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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443

NUMBER 32



WINNER OF COWBOY TICKETS — Cheri Goble, store manager at

Food Plaza, presented Cowboy football tickets to drawing winner Scott Brame.

Local Teen Wins Dallas Cowboy Tickets At Food Plaza

The drawing for two Dallas Cowboy tickets and parking pass was held October 30 at Food Plaza and Scott Brame was the lucky winner. The tickets were for the Monday night game, November 6, (Cowboys Vs Philadelphia Eagles) at Texas Stadium.

Store manager Cheri Goble presented the tickets to Scott and congratulated him on behalf of Food Plaza. Scott is a

sophomore at Cross Plains High School where he is active in the band and tennis program. He is the son of Peggy Brame. Brame remarked that he had never won anything like this before. Being a Cowboy fan, he was excited about attending the game.

Food Plaza appreciated everyone who registered for the drawing.

Project Pride Meets Tuesday, Nov. 14

Project Pride will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, November 14, at 6:00 p.m. in the Howard House located on West Highway 36.

All members are urged to attend and participate in the final plans for Christmas Village.

The public is also invited to attend this meeting.

Collum's Restaurant Features Dinner Buffet

Collum's Restaurant now features a dinner buffet on Friday and Saturday evenings beginning at 5 p.m. Enchiladas, catfish, and shrimp plus the salad bar are served for \$5.95 (all you can eat).

A daily buffet offering a variety of food choices is available for \$5.25 (all you can eat).

Friendly service and delicious meals are always found at Collum's Restaurant on West Highway 36. Dusty and Jody Finn, owners, invite you to come by!

Colonial Oaks Services

Church of Christ will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, November 12, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

GARDEN CLUB INVITES YOU!

By KAY D. MOSLEY

The Cross Plains Garden Club will hold a short business meeting at 1:00 p.m. November 10.

After its regular meeting you are invited. Commencing at 2:00 p.m. the same date, anyone interested is invited to attend the Garden Club meeting for a special workshop. Barbara Powell will direct the workshop on Holiday Wreath making. Program chairman is Barbara Powell with Maurine McCuin and Marvin Mosley as co-chairman. The meeting will be held at the Multi-Purpose Center at 701 East 8th Street.

The following is a list of suggested items to bring to make your own wreath. Wire or clothes hangers, greenery such as cedar, glue gun, floral wire or fishing line, bread ties. Christmas or Fall ornaments or decorations. Some suggestions for ornaments are English Walnuts, Primrose seed pods (spray paint items prior to bringing them), pine cones, acorns, strawflowers, garlic, wild oats, Macadamia nuts, pumpkin seed, wheat, cape, gooseberries, tiny lemons, berries, achillea gold plate, ivy, lycopodium leaves, seed pods, red or green cookie cutters, any small Christmas ornaments.

There will be some wreaths already on display for you to view --- so come one! Come All! "C" "U" There!

Youth Needed For Living Windows

By ROXIE THOMAS

Students, grades K-8, and preschool children are again needed to participate in the "Living Windows" for the Christmas Village, December 1, 2, 8, and 9.

We will be doing activities based on "Twas the Night Before Christmas, in Texas Theme. If you participated last year, we encourage you to do so again. If you are interested in joining us for the First time, please feel welcome. We certainly want to extend an invitation to any parents or older students who wish to help organize this event.

Participants are asked to meet at the school auditorium on Monday, November 13 at 3:15 p.m. for an initial meeting. If you have any questions please call Sheri Bennett at 725-6528 or 725-6877, Jacque Childress at 725-6866 or Roxie Thomas at 725-6436.

Mediplex Home Health Open House Nov. 14

Mediplex Home Health Care will be observing National Home Health Month with an Open House Tuesday, November 14 from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

Varsity Parents Night Fri., Nov. 10

Varsity Parent Night will be Friday, November 10. Parents are asked to be at the field at 6:15 p.m. and introductions begin at 6:30 p.m. at Buffalo Stadium.

Sweethearts for the Junior Varsity and Varsity Football teams will also be presented at the final game of the season.

HELP UNITED FUND MEET ANNUAL GOAL

Presently, the United Fund has collected \$3251 which is 71% of the \$4550 goal set for 1995.

Donations are still being accepted at Citizens State Bank. Your contributions are appreciated.

It Is Time To Recertify For Commodity Distribution

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. has announced that it is time to recertify clients who participate in the TEFAP (commodities) program. TDHS guidelines stated that to receive USDA Commodities, households must apply once a year in the contracted area where they live.

CTO staff and volunteers will assist clients in filling out their applications on the below listed dates, times, and locations:

Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center—November 27, 9:00 to 11:30 a.m.

Baird VFV—November 28, 8:00 to 10:00 a.m.

Putnam City Hall—November 28, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Clyde Senior Center—November 28, 1:00 to 2:30 p.m.

This year, TDHS is requiring that any individual who wishes for someone else to pick up their commodities to submit proof that they are disabled. Exceptions may be made for elderly shut-ins. CTO will verify this information. Proof of income, copies of AFDC, food stamps, SSI, MAO, driver license, utility bills, commodities recertification are required for proof of identity, residency, and income. Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. is an equal opportunity provider without regard to race, color, age, sex, disability, political belief, religion, or national origin.

Emmett Payne, Executive Director of Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. stated, "Although there are no commodities available for distribution for the month of November, it is our understanding that the programs continuation looks promising. We are hoping to begin getting items for distribution in December, and will run news releases in area papers as soon as we know when those interested in continuing participation in the program to get recertified this month."

If you have any questions regarding this information or need additional information on recertification locations, please contact the Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. Administrative Office at 1-800-625-4167.

LORD'S ACRE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11

The Lord's Acre will be held Saturday, November 11, at the First United Methodist Church. The "Little Acre Store" will open at 11 a.m. featuring small gifts and baked goods.

Serving for the turkey and trimmings dinner will begin at 5 p.m. Adult plates are \$5.00 and children \$2.50. Carry-out dinners will be available between 4:30

and 6:30 p.m. by calling 725-6218. Children plates are not provided as carry-outs. The First United Methodist Youth will deliver these meals.

First United Methodist Church is located at 2000 Main and George Scott Street and everyone is invited to attend for a good meal and a good time.



BEST OF SHOW—Carol Greenwood of Cross Plains won the honor of

the All-Around Most Outstanding painting and top cash award.

1995 Art Show Winners Announced

The Paint and Palette Club held their 23rd annual show last weekend with 120 entries from around this area. Carol Greenwood, a Cross Plains artist, was awarded Best of Show.

Esme Glenn, an Abilene native artist, served as judge for the show. She is a graduate of Abilene High School; attended Abilene Christian University for

two years; and graduated from the University of Texas in Austin majoring in art. Glenn has taught workshops in portraits and has occasionally worked as a courtroom artist over the past fifteen years. Esme specializes in portrait and landscape painting.

Winners in various divisions are as follows: See Results Page 8

CHRISTMAS VILLAGE TO OPEN DECEMBER 1

Cross Plains Main Street Christmas Village will officially open on Friday, December 1, with the arrival of Santa Clause and the lighting of the Kiwanis' Christmas Tree.

Festivities will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the area just south of Higginbotham's store building. The village will re-open on December 2, 8, and 9 from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. with something for every member of the family.

Activities and exhibits will be staged

in Higginbothams, the library, the Senior Center, the Post Office, and Citizens State Bank. The Christmas Bear and Tex the Snowman will be greeting friends on the street.

