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EDITOR'S NOTE: An update on the Cross Plains Public Library reflects 1993 as a successful year and Friends of the Library ask for continued cooperation. The following was submitted by the Cross Plains Public Library Board of Directors/Librarian. Vanda King

#### STATE OF THE LIBRARY

Just a year ago the Cross Plains Public Library faced the probability of closing. For five years the library had been in financial trouble and had come close to losing membership in the Big Country Library System (and thus in the State System). It seemed a tragedy to lose what so many had worked so hard to provide for the community. What could we do?

Why was there no adequate support for a work which the community obviously thought was important? Finally, we convinced ourselves that the citizens and organizations did not understand fully that the library belonged to them and that a handful of people could not be totally responsible for funding it.

And so, in desperation, we began spreading the message: "It takes money to pay utilities, children's programs have to have support, insurance has gone up. The System supplies computers, but does not buy paper, etc. Businesses need supplies, and the Library is a business. Etc.

You heard our cry! In 1993 memorials and memberships increased. More and more patrons made donations as Christmas gifts and in honor of birthdays and anniversaries. Businesses contributed funds and reading incentives for the Summer Program. Organizations that had not donated before came to our rescue. The City of Cross Plains increased support. A number of individuals made commitments, some monthly, some yearly. These commitments guaranteed at least something coming in every

As a result of your response, general donations increased from \$585.00 in 1982 to \$2446.00 in 1983. In 1992, fundraising (the rummage sale) netted \$1,124.00. The addition of a Bake-Book Sale in 1993 brought the figure to \$2523.00. All of these funds go for operating expenses. We can pay our bills, and we are proud!

To remain eligible for membership in the Big Country Library System, through which we get services we could not otherwise afford, a library has to receive 50 percent of its support from local funds. Thanks to the community, this year we can prepare and turn in the report for 1993 without fear of losing our eligibility. You should be proud!

To buy books, we will continue to search for and to apply for grants. Suggestions will be welcomed. In this and in other activities, we pledge to continue working to make the Cross Plains Public Library the best that it can be. We ask that you also, continue your support so that the coming year will be as successful as 1993.

## Preserve **Those Memories**

Cross Plains annual staff sponsor, Peggy Bailey and the annual staff will be selling annuals on Wednesday, February 9. The cost will remain the same as it has been the last three years, \$20.00. This year, though, the annual staff will not be selling names or covers.

Be sure and 'Preserve those memories' by reserving yourself a 1993-94 annual.

## Community Easter Program Upcoming

pate in the first Annual Easter Program. There will be music, both secular and religious, drama, an evening filled with excitement. The program is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, Project Pride and Kiwanis.

Bruce Morgan, music director for the Cross Plains Schools, will be directing the choirs, while Bill Swinney, music director at Cisco Junior College, will be working with soloists. Don Roath, pastor Sale Set For of the First United Methodist Church. will be directing the drama.

Already many people have been enlisted to lead other areas of the program including: Susan Schaefer to do script: February 9 including: Susan Schaefer to do script; Phil Schaefer to direct lighting and sets; Vanda King for publicity; and many others. If you are interested in participating in the choir or drama, please be at an organizational meeting to be held this Sunday afternoon, February 6, at 3 p.m. at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center. ues until everything is sold.

Those interested in doing solos should also come at this time and be prepared to nity, Library Bake Sales offer more and sing something of their choice as an au- more specialities: pies, cakes, cookies. dition for the many solo parts.

The individuals who have participated in the planning of the project are excited about the program and are looking for a



## P.T.O. Monthly **Meeting Slated** For February 3

P.T.O. (Parent Teacher Organization) will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday evening, February 3, at 6:30 p.m. Guest speaker will be Dr. Wm. Eddie Parish Jr., Ph.D.

Dr. Parish will speak on topics ranging from parent/teacher relationships, the violent child, and discipline in schools.

Dr. Parish is native to the desert

Southwest, being reared in Tucson, Arizona, a masters in marriage and family therapy from Abilene Christian University and a doctorate from Florida State University. He worked with children and adolescents in several residential settings, with families in therapy, and at universities. He was an assistant profes- A.A.R.P. sor at Bowling Green State University in Ohio prior to his similar position at Abilene Christian University. He currently teaches marriage and family rently teaches marriage and family therapy and also has a private practice therapy issues.

Eddie is a clinical member and approved supervisor with the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, member of the National Council on Family Relations and Stepfamily Association of America, and Licensed as an MFT in the state of Texas.

Dr. Parish's areas of expertise are in premarital counseling working with individuals of divorce and families currently experiencing divorce, remarried families, marital dysfunctions and parent/child issues.

Anyone interested is invited to partici- great response from the community.

Please, if you are at all interested in participating, don't think there isn't a place or part for you, because there is. Just come and join in!

For additional information contact Rev. Don Roath 725-7377 or 725-7694.

## **Library Bake** Wednesday,

Plan to remember your Valentine? Cookies, candy, cake or other goodies from the Library's Bake and Book Sale on Wednesday, February 9, might help you. The sale begins at 8:30 a.m. and contin-

Thanks to good cooks of the commucandy and breads. For each sale a number of Friends of the Library are called to donate items to sell. However, all contributions are welcomed. All funds from these sales help to pay bills and to buy materials necessary to keep the library

Please bring foods to the library before 5 p.m. on Tuesday, February 8, or as soon as possible Wednesday morning. The building will be open by 7:30 a.m. Help make this the best sale yet!

## **USDA** COMMODITIES DISTRIBUTED LOCALLY

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. will distribute USDA commodities in Callahan County at Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center February 10, from 8:00 to 10:00 A.M.; at Putnam City Hall, February 9, from 11:30 to 12:00 noon; at Clyde Senior Center February 9, from 1:30 to 2:30 P.M.; at Baird VFW February 9 from 9:30 to 11:00 A.M.

C. T.O., Inc. has no control over what times are available or the quantity of the items. All locations of all commodities depends on the availability of food items from USDA.

All eligible persons will receive emergency food assistance without regard to race, color, age, national origin, political beliefs, religion or handicap. Shut-ins are encouraged to designate an authorized representative to pick up for them. Volunteers are greatly needed and appreciated to help with this much needed pro-

# where he covers multiple counseling and February 7

The February meeting of A.A.R.P., Chapter 3092 will be held at the Cross Plains Mult-Purpose Center on Monday, February 7 at 11 a.m.

The speaker will be Mrs. Billie Jo Odom of Baird, who is with the Texas Department of Health and Human Services, representing the Nutritional Project for Callahan County.

All members are urged to make plans to attend and enjoy the fellowship and covered-dish luncheon.

## Local Youths Win Big At Stock Show

The 1994 Callahan County Junior Livestock Show finalized with Cross Plains youths taking many top placings. Great participation throughout the county always contributes to a quality

The following results reflect the top three places in each division, designated champions and showmanship awards:

#### **BREEDING SHEEP**

1. Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Janeal Stephens, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Amber Brady, Clyde FFA.

Champion Breeding Sheep - Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA.

Reserve Champion Breeding Sheep - Janeal Stephens, Cross Plains FFA.

#### MARKET LAMBS

Lt. Wt. Southdown: 1. Jaonna Harris, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Erin Stephens, Cross Plains, FFA; 3. Erin Stephens, Cross Plains FFA.

Heavy Wt. Southdown: 1. Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Janeal Stephens, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Trent Hudspeth, Eula FFA.

Champion - Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA

Reserve Champion - Jaonna Harris, Cross Plains FFA

## **Cross Plains** Cemetery **Association** Report

In April 1993, a Fund Drive began, headed by Thelma Long. The officers of the Cemetery Association would like to thank her for her dedication to this project

The 1993 contributions will appear in future issues of the Cross Plains Review. Everyone's participation and donations are appreciated by the local association. Contributions received for the month of May, 1993 are: Joseph and Vada

Augugliaro, \$20; Mitchell Ingram, \$10.71; Mozelle Richardson, \$50; Gerald and Loyce Stephens, \$25; I.W. Gage, \$25; M/M Buster Foster -I/M of Nancy and Sam Jones, \$20; Gayna Dodds, \$25; O.M. Gage, \$50; Clyde and Willie Bishop, \$50; Marie Freeman, \$100; Edith Paschall, \$20; M/M J.C. Granthanc, \$25; Doris M. Givens, \$25; M/M Robert Cross, \$50; Floyd J. Childs, \$100; L.C. and Ida Belle, \$100; L.B. and Vera Forbes, \$20; Dessie and Noah Johnson (of Eastland), \$25; Freda Burkett, \$25; M/M Tommie Lee Reid, \$10; Carmen Rich, \$25; Aleta E. Moore, \$25; Hazel Ogilvy, \$50; Verda G. Odom, \$100; M/M J.M. Harlow, \$25; M/M C.W. Campbell, \$100; Jimmie Mayes, \$50; Mitchell Ranch, \$100; Mrs. W. T. Cox, \$25; E.G. Walker, \$50; Mrs. Dena C. Yarbrough, \$25; Gretna and Hadden Payne, \$50; M/M L.M. Baum, \$100, M/ M Clark Graham, \$100; M/M Carrol Guilbeau, \$50; H.L. Neeb Operating Acct. \$100; Paul Freeman, \$50; Ollie Smith, \$25; Lois or Dan McCarty, \$100; Dan McCarty Construction, \$100; Mrs. Roma Y. Morrow, \$50; Leta N. Rash, \$100; M/M N.V. Atwood, \$20; Mary Melton, \$25; Lillian B. Tyndall, \$25; Myrtle and Ray Dunn, \$30; Dr. C.M. Baldwin, \$100; Virginia Campbell, \$25; Bonnie Whilhite, \$25; William and Lynette Payne, \$35; Dewitt and Mildred Newton, \$50; M/M Author Boyle, \$25; Theodore Milner, \$20; J. B. Baum, \$100; earnings payment, \$7.15; Total Gifts: Grave opening permits for services:

J. McGuire; N. McClure; A. Whitmire; E. Anderson, \$75 each. Total GOP's, \$300. TOTAL INCOME FOR MAY, 1993: \$3042.86.

Lt. Wt. Medium Wool: 1. Kristin Hunteer, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Brandi Richey, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Amber Baird 4-H Brady, Clyde FFA.

Middle Wt. Medium Wool: 1. Emily Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Janeal Clyde 4-H; 2. Cody Hodges, Clyde 4-H; Stephens, Cross Plains FFA.

Heavy Wt. Medium Wool: 1. Jaden Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Janeal Stephens, Cross Plains FFA.

Champion - Emily Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA

Reserve Champion - Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA

Lt. Wt. Finewool Cross: 1. Jason Thomas, Clyde FFA; 2. Jacob Thomas, Clyde FFA; 3. Roger Carey, Cross Plains FFA.

Medium Wt. Finewool Cross: 1. Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Amber Brady, Clyde FFA; 3. Justin 4-H.

