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## Down Home

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** J.B. Shirley, a subscriber from Wickett, Texas, submitted the following poem which was read at his late sister, Anne Schubart's, services. The comforting poetry conveys the hope of eternal life. *Vanda King*

### If You Could See Where I have Gone

If you could see where I have gone  
The beauty of this place  
And how it feels to know you're home  
To see the Savior's face.  
To wake in peace and know no fear,  
Just joy beyond compare,  
While still on earth you miss me yet,  
You wouldn't want me there,  
If you could see where I have gone.

If you could see where I have gone,  
Had made the trip with me,  
You'd know I didn't go alone,  
The Savior came with me.  
When I awoke, He was by my side,  
And reached down His hand,  
Said, "Hurry, you're going home  
To a grand and glorious land.  
"Don't worry over those you love,  
For I'm not just with you,  
And don't you know with you at home,  
They'll long to be here too?"

If you could see where I have gone,  
And see what I've been shown,  
You'd never know another fear,  
Or ever feel alone.  
You'd marvel at the care of God  
His hand on every life,  
And realize He really cares,  
And bears with us each strife,  
And that He weeps when one is lost,  
His heart is filled with pain,  
But oh the joy when one comes home,  
A child at home again.

If you could see where I have gone,  
Could share a while with me  
Could share the things that God has made  
To grace eternity.  
But, no, you couldn't ever leave,  
Once heaven's joy you'd know,  
You couldn't bear to walk earth's paths  
Once heaven was your home  
If you could see where I have gone.

If you could see where I have gone,  
You'd know we'll meet some day,  
And though I'm parted from you now,  
That I am just away.  
So, thank you love ones, thank you friends,  
For living for the Lord  
For encouraging me to love Him,  
To trust Him and His word.  
And now that I'm home with Him,  
Secure in every way,  
I'm waiting here in Heaven's door,  
To greet you some sweet day.

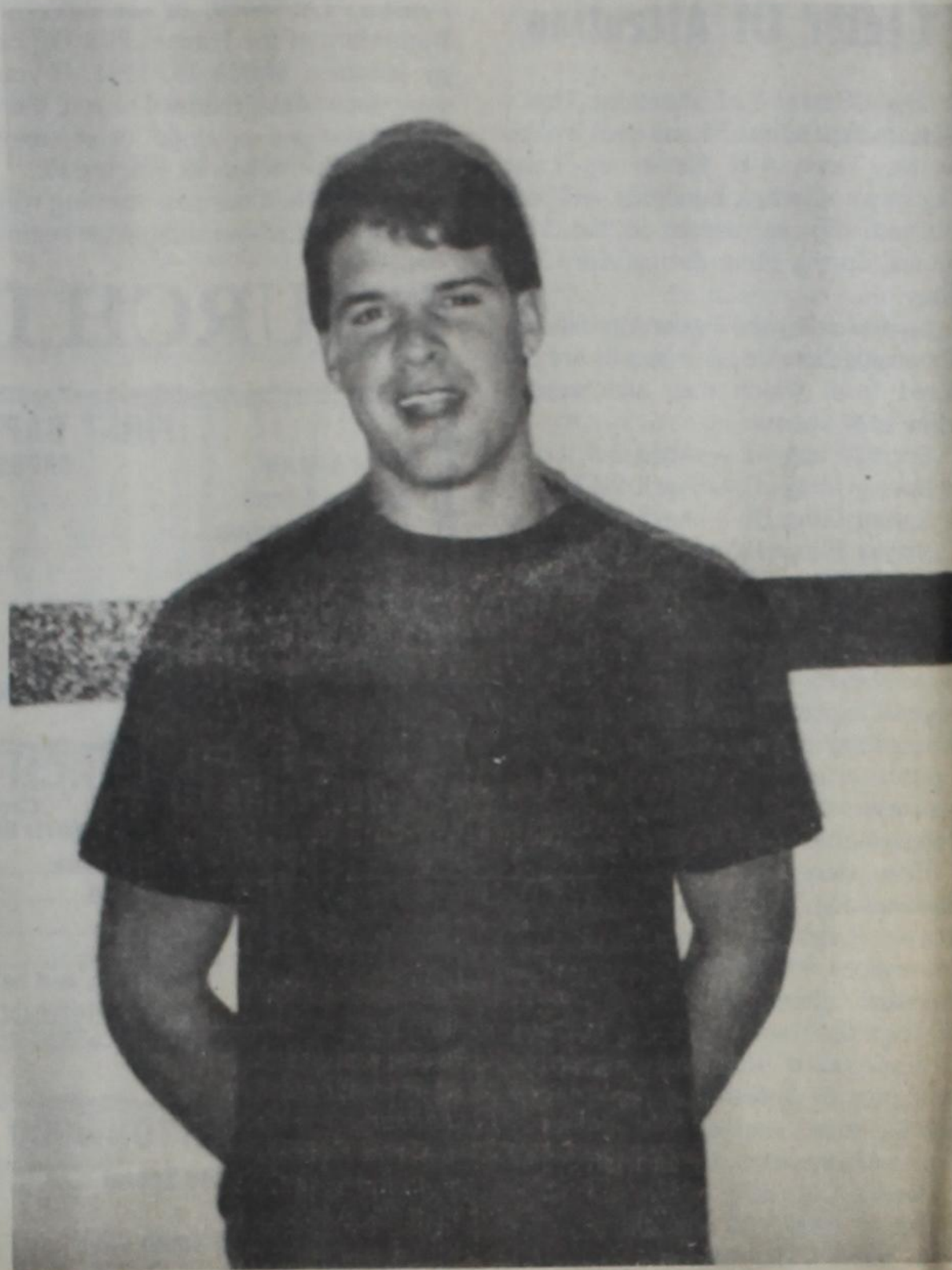
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## Drawing Nigh To God Fellowship Friday, March 29

The Drawing Nigh To God Fellowship Meeting will be at the Pentecostal Church in Pioneer on Friday night, March 29, beginning at 7 p.m.

Afterwards the observance of the Lord's Supper and a Foot Washing is planned. This night is the beginning of the Jewish Passover.

Everyone is invited to stay for all the activities.



**ALL-DISTRICT BASKETBALL CHOICE** — Colby Walker, 6'4", post-forward for Cross Plains High School was an all-district pick the past two years, and co-MVP of District 24-A this season. He averaged 23 points, 13 rebounds, 2.2 blocks, 1.8

steals, and 1.5 assists per game, and shot 51 percent from the field and 67 percent from the free throw line. The Buffaloes took third place in District 24-A and were 16-9 overall. Walker is a junior and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Walker.

## Pioneer Relays

The Cross Plains High School will host the annual Pioneer Track Meet this weekend. The junior high meet will begin Friday at 4 p.m. with the field events. The running events will begin at 6:15.

The high school meet will be Saturday, with field events starting at 8:30 until 11 p.m. Running prelims will begin at 11:30. The final running events will begin 1 hour after the prelims are finished.

This is a chance for the town of Cross Plains to come out to show their support for the athletes.

So, all you workers that volunteered

to work at the track meets — Don't forget Friday and Saturday.

## C.P.I.S.D. Board Of Trustees To Meet Thursday, March 21

The Cross Plains I.S.D. School Board will meet in regular session on Thursday, March 21, in the faculty room of the high school beginning at 7 p.m.

The following agenda will be addressed:

1. Open forum
  2. ESC/14 Board of Directors Election
  3. Textbook adoption
  4. Consider selling used TV's
  5. Consider ordering of new school bus for 1991-92 year.
  6. Driver Education
    - A. Teacher
    - B. Fees
  7. Consider participation in decision-making process pilot project
    - A. Faculty advisory committee
    - B. Set date to canvass school board election results
    - C. Consider band budget for 1991-92 year
    - D. Superintendent's report
    - E. Financial report
    - F. Pay bills
    - G. Personnel
      - A. Auxiliary personnel salaries
      - B. Bus driver license fees
      - C. School nurse for 1991-92 year
    - H. Alternative classroom
      1. Teacher
      2. Site
    - I. Consider board policy
      1. Policy DC (local)
      2. Teacher sick leave
      3. Counselor
      4. Band director
    - J. Adjourn.
- Notice of the meeting was given by M. Lee Thompson, Superintendent.

## Project Graduation Meeting Tuesday, March 26

Project Graduation is a non-alcoholic, drug-free celebration planned for the seniors at Cross Plains High School in honor of their graduation. The project began several years ago with the goal of providing a fun night for the seniors which insured their safety. Every year thousands of seniors lose their lives on graduation night in the process of celebration. The community wanted to do their part in saving the youths.

Anyone interested in assisting with Project Graduation is invited to attend the meeting set for Tuesday, March 26, at 6 p.m. in the high school library.

Parents of local junior and senior students are especially encouraged to attend. Your participation and cooperation has contributed to the success of this project in the past, and will make it an event to look forward to each year by senior classes.



**AN EXCITED OAP CAST** — Trella Cork (back row, from left), Courtney Kirkham; Matt Sowell, (front row,

from left), Tracy Erwin, Angie Purvis, and director, Joe Coppinger. Not pictured but also receiving honors

were Daniel Crockett, Mark Trammel, and Rodney Rudloff.

## First Baptist To Present Easter Celebration Sunday, March 24

The First Baptist Church, Adult Choir will be presenting an Easter Celebration of praise and thanksgiving on Sunday, March 24, beginning at 7 p.m.

"Everyone is invited to this time of praise to our Redeemer," Brother Michael Hale stated.

## C.P. One Act Play Advances To District

By CAROL ATCHLEY

Cross Plains High School again this year hosted the District 12A West Zone One Act Play competition. Four schools competed, including Eula, Baird, Moran, and Cross Plains.

After a long day of rehearsals, competition started at 2 p.m. with Baird performing, then Moran, Eula, and Cross Plains. The following plays

were presented:  
Baird: "The Magician's Nephew"  
Moran: "The Arkansaw Bear"  
Eula: "Cyrano de Bergerac"  
Cross Plains: "And They Dance Real Slow in Jackson."

