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## On The Corner

### I Think That I ...

By DON TABOR  
Publisher

It wasn't the best way in the world to beat Cabin Fever.

What did you do to keep from going nuts due to ice imprisonment over the past few days?

I made the mistake of reading a news release from SCS Conservationist Steve Uselton early on in the ice siege about now being the time to start planning for a tree windbreak.

I then spent much of the rest of the time dreaming about trees, and sun, and warm breezes, and blue sky, and spring, and things growing, and things like that.

It made me long to get out and dig in warm ground and plant a tree and then stand back and watch it get taller and taller.

I thought of a couple of maple trees I planted on my place 10 years ago in a bare pasture and how they're now taller than the house and are a constant delight to me.

As I warmed my backside at the fireplace, I remembered the hot summer days I've been cooled by their shade and been calmed by the sound of their leaves in the wind.

I know it sounds silly, but I actually think of those two trees as good friends. They ask for little — only some water during the dry times — and give so much.

I think we in West Texas appreciate trees a little more than most folks, mainly because we don't have an abundance of them.

That's what the SCS is trying to remedy with its windbreak program. It sounds like a good idea to me and the cost is minimal.

I may be over-dramatizing it, but I always think when I plant a tree that I'm contributing to posterity. I figure that tree is still going to be there doing some good long after I'm dead and buried.

My reverie was broken Sunday by the sound of my neighbor, Pete Fischer, in his front yard. He was struggling with a long pole trying to prop up a tall pine tree to keep it from breaking under the weight of the ice.

The wind-chill was close to zero and most folks weren't about to venture out and here Pete was doing his best to save that tree.

It's nice to know I'm not alone in thinking of a tree as a friend.

## Cemetery Assn.

### Slates Meet Tuesday

The Cross Plains Cemetery Association will hold its annual meeting on Tuesday, January 27, beginning at 2:00 p.m. at the City Hall.

New officers will be elected at this time.

All interested persons are encouraged to attend.

## School Board Meet Slated

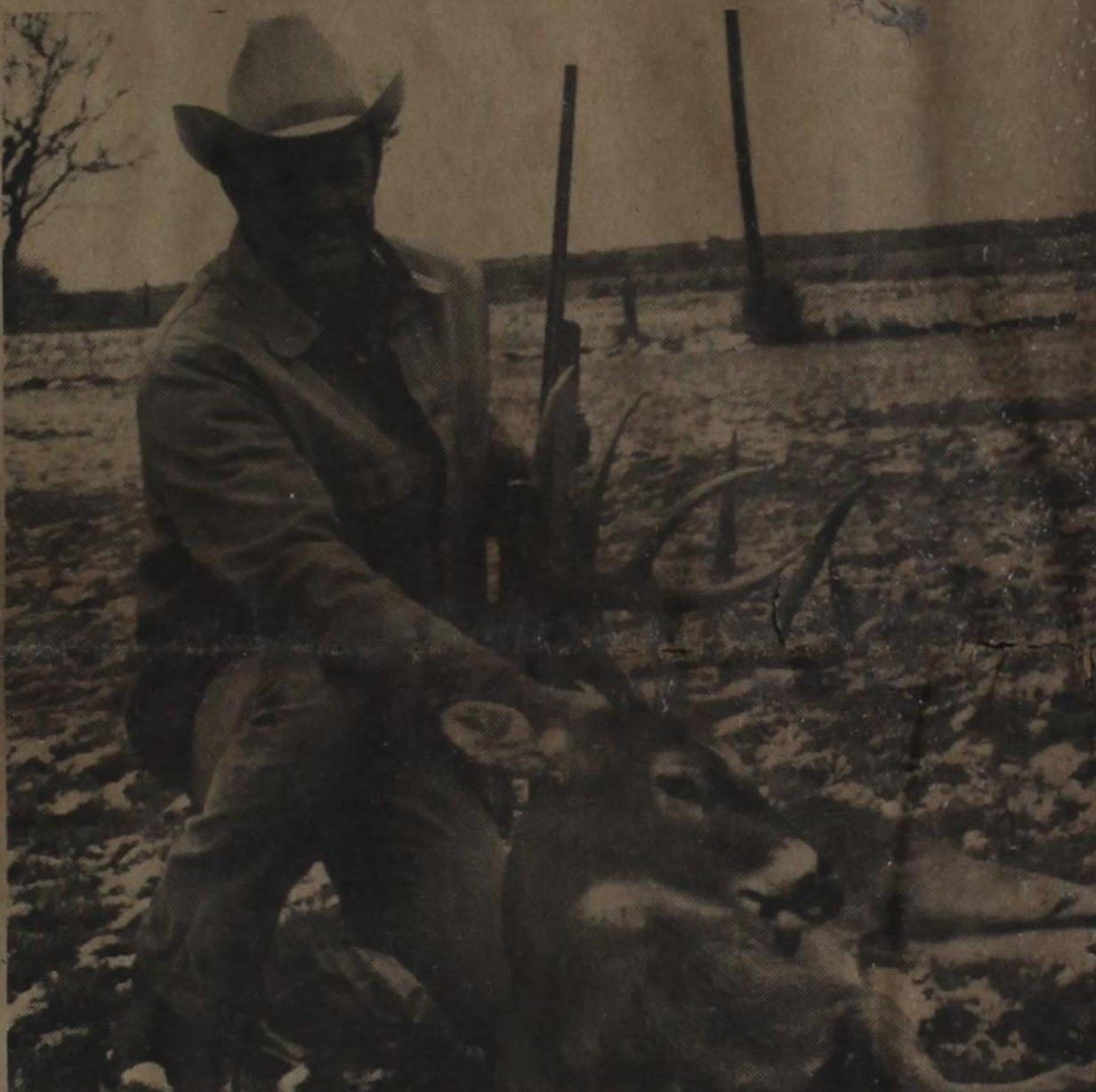
A regular meeting of the Cross Plains Independent School District Board of Trustees will be held on Thursday, January 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the faculty room of the high school.

The agenda will include:

1. Set date on school board election
2. Select site for school board election
3. Approve election judge and clerks
4. Approve absentee voting site and clerk
5. Select auditor for 86-87 school year
6. Approve student teacher for spring semester
7. Request for facilities
8. Reduction paperwork policy
9. Annual performance report
10. Renew school insurance
11. Report to date on delinquent taxes
12. Consider requesting bids on paving parking lot
13. Consider advance order for '87 football equipment



**BIG BUCK CONTEST WINNER** — Alan Fleming, President of the Cross Plains FFA, presents Joe McWilliams with his new rifle for 1st place in the Big Buck Contest.



**1st PLACE WINNER** — Joe McWilliams shown with his trophy 12 point buck, killed on the Cutbirth and Bonner Ranch west of Cross Plains.



**2nd PLACE WINNER** — Trey Rowan with his trophy 9 point buck, also killed on the Cutbirth and Bonner Ranch.

## Big Buck Contest Ends

The second annual Big Buck Contest sponsored by the Cross Plains FFA was completed on the last day of deer

season.

This year the contest had 42 entries. Each deer that was brought in was scored by the number of points, length of main beam, inside spread, longest thine and circumference of the main beam.

The winner for this year's contest was Joe McWilliams of the Rowden area. The deer he brought in was a 12 point, which scored 63 1/4 points. As winner of the contest, Joe was presented a new 243 rifle and scope.

Second place went to Trey Rowan of Houston. His deer was a 9 point which scored 58 1/2 points. He received a set of hunting knives.

Four other hunters brought deer in to be measured and the results were as follows: Third place Tony Wyatt with an 8 point scoring 54 1/4; Fourth place Bo Allen with a 10 point, scoring 53 7/8; Fifth Place Wayne Knowles with a 7 point, scoring 52 3/8; and Sixth Place Mike Permenter with an 8 point, scoring 51 1/4.

All proceeds from the contest went to the Cross Plains FFA. The FFA would like to thank all those who participated in the contest and hope that they will be back next year to try again.

## Phyllis Pancake

### Love Fund Set

A Love Fund has been established at the Citizens State Bank for Phyllis Pancake who underwent neck surgery on Friday, January 16, at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

One other surgery is also anticipated in the future.

Local residents who would like to show their concern may leave contributions at the Citizens State Bank.

## Weekend Ice Grips Cross Plains

By VANDA KING  
Editor

Friday night sleet and rain followed by freezing temperatures coated the community in a layer of ice. The trees and vegetation looked elegant in their frosty frock.

