mrs. Harry Goble and Mrs. Walter Dickens assisted Blanche Byrd in serving refreshments to the 73 guests who were present for the ceremonies at Brownwood.

## Special Service Set By Local Post Office

Cross Plains Post Office will offer special window service the next two Saturdays, December 13 and 20, for convenience of patrons during the Christmas rush period.

Joe E. Hanke, Jr., local postmaster, said that service windows will be open for two hours the next two Saturdays, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. only. Hanke noted that patrons may buy stamps, mail parcel post packages and accept delivery of parcel post.

No money orders nor food stamps will be sold on those two Saturdays, Hanke explained.

## Mothers Day Out Program Is Begun

A Mothers Day out program was begun in Cross Plains Tuesday. The project is being held each Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 12 noon in the basement of the First United Methodist Church. It is for children, ages 2 to 5 of non-working mothers.

It was noted that a \$2.00 registration fee per family is charged, but there will be no weekly fee.

Supervision is by two mothers each day who will work on a revolving, volunteer basis.

Ten to 15 children are expected, and Mrs. Chuck (Judy) Foff, who may be contacted at 725-7237 for additional information, said other children are invited.

Children's letters to Santa Claus will again be printed by the Review in the annual Christmas edition. That paper will go to press on Monday, Dec. 22, distributed on Tuesday, Dec. 23, one day earlier than the usual weekly schedule.

All local and area children's letters to Santa should be received by the Review not later than noon on Wednesday, Dec. 17, to insure inclusion in the Christmas paper.

**MRS. B. R. HARGROVE IS REPORTED DOING NICELY**  
Mrs. B. R. (Hargrove), operator of Settle's Cleaners, returned to her home here latter part of November following surgery in an Abilene hospital on November 11. She reports that she is recovering normally but is still unable to do very much.

## Work Nears Completion On New City Water Field

Work is nearing completion on connecting the new water field north of town to water distribution system serving the City of Cross Plains.

The job was originally estimated to cost about \$50,000, but first of this week outlays were estimated to be only about \$36,400. To the penny costs had not been compiled, as work was not finished, but Mayor Jack Scott and Billy Dillard, city employee overseeing the project, said that the project will be completed for almost \$14,000 under original estimates. The only private contractor bid received by the city was for \$53,000, with land cost not included.

The \$36,400 figure also includes land cost and expenses of testing and drilling additional wells.

Expenses, in round figures, reported by Dillard follow: land

purchase \$14,000 (after selling some equipment which came with the purchase), pipe \$14,000 (including 11,920 feet of plastic

six-inch main and 830 feet of two-inch well connecting pipe), easements \$800, pumps and connections \$1,700, bore under

Highway 206 \$1,000, labor \$480, ditching \$3,187.50, well testing and drilling \$725, miscellaneous expenses \$500.

City employees did major portion of the work in laying and connecting the pipeline. Ditching was done by Mike Kelley and Homer Simons, and road bore was contracted by Jack Green of Snyder.

Mayor Scott noted that the city workmen probably saved the city \$10,000 to \$15,000 by doing most of the labor on the job of laying the pipeline and connecting the system. "The council and I applaud Billy Dillard, A. B. Foster and Bill Hedrick for outstanding job they have done," Scott stated.

As soon as pumps arrive, expected to be soon, wells will be connected to the pipeline which has already been connected to city water treatment facilities in town. Only one of the five wells had been connected Monday.

The pipeline has been tested, however, and only one leak was found in the six-inch main.

City workmen laid the pipeline in just 10 working days.

The new water field is about two miles north of Cross Plains and contains 36 acres. Dillard said that it is estimated that 140 gallons of water per minute will be produced by the field for at least the first year.



**AT FB CONCLAVE**—Callahan-Shackelford County Farm Bureau was represented by seven delegates to the 42nd annual meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau, November 30 through December 3 held at the Convention Center at San Antonio. The delegates shown above are, left to right, seated: Troy Crockett and Mrs. Troy (Maxine) Crockett of

Cross Plains, Mrs. Glenn Leach of Albany and Mrs. Bill Lawrence of Rowden; standing are W. C. Vines and Mr. Leach of Albany and Mr. Lawrence. Some 1,500 persons from all parts of Texas attended the parley which featured outstanding speakers, including Gov. Dolph Briscoe, conferences and general business session.

## Piano Recital Set Here On Saturday

Piano pupils of Mrs. Clyde Smith will be presented in a Christmas recital Saturday afternoon, Dec. 13, at 2 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains.

The public is invited to attend the recital.

Those performing on the program will be Carol Morgan, Deanna Conlee, Ticia Wilson, Melissa Morgan, Shelly Strength, Staci Weiss, Stacey Pope, Jill Richardson.

Also: Paula Kay Hanke, Tommie Conlee, Cindi Garrett, Leesa Higginbottom, Cindy Montgomery, James Garrett, Dena Nickerson and Terry Dillard.

## Husband, Wife To Receive Tarleton Degrees Dec. 14

Mr. and Mrs. Kim Beggs of Stephenville, both former local residents, will each receive degrees during graduation ceremonies at Tarleton State University at Stephenville on Sunday, December 14. Both will be graduated with honors.

Kim, the 23-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beggs of Pioneer, will receive a M.S.T. (master of science teaching) degree. He received his bachelor of science degree in May this year in vocational agricultural education. His master's degree will also be in agricultural education.

Mrs. Beggs (Susie) is the 20-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. (Dick) Koenig of near

Burkett. She will receive a B.B.A. (bachelor of business administration) degree. Her major is in business education, and her minor is in English.

Both attended Cross Plains High School.

## 21 LOCAL FIREMEN AT ANNUAL YULE DINNER

Twenty-one members of the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department attended the organization's annual Christmas dinner at Odum's Restaurant Monday night.

The firemen were served choice of steak or oyster dinners.

## MRS. LLOYD MONTGOMERY AT BAIRD NURSING HOME

Mrs. Lloyd Montgomery of Cross Plains was taken to a Baird nursing home last Thursday after having spent 16 days in an Abilene hospital. Kinsmen here said Tuesday that Mrs. Montgomery was not responding to medication satisfactorily.

