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## Callahan County Pioneers Recognized At Reunion

Judge Bill Johnson opened the festivities of the 53rd Annual Callahan County Pioneer Reunion held Saturday, August 13, at Treadway Park with an invocation. Afterwards people enjoyed a little music and dance by some old-timers Smokey

Callaway brought together.

Following the awards presentation, the crowd was entertained by more good ol' country music.

Project Pride sold homemade ice cream and the Baird Presbyterian Church sold

sandwiches, drinks and desserts. The proceeds went to the various projects they are involved with.

Many of the people visited with old friends with whom they had not seen in quite some time.

There were young, as well as the young at heart, enjoying the gathering.

There was not a teacher present this year to be recognized.

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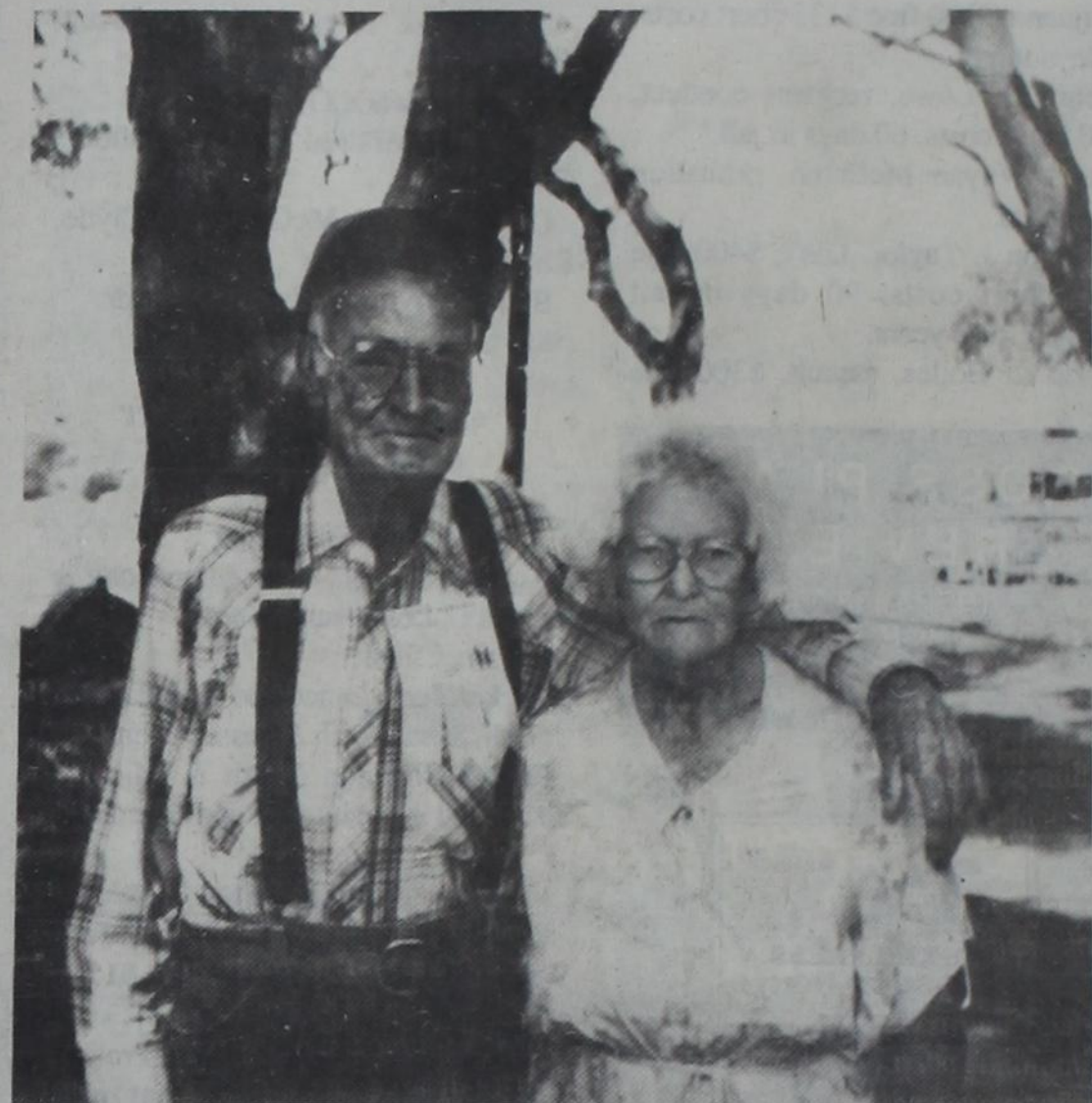


**PROJECT PRIDE PRESENTS PLAQUE TO CHURCH OF CHRIST**—In keeping with Project Pride's efforts to document and preserve the history of our community James Alexander, Church of Christ elder, is shown accepting a plaque from John Adams, president of Project Pride. The plaque shows the date the Church of

Christ was first established in Cross Plains. Others pictured were: Peggy Koenig, Jean Alexander, Troy and Maxine Crockett, James O. Koenig, Mozelle Richardson, Billie Ruth Loving, Bob Pipes and Clara Nell Spehcer. Not pictured were: Alton and Joan McCowen, Connie Kirkham, Bettie Sue Adams and Era Lee Hanke.



**MAN AND WOMAN TRAVELING LONGEST DISTANCE**—Paul and Juanita Harlow from Lovington, New Mexico



**COUPLE MARRIED LONGEST**—Paul Turner and Ellen Simpson married October 15, 1933 - 61 years

## Herald Of Truth Finds Messages Of Faith

The Church of Christ in Cross Plains is pleased to announce that the television special, "Memorials with a Message," will be airing locally on Sunday, August 21, at 10:30 p.m. on channel 32 (cable channel 7). This program is produced by Herald of Truth, a media ministry of churches of Christ.

Herald of Truth's television crew has been in Washington, D.C., filming memorials with a message—literally. The TV special with that name, the fourth of the *In God We Trust* Campaign, will feature several national memorials that offer messages of faith in God.