However, the weight of the ice took its toll on some of the tree limbs. You may not realize the weight of ice, but one gallon of water weighs 8 pounds.

The wind swaying the shimmering trees made a creaking noise as the branches were stressed.

The storm really played havoc with the roads. The streets collected several inches of frozen moisture, making driving difficult. Cars went crunching slowly by and you could hear wheels spinning in an effort to gain a little traction, and it sounded like a siren with the tires swirling so fast. Sliding sideways could occur even without hitting your brakes.

Many residents had the problem of backing out of their drive-way if it was on a slight incline. Parallel parking became necessary for the downtown area because you couldn't get away from the curb.

The threat of falling was ever present. The ice sure doesn't give and no one wanted a broken bone. Of course, skating around was sure a hit with the youngsters.

We were fortunate that the electricity only flickered a few times and did not go off completely in town. Some residents in rural communities experienced this inconvenience.

Of course the television viewing Saturday night was interrupted temporarily. After being snuggled inside all day, the idea of no television entertainment seemed disastrous. We got out the games to pass the time until the tube was restored.

Monday the sun was shining and the ice melting, but the forecast warns of more snow on the way. Bundle up for another cold blast!

## Delinquent Tax Drive To Continue

Callahan County Commissioners extended the contract with attorney Carl A. Maley of Houston to continue to collect the county's delinquent taxes.

Commissioners unanimously approved the extension to coincide with the collection by Maley of Cross Plains School District.

Other matters taken up by the commissioners at the meeting include:

—Met with Sheriff Bill Skinner to discuss payment for guards for hospital guard duty on Gary Don Parks, the kidnap suspect at Howle's Pharmacy December 13.

—Approved a resolution declaring Callahan County a disaster area and to seek disaster relief for farmers and ranchers due to drought conditions in the spring of 1986 (planting season) and excessive rainfall in the later summer of 1986 (fall harvest season).

—Approved a motion to advertise for bids for a new motor grader for Precinct III.

Present at the meeting were: Commissioners Eugene Kitchens, Lowell Johnson, E. F. Odom, Jiggs Shackelford and Judge Mack Kniffen.

## Jaws Demonstration to Be Re-scheduled

The Jaws of Life demonstration which was planned for Saturday was postponed due to adverse weather conditions. A representative of the Kiwanis Club, Gene Greenwood, reported that it would be re-scheduled at a later date.

The Kiwanians encourage other groups and organizations to attend the demonstration and determine if they would like to participate in purchasing the device for the community.



**ICICLES** — The barbed wire fence is decorated with frozen stalactites following the arrival of a winter storm.

## Annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale Starts

Cross Plains Girl Scouts kicked off their annual Girl Scout cookie sale on January 16. The girls will be taking orders through January 24, then cookies will be delivered to customers from February 20 through February 28. Payment for cookies will not be accepted until cookies are delivered.

Girl Scouting will celebrate its 75th birthday this year. And for over 50 of those years, the annual cookie sale has helped make the program possible for millions of girls and adults.

More than 50 girls in 3 troops benefited from the Girl Scout program in Cross Plains during the past year. Girl Scouts in Cross Plains are part of

Heart of Texas Council which serves more than three thousand members in Central Texas.

Girls take pride in earning their own way for special events, including summer camp; and their camping facilities are cherished because the girls, through their own initiative, made it possible for their own and future generations.

Profits from the sale fund year around troop program, help girls participate in special program opportunities, build and develop the Girl Scout camp, fund camp equipment and program facilities, and support a wide range of direct services to troops in every community.

## Supper to Aid 'Jaws'

### Donations Planned Here

Twelve board members met at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 15.

The next regular meeting of the Chapter will be Monday, February 2. All members who have not paid their local dues are urged to do so.

The AARP Members plan to sponsor a chili and stew supper Friday, March 6.

Profit from this will be used to help pay for the Jaws of Life.

Anyone desiring to donate stew or chili meat may leave it at the Frozen Food Locker in Cross Plains.

Additional information concerning this project will be published in the Cross Plains Review.

## N.V. Gibbs Dead at 73

N. V. "Voncille" Gibbs, 73, of the Rowden Community died Sunday morning, January 18, at Humana Hospital in Abilene.

Services were held at Higginbotham Chapel in Cross Plains Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. with Reverend Michael Hale officiating. Burial was in the Admiral Cemetery directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.

He was born in Rowden and was a life long resident of the community. He was a stock farmer. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Cross Plains.

where he had also served as a Deacon. Claribel Gibbs, his wife, is the Rowden correspondent for the Cross Plains Review and has served in that capacity for many years.

Survivors include his wife, Claribel, and one daughter, Judy Steele of Rowden, three grandchildren, Tonya, Bill and Connie all of Rowden. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Leila Maud, age 2 years. Leila Gibbs, his mother, and Granvel Gibbs, his brother, preceded him in death this past year.

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## Many Factors Affect Early Cotton Growth

Proper early season development of the cotton seedling is crucial to a high yielding cotton crop.

Dr. James Supak, cotton agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of Lubbock, says it is difficult to identify the sole factor responsible for slow development but he suggests several to consider.

"Slow development of a cotton plant's root system can relate to weather patterns, disease development, soil compaction and seedling vigor."

Because of the short growing season in the Texas High Plains, growers have to plant relatively early.

"This often means growers have to plant in cool, damp soil," Dr. Supak explains. "Cool soil temperatures increase the chances of seedling disease as well as nematode problems. These problems develop in the seedling growth stage but their detrimental effects on crop development can last the entire growing season. While growers have no control over soil temperature and moisture, Dr. Supak says there are preventive measures available to growers."

"Growers can help enhance early root and seedling growth by selecting vigorous planting seed and properly treating it; using adequate fertilization; placing nitrogen fertilizer to avoid contact with the seed; controlling soil erosion; planting at a proper depth and choosing the best herbicide for individual needs," Dr. Supak advises.

Cotton varieties should be chosen on the basis of their potential yields, fiber quality characteristics, early maturity, and disease tolerances. Test and select the most vigorous planting seed for use in early plant-



ings. Sufficient supplies of soil nutrients can also be very influential in early growth, notes Dr. Supak.

"Low levels of fertilizer nutrients, especially phosphorous, can stunt root development and thus plant growth."

High wind velocity and blowing sand is a big problem for most High Plains growers. Where practical, Dr. Supak suggests offsetting the resulting soil erosion by rotating with high residue crops and maintaining the residues on the soil surface.

To ensure crop safety, Dr. Supak says herbicides should be applied at the recommended rate and incorporated properly.

Dr. Supak explains that farmers who see stunted growth during early development stages often blame it on herbicide use.

"Herbicide use is the common thread through all of the development factors so it often is unjustly blamed for stunted early season development."

When problems begin to appear, Dr. Supak concludes that growers need to evaluate an array of factors that influence early season plant growth and development.

## COURTHOUSE NEWS

### COUNTY COURT Mack Kniffen, presiding Misdemeanor Filings

Zelma Richardson Bennett, DWI.  
James Martin Linebarger, DWI.  
Michael Anthony Reigle, DWI.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

David Randall Cummings, Rt. 3, and Cozy La Rae Keith, Clyde.  
James Dayton Schafer, Early, and Dana Lynn Phillips, Rt. 1, Cross Plains.

### NEW VEHICLES

West Texas Utilities, Abilene, Chev. 4 dr.

### 42nd DISTRICT COURT Don Lane, presiding Civil Filings

Donald Wayne Black and Ruby Charlene Black, suit for divorce.  
State of Texas vs. Jerry L. Tinsley, suit for child support.

Jerry Gene Hickerson and Monica Anita Hickerson, suit for divorce.

### Civil Minutes

Melba Shelton Miller vs. Tina Melinda Weeks, case dismissed.  
In Re: Estate of Eva M. Johnson, deceased, judgment of January 8, 1987, vacated.

Kristie Louise Mendez and Robert Mendez and in interest of minor child, decree of divorce.

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## Wauneta Estes Attends Seminar January 11-13

COLLEGE STATION — Callahan County Tax Assessor-Collector Wauneta Estes joined some 150 other tax officials for the fourth annual County Tax Assessor-Collectors' Seminar, January 11-13. Theme of the seminar was "Together We Can Make It Happen."

"Working together is as important today as ever," said Wauneta Estes. "As tax officials, we're working with the public to provide essential services and working with each other, in this seminar for instance, to develop more cost-effective ways of running our offices."

