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It's Time For Pee Wee

Basketball

By VANDA KING Editor

Isn't it amazing how fast a year passes - it is time to organize the Pee Wee Basketball Teams once again.

The basketball teams for third to sixth grade students are a real hit with the youngsters and parents. The kids enjoy the sport while learning the

basic rules and techniques. The parents and grandparents show their enthusiasm by the large crowds that pack the gym to watch. If you haven't been to one of these games, you can't imagine what a following

these littles ones have. These kids show a lot of energy and desire to play the game. The expressions on their faces are priceless as they give their very best efforts.

If you have a child (3rd grade — 6th grade) who is interested in playing Pee Wee Basketball, registration will be Monday, February 15, from 7-8:30 p.m. at the high school library.

Officers will also be elected at this

Bring your child to the meeting if they plan to participate. A parent must be present to sign the registration form and pay the \$5 fee.

Registration will be closed at 3:45 on Thursday, February 18, and no more players will be accepted after

The Pee Wee Basketball Association has expressed a need for officers and coaches. For the past two years, Jimmy Harris has served as President, and Vickie Johnston has served as Secretary-Treasurer two years plus Concession Stand Supervisor last

Bobby Johnston has also been instrumental in operating the score board and keeping score sheets, along with Harris. The high school coaches act as referees for the games, along with high school students. Pam Harris has been very helpful to both Jimmy and Vickie during the past two

It is now time to elect officers and volunteer for coaches for all the teams. If the program is to continue all

parents must participate. The Pee Wee Basketball Association would like for parents to know that you can be useful as a coach without being an ex-basketball star from high school years, or without a great deal of experience.

All the credentials you need is knowledge of the rules and patience to teach the children. During the brief time of practice sessions and games, you will be surprised how fast a bond forms with the players.

As in all sports, the idea of good sportsmanship should be stressed and common courtesy to other teams taught.

If anyone is interested in coaching a team or assisting, please attend the organizational meeting. The past officers would probably enjoy a break in tenure, too.

The season will begin March 11 with games on Friday and Saturday nights for three weekends.

Everyone needs to help keep the Pee Wee Basketball program strong, because it prepares players for grade school basketball and promotes better

See you at the meeting!

New Physician Practicing In Cross Plains

Dr. Pipadh Eksaengsri or Dr. Ek, as he is known, is a member of the American Academy of Family Physicians and the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology. He earned his M.D. from Mahidol University Thailand in 1970.

He served his internship at St. Joseph Hospital, Chicago. He completed his residency training program at St. Louis University and Albany Medical Center OB-GYN Affiliated

He also had subspecialty rotation at John Hopkins Hospital and M.D.

Anderson and Tumor Institute.

Afterward he taught in a family practice residency program before he decided to move to Texas in 1979.

Dr. Ek was affiliated with Dublin Medical Clinic and Stephenville Medical and Surgical Clinic.

He presently opened his solo family practice at 1042 Main Street in Cross Plains. His office hours are 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and may be reached at 725-6728.

He stated, "I will appreciate the local community support. It is always nice to have a doctor in town!"

Lay Speaker Fills United Methodist Pulpit Sunday

Filling the pulpits Sunday morning at Burkett and Cross Plains United Methodist Churches is Hiram Smith, a Certified Lay Speaker of De Leon United Methodist Church. He was elected by Central Texas Conference of the U.M.C. meeting in Waco in June, 1987 to serve as delegate to the South Central Jurisdiction Conference of the United Methodist Church that will meet in New Orleans July 11-16.

In addition to many other important positions in his local church, Hiram Smith is chairperson of the De Leon Administrative Board, is Lay Leader and delegate to Annual Conference. He is Lay Leader for Cisco District of the United Methodist Church and serves in numerous District and Conference positions.

In 1986, he was appointed to serve as a member of the Committee of 18 who developed plans for the Aldersgate Center, a Conference Ministry to mildly and moderately retarded

Plans have just been announced to construct the headquarters and campus unit for the center in Brownwood. This was a great encouragement to the Cisco District of the Central Texas Conference, as well as to the Brownwood area.

Members of the local United Methodist Churches are urged to come worship as Hiram Smith visits and speaks in their sanctuaries Sunday,

Peanut Producers Meet Scheduled Tuesday

An educational meeting for all peanut producers will be held Tuesday night, February 9, at 7 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Center at Cross Plains. Dr. Ed Cogburn, Peanut Agronomist from Texas A&M University, and Dr. Chip Lee, Extension Plant Pathologist from Stephenville, will be on the program to discuss various facets of peanut production.

All producers are invited to attend. For more information on the meeting, contact the County Extension Agent, Greg Gerngross, at (915) 854-1518.

Cub Scouts Getting Ready For Derby Race

The Cub Scouts are getting ready for their Pinewood Derby race. It is February 6 at 2:30 p.m. at the Mall of

They had a race at their pack meeting January 25. There were 14 boys who raced their cars. Jeremy Barnett came in first with Jason Carey, 2nd, and Jeffory Brown, 3rd.

The cars were judged on Most Unusual, Most Original, and Best Design. The winners were for Most Unusual: 1st Matt Reed, 2nd Jeffory Brown, and 3rd Joshua Goble: Most Original: 1st David Reed, 2nd Willie Merryman, and 3rd Jeremy Barnett; and Best Design: 1st Cory Switzer, 2nd Michael McClure, and 3rd Chris

The Cub Scouts would like to thank Tom Stephenson and James Oscar Koenig for judging the cars and running the race.

The following boys also received badges. Willie Merryman - Athlete, Outdoorsman, and Sportsman; Ryan Oliver - Sportsman; Chris Maddox - Scholar, Sportsman, and Webelo badge; Chris Henson - Geology, Sportsman, and Webelo badge; and Matt Reed - Artist, Sportsman, and Webelo badge.

Michael McClure and Sam Nixon received the prizes for top popcorn

EMS January Donations

The E.M.S. received the following

donations:

\$50 - Mrs. Claude Lawson in memory of Pender Mitchell;

\$2,000 — Callahan County; \$10 — Rev. Jesse Bigbee in memory

of Claude G. Lawson; \$300 — Woodmen of the World; \$10 - Mrs. J.M. Greenwood in

memory of Alma Hefner; \$10 - Roger Watson Family in

memory of Veda DeBusk;

\$15 - Neal Mercer in memory of Linnie Brashear;

\$35 - Mr. and Mrs. George Pointer.

The E.M.S appreciates each and every donation. They are what keeps the emergency service going.