## Agent Advises Stockmen About Winter Herd Care

Going into the winter season, cow-calf producers should give serious consideration to pregnancy testing their cow herd and then culling open cows as soon as possible. Once the cow herd is reduced, a number of alternatives become possible, points out Greg Gerngross of Baird, County Agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

He listed the following possibilities:

1. More land becomes available for the remaining cow herd, thus permitting conservation of pastures and rangelands.
2. Cash outflow is reduced during the winter period since less outside feed resources will be needed.
3. Other types of production could be integrated into the cow-calf operation. With winter pastures, ownership of steer calves might be retained after they go to custom feedlots.

## LOCAL CAGERS TO VIE IN BAIRD TOURNAMENT

Varsity basketball teams at Cross Plains High School will compete in the invitational cage tournament at Baird Thursday through Saturday.

Both local teams will take on Baird units Thursday. Girls will play at 7 p.m., and boys will tangle at 8:30.

## Tex Williams Due At Burkett Church

Tex Williams of the Sunset School of Preaching at Lubbock, will speak Sunday morning, Dec. 14, at the Burkett Church of Christ. He will give a report on the mission work they are doing, according to a spokesman of the church.

Mr. Williams is well known in Burkett and this area, having held several meetings in that community and surrounding area.

It was noted that everyone is invited to attend the Sunday service.

## Goldthwaite, Baird Claim Basketball Tournery Titles

Goldthwaite girls and Baird boys captured championships of the annual Cross Plains High School invitational basketball tournament played in Buffalo Gymnasium last week end.

Goldthwaite girls defeated Rising Star feminine unit 61-31 in the championship game, and Baird's Bears thumped Cross Plains Buffaloes 57-33 for top prize. Second place went to losers of the championship games.

Bangs defeated Paint Creek 63-48 for third place in the female division of the meet, and Baird girls decisioned Cross Plains Buffettes 63-32 for consolation crown.

Eula boys romped over Rising Star 107-54 for third place

in the boys bracket, and Bangs Dragons trimmed Paint Creek 55-41 for consolation title in the same division.

Trophies were presented to first, second and third place winner and consolation victors in both brackets.

Eight-member all-tournament teams were selected in both male and feminine divisions.

The feminine team was comprised of forwards Cindy Collins of Eula, Sheila McPherson of Baird, Mina Johnson of Goldthwaite and Pam Hill of Rising Star; and guards Lee Ann Robinson of Bangs, Mickey Ynostrosa of Goldthwaite, Pam Hunt of Rising Star and Karen Cauthen of Baird.

The male elite team included Jerry White and Terry Goodman of Eula, Delbert Dodds of Paint Creek, Mark Newton of Bangs, Larry Futch and Gary Jennings of Baird, Nicky Newbury of Rising Star and Monty Richards of Cross Plains.

Goldthwaite girls cruised through three opponents to annex the crown. On Thursday the eventual winners eased past Baird 35-29, and on Friday the sextet nipped Bangs 47-44. Rising Star bowed in the finals 61-31.

Rising Star reached the finals by defeating Cross Plains Junior Varsity 66-19, and Paint Creek 58-35.

Bangs clipped Eula 52-50 in opener, then fell to Goldthwaite before thumping Paint Creek 63-49 for third place in girls division.

After dropping the game to Goldthwaite girls, Baird sextet defeated Eula 65-41 before beating Cross Plains Buffettes 63-

32 in consolation finals. Buffettes lost first game to Paint Creek 55-49, but defeated local junior varsity unit 45-27 before falling in consolation finals.

Baird Bears humbled Goldthwaite Eagles 75-30 and defeated Eula 43-40 to reach the finals in which the unit beat Cross Plains 57-33.

Buffaloes opened with a 71-42 victory over Paint Creek and gained the berth in championship game with a 47-39 decision over Rising Star.

In quest for third place trophy Eula Pirates axed Bangs 81-43 before bowing to Baird and humbling Rising Star 107-54, in third place game.

Rising Star reached third place by clipping Baird Junior Varsity 50-38, and bowing to Cross Plains.

After first round loss, 81-43 to Eula, Bangs defeated Goldthwaite 53-42. The Dragons beat Paint Creek 55-41 for consolation title.

Paint Creek lost first game to Cross Plains, then defeated Baird Junior Varsity 65-48 for consolation berth.

## E. C. ROBY REPORTED TO BE IMPROVING

E. C. Roby of Spur, formerly of Cross Plains, is reported to be improving in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Tuesday morning.

He was transferred back to Abilene last week end after spending some time in a Dallas hospital. It was believed here Tuesday morning that Mr. Roby would be allowed to return home this week.

Clasp Envelopes at Review.

## Couples Attend Farmers Co-Op

Area couples representing Farmers Co-Op at a meeting of Farm and Home Inc. held in Kansas December 3, 4 and 5 as delegates for the firm were Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Dawkins of Cross Plains and Mrs. C. W. Rising Star. All three on the board of directors of the Pioneer Co-Op.

and Industries which nearly \$90 in cash to associations, serves 2,100 local cooperatives in 15 states. The association headquartered in Kansas

included the report of Ernest T. Lindland president. He reported in the last fiscal year \$1.5 billion, with a sharp increase over records. Other outstanding speakers were heard in

entertainment was a country extravaganza featuring Ernie Ford and Glenn

## Baird Man Charged In Fatal Rowden Accident

P. Smedley, 84, of Baird, was charged with "involuntary manslaughter" in Garvin Jones, just north of Baird Tuesday

charges grew out of an accident at intersection of State 36 and U. S. Highway 29 in which Harris Dickerson, 71, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dickerson of Cross Plains, was killed. The accident, filed by Don Gosnell, District Attorney of Public Safety, charged that Smedley through negligence caused the death of the

Dickerson youth. Smedley, who suffered head lacerations in the mishap was reported to be driving a pickup northbound on U. S. 283. The pickup and the Dickersons' small foreign auto, said traveling east on Texas 36, collided about 5:10 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 29.

Also injured in the Dickerson auto was the driver, Robert Henry Dickerson, and two more of his children, Russell Scott Dickerson, 2, and Robbie Ann Dickerson, 5.