Rickey, Cross Plains FFA. Heavy Wt. Finewool Cross: 1. Stephenson, Baird FFA Benjamin Faris, Cross Plains FFA: 2. Janeal Stephens, Cross Plains FFA: 3. Jared Harris, Cross Plains FFA.

Champion - Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA

Reserve Champion - Benjamin Faris, Cross Plains FFA

Lt. Wt. Finewool: 1. Jason Carey, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Alicia Stephenson, Baird 4-H; 3. Matt Reed, Cross Plains

Middleweight Finewool:1. Blake Foster, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Justin Richey, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Jaonna Harris, Cross Plains FFA.

Heavy Wt. Finewool: 1. Janeal Stephens, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Jared Harris, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Chris

Harris, Cross Plains FFA. Champion - Janeal Stephens, Cross Plains FFA

Reserve Champion - Blake Foster Grand Champion Market Lamb -Emily Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA

Reserve Champion Market Lamb -Cody Winfrey, Cross Plains FFA Showmanship - Amber Brady, Clyde

## **Cross Plains** Roping Club To Meet Mon., February 7

A Cross Plains Roping Club meeting has been scheduled for Monday, February 7, at 7 p.m. at the local arena (if weather permitting).

All present and potential members are strongly urged to attend. Dates and preparations for all rodeos, buck-out, and chili cook-off will be scheduled. Everyone's input is needed!

## Project Pride Dan McCarty Construction, \$100; Anonymous, \$10; John Wagner, \$30; Meets Tuesday

Project Pride will held their regular monthly meeting at 6 p.m. Tuesday, February 8, at the Howard House. The public is invited.

## Colonial Oaks Services

Believer's Fellowship will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, February 6, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

Simbrah Heifers - Sadie Humphries,

Hereford, Class I: 1. Tyson Kropp, Clyde 4-H; 2. Justin Estes, Clyde 4-H. Hereford, Class II: 1. Cody Hodges, 3. Jeremy Longbotham, Clyde FFA. Hereford, Class III: 1. Jeremy

Longbotham, Clyde FFA. Champion - Cody Hodges, Clyde 4-H Reserve Champion Tyson Kropp,

Longbotham, Clyde FFA; 2. Jeremy

Clyde 4-H Limousin, Class I: 1. Jason Gemgross, Baird 4-H; 2. Jason Thomas, Clyde FFA.

Limousin, Class II: 1. Matt Stephenson, Baird FFA; 2. Bryan King Limousin, Class III: 1. Lezley Straley, Oplin 4-H.

Champion - Jason Gerngross, Baird

Reserve Champion - Matt Grand Champion Heifer - Jason

Gemgross, Baird 4-H Reserve Champion Heifer - Cody

Hodges, Clyde 4-H

#### **STEERS**

Lt. Wt. American: 1. Kristin Straley, Oplin 4-H: 2. Tyson Broadfoot, Clyde 4-H: 3. Justin Estes, Clyde 4-H.

Heavy Wt. American: 1. Steve Crow. Baird FFA; 2. Jason Gerngross, Baird 4-

Champion American - Steve Crow, Baird FFA

Reserve Champion American -Kristin Straley, Oplin 4-H.

Lt. Wt. English: 1. Tom Farmer, Eula FFA; 2. Kelby Robinson, Baird 4-H; 3. Kristen Straley, Oplin 4-H. Med Wt. English: 1. Justin Riley.

Clyde FFA; 2. Jason Gerngross, Baird 4-H; 3. Lezley Straley, Oplin 4-H.

Hvy Wt. English: 1. Shaney Joy, Clyde 4-H; 2. Susan LeMay, Eula FFA; 3. Misty Johnson, Oplin 4-H.

Champion English - Shaney Joy, Clyde 4-H Reserve Champion English - Susan

LeMay, Eula FFA. Lightweight European Cross Steers: 1. Bradley Black, Clyde 4-H; 2. Dusty Hargrove, Cross Plains FFA; 3.

Brittany Hinyard, Cross Plains FFA. Mediumweight European Cross Steers: 1-2. Rowdy Dillard, Cross Plains Junior FFA; 3. Coleman Vestal, Baird FFA. Heavyweight European Cross

Steers - 1. Justin Riley, Clyde FFA; 2. Tom Edd Johnson, Clyde FFA; 3. Shancy Joy, Clyde 4-H. Champion European Cross Steer -

Rowdy Dillard, Cross Plains Junior FFA, with mediumweight Reserve Champion European Cross

Steer - Rowdy Dillard, Cross Plains Junior FFA, with mediumweight. GRAND CHAMPION MARKET STEER - Rowdy Dillard, Cross Plains

Junior FFA, with Mediumweight European cross. Reserve Grand Champion Market Steer - Rowdy Dillard, Cross Plains

Junior FFA, with Mcdiumweight European cross. Beef Cattle Showmanship - Bradley

Black, Clyde 4-H.

#### SPECIAL BREEDER AWARDS

HIGHEST PLACING COUNTY-BRED FRYER RABBITS - Gary Franke, Baird, breeder.

HIGHEST PLACING COUNTY-BRED LAMB - Don Harris, Cross Plains, breeder.

HIGHEST PLACING COUNTY-BRED STEER - Doug Ford, Clyde, English Champion Steer breeder; and Don Barr, Clyde, American Champion Steer breeder.

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#### **COURTHOUSE NEWS**

**COUNTY COURT** Bill Johnson, presiding

Misdemeanor Minutes Estanislao Rosales Gonzalez, DWI, \$100 fine \$150 court costs, 3 days in jail.

Bail Bond allowed to withdraw as Motions filed to revoke probations:

In the matter of Scott Bradley, SOS

Todd C. Weingarten, Nelda Stewart. **NEW VEHICLES** 

Katherine & Gary Galle, Abilene, Jeep

Pittencrieff Communications, Abilene, Jeep 4 dr.

Michael Smalley, Baird, Chev PU. Charles Walker, Eastland, Chev PU. James R. Ball, Abilene, Jeep 4 dr. Bailey Windham, Clyde, Chev PU. Robert Damron, Stamford, Dodge

> **42nd DISTRICT COURT** John Weeks, presiding

> > **Civil Filings**

Divorces filed: Kincaid, Beverly Jean & Michael

Prickett, Penny Kay & Robert D. Edwards, Rebecca Lyn & Garry G.

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**Civil Minutes** First Deposit National Bank vs Janet L. Ball, default judgment for plaintiff \$4912.79 plus \$1630 attorney fees.

Divorces granted: Bell, Theresa J. & Eddie W. Pinkerton, Ronald Travis & Kelly Lea. Fletcher, Melynda Michaele & Jasper.

**Felony Indictment** Darin Hays, criminal mischief.

Felony Complaint & Information Chris Potts, criminal mischief.

**Felony Minutes** 

Billy Wayne Powers, DWI, \$500 fine, 4 years at TDC.

Shirley Davila, securing execution of a document by deception, \$100 fine, must make \$3156 restitution.

Coy Wayne Neatherlin, DWI, \$500 fine 5 years at TDC probated for 5 years. Richard Wayne Jaggars, criminal michief, \$200 fine, 60 days in jail. Danny Wayne Booth, DWI, \$500 fine,

30 days in jail.

### Take A Tax **Break This February**

The imminent approach of April 15 has many in a sweat over taxes. Take a break, a 'TAXBREAK'. TAXBREAK '94 is a one-hour program featuring as host, Willard Scott, the popular weatherman from NBC News' "Today" Show, a tax expert from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), and a representative from the National Association of Enrolled Agents. The show will air nationally over Public Television Stations at 2 p.m., Sunday, February 6. (Check local listings for exact date and time.) Viewers will be Floyd Page able to call in with questions, toll-free, during the show and for one hour after.

TAXBREAK '94 focuses on individual federal income taxes. It will cover the new changes in tax law, tax implications of the midwest floods and Southern California fires, how to get a quicker Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery. refund, the Earned Income Credit, taxfiling other than the paper return.

Video segments in the show will profile categories of taxpayers using a senior citizen, a nanny, a new homeowner and an "EZ filer". The panel of experts will analyze the segments and give filing ad-

TAXBREAK is an annual information program sponsored by the IRS. For more information on TAXBREAK '94 call 1-800-829-1040.

## OBITUARY

### Virgie Eager Virgie Eager, 85, died Thursday,

January 27, 1994 in the Colonial Oaks died Friday, January 28, 1994 in a Nursing Home in Cross Plains.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in ciating. Burial was in Cross Plains was in Coleman Cemetery.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include one brother, Collis Eager of Cross Plains; one sister, Eunice Starr of Cross Plains; and several nieces and nephews.

#### J. B. Rose

Joe Barnes, 'J.B.', Rose, 76, who served on the Lawn City Council for 11 years, died Friday, January 28, 1994 in an Abilene hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Lawn Baptist Church with the Revs. Price Mathieson and R.J. Elkins officiating. Burial was in Midway Cemetery near Goldsboro, directed by Fry-Bartlett Funeral Home of Tuscola.

Mr. Rose was born in Goldsboro and was a U.S. Army Air Corp veteran of World War II. He was a lifelong Goldsboro and Lawn resident. He worked 25 years for T.P. Coal and Oil Co., now a part of Sun Oil Co., and he retired in 1983 as a production superintendent. He was a member of the Lawn Masonic Lodge No. 1230 for 40 years. Survivors include his wife, Gladys Rose of Lawn; one stepson, Ron Whitfield of Abilene; one brother, Verner Rose of Cross Plains; three sisters, Ruby Winn and Ray Russell, both of Abilene, and Lattie Belyeu of Odessa; two grandchildren and sever nieces and

Floyd Page, 77, died Saturday, January 29, 1994 at a local nursing home.

Services were held Monday at 2:30 p.m. at Davis-Morris Funeral Home Department of Defense - from 1942 until Chapel with Ron Coleman officiating.

Mr. Page was a lifetime resident of pital. able v. non-taxable income, deductions. Brown County and a member of free tax help, and alternative ways of Jehovah's Witness. He was an Army veteran and a retired carpenter.

> Survivors include his wife, Lee (Penry Reed) Page of Brownwood; two stepdaughters, Evelyn Moisett of Brownwood and Wanda Hiller of Clyde; one stepson, Glenn Reed of Brownwood; two sisters, Estelle Lemmons of Brownwood and Nell Bowden of Cross Plains; one brother, Cye Page of Brownwood; six step-grandchildren, 15 step greatgrandchildren, and seven step greatgreat-grandchildren.

### **Mandy Rankin**

Many Neff Rankin, 90, of Quitman, quitman nursing home.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel the Stevens Funeral Home Chapel with with Henry Grubbs and Joe Gayle offi- the Rev. Jeff Robinett officiating. Burial

Mrs. Rankin was born in Burkett and Miss Eager was born in Taylor County. she moved to Coleman in 1946. She was a homemaker and she moved to Ouitman in 1974. She was the widow of John E.

