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On The Corner

Beef Getting Raw Deal

By DON TABOR
Publisher

Beef has been getting a raw deal recently from a bunch of self-styled "health experts".

A bunch of TV personalities, movie stars, sports figures, singers and even politicians have recently been advertising various foods as being better than beef for you. Note the key word here: Advertising. In other words, they've been paid to say what they say.

I recently got a release from a Texas A&M livestock marketing specialist, Dr. Ed Uvacek. He says its all a bunch of bull. (The pun is mine.)

In the first place, he says many of these "experts" don't know the facts.

"Even medical doctors have been misled by false claims from different commodity and product groups. That's easy to understand since medical schools, until recently, did not even require courses in nutrition," Dr. Ed said.

He then gave some "for instances", stating that shrimp has more cholesterol than ground beef, as does eggs and liver (ugh). He also said roast chicken has more saturated fat than extra lean ground beef.

All that stuff aside, I've got a few

observations to make.

—How far do you think Dairy Queen would have gotten serving a chicken belt-buster?

—How far do you think Taco Bueno would have gotten serving a sea food taco?

—How far do you think every truck stop in Texas would have gotten serving a chicken-fried liver?

—How far do you think the fancy restaurants would have gotten serving a prime rib of anything other than beef?

When you want to celebrate anything — an anniversary, birthday, you name it — what do you do? You head straight for your favorite eating place for a thick, juicy steak. When you want to impress the boss or somebody, what do you do? The same thing.

When you have folks over for a cook-out, chances are it's a few T-bones that are the source of that wonderful-smelling smoke that spreads over the neighborhood.

Just think where the charcoal or mesquite-chip or hickory-chip businesses would be if it wasn't for beef.

So, the next time you hear somebody giving beef a bad rap, take it with a grain of garlic salt.



RIDE OF A LIFETIME — These children (from left) Kye King and Leah King, children of Tommy and Vanda King, and Rachelle Bishop,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bishop, enjoyed a ride on the Dairy Queen covered wagon, part of the Texas Sesquicentennial Wagon Train.

Local Youngsters Become Part of Wagon Train

By VANDA KING
Editor

Rachelle Bishop and Leah King won a ride on the Dairy Queen Wagon, part of the Texas Sesquicentennial Wagon Train, by entering an essay contest. Brittany Hinyard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ivon Odom, was also a winner but was unable to participate. Kye King took her place on the ride.

The children were requested to wear long pioneer style dresses or cowboy attire. They received many compliments on their outfits.

Ophelia Merrill, local Dairy Queen manager, and the children boarded the covered wagon at Albany during a rest stop. The train travels for two hours and stops to water the mules and horses. Sometimes the teams are changed out.

The Dairy Queen wagon was pulled by two huge black mules named Pokey and Lassie and was driven by a lady mule skinner.

When it was time to head out the wagonmaster, Gary France, shouted, "Wagons, Ho! Believe me, he had the voice for it.

They paraded through downtown Albany on their way to Fort Griffin. The town was packed with people

waiting to get a glimpse of the historical event.

We drove ahead of the procession of the next stopping point. Sitting atop a hill we could see the colorful train of wagons wind its way down the hill several miles away. The United States and Texas flags were proudly flying in the breeze. It was a sight I will long remember and probably never witness again.

There were 75 to 100 wagons plus approximately 100 individual riders. You could pick out the ones who had been on the trail for nearly 6 months for they were baked brown.

There were wagons of every description. Some were original wagons and some more modern. My favorite was an authentic prairie schooner type.

Many other states were represented in the trail ride, too.

The kids loved the experience but they were tired and hot after the 8 mile ride. They said it was "rough".

This has been a great adventure to go back in time and live like the pioneers did. What a wonderful way to celebrate the 150th birthday of Texas. If you have a chance to view the wagon train make an effort to do so. You won't be disappointed.

Horton Named to West Point

James C. Horton, Jr., grandson of Ruby E. McCowen and the late Charlie M. McCowen, will be entering the United States Military Academy, West Point, New York in July.

West Point is a highly selective academy. Last year, over 13,000 applied, about 6,000 were nominated and only 1,415 were actually admitted, according to West Point.

To become a cadet, one must meet the requirements specified by public law and must be qualified academically, physically and medically. Each candidate must also obtain a nomination from a member of Congress.

Horton received his nomination from Congressman Larry Combest of the 19th District.

"The mission of the United States Military Academy is to educate, train and inspire the Corps of Cadets so that each graduate shall have the character, leadership, intellectual foundation and other attributes essential to progressive and continuing development throughout a career of exemplary service to the

nation as an officer of the regular army," said West Point.

A West Point graduate is awarded a Bachelor's Degree and commissioned an Officer in the U. S. Army.

Horton received various honors and awards this school year. At Lubbock High School, he was named All-Western Boy, Senior's Who's Who and Outstanding Sprinter of the Track Team. He received the Fighting Heart Award in football and the Fighting Western Award, which is the highest athletic honor at Lubbock High School. Horton received five varsity letters in football and track and was 3-5A All District Honorable Mention Defensive End. He was among 60 finalists for the 1985 Fina Texas Academic All-State High School Football Team.

Horton is a National Merit Scholar and Academic All American Scholar. He is a member of the National Honor Society and Who's Who in American High School.

Horton graduated with a 4.24 GPA and was ranked number 11 out of 367 graduating seniors at Lubbock High School. He is the son of Bonita McCowen Horton.

Water Rate Hike Okayed

Due to increased expenses and a loss of revenue, the City Council is raising the water and sewer rates and the per thousand gallon charge for water by one dollar each.

Effective on the August bills,

residential rates will be \$6.50 each for sewer and water. Non-residential minimum rates will increase a dollar each on their present rates.

After the minimum, water will cost \$2.50 per thousand gallon.

Celeste Taylor Given Sorority Scholarship

The Beta Sigma Phi Sorority Seniors, who plan to attend college this summer or in the fall. Celeste Taylor, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Burlie Taylor, was announced as the winner.

