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'Sage Of Cross Plains' Issues Traditional New Year Meditations

(Editor's Note: In keeping with long-established custom, S. F. Bond, venerable sage of Cross Plains, again supplies his annual New Year's meditations.)

Our little world has made another successful voyage around the sun and that we are a year older and has presented us with a brand new year with a total of 366 unsoiled and unused days.

This has been going now according to our records something like 6,000 years. This seems like a long time if spat out in one mouthful but if illustrated by 60 nonagenarians the combined ages would reach back to the so-called beginning. This would not seem so long. Sixty do not form a large company.

A little more than a century ago 4,000,000 slaves were granted their freedom. The major portion of them had no idea what freedom meant and to cope with the situation vigilante committees and Klu Klux Klan came into existence. Recently we have tried to endow Negro race with rights never before enjoyed and the results are race riots. When liberty destroys order the hunger for order will destroy liberty.

Oh! Liberty float not forever in the far horizon, remain not forever in the dream of the enthusiast, the philanthropist and poet, but come and make thy home among the children of men. In the words of John Ruskin, We are not sent in this world to do anything we cannot put into our hearts. We have

certain work to do for our bread and that is to be done strenuously, other work to be done for our delight and that to be done heartily, neither is to be done by halves or shifts, but with a will and what is not worth this effort is not to be done at all.

Freedom from tyranny is the eternal business of man. We have had too much talk about so-called freedom from want, from fear and the like. It is an empty-headed conception whose fatuity is revealed once we use the clearer word, liberty.

The longer I live the more enamored I become with this world. It is good to us, supplies us with our needs from birth until death. How physical life came to be no one knows for

sure, despite the fact that we have a plethora of theories none of which may be true. We believe our cherished thought is the right answer and faith in the last analysis is hope.

I am certainly not interested in what is called the space age. It is prompted by desire to perpetuate the demon war. There will never be any lasting peace as long as we try to settle our differences by war. The losing side is filled with hate, revenge, animosity and retaliation. France still hates England for winning the war in Canada in 1760. France did not help us in our war for independence because they loved us, but because they hated England. There will never be an endurable peace until we can settle our differences around the council table.

Preachers and teachers who spend their best efforts to educate the brain and civilize the heart must feel discouraged when they see our very best yanked off to war. It is said that there has never been a good war or bad peace. Wouldn't it be a grand thing if all our military establishment could become museums.

In that period known as the teen-age in my young life I had two text books. One was a Hunt & Douglas mattock that I used to dig saplings out of virgin terrain, the other holding the handles of an Oliver Forty motored by a yoke of oxen. School days for the most part were something to dream about. When the Spanish-American War broke out the urge was to free Cuba of Spanish rule but

when he got a deed to Guantanamo we left Cuba in the hands of Garcia, the rebel leader.

I am by both birth and adoption a land animal. I like the wide open spaces, I like the little town where we know everybody by their given name, I like to live like Walter Foss in a house where the race of men pass by. They are poor, wise, foolish, so am I, but let me live in a house by the side of the road and be a friend to man. To be a grateful recipient of all the inspiring messages that come my way. What redolent recollection, what whiffs of fragrant memory. I have found it good to live.

Wishing for everybody a happy, prosperous year and weather-wise the dull standard of normality.

Hog Raisers Organize To Boost Use Of Pork

Local swine raisers played active roles in organization of Big Country Pork Producers Association at a meeting held in the courthouse at Baird Tuesday night of last week. Representatives were present from this and four other nearby counties.

Highlighting the meeting was election of Bill Scott, vocational agriculture teacher at Abilene High School, as president and Jerry Morgan of Tender Fry Farms in Abilene as director in charge of state relations. Scott said the first officers meeting will be held Feb. 16, again at Baird. "We hope to finish with a written work program for the year at that time," he said.

Some 45 interested persons were on hand for the meeting, and 30 were enrolled as charter

members. They were from Taylor, Callahan, Coleman, Eastland and Rannels counties, according to Jerry Lackey, Callahan County extension agent.

Other new officers are Mel Green of Clyde, vice-president, and Lackey, secretary-treasurer.

One member from each county was elected to the board of directors, Lackey said. They are Homer Norris of Cross Plains, Tommie Connelly of Burkett, Edwin Schaefer of Sabanno, Joe Pfluger of Ballinger and Jerry Morgan of Abilene.

Assisting in the organization were Euel Linder, Texas director to the National Pork Producers Assn., and Buddy Winters, president of the Texas association. Both reside in Lubbock.

Jack W. Tunnell Leads Firemen In Answering 63 Alarms In 1967

Jack W. Tunnell was the busiest fireman in Cross Plains through the first 359 days of 1967. He answered 56 fire alarms, which was only seven short of the 63 total. It is the second consecutive year in which the chief of the rural division of the Cross Plains company has responded to more alerts than any other fireman. J. T. (Travis) Foster, company chief, was again second in calls answered with 45.

Sirens signaled 33 blazes in surrounding countryside and 30 in the township limits. Trend of more calls for help from the area around the city was re-established after being broken last year. Total alarms are up only eight over the 55 in 1966, but it is the second straight year that an increase has been noted.

The year began busily for local firemen. Fourteen calls were heeded in January, eight of which were in the city. March ranks second with 12 alarms, but nine were country fires. Fire prevention month, October, was celebrated by residents of this area appropriately. Not a single dangerous blaze was reported that month. June was a fireless month within the city, and rural firemen rested in April and September as well as October.

All members of the local fire department are listed below with number of fires made. Each, however, was not a member all year including Mike McClure who reported on 40 occasions while serving only about nine months during 1967.

Name	City Fires	Rural Fires	Total
Jack W. Tunnell	27	29	56
Travis Foster	29	16	45
Mike McClure	16	24	40
Benny Glover	26	11	37
L. P. Mitchell	15	17	32
Frank Aiken	25	6	31
Ted Souder	18	10	28
J. R. (Dick) Wagner	20	8	28
Mack Childers	20	5	25
A. J. (Ted) McCuin	20	4	24
A. B. Foster	20	3	23
Gerald Bowden	13	7	20
Freddy Tatom	13	7	20
Joe Hanke, Jr.	8	11	19
Donald Crisp	11	6	17
H. M. (Hubert) Belew	7	9	16
George Hutchins	17	0	17
Elvis Scott	16	1	17
Alton E. Hornsby	15	0	15
Mike Bowden	7	6	13
Bailey Wilson	12	1	13
Billy Dillard	9	3	12
Oscar Koenig	9	1	10
T. T. Nichols	10	0	10
J. B. Harris	5	3	8
Norman Lee	2	1	3
Bill Hedrick	1	0	1
Jimmy McCowen	1	0	1

New Reporting System Will Aid Area's Farmers

Farmers will benefit from a new reporting service which has been inaugurated by ASCS. Tommie Harris, Chairman of the Callahan ASC County Committee, announced yesterday. A report of payments made to each farmer under ACP, cotton, feed-grain, wheat and other direct payment programs during 1967 will be mailed to the farmer during the latter part of January. This report is expected to be helpful in preparing individual income tax returns. The same information must also be furnished to the Internal Revenue Service in accordance with a requirement of law.

It is estimated that over three million farmers will receive this report, he said. This information is being gathered from county offices and sum-

marized by computers located at New Orleans and Kansas City. The reports are being printed by the computers and mailed directly to farmers. A job of this size could not be completed without an automated system, Harris added.

Since this is the first year for a service of this magnitude, there are bound to be a few problems. He suggested that farmers carefully read the explanation on the report and check the accuracy of the total reported by comparing it with farm records. If an error is discovered, the nearest ASCS county office should be contacted to have the mistake corrected. County offices have been instructed to give farmers whatever assistance they need regardless of where the farm is located.

38 Local Firms Put Up \$418 For Stock Show

Thirty-eight Cross Plains business firms contributed \$418 for prize money for the annual Callahan County Junior Livestock Show to be held here Jan. 12 and 13. Fund-raising drives are presently underway in Baird and Clyde and the total award-fund is expected to reach \$1,200 or more.

List of donors as announced by local FFA youths, who conducted the fund-raising campaign here, follows:

Citizens State Bank \$50, Higginbothams \$35, Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Company \$25, West Texas Utilities \$25, Cross Plains Review \$20, D. C. Lee Gulf Stations \$20, City of Cross

Plains \$20, Lone Star State Telephone \$17.50, Neal Drug Store \$15, Bishop Chevrolet Company \$10, Foster's Grocery \$10, Koenig's Humble Station \$10, Odom's Cafe \$10, Bowden Lumber Company \$10, Garrett Eggs \$10, JRB Supermarket \$10, McCuin's Insurance Agency \$10.

Also Adair's Dry Goods \$7.50, Sister's Truck Stop Cafe \$5, W. T. Cox Supermarket \$5, Farm & Ranch Supply \$5, Motel 36 (Mr. and Mrs. John Watts) \$5, Dillard's Texaco Station \$5, Johnston Truck & Supply \$5, Worthy's Grocery & Station \$5, Glenn Vaughn's Grocery \$5, Mayes Flower Shop \$5, Ray's Barber Shop \$5, Johnson's Barber Shop \$5, Souder Grocery \$5, Hornsby Electric \$5, Hinkle TV Service \$5, Dairy Bar \$5, Western Auto Store \$4, Purvis Phillips 66 Station \$3, H. C. Freeman, Jr. Blacksmith Shop \$2.

