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Bits And Pieces Time For Column

By DON TABOR
Publisher

BITS AND PIECES:

— Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox recently issued an opinion that it is unconstitutional for voters to roll back a county's tax rate. What we tend to forget in such cases is that this is not an officially binding ruling, but only one man's opinion.

We also might keep in mind that Mattox is a public official and public officials feed off of taxes for their very existence.

At least one man isn't buying the opinion. C.A. Stubbs of San Antonio, president of the Texas Assn. of Concerned Taxpayers, recently said that "the pendulum is about ready to swing in the direction of a total tax rebellion in Texas."

— Apparently Texans are afraid that if they throw out trash on the highway, they're going to get beat up by Dallas Cowboy lineman Randy White.

We all remember the public service commercial on TV where White snarls and menacingly tells us not to mess with Texas.

It's apparently working. The State Highway Dept. recently said that the amount of trash on state highways has dropped 54 per cent.

— The latest issue of the AARP magazine *Modern Maturity* has a story about how chemicals are still threatening the wildlife in our world despite some improvement brought on by stiffer regulations.

Cited cases where wildlife species thought to be extinct have reappeared. It got me to thinking about when I was a boy sitting under the big oak trees at my grandmother's place southeast of Clyde on a summer night. Fireflies would literally light up the night and scores of owls and bats would swoop beneath the trees.

I still sit out under the oak trees at my house on a summer night. If I see two fireflies on a year, I'm lucky, and I haven't seen an owl or a bat in years.

— We West Texans are fond of saying that someone who is fighting a losing battle is "barking up the wrong tree" or "kicking a dead horse." My wife, Betty Joe, originally from Arkansas, was recently describing such a person, saying he was "barking up a dead horse."

County Leaders Approve Tax Rate

Callahan County commissioners have recently approved a three percent increase in the county tax rate above the effective tax rate, the smallest increase allowed without calling a public hearing.

The effective tax rate is the rate that will bring into county coffers, the same amount of revenue as last year.

Commissioners voted to set the county tax rate at .3299 cents for every \$100 of appraised property. The new tax rate includes .2532 cents per \$100 for the general county fund and .0767 for the county farm road fund.

The county tax rate is on \$257,964,921 in appraised property inside Callahan County.

Garden Club In Adopt A Highway Program

The Cross Plains Garden Club met Friday, October 10, at the Garden Center with Mrs. Glenn Payne presiding. Hostesses were Mrs. Arvin Brashear and Mrs. O.W. Webb. Mrs. Joe Oglesby brought the program on Greenhouses and Organic Gardening with Mulch and Compost. The door prize, a beautiful potted peace lily, was won by Mrs. Hadden Payne.

The club voted to make contributions to the Madge Horn Endowment Fund and the Texas State Garden Club Scholarship Fund.

Announcement was made that the State Highway Department has accepted the Garden Club as a participant in the "Adopt-A-Highway" program. They will maintain a 3-mile portion of Highway 206 from the traffic light south to the Brown County line. The first trash pick-up will be Thursday, October 15.

Delegates elected to represent the club at the District VIII Fall Convention in Breckenridge on November 14 are Mrs. Arvin Brashear, delegate, and Mrs. N.V. Gibbs, alternate. Two of our own National Council flower judges, Mrs. J.P. McCord and Mrs. Leo Franke, will bring the program at this meeting.

Rehab Night At Cottonwood Saturday

The "1987 Rehab Night" at the Cottonwood monthly musical is Friday, October 16. Proceeds from the evening festivities will benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation in Abilene.

There will be a chicken fried steak dinner at \$3.50 for adult plate and \$1.75 for child's plate, under 12 years old. Menu consists of steak, cream potatoes, green beans, cole slaw, apple cobbler, coffee or tea. Take out orders will be available on the dinner.

There will be a quilt drawing, bake sale, and a country store.

Serving time begins at 5:30 p.m., sponsored by the Cottonwood Ladies Quilting Club.

The country-western music entertainment starts at 7 p.m. All former, area, local, and new musicians are welcomed to participate.

The Rehab quilt will be on display at the Citizens State Bank in Cross Plains until Thursday, October 15. Chances are 50 cents each and may be obtained at the bank, Cottonwood Country Store, and at Rehab Night.

School Board Meeting Time Change To Be Discussed

The Cross Plains Independent School Board of Trustees will be meeting in regular session on Thursday, October 15, at 8 p.m. in the faculty room of the high school.

The following subjects will be discussed:

1. Change time for future board meetings
2. Callahan County Central Appraisal District Election
3. Consider approval of Band Trip
4. Approve 1987-88 textbook committee
5. Consider Computer for Finance and Personnel data processing
6. Superintendent Report
7. Financial Report
8. Pay Bills
9. Executive Session
10. Personnel
11. Adjourn.

Notice of the meeting was provided by M. Lee Thompson, Superintendent.



ROLL TO THE LEFT — Robbie Wheeler #44, is carrying the ball with David Wilson #54, Cody Odom #46, and Gregg Weiss #12 blocking.



GO OFFENSE — Darin Apple #40 is the ball carrier with Cody Odom #46, Gregg Weiss #12, and Curtis Wyatt #66 blocking.

Bufs Up Season Record To 5-1

By VANDA KING
Editor

The Cross Plains Buffaloes stamped through the Winters Blizzards with a score of 20-9. The Buffs now stand 5-1 for the season.

A great pass from quarterback, Gregg Weiss, to Darin Apple resulted in a 55 yard run for the Buffaloes' first score.

Weiss scored on a 30-yard run for the second TD of the game.

Richard Lett kicked a field goal for Winters in the second quarter. Another touchdown was scored in the fourth quarter, but their attempt for a 2-point conversion was unsuccessful.

Apple made the final touchdown on a 2-yard run and also scored a 2-point conversion.

The defense played well, allowing only the field goal. Casey Williams and Chris Brown were both able to sack the Blizzards' quarterback. Cody Odom, Deron Duffey, Terrell Smith, Bill Johnson, Robbie Wheeler, David Wilson, and Curtis Wyatt all played an excellent game.

Winters	Cross Plains
First downs	9 19
Rushing yards	58 233
Passing yards	97 43
Comp-Att-Int	5-16-1 2-3-1
Punts	30 33
Fumbles lost	2 2
Penalties-yards	3-15 5-55

The flag ceremony prior to the start of the game was very impressive. The Cross Plains Buffalo Marching Band Flag Corp, along with two members of the Winters Flag Corp, presented the U.S. American flag while the Buffalo Band played the "Star Spangled Banner" beautifully.

Another beautiful night for football was enjoyed by a large crowd of Buffalo fans. Everyone was backing the Buffs and delighting in the victory.

The Buffaloes will travel to Bangs Friday night, October 16, for another district game beginning at 7:30 p.m. Let's all keep the winning spirit and drive over to Bangs in support of the team.

(Photos Courtesy of Greg Turner.)

County Special Investigator To Be Hired

With an increase in the number of felony cases handled by Callahan County attorney Bob McCool's office, Callahan County commissioners Monday, September 28, voted to hire a special investigator for McCool's office, to handle the increased felony cases.

McCool and Callahan County sheriff Bill Skinner met with commissioners asking for the new investigator. Commissioners agreed to hire the investigator with the condition that monthly reports be made to the commissioners, showing the progress of the new investigator.

The new office will cost the county approximately \$20,000 a year. The new investigator will receive a set salary, car allowance, mileage, insurance, social security and retirement benefits paid by the county.

The investigator will have statewide jurisdiction and will work closely with area law enforcement agencies. His duties include doing follow-up work on all felony case brought before the county attorney, questioning witnesses, victims and defendants, and helping the county attorney stay in close contact with each case. "This will allow me to take a harder stand on cases that might otherwise be difficult to prosecute for lack of information," McCool said.

"In the past, the sheriff's office has done an excellent job in helping with these cases, but like so many departments, they are understaffed and overloaded with their own cases," McCool added. Until 1982, McCool handled only misdemeanor cases with Taylor County handling all Callahan County felonies. A recent state law now requires Callahan County to handle its own felony cases.

McCool is interviewing applicants and will consult with sheriff Skinner before making a final decision.

Other items brought before the commissioner's court include:

—Voted to appoint Debbie Strickland of Baird to the Callahan County Child Welfare board.

—Met with Mike McClure Jr. representing the Cross Plains Fire Department. He explained to commissioners of a need for a water tank and pump to be placed on a new rescue truck recently purchased by the department. Commissioners voted to contribute \$1,000 to the Cross Plains Fire Department for the additional equipment.

