

Pee Wee Basketball Season Is Wrapped Up By Official

By Kay Horan
(Editor's Note: following is a continuation of the story begun last week about the final action and standing team members and comments on the season.)

The team standings, team name, coach, assistant coach, and players are listed below:
Girls Champions: Mighty Maroons, Raymond Franke, Kathy Purvis, Brenda Franke, Terri

Abernathy, Tracy Erwin, Msti Pirtle, Ange Purvis, Cheryl Toothaker, Stephanie Knott and Jennifer Goble.

Second Place: Yellow Jackets, Lydia Williams, Amy Foller, Rachel Aiken, Jennifer Wheeler, Liz Cavanaugh, Janet Hartman, Erinda Cortez, Tonya Steele, Nicky Barron and Sherry Williams.

Third place: Red Hearts, Nelda Pancake, Sandy Golson, Tresha Albrecht, Kayla Cupit, Angela Flippin, Pam Glover, Jennifer Johnston, Russchelle Wise, and Margie Wright.

Fourth Place: Blue Globetrotters, Connie Kirkham, Sandia Jones, Lori Lavender, Courtney Kirkham, Jamie Jones, Carie Renfro, Michelle McNutt, Sonya Renfro, Stephanie Yates and Tracy Newmar.

There was a tie for champions in the boys' games and they are as follows:

Boys Co-Champions: Blue Demons, Max Thetford, Ricky White, Maxy Thetford, Kenny Horan, Kyle Foster, Cody Pancake, Dustin Bates, Carlisle Albrecht, and Michael Cowan.

Boys Co-Champions Green Machine, Jim Brown, Randy Walker, Jody Brown, Colby Walker, Brian Sibley, Michael Eppard, Chris Key, Brad Morgan, Jason Rutledge and Justin Whitsitt.

Second Place: Red Rebels, Vaughn Pirtle, Freddie Johnston, Travis Jordan, Travis Shaw, Matt Cowell, Regin Stover, Michael Umbarger, Dustin Hinyard, Brandon Smith, Billy Brown and Roger Rudloff.

Third Place: Maroon Goons, Larry Melson, Ted McKeehan, Justin Melson, Shawn McKeehan, Gary McNutt, Scott Autrey, Danny Barnett, Johnny Pointer, Larry Wright, George Tijerina, David McKenzie and Justin McKenzie.

I would once again like to thank those who helped make this season a success. I am referring to the Referees, David "Moses" Kanady and Terrell Harris, who withstood quite a lot of unnecessary abuse from a spectator for three weeks. They proved that acting like an adult does not necessarily come with age. I was behind them all the way as were the coaches and the entire audience. Also, I want to thank Sandy Yates and Sandra McKeehan for contributing their time to run the concession and door. I would also like to thank the school and especially Richard Purvis and Jean McWilliams for their kind assistance. Also, thank you parents for letting your children participate in the Pee Wee Basketball Program.

In reference to the article in "Carolyn's Corner" written by Lydia Williams and criticizing the "League Officers", I would like to clear up the confusion and let everyone know she was referring to me, Kay Horan, since I am the only League Officer. We had a great year and again, I appreciate everyone who helped.

The Man in the Glass
When you get what you want in your struggle for self
And the world makes you king for a day
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And see what that man has to say.
For it isn't your father or mother or wife
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The fellow whose verdict counts most in your life
Is the one staring back from the glass.
Some people may think you a straight-shootin' chum
And call you a wonderful guy, but the man in the glass says you're only a bum
If you can't look him straight in the eye.
He's the fellow to please, never mind all the rest.
For he's with you clear up to the end.
And you've passed your most dangerous, difficult test
If the man in the glass is your friend.
You may fool the whole world down the pathway of life
And get pats on the back as you pass.
But your final reward will be heartaches and tears
If you've cheated the man in the glass.

Anonymous
The Three O'clock News
"Oh, Mom! Guess what I did today?"
Her twinkling eyes shone bright

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Carolyn's Corner

By Carolyn Glover
Sunday will be Easter and I take this opportunity to wish all of you, our readers and friends a very happy and safe one.

With all the egg hunts and fun our little ones will be involved in during this week end, let us and parents of these children not forget to instill in them the true meaning of Easter. From our home and the staff at the Review, "Happy Easter". God loves you and we do too!

Esthloy Dickson has been "batting" a huge black squirrel which burrowed under her house last December during that extremely cold weather.

But last Wednesday evening, Esthloy drove in from church, she saw something run up a tree near her back door. When she turned her flashlight upward she saw a small raccoon peering down at her from a fork of the tree. That was her first time in 22 years in the country to see a coon.

Did you know that a quarter has 119 grooves on its circumference? (I didn't either and I didn't count them to see, I just took this little piece of info at its word!

Or did you know a bolt of lightning can strike the earth with a force as great as 100 million volts.

Here is something for dieters to delight in: Unbuttered popcorn has only 23 calories.

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Giant Easter Basket Drawing Set Friday

A giant Easter basket filled with toys and candy will be given by J&S Grocery in a drawing which will be held at 5 p.m. Friday at the store on Main Street.

All persons are invited to come in and register for the giant Easter basket until drawing time on Friday, according to Dennis Key, manager. There is no purchase necessary to register.

Kelly noted that J&S Grocery does not have inserts as advertisement this week, but has a large display elsewhere in this week's Review.

TRANSFERS INTO LOCAL ISD MUST BE OKAYED BY MAY 1
New transfers in the Cross Plains ISD should get a transfer form from the Superintendent's Office. All transfers need to be approved by May 1, 1984.

BAPTIST YOUTH TO HOLD BAKE SALE ON SATURDAY

The youth of the First Baptist Church will have a bake sale this Saturday, April 21, in front of Higginbotham's and Neal Drug. There will also be Easter Bunnies (rabbits) for sale.

The youth would appreciate you letting them do your holiday baking. The youth are raising money for their trip to Glorieta, N.M., this summer.

FIRST METHODISTS SLATE GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE
The First United Methodist Church at North Main St. and George Scott St. has scheduled a special Good Friday service to begin at 7 p.m. April 20 under the leadership of Rev. Pete Kennamer, pastor.

All persons are invited to attend the service, it was stated by a church representative.
Attend Church Sunday

PICTURES FOR PUBLIC SET AT SCHOOL ON TUESDAY

National School Studies, Inc. will be making pictures starting at 9 a.m. Tuesday, April 24. Residents of the community are invited to have pictures made anytime during the day from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Photographs will be made in the High School Auditorium.

The session is sponsored by the Annual Staff of Cross Plains High School, and will earn a small fee at each setting.

BUSES WILL RUN EARLY ON THURSDAY BEFORE HOLIDAYS

School will dismiss at 2:45 p.m. Thursday afternoon and buses will run at that time due to the two-day Easter holiday. School will not resume until Tuesday, April 24.

Cattlemen To Hear Success Secrets At Truby Session

Cowmen and stocker operators in Callahan County have a chance to pick up first-hand tips from other cattlemen as well as from county extension agents and specialists at a special clinic Saturday, April 21, at the Beasley Pavilion in Truby.