When in need of the ambulance, call

U.I.L. District Realignment Puts Cross Plains In 1-A

The 1988-89 U.I.L. schedule for the district realignments was released last Wednesday, January 27. According to Cross Plains Coach, Mike Permenter, Cross Plains I.S.D. was dropped from the 2-A level down to the 1-A level.

The state changed the attendance levels which determined the various

Cross Plains turned in an "ADA" (average daily attendance) count just slightly less than the maximum atten-

Former Resident Is New President Of Coleman Chamber

chairperson.

Coleman Chamber of Commerce in 1988 will be headed by Sandra Barr, who was elected at a recent board meeting. She is an Assistant Trust Officer at the First Coleman Nat'l Bank, where she has been employed the past

Other officers include three Executive Vice-Presidents. They are Tommy Saunders, Jamie Cauchow, and Sharlene Taylor, who is also

Ms. Barr is a member of American Institute of Banking and Bank Administration Institution. She has worked in the American Heart Association for the past thirteen years, currently

Former Resident Honored In Abilene

Wanda Wheeler, first grade teacher at Jones Hementary, was honored as Abilene's leacher of the month by the Abilene Rotary Club. The Roary Club expressed their

thanks to ler for giving their children a nurturing environment in which to begin their education. Mrs. Wheeler is married to Charles

A. Wheeler and has two children. Her daughter, Lisa, teaches at Everman and her son, Andrew, attends Cisco Junior College.

She is a former graduate of Cross Plains High School. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cowan of Abilene.

Social Security Counts Right Now

"Young people who think of Social Security as something for the future should know that it is working for them right now, whether or not they are receiving benefits," Glyn Hammons, Social Security manager in Abilene, said.

"Many young people don't think of the possibility of an early death or permanent disability affecting their lives, any more than they think of Social Security. But the fact is, over onefourth of the 38 million people receiving Social Security benefits are under age 65. They are disabled workers, and the families of retired, disabled, and deceased workers.

"Social Security benefits are designed to replace in part the earnings lost to a family because of the retirement, prolonged disability, or death of a breadwinner," Hammons said.

"For all of these people, the present - and the future - is a little brighter because of Social Security."

Cancer Society Sponsoring Drawing

The American Cancer Society will hold a drawing on February 12 for a 3/4 carat, Cubic Zirconion. You may make your donations at the Citizens State Bank, and see the lovely necklace.

All proceeds from the drawing go to help find a cure for cancer.

serving as treasurer and memorial

Other activities include working on campaigns for the American Cancer Society, the Salvation Army, and Boy Scouts of America. She is past president of Coleman County Softball Association and served 10 years as an

Ms. Barr is a member of the Presbyterian Church. She is a graduate of Cross Plains High School. Sandra is the daughter of Maurine Barr of Coleman and the late Lester Barr. Ms. Barr is serving her second year as a Director of the Chamber of Com-

Valentine Heart Deadline Friday

Don't forget your loved ones and friends on Valentine's Day!! Friday, February 5, is the deadline to have a special heart placed in the Review. Watch for the February 10 issue to see if someone honored you!

Former Resident Honored On Special Day

Drew B. Baum, originally from Cross Plains and uncle of Vesta Bond, was recently honored in Mineral Wells.

Mayor H. Arthur Zappe proclaimed January 20 as Drew B. Baum Day and presented him with a letter in recognition of this day.

Baum retired from the Board of Directors of First Republic Bank in Mineral Wells after 40 years of service with the bank. He moved there in June 1937 and started the Baum-Carlock-Bumgardener Funeral Home.

January Fire Calls

January 11 — Grass — Pioneer. January 11 — Grass — Cottonwood. January 12 - Grass and brush -

Sabanno. January 12 - Grass and brush -

January 12 — Grass — Pioneer. January 13 — Grass — 3 miles West Highway 36.

January 15 - Grass and barn -Burkett. January 15 — Wreck — 15 miles east

of Abilene Highway 36. January 17 — Grass — Cottonwood. January 21 - Grass - 1 mile North

Highway 206. January 22 — House — Pioneer. January 23 — Grass — 3 miles North County Road #177. January 23 — Grass — West Highway

36. January 24 — Grass — Burkett.

Plans For CPHS Homecoming Begin

Thursday

Ex-Students Association will meet Thursday, February 4, at 7 p.m. at the high school.

Plans will be started for the Homecoming. Everyone interested in helping, please attend this meeting.

dance to be at the 1-A level which is 144 students.

The new football district for Cross Plains is Region 2...District 16...Conference A ...; which includes Evant, Gorman, Hico, Lometa, and Rising

The basketball district for 1988-89 includes four towns, which are Cross

Plains, Eula, Baird, and Moran. At this time, schools throughout Texas are in the process of completing their schedules and arranging nondistrict games. The new schedules will be finalized on February 25 at which time the non-district games will be

Recent Donations To Cross Cut Cemetery

Ruel and Goldie Gafford of Lemon Grove, California donated \$100 to the Cross Cut Cemetery Association in January. O.B. Byrd, treasurer, stated that all contributions are greatly appreciated.

AARP And Ladies Auxiliary Plan Chili Supper

The members of the AARP and the Cross Plains Ladies Auxiliary will sponsor a chili supper at the Multi-Purpose Center Friday, February 19, from 5 until 9 p.m.

Chili and trimmings are \$2 per serving with tea or coffee. Pie will be 50 cents per slice or \$3 for whole pie. Ladies donating pies, please bring

pies to Multi-Purpose Center before 5 Proceeds from supper will be shared with the Auxiliary. These young women need help with this work since

it is volunteer work. Please bring pies.

E.M.S. Transports For January

January 1 - Dorothy Wink, Graham Memorial in Cisco - stroke. January 1 — Anna Belle Brown —

De Leon — fractured hip. January 5 — Sherry Lynn Williams Hendricks — basketball injury. January 6 - John Casey - Hendricks - respiratory distress.

January 8 - Dorothy Wink -Cisco- diabetic complications. January 12 - Gene Rhodes - Hen-

dricks - medical. January 13 — Wesley B. Holcomb Hendricks — heart.

Janaury 14 - Lucy Cade -Brownwood — nosebleed. January 18 - Nora Golson -

Brownwood - medical. January 18 - Ethel Brown -Brownwood - medical.

January 18 - Oliver Roy Savell -Brownwood - respiratory distress. January 23 — Osa Gattis — Humana

 medical. January 23 - Veda DeBusk - Coleman - cancer.

January 25 - Arnett Bennett -Hendrick — heart and lungs. January 29 - Donald Strength -

Brownwood - medical. January 29 - Hattie Morrison -Humana — heart and flu.

January 30 - Earl Milam -Brownwood — diabetic complication. January 31 - Elmer Peevy -Humana - heart.