The judge was Marion Castleberry from McMurry University. He was complimentary towards each of the plays, but only two were selected to advance to the next round of competition.

It was a tense moment in the auditorium as each school eagerly waited for the announcement as to the top two plays. The excitement was overwhelming when the Cross Plains cast, crew, and director heard Contest Manager Leonard Wood call out "Mr. Coppinger," indicating that Cross Plains would be advancing.

Equally as excited was the group from Eula who also will be advancing.

Joe Coppinger, C.P. director of the OAP, was as excited as the students, and in speaking with him he feels that this group is definitely "state-bound" material. He said the group has work

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## Plan Now For Severe Weather

Although tornadoes, severe thunderstorms and floods can strike virtually any part of Texas at any time, spring seems to bring an increase in violent weather.

You can take precautions to assist yourself and your family in the event of a tornado.

Periodically hold a tornado drill so that family members know what to do and where to go if the national weather service issues a tornado warning. The safest part of a house during a tornado traditionally is the basement, but be aware of the potential for flooding if there is heavy rain in the area. Interior bathrooms, hallways, and closets on the ground floor also offer protection from tornadic winds. Avoid windows and outside walls. Take along blankets or sleeping bags to protect yourself from falling debris and shattering glass, which are frequently cause of death and injury during a tornado.

Make certain you have a portable radio and several flashlights (and fresh batteries for both) as well as bottled water, extra prescription medications, and a first aid kit in your shelter area.

Remember, if a tornado strikes, electricity, gas, water, and sewer service may be disrupted for several days.

Mobile homes and automobiles are dangerous places to be during a tornado. If you live in a mobile home, make sure all family members know where the nearest substantial shelter is. If you are in your mobile home or car and can't get to a better shelter: go outside, lie down in the nearest ravine, ditch or culvert and cover your head with your hands. Be aware of the possibility of flooding in low-lying areas. Do not hide under your mobile home or car because both can easily be

picked up and carried away by a tornado.

Your local (city or county) emergency management office can provide you with additional information on severe weather precautions. The Governor's Division of Emergency Management, the National Weather Service, the Texas Insurance Advisory Association, and the Federal Emergency Management Agency are sources of information and publications on various weather phenomena and related information.

### Tornado PSA — 15 seconds Watch/Warning

Knowing the difference between a tornado watch and a tornado warning could save your life. A watch means conditions are right for tornadoes to form. A warning means a tornado has been sighted in your area, and you should take cover quickly.

### This message from the Texas Division of Emergency Management.

### Tornado PSA — 30 seconds Take Action

Tornadoes can strike at any time, any place, in Texas. Listen to national weather service bulletins for weather information. If a warning is issued or you see a tornado, immediately take shelter below ground or in an interior hallway or bathroom on the ground floor. Stay away from windows.

If you're outside, lie flat in a ditch or ravine and cover your head with your arms. Do not stay in or under your car or mobile home, since both are easily moved by tornadoes. Do not try to outrun a tornado or drive away from it in your car.

This message from your state and local Emergency Management Offices.

## Update On City And School Board Election Candidates

Incumbents Randy Montgomery and Donnie Dillard filed earlier for the two 3-year board terms, and Reggie Stover announced his candidacy for the 1 year term, following Charles Chesshir's resignation.

City Council incumbents Ted McKeenan, Donald Beeler, and Leon Nixon filed for re-election. Gene Dillard and James Nichols are seeking their first terms on the council.

A drawing for positions on the ballot for council seats will take place Thursday, March 21, at 3 p.m. at the City Hall.

Election day is set for Saturday, May 4, at the Cross Plains Community Center.

## Colonial Oaks Services

First Baptist Church will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, March 24, beginning at 3:30 p.m.



# COURTHOUSE NEWS

**COUNTY COURT**  
Bill Johnson, presiding

**Misdemeanor Filings**

Ronald Edwin Huddleston, fleeing to elude police.  
Donald Wayne Lamb, possession of marijuana.  
Elgin Mack Criswell, fleeing to elude police.  
Charged with theft of property by check: Leopoldo Espinoza, Toni Young, Linda Cannon.  
Charged with DWI: I.L. Wozencraft, Jr., Dale Matthew Miller, Ronald Edwin Huddleston, John Barry Strange, Donald Wayne Lamb, Elgin Mack Criswell, Janie Kay Braddock.

**Misdemeanor Minutes**

Motions filed to revoke probations on: Lavoie Nathaniel Henderson, Kimberly Cleek Caperton, Kevin Patrick King.  
Marcelo Ortiz Chavez, motion dismissed to revoke probation.  
Gary Michael Robertson, DWI, \$400 fine \$129.50 court costs, 60 days in jail probated for 18 months.  
Jacob Anthony Barnett, reckless conduct, \$1000 fine \$149.50 court costs, 60 days in jail probated for 6 months.  
Lavon Brawley, theft of property by check, \$10 fine \$142.50 court costs.  
Beau Joe Jones, guilty verdict on possession of marijuana set aside due to deferred adjudication.  
Kirk Hale, speeding charge dismissed due to completing defensive driving course.

Bonnie Davis, theft of property by check, \$10 fine \$142.50 court costs.  
Probations discharged on: Celia C. Espinoza, Lane Dale Fulgham, Shawn Bury, Jewel Ellen Bury, Larry Doyal Floyd, Gary Michael Robertson.  
Traffic cases dismissed: Ovis Rhodes, Jr., \$162.50 bond forfeited, Ricky Dan Beasley \$192.50 bond forfeited, Jerry Wayne Walker \$192.50 bond forfeited, Michael Brent Boedeker \$162.50 bond forfeited, Helen F. Mahoney \$162.50 bond forfeited, Milton Hodge \$162.50 bond forfeited.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Deana Lee Harrison, Clyde, Jimmy Uthell Saunders, Baird.  
Rhonda Jean Summers & Lawrence Valdez of Clyde.

**NEW VEHICLES**

Phillips Drig. Co., Rising Star, Ford PU.  
Gloria & Tommy Masters, Abilene, Chev PU.  
Michael S. Haynes, Abilene, Pont 2 dr. A. D. Moyer, Cisco, Chev Sub.  
Iva Mae Early, Abilene, Pont 4 dr.  
Joe & Louise Shelton, Abilene, Chev PU.  
Ernie Anderson, Abilene, Chev PU.  
L. B. & Marie Smith, Abilene, Chev 4 dr.

**42nd DISTRICT COURT**  
Don Lane, presiding

**Civil Filings**

Divorces filed:  
Nigar, Meredith Brisco and Donnie Ray, and in the interest of minor children.  
Beasley, Lynn Dale and Jerry.

**Civil Minutes**

Divorces granted:  
Newson, Dwight Lester and Vida Estell.  
Cozby, Charles Lynn and Sherri Lynn. Roberts, Linda Lou and William Delbert.  
Miller, Roy K. and Lera Jean.

**Felony Minutes**

Tammy Estell Milsap, injury to a child dismissed due to agreement to terminate parental rights.  
Larry G. Lewis, burglary of a habitation, \$650 restitution, 5 years at TDC.



Kuwait is slightly smaller than the state of New Jersey.

# OBITUARIES

**Hattie Lee Bryson Lacy Shala Marie Brubaker**

**CAPTAN** — Graveside services for Hattie Lee Bryson Lacy, 95, of Capitan, were held at 3 p.m. Monday, March 11, 1991, in the Capitan Cemetery.

The Rev. Ray C. Wells of Ruidoso officiated.  
Mrs. Lacy passed away Saturday afternoon in the Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso. She was born May 20, 1895, in Pioneer, Texas. Her parents, William Joseph and Sarah Jane Bryson, moved to Cross Plains from Pioneer in the early twenties. She moved to Lincoln County in 1928 from Ballinger, Texas.

She was a retired school teacher and rancher in Lincoln and Socorro Counties and was named Lincoln County's Teacher of the Year in 1960.

She married John Franklin Lacy in 1923 in Ballinger, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1962; her son, Jake Franklin Lacy, in 1950; her parents; 6 brothers; and 5 sisters.

Survivors include two sons, Henry B. Lacy and Kenneth Lacy, both of Capitan; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

She was the aunt of Betty Browning of Cross Plains.

**BAIRD** — Shala Marie Brubaker, infant daughter of Chris Ryberg and Larry Brubaker, died Monday, March 11, in an Abilene hospital.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Pioneer Cemetery near Cross Plains with the Rev. Daniel Moore officiating, directed by Parker Funeral Home.

In addition to her parents, survivors include her paternal grandmother, Dee Hughes of Baird; and her maternal grandparents, Maurice and Ruth Hooley of Harper, Kansas.

**Center Of Attention**

The "Center" of attention! That's what mature adults 55 and over will be at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood when hundreds will enthusiastically participate in the 11th annual Spring Fling during April and May.

Sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, five weeks are offered from which men and women alike may choose:

- Spring Fling I — April 2-5
- Spring Fling II — April 9-12
- Spring Fling III — April 16-19
- Spring Fling IV — April 23-26
- Spring Fling V — April 30-May 3

Featured educational programs and "hands-on" learning centers offer a wide variety of topics to fulfill the highest expectations of all who attend. Energizing and relaxing recreational opportunities will stimulate enthusiasm while all will welcome great fellowship and new friends.

Boat rides and fishing on Lake Brownwood add popularity to your stay. Lighted tennis courts, horseshoes, billiards, volleyball, shuffleboard, dominoes, and card and table games round out the event.

A special of "Cartoon Characters" will provide a festive atmosphere to the facilities. Thursday's theme party will feature events and activities with "Cosmic Capers."

Spring Fling! 55 or older? It's for you! Each weekly event is limited to the first 65 participants at a nominal fee. Get away and learn to make the most of the best years of your life. Call your County Extension Office today at (815) 854-1518.