"We're going to have local leaders in the cattle industry telling their secrets," said Callahan County Extension Agent, Greg Gerngross of Baird.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. at the pavilion, just north of Truby on FM 707, south of Anson. The \$7.50 registration fee includes lunch for the first 100 persons who sign up. To assure participation and lunch, cattlemen can register in advance by sending check to Jones County Extension Agent Gary Stanford, P. O. Box 167, Anson, Texas 79501. Checks

Musical Is Slated At Cottonwood Friday

The regular third Friday musical is to be staged at the Cottonwood Community Center April 20 with the doors opening at 6 p.m. Music at the admission free jamboree is slated to start about 7 o'clock.

Sandwiches, snacks and soft drinks will be on sale in the kitchen of the center.

All comers are welcome to attend the musical, especially the performers, according to a spokesman for the event. It has been announced that several of the musicians were out last month due to illness or other conflicting activities, but they have been contacted and are making plans to return to the musical this month. "This includes the Bill Skinner Band," the spokesman stated.

Those who prefer to just sit and listen to the good country-western music are also invited to attend the jamboree.

Buff Golfers Win District Title; R. Hilburn Medalist

Cross Plains High School golf teams rode the medalist performance of Ronald Hilburn to the district championship in UIL Competition at the PAR Golf Course near Comanche.

Cross Plains collectively shot a 361 score for first place and Ronald Hilburn took medalist honors of the district with an 85.

Other Bison linksters scoring included Terrell Harris 87, Alan Hilburn 88, Conda Odum 101 and David Grider 102.

Third place was captured by the Cross Plains "B" team with a score of 436. The team members and their scores were reported as Tom Sibley 103, Joe Cortez 104, Bryan Brown 109 and Dennis Aiken 120.

Coach Mitchell Atchley said that the regional playoff will be held on May 2 and 3 at the Maxwell Municipal Course in Abilene.

LIBRARY FRIENDS HOLD BAKE SALE ON FRIDAY

The Friends of the Cross Plains Library are having a bake sale Friday, April 20th in front of the library. We would appreciate your support with donations and purchases, a friend stated.

MISS BARBER, MISS ENGLE PLACE IN NUMBER SENSE

Amy Barber won 4th place and Cindy Engle won 6th place in the recent UIL number sense contest. Thirteen girls competed in this contest.

The two contestants were omitted on local results of UIL district contests held at Gorman. The omission is regretted.

Trade At Home!
Attend Church Sunday

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Drive For Cemetery Still Short Of Goal

The drive to complete work in the new portion of the Cross Plains Cemetery is still short of

the \$5,000 goal, according to a report from Mrs. A. J. (Maureen) McCuin, secretary-treasurer of the

cemetery association. Total collected from the door-to-door canvass and other donations amounted to \$4,457.55 as of Tuesday morning, it was reported. The fund drive became necessary because prior work and repair of the fence at the old portion of the cemetery depleted reserves. Primary remaining job is paving the driveway in the new portion, located just north of the present burial plot. Lots are now available in that part.

Retired Teacher Receives Recognition In Publication

Mrs. Juanita Shaw was recognized recently as a prominent Educator of Texas in 1983 by Nottingham Publishing Company of Dallas. A short biography in the 1983 edition that honors Texas Educators. She received a certificate of recognition for personal dedication to the Educational System of Texas.

Mrs. Shaw was born at Dekalb, Texas, to Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hamilton. Her parents were pioneers of Dawson County in 1919. She attended the Lamesa Public Schools and graduated from Lamesa High School. She attended Texas Tech College where she received a B. S. Degree in Elementary Education. She taught 19 years in Morton Public Schools. She is a life member of Texas State Teachers Association and was active in the Cochran County T.S.T.A., serving as an officer and delegate to the district conventions.

Throughout her career she attended workshops and classes. She earned a certification in Spanish in 1975. She was a member and past president of the Town and Country Study Club. Mrs. Shaw was honored in 1973 as Teacher of the Year by the Area Council of Federated Women's Clubs of Cochran County.

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Mrs. Shaw and her family were active members in the First Baptist of Morton, where she served

as children's teacher in Vacation Bible School and with young people and adult. She has twice been president of Woman's Missionary Union. She has served as camp sponsors for youth camps. She has attended Sunday School and W.M.U. Conferences at Glorieta Baptist Assembly.

Mrs. Shaw came to Cross Plains in 1977 and taught 5 years in the Title I Reading and Math Department. She retired in May 1982. At present Mrs. Shaw is active with the Cross Plains Library. She is President of Friends of the Library Group. She is active in Delta Kappa Gamma Chapter of Upsilon of Callahan and Eastland Counties. She is also an active member of First Baptist Church. She serves as Homebound Director and teacher and is active in Baptist Women Missionary Group. Her husband is Ross Shaw. They reside 5 miles west on Highway 36. They are parents of two sons, Donald of Woodville and Larry of Duncanville, and they have five grandchildren.

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Former Local Teacher Is Cited As Texas Educator

Mrs. Clara Nell Spencer has been recognized for personal dedication and outstanding contributions to the educational system of Texas. Each year the Nottingham Publishing Company of Dallas publishes biographies of outstanding Texas Education in a publication, "The Most Prominent Educators of Texas." Mrs. Spencer has been cited in the 1983 edition.

A native of Cross Plains, Mrs. Spencer is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDermott. She is a graduate of Cross Plains High School and of the University of Houston with a B.S. Degree. She also attended John Tarleton Junior College in Stephenville, the University of Texas in Austin, Texas Technological University in Lubbock and Sam Houston University in Huntsville.

During her teaching career, Mrs. Spencer taught in Dresssey, Pioneer, Angleton and Cross Plains. In the course of her varied assignment, she taught at elementary, Junior high and senior high school levels.

Mrs. Spencer has been active in many areas from UIL Oral Reading to girls basketball. She has been a member of AAUW, NEA, has served as secretary of a TSTA chapter and as president of PTA. She has received awards from adult Annual Dedication, was an officer in the Cross Plains Library, has served as chairman of the United Fund, has been active in various study clubs and in a square dance club.

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Dora Smith Elected Sorority President For Coming Year

The members of Alpha Rho Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi have been quite busy with several activities in the past weeks.

Wanda Merryman, Susan Sharpe, Pill Key, Nora Odum, Dora Smith, Faust Kelley, Janice Phillips, and guest, Janet Dillard, took a week end trip to Austin on March 30-April 1. While guests at the lovely Marriott Hotel, they toured the State Capitol Building, and saw the shops and sights on Sixth Street, which is a section of the city being developed comparable to Burleson Street, New Orleans. Among other activities, they enjoyed shopping, horse races, and delightful food and entertainment at the Hyatt Regency, Bennisgans, El Toritos and Victoria Station. The ladies report that they had a super time.

Five members judged a beauty pageant Saturday evening, April 7, at Clyde, which was sponsored by the Beta Sigma Phi sorority there. Judges were Lou Parrish,

Persons who wish to help with the paving campaign may send gifts to the Cross Plains Cemetery Association in care of the Citizens State Bank, P. O. Box 669, Cross Plains, Texas 76443.

TRUSTEES WILL GATHER AT SCHOOL ON THURSDAY

Trustees of the Cross Plains Independent School District will gather in regular session Thursday, April 18, at the faculty room of the high school. Starting time will be 8 p.m.

The agenda as released by Supt. Lee Thompson contained 10 topics. Following prayer and reading of minutes, board is to deal with State Board of Health report, data processing, discuss 1984-85 school calendar, Chapter I Co-Op, Chapter II Co-Op, superintendent's report, luncheon report, pay bills, executive session and adjourn.

