THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1991

CROSS PLAINS' OLDEST BUSINESS INSTITUTION

EDITOR'S NOTE: School memories continue to arrive and they are greatly appreciated. Many subscribers remark that they look forward to each week's glance to the past! Linda Whitton Hill has submitted her memories as follows:

"Trip to the Past"

I have so many great memories of my years at Cross Plains High School. In fact, each of the 12 years were special to me. I am grateful to the many fine teachers who worked with me, and I still cherish the wonderful friends I had during my years at Cross Plains.

This summer I was able to spend some time with my "baby" brother, Jim, who is now an attorney practicing in Fort Worth. He did not finish school at Cross Plains, as he and my parents moved to Fort Worth the summer before his 7th grade year.

Because of the relocation, Jim lost contact with his own classmates, but his memory of "my" activities and friends is crystal clear.

As he is 8 years my junior, there were definitely times I felt he was too young to go with me when I went out. Plus, he was very smart and took in everything, and always asked too many questions.

But, I did learn that there were time my parents were more apt to let me go out if I said, "I'll take Jim!" If I convinced Jim how fun an activity would be and let him ask our parents permission also worked well.

In my high school years, the Pioneer Drive-in was one of our main sources of entertainment. Often I recall the summer evenings spent there watching or visiting through the good and the sometimes not so good movies.

Jim recollects trips to Pioneer, too. He claims he sat in the front seat while two or three of my friends and I sat in the back of the car. After paying 50 cents per person admission, I would park near the concession stand and buy Jim a BIG sucker and a Coke.

He says my friends and I would literally disappear to the back rows of the drive-in. Usually I would return once during the movie to check on him. Then when the show ended, my friends and I would miraculously reappear. At that point we headed to Cross

Plains to drive the main street of town. He says we had the best of both worlds -- I was able to be with my friends, and he was able to see the movies with refreshments provided.

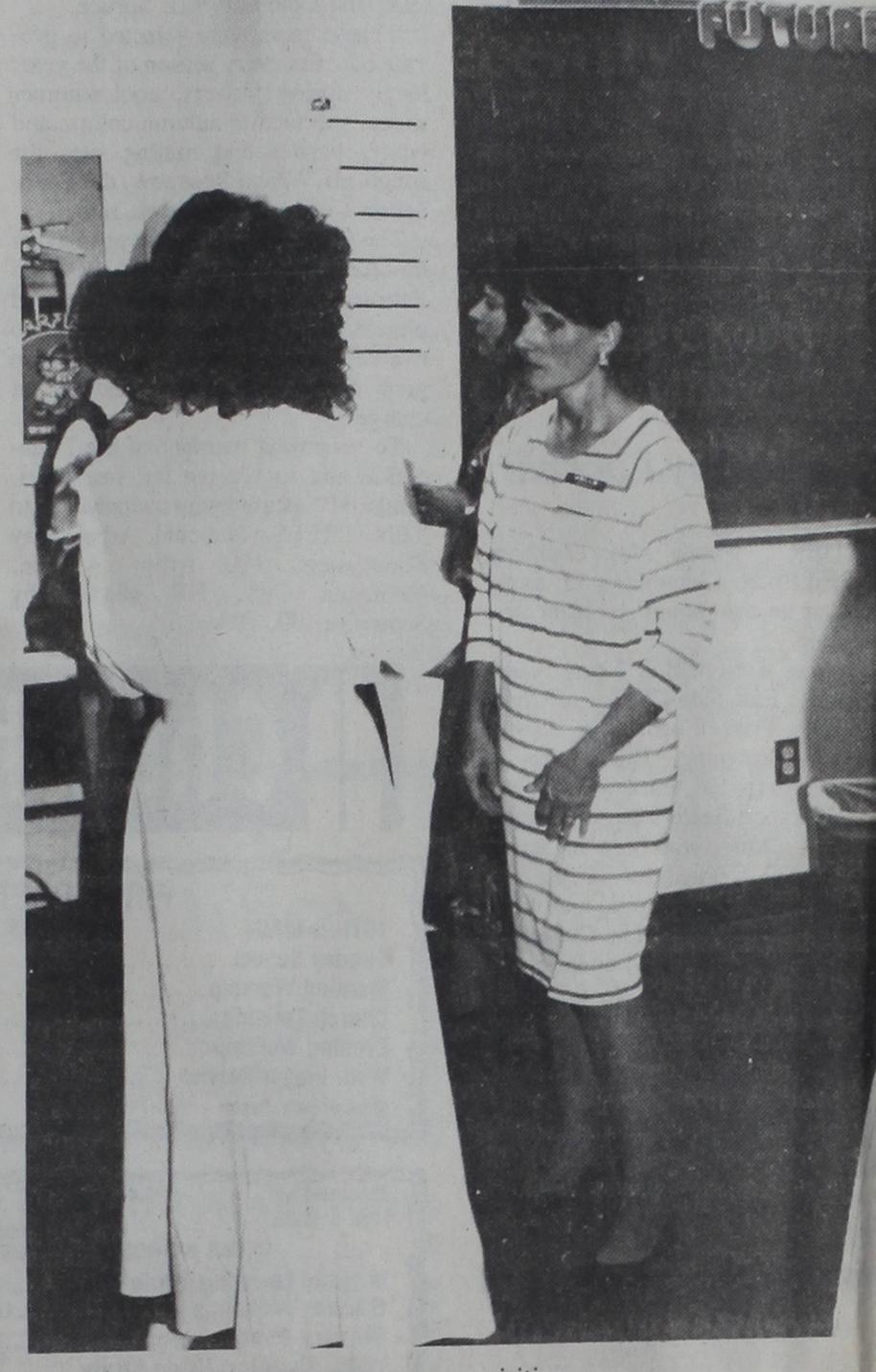
If my brother is able to attend the 1991 Homecoming, he would like to spend some time with the "Class of 1964," which is my graduating class. Watch out classmates! His memory is phenomenal!

PLEASE NOTE THE 1991 HOMECOMING SCHEDULE OF EVENTS INSIDE THE NEWSPAPER AND MORE **GOLDEN DAYS PHOTOS!**

Homecoming Parade Entries Deadline October 7

All 1991 Homecoming Parade entries must be registered with the Parade Commitee. Call in advance to enter your float, car, etc. with Roxie Thomas at (817)725-6141, Susan McNeel 725-7712 or Vickie Walker 725-7792.

Each class is encouraged to have an entry to represent their particular year. REMEMBER THE DEADLINE IS MONDAY, OCTOBER 7!



GETTING ACQUAINTED -Teachers and parents enjoying visiting.

Cross Plains PTO Held 'Get Acquainted' Reception Recently

By DANA DIMITRI

The Cross Plains PTO has been very busy the last several weeks since school started. Last week the organization held a "Get Acquainted" reception for parents and teachers. Over 60 teachers and parents attended the function. Refreshments were served and many took the opportunity to join the organizations' membership.

The PTO will hold its first regular meeting on October 21, in conjunction with "Red Ribbon Week" at school. "Red Ribbon Week" places an emphasis on alcohol and drug prevention. The PTO is proud to be a part of this effort.

On October 21, Carla Cook, from the Abilene Counsel on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, will present a preventative seminar at the Cross Plains High School Auditorium to area parents and school staff. It is hoped that you will make plans now to attend this very important seminar. This seminar is for everyone, whether you have children in preschool, elementary, junior high, and/or high school.

Homecoming is just around the corner. We are all looking forward to seeing "old" friends. Wouldn't it be nice to have a permanent record, such as a photograph, of those who attended homecoming this year?

The PTO will be offering class and/or group pictures this year on Saturday, October 12, starting at 10 a.m. If you are interested in having your class' photographed or even a

Rowden Community Center For Sale

On Saturday, September 21, the Rowden Community Center will have a community garage sale to disburse of all contents of the building. Some of the items are listed in the classified

section of the newspaper. The building and the land will be for sale, if anyone is interested.

group shot of all your cronies, contact Roxie Thomas at (817)725-6436 or Dana Dimitri at (817)725-7374 for more information.

Callahan County Child Welfare **Board Involved** In Promotion To **Benefit Youth**

The Callahan County Child Welfare Board members are selling tickets for a drawing to be held at the Octoberfest in Clyde. Local businesses from the city to the county have donated items.

Some of the items to be drawn for are \$50 cash gift; an AM/FM radio; a 20 inch Christmas wreath; several decorated T-shirts; a blood pressure kit; sweatshirts; study lamp; and numerous other items.

The tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. You need not be present to win. Board members selling tickets in Cross Plains are Barbara Dillard, Nora Odom, and Connie Kirkham.

The proceeds will be used for hospitalization, clothes, and etc. for the children cared for. The board would appreciate your support in this endeavor.

Burglaries Reported At Sabanno **Community Center**

Sometime during the summer months two burglaries occurred at the Sabanno Community Center. A Sansung microwave and an Emerson radio were taken the first incident, and a large Dearborn evaporative air conditioner was taken in the second break-

Anyone having information please contact Shirley Snodgrass at (817)725-6538.

Rehab Night At Cottonwood Community Center To Be Held Friday, September 20

Friday evening the Cottonwood Quilting Club will be hosting their 38th "Rehab Night" at the Cottonwood Musical. Proceeds from the festivities benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

Everyone is invited to join in the fun and barbecue meal provided. The

Cross Plains **Masons To Host Open House On** September 22

The Cross Plains Masonic Lodge 627 has joined the 940 other Masonic Lodges across Texas in scheduling a simultaneous State-wide Public Open House between 2 and 4 p.m. on Sunday, September 22.

There are 180,000 Texas Masons presently. The lodge members feel that Freemasonry builds character, assists members in their daily lives, in practicing their faith in God and in their patriotism.

Masons provide over \$750 million each year for charitable causes. They note the fact that they are everyday people in all walks of life, who believe in practicing their beliefs.

While Masons do not solicit members, men of good character may ask to become a member.

You are cordially invited to attend the reception.

Callahan County **Red Cross Offering CPR Classes** September 23-24

Callahan County Red Cross will be having CPR classes on Monday and Tuesday, September 23 and 24, from 6 to 10 p.m. at the Cottonwood Base Station.

Community CPR is an eight hour course on rescue breathing, choking, and CPR on adults, children, and in-

The course fee is \$7.50 and includes the reading material. For registration and more information, call Barbara Albrecht at (817)725-6587.

United Fund Drive Scheduled For October 4

The date for the Annual United Fund Drive has been set for Friday, October 4, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

This year's goal has again been set for \$4,550 and all citizens of Cross Plains and surrounding areas are urged to remember the date.

More details will appear in the Cross Plains Review before the drive.

Athletic Booster Club Meeting Every **Monday During** Football Season

The Athletic Booster Club will meet each Monday following the Friday night football games at 7:30 p.m. at the Cross Plains High School Library beginning September 16.

Coach Doug Dallas will show films of the most recent game and note strong points and needs for improvements.

Parents of athletes and any interested persons are invited to attend.

plate consists of barbecue beef, sausage or combination, red beans, coleslaw, dessert and drink at \$4.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12 years old.

A bake sale and country store will also be featured. Highlight of the evening will be the drawing for the Indian Headdress quilt made by the quilting club members, plus an auc-

Serving will begin at 5:30 p.m. and carry-out orders will be available. Those planning to attend the local football game are invited to come out

to eat prior to the game or take carryout orders with you.

Smokey Callaway will serve as emcee for the country western music portion. All area and local musicians are invited to participate. Bands from all around the Big Country will be per-

forming beginning at 6:30 p.m. Donations of items for the country store or bake sale will be appreciated by the club members. You may bring them on Thursday, September 19, or Friday afternoon, September 20, to the Cottonwood Community Center.

Project Pride Promoting Local Clean Up Before Homecoming Weekend

This is an invitation from Project Pride to owners of vacant lots or va-

Learn About Program Registration At **Public Library**

Registration, for the "Learn About...Program' begins this week at the Cross Plains Public Library. Preschool children three to five years old are eligible (three by September 1, 1991). The program meets on Wednesdays, beginning November 6. There is no charge.

Because of the necessity of finalizing materials and personnel assignments after the number of participants is known, parents need to register their children by Thursday, October 24.

It is important that parents register the children. If necessary, arrangements can be made for registration after hours, call 725-7722.

Local Oil **Operators Meeting**

A meeting for all area oil operators will be held at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center on East 8th Street beginning at 7 p.m. Tuesday, September 24. The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce arranged the facilities for the meeting.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss recently passed Senate Bill 1103, its severe adverse economic effects on stripper operators and what options or defensive action that operators should take to achieve relief from the bills provisions.

