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On The Corner

Score Tied In Christmas Shopping Game

By DON TABOR
Publisher

The game was tied — the Tabor's 0, Christmas shopping 0.

Usually, my Christmas shopping consists of a quick burst up the middle to a store in Clyde on third down with 20 seconds left on the clock on Christmas Eve to get my wife something. Usually she has already gotten us in the lead by doing all the heavy shopping by then.

But, my fate must be tied to the Dallas Cowboys, because this year wasn't your average year. No last-minute heroics in Clyde, I was forced to go to Abilene to get some things I couldn't find here. My offensive line had let me down and I was about to get sacked. I had to scramble.

And, when you go to Abilene to shop on the last Saturday before Christmas, the crowd is a definite Super Bowl contender. And, when you have to face the crowd in the Mall of Abilene, you're definitely facing fourth and long with no time-outs left.

But there I was, facing my biggest test in the big leagues. The crowd charged me like blitzing Chicago Bears. An unfriendly saleswoman was leading the pack, looking like Refrigerator Perry. I was in trouble.

Coming from one end was Too Tall Jones with "inflated prices" written across his chest. He had his hands up so my credit card couldn't get the ball over him. Crashing in from the other side was Lawrence Taylor. He had fire in his eyes and was muttering "heavy traffic, heavy traffic" as he sought to knock me into next week.

My wife was attempting to form a pocket for me. She's small, but quick, and can usually handle this type of pressure. But I knew this time the blitz was too much for her.

Then, in the flash of an instant, I knew what I had to do. "Boom", I hollered in my best John Madden imitation as I zipped the ball to her on a lateral and headed for the sidelines to watch the rest of the game on TV.

Will she put up a Hail Mary pass? Will she try a 70-yard field goal? Or will she punt? We'll know when the final gun sounds on Christmas Eve.

Boy, sure hope she doesn't drop the ball.



CHRISTMAS STOCKING BIGGER THAN WINNER — Billie Jo "B. J." Reed, 7 year old daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Bill Reed of Cross Plains, was the winner of the giant stocking given by Village Market.

Callahan Historical Commission Concludes Biggest Year to Date

By JUD GILLILAND

The Callahan County Historical Commission recently held its final meeting of 1986. We have concluded our most successful and active year to date. The publishing of our County History Book was the largest undertaking. Historical markers were placed at the Hittson Ranch Headquarters (east of Putnam), First Baptist Church in Baird, and the T.P. Railroad Depot in Baird. Numerous activities were also held throughout the county in conjunction with our State's Sesquicentennial Celebration. We want to say "Thanks" to all of you for your support throughout this eventful year.

We want to take this opportunity to publicly recognize our Commission Chairman, Mrs. John Berry of Clyde. She is a Charter Member of the Callahan County Historical Commission and has served as Chairman since 1971. Under her guidance, Callahan County has had one of the more active commissions in Texas, and we have been fortunate to have had her serving in this capacity for so long. Mrs.

Berry has requested to step down as acting chairman and she was honored by Commission members at our final 1986 meeting. Mrs. C.B. Snyder presented a plaque on behalf of all members to Mrs. Berry with recognition of her accomplishments throughout the last 24 years of service to Callahan County. Mrs. Berry will continue to serve as a member and Honorary Chairman.

New officers nominated for the 1986-87 term are: Chairman: Jud Gilliland, Baird; Vice Chairman: Hicks Turner, Eula; Secretary: Mrs. James (Alleen) Briscoe, Clyde; Treasurer: Mrs. Archie (Maurine) Nichols, Baird; Historian: Mrs. Hicks (Jamie) Turner, Eula; Archives: C.B. Snyder, Baird.

These nominations will be given to the County Commissioners Court for approval in January. The Commission hopes to continue preserving our rich heritage in Callahan County in the coming years, and we ask for your support in this endeavor. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you all!

Sales Tax Hike In Effect Thursday

AUSTIN, Tex.—State Comptroller Bob Bullock Tuesday reminded Texans not to forget the increase in the sales tax rate that begins New Year's Day—January 1, 1987.

"Only the rate has changed. In every case, what is and what is not taxable under current sales tax law remains the same when the new law goes into effect January 1," reminded Bullock.

A special session of the Texas Legislature raised the state's sales tax rate one and one-eighth percent to deal with a shortfall of tax revenue caused by the collapse of oil prices.

The state sales tax rate goes from 4.125 to 5.25 percent.

Comptroller Bullock said that in many areas of Texas the state rate and local sales taxes, including transit and city sales taxes will put the combined rate to as much as 7.25 percent. In making accounting changes to collect the new tax rate, businesses should have adjusted cash registers and alerted and trained their personnel to collect sales tax at the new local rates.

The new law also raised the motor fuels tax 5 cents from 10 cents to 15 cents a gallon.

