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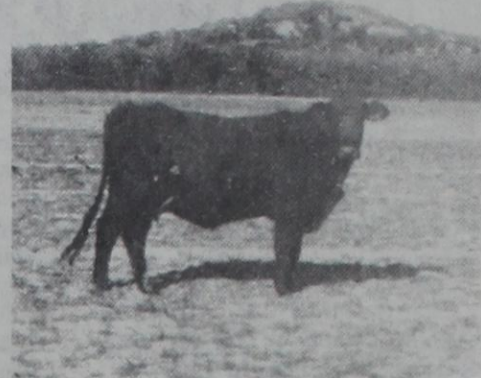
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CROSS PLAINS BUFFALOES ENTERED THE FIELD PRE-

PARED FOR THE WILDCATS

cheer them onto victory. Athletic photos courtesy of Greg Turner.

BUFFALOES DECLAW THE WILDCATS 7-0

By GREG TURNER

The Cross Plains Buffaloes traveled to Wildcat stadium last Friday night. I was truly surprised and very appreciative when I saw how crowded the stands were -- a tremendous turnout of support and enthusiasm. The fans were treated to an outstanding game dominated by the defenses of both Cross Plains and Rising Star. This was the first time that the Rising Star's defense had been scored on this year. I think they have only allowed a couple of teams inside their 20 yard line 2 or 3 times. The Buffaloes did only once, but it was enough to capture the win. There is only so much you can say about this game, defense, defense, defense and more defense.

The defense was led by Porcius Potter, Hugo Mauricio and Kevin Nickerson combining together some 22 tackles and 11 assists. The defensive line of Cory Switzer, Mike McClure and Hugo Mauricio with the help of defensive ends Porcius Potter and Dusty Hargrove has made it tough for any opponents to get much going running the ball thus far -- only allowing a total of 3 points scored against them this year.

The first half at Rising Star seemed to be a 1 step forward and 2 steps back type of game for the Buffaloes.

Just when something began to happen and the offense began moving the ball, you would look around and there it was -- yellow flag, penalty, then forcing a punt.

The offense was led by Jody Fortune with 81 yards -- tough yards on 24 carries. Quarterback Jarad Richards ended the night with 34 yards and 15 of them coming on 1 run for the only touchdown of the night with 1:35 left in the quarter. The pursuit of the Wildcats this time cost them -- due to a fine run by Richards reversing field and going across grain behind the pursuit of Rising Star into the endzone. Cory Switzer kicked the extra point after a delay of game and was good making the score 7 for Cross Plains and 0 for Rising Star. WOW!!! WOW!! WHAT A GAME!!

The Buffaloes are now 3-0-1 and will be at home this week playing the Gorman Panthers. Gorman last week scored 46 points against Evant to win the game. This week again will test the Buffaloes to see if they can combine an offensive and defensive game and take the win from the Panthers.

Again I salute the fans for their attendance last week, but expect even a bigger crowd this week at Buffalo Stadium.

See You There!!!

Cross Plains	0	0	0	7-7
Rising Star	0	0	0	0-0

SCORING SUMMARY

CP - Richards 15 run (Switzer kick)	CP	RS
	9	8
First downs	42-143	30-127
Rushing yards	13	45
Passing yards	2-14-1	4-16-2
Comp-Att-Int	7-30	8-30
Punts	0-0	3-1
Fumbles lost	7-65	14-110
Penalties-yards		

INDIVIDUAL STATS

Rushing yards—Jody Fortune 24-81; Jarad Richards 7-34; Sean Jones 8-31; Justin Hopkins 2-8; Joseph Turner 1-5
Pass Receiving—Dusty Hargrove 2-13
Tackles - Assists—Porcius Potter 10-3; Hugo Mauricio 6-5; Kevin Nickerson 6-3; Justin Hopkins 3-5; Cory Switzer 3-1-1cf; Dusty Hargrove 3-2; Sean Jones 3-4-1cf; Joseph Turner 2-2-3bp-1int-1rf; Mike McClure 2-5; Carlton Thomas 2-2; Benji Blackstock 1-2-1bp; Jeremy Pancake 1-1; Jeremy Barnett 1-0-1int; Jody Fortune 1-0; Leif Hunter 1-0

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Thursday: Cross Plains Junior High vs Gorman at Gorman 6:00 p.m.

JV vs Gorman at Gorman following the junior high game.

Friday Morning: 7:00 a.m. Buffalo Breakfast at DQ.

Friday afternoon: 3:00 p.m. Pep Rally - High School Gym

Before game: KYXL Hamburger supper at football field. (Game will be broadcast on 104.1 FM)

Friday Night: Buffaloes vs Panthers 7:30 p.m. at Buffalo Stadium.

Saturday Morning: Cross Country at Cross Plains 8:30 a.m.

GTE EXPANDS LOCAL CALLING FOR CUSTOMERS

SAN ANGELO--September 23--GTE Telephone Operations will extend local calling for all customers in the Cross Plains telephone service area, beginning October 17. Under the plan, all calls to Baird, Brownwood, Coleman, Cisco, Clyde, Eastland and Putnam will be local calls. Calls from these communities to Cross Plains will also be local calls.

"Prior to the start of Extended Local Calling, each call between these areas was billed separately as a long-distance call, and customers would see a long-distance charge per call on their monthly bills," said Durwood Wilkinson, Area Manager - Customer Operations, West Central district.

"Now, these calls are equivalent to local calls, and all customers in the towns having the new Expanded Local Calling (ELC) must now dial all seven digits, both for local calls and ELC calls," explained Mr. Wilkinson.

The implementation of this seven-digit service may require modification to some telecommunications equipment such as fax machines, speed calling, PABXs, key system, automatic dialers and other equipment that may restrict or automatically dial long-distance numbers.

Customers are not required to take any action to take advantage of the new service offering. Once extended calling is operational, it will no longer be necessary for customers to dial "1+" before the number when placing calls between these communities, but you must dial all seven digits for local and ELC calls.

This is a result of balloting which took place in the Cross Plains telephone service area under the rules of Senate Bill 632 and the Public Utility Commission Rule 23.49 (c). Under these guidelines, certain communities were allowed to petition for extended toll-free local calling to nearby communities.

A per-line increase in the total monthly bill of \$3.50 for residential customers and \$7.00 for business customers will be assessed to customers in Cross Plains for the added service. The charges will be listed as "EXPANDED LOCAL CALLING" in the tax portion of the telephone bill. More information will be provided to affected customers in their monthly telephone bill as the service becomes operational.

Residential customers with questions about the ELC service should call toll-free 1-800-483-4400, and business customers should call 1-800-483-5400.

With revenues of \$20 billion in 1995, GTE is one of the largest publicly held telecommunications companies in the world. GTE is also the largest U.S.-based local telephone company and a leading cellular-service provider -- with wireline and wireless operations that form a market area covering about one-third of the country's population. Outside the United States, where GTE has operated for more than forty years, the company serves over six million customers. GTE also is a worldwide leader in government and defense communications systems and equipment, aircraft-passenger telecommunications, directories and telecommunications-based information services and systems.

On Your Mark, Get Set, GO!!!!

Volunteers will be GO-ing throughout the community Friday morning collecting your contribution to the United Fund of Cross Plains. There will be a Campaign Kick-Off at Collum's Restaurant at 8:30 a.m. Coffee and cinnamon rolls will be served.

The United Fund uses this one-day campaign as the major means of obtaining their goal of \$4,550.00. If you will be away from your home on

Friday morning, you may bring your donation to Citizens State Bank.

The United Fund Board would like to express their appreciation to the volunteers who are taking time out of their busy schedules for service to the community. Volunteers are still needed. If you are able to give approximately 1 1/2 hours for community service, please call Dannes Turner or Terry Wyatt at 725-6141.



CONGRATULATIONS -- Maxine Dimitri is pictured at a reception celebrating her recent retirement.

Maxine Dimitri Honored With Reception

By VANDA KING
Editor

Maxine Dimitri, who retired as Central Texas Opportunities Center Director at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center, was honored with a surprise reception Thursday, September 26. Ms. Dimitri retired August 14, 1996, after serving 7 1/2 years. She was employed for 3 years earlier plus the past 4 1/2 years.

Sharelynn Bell, the current Center Director, along with co-workers and friends, served delicious desserts and punch to a host of well-wishers. Present were Margaret Burkheart Coleman Center Director, C.T.O. Volunteers Sue Hawkins and Odessa Little of Baird and Shirley Ivy of Clyde; Esther Kerr and Phyllis Taylor, Board of Directors for Callahan C.T.O., both of Cross Plains; Ron Bell Director of Commodities, Dessa Higgins and Sandra Ingram (local C.T.O. employees) all of Cross Plains, family and friends. Maxine was presented a beautiful cake in honor of her dedication to assisting others.

Cross Plains has been fortunate to have a compassionate person overseeing the Meals on Wheels program as it continues to be successful. Assistance is readily available for families and individuals in need through Central Texas Opportunities and local support. The pantry which provides grocery items to families and individuals during a crisis has been a great asset. Maxine remarked, "The food donated by local businesses, churches, organizations, and residents made the programs work and I appreciated everyone's generosity and cooperation throughout the years."

Maxine accomplished many good deeds during her service with C.T.O. and she will be long remembered for going that extra mile for each client.

She remains active as a Board of Director for Central Texas Opportunities which meets once a month in Coleman. Dimitri is a member of the Triad S.A.L.T. Council for Callahan County, and plays piano at her church. "I miss seeing people on a daily basis, but I am enjoying my retirement," she remarked.

Cross Plains Students Score Higher Than National Average

By DR. SCOTT CHILDRRESS

During the 1995-96 school year, Cross Plains High School graduating seniors who were enrolled in the college preparatory program scored higher on the ACT than the state and national average. The ACT (American College Test) is designed for students who plan to attend college. College preparatory courses are 4 years of English, 4 or 5 years of Math (to include Trigonometry and Calculus), 3 years of Social Studies, and 4 years of Science (to include Chemistry and Physics).

The Cross Plains graduating seniors average score was 22.3, compared to 21.2 for the state and 22.0 for the national average. This comparative data has been compiled by ACT since 1986. This is the first time since 1986 that the graduating

students from Cross Plains High School scored higher than the national average.

