



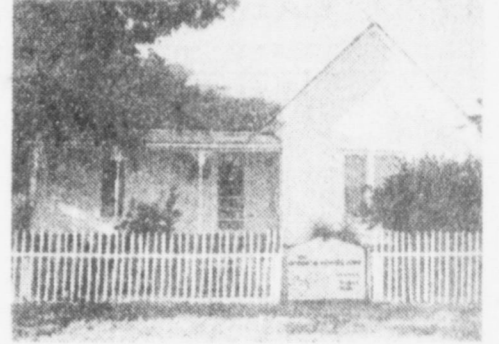
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Down Home

"Has Technology Gone Too Far?"

By VANDA ANDERSON-CREECH
Editor

Have you noticed that the packaging on retail items have become so strong, in an effort to be safe from tampering, that it is almost ridiculous?

My mother has been carrying a small pair of scissors in her purse for years, just to open plastic packages at restaurants, etc. I see her point now. About the only way you can break the seal is to cut it. I keep scissors in my kitchen at all times for just this purpose.

You need a pair of pliers to open a plastic seal on bottles of juice. Then get out your hammer if you want to get into some of the over-the-counter medicine containers. When you have a splitting headache and you can't even open the bottle, frustration really sets in.

If you purchase makeup or items sealed in plastic you may need a screw driver to retrieve your goods.

One thing is for sure, they are packaged to insure our safety and is important in today's world. You just need a small tool set to get into the goods!

While I am on a roll, how about all the offices you attempt to call and cannot talk to a real, live person. This particular new technical procedure is most disliked by the majority of citizens.

How about those menus? Thank goodness they repeat the list of numbers frequently, because who can remember which belongs to what department. The dilemma is deciding the appropriate one for your particular situation.

If you do accidentally get an actual person -- it is such a relief. Lots of folks just hang up because they don't want to fool with the recordings. This idea wouldn't be so bad, except some are offices which people desperately need their assistance and they can't communicate effectively. Personally the only menu I am interested in is the one at the restaurant! Ha!

Vivian Hardin called last week and asked if there is a directory for fax numbers. I am not aware of one. Does anyone know about this? You have to admit the fax machine has truly made life easier. The speed which things can be sent from one office to another is a great timesaver.

The computer has improved the ability to type papers, etc. wonderfully. It is so easy to correct and you can type with such speed. The only problem here is that many find themselves almost addicted to their use. I like the commercial that states that it is not intended as a "spouse substitute".

What it boils down to is you must learn to deal with all situations with an open mind and some common sense. With all improvements there are new challenges.
Good luck!

Colonial Oaks Services

Believer's Fellowship will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, September 12, commencing at 3:30 p.m.



SENATOR VISITS HERE--Callahan County Judge Roger Corn, at left, introduces U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison Thursday, September 2 with Callahan County community leaders at the County Courthouse in Baird. Senator Hutchison briefed community leaders on agriculture and tax bills as well as tobacco settlement funds allocated to Callahan County.

SEN. KAY BAILEY HUTCHINSON BRIEFS COMMUNITY LEADERS ON AGRICULTURE

- Also discussed new funds for Callahan County-

BAIRD--U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison met Thursday with Callahan County community leaders, including County Judge Roger Corn, briefing them on agriculture and tax bills approved by Congress earlier this month. Also attending were a number Baird and Clyde High School students.

"We are still recovering from years of drought, floods, tornadoes and historically low commodity prices. The agricultural appropriations bill the Senate approved will keep farmers and ranchers on the path to recovery," Senator Hutchison said. The Senate-passed Agriculture Appropriations Bill includes a \$7.4 billion emergency relief package. It provides full funding for Step 2 of cotton's competitiveness program, to promote the sale of cotton, as well as funding 'loss of markets' payments for cotton, grain sorghum and wheat producers.

"We've also provided tools to farmers and ranchers to help man-

age risk," the Senator announced. "The tax bill Congress sent to the President creates Farm and Ranch Risk Management (FARRM) Accounts. These accounts can be used to combat the extreme, year-to-year fluctuations in income that are a hallmark of agriculture."

FARRM Accounts will allow farmers and ranchers to contribute up to 20 percent of their income to a tax-deferred, IRA-type account for up to five years.

The taxpayer refund bill also contains a provision originally introduced by Senator Hutchison to phase out the unpopular and unfair marriage tax penalty beginning in 2001. Other important provisions of the bill include: Phasing out the death tax; lowering tax brackets 1 percent across the board; lowering capital gains taxes; increasing the maximum allowable contribution to Individual Retirement Accounts

See HUTCHISON page 7



BUFFALO OFFENSIVE LINE IMPRESSIVE

Buffaloes Win Season Opener

By COACH CORD WOERNER

The Cross Plains Buffaloes traveled to Gorman Friday with high hopes and looking to start out the season with a win. They kicked off to Gorman only to have them drive 67 yards and score first.

Gorman kicked off and the Buffs returned the ball to the 42nd yard line, but fumbled.

It was a rocky start but the defense stepped up and forced a punt. Our offense finally took the ball on our own 1 yard line; trying to punch it away from the goal line and get some room, the Buffaloes ran a quick dive. The blocking was good and Chris Kitchens popped loose for a 99 yard T.D.

After Cross Plains tied up the game, our defense came to life; giving up only 6 first downs, four of which came on the opening drive.

Defensive leaders this week were:

Joseph Dillard - 8 solo tackles
Clint Bailey - 4 solo; 3 assists
Tony Beggs - 4 solo; 1 batted pass, 1 QB hurry
Scott Mackey - 2 solo; 1 assist; 1 sack; 3 QB hurries
Jaden Winfrey - 4 solo; 2 assists; 1 QB hurry.

After hammering back and forth in the 2nd quarter, the Buffaloes got back in the end zone with 1:15 left in the half. Coby Richards tossed a ten yard T.D. to Clint Bailey which gave Cross Plains the lead for good. Scott Mackey ran in for the 2 point conversion.

The 3rd quarter was relatively quiet, except for a few mental mistakes and some penalties that negated a T.D. for Cross Plains. With 9:10 remaining in the 4th quarter, the Buffaloes were able to get in for one more score with Kitchens carrying on a 4 yard run and also running the 2 point conversion.

I was very happy with the way our kids "got after it" for four quarters. Everyone played hard and our offensive line did an excellent job controlling the line of scrimmage.

Offensive leaders were:
Chris Kitchens - 14 rushes for 160 yards; 2 TDs
Scott Mackey - 13 rushes for 48 yards, 2 receptions for 30 yards
Coby Richards - 33 yards rushing; 49 yards passing
Clint Bailey - 1 reception for 10 yards and a TD
Cody Reed - 1 reception for 9 yards
Kenny Callaway - at least 2 pancake blocks which set up big gains.

We look forward to seeing you at Buffalo Stadium Friday night for our first home game versus the Tolar Rattlers.

Prayer Day For Cross Plains
Thursday, September 15 at 7:00 a.m.
Flagpole at school for students.
Flagpole at City Hall for all others.

Buffalo Breakfast Each Friday At 7:00 a.m.
At The Dairy Queen

5th Quarter At Community Center After Home Games On Friday Night

Get Your Boots Ready!

There will be a dance featuring The Muddy Creek Band at the Cross Plains Senior Center Saturday, September 11, from 7:30 - 10:30 p.m.

Admission is \$3.00 per person. All proceeds will go to the Callahan County Meals-on-Wheels Program.



COOK-OFF WINNERS -- Charlie Valadez (front) and Dana Hall; Glenn Nicholas (back, from left) Dickie Cooper, Richard Thomas, Connie Baker and Leroy Rawdon. (Photo Courtesy of Ginny Hoskins)

First Annual Barbarian Festival Achieves Success

By VANDA ANDERSON-CREECH
Editor

Saturday proved to be a full day of activities for all ages beginning with a parade downtown kicking off the Barbarian Festival. Folks lined the streets and the new sidewalks and benches provided great seating for spectators.

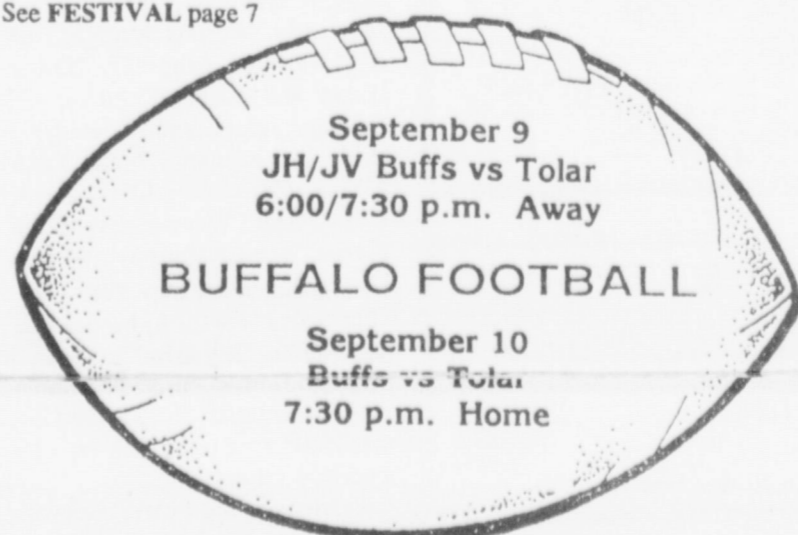
Parade winners of the various categories included:
Non-Profit Division
1st Place - Project Pride
People's Choice - C.P. Band
People's Choice - Bangs Mayfest

Antique Car Division
1st Place - Leslie Henderson - 1929 Model A Roadster
People's Choice - Claude and Mary Boyd - 1940 Ford
Classic Car Division
1st Place - Wayne White - 1973 Cougar Convertible
People's Choice - Wayne Hefner - 1968 MG

Commercial Division
1st Place C Bar J Miniatures - Carolyn Wilson, Cross Plains
People's Choice - Higginbotham Bros.

Motorcycle Division
1st Place - Nathan Tinkle - Abilene Riders Group

See FESTIVAL page 7



September 9
JH/JV Buffs vs Tolar
6:00/7:30 p.m. Away

BUFFALO FOOTBALL

September 10
Buffs vs Tolar
7:30 p.m. Home

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Linda Kay Wilcox, Criminal
Trespass.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Richard Hawkins, Order amending
conditions of community supervision.
\$438.32 restitution.

Jody Fox, Plea of guilty to making
alcohol available to minor. \$100 fine
\$204.25 court costs, 10 days in jail.

