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Carolyn's Corner

By Carolyn Glover

Halloween, to my knowledge, was a safe and fun time for the little ones of Cross Plains and surrounding areas. Not only did the younger set enjoy the day but the Cross Plains Junior High and High Schools dressed up for the day. Surely was a bunch of weird looking "things" running around campus that morning. Also, as usual the employees of Citizens State Bank were decked out in different attire. Although you always receive a friendly smile and welcome when you enter the bank, it is nice to go in and receive a good laugh as well. Do you really know who waited on you in the bank Thursday? I didn't make it in, but I understand "Dolly Parton" was working that day and that an angel also made an appearance. Other businesses that went along with the Halloween costume were Odom's Restaurant and Village Market, and possibly others that I was not aware of. I'm sure it was fun

ing you in a different "light" next year.

TACT

I do not asked to be endowed With any brilliancy of mind I only long to learn right well The gentle art of being kind. I want to have a ready smile, A wholesome laugh, a pleasant voice; Of all the things I might

These simple ones should be

So, gracious Lord, I do not

For gifts of body or of mind;

But let me learn this one thing well, the gentle art of being kind. -Unknown

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK: Silence is the best and surest way to hid ig-

People's ears are not made to shut, but mouths are. That should tell us

Students & Parents To Have Fellowship Friday

Following the Cross Plains-Evant football game here Friday night there will be a student body-parent fellowship at the Church of Christ Activity Center on

and we look forward to see-

East Highway 36.

Parents are asked to please call Lucille Koenig for information on what to bring for refreshments at

High School Beauty

Pageant Set For Nov. 16

The Cross Plains High School Beauty Pageant and Personality Presentations will be held Saturday, Nov. 16. at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorum. A Cinderfella Contest will be held following the presentation of the contestants and personalities.

Personalities to be presented will include class favorites, kindergarten through 12th grade; Mr. an Mrs. CPHS; Most Beautiful; Most Handsom: Most Likely to Succeed: Best Personality: Most Witty, Most Typical Cowboy: Most Typical Cowgirl: Most Friendly: Most Irresistible; Most Sophisticated; Junior High and High School Football Sweethearts; Football Beaus; FFA Sweethearts and FHA Beau.

Admission will be \$2 for adults and \$1 for students, kindergarten through twelth

Friday Is Deadline To

Enter FFA Contest

Deer season in the Cross Plains area will have an added flavor when it opens Saturday, Nov. 9.

The Future Farmers of America chapter at Cross Plains High School is sponsoring a "Big Buck" Contest during the season. Roy Richey and Ray Conner, local vocational agriculture teachers, noted that the prize for bringing in the biggest buck will be a rifle. The

instructors added that the winner of the contest may choose one of the four different models in a variety of calibers. A complete listing is available from the spon-

Entry deadline is 4 p.m. Friday, Nov. 8, and the entry fee is due prior to beginning of the contest. To enter the contest or for additional information contact the Cross Plains High School Voca-

ment at 725-6121. The contest will begin November 9, 1985, and continue until January 5, 1985, according to Richey and

tional Agriculture Depart-

Walker.

It was pointed out that entry fee will be \$15 and will have a two-deer limit. Entries eligible are limited to a 40-mile radius of Cross Plains. There are no age

MIGHTY MITE FOOTBALL SWEETHEART-

-Miss Stephanie Walker was presented as Cross

Plains Junior High School Football Sweetheart

at halftime ceremonies of the Mighty Mite-

Rising Star football game here Thursday night.

Members of the junior high school football team

elected Miss Walker as their sweetheart, and

presented her with a bouquet in recognition of

the honor at halftime Thursday. Miss Walker is

an eighth grader, and she is a cheerleader for

CPJHS. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Randy

It was pointed out that all proceeds from the contest will be used to update local chapter equipment and help students to go to judging and leadership contests.

Local Man Receives Bronze Star bracket and no age limits.

The United States Department of the Army has awarded a Cross Plains man the Bronze Star Medal for services in the Philippine Island more than 40 years

JUNIOR HIGH BAND SWEETHEART-

Shown above is Miss Carrie Renfro who was

recently elected Cross Plains Junior High School

Band Sweetheart by the band members. She, too,

was presented a bouquet in recognition of being

selected as sweetheart during the halftime

ceremonies of the Mighty Mite-Rising Star foot-

ball game. Miss Renfro is a seventh grader, and

she is a twirler for the junior band. She is the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Wyatt of Cross

Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Rod Renfro of May.

The military decoration was received this week by Jack Scott, former editorpublisher of the Cross Plains

Earned Over 40 Years Ago

Review. It was made upon the recommendation of Maj. Gen. Ewart D. Plank, under whose command Scott served as an Infantry lieutenant during World War II.

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Buffaloes Shut-Out Wildcats In District 8-A East Zone Contest

Cross Plains Buffaloes recorded their first shutout of the football season last Friday, blanking the host Rising Star Wildcats 21-0 in a District 8-A East Zone con-

The victory evened the Herd's leage mark at 3-3 and improved the season record to 3-6. The Wildcats stand 2-4 in conference action.

Although the Herd triumphed and recorded a shutout, the 3-3 record is not good enough for a play-off spot, and Friday night's battle with the Evant Elks will be the last game of the season. The District 8-A tussel will begin at 7:30 p.m. in Buffalo

Athletic Director Mark

Davidson was pleased with the win, but the manner in which it came was not so pleasant. He stated of the offensive team, "We're pretty well please with the way we moved the ball, but we had so many penalties...it was awful." The Buffaloes were flagged 18 times for infractions, and were penalized 140 yards. "It was simply awful," he repeated.

All the scoring was done in the first half, and the two teams' defenses traded licks in the second half.

Opening score came with 9 minutes left in the first quarter when Buffalo Running Back Darin Apple scampered 25 yards to paydirt capping a 40-yard drive among various

SWEETHEARTS!

penalties. Quarterback Devin Koenig booted the extra point for a 7-0 lead.

Only 42 seconds remained in the second quarter when the Bisons struck paydirt again. Scoring play was a 2-yard pass from Koenig to End Troy Harris. Again Koenig toed the ball through the uprights for a 14-0 count favoring the Herd.

The Herd quickly struck again. Cross Plains successfully worked on onsides kick recovered by Darin Apple. Keonig then lofted an aerial to Apple who ran in for another touchdown with 28 seconds showing the clock. For the third consecutive time Koenig's kick from placement was good and upped the score to 21-0, Buffaloes.

There was no scoring in the second half.

Leading rusher for Cross Plains was Apple who picked up 67 vards on 10 carries, scored one TD on a 25-yard run and turned a pass into a 48-yard touchdown. In addition he almost broke the opening kickoff returning it 45 yards, and he also returned a punt 25 yards.