WILLIE WILCOXEN VISITS KIN IN TEMPE, ARIZONA

Willie Wilcoxen left Thursday for Tempe, Ariz., where he is now visiting in the home of his sister, Mrs. Ida Ashbranner.

HIGGINBOTHAM'S WILL BE CLOSED TWO DAYS

Higginbotham store in Cross Plains will be closed Friday and Saturday as clerks and additional personnel invoice merchandise.

"We'll be open again Monday morning rarin' to go," said J. C. (Doc) Claborn, local manager.

Farmers Reminded Of Two Deadlines

J. C. Earp, manager of the ASCS office in the courthouse at Baird, reminds of two upcoming dates of particular importance to local farmers and ranchers.

Dec. 31, 1967, is the final date to complete sales under the 1967 Wool and Mohair Program. Applications for incentive payments should be filed no later than Jan. 21, 1968.

Jan. 2 is the last day to complete sale, lease or transfer of 1968 cotton allotments.

Rowlett Home Wins Yule Light Contest

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Rowlett, in the Tom Bryant Addition, took first place in a Christmas lighting contest sponsored by Cross Plains Garden Club and the Chamber of Commerce.

Second place went to Mr. and Mrs. Duke Mitchell on East State Highway 36 and the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox on North Avenue E was third.

Prizes were \$7.50 for first, \$5 for second and \$2.50 for third. Judges were from Brownwood. They were: Mrs. Ellen Fletcher, Mrs. Nelda Thomas and Mrs. Thelma Eades.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harris and family of Carrollton spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Harris, Phil Harris, the local couple's son, and his wife and child spent the Yuletide with her parents in Puerto Rico.



HOUSE BLAZE DOUSED QUICKLY ON SATURDAY
 Mrs. Jim Sherman and her father, O. S. Smith, quickly doused a blaze in the dwelling in the east part of town, occupied by the former, Saturday morning. A faulty rubber hose on a heater was said responsible for the fire which burned a hole in the floor and wall. Local firemen answered the call for help.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Long of Houston visited here during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland of Deer Park visited here with his mother, Mrs. Melody Strickland, Friday.

Rowden Writer Surveys Past, Present

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

The year of 1967 is coming to a close, and this reporter wishes to thank each person in this community for the help in having news ready each Monday. Visits in your homes and telephone calls have been very enjoyable and are treasured.

Let's look back many years ago when Rowden was the proud possessor of a store, which has had three locations, post office, barber shop, blacksmith shop, a voting box, school and one church building belonging to the Baptists. This church was also used by the Methodists.

Church of Christ services were held in the school building. Present day Rowden has only a store, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary and is now located on highway 36, and a community center building. Others owning and operating the store were Norban Sikes, now of Portales, N. M., W. W. Rose, now of Cross Plains, Claude Stephens, deceased, Bill Taylor of Abilene, Albert Lovell of Baird and Red Huckaby of Cross Plains. There were others who operated it for short periods.

The last thing discontinued was the voting box, this year. When this reporter's parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tabor, and daughters, Annie Mae, Claribel (Mrs. N. V. Gibbs), Joyce (Mrs. Sterling Odom), and Nell (Mrs. C. H. Gunderson of Minneapolis, Minn.), moved to this community in 1923, most every family had children in the homes. This is not so today.

Some of the younger families here today are the following.
 Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and son, Terrell, reside on the Anthony Sikes place recently purchased by his father, Tommie Harris. Don is farming and ranching.
 Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds purchased the A. B. Elliott place several years ago, and have three children, Jim, Ellen and Jan. James does bulldozer work for the public.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dye are newcomers this year, buying the Jimro Sikes place, and are in the process of building a new house on it. Robert is planning to work elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West and children, Chris and Cindy, bought part of the Noah Smedley place about six years ago. They moved a house on it, and this year have gone into the hog business along with cattle. Jimmy drives the Baird school bus and is the Farm Bureau insurance agent for this county.

Our elder citizens include the following. Jerry McDonald lives alone, but is still busy with farming and raising livestock. Only two of his children reside in the county, Henry of Baird and Mrs. Jake Childers of near Cross Plains.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs has lived in her present homesite since the year 1912, when she married Grover Gibbs. She has two sons, N. V. of the community and Granvel of Odessa.

Mrs. Mattie Gibbs has been living in her present home for many years. Raymond, her son, lives with her. He farms and raises cattle. Her other living children are Barney of Baird, Mrs. Ben Russel of Menard, Mrs. Bob Darby of El Paso and Buddie of San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Effie Holloway keeps up with happenings in the community because she goes visiting among her neighbors. That is a good way to stay young. Her daughter is Mrs. Roy Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blakeley live on the Odie Smedley place. Their children visit them often, which they enjoy. They farm, take care of the stock on the place and are good gardeners.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen bought and live on the Walter Jones place which he farms and raises livestock. Mrs. Boen is the former Ruth Bower.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sadler have been residents of the community for many years. They have one daughter, Mrs. Horace Keith of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McClain and children moved to this community several years ago. Their children are all away from home now and married. This reporter does not know all their names.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge came to this community several years ago. They have one of the show places in this area. They have cleared all the undergrowth in their pasture near the house which makes it a beautiful place.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence bought the Lester Smedley place when they came to this community. They built a new house on the place about five years ago. They raise livestock, farm and operate the Farm & Ranch Supply in Cross Plains along with their son, James, of Cross Plains. Glenn, another son, lives in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price have both lived in this community all their lives. They own, farm and ranch several places in the area. This year they remodeled their house by bricking and re-doing the outside, which is very pretty.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin have been Rowden residents for many years. Gene has been fighting the battle of health all this year. He was stricken with a blood clot in his lung in January, and in the Fall had successful surgery of the lung. Their children are Carl of Huffman, Irene (Mrs. Willie Masters) of Snyder, Majorie (Mrs. Danny Brown) of Colorado, Roland of Abilene and Donnie of Oklahoma. Gene is employed by the county highway department.

Alza Price is a raiser of cattle and goats, living on and owning the Charlie Shelton place. His children are Jerrol of Putnam and two daughters, whose names cannot be recalled now.

Hancel Sanders and Jessie Bower each live by himself. Both are called on for help when tractor or car trouble turn up.

Leonard Mauldin, a long-time resident, lives on the Warren Price place on the Pecan Bayou. He is the father of Gene Mauldin. He has three other sons, Raymond of Abilene, and Nolan and Morris of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thornton with their son, Arvin, are long-time residents. Mrs. Thornton works in Abilene. Roy is still recuperating from injuries received in a car accident recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris have lived in their present homesite since they were married. Their four boys are Dan, Terry, Jimmy and Nicky. Tommie is an active farmer and rancher. They remodeled and built to their house several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom bought their present place about 17 years ago. He is an active farmer and rancher. Their children are Virginia (Mrs. Ralph Trevey), Nancy (Mrs. Charles Palmer) and Ivon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adair, he has been foreman of the Hall Ranch for many years, have one son, Johnny, of Ranger. The Hall Ranch is now owned by Eddie Compton of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Odom and son, Michael Dallas, should have been included in the younger group. They farm and ranch on the home place of his father, Blan Odom, in the west edge of the community.

We hope for every one of you a prosperous year in 1968 with many spiritual and material blessings.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. McGowen of Abilene visited here briefly Friday. They were en route to Salado (between Waco and Austin) to meet friends at the Stage Coach Inn.

Mrs. Bonnie Ray of Brownwood picked up her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vellie McDonough, here Saturday and took them to their grandson's, Sgt. R. D. Ray and family in Big Spring where they spent Christmas.

Storm Does \$2,000 Damage To Orchard

Damage to orchards in the Cross Plains area as a result of the recent ice storm are just now being fully assessed.

John Purvis, one of the county's largest pecan growers, estimates that the 475 trees which he and his father own, sustained damage which will require an expenditure of \$2,000 to clean up.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby and Tommy spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty and family in Glen Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Archer of Houston were recent visitors here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Charles McMillan and Mrs. Earl Archer.

PIONEER THEATRE MIDNIGHT SHOW
 Paul Conn, manager of Pioneer Drive-In Theatre announced that he will be charging, and be open about 11 p.m. to Conn.

Regular admission to the theatre will be charged, and be open about 11 p.m. to Conn.

Mrs. Hazel Clark and Mrs. Frank McDrews visited their Sally Atwood, here holidays.

Christmas Day in the home of Howard McGowen were Mr. and Mrs. Cowen, Miss Naomi Guy McCowen and Jimmy McCowen.

Thanks

Having completed our first season in business, we wish to express appreciation to the peanut producers of this and other nearby areas for the overwhelming acceptance given our newly installed plant and the services it affords.

Our plans are to expand both facilities and types of services during the year ahead in the hope of being of greater usefulness to the farmers of this section.

