

Music, Money Is Offered For Christmas Program

Following is a brief run-down about the upcoming Christmas Program planned for the streets of Cross Plains on Friday, Dec. 9. It's design is to encourage Christmas shopping in stores of Cross Plains, and some local shops may remain open longer hours than normal on that date to entice customers that evening during the activities.

A Aportion of that is revealed

by the Cross Plains Kiwanis Club in a brief story which follows, written by a member of that sponsoring club.

"The Kiwanis Club of Cross Plains, in cooperation with the merchants and other business people of Cross Plains have planned a Christmas program for Friday, December 9th., as was reported in last week's paper.

"Further details reported this week are that the program will start at 5:30 p.m. on the south side of the bank building and will continue until 8:30 p.m. The festivities will include Christmas carol singing by groups, individuals, duets, trios and what have you. If you know of a group or other which would like to participate in this gala event of celebration and entertainment, contact Susan McNeel at the bank or any member of the Kiwanis Club, and let them know what you would like to do. This should be a very enjoyable evening as we express our appreciation for living in a Christian Nation by singing songs and carols honoring the birth of Jesus Christ who was the beginning of Christmas and Christianity, the spokesman wrote.

"Two \$10 cash prizes will be awarded every fifteen minutes by drawing from the basket of tickets brought in from local merchants. Locals may get their chance by signing a ticket at the local merchant's store when you are there making a purchase from them. The last three intervals (six drawings) will be for \$25 each. So, shop at home and get a chance on winning \$10 or \$25, besides having a lot of fun, says the club representative.

"Mike Kelley will M.C. the program, so be there, we'll see you December 9."

Carolyn's Corner

By Carolyn Glover

The Review received a note from Mrs. Ruby Dennis Fink of Houston, Texas. It read, "As I have said before, I know very few people there now, but I am always glad to hear Cross Plains is always doing something to help others, and think of the interest that is taken to keep it clean." It was signed Ruby Dennis Fink.

Thank you Mrs. Fink for the compliment about the town and thanks for still caring about Cross Plains even though you don't know many people here any more. Also a special "thanks" from me to you for the compliment on this column.

Following is a poem that was enclosed with Mrs. Fink's note. No author was given.

His Mother's Song
Beneath the hot midsummer's sun

The men had marched all day. And now side a rippling stream Upon the grass they lay. Tiring of games and idle jests As swept the hours along. They called to one who moved apart:

"Come, friend, give us a song."

He answered, "Why I cannot please; The only songs I know Are the ones my mother used to sing

For me long years ago," "Sing one of those," one of them said,

"We are all true men here And to each mother's son of us A mother's songs are dear." Then sweetly sang the strong clear voice,

Amid the quiet calm, "Am I a soldier of the cross, A follower of the Lamb."

The trees hushed all their whispering leaves; The very stream was stilled, And hearts that never throbbed with tender memories filled. Ending this song, the singer said,

As to his feet he rose: "Thanks to you all; good night, my friends, God grant us sweet repose." Out spoke the captain: "Sing one more."

The soldier bent this head, Then smiling as he glanced around,

"You'll join with me," he said, "In singing this familiar air, Sweetest as a bugle call; 'All hail the power of Jesus' name,

Let Angels prostrate fall!" Worded the spell the old tune wrought As on and on he sang; Man after man fell into line, And loud their voices rang. The night winds bore the grand refrain

Above the tree tops tall; And everlasting hills called back One answer: "Lord of all." The songs are done, the camp is still;

Naught but the stream is heard. But oh! the depths of every soul By those old hymns was

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Cemetery Fenced Despite Setback

The new cemetery grounds in Cross Plains has been fenced in spite of nine rolls of the Chain Link fencing being stolen, and as yet unrecovered. The \$300 loss of almost a third of the 25 rolls it takes to circumvent the new land located north of the old cemetery, slowed the completion of the job. It was, however, completed November 15 at a total cost of about \$3,500, according to Jimmie Lee Payne, Cross Plains Cemetery Association president. Contractor was Homer Simons of Cross Plains.

Payne advises that even though the new cemetery is fenced, there is still much work to be done at the plot before it is opened for use, including plotting, planning and paving roadways through the cemetery.

He added that any donation to help complete the work being done will be greatly appreciated. Checks may be deposited in person or mailed to the association in care of Citizens State Bank, P. O. Box 699, Cross Plains, Texas 76443.

John Burleson, local surveyor, donated his work on the cemetery. Current officers of the association other than Payne, are Mrs. A. J. McCuin, treasurer, and Peggy Koenig, J. H. Balkum and Dale Bishop.

It was pointed out that the new cemetery site is that land formerly owned by L. E. (Looney) Johnson former longtime local resident.

3 PROGRAMS SIGN TIME FOR ASCS RUNS TO FEB. 24
The sign-up period for 1984 wheat, feed grain, and cotton programs is January 16 through Feb. 24, 1984, at the ASCS office.

Trade At Home!

Work Is Begun Here On \$410,043 Housing Unit

Plans for the new low rent housing units for Cross Plains are becoming a reality. Many months of planning and much paper work has gone into this project.

Following the pre-construction conference, which was held here at the Housing Authority office and City Hall on Friday, Nov. 4, instructions were given to proceed. The first dirt was moved to begin site preparation on Tuesday, Nov. 8. A Turnkey Contract of Sale was signed on October 1, 1983, and completion date is to be 240 days from that date.

Eight, one-bedroom units will be built on West Ninth Street just one block off Main Street, and two 2-bedroom units are to be built on East Fourteenth Street. Total development cost for the 10 units is \$410,043.

Fitch Holdredge Bisone and Holcomb, Inc. of Houston are developers and general contractor is C E N-T, Inc. of Lampasas, Texas. Representing the Dallas Area office of Housing and Urban Development will be Bill Weathers-

by, area engineer, Fred Parker, Jr. of Stephenville will be inspecting architect representing the local Housing Authority.

Mrs. Era Lee Hanke is Executive Director of the Cross Plains Housing Authority. Chairman of the board of commissioners is C. F. McNeel, Jr. Other commissioners are Mark Adair, Recie Tatom, Jimmie Lee Payne and E. L. Garrett. Twenty units are presently under management.

LOCAL LADY ATTENDS SCHOOLING FOR WOODMEN

Merle M. Pettiet of Cross Plains, Field Representative for Woodmen of the World Life Insurance Society, has been in Omaha, Neb., attending Advanced I School at the Society's home office in the Woodmen Tower.

The school emphasizes the selling of insurance for capital conservation, business insurance, plus review of life insurance fundamentals and fraternalism.

Fort Worth Columnist Pens Mighty Mites' Last Game

Editor's Note: Cross Plains Junior High School Mighty Mites recently completed the 1983 football season, and making the last and victorious final trip and game of the season with the squad was Jon McConal, brother of the team's coach, Head Coach Mack McConal, who is a writer for the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. The following article was published in the daily newspaper on Saturday, Nov. 19, 1983 by McConal.

The yellow school bus nosed off the Cross Plains campus at 3:45 p.m. sharp. Inside the bus throbbed the noise of 30 seventh and

eighth grade boys, members of the Cross Plains Junior High School Buffalo football team.

The smell of corn chips, soft drinks and athletic ointment was heavy. Bright sun from fall and the breath of a norther was still strong. Coach Mack McConal, who also doubles as a bus driver, headed the vehicle south toward Lometa, where the Hornets waited. This would be the season's last game for both teams.

The pep squad was loading onto another bus. The boys cheered. "Hey, they can ride with us," they shouted. Ha. Ha. Ha. That was funny, they said.

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3-Day Basketball Tourney Slated Here On Week End

Cross Plains High School's annual invitation basketball tournament is scheduled to be held at Buffalo Gymnasium Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 1-3. Head Basketball Coach C. E. Carmichael released a tourney

card listing eight teams seeking the championship of feminine division and a like number of units hunting the top spot in the male division of the three-day event. Action begins at 9:30 a.m. Thursday when girls teams from Carbon

and Brownwood JV collide. Contests will then be held every 90 minutes with the next game a boys match between Carbon and Cross Plains JV.

Other teams entered in the meet are Lohn, May girls, Lingleville, Sidney, Rising Star and Abilene Christian High School boys.

Three local teams will play opening day. Buffaloes will field the varsity JV squad against Carbon boys at 11 a.m., then Buffettes will test Rising Star girls at 6:30 p.m. Thursday. The Thundering Herd will round out play the first day, against Rising Star boys at 8 o'clock.

Second round elimination begins Friday morning at 9:30 continuing through 8 p.m.

Only six games are on tap Saturday as a later start, 12:30 p.m., decides the girls consolation title, followed by the male consolation diadem. After a couple of placing matches, girls championship game is to be played at 6:30 p.m. Immediately thereafter Saturday is the boys championship starting at 8 o'clock.

It was noted that special awards and team presentations will be made after the tournament is concluded. Admission to each session of the event is \$1 for students and \$2 for adults.

It was announced that the concession stand in the gym will be open during each session operated by the Athletic Booster Club, and patronage of it is urged by members of that organization.