The seminar is one of the educational programs of the V. G. Young Institute of County Government, a part of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The institute provides a forum of support for county officials, Extension Service staff and various government, academic and business leaders in Texas.

The program included presentations from representatives of various state agencies, including the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, the Alcoholic Beverage Commission, the State Property Tax Board, and the Board of Tax Professional Examiners.

Major discussions covered upcoming legislation, telephone tax collections, consolidating tax collections, computer basics in the tax office, alcohol licensing procedures and Texas motor vehicle laws and procedures.

## OBITUARIES

### Oren Barr

Oren Clayton Barr, 80, of Coleman and formerly of Cross Plains died Wednesday night in a Coleman hospital.

Services were held 2 p.m. Friday at the ~~Funeral Home Chapel~~ with the Rev. Roy Zuefeldt officiating, assisted by Steve Newton. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

He was born in Cross Plains. He was a farmer.

Survivors include a son, Charles Barr of Early; a daughter, Kay Foster of Lake Brownwood; six grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

### Earlene Huntington

JAL, N.M. — Services for Wilma Earlene Huntington, 59, of Jal N.M., were held in the First United Methodist Church in Jal with the Rev. David Weyant officiating.

Burial was in the Jal Cemetery under the direction of Cooper Funeral Chapel. Mrs. Huntington died December 26, at Scott and White Memorial Hospital at Temple after a lengthy illness.

She was born on October 26, 1927 in Rising Star. She graduated from Rising Star High School in 1945. She married Vernon Huntington on December 7, 1945 in Cross Plains. She was a Methodist. She was past president of the American Legion Auxiliary, the Pink Ladies, the Women's Golf Association and Democratic League. She lived in Jal for 35 years.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Verna Jean Jenkins, and a son, Mike Huntington, both of Jal, N.M.; her mother, Vernice Tyler of Jal; four sisters, Sammie Hight and Betty Slawson of El Paso, Joyce Hill of Jal, Bea Grimes of Luling, La., and four grandchildren.

### Joyce Taylor

CARBON — Joyce Nell Taylor, 51, died Friday evening while driving her car near Downing. Services were 2 p.m. Monday at Carbon Baptist Church with the Rev. Joe Coppinger officiating. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery, directed by Nowlin Funeral Home of De Leon.

She was born in Santa Anna. She was a 1954 graduate of Cross Plains High School. She was a member of the Carbon Baptist Church and a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband, the Rev. Sherl Taylor of Carbon; a son, Rick Taylor of Comanche; her mother, Lois Theola Neeb of Cross Plains; and three brothers, Howard L. Neeb of Windthorst, Charles W. Neeb of Fort Stockton and Monty L. Neeb of Stephenville; an uncle and aunt, Jimmielee and Virginia Payne of Cross Plains; and several nieces and nephews.

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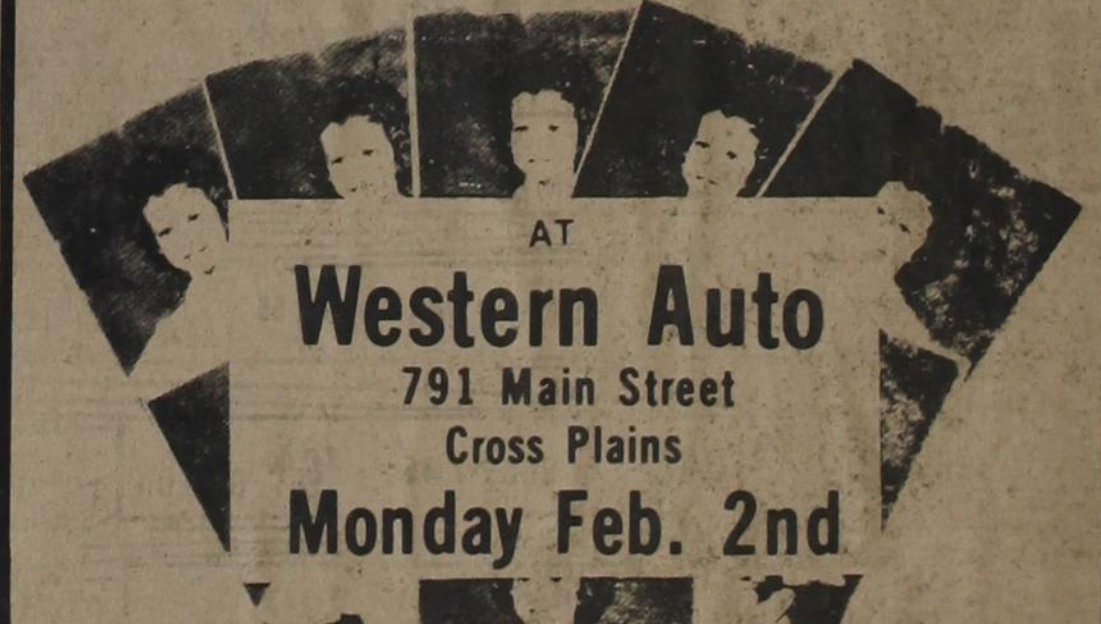
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# Art Lawler



The name W.P. (Bill) Atkinson appeared on a lot of bumper stickers in our town in the fifties.

He was the early front-runner in what would become a heated governor's race that year.

Nobody was going to beat the wealthy Midwest City businessman. Nobody, that is, except E. K. Gaylord, his newspaper (The Daily Oklahoman, and Oklahoma City Times) and a handsome young challenger named J. Howard Edmondson.

I wasn't old enough to vote at the time, but after watching Atkinson get out of a car wearing suspenders, searsucker pants and a white hat, and after watching him make a lousy speech in front of the Palace Drug Store, my loyalty immediately switched to Edmondson.

Here was a man before his time, a man who used television when it was considered uppity not to get out and press the flesh in every town large enough to have a drug store to talk in front of.

Edmondson also used the jingle effectively: E-D-M-O-N-D-S-O-N spells Edmondson... He's the man we need to be our gov'ner... E-D-M-O-N-D-S-O-N for me...

My parents, as I recall, held out hope for a Methodist car dealer named Doenges. But I sensed a winner, even when Edmondson was running near the bottom of the polls. The guy had style.

Besides, his campaign headquarters let me have all the big red E's I could carry out. I put three of them on my mower.

Fortunately, my lawn customers didn't seem to hold this against me, even the old-fashioned, stick-in-the-mud, Democrats who insisted a "dry" businessman would make a better governor than a "wet" lawyer who wore slick suits and smoked three packs a day.

Sure enough, young J. Howard started a "prairie fire," rallied from last to first, and whipped the old man in the runoff to claim the governorship.

Edmondson, who died before reaching 50, ordered a series of raids on bootlegging operations soon after taking office - a move that dried up normally reliable sources of hooch. Then the young governor called a wet-dry election.

Naturally Oklahoma's been "wet" ever since.

Edmondson, as I recall, wasn't much of a governor, and in truth, old Atkinson really might have done a better job. In fact, he almost got his chance.

Four years later W.P. whipped all the democratic challengers and in any other election year, that would have assured him the nomination. But not this time. Henry Bellmon, unsmudged by years in the mud-wrestling arena, became the state's first republican governor.

Naturally, the Daily Oklahoman did its part, and naturally Atkinson filed

suit against the paper. He also started his own newspaper in Midwest City just so he could say nasty things back at the Gaylords.

You've got to be fairly rich to challenge, the Daily Oklahoman in Oklahoma, and Atkinson was certainly fairly rich. In fact, at times, this feud resembled the kind we now see weekly on "Dynasty" between Blake Carrington and his ex-wife Alexis, who owns a smear sheet. Of course W.P. never looked anything like Joan Collins.

Those races were semi-filthy, but for pure unvarnished political smut, they probably didn't compare to the one just concluded in Texas between incumbent Mark White, a democrat, and former incumbent and now governor again, Bill Clements.

As Texas' 70th legislature begins looking for something else to chop in the budget over the next several weeks, it'll be interesting to see just how muddy things can get after the election.

Like Atkinson, Clements has never learned how to dress himself, meaning Texans will have to be embarrassed for four more years when he takes his loud, checked jackets and pants that stop an inch above his high-top shoes, to governor's conferences.

White, like Edmondson, showed a lot of flair, and like Edmondson, he no sooner got into office than he began making enemies - not the least among them being school teachers.