Split End Ricky White was the leading pass receiver, snagging five aerial for 101

Koenig was the leading passer, completing 10 of 19 aerials for 185 yards. Coach Davidson stated that Koenig did a real good job this week

throwing. He also reported that the senior quarterback has amassed 860 yards passing thus far this season.

Davidson stated that the entire defense did a good job Friday night. The defender were led by linebacker Tommy Ames, Defensive Tackle Shan Bubenik, Outside Linebackers Lee Meador and Gregg Weiss and Strong Safety Alan Fleming.

Game In Figures Cross Plains Rising Star first downs yards rushing 185 yards passing 10-20-1 passes completed 4-16-0 5-36 punts, avg. yards 7-33 fumbles lost 18-140 penalties, yards 5-40

Score By Quarters

Cross Plains 7 14 0 0 21 Rising Star 0 0 0 0 0 Friday night's contest with Evant is expected to be what is commonly called a

"toss-up". The Elks are 2-4 in District 8-A play, but one of those victories was over Lometa, a team which beat the Herd. Scouting reports indicate, according to Buff Head Coach Davidson, has played all their district opponents except Goldthwaite, real tough.

Evant is reported to play real good defense, and offensively run the power type plays. As their 4-5 season record indicates, Evant is a worthy foe, and we expect a real tough game Friday, the mentor stated.

Tour Of Homes Slated

Here For December 8

The Third Annual Tour of Homes will be held on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 8, from 2 until 5 p.m. All persons in the area are invited to participate in viewing the lovely homes on this year's tour. This annual event is being sponsored by the Alpha Rho Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

There will be four homes featured on the tour this year: Arvin and Sarah Brashear, Rolan and Sandra Jones, Ken and Kay Horan, and N.L. and Ann Long. Tickets are available from any member for \$5 each. For tickets or more information call 725-7361 or 725-6476.

Refreshments will be served in the home of N.L. and Ann Long. Maps will be available to anyone interested. The first home featured is

that of Ken and Kay Horan, and is a Roger Klingberg custom built home. This home, built in 1976, has 5 bedrooms and 4 bathrooms with a total of 3,300 square feet, and sets on 51/2 acres. The Master Bedroom was originally the game room and the garage was converted into the Jacuzzi room which is Ken and Kay's pride and joy. The one story brick home was totally decorated

Buy your tickets from any Beta Sigma Phi members and come see this lovely home, sorority members

firemen. The department is

currently in the process of

Local firemen expressed

appreciation for the

generous gifts, and noted

thanks for the help and sup-

port given the fire depart-

ment in the past. Persons

who wish to help with the

firemens project to better

serve the residents of this

rural area, may hand dona-

tions to any fireman or mail

equipping such a vehicle.

Fire Department Given \$220 In Donations

Cross Plains Volunteer cording to local rural Fire Department has recently received four contributions which totaled \$220, according to a report from Alvin Hitchins, secretarytreasurer of the fire fighting organization.

The listed the latest four gifts by donor and amount as follow: Knox & Knox Rodenberger Engineerging \$100, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tunnell \$50 and D.B. Gunn)20.

It was explained that the money will be used to further develop the water transport truck for rural fires, which there is an urgent need, ac-

to Hutchins or to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department, Cross Plains, Texas 76443.

Local Church Sets

Rest Home Service

Evangelical Methodist Church will have charge of the Service at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home, Sunday afternoon, Nov. 10 at

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest, heartfelt appreciation for all the kindnesses extended to us in our time of need at the loss of our beloved wife and mother by our friends, neighbors and relatives. The food, floral offerings, memorial gifts, cards, calls and visits will long be remembered by a grateful family. A special thanks to Bro. Burlie Taylor for the support he provided and the beautiful service.

> The Family of Gladys Inez Melton

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who brought food, sent flowers or helped comfort us in any way during the loss of our loved one, Chester Arr-

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We would like to say a special "thank you" to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Womack who opened their home to us to use as needed.

Words are not really enough. Your thoughtfulness will never be forgotten.

Sincerely, **Nellie Arrington and Children**

CARD OF THANKS

The best-kept secret of the ages was the lovely housewarming at my new home. Because I do not have a complete list of all who shared in the event, I want to say, "Thank you for coming and for the money tree and plant." A house is not a home until friends have shared it. Now I'm home. My love to you all. Billie R. Loving

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The following listed menus are being planned to be served at Cross Plains School Cafeteria on the day designated at breakfast or noon during the week of November 11-15. The meals will be served providing grocery truck deliveries are made on time and correctly. Breakfast menus for the

five days follow. Monday: Buttered oatmeal with cream and sugar, grape juice, cinnamon toast and milk

Tuesday: Choice of readyto-eat cereal, toast, orange juice and milk.

Wednesday: Bacon and eggs, biscuits, butter, grape juice, jelly and milk. Thursday: Waffles, butter,

syrup, orange juice and Friday: Buttered rice with cream and sugar, toast, milk

and grape juice. Luncheon bill-of-fare was revealed as follow for the

five days. Monday: Corny dogs, baked beans, fries, brownies and

Tuesday: Burritos with chili and cheese, green beans, carrots, diced peaches and milk. Wednesday: Chili beans,

spinach, pickled beets, diced pears, cornbread and milk. Thursday: Pizza with cheese, corn, salad, jello and

Friday: Hamburger, lettuce, pickle, tomatoes, fries, peanut butter cups and milk.

Son Of Ex-Local

Lady Earns

University Degree

James Mark McWhorter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton McWhorter of Wichita Falls, received a degree in Computer Science from Midwestern State University at Wichita Falls.

The graduate's mother is the former Geneva Marshall of Pioneer and Cross Plains. and she is well remembered locally.

Mrs. Gibbs Named Delegate To Fall District 8 Parley

District VIII Fall Convention of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc. will be held in Abilene Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 13-14.

Mrs. N.V. Gibbs was elected and Mrs. Hadden Payne as alternate for Cross Plains Garden Club.

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Included in the class will be makeup, poise, modeling, runway modeling, and color analysis. Each girl will be individually evaluated and given assistance and advice to her own needs. The course will feature Patsy Kinsey, professional instructor of modeling-finishing and trained color consultant. Mrs. Kinsey teaches classes in poise, charm, finishing and modeling at Howard Payne University, and offers private training to girls preparing for beauty contests and competition. Assisting her will be Ms. Dora Smith of Cross Plains, a professional educator experienced in modeling and color.

