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Down Home

EDITOR'S NOTE: Jo Boatright called in a touching poem her daughter, Peggy Hilburn, wrote at age 9 about her feelings on Easter. She noted that most of the children wrote about bunny rabbits and chickens, etc. Peggy captured the true meaning of Easter. **HAPPY EASTER TO YOU ALL!** Vanda King

At Easter Time

By PEGGY HILBURN

Some people think of Easter as a day that comes and goes,
But I know and think of Easter because that was the day Christ arose.
He died for all of our sins and made the blind to see.
But I know and thank the Lord for what he's done for me.
So you go to your church and I'll go to mine,
But we'll all walk together at Easter time.

Good Friday Services Announced

The First United Methodist Church will hold Good Friday services at 7:30 p.m. Friday evening, April 13. Everybody is warmly invited to this very unique and inspirational Tenebrae Service — an adaptation of the ancient Shadow Service in which gradually extinguishing candles symbolize the fading light of the world.

Through the use of songs, scripture and interpretive readings, those present will be led to identify with each Disciple as his candle is lit, symbolizing his being called to serve. Undoubtedly, the congregation will also identify with the Disciples as their candles are extinguished when they deny Christ in his final hours.

The service will end in near darkness and absolute silence as each person leaves meditating on the message and desiring to be witness to the empty tomb on Easter morning.

DQ Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 14

The Dairy Queen at Cross Plains is holding its Annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 14, behind the Dairy Queen at 10 a.m.

Age groups include 0-2 years; 3-4 years; 5-6 years; 7-8 years; and 9-10 years. Prizes will be given in each division for the most eggs found.

A very special guest, Bart Bunny, will be present to greet the children and take photos for your Easter memories. Photos will be available for \$2 each.

Bring your Easter baskets and come on down to the big egg hunt!!!

Blue Boys And Green Girls Team Finish In 1st In Pee Wee Basketball

After three weekends of ball games and many practice sessions 1990 Pee Wee Basketball Season was finalized last Saturday night. A large crowd of parents, grandparents, great-grandparents, and other well wishers watched the youthful athletes play their very best.

The Green Girls Team captured the Championship with six wins. The Blue Boys Team came in 2nd Place followed by the Gold Team in 3rd and Red in 4th.

The Champion Boys Team was won by the Blue Boys Team with six wins. The Gold Boys came in 2nd Place with the Red Team in 3rd Place and the Green Team in 4th.

A picture of the Red Boys Team which won 3rd place was unavailable. Team members were presented trophies following the last game. Scores of all the games are listed below:

March 23

Red Girls vs. Green Girls — 4-14.
Green Boys vs. Gold Boys — 14-33.
Blue Girls vs. Gold Girls — 20-8.
Blue Boys vs. Red Boys — 29-10.

March 24

Gold Boys vs. Red Boys — 14-18.
Gold Girls vs. Red Girls — 8-2.
Green Boys vs. Blue Boys — 12-30.
Green Girls vs. Blue Girls — 16-2.

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CHAMPIONS GIRLS GREEN TEAM — Amanda Dillard (front row, from left), Ashley Beggs, and Nikki Beggs; Candice Eppard (second row), Ashley French, and Jaonna Harris;

Barbara Dillard (third row), Edith Beggs, and Pat French. (Jill Potter not available for picture.) Photos Courtesy of Leah King.



3RD PLACE GIRLS GOLD TEAM — Coach Pam Hutton (back row, from left), Jennifer Hogan, Shanna Hutton, Rachelle Van Zandt, and Coach

Frances Varr Zandt; Jessica Childers (front row, from left), Elizabeth McCarty, Carie Renfro, JaDeana Nolan, and Brandy Hutton.



CHAMPIONS BOYS BLUE TEAM — Leif Hunter (front row, from left), Jarad Richards, John Chesshir, and Nick Graves; Ben Childers (second

row), Matt McGowen, Zack Edington, and Joseph Turner; Monty Richards (third row), Hugo Mauricio, Sean Jones, and Greg Turner.



2ND PLACE BOYS GOLD TEAM — Coach Johnny House (back, from left), Cory Switzer, Jeremy Barnett, and Coach Peggy Brame; Carlton Thomas (second row, from left), Kevin Nickerson, Calley Conner, and

Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control Sponsors Benefit Supper

The Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control is celebrating its 2nd anniversary with a Mexican supper on Saturday, April 14, at 6 p.m. There will be music by some members of the Cross Plains band.

The Prize Walk will follow, featuring homebaked goods. Price is \$5 per person and 25 cents per walk for baked goods.

Freshmen Class Bake Sale April 13

The Freshmen Class will hold a bake sale on Friday, April 13, from 9 a.m. til noon at the Food Plaza, Neal Drug, and Village Market.



2ND PLACE GIRLS BLUE TEAM — Coach Joe Besselaar (top row, from left), Donna Besselaar, Crystal Davis,

Johnson Defeats Herod For Democratic Judge Candidate

Baird rancher Bill Johnson increased his margin of victory of Clyde C.P.A. Jon Herod in the Democratic Party Run-Off Election for county judge, held Tuesday, April 10.

Johnson won the Democratic nomination for county judge by defeating Herod in the run-off election, 1,381 to 894 votes. Johnson only defeated Herod 781 to 639 in the March 13 Democratic Primary Election.

Herod won both Clyde boxes in the run-off election, but won both by a slight margin.

Johnson won the nomination for judge by defeating Herod easily in the other six precinct boxes. Johnson won the Baird box by over a 4-1 margin.