BAND BOOSTER MEETING SET MONDAY, DECEMBER 5

Cross Plains Buffalo Band Booster Club will meet Monday, Dec. 5, at the Band Hall at 7:30 p.m., according to Wanda Flippin officer of the organization.

She said, "We hope to be making final plans for the Christmas Store." She added that we do thank each and every one, merchants and all who helped the band go to the State marching contests at Austin recently.

Trade at Home — Save Money

State Senator Ray Farabee Is Asking For Re-Election

State Senator Ray Farabee announced his candidacy for reelection to the Texas Senate representing the 30th District. The 30th Senatorial District covers a 29 county area and a part of Denton County in North Central and Northwest Texas.

"Callahan County is an important part of the 30th Senatorial District. It has been a privilege to represent this county in Austin. I would like to continue my public service for an additional four year term", Farabee said.

Farabee, a Democrat, was elected to the State Senate in 1974. The 51-year-old native of Wichita Falls is married to Helen Farabee and has two sons in college.

Senator Farabee is Chairman of the State Affairs Committee, and a member of the Legislative Budget Board, which has primary responsibility for preparation of the state budget. He also serves on the Finance and Jurisprudence Committees. He was recently appointed to chair the Select Committee on Judiciary, and to serve with Governor White, Lt. Governor Hobby and Speaker Lewis on the Fiscal Policy Committee.

During his eight years in the Senate, Senator Farabee has sponsored significant legislation which has benefited the 30th District and the State of Texas, including:

—Drug Trafficking Act, providing stiffer penalties for large-scale drug dealers;



State Senator Ray Farabee

—Teacher competency testing for improved public education;

—Laws to help agriculture and rural communities;

—Bills to strengthen child support enforcement and cut welfare costs;

—A law limiting the insanity defense.

Farabee was cited for the third time by Texas Monthly as one of the ten best legislators in Texas. In its assessment of Texas legislators, Texas Business recently accorded him "Great Honors", stating in part, "...Overall, Ray Farabee is the most effective member of the Texas Senate."

Sorority Continues To Plan On Home Parade

The local Parade of Homes is in final stages of planning by the local Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. The exciting event is scheduled for Sunday afternoon, Dec. 11, from 1-5 p.m. All interested persons may purchase tickets from any sorority member for \$5. Tourists may begin at anyone of the home and proceed to the others in the order they choose. Refreshments will be served at the Morris Odom home. Two of the featured homes are described here for public interest.

The brick structure with heavy cedar shingle roof in centered around a 900 square foot area with beam ceiling which incorporates living, dining and kitchen into one spacious room. Parquet wood floor and rough cedar trim provide a compatible decor for antique and leather furniture.

Electrical and plumbing work by Clyde and Mike Kelley, and decoration by appointments Paula Kelley created a blend of modern conveniences with country charm.

The 1950 square foot home is heated by a unique wood stove which, without blower or vents, kept the whole house comfortable last winter and burned less than one cord of wood. Cooling in the summer is assisted by ceiling fans in all major rooms.

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Also to be included in the tour are the homes of W. H. (Wimpy) McCoy at Avenue E and 11th Street and the Cliff Kirkham house just west of town.

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the three bedroom, two-bath home was designed by the owners to provide comfortable country living with an emphasis on family togetherness.

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Mail Early This Holiday Season Postman Urges

"With the holiday season upon us, we thought it useful to offer a few tips for mailing during the next few weeks. Please understand these few tips are meant to be helpful and informative to you, the consumer and Postal Customer, our No. 1 priority," says W. H. Hathman, Fort Worth CS Manager-Postmaster.

"Mail early if possible. However, since that is difficult for most of us, there are several more costly services that can compensate for the loss of time. Inquire as to the many options at any post office, but remember, the later you mail, the more it costs.

"Packing, in most cases, is a common sense item that needs little explanation, but do use sturdy boxes. Avoid flimsy shoe or candy boxes. Cushion the items with rags, shredded paper and foam. Newspaper settles and offers little cushion, but, if used use as much as possible. Also, include a piece of paper with both the addresses inside the box before you seal it. It is not necessary to wrap the box. Put the address only on the best side. Multiple addresses only slow the item.

"Tape is the single most important consideration. Pressure sensitive, nylon-reinforced craft paper, or filament pressure sensitive tapes are plentiful and highly recommended. Masking and/or scotch tapes were not meant for wrapping packages. They do not have the strength needed or the reliability expected. String is not necessary, and can certainly be a liability to the package and postal machinery.

"One caution in taping is to use as little tape as possible on the address side of the package. Postage and ink will not adhere to any slick tapes, so leave room on the front for them. Use a waterproof pen so the addresses will not smear or run, or use strips of clear tape on the addresses to protect them from the elements. Use complete addresses: apartment numbers, box numbers, lot numbers, rural route numbers, etc. Use ZIP Codes, as they certainly do move the mail.

"Let us help you with any problems. We want to help make this a joyful and safe holiday season for our community," he continued.

Local Garden Club Tips

"Planting the flowers that bloom in the spring".

Every Spring the tulips, daffodils, crocus, iris and other spring flowers begin to stick their heads up out of the ground. Those who don't have them go to their favorite nursery with thoughts of planting some early spring beauty in their yards but discover its too late. These particular bulbs are meant to be planted in the fall.

"Anybody can grow bulbs", the instructions for planting comes with the bulbs. Let me stress in planting bulbs in the fall it is essential to make sure the bulbs have been "pre-cooled". Pre-cooling gives the bulb better adaptation to the cooled ground where it will be planted. All you need to do is to keep the bulbs in the vegetable crisper of the refrigerator for four to six weeks.

Planting time for spring flowering bulbs is from the middle of October to the end of December. Bulbs should be planted in groups of three, five or seven. Stay with odd numbers. They look better. Make sure they have good drainage. It is not necessary to dig up bulbs each year. Five years is best to dig up, divide and reset them.

Work organic material into the soil to help loosen the soil. Plant bulbs no deeper than twice the diameter of the bulb. After hole is dug, add a little bone meal, then plant, water well and leave them alone.

Planting bulbs in the fall is better because "you get the greatest root growth".

Fall is such a good time to get a head start on next year's planning for Spring planting bulbs that bloom at different times during the spring. There is no reason you can't have spring color in the house all winter either, "forcing" bulbs inside is easily accomplished.

Forcing is done by selecting the bulbs you want and containers that offer plenty of room for the roots to grow. Plant the bulbs in a potting, medium, burying them about half way. They then should be watered and set in a dark cool place for four to five weeks. In that time the root systems has had a chance to develop when the shoots are about two inches tall, the plant can be set in a lighted window and should begin to flower within two to four weeks.

Garden Information Mrs. Peyton Smith

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State Capital HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams

AUSTIN — Some former legislators commented earlier this month that the time may be ripe for reform in state government, and various officials pressed forward last week with investigations of three public officials.

The headline grabber, the pre-trial testimony in the felony commercial bribery case against Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox, centered around a Houston lawyer's contention that Mattox threatened "war" unless the law firm stopped trying to question Mattox's sister in an unrelated civil case.

The senior partner of the Fulbright and Jaworski firm, J. Wiley Caldwell, also testified two of Mattox's top aides warned him the firm's municipal bond business was "in trouble" because of Mattox's dispute with the firm. Tape recordings of telephone conversations between Mattox and Caldwell also revealed attempts by Mattox to suppress the allegations of Caldwell's legal partner, Tom McDade.

"I just wanted to make sure that we didn't let a cat out of the bag here if we could help it," Mattox said on the tape.

House Ethics Probe

Meanwhile, the Texas House Ethics Committee voted last week to continue to investigate the possible misuse of state funds by Houston Rep. Ron Wilson, a leader of that chamber's Black Caucus.

The panel decided to request or subpoena persons to furnish needed records or other information.

The committee is probing Wilson's collection of almost \$17,000 in per diem expenses for approximately 13 months in '81 and '82, and records of telephone calls charged to the state on his credit card.

The phone records show some calls were charged from out-of-state towns on the same dates he collected expenses for state work in Austin.

DWI Videotape

The same Travis County grand jury which indicted Mattox has

gone over the head of its county attorney to review the dismissed DWI charge of a Terrell legislator.

The grand jury requested to see the videotape taken of Rep. Gordon Arnold, Jr. when he was arrested earlier this month.

Arnold was also charged with criminal mischief for kicking out the police car radio, to which he pleaded no contest.

The county attorney, Margaret Moore, said the videotape which showed Arnold performing various sobriety tests, would not support prosecution. After a 90-minute session, jurors said they were satisfied with the dismissal.

Appointee, Suspensions

A San Antonio newspaper reported last week that one of Gov. Mark White's appointees to the Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Education—the commission which sets police standards for the entire state—was himself suspended without pay for disciplinary reasons five times in the past year-and-a-half.

The new appointee, Ruben Cisneros, president of the Corpus Christi police union last week fined a \$10,000 civil rights suit against the Corpus Christi police chief.