Parents and community members should be very proud of the teachers and students whose hard work obtained these results. It is quite an honor for and attribute of a school to predict that those students who are enrolled in their college preparatory program will have a higher average score than all other students in the nation who take the same program at their respective schools.

It is also encouraging to see how well our students compare on a national basis. The only other test which students take is the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS), and this test is only normed on a state level.

PUBLIC RECEPTION SUNDAY HONORING NEW FACULTY

Because the schools are an important part of the heritage of Cross Plains, members of Project Pride want to welcome new faculty members and their families to the community. For that purpose, they are hosting a public reception in their honor on Sunday, October 6, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the Howard House on West Highway 36.

Everyone is encouraged to come get acquainted and extend a hearty welcome to each one.

Turn \$5
Into \$500

FUMC Lord's
Acre Set For
Nov. 9

Turn \$5.00 into \$500.00 by playing "Cow Patty" Bingo sponsored by the Cross Plains Athletic Boosters.

Tickets are available at all home Varsity, Junior Varsity, and Junior High football games or from booster club members.

The drawing will be held on November 9 and the winner does not have to be present.

First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains has scheduled their Lord's Acre Dinner and Auction for Saturday, November 9.

Tickets for the turkey dinner and all the trimmings will be \$5.00 each. You may call the following for tickets: Jimmielee Payne 725-7377, Tim's Floral and Gifts 725-6220, Karen Pena 643-6118, or Terry Jane Wyatt 725-6141.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT
Bill Johnson presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

James Dwayne Thompson, DWI. Charged with TPC (theft of property by check): David A. Goff, Rick A. Elliott, Pamela J. Cooper, Nancy J. Chapman, Mary E. Baker.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Lesia Caraway, TPC, \$50 fine \$157 court costs, \$393.57 restitution, 30 days in jail probated for

6 months.

Dawanna Kay Jordan, theft of service dismissed due to restitution having been made.

Velma Gilbreath, TPC dismissed due to restitution having been made.

In the matter of Timothy O'Brien Lewis, American Ball Bond allowed to withdraw as surety.

Delwin Ray Higgs, motion filed to revoke probation.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Janice Marie Perl & Delton C. Drum of Clyde.
Melba Salazar Valdez & Cody Alan Roberts of Clyde.

42nd DISTRICT COURT

John Weeks presiding

Civil Filings

Bank One Texas vs. Winfield H. White, breach of note.

First National Bank, Baird, vs. Mack Anthony Henson, unpaid account.

Divorces filed:
Honea, Angela Marie & Stanley, and in the interest of minor child.
Harris, Dawn Lee and Richard Earl, and in the interest of minor children.

Civil Minutes

Gary W. Slayter, found to be \$4,000 in arrears on child support; new schedule of payments began 10-1-96.

Jerry Wayne Butler, found to be \$5,134 in arrears on child support; new schedule of payments began 10-1-96.

Divorce granted:
Sasin, Frank, Jr. & Shirley Ann.

Felony Minutes

Ronald Huddleston, found to be competent for trial.

OBITUARIES

Treasy Jane Purvis

Treasy Purvis, age 87, passed away in an Abilene Hospital, Thursday, September 26, 1996. Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Jim O'Dell officiating with burial at Atwell Cemetery. Treasy was born in Atwell on November 6, 1908 to Clyde and Harriet Rouse. She was a resident of the Atwell Community until 1943 at which time her family moved to Cross Plains. She married Willis Otis Purvis on December 29, 1926. She was a homemaker and member of the First Baptist Church where she taught Sunday school for more than 20 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband Otis Purvis and one son Billy Gene Purvis.

She blessed the lives of all those who knew and loved her.

Surviving family members are one daughter and son-in-law, Nelda and Bob Dean of Clyde; two sons and daughters-in-law, Audrey and Jewel Purvis and Ray and Kathy Purvis of Cross Plains; one sister Faye Purvis of Strawn; 7 grandchildren, Janie Cole, Ricky Purvis, Cindy Payne, Ronnie Purvis, Amy Hart, Kevin and Angie Purvis; 11 great-grandchildren, Dana, Daniel, Dustin, Jodi, Ryan, Judson, Landon, Kailey, Andrea, Josh and Kera.

Pallbearers were Ricky Purvis, Ronnie Purvis, Bobby Payne, Kevin Purvis, Coy Cole, Eddie Hart and Johnny Lee Rouse.

Richard Allen Kerns Jr.

Richard Allen Kerns Jr., 27, died Saturday, September 28, 1996, in Dallas.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at First Baptist Church with Dr. Jim O'Dell officiating. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mr. Kerns was born in San Angelo and was a warehouseman. He married Lisa McCollum.

Survivors include his wife, of Mesquite; his mother, Norma Jean Nelson of Mabank; his father, Richard Allen Kerns Sr. of Balch Springs; one brother, Wayne Kerns of Mabank; grandparents Merlin and Betty Franke of Cross Plains and Vera and Lyle Kerns of Oregon; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Pallbearers were Dennis Franke of Santa Anna; Aubrey Stout of Cross Plains; Luke Baker of Dallas; Mike McCollum of Arlington; Vince Tucker and Trent Tucker both of Fort Worth.

Robert A. Rutledge

Robert A. Rutledge, 77, crude oil purchaser for Permian Petroleum Company for 50 years, died Thursday, September 26, 1996, at a local hospital.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday at the Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home Chapel of Memories, 542 Hickory, with Dr. George Gaston officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park.

Mr. Rutledge was born on July 17, 1919 in Brownwood and graduated from high school in Cross Plains. In 1939, he moved from Cross Plains to Abilene. He worked as a crude oil purchaser for 50 years for Permian Petroleum Company.

He married Ione Stewart in Cross Plains on October 29, 1939. He was a member of Pioneer Drive Baptist Church where he was a member of the Intergenerational Sunday School Class. He was a U.S. Army Air Corps veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Ione Stewart Rutledge of Abilene; a son, Gary W. Rutledge of Tulsa, Oklahoma; three daughters, Virginia McGuire of Coleman, Pattie Lane of Katy, and Tommi Kay Gray of Mesquite; seven grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be sent to West Texas Rehabilitation Center, 4601 Hartford, Abilene, Texas 79605 and Pioneer Drive Baptist Church, 701 South Pioneer Drive, Abilene, Texas 79605.

Robert Glen Curtis

Robert Glen Curtis, age 75, of Baird, passed away in an Abilene hospital Thursday, September 26, 1996, after a short illness. Funeral services were held at 3:00 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church in Baird. Rev. Riley Fugitt officiated. Burial was in the Ross Cemetery Annex, directed by Parker Funeral Home.

He was born August 30, 1921 in Clyde, to Albert Vernon and Nell Curtis. He was a lifelong resident of Baird. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was a Baptist. He married Juanita Swafford on February 21, 1947, and they had one son, Eddie Glen Curtis.

He served as constable for 24 years. He retired from being constable and became a self-employed rancher and oilfield worker for many years. He married Ray Nell Brooks in 1977, and she preceded him in death in 1983. He also was preceded in death by one sister, Mildred Guffey.

Survivors include one son and daughter-in-law, Eddie Glen and Cindy Curtis of Baird; one stepdaughter, Margie Palmer of California; a brother and sister-in-law, A.V. and Helen Curtis of Baird; a brother, Cliff Curtis of Baird; one grandson, Josh, 13; one granddaughter, Meredith, 11; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Lloyd Ray Hughes, Russell Robbins, Elmore Kendrick, Zeke Rodriguez, Roger Freeland and Phillip Dean.

Honorary pallbearers were Hatton Moore, Woody Gordon, Elmer Crossland, K.D. Griffin, Richie Crow and Tommy Stevenson.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or Baird Cemetery Association.

Bonnie Gilliam

Bonnie Gilliam, 86, died Wednesday, September 25, 1996, in a local hospital.

Graveside services were held at 2:00 p.m. Friday in Stagg Creek Cemetery in Comanche County with the Rev. Knox Waggoner officiating, directed by Parker Funeral Home of Baird.

Mrs. Gilliam was born in Comanche County, where she married Curtis Gilliam in 1926. She was a homemaker and moved to Abilene in 1993 from Baird. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include one son, Don Gilliam of Cross Plains; one daughter, Gemetha Tatom of Abilene; three sisters, Neta Reese of Abilene, Hazel Moore of Sidney and Laverne Hornesby of Lubbock; 10 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

CPS To Have Booth At Pecan Festival In Clyde Saturday

There will be lots and lots of winners at the Callahan County Child Protective Services Board booth at the Pecan Festival in Clyde Saturday, October 5.

Tickets for prizes to be raffled are \$1.00 per ticket are six tickets for \$5.00

Your donation helps Callahan County children.

Drawings will be held throughout the day and there is no need to be present to win. All tickets sold are eligible for the bicycle.

Other prizes to be given away during the Pecan Festival include: Christmas Wreath donated by Callahan County Appraisal District; Angel Pin donated personally; Pizza House in Clyde, five points of peanut brittle donated by anonymous in Cross Plains; Matrix hair product donated by Wave Lengths in Clyde; one dog grooming donated by T.L.'s Critters in Clyde; Zucchini bread donated by Joe Bentley of Eula; one ham or one turkey donated by Lawrence Brothers IGA in Clyde; Hummingbird feeder donated by Boydston Hardware in Baird; Headliner for one car donated by Sessions Automotive & Upholstery in Clyde; footlong sandwich donated by Subway in Cross Plains; gift certificates donated by Richardson Dairy Queens in Baird or Cross Plains; and one bicycle donated by Western Auto in Clyde and the Child Protective Services Board.

First Monday Seminar Oct. 7

Eunice Tseng Moon, therapist at Pastoral Care and Counseling Center, will lead this FREE seminar focusing on eating disorders on Monday, October 7, at 7:00 p.m. The seminar will be held at 1317 North 8th Street, third floor.

Several types of eating disorders will be presented by Tseng. This presentation will be followed by a look at the psychological, social, and family factors which play crucial roles in those disorders.

Practical insights will be furnished to help individuals gain self-confidence, an important step when going through the process of recovery to defeat eating disorders.