Johnson will now face the Republican

nominee C.W. Van Der Linden in the November 6 General Election.

In the Clyde Precinct #8 box, Betty Brashear defeated Si Tucker for the precinct chairman position.

In the run-off election in Callahan County for the Democratic nomination for governor, Jim Mattox defeated Ann Richards 1,168 votes to 851.

For the Democratic nomination for state treasurer, Tom Bowden defeated Nikki Van Hightower 1,000 to 881 votes.

In the run-off election for Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2, Bob Gammage defeated Ross Sears, 1,493 to 441 votes.

For the Democratic nomination for Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1, Frank Maloney defeated Morris L. Overstreet 914 to 798 votes.

AARP Stew And Bake Sale Friday

If you enjoy good stew, the AARP members will be preparing lots of it to be served Friday evening, April 13, at the Multi-Purpose Center. Serving time begins at 4 p.m. Stew will sell for \$1.50 with drink. Desserts will be available for a small additional fee.

There will also be homemade pies and cakes for sale, so buy all your Easter baked goods from the AARP ladies.

Project Pride Bake Sale

Project Pride will hold a bake sale in conjunction with the Kiwanis Auction. Whole pies and cakes, as well as by the piece, will be sold on Saturday, April 21.

Scouts Hold Bake Sale

The Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts will have a bake sale at Village Market on Friday, April 13, from 9 a.m. until the goods are sold.

Let them do your baking for Easter!

Blood Drive April 19

The Senior Citizens are sponsoring a blood drive for the Meek Blood Bank in Abilene on Thursday, April 19, from 3-6 p.m. at the Cross Plains Community Center.

This is a chance to perform a worthwhile community service. All blood donated locally will be used by local residents when in need.

For all eligible donors, take 30 minutes or so of your afternoon and give a pint of blood.



4TH PLACE GIRLS RED TEAM — Coach Tammy Weiser (back row, from left), Kim Ratliff, Laramie Creacy, and Connie Stout; Jolena

Fleming (front row, from left), Amy Hale, Chandra Heath, Shila Creacy, team mascot.



4TH PLACE BOYS GREEN TEAM — Dusty Hinkle (front row, from left), Josh Goble, and James Chance; Tim Beason (second row), Craig Rogers, Sam Nixon, and Claren Sliger; Robert

Hutton (third row), Andrew Cosper, and Lee Wayne Wheeler; Jana Hinkle (back row), Leon and Terry Nixon. (Brandon Stover was unavailable for photo.)

COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT
Mack Kniffen, presiding

Misdemeanor Filing

Connie Elaine Wilkerson, DWI.

Misdemeanor Minutes

William Lee Bacon, 3 counts of harassment, \$500 fine each count, \$126.50 court costs each count, 6 months in jail probated for 6 months. Also must attend counseling and/or sex offender counseling as directed by probation department.

Bryan Wolf, speeding charge dismissed due to having completed the Defensive Driving Course.

Moses Flores, speeding charge dismissed; \$156.50 bond forfeited.

Michael Lance Byrd, reckless conduct, \$1,000 fine \$126.50 court costs.

William Curtis Snow, Sr., assault, \$300 fine \$126.50 court costs, 90 days in jail probated for 2 years.

Probations discharged on the following:

Jose Luis Vargas, Robert Hoyt Hobbs, Jana Lynn Hobbs, Clinton James Brown, Luther Grant Ketterman, Jr., Charles Robert Mitchell.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Vera Irene Nix and Raymond Joseph Powers of Cross Plains.

Parson Graduates Air Force Aircraft Maintenance Course

Airman Travis W. Parson has graduated from the U.S. Air Force aircraft maintenance course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas.

During the course, students were taught aircraft maintenance fundamentals to repair and service one- and two-engine jet aircraft. Maintenance management and documentation was also taught to assess aircraft readiness capability.

Graduates of the course earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Parson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer D. Parson of Rural Route 1, Rising Star, Texas.

NEW VEHICLES

R.G. Tharp, Cisco, Ford PU.
J.L. Rankin, Rising Star, Ford PU.
Crysti DeBusk, Clyde, Pont. 2 dr.
Price and Gladys Crawley, Ranger, Chev. 4 dr.

Patricia A. Vaughn, Ovalo, Pont. 2 dr.

David and Kayleen Rodriguez, Abilene, GMC Van.

C.W. Stocker III, Fort Worth, Chev. Sub.

Martha Girdner, Abilene, Chev. PU.

John B. Mills, Abilene, Chev. Van.

Bobbie L. Cox, Albany, Chev. 2 dr.

Sue Doak, Cisco, Chev. 4 dr.

David and Dorothy King, Abilene, Chev. PU.

Nestor and Sophie Adaoag, Abilene, GMC Housecar.

Jimmie Laurie, Robert Lee, GMC Housecar.

42ND DISTRICT COURT

Don Lane, presiding

Civil Filing

Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains, vs. J.T. Carson, default on note.

Civil Minutes

Maynard and Judy Gulley vs. Fleet Mortgage, etal, dismissed with prejudice.

Kristi Crutchfield vs. Eddie Wayne Bay and Gulf States Toyota, plaintiff to recover nothing. Defendants should recover \$9,185.10 from plaintiff. Intervenor Leslie John Rock and other Underwriters at Lloyds of London, should recover \$16,056.27. All court costs payable by plaintiff.

Musical At Coleman VFW Hall Friday Night, April 13

A country and western musical will be held at the VFW Hall in Coleman, formerly known as the West Ward School, on Friday night, April 13.