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Sabanno

By Shirley Snodgrass

We are having some nice fall weather. The peanut farmers have been busy. The rain stopped them Friday. We got one-half inch of rain. The wind is still out of the north, and is pretty chilly. I guess winter is nearly upon us. Frank and I went to Eastland on business Fri-

Ophelia Lawson went to the 50th wedding anniversary of Shorty and Dorthy Phillips at Lake Brownwood Saturday. She went to the musical at Echo Saturday night. Monday night she went to the devotional at Laverne Hutton's. Tuesday she went to Coleman to see Aunt Bell. She went to see a doctor in Abilene on Thurs-

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hollis had Frank and Shirley Snodgrass down for supper Saturday night. Lorene Ramsey and Frances Gaston visited them on Wednesday.

Lena May Green of Cisco and Ruth Price of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Arza Green last week. Nora Lee Gordon and Natasha of Cisco visited them on Saturday.

Hamon Lawson of Williams and Brent Key of

Sabanno visited Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Dawkins last Monday. The Dawkins went to Granite Shoals fishing last Tuesday and came home Friday night. They made a business trip to Eastland on

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Watson's visitors last weekend were Mrs. Virgil Benson, Mrs. Homer Kane, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kanady, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Watson and son, all of Rising Star; Mrs. Myrl Parker of Tyler; Mrs. Margaret Owens of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Burney Tucker of Fort Worth, and Sandra Albernathy and girls of Cross

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb visited Judy and Junior Livingston in Gustine last weekend. They visited Ethyl Anderson at Cottonwood Friday.

Peanut Clusters

8 almond barks 12 oz. pkg. chocolate chips

Put in 350 degree oven for 12 minutes. Remove and stir well, add 1 lb. salted roasted peanuts, drop by the teaspoonful on buttered pan and let cool. Will take several hours to set.

Cottonwood News

By Beverly Brown

How can you as an individual of the community contribute to the annual Cottonwood Turkey Dinner on Friday, Nov. 15? Items of food are needed to help defray the expenses of the dinner and or cash donations, and an hour or more of your help in preparing or serving in the cafeteria, on that Friday. Food items will be needed by Thursday, Nov. 14. You may contact any member of the Quilting Club or stop by the center on Thursdays for further

The annual turkey dinner at the Cottonwood Community will be held on Friday, Nov. 15. The meal will consist of turkey and trimmings, yams, green beans, cranberry sauce, drink of coffee or tea and a slice of pumpkin or pecan pie for \$3.50 a plate for adults and \$2 a plate for children under 12 years of age. Take out dinners will be available.

Mrs. Jessie Wilcoxen was admitted to the Eastland Memorial Hospital a week ago Friday and is home now. Blanton and Lillie Childers visited with Jessie that Saturday and stopped by to see her sister and husband Violet and Roy Edwards in Cisco enroute home.

This past Monday and Tuesday Harry Childers of Odessa was here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers.

Visitors at the Cottownood Quilting Club last Thursday were Mrs. Olive Green and Nancy Rohus. Ethel Champion and Nancy were surprised to see one another, as they attended school together when younger. It's a small world at times, isn't

WTU Winter Rates Ease

Electric Prices Slightly

The price of electricity for residential and commercial customers of West Texas Utilities Co. will decrease slightly in November as the company's winter rates go into effect.

Beginning with November billings, base rates will be reduced by 34-cent per kilowatt-hour. Residential base rates will drop from 3.97 per kilowatt-hour to 3.22, while commercial base rates will drop from 4.18 to 3.43 cents per KWh.

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The summer-winter rate differential for the two classes of customers was established by the Public Utility Commission of Texas during negotiations in WTU's rate case during the fall of 1984. Seasonal rate differentials have been used by many companies for many that the cost of providing service is higher during the peak usage season, or summer months when airconditioners are in use.

through April 1986.

years. The main reason is

Winter rates will be in effect from November 1

Pioneer News

By Esthloy S. Dickson Contrary to last week's statement, my father was born at Crockett, in Houston County. My son, C.V. and his sister, Joanie, drove from Nacogdoches to Crockett one day, and visited some of the families there, also a cemetery where ancestors are buried.

I had a wonderful birthday this past week. I received gifts, cards and phone calls three days in a row. Cards came from far and wide, as well as local, and they made me very happy.

The "icing on the cake" came Saturday evening when one of Mr. McDonald's daughters, the one in California, called me, and she didn't even know it was my birthday. That was a wonderful surprise. She is a sweet and caring person.

Mrs. Ethel Brown visited in town on Tuesday of last

week with her aunt. Mrs. Cora Howland, in her new apartment. Mrs. Brown's visitors were few this week, only Lou Grider, and Jimmielee Pavne. We will be thinking of Jimmielee this week when he enters the hospital. May God bless!

McGowne's parents, Howard and Charlene of Brownwood, visited them on Monday. Sara's nephew, Jody Butler of Breckenridge visited them during the weekend. They are taking their daughter, Leslie, to Oklahoma City to an ear specialist.

Joe and Nell Fleming's grandson answered their telephone on Saturday saying his grandmother was visiting in Pampa this week.

My friend, "Parsie" Parsons said they were okay. They had had had only "homefolks" at their house this week. The same with the Hiram Fosters. There were two or three telephones which were not answered. I hope my neighbors will feel free to call me at any time



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Annual Senior Halloween Carnival on October 26 was a huge success. Ghosts, m goblins, and all scary creatures came out to insure a profitable and fun night.

Reigning king and queen of the carnival was Halloween Queen Crystal Carrouth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Carrouth, and Halloween King Rowdy Dillard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Deany Dillard. The king and queen were chosen from a field of twelve candidates, consisting of Crystal Lankford, Nikki Beggs, Jill

with their news or their needs. I love them all.

I have a well-driller engaged to hunt for water on my place next week; "keep your fingers crossed for me"

Oper.

Linda Strength

Potter, Ginger Kelley, Jaona Harris, Michael McClure, Jared Richards, Leif Hunter, Dusty Hargrove, and Jeremy Pancake.

The costume contest, judged by Clara Nell Spencer and Helen Freeman, was judged as to the most original costume, won by Joseph Turner, as a TV set; Cutest Costume, won by Tracy Wils as a bunny, and scariest costume, won by Dusty Hargrove as a gorilla.

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preciation to the following businesses and individuals for the donations: Neal Drug, Johnson Dry Goods, Sav-On Food, Higginbothams, Western Auto Store, Cross Plains Discount, Odom's Restaurant, The Sunshine Store, West Texas Utilities, Village Market, Walker Truck & Trailers, Bill Wood Conoco, Dairy Queen, Touch of Texas Restaurant, P.K.'s Stompin' Grounds, Cross Plains Oilfield Supply, Rose Butane Service, Cross Plains Frozen Food Locker, Coach Katt, Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply, Johnston Truck & Supply, Bryan's Variety, Grider Gulf, KLH Oil & Gas Company, Mayes Flowers, Sandy's Hair Affair, Sylvia's Hair Shack, Polly's Beauty Bar, Jeri Taylor, Amelia's House of Beauty, Cliff and Connie Kirkham, Lakeway Store, Cross Plains Review, and Pam and Don Harris.

