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## On The Corner

### Good Neighbor Policy The Best Policy

By DON TABOR  
Publisher

Almost every time I come to Cross Plains, I hear the same complaint — about dogs running loose.

Some people have been bitten. Quite a few people are tired of having their newspapers torn to shreds.

I've also seen the carcasses of what were obviously family pets lying beside the road, probably breaking the hearts of some children.

The city does not have an ordinance against loose dogs, although some effort is made to require the penning of dogs known to be vicious. City officials say they cannot afford to pay for a dog-catcher and a pound in which to keep dogs that are picked up, both of which are required by the Humane Society. If they tried to buck the Humane Society on this, they would probably be facing an expensive lawsuit.

The City of Clyde, where I live, decided some years ago to bite the bullet and vote in a loose-dog ordinance with its attendant expense. Although enforcement is not perfect, it has cut down on the loose-dog population in town considerably. However, there is still a problem with dogs from outside the city limits that decide to come to town for a visit.

But the real answer to the problem — and it doesn't cost the taxpayer a thing — is for all dog owners to also be good neighbors. A good neighbor is responsible for his property. A dog-owner should not infringe on the rights of his neighbors by allowing his dog to run loose.

Right is right. I own a couple of dogs, and I care for them. I paid good money for them so I dang sure don't want them running loose and getting run over, or poisoned, or stolen. They're in the back yard behind a five-foot fence. They're happy, my neighbors are happy, the people who walk down my street are happy, and I'm happy.

Also, I know my dog is not going to visit a neighbor's and precipitate an unwanted litter of pups which might be turned out on the street to add to the loose-dog population.

Casey (that's my male dog's name) would dearly love to, but that five-foot fence somewhat curbs his amorous desires.

## Fund Set For Child

A love fund has been established at the Citizens State Bank to defer doctor fees and hospital expenses incurred recently for Andrew Albrecht. He is the 18 month old son of Edgar and Barbara Albrecht of Cottonwood.

## 150 Dolls Need Dressing

The Goodfellows have furnished dolls to be distributed locally for children's Christmas gifts. Fay Chambers reported that 150 dolls need to be dressed before December 15. Additional Santa helpers are needed to meet the deadline.

The dolls are 14 inches tall and may be dressed in any style or fashion desired. The Ladies Quilting Club,

## Boys Basketball Team Small, But Tough

By VANDA KING  
Editor

Coach Jimmy Wren reports 12 boys in training on the varsity and junior varsity basketball teams. The number of boys is lower this year but he remarked, "They hustle and have determination."

The captains for the team are Clay Richardson (Senior), Troy Harris (Senior), Lee Meador (Senior) and Jesse Sibley (Senior). Other players are Stacy Montgomery (Junior); Scotty Cupit (Junior); Chris Brown (Sophomore); Lynn Porter (Sophomore); Clint Gilmore (Sophomore); Chad Bagley (Freshman); Eddie Albrecht (Freshman); and Robert Teague (Freshman).

Clay Richardson is the only return starter from last year's team. The rest of the varsity team has some varsity play experience, plus junior varsity time.

Coach Wren said he was changing the style of game to a structured pattern of offense and defense. He is trying to achieve a controlled running game rather than a free lance game. He stated that they are playing a man to man defense this year. Wren said, "My philosophy concerning the game is to have discipline and be consistent."

## Landmark Home Featured in Dec. 7 'Parade'

By ANN LONG

Since the early 1940's, "Greenwood Hill" has been used as a landmark when giving directions on Highway 279 south of Cross Plains. No one could possibly miss the large two story house sitting on a grassy knoll, with the giant Oak tree in the front yard.

In the early 1900's when John and Anna Harrell and their sons moved to this area, they picked this perfect location to build the family home.

In the beginning, only a small two room house was built, as Mrs. Harrell lived in Brownwood where the Harrell sons, Claude and Paul, attended school. Paul Harrell was a practicing attorney in Cross Plains for years.

Later, a two bedroom home with formal dining room, parlor and kitchen was built. In later years, three more rooms were added as well as a modern bath.

The second owners of the Colonial

### Turkey Winners

### Listed at Market

Village Market sponsored a Turkey Give-Away for the Thanksgiving Holidays. Turkey winners were Jessica Childers, 5 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Childers; Jessette Oliver, 4 year old daughter of Mrs. Jeanette Oliver; Mrs. Morris J. Gray and Mrs. R. C. (Ethel) Brown.

The lucky recipients picked up their 18 pound turkeys on Monday, just in time for Thanksgiving dinner preparations.

Village Market would like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving!

The four seniors, Richardson, Harris, Meador and Sibley have some playing experience and they symbolize the areas of strength. "The team as a whole needs to grow, but with good effort and working hard, I feel that they will be respectable. Where they finish in District standings will be determined by how hard they work," stated Coach Wren. Coleman, Bangs and Goldthwaite will be strong contenders for the District.

Coach Wren is optimistic and said the boys are taking the coaching well. The boys are tough and have decent speed, according to Wren. "It is a day by day learning process and I have been tough on them and I expect 100%."

He remarked that there are several players who have "basketball heads" meaning they are basketball smart, which is another asset.

A recent game with Roby finalized with a 80-53 score, Roby as the victors. Multiple turnovers, due to excitement and nerves, cost them the game, Wren says Roby has always had a fine basketball program and they are tough to beat.

Coach Wren stated that the support of parents and the community are important to the team and he hopes everyone will come out to watch the boys.

hill top home, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Moore, lived there several years before selling the farm to the J. M. Greenwoods in 1944.

Before coming to Cross Plains, J. M. and Pearl Greenwood and their daughter, Margaret, and two sons, Paul and Gene, lived in Big Lake, where Mr. Greenwood was in the insurance business.

Gene Greenwood was only ten years old when he saw the new home for the first time and he liked it right away, and so did the rest of the family. The Greenwoods settled down to farm and ranch life, and became a very important part of the community.

Pearl Greenwood would never pass up an opportunity to play the piano and sing. Her love for music gave those around her many happy hours of enjoyment.

After thirty-two years, the Greenwoods decided to retire and take life a little easier. For about two years, they lived on a lake near Marble Falls and enjoyed the quiet life, but they also missed Cross Plains and their friends.

It was this need to be back "home" that prompted the move back to Cross Plains. However, after moving back Mr. Greenwood's health began to deteriorate and other plans had to be made.

A lovely brick home was built for them in town and Gene and his lovely wife, Bettye, purchased the family home, so again Gene came home to "Greenwood Hill".

Gene and Bettye and their family had lived in Austin for several years. Gene was actively involved in the running of his Insurance Agencies, as

