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100th YEAR

**CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443** 

**NUMBER 16** 

#### **DOWN HOME**

Editor's Note: Below is a list of statements made by various individuals about America being a Christian nation. It seems timely to read the following on the eve of celebrating July 4th. Vanda Anderson

In 1992, when Governor Kirk Fordice stated unreservedly, "America is a Christian nation" the response bordered on hysteria.

But before that—Congress, declared 1983 to be the "Year of the Bible"—stating that the Bible, the Word of God, has made a unique contribution in shaping the US as a distinctive and blessed nation...Biblical teaching inspired concepts of civil government that are contained in our Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the US (Public Law 97-280, Stat. 1211, approved 10/4/1982).

But before that -Former Chief Justice Earl Warren, 1954, said, the history of our documents/ country and the charter exhibit the same objective: "A Christian land governed by principles..."

Lincoln, April 30, 1863, (TASB). During the fifth the graduation ceremony on June appointed a National Fast Day session, June 12-14, school 13, participants joined the ranks and declared, "It is the duty of board members in the 2007-08 of more than 450 school board nations as well as men to own Leadership TASB class made members statewide who are their dependence upon the overruling power of God, to confess finding following yearlong The 2008 Leadership TASB their sins and transgressions in humble sorrow yet with assured hope that sublime truth, announced in the Holy Scriptures and proven by all history: that nations only are blessed whose God is Lord."

But before that —George Washington, October 3, 1789, "It is the duty of all nations to acknowledge the providence of Almighty God, to obey His will, to be grateful for His benefits, and humbly implore His protection and favor."

But before that —Mayflower Compact 1620 was covenant "in the presence of God," "In the name of God, Amen...by the Grace of God...have undertaken for the glory of God and advancement of the Christian faith."

But before that — Calvin wrote to the King of France in 1536, "Now, that king who is ruling over his realm does not serve God's glory exercises not kingly rule but brigandage (oppression). Furthermore, he is deceived who looks for enduring prosperity in Dawson, C.H. his kingdom when it is not ruled by God's scepter, that is, his Holy Word; for the heavenly oracle that proclaims that 'where prophecy fails the people are scattered' (Prov. 29:18) cannot lie."

But before, long before that — Psalm 33:12 says, Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD. Just some things to think about.

#### **Cottonwood Volunteer** Fire Control Unit to hold Bake Sale

The Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control Unit will hold a BAKE SALE Thursday, July 3rd, in front of the Village Market on Highway 36 from 8 a.m. until everything is sold.

The fund-raiser will benefit the Cottonwood Fire Control Unit. Come by and pick up some goodies for your 4th of July celebration.



AWARD PRESENTATION— Renard Thomas (left), of Angleton I.S.D., is shown presenting Dr. Scott Childress, of Cross Plains, with his Master Trustee designation.

#### **Finalizes** Trustee **Leadership Training**

(San Antonio)—Cross Plains showcases and networking ISD trustee Scott Childress has opportunities. earned the designation of Master Trustee upon completion of Leadership TASB was Salome Christian Leadership TASB, a program Thomas-El, noted author of But before that—Abraham Association of School Boards Immortality of Influences. After presentations of their team's Leadership TASB alumni. research. Class participants class, composed of 35 school selected topics that reflected relevant issues facing Texas public schools, such as team building, relating academics to satisfaction indicators, curricular revisions and accountability

> The Leadership TASB class met in conjunction with TASB's Summer Leadership Institute in San Antonio. More than 2,500 new and veteran school leaders received in-depth training on every facet of effective board governance, heard keynote in the state. The districts they addresses from renowned represent serve more than 4.5 education experts, and picked up million public school students. valuable ideas from district

The keynote speaker for sponsored by the Texas I Choose to Stay and The

board members, represents Texas school districts of all sizes and property wealth. Participants who completed all required elements school construction, teacher of the study program earned master trustee status, the highest designation recognized by TASB. Program sponsors include H-E-B and Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson, LLP.

> TASB is a nonprofit association established in 1949 to serve local Texas school districts. School board members are the largest group of publicly elected officials



## **Celebration Friday** The City of Cross Plains will be

holding their annual 4th of July Celebration on Friday at Treadway Park.

A 42 tournament will be held at 3:00 p.m. Anyone wishing to Prizes will be given for 1st and participate needs to sign up at City Hall, the Senior Citizen's Center or call Mae Parker at 725-7485. They have several horse shoes and volley ball.

tables and dominoes, but you a table and dominoes, please and begin at 6:00 p.m. bring them as they don't know how many teams there will be.

2nd place. So come and enjoy the games! Other games provided will be

A hot dog supper with drinks need to bring chairs. If you have and watermelon will be provided

Fireworks will begin at dark. Citizens are reminded to bring lawn chairs and cool drinks. For more information, please contact City Hall at

254-725-6114.

## **New Methodist Church Is** Now Officially Open

"To God be the glory" truly echoed throughout the new Methodist Church as members showed off their facility to the community on a cloudy Sunday afternoon—June 29, 2008—915 days after the church had been destroyed by fire.