Genuine thanks of the class also was extended to Clara Nell Spencer and Helen Freeman for judging the costume contests.

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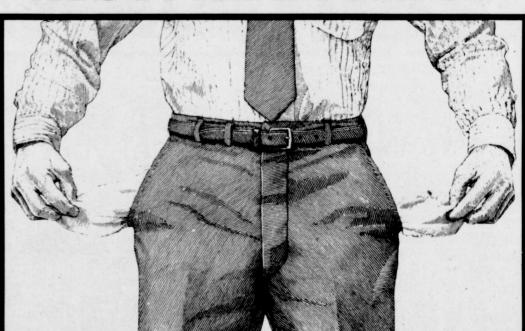
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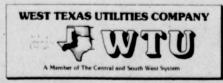
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County 4-H Exhibitors Rate High At Dallas

Eight Callahan County 4-H'ers attended and exhibited livestock at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas the week of October 14-19.

Kathaleen Ford of Clyde placed first in the winter heifer calf class and first in the junior heifer calf class of the Junior Hereford Show. Kathleen also placed fourth in the medium frame Hereford steer class.

Other placings in the junior steer show were as follows: Kim Clark of Baird, second in the large frame American-cross class; Jody Gerngross of Baird, second in the small frame American-cross class; Jerry Don Black of Clyde, eighth in the small frame Herefords; Leslie Parker of Clyde, eighth in the medium frame Herefords, and Sonya Craven of Baird, eleventh in the large frame Hereford

In the junior lamb show, Tonya Johnson of oplin placed third and ninth in the crossbread lamb class and placed second in the showmanship class winning a \$200 college scholarship, Chris Johnson of Oplin placed second in the crossbred

Student Council Donates 'Stand' Money To Mexico

From the beginning of the vear, the Cross Plains Student Council has been active.

This year's officers include Melody McGough, president; Beth Wood, vicepresident: Dana Phillips, treasurer; and Denise Flippin, secretary. The class representatives are Melissa Morgan and David Grider, seniors; Jesse Sibley, junior; Stacy Montgomery, sophomore, and Kellie Helms and Donald Sibley, eighth grade, and Pam Glover and Nikki Baron,

seventh grade. This Thursday, the Student Council is sponsoring a Costume Day for the student body in observance of Halloween. Participation by all high school and junior high school students is encouraged. Prizes will be given for the best costume.

Because of the concern of the students of Cross Plains for the victims of the devastating earthquake in Mexico City, the Student Council donated one game's proceeds from their football concession stand directly to

This year's sponsors are Penny Segars and Kim

Kroen Baby Welcomed Home By Brother, Sister

Steve, Jr. and Adrianne Kroen are announcing the birth of their brother, Jacob Ashton Kroen, born Wednesday, Oct. 16, to Mr. and Mrs.

Steve Kroen of Cross Plains. The infant weighed 6 pounds and 2 ounces, and at birth at Hendrick Medical Gallup, N.M.

Center in Abilene.

The mother said Jacob Ashton is a blessing of God, and reported maternal grandparents as Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pettiet of Cross Plains, and paternal grandparents as Mr. and measured 19 1/2 inches long Mrs. John McPhate of

Boy Born To Eastland Couple Known Locally

Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Martinez of Eastland became parents of a son October 28 when Joe Alan Martinez was born at 11:12 p.m. at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

The infant weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces, and he measured 2012 inches long at

The mother is the former Lil Davis of Cross Plains.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sid Davis of Cross Plains.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Selestino Mar-

tinez of Eastland. **Kindsey Tysons At HPU**

Homecoming

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Tyson of Cross Plains attendedthe homecoming activities of Howard Payne University held recently in Brownwood. Lindsey and Frances are both HPU Alumni.

Mrs. Tyson's cousin, Dorothy McIntosh, was one of the two HPU Distinguished Alumni for 1985. Mrs. McIntosh has recently retired as head of the choir program at Brownwood High School. She and her two

sisters, Doris, now Mrs. Clyde Allen of Coleman, and Mrs. Tyson represented Howard Payne as the

"Howard Payne Trio" for three years during their college dats, and sang for many churches, organizations and schools in Texas and New

The Tysons also attended other Howard Payne homecoming activities on

Pioneer Club Sets Nov. 7 For Harvest Dinner

The next meeting of the Pioneer Club will be Thursday, Nov. 7, with the annual Harvest Dinner scheduled to begin at 6 p.m. The meal will be followed with games of 42 and other table games at the

community clubhouse.

A spokesman stated that the turkey and dressing will be furnished. All others attending are asked to bring desserts, salads and trimm-

Personals

Minnie Swann's recent visitors were Pat Sanders, Lisa Marquez and son, Max of Fort Worth, and Glenda, Linda and Latricia Chandler of this city.

Visitors during the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M.F. Dill included Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Walker, Jay Kirkham, Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Breeding and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shaw of this community, and from out-of-town the hosts son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dill and grandson, Brandon Holcombe, of Irving, Dorothy McKinney of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Jaggars of Abilene and Howard Shanks of Big Spring.

Garden Club To

Gather In Regular

Session Nov. 8

Cross Plains Garden Club will meet in regular session Friday, Nov. 8, at 2 p.m. at the Garden Center at 664

Topic for the gathering will be "Reaching Out for Magnificent Mums."

Roll call will be answered by naming members naming their favorite fall flower. The club collect will be directed by Mrs. Raymond

During the business session committee reports will be given by committee chairmen including social, project and program.

Program is entitled "Mum's the Word", given by Mrs. Raymond McCowen. Mrs. Arvin Brashear will have a design featuring chyrsanthemums.

Hostesses for the meeting will be Mr. E.L. Garrett, chairman, and Mrs. Bill Davee.

Sales Tax Rebate Ahead

Of Last Year's Pace

Pace countywide of 1985 sales tax rebates remained slighted ahead of the amount of rebates from the one per cent returns of the sales and use tax for the payments made in October, representing taxes collected on sales made in August and reported to the Comptroller by September 20.

Cross Plains aggregate was again narrowly higher than one year ago although slightly less than same time last year. The check was for \$2,693.66, compared with \$2,845.20 for last year. Aggregate received by the city reflects a 4.41 percent increase, \$50,264.38 compared with \$48,140.72, to this point

Clyde was the big gainer and received the most. The current check was for \$4,901.97 and a 1985 total of \$66,570.06, up 16.02 per cent. Payments at same time last year were \$4,166.71 and

Baird suffered a small decrease of 2.91 percent overall on aggregates of \$24,488.87 and \$25,221.75, respectively. The city received \$1,134.32 this period and got no funds at this time

Putnam fell 10.78 per cent short of its total rebate with figures of \$11,060.42 and \$12,396.39 totals, and period payments of \$973.72 currently to \$1,065.72 in 1984.