Pauniece Oglesby, sorority member, presented Celeste with the scholarship for \$300 at the graduation exercises.

The contestants could write on a famous person in Texas history, Callahan County or Cross Plains, as a tribute to the Texas Sesquicentennial.

The essays were judged on originality, context, theme, vocabulary and grammar.

Miss Taylor chose the late Robert Howard, well known local author of "Conan", as her subject.



HOWARD FANS — Members of the Robert E. Howard United Press Association were guests at the Cross

Plains Public Library during open house.

21 From Out of Town Attend Howard Day Here

Saturday was open house at the Cross Plains Public Library celebrating the proclamation of Robert E. Howard Day in the city. It was an overwhelming success with 85 people attending including 21 out-of-town guests.

Special guests for the afternoon were Alla Ray Kuykendall and daughter, Alla Ray Morris of Ranger. Mrs. Kuykendall is a sister to the late Mrs. Tom Bryant.

Mrs. Kuykendall brought original manuscripts of Howard stories which were on display at the Library Saturday afternoon.

The Robert E. Howard United Press Association group was on hand including two members from Australia, one from Switzerland and the remainder from other states. They presented the Library with a very nice collection of "pure" Howard books. The Association will continue to send

Howard books plus books on subjects of interest to the author, such as history and archaeology.

Another display of interest was an unbound copy of a biography of Robert E. Howard written by Novalyne Price Ellis. Mrs. Ellis, a former Cross Plains Teacher, had dated Mr. Howard for two years and kept journals concerning him. She has stated that she wanted to write about "the man behind the myth". The title of her book is "One Who Walked Alone".

The Library is very appreciative of all the donations and display items. The enthusiasm shown toward Robert E. Howard Day was great. You wonder how he would feel about so many people celebrating in his honor. It is so sad that he did not live to realize the acceptance his writings have received.

Start Now to Stop Hoppers

Grasshopper numbers are above average this year and if you want to control them, now is the time to start, says Greg Gerngross, County Extension Agent.

Many of the grasshoppers are small and a whole lot easier to control before they reach maturity.

In home gardens, Malathion EC or 50W Sevin are the two insecticides recommended for control. A number of other insecticides including Diazinon, Penncap M and Sevin XLR Plus are recommended for use on

ranges, improved pastures and around the edge of fields.

Be sure the insecticide you select to use is approved for the crop you are spraying and follow label directions.

Postmaster Hanke Undergoes Surgery

Joe Hanke, Jr., local postmaster, underwent surgery at Hendrick Medical Center last Thursday. He is reported to be recovering satisfactorily and is expected to return home sometime this week.

Putnam Bridge Okayed

The Callahan County Commissioners, in the regular monthly meeting Monday, June 5, approved a bid from James Tollett of Baird to build a bridge on a county road 1 1/2 mile north of Putnam.

Commissioners approved the bid of \$49,850, by a vote of 4-0, for a 22 foot wide and 60 foot long bridge.

The bridge will have a 25 ton weight minimum for crossing. The bridge will be completed within 30 days of the time work begins.

Only two bids were received. The second bid was for \$69,000.

In other items, the County Commissioners:

—Voted by a 4-0 vote, to accept the bid of \$9,509.86 from Town and Country Pontiac-GMC in Baird for a 3/4-ton GMC pickup for Commis-

sioner's Precinct II. Town and Country Pontiac-GMC was the lowest among four bids received and was \$1,000 under the next lowest bid.

—Voted by a 4-0 vote, to appoint Mrs. Paul Dugan and Mrs. Vince Scaramuzzo as new members to the County Child Welfare Board.

—Approved, by a 4-0 vote, Eleazar Maciel as a board of trustee members of the Abilene Regional MHMR Center.

—Heard a bid for the county employees group hospitalization insurance. No action was taken.

—Heard a report from Jon Herod of Clyde, who is doing the county's audit for 1985. Herod gave recommendations to improve next year's audit, but commissioners took no action.

School Board Meet Set

The Cross Plains Independent School District has scheduled a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees on Thursday, June 19, at 8:00 p.m. in the faculty room of the elementary school.

The following agenda was issued by M. Lee Thompson, Superintendent:
Set Date for July Meeting
Approve Student Insurance for

1986-87

Revise Discipline Management Plan
Teams Testing Program Results
Update on Current School Lawsuit
Delinquent Tax Collection Report
Superintendent's Report
Financial Report
Personnel
Career Ladder
Executive Session
Adjourn.

Golson Top Officer

Tony Glen Golson was named Officer of the Year in competition sponsored by the Key City Kiwanis Club of Abilene.

The club presented \$100 and a plaque to Golson at a luncheon. A second plaque was presented to the Abilene Police Department.

Golson, 31, has been with the

department 6 1/2 years.

He is a graduate of Cross Plains High School and has taken several college courses from Cisco Junior College.

Cross Plains can truly be proud of the high number of ex-students who have made a favorable impression on society.

Locals Fare Well at Stock Show

Exhibiting at the South Texas Prospect Steer Show June 13 and 14, in San Antonio were Shelley, Kristina, Emily and Kenny Horan and Corbin Edmondson.

Kristina placed 1st in the light weight Simmental Class; Emily placed 1st in the light weight

Shorthorn Class; Kenny placed 2nd in the Polled Hereford Class; Corbin placed 2nd in the heavy weight All Breeds Class and Shelley placed 4th in the medium weight American Cross Class.

These exhibitors plan to exhibit in the major fall shows.

1987 Wheat Provisions Told

Acting Secretary of Agriculture Daniel C. Amstutz today announced a 27.5 percent wheat acreage reduction and other provisions of the 1987 wheat program.

NEW ARRIVAL

Rodney and Rose Smith of Midland are proud to announce the birth of their new son, Matthew Rodney. He was born Monday, May 19, at 2:13 p.m. He weighed 7 lbs., 5½ oz., and was 20¼ inches long. He was welcomed home by his big brother, Aaron Michael, who is 2½ years old.