A stained glass window in the prayer room of the Capitol Building shows George Washington kneeling in prayer below the inscription "One Nation Under God." The Latin phrase, "Laus Deo," which translates "Praise be to God," is found on top of the Washington Monument. And several verses of scripture, including, "The judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether," can be seen in Lincoln's second inaugural address, which is mounted on the wall of the Lincoln Memorial.

The special focuses on Christ as the answer, some of the reasons our society has strayed from that answer, and encouragement for individuals to look to Christ for their guidance and direction.

"As we lead Americans back to God, our nation will be healed," said Randy Becton, Herald of Truth's speaker featured in the special. "Our hope for the nation is to see more and more people ground their behavior on God's eternal principles. Our country needs laws with the moral authority that is based on the divine wisdom of God."

Plans have been made to broadcast "Memorials With a Message" nationally this summer, Becton said. "With all the

changes taking place in America, this will be a timely message."

Videotaped copies of "Memorials With a Message," as well as Herald of Truth's first three television specials, can be obtained by calling Herald of Truth at 1-800-234-7995 or by contacting the local Church of Christ at 725-6117.

## Cottonwood Musical August 19

The Cottonwood Quilting Club will be having their Country and Western Musical on Friday, August 19, at the Cottonwood Community Center.

The entertainment will begin at 6:00 p.m. with emcee Smokey Callaway. All country and western musicians are invited to attend.

Come and enjoy the music. Sandwiches, homemade vanilla ice cream, pies and desserts will be available in the kitchen.

## Athletic Booster Club To Meet Aug. 22

The Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club will hold its first meeting of the 94/95 season on Monday, August 22, at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium foyer to discuss plans for the coming season and also the membership drive that will take place at the home football scrimmage on August 25.

## Believer's Fellowship Revival Set For August 17-19

A Revival will be held at Believer's Fellowship August 17, 18 and 19 beginning at 7:00 p.m. with evangelist Sam Tomlinson.

Sam and Barbara have twenty-four years experience in the ministry. The couple are now serving at The Worship

Center in Brownwood.

"The Way of the Cross Leads Home" is the theme of the revival. Bob Wallace, pastor of Believer's Fellowship, invites everyone to attend. Believer's Fellowship is located one mile from the red light on East Highway 36 in Cross Plains.



**OLDEST NATIVE BORN MAN AND WOMAN**—Roy Tatom born 1908 and Dona Black born 1899



**OLDEST COWBOY**—J.B. Harris born 1905

## WTU To Seek Review Of Revenue, Change In Electric Rates

West Texas Utilities Company today announced it will file a petition with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) to start a process to review WTU's revenues, rule on proposed rate changes and implement lower interim electric charges to customers by 3.25 percent.

The petition, to be filed around August 25, will request that a review of WTU's revenues be conducted by the PUCT to determine if WTU's revenues should be adjusted. The petition proposes interim rates until the PUCT can complete this review.

Until a final PUCT order is implemented, interim charges to customers will be reduced by 3.25 percent, effective October 1, 1994.

"The action to initiate this review process by WTU is quite remarkable since some other electric utilities have recently increased rates," said Glenn Files, WTU president and chief executive officer.

WTU's customers have not experienced a base rate increase since 1987, even though the average overall cost of living

has increased nearly 30 percent over that same period.

"WTU, however, has effectively managed the business and, as a result, we have remained financially strong. Our strong financial position has allowed us to be a key player with the communities we serve in economic development activities," Files said.

"The action we are announcing underscores our commitment to the growth and prosperity of the communities we serve," he added.

"Reasonable electric rates and rate options are important to our customers and to prospective customers. Therefore, WTU will use this process as an opportunity to introduce new rate options in response to market changes and modify or replace old rate options. These changes are necessary for WTU to continue to be responsive to the changing marketplace and to meet the needs of our customers," Files added.

"Our company has always had a commitment to ensuring that our rates are fair and that our customers are paying ap-

propriate prices," he added.

"After reviewing our current and projected financial results and after discussions with the PUCT and others, we are announcing this action. The action will ensure that our customers benefit from activities that have resulted in efficiencies in our service to the customers," Files added.

"Also, as part of our commitment to ensure the benefits are passed to our customers in a timely manner, we are proposing to set the effective date for any revenue adjustment and new rates implemented as October 1, 1994, regardless of when the PUCT issues its final order," Files added.

"It is not clear at this time what the total amount of the overall base revenue change may be or what impact this overall base revenue change will have on customer bills. Those determinations will be made during hearings before the PUCT after a careful review of our financial numbers, the proposed rate changes and some assumptions made by the PUCT staff," Files added.

"But the point is that the overall base revenue that WTU receives from its customers for the electricity could be lower than it is today," Files added.

In addition to the PUCT review of utility rates, a city may also review and analyze its electric utility rates under another formal proceeding.

"We are proud of the strong relationships that we have with the communities we serve. It is from these types of relationships that we have been able to work together to benefit our customers," Files added.

## Colonial Oaks Services

Old Time Gospel Mission will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, August 21, commencing at 3:30 p.m.



# OBITUARY

## COURTHOUSE NEWS

**COUNTY COURT**  
Bill Johnson, presiding

**Misdemeanor Minutes**

Mikie Lee Shirley, DWI, \$500 fine \$205 court costs, 3 days in jail.  
Dante I. Rodriguez, motion filed to revoke probation.  
Valery Seals, motion dismissed to revoke probation.  
Daniel Lynne Grissom, probation revoked; sentenced to 60 days in jail.  
Sharrai Smoot, probation extended to 2-22-95.  
Clint E. Gregg, theft of property by check, \$10 fine \$173 court costs.  
Jesus T. Zuvieta, DWI, \$100 fine \$190 court costs, 10 days in jail.  
Wayne E. Morrow, possession of marijuana, \$100 fine \$135 court costs, 10 days in jail.  
Debra D. Lowe, reckless conduct, \$140 court costs, 60 days in jail.  
Daryl Wayne McLaren, probation discharged.  
Shannon J. Taylor, DWI, \$400 fine \$205 court costs, 90 days in jail probated for 2 years.  
Jason L. Boiles, assault, \$300 fine

\$150 court costs, \$1165 restitution, 1 year probation.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Kristy Lynne Cerda & Michael Dale Bryant of Baird.  
Tiffany Renee Free, Cross Plains, William Darrell Walker, Cisco.  
Donabelle Joy Santiago, Abilene, Ernest T. Oronos, Hololulu, HI.

