Down Home \$

'Howdy California Readers'

By VANDA KING Editor

A former resident of Cross Plains and my cousin, Sheila Nichols Brooks, has introduced her coworkers at a downtown Los Angeles stock brokerage firm to the Cross Plains Review. She said it started when she took the newspaper to work one day and noticed everyone reading it with interest.

Now she says copies of the Review lay beside the Wall Street Journal in the office located in the financial district. Sheila reported that everyone loved the refreshing country style which is so different from their environment.

My first reaction was that they might just be laughing, especially at my Down Home articles, but she reassured me that they enjoyed it. She told me about a major stockbroker talking with her about the fact that he only read Jack Smith, a columnist for the Los Angeles Times, and she stated that she read Smith and Vanda King of the Cross Plains Review. Of course. he had never heard that name but assumed it was someone important since Sheila read the column.

Sheila handed the man a copy of the Review and let him judge for himself. She said he loved the small town style and humor. She really made my day

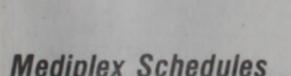
I just want all the folks at the firm to know we appreciate your readership. Maybe our lifestyle and down to earth stories will brighten your day. We would be curious about events in your big city.

It seems that country living is becoming more popular. Since I started writing this column approximately four years ago, there is now a television program named "Down Home" based on life in a small Texas town and the country western group, Alabama, recently recorded a song called "Down Home." This song describes life in Cross Plains to a T. If you were raised here you would relate to every incident described. I especially like the line that says, "Where everyone calls you by name and treats you like family." I think this is one of the most appealing aspects to living in a small Texas town.

California fans please keep reading and let us know how things are in your world. Your everyday routine is as

unusual to us, as ours must be to you. Sheila, thanks for sharing with us

and call me again real soon.



Mediplex Schedules Health Service May 1

There will be a cholesterol screening, blood sugar tests, and blood pressure checks at the Mediplex Home Health Center, 912 N. Main, on Wednesday, May 1

The fee for a cholesterol check is \$5. blood sugar tests are \$2 while blood pressure checks are free.

Colonial Oaks Services

Pioneer Baptist Church will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, April 28. commencing at 3:30 p.m.



PLANTING A TREE - Ben Childers (from left), Sam Nixon,

Justin Richey, Justin Richter, Craig Rogers, and Nathaniel Swift.



JOB WELL DONE - Mindy Mitchell (from left), Jolena Fleming,

Mary Jo Nickerson, Brandi Richey, and Christina Beatty.

Arbor Day

By CRAIG ROGERS

Arbor Day is on April 22, sometimes called Earth Day. It is a celebration where we plant trees and help the environment. In 1872, they celebrated the first Arbor Day in Nebraska.

The Gifted and Talented Class of

Cross Plains is studying the environment, pollution, oil spills, ozone, and acid rain.

One of our projects was to plant some trees on the school ground on Arbor Day. We put a lot of effort into doing this and we think and hope it will help the environment, and make our school a better place to be.

Project Pride Set Work Day Saturday, April 27

Looking for good fellowship and a

good hamburger?

All members of Project Pride are invited to a cookout at noon Saturday. April 27, at the Howard House. Food and drinks will be provided.

Anyone desiring to help with yard work should come about 9 o'clock.

Flower beds need tending and some minor maintenance is needed. Bring your own tools.

For more information contact Alton McCowen, president of the organization, at 725-7478.

Come and bring a friend.

Putnam Cemetery Association Meeting May 7

There will be a regular meeting of the Directors of the Putnam Cemetery Association, Inc. on Tuesday, May 7, at 5 p.m. at the Putnam Community Center for the purpose of electing one director whose term has expired and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

Anyone who would like to make a contribution to the Putnam Cemetery

Association may send to LaVerne Rutherford, Putnam, Texas 76469. John Doyle Isenhower, President. other officers and directors express their deep appreciation for the generous memorial gifts and contributions made in the past to the Endowment and maintenance funds. This pays for the upkeep of the cemetery and other expenses that may occur.

Buffalo Band Traveling To San Antonio Friday

By ARLENE STEPHENSON

The High School Band is traveling to San Antonio April 26-28 to march in the Fiesta Flambeau Parade. This is a unique parade for several reasons. Primarily because all of the parade en-

New Route For Baseball Parade

Everyone participating in the baseball program should be at Lawrence Farm and Ranch by 4 p.m. on Saturday, May 4.

This year's parade will commence at 4:30 and will go a slightly different route. Starting at Lawrence's, it will continue down Main Street, turn west on 10th (at the Baptist Church), go one block and continue down Avenue E to the ball park.

There will be a field work day on Friday, April 26, to ready the ball park for the games.

For further information contact Greg Turner at 725-7755 or 725-7423.

Dealing With Grief Workshop

By ARLENE STEPHENSON

Even if you didn't register for the Grief Workshop, sponsored by the United Methodist Church this coming Surday, you are still welcome to attend.

Dr. George Butler of the Pastoral Care and Counseling Center of Abilene will be conducting the 4-hour workshop beginning at 3 p.m.

He has defined grief as our natural response to change. Change may result from death, an illness, a move, divorce or separation. Using a variety of activities, lectures and discussions, Dr. Butler will lead the group to address three questions: "What is the grief process?," "How does one work through the grief process?," and "How does one minister to one who is in the grief process?"

The Church Life Committee of the local church will be providing snacks and a light meal.

Callahan Co. 4-H'ers In Judging Contest

Fourteen Callahan County 4-H'ers participated in the District 4-H Livestock and Horse Judging Elimination Contest on Saturday, April 20, at Fredericksburg and Winters.

The Junior Horse Judging Team placed first in their division. Sara Underwood of Eula was first high individual in the Junior Division and Christi Adkins was 9th high individual.

Other team member was Tessa Davis.

The Senior Team placed third with Susan LeMay being 7th high individual and Bubba Van Zandt being 8th high individual. Other Senior Team members were John Adkins and Travis Hudspeth.

The Senior Livestock Judging Team placed 6th in their division with Jody Gerngross being 10th high individual in the Senior Division.

Other Senior Team members were Jason Fleming and Jared Harris.

Junior Livestock Team members were Brandon Stover, Janeal Stephens, Jaonna Harris, and Cody Leicht.

tries must be illuminated in some way. Second because it winds through downtown San Antonio at night past the Alamo and over the River Walk. And finally, it is part of a ten-day street extravaganza celebrating the 100th anniversary of the San Antonio

Our group will go down Friday afternoon, spend Saturday sightseeing, march Saturday night, and return home sometime Sunday afternoon. Seven to nine parents will be traveling with the band.

The High School Band is also competing in the UIL Concert competition in the Coleman High School Auditorium on Wednesday, May 1, 8 a.m. This competition is open to the public just as marching contest is, Granted, it is early in the morning, but why not gather up a carload and go down to support the band?

Elected to guide the work of the Band Boosters for the next school term are Arlene Stephenson, President; Linda Fortune. Concession Manager: Warren Trammell, Secretary: Connie Swift, Treasurer; and Sara McGowen.

In addition to the election of officers at the last regular meeting, the Boosters discussed various fund raising possibilities. Uniforms will be a critical issue next year as the number of the students in the High School Band is fast outgrowing the number of uniforms on hand.

7 Cross Plains Students Take Honors At CJC

Cisco Junior College conducted its annual Awards Ceremony on Monday, April 15.

Each Spring semester, CJC takes an evening to recognize and honor those members of the student body who have proved to be outstanding students and persons.