January 31 - Vera Belyeu -Graham Memorial — fall. The E.M.S. is proud to announce that Alvin Hutchins has joined their

crew. Alvin is a certified ECA and will be working with a night crew. When in need of an ambulance, call

725-6666.

COURTHOUSE NEWS-

COUNTY COURT Mack Kniffen, presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Jana Lynn Hobbs, DWI. Linda Hayes, theft of property by

Mrs. Dwayne Bowen, theft of property by check.

John Gonzales, DWI. Osvaldo Rodriguez, DWI.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Elizabeth A. Burgess, traffic case dismissed.

Elizabeth A. Burgess, application for deferred adjudication.

Paul Rivera Jr., order granting probation of 60 day jail term in DWI case, \$300 fine and \$105..50 court costs and 5 days in jail.

Randall Dewayne Drewry, order granting probation of 30 day jail term in DWI case, \$200 fine and \$105.50 court

Claude Lanny Fisher, order granting probation of 30 day jail term in DWI case, \$300 fine and \$105.50 court costs. Charles Wayne Tomlinson, plea of guilty to DWI, \$200 fine and \$105.50 court costs and 60 days in jail.

Deborah Lee Tilton, order granting deferred probation in resisting arrest case, \$200 fine and \$105.50 court costs.

James Charles Putnam, order granting probation of 60 jail term in DWI case, \$350 fine and \$105.50 court costs.

James Charles Putnam, possession of marijuana case dismissed, defendant convicted in another case.

Robert Jerry Black, order granting probation of 30 day jail term in DWI case, \$250 fine and \$105.50 court costs. Robert Hoyt Hobbs, bond forfeiture.

Vickie Taylor, term of probation reduced and case dismissed.

Vickie Lynn Jones, bond forfeiture Following the discharged from probation: Santos C. Ramos, Michelle Wistl Mobley, Jose Luis Hernandez, Donald Ray Teague, Robin Dale Tacker

Juan Guerra, order granting probation of 30 day jail term in DWI case, \$250 fine and \$105.50 court costs.

Louis Jay Danielson, plea of guilty to possession of a controlled substance, \$200 fine and \$105.50 court costs.

Danny Alexander, plea of guilty to theft of property by check, \$10 fine and \$105.50 court costs.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

David Sheridan Self, Rt. 4, Clyde, and Elizabeth Ann Gray, Abilene.

Juan Camacho, Abilene, and Kilye Han, Abilene.

Kirby Glenn Guthrie, Cross Plains, and Pamela Dell Parten, Cross Plains. **NEW VEHICLES**

O.D. Cooper, Rt. 2, Eastland, Chev. 4

G.J. Parkhill, Crosbyton, Lincoln 4 dr. Manuela Paz, Abilene, Chev. 4 dr.

Leon Lynn, Baird, Chev. PU. Bob Dye, Baird, Toyota PU. Boyce Donaway, Rt. 4, Cisco, Pont. 2

Lynda Wheeler, Rt. 2, Clyde, Ford PU. Mark Routon, Rt. 2, Haskell, Ford PU. Wayne Routon, Rt. 2, Haskell, Ford

CJ Ranch, Rt. 1, Ovalo, Ford PU.

42nd DISTRICT COURT Don Lane, presiding

Civil Filings

First National Bank of Baird vs. Prospero Oil Co. and Frank & Waurine Cox, suit for default payment, deed of

Bishop & Sons Dirt Contractors, Inc, vs. Roy Maddox, dba Maddox Oil Co., suit on lien.

Bobbie Gayle Prickett and Larry Joe Prickett and in interest of minor children, suit for divorce.

John Luther Hawk vs. Louis Glaze, suit for damages.

Jimmie Dale Earnest aand John A. Earnest III and in interest of minor child, suit for divorce.

Civil Minutes

Tommy Evan Scott and Beverly Sue Scott and in interest of minor child, decree of divorce.

Byna Jeannette Shelton and Ronald Wayne Shelton and in interest of minor children, decree of divorce.

Pamela Jan Cherry and Eddie Earl Cherry and in interest of minor child, motion for new trial denied.

Marilyn Bricker and Charles Bricker and in interest of minor child, decree of divorce.

First National Bank of Baird vs Patrick McGinnis and wife, judgment of \$6,110.64 plus interest and attorney

Felony Criminal Indictments

Ronald L. Young, violating civil rights of a prisoner.

Carrol Gillet, aggravated assault. Dana Gillet, aggravated assault. Cecil E. Edwards, theft.

Felony Criminal Minutes

Jon Hanna appointed special

"Even if you are on the right track, you will get run over if you just sit Will Rogers

********* Support Callahan County

OBITUARIES

Ethel M. Brown

Ethel M. Brown, 90, died Wednesday at a Brownwood hospital.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Friday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Lloyd Hagamier officiating. Burial was in Pioneer Cemetery.

Born in Pioneer, she was a homemaker and a member of First United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dick Brown, Sr., two daughters, Vonita Brown and Vondelle Milam, and a son, Dick Brown, Jr.

Survivors include a son, James H. Brown of Hurst; two grandsons, Mike Milam of Weinsboro, La., and Tommy Milam of Monroe, La.; three stepgrandchildren; and 11 greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers were Dick Grider, Rolan Jones, Joe Coppinger, Chuck Pennell, Tom Milam, and Mike Milam.

Gilbert G. Jernigan

Gilbert G. Jernigan, 75, died Thursday at an Abilene hospital.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Michael Hale officiating. Burial was in Ross Cemetery in Baird.

He was born in Lampasas. He had been a fireman in Abilene and Odessa. He was a member of First Baptist Church and a Mason.

Survivors include his wife, Opal Jernigan of Cross Plains; a daughter, Diane Ernst of Weatherford; a son, Don Jernigan of Houston; a sister, Betty Shook of San Angelo; and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers were firemen. Honorary pallbearers were two grandsons.

Callie H. Thorn

EDEN — Callie H. Thorn, 91, of 2401 W. Beauregard Avenue in San Angelo, died January 24 in Baptist Geriatric Center in San Angelo.

Services were held Tuesday. January 26, at Day-Loveless Funeral Home Chapel in Eden with the Rev. Paul Terry officiating. Burial was in Eden Cemetery.

She was born August 6, 1896 in Fannin County to George and Sally Jane Baum. She married William Tommy Thorn in 1917 in Brownwood. She lived most of her life in Concho County and moved to Tom Green County in 1984.

She was a housewife and an active member of Eden United Methodist Church, where she was a past Sunday school teacher. She was a member of the Concho County Hospital Auxiliary and was active in the Eden Multi-Purpose Center.