That alone, might not have beaten him, but when the oil prices fell and the state budget sank into the red by several billion dollars, state voters anxiously blamed that on him, too. In the end, Texas voters seemed to hold their noses and vote for the same man they'd fired four years earlier.

The candidates did their part, too. Their televised debates resembled two 10-year-olds in a cow pasture having a patric fight. Come to think of it, this isn't fair to most 10-year-olds.

It's hard to win a "clean" campaign, of course. Maybe you never could. Atkinson and Edmondson seemed to feel that way. And no question, that was the Clements-White game plan almost 30 years later.

Maybe we shouldn't blame the candidates, though. Throw us a clean election, we'll stay home on election day.

Politicians, like pro wrestlers, respond to high volume sales potential. Pro wrestlers just do it with more class.

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CLARA MCDERMETT COBURN ...Celebrates birthday with family

## Clara Coburn Celebrates 89th Birthday

The birthday of Clara McDermett Coburn was celebrated Saturday, January 3. Mrs. Coburn was born December 31, 1897 in the home of her parents Charley and Susan McDermett, located in the Burkett community. The surprise birthday party was hosted by her son Charles and Helen Coburn, at their home which is built on the McDermett homestead.

After lunch, granddaughter, Teri Coburn, served ice cream and a beautiful coconut cake decorated with lavender, pink and yellow roses.

Friends and relatives attending to shower Mrs. Coburn with gifts and their best wishes were: son, Keith and Wanda Coburn, Crane and grandson, Stephen Keith Coburn, Austin and

friend Lori Hankins, Dallas; daughter, Patti Sue Dollinger, San Angelo; grandsons, Billy and wife, Marvie Dollinger, San Angelo; Ricky Dollinger, Andrews and Tim Dollinger, San Angelo; Charles' children, Teri Coburn, and great grandson, Joshua Coburn, Irving, Mark Coburn, Kermit, and friend Della Fisher, Midland; Clark and Linda Coburn of Odessa were unable to attend due to illness; nieces of Mrs. Coburn were: Charlene Metcalf, Cross Plains; daughter of Carlos McDermett, Zora and Jack Debusk, Burkett; Francis McNally, Burkett; Susan Andres, Coleman, daughters of Oscar McDermett and Clara Nell Spencer, Cross Plains, daughter of Hugh McDermett.

## Public Hearing At TAHC Office January 23 On Changes In Brucellosis Regulations

AUSTIN — A public hearing of the Texas Animal Health Commission will be held here January 23 at 10 a.m. at the TAHC office, 210 Barton Springs Road, Austin.

The purpose is to discuss proposed changes in the Texas brucellosis regulations to bring the state program into compliance with federal guidelines and to discuss other proposals by the Commission which would apply to Texas, pending approval by the federal government of this state's request for classification for Class B status.

Federal regulations apply to herds under quarantine and in essence will tighten regulations in this category including an extension of the minimum quarantine period for an infected herd from 120 days to 180 days following removal of last reactor. Others include whole herd vaccination in infected herds but would allow the epidemiologist to exempt vaccination of cattle over 12 months of age, lowering of mandatory vaccination ages for heifers in infected herds, movement of heifers from an infected herd, and tests required before entering quarantined feedlots and

quarantined pastures.

First point testing: all livestock markets would test eligible cattle for brucellosis. Of the 152 livestock markets in Texas, 140 currently do first point testing. There are 12 markets which do not. Approval of Texas as a Class B state would mandate these markets also do first point testing.

Proposals relating to Texas becoming a Class B state include:

Special control counties: this would place counties with a high infection rate and a high market cattle identification reactor rate into a special category so that this rule would apply: all test eligible, nonvaccinated female cattle, not from certified free herds and in or from special control counties and changing ownership, shall be held for retest within 45 to 120 days after sale at new owner's expense.

A special control county would be one with a 12 month accumulative herd infection rate exceeding 3 percent of the county's herd population and an adjusted accumulative MCI reactor rate exceeding 2.75 reactors per 1,000 cattle tested.

## Chain Letter Promotions

Have you ever been asked to participate in a chain letter which is guaranteed to earn you lots of money with one small investment? Don't waste your money — Chain letters are a form of lottery and may violate federal mail fraud laws. The same three elements that apply to lotteries (payment, prize, and chance) also make chain letter schemes illegal. The payment may be money or any other item of value. The prize is the large amount of money you are led to believe you will receive in the end if you participate. The chance is that the chain will break, and it must, because the chance that all participants in a chain letter will receive mail is mathematically impossible. For mail is mathematically impossible. For example, a typical chain letter may require participants to mail letters containing money to six new participants, each of whom must mail six letters to six more individuals and so on. By the eleventh level of mailing, the entire population of the United States (almost three-hundred million) would be exhausted. By the 13th level, the population of the world (over four billion) would be exhausted. And remember, even if the chain letter itself is not mailed, as long as the payment or prize is sent through the mail, the entire scheme is illegal.

Some chain letters masquerade as Multi-level Marketing (MLM) Plans. These require an original promoter to sell a product and enlist several other people to become sellers, who in turn recruit others. Most Multi-Level Marketing Plans are schemes to sell the plan rather than the product, and the fact that selling a product is involved, instead of winning money, or statements saying the plan do not violate federal law, do not ensure legality.

Do not confuse regular chain letters or Multi-Level Marketing Plan chains with prayer chains that promise good luck but require no investment. These are not illegal — they're just a nuisance. You should not be intimidated by implied threats of bad luck, personal injury, or disaster for breaking the chain. Feel free to throw the chain letter away.

Remember, you are under no obligation to participate if you receive a chain letter, and to do so may be a violation of federal law. Turn the letter in to the local post office or send it to the Postal Inspector in Charge, P.O. Box 162929, Fort Worth, TX 76161-2929.

## ROWDEN NEWS

By DOROTHY REYNOLDS

We would like to express our sincere sympathy to Claribel Gibbs, the regular correspondent for the Rowden Community, and her family during the loss of her husband, N. V. "Yonclle" Gibbs.

Julie Dye spent the weekend with Donna Swan at Lake Coleman. Robbie Watson returned to college at the University of Texas Friday.

Joyce and Sterling Odom visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer and Michael in Clyde, and celebrated Michael's birthday.

Dorothy Reynolds attended the Texas Baptist Evangelism Conference at Reunion Arena in Dallas Tuesday with the Cherry Heights Baptist Church of Clyde.

Ellen Carpenter met Dorothy in Dallas and had lunch. Dorothy also visited with Bro. Burle and Jerri Taylor of Lampasas.

## Ladies Auxiliary For American Legion Post No. 82 Forming

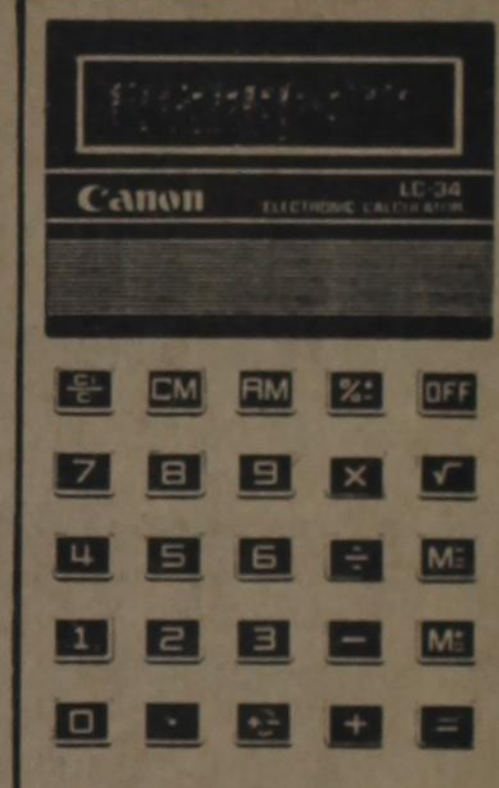
All women and girls who are interested in forming a Ladies Auxiliary for the local Post are requested to attend a meeting at the American Legion Hall in Baird on Tuesday, January 27, at 7:30 p.m. At least ten members must apply before we can obtain a Charter.

Eligibility for membership is limited to mothers, wives, sisters and granddaughters of American veterans, and said veterans died in line of duty or after honorable discharge.

When you attend the meeting, please have the following information: Eligibility through military of veteran (if living) — Member of Post and Number of Post, location of Post, and date of service.

If the veteran is deceased, we need date of death, city and state, Serial No. and date of birth.