Students were recognized in several categories which included scholastic and extracurricular achievement.

Jeannie Barclay of Cross Plains was recognized as Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges, Round-Up Staff, Phi Theta Kappa, and Blue Jackets.

Cynthia D. (Cindy) Connelly of Burkett was named to the Dean's List.

Michael D. Franke of Cross Plains was honored as Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges, Dean's List, and Phi Theta Kappa.

Kristy J. Gibbs of Cross Plains was named to the President's List and Phi Theta Kappa

Terri D. Hunter of Burkett was named Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges and to the Dean's List.

Shea Pancake of Cross Plains was named Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges.

William C. (Craig) Rogers of Cross Plains was named to the President's

As I Remember It

By CLORIS WEBB Cisco News

After writing what I remember about three of the communities that touched my childhood, I'll go back to some of the incidences that took place when I was a child. Although my recent memories are not as good as those of long ago, forgive me if I repeat something that I have already told.

Most of the things I remember happened when I was about nine until I was twelve or thirteen years old. I don't know how so many things happened from 1917 to 1921, but I'll relate some of them to you.

We didn't make enough corn to gather in 1917. We started out to gather it and found only shucks. We took the wagon and team back to the house and turned the cows in the field. America had entered World War I. and food was scarce. Papa had some milo-maize ground and tried to make bread with it but we couldn't eat it. He soon got some flour and we survived the hard times.

1918 marked the most tragic time of my childhood. In the fall of that year, my sister, Nora, my two brothers. Clois and Chois, and I walked to school on a beautiful morning, when in the afternoon a blizzard struck. I believe that north wind was the coldest I ever encountered. The teachers, realizing how bad it was, turned the school out early and we started for home. We headed straight into the wind for our house was three-fourths of a mile North of the schoolhouse.

The sleet and snow began to pepper our faces severely. Nora went straight up the road. We boys thought it might be a little better if we got out in the edge of the brush, which we tried but it didn't help. We got two-thirds of the way home and stopped at my sister

Hettie's house where we soaked our almost frozen hands and feet in cold water until they thawed out. That was an extremely cold winter.

In the spring of 1919, I took scarlet fever. I was a very sick boy. I remember having to stand in a number three washtub with my legs trembling from weakness while I was being bathed to get the fever down. When I got well I had a coat of new skin, my old skin peeled off, even the bottom of my feet. For a number of days I could hardly bear to stand on my feet.

There was what we called a "stomp lot" in front of our house and between the house and the barn. There were several trees scattered about this area. This is where I made a figure eight with the Model T, and drove it for hours, day after day learning to drive. Papa believed "practice makes perfect.

'Being my father's first son, I received special attention and privileges from my parents and almost grown sisters. But "Old Dave" one of the pair of gray mules my father had, didn't share any regard for my importance. Therefore, when I went about helping feed, he left the print of his hoof on my face. I soon recovered, although my nose might have been a bit bigger than before. I was too young to remember much about this.

My father sold "Old Dave" to the army and he served in World War I. I don't know whether he went overseas or net, but Papa said he saw him in a parade in Fort Worth.

One morning, when I was 2 years and 7 months old, Papa hooked "Old Mac" and "Old Dave" to the wagon and while he was busy elsewhere. I climbed into the wagon. That was when I got my first spanking. A few

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Misdemeanor Filings

Cherry Moore, theft of property by check.

Charged with DWI: Debbie Hastings Crane, Daniel M. Hernandez, Dana Georgann Truelove.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Karl Jones, theft of property charge dismissed.

Paul Edwards Sanders, possession of marijuana charge dismissed due to completing 65 hours of community service work.

Child Abuse

ATTENTION:

IN 1990 there were 59 confirmed incidents of child abuse and neglect reported in Callahan County.

Many more cases went unreported because people did not know how to report or who to report to. In a recent year, 110 children died in Texas as a result of child abuse; 62% of these had never been previously reported to the Texas Department of Human Services or a law enforcement agency.

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> **42nd DISTRICT COURT** Don Lane, presiding

> > Civil Filings

Divorces filed: Robb, Kenneth D. and Shirley Ann. Hill, Janet Sue and Myrl Lloyd.

Civil Minutes

Faye Gilbreath vs Dr. Ralph M. McCleskey, MD, order sustaining motion to transfer venue to 42nd Judicial District Court, Taylor County. Divorces granted:

Joy, Barbara Ann and Jackie Ray. Montgomery, Wanda Louise and John

As I Remember It Continued From Page 1

minutes later, he told the girls to get me ready and he would take me with him to Rising Star and get my picture made. Although, they were still mad because he spanked me, saying to themselves, "He would have his picture made after spanking him." They dressed me up real nice and I got my picture made, and I haven't looked so good since. Maybe it was because I had a dress on.

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Sadie Ima Childs Grisham

Sadie Ima Childs-Grisham, a native of Cross Plains, succumbed to pneumonia in Camarillo, CA, Wednesday, April 3, 1991. She was 84 years of age.

Private memorial services were held in the chapel of Pierce Brothers Mortuary in Camarillo, California on

Saturday, April 6.

Affectionately known as "Teddy," Ms. Childs was a daughter of Cross Plains pioneer Henry David (Dad) Childs. Survivors include sisters, Eunice Pierce of Athens, TX and Juanita Hagen of Los Angeles, CA; her daughter, Elizabeth Jane McKillop, grandsons, Kirk, Todd, and Cameron, granddaughter, Wendy, two great-grandsons and two greatgranddaughters, all of Sacramento, California area, as well as numerous nieces and nephews throughout the southern states and California. Ms. Childs' first husband was the late Jack Chelton McCowen of the Cross Plains area.

Nora Jennings

COLEMAN — Nora Jennings, 95, died Wednesday, April 17, at an Abilene nursing home.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel with Sam Wilson officiating. Burial was in Burkett Cemetery

Mrs. Jennings was born in Erath County, grew up and attended school in the Burkett-Grosvenor area in Coleman County and moved to Coleman in 1949. She was a cook at the Burkett school for many years and a live-in housekeeper for many families in Col-

She was active in the Coleman Senior Center where she enjoyed quilting and other activities. She was a member of Elm Street Church of Christ and the widow of Frank Jenn-

Survivors include two daughters, Evelyn Williams of Coleman and Letta Vallier of Abilene; 11 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Memorials may be made to the Coleman Senior Center, 316 S. Pecos, Coleman, TX 76834.

LAKEWOOD NEWS

By BETTY WESTERMAN

We are starting the Thursday Golf Scrambles again today, April 25. Tee off time will be 6 p.m. for a 9 hole scramble. Please have your name in by 5:30 p.m., so we can get started on

Entry for members is \$5 per person. If you aren't a member, you are still welcome to play for the price of a green fee or \$7.97. Come on out and join us.

The monthly supper will be held Tuesday, April 30, at 7 p.m. The Rising Star ladies will be the hostesses this month.

M.G. Morton

forton, 66. COLEMAN - M of Rising Car,

18, at a local hospital. Services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday at Walker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Paul Smith officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery in Comanche.

Mr. Morton was born in Burkett and had lived in the Coleman County area all of his life. He was a retired electrical engineer, a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, and a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Jean Morton of Rising Star; his mother, Bea Morton of Brownwood; and a sister, Helen Mitchell of Rising Star.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

We from Glenview Baptist Church in Fort Worth, who visited your city April 16-18, want to express our gratitude to the entire town for the warm welcome received.