Senate Bill 1103 is a revenue raising bill requiring all operators to provide funds to plug wells abandoned by others in the past, mostly promoters in the boom years, by assessing annual fees and or bonds for each well owned by the operator.

This bill will impose economic hardship on stripper operators who will bear most of the cash burden, and could force many into bankruptcy.

If this allowed to happen, local school districts will see a sharp decrease in revenue as well as the county and other taxing jursidictions in the areas dependent on stripper wells for revenue. This would result in a tax increase on real property such as farms, homes, and businesses.

Additionally jobs will be lost in oil field and related industry.

In these difficult economic times, decreased tax revenues, increased taxes on real property and lost jobs are not an acceptable alternative.

Something can be done and it is very important that all operators attend.

cant houses throughout the city. Please join us in an effort to clean and make preparations to receive the many homecomers on the weekend of October 11 and 12.

Project Pride members have contacted owner of vacant downtown business buildings asking them to "spruce up" or allow Project Pride people to paint windows or perform other work on their property.

Thanking you in advance for your kind cooperation in making the community proud for yet another successful Homecoming.

Gifts To The Cross **Plains Cemetery** Association

There were five donations for May totaling \$350.72. Mitchell Ingram \$10; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene D. Rhodes \$100; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Miller \$200; Geer Tank & Trucks, Inc. (E.C. Neeb lease) \$25.72; and R.C. Forbes \$15

In June eleven donated a total of \$330. They were Suma D. Dill \$20; Rosa You (in memory of Ab and Dessie Bennett) \$40; Emma Woody (in memory of the Woodys) \$5; Mr. and Mrs. Logan D. Long \$20; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Melton \$20; Jack G. Morris (in memory of Clay and Mollie Cade) \$80; Michael R. and Joanne M. Cade (in memory of Clay and Mollie Cade) \$25; Leota and Wayne Howser (maintenance on Jack Howser and E.M. Long plots) \$25; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Baum \$75; Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Warner \$10; and James C. Hefner \$10.

July totals were three that tally to \$171.41. They were Lena R. Day (in memory of Ida and Hill Wooten, Charlie, Lottie and Billy Wayne Teague) \$25; Christine Cunningham Hutchingson Estate \$121.41; and Thelma L. Long \$25.

In August there were six donations totaling \$178.91. They were Vesta Bond (in memory of Nora Giller) \$10; Naoma D. McClure \$50; J.H. and Vida Balkum \$50; Geer Tank & Truck, Inc. (E.C. Neeb lease) \$23.91; Mr. and Mrs. Forrest C. Scott \$25; and Mrs. Suma Dill \$20.

Grave opening permits and plots reserved were as follows: In May, Lucy Cade service \$75; Maggie Lee Service \$75; Cal Long service \$75; Thelma Long, plot \$75; and Dale Kitchens, 2 plots \$150.

In July, Vivian McMillan service \$75; C.M. Garrett service \$75; and John Campbell service \$75.

In August, D.V. Goode, 2 plots \$150.

Colonial Oaks Services

The Old Time Gospel Mission will be conducting worship services at the Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, September 22, beginning at 3:30

- Courthouse - NEWS

COUNTY COURT Bill Johnson, presiding

Misdemeanor filings Maxine Scott, theft of property by check.

Kelly Wayne Smith, DWI. Kelly Wayne Smith, fleeing from a police officer.

Rhonda Ingram, theft of services. Charged with DWI: Abel Lopez, William Kyle Keltner, Christopher Lee Harris.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Danny Lynn Mitchell, DWI, \$100 fine and \$160 court costs, 3 days in jail. Danny Lynn Mitchell, possession of marijuana, \$100 fine, \$105 court costs,

3 days in jail. Larry G. Hamilton, theft of property by check, \$10 fine, \$142.40 court costs. Probations discharged on the

following: Scott Bradley Strange, Daniel Dwight Dailey, Michael Neal Melton, Ryan Lee Goolsby.

Gerald Wayne Arnold, motion dismissed to revoke probation.

Gary Michael Robertson, motion filed to revoke probation.

Nelda W. James, theft of property by check, \$10 fine, \$142.50 court costs. Traffic cases dismissed: Steve Holbert \$162.50 bond forfeited, Steven Lance Clack, David Wayne Thedford.

Marriage License Jennifer Jane Herrick and Lonny Earl Broadus of Clyde.

NEW VEHICLES

Bruce & Melanie Campbell, Abilene, Chev PU.

Earl Vaughan, Abilene, Chev PU. Richard Daffron, Abilene, Pont Van. H. N. David, Abilene, Chev PU. Roy Gardner, Clyde, Chev PU. Beverly Wheeler, Clyde, GMC PU. Roy Haynes, Stephenville, Chev PU. Patsy Work, Baird, Chev Blazer. Barry Weierbach, Abilene, GMC PU David Cozart, Carbon, Chev PU. Mark Tolar, Abilene, GMC PU.

> **42nd DISTRICT COURT** Don Lane, Presiding

Civil Filing Divorce filed: Hunt, John Edward and Connie Mae.

Civil Minutes

Elmo Jean Strength vs Phillip Wesly Strength, dismissed.

Dina Lynn Gonzalez vs John Christopher Gonzalez, motion for nonsuit granted.

Eugene D. Kitchens vs Republic Bankers Life, dismissed with prejudice. Gary Lynn Paske found to be \$7891.37 in arrears on child support payments; new schedule of payments to be \$350 monthly beginning 11-1-91.

Divorces granted: Beeks, Susan Renna and Robert

Douglas.

Bean, Bill C. and Wilma R. Nunn, Elizabeth Diann and Harry Preston, Jr.

Felony Minutes

Eric De-La-Cruz, aggravated sexual assault.

Eric De-La-Cruz, indecency with a child.

Richard Wayne Jaggars, criminal mischief. James Alvord Pounds, burglary of a

building.

Deborah Marie Pounds, burglary of a building.

Lewis Frank Faulman, theft. **Felony Minutes**

Robert George Watts, theft charge dismissed.

Johnny Alan Goff, Sr., probation discharged, indictment dismissed, conviction set aside.

Kevin Purvis Graduates From Lincoln Technical **Institute Recently**

Kevin Purvis graduated from Lincoln Technical Institute in Grand Prairie on September 12. L.T.I. is an automotive and diesel mechanics trade school.

He plans to use his L.T.I. training for employment in the electronic and computer diagnostic area concerning automotive repairs. He is presently employed by Hertz Rent-a-Car at DFW Airport.

Those attending his graduation were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Purvis; his sister, Angela; and cousins, John and Linda Rouse of Hurst.

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OBITUARY

Duard Turner

HAWKINS — Masonic graveside services for Duard Wayne Turner, 52, Hawkins, were held at 10 a.m. Friday in Turner Cemetery near Hawkins with Hawkins Masonic Lodge No. 1293 in charge under direction of Asmussen Funeral Home in Hawkins.

Mr. Turner died Tuesday, September 10, 1991, in a Longview hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born October 9, 1938, in Eastland, was a truck driver and a member of Masonic Lodge No. 1293 in Hawkins. He served in the U.S. Marines.

He was well known in the Cross Plains area having been a heavy equipment operater before moving to East Texas where he owned and operated Longview Crane & Rigging for a number of years.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia Turner, Hawkins; two sons, Duard Wayne Turner II, San Francisco, and Michael Allen Turner, Seattle, Washington; two daughters, Patricia Holmes and Tracy Denise Turner, both of Hawkins; a sister, Shirley Thedford, Breckenridge; and two grandsons.

Pallbearers included Masons.

James Perry (Jim) Hance

BAYTOWN - Jame Perry Hance, 54, died Friday, September 13, 1991, as the result of an automobile accident near Hamilton.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the East Side Church of Christ with Chris Firzzell officiating, assisted by Don Browning. Burial was in Hillside Memorial Gardens in Snyder, directed by Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home of Snyder.

Mr. Hance had been the minister of the Missouri Church of Christ in Baytown since 1986. He was the minister of Edgemere Church of Christ in Wichita Falls prior to that. He will also be remembered as the minister of the Cross Plains Church of Christ during the mid 60's.

His wife, Judy Lockhart Hance, also died as a result of the accident.

Survivors include two daughter, Sharon Porter of Grand Prairie and Debbie Burrows of Irving; a son, David Hance of Baytown; three sisters, Jackie Marie Humphrey of Austin, Mary Delle Stelzer of New York City and Betty Miller of California; four brothers, Bill Hance of Lincoln, Nebraska, Cotton Hance of Austin, Ed Hance of Southlake and Carl Hance of Mesa, Arizona; his parents, Bill and Mary Hance of Oklahoma City; and four grandchildren.

Judy Mae Hance

BAYTOWN - Judy Mae Hance, 48, died Friday, September 13, 1991, as the result of a car accident near Hamilton.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the East Side Church of Christ with Chris Frizzell officiating, assisted by Don Browning. Burial was in Hillside Memorial Garden in Snyder, directed by Bell-Cyper-Seale Funeral Home of Snyder.

Mrs. Hance was born in Scurry County. She worked for a number of years as a secretary for the East Side Church of Christ. She was member of the Missouri Street Church of Christ in Baytown and a homemaker.

Her mother, Wanda May Lockhart, and husband, James Perry Hance, also died as a result of the accident.

She is survived by her brother, Alvin Lockhart of Tomball.

Wanda May Lockhart

SNYDER . Wanda May Lockhart, 67, died Friday, September 13, as the result of an automobile accident near Hamilton.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the East Side Church of Christ with Chris Frizzell officiating assisted by Don Browning. Burial was in Hillside Memorial Gardens, directed

by Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home. Mrs. Lockhart was born in Scurry County. She worked for 10 years at Cogdell Memorial Hospital and was a member of the East Side Church of Christ. She was a retired housekeeper and the widow of Alvis A. Lockhart. Her daughter, Judy Mae Hance, also died in the accident.

Survivors include a son, Alvin Lockhart of Tomball; a sister, Lucille Boren of Clarendon; a brother, Wayne Mears of Stevinson, California; five grandchildren; and four grandchildren.

13th Annual Funday At Stamford On Sept. 21

STAMFORD, TX -- Budget Committee Chairman Leon Panetta (California), Martin Sabo (Minnesota), Jill Long (Indiana), and Bob Clement (Tennessee) will join Charlie and Cindy Stenholm for their annual FUNDay in Stamford on Saturday, September 21. They have been invited to visit part of the 17th Congressional District to better understand the interests of this area.

Stenholm serves with Sabo and Panetta on the Budget Committee which is responsible for overall spending and revenue guidelines for the trillion dollar federal budget each year. Sabo is also a member of the Appropriations Committee which writes the specific annual funding bills for most spending.

Jill Long owns her own farm in Indiana. Stenholm serves with her on the House Agriculture Committee. She is a member of the Conservative Democratic Forum (CDF) which Stenholm coordinates. They are both members of the Rural Health Care Coalition which Stenholm serves as chairman.

Bob Clement is co-sponsor if Stenholm's Balanced Budget Amendment and also is a member of the Rural Health Care Coalition.

"Cindy and I are honored to have these leaders come to our FUNDay,' said Stenholm. "Not only will they be sharing their friendship with us, they will have an opportunity to meet my constituents and hear of our interests and concern."

Everyone is invited to the picnic on Saturday, September 21, in the Ericksdahl community, east of Stamford. The food line opens at 4:30 p.m. The meal will be topped off with Comanche County watermelons and Blue Bell ice cream. Individual tickets are \$10. Those

who sell or buy ten tickets (\$100) will be invited to the Congressional Reception on Friday evening as well. Anyone selling or buying 30 tickets

(\$300) for FUNDay will be listed as a host for both the picnic and the reception.

More details can be obtained by calling the Stenholm campaign office in Stamford at (915) 773-5521.

Ten Free Trees For **New Members Of National Arbor Day Foundation**

Ten free trees will be given to each person who joins The National Arbor Day Foundation during September

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's Trees for America campaign.

The ten trees are the Sugar Maple, White Flowering Dogwood, Pin Oak, White Pine, Red Maple, Birch, American Redbud, Silver Maple, Red Oak, and Colorado Blue Spruce. "These trees were selected to pro-

vide benefits every season of the year: lovely spring flowers, cool summer shade, spectacular autumn colors, and winter berries and nesting sites for songbirds," John Rosenow, the Foundation's executive director, said.

The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between February 1 and May 31 with enclosed planting instructions. The six to twelve inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to TEN TREES, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE 68410, by September 30, 1991.