"My office has contacted taxpayers

6 1/4%

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Sales Not More Than	Tax	Sales Not More Than	Tax	Sales Not More Than	Tax	Sales Not More Than	Tax	Sales Not More Than	Tax
07	00	407	25	807	50	1207	75	1607	100
23	01	423	26	823	51	1223	76	1623	105
39	02	439	27	839	52	1239	77	1639	110
55	03	455	28	855	53	1255	78	1655	115
71	04	471	29	871	54	1271	79	1671	120
87	05	487	30	887	55	1287	80	1687	125
103	06	503	31	903	56	1303	81	1703	130
119	07	519	32	919	57	1319	82	1719	135
135	08	535	33	935	58	1335	83	1735	140
151	09	551	34	951	59	1351	84	1751	145
167	10	567	35	967	60	1367	85	1767	150
183	11	583	36	983	61	1383	86	1783	155
199	12	599	37	999	62	1399	87	1799	160
215	13	615	38	1015	63	1415	88	1815	165
231	14	631	39	1031	64	1431	89	1831	170
247	15	647	40	1047	65	1447	90	1847	175
263	16	663	41	1063	66	1463	91	1863	180
279	17	679	42	1079	67	1479	92	1879	185
295	18	695	43	1095	68	1495	93	1895	190
311	19	711	44	1111	69	1511	94	1911	195
327	20	727	45	1127	70	1527	95	1927	200
343	21	743	46	1143	71	1543	96	1943	205
359	22	759	47	1159	72	1559	97	1959	210
375	23	775	48	1175	73	1575	98	1975	215
391	24	791	49	1191	74	1591	99	1991	220

SALES OVER \$20

Amount	Tax	Amount	Tax
\$30.00	\$1.88	\$70.00	\$4.38
\$40.00	\$2.50	\$80.00	\$5.00
\$50.00	\$3.13	\$90.00	\$5.63
\$60.00	\$3.75	\$100.00	\$6.25

HOW TO FIGURE THE TAX

Example: Sale is \$85.95	\$5.00
Tax on \$80.00	37
Tax on \$5.95	37
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and sent new rate cards and updated information on these state tax changes," Bullock said.

Texans with questions may call the Comptroller's office toll-free line at 1-800-252-5555.

Postal Service to Observe New Year's

Delivery of Express Mail and Special Delivery items will be the only visible signs of Postal Service activity on Thursday, January 1, 1987.

"We trust that most of our customers will be able to join us with a day off to celebrate New Year's Day," said W. H. Hathman, Fort Worth Sectional Center Manager/Postmaster. On Friday, the day after this legal holiday, he said it

will be "back to work as usual" with all normal services resuming.

Full-day postal services will be offered on New Year's Eve and Friday, January 2, but not on New Year's Day. Classified and contract stations and branches will be closed on the holiday, and there will be no delivery of mail by city, rural and star route carriers.

Cottonwood Man

Turkey Winner

Charles Waggoner of Cottonwood was the winner of the turkey given by Cliff's Texaco Station. The drawing was held Wednesday, December 24.



REVIEW WINNERS ANNOUNCED — Mrs. L. W. (Wilda) Dennis of Cross Plains was the grand prize winner of the microwave oven given by the Cross Plains Review during the Christmas Give-away. Leo Thompson

of Cross Plains won the second prize, a Sony Dream Machine FM/AM digital clock radio. Charlie Sowell of Cottonwood won the third prize, a Quill pen.

The Review would like to express

our appreciation for the terrific response to the drawing, and for all the new subscriptions and renewals. We hope you will continue readership with the Cross Plains Review.

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 Ken Leon Horan, Cross Plains, and Belinda Kay Horan, Cross Plains.
 Eddie Graham, Clyde, and Donna Jean Graham, Clyde.

Charley Lee Daniels, Anson, and Carolyn Joy Williams, Abilene.

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J. Willard Vinson, Rt. 5, Abilene, Chev. PU.

Arlice Williams, Albany, Chev. 4 dr.

John R. Vallor, Abilene, Pont. 2 dr. GMAC, Abilene, Chev. 2 dr.

Dorthea F. Hendrick, Abilene, Chev. 2 dr.

Yates & Sons, Inc., Abilene, Ford PU.

Donald F. Blackburn, Rt. 5, Abilene, GMC PU.

James Carpenter, Abilene, Chev. PU.

42nd DISTRICT COURT
Don Lane, presiding
Civil Filings

Catherine LaDell Rociot and George Goodsill Rociot Jr. and in interest of minor child, suit for divorce.

Phillip Wayne Willis, Sheila Willis and Southern Farm Bureau Mutual Ins. Co., vs. David Walter Tuttle and Winchell Donut House, Inc., suit for damages.

C&H Investments vs. Dorothy Miller, suit on Warranty on mineral title.

C&H Investments vs. Lou Marion Grace Watson and Margaret Laverne Grace, suit on warranty on mineral title.

Raymond M. Thoms and Dorothy Marie Thoms, now Hilcher, child custody case.

Civil Minutes

Terry Lynn Neal, et ux, vs. Gerald Leslie Hooper II, et al, default judgment set aside and defendant ordered to pay \$750 attorney fees.

Julie Terisinna Cullins and Richard

Mason Cullins and in interest of minor child, delayed entry of divorce decree dated July 3, 1986.

Becky Milliorn Perce and Bryan Scott Pierce and in interest of minor child, child support order modified.

Brent (Dewayne) Wilson vs. Texas Employers Ins. Assn., case consolidated.

Cameo L. Bauer and Rocky Fred Bauer and in interest of minor children, temporary orders.

