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OATH OF OFFICE—Eight Callahan County officials took the oath of office Sunday morning, January 1, for the offices the officials won in the November 1988 general election. Don Lane, 42nd District Court Judge, gave the oaths of office with Callahan County Judge

in. Pictured from left to right and the offices they occupy are: Mack Kniffen, Callahan County Judge; Don Lane, 42nd District Court Judge; Roy LaFoy, Commissioner Precinct 1 (Clyde); Eddie Glen Curtis, Constable Precinct 1

**IRA ROY AKERS** 

The Fact He Was Voted To Receive

This Honor By His Friends Shows The

True Mark Of This Man The Sands Of

Time Will Never Erase His Memory.

Pro Rodeo Historical Society

December 9, 1988

Las Vegas, Nevada

Brownwood Television Cable Ser-

Basic cable rates will increase one

vice will increase certain rates effec-

dollar (\$1) per month in Rising Star

and Cross Plains. HBO rate will in-

crease fifty cents (\$0.50) per month.

Senior citizens will continue to receive a \$2.70 discount on basic cable ser-

The rate increase is necessary to off-

set the increased cost of programming.

"Most of the companies who supply

us with satellite services have increas-

ed the fees they charge us," stated

Bob Nevill, manager of the cable com-

pany. "We have absorbed some of

these increases but some of the in-

creased cost is reflected in the new

Bob Nevill 1-(800) 527-2576.

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Cable Service

**Rate Increases** 

tive January 1, 1989.

Mack Kniffen witnessing the swearing- (Baird); Roy McAdams, Constable Precinct 5 (Clyde); Tommy Holland, Commissioner Precinct 3 (Baird); Brad Harris, County Attorney; Wauneta Estes, Tax Assessor/Collector; Arnold Pruit, Constable Precinct 8 (Putnam); and Bill Skinner, County Sheriff.

#### Rancher Honored By Rodeo Group

Clyde rancher Ira Roy Akers was posthumously named a memorial honoree of the year by the Pro Rodeo Historical Society December 9 in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Akers was killed at the age of 40 when he and two other Clyde Volunteer firemen were battling a grass fire February 11, 1974, 12 miles north of Clyde. An oilfield equipment vehicle, carrying explosives, exploded when the firemen began to extinguish flames around the truck.

Akers was honored by the rodeo historical group during its annual convention. Akers was one of 14 cowboys honored by the group. The Pro Rodeo Historical Society is headquartered in Fort Worth.

The twenty-one family members and friends who travelled to the Sarah Hotel in Las Vegas, where he was honored, included his wife, Gayle

Akers of Clyde. Born June 13, 1933 in San Antonio, Ira Akers lived in San Antonio until 1951 when he graduated from Harlandale High School. He attended Sul Ross College for two years and graduated from Sam Houston College in 1956. He was the world champion intercollegiate cowboy for two years, in 1955 and 1956, and competed in rodeos until 1960. In 1958, Akers was the bull riding champion at a Madison Square Garden rodeo in New York City. He married Gayle Dyer August 25, 1954 in Baird. The couple had met at Sul Ross College in Alpine where both were attending school.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge of Clyde, First Baptist Church of Clyde, and a past president of Callahan County Co-op Directors.

He was also a past president of the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse and past president of the Clyde Community Park Board. He was a 32nd Degree Mason and member of the Clyde Volunteer Fire Department.

The couple has four children, Ira Roy (Iky) Akers Jr., Archie, Barbara, and Brenda. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Akers, still reside in San

Both sons competed in rodeos. Iky was an AJRA rodeo champion two

While in Las Vegas, Akers' wife, Gayle, was given a plaque in recognition of the award.

> MEMORIAL HONOREE OF THE YEAR

The plaque read:

**Ira Akers** 

Memories Of His Rodeo Career And What He Contributed To The Spurt He Loved Will Never Be

### **School Annuals** Go On Sale

Start thinking ahead to January 18 when the Cross Plains Annual Staff will be taking orders for the 1988-89 Bison Yearbook. The yearbook is the only permanent record of the activities during the school year, so don't forget and miss out on the chance to order

Even though the publishing costs continue to rise each year, they will be keeping the cost to the students at \$17 (probably for the last year). Payment is due at the time the annual is

Reminder notices will be sent home with each student a few days in advance of January 18.