The "oh's" and "ah's" began as soon as the visitors stepped into the spacious foyer and looked around at the tasteful arrangement of chairs, tables, plants and an antique display case containing a few artifacts from the fire, as well as a few items reflecting the history of the Methodist movement in this area.

Passing beneath the METHODIST stained glass to enter the Sanctuary, most people just stopped to take it all in—the



SANCTUARY ENTRANCE—Susan Hunter registers guests Wilma Lawrence (left)and Lucille Koenig, while Jimmie Long greets visitors.

deep red carpet, the dark wooden through the various work stations, furnishings, the cross design in storage areas, adult classrooms both the wood and fabric of the and the library with its beautiful pews, the pristine white walls, the conference table with the three white and gold hanging lights and crosses carved in the center. Then the massive rock cross above the came the choir room complete choir area. The worship center with ample room for hanging did indeed look different, but robes, music files, a small office somehow it felt the same. The and room for weekly practice presence of God is prone to do sessions. A special treat in that area was the opportunity to From there, visitors strolled experiment with the bell chimes

before entering the children and youth areas with all the funky decorations depicting a Christian atmosphere of learning.

Feeling they had been through a maze of hallways and rooms, visitors seemed delighted to find they had ended up in the fellowship hall that was a true beehive of activity. Tables decorated with different themes beckoned folks to sample a variety of refreshments from a watermelon fruit basket, a pineapple covered with picks of cheese and olives to the crowd pleasing chocolate fountain. True

See Methodist Page 2

#### Additional Names to be **Etched on Veterans Memorial** The following names have been Turner, Milton (Mike) submitted for the Cross Plains Wells, Jimmy \*Weeks, Dale (Pee Wee) Veterans Memorial: World War I Woody, Clyde A. Burks, Thomas B. Iraq Bennett, John Elias World War II

Andrews, Reynard Burks, Boswell Bryant, Tom E. Childs, J.H. Jones, Bill Jones, Clyde H. Petterson, Merlin L. Rudloff, Cecil Strain, Weldon R. Russell, J.A. (Jack)

Korea Ingram, Harold Lee, Maxwell N. Yeager, Gene A.

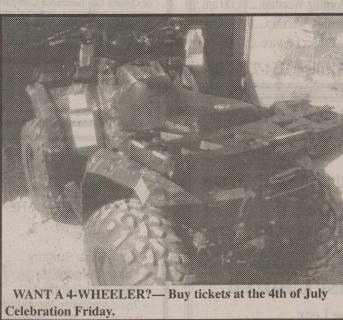
Berlin Gerking, Ross R. Parrish, Garmond Shirley, Sidney

Vietnam Herzing, Kenneth A. Lee, Maxwell, N.

Bennett, Zachary D. Stauffer, Phillip Young, William R. Spurgeon, Jared Wayne. (\* Denotes Killed in Action)

Please check over the above list for errors in spelling, war placement, etc. If you find any error on the above list, please contact Audrey Purvis 254-725-6486 or Cindy Payne 254-725-6692.

The cost of engraving additional names has increased since construction of the memorial. Donations to help pay for engraving costs may be mailed or taken to the Texas Heritage Bank (Cross Plains Veterans Memorial Fund Account). Your contributions will be greatly appreciated.



### Project Underway to Renovate Treadway Park

The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce, along with the City of Cross Plains, the Cross Plains Economic Development Corporation and the Cross Plains Roping Club are selling tickets for the opportunity to win a Polaris 500 4-Wheeler.

Proceeds from this project will go to help with the renovations of Treadway Park (reconstruction of bathrooms, etc.)

Tickets will be sold for \$10 each, 6 for \$50.00 or 12 for \$100.00. The drawing date will be announced at a later time.

The 4-Wheeler will be on display and tickets may be purchased at the 4th of July Celebration behind Treadway

If you are not interested in purchasing a ticket, donations will be cheerfully accepted.

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### CHURCH DIRECTORY

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Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Sam Fleming, Pastor

#### Patsy "Pat" Bush

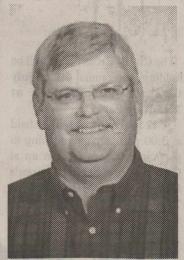
10:00 a.m. on Thursday, June 26, Plains Church of Christ. 2008, at Higginbotham Funeral

Burkett Cemetery. January 1, 1970, and he preceded for many years.

Patsy Bush, age 82, died her in death in 1993. Pat was a Tuesday, June 24, 2008, at former longtime employee at Eastland Memorial Hospital. Colonial Oaks Nursing Home. Funeral services were held at She was a member of the Cross

Survivors include one son, Home Chapel with Bob Pipes Gaylon Harris and wife Barbara officiating; burial followed in the of Abilene; two grandsons, Jeff Harris and wife Debbie of Pat was born May 12, 1926 to Tuscola and Cody Harris and wife Ernest and Iva (Scarbrough) Lynnie of Lubbock; and four Riggs of Cross Plains. She great-grandchildren, Brennan, married Vernon Harris in 1941; he Colton, Taylor and Shawnee. She preceded her in death in 1965. is also survived by her dog, Missy, She married Clarence Bush on who was her faithful companion

### Tim Bishop



Tim Bishop, age 51 of 2008, at Hendrick Medical Cenof Breckenridge with Bro. Clay Morehart Mortuary. Visitation friends. was held Saturday evening, June 28th, from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Stevenson Bishop. He gradu-

ated from Cross Plain High School in 1975 and married Charlotte Diane Burks on April 24, 1976 in Cross Plains. Tim and Charlotte moved to Breckenridge from Cross Plains in 1987. Tim was employed by E.D. Walton for 9 years. He was a member of New Life Restoration Church. Tim was a faithful servant who loved God with all his heart. He also loved and cared for his family very much. Tim was passionate about praise and worship music, singing in the choir and sharing his faith in Jesus. His two favorite hobbies included hunting and fishing.