There will be no admission charge. Make plans now to spend each evening visiting Santa and his helpers, viewing various exhibits, enjoying musical entertainment, and visiting with friends as they celebrate "Christmas in Texas" right here in Cross Plains.

COUNTY COURT
Bill Johnson presiding

Misdemeanor Minutes
David Wayne Rhone, deadly conduct, \$2500 fine \$182 court costs, 2 years probation for deferred judgment.
Timothy D. Canon, DWI, \$800 fine \$237 court costs, 120 days in jail probated for 2 years.
Sonny Armstrong, theft of property by check, \$10 fine \$195 court costs, 20 days in jail probated for 6 months.
Harry A. Mason, theft of service, \$100 fine \$160 court costs, \$108.88 restitution.
In the matter of David Mark Reed, W.L. Burke, Jr. allowed to withdraw as attorney of record.
In the matter of David Mark Reed, Bobby Reed allowed to withdraw as surety.
Jon Richard Gilley, motion filed to revoke probation.
Casey Del Metts, DWI dismissed due to being convicted in another case.

MARRIAGE LICENSE
Karin Elaine Rutherford & James Brian Goundie of Abilene.

42nd DISTRICT COURT
John Weeks presiding

Civil Filings
Divorces filed:
Wheeler, Rick Lawrence & Sherri Kay.
Whitworth, Fleeta Ann & Chester Gene.
Hall, Shawn Deniece & Larry Lee, Jr., and in the interest of minor child.
Mitchell, Emily Susan & Steven Claxton, and in the interest of minor child.

Civil Minutes
Divorces granted:
Jeffcoat, Ronda Rachell & Clint Michael.
Mealer, Pamela Kay & William Mace.
Taillon, Rhonda LeAnn & Douglas J.

Felony Minutes
Jason Allen Koch, motion dismissed to revoke probation.
David Bruce Webster, unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon, 6 years at TDC.
Rodney Free, misapplication of fiduciary property, 15 years at TDC.
Johnny W. Ford, theft, \$1000 fine \$87.50 court costs, \$3000 restitution.

OBITUARIES

Verda Dunn

Verda V. Dunn, 84, died Wednesday, November 1, 1995, in a local hospital. Services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday in North's Funeral Home Memorial Chapel, 242 Orange, with the Rev. W.L. Armstrong officiating. Burial was in Rising Star Cemetery.
Mrs. Dunn was born in Rising Star, where she grew up. She married Vernon Dunn in Cisco and moved to Abilene in the 1940s. She was a homemaker and was a member of Epworth United Methodist Church.
Survivors include two daughters, Mary Lovell and Wanda Sickman, both of Abilene; 11 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

William Smith

William A. Smith, 81, of Odessa and formerly of the Big Country, died Tuesday, October 31, 1995, in an Odessa hospital.
Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in May Cemetery with Michael Ingram officiating, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.
Mr. Smith was born in Woodson and was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He worked as an oilfield pumper and was the widower of Kathryn Sanders Smith, whom he married in 1946 in Albany.
Survivors include two daughters, Dian Comalander of Brady and Rebecca Smith of Odessa; three sisters, Mary Fryer of Lake Coleman, Lona Rutledge of Scranton and Lois Chalk of Cottonwood; one brother, Ray W. Smith of Paint Rock; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

BROWNWOOD'S TOUR OF HOMES DECEMBER 3

The Brownwood Women's Club will be having their annual "Tour of Homes" on Sunday, December 3 from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Tickets are available now for \$6 and may be purchased from any women's club member, Pat's and Genes, Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, or any of the financial institutions.
There will also be baked and decorated goodies for Christmas for sale at one of the homes.



The world's tallest mountain measured from the sea bed is Mauna Kea on the island of Hawaii.

OIL NEWS

Oil Completions

Callahan

J.V. Rhyne, Cisco, completed No. 1A Baum A in the Regular 3.5 miles west of Cross Plains. Spots 1,683 FSL and 1,275 FWL, A. Montgomery No. 853, A-276.
Elevation 1,740 GL.
Daily pumping potential was 21 bbls. of 40-gravity oil, TSTM gas and 15 bbls. of water from perfs at 1,574-98. GOR TSTM: Total depth 1,660; top of pay 1,574; 4 1/2-inch casing set at total depth. Fractured with 50 sacks of sand and 140 bbls. of gel water.
Tops reported: Winchell Lime 1,142.
Contractor: M&M Drilling.



Selected Scriptures
Do to others as you would have them do to you. Luke 6:31
Paid Advertising — Irma Miller

Christmas Parade In Coleman Dec. 1

"Home for the Holidays" Christmas Parade will be held December 1 in Coleman beginning at 6:00 p.m. Deadline for entries is November 29. Floats, decorated cars, bands and bicycles will be judged and awarded prizes.
Call Coleman County Chamber of Commerce, Agriculture and Tourist Bureau at (915) 625-2163 for further details.

Want To Write Your Elected Officials?

Here are their addresses:

Austin
George Bush, Jr., Governor, Room 200, State Capitol, Austin, TX. 78711.
Bill Sims, State Senator, District 25, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, TX. 78711.
John Cook, State Representative, District 60, P.O. Box 2910, Austin, TX. 78768-2910.

Washington
Bill Clinton, President of the United State, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20000.
Charles Stenholm, Congressman, 17th Texas District, 1226 Longworth Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.
Phil Gramm, U.S. Senator, Room 370, Russell Building, Washington, D.C. 20510-4302.
Kay Bailey Hutchison, U.S. Senator, Room 703, Hart Building, Washington, D.C. 20510-4301.

First National Bank Receives First Ever Partnership Award

Council Finance, a SBA Certified Development Company and a non-profit, independent arm of the West Central Texas Council of Governments, today presented to First National Bank of Baird its first annual Partnership Award. The Baird based bank was honored for the number of SBA 504 approvals gained over the past twelve months.

Scotty Lindley, Senior Vice President, accepted the award on behalf of the bank, which opened its Abilene branch at 1849 South First in April of this year. "It's a great tool for me," Lindley stated. "And it helps businesses survive by lowering their monthly payments."

In presenting the award, Rick Womble, Council Finance Administrator stated "Scotty and First National Bank of Baird are to be congratulated on their commitment to the small businesses of this region. By utilizing the 504 program, they are giving their borrowers the best and most economical structure available for fixed asset financing. In order words, they put the profits of their business customers ahead of their own." Womble also remarked that some local banks don't tell their borrowers about this program

because they either don't know about it or feel they can make more money using other financing methods. "It's a shame, but it happens," Mr. Womble said.

Council Finance makes SBA 504 loans to assist businesses needing fixed-asset financing. Funding comes from 10 or 20 year debentures sold on the private market, providing an opportunity for small businesses to obtain long-term financing at Fortune 500 interest rates, 7.51% for October. It also allows them to finance up to 90% of a project's costs, conserving much needed cash for operations. By partnering with area banks, Council Finance itself loans up to 40% of the total project costs, allowing the lender to participate in the remaining amount and still enjoy a first lien position.

More information about SBA 504 loans and other small business assistance programs is available by contacting Rick Womble at Council Finance, 1025 E.N. 10th, Abilene (915) 672-8544. Scotty Lindley and First National Bank of Baird, Abilene Branch can be reached at (915) 670-0670.

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10TH & MAIN CROSS PLAINS (817) 725-7629
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Church Training 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
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Dr. Jim H. O'Dell - Pastor (817) 725-7556 Tony Appuglies — MY Min. (817) 725-6326

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Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Bro. Max Martin, Pastor Phone 725-6574

LORD'S ACRE FALL FESTIVAL
Saturday, November 11

TURKEY DINNER
At Church 5 - 7 p.m.
Take-outs 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.
Betty Browning's
1347 Avenue E 725-6218
\$5.00 per plate
\$2.50 child (church only)

GIFT SHOP
Church 11:00 a.m.