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Cottonwood

By Beverly Brown

The Cottonwood Historical Cemetery Association annual meeting will be held on May 6th in the Cottonwood Community Center. Dinner will be served at noon. Everyone is reminded to bring a covered dish. The program and business meeting will follow the noon meal.

The Cottonwood Post Office Building has been undergoing repair and renovation work the past several weeks. A new porch has been added and structure work. An open house for the public viewing will be scheduled during the Cottonwood Historical Cemetery Association Day May 6th.

The Cottonwood Musical will be held this Friday, April 29th. The Cottonwood Community Center will open at 6 p.m. No admission fee is charged. The musical entertainment will begin at 7 p.m. Bill Skinner and his band from Baird, plus many surrounding musicians will be on hand to perform. Last month many of the entertainers were unable to attend due to illness and the flu bug and virus going around. You are all invited to come to the musical, meet with your neighbors and friends. Donations of pies and sandwiches will greatly be appreciated and can be left at the center Friday evening in the cafeteria for the musical.

The Cottonwood meeting held for the ladies of the community and newcomers Saturday morning drew a good size group. The ladies voted to have the community be part of Cottonwood Regional Community Association. The Cottonwood Spring Festival was set for Saturday May 19th, and will be held at the Cottonwood Community Center. To the ladies who attended the gathering, the June 2nd date was changed due to the center being booked for that day. Plans, preparations and committees were appointed to get things underway. The head of these committees will be announced in next week's column and in the meantime will be contacting ladies in the area for their assistance.

The Cottonwood Spring Festival this year will sponsor a barbecue plate, homemade bake sale goods, arts and crafts displays, quilt raffle, clothes and what-not-sales, (adds and ends), cold drinks and coffee and other items. Proceeds will benefit the C.R.C.A. fund set up last year to aid in emergency or needs for families disasters and the Cottonwood Community Center.

Clean up day is planned May 4th, Friday from 8:30 a.m. until at the Cottonwood Community Center. Your help is needed, ladies of the community. The building is needing a thorough spring cleaning in readiness for the activities to be held there this May and summer. An hour or two of your time on May 4th would be your contribution to your community. It will be work but also a fun day for everyone. Bring a sack lunch. Mark your calendar on May 4th and plan your schedule around that Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Childers of Seranton attended Sunday morning worship services at the Cottonwood Church of Christ with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers, and had lunch with them. Aubrey of Abilene came by to check on the folks Sunday afternoon.

Hugh and Betty Purvis of Scotts bluff, Neb. were here a week ago visiting with his brother and wife, John and Janet Purvis and other relatives in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. John Purvis were in Austin seeing their daughters, Peggy and Kathy Purvis, over a week end recently.

Mrs. Bertha Wheeler visited in the Colonial Oaks Nursing Home this past Tuesday with Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. Odom, Mrs. Ingram, Mrs. Arvin and Mrs. Lawson.

Ladies of the community are cordially invited to attend the quilting of the top donated by Mrs. Bertha Wheeler for the Cottonwood Spring Festival this Thursday at the Cottonwood Community Center. Quilting will be held with the Ladies Club Quilting day. Thanks to one of the ladies of our community for giving up her quilting day so this project can be completed. Bring a covered dish, please.

Medicines are involved in poisoning episodes some 40% of the time.

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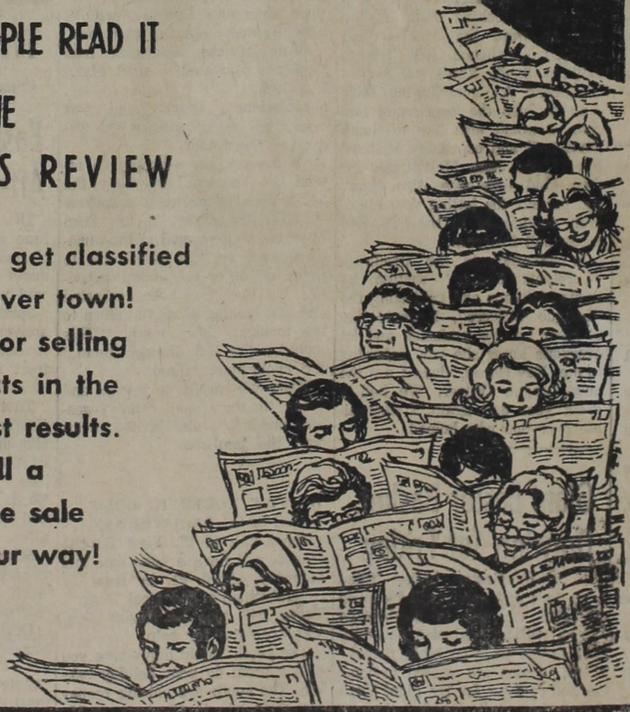
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 Clyde Petroleum Inc. of Breckenridge will drill two regular field projects two miles north-east of Pioneer on a 1,730-acre lease.
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 No. 1612 North Pioneer Unit

will be drilled 2,205 feet from the north and 60 feet from the east lines of C. L. Lewis Survey.
 Site for No. 807 North Pioneer Unit is 330 feet from the south and 1,374 feet from the west lines of Section 44, Block 2, ETRR Survey.

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EVENING WORSHIP	7:00 P.M.
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Randy Woody and Delona Perkins

Sailor Known Locally Slates June Wedding In Phoenix

Announcement of the engagement and future marriage of Delona Perkins and Randy Woody is being made.

Delona is the daughter of Mrs. Maureen Perkins of Phoenix, Ariz., and is a student at Northern Arizona University at Flagstaff, Ariz.

Randy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Woody, also of Phoenix, and is in the U. S. Navy serving aboard the U.S.S. Cook.

The couple plan to be married at the Black Canyon Church of Christ at Phoenix, Ariz., on June 2, 1984, and will make their home in San Diego Calif., home port of the U.S.S. Cook.

The prospective bridegroom is well known in the Cross Plains-Cottonwood area, and he has a

Work, Wages & SSI Rules Are Reviewed

The Supplemental Security Income program contains provisions which allows recipients to work and earn wages. Further provision permit the spouses and parents of children under age 18 to work. There are incentives for recipients in the form of income exclusions. However, for these exclusions to apply, the Social Security Administration must know about the work and the amount of gross wage earned, the periods of work, and any changes in the amount of earnings.

The importance of reporting work activity timely cannot be overemphasized.

Since the Supplemental Security Income payment is computed using all countable income, an overpayment can occur very quickly. Also if the report is not made timely, a penalty of \$25, \$50, or \$100 can be assessed. It should be clear that failure to report work and wages can result in a large overpayment that must be refunded. This can be avoided by timely reports of work by a recipient, a recipient's spouse, or the parents of children who receive supplemental security income payments. For a report to be considered timely, it should be made within 10 days after the close of the month in which it occurred.

If you or someone in the family receives supplemental security income and there is work that has not been reported, or a change in the amount of earnings that has not been reported, telephone 915-695-1240 or visit our office at 142 S. Pioneer in Abilene.

Cisco College Singers Will Perform Here

The Cisco Junior College Singers, directed by Wyley Peeble, will present a concert at Cross Plains High School, Thursday, April 19, at 8:25 a.m.

The Singers constitute a mixed group that performs a variety of music. There will be selections from the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries as well as contemporary music. A folk song from the eastern mountains of the U. S. shares company with an operatic chorus.

