

Arrest Of 2 Local Youth Solve Crimes

Arrest of two Cross Plains youths last week has cleared some burglaries which happened in Cross Plains and this immediate area in January and February.

Callahan County Sheriff's Department and Cross Plains Police Department spent a sleepless Thursday night in making the arrests of Charles Dwayne Jennings, 19, and Weldon Gayle Robertson, 19, both of Cross Plains.

According to Sheriff Bill Skinner the arrests have cleared break-ins at Cross Plains School Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Co., and JRB Supermarket in January, and February burglaries at Pioneer Farmers Co-Op and Higginbothams.

Cross Plains Police Chief Robert V. Roysden and Cross Plains Deputy Sheriff Charlie Barnett reportedly led the investigations after picking up several good leads in the Higginbotham break-in.

It was reported that most of the articles taken in the burglaries have been recovered. Chief Roysden stated that stolen articles were scattered all over this area. Recovery of the Pioneer Co-Op's safe was made in Jim Ned Creek.

"We found articles under culverts and in trash cans, several places," Roysden noted.

Upon arrest the two were charged before Cross Plains Justice of the Peace L. P. Mitchell. He set bond at \$10,000 each in

Callahan County. A like bond was set in Eastland County.

On Tuesday Robertson remained in Callahan County Jail at Baird, according to the Callahan Sheriff's Department, but Jennings had been released or bond, reportedly posted Monday.

Local peace officers said to day that they sincerely appreciated the assistance of Eastland County Sheriff's Department in the investigations, as that of Texas Ranger George Baker of Eastland.

Although almost all the items taken in the break-ins have been recovered, at least two of the recent burglaries occurring here have not been cleared. They are at Johnston Truck & Supply, Inc. in Cross Plains and at Smith's Grocery at Pioneer. Investigation in those two cases are continuing, it is said by local officers.

OTHERS DONATE TO LOCAL RURAL FIRE COMPANY

Two more gifts totaling \$45 have been received by Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department in appreciation of the department's efforts recently when they battled grass fires along highways south and southwest of Cross Plains on February 12.

J. R. (Dick) Wagner, company secretary, listed these two donors as Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Falkum \$20 and Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Payne \$25.

Donations, Funds Net E.M.S. Unit \$3,910

Four contributions and funds from the county and city have netted Cross Plains Emergency Medical Service \$3,910, according to Mrs. Richard (Shirley) Emmons, coordinator of the unit.

The four cash gifts amounted to \$40. Donors and respective amounts were listed as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Dick Grider \$20, Hazel Marsh \$10 and Willie Koenig \$10.

Callahan County has agreed to give the Cross Plains E.M.S. a total of \$5,000 for equipment according to Mrs. Emmons. The \$2,500 reported here is the first payment on that agreed-upon total. The remainder will come later. The coordinator and W. G. McCoy, another E.M.S. member met with the Callahan County Commissioners Court recently seeking the aid.

Mrs. Emmons also explained that the donation from the City of Cross Plains, totaling \$1,370, was reimbursement of training and insurance previously paid by the E.M.S., but agreed to be footed by the City of Cross Plains.

Band Boosters' VB Tourney Needs Teams

Only a couple of teams have signed up for the scheduled local volleyball tournament sponsored by the Cross Plains Band Booster Club March 1, 2 and 3.

Entry may be made by calling Mrs. Joe (Jean) McWilliams at 725-6544 after 5 p.m., and deadline for entering is Sunday, Feb. 25. Entry fee per team is \$10, and each unit is to be composed of a majority of local players.

Practice times may be obtained by calling Mrs. McWilliams between 12 noon and 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Athletic Director Chuck Eoff noted that the gymnasium, where the event will be staged, will be available to teams to practice on week ends which have filed application papers with Mrs. McWilliams by Friday.

Proceeds from the tournament will be used by the band to help pay for 10 new uniforms to augment those already in use.

Cottonwood Chili Nets \$140 For EMS

The chili supper held in conjunction with the Cottonwood Community Musical made \$140.

The sponsoring Cottonwood Ladies Quilting Club decided not to deduct any expense from that amount and donated the entire proceeds to the Cross Plains Emergency Medical Service, according to Nelda Wilcox, spokesman for the club.

"The club thanks all in the area who donated pies, cakes and the meat for the chili," she stated, and "we also thank those who came to help us eat it." She added that there was an especially fine turnout considering the bad weather conditions.

MERLIN GARRETT'S GIVE FIRE DEPARTMENT \$50

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Garrett donated \$50 to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department, according to an announcement from J. R. (Dick) Wagner, secretary of the fire company.

The gift was made in appreciation of efforts of the local rural units extinguishing a series of roadside fires at their place south of Cross Plains and along other area highways one day last week.

Livestock Show And Sale Slated Here Feb. 23-24

Cross Plains will host junior livestock exhibitors from throughout the county next Friday and Saturday during the annual two-day Callahan County Junior Livestock Show.

The exhibition, which will be held in the show barn a mile north of Cross Plains on Highway 206, as it has been for the past many years, after the late Mrs. Elmer Vestal donated the block of land for the building, funds for which were collected by donations, was placed upon.

The two-day show was changed this year to the February 23-24 dates to better fit in with other area and major livestock show schedules, it was reported.

An added feature of this year's show will be a Premium Animal Auction Sale. That will be held on Saturday at 5 p.m. A barbecue will precede the sale.

A release from the Callahan County Livestock Association follows with details concerning the two-day show.

"The 1979 Callahan County Junior Livestock Show will be held on February 23 and 24 at Cross Plains, according to Don Harris of Rowden, president of the Association.

"About 250 entries are expected in the annual show. Judging will begin at 10 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 23, with the rabbit division. It will be followed by the poultry judging at 10:30

a.m. Breeding sheep and goats will be judged at 10 a.m. to be followed by dairy cattle at 11 o'clock. Beef heifers will be judged at 1 p.m. Breeding gilts will be judged at 1:30 p.m.

"Tommy Toland, Vocational Agriculture teacher from Cisco and Bill Conson, retired Vocational Agriculture teacher from Cooper High School in Abilene, will judge the show entries on Friday.

"Activities on Saturday will begin at 10 a.m. with the judg-

ing of market barrows. Fat lamb judging will begin at 1:30 p.m. to be followed by the steer judging at 2:30 p.m. Bobby Lemons of Colorado City will be judging the market animals.

"The following Junior Livestock Show directors will serve as superintendents of the various divisions: beef heifers, Scotty Mitchell; rabbits and poultry, B. P. Stephenson and Jim Hatchett; lambs, breeding sheep and goats, Scotty Mitchell; steers, Billy Mitchell, and

swine, Lanny Denman.

"Presentation of showmanship trophies will be made by the following: beef: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Windham, Sr.; sheep, Peoples State Bank, Clyde; dairy, Clyde Farm & Ranch Supply; horse, Callahan County Riding Club; poultry, B & C Farm Supply, and goats, Ranchers Wool & Mohair, Brownwood.

"A barbecue will be held at 4 p.m. on Saturday. All proceeds will go to the Callahan County Junior Livestock Association and everyone is invited to attend.

"The Premium Animal Auction Sale will be held at 5 p.m. at the show barn. Everyone is invited to participate in this sale and help our 4-H and FFA youth. If you are interested in buying one of the premium animals and haven't been contacted by a member of the sale committee, please call the County Extension Office at Baird or one of the Vocational Agriculture teachers in the county. The premium sale will be sold by Dan Edington of Coleman. Everyone is invited to attend the show, the barbecue and premium auction."