—Met with a representative of the Zion Baptist Church in Putnam requesting commissioners lower the church's county property tax. The church, disbanded since 1985, was no longer tax exempt with the owner unaware of the fact. The property was also appraised at four times the actual value. Commissioners voted to drop the penalty and interest on the delinquent taxes and the owner agreed to pay the taxes on the current appraised value of the property.

—Commissioners voted to contribute \$500 toward the burial of a Clyde woman by Bailey Funeral Home in Clyde.

—Commissioners voted to pay \$150 a month toward the cleaning of the Cross Plains justice of the peace office. Rolan Jones, Cross Plains justice of the peace, met with commissioners requesting the county compensate the county tax office employee in the Cross Plains office, Betty Lewis, to help with the paper work and the cleaning of the office. The office in Cross Plains is occupied by the justice of the peace, city marshal, Department of Public Safety, sheriff's department, county attorney's office, parks and wildlife department and is the county tax office for Cross Plains.

Annual Art Show Nov. 7 & 8

The Paint and Palette Club will be hosting their 14th Annual Art Show November 7 and 8 at the Cross Plains Community Center.

Registration is set for Friday, November 6, from 2 p.m. until 6 p.m. A \$2 registration fee for adults will be required for each entry, with a limit of five. Each adult may also enter one mini painting (6" X 8") or less, for \$1.

A \$2 registration fee for children is required for each entry, with a limit of three.

Artists must live within a 75 mile radius of Cross Plains.

A canvas 24" X 36" or less will be accepted. All paintings must be dry and framed. No saw-tooth hangers accepted.

The adult paintings will be divided into four categories consisting of Professional, Advanced Amateur, Amateur, and Beginner. The Professional, Advanced, and Amateur will be divided into landscape, still life, portraits, open, and miniature.

Beginners will be judged as a whole, unless it is unusually large.

The Intermediate Division is for artists age 12 to 18 years. They will be judged as a whole.

The Children's Division is designated for artists 1-11 years old. This year it

will be divided into two categories.

Ribbons will be awarded for first, second, third, and honorable mentions in each division at the discretion of the judge.

The following cash awards will be awarded:

CONTRIBUTOR	CASH AWARD	PLACE
Citizens State Bank	\$85.00	Best of Show
First State Bank	\$75.00	Best of Professional
Rising Star	\$65.00	Best of Advanced Amateur
Paint & Palette Art Club	\$60.00	Best of Amateur
Village Market	\$50.00	Best of Beginner
Higginsham Bros.	\$50.00	
Dept. Store	\$30.00	People's Choice Adult
Olney Savings Association	\$30.00	People's Choice Children
Olney Savings Association	\$30.00	People's Choice Adult
Lakeway Grocery and Neal Drug	\$15.00	People's Choice Children
Supply, Inc.	\$15.00	First Place Intermediate
Paint & Palette Art Club	\$10.00	Second Place Intermediate
Paint & Palette Art Club	\$7.00	Third Place Intermediate
Daly's	\$10.00	First Place Children
Paint & Palette Art Club	\$7.00	Second Place Children
Lawrence Farm & Ranch	\$5.00	Third Place Children
Supply, Inc.	\$10.00	First Place Children
Paint & Palette Art Club	\$7.00	Second Place Children
Paint & Palette Art Club	\$5.00	Third Place Children

The community is invited to view the entire show from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. November 7 and from 1 to 3:30 p.m. November 8.

The Paint and Palette Club invites all area artists to participate in the show. For further information please contact Ozella Huddleston (817) 725-6501; Yvonne Key (817) 643-4234; or Linda Strickland (817) 725-7778.

Football, Band Sweetheart Names Given

Last Friday night was the official Sweetheart Night and the Football team and Band chose to acknowledge their royalty.

Tina Duke, a Senior and Cheerleader, was honored as Football Sweetheart. David Wilson, a Senior and Captain of the football team, was her escort.

Carol Morgan, a Junior and Cheerleader, was a Sweetheart nominee. Gregg Weiss, a Senior and Football Captain, was her escort.

Melissa Montgomery, a Junior and Cheerleader, was also a nominee. Bill Johnson, a Junior and Football Captain, served as her escort.



BAND SWEETHEART — Alicia Kirkham was honored with the elite title by the Cross Plains Buffalo Band.



FOOTBALL SWEETHEART — Tina Duke was honored by the Cross Plains Buffalo football team.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT
Mack Kniffen, presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Vickie Lynn Jones, DWI.
Deborah Lee Tilton, DWI.
Michael Earl Muckelroy, DWI.
Jerry Don Bozeman Jr., DWI.
Billy Harold Lee, DWI.
Lynn McCormack Mann, DWI.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Starla Louanna Fox, motion to revoke probation dismissed.

Kelly Lee Buchanan, writ of habeas corpus granted.

William Randy Shields, plea of guilty to possession of marijuana, \$300 fine and \$105 court costs and 3 days in jail.

Scott Strange, motion to revoke probation dismissed.

Charles Owen Carroll, term of probation reduced and case dismissed.

William Dean Pierce, motion to revoke probation dismissed.

Charles D. Myers, bond forfeiture. Motions for continuance granted in following speeding cases: Vance Wayne Blackwell, Stephen Edward Ford, Charles Tracy Munden, Enrique Caballero.

Following traffic cases dismissed: Charles Tracy Munden, Enrique Caballero, John Ray Green, Tami Eschenbrenner, E.G. Henderson, Lonnie Darvin Ingram, Harry Lewis, Ronald J. Hall, Michael Dean Lunsford, Roy Kendrick, Clyde Leon Smith Jr., Jody Melton Davis.

Bobby Eugene Biggs, bond forfeiture.

NEW VEHICLES

Ellen S. Robinson, Abilene, Chev. 2 dr.

Branion K. Blank, Rt. 1, Baird, Honda 2 dr.

Charlie L. Lockaby, Clyde, GMC PU.

Shari Hodgkiss, Sweetwater, Chev. Sub.

A. Gregory Tuegel, Abilene, GMC Sub.

H.J. McFadden, Abilene, GMC PU.

Don Wilson, Baird, Ford Bronco.

42nd DISTRICT COURT
Don Lane, presiding

Civil Filings

In Re.: Alta Irene Strickland, petition for name change.

Starla Ann Davis and Dale Evan Davis and in interest of minor children, suit for divorce.

Triple S. Roustabout Service, Inc., vs. Meekle Energy, suit on account.

Triple S. Roustabout Service, Inc., vs. Charles Pitts, suit on account.

E.I. Dupont De Nemours, Inc., vs. Mark Banham, dba Texas Foam, suit on account.

Shackelford County Appraisal Dist., et al., vs. Jo Faye Huntington Olsen, suit for delinquent taxes.

Felony Criminal Complaint and Information

Bernard Jester, aka James Jester, possession of cocaine.

Felony Criminal Minutes

Joe Vasquez, plea of guilty to burglary of a building, 2 year probation.

Bernard Jester, aka James Jester, plea of guilty to possession of cocaine, 5 year prison term.

'North West And South Central' Book Available

"North West and South Central Brown County, Texas" is being sold on a pre-publication basis as most previous books in the Brown County Rural Studies books have been sold. The book is for the northwest corner of Brown County in the Cross Plains School District and the rural areas of the Brownwood School District.

This is the eighth and concluding area book of this series. The book contains family, church and other history of both areas of the county including a block of information by Bransford Eubank and histories of Cedar Point and Jordan Springs.

The Book Committee consists of Bransford Eubank, Irene Brown, Treasurer, Marie Stambaugh, and Estill Franklin Allen, Editor.

This will be a hardback book of approximately 240 pages, indexed, with thirty or more pictures, some maps and other information which they hope you will find interesting. This book is expected to be ready for distribution before Christmas 1987. The book will be printed in pica type for easy reading.

The price of this book will be \$22, tax included. For books to be mailed add \$1.75 for postage and handling. Send checks or money orders made out to North West and South Central Book Committee to Mrs. Irene Brown, R.F.D. 3, Box 104 A, Brownwood, Texas 76801. Send orders by October 31, 1987. The committee needs to know how many books to have printed and bound by November 1, 1987.

Any financial benefit, above actual costs, will be transferred by the treasurer to the Brown County Museum of History as was agreed upon before the book was produced.

Watch for notice of place and date for picking up the books about the middle of December 1987.