For more information on this FREE seminar, call (915) 672-2573.

Selected Scriptures

For the creation was subjected to frustration, not by its own choice, but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be liberated from its bondage to decay and brought into the glorious freedom of the children of God. Romans 8:20, 21
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I am not there, I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow;
I am the diamond glints on the snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain;
I am the gentle autumn's rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft star that shines at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry.
I am not there; I did not die."
We Love You Granny

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Thursday Night Service 7:00 p.m.
Ruby McCowen, Pastor
Phone (817) 725-7265

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
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NEWS

By
LINDA EDINGTON
Activity Director

Bobby Jack McCowen donated a cute little Coca-Cola truck that contained Hershey's Kisses. Each resident's name was put in a box and Bobby Jack chose our lucky winner, Sylvia Smith. Congratulations Sylvia.

Julia Ferbrache was proud to have her daughter Andee here visiting. Andee Ferbrache just graduated from the Medical School at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio. She is awaiting her orders for jump school in Georgia. Andee is in the Army and training to be an airborne medic.

Congratulations to Verna Mathews in passing her EMT class. We're proud of you Verna.

Phyllis Pancake reports that she has a new car. Congratulations.

Falba Shofner is our winner for a free meal at Jack's Place. Thanks Wanda and Jack.

Doris Jones from Henderson visited Hub Freeman.

Kathryn Tomlinson visited Troy Tomlinson.

Robert and Mildred Avery from Lubbock, Vida and John Howard Balkum and Bobbie Johnson visited with Lorena Knight.

Ken and Nancy Felton from

Weatherford, Rick Mixon from Dallas, Gary Resa, Eileen and Buster, Clarissa Gardner from New Castle visited Juanita Thornton, Myrtle Wilson and Jo Boatright.

Dorothy Welch from Fort Worth, Kathy and Payton Graves from Arlington visited Leila Montgomery.

Marbra Thompson from Azle visited Callie Meador and Inez Ingram. Thelma Long visited Jake Green.

Activities during the week were:

Monday: Bingo winners were Ruby Harrell, Midge McCall (4), Falba Shofner, Vera Belyeu and Minnie Swann (2). Exercise class.

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

Wednesday: Sing-a-long with Bobby Jack McCowen, Irma and John Miller, Frankie and Oliver Smith. Exercise class.

Thursday: Bingo winners were Midge McCall, Falba Shofner (3), Allie Dickson, Minnie Swann (2), Ruby Harrell and Dorothy Thomas.

Friday: Singing with Bob Wallace and Sit-down-basketball.

Sunday: Cottonwood Baptist. No Jesus, No Peace Know Jesus, Know Peace.

Colonial Oaks Services

Cottonwood Baptist will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, October 6, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

Deadlines For The Cross Plains Review Articles Must be Turned In Mondays By Noon (No Exceptions) **Advertisements** Must Be In Tuesdays By 5:00 p.m. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

AARP Meeting To Be Held Mon., Oct. 7

The regular monthly meeting for AARP Chapter 3092 will be held on Monday, October 7, at 10:00 a.m. in the Multi-Purpose Center.

Plans will be made for a reception on Saturday, October 26 at 10 a.m. to celebrate "AARP Day in Texas."

Also arrangements will be made to have a "Bingo Nite" sometime in November. Details later.

Make plans to attend this special AARP meeting. Refreshment will be served to members and guests.

Quips, Clips & Comments

By KAY DENNIS MOSLEY

"SEASONS"

The end of September is near, the fall or autumn season is swiftly approaching. You can feel it in the air. That sharp, brisk, cooling "snap" to the morning breezes which convey to you that summer is just about gone.

Soon it will be October and time to change the clocks back. Remember spring forward and fall back. Before you know it, Halloween will be upon us! Not too long past there's Thanksgiving and fast upon its heels will be Christmas!

I love the holidays, however, I must confess that I do like warm weather much better than cold. So, really I prefer summer over winter. I never

did like to be cold.

We had our first Garden Club meeting of the season this month. It was great to be back with former members and to greet some new members and prospects also.

We were very glad to see Julene Franke back as she had recently been very ill. We are looking forward to a great new season with the Cross Plains Garden Club.

Come on out if you're a prospective member and join us. Perhaps we'll see you there!

It's 2:30 a.m. so I'd better sign off and get some sleep before it's time to get up. "C" "U".

Remember it's football season, SUPPORT THOSE BUFFALOES!!

BURKETT NEWS

By
LOVERA STRICKLAND

Congratulations to two newly wed couples of the Burkett Community. Steve and Amber Kleiber were married Friday afternoon, September 20 and Clint and Dustin Connelly were married Saturday afternoon, September 21. We wish the best for both couples.

Darryl Tinney of Kingfisher, Oklahoma spent several days with Jack and Lovera Strickland last week. Sunday evening they visited Mark and Marsha Turney, Jon and Matt of the Whon Community.

D.J. and Lois Turner were in Meridian for a fun weekend visiting kin folks and friends. Sidney and Troy of New York visited their parents, Ed and Ann Rasbury, last week. They did a lot of visiting while they were here.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Tim Podlevski. Tim passed away Friday, September 20.

His funeral was Sunday afternoon.

Steven Kleiber and Amber Williams Kleiber were honored with a "Welcome Amber to the Family" dinner party at Low and Liz Golson's home Saturday night. Members of the family present were the honorees, his mother and father Beth and Bob Kleiber, Matt and Emma McKinney, Alice and Kevin of Goldsboro, Roy Golson of San Antonio, Joe Golson, Tim and Suzanne Golson, Tyler and Lauren, Michelle Wilkovich and Logan all of Coleman, Pete Golson of Rankin, Grace Green, Low and Liz Golson of Burkett. WELCOME AMBER.

There was a reception honoring Steven and Amber on Sunday, September 29, at 4:00 in the Cross Plains Community Center.

The Burkett Baptist Church had their 5th Sunday Dinner, September 29.

County Commissioners Met September 23

Callahan County Extension Agent Greg Gemgross met with Callahan County Commissioners Monday, September 23 to discuss the possibility of employing a Family & Consumer Sciences Agent (formerly called a Home Demonstration Agent) in Callahan County.

Gemgross said the Family & Consumer Sciences Agent could be employed locally in conjunction with Shackelford County. He said the FCS agent would work part-time for Callahan County and part-time for Shackelford County. Gemgross told commissioners the cost to Callahan County for the FCS Agent is \$6,500 per year.

County Judge Bill Johnson said commissioners took no action on the item, but instead wanted to wait and see what Shackelford County would do. Johnson said if Shackelford County officials vote to hire the FCS agent, then Callahan County Commissioners would look again at the possibility of hiring the part-time agent.

Gemgross presented commissioners with information about what a Family & Consumer Sciences Agent does in some counties in District 7.

Some of the current issues/programs of a FCS Agent include: Health & Nutrition, Food Protection Management, Parenting, Financial management, Community Development/Enhancement, and 4-H Family Community Education Clubs (formerly Extension Home-maker Clubs).

FCS Agents perform education programs on nutrition-related health issues, health screenings through fairs and local events and diabetes workshops. Agents training in food handling and safety to food handlers (restaurants, schools, all food services) and food safety through 4-H and all age groups.

Parenting programs include training for home day care providers, workshops and educational programs for parents, court mandated programs for parents as part of sentencing (in some counties, agents cooperate with Juvenile Justice, Adult Probation, Justice of the Peace, etc. in providing this service) and caregiver training for children/dependent elderly.

Financial management programs include: programs through the school such as high school financial management series, court mandated programs for "insufficient funds" check writers in

cooperation with Adult Probation and Justice of the Peace, consumer programs/clothing and scholarship preparation.

Community development/enhancement programs include: community restoration/clean-up drives, leadership programs and grant writing/resource development/home-based business.

Gemgross said priorities for these programs could be determined by clientele groups of Callahan County based on interest and county needs.

Other agenda items brought before commissioners' court included:

—Commissioners voted to table opening bids for the purchase of a mower for Tommy Holland's Precinct #3. The item is being tabled because only one bid was received. Commissioners will open all bids at the next commissioners' meeting Monday, October 14.

—Commissioners voted to approve the election judges and alternate judges and locations of polling places for the Tuesday, November 5 General Election.

Judges and alternate judges include: Precinct #1 (Clyde) Silas Tucker, alt. Priscilla Acklin; Precinct #2 (Eula) R.C. Logan, alt. Frances Massengale; Precinct #3 (Baird) Ladean Brewer, alt. Harold Hass; Precinct #4 (Cross Plains) Sarah Brashear, alt. Paunice Oglesby; Precinct #5 (Putnam) Meta Isenhower, alt. Helen McCollum; Precinct #6 (Clyde), Patsy Hogan, alt. Fannie Froman; and Precinct #7 (Oplin) Shirley Landers, alt. Sybil Johnson.

Locations of the polling places include: Precinct #1, Clyde Lions Club building; Precinct #2, Eula Community Center; Precinct #3, Baird Community Center; Precinct #4, Cross Plains Community Center; Precinct #5, Putnam Community Center; Precinct #6, Clyde Southside Baptist Church; and Precinct #7, Oplin Community Center.

—Commissioners voted to approve a surety bond for Precinct #3 Constable Howard Bredehoff.

—Commissioners voted to reappoint Garlon Sampson to the Callahan County Child Protective Board.

—Commissioners voted to sign the court minutes of the previous meeting and voted to pay all approved bills.

PIONEER NEWS

By PIONEER QUILTING CLUB

We're all enjoying the beautiful weather. It's unusual to have our heaters on this early in the season. Look's like it will be an early winter.

The quilting ladies are working on a "Dresden Plate," and Lottie Sooter's, "Lone Star," they're both pretty and colorful quilts.

We enjoyed having Juanita Harlow visit with us and help quilt last week.

Game night was a big success last week and everyone had a good time.

Mrs. Bernice Pyeatt of Clyde and Bob Pyeatt of Aztec, New Mexico spent the day with James and Jean Alexander. Jim Alexander and family of Richardson spent the weekend with James and Jean. Doss, a Freshman at ACU, came down to visit too.