Linda Wilcox, Plea of guilty to
criminal trespass. \$204.25 court costs,
15 days in jail.

Roy Lynn Kennemer, Judgment
of conviction, plea of no contest to
evading arrest. \$200 fine, \$214.25
court cost, 1 year probation.

Roy Lynn Kennemer, Probation
transferred to Harrison County, Tx.

Brenda Taplin, Motion to dismiss,
theft of property by check, restitution
paid.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Shanna Ann Jones and Joe Tom
South, of Clyde.

42nd DISTRICT COURT
John Weeks, presiding

Civil Filings

Larry Isayah Hawkins, name
change.

Civil Minutes

Damian Allen Hall, Credit card
abuse.

Criminal Filings

Ronald J. Johnson, Order to
dismiss. Defendant serving 25 years
in prison.

Wanda Jean Hillgren, Order
discharging defendant from probation

Terrance L. Brannon, Order
discharging defendant from probation

William Randall Nance,
community supervision judgment,
plea of guilty/nolo contendere. \$1500
fine, \$229.25 court costs, 240 hours
of community service.

William Randall Nance, order
amending conditions of community
supervision.

Criminal Minutes

ANNOUNCEMENT

Tammy Dee Martin of Clyde, Tx. is
not the same Tammy D. Martin listed
in the courthouse records.

Callahan Co. Jr. Breeders Assoc. Meeting Sept. 14

The Callahan County Junior
Breeders Association will hold a
meeting at 7:30 on September 14,
1999 at the Baird Courthouse.

We encourage all interested to
attend.

Submitted by Rita Coffey

Breeders Assoc. Cook-off Told

The Callahan County Junior
Breeders Association will be
hosting its 2nd Annual Chili Cook-
off in conjunction with the Clyde
Pecan and Bluegrass Festival.

For entry information call 915-
893-4791 or 915-668-7668.



Selected Scriptures

*I have seen the consummation
of all perfection, but Your
commandment is exceedingly
broad. Psalm 119:96*

*Not that I have already at-
tained, or am already per-
fected, but I press on...
Philippians 3:12*

Paid Advertising—Irma Miller

Obituaries

Celia Lee (Sis) Belew

Celia Lee (Sis) Belew, 76, died
Tuesday, August 31, 1999, at her
home.

Services were held Friday at 2 p.m.
at Cross Plains Church of Christ
with Bob Pipes and Farrell Stephens
officiating. Burial was in Cross
Plains Cemetery, directed by
Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mrs. Belew was born July 31,
1923, in Knox City to Ed and
Frances Pearl Petty. She married
Hubert M. Belew November 24,
1943, in Brownwood. She was a
homemaker and a member of the
Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by her
parents.

Survivors include her husband,
Hubert M. Belew of Cross Plains;
two sons and one daughter-in-law,
Buddy and Debbie Belew of
Clarksville and Jerry Belew of
Clovis, New Mexico; an adopted
son Albert Kincheloe and Cheryl of
Abilene; one brother and sister-in-
law, Eddie and Dorothy Petty of
Cross Plains; seven grandchildren,
Karla, Karen, Trampas, Leigh Ann,
Roper, Cutter and Lynn and one
great-granddaughter, Kayleigh.

Pallbearers were Albert
Kincheloe, Don Wilson, Joe Pierce,
Stuart Sowell, Kenneth Sowell and
Tommy Merryman.

John B. Evans

John B. Evans, 83, of Mason,
passed away on Sunday, September
5, 1999.

Services to celebrate his life will be
conducted by his son, Max Evans at
Higginbotham Funeral Home in
Cross Plains on Thursday, Septem-
ber 9, at 11 a.m., with interment to
follow in Cross Plains Cemetery.

Mr. Evans was born in Pleasant
Valley, near Post, in Garza County
on February 15, 1916. He married
Floryne Preslar of Robert Lee on
February 2, 1946, in Pecos, who
resides in Mason. He was a rancher
in Coke County for many years and
later was a State Meat Inspector for
the State of Texas and retired at age
83 in February of 1999.

He was preceded in death by his
parents Joe B. and Thelma J. Evans
of Cross Plains and his brother.

He is survived by his wife; six
children, Bill Evans and wife, Karen
of Wolfforth, Bonnie Evans
Shackelford of Austin, Bob Evans
and wife, Beverly of Alamogordo,
New Mexico, Sue Evans Crawford
and husband, Glen of Dumas, Jo
Evans Partin and husband, Jimmy of
Abilene, Max Evans and wife,
Norma of Cross Plains; two sisters,
Elsie Stroud and Sayra Fox, both of
Cross Plains; 15 grandchildren and
25 great-grandchildren.

Billie Jean Christmas Moore

VERNON—Billie Jean Christmas
Moore, 71, died Sunday, September
6, 1999, at her residence.

Services were held Tuesday at 10
a.m. at Sullivan Funeral Home
Chapel with Revs. John
Klappenbach and Jerry Spears offi-
ciating. Burial was at 4 p.m. in
Lubbock City Cemetery with the
Rev. Joe Ainsworth officiating.

Mrs. Moore was born in Rising
Star in 1928. She married Billy Dan
Moore on Portales, New Mexico, in
1947. He preceded her in death in
1990. She was Deputy County
Clerk and Court Clerk of Roosevelt
County, New Mexico, before being
an administrative assistant for the
City of Andrews from 1961 to 1966.
She moved to Ranger in 1966 and
was secretary to the superintendent
for Ranger ISD and financial aid
officer for Ranger Junior College
leaving in 1974 for Electra, where
she was employed until 1996 as a
bookkeeper for Dalrymple CPA
Firm. She graduated from Pan-
handle High School in 1945 and
attended Hardin-Simmons Univer-
sity. She had been a member of First
Baptist Church in Electra since
1974. She was a member of Naomi
Sunday School Class. She came to
Vernon in 1996 and was a member
of Second Baptist Church. She en-
joyed needleworking and making
tapestry.

Survivors include a daughter,
Danna Renee Dardis of Vernon; two
sisters, Joyce Creamer of Wilcox,
Arizona and Charlene Smith of
Odessa; a brother, R.G. Christmas of
Marshall; two grandsons; and two
great-granddaughters.

Memorials may be made to
Texhoma Community Hospice.

D.L. Barnes

Rev. DeWitt L. Barnes, 101, died
Tuesday, August 31, 1999, in a
Houston hospital after a short ill-
ness.

Services were held Friday at 10
a.m. at St. James United Methodist
Church, with Rev. Curtis
Cadenhead officiating. Burial with
Masonic rites were held in Elmwood
Memorial Park, directed by Elliott-
Hamill Funeral Homes, 542 Hickory.

Rev. Barnes was born in 1898 in
Center City, one of nine children.
He served in the infantry during
World War I. He was ordained by
the Methodist Church in 1925 and
ministered to congregations in the
Central Texas region, including the
Methodist Church in Cross Plains,
until his retirement in 1981. He was
honored in 1996 as the oldest living
minister in the Central Texas Con-
ference of the United Methodist
Church. He was a Past Master and a
Life Member of the Masonic Lodge
and received his 65-year pin in 1994.
He was the widower of Lou Emma
Craft, whom he married in 1920 in
Blackwell.

Survivors include a daughter,
Mary B. Vanderveer of Houston; a
son, John C. Barnes of Oglesby;
three grandchildren and two great-
grandchildren, all of the Houston
area.

Madie C. Wooley Wenetschlaeger

Madie C. Wooley
Wenetschlaeger, 73, of San Angelo
died Wednesday, September 1,
1999, in Shannon Medical Center.

Graveside service was held at 10
a.m. Friday, September 3, in
Fairmount Cemetery with the Rev.
Scooter McCurdy of Glen Meadows
Baptist Church, officiating. Ar-
rangements were made by Johnson's
Funeral Home.

Madie was born March 13, 1926,
in Coleman County to C.B. and
Madie Edington. She married Jack
Wenetschlaeger October 2, 1981, in
San Angelo. She retired from
Hemphill-Wells and was a member
of Park Heights Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her
parents and two brothers, Deel and
Everett Edington.

Survivors include her husband,
Jack Wenetschlaeger of San An-
gelo; sons, Edde Elliott and wife,
Kaye, of San Angelo, Louis Wooley
and wife, Patrice, of San Angelo,
Terry Wenetschlaeger and wife,
Patty, of Oak Park, California and
Malcolm Wenetschlaeger of
Abilene; one daughter, Nancy
Isham and husband, Jackie, of
Ballinger; grandchildren, Brandee
York and husband, Matt, Trish
Elliott, Christine Miller, Heidi
Isham, Quaid Wenetschlaeger and
Farryn Wenetschlaeger; and one
great-grandchild, Kaley York.

She is also survived by her beloved
pet, Muffin, "My baby."

Madie loved her husband, children
and grandchildren. She lived her life
to the fullest and faced each day with
a positive attitude.

We love you and we will miss you.