It was reported that Dr. James B. Hays, a Brownwood physician, who drove up on the accident scene and gave emergency treatment to the injured, pronounced Richard Harris Dickerson dead at the scene.



# Sabanno Sector News

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

This coming Friday night will be game night at the community center. Everyone has an invitation to come and enjoy the evening and visit old friends.

The Busy Bee Club ladies were to have their last meeting of 1975 this Tuesday, Dec. 9. This will be our last meeting of this year. Mrs. Galdon Lawson was to be hostess for this meeting. She is one of four new members, and is a good one.

Mrs. Lillie Williams returned home from a hospital stay in Irving last Tuesday. She is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Tucker of Rising Star visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wordis Erwin Sunday. Mrs. Erwin and Mrs. Tucker are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Arzie Green visited with Mr. and Mrs. Zed Green in Cisco Sunday night.

M. P. Wilcoxon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Adams and daughter, Tony of Lubbock visited with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin, during the past week. Mrs. Adams is the former Donna Erwin. The men enjoyed quail hunting.

Mrs. J. D. Otts is a patient in the All Saints Hospital in Fort Worth. We hope she will soon be improved and back home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coggin and children of Mineola visited with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boen, Friday night.

Mrs. Edwin Erwin had a phone call Sunday telling her of the death of her cousin, Mrs. Maizie (Smith) Zellars of Sipe Springs. She had been in an Eastland hospital for some time, suffering from a stroke several weeks ago. Burial will be in Sipe Springs Cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

Little Shane Clark of Gustine is visiting his great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, here.

Mrs. Ray Watson and children were in Abilene Saturday.

Visiting with Josie and Alma Morris recently were Mrs. Hazel Fraser and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frazer and children of Hurley, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Joy Chapman and daughter, W. A. Morris and son all of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Dal Brown and children of Cross Plains; Mrs. Emma Kent, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cathey and little son of Rising Star; Mrs. Dale Flippin and children of Pioneer; Mrs. Jay Chapman and Mrs. W. A. Morris and sons of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. David Holcomb and little son of Rule visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb recently. Morris of Colorado City, Carolyn Eunice Morris of Coleman, Jack Morris of California, J. C. Morri of Colorado City, Carolyn Edwards of Odessa, and grand-

son, Mack, and wife of Austin, visited with Josie and Alma Morris recently.

Mrs. C. L. Webb and Mrs. Wordis Erwin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Monday morning.

A report from Ralph Erwin of Hobbs N. M., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin, who was injured in a two-vehicle accident several weeks ago, is that he is slowly improving. He will be in the hospital until after Christmas, but writes that he is doing nicely and enjoys the many nice cards from his friends in Cross Plains, Rising Star and Sabanno.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins returned home from a trip to Kansas City, Mo., Friday. This was a trip in behalf of Farmers Land Convention and Pioneer Farmers Co-Op. Others who made the trip were Mr. and Mrs. James Chesshir and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Richter. The trip was made by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb visited with their children and families in Clyde. The Gerold Holcomb's Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and Mrs. Jimmie Clark and children, recently.

Mrs. Alfred Hulse of Marble Falls, and Mrs. Evelyn Campbell of El Paso, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Bell, visited with the Edwin Erwins a while Monday morning and at the Sabanno Cemetery where they visit in a rest home at Baird, father's grave. Their mother is in a rest home at Baird.

Randy Foster, was a dinner guest with his Erwin grandparents Monday.

Mrs. Millie King is visiting with Mrs. Wes Holcomb a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boen, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas and James and Irvin Boen of Hamlin were Thanksgiving dinner guests with their sister and mother Mrs. Addie Brumfield in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Nathan Foster, accompanied Mrs. Randy Foster and Kyle to Abilene Monday on business.

Neal Smith of Houston spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith. Other recent guests in the home were Paul Smith of Cedar Hill, Russell Gage of Fort Worth and Ostar Gage of Cisco.

Frank E. Rundell, superintendent of Cross Plains schools, was in Abilene on school business Thursday.

Visitors with Mrs. Ella Dean Monday were Mrs. Ida Gray, Mrs. J. T. Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutten.

Deadline for Advertising is 5 O'clock Monday.

Office Supplies At Review

## MRS. ELLA DEAN RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL FRIDAY

Mrs. Ella Dean returned to her home in Cross Plains last Friday afternoon after spending eight days in an Eastland hospital as a medical patient. She is reported to be improved, but says that she is still weak and must take things easy for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcell Sledge and son, Mark, of Kermit visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Norris, at Cross Cut two days last week, and attended funeral service for Mr. Sledge's father, John Curtis Sledge of Bangs, at Comanche Friday afternoon.

## RE-ENTRY PROJECT SET IN SOUTH PUTNAM FIELD

T. A. Kirk and H. L. Neeb of Abilene, will reenter and deepen to 3,300 feet an abandoned project five miles south of Putnam in Callahan County Regular Field.

It is No. 1 E. V. Ramsey located on a 480 acre lease. Site is 2,310 feet from the north and 990 feet from the east lines of Section 319, Block 5, SP Survey. The project was originally drilled as Woodson Oil Co. No. 1 E. V. Ramsey.

Toll-free telephone service is available to Veterans Administration regional offices from 312 cities in 45 states.

## Classmates Surprise New Pioneer Pastor

Last Sunday was the Rev. A. G. (Glynn) Purvis' first sermon as pastor of the Pioneer Baptist Church, and nine members of his 1932 graduating class at Scranton High School attended the worship services.

Rev. Purvis who with his wife moved to Cross Plains from Ferris last week, was surprised by his former classmates. One of his classmates reported that Rev. Purvis did not immediately recognize some of the visitors he knew so well in past years.

Classmates surprising him included Mr. and Mrs. R. B. (Bob)

## LOCAL DANCERS INVITE TO ABILENE ON DEC 12

Good Time Squares Club of Abilene will square dance this Friday, Dec. 12, at 8 p.m. at the Wheel on the old Tye in Cross Plains and area are invited to attend the Dan Lampson of Fort Worth be the caller.

