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EAST CADDO PEAK



MENTS — Woodmen of the World W.O.W. Brownwood Lodge 4545 donated \$200 to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department. Local members, Dick Dillard (left) and fires.

WOODMEN OF WORLD AS- Chuck Woody (right) presented the SIST AREA FIRE DEPART- contribution to Bob Harrell, Fire Chief (center). They also made donations to May, Zephyr, and Lake Brownwood fire departments for their assistance in extinguishing area

Jo To Lo's Karate Do **Students Compete Well Open At Waco Tourney**

Cross Plains Schools made the journey to Waco for the Star Wars Karate Challenge. This tournament had some extremely tough competition Pawlaczyk placed 1st in sparing and for the two schools. As usual, Jo To 7th in forms. He showed competition

Jo To Lo's Karate Do Cisco and Barbara Pawlaczyk placed 2nd in both sparing and forms. This was her first tournament and she executed very well for a beginner. Ronnie

Cottonwood Fire Control Group Remind Residents Burn Ban **Remains Effective**

Cliff Van Der Linden, fire chief for the Cottonwood Fire Control Group, reported three fires in the Cottonwood Community last week. Volunteers were called into action in these incidents.

Callahan County residents are reminded that the burn ban for the entire county remains effective due to low humidity and high winds. Extremely dry conditions continue to persist and residents are requested to be mindful of any activities which could remotely spark a grass fire leading to the destruction of property.

TNT Fina Now

Clarence Tennison has opened TNT Fina at the corner of South Main and Highway 36 in Cross Plains, TNT Fina will be open 7 days per week from 7 a.m. until 8 p.m. for the convenience of its customers.

Tennison will be providing a full service station with gasoline and el. Flat fixing and oil cl

Super Soph Sunday, March 24

It is the day you have anticipated, SUPER SOPH SUNDAY, March 24. The Buffalo Stadium will be the site of the first annual "powder puff" football game for the entertainment of the community. If you have never seen an event of this type, you can't miss it! The male and female roles related to a football game are switched, creating an interesting and comical affect.

The WILD THINGS (mothers of the Sophomore Class plus friends) will challenge the SUPER SOPHS AND MORE (Sophomore girls and other classmates). The game begins at 2:00 p.m. The local E.M.S. will be available and some mothers stated that the fire department might have to be called to spray them down after a few plays!

THE BOUNTIFUL **BUFFETTES** will cheer on the Wild Things under the leadership of Randy Pancake. The Sophomore dads will make up this gorgeous group.

The SUPER SOPHS CHEER-LEADERS will be supporting their

Cross Plains Cemetery

Assoc. To Meet

team. This spirited bunch is comprised of Sophomore boys. The Dallas Cowboy Cheerleaders will probably want to take some tips from these talented spirit leaders.

Half-time entertainment will be provided by the DANDY DOLLS DRILL TEAM sponsored by Melissa Richards and Tasha Webb. You will get a "real kick" out of their precision routine to an upbeat tune. These high-stepping performers are Sophomore boys.

A special guest celebrity will be introduced at half-time. Music for the event will be co-ordinated by Sophomores, Nathaniel Swift and Benji Blackstock.

You are encouraged to arrive early and have lunch before the game starts. KXYL 104.1 will be serving hamburgers. A full meal concession stand will be available. Concessionaires will deliver your snacks in the stands.

Advance tickets are available for \$2.00 at Citizens State Bank, West Texas Utilities, and Connie's Cuts

and Curls. Tickets will be \$3.00 at the gate. Your stub will also enter you in a drawing for a prize at half-time.

A FIELD GOAL CONTEST is yet another highlight of the afternoon. Anyone may enter for \$1.00 and the winner will receive a percentage of the pot.

The entire event will be taped by Coach John Starcher and copies will be available at the cost of \$10. Order your tape Sunday while you are there The Sophomore Class is also selling **a VARIETY PACK OF 6 LIGHT** BULBS for \$4.00. You may place an order with any class member or at the powder puff football game.

A PRE-GAME KICKOFF BAKE SALE will be held all day Saturday and Sunday morning bcginning at 9:00 a.m. at Village Market. Come by and pick out your favorite dessert.

Plan to spend the afternoon at the fun-filled Super Soph Sunday. The proceeds will be used for the 1997 Junior/Senior Banquet.

Agriculture Producers Meeting March 25

Lo rose to the occasion.

From Cross Plains, Kimberly Mosier placed 2nd sparing and 7th in forms. Marcus Williams placed 1st in sparing and 6th in forms. Marcus fought a heroic battle for 1st. Kevin Wilson placed 4th in sparing and 5th in forms. Thomas Dimitri placed 5th in sparing and tied for 5th in forms. The kids from Cross Plains gained lots of experience from the tournament. Mitchell Childers of Rising Star placed 5th in sparing and 8th in forms.

From Cisco Shannon Davenport Auto Parts. placed 2nd in sparing and 3rd forms.

what it's all about.

Owner and instructor Larry Fields placed 1st in black belt breaking, 1st in specialty forms, 2nd in traditional forms, and 2nd in heavy weight sparing, but was beaten in sudden victory which meant the next point won the match.

This was an extremely good tournament for Jo To Lo returning home with 11 trophies. Jo To Lo would like to thank sponsors Webb Inc., Cisco Pump and Supply, Cisco Lumber, Luye's B-B-Q Shack, and Herman's

Services For Clara McDermette Coburn Held Sunday, March 17

Services for Clara McDermette Coburn, 98, of Cross Plains were held at the Cross Plains Cemetery Sunday, March 17, 1996, at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. Jeff Robinett officiating.

Mrs. Coburn died on March 15, 1996, at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home. She was born December 31, 1897, on the J.C. McDermette Ranch, Coleman County, Texas. The ninth child of 10 children born to Joseph and Susan McDermette. She attended Live Oak and Little Pecan Schools in Coleman County, Cross Plains School in Callahan County, then moved to Coleman to finish school. Graduating San Marcus Southwest Normal College with a teaching certificate. She taught school at Comal in 1917 and 1918, then in Cross Plains from 1918 to 1920.

Clara married Howard E. Coburn from Oil City, Pennsylvania on July 6, 1920, returning to the McDermette Ranch. They built their home in 1930 in Cross Plains.

She owned and operated the McDermette/Coburn Ranch from 1947 to 1974, retiring in Cross Plains. She was a member of the Presbyterian church and a past matron of the

Eastern Star. Howard E. Coburn, her husband, and Patti Sue Coburn Dolgener, her only daughter preceded her in death.

Survivors include two sons, Charles E. Coburn of Burkett, H. Keith Coburn of Crane; eight grandchildren, Billy Dolgener of Loveland, Colorado, Richard Dolgener of Andrews, Tim and Deborah Dolgener of San Angelo, Mark Coburn of Kermit, Clark Coburn of Midland, Teri Coburn of Irving and Stephen Keith Coburn of Austin; three great-grandsons, Joshua Coburn, Chisolm and Shane Dolgener; one great-greatgrandson, Clay Garrett, seven nieces Ritta Knight, Francis McAnally, Susan Andis, Charlene Metcalf, Emily Gray Foster, Clara Nell Spencer and Tootie Byrd, two nephews, Bob T. Silver of Las Lunas, New Mexico and Carter Diberall II and several cousins.

The family suggest donations be made to West Texas Rehabilitation or Cross Plains Library.

We will miss this treasured soul for many years to come. God has plucked a rose today as she was only on loan to us anyway.

an additional service. Some auto parts will also be available.

Car washing, tractor flat fixing, and more services will be provided in the future.

TNT Fina offers friendly and efficient service and Clarence invites everyone to come by and get acquainted.

National Agriculture **Day Honors The Family**

WACO-Family values and farming have always been integral parts of America's culture. National Agriculture Week, March 17-23, and National Agriculture Day, March 20, will celebrate the continuing legacy of the American farm family.

Texas Farm Bureau President Bob Stallman said the family is the most important asset to farmers and ranchers, who continually pass on to their children what has been learned from past generations. Through the theme "Growing Better Everyday, Generation to Generation," the agriculture industry is building on a proud past, while growing and changing to meet consumer demands

"Today farm families provide Americans and millions of others 725-7351 to pre-register, as the class worldwide with a bounty of high will be limited to 25 students. quality, safe, tasty and nutritious food," Stallman said.

Stallman also pointed out that the farm family has learned to adapt to new technologies just like their consumer counterparts, to feed each new generation.

"In the 1930s, one American farmer produced enough to feed 24 people in the United States and abroad. Currently, that number has risen to 129." Stallman said.

Tuesday

The Cross Plains Cemetery Association will meet on Tuesday, March 26, in the local City Hall beginning at 2 p.m. General business will be discussed at this time.

Anyone interested in participating in the future of the cemetery is encouraged to attend. Your input and concern is always welcome!

55 Alive **Driving Class** March 26 and 27

The Cross Plains Senior Citizens Center is sponsoring an AARP 55 Alive Mature Driving Class Tuesday and Wednesday, March 26 and 27. Classes will be held at the Senior Citizens Center on Main Street from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Drivers age 50 years and up may attend for a cost of \$8.00 cach. Completion of the course will qualify you for a 10 percent discount on your vehicle insurance.