**NEW VEHICLES**

Danny Deanda, Abilene, Chev PU.  
Dwayne Guthrie, Clyde, Chev PU.  
Don & Beverly Howe, Clyde, Chev PU.  
Bob Ramage, Colorado City, Dodge PU.  
Paul Hull, Abilene, Chry Van.  
J.D. Comer, Abilene, Chev PU.  
Mike McLean, Abilene, Chev Sub.  
William A. Jones, Abilene, Chev PU.  
Marjorie & Nina Williams, Austin, Dodge 4 dr.  
Emily Schwarz, Ovalo, Ply 4 dr.  
Larry & Mildred Gregg, Abilene, Chev 4 dr.  
Clay & Misti McGonagill, Clyde, Chev PU.  
Betty Berryman, Clyde, Pont 4 dr.  
Sid Grant, Abilene, Chev Sub.

**42nd DISTRICT COURT**  
John Weeks presiding

**Civil Filings**

Amwest Savings vs G. Alton Long & Wanda L. Long, suit on note.  
Divorces filed:  
Tucker, Jerry Lance and Belinda Gail Nash, Susan Ruth & Jesse Arthur Fields, Shannon Leigh & Michael Keith, and in the interest of minor child.

**Civil Minutes**

Concord Commercial Corp. vs Troy Ward, \$9457 judgment plus \$1500 attorney fees for plaintiff.  
Josephine Scidel vs William Preston Brown, \$45,739.72 judgment plus \$2500 attorney fees for plaintiff.  
Divorce granted:  
Collins, Andrea Marie & Billy Ray, Jr.

The Emancipation Proclamation of 1863 declared slaves free in the Confederate states still in rebellion. It wasn't until the ratification of the 13th amendment in December of 1865 that slavery was entirely abolished throughout the United States.

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**RAY FOSTER**

Ray Foster, 79, died at his home in Wilson on Tuesday, August 9, 1994. Services were held Thursday, August 11, at the First Baptist Church. Burial was in Slaton.

Mr. Foster was the son of the late Steve and Ada Foster of the Atwell Community. He was a cotton farmer.

He was preceded in death by his first wife Imogene (Grace) Foster and two brothers, Truett and Travis Foster.

Survivors include his wife, Grace Foster; two daughters, Nancy Davis of Duncanville and Gloria Havens of Russellville, Arkansas; two sons, Ronnie and Edwin Foster both of Lubbock; one brother, Nathan Foster of Cross Plains; two sisters, Vera Pillans of Abilene and Mary Barclay of Brownwood; and two step-daughters, Mary Lou and Kay.

**ANDREW JACKSON SHEPHARD JR.**

Andrew Jackson Shephard Jr., 79, died Saturday August 13, 1994 at his home.

Services were held Monday at 4 p.m. at Pioneer Baptist Church with Dwayne Clowers officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Eastland County, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mr. Shephard was born in De Leon and was a barber and a member of Pioneer Baptist Church. He retired as a barber from the Vernon State Hospital. He was also a licensed minister and a WWII Veteran. He married Maudie Dawson in 1949 in Amarillo.

Survivors include his wife, Maudie, of Cross Plains; one son, Andrew Jackson Shephard III of Abilene; one daughter, Mary Jane Rushing of Vernon; two grandchildren, five nephews and 2 nieces.

## NEWS FOR VETERANS

**BUYING MEDALS**—World War II Veterans can now buy military medals, ribbons, heraldry items and garrison caps at post or base exchanges. Previously, only retired military could shop for these items. The change in policy is a result of numerous requests to buy these items during the many 50th anniversary commemorations of WWII.

WWII Veterans must get permission from the base commander and provide proof of service, such as an honorable discharge. All items must be worn in accordance with military regulations. For more information, Veterans should contact their nearest base or post exchange.

**COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT**—Barring any congressional conference battles, Veterans who receive VA disability compensation will receive a 3 percent COLA increase, effective December 1, 1994. The COLA would appear on the January 1995 check.

The COLA reflects the rise in the cost of living for the preceding year and is usually identical to the Social Security COLA.

**ANN LANDERS SAYS**—Having fun is a lot like insurance. The older you get, the more it costs.

**VETERAN DISAPPEARANCE**—The spouse and child/children of a missing Veteran may be eligible to receive benefits from VA. Veterans who have been missing for seven years or more are presumed dead, if there is no other evidence to refute this. Dependents may file a claim if the missing Veteran falls into one of the following classification: Disappearance of Veteran (competent or incompetent), or Unexplained absence of Veteran for seven or more years.

When a Veteran receiving pension disappears, a claim requesting payment

of that pension to the spouse and child/children may be filed. In applying, the provision VA will base said pension on the reported annual income of the Veteran at the time of his/her disappearance. VA payments made to the spouse and child/children shall not exceed the amount that otherwise would have been granted had the Veteran died of a non-service-connected disability.

**Q & A**—Why does my VA medical center ask if I have medical insurance when I go for treatment? VA is required by law to bill the insurance companies for the cost of medical care furnished to Veterans, including service-connected conditions covered by health insurance policies. This makes VA similar to other health providers. Filing claims with insurers does not cost the insured Veteran anything. The collection process is between VA and the Veteran's insurance company only.

**Q & A**—Will I have to pay VA the difference if my insurance company does not reimburse the full amount of VA claims for my health care? NO. VA will not try to collect unpaid funds from a patient. This should not be confused with bills VA may send to Veterans in a certain income category (Discretionary) who make copayments to VA for their medical care.