Oliver, Frankie and Jean Fore went to the Cottonwood Musical Friday night. Then they went to Ranger to see Frankie's Aunt Ruby Ainsworth. She treated us to a fresh made sweet potato pie and coffee. Then we went to the Brownwood Musical Saturday night.

Patty Heffley from Fort Worth came Saturday to spend the day with her mother, Lou Grider. She brought Lou a beautiful decorated birthday cake and they had a lovely visit.

Cecil and Mary Barton visited their mother Novella Barton three days last week.

Weekend visitors with Lottie Sooter were Bill and Lo Burgett and O.A. Dun from Lubbock, Carmatta and Jerry Conner from Dallas and Jane Dixon of Monroe, Louisiana. Lottie also attended the wedding of Deborah Sooter and Sean Robinson in Abilene.

Paul, Juanita and Vi Harlow are visiting Jean Fore this week. Saturday, Paul and Juanita will attend their class reunion at Brownwood.

Earlene has enjoyed her daughter, Jessica Stultz, being with her the past year and will miss her as she is attending a driving school in Fort Worth for three weeks, then she will drive with her husband as a team, for CFI of Joplin, Missouri.

Project Pride To Hold Meeting Oct. 8

Project Pride will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, October 8, at 6:00 p.m. at the Library. The public is invited to attend.

Plans for Christmas Village are looking great. If you would like to help and have not been contacted, please call Margaret McNeel at (817) 725-6100 or 725-6498.

Garden Club To Meet October 10

The October meeting of the Cross Plains Garden Club will be held on Thursday, the 10th at 2:00 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Center.

The program will be "Growing Iris" presented by Lucille Payne, and a plant exchange by all members.

Hostesses for the meeting will be Lois Garrett and Maurine McCuin.

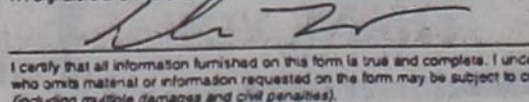
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Grand Ole Opry Star...

(Watch this paper for details)

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Limits On Breast Cancer Drug Recommended

The National Cancer Institute recommends that doctors limit use of the drug tamoxifen in the treatment of breast cancer to five years. New studies have found there is no benefit for longer use. Tamoxifen, sold under the name Nolvadex, is prescribed for women who have had surgery for breast cancer that had not spread to the lymph nodes and who had a type of cancer fueled by estrogen. Tamoxifen remains one of the most potent weapons against breast cancer and the limit to five years should in no way diminish its use.

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BREAKTHRU

By Bob Pipes, preacher
Cross Plains Church of Christ
433 N. Main At 12th
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What would you think of a doctor who treated only the symptom and not the cause of an illness or pain? Pain, fever, and most headaches are really symptoms -- warnings -- of a more serious problem. We may want all three to cease when prevalent but especially if they persist I want to know what's causing them so something can be done about it.

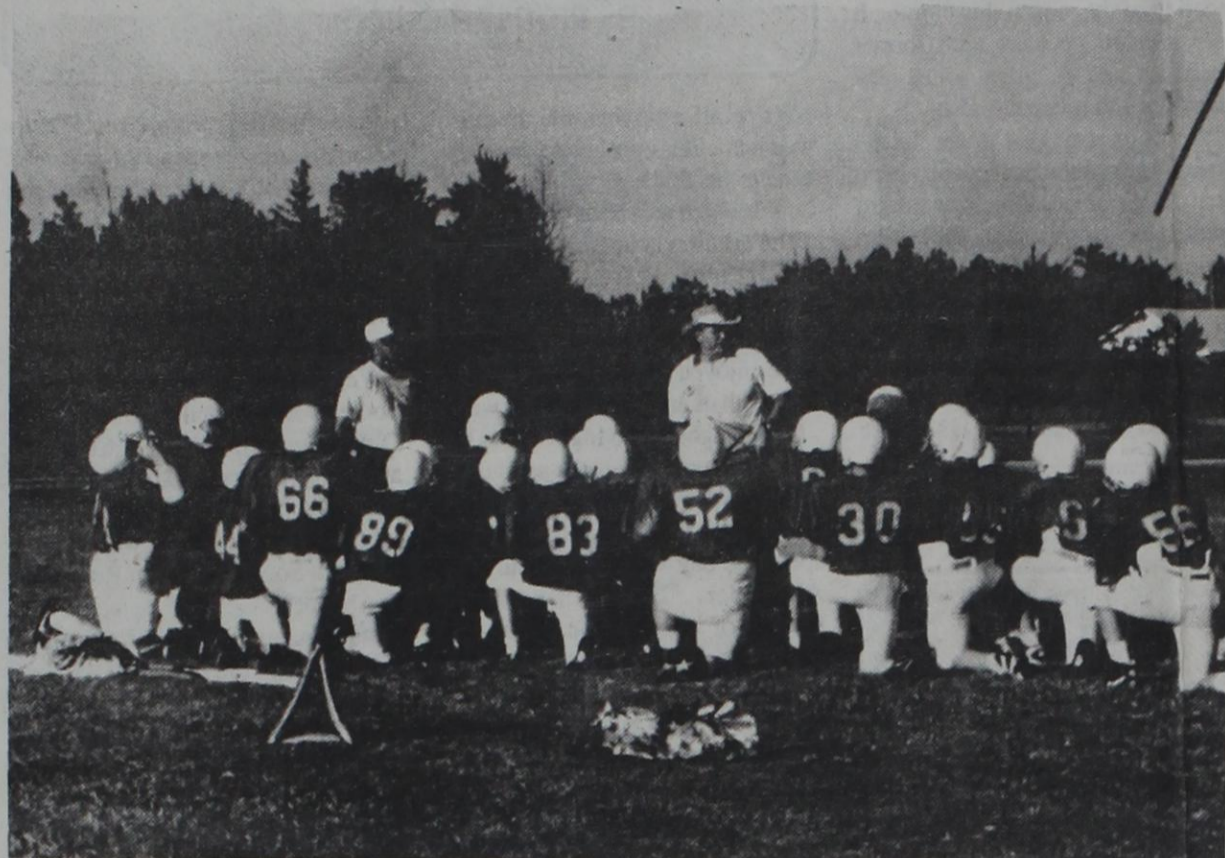
Yet when it comes to such things as promiscuousness (that's just a "nice" word for indiscriminate sexual intercourse), instead of denouncing the sin and trying to help the persons therein to stop the wrong acts, many times the parties involved are merely encouraged to use some form of "protection." So, it's "two aspirins for the pain" while the "tumor" continues to grow!

Even if the "protection" worked to prevent out-of-wedlock pregnancies, aids, and venereal diseases, the sin of fornication, adultery, prostitution -- illicit sexual intercourse -- may persist and needs to be addressed. Abstinence may be as difficult as surgery but if something needs to be "cut out," then it must be "cut out." Jesus even explained: "But don't think you've preserved your virtue simply by staying out of bed. Your heart can be corrupted by lust even quicker than your body. Those leering looks you think nobody notices -- they also corrupt." (THE MESSAGE, MATTHEW 5:28)

Ask again -- what would you think of a doctor who treated only the symptom and not the disease? Then regarding this sin and all sin, let us get to the "heart of the matter." Let us demand purity in our lives and the lives of others -- purity of heart and purity of actions. And let us not be afraid of the word "abstinence."

Sunday Morning Bible Class ... 9:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Morning Worship ... 10:45 a.m. Wed. Evening Bible Study ... 7:00 p.m.

Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus



CROSS PLAINS JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL TEAM AND COACHES

CROSS PLAINS JUNIOR HIGH BLAST RISING STAR 44-6

By LARRY WHITEHEAD

Cross Plains Junior High dominated Rising Star Thursday night at Buffalo Stadium. Cross Plains Junior High offense looked very sharp scoring 22 points in the first quarter of play and scoring on every possession.

Our first score came from a 50 yard punt return by Scott Mackey. The extra points came by a pitchout by L.D. Whitehead to Scott Mackey to make the score 8-0.

Our defense was really tough, stopping Rising Star all night with good defensive plays by Cory Phillips, Kyle McClure, Roger Carey, Seth Potter, Cody Reed, Joseph Dillard, T.J. Harris and Nathan Hawkins.

Our next score came with 5:09 left in the first quarter with Whitehead

handing off to Mackey for a 19 yard run and another touchdown to make the score 14-0.

Our next score came on good runs by Tony Beggs with 4 and 25 yards capped off by a reverse to Ryan Aitchison for 15 yards and a touchdown to make the score 22-0 at the half.

The next score was in the third quarter with good runs by Whitehead, Beggs and Mackey, with Mackey scoring from 10 yards out. The extra points were good with a pass by Whitehead to Nicholas Dimitri for 2 points to make the score 30-0.

Our second team came in and did a fine job. Their first score came with good runs by Kitchens, Hawkins, Beggs and a reverse handoff by Josh Hopkins to Joseph Dillard who ran for 10 yards and the touchdown. The