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Weekly Health Tip

DECISION MAKING

People who exercise regularly may be better decision-makers than those who don't, decided Prof. Garriel Salvendy of Purdue University. Persons involved in a 6-month fitness program made 60% fewer errors in forming strategies to arrive at complex decisions. The program, involving 40 men and women, age 27 to 66, included running, walking, track, and bicycling. Half of the group maintained their usual routine.

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OBITUARIES

A. C. Goode, Sr.

LAMESA — A.C. Goode, Sr., 69, died Monday at Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

Funeral services were held Thursday, October 8, at 2 p.m. at the North Side Baptist Church in Lamesa. Rev. Don Knight and Rev. R. Williams officiated. Burial was in Lamesa Memorial Park under the direction of Branon Funeral Home.

He was born September 8, 1918 in Taylor County and resided in Dawson County since 1933. He married Mildred Lambert in 1949 in Lovington, New Mexico.

Goode was a retired farmer and rancher, and member of the North Side Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mildred Goode, of Lamesa; two daughters, Carolyn Poe of Houston and Mary Ellen Moilan of Odessa; three sons, Bill Bradley of Houston, Corkey Goode of Looper, and Micky Goode of Welch; two sisters, Climanteen Bell of Roanok and Almata Johnson of Dallas; one brother, D.V. Goode of Cross Cut; 13 grandchildren; and 2 great-grandchildren.

Cleo A. Palmore

RISING STAR — Cleo A. Palmore, 81, died Monday at a Brownwood hospital.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Revs. Truett House and Robert Elkins officiating. Burial was in the Blake Cemetery.

She lived in the Williams Community and was a lifelong Brown County resident.

She was a teacher, a Methodist, and the widow of Pete Palmore.

Survivors include three sons, Jack Palmore of Rising Star, Jim Palmore of Coppell, and Carroll Palmore of Hobbs, N.M.; two daughters, Lynda Haight of Vidor and Nancy Lee Reneau of Prosper; a brother, Colledge Henderson of Texas City; 13 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Agnes Nora Brown

BROWNWOOD — Services for Agnes Nora Brown, 78, former Pioneer community resident, was at 10 a.m. Monday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel in Cross Plains with Paul McClung officiating. Burial was in Pioneer Cemetery.

She died Friday at her home in Brownwood.

Born in Blanket, she moved to Brownwood four years ago.

She was a homemaker, a member of the Church of Christ, and the widow of Jesse W. Brown.

Survivors include two sons, Rudolph Brown of Aubrey and Joe Brown of Lake Brownwood; three daughters, Betty Greenman of Navajo, Calif., and Erlene Burge and Kathryn Brown, both of Brownwood; a sister, Madeline Pinkston of Brownwood; 14 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Vernon Phillips, James Chesshir, Weldon Hill, Burnie Barnes, D.V. Goode, and James Lawrence.

Edward A. Duensing

RISING STAR — Edward A. Duensing, 80, died Wednesday at a Brownwood hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Maggort officiating. Burial was in Wolf Valley Cemetery.

Born in Kansas, he moved to Rising Star 16 years ago. He was retired from Conoco Oil Company. He was a part-time employee of Higginbotham Funeral. He was a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Brownwood.

Survivors include his wife, Deariso Duensing of Rising Star; a daughter, Debra Manning of Clear, Alaska; a brother, Albert Duensing of Wymore, Neb.; a sister, Amanda Langner of Hoxie, Kan.; and four grandchildren.

OIL NEWS

Coleman

Loproco, Richardson, will drill a wildcat, No. 1 H.K. Coburn, to 3,000 feet 5 miles northwest of Burkett on a 165-acre lease. Spots 2,332 FNL and 2,261 FEL, W. Van Dam, A-675.

Callahan Divide SWCD Taking Windbreak Tree Orders

"With the windy season just a few months away, now is the time to start planning for a tree windbreak," says Tony Baeza, Range Conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service in Baird. "A windbreak will not only add beauty and protect your house, but it will also attract wildlife and help reduce heating and cooling cost."

Currently the Callahan Divide Soil and Water Conservation District is taking orders for windbreak seedlings. Quality trees and shrubs of adapted species will be available at discount prices to landowners. With proper care many of the species will attain a mature height of 30-35 feet and provide protection for over 40 years.

Some of the seedling evergreen species that are available this season are Afghanistan pine, Arizona cypress, Austrian pine, Ponderosa pine, Red cedar, and Scotch pine. These trees are available at various sizes and price. Barerooted hardwoods available are Arizona ash, bur oak, desert willow, green ash, honeylocust, little walnut, Boisd'arc, pecan, redbud, red oak, and Russian olives.

Also available this year are wildlife packets. Each packet includes 100 seedling of various barerooted trees depending on whether your interested in attracting quail, deer, turkey, or squirrel.

Baeza encourages anyone interested in ordering windbreak trees to place their orders as soon as possible since many trees are in short supply.

For more information on planning, planting, and maintenance of windbreak trees, and how to purchase low-cost seedlings, contact the Soil Conservation Service in Baird or a member of the Callahan Divide Soil and Water Conservation District.

COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

"Rehab Night" is Friday, October 16, at the monthly Cottonwood Musical. Proceeds from the evening festivities will benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene. Further details on the chicken fried steak dinner and activities are featured in the Cross Plains Review today.

Donations for the bake sale and country store may be brought to the Center Friday mornings at 10 a.m. If you have items to donate and need to have them picked up, please call Raynell Duncan 725-7325, Dena Nickerson 725-6377 or Ethel Champion 725-6536.

Mrs. Ila Stroud is opening a sewing and alterations nook in the Cottonwood Country Store. Ila cordially invites everyone to come and see her for your sewing needs.

Dr. and Mrs. J.O. Williams have returned home from several weeks vacation. They visited with their daughter and son-in-law, Yvonne and David Suggs, in Gambier, Ohio. Laura and Jay traveled through the Smokey Mountains, visited an Amish community in Ohio, and stopped in Alabama and Texas checking on their family genealogy.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers visited with her mother, Mrs. Jessie Wilcoxon, in Cisco on Wednesday. Harry was at his folks on Friday and Aubrey came down Saturday.

Jessie Wilcoxon, Violet and Roy Edwards of Cisco attended two evening Gospel meetings held at the Cottonwood Church of Christ this past week.


On Thursday evening Mrs. Ethel Anderson had Gerry Renfro, Vanda King and family, and Barbara Sowell and family for supper.

Bart Fraiser and Bunk Bounds of Stamford came by to see their cousin, Ethel Anderson, Thursday afternoon.

Vanda King and Leah and Ethel Anderson had dinner with Darwin and Wanda Anderson last Sunday, October 4. Ethel and Vanda visited with Wes and Daisy Holcomb in Hendrick's one Sunday.

J.P. and Nettie Clark have a great-grandson, Cody Edward Clark, born October 5. His parents are Gary and Brenda Clark of Muleshoe.

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PIONEER NEWS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

My week, just passed, was made exceptionally bright by two nice telephone calls — from two lovely ladies. First, Lorena Settle of Archer City called to tell me that her birthday is February 11, not October 11, as I had insisted. Because I insisted, Bobbie Edmondson sent her a card also. Bobbie had said she thought it was in February.

My second call came from our long time friend, Irene Cook, of Stephenville. She wanted to let me hear about her mother's big birthday bash held on September 30. As I have written before, her mother, Addie Hilliard, was 107 on that day.

More than 100 persons went by to see

her (at the nursing home where she resides). Irene said she was so "proud" of her — she just sat up there, talked and laughed for hours to everybody who came by. Senator Jim Wright was one of many who came by, and she had greetings from Mr. Reagan and from Gov. Clements. Isn't that something, 107!!

Secretary of State Rodney S. Quinn and Mrs. Quinn of Portland, Maine, and Ms. Cora Howland of Cross Plains spent last Friday with Mrs. Ethel Brown. Mrs. Quinn is a cousin. Ella Dean visited the same day.

I talked to Jimmielee Payne at the grocery store. I commented on his pretty grain field out here across the highway from me. He said it surely needs a good rain. He said he reads all the "rural columns" in the Review — I appreciate him, as I'm sure the others do also.

J.T. Beggs stated that Betty is improving nicely — she can walk now without the crutches. He stated that they are through watering the peanuts — harvesting is next. Their son, Kim and son, David, of Stephenville visited during the weekend, also Rex of Cross Plains. The boys went hunting, had fun.

I chatted a moment with Mrs. Norman Lee. She didn't have any news but her lovely voice cheered my soul this holiday Monday. She made my day! Several neighbors did not answer — I'm surprised so many are away, taking a 3-day holiday. I guess.