**FORFEITED LAND**—The Texas Veterans Land board is offering three percent financing on forfeited state land through August 31, 1994. Non-Veterans purchasing a tract will pay four percent. There are some 774 tracts located in 121 Texas counties and these must be purchased through a real estate broker. The tracts range from 4.3 acres to 78.9 acres and full financing is offered through the TVLB. No down payment is required and 30 year fixed rate financing is offered on each tract. The buyer will be responsible only for the current year's taxes. Call 1-800-252-VETS.

**SOAPBOX**—On Thursday, August 11, 1994, the U.S. House of Representatives turned down President Clinton's \$33.2 BILLION crime bill package by a vote of 225-210. Our area Congressman Charles Stenholm of Stamford was among seven conservative Texas Democrats voting against the bill. The others were Pete Green of Fort Worth, Jim Chapman of Sulphur Springs, Greg Laughlin of West Columbia, Ralph Hall of Rockwall, Bill Sarpalius of Amarillo and Charles Wilson of Lufkin.

Republican objections focused on \$7.4 BILLION for crime prevention programs. Many Republicans contended that the spending diverted money from prison construction and amounted to wasteful "pork" for urban Democrats. Pointed out was funding for sensitivity training programs, arts and crafts and dance classes along with midnight basketball leagues to reduce violent street crime. Many felt that it was not a crime bill but a welfare bill with a few good things thrown in to cover it.

Readers will probably not be surprised to learn that the bill included a \$10 MILLION authorization for a criminal justice "research" center at Lamar University in Beaumont, Texas which just happens to be the home of Congressman Brooks, one of the bill's sponsors!

There is strong action already underway to run the bill through again. No matter what your position on the bill, you should let Congressman Charles Stenholm know of how you want him to vote. His Washington address is 1211 Longworth House Office Building, Washington, D C

## Fleming-Crass Reune Recently

On the second week-end of August, 53 people reuneed at Brownwood State Park. Present were LaVerne Fleming Hood, C.K. "Skeeter" Fleming and Betty Lou all of Snyder, Jimmy and Johny Conner, Steve Short of Abilene; Kay and Brenda Conner and children Calley, Toby and twins April and Jason of O'Donnell; Bill and Tanya Davis and sons Zachery and Spencer of Slidel; Bo Emory Allen, Jamie and children, Shana and Heather, Bo D and Colby and grandparents Bo and Pat Allen all of May; Ora Lee Crass Baum, Dora Crass and Beulah Harmon

all of Brownwood Lake; Buell and LaRue Toley; David and Betsy Fleming of Lubbock; Fred and Ester Fleming and children Anthony and Samantha of San Angelo; Dusty Goldston of Rising Star; Terry and Ruc Linda Brim and Childrue Ann, Samuel and Joseph of Midland; Jim and Charlene Fleming, Jason and JoLena and Nell Fleming of Pioneer; Sambo Fleming, Sharla Williams and her children Kimberly and Laura, Sam and Eva Fleming and Kate Fleming Watson all of Cross Plains.

20515 and the Stamford address is P.O. Box 1237, Stamford, TX 79553. Telephones are 202-225-6605 in D.C. and 915-773-3623 in Stamford.

Congressmen say that they hear from very few people on any given issue. You need to let Charlie know how you feel about how YOUR MONEY is spent!!

**TRAINING TIME**—Your County Veterans office will be closed August 29 and 30 to allow attendance at the Fall Training Conference as required by the State of Texas.

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**Grace:** (Eph. 3:8) For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith — and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God. We all experience God's mercy (God withholding from us what we deserve). God's saving Grace is His free gift to all who believe and confess Jesus as God's risen Son. He is the Savior of all who have Faith in what we hope for as God's children.

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# The Search Is On For Mrs. Cross Plains

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS—Mrs. Texas USI officials are looking for the next Mrs. Cross Plains! The woman selected will receive her crown and banner and

will have the opportunity to represent Cross Plains at the 1995 Mrs. Texas USI Pageant which will be held in San Antonio in February. Married women between the ages of 24 and 55 who have been married for a minimum of two years qualify to compete for the title.

The Mrs. Texas USI Pageant is an official preliminary of the Mrs. International Pageant, a system which recognizes the virtues of professional, family and community involvement among married women. "Contestants compete in three categories," says State Director, Shonnie Bray, "Fifty percent of the score is given in the interview category. Twenty-five percent is awarded in the physical fitness category and twenty five percent is awarded in the evening gown category. Contestants wear aerobic wear for the physical fitness competition and there is no swimsuit competition in our pageant." Partial proceeds from the 1995 Pageant will benefit Habitat for Humanity, a non-profit organization that builds homes for underprivileged families.

To receive an application for the Mrs. Cross Plains Competition, call the state office at 210-590-6877, or write to Bray Creative Service, independent producers of the Mrs. Texas USI Pageant, at 5410 Vista Court, San Antonio, Texas, 78247.



SAMANTHA CHEYENNE DICKSON

Dusty and Justin Dickson would like to announce the arrival of their baby sister, Samantha Cheyenne Dickson. She was born August 6, 1994 at the Brownwood Regional Medical Center. She weighed 7 pounds and 9 ounces and was 21 inches in length.

The proud parents are Dennis and Bonnie Dickson of Cross Plains.

Grandparents are Dwayne and Nina Phillips of Burkett, Peggy Dickson of Crane and Clyde Dickson of Fort Worth. Great-grandparents are Willie Phillips of Cross Plains, Fred and Lorene Purcell of Lake Brownwood and Ruby Dickson of Crane.

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50 YEARS TOGETHER—MR. AND MRS. H.W. SHULTS

## Mr. And Mrs. H. W. Shults To Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Shults of Cross Plains will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary August 20, 1994 with a reception beginning at 2 p.m. at the Shults Ranch. Their children, Mr. and Mrs.