The proud grandparents are Carl and Ileen Smith of Lake Brownwood, and George and Christine Austin of Harpersville, New York.

Great-grandparents are Bernice and Edna Foster of Cross Plains; and the late Eunice Smith of Rising Star; and Arthur and Edna Bush of Hudson, Florida.

Other provisions include: Producers will be required to maintain in acreage conservation reserve an area equal to 37.93 percent of planted wheat.

The established target price will be \$4.38 per bushel, the same as for the 1986 crop.

Amstutz said no marketing quotas will be in effect for the 1987 crop. A marketing quota would require producers to limit the quantities of wheat they could market. The USDA is required to announce by June 15 each year whether a marketing quota will be in effect for the following wheat marketing year.

The remaining 1987 wheat program provisions, the loan level and whether a diversion program will be required, will be announced by July 1, Amstutz said.

ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Rain gauges measured near one half inch moisture Tuesday night and has stopped. How the yard grass and weeds have grown in one week. This household mowed two weeks in a row, couldn't believe it had only been a week. It just shows you what a lot of rain can do to the countryside. It is a beautiful green.

When Lora Fay Harris was contacted Saturday morning, she reported their grain harvesting was over for this year. Tommie was working hard to finish when he saw the clouds to the Northwest and thought they were moving this way.

Tony Steele started combining his grain on the Wiley Place Friday, got his combine stuck-got his tractor to pull it out, only the tractor got stuck, too. It ended with James Reynolds pulling both machines out with his winch truck.

Nancy Palmer of Clyde was out to visit her parents, Sterling and Joyce Odom Sunday.

Recent visitors in the Gravel Gibbs home were Leslie Henderson and his wife of Oregon. Leslie grew up in the community, attending school here at Rowden. In recent years, his work has been with an oil company based in Alaska until his retirement this year and moving to Oregon. They were traveling in a motor vehicle and were visiting Blain and Jessie Odom of the community and Charles and Lucille Foster in Clyde.

Happenings in the home of Lizzie Burks, Emma Johnson and Robert Burks this week was the event of Lizzie's birthday. She received a special delivery from Tim Dillard's Flower Shop, a beautiful basket of flowers, which was sent by Emma's daughter, Pansy Johnson, of San Antonio. Susie Mauldin of the Cross Plains nursing home also received the same gift which was delivered to her also for her birthday. Emma said it made their day and hoped they would last a long time. Visitors in the Burks' home were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Bell of Cross Plains.

This writer was in Abilene Monday and took time for short visits with relatives. First was in the home of Elveda Sikes and Ernest Sikes. She was not feeling well. The second visit was with my aunt, Fay White, which was a very nice visit. We saw the Cross Plains ladies, Clara Nell Spencer and Billie Ruth Loving, on Laurie's program for the Cross Plains Library. The third short visit was with Thelma Smedley near Clyde, a friend from far back. That was a nice visit also.

Leigh Harrell has been in Vacation Bible School held this week on the McMurry campus. Her mother, Maryana Harrell, was there each day to help with the school.

New York friends of Bob and Kathy Dye, Bill and Pam Meyers, were here to spend the weekend with them. The two couples met while each lived in Alaska.

Joyce Odom attended her Sunday School Class social in the Fellowship Hall at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains Monday night.

Gene and Vernie Belle Mauldin attended the funeral of Jimmy Munselle in Abilene Wednesday. He was the son of Frank Munselle. The family lived in the Bayou community and the children attended school at Bayou. Gene and Vernie Belle had supper with Roland and Faye Mauldin Saturday night.

James and Dorothy Reynolds spent the weekend in Lafayette, Louisiana with his mother, Alyene Reynolds, who is ill with cancer. She is staying with her daughter, Leta Talbot.

Tonya Steele along with Tracey Wills and Michelle McNutt of Cross Plains spent this week at Hardin-Simmons attending the Big Country Twirling seminar. The girls were spending the week in one of the school dormitories and were from the Big Country area schools.

Connie Steele is a member of Sandy's Star, a twirling group, which performed at the Comanche Rodeo Wednesday. The Steele family did some shopping and then drove to Lake Proctor to visit in the Lee Jernigan home. Lee is a big fisherman and had lines out for fishing when the rains and flooding took them downstream.

OIL NEWS

VEDCO, Abilene, will drill the No. 5 Gibson Land and Cattle co., a wildcat, to 4,100 feet in the Suzy (Ellenburger) Field, seven miles south of Rowden on a 40-acre lease. Elevation 1,664 feet ground.

It spots 467 feet from the south and 8,247 feet from the east lines, Victoria CSL Survey, A-512.

L. P. Brown 111 Co., Garland, will drill the No. 1 Park Anderson, a wildcat, to 3,950 feet and test the McKinney (Cross Plains Sand) and Baum (Ellenburger) fields five miles west of Cross Plains on a 100-acre lease.

It spots 1,456 feet from the south and 2,108 feet from the west lines, Block 798, G. M. Vigal Survey.

School Closed June 23-27

Cross Plains High School will be closed Monday, June 23 through Friday, June 27.

Dillard Reunion

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COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

Being a good samaritan is rewarding and costly for a local young lady. Charlotte Albrecht stopped to check on an elderly lady, who had a tire blow out in front of her while traveling to Brownwood Saturday morning. Noting the lady received a bump on her head during the mishap, and not wanting to leave her unattended, she tried to flag down passing motorists. Thirty minutes later Charlotte was on her way, but the delay cost her the A.C.T. test, plus the fee invested, and no future date was set up for the test. Her explanation for being late was not considered. Her only reward was knowing the lady was cared for.

Hugh and Betty Purvis of Scottsbluff, Arizona and Faye Mehan of San Marcos were here the first weekend of June visiting with their brother and wife, John and Janet Purvis.

Ricki Jo Potter had a belated birthday party held at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Randall Franke, in Clyde Friday evening. Her mother and family Connie Potter, Porcious and April, Mrs. Bill Nickerson, Sr. and

cousins, Amie, Kellie and Jeremy attended the festivities.