Bank Here Opens Drive-In Window Service Tuesday

Citizens State Bank is pleased to announce the opening of its new drive-in window, located in the alley behind the bank. The alley will be one way, going south, and must be entered off Ninth Street between Bishop Chevrolet Company car lot and the Housing Authority.

The drive-in window actually opened for service Tuesday, Feb. 20, 1979. Hours will be the same as present banking hours, 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Friday.

Customers are encouraged to have deposits and/or withdrawals made out in advance. For major transactions such as new accounts and note payments bank officials suggest that these still be handled inside the bank.

The addition of this new service, as well as that of the new depository which opened a few weeks ago, is just another way to say "thanks" for the business of our many customers and friends, a bank officer stated Tuesday morning.

GOSPEL MISSION SLATES SERVICES AT REST HOME

The Old Time Gospel Mission will be in charge of the regular Sunday afternoon services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home February 25 at 5:30 p.m.

Miss Valentine Contest Is Said Success; Winners Told

The Miss Valentine contest was presented by Beta Sigma Phi Thursday night, Feb. 15, at the Cross Plains School auditorium. There were four Miss Valentines selected and eight runners-up. There were four divisions and the winners were as follows.

Junior High School (6-8 grades) Miss Valentine was: Valerie Whitsett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Whitsett; first runner-up: Jennifer Ames daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ames, and second runner-up: Kandy McClure, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McClure.

Fourth and fifth grades Miss Valentine was: Suzie McClure daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McClure; first runner-up: Shelly Horan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Horan; second runner-up: Dawn Strength, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strength.

Second and third grades Miss Valentine was: Alicia Kirkham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Kirkham; first runner-up: Kelli Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kelley; second runner-up: Pam Strength, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Strength.

Kindergarten-first grades: Miss Valentine was Pamela Glover, daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Benny Glover; first runner-up: Shana Strickland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Strickland; second runner-up: Sharon Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Walker.

Mattie Faye Dixon was hostess for the ceremonies, and as always she did a superb job. The pianist for the occasion was Mrs. Bob (Dodd) Pearson and she also did a superb job.

The judges were: Miss Patricia Elliott from Abilene, Mr. Nathan Price from Brownwood and Mr. Bob Pearson from Cross Plains. The club truly appreciated their time and effort given for this endeavor.

The fashion show was presented by Country Time Rags Higginbotham Bros. & Co. and Johnson Dry Goods. The sorority wishes to thank these firms and their models for helping make this affair a success. The models were: Deena Strickland Phyllis Pancake, Kim Jones Lil Davis, Bridgette Allen, Paula Allen, Kathy Jones, Cindy Garrett, Susan Meiron, Dana Baines, Leesa Higginbottom Terri Jane McWilliams, Connie Kirkham, Courtney and Alicia Kirkham.

The entertainment was presented by Sharon and Jerry Lewis, Danny Lewis and Ronnie Purvis. The club also wishes to thank this talented and entertaining group.

Valentine candy presented to the winners was furnished by Evelyn's Hair Hut.

The yellow roses presented to the winners and finalists were furnished by Beta Sigma Phi.

The response to this contest was overwhelming, a sorority spokesman said. The people, the stores and the entertainers who donated their time and efforts to this contest are truly appreciated by our organization, it was stated. Our thanks also goes to the school for its co-operation. The response to this contest was fantastic. And it is scheduled to be one of Beta Sigma Phi's yearly projects, it was advised.

CLASSES TO BE DISMISSED EARLY HERE ON MONDAY

Superintendent Scot H. Edington has reminded parents of students at Cross Plains Schools that classes will be dismissed early, at 1:40 p.m., Monday, Feb. 26.

Buses will run at 1:40 p.m. The superintendent noted. The early dismissal will be to allow teachers to make up second half of an in-service training day.

WINDOW REPLACED TUES. AFTER MISHAP MONDAY

A large display window was replaced at the Western Auto Store on Main Street here Tuesday. A pickup lightly struck the window, breaking it, on Monday.

Sleet, Wintery Weather Slam This Sector Again

Sleet and extremely cold temperatures slapped the Cross Plains locality again last week end.

Heavy sleet fell for some time Friday night covering the ground and fell intermittently

through the night and some on Saturday. The sleet made traveling throughout the area hazardous Saturday and Sunday.

Conditions eased a bit Saturday afternoon when heavier traffic wore ruts or partially melted some of the ice on area roadways. Sunday morning temperatures dipping into the lower teens seared the ice into extremely slick glaze.

By noon, however, temperatures warmed considerably, and majority of the ice had disappeared by sundown. Warmer night readings aided dispersal although an extremely heavy frost was experienced here Monday morning.

The road conditions caused no major automotive crash in this immediate area that the Review learned of, but slowed travel and cut church attendance Sunday morning.

The moisture content was negligible in the sleet.

School Board Will Meet On Thursday

A special meeting of the Cross Plains School Board will be held on Thursday, Feb. 22, at 7 p.m. in the Homemaking Lab of the elementary building. Starting time is 7 p.m.

The agenda is brief, calling for Special Education Building, George Hicks; school bus report and board member photographs.

An emergency or urgent meeting of the school board was held Monday, Feb. 19, at 5:30 p.m. in the science lab of the elementary building. School problems were discussed between board members and teachers, and contracts discussed with the school board in executive session.

Thursday's session will be a continuation of last week's board session.

Phone 725-6666 for emergency medical service ambulance.

James Nichols Files In City Council Vote

James Nichols entered the race for Cross Plains City Council during the past week, contesting the portion of the balloting scheduled on April 7 seeking to elect 3 aldermen for two-year terms.

Nichols is a newcomer to local politics, although his father has previously served on the council. He joins Raymond Franke, Frank Robertson and Dwayne Wilson as candidates for the three, two-year terms. Terms of Robertson, Franke and Bob Lane are expiring. Lane announced last week that he chose not to run again. He thanked the folks for their cooperation, and said he hoped that he has helped make this town a little better place to live.

Ray Purvis is the only aspirant to fill the last year of an unexpired term he was appointed to a few months ago. James Le May was originally elected to that post.

Joe E. Hanke, Jr. and Charles H. Payne both officially filed for the two, three-year terms on the Cross Plains School Board Monday night. There had been no filings at that time although other forms had been picked up. Terms of Hanke and Payne are expiring. Payne won his place in a one-year term election last year.

Filing deadline is March 7 in both elections with name to be printed on the ballot. Candidates should file with City Secretary Debbie Potter at City Hall or with School Board Secretary Mrs. Tommy (Roberta) Conlee at her home south of town.

Peanut Meeting Set Here Tuesday Night

Greg Gerngross, Callahan County agricultural extension agent, has advised that a peanut production and marketing meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 27, starting at 7:30 p.m. in the Cross Plains School Cafeteria.

Gerngross noted that two speakers from Texas A&M, Dr. Leland Tripp and Dr. Chip Lee, will talk on peanut production. He also advised that Ross Wilson, manager of the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association at Gorman, and J. C. Earp, Jr., executive director of the Callahan County ASCS office in Baird, will cover all facets of the 1979 peanut program.

An invitation was extended to all peanut producers and other interested persons to attend the session.

Kristi Eoff Named Brownie Of Week

Kristi Eoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Eoff, was Brownie Girl Scout of the week. Kristi is in the first grade and this is first year of girl scouting.

Information sheets were sent home with the girls about the Ice Capades March 24 at 2 p.m. It is important that Mrs. David Morales know the number of girls planning to go so that reservations can be made.