Survivors include one daughter, Letha Willis of Quitman; one son, Eddie Rankin of Coleman; one daughter-inlaw, Bonnie Miller Rankin of Coleman: three sister-in-law, Bernice Neff of Coleman, Ester Neff of Burkett and Claudean Neff of Brookshire; nine grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and several cousins, nieces and nephews.

#### ennora Parks

Lennora Sue Parks, 59, died Saturday, January 22, 1994. She was born in Brown County, Tx and came to San Antonio as a youngster. A 1951 graduate of Burbank High School, Mrs. Parks became a well known artist with a specialty in ceramics and for many years she taught art teachers. She was a longtime member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Survivors include her husband, E. J. Parks, two sons, Michiel Ray Parks and Harold Dewayne Parks; daughter-in-law, Melody Ann Parks; three grandchildren; her mother, Johnnie Newton Stone; her sister, Marjorie Hood; her two brothers, Charlie Wayne Stone and Billy Ray Stone. Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, with Rev. Phillip Stevenson, Jr. officiating. Burial was in Mission Burial Park North at San Anto-

#### Lula Matthiessen

Lula Pauline Matthiessen, 74, who worked as an item manager specialist for the U.S. War Department - now the U.S. 1974, when she retired, died Monday, December 20, 1993, in an Abilene hos-

Services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday in the Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home Chapel of Memories, 542 Hickory, with Revs. Rodney Watson and H. B. Terry officiating. Graveside was at 2 p.m. in the Cottonwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Matthiessen was born in Cottonwood, where she graduated from high school. She attended Draughon's Business College and moved to Abilene from Philadelphia in 1985. She was a member of the Cora Posey Chapter No. 1072, Order of Eastern Star and of the Order of the Amaranth, Margaret C. Verner Court No. 71 in Prospect Park, Pennsylvania. She was a member of the WHO Sunday School Class at Lytle South Baptist Church and was the widow of William C. G. Matthiessen.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, Leo E. Jones, Sr. and Elvin Jones; and two sisters, Wilda Jones and Loree Green.

Surviovrs include one brother, W.H. "Dub" Jones of Abilene; one sister, Corene Schaffner of Big Spring; her mother-in-law, Frances Blaise of Boca Raton, Florida; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were nephews, David and Larry Jones of Abilene, Leo Jones of Tyler, Shane Schaffner of Big Spring. and family friends Don Jones and Carter Young of Abilene.

Memorials may be sent to Lytle South Baptist Church, 1125 Industrial Blvd. Abilene, Texas 79602; or a favorite

## A. L. Prentice

Andrew Linam Prentice, 85, of San Angelo went to be with the Lord Wednesday at 2 a.m. January 19, 1994, in Shannon Medical Center.

Memorial services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Johnson's Funeral Home chapel, conducted by the Rev. Weldon Thomas of Slaton and the Rev. Ronnie Newton of Odessa. Burial was in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens.

The pallbearers were Joe Troy Gamble of Big Spring, T. C. Jones, Edward Richards and Glenn Jones, Jr. all of Lamesa, Mark Tuinstra of San Angelo and James Pentecost of Robert Lee.

Linam was born February 5, 1908, in Buford, Texas. He was preceded in death

by his parents, Mac and Anna; one brother, D. W.; and four sisters, Maxie Gamble, Artie Jones, Della Richards, Josephine Carrey and Ida Spivey.

Survivors include his wife, Pearl of the home; one son, John Prentice and wife, Mancy, of San Angelo; one granddaughter, Angie Finnegan and husband, Mike, of Manassas, Virginia; and numberous nieces and nephews.

Linam was blessed by being in the ministry for 57 years. His pastorates included the Colorado City and Plainview circuits of the Methodist Church and Penwell Union Church in Penwell, Texas. In 1946, Rev. Prentice helped organize the Evangelical Methodist movement. The Evangelical Methodist churches he pastored were: First EMS San Angelo, Wesleyan EMC San Angelo, EMC Cross Plains, Trinity EMC Slaton and for the last 13 years, until recently, Rev. Prentice pastored the First EMC of San Angelo.



issuance of the five cent coin we call a nickel on May 16, 1866.



Lordy, Lordy, **Guess Who's** Forty? His Name is Mike And He Works At the Bank! Happy Birthday! Your Family

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## CHURCH SERVICES

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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		7:00 p.m.	
Dr. Robert Smith - Pastor		Bill Swinney - Music	

UNITED PRESBYTERIAL	N CHURCH
9TH & AVE. D WORSHIP SERVICE	CROSS PLAINS
BIBLE CLASS	10:30 A.M.
Rev. Henry Grubbs, Pas Everyone Welcome	

#### BELIEVER'S FELLOWSHIP Undenominational — Evangelical EAST HIGHWAY 36 Sunday School Morning Worship. **Evening Worship** Wednesday Night Family Bible Study .... Bob Wallace, Pastor (817) 725-6607

#### PIONEER PENTECOSTAL CHURCH LOCATED 5 MILES EAST OF CROSS PLAINS ON HIGHWAY 36 AND 1 MILE NORTH ON FM 569 Sunday Morning Worship ...... 10:00 a.m. Evening Service ...... 6:30 p.m. Thursday Night Service ..... Ruby McCowen, Pastor Phone (817) 725-7265

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## ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. N.V. GIBBS

Light snow fell in this area Friday night but had melted away during the day Saturday. The thermometer was on 40 degrees most of the day. It was a cold time for the County Stock Show in Cross Plains, January is usually a cold month. The kids have to dress to keep warm and even then some come down with colds.

This writer called neighbors this moring for news for this column and most all of them reported a quiet week and very little visiting. Vernic Belle Mauldin had a cold and Gene was not feeling good. He will undergo some tests this week.

Brad and Michal Watson of Arlington were spending the weekend in the Robert Watson home.

Bob and Kathy Dye were home Saturday. They also made a trip to Abilene Saturday, as they are expecting their daughter, Julie and her husband, Bryan Patterson, and two children, Tuesday from Laurel, Mississippi. They will

## Political Calendar

The Cross Plains Review is authorized to publish the following political announcements for the Callahan County office filings in the upcoming Democratic Party Primary Election set for Tuesday, March 8, 1994.

**For District Clerk 42nd Dis. Court Cubelle Harris** 

For U.S. Congress 17th District **Charles Stenholm** 

For Callahan **County Judge** C. Lee Smith

Pol. Adv. paid by C. Lee Smith, P.O. Box 3075, Clyde, TX 79510

For Callahan Co. Commissioner **Precinct #4** Kenneth Sowell

Pol. Adv. paid by Kenneth Sowell, P.O. Box 24, Cross Plains, TX 78443

Freddy Tatom

Pol. Adv. paid by Freddy Tatom, P.O. Box 94, Cross Plains, TX 76443 All political calendar advertising for the Democratic Party Primary Election is payable in advance, at a cost of \$80.00. A free press release and photograph will be published one time with each announcement.

spend a few days with both of their par-

Dorothy Reynolds has been in Clyde off and on this week, where work was being done inside and out of their church. Cherry Heights. Because of allergies, she cannot paint. This group of Baptist workers had worked on their church building last year. The church members are proud of all the work done by these Christian men and women.

Charles, Nancy and Michael Palmer of Clyde visited Joyce Odom Saturday. They had been to the County Livestock Show in Cross Plains.

#### **Cotillion Expansion** Includes Callahan County

The National League of Junior Cotillions, a program of etiquette and social dance training for middle and junior high school students has announced plans to expand its program in Texas to include Callahan County and surrounding areas.

Says Anne Colvin Winters, NLJC executive director, "We will be selecting a director who will receive complete training to present the program on an exclusive basis in this area."

The program, with headquarters in Charlotte, North Carolina, was established in 1979 and has licensed local cotillions nationwide. The Junior Cotillion includes six monthly classes plus a Holly Ball and Spring Ball. Says Winters, "The program has met with equal success in metropolitan areas including Boston, Atlanta, and Houston, and in small communities across the country. We believe it will be an important addition to the training of young people in this

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#### **BREAKTHRU**

By Bob Pipes, preacher **Cross Plains Church of Christ** 433 N. Main At 12th (817) 725-6117

Somewhere, today, someone is having great difficulty — many are! A loved one has just died; a child is sick; a disaster has struck; a soul is dying without hope... The list goes on and on. We're not aware of who it is necessarily. We have never met most of them and many are very far removed from us. We hear the news of them on the radio, see it on TV, and read about it in the newspaper - but we don't really even know them, much less their actual situation.

Perhaps it is too much to say we ought to be aware of all human suffering and problems, but is it asking too much to say we need to be more aware of those close by? There are people in our own community who need help, comfort, understanding - people all around us who are hurting, lonely, undergoing great difficulties. Are we aware of any of them? Many of them?

We may take the attitude of "not wanting to get involved," but it's a dangerous one to take. In the first place, disaster may strike all too close to home someday — and what if everyone took that attitude? And besides — and really in the first place — Jesus said that to help those in need is to help Him! That is not to mention that He also highly implied that a lot is going to depend on what we did or didn't do for others, in judgement, Matthew 25:31-

Let's be more aware of those around us who are lonely, hurting, undergoing difficulties. Come learn with us how to better "do unto others as we would have them do unto us." Commendations to those who do reach out to others and one another. Keep on keepin'

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. ..... 7:00 p.m. Wed. Evening Bible Study ..... Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus

STOCK SHOW

**CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1** 

HIGHEST PLACING COUNTY-BRED BARROW - Carolyn Taylor, Clyde; Rickey Carey, Cross Plains,

#### RABBITS

Fryer Rabbits: 1. David Franke, Baird FFA; 2. Jessica Archa, Eula 4-H; 3. Jessica Archa, Eula 4-H.

Colored Does: 1. Jonathan Maikell, Baird 4-H; 2. Michelle Hobgood, Eula 4-H; 3. Shawna White, Eula 4-H.

White Does: 1. Michelle Hobgood, Eula 4-H; 2. Kayla Beard, Clyde 4-H; 3. Karen Smythe, Clyde FFA.

Champion Doe - Jonathan Maikell, Baird 4-H

Reserve Champion Doe - Michelle Hobgood, Eula 4-H

Showmanship - Samantha Ivanoski, Clyde FFA

Colored Bucks: 1. Cole Koenig, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Chad Franke, Baird 4-H; 3. Samantha Ivanoski, Clyde

White Bucks: 1. Emily Cole, Clyde 4-H; 2. Jessica Archa, Eula 4-H; 3. Samantha Ivanoski, Clyde FFA.

Champion Buck - Emily Cole, Clyde

Reserve Champion Buck - Cole Koenig, Cross Plains FFA

**POULTRY** 

Pen of 3 Broilers: 1. Josh Curtis, Baird 4-H; 2. Aaron Roan, Baird FFA; 3. Wendy Faircloth, Eula 4-H.