Tim is survived by his wife, Breckenridge, went home in vic- Charlotte of Breckenridge; partory on Thursday, June 26, ents, Dale and Vernelle Bishop of Cross Plains; two daughters, ter in Abilene. Funeral services Julie Bishop of Breckenridge and were held at 3 p.m., Sunday, Lori Boyd and husband, Chad June 29th, at First Baptist Church of Granbury; one brother, Wayne Bishop and wife, Nancy of Wheat and Bro. Ronnie White Brownwood; and a host of nephofficiating. Burial followed at 5 ews, nieces, great nephews and p.m., in the Cross Plains Cem- nieces, great-great nephews and etery under the direction of nieces and many wonderful

Memorials may be made to Duane Sheriff Ministries or Peggy Timothy Frank Bishop was Joyce Ruth Ministries and may born on May 23, 1957 in Rising be left at Morehart Mortuary. Star, Texas to parents, Eugene Condolences may be sent online Dale Bishop and Anna Vernelle at www.morehartmortuary.net.

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## COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURTHOUSE Roger Corn, Presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Daniel S. Strickland, theft by Kristy L. Underwood, theft by

Christopher Yates, theft of Nathan Smith, assault.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Rhonda West, plea of guilty to possession of marijuana, 35 days in jail, \$350 fine, \$306

court costs. Garin Brown, request for extension of probation granted. Inez Hernandez, order amending conditions of

probation granted. Dennis Tipler, order discharging defendant from probation under deferred adjudication.

April Barrett, order amending condition of probation granted. Mario G. Moreno, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted, plea to felony case.

Misty K. Linthicum, plea of guilty to driving while intoxicated (DWI), 20 days in jail, \$500 fine, \$395 court costs.

Marriage Licenses

John W. McCullough of Trent and Alisha L. Turner of Baird.

**42nd DISTRICT COURT** John Weeks, presiding

**Criminal Minutes** 

Michael Finis Turner, motion to dismiss motion to revoke probation and adjudicate granted.

Brandon K. Wright, nunc pro tunc correcting offense to DWI

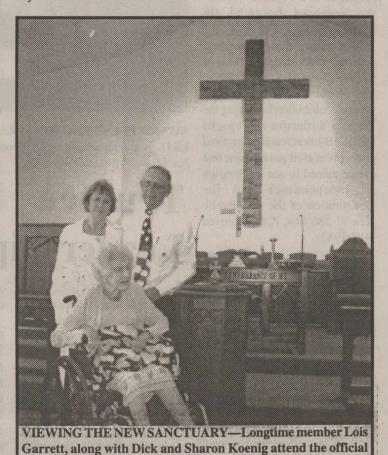
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to their heritage, the Methodist women had been busy in their kitchens, producing nut breads, an endless variety of cookies, cheese rolls, chip dips, tiny sandwiches, roll-ups and pecan tartlets to share with others.

As people mingled and visited, they could also view a DVD that told the story behind the day of celebration. Using pictures submitted by members of the church, an anonymous friend in Dallas had created a powerful presentation. Starting with a few pictures of the "old church", viewers were reminded of what had been lost. To the haunting

strains of bagpipes playing "Amazing Grace", the awesome strength of the fire was revisited. And then came the rebuilding process and the life of the church as it continued with unique worship opportunities and fellowship activities.

The church gradually grew before our eyes and at last—the view of the massive cross from the door of the sanctuary and the pews full of proud members rejoicing with families and friends from afar as all affirmed, "to God be the glory, great things He hath done."

> Submitted by **Arlene Stephenson**

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## First Baptist Church

**Sunday School** 9:30 am

Sunday **Morning Worship** 

Sunday **Evening Worship** 

10:45 am

6:30 pm

#### Wednesday

6:30 pm Prayer/Worship Youth Bible Study "The Show" 6:30 pm

Ronnie B. White, Pastor

(254) 725-7629 3rd & Main, Cross Plains, TX 76443

#### COTTONWOOD NEWS

**Cottonwood Matriarch** 

Pat Bush, longtime resident of Cottonwood and friend to everyone, passed into sainthood last Tuesday, June 24, 2008. She 2008.

**Passes Away** 

Pat was born near Burnt Branch, Texas on May 24, 1926 sign. Then they came back and to Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Riggs and stole the marker. was married to Vernon Harris in 1941. They had one son, Gaylon Harris, and later she was married of Cottonwood. In doing so, they to Clarence Bush and moved to have insulted every citizen of the Cottonwood.