Billie Norton and Carolyn Wilson showed and explained the ambulance equipment to the girls at Tuesday's meeting.

Weather Hurts Opening Of Library Here Sunday

Approximately 60 people attended the open house for the Cross Plains Public Library, a branch of the Callahan County Library, last Sunday afternoon.

Out-of-town visitors were Mrs. Ada Howard, consultant with the Big Country Library System of Abilene, and her husband; County Judge and Mrs. Mack Kniffen of Clyde and Mrs. K. M. Kuykendall and Mrs. Alla Ray Morris of Ranger. Mrs. Morris is a former teacher at Ranger Junior College where a Robert Howard collection is housed.

Recently the Callahan County Commissioners' Court voted to give the library \$600 toward its yearly budget. That money was received this week along with these: Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Crockett, \$25; Judge and Mrs. Mack Kniffen, \$50; Miss Mabel Eubank, \$25; Dora and Charles Hounshell of Baird, \$20; Gary P. Davis, \$5, serviceman and recent graduate of CPHS.

During the open house Mrs. J. L. Bonner and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson served guests from an attractive tea table. The Citizens State Bank sent a colorful spring

flower arrangement for the occasion. Lois Garrett, Veda DeBusk, Betty Browning, Vera Pearl Bunnell, and Charlene Burkett greeted callers.

The library committee wishes to thank Alton and Raymond McCowen for their repair of the plumbing. A break had occurred due to the sustained freezing weather.

A library spokesman stated, "Every community needs a unifying force and the library in this case has been one as so many have donated many hours to uplift the area."

A picture painted by Dodd Pearson was presented to Veda DeBusk commemorating her outstanding contribution.

Books were received from Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Walker of Big Spring, Keith Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hodby, Floyd Carter, and Wilma Lawrence.

Library hours at the present are 1-5 p.m., Monday-Thursday and 9-12 a.m. Wednesday. A list of the library volunteer workers will appear in next week's paper.

Farmers Tax Return Due By March 1

March 1, 1979 is the deadline for some farmers to file their 1978 federal income tax return and pay any tax due, the Internal Revenue Service said.

Persons who earned at least two-thirds of their 1978 gross income from farming and did not file a declaration of estimated federal individual income tax by January 15, 1979, or pay any amount of estimated tax by this date, must file their return and pay all tax due by March 1, 1979, to avoid a penalty.

IRS Publication 225, "Farmer's Tax Guide," and 505, "Tax Withholding and Declaration of Estimated Tax," provide additional information and are available free from IRS offices.

EARNEST HARRIS REPORTED AS SOMEWHAT IMPROVED

Earnest Harris of Burkett, longtime resident of Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains, is reported to be somewhat improved at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene.

He has been there nearly three weeks, and was considered to be critically ill for a while, but is thought to be improved somewhat. It is expected that he will be there several more days.

WILDCAT TEST CARDED FOR SOUTHWEST EULA SECTOR

Davis Brothers of Abilene will drill No. 3 Kemper as a proposed 2,300-foot wildcat in Callahan County Regular Field area.

Location is five miles south west of Eula on a 477-acre lease.

It spots 1,500 feet from the north and west lines of Sector 4, Block 7, SP Survey.

Local Man's Brother Is Buried Thursday

Funeral service for Horace Leon Callaway, 73, of Cisco, brother of Henry Callaway of Cross Plains, was held at 2:30 p.m. Friday in Holly-Rhyme Funeral Home Chapel in Cisco.

Mr. Callaway expired at 6:10 a.m. Wednesday in a Cisco hospital following a brief illness.

Officiating the final rites was Cary Adams, and he was assisted by J. B. Hudson, both Church of Christ ministers of Cisco. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery at Cisco.

Born May 1, 1905, in Cisco, he had moved there from Rising Star five years ago and was a retired farmer and carpenter. He married Fay Nelms Dec. 23, 1922, in Moran. He was a member of Interstate 20 Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Wayne of Rising Star, Don of Brownwood and Jack of Jeffersonville, Ind.; a daughter, Barbara Nichols of Abilene; four brothers, Henry of Cross Plains, H. A. of Lake Brownwood, Howard of San Angelo and H. H. "Shorty" of Cisco; four sisters, Florence Oakley of Salem, Ore., Lorene Grace of Bass Lake, Calif., Naomi Dennis of Phoenix, Ariz., and Opal Mann of Collins, Miss.; 15 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Early Beats Buffettes Varsity, JV In Finals

Buffette basketball teams at Cross Plains High School bowed to counterparts at host Early Tuesday night of last week in season-ending District 10-A conference action.

The varsity unit dropped a 54-28 decision in a rough game. Coach Barbara Sowell stated that Cross Plains was cold. "They played hard and hustled, but the shots simply wouldn't fall," she said.

Kim Strahan led the Buffettes in scoring with 8 points. Deidra McCorkle and Cheryl Merrill tallied 7 markers each, Bridgette Allen had 4 and Kim Jones 2.

The Buffette Junior Varsity lost a 20-14 verdict to its counterpart. Top Cross Plains scorer was Leesa Higginbotham with 10 points, and Kathy Jones and Paula Allen each counted 2 points.

Coach Sowell noted that the JV unit had a pretty good year and showed a lot of improvement, spirit and character over the season.

Do You Remember?...

40 Years Ago
February 1939

Three congregations, Baptists, Methodists and Presbyterians, under the leadership of the pastors, have planned a series of union services to be held on the three Sunday nights preceding Palm Sunday.

Applications were filed this week by a number of residents of the Dressey section for connections with the Coleman Rural Electric Cooperative. At least fifteen families are reported to have asked for the service.

Ladies of the Baptist Missionary Society entertained members of the Missionary Societies of the other churches in a fifth Monday meeting at the church Monday afternoon.

30 Years Ago
February 1949

Dale Bishop attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth last Sunday.

In years to come the winter of 1949 may be remembered as one of the "rawest of all." School children will recall it as a time of abundant holidays, occasioned by frozen roads and a shortage of gas for sufficient heating.

Local people, proud of the fact that Cross Plains cemetery is now kept in a slightly condition, were seen gathering in little huddles this week discussing ways and means of graveling the road from the business district to the cemetery.

20 Years Ago
February 1959

Fifteen members of the Happy Bluebird Campfire Girls visited the Review office Thursday afternoon of last week and were shown steps in printing the newspaper from the time that copy is compiled until the newspaper is printed and folded and ready for mailing.

The Cross Plains Buffalo Stage

Band will be in Breckenridge Friday afternoon of this week to present a program at the assembly program to be held at Breckenridge High School.

Grasshoppers are likely to be more widespread in the west and midwest this summer but are expected to be less destructive than in 1958.

10 Years Ago
February 1969

Ronald and Donald Pope twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope, won seven ribbons at the Fort Worth Livestock Exposition in which they competed as FFA exhibitors.

Local Brownie and Junior Girl Scout troops are sponsoring a film Thursday night in the basement of the First United Methodist Church at 7:30. The film is about Camp Woodlake, the Girl Scout Camp at Brownwood Lake for this area's troops.

Saturday will be regular bridge night at Lakewood Recreation Center.

Pat McNeel Jr. was a business visitor in Mineral Wells Monday.

5 Years Ago
February 1974

Sales were brisk Friday as the 1974 license plates for motor vehicles and trailers began in Cross Plains.

Postmaster Joe E. Hanke, Jr. attended a Retail Management Course three days of last week. The study course was held in the Dallas District area at Dallas and 34 other postmasters were present.

