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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443 WEDNESDAY, DEC. 5, 1984

SEVENTY-SIXTH YEAR

Robbers Hit Local Home For \$4,750 On Thursday

Two unidentified robbers took about \$4,750 from a Cross Plains couple at 7:45 a.m. Thursday at their home here.

Disguised by wearing ski masks and dark coveralls, the robbers were waiting in the family home for Mr. and Mrs. Dale McCoy to return from taking their children to school Thursday morning. Mrs. McCoy entered the house on the east end of 11th Street, but escaped into the front yard. There one of the robbers caught her, hit her in the face, and grabbed the billfold containing the money. Mr. McCoy is handicapped and had not gotten to the house.

Charlie Reynolds, Cross Plains City Marshall, and Mack West, Callahan County Sheriff's Department chief deputy, of Baird have

been working on the case. They report that one subject ran out the back door, and both were tracked for some distance where they had a vehicle waiting on Beech Street. The escape vehicle is believed to be maroon with white vinyl roof.

The robbery suspects, both believed to be males, although they did not speak, were described as one being about 6 foot weighing 200-210 pounds, and the other about 5-foot, 9-inches and of a lighter weight.

It is believed by lawmen that the robbers knew what they were after, as nothing in the house was taken other than the money. The funds were reportedly being saved to buy a mobile home for the McCoy family.

Musical Is Scheduled At Center Saturday

Regular monthly musical will be held at the Multi-Purpose Center in Cross Plains Saturday, Dec. 7. It was reported that doors will open at 6 p.m., and music will begin at 7 o'clock.

All area musicians are invited to come and perform, and all those who prefer to just sit and listen are also extended a warm welcome to attend the country-western music jamboree. There is no admission charge.

Refreshments will be available in the kitchen. It was pointed out that all help at the musical will be greatly appreciated as will each donation of sandwiches, pies and cakes.

KTAB NEWS INVESTIGATES ALBRECHT'S WINDMILLS

A crew from KTAB News Big Country Report was in Cottonwood Wednesday, Nov. 28, where they interviewed Eddy Albrecht of that community concerning his windmill operation. Windmills are not a thing of the past, but are coming back again. Windmills are used to pump water into the Albrecht home.

The interview with Mr. Albrecht will be aired on KTAB-TV News (Channel 32) on Wednesday, Dec. 5, at 6:30 p.m. and on Saturday, Dec. 8, at 10:30 p.m.

Members of the KTAB team were reporter, Paul Osmann, cameraman Martin Perry and audio engineer Carolyn Platt.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD SETS COLONIAL OAKS SERVICES

The Assembly of God Church will be in charge of the services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home Sunday, Dec. 9 at 3:30 p.m.

'All Our Kids' To Hold Meeting Sunday Afternoon

Citizens of Cross Plains "All Our Kids" need you.

Some of the concerned citizens of Cross Plains have started an organization entitled "AOK" which stands for All Our Kids. The purpose of the organization is to inform citizens and youth of what drugs and alcohol can do to an individual, a family, and a community. We need to help our fellow man and let our children know that we love them by informing them how dangerous this can be, said an AOK representative.

The organization is planning a meeting with the school board so it can work with the youth through films and literature. The representative said, Please don't get us wrong, the organization doesn't feel Cross Plains has a major problem, but we do need to be realistic, this is 1984. Drugs are all around us, and we, as parents, need to teach our children how to respect themselves as human beings and make the right decisions for themselves and not be persuaded by peer pressure.

She continued that it is most important now because some of the surrounding towns have already started taking action. When we say action it means that drug dogs have been called in to search the school for drugs plus awareness films are being shown. So it is only logical to say that this is affecting the pusher. If their sales of drugs go down then they will go to another town, such as Cross Plains, and approach our kids. All in all this will make it more available to our kids. We all, as parents, can only hope that our children will be informed enough to say, 'No'. None of us can be sure of what our kids will say whether informed or not, but we can say as citizens we have informed our children, and they know right from wrong.

It makes no difference if one has children in school or not, anyone can get involved and show our kids we care.

AOK will have its first meet-

Santa Claus Coming Here For Program On Saturday

City of Cross Plains will be graced by a visit from Santa Claus during the annual Christmas Program scheduled for Saturday from 4 to 7 p.m.

Highlights, other than the visit of Santa to his little friends here, will be a drawing every 15 minutes for \$25 and a program of local talent.

Cross Plains Kiwanis Club sponsor of the undertaking to promote Christmas shopping in Cross Plains, said the program will be held in the area between the Citizens State Bank and the Hornsby

Building, weather permitting. If the weather is bad, the program will be moved to the skating rink located immediately south of the building formerly housing the post office.

It was pointed out that the drawing for the cash prizes will require winners to be present to win, and persons may sign at any of the local businesses displaying a box for depositing tickets for the drawing. No charge is made to register and no purchase is necessary. Only immediate families of those at any store cannot register at that particular outlet. A total of \$300 will be given away.

Mike Kelley will be the master of ceremonies and help accompany groups on the guitar. Mrs. John Swift will be the pianist.

At 4 p.m. Burlie Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church will offer a prayer and make guests welcome. John Swift, pastor of the Evangelical Methodist Church here will read the Christmas Story from the Bible. Following will be entertainment by the Bonnia Lassies from the Slim Gym.

4:15 — Drawing; entertainment by Connie Kirkham, Peggy Dickson, Becky Thompson, and Bonnie Lassies.

4:30 — Drawing, Bonnie Lassies, Evangelical Methodist Church.

4:45 — Drawing, Bonnie Lassies, Pioneer Revival Center.

5:00 — Drawing, Citizens State Bank employees, Bonnie Lassies.

5:15 — Drawing and Bonnie Lassies.

5:30 — Drawing, Higginbotham's employees and Bonnie Lassies.

5:45 — Drawing, Bonnie Lassies and Blue Grass Singers.

6:00 — Drawing, Bonnie Lassies and First Baptist Church.

6:15 — Drawing, Bonnie Lassies, Johnston Truck & Supply employees. Santa is expected to arrive about this time.

6:30 — Drawing and Cross Plains School, various groups including 1-12 grades.

6:45 — Drawing and school groups continued.

7:00 — Drawing and school groups continued.

7:15 — Drawing and school groups continued.

7:30 — Drawing and school groups continued.

7:45 — Drawing and school groups continued.

8:00 — Drawing and school groups continued.

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8:45 — Drawing and school groups continued.

9:00 — Drawing and school groups continued.

9:15 — Drawing and school groups continued.

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Cross Plains merchants who donated to the Cross Plains 1984 Christmas Fund providing money and candy were listed by the Kiwanis Club as follows: Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains Review, McNeel Insurance Agency, Ray's Barber Shop, Mayes Flowers, Buy Rite Superette, Cross Plains Discount, Barnett Garage, Western Auto Associate Store, Lane's Variety, Johnson's Dry Goods, Cliff's Exxon, West Texas Utilities Co., Higginbotham Bros. & Co., Neel Drug, Brvan's Variety, Cross Plains Auto Supply, Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Co., Johnston

Truck & Supply Ford.

Also: Sav-On Food, Dairy Queen, Fore Conoco Station, Dillard Texaco Station, Odom's Motel, Grider Gulf Station, Stroud's Shamrock Station, Bob's Garage, Dillard Drilling Co., K.L.H. Oil & Gas, Southern Savings, Triple S Roustabout, Parrish Insurance & Real Estate, Walker Truck & Trailer, Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply, Town & Country Food Stores, Dal-Mar Energy, Inc., Dairy Bar, Polly's Beauty Bar, B&B Automobile Discount, Cross Plains Oil Field Supply, Lakeway Grocery, Bishop Automotive and K-Oil Well Servicing, Inc.

3 Bisons Earn 1st Team Football All-District Plates

Three Cross Plains Buffaloes were elected to first team positions on the 8-A East Zone All-District football team by league coaches Thursday night of last week.

Conference coaches met at Goldthwaite and chose the outstanding players of the loop. Mentors could not vote on their own players.

John Fred McWilliams was the only Buffalo to be selected on the offensive team. The split end is a senior and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McWilliams.

Arthur Agnew and Tom Sibley captured first team defensive places. Agnew, a junior and son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Agnew, was selected at linebacker.

Sibley is a senior and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sibley. He was named at a defensive back post.

Lance Clawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Clawson, was selected as second team running back and as honorable mention defensive back.

McWilliams was also tagged as a second team defensive end.

Devin Koenig, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Oscar Koenig was mentioned as quarterback, and Tommy Ames, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ames, was noted as an offensive guard.

Offensive player of the year was

Ricky Hunter of Gorman.

Other first team offensive players were listed as follows. Split end: John Fred McWilliams, Cross Plains.

Tight end: Brad Conrad, Lometa, and Mike Lee, Evant.

Tackles: David Gibbs, Gorman, and Roland Diaz, Blanket.

Guards: Kevin Scott, Goldthwaite, and John Herbst, Evant.

Center: Russ Grasset, Gorman, and Dean Banks, Blanket.

Quarterback: John Beadle, Evant.

Halfback: Steve Laughlin, Blanket; Rhett Harrison, Gorman, and Glenn Carr, Goldthwaite.