In Re: Guardianship of Eva Reed Johnson, final account approved, guardianship fees approved.

In Re: Estate of Eva M. Johnson, deceased, payment of interim fees approved.

Donna Gene Burfield and Clifton Burfield, decree of divorce.

Melissa Noeth Morgan and David Warren Morgan, decree of divorce.

Carolyn Dee Davis and George Lewis Davis and in interest of minor children, suit modified affecting parent-child relationship.

Larry Mark Tatom and Tammy Dianne Tatom and in interest of minor child, motion to modify order denied.

Jack D. Watson vs The Travelers Indemnity Co. of Rhode Island, judgment of \$30,000 rendered for plaintiff.

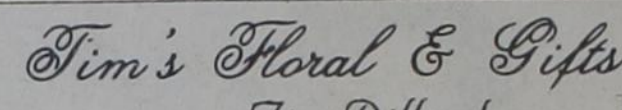
Felony Criminal Minutes

Rickey Lee Reynolds, auto theft case dismissed, defendant convicted in another case.

Glenn Delmer Warren, theft case dismissed in interest of justice.

Earl Wayne Thomas, defendant discharged from probation.

Rhonda Moore, plea of guilty to delivery of a controlled substance, 7 years' probation.



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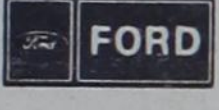
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Sue Taylor Receives Diploma From CTCC

Sue Halsell Taylor of Cross Plains has participated in the fall commencement exercises which were held for Central Texas Commercial College December 18 in Brownwood at the Adams Street Community Center. Jerry Leslie, Family Counselor for Austin Avenue Church of Christ, delivered the address to the graduating class.

The "A" Honor Roll awards went to Barbara Hathcock, Cynthia Jackson, Debra Osborn, Sue Taylor and Linda Tobin.

Sue Taylor received a diploma in Computerized Accounting.



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Art Lawler



America's Team is passing away as this is being written on the 21st day of December, 1986.

Death follows a lengthy illness. A loyal, if booing, collection of family and friends are on hand at Texas Stadium during these final hours. Dr. Doug Flutie has come forward to pull the plug, all vital signs having ceased under those silver hats with the blue stars.

Death has been anticipated for weeks. The franchise, in fact, has been fighting draftheimers syndrome ever since the Carter years. Despite repeated free agent injections, the Cowboys have progressively declined.

The disease was first diagnosed as far back as 1979, just a year after the Cowboys had reached their peak by winning the Super Bowl.

Roger Staubach gave Dallas the illusion of health by repeatedly leading them to victory in the final two minutes. But NFL physicians weren't fooled. Draftheimers was making its presence felt, even as the Cowboys denied it.

Staubach finally left the team after being awakened on the sidelines with smelling salts each Sunday afternoon. Danny White did his best to continue the tradition, and Dallas bravely made it to the NFC finals for the next three years.

By this time draftheimers was acknowledged, even by protective family members. They nevertheless insisted it was in its early stages and expressed confidence treatment would ultimately prove successful.

The Walker infusion at the outset of the 1986 season brought renewed hope, but by mid-November the end was inevitable. The offense-less line had all but made a cripple of Herschel. Tony Dorsett was ailing with a bad ankle. Quarterback White was escorted to the sidelines, and replacement Steve Pelluer was finding new and creative ways to keep Dallas from achieving its goal.

Now, as the end nears, the defending Super Bowl champions are assuring the Cowboys of their first losing season in 20 years.

Just exactly what is draftheimers disease?

Well, the body of the NFL is structured so as to keep itself healthy from head-to-toe. The theory is that no matter how healthy the face and chest, if the toes go numb, the league's body suffers. Overall health disintegrates.

With that in mind, the teams that get beat, get first pickings on the youngsters coming out of college. By the time the winning teams draft, the good players have been plucked.

All successful teams ultimately suffer draftheimers' disease, but most just go ahead and die and get it over with. The wins decline, the draft

picks get better, and a new baby team emerges into a giant killer wearing the uniforms of the previously buried.

Dallas proved to be the exception - partly due to an organization which was too effective, and coaching which was too creative. Dallas continued to win too frequently. Not just for a season. But year after year.

NFL physicians kept warning the organization it could not expect to retain health unless it took a voluntary fall, i.e. a 2-14 or 1-15, or 0-16 season.

Dallas didn't listen, and America's team has finally died, still concluding with a stubborn 7-9 record. That's hardly the 2-14 the new Cowboy team will need in order to be effective in the future. But it's still the best anti-draftheimers injection the team has had in 20 years.

For most coaches, another losing season might be necessary. For Tom Landry - well, America's team could be reincarnated by summer. Or at least by the turn of the century.

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Anyone wishing to address his, or her, comments to this columnists, should write P. O. Box 432, Buffalo Gap, Texas, 79508.

Community Calendar

JANUARY 4

Colonial Oaks Nursing Home church services will begin at 3:30 p.m., conducted by the Believer's Fellowship.