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LENDER

City Council Minutes

September 1, 1991

This was a regular meeting of the Cross Plains City Council. Members present were Mayor Ross Gerking, Edwin Weiss, Betty Lewis, Gary Childers, and Ted McKeehan. Joe Holland was absent.

Gary Childers moved to accept the minutes of the last meeting as read. Edwin Weiss seconded and motion carried.

Jim Cotter, City Auditor, met with the council to go over the annual audit report. He went over the report thoroughly with the council and then asked if the council had any questions. He reported that general auditing procedures were followed and no discrepancies were found. Ted McKeehan moved to accept the 1990-91 audit. Edwin Weiss seconded and motion carried.

Susan Holland met with the council concerning several questions pertaining to the minutes. See Attachment A which may be viewed at the City Hall. The council informed Mrs. Holland that they would go over the questions and answer them at a later date and return them to her as soon as possible.

Jean Vaughn met with the council to discuss her opinion of accounting problems with the city. See Attachment B which may be viewed at the City Hall.

The council informed Mrs. Vaughn that they would go over the questions and answer them at a later date and return them to her as soon as possible.

Minnie Martin, Callahan County Nutrition Project Coordinator, met with the council to go over the Senior Citizens Center activities for the past year. She thanked the council for their past support and asked that they pay the regular \$4,000 in quarterly payment and utilities for the Center. Betty Lewis moved to pay these requests. Ted McKeehan seconded and motion carried.

Next on the agenda was the Nutrition Project Board Members appointment. Ted McKeehan and Betty Lewis volunteered for the positions. Gary Childers moved to accept them as the Board Members representing Cross Plains. Edwin Weiss seconded and motion carried.

Bob Hill met with the council to discuss the judges report. He presented each council with a copy of his report. No one had any questions. The council thanked Judge Hill for

Rex Beggs met with the council to go over the financial statement of the fire department. He informed the council that at this time the department is in good shape with no major repairs or purchases needed.

VACATION NOTICE

CLOSED: Friday Noon, Sept. 27

Comanche Pow-Wow Set For September 28-29

The 10th Annual Comanche County Pow-Wow is scheduled for September 28 and 29. Most activities will be held in the Comanche City Park with hours on Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m and Sunday from noon until 5 p.m.

By general consent the council

agreed that they are not interested at

this time to sell the property located

directly behind Bill Lewis on Avenue

The council discussed the electric

bill for the irrigation of the land leased

by Randy Montgomery to get rid of

the water at the sewer farm. The coun-

cil felt that since the City was in need

of getting rid of the water to help aid

the construction of the new sewer

farm, they should help with the cost of

the electric bill until construction is

complete. Ted McKeehan moved to

pay 1/2 of the bill until construction is

complete, Gary Childers seconded and

By general consent the council tabl-

ed the discussion on the Emergency

Management Plan until the next

bie Gosnell as Records Management

Officer. Ted McKeehan seconded and

Edwin Weiss moved to appoint Deb-

Ted McKeehan moved to accept the

first reading of Ordinance 91-1,

RECORDS MANAGEMENT OF-

FICER. Edwin Weiss seconded and

Council discussed 911 addressing.

Debbie is to check on prices for the

work to be done by an outside firm. By

general consent tabled discussion until

Debbie Gosnell is to check with the

school to see what their participation

in the DARE PROGRAM will be.

Council will discuss further next

By general consent the council

Edwin Weiss moved to transfer

\$33,000 from the Money Market Fund

Account to the General Fund to pay

for the sewer outfall line installed by

Stegemoller Construction Company.

Gary Childers seconded and motion

Ted moved that coucilmen will pay

for any copies over 10, over and above

the regular copies that councilmen

receive at the council meetings. Edwin

Gary Childers moved to recess for

Betty Lewis moved to pay the bills.

The mayor announced to the au-

dience present that the council would

be going into executive session con-

Ted McKeehan moved to go into ex-

Ted McKeehan moved to go out of

executive session. Edwin Weiss

Ted McKeehan moved to adjourn.

Edwin Weiss seconded and motion

seconded and motion carried.

ecutive session. Edwin Weiss second-

Gary Childers seconded and motion

ten minutes. Ted McKeehan seconded

and motion carried.

cerning personnel.

ed and motion carried.

Weiss seconded and motion carried.

agreed to observe September 17-23 as

National Constitution Week.

motion carried.

motion carried.

motion carried.

next meeting.

meeting.

carried.

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meeting.

Admission will be \$1 per person school age and up. Everyone is invited to attend.

Area artists and crafts persons are encouraged to enter the Art Contest and Show, the Photography Contest and Show, and/or the Craft Contest and Show. These events will be held in the Comanche Community Center at the entrance to the city park.

Entries are due in the center Thursday afternoon by 6 p.m. on September 26. All will be on exhibit to the public **Cross Plains** Review Deadline Reminder

The deadline for articles for the Cross Plains Review still remains on Fridays by 5 a.m. or Monday at noon, at the very latest.

and from 1 to 4 p.m. September 29. Various cooking contests and other booths of interest will be available. For further information concerning Monday noon is the official deadline booth space, cook off, contests, etc. for advertising including classified ads call the Comanche Chamber of Comand display ads. However, they will merce at (915)356-3233. be accepted after that time. It would be

> helpful to have them in as soon as possible. Emergency and other circumstances causing delays will always be considered. Thanks to all the subscribers who mail in their renewals with the cards attached and those who pay in person, too. The right side of the renewal notice is needed when paying in order

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ing the 1991 summer semesters. Keynote speaker for the general commencement ceremony was Dr. James K. Owens of the T. Boone Pickens College of Business.

Rene' Baize of Wheeler graduated with a Master of Education and Social Sciences. Rene' is the wife of Van Baize, employed by the First National Bank in Wheeler, and they have two children, Todd, 15 and Vanessa, 12.

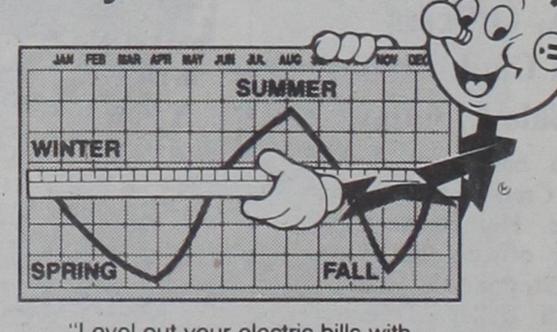
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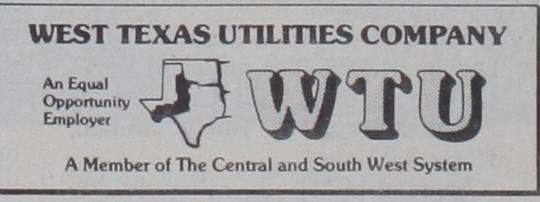
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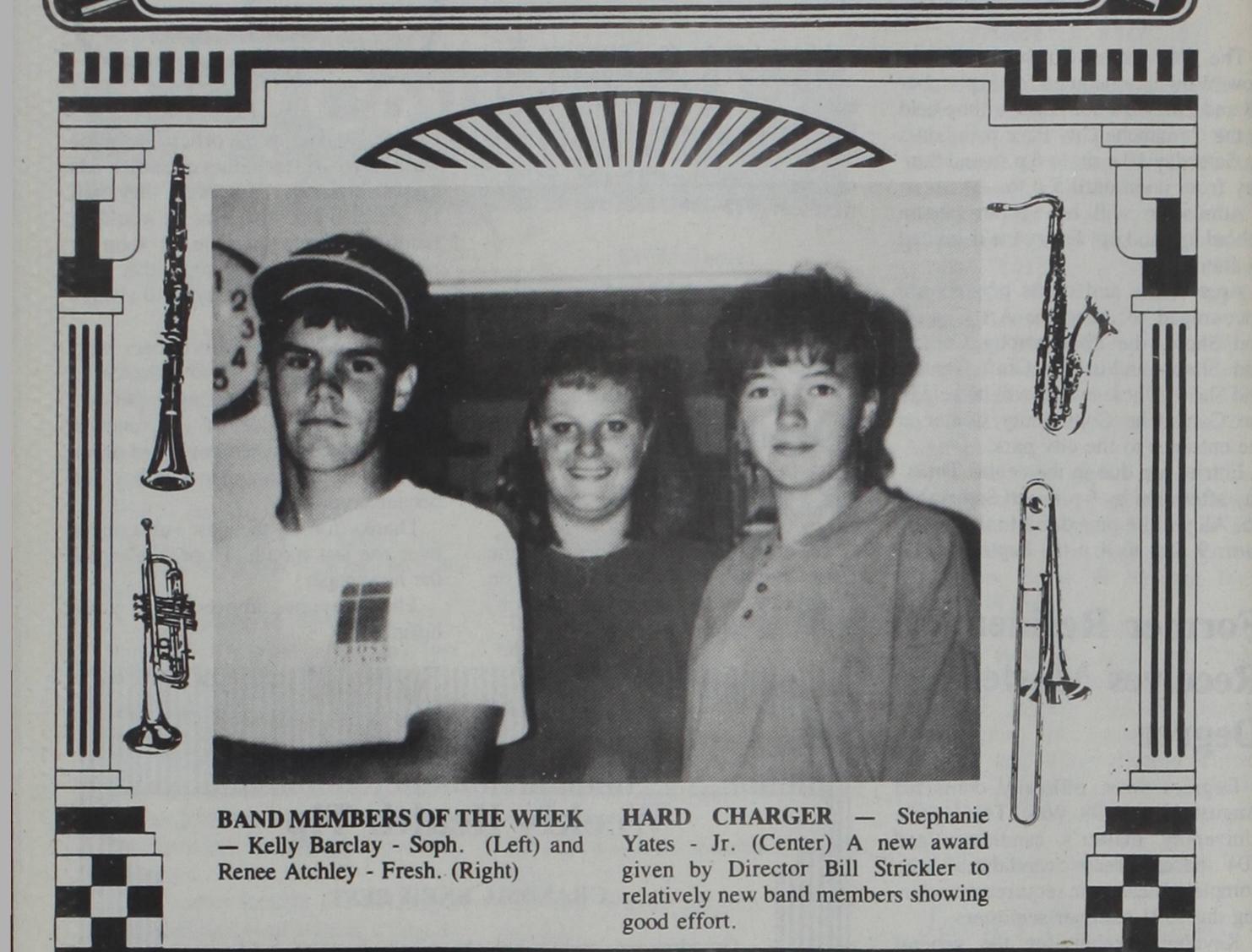
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GO BUFFALOES — The Cross Plains Buffs braved adverse weather in

last Friday night's competition.

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Cross Plains Has Successful First Country Meet

Cross Plains Cross Country teams were in Abilene on Saturday, September 14, to participate in their first meet of the season which was held at Nelson Park.

Varsity girls and boys ran in Division 1A and 2A combined. The Junior High boys ran in Division 1A through 5A combined. The times that were turned in were excellent, but most coaches agreed that the track was a little short.

Sophomore Connie Steele won 1st place in the girls varsity division with a time of 10:53 minutes. Sophomore Tamara Flippin finished 69th with a time of 13:08, and Freshman Jodi Dallas finished at 70th with a time 13:09. There were a total of 134 girls in the race.

In the varsity boys competition Junior Carlile Albrecht finished with a time of 16.25 minutes. Freshman Jimmy Lee had a time 17.31 taking a 41st spot. Close behind was Jason Rutledge taking 43rd (time not available). In the boys division, there were 126 competitors.

In the junior high division of the races, there were 90 running. They ran against 1A through 5A. Seventh grader Justin Richey won 1st place with a good time of 6:53 minutes. Teammate Andy Rutledge, 8th grader, took 22nd place with a time 7:57.

In the races, varsity girls run 2 miles and the varsity boys run 3 miles. The junior high teams run 1 mile.

Varsity teams will be running this weekend, September 21, at the Lakewood Recreation Center (golf course between Cross Plains and Rising Star). At present there are 10 teams entered including 98 girls and 65 boys.

If you wish to watch the teams perform, come out Saturday. The races will begin at 8:30 a.m. Anyone wishing to help with the race, please contact Coach McConal at 725-6590.

New F.H.A. Officers Announced Cookbooks Went On Sale Monday

Sonya Renfro has been elected President of the Cross Plains Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America. Other officers are Vice-President - Stephannie Yates; Secretary - Jodi Dallas; Treasurer - Jimmy Lee; and Parliamentarian - Jennifer Jones.