Hollis Shults, Jr., of Rising Star, Mr. Joe Shults of Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Guerry of Lubbock, will host the event.

The former Lyda Lee Armstrong and Hollis Shults were married August 22, 1944 in Brown County.

They have four grandchildren, Holli and Terry of Rising Star and Kyle and Klint of Lubbock.

## LAKWOOD NEWS

The Lakewood Ladies Association will have their regular meeting and luncheon

Friday, August 19, at 11:30 a.m. Hostesses will be LaNell Henry and Betty Fisher.

## HOSPITAL NOTE

Jo Boatright was transported to Abilene Regional Medical Center by the Cross Plains E.M.S. on Tuesday, August 9. She will be undergoing tests and possibly surgery. Cards may be mailed to her in Room 424.

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A.M. "The Path Of Spiritual Growth"  
P.M. "Thessalonians — Introduction"

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Sunday Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Evening Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.  
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## MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

A nice breeze out there eases the heat situation for the middle of August. We usually consider this the warmest month in the year. I just saw two pair of quail in the front area -- there is no 'open season' on my acres -- my friends know that.

There was good attendance at First Baptist for Sunday morning services. We had a visiting music director. Evening services were interesting.

The Tillotson's didn't answer this morning, and the Beggs family didn't answer. Sally Roady was feeling quite well this morning. I'm so glad that she has recovered from her recent illness. They looked great in church Sunday morning. Bob and Sue McNeil of Baird visited them recently. Cindy and her family have moved back to Missouri.

Mrs. Jewel Foster just looked great on Sunday morning. I'm glad her health is good. The work at her house is almost complete and I know she will be glad when they are through.

I'm pleased with mowing job done on my front acres. It looks great -- of course, we need a good rain real soon.

That article in the paper about those eight children killed in a house fire is so sad.

## 2 Local FFA Members Participate In Lamb Show

By JANEAL STEPHENS

The Fourth of July weekend was an eventful one for two local FFA members. To celebrate their independence, Emily Winfrey and Janeal Stephens attended the Annual Belt Buckle Bonanza Lamb Jackpot in Austin. Emily and her lamb "Spankey" were awarded the honor of Champion Junior Showmen by Mr. Bradley Johnson of Oklahoma. She also was awarded 5th place in another showmanship class judged by Mr. Jack Groin.

In the tough Senior Showmanship Class, Janeal placed 13th out of over 75 participants. Over 450 market lambs were exhibited by 4-H and FFA members from Texas and adjoining states.

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## PIONEER THIS WEEK

By BARBARA POWELL

It's good to be back to dry heat. We had so much humidity on our trip to Tulsa, Oklahoma, Fort Smith and Leslie, Arkansas and Memphis, Tennessee. We visited a brother, a sister, a son and attended a daughter's wedding. This trip had been planned for fall but our daughter changed our plans by getting married in Fort Smith. We wouldn't have missed it for anything.

Paul and Juanita Harlow from Lovington, New Mexico visited with Jean Fore this week. They came to attend the Old Settler's Reunion. On Friday night Paul, Juanita and Jean attended the musical at Coleman. On Saturday night they attended the Cisco musical. They really had a good time.

Frankie and Oliver Smith attended the musical in Coleman Friday night. After the Old Settler's Reunion, Saturday night they went to the musical in Santa Anna at the Opry House. Following the musical they still had the energy to go shopping at Wal-Mart in Brownwood.

Nell Fleming had a busy week. She visited with Jerry Fleming in Shamrock until Glenn Fleming arrived to take her for a four day visit with he and Charlene. She then visited with a granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Wiley in Pampa. Nell also visited in McLean and Amarillo and then to Midland to be with her granddaughter and family. Jo Veda and Bill Watson met her and brought her

home on Saturday afternoon. After all that, on Sunday she attended a family reunion at Lake Brownwood with Jim, Charlene, Jason and Jolena Fleming. She is one busy lady! She has more stamina than I have.

**TIDBITS FROM THE PAST:** (Cross Plains Review July 1977) Nell Fleming kept the Pioneer Store for Frankie Smith while Frankie visited her daughter in Comfort, Texas. Roxie had given birth to twin sons!

### Jennifer Allen National Award Winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Jennifer Allen has been named a United States National Award winner in History and Government.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 10 percent of all American high school students.

Jennifer attended McNeil Junior High and was nominated for this National Award by Micky Miller, a history teacher and football coach at the school. She will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