Call Joe Howser, instructor, at (817)

Colonial Oaks Services

Believer's Fellowship will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, March 24, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

CROSS PLAINS: There will be an Agriculture Producers Meeting Monday, March 25, from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. at the Multi-Purpose Center in Cross Plains. The meeting is to educate producers on the laws regarding the use of pesticides and other farm chemicals.

A representative of the Texas Department of Agriculture will be on hand to present several topics including compliance with Worker

St. Jude **Bike-A-Thon** Nearing

Bike enthusiasts! Peddle for a worthy cause. Bikers are needed to participate and obtain sponsors for the St. Jude Bike-A-Thon in the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Wheels-For-Life event on March 30 in Cross Plains. Bikers from the first grade ages and up are welcome to be a participant. Prizes will be award in several categories.

Proceeds from the Bike-A-Thon will benefit the St. Jude Hospital, America's Largest Children's Cancer Research Center. Sign up forms for the Bike-A-Thon may be obtained at the Cross Plains Library or the Cross Plains schools. Hurry to get your forms and sign up your sponsors for the worth while event. For further information call (817) 725-7259.

Protection Standards (WPS) and pesticide use regulations. Even if you do not have a private restricted use pesticide license, you are still required to comply with WPS.

Two CEU hours will be given. If you plan on attending this meeting, plcase call (817) 725-7345 or 1-800-996-9693 to register. Coffee and donuts will be provided compliments of Cross Plains Grain and Pcanut.

FUMC Celebrates Easter

By BETTY EDWARDS

First United Methodist begins Holy Week March 31, with a Palm Sunday scrvice at regular Sunday morning worship time 10:45 a.m.

The celebration will continue all weck with a Maundy Thursday and communion service starting at 7:00 p.m. April 4.

Friday, April 5, at 7:00 p.m. we will present a special Good Friday scrvice. Holy Week will end with a grand celebration of the Glory of Our Lord at 10:45 a.m. Please remember to set your clock forward one hour Saturday night, April 6, before going to bcd.

be in Concert at First Baptist Church First Baptist invite you to come join of Cross Plains on Sunday evening, them for an evening of Gospel Music.

March 31 At First Baptist

Haven Family Singers In Concert

Bro. Jim O'Dell and the members of

The Haven Family of Lubbock, will March 31, at 7:00 p.m.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

> COUNTY COURT **Bill Johnson presiding**

Misdemeanor Filing Robert E. Taylor, DWI.

Misdemeanor Minutes Michael Ray Johnson, possession of marijuana, \$182 court costs, 30 days in jail. Michelle Blankinship, theft of property by check, \$10 fine \$197 court costs, 60 days in jail probated for 1 year.

Probations discharged: Betty Kay Franklin, John Edward Hunt.

MARRIAGE LICENSE Audria Lynn Littlejohn & Sidney Paul Baker of Clyde.

42nd DISTRICT COURT John Weeks presiding

Civil Filings Divorces filed: Hall, Dana E. & Ernest J., and in the interest of minor children. Foreman, Connie Sue & Edward Lee, and in the interest of minor child.

Sturiole, Joseph Daryl & Maria Lynn, and in the interest of minor child.

Felony Indictment Sunshine R. Hughes, forgery.

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Court Of Appeals Affirm Conviction Of Free

The Eastland Court of Appeals last week affirmed the 1995 theft of services conviction of a Callahan County man.

Rodney Free was convicted of the offense by a jury in April of last year. The jury sentenced Free to two years in prison but he has remained free on appeal bond since the trial.

In its decision dated March 14, the 11th District Court of Appeals In Eastland overruled three points Free and his attorney alleged were errors in the trial.

Free was also tried and convicted last fall of fraud and sentenced by that jury to 15 years in prison. That case has also been appealed and Free has been out on bond.

Callahan County Attorney Allen Wright tried Free on both cases and said he is happy with the court's decision. He expects a similar finding in the second case.

Fund-Raiser For Baird V.F.D. March 30

Baird area residents are hosting a hamburger supper and silent auction to help raise money for the Baird Volunteer Fire Department at the Baird Activity Center, 228 Walnut on March 30, 1996, from 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The meal will include a hamburger with fixings and a beverage. Adult plate \$4.00, children 12 and under \$2.00 and dessert will be \$1.00. Donations for money or items to be auctioned off are needed to help make this benefit a success.

Billy Harris, Training Officer for the Baird Volunteer Fire Department, reports the Department responded to 45 calls for service in January and February. The volunteers worked 8 city fires, 17 first responder calls, and 20 grass fires. Equipment and manpower have suffered from this great number of calls in such a short time span. February was particularly rough on equipment as the grass fires rarely allowed the trucks time to cool down creating greatly elevated maintenance needs.

Any one wanting to help may make a money donation or donate

OBITUARIES

Sybil J. Gibson

Services for Sybil J. Gibson, 97, of Cross Plains were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 29, 1996, at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel in Cross Plains with the Rev. Victor Dindot, pastor of Central Presbyterian Church of Waxahachie officiating. Burial was in May Cemetery.

She died at 9:10 p.m. Saturday, March 16, 1996, in Baylor Medical Center in Waxahachie, where she had lived the past seven years.

She was born July 30, 1898, in Hopkins County. She grew up in Fort Worth where she attended Paschal High School.

She married Wright R. Gibson Sr. in San Angelo and was a homemaker and resident of Pioneer for 60 years. She was preceded in death by son Frank (Buck) Gibson and two stepchildren.

Survivors include four sons, W.R. Gibson, Jr. of Plano, William C. Gibson of San Antonio, Eugene H. Gibson of Brownwood, Ross Gibson of Andrews; one daughter, Mrs. Gene (Winnie) O'Donnell of Waxahachie, 16 grandchildren; five step-grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

Gene Bynum

BROWNWOOD-Gene Bynum, 61, of Brownwood went to be with the Lord at 12:40 p.m. Wednesday, March 13, 1996.

Services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday, at Davis-Morris Funeral Home with the Rev. Sam Tomlinson and the Rev. Richard Evans officiating. Burial was in Clear Creek Cemetery. Mr. Bynum was born November 11, 1934, in Bangs, and was a lifetime resident of the Brownwood area. He was the pastor of Maranatha Faith Temple in Brownwood.

He married Jackie Grantham of February 14, 1966, in Brownwood. Survivors include his wife, Jackie; one daughter, Sharon Lewiston of Midlothian; one son, John Grantham of Hill City; one brother, Junior Fitzgerald of Brownwood; and three grandchildren.

William Hughes

William Travis Hughes, age 93, passed away March 9, 1996, at the Lakeview Healthcare Center in Webster.

He was born on November 10, 1902, at Saltillo, the son of Andrew

served in schools at Cross Cut,

Scranton, Klondike, Deport, Carlisle,

Talco, Angleton, and the Ramsey

Unit School of the Department of

Corrections, during his long career of

He was a member of the First

Methodist Church of Angleton, a

former member of the Angleton Li-

ons Club, a Mason, and a member of Houston Scottish Rite and Arabia Temple Shrine. He was preceded in death by his wife of 59 years, Mozelle

He is survived by daughters, Janita

Richardson of Cross Plains, and Suzy Kelsey and husband, Dr. Sam B. Kelsey of Deport, onc son, Dr.

Gaylon E. Hughes and wife, Mary of Alvin; one sister, Doris Fox of Arlington; one sister-in-law Annie Mae

Wright of Cross Plains; seven grandchildren, Amy and Leigh Hughes of Alvin, Connie Dodd of Paris, Joe Travis Kelsey of Bogota, Dr. Dan Richardson of Austin, Dr.

Michael Richardson of Seattle, Washington, and Dr. Patti Strauch of Sonora; and six great-grandchildren.

He also leaves behind his very special friend from Village on the Park, Anne

Travis was a loving husband, father, and grandfather and will be greatly

missed after his long and fruitful life "well done they good and faithful

Services were held in the Palms

Funeral Home Chapel in Angleton at

2 p.m. Monday, March 11, 1996 with

Dr. Chappell Temple officiating. In-

terment was at Angleton Cemetery.

The family requests that memorials,

if desired, be made to the Shriners

Hospitals for Crippled Children,

1402 N. MacGregor, Houston, Texas

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Russell Hughes, in 1986.

57 years.

Viola Everett

Viola Everett, 96, of Putnam, passed away Sunday, March 17, 1996, in an Abilene hospital.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday in the Parker Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Jerry McNeill officiating. Burial was in Putnam Cemetery.

She was born December 13, 1899, in Athens, Tennessee. She had lived in Abilene for 2 months moving here from Cisco where she had lived since 1978.

She and her late husband owned and operated Everett Grocery Store in Putnam from 1930 until 1946. She graduated from Cottonwood High School in 1919.

She was a member of Primitive Baptist Church in Cisco. She married Will Everett in Baird, August 14, 1930.

Survivors include one son, Bill Everett of Abilene; her late husband's three daughters, Era Sutton and Onie Harris both of Brenham, and Velda Lee of Hobbs, New Mexico; one brother, Herbert Ellis of Cisco; one sister, May Webster of Irving; three grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandson; 17 step grandchildren; 43 step-greatgrandchildren; several step greatgreat-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to St. John's Episcopal School of Abilene, 1600 Sherman, Abilene, Texas 79605 or Youth Fund of Westside Baptist Church, Abilene, Texas.