## Methodists Here To Note Century

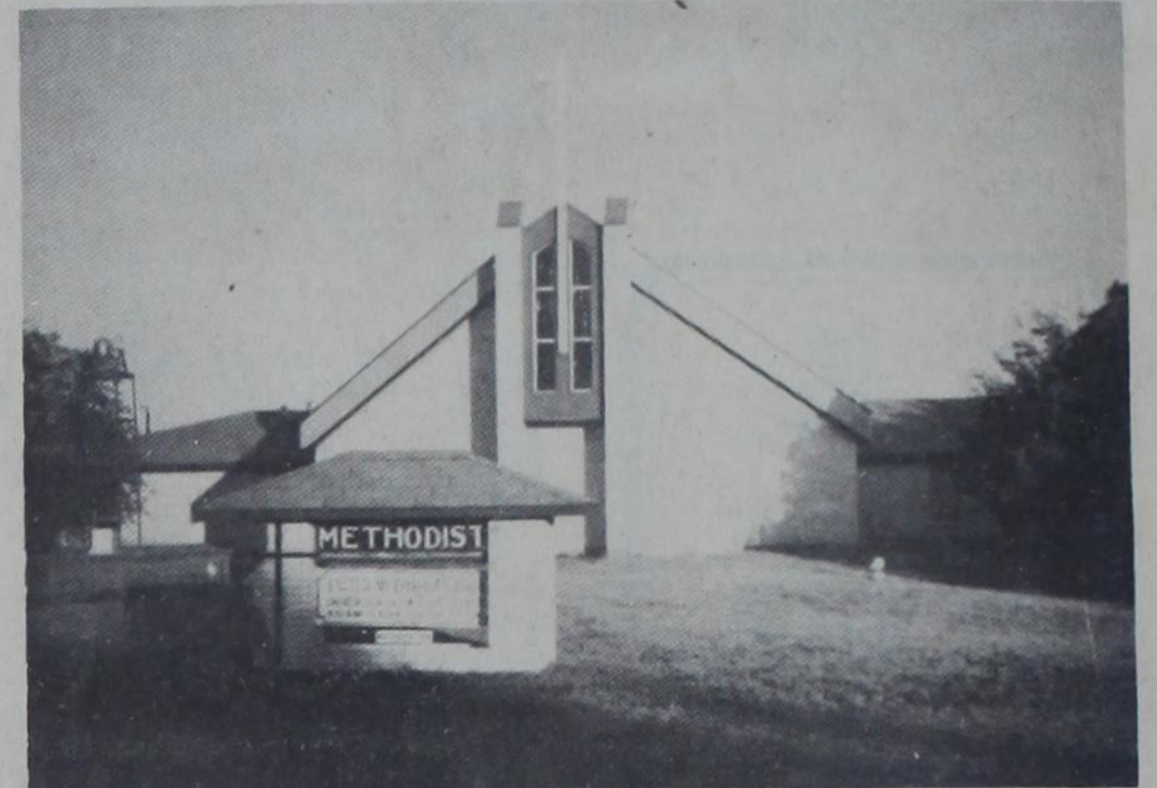
By JASPER COOK

The First United Methodist Church of Cross Plains will hold special services on November 30 to commemorate the 100th anniversary of its existence in Cross Plains. There will be a special worship service at 10:45 a.m., followed by a carry-in dinner. There will also be a special program at 1:30 in the afternoon.

The Cross Plains United Methodist Church was organized in 1886. Among the families who organized the church were Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. Mose A. Baum. Some of the organizer's descendants are members of the church today.

Those who started the church worshipped in a little school house west of the Cross Plains cemetery until 1901 when the first Methodist Church was erected. In either 1912 or 1913 the new town had been moved to its present location and the church building was moved from "old town" to the corner of Highway 36 and Main Street, where the Conoco Station, owned by Bill Wood, is now located.

In 1924 and 1925, under the pastorate of Tom Brabham, who later

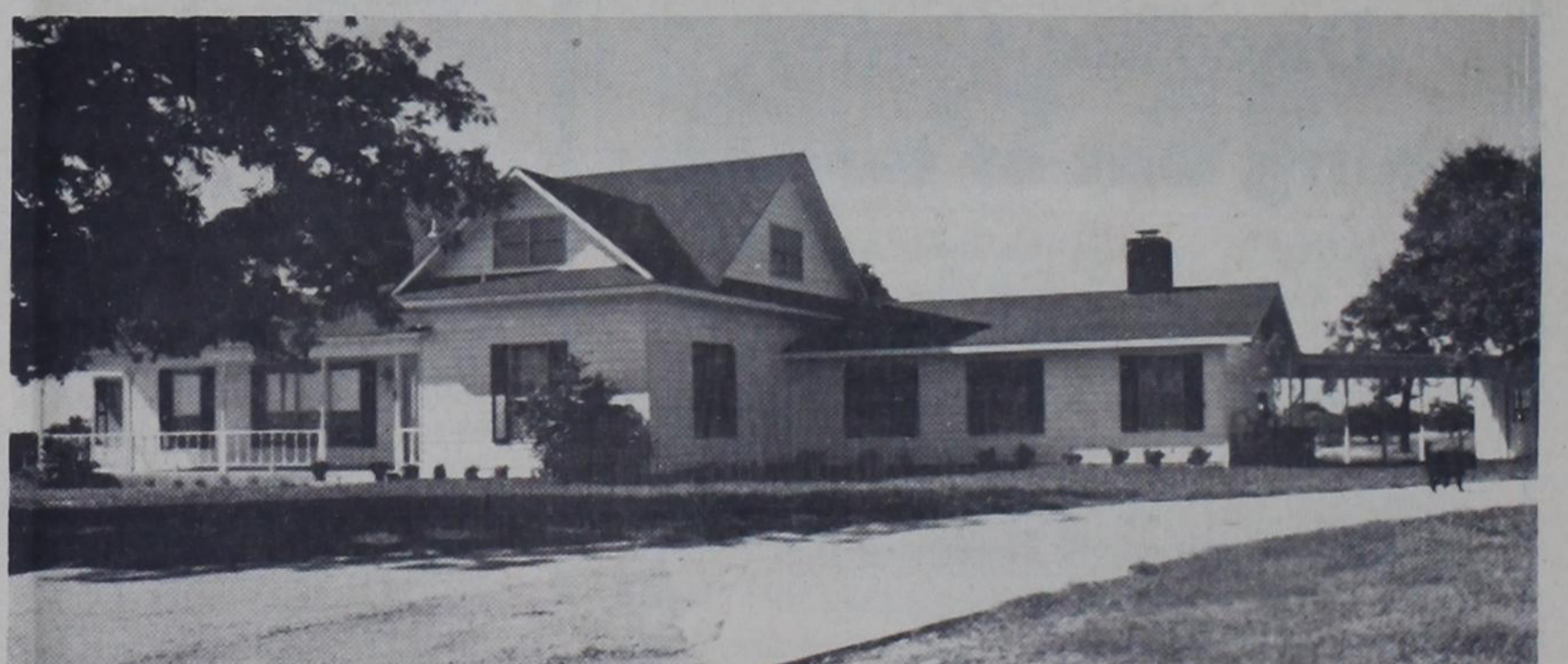


100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY — The Cross Plains United Methodist Church will celebrate 100 years of existence in Cross Plains in their modern facility Sunday.

became President of McMurry College, the church building on Eighth Street was erected. The Methodists worshipped at this location until the erection of the present church building on North Main Street. The present building was dedicated in May, 1982. Reverend Jasper Cook, the current pastor, has announced that several former pastors and members have been invited to the celebration on the 30th. The public is also cordially invited to attend.



"GREENWOOD HILL" — A view of the house when Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Greenwood were the owners.



NEW LOOK — Gene and Bettye recently remodeled. It will be featured in the Parade of Homes.

well as pioneering a computer program for all Insurance Companies making the rating and writing of policies much less complicated.

Their desire to slow down and get in the "slow lane" made the decision to sell the business and their home much easier. While in the "slow lane", they decided to buy a motor home and travel extensively over the United States.

They would not take anything for the time they were able to spend together and seeing all the beautiful country. Bettye related as we talked about the year they spent finding new

places and making new friends.

When they returned home, Bettye and Gene started remodeling the home, wanting to leave the basic structure of the house the same. They

### School Out Early

### Wednesday, Nov. 26

Cross Plains School will release early Wednesday, November 26. Buses will run at 2:45 p.m. due to Thanksgiving Holidays.

Classes will resume on Monday, December 1. Notice was received from Leonard Wood's office.

added only a six foot extension on the south of the house, converting the large garage on the north into a large den and utility area and added a double garage attached to the house by a covered walk way. The light beige plush carpet and off white walls give the house an open and spacious look.

The large formal living room features a fireplace and multi-level staircases and many pieces of antique furnishings.

The study adjacent to the living

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# COURTHOUSE NEWS

## First Coal-Fired WTU Plant To Be In Operation

Start-up operations at West Texas Utilities Co.'s Oklaunion Power Station are proceeding normally, and the new coal-fired generating plant is expected to be in commercial operation before the end of the year.

The huge plant eight miles southeast of Vernon produced its first electricity in a test run this past week, with 22 megawatts going out over transmission lines for a short time. When it is brought on line, the plant will have a net generating capacity of 665 megawatts.

an increase in base rates will be filed after the plant becomes commercial, although details have not been worked out. WTU has not raised its base rates in over two years, and has lowered its fuel charges and made fuel cost refunds four times to its retail customers.

The Oklaunion Power Station is by far the largest in the WTU system. Construction began in 1982 and all equipment is the most modern available, including state-of-the-art pollution control facilities.

From the beginning, ownership was shared by two other companies in the Central and South West Corp.—Public Service Co., of Oklahoma and Central Power and Light Co. Since construction began, PSO and CPL have sold portions of their shares to the Oklahoma Municipal Power Authority and the City of Brownsville. WTU remains majority owner and operator of the station.

## Personals

Visiting with Buford and Velma Carr recently were Cludie and Max Thompson of Duncanville.