Concession stand will open at 6 p.m. and the musical will commence at 6:30 p.m. The public and all area musicians are invited to attend.

OBITUARIES

Addition To Carlos J. Swafford

Douglas Ingram's name was not included among the pallbearers at Carlos J. Swafford's services.

Joe D. Coats

Joe D. Coats, 69, died Sunday, April 8, in an Abilene hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Higginbotham Chapel with Wallace Bennett officiating. Burial was in Cottonwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Coats was born in Coryell County. She was a cook and waitress and a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband, Leonard Coats of Baird; two brothers, Cecil Fowler and John Fowler, both of Gatesville; a sister, Flay Latham of Gatesville; and many nieces and nephews.

Nephews served as pallbearers.

Lizzie Dae Stewart

Funeral services for Lizzie Dae Stewart, 82, of Killeen were held at 10 a.m. Thursday, April 5, at the Clements Chapel of First Baptist Church in Killeen with the Rev. Ken Adress officiating. Burial was at the Killeen Memorial Park.

Mrs. Stewart died Sunday in an Austin hospital.

She was born Oct. 26, 1907, in Lometa. She had been a resident of Killeen since 1955.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church, a past president of the Wednesday Review Club, a volunteer at Metroplex Hospital and a member of the W.G. Foster Sunday School Class.

She was preceded in death by her husband, A.W. Stewart, in January 1975.

Survivors include two sons, W.O. Stewart of Houston and Bob Stewart of Belton; two daughters, Barbara Wood of Austin and Elizabeth Nanz of Chicago; two sisters, Ladelle Drake of Houston and Anna Mae Whitmire of Houston; 10 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Florence Black

Florence Black, 68, died Friday at an Abilene hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Knox Waggoner officiating. Burial was in Atwell Cemetery.

Mrs. Black was born in Sabanno and was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband, Dwight Black of Cross Plains; a son, Loy Don Black of Winters; a daughter, Barbara Black of Cisco; a grandson, Kenyon Black of Winters; a niece and a nephew.

Pallbearers were Randy Foster, Freddy Tatom, B.F. Hutchins, Smokey Callaway, Pete Ware, and Bruce Williams.

CROSS PLAINS LIBRARY NOTES

"Never mistake knowledge for wisdom. One helps you make a living, the other helps you make a life." (Carey)

Recent Out-of-Town Guests: Meketi, Indian Artist, Chinle, AZ; Kevin Flavin, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Myren Wells, Ramona, CA.

Donations:

Books Donated: Wanda Merryman Tapes: Radio Shows on Tape — Lora Trimble.

Memorials:

Bill Johnson for Ethel Lawrence. Jack and Kathryn Tunnell for Mark Adair, Rufus Renfro, and Ethel Lawrence.

"Learn About..." Program: 23 children. Pre-school children learned about Project Pride. They will visit school on April 11.

Circulation: 226
C.P. Books: 210
Extension: 15
Interlibrary Loan: 1

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

APRIL 13
Dock Havener
Sue Oliver

Nancy Hester
Barbara Thefford
Kenneth Clyatt
Marie Brown
Mrs. E.E. Shelton
Clay Churchill
Ken Hunter
Garmond Parrish
Faye Hodnett Tucker
Ann Haun

APRIL 14
Rodney Smith
Michael Pancake
Mrs. Marvin Dickson
Mrs. Connie Rudloff
Kathleen C. Staffon
Burlie Simons
Gerald Foster
Hazel Miller

APRIL 15
Dale Gary
Lee Wayne Wheeler
Charlou R. Cowan
Mrs. Roxie Butler
Paul Simpson
Mrs. Duke Mitchell
Danny Lewis
Mac Hoyt Foster II

APRIL 16
Robbie D. Stephens
Clarence Wilson
Mrs. J.M. Apple
Robert Louis Newton
Bob Newton
John White
Claudie Beeler
Mrs. C.A. Stone
Belinda Kay Switzer
Mrs. Fannie Evans
Billy Gene Christensen
Darby Nichols
Ann Higginbottom
Pam Harris

APRIL 17
Sandra Golson
Mrs. O.L. LaBeff
Tracy Michelle Dillard
Brad Calhoun
O.P. Mercer
Glenn Champion, Jr.
Mrs. Ressie Browning
Mrs. Horace Crutchfield
Richard Ogden
Donna Lynn (King) Irby
Shannon Steele
Mrs. Linda Fortune

APRIL 18
Mrs. Homer Norris
Darvel Hutchins
Jean McFerrin
Marilyn Robinson
Linda Havener
Billie Jo Reeder
Wm. Emery Daniels

APRIL 19
Raymond Lynn Tatom
Dianne (Petty) Gunter
Ollie Allmond
Leigh Ann Belew
Mrs. Freeda Burkett
Mrs. Chester Arrington
Pam Hutton
Clara Tong
Gary Self
Kevin Cheshier

PERSONAL

Local visitors of Mrs. Suma Dill last week were Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Walker, Pearl Greenwood, Cora Howland, and Minnie Swann.

Out of town visitors were both of her sons and wives, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dill of Kingsland; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dill of Irving; Howard Shanks of Big Spring; and Gaylon Duggan of Rising Star.

Keep Eggs Safe For Easter Holidays

COLLEGE STATION — If you are planning a traditional Easter egg hunt in the next week or so, specialists with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service remind you to follow safe food-handling practices.