Mrs. C. A. McGee of and her daughter, Mrs. Vergel Stacy of Kerrville Thanksgiving in Denver with another daughter and Mrs. Miller, and her granddaughter, Pa-

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HOW TO STUDY THE BIBLE . . . Continued

**Number ten:** There are times when we need to study by word. This type of study recognizes and grows out of appreciation for the inspiration of the Bible. The Bible itself teaches that the original words (Hebrew words for the Old Testament and Greek words for the New Testament) were words selected by the Holy Spirit. There is great value in studying these words. This type of study involves: (1) ascertaining what the original word is; (2) obtaining the lexical definition of that word; (3) consideration of the use of this word in other passages; and (4) lessons to be learned.

In this connection, and for your further study let me suggest to you a few words. In Tim. 3:1 Paul says, "This is a true saying. If a man desire the office of a bishop, he desireth a good work." This is the King James reading, and we are emphasizing the word "desire". The ASV has "seeketh the office of a bishop, . . .". The word translated "desire" and "seeketh" is the Greek word "orego". In Chapter 6, verse, Paul says, "For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil: which some reaching after have been led astray from the faith, and have pierced themselves through with many sorrows". Note carefully the "reaching after". Paul here is discussing the wrong attitude toward material things. He is discussing the man in whose life material things come first. Money becomes his aim, his goal, his god, his life. Such an attitude is sinful. Paul's discussion of this man and his sinful attitude helps me to understand the attitude which a man must have in order to meet the qualifications for elders. For, the "reaching after" of I Tim. 6:10 is the same Greek word as "desire" in I Tim. 3:10 — the word "orego".

(To Be Continued Next Week)

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### FLOUR

GLADIOLA, 5 LB. BAG. LIMIT 1

69c

ORCHID, 150 COUNT BOX Facial Tissue, 3 boxes ..... \$1
ALL APPLE BASE Jelly, Bama, 18 oz. jar, 2 for ..... \$1
HUNT'S Ketchup, 20 oz. bottle, 2 for ..... \$1

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ORCHID, 60 COUNT PACKAGE Napkins, 5 packages ..... \$1
HUNT'S, 300 SIZE Tomatoes, 3 cans \$1
HUNT'S TOMATO, 8 OZ. SIZE Sauce, 6 cans ..... \$1

COOKING SAUCE, Ragu, 21 ounce jar ..... 99c
BROWNIE MIX, Duncan Hines, 23 ounce box ..... \$1.09
BLUEBERRY MIX, Duncan Hines, 13 ounce box ..... 77c
MACARONI, Skinner's large elbo mac., 24 oz. bag ..... 83c
PIZZA, Kraft Cheese, each ..... 83c
PIZZA, Kraft Sausage, each ..... \$1.09
SPICED PEACHES, Hunt's, whole, no. 2 1/2 can ..... 89c
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GANDY'S QUALITY CHECKED Egg Nog, quart ..... 69c
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TOWN HOUSE CRACKERS, 12 oz. box ..... 69c
NABISCO NILLA VANILLA WAFERS, 12 ozs. .... 59c

GIVE FOOD FOR CHRISTMAS . . .  
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## Pioneer News Topics

By Esthloy S. Dickson

I hope more of the Pioneer citizens will call me and give me their news—I just can't write it if I don't know it.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming, Mrs. Nancy Matthews, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fleming and Alan spent Thanksgiving Day at Pampa with the Glen Flemings.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming and Mrs. Opal Fleming of May were in Brownwood last Sunday to attend the 50th wedding anniversary observance for Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Doyle Roberts of Denver City visited the Joe Flemings last Saturday.

Mrs. Fleming took Joe to Abilene on Monday to see his doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beggs are really proud of their 'kiddoes', Kem and Susie, who are graduating with high honors this week

end at Tarleton State University. Congratulations, Kem and Susie! I'm thrilled for you, also.

Mrs. W. R. Gibson's guests (Monday of this week were Mrs. Ruby McCowen of Cross Plains and Anna Hill of Corona, Calif.

Apparently the Pioneer Baptist Church had a very fine service last Sunday with their new pastor, Rev. Glynn Purvis, when nine members of his 1932 graduating class at Scranton High School attended the services. We wish for them a very successful ministry there.

### J. B. GREEN BACK FROM TEMPLE HOSPITAL

J. B. (Jake) Green returned to his home near Cottonwood last Saturday following some six weeks stay in the Veterans Administration Hospital at Temple where he underwent knee surgery on November 4th. Mr. Green is reported to be recovering normally and will not have to return to the hospital until January 5.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watson of Denver City, former local residents, came through here on Friday of last week en route to Dallas to visit his brother. He came by the Review office and gave Mr. Glover a nice contribution to the Cemetery Association.

To report fire in Cross Plains Call 725-6234.

### LOCAL MAN'S MOTHER IN HOSPITAL AT FORT WORTH

Mrs. J. J. (Mary) Johnston, Sr. of Fort Worth, mother of Dan Johnston of Cross Plains, is reported to be seriously ill in St. Joseph's Hospital in Fort Worth.

She was placed in the intensive care unit of the hospital on Saturday, and is undergoing tests and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnston were at her bedside last week end, returning here Monday to their truck dealership.

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SATURDAY — DEC. 13, 1975 — 10:30 A.M.  
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From Ballinger 5 Miles on San Angelo Hwy. (57) to Pinkie's Liquor Store, Cross Railroad Track. Then 1 Mile North, "720" John Deere L.P. Tractor (3 pt. & Live PTO); John Deere 3 Row Front Mount Cultivator; John Deere 4 Row Lister Tool Bar; John Deere 2 Row Tool Bar Planter (3 pt.); John Deere "77" Cotton Stripper; 2 Bale Factory Built Cotton Trailer.

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**QUEEN FINALIST** — Miss Terrye Lee Logan of Eula, pictured above, was a finalist in Texas Farm Bureau Queen contest held in conjunction with the organization's state convention in San Antonio last week. Miss Logan represented the Callahan-Shackelford FB unit and District 7, comprised of 17 counties. She is a senior at Eula High School, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Logan.

### Saturday Rites For Mrs. Rodger Thate

Funeral service was held at 2 p.m. Saturday from Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman for Mrs. Roger (Betty) Thate of Burkett.

Mrs. Thate, 28, was found dead in her Burkett home last Thursday about 2:30 p.m. by her husband. An autopsy was ordered by Coleman County Justice of the Peace Walter Holt.

