

## Tornado Slaps Meiron Place In Pioneer Area

None of the four persons sleeping at the Vincent Meiron place in the southeast part of the Pioneer community were injured early Sunday morning when an apparent tornado dipped there, doing considerable damage.

The apparently isolated incident in this region happened about 3:15 a.m. Sunday when a strong thunderstorm moved through this sector, featuring stout winds, vivid lightning display and some hail.

Mr. and Mrs. Meiron, their son Andy, and her mother, Era King of Abilene, were not injured although the house sustained some damage when electrical lines and meter box was pulled from the dwelling and eight rafters were snapped. The garage lost half its roof, and an old barn was demolished. Tin from an old hay shed was reportedly scattered up to a mile from its origin. Other damage included wrecked TV antennae and a destroyed yard fence.

Meiron said the experience was frightening, being loud and thrashing, while Mrs. Meiron said she heard the "freight train" noise usually attributable to a tornado.

Rainfall ranged from .75 of an inch to 1.30 inches, according to reports received by the Review. In Cross Plains two gauges reported .80 and .75 respectively. Alton Tatom at Atwell also reported that amount. Mrs. N. V. Gibbs at Rowden measured one inch, and J. T. Beggs reported 1.30 inches at Pioneer.

The moisture was again beneficial to grain crops and early gardens, and brings to 3.95 inches the total for 1982 received here.

## Cottonwood Musical Set Friday Night

The regular monthly musical sponsored by the Cottonwood Ladies Quilting Club is scheduled to be held Friday, March 19, at the Cottonwood Community Center.

Local musicians are invited to attend and share their talents. Everyone is invited to attend the admission-free event.

Refreshments will be available. Doors will open around 6:30 p.m. with music starting at 7 p.m.

## STEW SUPPER IS FEATURE OF PIONEER GAME NIGHT

Thursday, March 18, will again be game night in the Pioneer community. Gathering will be held at the Community Center with doors opening at 5:30 p.m. Menu will be a stew supper. Everyone is invited.

## FIRST BAPTISTS CONDUCT SERVICES AT REST HOME

The First Baptist Church will be in charge of the regular Sunday afternoon services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home March 21 at 3:30 p.m.

## Lovell Explains Homestead Tax Exemption Regulations

Tax relief for property tax purposes is available to Texas homeowners.

Albert Lovell, chief appraiser for the Callahan County Appraisal District, announced the availability of several residence homestead exemptions which can reduce the tax burden for homeowners who qualify. Beginning in 1982, a one-time application is required, and homesteads must meet the following qualifications:

As of January 1, 1982, the home must be owned by the person(s) claiming the exemption;

The home must be designed or adapted for human residence;

The home must actually be used as a residence; and

The home must be occupied as

the principal residence of an owner who qualified for the exemption.

A residence homestead is a structure, together with the land and improvements, which are used for residential purposes.

Mobile homes, if they meet the qualifications, can be claimed as a homestead even if they are on leased land.

"A taxpayer can still qualify for the exemptions even if a portion of his residence is used for other purposes, such as a business in the home," Lovell said. "Additionally, a homeowner will not lose the exemption if he temporarily moves away, provided

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## Austin Man Is Elected Officer Of Local Bank

At the February meeting of the Board of Directors of Citizens State Bank, John J. Sharpe was elected to the position of Vice-President and Cashier.

Sharpe comes to Citizens State Bank from Austin, Texas, where he was employed as auditor for Mitchell and Company, Bank Consultants. Prior to his employment with Mitchell & Company he was Cashier with First State Bank of Austin and Assistant Vice-President with Citizens National Bank, Austin.

John graduated from Stephen F. Austin High School at Austin, and attended Southwest Texas State College at San Marcos. He has served on the Board of Directors of Forgery Investigators Association of Texas and the Board of Governors of Austin Chapter A.I.B. He was past president of the Austin Chapter of Northeast Austin Lions Club.

John, who began his duties in Cross Plains Tuesday, March 9 and his wife, Susan, will be making their home in Cross Plains in the near future.

W. G. (Wimpy) McCoy, president of the Citizens State Bank, states "We feel most fortunate to

have a man of John's capabilities working with us, and we invite all of the bank's customers to stop by and get acquainted with him."