Cookie and Bob Robinson and Brian of Clyde were at her parents, J. P. and Nettie Clark, Saturday morning. They brought Dad a Father's Day gift and wishes for a special day. J. P. received cards and calls from the children in Phoenix and Canyon.

On Friday, Mandi and Malysa Sowell spent the day with great-grandmother, Ethel Anderson. The trio visited with Daisy and Wes Holcomb and Geri and Rufus Renfro. Sunday afternoon Stuart Sowell and Mandi bicycled up to see "Maw".

Thursday Clara McInnis and Beverly Brown visited with Deana Nickerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rogers of Houston were at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Rogers, Craig Jr., Charlie and Carrie Beth over the weekend.

Word was received Wednesday morning that Johnny and Jeanette Kingery lost their mobile home in a fire at Lake Brownwood. The family lost all their possessions. The Kingery's have two daughters. Johnny was a former resident of the Cottonwood community and Jeanette is the sister of Mrs. Bill Nickerson, Jr. of this area.

The Cottonwood Musical night is Friday, June 20. All area and local musicians are welcomed. Refreshments will be on sale in the kitchen area. No admission fee is charged. Everyone is invited to attend the country-western music entertainment at 7:00 p.m. The grounds around the Cottonwood Community Center and parking area were mowed over the weekend at the recent family reunion.



BACK FROM CAMP — Cross Plains Junior High twirlers (from left) Tonya Steele, Tracy Wills and Michelle

McNutt have just completed twirling camp at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Junior High Twirlers At Line Camp

The Junior High twirlers attended a Line Camp at Hardin-Simmons University June 9 through 13. The camp was conducted by Southwest Camps of Cisco with Mr. Eris Ritchie as camp director.

The baton twirlers were taught by a four member staff of twirling instructors and experts headed up by Donna Oakley Nall of Abilene, a

former feature twirler at the University of Texas and West Texas State University.

PIONEER NEWS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

Sunday was Father's Day, 1986. Ten years ago, Father's Day was on June 13th. How do I know?

I took a folder, labelled "Plain Talk" from my files and re-read some of the columns I wrote for the Review. You know, I wrote some darned good columns during my last nine months with the Review (I worked for the Review five years, two months).

On that Father's Day, Rev. Joe Coppinger filled the pulpit at First Baptist Church, and Mr. Lewis Coppinger came in from Cottonwood to hear him.

In that folder is a precious letter from Benny Glover, which I will cherish for always.

I'm sorry that Mrs. Ethel Brown's tribute to Fathers did not get in the papers - but one day her poetry will be available in book form. Her son has plans for this. Incidentally, she has been composing verses most of her adult life - and at 89, she remembers the first one she wrote when she was in her thirties.

Mrs. Brown's visitors the past week were a cousin, Melba Quinn and her daughter, Sharon. They spent Monday night. Mrs. Cora Howland visited while they were there. Other visitors were Lou Grider, Jean Fore and her sister, Bessie McDaniel, Jimmielee Payne, and the Cole Tillotsons.

David Beggs of Stephenville spent the week with J. T. and Betty Beggs. Nikkie and Ashley of Cross Plains were out there to visit with David. On Saturday they took David home. While there they enjoyed a visit with Mary's parents in Kim's and Mary's home.

Visiting with Bob and Sally Roady were Joe and Beverly from Brownwood, Gene Hicks and Ms. Nettie Roady both of Rising Star, and Howard Hicks of Cross Plains.

The Hiram Fosters' children visited them on Sunday. From Austin was a daughter, Golda Huston and a friend, Jeana Kipper, originally from Italy.

Jean Fore and her sister, Bessie McDaniel, attended a family reunion at Lake Brownwood last weekend. Also there were Paul and Juanita Harlow, Jeff, Jill, Tray and Ryan from Lovington, New Mexico.

Mrs. John (Irene) Miller and other AARP members helped with the Blood Drive on the 10th. They served juices, tea and coffee during the day. Mrs. Miller said the Quiltings at Pioneer would end after next week, and would not meet again until next September.

Nell Fleming was picking green-beans last week when she discovered a rattlesnake much too close - they are also fighting copper-heads out there.

The Flemings' recent visitors were Lyn Fleming and Susie Sanders of Hawley, Joe Fleming of Midland and Jimmy Fleming of McLean are on two weeks' vacation, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cox of San Angelo and Alecia Atchley of Pampa visited on Friday, and neighbors, Gladys and Bill Sessums, visited on Thursday.

My good neighbors, David and Sherry Goble, are home following a week's visit with her parents in another state, Missouri, I think.

	W	L
Angels	7	0
Giants	4	3
Cubs	2	5
Braves	1	6

The Bluejays have the distinction of being undefeated throughout the Little League season.

Last Tuesday night the Buffs beat the Killowatts 8 to 2. The Bluejays raced by the Cats 17 to 5. Thursday night the Killowatts beat the Cats 16 to 7 and the Bluejays defeated the Buffs 15 to 0.

Allstar players will be announced Thursday night between the games. Everyone is invited to come and support the teams.

	W	L
Bluejays	7	0
Cats	3	4
Buffs	2	5
Killowatts	2	5

Medical Transportation

If you live in Callahan County and receive SSI, AFDC or Medicaid you qualify for medical transportation at no cost. The Department of Human Services provides this service through Central Texas Opportunities.

A patient may be taken to their doctor as far as Abilene or Brownwood, as well as locally. Wednesday of each week is scheduled for this service.

Please contact the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center (817) 725-7698 or the Department of Human Services at (915) 854-1257 if you are interested and need more information.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT

Mack Kniffen, presiding
Misdemeanor Filings
Preston Wade Parker, possession of marijuana.

Larry Wells, theft of property by check.

Vincent Garcia Lopez, DWI.
Curtis Edward Odnot, DWI.

Misdemeanor Micates

Following traffic cases dismissed: Ricky Beasley, Roy Earl White, Alan Travis Starr, Darrell Allen Hobbs, James David Norvell, Tommie C. McCall, Kenneth Scott Webster.