The first test run was fueled by oil, but coal will be burned in future tests as the boilers are brought up to full load. An on-site supply of low-sulphur coal has been building up since July, when the first coal train arrived from Gillette, Wyoming.

The Oklaunion station is WTU's first coal-fired plant. The company's other eight plants use natural gas as the main fuel.

"We're glad that we'll no longer depend on just one source of fuel," said Walter Meller of Abilene, WTU's Manager of System Production.

"This new fuel mix means cheaper energy for all our customers in the long run," he said. "And in the short run, the more stable fuel costs will help offset higher base rates that will be necessary to pay for the new plant."

WTU officials say an application for

**COUNTY COURT**  
Mack Kniffen, presiding  
**Misdemeanor Filings**  
Kelly Lee Buchanan, DWI.  
Cathy Lynn Oliver, theft of property by check.  
Michelle Wistl Mobley, DWI.  
Jose Luis Hernandez, DWI.

## 13 Channels Provided

The Brownwood TV Cable Service has expanded its service from 12 channels to 13 channels. It now includes 2 - KERA; PBS (13) Dallas; 3 - WFAA ABC (8) Dallas; 4 - TNN Nashville Network; 5 - KTVT IND. (11) Dallas; 6 - HBO; 7 - KTAB CBS (32) Abilene; 8 - CBN IND.; 9 - KRBC NBC (9) Abilene; 10 - WGN IND. Chicago; 11 - WTBS IND. Atlanta; 12 - Weather and Information; 13 - ESPN Sports; and 22 - KDFW CBS Dallas.

The major change in the channels is that Nashville Network is now on Channel 4 and KDFW CBS Dallas moved to Channel 22.

Brownwood TV Cable Service hopes you will continue to enjoy your cable television viewing.

Benjamin Wilson Dye III, DWI.  
Jason Martin Sheen, DWI.  
Randy Randall Martin, driving while license suspended.  
Jan Thralls, DWI.  
Donald Ray Teague, DWI.  
Galvan Marcial Hernandez, DWI.

**Misdemeanor Minutes**  
Motions for continuance granting in following speeding cases: Delton Ray Caraway, Steven Dewey Townsend, James William Jewell II, Ann Payne, Camille Jan Wheeler, Donley E. Robinson.

Patrick Armstrong Jr., theft of property by check, plea of guilty, \$10 fine and \$105 court costs.

Following discharged from probation: Owen Hansell Sherrill Jr., Hal Dean Hargrove, Bill Lee Daniels.

Gordon Kenneth Falan, assault case dismissed in interest of justice.

Following traffic cases dismissed: Dennis Edwin Crowson, James Williams Jewell II (2 cases).

Mark James Reynolds, plea of guilty to possession of marijuana, \$495 fine and \$105 court costs.

Cathy Elaine Chandler, conditions of probation amended.

Riley A. Bailey, order granting deferred probation of 30 day jail term

in criminal conspiracy case, \$1,000 fine and \$105 court costs.

Eddie Ray Burkhalter, possession of marijuana case dismissed.  
Brad Devere Lookingbill, order granting probation of 30 day jail term in DWI case, \$500 fine and \$105 court costs.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Bernard Dacree Yancey, Ranger, and Delfa Dee Fox, Rt. 1, Ranger.  
Danny Glenn Rogerson, Rt. 1, Belton, and Clayrene May Isom, Clyde.

## NEW VEHICLES

Richard B. Wolfe, Abilene, Pont. 4 dr.

Ben L. Russell Jr., Baird, Pont. 4 dr.

E. L. Brown, Star Rt. 1, Baird, Chev. PU.

Verlene Moore, San Antonio, Mercedes 4 dr.

## 42nd DISTRICT COURT

Don Lane, presiding

## Civil Filings

Grady Glenn Wooten and Shari Deniece Wooten, suit for divorce.

Billy Herman Daniel and Dorcas Smithwick Daniel, suit for divorce.

Susan Larue Colwell vs. Dickie Lee Colwell Sr., suit for child support.

## Vet Medal Now Available From U.S. Mint

According to Putt Brandon, Veterans Service Officer for Callahan County, the Vietnam Veterans National Medal is now available from the U. S. Mint.

The bronze medal, being issued in a 3-inch and a 1½-inch diameter size, honors the courage and dedication of the men and women in the Armed Forces of the United States, who served in the Vietnam Conflict.

The 1½-inch medal for sale to the public is Number 685 on the Mint's Medal List, and sells for \$2.00 over the counter at Mint sales offices or \$2.25 if ordered by mail. The 3-inch medal is Number 686, and is \$15.00 over the counter or \$16.00 by mail order. A check or money order should be sent to: United States Mint (Medals), P.O. Box 500, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19105.

Qualifying organizations are eligible for discount prices for bulk orders. Anyone interested may write or call

to: United States Mint, Vietnam Veterans National Medal Discount Program, 633 Third Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20220, telephone (202)376-0476.

The Vietnam Veterans Medal was authorized by the Congress through passage of Public Law 98-566, and was signed by the President on October 30, 1984. In accordance with the law, the Mint held an open competition to invite ideas for design of the medal. A total of 784 design submissions were made by citizens, and were reviewed by a panel of representatives on the national level. The obverse design selected came from Army Corporal Terrill K. Trit h at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. The reverse design was made and offered by Jim Peed, an employee of the U. S. Mint.

Veterans who served during the Vietnam Era may order the medal from the address shown above.

## Homes Parade

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room is decorated with nautical decor which depicts Gene's love for the sea.

The very large and private bedroom suite features a fireplace and many windows, all of which create a very relaxed atmosphere.

The bath features an oversized elevated tub, lots of closet space and large windows with lots of sunlight for all the green plants.

The formal dining room has a stunning brass and crystal chandelier. The wall paper blends perfect with the carpet and antique furniture. There is a wood chair rail encircling the room that completes the early American look.

The large den has a lovely brick fireplace and many windows to bring light and cheery sunshine into this entertainment area.

Next to the den is a large utility room and sewing room. Bettye also has a room for her China painting and other hobbies.

The country kitchen has Maple cabinets on all four walls, with an original butcher block serving as an island. The breakfast area features a large bay window with antique round Oak table and chairs.

The entry at the back door has a double glass door leading out to a cool and inviting patio.

The two bedrooms upstairs are used by the Greenwood children, David and Cindy, when they return home for visits. A full bath separates the bedrooms and gives complete privacy to this area.

The exterior of the house is painted brilliant white, has black roof and all windows are trimmed with black shutters. A warm and friendly red antique brick walk leads from the circle drive to the front door of this gracious home.

Make plans to attend the Parade of Homes Sunday, December 7, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Tickets are \$5 each and can be purchased from any Beta Sigma Phi member or by calling Susan Sharpe at (817) 725-7154. Tickets may be purchased at the homes on tour day.



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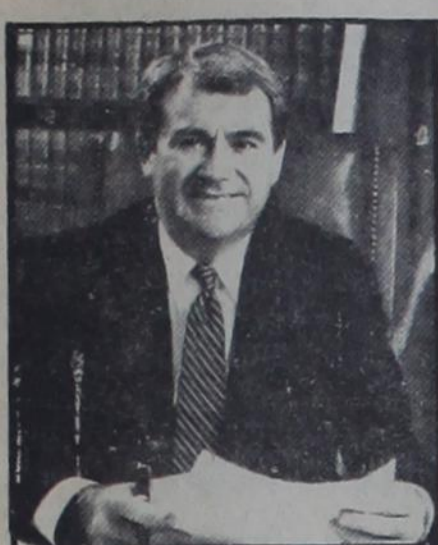
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# CONSUMER ALERT

by  
**Jim Mattox**  
Attorney General

## Getting Your Signal Straight on Satellite Dishes

If you are weary of poor television reception or if you live in an area without cable, you may be considering getting your own satellite dish. If you are, you should know that there is a wide range in quality and price. As with any major purchase, you should buy from a reputable dealer with a solid background, and avoid heavy sales pitches and gimmicks.

### HOW IT WORKS

Satellite dishes, if installed properly, are calibrated to point in the direction of communications satellites that hover over the earth. These satellites travel through space at the same speed as the earth's rotation. That is why the dish can continuously pick up the satellite's signals by being pointed in the right direction.