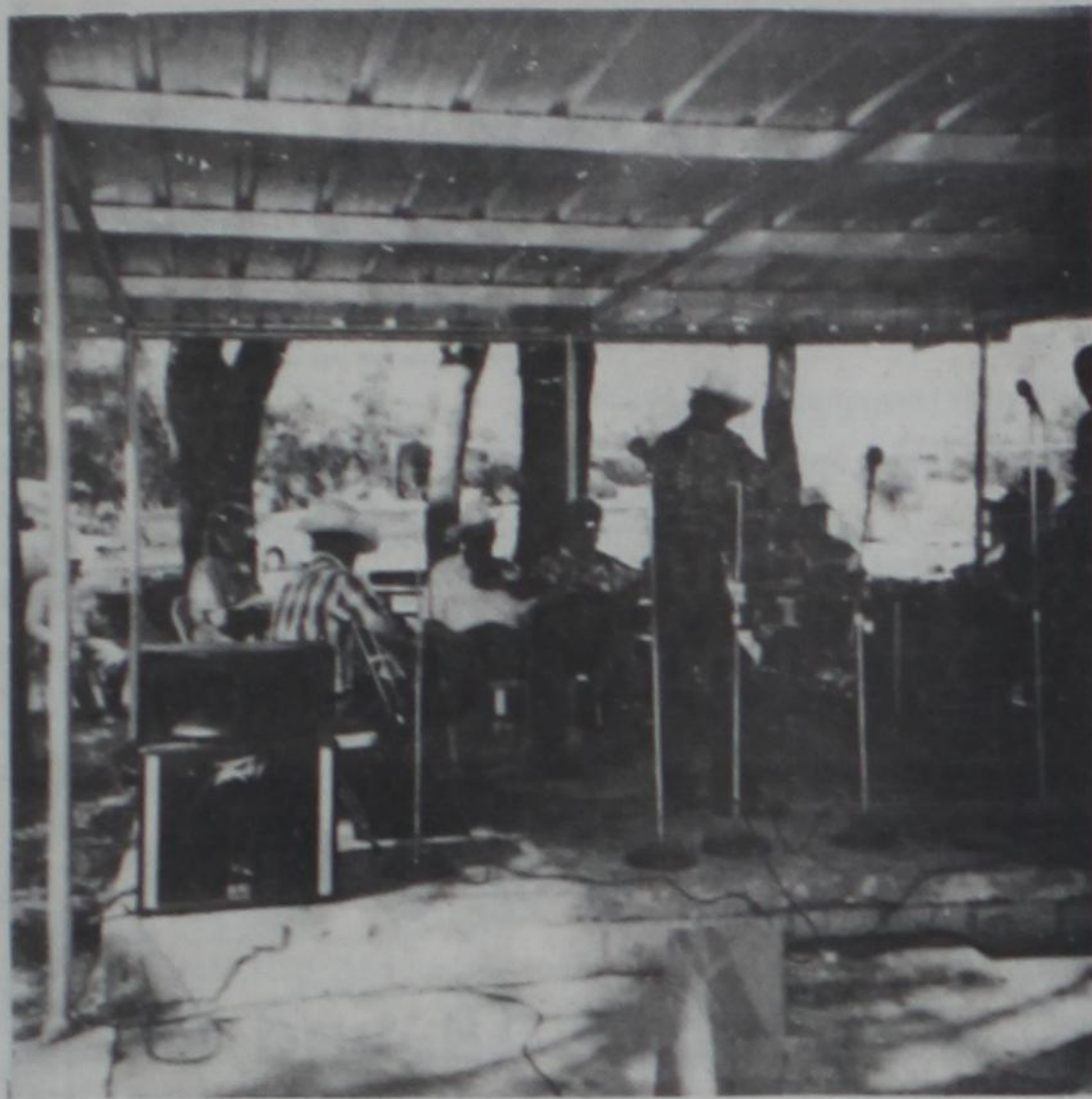
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Jennifer Allen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen. Her grandparents are Rena Robertson of Cross Plains and Marie Martin of Cisco.

### Erlinda Cortez Graduate Of Art Institute Of Houston

Erlinda Cortez is a June graduate of the Art Institute of Houston with a degree in Fashion Marketing. She is now employed with InterExec Professional Executive and Alternatives as a Merchandise Coordinator.

She is the daughter of Ernest and Amelia Cortez of Cross Plains.



COUNTRY MUSIC ABOUNDED— Arca musicians played familiar tunes.



VISITING AT THE REUNION— Folks enjoyed the music and reminiscing.



HOMEMADE ICE CREAM BOOTH—Project Pride provided tasty cool treats for the crowd.



HAVING A GREAT TIME— Couples danced to the country songs.

### SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

AUGUST 22 — AUGUST 26

(Subject to Change)

#### BREAKFAST

- MONDAY - 22 — Pancake with syrup, orange juice, and milk.
- TUESDAY - 23 — Oatmeal, toast, grape juice, and milk.
- WEDNESDAY - 24 — Bacon, egg, biscuit, jelly, orange juice, and milk.
- THURSDAY - 25 — Choice of cereal, toast, grape juice, and milk.
- FRIDAY - 26 — Cinnamon toast, orange juice, and milk.

#### LUNCH

- MONDAY - 22 — Burrito with chili and cheese, spinach, crackers, pineapple chunks, and milk.
- TUESDAY - 23 — Barbecue beef, pinto beans, rolls, fruit cocktail, and milk.
- WEDNESDAY - 24 — Tacos, corn, salad, Jello, and milk.
- THURSDAY - 25 — Ham slices, scalloped potatoes, green beans, rolls, jelly, and milk.
- FRIDAY - 26 — Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickles, fries, Rice Krispie Bar, and milk.

### Board Of Trustees Met August 17

The Board of Trustees of the Cross Plains School District held a regular meeting Wednesday, August 17 in the faculty work room. The subjects discussed were as follows:

1. PRAYER MINUTES
2. OPEN FORUM
3. TEACHER EVALUATION/APPRaisal
  - A. Set Appraisal Calendar
  - B. Approve Teacher Appraisers
4. FINAL APPROVAL ON 94/95 STUDENT HANDBOOK
5. UPDATE ON SCHOOL POLICY MANUAL
  - A. Through Update 47
  - B. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE DISTRICT PLAN FOR USE OF STATE COMPENSATORY FUNDS
6. PERSONNEL 94/95 STAFFING
  - A. Counselor
  - B. Bus Driver
7. EXECUTIVE SESSION (IF NECESSARY)
8. ACTION TO FOLLOW EXECUTIVE SESSION (IF NECESSARY)
9. FINANCIAL REPORT/PAY BILLS
10. BUDGET WORKSHOP
11. PRESENT 94/95 BUDGET TO SCHOOL BOARD
12. ADJOURN

### Wildlife Symposium To Be Held In San Angelo Aug. 26-27

A Trans/Pecos Rolling Plains Wildlife Conference will be held August 26-27 at the Texas A & M University Extension Center in San Angelo. The conference is being sponsored by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department in cooperation with the Texas A & M University Agricultural Research and Extension Service and the Texas Wildlife Association.

Ruben Cantu, TPWD Technical Guidance Biologist in San Angelo, noted "It's been several years since a symposium of this type has been held in San Angelo. This year the theme of this symposium will be **Managing for Diversity**. Some outstanding authorities are scheduled to share their expertise on a variety of topics of interest to land managers within these two ecological areas. Some of the topics on the agenda include managing white-tailed deer, mule deer, quail, turkey, predators, rangelands, backyard habitat, and farm ponds." "In light of the wool and mohair incentives being phased out, we are optimistic that even more land managers in this area of the state will incorporate sound wildlife and habitat management practices as an alternative to diversify their operation", added Lee Miller, TPWD Wildlife Biologist from San Angelo.