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Cross Plains Cemetery Assoc. Report For May - July 1999

May 1999

Donations: Harold Womack \$50;
Dale Bishop, book \$15; L.D.
Koenig, book \$25; Perry Duncan,
book \$25; M/M Danny Myrick \$25;
Faye Tyler \$25; Ike Neal, book \$25;
Ike Neal \$50; Interest Added to
Acct. \$13.17 Total: \$253.17

GOP: Jerry Cassie 2 plots \$150;
Higginbothams GOP for R. Ingram
\$75; Hadden & Erma Payne 4 plots
\$300; James Kinnard 1 plot \$75 and
Deborah Kinnard 2 plots \$150 To-
tal: \$750

Total for Month of May: \$1003.17

June 1999

I/M George & Viola Hutchins by
Geo. Hutchins children \$100; I/M
Fonia & Sybil Worthy and Harry &
Mary Coppinger by M/M Billy M.
Coppinger \$100; M/M T.W.
Thackerson \$50; Ruth Coggin \$100;
Leota and Wayne Howser \$25;
Raymond & Rosa Haakonson \$25;
Mrs. Charlie Bell \$15; Billy Harris 1
book plus postage \$30.40; Dick
Vestal \$50; M/M Y.G. Hughes
\$200; M/M W.B. Huntington \$50; I/
M Sterling Odom by Nancy Palmer
\$25; Norma Gibson \$50; Michael &
Joanne Cade \$50; Deigo & Jonita
Ramirez \$750; I/M Clark & Michael
Bregan by Ima Brookes \$20; M/M
Clark G. Graham \$200; Wanda
Anderson \$50; Mrs. A.L. Barr \$25;
Mrs. Roland Howell & Max Howell
\$50; Marjorie Grace \$50; M/M
Ralph Trevey \$20; A.W. & Dorothy
Booth \$50; CD 7719 Interest Pymt.
\$821.97; Interest Added to Acct.
\$17.13 Total: \$5,599.78

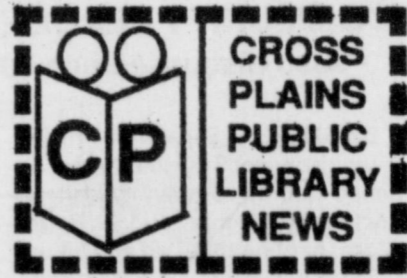
GOP: Ted Souder plot \$75; Ora
Belle Webb plot \$75; Mrs. Paula

Bond plot \$75 Total: \$225

Total for Month of June:
\$5,824.78

July 1999

Donations: J.C. Childress \$10.28;
Michael & Cynthia Meyers \$10;
O.M. Gage, Jr. \$100; I/M Harlon
Lacy & many other relative by
Marjorie Lacy \$50; Mrs. W.C. So-
journer, Sr. \$50; M/M Fred Landolt
\$50; Doris Givens \$25; M/M L.M.
Baum \$50; E.G. Walker \$100; Nita
Rawson \$20; D.G. & Geneva
Ballard \$10; I/M J.B. Baum by D.
Baum \$200; Gerald & Loyce
Stephens \$25; E.B. Martin, Jr. \$100;
Ida Belle Duncan \$100; Geo. &
Patty Watkins \$25; Susan Andis
\$25; S.L. & Evalyn Havens \$10; Ina
Mae Golson \$20; O.D. & Gracie
Newsom \$50; Milton & Frances
Jones \$25; Novella Rash \$50; James
& Mildred Hefner \$10; M/M Robert
Cross \$50; Leonard & Betty Jones
\$25; William & Lynette Payne \$25;
M/M Macon Freeman \$100; Robert
& Bonnie Illingsworth \$50; Bonnie
Wilhite \$100; M/M L. Dorris \$25;
J.R. & Charlene Cumba \$25; W.J.
Garnett, Jr., MD \$50; Mary Rucker
\$100; Paul Freeman \$100; Mrs.
Paula Bond \$25; M/M Keith
Watkins \$300; J.C. & Winnie
Grantham \$20; Virginia Campbell
\$25; Freeda Burkett \$50; Mrs. Ron-
ald Miller \$100; Jessie Ruth
McAdams \$100; Billie & Bob
Norton \$20; Lillian Beaman \$25;
Wayne Hefner \$50; M/M L.C.
Warner \$25; M/M Wm. D. Brown
\$50; Sherl & Barbara Taylor \$50;
Theodore Milner \$20; Ron & Lynda
Gray \$50 Total: \$2,675.28



August 30 - September 3

The Cross Plains Public Library
welcomes donations which honor
any special day or event.

Donations:

Jack and Kathryn Tunnell, Tom
Ames

In Memory of Faye Tyler, Dixie
Coffey and Bob Latson from Betty
Kinnard

In Memory of Estalee Potter from
Mattie Faye Wilson

In Memory of Celia Belew from
Jack and Kathryn Tunnell

To honor the 50th Wedding
Anniversary of Charles and Lou
Rodenberger: Katherine Shearer,
Hollis and Cherry Schults; Richard
and Mary Ann Chaffin

New Library Cards for August -
10

Circulation:

Cross Plains Books - 73

Abilene Books - 10

Audio Books - 4

Interlibrary Loan - 1

Total - 88

Callahan County DPS Report

Calls received by the Callahan
County Department of Public
Safety from August 29, 1999
through September 4, 1999 in-
clude:

Cases Investigated

Warnings-89
Complaints-93
Public Intoxication-1
DWI-2
Theft by Check-1
Vehicle Accidents
There was one vehicle accident
investigated during this time span.
People Arrested On
Outstanding Warrants
There were six outstanding war-
rants issued for a total of
\$1,670.00 collected.

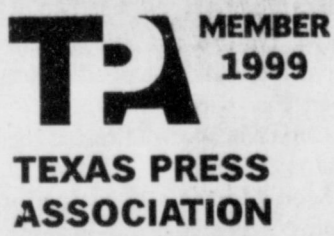
Cross Plains Masonic Lodge No. 627

Stated Meeting
1st Thursday 7:30 p.m.

Sec. (254) 725-7530

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Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

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Garden Tips

By James Nichols

Did you know you can irrigate
slowly and deeply without costly
drip lines? Simply bury a gallon-size
plastic milk jug with two or three
small holes in the bottom next to
your tomatoes or wherever you need
it.

You can mix water soluble
fertilizer when you fill it. This is a
great way to fertilize and water your
plants when away on long, hot
weekends.

When the growing season is over,
throw out the plastic jug and put the
plant in compost.

Normal wet days are expected to
be September 9-10 and cool wet
days September 26-27.

Upcoming events include the
Southwest Texas Deer Wildlife
Management at College Station
September 21-32 and the Texas
Quail Symposium in Abilene on
October 13-15.

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Dr. Richard Chaffin, Pastor

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By: Linda Merritt

By: Kay Mosley



COUNTY ROADS

by Ginny Greene

Meet me at the cayenne...

"Not now, Honey, I'm pickling the towels," I hollered back down the hall.

Somewhere I had heard that vinegar in the rinse water reduces lint. Our dryer produces at least four pounds of lint each and every wash load. It had to be worth a try.

Right now I'm in the process of testing to see how much is needed to cut lint. So far, I'm up to quart and a half per load. There was a .6 difference last night, so I'm encouraged. Still, that was a polyester load, which doesn't make much lint. The acid test is terrycloth. I'll keep trying.

Handy hints and home remedies fascinate me. I read The Mammoth Hunters and Clan of the Cave Bears, following Ayla all around her ice age world as she learned how to use the tools of nature. Author Jean Auel's research was so painstaking I could have sworn she was present at the dawn of mankind, watching.

I found another book at the local library, about the favorite home remedies of Texans. I came away with the conviction that early Texans had to have steel-lined stomachs to have survived some of the folk remedy practices of those days.

It did turn out that bath soap breaks down detergent suds and adhesive tape pulls out slivers better than my fingernails. Flour and coffee grounds are said to stop bleeding. In fact, a Native American of my acquaintance once packed the chest of a wounded horse with flour at a rodeo until the veterinarian could get there.

Some say to use superglue on mosquito bites, or a very smelly bear grease to keep the mosquitoes from biting in the first place.

Pinching the web between thumb and first finger as hard as you can is said to alleviate headache. Actually, I remember this worked once when I was just too tired to get up for any "take two pills" remedy. Hairspray is the ultimate stain remover, and peppermint oil can

be sprayed or rubbed on surfaces to keep flies away.

Open the refrigerator door and mash food on your face to tighten, tone, draw out, cool or calm the skin. Make a mask of apricots, strawberries, grapes, oranges, avocados, cucumbers or egg whites. Then make fruit compote and pound cake with the leftovers.

One summer day I heard ants don't like cayenne pepper. I ran to the cupboard and sprinkled it all over the kitchen: every inlet and ant trail I could find.

They loved it. They called their whole ant town to come and celebrate. They walked through it, jumped in it, rolled and played all afternoon. Toward evening they did the "bunny hop" and then formed a "congo line." I put on my Latin dance music CD.

I could just imagine the first ants out of the nest each morning, and all their fellow ants asking, "Where are we going today?"

"Oh, meet me at the cayenne pepper," would be their reply. "We'll have a feast—cha-cha-cha—it's Festival! Ole!"

Then I read somewhere that ants won't cross a chalk line. I tried it on my kitchen counter, then at the kitchen door. It worked so well, I bought six boxes of chalk sticks and drew lines around the whole house. I stood behind the inner line with hands on hips and an "I dare you" look on my face. I can't decide if the chalk is confounding the ants, but I do see a lot of mashed ants outside. The kids keep hopscotching the gridwork and calling me out to re-chalk the lines.

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IRMA DEEN HADDOX
...September Resident of Month

Irma Deen Haddox is the chosen resident for this month. Deen was born on August 12, 1918, in Ira located in Scurry County. She has three children, eight grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, two step-great-grandchildren and two more greats on the way. She enjoys music, TV and visiting with her family. Her religious affiliation is Baptist.

A warm welcome for our new resident, Nandell Stiles.

Appreciation to Becky Smith for the black-eyed peas, to Johnnie Elliott for the donuts.

Jo Boatright sure looks pretty with her new perm.

Randy Richardson from Odessa, Sharene Deshmukh from Stephenville, Roger and Michelle Rudloff from Mansfield, Charlou Cowan, Lurene, Byron and Brenton McNutt and Minnie Cunningham visited with Louise Richardson.

Bill Snower from Abilene visited Alpha Wilson.

Bethany, Amber and Taylor Parker visited with Nandell Stiles.

Hazel, Howard Lee and Jennifer Bronson visited with Pauline Regian and Ralph Lee.

Bobby Jack, Naomi and Charlene McCowen were here visiting several.

Activities during the week were:
Monday: Bingo winners were Falba Shofner (2), Ruby Harrell (2), Minnie Swann, Alpha Wilson, Howet Wilson (2) and Vera Belyeu. Exercise class and Skip-Bo games.

Tuesday: Art Class. Sing-a-long with Bob Wallace. Popcorn social.

Wednesday: Bingo winners were Minnie Swann, Falba Shofner, Alpha Wilson, Hazel McCoy and Vera Belyeu (2). Exercise class and Skip-Bo games.

Thursday: Bingo winners were Falba Shofner, Minnie Swann (3), Howet Wilson (2), Alpha Wilson (4) and Louise Richardson. Ball toss.

Friday: Singing with Bob Wallace and Sit-down-basketball.

Sunday: Believer's Fellowship
You have only today. If you lose it, it is gone forever.

"Counting: One, Two, and Th--!" I never had a brother, instead I was blessed with a baby sister. She was born just a few days following my second birthday.

She was a chubby, roly poly baby sister with a button nose and huge brown eyes. Mother named her Ann. Those eyes were her claim to fame within the family. They were so huge and so brown -- looking up at you, that my grandfather Dennis gave her a nickname. Grandad dubbed her "Two Burnt Holes In A Bedblanket."