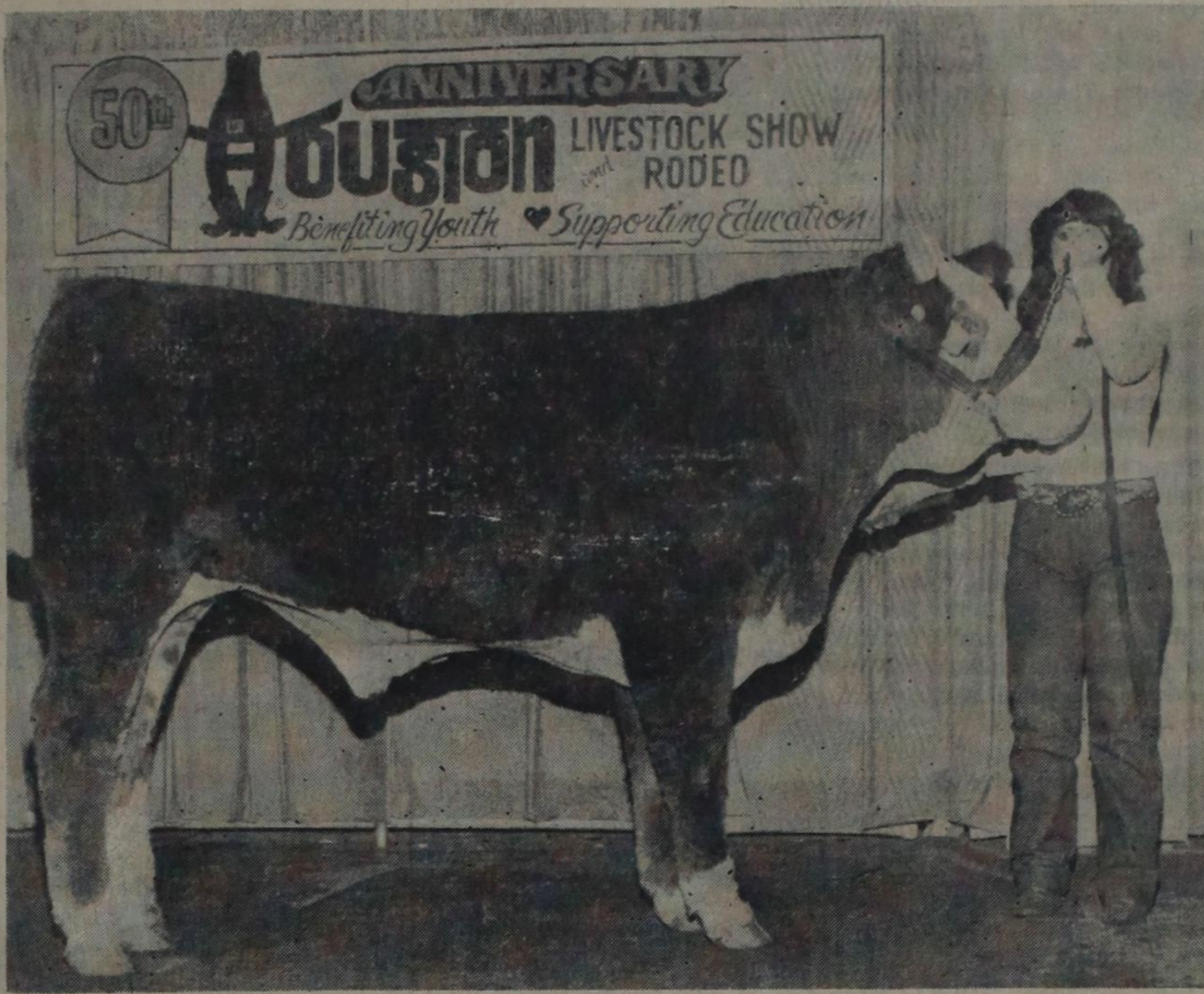
## T. C. Simpson Is Musical Emcee Here

The musical sponsored by the Cross Plains Senior Citizens is to be held Saturday, March 20, at the Multi-Purpose Center on East 8th Street. Starting time is 7 p.m.

Anyone who likes country and western music is invited to attend. It was pointed out by a spokesman of the group that the musical is not limited to just the senior citizens, but that everyone is invited.

The sponsors of the musical invite all musicians in this area to come and perform. T. C. (Turner) Simpson of the Cottonwood community will be the new emcee of the event.

There will be no admission charge. Refreshments of coffee, pie or cake will be on sale in the kitchen of the center.



**GOOD SHOWING** — Miss Kelli Hargrove is shown here with her lightweight Simmental steer which captured first place in its division of the Houston

Stock Show held recently. The 1,060-pound steer was judged the reserve champion of the show at the Callahan County Junior Livestock Show. Kelli is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim

Hargrove. The local elementary student received \$4 per pound at auction at Houston. Breeder of the animal was Bill Dillard and Sons of Cross Plains.

## New Lakewood Directors Seeking More Members

Lakewood Recreation Center members elected new directors in annual meeting February 23 including A. W. Griffin, Bill Medley and Lee Hughes of Rising Star, O. B. Edmondson, Dick Dillard, Dick Grider and Leo Thompson of Cross Plains.

New directors met March 9 to outline plans for carrying out another year of activities faced with ever-increasing costs of operating, maintaining and replacing equipment and facilities. "It can be done, but only with the help of the entire present and past members getting together and pledging themselves to a solid effort of getting and keeping an annual membership roster of 150 members," said Leo Thompson, president.

Effective immediately new members may join for the month-

ly fee of \$20. That will be for April, but will also include the balance of March, the president noted.

Thompson explained it is hoped the \$20 monthly fee will stand good through April only, but continued that if the 150 membership goal is reached the \$20 monthly fee can be continued. "Best way to keep the monthly fee at \$20 is for all workers to join on a yearly basis," Thompson stated. He continued that it is hoped those who have been joining for just the warm-weather season will feel a civic pride in helping keep all the facilities operating and in top condition.

"We're looking forward to another great year at Lakewood. Be a part of it. Call 725-7680, 725-7274 or 725-6697 in Cross Plains; 643-4082 or 643-4481 in Rising Star or the clubhouse 643-7792.

Thompson reminded that facilities for reunions are readily available. Call Mrs. Juanita Harlow at Lakewood early to make reservations.

## TOPS Club Elects New Officer Slate

New officers of TOPS Club will be installed at regular meeting Thursday night, March 25, and will begin responsibilities as officers Thursday, April 1.

The local club meets each Thursday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center on East 8th Street. Anyone interested in becoming a member may contact any officer or member of the club for more information.

New officers were elected Thursday night at the regular meeting of the Cross Plains TOPS Club for the ensuing year.

Elected as leader was Kayla (Pill) Key; co-leader, Barbara Dillard; secretary, Edith Beggs; treasurer, Debbie Gosnell and weight recorder, Sharolyn Walker. Appointed to the position of assistant weight recorder was L. Neal Worley.

## PRESERVATION OF FOOD, GARDENING PROGRAM SET

A program on home gardening and food preservation will be presented on Monday, March 22, from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in the County Courtroom at Baird.

Greg Gerngross, county extension agent, will present the program on home gardening, and Mrs. Jean Holland, extension agent from San Angelo, will present the program on food preservation.

## Library News Notes

Cross Plains Public Library was a busy place last week with a total of 175 books being circulated. A spokesman said, "You are invited to come in and browse. You are sure to find something of interest to every member of the family from light reading to your favorite hobby."

Memorials received by the library were for Mrs. Pearl Huckaby from Betty Browning, and for Mrs. George Barnard from Mr. and Mrs. Richard Purvis.

Gift books were received this week from Mrs. Robert Pinnell, Carolyn Wilson and Mary Ames.

## GOLF SCRAMBLE CARDED FOR LAKEWOOD SUNDAY

A golf scramble will be held Sunday, March 21, and each third Sunday thereafter at Lakewood Recreation Center. Starting time is 1:30 p.m.

## Senior VB Tourney Deadline Is Friday

Senior Class at Cross Plains High School is sponsoring a volleyball tournament for Thursday through Saturday, March 25, 26, 27.

Entry deadline is noon Friday, March 19. Fee is \$30 per team, and field will be limited to 12 women's teams and eight men's squads. Persons wishing to enter may call 725-6121 during school hours or Bob Winfrey at 725-6325 after hours.

## LAKEWOOD SLATES GOLF CLINIC FOR SATURDAY

A golf clinic will be held again this year at Lakewood Recreation Center starting at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, March 20, with Lou Grider teaching the fundamentals of golf.

Anyone interested in learning golf is invited to attend, and is asked to bring a 3 iron.