Drought List

Eleven additional counties have been added to those eligible for federal disaster assistance because of the severe drought damage over the past few months.

Declared disaster areas are Borden, Cochran, Cottle, Garza, Hudspeth, Kimble, King, Oldham, Runnels, Sterling and Wheeler Counties.

Farmers and ranchers there may apply for emergency loans from the Farmers Home Administration.

Jackson Visit

Presidential candidate Jesse Jackson visited Texas churches and campuses on a five-day campaign swing through the state last week.

Jackson, a black preacher who urges self-determination for all minorities, including women, wants to form "the rainbow coalition." He visited Austin, Dallas and Fort Worth to raise funds.

Aide Wins Seat

San Antonio attorney Orlando Garcia, who served as an aide to the late State Rep. Matt Garcia, easily overwhelmed five other candidates to win the vacated House seat.

The new legislator is no relation to the late state representative who died of a heart attack Oct. 1 after serving six terms.

He captured over 70 percent of the light, special election turnout.

CJC Offers Defensive Driving Class In Dec.

As a service to the community and area Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course December 12 and 14 from 6 to 9:30 p.m. in the Science Hall Lecture room. Fee for the course is \$20.

The Defensive Driving Course is an eight-hour classroom course designed to improve driver skills and attitudes, especially in emergency situations.

Drivers who complete the training are eligible for a 10% discount on automobile insurance rates covering bodily injuries, property damage, medical payments and collision coverages. Good for three years, the discount may be renewed by retaking the Defensive Driving Course.

Enrollment fee must be paid by 3 p.m. on December 12. No late registration fees will be accepted.

For more information or to register call or come by the President's office at Cisco Junior College.

COBY RICHARDS NOTES 2ND BIRTHDAY SATURDAY

Coby Ryan Richards and friends celebrated his second birthday Saturday, Nov. 19, with a cowboy birthday cake and all the trimmings. Memaw and Jennifer Pan-cake, Neidra and James Shults, Terri and Leif Hunter, Debbie and Zachery Elington, D. D. Joseph and Jennifer Turner. They Jane, LeJean and Tom Mae Wyatt, Evelyn and T. J. Harris, Malinda and Jaden Winfrey and Jared and Mommy were there to help him celebrate. Coby says thanks for all the goodies.

For City Police or Emergency Medical Service phone 725-6666.

Nonprofit Week Now Has S.S. Coverage

Starting January 1, 1984, all employees of nonprofit organizations will be covered by Social Security. Under the old law, such employment was not covered unless the organization waived its exemption from Federal taxes including Social Security taxes. The new provision is included in the Social Security Amendments of 1983.

Newly covered persons can get Social Security retirement and survivors insurance with fewer years of coverage than normally required if they are at least 55 on January 1, 1984; and they earn a specified amount of Social Security credit after January 1, 1984. The amount ranges from 1½ years for a person who is 60 or older on that date, to 5 years for someone who is 55 or 56 at that time.

Under the old law, these organizations could end coverage if they gave 2 years notice if coverage had been in effect for at least 8 years. This is no longer allowed.

These provisions are designed to end gaps in the protection of workers who move between covered and noncovered work. In addition, they reduce the payment or windfall benefits to workers who work under Social Security and then qualify for a relatively high benefit in relation to the Social Security taxes they have paid into the system.

Local F.F.A. Chapter Team 2nd At District

The Cross Plains Chapter of Future Farmers of America has once again been active in training leadership skills teams. The Parliamentary Procedure team consisting of Matthew Burleson, Richard Creamer, Charlotte Albrecht, Kelli Hargrove, Kayla Franke, Frank Troub, Ricky White and Robert Norton placed second at District and therefore qualified for the area contest. They did not place high enough to qualify for state. The chapter also trained a Radio Skills Team, Farm Skills Team, Greenhand and Sr. and a Greenhand Quiz team.

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Walnut Brownie Cupcakes

2 1-ounce squares unsweetened chocolate	1 1/3 cups granulated sugar	1/3 cup butter or margarine, softened
1 2/3 cups all-purpose flour	2 eggs	1 teaspoon vanilla
2 teaspoons baking powder	2/3 cup milk	3/4 cup chopped Diamond Walnuts
1/4 teaspoon salt		

Melt chocolate over hot water; cool. Sift flour with baking powder and salt. Cream butter with sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in eggs, one at a time. Mix in vanilla and chocolate. Blend in flour mixture alternately with milk. Stir in walnuts. Spoon batter into 2 1/2-inch muffin pans lined with paper cupcake liners, filling about 2/3 full. Bake at 375 degrees F. for 20 to 25 minutes or just until cake tops spring back when touched lightly. Cool on wire racks. Makes about 18 cupcakes. If desired, frost with a chocolate buttercream frosting and top with walnut halves and large pieces.

School Meal Menus

The following menus will be served at Cross Plains School Cafeteria on the designated days, providing correct food is delivered, by lunchroom personnel.

Qualifying students are eligible for free or reduced meals at noon or breakfast. Noon-time meals to be served followed by breakfast list follow.

Thursday: Spaghetti carrots, peas, pear half, rolls and milk.

Friday: Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, french fries, cookies and milk.

Monday: Fish and tartar sauce, macaroni and cheese, fried okra, pineapple, cornbread and milk.

Tuesday: Corny dogs, pinto beans, spinach, chocolate cake, cornbread and milk.

Wednesday: Chicken patties, gravy, cheese sticks, mashed potatoes, green beans, cookies, rolls and milk.

Breakfast menu for the same designated days.

Thursday: Hash browns, biscuits, sausage, honey and butter, grape juice and milk.

Friday: Cereal, toast, orange juice and milk.

Monday: Oats, toast, grape juice and milk.

Tuesday: Waffles, butter and syrup, sausage, orange juice and milk.

Wednesday: Donuts, prunes, grape juice and milk.

DALLAS FIRM DRILLS OIL DISCOVERY NORTH OF HERE

Callahan County has gained an upper Duffer oil discovery well in the area eight miles north of Cross Plains.

It is Pendragon Oil Co. of Dallas No. 1 Thompson, located 500 feet from the north and 1,100 feet from the west lines of Subdivision 1, Lavaca CSL Survey 6, A-262.

Daily potential was four barrels of 39 gravity oil, plus three barrels of water. It is pumping from perforations at 3,825-30 feet with the 4 1/2-inch casing set at 4,606 feet, total depth.

Visitors during the Thanksgiving week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill included Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Walker and Randy Walker, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Golson of Cross Plains, Edgar Albrecht of Cottonwood, and Merritt's two nephews, Gayland Watts and Ralph Watts, both of Abilene.

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Burkett Items News

By Freeda Burkett

Thanksgiving Day was a happy day here for just about everyone. Most homes had members of their family for dinner, and ones not having company were out of town visiting or having dinner out on their own and spending an evening of leisure watching the football games. The weather was nice for everyone's enjoyment.

Mrs. Maurine Clark, secretary-treasurer for the Burkett-Adams Historical Association reports a donation of \$50 from L. K. Koenig in memory of their loved ones buried in the Burkett Cemetery.

Joe Burkett has bought the Burkett Areal Spraying business from his brother, Jim Burkett. He has one plane in operation and expects to have another one soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pope enjoyed a lovely Thanksgiving Day dinner in the home of their daughter and husband, Joe and Mary Nell Burkett and family.

The family of Mrs. Elbert (Lottie) Campbell, who was buried here last Wednesday, express their thanks to all their friends and relatives here for all the nice things done for them. They, along with Lillian Harris, sister of Lottie, especially appreciate the abundance of food brought to Lillian's house, the visits, words of comfort and flowers, they say "We thank all of you and May God Bless You."

Dwayne and Paula Clark, Wade and Kemp, of Abilene spent Thanksgiving Day with his par-

ents, Ivon and Maurice Clark.

Ivon and Maurine had spent the previous week end in Dallas with his parents and his sister and family.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mountain were Jack and Lovera Strickland, Bill and Shirley Hunter, Ken Hunter, Johnnie Tinney of Throckmorton and Mark and Marsha Turney of Santa Anna.

Kathryn Cravens has as her guest for a few days her great nephew, Bobby Murphy of Maryland. He is an attorney with a law firm in Washington, D. C., and was a prosecuting attorney in the Watergate Scandal. Bobby is the grandson of the late Fred Cochran and Mrs. Cochran who lives at Coweta, Okla. Wayne Newton had dinner with them Sunday evening.

Jack and Zora DeBusk had a call on Thanksgiving Day from their son, Pat, who was at Dhahran on the Persian Gulf in Saudi Arabia where he is on a business trip for Hydro Services of Houston. Jack and Zora were very happy to hear from him again. He said he expects to return home in another week or two.

Sonny Campbell, son of Mrs. Addie Newton, is hospitalized in Sweetwater Hospital being treated for a clot in his leg.