I used to wonder sometimes, as a child, what it would be like to have a brother. However, my sister was more enterprising than I. Upon deciding that she wanted a baby brother, she busily picked out one. She chose a baby brother from the pages of the Sears and Roebuck catalogue and promptly and ceremoniously informed Mama of her intention. Ann told Mother to order that baby brother from the Sears catalogue. Well, I guess either Mama couldn't locate a Sears order form or it got lost in the mail, 'cause no baby brother ever arrived. So Ann was just stuck with one mean older sister, Kay (me).

Over the years Ann married and was blessed first with a daughter in 1964 and then in quick succession two sons. #1 son was born in 1970 and #2 son in 1972.

In 1988, Ann and sonny's first grandchild was born, a boy called Drew. The son of Ann's daughter, Drew was an only child and grandchild for a spell. Then came the year 1977 and B I N G O, a new baby

brother for Drew. Named Landry, he really livened up Drew's world.

His world got even livelier in 1998, extremely so! 1998 ushered in another baby brother, Evan.

The following is a poem composed and written by Drew about his baby brothers who are now ages 2 and 1 year respectively.

It's like the potato chip advertisement, you can't have just one you gotta have two or three or --.

Belinda and Mel Maddox are very proud of all three of their sons. Hope you enjoy the poem.

"My Two Bro's"

I guess I'm sort of lucky to have the two around, though sometimes it gets hectic and the world turns upside down.

My little brother Landry, he's cute as can be, but sometimes changing diapers ain't that cute to me.

Then there is little Evan, he is so soft and gently, but when he gets upset I wish he were a rental.

Babies are hard to keep up with just ask my mom, Belinda, 'cause sometimes "she" gets upset and she'd like to chunk them out the window!

We really would not do these things, we love them so dearly. They're really cool, I mean it, they're like my best friends, NEARLY.

So for those of you with babies, I hope you treat them nice. 'Cause once you get to know them, they're like sugar topped with spice.

By Andrew Rian Maddox, age 11 years

In honor of his two brothers, Landry McCrae Maddox and Evan Meador Maddox

Girling Health Care To Offer Flu Vaccinations

Girling Health Care, Inc. will offer flu vaccinations at various clinic sites and time beginning in September through mid-November.

The vaccination is reimbursed fully for individuals 65 years of age and older who present their Medicare Part B identification card. Those without Medicare B benefits will be charged \$5.50 to cover the cost of the vaccination.

Center for Disease Control (CDC) recommends the vaccine be administered prior to flu season, or during the month of September through mid-November to ensure the best protection.

Girling flu clinics have helped with flu prevention for the past five years in Texas, as well as in Tennessee, Louisiana, and Oklahoma. "Girling is very involved with promoting health and enhancing the quality of lives in our communities,"

Corporate Nursing Supervisor MSN, RN, CNS-CH Tamara Meyer said. "The flu vaccinations may help prevent the flu and related complications for thousands of individuals this season."

Girling Health Care, a home health care corporation, was started by Bettie J. and Robert G.W. Girling, III on August 1, 1967. The company evolved out of their strong commitment to provide quality care to individuals and families, and their desire to address the needs of the community. Today, Girling has over 8,000 employees in five states including Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Tennessee, and New York.

A flu clinic is scheduled for Wednesday, September 29, from 10 a.m. to noon at the Senior Citizen Center, 108 North Main in Cross Plains.

Action, Fun, Entertainment Scheduled for "Old Ripfest '99"

The 1999 "Old Ripfest" and parade promise to make for a fun-filled, action-packed day Saturday, September 18, on the square in downtown Eastland. The annual "5K Rip-Roaring Run" and the "Kid 1-mile Fun-Run" jump start the day's action with racers starting from the downtown area at 8:00 a.m. and finishing just in time for spectators to gather for the "longest parade in Texas" at 10:00 a.m.

Immediately after the parade, festival goers can sample a multitude of food and drink items, while cheering on firefighters from area towns, who will be competing for prize money in the first annual "Old Rip Firefighter Challenge". Tunes from the EHS band will delight music lovers as they shop amongst a variety of arts and craft booths.

Scholarships from the Nancy Seaberry Frost Arts Endowment will be awarded during the course of

the afternoon. Funds from this endowment, totaling \$20,000, will be dispersed to area children and young people for music education. Other entertainers, including Monty Harper-singer/songwriter, Siebert Singers, and the always popular Fiddlers' contest will round out the afternoon's entertainment.

Horned Toad Derby racers will begin competing at 1 p.m. with trophies for the fastest racers, and an exhibition race with 2 "pro-toad racers." Bryan's Auto Antique Car Show will again, attract antique car buffs from far and wide.

Whether you are looking for fun, food, entertainment, or just a way to spend a great day in September, make plans now to spend Saturday, September 18 in downtown Eastland for a "Rip-Roaring" good time!

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By Bob Pipes, preacher
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A fellow minister told of his first mission trip to South India in 1969. The area around where he was staying was so semi-jungle, semi-bush, that "Tarzan would have felt right at home" -- but Terry didn't. He was twenty years young and terribly homesick -- and starving for a good-ole American cheeseburger!

One lonesome and boring afternoon he whiled the hours away by feeding some monkeys dough balls made from a loaf of bread. It became quite a "sport" -- the monkeys would reach from the roof as Terry stood on the balcony, feeding them. Yes, it was quite a fun and games event as the monkeys squealed in delight and kept reaching down for more and more.

Suddenly Terry realized that a great crowd had gathered below his balcony -- a crowd not nearly as entertained by this "monkeying around" as he was. One thin faced and sickly looking little boy looked up at him with bulging eyes, and in broken English, said, "Master, feed poor boys, not monkeys."

Terry stated: "It was like a stab in the heart. In the street below were orphans, beggars, lepers -- the offspring of humankind. Mothers and fathers who had starving children. Children who watched malnourished parents die. Parents who would watch their hungry children die... And there I was, playing games with the bread that for them was so precious. I was cut to the heart."

Do we ever "play games" with the bread of life -- physical bread of life or the spiritual bread of life? Jesus is the spiritual bread of life, John 6:35, and His words. Are we hoarding, wasting or sharing the Bread of Life? Or how about plain bread?

Come join us as we attempt to "feed poor boys, not monkeys."

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SEPTEMBER 13-17

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WEDNESDAY—Pinto beans w/ham, steamed cabbage, breaded okra, lemon cake, cornbread and milk.

THURSDAY—Hamburger Stroganoff, noodles, broccoli, squash, bread and milk.

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CROSS PLAINS FIFTH GRADE STUDENTS AT CALLAHAN COUNTY FIELD DAY

Field Day promotes agriculture to local 5th graders

On Monday, August 30th, local fifth graders were given the opportunity to learn the value of agriculture in the county through an Agriculture & Natural Resources Field Day. Fifth graders from Baird, Cross Plains and Eula took part in this year's Field Day held at the home of Miller and Marion Scott.

The Ag and Natural Resources Field Day is sponsored by the Callahan County Extension Executive Board, Callahan County Farm Bureau and the Wichita Falls Production Credit Association. Thanks goes to Wes-T-Go Convenience Store of Baird for their donation of ice for the days activities.

The Field Day was designed to teach Callahan County fifth graders the importance of some of the agricultural products produced in Callahan County and how impor-

tant agriculture is to the economy of the county. The goal of the Field Day was to give kids a chance to see how they are impacted by agriculture, even if they don't live on a farm or ranch. The program was taught through a series of Agricultural topics presented by local producers, the Texas Department of Agriculture, the Natural Resource Conservation Service, and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. Topics included Beef Cattle, Wheat, Wildlife, Natural Resources and Chemical Safety. This Field Day was presented because it is so important that all young people realize the importance of agriculture and our Natural Resources as we head into the 21st century.

Submitted by Robert Pritz
Callahan Co. Extension Agent

Cross Country Results

By COACH CODY
CHANDLER'S 7TH GRADE
SCIENCE CLASS

At the Cross Country meet in Abilene last Saturday, the junior high boys entered 14 runners. Ryan Mack received a medal by coming in 7th place with a time of 6:13.21. Shortly thereafter, Jose Mauricio, Casey Pack, Randy Duncan and Andy Bennett followed with places ranging from 23rd to 38th. The rest of the team consisted of Marcus Williams, Dusty Cooper, Dusty Dickson, Jason Goains, Thomas Dimitri, Kyle Kitchens, Elias Bennett, Justin Kelly and James Purcell.

The junior high girls were very competitive in their respective divisions. The 8th grade team consisted of Shana Hyles, Christin Hyles, Jessie James, Amber Phillips, Kim Mosier, Bree Dillard and Marie Besselaar. The 7th grade team included Katie Mack, Megan Felty, Kelsey Richards, Kali Phillips, Nichole Clark, Stephanie Edington and Dayna Bennett. Eighth grade medal winners were Shana and Christin Hyles who won 2nd and 6th followed in shortly after by Jessie James and Amber Phillips. The next

runners to come in were Kim Mosier, Bree Dillard and Marie Besselaar.

The high school boys team consisted of Kyle Wilson, Bo James, Chuck Norris, Brandon Jones and Shane Sharpe. Each of the 146 runners ran 3 miles. Kyle Wilson came in first among Cross Plains runners while placing 31st over all. Bo James arrived quickly after Wilson.

The high school girls team consisted of Brittany Bennett, Brandi Richey, Mary Jo Nickerson, Shena Thomas, Melanie Chesshir, Erin Stephens and Judith Mauricio. Brittany Bennett placed 16th out of 94 runners. The high school girls ran 2 miles.

Each of the Cross Plains runners did their best in an effort to win their respective races. With hard work and a little more effort, we will see more medal winners in next weeks meet at Eula.

The Cross Plains Cross Country team would like to thank the supportive parents for encouraging the runners and cheering them on. A special thanks to Mr. Richey for escorting the 2nd bus and everyone on it to and from the meet. See ya next week.

Athletic Boosters selling chances

Have you ever watched a football game with fourth down, seconds left on the clock and all that separated the game from victory or loss was the making of a field goal? If the attempt was unsuccessful, did you say to yourself that given the chance you could have made the winning point? Well, here is your chance to prove how you could make the outcome different.

The Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club will begin on Friday, September 10, selling chances for having your name drawn to attempt a field goal at half-time of the varsity and junior high football games. Entries will be sold for \$1 each and the winner's name will be drawn prior to half-time. The winner will then be given the opportunity to make a 30 yard field goal. If you are successful in making the score, you win \$25.