## Need Help With Income Tax Preparation?

The Tax-Aide program provides free personal income tax counseling and tax form preparation to low and moderate income taxpayers. Volunteers are trained to complete basic tax forms. People with complex tax returns will be advised to seek professional tax assistance.

Tax-Aide volunteers for the local area are Irma Miller and Pauniece Oglesby. They will be at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center each Monday and Tuesday from 10 a.m. — 12 noon and 1 p.m. — 3 p.m. to assist the taxpayer.

For questions or appointments, please call 725-6772 or 725-7698.

## Putnam Ex-Student-Teacher Association Sets Homecoming

The Putnam Ex-Student-Teacher Homecoming will be held Saturday, March 30, at the Putnam School Building with Carl White of Clyde as Master of Ceremonies. The classes of 1939-40 and 1940-41 will be honored.

Activities will begin with registration at 9 a.m. Coffee and cookies will be served during the morning visitation time. Everyone is invited to come early and have time to visit friends and exes.

The noon meal will be catered by the Putnam Red Barn Barbecue. The menu will consist of brisket, chicken, ham, beans, potato salad, cole slaw, coffee, and tea. The cost of the meal will be \$5.50. If you desire to eat at the school building, please send your reservation to: Mary King, Box 908, Putnam, TX 76469, or see LaVerne Rutherford at the Putnam Post Office by Monday, March 25, 1991. If you want your tickets returned to you, then send a stamped envelope, or you may pick up your tickets as you register.

After lunch, a business meeting will be held in the school auditorium beginning at 1:30 p.m. The program is as follows: Invocation — G.W. Weeks; Welcome — Calvin King; Response — Butch Petty; and School Song — Roy Lee Williams. A patriotic program saluting the exes who have served in the armed forces is planned. The business session will end at 3 p.m.

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The 17 radio stations, one television station and five daily newspapers in Iraq are all government-operated.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
CROSS PLAINS (817) 725-7629

10TH & MAIN

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Church Training	6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.

Michael Hale, Pastor — 725-7556 Rob Saries, Music/Youth — 725-7550

Located at 12th & Main Phone 725-4117

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
CROSS PLAINS

COME WORSHIP WITH US WHERE CHRIST IS HONORED

Sunday Morning Bible Class	9:45 A.M.	Wed. Morning	
Sunday Morning Worship	10:45 A.M.	Ladies Bible Class	
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 P.M.	(Seasonal) 10:00 A.M.	
Wed. Evening Bible Study	7:00 P.M.		

Come now, and let us reason together" Isaiah 1:18  
WE WELCOME ONE AND ALL

**COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH**  
'WHERE JESUS IS LORD'

SERVICES: Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Training Union & Youth Choir	6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.
Wed. Evening Prayer Service	7:30 p.m.
Sunday Choir Practice	6:00 p.m.

KNOX WAGGONER, Pastor

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
North Main at George Scott Cross Plains, Texas

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:45 a.m.
Youth Meet Sundays	6:00 p.m.
Choir Practice Wednesdays	6:30 p.m.
Women's Group - 3rd Monday	5:30 p.m.
Men's Group - 3rd Wednesday	7:00 p.m.

REV. SUSAN TRAMMELL, Pastor 725-7377

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
9TH & AVE. D CROSS PLAINS

WORSHIP SERVICE	9:30 A.M.
BIBLE CLASS	10:30 A.M.

**Jasper McClellan, Pastor**  
Everyone Welcome

**BELIEVER'S FELLOWSHIP**  
Undenominational — Evangelical

EAST HIGHWAY 36

Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:15 p.m.
Wednesday Night Family Bible Study	7:30 p.m.

Charlie Fortenberry, Pastor 725-6607

**UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
9th & N. Main Cross Plains

"Spirit Filled Worship"

Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study	7:30 p.m.

Phillip R. Schaefer, Pastor 817-725-7140

**TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
8th & Ave. D - Cross Plains, Texas

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening	6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	7:30 p.m.

Rodney Mulvane, Pastor Phone 725-7122

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SOUND TEACHING FOR GOD-FEARING FAMILIES  
Esteeming Truth, Righteousness and the Gospel of peace Mt. 10:1-17  
Discipling beyond mere empty religion Mt. 23:1-25  
Calling all to visible disciplined obedience of the faith Mt. 15

Biblical - Conservative - Conclusive - Alive - Joyful  
Representing the holy God Who effectively saves bad people Mt. 10:20

Sunday: Family Bible Teaching 10-11:30AM, 6:30-7:30PM  
Wednesdays: 6:30PM  
ALL WELCOME & accepted on their merits. Mt. 7:12

## Nationalized banking—from those wonderful folks who brought you the deficit budget.

We wish they were kidding. But they seem very serious. A number of members of Congress believe that some states—Texas being one of them—simply have too many banks. So they are introducing bills to "fix" the problem. Their legislation, if voted into law, could totally change the way you do banking.

Those people on Capitol Hill say community banks, such as this one, are redundant. They'd like to see us merged into branches of large interstate, nationwide conglomerates. No matter that state laws prevent such concentration.

During the past five years Texans have watched as close to 60 percent of the assets in our banks have been taken over by six out-of-state holding companies. NCNB alone now controls 28 percent of the market.

With nationalized banking, Texas bank customers soon would have only memories of a healthy competitive climate that once flourished.

Nationalization of banking means we lose and you lose. This bank no longer could actively help shape the future of this area. Your loan officer, today an important partner in your business plans, probably would be

replaced by a "take a number" system. And your hard-earned deposits, now being plowed back into the area as loans, could be siphoned off to New York, Ohio or other regions thought to possess high growth potential.

Our directors, officers and staff believe a local banking focus is essential to the economic health of this community. If you agree, contact the U.S. Senators and Congressmen from Texas listed here. Each will play an important role in reshaping our financial system.

Call us if you need the phone number of your local Congressman.

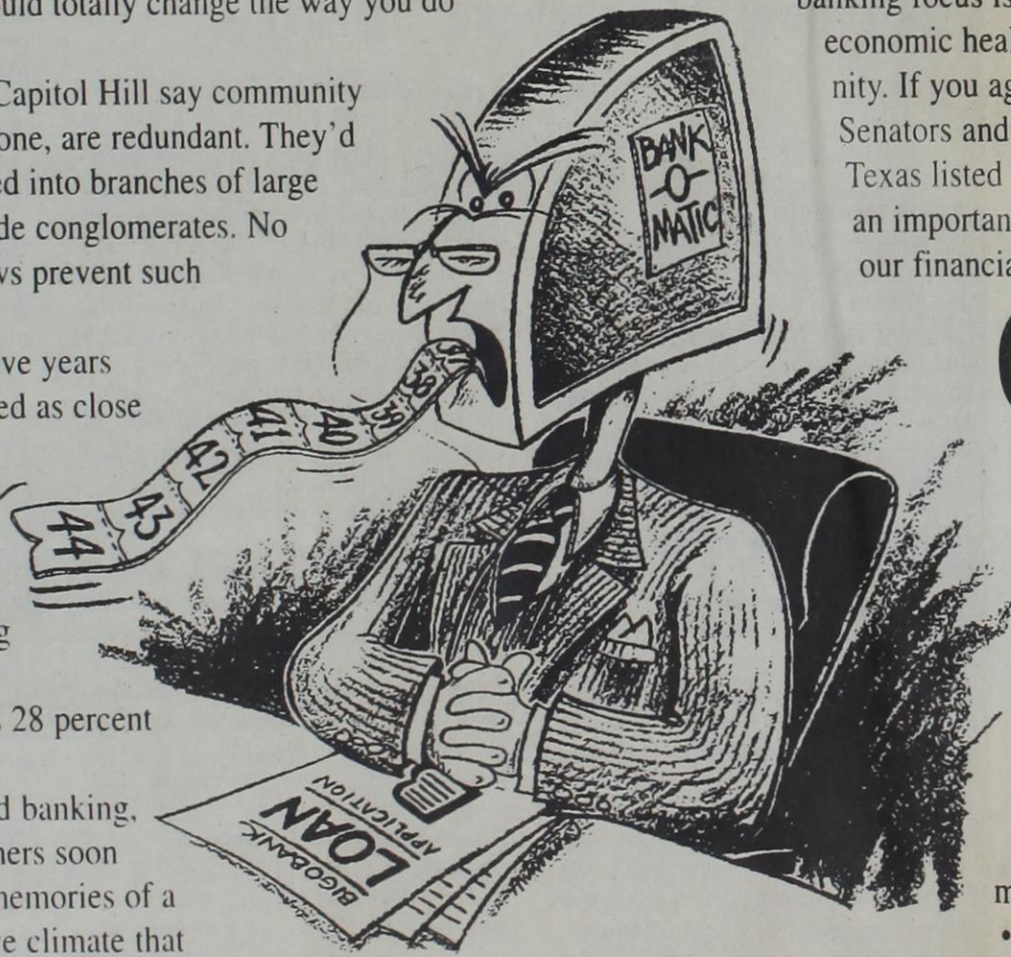
Be sure they get this message: Vote "No" to nationalized—or interstate—banking.

• Hon. Lloyd Bentsen, chairman, Senate Finance Committee, 202/224-5922.

• Hon. Phil Gramm, member, Senate Banking Committee, 202/224-2934.

• Hon. Steve Bartlett, R-Dallas, member, House Banking Committee, 202/225-4201.

• Hon. Henry Gonzalez, D-San Antonio, chairman, House Banking Committee, 202/225-3236.



**CITIZENS STATE BANK**

P.O. Box 699  
Cross Plains, Texas  
Phone (817) 725-6141 or 725-6142





## Big Cash Prize Offered For Talent

The Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce will be adding a new feature to their list of numerous fun-filled activities at the annual "Funtier Days" held on May 11 and 12 this year in Santa Anna.

A talent show will be launched on Sunday, May 12, at 2 p.m. at Funtier Square in Santa Anna. Trophies will be presented to the 2nd and 3rd prize winners. The 1st prize winner will walk away \$500 richer for his or her efforts! You read correctly, \$500 cold cash will be handed over to the top prize winner! Individuals and groups will be eligible for entry in the contest. A \$50 entry fee will be required to enter.