Like any other perishable product, eggs should be properly stored and cooked to prevent the growth of potentially harmful bacteria, such as Salmonella enteritidis, said nutritionist Dr. Mary Kinney Sweeten.

"While the risk of contracting salmonellosis from raw or undercooked eggs is extremely small, special precautions should be taken when preparing eggs for Easter or any time," Sweeten said.

Dr. James Denton, poultry marketing specialist, said cooked eggs do not contain salmonella. However, it's important not to recontaminate eggs after they've been cooked.

Here are a few tips for preparing eggs:

- Keep eggs refrigerated before preparation, and don't let them sit at room temperature for more than two hours before or after cooking.

- Eggs should be hard-boiled. Put eggs in cold tap water and bring them to a boil, turn off the heat and allow the eggs to cool for about 10 minutes. Salmonella is destroyed at a temperature of 142 degrees Fahrenheit. When you boil eggs, the temperature exceeds 200° F.

- When decorating eggs, use commercially available coloring kits or food coloring.

- Do not hide real eggs. Use plastic eggs or other items. Eggs left out in heat and moisture will be subject to contamination by bacterial organisms that could lead to food-borne illness.

Sweeten said leftover boiled eggs can be stored in the refrigerator for up to one week and can be used in all kinds of salads.

Eggs provide a wholesome source of such nutrients as protein, vitamin A, riboflavin, vitamin B-12, iron, zinc and phosphorus, she said. The dietary guidelines of most health organizations allow you to eat up to four eggs a week.

"Most nutritionists recommend that we eat at least one ounce of high-quality protein for breakfast each day," Sweeten said. "Poached eggs with hot cross buns would help make a delicious, nutritious breakfast during the Easter holidays."

The world's first commercial jet airliner was the Comet I. It was introduced in 1952.

MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

Two weeks ago this morning, I described our weather as one of the dreariest days of the year. I believe today will 'cap' that one by several degrees! It is so cold and wet out there!

The five-day revival at First Baptist was tremendous last week. Many decisions were made, for which we all are happy. My little neighbors, Cindy and Charlie, were baptized on Sunday morning.

One week ago today, I attended the AARP meeting. There was good attendance. We were entertained by gospel singers from the First Baptist Church. We love and appreciate them.

My sweet sister, Bernice Carter of Cisco, visited me last Saturday morning. I enjoyed so much her being here. She is a dear! She left with me a 'flyer' advertising Cisco's 17th Annual Folklore Festival, scheduled for April 21 and 22.

My good neighbor, David, brought me a new 'burn barrel' last week — then the rains came. I'll have to empty water from the barrel before I can burn my trash — no big deal!

I still have a 'truck load' of newspapers in my car. If someone doesn't take them off my hands, I'm going to have the 'darndest' bonfire out here you've ever seen!

J.T. and Betty Beggs were in Abilene on business a week ago on Monday. They attended the revival at First Baptist nearly every evening.

Jewel Foster is such a cheerful neighbor — I appreciate her so much! I asked her how she liked this weather — she said, 'It is surely better than a sandstorm!' She didn't have any special news for me.

Helen Tillotson was well and grateful this morning — no special news.

My best wishes are extended to all my neighbors and friends for a very lovely Easter weekend.

PERSONALS

Sunday visitors with Mrs. Claudia Mae Watkins were Don Watkins of Fairfield, Nancy Henderson of Fort Worth, and Keith and Sue Watkins of Eastland.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	
9TH & AVE. D	CROSS PLAINS
WORSHIP SERVICE.....	9:30 A.M.
BIBLE CLASS.....	10:30 A.M.
Jasper McClellan, Pastor	
<i>Everyone Welcome</i>	

BELIEVER'S FELLOWSHIP	
Undenominational — Evangelical	
East Highway 36	
Sunday School.....	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship.....	10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship.....	6:15 p.m.
Wednesday Night Family Bible Study.....	7:30 p.m.
Charlie Fortenberry, Pastor 725-6607	

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH	
10TH & MAIN	CROSS PLAINS (817) 725-7629
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.
Michael Hale, Pastor- 725-7556	

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH	
North Main at George Scott	
Cross Plains, Texas	
Sunday School.....	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....	10:45 a.m.
Youth Meet Sundays.....	7:00 p.m.
Choir Practice Wednesdays.....	8:30 p.m.
REV. KLEI QUESENBERRY, Pastor 725-7377	

COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH	
SERVICES: Sunday School 'WHERE JESUS IS LORD'	
Morning Worship.....	9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship.....	11:00 A.M.
Training Union & Youth Choir.....	6:00 P.M.
Evening Worship.....	7:00 P.M.
Wed. Evening Prayer Service.....	7:30 P.M.
Sunday Choir Practice.....	5:00 P.M.
Knox Waggoner, Pastor	

CHURCH OF CHRIST	
Located at 12th & Main	Cross Plains
COME WORSHIP WITH US WHERE CHRIST IS HONORED	
Sunday Morning Bible Class.....	9:45 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship.....	10:45 A.M.
Sunday Evening Worship.....	6:00 P.M.
Wed. Evening Bible Study.....	7:00 P.M.
Come now, and let us reason together" Isaiah 1:18	
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COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

Severe thunderstorms, golfball size hail, heavy rains, and spotted twisters hit the community Thursday night, April 5. North of Cottonwood homes and building structures received exterior and interior damage from broken windows and blowing rain. Roofs, sidings and windows damaged were noticeable and reported. Around the area hail was reported from pea to golfball size and varied amounts received.