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Sunday Evening.....	6:00 p.m.
Tuesday Evening Services held by David Wells.....	7:00 p.m.

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CROSS PLAINS

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Sunday Morning Bible Class.....	9:45 A.M.	Wed. Morning
Sunday Morning Worship.....	10:45 A.M.	Ladies Bible Class
Sunday Evening Worship.....	6:00 P.M.	(Seasonal) 10:00 A.M.
Wednesday Evening Bible Study.....	7:00 P.M.	

"Come now, and let us reason together" *Isaiah 1:18*
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SERVICES: Sunday School.....	9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship.....	11:00 A.M.
Training Union & Youth Choir.....	6:00 P.M.
Evening Worship.....	7:00 P.M.
Wed. Evening Prayer Service.....	7:30 P.M.
Sunday Choir Practice.....	6:00 p.m.

Knox Waggoner, Pastor Chas Payne, Music and Youth Director

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Sunday School.....	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....	10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship.....	7:00 p.m.
Choir Practice Wednesdays.....	6:30 p.m.
Youth Meet Wednesdays.....	6:30 p.m.
Women's Bible Study First & Third Mondays.....	2:00 p.m.

Reverend Jasper Cook, Pastor 725-7377

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Sunday School.....	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....	11:00 a.m.
Church Training.....	6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....	7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service.....	7:15 p.m.

Michael Hale, Pastor-725-7556 Marvin Saunders, M/Y Dir.-725-7550

BURKETT NEWS

Recent donations to the Community Center have been great. The following are Alice Edington \$25; B.L. Strickland, for roof repair, \$20; and the Strickland reunion \$105.25. The gifts will help so very much for the repair and upkeep of the center.

Repair on the roof should begin this week, much work has already begun. Two doors have been repaired and the new light bulbs have been put in.

Lucille Cross expresses her thanks to all those who so generously give of their time and money.

The Burkett Community Supper will be the third Saturday night in October, October 17, 1987. The Burkett Quilting Club will display a quilt. The top was

donated by Emma Boyle at the Community Supper. For a dollar donation, your name will go into the drawing box. At 9 a.m. we will have the drawing and some lucky person will take a beautiful quilt home.

The Burkett Quilting Club met last Tuesday with nine of its members present. Attending were: Iola Terry and Ima Bludworth of Coleman, Eunice Mountain, Freeda Burkett, Doris Walker, Willie Mae Wilson, Lucille Cross, and Wilda Tomlinson. It was good to have Wilda with us again.

Virgil Burkett worked all morning putting a new door in the center. He and Raymond Cross were guests at the Quilter's luncheon. Zora DeBusk also dropped by for a short visit.

Everyone enjoyed the Strickland Reunion last Sunday. There were about ninety in attendance. There was a lot of good food to eat and good visiting going on. They plan to have it again next year.

Jo Davee's company this past week were her cousins, Lawrence and Lena Madre from Brownwood; Lydia and Eloise Eubank from Cross Cut; and Lois Garrett visited Jack and Zora DeBusk.

Buck Bludworth of Henderson and B.L. Strickland of Midland spent the weekend visiting with W.B. Bludworth and relatives in the Burkett area.

Inez Maedgen of Carlsbad, New Mexico visited Anna Golson last Monday afternoon.



EVERYONE IS IN STEP — The Cross Plains Buffalo Marching Band is pictured during a practice session preparing for U.I.L. Contest.

Back The Buffalo Marching Band

The Cross Plains Buffalo Marching Band is actively preparing for U.I.L. Marching Contest to be held October 24 at Shotwell Stadium in Abilene. The band will perform at 7:45 p.m., so hopefully a large group of residents will be able to attend.

The band has been practicing two hours each Tuesday, in addition to their daily class period. Many students practice each day after school on their

instruments and memorizing music.

Randy Taylor, band director, remarked, "This is a good group of kids to work with, and I have been pleasantly surprised at the progress they have made." He stated that they were working toward a Division I in the marching contest, and hoped that everyone would back the band in their efforts.

The band will be performing their contest routine at football game half times, so watch for their sharp new look.

Between now and contest day, the band needs the encouragement and support of everyone. Mr. Taylor and the Band Booster Club invite you to join in their campaign to boost the Cross Plains Buffalo Marching Band.

Band Boosters Held Regular Session

The Band Booster Club met for their monthly session, Monday, October 5, at the band hall. A good crowd of interested parents were present.

The meeting was called to order by Connie Kirkham, President, and Charlotte Montgomery, Secretary, read the minutes. Kirkham presented the financial report.

Sharolyn Walker resigned her position as Treasurer and the club elected Connie Swift to replace her.

The Christmas Store will be utilized as a fund raiser again this year. December 17 and 18 have been designated for the sale. Parents, please start preparing your handcrafts with these dates in mind.

Discussion of a Christmas Concert was introduced by Randy Taylor, so watch for what's new this Yule season.

An update on the concession stand was given by the President and changes and improvements were discussed.

Dora Hounshell Attends 39th Annual Conference

ODESSA, TEXAS — Callahan County Treasurer Dora Hounshell joined some 164 other officials and numerous guests at the 39th Annual County Treasurers' Conference. The keynote address was delivered by the Honorable Jim Mattox, Texas Attorney General. The special guest speaker was John Bryant, U.S. Congressman from the 5th District, Dallas.

"County Treasurers have the major responsibility for handling and investing county funds," said Dora. "It's an ever changing business that requires staying on top of the latest in money management and legal requirements for government fiscal accountability."

County Treasurers who attended the conference also heard various speakers on such subjects as payroll, accounting, investment alternatives, computer software applications and public relations. The annual conference is one of the educational programs sponsored by the County Treasurers' Association

FHA Office Closed For Training Session

The Eastland Farmers Home Administration office will be closed from Tuesday, October 14th through Friday, October 16th, so that all personnel can attend a training meeting in Dallas. Also, the office will be closed Monday, October 12, in observance of Columbus Day.

The office will be open for business on Monday, October 19, at 8 a.m.

Band Booster Concession Stand Schedule

Oct. 15, Bangs Jr. High 5:00
 Nelda Pancake 725-7742
 Linda Reed 725-6744
 Ellen Rutledge 725-7798
 Paula Winfrey 725-7787
 Barbara Brown 725-7719

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On the judgement day, a plea of ignorance will not help (Acts 17:30, 31). Likewise, no one will mock God and squeeze by on a generous, unjust amount of His grace (Rom. 6:1, 2, 16).

His way is strait and narrow (Matt. 7:13, 14); but is always kind and easy (Matt. 11:28, 29, 30).

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County Hay Show Set For October 27

The annual Callahan County Hay Show will be held Tuesday, October 27, and all producers are invited to submit entries for judging. All samples of hay submitted for judging will be analyzed for protein content and judged for physical characteristics by area Agronomist George Alston of Stephenville.

The Hay Show is being sponsored by the Crops, Forage & Livestock Subcommittees of the Extension Program Council according to Greg Gerngross, County Extension Agent. All entries are due in the County Extension Office by Wednesday, October 14. Entry fee is \$5 per entry and check should be made payable to Callahan County Hay Show Fund. Award will be presented the evening of the 27th at the Annual meeting of the Extension Program Council. For more information on the Hay Show, contact the county extension office at 854-1518.



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LEGAL TITLE OF BANK	CITY		STATE	ZIP CODE	ASSETS		
	Callahan	Texas			Bl	Mil	Thou
CITIZENS STATE BANK	Cross Plains, Texas	76443	Texas	76443	1,637-20		
Box 699					11 19 13879		
Cross Plains, Texas					September 30, 1987		
1 Cash and balances due from depository institutions					980	1 a	
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin					6,447	1 b	
b. Interest-bearing balances					3,170	2	
2 Securities							
3 Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IFBs					1,050	3	
4 Loans and lease financing receivables						4	
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income	13,814					4 a	
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	76					4 b	
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0					4 c	
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4 a minus 4 b and 4 c)					13,738	4 d	
5 Assets held in trading accounts					0	5	
6 Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)					152	6	
7 Other real estate owned					89	7	
8 Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies					0	8	
9 Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding					0	9	
10 Intangible assets					0	10	
11 Other assets					519	11	
12 Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)					26,145	12	
LIABILITIES							
13 Deposits							
a. In domestic offices					2,910	13 a	
(1) Noninterest-bearing	2,865					13 a (1)	
(2) Interest-bearing	20,065					13 a (2)	
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IFBs					0	13 b	
(1) Noninterest-bearing	0					13 b (1)	
(2) Interest-bearing	0					13 b (2)	
14 Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IFBs					0	14	
15 Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury					0	15	
16 Other borrowed money					0	16	
17 Mortgage interest and obligations under capitalized leases					0	17	
18 Bank's liability on acceptances accrued and outstanding					0	18	
19 Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits					0	19	
20 Other liabilities					352	20	
21 Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)					23,282	21	
22 Limited-life preferred stock					0	22	
EQUITY CAPITAL							
23 Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)	0				0	23	
24 Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized b. Outstanding)	4,000				200	24	
25 Surplus					800	25	
26 Undivided profits and capital reserves					1,963	26	
27 Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments					0	27	
28 Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)					2,863	28	
29 Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of items 21, 22, and 28)					26,145	29	
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date						MEMO	
1 a Standby letters of credit, Total					69	1 a	
1 b Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a conveyed to others through participations					0	1 b	