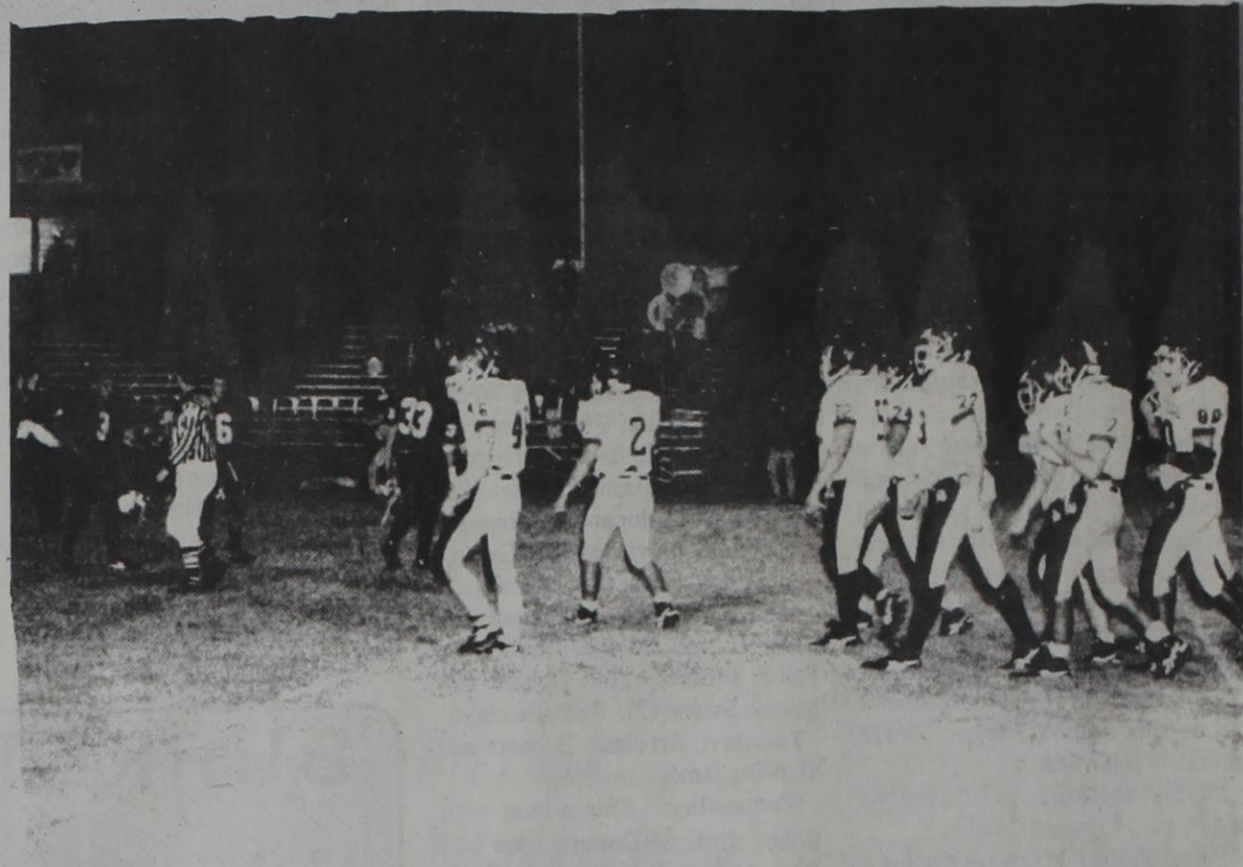
extra points were good with Hopkins handing off to Kitchens for 2 points to make the score 38-0.

The next score came on a hand off by Hopkins to Chris Kitchens who ran for 30 yards and a touchdown to make the final score 44-6.

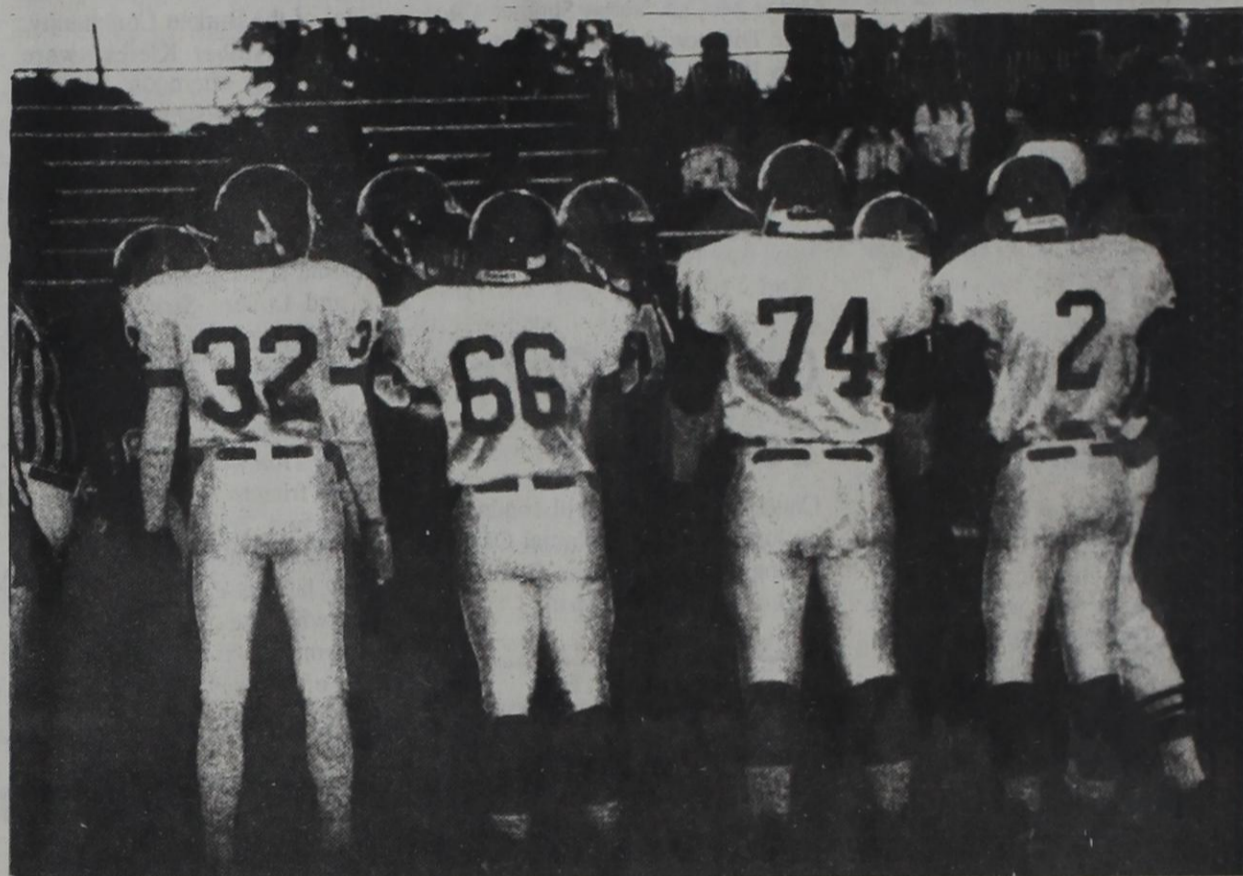
Our boys were led by Brandon Gilliam, Rick Branham, Aaron Norris, Bo James, James Ross, Jason James, Landon Hill, Kevin Wilson, Jason Beauchamp, George Mathews, Citanya Scott, Mike Bennett, and Josh Hopkins who completed a pass to himself.

Cross Plains Junior High will play their next game Thursday, October 3, in Gorman at 6:00 p.m.

The boys are now 3-0 and are working very hard and would like to see all of us in the stands Thursday night. Let's support all of our teams. See you at the games.



BUFFS READY TO SET UP FOR NEXT PLAY AGAINST RISING STAR



CAPTAINS FOR FRIDAY NIGHT — Jeremy Box (from left), Jeremy Pancake, Michael McClure, and Joseph Turner.

Attention Buffalo Fans

Come show your Buffalo Spirit by having your face painted by the Cross Plains High School Spanish Club every Thursday and Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. and from 12:30 p.m. to 12:55 p.m. Cost will be 75 cents to \$1.00.

Come join in on the fun!

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

OCTOBER 7 - OCTOBER 11
(Subject to Change)

BREAKFAST

MONDAY — French toast w/ syrup, orange juice and milk.

TUESDAY — Cream of wheat, toast, grape juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Sausage, biscuit, apple juice and milk.

THURSDAY — Cereal, banana, orange juice and milk.

FRIDAY — Egg, bacon, toast, grape juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY — Vegetable beef soup, grilled cheese sandwich, crackers, fresh fruit and milk.

TUESDAY — Chicken strips, creamed potatoes, gravy, broccoli, rolls, honey and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Beef nachos, salad, corn, spice cake and milk.

THURSDAY — Ham slices, scalloped potatoes, green beans, slice bread, peach halves and milk.

FRIDAY — Hamburger, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, fries, peanut butter cup and milk.

Advancing Babies Chances

Advancing Babies Chances, an Early Childhood Intervention service of the Abilene MHMR Center, is moving. As of October 1, the program will be located at 2616 South Clack Street in Abilene, Suites 121 and 125. The new phone number is (915) 690-5230.

Advancing Babies Chances serves children, birth to 3, who have or are at risk to have developmental delay. The program is funded by the Texas Interagency Council on Early Childhood Intervention, and serves residents of Taylor, Jones, Callahan, Shackelford and Stephens Counties. For more information call Marie Farrell at 690-5230.

CP Athletic Booster Club sponsoring drawing for Deion Sanders autographed football

The Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club is sponsoring a drawing for a Deion Sanders autographed football. The football is an authentic autograph and was provided for the Booster Club by Richeson Dairy Queen Restaurants.

The drawing also includes a display case and an 8 x 10 photograph of Deion Sanders. The football will be on display and chances may be purchased at all home football games. Chances may also be purchased from Athletic Booster Club members. Cost of the chances are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.

The drawing will be held on November 8, at the Cross Plains vs Baird game. You need not be present to win.

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CROSS PLAINS JUNIOR VARSITY PLAYERS AND TRAINERS — The team won their game against the Wildcats 44-6 the exact score as the Junior High.

C.P. STUDENT REVIEW



JUNIOR HIGH CROSS COUNTRY WINNERS — Jennifer Turner (from left), Kayden McNeil, and Lacy O'Dell were some of the team members who won individual medals.