## SPACE SHORT THIS WEEK; SOME STORIES HELD OVER

Because of highly unusual run of advertising, space for news was shorter than normal this week, and some articles were withheld to be published next week.

Mrs. Cliff Kirkham, Alicia, Courtney, Whitney and Bay Kirkham visited in Spur Thursday and Friday with her mother, Alice Roby.

## 3 Arrests Made After Burglaries Last Week

Cross Plains and Baird Peace Officers have taken three persons into custody and filed charges on three local residents following burglaries of local businesses and

individual vehicles recently. Arrested and charged by Cross Plains Deputy Sheriff Frank Thumsuden, Baird Deputy Sheriff Mack West and Cross Plains City Marshal Tim Boren were Jon Schlittler, three counts of burglary; Eddie Rose, theft over \$200, and Billy Christenson, concealment of stolen property.

## Ruth Miner Receives Scholarship At H-S U

Ruth Miner recently received the Achievement Scholarship given by Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Miner is a senior majoring in social work and resides in Cross Plains. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Applin of this community, and her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Read Miner of Raymondville.

The Achievement Scholarship is presented to those students who were high scorers in college entrance exams, National Merit finalists or semi-finalists, or had the highest average in their graduating class in high school.

Hardin-Simmons is a multi-purpose university affiliated with the Baptist General Convention of Texas. It recently celebrated its 90th birthday as the oldest liberal arts institution in Abilene.

The charges were filed in Peace Justice L. P. Mitchell's court, but will be transferred to 42nd District Court for disposition.

Thus far most of the firearms and merchandise taken from the Cross Plains Higginbotham's store has been recovered. Other gun has also surfaced and recovered, according to Thumsuden.

The home of Mrs. Howard Cox was burglarized last November, and some things taken then are now in the process of being recovered.

Local lawmen are still working on the burglaries of several rifles taken from vehicles here. We hope to come up with more of the stolen items in our investigation," Thumsuden said.

## LAKEWOOD DINNER SLATED FOR MEMBERS ON TUESDAY

Monthly membership dinner at Lakewood Recreation Center will be held Tuesday, March 23, at the clubhouse. Starting time is 6:30 p.m.

All members are being urged to attend and enjoy the fellowship as well as the covered dish dinner that will be served.

Family members are being encouraged to bring prospective members.

For City Police or Emergency Medical Service phone 725-6666.

## Senior Employees Honored By 'Older Worker Week'

To recognize the importance of meaningful employment for senior Americans, the U. S. Department of Labor has announced March 14-21 as "Older Worker Week." Texas Farmers Union

Green Thumb, a rural senior employment program, is encouraging both public and private employers to join them in honoring older employees during this week.

Older Worker Week is an annual event designed to spotlight the valuable qualities of the mature worker. Green Thumb employs about 1,000 senior Texans in 107 counties. Sponsored by Texas Farmers Union, the program provides part-time work opportunities for people over 55 who are "loaned" to non-profit organizations to provide needed services in rural communities.

Green Thumb State Director Diane Parrish says, "Older workers value job security while younger workers tend to change jobs frequently. The fact that older Americans lived through the Great Depression while younger workers grew up in an affluent age perhaps affects the way each sees the need for security. Consequently, there seems to be less job dissatisfaction among older workers."

The increasing number of retirees returning to the workforce and employers' favorable receptiveness to their return is evidence of a changing trend in American society. Only a few years ago, 65 was considered to be the traditional retirement age. Mandatory retirement policies were accepted without question and complied with automatically by almost everyone. But today, 79% of workers age 55-64 and 73% of those over 65 say that they prefer at least part-time employment to total retirement according to a National Council on Aging Survey.

Sen. Richard Lugar (Ind.) says "For most Americans, work

means everything. It's a definition of our lives, the only way in which we serve others. To be cut off arbitrarily by law or regulation is devastating."

Surveys have shown that maximum intellectual function is achieved between the ages of 40 and 65. Older employees can evaluate tasks and project outcomes more accurately than can young workers. The wisdom gathered through experience would appear to account for this. Recognizing this fact, many employers are taking a second look at the mature worker when openings are available in their companies. John Deere (farm equipment manufacturer) hires retirees to guide 14,000 tourists that come to the plant yearly. Union Carbide, Connecticut General Life Insurance and Bankers Life and Casualty Company are among the growing number of businesses who are actively recruiting older employees.

"Hiring the experienced is good business," says Green Thumb Director Parrish. "Green Thumb helps locate jobs for older workers in the private job market," she says, "and when looking for openings, we find that the ticking off of birthdays is the least important measure of a person's true value to an employer."

Texas Farmers Union Green Thumb is an equal employment opportunity, affirmative action employer with a state office in Waco. For more information, contact Green Thumb, P. O. Box 7898, Waco, Texas 76714 (Phone (817) 776-4700).

Two Green Thumb Workers are employed with the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center. They are Dessa Higgins, who has been there 45 days after succeeding Mrs. T. O. Powell, and Verna Childers, who has been with the center about three years. Both are connected with the nutrition and transportation programs offered by the center.



**RUBEN ANDREWS PATIENT AT BIG SPRING HOSPITAL**

Ruben Andrews of Cross Plains was transferred last Friday to the Veterans Administration Hospital at Big Spring. He was reported to be seriously ill at that time, according to word from his sister, Mrs. Martin Landolt of this city. He recently suffered a heart attack and a stroke. The local man had been a pa-

tient at the Callahan General Hospital at Baird nearly two weeks before the transfer Friday.

Mrs. Robby Bailey visited in Ranger Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Huffman of Boyd and her brother, Randy, who attends college there.

**Cottonwood News**

By Beverly Brown

A spring storm of high winds, thunder, lightning, small size hail and from three - fourths to 1 inch of rain fell on the community around 3 a.m. Sunday, March 14. The rains will be a great boost to the gardens most of the folks got in this past week.

The Cottonwood musical is this Friday night, March 19. Everyone is invited to attend to enjoy the great country-western music entertainment, which is furnished by guests and local talent. Refreshments will be on sale in the cafeteria. There is no admission fee charged for the musical. To the ladies of our community, your donations of sandwiches and pies will be appreciated to help make the evening a big success. The proceeds from the donations go toward the expenses in helping with the building upkeep. The doors of the Cottonwood Community Center will open at 6 p.m. and the musical entertainment begins at 7 p.m.

The Cottonwood Baptist Church will hold its revival March 29 through April 4. Rev. Paul Simpson, pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist Church of Miami, Okla., will be the evangelist. Rev. Simpson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Turner Simpson of Cottonwood. The services will begin at 7:30 p.m. Nursery services will be provided. Members of the congregation will conduct and lead the music services.