My consumer protection division has received complaints from a number of citizens who had trouble because their dishes were not properly installed. Improper installation can result in poor reception—or no reception at all.

### PRICE RANGE

My staff also has noticed a very wide range in prices for these dishes. Some advertisers claim they will provide all the necessary items for under \$1,500, while other systems may cost up to \$5,000. Although a consumer can generally expect to get better quality from a higher priced ap-

pliance, that is not always the case. We have received complaints about the highest priced systems as well as cheaper ones. The most important factor is the expertise and reputation of the company selling and installing the system.

### SIGNALS SCRAMBLED

Some consumers are purchasing satellite systems in order to avoid paying fees to their local cable companies. Although it is perfectly legal to pick up such signals without payment (for cable) if you have a dish, you should be aware that the cable companies are fighting back. Some companies, such as those that broadcast movies, are scrambling their signals so that only those who pay for cable can receive the signals.

Anyone who buys a dish only to receive "free" signals may find that he has to buy an expensive "unscrambler" in a few years in order to use the dish.

### FOR MORE HELP

If you need more help or information on this or other consumer problems, contact your nearest Attorney General Consumer Protection Office (in Austin, Dallas, El Paso, Houston, Lubbock, McAllen and San Antonio). The Attorney General's Office is the people's law firm. We're here to help you.

## SCHOOL BOARD SUMMARY

The Board of Trustees for the Cross Plains Independent School District met Thursday, November 20, and the following issues were addressed:

- The board approved the annual audit report as presented by Mr. Burl Lowery of Colyer and Lowery Associates of Brownwood.
- Permission was granted for a

Lee Thompson	Leonard Wood	Ray Womack
Theatre Arts 1-3		Cindy Layman
Theatre Arts 4-6		Cindy Layman
Health 1-3		Wanda Grable
P.E. 1-3		Margie Sowell
P.E. 4-6		Jerry Walker
Basal Reading English and K-8	Spanish	Mattie Faye Wilson
		Becky Thompson
		Cam Morgan
		Ann Higginbottom
		Mitchel Atchley
		Mac McConal
		Jo Rhodes
Handwriting 1-3		Jimmy Wren
Handwriting 4-6		Thomas Barclay
Texas Hist/Geography 7		Charlene Fleming
Earth Science 7-8		Kim Childers
Typewriting 7-8		Mitchel Atchley
Career Exploration 7-8, HS		Bill McKinnerney
Pre-Calculus, HS		Jo Rhodes
Chemistry I & II, HS		Jimmy Wren
Environmental Science, HS		Mike Permenter
Advanced Texas Studies, HS		Brenda Connors
U.S. Govt., HS		
Typewriting, HS		
Health Ed., HS		
Drivers and Traffic Safety Education		
Computer Science I & II, HS		

- The band trip request was tabled pending additional information.
- The superintendent was directed by the board to secure the layout for the proposed school track and bid specifications.
- The drug dog program was approved for the 1986-87 school year. The superintendent was directed to notify Mr. Royce Ingersoll of Waco, Texas to begin immediately with implementation of the program. The program includes inservice for teachers, assembly program and demonstrations for students and

welding clinic to be held for the general public on November 25 at the Vocational Ag Building and for the Little Miss Valentine Pageant on February 14 in the auditorium.

3. The local textbook committee was approved for the 1986-87 school year.

teachers and additional programs for the students.

7. The financial report was approved and approval was given to pay the bills.

8. Mrs. Gail Flippin's resignation as cook was accepted and Mrs. Ferne Hutchins was hired as her replacement.

9. The board retired to executive session to discuss personnel and a juvenile discipline matter.

10. The next regular meeting of the board will be December 18, 7:30 p.m.

## List Of Erodible Soils Released

A list of highly erodible and potentially highly erodible soils was released this week by USDA Soil Conservation Service as mandated by the Food Security Act of 1985.

The list revealed that 49.4% of the land in Callahan County is highly erodible and 18.4% is potentially highly erodible.

The conservation compliance provisions of the Act denies most USDA farm program benefits to farmers who farm highly erodible land unless the land is being farmed in accordance with a conservation plan approved by the local conservation district.

The Act allows a grace period for those who are not using a conservation plan. They have until January 1, 1990 to develop and begin actively applying a plan. They have until January 1, 1995 to have the plan fully in effect.

The provisions will have no effect on farmers who are using up-to-date conservation plans. If you are farming highly erodible land with a conservation plan, check with your local Soil Conservation Service Office to find out if it meets conservation compliance provisions.

Onsite field visits will be needed on land classified as potentially highly erodible to determine if it is highly erodible. Actual steepness of slope and length of slope will affect final determinations. If the land is not highly erodible, a conservation plan will not be required to continue receiving farm program benefits.

Highly erodible soils in Callahan County are Bonti fsl, Bonti-Callahan-Exray Complex, Chaney fsl, Chaney Variant, Cisco fsl, Demona-Patilo Complex, Hext-Oplin-Brackett Association, Mereta cl, Owens-Throck Association, Pedernales fsl, Rowden cl, Speck cl, Throck-Throck Association, Throck cl, Throck-Callahan-Owens Association, Throck-Owens-Lueders Association, and Throck-Speck Association.

Potentially highly erodible soils in Callahan County include: Callahan 1 2-5% slopes eroded, Cho gl, Cisco fsl 1-5% slopes eroded, Cisco-Hext-Pedernales Complex, Cisco-Hext-Pedernales Association, Lueders-Speck Association, Nukrum c 3-5% slopes, and Oplin-Speck Association.

"We are ready to help anyone prepare a conservation plan that doesn't have one," Steve Uselton, district conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service at Baird said. "We will do our best to try to help people figure out to apply enough conservation practices to keep them in compliance with the 1985 farm bill."

## ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. N. V. GIBBS

This has been a good weather week to round up outside chores for the winter — such as draining water hoses, mow the yard one more time since the freeze and take those calves to the auction ring. Then turkey and deer hunting is still in progress.

The community supper for this month will be postponed until the middle of December since some families will have company for the Thanksgiving weekend. It will be in the paper as to date and time.

Emma Johnson and Lizzie Burks report no company this week, only one hunter, Mike Knott of the Cross Plains area.

Edna Dye served a turkey dinner to her family Sunday. Attending were her children and grandchildren, Bob, Kathy and Julie Dye of the community, Tommy, Erlene and Douglas Dye of Abilene, and Edwin, Ann and Lori Ann Dye of Abilene. Also Ed and Betty Sayre and Mary Sayre of Breckenridge and another brother, Frank and his wife, Mildred of Eastland. All were helping out with the meal and had a happy day.

The Gene Mauldin home had no visitors this week, but Gene saw a new doctor in Abilene. He was feeling better when Vernie Belle visited in the N. V. Gibbs home Thursday afternoon.

When Don and Maryana Harrell were called Saturday, Maryana was sewing while Don and daughter, Leigh, were out hunting. Her sister, Malissa Andrews, and Billy of Austin spent last weekend in the Harrell home. Malissa and Maryana were at the Abilene Civic Center where the Abilene Junior League members sponsored a Christmas carousel. Business people from over the Big Country displayed their wares with sales to benefit the Junior League who in turn donated to their project of furnishing the Hendrick League House. Maryana is a club member.

Maryana also reported that she and Don will have their cutting horses for

the practice Futurity Work in Abilene next week and in weeks following their entering the major Futurity in Fort Worth. They expect as many as 700 horses in the Fort Worth show.

Visitors in the Sterling Odom home during the week were Wanda Montgomery and A. L. and Ora Breeding of the Cottonwood area.

John and Ellen Carpenter of Denton and his father, Jackie Carpenter, of Azle visited in the James Reynolds home this weekend. The men hunted.

When the Robert Watson family was contacted by phone Saturday morning, they were still excited about their win in the Baird-Santo play-off game in Ranger Friday night. She thought all the Baird people were there cheering their team. They will play in Vernon next Friday night in regional with Turkey Valley. A winning team should keep up the pace.

Paul Watson was on the Junior High team when they played Eula in basketball in the Baird gym Tuesday night.

Dorothy Reynolds reported that she and James attended most of the revival services in their church at Clyde last week culminating in a church supper on Wednesday night.

Lee and Jean Jernigan of Lake Proctor spent part of the week in their trailer at the Tony Steele home where he has done some hunting.