James Raymond McMullen, plea of guilty to DWI, \$500 fine and 3 days in jail and \$105 court costs.

Michael Kennedy Louis, plea of guilty to driving while license suspended, \$200 fine and 3 days in jail and \$92 court costs.

Joe Allen Waggoner, DWI case dismissed in interest of justice.

Clinton Lee Dial, order amending conditions of probation.

Freddie Shiflett Hinkle, motion to revoke probation.

Linda Gomez, theft of property by check case dismissed.

Motions for continuances granted in following traffic cases: Roy Earl White, Alan Travis Starr, Katherine Davis Bunger, Darrell Allen Hobbs, James David Norvell, Kenneth Kevin Armstrong.

George Wayne Johnson, plea of guilty to public intoxication, \$200 fine, \$105 court costs and \$300 administrative fee.

Robin Blissett, plea of guilty to public intoxication, \$200 fine, \$105 court costs and \$145 administrative fee.

Billy Joe Holland, plea of guilty to public intoxication, \$195 fine and \$105 court costs.

Jeanie Clark, plea of guilty to theft of property by check, \$10 fine and \$105 court costs.

Tommy Thompson, plea of guilty to theft of property by check, \$10 fine and \$105 court costs.

Ricky Wayne Defosses, plea of guilty to public intoxication, \$200 fine and \$105 court costs.

GINNA RENA ROBLEY, order granting probation of 10 day jail term in DWI case, \$300 fine and \$105 court costs.

Shelden Daniel Carr, order granting probation of 30 day jail term in DWI case, \$300 fine and \$105 court costs.

Howard Ray Beasley, order granting probation of 30 day jail term in DWI case, \$150 fine and \$105 court costs.

Preston Wade Parker, Order granting deferred adjudication of 30 day jail term in possession of marijuana case, \$300 fine and \$105 court costs.

Preston Wade Parker, DWI case dismissed, defendant convicted in another case.

Following discharged from probation: Larry Ralph Carpenter, Christopher D. Dillard, Tommy Dee Turner.

Joe Bob Scott, order granting probation of 30 day jail term in DWI case, \$300 fine and \$105 court costs.

Shelby Chester Shannon II, bond forfeiture.

Laura Jan Clevenger, plea of guilty to public intoxication, \$50 fine and \$105 court costs.

Clinton Lee Dial, motion to revoke probation dismissed.

Virginia Sue Smith, order granting

probation of 30 day jail term in DWI case, \$300 fine and \$105 court costs.

Kenneth Scott Webster, order granting deferred adjudication in possession of marijuana case, \$200 fine and \$105 court costs.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

John David Haliburton, Rt. 1, Clyde, and Deloris Ann Gonzalez, Clyde.

Joel Rosas Escobedo, Abilene, and Maria Aguirre Cortez, Abilene.

Jesus Curz Aguirre, Baird, and Tina Lynn Whitmire, Baird.

NEW VEHICLES

GMAC c/o Michael D. Smith, Abilene, Chev. 4 dr.

Richard M. Clark, Dyess AFB, Chev. Pu.

Deborah Polasek, Abilene, Pont. 2 dr.

Ricky Clayton, Desdemona, Pont. 2 dr.

Lloyd Graham, Rt. 3, Clyde, Chev. Pu.

Vivian M. Foster, Rt. 1, Winters, Chev. 4 dr.

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Henry Diehl, Rt. 1, Baird, Chev. Pu.

42nd DISTRICT COURT

Don Lane, presiding
Civil Filings

Lora H. Butler, aka Lora H. Lesley, vs. Leroy L. Butler and Floyce Butler, suit for damages.

Lorena Mae Loper and Ricky Dean Loper and in the interest of minor children, suit for divorce.

Linda Mae Graham and Jeffrey Don Graham and in the interest of minor children, suit for divorce.

Civil Minutes

Paramount Pipe & Supply Co., Inc., vs. Western International Petroleum Corp. and Ulrich Muhr, judgment of \$16,825.21 plus interest and attorney fees.

Brenda Joyce Roberts and Ronnie Gene Roberts and in the interest of minor children, defendant allowed to purge himself of contempt by payment of child support.

Jean Ann Deel and Ronald Lee Deel and in the interest of minor children, decree of divorce.

Charla Rhea Flatt and Danny Charles Flatt and in the interest of minor children, decree of divorce.

Lakewood Ladies Luncheon

The regular monthly ladies luncheon at Lakewood Recreation Center will be Friday, June 20, at 11:30 a.m.

Hostesses for the luncheon will be Zora Mae Bryant and Lois Garrett.

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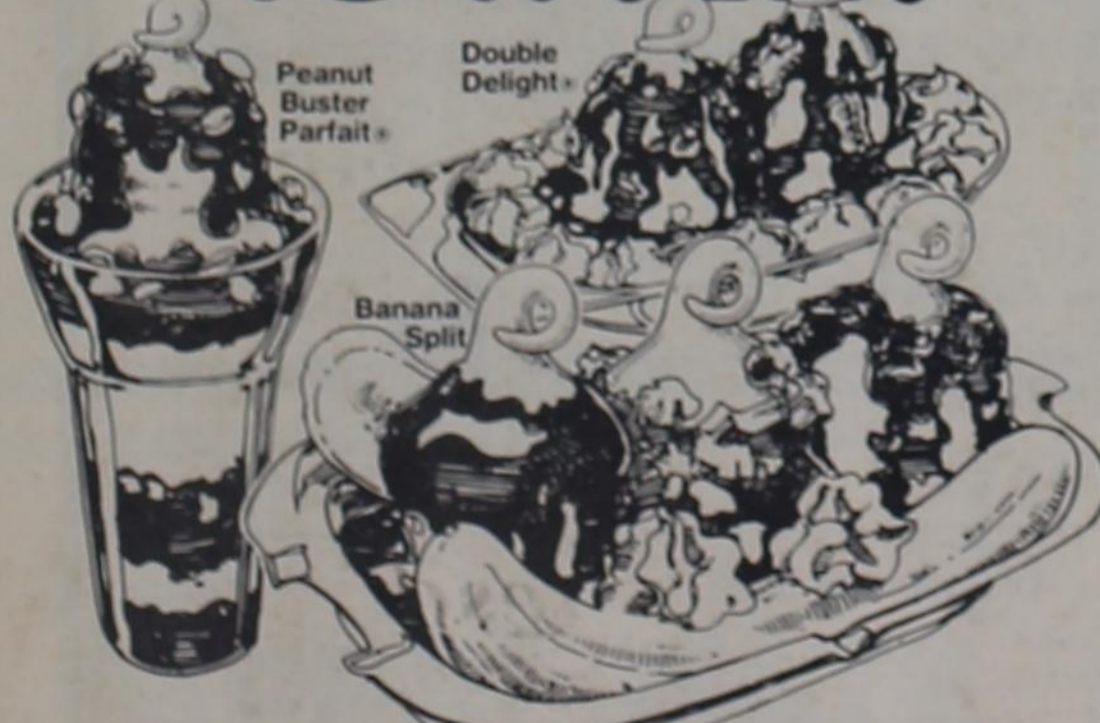
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OBITUARIES