Champion - Josh Curtis, Baird 4-H Reserve Champion - Aaron Roan, Baird 4-H

Showmanship - Chad Collins

**BREEDING GILTS** 

Duroc: 1. Lezley Straley, Oplin 4-H; 2. Chris Taylor, Clyde FFA; 3. Chris

Taylor, Clyde FFA. Hampshire: 1. Sarah Underwood, Eula FFA

Cross Bred: 1. Haley Altman, Eula 4-OPB:1. Kristin Straley, Oplin 4-H; 2.

Jana Howe, Clyde 4-H; 3. Glen Black, Clyde 4-H

Champion Gilt - Lezley Straley, Oplin 4-H

Reserve Champion Gilt - Sarah Underwood, Eula FFA

SWINE

Lt. Weight Duroc: 1. Adam Coffee, Clyde FFA; 2. Meagan Matsler, Baird 4-H; 3. Angela Tatom, Clyde 4-H.

Med. Weight Duroc: 1. Chad Collins, Clyde FFA: 2. Mindy McDowell, Baird 4-H; 3. Jordan Howe, Clyde 4-H.

Lt Heavyweight Duroc: 1. Blake Foster, Cross Plains FFA: 2. Lindsey Barnett, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Crystal Berryhill, Clyde 4-H.

Heavy Weight Duroc: 1. John Kniffen, Clyde FFA; 2. Artie Rollins, Clyde FFA; 3. Nathan Joy, Cross Plains

Champion Duroc - John Kniffen, Clyde FFA

Reserve Champion Duroc - Artie Rollins, Clyde FFA

Lt. Wt. Hampshire: 1. Mindy McDowell, Baird 4-H; 2. Jason Carey, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Kyla Russell, Eula 4-H.

Med. Wt. Hampshire: 1. Jay Van Zandt, Eula FFA; 2. Charly Canales, Cross Plains 4-H; 3. Dustin Van Zandt, Eula 4-H.

Lt. Heavyweight Hampshire: 1. Wes Chapman, Clyde FFA; 2. Jared Baze, Eula FFA; 3. Coby Jennings, Eula FFA. Heavyweight Hampshire: 1. Kristen Straley, Oplin 4-H; 2. Jeannie Altman,

Eula 4-H; 3. Carrie Altman, Eula 4-H. Champion Hampshire - Mindy McDowell, Baird 4-H Reserve Champion Hampshire - Jay

Van Zandt, Eula FFA Lt. Wt. OPB: 1. Janeal Stephens,

Cross Plains FFA; 2. Clint Watts, Clyde 4-H; 3. Chelsey Hasha, Baird 4-H. Middle Wt. OPB: 1. Courtney

Garvin, Eula FFA; 2. Justin Pounds, Eula FFA; 3. Steven Van Zandt, Eula

Heavy Weight OPB: 1. Josh Nelson, Cross Plains 4-H; 2. Donnie Childers, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Jackie Farmer, Eula FFA.

Champion OPB - Janeal Stephens, Cross Plains FFA Reserve Champion OPB - Clint

Watts, Clyde 4-H Lt. Wt. Crossbreed: 1. Erin Stephens, Cross Plains FFA; 2. Janeal Stephens,

Cross Plains FFA; 3. Monte Lewis, Eula

Middleweight Crossbreed: 1. Crystal Berryhill, Clyde 4-H; 2. Dusty Hargrove, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Brock Walker, Cross Plains FFA.

Lt. Heavyweight Crossbreed: 1. Tom Farmer, Eula FFA; 2. Fennifer



DERBY RACE WINNERS - 1st Place - Marcus Williams (from right),

2nd Place - Chris Harris, and 3rd Place -J.D. Cook.



Beauchamp, 3rd Place - Brandon Horton. BEST DESIGN - 1st Place - J.D. Cook, (from left), 2nd Place - Jason



MOST ORIGINAL — 1st Place - A.J. Beauchamp, 3rd Place - Brandon Phill-Carouth (from right), 2nd Place - Jon ips.



MOST UNUSUAL - 1st Place -Brandon Gilliam, (from left), 2nd Place - Josh Nelson, and 3rd Place - Christ

Young, Cross Plains FFA; 3. Devin Joy, Clyde 4-H.

Heavy Weight Crossbreed: 1. Lesley Straley, Oplin 4-H; 2. Jacob Tatom, Clyde 4-H; 3. Adam Coffee, Clyde

Grand Champion Market Swine -Janeal Stephens, Cross Plains FFA Reserve Champion Market Swine -Tom Farmer, Eula FFA Showmanship - Adam Coffee, Clyde

Champion Crossbreed - Tom Farmer, Eula FFA

Reserve Champion Crossbreed -Lezley Straley, Oplin 4-H

> CLASSIFIED ADS

## Cub Scout Pine Derby Races Held

By BRENDA NELSON

February Pack Meetings are the most popular each year, as was the case Monday night (January 24), because this in was when the annual pine-derby races were held. Scouts began arriving early to weigh in their "masterpieces" and do any modifications necessary.

Cub master Linda Reed opened by giving information on the District Derby Races to be held in Abilene February 5. The Cross Plains race is open only to boys in our pack and city. At Abilene boys have the opportunity to compete with others in their age group from throughout the White Buffalo Scout District.

Parents and Boy Scouts may also enter in a special open category at District. During the opening, judges Ray Womack and James Oscar Koenig were selecting winners for ribbon awards on car appearances in three categories.

The races then started with two cars per heat. The double elimination process was used to determine overall race winners. See photos with winners.

There was an interesting array of cars. I' don't know where all the great ideas come from, but everyone did an excellent job! The derby is a parent-child project, and D every youth was a winner because of the family time spent together building the

One mother remarked she thought everyone in the family did something to their car before it was finished! I can describe a typical derby race in three words: Exciting, loud, and fun, and we wouldn't have it any other way. Fathers usually take off work early to attend and it's hard to tell them apart from the boys. Of course, moms usually get pretty ex-

After the races, prizes were handed out for Trails End Popcom Sales Incentives earned. Top three salesmen for 1993-94 were 1)T.J. Harris; 2)Kevin Wilson; 3)Chris Harris. Several boys sold over \$300 worth individually and every scout; worked really hard at sales. To conclude the meeting, a door prize was drawn for and won by Lance Callaway.

The Cub Scouts, parents, and leaders want to thank Mr. Koenig and Mr. Womack for their time and interest in the youth. Also Higginbothams' for use of their scales to weigh entries. Thanks to our Charter Organization, the Methodist Church, for help and use of facilities each and to the Rickey Carouth family. Rickey built the track we raced on and the family. stores the track all year long and faithfully transports it to and from the races. each year.

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## Safe In Third Grade

Each year thousands of children across America are injured in traffic related accidents. Many of these accidents are due to the children's lack of knowledge of what is required of them in a traffic environment.

In order to reduce the number of inluries, the Abilene Police Department Safety Education unit, with the cooperation of the Abilene I.S.D., has developed this safety program for elementary age school children, primarily those in the third grade. Cross Plains third graders were fortunate last Tuesday to attend Abilene's Safety City. This was first for the school district.

The instruction for this program is a cooperative effort between the teacher and Safety City personnel. The instruction itself is diveded between teaching safety units in the school classroom and practical application at Safety City.

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The mission of the Safety Education unit, Community Services Division, Abilene Police Department, is to promote and increased public awareness of safety with emphasis on safety education for children.

The Safety City staff seeks involvement with the school systems it serves. The Safety Education staff strive to develop, improve, promote the safety of school children, and are committed to ensuring young children experience positive interaction with police officers at a young age.

at a young age.

The facility and program at Safety City were built in cooperative effort of the Abilene Police Department, the Abilene Jaycee Foundation, the Abilene Independent School District, and the members of the business community of Abilene. The purpose of thefacility is to provide third grade students a safe environment for applying the lessons of bicycle, pedestrian and general traffic safety they have learned in their school classroom.

It consists of traffic and pedestrian control devices (lights, signs, and signals), miniature buildings, paved streets and sidewalks, that create a realistic traffic environment similar to that which they may encounter on a daily basis. The instruction provided by the Safety City staff allowed Cross Plains

third grade students to enjoy applying what they learned prior to their visit.

The Cross Plains third graders were not the only ones to enjoy Safety City and its many features. Several volunteer mothers, PTO officers, and third grade teachers enjoyed it as well.

## Register Now For Aquatic WILD Workshop rolls, and milk.

Project Aquatic WILD workshops are an extension of the Project WILD environmental education training programs for teachers and youth leaders sponsored by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. Aquatic WILD education materials are an invitation to explore and understand the worlds of water and the aquatic habitats they support.

Kathryn Hampton, State Aquatic facilitator from Austin, will be the workshop leader. The Aquatic workshop is scheduled for March 12, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Lake Brownwood State Park in the Group Recreation Hall. Bring your own lunch. Drinks will be provided. Wear comfortable shoes and

Contact Judy Brummett at Lake
Brownwood State Park, 915-784-5223,
for registration materials.

## Buffaloes Lead District

By COACH BILL BOYD

The ten year drought is over! The Cross Plains Buffaloes traveled to Eula and defeated the Pirates for the first time in ten years 80-73. To top off this historic week, the Buffaloes topped Gorman 63-52 in double overtime to take the District lead.

On Tuesday, January 25, the Buffs traveled to Eula and dominated the Pirates for three quarters. Going into the fourth, the boys held a 71-52 advantage before Eula put on an excellent run.

Matt Reed led the Buffaloes with 24 points and 17 rebounds. Brock Walker had 15 points and 9 assists. Also in double figures were Jason Fleming with 13 points and Kevin Switzer with 12 points. Once again the "posse" led by Kelly Barclay, Dustin Bowden and Rodney Rudloff came off of the bench to contribute greatly.

On Friday the 28th we traveled to Gorman and escaped with a hard fought 63-52 double-over time win. We shot poorly, 38 percent from the field and 54 percent from the line. Fleming led the Buffs with 18 points, followed by Walker with 16, Switzer with 15 and 11 rebounds. Sophomore Donnie Dillard had 10 points and controlled the boards throughout the overtime.

Our J.V. was defeated by Eula and then lost to an undefeated Gorman team 52-46. This group has yet to put together four complete quarters.

Against Eula we were led by Jeremy Barnett with 19 points and Porcious Potter with 10. At Gorman we were down 16 points and had a great second half. Lee Wayne Wheeler led the Buffs

with 14 points and Barnett added 10.

This group will make a good varsity team one day, but they have to spend more time in the gym this summer.

I hope to see the "Buffalodome" packed to capacity on Friday and Tuesday. Eula comes in Friday looking for revenge and this Tuesday's games versus Gorman could be for the District Championship. Thanks for all of the support on the road, now let's get a true home court advantage.

## SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

FEBRUARY 7 - 11

(Subject to Change)

BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Bacon, egg, toast, jelly, grape juice, and milk.

TUESDAY — Oatmeal, toast, orange

juice, and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Pancake, sausage, grape juice, and milk.