An "enchilada dinner" and fun night are the highlights of the Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control Benefit Night Saturday, April 14, at the Cottonwood Community Center. Dinner plate for \$5 of beef enchiladas, Spanish rice, red beans, drink and coffee or tea and dessert will be served at 6 p.m.

Several members of the Cross Plains band will perform during the evening festivities. Support our local fire control group and be on hand to have dinner with your friends and family on Saturday evening. Proceeds will go to the C.V.F.C.

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Political Calendar

The Cross Plains Review is authorized to publish the following political announcements for the Callahan County office filings in the upcoming general election set for Tuesday, November 6, 1990.

For U.S. Congress
17th District
Charles Stenholm

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Stenholm for Congress Committee, P.O. Box 1032, Stamford, Texas 79553
All political calendar advertising is payable in advance, at a cost of \$75.00. A free press release and photograph will be published with each announcement.

Cross Plains Cemetery Donations

The Cross Plains Cemetery Association received the following donations for January, 1990:

DeJaun Stickland, \$52; Christine Cunningham Hutchingson Estate, \$123.46; Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Potter, In memory of Ella Mae Potter, \$100; Ardelia McMillan, \$25; Glenn and Bobby Payne, \$50; J.H. and Carolyn J. Childs, In memory of Willie Elliott Hiitt, \$25; Alice Roby, In memory of E.G. Roby, \$25; Doris M. Givens, In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall, \$25; August Garlitz, \$25; Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Gunderson, In memory of Sterling Odom, \$25; and Mrs. Frank Ferrell, \$35.

The total for January was \$510.46. In February Joe and Paunice Oglesby gave \$25; Don R. and Mary R. Hunter, \$10; Clara Nell Spencer, \$10; Howet, Roylene, Don, Richard, and James Wilson, \$100; Eva Byrd, \$10; and E.C. Neeb Lse. (Greer Tank Truck, Inc.), \$34.04. \$189.04 was the total received for February.

Contributions in March were Suma D. Dill, \$25 and Wayne and Leota Howser \$25, for the month's sum of \$50.

Grave opening permits and lots for January included: Sterling Odom Service, \$75; Joyce Odom, 1 plot, \$75; Howard Rutledge Service, \$75; Frances F. McClure Service, \$75; Irene Aiken Service, \$75; and Ruth Rutledge, 1 plot, \$75.

The total for grave opening permits and lots were \$450.

For February were Dorothy Blair Service, \$75; Nettie Wilson Service, \$75; Louise Smith Service, \$75; and Mrs. A.L. Conlee, 1 plot, \$75.

February's total was \$300.

For March were Rufus Renfro Service, \$75; Clark O'Dell Service, \$75; and Ethel Lawrence Service, \$75.

The total amount was \$225.

The Cross Plains Cemetery Association greatly appreciates all donations, however, the amounts in February and March were down considerably from previous months. Donations are needed for the maintenance of the cemetery.

Colonial Oaks Services

Pioneer Baptist Church will hold worship services on Sunday, April 15, at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

Garden Club Meets On Friday, April 13

The Garden Club will meet Friday, April 13, at 2 p.m. at the Garden Center.

Mrs. O.W. Webb will bring a program on roses and all members are reminded to bring roses for display.

EMS Donations

The Cross Plains EMS received the following donations January through March, 1990:

Calula Oil and Gas; City of Cross Plains; Anonymous; Callahan County; Richard R. Vaughn; Lawton and Nellie Tharp; James and Wilma Lawrence in memory of J.R. Cowan and L.J. Coker; Vera Pearl Bunnell in memory of Rufus Renfro and Ethel Lawrence; Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Long in memory of Ethel Lawrence; Cole and Helen Tillotson in memory of Ellen Sherrill; Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Fleming in memory of L.J. Coker, J.R. Cowan, and George Pointer; Timothy Sunday School Class, FBC, in memory of Rufus Renfro; Dale and Myrna Mitchell in memory of Ethel Lawrence; Howet, Roylene, Don, Richard and James Wilson in memory of Rufus Renfro; W.G. and Joyce McCoy in memory of Ethel Lawrence; David and Lisa McFall in memory of Ethel Lawrence; Howet, Roylene, Don, Richard and James Wilson in memory of Ethel Lawrence; Billie R. Loving in memory of Ethel Lawrence; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odom in memory of Ethel Lawrence; and James and Wilma Lawrence in memory of Rufus Renfro.

The EMS appreciates each and every donation. Without them, they could function as well.

Canine Parvovirus Diagnosed In Area

There has been an alarming number of canine parvovirus infections diagnosed in the area. Canine parvovirus is a viral disease of dogs which is capable of causing two different sets of clinical problems. The first to be recognized, and the most common, is the "intestinal form" which is manifested by bloody diarrhea, vomiting, loss of appetite, depression and often death. The second to be recognized is the "cardiac form," which occurs in very young pups and is manifested by an acute inflammation of the heart muscle.

Any age, breed or sex of dog can be affected by parvovirus. Several factors such as age, environment, stress, parasites and general health status of each individual dog infected could affect the severity of illness.

BASKETBALL

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March 31

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Gold Girls vs. Blue Girls — 14-8.
Gold Boys vs. Green Boys — 32-17.
Green Girls vs. Red Girls — 25-6.

April 6

Blue Girls vs. Red Girls — 10-2.
Blue Boys vs. Gold Boys — 23-5.
Gold Girls vs. Green Girls — 2-12.
Green Boys vs. Red Boys — 12-20.