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.
 If we, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in accordance with official instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: _____ DATE SIGNED: October 8, 1987
 NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: _____ AREA CODE/PHONE NO. (817) 725-6141
 Darnes D. Turner, Vice President and Cashier
 We the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in accordance with official instructions and is true and correct.
 SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: _____ SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: _____ SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: _____
 (MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL) Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of October, 19 87.
 Bryan Thomas My commission expires March 3, 19 91.
 Signature Notary Public

C. P. Student Review

By Mass Media Class Carol Atchley, Instructor



SCHOOL COUNSELOR — Ann Watson Independent School District. is welcomed to the Cross Plains

Teacher Of The Week

By DARLENE HINESLY

The new Teacher of the Week for my interview is Ann Watson. Actually, Mrs. Watson is the new counselor at Cross Plains Independent School District.

Before coming to Cross Plains, she was a teacher at Round Rock (near Austin). During her 5 years at Round-Rock, Mrs. Watson taught History at the junior high level.

Mrs. Watson commutes to Cross

Plains from Coleman where she lives with her husband, Collier, and her two children, daughter Kristen (12) and son, Stephen (10). She comes to Cross Plains every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

She received her teaching certificate and counselor training at Angelo State University. Although she is not new to education, this is her first year as a counselor. Her first impressions of her new school and job are good. She says that she is enjoying her job very much.

Mighty Mites Chill The Blizzards

By JODY BROWN

Last Thursday night, October 8, the Mighty Mites blew away the Winters Blizzards by a score of 20 to 6. The Blizzards drew first blood in the contest held at Winters. They scored on a punt return with just a few minutes into the 2nd quarter.

The Mighty Mites then came alive. Quarterback, Jody Brown, completed a 15 yard pass to tightend Colby Walker for the 6 points. The two point conversion failed.

In the Blizzard's next possession, Jody Brown intercepted a Blizzard pass and returned it 40 yards down the sideline for the six points. Brown was then able to add the 2 points. At the half the score was Mites 14 and the Blizzards 6.

Half way through the 3rd quarter, Jody Brown swept around the protection of the line for the Mites final touchdown. The conversion attempt was unsuccessful. When the final buzzer rang, it was the Mites 20 and the Blizzards 6.

Starters on the offense which provide the opportunities for Brown to score were: James Jones, Thomas Bomar, James Reed, Shawn McKeenan, Kenny Horan, Colby Walker, Billy Brown, Brandon Smith, Michael Cowan, and

Cory Pope.

Starting on defense (and they did an excellent job holding Winters to only 6 points) were: Brandon Smith, Robert Lee, Shawn McKeenan, James Jones, Billy Brown, Colby Walker, Charlie Wright, Jody Brown, Michael Cowan, Chris Hamer, and Jacob Barron.

Others that played and contributed to the victory were: Earl Melroney, Stephen Williams, Buddy Rowen, Eric Blanton, and Doug Adams.

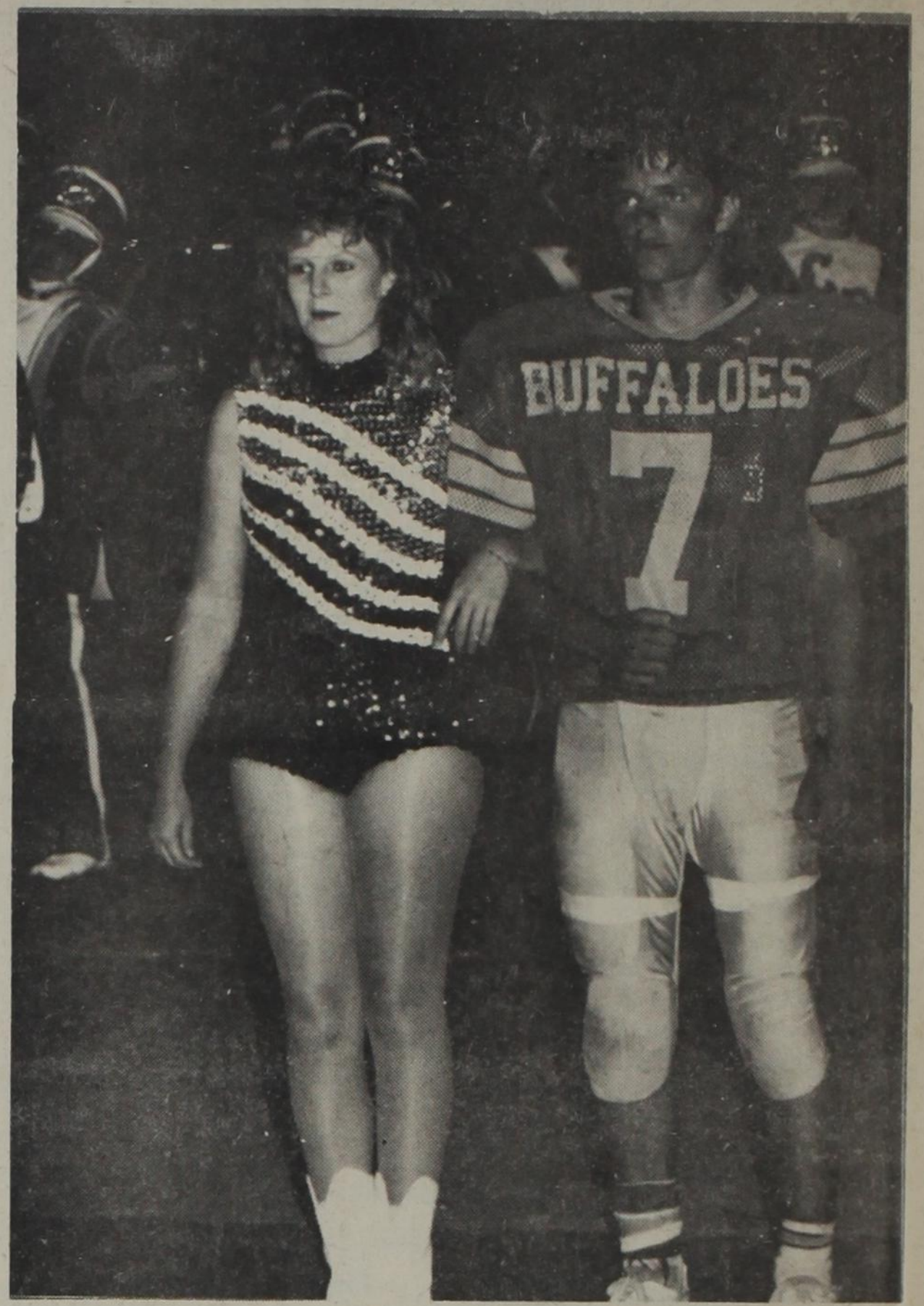
Dominguez Named

To Who's Who

Lee Ann Dominguez, a Senior at Cross Plains School, was accepted for inclusion in the 21st annual edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students for 1986-87.

Lee Ann was accepted because of her fine academic achievements. Along with this honor, she is also eligible to compete for a scholarship and to use the College Referral Service.

Her photo and biography will appear in the Who's Who Among American High School Students book in December of this year.



BAND SWEETHEART NOMINEE — Chris Strength, son of Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Weiss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Weiss, was escorted by Charles Strength. (Photos Courtesy of Greg Turner.)



THE CAFETERIA STAFF — Lillian Jackson, (From left), Ann Kitchens, Ferne Hutchins, Lee McNutt, and Jewel Newman prepare the meals at the Cross Plains School.

'Thank You'

By DARLENE HINESLY

National School Lunchroom Week is this week — October 12-16. The Cross Plains I.S.D. members of TSTA (Texas State Teachers Association) would like to express their appreciation to the lunchroom workers.