AUCTION
Church 7:00 p.m.

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EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

By LINDA EDINGTON
Activity Director

Mary Keele reported that she attended the Art Show at the Community Center Sunday afternoon and enjoyed seeing all the beautiful pictures.

Allie Dickson was our winner for a free meal at Jack's Place. Thanks Wanda and Jack.

Lorena Wright had her hair cut and styled and looks mighty pretty.

Our appreciation to Barbara Young and Frances Wolf for the cake and to Ruby Cassle for the doughnuts.

A warm welcome to our new resident Lee Hopkins.

Ruby and Naomi McCowen visited with Gertie Powell.

Van LeBus from Abilene visited Anabel Vaught. Also Loleta LeBus.

Era Lee Hanke was here visiting everybody.

Leo and Jewel Thompson visited with Sylvia Smith.

Charlene Metcalf visited with Ritta Knight and Clara Coburn.

Geneva Word and Betty Word from Lone Grove, Oklahoma, Ken and Avis Sublett, Ruby Snowden and Jeff Ross from Arlington and Frances Thornton

visited Myrtle Wilson.

Derron and Marbra Thompson from Azle and Sharon Hooten from Fort Worth visited Inez Ingram.

Ann Cross from San Angelo visited Clara Coburn.

Billy and Paul Wright from Clyde visited Everett Wright.

Bill and Pat Smith from Amarillo visited Sylvia Smith.

Activities during the week:

Monday: Bingo winners were Gertie Powell, Midge McCall, Suma Dill, Sylvia Smith (2), Allie Dickson (2), Mary Keele (2), Dorothy Thomas and Vera Belyeu. Exercise class.

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

Wednesday: Sing-a-long with Bob Wallace. Exercise class.

Thursday: Bingo winners were Dorothy Thomas, Allie Dickson, Suma Dill, Vera Belyeu, Mary Keele, Bertha Wheeler (3), Gertie Powell, and Midge McCall. Music with Colleen Anderson.

Friday: Singing with Bob Wallace. Sit-down-basketball. Skip-Bo games.

Sunday: Church of Christ.

Jesus is as near as a whispered prayer.

Quips, Clips & Comments

By KAY DENNIS MOSLEY

"Reminisces of Childhood"

Do you remember-----?

Mama always had mint growing around the water faucet in the back yard. It tasted so good and was so refreshing in iced tea and lemonade. Odd strange and curious how things like that stick in your mind and create memories for ever after.

For the remainder of my life (and still true today) whenever we've moved into a new-to-us house, it never quite felt like home until we got that mint planted!

Whenever our grandson (now aged 7 years) has come to Cross Plains to spend some time with us, he always asks if he can go into the backyard and ----! Yep, you guessed it; pick some mint from around Grandma's water faucet for the iced tea. Memories are indeed made of

this!

So-o-o, make some memories and some iced tea, don't forget the mint and the fried chicken.

I have two types of mint among my herbs, the regular mint with the slender white blossoms and peppermint with the small round orchid flowers.

For this winter try steeping a few mint leaves in your cup of hot tea or hot chocolate. Delicious and heartwarming also.

We pick our mint leaves, wash them thoroughly and place them in cold water and into freezer bags and then into the freezer to enjoy during the winter months.

I'm gonna sit back and sip my mint tea now. "C" "U" next column.



RECENT HONOREES!—The Recent Honorees Garden Club recently presented to Charles and Linda Strength their "Keep Your Chin Up" award. Chairman of this Review is Roland Jones.

MISTI BAILEY ENTERS ARMY RESERVE BASIC TRAINING

Army Reserve Pvt. Misti L. Bailey has entered basic training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, South Carolina.

During the eight weeks of training, the soldiers will study the Army mission and will receive instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading,

tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, Army history and traditions, and special training in human relations.

Bailey is the daughter of Autry L. Bailey of Abilene, and Susan V. Bailey of Rising Star.

Deadline For Service Academy Appointments Is Near

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Congressman Charles W. Stenholm has announced that the deadline for applications to the United States Service Academies is just one month away.

The deadline to apply to any military academy through Congressman Stenholm's office is December 1. Interested individuals are encouraged to contact the San Angelo office as soon as possible.

Eligible applicants must be at least 17, but not past their 22nd birthday, and need to have graduated from high school by June 30, 1996. They must also be single with no dependents and be a legal resident of the 17th District.

Competitive applicants should be in the top 20 percent of their class. They need to have SAT scores above 500 Verbal and 550 Math or ACT scores of 24 English and 25 Math. Involvement in extra-curricular activities, including school and community organizations and sports as well as full or part-time employment, is also in the applicant's favor.

The Congressman will be making nominations for appointments to the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colorado; the Military Academy at West Point, New York; the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland; and the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, New York.

The U. S. academies offer young people and excellent education, while also developing skills in leadership and self-discipline. It is a one-of-a-kind opportunity to earn a bachelor's degree and earn a salary for doing so. An education at an academy also guarantees a career upon graduation as an officer in the U. S. Armed Forces.

Applicants who wish to serve as commissioned officers are strongly encouraged to contact Jayne Schoonmaker in Congressman Stenholm's San Angelo office. For more information, call (915) 655-7994 or write to 33 East Twohig, Suite 318, San Angelo, Texas 76903.

Nominees will be announced in late December.

CUB SCOUTS TO SELL POPCORN THROUGH NOVEMBER 28

Local scouts began sales of Trail's End Popcorn products Monday afternoon. Sales will run through November 28 with products being delivered around December 9.

We have one new item: a 24 oz. chocolate, caramel corn in a 'Santa's Chocolate Shoppe' tin. All the old favorites are available also. Items include: 3 lb. bucket, 5 pack butter microwave, 12 oz. caramel corn tin featuring our Native Americans' Southwest, 15 pack butter light microwave, 15 pack butter microwave, and 28 oz. caramel corn holiday tin.

Popcorn Sales is the major fund raiser each year for our local organization with proceeds being used for awards, supplies, rechartering each year, leadership training, incentive prizes, field trips, and utilities at the meeting cabin. Our program strives to give boys and opportunity to grow, learn about themselves, and help others. So stock up on Trail's End—the popcorn that grows boys!

Texas Farm Bureau Scholarship Winners To Be Honored

CORPUS CHRISTI—Texas Farm Bureau youth will take the spotlight as scholarships will be awarded to winners of the state's largest general farm organization's Free Enterprise Speech, Miss TFB and Talent Find competitions here at the 62nd annual convention November 26-29.

Participants qualified for the state competition by winning their district contests earlier this year. The finals will be held November 26 here at the Bayfront Plaza Convention Center.

The Free Enterprise Speech winner will receive a \$4000 scholarship. The runner-up will be awarded a \$2500 scholarship. The other four finalists will each receive a \$1500 scholarship. The remaining district winners receive \$1000 scholarships.

The Talent Find and Miss TFB winners will each receive a \$2000 scholarship. The runner-up in each contest will be awarded a \$1500 scholarship. Other district winners in each contest have been assured a \$600 scholarship.

The Free Enterprise Speech entries by district include:

Candace Rothwell of Childress, Childress County; Kim Crockett of Morton, Cochran County; Becky Wilkinson of Newcastle, Young County; Cody Nash of Tolar, Hood-Somervell County; Chris Martin of Daingerfield, Morris County; Clayton K. Roberts of Lamesa, Dawson County; and Amber Brady of Abilene, Callahan-Shackelford County.