Raymond and Lucille Cross visited Jack and Zora DeBusk Saturday and they enjoyed playing some good games of 42.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Birdie Helms and Gill during the holiday week end were Mrs. Lizzie (Helms) Underwood of Rotan, Mrs. Pauline Helms of Sweetwater, and O. W. Helms of Burkett had Thanksgiving dinner with them. Others were Mr. and Mrs. Sleburn Stanley of Rising Star, Mrs. Dovey Harris and Johnnie Harris of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harris of Midland.

Mrs. Addie Newton had Thanksgiving dinner with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Walker and family of Clyde. Her grandson, Edward Walker, brought her home and spent the night. Addie had her granddaughter, Brenda Kolb of Dallas, Friday night, her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Don Newton of Kaufman Saturday evening and night and her minister, Ted Gigham Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lula Havner moved to Bangs and her friends and sister, Mrs. Raymond Jennings, will miss her very much. Lula, we do wish you happiness in your new surroundings.

Mrs. Don Newton of Forney and daughter, Sarolanne Embrey of San Antonio visited Kathryn Cravens and Wayne Newton Saturday evening.

Kathryn's great niece and husband, Terry and Bonnie (Newton) Anderson and children, Kelly and Scott, of Stillwell, Kansas and Wayne Newton had dinner with her Friday.

Bonnie and Terry and children and Wayne had Thanksgiving dinner at the Cox Ranch with Wayne's brother and Bonnie's un-

MIDLAND COUPLE KNOWN

HERE PARENTS OF SON
Rodney and Rose Smith of Midland are happy to announce the birth of their son, Aaron Michael, on November 6, 1983. He weighed 6 pounds and 12 ounces and measured 19 1/2 inches long.

Happy grandparents are Carl and Helen Smith of Lake Brownwood and George and Christine Austin of New York.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foster of Cross Plains and Eunice Smith of Rising Star.

LEONARD INGRAM REPORTED CRITICALLY ILL AT ABILENE

L. L. (Leonard) Ingram of Cross Plains is reported to be critically ill at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene, and requires constant nursing attention.

He has been a patient there for over three weeks.

He and wife, Don and Ruth Newton. The Angersons spent most of their time at the ranch.

Dick and Sharon Koenig hosted a Thanksgiving dinner at their home. Those present were Mrs. Veda DeBusk and E. L. and Lois Garrett all of Cross Plains, Mable Henson of Eastland, (Sharon's mother) Bill and Jo Davee of Burkett, Mike, Camilee and Keven, Ressie and Mary Beth Thompson all children of Freida Bell (Koenig) Hood of Houston. Mary Beth and husband Melton and children, Welton and Amy Jo were from Odessa. Children of Dick and Sharon present were Susie and Jim Stephenson and children Lindsey and Miken of Fort Worth, Joe and Sherry Kemp of Burkett rural and Sam, Kim and JoJo of the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Adams, Doug and Brandi spent Thanksgiving Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Sofge of Locker, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pope plan to leave in about a week for North Carolina to visit a few weeks with their son and wife, Burnie and Marilyn Pope and children. They will be with them through the Christmas holidays.

Freeda Burkett spent Thursday of last week near Millersview with her sister and husband Clint and Cysaire Edgar. She had spent Wednesday at Zephyr with her other sister and husband D. A. and Celesta Young and two nieces and husbands, Audie and Marsha Pinson and 7 month old son Bryan of Zephyr and her sister and husband, Jeery and Janet Smith and two daughters, Shannon and Lisa Ann of Little River near Temple. They all met in the Pinson home.

Mildred Angeley of Lake Brownwood visited Bill and Jo Davee Sunday. She and Jo spent some time in the afternoon visiting Hap and Ethel Bearden and Jack and Zora DeBusk.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Adams had a Thanksgiving dinner at their home Friday. Those present were Bruce and Betty Adams, Rickey and Carolyn Adams and children Doug and Brandi, Andy Dale Young, Kenneth Thatte, all of Burkett and Jim Morris of Fort Worth.

Visitors with Velma Ester, Dan Byars Monday to Wednesday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Croy of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle P. Driskill of New Orleans, Louisiana.

Visiting Raymond and Mintie Jennings Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jennings and children Marc, Jamie, and Amy of New Orleans, La., Mr. and Mrs. Randy Jennings and children Jill and Randy Jr. of Sheppard Air Force Base, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hutchins and boys Jeff, Bennett, Wesley and Brent of Bangs, Mrs. Nora Jennings, Evelyn Williams and Clinton Copeland of Coleman and Edith Copeland of Bangs.

Visiting with the D. R. Goulds over the Thanksgiving week end were Linda Dodgen, Jackie, Melinda and Jackie's friends Johnny Pricer and Lane Westerfield from Crawford, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Turney of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tinney and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lat Mountain.

Visitors in the Buddy Thate home over the holidays were their son Bill and two children Bill Jr. and Susan and one of Bill's friends Steve Black of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mrs. Susie Vinson, son Ken and daughter Shanna of Abilene. Mrs. Callie Swafford of Cross Plains, Mrs. Lillie Boyett of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knotts of Kansas City, Mo.

The boys hauled and sawed up a load of wood for Granddad before leaving on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thate attended the parade and had supper with the Lions Club in Coleman Saturday night.



Ms. Darrell Scott Dullnig

San Antonio Girl Marrys Nov. 12 In Trinity Chapel

Cheri Lynn Gray and Darrell Scott Dullnig were married during a November twelfth ceremony at Trinity University's Margarite B. Parker Chapel. Roy Osburn and Rev. Vernon Breitkreutz officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald William Gray of San Antonio, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar William Gray of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Mansel Boyd King of San Antonio, former long-time residents of this city.

The bridegroom is the son of Col. and Mrs. Adolph Cleveland Dullnig of San Antonio.

Miss Robin Mangold of San Antonio served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Shelly Gray and Miss Susan Gray, sisters of the bride, Mrs. Karen Frausto, sister of the groom, Mrs. Menielle Smith of Cleburne, Texas, and Mrs. Jhonette Fewell of San Antonio. The flower girl was Miss Amber Frausto, niece of the groom.

David Dullnig of San Antonio served as his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Roy Richards, Jr. of San Antonio, Glenn Grosenbacher of San Antonio, Scott Walker of Bolling Brook, Illinois, Dean Rucher of Midland, Texas, and Terry Sandlin of Bedford, Texas. The ushers were Carl Howard of San Antonio, and Ken Lindsay of Waterbury, Connecticut. The ringbearer was Marshall William Delavan, second cousin of the bride.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a beautiful

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es, and fitted torsos. The flower-girl wore a formal of light rose with a headpiece fashioned after the bridesmaids.

The groom wore a tuxedo with a charcoal gray cutaway coat and pinstriped slacks. The tuxedos worn by the groomsmen, ushers and ringbearer were charcoal gray strollers with pinstriped slacks.

Soloist for the ceremony was Mrs. Dotsy Dwyer of San Antonio.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Oak Hills Country Club.

The rehearsal dinner at San Francisco Steak House, was hosted by the groom's parents.

Mrs. William C. Gibson hosted the bridesmaid's luncheon at Scrivener's Tea Room.

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Pioneer News Items

My Gail Flippin

Thanksgiving holiday visitors with Pete and Jean Fore were Paul and Juneta Harlow of Pioneer, Vi Harlow of Marble Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huntington of Bushman, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Polly Huntington of Plainview, and Zella Blackburn of Cisco.

Several in the community are sick with colds and the flu. Hope they are feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Jackson ate Thanksgiving dinner at his mother's in May. There were 23 of the Jacksons there.

Friday Lillian visited in Clyde with her daughter and family, the Sheldon Francys.

Those visiting Gladys and Bill Sessums were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sessums and Tim Talbot all from Lubbock.

Winnie Flippin has returned home after spending a week in the Gorman Hospital and a week at her daughter's (Wanda Cloud) home in Early.

Those visiting in the E. J. Flippin home over the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rutledge of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Tan Flippin of Stephenville and Ronnie Flippin and Linda of Tyler.

The Flippins spent Thanksgiving Day at Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrs home in Early. Seventeen were present there for Thanksgiving dinner.

Tan Flippin killed a turkey while he was home.

Mrs. Jack Watkins and Jimmy Lee Payne visited with Ethel Brown recently.

Velma Brown ate Thanksgiving dinner with Ethel.

Ethel spent the day Friday with Cora Howland.

Ethel accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Tilton to Cottonwood to help the A. C. Halsells celebrate their 60th Wedding Anniversary.

Those visiting with E. J. and Grace (Eakin) Hierholzer over the Thanksgiving holidays were Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Tany Hierholzer and son, Scotty, and Mr. and Mrs. Logan Horne all of Kilgore, Texas; also Mr. and Mrs. David Hierholzer of Laird Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Melton of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hierholzer and daughter Denna, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Alexander and Mrs. Ann Alexander all of Fort Worth, Bill and Elvete of Lake Brownwood and locals Gretie Maude Powell, E. M. Curry and John Miller.

Grace has been taking over for Ruby McCowen during her absence, at the Cross Plains Nursing Home. Also she has been playing the piano, and singing with the Curry Trio at the Rising Star Nursing Home.