The Defensive Player of the Year honors was shared by John Beadle of Evant and Chad Beavers of Goldthwaite.

Roster of defensive 8-A team follows.

Defensive linemen: Robert Straley, Evant; Joe Underwood, Gorman; Larry Bills, Lometa; and Kip Thompson, Goldthwaite.

Defensive ends: John Woodall, Gorman; Jimmy Jorton, Goldthwaite, and Alex Whittenburg, Lometa.

Linebackers: Russ Grette, Gorman; Arthur Agnew, Cross Plains, and Kevin Scott, Goldthwaite.

Defensive back: Tom Sibley, Cross Plains; Ricky Hunter, Gorman; Stuart Bridges, Goldthwaite; Brad Conrad, Lometa and Steve Laughlin, Blanket.

Buffettes, Lingleville Boys Win Cage Tourney Titles

Cross Plains girls and Lingleville boys won championships of the Cross Plains Invitational Basketball Tournament played last week end.

Buffettes won the crown with a 34-41 decisioning of May led by 14 points from Suzie McClure and 10 from Alesia Thompson. Theresa Petross led May with 20 points.

Lingleville boys led by 23 points from Mayfield clipped Carbon 68-59 in the title contest.

Bangs girls thumped Rising Star feminine unit 50-36 for third place, and Sidney nipped Comanche Junior Varsity 34-30 for the consolation diadem.

Bangs Dragons decisioned Cross Plains for the third place 54-40 in spite of 20 points from McWilliams, and Rising Star Wildcats defeated Comanche J.V. unit 36-39 for the consolation crown.

Cross Plains Buffettes earned a finals berth by beating Sidney 34-30 in the opening round and rolling past Rising Star 44-19 in the second round. May earned the shot at the championship by calmly Lingleville 57-39 and then slipping past Bngs girls 47-43.

Between falling to the Buffettes and annexing the consolation crown, Sidney defeated Carbon 47-30.

Girls. Comanche J.V. beat Lingleville for the consolation trophy try.

Bangs girls decisioned Comanche J.V. 48-33 before bowing to May and then beating Rising Star 50-36 for third place.

Lingleville boys began their quest for the top prize by bopping Rising Star JV 71-11, then measuring Bangs 69-56 before annexing the title 68-59 over Carbon.

Carbon defeated Rising Star 61-41 and Cross Plains 48-43 before settling for the runner-up position.

Bangs claimed third place by beating Comanche JV 65-24, bowing to the eventual champs and thumping Cross Plains 54-40.

Rising Star boys won consolation by trimming Sidney after bowing to Carbon in the opener, and shading Comanche JV 36-30 in finals. Comanche team got there by beating the Rising Star JV.

Buffaloes made the third place playoff by axing Sidney 76-37 and bowing to Carbon.

Bangs got there by thumping Comanche JV 65-24 and bowing to Lingleville 69-56.

Complete list of the all-tournament team was not available, but Cross Plains players earning recognition were Alesia Thompson and Dawn Strenth, and on the male unit John Fred McWilliams.

Tammy Klingberg Crowned Most Beautiful At Pageant

Miss Tammy Klingberg was crowned as Most Beautiful in a pageant held at Cross Plains School Auditorium Monday night.

Miss Klingberg is a senior, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Klingberg.

First runner-up was Kelli Hargrove, a junior and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hargrove.

Second runner-up was Deana Conlee, a sophomore and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie B. Conlee.

The three top placers were escorted by three Most Handsome boys recently elected by high school girls. They are seniors and are John Fred McWilliams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McWilliams, most handsome; Tom Sibley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sibley, first runner-up; and John Hanke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hanke, second runner-up.

Revealed were selection of Mr. and Miss CPHS, John Fred McWilliams and Alesia Thompson. Miss Thompson is a senior and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thompson.

First runner-up went to John Hanke and Tammy Klingberg, and second runner-up was announced as Tom Sibley and Cathy Engle. Miss Engle, a senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Engle.

Other personalities revealed were Most Likely to Succeed, John Hanke and Alesia Thompson; Best Personality, David Grider and Pam Hutchins; Most Witty, Paul Davis and Suzie McClure; Biggest Complainer, Sibley and Missy Harnes; Most Friendly, Tom Ames and Celeste Taylor;

Most Irresistible, Lance Clawson, Michelle Prater and Miss Klingberg; and Most Sophisticated, Charlie Grider and Dawn Strength.

High school class favorites and other personalities include: Freshmen, Donna Erwin and Scotty Cupit; Sophomores, Denise Flip-pin and Shawn Odom; Juniors, David Grider and Janna Pickett; Seniors, Hanke and Miss Thompson; Football Sweetheart, Pam Hutchins escorted by Alan Hargrove; Band Sweetheart, Miss Hutchins escorted by Chase Payne; FFA Sweetheart, Miss Strength and FHA Beau, McWilliams.

Elementary personalities include Junior High School Band Sweetheart, Stephanie Walker escorted by Matt Strickland; Junior High School Football Sweetheart, Carol Morgan, escorted by Junior High School Beau Casey Williams.

Class favorites in the elementary grades were announced at kindergarten, Brandon Stover and Ashley Frech; Mrs. Sowell's first grade, Brock Walker and Emma Albrecht; Mrs. Wilson's first grade, Misty Strickland and Damien Bates; Mrs. Higginbotham's second grade, Lori Erwin and Jared Harris; Mrs. Alexander's second grade, Renee Atchley and Cory Barron; Mrs. Thompson's third grade, Shana Bagley and Kelly Barclay; Mrs. Grable's third grade, Glenda Evans and Billy Walker; fourth grade, Janet Hartman and Brandon Smith; fifth grade, Angela Purvis and Jody Brown; sixth grade, Pam Glover and Roger Rudloff; seventh grade, Pam Helms and Billy Lee; and eighth grade, Kristina Horan and Matt Strickland.

Last 4 Months Cemetery Gifts Listed By Secretary

Cross Plains Cemetery has received \$1,400 in donations during the past four months, an average amount below operation expenses for the burial plot.

In reporting the four-month aggregate, Mrs. A. J. McCuin stated that she and other members of the cemetery board genuinely appreciated the generosity of the donors to allow the local burial plot to be maintained in an attractive manner.

Contributions by the month were reported as follows.

Giving the \$890 in August and respective months were Mrs. Hazel Marsh \$10; Nita Cade Walker in memory of S. C. and Mollie Westerman, Cade families, \$170; Raymond Andrews \$20; Jesse E. French in memory of the Phil Westerman family, \$20; Charles D. and Barbara Jones \$100; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Duncan \$100; A. B. Rowan \$25; Zora Mae Bryant \$50; Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Childs, Jr. in memory of Carl L. Childs, \$75. The Eager Family, in memory of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Eager and brother \$270; Jack and Kath-

ryn Tunnell \$50.

Persons donating the \$375 in September were listed as Wilson Well Service \$100; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Guilbeau \$50; Mrs. Lester Herr \$25; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Balkum \$50. Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Anderson, Jr. \$50 and Mrs. Harlan Wiginton \$100.

Only two gifts were acknowledged during October. They were Leo Tutt \$50 and Juanita Mayes \$20.

The \$125 remainder of the four-month total came in four gifts from Mr. and Mrs. Glen Payne \$50; Mrs. J. T. Lawrence \$25; Alpha Rho Zeta chapter no. 10492 \$25, and Anna Mae Whitmire \$25.

Mrs. McCuin also reported \$825 income from grave opening permits for August through November. The permits are \$75 each and came from the following: Larverne Childers Bowen \$75, Carl Lamont and Betty Childs \$150, C. D. Westerman \$75, Frank J. O'Banion \$150, Elwood Baxter \$75, Lillie V. Kinnard \$75, Ilea Jones \$75, Belle Barr \$75 and Jussie Oglesby \$75.

Colonial Oaks News

Thanksgiving over we are now looking forward to Christmas.

Mrs. Arvin had a wonderful time at her 104th Birthday Party at A.C.U. Linda and I enjoyed it as much as she did.

We enjoyed singing Wednesday with a good group including: Ruby McCowen, Dona Black, Vernie McMillan, Bill Coats, Opal Byrd, Vera Pearl Buncell, Ruby Spiner, Vesta Zond, Wilda and Wayne Dennis, J. M. Greenwood and Ernestine Watson.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Ida Morris. We will miss her.

Pastor and Mrs. Locker of the Methodist Church visited Ella McMillan, Maybelle Odom and Frank Newton.

Our sympathy to Mrs. Odom in the loss of her son.

Opal Byrd carried Belle Chambers out to lunch, and she really enjoyed it.

Leslie and Juanita Gedeon of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Landolt.

Jim Freeman of Childress visited Kate Powell.

Nell Mercer, Nancy Eledge and Totsy Vawrina visited in the home this week.

Bobbie Purvis and Billie Mat-

thew visited Robert Brashear, Dorothy McKinney, L.V.N. from Outreach Home Health, visited some of her ex-patients. She was very complimentary of the nursing home, and we do appreciate it.

Arcie and Oneta Hubbard visited Billie Chambers.

Yvonne Lancaster, Mrs. Ritchie's daughter from San Angelo carried her mom to Cree's for lunch. They had a nice day.

Many of our families visit daily, and we become accustomed to them being here and don't really give them the credit they are due. We do appreciate them, and want them to feel right at home.