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## BURKETT NEWS

By FREEDA BURKETT

The weather has turned wet and cold with about .25 inch rain during the night and this morning, Saturday, January 17.

Most of our news concerns sickness in our area, and I am sure most of those ailing have not reported it. When one is sick, they don't feel like talking and worse yet, to make telephone calls. We just send a big "Get Well" wish to all

### Four Watson Brothers In College

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson of the Rowden Community have four sons who are attending college, and certainly have reason to be very proud of them.

Kyle is a Freshman at Texas Tech and has recently made the President's List. This honor is awarded only to those students who have attained a grade point ratio of 4.0 during the past semester.

Brock, Senior also attending Texas Tech, made the Dean's List with a 3.5 grade point during the semester.

Brad, Sophomore at Cisco Junior College, is on the President's List having achieved a 4.0 grade point during the past semester.

Robbie is a Senior at the University of Texas where he will graduate in August. His grade point ratio for last semester was 3.2.

### Michal N. Holmes On CJC Dean's List

Michal N. Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Holmes of Cross Plains, was named to the Dean's List at Cisco Junior College for the fall semester of 1986.

The Dean's List includes students earning a 3.5 or better grade point average on a 4.0 system.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill's visitors this week were Leo Thompson, Wanda Walker, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding, Phyllis Tucker, Esther Kerr, L. A. Richardson, J. A. Kirkham and Wanda Thornton all of Cross Plains.

Out-of-town guests were Joe Howser of Tye; Leo Jones, Jr., John Lake and David Lake of Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Martin of Graham; and Howard Shanks of Big Spring.

## TLEC Field Trip

By JERRY MARTINEZ

Teenage Law Enforcement Club Members toured Callahan County Jail, 350th District Court, Abilene and Juvenile Justice Center in Abilene this past Friday, January 16.

Sheriff Bill W. Skinner conducted an hour long tour of his Callahan County Jail house and its functions.

From there the club went to Abilene and visited with the 350th District Court.

Breaking for lunch at Taco Bueno on Buffalo Gap Road. Finishing the day with a 2 hour program at the Juvenile Justice Center, consisting of a tour, film, court procedures and open discussions. It was conducted by the superintendent, Mr. Randall Williams.

By the end of the day, it was clear to all club members, that jail is definitely not a fun place to be in.

Mrs. Lavelda Walker, mother of Jerry McGough, provided van transportation. The club appreciates everyone's support.

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An early congratulations to Delbert and Emma Boyle who will celebrate their 64th wedding anniversary January 31. For those that may wish to send cards or call them, their address is: Burkett, Tx 76828 and telephone no. (915) 624-5210.

Wayne Brown of Fort Worth visited Birdie Helms and Gill Wednesday of last week. Other visitors that day were Pat Helms and B. Jones of Paris, Texas who stayed over to Thursday.

Mrs. Pauline Burns will enter Brownwood Regional Hospital this Monday for tests on Tuesday. Her daughters, Lanette of Burkett and LaFaye Pace of San Antonio, will be with her.

Mrs. Betty Frances (Jones) Jennings of Abilene, formerly of Burkett, spent the past week or ten days in Hendrick Medical Center for treatment of a heart problem. She was moved to Humana Hospital Sunday where she expects to undergo heart surgery on Tuesday. Get well wishes go to Betty from her friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Virgie Adams is recuperating at home after spending almost a week at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital recently. Her daughter, Peggy Bradford, of Lake Proctor has been here with her mother.

Jack and Zora DeBusk visited Raymond Cross at Brownwood Regional Hospital Thursday of last week.

Geneva Gray of Melvin spent Monday and Tuesday of last week with her friend, Mrs. Billie Adams.

Mrs. A. B. Rowan of Cross Plains spent a few days last week with Billie Adams.

Nora Jennings of Abilene, formerly of Burkett and Coleman, is celebrating her 91st birthday today, Saturday, January 17, one day after her birthday. Mrs. Jennings lives at Coronado Nursing Center in Abilene, and the Center is honoring her with the celebration of the 17th. Her address is North 15th St. Hall 6, Room 53, at the Center.

Raymond Cross was dismissed from Brownwood Regional Hospital Saturday and recuperating at home. He underwent surgery Monday of last week.

Latest news on Montie Jennings, who also underwent surgery Monday of last week at Brownwood Regional Hospital, is that she is recovering very satisfactorily and we hope she can be home soon.

Mrs. Carl Blutworth of Coleman, formerly of Burkett, underwent surgery last week at Brownwood Regional Hospital. No further news has been received. We send get well wishes to her.

Cleo Porter is on our sick list. She has been feeling very badly the past two weeks and is going regularly to her physician for treatments and medication.

Lucille Gould will be writing this column the next two or three weeks. Please help her by sending your news in to her.

## SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

JANUARY 22 — JANUARY 28

### BREAKFAST

**THURSDAY** — Choice of ready to eat cereal, toast, orange juice, milk.

**FRIDAY** — Bacon, eggs, biscuits, honey, grape juice, milk.

**MONDAY** — Waffles w/syrup, grape juice, milk.

**TUESDAY** — Choice of ready to eat cereal, toast, orange juice, milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Buttered oatmeal, toast, grape juice, milk.

### LUNCH

**THURSDAY** — Meat pot pie, green peas, crackers, pears, milk.

**FRIDAY** — Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickles, French fries, Rice Krispie bar, milk.

**MONDAY** — Chicken fried steak w/gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, roll, milk.

**TUESDAY** — Bar-B-Q, potato salad, pinto beans, roll, cobbler, milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Taco w/taco sauce, salad, corn, Jello, milk.

# C. P. Student Review

By Mass Media Class Carol Atchley, Instructor

## Who's Governor?

By ROBBIE WHEELER

Before the Christmas holidays, the Journalism Class took a survey of the high school students as to whom they wanted for our next governor: Clements, White or neither. The results of our survey are as follows:

Class	Clements	White	Neither
Srs.	4	0	22
Jr.	10	1	13
Soph.	2	3	45
Fresh.	8	0	21
Total	24	4	101

It's obvious that if all the students in this high school would have voted, neither White nor Clements would be governor. But, between the two of them, there was a 6 to 1 margin in favor of Clements.

In talking with some of the faculty, they too feel the same way, that there definitely was not much choice in the way of candidates this time.

## Scholarship Deadline Is March 16

High School students who are interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by March 16 from Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045.

To receive an application, students should send a note stating their name, address, city, state and zip code, approximate grade point average and year of graduation.

Sixty-five winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extracurricular activities and need for financial aid.

## A Semester Review

By PAULA KENNEDY — LEANN WEBB

Every new school year begins with a certain amount of change, and each year is different than the last one.

One of the changes this year is the new rule concerning detention. Basically, if a student continually acts up in class and is disruptive, he/she is assigned to come back after school for one hour of detention.

Another new program this year is the use of the drug dogs as a preventative measure. As reported earlier, they can come at any time during the school day to search for drugs, firearms and alcohol.

There has also been some work done around the campus for this year. This includes the construction work being done on the new track around the football field; resurfacing of the tennis courts; repairing of the curtains in the auditorium; painting of some of the rooms in the elementary building; re-roofing of the elementary building; repainting the auditorium; and putting a new floor in the gymnasium.

This year has also seen some changes in the faculty. New to the system this year are the following teachers and aids: Brenda Conners, Tim Layman, Cindy Layman, Jimmy Wren, Bill McKinnerney, Diane Stover and Jerry Walker.

There was something else new specifically for the teachers this year, the TTAS or rather, the Texas Teacher Appraisal System. This program instituted by the state is intended among other things, to provide a method to uniformly evaluate the teacher's performance in the classroom.

## BASKETBALL SUMMARY

Friday, January 9

Cross Plains vs. Coleman Wildcats

Score:

Cross Plains — 30

Coleman — 81

High Point: Sheila Payne — 15

Melissa Montgomery — 6

Tina Evans — 4

Stacy Schlittler — 4

Carol Morgan — 1

Rebounds:

Sheila Payne —

Offensive — 7

Defensive — 12

Stacy Schlittler —

Offensive — 1

Defensive — 3

Tina Evans —

Offensive — 3

Defensive — 1

K-Trina Meador —

Offensive — 1

## Teachers Evaluated Pass Or Fail

By PAULA KENNEDY

As all of you know, there have been many changes made by the state concerning education. One of the new programs is the TTAS...The Texas Teacher Appraisal System. This is the process whereby the evaluations of the teachers are done.