Band Boosters To Sponsor Christmas Store Again

As has been the custom the past few years, the Cross Plains Band Boosters will sponsor a Christmas Store for the younger children to do their Christmas shopping. Band hoosters are urged to

begin now getting their handmade items ready for the store. Any donations of

handmade gifts will be welcomed. Date for the store is to be announed later.



TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Both Texas political parties got a bit of quiet, disturbing news last week: the Democrats learned Gov. Mark White has a high negative rating and the Republicans, intent on keeping party harmony, watched their candidates jab

at each other.
All in all, 1986 is going to be

All in all, 1986 is going to be a lively political year.

The past few weeks haven't been easy for White. His three GOP opponents are traveling the state raising money and key support, and at every speech they pick on him rather than each other.

White can handle that fine, but add the misery of two of his key issues, education reform and utility rates, going sour at the same time and the heat gets hotter. No-pass, no-play may cool down once football season is over, and utility rates may be lowered somehow

rates may be lowered somehow before next November, but for now White has to face the heat and it's not easy.

Replacement Sought? The word got around last week that a recent Democratic poll showed White with a high negative rating at around 60

The poll was a secret one so who will ever know. Some party leaders were at the point of wondering whether another Democrat should take over the gubernatorial reins, but no one volunteered.

Still, some of White's key backers worried publicly about how to defend White against

the steady barrage of GOP criticism.

Truce Cracking

White defends his programs, but not himself, and that's his strategy for now against Bill Clements, Kent Hance and Tom Loeffler. If he fights back now, they are encouraged to keep their guns trained on him and

not on each other.

After all, Clements, Hance and Loeffler have an informal truce to speak no ill of a fellow Republican, but in the high-stakes governor's race, who believes that will continue for long?

The crux for the eventual GOP nominee is that he will have to win a run-off, and that means keeping the odd man's good will long enough to win

Signs show the truce is cracking, particularly as Clements and Hance jab at each other on the speaker's podium at their various co-appear-

Ance is a master of the podium jab, and insiders say Hance wants to rope-a-dope Clements into appearing the trucebreaker. Clements is used to delivering KO punches, not avaiding them, and both he and Loeffler belittle Hance's GOP credentials.

Career Changes

Both Hance and Clements were present last week when Hurst state Rep. Charles Evans announced his switch to the Republican party. Evans, a 13year legislator and powerful close friend of Speaker Gib Lewis, said he wasn't recruited by the GOP, but switched out of personal conviction.

Seguin state Sen. John Traeger announced his retirement and threw his support to Laredo state Rep. Billy Hall, a fellow Democrat. Traeger preferred Hall, who is more conservative than state party vice chairman Dr. Judith Zaffirini, also of Laredo.

Former state Rep. Clay Smothers pleaded guilty last week to a reduced charge of assault on a child in a plea

bargain pact. Smothers, who was fined \$1,000 and sentenced to three days in jail, was associated with a now-defunct youth training school.

Former state Rep. Roy English of Mansfield also switched to the GOP last week, and said he has talked with local Republican officials about running for Tarrant County judge.

Two Appointments
Governor White appointed
former state Democratic Party
chairman Calvin Guest to the
Public Safety Commission
after Sen. Peyton McKnight
became mired by two racial became mired by two racial jokes he told at his own charity

oast fundraiser.
McKnight insisted his use of racial slur was made in the ontext of the roast, but a local

his nomination.

White also named Jo Campbell to the controversial Public bell to the controversial Public Utility Commission vacancy last week. The press has frequently jibed White for appointing former Baylor classmates, particularly old roommates, to state posts.

In humorous one upmanship, White told reporters at the announcement that while she did graduate from Baylor, Campbell had never been one of his roommates.

• State Board of Insurance Chairman Lyndon L. Olson Jr will be a participating faculty member in the United Nations seminar on reinsurance super vision November 11-15 in

Manila.

• Senator Phil Gramm announced plans to open an El Paso office. He presently has offices in Houaton, Harlingen and Dallas.

• Common Cause of Texas has named Sep. Chet Edwards, D-Duncanville, its 1985 Legislator of the Year.

• United Parcel Service moved closer to intrastate sermoved closer to intrastate ser-

moved closer to intrastate service last week when the Texas Railroad Commission approved, 2-1, a new rule to allow UPS to

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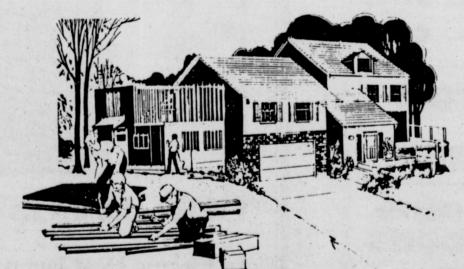
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Rowden Area News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

rolls and cake.

When Emma Johnson, Liz-

Robert Burks, were called

for news, Emma said they

delicious meal that two

young people from the

Methodist Church had

delivered to their home.

Visitors in their home during

the week were three

nephews, Carroll Burks and

his wife of Abilene, Ricky

Burks of Fort Worth, Forest

and Howard Burks of

California and Lynn

Burleson of Cross Plains. All

of the Burks boys are sons of

the funeral of Nellies hus-

band, Chester Arrington,

Robert Burks attended the

singing, done by a group that

sings at the Cross Plains rest

home each Wednesday mor-

James and Dorothy

Reynolds were in Azle Saturday to attend a shower for

John Carpenter and their

daughter, Ellen Reynolds,

who are to be married on the

28th of December in Cross

Plains. John and Ellen are

eman hospital.

This area had rain again take-out dinners of turkey this week. The Gibbs gauge registered a little over half an inch. Since it was light showers, tanks did not catch

Bob and Cathy Dye were to zie Burks and their brother, be in Dallas at the World Trade Center Sunday where she was to order items for had just finished their her store in Baird.

Robert and Dorothy Watson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Summers in Abilene one night this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson and children attended the Baird football game in Eastland and by chance his sister and her husband of Jacksboro were there, so the two families had a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Nellie Arrington of Cross Odom were in Lubbock Plains. They were here for Thursday to visit their daughter, Gini Trevey, who had undergone major who died Sunday in a Colsurgery at St. Mary's of the Plains Hospital on Tuesday. She is recovering and will be at her home near Snyder this week. Her sister, Nancy Palmer of Clyde was with her the day of the surgery.