April 7

Blue Boys vs. Green Boys — 35-14.
Green Girls vs. Blue Girls — 24-8.
Gold Boys vs. Red Boys — 26-12.
Red Girls vs. Gold Girls — 8-7.

ROBERT E. McCOOL
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The disease is usually more severe in young dogs, (less than 6 months of age) or old dogs. Early, vigorous treatment of the illness is imperative, since vomiting and diarrhea can lead to dehydration and chemical imbalance in the body.

Control of parvovirus by sanitation measures alone is extremely difficult because the virus is such a resistant, hardy organism and because it is so easily spread. Parvovirus is transmitted through contact with the feces of an affected dog. The virus can be carried on the dog's hair and feet, as well as on contaminated cages, shoes or other objects. Isolation of infected dogs is one method of control, although moderately effective. Just as any other virus only vaccination of susceptible animals will control the actual source of infection.

A properly immunized dog will have circulating protection in the blood that will destroy parvovirus following exposure. It is important to begin vaccinations at an early age and repeat every 2-3 weeks until the puppy is at least 14-16 weeks old. Adult dogs should receive two doses of vaccine given 3-4 weeks apart for maximum protection. All dogs should receive an annual booster vaccination to assure an enduring immunity.

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The 1990-91 TWIRLER AND FLAG CORPS — May Wetsel (back from left), Jennifer Wheeler (twirler), Michelle McNutt, Heather Mon-

gomery, and Brenda Franke (captain); Tonya Steele (front from left), Leslie McGowen, and Pam Glover.



The 1990-91 CHEERLEADERS — Kirkham, Tracy Erwin, Lori Dillard, Shana Bagley (from left), Courtney Carie Renfro, and Sonya Renfro.

Band Flag Corps Selected

Members of the Cross Plains High School Band Flag Corps for the 1990-91 school year have been announced by band director, Randy Taylor. They are Brenda Franke, captain, Leslie McGowen, Michelle McNutt, Tonya Steele, Heather Montgomery, Jennifer Wheeler, Pam Glover, and May Wetsel.

Junior High Lady Buffs Finish 3rd

By TAMARA FLIPPIN and GLENDA EVANS

The Cross Plains Junior High Lady Buffs traveled to Baird Saturday, April 7, for the Baird Relays. The girls finished 3rd under Santa Anna in 1st place and May with 2nd.

- The results are:
- Long Jump**
1st — Tamara Flippin — 16'9" (personal best).
 - Triple Jump**
1st — Tamara Flippin — 31'7"
5th — Glenda Evans — 27'5"
6th — Heather Montgomery — 26'4 1/2"
 - Shot Put**
1st — Mandi Sowell — 27'6 1/4"
 - 100 Meter Hurdles**
1st — Heather Montgomery — 18:22.
 - 300 Meter Hurdles**
3rd — Heather Montgomery — 55:34.
 - 2400 Meter Run**
1st — Connie Steele — 9:38.09.
3rd — Shirley Walker — 11:23.92.
 - 400 Meter Relay**
2nd Place — 57:65.
 - 800 Meter Relay**
5th Place — 2:10.49.
 - 1600 Meter Relay**
6th Place
 - 800 Meter Run**
3rd — Kim Webb — 2:54.06.

tions is no easy task, but the Flag Corps is determined to help lead the Buffalo Band to their third I Rating in marching competition.

Other band activities going on include a group playing at the Firemen's Benefit in Cottonwood on April 14.

The high school band and the newly organized stage band will be presented in concert on Monday, April 23, at 7 p.m. Included in the program will be the songs the band will be playing in the U.I.L. Concert competition the next day in Sweetwater.

'Crosspoint' Held At Hardin-Simmons University

ABILENE — "Crosspoint," a week of spiritual and physical training for children who have completed grades four through eight, will be held at Hardin-Simmons University, June 18-23.

The weeklong program is sponsored by the Church Recreation Department of the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, TN.

The cost is \$175, which includes expenses for five nights lodging, 14 meals, insurance, T-shirt, and instructional fees.

Applications may be obtained by contacting Crosspoint Church Recreation Dept., MSN 166, 127 Ninth Ave., N, Nashville, TN 37234, or by calling (615) 251-3834.

HSU will be one of nine locations and the only campus in Texas to host a Crosspoint this Summer, according to Linda Carleton, associate director of student development and director of summer campus at HSU.

H.S. Students Urged To Apply For Private Scholarships Now

Spring semester is an excellent time for high school students — both juniors and seniors — to begin to determine their college costs and sources of private financial aid, according to The Scholarship Bank, a non-profit foundation.

According to the director, there are over 5,000 private scholarship sources available to students. Many of these awards are based on factors other than the traditional criteria — need — for government-financed scholarships. Students' goals, college major, academic standing, and even the type of aid requested (scholarships, loans, summer internships) can determine eligibility for these loans. The average value is in excess of \$1,500 and can be renewed yearly.

A number of new scholarships are available for the 1990-91 academic year and are available to students planning to major in business, health, engineering and law. Again this year, older students wishing to return to school are also eligible for a number of grants.

The Scholarship Bank also offers for a nominal charge a computerized needs analysis, telling each student his/her exact dollars needs for college.

Students wishing to take advantage of this service should send a business-sized, stamped envelope to The Scholarships Bank, P.O. Box 241549, Los Angeles, California 90024.