J.N. 'John' Varner

J.N. "John" Varner, 81, died Wednesday, March 16, 1996, in a

local hospital. The body was donated to science, and no services are planned. Arrangements were made by Allen-Korzenewski Funeral Home, 1443 N. 2nd.

Mr. Varner was born in Cottonwood and attended school in Cottonwood and Cross Plains. He also attended Tarlcton College. He was a pilot, instructor and aircraft mechanic. He managed the Pecos Municipal Airport for many years and was a longtime Clyde resident. He was a member of Cherry Heights Baptist Church in Clyde and was the widower of Maurine Eubanks Varner, whom he married in 1961.

Survivors include one brother, Bill

Frank Payne, Sr.

BAIRD-Frank A. Payne, Sr., 83, of Abilene and formerly of Baird, died Wednesday, March 13, 1996, in an Abilene hospital.

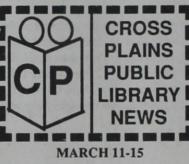
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Services were held at 3 p.m. Friday in Baird First Baptist Church with the Revs. Mike Patterson and Riley Fugitt officiating. Burial was in Ross Cemetery Annex, directed by Parker Funeral Home.

Mr. Payne was born in Dublin and married Cora Mac Mayes in 1937 in Baird. He lived in Baird for 50 years, where he was a two-term mayor. He lived in San Angelo for five years before moving to Abilene four years ago. He was a retired self-employed electrician and was president of the Baird Cemetery Association for several years. He was a member of Baird Masonic Lodge 522 for nearly 50 years and was a church deacon for 50 years. He was a member of Order of Eastern Star and Wylie Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, of Abilene; two sons, Alton Payne of Baird and Lynn Payne of Odessa; two daughters, Martha Smith of Houston and Peggy Buchanan of Abilenc; onc sister, Blanche Sylvester of Abilene; 13 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be sent to Baird Cemetery Association, P.O. Box 745,



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MARCH 21, 1996

Producers Board Biennial Election May

The Texas Peanut Producers Board will hold its biennial election on May 22. The current terms of three board members (two from district one and one state-at-large) will expire at this time. All peanut farmers are eligible to vote in the district in which he resides. All peanut farmers within the state can vote for the state-at-large position.

District one includes the following countics: Coryell, Hamilton, Comanche, Brown, Mills, San Saba, McCulloch, Llano, Lampasas, Mason, Gillespie, and Runnels.

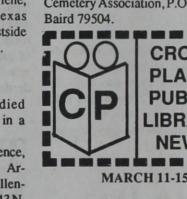
State-at-large includes all the peanut producing counties in the State of Texas.

A peanut farmer who qualifies to vote in the election may place his/her name in nomination for membership on the Texas Pcanut Producers Board for a six-year term from the district in which he farms. The application must be signed by the nominee and at least ten other persons eligible to vote in the election. The applications must be received by April 22, to have the name placed on the ballot.

The election will be held by mail ballot. Ballots must be mailed to the polling place at P.O. Box 398, Gorman, Texas 76454 and postmarked by May 22, 1996.

Any person qualified to vote who does not receive a ballot 15 days prior to the election may obtain one at one of the county extension offices in a peanut producing county.

The word "parliament" comes from the French word, parler, which means "to speak."



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"Draw Nigh To God" Fellowship Fri., March 22

The Draw Nigh to God Fellowship Meeting will be held Friday, March 22, at the Pioncer Revival Center (Pink Church on Highway 36) bcginning at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

and Mattie Hammond Hughes. A former resident of Angleton, he had resided for the past four years at Village on the Park Retirement charity. Community in Friendswood. He was a graduate of East Texas State University where he received BA and MA degrees. At age 19, he started his teaching career in a small rural school near Mount Vernon, Texas and

Vamer of Abilene; one sister, Agnes Neill of Abilene; and several nieces and nephews.

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In continuing effort to improve our side dish or condiments. The board Saturday, March 23. We have purchased paint to give the clubhouse a on the number of members participrojects we would love to complete. We anticipate having our new carts equipment discussed last week.

hamburgers out by the pavilion. We you? would like for each family to bring a

club, we will hold a workday this will furnish the meat, buns, soft drinks, and do the cooking.

Again, we want our club to be sucnew coat. This will add a great deal to cessful, but we need your help. the looks of the course. Depending Please come join us this Saturday, and don't forget to bring your paint pating, we also have several smaller brush! If you are not yet a member, come out anyway. Spend the day and join us for dinner. Don't forget--there delivered this week, and USA Golf is no initiation fee for new members will set up the clubhouse with the joining in March. Several new members have already taken advan-Saturday evening, we will cook tage of this opportunity. Why don't

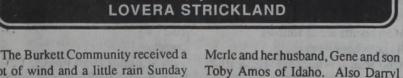
BURKETT NEWS By LOVERA STRICKLAND

ot of wind and a little rain Sunday night.

John and Pam Tillery of Cleburne, visited their grandmother, Yuna V. Burkett Sunday. David Burkett, Yuna V's grandson, was on the President's Honor Roll last semester. Jake Golson and Wade of Midland came to visit Liz and Low Golson. Wade stayed the week during Spring Break. Thursday Liz and Low took Wade home to Midland. This was the irst time they had seen Jake and Mary Beth's place in Midland. It was an enjoyable trip and visit.

Dee Strickland and Dale Cooper of ake Somerville brought Jacob Strickland and Jeremy Cooper to Burkett Tuesday to spend a few days with Jack and Lovera Strickland. ack and Lovera took the boys home Friday.

Visiting the Andrew Walkers over he weekend were their daughter,



Toby Amos of Idaho. Also Darryl and Lavelda Walker and Lewis of Minrod, Billy Walker and daughter

Lactney of Cross Plains. They also visited with Bill Walker, Trent. They received calls from Pete Golson for the candy. Kathy in Wisconsin and their son, Andy form Okinawa and Paul from West Memphis, Tennessee.

Darryl and Kathy Tinney of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, visited Jack and Lovera Strickland weekend before last.

Hillary, of Garland visited during the visited with Myrtle Wilson. school break.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Clara Coburn. She passed away Friday. Also our sympathy is extended to the family of Henry Fox of Brownwood. He passed away March 11.

COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS By LINDA EDINGTON **Activity Director**

The residents will be having their Maureen Dogyett from Southlake birthday party tonight at 7:00 p.m. Vickie Worley and Becky Guill will be providing the entertainment for us. Family and friends are welcome to come. Residents with birthdays this month are: Ruth Pickett, Callie Meador, David Smelly, and Archie Aldridge. Employees with birthdays are Lynda Ford, Betty Baxter, Merrillyn Golson, Chris Strength and Kathy Johnson. Happy Wedding Anniversary to Frances and James Wolf on March 27.

Thoughts and Prayers for Bertha Wheeler who is in the hospital.

We extend our heartfelt sympathies to the family of Clara Coburn.

Sylvia Smith is looking pretty with her new perm. Vera Belveu was our winner for a

meal at Jack's Place. Thanks Wanda and Jack.

Our appreciation to Colleen Anderson for the cookies, to Beverly Brown for the Easter decorations, to Melba Walker and Annie Merle Ruby Cassle for the popcorn and to

> Mona Wilson from Abilene and Blanche Brooks visited with Gertie Powell. Also visiting was Ruby and Naomi McCowen.

Ken and Navey Felton from Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gardner and Jesse Gardner, Jr. from Charlotte Pickett, Hanna and New Castle and Frances Thornton

Billy Wright from Clyde and

visited with Lorena Wright. Also visiting was Lori, Alisa and Dianne Hail.

Betty Montgomery from Midland visited Leila Montgomery. Sharon Hooten from Fort Worth

visited Inez Ingram. Dwayne Cunningham from Louisville visited Ritta Knight.

Mozelle Richards, Tiffany Goains, Chasity Goains, Gena Tuggle, Veronica Evans, Misty Callaway, Jenny Pancake, Michelle Brinkley and Tammy Curry from Coleman and Jessica Davis from Abilene.

Activities during the week: Monday: Bingo winners were Minnie Swann (2), Dorothy Thomas, Midge McCall (2), Allie Dickson, Ruby Harrell and Vera Belyeu. Exercise class.

Tuesday: Art class. Popcorn and Skip-Bo games.

Wednesday: Sing-a-long with Bob Wallace. Exercise class.

Thursday: Bingo winners were Allic Dickson (2), Dorothy Thomas (3), Minnie Swann (2), Midge Mc-Call, Gertie Powell, and Vera Belyeu. Skip-Bo games.

Friday: Singing with Bob Wallace. Sit-down-basketball. Skip-Bo games.

Sunday: Believer's Fellowship. If you were arrested for being a Christian would there be enough

Financial Help For Children With Disabilities

A common concern among parents of children with disabilities is whether there will be enough money for their children if something should happen to the parents. The Social Security and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program can do much to lessen this concern. These two programs can assure some economic security to disabled children of all

Clips, Quips & Comments By KAY DENNIS MOSLEY

"Hoppin' John, Etc." Live on a budget? I guess most people do these days.

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Here are some old time recipes I copied from an old cookbook I found in an attic years ago. It was titled, "Meal Stretchers Southern Style." I have tried all three recipes and found them no only economical rest for topping. Lower the burner to but pleasantly tasteful.