This year the ladies that work in the lunchroom are: Lillian Jackson (she's been here 8 years), Lee McNutt (1/2 year), Ann Kitchens (4 years), Jewel Newman (2 years), and Ferne Hutchins (1 year).

They arrive at school between 6-7 in the morning to begin preparing breakfast and as soon as that's over, they start work on the noon meal.

Each day Monday through Friday they prepare approximately ten meals. Their work day at school ends at 2 p.m. after getting everything cleaned up and ready for the next day.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

OCTOBER 15 — OCTOBER 21

BREAKFAST

- THURSDAY** — Waffles w/sausage, orange juice, milk.
- FRIDAY** — Bacon and eggs, biscuit, butter, jelly, milk.
- MONDAY** — Buttered rice, toast, grape juice, milk.
- TUESDAY** — Choice of ready to eat cereal, toast, orange juice, milk.
- WEDNESDAY** — Pancake w/syrup, butter, grape juice, milk.

LUNCH

- THURSDAY** — Spaghetti w/meat sauce, green beans, rolls, pineapple slices, milk.
- FRIDAY** — Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickle, French fries, cookie, milk.
- MONDAY** — Chicken nuggets, gravy, creamed potatoes, green peas, rolls, brownie, milk.
- TUESDAY** — Corn chip pie, salad, corn bread, peaches, milk.
- WEDNESDAY** — Chicken fried steak, gravy, potatoes, green beans, roll, honey, milk.



MAGAZINE SALESPERSONS — Cross Plains High School Juniors prepare for sale.

Magazines Anyone?

By REGIE BROWN

Lately, you might have seen a few students around town carrying a thick envelope. This envelope is the Junior fund raising activity which is full of magazine and music offers.

Last Wednesday, October 6, a representative from the Reader's Digest Association, presented the fund raiser to the Cross Plains Junior Class. The class listened to the presentation and then as a group they voted to participate.

The activity includes a variety of magazines and tapes to be sold. The

members of the Junior class will be taking magazine subscriptions and taking orders for tapes until October 23. The money raised from this activity will be used for various activities including the Junior-Senior banquet.

According to Chris Brown, Junior class vice-president, the class expects that the fund raiser will be very successful. If anyone is interested in buying a subscription, or would like any additional information, contact any Junior class member, or any of the officers: Alicia Kirkham, Chris Brown, Terrill Smith, or Jeannie Barclay.



BAND SWEETHEART — Alicia Kirkham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Kirkham, was escorted by Kyle Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Foster.



BAND SWEETHEART NOMINEE — Wesley Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donna Erwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Johnston, was escorted by L.D. Brown.



FOOTBALL SWEETHEART — Tina Duke, daughter of Sandra Kelley, was escorted by David Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wilson.



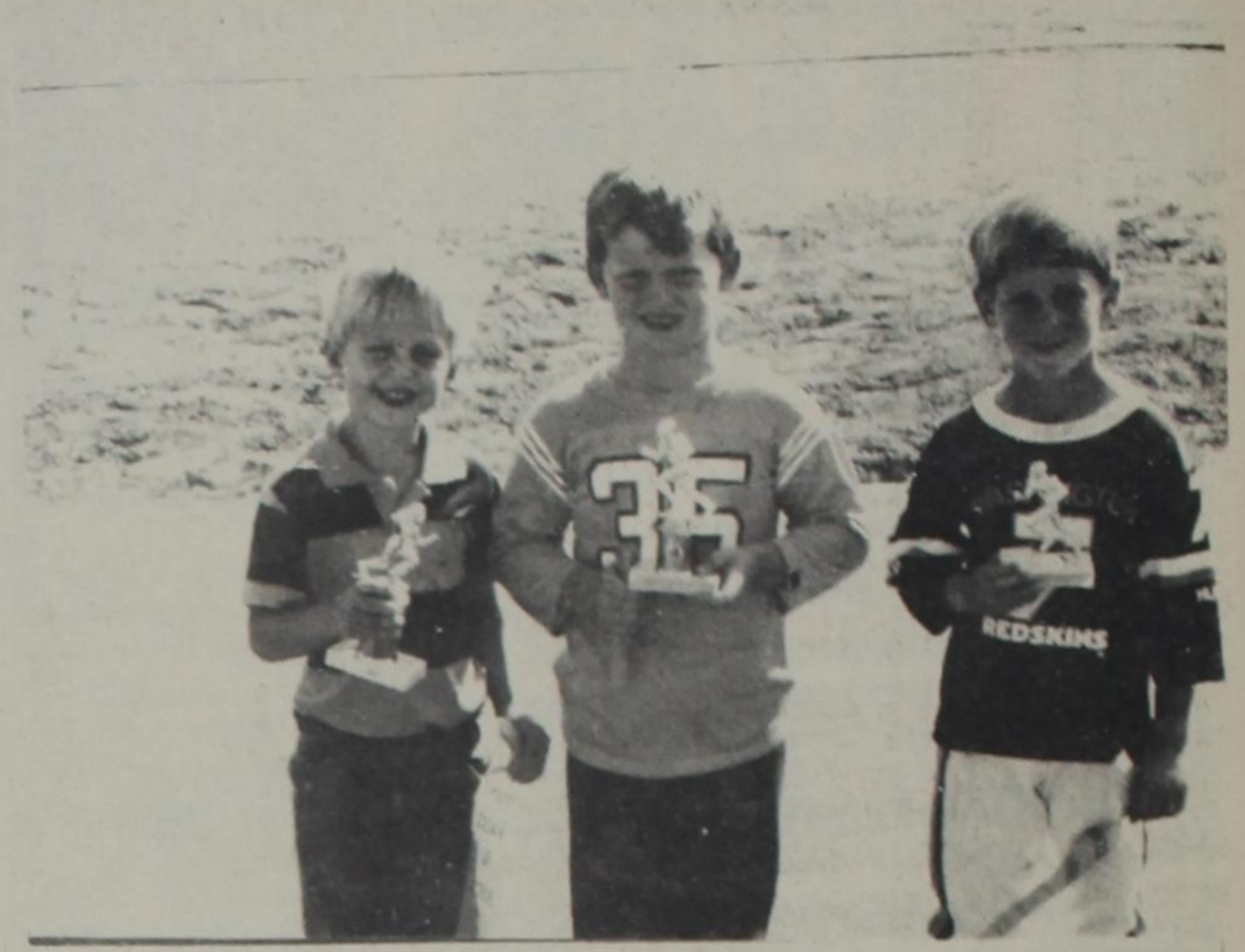
FOOTBALL SWEETHEART NOMINEE — Carol Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Morgan, was escorted by Gregg Weiss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Weiss. (Photos Courtesy of Greg Turner.)



FOOTBALL SWEETHEART NOMINEE — Melissa Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Montgomery, was escorted by Bill Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson.



LOCAL COUPLE WINNERS OF DRAWING — Merle Pettiet, local representative, is presenting Delbert and Charlotte Biggs of Cross Plains with an archery set which they won at the Woodmen of the World booth during the West Texas Fair and Rodeo in September. Woodmen of the World also gave an American flag and a complete fishing tackle set which were won by Abilene and Merkel residents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Woody, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pettiet manned the booth at the Fair.



TROPHY WINNERS-5-6 YEAR-OLD DIVISION — First place, Toby Conners, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Conners. Second place, Jaden Winfrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Winfrey; and Third place, Josh Thayer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Foster. (Photo Courtesy of Greg Turner.)



7-8 YEAR OLD WINNERS — First place, Jarad Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monty Richards; Second place, Chris Knowles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Knowles; Third place, Joseph Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Turner.



TOP HONORS IN 9-10 YEAR OLDS — First place, Matt Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Reed; Second place, Rusty Duke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Duke; Third place, Jimmy Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Reed.



WINNERS OF THE 11-12 YEAR OLD DIVISION — First place, James Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Jones; Second place, Rodney Rudloff, son of Nora Odom; Third place, Brandon Smith, son of Dora Smith.

Tax Increase in '88

Dear Commissioner Nabers: I have really been struggling during these tough economic times. Often I thought I might have to close the doors on my business and walk away. Maybe I am over the hump - at least I hope so - but today I started wondering what my 1988 unemployment tax rate would be --- can you give me any idea of what to expect?

T.J. Dalhart

Dear T.J.: I have been hearing from hundreds of employers in exactly the same situation. I wish the news I have to give you could be better, but here goes. There are two substantial law changes made by the last legislature which will affect employers beginning in 1988.