Errors Continue To Plague Buffs

In preparation for district competition, the C.P. baseball team was able to play only one game last week due to weather conditions. A game scheduled last Friday, April 6, with Albany was cancelled. Their one game last week was a home game on Tuesday, April 3, against Lingleville. With the help of one bad inning on the part of C.P., Lingleville scored 5 runs on a combination of errors, walks and 2 homeruns. Again in the 6th, C.P. gave up 2 runs (one on another HR) and one last run in the 7th inning on walks and an error.

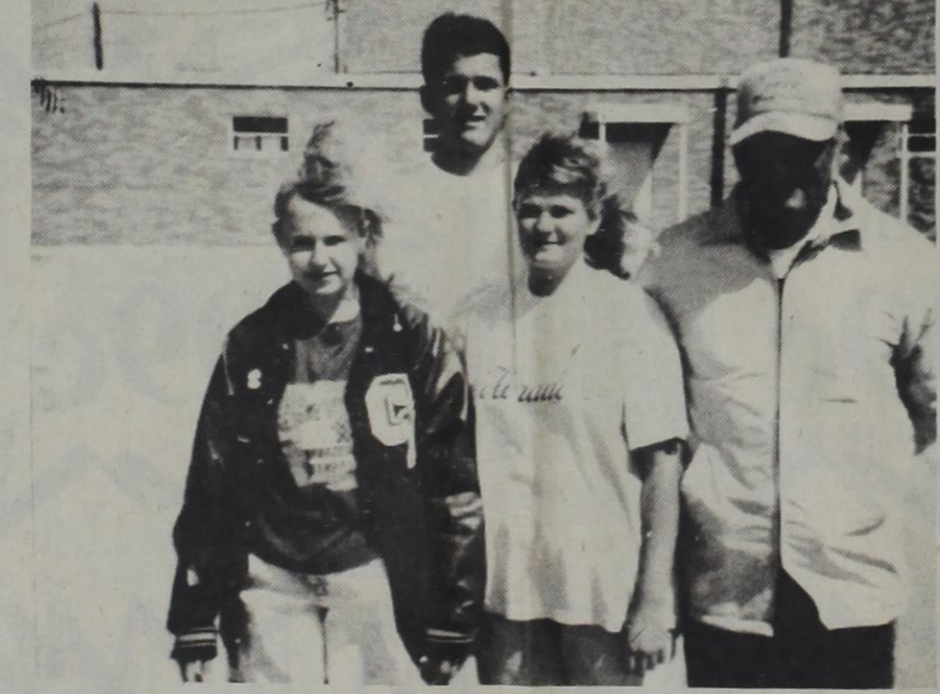
Cross Plains' single run came when Kyle Foster walked, advanced to second on a walk to Colby Walker. Kyle then stole third and scored when the Lingleville catcher threw the ball into left field.

The scoring went as follows:
Lingleville 0 0 5 0 0 2 1
C.P. 0 0 0 0 1 0 0

Total
Lingleville: 8 Runs, 7 Hits, 1 Error.
Cross Plains: 1 Run, 0 Hits, 5 Errors.

Pitching statistics are as follows:
Travis Jordan
Innings Pitched: 6
Strike Outs: 10
Walks: 1
Colby Walker
Innings Pitched: 1
Strike Outs: 1
Walks: 2

Starting Line-Up



DISTRICT 13A TENNIS WINNERS — Pam Glover (front from left) and Trudy Newman won 1st in girls singles. Chad Bagley (back) won 2nd

Pitcher — Travis Jordan.
Catcher — Earl Meroney.
1st Baseman — Cody Odum.
2nd Baseman — Max Thetford.
3rd Baseman — Kevin Clark.
Short Stop — Colby Walker.
Left Field — Kyle Foster.
Center Field — Don Sibley.
Right Field — Michael Cowan.

What's An A.S.U.A.B.?

By KARMEN KEY

The A.S.U.A.B. test (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) was given at Cross Plains High School on Tuesday, April 4.

The test was given in order to help the students decide what their interests are and possible careers.

All seniors had the opportunity to test, but only fourteen did. Eleven juniors also took the test.

There were ten parts to the test and students had a time limit on each section.

Included were subjects ranging from math to mechanics. The test took approximately 3 1/2 hours.

The test will be graded in Dallas and should be returned in three to four weeks.

in boys singles division. All three will be going to Regional April 20-21 in Abilene. Coach Mack McConal is also pictured.

District Tennis Results

By COACH MACK McConal

The Cross Plains Tennis results from District competition held at Santa Anna are as follows:

People who qualified for Regional were Chad Bagley 2nd in boys singles, and girls doubles team of Pam Glover and Trudy Newman won 1st. Alternates for Regional are Laura Rankin and Erlinda Cortez who won 3rd. The girls won the team trophy for the girls division.

Complete results are as follows:

Girls Singles
Tiffany Cospier lost to Santa Anna (0-6) (0-6).

Robbie Hutton beat Blanket (7-6) (6-3); beat Santa Anna (7-5) (2-6) (6-4); lost to Rising Star (0-6) (1-6); and played for 3rd against Santa Anna (6-4) (1-6) (9-11).

Girls Doubles
Laura Rankin and Erlinda Cortez defeated Novice (6-1) (6-4); beat

Zephyr (6-2) (6-1); lost to Santa Anna (4-6) (6-3) (6-8); and beat Novice for 3rd (6-2) (4-6) (6-3).

Pam Glover and Trudy Newman beat Santa Anna (6-1) (6-3); beat Novice (6-0) (6-3); and beat Santa Anna (6-3) (6-0).