The event will begin with early registration and a social at 6:00 p.m. on Friday in the Concho Room of the Inn of the Conchos. The registration fee is \$10. Registration will continue at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday at the TAMU Extension Center, 7887 N. Hwy. 87. The Symposium will start at 9:00 a.m. and end at 5:00 p.m. Cantu stated that "Everyone is invited to come and participate. For out of town guests, rooms have been blocked at the Inn of the Conchos located at 2101 N. Bryant (US 87). Reservations should be made prior to August 19, and participants should mention attending the Wildlife Conference. The telephone number at the Inn is 915-658-2811 or 1-800-621-6041."

For more information contact the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department Regional Wildlife Office in San Angelo at 915-651-4748.

### 4-H Octoberfest Scheduled

Experience fall and nature at it's best this year "Deep in the Heart of Texas". That's what folks 55 and over will be doing at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood when several hundred will enjoy the annual Octoberfest during October says Greg Gerngross, Callahan County Extension Agent.

Sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, your weeks are offered from which men and women alike may choose: Octoberfest I - October 4-7; Octoberfest II - October 11-14; Octoberfest III - October 18-21; Octoberfest IV - October 25-28.

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Boat rides and fishing on Lake Brownwood add popularity to your stay. Lighted tennis courts, horseshoes, billiards, volleyball, shuffleboard, dominoes, and card and table games are all popular activities.

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# COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

It is time for the monthly Cottonwood Musical, Friday, August 19 at the local community center. Homemade vanilla ice cream will be on sale, plus sandwiches, home made pies and desserts in the kitchen area.

Mr. Smokey Callaway will emcee the country western music entertainment starting at 6:30 p.m. Local and area musicians are welcome to perform. Everyone is invited to attend. No admission fee is charged.

The Cottonwood Quilting Club ladies are working on their Rehab quilts for this year. The ladies meet every Thursday at 9:30 a.m. in the local community center. All ladies of the community and those interested in quilting are cordially invited to attend. Please bring a salad for the noon meal and join in the friendship circle.

The Cottonwood Quilting Club members are asking for your help with their Rehab night set for September. They will have a country store and are in need of items to be donated. A bake sale will be held the same evening. You may bring country store items on Thursdays, when they meet for quilting sessions.

A "hit and run" incident occurred on a neighbors fence sometime late last Wednesday evening or early Thursday morning before dawn. It tore up a section of fence, knocked over and damaged an underground telephone cable line and allowed cattle to roam outside their pasture land, onto the road and into a neighbors home place.

On October 28, former students of the Cottonwood schools are invited to attend an "all classes" reunion at the local Cottonwood Community Center. The social gathering will follow the "torch lighting" at Cross Plains High School Festivities that evening. Future details will follow in this column.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred St. Peter have returned home from their vacation trip to Hyannis, Massachusetts. They spent two months with his parents, Louis and Dorothy St. Peter. Enroute home they went to Niagara Falls in New York and stopped in St. Louis, Missouri to spend several days with Fred's daughter and grandchildren, Cherie Caraker, Nicole and David Paul. Both reporters a great trip and it is good to be home.

Caleb and Cassidy Champion of Potosi are spending the weekend with their grandparents. Glenn and Ethel Champion. We are pleased to report Glenn received a good report from his doctor and doing great since his surgery.

R.D. and Sharon Childers of Cisco visited with his parents, Blanton and Lillie Childers on Sunday. R.D. is recovering from recent back surgery done several weeks ago.

Mrs. Randall Franke, Anie, Kellie and Jeremy and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hines, Jeffrey and Julie all of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson Jr., Willie, Kevin and Mary Jo were at their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson Sr. over the weekend.

We all wish Ora Breeding a speedy recovery with her dislocated shoulder and recent out patient surgery last Monday.

It is a nice and pleasant cool morning for the start of the new school year. Do drive carefully and watch for the school buses making their stops to pick up the children. Hopefully, we may receive rain that is predicted.



**KILOWATTS END OF SEASON FISHING TRIP**—There are fishermen on the Kilowatts team besides baseball players. Coach Rusty Reed and Debbie Reed took these boys to Cross Cut fishing and roasted wieners for a Saturday afternoon outing. Fishermen are: Nicholas Dimitri (from left), Kevin Cheshier, Tony Beggs, Cody Reed, Kenny Callaway, Joe Dillard, James Ross, and Jason Beauchamp.

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Jery Wayne Perry  
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Jo Ann Renfro  
Connie Steele

Zena Graham  
Mrs. Jimmy Nichols  
Byron McNutt  
Mrs. Edward Markham  
Mrs. J. C. Pillans  
Robert Lewis

