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## Down Home

### Were Did 20 Years Go?

By VANDA KING  
Editor

Isn't it amazing how quickly 20 years pass by. I guess we don't really think about it until you visit someone you haven't seen in 20 years. This week I was totally surprised by a visit from a couple who were neighbors in College Station, all those decades ago. Milton and Gladys Byers stopped by the Review for a brief reunion, which just made the whole day. Time had been very kind to them, but I couldn't believe that they now had five grandchildren. Of course, they were unaware that I had three children. It was great fun making all these discoveries and I wished they could have stayed much longer. After they left I kept recalling memories of those earlier days and began thinking where did all that time elapse. Why does it seem like you will never reach 18 years of age and then once you do — it literally flies by.

On many occasions, my children question about the so called "good ole days," but they think I was around for the cave man age. It is funny how children have no conception of time. That has to be one of the great attributes of youth.

We live in a time oriented world and everything is done according to a particular schedule. Take a look at your daily agenda — do you have your priorities in the right perspective? Personally, I needed some rearranging because I hope to see a more productive recollection for the remainder.

A recent viewing of video tape on the subject of a positive attitude was so inspiring that I wish the whole community could see it on a giant screen. A dear friend of mine shared it with me and I am so happy she did.

If a person could be disciplined enough to follow the great suggestions, you could definitely have a happier, more enriched life.

Speaking of time, if you are among the many trying to get into shape and look fantastic for your class reunion at Homecoming, **YOU ARE RUNNING OUT OF IT!** I have heard a few say they might just leave town, for a simpler solution. Ha! That is what I say each time, but I can't miss that special visit.

My graduating class of 1967 has just celebrated its 20th year mark. Seems like that big 20 just keeps popping up.

**STEP RIGHT UP** — Jerry Martinez, City Marshal, drew quite a crowd at the dunking booth Saturday. The Junior Class was sure to make a mint off those attempting to dunk the local law. Everyone received complete satisfaction, as each dunked him at least once.

### Alive In Christ Revival

The Nimrod Baptist Church is having an "Alive in Christ Revival" beginning Sunday, May 15, at the 10 a.m. worship service. The revival will last through Saturday, May 21.

Burt Smith of Fort Worth will be the evangelist. Richard Rossander will lead the musical worship. He is a member of the Conference of Texas Baptist Evangelists and Southern Baptist Evangelists in which he actively takes part as a music evangelist. His wife, Barbara, and son, Don, live in Eastland.

Flo Clark will be the pianist. She is a longtime resident of Eastland, where she has instructed piano and played for many revivals in this area.

The Nimrod Baptist Church welcomes everyone to attend the revival services.

## Buffalo Band Takes Division I Rating Plus Outstanding Award

By ALICIA KIRKHAM

At 11:45 on Wednesday, April 26, the high school band left for Durango, Colorado to perform in the Durango Fine Arts Festival. After the 22-hour drive, the group arrived at Fort Wayne College in Durango. Here, they dressed and prepared for the concert.

The Buffalo Band was the only one competing in the 2-A Division, so band director, Randy Taylor, moved the group into the 3-A category.

The band played well and received a division I rating, as well as the "Most Outstanding Band" award.

Spirits were high for the rest of the week. The students spent the remainder of the trip shopping, sightseeing, and making new friends. The sponsors had the job of keeping the students out of trouble, but they seemed to enjoy the trip.

On Friday, the group drove to Mesa Verde and toured the ancient Indian ruins. That evening, Mr. Taylor took the nine junior and senior band members to an exclusive restaurant, The Palace, for dinner.

Saturday morning, everyone sadly

said "goodbye" to Durango, loaded the bus, and began the long trip home.

To pass the time on the journey, the students played games, talked, and slept. During one card game, they learned that Mr. Taylor is sometimes a very sore loser. (Sorry, Mr. T., but the truth must come out!)

The atmosphere on the trip was very pleasant. The students, however, were eager to be off the bus when it arrived at the school at 12:30 early Sunday morning.

The band would like to thank the community for their support and making the trip possible. They would also like to thank Mr. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Brown, and Connie Kirkham for sponsoring the trip and making it so enjoyable.

### SPONSORS NOTE —

The Cross Plains Community was represented first class by the band students. They received various comments on how well the band played and what a good group of youth they were. They had no problems and it was a most enjoyable trip because the youth were so very easy to sponsor!



**BOOSTER TRUCK NOW COMPLETED** — The Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department recently purchased a 1969 F600, 4-wheel drive truck to be used as a booster truck, primarily for rural fires. The truck has a 900 gallon water capacity and is in

great repair, not to mention it looks sharp. The Fire Department is appreciative of all the donations which have made this transition possible. There is still one more booster truck in need of repair. Approximately \$8,000 is still needed to complete it.



**FUN DAY** — Saturday was quite a day with the Kiwanis Auction, Yellow Rose Arts and Crafts Fair, and Fish Fry. Cars filled the streets and

everyone was having a great time. This is sure to grow into a day to look forward to each spring.



### Election Polls Drew More Voters Than Anticipated

Approximately 172 voters cast their ballots in the city and school board elections last Saturday. All the activities around the Kiwanis Auction may have encouraged more residents to come out.

The outcome election is as follows:

**CITY**  
Mayor  
Ross Gerking 55

Frank Robertson, Incumbent 118  
**Councilmen**  
Robert Harrell 95  
Ron Trenary 22  
Lester Wyatt, Incumbent 49  
Scott Taylor 80  
Ray Purvis, Incumbent 88  
**SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEES**  
Donnie Dillard 149  
Randy Montgomery 144

## Athletes Honored At Banquet

Cross Plains High School Athletic Booster Club held its annual Athletic Banquet on Friday evening, May 6. The program which recognizes and awards the athletes began at 8 p.m.

Athletes were recognized in golf,

tennis, basketball, track, and cheerleading, along with the 1987 football teams.

In addition to the individual recognition of each athlete, certain students received a special award, "The Buf-

faloes Best." According to Coach Mike Permenter, this award is given to the girl and boy athlete in each sport that the coaches felt worked the hardest and showed the best effort.