She is survived by two daughters, Marvalene Barton and Mrs. Grady (Fay) Corbell, both of San Angelo; one daughter-in-law, Alice Thorn

Reese of Vernon; one brother, Drew Baum of Mineral Wells; five grandchildren; and nine greatgrandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Tom, in 1973

and one son, T.C. Thorn, in 1983. Relatives attending the services were Vesta Bond, Morris Cavanaugh, Helen Walker, and Noah Johnson, all of Cross Plains and Sue Lewis of Brownwood. Laverne Rutherford of Baird also attended the services.

Ceceil Drake

COLEMAN - Cecil Drake, 71, died Thursday at a Brownwood hospital.

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday at Coleman City Cemetery with the Rev. Gary Boyd officiating, directed by Stevens Funeral

Born in Elgin, he was a veteran of World War II and was a retired oilfield welder. He was a member of Baptist

Survivors include a daughter, Debbie Strength of Cross Plains; a stepdaughter, Deveda Schleyer of Rochester, N.Y.; a stepson, Jimmie Alvey of Del Rio; two sisters, Oleta Ward of Weatherford and Maybelle Stone of Stephenville; 10 grandchildren; and eight greatgrandchildren.

Novie Switzer

SANTA ANNA - Novie (Mrs. M.C.) Switzer, 83, died Wednesday at a Coleman nursing home.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Friday at Henderson Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. S.L. Harris officiating. Burial was in Santa Anna Cemetery.

Born in Gorman, she was a longtime resident of Santa Anna. She attended Cross Plains schools. She was a member of First Baptist Church and a homemaker. She was the widow of M.C. Switzer.

Survivors include a sister, Lois Justice of Dallas; and several nieces and nephews.

Jay M. Shook

Jay M. Shook, 93, of Wichita Falls died January 28 and was buried January 30.

He was born in Ardle County, North Carolina. He had been a resident of Wichita Falls for the past 67 years. He was a veteran of World War

He is survived by his wife, Anna Shook; three sons, Dale Shook of Wichita Falls, Ralph Shook of Louisiana, and Clarence Shook of Oklahoma; one daughter, Velma Johnston of Wichita Falls; one sister, Mrs. M.F. Dill of Cross Plains; several grandchildren; and greatgrandchildren.



CROSS PLAINS LIBRARY NOTES

January 25 - 29

"Learning without thought is labor lost; thought without learning is perilous." (Confucius)

Circulation: 333 Paperback: 151 Hardback: 151 Extension: 15

ILL: Children's: 131 Non-Fiction: 24

Memorials:

For Claude Lawson: Wayne and Wanda Grable; Betty Jean Browning. For Pearl Burkett: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burkett.

For Leo Tutt: B. Loving. For Noble Wagner: Betty Brown-

For Veda DeBusk: Kathryn and Jack Tunnell; Betty Jean Browning. Estate of Mrs. O.K. Angeley by Frankie Sortland: Jack and Lovera Strickland; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burkett; Billie R. Loving; and Robert and Katherine Harris.

Membership: Betty Jean Browning. Books: Mindy Mitchell in memory

of Veda DeBusk; Mr. and Mrs. Bransford Eubank.

Quit smoking.

*********************** MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

This is February 1st - where did January go - so fast?

I'm a very poor sleeper; however, I slept soundly this morning from about 5:30 to 7:30. I awoke to broad daylight and said to myself: "My goodness, I've spent the whole 'afternoon' in this bed!"

It took me only a few minutes to realize that it was Monday morning and that I had a job to do.

My daughter, Joan, and Bob, and their son, Matt, came here on Saturday about noon (we went to Odom's for lunch). They brought me a huge living room couch, a large floral chair, and a blue swivel rocker. Also, a large end table for a large lamp, also three small stack tables. My living room is suddenly quite small!

Oh, dear me! I miss Mrs. Brown so much! I've called her first, for how many Monday mornings! She was such a dear, always eager and anxious to give me her news!

Mrs. Cole (Helen) Tillotson is still mourning the loss of her good neighbor - she loved Mrs. Brown, as did everyone who knew her.

Reggie Stover answered the 'phone at their house. Dianne is still suffering from that twisted vertebra - bless her heart! I sincerely hope that condition

improves soon. J.T. Beggs answered at their house. Betty and Mrs. Cleo Barton had gone to Abilene to do some shopping. Rex Beggs and family went with J.T. to the auction rings at Comanche on Satur-

Bobby and Sally Roady took his mother, Ms. Nettie, to the doctor on

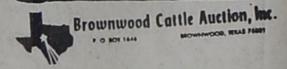
day. They had a good day together.

RE-ELECT BOB McCOOL County **Attorney**

Tuesday of last week - regular checkup. They all visited Betty Lockyer in Cross Plains that afternoon. They visited Mr. Gene Hicks in Rising Star one afternoon. On Sunday Art Roady, Bertie, and Calvin of Abilene visited them. Their son, Joe, called from Brownwood during the weekend - he has had the 'flu'

The Taffs, the Daniels, Nell Fleming, and the Norman Lees did not answer.

"Life is the art of drawing sufficient conclusions from insufficient Samuel Butler premises.



MARKET REPORT

January 27, 1988

Compared to last week, the market was \$3.00 higher on slaughter cows and bulls. Feeder steers and heifers were \$1.00 higher while thin stocker calves were \$2.00 to \$5.00 higher. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS: 1180 REPRESENTATIVE SALES: C & E Hardy — Rising Star — 7 Blk

str - ave. wt. 555# - \$86.50. Lila Mills - Goldthwaite - 2 red str - ave. wt. 605# - \$85.00. Ted McLaughlin - Blanket - Blk wf

str - 250# - \$130.00.Dr. J.P. Jones - Coleman - Sim. Bull — 1600# — \$68.00. Marcell Sledge - Sidney - Blk str -

315# - \$118.00.Jimmy Kelch — Blanket — 2 wf pr. — \$700.00 each. Frank Green - Stephenville - 4 Char

str - ave. wt. 715# - \$82.25. Darrell Haynes - Brownwood - Blk hfr - 450# - \$84.50. Bill Wilson - Bangs - Red str -

305# - \$116.00.Glenn Nichols - Mullin - Blk yrl -805# - \$74.00.Pat McClatchey - Bangs - Red hfr

-845# - \$64.50.Herschel Bryson - Brady - Red B cf -150# - \$145.00.