Thanks again for your loyal patronage.

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- Air Rifle Shot, reg. 5c, 3 for
- 15x20 Welcome Mat, reg. 98c
- 24x30 Ven. Plate Glass Mirror, reg. 17.95 .. 13.95
- 21x27 Foam Bed Pillow, reg. 4.95 3.95
- Young Men's Colored Jeans, reg. 4.25 2.95
- Boy's Dress Pants, reg. 3.98 to 5.00 1.95
- Velveteen, reg. 2.79 per yard
- Dresses, Coats, Pants, reg. 3.95 2.85
- Dresses, Coats, Pants, reg. 5.95 4.85
- Dresses, Coats, Pants, reg. 13.95 9.85
- Dresses, Coats, Pants, reg. 39.95 29.85
- 1 Lot Men's Slacks 20% Off
- 1 Lot Men's Slacks 1-3 Off
- 1 Lot Ladies' Handbags 1-3 Off
- 1 Lot Men's, Women's, Child's Shoes .. 1-3 Off
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HORMEL LINK SAUSAGE
LITTLE SIZZLERS, 12 oz. pkg. ... 49c

Sliced Bacon HORMEL RED LABEL, 2 LB. PACKAGE **99c**

ARMOUR STAR, Bologna, Olive, Pickle Loaf
LUNCHEON MEAT, 6 oz. pkg. .. 29c

GOOCH BLUE RIBBON
FRANKS, 12 oz. package 45c

FLAVOR FED BEEF
CHUCK ROAST, boneless, lb. ... 69c

FLAVOR FED BEEF
STEW MEAT, boneless, lb. 69c

Pork Sausage SHOP MADE, SEASONED JUST RIGHT, 3 LBS. **\$1**

LEAN, FLAVOR FRESH
GROUND CHUCK, per pound .. 69c

FLAVOR FED BEEF
CLUB STEAK, boneless, per lb. . 1⁰⁹

FLAVOR FED BEEF
FAMILY STEAK, per pound 69c

FLAVOR FED BEEF
SWISS STEAK, arm, per lb. 79c

FLAVOR FED BEEF
SHORT RIBS, per pound 39c

Blackeyed Peas 1 lb. cello bag **19c**

NO. 2 SIZE CAN
Pie Apples, 3 for --- \$1

LIBBY'S ENGLISH, VACUUM PACK
Peas, 4, no. 2 cans - \$1

SHURFINE, 303 SIZE CAN
Green Beans, 6 cans \$1

LIPTON'S INSTANT
Tea, big 8 oz. jar --- 1⁵⁹

Tomato Juice, Texusun, 46 oz. can, 3 for - \$1

FRITO, WITH BEANS
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MEXICAN STYLE OR COMBINATION FROZEN
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1 POUND CAN

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HAIR SPRAY, reg. 99c 49c

Colgate, Family Size
TOOTHPASTE, reg. 95c 69c

Palmolive Rapid Spray
DEODORANT, reg. \$1 59c

Peaches Shurfine, no. 2½ size can **4 for \$1**

BAKE-RITE

SHORTENING

3 POUND CAN

59c

DEL MONTE
CATSUP, 20 oz. size, 3 for \$1

SHURFINE
SALAD DRESSING, quart for ... 39c

DETERGENT
TIDE, giant size box for 69c

150 COUNT
PAPER PLATES, pkg., each 90c

SHURFINE
CORN, 303 can, 4 for \$1

DEL MONTE
NEW POTATOES, 303 can, 6 for . \$1

Gladiola Flour, 5 pound bag for --- 49c

FOLGER'S
INSTANT COFFEE, 10 oz. jar ... 99c

SHURFINE
VIENNA SAUSAGE, 5 cans for .. \$1

MEADOWLAKE
OLEO, 1 pound for 25c

STAR-KIST
TUNA, ½ size can, 3 for \$1

CARNATION INSTANT
BREAKFAST, assorted flavors .. 69c

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Mrs. J. Walter Jones Buried Here Saturday

Mrs. J. (Caroline W.) Jones, 91, of Kiowa, Kan., former long time resident of Cross Plains, was laid to rest here Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Jones, mother of Mrs. Doyle Burchfield of this city, died at 4:15 a.m. Wednesday in Kiowa District Hospital.

Funeral services were held from the First Methodist Church of Cross Plains, of which she was a member, with the Rev. Robert Walker of Robstown, former local pastor, officiating. He was assisted by the Rev. Lloyd Coker, present Methodist pastor here. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jones was born July 5, 1876, in Blount County, Ala., and married J. Walter Jones Feb. 15, 1899. They came to Texas in 1904, settling in Ellis County and moved to Cross Plains in February of 1919. He operated a produce business here until his death Jan. 4, 1936.

Survivors, in addition to the daughter in Cross Plains, are three other daughters, Mrs. O. C. Alexander of Kiowa, Mrs. Lillian Cowan of Los Angeles and Miss Georgia Jones of San Bernardino, Calif.; three grandsons, John Charles and James E. Alexander both of Enid, Okla., and Jack Allen Alexander, who has been stationed in Midway Island with the United States Navy, who reached here too late for the funeral; two nieces and other relatives in Alabama.

Pallbearers were R. Elliott Bryant, Ivan Hill, T. T. Nichols, Lindsey W. Tyson, Clyde Kelley and Fonia Worthy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peevy visited during the holiday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Breeding in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conlee, Jr. and family returned to their home in Louisiana Thursday after spending several days here with his mother, Mrs. Mina Conlee.

Present for the traditional Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming in the Pioneer community were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson, Alton, Julie and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fleming, Sheryl and Alecia, all of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fleming and Janie Lynn of Jal, N. M., Jimmy Fleming of Stephenville, Miss Charlene Vermillion of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Owens and Zandra of Abilene and Mrs. John Watson of Cross Plains.

Joyous Holiday Season Passes In Burkett Area

By Mrs. Merrel Burkett

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Freeman of Aurora, Colo., Mrs. W. M. Freeman and Mrs. Oliver Karnes of Zephyr visited Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Burkett Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll are away this week visiting their children.

Mrs. Wilma Gray and girls of Coleman visited in the M. A. Walker home Saturday and Sunday, and Christmas Day visitors included the Andrew Walker family of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker of Burkett.

Christmas holiday visitors of Mrs. Margaret Young were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Young and family, Andy Dale Young and boys, all of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Young of Coleman and the R. D. Young family of Burkett.

Henry Burkett of San Angelo spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Burkett and Kay.

B. W. Adams is a patient at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene where he underwent back surgery last week.

Mrs. Pete Walker is recuperating at home after spending the last several weeks in Over-all-Morris Memorial Hospital.

Friends of Mrs. Minnie Newman, patient at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains, will be sorry to learn that she sustained a broken leg last Saturday. The cause of her accident has not been learned by this correspondent.

The Joe Burkett family of Mineral Wells visited a few days last week with his mother, Mrs. J. E. Burkett, and brother, J. B. Burkett, and family.

The Wayne Harris family of Midland spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyle and family of Howe visited Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyle during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Walker of Burleson visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Walker during the holidays.

Mrs. Mae Beaver spent the past two weeks in New Braunfels with her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Suetenfuss, and family. They brought her home Saturday and spent the Christmas holidays here with her and other relatives.

The L. S. McCormick family of Fort Worth and their daughter, Mrs. Jerry Biehl, and family of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans and Mr.

and Mrs. Elmer Biehl during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Porter and twin sons of Wichita Falls spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Porter.

The Joe Kemp family of Irving and the Billy Paul Golson family of Burkett spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Golson.

Danny Walters of San Antonio is visiting his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins and boys.

Almost every family had company during the holidays, but because of so little time this reporter is sorry she is unable to get it in the news. If you will get your news in earlier, we will try to do better next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Upton and son, Bill, of Baytown spent Christmas here in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Freeman and Jim.

Floyd Lee is again at his home in Pioneer after having spent several days in an Eastland hospital suffering a heart ailment.

Mrs. L. F. Foster Dies In Arizona

Mrs. L. F. Foster, 62, former Cross Plains resident, died Saturday at 4:15 p.m. in the home of her sister, Mrs. Dave Cole, in Phoenix, Ariz. She had been seriously ill about one year.

Funeral services are scheduled Friday at 2 p.m. from Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home in Amarillo, with interment to follow in a mausoleum there.

Mrs. Foster, who was employed at the McCuin Insurance Agency in Cross Plains, until she and her husband went to Arizona in February of this year, hoping the climate would be beneficial to her health, was a member of the Baptist Church and Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include the husband, who was until his retirement local manager of the West Texas Utilities Company in Cross Plains; one sister, two brothers and other relatives.

Among those from Cross Plains planning to attend the last rites in Amarillo are: Mrs. Clyde Sims, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCuin, Mrs. J. Peyton Smith, Mrs. Juanita Mayes and Mrs. Fonia Worthy, as well as possibly others whose names were not learned as the Review hurried to press.