Cross Plains Elementary School "A" Honor Roll

1ST GRADE
 TIFFANY AIKEN
 HAILEY BIGGS
 BRICE BOWDEN
 MACAYLA COOK
 MICHAEL CURRY
 JOSEPH DANIEL
 BRITTANY FRANKE
 RYAN JOHNSON
 JENNIE LEWIS
 JULIEANNE MACK
 MARKUS MAXWELL
 VIRGINIA NEWSOM
 DALTON O'DELL
 MICHAEL POWELL
 CANDANCE RISTER
 BRYANNA SANTOS
 STARLA SCHAEFER
 TIFFANY WALKER
 JOSEPH WESTERMAN
 BRETT WHEELER

2ND GRADE
 ZACHARY BENNETT
 RENEE BYARS
 BROCK COOPER
 JUSTIN DICKSON
 MYKEA DOUGLASS
 DANIELLE FELTY
 LARA JACQUES
 MELISSA LUTER
 JACOB MELTON
 JONATHAN NELSON
 PARKER O'DELL
 JOSHUA PURVIS
 JOSE REYES
 ASHLEY ROSE
 ELIZABETH SAVELL
 KAREN SCOTT
 KENDRA STRICKLAND
 RUSSELL THOMAS
 KRISTIN WELLS

Cross Plains Jr. High And High School "A" Honor Roll

7TH GRADE
 GREGORY BLACK
 MELANIE CHESSHIR
 APRIL HALL
 JOSHUA HOPKINS
 SARAH NIXON
 AARON NORRIS
 LACY O'DELL
 JAMES ROSS
 ERIN STEPHENS
 ANGELA SWIFT
 SHENA THOMAS

8TH GRADE
 RYAN AITCHISON
 WANDA BELL
 ROGER CAREY
 BRANDI DAVIS
 NICHOLAS DIMITRI
 ASHLEY HARRIS
 JENNIFER HARTMAN
 ROBERT HILL
 LINDSEY MEIRON
 JAKE MERRYMAN
 CODY REED
 JENNIFER TURNER
 LARRY WHITEHEAD

FRESHMAN
 RILEY ALLAN
 CHRISTINA BEATY
 BRITTANY BENNETT
 JENNIFER BRAME
 AARON (NIKKI) BUSHNELL
 KENNETH CALLAWAY
 CHRYSAL CANALES
 STEPHANIE CHILDRESS
 CANDICE FRANCY
 SCOTTY HUTTON
 MARY NICKERSON
 JODI PAYNE
 APRIL POTTER
 KENNETH RATLIFF
 COBY RICHARDS
 MELINDA RICHARDSON
 BRANDI RICHEY
 AMBER TAFF
 FERNANDO VALADEZ

3RD GRADE
 BRITTANY ADAMS
 FORREST CREAMER
 KIMBERLI GARRETT
 ASHLEY HALL
 SAMANTHA HUTTON
 JESSE NORRIS
 RYAN PAYNE
 REBA ROGERS
 CLAYTON THOMAS

4TH GRADE
 JIMMIE COOK
 MEGAN FELTY
 LORI HAIL
 DILLON HEATH
 KATIE MACK
 KAREN ROSS

5TH GRADE
 BRITTANY APPLE
 PHILLIP BENNETT
 LACY KOENIG
 RYAN MACK
 JENNIFER YOUNG

6TH GRADE
 BROOKE BOWDEN
 ANDREW CAROUTH
 KEALI EPPARD
 TIFFANY GOAINS
 JUDITH HARTMAN
 NATHANIEL JOY
 AMANDA KITCHENS
 AARON LEWIS
 MARIAN REED
 DANIELLE RIVARD
 BRITTANY ROGERS
 KEVIN SCOTT
 GEORGE TAFF
 EMILY WINFREY

MICHELLE WEAVER
 VANESSA WEBB
 JADEN WINFREY
 JACKSON WORSHAM

SOPHOMORES
 ASHLEY BEGGS
 AMANDA DILLARD
 JOLENA FLEMING
 WHITNEY GILES
 JOSEPH HOPKINS
 DAVID MCGOWEN
 MINDY MITCHELL
 VENTURA MONRREAL
 SAMUEL NIXON
 LAURA RICCI
 DANIELLE WEBSTER

JUNIORS
 DONNA BESSELAAR
 SCOTT BRAME
 CRYSTAL CAROUTH
 JODY FORTUNE
 NICHOLAS GRAVES
 DUSTY HARGROVE
 JUSTIN HOPKINS
 CLIFTON KIRKHAM
 KAMI LEWIS
 DAVID MCCLURE
 KIMBERLY RATLIFF
 SCOTT RICCI
 JARAD RICHARDS
 NATHANIEL SWIFT
 CARLTON THOMAS
 NATASHA WEBB
 JOHN WORSHAM

SENIORS
 ADAM ANDERSON
 JEREMY BARNETT
 JAMES BEGGS
 NIKKI BEGGS
 JASON CAREY
 JOHN CHESSHIR
 CRYSTAL DAVIS
 REBECCA FOSTER
 JAONNA HARRIS
 SHANNA HUTTON
 AMANDA MCGUIRE
 ROGER POPE
 JUSTIN RICHEY
 MALYSSA SOWELL
 BRANDON STOVER
 CORY SWITZER
 MICHAEL TATOM
 LEE WHEELER

Cross Plains Elementary School "AB" Honor Roll

1ST GRADE
 CODY BAKER
 DOUGLAS BOWDEN
 CHELSEA BRANHAM
 JOSEPH CALLAWAY
 RICKY DANIELS
 JUSTIN GARDNER
 AMBER JENNINGS
 BETTY MATHEWS
 BRITTANY MELTON
 THOMAS SAVELL
 BRENDA TORRES
 LOUIS WALKER
 HEATHER WARD

2ND GRADE
 LANCE ALLISON
 STEVEN HARGROVE
 NATOSHA HOGRELL
 TIANAY ISBELL
 AMANDA ISBELL
 CLAYTON JAMES
 CLAY KOENIG
 WILLIAM MEADOR
 KIMBERLY WILLIAMS

3RD GRADE
 WILLIAM BEAUCHAMP
 AMBER BULLOCK
 MORGAN FOREMAN
 JARRAH HUTCHINS
 ZACHARY MOBLEY
 AMANDA PURCELL
 GARRETT STEPHENS
 MEGAN THOMAS
 CHANCE WATKINS
 SARA WELLS
 LEVI WOOTEN

4TH GRADE
 DAYNA AUTRY
 TIFFANY BESSELAAR
 MISTY CALLAWAY
 DUSTY COOPER
 THOMAS DIMITRI
 STEPHANIE EDINGTON
 BRANDON HORTON
 BRANDON JAMES
 LAURA JOHNSON
 JUSTIN KELLY
 DUSTIN KITCHENS
 BRENTON MCNUTT
 KALI PHILLIPS
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 LIANA RICKENBACKER
 OTHA ROBERTSON
 EDDIE ROSE
 RAYMOND SIFUENTES
 ROSS SIFUENTES
 ELVA VALADEZ
 CORY WALKER
 NATASHIA WOLFORD

5TH GRADE
 DALEY ANDERSON
 ASHLEY BULLOCK
 CANDICE DAVIS
 DUSTY DICKSON
 HAYLI-JO FOSTER
 CASANDRA GALLAWAY
 TRAMMY GARDNER
 BRISTAN JONES
 JOSHILIN NELSON
 JORDAN PANCAKE
 BRANDON PHILLIPS
 ANDREA PURVIS
 JANIELLE RIVARD
 THOMAS STEPHENSON
 ANDREW TAFF
 MARCUS WILLIAMS

6TH GRADE
 JOSEPH ALBRECHT
 FALON BASS
 SHEILA BELL
 MARLEANA BRANHAM
 CHARLENE CANALES
 ASHLEY COOK
 JOSHUA ELY
 DANIELLE EPPARD
 LISA FORTUNE
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 ALLISHA BRANHAM
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 JOSEPH DILLARD
 TAMI HALL
 CHRISTY JONES
 STEPHANIE PARKER
 CITANYA SCOTT
 SHANE SHARPE
 REBECCA TENNISON
 VIOLETA VASQUEZ
 KEVIN WILSON

8TH GRADE
 LINDSEY BARNETT
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 AMANDA GOBLE
 ALISA HAIL
 TOMMY HARRIS
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 KRISTIN HUNTER
 ASHLEE HUTCHINS
 KANDACE KIMMEL
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 TYLER MACKAY
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 KYLE MCCLURE
 APRIL WEAVER
 TONI WYATT

FRESHMAN
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 JUSTIN BRIGHT
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 KYE KING
 KRIS KNOTT
 KEVIN NICKERSON
 JEREMY PANCAKE
 BILLIE REED
 DAVID REED
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SENIORS
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 SEAN JONES
 BRIAN KEATHLEY
 STEPHEN MACKAY
 HUGO MAURICIO
 PORCIOS POTTER
 ROY TURNER

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 Mary Jo Davis
 Sandra Sanders
 Ricky Kirkham
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 Tony Apple
 Lance Connelly
 Chance Connelly
 Jennifer Canales

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 Mrs. Ledford Joe Smith
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 Oran Bains
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 Wendall Johnson
 Allison Rhodes
 Lawrence Byrd
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 Mrs. Tommy Smith
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OCTOBER 8
 Dolores (Byrd) Magee
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 Garnette Bagley
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Cross Country Results From Hordes Creek Lake

By COACH MACK MCCONAL

The Cross Country runners were in races at Hordes Creek Lake Saturday, September 28. The weather was cool and dry, perfect conditions for running. Times were higher due to a longer course.

Junior High Girls - 1 mile - 4th as team

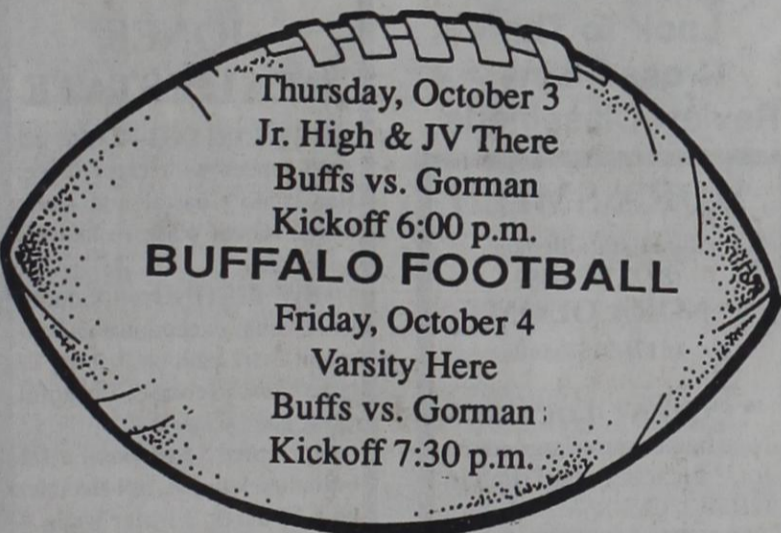
McNeil - 1st place - 6:52
 Turner - 3rd place - 7:01
 O'Dell - 7th place - 7:08
 Branham - 41st place - 8:43
 Swift - 43rd place - 8:40
 Chesshir - 49th place - 9:28
Junior High Boys - 1 mile
 Dimitri - 6th place - 6:05
 Hopkins - 20th place - 6:40
 Beggs - 23rd place - 7:02
 Dillard - 24th place - 7:03
High School Girls - JV - 1st as a team - 2.2 miles

Ricci - 2nd place - 15:23
 Richey - 3rd place - 15:36
 Bennett - 5th place - 15:54
 McGuire - 13th place - 16:28
 McCarty - 14th place - 16:30
 Harris - 15th place - 16:41
 Wyatt - 16th place - 16:45
 Besselaar - 18th place - 17:06
 Nickerson - 20th place - 17:10
High School Boys - 3rd as a team - 3.3 miles
 Chesshir - 11th place - 22:23
 Ricci - 15th place - 22:46
 Richey - 18th place - 23:03
 Pope - 19th place - 23:11
 Swift - 24th place - 23:46

Races will be in Cross Plains at Lakewood golf course Saturday, October 5. The first race will begin at 8:30 a.m. All of the workers need to be there by 8:00 a.m.