Walter Smith is in the hospital at Brownwood. We hope he will soon be able to come home. Until next week we wish you health and happiness. Visit a friend in the nursing home.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill during the past week included Randy Walker, Mike Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Walker, L. A. Richardson, Juanita Thornton, E. K. Coppinger, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Golson, Alton McCowen, Ben Odom and Howard Shanks of Big Spring.

WORSHIP THIS WEEK WITH

Cottonwood Baptist Church

"WHERE JESUS IS LORD"

SERVICES: Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Training Union & Youth Choir	6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.
Wed. Evening Prayer Service	7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Choir Practice	8:00 p.m.

Emex Waggoner, Pastor

Rick Wheeler, Youth Director

World's Fair Favorites Make An All-American Party

Every hostess enjoys having guests say, "This tastes great. What's in it?"

If you want to serve party food that will go over with a bang, make snacks with cereal shot from guns. It's one way to get guests talking about a truly American food.

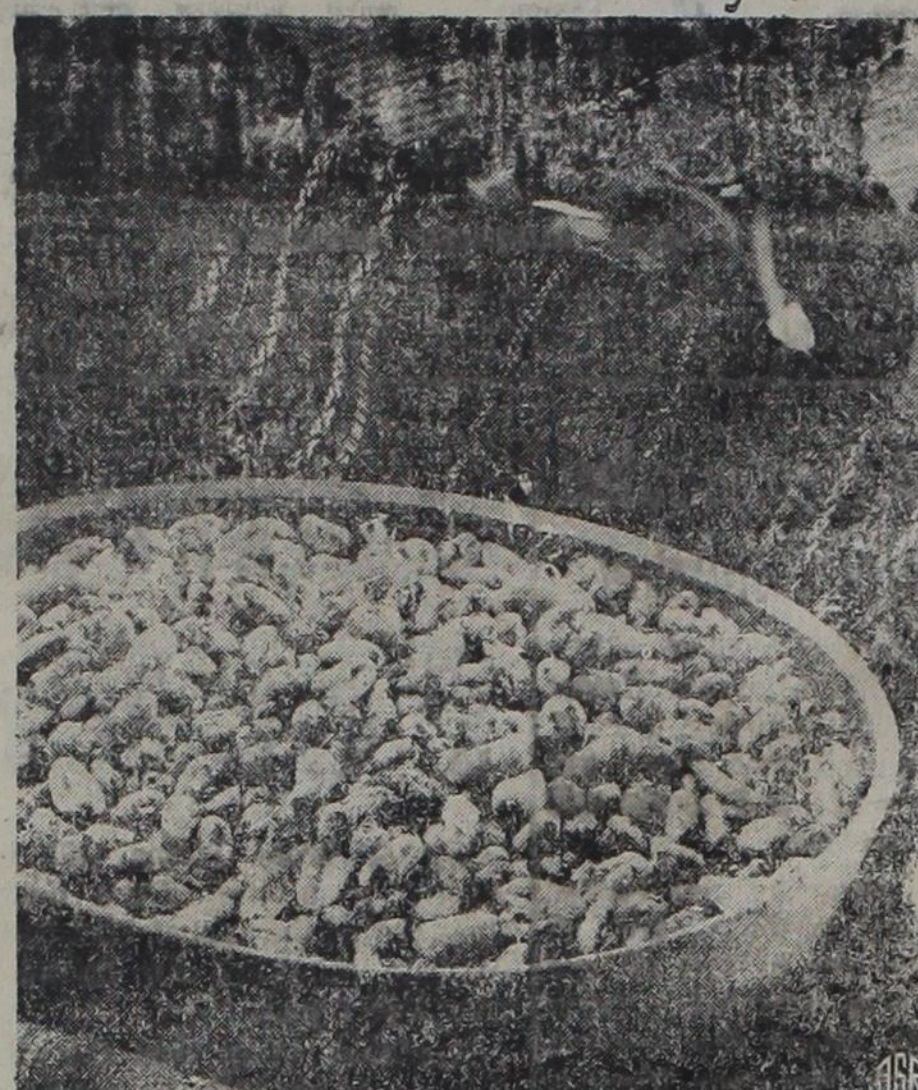
Your guests might be surprised to know "puffed" rice kernels were actually shot from Spanish American war cannons at the St. Louis World's Fair in 1904. They were coated with caramel and sold as candy at The Quaker Oats Company's exhibit. Five years later, Quaker poured milk over puffed rice and puffed wheat and two great breakfast cereals were born.

Other American favorites introduced at the St. Louis World's Fair included ice cream in cones, hot dogs on buns and iced tea. Next time you fix those favorites for family and friends, you'll be sharing a little history as well.

For munching, try the World's Fair snacks made with Quaker Puffed Rice and Puffed Wheat, too. They're made with grains that have no added salt nor sugar. And, they're low in calories. It's a little bit of history that's right for today.

Easy Party Mix

- 1/4 cup margarine or butter, melted
 - 1/2 to 1 teaspoon curry powder
 - 1/4 teaspoon onion powder
 - 4 cups Quaker Puffed Wheat or Puffed Rice
 - 1 cup bite-size pretzels
 - 1/2 cup dry roasted unsalted peanuts
- Heat oven to 350°F. Combine margarine and seasonings,



For party munching, serve Savory Snack Mix with puffed wheat or rice, peanuts and savory seasonings.

Pour over combined remaining ingredients; mix well. Spread onto ungreased 15 x 10-inch jelly roll pan. Bake 10 to 12 minutes. Cool completely. Store covered at room temperature. Makes about 4 cups.

Calories per 1 oz. serving (about 1/2 cup) = 154

Savory Snack Mix

- 3 tablespoons margarine or butter, melted
- 1 tablespoon honey
- 1 1/4 teaspoons chili powder
- 3/4 teaspoon oregano leaves, crushed

1/8 teaspoon garlic powder

4 cups Quaker Puffed Wheat or Puffed Rice

1 cup unsalted roasted peanuts

Heat oven to 350°F. Com-

bine margarine, honey and seasonings. Pour over com-

combined cereal and nuts; mix well. Spread onto ungreased

15 x 10-inch jelly roll pan. Bake 10 to 12 minutes. Cool

completely. Store covered at room temperature. Makes

about 4 cups

Calories per 1 oz. serving (about 1/2 cup) = 161

Foster Parent Parley Set At Baird Dec. 6

Members of the Callahan County Child Welfare Board would like to remind interested citizens of the information session on foster parenting to be held Thursday, Dec. 6, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at the Callahan County Courthouse

at Baird.

Due to the extreme shortage of foster homes in this county, it is hoped this session will be well attended. If additional information is desired persons may call (915) 854-1257.

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Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1984

PENDER MITCHELL IS SAID IMPROVING IN HOSPITAL

L. P. (Pender) Mitchell, Cross Plains Justice of the Peace, is reported to be improving at Humana Hospital at Abilene where he has been a medical patient for the past two weeks.

It was reported here first of the week that if he continued to show improvement he would probably be released from the hospital this week.

ANOTHER DEEP OIL TEST FILED ON WESTERMAN LAND

Firerock Co. of Cross Plains has filed application to drill No. 4 L. D. Westerman as a proposed 4,200-foot wildcard in the Lil Aurrey (Comyn) Field three miles north of Cross Cut.

Drill site is 2,067 feet from the south and 330 feet from the west lines of J. Lavine Survey 350, and located on a 162-acre lease.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:45 A.M.

MORNING WORSHIP 11:00 A.M.

CHURCH TRAINING 6:00 P.M.

EVENING WORSHIP 7:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER MEETING 7:30 P.M.

Rev. Burlie W. Taylor, Pastor — Curtis Beaman, Music, Youth Pastor 725-7553 — Church (317) 725-7629 — M-Y Dir. 725-7153