Gaylon Harris and his wife wouldn't be near so angry if they Barbara and many grandchildren. would just bring it back. Pat Bush was, indeed, a friend to everyone and we will miss her.

Vandals Strike Again

to the sheriff's office.

A few days ago, I, myself, off in Cottonwood. daughter, Teri, told me the entire enjoy it with our children and

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historical plaque was missing. Now that's double vandalism!

What is a vandal? Webster's Dictionary writes that a vandal is, "A person who out of malice or ignorance, destroys or spoils any was laid to rest in the Burkett public or private property, Cemetery on Thursday, June 26, especially, that which is artistic or beautiful."

First of all, they pushed over the

So the vandalistic vandals have vandalized the historical marker Cottonwood valley and that She is survived by her son, makes some of us very angry. We

**Cottonwood Roundup** Don't forget the July 4th Celebration this coming Friday at Well, it looks like the vandals 10 a.m. at the Cottonwood have struck Cottonwood again. Community Center. Take this one The Historical Marker just east of hour (or less) to please be present the old Post Office has been hit and help us celebrate this most hard. In fact, it has been stolen. important holiday. There is no And the theft has been reported better way to really get in the spirit of the day, than to start it

noticed that the post had been Please bring as many children bent over by someone's vehicle. as you can. They will be However, at that time the marker participating in the program and was still there. Then a couple of help us celebrate. What better way days ago, Beverly Brown and her to enjoy the 4th of July, than to

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By WALLACE BENNETT

(For new items or personal items about Cottonwood, please contact Wallace Bennett at 254-725-7474, e-mail csb5@airmail.net or snail mail at 11093 CR 440, Cross Plains, Texas 76443.)

#### **Cross Plains Kiwanis Upcoming Programs**

July 8- Leann Loyless, Curriculum Director Cross Plains ISD- Update on Student TAKS performance

July 15- David Cole, Bangs, TX Antique & Hobby Enthusiast

Kiwanis meet weekly at noon on Tuesday at Jean's Feed Barn.

Everyone is welcome.

### PIONEER

#### NEWS

Wow! What a great day the Pioneer and surrounding communities had on Saturday. About 55 of us came and had a wonderful time visiting and eating. We even had a person who went to the Cook School and one who attended the Crocker School along with us Pioneer folks. It was also nice to have the children of some of us come out. A couple ladies called and wished they could come and said hello to everybody.

Our quilting ladies will meet one more time. That should do it for the summer. Bernice's top is about finished. Then we will not meet until the second Tuesday in September.

Cowan and Laverne Hutton recorded an 1 1/2 inch rain the Lord sent last week! They were so happy for the rain. All the farmers were too! Dianah Putnam, a niece from Mill Sap visited Cowan and Laverne on Tuesday afternoon last week.

Yesterday; Sunday, the community received another inch or so of rain. It is so nice and cool this morning. We all are thankful for the rain.

Do not forget that the Country Store between Cross Plains and Rising Star is open. They have a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables. Come on out!

See you next time!

#### Cross Plains: Review

Will Be Closed Friday for the Celebration of July 4th

Will Re-open Monday, July 7, 2008

Have a Wonderful Holiday!!!!!!

#### Cross Plains Church of Christ 433 N. Main (254) 725-6117

With our Nation's "birthday" just around the corner- tomorrow July 4- it is bound to stir all kinds of emotions within us true patriots. For anyone who has come to America as an immigrant, their thought ought to be: "I was not born in America, but by God's grace, I arrived here as soon as I could!" Why all the bellyaching, then, about having to adjust to a new language? Why all the complaining about a particular little thing that's not like it was back in the old country? Frankly, it sounds all too much like the Israelites, who upon being freed from Egyptian bondage, complained about not having the kind of food to eat that they had

back when they were being so mistreated- and it just doesn't make I hope you join me in saying, as the song goes, "I'm proud to be an American.."- and, as another pleads, "God, Bless America.." If you haven't noticed the words of "America the Beautiful" and "My Country, 'Tis of Thee" lately, get out the song book and read them again. And thanks to all our military people who are helping

to keep our nation free!! I encourage you to share in times of Bible study and worship with us as we strive to "sign our lives with the excellence of God." Sunday Morning Bible Class..9:45a.m. Sunday Evening Worship....6:00p.m. Sunday Morning Worship.....10:45a.m. Wed. Evening Bible Study...7:00p.m. Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus

2nd & 4th Tuesdays Domino Night

### RISING STAR NURSING CENTER

#### BY JOHNNIE ELLIOTT

CONGRATULATIONS to Mitchell Duttry, he attended a Pharmacy Camp in Abilene last week and was chosen Camper of the Week! Mitchell, son of DON Rachel Riley and a dietary employee himself, aspires to be a pharmacist and the camp was designed to give prospective students an idea of what that field has to offer.

Resident James Brown was able to return home after working away while in the hospital. She with therapists here. He was appreciative of the care and therapy he received here, but was special to us. She was interested anxious to get back to his apartment. We wish him well!