Those interested parties will need to send for an entry form and a list of contest rules by contacting Kay Gray at HCR-78, Box 169, Santa Anna, Texas 76878, or by calling her at (915) 348-3136 during the day, or (915) 348-3454 after 5 p.m. The deadline for entries is April 26.

## Avoiding SSI Overpayments

If you get Supplemental Security Income (SSI) checks, you should tell Social Security whenever there's a change in your resources, income, or living arrangements. That way, you can be sure to get the right amount in your check each month, and you can

### Mitchell Baptist Church Revival April 1-7

The Mitchell Baptist Church will be in Revival on April 1-7. Evening service only will be at 7:30. Rev. Paul Simpson, Pastor of the Emanuel Baptist Church at Miami, Oklahoma and the son of Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Simpson of Cottonwood, will be the evangelist. Mr. Jim Webb of Cisco will direct music.

The Mitchell Baptist Church is located 7 miles southwest of Cisco on a country road.

Jess Bigbee of Cottonwood is the pastor. He said, "Come participate in this special service. You will find a warm, friendly welcome at this country church."

avoid the hardship caused by paying back overpayments.

Too often, people getting SSI forget to report a change so they end up being overpaid. Since the law requires the Social Security Administration to recover the overpayment, the money is usually withheld from future checks, resulting in a tremendous hardship for many people.

You can avoid overpayments and their recovery by promptly telling Social Security about any change. When you started getting SSI, you received a booklet called, **What You Have To Know About SSI**. That booklet details all the things that must be reported. If you've lost your copy, you can call Social Security and get a new one — free of charge. It's a good idea to keep the booklet in a safe place and look at it from time to time to help remind you about what should be reported.

Examples of changes that commonly cause overpayments when not reported are listed below. If you get SSI, be sure to tell Social Security about any of the following changes:

- If you have an increase in resources — the things you own, such as cash, checking or savings accounts, stocks, bonds, and certificates of deposit;
- If you have an increase in income — both earned and unearned;
- If you get help with your living expenses;
- If you enter a hospital or other institution;
- If you plan to leave the United States;
- If you move or someone moves into or out of your house;
- If someone who lives with you dies;
- If you or someone who lives with you has a baby or gets married, widowed, divorced, or separated;
- If your health improves while you're getting checks because of disability or blindness.

It's easy to report a change. Just call Social Security at 1-800-234-5772. You should report the change within 10 days after the month it happens. But remember, the sooner you report the change, the sooner Social Security can correct your check.

Avoid overpayments — report changes right away!

### New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Ector Mireles of Sterling City would like to announce the birth of their baby daughter, Katrina Michelle, on February 21, 1991. She weighed 9 pounds 7½ ounces and was 21 inches long. She was born in a San Angelo hospital. Her mother is the former Peggy Lee.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee of Pioneer and Paublo Mireles of Sterling City.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Bessie Jackson and E.P. McLoud of Rockdale and Juan Mireles of Allende Coak, Mexico.

## State Sales And Use Tax Totals Given For County

The state sales and use tax analysis for Callahan County has been reported for the third quarter of 1990 by State Comptroller John Sharp's office.

Sharp reported gross sales, for all industries in Callahan County, for the third quarter of 1990 at \$11,474,654, which is 5.4 percent higher than the gross sales of \$11,336,290 reported during the third quarter of 1989. Gross sales is the total amount of all sales, leases and rentals of tangible personal

### 87th Infantry Division Of WWI And WWII Reunion Will Be In Oklahoma

On September 25-29, the 87th (Golden Acorn) Infantry Division and its Combat Support Units, — 549AAA 735th Tank Battalion 607th Tank Battalion 602nd Tank Destroyer 610th Tank Destroyer, will hold its 42nd annual Reunion in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma at the Airport Hilton Inn West.

The 87th Infantry Division was activated and trained as a combat Infantry Division in both world wars. In 1917 the Division joined Gen. Pershing's A.E.F. in France, and as it was being assigned to the Western Front, the Armistice was signed. In World War II, the Division went into combat at Metz, France. During 154 days of almost continual combat, the Golden Acorn Combat Team fought in France, Belgium, Luxembourg, and Germany. It advanced more than 345 miles in the European Theater, taking 63,338 prisoners and liberating hundreds of towns. Veterans of the famous "Battle of the Bulge," crossing of the Moselle and Rhine rivers, and the "lightning streak" in pursuit of the Nazis across the heart of Germany, fighting many bitter battles from the once impregnable Siegfried Line to the Czech Border.

The combat ability of the 87th Infantry Division was held in high regard by Gen. George Patton, Commander of the Third Army, and this Division received 3 Bronze Combat Battle Stars for its most valiant efforts in the battles of the Ardennes, Rhineland, and Central Europe.

For additional information on the 87th Division Reunion, contact: Gladwin Pascuzzo, 2374 N. Dundee Ct., Highland, Michigan 48357-3716. Telephone: (313) 887-9005.

property and all labor and service charges made during the reporting period.

Use tax purchases for the third quarter of 1990 for all industries in Callahan County amounted to \$12,750. Use tax purchases are the cost of all taxable items removed from inventory for personal or business use and all purchases on which no Texas sales tax was paid or use tax accrued.

The amount subject to state sales and use tax in the third quarter of 1990 in Callahan County was \$4,272,358. The amount subject to state sales and use tax is calculated by taking taxable sales and adding use tax purchases.

The number of individual business locations in Callahan County with a sales and use tax permit who filed a return is 226. There were 224 permits issued during the same quarter last year.

The gross sales for the retail trade division in Callahan County for the third quarter of 1990 was \$7,457,507, which is 3.3 percent lower than the 1989 third quarter gross sales of \$7,715,626.

The use tax purchases for the retail trade division in Callahan County for the third quarter of 1990 was \$4,830.

The amount subject to state sales and use tax for the third quarter of 1990 was \$3,095,469 for the retail trade division of Callahan County.

The number of reporting outlets in the retail trade division in Callahan County is 114. There were 119 reporting outlets during the same quarter last year.

## Don't Wait to Estimate for '91

You may have to pay estimated tax during 1991 if you receive income such as self-employment earnings, interest, dividends, prizes and awards.

Most taxpayers do not have to worry about estimating because tax is withheld from their paychecks all year long.

Plan to pay estimated tax during 1991 if you expect:

- to owe \$500 or more, and
- the total amount of your tax withheld from 1991 income is less than either: 90% of the tax shown on the 1990 return or 100% of the tax shown on your 1989 tax return. Use whichever is smaller.

Estimated tax may be paid in full or in four installments. The first payment is due by April 15, 1991. Form 1040-ES contains instructions, a worksheet to figure estimated tax and payment vouchers.

When you file your 1991 tax return, use Form 1040 or Form 1040A to be credited for the estimated tax paid.

Further information about estimated tax is in IRS Publication 505, *Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax*. You may order the publication and Form 1040-ES by calling toll-free, 1-800-829-3676.

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## Penalty Should Be Tougher For Child Murderers

By SENATOR J.E.  
'BUSTER' BROWN  
Vice Chairman,  
Criminal Justice Committee

The criminal justice system has failed our children. They are beaten, raped and murdered every day. Yet the people that commit these acts sometimes escape severe punishment.

When a mother listens helplessly over the phone as her 3-year-old son is shot to death by his father, the sentence handed down should be swift, certain, and severe.

Our state's strongest penalty is the death penalty. However, it often does not apply in these cases. The U.S. Supreme Court has said that the death penalty should apply only under special circumstances. In Texas, those circumstances, as spelled out in the statutes, are: murder of a peace officer in the act of discharging his or her duties; murder while committing the following offenses: kidnapping, burglary, robbery, aggravated sexual assault or arson; murder for remuneration; murder while trying to escape prison; murder of an employee of a penal institution; and murder of more than one person during a crime or according to a planned scheme.

Under current law, murder that does not fit into the above categories, such as death of a child resulting from a prolonged period of abuse, does not qualify for the death penalty.

The Senate approved a bill last week that would require that the death penalty be considered when a child under the age of 10 is murdered.

Children this young are dependent on their parents or guardians. But some families do not offer a safe haven.

According to Child Protective Services at the Texas Department of Human Services, over the last five years, 586 children lost their lives as a result of abuse by a parent or legal guardian. This appalling figure does not include children murdered by strangers.

Last year saw a 15 percent increase in foster care for children that could not safely remain in their own homes.

Our police officers are protected by the death penalty. They wear bullet proof vests and carry a gun. Our youngest children, with their entire lives ahead of them, too often face

tragedy alone.

Police Officer Mark Clark told the Senate Criminal Justice Committee last month of the frustration that he and other officers feel at watching brutal criminals walk free. "It's about the most heartbreaking situation you can imagine. Kids are innocent. Kids are helpless."

It is time that Senate Bill 10 became law. It has the strong support of many outrageous families. Facing the worst kind of grief, they have told their stories to television cameras and packed hearing rooms.

The mother who listened helplessly over the phone, once again relived her horror. She testified before our committee again that anyone who would torture and kill a child should face the most severe consequences. She relived her tragedy in hopes of changing the system.