The "Buffaloes Best" awards went to the following:

**Golf** — Shana Strickland, Tim McCoy, and David Wilson.

**Basketball** — Melissa Montgomery and Scotty Cupit.

**Track** — Melissa Montgomery and Robbie Wheeler.

**Tennis** — Chad Bagley, Cindy Engle, and Michelle Williams.

In football, the second annual Buffaloes Best award went to senior Gregg Weiss. This award was first given to Jesse Sibley in 1987 and this year his brother, Donald, assisted Coach Permenter in presenting the award to Gregg.

The final award given was the "Best Athlete" award for 1987-88. Recipients of this award were junior Melissa Montgomery and senior Darin Apple.

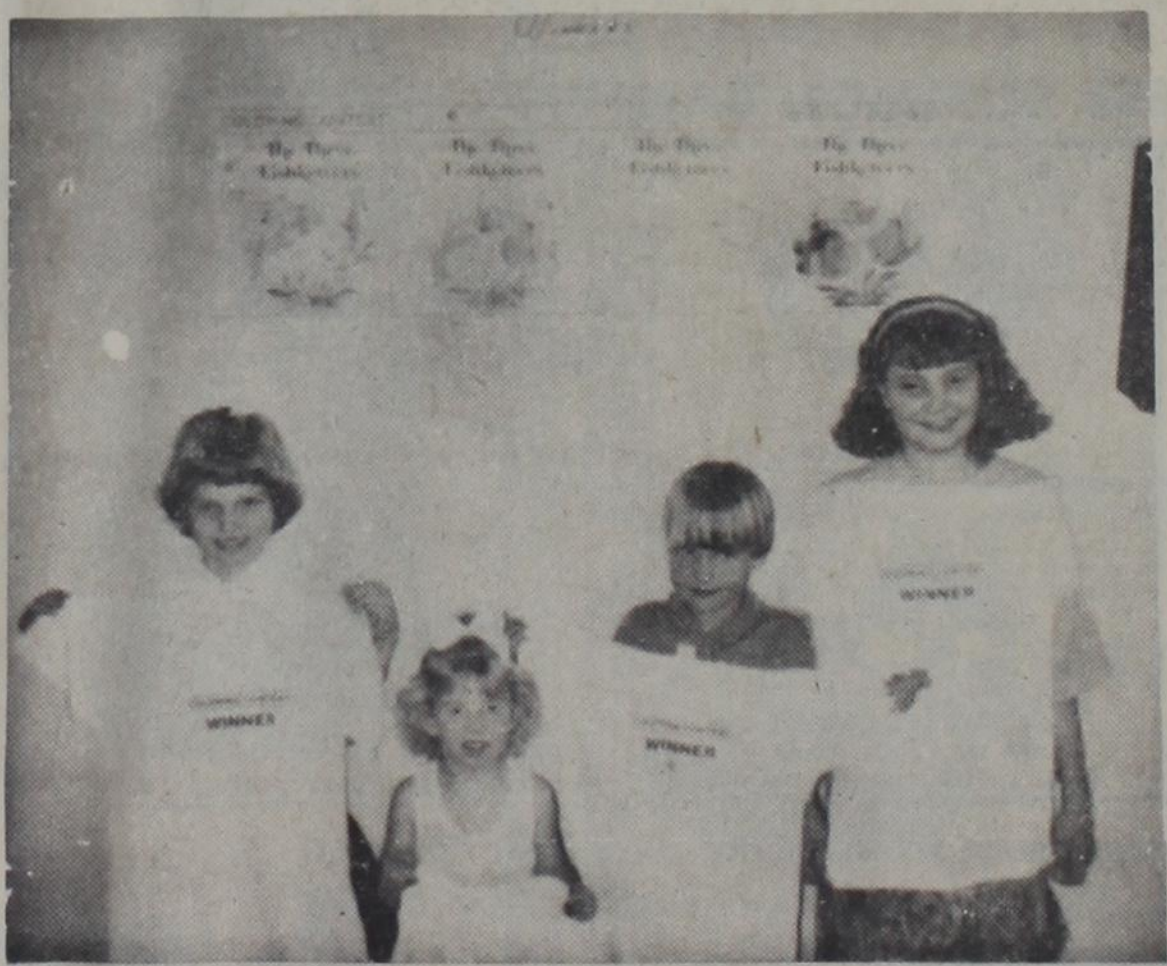
The Banquet was held in the new Cross Plains Community Center which was decorated with purple and gold streamers and balloons. The good-sized crowd also enjoyed a barbecue dinner in addition to the program.



**SPECIAL AWARD** — Senior Gregg Weiss accepted the "Buffaloes Best" award in football from Donald Sibley.



**OUTSTANDING ATHLETES** — Montgomery (Junior) received the "Best Athlete" award. Darin Apple (Senior) and Melissa



**OLNEY SAVINGS GRAND PRIZE WINNERS** — Children who won in the first coloring contest were (from left) Brandi Monsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edington and Jackie

Monsey; Ashley Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook; Christine Hargrove, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Hargrove; and Leah King, daughter of Tommy and Vanda King.

## Olney Savings Presents Coloring Contest Winners

Olney Savings completed the first of a four series television cartoon and coloring contest, "The Three Fishketeers." Grand prize winners were announced Tuesday evening. All contestants received a ribbon and a certificate.

In the 2-year-old to kindergarten division, the winner was Ashley Cook; Christine Hargrove — first grade division; Brandi Monsey — se-

cond, third, and fourth grade; and Leah King — fifth and sixth grade division.

The grand prize winners were presented t-shirts which stated that they were winners of the coloring contest sponsored by Olney Savings. The mother of each child winning also received a t-shirt which said their child was the coloring contest winner. Delma Coppinger made the presenta-

tions while Debbie Pope assisted.

Three more contests and cartoons are scheduled. In July there will be the "Mearthworm Picnic." October will feature a Halloween special and in December there will be a Christmas presentation.

Olney Savings encourages local children to enter the upcoming contests and watch for the cartoons.

### Be A Donor

By SUSAN SHARPE

Mark your calendar for Tuesday, May 17, to donate blood. The drive will be at the Community Center from 2 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Here are a few reasons to give:

1.) Only 3% of the eligible donor population actually bothers to donate. New donors are needed to replace those who become ineligible due to age or medical reasons, and to keep pace with the rising need for blood each year.

2.) If you are in general good health, you have 10 to 12 pints in your body, you may safely donate one pint of blood every 8 weeks.