Our pastor, Dennis Baw, and music minister, Richard Henderson, were in revival at First Baptist Church there and we joined them and played and sang at the church Wednesday even-

Our LLL Sunday School Class of senior adults make up our "Ukulele Band and Singers." The Senior Citizens Center hosted us for lunch one day. We played and sang and they sang along with us. They served us a delicious meal and were so hospitable to us. We enjoyed visiting with them and getting to know them.

Then, we were most warmly received at the nursing home where we visited and played. The residents would tell us their favorite song and we would play and sing. Thankful were we that our pastor-leader must know every song ever written and with his help we could sing and play them!

The business people of your city went out of their way to make us feel at home and to serve us well.

Our Senior Minister, Bob Taylor, is always interested in history and he was curious to know how Cross Plains got its name. He asked several people who didn't know. Finally, someone told him to talk to Mrs. Spencer, the city historian. She cordially received him into her home and gave him the

We all noticed how neat and clean the entire town was, too, and that speaks volumes for the pride of the people of a town.

Our State Flower was seen blooming in many yards, as well as roses, irises, poppies, etc.

Our group also went with Bro. Dennis where he spoke at the high school. We were impressed with your nice looking, well-behaved young people. Therein lies your future and how precious they are!

Again, we express our thanks to an all American small town - long live Cross Plains!

> The LLL Sunday School Class Bob Taylor, Teacher

Don Tabor,

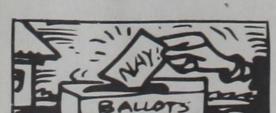
I read your column in the Cross Plains paper a few weeks ago about the "This Secret Can't Be Kept." It was about a 12 mile drive down close to Fredericksburg.

I belong to the L.L.L. Club at Hewitt, Texas, so we had planned an overnight trip to Fredericksburg. We had 47 on a big bus and our tour guides are my pastor, Bro. Roy Marshall, and a lady in my church, Joyce Griffin. I gave Bro. Ray the clipping and he decided to take this trip.

It was just as your article said. It was beautiful. So many bluebonnets and the drive was beautiful. Everyone on the bus sure enjoyed the drive.

Just wanted to let you know how we enjoyed it. I belong to First Baptist Church, Hewitt. I am the daughter of the late Esther Johnson, formerly of Cross Plains.

Bama Golden



Susan B. Anthony, the great feminist of the 19th century, was fined \$100 in 1872 for attempting to vote in the presidential election.

Janice Buckner Hosts BSP

By PATRICIA COOK

The April 8 meeting of the Alpha Rho Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi was held at the home of Janice Iner. Minutes were read and ap-

ank you from the EMS was read. Reports from standing committees: membership, scholarship, service and hospitality, social, and 60th anniversary tea. Reports were given by special committees, Desert-of-the-Month, Forum, Founder's Day, and trip to Austin for 7th graders. Donations were made to local organiza-

Members in attendance were Jamie Apple, Vernelle Bishop, Sarah Brashear, Janice Buckner, Debra Childers, Patricia Cook, Mary Dunn, Linda Edington, Bobbie Johnston, Melissa Kemp, Joyce McCoy, Margaret McNeel, Wanda Merryman, Nora Odom, Janice Phillips, Carol Rogers, Dora Smith, Pat Stephens, Vikki Dillard, Joy Gerking, Judy Luder, and Judy Phillips.

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Farm, Ranch Estate Planning Seminars

Texas farmers and ranchers have property several opportunities in the coming weeks to attend seminars on estate planning.

"The seminars are being conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, as part of a continuing effort in farm and ranch management," notes Dr. Wayne Hayenga, Extension Economist. "They are designed to help farmers and ranchers learn how to reduce taxable estates and learn new methods for passing their operations to the next generation.

Titled "How to Lower Your Estate Tax Burden," the seminars are slated

Houston — May 7-8 Fort Worth - May 13-14 San Antonio - May 16-17

"Of major importance is how every farm estate will be affected by new estate tax rules," points out Hayenga. "The best tax planning of the past may be the worst under the new law." Among these are wills, by-pass trusts, gift disclaimers and ways to own pro-

There will also be a separate segment of the program devoted to treating beneficiaries fairly.

Another discussion will center on estate planning tools for agriculture and will deal with corporations, partnerships, selling part of the business to heirs, and oil and gas interests.

The second day of each seminar will be devoted to special estate tax rules for agricultural estates. These include special farm land valuation, deferred estate tax payment rules, life insurance, "flower" bonds and other

"Estate planning is a step toward reduced estate and income taxes," says Hayenga. "This process should start when you plan to inherit substantial property, when you have an active and growing business, when you still have time to take tax-saving actions, when you have minor children, and when your children marry or

For more detailed information about the seminars, contact your local County Extension Agent or Wayne Hayenga or Carol Sabo in the Department of Agricultural Economics, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 77843-2124 or call (409) 845-2226.



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City Sales Tax Payments Reported

The City of Cross Plains is reporting 1991 one percent city sales tax payments running 22.54 percent higher than the 1990 payments of the tax, according to sales tax figures released Friday, April 12, by John Sharp, State Comptroller. Cross Plains 1991 sales tax payments have amounted to \$17,431.93, while the 1990 sales tax rebates were \$14,225.89.

The city's monthly sales tax check for April 1991 was reported to be \$3,698.25. That figure was an increase of 50.96 percent over tax collections of \$2,449.77 made in April 1990.

Retail sales in the City of Clyde continued its down turn in 1991, as compared to 1990.

John Sharp, State Comptroller, said the sales tax payments in Clyde are running over two percent lower than tax payments during 1990. He said that the sales tax rebates for the City of Clyde have amounted to \$24,500.89 so far in 1991, a 2.08 percent decrease in sales taxes compared to the same time period last year. The 1990 payments to the city during the same payment period were \$25,020.64.

However, the city's monthly payment this year was higher than the same month in 1990, according to Sharp's report. The monthly payment to the City of Clyde in April 1991 amounted to \$4,704.15, while the April 1990 payment to the city was \$4,351.02. The monthly check this year was 8.12 percent higher than the same month last year.

Other Callahan County towns reporting sales tax payments include:

- The City of Baird reported that sales tax payments in 1991 are 7.78 percent lower than the 1990 payments. The city had received \$10,508.72 so far in 1991, while the 1990 tax payments to the city were \$11,395.03.

The town's monthly payment for April 1991 was \$1,449.00, a decrease of 19.25 percent from a check of \$1,794.49 for the April 1990 pay-

- The City of Putnam is reporting 1991 city sales tax payments amounting to \$3,375.07 so far, a 19.96 percent increase from tax payments to the city in 1990. The 1990 sales tax check to Putnam amounted to \$2,813.52.

The city's monthly tax rebate check for April 1991 was reportedly 70.56 ahead of the 1990 payment in April. The town's monthly payment check in April 1991 was \$933.48, while the April 1990 was reported at \$547.31.

Countywide sales tax payments for 1991 in Callahan County are running 4.42 percent higher than the 1990 payments to the county. Callahan County towns have received sales tax payments in 1991 amounting to \$55,816.61, while the 1990 payments to the county towns totalled \$53,455.08.

The countywide tax rebates for April 1991 are running 17.96 percent ahead of last April's payments. Countywide collections for April 1991 were \$10,784.88, while the April 1990 tax payments were \$9,142.59.