Those having supper Saturday night and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Parsons were Truett's brother, Thomas, and his wife, Ruth Parsons, and children, Billy, Nancy, Tommy, Albert, Sharon, David and Naomi. They are all from Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Don Parson and sons, Travis and Warren, Eddie Carl Champion, and Elizabeth and Ronny Scott had Sunday dinner with Truett and Lillian.

Last week's visitors with Alma and Josie Morris were Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown, Junior, Wesley and Tammy and granddaughter, Brittony, Mrs. Cathy Foster and sons, Shan and Joshua, Mrs. Melba Cathy, Emma Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Dub Morris, Bert and Jeffrey of Stephenville; David Turner of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mitchell. Laouetta Rankin and her Sunday School Class at Pioneer Baptist Church visited with Alma and Josie Morris Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. C. Halsell will write the news next week. Call her at 725-

6458, as early in the week as possible, please.

Tommie Monsey Dies Suddenly On Nov. 24

Tommie Victor Monsey, 45, of Mercury, former Cross Plains resident, died at 4:45 p.m. Thursday (Thanksgiving), of an apparent heart attack at the home of his mother in Cross Plains.

Funeral was held at 11 a.m. Saturday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

David Williams, Baptist minister from Denton, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Burlie W. Taylor, Baptist minister from Cross Plains. Burial was at Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born Oct. 17, 1938, in Cross Plains, he worked as a farm and ranch foreman.

He was preceded in death by his father and a sister.

Survivors include three sons, Tommie Jr. and Kenneth, both of Luling, and Vollie of Stephenville; a daughter, Mary Lancaster of Luling; his mother, Evelyn Monsey of Cross Plains; a brother, Jackie of Cross Plains; two sisters, Lora White of Rising Star and Betty Rust of Fort Stockton; and a granddaughter.

Pallbearers were J. H. Balkum, Bill Hedrick, Mike McClure, Sr., Harold Hinkle, Ted McKeehan and Garmond Parrish.

Beef Cattle Parley At Baird Thesday

A beef cattle meeting will be held Tuesday, Dec. 6, at 6:30 p.m. in the U-U Steakhouse at Baird, according to Greg Gerngross, Callahan County Extension Agent. The meeting will include a meal sponsored by Donnell Ag Products, Ral-Gro and American Cynamid Co.

Several topics will be included on the program. They are results of hay ammoniation demonstration, implanting of stocker calves, internal and external parasite control.

Producers wanting to attend the meeting need to call the County Extension Office at (915) 854-1518 prior to 9 a.m. Monday, Dec. 5, to make reservation for the meeting. The meeting room will accommodate only 40 people so producers should call early, says Gerngross who headquarters in the courthouse at Baird.

NOTE OF THANKS

To our children and grandchildren who worked hard to make our Anniversary Party possible; to our many friends who came and made it a success; to the Cottonwood people who let us meet in their Community Center; to everyone who helped in any way we say THANK YOU. To the Presbyterian Church for the beautiful lamp and to all who brought gifts and cards of Good Wishes we are indeed grateful. Thanks also to The Review Staff and other local Newspaper editors, who announced our Party. May the Lord Bless You.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl and Mabel Halsell

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CARD OF THANKS Thank you all for the flowers, food, calls, and for the kind deeds shown me and any other member of the family, caused by the passing of Bertie Jane Lee, Special thanks go to Rev. Burlie W. Taylor, all the staff of the Nursing Home and to Frances Wolf. We love you all. Myrtle Burkett

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Final Rite Said For Bertie Jane Lee, 84

Funeral service was held at 3 p.m. Saturday at Cross Plains Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel for Bertie (Bert) Jane Lee, 84-year-old member of a longtime local family who died at 4:50 p.m. Friday at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home after a long illness. She was the sister of Myrtle Jennings of this city.

Officiating the final rite was the Rev. Burlie W. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born April 6, 1899, in Tennessee, she worked on the family ranch, just northeast of this city. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include a sister, Myrtle Burkett of Cross Plains; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Pallbearers were Billy Porter, Pat McNeel, E. F. Odom, Bobby Jack McCowen, James Oscar Koenig and Jimmielee Payne.

SURPRISE SHOWER IS TO HONOR MICHAEL CLARKS

Friends are invited to attend a "surprise" wedding shower honoring Sgt. and Mrs. Michael Clark on December 10, at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

A reception for the family and any one who wish to visit the couple will follow the shower.

Great Show Doesn't Bring Band Victory

By Connie Kikham

Cross Plains you can be proud! The Buffalo Marching Band did a "great performance at State UIL Competition. We want to thank all of you who had a part in helping charter the buses and those who went as sponsors. We do appreciate you!

I don't know of any school who has a finer group of young people than Cross Plains. They acted and performed in a way that made us very proud of them.

If you've questioned how our band can put on such fantastic performances and not win state? Then let me shed a little light on this. It's hard for a band with 60 members to compete with bands with 100 members. This in no way, takes away the fact that our band is the best they can be... So let's be proud. Let's bloom where we're planted. Let's love and support our band and encourage them to be the best they can be.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Watson of Houston visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and Aunt Pearl. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Phelix Watson of Abilene, Vera Pearl Bunnell and Esther Johnson of Cross Plains.

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NATIONAL HOME HEALTH WEEK SET NOV. 7-DEC. 3

Plans have been announced for the week-long celebration of National Home Care Week slated for November 27 through December 3 by Nancy Clark, R.N. director of Eastland Manor Home Health Service, at Eastland.

The week has been set aside to pay tribute to the thousands of dedicated individuals throughout America whose efforts allow more than two million elderly, infirm, disabled or drying persons to receive the health and social services they need in the comfort and privacy of their own home. These home care workers include registered nurses, physical, occupational and speech therapists, medical social service workers and home health aides.

Abilene Area Pecan Show Set For Dec. 1-2

The Abilene Area Pecan Show will be held December 1 and 2 at the Westgate Mall in Abilene. Callahan County producers and homeowners are invited to enter one or more varieties of pecans. Pecans must be delivered to the Westgate Mall by noon on December 1 or they may be left at the County Extension office located in the Courthouse in Baird.

Pecans must be entered in the name of the producer who grew the pecans, and entries in the papershell division are limited to one variety per family. There is no limit on the number of seedling or native varieties that a producer may enter. It takes 42 nuts to make an entry.

There is also a baked food division that homemakers can enter with a food that includes pecans as part of the recipe.

For more details on the pecan show or the baked food division, please contact the County Extension Office at (915) 854-1518, Greg Gerngross, agent.

O.E.S. Yule Supper, Meeting Set Dec. 5

Members of Cross Plains Chapter No. 455 Order of the Eastern Star, are urged to attend the meeting Monday, Dec. 5, at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall.

After the meeting the annual Christmas salad supper will be served. This year, members voted to make contributions to the love fund, instead of the usual gift exchange.

Mrs. Myrlene Reese of Comanche, newly appointed Deputy Grand Matron of District 3, will be present for her official visit to the Chapter.

Bring a salad and plan to attend for an evening of good fellowship. Contributions of fruits, nuts or other goodies for the annual Christmas boxes for shut-in members may be brought to the Hall that evening. Members who do not attend the meeting may leave their contributions at the home of Syble Worthy.

Visiting Eastern Stars are always welcome to attend.

EDWARD BRADFORDS WELCOME YOUNG DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bradford of Waco are happy to announce the birth of a daughter, Velissa Dean, born Sunday, November 20, at 1:49 p.m. in Hillcrest Hospital in Waco. She weighed 7 pounds, and was 19 inches long at birth. Welcoming her home were a sister, Ferrah, age 7, and a brother, Edward Jr., age 4.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ike Neal of Cross Plains, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradford of Waco.

AARP MEETING IS SLATED FOR MONDAY, DEC. 5

The local chapter of AARP will meet Monday, Dec. 5, at the Multi-Purpose Center. Business meeting will be held at 11 a.m. with installation of new officers by Mrs. Roy Carter of Visco, Assistant State Director.

A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon followed by a film, "Standing up for America".

LAWRENCE LEE'S HOME HOSTS KIN THANKSGIVING

Those enjoying Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Lee and 2 children of Pioneer were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee and two of their grandsons, Robert and Jimmy Ann, all of Cross Plains, Pauline Regan, Dick Goldman, Ralph Lee and James Nelson all of Pioneer.

Edith Nelson Hinesly, daughter of Mrs. Regan, called to wish her mother and brothers a Happy Thanksgiving.

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Funeral For U. Wilson Held At Van Nov. 23

Service for Mrs. Urla Wilson, 78, of Van were at 3 p.m. Sunday at Hilliard Funeral Chapel at Van with the Rev. Allison Cambre officiating.

Mrs. Wilson died Saturday in a Van nursing home after a lengthy illness.

She was born July 28, 1905, in Tinwell, Ill., and had lived in Van for the past 20 years.

Mrs. Wilson was a housewife and also a member of the Van Methodist Church.