This will be the last race before district begins on October 14 at Lakewood.

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Card Of Thanks

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Thousands of quality antique and collectible items to be offered at public auction. With few exceptions, all will be offered at absolute auction with no minimums or reserves. The following is a partial list only.
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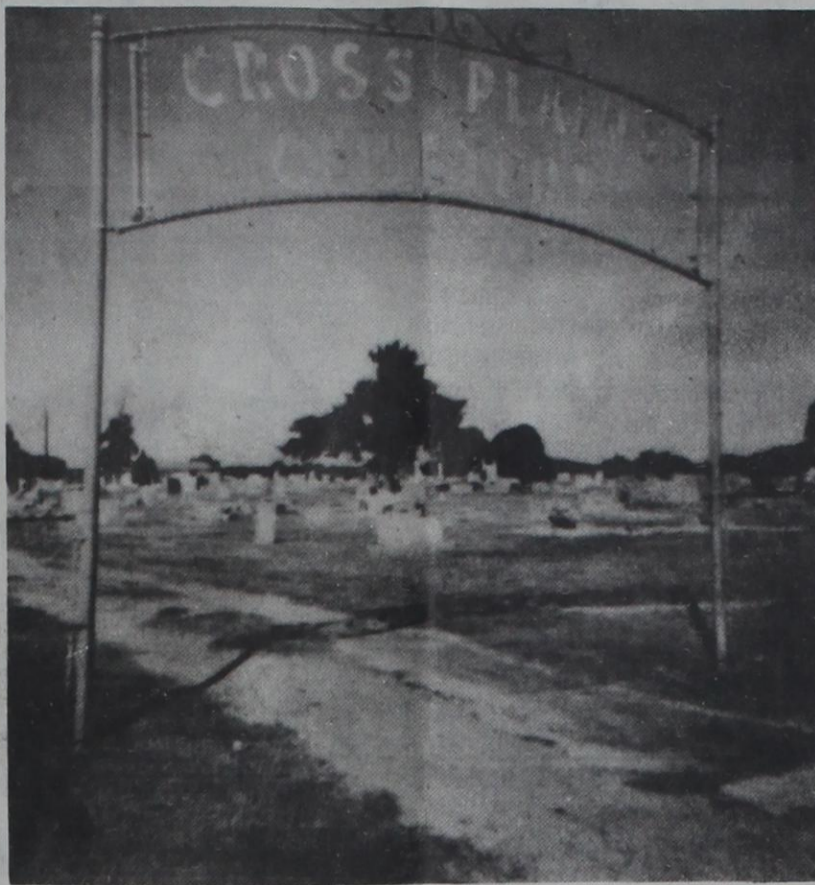
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LOCAL JUDGE ATTENDS SEMINAR

Judge Rolan Jones was certified at the recent 20 Hour Justice of the Peace Seminar held September 24-27, in Lubbock. The seminar was sponsored by the Texas Justice Court Training Center, headquarters at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. The seminar is one of five held for elected Justices of the Peace so they can fulfill their Continuing Judicial Education Requirements as set forth in Article 27.005 of the Texas Government Code.

The seminar addressed topics such as Judicial Ethics, Criminal and Civil Jurisdiction and Venue, Trial Procedure, Alternate Sentencing, Small Claims, Administrative Hearings, Civil Law, Criminal Law, Dealing with Anti-Government Groups, Traffic Laws, Juvenile Laws, Landlord and Tenant Law, Magistrate Duties, Search and Arrest Warrants, Commercial Driver's License Laws, Federal Motor Carrier Regulations, Emergency Protective Orders and Inquests.



LOCAL CEMETERY LOOKING GREAT! — The Cross Plains Cemetery is now being mowed by Good Will Industries. Jimmielee

Payne, president of the Cross Plains Cemetery Association, encourages everyone to drive by and see how well it is being maintained.



GUEST SPEAKER—Melissa Young, (right) Regional Clinic Coordinator for Hendrick Medical Hospital was guest speaker at the Cross Plains Kiwanis Club Tuesday. The clinic will open in October, 1996, with primary health care for the whole family. The clinic will be located in the old Lawrence Building

next door to Subway. Charles Stephenson will be the local Physician's Assistant. Yvonne Peevy, Kiwanis Program Chairman introduced Melissa. Visitors and prospective members are welcome to meet each Tuesday, 12 noon at the Dairy Queen.

Texas Midwest Day In Abilene Oct. 16

Texas Midwest Community Network holds its 3rd Annual Membership Meeting and Luncheon at the Abilene Civic Center October 16. Several events are scheduled throughout the day to provide information and networking opportunities for community leaders in the region.

An Information Expo opens to the public at 10 a.m. Featured speaker for the 12:30 luncheon is Howard Payne University President Don Newberry. Officers and Executive Committee for 1996-97 will be introduced at the luncheon reservation deadline is October 10.

A new feature at this year's event will be round table sessions beginning at 10 a.m. Local leaders in chamber of commerce and economic development will want to take advantage of the information provided in four categories:

- * the movie industry in rural Texas
- * developing nature tourism and

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- * anticipated economic development legislation and issues facing the 1997 Legislature

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Speakers for the Round Table Sessions include representatives from the Texas Film Commission, Texas Nature Tourism Association, Texas Economic Development Council and Abilene media. For anyone attending only round table sessions a \$5 cover charge will help defray expenses.

Sponsors for the annual affair include Abilene Regional Medical Center, Brownwood Regional Medical Center, GTE, Hendrick Medical Center, Lone Star Gas, Southwestern Bell, TU Electric and West Texas Utilities. For more information call (915) 893-2099.

Midwest Texas Leadership Program Begins

Community leaders enrolled in the Midwest Texas Leadership program completed their first training session, the C.O.P.E. Challenge Course, at Camp Tonkawa near Buffalo Gap. Participants were guided through the obstacle course elements by trained instructors with the Chisholm Trail Boy Scout Council.

"The Challenge Course was a lot of fun. It made me think about the importance of listening to everyone's ideas before making decisions and also how important teamwork is in accomplishing anything," said Debbie Gosnell, Cross Plains City Administrator.

During the day-long activities, participants had to use their skills in problem solving, decision making, communication, team work, trust and leadership to complete each element of the challenge course. Everyone agreed there was a sense of personal satisfaction each time the team was successful through their combined efforts.

The Midwest Texas Leadership group is made up of participants from Callahan and Eastland counties. Attending from Callahan County are: Susan Schaefer, Keith Lawrence, Melissa Richards, Debbie Gosnell, and Steve Mack all of Cross Plains; Rita Caffey, Karen Riddle, and Nancy Tumbow all of Baird; Sammy Edgington, Mack Skinner, Nancy Edwards, Tony Reed and Charlie Palmer all of Clyde.

Eastland County participants are Edith Beggs, Rising Star; Donald Hughes, Eastland; Mary Wells, Ranger; Susan Moore, Danny Morris, and Robert Anderson all of Cisco.

Midwest Texas Leadership program is being sponsored by the Eastland County Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas Midwest Community Network, and West Texas Utilities Company. The next training session will focus on Communication The First Hurdle to Leadership.

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This is the most unusual estate that we have ever been asked to dispose of at public auction. Mrs. McCleskey owned the property that the City of Eastland contracted as the city dump ground. By contractual agreement, she was the only person allowed to remove items from this dump. Everyday, starting in the early 1960's, she would pick out those items that she found interesting. The result is eleven (11) buildings full of merchandise and mounds of such things as iron bedsteads and implement wheels. We have been instructed by the heirs to sell everything there in the four days allotted.

The overwhelming volume of merchandise prevents any attempt at presorting and providing the normal type of itemized listing of the goods involved in this auction. Take a moment to visualize 30,000 cubic feet of unsorted goods and you will begin to understand why no one has ever attempted to sort it out. However, after having inspected the top layers several times, it is clear that Mrs. McCleskey had a good eye for collectibles. She particularly liked toys and small items.

We have to sell the contents of more than three full buildings each day plus a wide variety of goods located all over the property. We intend to form a bucket brigade at the door of each building in turn to provide a constant supply of fresh boxes feeding three sorting tables located directly in front of the podium. Our most experienced floor crew personnel will briefly sort each box for primary items to be sold individually. The remaining contents will be offered by the box full at periodic intervals. The pace will be constantly fast and furious for the entire four day event.

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Dustin Meiron, 15-year-old son of Deidra and Bryan Switzer of Cross Plains and Trey and Donna Meiron of Stephenville and brother of Lindsey Meiron of Cross Plains, was injured in a two-car collision about 2:30 p.m. Saturday, September 21, just east of Dublin.

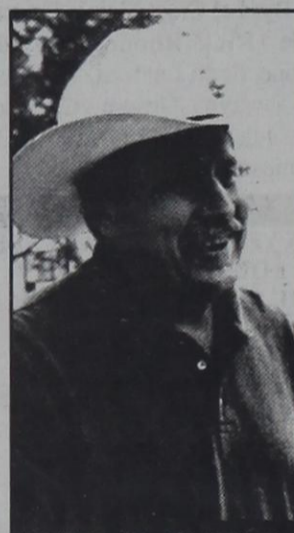
Dustin's pickup struck the rear quarter panel of a van. The occupants of the van had only minor injuries even though one little girl was thrown from the van.