This contest will be open to ages 7th grade and up. So get up all you couch potatoes, it's time to put your money where your mouth is and support our Athletic Booster Club at the same time.

Athletic Boosters Selling Burgers September 10

The Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club will be selling hamburgers at the home Varsity game against Tolar Friday, September 10.

Memberships will also be sold for \$10 plus cap for single or \$15 per family plus cap.

Come out and enjoy a hamburger and help support our athletes.

Exit Level TAAS & TEAMS dates announced

The exit level TAAS and TEAMS will be given at Cross Plains High School to all students who have not met this graduation requirement. The TAAS Writing is scheduled for October 26, the Mathematics is scheduled on October 27 and the TAAS Reading and the TEAMS English Language Arts is scheduled for October 28.

All out of school examinees that wish to take the TAAS or the TEAMS must complete a registration form no later than September 22. If you have any questions, please contact the school at 725-6121.

SCHOOL MENU

SEPTEMBER 13-17

BREAKFAST

MONDAY—Cream of wheat, toast, assorted juice and milk.

TUESDAY—French toast, assorted juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY—Cinnamon toast, assorted juice and milk.

THURSDAY—Cereal, toast, assorted juice and milk.

FRIDAY—Cinnamon rolls, assorted juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY—Hot dog w/chili & cheese, corn crackers, pears and milk.

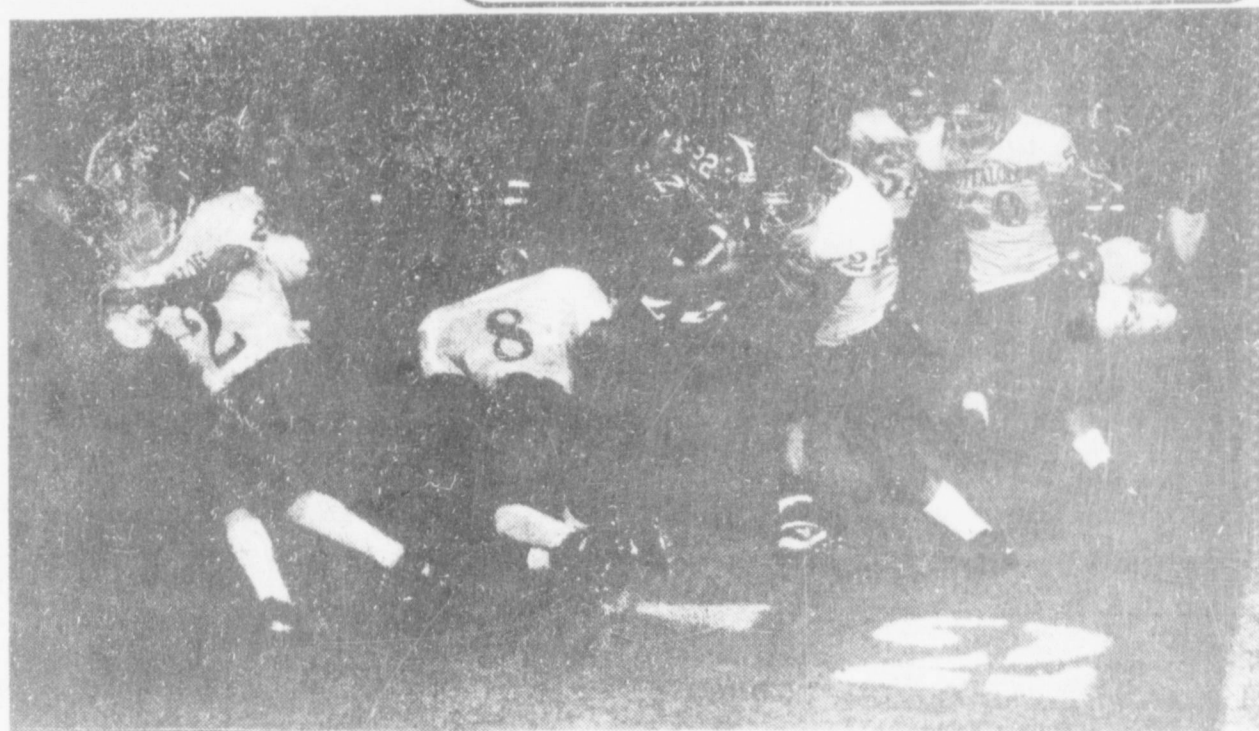
TUESDAY—Ham slices, scalloped potatoes, spinach, rolls, peaches and milk.

WEDNESDAY—Frito pie (chili, cheese, corn chips) rice, salad, coleslaw and milk.

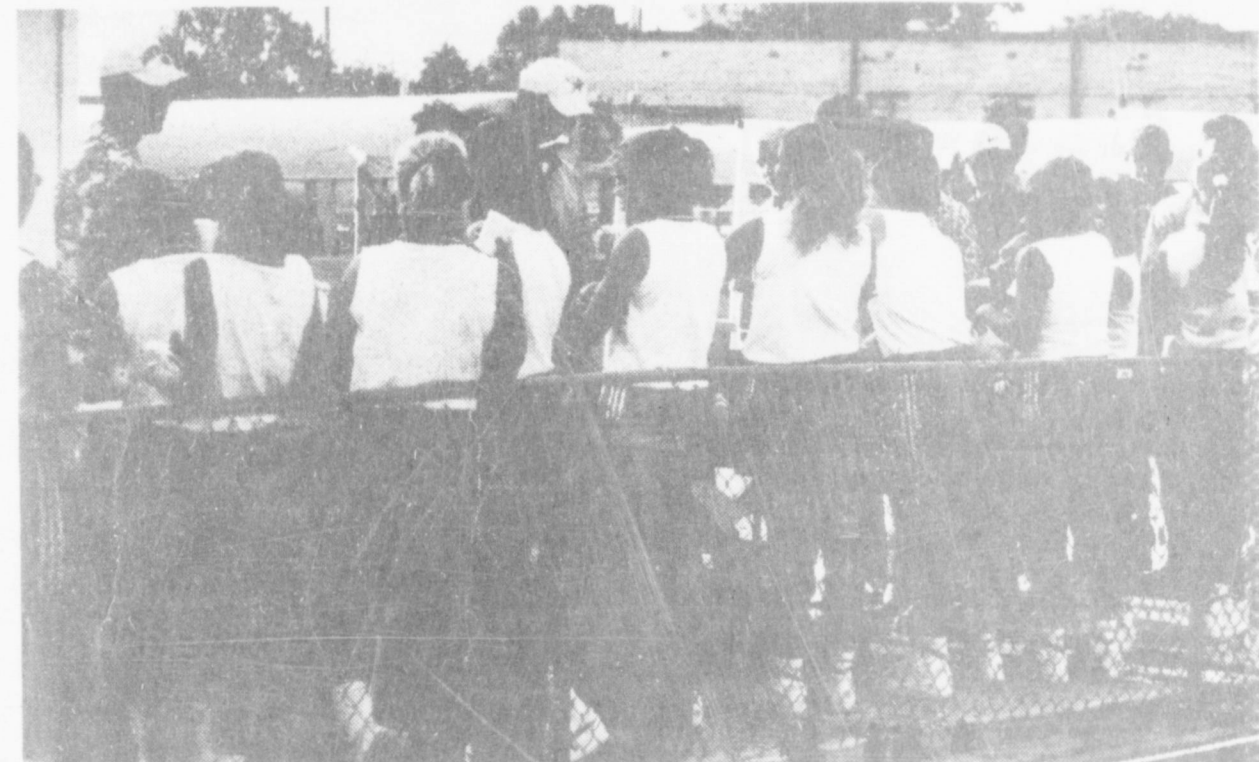
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LITTLE CHEER CAMP PERFORMERS STEAL THE SHOW

Schools Want Active Parents

AUSTIN—Educators need to put out a "welcome mat" to encourage more parents to become active in their child's school, concluded a group of parents and teachers attending a Parental Involvement Academy.

The Academy was a joint venture sponsored by the Association of Texas Professional Educators (ATPE) and the Texas Parent-Teacher Association (TXPTA) at the Austin Convention Center. Forty members from each group gathered to discuss the route to increased parental involvement, which research has shown boosts student performance.

"It's more than baking cookies," said teacher Connie Kilday, ATPE's state president and a participant in the Academy. "It means communicating with your child's teacher, perhaps about something that is happening in your child's life, which can help put their behavior in the classroom in perspective."

Many parents do not become involved in their child's school, the Academy found, because they don't feel welcome or needed, are not familiar with the subject matter or the language, or cannot take time off work.

"We recognize there are barriers, and we want to tear them down so that we can become true partners in our children's education," Kilday said. "Parents need to be even more involved in their child's education today, and we want them to feel comfortable to talk to us anytime, not just when there is a problem."

Educators also encouraged parents to remain involved as their children enter the upper grades, when parental involvement tends to decrease sharply. "I had two people at my last open house," said Kilday, who teaches high school math. "Parental involvement is important at any age."



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Financial Focus

Submitted by Neil D. Shultz
Women Now Play Key Role in Investment Decisions
 (Editor's note: First of a two-part series)

Today, women aren't just making more money than ever before — they're also investing more, too.

Just how active are women in investing? Consider these statistics:
 • Forty-five percent of women report that they are primarily responsible for investment decisions in their households, according to one recent survey of stock investors.

• Two-thirds of working women participate in a retirement plan, such as a 401(k), through their employer.

Obviously, it's just as important for women to become informed, active investors as it is for men. In fact, it may even be more essential for women. Why? For one thing, women still outlive men, on average, by about seven years. This helps explain the fact that, at one time or another, 90 percent of women become wholly responsible for their own financial welfare.

Furthermore, because women typically earn less than men, the amount of their retirement benefits is lower. Women's pensions and retirement plan accumulations are smaller than men's, and women receive lower Social Security payments.

In short, with less money and longer life spans, women run a bigger risk of outliving their resources than do men. That's why the trend toward women's increased investment activity is so encouraging.

On the other hand, some evidence suggests that women are not yet as confident as men when it comes to making the right investment decisions. Forty-two percent of women worry about making a bad investment decision, compared to just 32 percent of men, according to the National Center for Women and Retirement Research. Also, a larger percentage of women than men report that they lack the money, knowledge and time to save adequately for retirement.

What can be done to overcome these hurdles? Time will take care of some of them. Women now hold a larger percentage of management-level jobs than ever before, so their average incomes will continue to rise. And women are taking the lead in education, as well; since 1982, women have earned more bachelor's degrees per year than men.