#### **Commissioners Court Meets**

The purchase of a \$1,700 copy machine highlighted the agenda with the Callahan County Commissioners Court meeting Monday, December 12, in Baird.

County Commissioners unanimously voted to purchase a copy machine for the Justice of the Peace in Cross Plains, after Cross Plains JP Rolan Jones met with commissioners.

Other items brought before the commissioners court meeting include:

-Commissioners voted to allow Callahan County employees to take Monday, January 2, as a holiday, since the New Year's Day holiday was on Sunday.

-Commissioners approved a motion authorizing three county officials be able to sign county checks. Those officials whose signatures were approved are: Dora Hounshell, county treasurer; Darlene Walker, county clerk; and Mack Kniffen, county judge. Only two signatures from any of the three officials will be required on all county checks written.

-Commissioners voted to authorize the county treasurer to transfer funds from the county's General Fund into the county's Indigent Health Fund. The transfer of money was made to bring the county's Indigent Fund up to state standards.

-Held a discussion with Jon Herod, C.P.A., concerning reccomendations for the best financial procedures for the new computer in the county treasurer's office. Herod is the county's auditor. No action was taken.

## Beauty Pageant Set January 7

By C.A.

The Cross Plains High School Annual Staff is going to start the new year off by presenting the Beauty Contest and Cinderfella Contest Saturday, January 7. This year, there are 16 girls trying for the title of C.P.H.S. "Most

#### **Ex-Agriculture Teacher Expires**

Funeral services were held for V.A. Underwood, 86, who died Monday, December 26. Services were conducted at the Stephenville Funeral Chapel on Wednesday, December 28, at 1:30 p.m. Burial was at Tolar.

He was raised at Tolar and was a vocational agriculture teacher. He taught at Cross Plains High School during the early 1930's to early 1940's. Many ex-students, both men and women, will recall his tenure.

Underwood started the first livestock show in Cross Plains in 1935. His merits as an argricultural leader were many.

Survivors include his son, Billie Joe Underwood, who is a principal at

Tommie Harris, Jimmielee Payne, and Hadden Payne, local residents, attended the services.

#### Fire Department **Donations**

Recent donations to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department were: George Friend.....\$25 Mr. and Mrs. Vince Meiron.....\$50 Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Flippin......\$50 K.D. Brooks.....\$60 Frontier Oil & Gas.....\$10

All contributions are appreciated by the local unit and donations may be made to Alvin Hutchins, treasurer. Your generosity provides for continued fire protection in the communi-

**RETIRING AFTER 24 YEARS—** Callahan County Commissioner F.P. "Jiggs" Shackelford is pictured with his wife, Betty, at a reception for the longtime county commissioner held Friday, December 30. The Baird area commissioner is retiring from county public service after 24 years. The Shackelford family gave a reception for the retiring commissioner at his home in Baird where county residents could thank the Baird commissioner for serving them as county commissioner for 24 years. Baird resident Tommy Holland will take over Shackelford's seat as Callahan County Commissioner.

#### HELP FOR SMOKERS WHO WANT TO QUIT

The Cancer Information Service of The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center provides support, referrals, and literature for anyone who wants to quit smoking and quit for good! Call:

1-800-4-CANCER.

## FFA Sweetheart, etc., etc. Beautiful." There are also 16 good-

natured high school boys trying for the

Also to be presented at the program will be the Elementary Class Favorites, Junior High Class Favorites and Officers, High School Class Favorites, Officers, and the various personalities such as Most Friendly,

title of "Cinderfella."

The program will be held in the

Cross Plains Auditorium, starting at 7:30 p.m. Proceeds to this fundraiser will be applied to the yearbook and expenses. Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1 for students. The Annual Class invites everyone to come and have a fun evening.

## Chili Supper At Cottonwood Jan. 7

The Cottonwood Regional Community Association invites the public to a gospel singing and chili supper, in conjunction with the supper. Saturday, January 7, at the Cottonwood Community Center.

Cost for the chili with all the trimm-

ings will be \$3. Serving time will be 5:30 p.m. A bake sale will also be held

Come to Cottonwood and hear some old-fashioned gospel singing!

## Savings Bonds Sales In Texas Exceed \$305 Million In 1988

Sales of United States Savings Bonds in Texas amounted to \$21,871,073 during September 1988 for a total of \$305,278,022 for fiscal year 1988. This October 1987-September 1988 figure represents 87.2 percent of the assigned goal of \$350 million, T.J. Morrow, District Director for the U.S. Savings Bonds Division in Texas, announced today.