Some area towns reporting sales tax payments for the month of April 1991 and whether it's an increase or decrease over April 1990 sales includes: Albany, \$5,670.02, 22.73 percent increase from April 1990; Anson, \$3,916.03, 63.40 percent increase from 1990; Stamford, \$29,325.73. 160.62 percent increase from 1990; Cisco, \$7,561.22, 12.74 percent decrease from 1990; Eastland, \$21,349.02, 6.29 percent increase from 1990; Merkel, \$3,691.65, 3.65 percent increase from 1990; Ballinger, \$16,433.29, 16.51 percent increase from 1990; and Haskell, \$8,987.28, 19.73 percent increase from 1990.



Statewide, sales tax payments in 1991 are 13.13 percent ahead of 1990 rebates, according to Sharp's figures. The state has sent out checks totalling \$397,433,992.84 in 1991, while the 1990 payments to the state's cities were \$351,294,561.76.

"Because of steady if not spectacular economic growth, combined with the overwhelming success of Project Fair Pay, we're sending more than \$90 million in local sales tax rebates back to Texas cities, counties. hospital districts and transit systems, a 24 percent increase from last April's rebates," State Comptroller Sharp said April 12.

"There are several reasons for this year's increase," Sharp said. "In addition to steady economic growth throughout the state over the past year. some cities raised their sales tax rate since last February, and more counties now collect sales tax.

"Providing another welcome boost to local revenues has been the amnesty program associated with Project Fair Pay, a highly-successful effort conducted by the Comptroller's Office during February and March to collect unpaid taxes," Sharp said. Based upon information from the Federation of Tax Administrators in Washington D.C., Project Fair Pay's amnesty program was the most successful of its kind in the nation.

"The amnesty program has brought \$75 million in uncollected taxes into the State Treasury. Some of this money represents previously unpaid local sales taxes and is being allocated to city, county, and other local taxing jurisdictions," Sharp said.

Merchants collect the state and local sales tax and send it to the Comptroller's office with their tax returns. The state keeps its 6 percent share and returns the local one percent sales tax each month to local governments. Cities and counties may levy a combined tax of up to two percent above the state's sales tax, however all Callahan County town's only levy a one percent city sales tax, Sharp said.

This month's checks reflect taxes collected on January sales and reported in late February by businesses filing monthly, quarterly and yearly returns.

All local sales taxes must be approved by local voters and may be used for any legal city or county expenses. Most areas put the money in their

General Fund and use it for normal operations like firefighting, maintaining roads and law enforcement. Sharp said. Some cities use an additional 1/2 percent city sales tax to help fund local economic development and to reduce property taxes.

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APRIL 29 — MAY 3

(Subject to Change)

BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Oatmeal, sausage,

TUESDAY — Choice of cereal,

WEDNESDAY - Cream of wheat,

THURSDAY - Cheese toast,

LUNCH

MONDAY - Corn dog, baked

TUESDAY — Chili beans, spinach,

WEDNESDAY - Oven fried

beans, pickle spears, cheese slice, dic-

pickled beets, cobbler, corn bread,

chicken "new recipe", scalloped

potatoes, green peas, rolls, pineapple

tuce, tomato, pickle, French fries, nut

THURSDAY — Hamburger, let-

toast, grape juice, milk.

toast, orange juice, milk.

sausage, grape juice, milk.

FRIDAY — Holiday.

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ed peach, milk.

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clusters, milk.

FRIDAY - Holiday.

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1992 U.S. Service Academy Cycle Begins

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Congressman Charles W. Stenholm is pleased to announce the beginning of the 1992 United States Service Academy cycle. At this time, information is being forwarded to all area high schools and those individuals who have expressed interest in applying for a nomination to the United States Air Force, Merchant Marine, Military or Naval Academy.

1991 Concession Stand Schedule

May 4

Early Game Phyllis Pancake — Melissa Richards Late Game Cherei Goble — Carol Rogers

May 7

May 9

Early Game Connie Swift - Christie Dallas Late Game Vicki Dillard — Debbie Edington

Early Game Kathy Chesshir — Jana Hinkle Late Game Cliffadean Hargrove - Glenda Callaway

May 14 Games cancelled for Band Concert. Little League and Pee-Wee moved to June 13.

May 16

Early Game Melinda Childers — Cynthia Connelly Late Game Linda Fortune — Phyllis Pancake May 21

Early Game Terry Hunter — Debbie Thomas Late Game

Edith Beggs — Rhonda McCorkle May 23 Early Game

Kathy Chesshir — Bonnie Potter Late Game Sylvia Switzer — Barbara Brown

May 28

Early Game Sandy Carey — Barbara Dillard Late Game

Edith Beggs — Debbie Merryman May 30 Early Game Patti Bowden — Phyllis Pancake

Terry Nixon — Terry Hunter June 4 Early Game

Debbie Wilson — Susan Holland Late Game Paula Winfrey — Belinda Wyatt June 6

Early Game Terry Norris — Theresa Cheshier Late Game

Karen Combs — Vivian Wooten June 11 Early Game

Dana Dimitri — Mary Dunn Late Game Debbie Reed — Roxie Thomas June 13

Early Game Vanda King — Schrina Odom Late Game Debbie Gosnell — Peggy Brame

May 4

May 7

May 9

June 3-7 Baseball Camp At Applications are currently being accepted from individuals who wish to Hardin-Simmons be considered for the classes entering in July of 1992. The academies seek well-rounded, intelligent young men and women who are accustomed to

Ages 9-12 will register Monday, June 3, at 8 a.m. at John J. Hunter Field. The camp will run from 9 a.m. 12 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Ages 13-17 will register at 1 p.m. on Monday at John J. Hunter Field. The camp will run from 1:30-4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

In both camps instruction will be given in the following areas: hitting, pitching, catching, infield and outfield techniques. A heavy emphasis will be on teaching fundamentals and improving skill levels. The cost of the camp is \$60 for 12 hours of instruction. A deposit of \$30 or payment in full is required to reserve a place in camp. Mail check or money order to: Hardin-Simmons University, Attn. Gary Murphy, Drawer H, Abilene, TX 79698.

Cisco Folklife Festival Scheduled April 27-28

Cisco's 18th annual Folklife Festival on April 27-28 promises to be the best ever. The Cisco Civic League members have been making arrangements for several months to make the event enjoyable for all ages.

It will be held in the historic Rockwell Lumber Yard just across the street from the Conrad N. Hilton Memorial Park and Community Center.

This year's featured entertainment will be Kevin Fitzpatrick, a trick and fancy roper from Bandera, Texas. He will be demonstrating on horseback and on the ground. He will also do horsemounts as done by Tom Jones, Buck Jones, and Roy Rodgers. He will show the Crupper mount, one and two handed swing-up, and a back flip to the saddle.

Fitzpatrick has roped all around Texas, Arizona, and California. He has also roped in London, England and Kuwait.

There will be other attractions such as Parlor Pigs, local bands, singing groups, western music, and dancers.

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Fabulous foods will include strawberry shortcakes, barbecue, snowcones, ice cream, hamburgers, and other items.

Pioneer skills will be demonstrated and pictures of the Cisco Cyclone will be displayed.

An antique style show will feature swimwear, tennis togs, and golf attire from the 50s and 60s.

There will be a Petting Zoo, Children's Games, Face Painting, Tin Punching, and a Sidewalk Art Con-Exhibitor's Booths promise an array

of goodies ranging from arts and crafts to jewelry and clothing. There will be a Trail Ride Breakfast

at 6 a.m. at the old Cisco Park near the

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historic Williamson Dam at Lake Cisco on Saturday, April 27.