"Hoppin' John"

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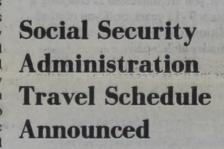
until tender in 1/2 cup water and 1 teaspoon dried rubbed sage. Add 2 cups cooked fresh or canned blackeyed peas and 1 cup cooked rice. Heat through and salt and pepper to taste. Delicious served with either ham, pork chops, lamb, or pork roast and your choice of greens. The greens are good with it whether you prefer your greens cooked or in a salad.

"Escalloped Tomatoes with Rice"

Boil until tender, 1/2 onion chopped, in 3/4 cup water, add 1/2 teaspoon dried mustard or 1 teaspoon dill. In a casserole dish combine the onion mixture with either 2 cans whole tomatoes or 3 cups fresh cooked ripe tomatoes and 1 1/2 cups cooked rice. Be sure to add 5 tablespoon sugar or 4 packages artificial sweetener and salt and pepper to taste. Top with buttered bread crumbs if you wish. Bake at 350 degrees Fahrenheit in oven 30 to 40 minutes. This is a delightful dish, served with butterbeans or green lima beans and practically any broiled meat.

"Spinach Bake"

In an iron skillet or glass casserole dish melt 1 tablespoon butter or margarine. Peel and slice 2 medium



size potatoes, toss in 1/4 to 1/2 cup cooking oil until well coated. Beat together 2 whole eggs. Wash and drain 1 to 2 bunches fresh spinach (or thaw 2 boxes frozen spinach). With the burner on medium under the skillet, line the bottom and sides with the oil tossed potatoes. Reserve the low. Chop one bunch green onions, chives or 1/2 cup sweet onion. With 1 small onion, chopped and boiled a pastry brush spread 1/2 the egg mixture over the potatoes. Set oven at 350 degrees. Sprinkle 1/2 the onions over the potatoes. Chop spinach loosely and place in skillet as evenly as possible a top the potatoes. Sprinkle with 1 tablespoon salt and 1 1/2 teaspoons pepper. Then arrange remainder of the onion over the top of the spinach. Cover completely with the remaining oil tossed potatoes. Then with the pastry brush spread the potatoes with the remainder of the egg mixture. Bake 35 to 45 minutes in oven until the potatoes are tender and evenly browned. This dish is soul satisfying when served with green olives, fresh sliced tomatoes and piping hot chili bcans.

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Also combread or hoc cakes are good with any of these three recipes. If you are a vegetarian, any one of these three recipes can apply on your menu.

My daffodils and narcissus are already blooming as I write this. Spring is just around the corner. Remember and plan to attend the Cross Plains, Garden Club's Spring Flower Show this year. Come and see the beautiful flower designs and arrangements. I found last years show to be beautiful and inspiring. Perhaps I'll "C" "U" there! We will plan on it anyway. That's April 28.



5th Annual Art Show & Sale At Baird March 23

Baird Chamber of Commerce Art Show and Sale is set for Saturday, March 23, at the Baird Activity Cen-

ter.

evidence against you??

Is Your Dishrag Hazardous?

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Your sponge and your dishrag could be harmful to your health according to a study by the U. of Arizona. Sponges and cleaning cloths were found to be home to germs that could cause illnesses including food poisoning and skin ailments. Their advice: "Use paper towels because you throw them away." "People wipe up with a sponge and put it right back in the sink. What they don't realize is they're putting the salmonella right to the sponge."

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BREAKTHRU By Bob Pipes, preacher **Cross Plains Church of Christ** 433 N. Main At 12th (817) 725-6117

A driver pulled over to repair a flat tire on the busy Santa Ana Freeway in California. The driver of the car behind him slowed his vehicle rather abruptly. The third car back hit the second car -- and this was repeated until more than two hundred collisions had occurred in a five-mile stretch of the freeway. Some sixty cars were wrecked, one person was killed, and numerous ones were injured.

The man with the flat tire replaced it with his spare and left the scene during the confusion -- perhaps without knowing fully what havoc he had accidentally touched

Most of us will never know or become aware of the significance of our actions and the far reaching results of our influence in the lives of others in this life. The prophet Zechariah speaks concerning this as he asks the question: "Who has despised the day of small things?" (4:10). In other words, "Who knows what the results will be of the little things we do each day?"

lesus put it this way: "Anyone who gives even a cup of cold water to someone else m My name, shall be rewarded," Mark 9:41. Matthew's account says "whoever gives one of these little ones only a cup of cold water ... " (10:42). (The reward may not be so much here on earth as in heaven.) In contrast, Mark records Jesus as saying: "And whoever causes one of these little ones who believes in Me to stumble, it would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck, and he were thrown into the sea," 9:42.

Let us "break thru" to the ones around us with an example that will help -- a hand that is lending, not slapping someone down. Be aware of the repercussions of evil and bad examples, and the ramifications of good and good examples. Watch out even for innocent "flat tires."

Sunday Morning Bible Class ... 9:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Wed, Evening Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus

Artists throughout the area are invited to participate and compete for cash prizes.

Entries will be accepted Thursday, March 21, 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Judging is on Friday, March 22, and the awards ceremony will be Saturday, March 23. Free admission to the public.

For more information please contact the Baird Chamber of Commerce Office at (915) 854-2003.

ATTENTION **POETS!**

Owing Mills, Maryland (USA) --The National Library of Poctry has announced that \$24,000 in prizes will be awarded this year to over 250 pocts in the North American Open Poetry Contest. The deadline for the contest is April 15. The contest is open to everyone and entry is FREE.

Any poet, whether previously published or not, can be a winner. Every poem entered also has a chance to be published in a deluxe, hardbound anthology.

To enter, send ONE original poem, any subject and any style, to The National Library of Poctry, 11419 Cronridge Dr., P.O. Box 704-1987, Owings Mills, MD 21117. The poem should be no more than 20 lines, and the poct's name and address should appear on the top of the page. Entries

must be postmarked by April 15, 1996. A new contest opens April 16. The National Library of Poetry, founded in 1982, is the largest poetry organization in the world.

Subscribe To The Cross

Although there are differences between the programs, both pay monthly cash benefits to people with disabilities. And someone who received Social Security or SSI is usually eligible for Medicare or Medicaid which can help pay the costs of health care expenses.

The Social Security program pays benefits to the children of retired or disabled people receiving Social Sccurity benefits. Benefits also can be paid to children of workers who died. Any child under 18 may be eligible for benefits.

A child over 18 may receive benefits if he or she is disabled and the disability began in childhood -- bcfore the age of 22. Benefits can start at any age. For example, suppose Joe James, who has a 40-ycar-old dcvclopmentally disabled son living with him, is planning to retire. Chances are Joe's son probably could collect benefits when Joc retires and probably could get benefits if Joc died or became disabled, too.

The SSI program is somewhat different from Social Security. It pays monthly benefits to people with disabilities who have limited income and resources. The age at which the disability started has no bearing. Disabled people of any age--young or old--can qualify for SSI benefits.

A disabled child under 18 who lives with his or her parents can qualify for SSI only if the income and resources of the parents are limited. However, once a child turns 18, the parent's income and resources no longer count. If the child has little income and few resources, he or she will likely qualify for SSI.

Sometimes children with disabilities who live in institutions could leave and live outside the institution if they had an income. Often, that needed income could come in the form of SSI.

If you have a child with a disability who may be eligible for either Social Security or SSI, give us a call at 1-800-772-1213. We'll be glad to give Plains Review you more information and help you apply

The Social Security Administration has released their travel schedule for April, May, and June. Please make a note that they will be visiting only once a month now instead of twice a month.

They will be at the Eastland County Senior Citizens Center on Tuesday, April 23, May 28, and June 25 at 9:30 a.m.

For more information you can call Social Security toll-free any weekday from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at 1-800-772-1213.

My, My Look Who's Alive At 55

Happy Birthday "Tooter"



I WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE WHO SHOWED THEIR SUPPORT ON MARCH 12TH AND VOTED FOR ME AS YOUR SHERIFF. YOUR CONFIDENCE AND SUPPORT ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED. THANK YOU,

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For the first time since 1992 Cross

Plains hosted the Pioneer Relays. A

huge crowd turned out to watch the

Junior High and High School boys

and girls divisions. The Cross Plains

teams had great success! The high

school girls won their division, high

school boys were third. The junior

high girls were runner-up and the

I would like to thank all of our

workers for this track meet being

such a success. It takes numerous

workers to host so many schools and

our workers showed up in force. I

would especially like to thank Roy

Richey for his help in the track meet

3200 Run - Pope - 5th -12:38.10;

800 Dash - Richey - 2nd -2:11.60

110 Hurdles - Swift - 5th -18.89

100 Dash - Fortunc - 3rd -11.88

400 Dash - Nickerson - 2nd -55.86;

300 Hurdles - Swift - 2nd -46.07

Carey - 3rd - 5:22.48; Turner - 4th -

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High School Girls

Shot Put - Sowell - 2nd -31'9 1/4"

High Jump - Giles 5'0"; Ricci 5'0"

both girls ucd for 1st place (Tied

existing school record set by Amy

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-William Butler Yeats

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ver, and Nickerson - 2nd - 3:42.81

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1600 Run - Richey - 1st - 5:15.11;

Meet results are as follows:

High School Boys

Chesshir - 6th -12:49.96

B. Stover - 3rd - 56.69

Team Points

Bryson - 95

Baird - 49

Rising Star - 131

Cross Plains - 79

Panther Creek - 42

Roscoe Purple - 38

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junior high boys were fifth.

preparation.