Sell It In The Classifieds

ADVERTISE IN THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

AARP ALIVE/MATURE DRIVING CLASS OFFERED LOCALLY NOVEMBER 27-28

Drivers age 55 and older may attend the AARP 55 ALIVE/Mature Driving 8 hour classroom course offered Monday and Tuesday, November 27 and 28, from 1:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. There is no test and the fee is \$8.00. Joe Howser will be the instructor.

Those completing the course may receive an additional auto insurance discount of 10 percent.

Call (817) 725-7351 to register.

Q: What is the number one driving violation for persons over age 50?

A: "Failure to yield the right-of-way." In most states the law gives no one the right-of-way. It only says who must yield it. In doubt, be safe and yield.

Something New!
COLLUM'S Restaurant
(817) 725-7281
All You Can Eat Dinner Buffet
Friday and Saturday Night
5 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Enchilada, Catfish, Shrimp plus Salad Bar
\$5.95

Safe Sun Continued
UV exposure is greatest in the summer (May to August) but one should remember to take appropriate precautions in the sun all year. Apply a sunscreen every morning and reapply if you're in the water or exercising. It is also important to wear UV blocking sunglasses. Be sure they are UV rated. It can be worse to wear sunglasses without a UV rating than no sunglasses at all. Your pupils dilate behind dark lenses and actually allow more UV in. Remember: limit your peak sun exposure, wear sunscreen and wear sunglasses.
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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

BREAKTHRU
By Bob Pipes, preacher
Cross Plains Church of Christ
433 N. Main At 12th
(817) 725-6117

One of the things God provided His children while they were in the wilderness was manna. He promised to rain bread from heaven for them, and they were to go out and gather a day's supply at a time. He used this, not only to feed them, but also to prove them -- to see if they would follow His instruction or not. God told them to gather only one day's supply of manna at a time. If they gathered too much, it would not last until the next day -- it would spoil. The only exception was that on the sixth day, Friday, they were to gather a double supply -- enough to last for Saturday, the Sabbath, for they were not to work on that day. If the Israelites failed to get enough on Friday for Saturday's needs, they would have to do without. The manna which wasn't gathered would melt like butter when the sun shone upon it and the overage that was gathered would breed worms and stink. But God kept providing manna for His children, the Israelites, for forty years without fail! About fifteen hundred years later, the Jews mentioned to Jesus that their fathers had eaten manna in the wilderness -- and they thought it had come from Moses. Jesus corrected them by telling them that it came from His Father -- and added, "And now He has given you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is He who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." When they said to Him, "Lord, give us this bread always" (not knowing He was referring to Himself), He replied, "I am the bread of life. He who comes to Me shall never hunger, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst." Why not read about "the rest of the story" for yourself from Exodus 16 and John 6. Come learn and partake of the TRUE MANNA from heaven with us!

Sunday Morning Bible Class ... 9:45 a.m. Wed. Evening Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus

CROSS PLAINS PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWS

October 30 - November 3

"It's so nice to read a book around the house".

Circulation: 126

New Books:

Weather Everywhere - D. Casey
The Children of Morocco - J. Hermes
Technology - R. Bridgeman
My Family - Conteh - Morgan (board book)

Baby in a Car - Wellington (board book)

The Language of Life - A Festival of Poets

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Cross Country runners who qualified for Regional were in San Antonio Saturday to run in Regional races.

The race course was around the University of Texas in San Antonio. The course was rough. It went from flat open areas to cow trails that wound through trees; there were also hills, rocks, and exposed tree roots. Furthermore, it was muddy due to the rainfall earlier in the week. The weather for the race was windy and cool.

All the runners met the challenge of the course, and even though none are going to state, every runner ran their best time

of the year.

runners at Regional were Laura Ricci, Justin Richey, Jason Carey, Roger Pope, John Chesshir, Scott Ricci, and Nathaniel Swift.

Regional Results are as follows:

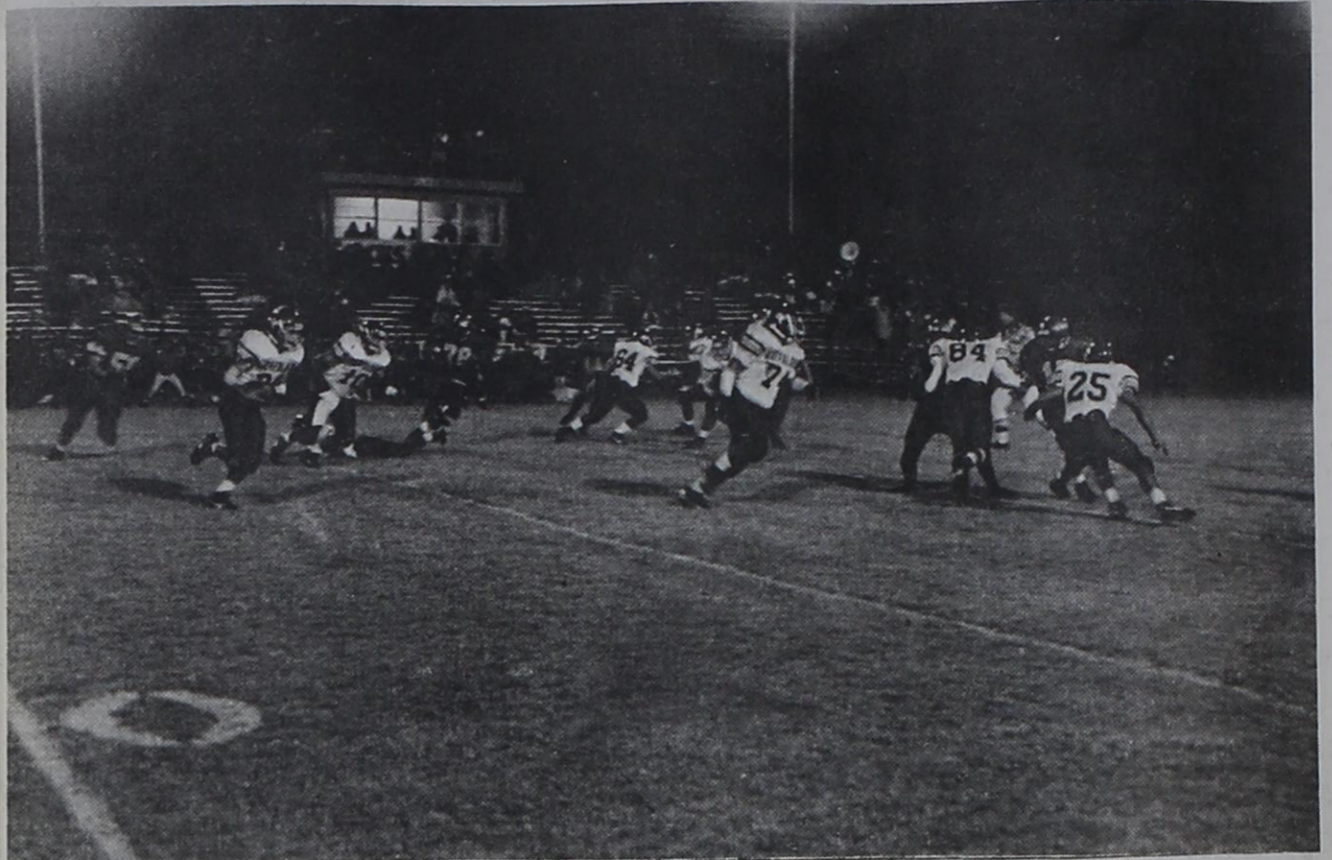
Girls—Two miles, 118 runner
 Laura Ricci-11th-13:17, Missed going to state by only one place
 Boys—Three miles, 111 runners
 Scott Ricci-19th-17:47
 Justin Richey-23rd-17:52
 Roger Pope-28th-18:05
 Jason Carey-37th-18:25
 John Chesshir-44th-18:37