The Parade starts at 10 a.m. Saturday and the Festival opens at 10:30. It will close at 9 p.m. and reopen at NOON on Sunday, April 28, and close at 5 p.m. (There is a nominal daily entry fee.)

A dance will be sponsored by SOUTHBOUND BAND at the Rollin' Pen Skating Rink on Saturday, April 27, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. A nominal fee will be charged for each person. Refreshments will be available, but no alcohol will be allowed.

The Cisco Civic League extends a cordial invitation to come join the fun at the Cisco Folklife Festival.

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Reusing Products To Eliminate Waste

By DEBBIE GILES **Extension Agent-Home Economics** Callahan, Irion, Mason and **Sterling Counties**

The idea of being wasteful makes many people uncomfortable. Yet most of us continue to waste because we can't think of anything better to do with last year's phone book, draperies that are too short or a closet door that was scratched by a favorite pet. We are conditioned to think of things that are old, empty, worn, broken, ugly or marred, as useless so we throw them away without much thought to the consequences.

Most Americans buy far more than they can use effectively which is evident by bulging attics and garages.

The process of reusing is started with the assumption that the used materials that flow through our lives can be a resource rather than refuse. Waste, after all, is in the eye of the beholder. What is one person'r trash is another one's treasure. If we really look to see items as raw materials, they can be reused to help solve everyday problems and satisfy everyday

Most of us, however, haven't even begun to exploit the resources in our trash. Once you have your mind set you can use trash for positive uses, you can begin to brainstorm and generate ideas. Reusing saves money, conserves resources and it satisfies the human urge to make things.

These strategies can be helpful: *Reuse containers at home or for school projects.

*Reuse wrapping paper, plastic bags, boxes and lumber. *Give outgrown clothing to friends

or a charity. *Buy beverages in returnable con-

tainers. *Try repair before you consider. replacing lawn mowers, tools, vacuum

cleaners, TV's.

*Donate broken applicances to charity or find out if a local vocational school can use them for arts for students to practice repairing them. *Offer furniture and household

items no longer needed to people in need, friends, or charity. *Sheets of paper that have been used on only one side can be used for note-

taking or rough drafts of material. *Old, outdated furniture can be reupholstered or slipcovered. Add padding to the furniture to give it a

new look. Often the frame can be

modified slightly to change the way it *Old pieces of furniture can be repaired or finished with special finishes such as splattering, sponging or rag painting which takes very little

time and skill. *Old towels and sheets can be cut in small pieces and used for dusting and

dust cloth. *Plastic bags and wraps can be used for storing items. They can be used for packing items for mailing.

*Books and magazines can be donated to public libraries or to nursing homes.

*Newspapers can be donated to pet

*Packing materials such as polystyrene, plastic quilting and similar packing materials can be saved and reused for the same purpose.

*Carry a reusable tote bag or take bags to the store when you go shopping. There are attractive nylon mesh bags available that can be stored easily in the glove compartment of your car. And durable canvas bags that take up little space when not in use.





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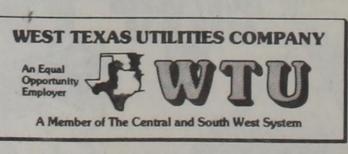
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1991 PEE-WEE BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Early games start at 6:00 p.m. Late games start at 7:00 p.m.

on a day agreeable to coaches.

May 4	Early	Braves vs. Giants
	Late	Cubs vs. Angels
May 7	Early	Angels vs. Braves
	Late	Giants vs. Cubs
May 9	Early	Cubs vs. Braves
	Late	Giants vs. Angels
May 14		BAND
		CONCERT
May 16	Early	Braves vs. Angels
	Late	Cubs vs. Giants
May 21	Early	Braves vs. Cubs
	Late	Giants vs. Angels
May 23	Early	Braves vs. Giants
	Late	Cubs vs. Angels
May 28	Early	Giants vs. Cubs
	Late	Angels vs. Braves
May 30	Early	Giants vs. Angels
	Late	Cubs vs. Braves
June 4	Early	Braves vs. Giants
	Late	Angels vs. Cubs
June 6	Early	Braves vs. Angels
	Late	Giants vs. Cubs
June 11	Early	Angels vs. Giants
	Late	Cubs vs. Braves
June 13	Early	Cubs vs. Angels
	Late	Giants vs. Braves
Rained out games	will be played at end of	f season

*If you buy pre-prepared microwavable dinners, save the plates

COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

In eleven days from today, Thursday, April 25, former residents, friends, relatives, and the folks of Cottonwood will gather at the Cottonwood Community Center for the annual Cottonwood Historical Association meeting on Sunday, May 5, at noon. Bring a covered dish for luncheon. The business meeting will follow in the auditorium. Everyone is invited and encouraged to participate. Bring your old photos and historical articles to share with those attending.

On Saturday, several residents of the community met to clean and get ready the post office, Methodist Church, and the old schoolhouse for the Cottonwood Historical Association Day. Thanks to all who were able to take time from their busy schedule to help.

The Cottonwood Musical, sponsored by the Cottonwood Quilting Club members, wish to announce proceeds from the Friday musical netted \$190 for the Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control Group. Thanks to the ladies of the CFVC and all who furnished food for the evening benefit. Thank you, folks who attended for your support.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Wheeler, Andrew and Bret of Abilene were down Saturday afternoon visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Russell and Robbie and grandmother and great-grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Wheeler.

Mrs. Kathy Ross and infant son. Matthew Dayton of Dallas, were at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton McInnis, recently for five days to visit with them. Kathy is the daughter of Janice and David Bristow. Matthew was named after his great-great-grandfather, Matthew Bristow, and great-grandfather, Dayton McInnis.

On Saturday, Mrs. Virginia Durst of Mason and daughter, Amy, a student at Cisco Junior College, were by to see their mother, Dad, and grand-

Burkett News

By LOVERA STRICKLAND

Addie and Michelle Walker expressed the sentiments of the Burkett community by placing yellow bows on the electric and telephone poles and other places. We are all looking forward to the safe return of all our troops from Saudi Arabia. Thank you, Addie and Michelle.

Addie's yellow irises also added a lot of beauty to our town. A number of Burkett people have beautiful irises in many colors blooming in spite of the lack of April showers.

Our sympathy goes to the family of Nora Jennings. Mrs. Jennings passed away last Thursday and was buried Saturday

Annie Merle and H.O. Trent of Coleman visited Andrew and Doris Walker Saturday. Andrew and Doris Walker and Paul visited Mrs. Ruth Letney and sons Sunday afternoon.

Dennis and Jami Jennings of Dallas

spent the weekend with Montie Jenn-Oscar and Edna Gould of Coleman

visited Dalton and Lucille Gould Sunday afternoon.



CROSS PLAIRS LIBRARY | NOTES

New Readers: Gene B. McComas, Robert Brame

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Childress for Jean Reid. Notice: LAP Parents' Night, Thurs-

day, April 25, 7 p.m. at library. Circulation: 227

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Prickly

Many different methods to control prickly pear have been used in recent years which have proven to be effective, such as prescribe burning, aerial spraying or a combination of both. In order to get the most out of any method use the one that is the most economical and yields the best results

on that pasture. With the grass greening up and warmer temperatures upon us, the prescribe burning season is just about over. However, people planning to burn a pasture in 1992 to control prickly pear should start planning now.