CURTIS WYATTS HOST DINNER IN HOLIDAYS

Dinner guests in the Curtis Wyatt home over the Christmas holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deheart and Jerry Childs of Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Turner, Greg and Delbert, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barnes of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Turner of Weatherford, Darrel Wyatt, who is stationed at Tinker AFB near Oklahoma City, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wyatt, Eddie Glynn, Toni and Lesley Ann, of Cross Plains.

FIREMEN ADD QUARTET TO COMPANY LAST WEEK

Four new members were added to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department last week. The quartet brings the force to full strength.

New members are Les Chambers, Bill Hendrick, Jimmy McCowen and David Wells. McCowen and Wells are former members.

Mrs. John Watson had as guests one afternoon this week a niece and nephew, C. R. (Skeet) Fleming and Mrs. J. Bar Hood, the former LaVern Fleming, both of Snyder. They were en route to Galveston to join her husband, who had flown to the coastal city earlier for hospitalization.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Van Cambell of San Angelo visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Payne and Mrs. Mack Campbell, here during the holidays. They all had Christmas dinner in the Campbell home.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith here were Mr. and Mrs. Neil Smith and two daughters, Nancy and Lydia, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Michael, David and Sharon, all of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. George Reh of Bennington, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Belew of Fort Worth spent the Christmas week end here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Belew, and Jerry. Saturday visitors in the home were: Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Petty and family of Bedford, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Voight and Dianne Petty of Baird, Mrs. Nick Petty of May, Mrs. Marshall Campbell of Pep and her son, Charles, of Austin, Mrs. Norma Crawford of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Petty of this city.

MRS. NANNIE G. FETED WITH

Mrs. Nannie G. Fetted with a birthday party at her home Sunday, was presented with a ring, which held presented by her grandchildren.

Those present were Mrs. Hayden White, Colleen White, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. boys of Rising Star, Mrs. M. M. Dillard, Mike, of Winters, and Eddie Mack and Mrs. Bobby children, Mr. and Bailey, Sandy and and Mrs. Jim Dillard and Ella this city.

Mr. and Mrs. D. and sons spent Christmas here with his parents in Fort

Dick Wagner was in Vernon with Ben, and family.

Mrs. Jeff Clark holidays in Dallas the home of her family, Mr. and Clark.

News Of Former Residents

Don L. Purdy, former local businessman, now lives on Route 2 and gets his mail at Box 248-A in Wichita Falls. He is a long-time subscriber to the Review and still maintains ties with Cross Plains friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Bryan, who lived here many years, send word from their home in Barstow, Calif., to "keep the home town paper coming to us at 25121 Johnson Street."

E. D. Priest, former Cross Plains school teacher and insurance man, who is now with Internal Revenue Service at Abilene, always appends an interesting note with his subscription renewal to the Review. His latest told of passing the paper on to other former local residents.

Charley Hemphill, Albany public accountant, remits for continuance of the Review, which he has read regularly since coming to Cross Plains to

operate a hardware store back in the early 1920's.

F. R. Anderson, former local postmaster and automobile dealer here, orders the paper sent to his sons: F. R. (Phil), Jr. at Winters, Robert at Lubbock and Billy at Seagraves.

Melvin Placke, minister of a Church of Christ in San Antonio, was here last week end to attend the funeral of an uncle and in talking with the home town newspaper said:

"One feels mighty proud of having been reared in Cross Plains when seeing what wonderful citizens the community turned out."

He went on to mention that the people from here who now reside in San Antonio are wonderful citizens, living useful lives. Among the former home towners whom he mentioned seeing often were: Ronald Gray, David Henkel, Eugene Cross, William Gibson, Johnny C. Pillans, Darrell Wright and Jack Ripper.

Personals

Mrs. Annie Crockett was taken to the hospital at Baird Tuesday morning.

Earnest Byrd entered Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood Tuesday morning.

Clarence Carter and family of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carter, during Christmas.

Junior Lee, student at Howard Payne College at Brownwood, is spending the holidays here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee.

Mrs. E. W. Riggs returned to her home here Friday after spending 10 days in St. Ann's Hospital in Abilene. She is reported doing fine.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Franke Christmas eve were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calaway, Gary and Jan, of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartek, Diane, Frank, Jr. and Evelyn, of Coleman, Miss Regina Gary, Miss Norma Franke, Richard Kurns, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Franke, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Franke, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Franke, Larry, Steve, Dennis, Cheryl and Kala, all of Cross Plains.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

ANNOUNCING!
NEW WAY TO CLEAN
RUGS & UPHOLSTERY
with
MU-LUSTRE
MIGGINSBOTHAM'S
Cross Plains, Texas



See You in Church Sunday

PIONEER DRIVE-IN THEATRE

CROSS PLAINS - RISING STAR
Highway 36 Phone 725-4701
Show Begins 15 Minutes
After Sunset

WEDNESDAY — THURSDAY
December 27 - 28
"RIO CONCHOS"
(90 minutes — Deluxe Color)
Stuart Whitman
Richard Boone
Tony Franciosa

FRI. — SAT. — SUN.
December 29 - 30 - 31
"TWO FOR THE ROAD"
(112 minutes — Color)
Audrey Hepburn
Albert Finney

MIDNIGHT SHOW
December 31
Bloodthirsty Vampire Lives
Again!
"DRACULA, PRINCE OF
DARKNESS"
(90 minutes — Deluxe Color)
Christopher Lee

MON. — TUES. WED.
January 1 - 2 - 3
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To all our Friends and Customers!

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Happy New Year

Save At Fosters

New Low Prices — Top Value Stamp

Specials Good Wed. Through Sat.

FRESH BLACK EYE PEAS AND SNAPS, Kurer's, 3 cans

ARROW PINTO BEANS, 2 pounds for

Crisco 3 POUND CAN 7

GLADIOLA MEAL, white or yellow, 5 pounds

INSTANT COFFEE, Maxwell House, 10 ozs.

Blackeye Peas ARROW, DRY, 1 LB. 1

BOLOGNA, all meat, per pound

BISCUITS, 3 cans for

Bacon ARMOUR'S STAR, PER LB. 5

CHUCK ROAST, per pound

GROUND CHUCK, per pound

Salt Jowls PER POUND 1

DOUBLE TOP VALUE STAMPS EACH WEDNESDAY
WITH \$2.50 PURCHASE OR MORE

Foster Grocery

TRAVIS FOSTER, Owner

Christmas Brings Many Visitors Into Cross Cut

By Mrs. Les Byrd

Lewis Newton children, Perrell, Imogene, Anita and their families, home at some time Christmas.

Byrd children all here for Christmas, Norma Jean, Dolores and families.

Mrs. Junior Chambers and children of Lueders visited Bill Baucum during the holidays.

Elizabeth Smith of Dallas spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge, brother, Larry, and sister, Nancy.

Prof. of Luling visited other relatives Christmas.

Stoody, Judy and Alan Austin spent Christmas with the Les Byrds here with the McDermetts in Cross Plains.

Woolley spent the Christmas holidays with his wife and children in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reynolds and Mrs. Odessa spent a Christmas with her Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Chambers of Odessa.

Chambers of Odessa his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chambers, Thursday night Friday night.

Prater of Kermit visited grandmother, Mrs. Betty during Christmas. Her Mrs. Myra Moore, of Odessa visited with her Christmas eve and Christmas.

and Mrs. Ross Newton Christmas in Oklahoma brother and wife, Mr. Herman Watts.

Smith, who is a student Texas Tech at Lubbock, the Christmas holidays at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arledge, and sister, Mrs. Les Byrd.

at his home here last Friday. He was taken to a hospital Tuesday.

and Mrs. Kenneth Chambers children of New Mexico and Mrs. Clyde Chambers family of West-sent Christmas with the Chamberses.

and Mrs. Les Byrd spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. B. Chambers and Gary Brownwood other relatives here also.

and Mrs. V. D. Howe ofburg spent Christmas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Byrd and O. B., Jr. the Earnest Byrd children with their father and Christmas. They are Jake Marguerite of Odessa, of Crane and Lillian of and their families.

Mrs. Charlie Sowell with the Rev. A. T. and children in Dallas of last week. They her sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Davis in Tuscola Sunday Christmas Day they visited Mrs. N. T. Brady.

Mrs. George Wright Christmas eve in Grand their daughter and Billy Jean, Danny and Michael, Christmas Day. visited in Brownwood her son, Russell, and

in the Jack Arledge Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Gray of P. and Mrs. Emil Ring- of Ramsey, Henry Ring- of Stanton and Mr. and Mrs. Schaefer and chil-

with Bill Baucum Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Baucum and sons Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. and sons of Cross and Mrs. W. B. and three children of Mrs. Ruth Barr of and Mr. and Mrs. Weas of Cross Plains. Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh.

Mrs. Hollis Kellar, and Lanny, and Jean in Abilene Sun- with Mrs. Kellar's husband, Mr. and

Mrs. Dean Beard and Deana. Mrs. Randa Kellar of Brownwood and Jimmy Van Story of May spent Christmas Day with the Hollis Kellar family. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Davis of Colorado City and their son, Billy Wayne, and wife, Billy Wayne is in the service.