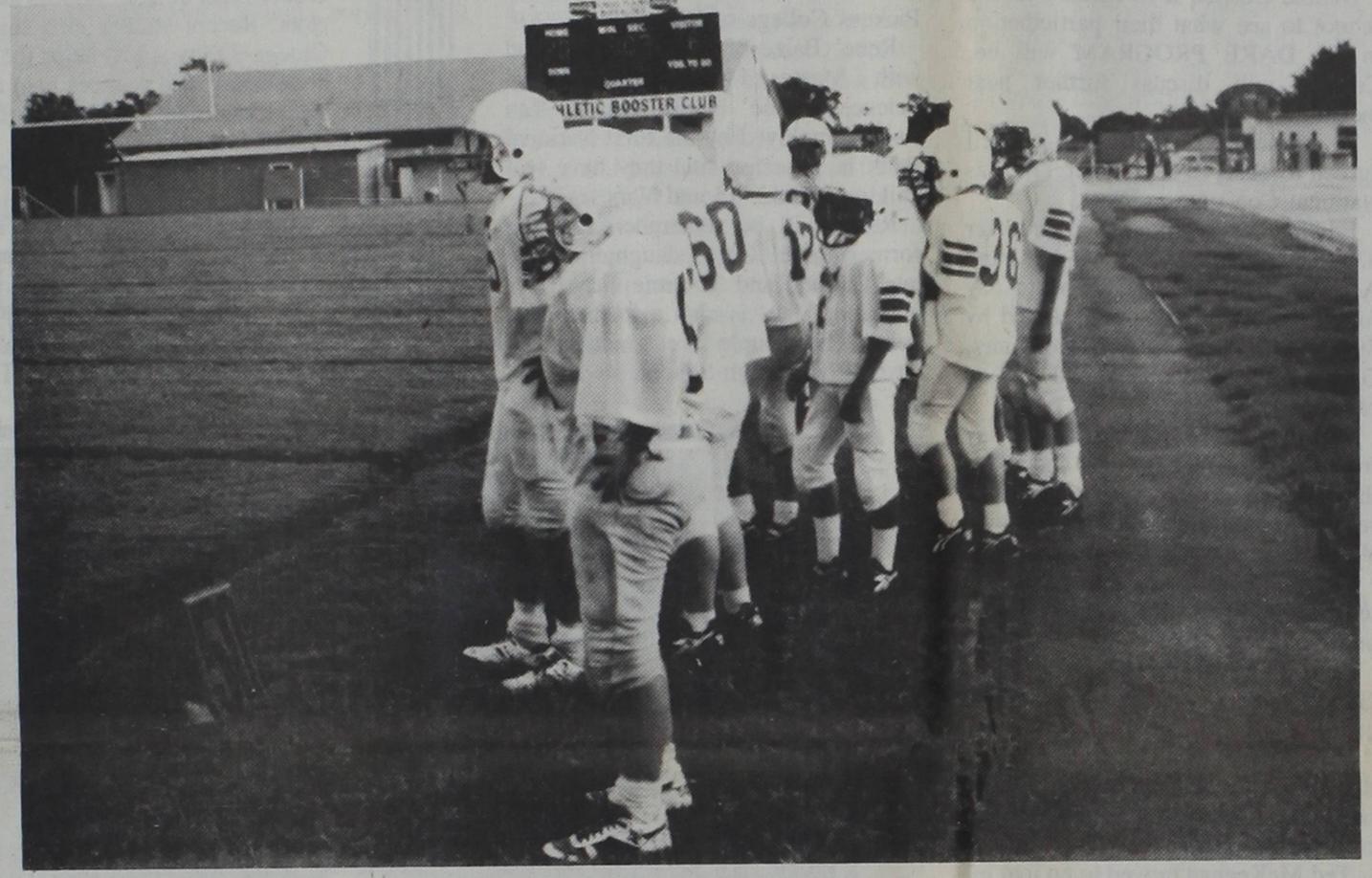
The F.H.A. started their annual cookbook sales on Monday. The cookbooks are favorite recipes of home economics teachers.

An assortment of gourmet items are also available. F.H.A. members will be taking orders through Monday, September 23. Proceeds from the fundraiser will pay for state and national dues, local activities, and attending the

area and state leadership meetings.

'Mrs. Julia Wheeler is the F.H.A.

advisor.



CROSS PLAINS MIGHTY MITES



JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS

— Whitney Kirkham (top), Brandi

Adams (back), Jaonna Harris (left)

and Misti Strickland (right), Sabrina

Taylor (front), and Amanda Clausen,



Schedule Of Bison Events

September 19 — September 25

September 19 — Junior High, Dublin, There 6:00 p.m. Junior Varsity, Dublin, There 7:30 p.m. September 20 — Varsity, Dublin,

Home 8:00 p.m.

September 21 — 20-21 Faculty Advisory Committee attends training session in Austin. Cross country meet at Lakewood Recreation Center.

September 23 — Seniors order senior pictures at school from Miller Studio.

"Speaking With The Hands"

spotter.

By BRANDI EPPARD

The Cross Plains School District is currently hosting a sign language class that is offered not only to teachers, but students and interested members of the community as well.

The class which is being conducted by Sandra Wilson of Abilene started on Tuesday, September 10, and will be meeting every Tuesday until October 29. Each class is a two hour session from 6 to 9 p.m.

Twenty-six people have joined the class including some teachers from the district, community members, and two

Cross Plains students. Currently there are four deaf students in the Cross Plains I.S.D., but all will eventually be transferred to Abilene High School, where they will be working with Sandra Wilson.

In talking with some of the class members after their first session, they said it will be challenging but quite interesting, and well worth the \$25 fee. The teachers will also possibly be able to receive 16 hours of in-service credit towards the 20 hours that the state is requiring each teacher to get during the year.

Lions Attacked The Buffaloes

By WARREN PARSON

Last Friday night, September 13, the Buffaloes traveled to Roby to play the Lions in the second game of the 1991 season. Despite the threat of rain, and the heavy rain encountered on the way over, there was no delay in the game.

The Buffs were hampered by turnovers and missed tackles, with the final score Roby 30 and Cross Plains

Out of the 42 rushing plays, the Buffaloes gained 145 yards. The Lions rushed for a total of 308 yards running

In the passing department, the Buffaloes had 6 completions and 2 interceptions out of 21 attempts, for a total of 92 yards passing. Roby, on the other hand, attempted only 4 passes

with 2 completions for 10 yards.

Between passing and running yardage, the Buffs earned 13 first downs compared to the Lions 14. Both teams fumbled 3 times.

The Buffaloes punted for a total of 43 yards and the Lions had slightly more punting yards with 47.5.

On defense, James Reed, Jacob Barron, and Kenny Horan each recovered one fumble. Barron and Reed also each were credited with 2½ tackles each. Michael Cowan had 3½ tackles, and Eric Blanton and Shawn

McKeehan each had 1½ tackles.

Horan and Jason Fleming each had 1
tackle. Leading the defense in tackles
was Jody Brown with 11, followed by
Colby Walker with 5.

Again, the Buffalo Band and Varsity cheerleaders did an excellent job showing their support for the Buffs and keeping the enthusiasm high, along with the fans who made the long trip.

The band did not suit up in their uniforms due to the inclimate weather, but performed at half-time to a receptive crowd.

Come out and be part of the "Herd" by watching the game and supporting the local athletes, coaches, cheerleaders, and band. The Buffs will be hosting the Dublin Lions this Friday, September 20, beginning at 8

Complications with the film developing did not allow good photos of the game this week. Watch for next week's pictures!



Chris Key Continued

By DENESE WHITELEY

In a follow-up interview with injured Buffalo football player, Chris Key, he stated that as a result of the injury he received to his knee in the second scrimmage, he will have to have orothoscopic ligament surgery on his left knee.

According to Chris, the surgery is scheduled for September 27. It will involve removing a section of good ligament and part of the bone attached at each end and attaching it with screws to a hole drilled in the upper leg bone, and a hole drilled in the lower leg bone.

This surgery will be done by Dr. Holloway and Associates at Hendrick Hospital in Abilene. He will be spending two to three days in the beauty let the beauty in the beauty

Unfortunately, this means that Chris will be unable to play any more football, and his pole vaulting during track season will be affected, also. The doctors told him that a complete recovery

Of this type of injury could take a year.

Chris went on to say that Coach
Doug Dallas is going to work with him
in hopes of beating that schedule and
hopefully he will be ready to participate in track.

Key indicated that his doctor felt that his injured knee should be at least 80 to 110 percent as good as his good knee in order to get back into pole vaulting.



School Lunch Menu

SEPTEMBER 23 — 27

(Subject to Change)

BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Oatmeal, toast, orange juice, milk.

TUESDAY — Choice of ready to eat cereal, grape juice, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Cinnamon roll,

orange juice, milk.

THURSDAY — Pancake, sausage,
grape juice, milk.

FRIDAY — Bacon, egg, biscuit, jelly, orange juice, milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY — Chicken nuggets, creamed potatoes with gravy, green beans, rolls, milk

TUESDAY — Vegetable beef soup, grilled cheese sandwich, crackers, pineapple chunks, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Taquitas with cheese sauce, corn, chocolate cake, milk.

THURSDAY — Ham slices, scalloped potatoes, green beans, rolls, peach halves, milk.

FRIDAY — Hamburger, salad, fries, cookie, milk.

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English - History!!!

By GREG TURNER

These two subjects always seem to cause trouble for me in school. In English only one word, which I used often, was the word, IF. The problem is I always used this word in the past tense. -

Example: IF I tried harder things would have been different.

History was another problem, because I always wondered what would happen IF an event hadn't happened the way it did, such as the assassination of Lincoln, Kennedy, World War I, World War II, Columbus, the Wright brothers, and a more recent event, Operation Desert Storm.

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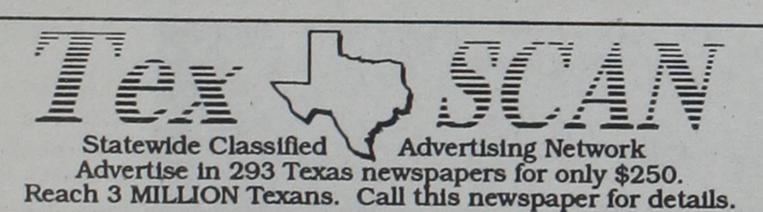


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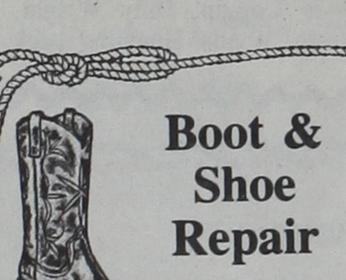
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Granddaddy Of Rummage Sales Slated For September 28-29

Keep up the good work, Cross Plains! The response for "treasures" to be donated to the Library Rummage

MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

This is a gloomy Monday morning, all-over cloudy at this moment. But I am not a serious critic of the weather, no matter what it is. I went down this morning and picked the last of may pear crop, there were only three down there, large, beautiful fruit.

I've been amused, lately, by so many of our men letting their beards grow, long and thick, I saw a man downtown the other day, he knew me, but I didn't recognize him with his long, gray beard. He knew that I was puzzled, he looked back and smiled, then I knew him-a neighbor who I had not seen lately.

We had tremendous services at the First Baptist Church on Sunday. We had good attendance in Sunday School and good church attendance. We heard an inspiring testimony from Alvin Hutchins, then an interesting message from our pastor. There were nine women and six men in the choir. Rob Sarles does a splendid job with the choir.

I just love to talk to Sally Roady, she has a lot of family members whose activities she reports. They took their grandson, Charlie, to the West Texas Fair, they all enjoyed that experience. They visited Mr. Mack Childers in Cross Plains, and her brother, Gene Hicks in Rising Star. Their son, Joe, of Brownwood had a birthday on the 13th. They visted him that day, it was a big day for all of them.

Mr. Sam Beggs, J.T.'s brother, of Morton Valley visited them one day last week. Betty and Mrs. C.T. Barton started to Brownwood one day, they had car problems on the way, so they came back to their homes. Mr. L.W. Mitchell, a neighbor, visited them one

Mrs. Mildred Hobdy of Stephenville spent the weekend here with Mrs. Jewel Foster. We were happy to see them in Sunday School and church.

Mack Taff answered at their house this morning. Marianne was visiting her brother and family at Mason this

Sale has been very good. Further donations may be made directly at the Howard House Monday through Thursday next week after 9 a.m.

Members of the Friends of the Library will be there until noon setting up for the best and biggest sale yet.

Families of children who have benefitted from the Library's Learn About Program and the Summer Reading Program, in fact, anyone who has checked out a book, attended a library program or used the library for research can help keep the library going by their donations of baked goods or items they no longer need.