Repair of the roof of the gymnasium on Cross Plains schools campus has been completed at the cost of \$2,611. Roof of the athletic facility was heavily damaged by the hail storm which struck Cross Plains in April of last year.

Phone 725-6234 to report fire in Cross Plains.

SBA Loan Disaster Program Near End

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm advises of the March 6, 1979, deadline for submitting applications for the Physical Disaster Loan Program through the Small Business Administration. This program is available to farmers and ranchers who suffered financial hardship due to drought losses on 1978 crops.

The disaster loans may be used to pay outstanding obligations and operating expenses and for production costs in the new crop year. However, they may not be used to refinance a Farmers Home Administration or other USDA loan.

Interest rates on SBA physical disaster loans are 3% on the first \$250,000 and 6.58% on remaining amounts. Further information may be obtained from the Abilene SBA office located in the U. S. Post Office Building, 300 Pine Street, Suite 2211, telephone 915-677-8537, or at the Lubbock SBA office, 720 Texas Avenue, telephone 806-762-7459.

Russel Calhoun of Midland visited over the week end with his mother, Mrs. Nela Calhoun of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cross of Lake Brownwood.

Landscaping Ideas Told By Gardener

One of the most important considerations in any landscape design is maintenance. Simple designs are easier to maintain and more effective. If property is large let part of it remain natural.

Group plantings of shrubs, trees and flowers and repeated use of similar material give unity, as well as easier care.

Plants near an entry should be chosen with care. Consider both height and spread, evergreen or deciduous. Avoid plants with thorns, insect potential, messy fruits.

Walks and steps may be the most prominent part of an entryway. Walks should be at least four feet wide, and the shortest distance from parking area to entry. Steps should be one foot or more deep, with a rise of six inches.

Shaded entries are a common problem. Container-grown plants can come to the rescue—and moved about to keep their vigor.

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- * Each believer must again be taught that he is called to 'full-time service' of our God.
- * Each believer has the duty to daily feed upon the Word of God that he may grow in the grace and knowledge of the Lord Jesus, be kept from error and in being obedient, be truly disciples and truly free.
- * Each believer acts Godly in (1) disassociating from an established church that refuses to be Scripturally reformed in teachings and practices, and (2) seeks to obediently meet with others of the Lord's calling particularly on the Lord's Day.
- * The primary purpose of the church meeting is the teaching of the Word of God, the exhortation to righteousness rebuke of sin, prayer, the testimony of the saints and the discharge of appointed duties.
- * Some assemblies in the U.S. are becoming bastions of the true Christian Gospel and righteousness to the world now and these saints are presently experiencing renewal and revival that shall spread the Word to the whole world to gloriously turning men from darkness and the destructive power of Satan to light and the power of God, wherein & whereby they shall receive FORGIVENESS of sins and an inheritance amongst the saints.
- * God assures each man that he shall reap what he has sown; for those who by patient continuance in well doing seek for glory, honor and immortality: eternal life; but for those who do not obey but obey unrighteousness — indignation, wrath, tribulation and anguish.
- * All forms of socialism are but forms of theft and total-state blasphemies and their continual failures, brutalities and rages against God are clear fruits of what they have sown and our God 'rewarded.'
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Yams, per pound - 39c

S. N. FOSTER REPORTED BETTER AT BROWNWOOD
S. N. Foster, longtime Cross Plains merchant, is reported to be improving at Brownwood Community Hospital where he has been a patient nearly two weeks.

It was believed Tuesday morning by a local relative that he may be allowed to return to a nursing home at Rising Star, where he and Mrs. Foster have made their home for the past several months, in the next few days.

B. A. YOUNG UNDERGOES SURGERY ON MONDAY
H. A. (Burley) Young of Cross Plains underwent minor surgery on Monday at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene, and he was to have been returned here on Tuesday by his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Woody.

Evangelical Methodist Church
1568 Ave. E, Cross Plains, Tx.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible and Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.
Youth Meeting
Tuesday 6:30 p.m.
John Swift, Pastor

Burkett Area Known Coleman Man Expires

Funeral for John Earl Moore, 80, of Coleman was held at 8 p.m. Tuesday in Stevens Funeral Home Chapel in Coleman. Mr. Moore, who was well known in the Burkett sector, expired at 8:55 p.m. Sunday at a Coleman hospital after a long illness.

Officiating the final rites were the Revs. Paul Smith, Ron Hardeman and Bill Roberts. Burial was in the Coleman City Cemetery.

Born June 17, 1898, in Coke County near Robert Lee, he came to Coleman County in 1902. He married Dollie Self in 1919 at Burkett. She died in 1960. He married Mable Dunn Anderson Jan. 14, 1962, at Coleman. He was a carpenter until his retirement.

Survivors include his wife, two sons, Earl of Fort Worth and Leo of Denver, Colo.; two daughters, Inez Davis of Coleman and Lula Havner of Jal. N. M.; two stepsons, Douglas Anderson of Temple and Dwayne Anderson of Garland; two stepdaughters, Louise Carpenter of Richland and Doris Creede of Weatherford; a sister, Nora Jennings of Coleman; a brother, Ernest of Fort Worth; and several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

TRUETT DAWKINS RETURNS HOME AGAIN ON TUESDAY

C. T. (Truett) Dawkins of the Sabanno community was scheduled to come home from an Abilene hospital where he had been eight days after suffering a heart attack. He recently spent several more days in the hospital recovering from an earlier heart attack.

He is reported to be recovering normally.

School Lunch Menu

Following menu will be served at Cross Plains School Cafeteria during the designated days of the ensuing week at the noon meal.

Thursday: Ham slices, sweet potatoes green peas, oatmeal cookie, rolls and milk.

Friday: Chili burger, French fries, beans, chocolate oatmeal cookies and milk.

Monday: Fish, blackeyed peas, cheese potatoes, cornbread, cake and milk.

Tuesday: Spaghetti, green beans, pickled beets, pear half, garlic bread and milk.

Wednesday: Barbecue bun, pinto beans, slaw, brownies and milk.

MRS. ELLA DEAN RETURNS TO HOME ON MONDAY

Ella Dean returned to her home here Monday after spending several days in a hospital in Eastland. She is reported slowly improving.

Monahans Rites For Native Of Cross Cut

Funeral service was held for Austin C. Newton, of Monahans, 73-year-old native of Cross Cut, at 2 p.m. Sunday at the First United Methodist Church of Monahans.

Mr. Newton, formerly of Bangs, died at 9 a.m. Friday at an Andrews hospital after an eight-year illness.

Officiating the final rites was the Rev. Glenn Harrington, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Monahans. Burial was at Monahans Cemetery.

He was born Feb. 6, 1905, at Cross Cut, and he married Emma Sanders, whom he met at Williams, July 22, 1940, at Louisville. He retired from teaching at the Monahans school system in 1971. From 1943 to 1959 he served as superintendent of the Bangs school system. He was a 35-year member of the Lions Club International, a member of Monahans Masonic Lodge No. 952.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Miss Elaine Newton of Sonora; a brother, Howard Newton of Fort Stockton; a sister, Mrs. Glyda Anderson of Dallas.

Mrs. Mark Walker Sharon and Shirley and Pamela Glover were visitors in Cisco Monday afternoon.

ANOTHER SITE IS ADDED TO NORTH CROSS CUT FIELD

MDH Oil & Gas Co. of Cross Plains completed No. 1 Westerman in the Magnum (Conglomerate) Field two miles north of Cross Cut in Brown County.