It will be Wednesday before most of you get your papers, so we say, "Happy Thanksgiving" to all and know you have as much to be thankful for as this writer. Also, from then on Christmas will be seen in stores and it will arrive all too soon for most families.

Edna Dye spent last Wednesday night in Breckenridge with her family, Ed and Betty Sayre and Mary Sayre and was their guest at a dinner at the Woman's Club house where Congressman, Charles Stenholm, was guest speaker.

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Wed. Evening Prayer Service.....	7:30 P.M.
Sunday Choir Practice.....	6:00 p.m.

Knox Waggoner, Pastor

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# BASKETBALL SUMMARY

Tuesday, Nov. 18:  
 JV Girls vs. Eastland Mavericks  
 Score:  
 Cross Plains — 38  
 Eastland — 47  
 High Point: Kristy Pointer — 13 pts.  
 Pam Helms — 7  
 Bethany Meador — 5  
 Pam Strength — 5  
 Stephanie Walker — 4  
 Sheila Sibley — 2  
 Shauna Cowan — 2

Varsity Girls vs Eastland  
 Score:  
 Cross Plains — 43  
 Eastland — 68  
 High Point: Beth Wood — 23 pts.  
 Melissa Montgomery — 7  
 K-Trina Meador — 5  
 Sheila Payne — 4  
 Deana Conlee — 2  
 Tina Evans — 2

JV Boys vs Roby  
 Score:  
 Cross Plains — 29  
 Roby — 37  
 The game was called after 2 quarters.

Varsity Boys vs Roby  
 Score:  
 Cross Plains — 53  
 Roby — 80  
 High Point: Clay Richardson — 23  
 Troy Harris — 14  
 Lee Meador — 13  
 Chad Bagley — 2  
 Stacy Montgomery — 1

Friday, Nov. 21:  
 Varsity Girls vs Blanket  
 Score:  
 Cross Plains — 39  
 Blanket — 30  
 High Point: Beth Wood — 13  
 Melissa Montgomery — 12  
 Deana Conlee — 8  
 Sheila Payne — 5  
 Free Throws: Beth Wood — 5  
 Melissa Montgomery — 4  
 Team Totals: 11 of 15 made.

JV Boys vs Blanket  
 Score:  
 Cross Plains — 31

Blanket — 43  
 Varsity Boys vs Blanket  
 Score:  
 Cross Plains — 69  
 Blanket — 27

## Spanish Students "Travel" To Spain

On Thursday, November 20, Penny Segars and 5 of her Spanish II students went to Howard Payne University in Brownwood. They met and spent the afternoon with Dr. Frieda Blackwell who is Mrs. Segars Spanish Professor at Howard Payne. The students had an opportunity to see slides of the time that Dr. Blackwell spent in Spain. She lived there several years and even taught grade school part of the time she was there. She talked with them of what it was like to live there and the customs and culture of the Spanish people.

Those going with Mrs. Segars were LeeAnn Dominguez, Samantha Bomar, Tina Dukes, Tim McCoy and Paula Kennedy. According to Penny, all had a good time and learned quite a bit about life in another country.



DECEMBER 1 — DECEMBER 3  
 BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Cinnamon toast, grape juice, milk.  
 TUESDAY — Pancakes w/syrup, sausage, butter, orange juice, milk.  
 WEDNESDAY — Choice of ready to eat cereal, toast, grape juice, milk.

### LUNCH

MONDAY — Burritos w/chili, cheese, green peas, pickles, cake, milk.  
 TUESDAY — Spaghetti w/meat sauce, buttered carrots, rolls, chilled fruit, milk.  
 WEDNESDAY — Pizza, garden salad, buttered corn, Jello, milk.

# C.P. Student Review

By Mass Media Class

Carol Atchley, Instructor

## School Jackets Ordered

By JAMES AMES

The eligible Cross Plains High School football players have recently ordered letter jackets. The following players have met the qualifications to letter this year: Seniors Alan Fleming, Shane Bubenik, Chuck Weiss, Jesse Sibley and Clay Richardson. Juniors Darin Apple, Gregg Weiss and David Wilson. Sophomores Tye Flippen, James Ames, Robbie Wheeler, Bill Johnson, David Taylor, Chris Brown, Curtis Wyatt and Casey Williams. Freshmen Cody Odom and Deron Duffey.

A player becomes eligible for a letter jacket by playing at least 16 varsity quarters, although it is not required to play the complete quarter.

The jackets are payed for by the school out of the Athletic budget, but only one jacket is purchased for each person during their entire 4 years in High School. If anybody wants more than one jacket, they have to pay for it themselves.

Also, the U.I.L. regulates that the school may not pay more than \$40 towards that one jacket. The jackets range from \$40 to \$60, with anything over the \$40 limit being paid for by the student.

If a student meets the eligibility requirements for football again after he has already received a jacket, he is given a bar that is sewn on the jacket and which represents each year he was lettered. Of the 5 Seniors, 3 of them have lettered for 4 years including Alan, Shane and Jesse. Clay has played only this year and Chuck has played two.

## Say Cheese

Finally, the Journalism class has purchased their new Polaroid camera for which they have been raising money.

They purchased a Polaroid Spectra System camera and are looking forward to making good use of it — so watch for our pictures.

Thanks to all of those who purchased a Student Directory which made this possible.

## DID YOU KNOW . . .

By PAUL BURNETT

1. The rock wall behind the high school building was built in 1934, making it 52 years old.
2. The tennis courts at the high school were re-surfaced this year at a cost of \$4950.
3. There are only 113 school days left as of Wednesday, November 26.



THE JOURNALISM CLASS — These students top row (from left) Robbie Wheeler (Soph), James Ames (Soph), Carol Atchley, Instructor, Paul Burnett (Soph), Amy Foller (SR) and

bottom row (from left) Leann Webb (Sr), Sheila Payne (Sr) and Paula Kennedy (Sr) are the writing staff of the C.P. Student Review.

## The Importance Of "Here"

By LEANN WEBB

Last month, the Cross Plains Schools had an attendance run. it was a contest consisting of 4 groups which were Kindergarten through 3rd grade, 4th through 6th grade, 7th and 8th grades, and 9th through 12th grade.

In the first division (K-3), Mrs. Thompson's 3rd grade won with an attendance record of 99.4 per cent. Mrs. Grable's 3rd grade had 99.09 per cent and Mrs. Edington's Kindergarten had 98.38 per cent.

In the 4th-6th grade division, it was lead by Mrs. Golson's 5th grade with 99.08 per cent; followed by Mrs. Morgan's 6th grade at 77.81 per cent. Mrs. Stambaugh's 4th grade had 97.38 per cent attendance.

In the junior high classes, the 8th grade had a 96.4 per cent rate with the 7th grade at 94.49 per cent.

The contest between the high school classes resulted in the Freshman class winning, which entitled them to a free hamburger and coke at P.K.'s provided by the school.

They had a total average daily attendance of 98.6 per cent.

The 10th grade was second with 97.14 per cent. Third place went to the 11th grade at 95.8 per cent, and last but not least — well...the Seniors with 93.84 per cent (must be early cases of "Senioritis").

The purpose of the attendance competition is very important. The school receives money from the state based on the "ADA".

The state sets the rate between \$1500 to \$2000 per student figured in the ADA. Unfortunately, it's not based upon total enrollment, but

average attendance taken during 2 months during the year.

In the October count, the school had an "Average Daily Attendance" of 96.4 per cent. As you can see, the higher the attendance during these two months, the larger the amount sent to C.P.I.S.D. by the state. Attendance count will be taken again in the spring.

## Textbook Covers

By PAUL BURNETT

Each year the Elementary and High School receive book covers as a service to the school from several different businesses. The printing is done by the Walraven Book Cover Company in Richardson.

The companies that pay for the printing are then, in turn, able to advertise on the covers.

These covers are provided at no charge to the students; and since it is local policy to require students to keep their textbooks covered to protect them, they are certainly appreciated.

We would like to thank the following area merchants who provide bookcovers to the Cross Plains School System:

- Taylor Electric Co-op., Inc.
- Town and Country Food Stores
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## Student Conduct

By CA

For those of you who attended the Beauty Pageant and found it difficult or impossible to hear the announcers, or were unable to see or enjoy your children as they were presented on stage, or were irritated by the disrespectful conduct of some of the students in the audience, you will be pleased to know that something was done about the situation.