A big thanks to volunteer Mary Jones for the nice manicures she turns out on Wednesday mornings. There is always a line and the ladies are anxious to choose "their' color for the

Last week, Sarah Osborn, daughter of ADON Lori Osborn, was here to lend Mary a hand. Mary is also employed in our dietary in the afternoons and it

gives her a chance to visit with her husband, Richard, who is a resident here.

We were so pleased to have a surprise visit from Little Miss Ava McGowen during our exercise group on Tuesday. She was a big help with our basketball game and she plans to be here again next month, while staying the week with Nana Sarah McGowen.

Resident Patsy Bush passed had been here since last December and had really become in everything going on and loved to visit with other residents who she had known in the past. She took part in most all of our group activities with gusto. Remember her licking her fingers while making the chocolate-covered strawberries? Our thoughts and prayers are with her family, she will be missed.

CONGRATULATIONS to employee Belinda May, who

state, but was required to do it all over again and so she did. She will come aboard full-time as a certified nurse aide in the near future. We are truly glad to have

We had two treats on Tuesday! The wonderful group of children who come for Bible Study were here for their usual visit and Jill, from Guardian Home Health, followed up with ice cream and the toppings for sundaes!

The only complaint was from dietary due to all the "spoiled appetites" and that wasn't really a complaint, just an observation.

On Wednesday, all our employees were treated to a surprise from L.W. Mitchell. He brought a half pound Hershey chocolate bar for each of us, stating that he wanted to sweeten everyone up! What a success that was! Mr. Mitchell and his wife, Jeanne, have both been residents here. His condition improved and he was able to return home. Mrs. passed the nurse aide exam with Mitchell passed away earlier this flying colors! Belinda has been year. He is such a nice person and certified in the past in another we have adopted him for certain!

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### **JIBRARY**

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Reference\_\_\_\_6

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Interlibrary Loans 0

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**Living Tribute** Arlene Clark In Honor of Janet Purvis

Volunteers Jennifer Wootton Arlene Stephenson Michelle Kaiser Sue Bennett Helen Parson **Ginny Hoskins** Wilma Lawrence Judy Killgo Betse Rosson Henry Ring Mark Ring

**Donations** Mildred Hoegler

## ERSONAL

My brother, Roy Jones, and his wife, Christine, rode in the bike event at the Barbarian Festival. I gave him the page of the Cross Plains Review that had run photos of the riders. I said you may not be able to recognize the riders, I couldn't. He looked and immediately said, "That is Chris and me in the back." He went on to say it was the best organized bike event they had participated in. They have been riding about 5 years, from Fort Davis to the Coast, so he knows about organization.

I would have been there to cheer them on, but I had made plans to go to Colorado.

Since Ray went to school in Cottonwood and Cross Plains (Benny Glover was his best friend), his name is on the Veteran's Memorial—twice, in fact, as he was in Korea and Vietnam.

If the Good Lord is willing and the creek doesn't rise, we three will be there next year. They will be riding and I will be waving.

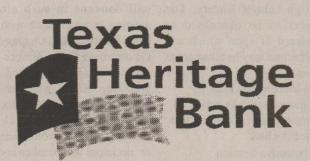
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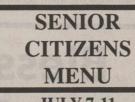
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## Wild Wednesday's Begin at Cross Plains Public Library

week with a great attendance of Jennifer Wootton. all sizes of wranglers and

They were treated with action Betse Rosson.

stories and fun crafts. The middle-aged group of 18 children was given a talk about rocks, minerals and gemstones by Helen Parson. Afterwards they designed and made their own

Reading Program at the Cross sizes and colors of beads and reading, and be eligible for prizes

The Tweens and Teens group shared an entertaining afternoon The Little Readers with Sue by playing games with the Bennett had an attendance of 12. assistance of Judy Killgo and

> participate in the Wednesday welcome to sign up, receive a children. reading digital timer bookmarker,

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This notice was posted in

(no signature provided)

For the Board of Trustees

meeting.

at 9:00 a.m.

Wild Wednesday's, the Summer rings and bracelets with various and get credit for his or her Plains Public Library, began last stones, under the guidance of at the end of the program. All we ask is for the books to be checked out from our library.

> This week the children have a field trip across the street to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department. Next week, Summer readers do not have to Wednesday, July 9th, LeaJean Wyatt will be giving the program, programs to be a part of the demonstrating and working with Reading Program. Everyone is science experiments with the

> > **Cross Plains** Review

July 3, 2008

### **Rolling Oaks** Golf News

This was an exciting week at Rolling Oaks. A new course record was set for individual play on Thursday, June 19th. Twentyeight-year-old Rising Star native, Korey Morris, posted a 67 or 5 under par. Korey has grown up playing golf at this course and is one of the A players in the scrambles. A major influence at our course, he sets a fine example for area youth and is always willing to help them achieve the best game possible.

Come out after 6:00 p.m. on any night and you are liable to find Korey practicing chipping, putting and driving. If practice makes perfect, or hard work pays off, we can expect more great

rounds from him. Back to our scramble news, we had 27 tee off on Tuesday. Closest to the pin on 2 went to Mitchell Doremus of Earl and on 6 it went to Bruce Rivers. David Evan's team of Chaz Odom, Dennis Murdock, Angela Yancey, Charlie Rogers and Mitchell Doremus on won with 7 under par. Remember they play Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. Come on out and join the fun.