Location is 1,677 feet from the north and 5,000 feet from the west lines of S. Jones Survey 283, A-547.

Daily potential was 112 barrels of 42 gravity oil, plus 40 barrels of water. Flow was through a 16-64-inch choke with packer set on the casing and 410 pounds tubing pressures.

Production is from perforations at 3,005-27 feet, treated with 1,000 gallons of acid. The pay was fractured with 634 barrels of fluid and 27,500 pounds of sand.

Operator set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 3,490 feet. Total depth was 3,456 feet and plugged back to 3,100 feet.

Gas-oil ratio was 1.518-1.

Phone 725-6234 to report fire in Cross Plains.

Cottonwood Church Of Christ
Bible Study 10 A.M.
Morning Worship 11 A.M.
Evening Worship 5 P.M.

BROWNWOOD WILL HOST EAGLES-HAWKS PLAYOFF

Goldthwaite and Wall will play their Girls Class A bi-district basketball game at 2 p.m. Monday, Feb. 26, in Brownwood Coliseum.

District 10-A champions Goldthwaite, in the playoffs for the fourth straight year, compiled a 30-3 record after gliding through conference warfare undefeated. Wall is 22-2 on the years and

Dublin, boys' champion in District 10-A, was to host winner Reagan County, in bi-district playoff Tuesday in San Angelo. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill were Mrs. Raymond McCowen, Mrs. Dixie Ingram, L. A. Richardson and Alton McCowen.

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<p>Personna Double II Razor WITH 2 CARTRIDGES EACH 69c</p>	<p>MAGNETIC Photo Albums 10 SHEETS \$1.99</p>	<p>We have a large stock of party favors and supplies. We have added a new line of Plastic Houseware including waste baskets, dish pans, tubs, utility pails, laundry baskets, dish drainer sets, cannister sets just to name a few.</p>	<p>SIZE 126 Fuji Film 39c OR 3 for \$1.00</p>	<p>HOBNAIL VOTIVE HOLDER & Scented Candle 5 COLORS 29c</p>
<p>Facial Tissues 200 COUNT SIZE 69c OR 2 for \$1.25</p>	<p>RED ROSE Lotion 16 OUNCE SIZE \$1.29</p>	<p>There are many other new items in stock, and we invite you to come in and just browse if you don't need to buy. We would like to take this means to express our appreciation to our wonderful customers who have been faithful these 7 years. Without you, we would not be celebrating a 7th anniversary.</p>	<p>LOREAL Nail Polish OUR REGULAR 99c Now 2 for 99c</p>	<p>ALL Hair Accessories 1/2 Price (PRE-MARKED)</p>
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Burkett Man Killed In Accident Friday

Funeral service for O. D. Bishop, 49, of Burkett and Coleman, who died Friday afternoon when his pickup and a semi-trailer collided near Burkett, were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday in Stevens Funeral Home Memorial Chapel in Coleman.

Officiating the final ties was Perry Samwalt, minister of the Coleman Church of Christ.

Burial was in the Coleman City Cemetery.

He was born Dec. 13, 1929, in Santa Anna to the late James M. Bishop and Lois Lee Lane. He attended Santa Anna schools and married Mary Barnett in Santa Anna Dec. 25, 1949. He worked at oil field service for about 30 years, and for the past 14 months was an oil field superintendent for the Pool Company. He had lived in Burkett five years. He was an Army veteran.

Survivors include his wife of Coleman; a daughter, Melissa Elizabeth Morgan of Boerne; three sons, Nickey Dean of Bastrop, James Gayland of Coleman and Henry Willis of Coleman; his mother, Lois Lee Bishop of Bangs; a sister, Laverne Sitterson of Brownwood; a brother, Alton Ray of Kingsland; four granddaughters and one step-granddaughter.

A sister, Mary Jo Dodson, preceded him in death.

Mrs. Cliff Kirkham and girls were Abilene visitors Monday afternoon.

Phone 725-6234 to report in Cross Plains.

Nitrate In Hay Can Be Checked - Agent

Nitrate poisoning in beef cattle has received a lot of publicity in recent weeks, notes Greg Gerngross, Callahan County Extension Agent of Baird. Numerous deaths of beef cattle have been attributed to nitrate poisoning, particularly in hay from sorghum and millet sources.

Animals are often found dead with no history of illness or they may show signs of bloating, refusal to eat, abdominal pains grinding teeth and prostration. Most animals dying of nitrate poisoning have brownish colored blood. However, this color usually disappears a few hours after death, the agent stated.

Producers can have hay checked for nitrate by sending a sample to the Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Lab. at College Station or Amarillo for quantitative analysis. The cost of each sample is \$5. Since the nitrate quantity can vary greatly from bale to bale a representative sample should be collected from about 10 per cent of the bales.

More information on this subject is available from the County Extension Office in the court house at Baird.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for each kindness extended me during my stay in the hospital at Eastland. The lovely flowers, the cards, letters, visits and especially the prayers, were appreciated deeply. Thanks especially to Brother Michael Ingram for his comforting visits. Again we say thanks, friends and neighbors, for your thoughtfulness. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. (Jo) Boatright

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We would like to thank our many friends for every kindness and sympathy shown us in the passing of our loved one. The prayers, the beautiful flowers, cards, phone calls and the wonderful food were deeply appreciated. We want to especially thank the Cross Plains Emergency Medical Service, Dr. Carl J. Sohns, Allie Montgomery and Benny Callaway. May God bless each of you in our prayer. Mrs. Bob Jones Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jones and family Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Jones and family.

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Jim Reynolds Earns CJC Honor Listing

Another former Cross Plains student has won recognition as an honor student at Cisco Junior College for the fall semester.

He is Jim Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds of Star Route 2, Baird.

Reynolds won a place on the Dean's List, earning a 2.5 or better grade point average on the 3.0 system.

He is majoring in law enforcement at the Cisco college.

2 PIONEER RESIDENTS INJURED IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. Ronald Holman and her daughter, Veronica, of the Pioneer community escaped serious injury last Wednesday when the vehicle she was driving ran into a bridge in the Williams community.

Mrs. Holman received a concussion, several bruises and both wrists were sprained. Her daughter received bruises, concussion and a whiplash.

Both were taken to a Brownwood hospital by ambulance and were treated and released.

Clamp Envelopes at Review

Pioneer News Items

By Vanda King

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Flippin, Tye and Tamara attended the Miss Valentine contest Thursday night. Tye Flippin was an escort for Shauna Cowan and Blandye King. Saturday night the Flippin family attended the Donkey basketball game, which they reported enjoyable. Perry Cloud spent Saturday night with the Flippins.

Mr. Pete Fore is in the West Texas Medical Center in Abilene following surgery last week. We hope that he is doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fleming and Jason were in Brownwood Thursday buying fruit trees. Earlier in the week they had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Star Nursing Home Friday. Joe Fleming family spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming.

Champ Champion visited with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Don Parson and boys one night last week. Wednesday afternoon seven children attended a Valentine party at school and Mrs. Vida Paige of Cross Plains was the special guest. Travis and Warren took Mr. and Mrs. Truett Parson some special home-made Valentine Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smoot celebrated their 47th wedding anniversary Sunday. Guests to help them celebrate were Bill and Judy Smoot and family, Mary Katherine Meador and Tommy, Barbara Brown and boys. Happy anniversary to Bill and Mazie.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming brought Nell's mother, Nancy Matthew, from the West Texas Medical Center to the Rising Star Nursing Home Friday. Joe and Nell had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Carr of Rising Star on Wednesday.