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IN MEMORY OF MRS. JUDDIE CLARK
By Mrs. Les Byrd

How do you say good-bye to your oldest friend? By telling her grandchild of her fine character. But they already know these things. By arranging her hair in the usual way. But this has been done so often it really doesn't seem final. By placing a wreath on her grave. But it will wither in the cold. How do you say good-bye to your oldest friend? There is no real good-bye. As long as memories live. Memories of her willingness to share whatever she had. Much in times of plenty - even a mite during the depression. Memories of her guidance and counseling. Years before phychiatry was known. Memories of her as a living Christian. One found in the church, to be sure, but also One found at the beside of a sick neighbor. How do you say good-bye to your oldest friend? You don't - you just keep remembering.

LAWRENCE LEES PARENTS OF BABY GIRL DEC. 20

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee became parents of a baby girl Dec. 20 born in a Comanche hospital. The daughter weighed seven pounds, and she has been named Peggy Sue. Grandparents are Floyd Lee, E. P. McCloud and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jackson of Llano.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kirksey and daughter, Judy, of Brownwood visited here Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Luttrell, Mrs. Lee Roy Brooker and Brenda of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meador visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ingram Christmas Day.

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Items Of Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. Jack Smith received a message that her sister and husband, Hazel and Marion Abbott, were in a car wreck Wednesday of last week. They were on their way to see her mother, Mrs. Shelton, in Perkins, Okla. The sister was badly injured. She suffered a broken hip, broken nose, eye badly injured and cuts of the face. She is in a Dallas hospital.

Mrs. Jack Smith and Gary Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

BROWNWOOD Cattle Auction

December 20, 1967

MARKET: Steady to uneven. Steer calves and yearlings sold about steady while heifers, calves and yearlings were slightly weaker. Fat calves were scarce and sold a little lower. Packer cows and bulls were active and steady. Stocker cows and pairs sold strong.

Estimated Receipts: 630 hd.

Stocker Steer Calves
Wts. 250-425 lbs. 27.50-32

Stocker Heifer Calves
Wts. 250-425 lbs. 22-24.50

Stocker Yearlings
Wts. 500-700 lbs. 23-25.75

Heifer Yearlings 20-22
Plain Feeder Steers .. 22-24.50
Plain Feeder Heifers .. 19-22

Cows and Calves, pair
Good \$190-\$235
Plain \$140-\$185

Stocker Cows 15-18

Slaughter Cattle
Fat calves 21.50-23
Fat cows 16-17.50
Utility & cutter cows 15-16.50
Canners 13.50-15
Shells 10-13.50
Stocker bulls 20-25
Slaughter bulls .. 18.75-22.75
Hogs (top) 17.50

Childers left for Oklahoma Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. D. Childers, and to see her sister, Mrs. Smith will visit other relatives in Oklahoma.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and Gary Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blakley and Jack Noble. They exchanged Christmas gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frenchy Bennett and son of Edwards AFB in California and John Bennett of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Bryan Bennett and son and grandsons last week.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thate through the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Slate and son, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vinson all of Fort Worth. Mrs. Thate and Bill Slate attended services at the Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Winnie Moore Smith and Truman Moore of Irving visited Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore Sunday, and Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins and boy also attended services at the Baptist Church. Colleen sang a very beautiful song at the morning services.

Miss Mary Weaver is home from Corpus Christi where she teaches school.

Those who visited Beulah and Hazel I. Respass Christmas Day were George Clifton of Big Spring, Mrs. Hagel Coppinger and Mrs. Gaylon Coppinger, Mike and Kirk, of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith had all their children home for Christmas.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick's children and grandchildren were here for Christmas. They are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hughes, Cindy and Cregg, of Fort Worth, the Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Bigbee and family of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Myrick and family of Brenham and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Myrick, Wady and Sammie, of Abilene.

Mrs. Frances Gilleland had her children home. They are Vorus Kelly and Brenda of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelly of Victoria.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my heartfelt gratitude to the people of the Burkett community for their love offering, for their visits and for their expressions of kindness which they have generously given to me in my recent illness. A special thank you goes out to the nurses at Overall-Morris Hospital, and to Dr. Mann for their kindness and concern. It was deeply appreciated, and will be long remembered.

Mrs. J. T. (Pete) Walker

FOR SALE: Late model G.E. refrigerator with freezer, and Florence gas range, good condition. See Max Cline, Apt. 812, Fed. Housing, Cross Plains. 38 2tp

MAYES Flower Shop

For Quality Flowers for Every Occasion. Call 725-4421

Next Door to Post Office

Use the Want Ads!

FOR SALE: Lot no. 4 in Bryant Addition in Cross Plains. \$500.00 cash. Write J. P. White, East Star Rt., Box 90, Lovington, N. M. 88260. 36 9tp

WANTED: Waitress, apply at Odom's Cafe. Morris or Dorothy Odom. 37 3tc

FOR SALE: To be moved, 3-room house. Telephone 725-4521. Mrs. Ray Noah. 38 tfe

NOTICE: Anyone having claims against the estate of the late Herman E. Jentho should submit proof of claims and statement to J. R. (Dick) Wagner in Cross Plains, Tex. 38 4tc

FOR SALE: Nice 2-bedroom house on 1/2-block north side Highway 36, one block east of signal light. Size of lots overall 210x140. Priced at \$6,500.00. Call 725-4431. 36tfc

FOR SALE: Good gas cook stove, like new, and an RCA Whirlpool refrigerator. See Mrs. Billy McMillan. Phone 725-3942. 38 3tc

FOR SALE: My home and furniture, \$8,500. Come by and see the place. Mrs. Jess Graves, Cross Plains. 37 4tp

FOR SALE: 3-room and bath dwelling at corner of North 12th and Avenue E. Situated on 3 lots, cash or terms. Mrs. Clyde Sims, phone 725-2954. 36tfc

FOR SALE: Slightly used box springs and inner-spring mattress. May be seen at Higginbotham's, phone 725-3631. 38 2tp

FOR SALE: 2-bedroom home, carpeted throughout. Also have double-wall Panel Ray heater. See or call Hubert Belew, 725-5671. 39 2tp

FOR RENT: Small, nicely furnished house. See Marie Pruett at JRB in Cross Plains. 39 tfe

FOR SALE: 3-bedroom house, good location (home of Zola Plumlee). Contact A. J. McCuins next door or call OR 3-8528, Abilene, Texas. 34 tfe

SEWING MACHINE Sales & Service, call J. T. Beggs, 643-4384. 28tfc

FOR SALE OR LEASE: 2-bedroom house on 3/4-acre in Burkett. Public water supply. Unfurnished or partly furnished. Garage, storm cellar. Write Box 253, O'Donnell, Texas, or call 428-3497 after 5:00 p.m. 34 9tc

1967 School Taxes Due

Deadline for paying 1967 School Taxes will be January 31, 1968, and patrons are urged to get their payments in early this year to avoid penalty.

Office Is Open Daily

From 8:00 until 5:00 o'clock from Oct. 1, until Jan. 31, 1968, at McCuin Insurance Agency in Cross Plains, Texas.

DON'T LET YOUR SCHOOL TAXES GO DELINQUENT

Mrs. A. J. McCuin, Collector

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Meets second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month.
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Saturdays, 9 to 12

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BIBLE STUDY 10:00 A.M.
WORSHIP 11:00 A.M.
EVENING WORSHIP 7:00 P.M.
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 7:00 P.M.

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City Taxes for 1967

May be paid at the City Hall
Cross Plains, Texas

PAY NOW AND SAVE PENALTY AND INTEREST

MRS. AVA CHILDERS
City Tax Collector
Cross Plains, Texas

2,000 Foot Wildcat Carded Near Clyde

Callahan County has gained site for a new wildcat in the area 12 miles south of Clyde.

It is D. L. Heinson and E. L. Rasbury of Clyde No. 1 E. L. Rasbury.

Having a proposed depth of 2,000 feet with rotary, it is on a 159 acre lease. Drillsite is 2,290 feet from the north and 1,650 feet from the east lines of George Hancock Survey 357.

Gilmer Hughes of Baird was a business visitor in Cross Plains one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Clark and three children of Pecos visited her mother, Mrs. Chess Barr, here last week end.

COMPLETION UNLIKELY OF CAGE TOURNAMENT

Annual Cross Plains High School basketball tournament appears destined to remain unfinished. Coach Les Cowan said last week end that no official ruling had been received from UIL authorities, but word on a similar case indicated the meet was doomed.

Icy weather forced postponement of the meet the week end of Dec. 14-16.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Les Cowan and family included his mother of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox were in Fort Worth Tuesday, where they met their daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. James Yarbrough and Patricia, of Shriever, La., who are presently visiting here.