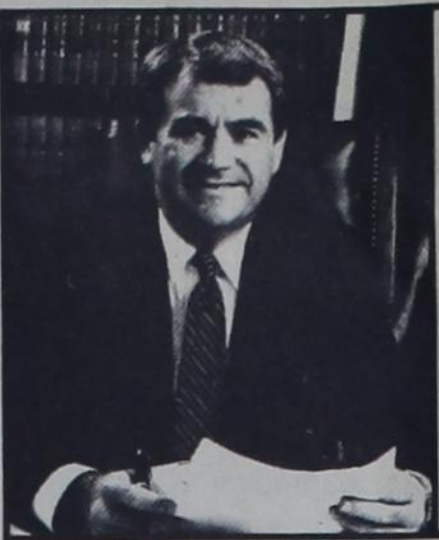
JANUARY 5

The Cross Plains Chapter of AARP will have their first meeting of 1987 on Monday beginning at 11:00 a.m. The business meeting will be followed by a meal at noon.

Parris Watson Reives B.A. Degree

The Max Watsons were in Waco December 19 to attend Commencement Exercises at Baylor University where Parris received his Degree in Business Administration.

Parris is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and nephew of Vera Pearl Bunnell.



CONSUMER ALERT

by Jim Mattox Attorney General

Pyramids Cheat Unwary Investors

If you are looking for either a full or part-time job, but want the independence of being your own boss, you may be searching the classifieds in the area called "business opportunities."

While there are many worthwhile businesses recruiting salespeople and investors, there are also a number of scams operating here in Texas. One of the most complicated and deceptive is called the pyramid scheme.

THE PYRAMID SCAM

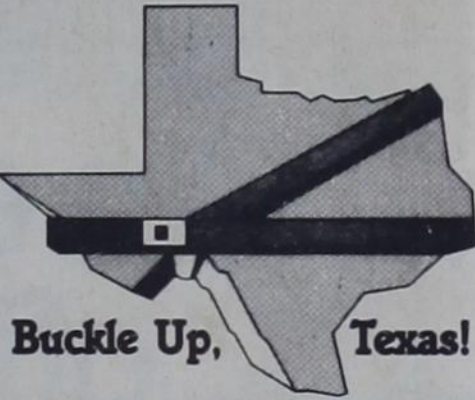
In order to avoid pyramid schemes, you need to know a few facts. The pyramid scheme derives its name from the structure of the organization: there are lots of people on the bottom, paying to a smaller group above them, who, in turn, pay a percentage of their earnings to an even smaller group above them in the pyramid.

For example: You are recruited as a "sales trainee", for which you pay \$1,000. Five hundred dollars of your money goes to the promoter, who is at the top of the pyramid. The other five hundred dollars goes to a "sales manager," directly above you in the pyramid. If you later recruit another "sales trainee" - which you will have to do in order to get your money back - you will get half of what he pays and the other half will go to the promoter.

The essence of the scheme is to continue to recruit more and more suckers. The people on the bottom always lose. Why? Because in any given geographic area there are only a certain number of suckers with \$1,000.

IT'S ILLEGAL

The pyramid scheme is illegal under the Texas Deceptive Trade Practices/Consumer Protection Act. Specifically, the law forbids the



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following: "selling or offering to sell, either directly or associated with the sale of goods or services, a right of participation in a multi-level distributorship. As used herein, multi-level distributorship means a sales plan for the distribution of goods or services in which promises of rebate or payment are made to individuals, conditioned upon those individuals recommending or securing additional individuals to assume positions in the sales operation, and where the rebate or payment is not exclusively conditioned on, or in relation to, proceeds from the retail sales of goods."

In other words, it is O.K. to recruit other salespersons; it is not legal to recruit them for a rebate. You, as a salesperson must derive your income from sales of goods or services, not from recruitment.

FOR MORE HELP

If you have been the victim of a pyramid scheme, call my nearest Consumer Protection Office. They also have a wide variety of free brochures available, including one on Business Opportunities. The Attorney General's Office is the people's law firm. We're here to help you.

OBITUARIES

Troy Stone

SEYMOUR — Troy Elsworth Stone, 76, died Thursday at a local hospital.

Services were held 2 p.m. Saturday at the Calvary Baptist Church with the Rev. Arthur Tigert officiating. Burial was in the Vera Cemetery, directed by Archer Funeral Home.

He was born in Knox County. He was a retired cowboy.

Survivors include his wife, Lucille Stone of Seymour; five daughters, Jeanie Brown of Granbury, Kathryn David of Plainview, Oneta Doherty and Barbara Robinson, both of Vernon, and Francis Goswick of Breckenridge; three sons, Troy Gene Stone of Cross Plains, David Stone of Seymour and Ricky Stone of Gilliland; a sister, Opal Noonkester of Campbell, Calif.; six brothers, R. A. Stone of Paducah, Hershel Stone of Seymour, A. C. Stone of Odessa, Bill Stone of Dickens, and Penny Stone and Harold Stone, both of Seymour; 24 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Waldo Stephens

Services for Waldo Stephens, 58, of the Bacacita Farms in Abilene was held at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home Chapel of Faith, U.S. Highway 277, with Bob Jackson officiating. Burial was in Glen Cove Cemetery in Coleman.

He died Sunday at a Houston hospital.

He was born in Atwell.

He was a U.S. Marine veteran of World War II and a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War.