Dustin received a fractured left femur, fractured and dislocated right ankle, fractured pelvis and fractured upper jaw with the loss of two teeth. He has had two surgeries to repair his legs and mouth. He had no internal nor head injuries. He was care flighted to Harris Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth where he is recuperating slowly.

He hurts, but his parents are very thankful to God and all who have prayed for him and expressed words of encouragement. He hopes to be home by the end of the week.

Jeri Renfro has returned home following surgery at Abilene Regional Medical Center. She is recuperating as expected at her home.

Bill (Tiny) Hedrick has recently undergone tests at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Temple.



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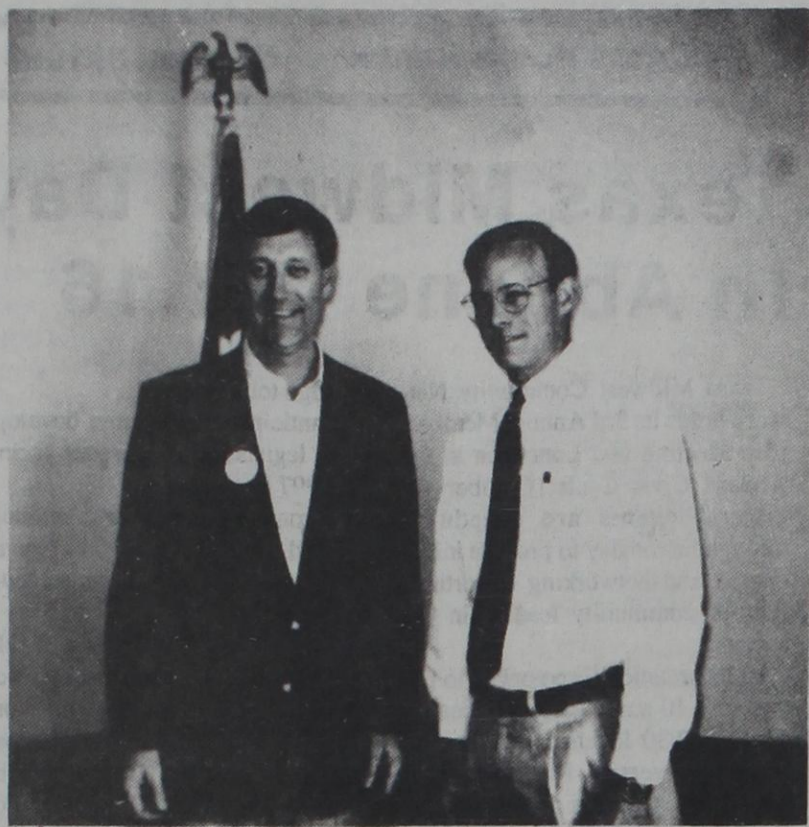
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RHODES CAMPAIGNS LOCALLY — Rick Rhodes, candidate for the Texas Senate, and Steve Mack, President of Citizens State Bank and C.E.O., are pictured.

Rick Rhodes Visits Cross Plains

By VANDA KING
Editor

Rick Rhodes, candidate for Texas Senate, visited with local residents Wednesday morning at the Dairy Queen. His campaign territory includes 21 counties consisting of 19,000 square miles and he is diligently attempting to visit each city.

Rhodes is a small businessman from Sweetwater, where he operates a family business oil field service. He served as Sweetwater's mayor for 4 terms and has been involved in many civic, professional and church activities. He has been working with Steve Mack, local banker, on Texas Midwest Community Network for the past 1 1/2 years and expressed Mack's tremendous ability as an am-

bassador for Cross Plains.

He stressed the idea that he felt it was time for Christian individuals to become involved in politics and take responsible roles in the government, using common sense to accomplish goals in water rights and usage, environment, and other issues important to the state of Texas. Mr. Rhodes noted that he didn't have a background in politics, but wanted to represent the people.

Rhodes called himself a conservative democrat on the far right. He stated that filling the position held by Bill Simms would be a big job, but he was willing to give his best. As a family man, and Christian he asked for everyone's prayers and support. He stated that he would be accountable to the residents in Senate District 24 and the office would not be his, but "yours."



FARMERS AND RANCHERS FOR RICK RHODES — A district-wide organization recently formed in Brownwood to help support the conservative Democrat's bid for the District 24 Senate seat. Members from left to right, include O.B. Byrd of Cross Plains, Lewie Newman, Blanche Byrd of Cross Plains, Ernest McBride, Rick Rhodes, David Touchstone, Scott Lanford, Thomas Petross, Dwayne Groom, Chester Damron, Jule Richmond, Ted and Paula Simpson.

Beta Sigma Phi Hears From Counselor

On September 16, the Alpha Rho Zeta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Joyce McCoy. Among business matters, the group submitted names for this year's pledges. A fun-filled pledge party is planned for later in October.

Pam Cummings, a sorority sister, gave an informative and enlightening program about "A Day in the Life of a School Counselor" and the different roles that she has at Coleman Elementary.

She discussed various types of small groups that she holds such as divorce groups and talked about the different reasons that children come for counseling.

Pam explained a No-Violence program that she is starting in the elementary to help children learn empathy and respect for other children and adults.

Child Protective Services was also discussed and ways that Coleman is trying to help protect children. Different types of abuse that effect children in this area made us all realize what an enormous problem child abuse is, and that it is a situation each of us needs to be concerned about.

Members present were Kathy Anderson, Sarah Brashear, Pam Cummings, Bobbie Johnston, Jody Finn, Judy Luter, Joyce McCoy, Wanda Merryman, Nora Odom, Janice Phillips, and Cathy Wood.



JODY BROWN

Special Teams For Red Raider Defense

LUBBOCK—Former Cross Plains defensive back and running back Jody Brown is one of 20 seniors on the 1996 Texas Tech Red Raider football roster this season.

Texas Tech currently holds a 1-1 record heading into Saturday's contest at the University of Georgia. Prior to last Saturday's off-week, the Red Raiders knocked-off Oklahoma State 31-3 behind tailback Byron Hanspard's school-record 272-yards rushing.

Brown, a 6'0", 200 pound raider, was the team's most reliable tackler on special teams in 1995. He led the team with 20 tackles on kickoff and punt coverages.

"Jody has stepped up and made a difference for our squad. He consistently knows where the ball is going. We're proud to have him as part of our program," said Texas Tech head coach Spike Dykes.

Texas Tech ended the final year of the Southwest Conference in second place with a 9-3 record. The Red Raiders wrapped up the season with a victory over Air Force in the 1995 Weiser Lock Copper Bowl. In 1996, Texas Tech, the University of Texas, Texas A&M and Baylor left the Southwest Conference to join the Big 12.

While at Cross Plains, Brown was named to Fort Worth-Star Telegram Top 100 team as a running back. He was one of the Texas Sports Chronicle Top 10 defensive backs and part of the Class 1A first-team All-State team. Brown was All-Area and All-District both ways his senior year. Brown, the son of Jimmy and Valeta Brown, is majoring in exercise and sports sciences. He is married and has one daughter.

For more information about Jody Brown or Texas Tech football, call (806) 742-2770.

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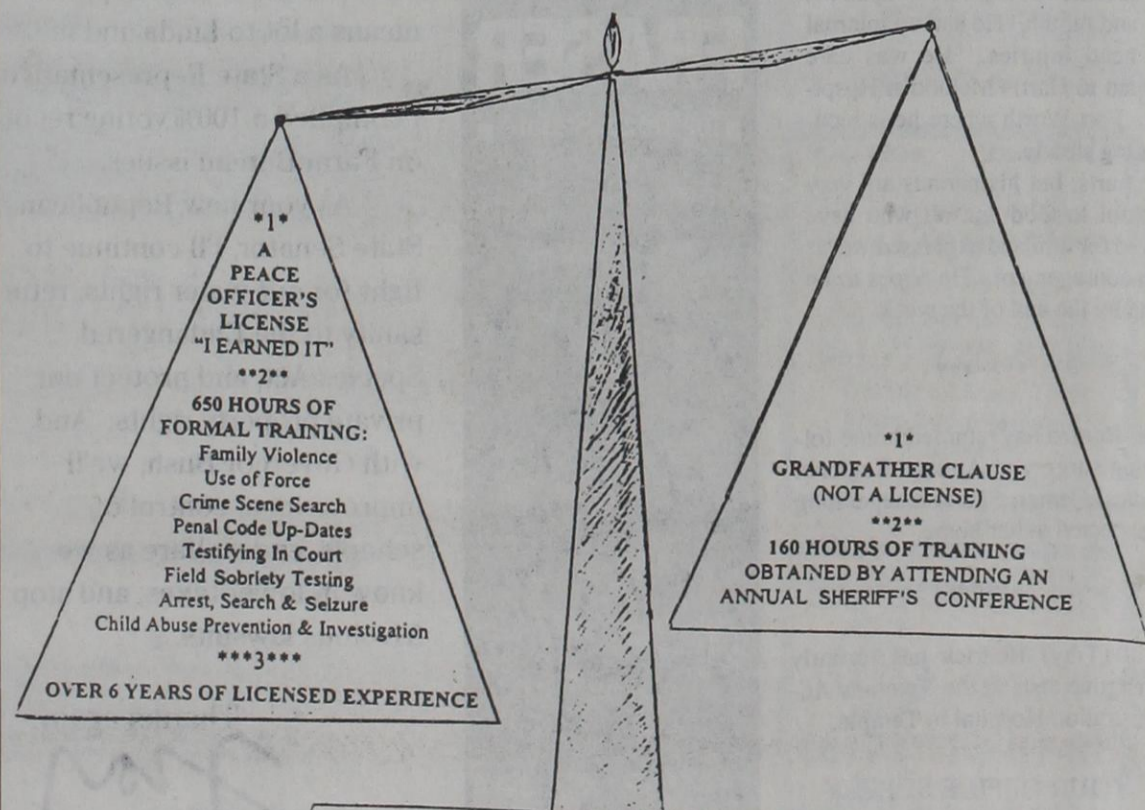
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