	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1950	1.07	.27	.12	2.13	6.82	3.60	3.92	1.26	1.38	.36	.00	.00	20.03
1951	.00	.91	.94	1.55	4.20	3.88	.81	.71	1.97	.00	.00	.00	15.73
1952	.34	.30	1.30	2.60	3.37	.30	.10	.25	1.65	.00	3.12	1.40	14.73
1953	.00	.40	3.75	1.20	4.25	3.00	2.52	2.28	.15	5.87	.48	.28	24.18
1954	.71	.30	.75	4.51	3.11	.00	.25	.50	.00	2.01	2.50	.50	15.14
1955	1.39	1.71	.21	1.17	3.06	2.65	3.47	2.75	.25	2.30	.53	.00	19.46
1956	1.65	1.28	.30	5.55	2.26	.22	.00	.00	4.07	5.66	1.00	4.90	38.58
1957	.36	1.85	1.26	7.40	9.50	3.46	.12	.00	4.07	5.66	1.00	4.90	38.58
1958	1.35	2.01	1.55	3.60	3.10	1.50	2.00	2.00	2.78	3.36	.25	2.21	24.71
1959	.00	.56	.30	1.65	3.27	5.37	4.09	.93	1.35	5.17	4.01	.63	27.30
1960	2.85	2.20	.00	1.76	1.84	.00	2.20	2.01	2.20	3.50	2.51	.97	21.07
1961	5.60	1.58	.46	.67	4.21	7.30	2.58	.45	.67	3.25	.55	3.66	31.20
1962	.00	.61	.76	3.09	.37	6.22	4.08	.30	7.36	3.07	.92	1.18	27.96
1963	.00	.50	.25	1.86	8.24	2.12	.22	.73	.78	.26	5.18	.83	20.87
1964	2.40	1.67	1.47	2.69	.30	.35	.10	3.02	8.95	1.45	1.68	.35	24.43
1965	2.50	1.85	.41	.76	7.87	2.41	.00	2.30	2.85	2.40	1.60	1.55	26.40
1966	.51	.86	.43	5.40	.00	4.26	.00	5.57	3.15	1.26	.02	.00	21.46
1967	.00	.57	.91	3.39	5.40	2.44	1.22	.82	5.21	1.83	1.90	1.20	24.89

Seventeen-year Average Rainfall: 23.02

Normal Rainfall Here: 24.54

Above figures taken from official records of S. F. Bond, observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau

22 Barrel Well Finaled At Eula

Davis Brother of Abilene completed a regular field well five miles southeast of Eula. The oiler is No. 2 J. T. Edwards, 2,437 feet from the north and 660 feet from the east lines of Section 18, BBB&C Survey.

Daily potential was 22 barrels of 38.3 gravity oil. It is pumping from perforations at 1,309-17 feet, fractured with 10 sacks of sand and 131 barrels of water.

Operator set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 1,360 feet, total depth.

Clasp Envelopes — Review

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur of Oklahoma City spent Christmas holidays at home of his mother, Mrs. Barr, and in Burkett mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald and three daughters Antonio spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. Oscar Gray, and with Mrs. and Mrs. M.

Mrs. J. Peyton Smith Mrs. Clyde Sims attended meeting of the Chapter of Business Professional Women of last Thursday night.

PAY TAXES NOW!

Payments made on state taxes in October receive 3 per cent discount, those in November 2 per cent and December payments 1 per cent.

Discount Applies Only To State Tax.

ALBERT LOVELL
County Tax Assessor-Collector

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Sabanno Locality Has Cold But Beautiful Yuletide Day

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

This is a beautiful morning, still and sunshiney, but cold. The community had nice weather for Christmas, it was cold but no moisture, which was fine for so many going and coming during the day. This has been a good year for most everyone, and the community wishes a good year ahead for all of you. Telephones are still not right, calls can be made out of the community, but few can get through to homes within the community. It will be so good to have them in good shape again. Due to the telephones, this writer cannot get in touch with some residents of the area. I would like to thank those of you who have been so good to help make Sabanno news.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King, had three of his daughters and their families with them on Christmas Eve day. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Claton Prater and children and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Webb and children of Cisco visited during the afternoon. All attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas at the Baptist Church in Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Earl Casey and children of San Angelo visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey, Christmas Eve day.

Mrs. Eva Story of Anson returned home Tuesday after visiting in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon spent Christmas in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Norrel and family in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and Mrs. Vetra Connaly of Coleman, and Mrs. Emma Kent of Cook were Christmas Day dinner guests with Josie and Alma Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilcoxon and little son of Brownwood were Christmas dinner guests with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxon and Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin visited with his aunt, Mrs. Altha Erwin, in Hickman Rest Home at Cisco, Sunday afternoon. She is very low.

Wes Holcomb entered a Comanche hospital Saturday of last week. Last report he was resting better, but was undergoing tests and x-rays to determine his illness. Mrs. Holcomb will also have a check-up while he is there. Mrs. Holcomb and other members of the family had Christmas dinner with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Livingston in Gustine. They were in and out of

the hospital visiting their Dad. We hope they will both soon be feeling much better and back home.

Jim Casey of Mineral Wells spent Christmas Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones of Williams visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Christmas evening until late.

Mrs. Eva Story, Mrs. Wes Holcomb and Bobby Clark and Allen Holcomb were supper guests with Mrs. Ethel Anderson of Cottonwood Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cantrell to Sweetwater Christmas Day where the Cantrells, Erwins and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf South all had Christmas dinner in the home of their sister, Nell. It was a good day for four Minix sisters and families together. Their brother, the Rev. T. N. Minix, and his wife of Abilene were with them in the afternoon. The many friends of T. N. who was sick for so long, will be happy to learn that he is doing wonderfully after heart surgery last Spring. He is now full time minister of the First Church of God in Abilene.

The Busy Bee Club will not meet again until Wednesday, Jan. 17, 1968.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox and daughters of Carlsbad, N. M., Mrs. Nunnie Brooks and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Andrews of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins all spent Christmas Day in the home of their brothers, Eldridge and Golden Lawson.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Judd Barnett spent Christmas with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Little and two children, in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Wallace Jones spent the week end in Eastland in the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Forehand of Fort Worth were recent visitors here with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Dunlap, and also with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCord had as guests during Christmas week end their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Carl McCord and three children of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCord and two children of Tyler.

Cagers Rest Before District Prep Games

Three Cross Plains High School basketball teams will get two weeks rest before renewing warfare of the hardwood. The local squads tangled with Eula last Thursday, and will not see action until the first week end in January.

Buffettes will participate in a girls tournament at Comanche Jan. 4-6, and Buffaloes take to the road against Cisco Friday, Jan. 5.

Coach Jim Ethridge's girls team will open play with Priddy at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 4, in the eight-team Comanche meet. Hamilton and Comanche "B" team completes the bracket, the winner of which will test the visitor of the Comanche, Dublin, Stephenville and Coleman division.

Bisons narrowly won a pair of decisions over the Class AA Leboas in a meeting earlier in the year on Buffalo hardwood. The Herd's B team will start action, in Cisco at 7 p.m. Jan. 5.

The two varsity units will use the slated tilts to prepare for opening defense of District 9-A crowns. Rising Star will be here Jan. 12 for the first conference battle.

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Well Nearing Normal After Ice Storm

Alton Tatom
 Things are back to normal after the bad ice storm which hit Cross Plains last week. However, about the only inconvenience is that paper used on camp-outs is appreciated.
 Recently Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hutchins from Colorado City Lake visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Mrs. Alton Tatom. It was their first trip through here in several years.

2 Bison Quints Lose 3 Games Last Week

Lynette, Jim, Sheri and Shayla of Cross Plains.
 Mrs. Viola Everrett of Putnam visited with Mrs. Herbert Ellis Thursday morning.
 Dwight Black was painfully burned last week while working on a faulty butane connection, and was hospitalized several days. Happy to report he is at home now.
 Buffalo cagers had just as soon forget results of basketball action in three outings last week. Herdsmen tasted defeat on each occasion.
 Tuesday of last week Eastland boys handed two Buff quintets losses, and Eula nipped the local varsity here Thursday. Eastland reserves whipped the Bison B team 53-49, and Eastland triumphed in the varsity game 73-58. Eula emerged victorious in a hard fought tilt 57-52.
 Even in defeat, lowering the Buffs' record to 6-7, bright spots were evident. Jerry Strickland returned to the starting line-up after being sidelined with an injury. Coach Les Cowan said that especially in the Eula game that shooting and passing was better, and in both instances the Bisons presented a more balanced attack.
 Interning Buffs, trailing 23-12 at halftime, utilized a full-court press after intermission, and sliced the 11-point deficit to four at the final buzzer. Leslie Cowan and Robert Lewis both tallied 14 points, and Larry Bishop canned 13 for the locals.
 Eastland used the fast break as the primary weapon to undo Buffaloes. Cowan said that the Class AA Mavericks were one of the best outfits the Buffs have encountered this year, and compared them to Albany which defeated the Herd earlier.
 Buffaloes fell behind in the first period, but presented a better balanced scoring attack. Jerry Belew dunked 15 for top honors. James McMillan tallied 14, Jerry Strickland hooped 10, Ricky Jones had nine and Mike Bright eight.
 Bisons put up a stout battle here Thursday before finally bowing to Eula Pirates 57-52. Trailing through the first three quarters, Buffs gained a 45-43 lead in the fourth period, but Eula knotted the score 45-45 with about two minutes remaining. A pair of fouls and a field goal shoved the visitors out front to stay.
 Strickland paced Herd scoring with 14 points. Belew cramed 12 through the goal, Bright got 11 and Jones hit 10.
 Hugh Tarrant paced all scorers with 21 points. David Black hit 15 for Eula, and Marvin May got 13 for Eula.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Oliver and baby spent Christmas here with relatives.
 Guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. (Bob) Needham over the Christmas week end were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watson of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen Needham of Stockdale and Don Needham of Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Race In Bowling Club Takes On New Look