Nathaniel Swift-54th-19:13

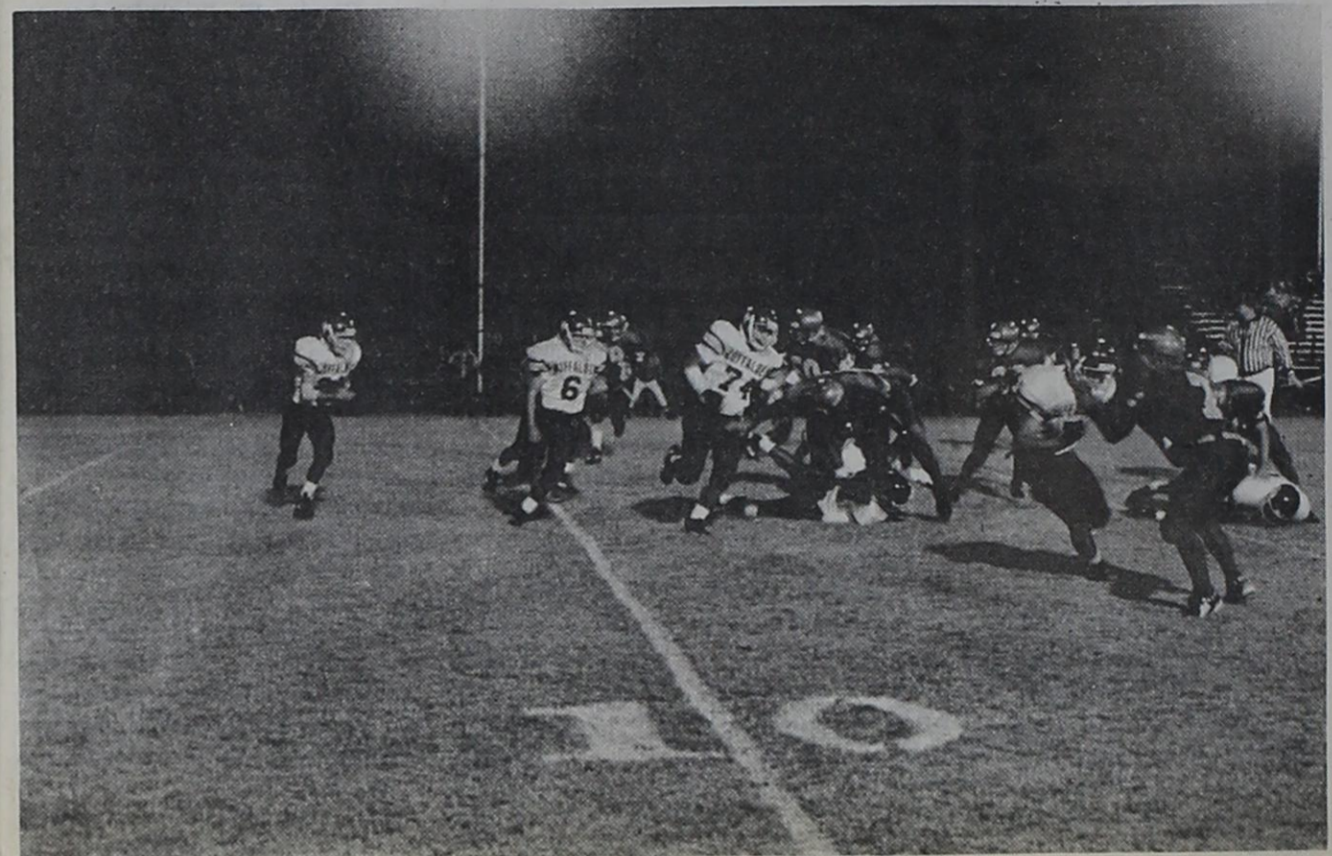
The boys finished 5th as a team out of sixteen teams.

Even though no one is going to state, these runners are all winners to me and will always hold a special place in my heart and mind.

We wish to thank Don Gosnell for his escort out of town, the kids at school who met at the flagpole to cheer us on, the people at the bank who held up signs, the overall crowd in town, and the people who put up signs for a few miles out of Cross Plains.



BUFFS OFFENSIVE MOVES



BUFFALO FRIDAY NIGHT ACTION

CROSS PLAINS JUNIOR HIGH 4-0 IN DISTRICT PLAY

By LARRY WHITEHEAD

Cross Plains Junior High hosted Rising Star Thursday and came away with a very impressive victory, 26-0. This was another great team effort.

The first quarter was a defensive battle.

The second quarter saw the tempo of the game changing in favor of Cross Plains. The first possession of the second quarter was a good drive with hand-offs and runs by Coby Richards to Kenny Callaway and Jody Pancake with Pancake making the 55-yard touchdown run. The point-after attempt failed leaving the score 6-0 with 6:00 left in the quarter.

There was good blocking all night by Jody Gosnell, Jeff Yates, Ryan Atchi-

son, Jaden Winfrey, Justin Bright, and Seth Morgan.

The next drive was a carbon copy of the last with Richards handing off to Callaway and Pancake with Pancake making the score. With 2:50 left in the second, the score was 12-0.

In the third quarter, Richards pitched to Pancake again for the 30-yard run and TD. The extra point failed making the score 18-0.

Cross Plains held the Wildcats at bay with more good tackles by Scott McKay, Clint Bailey, and Jackson Worsham.

The boys' last touchdown came in the fourth quarter with a good hand-off and run by L. D. Whitehead to Chris

Kitchens who went 30 yards for the touchdown. On the conversion try, Whitehead passed to Rick Branham for the two points to make the score 26-0. The defense shut Rising Star down the rest of the night with good defensive plays by Roger Carey, Nicholas Dimitri, Robert Walters, Landon Hill, Nate Hawkins, and L. D. Whitehead.

Cross Plains Jr. High is now 4-0 in District play and can wrap up the championship with a victory over Lometa tonight.

These boys are working hard and looking good in practice, but need your continued support to gain their next victory.

The boys' last game is tonight at 6:00 in Lometa. See You There!

Buff's Take On Lometa In Final Game Of Season

By GREG TURNER

The Cross Plains Buffaloes traveled to Rising Star last Friday night to play the Wildcats. Cross Plains had trouble again generating enough offense to win the game. The offense of the Buffaloes seem to have been put in neutral, just coasting along. With a powerhouse team like Rising Star has this year with 13 Seniors, their opponents have to be

able to score points to win games. The only Cross Plains score of the night came on a 1 yard run. So Rising Star this year claims the title of these two rivalry teams which belonged to Cross Plains last year.

I apologize because no statistics on rushing, passing, tackles and assists; none were available. Because of this, no names will be mentioned in this week's article. I do not want to leave anyone out and I know if I wrote all on memory, people would be left out unintentional.

Cross Plains plays at home Friday night hosting Lometa. Lometa will also be a tough competitor for the Buffaloes. To win this week, Cross Plains must put points on the scoreboard and play a good defensive game also.