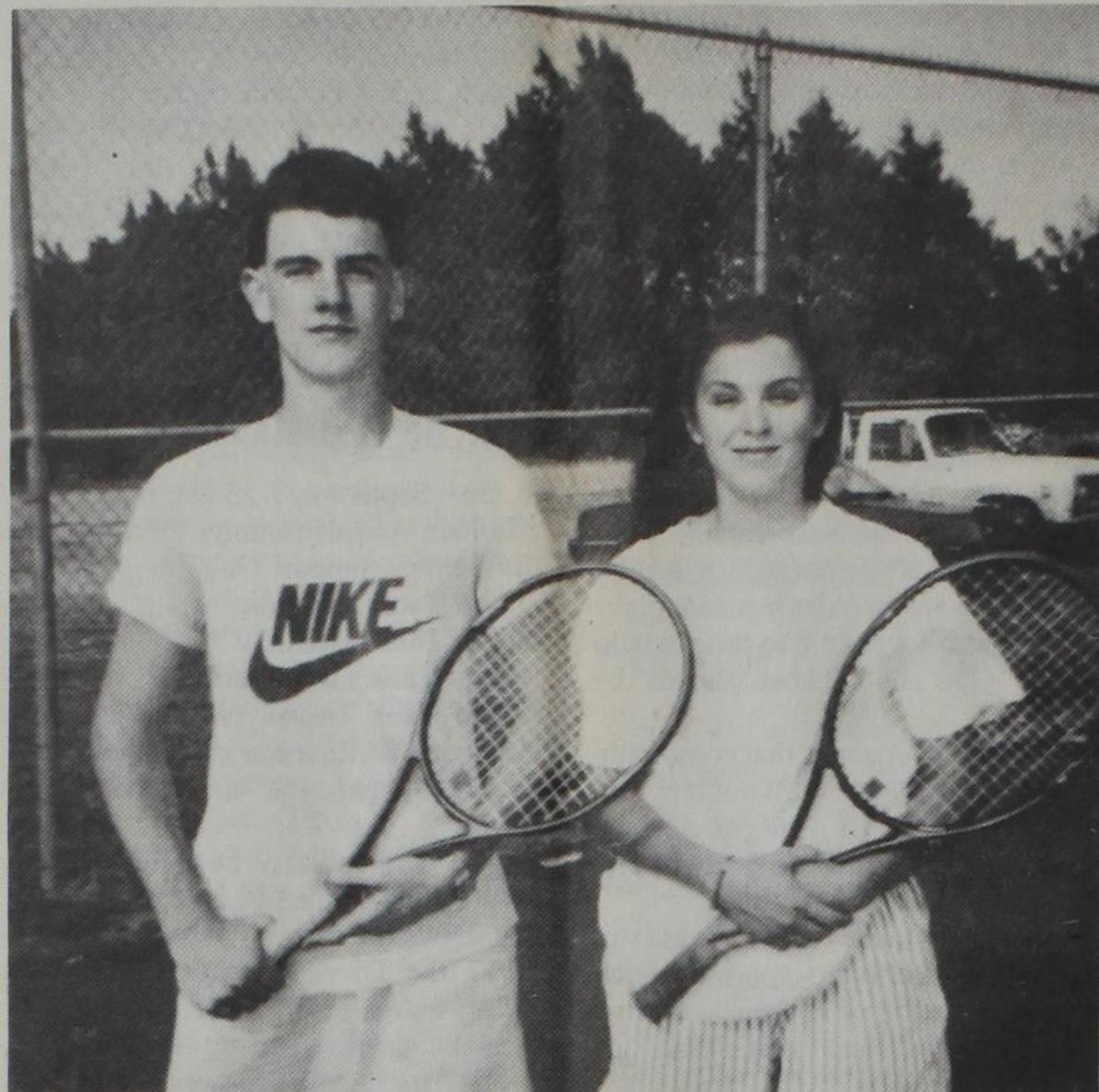
Because of her courage and groups like Parents of Murdered Children, this legislation has three times won overwhelming approval in the Senate. It missed passage in the House by a narrow margin.

Approval last week by the Senate is a strong step forward. Although final passage is not certain, I believe that Senate Bill 10 will become law this year.



**TOP TENNIS COMPETITORS** — Pam Glover and her doubles partner, Samantha Newman, (not pictured) won 1st in doubles competition. Tak-

ing 2nd place were Erlinda Cortez and her partner, Robbye Hutton (not pictured).



**TENNIS WINNERS** — Jason Rutledge took 2nd place in the Boys Singles; Shana Bagley finished 3rd in Girls Singles.

## C.P. Tennis Tournney Produced Many Local Winners

By COACH MACK McCONAL

### Girls Doubles

1st Place: Glover/Newman — Cross Plains beat 2nd place Hutton/Cortez — Cross Plains (6-2) (6-4).

Cross Plains scores were: Glover/Newman — De Leon (8-0); — San Saba (6-2) (6-2); and 1st place — Cross Plains (6-2) (6-4).

Hutton/Cortez — De Leon (8-5); — San Saba (6-2) (4-6) (7-5); 2nd place — Cross Plains (2-6) (4-6). Atchison/McKenzie — San Saba (0-8); De Leon (1-8).

### Boys Singles

Rutledge — Cross Plains — 2nd place overall — Cummings — San Saba.

Rutledge lost and won 2nd — (2-6) (4-6).

Complete results were: Rutledge — Cross Plains No. 3 — San Saba (9-8); Cross Plains No. 2 — San Saba (6-7) (6-3) (6-1); finals Cross Plains No. 1 — San Saba (2-6) (4-6); Rudloff — Aspermont (2-8); Winfrey (8-2); Stephenson — No. 2 San Saba (8-9); and No. 3 San Saba (8-2).

### Boys Doubles

Rudloff/Whitsitt — San Saba No. 3 (8-4); San Saba No. 1 (4-6) (1-6).

Crockett/Morgan — Aspermont (9-7); No. 2 San Saba (6-4) (6-7) (2-6).

Cross Plains Varsity will be in Santa Anna March 22-23. Competition will be tough and some of the best Class A and 2A teams in this area will be present.

## One Act Play Continued From Page 1

ed extremely hard on this year's production of what he considers to be a demanding play.

The play, which centers around the life of a paralyzed girl, was so well done and convincing that many of the spectators were left in tears. It was also reported that many people who do not know Tracy Erwin were actually convinced that she truly was paralyzed.

Also, part of the cast are Tiffany Cosper, James Reed, Michelle Richardson, Eddie Talent, Jamie Jones, and Liz Cavanaugh. Crew members are Pam Glover, Roger Rudloff, Brandon Smith, Terri Abernathy, and alternates, Brandi Eppard and Leslie Reed.

Cross Plains also swept the honors in being chosen for the 18 positions in the All-Star cast for honorable mention and best actress categories. The results are as follows:

**Best Actress:** Tracy Erwin — Cross Plains.

**Best Actor:** Michael Garner — Eula.

### All Star Cast:

Shawn Massie — Eula.  
James Crosby — Eula.  
Daniel Crockett — Cross Plains.  
Chance Mitchell — Moran.  
Mark Trammel — Cross Plains.  
Angie Purvis — Cross Plains.  
Kay Tabor — Moran.  
Kara Stapp — Baird.

### Honorable Mention All Star Cast:

Matt S...  
Buddy Harris — Eula.  
Robin Milner — Baird.  
Michelle Abernathy — Baird.  
Meredith Coley — Baird.  
Rodney Rudloff — Cross Plains.  
Courtney Kirkham — Cross Plains.  
Trella Cork — Cross Plains.

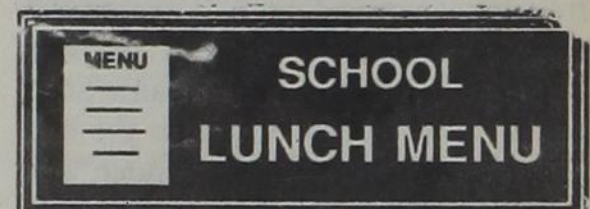
The next competition will be Thursday, March 28, also at Cross Plains Auditorium. Performance times and schools participating are not yet determined. If you are unable to see the play next week, Mr. Coppinger invites you to the public showing at a date to be set in the future.

### Limited Check Life

Cash your U. S. income tax refund checks within one year of the date on the check. After that date, the check will be invalid and you will have to contact the IRS to have a new check issued.

## Tenth Annual Art Contest

Congressman Charles Stenholm announced plans for the tenth annual art



MARCH 25-29

(Subject to Change)

### BREAKFAST

**MONDAY** — Hash, browns w/gravy, biscuit, grape juice, milk.

**TUESDAY** — Pancake, sausage, orange juice, milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Choice of ready to eat cereal, toast, grape juice, milk.

**THURSDAY** — Oatmeal, toast, sausage, orange juice, milk.

**FRIDAY** — Holiday.

### LUNCH

**MONDAY** — Burrito w/chili, cheese, spinach, pineapple, crackers, milk.

**TUESDAY** — Vegetable beef soup, grilled cheese sandwich, crackers, chilled pears, milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Tacos, salad, buttered corn, Jello w/fruit, milk.

**THURSDAY** — Submarine sandwich, chips, salad, pickles, ice cream, milk.

**FRIDAY** — Holiday.

## Hardy Murr Recipient Of 1990 Rural Heroism Award

**ARLINGTON** — A fourth-generation Kimble County rancher who lost his life attempting to rescue a ranch hand from a stock pond last November has been named recipient of the 1990 Rural Heroism Award posthumously.

Jane Murr, widow of forty-three-year-old Hardy Murr of Junction, received a plaque honoring her late husband for attempting to save the life of Cap Lyn Machen, 23, from a stock pond on a ranch near Carrizo Springs. Machen also died in the attempted rescue.

The presentation was made during the 53rd annual Texas/Southwestern Safety Conference and Exposition held at the Arlington Convention Center.

On November 28, 1990, Murr was in a helicopter during a cattle roundup on the Farias Ranch near Carrizo Springs. Murr saw a calf wandering into a stock pond and noticed a fellow worker, Cap Lyn Machen, riding his horse into the pond in an attempt to rescue the calf.

Sensing the perilous situation, Murr jumped from the helicopter into the pond and began pulling Machen to the surface of the water. While holding onto the skid, Murr tried to pull Machen to safety. However, the

weight of Machen and Murr's own slippery cold hands proved his own undoing and both men sank back into the frigid waters and drowned.

Murr's widow is the daughter of Maragrite Stevenson and the late Texas Gov. Coke Stevenson. He also left behind two children, Andrew, 13, and Rachel, 9.

Murr was serving on the Kimble County Farm Bureau Board of Directors at the time of his death. Murr was chosen from several entries submitted statewide.