Sales of Series EE Bonds amounted to \$108,297 during the October 1987-September 1988 period in Callahan County, James Eubank, Volunteer County Chairman, said.

Nationally, total sales for fiscal 1988 amounted to \$7,264 million. The amount outstanding in U.S. Savings Bonds as of September 30, 1988 reached \$107.78 billion, a gain of 9

percent over fiscal 1987. All Series EE Bonds purchased on

or after November 1, 1982 - and held at least five years - will earn 85 percent of the average market yield on Treasury marketable securities. The average yield for Bonds held since the beginning of the market-based interest rate on November 1, 1982 is 8.50 percent; the six-month rate for the period November 1, 1988 - April 30, 1989 is 7.35 percent. Outstanding Series E/EE Bonds and Savings Notes held for at least five years after November 1, 1982 are also earning this marketbased rate. Bonds held less than five years earn interest on a fixed, graduated scale.

Consumers can obtain current rate information 24 hours a day by calling 1-800-US BONDS, toll-free.



Becky Grazioli and Marty Niester of Weatherford were married in a double ring ceremony on Sunday, January 1, 1989, at 2 p.m. in Cross Plains.

They wanted to have a wedding outside. The bride chose the front porch steps of the home of the late Ernest and Minnie Rich. They were the greatgrandparents of the bride.

The Rev. Joe Coppinger solemnized

the vows.

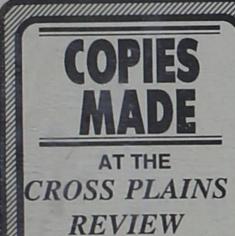
The bride's stepfather and mother, Bob and Marciel Rich Carthen of Fort Worth, were the couple's attendants.

#### **Ethel Anderson** Celebrates 86th Birthday

Monday, December 26, Ethel Anderson celebrated her 86th birthday at her home at Cottonwood. A birthday lunch was enjoyed by all and gifts were presented in her honor.

Those attending were Geraldine Renfro, Carrie and Sonya Renfro, Tessa Wyatt, Stuart and Barbara Sowell, Matt, Mandi, and Malyssa, Darwin and Wanda Anderson and Loma Atwood of Abilene, and Vanda King, Blandye, Leah, and Kye.

Her family wishes her many, many



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There were several relatives and friends of the couple present.

They will honeymoon in Porta Vallarte, Mexico and will live in their home in Weatherford upon returning.

The couple expressed that they hope to celebrate many anniversaries and other happy occasions in this great little city with all its wonderful people.

#### **People To Get Statement Of Benefits**

Every person who received or repaid any Social Security benefits during 1988 will receive a Social Security Benefit Statement, Form SSA-1099, during January 1989, Glyn Hammons, Social Security Manager in Abilene, said recently.

The form will show the amount of Social Security benefits the person received as well as the amount of benefits they repaid during 1988. The form should be used just as any other Form 1099 received from a financial institution is used when the person completes his or her Federal income tax return for 1988, Hammons said.

People who have substantial other income may have to include up to half of their Social Security benefits in their taxable income.

Included with the benefit statement will be IRS Notice 703. This is a worksheet that people can fill out to see if any of their Social Security benefits may be subjected to Federal income tax.

A free publication — Publication 915 — contains a detailed explanation of the entries on the benefit statement and explains about taxability of benefits. A free copy is available at any Internal Revenue Service office.

The Abilene Social Security office is located at 142 S. Pioneer. You can call 1-800-234-5772 toll free.

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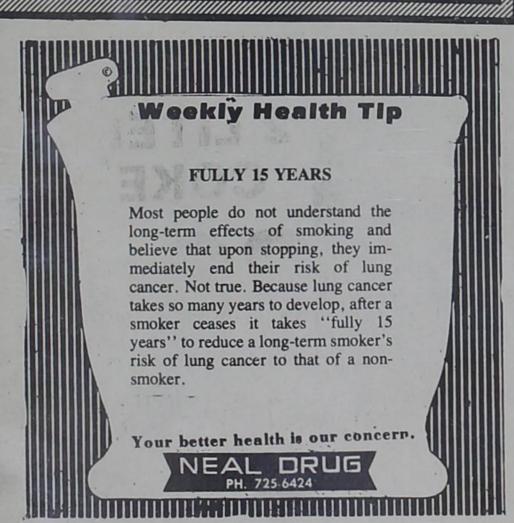
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## **OBITUARIES**

#### Lena S. Coleman

COLEMAN — Lena S. (Mrs. Foy) Coleman, 68, died Wednesday, December 28, at an Abilene hospital.