Sealy Jean Harris

BURKETT — Sealy Jean Harris, 57, died Wednesday in a Big Spring hospital.

Services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday in Walker Funeral Home in Coleman. The Rev. Jasper Cooke officiated, assisted by the Rev. Ben Neel.

Burial was in Burkett Cemetery.

She was born in Burkett and graduated from Burkett High School.

She was active in numerous Parent-Teacher associations. She was a PTA state delegate and an honorary life member of the national PTA.

She was also a member of several study clubs. She was a housewife and member of the Burkett Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Hulan Harris of Big Spring; a daughter, Vicki Lynn Hiatt of Jackson, Miss.; two sisters, Grace Green of Burkett and Cleo Gill of San Marcos; and one grandson.

Memorials may be made to the Cal Farley Boys Ranch in Amarillo.

Callie B. Carlisle

SNYDER — Callie B. Carlisle, 74, died Wednesday night in a Snyder hospital.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Friday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home. The Rev. Bill Looney officiated.

Burial was in Snyder Cemetery.

She was born in Palo Pinto. She was a housewife and the widow of C. S. "Blackie" Carlisle.

Survivors include a sister, Georgia Mae Roggenstein of Putnam; three brothers, J. C. Massingill, Lee Massingill and Ray Massingill, all of Snyder.

James Clemons Cloud

James Clemons Cloud of 224 Cresent Dr., Early, passed away Sunday night, June 15, at Brownwood Regional Hospital.

Born July 3, 1925, he grew up in the Cross Plains-Pioneer area. He married Wanda Flippen of Pioneer and they continued to live here for a long time after they were married.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, June 17, at Davis-Morris Funeral Home in Brownwood. Burial was in the Pioneer Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Wanda; one daughter, Mrs. Charles (Judy) Barr of Early; one son, Perry Cloud of Bay City; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild; his mother, Nora Phillips of Pioneer; four brothers, Bill Cloud of Midland, Homer Phillips of Lubbock, Vernon Phillips of Pioneer, Bobby Phillips of Eldorado; two sisters, Mrs. Elmer (Minnie) Roberts of Copperas Cove and Mrs. Thomas (Nancy) Wolf of Midland; his mother-in-law, Mrs. Tom (Winnie) Flippen of the Pioneer Community.

Susan T. Seals

RISEING STAR — Services for Susan T. "Susie" Seals, 82, were held 11 a.m. Monday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Gregg Knight officiating. Burial was in Albert Cemetery near Throckmorton.

She died Saturday at a local nursing home.

Born in South Bend, she was a longtime resident of Rising Star. She was a homemaker and a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Fredda Cristwell of Rising Star; a brother, Bill Timmons of Throckmorton; two sisters, Lela Rogers of Graham and Valda Choats of Burleson; 10 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

BURKETT NEWS

By FREEDA BURKETT

The monthly Community Supper will be this Saturday at 7:30 p.m. and everyone is invited to attend. Please bring a salad and sweet or vegetable and meat, and enjoy the fellowship together. Committee members in charge of the supper are Bill and Addie Walker, chairmen, Low and Liz Golson, Dub and Mildred Lowe, Andrew and Doris Walker, Walter and Melba Walker and David and Laura Dean. Entertainment will be furnished.

Our country has been blessed with a wonderful spell of wet weather which was desperately needed. It all began May 7 with .74 inch and it has continued to fall so that by May 31 we had a total of 5.18 inches according to the government gauge kept by L. E. Mountain. The rains continued into this month and last Thursday the Pecan Bayou came down. The water spread way out of its banks covering the pecan grove and across Yuna V. Burkett's field and up almost to her barn. Four inches fell at that time, and these first ten days of June we have gotten 7.60"-a total of 12.78" since May 7. Gardens are beautiful and grasslands lush.

Walter and Melba Walker went to Fort Worth recently to visit their daughter and husband, Ned and Charlotte Pickett. While there they did some shopping and attended the Majestic Theatre in Dallas to see the live performance of "Arsenic and Old Lace". They attended church Sunday morning with Charlotte and Ned and had lunch at Red Lobster Restaurant. That evening they visited Walter's cousins, John and Jean Lock and his aunt, Kate Lock of Amarillo, who was visiting her son and wife. They reported a full and pleasurable weekend.

Sympathy goes to the family of Pete Burns of Crawley, who passed away Monday of last week of a heart attack. He was born and reared here and has many friends and relatives in this area.

Last Saturday night the Bonnie Lasses Dancers had their recital at the Cross Plains School Auditorium. Kristi Burns, daughter of Tony and Novella Burns of Burkett, was involved in the festivities. She did a tap dance to the song, "Busy, Busy, Busy". She was also a part of the ballet done to the tune of "Star Wars". The girls were all so cute and did an excellent job. The families were encouraged to view the talent of the many young ladies. The costumes were very lovely and were designed to compliment the various dances.