Other regional shows will be held in Big Spring, Gainesville, Graham, Post, Snyder, Stephenville, and Weatherford. Winners from the entire 35 counties of the 17th district will be announced at an awards brunch in Abilene on April 27. Charlie and Cindy Stenholm will host the brunch.

Artwork must be no larger than 30" by 30" (unframed) and two-dimensional. If a student chooses to do a landscape, it should portray a Texas scene. Eligible categories are paintings, prints, drawings, or collages.

For more information and entry forms, contact Stenholm's office in Stamford at (915) 773-3623, his office in Abilene at (915) 673-7221, or Martha Kiel in Abilene, (915) 692-9591.

## OIL NEWS

### New Tests

### Callahan

Nosivad Oil Inc., Clyde, will drill 2 wells in the Nosivad (Hope Sand) 6 miles northwest of Oplin on a 228-acre lease in Section 362, G.W. Denton, A-140. They are:

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No. 10 is a twin to No. 4 producing from the Nosivad (Cook Sand).

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**MARCH 22**  
Barbara Strickland  
Brian Kelly  
Brenda Newton  
Marie Starr  
Robert Ringhoffer  
Debby Scott  
Randy Nickerson

**MARCH 23**  
Kelly Gardner  
Anna Jo McLain  
Diana (Purvis) Stover  
Winnie (Boden) McGill  
Bob Bomar  
Van Steven Young  
Wesley Hutchins  
M.H. Stout  
Lisa Mulvane

**MARCH 24**  
Kathy June Franke  
Mrs. Weldon Newton  
Mrs. Norman Lee  
Calvert Sheppard  
Clovis Ray Simons  
Mrs. Roy Markham  
Don Scott  
Mrs. Becky Baggett  
Tommy King  
Mrs. W.E. Nowell  
Donnie Duncan  
Duane Hutchins  
Ralph Erwin  
Tommy Potter

**MARCH 25**  
J.T. Sheppard  
Cindy Kinnard  
Mrs. Louise (Markham) Hokett  
Ronnie Richardson  
H.G. Thornton  
R.W. Purvis  
Theada Allen  
Anita Rose  
Mrs. Dick Koenig  
Cliffadean Hargrove  
Jonathan Gardner  
Beverly (Boles) Archer

**MARCH 26**  
Terri Markham  
Wm. Keith Kelly  
Patricia Ann McMillan  
James Harris  
J.L. Melton  
Sue Stone  
Carrol Falkner  
A.F. (Buddy) Thate  
Carl Sheppard  
Dena Marie Nichols  
Janie (Clark) Woody  
Mariam Harris

**MARCH 27**  
Mrs. Doyle Burchfield  
Zachary Von Edington  
Mrs. Osa Gattis  
Billy Hagar  
Mrs. Donald Flahie  
Era Miller  
Nina (Chambers) Bryan  
Ben Hewston  
Ruth Applin  
Billy G. Woody

**MARCH 28**  
Kelley Miller  
Bob Dean  
Herman Weaver  
Tiffany Ann Aiken  
Paul Mac Coppinger  
A.H. Ringhoffer  
Sally Roday  
Larry Kent  
Brian Hefner  
Emogene Koenig  
Polly Beeler

## 1991 Sixth Grade Basketball Concession Stand Workers

### March 26

5:30-7:00  
Sylvia Switzer .....725-7360  
Barbara Barnett.....725-7314  
7:00-8:30  
Edith Beggs .....725-6532  
Pam Harris .....725-6693

### March 28

5:30-7:00  
Billie Clausen .....725-7783  
Karen Williams .....725-7727  
7:00-8:30  
Barbara Sowell .....725-7625  
Robbi Eppard .....725-6228

### March 29

4:30-6:30  
Brenda Ward .....725-6695  
Brenda Cosper .....725-6117  
6:30-8:30  
Sandy Hutton .....725-6255  
Nelda Hogan .....725-7177

### March 30

9:45-11:45  
Connie Potter .....725-7170  
Mary Jones  
11:45-1:30  
Linda Edington .....725-6227  
Tammy McDorman .....725-6650  
1:30-3:30  
Julia Wheeler .....725-7450  
Sandra Carey .....725-7790

If you are unable to work on the date and time listed above, you will be responsible for finding a replacement or contacting one of the other workers to trade dates with you.

Cokes, popcorn, and candy will only be sold at regular games. At the tournament, chili packs, hot dogs, etc. will be sold. Donated chili is needed for the tournament dates of March 29 and 30.



## Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor,  
I would like to make this contribution to the Review's "Salute to the Soldiers" section.

For the last few months, concerned Americans across the nation have proudly displayed their "Yellow Ribbon" on lapels, gate posts, trees, windmills, trucks, dog collars, store fronts, and just about anywhere else that you can imagine, to show their support of all the troops in the Middle East.

Other than "Old Glory," no other symbol in history has surpassed the impact of the "Yellow Ribbon" on the American public during a wartime or disaster crisis, as during the last few months with Desert Shield and Desert Storm.

With the help of the news media, the Yellow Ribbon has become symbolic with faith and unity at a time when we, the people of these United States of America, needed it so much.

I'm proud to be an American and am never ashamed to express it.

I would like to encourage all of you to continue to "tie" that yellow ribbon on anything you wish, but keep it showing 'til we bring all of our soldiers home. With the help of God, we will succeed in this mission.

Sincerely,  
Frances (Wilson) Thornton  
Rt. 1 Box 65-BB  
Cross Plains, TX 76443  
725-7267 (home)  
(915) 691-5607 (work)  
Security State Bank, Abilene

P.S.: Anyone that would like to have a copy of the poem on yellow paper can write to me at the above address.

### "THE YELLOW RIBBON"

By FRANCES C. THORNTON

Mama took the yellow ribbon from our old oak tree today, she then knelt down upon the ground and bowed her head to pray.

As she clutched the tattered satin tightly to her bosom there, she thought she heard, my long ago, little, nightly, bedtime prayer.

"Now I lay me down to sleep,  
I pray the Lord, my soul to keep.  
If I should die before I wake,  
I pray the Lord, my soul to take."

And, as her thoughts went back in time,

she saw a mother's face appear,  
in another land, far, far away,  
with a child she held so dear.

She saw Mary, as she rocked Him,  
God's only son to sleep,  
to be one day, left to die,  
like a tramp, on a lonely street.

Suddenly, as if on cue,

she felt a movement in the air.  
As she looked into the western sky,  
there were dark clouds boiling there.

She just sat there on the muddy ground,  
cold rain danced around her face.  
It seemed, that time and distance,  
had put her, somehow, in this place.

Thunder crashed like mighty bombs,  
lightning sliced the blackened sky.  
Mama tightly held her yellow ribbon  
and tried hard not to cry.

When Mama stood and looked around,  
the storm began to cease,  
and somewhere, deep down in her heart,  
she could feel a calming peace.

As she turned and looked into the east,  
a rainbow met her there,  
and the yellow from her ribbon  
matched the yellow in the air.

There was God, in all his glory,  
massed across the brilliant sky.  
She heard His words, "I gave my son,  
do you remember why?"

Mama took the yellow ribbon from our old oak tree today,  
and she gently placed it on my grave  
and bowed her head to pray.

She knew that "Desert Storm" was over,  
and it would go down in history,  
that a nation bound by God, and a  
"Yellow Ribbon",  
had brought home another victory.

### Local Know Soldier Participates In Major Training Exercise

Army Pvt. 1st Class John C. Mosley has participated in Arctic Warrior 91, a training exercise for the defense of Alaska.

It provided an arctic environment for a major land battle between two large conventional forces in the state's interior, air-to-ground operations in support of the land battle, and air intercept operations.

The exercise is conducted every other year to train Alaska-based forces to employ and sustain combat units.

Mosley is an artillery fire-support specialist at Fort Richardson, Alaska.

He is the son of Charles W. and Dorothy J. Mosley of Rural Route 1, Cross Plains.

The private is a 1989 graduate of Sundown High School.

### Crop Damage

Damage to crops, whether or not covered by insurance, are not tax deductible losses. These damages are losses of anticipated income. The costs of raising the damaged crops, however, are deductible as business expenses.



AIRMAN AARON POPE  
...completes basic training

## Aaron Pope Air Force Graduate

Airman Aaron Pope has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

During the six weeks of training the airman studied Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an

associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

He is the son of Baylis C. and Judy B. Pope of 1400 Simms St., Cisco. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope of Cross Plains are his grandparents.

The airman is a 1990 graduate of Cisco High School.

## Rowden News

By MRS. N. V. GIBBS

This Saturday has been a dark cloudy day with some fog and mist. It is hoped that rain will come to this area soon. This writer has been working in her yard this week and the sandy soil is not protecting the roots of some plants. The roots are covered with leaves.

Someone in Cross Plains is into vegetable gardening. Jimmy Lee Payne informed this writer of all his planting, even to Irish potatoes planted yesterday. Most all his plantings were up and growing. Very few families here in the community garden any more. Tony Steele has their ground ready, but plowing has dried out the soil.

Before the days of large grocery stores every family planted their food. Some vegetables were dried as well as fruit that was dried on tin farm roofs and later heated in the kitchen stove oven to kill the insects or weevils. These little insects found their way in any vegetable. That also included corn and wheat.

On Monday, Bud and Dixie Ingram of Cross Plains visited Joyce Odom and hunted rattlesnakes.

When neighbors were contacted for this week's news, Kathy Dye reported colds had them under the weather. The Don Harrell family had had a quiet week. The same report came from Gene and Vernie Belle Mauldin's family.

Chris and Colby Reynolds of Midland spent part of the week with

grandparents, James and Dorothy Reynolds, and went to church with them Wednesday night. James and Dorothy Reynolds attended the funeral of her cousin, Dort Carrico in Baird, Monday.

Brad and Kile Watson were home on spring break from their studies in Austin.

Visitors of Robert and Dorothy Watson were his sister, Mrs. Bill Beck of Ranger and her daughter and two sons of Jacksboro. The group all visited Robert's parents in Baird.