Baked goods should be brought to the Howard House Friday, September 27, by 8 a.m. Kathy Chessir (725-7119) is again in charge of the baked goods part of this sale.

Y'all Come!

GARDEN TIPS FROM THE Cross Plains Garden Club @

The Cross Plains Garden Club contributed the following information for

the month of September gardening. Amaryllis bulbs for Christmas blooms must be planted at least six weeks in advance. They will need a bright spot in the house and temperatures of 70 or 80 degrees.

Select healthy bulbs from reliable stores. The bulbs should be at least 4 inches in diameter and clay pots are best suited for breathing.

If bulbs are not all planted, place in newspaper and paper bags and store in the refrigerator for later planting.

To plant a bulb in a pot, keep the top of it dry and place it in a saucer of luke warm water 12 hours so the base of the bulb and roots are submerged.

Use light, airy potting soil with leaf mold. Use a pot that will leave space of 1 to 11/2 inches from bulb to side of

Soil used must be damp but not wet. Leave no air holes under the bulb. Set the bulb on the soil only as deep as necessary to securely anchor it, otherwise it would begin to rot.

Set in a warm area for 3 weeks at 70 to 75 degrees. The first week, set the pot in a saucer or warm water for 30 minutes. After the first two weeks, water as needed.

to get a call from their friends. Bobby and Shirley Masters of Bryson, Texas recently. They were members of the Western Heritage Wagon Train, and said the group of about sixteen members with six wagons and their supply wagons would be coming through Burkett soon.

The group arrived Sunday evening, September 9, and because of the unpredictable weather they stayed in the Burkett Community Center. They invited anyone who cared to do so to come have coffee and visit with them. Buddy and Nita had supper with them

They were enroute to Presidio to help them celebrate their 300 years since the town was established.

This group is a part of those whose motto is "Take Pride in America" and in 1989 they were semi-finalist in "Take Pride in America". They received their award in Washington D.C. and it was signed and presented to them by Barbara Bush.

Pete Golson of Rankin and Roy Dale Golson of San Antonio visited their brother and wife, Low and Liz Golson, their sister, Beth Kleiber, and her husband, Bob, and children and their aunt, Grace Green, last week.

While here, Roy, Pete, and Andy Dale Young spent Tuesday and Wednesday fishing. They had good luck fishing and had a fish fry Wednesday evening at the Low Golson home. Those present were Beth Kleiber and son, Steve, Grace Green, Mechelle Wilkowich and children, Kelsey and Logan of Coleman, plus the fishermen, host and hostess.

Buck Bludworth of Henderson visited his brother, W. B. Bludworth. and sister, Lucille Gould and family He also visited his brother, Carl Blud-

Paul Walker and his co-driver, Bill. stopped by for a visit with his parents. Andrew and Doris Walker, Sunday afternoon. The truck drivers were

Mrs. Bernice Schaut and son, Jim-Byers, and her brother, Dan Byers.

Regional Hospital last Friday after a two week stay at home from the hospital waiting for her surgery to be set. It was performed Monday morning and all went well. She is staying two or three days in I.C.U.

wrist last week in a mishap while mowing her lawn. She is recouperating at home.

We are sorry that Mrs. Eula Hunter of Ranger Park Inn Nusing Home of Santa Ann sustained a broken hip when she fell off herbed. She underwent surgery at Brownwood Regional

Eula Hunter and Lillian Brown are sisters-in-law and their homes were next door to each other until Mrs. Hunter entered the nursing home, and both had surgery the same day. I wish

Jody and Eurita Whitley of San Saba spent Saturday afternoon here with her father, L. E. Mountain, and Lovera

Virgie Adams is home after a visit of about a month with her daughters and husbands, Peggy and Ollie Bradford of Proctor and Mattie and Red Bradford of Comanche. She had been hospitalized in Brownwood for a week because of a severe case of bronchitis, and went to her daughters' home to

recouperate. Those visiting with Virgie on the weekend were her sisters, Opal Gray and Elsie Porter of Cross Plains, her aunt, Birdie Helms, and Vale Henderson both of Burkett, and Lon and

Doris Walker was admitted to Humana Hospital Friday two weeks

-----PK's-----Friday Night Special Sept. 20 - 5:30 p.m. - 10 p.m.

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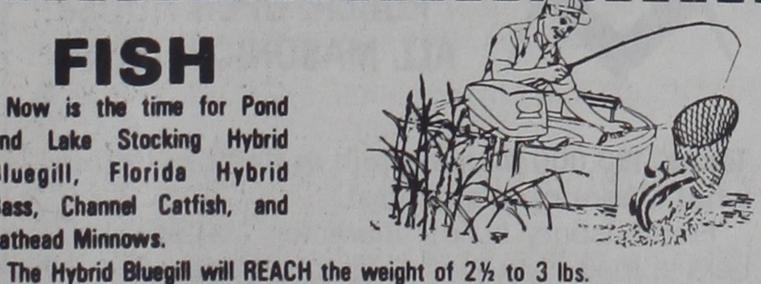
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Burkett News

more pleasant.

covered with snow.

condition. She was dismissed Wednes-

day of last week. She said the cards.

calls and flowers made her stay much

Darrell Walker called his parents

Sunday. He was in Laramie. Wyom-

ing and besides other news, he told

them the mountains there were

Gacia Burkett and daughter. Jean

and husband Jay Chambers of Lam-

pasas, visited Gacia's brother, Sterling

Walker of Brownwood, one day last

week. He is a patient at Care Inc.

From there they traveled to Burkett

and visited her nephew and wife. Low

and Liz Golson, her niece. Beth

LAKEWOOD

NEWS

By BETTY WESTERMAN

We are still having the weekly

Thursday golf scrambles, but

September 26 will probably be the last

one this year. It is already starting to

get dark before we can finish. The

We have planned an 18 hole Scram-

ble for Sunday, September 22. Tee off

will be at 1:30 p.m. Entry fee is \$5 per

person for members, or a green fee for

non-members. Come on out to play

and bring a friend with you. It's

always great to have someone new

day morning, September 21. The

Cross Plains High School is hosting a

Cross Country Race Event with about

10 schools entered, and have asked to

use our course for the run. The event

should be over sometime after lunch,

at which time the golf course will re-

open. The Club is always happy to

and guests will be Tuesday, September

24, at 7 p.m. The Pioneer ladies will

The monthly supper for members

A planning meeting for Area Twins

wanting to ride on the "Twins Float"

in the Old Rip Parade at Eastland will

be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday,

September 18, at the Double Vision

Restaurant south of Eastland at the

parade and participants need to be lin-

ed up at 8:30 a.m on South Astrom

Street. The Community Room at

Eastland National Bank will be utiliz-

For further information call

Kathleen at (817)442-1239, Charleen

at (817)629-1356 or Earlene at

ed for a meeting place.

September 21 will be the day of the

assist our two local schools.

be the hostesses this month.

Meeting For

Area Twins

truck terminal.

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The golf course will be closed Satur-

playing with us.

seasons are beginning to change.

Kleiber, and June Walker.

By FREEDA BURKETT

Buddy and Nita Thate were pleased

and several others visited, too.

worth of Coleman last Sunday.

enroute to El Paso.

my of Niagara, Wisconsin, were guests of her sisters, Velma and Esther

Bernice, Velma, and Dan visited another sister at Robert Lee Sunday, September 1.

Lillian Brown entered Brownwood

Velma Byers sustained a broken

Hospital Monday afternoon.

to add that both are my aunts.

and Jack Strickland.

Laverne Gray of Coleman.

ago for tests and medication for a heart

Defensive Driving Course Offered At CJC

Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course on Monday, September 30, and Wednesday, October 2, 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 September 30. Students must attend both nights of the course and must bring a valid drivers license to class. Cisco Junior College is an agency of the Texas Safety Association.

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

Travel Schedule Reduced For **Social Security**

The budget crisis has affected the Social Security Administration in several ways. One of these is that there is less money to pay travel expenses. So, travel schedules have been reduced. They regret the inconvenience. and normal travel schedules will resume when, and if funds are made available.

The nearest travel schedule for citizens in this area is Eastland at Park Hill Senior Citizens Center. They will be at the center on October 1 and 15: November 5 and 19: and December 3 and 17 at 9:30 a.m.

Hunter Education Certification **Program Slated**

A Hunter Education Certification Program will be held at the Oplin Community Center on Saturday, September 28, at 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

This Hunter Education Program is being sponsored by the Oplin 4-H Club and is open to adults as well as others who need to be certified.

The course fee will be \$5 and will be limited to the first 30 who enroll. The minimum age for certification is 12 years. Those under 12 may attend and receive recognition of attendance but must retake the course after turning

To pre-register for the Texas Hunters Education Course, call the County Extension office at (915)854-1518 or Judy Woodard at 529-3129 prior to September 24.

Participants should bring a sack lunch for the noon meal.

CROSS PLAINS REVIEW Thursday, September 19, 1991

Bedlam To Be Held In Baird

More exciting things happening in Baird .. wild and crazy activities taking place October 19 for the first annual "Bedlam In Baird".

For an accurate definition of "bedlam" check the dictionary. Certainly a one-of-a-kind event! The day will be highlighted with a bed race. mini-train ride for kids, antique cars, square dancers on the street, craft fair and live entertainment all day.

Newly opened antique businesses will be offering special prizes and drawings during the day. Fun contests will be staged for adventuresome. frolic-loving strangers who wander into town.

Pure fun and entertainment with lots of good deals along the way.

For information on spaces at the craft fair or how to enter the bed race. contact the Baird Chamber of Commerce (915)854-2003.



Chandra and Dillon Heath of Spicewood visited over the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Odom.

Charlie and Cindy Stenholm Invite you to the 13th Annual Festivities September 21, 1991 4:30 p.m. Ericksdahl Picnic Grounds Stephen Haterius, Campaign Manager P. O. Box 1032 Stamford, Texas 79553 915-773-5521 *10 per person

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AMENDED

Notice of Effective Tax Rate (for use by most taxing units)

1991 Property Tax Rates in _CALLAHAN_COUNTY Callahan County

It presents information This notice concerns _____1991____ property tax rates for about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

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	Last year's tax rate:	CALLAHAN COUNTY	FARM ROAD
	Last year's operating taxes	684,358.	201,164.
	Last year's debt taxes		
	Last year's total taxes	684,358.	201,164.
	Last year's tax base	266,074,375	260,254,467
	Last year's total tax rate	.2590/\$100	.0779/\$100
	This year's effective tax rate:		
	Last year's adjusted taxes	684,358.	201,164.
	(after subtracting taxes on lost property)		
÷ ·	This year's adjusted tax base	269,387,850.	263,660,090.
	(after subtracting value of new property)		Skonized fine i
=	This year's effective tax rate for each fund	.2540/\$100	.0762/\$100
	Total effective tax rate		
×	1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing	.2617/\$100	.0785/\$100
	This year's rollback tax rate:		
	Last year's adjusted operating taxes	688,297.	201,164.
	(after subtracting taxes on lost property)		de de la section de la constitución de la constituc
÷	This year's adjusted tax base	269,387,850	263,660,090
=	This year's effective operating rate	.2555/\$100	.0762/\$100
_	.72 for school district (or zero)		
×	1.08 (or add \$.08 for schools) = this year's	.2759/\$100	.0823/\$100
	maximum operating rate		
+	This year's debt rate		
<u>'</u> _	This year's rollback rate	.2759./\$100	0823/\$100
	John John State of the State of	74.00	14.00

Given Locally COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS

By LINDA EDINGTON Activity Director

You've heard about time flying when your having fun -- well this past week I believe was the fastest week that had gone by. I returned to work from vacation rested and ready to face the real world. A special thank you to Fredene Hargrove for filling in for me while I was gone.

We appreciate Rolan Jones for the squash and bell peppers he brought.

Everyone enjoyed the beautiful flower arrangement from Lois Henderson.

That good ole fried okra can't be beat says Midge McCall and Madie Chambers. Thanks to Lorene Harris. Happy Wedding Anniversary to

Carol and Edwin Savell. A special birthday wish to Inez Ingram today on her 82nd birthday. We

love you Inez! Bob and Dottie Silver from LosLunas, New Mexico, Charle Coburn, Connie Kirkham, and Charlene Metcalf were here visiting Clara Coburn.

Pauline and Donald Newsom from Plymouth, California, Sue McNeil from Baird, Sally Roady and Billie Freeman were here visiting with Nettie Roady.

Carol and Charlie Rogers from Cottonwood visited Lora Pugh.

Jewel Thompson was visiting with everybody.