The following is a memo addressing the problem; a copy of which was given to each high school and junior high student on Monday, November 17, in separate assemblies conducted by Principals Leonard Wood and Ray Womack.

It was accepted positively by the students, and if you attend the next school program, or basketball game, or other activity, the atmosphere should be noticeably improved.

To: All Students In The Cross Plains ISD

From: Leonard T. Wood, High School Principal

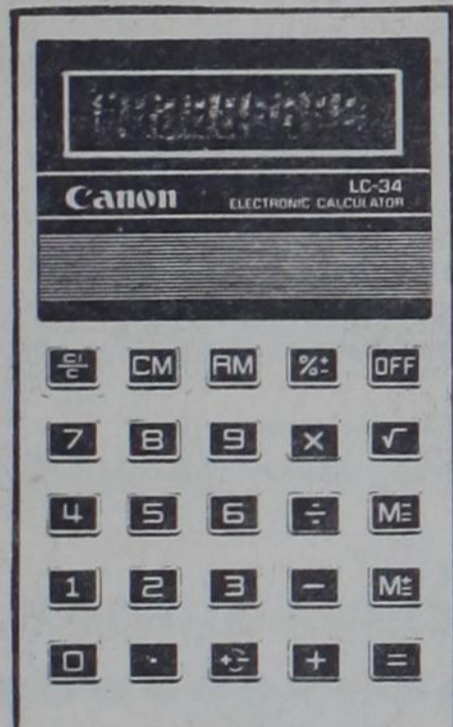
Date: November 17, 1986

Subject: Student Conduct At School Sponsored Activities

After witnessing the immature conduct of many students last Friday night at the Beauty Contest and receiving many telephone calls and having numerous conversations with parents and very concerned citizens, it is apparent that many of our students need tutoring in "how to act in public." I was extremely hurt to see that our entire student body was going to be shouldered with the blame belonging to a small group of irresponsible young people. School sponsored activities are designed to increase student participation and allow enjoyable entertainment for the community. No individual or group of individuals has the right to disrupt such an activity to the extent that parents can't even enjoy watching their own children participate. That's how bad Friday night was — it won't happen again!

Even at this early date in basketball season, students have already begun to give us a reputation as a rude host to visiting schools. No matter what you hear or see from local or visiting fans, you as an individual are responsible for your own actions. The blame for your actions will not be shifted to someone else. If you can't handle the consequences, I suggest you learn to control yourself!

From this date on students will be required to enter and exit all activities in an orderly manner. You must be seated in all indoor events. If you become unruly in any way, you will be removed from the activity area and further penalties as stated in the student code of conduct will be assessed as necessary. If it comes to the point where monitored student seating sections are required or where students must be accompanied by their parents and have to sit with them to maintain order, it will be done. At this point, you have a choice in the matter — clean up your act or the decision will be made for you!



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1. Total yearbook sales this year were \$2700.
2. The Senior class made \$359 by sponsoring the Beauty Pageant. (without expenses paid).
3. Another 6-week grading period ended on Friday, November 21.
4. Thanksgiving holiday at Cross Plains Schools will be Thursday, November 27, and Friday, November 28. School will let out at 2:45 on Wednesday, November 26.
5. Joe Coppinger attended an organizational meeting of One-Act Play directors. The meeting was held in Winters on Wednesday, November 19.
6. Basketball games next week: (Nov. 26-Dec. 3).

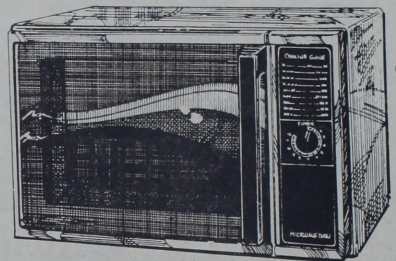


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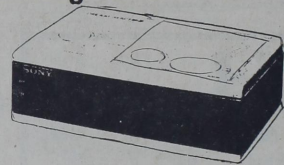


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# BURKETT NEWS

By FREEDA BURKETT

Maurine Clark reports the following contributions to the Burkett-Adams Historical Association: Vera Pearl Bunnell \$10, Betty Browning \$10 and the Wesley Sunday School Class of the Cross Plains Methodist Church \$10 all in memory of Mrs. Callie Swafford. Maurine says "Thanks to you — we appreciate it."

Our weather made a drastic change last week when it dropped to 26° Tuesday, 22° on Wednesday and 20° on Thursday of last week with sleet and some showers making our highway slick for at least one day. Today, Tuesday, it is a beautiful sunshine morning. A little cold weather makes us appreciate some warm days.

Montie Jennings fell at her home Thursday of last week sustaining a broken hip and a badly injured shoulder. She underwent surgery Friday at Brownwood Regional Hospital, and latest news is that she has been able to stand on her feet some, and doing well considering her condition. Get well wishes to Montie.

The Quilting Club met Friday of last week with Virgie Adams, hostess. Those present were Cleo Porter, Willie Mae Wilson of Santa Anna, Evelyn Henderson, a guest of Weatherford, Lucille Cross, Wilda Tomlinson, Eunice Mountain, Freeda Burkett and the hostess. Virgie's quilt was finished and another put in the frames for Lucille Cross with some quilting done on it. They are meeting today, Tuesday, the regular quilting day to finish it.

Maurine Clark sec-treas. of the Burkett-Adams Historical Association acknowledges the following memorial gifts in memory of Clara Brown. Velma Lee Mosley \$20, Mr. and Mrs. Byron McAnally \$5 and Birdie Helms \$10.

Mrs. Doris Walker spent week before last in Merkel with her sister, Thelma Wade and her children. Thelma brought her home and they visited their father, R. L. Carey, patient at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains.

Andrew and Doris Walker were in Brownwood last Saturday and visited Montie Jennings, patient at Brownwood Regional Hospital.

Virgil and Freeda Burkett were among a group of thirteen of the Cross Plains Church of Christ that went to Abilene after Sunday morning worship services for a Chinese lunch. The food was good and especially the fellowship together.

The Burketts and Lucille Cross were among those that enjoyed a songfest at the home of Mrs. Mary Bates after the evening church service. Refreshments were served during an intermission of the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Byers of Merkel visited with Velma, Dan and Esther Byers last Sunday.

Russell Gould of Abilene spent the weekend with the D. R. Goulds. We all were luncheon guests with Linda Brinson Sunday.

Jerry, Linda and Matt Strickland visited with Bill, Joyce and Barbara Strickland Sunday evening.

Dalton and Lucille Gould visited with Oscar and Edna Gould in Coleman Saturday evening.

Latest news on the condition of Montie Jennings was reported today, Friday, by Lovera Strickland. She said when she and Jack visited her yesterday, Montie was doing very satisfactorily and may be dismissed in another week.

Lucille Gould and Grace Green also visited her yesterday.

# COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

Wishing you all a Blessed and Happy Thanksgiving Day.

Andrew Albrecht, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Albrecht was admitted to Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene Friday evening when he underwent a series of X-rays and scan tests. They released him Saturday to return home. A "love fund" has been set up in the Cross Plains Bank to help the family with the physicians and hospital expenses.

## AARP Enjoyed Thanksgiving Meal

The AARP sponsored a Thanksgiving meal Tuesday, November 18, and 43 members were present, plus 19 visitors.

Dick and Judy Womack, Jerry James and Marvin Denton of Brownwood Lake entertained with music and singing after the meal was served.

The next regular meeting will be held Monday, December 1, at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center beginning at 11:00 a.m. New officers will be installed at that time. All members are urged to be present.

Keep in mind, the Christmas meal will be held December 16. More information on this will follow at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Byrd in Keller had family members in their home over the weekend for the annual Thanksgiving dinner. Those attending from Cottonwood were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly, Mrs. Bill Nickerson, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Rogers and family; Miss Rickie Jo Potter of Cross Plains; Keith Kelly of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Weaver of Missouri City; Mrs. Wanda Hammell of Schritz. Max and Shirley's family attending were Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Low, Cheryl and friend, Danny Smitherman, granddaughter, Tracy Byrd, and Mrs. Amy Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Myrich of Abilene were down Thursday night visiting and had supper with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bigbee.