Our next Saturday 18 hole ABCD scramble is set for July 12 at 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$10 and closest to the pin runs \$4.00. Cart rental for non-members in \$9.00 and green fees are \$16.00 for a total cost of \$36.00 for non-members and members carts will be

There is a mama turkey and several babies, turtles, scissor tails, mockingbirds, squirrels, feral cats and even jack rabbits just mention some of the wildlife. It is so peaceful and quiet, your troubles will slip away at least for a while. See you soon!

# A Day to Remember.

my alarm was ringing loudly. Time to get up and get ready and get to school by 6:00 a.m. Today, the Seventh Grade at Cross Plains Middle School was going to

during our picnic lunch.

It was still dark when I arrived Texas. at school. The 'old yeller' was games, and one or two caught necessary souvenirs of the trip.

Arriving in Austin, our first stop Museum gave us time to enjoy

beautiful sight it was. It was cool, the skies cloudy, and the 'lady' on top of the Capitol seemed to be smiling at us all.

Our tour began in the main Austin. Tours of the Capitol lobby with our docent explaining Building, Visitor's Center, that we would take the tour in the Bulloch Museum and reverse to avoid running into surrounding grounds were on the another class also there. It would be impossible for me to describe Coming late to Texas, this was all of the wonderful things that I to be my first trip to the Capitol. I saw in this historic building, was half of the team from Beta without going on and on, so let Sigma Phi Sorority that would me just touch on a few of my sponsor the trip and act as favorite things. The mosaic "chaperones". Sharon Pope, my on the floor in the rotunda sorority sisters, would join me, memorializing each of the flags Matt Sowell and Coach Jesse of Texas; the portraits in oil of Ellerbe on the trip. Sharon had each of Texas' governors; done all the work arranging the the memorial to our soldiers, tours, coordinating schedules, specifically, those who have been setting up our pizza dinner in awarded the Medal of Honor; the Lampasas and purchasing the soft ceiling of the rotunda—with the drinks that would quench our eight foot/five point star; the thirsts on the trip to and back, and painting of many of the battles that shaped our wonderful home,

Our next stop was the Visitor's already warming up and kids Center, where we were met by were frantically saying good-bye another docent, who took us on a item, and finally climbing on ending up in the Land Grant board. The drive to Austin was office, where each student worked pleasant. The students chatted through the process of getting a remember! I can't wait 'til next with us and among themselves, or land deed. A quick stop at year to 'chaperone' a new group listened to their Ipods, played the Gift Shop provided those of students on this great field trip!

A brisk walk to the Bob Bulloch

It was April 8th, 4:30 a.m., and was the State Capitol. What a our picnic lunches out front. Then it was time for our final tour. And boy, what a tour it was! The Bulloch Museum has many, many interesting displays depicting Texas history. One of the most enjoyable was a model of an old ship that has been raised from Matagorda Bay, and is currently under restoration at Texas A&M. The volunteer who was assigned to this area spent about 45 minutes explaining each of the artifacts displayed, giving the history of the project and its current progress, and then answering any questions that we

> Too soon, it was time to say good-bye and begin the trip home. It was a spirited group of young adults who got on the bus! Conversations flew around us with each person telling what was their favorite place, story, etc. A stop in Lampasas for pizza and then back on 'old yeller' for the final miles home.

Arriving back at school, our seventh graders left the bus with newfound enthusiasm about their to their parents, returning to their tour of the grounds, pointing out state and its history, anxious to parents to retrieve that forgotten the various monuments, and share their day at the Capitol with their families.

This was truly a day to

**Sharon Parr** 



A called meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Cross Plains meeting, any discussion of any I.S.D. will be held on July 10, item on the agenda should be held 2008, beginning at 6:00 p.m. in in a closed meeting, the Board the high school library. The will convene in such closed subjects to be discussed or meeting in accordance with the considered or upon which any Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, formal action may be taken are as Government Code. Before any follows:

Call Meeting to Order

- 1. Discuss and take action on organization providing free health clinic
- 2. Executive Session A. Discuss resignations B. Discuss hiring new
- employees C. Discuss replacing School Board Member on Cross Plains ISD Board of

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- members only) 3. Take Action on Executive Session Items
- 4. Adjourn.

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### Scranton Musical set for July 5th

The Scranton Musical will be held Saturday, July 5th at the Scranton Community Center. The kitchen opens at 5:30 p.m., and the music begins at

There will be a special plus sandwiches and homemade pie: All donations of pies and sandwiches are appreciated. The profits go toward the operating expenses of the

All area musicians are invited to play. Mark Ray is the emcee. You may call 325-692-2057 to reserve a time for your group. We invite you for a night of good music, food and visiting. Submitted by: Joan Shrader





# Festival by the Lake is Saturday

located at Clyde Lake.

Independence Day celebration chandise booth, contact Clyde midnight. is free and open to the public, City Hall at (325) 893-4234. however donations will be taken during the event.