A special ensemble, known as the "Wonder Pops" will sing a medley of Beethoven's tunes as well as traditional barbershop number. The program also includes at least one religious piece appropriate for the Easter season and a couple of love songs.

Ricky Wheeler, a graduate of Cross Plains High School, is one of the CJC Singers.

There are some 150,000 poisonings that occur each year in Texas.

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Live Oaks & Memories

By Eve Landers

Every article that I have written in the past has been about some wonderful, goody-good person or event. But the world is not always full of that type person or event, but there is a definite place for the "others."

While my husband and I were in the service(He was the one who actually joined the Army, but I felt as though I was an enlistee too!) we were stationed in Washington, D. C. The days were too long in an apartment in a strange place, and we needed a savings for college so I decided to obtain employment thru an agency even though they would retain part of my first month's salary as a part of their fee. I gave them my qualifications and requested a job within a five mile radius. (Driving in Washington, D. C., is a hair-raising experience, and I wanted to be on the freeways for only a limited time.) They referred me to a dentist, Dr. Edward J. Koltisko, and I worked for that impossible man until we were discharged 14 months. But I never paid the employment agency part of my salary because Dr. Ed would never tell them that I was a satisfactory employee.

On a few occasions (very few) I would mustard-up the courage to voice a complaint but by the time our conference had ended I felt that I had been reprimanded, but I really didn't know what he had said. Dr. Ed had such a stupendous vocabulary you never actually knew what he meant. Naturally one of my complaints was the need for an increase in salary which Dr. Ed apparently felt was unnecessary and politely refused to grant. But on pay day (every two weeks) he would give me my paycheck in a sealed envelope with a crisp \$20 bill folded beside it. One of his SOP's was employees were not to discuss salaries. Do you know what an SOP is? If you were ever in the service during the 40's, you might remember the term it is an abbreviation for STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE— it simply means RULES. Dr. Ed kept a notebook which he labeled SOP, and if he didn't want to waste his valuable time pointing out one of his employees mistakes, he would leave us a note saying — Read SOP No. 32 — Comprehend — Initial Note!

When it was time for us to return to Texas Dr. Ed gave me my sealed envelope with check, \$50 bill, and a green and yellow silk scarf. He was a true example of the old saying "His bark is worse than his bite," but I respected that bark enough to stay my distance until the very end. He did give me the courage to stand by my principles at all cost . . . just lower your head, bough your back, and move forward at all cost. Any job worth doing should be done well. The yellow and green scarf

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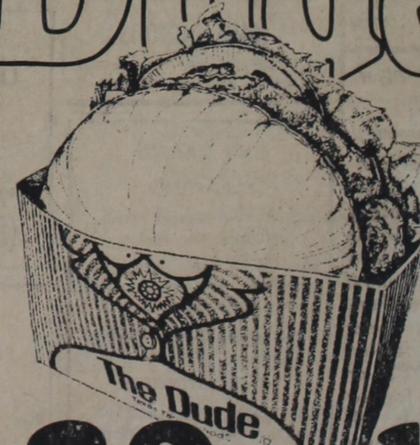
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 I would like to take this opportunity to thank the friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness while I was in the hospital and after I got home. Your words of concern and encouragement were certainly appreciated and will not be forgotten.
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CARD OF THANKS
 I want to express my appreciation for your prayers, visits, cards, and phone calls while I was in the hospital recently for surgery and since coming home. May God bless all of you.
 Sally Roady

THANK YOU
 We would like to take this opportunity to publicly thank Terrell Harris and David (Moses) Kanady for the great job that they did as referees for the Pee Wee basketball games. We feel that you did a great job. Thanks for your time, effort and good sportsmanship.
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CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to express our genuine appreciation to the friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness upon the passing of our loved one, Lorena (Erwin) Mashburn. Thanks go to so many including those who brought food, called, sent flowers, visited, sent cards and especially offered prayers. Our deep appreciation also to ladies of the Presbyterian Church and to Rev. and Mrs. Swift for their help and guidance.
 The Family of
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CARD OF THANKS
 The family of Maud Lafoon and Jack Mitchell wishes to express its deep appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us during the loss of our loved one. Your calls, your expressions of sympathy, food and attendance was a great comfort.

CARD OF THANKS
 We want to thank everyone who visited, called and sent flowers and cards while Kristina was in the hospital. A very grateful thanks also to the EMS, Mike McClure and Chris Reeves for their expert help. A special thanks also to brother Burlie Taylor for coming to the hospital the very first day and calling so often. We really appreciate everyone who gave us so much support and who demonstrated to us what friends really mean.
 God Bless You,
 Kristina Horan
 The Ken Horan Family

CEMETERY AT CROSS CUT GETS \$20 CONTRIBUTION
 O. B. Byrd, secretary of the Cross Cut Cemetery Association, has reported the organization has received a \$20 donation from Mrs. Orville Pentecost.
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Pioneer News Items

By Gail Flippin

This may sound like a tale from the Old West, but a buffalo has been sighted in the Pioneer area by several reliable persons. Those seeing the buffalo, and there may be more that I don't know about, were Lillian Jackson, Jodee Flippin, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stover and Charlie Fortenberry. No one knows where it came from or where it's going.

Lillian Jackson had a good day Saturday visiting with her sisters, Silvia Angel from Coleman and Martha Jo Reiger from Zephyr. They all met in Brownwood and spent the afternoon visiting friends and relatives at the Brownwood Centennial was having a celebration at the center which was enjoyed by patients and visitors. Also the three sisters visited their brother, Aubrey Stewart, and family while in Brownwood.

Winnie Flippin spent from Wednesday until Saturday visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Cloud, in Early.

Week end visitors in the E. J. Flippin home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barr and Stacy of Early on Saturday, and Mrs. Pearl Kramer and Winnie Flippin on Sunday. Ten and Janet Flippin visited with the Flippins week before last.

Gail, Tye and Tamara Flippin visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rutledge, and her sister, Janice Moore, and children, Gary Keri and Jerry, in Brownwood last Saturday.

Vi Harlow of Marble Falls visited with Pete and Jean Fore over the week end.

Dick and Lou Grider and Mrs. Tillotson visited with Ethel Brown. Ethel has been sick with a cold. Hope she feels better soon.

Jim and Charlene Fleming and children, Alan, Jason and Jolena, went to the Brownwood Centennial parade Saturday morning.

The Jim Flemings ate supper with Joe and Nell Fleming Sunday night. Charlene and Jolena went with Nell to the doctor's office Thursday to have the cast taken off Nell's arm.

Joe and Nell Fleming ate supper Wednesday night with the Jim Flemings and watched a movie on their V.C.R.

Jean Fore and Vi Harlow visited with Nell Fleming Saturday morning.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Halsell on Saturday were their daughter and son-in-law, Lou and Charles Rodenburger, of Abilene and P. C. and Edythe Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eppard and Brandi of Early spent the week end with Grace and E. J. Hierholzer. Other visitors included E. M. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burton and daughter, Charlene, of Kilgore.

Freddie, Kathy, Jason and Ashley Stover visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stover, Saturday and Sunday en route to and from Lake Brownwood.

Week end visitors with Bill and Gladys Seamus were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craddock of Garland and Mr. and Mrs. David Witherston and Rachel of Lancaster, also Dorothy Zedlitz. Last week, Bill and Gladys both went to see a doctor in Eastland.