*"That man is richest whose pleasures are the cheapest."*  
*Henry David Thoreau*

# You Tellum!

By Art Lawler

Did I hear a crack in the teflon? Surely not. If the president says it's OK to sell arms to the Iranians, then it must be OK.  
Who are we to question the wisdom of Ronald Reagan? We hired him to do a job, after all, and that's what he's doing. The president was elected to simplify government, and when you cut out the congress, your own Secretary of State and every voter in the country, that's simplification.  
And yet, even as we write, there are those who question the wisdom of the president's move. There are those who would suggest we are negotiating with terrorists, even as we pound our chests and say WE WILL NOT NEGOTIATE WITH TERRORISTS.  
These simple-minded dullards fail to realize that not everyone who appears to be a terrorist is indeed a terrorist. The Iranians, who housed some of our finest citizens for 44 days were not terrorists, for instance. They were inn-keepers.  
Simply put, it is in the U.S. interest to make friends with inn-keepers - especially when the inn-keepers wear machine guns and kill Americans on direct orders from God.

So, rather than negotiating with terrorists, we are trying to improve foreign relations with our good friends from Iran by selling them arms which can be used to shoot troublemakers.  
There's a big difference, don't you think? Why don't you tellum about it.

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## Community Calendar

NOVEMBER 30

Colonial Oaks Nursing Home church services will begin at 3:30 p.m., conducted by the Old Time Gospel Mission.

DECEMBER 1

The AARP will have a regular meeting on Monday at 11:00 a.m. at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center. New officers will be installed at that time.

DECEMBER 2

The Paint and Palette Club will have a Christmas party Tuesday, beginning at 7:00 p.m. at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center. Members should bring a gift to be exchanged during the party.

DECEMBER 6

The Lakewood Recreation Center's regular monthly supper scheduled for November 29 has been cancelled. A Christmas supper has been slated for December 6. All members are urged to attend the special occasion.

## Postal Service Offers Mailing Tips

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## PERSONALS

Visitors in Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill's home were Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Walker, Leo Thompson, Jay Kirkham, Juanita Thornton and L. A. Richardson all of Cross Plains.

Out-of-town guests were Howard Shanks of Big Spring, Claude Mae Gardner of Rising Star, Cleo White and Patsy Nixon of Angleton.

## OIL NEWS

Prentice Petroleum Inc., Abilene, completed No. 6-B Hollis Schults "B" in the regular, 3 miles east of Cross Cut. Spots 3,253 FNL and 1,896 FEL, Section 151, P. Curlong. Elevation 1,535 GL.

Daily pumping potential was 22 barrels of 42-gravity oil and 5 barrels of water from perfs at 1,198-1,205, GOR 650:1. Total depth 1,248; plug back 1,235; top of pay 1,198; 4½-inch casing set at bottom. Treated with 350 gallons 10 percent acid; fraced with 5,500 pounds sand.

Tops: Blake 1,096; Cross Cut 1,198.

## Zella Erwin Attends Tax Seminar

Zella Erwin attended an Income Tax Seminar at Stephenville the past week. There were approximately 100 Tax Practitioners in attendance.

She reports that this was a very rewarding seminar since there are so many new laws taking effect in the income tax system.

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HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams  
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AUSTIN—Last week Texas was served "the unusual":

• With the first cash management notes issued by the Treasury, Texas made an extra \$12 million or more because a Wall Street bidder made a math error. Ours to keep.

• In a rare display of outspokenness from the high court, Texas Supreme Court Justice Franklin Spears criticized Chief Justice John Hill of grabbing for power and ignoring other members of the court. Hill denied it.

• And a new twist on lobbying was added when a Houston lobbyist offered to pay some legislators for attending a cocktail party. Some were incensed.

Spears' beef is not with Hill's integrity or legal ability, but with his treatment of other justices as assistants instead of equals. Hill's recent campaign for appointed instead of elected judges has caused Spears to speak out.

Hill is for the appointment system, but seven of nine justices oppose it, Spears said. "I think he (Hill) wants a voice in who gets named judges at all levels." Hill said no.

Spears has served on the court since 1969, Hill since 1984.

Break On Interest

The state sold \$600 million in short-term notes and the New York syndicate which bought half the bond issue apparently bid 0.03 percent on one part, instead of the 3.75-to-4 percent range.

The math error means Texas will save \$12 million or more in interest, because both Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox and Treasurer Ann Richards say the bond sale is final.

Some 19 firms bid on the notes which provide cash for state government that used to be borrowed from other state funds at higher interest rates.

"Outright Attempt"

A lobbyist for the Houston transit authority invited 13 legislators to two receptions and said money raised there will be divided among their officeholder accounts, perhaps as much as \$500 each, if they attend.

The Common Cause group and some legislators reacted negatively and state Rep. Randy Pennington said lawmakers "should be incensed at the outright attempt to buy special interest."

A transit authority spokesman said it did not consider the money payment for attendance.

Official Language

The resolution may cause a revolution after top officials in the Texas Republican Party

called for constitutional amendments to make English the official language.

But Mexican-American Democrats chairman Ruben Bonilla, Jr. called the resolution an underhanded maneuver to isolate Hispanics in Texas.

At issue is whether such a designation would force out bilingual voting ballots and other official documents. A law on the books makes English the official curriculum language.

Of interest is whether the Texas GOP, which made such strong gains with the candidacy of Roy Barrera, Jr., has shot itself in the foot in the eyes of Hispanic voters.

Other Highlights

• A federal appeals judge temporarily halted the feds' tree-crushing operation to clear areas of an east Texas forest damaged by pine beetles.

Rains have also slowed the controversial clearing, which opponents say needlessly destroys plants and wildlife.

• Texas A&M University officials opened a \$4.5 million center to house the Ocean Drilling Program, a multinational project to study the sub-ocean core.

• A recount has been sought in state representative District 32, which includes Victoria, where a Republican won for the first time this century by a 19-vote margin.

• Clive Cussler, the famous author of "Raise the Titanic" and other books of naval intrigue, led a team which found what they think is the long-lost Texas navy warship "Zavala" buried under a Galveston parking lot.

They failed to locate the schooner "Invincible," which sank in Galveston Bay in 1837 after fighting the Mexican navy at Yucatan.

Cussler was aided by divers from Texas A&M and the Texas Antiquities Committee. His operation finds wrecks and turns over the salvage operations to proper authorities.

Residential Customers Pay Less For Electricity

Residential customers of West Texas Utilities Co., are paying less for electricity during November than the average price being paid by customers of other investor-owned utilities in Texas.

The monthly report by the Public Utility Commission of Texas shows that WTU's standard residential rates are \$36.80 for 500 kilowatt-hours, compared to an average of \$38.53 among the state's eight investor-owned companies, and \$64.09 for 1,000 KWh, compared to an average of \$70.

Highest rates in the state are charged by El Paso Electric, whose customers are paying \$49.69 for 500 KWh and \$92.86 for 1,000 KWh.

The PUC report shows that WTU's rates have declined 11.4 per cent since November 1985, while the average decline among all utilities in the survey, including rural electric cooperatives and municipals, was 8.8 per cent.

PIONEER NEWS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

When the A.A.R.P. had their supper and program on Tuesday of last, there was a really great attendance. Several residents of this community were there.

Visiting Mrs. Ethel Brown recently were F. L. Dean of Big Spring, Mrs. John Williams of Rising Star, Jimmielee Payne of Cross Plains, and neighbors, Jean Fore and Mr. and Mrs. Cole Tillotson.

Rev. John Swift of Cross Plains visited with Joe and Nell Fleming last Friday. They appreciate his visits and his concern. Sam Fleming of Snyder visited them one day last week. Jim and Charlene Fleming had dinner with them on Sunday. Gladys and Bill Sessums visited them on Thursday of last week.

J. T. and Betty Beggs visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. George Mac Taff. On Wednesday, Mr. David Beggs of Morton Valley visited with them. On Sunday, J. T. and Betty had dinner with Mr. David Beggs; it was his 84th birthday. Betty states that he still hunts, fishes, works his garden.

George Roody of San Francisco came in last Friday to visit his family here. Bobby and Sally visited on Friday with Billie and H. A. Freeman.