"In order to have a successful prescribe burn for the control of prickly pear, a pasture has to have approximately 2000 Lbs./ac. of dry forage,' says Tony Baeza, Range Conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service. "In order to get that much forage on a pasture in this county, a pasture needs to be deferred from approximately May to the time that it is burned, which would be in January or February of the following year."

Because of this a landowner must start making plans early in the spring on how he is going to rotate his livestock. Proper planning will allow deferment of the burn pasture for the entire growing season prior to burning and not cause overgrazing of the other pastures. This will assure that his grass will not be damaged or his livestock performance will not be adversely affected.

Baeza said that prescribe burning has gained popularity in recent years because of its effective control of prickly pear and low cost, which range between \$3 and \$5/acre. The price per acre will vary, according to the number of acres which are going to be burned. The more acres which are being burned, the lower cost per acre, since the major expense in a prescribe burn is the dozing of the fireguards.

Although prescribe burning may be the cheapest way to control prickly pear, many pastures may not be able to be effectively burned, either because the prickly pear is so thick that an adequate source of fuel cannot be produced or because of a pasture's terrain which would make it impossible to conduct a safe burn.

In such cases, Baeza said that a landowner may have to aerial spray with 1/2 Lb/ac of Picloram. Such an operation costs approximately \$19/ac. Aerial spraying of prickly pear should be done when air temperature is above 60 degrees, wind 10 mph or less, and when the temperature has not been below 32 degrees 24-hours prior to aerial spraying.

Again planning is a must in order to get good control. Because Picloram is absorbed through both the pads and root systems, it is a must that the chemical get down to the prickly pear plant. Baeza said that often times a lot of the chemical is intercepted by tall standing grasses. Because of this Baeza recommends that a pasture be grazed off short in order to remove the obstruction and allow more chemical to reach the prickly pear plant.

If a thick canopy of brush exists above the prickly pear, aerial spraying must be done before the brush starts to leave out. "It will be hard enough for the Picloram to make it down to the prickly pear through the brush. If a person waits until the brush has leafed out, then the chemical will not only be picked off by the brush but also by its leaves, resulting in very little chemical actually getting down to the prickly pear," said Baeza.

In recent years a combination of prescribe burning and aerial spraying has been used in the control of prickly pear. Such a combination has achieved up to 90% kill the first year. A prescribe burn is conducted in December or January and within five months of the prescribe burn but no later than April 30 except if no new sprouts are present on the burned prickly pear, the pasture is aerial sprayed with 1/8-1/4 Lb/ac of Picloram. The 1/4 Lb/ac rate of Picloram is recommended when 25% or more green unburned pads remain following the burn and where the prickly pear has an average height of 24 inches or more. The prescribe burn-aerial spraying operation cost

\$11-\$16/ac. Anyone interested in prickly pear control can contact the Soil Conservation Service or the County Extension Office for further information.

The services of the Soil Conservation Service is available to anyone regardless of race, creed, color, sex. religion or national origin.

Personals

Visiting with Suma Dill were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dill and Brandon and Cory Holcomb, all of Irving: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dill of Kingsland: Gaylon Duggan of Rising Star: Jean Alexander of Pioneer: Blanche Moore, Erma Floyd, Johnnie Bland. and Mozelle Richardson, all of Cross

Ethel Anderson returned home Saturday after a brief stay in the nursing home at Baird. Her visitors included Geraldine Renfro: Sonya Renfro and Danny Barnett: Carrie Renfro and Tessa Wyatt: Barbara Sowell and children, Matt. Mandi and Malyssa; Rod and Beth Renfro and daughters. Sarah and Jamie: Darwin and Wanda Anderson: Joe and Teresa Martin and children, Blake and Satin; Stanley Clayton's sons from Stamford: Bart Frazier and sister, Lillie Dillard; Lela Montgomery: Joe and Guy Watson: and Vanda King and children. Leah and Kye.

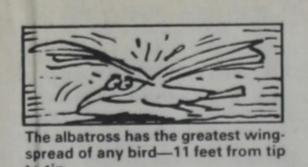
BSP Founder's Day Banquet

By PATRICIA COOK

The Alpha Rho Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held a bi-monthly meeting at the Garden Center April 22. In honor of Founder's Day, a buffet was held for members, spouses, and guests. Over 40 persons attended.

A message from International was read; donations to the community; presentation of awards of ten years to Joyce McCoy, Janice Phillips, and Wanda Merryman; presentation of awards to committee chairmen; presentations to special committees; presentations for new pledges; perfect attendance; Sweetheart; Pledge of the Year; and Girl of the Year. The announcement from International of 1991-92 theme "A Time for Us."

Members in attendance were Jamie Apple, Vernelle Bishop, Sarah Brashear, Janice Buckner, Debra Childers, Kim Childers, Patricia Cook, Mary Dunn, Linda Edington, Bobbie Johnston, Melissa Kemp, Joyce McCoy, Margaret McNeel, Wanda Merryman, Nora Odom, Janice Phillips, Carol Rogers, Dora Smith, Pat Stephens, Paula Winfrey, Vikki Dillard, Joy Gerking, Judy Luder, and Judy Phillips.



A New Role For **Business Dedrugging** The Workforce

The scourge of drugs has firmly entrenched itself into the business community unlike any other social malady since the dawn of the industrial age.

Employees under the influence of drugs or the latent effects of drugs are mentally and physically impaired. The cost in terms of productivity is difficult to measure but that it is costly to American business is unquestioned.

Drug use is so widespread in our society that it doesn't even seem to be a subject of survey. But a 1985 Gallup poll did find that marijuana, not cocaine, is the illicit drug of choice among American workers and worse. the majority of those using drugs are in the prime of their working years: 18-34 years of age.

People who use drugs are less alert. have a slowed reaction time and subsequently produce less, make costly mistakes and have accidents. Each one silently stacking the costs of production and the lowering of profits.

But a new anti-drug coalition spawned by the church of Scientology. "Lead the Way to a Drug-Free USA" is proffering anti-drug solutions to wipe out this scourge in America and wants the help and participation of businesses.

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Serving to network local anti-drug groups for coordination and mutual support. "Lead the Way to a Drug-Free USA" promotes effective solutions to drug addiction and the prevention of drug abuse.

"Leading a drug-free lifestyle is something that must be broadly promoted in the business sector." says Shirley Young, spokesperson for the national campaign. "Free enterprise is the backbone of America and drugs are taking a heavy toll on business and our culture.

"Lead the Way" can set up drug education lectures for employees, and also has a referral line to drug-free detoxification programs, such as the Purification Program offered by the Church of Scientology, which according to Young has successfully gotten tens of thousands of people off drugs.

"There is no fast or canned solution to the problems of drugs in business, stated Young, "But by promoting drug-free living and giving people an effective way to become drug-free. everyone is going to come out a winner. That's our game and we'd like to see the business community on our

team. For more information on "Lead the Way to a Drug Free USA" coalition and campaign call: (213) 660-2560.

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Card Of Thanks

Thank you Project Pride for honoring our house in the C.P. Review. Special thanks to Clara Nell Spencer for all the hard work researching historical accounts.

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Also, I appreciate all the individuals and other groups who called offering their assistance.

Again, many thanks to everyone for your help in this project.

Pauniece Oglesby Card Of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere appreciation and thanks to everyone for the calls, visits, food, and flowers during the passing of my sister, Maggie

Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

Ora Bell Webb

Card Of Thanks

I would like to "Thank" all the EMT trainees and instructors for the gorgeous Gerber Daisy Plant in the old-fashioned Black Pot. It is beautiful.