During the week visitors with Pete and Jean Fore were Winnie O'Donnell of Waxachie, Bessie McDaniel of San Antonio, and Vi Harlow of Marble Falls. Also James Alexander, Cleo Barton, Nell Fleming, Grace Hierholzer, Lois Garrett, Ruby Daniel, Don, Charlotte, and Nathan Longoria, C. C. Westerman, and Paul and Juanita Harlow had lunch with Pete and Jean Sunday.

Please call Mrs. Cowan Hutton with your news next week at 725-7342.

LOCAL GREEN THUMB WORKERS AT MEETING

Two Cross Plains Green Thumb Workers were among more than 120 older workers who attended a recent meeting of the group in Dublin hosted by the Dublin Senior Center.

Green Thumbs from Cross Plains attending were Ruby Brooks and Dessie Higgins.

Several dignitaries addressed the group which is sponsored by the Farmers Union and funded by U. S. Department of Labor through Title V.

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Adding Machine Tape, Review

Local Man's Sister Buried At Sabanno

Funeral service was held at 3 p.m. Sunday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel for Lorena Erwin Mashburn, 93, of Abilene and formerly of the Sabanno Community. She was the sister of Edwin Erwin of that locality.

Mrs. Mashburn died at 3:15 p.m. Friday at an Abilene nursing home.

Officiating the final rite was the Rev. John Swift, pastor of the Evangelical Church in Cross Plains. Burial was in the Sabanno Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Born June 30, 1890, in the Sabanno community, she married J. E. Mashburn. He died in 1948. She had taught school and was a seamstress. She was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Four sisters and two brothers also preceeded her in death.

Survivors include a brother, Edwin Erwin of Sabanno; and several nieces and nephews.

Nephews served as pallbearers.

JOHN D. MONTGOMERY ARC OMITTED FROM DONOR LIST

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Montgomery and Cindy were omitted from a list recognizing those who recently made gifts to the Cross Plains Fire Department in memory of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby. Their memorial was for \$50. The omission is regretted.

Valerie Is Better: Love Fund Is Open

A love fund continues to be open at Citizens State Bank to help Valerie Callaway defray some of her medical bills.

Valerie is still in need of blood. A family spokesman said that those interested in donating may go to Hendrick Medical Center. So Valerie will get credit, tell them that it is for Valerie Callaway who is in St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital in Houston, he continued.

The word from Houston first of this week is that Valerie is recovering slowly, and she has moved to a private room and her family can be with her. Those persons who would like to call Benny and Sandy can reach them at 1-713-791-4633.

Burkett Items News

By Freeda Burkett

The regular third Saturday community supper will be held at the community center here Saturday evening at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend. Bring your two covered dishes and enjoy a delicious supper and fellowship together. Entertainment will be furnished including music, singing, dominoes and 42.

The committee arranging the supper this month includes Hap and Ethel Bearden, Bill and Jo Davee, Birdie and Gil Helms, Tommie and Charlene Connelly, Bill and Shirley Hunter, Grace Green and Wayne Newton.

They are especially pleased that Bill Laws of Coleman is feeling better and plans to be on hand with his fiddle and singing voice. He has not been able to attend in several months, and we are looking forward to hear him play and sing again.

We are reminded that there will be an annual meeting of the Smith Cemetery at 10 a.m. on Saturday of next week, April 28. Officers of the Smith Cemetery Association are Faye Merrill of Cross Plains and Mildred Lowe, Secretary-Treasurer. They invite everyone interested in this cemetery and its upkeep to be present.

Eligible participants are reminded that the distribution of the government emergency food will be Tuesday, April 24 (next week) at the Dub Lowe home.

Jo Davee had as her guests Sunday Lois Garrett of Cross Plains and Mil Angeley of Lake Brownwood. In the afternoon they all visited in the Jack DeBusk home.

Recent guests in the home of Dub and Mildred Lowe were her sister, Catherine Steinhart, and daughter, Joan Foster, of Fort Worth and his niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orr of Santo.

The monthly Methodist Fellowship met in the home of Low and Liz Golsen Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. Those present reported a very enjoyable evening.

Mrs. Anna Golsen sustained a broken or badly fractured arm when she fell one day last week while swinging the jump rope for her grandchildren. She is quite handicapped, but still able to do most of her house work although it certainly is not without pain. Anna, we hope you will feel better soon.

Dub and Mildred Low entertained with a barbecue Sunday evening a week ago. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orr of Santo, Mildred's sister, Catherine Steinhart and daughter, Joan Foster both of Fort Worth, The Low's grandchildren, Coy, Wesley, and Gala Wright and Coy's girlfriend, Cindy all of Coleman. The twins, Janina and Jenny Holman, also of Coleman.

On Monday evening Dub and Mildred had a fish fry in their back yard. Guests included Catherine Steinhart, Joan Foster of Ft. Worth, Gordon and Roger Coffee, Bob and Linda Podlevski and children, Denny and Tim all local.

Virgil and Freeda Burkett entertained with a fish fry at their home Wednesday of last week. Those present were their son, Bill Burkett and children Steven, Krissy and Amy of St. Louis, Raymond and Lucille Cross and Delbert and Emma Boyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Gould, accompanied by their daughter, Linda Dodge enjoyed a drive to West Texas Saturday where they visited Raymond Guillory and came home by way of Crawford where they visited Mr. and Mrs. John Pricer and son, Johnny. They said the country was pretty with wild flowers in bloom and trees green. They really enjoyed the scenery.

Visitors of Addie Newton during the week end were Veda DeBusk and Eula Webb both of Cross Plains and Jo Davee and Bucky Burns both local. Veda and Eula also visited their sister, Vera Swann.

Zora DeBusk hosted the regular "42" party Thursday of last week. Those present were Rudy Biehl and Otis Mayo of Coleman, Ernestine Watson and Vera Pearl Bunnell of Cross Plains Lucille Cross, Jo Davee, Lillian Brown, Lucille Gould, and "Bill" Mayfield all local. One visitor, Margue Hite, sister of Bill and Otis, of Odessa and the hostess.

Bill and Jo Davee hosted the weekly "74" party Thursday night. Members present were Meris and Otis Mayo of Coleman, Roger and Ernestine Watson of Cross Plains, Otis and Bill Mayfield and the Davoes. Two guests were Otis and Bill's sister of Odessa and the Mayfield's grand-son, Derrick Mayfield.

Wayne Harris of Midland spent the week end her to visit his mother, Mrs. Lyda Harris of Coleman Oaks Home in Cross Plains.

Lillian Harris was dismissed from the hospital in Coleman last Thursday. She is recuperating at home and feeling better.

Mrs. Eula Hunter is improving from the injuries received recently in a fall at her home. She gets around, mostly with the aid of a walker, but is grateful that she can be up and a it to this extent even though she suffers a great amount of pain. Get well wishes to her.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Hunter were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Furman Knarley.

Marie Strawn of Grosvenor and Lula Havner of Bangs were visitors of their sister, Mrs. Raymond Jennings last Friday.

Ona Evans of Lueders spent Monday to Wednesday here with Lucie Helms and Gill. Several of her friends visited her while she was in our community. She also visited with relatives in Coleman.

Freddy Thate entered the hospital in Coleman last week. His many friends wish him a speedy improvement.

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ROWDEN

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Spring must be here as the me-squites are leaving out and the Scissor Tail birds have been seen flying about the area. Yards that have not been mowed are growing all kinds of weeds. Grass fields need moisture due to blowing winds that dries the ground.