3.) Every type is the right type. The rarest blood is the type that's not available when you need it. All types must be on hand when they are needed.

4.) If people wait until a relative or friend needs blood, it could be too late to donate. It takes 6 hours to do the necessary typing and testing of the blood after donation. Blood has to be available before it is needed.

5.) It only takes 30 minutes to give a pint of blood. If you donated every time you were able, in one year it would only take 3 hours of your time.

6.) Your blood can save lives.

### Carey's Automotive Opens In Rising Star

James Carey recently opened Carey's Automotive on Highway 36 East in the old Conoco building. Carey is an ASE Certified Automotive technician and works on all makes and models of gasoline and diesel engines through 1988.

Carey is also employed at Caldwell Motors in Eastland where he has worked for the past five years.

Carey's Automotive will be open Monday through Friday from 6 p.m. until 10 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday 8 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Call 643-5742 for more information. James invites everyone to stop by.



## MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

This past weekend was just "SUPER" for me. Please, don't let me bore you!

My second grandson, Matt, came on Friday and took me to Cleburne to the home of my daughter, Joanie, and Bob Stewart. That afternoon my son, C.V. Jr., Karen and their two precious daughters came in.

On Saturday, we all went to Fort Worth to the Mayfest '88. That was a spectacular experience — some things

are almost unbelievable.

On Sunday, we all went to First United Methodist Church with grandson, Nate and Gloria. Nate and C.V. Jr. sang with the men's choir. They recognized all the mothers, and only two of us admitted to being over 80. I had 'travelled' further than the other lady. They gave us gifts — gave me a beautiful book entitled, "Apples of Gold," compiled by Jo Petty. I'm so proud of it!

Joan and Bob brought me home Sunday afternoon. Bob inspected my air conditioner to see that it will be working when I am ready to use it.

On Sunday, Bob and Sally Roady went to Ms. Nettie's for dinner. All the children were there, also the grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Joe and Beverly came from Brownwood, brought a nice plant for Sally. They are going to take her father, Howard Hicks, to the doctor this week.

Mrs. Jewel Foster had a nice week before Mother's Day. On Thursday, friends, Mr. and Mrs. (Claude and Ruby) Dickson of Crane came by. On Saturday, Allie and Marvin Dickson of Cross Plains came by. On Sunday, her three sons and wives were there, two grandsons and wives and three great-grandsons.

Betty and J.T. Beggs' two sons, Kim and Rusty, called on Sunday. Their son, Rex, created a beautiful steel thing — "Man on a Bucking Horse" — to be welded onto their front gate. Betty is so proud of that.

The Cole Tillotsons and the Flemings did not answer this morning.



May 2 — 6

"It requires wisdom to understand wisdom; the music is nothing if the audience is deaf." Walter Lippmann

Memorials: Thelma Evans by Lois Garrett, Joe, Era Lee, Paula, and John Hanke.

Donations: Ray Turner, Dorothy Burnett — Books; Beta Sigma Phi — \$25.

Circulation: 155  
Paperback: 77  
Hardback: 60  
Extension: 14  
Interlibrary Loan: 4

## BURKETT NEWS

By LOVERA STRICKLAND

Following is a list of contributions to the Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association for February, March, and April from Freeda Burkett, secretary-treasurer: Mattie Webb Estate, \$38.10; Mr. and Mrs. Bevo Webb (in memory of Veda DeBusk), \$25; O.W. Harbour (in memory of Mrs. Harbour's granny, Iva Smith), \$20; Mozell Helberg, \$50; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Trent, \$25; The Family of the late Mrs. V.C. (Rita) Adams (in memory of Pauline Burns), \$50; and three checks from an anonymous friend of this fund totaling \$40.

Visiting Grace Green this weekend were Gwen Golson of Hobbs, New Mexico; Mike, Richard, Jeff, and Tim James of Levelland; and Jack, Karen, and Shea Baucum of Coleman.

Virgie Adams visited Peggy and Ollie Bradford, A.B. Harris, and other relatives in McCamey. She returned home Sunday after staying about 2 weeks with them.

Joe and Hope Golson visited Anna Golson several days last week.

Without clouds and other constituents of the Earth's atmosphere, the surface of our planet would reach a temperature of 176 degrees at the equator by day.

## Do You Know How To Contact These Ex-Students?

The Class of 1954 needs addresses for these ex-students:  
Louise Falkner Smith  
Mildred Gage  
Billy Buzbee  
Mona Booker  
George Lowery  
Neva Jo Luster  
Jackie Paulk.

If anyone can provide a clue, please call Delma Coppinger at 725-7730.

## Bible Lessons Taught

A series of Bible lessons is being taught by Rev. David Wells at the Gospel Mission (Rock Church) on East 8th Street each Tuesday night at 7 p.m. Rev. Wells is pastor of Redeeming Love Church in Abilene, located on West South 14th Street.

David and his father operated an Oil Well Supply in Cross Plains for a number of years.

Tuesday, May 10, Rev. Wells began lecturing on a series of lessons about the timely subject "Prophecy." Prophecy is a gift to be desired (1 Cor. 14:1). Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Cassette tapes of any of the subjects taught will be available at a later date.

## "Just Say No" Posters Will Remain On Display Through Friday

The finalist and the top winners in the "Just Say No" poster and bumper sticker contest, sponsored by the Student Council, have been on display for several weeks. The posters are exhibited at Citizens State Bank, while the bumper stickers may be seen at Olney Savings.

If you have not seen them, they will be available for viewing through Friday, May 13.

The students who were eligible for regional competition did not place, but their creations are displayed with participation ribbons.

## TOPS Club To Have Reorganization Meet

Thursday, May 12, there will be a meeting to reorganize the TOPS Club at Billie's Restaurant beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Anyone interested, please plan to attend. For more information, contact Billie Norton at 725-7467 or 725-7281 or Sharolyn Walker at 725-7739.

## Cottonwood Baptist Host Colonial Oaks Sunday, May 15

The Cottonwood Baptist Church will hold services at the Colonial Oaks Nursing Home Sunday, May 15, at 3:30 p.m.