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C.P. STUDENT REVIEW

Jr. High Girl's Open **1996 Track Season**

The Junior High Cross Plains girls 100 Hurdles - Richey - 1st - 16.75; track team opened the 1996 season running in the Pioneer Relays in Cross Plains. This year's team consist of 21 seventh and eighth graders who put in many hours in preparation to be their best. "I am proud of their first outing," Coach John Starcher said. "We lost quite a few members to high school this year, but these girls have taken a challenge to repeat as district champs!" The results of this past weekend are as follows:

Discus - Jennifer Brame - 2nd - 68' 11 1/4"; and Amber Wilson - 6th 60' 5 1/2"

Shot - Brame - 1st - 28' 9"; Wilson - 5th - 25' 2 1/4"

Long Jump - Brandi Richey - 2nd -13'11"

Triple Jump - Richey - 2nd - 29'5"; and Jodi Payne - 4th - 26' 2" 2400 Run - Jennifer Turner - 2nd -10:28.17; Brittany Bennett - 3rd -

5th - 11:32.14

400 Relay - Jodi Payne, Nikki Bushnell, Melinda Richardson, Tabby Clark - 6th - 60.78

800 Run - Vanessa Webb - 3rd -2:58.14; and Christy Beaty - 6th -3:04.52

Girl's Softball Registration Underway

Registration sheets were sent out and Coleman. Wednesday, March 20, for girls 9 thru 14 years old to register for soft- team 9 -11 years, or if you need adball. Forms must be returned by ditional information, call Peggy March 27 and the fee is \$25. The girls Bailey at 725-6529. will play Bangs, Early, Santa Anna,

PEE WEE BASKETBALL GATE SCHEDULE

300 Hurdles - Richey - 1st- 50.97 1600 Run - Bennett - 1st - 6:42.23; and Turner - 2nd - 6:45.50 1600 Relay - Payne, Webb, Beaty, and Richey - 2nd - 4:53.50 **Total Points** Roscoe - 138 1/2 **Cross Plains - 136** Santa Anna - 83 Panther Creek - 62 ACJHS - 46 **Richland Springs - 34 Rising Star - 32** Bryson - 21 1/2 **Rule - 20** May - 12 Zephyr - 4 Gustine - 0 Other '96 members include Amber 10:29.34; and Mary Jo Nickerson - Taff, Ashlee Hutchins, Alisia Hail, Misty Kelly, Stephanie Childress, Toni Mae Wyatt, Lindsey Mcrion, and Lindsey Barnett. Their next meet will be at Panther Creek on March 21. Be there and watch the excitement!!

and Bushnell - 5th - 19.84

Beaty, Clark - 3rd - 2:10.26

800 Relay - Payne, Dani Priesman,

400 Dash - Webb - 5th - 74.32

C.P. Tennis **Team In Santa Anna Tourney**

Cross Plains Tennis Team was in Santa Anna Friday and Saturday, March 15 and 16, for one of the largest and most competitive tournaments in this area. Most brackets were a 32 team draw.

Team members and finishes were: Girl's singles S. Hutton - 3rd Girl's doubles K. Hetmainczyk and J. Fleming 5th

Boy's doubles S. Brame and J. Hopkins - 4th **Complete Results**

Girl's singles

M. Mitchell - lost to Hico (9-8); Hico who beat Mitchell was girls singles champion

S. Hutton - beat Hico #2 (6-2) (6-0); beat Jim Ned (7-6) (6-2); lost to Junction (7-6) (3-6) (4-6); beat Bangs (8-2) 3rd place

Girl's doubles

C. Davis and B. Hutton - lost to Winter (5-8)

K. Hetmainczyk and J. Fleming beat Mason (6-0) (6-1); lost to Bangs (0-6) (0-6); beat Winters (8-3); beat Junction (8-2) 5th place

Boy's singles

M. McGowan - lost to Ballinger (1-8)

Boy's doubles

J. Hopkins and S. Brame - beat Coleman (8-1); beat Rising Star (6-0) (6-3); beat Junction (6-1) (6-3); lost to Jim Ned (6-2) (4-6) (1-6); lost to Baird (2-8) 4th place Tennis team will be in Eastland this weekend Friday and Saturday, March 22 and 23.

Hoop Challenge U.S.A. Set For Saturday, March 30

Area youngsters will have an opportunity to spotlight their basketball shooting skills when Cross Plains Gym hosts Hoop Challenge U.S.A., the original nationwide basketball skill shooting competition. Boys and girls ages 8 thru 14 and under will be eligible to compete in this First Round of competition. Those who qualify will advance to a Regional Semi-Final, a Regional Final and ultimately a State Championship competition.

The event highlights shooting skills from various spots on the court. Each youngster competes against the shooting grid rather than head-tohead against other competitors. The Hoop Challenge U.S.A. competition begins at 8 a.m. on Saturday, March 30 with individual competition in both boys and girls divisions in age categories under 10, 10, 11,12, 13, and 14.

Each competitor will receive a limited edition Hoop Challenge U.S.A. t-shirt. An entry fee of \$10 is required. Funds raised by this event will be utilized by the local site to develop other youth programs, purchase athletic equipment, and in general benefit local youngsters. The Cross Plains Little League will be sponsoring the event.



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Pioneer Relays A Huge Success

Long Jump - Kirkham - 1st -15'83/

400 Relay - Beggs, Ricci, Kirkham, and Strickland - 2nd -54.13

100 Hurdles - Beggs - 1st -18.08 100 Dash - Strickland - 1st -13.39 800 Relay - Kirkham, Ricci, Giles, and Strickland - 2nd -1:56.90 400 Dash - McCarty - 5th -1:12.14 1600 Run - Wyatt - 5th -7:04.07 1600 Relay - Ricci, Gilcs, Besselaar, and Kirkham - 1st -4:34.15 **Team Points Cross Plains - 120** Panther Creek - 83 Baird - 73 Bryson - 64 **Rulc** - 46 Lometa - 37

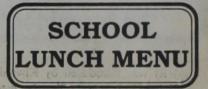
Junior High Boys High Jump - Richards - 4th -4'10" (tied with Weaver from Zephyr) Long Jump - Aitchison - 1st -16'0" Triple Jump - Pancake - 6th -28'9

1/2" 2400 Run - Richards - 3rd -9:24.38 110 Hurdles - Callaway - 4th -

21.37; Bailey - 5th - 21.51; Kitchens - 6th - 21.76 100 Dash - Aitchison 13.08 (tied for

3rd with Hesbrook from Gustine) 400 Dash - Yates - 4th -1:03.36 300 Hurdles - Callaway - 5th -54.20; Bailey - 6th - 54.33 200 Dash - Aitchison - 3rd - 28.25; Mackey - 5th - 29.23 1600 Run - Dimitri - 6th - 6:08.44 1600 Relay - Kitchens, Pancake, Yates, and Richards - 4th -4:25.47 **Total Points** Roscoc - 144 **Richland Springs - 73**

Santa Anna - 65 Gustine - 63 **Cross Plains - 56 Rising Star - 38**



MARCH 25 - MARCH 29 (Subject to Change)

BREAKFAST

Saturday-Harch 23rd 6:00-7:00-Allen Fleming 6:00-7:00-Lurene McNutt 7:00-8:00-Charlie Ross 7:00-8:00-David worley 8:00-9:00-Joe Bessalaar

If you are interested in coaching a

School Library Standards

8:00-9:00-David Sliper

Friday-March 22nd

Friday-March 29th 6:00-7:00-Eugene Ford 7:00-8:00-Andy Anderson 8:00-9:00-Nikki Wilson

Friday-April 5th 6:00-7:00-Dennis Dickson 7:00-8:00-John Swift 8:00-9:00-Rex Beggs

Friday-April 12th 6:00-7:00-Monty Champion 7:00-8:00-Bobby Davis 8:00-9:00-Rusty Dimitri

Saturday-March 30th 6:00-7:00-Mike McClure 7:00-8:00-Curtis Cooper 8:00-9:00-lloyt Foster

Saturday-April 6th 6:00-7:00-Robby Bailey 7:00-8:00-Mike Walker 8:00-9:00-Leon dixon

Saturday-April 13th 10:00-11:00-Lindy Cooper 11:00-12:00-Charles Chesshir 12:00-1:00 -George Watkins 1:00-2:00 -Wade Stephens 2:00-3:00 -Bobby Beaty 3:00-4:00 -Howard Edington 4:00-5:00 -Steve Fortune 5:00-6:00 -Lindy Cooper

GIRLS BOYS

You are invited to attend a meeting to provide input on the school library standards being developed by the Texas State Library. According to the Education Code (33.021), "The Texas State Library and Archives Commission, in consultation with the State Board of Education, shall adopt standards for school library services. A school district shall consider the standards in developing, implementing, or expanding library services."