Services were held 2 p.m. Friday at Stevens Memorial Chapel with the Revs. Paul Smith and Billy Roberts officiating. Burial was in Coleman Cemetery.

Born in Brown County, she attended school at Grosvenor and Burkett. She was a homemaker and a member of North Coleman Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Foy Coleman of Coleman; two daughters, Sylvia (Mrs. Donald) Davis of Abilene and Elaine (Mrs. Gary) Hudson of Tuscola; her mother, Charlcie Field of Coleman; a brother, James Field of Coleman; and five grandchildren.

#### 'Jack' Smith

BAIRD - Harmon F. "Jack" Smith, 66, died Sunday at an Abilene

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Parker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Delton Fisher officiating, assisted by the Rev. T.D. Whitehorn. Burial was in the Admiral Cemetery.

Born in Admiral, he was a lifelong Callahan County resident.

He was a farmer, rancher, a Baptist, and the widower of Jessie Franklin Smith.

A U.S. Army veteran of World War II, he was a member of the Eugene Bell American Legion Post No. 82.

Survivors include two sisters, Lillie Belle Glover of Spring Dale, Ark., and Dorothy Grogan of Anson; a brother, Wendell Smith of Baird; a stepgrandson, Gary Childers of Cross Plains; five nieces; and two nephews.

#### Eldon J. Grisham

COLORADO CITY — Eldon J. Grisham, 64, died Tuesday, December 27, at a local hospital.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Thursday at 22nd and Austin Street Church of Christ with Foy Forehand and Fred Smith officiating. Burial was in Colorado City Cemetery with military rites, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral

Born in Cross Plains, he lived in Colorado City most of his life. A U.S. Army Air Corps veteran of World War II, he was a member of 22nd and Austin Street Church of Christ. He was retired from Cosden Refinery.

Survivors include his wife, Frances Grisham of Colorado City; his mother, Rose Bryant of Abilene; two daughters, Delvnn Reeves of Seguin and Ranee Dawson of Colorado City; three sons, Bobby Grisham of Mayer, Ark., Randall Drex Grisham of Houston and Eldon Gregg Grisham of Colorado City; and eight grandchildren.

#### **Tennie George Phillips**

Tennie George Phillips, 79, died Monday, December 26, at a local hospital.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Smith Cemetery with the Rev. Herschel Weedon officiating, directed by Davis-Morris Funeral Home of Brownwood.

Born in Brown County, he was a farmer and rancher. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Willie Phillips; two sons, Dwayne Phillips of Big Bend National Park and Glenn Phillips of Arlington; two daughters, Faye Merrill of Cross Plains and Jean Johnson of Ferris; 10 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

#### **COLONIAL OAKS SERVICES**

Worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home will be conducted by the Pioneer Pentecostal Church on Sunday, January 8, beginning at 3:30

#### MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

Here we are in a New Year! How about that!

I had a wonderful Christmas visit in Cleburne with my daughter, Joanie's nice family. Bob came here for me on Friday and brought me home on Mon-

We were joined there by my son, C.V. Jr., Karen, and their three precious daughters from Longview. It was truly a joyous occasion.

On Sunday of this week, I was joyfully surprised when my youngest brother, Max Satterwhite, Wanda and Keri came here from their home in Cisco. I was truly delighted to see them.

On Monday morning, we had a splendid attendance at the regular meeting of A.A.R.P. Following a terrific luncheon, we enjoyed a very enlightening dissertation by our "Gray-Haired" Legislator, Mr. Jerome Ray of Comanche. His lovely wife, Daviddie, was with us also.

Sally Roady reported that they had all their children at home for the Holidays. Their son, George, was here from California for quite some time. They took him to Dallas on Tuesday to catch a plane back to California. The families had a "42" party for the New Year's Eve. Ms. Nettie came in Sunday evening.

Holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Beggs were their three sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Beggs, Danyel and Charissa of La Juanta, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Kim Beggs and David of Stephenville; and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Lee Beggs, Nikki, Ashley, and Tony of Cross Plains. Sam Beggs, J.T.'s brother from Morton Valley, visited also. Tommy Gann and grandson, Robert of Wichita Falls, stopped by Tuesday, and Wednesday, Ina Smith and her brother, Leroy Monroe of Fort Worth, came by and had supper with the Beg-

Betty Beggs had dinner on Sunday with Rex Lee Beggs and family in Cross Plains.

Ms. Jewel Foster reports that they had a great Christmas this time. Golda Huston and family of Houston were here. All the Foster families were here for the holidays.

Ms. Jewel stated that the Quilting Club would start again on this Tuesday.

Nell Fleming reported that they had a beautiful Christmas gathering with all the children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren present. She was grateful for the nice weather at that

I had a large number of lovely cards from friends from "all over". From Mr. Mac's two daughters, one in California and one in Maryland, one from Tamarac, Florida, and a lovely card from Imogene Cox in Houma, Louisiana. She wrote: "I enjoy your column - keep up the good work." I cherish her kind remark. She also wrote: "Give my love to all of those C.P. people — they are a dear group."

#### **PERSONALS**

Holiday guests at the home of Vanda King and children were Lester and Christine King, Tommy King, Geraldine Renfro, Carrie Renfro, and, Sonya Renfro all of Cross Plains. Those from Cottonwood were Ethel Anderson, Barbara Sowell, Matt. Mandi, and Malyssa.

Out-of-town guests included Darwin and Wanda Anderson, Blandye Harris, Loma Atwood, Joe Watson, and Guy Watson all of Abilene; Staci Watson of San Marcos; Todd Watson of Dallas; Rod and Beth Renfro of May; and Karin Sabaitis of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and Vera Pearl Bunnell spent the Christmas holidays in Houston with the Max Watsons and in Richmond with the Billy Watson family.

Visiting with Mrs. Suma Dill were Wanda Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson, Alton McCowen, and Blanche Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shanks and grandson, Haven Carr of Big Spring, also stopped by for



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## Mr. And Mrs. A.L. Breeding Celebrate 50th Anniversary

A.L. and Ora Breeding recently celebrated their Golden Wedding An-

### **NEW ARRIVAL**

Jason and Kristy (Pointer) Gibbs of Early are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Misha Nicolle Gibbs.

She was born December 17 at Brownwood Regional Hospital at 8:57 p.m. Misha weighed 7 pounds 151/2 ounces and was 21 inches long.

Maternal grandmother is Margaret Pointer of Cross Plains. Paternal grandparents are Laura Marlin of Early and Wayne Gibbs of Sidney.

(Possible Filler) First 18-Year-Old Registered With Selective Service Too Old To Be Drafted

niversary. They were married on December 24, 1938.

Ora was born in 1921 in Pioneer, Texas. A.L. was born in 1914 on the place where they have lived all their married life.

The couple celebrated their anniversary with their children and grandchildren. Their son and daughter-inlaw, Darwin and Joyce Breeding, live in Abilene. Their daughter and son-inlaw, Connie and Bill Plummer, reside in Leander. Grandchildren are Dan and Melinda Breeding, Kevin and Darcas Shipley of Lubbock, and Lance and April Plummer of Leander.

> Cross Plains Review Thursday, Jan. 5, 1989

Old Time Gospel Mission

East 8th St	reet	
Sunday Morning	10:00 a.m.	
Sunday Evening	7:00 p.m.	
Tuesday Evening Services		
Michael Ingram, Pastor	Everyone Is Welcome	

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 9th & Ave. D WORSHIP SERVICE ..... 9:30 A.M. BIBLE CLASS ...... 10:30 A.M.

> Jasper McClellan, Pastor Everyone Welcome

#### BELIEVER'S FELLOWSHIP

Full Gospel Church East Highway 36	9:30 a.m.
	10:45 a.m. 6:15 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study & Prayer	7:30 p.m.
Charlie Fortenberry, Pastor 725-6607	

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH **CROSS PLAINS** (817) 725-7629 10TH & MAIN Sunday School......9:45 a.m. Morning Worship......11:00 a.m. Church Training...... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship......7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service.....7:15 p.m. Marvin Saunders, M/Y Dir.-725-7550 Michael Hale, Pastor- 725-7556

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH North Main at George Scott Cross Plains, Texas Sunday School......9:45 a.m. Morning Worship......10:45 a.m. Youth Meet Sundays......7:00 p.m.