First, there was a change made in the method of computing the deficit tax. The deficit tax is one portion of an employer's overall unemployment tax rate. Previously, because of the computation formula, the deficit tax affected less than half of all employers. Now it will affect all employers.

Second, the wage base upon which an employer pays taxes has been increased from \$7000 to \$8000 in 1988 and \$9000 in 1989.

In a nutshell, taxes will increase! In 1988, the minimum rate available under law is expected to approach 1%, and the maximum rate is expected to be about 8.5%. I am advising all employers to prepare for a tax increase but those who did not pay any deficit tax last year will be the ones to take the biggest hit.

Dear Commissioner Nabers: Is there anything that we as employers can do to lighten our tax burden for 1988?

S.J. Lubbock

Dear S.J.: The 0.8% FUTA (Federal Unemployment Tax Act) tax is due to decrease to 0.6% as of January 1, 1988. The additional 0.2% was imposed in 1977 to pay for extended unemployment benefits authorized by the Federal Government.

The House and Senate committees in the U.S. Congress have included among the options considered in writing a tax bill, the extension of this tax.

Since the purpose for which it was imposed has been satisfied, we think the extension would be a new tax which you as employers have every right to protest. The extension will cost the employers of Texas approximately \$89 million in 1988 or about \$14 per employer.

Write to your U.S. Congressmen and Senators now stating your objection. The next two weeks are the crucial ones as far as this tax is concerned.

Ms. Nabers represents 336,000 employers throughout Texas. If you have any questions you want answered, please write Commissioner Nabers at: TEXAS BUSINESS TODAY, 614 Texas Employment Commission



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Mary Scott Nabers

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Cauthen Re-elected To Callahan Divide Board Of Directors

Jimmy Cauthen of the Admiral community was recently re-elected to the CALLAHAN DIVIDE board of directors October 5. Cauthen represents zone 3 of the district.

The purpose of the CALLAHAN DIVIDE SWCD, with headquarters in Baird is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on farm and ranch lands within the district and to serve as a voice for farmers and ranchers on conservation matters and other issues affecting private property rights of landowners.

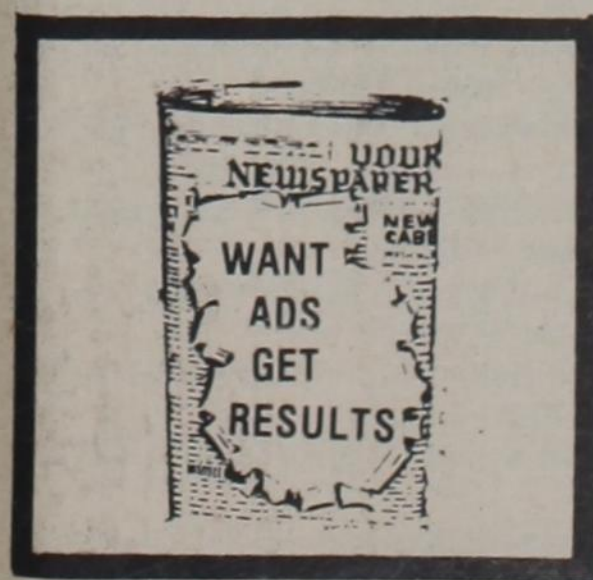
The board of directors coordinates the conservation efforts of various local, state, and federal agencies and other organizations and has authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

As one of five individuals serving on the district board of directors, Cauthen will be responsible for district policies and procedures for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas soil conservation district law.

In other areas of leadership, Cauthen is active in farming and ranching in the Admiral community and also a full time employee in the Baird Post Office.

In Texas there are 206 soil and water conservation districts. Each is a legal subdivision of the state government organized by local agricultural landowners with the assistance of the Texas State SOIL and WATER CONSERVATION BOARD. Unlike most other legal subdivisions of the state government, SWCDs do not have the powers of taxation or eminent domain. All conservation programs managed by the districts are of a voluntary nature to the landowner or operator.

Organized in April 1986 the CALLAHAN DIVIDE SWCD is currently involved in implementing the different aspects of the 1987 Food Security Act. The District has determined that 54% of the farms within Callahan County contain highly erodible cropland and will require a Conservation Plan before 1990. The CALLAHAN DIVIDE SWCD encourages farmers to contact their local SWCD office in Baird for assistance in developing a conservation plan to meet the requirements of the program.



Punt, Pass, And Kick Successful

The Second Annual Punt, Pass, and Kick sponsored by the Athletic Booster Club and the coaching staff was successful once again. Approximately 80 youngsters participated in the event held at the Buffalo Stadium Saturday morning.

The bleachers were full of parents and relatives cheering their contestant on. The top three places in each age division were awarded trophies and all contestants received a participation ribbon.

Winners in the 5-6 year-old division were first place, Toby Conners, with 71 feet 8 inches; second place, Jaden Winfrey, with 70 feet 9 inches; and third place, Josh Thayer, with 68 feet.

Top honors in the 7-8 year-olds went to Jarad Richards, first place, with 195 feet 7 inches; Chris Knowles, second place, with 150 feet 2 inches; and Joseph Turner, third place, with 149 feet 10 inches.

The 9-10 year-old winners were Matt Reed, first place, with 189 feet; Rusty Duke, second place, 186 feet 5 inches; and Jimmy Lee, third place, 175 feet 11 inches.

Winners in the 11-12 year-old division were first place, James Jones, with 193 feet 4 inches; second place, Rodney Rudloff, with 186 feet 7 inches; and third place, Brandon Smith, with 179 feet 7 inches.

All the participants were encouraged to keep practicing for next year's competition. Michael Permenter, head coach, expressed his appreciation for the parents who brought their children.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. M.F. Dill's visitors were Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Barnett and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alton McCowen, Collis Eager, Donie McCowen, Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Walker, Jay Kirkham, Marvin Dickson, Gary Hargrove, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson.

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We wish to express our gratitude for the food that was brought to the house and church, the flowers and cards sent to the family and the contributions made to charities and organizations in memory of Lou Buckner. We'll all miss our sweet Lou.
May God bless each of you.
The Tom Buckner family

Card Of Thanks
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October 7, 1987

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GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lane will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary October 18.

Local Couple Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lane of Cross Plains will be honored with a reception on their 50th Wedding Anniversary by their daughters, Wanda Waldruff, Mrs. Aubrey (Virginia) Childers, and Mrs. Louis (Peggie) Pecchioni all of Abilene. The celebration will be Sunday, October 18, from 2-4 p.m. at the Cross Plains Community Center.

Others in the houseparty are grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Waldruff all of Abilene, and a friend, Martha Malone, of Tye, and Nancy Childers of Brownwood.

Sam was born in White Pine, Tennessee and Reba in Comanche County. The couple married in Pioneer on October 16, 1937. They have been residents of Cross Plains since their marriage.

Mr. Lane was a farmer and Mrs. Lane operated Lane's Variety for many years. They are members of the Evangelical Methodist Church.

The Lanes have two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Everyone is invited to attend the reception.

CJC Offers Firearm Safety For Women

Cisco Junior College will offer Firearm Safety for Women as a community service course. The course includes four hours of classroom instruction and three hours of time at the firing range.

The class will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. in Room 5 of Rudolph Schaefer Hall on Monday, October 19 and Tuesday, October 20. On Saturday, October 24, the class will meet from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the firing range.

Cost for the course is \$24. To register contact Charlotte Speegle at 442-2567. Registration deadline for the class is Friday, October 16.

ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. N.V. GIBBS

Warm October weather has been nice this week. Some mornings dawned without dews on the grass and weeds. Thursday's south winds blew leaves around in yards and made driving on highways harder to manage. General rains are needed on the young grain fields.

Emma Johnson and Lizzie Burks had no news to report, but Bobbie Burks, who lives on the place brought them some nice channel catfish that they enjoyed.

Vernie Belle Mauldin reported only one visitor, M.L. Hughes of Baird, who came out to visit Gene who has been on the sick list recently.

Ivo Odom of Pioneer entered Hendrick hospital last Monday for tests and medications. His mother, Joyce Odom, brought him to their house Saturday morning. Vickie, his wife, was there to sow grain. Ralph Trevey of Snyder came Wednesday to visit with the family.

Jim Reynolds and sons, Chris and

Colby, of Midland spent part of this week with his parents, James and Dorothy Reynolds. The children also visited their grandparents, Jon and Betty Hardwick, in Baird.

Don and Maryana Harrell attended part of the cutting horse show and competition in Abilene this week.

This writer visited her aunt, Faye White, in Baird Monday morning and in Abilene visited Elveda Sikes.