Nell Gunderson wrote her sisters, Joyce Odum and Claribel Gibbs that her husband, Gundy had suffered his third heart attack on the 3rd of April and due to her rushing him to the Austin hospital lessened the attack. He is now at their home in Marble Falls.

Those visiting in the Lizzie Burks, Emma Johnson and Robert Burks home during the week were Carroll Burks of Abilene, Bob Brown of Eastland, Bobbie Burks and Johnny Wooten.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin was in Daird Thursday, visiting Mrs. Bill Cason and her mother, Mrs. Walker. On Friday Roland and Faye Mauldin of Denton Volley played garden for Gene and Vera Belle.

Tonya Steele, along with other Girl Scout members and sponsors from Cross Plains, attended the Girl Scout Camp Out at the Brownwood Lake over the week end. Other scout groups were there from various parts of the state for competition in knot tying, compass reading, trail marking and rack events. She reported having a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Hollingshead of Abilene visited in the homes of N. V. Gibbs and Grand-son Gibbs Saturday morning. They were en route to their mobile homes at the Brownwood Lake to do repairs for summer trips.

Visitors in the N. V. Gibbs home Saturday were Curtis and Velma Springfield of Azle and their son, Bruce Rose of Fort Worth. The men went turkey hunting and were lucky to bag a 23-pound bird. Velma and this writer visited Grand-son Gibbs and in the home of Tony Steele. Al so made a drive over the community and by the house where she once lived where married to Billy Rose.

Mrs. Steving Odum's only news was her trip to Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odum Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson and sons, Robbie, Brock, Brad, Kyle, Cody and Wyatt, were in Sedler, Texas, Sunday where they spent the day with an uncle, Wayne Dossey. The boys enjoyed fishing.

Brad Watson, along with other Baird students, went to Stephenville Friday for UIL competition in science projects.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrell made a sight-seeing trip to the Kerrville area over the week end. Their daughter, Leigh, spent the time with her grandparents, the Ted Newberrys and Frank Harrells in Abilene.

W. B. Gibbs of Baird visited Warren Price during the week.

James and Dorothy Reynolds enjoyed games of 42 in the Tommie Harris home Thursday night.

Jack Mitchell, 78, Buried At Atwell

Funeral service for Lloyd "Jack" Mitchell, 78, of Stephenville was held at 3 p.m. Thursday at Higginbotham Funeral Home in Cross Plains.

Mr. Mitchell died at 6:35 p.m. Tuesday, April 10, at Baptist Memorial Hospital in San Antonio.

Officiating the final rite was Dr. Henry Taylor of San Angelo. Burial was in the Atwell Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Born July 15, 1905 in Callahan County, he married Jewel Moore in 1936. She died in 1948. He then married Myrtle Brown Nov. 3, 1962, in Stamford. He was a veteran of World War II and a retired car salesman. He had lived in Abilene for 30 years, selling cars at Western Chevrolet.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Patricia Willis of Dallas; two stepsons, Brady Brown of Houston and Max Brown of Dallas; and two sisters, Maude Laffoon of Cross Plains and Lois Price of Baird.

Pallbearers were Burnice Mitchell, Randy Howell, Virgil Hamilton, George Spakman, Billy Edwards and Nathan Foster.

Cottonwood Ladies Planning Activities

The Cottonwood community ladies had a good coffee and meeting on Saturday, April 14. "We met some of our newcomers to our community and also decided to be a part of the Cottonwood Regional Community Association (CRCA) and have a Spring Festival on Saturday, May 19, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., a spokesman said.

A barbecue plate and home baked food will be available, also clothing, crafts, coffee, cold drinks and white elephant sale. Watch the paper and posters for more details.

It was voted that half the money raised will be used to give emergency financial and for material aid to a resident of Cottonwood area suffering a sudden disaster with catastrophic need. The other half will be donated to the Cottonwood Community Center for needed improvement.

BAPTIST CHOR PLANNING CANTATA APRIL 22 EVENING

The choir of the First Baptist Church will present an Easter Cantata, "Joy Comes in the Morning", at 7 p.m. Sunday, April 22.

The public is invited to attend this presentation, a spokesman for the choir stated.

BILLIE RUTH LOVING IS ABILENE HOSPITAL PATIENT

Billie Ruth Loving of Cross Plains was scheduled to spend the week end and first of the week in Hendrick Medical Center undergoing tests and therapy. She entered the hospital on Sunday.

Ellen Reynolds of Cleco and her friend, John Carpenter, of Azle visited in the James Reynolds home Sunday.

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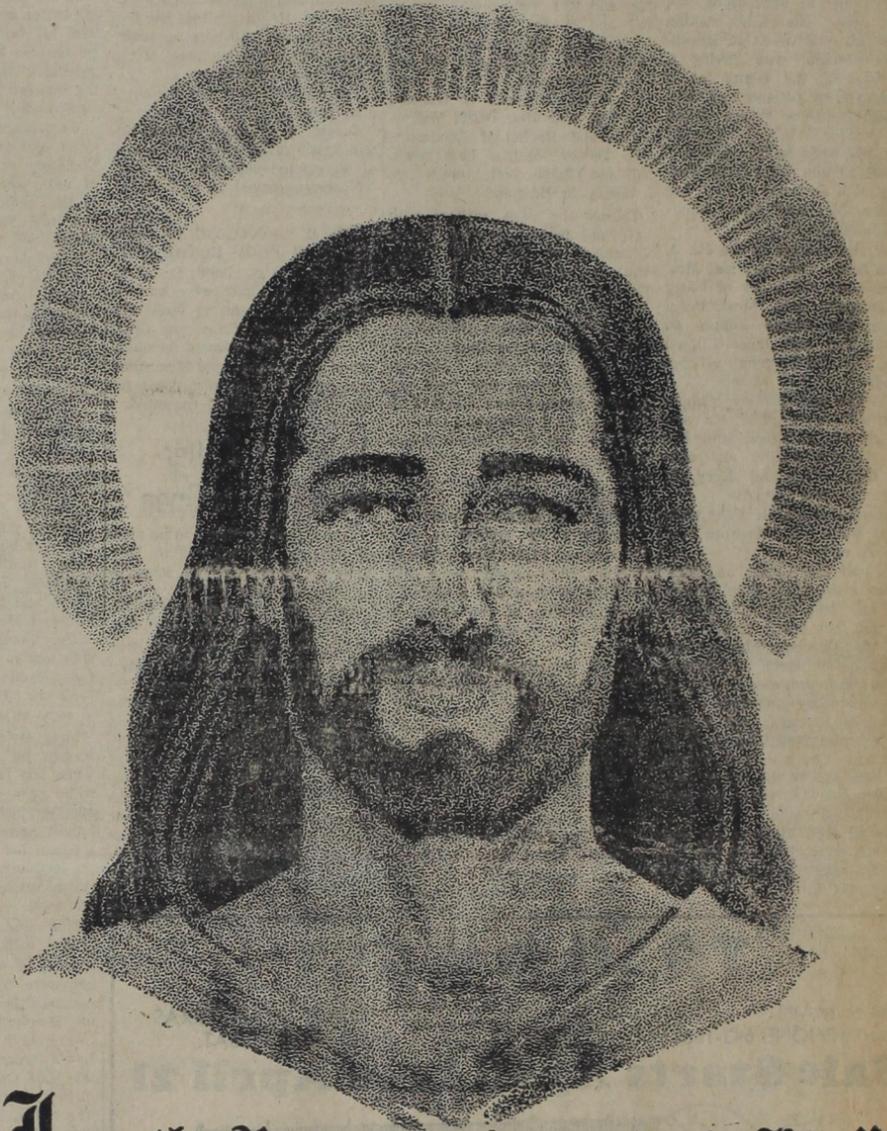
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State Capital HIGHLIGHTS

By Lynell Williams

(Intended for last week)
AUSTIN — When the news broke last week that Texas House Speaker Gib Lewis had written state agencies to prepare for "no-growth", the ripples spread fast and wide around the Capitol complex.