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- No. 2 Steel "D" to 1,600 in the Blind Hog (Adams Branch) and Mary Angela (Cross Cut) on a 66-acre lease. Spots 800 FSL and 844 FEL.
- No. 3 Steel "D" to 1,600 in the Blind Hog (Adams Branch) and Mary Angela (Cross Cut) on a 66-acre lease. Spots 1,440 FSL and 844 FEL.
- No. 3 Steel "F" to 3,400 in the Blind Hog (Ranger) and Grimm (Ellenburger) on a 115-acre lease. Spots 1,500 FSL and 3,869 FEL.
- No. 6 Steel "EG" to 1,600 in the Blind Hog (Adams Branch) and Mary Angela (Cross Cut) on a 115-acre lease. Spots 1,120 FSL and 1,164 FEL.

## History Classes Go To Brownwood

Eighth grade students at Cross Plains had an interesting day on Monday, May 2. They went on a field trip

to the Academy of Freedom in Brownwood.

The trip was planned through Tim Layman's eighth grade American History classes. There were 36 students who went on the trip.

The Academy of Freedom is located near Howard Payne University. While there, they saw such things as a mural of Christian beliefs; Egyptian artifacts; suits of armor; personal belongings of General Douglas MacArthur; and a film strip of how World War II was won plus maps of all the battles in the Pacific during that war.

Kathy Purvis, a local Cross Plainian and mother of Angie Purvis, a member of the eighth grade class, was the tour guide.

## Regional Track

The weekend of April 29 and 30 was set aside for several regional competitions. In track, Cross Plains sent two Varsity girls to Big Spring to the Regional Track meet.

Juniors Melissa Montgomery, competing in the 100 meter hurdles, and Shauna Cowan, in the shot put, went with their coach, Diane Stover, to the competition.

The Regional meet took two days. Melissa took a third place with a time of 16.3. The winning time was 15.3 by a girl from Haskell.

Shauna earned a 10th place spot with a throw of 31'1½" in comparison to the winning throw of 40'3" by a girl from Coleman, who set a new Regional record.

Coach Stover was very proud of the girls and expects the Varsity to continue to do well next year in Class A.

## Scoliosis Screening Held

As the state requires, Cross Plains conducted its annual screening for Scoliosis and Kyphosis. Each year at least the 6th and 9th grades are screened.

## Regional Tennis

Over the last two weekends, the Cross Plains Varsity Girls Tennis Team has been in some tough competitions.

According to their coach, Mac McConal, Cindy Engle and Michelle Williams competed in a Regional practice tournament the weekend of April 27-28. In their first round, they defeated Brady (4-6) (6-4) (6-4).

In second round play, they defeated Paint Rock (who eventually went on to State) (2-6) (6-4) (6-2).

In the Championship match, Cross Plains played El Dorado, losing the very close match. They earned a second place in the Junction Tournament. Then on to Regional Competition in Austin the weekend of April 29 and 30. Cindy and Michelle defeated Marfa in their first match (7-5) (6-1). They then played Shutford and lost (3-6) (3-6). Shutford proceeded to State Competition.

Since both girls are juniors and will be back next year, Coach McConal is looking for another successful year, this time in I-A competition.

## Campaigning At Cross Plains High

By REGIE BROWN

The Cross Plains Student Council, last Wednesday, May 4, held a meeting during lunch period. This was no ordinary meeting. This was a meeting in which future hopeful council officers attended, too. All of the students who hoped to hold an office for the next school year were there to get a few ideas of what their responsibilities would be. Over the next few weeks all of the candidates will campaign at school. An election will then be held and the new student council will take over the duties of the last one.

The list of candidates are as follows: President: Terrell Smith, Regie Brown Vice President: Shauna Cowan, Julie Smith Secretary: Jerry McGough, Matt Strickland, K-Trina Meador Reporter: Michael Franke Treasurer: Jeannie Barclay, Donald Sibley, Candie Williams.

## In Preparation For Next Year

A letter has been released from the counselor's office at Cross Plains concerning the upcoming 8th grade orientation and registration for the 1988-89 school year. This meeting that is held each year at this time gives all 8th grade students and their parents the opportunity to examine and ask questions about planning not only their freshman year, but looking ahead overall to the next 4 years of high school.

State requirements for graduation will be discussed as will the discipline management plan used at the high school level. Advisors will be available to help each student and their parents with the student's high school career.

All current 8th graders and their parents are encouraged to attend the meeting which will begin at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 17. This is an excellent opportunity for parents and students to ask questions concerning the student's high school years.

## With Spring Come The Jumpers

Friday, May 14, has been set aside for the annual "Jump Rope for Heart" special event. The event is sponsored by the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, and C.P.I.S.D. to benefit the American Heart Association.

Students will jump in teams of 6 members, rotating the use of one rope. The activity will be supervised by school staff.

The children will take pledges from family and friends. Several categories of prizes are available to the kids who bring in pledges.

Watch for results in the future.

On Monday, May 4, Coaches Diane Stover and Mike Permenter conducted the screening during the P.E. classes.

Whereas they look for the symptoms of curvature of the spine (scoliosis) and an abnormal hump in the spine (kyphosis), the coaches do not diagnose the ailment, only suggest that the students see their family physician for an accurate diagnosis and necessary treatment.

There were also some re-screening of students previously referred.

At the 6th grade level, a very small percentage was found, but a slightly higher amount was noticed in the freshman group. Both coaches stress the importance of good posture in preventing some of these problems.

## Junior-Senior Banquet

One of the most popular banquets of the school year is the formal Junior-Senior Banquet. This year's banquet is set for Saturday, May 14, beginning at 8 p.m.

The Junior Class sponsors the banquet each year as a farewell to the seniors. The theme the juniors have chosen is "Stand By Me" with a color scheme of black, red, and white with a 1950's atmosphere.

The program will include the reading of the Senior Will, in which each senior "wills" to a junior "something" — usually something comical. Also in the program is the Junior Prophecy in which the juniors predict what the seniors will be doing in the future.

This year the Junior Class voted to have the banquet "open" so that any junior or senior could invite a date from outside Cross Plains School. A \$5 charge is being assessed for an outside date.

The menu planned for this year is barbecued beef, potato salad, beans, macaroni and cheese, and cake for dessert.

All Cross Plains Juniors and Seniors are invited to the banquet, along with the high school faculty, administration, and board members. Approximately 130 people are expected to attend.

## Rifle Competition Results

The Callahan County 4-H senior rifle team was first place winners in the District 7 4-H Rifle Competition held at Hardin-Simmons University last Saturday. They will be representing District 7 at the State Contest in June at College Station.