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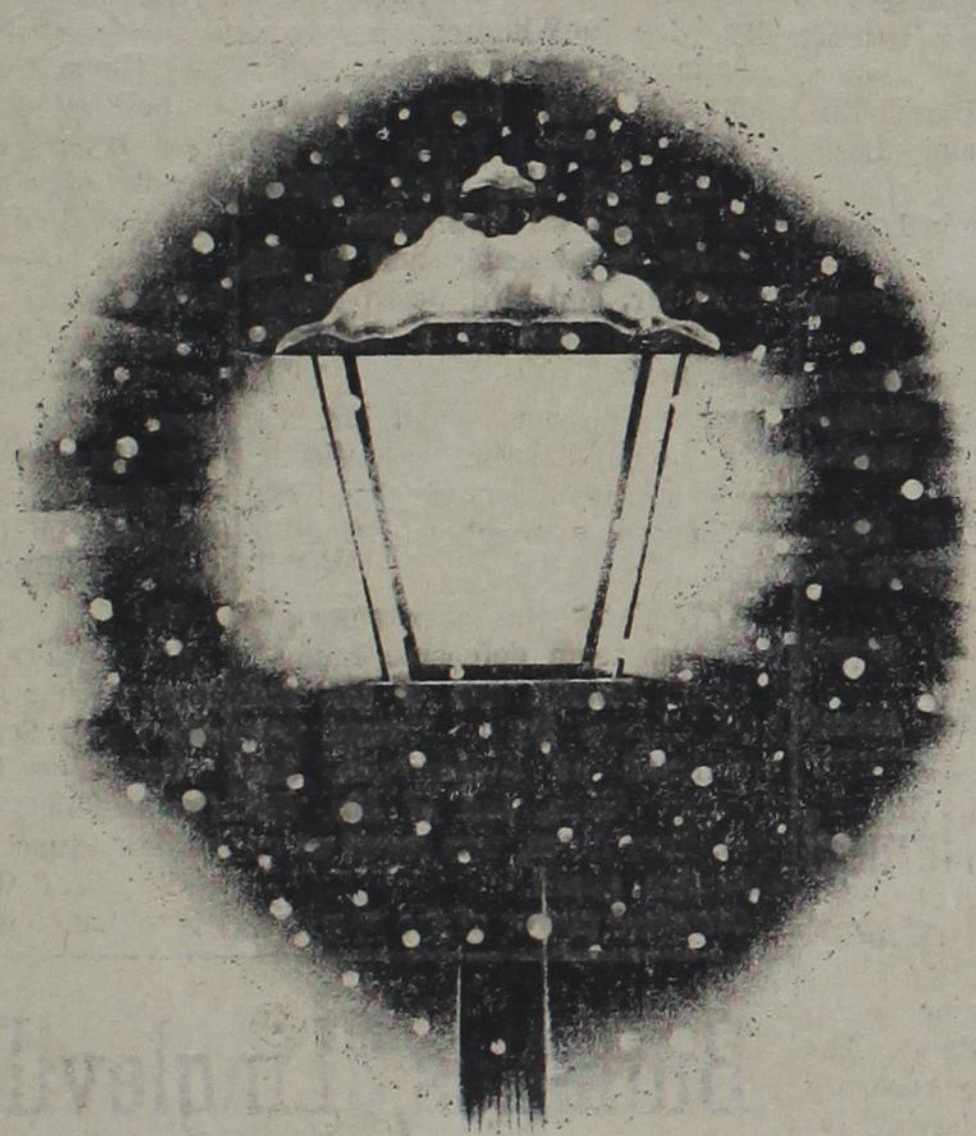
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Use heat-resistant cords with grounding plugs, and do not overload too many lights or appliances on one circuit.

Use a water-filled stand for live trees and check the water-level daily.

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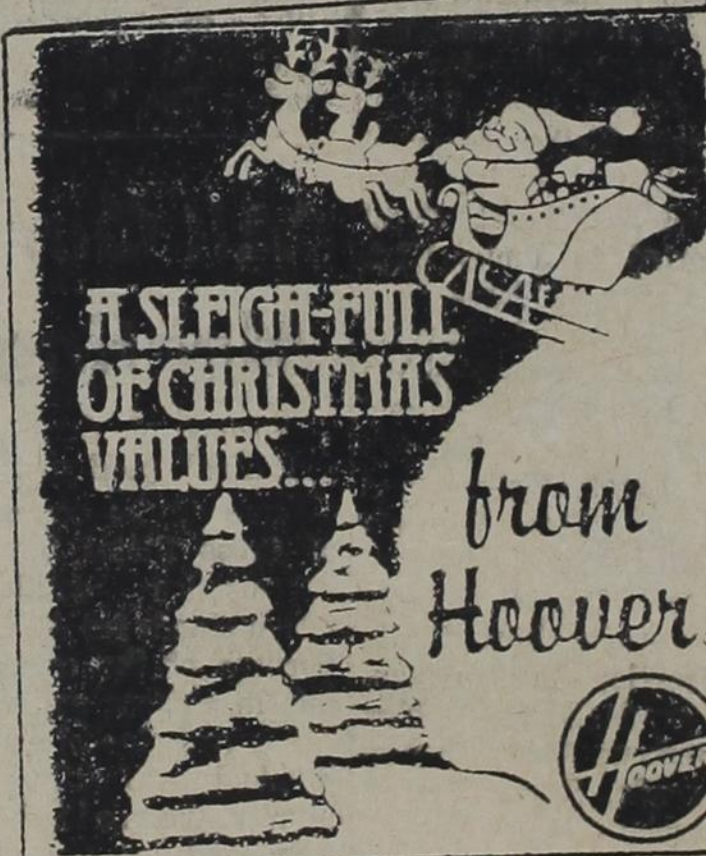
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HIGGINBOTHAM'S

16 TAKE THANKSGIVING DINNER AT LONG HOME

Present for Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Cal and Thelma Long were some of each of their family.

A wonderful day of visiting and feasting was enjoyed with all guests bringing some of the feast. Those present were Gladys Patterson of Brownwood, Leota Howser of Richmond, Gene and Carole

Patterson and Don Hater of Fort Worth, Chris, Dee Dee and Jessica Pierson of Round Rock, Frank and Gladys Breaux of Merkel, and Bud and Ruth Lewis, Eva Mitchell and Joe Howser of Abilene as well as the hosts.

Attend Church Sunday

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Originality is important in entering recipe contests, but the recipe or its ingredients shouldn't be so unusual that the average cook can't duplicate it easily. In any contest, prize winners offer good clues to the type of recipe entries which may make it to the final judging.

Peanut Butter and Jelly Pie, a past winner in a Marshmallow Creme Contest, combines everyone's favorite flavors in a delicious frozen pie. The surprise layer of grape jelly is the contestant's unique touch which can catch the judges' eye. Kraft marshmallow creme is the "secret ingredient" which insures a smooth and creamy frozen recipe will result, without complicated preparations or special equipment.

Peanut Butter and Jelly Pie

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| 1-1/2 cups chocolate wafer crumbs | 1 8-oz. container (3 cups) La Creme whipped topping with real cream, thawed |
| 1/4 cup Parkay margarine, melted | 1/2 cup Kraft grape jelly |
| 1 7-oz. jar Kraft marshmallow creme | 1 tablespoon chopped peanuts |
| 1/4 cup milk | |
| 1/4 cup chunk style peanut butter | |

Combine crumbs and margarine, press onto bottom and sides of 9-inch pie plate. Chill.

Combine marshmallow creme and milk, mixing with electric mixer or wire whisk until well blended. Add peanut butter; mix well. Fold in whipped topping. Spread jelly on bottom of crust. Pour marshmallow creme mixture over jelly; sprinkle with peanuts. Freeze until firm.

With Peanut Butter and Jelly Pie as a guideline, you will want to start thinking of an entry in the 1984 Kraft Marshmallow Creme "Easy Secret Ingredient" Recipe Contest which is accepting entries through September 30, 1984. Featuring three new contest categories — "Frozen Favorites," "Festive Fruits," and "Chocolate Challenge" — any snack, dip, sauce or dessert recipe is eligible. All entries must include at least one 7-ounce jar of Kraft marshmallow creme and must be accompanied by a proof-of-purchase.

To receive a complete set of contest rules, send your name and address to: "RULES," Kraft Marshmallow Creme "Easy Secret Ingredient" Recipe Contest, P. O. Box 11192, Dept. M, Chicago, IL 60611.

Sabanno

Bv Shirley Snodgrass

Winter is here. It is really cold this Monday morning. Please take care to stay in out of the cold. There is lots of sickness in our community. I hope everyone is feeling better by now. Sandra Tension was our visitor last week.

Inez Shawver's son, Dennis, of Windthorst came down Sunday and they built fence. Dennis cooked steaks out in the woods for them. Inez said she really did enjoy the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Strickland's visitors Saturday were Sharon and James Ames. Those on Sunday were Ethel Collier and boys and her mother.

L. J. Coker's visitors were Brent Key and Frank Snodgrass. Mr. and Mrs. Tuitt Dawkins visitors Monday were Mr. Day and son, Jack of Brownwood Lake and Monday night Oma and Glenda Cox of Cisco. Tuitt and Odie made a trip to Eastland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arza Green went riding around Sunday and ate out at Ranger. They said the trees were real pretty.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Fitzgerald helped with the Meals on Wheels at Cisco Friday and did some visiting while they were there. Farrell and Carol Stephens visited them Sunday.

Robbie Rector's visitors this week were Idelle Hollis, David and Martha Evans and son, Shawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Watson's visitors Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Burney Tucker of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kandy of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. Leeland Watson of Sabanno.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb had all their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren Sunday. They had their Christmas and Thanksgiving Sunday. Ethel Anderson of Cottonwood and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Golson of Burkett joined them also. Pauline Switzer visited them one day last week. Wes and Daisy visited Ethel Anderson at Cottonwood Thursday night.

Mrs. Wayne Gage went shopping in Fort Worth with Virginia Callaway Monday. She visited her sister, Oleta Porter, while they were there. Their visitors this week end were Tony and Sharon Gage and boys, Weldon and Brian, of Weatherford.

Prentiss Harris made a trip to of hi father after Thanksgiving Mississippi to attend the funeral. Our sympathy goes to him and his family.

Mrs. Lillian Parsons' youngest sister died in a Lubbock hospital Sunday. Our sympathy goes to her

Mrs. Roy Tatom, 75, Buried At Atwell

Final rites for Mrs. Roy (Leta) Tatom of Atwell were held at 10 a.m. Thursday at Higginbotham Funeral Home in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Tatom, 75, died at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday of last week at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene following an extended illness.