Tuesday afternoon Vanda King and daughters, Blandye and Leah visited Lester and Christine King and Jerry. Others visiting were Vondelle Key and Nora Shirley. Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Tommy King and girls attended the Miss Valentine contest in which Blandye was a contestant. Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson, Loma Awtwood and Joe Watson of Abilene, and Billie Edington of Albany, and Ethel Anderson of Cross Plains all attended the Miss Valentine contest. Mr. and Mrs. Lester King and Jerry had lunch with the King family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady's visitors this week were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roady and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Freeman of Cross Plains. Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Roady of Anson, and their grandson, Joe McNeil of Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Foster went to Abilene Sunday to visit their new great-grandson, Bryan Douglas Foster, born February 6, 1979. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wayne Foster. The Fosters stopped by Clyde and had lunch with Mr. Foster's brother, Boyd Foster, and celebrated Boyd's 85th birthday.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Foster's guests for lunch were Ruby Jones, Allie Montgomery and Lila Webb, all of Cross Plains. Mrs. Foster wanted to remind everyone that Thursday night is Game Night at the Pioneer Community Center.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beggs made a trip to Sulphur, Okla., Tuesday where they visited Mrs. Beggs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Young. Mrs. Beggs also visited Mrs. Charles Woolf of Sulphur, Okla.

Mrs. A. C. Halsell attended the open house for the Library in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon. Later she visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barr and stopped by Colonial Oaks Nursing Home to visit.

Please call your news in to Mrs. Grace Norris next week at 725-6464. Thank you. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sessums were in Hillsboro Tuesday and Wednesday of last week visiting relatives. Sunday dinner guests with the Sessums were Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Sessums of Fort Worth.

NORTH BAIRD AREA FIELD IS DUE 1,725-FOOT TEST

No. 1-H James L. Snyder has been spotted in the regular field four miles north of Baird by R. E. Greene of Baird.

The planned 1,725-foot venture is located on a 100-acre lease.

It spots 1,355 feet from the south and 150 feet from the west lines of Section 114, BBB&C Survey.

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Mike Ingram
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Ronald Holmans
Patsy Ruth Day
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Mrs. Weldon Steele
Martha McDaniel

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Gayla Albrecht
James Payne
Tom Chambers
Mrs. Dayton Sessions
Jerry Biehl
Mary Hubbard
Elizabeth Koenig
Nathan Foster
Karen Archer
A. L. Barr
Richard Clark

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Georgia Townson
Mrs. Anse Barr
Mrs. J. M. McMillan
Connie Young
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FEBRUARY 27
Thalia W. Fritz
Albert Lovell
Ella Duncan
Mrs. Houston Strong
Garland Cade
Patrick Joseph Conlee
Judy Holcomb Livingston

Lee Roy Higginbottom

FEBRUARY 28
Ricky Cavanaugh Shanks
Charlotte Bishop
Stephen Brown
Bobra Burkett
Mrs. J. T. Hodnett, Jr.
Curtis Hines
Mary Pancake
Randy Foster
W. G. Vaughn
Keith Watkins
Susan McNeel
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Mrs. Claude Foster
Joe Frendle Mullins, Jr.

FEBRUARY 29
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Debbie Ann Perry
Mrs. Dwane Gale
Tiffany Leigh Price

Coleman Man Known Here Buried Friday

E. S. Collins of Coleman, 81-year-old brother of Mrs. A. F. (Neta) Thate of Lake Brownwood and former Cross Plains resident, was laid to final rest at Voss Cemetery following 2:30 p.m. funeral services at Stevens Funeral Home in Coleman.

Officiating the final rites were the Rev. Jack Shelton and the Rev. Paul Hubbard, Coleman ministers.

Born Dec. 1, 1897 in Tarrant County, he came to Coleman County as a child and married Lettie Glazener in October, 1922, at Voss. He was a retired farmer and was a member of Voss Baptist Church.

His wife died in 1977.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Bill (Laverne) Bennett of Coleman; three sisters, Mrs. A. R. (Neta) Thate of Lake Brownwood, Mrs. Ruby Allen of Coleman, and Mrs. Syble Coleman of Fort Worth; three brothers, Vernon of Gatesville, Roy and Bill, both of Coleman; four grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

He was also preceded in death by a son, Wayne, in 1968.

PAMELA GLOVER HONORED ON BIRTHDAY THURSDAY

Pamela Glover was honored by her mother on her 6th birthday at her home Thursday, Feb. 15.

Those present to help her celebrate were Carrisa Rhea, Denise Newman, Tonya Steele, Brenda Franke, Jennifer Goble, Michelle Richardson, Kyle and Blake Foster, Eric Tyler, Kevin and Ange Purvis, Alicia, Courtney and Whitney Kirkham, Sharon and Shirley Walker and the honoree's sister Sheryl Glover. Both her grandmothers, Mrs. Ressa Glover and Mrs. Jewel Barnett were also present to help her celebrate.

Mothers present were Judy Steele, Judy Foster, Kathy Purvis, Connie Kirkham and Sharon Walker.

Phone 725-6234 to report fire in Cross Plains.

Ruth H. Miner Named To H-SU Honor List

Ruth H. Miner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reed Miner of Raymondville and granddaughter of Rev. and Mrs. Dan Applin of Route 2, Cross Plains, has been named to the dean's list at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene for the 1978 fall semester.

To qualify for the dean's list a student must have taken a full course load and made a grade of "A" in all courses.

JOHN WATSON PATIENT AT HOSPITAL IN ABILENE

John Watson of Cross Plains entered West Texas Medical Center in Abilene as a medical patient Friday afternoon. He is undergoing tests and treatment, and is expected to return home in a few days. His room number is 239.

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It is unfortunate that some government programs have been mis-managed, and mis-used. This will continue as long as they are managed by human beings that are less than perfect. However it must be noted that the same sin of covetousness "cradle to grave security" has made government agencies to help people necessary. Few of us out of love for people share of the abundance that God has blessed us with. Few of us love our neighbors as ourselves. Who is the person that buys a double portion of groceries so that they might be shared with a neighbor equally.

By one statement "Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's" Jesus implied that government has a place in the affairs of society. At least the Roman government gave stability to an unstable world which contributed to the rapid spread of Christianity in the first and second century. Nor was Paul excessively occupied with the government's short comings. He even claimed his Roman citizenship when he knew that it supported the tragic practice of human slavery. If people experienced salvation many social problems would be solved without government involvement.

Because we enjoy so many freedoms under the Constitution we tend to forget that our country was established as a Republic rather than a Democracy. In a Democratic society the majority makes the laws and enforces them. Often as in Iran the minority is put in jail or executed. In a Republic the people institute governments to make, and enforce laws that protect the minority as well as the majority. This is why a new president can be elected, why unions can strike, why farmers can go to Washington to lobby, and why churches enjoy tax shelters. The reason government doesn't always work as it was intended, may well be that too many people do too little to improve the quality of government. Only 39% of the eligible voters chose to vote in the last national election!

I am opposed to people who corrupt and use the government for their own selfish purpose, whether it is a politician, a government employee, or a person who uses legal loop holes to avoid legitimate taxes. However I support those governmental actions which improve the quality of life for all people. As a Christian I am committed to the kingdom of God and the salvation of all people. As a citizen I am responsible to vote, to pay taxes, and to help our government work for all people.