It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kelly. Misty Michelle was born on Friday, March 12, weighing in at seven pounds and 3 ounces; time of arrival was 6:09 a.m. She has a brother, Coby, almost 2 years, to welcome her home. Janice and Misty were released from the Graham Hospital this Monday morning. Congratulations, Jim and Janice. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Clark of Cross Plains and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly of Cottonwood.

Welcome to the community Mr. and Mrs. Craig Rogers and Craig, Jr., former residents of Tomball. Craig and Carol moved in their mobile home across from the old Cottonwood Post Office in down-

town Cottonwood. Mrs. Curtis Hines and Jeffrey of Brownwood spent several days this past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson, while Curtis was on a trip to Las Vegas, Nevada to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hines and Mr. and Mrs. William Hines and children of Montana who were there visiting.

Mrs. Thelma Griffin of Littlefield, sister-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Griffin, is spending this week with them.

Mrs. Mel (Wanda) Hammell and her daughter, Mrs. Sandy Bohling and Jason of Schertz, is visiting with Wanda's sisters and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers were in Cisco last Monday a week ago and visited with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards. On Wednesday night, Harry and Naomi Childers and Denise visited with his parents, Aubrey and Virginia Childers of Abilene spent Sunday afternoon with the folks. The group went over to Aubrey and Virginia's place to check the trees and crops they put out and took a ride through the countryside.

Those visiting with Mrs. Jessie Wilcoxon on Saturday night were Violet and Roy Edwards and Frank and Naomi Wilcoxon and children of Cisco.

Rev. Ernest McCoy filled the pulpit at the Church of Christ this past Sunday. Jerry visited with him. Both of the gentlemen are from Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Joy visited the services on Sunday. Rodney Renfro came out Sunday to pick up his grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Anderson, and take her to Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro where the family gathered for Sunday dinner and had a birthday party for Rod. Rod received four birthday cakes; that is just great, some folks are lucky to get one his grandmother reported. Members of the family attending were his daughters, Carrie and Sonya, Mrs. Ethel Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Sowell, Matthew, Mandy and Melissa, Mrs. Madge Stacy and Jerry and Rufus.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro came out to see her mother, Mrs. Ethel Anderson. On Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Maureen Strahan, Gloria and LeAnn stopped by.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Prown were in Dallas this past Monday on business and met with Mr. R. Kelly and Mr. E. Shipp.

Visitors at the Cottonwood Quilting Club two weeks ago were Wanda Bruton of Fort Worth and Bessie Eudaley of Clyde.

We just received word that Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Sanders of Irving are parents of a 9 pound, 8 ounce boy. He was born at 4:53 p.m. He was named Rex Alan. He has a brother at home, Ricky. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Isabell of this community, and paternal grandmother is Mrs. Sally Sanders of Weinert.

Kevin Carl Nickerson of Houston was honored with a birthday party Saturday afternoon at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Nickerson, Sr. on the occasion of his second birthday. The honoree is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson, Jr. of Houston.

Guests were Willie III and Mary Jo Nickerson, Amie Franke, Rickie Jo and Porcious, Jeffrey Hines, Roxanne Kingery, Judy and Jody White, Jason Bohling, Coby Kelly and Keith Kelly. Parents and relatives attending were Mrs. Annette Nickerson, Mrs. Kathy Franke, Mrs. Connie Potter, Mrs. Deana Hines, Mrs. Jeanette Kingery, Mrs. Joella White, Mrs. Wanda Hammel, Mrs. Sandra Bohling and grandmother, Mrs. Dena Nickerson.

**ATTEND MEETING OF LOCAL SORORITY MARCH 8**  
Alpha Rho Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the Southern Savings and Loan building Monday, March 8, for regular meeting. Ten members, five pledges and an advisor were present.

Members present were Connie Kirkham, Mary Alice Ames, Debbie Childers, Dora Smith, Vondell Bailey, Wanda Merryman, Debbie Reed, Minerva Morales, Joyce McCoy, Naoma Wilson and advisor, Ann Long. Pledges were Kathy Word, Doris Dominy, Louella Parrish, Mary Parrish and Peggy Bailey.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. McCoy and Mrs. Kirkham.

**Pioneer News Items**

By Mabel Halsell

Having visitors and attending birthday celebrations have left little time to write a column this week. A foreword will be a quote from a letter of greeting from President Ronald Reagan to young people of our nation who show interest, devotion and concern for our country:

"I advise you, regardless of the kind of career you are interested in pursuing to study hard at school. True success is built on a good education . . . I urge you to become involved in your schools, at your places of worship and in your community. You are never too young to make a commitment to help others."

"I personally welcome your help and support in our efforts to create a better America with the help of each and every individual and with the blessings of God. I know we will be successful in building a brighter future for this generation and for generations to come."

Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Beggs and girls of Lometa spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beggs. They celebrated Mr. Beggs' birthday Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Beggs with a dinner of turkey and dressing and all the trimmings.

J. T. and Betty visited Mary Ann and Mack Taff in Pioneer on Wednesday. Billy Zirkle of Rising Star visited Mr. and Mrs. Beggs recently.

Mrs. Ethel Brown's visitors were her nephew, Eddie King, of Colorado City, Janell Purvis of Sabanno, Mr. and Mrs. Dean of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Tillotson and their visitors from Iowa.

Hiram Foster's brother, Boyd Foster, is critically ill in the Baird hospital. Mr. Foster lived in Cross Plains before moving to Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Michael of Independence, Iowa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Cole Tillotson from Thursday to Monday. They were en route home from Mercedes, where they have been vacationing.

Mrs. Sherry Bennett and baby of Cross Plains, Mrs. Truitt Parsons of Pioneer; Rev. and Mrs.

Stan Coleman and baby, his brother of San Antonio; Mrs. Laquita Rankin, Pioneer; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morris, Stephenville, and Mrs. Emma Kent were visitors with Alma and Josie Morris during the week.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sessums were Mr. and Mrs. David Witherspoon of Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Barton and Mrs. Dorothy Zedlitz of Pioneer, Mr. and Mrs. Zedlitz are in the process of building a log residence on their place in the Pioneer community.

Dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Parsons were Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hutton, Robbie and Robert, Mrs. Lynn Hutton and Brandy visited Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hutton had lunch with Homer and Wanetta Parsons on Tuesday. Another recent visitor with the Parsons was Charles Butler of Cross Plains. Homer and Wanetta visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Champion Saturday afternoon.