W. J. Garrett, Jr., M.D. of Van, added the following: "Urla was a resident of Rowden for a number of years before moving to Lindal, then to Van. Her husband, Mr. Tom Ray Wilson, is a son of one of the pioneer residents of Cross Plains, Mr. W. T. Wilson. He had a furniture store there in town for a number of years."

Survivors include her husband, Tom Ray Wilson of Van; two cousins, Mrs. Arlena Robow and Dick McMinimy, both of Chaunte, Kansas; one nephew, W. J. Garrett of Denton; and a number of other nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were R. A. Gabriel, Stenton Richardson, Wright Smith, Dale Ragain, Lloyd Cook and Dave Fife.

LOCAL LADY ENJOYS FEAST AT BO ALLEN HOME IN MAY

Mrs. Kate Watson of Cross Plains accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hood of Snyder to a Thanksgiving feast in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bo Allen of May where the Allens entertained others including their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Emory Allen and Shana and Bo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boots Allen all of May, and the Bo Allen's daughter, Tanya Allen of Decatur, who is a youth dietitian counselor there.

Mrs. Hood (Laverne Fleming) and Mrs. Allen (Pat Fleming) are nieces of Mrs. Watson.

ASCS LISTS MAJOR POINTS OF FEED-GRAIN PROGRAM

Major provisions of 1984 ASCS Feed Grain Program are: (1) an acreage reduction of 10% of 1984 base; (2) maximum permitted of 90% of 1984 base; (3) target prices of \$3.03 per bushel on corn, \$2.88 per bushel on grain sorghum; (4) national average loan rate of \$2.55 per bushel on corn and \$2.42 per bushel on grain sorghum; (5) no PIK program for 1984.

ASCS COUNTY VOTING UNDERWAY BY MAIL

Ballots were mailed to all known ASCS eligible voters November 23rd and must be returned by December 5th. Any eligible voter that fails to receive a ballot should request one from this office. The County Committee will count the votes December 8th beginning at 9 a.m., and the County Convention will be held on December 15th at 9 a.m. in the county office. Anyone who wishes to witness the counting of the votes or attend the convention is welcome.

Local Sorority Enjoys International Dinner

The Alpha Rho Zeta Chapter of Eta Sigma Phi met Monday evening, Nov. 14, in the home of Kathy Word. An International Dinner with delectable dishes from different countries was enjoyed by members and guests. Some of the members were attired in the styles and traditions of the different countries.

An interesting and informative program on home decorating and furnishing was presented by Cremona Cox. Plans for the Parade of Homes which will be on December 11 were finalized.

Prospective pledges who attended the meeting to get acquainted with the members and learn more about the sorority were Nora Odum, Susan Sharpe, Paula Kelly, Sandra Crockett, Vicki Johnston and Bobby Johnston.

Members who attended were Connie Swift, Kathy Word, Dora Smith, Debra Childers, Mary Dunn, Dorris Domy, Janice Phillips, Lou Parrish, Pill Key, Wanda Merryman, and Ann Long.

Mrs. Callie Swafford spent Thanksgiving Day in Burkett with Buddy and Neita Thate and family. On Saturday Bill Slate, Neita's son, his son and a friend of Oklahoma City visited Mrs. Swafford here. Other visitors in the local lady's home included her sister, Mrs. Lillie Mae Bovette of Eastland, another daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knott of Blue Ridge, Mo.

CROSS CUT CEMETERY GETS MEMORIAL \$10 DONATION

O. B. Byrd reported a \$10 donation to the Cross Cut Cemetery in memory of Dustin Winfrey, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Winfrey of this city. The donation came from Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Slaughter.

Persons wishing to make donations to the cemetery may mail them to Mr. Byrd, Route 2, Cross Plains, Texas 76443.

Donations will be published periodically in columns of this newspaper.

C. G. HUTCHINS FOLK AT HOME THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. (Tuff) Hutchins had as visitors over the Thanksgiving holidays, Rev. Joe Bentley and two children of Salado, Bertha V. Bentley of Cross Plains, David and Larue Williams, Darren and Shona Bea, of Denton, C. G. Hutchins of Oplin, Ronnie and Ruth Hutchins of Eldorado, Jay and Beverly and children, Kelly and Kevin of Brady, and Jim and Bertha Lee Calderon, Jaime and Miguel of San Antonio.

Joe Bentley is a Methodist pastor in Salado, and David Williams is the minister of youth and music and assistant pastor at old Alton Baptist Church in Denton.

Sorority

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appeared in last week's paper revealed the Baums added two bedrooms and a bath about 10 years later after the structure had caught fire.

The McCoy's have owned the house for seven years and have made major changes on the outside. The garage was made into a game room, and they added a carport, but the inside remains basically the same except for adding carpeting and doing painting.

Cub Scouts Hold Pack 281 Meeting Tuesday

Cross Plains Cub Scout Pack 281 held its November meeting Tuesday evening at the First United Methodist Church.

The Cub's genius kits were judged and 1st, 2nd and 3rd place ribbons were awarded. The categories and winners were: Most Imaginative-1st Johnny Pointer, 2nd Bill Steele and 3rd Dustin Hin yard; Best Workmanship-1st Jason Fortune and 2nd Chris Hamer; Most Artistic-1st Trey Fortune, 2nd Steve Kroen and 3rd Gene Fortune; Most Unusual-1st Rodney Rudloff, 2nd Brandon Smith and 3rd Joshua Harrell; Most Materials Used-1st Billy Brown, 2nd Michael Cowan and 3rd Billy Walker.

Ten Cubs advanced in rank and were presented various badges and awards by Cub Master, Bobby Davis. The Cubs who earned their Bobcat badge are Michael Cowan, Chris Hamer, Gene Fortune, Trey Fortune and Jason Fortune from Den 3; Johnny Pointer, Billy Brown, Brandon Smith and Rodney Rudloff from Den 1. Billy Walker and Billy Brown earned their Wolf badge and each was also presented with the First Year Service Pin.

The Cubs presented with blue scarves were Jason Fortune, Billy Brown and Billy Walker.

Frankie Letney, Leader of Den was presented with her 3-year Service Pin.

The Cubs and Leaders of Pack 281 would like to express sincere appreciation to Ozella Huddleston for her help with the Pack meeting.

We would also like to say "Thank You" to all the parents whose attendance helped, and made our Pack meeting a success.

GRACE REID HOME HOSTS GUESTS FOR THANKSGIVING

Grace Reid's home in Cross Plains hosted the following guests Sunday, Nov. 27, during the Thanksgiving week end: S. V. and Fobbie Sox of Roscoe; Regena, Jored and Brander Bose of Abilene; Agnes Cain Reil, also of Abilene; Randy Cave of San Angelo; Wanda Cave of Cross Plains; Jesse Sanders of San Angelo; Tommie and Dorothy Reid of Decatur; Darla Reid of Denton College; Debbie Reid of Decatur; John and Allie Moulder of Weatherford, and Jonece Moulder also of Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Butler of Ardmore, Okla., spent Thanksgiving with his mother here, Mrs. Carl Marsh, and Mr. and Mrs. Huey Wigington and Mr. and Mrs. Randal Wiginton of Abilene.

Local Cage Team Lose 3 Of 4 Opening Tilts

Varsity Cross Plains Buffaloes escaped with the lone win as four local basketball teams opened the season Tuesday of last week at Sidney.

Bisons claimed a 61-32 victory in final game Tuesday of last week after Sidney hosts had won three games.

Buff male JV fell 45-16 and female JV dropped a 49-21 score. Buffaloes Jeff McCoy, 19, and Terrell Harris and John Fred McWilliams, hitting 14 each, led 33-23 at halftime enroute to the 61-32 win.

A. Thompson and D. Strenoth scoring 14 and 10 respectively, lost to the Sidney girls 61-43, after Buffettes were trailing 35-23 at halftime, in the curtain raiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Clark, Jung and Scott and a friend, Troy Finley of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robinson and son, Brian, of Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark Sunday. Scott Clark and Troy Finley spent Friday night with Scott's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark.

The Clarks received a phone call from their daughter, Mrs. Jenie Woody of Phoenix, Arizona on Saturday.

Mrs. W. F. Woody of Cross Plains had her children home for Thanksgiving. They include Dorothy Woody of Dallas, Nelda and Gene Wilcoxon of Briggs and Minnie Woody of Abilene. Grandchildren visiting were Thaila Fritz and son, David of Clyde, Marvin Wilcoxon of Cisco, Johnny and Kathy Gonzales and baby of Abilene and Rhonda Fritz of Austin.

TSCS LISTS PROVISIONS OF '84 COTTON PROGRAM

Major provisions of the 1984 Cotton Program are (1) an acreage reduction of 25% of 1984 base; (2) maximum permitted of 75% of 1984 base; (3) target price of 81 cents per pound; (4) national average loan rate of 55¢ per pound; (5) no paid diversion and no PIK program for 1984.

ALBERT LOVELLS HOSTS TO THANKSGIVING GUESTS

Guests in the Albert Lovell home at Baird Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fore of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Falkner of Lake Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cowan of Cross Plains; Mrs. Hubert Gassiot, of Curriagan; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Magee and daughter, Amanda, of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Al Lovell, Bryan and Amber, of Paint Rock, and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Wallace, and Pascal and Cindy, of Odessa.