With increased income, greater job responsibilities and better education, women's confidence in their ability to invest successfully should rise significantly. And women, like men, also will benefit from the virtual explosion of financial and investment information that has become available over the past few years through the Internet and other sources. Finally, an increasing number of prominent female investment experts are now appearing in print and on the airwaves. Hopefully, these women will serve as role models to all women interested in seizing control of their financial futures.

In the final analysis, successful investing is based on attributes such as perseverance, resourcefulness, inquisitiveness and drive. And those are traits that are shared equally between men and women.

Next week, we will conclude our two-part series with a look at women's attitudes and approach to investing.

Jordan Cattle Auction's Premium Sale Brings Value-Added Bidding to Local Level

Jordan Cattle Auction will incorporate the technological promise of the next millennium with an innovative approach to time-tested cattle marketing practices when it holds its first Premium Stocker and Feeder Sale November 18 at the company's San Saba Auction.

The sale will allow beef operators both small and large an opportunity to receive premium prices for their cattle by combining superior calf management with cutting-edge technology.

This process verification will provide buyers with information that will reduce labor and input costs further up the production chain, creating an environment that can generate higher bids for producers. In addition, it creates a feedback mechanism that will help producers make critical breeding decisions that can lead to higher premiums in future sales.

"Jordan Cattle Auction is proud to initiate a concept that we think will change the cattle industry," said Ken Jordan of Jordan Cattle Auction. "It will be the first sale that combines the auction market's unique method of price discovery with required and effective management practices, verified by available technology, so we offer only those cattle that will produce consistently high quality beef carcasses."

Jordan said the cattle will be sold under the newest and most advanced electronic cattle information system in order to assure a wider circle of buyers looking for quality cattle.

In order to consign cattle to the sale, beef producers must follow a predetermined management program for weaning, vaccinations, nutrition, and electronic ear tagging. All cattle must be weaned 45 days prior to the sale.

All cattle will be identified with electronic ear tags that make available a complete record of vaccination, nutrition and health management. This open information allows buyers to ensure that the process-verification program has been followed.

Jordan Cattle Auction will enhance the offering by using its facilities to sort consigned cattle into like groups for breeds, body conditions, weights and sizes. This sorting will lead to more uniform lots.

Buyers can bid on the sale by attending it in person or placing bids over the phone. Buyers can also view the lots on the Internet.

"This unique sale provides all producers the opportunity to market their cattle in a value-added sale," Jordan said. "In this system, small, medium and large producers have a better chance to recoup the cost of their investment and get paid real value for the animals they produce."

The November 18 Premium Stocker and Feeder Sale will be the first of several such sales planned for late 1999 and early 2000. For more information on these sales, contact Jordan Cattle Auction at 915-372-5159.

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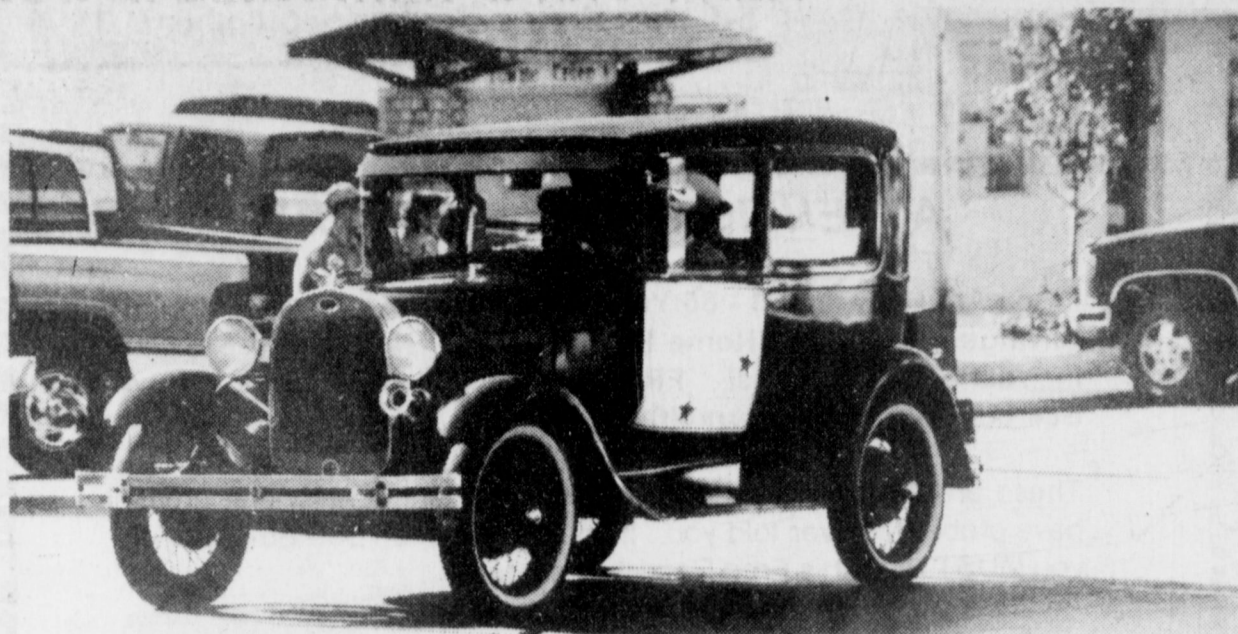
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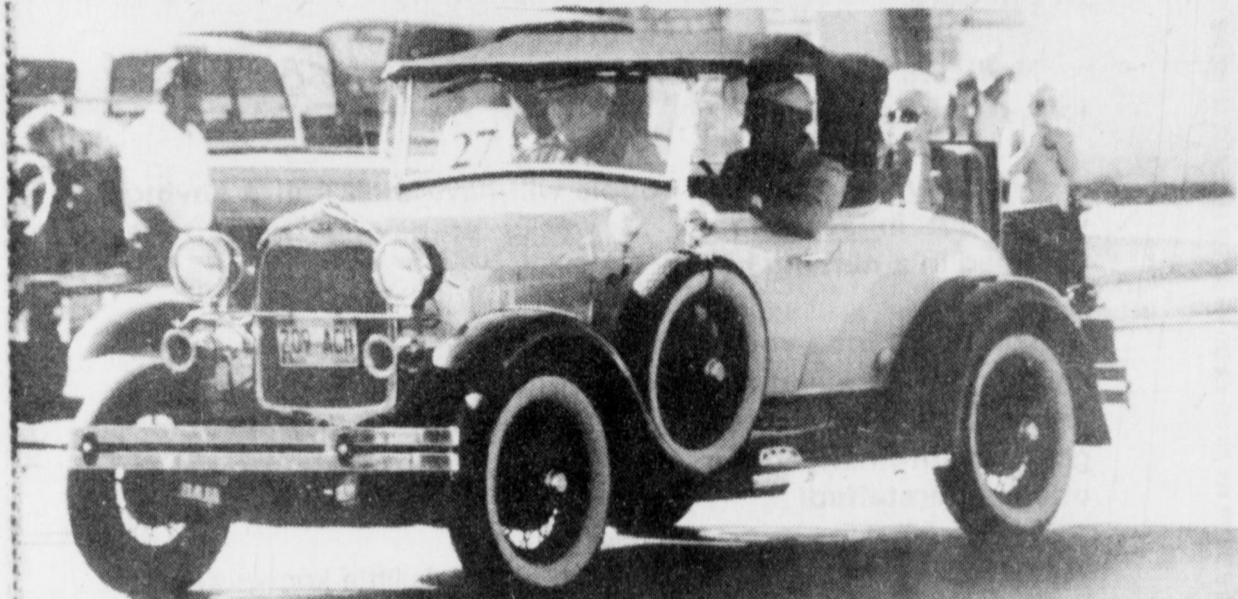
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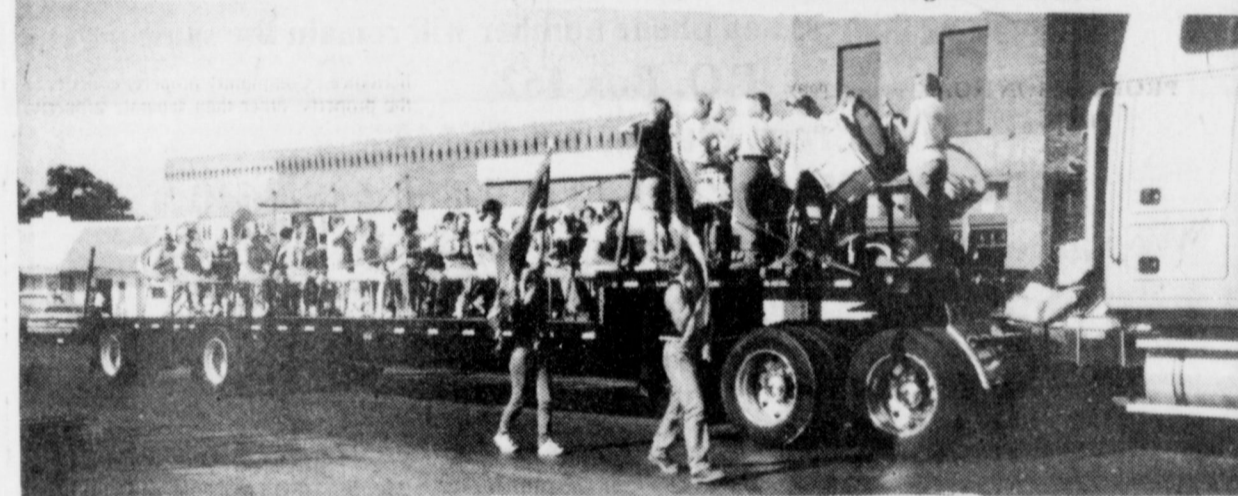
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1ST PLACE ANTIQUE CAR DIVISION — Leslie Henderson's 1929 Model A Roadster (Photo Courtesy of Ginny Hoskins)