Last week the loss against Rising Star basically took the Buffaloes out of a playoff spot this year, but Friday against Lometa will tell the story of pride. How much do we have? I know all these young men and also know how much they dislike losing. Their pride is real and I believe will be shown on the field against Lometa. How much pride does the town have? I know the people here and also share with them the disappointment of losing, but I also know the town will support the Buffs this Friday night in Cross Plains. See You There!!

Board Of Trustees Met November 7

On November 7 the Board of Trustees of the Cross Plains School District held a special meeting at the Cross Plains High School Building and the following agenda was discussed.

- PRAYER
 1. OPEN BIDS ON TRACK IMPROVEMENT
 2. CONSIDER APPROVING BID ON TRACK IMPROVEMENT
 3. APPROVE PAYMENT TO CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISOR
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 Buffs vs. Lometa

Callahan County 4-H Club Food & Nutrition Show Winners

By ALLISHA BRANHAM

On November 4, there was a 4-H County Club Food and Nutrition Show held at the Baird School Cafeteria.

Those receiving awards from the Cross Plains 4-H Club were:
Ashley Harris—Meat Category, 1st Place Plaque.

Allisha Branham—Nutritious Snacks Category, 1st Place Plaque.

Marleana Branham—Vegetable Category, 2nd Place Ribbon.

Ashley Harris and Allisha Branham will be traveling to Wall on November 18 to compete in the District Division. Good Luck!

LOCAL 4-H CLUB MEMBERS RECEIVE AWARDS

By ALLISHA BRANHAM

On Saturday, October 28, the Callahan County 4-H Club held their Annual Awards Banquet at the Baird Activity Center. This year the Club members, leader, and many parents went in Halloween attire. The banquet carried out the traditional Halloween themes with tables decorated with festive Jack-O-Lanterns, and creepy spiders.

Those receiving awards from the Cross Plains 4-H Club include:

Rick Branham—Year Pin and Swine Project Certificate.
Lindsey Barnett—Year Pin and Swine Project Certificate.

Kristin Hunter—Year Pin, Lamb Project Certificate, and Livestock Judging Contest Certificate.

Ashley Harris—Year Pin, Swine Project Certificate, Livestock Judging Contest Certificate, Record Book Contest Pin for Food and Nutrition Project, and Food and Nutrition Project Certificate.

There was a Mini-Carnival following the Awards Presentation and a delicious meal was enjoyed by all.

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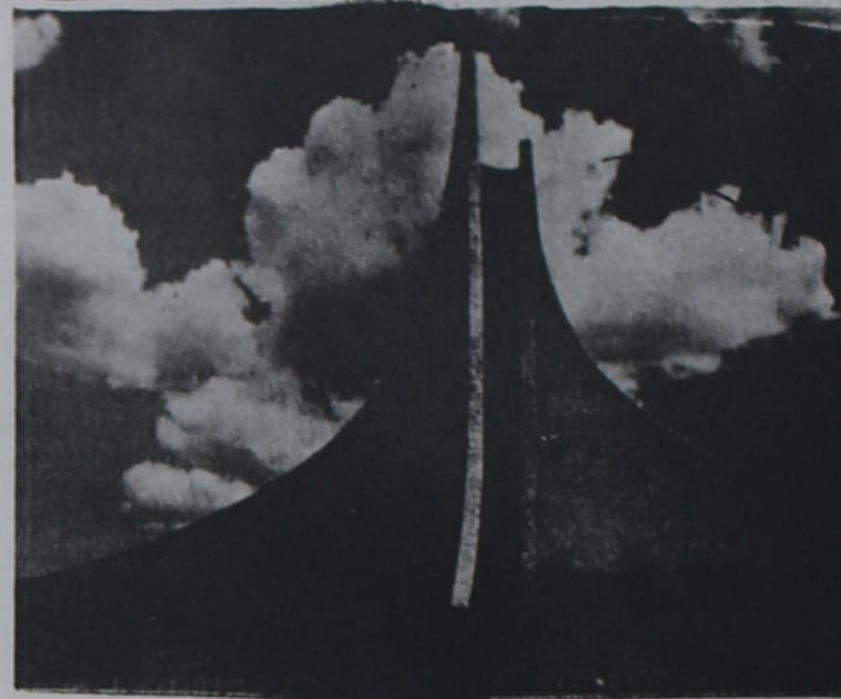
College/Technical School Night November 13

Abilene High and Cooper High Schools are sponsoring a college/technical school night on Monday, November 13 at 7:00 p.m.

Junior and senior students of high schools in the Big Country who are planning to pursue a higher education and the parents of these students will have an opportunity to meet and talk with representatives from various colleges, universities, and vocational training schools at a college/technical school program at Abilene High School on Monday, November 13, at 7:00 p.m. Representatives from forty institutions have been invited. In addition, representatives from the Air Force, Army, Marine, and Navy ROTC programs and a representative to discuss financial aid will participate in the program.

The evening program will begin in the auditorium where Michael Conley, President of the Abilene High School Student council, will preside. Mr. Royce Curtis, Principal of Abilene High School, will welcome the students and parents. Following the general meeting in the auditorium, each student and parent will have an opportunity to attend three discussion groups of thirty minutes each to obtain information about three different schools in which they are interested. College representatives will discuss entrance requirements, application procedures, estimated yearly cost, courses of study, types of housing available, financial aid, and other topics of concern to students and parents.

Representatives will be present from Abilene Christian University, Abilene Intercollegiate School of Nursing, Air Force ROTC, Aladdin Beauty College, American Commercial College, Angelo State University, Army National Guard, Army ROTC, Art Institute of Dallas, Austin College, Baylor University, Cisco Junior College, DeVry Institute, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Executive Secretarial School of Dallas, Hardin-Simmons University, Howard College, Howard Payne University, Lubbock Christian College, Marine ROTC, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, McMurry University, Methodist Hospital School of Nursing, Midland College, Midwestern State University, Navarro College, Navy ROTC, Ranger Junior College, Schreiner College, Southwest Texas State University, Southwestern University, Stenograph Institute of Texas, Sul Ross University, Tarleton State University, Texas A&M University, Texas Christian University, Texas College of Cosmetology, Texas State Technical College, Texas Tech University, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, Tri College Army ROTC, University of Dallas, University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, University of North Texas, University of Texas at Arlington, University of Texas at Austin, University of Texas of the Permian Basin, Wayland Baptist University, West Texas A&M University, and Western Texas College.



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and a people they had never met. The tears, the blood, and the sweat that flowed in that distant land was not in vain however.

In the time of Vietnam, we had heroes and didn't see them. A million Americans soldiered there, and more than 58,000 of them died, some bravely, some just unluckily, all in the service of their country.

The men and women who served in the Gulf War paid another installment on a great debt that will never be erased so long as there is tyranny in the world. And, like their predecessors in World War II, Korea and Vietnam, they paid in time...in effort... and in blood.

Each year for more than two decades, thousands of veterans from all wars, their families and friends have made the pilgrimage to the beauty and majesty of the Disabled Veterans Vietnam Veterans National Memorial to reflect on the high cost of peace, to mourn our nation's warrior's lost in Vietnam and to celebrate those who survived.

Official Veterans Day ceremonies will be held at the Memorial on Saturday, November 11, beginning at 11 a.m. Several Vietnam veterans representing the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) will be taking part in these ceremonies and will be available for personal interviews regarding their Vietnam experiences.

In addition to taking part in the special Veterans Day observances, visitors will be able to tour the spiritually moving memorial chapel and the 6,000 square foot visitor's center and exhibit area.