Bettye Sue Adams was visiting her mother, Annabel Vaught. Robert and Christine Chambers

from Colorado City were here visiting Madie Chambers.

Clara Nell Spencer visited H. McDermett and others.

W. M. Stansbury's guest was Bob Norton of Knox City.

Dwaine Clower from Pioneer visited with Floye Cassle.

Daisy King visited her sister, Inez Ingram.

Activities during the week are: Monday - Bingo winners were Mable Burchfield, Clevia Ringhoffer, Bertha Hoyt (3), Floye Cassle (2), Ressa Glover, Madie Chambers, Midge Mc-Call and E. K. Coppinger. Exercise class and in room activities.

Tuesday: Art class, domino games,

popcorn. Wednesday: Sing-a-long with Ernestine Watson, Frankie Smith, Irma and John Miller, Sally Roady, Vernie McMillan and Ruby Mc-Cowen. Exercise class and in room activities.

Thursday: Linen folding.

Friday: Bingo winners were E. K. Coppinger (2), Madie Chambers (3), Bertha Hoyt, Lucille Stone (2), Annabel Vaught, Vera Belyeu. and Mable Burchfield. Afternoon singing with Sister Ruby and Bobby Jack Mc-Cowen.

The God who can do anything would have us seek no less than what He longs to give to those He loves --His very Best.

GARDEN CLUB NEWS

Cross Plains Garden Club held their first meeting of the 1991-92 year at the Garden Center at 11:30 a.m. on Friday, September 13. A salad luncheon hosted by Julene Franke, Opal Jernigan, Joyce Odom, and Rolan Jones preceded the program and business meeting.

There were fifteen members and three guests, Pauline Hedson, Jean Ramsay, and Fredda Criswell from Rising Star in attendance.

Each member had provided a horticulture specimen suitable for entry in a Standard Flower Show. Program Chairman, Gretna Payne, divided the members into groups of three. Each group to act as judges to critique a portion of the specimens, pointing out the good and bad points of each determining their eligibility to qualify for rib-

Vice-President Julene Franke opened the business meeting with an article from the Abilene Reporter-News concerning the foibles of Friday the 13th. Discussion of old and new business followed

Property tax values in the Clyde school district and Callahan County have increased by several million dollars while the Eula school will see a drop of over \$6 million, according to property tax values for Callahan County taxing entities.

The Clyde C.I.S.D. property tax values increased from \$122 million in 1990 to \$125 million this year, according to Roxl Lewallen, chief appraiser for the Callahan County Appraisal District.

Lewallen said the increase in tax values for the Clyde school district this year is mainly due to a 15% increase in mineral values in the district.

Callahan County property taxes increased from \$267 million in 1990 to \$270 million in 1991, also due to the increase in mineral values, Lewallen

The Eula school district loses over \$6 million in property taxes this year, according to Richard Petree, chief appraiser of the Central Appraisal District of Taylor County which provides the appraisal for the Eula school district. Petree said the 1991 property value for the Eula district is \$60 million, down from \$65 million in 1990.

The Cross Plains I.S.D. property tax values decreased from \$71 million in 1990 to \$69 million in 1991, according to Lewallen. He said the \$2 million drop in tax value for the district is due to the fact that the Cross Plains school district had the highest median ratio of all the taxing jurisdictions in the county. According to Lewallen, the appraisals of property in the school district were 105% of the market value, while the property values of the Clyde and Baird school districts were 102% of market value. Lewallen said that county appraisers readjusted the appraisals of rural residences in the Cross Plains school district that were located outside the city limits of Cross Plains. He said there were many poorly built properties that were appraised at a lower value in the Cross Plains school district.

Property values for the City of Clyde, City of Baird and Baird school district were down slightly this year compared to last year, Lewallen said. The drop was due to a depreciation of electric and gas

Property Tax Values Clyde C.I.S.D.

1985	\$160,002,227
1986	\$151,768,807
1987	\$134,541,064
1988	\$127,028,866
1989	\$121,297,286
1990	\$122,290,870
1991	\$125,000,000

Eula I.S.D.				
1986	\$77,821,569			
1987	\$74,252,364			
1988	\$67,850,237			
1989	\$68,484,852			
1990	\$66,530,320			
1991	\$60,313,884			
City of Clyde				
1989	\$56,104,305			
1990	\$55,429,318			

\$54,790,000 1991 Callahan County \$268,560,626 1989 \$267,842,035 1990 \$270,000,000 1991

City of Baird \$24,911,000 1990 \$24,300,000 1991 **Baird School** 1990 \$65,289,000 1991 \$64,700,000 Cross Plains School

\$71,837,000

\$69,470,000

utilities in the taxing jurisdictions, he added.

1990

1991

Lewallen said that the 1991 tax values for all county taxing entities will be presented to Callahan County Tax Assessor/Collector Wauncia Estes. Mrs. Estes will set the effective tax rates for the taxing jurisdictions. The effective tax rate is the rate applied to this year's tax value that will raise the same amount of tax money as was brought in last year. Mrs. Estes will announce effective tax rates for 1991 in mid to late August.

Lewallen said that the 1991 property tax statements will be mailed around the first of October 1991. He said that the 1991 taxes will become delinquent of February 1, 1992.

Church Of Christ Ladies Retreat

Women of the Cross Plains Church of Christ and guests from the area met at the Church Activity Center Saturday, September 14, for an annual fetreat. Guest speaker was Sylvia Brewster of Brady. The theme of the meeting was "Season of Life."

Brewster discussed these seasons as spring, summer, fall, and winter, suggesting that there are priorities for Christian women in each period. Her message included the importance of "living your season" and of being excited about "the season you are in."

Especially fitting were Brewster's comments about the winter season. She admonished that there is the need to "Keep the wheels turning even if the machinery is broken." Also she said, women, especially those alone, should be sure that they stay in a "living room, not a waiting room," and that they not buy the notion that "You have served your time." As long as a person has a voice and a telephone, and others have a telephone and ears, love and warmth can be transmitted. She did suggest, however, that in order to insure love in the winter of one's life, it is important for each to

give love in the other seasons.

All appreciated the warmth of Sylvia Brewster's message. After a delicious salad luncheon, the

afternoon was filled with many kinds of activities. These included Bible quizzes, skits, musical numbers, poems (some original), readings, and games.

The women reported having lots of fun for ladies of "all seasons." The concensus was that the retreat was a great success.

LADIES RETREAT LUNCHEON - Local Church of Christ women at Annual Retreat.

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G.H. Texas City

New

Bill And Joe Announce

Arrival Of Grandnephew

Proud uncles Bill and Joe Howser

announce of the arrival of grand-

nephew, Nicholas Aaron Howser,

born August 15, 1991 in Portland,

Proud parents are Ronnie and

Sherry Howser. Jonathon is his older

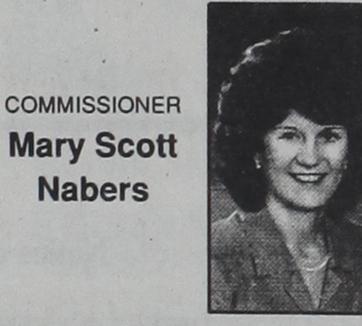
brother, and Leota Howser of Rich-

mond. Texas is his paternal grand-

Oregon.

mother.

Arrivals:



TEXAS BUSINESS TODAY

Dear G.H.,

Absent an agreement to the contrary, you are usually free to accept an employee's resignation immediately without any obligation to pay wages to the employee for the notice period. Under the Texas Payday Law, you have until the next regularly scheduled payday to issue the final paycheck to an employee who leaves for any reason other than discharge.

If the employee gives no more than a two-week notice of resignation, your early acceptance will not change the nature of the work

separation. However, when an employee gives more than a two-week notice and you accept the resignation earlier, the Commission will look at all of the circumstances in determining if it was a chargeable work separation. Under the set of circumstances you described, the person would most likely not be eligible for any unemployment benefits.

Simply put, that means that because of the longer amount of time involved in the notice, if the person could not begin work immediately, she might be eligible for benefits and you might be charged. It would just all depend on the facts of the case.

Dear Commissioner Nabers,

I am a disabled person certified to teach music in Texas' public school system. For the last 11 years, I have searched for a job, only to lose out to non-disabled candidates who are less qualified. I have no doubt that my paralyzed left arm is the reason I have not been hired.

Ironically, the same public school system that will not hire me on a permanent basis is willing to use me as a substitute teacher. If I can do the job on a temporary basis, doesn't that prove that I can do the job on a permanent basis?

I am now earning only about \$5,000 a year and am desperate to have the chance to teach on a fulltime basis. What can I do?

> E.M. Houston

Dear E.M.,

The new Americans With Disabilities Act goes into effect July 26, 1992. This law applies to private employers and to state and local governments.

Under this new law, it is illegal to discriminate against a disabled individual. Disabled persons will no longer be denied equal access to the job application process, equal employment opportunities or any other benefit or privilege of employment. As long as you can perform the essential functions of the job, the public school system may not disqualify you from consideration. Moreover, the school system may even be obligated to reasonably accommodate you in order to assist you in the performance of the job requirements.

While the new law will not be effective until next year, you have time to learn what the school system considers to be essential functions of the job and evaluate what, if any, assistance you will need to perform those functions.

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ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Rain Friday and Saturday measured 2 inches in the Gibb's gauge. Again water was in all the low places this morning. It has all soaked into the ground at this time, but it still looks like more will follow.

The Don Harrell family attended the Fair and Rodeo on Wednesday night in Abilene. A friend of Leigh, Kelley Welch, took in the rides at the Fair. The Welch family live here in the community. Both girls Leigh and Kelley attend Abilene schools.

Bob and Kathey Dye had friends from Abilene and Baird at their house Saturday night. Their daughter and family, Julie and Brian Patterson and children, Justine and Breanna, visited in the Dye home.

Robert and Dorothy Watson and sons, Cody and Wyatt, attended the Baird - Albany football game in Baird Friday night. She reported being out in the rain and lightening.

Robert and Dorothy Watson spent last weekend with his uncle, Wayne Dossey in Sadler.

Gene and Vernie Belle Mauldin had some of their family visiting Saturday. Irene and Willie Masters of Snyder and their daughter, Melinda and Bob Maninger and two children, Laura and Clayton of Weatherford. Also Marjorie and Danny Brown of San Antonio and Roland and Faye Mauldin of

Denton Valley and their son, Douglas Mauldin of Dallas.

Thelma Driggers and Irene Brown of Clyde were visitors of Gene and Vernie Belle Mauldin earlier in the

The Cross Plains Cross Country track teams were in competion with other schools in Abilene Saturday. Connie Steele won 1st place out of 134 competitors. Congratulations Connie on a fine race!

OIL NEWS

Callahan

Wilson Well Service Inc. Cross Plains, will drill four wells to 450 in the Regular. Comal CSL. They are: No. 8 E. E. Henderson .75 miles SW of Cross Plains on a 29-acre lease. Spots 450 FSL and 1,490 FWL Sec-

No. 9-A John Rudloff 2.5 miles SW of Cross Plains on an 82-acre lease. No. 10-A John Rudloff 2.5 miles SW of Cross Plains on an 82-acre lease. Spots 995 FSL and 410 FWL Block 53.

Prec. Funds Thursday, September 19, 1991 Ratio Changes THE PIONEER PATCHWORK county road money and Baird Precinct

The Callahan County Commissioner's Court meeting of Monday, September 9 was termed "lively" after commissioners again discussed funding distribution for the four county precincts.

Commissioners discussed for over an hour how to divide the county road funds among the four county precinct after redrawing of the county precinct lines are completed.

The new county commissioner's precincts lines have been redrawn and are currently in Austin receiving state approval.

Under the current system of distributing county commissioner precinct road monies, Clyde Precinct #1 receives 30 percent of the county road funds. Oplin Precinct #2 receives 26 percent of the

HAPPY

BIRTHDAY

SEPTEMBER 20

Mrs. Calvin Ingram

Patrick Andrew DeBusk

Gregory Lynn Scott

Kim Strahan Scott

SEPTEMBER 21

Donna Burks Bell

Alton Strickland

Tammy Worley

Mrs. T. M. Davis

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Charlie Green

SEPTEMBER 22

David Hokie Gray

Donna Lyn Clyatt

Jo Veda Watson

Mrs. J. W. Fore

Mrs. Dan Applin

Mary Alice Wilson

SEPTEMBER 23

Edgar H. Albrecht, Jr.