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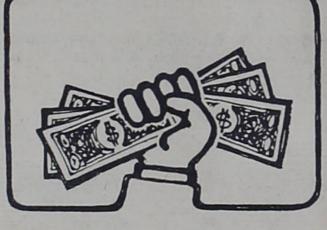
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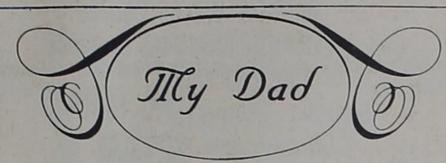
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A Tribute To Ethel Brown

By MABEL HALSELL

"I brought a sack of lettuce leaves for your chickens," was the extended greetings upon the arrival of this dear friend for a visit. Upon opening the

bag, I found not lettuce leaves, but a beautiful hand quilted pillow, typical of the many pillows she has made. This little joke was typical of the humor of my friend and neighbor, Mrs. Ethel Brown.



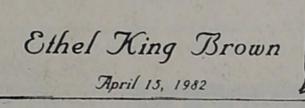
A wonderful guy was my dad. The best friend I ever had. He laught me right from wrong, And filled each day with happy song.

Since he is no longer here, To past memories, I shed a lear. For all the love and care shown To a child until she was grown.

A great debt to my dad I owe. I'll try to repay it, as I go. By helping others find the way To right living, day by day.

I'll never forget the smile he wore To see his first grandchild, I bore. With open arms, he welcomed each one. There were only four, all full of fun.

Some day in a heavenly place, I shall again see his dear face. This earth we will no more trod, For we shall be at home with God.



Nor is this pillow the only momento I have received and have to remember this friend of many years. There were birthday and anniversary gifts, but most of all, a smile, a hug, and a welcome each time I visited her.

She was my neighbor for thirty years. It will be difficult to pass her comfortable rock house, (built by my Uncle Winslow Weathermon), without thinking of her sitting by a quilting frame applying her quilting needle, even yet.

I cannot estimate the number of quilts to her credit. There were the many traditional patterns; also her own original designs. Many were made for children, friends, and grandchildren.

Some quilting was for the public and her price was always minimal, never enough to pay for the long hours, even into the nights, she spent quilting for other people. Mrs. Brown was a living example of Proverbs: 31:10-31.

In his last years, Mr. Brown was blind and in a wheel chair. Never did Mrs. Brown entertain the idea of his going to a rest home. She was ready with the reply to anyone suggesting it. "I can care for him." And she did.

Ex-students remember her as one of the best teachers and friend. She was a poet of no mean ability. The following poem attests to her family tradition of

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. M.F. Dill were Mike Winfrey, Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Breeding, Collis Eager, Jewel Thompson, Wanda Walker, and Ross Shaw, all of the community.

Fred Dill of Irving also visited.

Fred Dill and his mother, Mrs. Dill, attended the funeral of her brother, Jay M. Shook at Wichita Falls. Ross Shaw stayed with Mr. Dill during their absence.

Joe and Nell Fleming had visitors in of Rising Star visited with them.

Delbert and Emma Boyle are celebrating their 65th Wedding Anniversary Sunday, January 31, at their home from 2-4 p.m. Friends and neighbors are invited, but no gifts please.

Contributions to the Burkett Community Center thus far for this month are \$20 anonymous and \$50 from W.T.U.

Each gift is deeply appreciated especially since work on the floor and some painting will begin soon.

Mrs. Marsha Turney and Jon of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland and Mr. and Mrs. Lat Mountain Sunday afternoon.

Sympathy is extended to Ronnie Edington and children, Wade age 7 and Jennifer age 5, at the loss of Mrs. Ronnie (Ann Courtian) Edington of Ballinger, who passed away Saturday, January 16, at a San Angelo hospital. Services were held Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Ballinger and burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery.

Lillian Brown, grandmother of Ronnie, accompanied her son and wife, Bill and Jane Brown of Coleman to the funeral. Others in attendance from Burkett were Virgil and Freeda Burkett.

Edward "Eddy" Neitzke of Bath, Michigan, a former resident of Burkett and San Angelo, spent the past week visiting in San Angelo and spent a day or two in Burkett where he stayed the night with Walter and Melba Walker. He visited Virgil and Freeda Burkett and perhaps others while there.

Sympathy goes to the family of Mrs. Nolan (Pearl) Burkett who passed away Friday, January 22, at a Fort Worth hospital. Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday at Walker Funeral Home in Coleman and burial was in the Burkett Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Walker went to Temple Sunday afternoon. He is going into Scott and White Hospital on Monday morning for some tests. The nature of his physical problems were not learned, however, he has not been well at all the past two or three mon-

Bill and Addie Walker and children, Phillip, Sally, Lauren, and Collin, and a friend of Sally's left early Monday morning for Angel Hair Ski Resort near Taos, New Mexico for several days of fun and skiing at this very famous ski resort.

We regret to report the death of another Burkett area resident, Mrs. O.W. (Bill) Mayfield. She passed away Sunday night at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman after a long illness. Her funeral services were held at Stevens Funeral Parlor

Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. and burial was in the Burkett Cemetery. Sympathy goes to the Mayfield family, her sister, Mrs. Ottie Mayo and family of Coleman and many other family members and friends.

Mrs. Veda DeBusk of Cross Plains entered the Coleman Hospital Saturday, January 23, and passed away that night after a long illness. Funeral services were held at Higginbotham Funeral Home in Cross Plains at 2 p.m. Tuesday the 26th and burial was in the Burkett Cemetery.

Allen Bland of Andrews, formerly of Cross Plains and Burkett area, passed away Saturday. Funeral services were also held at the funeral home in Cross Plains Tuesday, January 26, and burial was in the Burkett Cemetery.

Sympathy is extended to the families of these loved ones.

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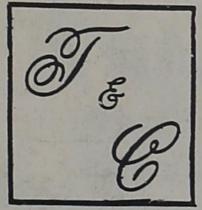
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C.P.'s Music Department Concert

By C.A.

The Cross Plains Winter Band Concert held Thursday, January 28, in the Cross Plains Auditorium was another fine display of the musical talents of the 29-member 5th grade beginner band, the 31-member junior high band, and the 28-member high school band.

Under the direction of Randy

Taylor, the 3 groups, (each playing separately), played a total of 14 pieces with Mr. Taylor on his trumpet joining the high school band in their final number.

The audience was very appreciative of the program and the majority of them stayed to enjoy the reception held in the Band Hall, sponsored by the band.



HIGH SCHOOL BAND MEMBERS — Vanica Jones (from left), Courtney Kirkham, Tammy

Guill, Samantha Bomar, and LeeAnn Dominguez practicing prior to Winter



JUNIOR HIGH BAND MEMBERS

— James Jones, Leslie Reed, Kelly

Barclay, and Jennifer Jones preparing for their concert.