Choir Practice Wednesdays...... 6:30 p.m.

REV. KLEL QUESENBERRY, Pastor 725-7377

COTTONWOOD BAPTIST C	HURCH
SERVICES: Sunday School WHERE JESUS IS LORI	D' 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship	11:00 A.M.
Training Union & Youth Choir	6:00 P.M.
Evening Worship	7:00 P.M.
Wed. Evening Prayer Service	7:30 P.M.
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COME WORSHIP WITH US WHERE CHRIST IS HONORED Sunday Morning Bible Class......9:45 A.M. Wed. Morning Sunday Morning Worship......10:45 A.M. Ladies Bible Class Sunday Evening Worship.....6:00 P.M. (Seasonal) 10:00 A.M. Wed. Evening Bible Study......7:00 P.M.
Come now, and let us reason together" Islah 1:18 WE WELCOME ONE AND ALL

## **Exam Schedule Released**

Cross Plains High School has released the exam schedule for the end of the first semester. Students from the 7th-12th grades are required to take semester exams. The final exam counts one-fourth of the semester



JANUARY 5 - JANUARY 11

BREAKFAST

THURSDAY - Pancake w/syrup, butter, orange juice, milk. FRIDAY - Buttered oatmeal, toast,

grape juice, milk. MONDAY - Pancake w/syrup, butter, grape juice, milk.

TUESDAY - Bacon, egg, biscuit, jelly, orange juice, milk. WEDNESDAY - Choice of ready to

#### LUNCH

eat cereal, toast, grape juice, milk.

THURSDAY — Tacos w/tarter sauce, corn, garden salad, Jello, milk. FRIDAY - Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickle, French fries, cookie,

MONDAY - Burritos w/chili, cheese, coleslaw, baked beans, milk. TUESDAY — Corn chip pie w/chili beans, pickle spears, corn bread, chilled peaches, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Barbeque on a bun, French fries, salad, pear slices, The exam schedule and times are as

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11 7th Period.....12:45 p.m.-2:45 p.m. THURSDAY, JANUARY 12

1st Period......8:20 a.m.-10:15 a.m. 3rd Period....10:20 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 5th Period.....12:45 p.m.-2:45 p.m. FRIDAY, JANUARY 13

4th Period....10:20 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 6th Period.....12:45 p.m.-2:45 p.m.

2nd Period.....8:20 a.m.-10:15 a.m.

Each student is required to remain in class for a minimum of 1 hour. Buses will run at 2:45 p.m. all three days.

#### Mr. Jerome Ray Speaker At AARP **Meeting January 2**

AARP members held their first regular meeting of the new year on Monday, January 2.

Mr. Jerome Ray, the Silver-Haired Legislator for AARP from Comanche, gave an interesting talk on the resolutions they had brought before Congress in their last session.

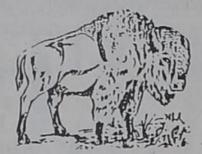
Everyone present enjoyed Mr. Ray's talk and also the luncheon prepared by the ladies which preceded the program.

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#### **Free Washington Trips For Local Winners**

An all-expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C. next June will be awarded to two young people from Taylor Electric's service area by Taylor Electric Cooperative, Inc., according to Don Hart, manager of the Cooperative.

Hart said winners of an oratorical contest would be awarded the trip which begins June 27, 1989. All youth 14 to 19 years of age in the Cooperative's service area are eligible to enter the contest.

Contest entrants will be required to interview someone who remembers what it was like without electricity, and give a 5-8 minute speech on the theme "When the Lights Came On."

The contest will be judged on the basis of knowledge of the subject, speaking ability, poise, personality, and appearance.

Deadline for submitting entry forms will be March 23, 1989.

This is the 24th year that Taylor Electric Cooperative has sponsored a Youth Tour to Washington contest. Winners last year were Cassie Townsend of Merkel and Stacey Hawes of Baird.

As participants in the Youth Tour, local contest winners will travel by bus to Washington where they will spend twelve days visiting places of historical interest and visiting members of Congress.

A highlight of the Washington trip is the Rural Electric Youth Day, during which a special program coordinated by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association will feature speeches by high government and rural electric officials, participation in an "Energy Battle" competition comparable to the 1960s television series "College Bowl."

Contest winners will be eligible to compete to represent their state on NRECA's Youth Consulting Board.