The Rev. Milton Baty, pastor of the Novice Baptist Church and former pastor of the Burkett Baptist Church, officiated the final rites. Burial was in Laurel Land Cemetery in Dallas on Monday.

Born Jan. 17, 1947, in Whidby Island, Wash. Mrs. Thate married Rodger Thate Jan. 21, 1974 in Fort Worth. She had lived in Burkett since then and was a Methodist.

Survivors include her husband; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Norvell of Dallas; a sister, Sherry of Dallas; a brother, Jerry of Dallas; and a grandmother, Mrs. Mamie Norvell of Dallas.

### FOOD STAMP PROGRAM REP. HERE ON TUESDAYS

Local residents who participated in the Food Stamp program are reminded that Tom Barton, a worker for the program, will be in Cross Plains on the second Tuesday of each month. He will be at the Multi-Purpose Center from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. each second Tuesday.

Anyone needing to confer with him may meet him at the center during those hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barr visited in Glen Cove last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Braswell. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robbins of Tehoka visited with Mr. and Mrs. Barr.

### WELCOME TO SERVICES AT

**Cottonwood Church Of Christ**

Bible Study . . . . . 10 A.M.  
Morning Worship . . . 11 A.M.  
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And Bible Study . . . 7 P.M.

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## Rowden Sector News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

These are busy days for the housewife who plans for Christmas—house to clean and decorate, presents have to be selected and wrapped and some hidden from childrens peeping eyes. It is a special time of year for all of us, young and old.

The community Christmas supper will be at the center this Saturday night at 6 p.m. Come, bring your meal and enjoy eating with friends. The games of 42 and visiting will take over the social hour. Visitors are welcomed.

Mrs. Ray Boen was in Clyde last Monday where she visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge. Those visiting Jerry McDonald during the week were Henry McDonald of Baird, Ned McDonald and Tommy Phillips of Cross Plains and Jesse Bower.

Those attending the Farmland annual meeting in Kansas City last week were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris. Also Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Johnson of Odlin and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry of Cisco. Jimmy West is manager of the Baird Cooperative Farm store. They reported a good meeting and enjoyable time.

Chris West of Baird spent last week at his parents' home while they made the trip to Kansas City.

Those visiting in the Warren Price home Saturday were Mrs. Mike Moore of Abilene, Ralph Bates of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Price of Cottonwood.

Mrs. Warren Price reported that her brother, Jimmy Smedley had been dismissed from the Baird hospital following his accident the week before.

Mrs. Tommy Dye, and sons, Gene and Douglas spent the week end in Irving with friends. Mrs. Russell Dye attended the monthly meeting of the Big Country Porcelain Art Club luncheon and Christmas party at the Thunderbird Lodge in Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bell moved their mobile home last week to the Benton Pruitt place south of Baird. We will miss having them in our community and hope they will visit with all of us.

Those visiting in the Robert Watson home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. John D. Montgomery and Cindy, R. G. Watson of Oxon Hill, Maryland; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Needham and children of Coleman and Mrs. James Reynolds, Ellen and Jane and Bea Jackson of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dye.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Crockett of Cross Plains attended the Farm Bureau annual meeting in San Antonio last week. While there Mrs. Lawrence had a chance to visit some of her family. Mrs. Susie Slaughter, Mrs. Dovie Scharn her aunts and a cousin, Mrs. Loy Hyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrell spent the week end in Abilene with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Newberry.

Rev. B. H. Moore, pastor of the Baird Presbyterian Church had Sunday dinner in the Russell Dye home. Tommy Dye and his friend were there for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer and Michael of Clyde visited in the Sterling Odom home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. Ray Boen last Friday.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Hollingshead and Mrs. Elveda Sikes of Abilene to Cross Plains Saturday for a visit with their other

sister, Mrs. Walter Rose and Walter. Mrs. N. V. Gibbs had lunch last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Rose.

Those visiting in the Tony Steele home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Burleson of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jer-nagen of Desdemona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCord of Cross Plains visited briefly in the Sterling Odom home recently.

### DICK VESTAL ATTENDS CALIFORNIA MEETING

Dick Vestal, vocational agriculture teacher at Baird and local stockman, flew to Los Angeles last week to attend a vocational agriculture association meeting. Vestal is vice-president of the Texas Association.

### DE LEON TESTS SEAGRAVES AT SWEETWATER FR

De Leon Bearcats, District 10-A football champs, will play Seagraves in state semi-final contest at Sweetwater's Mustang Bowl Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Seagraves has been rated number 1 Class A grid team in the state all year by Associated

Press and the Harris rated De Leon tops.

De Leon beat Holl last Friday in a quarter match.

S. M. Smith of Plain part of last week end. W. E. (Bill) Koenig.

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- SUNSHINE CHIP-A-ROOS, 1 package . . . . .
- SUNSHINE LEMON COOLERS, 10 oz. size, 1 for . . . . .

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- HAMBURGER HELPER, mac. & cheese or chili tomato . . . . .
- TAMALE PIE OR ENCHILADA CASSEROLE, Schillings, ea. . . . .
- JET-PUFFED MARSHMALLOWS, 10 oz. pkg., 1 for . . . . .
- GRIFFIN'S APRICOT PRESERVES, 2 lb. jar . . . . . \$1.39
- NESTEA, 4 ounce jar, 1 for . . . . . \$2.99

## Coffee MAXWELL HOUSE, ALL GRINDS, 1 LB. CAN \$1.39

- BACON, Decker's, 1 pound package . . . . . \$1.39
- HAMS, half or whole, per pound . . . . . \$1.39
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- FRANKS, 12 ounce package . . . . .
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### Strahans Anniversary

Mrs. J. H. Strahan observed their 65th anniversary last Sunday afternoon at their open house at their East 8th Street, for 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Mrs. Strahan had been in Memorial Hospital in Abilene September 4 until when she became resident at the local nursing home. Her children were here for the occasion. They were Mrs. James Strahan, Durango, Colo. Dr. and Mrs. Arden Strahan of Odessa, and one of their 13 grandchildren were here. Mrs. Strahan baked a three-layer wedding cake. They were helped to make the very happy occasion, especially Mr. Strahan, and the family in expressing thanks to all who had a part in the affair.