This is not the first year that the state's teachers have been evaluated, but this is the first year for this particular form of evaluation.

There are several goals of this appraisal system according to the Teacher Appraisal Advisory Committee. One advantage of this program they say is that each teacher's performance in the classroom will be evaluated exactly the same throughout the state. In other words, the same form will be used by every school.

In addition, the appraisals will be used to give suggestions as to how each teacher might improve their teaching techniques. For example, areas that are weak can be pointed out and suggestions for improvement are made.

A third use for the appraisals is related to the career ladder. The results of the evaluations will be used to help determine what teachers will be placed on the career ladder and eligible to receive the bonus pay.

Of course, they contend the overall goal of the appraisal system is to improve the quality of education in the public schools.

The evaluations can be done by the superintendent, high school principal, elementary principal, or an evaluator from outside the school can be hired to do evaluations. The process is the same for each evaluation.

The evaluator will sit in on a class and record in note form, their remarks on the teacher's performance and their procedures used in the classroom. From these notes, the evaluator will then fill out a 4-page form which contains the 72 individual items or requirements that the teacher must meet during the class period.

At this point, the teacher and evaluator have a conference to discuss the evaluation. If there are any areas in which the teacher is below minimum requirements, a Professional Growth Plan is drawn up and the teacher will work on improving that area: The Primary Evaluator's (the Teacher's building principal) Appraisal counts for 60% and the secondary evaluation counts 40%.

Each teacher will be evaluated a minimum of 4 times during the school year-two per semester. The first evaluation was announced (the teacher knew when the evaluator would be there). This evaluation is done by the teacher's building principal.

The second evaluation is also announced and is done by a second evaluator. The evaluations done the second semester are both unannounced and can be done by either of the evaluators at any time during the semester.

## Teenage Dance At Cisco January 24

A Teenage Dance is scheduled for Saturday, January 24, at the Corral Room at 400 North Conrad Hilton in downtown Cisco, from 8:00 p.m. until 11:30 p.m. The dance is for high school students only.

L & L Light and Sound will provide the music. Admission will be \$3 per person. It will be sponsored by parents, and no alcohol or drugs will be allowed.

## School Attendance Changes

By JAMES AMES

During the last semester, there were some changes in our total attendance from the first count when school started in September. At the elementary level, there were 38 newcomers to our school, and at the same time there were 35 students who withdrew.

At the high school level, there was a total of 8 who withdrew compared to a total of 5 that enrolled.

Mr. Thompson, Mr. Wood, and Mr. Womack all took a week-long training session this summer in order to become a certified appraiser. They were given practice evaluation sessions in which they watched a video of a teacher and made the appraisal. They also have to take an additional 16 hours of study each year in order to remain an appraiser.

The teachers had this new appraisal system explained to them last summer at meetings that were held during their "in-service" time the week before school started. They were also given a booklet which fully explained the procedure and provided them with an example of the evaluation form with the 72 requirements.

If the evaluations work as planned, it should serve as a developmental tool for the improvement of instruction and will provide opportunities for improvement in even the best teachers.

Even though this appraisal is designed to help our teachers, it is tough for them to become accustomed to it. I'm sure all of the teachers are relieved that the first semester's evaluations are through.

## Telly Makes First Visit

By ROBBIE WHEELER

Last week, D. P. Youngblood (Assistant Director of the Institute of Criminal and Civil Investigation) came to school with "Telly," the drug dog. This was their first appearance in the new drug prevention program being used here at school.

As we reported before, no one knew when he would come to school. When he arrived, Mr. Wood decided where it was best to do the checking.

This time, he checked the vehicles around the Ag shop and out in front of the high school building. He also checked all lockers in both the junior high and high school.

Nothing bad was found in any of the lockers.

Outside with the vehicles was a slightly different story. Telly did alert

## Class Changes

By JAMES AMES

Since the semester is now over, some students will be making changes in their class schedules. Some of them are changing, because they need to pick up a half-credit in some course, or some just want to try something new, and some are failing and want to try another course.

Some of these class changes are necessary, but others that are more optional have to be approved of by Mr. Wood and the teachers involved. The new semester started on Monday, January 19.

## Whew, I'm Finally Through

By LEANN WEBB

The Cross Plains High School Seniors are finishing up one of their major assignments for the year...the writing of their research paper for English IV.

It began about 3 months ago when Mr. Coppinger took the Seniors to Abilene Christian University Library where they found a topic and began their research.

The topics this year range from Greek Mythology to Hitler's Holocaust. Mr. Coppinger says it's always interesting to see from year to year what the students will be coming up with in the way of topics.

The process of writing the research paper is fairly lengthy. You begin with the actual research and note taking. From that, individual note cards are completed. From the note cards, the material is organized and put into a rough draft. This is checked over by Mr. C. and corrections and comments are made.

The corrected version of the rough draft is then used as the basis for the finished product which will be at least 10 type-written pages.

It sounds rather simple, but it involves many hours of reading, research, writing and rewriting.

Since the papers are the majority of the entire semester grade, they were turned in January 9 (or at the very latest, on January 12).

By JAMES AMES

Last week, semester exams were taken at C.P.H.S. by the 7th through 12th grades. These exams can, and sometimes do, make a big difference in figuring a student's semester grade.

The semester grade for each class is figured in the following manner. The exam counts one fourth of the final semester grade. In other words, the exam counts the same as an entire six weeks grade.

For example: If a student makes an 80 the first six weeks, and 87 the second six weeks, a 75 the third six weeks, and an 82 on the semester exam, his/her semester average will be an 81. You add the three six weeks' grades with the exam grade and divide by four.

With the value of the exam grade, it could pass or fail a student for the entire semester. The faculty had a work day on Friday, January 16, in order to do their grading and averaging. Grades were turned in on Monday, the 19th. Watch for our upcoming article on the honor roll.

on several vehicles, and with the student's permission, each vehicle was searched.

Empty beer cans, ammunition, and firecrackers were found, but that was the extent of their finds. It was nice to know that absolutely no drugs were found anywhere on campus.

## Careers Field Trip

By PAUL BURNETT

The Cross Plains' eighth grade Careers Class was taken on January 6 to Brownwood on a field trip. They visited the 3-M Plant and the Kohler Company.

Coach Jimmy Wren (the Careers teacher) said, "They learned about the many products made by the two companies, along with some demonstrations and free food and caps." He also said, "And seeing thousands of commodes at Kohler gave me a great urge to sit down!" The most expensive one we saw had a cost of \$18,000! Both of the company's personnel were very helpful and courteous.

While at the 3-M Plant, some company spokesmen spoke with the group about their company's products, their background, safety, and the various jobs available at the plant. They were also shown a video about the company and their products. For safety reasons, they were unable to tour the entire plant.

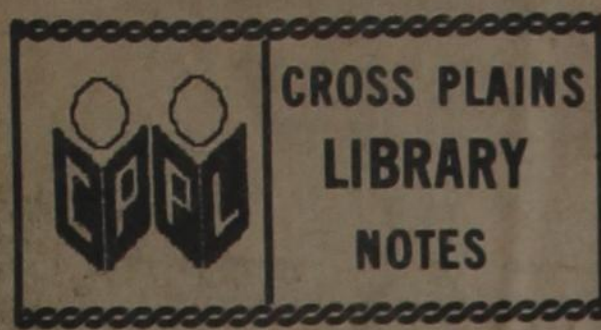
At Kohler, they were able to tour the facilities and see some of the actual production. They were also spoken to by company representatives about their products and the Kohler Company. Both businesses emphasized the importance of getting a good education before trying for employment.

After eating lunch, the group then went to the Texas Employment Commission where they had the opportunity to fill out an actual job application form just as they would do if they were in the job market.

In talking with the students that went on the field trip, they agreed that it was enjoyable and useful. Coach Wren said that it did give them an opportunity to actually see mass production in operation, and give them a glimpse of a few of the jobs available after they finish school.

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Jesus said, "You shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free" (John 8:32). Like Pilate, multitudes do not know the pure truth that "makes free" (John 18:38).

Instead they know human devised versions only, and are still in their sins, believing they are saved.

In His great intercessory prayer, Jesus prayed that the Father sanctify His Disciples "through the truth" then confirmed Thy word is truth (John 17:17). Because He was the Word incarnate (John 1:13), He said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life: No one comes unto the Father but by Me" (John 14:6).

Everyone that is of the truth heareth my voice (John 18:37).