Wanetta reports that Mrs. Danny Hutton is recovering real well from burns received in an oven explosion recently.

Thomas and Debra, children of Don and Fran Sooter of Abilene, visited their grandmother, Mrs. W. B. Sooter, during the week end.

Mrs. Weldon Lee of Rising Star visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming were

avored with a visit by her niece, Mrs. Clint Kniffen, of Jal, N. M., recently. Other visitors were Julie Floyd from Brady, who visited with Jim and Charlene Fleming while she was there Alicia Fleming, Jerry's daughter, and Bret Ashley of Pampa, visited the Flemings during the week end.

Charles and Lou Rodenberger of Bryan and David Taylor of Denton are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Halsell. Their other visitors for the week end were Diana Taylor, and Louann 3at esand children, Kristopher and Kris, of San Angelo and Sue Taylor of Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole Tillotson hosted a birthday luncheon in their home for Mrs. A. C. (Mabel) Halsell. Other guests were Mr. Halsell, Mrs. Clara Coburn of Cross Plains and Edwin Erwin of Sabanno community. (Birthdays are great when celebrated in such a beautiful way.)

Visitors with Mrs. Annie Laurie Alexander this week end were Dick Cullers and wife, Joe and granddaughter, Marka Fambro, of Breckenridge and her grandson, Jim, and family of Richardson.

Glenda Phillips reports that her father, Alonzo Boyd, is a resident of Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains. His room number is 18. He will enjoy visits any time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Barton visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sessums Sunday; also her brother, W. G. Reed, in Rising Star.

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| 7 — PLAIN         | \$2.10 |
| 8 — HAM           | \$2.50 |
| 9 — CHEESE        | \$2.25 |
| 10 — HAM & CHEESE | \$2.60 |
| 11 — SPANISH      | \$2.75 |

#### Pancakes

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| 12 — STACK       | \$1.10 |
| 13 — SHORT STACK | .95    |

#### Side Orders

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| 14 — HAM              | \$1.25 |
| 15 — BACON            | \$1.00 |
| 16 — SAUSAGE          | \$1.00 |
| 17 — HASH BROWNS      | .50    |
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| 19 — TOAST            | .50    |

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**FOR STATE SENATOR,**  
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Legislative District 64  
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42nd Judicial District  
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Pd. Pol. Adv. by Cubelle L. Harris, Baird, Texas 79004

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Precinct 4  
**E. F. (Franzel) ODOM**  
(Re-Election)  
Pd. Pol. Adv. by E. F. (Franzel) Odom, Cross Plains, Texas 76443.

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Brown County, Precinct 2  
**EUGENE PALLETTE**  
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# Burkett News Items

By Freeda Burkett

The community suppers will begin this Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. This will be the first one this year and we hope everyone will plan to be present. Bring a salad and sweet or vegetable and meat and enjoy the supper and fellowship together. Entertainment will be furnished.

The committee for this supper is composed of Sterling and June Walker, Virgil and Freeda Burkett, Lillian Brown, Virgie Adams, Delbert and Emma Boyle and Raymond and Lucille Cross.

For the suppers to be enjoyable it takes the cooperation of everyone, so do make plans to join your friends and neighbors for an enjoyable evening.

We want to remind everyone of Burkett-Adams Cemetery Memorial Service Sunday, May 30. We are very fortunate to have Furman Kearly, minister of the local Church of Christ to be speaker for the occasion. This is being printed early to help those living away from here that they might have more time to make their plans. It will be reported later when final plans have been completed.

Li Golson and her daughter, Michelle Wilkovich of San Angelo went to Waco for the week end. Their mission was to "show off" the 44-month-old Stafford. They returned Sunday evening after having a successful trip.

We also want to remind everyone of the fast approaching day for our school homecoming. It is set for Sunday, June 13, that being the second Sunday in June. No details concerning this very important event has been learned yet, but it will be reported when plans are complete.

Following is a list of donations to the Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association. Claudia C. George \$4, Mrs. Ona Evans \$5, in memory of Reuben Knight; Thelma Younglove Butler and Helen Younglove Florey, \$50 each; Lanette Burns and R. C. Baker (C. D. Baker estate), \$25 each; Mrs. Billy Pace \$15, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Harris \$10, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Burton \$10 and Mrs. Juanita Holman \$20. These three, all of Aransas Pass and gifts in memory of Mrs. Mozelle Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rhoads \$10 in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Burkett.

All these generous gifts are appreciated very much and will be used for the upkeep of the cemeteries.

Sterling and June Walker were in Crane over the week end. They spent Saturday night with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Cox and Mrs. Cox's (Norma Jean) mother, Mrs. Beulah Adams. Sterling did the preaching Sunday morning and evening for the Church of Christ there.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Walker were in Temple Tuesday for his regular check-up at the hospital. Lillian Brown also went for her check-up at Scott and White Clinic Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Porter were honored Saturday with a housewarming.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Edmondson were visitors here Monday. They also visited his sister and husband, Paul and Mary Golson most of the day.

Hap Bearden is in Washington state to attend the wedding of his granddaughter this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Adams of Houston were visitors of his mother, Mrs. Virgie Adams the past week.

We are happy that those who have been on our sick list are feeling better. Raymond Cross is at home after spending several days in Brownwood Regional Hospital for tests and medication. Lillian Brown is able to be up and out since spending some time at Scott and White Clinic in Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Young of Zephyr and Mrs. Ona Evans were luncheon and afternoon guests of Virgil and Freeda Burkett Sunday.

Mrs. Eula Hunter was feeling bad Sunday. Visitors in her home that day were Mrs. Furman Kearly, Mrs. Ona Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunter.

Several members of the DeBusk family got together last Saturday at the home of E. L. and Lois Garrett in Cross Plains honoring their niece, Frankie Sortland of Temple. Others present were the Bill Davees of Burkett, Veda DeBusk of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Angeley of Lake Brownwood.

Sympathy goes to the family of Mrs. C. C. Gould of Coleman who passed away last week and burial was in the Burkett Cemetery Sat-

## D. J. Perkins Rites Held Here Friday

Funeral for D. J. Perkins, 83, of Plano, formerly of Cross Plains and Rising Star, was held at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel here.

Mr. Perkins, former peanut farmer, dairyman and Cross Plains businessman, died Tuesday night of last week in a Plano nursing home.

Officiating the final rites was the Rev. Dick Williams, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Rising Star.