He was employed by the Dunigan family for 30 years and for the past eight years was the thoroughbred farm manager for Bacacita Farms.

He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Janet Scroggin Stephens of Abilene; four sons, Steve Stephens of Baird, Wade Stephens of Cross Plains, and Shane Stephens and Damon Stephens, both of Jemez Springs, N.M.; two daughters, Jamye Stephens of Santa Fe, N.M., and Jenye Wilkins of Wimberley; a sister, Jamye Wilson of Klamath Falls, Ore.; and nine grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Christmas of 1986 has been time spent with family and friends in most homes of the community. It is the season to decorate throughout the house. Christmas trees with gifts for loved ones complete the holiday. Remembering that it is also Christ's birthday makes it more memorable in each of our lives. Happy New Year to you all.

The Tommie Harris home was the meeting place for their family dinner and tree Christmas Eve. Those present were Don and Pam Harris and children, Terrel, Troy, Paul, Misty and Tonya. From Eastland, Terry and Vickie Harris and Blandye of Cross Plains. Also Jimmy and Pam Harris and children, Jared and Jaonna, Nicky and Evelyn Harris and sons, T. J. and Chris Harris of the community, and Mrs. Ivon Odom of Cross Plains. On Christmas day, the Nicky Harris family, Jimmy Harris family and Don and Pam Harris and Mrs. Ivon Odom celebrated Christmas day in the home.

Tommy and Erlene Dye and son, Douglas, hosted a supper on Christmas Eve in Abilene for his family. Present were the Bob Dye family, and their mother, Edna Dye, all of Rowden. Also Edwin and Ann Dye and daughter, Lori Ann, of Abilene.

On Christmas day, Edna Dye drove to Breckenridge to spend two days with her brother and sister-in-law, Ed and Betty Sayre. Their other brother, Frank Sayre and his wife, Mildred, of Eastland also visited in the home.

Visitors in the Don Harrell home for the holidays were from both sides of the family, his mother, Justine Harrell, and Maryana's parents, Ted and Joan Newberry, of Abilene, from Austin, Maryana's sister and family, Melissa and Griff Andrews and son, Billy. Also the Mark Schreiver family.

Edna Dye accompanied her brother, Ed Sayre, of Breckenridge to Bowie last Monday to attend the funeral of their only aunt, Anna Yarbo, whose service was at the First Baptist Church there.

Wallace Combest and son, Kevin, of Snyder visited in the Gene Mauldin home last Monday.

Those having Christmas dinner in the Gene Mauldin home were Roland and Faye Mauldin and son, Kenneth of Denton Valley. Also their son, Douglas Mauldin, of Irving. Sunday visitors for late Christmas dinner in the Mauldin home were Irene and Willie Masters of Snyder and their two daughters and sons-in-law, Melinda and Bob Maninger, of Weatherford and Charlotte and Rod Clifton of Lubbock, Roland and Faye Mauldin and Kenneth of Denton Valley. Also Douglas Mauldin and his friend, Wally, of Irving and Johnnie Hamilton of Abilene.

Bob and Kathy Dye and daughter, Julie, spent Christmas in Mason with

her mother, Anna Dendy, and other members of her family there for the holidays.

The home of James and Dorothy Reynolds was filled with their children and grandchildren through the holiday. Jim and Crecia Reynolds and children, Chris and Colby of Midland, Ellen and John Carpenter of Denton and Tan and Janet Flippin and their son, Drew, of Stephenville. On Sunday night, Chris and his grandmother, Dorothy Reynolds, attended church in Clyde to hear a Christmas program rendered by members of the church. Little Drew was to stay with Dorothy and James while his parents, Tan and Janet, were on a skiing trip to New Mexico.

Robert and Dorothy Watson had all of their sons home from school for the holidays. On Tuesday night, Robert and Dorothy visited a friend, Mrs. Morris Phillips, in the Potosi community.

Visitors in the Tony Steele home for Christmas Eve supper were his mother, Opal Steele, of Clyde and Lee and Jean Jernigan of Lake Proctor.

Emma Johnson and Lizzie Burks' company were Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Anderson of Rising Star. Also their brother, Robert Burks, was out for a visit one day from the Rising Star rest home. Emma reported that their sister, Susie Mauldin, of the Cross Plains rest home was still an intensive care patient in the Brownwood hospital after undergoing surgery last week. Emma had a Christmas-day telephone call from her daughter, Pansy, from the country of Yemen where she is a teacher of English.

Tony and Judy Steele and children, Tonya, Bill and Connie, spent Christmas day in the N. V. Gibbs home.

Sterling and Joyce Odom had all their family home for Christmas dinner and visiting. Present were Ralph and Gini Trevey and their children, David, Scott and Jennifer, of Snyder, Charles and Nancy Palmer and son, Michael, of Clyde and Ivon and Vickie Odom and children, Dustin and Brittany, of Pioneer.

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By Art Lawler

Drunks kill.

People who serve drunks alcoholic beverages are accomplices. At least that's the way some people view it, people who are trying to pass legislation that will make bar owners legally responsible when they overfill the tanks of their consumers.

You don't need to see more statistics. People are slaughtered everyday on the highways. Especially during the holiday season. Alcohol is usually to blame.