A good friend, Guy Yarborough of Waco, died Friday. The Watsons attended his funeral Monday in Waco.

## WARNING TO PUBLIC AGAINST SOLICITORS

Persons in the Baird-Clyde area have been receiving requests by mail for donation for cancer. The Callahan County Unit of American Cancer Society would like to warn the public that these requests do not come from the American Cancer Society. ACS does not solicit funds by mail, but through neighborhood crusades. Funds donated to American Cancer

## CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

Thursday, March 21, 1991

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Society remain in the county to benefit Callahan County residents.  
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Easter is Sunday, March 31.

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MSGT. A.C. (ANDY) WALKER  
3D LAAM BN, MACG-28  
H&S Comm  
FPO New York, NY 09502-0575  
(Son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker.)

LCPL RONALD TODD JORDAN,  
USMC  
7th Engineer Support Battalion  
HE Plt., 1st FSSG  
FPO San Francisco, CA 96608-8467  
(Marine serving in Saudi Arabia. son of Mr. and Mrs. Riney Jordan. Grandson of Mrs. Billie Calhoun.)

SSG. GLENN F. NIXON  
452-08-5109  
229th Trans Cen (MC)  
2nd Cos Com  
Operation Desert Shield  
APO NY 09754  
(Brother of Leon Nixon.)

PFC PAUL TRUIR  
546-35-1094  
HHC 299th Engr. Bn.  
Operation Desert Storm  
APO New York, NY 09733-0000  
(Serving in Saudi Arabia with the U.S. Army. Nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Sibley.)

STEPHEN L. CHAMBERS  
USMC Box 2-5  
1ST Plt., 5th MEB DET W  
FPO San Francisco, CA 96693-8547  
(Grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Harris, serving in the Marines in Saudi Arabia.)

PNI JANET HIGDON  
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X2 Division  
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## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Payne and son, Jimmy of Lake Charles, Louisiana, and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Strickland, Deonna, Staci, and Jacob of Brenham spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lee Payne.

Charles Neeb of Fort Stockton and Monty Neeb of Stephenville spent three or four days last week with their mother, Mrs. Theola Neeb.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hubert M. Belew during Spring Break was their grandson, Trampus Belew, and his friend, Jermony Burks, both from Mansfield, Texas.

Alan and Beth Hilburn of Cedar Hill spent the weekend with their families. They visited Beth's parents, Bill and Barbara Wood, and her grandmother, Helen Wood, a resident of Colonial Oaks Nursing Home. Also, Alan's parents, Junior and Peggy Hilburn of Cottonwood, and grandparents, Jo and Charles Boatright of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dennis have returned home after attending the wedding of their grandson, Mark Wayne Bries and Rhonda Nolan last Saturday, March 16.

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All persons having claims against this Estate, which is currently being administered, are required to present them within the time and in the manner required by law.

DATED: March 14, 1991

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Brad Harris  
P.O. Box 1177  
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State Bar No. 09061800  
(915) 854-1640

Attorney for the Estate of  
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Deceased

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BFI, in connection with the City of Cross Plains and Project Pride, have scheduled their annual spring cleanup for the week of April 8-12th. BFI will pick up any article you might have that you want to get rid of except the following: tires, batteries or car bodies. Any other refuse will be taken. Residents are encouraged to have their refuse out on Monday, the 8th. BFI will begin picking up the trash on Monday and will not double back in order to pick up someone who did not put out their trash until later in the week. No set route has been set for this project.

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CITY OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS  
Date: March 18, 1991

By: s/ Ross Gerking  
Mayor

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR WASTE DISPOSAL PERMIT AMENDMENT

CITY OF CROSS PLAINS, P.O. Box 295, Cross Plains, Texas 76443 has applied to the Texas Water Commission for an amendment to Permit

No. 10434-01 in order to change from a permit authorizing disposal by irrigation to a discharge permit and to decrease the volume of treated domestic wastewater effluent. The permit currently authorizes disposal of treated effluent by irrigation on 10 acres of pastureland with the disposal volume not to exceed 125,000 gallons per day average, which will remain as the interim phase. The final phase would authorize a discharge of 87,500 gallons per day average with provisions to irrigate 17 acres of pastureland. Application rates for the irrigated land shall not exceed 3.2 acre-feet/acre/year.

The plant site is approximately 2300 feet west of State Highway 279 and 3400 feet south of State Highway 36 in Callahan County, Texas. The effluent in the final phase is discharged into Turkey Creek; thence to North Prong Pecan Bayou; thence to Lake Brownwood; thence to South Prong Pecan Bayou in Segment No. 1420 of the Colorado River Basin.

In accordance with the Texas Surface Water Quality Standards, the Commission staff must determine the existing uses for the receiving water in the area of the proposed discharge and whether the proposed discharge will cause significant degradation to any high quality waters in the area. The unclassified receiving waters of Turkey Creek have high aquatic life uses. The designated uses for Segment No. 1420 are contact recreation, high quality aquatic habitat and public water supply. The effluent limitations in the draft permit will maintain and protect the existing instream uses. No significant degradation of high quality receiving waters is anticipated. All determinations are preliminary and subject to additional review and/or revisions.

The Executive Director of the Texas Water Commission has prepared a draft permit based on the application submitted by the applicant and other information presently available.

Legal Authority: Section 26.028 of the Texas Water Code and 31 TAC Chapter 305 of the Rules of the Texas Water Commission.

No public hearing will be held on this application unless an affected person who has received notice of the application has requested a public hearing. Any such request for a public hearing shall be in writing and contain (1) the name, mailing address and daytime phone number of the person making the request; and (2) a brief description of how the requester, or persons represented by the requester, would be adversely affected by the granting of the application. If the Commission determines that the request sets out an issue which is relevant to the application, or that a public hearing, would serve the public in-

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terest, the Commission shall conduct a public hearing, after the issuance of proper and timely notice of the hearing. If no sufficient request for hearing is received within 30 days of the date of publication of the notice concerning the application, the permit will be submitted to the Commission for final decision on the application.

Requests for a public hearing on this application should be submitted in writing to Christopher Gee, Assistant Chief Hearings Examiner, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Telephone (512) 463-7906. Information concerning any technical aspect of this application can be obtained by writing Firoj Vahora, Wastewater Permits Section, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Telephone (512) 463-8201.

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Steer Roping And Three Night Rodeo

The Cross Plains Roping Club held its monthly meeting on Monday, March 4, at the local arena. Officers were elected for upcoming events. They are as follows: Arena Director — Bennie Free; Playday Directors — Steve Brown, Terry French, Jimmy Hargrove, Lonnie Switzer, Nicky Harris, and Wade Stephens; Dance Director — Buck Brown; Roping Stock Director — Roy Richie; Rough Stock Director — Steve Brown; and Concession Stand — Pat Stephens.

Other business was discussed and a treasurer's report read.

Mike Winfrey was appointed to oversee the Steer Roping. Steers will be available on Tuesday and Thursday, starting at 6 p.m. and on Sundays at 2 p.m. The fees for roping are as follows: Roping Club Members \$10 a day, Non-roping Club Members \$15 a day, or anyone may join the Roping Club, paying the \$25 membership fee and rope free the first night.

In case of bad weather or any questions, please contact Mike Winfrey, (817) 725-6845.

The Junior Rodeo was discussed and will be a three-night event.

The meeting was adjourned, and everyone is encouraged to attend the next meeting the first Monday in April.

COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

We are again requesting for those who have not confirmed their plots in the Cottonwood Cemetery over the past years or have plots reserved for families, who due to geographical location, will have no need for them to please contact the following: John Purvis, H.C. 85 Box 97, Baird, Texas 79504; Beverly Brown, Rt. 1 Box 52A, Cross Plains, Texas 76443 or Barbara Albrecht, Rt. 1 Box 54C, Cross Plains, Texas 76443. It is a disappointment when a loved one passes away to find there is no available space near former family members who are deceased. We extend a thank you to those who have confirmed their plots and helped us with getting our records up to date. Correction to last week's column.

COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS

By LINDA EDINGTON Activity Director

We all enjoyed some great singing with fiddle, piano, and guitar playing last week at our monthly birthday party. We would like to express our appreciation to Elmer, Cody, Troy, Gary, Horace, and Clint Houshshell, and also Gladys Hellman for a very enjoyable afternoon of entertainment.

Residents who have a birthday this month are: Lou Lee, Octavia Orr, and Mable Burchfield.

Employees with March birthdays are: Verna Hargrove, Margaret Clark, Merrilyn Whiteley, and Betty Baxter. Happy Birthday, ladies.

Our appreciation to Sharon James and Barbara Swinney for helping with the residents at meal time.

Shirley Weingarten was here visiting with several.

Eddie Neal and Seanne Alexander from Baird were here visiting E.K. Coppinger.

Brittany, Shena, and Jamie Apple were here visiting Octavia Orr.

Don Cooper of Houston and Billie Freeman were here visiting Nettie Roady.

Tonya Schaefer was here visiting everyone.

Daisy King was here visiting Inez Ingram.

Jewel Thompson was here visiting everybody.

Bill and Edna Belyeu from Cisco were here visiting Vera Belyeu.

Myrtle and Jay Kirkham were here visiting Vera Belyeu, Clevia Ringhoffer, Helen Wood, and Juanita Rhodes.

Mary Weaver from Cottonwood was here visiting Lora Pugh.

Activities during the week:

Monday: Bingo winners were: Lucille Stone, Anne Belle Vaught (2), Bertha Hoyt (2), Lora Pugh (2), Midge McCall, Vera Belyeu, and Mable Burchfield. Exercise class. In-room activities with Shirley Weingarten.

Tuesday: Art class. Domino games, popcorn.

Wednesday: Sing-A-Long with Ruby McCowen, Clyde Linker, Billie Freeman, Ernestine Watson, Pearl Greenwood, Irma Miller, John Miller, Vera Pearl Bunnell, and Vernie McMillan. Exercise class. Monthly birthday party.