Rev. Burlie W. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains, officiated, assisted by the Rev. L. M. Handley, pastor of the Atwell Primitive Baptist Church. Burial was at Atwell Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Born Nov. 2, 1909 in Atwell, she married Rev. Tatom July 29, 1928, there. She was a homemaker and a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by three brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include her husband of the home; a son, Roy Neil of Atwell; two brothers, Claude Foster and Bernice Foster, both of Cross Plains; two sisters, Viola Hutchins and LaVerne Scott, both of Cross Plains; two grandchildren, Beverly Ross and Kim Gibson; and two great-grandchildren.

Nephews served as pallbearers.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD SETS COLONIAL OAKS SERVICES

The Assembly of God Church will be in charge of the services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home Sunday, Dec. 9 at 3:30 p.m.

and her family.

- Blueberry-Banana Dream Pie
- 2 baked pie shells
- 8 oz. pkg. cream cheese
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 box dream whip 2 pkgs)
- 2 lg. bananas
- 1 can blueberry pie filling

Cream cheese and sugar, gradually adding sugar. Fold in whipped topping (whip according to pkg.) Pour into cooled pie shells lined with sliced bananas. Top both pies with blueberry pie filling. Refrigerate pies.

Survivors Apply Early As Possible For SS

Surviving dependents of a deceased worker should apply for Social Security benefits as soon as possible following the worker's death, Glyn Hammons, Social Security manager in Abilene, said recently.

Applying promptly will allow benefits to start in the shortest possible time. In addition, Hammons said, some benefits cannot be paid more than a month before the application is filed.

Social Security benefits can be paid to these survivors:

Unmarried children under 18, or under 19 if a full-time high school student; unmarried children over 18 who were disabled before 22 and remain disabled; a surviving widow or widower of any age caring for a child under 16 or disabled who gets benefits; widow or widower 60 or older; disabled widow or widower 50-60; dependent parent 62 or older.

Benefits can also be paid to a surviving divorced spouse if the marriage to the deceased worker lasted 10 years or more. Grandchildren can get benefits on a grandparent's record under certain circumstances.

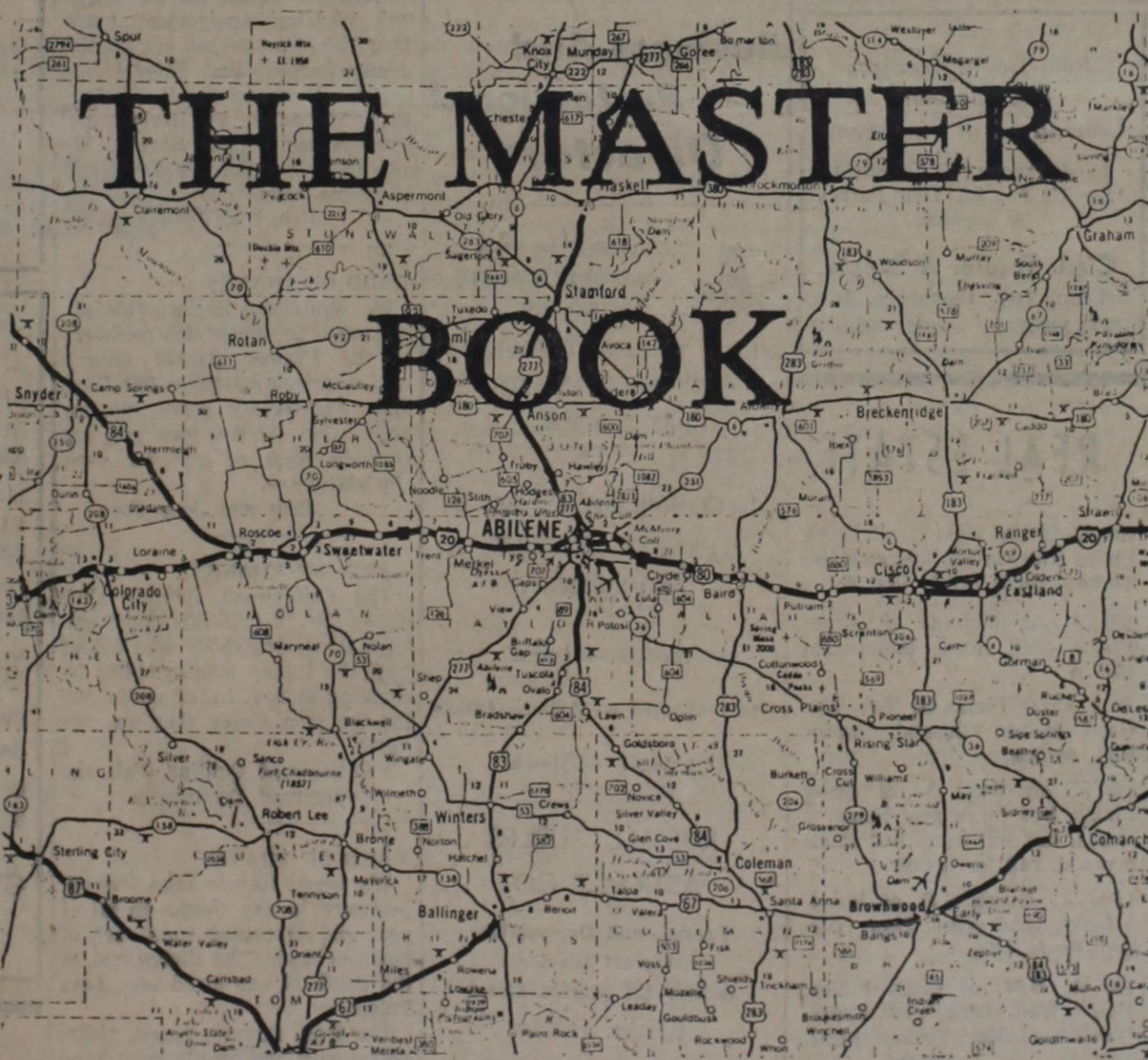
Before any benefits can be paid, the worker must have had credit for a certain amount of work covered by Social Security. In 1984, the amount ranges from 1 1/2 to 8 1/4 years depending on the worker's age at death.

More information about survivor's benefits can be obtained at the Abilene Social Security Office, located at 142 S. Pioneer. The telephone number is (915) 698-1360. The people there will be glad to answer any questions.

Friends dropping by the home of Mrs. Raymond DeBusk for brief visits during the recent holidays included Tony and Lucy Encue of El Paso, James and Anna Mae Whitmire of Houston, and George and Patsy Friend of Denver, Colo.

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Pete and Jean Fore

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the Pioneer Baptist Church who surprised us with a 50th Wedding Anniversary party, Sunday night, Dec. 2. We love and appreciate each of you for your thoughtfulness.
Pete and Jean Fore

CARD OF THANKS

The Cottonwood Quilting Club would like to take this opportunity to thank everybody who helped with the turkey supper either by donating money, baked goods and for the man power that was put forth.
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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to say thanks to all of you who expressed some act of kindness during the illness and at the death of our loved one, Leta Tatom.

The food, flowers, cards, visits, phone calls and mostly your prayers were sincerely appreciated by all of us. A special thank you goes to all the friends and relatives who helped with chores around the house and on the farm during the hospital stay and our extended absence from home.

It is comforting to know of your love and concern at times like these.

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To Mrs. Lee and all the girls who work at Colonial Oaks, thank you for the wedding gift. The beautiful pine tree and money was very much appreciated.
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File Folders — The Review

Brief Illness Claims Local Lady's Brother

Funeral was held at 10:30 a.m. Monday at the Episcopal Church of the Heavenly Rest at Abilene for William Bledsoe of Abilene and brother of Mrs. Jack Tonnell of Cross Plains.

Mr. Bledsoe, 64, died at 8:27 a.m. Saturday at Human Hospital after a brief illness.

The Rev. James Folts, rector, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Thomas W. Summers, retired Episcopal rector from Houston. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park at Abilene, directed by Elliott-Hamill Funeral Home, U.S. Highway 277.

Born April 28, 1920, in El Paso, he graduated from Texas Tech University in 1943 and served in the Army Signal Corps during World War II. He married Betty L. Darnell Aug. 31, 1946, in Fort Dix, N.J. and moved to Abilene that year. He worked for R&K Electronics from 1946 until 1962, when he became a self-employed electronic wholesale distributor. He was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Heavenly Rest.

A son, Phillip, died in 1969. Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Jay (Claire) Smith of Garland and Mrs. John (Sharon) Reeves of Irving; three sisters, Mrs. Russell (Lois) Funnell of Denver, Colo., Mrs. Jack (Katheryn) Tonnell of Cross Plains and Mrs. Rodney (Carolyn) Goedel of Lubbock; a brother, William Scott of Oakville; four grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

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Brother Of Local Lady Dies Nov. 24

Wilmer Pashchale "Bill" McDonald, Sr. of Benbrook, formerly of Abilene and brother of Louise Roberts of Cross Plains, died Saturday Nov. 24, in a Fort Worth hospital.

Funeral was held at 11 a.m. Wednesday of last week at Greenwood Funeral Home.

Burial was in Greenwood Memorial Park.