The junior team from Callahan County placed second in their division with Gene Fortune of Cross Plains winning the high individual award in the junior division shooting a 256 out of possible 300. Other junior team members were William Cross, Steven Fein and Brian King.

Senior team members and their respective placing in the contest were Shad Barrows-2nd high individual, Richard Smith-3rd high individual, Brad Barron-6th high individual, and Brad Fein.

In the Livestock and Horse Judging competition held at Fredericksburg on April 23, the junior livestock judging team placed 9th. Team members were Kurt Evans, Chris Taylor, Tom Edd Johnson of Clyde, and Jody Gerngross of Baird. Koy Young of Clyde tied for first place high individual in the junior horse judging individual category.

A number of county 4-H'ers competed in the final round of District Competition on Saturday, May 7, at San Angelo.

In the senior natural resources category was Glenn Wilson of Clyde. Tonya Johnson of Oplin competed in the senior horse demonstration. Koy Young of Clyde presented his demonstration in the junior horse category. In the junior open division, was Michael Palmer of Clyde.

Presenting a beef cattle demonstration in the junior division was Jody Gerngross of Baird. Daisy Conley of Baird entered in the junior consumer life skills division.

Mrs. Danny Odom, a Baird 4-H leader, assisted on the judging duties during the District Contest.

The 4-H Council and Adult Leaders also met this past week to plan their annual summer camp in July.

Alaska—America's largest state, twice the size of Texas—has fewer people than any other state.

## SHORT NOTES

By REGIE BROWN

1. Upcoming Senior vs. Faculty Basketball Game Thursday, May 19.
2. Ag Judging Teams Return. Dairy Products Judging — 10th Place. Farm Business Management — 7th Place. Poultry Judging — 40th Place.
3. Student Council Meeting was held Wednesday, May 5.
4. Pre-school and kindergarten screening was held at the elementary building Monday, May 9.

## SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

MAY 12 — MAY 18

### BREAKFAST

**THURSDAY** — Choice of ready to eat cereal, orange juice, milk.  
**FRIDAY** — Bacon, egg, biscuit, jelly, grape juice, milk.  
**MONDAY** — Buttered oatmeal, toast, grape juice, milk.  
**TUESDAY** — Hash browns, gravy, biscuits, orange juice, milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** — Choice of ready to eat cereal, toast, grape juice, milk.

### LUNCH

**THURSDAY** — Turkey and dressing, green beans, cranberry sauce, rolls, fruit salad, milk.  
**FRIDAY** — Sloppy Joes, French fries, pickle spears, nut clusters, milk.  
**MONDAY** — Burritos w/chili, cheese, coleslaw, peaches, milk.  
**TUESDAY** — Tuna sandwich, French fries, pickles, cake, milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** — Oven fried chicken, green beans, scalloped potatoes, rolls, butter, milk.

## Junior High Cheerleading Tryouts

According to Sponsor Diane Stover, the 6th and 7th grade students will begin practicing on Monday, May 9, for their upcoming tryouts.

As of Friday, May 6, there are 10 girls trying out for the 5 open spots on the junior high squad.

As with the high school girls, they will have two sets of scores that determine the outcome. Fifty percent is from outside judges and fifty percent will be from student vote.

The girls will have an opportunity to practice from May 9 until Friday, May 20, when the tryouts will be held at a time during the day yet to be announced.

The following girls have signed up: 6th grade — Lori Dillard, Tiffany McKenzie, Shirley Walker, Shana Bagley, Glenda Evans, and Tamara Flippin; 7th grade — Jennifer Wheeler, Bettina Gomillion, and Rhonda Swift.

Good luck to all the girls.

## Drivers Beware

It's that time of year when those age-wise eligible students are preparing to hit the road in Driver's Education.

The classroom work began for this year's group of 39 students on Monday, May 2. According to state law, each student must have 32 hours of classroom work before beginning the actual driving.

Teaching Driver's Education this year are Jimmy Wren and Mike Permenter. They will also administer the driving test which the students must pass with at least a 70 before they can drive.

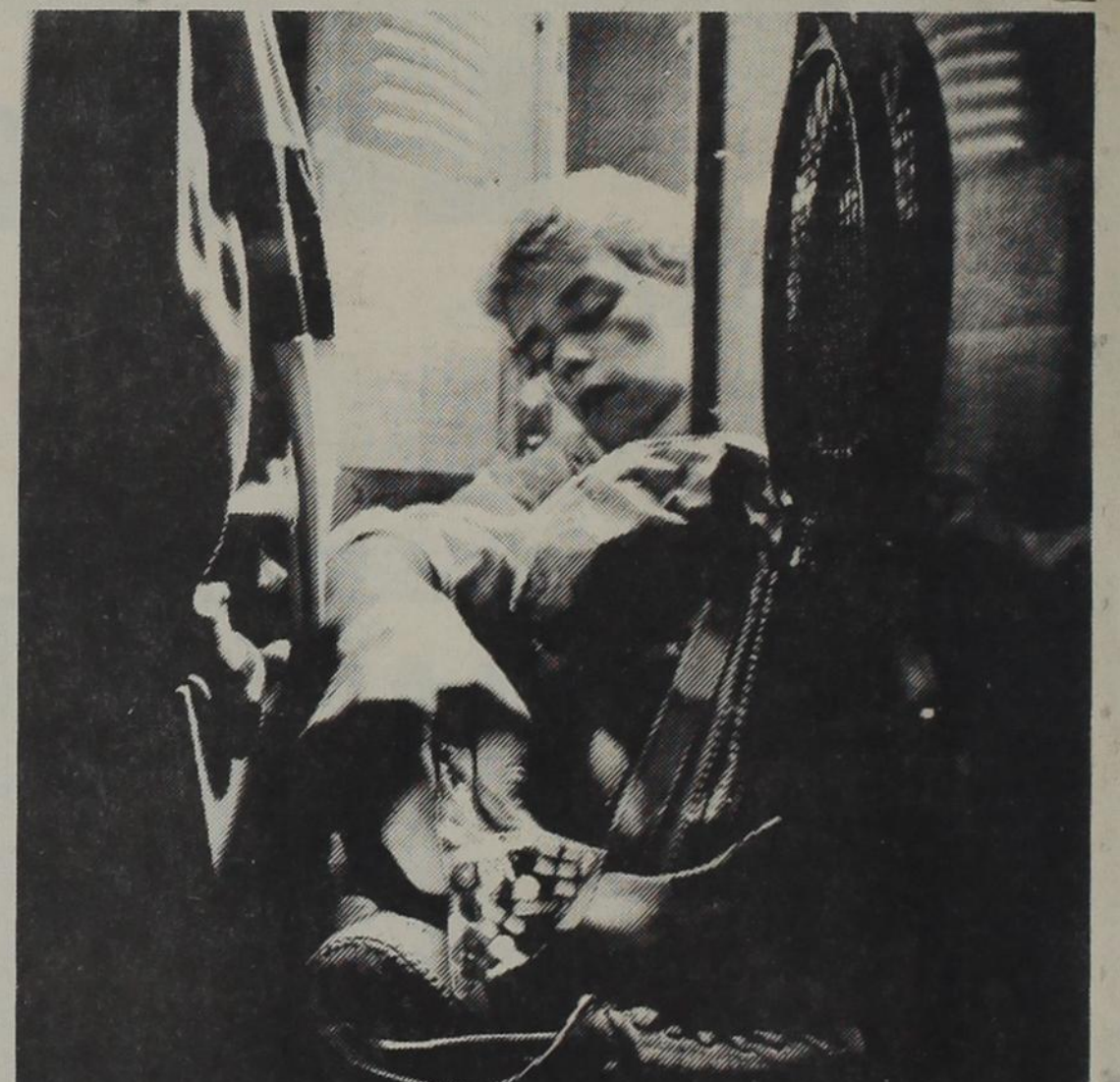
The cars for the student drivers are provided by Fullen Motor, Eastland.