Thursday: Linen folding. Story time with Nelda Holmes.

Friday: Bingo winners were Lora Pugh (2), Lucille Stone, Vera Belyeu (2), Mable Burchfield (2), Anne Belle Vaught (2), Midge McCall, and Clevia Ringhoffer. Afternoon singing with Ruby McCowen and Vernie McMillan.

Have you had your hugs today? We need:

4 hugs a day...to survive.

8 hugs a day...to maintain what we have.

12 hugs a day...for growth.

THE PIONEER PATCHWORK

By IRMA MILLER

The Quilters worked on the Pieced Star. We had a visitor who helped us, Shirley Reavis of Camp Woods, Donna Pickett's sister.

Our community received about 1/4 inch of rain, counting our two nice showers Friday and Saturday night.

Pioneer Pentecostal Church will host the regular bi-weekly Fellowship on Friday, March 29, at 7 p.m. The Fellowship is attended by members of four area churches. After the fellowship services, the Pioneer Church invites all who wish to participate in a "passover observation" service, beginning about 9:30 p.m., which is observed as Jesus and His apostles did before his crucifixion.

Frankie and Oliver Smith and Jean Fore visited Frankie's father in Ranger Saturday. Mr. Vinson seemed to be doing well.

Jean Fore's visitors were Paul and Juanita Harlow and Vi Harlow of Lovington, New Mexico. Jean was a visitor in Marble Falls for two weeks. Vi is now settled in Lovington and doing well.

Don and Dottie Cooper of Houston visited with Don's Aunt Nettie Roady in the nursing home in Cross Plains. Billie Freeman reports.

Charlene Fleming reported that Nell Fleming is home from the hospital since Tuesday and is regaining her strength. Charlene and the kids (Nell's grandchildren) have been working over at Nell's on their spring break this past week. Betty and Vince Meiron of Andrews visited Friday. Alvin and Wanda Fay Flippin visited Sunday afternoon. JoVeda and Bill Watson of Byrds Store visited several times this week.

Clyde Lions Fish Fry Set For March 23

Clyde Lions Club officials are hoping for a large turnout to the annual Lions Club Fish Fry, citing an increase of needy residents needing new eye glasses.

The annual Lions Club Fish Fry is slated for Saturday, March 23, at the Clyde Lions Club building located on South First and Rusk Streets. All-You-Can-Eat fresh catfish and all the trimmings will be served by Lions Club members from 11 a.m. until 8 p.m. March 23.

The annual fish fry is the local Lions Club's main fund-raiser during the year. Proceeds from the fry go towards purchasing eye examinations and eye glasses for the needy students and adults in the community.

Clyde Lions Secretary C. Lee Smith

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said that over the last seven months, the local Lions Club had spent \$1,390.50 for new eye glasses and examinations for the community's needy. He said the Clyde Lions Club has purchased on average two part of eye glasses monthly since July 1990.

Tickets to the annual fish fry can be purchased now from any Clyde Lions Club member or can be purchased at the Clyde Journal newspaper office. Advance sale adult tickets are \$6 and children under 12 tickets are \$3. Fish fry tickets at the door are \$6.50 for adults and \$3.50 for children.

Lions officials said that because of limited seating area at the Lions Club building, that take-out dinners can be purchased during the fish fry.

Dan's Bar-Q-Que advertisement featuring items like Brisket, Chicken Sausage, Fresh Potato Salad, Red Beans, and Giant Texas Hamburgers. Includes phone number (915) 624-5486 and address details.

Weekly Health Tip advertisement about Gallstones, mentioning clinical trials at 10 U.S. hospitals and promoting Neal Drug with phone number PH. 725-6424.

skinny's Convenience Stores advertisement featuring products like Coke, Diet Coke, 7 UP, Skinny's Milk, Deli Corn Dogs, and All Major Brand Cigarettes with prices like \$1.79 and \$1.99.



# Burkett News

By LOVERA STRICKLAND

The Family of Mrs. Eula Hunter are honoring her with a party on her 96th birthday. It will be Sunday, March 24, 1991 at the Ranger Park Inn in Santa Anna, Texas. The party will be held from 2 to 3:30 p.m. The family is inviting all of Eula's relatives and friends to come by and help her celebrate this special day.

Jackie and Melissa Strickland, Deonna, Staci, and Jacob of Brenham spent the weekend visiting the Jack Stricklands and Lat Mountain. They also visited the Jimmy Payne's in Cross Plains. Marsha and Jon Turney of Santa Anna visited the Stricklands Friday evening. Eureka and Jody Whitley of San Saba visited in the Strickland and Mountain homes Sunday afternoon.

Doris Walker was in the hospital several days last week for tests. We hope she is improving real fast.

Visiting Montie Jennings Friday were Buddy and Nita Thate. Visiting and helping Montie celebrate her birthday on Saturday were Elvin and Glenda Hutchins of Bangs, Laura and Harrison Hutchins of Stephenville, Evelyn Williams, Bill Stanphill and Ruth Locke of Coleman, and Alvin Hutchins of Cross Plains. Lovera Strickland visited her one day last week.

Walter and Melba Walker spent from Thursday to Saturday in Fort Worth last week. They visited their daughter and family, Charlotte, Ned, and Hannah Pickett. They especially enjoyed their granddaughter, Hannah. While they were there, they attended Walter's aunt, Minnie (Burkett) Cunn-

ingham's funeral. She was the last of Will Burkett's children. She had a long life, living to be 98 years 7 months at her passing. Others from here who attended the funeral were Yuna and Mary Nell Burkett.

Burkett Baptist Church has a new pastor, Bro. Wright Price from Early, Texas. We would all like to welcome them to our community. He and his wife have family in Cross Plains of which they are happy about. Burkett Church would like to invite everyone to come hear Bro. Price. I'm sure it would be a blessing to you and to the church.

Russell Gould of Abilene visited Dalton and Lucille Gould Friday and Saturday. Jackie Dodgen visited them Friday evening.

The Burkett 42 Club met in the home of Zora DeBusk last Thursday. Jo Davee was the hostess for the party. Those attending were Otie Mayo of Coleman, Vera Pearl Bunnell and Ernestine Watson of Cross Plains, Lillian Brown, Lucille Gould, Zora DeBusk, Jo Davee, and Loretta Williams.

Oh yes, remember the Burkett Homecoming on June 9, 1991. We hope you all can attend.



The earth rotates on its axis faster in September than in March.

## Callahan County Unit Of ACS Met On March 12

The Callahan County Unit of the American Cancer Society met March 12 in Baird. Lavada Poindexter, president, presided.

Mary Van Der Linden gave the treasurers report. \$687 has been received for special events and \$302 given as memorials.

Floy McMullen, Crusade Chairman, reported that material has been received. The following community chairmen were named: Mary Van Der Linden, Cottonwood; Ruby Weathermon, Putnam; Joe Bentley, Eula; Rosalie Holden and Amanda Waggoner, Clyde; and JoAnn Vestal, Baird.

The Public Education report showed 200 adults and 1,136 youth reached through programs.

Judge Bill Johnson, Patient Service Chairman, reported 13 patients served with a dollar value of \$3,728 since September 1.

Wanda Evans, Field Representative, reported the District Crusade Kick-Off will be Saturday, March 23, at Embassy Suites in Abilene. April 18 is the date of the Great American Food Fight.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley, Rosie Holden, Judge Bill Johnson, Maurine Marr, Floy McMullen, LaVada Poindexter, Mary Van Der Linden, Ida Mae Waddell, Ruby Weathermon, and Wanda Evans.

The next meeting will be May 14 at Cottonwood Community Center.

## MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

It is cloudy and cool this Monday morning, but it could be worse. There is a little wind, but I keep telling myself 'it is March'.

I enjoyed a very nice weekend with letters from my daughter and from my sister, Opal. Opal reports on my brother, Wayne, and on various cousins.

I've been upset over the condition of my yard. Since my St. Augustine grass died, strange grasses and weeds have appeared. Looks like a 'strange critter' planted weird things across my yard.

I've done a lot of 'bird watching' lately. Those large birds with orange colored breasts have been around for a while. Also, some very small birds — not wrens, 'squaby' little fellows in large numbers.

Sally Roody reports that they had a very busy week. They visit Ms. Nettie at the nursing home every day. Billie Freeman visited Sally one day. Sally visited on the telephone with her brother, Gene Hicks of Rising Star, one day. Art and Bertie Roody, also N.A. and Ghetti Roody visited with Sally and Bobby one day.

Don and Doris Cooper from Houston visited recently with Billie and H.A. Freeman. Bobby and Sally visited them there.

I finally got Betty Beggs on the 'phone. Mr. E.B. O'Connor of Rising Star visited them one day last week. Mr. Sam Beggs of Morton Valley visited them Sunday afternoon. Mr. L.W. Mitchell (a neighbor) visited them one afternoon.

Several neighbors did not answer this morning. I just hope they will feel free to call me when they have news for this column. Many of my friends tell me that they read this column. Thanks, pals!

## CJC Offers Defensive Driving Course On April 15 And 17

Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course on Monday and Wednesday, April 15 and 17, from 6-10 p.m. The class will meet in room 3 of Schaefer Hall. Fee for the course is \$20. Enrollment must be paid no later than 3 p.m. on April 15. The college will be closed March 25 through March 29 for spring break. Students must attend both nights of class and must bring a valid drivers license to class.

For more information contact Charlotte Speegle at (817) 442-2567, extension 122.


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### SOCIAL SECURITY TRAVEL SCHEDULE

Due to the budget crisis, there is less money to pay travel expenses so the Social Security travel schedule has been reduced. The closest place on the April through June schedule is at Park Hill Senior Citizen Center in Eastland on Tuesdays, April 2, 16, May 7, 21, and June 4, 18, at 9:30 a.m.

You are reminded that you may call Social Security toll-free each business day (12 hours per day) 7 a.m. — 7 p.m., 1-800-234-5772.



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