Bill Reed, Pastor
Cross Plains United Methodist Church

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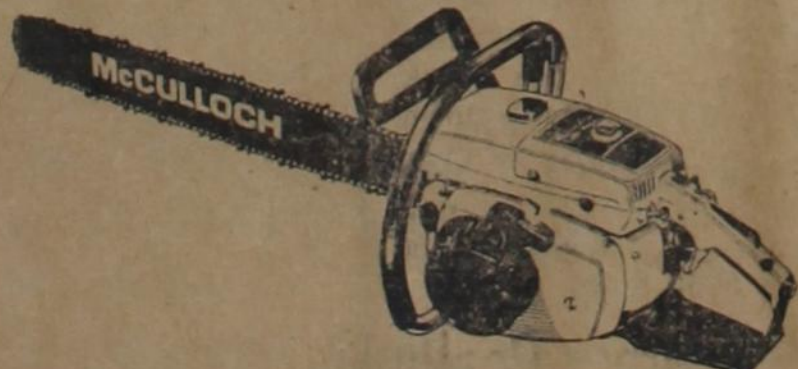
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Cottonwood News

By Alice Champion

Mrs. Opal Maxwell has been sick, unable to attend church Sunday. Do hope she is feeling better by now.

Mrs. Nova Jagers is on sick list today. Do hope all our sick ones are doing better. There seems to be a lot of flu or virus going around lately. Such drastic changes in the weather doesn't seem to help. With temperatures in the 80s Wednesday morning it was 24 degrees at 8 a.m. and by 11 a.m. bright sunshine and sleet melting fast. After all, we need all the moisture we can get. Remember last Spring when there was no enough moisture to plant gar-dens. During the sunshine first of last week, I just put out some cabbage plants. Well, since the sleet, I haven't the heart to go see how they look now.

Ethel Champion wasn't feeling well Sunday morning. Just a touch of virus, it seems.

Matt Alamilla and Norbert Byrne visited the Glenn Champions for a while. Ribar Green visited a while Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark returned from Phoenix, Ariz. last week where they were visiting their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Woodv and other friends.

Jessie Kelly has been having car trouble, so she has to stay home unless a ride comes along. Gee, I miss her, wow!

Bertha Fortune is feeling some better. Maybe when she finishes with her antibiotics she will be okay. She thinks if she

can get out in some sunshine all will be okay. More power to you, Bertha—that's the spirit.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Gullivan of Granbury visited her mother, Cornelia Sandifer and the R. T. Peevys last week.

Lorene Price says her foot is lots better. Good news — that helping at Chili Supper didn't make it worse.

Visiting Ethel Anderson last Thursday was Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson, Mrs. Loma Atwood, Vanda King and girls. Mrs. Barbra Sowell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro.

Wednesday Mrs. Ethel Anderson visited Mrs. Coretta Myrick, took lunch and they enjoyed it together, then visited Mr. and Mrs. Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nickerson of Livingston, visited the Bill Nickerson Sr. over the weekend and helped on the house the Nickersons are building.

Local Man's Brother Is Buried At Cisco

Funeral service for Shug Joel Culwell of Rising Star, 69-year-old brother of Tommy Culwell of Cross Plains, were held at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel at Rising Star.

Mr. Culwell died at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday of last week at his residence after suffering an apparent heart attack.

Officiating the final rites was the Rev. Dick Williams, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Rising Star.

Burial was in Colorado City. He was born Jan. 28, 1909 in Okra. He was a retired mechanic. He moved to Rising Star from Colorado City five years ago.

Survivors include two brothers, Tommy Culwell of Cross Plains and Willard Culwell of Georgetown; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by three brothers and a sister.

Local Lady's Mother Dies Last Thursday

Funeral for Ressie May Chambers of Rising Star, 70-year-old mother of Mrs. Tommy B. (Bertha) Conlee of Cross Plains, was held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Rising Star.

Mrs. Chambers died about 10 a.m. Thursday in an Abilene hospital after being ill a short while.

Officiating the final rites was the Rev. Dick Williams, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Rising Star. He was assisted by Audy Moore, minister of the North Main Street Church of Christ in Cross Plains.

She was born April 28, 1908 in Portales, N. M., where she married Fletcher Chambers Feb. 28, 1927. He preceded her in death May 29, 1967. A Rising Star resident 40 years, she was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Dewie Chambers and Woody Chambers, both of Rising Star; four daughters, Bertha Neumann of Midland, Roberta Conlee of Cross Plains, Tressie Basse of Sherry, Okla., and Donnie Rodgers of Gorman; two brothers, Otis Anderson and Ezra Anderson, both of Fort Worth; seven sisters, Alta Rhodes and Sally Pierce, both of Fort Worth, Ruby Parks of Denver, Colo., Ivy Townsend of Clovis, N. M., Essie Swopes of Portales, N. M., Myrtle Pepper of Fresno, Calif., and Irene Shifflett of De Leon; 21 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

A son, Delwin Chambers, also preceded her in death in 1966.

A. E. DYER LAND NEAR BAIRD DUE WILDCAT TEST

Lewis Production Co., Inc., of Abilene has spotted a wildcat project six miles north of Baird. It will be known as No. 2 A. E. Dyer.

The planned 4,450-foot test will be drilled on a 332-acre lease.

Drill site is 1,287 feet from the south and 2,407 feet from the east lines of Section 13, ETRR Survey.

RE-ENTRY NEAR BURKETT IS DUFFER DISCOVERY WELL

A Coleman County wildcat re-entry has been completed as a Duffer discovery well four miles south of Burkett.

It is M. J. Brannon of Fort Worth No. 1 J. C. Boyles, spotting 1,429 feet from the north and 230 feet from the west lines of Section 13, HT&B Survey.

Absolute, open flow was 1,550,000 cubic feet of gas daily. It had a gas-liquid, hydrocarbon ratio of 105,000-1 cf 40 gravity.

This well is producing from perforations at 3,249-97 feet, fractured with 50 sacks of sand and 220 barrels of water.

Operator set the 4½-inch casing at 3,262 feet, total depth.

It was plugged in 1958 at 3,263 feet by Western Petroleum Co.

WILDCAT OIL VENTURE WEST OF HERE IS DRY

A wildcat oil project eight miles west of Cross Plains has been termed a dry hole.

The venture, Jones Co. Ltd. No. 1-201 Gibson was drilled to a total depth of 2,552 feet. It spotted 1,786 feet from the south and 3,356 feet from the west lines of Victoria CSL Survey 201, A-512.

J. W. Stone Returned To Cross Cut Saturday

Funeral service for James William (Dub) Stone, 64, of Brownwood was held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Morelock Funeral Home.

Mr. Stone, a native of Cross Cut, died at 4:04 p.m. Thursday at a Brownwood hospital after becoming suddenly ill, apparently suffering a heart attack.

Officiating the final rites was Pat McClatchy. Burial was in the Cross Cut Cemetery.

Born May 28, 1914 in Brown County, he married Onda Elizabeth Jackson May 9, 1941, in Cross Cut. He had lived in the county all his life and was an independent oil and gas operator. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Jeanna of the home; a son, Charles William of the home; and his mother, Jennie Stone of Brownwood.

LOCAL DANCERS INVITED TO RANGER ON FEB. 24

The Eastland County Spinners will host a dance in Ranger, Saturday, Feb. 24, at the Litterer gym on S. Marston. Cross Plains and other area dancers are being invited.

You are cordially invited to attend the Opening Services.