But should bar owners be held responsible? If you go to the drug store and buy a bottle of Excedrin, then go home and swallow the entire contents, is the pharmacist to blame?

That's easy, you say? A pharmacist can't stand behind the bar and watch his drug being abused. A bartender can and is therefore more responsible.

On the other hand...

Alcohol is legal in most places. Even if it's not, there's always a private club, or a place just across the county line, where spirits can be purchased. Sure, bartenders should have enough compassion for their customers, to look out for their well-being. It's hard to baby-sit everybody, though.

Somewhere along the way, the

responsibility for controlling consumption ought to fall on the consumer, shouldn't it? Aren't we encouraging the drunk to get drunker by shifting his responsibility?

Wreckers who haul the cars of drunks home do a great service for the community and its drunks. So do cabs that offer to pick up drunks from parties and drive them home. The consumer hasn't been responsible, so somebody else assumes it for him - or her. That's being a good friend.

But should it be a law? Since we can't control the drunk, we punish somebody who's sober?

Is alcohol the real sickness in American society? Or is it our lack of responsibility which is reaching epidemic proportions? Everybody's willing to pass it along, but nobody wants to live with it?

Alcohol is part of our society. We can recognize that fact, or make fools of ourselves denying it. Since it's always been here and always will be, doesn't it make sense to start a nationwide campaign for responsible behavior on all fronts, rather than thinking of yet another way to crowd our courts with yet more litigation?

You tellum.

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PIONEER NEWS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

Most of the past week was purely routine for me — the exception being the lovely cards and letters from far and near — and some gifts.

I received a card from Col. Carroll Z. Dickson, Nancy and family — and a beautiful picture of their youngest son. They are stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., — also a card from Nancy's parents, Dr. Ted and Pauline Novak of San Antonio.

I received a card from a gal with whom I worked in the Navy Dept. in Washington, D.C. in 1945-56. She lives in "little Ole Rhode Island". She is still working — spent her vacation in California.

On Christmas Day, I called C.V. Jr., and family — at that time they had visitors — guess who? Carl Sohns, Jr., his mother and his sister. I believe he lives at Overton, his mother lives at Texas City. Last Saturday I drove to Cisco to my sister's home — our brother, Max and his family picked us up there and we all went to the ranch home of our other sister, Opal Cox, in the Necessity community.

There were close to 30 of us there — they came from Weatherford, Cleburne, Corsicana, Cisco and Breckenridge. Gifts were exchanged and scads of food consumed — it was a memorable day!

Visiting Mrs. Ethel Brown the past week were Ms. Jean Fore, Ms. Claudia Mae Watkins, Roland Jones, Jimmie Lee Payne, Lois Garrett, and Lou Grider, all of Cross Plains; Mrs. Mildred Coggin and her daughter, Mary Ruth, of Waco; Ms. Kathleen Hardesty and her daughter, Sandra Wright of Rising Star, also neighbors, the Cole Tillotsons. Mrs. Brown had dinner in town with her aunt, Ms. Cora Howland.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Smith had a houseful of family and friends during the holidays. Their two daughters' families came in on Christmas Eve: Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Nance, Joey and Scott from Cedar Creek (near Bastrop where Bobby coaches); also Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Rankin and Laura of Comfort, Texas. They all had a very

enjoyable time together.

A sister-in-law, Ms. Elva Olive, of Brownwood came by on Christmas Eve for a brief visit.

David and Sara McGowen were in Brownwood with Howard and Charlene on Wednesday. They were in Rising Star on Thursday with her parents, the Butlers. A nephew, Joey Butler, of Tarleton and an aunt, Ila Carlock, of Brownwood spent some time with them.

Glenn and Brian Fleming of Pampa, and Jerry and Jessica of McLean spent Thursday through Sunday with Nell and Joe Fleming.

The Norman Lees' daughter, Norma Cundiff, of Aubrey called them on Sunday. She had just recently visited them here.

Norma and Gene Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ford of Deport, Texas, Gary Foster of Abilene and Charles Foster and son, Doug, of San Antonio and Ms. Jewel were all together during the holidays.

The Bobby Roadys had their Christmas tree on Christmas Eve. Joe, Beverly and Kari of Brownwood were there, George was at home, also Cindy and Charlie. They had dinner with Ms. Nettie Roady at her home. Betty Lockyer of Cross Plains was with them. And of course, they visit Mr. Howard Hicks nearly every day.

Betty Beggs was in Abilene on business on Monday morning — she enjoyed lunch at Long John Silver's. On Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Kim Beggs and Nikki Leigh of Stephenville, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Lee Beggs and children of Cross Plains were there. They had a phone call from Rusty and Reba in Colorado. Nikki Leigh spent the night with Betty and J.T. J. T. visited with neighbors, L. W. and Jean Mitchell on Saturday afternoon.

"Nine-tenths of wisdom consists in being wise in time."

Theodore Roosevelt

Personals

Mrs. Dora Champion and Vonita had the following for Christmas Eve dinner: Lynn and Zona Beth (Champion) Mosley, Eddie Lynn, Jeanie Kay, Darryl, Freddy and Becky Ann from Graham; Walter and Marsha O'Neal; Jeff and Sherry O'Neal and two small children and Linda and Doug and children all from Abilene.