Edna Dye spent Friday night with Edwin and Ann and Lori Ann Dye in Abilene and attended the Big Country Porcelain art club meeting there Saturday. Guest speaker and demonstrator was Louise Jones of Midland. Her program was on the art of Christmas decorating on China

Frank and Cora Mae Payne of Baird visited in the gene Mauldin home during the week.

Mrs. Mauldin visited Jessie Odom on Monday.

Mrs. tommy Harris baby sat for her grandson, Chris harris, while his mother Evelyn Harris, and Mrs. Jimmy Harris took their children, Jard, Jaonea, and L.J. on a Trick or Treat tour. I can see them all dressed up in their costumes, thinking they will scare someone when the door opens following their knock. We were sitting quietly on that spooky night when N.V. Gibbs asked if the children weren't coming down. My answer was that they had out-grown that stage of life, but on Friday night, loud knocking on our door brought three grandkids all dressed up and were saying, "Trick or Treat". They must have known that Grandma had shopped for just such an oc-

Mrs. Tommie Harris was cooking on her third cake Saturday morning when contacted for news. All of this baking was for their church. The First Methodist Church in Cross Plains who sponsors what they call, "The Lord's Acre". All the ladies of the church spend hours cooking for the big event which helps their church financially. People over the town buy

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Tonya Steele attended a party Saturday night at Carey Renfro's in Cross Plains.

and Dorothy were at the

Mrs. Charles Palmer of Clyde, Franzel Odom of Cross Plains and Ivon and Vicki Odom of Pioneer visited in the Sterling Odom home during the week.

Oil and gas well drilling is still going on in the community. A second well is to be drilled on land belonging to Granvel and Parlee Gibbs. The location is near their mobile home. The drilling to to start early next week. They may encounter some sleepless nights during this coming week.

Mrs. N.V. Gibbs and daughter, Judy Steele, were in Abilene Monday. They also went by the Baird rest home where they visited Leila Gibbs and talked a few minutes with Ruby Russell.

Congratulations to Don

and Pam Harris on their being chosen as the "Extension Family of the Year" during the annual meeting of the Callahan County Extension Advisory Committee last week in Cross Plains. They received a silver-plated tray for their work with 4-H Club work. This was for work in their school system, church activities and other community affairs. Greg Gerngross, Callahan County Agent, and Maurice Newton of Callahan-Shackelford Farm Bureau presented the

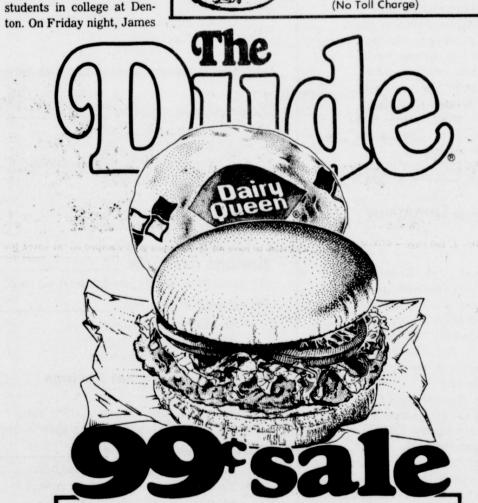
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Obituaries

ALTON BARR

Funeral services were held at 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 27. at Davis-Morris Funeral Home in Brownwood for Alton "Slim" Barr of Brownwood, well known in Cross Plains.

Mr. Barr, a 71-year-old Brownwood policeman, died suddenly at his home about 5:30 a.m. Friday, Oct. 25.

Officiating the final rites were the Rev. Russell Dennis and the Rev. Bill Johnson. Burial was in the Greenleaf Cemetery at Brownwood.

Born in Cross Plains Sept. 26, 1914, he was the son of the late S.C. "Sam" and Belle Barr, pioneer Cross Plains settlers. He was reared here. and attended local schools. He married Hattie Ruth Baucom in Cross Plains on May 23, 1937. He was a veteran of World War II, and was a retired Brownwood Policeman. He was a deacon of Southside Baptist Church and attended Daniel Baker College. He had several relatives who resides in Cross Plains and the Cross Cut areas.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Barbara Keeter of Brownwood; a son, Billy Sam Barr of Modesta, Calif.; a brother, Hulan Barr of Sunrise Beach; and two granddaughters.

Pallbearers were Joe Don Taylor, Joe Robbins, Jack Needler, Felix Salizar, G.G. Watson and Gary Page. The Deacons of the Southside Baptist Church served as honorary pallbearers.

TOMMY CULWELL

Funeral services were held at Higginbotham Funeral Home Sunday at 2 p.m. for Tommy J. Culwell of Cross Plains.

Mr. Culwell, 85, died at his home in Cross Plains Thurs-

Officiating the final rites goner, pastor of the Cottonwood Baptist Church.

Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Born Feb. 15, 1900, in

Milford June 13, 1925, at Carbon. He was an auto and tractor mechanic.

He was preceded in death by his wife in 1969.

Survivors include three sons, Billy Culwell of Colorado City, Dale Culwell of Stockdale and Don Culwell of Clyde; a daughter, Lillie Dillard of Cross Plains, 10 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

GLADYS MELTON Funeral service for Mrs. J.L. (Gladys Inez) Melton of Cross Plains was held at 2

botham Funeral Home. Mrs. Melton, 74, a Cross Cut native, died at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in Odessa.

p.m. Monday at Higgin-

was the Rev. Burlie W. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains. Burial was at the Cross Cut Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Born Glayds Inez Baucom Oct. 23, 1911, in Cross Cut, she married J.L. Melton July 27, 1936, in Baird. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, James Gary of Fort Worth, Larry Dale of Abilene and Billy Frank of Odessa; two daughters, Gatha Porter of Odessa and Glenda Weiss of Cross Plains; a brother, Bobby Baucom of San Angelo; two sisters, Ruth Barr of Brownwood and Billy Jo Chambers of Lueders; and 11 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were her nephews Wilburn Baucom of Alice; Brent, Wendell and Joe Baucom of San Angelo; Dickie Chambers of Clude: and David Hager of Lueders.

RUBY NEEB

Funeral services were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 30, at Caps United Methodist Chuch for Ruby I Neeb of Route 3, Abilene.

Mrs. Neeb, 95-year-old former Cross Plains and Dressy resident and remembered by many here, died at 2:30 a.m. Oct. 29, at Coronodo Nursing Home.

Burial was at Elmwood Memorial Park, directed by

North's Funeral Home, 242 Oange.

Born Sept. 22, 1890, in Cross Plains, she was reared there and married Eli Neeb, May 4, 1910, in the Dressy Community in Callahan County. They farmed in Callahan County and in Taylor County.