BEGINNING BAND MEMBERS — Renee Atchley (back row from left), Rusty Duke, Sheryl Glover, Lori Er-

win, and Chris Maddox with Rachelle Bishop in front just before concert time.

TEAMS Test To Be Given At Cross Plains

By DARLENE HINESLY

The Texas Education Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) test will be given to the 3rd, 5th, 7th, and 9th grade students at Cross Plains on February 9-18. For the 9th grade the school counselor, Mrs. Watson, will be giving the test, but for the 3rd, 5th, and 7th grades the test will be teacher administered.

For the 3rd grade, Mrs. Hale and Mrs. Thompson will be giving the test. The 5th grade test will be given by Mrs. Golson, and Mrs. Crockettwill give the test to the 7th grade.

The test, which is given to all Texas school children, includes material covering the areas of English, math, and reading. It will be several weeks before the results will be returned to the school.

It's That Time Of Year Again!

By REGIE BROWN

The U.I.L. Literary Teams from Cross Plains headed out towards their first meet last Saturday, January 30. They competed in Brownwood at Brownwood High School.

A number of students from Cross Plains went under several events. The events and students who competed are as follows:

Cross-Examination Debate — GLenn Webb, Wesley Brown, Scott Crockett, and Regie Brown.

Several others are going to observe events that they will be competing in later on.



OFFICERS FOR NEW CLUB —
The Key Klub chose Melissa
Montgomery-Secretary (back row
from left); Stephanie Walker-Vice

President; Carol Morgan-Treasurer (front row from left); and Kami Hargrove-President.

These officers were elected by the

36 students who attended the first

Local Student Omitted

From Honor Roll Listing

Brittany Hinyard's name was omit-

ted from the fifth grade honor roll list published last week. The Cross Plains

Elementary would like to show this

Kiwanians of Cross Plains.

meeting.

New Club In Town

The Key Klub met on Wednesday, January 27, to elect officers. This is a group of young teens who are eager to help their community and surrounding areas. The group is sponsored by the

SHORT NOTES

1. The High School Art Classes went to Hardin-Simmons University in

Abilene on Wednesday, February 6.

2. Miller Studio in Stephenville took the junior high school and high school teams and individual basketball pictures on Tuesday, February 2.

3. The seniors ordered their caps and gowns for graduation. Dick Jacks, representing Herff-Jones, met with the seniors on Thursday, January 28, taking measurements and orders. No delivery date was set.

4. On February 23 the Annual Class will be having a photographer from Life Touch Studios in Dallas come to the school and take the spring student pictures. Further information will be sent out next week.

5. Coach Permenter says he will hold a meeting shortly with perspective girls' golf team members.

6. Cross Plains hired a new teacher to take over the Spanish Classes and some of the correlated English Classes. Watch for article next week.

Signup For Pee Wee Basketball February 15

Registration for Pee Wee Basketball will be held on Monday, February 15, from 7-8:30 p.m. in the high school library. Students in grades 3-6 are eligible.

Officers will be elected at this meeting, and coaching vacancies will also be announced.

Bring your child to the meeting if they plan to play ball. A parent must be present to sign the registration form and pay the \$5 fee.

Registration will be closed at 3:45 p.m. on Thursday, February 18, and no more players will be accepted after this date.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

FEBRUARY 4 — FEBRUARY 10

BREAKFAST

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

FRIDAY — Cinnamon rolls, grape juice, milk.

MONDAY — Buttered rice, toast, grape juice, milk.

TUESDAY — Pancakes w/sausage,

orange juice, milk.

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

LUNCH

THURSDAY — Cheese wieners, pinto beans, fried okra, corn bread, cherry cobbler, milk.

FRIDAY — Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickle, French fries, nut clusters, milk.

MONDAY — Chicken nuggetts, macaroni salad, French fries, rolls, peaches, milk.

TUESDAY — Vegetable beef soup,

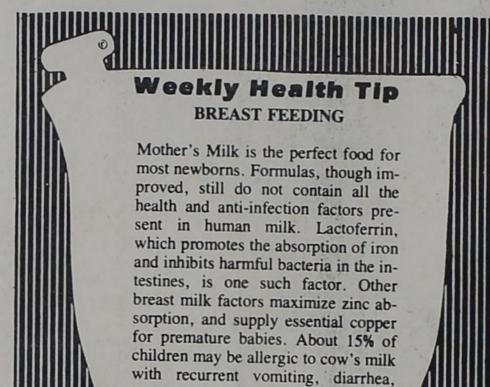
crackers, grilled cheese sandwich, applesauce, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Pizza, salad, corn, chilled fruit, milk.

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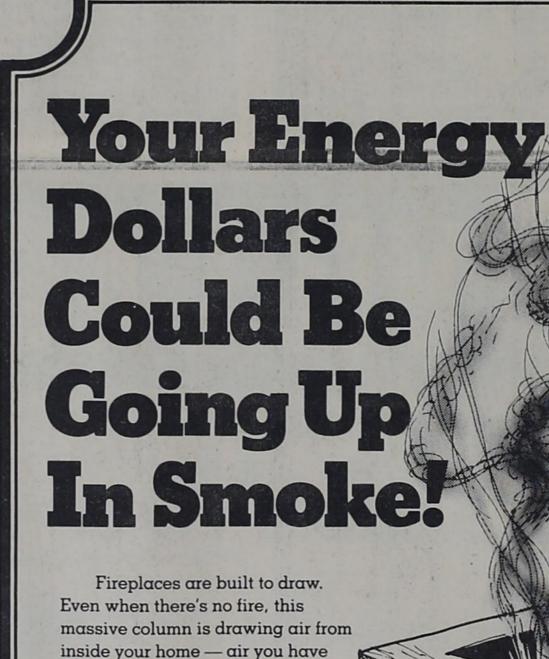
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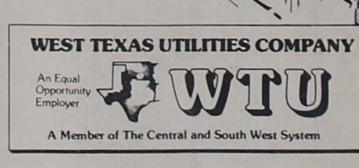


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THE PIONEER **PATCHWORK**

By IRMA MILLER

The quilting circle has felt a great loss in the death of Ethel Brown, 90, who died Wednesday night. She had worked doing quilting for many years, and provided guidance in the club for procedures in the business end and in the quilting process.

She founded the Pioneer Historical Association, serving as treasurer of the organization for 12 years. Her absence left a large vacancy three years ago when she retired from "active duty" quilting.

We feel that, personally, she was "ready to go" and had her "house in order," even though the sorrow we have in her absence now is strongly felt. Our estimation is that she was a great lady, and we pen the following in her honor.

So glad to have known Ethel Brown, Sweet, mild-mannered, moderate

Whose faith in God was strong. Who quilted and tattered sedately.