The cars are equipped with an extra brake, just in case. Each student is required to drive 7 hours behind wheel and 7 hours observing before they complete the course and actually receive their license.

The course costs each student \$110, but it does allow them a 10 percent discount on their car insurance.

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## ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. N.V. GIBBS

Dry weather continues in this area, not even dew has fallen to wet the dry

### Is Your Church Teaching False Doctrine?

You may need to be baptized over! There are false Doctrine in churches today teaching Baptism in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, when we know that Father and Son are not names but titles. The name of the Father is Jesus Christ and the name of the son is Jesus.

The largest recorded number of people baptized can be found in Acts 2:38-41. Peter baptized everyone in the name Jesus Christ for the remission of sins. Matthew 16:17-19 Jesus gave Peter the Keys of the kingdom of heaven.

Acts 8:12 "But when they believed Philip preaching the things concerning the kingdom of God, and the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized, both men and women."

Acts 8:36 Philip baptized in Jesus Christ, and a miracle took place, the Spirit of the Lord caught away Philip.

Acts 9:18 They received a miracle as blind eyes opened. People have received Healing in their body when they were baptized in Jesus Christ. All of the Disciples in the New Testament were baptized in the Name Jesus.

Acts 10:46 "For they heard them speak with tongues, and magnify God. Then answered Peter."

Acts 10:47 "Can any man forbid water that these should not be baptized, which have received the Holy Ghost as well as we?"

Acts 10:48 "And he commanded them to be baptized in the name of the Lord."

Acts 19:4-5 Paul baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.

Gal. 3:27 "For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ."

1 Peter 3:21 "The like figure whereunto even baptism doth save us (not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of good conscience toward God) by the resurrection of Jesus Christ."

Rom. 6:3-4 "Know ye not, that so many of us as were baptized into his death. Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life."

The only two churches that baptize like Jesus taught locally are the Gospel Mission and the Pioneer Pentecostal Church.

GOSPEL MISSION

grass. Some farmers have plowed fields two or three times and are now sowing hay grazer. Dust is following every round they make.

This writer hoed around three large peach trees and a berry patch this week. There is quite a lot of fruit on the trees.

Sunday was the time for mothers to be honored, so some had their children home or made a visit to their homes.

Sterling and Joyce Odom spent the noon hour with lunch and a visit in the Charles Palmer home in Clyde.

Company in the home of Emma Johnson and Lizzie Burks during the week was Robert Burks of the Cross Plains nursing home. Also, a nurse, Miss Elexandra. Lee McNutt, a neighbor, came for a visit. Emma also reported that Ricky Kelly was making them a strawberry bed.

Robert and Dorothy Watson were in Fort Worth Friday and had a visit with his brother, Eddie Watson and wife.

Don and Maryana Harrell and daughter, Leigh, attended the Buffalo Gap Fine Arts Festival held on the Perini Ranch last weekend.

The family will be in Abilene Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Newberry and Mrs. Frank Harrell.

Colby Reynolds of Midland spent Friday night with his grandparents, James and Dorothy Reynolds. Dorothy reported they are attending the spring revival in their church in Clyde all this week.

Visitors at the Community Center Supper and games were Thelma Smedley, Bill and Jane Coots, and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Billy Coots, and her daughter, Kelly, all of the Clyde area. We welcome them back for the next meeting.

## A Mother's Day Gift

Mrs. Ruby McCowen spent a few days in Arlington last week. Her daughter, Bonita Horton, came by from Lubbock to get her. They left on Tuesday and came back Friday evening. Mrs. McCowen said she enjoyed the room service at the Sheraton Hotel and being with her youngest daughter. While in Arlington, they also visited a new church.

On the way home, Ruby McCowen and daughter, Bonita, stopped at Weatherford to visit with Ora Graves. Ruby and Ora attended church together years ago when Ora lead the singing and Ruby played piano at the old Pioneer Pentecostal Church.

Mrs. McCowen reported that she enjoyed every minute of it and appreciated her Mother's Day gift.

## Dukes-Wheeler Wedding Slated Saturday, July 9

Sandra Kelley of Cottonwood and W.D. Dukes, Jr. of Bossier City, Louisiana are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Sherri Kay Dukes, to Ricky Lawrence Wheeler, also of Cottonwood.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Cross Plains High School, attended North Lake College, and graduated from Metroplex Beauty College in Mesquite. She is employed by Abilene State School.

The prospective groom also graduated from Cross Plains High School, attended Cisco Junior College, and North Texas State in Denton. He is also employed by Abilene State School as a music therapist.

The wedding is planned for July 9 at St. James United Methodist Church in Abilene.