At her death, she was living on the same farmland where they moved in 1927, now the Abilene city limits near Dyess Air Force Base. She was a member of Caps United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1949.

Survivors include two daughters, Ruby Dell Browder of Route 3, Abilene, and Frances Zito of San Antonio; a son, Garrett Neeb of Los Angeles, Calif.; a brother, Olan Wilson of Midland; 11 grandchildren, including Eddie Browder and Tommy Neeb, both of Abilene; and 16 greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers were grand-

CHESTER ARRINGTON Chester Arrington, 60, of Cross Plains was laid to final rest in the Cross Plains Cemetery Tuesday, Oct. 29, following funeral services at 3 p.m. in the Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mrs. Arrington died at 12:05 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 27, at the Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Col-

Officiating the final rites were Rev. John Swift, pastor of the Evangelical Methodist Church in Cross Plains, and assisted by the Rev. Burlie W. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church here.

Born March 14, 1925, in Mernard, he married Nellie Burks Jan. 14, 1980, in Fort Worth. He was a laborer. He was a veteran of the World

War II and a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife of Cross Plains; his mother, Kathrine Arrington of Tuscon, Ariz.; eight stepsons, Charlie Burks of Potosi, Carroll Burks of Abilene, Wayne Burks of Oregon, Ill., Oscar Burks of Pine Bludd, Ark., Howard Burks of Rockport, Tommy Burks of Abilene, Ricky Burks of Fort Worth and Forest Burks of Simi, Calif.; five stepdaughters, Lorene Price of Abilene, Ludie Parks of Abilene, Joan Pope of Stephenville, Lee Ann **Burleson of Cross Plains and** Charlotte Bishop of Cross Plains; four sisters, Billoie, Martha and Dollie, all of Arizona, and Sadie of Oregon; two brothers, Clem Arrington of Arizona and Rodger Arrington of Wisconsin; several stepgrandchildren; several step-greatgrandchildren.

Officiating the final rites Preparing For Retirement Requires Early Planning

If you plan to retire at the end of the year, you should know that there are some things you should be doing right now in preparation for that event.

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person applying for Social Security retirement benefits will need are the following: Your Social Security card

or a record of the number. Proof of your date of birth,

original official record of

birth recorded before age 5 is best.

If these are not available, the Social Security office can help determine the best evidence available.

Your W-2 forms for the last two (2) years, or, ir you are self-employed, copies of your self-employment tax returns for the last two (2) vears. Marriage certificates if

your spouse is applying for benefits, plus the same documents above for the Birth certificates and

Social Security numbers of any children applying for benefits on your Social Security record.

Even if you do not have all the proofs needed, it's best to come into the office and apply in a timely fashion. Social Security representatives can help you secure any evidence needed to complete your application for retirement benefits. Just call the Abilene Social Security Of-

Kirkham's Kountry Pleasures Hosts Open **House Here Today**

Kirkham's Kountry Pleasures, Cross Plains' newest gift shop, is observing open house today, Wednesday, Nov. 6, at its quarters between South 2nd and 3rd Streets on Avenue F.

Offering primarily handmade items mainly of a Christmas holiday flavor, the shop is open Wednesday,

Thursday and Friday weekly from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. connie Kirkham, proprietor of the gift house, said that the shop will be open more days each week and longer hours as the holidays draw nearer.

Hospital Notes

Chuck Woody

Chester E. "Chuck" Woody was rushed to a Gorman hospital Friday afternoon by Cross Plains **Emergency Medical Service** Ambulance after becoming ill at his home here. He was reported improved Friday night, according to word from a relative.

Jimmielee Payne

Jimmielee Payne of this city entered Humana Hospital at Abilene Sunday afternoon, and was scheduled to undergo heart surgery early Monday morning. No other information was available as the Review deadline passed.

Cross Cut Cemetery

Gets 2 Donations

virgie Adams, nouling

Cross Cut Cemetery Association has received two contributions recently totaling \$75, according to a report last week by O.B. Byrd of treasurer of the cemetery organization.

The general gifts were listed as coming from J.W. Newton of Lubbock \$50 and T.J. Chambers \$25.

Byrd expressed his appreciation to the donors and to the many others who have supported the burial ground down through the years with their gifts. Persons who wish to help provide permanent care for the Cross Cut Cemetery may mail checks to Byrd at Route 2, Cross Plains, Texas 76443. The contributions will received.

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Ex-Local Teacher Nominee For

North Texas Hall Of Fame

Mrs. Milton McWhorter of Wichita Falls, the former Geneva Marshall of the Pioneer and Cross Plains communities, is one of 66 nominees for the Women's Hall of Fame of North

It was pointed out that 16 of the 66 nomineers will be named to the Hall of Fame of North Texas at a reception Tuesday, Nov. 12, at the Women's Forum at Wichita

Mrs. McWhorter started **Cub Scouts Gather**

Cub Scouts will gather for

a Pushmobile in Baird on

Saturday, Nov. 9. The

her teaching career at Cross Plains High School as Geneva Marshall of Pioneer. She is the daughter of Mrs. Sam (Frances) Marshall and the late Mr. Marshall longtime residents of the Pioneer community.

The North Texas Hall of Fame was established in 1984 in conjunction with the 1985 Texas Women's Hall of Fame, sponsored by the Governor's Commission for

At Baird Saturday Coleman, and Winters will be taking part. Registration

will be from 2-2:30 p.m. with

Pushmobile will be in the the races starting at 2:30. parking lot behind the The Pushmobile is with Callahan County Courcars built by the Cub Scouts with the help of adults. One thouse. Cub Scouts from boy pushes while another Albany, Moran, Clyde, rides in a relay race or a Baird, Eula, Cross Plains. course 300 feet long.

Clyde Area Airman **Draws Dyess Duty**

ARMY AND AIR FORCE HOMETOWN NEWS - Airman Clinton A. Dodson, II. son of Cleadith A. Dodson of Clyde, and Lois C. Dodson of Abilene, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force aerospace ground equipment mechanic course at Chanute Air Force Base, Ill.

During the course, students were taught to repair generators, gas turbines and hydraulic pumping equipment. They also earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Dodson is scheduled to serve with the 96th Field Maintenance Squadron at Dyess Air Force Base, at

Brownwood Teacher Known Here Noted On 92nd Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Linsey Tyson visited with her mother, Mrs. H.L. Evans, in Brownwood throughout the last weekend. On Sunday they celebrated the 92nd birthday of Mrs. Evans.

She is still active in Coggin Avenue Baptist Church. A graduate of Howard Payne College, she is a retired teacher from Brownwood Independent School District.

Abilene.

His wife, Christy, is the daughter of Edward and Barbera Edwards of Wingate.

The airman is a 1985 graduate oif Cooper High School in Abilene.