Gerald Randel Williams

Debbie Dillard Glasscock

Sharon Baugh

Dick Dillard

Don Wiggins

Bruce Adams

Al Bland

Betty Beggs

Mrs. Karen Jordan

Randall Bell

Tim Dillard

Lou Grider

Iva Webster

Bill Johnson

Dennis Hinkle

22 percent of the county funding. After some heated discussion, Cross

#3 and Cross Plains Precinct #4 receives

Plains Precinct #4 Commissioner Joe Ingram made a motion and Baird Precinct #3 Commissioner Tommy Holland seconded the motion to redistribute the funding with Clyde Precinct #1 receiving 22 percent of the county funding and Precinct #2, #3 and #4 receiving 26 percent of the county road monies. Ingram, Holland and Callahan County Judge Bill Johnson voted for the motion, while Precinct #1 Commissioner Roy LaFoy voted against and Precinct #2 Commissioner Lowell Johnson abstained from voting.

The distribution of county road funding, under the new funding formula, will take effect when all the county road changes are made and the county precincts are redrawn and approved.

The new funding ratio was being asked for because under the redrawn County Commissioner's Precincts, County Precinct #2, #3 and #4 have most of the county roads, while Precinct #1 has less county road mileage.

According to the redrawn Commissioner Precinctboundaries, the Baird and Cross Plains Precincts are going into portions of the Clyde Precinct. The Oplin Precinct will remain virtually unchanged while the Clyde Precinct becomes smaller.

Commissioners unanimously approved a motion for the county commissioners to ride the new county roads, according to the redrawn precinct lines, to check the mileage for all four precincts beginning September 23.

County Judge Johnson said that commissioners and county taxpayers should start thinking about a unit system for grading of the county roads. Johnson said that under a unit system, the county would own all road grading equipment and would hire a road administrator to see that all the county roads are graded on a regular basis. He said that some Texas counties do that now, including Crockett and Howard. Johnson said that one set of equipment would do all county roads.

He said that before a unit system could be implemented in Callahan County, 10 percent of the registered county voters would have to sign a petition requesting the change.

"I'm not advocating the unit system now," Johnson said but it could be put to the voters next year, the judge added. Judge Johnson said that the commis-

sioners gave a non-committal reaction to the unit system. Although Johnson is no expert on the

unit system, he said that of his personal opinion, he believed the unit system would save the county money.

He said with the new prison being built in the Hamby community, the situation "is probably going to get worse instead of better."

The county judge said that as long as the county continues to grow in population to the west, county commissioner precinct boundaries will continue to be out of proportion to each other.

Other items brought before commissioner's court included:

-Met with Bill France, a representative designing plans for the addition and remodeling of the Callahan County Jail. France told commissioners that the completed plans will be presented to the Jail Standards Commission in Austin for its approval. No action was taken.

-Approved the appointment of Kathy Price and Gaila Leamon to the Callahan County Child Welfare Board.

-Commissioners discussed picking up government food commodities on Wednesday. The county was to receive 44 case of butter and 26 cases of rice.

-Discussed appointing a county representative to the Callahan County Appraisal District board of directors. Callahan County has more than enough votes to put one member on the board of directors. The item was tabled until the next commissioner's court meeting Monday, September 23.

-Met with Callahan County Sheriff Bill Skinner to discuss sheriff department purchases. No action was taken.

-Met with Tom Ivey, representing the Callahan County Historical Commissioner, concerning moving a historical marker located on top of Mt. Airy. The Historical Commission wishes to move historical marker from FM 18 to the courthouse lawn in Baird. Commissioners voted to permit the move of the marker.

Fast Results in the Classified

By IRMA MILLER

CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

The Quilters finished the Patchwork Sampler and worked on the Turtle quilt on Tuesday, September 3. Their visitors were Mrs. Lucille Kersh, sister of Donna Pickett, and Mrs. Lucy Townsend, sister of Lottie

The community received 21/2 inches of rain up to Monday, the 9th, and were still glad to see rain, even though we have had several nice showers late-

A bit of good news this author hears read from the Fort Worth Star' Telegram is that the Atheists' Association, headed by Mrs. M. M. O'Hare. is closing many of its 41 offices nationwide, and that Mrs. O'Hare said it was due to lack of interest and selfabsorption (narcissism?). I called the Star Telegram and the spokesperson said the paper printed such an article a few days ago, and that I could put it in my column. It was from the Wire Service. I'm including it in this columnjust in case you didn't get to read it in last Friday's or Saturday's paper, September 6 or 7.

Three residents of our community. Jewel Foster, John and Irma Miller, attended the AARP Chapter meeting and luncheon on Monday, September 2. We heard Rolan Jones, Justice of. Peace at Cross Plains, speak on the subject of the 911 Emergency Number, how and when it will work in Cross Plains. He gave us literature and explained that it is costing 50 cents on our telephone numbers at present, but, will reduce to 30 to 35 cents in November, and that any pranks or tricks will draw a \$3,000 fine.

Frankie and Oliver Smith and Jean Fore went to Ranger on Friday to see Frankie's father, Mr. Perry Vinson, in the nursing home. They went to the Sipe Springs Musical on Saturday night. Frankie and Jean went back to Ranger Sunday to visit Frankie's father. They went to Sipe Springs revival on Monday night. Frankie and Oliver had lunch on Sunday, Grandparent's Day, with their daughter and granddaughter, Shirley and Laura Rankin in Rising Star. Jean Fore was also a guest, as Laura's "second grandmother."

Lottie Sooter went to Lubbock to visit with her sister, Lucy Townsend, who returned with Lottie to spend a few days.

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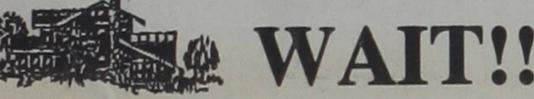
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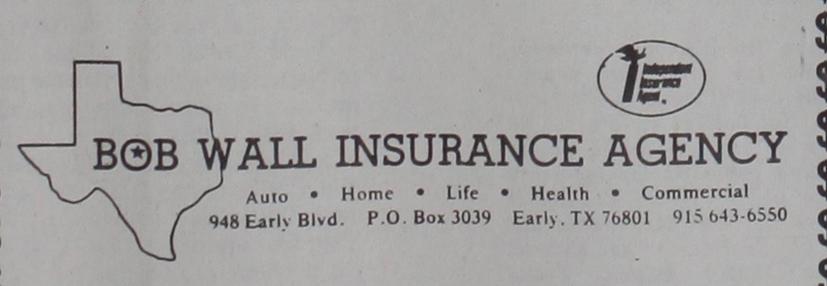
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Cross Plains High School HOMECOMING October 11-12

"Memories written on the pages of my mind..."



EVENTS SCHEDULED

Friday, October 11th 7:00 p.m. — Bonfire behind Winfrey's Cross Plains Grain & Peanut

Saturday, October 12th 9:00-11:00 a.m. — Coffee & Registration **High School**

11:00-11:30 a.m. — Business Meeting



Auditorium — classes sectioned by decades 11:30 — Lunch (in Lunchroom)

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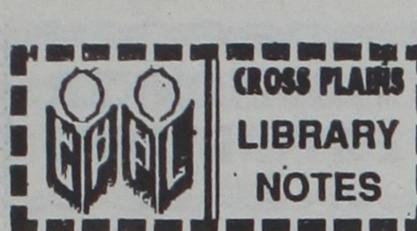
2:00 p.m. — Parade Downtown

3:00 p.m. — Class Meetings

7:30 p.m. — Ballgame -:- Buffaloes vs Rising Star Wildcats

Following Game — After Game Coffee -:- HS Library Foyer Dance — Treadway Park

CROSS PLAINS REVIEW Thursday, September 19, 1991



"Get the facts! Ask a Librarian."

September 8 — 13, 1991

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Cross Plains	92
Extension	14
Interlibrary Loan	2

Books on tape

Business college receives national accreditation; Bigbee is interim dean

The College of Business Administration begins the academic year with national accreditation from the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs and a new interim dean.

"This accreditation certifies to our constituency that we have a quality program at Texas A&I University and that we conform to national standards for business education," said Interim Provost Dr. Robert Kirby.

National accreditation by a professional association "amounts to a statement of excellence recognized by prospective students, would-be faculty, corporate sponsors and philanthropies, said Kirby, who was dean of the college during the accreditation process.

Dr. Dalton Bigbee, who was assistant dean of the college, is interim

To be considered for accreditation, the college conducted a self-study and

last April received a visit from an ACBSP team that conducted an "indepth and thorough investigation of all aspects of the programs, from student records to teaching loads and outcome assessments," said Kirby.

Faculty qualifications and the college's computer facilities were singled out by the accreditation team as especially praiseworthy, he said.

Mary Morris returned home last Friday from Brownwood Regional Hospital after undergoing tests and treatment for almost a week. She is reported to be slowly improving.

mitted by the members of the senate

The ACBSP evaluates and judges business colleges - such as Texas A&I's -- that focus primarily on teaching rather than research, explained Bigbee.

College departments are accounting and computer information systems, economics and finance, and management and marketing.

Dr. Bigbee is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Jim Bigbee of Cottonwood. He is the grandson of the late Rev. and Mrs. Charley Myrick.



Mrs. Suma Dill's visitors last week were Erma Floyd, Rosie Ingram, and Johnnie Bland, locally, and Joe Howser of Abilene and Gayland Duggan of Rising Star.

The legislature may enact laws ferred to an entity providing water

members of different political par- not be exceeded and may not be re- on dissolution, the assets remaining

ties appointed by the governor from newed unless the right to exceed or after the discharge of the corpora-

a list of at least ten names sub- renew is stated in the proposition. tion's indebtedness will be trans-

necessary to implement the authority

granted by a proposition. A law en-

acted in anticipation of the election

on a proposition is valid if, by its

terms, it is enacted subject to ap-

proval of the related proposition.

State debt that is created following

voter approval of a proposition and

that is approved by the Attorney

General is incontestable for any

described on the ballot as follows:

The proposed amendment will be

"The constitutional amendment

authorizing the voters of this state

to consider state debt questions in

the form of ballot propositions

that must clearly describe the

amounts, purposes, and sources of

payment of the debt only after

approval of the propositions by a

two-thirds vote of each house of

PROPOSITION NO. 9

ON THE BALLOT

poses a constitutional amendment

that would authorize the commis-

sioner of the General Land Office

to issue patents for certain public

free school fund land for which

there is not a valid transfer of title

from either the State or the Republic

of Texas to a private party. A patent

is a document of title issued by the

state. On application to the School

Land Board, a person is entitled to

receive a patent if: (1) the land is

surveyed public free school fund

land, (2) the land was not patentable

under the law before the adoption of

this proposed amendment, (3) the

person acquired the land without

knowledge of the title defect out of

the State of Texas or the Republic

of Texas and held the land under

color of title, the chain of which

dates from at least January 1, 1941,

(4) the person has a recorded deed

on file in the county courthouse

and, in conjunction with his prede-

cessor in interest, has claimed the

land for at least fifty years as of

January 1, 1991, and (5) the per-

son, in conjunction with his prede-

against the School Land Board in a

district court in the county where

the land is located within 60 days

from the date of denial. The pro-

posed amendment does not apply to

beach land, submerged land, or

islands, and may not be used to

resolve a boundary dispute. The pro-

posed amendment also does not apply

to land found by a court to be state-

owned or to land on which the state

has given a mineral lease that is in

effect when a patent is sought. A

patent under this proposed amend-

ment for land within five miles of

mineral production shall reserve

minerals to the state in the manner

provided by law for reservations of

minerals in sales to claimants of un-

surveyed school land within five

miles of production. An application

for a patent under this proposed

amendment must be filed with the

School Land Board before January

This proposed constitutional

amendment is similar to the version

the earlier version the applicant for

a patent to land had to have a chain

described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment

authorizing the commissioner of

the General Land Office to issue

patents for certain public free

school fund land held in good faith

under color of title for at least 50

PROPOSITION NO. 10

ON THE BALLOT

poses a constitutional amendment

that would allow the legislature to

pass general laws to exempt proper-

ty owned by a nonprofit corporation

organized to supply water or pro-

as early as January 1, 1932.

Senate Joint Resolution 11 pro-

the legislature."

COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

The Cottonwood Quilting Club will host their 38th year of "Rehab Night" at the Cottonwood Musical on Friday, September 20. Proceeds from the evening festivities will benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

A barbecue plate consisting of barbecue beef, sausage or combination, red beans, coleslaw, dessert and drink at \$4.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12 years old. A bake sale, country store, drawing of the Indian Headdress quilt, made by the quilting club members, and an auction will be the festivities for the evening.

Serving time will be at 5:30 p.m. and carry-out orders will be available. If you plan to attend the Cross Plains football game that evening, come by have dinner before hand or take it to the game as a carry-out.