## Happy Birthday

**MAY 12**  
Blandye Jayde Harris  
Carolyn Adams  
Roger Williams  
Lucille Koenig  
Mrs. J.H. Morgan  
Dona Neeb  
Trisha Taylor

**MAY 13**  
Edde Elliott  
Shana Cherie Strickland  
Ann Woody  
Gary Harris  
Donnie Joe Pierce  
Milton Bynum  
Allen Holcomb  
Jason Ray Flippin

**MAY 14**  
Arthur Boyle  
Carla Vest  
Mrs. W.A. Balkum  
Matthew Burleson  
John E. Coppinger  
David Morales  
Nathan Strength

**MAY 15**  
Ruby Taylor  
Arvin Brashear  
James Young  
Gene Black  
Shelly Key  
Corine Archer  
Mrs. Ardy Wheeler  
Curtis J. Simpson

**MAY 16**  
Guy Watson  
Leonard Mosley  
Albert Lee  
Sheila Payne  
Carla Strickland

**MAY 17**  
Lohoma (White) Bowen  
Hillard Hill  
Willard Hill  
W.B. Nickerson, Jr.  
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Margaret Johnson  
James Wayne Woody

**MAY 18**  
Eddie Petty  
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Billy Lee  
Mrs. Ray Jones  
Mrs. Wanda Chandler  
Drucilla Elaine Eppard  
Juanita Mayes  
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## Political Calendar

The Cross Plains Review is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following for Texas Senate, 30th District, in the upcoming special election.

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## COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

On Saturday, May 14, the annual Cottonwood Spring Festival will be held in the local community center. Highlight features of the day's festivities are a garage, baked goods, plants, refreshments sales and a quilt drawing. The Cottonwood Post Office will be opened for visitors to tour. The 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. festival is sponsored by the Cottonwood Regional Community Association. Everyone is invited to attend. Hot dogs, homemade ice cream, and pound cake will be on sale in the cafeteria.

Items for the garage and plant sale may be brought to the Center on Thursday, May 12 and Friday, May 13. Baked good items will be needed on Saturday morning.

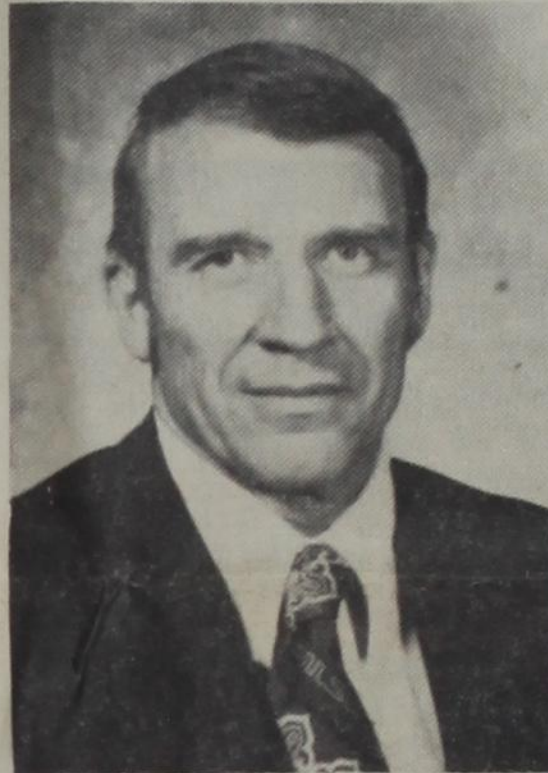
Mrs. Blanton Childers was released from the hospital in Abilene on Friday. Lillie has been undergoing tests and treatment since April 29. Welcome home and we all wish you a good recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown attended their niece's, Jennifer Brown Kaaiakala, commencement program at McMurry College in the Abilene Civic Center on Sunday, May 8, with Mr. Ben Kaaiakala, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and Kenneth.

Congratulations to Paula Kaye Hanke, 1988 graduating senior of McMurry College on Sunday. Paula is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hanke of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Ethel Anderson spent Sunday evening in Cisco with Mrs. Ruth Conger and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin and family. Teresa and Joe came over and got Ethel Sunday afternoon.

Cookie and Bob Robinson and son, Brian of Clyde, spent Mother's Day in Cottonwood visiting with both their



**FRANK E. RUNDALL**  
...aquatics hall of fame pioneer

### Former Cross Plains Resident Honored

Frank E. Rundell was recently honored by the American Red Cross as a pioneer of the Centex Chapter aquatics program.

Frank E. Rundell has been actively involved in the Red Cross aquatic programs since 1956. In 1965, Coach Rundell served as staff member for the American Red Cross Aquatic School in Athens, Texas, and again in 1971 in Tyler, Texas. Through the years, he was Water Safety Instructor and a Disaster Volunteer. From 1965 to 1969 he served as the Red Cross Water Safety Chairman and on the Red Cross Board of Directors. In the summers of 1969 and 1970, he was a member of the paid staff of Red Cross, directing the swimming, boating, and first aid programs. Coach Rundell received his B.B.A. from Baylor University in 1950 and his Master's of Educational Administration from the University of Texas at Austin in 1957.

He was in the Air Force Cadet School in 1944 and was a bombardier navigator. From 1948 to 1950, he was teacher and football coach for Smithville ISD. He was head football coach, Cross Plains, Texas from 1950 to 1953 and Superintendent of Cross Plains ISD. He taught and was head basketball coach for McCallum High School until his retirement from AISD in 1971. From 1971 to 1973, he was teacher and head basketball coach at Reagan High School. From 1973 to 1974, Rundell was Assistant Principal of Hays Consolidated School and head basketball coach. From 1974 to 1976, he was Principal of Leander Schools.

Rundell is a member of the Lions Club, the American Legion of Wimberly, Charter member of the West Austin Optist Club in Austin, and member of the Golden Bear Club of Baylor University. He is currently business instructor and head of the accounting department of the Mansfield Business School in Austin.

As an honoree he was among the first to introduce the American Red Cross aquatics program with his swimming background, and was presented an award for his efforts by Tommy Trammell, Alice Scarborough, Swim-A-Cross Chairman, and Dot Smith, Swim-A-Cross Committee member.

mothers, Nettie and J.P. Clark and Mabel and Ted Fann.

Nettie Clark reported she received cards, gifts, and a call from daughter, Janie Woody of Phoenix, for Mother's Day.