Friday, July 4th at Clyde Lake. chair.

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The bass tournament on Saturday will include a limit of a \$20 per team and the Big Fish p.m. over Clyde Lake. entry is \$5.00 for each fish. The

The City of Clyde is sponsor- from 12:30 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. McDowell will be performing ing the Festival by the Lake A weight trailer has been do- from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. 2008 this Saturday, July 5th nated for the bass tournament Brenda Kay will play at the Lake by Stillwater Bass Club.

will conclude with a fireworks until 6:00 p.m. For information

place all day Saturday around Cook-off entries must enter by the Clyde Lake Pavilion. Everythe deadline of 5:00 p.m. on one is invited to bring your lawn Bank-Clyde, Callahan County

three fish stringer. Entry fee is works display will begin at 10:00 Course.

12:30 p.m. Weigh-in will be held p.m. until 6:00 p.m. Bo 893-4234.

Pavilion from 7:00 p.m. until The Festival by the Lake will Food and merchandise vend- 8:00 p.m. and Jaron Bell will include a cook-off, bass tourna- ers will take place at Clyde Lake play from 8:00 p.m. until 10:00 ment, food and merchandise by the Lake Pavilion on Satur- p.m. The evening concert under vendors, games and music and day, July 5th from 10:00 a.m. the Lake Pavilion will conclude with Zach Harmon performing display over Clyde Lake. The about setting up a food or mer- from 10:00 p.m. until 12:00

> Festival By The Lake Spon-Games and music will take sors include: Blake Fulenwider Dodge, First National Bank Baird/Clyde; First Financial Veterinary Clinic, Thrifty's Food Mart, Smith & Son Farm Equip-The Independence Day fire- ment, and Shady Oaks Golf

The evening concert at the For additional information fishing tournament will begin at Clyde Lake Pavilion will include about this year's celebration, 6:00 a.m. and will conclude at Money Shot playing from 5:00 contact Clyde City Hall at (325)

# This Week in Texas History

By: Bartee Haile

#### Klan unstoppable in 1922 Senate Election

JULY 2 - 8, 2008

"Farmer Jim" Ferguson spent July 4, 1922 politicking at patriotic picnics in East Texas, but even the champion campaigner had his work cut out for him if he hoped to beat not one but two Klansupported candidates in the race for the U.S. Senate.

Revived in Georgia in 1915, the Ku Klux Klan was exported to Texas five years later. In record time the hooded order became the most powerful force in Lone Star politics. Although membership never exceeded 140,000, a microscopic three percent of the state population, the KKK could count on thousands of Texans to follow their lead ineffective minority a half come Election Day.

health of five-term incumbent Charles Culberson, five different challengers filed for the 1922 Democratic Senate primary. Leading the list were James E. Ferguson, the impeached former governor who still packed a political punch in the countryside, and two reputed Klansmen: excongressman R.L. Henry and railroad commissioner Earle B. Mayfield. While Henry proudly boasted of his KKK affiliation, Mayfield played it close to the vest and stayed shrewdly silent

on the subject. The opening primary featured a strong first-place showing by Mayfield, who drew 30 percent of the vote, with Ferguson making the runoff by edging the incumbent Culberson for second. Gov. Pat Neff condemned both as unfit for the high office, but most prominent Democrats such as Sen. Morris Sheppard chose Mayfield, a prohibitionist, as the lesser of two evils over Farmer Jim, an unabashed

Unusually nasty namecalling produced a heavy turnout for the next round of balloting on the last Saturday in August 1922. In contrast to brother Klansmen that went

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down to defeat in three other Mayfield had a lock on the contests, Mayfield rode an anti-Ferguson backlash to a surprising 50,000-vote

The nomination of the closet Klansman stunned Democratic Party regulars, especially liberals who had failed to take the Mayfield movement seriously. With seven short weeks until the general election in November, disaffected Democrats gathered in Dallas to select their own candidate.

The day before the meeting, Republicans endorsed sight unseen the impending choice of the so-called "Independent Democrats." century after Reconstruction, Encouraged by the failing the GOP was ready to rally long as he was "a clean honorable man who is opposed to the Ku Klux Klan."

Naturally no Democratic office-holder in his right mind was willing to risk his career by going against the party's official nominee. The dubious honor fell to George E.B. Peddy, a pugnacious prosecutor from Houston who had celebrated his thirtieth birthday just in time to qualify for the uphill crusade.

In spite of his youth, Peddy was a well-known public figure. As an undergraduate at the University of Texas, he was elected to the state legislature in 1916. The next year he guided the successful fight against then-governor Jim Ferguson's veto of the appropriations bill for his alma

Due to his late start, lack of organization and shortage of campaign funds, Peddy's chances were slim at best. When he was barred from the ballot, any hope of a miracle upset went up in smoke.

Backed by the bloc vote of the Klan and loyal Democrats, who could not bring themselves to break with the party of their forefathers,

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election. He won, of course, but not by the expected landslide as Peddy received an amazing 130,000 write-in

The battle was not yet over, however. In an unorthodox move that some applauded and others scorned as sour grapes, the loser went over the winner's head directly to the United States Senate. Peddy requested a full investigation of the election on the grounds that Mayfield conspired to have his name stricken from the ballot, missed miscellaneous filing deadlines, violated campaign spending limits and was in cahoots with the Ku Klux Klan.