Approximately 1,100 Youth Tour participants from thirty-seven states will meet in Washington, D.C. for the 26th National Rural Electric Youth

## **COTTONWOOD NEWS**

By BEVERLY BROWN

By the time this column hits the newsstands, we will be in the start of a new year. Have you noticed most resolutions for the 1989 year are selfcentered? Try a self evaluation critical test on yourself, but be honest in compiling your list.

I wish for you a 1989 filled with finding one's self getting less forgetful, being punctual, efficient, supportive, and attentive in your Christian duties, church, and community affairs. How about another one — getting your 1988 income tax returns filed early; better organization in one's daily and business affairs, sharing and caring for others, visiting the shut-ins and elderly, and the list goes on. It may turn out to be a terrific 1989 if we work at it. Happy New Year, everyone!

Mrs. X.L. Stroud and Mrs. Wayne Brown attended the party on Wednesday, December 28, at the West Texas Rehabilitation Center for all quilt and afghan donors. The ladies represented the Cottonwood Quilting Club group. The quilts and afghans were fabulous. If you can, go by the Civic Center in Abilene on Friday, January 6, or Rehab Night the 7th and see the display. The Rehab Telethon will be held Saturday, January 7, in Abilene.

On Saturday, January 7, the Cottonwood Regional Community Association will sponsor a chili supper and gospel singing night at the Cottonwood Community Center. The meal consists of a bowl of chili or frito pie, corn bread or crackers, coffee or tea, and dessert for only \$3.

All area and Big Country gospel singers, from solo to groups, are invited to participate. Judges for the gospel singing will be Mattie Faye Wilson, James Oscar Koenig, and Marvin Saunders. Serving time for the supper will be at 5:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hollis and daughter, Gretchen of Borger, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Grable.

Mary Weaver and David of Corpus Christi spent their Christmas break and holiday with her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson Sr., and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weaver and their

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Haston of North Richland Hills visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Albrecht and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee

Creamer and Forrest, and grandfather, Mr. Bill Smith, over the holiday.

Tammy Stroud and Jason had her family in her home for Christmas Day and dinner. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. X.L. Stroud, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Morris and daughters of Clyde, Kimberley Creamer, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Creamer and son, and Byran McMillan and daughter of Abilene. On Monday, Richard Creamer of Texas Tech in Lubbock was in to visit the families in Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton McInnis had their daughter, Janice Bristow of Fort Worth, and granddaughter and her husband, Kathy and Mike Ross of Duncanville, visiting for two weeks before Christmas, and they decorated the family home and put up the tree for the folks.

David McInnis and son, David Mack of Carlsbad. New Mexico, were at his parents, Dayton and Clara McInnis, Sunday and Monday, and Doris Greenburg of Cisco spent Sunday afternoon with her brother and family.

On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton McInnis traveled to Mason to have an early Christmas with their daughter and family, Virginia and Kenneth Durst, and Amy of the home; and Kacy from the University of Texas in Austin; and Michael from Indiana.

On Saturday, Teri Brown and Steve Dulaney of Houston arrived to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown. They visited with Mrs. James Brown and Kenny in Abilene on Monday and returned home on Tuesday

On Saturday, family members gathering in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P.M. Duncan for Christmas, were Elmer and Barbara Duncan and family of Eastland; Larry and Marlyn Duncan and son, Duwayne, and Margie and family all of Cleburne; Wanda Marsh of Merkel; Martha and William

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Mrs. Max (Shirley) Byrd of Keller was here visiting with her sisters and families, the Bill Nickersons Sr., Bill Kelly, and Mary Weaver, during the Christmas holiday and returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Ethel Anderson spent Christmas Eve with her daughter, Mrs. Rufus Renfro and family, the Stuart Sowells of Cross Plains, and Rodney Renfros of May. Ethel went to her granddaughter's, Vanda King and children, on Christmas Day to be with them and her son and his wife, Darwin and Wanda Anderson of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wheeler had all their children and parents home on Christmas Day, including Robbie and Russell of the home; Ricky and Sherri and Andrew of Abilene; Mrs. Bertha Wheeler, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard

Guests in the home of Mrs. Bertha Wheeler over the holiday were Patricia Moore, Virginia Callaway, and her granddaughter, Melanie Long of Dallas.