Born in Wharton, he was reared in Abilene and graduated from Abilene High School. He retired from the Air Force in 1973 after 23 years. He had been in the munitions maintenance field. After retiring, he became a salesman for Sears, Roebuck and Co. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Lydia; four sons, Wilmer P. Jr. and David A., both of Benbrook; Guy G. of Bossier City, La. and Merrick "Danny" of Fort Worth; two daughters, Diana L. Holt of Benbrook and Sheri of Mexico; four brothers, Stephen and Michael, both of Abilene, Ted of Corpus Christi and Anthony of Memphis Tenn.; and four sisters, Louise Roberts of Cross Plains, Helen Galley of Cisco, Patty Rodriguez of Fort Worth and Lucy Shipman of Apple Springs.

Attend Church Sunday



Sandra Kaler and Ronnie Purvis

Kaler-Purvis Vows Set At Local Home Dec. 14

Sandy Kaler and Ronnie Purvis are announcing their engagement and approaching marriage.

The bride-elect graduated from Cross Plains High School, and she is a recent graduate of American Commercial College in Abilene. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Petross of May and the granddaughter of Lois Beathard of Cross Plains.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Cross Plains High School and Texas Technical Institute in Sweetwater. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Purvis and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Purvis, all of Cross Plains. The couple will be married December 14 at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

Rowden Sector News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

December is the month that rushes by for all of us. So many things to do and Christmas shopping for our grandchildren and others in the family. It is a happy time of year to remember a very special birthday of our Lord. Already stores have Christmas decorations up and so many things to sell that it is confusing to the customers. My daughter, Judy Steele, was with me in Abilene last week, and we got lost from each other in the south Walmart store.

We will be having a Christmas supper at the Community Center this coming Saturday night at 6:30 p.m. It is hoped that all of the community can attend, with a welcome to visitors. Bring your supper to enjoy the meal and fellowship and games.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Dell of Abilene visited in the Gene Mauldin home during the week.

Those from here attending the funeral of Russell Odom in Lewisville last Thursday were his mother, Mrs. Ivon Odom, of Cross Plains; his brother, Sterling Odom; Joyce Odom and their children, Nancy Palmer of Clyde and Ivon Odom of Pioneer. Also his sister, Mrs. Tommie Harris, Tommie Harris and Jimmy Harris of Cross Plains and Terry Harris of Eastland. Both Russell and Lorne Odom have been ill for some time and she was not able to attend his funeral.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin had visits with Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Harris and Mrs. Milton Shelton in Baird during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jernigan of Lake Proctor spent Saturday in the Tony Steele home.

Tonya Steele spent the week end with Tresha Albrecht in Cotton. Sterling Odom attended the funeral of Mrs. Roy Tatom in Cross Plains Thursday morning. Bill and Jessie Odom also attended Mrs. Tatom's funeral.

Charles and Nancy Palmer and son, Michael, of Clyde visited in

the Sterling Odom home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dauny (Margie) Brown of San Antonio spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin. Carl and Mable Mauldin of Huntsville were to drive up Monday. Also Roland and Fay Mauldin and their son, Kenneth ate supper in the home on Saturday night.

Saturday visitors in the Robert Watson home were the Carl Bray family of Cisco.

Mrs. James Reynolds helped host a Pink and Blue shower honoring Mrs. Robert Long Saturday night in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fortenberry and children of Cross Plains visited and had supper with James and Dorothy Reynolds Monday night.

The Enama Johnson, Lizzie Burks and Robert Burks home had visitors during the week. Eruema has a birthday Tuesday, Dec. 4th and her daughter, Pansy Jo Johnson of San Antonio and her niece Nellie Arrington of Abilene came Sunday with a birthday gift and food for the family. Other visitors in the Burks home were Carroll Burks and Jeffery Goff of Abilene, Also Debbie Tennison Wellmaker of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burleson and two sons Clayton and Christopher of Abilene stopped by after attending the funeral of Leo Horn in Cross Plains.

PIONEER PENTECOSTALS TO HOST SINGING DEC. 15

There will be a special singing at the Pioneer Pentecostal Church in Pioneer Saturday, Dec. 15, at 7 p.m.

"We are looking forward to having singers and musicians from Odessa, Brownwood and surrounding areas. Anyone who loves Gospel singing is invited to come and bring their musical instruments and singers. Also a special welcome is extended to those who like to just come and listen," said the pastor, Ruby McCowen.

Pioneer News Items

The end of 1984 is drawing near and the bustle, bustle, hurry, hurry time is here, getting ready for loved ones. There are presents to buy, baking to do, packages to wrap, decorating to do, and the trees to trim. It's time for apple pie, fruit cakes, candy making and pop corn and all the extras that we do this time of year. Yet taking the time to sit by the fire watching the flames lapping at the logs in the open fireplace, and meditating the things of 1984, now past. Discard the bad and keep the good. Thank God for all your blessings!

Pete and Jean Fore's guests for the week end and their 50th Wedding Anniversary from out-of-town were Russell and Evelyn, Dennie of Brownwood, Estelle, Paul and Francis Huntington of Brady, Mitch and Norma Jean Inabnet and Bessie McDaniel of San Antonio, Vi Harlow of Marble Falls, Grasson and Myrtle Harlow of Arlington and James and Wanda Cloud of Early. Pete and Jean wish to thank everyone that called or dropped by to see them.

Laverne Hutton and Ella Dean had lunch in Brownwood last Tuesday and did a little shopping. Sunday after dinner Laverne visited her mother and sister, Cowan and Laverne helped sing at the Rest Home at 3:30 p.m. Afterwards they visited the Wes Holcombs, Mrs. Gunn and the Osas Gattises.

Jewel Foster reported that she and Hiram attended the AARP Christmas dinner today (Monday) at the Multi-Purpose Center. The Fosters had a big Thanksgiving. They had 32 present for dinner. All their children, grandchildren and families were there except Eugene and Norma. They went to see Norma's mother.

Nora Phillips went to Brownwood Thursday with Glenda. They visited Glenda's father, then did some shopping. Saturday they went to Abilene. Nora visited her sister, Mrs. Larkin, while Glenda attended a wedding. They also did some shopping.

Bill and Gladys Sessums were in Eastland Friday. They spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday in Fort Worth. It was both a business and pleasure trip. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Westerman of Rising Star visited them on Sunday.

Ethel Brown has been sick the past few days with a cold and sore throat. We hope she will soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mitchell visited Betty and J. T. Beggs Friday and Saturday, J. T. and Betty attended the funeral in De Leon for J. T.'s uncle, Christopher Wright. Betty's brother, Floyd Russell of Fort Worth spent Saturday night with them. Floyd and Betty's mother, Mrs. Lola Young of the Cross Plains rest home had dinner with them Sunday. Monday Betty was a business visitor in Rising Star.

We were sorrowful to hear of the death of Lillian Parsons sister, Lillian, we extend our sympathy to you and your family.

Call Marianne Taff to report your news next week. 643-4389.

Junior High Girls Beat Carbon Girls

Host Cross Plains Junior High School girls defeated visiting Carbon counterparts Monday night 35-12.

Cross Plains, undefeated in three outings, claimed an 8-3 first quarter lead and padded that each stanza, blanking the visitors in the final quarter.

Missy Montgomery counted 10 points to lead local scoring. Four other local players, Carol Morgan, Beverly Weiss, Kellie Rogers and Emily Horan tallied 4 points each and five others got 2 points or less.

The local girls travel to Gorman Monday for a 6:30 p.m. contest with another undefeated squad, Mighty Mites play after the girls match.

Pete Fores Honored On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore of Pioneer were honored by their neighbors and relatives on their 50th wedding anniversary Thursday, Nov. 29 at the Fore home.

Punch coffee and cake were served from a beautiful covered gold lace tablecloth with a centerpiece of gold and bronze chrysanthemums.

Serving punch and cake were Norma Jean Inabnet, Myrtle Harlow, Bess McDaniel and Vi Harlow.

A linen table cloth covered the register table. The centerpiece was a money tree from the Pioneer Quilting Club, friends and relatives.

The home was decorated with beautiful pot plants from neighbors and relatives, as well as many other lovely gifts.

It was an afternoon of reminiscing with a host of neighbors and relatives.

Attend Church Sunday.
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Rallies Net Wins

(Continued from Page 1)

Thompson paced Buffettes in scoring with 16. Following were Dawn Strength 11 and Suzie McClure and Sheila Payne 10 each.

Buffaloes trailed 12-10 and 22-21 after first two period and knotted the count at 29-29 after three quarters before coming to life in the final canto to post a 50-41 verdict over the Mustangs. John Frost McWilliams canned 15 points to pace scoring. John Hanke added 12, and Tony Evans bucketed 10.

Both local varsity teams will compete in the Rising Star tournament and will play in Cross Plains Gymnasium Thursday night, the Buffettes at 6:30 p.m. and Buffaloes at 8 p.m.

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Local Man's Brother Is Buried At May

Funeral service for Willard B. Culwell, 81, of Georgetown, formerly of Rising Star.

Mr. Culwell, brother of Tommy Culwell of Cross Plains, died in a Georgetown hospital at 5 a.m. Tuesday of last week.

Officiating the final rites was Greg Knight, minister of the Rising Star Church of Christ. Burial was in the May Cemetery.