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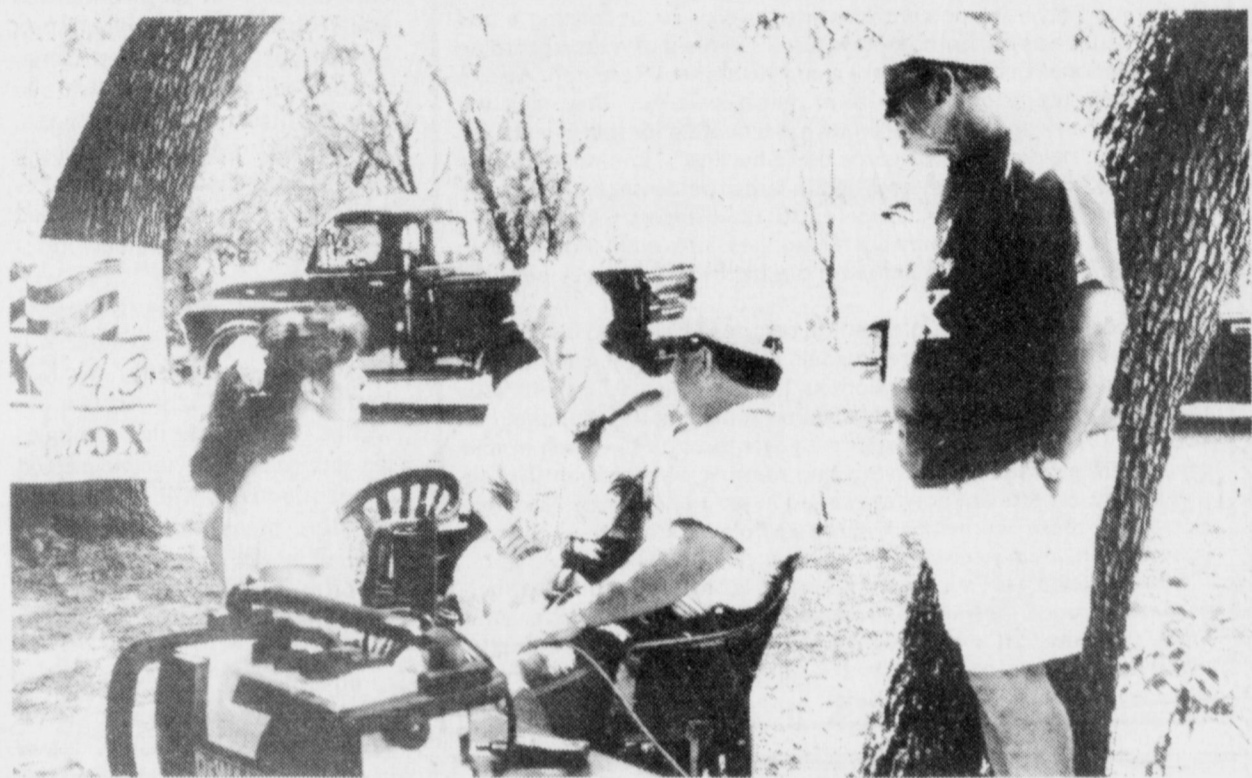
HONORABLE MENTION OVERALL — Buffalo Buddies Float



DRAWINGS FOR DOOR PRIZES WERE HELD THROUGHOUT THE BARBARIAN FESTIVAL (Courtesy of Ginny Hoskins)



OLD SETTLERS AWARDS NOTED — Sheriff Eddie Curtis (left) presented awards to Leroy Swofford (from left), Jack Hinkle and Ellen Simpson.



KYOX INTERVIEW — Ham (sitting) talks with Kathy Chesshir (from left) and Billie Loving about Robert E. Howard. Roy Robinson (right) looks on. (Photo courtesy of Ginny Hoskins)



COOK-OFF CONTESTANTS INDIVIDUAL SET-UPS MOST INTERESTING



CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HAD ONE OF THE VENDOR BOOTHS (Courtesy of Ginny Hoskins)



THE UNKNOWNNS PERFORMED DURING THE DAY STAGE (Photo Courtesy of Ginny Hoskins)

FESTIVAL

People's Choice - Jack Hinkle
 Honorable Mention Overall - Buffalo Buddies Float.

The crowd traveled to Treadway Park for more fun and entertainment. Vendor booths included toys for children, wooden crafts, clothing, green plants, food, cake walk and more!

Musical entertainment was enjoyed throughout the day, along with the drawing for lots of great door prizes.

KYOX Real Country Radio Station held a live remote during the day. Radio personalities Richard Niblett (Ham), Roy Robinson and Little Crissy Perkins were on hand. Billie Loving and Kathy Chesshir were interviewed concerning Robert E. Howard and various individuals were featured on air. KYOX was vital in publicizing the festival and their efforts were appreciated by the committee members.

The Callahan County Old Settlers Awards were presented by Sheriff Eddie Curtis and Susan McNeel. Winners were:

Oldest Woman - Ellen Simpson
 Oldest Man - Troy Crockett
 Oldest Married Couple - Troy and Maxine Crockett
 Oldest Cowboy - Leonard Swofford
 Person Traveling Farthest Distance - Jack Hinkle, Pearland, Texas.

Winners of the coloring contest, which include Kindergarten through 6th grade, were announced and awarded ribbons.

The Barbarian Festival Cook-off winners were announced for the three divisions, Chicken, Ribs and Brisket as follows:

Chicken
 1st Place - Richard Thomas, Kennedale
 2nd Place - Connie Baker, Burleson
 3rd Place - Leroy Rawdon, Kennedale

Ribs
 1st Place - Richard Thomas
 2nd Place - Connie Baker
 3. Dickie Cooper, Stamford

Brisket
 1st Place - Glenn Nicholas, Arlington
 2nd Place - Connie Baker
 3rd Place - Dana Hall, Cross Plains

People's Choice Award - Dana Hall

Cook's Dead Last Award - Charlie Valadez, Lake Brownwood.

This was a sanctioned cook-off for the Lone Star Barbecue Society. The head judge was Pat Nicholas of Arlington and there were eight judges from Callahan County in each division.

The top three winners in each division are now qualified to participate in the National Cook-off in Meridian.

The evening was completed with a dance under the stars featuring the award winning band, Southern Cross. Approximately 300 attended.

Everyone in attendance had a great time visiting and enjoying all the Barbarian Festival fun events. Chairmen for the festival are to be commended for a very successful first year. Next year is sure to be bigger and better!

West Texas Rehab Lunch September 19

You'll come! Lunch'll be ready! Please plan on coming to lunch Sunday, September 19, from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Winters High School Cafeteria, 200 Jones Street, to support the Cattlemen's Roundup and West Texas Rehab.

Barbecue, beans, potato salad and hot peach cobbler are on the menu. Cost will be \$6 per plate for adults and \$4 per plate for children under 12.

All proceeds go to benefit the West Texas Rehab. For more information you may contact B.J. Colburn 767-2272; Ricky Dean 754-4169 or Archie Jobe 754-5743.

HUTCHINSON

Senator Hutchinson earlier this year led the effort to protect the individual states' tobacco settlement funds from seizure by the federal government. The President threatened to veto Senator Hutchinson's amendment but after seeing the large bipartisan support for it, he finally gave up. Her bill passed into law as part of a larger emergency spending bill signed by the President on May 21. The federal government had announced it was going to withhold as much as 60 percent of the states' Medicaid allocations as its share of the states' tobacco settlements. This would have limited the payments to Texas counties, which are in line to receive more than \$2 billion, including a lump sum payment of \$300 million from the fund this year.

Senator Hutchinson also announced the allocation of more than \$209,000 from the State of Texas' tobacco settlement fund to the Callahan County.

"The children of this community had a big stake in this debate. These funds will help to ensure that the health-care safety net for them, and for all Texans, is preserved," the Senator said.

Electric Industry Restructuring Law Took Effect September 1

MERKEL—Among the slate of new Texas laws taking effect on September 1 is the electric industry restructuring statute, which changes regulations governing how electricity will be provided in the future. The customer choice provision, intended ultimately to allow consumers to select their electricity supplier, does not become effective until January 1, 2002. In the interim, the law calls for changes designed to move the industry toward that goal.

What does this mean for member-customers of Taylor Electric Cooperative (TEC)? For the most part, it means business as usual.

Beginning September, electric cooperatives will be regulated in their

local communities and not by the Texas Public Utility Commission. Less state regulation should mean cost savings for consumers. Decisions about whether and when an electric cooperative can offer meaningful choice will be made locally for the benefit of all the cooperatives' member-customers.

"We'll be watching closely to see how electric restructuring works in the big markets like Dallas or Houston," said TEC Manager Tommie Cutler. "If it doesn't work there, it won't work here. The new law takes into account the co-op way of doing business, so we can decide for ourselves whether competition will benefit our customers."

Rabies case confirmed in Co.

The first positive case of rabies in 1999 was reported August 24 by the Texas Department of Health.

The Department of Health reported the positive rabies resulted in a kitten which had a known encounter with a skunk on July 27 or 28, 1999 in the Dudley area of southeast Callahan County near the intersection of State Highway 36 and FM 1178.

The health department reported the kitten was injured from the encounter with the skunk and afterwards walked with a limp. On Friday, August 20 the kitten began crying constantly and quit eating. The kitten continued crying and on Monday, August 23 was taken to the veterinarian. Euthanasia was performed and the animal was submitted for rabies testing. There

are several other cats on the property which were not exposed to the kitten but are being either vaccinated or destroyed, the health department reported. One exposed cat had been given its rabies vaccine regularly and was currently vaccinated so was given a rabies booster and has been quarantined for 45 days.

Two adult women were exposed to the rabid kitten. Both exposures were to saliva—one was when scratched by the kitten and the other through handling of the kitten. Both women have begun the rabies inoculation.