**AUGUST 20**  
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Mrs. Odell Golson  
Sean Holden  
Spurlin Holder  
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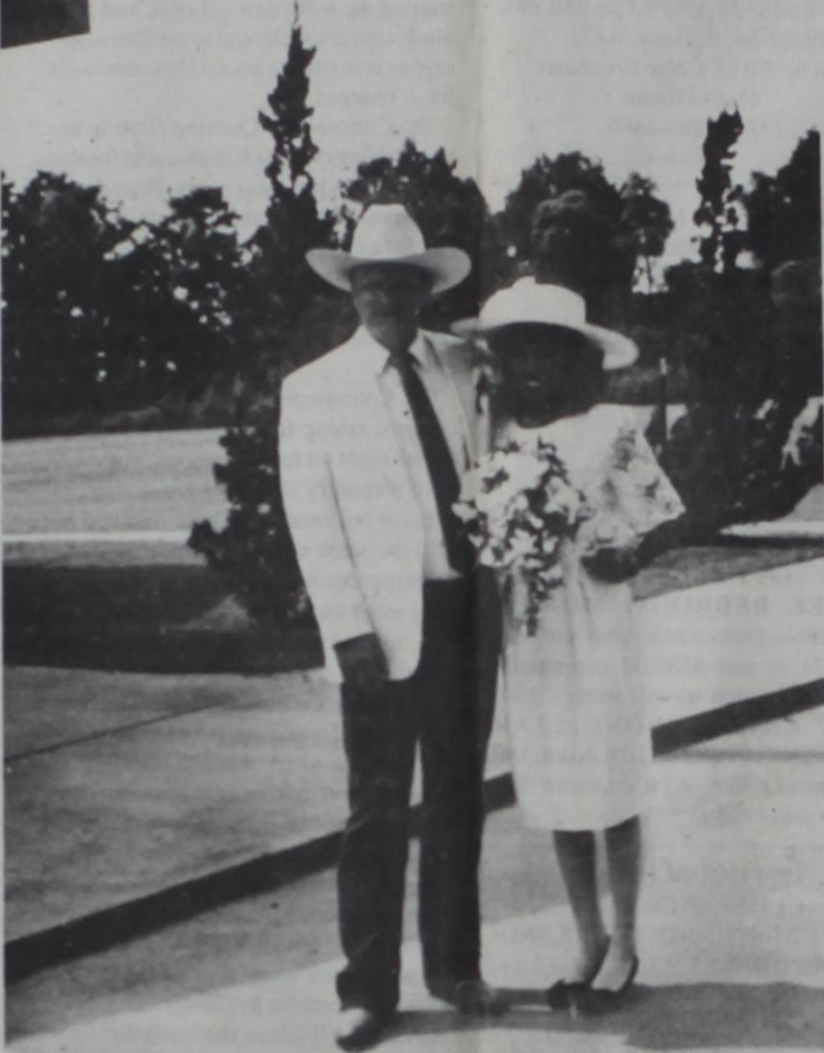
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MR. AND MRS. BOBBY SHANE BARNES

## Barnes-Rabaja Exchange Wedding Vows August 11

Mr. Bobby Shane Barnes and Miss Laura M. Rabaja were married on August 11, 1994, at 3:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Youngsville, Louisiana by the pastor, Mr. Joly Laingely.

Mr. Barnes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Barnes, the brother of Jamie Apple, and grandson of Mrs. Gladys Barnes all of Cross Plains.

Laura is the daughter of Mr. M. Rabaja of Midano, Philippines.

Laura is a member of the First Baptist Church, Cross Plains, and she attended the summer session at Howard Payne University in Brownwood. She has plans to continue her education.

Mr. Barnes has recently transferred from Labuan, Malaysia to Lafayette, Louisiana and is employed with Smith International. He is a member of the Labuan Baptist Chapel, a Southern Baptist church.

Mr. Barnes family attended the wedding.

## COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS

By LINDA EDINGTON  
Activity Director

We had an extra special treat during our last Friday singing. Everyone enjoyed Bob Wallace and special guests, Sam and Barbara Tomlinson, for the fine singing they provided for us.

Mildred Ford and Dorothy Thomas are looking great with their new perms.

Our appreciation to Bonnie Illingworth for the doughnuts.

Jodi, Jake and Christy Dallas from Crane, Vernie McMillan, Bill and Judy Smoot from Oplin visited with Minnie Dallas.

Jim and Jamie Gandy from Lovington, New Mexico visited Sylvia Smith.

Bonnie Illingworth from Iowa Park and Lois Crist from Wichita Falls visited with Elsie Porter and Midge McCall.

Ada Frank from Arlington and Dorothy Welch from Fort Worth, visited with Leila Montgomery.

Claudell Joy visited with Ruth Joy.

Alma Lewis from Cisco visited Nettie Clark.

Betty Sue Adams visited Annabel Vaught.

Activities during the week:

**Monday:** Bingo winners were: Sylvia Smith, Zenovia Strickland (2), A.B. Rowan, Estelle Breeding (2), Vera Belyeu (2), Elsie Porter and Bertha Wheeler. Exercise class.

**Tuesday:** Art class, Popcorn.

**Wednesday:** Sing-a-long with Bob Wallace, Gertie Powell, Clyde Linker, Frankie Smith, Irma Miller and Vernie McMillan. Exercise class.

**Thursday:** Bingo winners were: Genie Powell, Ressa Glover (3), Dorothy Thomas, Sylvia Smith, Anna Dendy (2), Zenovia Strickland, Mary Keele and A.B. Rowan. Domino games.

**Friday:** Sit-down-basketball. Afternoon singing with Bob, Sam and Barbara Tomlinson.

**Sunday:** Old Time Gospel Mission.

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## Ticks Is Causing Canine Ehrlichiosis In County

A relatively new disease, Ehrlichiosis, is being diagnosed more frequently in the Callahan County area. Although canine Ehrlichiosis was once considered to be a rare entity in our area and in the United States, recent evidence suggests the disease is on the increase. Since the disease is transmitted primarily by ticks and considering our severe tick infestations, we are anticipating diagnosing more cases of Ehrlichia.

The progression of Canine Ehrlichiosis has been shown to consist of an incubation period of one to three weeks, an acute phase of four to six weeks and a chronic phase which may last indefinitely or until death. One should suspect this disease if a wild or domestic dog is severely infested with ticks and is feeble, anemic, weak or

exhibiting a nose bleed. A low grade pneumonia with weight loss may be seen in chronic stages. If death occurs it is normally from depletion of clotting factors and hemorrhage or secondary infections from exhausted bone marrow activity.

In suspected cases of Ehrlichia, good supportive care such as fluid therapy, proper nutrition, antibiotics, and vitamins are necessary. In extreme cases, blood transfusions may be the treatment of choice. The Veterinary Diagnostic Lab at Texas A&M can confirm the infection, but in most cases it takes 5-7 days.

Dogs treated successfully for Ehrlichiosis are fully susceptible to reinfection. Strict tick control measures are necessary to eliminate this major natural reservoir.

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