State Library is soliciting input and ideas from all persons affected by school library service. This group includes school librarians, classroom teachers, school administrators, parents, public librarians, etc. If you are unable to attend a meeting, input may also be submitted, in writing to I.S.D. will host the public meeting. Jeanette Larson, Texas State Library, P.O. Box 12927, Austin, TX 78711, e mail jlarson@tenet.edu, or fax (512)

Prior to writing standards, the Texas 463-5436. For additional information about this or other meetings, call (512) 463-5456.

> The meeting will be held Thursday, March 21, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the Learning Resource Center, Thomas Elementary School, 1240 Lakeside Drive, Abilenc. Abilenc

MONDAY - Bacon, cgg, toast, grape juice and milk.

TUESDAY - Hash browns, biscuit, orange juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Choice of cereal, toast, apple juice and milk.

THURSDAY - Cinnamon toast, orange juice and milk.

FRIDAY -Oatmcal, toast, orange juice and milk. LUNCH

MONDAY -Corn dog, frics, pickle spear, chocolate cake and milk.

TUESDAY - Fiesta salad (chili beans, chips, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, rice), pear slices and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Oven baked chicken, scalloped potatoes, rolls, peach halves and milk.

THURSDAY - Lasagna, green beans, crackers, fruit cocktail and milk.

FRIDAY - Hamburger, lettuce, tomatocs, pickles, fries, peanut butter cup and milk.

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6:00 AWARDS PRESENTATION TO ALL TEAMS

Friday-March 22nd 6:00-7:00-Roxie Thomas/Peggy Bailey 7:00-8:00-Beverly Ross/Sharon Stephenson 8:00-9:00-Janice Kelly/Bonnie Dickson 9:00-10:00-Lindy Cooper/Pat Stephens

PEE WEE BASKETBALL CONCESSION SCHEDULE

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Friday-March 29th 6:00-7:00-Tonja Walker/Kim Champion 7:00-8:00-Brenda Rivard/Cindy Clark 8:00-9:00-Debbie Wilson/Evelvn Harris 9:00-10:00-Charlie Scott/Jackie Thomas

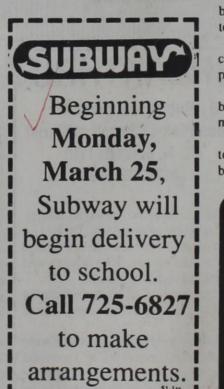
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7:00-8:00-Trish Hopkins/Teresa Koenig 8:00-9:00-Jane Besselaar/Tammy Wolford 9:00-10:00-Cheryl Beaty/Charles Stephenson

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Saturday-April 13th 10:06-11:00-Jackie Thomas/Roxie Thomas 11:00-12:00-Jan Aitchison/Robbie BeClure 12:00- 1:00-Leisu Beauchamp/Suzanne Bogrell 1:00- 2:00-Sheri Kitchens/Rexie Thomas 2:00- 3:00-Robin Watkins/Sandy Mack 3:00- 4:00-Melissa Richards/Druceilla Eppard 4:00- 5:00-Barbara Dillard/Zdith Beggs 5:00- 6:00-Roxie Thomas/Sharon Stephenson

If you have a problem working the time you are scheduled, please contact someone clse on the list and make arrangements to switch. Any questions please contact Roxie Thomas at 725-6436 after 5:00 p.m.



Sriday-April 5th 6:00-7:00 Tammy Harris/Lurene HcNutt 7:00-8:00-Sandra Purvis/Kathy Anderson 8:00-9:00-Lenell Sliger/Linda Fortune 9:00-10:00-Rhonda HcCorkle/Cheryl McClure

Saturday-April 6th 0:00-7:00-Terry Nixon/Karla Rogers



ROBERT E. HOWARD DAY PRESENTED TO KIWANIS-The Kiwanis Club enjoyed a program presented by Billie Ruth Loving, guest of Susan Schaefer, at the noon luncheon on March 12. Ms. Loving presented the itinerary for the events of the weekend of June 14 and 15 which includes Robert E. Howard

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Day. Activities will include a dinner. trip to Howard's grave, various side trips, tour of Howard's home and viewing of the film "The Whole Wide World." The Kiwanis enjoy a wide variety of programs and invite everyone to attend these weekly meetings.



Flu Vaccine Of Future Could Be More Effective & Lasts Longer

HOUSTON-Flu vaccinations of the future could be more effective and last longer -- and they could be administered not by a shot but through nose drops or sprays.

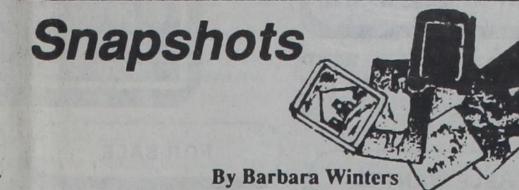
These possibilities are all part of the mix as scientists work to create influenza vaccines that, like the successful polio vaccine, are made from weakened live virus.

"The hope is that live attenuated, or weakened, flu vaccines will provide immunity to a wider variety of flu strains," said Dr. Wendy Keitel of the Vaccine and Treatment Evaluation Unit at Houston's Baylor College of Medicine. "There is also the possibility that such vaccines might also provide protection that lasts longer

Tests with live attenuated vaccines at Baylor and other sites point to their being at least as effective as the currently used killed-virus vaccines, and there is reason to believe they will be even more effective, particularly in

Keitel and colleagues are also testing ways to deliver flu vaccine into the body through nose drops or nose sprays.

A major advantage of the nose-delivered vaccine, Keitel said, could be that it stimulates an immune response in the respiratory system, the actual site of influenza infection. Because of that, such a vaccine might be more effective in reducing transmission of



publicly.

Rev. Wright's prayer:

We come before you today to ask

your forgiveness and seek your

direction and guidance. We know

your Word says, "Woe to those

who call evil good," but that's

exactly what we've done. We have

lost our spiritual equilibrium and

We confess that we have

ridiculed the absolute truth of your

Word and called it moral pluralism.

and called it multi-culturalism.

called it self-preservation.

called it welfare.

called it choice.

esteem.

called it justiflable.

called it political savvy.

We have worshiped other gods

We have endorsed perversion

We have exploited the poor and

We have rewarded laziness and

We have killed our unborn and

We have shot abortionists and

We have neglected to discipline

our children and called it building

We have abused power and

We have coveted our neighbors'

We have poliuted the air with

possessions and called it ambition.

profanity and pornography and

We have ridiculed the time-

honored values of our forefathers

called it freedom of expression.

and called it enlightenment.

and called it alternative lifestyle.

"Heavenly Father,

invented our values.

Controversial Prayer

Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put biller for sweet, and sweet for biller! Woe unto them that are wise into their own eyes, and prudent in their own sight! Isaiah 5:20-21 KJV

There has been much ado in recent years, by people wanting to put prayer back into schools. I say, it never left. There are probably more prayers said in schools on tests' days than anywhere in town. But seriously, allowing Christians the privilege of prayer -- even in public places -- is an important right given to us by the constitution. "In God (one God) we trust" was the motto of our forefathers.

However, in recent years, because of our bending over backward to give other religions their rights to worship as they choose, we have given up many of our rights as Christians. Even in those public assembles where prayer is allowed, those prayers have become so generic in nature as to be useless, and in my opinion, might as well be left off. The Senate of the United States and other governing bodies have traditionally opened their deliberations with prayer. One of the most well-known of these

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Search us, O God, and know our hearts today; try us and see if there be some wicked way in us; cleanse us from every sin and set us free. Guide and bless these men and women who have been sent here by the people of Kansas, and who have been ordained by us, to govern this great state. Grant them your wisdom to rule, and may their decisions direct us to the center of your will. I ask it in the name of your son, the Living Savior, Jesus Christ.

Amen."

And Ameni

And it seems that God did indeed search the hearts of the members of this congregation, and in the searching, some of them couldn't take it. "One representative walked out, another sat down in protest. The Wichita Eagle reported: 'And the House came alive with the flutter of agitation that comes from offense and its often loud response."

"I have never heard in 10 years as divisive, sanctimonious, selfserving, overbearing prayer as I have heard this morning,' one representative said"

Knowing human nature, I know that some of you reading this now agree with these disgruntled representatives, and would have yourselves walked out.

But I'm assured that most of you feel much as I do: If I were a citizen of Kansas, I'd find out just who these representatives were who disapproved and I'd be very sure never to vote for them again.

As for the Rev. Wright: May his courage and his faith spread throughout this nation, so that we can once again become the great nation our forefathers envisioned when they so boldly made God the foundation for our constitution.

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than one season." young children.



NIS MEETING — Marlin Felts (left) was introduced by Kiwanian Richard Purvis at the Tuesday meeting, March 19, as the guest speaker.

SPECIAL GUEST AT KIWA- Felts is the director of the Heart of Texas Baptist Camp at Lake Brownwood. He extended an invitation to rent the facilities for groups, banquets, or retreats.

the infection, especially if administered to children, often the primary transmitters of influenza.

This research is being conducted in cooperation with the National Institutes of Health and the pharmaceutical company Aviron. Efficacy trials of the live attenuated vaccine are planned for the fall of 1996.

Also, the Baylor Influenza Research Center's Dr. W. Paul Glezen is planning to investigate the possibility that better control of the disease in the young could be a significant step in dampening the annual epidemic spread of influenza.