We are always pleased with the accomplishments of our local young people.

Finis Brown from Fort Worth visited Mrs. Bertie helms and Gill and he also visited Eula Hunter last Friday.

Mr. J. C. Boyle, Virgie Wood, Ellene Needham, Tina Whittington of Coleman and Billie Adams visited Charlie and Juanita Edington last Sunday afternoon. Jim and Valeta Brown and Chris and Jodie also

visited Charlie and Juanita Edington Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Strickland, Deonna, Staci, and Jacob of Brenham spent the weekend visiting the Jack Stricklands, Lat Mountains and Melissa's parents, the Jimmielee Payne's of Cross Plains.

Sunday supper guest of Jack and Lovera Strickland were Marsha and Mark Turney and Jon of Santa Anna, Jackie and Melissa Strickland, Deonna, Staci and Jacob of Brenham, and Lat and Eunice Mountain.

The Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association acknowledges receipt of the following recent contributions.

Robert Miller, Mrs. Charlie Trewitt and Edna Helms each gave \$10.00; Joe Hanke Jr., Mrs. Ruth Hanke and George and Venita Watson \$15 each; George and Virginia (Gould) Shewmaker, Mrs. Marcel Coleman, Jerry and Sandra Biehl, William L. Helton and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seltzer \$25.00 each; LeRoy and Doris Walker \$30.00 and Gatha Lee Naron \$35.00; Carl Blutworth, Paul Golson, Lon M. Gray, Marvin McDowell and Euil Bullard (in memory of Mrs. Bruce Adams) gave \$10.00 each; Celeata Riley contributed \$15.00; Grady Harris, Merle Dean Koenig and Robert L. Cross each gave \$20.00; Mrs. Tom A. Young, Ritta Knight (Mrs. Bruce (Betty) Adams Memorial Bee Naples, R. T. Watson, W. O. Walker, Garvice Boyle, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Neff, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hounshell, Carey and Mary Hightower and Alice Edington each gave \$25.00; Virgil H. Adams, Jack and Susan Knight (to go toward a P. A. System for use at Memorial Services) and Darryl Tenney gave donations of \$50.00 each; J. T. "Pete" Walker \$5.00; Burl C. McCowan, Iola M. Mitchell, Leta Dagley (in memory of Clyde and Cora Gray, and D. A. Cook sent \$10.00 each; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hounshell and L. V. Byrd gave \$15.00 each; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton D. McDonald, T. W. and Alice Whitfield, N. L. Richter and Earl and Betty Byrd each sent \$20.00; Dr. and Mrs. M. O. Sowell, Wayne Harris, Juanita Holman, Oscar Gray, C. H. Edington, C. A. Barr and Jerry P. Brown (a memorial to Aubrey and Lou Eva Brown) donated \$25.00 each; Mr. and Mrs. Don M. Gray \$40 and Sammie Adams \$100.00; Edna Gould gave \$15.00; Johnnie Slaughter, W. H. Evans, D. R. Gould and Ruby Hunter each sent \$10.00; Roy Don Biehl, A. R. "Buddy" Neff, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Trent and B. L. Strickland gave \$20.00 each; Andy D. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ray Porter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunter, A. D. and Claudia Adams, Sammie W. Porter, Thelma (Younglove) Butler, Mrs. Y. B. Johnson Sr., Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Welty, Edna C. Burkett, Gordon Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Burton (for Raymond Burton Memorial) and Dr. and Mrs. James B. Hendersn each gave \$25.00.

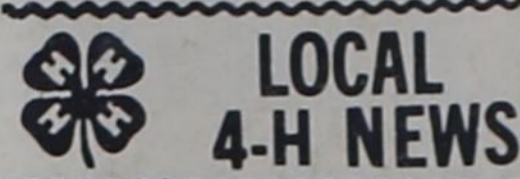
This concludes all donations up to this date. As Secretary-Treasurer of this Cemetery Association, I speak for

the entire directorate in thanking each and every donor for the generous donations received since May 1st for the upkeep of our cemeteries.

We are very appreciative of this news publication to give us the privilege and space to acknowledge receipt of gifts to our Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association, and the extra time and work for them.

If anyone who has contributed fails to see their name in this column please remind me at once by telephone or letter and a correction will be made in my next list of gifts printed.

Freeda Burkett Sec-Treas.



The 4-H Clothing Project members attended the Callahan County Fashion Show in Baird on May 31.

In the Intermediate Division Brenda Franke placed 1st and Carrie Renfro placed 2nd. Both girls are eligible for District, which will be held in about a month, and will represent Callahan County.

Sonja Renfro placed 1st, Holli Shults 2nd and Tonya Stover 2nd in the Junior Division. Jennifer Wheeler and Kala Kupit are other members of the project who were unable to attend.

The Cross Plains 4-H Horse Project group has scheduled a trail ride for Friday, June 20, at 6:00 p.m. All young horsemen and their parents are invited to participate. A wiener roast will be held at the conclusion of the event.

The group will leave from the Joe McWilliams place. Any parents wanting to assist with refreshments contact Jean McWilliams at 725-6121 or evenings at 725-6455.

Over 100 Attended Coats Reunion

The Coats Reunion, which was held June 7 and 8 at the old Schoolhouse in Cottonwood, was well attended. There were between 60 and 70 on Saturday and over 100 eating dinner on Sunday.

The registration books had been taken by relatives before a list could be made of all the people attending. There were relatives present from Arkansas to Arizona.

Everyone enjoyed lots of good food

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Colonial Oaks Services

Services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home Sunday afternoon, June 22, will be conducted by Cross Plains Church of Christ at 3:30 p.m.

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Masonic Officers

Cross Plains Masonic Lodge No. 627 will install officers June 24 at 7:30 p.m. This will be an open installation to anyone who would like to attend. Mr. John D. Isenhower of Putnam will be installing officers.