It quickly increased the stakes in the number of players in the state government budget game. The shock was enough to prompt Gov. Mark White, who advocates raising taxes to increase teacher salaries, to attempt to soothe the political nerves by offering assurances that state government will survive the financially troubled period and still find ways to take care of expensive improvements in education and highways.

Lewis' letter arrived at state agency head offices at a time when they are preparing their budget proposals for the Legislature, which meets again in five months.

Specifically, Speaker Lewis recommended state agencies prepare a no-growth budget for the 1984-85 biennium.

"We suggest that you not include any considerations for inflation, salary changes or growth," he wrote.

The letter comes on the heels of Comptroller Bob Bullock's estimate that the surplus at the end of the present biennium will be only \$15 million.

Taxes or Cuts?
The letter puts state agencies very close to a rock-and-a-hard-place position. Unless the Comptroller can scrape up the extra cash for them to spend, legislators will be debating whether to raise taxes or cut state services.

A co-author of the letter, House Appropriations Chairman Jim Budd, said he is shaping a budget for the bare necessities of state government and will be taking a "very critical look" at all agencies.

"We're not going to have enough money. We're going to be in the red the next time if we don't do something," he told reporters.

White Blamed
The chairman of the Texas Republican Party, George Strake, didn't miss his cue to blame the governor and Democratic-dominated Legislature for the money problems.

"If Governor White had set the example of being a bit more restrained with such items as his new playroom and had not increased his political appointee payroll by 70 per cent, maybe state officials would now be more aggressive in cutting excessive state government spending," Strake said.

Strake speaking for the Republicans, praised the call for no-growth budget, and suggested limiting the number of state employees by a formula based on population.

Party Split?

The budget letter underscored the odds stacking up on the governor's promised special session in coming months to discuss a \$5 billion education reform package. While the tight-money situation certainly emphasizes the need for more revenue, it puts legislators in the politically uncomfortable position of approving a tax increase before an election.

Also in a touchy position are the agency heads, including the state-wide-elected Democrats who swept into office in '82. If their budgets fail to hold up under scrutiny, they will certainly come under attack from Republicans at the ballot box in '86.

And again caught square in the middle are the conservative Democrats who might buck a tax hike trend pushed by their governor and risk being pushed out of their party. As in the past, they may or may not want to cross over to the GOP, and may not be wanted there anyway.

Land Office

A federal agency last week gave the go-ahead to the Texas General Land Office request to sell natural gas from state lands at current market value as payment-in-kind.

The ruling allows the Land Office to see the gas to utilities below what private companies are offering. The sales revenues go to the Permanent School Fund, which is divided among Texas public school districts.

Texas Land Commissioner Gerry Mauro announced the state earned an additional \$17.5 million at a mineral production lease sale last week. New policies resulted in almost doubling the average bonus bid for lease of state-owned oil and gas lands.

The average bid was \$216.29, almost twice the \$120.40 per-acre bonus average for October.

School Meal Menus

The following menus are being planned by Cross Plains School Cafeteria to be served on the following designated dates, subject to correct food deliveries. No meals will be served Friday and Monday because school will be dismissed for Easter holidays.

Shortened noon meal menu follows for April 19-25.

Thursday: Bar-B-Que burger's french fries, pinto beans, cookies and milk

Tuesday: Fish with tartar sauce, macaroni and cheese, blue-eyed peas, pineapple slice, cornbread and milk

Wednesday: Steak with gravy, cheese sticks, mashed potatoes, green beans, cake, rolls and milk

Menu for the breakfast meal during the abbreviated week was released as follows.

Thursday: Cereal, toast, orange juice and milk

Tuesday: Pancakes, sausage, syrup and butter, grape juice and milk

Wednesday: Cereal, toast, orange juice and milk

Noted Abilene Artist Exhibiting At C.J.C.

Esme Glenn, known Abilene artist, will exhibit portraits and landscapes at the library of Cisco Junior College during April and May. Half the proceeds from the sale of paintings will go to the CJC Scholarship Fund.

A native Abilene and a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin with a degree in art, Mrs. Glenn has won over 100 awards in regional and state shows in Texas and New Mexico. Her work hangs in many collections over the country.

She works in acrylics and oils. The oils are all Texas landscapes with the exception of one painting done as the result of a trip to Alaska. Library hours are 8 to 5 and 6 to 9:30 Monday through Thursday; 8 to 4 on Friday and 8:30 to 9:30 Sunday evening.

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Baird AF Grad Draws Texas Duty Station

ARMY AND AIR FORCE HOMETOWN NEWS — Airman Ricky D. Fleming, son of Jim F. and Velma L. Fleming of Cisco, has been assigned to Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls, Texas, after completing Air Force basic training.

During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, the airman studied the Air Force Mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the communications field.

His wife, Carla, is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John C. Begley of Cisco.

The airman is a 1980 graduate of Baird High School.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Strickland and children of Ozona visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Payne and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Purvis, here during the week end.

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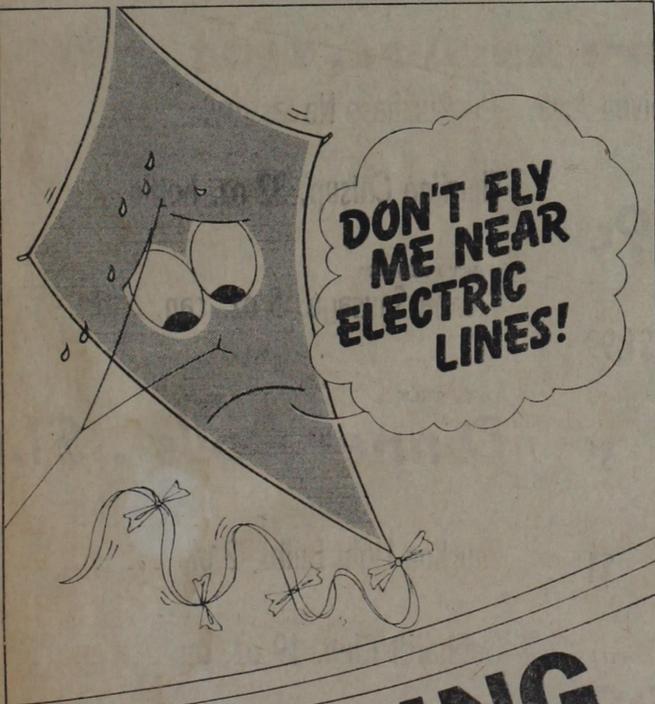
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 2. Affirm the positive. Image a positive outcome.
 3. Decree the good (Job 22:3).
 4. Keep the soul strong and well.
 5. Visualize your world being as strong and well.
 6. Love God, love people, love life.
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Yes Christ Arose and LIVES today.