The health department reported four positive rabies cases in Callahan County last year including one cat, two coyotes and one fox.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
 Special Election
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PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 44 - HJR 44 proposes a constitutional amendment that would ensure a clear succession in event of vacancies in the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor. Specifically, the amendment would provide that if after qualifying for the office, the Governor is temporarily unable to serve, the Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until the Governor is able to serve; but if the Governor is permanently unable to serve, the Lieutenant Governor shall become the Governor for the remainder of the unexpired term. The amendment would require a Lieutenant Governor who becomes Governor to forfeit the office of Lieutenant Governor. The amendment would also provide similar succession procedures when a vacancy occurs in the office of Governor before the newly elected Governor qualifies for office, and when the newly elected Governor is temporarily unable to take office. The amendment also would provide that if there is a temporary vacancy in the office of Lieutenant Governor, the President pro tempore of the Senate will fill the position, but if there is a permanent vacancy in the office of Lieutenant Governor, the President pro tempore of the Senate shall serve as Lieutenant Governor only until such time as the whole senate can convene to elect one of its members to perform the duties of Lieutenant Governor. Finally, the amendment would provide that if the Lieutenant Governor, while temporarily exercising the powers of the Governor, becomes temporarily disabled or unable to serve, the President pro tempore of the senate shall exercise the powers and authority of the office of the Governor until such time as the Governor or Lieutenant Governor resumes those powers and duties.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to revise the provisions for the filling of a vacancy in the office of governor or lieutenant governor."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 12 - SJR 12 proposes a constitutional amendment that would resolve conflicts between the Texas Constitution and federal law relating to the definition, rules, and procedures of reverse mortgages. The amendment would define "reverse mortgage" in part as an extension of credit made against the home- stead of a person who is 62 years or older, or whose spouse is 62 years or older. It would expand the list of circumstances under which payment of principal and interest become due and the procedures involved in foreclosure, and would require certain advances to be made according to specific terms in loan documents, including advances by the lender, on behalf of the borrower for payments necessary to protect the lender's interest. Finally, the amendment would require the Texas Supreme Court to promulgate rules of civil procedure expediting court-ordered foreclosures of reverse mortgage liens.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment relating to the making of advances under a reverse mortgage and payment of a reverse mortgage."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 62 - HJR 62 proposes a constitutional

amendment that would simplify and clarify the language of the Texas Constitution. The amendment would make no substantive changes, but would eliminate duplicative, expired, out-of-date, and ineffective terms.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to eliminate duplicative, executed, obsolete, archaic, and ineffective provisions of the Texas Constitution."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 4 - HJR 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would broaden the definition of charitable organizations. The amendment would exempt from ad valorem taxation the property of any organization engaged primarily in public charitable functions, and it would allow such an organization to conduct additional activities to support its charitable functions.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt property owned by institutions engaged primarily in public charitable functions from ad valorem taxation."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 26 - SJR 26 proposes an amendment that would remove the restriction prohibiting state employees who receive all or part of their compensation from the state from serving as members of a governing body of a school district, city, town, or other local governmental district unless the state employee receives no salary for such service. The amendment would allow state employees to receive compensation from the governing bodies of which they are members.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment allowing state employees to receive compensation for serving as a member of a governing body of a school district, city, town, or other local governmental district."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 22 - SJR 22 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the maximum size of an urban homestead, which is a homestead in a city, town, or village, from one acre to ten acres and require the urban homestead to be composed of either a single lot or several lots that are adjacent to one another. The amendment also would provide that the urban homestead must be used as a home or as both a home and place of business, whereas current law does not require that an urban homestead that is used as a place of business be used also as a home.

Current law further allows a person to secure a home equity loan on their homestead, provided that the loan does not overburden the homestead. That is the principal amount of the home equity loan, when added to the total of the outstanding principal balances of all other indebtedness secured against the homestead, does not exceed 80 percent of the fair market value of the homestead on the date the extension of credit is made. The

proposed amendment would clarify current law by specifically allowing home equity loans on all or part of urban homesteads of up to ten acres and subject such loans to the same requirement that the refinanced or new loan not overburden the homestead.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment increasing the maximum size of an urban homestead to 10 acres, prescribing permissible uses of urban homesteads, and preventing the overburdening of a homestead."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 16 - HJR 16 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that if an employee is delinquent in paying court-ordered spousal maintenance, a portion of that employee's wages may be withheld to pay the spousal maintenance. Current law allows such withholding, or garnishment, only for payment of delinquent court-ordered child support.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing garnishment of wages for the enforcement of court-ordered spousal maintenance."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 95 - HJR 95 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that the adjutant general, who is appointed by the Governor and who serves as the governing officer of the state military forces, serves as long as the Governor wishes the appointed person to serve in that capacity rather than serving a specific two-year term set by the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that the adjutant general serves at the pleasure of the governor."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 10 - SJR 10 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to create a judicial compensation committee to make recommendations for salaries for the justices and judges of the Supreme Court, the Court of Criminal Appeals, the Courts of Appeals, and the District Courts. The amendment would mandate that the recommendations become law if neither the Senate nor the House of Representatives rejects them by majority vote.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to create a judicial compensation commission."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 74 - HJR 74 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that the commissioner of health and human services, who is appointed by the Governor, serves as long as the Governor wishes the appointed person to serve in that capacity rather than serving a specific two-year term set by the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that the commissioner of health and human services serves at the pleasure of the governor."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 69 - HJR 69 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize a county, city, town, or other political subdivision to

spend public funds or extend credit to purchase nonassessable property or casualty insurance from a mutual insurance company authorized to do business in Texas. Under current law, a political subdivision is generally prohibited from spending public funds or extending credit to become a stockholder in a corporation but is permitted to purchase nonassessable life, health or accident insurance policies from a mutual insurance company authorized to do business in Texas. This amendment would authorize a political subdivision to also obtain non-assessable property and casualty insurance from such a company.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment permitting a political subdivision to purchase nonassessable property and casualty insurance from an authorized mutual insurance company in the same manner that the political subdivision purchases life, health, and accident insurance."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 21 - SJR 21 proposes a constitutional amendment that would exempt from ad valorem taxation a leased motor vehicle that is not used by the lessee primarily to produce income. The amendment would provide that the legislature also may limit the ability of a political subdivision to subject such a vehicle to taxation.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation leased motor vehicles not held by the lessee primarily to produce income."

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 16 - SJR 16 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to allow the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to issue and sell general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed \$400 million in order to finance educational loans to students. The amendment also would authorize the Legislature to limit the amount of interest the bonds can bear and establish procedures for the investment of the bond proceeds. The proposed amendment would specify the method of repaying the bonds.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of \$400 million in general obligation bonds to finance educational loans to students."

PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 29 - HJR 29 proposes a constitutional amendment which would authorize the Legislature to require the board of regents of the state university and boards of trustees or managers of the educational, charitable, and penal institutions of the state, whose members serve six year terms, to be composed of an odd number of three or more board members (for example, 5, 7, or 9 members). The proposed amendment would allow approximately one-third of members of boards whose membership is not evenly divisible by three to be elected or appointed every two years. The amendment also would allow the Legislature to set the composition of constitutionally required boards, whose members serve for a term of six years, to a number divisible by three so that exactly one-third of the board members may be elected or appointed every two years.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide that a state board, commission, or other agency shall be governed by a board composed of an odd number of three or more

PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 36 - HJR 36 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow spouses, by an agreement in writing, to convert all or part of their separate property into community property. Separate property is primarily the property owned or claimed by the spouse before marriage and the property acquired by the spouse during the marriage by gift or inheritance. Community property consists of the property, other than separate property, acquired by either spouse during marriage.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment permitting spouses to agree to convert separate property to community property."

PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 71 - HJR 71 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow a county with a population of 50,000 or more, rather than 30,000 or more, to be divided into four to eight justice of the peace and constable precincts. The amendment also would allow a county with a population between 18,000 and 50,000 to have two to eight justice of the peace and constable precincts, rather than the current maximum of five precincts. Furthermore, the amendment would limit Randall County to not less than two and not more than six precincts. Finally, the amendment would set a minimum of four precincts for any county that as of November 2, 1999, is divided into four or more precincts.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that certain counties shall be divided into a specific number of precincts."

PROPOSITION NO. 17 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 58 - HJR 58 proposes a constitutional amendment which would require the board of regents of the University of Texas System to manage investments of the permanent university fund (PUF) according to the standards of a prudent investor. Generally, earnings from the PUF are distributed to the available university fund (AUF) and then ultimately distributed to the public university systems of Texas. Under the amendment, the amount distributed to the AUF would consist of distributions, as determined by the University of Texas System board of regents, from the total return on all investment assets of the PUF, instead of consisting only of the dividends, interest, and other income of the PUF minus administrative expenses. The amendment also would provide guidelines for minimum and maximum amounts to be distributed to the AUF, and require that the board of regents manage distributions to the AUF in a manner that will provide the AUF with a stable and predictable stream of annual distributions and maintain the purchasing power of the PUF investments and annual distributions to the AUF.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment relating to the investment of the permanent university fund and the distribution from the permanent university fund to the available university fund."

Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el 2 de noviembre de 1999. Si usted no habla inglés, una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llama al 1/800/252/8683 or por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Tx 78711.

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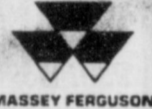
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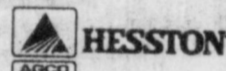
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1999-2000 Budget September
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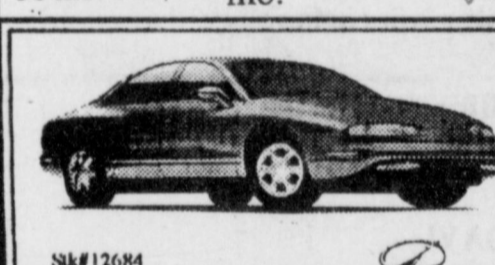


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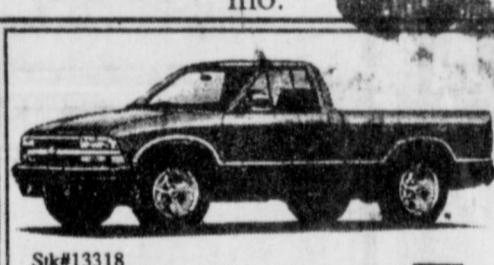


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Receipts totaled 1453 head. The market continued active today with most calves and yearlings selling in active trading. Choice steers calves and yearlings sold \$1 to \$4 higher with heifers selling steady to strong. Slaughter cows sold steady to \$2 higher with slaughter bulls selling steady. Bred cows sold steady with pairs selling in fair demand with older pairs mostly being split and weighed.
 Special Stocker & Feeder Champions, Brownwood, August 31, 1999
 Champion English Breed - Richard Windham & Sons, Baird
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Henry Floyd	Blanket	1 Bik Str 330 @ 112.00
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Roger Murphree	Comanche	3 Gry Str 623 @ 82.50
Woodrow Hallmark	Dublin	12 Bwf Str 665 @ 78.50
Richard Windham & Sons	Baird	8 RWF Str 723 @ 74.00
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Sledge Ranches	Zephyr	1 Bik Hfr 765 @ 71.00

Weight	Steers Price	Heifers Price	Slaughter Bulls
120-300	80-1.15	88-1.01	75-85
300-400	86-1.18	80-90.50	Slaughter Cows
400-500	84-1.03	72-90	25-40
500-600	76-93	70-84	Bred Cows
600-700	70-82.50	64-83.50	400-640
700-800	65-75.50	60-72	Pairs
Replacement Price	78-85	78-85	500-850