THURSDAY — Choice of ready to eat cereal, toast, orange juice, and milk. FRIDAY — Cheese toast, grape juice, and milk.

#### LUNCH

MONDAY — Corn dog, fries, baked beans, cheese stick, cake, and milk. TUESDAY — Chicken nuggets with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans,

rolls, honey, and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Cheese Nachos,
pinto beans, celery sticks, cornbread,

mixed fruit, and milk.

THURSDAY — Spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, pineapple chunks, garlic

olls, and milk.

FRIDAY — Hamburger, lettuce, to-

mato, pickles, fries, cookie, and milk.

## SCHOOL

Thursday, February 3
PTO Meeting - 6:30 p.m.

Friday, February 4 Varsity B-Ball, Eula, Here - 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 8
Varsity B-Ball, Gorman, Here - 4:00
p.m.

Wednesday, February 9
Annuals go on sale

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## Varsity Girls End Round 1

The Cross Plains varsity basketball girls sport a record of 2-1 in District 26-A action following this past week's play. On January 25, the Lady Buffs traveled to Eula for a key district showdown. The Cross Plains squad fell behind in the first stanza 17-6, but outscored (and outplayed) the Lady Pirates in the final three periods 49-43.

However, it wasn't enough, as Eula won 60-55. "The girls did a tremendous job by staying with Eula," Coach John Starcher said in reviewing the contest. "We closed the gap to one and two point differences, but we couldn't seal the win."

Leading the Cross Plains attack in double figures were Tonya Stover (14 points), Shana Bagley (12 points) and Heather Montgomery (10 points). Also helping in the C.P. cause were Jenny Potter, 9; Amanda Sowell 8; and Malyssa Sowell 2.

January 28 had the Lady Buffs playing in Gorman, pulling out an exciting 47-34 win. The game was low-scoring due to several turnovers and missed easy shots.

"I'm not sure we really were prepared,"
Starcher stated. "But the girls did get
their heads on straight at half-time and
we went to work."

Cross Plains held a slim 17-16 half-time lead, but Gorman scored 6 unanswered points to start the third quarter. After that, seniors Shana Bagley (11 points), Heather Montgomery and Amanda Sowell (10 points each) lead the C.P. defensive charge to held lead in the victory.

Montgomery and A. Sowell also had rebounds of 13 and 7, respectively. Stover added 9 points, Potter and Rachelle Bishop 3 each, and M. Sowell 1.

"We have put ourselves in a good situation as far as the state playoffs are concerned," Starcher said. "We control our own destiny."

The team will need everyone's support the next few weeks, as Cross Plains hosts Eula for a rematch Friday, February 4. The girls will play their final home contest February 8 against Gorman.

"Everybody needs to be there and help these girls make the playoffs," Coach Starcher concluded. State-bound t-shirts are still available, and there needs to be a "Sea of Purple" for the girls to see the community's support!

BACK THE LADY BUFFS!!!

## Rockwell Scholarship Available At C.J.C.

Since 1988, hundreds of students have benefitted from Cisco Junior College's Rockwell scholarship. The scholarship is awarded to entering freshmen recently graduating in the top 25 percent of their class.

The tuition and fee award is named in honor of C.J.C. benefactor James M. Rockwell. The scholarship is available at the Cisco campus only for four semesters, provided a recipient enrolls each semester for 15 or more semester hours and completes at least 12 hours with a 3.0 grade point average.

Spring 1994 Rockwell Scholarship students include six from Cisco, two from Cross Plains, two from Eastland, and one each from Breckenridge, Carbon, May and Zephyr.

"We are proud to be able to offer the Rockwell Scholarship to recognize the academic accomplishments of our students," commented Clois Purvis, C.J.C. Dean of Instruction.

For application information, please contact Dean Purvis in writing or by phoning (817) 442-2567.

## J.V. Girls Stumble

The Cross Plains Junior Varsity Lady
Buffs suffered two hard District 26-A
losses to Eula and Gorman this past
week. The team now has a season record
of 3-15 and 0-3 district action.

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On January 25, the J.V. girls took the court against Eula, but fell short by a 52-18 count. The Lady Pirates used full court pressure to stymie the Lady Buffs and forced several turnovers.

Scoring for the C.P. squad were: Jaonna Harris 6; Amanda McGuire and Renee Atchley 4 each; and Amber Williams and Amanda Clausen 2 each.

The girls traveled to Gorman January 28 to battle the Lady Panthers. After being down 16 points at half-time, the C.P. crew closed the gap but could not overcome. Gorman won 29-20.

Atchley played a solid game with 10 points and 17 rebounds. Also denting the scoreboard were: Clausen 4 points; and scoring 2 each were Williams, Nikki Beggs, and McGuire.

"I may not be happy with our overall record," said Coach Starcher, "but the individual players are getting better all the time. The win will come someday for them!"

The girls will play the re-match with Eula at home Friday, then play their final game of the '93-'94 season at home vs. Gorman on February 8. Let's support and thank these girls for their efforts!! Wear the "Sea of Purple"!

## T-Shirts Still Available

Cross Plains High School still has the "Sea of Purple" T-shirts for public purchase. See Coach John Starcher, a school secretary or athletic booster for the sale.

Help support our high school varsity girls and boys advance to the state playoffs with your support of the shirt!

## Workshops, Workshops, And More Workshops

During the course of a school year, teachers are involved in many different school related activities, attending workshops is just one. There are workshops that touch almost any subject you can imagine. One could conceivably attend workshops twice a week if they wanted to. With so many available, it can sometimes be difficult to decide which ones would be useful enough to warrant a day away from school.

Last week a group of three teachers and Cross Plains Elementary principal Margie Sowell attended a worthwile worshop in Abilene called "Megaskills", relating to techniques that can be used to address topics such as motivation, confidence, caring, teamwork, etc. in order to promote sound mental and emotional health.

Billie Clausen, Connie Ricci, Terri Hunter and two parents, Jill Winters and Jacque Childress, also attended.

Meanwhile at McMurray University, science teachers, Mack McConal and Cindy Brown, spent Thursday, January 20, attending TAAS science preparation workshop.

On Friday, January 21, another group of teachers went to the service center for a workshop. This one was aimed at providing information to schools as to the different types of software programs available in the area of TAAS workshops. Attending were Robbye Fullen, Darlene Webb and Charlene Fleming.

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D.A.R.E. PROGRAM DETAILS PRESENTED - Deputy John Windham, Mike Cary, Sheriff Eddie

Curtis and Bob Pipes are pictured at Kiwanis meeting.

## Kiwanis Club Going Strong

Guests at the January 25 Kiwanis Club Meeting at the invitation of club member Mike Cary were Callahan County Sheriff Eddie Curtis and Deputy John Windham. Bob Pipes, vice-president of the Cross Plains Kiwanis Club, conducted the meeting in the absence of club president, W.G. McCoy.

D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) Officer, Deputy Windham told the club about the D.A.R.E. program in Callahan County. He said that teachers like himself had a minimum of 80 hours special training before they began talking on of the Kiwanis Club members. to students. Students, mainly between "and that is an important and exciting fund raiser. time for them " says Denuty Windham.

Sheriff Curtis made it clear that the D.A.R.E. program is funded through donations of individuals, businesses and clubs like Kiwanis. Some of the things esteem."

The Kiwanis Club meets each Tuesday Farm Bureau. at noon at the Dairy Queen Buffalo

The annual Kiwanis Club Pancake Akers. Kindergarten and Fifth or Sixth Grades, Supper is set for Thursday, February 24, Wilson said the local county Farm Bureceive the drug abuse resistance educa- 5:30 to 7:00 P.M., at the Cross Plains reau has 1330 member families and is tion. The older ones receive 17 hours of School Cafeteria. Tickets are \$3 each and seeking to exceed that figure in 1994. D.A.R.E., one hour per week for 17 can be purchased in advance from club He said that the Farm Bureau is a genweeks, before graduation and diplomas, members or at the door on night of the eral farm organization that seeks to im-

OFFICIAL PROCLAMATION BY BILL JOHNSON, COUNTY JUDGE CALLAHAN COUNTY BAIRD, TEXAS

Greetings:

The Texas Farm Bureau, with more that 293,000 member families, is influential in both state and national affairs on behalf of agriculture.

Fram Bureau is a grass-root organization. Its foundation is the county unit. There are 211 organized county Farm Bureaus in the state including the Callahan County Farm Bureau, which has 1330 member families.

Because agriculture is important to our county, state, and nation, and because the Farm Bureau is an important voice of agriculture, I, Bill Johnson, County Judge of Callahan County, do hereby designate February 7-11 as Farm Bureau Membership week in Callahan County, and urge our citizens to give recognition to its worthy efforts.

In official recognition thereof, I hereby affix my signature this 27th of January, 1994.

> Signed Bill Johnson Callahan County Judge

County Judge Bill Johnson has signed a proclamation designating February 7-11 as "Farm Bureau Membership Week" in Callahan county.

The week is part of a statewide obseremphasized in the education are: "How to vance during which county Farm Bureau release stress in a healthy way"; "How to will make a special effort to enroll new say 'NO!"; "How to really have self- members, according to Allen Wilson of Baird, president of the Callahan County

Allen Wilson of Baird is also chairman Room. Guests are always welcome and of the membership committee which is do not need a personal invitation. Mem- responsible for membership acquisition bership inquiries may be directed to any and maintenance. Other committee members are Bronco Askew and Iky

prove income and living conditions of

farm and ranch families. It represents the farmer and rancher at the local county courthouse, in Austin, and in thenation's capital, Washington, D.C.

Nylon stockings went on sale for the first time in 1939.

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GRANBURY OPERA HOUSE PRESENTS GERSHWIN MUSIC

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of the Gershwin's 34 greatest songs plays Friday and Saturday at 8:00 P.M. and Saturday and Sunday at 2:00 P.M.

Ticket prices range from \$14.00 to \$16.00. Senior, Youth, and Group discounts available. For reservations, call (817) 573-9191, (817) 573-3779, or Metro (817) 572-0881. Box Office closed Mondays.