Who's voice do you hear: Check and see — (John 10:1-18; Matthew 15:8, 9; Second Cor. 11:10-15; Matthew 7:13-23).

I love you.

Ed Will



**CONSUMER ALERT**

by  
**Jim Mattox**  
Attorney General

**Medical Alert Systems:  
Panic Buttons  
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Many elderly people who live alone are afraid that if they have a stroke or a heart attack, they won't be able to telephone for an ambulance. In answer to that fear, a number of companies have developed medical alert systems. Clients of medical alert systems wear a device, usually on a necklace or attached to a belt, with what is, in effect, a "panic button." When the panic button is pushed, a radio signal triggers an alarm at a central location—in most cases either an ambulance service or a monitoring station operated by the company that sold the device.

**BLESSING OR RIP-OFF?**

Medical alert systems allow many elderly people to continue to live independently in their own homes. Good systems run by responsible companies are a blessing.

But beware of unscrupulous operators who use scare tactics to hard sell elderly customers and who sell them shoddy equipment at exorbitant prices. My Consumer Protection Division tells me that some so-called medical alert companies are so unprincipled that they sell panic buttons with the *wiring disconnected*. That is worse than nothing because the client assumes that help is on its way and makes no other effort to get help—until it is too late.

**LICENSING**

Medical alert systems are really just a specialized kind of burglar alarm. Anyone who sells burglar alarms in the State of Texas *must be licensed* by the State Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies.

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED**

If you are interested in a medical alert system for yourself or a loved one, you should check with several companies before buying. Look in the Yellow Pages of your telephone directory under "burglar alarms." Make sure the company is licensed. As with any major purchase, do not succumb to the salesperson who pressures you to make a purchase during the first presentation. And remember, you have three days to cancel any purchase made in the home.

**SALES AND SERVICE**

Medical alert systems can be leased or sold outright. The equipment varies in price according to the manufacturer but usually costs less than \$500 to purchase and install. However, we have heard of dealers who have charged thousands for systems that should have only cost hundreds.

The monitoring service is a continual expense and usually costs \$15 or \$20 a month. And in larger cities, the monitoring service is required to call the person you have designated—your *designated respondent*—rather than immediately calling an ambulance if a medical alert comes in.

**FOR MORE HELP**

If you have had trouble with a medical alert system, a burglar alarm, or any other consumer product or service, call the Consumer Protection Office nearest you. Offices are in Austin, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, McAllen, Lubbock and El Paso. The Attorney General's Office is the people's law firm. We're here to help you.

**Community Calendar**

**JANUARY 23**

The Fourth Friday Night Singing will resume following the holiday seasons. Anyone who likes gospel music is invited to attend. Music will begin at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hierholzer in Pioneer.

**JANUARY 25**

Colonial Oaks Nursing Home church services will begin at 3:30 p.m., conducted by the Church of Christ.

**PIONEER NEWS**

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

I started preparation of this column on Friday afternoon. It was so cloudy and cold — and I needed some sunshine in my day — so I began calling my good neighbors. They "sweetened my disposition" as I hoped they would.

Bobby and Sally Rody had their children home for the holidays. First of the week they took son, George, to Abilene to catch a plane back to San Francisco where he works.

My good neighbor, Jewel Foster, had been gone two weeks — I missed her in Sunday School and Church, as well as out here. She visited her son, Billy and Fern in Henrietta, Oklahoma. She had a really good time — she helped feed cows every day — picked up a lot of pecans. She was glad to be back home and in her own bed.

Last Monday Betty Beggs visited with Mrs. Lillie Gray in the Atwell community. On Tuesday, Betty met with the Baptist Women's group at 2:30 p.m. at the church. On Thursday, Betty and Nelda Holmes led Bible Study at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home — among others, they visited, Ms. Gussie Jones and May Bell Odom.

Mrs. Ethel Brown's visitors this week were Lou Grider and Mary Parrish of Cross Plains, and neighbors, Jean Fore and Mrs. Cole Tillotson.

Nell Fleming reports that their Quilting Club met at the Pioneer Community Center on Tuesday of last week. They had a large group — a really good group — worked all day. The Gilbert Williamses brought them a load of wood for the stove, and Gladys Sessums brought them a basket of food — very much appreciated.

On Saturday afternoon, Bobby and Sally came by and brought my Abilene paper. They are such sweet neighbors.

On Sunday, about 9:30 a.m. they drove in to check on me — and brought my paper.

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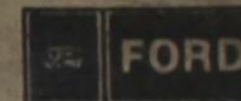
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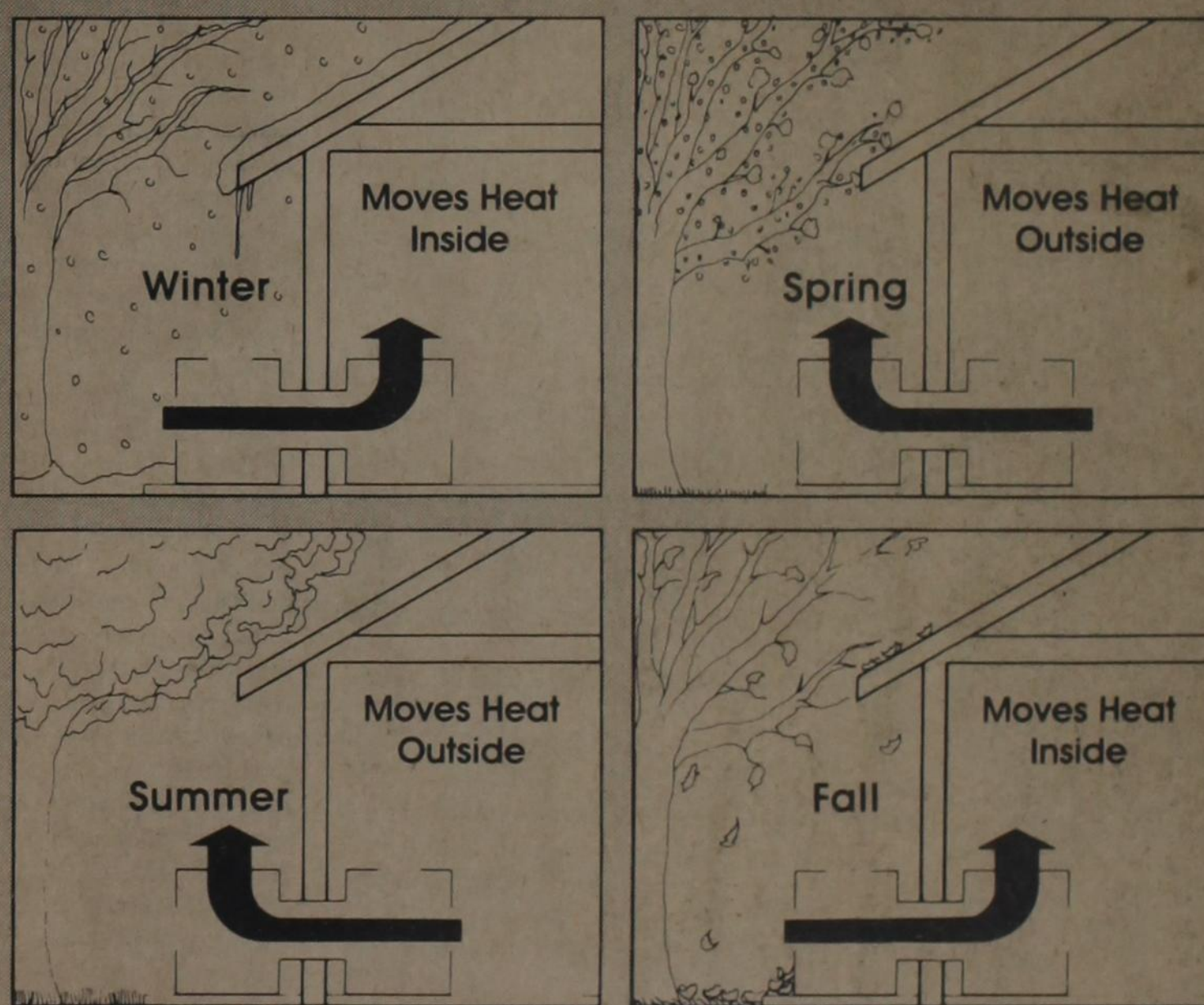
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# Low-income households may be eligible for energy assistance

AUSTIN—Some low-income Texans may be eligible for help in paying heating bills this winter through the Home Energy Assistance Program, according to Texas Department of Human Services Commissioner Marlin Johnston.