She was a do-er, community-Minded, not a procrastinator, Though after her 90th birthday, She was scarcely an ambulator.

Always ready with a cheerful story, She knew many people around, I still hear her happy laughter, And her interesting stories abound.

She loved, but if she hated, I never heard her tell it. She lived in this area all her life; Her Historical tales were compell-

She wrote lovely poetry; Her verse came from her soul: She also recited; and taught In a school and Sunday school role.

Her life was preserved for 90 years, For the purpose of God above; He put her in our acquaintance To know and to love.

The Lord kept a promise to Ethel. Kept it for eternity, "...The Lord shall give thee rest from thy sorrow..." Isaiah fourteen, three.

ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. N.V. GIBBS

This has been a day of strong wind blasts, but the temperature was warm outside. The yellow Jasmine bush has rushed spring as ususal. Every year the blooms open in January only to be killed back a time or two before spring is really here. Another thing is all the birds that swarm over the roads. You think you are running into them, but one leader takes them out of the way. They may be sparrows who are hunting food along the roadsides. They also like electric lines to perch on in

We are in need of rain also in this area. Small late grain has had very slow growth and has not been grazed

On Friday night, children of Gene and Verne Belle Mauldin came for a visit and supper. They were Irene and Willie Masters of Snyder, Roland and Faye Mauldin of Denton Valley and their son, Kenneth Mauldin, and his friend, Stacy Jenkins of Abilene.

Sunday night visitors in the Robert Watson home were Mr. and Mrs. Zander Rasbury and twin sons of Eula. Dorothy fixed supper for the group. The couple became parents of a baby boy on Monday.

Robert, Dorothy, and sons, Cody and Wyatt, attended basketball games in Gorman Monday night where Cody

Julie Dye attended the Coronation Exercises at the Baird school Thursday night. Jessie Odom and Meredith Odom also attended.

Edna Dye was in Abilene Friday to

James and Dorothy Reynolds attended the community singing at the South Side Baptist Church in Clyde Saturday night.

Don and Maryana Harrell and daughter, Leigh, attended a quarter horse show at the Kenneth Rogers Arena near Clyde Saturday.

Terry and Vickie Harris of Eastland became proud parents Monday, January 25, when Zane Lyn was born. Grandparents are Tommie and Lora Fay Harris of the community. Greatgrandmother is May Bell Odom of Cross Plains.

When Emma Johnson and Lizzie Burks were contacted for news, Emma reported the birth of two baby calves and no visitors.

Biti Steele and friend, Trey Fortune, slipped up on this writer this morning. They had come here on Bill's motor bike. I guess the wind blew the noise of the bike away from the house. They visited a short while and off again for home. They had been riding in their pasture. Trey spent Friday night with

This writer and Lora Fay Harris attended the funeral of Veda DeBusk in Cross Plains Tuesday.

This week the Callahan County Star of Baird carried an article written by my friend, Eva (Sue) Robinson Starnes of Tyler. Claire Estes had received the article from Debbie Mateer of Hudson, New York. It was published in a magazine, "Women's

***** Calendar

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Household" in the February 1988 issue.

The heading was "Memories of Baird," where Eva grew up with two sisters and three brothers. She is a natural artist of great talent. This article was the history of her friendship quilt, which was begun in 1934 and finished in 1947.

She told of her mother who started a block of the Airplane quilt pattern. Her sister, Lucille, finished the block and did her own and one for their younger sister, Bernice. This writer's block was dated 1934, four years after our graduation from high school in Baird. The quilt had been tacked with purple wool thread, but after Eva took it from its storage place of many years, she decided to remove the purple thread and quilt each block. In doing this, memories of each person came to mind with a story to tell.

Eva has sent a picture, painted by her, to Mrs. Maurine Nichols of Baird to be hung in the Depot Library when it is completed.

What this writer has to cherish are letters and letters covered with Eva's painted drawings. Many were done to fit the time of the year, such as 4th of July, etc. These letters were sent to her and copies of each letter made for her treasure of memories. I am also sending her a copy of her quilt article from the Baird paper.

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The family of Pearl Burkett wish to thank each of you who so faithfully prayed for us during Mom's hospital stay and since her death. Thanks for the cards, calls, food, flowers, and memorials. Your love and friendship have sustained us in this difficult time.

Bettie, Morris and Liz Cavanaugh Kim and Lynn Tatom and children Caroline Yates and children Don and Colleen Gray and Family

Card Of Thanks

We just want to thank everyone for their cards, flowers, calls, and visits while Sandy was in the hospital and after she returned home. A special thanks to the E.M.S. crew, who did a great job as usual.

Rickey and Sandra Carey

Card Of Thanks

To the Cross Plains EMS personnel, all callers and friends of Ethel Brown, we sincerely appreciate your inquiries and concern during her recent illness and passing. Thank all of you for your compassion and understanding, the Methodist ladies for serving a delicious lunch, the minister, and choir and organist for the fine services. Mother loved all of you. The Family of Ethel Brown

Card Of Thanks

Words can't express the deep appreciation and thanks we wish to everyone who was kind and interested during the untimely illness and death of our loved one, "Leo McDermett Tutt."

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Our gratitute and love goes out to Brian Keele and Bob Harrell for the many kind things that helped us bear our sorrow.

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COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Creamer are the proud new parents of a baby boy. Forrest Lee Creamer arrived at 1:47 p.m. on January 19 weighing 7 pounds and 15 3/4 ounces, 21 1/2 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Barbara and Eddy Albrecht and paternal grandparents are Jeannette Creamer of Fort Worth and Forrest Grady Creamer of Afton, Wyoming.

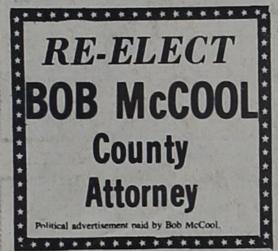
Maternal great-grandparents are Amy Albrecht, Maxine Wise of Broken Bow, Oklahoma, and Bill Smith. Paternal great-grandparents are Isla and X.L. Stroud and Maureen Morris of Portales, New Mexico. Congratulations, Gayla and Lee.

Last week Harry Childers of Cross Plains, Todd Childers of Cisco, and Aubrey Childers came by to check on Lillie and Blanton Childers and Mrs. Jessie Wilcoxen.

Two weeks ago, Dena Nickerson fell and broke her little finger and had to have her right hand put in a cast. Rickie Jo Potter was out the weekend of the 23rd to help her grandmother.