A very good time was had with lots of good food and picture taking and opening of gifts after dinner.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wright on Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. David Hale, Alisa and Brice of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wright and Beverly and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wright, Jonathon and Scotty of Clyde; Alma Armstrong of Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. Noah Johnson and Bruce and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Balkum of Cross Plains.

Guests of the Roger Watsons and "Aunt Pearl" during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Max Watson of Houston, Becky of University of Houston, Parris of Waco and Holly of Plano; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watson, Kelly and Alan of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill's guests were Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Walker, Blanche Moore, Juanita Thornton, Esther Kerr, Phyllis Tucker, Jay Kirkham, Mrs. Clarabel Gibbs, Lila Webb, Donnie McCowen, Wilda Dennis, Maurine McCuin, Dane Ratliff, Alton McCowen and L. A. Richardson all of Cross Plains.

Out-of-town visitors were Howard Shanks of Big Spring, Christian Henson, Geranya Henson, both of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lockhead of Denver, Colorado.

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Weekly Health Tip

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Pat Kilpatrick and Andy Meiron are planning a February 7 wedding at Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Louise Kilpatrick of Abilene and the late Roy F. Kilpatrick. She graduated from Cooper High School, attended Baylor University and received a bachelor's degree from Hardin-

Simmons University.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent L. Meiron, Jr., of Rising Star. He graduated from Cross Plains High School and attended Cisco Junior College and McMurry College. Both are employed by Woods Psychiatric Institute.

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COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

Wishing you all a New Year filled with love and caring and bountiful blessings with a lot of sharing. A time filled with unity, patience, forgiveness, happiness, peace, understanding, silence, listening, positive thinking and attitudes and an abundance of spiritual growing.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Nickerson, Matt and Blake of San Antonio arrived at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson, Sr., for the Christmas holiday and to spend several days.

Keith Kelly got home on December 19 to spend his college break for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scott, Ashleigh and Jami of Denton came in last Monday to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Strahan, for the Christmas holiday. Kim, James and Ashleigh went to Colorado to go skiing for several days and Jami stayed with her grandparents.

James and Enid Strahan of Durango, Colorado arrived at his brother's, Harold and Norma Strahan on Christmas Day to be with the family and spend several days.

On December 21, Scott and Jackie Childress and daughter, Stephanie, of Bloomfield, New Mexico arrived to spend a week and Christmas with his parents, Nancy and Dan Childress.

Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Williams arrived home from Gainesville, Florida the day before Christmas where they had been visiting with their daughter and husband, Yvonne and David Suggs, and attended David's graduation from the University of Florida. They met their daughter-in-law and granddaughter, Sharon and Heather Williams, at the airport in Florida and they returned to Cottonwood with them for the Christmas holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Hughes had their family and children with them for the Christmas holiday. Those attending the family gathering were: James and Doris Hughes, Jann and Allan Wren and Courtney of Cottonwood; Earlene Hughes of Irving; and Geraldene Hughes, Georgia Hughes, Nola and Steve and friend, Alicia, all of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Waggoner of Bradley, Brian and Brooke of China Springs spent Christmas Eve with their parents, Winona and Knox Waggoner, and families in Clyde and Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bigbee had their children and grandchildren home with them for the Christmas holiday and several days. Their son, Dalton and Anita Bigbee, Amy, Nathan, Aaron and Catherine traveled in from Bishop, Texas; Randy and Jan Bigbee, Evan and Jay of Brenham; Ken and Melanie Clonts, Michael and Chris; and Jack and Pam Stanke all of Brownwood were all there.

Family and relatives gathering in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly for Christmas Day dinner were: Keith, Dennis, Jimmy Kelly and family of Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson; Bill, Jr., and family; Randall Franke family of Clyde; Glynn and family of San Antonio; and Connie and children of Cross Plains; and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weaver of Cottonwood.

Family and children in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Williams for Christmas Day over the weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Williams and Heather; Mr. Paul Williams, Dylan and Nora; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Anderson and James and Mr. J. I. Crawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson, Sr., had all their children, with the exception of the Curtis Hines family of Las Vegas, Nevada, home for the Christmas Day festivities. Those gathering in the family home were: Bill and Annette Nickerson, Jr., Willie, Kevin and Mary Jo; Glynn and Dalilah Nickerson, Matt and Blake; Kathy and Randall Franke, Amie,

Kellie, and Jeremy of Clyde; and Connie Potter, Rickie Jo, Prociuous and April. Rickie and Amie spent several days with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown spent Christmas Eve and Christmas Day with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and Kenny, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kaailaika of Abilene.

Miss Charlotte Albrecht of Jacksboro was home on Christmas Day to be with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Albrecht, Eddy Jr., Tresha, Carlile, Emma, Andrew and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Creamer, and grandfather, Mr. Bill Smith.

J. P. and Nettie Clark spent Christmas Day with Mabel and Ted Fann and families, Bob and Cookie Robinson and Brian of Clyde; Vivian and Wayne Bush and Tina McCowen, and Martha Malone all of Abilene and Mabel's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Barnes of Dallas. J. P. and Nettie are both down with the flu when I called her Saturday evening. Hope they are feeling better soon.