Burial was in the Rising Star Cemetery.

Born Oct. 24, 1898, at Midland, he married Mabel Bills at McGregor Dec. 26, 1920. She died Oct. 25, 1979. Mr. Perkins was a peanut farmer and dairyman in the Rising Star area and ran a laundry in Cross Plains. He had served on the Eastland County PMA Committee for a number of years. He also served a term on the Rising Star School Board. Mr. and Mrs. Perkins came here from Rising Star in 1961, but moved to McKinney in July 1977. Later they moved to Plano.

Survivors include three sons, David J., Jr. of Santa Clara, Calif., Clifton Leon of Wilmington, Calif., and Paul Robert of Plano; a daughter, Mary Ethel Norman of Flemington, Mo.; a brother, U. L. Murphy of San Antonio; a sister, Vina White of Springtown; 12 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were E. F. Odom, Charlie Grider, Jess Harris, Mack Childers, Jimmielee Payne and W. M. Stansbury.

## Son Of Local Couple Is Fatally Stricken

Funeral was held at 11 a.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church in Alpine for Joe Douglas Hicks of Alpine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Hicks of Cross Plains and Department of Public Safety trooper.

Hicks, 40, was dead upon arrival at the Alpine Memorial Hospital at 3 a.m. Friday after suffering an apparent heart attack at his home.

Born March 11, 1941, in Eastland County, he was a police officer in Abilene from 1964 until entering the DPS Academy at Austin in 1967. He was a DPS officer in Pecos before moving to its Alpine office 13 years ago.

Survivors include his wife; twin sons, Bradley J. and Kyle D., both of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hicks of Cross Plains; two brothers, Al of Clyde and Gene of Rising Star; and two sisters, Betty Locker of New Mexico and Sally Roady of Cross Plains.

## FUNERAL FOR G. S. DUNN HELD IN WACO FRIDAY

Funeral services were held in Waco Friday for G. S. Dunn, brother-in-law of Mrs. Earl Montgomery of this city. Mr. Dunn was a cement contractor and was 72 at the time of his death.

Mrs. Montgomery and her daughters, Betty Montgomery of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welch and son attended the rites.

## Couple Known Locally Become Parents Of Son

Dickie and Faye Tucker of Abilene have become the parents of a son by adoption. Richard Keith Tucker was born February 20 and weighed 6 pounds and 14 ounces and was 20 inches long at birth.

Maternal grandfather is Bob Hodnett of the Pioneer community, and paternal grandparents are Cloia and Sterling Tucker of Abilene.

Out-of-town folk were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stewart, Matt and Nete, and Miss Connie Walker of Cleburne. Local people were two grandmothers, Doris Ann McBride and Esthloy Dickson; also great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Callaway, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Callaway, Valerie and Marty; Mrs. Rocky Callaway and Kenny, Cheryl Gay and friend, Brandy.

## MRS. W. A. BALKUM PATIENT AT BROWNWOOD HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. A. Balkum, former longtime resident of Cross Plains who now resides in a Rising Star home, is a patient in Brownwood Regional Hospital. She has been undergoing tests and treatment since last Friday. Her room number is 418.

## K. W. JORDAN UNDERGOES SURGERY AT COMANCHE

K. W. (Kenneth) Jordan of Cross Plains underwent surgery last Friday at a Comanche hospital. The Cross Plains businessman is reported recovering normally, but is expected to remain in the hospital a few more days.

## H. A. FREEMAN HOME AFTER EMERGENCY SURGERY

H. A. Freeman returned to his home in this community late Monday after undergoing emergency surgery at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene Wednesday of last week. He is reported recovering exceptionally well, but must limit activities for a time.

## DAUGHTER IS BORN TO COUPLE KNOWN LOCALLY

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Terry R. Smith of the Dudley community Friday, March 12, in Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

The young lady weighed 8 pounds and was 18 inches long at birth at 4 a.m. She has been named Tina R. She has a big brother, Travis, age 3.

## Paternal Grandparents Are Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Smith of Dudley

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jay Poindexter of near Clyde.

Mrs. Loyd (Vernie) McMillan of Cross Plains is maternal great-grandmother, and Mrs. J. M. (Amy) McMillan of this city is maternal great-great-grandmother.

## ESTHLOY DICKSON HOSTESS TO NUMEROUS VISITORS

Visitors in the home of Esthloy Dickson here last week were Mr. and Mrs. Hap Quackenbush of Maryland and Marion Haller of California. Arleen and Marion are daughters of the late Cleveland McDonald.

Others were Mrs. Dickson's sisters, Bernice Carter of Cisco and Opal Cox of Breckenridge. Also on Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stewart, Matt and Nete, and Miss Connie Walker of Cleburne.

## Numerous local friends also visited Mrs. Dickson last week.

Mrs. Clint Kniffen of Jal, N. M., visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Watson, here last Friday.

## Visitors in the Merritt Dill home during the past week included Mrs. Ila Vee Lane of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shanks of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Landers of Clyde and Mrs. Dill's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gardner of Rising Star, as well as the following from this community: Mrs. Osa Gattis, L. A. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Baize, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pinnell, Alton McCowen, E. K. Coppinger, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ringhoffer, Sr. and Vida Paige.

## Visiting here during the week end with Mrs. Jack Watkins were Dr. and Mrs. Richey of McAllen, Vickie Montinolla of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Watkins of Eastland and Don Watkins of Waco.

## Mr. and Mrs. Steve Franke, Chad and Brooke of Smithville visited here during the week end and the first part of the week with her mother, Destene Morgan and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Franke and children and other relatives and friends.

## LAKEWOOD RECREATION CENTER MEMBERS

You are needed and urged to attend the fourth Tuesday night covered dish supper, next Tuesday, March 23, at 7 p.m. Be there to help us make plans for another exciting season at Lakewood Recreation Center.

## Clasp Envelopes at Review.

## —Paid Adv.

### CARD OF THANKS

Thank you friends for your concern for me since I have been ill. The cards, the plants, phone calls, visits and especially your prayers are deeply appreciated. Thanks once again. Cal and Thelma Long.

### CARD OF THANKS

Thank you for your thoughtfulness upon the loss of our loved one, Leo Marion (Tyson) Hardt. The cards, calls, beautiful flowers, memorial gifts, food, and your words of concern have been a source of comfort to us. Each act of kindness is sincerely appreciated.

Dr. Henry B. Hardt, Dr. and Mrs. David Hardt, Bruce and Cheryl, Mrs. Janet Dominey, Mark and Beth, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Tyson, Garrette R. Fomby.

### CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all of our friends who sent flowers and came so far to be with us during the services of my sister.

Love to all of you, Bill and Dutch Brown.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to each who remembered H. A. while he was in the hospital. The cards, visits, calls and thoughtfulness of you all is genuinely appreciated. Especially are we grateful for your prayers.

H. A. & Billie Freeman.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank each and every one who came to see me at the hospital, those who sent all the beautiful flowers and cards, for the prayers and especially for all the ministers of Cross Plains who visited me and offered prayers. Your expressions of faith and love helped me very much during my time in the hospital, and will cheer me in years to come. Cross Plains and Cottonwood have the best people living in the world. Thanks and may God bless each of you in my prayer.

Chuck and Dottie B. Woody.

### CARD OF THANKS

How do you express your gratitude to a community that so freely responds to your needs?

To the nurses of Colonial Oaks Nursing Home who steadfastly ministered to our wife and mother; to the churches that are so faithful with their worship services; to the singers and Bible study leaders who brightened her life; to the many people who befriended her; to the ones who sent cards, flowers, and furnished food, we ask that God bless each of you in a very special way.

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**MRS. CHUCK WOODY IS HOME AFTER HAVING SURGERY**  
 Mrs. Chuck (Dottie B.) Woody returned to her home in Cross Plains last Friday after undergoing surgery in an Abilene hospital on March 4. She is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

**Willing Workers News Notes**

By Lessie Baum

We had 10 members and one visitor, Winnie Flippin, at last week's meeting. We were also glad to have Jo Boatright back with us.

Friends of Imogene Cox will be glad to know Myrtle Kirkham received a letter from her and that she is doing nicely. She reads our news each week and says she enjoys it. Thanks, Imogene. Myrtle and Jay Kirkham visited George and Eunice Pointer Wednesday night.

Jackie Davidson visited Ava Lee Swain Wednesday afternoon.

Jessie and Eric Carter spent Wednesday in Brownwood. Winnie Flippin visited Eunice Pointer. She also attended Marie Long's funeral.

Mildred and W. M. Stansbury spent Wednesday in Abilene visiting their daughters, Marlene and Johnny Cowan and Sharon and Jack Fry and children.

Winnie Flippin visited her son, Freddy, Annette and son in Abilene last week.

Eunice Pointer visited Winnie Flippin Wednesday morning. They made aloe vera juice.

Velma Brown, Novella and Cleo Barton and Bill Koenig visited Jay and Myrtle Kirkham Wednesday.

Lessie and Jim Baum visited Bill and Katie Kilgore Thursday night.

Kathryn Wyatt returned home Thursday after spending several days in Austin with Billy Wyatt while his mother, Sherri, was in Houston with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hounshell visited his mother, Blanche Hounshell, Thursday evening here.

Lessie and Jim Baum visited Dub and Mildred Arledge for a while Sunday afternoon.

Steve Thornton visited Jay and Myrtle Kirkham two evenings this past week.

Linda and Carroll Pringle visited Jessie and Eric Carter Sunday afternoon.

**Funeral Friday For Local Lady's Sister**

Funeral service was held at 3 p.m. Friday at the Robert Lee Baptist Church for Emma Lee Box of Robert Lee, sister of Mrs. Bill (Dutch) Brown of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Box died at 2:30 a.m. Thursday at San Angelo Community Hospital.

The Rev. Roy Epperson officiated, assisted by the Rev. John Reynolds of the First Methodist Church and James Paden of Church and James Paden of Abilene.

She was born March 4, 1919, at Bronte, where she attended school. She married V. M. Box Sept. 18, 1937, at Bronte. The couple lived in several Texas cities before returning to Robert Lee in 1970.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Frank of Odessa; five daughters, Jo Smith and Valerie Jacobs, both of Pasadena, Carolyn Casey of Robert Lee, Lavada Churchill of Nacogdoches and Debbie Kattner of Deer Park; a brother, Isaac Eubanks of Balingier; four sisters, Dutch Brown of Cross Plains, Lavada Smith, Ruby Hearn and Juanita Trimble, all of Robert Lee; 15 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Sons-in-law were pallbearers.

Mr. and Mrs. Audie Moore of Cisco, former minister of the Church of Christ here visited recently with Dessa Higgins.

**BABY BOY BORN FRIDAY TO COUPLE KNOWN HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Huffman of Alto are the proud parents of a son born Friday, March 12, at 1:05 p.m. in a Nacogdoches hospital.

He weighed 6 pounds and 10 ounces, and was 21 inches long at birth. The couple named their first child, Drew Steven.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelley of Garland, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Huffman of Boyd, formerly of Cross Plains.

Great-grandparents include Mrs. O. D. Huffman of Itasca and Marie Pery of Hawaii.

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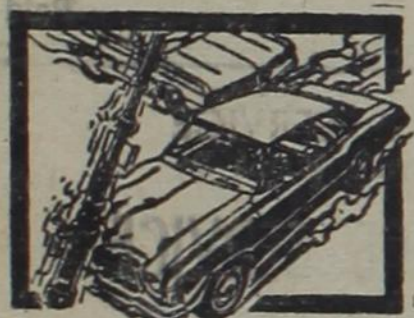
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 Mrs. Lizzie Furry  
 Howard Lee  
 Bill Hoover  
 Dane Kay Richardson  
 Howard Phillips

MARCH 21  
 Linda Whitton Hill  
 Wesley Markham  
 Jim Hutchins  
 Mrs. Grace Fortune  
 Lisa Vaught  
 Laura Ann Baum  
 Wesley Banks  
 Selena Twiner

MARCH 22  
 Barbara Strickland  
 Brenda Newton  
 Marie Starr  
 Robert Ringhoffer  
 Elmer Simons  
 Debby Scott

MARCH 23  
 Kelly Gardner  
 Anna Jo McLain  
 Diana Purvis Stover  
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## Rowden Sector News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs  
The Gibbs gauge measured an inch of rain early Sunday morning. This cloud was not a tornado, but the rain was accompanied by hail and constant lightning.

Field plowing will start as soon as the ground dries out. Gardens will be planted and weeds in the yard are growing fast.

Raymond Gibbs entered the Baird hospital again last week for medical treatment.

Visitors in the Jimmy West home Sunday were the Richard McClesky family of Stephenville.