Visiting Rising Star pinned a 12-0 loss on the Cross Plains Mighty Mites in iunior high school district football action in Buffalo

Stadium Thursday. Assistant Junior High Coach Harold Schroeder said, "We moved the ball pretty good, but mistakes hurt us." He continued that the entire offensive and defensive team did a good good job. "We're proud of the offensive line who opened up holes for running

backs who ran hard." Rising Star got the opening kickoff, moved to the Cross Plains 25 where they fumbled the Mites recovered. From there the ball changed hands the entire first quarter with no score.

That changed about midway of the second stanza when Rising Star Fullback White, slipped through three missed tackles, broke loose on the Cross Plains 40 and ran for a touchdown. The two-point conversion attempt failed, and first half ended 6-0 favoring the

Mighty Mites received the kick opening the second half, and mounted a sustained drive from the Cross Plains 20. Fullback Cody Odom did most of the running both the right and left side behind good blocking by the entire offensive line, which moved

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Mistakes Nix Good Efforts As Mites Bow To Rising Star

the ball to the Rising Star 15. Mite Daryl Bates circled left end for an apparent touchdown, but it was calledback on a holding penalty. A few plays later a Mite fumble was recovered by the

Rising Star moved downfield the remainder of the third and first half of the fourth quarter about 85 yards. With about 4 minutes left in the game White scored, but a two-point bonus try failed for a 12-0 score favoring the visitors.

Cross Plains received and

moved ball back downfield, mixing passing and running plays, conserving time, with about 2 minutes left in the game, Mite Quarterback Derron Duffey three ball to a wideopen receiver on the Rising Star 20. He caught the areial, but was hit hard caus-

ing a fumble which the Wildcats recovered. They ran out the clock.

Mighty Mites will travel to Evant to take on the Elks in the game finale Thursday.

Kickoff is scheduled for 6:30

Marshall Family Reunion

Every descent, along with spouses and two guests of Sam and Frances Marshall, descended upon the Hilton Hotel and atrium in Wichita Falls recently for a wonderful family reunion.

Those attending were Mrs. Frances Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Milton McWhorter, Mark McWhorter, Tim McWhorter and Miss Nanci Miller of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Marshall, Mona Cox, Amy Cox, and Kevin Cox of Hilltop Lakes, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burris of Tahachapi, Calif.; Brad Burris and Jim Burris of Northridge, Calif.; Blake Burris and Miss Kathy Webb of Bakersfield Calif.; Scott

Marshall Burris of Pensacola, Fl.; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Taylor, Michael Taylor and Brad Taylor of Odessa

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Winters, Kristee Winters, and Mindy Winters of Amarillo.

WEEKLY HEALTH TIP

LOCK-UP POISONS

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Burkett News

Loma Griffin of Coleman and Jeff Dean of Burkett were united in marriage Saturday, Oct. 19 at 9:00 p.m. when they exchanged wedding vows at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Dean. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Phillips of Coleman.

A reception followed the ceremony with 62 guests of family and friends present.

The new Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Dean were honored with a gift showe the following Wednesday at the Baptist Church. They wish to thank those present and especially the hostesses.

Kenneth Ferguson of Columbia, Tenn. visited his great aunt, Mrs. Birdie Helms and cousin, Gill Helms on Wednesday, Oct. 16th. He also visited Mrs. Virgie Adams, another cousin. Kenneth is the son of Mary Lou (Harris) Gaskell of Alabama formerly of

Raymond and Lucille Cross spent Thursday to Monday at Ingleside with their son, Kenneth and wife, Sherry, Lisa and Randy. They went at this particular time to help Randy celebrate his birthday.

Byron and Jean McAnally were in San Angelo Wednesday a week ago to visit their daughter and family, Norman and Kathy Lubke, Kelly Jean and Chris.

B.L. Strickland of Midland visited his cousin, W.B. Bludworth, a couple days and night last week. They visited Walter and Melba Walker a while one evening. Sunday visitors of Dalton and Lucille Gould were Rick

and Linda Brinson and Melinda of Coleman, Jackie Dodgen of Bangs and his friend, Johnny Pricer of Crawford.

Preston and Johnie Burkett of Bisbee, Az. arrived here Monday morning to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lee Melton of Cross Plains. They plan to stay a few days and visit relatives and go from here to Arkansas to visit their daughter and family and to Oklahoma to visit her sister who has been very ill for a long time.

Grace Green has been at Lamesa for several days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Virginia Armistead and family. She went from there to Big Spring to spend the weekend with her sister and husband, Hulan and Sealy Harris. Hulan brought Grace home today, Tuesday 29th and he will visit a few days with his mother, Mrs. Lillian Harris and his brother and wife, Grady and Theda of Aransas Pass who are also visiting Lillian.

Mrs. Nellie Arrington of Cross Plains and Joan Pope of Granbury visited the D.R. Goulds Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Arrington was enroute to Coleman hospital to visit her husband, Chester. News has been received that he passed away Sunday. He was hospitalized because of a serious heart condition.

Mrs. Ometa Thate attended her high school's 50th birthday over the past weekend. She met her daughter Bonnie there who was a Mozelle graduate. Saturday was spent attending their old class meetings. Sunday was a big day for hundreds of exstudents and families. A wonderful program and dedications of special occasions followed. Then a very delicious meal that was prepared by the Homemaking class. A few hours of visiting and reminicing of old times. Then a long trip home for many of them.

Tom Frank Golson of Austin spent Frid; ay to Sunday afternoon doing some dove hunting on the old Golson home place and visiting his relatives.

Buddy and Tamarah Bird and Tiffni visited his father, Floyd Bird, of San Angelo Saturday and Sunday a week

Woody and Carolyn Maddox of Coleman enjoyed a steak fry at the home of Buddy and Tamarah Bird one day last week.

Fred Davis of Comanche visited Joe and Hope Golson last Friday and Saturday a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Don tinney and Jonathan of Lefors visited the Lat Mountains and Jack Stricklands last Wednesday a week ago.

Tom Byers of Abilene visited his sisters and brother, Velma, Ester and Dan Byers on Monday. Weekend visitors in their home were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hagar and son, Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery Hagar and children Christi and Patrick all of Abilene: Mrs. Eloise Stoutevmier of Port Arther and Mrs. Cora Robertson of Robert Lee.

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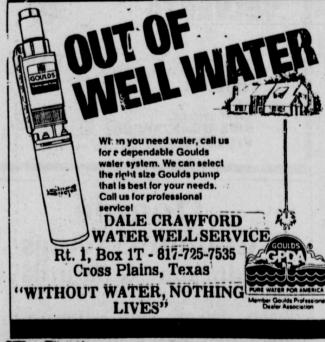
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