All facilities at the memorial are totally accessible to persons with disabilities. The visitor's center and exhibit area feature pictorial displays, art, sculpture, banners and flags, as well as an interactive, computer-based audio-visual information and education exhibit. This exhibit gives visitors access to film footage, photographs, television, and newspaper and magazine reports about the Vietnam War. Also featured is biographical information on the more than 58,000 Americans who died in Vietnam.

Additional information about the Veterans Day program, as well as color slides of the Memorial are available upon request.

Community Building. Show hours are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. There is no admission charge. Stop by to find those extra special gifts for family and friends and stick around for the Christmas lights to be lit on the town square that evening.

Santa Claus will visit from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. and pictures with him will be available. The guild members will again have sandwiches and drinks available.

For more information, call (915) 347-5330.

County Oil & Gas Totals Told

Oil and gas production figures for July 1995 in Callahan County have recently been released by the Railroad Commission of Texas, and the month's oil production and natural gas production were both lower than the previous month's production, figures state.

Total gas production in Callahan County for the month of July was 165,359 MCF. One MCF is equal to 1,000 cubic feet of natural gas.

Total crude oil production in Callahan County for the month of July 1995 was 37,573 barrels of oil.

The total oil production in Callahan County during June was 41,789 barrels of oil. Total gas production in June was 187,960 MCF of natural gas.

Other oil production months in Callahan County include: July 1994 with 43,745 barrels of crude, August with 44,608 barrels of oil, September with 43,551 barrels, October with 46,020 barrels of crude, November with 35,797 barrels of oil, December with 46,369 barrels, January 1995 with 44,275 barrels of crude, February with 42,283 barrels, March with 44,725 barrels of oil, April with 45,664 barrels of crude and May with 43,738 barrels of oil.

Big Country area counties oil and gas production for July 1995 include: Brown, 177,564 MCF of gas and 17,700

Callahan County Oil & Gas Production		
	June 1994	July 1995
Total Oil Production	41,789	37,573
Total Gas Production	187,960	165,359

barrels of oil; Coleman, 270,177 MCF of gas and 36,782 barrels of oil; Eastland, 657,739 MCF of gas and 43,200 barrels of oil; Jones, 46,396 MCF of gas and 88,027 barrels of oil; Rannels, 194,359 MCF of gas and 80,557 barrels of oil; Shackelford, 548,840 MCF of gas and 118,724 barrels of oil; Stephens, 871,368 MCF of natural gas and 348,204 barrels of oil; and Taylor County, 52,268 MCF of gas and 65,786 barrels of oil.

The state's top oil producing counties rank by July 1995 preliminary production figures were: Gaines, 3,161,851 barrels; Andrews, 2,641,903 barrels; Yoakum, 2,501,526 barrels; Ector,

2,312,629 barrels; Hockley, 2,183,392 barrels; Pecos, 1,878,937 barrels; Gregg, 1,763,023 barrels; Crane, 1,286,300 barrels; Midland, 1,022,106 barrels; and Upton, 940,045 barrels.

The state's top gas producing counties rank by July 1995 preliminary production were: Webb, 24,811,587 MCF; Zapata, 23,606,552 MCF; Panola, 19,633,194 MCF; Pecos, 22,424,199 MCF; Hidalgo, 17,552,571 MCF; Starr, 13,621,223 MCF; Crockett, 10,391,430 MCF; Hemphill, 7,448,371 MCF; Duval, 7,255,307 MCF; and Grimes, 6,290,517 MCF.

Texas production in July 1995 came from 167,191 oil and 48,499 gas wells.

It's Almost Tannebaum Time In Mason

Get Ready! It will soon be Tannenbaum Time in Mason. Mark your calendars for a wonderful Christmas shopping experience. The Mason Arts & Crafts Guild will hold its annual Tannenbaum Time Arts & Crafts Show on November 25, with 40 booths of outstanding hand-crafted items made by talented crafters from all over Central Texas.

Kicking off Mason's Christmas "Light Up Our Town" festivities, the show will be held at the Ft. Mason City Park

FALLEN LEAVES GOOD FOR YARDS, BAD FOR LANDFILLS

If you've got trees in your yard, you're in luck. It's almost "fall-like" in most parts of Texas, and your lawn is probably being blanketed with a valuable source of nutrients for your yard. So instead of raking and bagging those bulky leaves and packing them off to the landfill, save yourself some time and put them to good use as a natural fertilizer.

"Leaves make up at least half of the landscape trimmings headed to Texas landfills in the fall," says Kitty Coley, compost manager at the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission. "Why take up expensive landfill space with these materials when they're a great natural resource for your yard? You can save money in collection and disposal fees and use less fertilizer by turning your leaves into compost or mulch."

According to the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, which created the "Don't Bag It" Lawn Care Plan, there are four basic ways to recycle leaves:

* Mowing: If there's only a light covering of leaves in your yard, just mow right over them and leave the shredded leaves on the lawn. This easy method works best with a mulching mower. Heavier leaf cover calls for the methods listed below.

* Mulching: Leaves that have been mowed or run through a shredder decompose faster and stay in place well as a mulch in gardens and around trees and

shrubs. Mulching conserves soil moisture, controls weeds and grasses, protects against extreme heat and cold, and prevents soil erosion. Use a lawn mower with a bag attachment to quickly gather and shred your leaf mulch.

* Soil Improvement: Prepare your garden and flower beds for spring planting by working leaves into the soil in the fall. Till 6 to 8 inches of leaves into a heavy, clay soil to improve aeration and drainage. Till the same amount into a light, sandy soil to improve water- and nutrient-holding capacity.

* Composting: If you've got a garden, lawn or even house plants, you've got a use for compost. Start with leaves and other yard trimmings to form the bottom layer of a compost pile. Top with water and soil or old compost and add more leaves, grass clippings and vegetative kitchen scraps as they become available.

While many citizens are helping "Take Care of Texas" by following these simple yard care tips, communities across the state such as Fort Worth and College Station are diverting tons of yard waste from landfills and saving thousands of dollars in collection fees by implementing city-wide "Don't Bag It" programs.

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The family of Paul Greenwood

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We would like to thank everyone for their support and concern during Noel's recent surgery. Your cards, calls, visits, and especially your prayers were very much appreciated.

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While this auction will feature a select grouping of reserve price items, the overwhelming majority are consigned at Absolute Auction with No Minimums or Reserves.

Reserve Items: four poster spool bed \$100; Apollo tabletop oak case phonograph c. 1910 \$200; (2) carved walnut Victorian chairs w/needlepoint seats \$100 ea.; Mmc. s/n 145007 \$500; ornate flintlock pistol dated 1712 \$100; Capodimonte 3 pc. center set \$50; keywind tin motorcycle \$60; Missouri Pacific Trainman hat \$60; antique Parisian brass and mother of pearl opera glasses \$50; Royal Doulton large character mugs #D5528 and #5194 \$60 ea.; Mt. Washington Peach Blow pitcher and (3) tumblers c. 1850 \$175.