What: Services First Assembly Of God

Where: Second Story Cross Plains Review

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Worship Service 11:00

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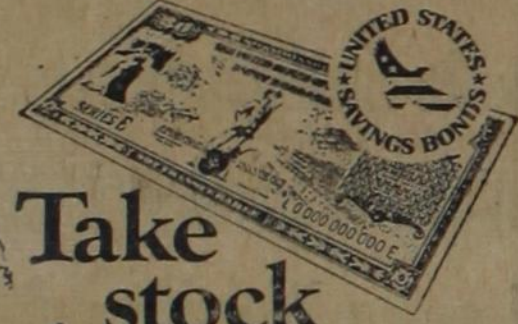
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Baldy Brings \$3,200 To Miss Jo Jo Koenig

In the past few weeks several Cross Plains FFA members have participated in two major livestock shows in Texas.

The first show was the Southwestern Livestock Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth. Keith Lawrence, Duane Hutchins and Jo Jo Koenig represented the local chapter in the junior steer shows.

The following week Duane Hutchins, Jo Jo Koenig and Sherry Koenig participated in the junior steer shows at the San Antonio Livestock Show.

Hutchins placed seventh in the Simmental Division. Sherry Koenig placed third in the Simmental Division and Jo Jo Koenig placed first in the British Cross Division. Jo Jo went on to win the champion British Cross of the Junior Steer Show.

The Koenig girls are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. (Dick) Koenig, and Hutchins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins. Lawrence is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence.

The British Cross winner, "Baldy" sold for \$3,200, and it was bought by Rodeo Times Western Wear at San Antonio.

Honor Society Inducts 4 Members Monday

The National Honor Society at Cross Plains High School inducted four new members into its membership in ceremonies in the school cafeteria Monday night.

Selected into membership were the following: James Darwin Koenig, a senior and son of Mr. and Mrs. James Oscar Koenig; Duane Hutchins, a junior and son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins; Tan Flippin, also a junior and son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Flippin, and Joe Holland, a sophomore, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Holland.

The local chapter has 14 members.

About 35 guests attended the inductions. Refreshments were served following the ceremonies.

GATHERING LINES SAID COMPLETED IN DUFFER

Local sources reported Tuesday that rapid strides have been made in the past several days concerning gathering lines for the Nicholas Duffer Field north of Cross Plains.

It was reported Tuesday morning that virtually all work has been done on the gathering lines except for the compressor by Nicholas Petroleum Co. of Abilene.

It was also reported that right-of-ways have been secured for the main line of purchaser of the gas, Odessa Natural Gas Co.

C.T.O. May Help Pay Elderly's Heat Bills

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. has received a small Emergency Energy Assistance Grant to help low income elderly who did not have sufficient funds to pay their utility bills and other bills last winter (Jan. 1, 1978 through June 30, 1978) without causing undue hardship. They are carryover funds by the Community Services Administration from last year (1977-78).

In order to be eligible for assistance, the applicant must meet the federal guidelines:

1. Must not have received assistance last year by this program.

2. Must be 60 years of age or over and must be living in a limited income.

3. Must furnish proof of income, and provide utility bills (paid or unpaid) for either last year (Jan. 1 to May 31) or current utility bills.

Fuel or utility bills are eligible for payment under this program. Also, funds may be used to buy blankets and warm clothing, temporary repairs on heaters, temporary shelter, nutrition, health and emergency house repairs.

Federal guidelines must be followed.

Application and further information may be obtained from Peggy Hilburn at the Multi-Purpose Center in Cross Plains. Applications close March 15.

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It is noted that in order to be eligible for membership in the National Honor Society a student must maintain a minimum 88 grade average and grades are averaged from the freshman year up.

Sponsors are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Isbell and Mrs. Stuart (Barbara) Sowell.

14 Plan Entries For Houston Show

Fourteen FFA members from Cross Plains will be participating in the 1979 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, Feb. 21 through March 4. With more than 27,800 expected livestock entries, the Houston show will once again be the largest in the world.

Two market steers, three market lambs and 9 market barrows are expected to be shown by Cross Plains entries according to local agriculture teachers E. L. Dodson, Jr. and Roy Richey.

Sherry and Jo Jo Koenig plan to take a steer each. Market lambs are to be taken by Ricky Rucker, Danny Lewis and Randy Golson. The other nine local entrants are to compete with market barrows. They are Duane Hutchins, Randy Golson, Janice Newman, Greg Hutchins, Billy Davis, Richard Newman, Mike Clark, Robbie Bailey, Bud McCorkle and Joe Holland.

County Fair Slated Here For Saturday

A Callahan County Fair will be held at the Home Economics Department at Cross Plains Schools Saturday, Feb. 24. Entries were open to county students.

Entries are to be brought to the Home Economics Department from 8 to 9:30 a.m. and judged starting at 9:30 in two divisions, Beginners and Junior.

First through third place ribbons will be awarded and exhibits must be picked up between 4 and 5 p.m.

Entries were accepted in seven divisions with several classes offered in most divisions.

Lil Davis Elected C.J.C. Ag Official

The Cisco Junior College Agriculture Department recently elected officers for the 1978-79 school year.

Lil Davis of Cross Plains was elected treasurer. She is a Cross Plains graduate, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Davis of Cross Plains.

Robert Donovan is the chairman for the CJC Agriculture Department.

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Rowden Sector News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

More and more cold weather over the week end and so far it is true that the Ground Hog is in his den for a few more weeks of Winter. Spring will be here one of these days to make us forget this Winter with all of its ice and snow.

Those few pretty days last week had one neighbor out working in her garden. Mrs. Tony Steel was readying her hotbed for early planting of seed. Joyce Odom had some help from her family last week to put out a tree and other plants in her yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bennett and Jason made a business trip to Oklahoma last week.

Jim Reynolds visited in the Willie Henry home during the past week.

Mrs. Sterling Odom had a short morning visit with her aunt, Mrs. Faye White, in Abilene Wednesday.

Those visiting in the Gene Mauldin home during the week were the Tim Burns family of Potosi and the Willie Masters family of Snyder.

Christine Bower of Abilene visited her sister, Mrs. Ray Boen, here one day last week.

Mrs. Tommie Harris and grandchildren, Terrel, Troy and Tonya Harris, were in Abilene last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris enjoyed seeing the Valentine Sweetheart Contest at the Cross Plains School last week. Terrel and Troy Harris were escorts in this event just started this year.

Mrs. Elveda Sikes and Mrs. Truitt Hollingshead of Abilene spent last Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Leila Gibbs.

The Bob Dye family made visits with the Frank Harrell and the Eugene Bell families Sunday.

Mrs. Tommy Dye and Douglas had supper with the Hank Bennett family on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Smithson of Abilene visited in the Gene Mauldin home recently. The two

ladies were renewing acquaintances of grade school days, and enjoyed the visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bennett and Jason attended a birthday dinner for Shannon Leverets in the Leverets' home in Abilene Sunday.

Those visiting in the James Reynolds home one night last week were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barnett of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Smedley of Clyde drove Mrs. Warren Price to Houston Monday where she will have a checkup at the M. D. Anderson Medical Center.

Range Management Meeting Is Slated

A one night meeting on range management will be held Wednesday, Feb. 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the County Courtroom at Baird. The meeting is sponsored by the Livestock and Range Committee of Callahan County in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, announces Greg Gerngross, Callahan County Extension Agent.

Dr. Bobby Ragsdale, range specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Robert Kensing, area economist from the San Angelo Research and Extension Center, will present the program.

Ragsdale will discuss current status of herbicides approved for brush control, grazing systems and carrying capacity of ranges.

Kensing will discuss cost-works for this area of the state plus profit potential of ranges under various stocking rates.

The meeting is open and all producers are invited to attend. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

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