Mrs. Blanton Childers had R.D. and Sharon of Cisco, Aubrey of Abilene, and Arnold, Nancy and grandson, Kane of Brownwood, visit with them on Mother's Day.

Paul Williams of Abilene was here on Sunday to see his mother and family, Dr. and Mrs. J.O. Williams and John Crawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Creamer and Forrest had a cookout with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Albrecht, Eddy Jr., Tresha, Carlile, Emma, and Andrew to celebrate Mom's special day.

Congratulations, Clara McInnis, on winning the crochet spread from Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department.

## NEW ARRIVALS

Alan and Dena Rhodes of Lake Brownwood are the proud parents of a son born April 30 at 11:42 a.m. Nathaniel Jake Rhodes weighed in at 8 pounds and 7 ounces and was 19 inches long.

Maternal grandmother is Newana McDaniel of San Angelo and paternal grandmother is Jo Rhodes of Cross Plains.

## Special Speaker At Old Time Gospel Mission May 16-17

A prophet, Jacob Kurien, will be preaching at the Old Time Gospel Mission on May 16 and 17 beginning at 7 p.m.

He was a Navy jet pilot in India where the Lord miraculously appeared to him and saved him.

"Everyone is invited to attend and bring a friend," stated Michael Ingram, pastor.

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11:30 a.m. Lunch (Cafeteria)  
2 p.m. Parade (Downtown)  
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**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Wiginton and sons of Abilene visited his aunt, Mrs. Carl Marsh, on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. E.F. Odom visited in Tuscola Sunday with their son and family, Gary, Patty, Wade, and Brian Odom.

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**OUTSTANDING CONSERVATIONIST** — Glenn Winfrey and his wife, Peggy, are pictured following the presentation of his award.

**Glenn Winfrey Outstanding Conservationist**

Glenn Winfrey of Cross Plains, located in the Callahan Divide Soil and Water Conservation District, was recently honored as the Outstanding Conservation Farmer in the district. Glenn's conservation application was then sent on to the Regional V competition where he was selected as the Runner-up Conservation Farmer for 1988. Region V covers 33 Soil and Water Conservation Districts in 51 counties of the north central area of Texas. Glenn and other outstanding conservationists were honored on May 2 in Mineral Wells at the Region V Awards Banquet.

The purpose of the Awards Program is to recognize and honor Soil and Water Conservation Districts and individuals who have dedicated their efforts and talents to making wise use of renewable natural resources.

Winfrey's outstanding conservation program is centered around the production of peanuts, small grain, and livestock. Glenn also owns and operates the Cross Plains Grain and Peanut Company in Cross Plains.

Glenn is currently carrying out a Long Term Agreement conservation contract where he is converting approximately 300 acres of highly erodi-

ble peanut fields to permanent grass. This program is funded by the Callahan County ASCS and administered by the Soil Conservation Service in Baird.

He has been cooperating with local Soil and Water Conservation Districts for nearly 20 years. He completed a Great Plains Conservation Program contract on an Eastland County farm back in the 1960's and has been interested and actively carrying out various conservation projects ever since.

The Awards Banquet was sponsored by the First National Bank in Baird and the Callahan County Divide Soil and Water Conservation District and the regional awards program was sponsored by the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board, the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts, and the 206 local Soil and Water Conservation Districts in Texas.

**Rep. Carriker Receives Educators Endorsement**

**ASPERMONT** — Aspermont ISD kindergarten teacher Nancy Abernathy presented State Representative Steve Carriker (D-Roby) with a check in the amount of \$500 and the endorsement of the Texas Educator's Political Action Committee. TEPAC is the political arm of the Texas State Teachers Association.

In making the presentation, Mrs. Abernathy noted that this is the third consecutive time in as many election years that TEPAC has endorsed Representative Carriker. She noted

**GARDEN TIPS FROM THE Cross Plains Garden Club**

Watch for powdery mildew on plants. This is a disease caused by a fungi and it attacks scores of different vegetables and ornamental plants. The effect it has on plants varies, but for most ornamentals, the primary damage is leaves that curl and become distorted.

With some plants, such as crepe myrtles and roses, it can prevent blooms from appearing and distort those that do. Zinnias are particularly susceptible to this disease. A 95% wettable sulfur powder applied at the rate of 4 tablespoons per gallon of water is an effective control, but plan on spraying more than once for this mildew.

Be on the lookout for spider mites on tender young plants. Kelthane (a miticide) is the most effective treatment. Early detection and persistent treatment are the best ways to avoid heavy infestation.

If you have neglected to fertilize plants regularly and they need a quick boost, try foliar feeding. When you spray nutrients onto the foliage, the effect, although short-lived, is almost immediate. You can see the plants turn noticeably greener in only two or three days. Foliar feeding should not replace the more traditional methods of fertilizing.

Manure tea is an old-fashioned fertilizer made by keeping animal manure in a bucket of water. You can pour the liquid onto the soil around the plant or spray it on the foliage. This is especially good on ivy.

that his efforts on behalf of education, particularly his sponsorship of a bill to distribute teacher incentive pay on a more equitable basis, have been greatly appreciated in the educational community. Representative Carriker was also a House co-sponsor of the bill which restored small school allotments.

Representative Carriker, who is finishing his third term in the Texas House of Representatives, in addition to being active on education issues is a member of the County Affairs Committee, the Agriculture Committee, and serves as vice-chair of the House Democratic Caucus. He and his wife, Kathy, who is a certified teacher with nine years of experience, are the parents of two school-age children and one pre-schooler.

**PERSONALS**

Claudie May Watkins reported a great Mother's Day at the home of her son, Keith Watkins and wife, Sue at Eastland. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kentwell of Ranger and Don Watkins of Fairfield and Nancy Henderson of Fort Worth.

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A whole house full of mothers were visitors in the home of Vanda King and children Sunday. Darwin and Wanda Anderson, Loma Atwood, Joe Watson all of Abilene, and Ethel Anderson of Cottonwood and Jeri Renfro of Cross Plains were guests.

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Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M.F. Dill were Clint Brashear, Alton McCowen, and Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Walker of the community. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dill of Irving and Mrs. Carl Lane of Robert Lee were out-of-town guests.

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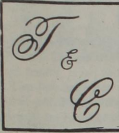
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