Born Jan. 28, 1903, in Eastland County, he married Lula Brown in January 1931. She died in 1952. He was a retired farmer.

He also was preceded in death by four brothers and a sister.

Survivors include a son, Jimmy of Georgetown; five daughters, Olene Agee and Bobbie Thomas, both of Georgetown, Mildred Eccles of Stephenville, Frances Bennett of Haskell and Mary Wilson of Rising Star; a brother, Tommy of Cross Plains; 16 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

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Rising Star Rites For Lady Known Locally

Graveside rites were held at Rising Star Cemetery at 10 a.m. Friday for Ida Mae Morris, 90, of Rising Star.

Mrs. Morris died at 8:45 a.m. Wednesday at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains.

Funeral arrangements were handled by Higginbotham Funeral Home of Rising Star.

Born Jan. 18, 1898 in Eastland County, she married Wilson Morris. He preceded her in death in 1969. She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Survivors include a sister, Mamie Phillips of Stephenville; and numerous nieces and nephews.

State Capital HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams

Intended for last week

AUSTIN — Former Texas House Speaker Bill Clayton, who wielded the gavel a record eight years, last week proved he is very much a viable force in Texas politics.

Now a lobbyist in Austin, Clayton put together a fundraiser for current House Speaker Gib Lewis that was attended by about 1,000 guests, including most of the prominent lobbying force.

The several thousand dollars raised by the bash will go to pay for Lewis' expenses in carrying out the functions of the House Speaker.

"We invited all the lobbyists and a lot of individuals who have contributed to Gib in the past," Clayton said.

The former speaker, operating in low public visibility, apparently is in great demand these busy days just prior to the January regular session. Clayton has been asked to host fund raisers for other public officials, including Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and Attorney General Jim Mattox. And his name is surfacing as a possible statewide candidate in '86.

In Austin, it's the season for raising funds. In fact, it's the last chance until after the Legislature adjourns in May to raise money to pay off campaign debts or increase officeholder accounts. State law prevents public officials from accepting contributions between Dec. 8 and the day of the Legislature adjourns.

Gib Lewis' most recent contribution report showed him with a balance of about \$140,000.

Budget Requests

The main function of government is to gather tax revenues and redistribute them for the benefit of all citizens, but usually that humdrum function is overshadowed by "fad" issues that come and go.

This legislative session, the dominant issue promises to be the budget itself, a rare occurrence since legislators generally like to steer public attention away from the manner in which tax dollars are spent.

A growing buzz phrase in Austin is "no growth budget," and it means no increase for state agency budgets beyond what was allocated to them two years ago.

Major Agencies

Although the legislative leadership has requested agencies to compile new budgets using "no growth" formulas, the agencies haven't complied.

Percentage of increases for major state agencies is as follows: Human Resources, 39.4 percent; Highway Department, 25.9 percent; Mental, 59.7 percent; Health Department, 44.9 percent; Parks and Wildlife Department, 39.4 percent.

Comptroller, 8.5 percent; Governor's Office, 3.8 percent; Attorney General, 78 percent; Agriculture Department, 37.4 percent; General Land Office, 50.3 percent; State Treasurer, 2.1 percent.

Employment Commission, 37.8 percent; Alcoholic Beverage Commission, 54.5 percent; Department of Public Safety, 30.9 percent; and Rehabilitation Commission, 28.7 percent.

Governor Threatens

Governor Mark White, upset at delays in prison system reform, last week threatened to replace all prison board members who do not move fast enough.

But prison board chairman Robert Gunn, an appointee of former Gov. Bill Clements, protested the board was moving "as fast as is humanly possible. We have accomplished more in the past six months than I would have thought possible."

The board is grappling with court-ordered changes, with overcrowded conditions and with rising violence among prison inmates.

The terms of three of the nine board members expire in February. White has already named four members to the board and reportedly has the votes to oust Gunn as chairman.

Family Farm Loans

Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower recently signed the first loan guarantee under a controversial program designed to help Texans buy family farms and ranches.

A Falls County couple used the Family Farm and Ranch Security Act to buy a 537-acre ranch at 11 percent interest.

Hightower explained the family had been running a cattle opera-

tion for years on leased land, but couldn't afford to buy their own land until this program offered the opportunity.

The program, which floats bonds to guarantee loans through local lenders, was originally passed in 1979, but political controversy has stalled its implementation. As one opposition senator has put it: "Ranchers don't need more debt."

Texas Poll

A new survey of voters by Texas Poll indicates that Texans favor changing the way judges are elected.

Currently, judges are elected by campaigning under party labels just like other public officials. But the voter sample showed that 53 percent of the voters would like to see judges run without party labels.

Respondents, given a choice of alternate selection methods, favored the governor or the Legislature appointing judges, who must then face a special kind of election in which the voters could decide to keep or oust them.

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DECEMBER 8

Judy Gibbs Steele
Neva Joyce Dillard
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DECEMBER 9

Bill Gunn
Rhonda Jackson Francy
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Gaye Archer
Dale Hunt
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Glenn Merrill

DECEMBER 10

Jimmy McCowen
Debbie Edington
Roger Wilson
Leroy Reddick
Jessie Sparks
Jimmy Gilmore
Joe Dean Nunn
Burnice Webster
Mickie Holmans
Wayne Newton
James TeMay
Sherri Lynn Bassett

DECEMBER 11

Tommy Cavanaugh Waggoner
Jill Richardson
Terry Nixon
O. B. Edmondson
Pee Wee Pickett
Stuart Sowell
Mrs. Eldon McIntosh
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Noah Sealy Johnson
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DECEMBER 12

Steve Franke
Mrs. J. P. McCord
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K. C. Westerman
Mrs. Vernon Falkner
Reggie Pillans
Lindsey Waldrop
Michael Allen Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCowen and their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCowen, all of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. Ruby McCowen, and other relatives here Saturday.

Elevation of Cross Plains is 1,717 feet.

School Meal Menus

Cross Plains Schools Cafeteria personnel plan to serve the following meals at breakfast and noon respectively during the week of December 10-14, subject to correct food deliveries.

Monday: Eggs and bacon, biscuits and jelly, orange juice and milk.

Tuesday: Hot oatmeal with cream and sugar, toast, grape juice and milk.

Wednesday: Waffles, syrup with butter, sausage, orange juice and milk.

Thursday: Choice of ready to eat cereal, toast, grape juice and milk.

Friday: Cheese toast, orange juice and milk.

Menu for the noon meal for that week follow.

Monday: Ham slices, macaroni and cheese, fried okra, sliced pineapple, rolls and milk.

Tuesday: Pizza, tossed salad, whole kernel corn, pears and milk.

Wednesday: Chicken patties with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, cookies, rolls and honey and milk.

Thursday: Chili beans, spinach, beets, apple cobbler, cornbread and milk.

Friday: Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, french fries, Rice Krispie bars and milk.

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Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1984

'Tiny' Odom Buried Here On Thursday

Funeral service was held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Higginbotham Funeral Home for Hazelina "Tiny" Odom of Cross Plains, lifetime resident of this community.

Mrs. Odom, 81, died early Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 27, at Humana Hospital at Abilene, where she had been a patient for a few weeks.

Officiating the final rites was Charles Butler, minister of the Cross Plains Church of Christ. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born Feb. 23, in Cross Plains, she married Ben Odom in 1939 in Coleman. She was a seamstress and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband of the home; a sister, Rosa Lee McDowell of Crotze, Va.; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were H. E. Eichler, Freddy Tatom, S. E. Paige, Chuck Woody, Aaron Jaggars and Troy Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGower, of Brownwood, Garnette Bagley of Cross Plains, were visitors in the home of Ruby McGowen for lunch Sunday at noon.

JESUS TALK MEETING IS SET FOR FRIDAY, DEC. 14

"We're hoping all of you who ever came will be there and many who never came will also be there to enjoy the blessings of God with us at the next Jesus Talk Friday, Dec. 14, at 7 p.m. at the Multi-Purpose Center," invites Ruby McCowen.

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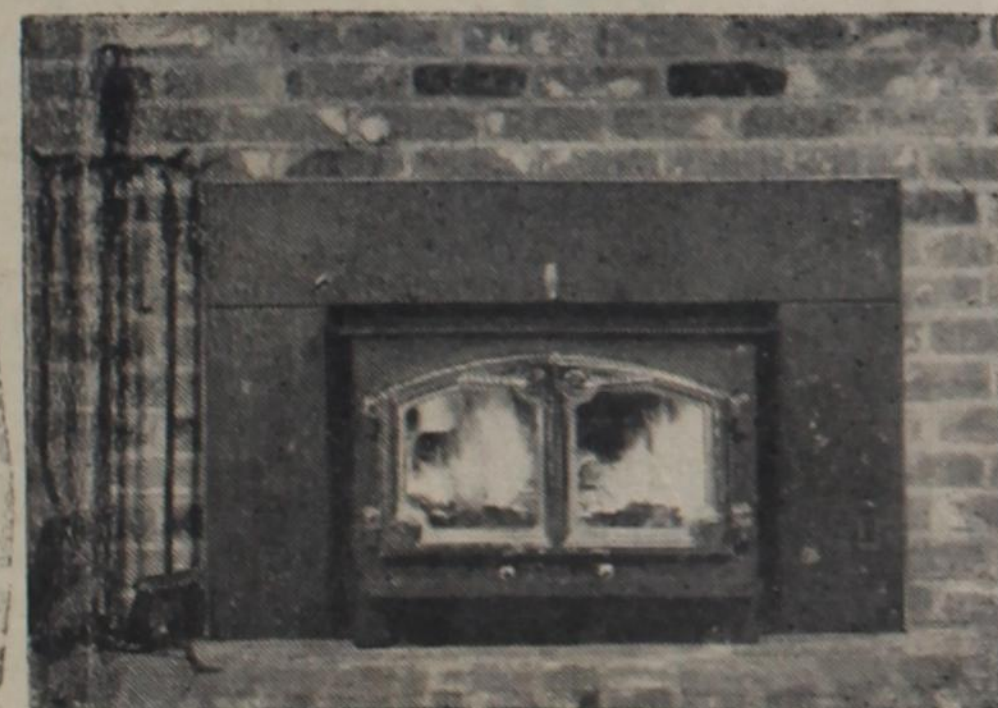
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Pete and Jean Fore were honored Sunday night, Dec. 2, by the Pioneer Baptist Church with a surprise 50th wedding anniversary party.