Those visiting with Ethel Anderson this past week were: Bobby McCorkle of Abilene and Mrs. Stuart Sowell, Matt, Mandi, and Malyssa. On Thursday, Ethel attended the band concert at the Cross Plains School. Three of her great-grandchildren, Matt and Mandi Sowell and Leah King, performed with the group.

On Friday Mrs. Ethel Anderson spent the day with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb.



Visitors at the Cottonwood Quilting Club last month were Velma Jones and Jessie Wilcoxen of Cisco and Ber-

tha Wheeler of Cottonwood. The ladies of the quilting club wish to express our thanks to Monty Champion for delivering and stacking the wood at the Cottonwood Community

Mrs. Max Byrd of Keller was at her sister's, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson, Sr., on Saturday afternoon through Sunday. On Sunday afternoon family members having dinner in the home of the Nickersons were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Rogers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly, Keith, and Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Goble stopped by on Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers and Mrs. Jessie Wilcoxen, and Aubrey was down on Sunday from Abilene.

NEW ARRIVALS

Terry and Vickie Harris of Eastland are the proud parents of a son, Zane Lyn, born January 25 at 2:42 p.m. at Hendrick Medical Center, Abilene.

He weighed 7 pounds and 10 ounces and was 201/2 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Skinnie and Eloise Lewis of Desdemona and paternal grandparents are Tommie and Lora Harris of Cross Plains.

Mrs. May Bell Odom of Cross Plains is the paternal greatgrandmother.

AARP Free Tax Aide Program

A Free Tax Aide program, sponsored by the AARP, is available to assist senior citizens in the preparation of their income tax returns.

Volunteer counselors will be at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center at East 8th Street on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 1-3 p.m. Irma Miller is the local tax counselor.

If further information is needed call Malinda Winfrey, Director of the Multi-Purpose Center, at 725-7698.



ON THE CORNER Stating Letter Writing Policy

By DON TABOR Publisher

Okay, for the umpteenth time, I'm going to state the Journal's policy on printing letters to the editor.

A lady brought in such a letter Tuesday concerning the current chief-of-police controversy and made the comment that "it is going all over town" that the Journal isn't accepting letters to the editor on the subject.

All I can say is: "T'ain't so."

I don't know where such rumors get started, and I've long since quit trying to figure out their origin. They surface every time we have a controversy boiling (and that's at least a couple of times a year) in town.

But, also every time there's a controversy, there are numerous letters to the editor printed on both sides of the subject. So, it looks like the rumor mongers would go pick on something else, but they don't.

I think in the first "On the Corner" column I wrote after buying the Journal nearly 12 years ago I stated that the paper welcomes letters to the editor. In fact, I encouraged them.

That policy hasn't changed.

I may be over-reacting here. Usually those "going all over town" surveys turn out to be one or two people.

But, still, it's good to repeat my policy. The overriding criteria for a letter to the editor to be printed is that it be signed. It helps me feel more comfortable if the letter is brought in in person by the one who wrote and signed it (or his or her spouse). That way we can positively identify the author.

If you mail in a letter to the editor, please include your phone number. There again, it will help us identify you as the author. We've received, and printed, letters in the past from fictitious authors, so we've had to get a little more hard-nosed about this.

Also, as I stated in that first column and have repeated several times since, I'm not going to print a letter to the editor that's libelous or in bad taste. I don't think I have to go into any more detail of what I mean here.

I don't see how anybody can call those rules severe, so, if you've got something you want to get off your chest, let's hear from you.



BUD ARNOT

Arnot Files For Appeals Court

Court of Appeals Judge Bud Arnot, today announced his plans to seek election to the 11th Judicial District Court in Eastland, Texas.

Judge Arnot has held this position since January 1, 1987 when he was appointed by Governor White to fill the vacancy created when Judge Raleigh Brown retired.

The appelate court hears appeals from both civil and criminal cases originating from 23 counties in the 11th District.

Arnot, a Breckenridge native, has resided in Abilene the last twelve years. Graduating from the University of Texas, he attended Baylor Law School.

After graduation Arnot worked for the Wagstaff Law Firm in Abilene where he later became a partner. Before his appointment to take the bench, he was a partner in the Glandon Law Firm. Arnot is a graduate of the American Academy of Judicial Education's appelate opinion writing pro-

Active in civic affairs, Arnot has been involved in the YMCA, Paramount Theatre Preservation, Buffalo Gap Arts Festival, Abilene Fine Arts Museum, Board of Development for Hardin-Simmons University, Hendrick Home for Children, and Deacon of the First Baptist Church, Abilene.

"I've enjoyed my service as judge serving the people of the 11th Judicial District. My experience as a current judge on the three member panel of the Court of Appeals and my long-term commitment to this court and its duties qualify me for this important position," Arnot said.

Bud is married to the former Emily McDonald of Abilene and they have two sons, Will, 8, Mackey, 6, and a daughter, Corrine, 8 months.

Pol. Ad. pd. by Bud Arnot, 857 N. Mockingbird Lane, Abilene,



Apply bone meal to Iris beds now and water thoroughly.

Control weeds in lawns before they have a chance to establish themselves. A pre-emergence herbicide works well. Used in granular form they can easily be spread over the lawn. If the weeds get there before you do, consider an application of weed-and-feed fertilizer.

It feeds your lawn while it kills broadleaf weeds. Another laborsaving use is to apply a pre-emergence herbicide to stone or brick paths where seeds in the cracks can be a problem.

Prune roses later this month. Cut all but four to six healthy canes to ground level. For fewer but bigger blooms, cut off three-fourths of each remaining cane. For a moderate number of medium-sized blooms. Cut each cane in half, and for an abundance of smaller blooms, remove only a quarter

For early spring blooms, try forcing branches of flowering trees and shrubs indoors. Forsythia, flowering quince, and winter jasmine are well suited for

Select shoots with numerous rounded flower buds. Place the stems in warm water, changing it every three to four days. Blooms should open within three weeks.

Staci Watson Named To Dean's List

Staci Watson has recently been named to the Dean's List at Southwest Texas State University, a school of applied arts and technology. She achieved the honor by obtaining a 3.5 grade point average.

She is a former graduate of Cooper High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson of Abilene.

Happy Birthday

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has established guidelines for mammography in asymptomatic women. (Women who have no symptoms of disease). Those guidelines have been adopted by the American Academy of Family Physicians, American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, and The American College of Radiology. Those guidelines

1. 35-40 years of age - One baseline mammogram.

II. 40-50 years of age - A mammogram every 1-2 years depending on breast type and risk factor.

III. 50 years of age and over An annual physical examination and annual mammogram.

IV. Asymptomatic women under 50 years of age with

significant high risk factors should be examined at appropriate intervals. These risk factors include previous breast cancer and family history of

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