Mrs. Ethel Anderson spent December 21 and 22 with Mrs. Ruth Conger and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin and children in Cisco for their Christmas gathering. On Wednesday, the Rufus Renfros had their family Christmas including Barbara and Stuart Sowell, Matt, Mandi and Malysa; Rod and Beth Renfro of May; Carrie and Sonya Renfro and Ethel. On Christmas Day, Ethel and granddaughter, Vanda King, and children spent the day with Darwin and Wanda Anderson in Abilene. Ethel spent her birthday, December 26, with her sister, Imogene Brooker and family in Abilene and returned home that evening. Daisy and Wes Holcomb came by Sunday evening to visit with her.

On Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Strahan had all his brothers; James and Enid Strahan of Durango, Colorado; Bruce and Mariam Strahan of McGregor and Ardan and Lola Strahan of Euless and their children and grandchildren visiting in their home.

Mr. Pat Moore and son, Brian, of San Antonio came in Friday to stay several days with his mother, Mrs. Blanche Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. John Purvis stopped by San Marcos and saw his sister, Mrs. Evelyn Meehan, enroute to Houston to spend Christmas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Prall and Ethan. Kathy and Peggy Purvis of Austin met the family at Betty and Rich's home for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sneed, Mr. Bud Everett all of Azle, and son-in-law, Michael, of Fort Worth came down Friday to visit with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown.

On December 20, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bigbee had her brothers and sister, Danny and Glendora Myrick of Abilene; Truett and Lorea Myrick of Brenham; and Billie and Albert Hughes of Fort Worth at the Myrick family homestead for their family Christmas celebration.

Mrs. Max (Shirley) Byrd of Keller was here Saturday and Sunday visiting with her sisters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly.

Billy and Janie Woody and granddaughter, Katie Oakley, of Phoenix, Arizona arrived at her parents, J. P. and Nettie Clark's Sunday evening and will be here a few days visiting.

Order Your Windbreak Trees

As the windy season approaches, many landowners are considering the planting of a tree windbreak to protect their homes and property. According to Steve Uselton, District Conservationist in Baird, to achieve the best results from a tree windbreak one should develop a design that includes tree spacing, adapted species, wind and rodent protection, and irrigation if needed.

This type of pre-planning will increase the overall percentage of trees that live once they are planted. Planning information for tree windbreak is available through the local Soil and Water Conservation District and the Soil Conservation Service in Baird. In addition, the Callahan Divide SWCD is making available to landowners the purchase of quality trees and shrubs for use in windbreak plantings at a very reasonable cost.

This year there will be four available sizes of trees offered for sale. Available in 1-gallon pots at a cost of \$3.50 each are Afghanistan Pine, Austrian Pine, Eastern Redcedar and Arizona Cypress. These four species plus Ponderosa Pine will also be available in the 28 cubic inch Styroblock size at a cost of \$37.50 per 30 trees. Other containerized conifers include both Afghanistan Pine and Arizona Cypress in the 10 cubic inch bullets for .85 cents each. There are also 9 species of bare rooted hardwoods available in bundles of 25 for a cost of \$7.50 per bundle. Those species included at this rate are Green Ash, Honey Locust (thornless), Pecan, Desert Willow, Russian Olive, Caragana, Little Walnut, Bois d'arc, and Skunkbush sumac.

A tree windbreak, if properly designed and maintained, can help protect life and property for 40 years or more. Windbreaks help decrease heating costs in winter and cooling costs in summer for homes and buildings, reduce soil erosion and damage to crops, provide shelter for livestock, and supply food and improve habitat for wildlife. In addition, windbreaks significantly increase the monetary value of a homestead and the aesthetic quality of rural life.

For more information on how to plan for an effective windbreak and how to purchase low cost trees and shrubs contact the local Soil Conservation Service or a representative of the Callahan Divide Soil and Water Conservation District. Plan for the future, PLANT A TREE.

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Danny Myrick
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Troy Stone
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Jo Boatright
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Glenda Lane
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The Waldo Stephens Family

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Ora Bell Webb and Myrtle Burkett

Card of Thanks

Friends are wonderful, and all of us at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home are truly thankful for each one of you who have given so unselfishly to make life happier during Christmas and all year long.

To each church that comes so faithfully each Sunday; to all the volunteers who come and give of their time and talents; to the businesses who send the paper year after year; to Dr. Carpenter who is so faithful to come day or night (good weather or bad); to Ike for his many extra trips to make sure we have the medications we need; to all of our beautiful families who are so faithful to come and who realize that our aims are the same (to give the best care that we can to their loved ones); we want to say "Thank you and may God Bless you for your goodness."

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The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Duffer, Forbes, Well Number 1. The proposed injection well is located 3.5 miles NE from Cross Plains in the (Nicholas (Duffer) Field, in Callahan County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3,687 to 3,691 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/445-1373).



PUBLIC NOTICE

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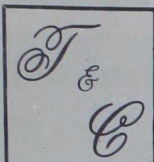
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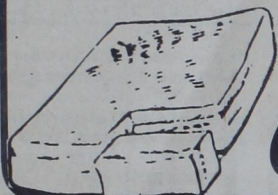
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