Hosts were Albert, Dorothy and Bobby Dean Lovell.

Tracy Long of Snyder visited here last week end with his grandmother, Zelda Long, N. L. and Ann Long and other relatives.

Visiting with Mrs. Etha Sessions recently were her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Withgott from Woodward, Okla.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill during the past week included Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Walker, Randy Walker Robert Hargrove, L. A. Richardson, A. L. Breeding, Collis Eager, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cade, all of this community, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson of Oregon, Howard Shanks of Big Spring, the Dill's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dill of Irving and grandson, Brandon Holcomb, also of Irving.

NOTICE

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THANKS,

Ray Purvis

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We welcome Mrs. Sharon Newman as our new manager and Lorrie Newman as weekend manager. Come by and visit them.

We will have new hours through the Winter months. The new schedule of hours we will be open is:

WEEKDAYS 7:00 A.M. — 6:00 P.M.
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 John D. Montgomery
 Mark Bland
 Jerry Whiteside
 Craig (Penrod) Rogers
 Arlie Thate
 Darrell Lynn Dillard
 Mrs. Ira Calhoun
 Pamela McCowen
 Stephen Farmer
 Wilda Holland
 Vanda Livingston

DECEMBER 2
 Pat Vaughn Cox
 Faye Marie Chambers
 Harold Garrett
 Marilyn Maria Perry
 Mrs. Marla Gunn
 Rex Lee Beggs
 John Long
 Benny Callaway
 Darrell Collier
 Jessica Hernandez
 Tracy Erwin

DECEMBER 3
 Bill Sipes
 Mary Frances Walker
 Dana Jean Dimitri
 Marvin Cade
 Mrs. J. D. Moore
 Bobby Porter
 Darin Apple

DECEMBER 4
 Michael Duane Franke
 Mrs. Vida Waldrop
 Paul Perkins
 Rhonda Wilcoxon Fritz
 Wayne Bishop
 Scott Odum
 Leelan Nunn
 Larry Blankenship
 Judy Casey
 Lynn Hutton
 Clifton Bay Kirkham

DECEMBER 5
 R. T. Peavy
 Bobby Harris
 Darwin Breeding
 Annette Roberts
 Kathy Sohns Davies
 Jenna Kay Teague
 Cheryl Ann Franke
 Jimmy Glenn Kelly
 Mary Ann Reed
 Mindy Melissa Watson
 Jeffery Calhoun

DECEMBER 6
 Debbie Havens
 Johnny Johnson
 Mrs. J. E. (Eddie) Wood
 Debbie Jean Gosnell
 Phillip Perry

By **Lessie Baum**
 Our quilting club did not meet this week as our quilting day was on Thanksgiving.
 Jessie and Eric Carter had their children and grandchildren Wednesday night and Thursday. They were S. E., Wanda and Jamie Braly from Haskell, Roy, Connie and Shaun Carter from San Angelo, Jeff and Rhonda Braly from Rule. Lessie and Jim Baum visited them Thursday.

James Baum returned home to Round Rock after spending several days with Jim and Lessie Baum. Other visitors with the Baums were Jessie Carter, Linda Pringle, Eunice Pointer, Jay Kirkham and J. A. Wilson from Roswell, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Logan Long and son.

Carroll, Linda, Terri and Steven Pringle spent Thanksgiving day with his mother Gladeene Pringle in Abilene. She had 21 children and grandchildren for dinner.
 Jim and Lessie Baum visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thate Tuesday afternoon.

Ava Lee Swain returned Saturday from Fort Worth after spending several days with her brother Buddy and Edith Baker. She also visited Bobby and Mildred Baker and Linda and Allen Powell and daughter. They all had Thanksgiving dinner at Buddy's and Edith's.
 Mr. and Mrs. Mike Turner and children from Morgan Mills spent the week end with Kathryn Wyatt.
 Jessie Carter and Lessie Baum spent Monday in Brownwood shopping.

Guests during the holidays with Jay and Myrtle Kirkham were David, Gayla Dickey and Kelli from

Frances Mote
 Katerina Ring
 Shawn Weathermon

DECEMBER 7
 J. A. Kirkham
 Mamie Webb
 Mrs. Anne Burris
 Michael Dean Wilson
 Roy Richey
 Jim McDonald
 Estaline Gilmore
 Allan Clark
 Glen Lawrence
 Maurine Strahan
 Jimmie Reynolds
 Mrs. James Nichols

Azle. A nephew Happy Warshburn from Anson, a son J. A. and Lorene Wilson from Roswell, Don, Frances and Juanita Thornton, Cecil and Neomi Wilson, Tommy, Pam Phillips and Carey, Jim and Melenda Nowell and two sons and Ava Lee Swain.
 Carroll, Linda Pringle, Terri and Steven spent the day and had dinner with Jim and Lessie Baum Saturday.

Eunice Pointer, Geneva Belle, Pam Love and children were shopping in Brownwood Saturday. Visiting during the holidays with Eunice and George Pointer were her brother Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Horton from Fort Worth. Also her brother Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Horton from Lake Whitney, Geneva Belle, her daughter Pam Love, Tori and Tifney from Clear Lake, Margarete Pointer, Kristy, Kari and Johnny, Kandy Jones from Dallas, her grandmother Jones from San Antonio and also her Aunt.

Kathryn Wyatt had Thanksgiving dinner with her son, Lester Melvin and Betty Wyatt and family. She spent the night with Tony Gill and Terri Jane Wyatt and children and had supper with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner.
 Johnny and Marlene Cowan and children from Hawley had Thanksgiving dinner with her prents W. M. and Mildred Stansbury. They also visited his parents, E. L. and Mable Cowan.

Jack and Sharon Fry and children from Abilene spent Saturday with her parents, W. M. and Mildred Stansbury.
 We wish to express our sympathy to the Burt Lee family and also the Monsey family.

Family Land Heritage Families Are Honored

Austin — Thirteen family farms and ranches from eight counties in the 30th District were presented in a ceremony held at the State Capitol for the Family Land Heritage honorees, said Senator Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls.
 "I am pleased that the Department of Agriculture each year honors the spirit of our farmers and ranchers, both past and present. Texas owes much to the pioneers who struggled against elements and other adversities to build the foundations of the state. We owe them, and their hard-working descendants, a debt of gratitude," Farabee said.

The basic requirements of the Family Land Heritage program include continuous agricultural production on the farm or ranch for 100 years, land ownership within the family, complete operation or supervision of the farm/ranch production by family members who are Texas residents and and a land area of at least 10 acres with a minimum income of \$50 from farm or ranch products. If the farm or ranch is smaller than 10 acres, sales must equal or exceed \$250 per year.

"The stringent requirements of this program are not easy to fulfill, and I think that the number of new honorees from our area indicates the strong heritage of the 30th District. These families, and everyone affiliated with the farms and ranches, should be extremely proud of this honor," Farabee added.

The farms and ranches are located in Bowie, Callahan, Cooke, Jones, Montague, Throckmorton, Wichita and Wilbarger counties. Owners of the farms and ranches honored are: Mrs. Sibyl Haralson Lutz, William Salathiel McCright, "Love the Land" Ranch, 1879 (Bowie County); Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Johnson, Lowell Johnson Ranch, 1883 (Callahan County); Mrs. Mallie Johnson, Mallie Johnson Ranch, 1883 (Callahan County); Ples M. and Aline Ray, J.J. Ray Farm, 1882 (Callahan County); Mr. and Mrs. Edward Floyd Carson, Carson's Corner Farm, 1880 (Cooke County); Cecil W. Bean Farm, Bean Farm, 1883, (Jones County).

And: Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Reynolds and Mrs. Orville W. tague County); Mrs. Lurline Howard, Samuel E. Howard Ranch, 1882 (Montague County); J.C. Irwin, Jr., J.C. Irwin, Jr. Ranch, 1881 (Throckmorton County); Floyd Scott May, Beulah Francis May Ranch, 1883 (Wichita County); Mrs. Beulah Francis May Thompson, Parker Ranch, 1883 (Wichita County); John Warren Williamson, Williamson Farm, 1882 (Wichita County) and John W. Ayers Ayers Ranch, 1883 (Wilbarger County).

Review Orders Stamp Pads
 Phone 725-4234 to report fire in Cross Plains.



TO BE MARRIED — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnes announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jamie Kay Barnes, to Ricky Wayne Apple, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Apple of Cross Plains.
 The wedding vows are to be said at the First Baptist Church here on the 29th of December. Grandparents of the bride are Gladys Barnes of Cross Plains and Octa Orr of Coleman.
 Ricky was a 1979 graduate of Cross Plains High School. Jamie is a senior at Cross Plains High School currently.