Happy Birthday

NOVEMBER 27

- Mrs. Lawrence Lee  
Dr. Weldon Newton  
Morris Belew  
Sue Gardner Hines  
J. B. Strength  
Mrs. Hester Sullens  
Bill Cohn  
Garry Smoot  
Paul Matthew Sowell  
Emma Lou Corley  
Dale Porter

NOVEMBER 28

- Eddie Flippin  
Joan Brown  
Mrs. Ray Fletcher  
Jody Brown  
Mrs. Kenneth McPherson  
Drue (Jones) Evans  
Mary Penninger  
Perry Neal Clyatt  
Robert Lawrence  
Oneta Thate

NOVEMBER 29

- Janet Whiteley  
Charles Payne  
Alan Neil Byrd  
Roberta Conlee  
Mrs. Dora Lilly  
Randal Franke  
Michael Mobley  
Sam A. Arrowood  
Mike Walker  
Cody Zane Knowles

NOVEMBER 30

- Donald Hargrove  
Julie Watson  
Paul (Wright) Winfrey  
Bill Kirkham  
Mrs. Bill (Nita) Hines  
Denise Flippin  
Vernette Rhodes

DECEMBER 1

- Sam Odom  
John D. Montgomery  
Mark Bland  
Jerry Whiteside  
Craig (Penrod) Rogers  
Darrell Lynn Dillard  
Mrs. Ira Calhoon  
Pamela McCowen  
Stephen Farmer  
Wilda Holland  
Vanda Livingston

DECEMBER 2

- Pat (Vaughn) Sox  
Faye Marie Chambers  
Harold Garrett  
Marilyn Maria Perry  
William Johnson  
Mrs. Marla Gunn  
Rex Lee Beggs  
John Long  
Benny Callaway  
Darrell Collier  
Jessica Hernandez  
Tracy Erwin

DECEMBER 3

- Bill Sipes  
Mary Frances Walker  
Dana (Bains) Dimitri  
Marvin Cade  
Mrs. J. D. Moore  
Bobby Porter  
Darin Apple

They played "42" and had a fun evening. They visit nearly every day with Mr. Howard Hicks. Ms. Nettie Roody visited them on Sunday.

Mrs. Jewel Foster stated she is busy getting things ready for "company" over the holidays. Her "kids" are coming in. So are mine, and I have a lot of "getting ready" to do.

VA Burial Benefits

The amounts paid by the Veterans Administration for the burial of eligible deceased veterans have been returned to the maximum available under Federal laws. According to Putt Brandon, Veterans Service Officer for Callahan County, the maximum amounts are once again being paid, effective October 1, 1986.

On March 1, 1986, the VA Burial allowance benefits were reduced under provisions of the Gramm-Rudman-Hollings Act, all part of the plan to reduce government spending. These reduced payments for VA burial allowance continued in effect until the new Fiscal Year commenced on October 1, 1986.

The VA burial allowance is now \$1,100 when the evidence shows that the death of a veteran was caused by a disability which was rated as service-connected by the VA. When the veteran's death is not service-connected, the amount paid by the VA is \$300, with an additional \$150 paid for the grave space or burial plot when burial is not in a cemetery owned by the Federal Government. In nonservice-connected death cases, the VA burial allowance can be paid only if the veteran was, at the time of death, receiving or entitled to receive VA compensation or pension.

In both service-connected and nonservice-connected cases of veterans with honorable military service, the VA can furnish free of any charge, a marker for the grave. If the family prefers, a private marker may be purchased and, upon proper application, the VA can reimburse up to \$71 on the purchase price.

The local Veterans Service Officer can provide additional information on these benefits that are available through the Veterans Administration.

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My earliest memories of Thanksgiving are of eating fried chicken, not turkey.

It's 10:45 in the morning, and already the Green Bay Packers are on television against the Detroit Lions, in living black-and-white, and with no zoom lens shots.

The men are sitting in the living room, and the women are congregated in the kitchen, executing the meal. Grown men occasionally walk into the kitchen, hoping to steal a bite of the dressing. Invariably they are thrown out by the cooking technicians. Young boys are playing football in the front yard. I have no idea what the young girls are doing.

Because the spread is so elaborate, it usually takes until 2 or 3 in the afternoon to get it cooked. The men are weakened by the time seating orders are issued.

My Dad is the preacher, so he always says the blessing. Being as hungry as the rest of us, he makes it brief.

I'm not sure when a child finally earns the right to move from the card table to the dining table with the rest of the adults. My wife says her cousin in California didn't make the big table until she was 18.

That's not a standard law, or anything. A young woman could earn the right by getting married, or having a baby. Boys probably need to letter on the high school football team.

Thanksgiving can be a depressing time, of course.

I hate those news features where somebody from the local station goes to the city jail and takes pictures of some poor slobs in white overalls eating turkey and dressing. They may be the biggest jerks on earth, but they don't deserve that kind of humiliation.

For those out there who haven't figured out how to have Thanksgiving Day the proper way, here's a brief list to follow:

- Always get up in time to watch the Macy's Day parade. And be sure to do the watching in your pajamas and housecoats. Getting dressed is an insult to tradition.
- Women need to have started the feast by 5 a.m. Naturally, you will have already made preliminary preparations the evening before.
- Do not EVER have a Thanksgiving

Day meal without giblet gravy.

• Do not EVER have a Thanksgiving Day meal without both mashed and sweet potatoes.

• Do not EVER make Thanksgiving Day dressing without sage, even if you're allergic to it.

• Do not EVER try to get away with making just one pie. We're talking pumpkin, custard, apple and chocolate, here, maybe pecan, too, so start early.

Put dish towels over them when you're through.

• If your family can't be with you, at least give them a phone call so you can both talk about how miserable you are from having overeaten.

• If you're male and you don't like football, you're more or less obligated to go hunting. Be careful you don't wind up the way the turkey did.

• At least try to be thankful. Your bank account may be overdrawn and your teenage daughter may be driving you nuts, but it could be a lot worse. They don't have Thanksgiving in Iran, or in the Soviet Union. Nobody shoots at you on the way to the voting booth.

If things are fouled up in Washington, there's a good chance it's your fault. Talk to your daughter without lecturing, if that's possible.

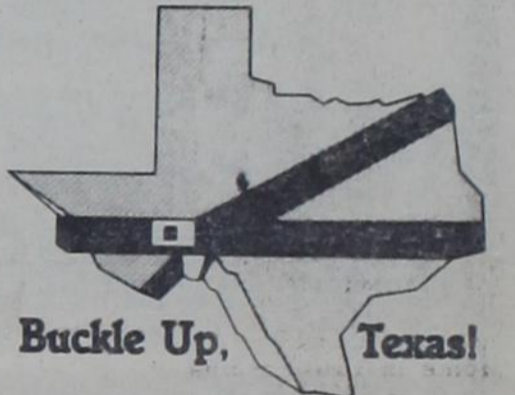
Just be thankful you have the means to clean up your own messes.

• Finally, don't try to eat again in the evening. Take your bicarbonates, apologize to your body, and swear never to eat to excess again.

At least until Christmas.

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**\$1.69** **\$3.35**  
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 Extra Lean  
**\$1.59**  
 lb.

**HAMS** Fully Cooked Shank Portion \$1.28  
 Smoked Butt Portion lb. \$1.59

**BAKING HENS** Top Bee 69¢  
 10-20 lbs.

**HAMS** Shurfresh Classic Whole lb. \$2.28  
 Boneless Half lb. \$2.38

**HAMS** Hormel Cure 81 Boneless Half or Whole lb. \$4.39

**BACON** Silver Spur Rindless Sliced lb. \$1.59

**PATTIES** Sweet Potato 99¢

**LIVERS or GIZZARDS** Fryer lb. 69¢

**SLICED MEATS** Shurfresh All Venison 1 lb. pack \$1.39

**RIB-EYE STEAK** USDA Boneless lb. \$4.59

**Cranberry Sauce**  
 Shurfresh 16 oz. can  
**39¢**

**Coffee**  
 Maxwell House  
 1 lb. can  
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**Potato Chips**  
 Shurfresh 7 oz. pack  
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**ROASTING PAN** Aluminum Turkey Rectangular 99¢

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**MARSHMELLOWS** Kraft Jet Puff 10 oz. 2 for \$1

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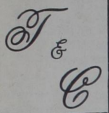
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## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE

#### Bankruptcy Trustee Sale

By Public Auction  
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To be conducted at 10:00 a.m.  
Wednesday, December 3, 1986, at the  
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Sale No. 1 — Realty — Minimum  
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## GARAGE SALE

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Saturday. North Main across street  
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