A substitute lead all bowlers of Cross Plains Bowling Club in play last week which produced a big shake-up in standings.
 Raymond Franke, subbing on Ted Souder's team, paced individual performances in the club last week. He posted the high single game with a 210, and claimed a share of second place with Benny Glover with 199. Franke collected 554 pins in the three games for top laurel in individual series. Glover's 537 was runner-up and Dan Johnston felled 511.
 Tommy Knight's team gained second place with a 4-0 verdict over Dan Johnston's team, which slipped from second to fourth. J. P. McCord's squad retained its first place status, but could manage only a split with Ted Souder's club, which took sole possession of third place after sharing it a week.
 Teamwise McCord's crew took team series laurel with 2,321 pins. Souder's foursome was second with 2,304, and Knight's quartet was third with 2,207. Souder and his teammates posted the best single team game of 847 maples, followed by McCord's 830 and Knight's 755.
 No action was stated this week, but Jan. 3 Johnston will challenge McCord and Souder will test Knight.

	W	L	Pct.
McCord's team	16	12	.571
Knight's team	15	13	.536
Souder's team	13	15	.464
Johnston's team	12	16	.428



Which of the following is spelled correctly?
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 (Meaning: Risky; dangerous.)
 (Answer on Page 8.)

Buffettes Post Pair Of Victories In As Many Outings Last Week

Cross Plains Buffettes recorded their tenth and eleventh victories of the basketball season last week.
 The local sextet easily rolled past Class AA Eastland 65-35 Tuesday of last week, and Thursday Cross Plains girls slipped by Class B Callahan County foe 33-30.
 Coach Jim Ethridge emptied his bench at Eastland after rolling up a 44-10 lead at intermission. Starters played the first 16 minutes, and reserves took over in the second half. Valeta Edington pumped in 29 in the first 16 minutes, far outdistancing all other Buffettes.
 It was a different story in Buffalo Gymnasium Thursday when Eula came to town.
 Although Buffettes managed a 10-4 first quarter margin, the visitors rallied and took a narrow edge during the second

period. Score at intermission, however, favored the local sextet 18-17. Buffettes posted a five point bulge, 28-23, in the third stanza, but Eula cut that to three in the final canto.
 Buffette Barbara Renfro bucketed 16 points to grab the night's scoring laurel, and Miss Edington hooped 14. Two Eula players, Frances Rock and Judy Tarrant, also counted 14 points each.
 Ethridge said, "We were real cold from the field; we hit about 30 percent or less." Buffettes hit 56 per cent of free tosses, but had only nine chances.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Forbes of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover and Benny Christmas.

Hugh Gregory, 75, Laid To Rest Here

Last rites for Hugh B. Gregory, 75, were conducted from Higginbotham Funeral Home chapel in Cross Plains last Friday at 2 p.m. with Ministers James R. Hammonds of Fort Worth and Melvin C. Placke of San Antonio officiating. Burial followed in Cross Plains Cemetery.
 Mr. Gregory died in Pecos. Funeral rites were held there Thursday and the body then brought here for burial.
 Mr. Gregory, formerly of Gorman, died Tuesday in Pecos. He was born in Oxford, Miss., Dec. 7, 1892. He married Lois Elliott May 8, 1916, in Cross Plains. He was a farm machine-

ry salesman.
 Mr. Gregory was a member of the Christian Church.
 He is survived by his wife of the home; two sons, Durwood of Victoria and Keith of Tucson, Ariz.; a daughter, Mrs. Jean Ann Creecy of Tucson, Ariz.; nine grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Vernon Dickson of Pampa, Tex.; and Mrs. Mack Meleugen of San Angelo; and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Louis Placke of Cross Plains.
 Pallbearers were: John D. Harvey, R. G. Murray, Dane Barnett, Coy Barnett, Verlon Barnett and Woodrow Gryder.

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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS

Statement Of Cash Receipts And Disbursements FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1967

	OPERATING FUND						Totals
	State & County Available	Local Maintenance	Transportation	Interest & Sinking Fund	Title I		
Opening Cash Balance, 9-1-66	\$ 986.64	\$ 25,316.68	\$ 3,754.22	\$ 256.89	\$ 915.10	\$ 31,229.53	
RECEIPTS:							
10 Local Sources	\$	\$ 59,110.46	\$ 34.41	\$ 884.86	\$	\$ 60,029.73	
20 County Sources	724.17					724.17	
30 State Sources	34,520.40	87,017.97	22,746.00		22,158.37	166,442.74	
40 Federal Sources							
50 Sale of Bonds							
60 Loans							
70 Sale of Property							
80 Incoming Transfers							
85 Interfund Transfers							
Returned Checks				14,628.00		14,628.00	
Investments Sold							
Total Cash Receipts	\$ 35,244.57	\$ 146,128.43	\$ 22,780.41	\$ 15,512.86	\$ 22,158.37	\$ 241,824.64	
Total Funds Available	\$ 36,231.21	\$ 171,445.11	\$ 26,534.63	\$ 15,769.75	\$ 23,073.47	\$ 273,054.17	
DISBURSEMENTS:							
Budgetary Disbursements	\$ 35,326.00	\$ 143,517.00	\$ 21,299.01	\$ 15,567.09	\$ 19,827.54	\$ 235,536.64	
Retirement of Current Loans							
Food Service Fund							
Student Activity Fund							
Interfund Transfers							
Investments Purchased							
Inventory Purchases					1,256.30	1,256.30	
Prior Year Payables Liquidated							
Total Cash Disbursements	\$ 35,326.00	\$ 143,517.00	\$ 21,299.01	\$ 15,567.09	\$ 21,083.84	\$ 236,792.94	
Closing Cash Balance, 8-31-67	\$ 905.21	\$ 27,928.11	\$ 5,235.62	\$ 202.66	\$ 1,989.63	\$ 36,261.23	
Less: Accounts Payable, 8-31-67					125.00	125.00	
Unencumbered Cash Balance, 8-31-67	\$ 905.21	\$ 27,928.11	\$ 5,235.62	\$ 202.66	\$ 1,864.63	\$ 36,136.23	
Add: Temporary Investments and Time Deposits, Balances at 8-31-67 (Note)				16,210.00		16,210.00	
Unencumbered Fund Balance, 8-31-67	\$ 905.21	\$ 27,928.11	\$ 5,235.62	\$ 16,412.66	\$ 1,864.63	\$ 52,346.23	
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Memories Of Year Fading Into Past Personals

With 1967 now hurrying to conclusion, the following highlights taken from files of the Review published during the year provide a news abstract of the past 12 months.

Jan. 5: Pat McNeel buys Tunnel Insurance Agency ... Cowan Hutton elected United Fund president ... Terry Harris and Scott Odom hurt in auto mishap.

Jan. 12: Meador Grocery destroyed by fire ... Record shows Jack Tunnell fought more flames than any other volunteer fireman ... Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Merrell become parents of a baby boy.

Jan. 19: Baird brothers capture top honors at County Stock Show ... Rising Star and Cross Plains W.O.W. Camps enjoy joint supper here ... Jack Watkins begins pre-school census.

Jan. 26: Lt. Cmdr. W. P. Yarbrough, Navy flier known here, shot down in Vietnam ... T. T. Nichols heads Cemetery Association ... James Lawrence becomes partner in Farm & Ranch Supply.

Feb. 2: Approval of a second loan in the amount of \$49,500 for Lakewood Recreation Club is announced by Congressman Omar Burleson ... Larry Smith chosen for all-state high school band ... W. R. Chambers remembers happy years at Burkett.

Feb. 9: Area passes 113th day without measurable rain ... Dan Johnston buys home in Abilene ... Norman Lee announces he will open tractor business here.

Feb. 16: School trustees award contract extensions to Wayne Ford, Scot Edgington and Jack Watkins ... Eula girls win 13-B cage crown.

Feb. 23: Cross Plains girls win district cage diadem ... Dale Bishop undergoes surgery ... James W. Robinson lands in Vietnam.

March 2: Callahan County schools get \$36,896 federal grant ... Local firemen fight blaze in Rising Star ... Cross Plains chosen site for district meet.

Mar. 9: City pays last tribute to Postmaster Lloyd Bryan ... Some say present Winter driest since white men came to this section of Texas ... Local girls win right to enter Austin tourney and compete for state cage championship.

Mar. 16: B&W Construction Co. of Dallas submits low bid of \$165,892 to build peanut drying plant at Pioneer ... Tommie Harris, Jimmie McCowen and Dr. Carl J. Sohns seek two places on the board of trustees for local schools.