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MINUTE : MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

When I arose early on Saturday morning, I thought it was a Monday. I was fully prepared to write this column at that hour. I think the weather was a bit more 'cheery' than it is this dark, gloomy Monday morning. I'll be looking for some sunshine when I contact my lovely neighbors and friends.

I was elated on Sunday morning when a couple of dear friends embraced me and told me they loved me. First, was my long-time friend, Ardelia McMillan. She is such a dear, and I love her dearly. The other was that sweet Betty Beggs. I love her and appreciate her and her family most

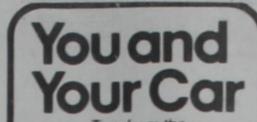
Betty reports this Monday morning that Sam and David Beggs of Morton Valley visited them a couple of times last week. Betty and Mrs. Billie Beggs attended an art exhibit in Breckenridge at the Women's Forum Building one. day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lee visited their children recently. They live at Valley View in Denton County. It rained on them nearly every day they were there.

Nell Fleming was feeling quite well this morning — better than usual. She had no special news. Sara McGowen had no news for me. Sally Roady didn't answer this morning. They all were in church on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Jewel Foster was elated this morning - her daughter, Golda Huston and a friend, Gena from Austin, are here for a brief visit.

I talked to my best friend in Abilene on Sunday. I worry about her - but she assures me that she is okay.



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More than 250 directors and employees representing the bank's 16 PCAs in Texas and three PCAs in New Mexico are expected to attend the annual gathering April 26, at the Stouffer Hotel, in Austin.

Commissioner Perry, a farmer and rancher from Haskell and former state legislator, will discuss his goals for the Department of Agriculture and the role PCAs can play in supporting the agricultural industry, during the general session beginning at 8:30 a.m., in the hotel ballroom.

In 1990, the FCBT added New Mexico to its short-term lending operations with the reaffiliation of Albuquerque, PCA, followed by the reaffiliations of the PCAs of Eastern and Southern New Mexico in early 1991. Also in 1990, the bank expanded its long-term lending operations into Alabama, Louisiana, and Mississippi with the establishment of six Federal Land Bank Associations there. Bank CEO Donald R. Rogge, Chairman Robert Vanwinkle and President Paul S. Day will discuss these and other 1990 results and plans for 1991. The theme of the meeting is people! "Stewards of the Land."

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Registration begins at 8 a.m. both days. The program begins at 8:30 a.m. each morning and finishes by 5 p.m. on May 7 and 3 p.m. on May 8. Field exercises will be conducted the afternoon of May 8. Proceedings will be available and continuing education

COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS

By LINDA EDINGTON **Activity Director**

The Gospel Singers from Brownwood were here Tuesday night helping us celebrate our birthdays for this month. Residents with birthdays are Verna Swann, Ressa Glover, and Owen Snodgrass. Everyone enjoyed cake and punch.

We all received a great blessing to have had the Hallelujah Choir group from Fort Worth here in our nursing home. This group of senior adults were a special part of the revival last week at First Baptist Church. This group calls themselves the 3L's, which stands for Living Longer and Loving It. God bless them.

Gladyce Crow is back from the hospital. Welcome home, Gladyce.

We would like to welcome our new resident to our home, Madie Fortney. Our thoughts and prayers are for Nora Golson who is in the hospital Karen and Gary Combs were here

visiting Clevia Ringhoffer. Roy Tatom was here visiting W.M. Stansbury and Merlin Garrett.

Sally Roady was here visiting Nettie Roady.

Vera Pearl Bunnell was here visiting Helen Wood. Also, Brandi Monsey

visited her. Jim Curtis from Abilene was here visiting Gladyce Crow.

Tom Cosper was here visiting with Rachel McGee and Madie Fortney. Angie Clower was here visiting Floye Cassle and Merlin Garrett.

Jean Alexander was here visiting Madie Fortney.

Marvin Lee Cash from Langtry, Texas was here visiting Lucy Cade. Rev. Philip Schaefer was here

visiting with everyone. Vivian and Wayne Harris from Midland were here visiting Verna Swann.

Fern Hutchins was here visiting Bertha Bentley.

Don Ingram from Fort Worth was here visiting Inez Ingram.

Farrell Stephens was here visiting Madie Fortney.

Carol Rogers was here visiting Lora Pugh. Activities during the week:

Monday: Bingo winners were Vera Belyeu (3), Annabel Vaught (2), Midge McCall (2), Bertha Hoyt (3), and Madie Chambers. Exercise class. In-room activities with Shirley We-

Tuesday: Art class. Dominoes and popcorn. Birthday party.

Wednesday: Sing-a-long with Sally Roady, Wayne and Wilda Dennis. Ernestine Watson, Pearl Greenwood, Ruby McCowen, Oliver and Frankie Smith, Vernie McMillan, Vera Pearl Bunnell, and Irma and John Miller. Exercise class. In-room activities with Shirley Weingarten.

Thursday: Linen folding. Hallelujah Choir group from Fort Worth.

Friday: Bingo winners were Helen Wood, Mable Burchfield, Vera Belyeu, Bertha Hoyt, E.K. Coppinger, and Lora Pugh. Afternoon singing with Ruby McCowen and Daisy

Two things are bad for the heart: running up stairs and running down units will be offered for pesticide applicators. Program sponsors include: Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Agriculture Department of ACU. Texas Section Society of Range Management and several contributing

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The first morning's moderator is Roddy Peeples, with the Voice of Southwest Agriculture Radio Network. San Angelo. The morning's formal speakers and their topics include: "Is Brush a Problem?," Dr. Tommy Welch, Associate Department Head and Extension Program Leader for Rangeland Ecology and Management, Texas A&M University: "Why Does Brush Increase?," Dr. Fred Smeins, Professor, Department of Rangeland Ecology and Management, Texas A&M University: "Factors Affecting Brush Management Decisions," Dr. Jake Landers. Extension Range Specialist, San Angelo; and "Brush Management and Water." Dr. Jim Ansley, post-doctoral research Associate, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station (TAES), Vernon.

Following a lunch break and viewing of exhibits, the afternoon session will begin under the direction of Ken Cook, District Extension Director at San Angelo. The first days final speakers and their topics include: Manipulating Brush for Wildlife," Dr. Dale Rollings, Extension Wildlife Specialist, San Angelo; "Manipulating Brush by Goating," Mac Gilliat, County Extension Agent, Real County; and "Economics of Goating," Dr. Frank Craddock, Extension Sheep and Goat Specialist, Uvalde. Also, "Predator Management and Goating," Glynn A. Riley, Jr., District Supervisor, Texas Animal Damage Control Service. Brownwood; and "New Brush Management Technologies, Dr. Allan McGinty, Extension Range Specialist, Fort Stockton.

The second day's morning session is to be moderated by Dr. Bill Dahl, Professor, Department of Range and Wildlife Management, Texas Tech University. The morning sessions agenda includes: "Pricklypear and Juniper Management," Darrell Ueckert, Professor, TAES, San Angelo; "Shortcut Methods for Determining Cost Effectiveness of Brush Treatments," Dr. Larry White, Extension Range Specialist, Uvalde; and "Preparing for the Future, A Total Range Management Plan," Dr. Tom Troxel, Extension Livestock Specialist, Uvalde.

The second morning session will conclude with exhibit viewing and a

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catered lunch.