Lois Parkinson of Dallas was here on Monday of last week with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. McCann. On Tuesday they went to Eden to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hanson, both of whom are in hospital, in serious condition.



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**LOCAL LADY'S MOTHER REMAINS IN HOSPITAL**  
Mr. and Mrs. Exal McMillan went to Fort Worth again last week end to be with her mother Mrs. Jake Barnes, who is in a hospital there. They visited her and other members of the family Thanksgiving week end also. Mrs. Barnes' condition this week end was about the same. It was reported. She had more tests on Monday, also some therapy was started on Monday.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank everyone for the nice gifts, flowers, food cards and prayers while I was in the hospital and since returning home. May God bless each and every one.  
B. R. and Gladys Hargrove

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I hope that my many friends and my children will accept this note as personal thanks for being so nice to me while I was in the hospital and since returning home. I also wish to express my sincere appreciation for the prayers, phone calls, beautiful cards, lovely flowers and the plate of eight or nine slices of different kinds of pie the Pioneer Community Club sent from the Christmas party. May God bless each of you in a special way.  
Ella Dean

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to express my appreciation to all my friends for the lovely cards, letters and calls during my stay in the hospital. May God bless you. Also, special thanks to the Review for sending me the paper.  
J. B. (Jake) Green  
Alton E. Hornsby visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young in Baird Saturday night.

Deadline for news 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.  
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LOST: Lemon and white female pointer bird dog. Wearing black collar. Finder please notify Randy Foster. 725-6405. 37 2tp

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our sincere thanks to everyone for their concern for Mr. Strahan. Since no one was admitted to the room except the family, we thank all who came but were not allowed to see him. Especially do we thank Rev. Simonson, and Rev. Brooks, Rev. Redden, Rev. Knox Waggoner and other ministers who called, names of those were not learned, for their many visits and prayers and for every kindness. May God reward you double for your visits, flowers, cards, phone calls and the many prayers offered by all the churches. We thank you again, and may God pour out his blessings on each of you.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Strahan, J. H. Strahan Jr., and family, Dr. Bruce Strahan and family, Arden Strahan and family, Harold Strahan and family

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness and words of sympathy in the loss of our loved one. The food brought in, the flowers sent, and every expression of kindness shown are sincerely appreciated.  
Roger Thate  
Gene Norvell and family  
Kenneth Thate and family  
Freddy Thate and family

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I am deeply grateful to my friends and neighbors who remembered me with flowers, cards, visits and your prayers during my surgery and long stay in the hospital. Every act of kindness is sincerely appreciated.  
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### Mother Of Ex-Local Lady Dies Recently

Following are completed details and corrected information on a story previously printed by the Review.

Mrs. Mattie Brooks, 95, of La Mesa, Calif., mother of Mrs. Sallie Pearl Woody of Abilene, formerly of Cross Plains, died at 7:30 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 23, in a La Mesa hospital after a lengthy illness.

Funeral service was held at 10 a.m. Friday, Nov. 28, at Elliott-Hamil Chapel of Memories at 542 Hickory in Abilene. Joe Qualls officiated the final rites. Burial was in the family cemetery at Romney in Eastland County.

Born April 26, 1880, in Birmingham, Ala., she came to Texas as a small child, and lived near Gilmer until her marriage to Hiram Brooks. They made their home in the Cook Community until 1942 when they moved to San Diego, Calif. He died in 1962. Two sons also preceded her in death.

She was a life-long member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Amy Petersen of San Diego, Calif., Mrs. Sallie Pearl Woody of Abilene, Mrs. Mary Ella Shirley of Abilene, Mrs. Ruth Stroud of Beaumont; a son, Odell of El Cajon, Calif.; 16 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

### NORTHEAST PUTNAM FIELD GAINS 4 SHALLOW TESTS

E. A. Wood Jr., of Dallas staked four regular field locations in the area eight miles northeast of Putnam.

Two of the ventures are slated for 800 feet.

No. 3-A McIntyre will be drilled 1,500 feet from the north and 225 feet from the west lines of the east-half of Section 3194, TE&L Survey.

No. 4-A McIntyre spots 1,900 feet from the north and 200 feet from the west lines of the east-half of Section 3194.

The other two projects are slated for 600 feet.

No. 5-B McIntyre spots 200 feet from the north and 1,050 feet from the east lines of Section 3197, TE&L Survey.

Site for No. 6-B McIntyre is 200 feet from the north and 1,550 feet from the east lines of Section 3197.

### LAKWOOD MEMBERS SET YULE PARTY SATURDAY

Members of the Lakewood Club will hold their annual Christmas party on Saturday, Dec. 13, at 7 p.m. at the club house. Each member is asked to bring a covered dish. Bingo will be played following the

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Sherry Ann Wilson  
Mrs. C. D. Westerman  
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### DECEMBER 15

Ronald Dewayne Pope  
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Mrs. Nanny Graham  
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Linley Goble  
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### DECEMBER 16

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Rosa Lee Rouse  
Lawrence Lee  
Emory Lusk  
Carl Cade  
Ronald Gray  
Alicia Kirkham

### DECEMBER 17

Gary Rogers  
Pearl Perry  
Ike Neal  
Sheri Graham  
Terri Graham  
W. E. Walker  
Kasey L. Maynard  
Vickie I. Gilmore  
John Ford  
Mrs. J. W. Morgan  
Mrs. W. L. Lawrence

### PITTMAN FAMILY ENJOY HOST OF HOLIDAY VISITORS

Visitors in the home of Mrs. I. W. Pittman during Thanksgiving holidays were Rev. and Jackie Barnett and the dren, Lesa, David, Julie, Tracy, Kevin and all of Andrews, and Mrs. Barnett of Seminole.

Others visiting were Mrs. Donald Stover and Mrs. Reggie Stover and of Pioneer, Mr. and Mrs. Kinyard and Dustin of Seminole. Joining them were Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Stover and Pittman of Abilene, and Mrs. Harry Towell and Tammy and Clay from

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Bill Strickland of Burkett, member of the drilling crew working for the Big D Drilling Co., here, received injuries to one foot and narrowly escaping death last Sunday when the mast on the rotary collapsed while the crew was endeavoring to pull a string of drill pipe. In trying to run for safety, Strickland fell and the heavy mast struck him on the heel of one foot, badly bruising it and tearing the ligaments. He was taken to the Rising Star Hospital and is reported to be doing fine as the Review went to press.