Johnston said the one-time payment is available to many low-income households. Applications for energy assistance were mailed to households that received food stamps, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, or Supplemental Security Income in December. Other low-income individuals may request an application from local DHS offices during the enrollment period of Jan. 15 through Feb. 18.

Eligibility is limited by gross income and resources. This year, because of budget cuts and participation rates, the benefits for the winter program may be lower than last year's. Aid is available for a one-person household having less than \$555.49 gross income per month.

The gross income limits are \$745.49 for households of two persons, \$935.49 for three, \$1,125.49 for four, \$1,315.49 for five, and \$1,505.49 for six.

Households are eligible if the cost for heating is included in the rent payment or if the household pays a portion of its home energy costs.

Energy assistance checks are sent directly to the people who are eligible for assistance. However, the checks are made payable to the energy company.

Persons receiving one of these energy assistance checks should mail it or take it in person to the energy company business office with their regular energy bill. The check can be cashed only by the energy company. If the HEAP check is more than the energy bill, the additional amount will be credited to the person's account for the next month's bill. If the energy bill is higher than the check, the person is responsible for paying the difference.



NEW WTU POWER PLANT — The Oklaunion Power Station near Vernon

was officially declared commercial by West Texas Utilities on December 24.

## Happy Birthday

JANUARY 22  
Mrs. Martha Leveritt  
Mrs. A. O. Harris  
Carolyn Forbes  
Anita Buchanan  
Larry McAnally  
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Rea Hopson  
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Donna Illingworth  
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Mike McClure  
Alvin Hutchins  
Elvin Hutchins  
J. W. Fore  
Scarlet Brazell  
Lawrence C. Bryan  
Wanda Louise McMullen  
Michele Browning  
Darryle Letney

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Cindy (Gosnell) Smith  
Nancy Rhodes  
Gary Murray  
Jack Smith  
Colby Gibson  
Courtney Gibson  
Donald White  
Patricia (Yarbrough) Mathes  
Connie Kirsham  
Billy Dale Strickland  
Bobby Golson  
Linda Hubbard  
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Mrs. L. D. Herring  
Calvin Corley  
Johnny Moore

JANUARY 25  
Michael Simpson  
Herman Alken  
Mike Hill

JANUARY 26  
Charles Roberts  
Jack DeBusk  
Allie Wilcoxen  
Mrs. Ann (Baum) Cross  
DeAnn (Whiteley) Barnes

JANUARY 27  
Tommy Hinkle  
Billie Helen Pittman  
Mrs. Mary Hollis  
Beverly Wright

JANUARY 28  
Ira H. Hall  
Tommy Brown  
Mrs. Albert Lovell  
Mrs. Ruben Belyeu  
Chuck Penwell

## WTU's Oklaunion Power Station

ABILENE — With its new Oklaunion Power Station in commercial operation, West Texas Utilities Co. is again capable of generating all the power its customers will need during the peak usage period of hot summertime.

The peak demand for electricity exceeded the capacity of WTU's installed general stations several summers ago and additional power had to be purchased from neighboring utility companies.

"This means that we literally have grown into this new power plant," explained Walter Meller, WTU's manager of system production.

"Often, when a new plant is brought on line it creates an immediate huge surplus of general capacity. In our case, completion of Oklaunion was timed to coincide with our needs."

The coal-burning Oklaunion unit eight miles southeast of Vernon has a net rated capacity of 665 megawatts, which is more than half the 1,070 megawatt capacity of all WTU's gas-fired plants. WTU owns 54.69 percent, or 370 megawatts, of the new plant, which is the first jointly-owned unit in the Central and South West System. Other owners are Public Service Co. of Oklahoma and Central Power and Light Co., both members of CSW; the Oklahoma Municipal Power Authority and the City of Brownsville.

The new plant was officially declared commercial December 24. The power is under control of a central dispatcher in Abilene, who economically loads the various generating units in the WTU system.

As Plant Manager Chuck Adami of Vernon explains it, "When the load increases, the unit that can make the next kilowatt the cheapest is the one that is brought on line."

Adami's staff includes 126 employees, who work in shifts to keep the plant running 24 hours a day. Most of the staff has been on the site for several months involved in training and start-up operations.

Construction at Oklaunion was begun in May 1982, and almost all the news regarding the plant since then has been good. The best news is that it was completed on time and under original cost estimates.

The plant will provide over 25 percent of WTU's operating capacity and will end the Company's almost total reliance on natural gas as boiler fuel. The low-sulphur coal comes by rail from Wyoming. Each delivery averages from 100-115 cars, with each car holding 100 tons of coal. About 300 tons will be

THERE'S NOTHING PUZZLING ABOUT IT.



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A MESSAGE FROM THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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Cross Plains, Texas 76443				December 31, 1986	
CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE		
Cross Plains	Callahan	Texas	76443		
Dollar Amounts in Thousands					
<b>ASSETS</b>					
1 Cash and balances due from depository institutions					
a. Noninterest-bearing balances					
b. Interest-bearing balances					
2 Securities					
3 Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in BFs					
4 Loans and lease financing receivables					
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income					
b. LESS Allowance for loan and lease losses					
c. LESS Allowance for transfer risk reserve					
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4 a minus 4 b and 4 c)					
5 Assets held in trading accounts					
6 Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)					
7 Other real estate owned					
8 Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies					
9 Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding					
10 Intangible assets					
11 Other assets					
12 Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)					
<b>LIABILITIES</b>					
13 Deposits					
a. In domestic offices					
(1) Noninterest-bearing					
(2) Interest-bearing					
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and BFs					
(1) Noninterest-bearing					
(2) Interest-bearing					
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15 Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury					
16 Other borrowed money					
17 Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases					
18 Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding					
19 Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits					
20 Other liabilities					
21 Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)					
22 Limited-life preferred stock					
<b>EQUITY CAPITAL</b>					
23 Preferred preferred stock (list of shares outstanding)					
24 Common stock (list of shares authorized)					
a. Authorized					
b. Outstanding					
25 Surplus					
26 Undivided profits and capital reserves					
27 Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments					
28 Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)					
29 Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of items 21, 22, and 28)					
<b>MEMORANDA</b> Amounts outstanding as of Report Date					
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Signature Notary Public					

## Weekly Health Tip

### INFANT DIARRHEA

Oral Rehydration Therapy, consisting of a simple, inexpensive packet of sugar and salts could save the lives of tens of thousands of infants each year who die of acute diarrhea, relates Dr. R. Bradley Sack of John Hopkins University. The prepared mixture, dissolved in water and taken orally by infant or child will restore essential fluids and electrolytes lost during diarrhea. The mixture, called "Infalyte" is produced by Penwalt Corp.

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Due to the recent rainy weather, Mr. Jackson was unable to stay on schedule because he was unable to get into the landfill.  
43 2tc

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Superintendent of Schools  
Cross Plains ISD  
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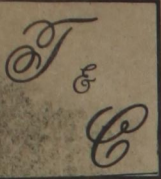
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CORN DOGS State Fair Regular 10 ct. pkg. **\$1.99**

 **Yellow Onions**  
3 lbs for **\$1**

 **Green Cabbage**  
**19¢**  
pound

TOMATOES Large 39¢


BELL PEPPER Fancy 4 for \$1

MUSHROOMS 8 oz. package **99¢**

ORANGES California 3 lbs/\$1

CUCUMBERS Select 4 for \$1

LEMONS Sunkist 8 for \$1

 **Pepsi Cola**  
2 Liters  
**\$1.09**

 **Cake Mixes**  
Betty Crocker  
**79¢**

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42 oz. size  
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SPAGHETTI SAUCE Prego 32 oz. **\$1.79**

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TISSUE Soft-N-Pretty 99¢

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MARGARINE Shurfine 1 lb. quarters **39¢**

FROSTING Betty Crocker 16 oz. **\$1.49**

DINNERS Morton 11 oz. **89¢**

BISCUITS Hungry Jack 10 oz. **59¢**

ORANGE JUICE Shurfresh 12 oz. **89¢**

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CHEESE Borden American Singles 12 oz. **\$1.79**

 **Tuna**  
Breast of Chicken  
**69¢**

 **Coffee**  
Maryland Club  
**\$2.99**

 **Chili Mix**  
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 **Raisins**  
Del Monte Seedless 15 oz. size  
**99¢**