- or more, will receive a T-shirt.

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ily would like to sign up, call the

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preachers who have had this job was Peter Marshall, who led the Senate prayers in the 1940s. He knew how to pray, but many of those who have followed, trying to please everyone and offend no one, have watered down their prayers until they have no power to reach God's ear.

Sunday, my friend, Merrill Benz, loaned me a copy of Friends of the Family, the newsletter of American Family Radio. He thought I might find one particular article of interest to you. After reading it, I agree.

This article deals with the reaction of many of the members of the Kansas House of Representatives after Rev. Joe Wright offered a "heartfelt prayer of corporate confession, forgiveness and divine guidance." In Rev. Wright's words, "'Prayer is prayer. I'm praying to God when

I'm praying. I'm not up there to put on a show. I'm there to pray. I don't do it any differently in public than in private ... "

And after reading his prayer, I say that we need much more of his kind of prayer -- both privately and

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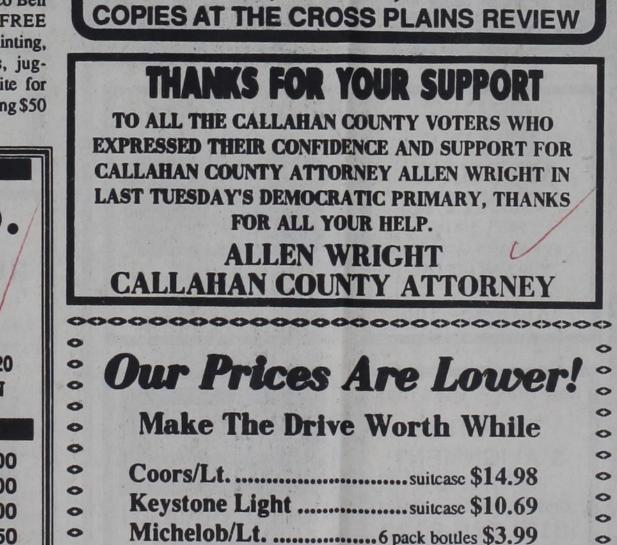
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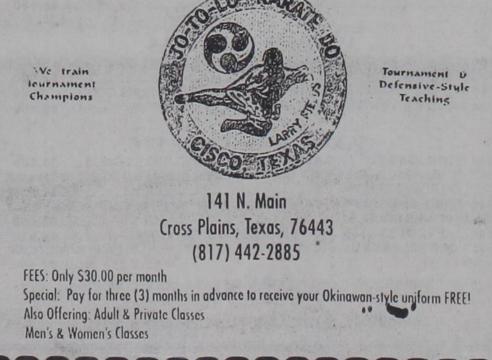


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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City Council will hold its annual public meeting on March 29, 1996, for the purpose of approving the 1996/97 budget. All citizens are urged to attend the meeting which will be held at 201 S. Main at 6:30 p.m.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of a drawing to determine the order in which the names of candidates are to be jprinted on the ballot for the election to be held on May 4, 1996 in Cross Plains, Texas. The drawing will be held at 1:30 p.m. on March 21, 1996, at 201 S. Main, Cross Plains, Texas. Debbie Gosnell, Officer Conducting Drawing

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the bulk water facility located on 9th street for bulk loading will no longer be avail-

AUCTION

SATURDAY MARCH 23, 1996 10:00 A.M. COLEMAN, TEXAS

In Coleman-Take Abilene/Brownwood Bypass (Hwy. 283/84) to F.M. Rd. 3425 (Airport Road). Then to Hudson Rd. Turn East to Andis Lane. Watch For Auction Signs.

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The contents of an East Texas antique store have been moved into our auction house and consigned for sale at public auction. Most items are in very good to excellent condition. All but two of these are consigned at absolute auction with no minimum or reserve. The following is only a partial listing of the many antiques and collectibles in this nteresting auction

Some exceptional furniture: McDougall oak Hoosier cabinet; oak courthouse hat & coat rack; United table bed Co. "TA-BED" Mission oak style library table bed; antique iron half bed; walnut four poster bed; painted pine pie safe cabinet; white/blue trim porcelain top kitchen table; (2) primitive pine kitchen tables; cast iron porcelain outhub; serpentine front mirrored oak dresser; cast iron kindergarten school desk; brass horse head hat & coat rack; pine picnic table & (2) benches; walnut bookcase; primitive bentwood lamp table; marbletop lamp table; stools; what not shelves; assorted chairs; (2) chests; oak file cabinets; Victorian area rug and more.

YOU'RE INVITED!!

The Board of Directors and the members of Lakewood Recreation Center would like to invite everyone out to view and enjoy the many improvements at Lakewood. We have been busy aerating the fairways, aerating and sanding the greens, and doing a substantial amount of dirt work. We have scraped, shaped, and smoothed the cart paths. There are now new bridges or culverts over all the water crossings.

The work completed on the cart paths is very important, because Lakewood will soon be receiving a shipment of newly reconditioned E-Z-Go golf cars. These carts are in excellent condition and will add immeasurable enjoyment to your golfing experience.

We will also be stocking the Pro Shop with abbreviated inventory of brand name golfing merchandise, such as balls, gloves, and clubs. This merchandise will be available on a local level through Golf USA in Abilene. Any item the golfer might need that we do not have in inventory can be ordered through the Pro Shop for prompt delivery.

We are also doing extensive work on the pool in anticipation of those long, hot summer months when a dip in a poll of cool water is so refreshing. We anticipate having the pool open for weekend use around May 1. It will be open for daily use once warmer weather arrives, and school dismissed for the summer months. To enable you to join in the summer fun, Lakewood is conducting a membership drive during the month of March. New members joining during March will have the initiation 7 - CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

Cisco Civic League Plans **23rd Festival**

Plans for the 23rd annual Folklife Festival are now in progress according to the Cisco Civic League. The festival will be held on April 27 and 28 at Cisco Junior College.

There will be many of the all-time hicle accident on the Cottonwood favorite attractions as in previous Road in Cross Plains recently loaned years: strawberry shortcake, home- his jacket and we would like to return made bread, entertainment by local it. talent, various demonstrations, and many exhibitors with arts and crafts available for purchase. In addition, new merchandise, talent, and demonstrations will be added to an already great festival.

If you need information about renting a booth for arts and crafts, contact Nina Jo Anderson at (817) 442-1993 or Arlene Fry at (817) 442-3330. You may also obtain Folklife Festival information by writing Cisco Civic League, P.O. Bor 411, Cisco, Tx. 76437.

Annual Central Texas Pecan Short Course March 26

The annual Central Texas Pecan Short Course will be held Tuesday, March 26, at the Mills County Civic Center at 9:00 a.m. A number of different topics will be discussed during the days program including Native Pecan orchards management, pecan varieties and selections, and producing pecans organically. Disease control, insect monitoring program, and supplemental watering

the cost of the noon meal. Application has been made with the Texas Department of Agriculture to provide 5 CEU credits for Pesticide License Renewal. Approval is pending but confirmation is expected.

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, natural origin, or disability.

For additional information, contact

ETTER ΤO EDITOR

MARCH 21, 1996

Dear Editor,

A man who helped us during a ve-

The jacket is at the Cross Plains Review where it may be identified and picked up.

The kindness of the community was overwhelming and we appreciated everyone's cfforts to assist.

Sincerely,

Kitty King Baird, Texas

able after April 1, 1996. Customers needing bulk water will need to make arrangements for their water supply prior to this date. If further information is needed on this matter, please contact City Hall at (817) 725-6114. 48-410

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Collectibles of all kinds: United brass mantle clock "FDR the man of the hour"; child's Belguim made "Bulls Eye" falling block octagonal barrel .22 cal. rifle (very good condition); child's violin; Winchester Mdl. 12 20 gaug excellent condition); Charlie McCartney dummy; Victorian framed needlepoint; Eilenberger's Butter Nut Brea oor push; fishtail Coca-Cola door sign; 1987 Western Electric Bell System (Americana Edition Circa 1882" wal ephone (mint); Winchester mdl. 67A; Remington Sportmaster; Chicago Telephone oak crank telephone O'Sullivan & Weissmuller Coca-Cola tray; Gilbert mantle clock; chain mail purse; Wagner #8 waffle iron dated 1910; Hull Art vase; Smiley Pig & Magic Chef salt and peppers; Nazi memorabilia including Hitler Youth knife uftwaffe breast pin, belt buckle, small Iron Cross date 1939 and battlefield metal; c. 1940 Wyandotte toy ti airplane; arrowheads; (2) SAA prop guns, military flare gun; nice costume jewelry; contemporary leaded glass panel; panoramic photo "Camp of 2nd Texas Throughfare Va Sept. 1904"; early Hopalong Cassidy lunch pail; ertop pastry case; Roy Rogers harmonica; (2) handmade scale model wagons; chuckwagon pattern porcelain ware pitcher; 1957 Grapette sign; c. 1950 cardboard Dr. Pepper sign; Wester Field 16 Ga. pump shotgun intage floor model glass jar gum ball machine; coal iron; vaseline glass juicer; Kelvinator refrigerator pitcher old carnival chalk cat with goldfish bowl; Mattel Dickory Dock Musical Clock; (2) older kerosene lamps; wooden fishing lures: records including Beatles, Bob Wills, Gene Autry, Light Crust Doughboys and Red Foley Transogram #707 "Juniors Police Outfit" in box; Steel Stamping Co. toy telephone; metal Coca-Cola icebo niature metal domino set; (2) Lucky Strike tins; trade tomahawk; straw filled Teddy bear; talking Pee'Wee Herman; Hohner Super Chromatic; Occupied Japan; 1959 Fleer Williams series #2 & #11 (near mint); smal oden Borax box dated 1902; Norida ladies compact dated 1924; 14k white gold ladies Hamilton watch; RC & Dr. Pepper thermometers; friendship quilt; crocheted bedspread; binoculars; campaign buttons; cobalt R.R. antern; 1984 Schmid #559-003 doll; pictures and frames; Sanitary Cheese Preserver; Fenton green moonston ase; wooden seed press; handmade tin scoop; Victorian tin curtain hardware; Uncle Jo soda bottles in origina ase and much more

Auctioneer's note: More than 500 lots of very nice antiques and collectibles are consigned for this interesting action including some of the best items offered so far this year. I have yet to unwrap many of the boxes already ere and more will arrive 2 days prior to the sale. Don't miss this auction.