Officers to be installed: Worshipful Master, R. L. Barnett; Senior Warden, Sonny Parnell; Junior Warden, X. L. Stroud; Senior Deacon, Ricky Carey; Junior Deacon, Ronald Trenary; Secretary, Ray Purvis; Treasurer, C. E. Woody; Chaplin, Ike Neal; Senior Steward, E. K. Coppinger; Junior Steward, Eddie Flippin; Tiler, Carroll Pringle.

Election of officers was held June 6.

Novella Thomas Burns On Dean's List

Novella Thomas Burns has been named to the Dean's List for the spring 1986 semester at Howard Payne University, announced Dr. Don Newbury, president of the university.

Requirements for a student to be listed on the Dean's List include having taken at least 12 semester hours and having a grade point average of 3.65-3.99—the equivalent of an A-minus.

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Eldon McIntosh
Donald Watson
Linda Renfro

JUNE 25
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Tommy Merryman
Terry Watson
Sharon Reed
Kyle Davis
Todd Brooks
Martha Ward

PERSONALS

Visitors in the Elmer Peevy Home were Lucille Harris of Abilene; Judy Archer and girls, Stacy and Mellisa Lynn, of Odessa; James and Fronie Bel Carpenter of Abilene and Ralph King and Chuck Woody of Cross Plains.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill last week were Wanda Walker, Minnie Cunningham, Jay Kirkham, Marvin Dickson, Blanche Moore, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Richardson, Billy Bell and children, Louise Buckner, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Breeding and Juanita Thornton all of Cross Plains.

Out-of-town guests include Gaynell Barnett of Houston, Charlene Schaefer and Jeremy Schaefer of Rising Star and April Plummer of Round Rock.

ASCS Reminds Farmers To Report Seed Peanuts

When farmers certify their 1986 planted peanut acres, Scott Odom, CED of the Callahan County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, reminds them that 1985-crop peanut retained on the farm for seed or other purposes must be reported also.

To avoid being in violation of the peanut poundage program regulations, he said farmers who did not retain peanuts for seed must report the name and address of the person from whom their seed peanuts were obtained, in addition to the amount and type of peanuts.

Under the peanut price support program, the number of pounds of peanuts that can be marketed by producers for domestic edible uses is limited through poundage quotas. According to Odom, the Food Security Act of 1985 allows any person to grow peanuts anywhere in the country and market the peanuts for other than domestic edible use.

"Price support loans will be available for 1986-crop warehouse-stored peanuts from harvest time through January 31, 1987," the ASCS official said. Loans on farm-stored peanuts will be available through April 30, 1987.

Farmers who have questions regarding seed peanuts should contact the Callahan County ASCS office.

To obtain accurate acreage measurements and simplify crop reporting, Scott Odom, CED of the Callahan County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, suggests that farmers take advantage of producer services.

"This is a valuable service not only to producers participating in the 1986 acreage reduction programs, but to any farmer who desires an accurate acreage for any reason," Odom said.

Before farm program participants can qualify for price support loans, deficiency payments and other benefits, they are required to certify with ASCS the crops and acreages planted, the uses to be made of these crops, and the cropland acres to be devoted to the acreage conservation reserve (ACR). The information serves as documentation for program compliance and crop acreage bases.

"The loss of program benefits because of failure to comply is one gamble that a farmer should never take", Odom said.

With measurement service, he said a farmer can have his or her planted crops measured before certifying acreages. The service also includes measurement of ACR land, fields, subdivisions, total cropland and land acres for other purposes.

In Callahan County, the final certification dates for program crops are: Peanuts, July 15; Grain Sorghum, July 15; and Cotton, July 15.

"Our producer services are guaranteed for the program year in which they are taken," the ASCS official said. Fees vary, based on the type of service rendered.

SCORE Representative

On Thursday, June 26, Ed Fortner, SCORE representative of the Small Business Administration will visit the Brownwood area. Mr. Fortner will headquarter at the Chamber of Commerce Building in Brownwood and will be available to discuss programs of the Small Business Administration. Meetings will be by appointment only. Appointments may be made by calling area code (915) 646-9535.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Chamber of Commerce office.

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I would like to thank all who have been concerned about me during my illness and for the flowers and cards sent to me. A special thanks goes to the Cross Plains EMS.

Its nice to have good friends. God Bless each of you.

Kathryn Morris

CARD OF THANKS

Dear family, friends, and neighbors. How good it is to be home again. Thank you for your prayers, gifts, and calls while I was in the hospital and in Weatherford. Your thoughtfulness was greatly appreciated. A special thank you to Mr. Strength for keeping my yard and to Helen for house sitting for me.

Thanks again,
Vera Ferrell

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to each of you that remembered me in my illness. Thanks for your prayers, your cards and good wishes.

A big special thanks to John and Carmen Meister. They have been like a brother and sister to me. They came several times a day, saw what needed to be done and did it. They took me to see the doctor when I needed to go, without my asking. They are taking me to the Rehab Center for therapy, without my asking. They have helped me when I could not help myself.

Christianity, declared by good works! Thank God for Christian neighbors, you have lighted my path when I could not.

Just one more little thought, "Now don't you go moving away, John and Carmen Meister".

Sincerely,
Vida Paige

Cottonwood Musical Friday, June 20

The Cottonwood Musical will be held Friday, June 20, at the Cottonwood Community Center. The doors will be open at 6:00 p.m. and entertainment will begin at 7:00 p.m. There is no admission.

All musicians and vocalists are invited to participate.

There will be refreshments in the cafeteria. Everyone is invited to attend and enjoy the country western music.

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YARD SALE: All day Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., behind Johnston Truck & Supply, man's suit 44 long, furniture, glassware, boys clothes, infants clothes to size 6, car seats, microwave ware, miscellaneous. **HOUSE FOR SALE, TOO.** Robbie Allen. 11 1tp

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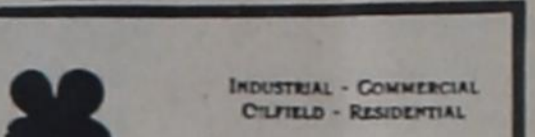
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