ITEMS TO BE SOLD WITH NO MINIMUMS OR RESERVES:

Furniture Items: double pedestal Duncan Phyfe type dining table w/leaf and cover; (6) matching Duncan Phyfe type dining chairs; ornate woodstove; antique oak chair; sewing cabinet; child's wet sink; camelback trunk w/tray dated 1880; antique small camelback trunk w/tray; (3) additional older trunks including a steamer; pine toy box; c. 1920 writing desk w/chair; matching oak mirrored dresser and chest; early table model radio and more.
Collectibles: near mint 27" oval embossed Grapette sign date 1955; (20+) collection of very nice straight razors dating from the mid-1700's including c. 1860 gold wash with silver inlays, bone, horn & ivory handles; Mmc. Alexander "Cigarette" w/original clothes; 1905 Uncle Remus; (5) Storybook dolls w/original clothes; miniature metal Jensen belt driven machine shop; Kelly spurs; 1938 Arizona chauffeurs badge; Keen Kutter razor strap; (2) 1918 Last of the Great Scouts by Zane Gray; nice knife collection including Remington, Winchester, 1965 Case and many others; Mar keywind cowboy jeep; tin friction Super Saber; peanut trailer; (2) scrimshaw walrus tusks; Universal Cambridge Elsie coffee cup; old marbles; Moerschbaum pipe w/case; collection of sterling silver serving pcs.; several early flyrods; porcelain Excide sign; 1952 Meister Brau thermometer; (2) large Grapette signs; New Haven pocketwatch; antique framed reverse painting; nice collection of early fishing lures; Shirley Temple cobalt items; gold two peso coin and gold \$5 eagle; Marx electric train set #4822 in original box; early mantle clock w/barrel pendulum; (2) soda straw jars; misc. small ivory items; vintage quilts; cookie jars and much more.

Glassware, china & pottery: (20+) assorted American Fostoria; (pair) Weller #20/11 Wood Rose wall pockets; (30+) assorted depression glass items; Geisha Girl tea service for 6; Capodimonte centerpiece; large assortment of better handpainted Bavarian, German & other china; Famille Jaune 10" vase Kuanq Hua era c. 1890; Noritake tea service; assorted older Penton; Fiesta plates; Occupied Japan tea service; Shawnee corn pattern cream pitcher; Majolica character humidifier (from Eddie Rickenbacker estate) and more.

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U.S. House Votes To Ban Partial Birth Abortions

HOUSTON—The U. S. House of Representatives voted November 1 to place a national ban on the use of partial-birth abortion procedure, except to save a mother's life.

Despite vehement opposition by NARAL and its congressional allies, the House passed the Partial Birth Abortion Ban Act by a veto-proof vote of 288 to 139. This is the first time since the Supreme Court's 1973 *Roe v. Wade* decision that the House has voted to place any direct restrictions on abortion, even during the final months of pregnancy.

Reacting to the vote on behalf of the Texas Right to Life Committee (TRLTC), the state-wide Texas affiliate of the nation's largest pro-life organization, the National Right to Life, Dr. Joseph Graham, President said, "The overwhelming House vote now poses this urgent question to every U. S. Senator and to President Clinton: will you allow living babies to be pulled feet-first from the womb, then stabbed with scissors during the later months of pregnancy?"

The partial-birth abortion procedure is usually used after 4-1/2 into pregnancy, often much later—even into the ninth month. The *Los Angeles Times* accurately summarized the procedure in a June 16 news story: "The procedure requires a physician to extract a fetus, feet-first, from the womb and through the birth canal until all but its head is exposed. Then the tips of surgical scissors are thrust into the base of the fetus's skull, and a suction catheter is inserted through the opening and the brain is

removed."

TRLTC's Graham and congressional supporters of the bill have charged that opponents, and some organs of the media, have ignored readily available writings and public statements in which abortionists admitted to frequently using the partial-birth abortion technique in situations that have nothing to do with the health problems in the mother or the baby. For example, in a tape-recorded interview with *American Medical News*, Dr. Martin Haskell—who has performed over 1,000 partial-birth abortions—said that in his practice, 80% of these procedures are "purely elective." In the same tape-recorded interview, Dr. Haskell estimated that two-thirds of the "fetuses" are alive at the time he begins their "extraction" from the uterus.

On the House floor, pro-life lawmakers displayed a series of five poster size medical drawings depicting the partial-birth abortion procedure. The drawings are validated as accurate by eminent medical authorities, including Prof. Watson Bowes of the University of North Carolina, co-editor of the *Obstetrical and Gynecological Survey*. In a virtually unprecedented action, Congresswoman Patricia Schroeder (D-Co.) made a motion to prohibit the display of the drawings on the House floor. By a vote of 331 to 87, the House rejected Schroeder's attempt to impose a "blindfold rule" that would prevent the American people from seeing the posters on C-Span.



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CALLAHAN COUNTY SALES TAX REPORTS FOR OCTOBER

Clyde's retail sales this year are running 1.60 percent ahead of retail sales from last year, according to city one percent sales tax rebates announced by the State Comptroller's Office, Monday, October 23.

John Sharp, State Comptroller, said 1995 sales tax payments in Clyde are 1.60 percent ahead of tax payments made to the city in 1994. He said that the sales tax rebates for the City of Clyde have amounted to \$81,501.64 so far in 1995, a 1.60 percent increase in sales tax payments compared to the same time period last year. The 1994 payments to the city during the same payment period were \$80,215.01.

The city's monthly payment for October 1995 was \$6,692.60, up 5.14 percent from the October payment last year amounting to \$6,365.22.

Other Callahan County towns reporting sales tax payments include:
—The City of Baird reported that sales tax payments in 1995 are 6.13 percent

ahead of the 1994 payments. The city had received \$52,387.17 so far in 1995, while the 1994 tax payments to the city totaled \$49,359.80.

The town's monthly payment for October of this year was \$3,255.96. That payment is 12.14 percent ahead of the October 1994 payment of \$2,903.30.

—The City of Cross Plains is reporting 1995 one percent city sales tax payments running 10.88 percent ahead of the 1994 payments of the tax. Cross Plains 1995 sales tax payments have amounted to \$44,690.69, while the 1994 sales tax rebates were \$40,304.49.

The city's monthly sales tax check for October 1995 was \$5,823.60, which is 53.54 percent higher than the October 1994 payment of \$3,792.79.

—The City of Putnam is reporting that the 1995 payments to the town were \$8,125.30, up 7.64 percent from the 1994 payments to the city in the amount of \$7,548.44.

Putnam's tax payment for the month of October 1995 was \$837.26, an increase of 41.61 percent from the tax payment for the same month last year. The town's monthly payment in October 1994 was \$591.21.

Countywide, sales tax payments for 1995 in Callahan County are running 5.22 percent ahead of the 1993 payments in the county. Callahan County towns have received sales tax payments in 1995 amounting to \$186,704.80, while the 1994 payments to the county towns totaled \$177,427.74.

The rebates in Callahan County for the month of October 1995 were \$16,609.42. That amount was 21.65 percent higher than the October 1994 rebates which totaled \$13,652.52.

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2nd - Judy Needham
3rd - Francis Scott
Honorable Mention - Don Genther

Portraits

1st - Carol Greenwood
2nd - Judy Needham
3rd - Lynda Foster
Hon. Mention - Betty Beggs, Judy Needham

Still Life

1st - Francis Scott
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BEST OF PROFESSIONAL- Judy Needham

ADVANCED AMATEURS

Landscape

1st - Marion Johnson
2nd - Bud Whitehead
3rd - Nancy Milton

Still Life

1st - Eileen Hightower
2nd - Babs Sherrell
3rd - Marion Johnson
Hon. Mention - Irene Bailey

Open

1st - Bud Whitehead
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Portraits

1st - Eileen Hightower
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BEST OF ADVANCED AMATEURS - Eileen Hightower

AMATEUR

Landscape

1st - B.G. Hatchett
2nd - Sandy Doss
3rd - Susan Thomasson
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Open

1st - Joyce Berry
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Hon. Mention - B.G. Hatchett

Still Life

1st - B.G. Hatchett
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3rd - Sharon K. Dick

Portraits

1st - Sharon K. Dick
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BEST OF AMATEUR - Sharon K. Dick

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