The complicated complaint delayed the seating of Mayfield for two years, and during that time Texas had to get by with a single Senator.

Earle Mayfield had one term in Washington and not a full term at that. When he sought reelection to the Senate in 1928, the Klan was in shambles. Public opinion had turned against the masked menace reducing its once formidable ranks to a hard core of no more than 2,500. Congressman Tom Connally soundly defeated Mayfield for the nomination and remained in the U.S. Senate until his retirement in 1953.

In his political swan song two years later, Mayfield finished an embarrassing seventh in a gubernatorial pack of 11. Having learned his lesson, he quietly withdrew to private life in Tyler, where he died in 1964.

George Peddy fared no better. Waiting 26 years to enter this second and last statewide race, he was the odd man out who forced the 1948 Senate primary into overtime.

Bartee Haile welcomes your comments, questions and suggestions at HYPERLINK "mailto:haile@pdq.net" haile@pdq.net or P.O. Box 152, Friendswood, TX 77549. And don't forget to visit www.twith.com!

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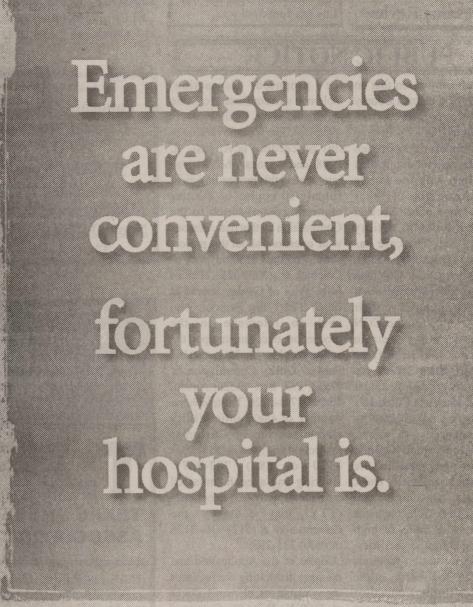
here playing all your old-time country and western favorites.

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The Grand Ole Oplin is hosted by the Oplin Community Center and is located at the intersection Admission to our dances is still

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109 AcRolling with beautiful views, seasonal creek, huge oaks, abundant wildfire, county water	295,700
136 Ac2 tanks, 2 water wells, barn, UND EastaColNer RAG, Tenced, cross fenced	_ 340,975
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#### Barb's Cues By Barbara Holmes Worcester

Different Drug Problem

store in our town read that a methamphetamine lab had been today's children had this kind of found in an old farmhouse in the adjoining county and he asked me a rhetorical question, "Why didn't we have a drug problem when you and I were growing

I replied, "I had a drug problem when I was young: I was drug to church on Sunday morning. I was drug to church for weddings and funerals. I was drug to family reunions and community socials no matter the weather.

I was drug by my ears when I was disrespectful to adults. I was also drug to the woodshed when I disobeyed my parents, told a lie, brought home a bad report card, did not speak with respect, spoke ill of the teacher or the preacher, or if I didn't put forth my best effort in everything that was asked of me.

I was drug to the kitchen sink to have my mouth washed out with soap if I uttered a profanity. I was drug out to pull weeds in Mom's garden and flowerbeds and cockleburs out of Dad's fields. I was drug to the homes of family, friends and neighbors a single dime as a tip for this and bake at 300 degrees until kindness, she would have drug dried. me back to the woodshed.

Those drugs are still in my

veins and they affect my behavior in everything I do, say or The other day, someone at a think. They are stronger than cocaine, crack or heroin; if drug problem, America would be a better place.'

God bless the Parents who drugged us.

Submitted by Randy and Melanie Bordeion

> A BarbCue For The Taste JT's Jerky Sauce

This is the best marinade I have ever used. It was not original but I do not know where he got it. It has evolved until it is our 'secret sauce."

1/3 cup Worcestershire sauce 1/4 cup soy sauce

1 Tbs. prepared mustard 1 Tbs liquid smoke

Mix well.

1 tsp garlic powder 1/4 tsp salt 1 tsp cinnamon

1 tsp onion powder 1/2 tsp Tobasco sauce

1/8 tsp black pepper

Add to liquid mixture and mix to help out some poor soul who well. Marinate meat. The longer had no one to mow the lawn, the better. I like to marinate repair the clothesline or chop overnight. To make jerky, use some firewood and if my mother round steak or other lean meat. had ever known that I ever took After marinating, cut into strips

J.T. Holmes-Barbara's Dad

#### Angel Food Ministries Menu

Menu includes:

Family Crock Pot Dinner (meat included) Boneless Pork Filet **Breaded Chicken Chunks** Meaty Beef Ribs Meatloaf and Gravy Beef Fajitas Fully Cooked Meatballs All Meat Hot Dogs Dozen Eggs 1 lb. Broccoli Peas/Carrots Pasta Sauce Pasta Borden 2% reduced-fat

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