Cake and punch was served from a beautiful lace tablecloth of gold and white, the centerpiece of gold and bronze flowers and a money tree and other gifts.

The ladies of the church served cake and punch to many friends and relatives. Rev. Rufus Wilson, pastor of the church, read a beautiful Bible scripture in honor of Pete and Jean on this special occasion.

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Burkett Items News

By Freeda Burkett

(continued from last week)

Mrs. Dovie Harris and son, Johnnie, of Coleman visited Burdette Helms and Gill Thursday afternoon.

Guests of Jack and Zora DeBusk on Friday week before last, friends, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Crist of Minneapolis, Minn. J. Pat DeBusk of Houston flew up to visit them and remained over to Wednesday of last week with his parents and took them home with him for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Visitors over the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Furman Kearley were Amy Burks of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mink and Stella and Andrea of Austin.

Visitors with the D. R. Goulds over the Thanksgiving holidays were Oscar Gould of Coleman, Johnny Pricer of Crawford, Linda, Melinda and Jackie Dodgen and W. B. Bludworth.

Ruby Biehl and W. B. Bludworth visited Sunday afternoon in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bludworth.

Those visiting in the Jack Strickland home over the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Tinney and girls of Dover, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Don Tinney of Lefors, Mr. and Mrs. Jody Whiteley and Michael Ted of San Saba, Marsha Turney of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Strickland and family of Brenham, Johnnie Tinney, Mr. and Mrs. Lat Mountain, Eddie Strickland and Mr. and Mrs. David Strickland and Daniel.

Those visiting in the home of Raymond and Lucille Cross over the Thanksgiving holidays were their grandson, Blake Cross and wife, Angela, and their baby daughter, Wendi Michelle, and Blake's mother, Mrs. Evelyn Andrews, all of Little Rock, Ark. Raymond and Lucille had a great time getting acquainted with their only great-grandchild, little Wendi. Other guests for their Thanksgiving dinner were Virgil Burkett, Lucille's brother, and Freeda.

There were other visitors around town we are sure, but were not reported for the news column.

The Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association received a recent contribution of \$25 from Sammie Adams of Sherman. This and all gifts are needed and appreciated.

The children of Mrs. Anna Golsen are honoring her with a come and go 30th birthday celebration party at her home this Saturday, Dec. 8, from 2 to 5 p.m. They invite all her friends to join them in this happy occasion.

Mrs. Norene Donaldson of Odessa passed away Sunday morning. Funeral services are being held there at 2 p.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, with burial in the Odessa Cemetery. Norene was reared in Burkett and leaves many friends and relatives here and Coleman to whom our sincere sympathy goes.

Those visiting Velma, Esther and Dan Byers Sunday were their sister, Mrs. Roy Hagar, her son, Michael and a granddaughter, Christi Hagar all of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Furman Kearley of Burkett.

Mrs. Raymond Jennings had as her guest Sunday her sisters, Mrs. Marie Strawn of Grosvener and Mrs. Lula Havner of Bangs. Ruby Biehl visited her Monday.

Luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mountain Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jody Whiteley of San Saba and Jack and Lovera Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bigham were Sunday luncheon guests of Bill and Geneva Gray.

Freeda Burkett and her sister, Mrs. Celesta Young of Zephyr met in Brownwood Wednesday and had lunch together.

Funeral services were held last Thursday for Bill Brown of Robert Lee where he passed away on Monday of a sudden heart attack. Bill and wife, Dutch, lived here while employed with Amarado Oil Co. later moved to Cross Plains and recently to Robert Lee. Sympathy goes to Mrs. Brown and other relatives.

PAT McNEELS HOST GUESTS FOR THANKSGIVING DAY

The "McNeel Clan" gathered at the Pat McNeel home in Cross Plains for Thanksgiving Day.

Attending were George and Patsy (McNeel) Friend and Dianne and Gary Lowe, Jonathan and Kristina of Denver, Colo.; Joan Friend of Rockford, Ill.; Damiar Friend of Lafayette, La.; Lisa and Chris Stiff of Columbia Mo.; Stephen Friend and Nancy Friend, students at Utah State University, Logan, Utah; Joe McNeel of Abilene; Fred and Debbie McNeel and Andrew of Wichita Falls; Anna Mae and James Whitmire of Houston; Troy and Earlene Andrus of Wichita Falls, and hosts Pat, Margaret and Susan McNeel of Cross Plains.

After the noon meal, the group was entertained with music by Anna Mae Whitmire, Lisa and Chris Stiff, Damian Friend, and Fred McNeel.

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SON IS BORN NOV. 15 TO RANDALL, KATHY FRANK

Randall and Kathy Franke of Clyde are the proud parents of a baby boy born November 15 at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. He weighed 7 pounds and 2 1/2 ounces, and was 20 1/2 inches long at birth. He has been named Jeremy Randall. He was welcomed home by two sisters, Amie and Kellie.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson of Cottonwood. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Franke of Cross Plains.

Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gary of Cross Plains and Mrs. Annie Franke of Rising Star Nursing Home.

Great-great-grandfather is Ernest B. Parker of Madisonville.

Congratulations to Julene and Leo on their first grandson.

SON IS BORN DEC 2 TO MACK & CECILIA TAFF

Mack and Cecelia Taff of Pioneer are the proud parents of a baby boy born December 2 at 6:30 a.m. at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. He weighed 9 pounds and 3 ounces, and was 22 inches long at birth. He has been named George Mack IV.

Grandparents are Ann Graves of Brownwood and the late Bob Graves and Mr. and Mrs. George Mack Taff of Pioneer. Great-grandparents are Katie Sterling of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Stark of Mason, Mrs. Aleah Ward of Big Spring and Mr. Louis Graves of Brownwood.

He has two sisters, Darcie and Vanessa, and a brother, Nick.

Leo Horn Buried At Cottonwood Sunday

Funeral service was held for Leo Horn of Cottonwood at 2 p.m. Sunday at the First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains.

Mr. Horn, 46, who was widely known when he was employed with the J. R. Beadel grocery chain in Cross Plains, died at 8:30 a.m. Saturday at E. L. Graham Memorial Hospital at Cisco after a long illness.

Officiating the final rites was the Rev. Roy Locher, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains. He was assisted by the Rev. Knox Waggoner, pastor of the Cottonwood Baptist Church.

Burial was in the New Cottonwood Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home in Cross Plains.

Born July 3, 1938, in Vera, he married Jane Collins April 15, 1977, in Eastland. He was a rancher and grocer, and a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, De Anna and Donna, both of the home; his mother, Sybil Crowley of Cottonwood; and two sisters Mrs. Lavay Kinniburgh of Seymour and Mrs. Robert Hamilton of Dudley.

Pallbearers were Jimmie Lee Payne, Charlie Pat Grider, Dennis Kinniburgh, Douglas Kinniburgh, Jim Dare and Claude Tucker.

Burkett Man's Sister Buried At Coleman

Funeral was held at 3 p.m. Saturday at Stevens Funeral Home at Coleman for Mrs. Clara (Clara) Kirby, 88-year-old sister of Horace Carroll of Burkett.

Mrs. Kirby of Coleman died at 12:55 p.m. Thursday at Holiday Hill Nursing Home at Coleman.

Officiating the final rites was the Rev. P. A. Lindley, pastor of the Coleman United Pentecostal Church. Burial was in the Coleman Cemetery.

She was preceded in death by three children, Zack Jr., Lila Barkemeyer and Ruby Heflin.

Survivors include a son, Claude A. of Lima, Peru; three daughters, Mary Jo McBee, Mrs. Jim (Glady) Marshall and Mrs. Alex (Dorothy) Shocklee, all of Coleman; a brother, Horace Carroll of Burkett; a sister, Ruby Maine of San Diego, Calif.; a daughter-in-law, Jla Kirby of Coleman; 19 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren and 14 great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

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Dora has been a real estate agent for a few years with another firm, and she is currently working toward her broker's license. She will be working on a part-time basis. Dora is currently teaching in the Cross Plains School system, and will continue to do so. We welcome Dora to our firm.

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