MRS. W. R. GIBSON RETURNS TO HOME HERE FRIDAY
Mrs. W. R. Gibson, Sr. returned to her home on Tom Bryant Street in Cross Plains Friday afternoon from a Brownwood hospital. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Winnie O'Donnell of Waxahachie and son, Eugene Gibson of Brownwood. Visitors over the week end were Mrs. Carmen Woodard and son, Mike, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Gibson of Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Odum, of Brownwood.

Sabanno

By Shirley Snodgrass

Frank and I took a trip down to Brownwood Lake Friday. We did a little fishing. Frank caught two, and I got two bites. The bluebonnets are really pretty along the roads and in the fields. The scissor-tails are back, and the mesquites are putting out, so it must be spring. I guess you all hate this wind as much as I do. Seems like we hardly have a calm day. I guess it forgot this isn't March.

We want to extend our sympathy to Edwin Erwin, and his family for the loss of his sister, Lorena Mashburn.

Visiting through the week with Jack and Robbie Rector were Frank and Shirley Snodgrass, Bill and Idella Hollis, Laura Covington, Karen Ripple, Rev. Dan Chapman and Bro. Moore, all of Brownwood, and Gayle Foster and children and Lou Foster, all of Bowie.

Nora Blackwell of Grand Prairie and Nora Lee of Cisco visited. Nora and Arza Green Saturday. Arza and Nora ate lunch with Ed and Wanda Blackwell Sunday. Ed and Mac Green came over Sunday afternoon, and they all attended the funeral of Mrs. Mashburn.

Truitt Dawkins said he was real busy all week, but didn't have any news. He was busy alright, he was down at the hunters campers playing dominoes and getting beat. Their company this week were Mr. and Mrs. Clowers who are buying the Lawson place. It will be nice to have them as neighbors.

Visiting with the Bill Hollises this past week were Lorene Ramsey of Eastland and Frank Snodgrass of Sabanno.

Having lunch with Troy and Mae Watson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kanady and grand-daughter of Rising Star. Sheryl Watson, her brother, Mike, Nan and her son, Cody, visited with them Sunday afternoon. They are all from Sabanno.

Ophelia Lawson went to the funeral of Carlton Holder Wednesday. Thursday she went to game night at Pioneer, and Saturday to the musical at Cisco. She attended the Mashburn funeral Sunday. Her grandkids come by several times a week to see her.

We want to welcome a new member to the quilting club, Leez Shawver.

Visiting with the L. J. Cokers this week end were her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coulter of Lorenzo, Texas. Bro. Burlie W. Taylor came by Saturday for a visit.

Lester and Christine King went over to Brownwood Saturday on business. Christine and Opal Gattis went to Abilene Sunday to get her grandkids. They are Blandye, Leah and Kye King. Vanda is to get out of the hospital Monday after having mouth surgery. She is reported doing real good.

Please remember the sick in our community, and pray for them. 'Til next week remember, God loves us all.

Edwin Erwin and his family offer appreciation for all the kindness and sympathy shown us upon the death of Lorena (Erwin) Mashburn. Your good will and favors will be long remembered by a grateful family.

DINNER SET APRIL 24

The regular monthly dinner for entire membership of Lakewood Recreation Center is scheduled for Tuesday, April 24, at the Lakewood clubhouse. Starting time is 7 p.m.

All members are urged to attend and bring a prospective new member family with them to the covered dish luncheon and fellowship normally held each month.

PIONEER BAPTIST CHURCH SETS REST HOME SERVICE

The Pioneer Baptist Church will be in charge of the services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home, Sunday, April 22, at 3:30 p.m.

Oliver Robertson, 55, Funeral Held Friday

Funeral service for Otha Oliver Robertson, 55-year-old resident of Cross Plains, was held at 2 p.m. Friday at Harrell Funeral Home in Dublin.

"Nig" Robertson died Wednesday of last week at the Veterans Administration Hospital in San Antonio after a long illness.

Officiating the final rites was the Elder Archie Robertson, brother of the deceased and a Primitive Baptist minister. Burial was in the Barbee Cemetery near Dublin.

Born Oct. 3, 1928, in Mitchell County, he married Rena Smvers Oct. 4, 1952, in Henrietta. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church and served in the U. S. Marines during the Korean War.

Survivors include his wife of Cross Plains; his mother Addie Mae Robertson of Dublin; five sons; Otha Oliver Jr. of Rockport, Gary Michael, Roger Eric and Gregory J., all of Cross Plains, and Weldon Gale of Graham; a daughter Mrs. Erica Lynn Allen of Wichita Falls; a brother, James of Hamilton; four sisters, Juanita Burleson of Dublin, Marie Pettigrew of Fort Worth, June Murdock of Cleveland, Ohio, and Darlene McDonald of Houston; and four grandchildren.

Scout Troop Earns 2nd Place In All Events

Cross Plains Boy Scouts 281, under the leadership of Baylis Pope, Scoutmaster, Bill Reed and Richard White, Assistant Scoutmasters, and Fran Smith, Committee Advancement Member, took part in the 1984 Area Council Camporee held at Sweetwater Lake April 13, 14, 15.

Local Scouts earned second place in events, and were the winners of Scouts going the longest distance to camp.

Those taking part were Senior Patrol Leaders Eddy Albrecht and Aaron Pope, and troop members Kevin Clark, Mike Eppard, David McKenzie, Ivan Dennys, Cody Pancake and Roger Rudloff.

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LOCAL T.O.P.S. CLUB NOTES

"BEST LOSERS" FOR DATES
The best losers for the TOPS week of April 5 were Barbara Dillard and Debbie Gosnell. Sandra Tension was noted as best loser for the month of March. Last week's best loser was Vicky Williams.

The local TOPS Club meets each Thursday at 6 p.m. at its clubhouse on East 6th Street just south of the Garden Center.

Any persons interested in obtaining information about TOPS may do so by contacting Carolyn Glover at 725-6285 or 725-6111 or Shirley Snodgrass at 725-6358.

DORRIS DOMINY IS HOME FROM VISIT IN N.W.

Dorris Dominy has returned from Bremerton, (Bangor) Wash., after a two-week visit with her daughter, Deidra Meiron, and grandchildren, Dustin and Lindsey. (Being in the Navy, son-in-law Trey, was away at the time.) She said everything was so beautiful and green up there due to the almost daily rain.

One Saturday Deidra and Dorris drove to Port Angeles, Wash., and took a 1½ hour ferry ride to Victoria, B. C., where they saw the Parliament Building, the Crystal Gardens and the Wax Museum. Deidra sends her love and a big hello to everyone.

FUNERAL THURSDAY FOR CORPUS CHRISTI MAN

Word was received here Monday of the death of James McClean, 60, in Corpus Christi after a long illness. His mother, Thelma Lamar Kissinger, was the daughter of a pioneer family in his area.

Funeral for Mr. McClean will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Seaside Memorial Funeral Home at Corpus Christi.

LUNCHEON SLATED FRIDAY FOR LAKEWOOD LADIES

Lakewood Ladies Association will meet in regular session at the center's clubhouse Friday, April 20, starting at 11:30 p.m. for a covered dish luncheon.

All feminine members of the club are urged to attend, and guests are invited. Hostesses will be Zora DeBusk and Mrs. McAnally.

HOUSTON PHYSICIANS SPEND WEEK END HUNTING HERE

Dr. Chuck McGill and Dr. Jack Laurent of Houston visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Win-

frey and Cody over the week end.

The men had an enjoyable time and a very successful turkey hunt.



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