Those visiting in the Gene Mauldin home were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and sons, Douglas and Kenneth of Denton Valley. On Wednesday their daughter, Irene Masters of Snyder arrived to spend two days with them during spring break when she was not teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrell spent the week end in Midland with her friend Terri Campbell. The couple's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Newberry and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrell of Abilene were baby sitters for their granddaughter, Melissa Leigh Harrell in their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson were in Abilene Monday night attending a science fair.

Those visiting Lizzie Burks and Emma Johnson during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Buren Burks of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lowry and the Lynn Lawrence family of Abilene; also Bonnie Freeman of Lubbock. The group had visited Alice Wills in the Eastland hospital.

Tonya Steele spent a night last week with Nikki Barron.

Julie Dye spent the week end with Staci Schlatter. The Schlatters returned her home and had a visit in the Bob Dye home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele and children, Tonya, Bill and Connie, visited the Lee Jernigan family at

Lake Prector Friday afternoon.

Sunday visitors in the James Reynolds home were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffin of Clyde. They also attended church services with James and Dorothy in Cross Plains.

Those coming for dinner and visiting in the Sterling Odom home were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trevey, David, Scott and Jennifer of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer and son Michael of Clyde and Ivon Odum.

Mrs. Don Harrell and daughter Leigh were in Clyde Monday, visiting Don and Barbara McDonald.

## Lovell Explains

(Continued from page 1)

ed that he intends to return and does not claim a homestead elsewhere."

Various types of homestead exemptions exist. Applications for any must be filed with the chief appraiser after January 1 and before May 1.

School districts grant a \$5,000 general homestead exemption to all qualified homeowners. A \$10,000 school homestead exemption is offered to citizens 65 years or older and to disabled persons.

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An exception to this would be the addition of an improvement, including repairs or general maintenance. In that case, the value of the new improvement would be taxed at the current rate and added to the previous tax ceiling to create a new ceiling.

Counties offer a \$3,000 general homestead exemption to all taxpayers. This exemption can be granted only on the portion of the county tax levied for farm-to-market roads/flood control.

For more information homeowners should contact the Calahan County Appraisal District at Baird, telephone (915) 854-1165.

## CAL LONG RETURNS HOME FROM HOSPITAL SUNDAY

C. O. (Cal) Long returned to his home in Cross Plains Sunday after undergoing surgery in the Veterans Administration Hospital at Temple March 9. He is recovering splendidly.

On March 16, Pauline Jones McAnally Morris entered this world like a ray of sunshine to all those whose lives she touched. She left us but she is not gone, she is only away for the love she gave us is with us still.

Calvin Morris  
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## Trustees To Review Personnel Thursday

School Board of Cross Plains ISD will sit in regular session Thursday, March 18, at the workroom of the high school. Starting time will be 7:30 p.m.

Among top priority agenda items is personnel.

Supt. M. Lee Thompson released the following agenda for the session after prayer and minutes, appraisal district, select auditor resolution on delinquent taxes contract on vocational ag land lease, textbook adoptions, State Fire Marshal report, request for use of school facility, school buses, bus routes, bus barn, personnel (executive session), review board policy book, superintendent's report, financial report, pay bills, adjourn.

## VB Tourney Carded Here On Week End

Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club is sponsoring a volleyball tournament Thursday through Saturday.

Play will begin at 5:30 p.m. Thursday and Friday at Buffalo Gymnasium and at 5 p.m. for Saturday's finals. Seven feminine and four male units will battle in championship and consolation brackets.

Brackets will be ready Wednesday, according to Athletic Director Mack McConal, and playing time and opponent may be obtained then by calling Jean McWilliams or McConal.

Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students. Concession stand will be open.

Trade At Home — Save Money

## Wednesday Rites For Nona A. Pillans, 91

Funeral service is scheduled to be held at 10 a.m. today, Wednesday, at the First Baptist Church for Nona Ann Pillans.

Mrs. Pillans, 91, who has lived in Cross Plains 30 years, died at 1:30 p.m. Monday at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene.

The Rev. Burlie W. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church here, will officiate the final rites. Burial will be in the Atwell Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of this city.

Born March 8, 1891, in Limestone County, she married Benjamin P. Pillans Oct. 17, 1909, in Atwell. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Two daughters, Pat Morgan and Opal Morgan, preceded her in

death.  
Survivors include seven daughters, Valerie Rouse and Destine Morgan, both of Cross Plains, Dixie McPherson of Baird, Roxie Fletcher of Dallas, Nona Velota of Midland and Glenna Kirkham of Moore, Okla.; three sons, Benja of Abilene, Leonard of Houston, and Coleman of Lubbock; 31 grandchildren; 55 great-grandchildren; and 18 great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were to be pallbearers.

Mrs. W. Gray and Mrs. W. C. Gibson, both of San Antonio, spent from Tuesday through Thursday morning here in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King.

## LOCAL LADIES VB TEAM NABS SECOND AT BANGS

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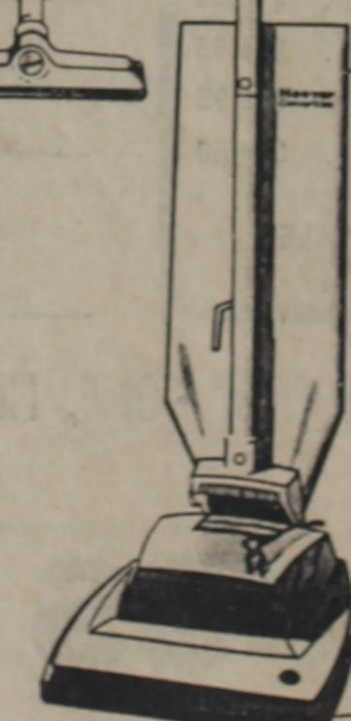
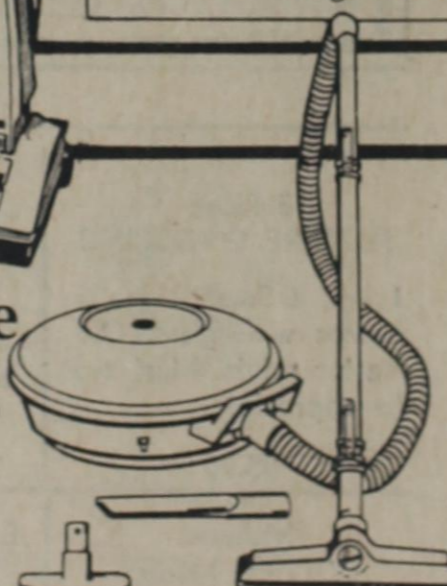
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