#### MINUTES OF CALLAHAN COUNTY FINANCES

TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE PERIOD

Beginning on the 1st day of October A.D. 1993

AND

Ending on the 31st day of December A.D. 1993

CASH						
OPERATING FUNDS	BALANCE	RECEIVED THIS QUARTER	1 16 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	FAID OUT THIS QUARTE	R	BALANCE
Payroll Clearing	1,000.00	287,988.67		287,988.67		1,000.00
Lateral Road	.00	22,605.14		22,605.14		.00
Bad Check Processing	545.20	944.64		.00		1.480.84
Dare Project	1,886.55	815.57		-1,172.10		1,530.02
Abandoned Automobiles	33.59	1,082.50		425.00		691.09
Call.Co.Comm. Prec. #1	2,018.23	17,213.53 40,000.00 57,213.53	(r.)	55,734.64		3,497.12
Call.Co.Comm. Prec. #1 Money Market Dep. Acct.	117,982.79	657.72 In	ıt.	40,000.00 (	Tr.)	78,640.51
Call.Co. Comm. Prec. #2	4,996.22	20,210.50 30,000.00 50,210.50 (T	(r.)	52,293.06		2,913.66
Call.Co. Comm. Prec. #2 Money Market Dep. Acct.	173,087.41	1,038.38 (1	int.)	30,000.00 (	Tr.)	144,125.79
Call.Co. Comm. Prec. #3	7,629.12	19,373.79 47,500.00 66,873.79	(r.)	71,866.78		2,636.13
Call.Co.Comm. Prec. #3 Money Market Dep. Acct.	196,895.70	1,120.77 (I	int.)	47,500.00 (	Tr.)	150,516.47
Call.Co. Comm. Prec. #4	6,692.31	18,976.19 29,500.00 48,476.19	(r.)	. 53, 314.50	exercit The second	1,854.00
Call.Co. Comm. Prec. #4 Money Market Dep. Acct.	106,813.94	738.06 (1	int.)	29,500.00 (	Tr.)	78,052.00
Call.Co. Comm. Prec. #4 Certificate of Deposit	50,000.00	.00		.00		50,000.00
Call.Co. General Fund	77,956.66	250,816.23 279,382.18 530,198.41 (T	(r.)	344,369.82 239,843.70 584,213.52	Tr.)	23,941.55
Call.Co. General Fund Money Market Dep. Acct.	292,725.85	1,789.29 (1	int.)	50,000.00 (	Tr.)	244,515.14
Hospital Money Market Dep. Acct.	11,735.41	89.08 (I	nt.)	.00		11,824.49
Unemployment Money Market Dep. Acct.	3,205.05	25.24 (1 2,000.00 (T 2,025.24		1,637.60		3,592.69
Indigent Health Care	13,042.93	84,915.71		95,246.70		2,711.94
Indigent Health Care Money Market Dep. Acct.	45,199.29	370.66 (I 69,053.00 (T 69,423.66		298.86 50,000.00 50,298.86	Tr.)	64,324.09

MINUTES OF CALLAHAN COUNTY FINANCES

TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE PERIOD

Beginning on the 1st. day of October A.D. 1993

Ending on the 31st day of December A.D. 1993

OPERATING FUNDS	BALANCE	RECEIVED THIS QUARTER	PAID OUT THIS QUARTER
Historical Commission Money Market Dep. Acct.	3,196.32	22.71 (Int.) 340.00 362.71	.00
Historical Commission Certificate of Deposit	7,500.00	.00	.00
TOTAL OPERATING FUNDS	1,124,142.57	725,282.47 497,435.18 (Tr.) 5,851.91 (Int.) 1,228,569.56	986,952.8 <b>7</b> 486,843.70 (Tr.) 1,473,796.57
None None			
BONDED INDEBTEDNESS			

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS THE 24th DAY OF January 1994 .

CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS.

MINUTES	OF	COUNTY	FINANCES
TR	EASI	IRER'S REPO	RT

THE STATE OF TEXAS	BE IT REMEMBERED, that at a regu	llar Quarterly exhant? .qidenoiqu
County of Callahan	Term of the Commissioners Court of	Callahan
County, Texas, was held at the Court Hou	use of said County in Callah	inn ,
on the -24th	day ofJanuary	Λ. D. 19 <u>94</u>
Present and presiding, the Honorable	Bill Johnson	County Judge:
Harold Hicks		H. Lowell Johnson
Com'r Prec't No. 2: Tommy Holland	Com'r Prec't No. 3:	e Ingram
Com'r Prec't No. 4: and Darlene	Malker Clerk: Eddie Cu	rtisSheriff:
when the following proceedings among	others were had, to-wit:	A SOME THE RESERVE A
ASSESSMENT OF THE PARTY OF THE		
No. ORDER APP	ROVING*ACCOUNT O	OF COUNTY TREASURER
In the matter of the Quarterly Re	port ) IN THE COMMISS	IONERS COURT
of Dora Hounshell Treas	urer Callahan	County, Texas.
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\_\_County, Texas. January 24 Term A.D. 1994\_ On this 24th day of January A.D. 19 94 in Regular Bi-Monthly Session of the Commissioners Court of said County, came on for examination the Quarterly Treasurer of said County, for the Dora Hounshell Report of A.D. 19 93 and period beginning on the 1st day of October ending on the 31st day of December herein on the 24th A.D. 19 94, and the same having been compared and examined by the Court, and found correct. It is therefore Ordered by the Court that the same be and is hereby approved: And it appearing to the Court that during said time the said County Treasurer had received for account and credit of, and paid out of each of the several County Funds, the amounts set forth, and leaving a balance to each of said Funds as reflected in said report which follows, and becomes a part hereof; and that said amounts were received and paid out of each of the respective funds since the filing of the preceding report of said County Treasurer, and during the period above stated, and that the said separate amounts as therein shown are correct.

IT IS THEREFORE, FURTHER ORDERED by the Court, that the said detailed report be, and the same is hereby, in all things approved, and the clerk of this Court is hereby ordered to file this said report, together with this order, in a Record Binder provided for the Minutes of County Finances of the Commissioners Court of this County, and that proper credits be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer in accordance with

rder.			
Vitness our Hands, this 2	4th day of	January .	A.D. 19 <u>94</u> .
	124	Mun-	County Judge,
	Muslel	Sistes	Com'r Prec't No. 1.
	Nowell to	huron	Com'r Prec't No. 2.
	Jamole	Holls	Com'r Prec't No. 3.
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. Monthly or Quarterly.

None

BALANCE

3,559.03

7,500.00

878,915.56

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Thanks so much for all the flowers cards, phone calls, and visits while Bobby was in the hospital. Your prayers meant so much to us. God did answer our prayers.

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TO: Michael Wayne Kincaid and to all whom it may concern, Respondent,

"You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of twenty days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you"

The petition of Beverly Jean Kincaid, Petitioner, was filed in the Court of Callahan County, Texas, on the 24th day of January 1994, against Michael Wayne Kincaid, Respondent, number 16,244 and entitled "In the Matter of Marriage of Beverly Jean Kincaid and Michael Wayne Kincaid'. The suit requests

Petitioner requests divorce and decree such other relief requested in petition. Petitioner requests upon final hearing that her name be changed from Beverly Jean Kincaid to Beverly Jean Cason. Petitioner believes Petitioner and Respondent will enter into an agreement for the division of their estate. If such agreement is made said Petitioner requests the Court to approve said agreement. If such agreement is not made, Petitioner requests the Court to order a division of their estate in a manner that the Court deems just and right, as provided by law.

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.

Issued and given under my hand and Seal of said Court at Baird, Texas, this the 25th day of January A.D. 1995.

Attest: Cubelle L. Harris, Clerk, of the 42nd District Court, Callahan County, Texas.

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By PAUNIECE OGLESBY

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Working families with wages between \$5,400 and \$13,000 can qualify for a credit of at least \$1,000. There is also additional credit of up to \$321 for a child born in 1993 and another for help to buy health insurance.

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the back room on all remaining goods. The following is a partial list only.

Furniture: more than 50 items including Duncan Physe loveseat; 1800's 8 drawer chest; footed cedar chest; ice cream chairs; Mission oak dining table w/5 chairs; cane back sofa; walnut pedestals; QU parlor choir; oak hat rack; (2) maple bedroom suites; nice occasional tables; sewing machine; several primitive cabinets and much more.

Fine hand painted porcelain and china: a very nice and extensive collection containing more than 75 pieces of assorted Bavaria; Czechoslovakia; Prussia; Nippon; Royal Rochester; Lenox; Noritake; Meakin; Lefton; Haviland and Occupied Japan

Plenty of nice Glassware: more than 75 pieces of quality pink, green and clear assorted depression glass; cut crystal stemware; numerous Smith items; art glass and much more. any Quality Ceramics: Weller #12/-8; Hull #11-8; Royal Copley pitcher; (2) 24" Art Nouveau statuettes; 20 pieces of assorted Fiesta tableware; Jewel T bowls; Oven Serve; Royal Doulton Toby mugs; Royal Rochester coffee service and much more.

Large assortment of extra nice collectibles including: walnut case 1920's "Coca-Cola" 8 day wall clock; "Coca-Cola" wall thermometer dated 1923; (6) quilts; (3) quilt tops; (40+) original paintings; unusual sword; trunks; hatpins; beaded purse; various silverplate serves; buttons; linens of all sorts; lots of nice costume jewelry; several pieces of Wagner Ware; cast iron washpot; cowboy coffee pot and dinnerware; crocks ncluding #3 whiskey jug & #6 crock; wagon seat; cast iron/porcelain pedestal lavatory and much more.

Miscellaneous: like new appliances including refrigerator, Frigidaire frost free upright freezer, (3) Amana air conditioners and (2) Dearborn heaters with thermostats; lawnmower; like new roto tiller; really nice old Chambers gas range; (2) Persian rugs; aluminum BBQ; linens of all varieties; large collection of cookbooks; cookware; lawn & garden tools; metal lawn chairs and much, much more.

Auctioneer's note: We moved in everything that was contained in a house, attic, garage, storm cellar and well house. Our entire auction house is full both front and back. We will be selling many flats and box & contests. Don't miss this exceptional auction.

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February 3, 1994



WELCOME HOME- Newborn Ryder Hoyt Foster with sisters, Hayli and



#### RYDER HOYT FOSTER

Hayli and Emily Foster are proud to announce the arrival of their baby brother, Ryder Hoyt, on January 23, 1994 at 7:16 A.M. Ryder weighed 9 pounds 11 ounces, and was 22 1/2 inches long.

Proud parents are Hoyt and Tonjia Foster of Granbury. Maternal grandmother is Estalee Potter of Cross Plains. Paternal grandparents are Mac Foster of Cross Plains and Bonnie Kribbs of Pecos. Paternal great-grandmother is Emily Gray Foster of Cross Plains.

By LINDA EDINGTON

The residents were amazed when they

looked out the windows and saw the

ground covered with snow. Several

commented on how pretty it looked and

others wondered how cold it was. June Culvahouse asked where the sled was.

She believes that during the time she was

growing up kids had more fun in the snow

We extend our love and sincere sym-

Thoughts and prayers for Joyce

Strickland and Lizzie Burks who are in

Our appreciation to Joyce McCoy for

the beautiful basket of flowers, and to

Randy and Mattie Faye Wilson for the

Janet Purvis from Cottonwood visited

Ruth Joy, Mildred Ford and Bertha

Farrell and Carol Stephens visited Ze-

novia Strickland, Minnie Dallas, Nettie

Clark, Leila Montgomery, Elsie Porter

Baird and Jake Joy visited with Ruth Joy.