W. T. Cox Piggly Wiggly, advertises ham, half or whole, 67 cents a pound; canned picnic hams, \$2.75. Kimbells shortening, 3 pounds 69 cents.

School Supt. Paul Whitton stated this week that some 20 teachers in the local schools will be in Austin Saturday for an all-day meeting of the Classroom Teachers Association.

15 Years Ago  
October 1960

Cross Plains Woodmen of the World Lodge will hold an oyster supper for the public Tuesday of next week. Proceeds from the sale of plates at \$1 each will be used in the fraternal order's community advancement program. "We're planning a bountiful meal and are looking forward to serving a great many of our friends," said Roy Cox Camp Commander, yesterday.

Visit the Texas State Library Bookmobile at your community stop and register for the "Going Like Sixty" Reading Program. If you cannot meet the Bookmobile in person send a friend, a relative or a letter and we will send you the material you need to be a participating member of the "Going Like Sixty" Reading Club.

Wednesday night, Oct. 19, will be family night at the First Methodist Church. The Commission on Stewardship and Finance will be the host to the family night supper that begins at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to bring a covered dish and plan to enjoy fellowship of fun, eats and a worthwhile program, said Rev. John Harper, pastor.

10 Years Ago  
October 1965

A 1965 model automobile received damage estimated between \$600 and \$700 Monday night in collision with a calf on State Highway 206 between Burkett and Cross Plains. The calf was killed. The accident happened near the Roger Watson place. Barbara Dillard Graham was owner and driver of the car. Passengers were Patsy Dillard and Vaga Simons, both of this city.

Callahan County ASCS office has received a limited amount of funds for cost-sharing of Practice D-1, establishing winter legumes (vetch and winter peas with fertilizer.)

Two brothers, both in military service, will be together this week on their first time in four years. They are returning home for the school homecoming. They are Airman Larry Crockett of Myrtle Beach, S. C., and Capt. D. T. Crockett of Fort Hood. Both are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Crockett of this city.

Transactions were completed Monday whereby Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCoy became owners of the house formerly owned by the late H. C. Freeman.

5 Years Ago  
October 1970

Two Cross Plains youths, Donald and Ronald Pope, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope, were prize winners in Junior Rambouillet Sheep Division of the State Fair of Texas. The local boys took third and fourth places with their entries in Class 109 of ram lambs. They had fourth and fifth place winners in Class 113 of ewe lambs and third place in Class 114 of yearling ewes.

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Guests of the Happy Howells on Thanksgiving Day were Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Penn of Midland, Don Penn of Texas Tech at Lubbock, and Jim, Genie and Jolie Ayn Yockey of Austin

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Brown, John Adair and Marjorey Edington, all of this city, spent last week end in San Antonio where they visited with Mrs. Claudio Williamson.

### SHALLOW RE-ENTRY TEST PLANNED IN PUTNAM AREA

W. C. Neill Drilling Co. of Abilene will re-enter to 550 feet a regular field project three miles northwest of Putnam.

It is No. 1 Fred T. Hart, located on an 80 acre lease. Site is 2,310 feet from the west lines of Section 7, R&DAL Survey.

The venture was drilled previously in 1955 as W. W. Davis No. 1-A Hart.

### FIELD EAST OF BAIRD GAINS 4,000-FOOT TEST

Southwestern Gas Pipeline Inc. of Dallas will drill No. 1-B Kenneth M. George as a proposed 4,000-foot venture in the the Putnam, West (Duffer) Field in Callahan County.

Location is five miles east of Baird on a 170 acre lease.

It spots 2,080 feet from the north and 1,980 feet from the west lines of Section 80, BOH Survey.

Clasp envelopes at Review.

**WOOD GAME NIGHT**  
SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY  
The Recreation Center on Tuesday, Dec. 16, at 6:30 p.m. pointed out that all members are invited to attend just members of the

**OIL TEST SET IN SECTOR SOUTHEAST OF CROSS CUT**  
Kiowa Minerals, Inc. of Brownwood has staked No. 1 H. L. Jones as a 3,599-foot project in the regular field six miles southeast of Cross Cut. The venture is on a 102 acre lease. Drillsite is 2,120 feet from the north and 467 feet from the east lines of W. English Survey 791.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Burkett of Bisbee, Ariz., arrived at their home here Monday evening and plan to spend the holiday season here.

## Cottonwood News Items

By Mrs. Wayne Brown . . . The Yuletide season is rapidly approaching. The woes of this time are just when you get motivated to tackle the rush, a friend says. "I had my shopping done by Thanksgiving." It takes till Thanksgiving for some of us to get into this festive mood. Rushing to buy your Christmas cards, while the selections are numerous, then adding your yearly correspondence to practically each one, trying to beat the mailing dead line date. The

children informing you, they need a couple dozen cookies and a gift for their Christmas party at school tomorrow . . . The tree selected won't fit through the door and needs a couple feet topped. Trimming the tree and what a shock to learn those light bulbs, which have cooperated for the past ten years went on an "out" strike. Forgetting the stocking fillers for the household pets.

The bright side is taking those few extra moments from our busy schedule to visit the senior citizens of your area and those at the nursing home. Finding that right gift for some one who has everything. Preparing that special recipe, you have kept for these many months, to share with the congregation at the church social. Attending the children's parties and programs held at the schools and at the church. Joining the young people when they go caroling. Biding everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. And that little special touch each one has, "of doing their own thing." Our little special touch is placing cedar branches on the barn for the livestock. Teri started this ritual our first year on the farm when she was in the fifth grade "for they, too, were represented at Our Savior's Birth and we couldn't leave them out of the Blessed season."

Thanksgiving visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wrinkle and daughter Muleshoe; daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and granddaughters all from Bronte. Mrs. Alice Champion and Mrs. Jessie Kelly visited with them earlier in the week.