Mar. 23: Carolyn Tunnell chosen member of girls all-state basketball team ... First tenants to move in housing project ... Mrs. Earlene Burge, Miss Kathryn Brown and Mrs. Myrtle Ann Dunn receive vocational nurse degrees.

Mar. 30: Harold Garrett announces new egg processing plant will open here ... H. D. Welch assigned as highway patrolman to headquarter in Cross Plains.

April 6: Oscar Koenig, Gerald Bowden and J. P. McCord elected to City Council ... 5-County Singing scheduled here ... 19 persons now live in federal housing project here.

April 13: Mrs. Verna Mae Ramsey will head local post office until a successor for Lloyd Bryan is named ... Vernon Phillips named school board president ... Minister Jim Hance accepts San Antonio post.

April 20: Coach Jack Gray resigns ... Capt. D. T. Crockett home from Asia ... Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Key given farewell party by friends at Burkett.

April 27: Ten top seniors at Cross Plains High School announced as follows: Peggy Erwin, Carolyn Tunnell, Bobby Payne, Barbara Clark, Terry Baum, Laquetta Rankin, Betty Purvis, Claudia Childers, Vanda Anderson and Sharon Reddick.

May 4: Test called to choose postmaster ... Kizer Telephone Company merged with Lone Star Telephone Co. ... Aiton Hornsby heads Chamber of Commerce.

May 11: Destructive nail ravages Sabanno and Cottonwood areas ... Howard Cox re-elected to county school board ... Nine apply for coaching job here.

May 18: B. I. Marshall buried at Pioneer ... Sue Walker chosen Buffalo Band drum-major ... Monthly supper at Burkett proves to be delightful affair.

May 25: James Paul Shanks chosen Putnam commencement speaker ... Construction starts on peanut plant at Pioneer ... Bertha Hutchins graduates from Texas Woman's University.

June 1: Troy Crockett hurt in auto mishap at Burkett ... Baby girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ford ... Ladies Golf Club formed by 14 feminine shooters.

June 8: Death of Clyde woman at Rowden ruled suicide ... Automatic laundry opens on North Main ... Lakewood Center opened with formal program and picnic.

June 15: Les Cowan chosen CPHS coach ... Rev. Lloyd Coker returned to Methodist pastorate ... W. S. McCann, 79, escaped with minor injuries when knocked down by an auto on Main Street.

June 22: Water pumping hits 175,000 gallons daily ... Carolyn Brown and Mike Pruet married in Rising Star ... J. B. Riffe buried at Atwell.

June 29: Raymond DeBusk pays \$175,000 for one rancher's calf crop ... Street paving underway ... Noah Johnson opens barber shop on South Main.

July 6: Art Fisher, Rising Star banker, gets first hole-in-one at Lakewood golf course ... Meador family holds reunion ... 108 attend meeting of Simons family.

July 13: Brownwood Business and Professional Women choose Fred Tunnell as "Boss of the Year" ... 28 teachers assured for next school term.

July 20: David Gray promoted to major in Vietnam ... Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woody and daughter Barbara have moved from Odessa to Cross Plains.

July 27: Local Little Leaguers, coached by Lester Wyatt and Edwin Weiss, win area championship ... Jim Ethridge and John Geer added to coaching staff.

Aug. 3: Dan C. Flournoy begins ministry here ... O. B. Edmondson honored for 30 years service in field of agriculture ... Byron Richardson accepts J. P. post.

Aug. 10: Diane McCowen chosen Farm Bureau queen ... R. D. Boland of Seranton has been named manager of the Pioneer Peanut Cooperative ... Ronald D. Childers has returned home from two years army duty.

Aug. 17: Walter Broocke, 84, of British Columbia, who was reared in the Cross Plains area, returned here last week for his first visit in 67 years ... Jake Huntington re-elected president of Pioneer-Sabanno Ex-Students Association.

Aug. 24: Bob Golson named all-around champion cowboy by West Texas Rodeo Association ... Mrs. A. J. Blang hurt in automobile accident.

Aug. 31: Classes were attended by 467 students Monday, opening day of the new school term ... Hugh McDermott honored on his 80th birthday with old-fashioned barbecue at City Park.

Sept. 7: Jerry and Linda Payne of McCamey took first place in a husband and wife golf tournament at Lakewood ... Johnston Truck & Supply takes booth at West Texas Fair to advertise the local business and the town in which it is domiciled.

Sept. 14: Mrs. J. C. Claborn named to head United Fund drive ... First peanuts received from new crop ... Commissioners announce consolidation of voting boxes, which will mean elimination of polling places at Atwell and Cottonwood.

Sept. 21: Cross Plains FFA boys won 32 of 36 classes in which they entered at West Texas Fair ... Blaze destroys gasoline truck owned by Dave Lee.

Sept. 28: Turkey Creek Water Control District disbanded and eliminates tax ... Pfc. James Robinson of Cottonwood decorated for valor in Vietnam ... 47 ladies to make U.F. canvass for funds.

Oct. 5: Local churches aid Gulf Coast flood sufferers ... Band Boosters now have 122 members ... Photographers are making pictures of all local school children for the year-book.

Oct. 12: Bank deposits in Cross Plains hit all-time high, approaching four million dollars ... J. B. Evans buys J. A. Burton place ... Plans made to install Rev. H. Grady James as local Presbyterian pastor.

Oct. 19: School enrollment continues to rise here, with 488 in classes this week ... Claude Foster undergoes lung surgery.

Oct. 26: Jackie Hinkle, Cross Plains soldier, wounded in Vietnam ... Callahan County plans salute to District Judge J. R. Black ... Darwin Anderson hurt in accident at Cisco.

Nov. 2: O. B. Switzers talk 9,000 mile telephone call with their son in Hong Kong ... Sissy Barr crowned Buffalo Band sweetheart.

Nov. 9: Higginbothams announce new funeral home to be built ... First frost falls ... Fred Tunnells on trip to Las Vegas.

Nov. 16: Valeta Edgington chosen most beautiful high school girl ... Egg processing plant here doing \$425,000 worth of annual business and employing 12 people.

Nov. 23: Barry Bells celebrate 50th wedding anniversary ... Indian Summer speeding abundant peanut harvest ... Junior Lee of Cross Plains wins 3-mile race, competing for Howard Payne, at Texas University intercollegiate meet.

Nov. 30: Saint Louis man found murdered in lonely pasture near Spring Gap Mountains ... Oklahoma professor probes old Indian campsites near Cross Cut ... Lt. Col. Wesley E. Peel, husband of the former Earline Silix of Cross Plains, wins hero's medal.

Dec. 7: Former Cross Plains couple, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown of McCamey, endow special study at McMurry College ... Wildcat oil strike made on Bonner-Cutbirth land.

Dec. 10: Ross J. Newton honored by four men from Texas plains, whom he taught as students 38 years ago ... Chuck Woody named to executive post by Masonic Lodge.

Dec. 17: Havoc wrought by worst ice storm in 18 years ... R. E. (Hick) Edgington loses 13 head of cattle, when animals eat treated cottonseed ... Freddy Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnston, accepts pastorate of Baptist Church at Pinkerton.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Millward Christmas Day were Mrs. Pearl Chrisman of Cisco, Mrs. Nettie Wilson of this place and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Fort Worth.

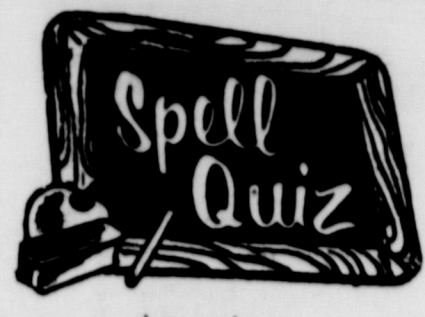
Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Childers spent Christmas day visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Browning in Boyd, Tex.

Gary Thomas, who is stationed at Fort Bliss with the Army, is spending a 10-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Thomas, here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Holland of Kerrville visited with her sisters, Mrs. Sam Barr and Mary Williams, here during the holidays. They also visited with friends and attended a party at the Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jones and family of Fort Worth spent Saturday and Sunday here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones. Weston Jones arrived here first of the week for a visit of several days.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bennett over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Baker and sons of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett and daughters of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Yow and sons of Mesquite, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat. H. Miller and sons of Amarillo.



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MAP MAKER RENTS HOME ON AVENUE E
Bobby King and little daughter have rented the home of Mrs. J. G. Sims on Avenue E, and are moving into the place. He is a cartographer with the U. S. Geodetic Survey and his daughter will be a grader here when school resumes next week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Peery of Denise of Midland visited and Mrs. Elmer Peery Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. George He and children, Marcia and Dora of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Boswell Burks and daughter Patti, of Abilene spent Christmas holidays here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burks. Marcia and Patti remained for a week's visit in the home of their grandparents.

THOMPSON HOME HOSTS GATHERING OF FAMILY

Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson were: Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ramey, Judy and Jerry and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ramey, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and children of Fort Worth, and the Pender Mitchell family of this city. Judy Ramey remained for a longer stay with her grandparents.

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