Opal Gray visited with Lona Milner and

Earlene Hughes from Baird, Brooks

and Pat Hill from San Angelo visited with

Allison McGowen, Tamara Hutton and

MONDAY: Bingo winners were Elsie

Porter (2), Vera Belyeu (2), Mildred

Ford, Sylvia Smith, Dorothy Thomas (2),

Leila Montgomery, Bertha Wheeler,

Midge McCall and A.B. Rowan. Exer-

TUESDAY: Art class and popcorn.

WEDNESDAY: Sing-a-long with

THURSDAY: Bingo winnners were

Mildred Ford (2) Vera Belyeu, Ressa

Glover, Dorothy Thomas (2), Bertha

Wheeler, Leila Montgomery, Zenovia

FRIDAY: Linen folding. Afternoon

Sally Roady, Vernie McMillan and Ruby

McCowen. Exercise class.

Strickland and A.B. Rowan.

Gene Dillard visted with everyone.

Activities during the week:

Bible quotation calendars.

pathy to the family of Virgie Eager.

than they do now.

the hospital.

visiting.

and Mildred Ford.

A.B. Rowan.

Elsie Porter.

cise class.

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## **Barrel Racers** "Saddle Up" For '94

It's not too late to join the West Texas Barrel Racing Association! W.T.B.R.A. membership area includes the large portion of Texas west of a line from Nocona to Del Rio. Each year members earning the most points are awarded an array of fabulous prizes including saddles, bridles, breastcollars, buckles and othe horse and rider gear.

Year-end awards are given in the following categories: Open, Jackpot, Juniors, 8 and Under, 45 and Over, \$1000 Novice and \$500 Novice. For membership information contact the secretary, Barbie York, at (915) 453-2919, or write P. O. Box 196, Robert Lee, Texas 76945. Membership is not required to participate in W.T.B.R.A. jackpots.

Several jackpots have already been scheduled for this year. They are Feb. 2 -Abilene, Horsebarn; Feb. 10 and 11 -Abilene, Horsebarn; Feb. 12 and 13 -Abilene Horsebarn - West Texas Futurity - BFA Approved - Late entries accepted until Feb.1.; Feb. 20 - Sterling City; March 11- 13 Abilene, WTBRA Extravaganza, EXPO Center Abilene; March 26 - San Angelo; April 23 - San Angelo; May 7, 14, and 21 - Paducah.

singing with Sister Ruby and Bobby Jack

SUNDAY: Church service with

Winter is on my head but spring is in my



MRS. ALAINA SMOOT VOGLER ...weds Dan Edward Vogler Saturday, January 22, 1994

## Smoot-Vogler Weds January 22

Alaina Smoot and Dan Edward Vogler were married Saturday January 22, 1994 at 7:00 p.m. at Highway 36 Church of Christ. Dr. Edwin B. Headrick, special friend of the bride and groom officiated. Alaina is the daughter of Bill and Judy

Smoot of Oplin. Dan is the son of Dwain and Volene Vogler of Abilene.

Candilyn Smith was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Tammie King, sister of the bride, and Karen Vogler, sister of the groom. Junior bridesmaid was April

Cary Clark was best man. Tony Smoot, the bride's brother, and Donny Vogler, brother of the groom, were groomsmen. Rusty and Doug Smoot were candlelighters. Kara King was flower girl. Tanner Vogler was ring bearer. Ushers were Johnny Smoot and Garry Smoot, the brides brother, Monty Vogler brother of the groom and Brian King, brother-in-law of the bride.

The bride graduated from Eula High School and attended Cisco Junior College. She is employed by Conley Printing Company.

The bridegroom graduated from Wylie High School and is employed by Williams Surveying Company.

The couple will live in Abilene.

## **First Monday** Seminar, February 7

The Pastoral Care and Counseling Center will present First Monday seminar on February 7.

Ray Sibert, staff therapist, will present an hour-long seminar entitled "Managing Personality Conflicts" which will begin at 7 p.m. in the conference room at

the Pastoral Care and Counseling Center, 1317 North 8th Street, Abilene, and is free to the public.

For more information call (915) 672-

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MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

The snow all over was a surprise to me this Monday morning, since it was 'all over everywhere' when I arose after Wheeler. Virginia Callaway was also seven. But it is beautiful out there. I do appreciate our friend, Jimmielee for his bringing my Abilene paper up to the

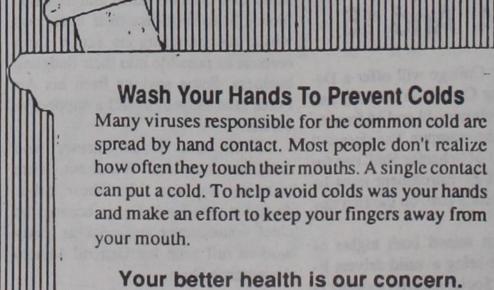
Services at First Baptist were interesting and a bit unusual. There were ten Billie Mayfield and Zora Bryant visited empty pews at the morning service. Our dear Lord and our Pastor deserve better Claudell Joy, Will and Diane Green of devotion than that.

I appreciate my good neighbor, Sally Roady. I enjoy my chats with her. Bless her heart, she has been suffering with a headache for quite some time. She was a little better this morning. Their children, Cindy, Jim, Charlie, and Allison visited them often this past week. Their son, Joe, of Brownwood, Art and Bertie Roady of Abilene, and Billie Freeman of Cross Plains called them on the telephone.

Ms. Jewel Foster asked me not to call her every week. I know she is okay, and that is the most important news. I'm glad her kids live nearby and keep a close check on her. She didn't answer her telephone this morning. The Begg's family doesn't answer this morning. She was in Church on Sunday.

I was glad that 'Grandma's Cowboys' won their game on Sunday. They did a

My editor assures me that someone will come out her to pick up this scrip. I don't dare try to drive out on that frozen highFood Plaza 66 Weekly Deli Special **BARBECUE BEEF SANDWICHES** Come On Down And Try Some!



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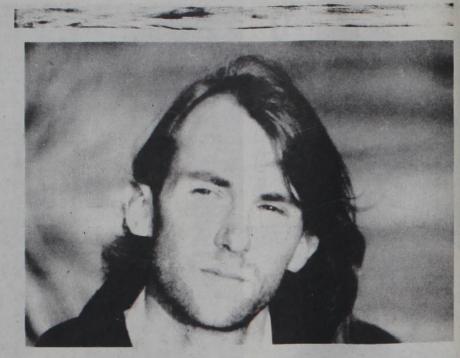
### C.J.C Offers Defensive **Driving Course** Feb. 14 And 16

Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course on Monday and Wednesday, February 14 and 16 from 6-9 p.m. at the Cisco campus. The class will meet in room 3 of Schaefer Hall. Fee for the course is \$20. Enrollment must be paid no later than 3 p.m. on the first day

Students must attend both nights of class and must bring a valid drivers license to class. Social security number is needed for all forms.

Cisco Junior College is an agency of the Texas Safety Association - extension registration number CO228-199 - TEA

For more information contact Charlotte Nix Speegle at (817)442-2567, extension



CRAIG ALAN TAYLOR

## Locally Know Man To Appear In TV Series

Craig Alan Taylor has been interested in acting for years, but has committed the past two years to pursuing an acting career. Currently he attends acting instructions in Dallas. His namesakes, James Craig and Alan Ladd's acting standards have inspired him.

Singing and entertaining since the early 80's, he currently has his own band.

Taylor was a western dancer in the "If I Had a Cheatin Heart" video and appears on "Hot Spots". These are a few of his

accomplishments since he performed at the Jeremy Tennison Benefit in Cross path.

Look for Craig on the "Walker, Texas Ranger" television series February 5 and 12 featuring Chuck Norris. He has been filmed in some scenes with Norris.

Craig is the son of Jack C. Taylor who lives south of Cross Plains on the Brownwood Highway. His step-mother, Freida Taylor, also encourages him in his acting endeavor.



## J & B Farms Named As **Outstanding Wheat Farm In Texas**

J & B Farms, operated by Jack Farmer and Bryan Farmer, was selected as Outstanding Wheat Farm in Texas by the Fort Worth Star Telegram Farm and Ranch Awards Program. They were honored at a banquet Friday, January 28, at the Southwestern Exposition and Livestock Show. Dallas Smith, ASCS representative from Washington D.C., was the speaker.

Each year the Fort Worth Star Telegram gives honors in 26 different categories ranging from beef cattle, fish farming and cotton to rice, apiculture, club show calves, sheep, wheat, melons, pecans, trees/timber and greenhouse/ nursery plants.

These awards honor farmers and ranchers for their hard work, never-saydie spirit, creativity, reasonable financial success and efforts to protect their environment while making a

CLYDE -Jack and Bryan Farmer routinely harvest nearly twice their region's average yield for wheat production on nonirrigated acerage.

There are few, if any, better farmers of dryland wheat in the state.

The superlatives about the Farmers came from agricultural specialists, an agribusinessman and a neighboring farmer in Callahan County, nearby Abilene and other areas.

Farming on a lease near here since 1946, Jack and Betty Farmer began with 100 acres of wheat and 50 acres of

Like many farmers, Jack had grown up on a farm, and he and Betty leased some land from his father and took offfarm jobs to subsidize their livelihood while rechanneling as much farm revenue as possible into their fledgling business. Some savings from his Air Force stint helped, as did a supportive

Their son, Bryan Farmer, and daughter, now Jan Windham, were plowing by age 12. Their other daughter, now Susan Davis, became the chief housekeeper and cook as Betty worked full time for General Motors Acceptance Corp.

While still running the farm, Jack began part time and later went full time with the Agriculture Department's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Now Jack and Bryan are farming and ranching about 1,350 acres, including 700 acres in wheat, 150 in hay, 60 in

grain sorghum and the rest in cattle pastures. They lease nearly 900 acres

The peak total has been about 1,700 acres. They cut back on leased acreage so they wouldn't need to hire extra help and deal with expensive insurance for employees, says Bryan Farmer, 37.

Jack, 69, and Bryan also custom-farm wheat on about 350 acres for other area landowners. They've been customfertilizing other farmers' land for more than 10 years.

The Farmers run about 50 cows for beef calf production, but also graze more cattle for other producers. Jack and Bryan don't risk debt or captial by buying the stocker calves for winter grazing. Rather they contract with the stockers' owners at an average fee of about 25 cents a pound of winter gain.

Jack and Bryan merged their separate farming operations into J & B Farms in 1977, after Bryan graduated from Cisco Junior College.

Bryan, at age 15, had begun farming separately, raising wheat, grain sorghum and calves on 150 acres with 10 cows. When he graduated from high school, he was farming 240 acres of wheat and pastures for more cattle and baling hay for other farmers across the

Tom B. Farmer, 12, Bryan's son, is following in his dad's footsteps. As tractor driver at harvest, he pulls the grain buggies to catch the wheat flowing out the continuously moving combine. He also plows and hauls hay.

He and his sister, Jackie Farmer, 9, show pigs, lambs or steers.