MONDAY NITE MADNESS March 25th & April 1st 7:00 p.m. Turn your unwanted items into cash! Seller's fee \$15 per 15 minutes 100% of auction proceeds paid direct to seller next day Rotation slots decided by auction and random drawing P.O.'s OK on Monday night Call for more information 206 W. College Auctioneer Rising Star, TX 76471 Danny Koonce 817-643-4600/643-7321 **TXS 10874 Member Texas Auctioneer's Association**

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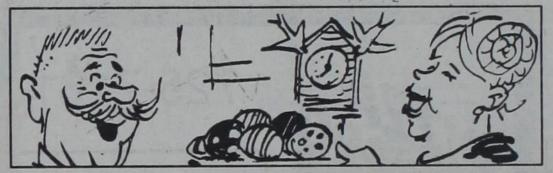
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The practice of presenting Easter eggs probably derives from 19th century Germany. Eating eggs was prohibited during Lent but allowed again at Easter.

April 15 Deadline To File For Earned Income Tax Credit

(AUSTIN) -- Reminding working Texas families that they have only a few weeks left to file for the federal Earned Income Tax Credit, State Comptroller John Sharp said that nearly 2 million Texas families may qualify for a record \$2.3 billion this year.

"With the April 15 deadline just around the corner, it's important to let working families know that they could receive refunds of as much as \$3,110," Sharp said. "And if every qualified family files, the Texas economy could get a \$2.3 billion shot in the arm."

Sharp, the EITC's statewide spokesman for the fifth year in a row, said that nearly one-quarter of all working Texans are cligible for the credit. Families who earned less than \$26,673 last year and had two children living at home, as well as families who earned less than \$24,396 and had one child living at home, may be eligible.

"The average EITC refund this year will be \$1,119," Sharp said. "And because families use the extra money to pay bills or make purchases, the refunds represent a quick boost to local cconomies across Texas."

families who carned less than \$9,230 and had no children.

Sharp praised the 2,500 business and community groups who have helped him spread the word about the EITC this year. "If every eligible family files for the dollars they deserve, Texas will bring a record number of EITC refunds," Sharp said.

Sharp said that last year the Austin region ranked second nationwide (behind Los Angeles) for the number of families who claimed and received the tax credit. Nearly 660,000 families in the region received a total of \$860 million.

In the Dallas region, nearly 636,000 families received more than \$779 million. In the Houston region, 387,000 families received \$480 million. (The Internal Revenue Service American Federation of State, divides Texas into a total of three County and Municipal Employees regions.)

"While these overall EITC figures are impressive, their individual effect on the bottom line of working households is what really matters," Sharp said. "The average refund to Texas families last year was \$1,258, up by \$180 from the year before."

"This is a pro-work, pro-family

year," Sharp said. "It makes a lot of dollars and sense."

"The extra money often means the difference between financial selfsufficiency and public assistance," Sharp said. "It's that rare federal program that requires folks to choose work over welfare and offers incentives for families to stay together."

This year's public awareness campaign included outreach to public school districts throughout Texas, where flyers were distributed to students in an effort to reach their eligible parents or other family members. In addition, dozens of utility companies distributed EITC-related information at their offices.

Thousands of Texas businesses placed information about the credit in the hands of their employees. The (AFSCME) helped with the Comptroller's EITC campaign by distributing public service announcements in English and Spanish. Sharp also provided every State Compuroller's field office, the Texas Department of Human Service and the United Way with materials to help Texans who thought they might

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FORMER RESIDENT HON-ORED - Michael Franke (left) receives a \$500 check from Dr. Jerry

Cherry, Associate Director of the University of Georgia Agricultural Experiment Stations.

University Of Georgia Student Receives Award

ATHENS, GA -- Michael Franke, a master's student in plant pathology at the University of Georgia, received a 1996 E. Broadus Browne Outstanding Graduate Student Award for his research on the sensitivity of Sclerotium rolfsii, the organism that causes white mold of peanut, to three fungicides. Franke received a check for \$500 and an all-expense paid trip to the national scientific meeting of his tion. choice.

cultural Experiment Stations sponsor the awards in memory of E. Broadus Browne, who was for several years Experiment Station Director. Candidates must submit a paper and make an oral presentation explaining their work. The awards are presented annually to one M.S. and one Ph.D. graduate student based on research creativity and effective communica-

Michael is the son of Mr. and Mrs.

VETERANS NEWS

FORFEITED LAND SALES ... The Texas Veterans Land Board will open bids at 1:00 p.m. on April 23, 1996 on the sale of 509 tracts of forfeited land. Callahan, Eastland, Brown, Shackelford and Taylor Counties all have from one to four tracts offered. The Callahan parcel is 60.00 acres west of Cross Plains and north on County Road 441, 1.7 miles. The tract is from the Wyatt Hickman Survey #6, A-221. Deed dated 2-10-78, Volume 428, Page 464. The minimum bid is \$21,000.00.

MUSTARD GAS VET ... V A investigators have found that some World War II Veterans who were subjects of mustard gas testing may have post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) as a result of their participation in the testing. Veterans subjected to mustard gas testing who have questions or who would like to schedule a Compensation and Pension examination may contact the V A Regional Office in Waco at 1-800-827-1000.

NEW BOOKS - PATTON: A GENIUS FOR WAR. No other American General of World War II holds the legendary, near mythical status of George S. Patton Jr. The warrior was a biographer's dream and nightmare. Carlo D'Este's PATTON (Harper Collins, \$35) meets the challenge in every way. Patton was dyslexic and considered himself a dullard. His frustration led to extreme mood swings, compulsive behavior and hyperactivity. Patton was spiritually lost in the interwar period of the 1920s and 1930s and without the stability and loyalty of his wife, Beatrice, he might have

gone beyond the bounds of sanity. Adolf Hitler gave Patton another chance for the greatness that he had enjoyed in World War I. After the end of World War II, Patton felt that the post war Army had no place for him. He intended to return to the United States and resign but an automobile accident death ended all future plans. He would have been proud of an accolade given not by one of his soldiers, but by a Marine. Hearing of Patton's death and with tears in his eye, this battle-hardened Veteran raised his glass "There died the best (expletive) Marine the Army ever bred!"

QEA --- What kind of training is permissible for a dependent child eligible under the Dependents Education Assistance program?

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NO KIDDING --- The General Accounting Office has found that some 89 percent of all Veterans live more than five miles away from a V A hospital and about 50 percent live more than 25 miles away. GAO found that the usage of V A falls sharply the further away a Veteran lives. YOUR TAX DOLLARS AT WORK!!!

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4th Eastland County Beef and Forage Field Day Wed., March 27

Forage Field Day will be held Wednesday, March 27, at the Waynick Farm in the Flatwood Community (4 miles north of Carbon or 6 miles south of Eastland on Highway 6, turn east of FM 2563 proceed 1.5 miles, follow signs). Activities begin at 8:30 a.m. with Farm Equipment Demonstrations; 9:30 a.m. forage specialist Dr. David Bade will present Grass Varieties and Establishment; 10:30 a.m. Dr. George Alston, TAEX agronomist, will discuss Coastal Fertilization Options; 11:00 a.m. Dr. Steve Hammack, TAEX beef cattle specialist, will present Herd Sire Selection Importance and Sire Evaluations; Lunch will be served at noon by the Carbon 4-H Club Leaders and Supporters; 1:00 p.m. Contest Results - replacement heifer judging, hay evaluation, weight estimation of bull; 1:15 p.m. Dewayne Brown and Gary Gentry of J.B. Cattle Company and Abilene Cattle Feeders will dis-

The 4th Eastland County Beef and cuss Improving the Marketingability of Your Stock and Feeder Cattle; 2:00 p.m. Live Animal Cattle Working Demonstrations. The field day is coordinated by Eastland County Livestock and Forage Committee, Texas Agricultural Extension Service - Corporate Sponsor Mallinckrodt Veterinary. Pre-register by calling the Eastland County Extension Service Office at (817) 629-1093. WE ACCEPT LONE STAR CARD **CIGARETTES PRIVATE STOCK** SURGEON GENERAL'S WARNING: Quitting Smoking Now Greatly

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