Mr. Smokey Callaway is the emcee for the country western music program. All area and local musicians are

supply or wastewater service, or

both, which is exempt from ad

valorem taxation. The transferred

assets must be property that is rea-

sonably necessary for and used for

water supply and wastewater ser-

described on the ballot as follows:

The proposed amendment will be

"The constitutional amendment

authorizing the legislature to ex-

empt from ad valorem taxes cer-

tain property of a nonprofit

corporation that supplies water or

provides wastewater service."

PROPOSITION NO. 11

ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 8 proposes

constitutional amendment that

would allow the legislature to pass

laws to authorize the State of Texas

to operate lotteries and to enter into

a contract with one or more legal

entities that will operate lotteries on

behalf of the State of Texas.

cordially invited to participate. Musicians and their bands from around the Big Country will be present for the evening entertainment starting at 6:30

Last year's members of the Cottonwood Quilting Club were invited to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center. We were given a tour of the facilities, work shops, therapy unit, and observed patients undergoing treatment. In the past three months my husband has been going to speech therapy unit, which we did not see during our tour.

To see the faces of the children, who are taking therapy for speech, touches your heart deeply. Meeting the, their mothers, dads, and sometimes older or younger brothers or sisters daily, and hearing their comments on the Rehab and what wonderful progress they are making; it makes one proud of their contribution at Rehab Night in our little community of Cottonwood.

Donations of items for the country store or bake sale will be greatly appreciated. You may bring them on Thursday, September 19, or Friday afternoon, September 20, to the Cottonwood Community Center.

The first part of September, Teri Brown of Houston was here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown, for their 41st anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Anderson and James of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Williams of Abilene were at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J O. Williams, the first of September to celebrate Laura and Jay's 43rd anniversary.

Mrs. Knox Waggoner was the guest of honor at a retirement and birthday party hosted by the ladies of the Cottonwood Baptist Church at the home of Mrs. J. O. Williams on Monday evening.

Mr. Charles Wheeler was released from the hospital on Monday after undergoing surgery the previous week. We all wish you a speedy recovery Charles.

On Tuesday Ethel Anderson, Daisy Holcomb, and Jimmy Ray Clark o: Clyde were in Abilene. They visited Mrs. Imogene Brooker and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Anderson. Ethel hac dinner at Darwin's and Daisy and Jimmy ate with Imogene. The ladies visited with Ruby Clark in Clyde

Last Sunday Geri Renfro had all he children at her home including Mr and Mrs. Stuart Sowell and family Mr. and Mrs. Rod Renfro and family and her mother, Ethel Anderson, for a family gathering.

Yvonne Peevy and Jeannie Foller o the community visited with J. P. and Nettie Clark on Thursday. On Friday morning, Charlie Woody of Phoenix Arizona visited the Clarks.

Visiting J. P. and Nettie Sunday afternoon were Billy Bennett of Three Rivers and his mother, Eula Bennett and a friend. Bob and Brian Robinson of Clyde came on Sunday evening.

Weight Loss

Researchers

WASHINGTON -- A nutrition or-

ganization was hopeful that a nutri-

tionally complete "hi-tech" food

tablet would help erase world hunger

problems, until a study revealed that

one of the ingredients could cause

an ingredient in the aptly named prod-

uct Food Source One actually caused

people to lose weight, even though

specifically instructed not to alter nor-

mal eating patterns, according to one

study published in the prestigious

British Journal of Nutrition. Research-

ers in an earlier study had speculated

that the weight loss was due to a

decrease in the intestinal absorption

Source One, a project of National

Dietary Research, would not be used

to successfully fulfill its original goal,

the discovery has been a windfall for

overweight people. A Daytona Beach,

Florida woman fighting a weight battle

for 12 years used the product on the

recommendation of her physician and

lost 30 pounds. She stated, "Not only

have I lost 30 pounds but my choles-

terol has dropped from 232 to 143. I

have two closets full of clothes which

have not fit me in two years that I can

now wear." In a separate report, a

telephone interview revealed that a

Wilmington, North Carolina pharma-

cist lost 14 pounds in 3 weeks on the

of National Dietary Research's com-

prehensive plan to bring a rapid end

to obesity in this country. A variety

of nutritionally sound diet plans, spe-

cially prepared by NDR, accompany

each bottle and provide a natural.

drug free alternative for confronting

Food Source One tablets are part

product and was never hungry.

While the development of Food

Researchers in Europe found that

Surprises

significant weight loss.

of calories.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing a state lottery." PROPOSITION NO. 12 before returning home. ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the total amount of bonds that may be issued by the Texas Water Development Board to provide wholesale and retail water and wastewater facilities to economically distressed areas of the state. The proposed amendment increases the maximum principal amount of the bonds from 20 percent to 50 percent of the \$500 million amount authorized by article III, section 49-d-7, of the Texas Constitution. The proposed amendment would increase the maximum aggregate dollar amount of bonds that the Texas Water Development Board

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

could issue from \$100 million to

\$250 million.

"The constitutional amendment to increase from 20 percent to 50 percent the percentage of Texas water development bonds previously authorized by Texas voters that may be issued for economically distressed areas."

PROPOSITION NO. 13

Senate Joint Resolution 2 proposes of title that dated back to at least or interests.

> The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds not to exceed \$300,000,000 to continue existing programs to provide educational loans to students, with repayments of student loans applied toward retirement of the bonds."

Estos son los informes explanatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparacerán en la boleta el dia 5 de Senate Joint Resolution 15 pro- noviembre de 1991. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas vide wastewater service from ad 78711.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION **NOVEMBER 5, 1991**

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 114 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize home rule cities having a population of 5,000 or fewer inhabitants to amend their city charters by a majority vote of a city's qualified voters at an election held for that purpose. The amendment makes clear that home rule cities that have declined in population below the population required to initially adopt a charter may nevertheless continue to amend their charters.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment allowing home-rule cities with a population of 5,000 or less to amend their charters by popular vote."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 10 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the Texas Department of Transportation to expend money, from any source available, for the costs of the turnpikes, toll roads, or toll bridges of the Texas Turnpike Authority, provided that any monies expended from the state highway fund shall be repaid to the fund from tolls or other turnpike revenue.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment mandating the repayment to the

Department of Transportation of monies expended to assist the Texas Turnpike Authority in the construction, maintenance, and operation of turnpikes, toll roads and toll bridges."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 26 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Veterans' Land Board to invest, as authorized by law, moneys of the Veterans' Land Fund which are not immediately committed to the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued by the Veterans' Land Board, the purchase of lands, or the paysuch moneys would no longer be restricted to investments in bonds or obligations of the United States. The proposed amendment would also authorize the Veterans' Land Board to invest, as authorized by law, moneys of the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund which are not immediately committed to the payment of principal and interest on general obligation bonds issued by the Veterans' Land Board for the benefit Fund, the making of home mortgage loans, or the payment of expenses. Investment of such moneys would no longer be restricted to inpower to implement the amendment and to delegate such duties and authority to the Veterans' Land Board as it deems necessary.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to further implement and enhance the administration of the veterans' housing assistance and land programs and to expand the investment authority of the Veterans' Land Board."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that duties provided by law. The comwould allow the legislature to au- mission would consist of eight apthorize the issuance of a maximum of \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the bonds are political parties appointed by the to be used to acquire, construct, or governor from a list of at least ten equip new prisons and substance names submitted by the members of abuse felony punishment facilities, mental health and mental retarda-

tion institutions, and youth corrections institutions, to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions and to acquire, repair, or renovate other facilities for use as state prisons or substance abuse felony punishment facilities. The \$1.1 billion is in addition to the \$900 million currently authorized by the constitution to be expended on bond issues for facilities of correctional and mental health and mental retardation institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the state treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$1.1 billion in general obligation bonds for acquiring, constructing, or equipping new prisons or other

punishment facilities to confine criminals, mental health and mental retardation institutions, and youth corrections institutions, for major repair or renovation of existing facilities of those institutions, and for the acquisition of, major repair to, or renovation of other facilities for use as state prisons or other punishment facilities."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 39 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow a county, junior college district, or municipality to exempt tangible personal property from ad valorem taxation if: (1) the property is acquired or brought into the state in an enterprise zone to be forwarded outside the state, (2) the property is assembled, stored, repaired, maintained, manufactured, processed, or fabricated in the enterprise zone, (3) the property is transported outside the state not later than 175 days after being acquired or brought into an enterprize zone, and (4) the person who acquired or brought the property into an enterprise zone is a qualified business. A county, junior college district, or municipality may exempt ment of expenses. Investment of such property by entering into a written agreement with a qualified business that states the duration of the exemption and the terms on which the exemption is granted. Any action to exempt property must be taken before April 1 of the first year in which the property would otherwise be taxed. The term "enterprize zone" means an area that (1) has been designated as such by a state agency responsible for economic development, and (2) has perof the Veterans' Housing Assistance vasive poverty, unemployment, and economic distress. The term "qualified business" means a business that meets the qualification established by general law, and requires that vestments in bonds or obligations of the qualified business is actively enthe United States. The proposed gaged in a new business in the enteramendment gives the legislature prize zone or is expanding a business that is already active in the enterprise zone. An enterprise zone is created to foster economic development in an area of pervasive poverty and unemployment.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the exemption for ad valorem taxes of certain property

in an enterprise zone."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 8 proposes a constitutional amendment that would establish a Texas Ethics Commission with the powers and pointed members selected as follows: two members of different the house of representatives from

each major political party; two

from each major political party; two members of different political parties appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the house from each major political party; and two members of different political parties appointed by the lieutenant governor from a list of at least ten names submitted by the members of the senate from each major political party. A major political party is a political party required by law to hold a primary. With the exception of the initial appointees, commission members would serve for four-year terms. A member who has served for one term and any part of a second term would not be eligible for reappointment. The commission would be authorized to recommend the salary of the members of the legislature and may recommend that the salary of the speaker of the house of representatives and the lieutenant governor be set at an amount higher than that of other members. If the commission recommends a change in salary, the voters would be authorized to accept or reject the salary change at the next general election for state and county officers. If the voters approve the recommended salary, that salary would take effect January 1 of the next odd-numbered year; if the voters reject the recommended salary, no change in salary would occur. The commission would set the per diem of the members of the legislature and of the lieutenant governor. The per diem could be raised or lowered biennially as necessary to pay members' costs, but could not exceed the amount allowed as of January 1 that year as a federal income tax deduction for living expenses incurred in a legislative day in connection with a member's business as a legislator, disregarding any federal income tax exception for legislators residing near the Capitol. The commission would have other powers and duties provided by the commission's enabling act (Senate Bill 1, 72nd Legislature, Regular Session). The amendment would also provide that an increase in the emoluments of the office of Lieutenant Governor would not make a legislator ineligible to serve in the office of Lieutenant Governor.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment creating the Texas Ethics Commission and authorizing the commission to recommend the salary for members of the legislature and the lieutenant governor, subject to voter approval, and to set the per diem for those officials,

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 6 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the board of trustees of each statewide public retirement system to invest the funds of the system in such manner as the board considers prudent. The board would no longer be limited to investing the funds of the system in securities.

The proposed amendment will be described on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the board of trustees of a statewide public retirement system to invest the funds of the system in a manner that the board considers prudent."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 21 proposes a constitutional amendment that would permit the legislature to create debt by or on behalf of the state if the legislature submitted the debt question to the voters of the state in the form of a proposition and a majority of those voting approved the proposition. The legislature may call the election, by joint resolution approved by at least twothirds of the members of each house. during any regular session or during any special session if the subject of the proposition is included in the Governor's proclamation for that special session. A proposition must clearly describe the amount and purpose for which debt is to be created and must describe the source of pay- valorem taxation. A nonprofit corment for the debt. The amount of poration would be eligible for the debt stated in the proposition may exemption if its bylaws provide that

cessor in interest, for at least 50 years has paid taxes on the land together with all interest and penalties associated with any delinquency. If the applicant is denied a patent, the applicant may file suit

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a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to pass general laws authorizing Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor to issue and sell up to \$300 million of general obligation bonds to finance education loans to students. The maximum net effective interest rate to be borne by the bonds would be set by law. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to provide for the investment of bond proceeds and to establish an interest and sinking fund to pay the bonds and provide for the investment of such fund. Bonds authorized under this amendment would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not otherof article VII. section 4A, that was wise appropriated by the constituin effect between 1981 and 1990. tion, less any amount in an interest The main difference is that under and sinking fund established at the end of the preceding year that is pledged to the payment of the bonds

The proposed amendment will be

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