BROWN COUNTY FIELD TEST DUE ON O. B. BYRD LAND
 A Brown County regular field project will be drilled 10 miles southwest of Cross Cut as Pierce Western from San Angelo No. 1 O. B. Byrd.
 The planned 1,200-foot venture is located on a 206-acre lease, spotting 450 feet from the south and 450 feet from the east lines of S. Jones Survey 146, A-940.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Dickson and Esthloy Dickson spent Thanksgiving Day in the home of Bernice Carter in Cisco.
 Families and friends were also there from Breckenridge, Caddo and Coriscana.
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The prayer that mother taught
the boy,
at home long years ago.

"Advice is like snow; the softer it falls, longer it dwells upon, and the deeper it sinks into the mind."
Samuel Taylor Coleridge

JOHN FORD IS HONORED ON 88TH BIRTHDAY NOV. 27

John Ford of this city was honored Sunday afternoon on his 88th birthday by members of his family. The celebration was held at the new Community Center with numerous friends and relatives attending.

Fort Worth Columnist

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McConal fed Skoal into his mouth. He kinda grinned.
The Buffaloes talked about many things as the bus moved down the highway. They discussed karate, movies and TV shows. And every once in a while someone mentioned the game.

"Well, sure we are going to win," said Bill Johnson, 125-center. "Well, at least we had better."

Coach C. E. Carmichael was telling a story about the field lights suddenly going off during a football game at a small school. He said the announcer urged everyone to be calm, that he was going to fix them.

"He sent after a can of DW-40 and in a few minutes, sure enough the lights came back on," said

Carmichael. "Somebody asked him how he did it, and he said, 'I just WD-40ed them suckers back on.'"

The bus passed through Blanket, Zephyr and Mullin. Conversation about gas masks and well, you know what that meant, kept getting a little more and more raunchy until Carmichael and McConal warned there would be a board of education meeting for the loose lips if they weren't careful.

The sun caught grass in the pasturelands in a wave of beautiful reds, whites and purples as light faded. And, then the boys were putting on their uniforms. Adjusting the equipment, lacing it tightly and grunting and wheezing like lions about to attack. Maybe that was the appeal of the game to them, getting hyped deeply about going out and bopping hell out of somebody while the pep squad roared, "Sis. Boom, Bah."

Then, Lometa was there. The boys piled out and entered the school gymnasium, a native stone building built in 1943.

"Coach, the men's room don't work," said a player.

"Well, use the women's," said McConal.

"Gosh, you are sure smart, coach," said the youngster.

And, then onto the field where about 400 people were sitting in the stands as a chilling wind hammered at them. About 150 of those had driven from Cross Plains to see this game. The smell of thick, green weeds waiting for the first frost was prevalent.

The Buffaloes warmed up. They run, stop, turn a flip, grunt and holler. The pep squad goes, "Sis. boom, bah. Buffaloes. Buffaloes. OOOOh, la, la."

The referees met with Carmichael and McConal. And, no the Buffaloes have no trick plays. They leave. McConal leans over and says, "We're gonna win . . . by 26."

The Buffaloes do score quickly. Darin Apple, a halfback, is playing in only his second game because, well, he bet another youngster that he couldn't hit a steel door with his fist as hard as he could. He did. He won \$5. He also shattered his fist. Anyway, he swept wide around left end and went in from 18 yards out for a touchdown.

Then quarterback Matt Pirtle hits Devin Harris with a pass. Harris carries it all the way to the 12-yard line, where David DeShazo plunges in for the score. A few minutes later, DeShazo plows over right guard for another score. It is 18-0.

Believe it or not, the Buffaloes don't just run those old two yards and a cloud of dust plays. They have single, and double reverses that end with the halfback passing. Or option pitchouts where the halfback can run or pass.

The half arrives and the boys walk to the 1943 building. They are coughing and blowing their noses.

McConal hands the halftime talk over to Carmichael because, well, a couple of weeks ago, the boys

Rowden Sector News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Winter has come at last, with temperature readings in the mid-twenties Sunday morning and cold wind. We had hoped for much needed rain.

Thanksgiving holiday company was enjoyed in homes over the community. Some served wild turkey that hunters had bagged.

Company in the James Reynolds home for the holiday were, Tan and Janet Flippin of Stephenville, Jim and Cecia Reynolds and son, Chris, of Midland, Ellen Reynolds of Cisco and her friend John Carpenter of Azle; also Mr. and Mrs. Jon Hardwick and Billy Henry of Baird.

The Don Harris home was open to members of the family Thursday with a delicious meal and visiting. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris, Terry Harris, Vickie and Blandy, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harris and children, Jared and Jaonna, Mr. and Mrs. Nicky Harris and son, T. J.

Lee Jernigan of Lake Proctor spent Sunday night in the Tony Steele home.

Visitors in the Lizzie Burks, Emma Johnson and Robert Burks home were family, nurses and friends. Nurses were Nadine Bullard of Abilene, Lillie Branton of Clyde and Dorothy McKinny of Putnam. Family visitors were sister, Alice Wills, of Abilene and daughter, Bonnie Freeman, also Bonnie's son and family, David Pool and family of Houston, also Carroll Burks and son-in-law, Sandy Bullock, of Abilene. Other visitors were Mrs. Dolton Pool and children, Shon and Kim of Houston, Johnny Wooten and Don Draper.

Those spending Thanksgiving in the Gene Mauldin home were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mauldin and sons, Russell and David of Huntsville, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Armstrong and children, Anna Brent, Jared and Phillip of Cypress, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Masters of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and sons, Kenneth and Douglas, of Denton Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele and children, Tonya, Bill and Connie, had dinner Thursday in the N. V. Gibbs home. They also carried food to Mrs. Leila Gibbs in the Beird rest home as she was not well enough to spend the day with her family. On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Springfield spent the night in the N. V. Gibbs home, and also visited in the Tony Steele home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrell and daughter, Leigh, along with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrell, spent the holiday in Tulsa, Okla., visiting Frank Harrell's sister, Mrs. Pete Dysert, and family.

Robert and Dorothy Watson were in Haskell Saturday visiting with friends, the Jerry Hanny family. On Sunday they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill McMillan in

Rowden. They were well and tied this team and Carmichael talked to them, praising them so much, that by the time they got home they were telling everybody they had won the game.

"Our defense is sticking them better than we have all year. And, our offense is looking good too," said Carmichael. "But, now we've looked good for one half. We've done this a couple of times this year and then we come in and go back out and get our tails beat. So if you look sharp in the first half and look poor the second half, this isn't going to be much fun."

The boys start yelling. They say they aren't going to do that this game. No sir.

They don't. They score quickly in the third quarter when Apple runs 45 yards for a touchdown on a fake punt.

"I think we are going to win this one," said Kevin Weiss, trainer.

Well, the Buffaloes do. The game ends, 24-8. And, everyone has gotten to play.

McConal heads the bus home, 55 miles away. The team is loud and boisterous. They make a pit stop beside the road that is suddenly abbreviated because the pep squad bus comes on the scene.

They stop at a Goldthwaite Dairy Queen. But, even though it is only 8:30 p.m., a woman informs them they can't order anything but nachos and soft drinks, because, well, they don't have the time to fix anything else. And, no, it doesn't matter that they have just won the last game of their season.

So they load up and head for home. Eating nachos and drinking giant drinks. And, saying that a 2-7 season isn't so bad after all, particularly when it ends on a victory.

Sis. Boom. Bah.

Clyde.

Guests for Thanksgiving dinner in the Tommy Dye home were her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Strickland of Abilene.

Those having dinner Thursday with Mrs. Russell Dye were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dye and daughter, Lori Ann, of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie. Also Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sayre of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sayre of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henderson of the Cross Plains area visited Mr. and Mrs. Granvel Gibbs Sunday afternoon.

52 Attend Hutchins Family Gathering

Fifty-two members of the Hutchins family gathered during the Thanksgiving week end at the George Hutchins cabin on Lake Brownwood.

Enjoying the gathering were Georgie Wagner, Donnie and Jan Price, Shannon, Tiffany and Britany of Amarillo; Bob and Barbara Vaught, Darvel and Jewel, Hutchins, Tammy, Stephanie and Danny and Kevin Maccanelli of Hobbs, New Mexico; Vondel and Joyce Hutchins and Heather, Lisa Vaught and Jim Campbell of San Antonio; Randy and Lynn Echols, Lindsay and Brooke, Joey and Gay Fields, Alaina and Haley of Odessa; also Ted and Terri Krueger Ryan and Justin of Round Rock; Bevelyn and Tonya Foster of Segeville; Earl and Janice Denton of Seminole; Elvin and Glenda Hutchins, Jeff, Kenneth, Wesley and Brent of Bangs; George and Viola Hutchins, Alvin and Vondean Hutchins and Pam, Greg and Brenda Hutchins and Ashlee and Terry Johnston all of Cross Plains, and Duane and Susan Hutchins of Bryan.

INITIAL COLONIAL OAKS PATIENT IS CORRECTED

Esthly Dickson stands corrected by Ophelia (Harris) Lawson who called to say that Mr. D. G. Harris was the first patient admitted to Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on November 24, 1963. The article stated that the mother of Troy Watson and Esther Johnson was the first patient.

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