At around 12:30 p.m., the symposium will travel to a local brushy pasture where some brush will be displayed. Joe Wilson, Taylor County Extension Agent, will moderate the day's remaining three concurrent sessions beginning at 1 p.m. Session A will deal with using broadcast control methods conducted by Dr. J.F. Cadenhead. Extension Range and Brush Control Specialist at Vernon. Session B will be on the use of individual plant control methods presented by Welch. Session C will concentrate on assessing the brush situation and improving quail loafing cover presented by Landers and Rollins respectively.

For more information contact your County Extension agent-agriculture of one of the following: J.F. Cadenhead. Extension Range and Brush Control Specialist, (817) 552-9941: Jake Landers, Extension Range Specialist. (915) 653-4576; Tommy G. Welch, Extension Program Leader for Rangeland Ecology and Management, (409) 845-2755; or Joe Wilson, County Extension Agent, Taylor County. (915) 674-1321.

Pecan Tree Spraying Time Is Here

Pecan producers and homeowners are reminded that now is the time to spray pecan trees with the first application of zinc, according to Greg Gerngross, County Extension Agent.

Zinc should be applied to the pecan tree as a foilage spray. Several types of zinc are available including wettable powder and/or liquid.

A zinc spray now and again in early June will benefit the pecan trees in several ways. Improved color of foilage and density of foilage will be enhanced the first year.

With time, pecan production should also be improved if zinc applications are repeated year after year.

It's not too late to fertilize pecan trees with nitrogen if trees were not fertilized in March. Ammonium nitrate (34-0-0) is recommended at the rate of 2-3 pounds per inch of trunk diameter. A six inch diameter tree should receive 18 pounds of nitrogen.

For further information on pecan trees, please call the County Extension office at (915) 854-1518.

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Hilton Community Center To Sponsor Sidewalk Art Contest

Inspired by a scene straight out of returned to the Cisco Chamber of the movie, MARY POPPINS, the Hilton's Board of Trustees has decided would like to express their drawing SIDEWALK CHALK ART CON-TEST in Cisco. It will be held on April day, April 27.

Judging will take place promptly after 3 p.m., and winners will be announced from the entertainment stage at the Cisco Folklife Festival at 6 p.m. that same day. Winning names will also be posted on the entrance door of the Hilton Community Center, and published in the Cisco Press and the Cisco News. The chalk pictures will remain in place during the weekend for visitors to the Hilton and the Folklife Festival to enjoy.

CONTEST RULES INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

1. All entrants must register. Registration blanks may be picked up at the Cisco Chamber of Commerce or through the Cisco schools. They, along with the entry fee, should be

Commerce by Wednesday, April 24.

2. Entrants must pay a \$1 registrato encourage people of all ages who tion fee in order to cover the cost of sidewalk chalk. Group entrants are talent, to enter the second limited to 5 participants; registration for group entries is \$1/person.

3. Categories will be determined by 27, with the actual chalk-drawing to age: 6 year and under; 7-12 year; take place between 2-3 p.m., on Satur- 13-17 year; 18 year and over; groups of 5 persons or less.

> 4. The sponsoring organization reserves the right to limit entries to pictures considered in good taste for a family-oriented activity.

5. No spray or liquid sealers may be used to seal or enhance the chalk pic-

6. Winners will be determined by impartial judges. Prizes for each category will be announced at a later

7. In the event of heavy rain, the contest will be held at a later date.

8. Entrants will be asked to sign or initial their pictures.

For more information, please call the Cisco Chamber of Commerce, Ruth Heidenheimer, Lisa Moore, or Emma Watts.



By IRMA MILLER

The Quilting Club finished the Dutch Girl and put in Juanita's Star into the frames.

It was misting out of gray skies in this community on Monday.

The Pioneer Baptist Church hosted a fish fry Friday night and had a great turnout to relish it. This revival starts on Sunday, April 28, and goes to Friday, May 3.

Oliver and Frankie Smith went to Ranger on Saturday to see Frankie's father in the nursing home. He seemed to be doing fairly well.

Jean Fore's guests were Paul and Juanita Harlow and Vi Harlow of Lovington, New Mexico, who stayed with Jean a week.

James and Jean Alexander enjoyed visiting with an aunt in Lampasas, Ruth Sargent, on Friday.

Jewel Foster's guests were still with her on Monday, her daughter, Golda Huston of Austin, and her friend, Gina. Jewel's daughter-in-law, Fern Foster from Oklahoma, son and daughter-in-law, Charles and Lucille Foster from Clyde, and son and daughter-in-law, Eugene and Norma Foster of this community, were with her Sunday.

John and Irma Miller went to Temple on business on Tuesday, came back by Georgetown and saw "Inner Space" again after many years, and enjoyed the wild flowers on the way through Lampasas, Brownwood, and on home. They visited with friends and relatives, Dean and Carol Brannan, Newell and Lola Taylor, and Terry Sipes Saturday in Coleman.

Bob Powell served on jury duty in Eastland Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday. While there he met Dorothy Rogers of Ranger, and did not realize this was Frankie Smith's sister until proceedings were well underway. Barbara, Bob's wife, won a red ribbon on her entry in "Flapper Fantasies" in the Garden Club show in Cross Plains Saturday. Bob placed also, in the "Fabulous Fifties" entries. Monday morning Bob and Barbara visited in Cross Plains with Lois Garrett, who took them out to visit with Lydia Eubanks and to see the wild flowers out there.

By MRS. N.V. GIBBS

April showers have been few so far this month, and that's the month it usually rains. The weeds are doing well in people's gardens and yards.

James and Dorothy Reynolds have had company this past week. His sister. Gwen, and her husband, Charles Talbot of Houma, Louisiana, visited with them.

Nell and Gundy Gunderson arrived from McAllen Tuesday enroute to Minneapolis, Minnesota where they live. Their winters are spent in McAllen. They visited Joyce Odom and this writer. The group attended the Taylor Electric annual meeting on Thursday in Abilene and in Clyde visited relatives, Clark and LaVerne Tabor and Jewel Swanzy. Other visitors in the Gibbs home were Joyce Odom and Tony and Judy Steele.

The Don Harrell news was taking Leigh to some school activities and Don and Maryanna are helping plan the upcoming Western Heritage Rodeo in May.

Ivon Odom had dinner with his mother, Joyce Odom, Sunday. Also on Saturday, the Charles Palmer family were her visitors.

Marjorie and Danny Brown of San Antonio and their entire family spent the weekend with her parents, Gene and Vernie Belle Mauldin. The Browns have three daughters, Cindy Brown of San Antonio, Patti and Stanley Zwerneman and their four sons of Magnolia, and Teresa and Stewart Tiller of San Antonio. Also



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visiting were Roland and Faye Mauldin of Denton Valley

Robert and Dorothy Watson were in Sadler one day this week and visited his uncle, Wayne Dossey, and in Fort Worth stopped for a visit with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Watson.

Thursday night the Baird High School Band was in concert, playing at McMurry in Abilene. Cody is a member of the band. Odom Scott of the community also was a band member. Also on Thursday, Cody and Wyatt were students in the UIL Regional competition meet at McMurry. The boys' parents. Robert and Dorothy Watson, attended both

Anna Dendy of Mason is visiting Bob and Kathy Dye this week.

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ALZHEIMERS?

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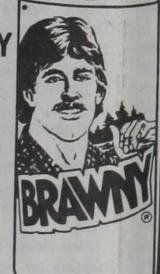


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