Dr. and Mrs. J.O. Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Anderson and James were at their son and brother, Paul Williams, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Waggoner and family of China Springs had Christmas at home with his parents, Reverend and Mrs. Knox Waggoner.

Brad Waggoner and family of Denton; Freddie Waggoner of Cisco; and Brenda Kanady and family of Baird were all home for the Christmas family gathering at their parents, Charles and Ruth Waggoner.

Peggy Purvis, Priscilla Hammer, and friend, Lynn of Austin, were at Peggy's parents, John and Janet Purvis, for the Christmas holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robinson and Brian of Clyde spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.P Clark.



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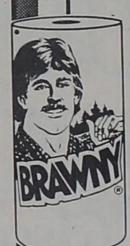


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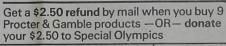
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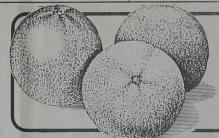


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#### **ROWDEN NEWS**

By MRS. N.V. GIBBS

Christmas has come and gone and New Year's resolutions are yours to make. This season is always a time for family meetings, Christmas trees, and eating at Grandma's house.

Our weather has also turned colder this week. The Gibbs thermometer reading was 20 degrees Wednesday morning and 26 degrees on Thursday, so that's pretty cold. Rainfall for the area is under normal for the year. We hope 1989 will be better.

Bill Steele and Trey Fortune have spent a night with each other during the holidays. Connie Steele attended her Sunday School Class party at the Dan Johnstons' swimming pool room last Tuesday night in Cross Plains.

Gene and Vernie Belle Mauldin accompanied their son, Roland Mauldin and his family to Snyder to have Christmas dinner in the Willie Masters home. This was the first Christmas for the Masters' new grandchildren.

Judy and Tony Steele and children, Tonya, Bill, and Connie prepared Christmas turkey dinner in their home for this writer and Tony's mother and grandmother, Opal Steele of Clyde and Adra Cook of the Baird rest home.

Those enjoying Christmas dinner and visiting in the Sterling Odom home were Ralph and Ginny Trevey and children, David, Scott, and Jennifer of Snyder; Charles and Nancy Palmer and son, Michael of Clyde; and also Ivon Odom and his friend, Nora Odom of Cross Plains.

Those visiting Emma Johnson and Lizzie Burks during the week were Carroll Burks and his stepson, Joel Toby of Potosi, and Charlie and Betty Burks of Abilene and her mother, Ethel Williams of Sand Springs, Oklahoma. The two ladies also received phone calls from Pansy Johnson of San Antonio and Joan Pope of Stephenville. Emma reported they still were enjoying turkey dinner and fruit brought in to them during the holidays.

James and Dorothy Reynolds spent Christmas with their daughter, Janet and family in Midlothian. Jim Reynolds and son, Chris of Midland, also visited in the home. Ellen and John Carpenter of Azle came over and the group attended Sunday night services with Tan and Janet.

Little Colby and Chris Reynolds have spent part of this past week with their grandparents, James and Dorothy Reynolds.

Tonya and Connie Steele went home with their grandmother, Opal Steele in Clyde, to spend two days. While there, they visited their cousins, Steffonie and Jennifer Steele.

Those having Christmas dinner in the home of Don and Maryana Harrell and Leigh were his mother and aunt, Justine Harrell and Dorothy Kimbro of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Newberry of Abilene; and also a sister of Maryana, Melissa and her husband, Griff Andrews and son, Billy of Austin.

The Robert Watson family was all at home during the holiday, which included Brock of Duncan, Oklahoma, Brad and Kyle of Texas Tech and Robbie, Cody, and Wyatt of the home.

Edna Dye, along with Bob and Kathy Dye and their daughter, Julie, and her husband, Brian Patterson of Copparas Cove, all were in Abilene at the home of Edwin and Ann Dye and Lori Ann for Christmas Eve supper. Also attending from Abilene were Tommy and Erlene Dye and son, Douglas, and the Gene Dye family of Abilene.

Sunday, Bob and Kathy Dye drove to Mason to spend Christmas Day with

her mother, Anna Dendy. This writer and her grandchildren had a short visit with aunts, Jewel Swanzy and Anna Bell Tabor, in Clyde Wednesday afternoon.

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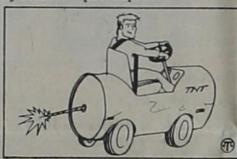
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