Kim Farmer, their mother, took an area bank job for extra family income. Like Betty, Kim has also driven farm trucks to haul harvested crops.

Jack's intense drive for production efficiency began in the early 1950's. Long before the tools were available commercially, Jack had built his own subsoil-ripping plow to loosen root paths to 18-inch depths.

In an area without irrigation, those long, narrow plow shanks broke compacted subsoils. That allowed rainfall to seep deeper and wheat and cotton roots to easily spread deeper to retrieve more moisture during the legendary '50's drought.

Jack rigged the new plow to flow fertilizer right behind the ripper shanks. That coaxed crop roots deeper to reach the nutrients. He was among the first

#### SABANNO BUSY BEE QUILTERS CLUB NEWS

By BEVERLY POPE

It was a very nice day to quilt and to get back to quilting like I love. I miss all my

Busy Bee friends. There wasn't much news this time.

Queen Bee, Shirley Snodgrass and Busy Bee Dee Harrell did go to Abilene Monday. They visited with Ike and Penny Neal before her surgery. Let's all continue to pray for her during this recovering process, that the Lord give her a speedy and thorough recovery. He desires us to have an abundant life.

We worked on a pay quilt, really getting close to having it finished. The we got started on my quilt. I'm quilting it in memory of my 94 year old grandmother that went home to the Lord last year. It's a handkerchief quilt on blocks of pastel pink and orchid (her favorite colors).

Thought Proverbs 3:5,6 Trust in the Lord with all your heart, lean not to your own understanding. Acknowledge Him in all your ways, and He'll direct your

### Cemetery Cleaning

Foul weather last Saturday again caused postponement of the scheduled cleaning of the old Zion Hill Cemetery. This time it is reset for Saturday. February 5, at 9:30 a.m. Although Tuesday's forecast for Saturday, the 5th, is marginal, we will inspect the pasture road Friday morning to see if it is adequately dry. Then about midafternoon Friday the latest forecast will be reviewed and again a "go--no go" decision will be made.

The Callahan County Historical Commission, sponsor of the cleanup, will furnish a warm light lunch. The public is invited to participate. Gloves and heavy shoes or boots are recommended. Bring the usual hoes, rakes, chain saws, etc.

If you plan to attend, please get your name on the list for lunch by calling the Cleanup Chairmen, Hugh Shrader or Russell Chatham, by about noon on Friday. Telephone numbers in Baird: 915-854-1815 or 915-854-1271. Call these same numbers to confirm any postponement, if the weather doesn't make it obvious to you.

(In case you wonder why we don't postpone the Zion Hill cleanup until the warm weather of spring, we have been warned by those quite familiar with the land and the area that if we do, our work may well be disputed by some of nature's creatures of the reptilian



The Morning Glory opens in the morning, but closes in the sunlight later in the day.



patent was granted to George B. Selden in 1895.

wheat growers in the area to fertilize the

Jack says their farm still had some crop losses but never an across-theboard disaster during the '50s.

Since beginning, the Farmers have seen some tight profit margins, several break-even years, but no more that two net-loss years.

By the late '60s and early, '70s, Jack was trying the new influx of wheat hybrids. Starting with his own independent experiments, he has devoted annual test plots and kept performance records for more than 20 years of trials on debuting wheat

His average wheat yields leaped from about 12 busahels an acre to 30 to 35 bushels an acre in the '60s. Jack dropped cotton in '71.

By the '80s, their dryland wheat yields were averaging 44 to 49 bushels an acre, stemming from new crop varieties and increasingly honed skills. For the '90s, the average is already topping 50 bushels an acre and is headed toward 60. Parts of this article was reprinted from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Sunday, January 30, 1994.

#### - Cross Plains Review

**Greetings From** Senior Citizens Of Cross Plains

By THELMA LONG

Everything keeps moving along at the Center, with the usual good meals and visiting with friends and neighbors.

We have so many sick among us. It will be hard to mention without leaving some

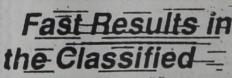
Dick Dillard has been having problems with some time in the hospital. Hang in there, Dick. We are pulling for you. Zenovia Strickland, who used to meet with us regularly, has spent some time in the hospital. Clyde Linker hasn't been here in some time. He is under the care of his doctor, but has been able to play some dominoes with his friends. Your reporter has had her head under her wing for several days.

Our sympathy to Ophelia Lawson who lost her daughter. We are all sad of the loss of our young friend Scott Cheshier. Our heartfelt sympathy to this family.

We are all dearly concerned about Penny and Ike Neal. Let's remember all in our prayers.

Our friend, Paula, moved from Cross Plains to a Retirement Center near her daughter. We will miss her, but hope she finds happiness and contentment in her new home.

The rains have been nice and much needed, but won't it be good to see the sunshine again. Stay happy...



## **PIONEER** THIS WEEK

February 3, 1994

By BARBARA POWELL

Nell Fleming had visits from Wanda Faye and Alvin Flippin last Saturday afternoon. Jo Veda Watson from Byrd's Store spent the afternoon Wednesday. We really enjoyed a visit from Nell one afternoon this week.

The club had good attendance at quilting this last Tuesday, Lou Grider's Shoo Fly II came out of the frames. Nell Fleming put in a beautiful Dresden Plate. We are still working on the two outside pays for Fannie Dowell and Doris Grider.

We are enjoying the beautiful snow. Michael and I went out and played. Michael had the opportunity to feel the falling snow on his face and hands. He couldn't describe how it tasted. He doesn't have gloves so our outing didn't

How about them Cowboys? That was quite a game. Wouldn't it be great if they can repeat next year? But Super Bowl Champs twice in a row isn't bad.

## **Masonic Lodge Meets Tonight**

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## First National Bank Purchases Second Oldest Bank In Texas At Weatherford

First Baird Bancshares, Inc. has acquired controlling interest in the second oldest national bank in Texas," said Doyle Robertson, President of First Baird Bancsharcs.

"The Baird-based company, which also owns The First National Bank of Baird with a branch bank in Clyde, purchased Parker County Baneshares, Inc. and its subsidiaries, including The First National Bank of Weatherford," Robertson said.

First National Bank of Weatherford received a national charter on May 15, 1880, making it the second oldest national bank in Texas. First National Bank of Baird was chartered January 13, 1885, and is the tenth oldest national bank in the state.

"It is an honor to be associated with two of the oldest banks in Texas," Robertson said. "They have survived through the good and bad times. They were both around during the Great Depression as well as the boom and bust' days of the 1980's. Both banks are well capitalized and have strong management which gives them the ability to serve their communities well," he said. "Obviously these banks have been able to change with the times and have served their communities well, otherwise they would not have

"The First National Bank of Baird received the Bauer Financial Services highest rating for the last 18 consecutive quarters," Robertson said. "The bank's strong capital, consistent earnings and overall condition earned the Bauer Five Star Rating," he said.

Robertson stated that First Baird Bancshares is pleased to be associated with the newly-acquired 113-year-old Parker County financial institution.

First Baird Bancshares, and its affiliates have approximately \$140 million in total resources. The Federal Reserve System has reviewed First Baird's purchase of First National Bank of Weatherford and approved the acquisition based on First Baird's financial strength, earnings and management team.

"It is refreshing to see that two of the oldest banks in Texas are still independently owned and wellcapitalized," he said.

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"Designing Your Mail for Optimum Service" will be held on Tuesday, February 8, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Lubbock. The participants will learn ways to obtain a more consistent delivery, improve return deliver on business and courtesy reply mail, improve efficiency and performance, and reduce costs by qualifying for the latest automation discounts.

In "Marketing with Direct Mail" from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Wednesday, February 9 in Fort Worth, participants will learn when and how to use direct mail marketing, how to integrate it into their total marketing mix, how to design a mail piece that gets response, how to choose and obtain mailing lists, and other aspects of planning and carrying through a direct mail program.

Advance registration is required, because enrollment is limited to thirty-five participants in order to permit individual concerns to be addressed. Attendees are encouraged to bring samples of their mailing pieces for a free evaluation. The cost for "Marketing with Direct Mail" is \$150, including all class materials, luncheon, and Continuing Education credit. "Designing Your Mail" is \$75 and includes all class materials and Continuing Education credit. There are discounts for businesses sending more than one person to a single seminar. Further information is available by calling toll-free 800-877-7843.

These seminars are part of a sevenyear-old, nation-wide program developed by the Postal Service in response to customers' requests. A copy of the free catalog of all seminars, dates, and locations may be obtained by calling 800-877-7843 or by writing to the Mailer Education Center<sup>TM</sup>, P.O. Box 836, Windsor, CT 06006-0836.

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## **BURKETT NEWS**

By LOVERA STRICKLAND

The Burkett area received a nice rain last week. The official measure was one and one-half inch of rain over all.

La Quita Day and Phil Massey were united in marriage January 23, 1994 at Maranatha Church in Brownwood. Joe Everett Burkett officiated the ceremony. Jimmie Beau Burkett, father of the bride, prayed a blessing on the union.

The bride was given in marriage by her son, Dustin Day. The bride sang a special love song. The groom and bride each read a statement of love and commitment. A reception followed the wedding in the recreation-reception room of the church.

Billy Paul Golson is in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. Joyce Strickland is in the Brownwood Regional Hospital and there are others in the community that are sick. We hope they are better real soon.

Buck Bludwoth of Henderson is visiting W.B. Bludworth, Lucille Gould, and

others in the community. LeRoy Walker from Colorado Springs, Colorado has been here visiting his brothers, Andrew Walker and Bill Walker and their families, also visited with his sister-in-law, Melba Walker, and his sister Annie Merle Trent in Coleman. While LeRoy was here, the families got together several times and ate out, then had a nice trip together to the musical at Cottonwood on Friday night.

Sunday, January 30 was Fifth Sunday Dinner at Baptist Church with Brother Wright Price and the members. Ladies Bible Study is every Tuesday

morning at 9:00 a.m. at Yuna V. Burkett home. We'd love to have anyone who would like to study God's word to join us. Jimmy Martin, oldest son of Ray and Lucille Martin, is in the hospital in Fort Worth. He suffered a bad heart attack.

Those visiting Phil and Tiny Newman were Albert Newman, Phil's son of Flagstaff, Arizona, and John Goodrich, their grandson from Eden.

We wish him a speedy recovery.

Bob and Beth Kleiber are the proud grandparents of a little granddaughter, Alice Rose McKinney. Her parents are Matt and Emma McKinney of Novice.

Visiting Bob and Beth Kleiber during the weekend were Steve Kleiber of San Angelo, and Dawn and Cody Hill of San

Montie Jennings has a new greatgranddaughter, Hanna Elizabeth Hutchins. Jeff and Laura Hutchins are her parents and Glenda and Elvin Hutchins of Bangs are her grandparents. Hanna has one older brother, Harrison.

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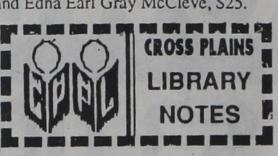
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