Mrs. W. F. Woody spent the week prior to Thanksgiving and that day with her daughter, Minnie Woody in Abilene. During the week end guests in Emma's home were her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gonzales and Minnie all of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sherman, Jim, Jackie, Kim, Tammy, James and Lorrin of Lubbock spent the Thanksgiving holiday with them.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waggoner and family on Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. Knox Waggoner and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Kniffen and Chuck.

Mr. and Mrs. David Abernathy of Clyde visited with the group in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. V. I. (Slim) Spivey returned to their home on Saturday from Houston, where Leona was undergoing tests at the Methodist Hospital there. She is to report to Houston the latter part of this month for further tests.

Word has been received that Mrs. Bill (Nadine) Nickerson will have to undergo additional tests in Houston this coming Thursday and Friday. No immediate information is available as to the extent of the problem with her back.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Kniffen and Chuck of Crane attended the morning services at the Cottonwood Baptist Church last Sunday. Scott is a former youth director of the church.

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## Cross Plains Couple Marks 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy of this city will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, Dec. 21, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains.

All relatives and friends of the couple are cordially invited to attend.

Hosting the occasion will be their daughter, Emma Dee, her husband, Mac Coppinger, and grandchildren, Paul and Dee Ann, of Eula. Other members of the house party will include relatives and friends.

The couple met in the Cottonwood Community, and were married Dec. 24, 1925, in Cross Plains by the late Rev. S. P. Collins, local Presbyterian minister.

The couple was stock farmers around Cross Plains in the early

### AREA PECAN PRODUCERS WIN IN EASTLAND SHOW

Three area pecan producers won places in the annual Eastland County Pecan Show at Eastland last week end.

James Alexander won several awards with different varieties from his family's orchard at Pioneer. One of his top prizes was the champion native plaque.

Dan Childress of Eastland who has a farm in the Cottonwood area, also claimed many prizes, one of which was championship plaque in shelling division with his Sioux pecans.

C. T. Barton of Pioneer also won distinction with several places in the show.

### Funeral Tuesday For Local Lady's Sister

Funeral was held Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. from Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Rising Star for Mrs. Maizie E. Zellars, 81, of Sipe Springs, sister of Mrs. Mattie P. Cosper of Cross Plains. Mrs. Zellars expired at 10:15 a.m. Sunday in an Eastland hospital after a brief illness.

The Rev. W. C. (Bill) Crawford, pastor of the Eastern Hills United Methodist Church in Fort Worth and former Cross Plains Methodist Church pastor, officiated. Burial was in the Sipe Springs Cemetery.

Born Maizie Smith June 13, 1894, in Sipe Springs, she married Herman Zellars Dec. 20, 1911, in Sipe Springs. He died in 1942.

Mrs. Zellars was a member of Sipe Springs Baptist Church and past member of the Sipe Springs Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include a son, Herman, Jr., of Pittsburgh, Pa.; five daughters, Martha Brasher of Eastland, Mary Jane McNaughten of Hempstead, Dolsie Underwood of Gorman, Norma Merworth of Pecos and Tommie Crawford of Cleburne; five brothers, Moody C. Smith of New London, S. L. Smith of Lockhart, Ivan Paul Smith of Livingston, J. C. Smith of Everman and Warren L. Smith of San Antonio; two sisters, Elizabeth Poteet of Abbeville, La., and Mattie P. Cosper of Cross Plains; 14 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

A daughter, two brothers and a sister preceded her in death, party.

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part of their marriage, and later moved into Cross Plains going into the grocery and service station business on West Highway 36. They owned and operated that business for 32 years. In 1972 they sold their business and home, and now they reside at corner of 13th and North Main. They are semi-retired.

They are active members of the United Presbyterian Church in Cross Plains.

### Junior Cagers Split With Rising Star

Local junior cagers halved two games with host Rising Star Monday night.

Cross Plains girls claimed a 22-21 win. Kim James bucketed 14 points, and Sherry Koenig added 8 points for the locals.

Mighty Mites bowed to their host counterparts 27-24. Leading local scorers were Danny Lewis with 12 points and Bill Davis with 6.

Monday of last week local boys dropped a 23-15 decision to host Bangs. Girls score was not immediately available.

Baird will come here Thursday for two games at 6 p.m. and on Monday, Dec. 15. Cisc will be here at 6 p.m.

A. A. (Banty) White of Rising Star visited friends in Cross Plains Monday afternoon.

Jack Scott was a business visitor in Baird one day last week.

### Coleman Girl Gives Program To OES Here

Miss Leslie Barr, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Barr of Coleman, presented a program in song entitled "The Miracle of Christmas" for the Cross Plains Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star Monday night of last week.

Miss Barr is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Barr of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. (Anse) Barr of Cross Plains.

Vera Pearl Bunnell introduced Leslie to the members present and accompanied her on the piano.

For special music, Leslie selected religious numbers including "He's My Friend" and "Fill My Cup, Lord." She talked about how teenagers look to the miracle of Christmas for a better world today and sang the famous Sv Miller Jill Jackson song of peace, "Let there be peace on Earth . . . and let it begin with me." Using the Christmas Story from the Bible as her last topic, she quoted Luke 2, 7-14, and concluded the program with yuletide favorites and carols.

Leslie attends Coleman High School where she is president of the Freshman Class. She plays basketball and runs track. For seven years she has been actively enrolled in the 4-H Club of Coleman and is currently Council Delegate for her local club and secretary of the County 4-H Council. She carries projects in home economics, agriculture and junior leadership.

She is a member of the First Presbyterian Church and is a voice pupil of Mrs. James Hargett, Jr.

### Local And Rising Cagers Split 2 Games

Host Rising Star girls splitting Cross Plains boys wins in varsity basketball tests Tuesday of last week.

Rising Star girls routed a 20-4 first quarter Wyatt led Buffette scored 15 points, and Pam Hill Rising Star with 22.

Buffaloes rallied in second half for a 39-29 victory, but outscored Wildcats 16-5 in the third quarter.

Joe Simpson was high for Buffaloes with 8 points. James Thompson paced Wildcats with 11.

Rising Star boys claimed a 53-47 win over Cross Plains in a junior varsity contest. Scoring was led by David with 18 and Gregg Panca with 17. Lamar Gregg paced Wildcats with 16.

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