Robert and Dorothy Watson, along with Jessie Odom and Bob and Kathy Dye, attended the Baird-Lometa football games this week. The game Friday night was in Baird and their team won the game. Before the game, the Baird Fire Department sold hamburgers to team members and those attending the game.

Vernie Belle Mauldin did not get to attend her Sunday School Class social at their church Monday night. Jessie Odom did attend and gave a report of 24 members present.

There will be a meeting with supper at the Community Center on October 24 at 7:30 p.m. All are invited to attend.

THE PIONEER PATCHWORK

By IRMA MILLER

The Pioneer Quilting Club met on Tuesday as usual with eleven ladies present. We decided to write this column for the newspaper and to call it the Pioneer Patchwork.

Lou Grider brought the quilting ladies some fresh garden squash on Tuesday, and just about everyone took some home. The following recipe was passed around, compliments of Nell Fleming: Chop Suey Cake: 2 C sugar, 2 C flour, 2 eggs, 2 tsp. salt, 20 oz. can crushed pineapple undrained, 1 C pecans chopped. Mix well and bake in a sheet cake pan at 350° F 35 to 40 minutes. While cooking, mix: 1 stick oleo softened, 1 8-oz. pkg. cream cheese, 2 C sifted powdered sugar, 1 tsp. vanilla, 1 tablespoons milk. Mix well and pour on cake while hot. This cake was delicious at our quilting lunch.

The Baptist Church ladies had a retreat with 19 ladies present, including visitors. They spent the night as a spiritual retreat and studied about the Spirit-filled life, with the subject submissiveness. They will have WMU Wednesday night at 6 p.m. and regular prayer service at 7 p.m.

Agnes Brown, a longtime resident of

our community, passed away and was buried Monday in the Pioneer Cemetery. Our sympathy and comfort is lovingly extended.

Jean Fore's company left Sunday afternoon. They were Paul and Juanita Harlowe of Lovington, New Mexico and Vi Harlowe of Marble Falls. They went to Arlington Sunday afternoon and visited with Grasson and Myrtle Harlowe and came back Wednesday. Also, while here they visited her mother, Mrs. Foster of Bangs, and Jerry Foster of Brownwood, who recently had cancer surgery. Jean also had visitors from Cisco including Mrs. Zella Blackburn, Mrs. Pearl Carson, and Mrs. Lloyd Mize.

Ethel Brown had visitors from Maine, her cousin and husband.

Donald and Dolores Stover had visitors last weekend, her brother's family, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pittman from Tuttle, Oklahoma. Ronnie stayed here to visit with Donald and Dolores.

Bill and Elaine Pancake went to the Rio Grande Valley for a short trip, returning Monday.

The Pentecostal Church at Pioneer had their annual homecoming on Saturday, October 10, with a total of 52 registered, although there were more than 52 present. A covered dish lunch was served at the Pioneer Clubhouse by two gracious ladies of this community, Jewel Foster and Winnie Flippen. There was plenty of good food for soul and body.

Jewel Foster's daughter, Golda Houston, was here last week to see her. Sam Fleming of Rising Star visited Joe and Nell Fleming Wednesday. Joe and Nell went to Bangs Thursday to get farm supplies.

Billie and H.A. Freeman attended the funeral of her friend, Gladys Bale, of Clyde on Sunday.

Laverne and Cowan Hutton had visitors Friday night. They were Bob and Nelda Dean and Betty and Claude Joy.

Ruby Daniel has a little boy's quilt about finished, with a matching quilted pillow. Lynn is in the process of building bird houses and Ruby paints them. She says her summer hobby is her flowers and quilting is her winter hobby.

Cleo and Novilia Barton went to De Leon Wednesday, October 7, and while there passed by the Caraway Feed and Seed store. It brought back memories of when they used to trade there a lot. They also visited a friend there — Illa Hallbrook.

Sally took Nettie Roady to the doctor Monday for a routine check-up. Nettie had spent the night with Bob and Sally.

Three Pioneer boys, of whom we are proud, now belong to the Cross Plains Scout Troop 281 which now has adopted a 3-mile stretch of Highway 36. The sign may be seen on the highway as you leave Cross Plains and as you cross the Callahan County line going west. The boys are Steven Lipstraw, Chris Hamer, and Cody Winfrey.

Athletic Booster To Meet Each Tuesday Night

The Athletic Booster Club will be meeting at 7 p.m. each Tuesday night at the High School.

A representative stated that the Buffalo caps have been delivered and may be purchased for \$6 each at Western Auto downtown. Wear a Buffalo cap and show your support of the team!

The Booster Club encourages all the members and prospective new members to join them each Tuesday night.



MRS. MICHAEL WADE CLARK

Walton-Clark Nuptials Held October 10

Stephanie Lynn Walton and Michael Wade Clark were married Saturday, October 10, 1987 at 2 in the afternoon in a double ring ceremony at Wylie Baptist Church in Abilene.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Walton of Abilene. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clark also of Abilene.

Mrs. Jim Ansley of Midland was Matron of Honor. Bridesmaids were: Terri Morris of Abilene, Kimberli Vaughn of Abilene, Kimberly Clark, sister of the groom, and Paige Ewing of Lubbock.

Best man was Eddie Champion of Cross Plains. Groomsman were: David McDermott of Dallas, Craig Schuman of Abilene, Ryan Shipp of Brownwood, and Stacy Walton, brother of the bride. Ushers were: Brent Jobe of Lubbock, the bride's cousin, Rory Morrison of Wichita Falls, and Phelps Morrison of Abilene. Flower girl was Misty Ledgerwood of Arlington, cousin of the bride. Ringbearer was Dusty Ledgerwood of Arlington, cousin of the bride. Candlelighters were Kimberly Clark, sister of the groom, and Stacy Walton, brother of the bride.

The Reverend Oscar Fanning officiated.

Grandparents of the bride are Mrs. Joye Walton and the late John Walton of Hamlin, Mrs. Keith Witt and the late

Dean Witt of Abilene. Mrs. A.W. Jobe of Lubbock, the bride's great-grandmother was a special guest. The groom's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ivan T. Clark of Cross Plains, Mrs. Jeanne Cantrell of Abilene. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark of Farmer's Branch.

The bride and groom are graduates of Wylie High School. The bride attended Cisco Junior College and Tarleton State University. She is employed by Wm. Todd Walker, DDS in Abilene. The groom attended Tarleton State University. He is employed by ACL in Abilene. After a wedding trip to Colorado, the couple will reside in Abilene.

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Attention Boys

If you are a boy from the first grade up to 10 years of age and missed school night for joining Cub Scouts, it's not too late. All you need to do is call your Cub Master, Bill Reed, at 725-6744 and he will get you signed up.

Any boy age 11 and up who would like to sign up, may go to the Boy Scout meetings on Monday night at 6:30 p.m. at the Scout Hut, located behind the nursing home on east 14th. If you have any questions, you may also call the above number to be registered in scouts.

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- INSTANT TEA** NESTEA 3.6 OZ. JAR **\$1.99**
- CRISCO OIL** 48 OZ. **\$2.49**
- FLOUR** AMERICAN BEAUTY 5 LB. **79¢**
- BEANS** RANCH STYLE 15 OZ. **39¢**
- CASCADE LIQUID** 80 OZ. 60" OFF LABEL **\$2.99**

- DOG FOOD** GRAND GOURMET 14 OZ. CAN **59¢**
- DAIRY PRODUCTS**
- BISCUITS** PILLSBURY HUNGARY JACK 5 OZ. **2/79¢**
- PUNCH** SUNNY DELIGHT 64 OZ. **\$1.09**
- AMERICAN SINGLES** BORDEN 12 OZ. **\$1.69**
- FROZEN FOODS**
- CINNAMON ROLLS** SHURFINE 9.5 OZ. **79¢**
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- SHERBET** GANDY'S 1/2 GAL. ASSORTED **\$1.89**


 **COOKIES** NABISCO OREO SANDWICH 20 OZ. **\$2.29**

 **TOMATO JUICE** DEL MONTE 46 OZ. **89¢**

 **TOSTITOS** FRITO LAY ASSORTED 11 OZ. REG. \$2.29 **\$1.89**

 **COCA COLA PRODUCTS** 2 LITER **\$1.09**

 **WHEAT BREAD** HOLSUM SPLIT TOP 1 1/2 LB. LOAF **99¢**

 **PIZZAS** TOTINO'S TEMPTIN TOPPING ASSORTED **\$1.39**

 **COUNTRY CROCK** SHEDD SPREAD 3 LB. **\$1.49**

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