Boys Singles

Brad Morgan lost to Santa Anna (6-4) (4-6) (1-6).

Chad Bagley beat Santa Anna (6-0) (6-1); beat Blanket (6-2) (7-5); and lost to Sidney in finals (2-6) (4-6) (4-6).

Boys Doubles

Daniel Crockett and Jason Rutledge beat Sidney (6-2) (7-6); lost to Santa Anna (1-6) (1-6); and lost to Santa Anna for 3rd (0-6) (2-6).

Justin Whitsitt and Roger Rudloff lost to Santa Anna (4-6) (3-6).

Regional qualifiers will be in Brownwood April 14. Competition at this meet will be tough.

Mighty Mites Place 2nd

By COACH GLENN HARTSON

The junior high boys track team traveled to Baird to compete in a seven team invitational track meet Saturday and placed second overall. The boys' times were the lowest of the year and are a result of the hard work they have been producing in practice.

Excellent performances were turned in by Billy Walker, Willie Nickerson, Jimmy Lee, Kelly Barclay, Jason Flemming, Scott Cheshier, and Coby Childers. The results were as follows:

- Billy Walker — 800 meter — 2:23 — 2nd place.
- Kelly Barclay — 400 meter dash — :59 — 1st place.
- Jason Fleming — 400 meter dash — :60 — 4th place.
- Jimmy Lee — 2400 meter run — 2nd place and 1600 meter run — 5:38 — 1st place.
- Willie Nickerson — 2400 meter run — 3rd place and 1600 meter run — 4th place.
- Coby Childers — Discus — 104'.
1600 Meter Relay — Flemming, Barclay, Walker, and Cheshier — 4:13 — 1st place.
- 400 Meter Relay — Fleming, Barclay, Walker, and Cheshier — 51.4 — 5th place.

Ride 'Em Cowgirl

By KARMEN KEY

Jennifer Wheeler, a Freshman at Cross Plains High School, began riding horses when she was four years old with her dad, Ted Wheeler, as her teacher.

She has owned six horses. Her dad helped her train a few, but now she does them by herself. Her favorite horse is named Mel.

Jennifer rides Mel twice a day, once in the morning and once at night.

During the summer, she attends area rodeos nearly every weekend. She competes in barrels, flags, goat tying, poles, roping and team penning. Her favorite event is barrels.

Jennifer enjoys going to rodeos in order to meet people, which she usually sees throughout the summer at various rodeos.

She is a member of the Cross Plains Roping Club, and this year she was selected as the Rodeo Sweetheart. She also competes in 4-H Rodeos in barrels, flags, stakes, and western pleasure, along with halter and team penning.

Over the years, she has been awarded many ribbons, halters, and trophies at county, district and state levels.

She would like to ride horses in college and to get a scholarship to Synder or a larger college.

Jennifer enjoys riding horses because it seems to ease the pressure of every day life. Riding and training barrel horses gives Jennifer a feeling of accomplishment.

'A Musical And Dramatic Evening'

By CA

An evening with double the entertainment is set for Monday, April 23, at the Cross Plains School Auditorium. The program which starts at 7 p.m. will include not only musical selections performed by the very talented high school stage band and concert band, but the award winning high school One Act Play cast will perform their version of the play, "A Trip To Bountiful," which won both zone and regional honors and was selected last weekend as alternate play in very tough area competition.

In addition to the shows, this will hopefully be the first opportunity to use the new stage curtains which at press time were being made by C.P.'s home economics teacher, Julia Wheeler. As those who remember know that the black curtains that have hung in the auditorium stage for years were in rather poor condition containing an abundance of taped and safety-pinned tears.

The stage walls will also be receiving a face lift of sorts in the form of a new paint job being done by the maintenance staff.

The public is invited to attend the concert and play at no charge; but donations will be cheerfully accepted. These donations will be used to help provide some much needed funds for the OAP group and hopefully to apply to the cost of the new curtains. Keep the evening of April 23 open and come watch a group of super talented students.

The Last Act

By JENNIFER GOBLE

The Cross Plains One-Act Play gave its last and final act in competition on April 7 at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

This was the area OAP competition. In order to have gotten to that level, the group won at both zone and district level competition earlier this month.

The OAP, directed by Joe Coppinger, competed against 5 other schools, including Trent, Tolar, Panther Creek, Roscoe, and Eula. The first two spots went to Trent and Tolar, which Mr. Coppinger said were both excellent plays. The Cross Plains' play came in third place, being selected as alternate.

Selected for individual honors by the single judge were Seniors Stephanie Walker and Julie Smith. Both girls were chosen for the "All-Star Cast" for their performances.

The play, "A Trip To Bountiful," will be presented for the community on April 23 in conjunction with a high school band concert. (See related article "A Musical And Dramatic Evening.")

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Don Harris Presiding Officer

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Vitamin C and Copper May Fight Cancer

by Robert L. Haney
AES Science Writer

Vitamin C and adequate supplies of copper may have the potential of fighting some cancers of the human body, according to Dr. Ed Harris, professor in biochemistry with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Texas A&M University.

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Harris, who has spent years of research on the function of trace minerals in mammals and made a number of important discoveries in this field, said there is considerable interest in the interaction of vitamin C (ascorbic acid) and cancer cells.

"The vitamin seems to hinder the growth of melanoma and leukemic cells (two types of cancer), for example," Harris said. "It now appears that the killing power is not attributable to the vitamin alone but rather a combination of the vitamin with copper.

"The effect is not only cytostatic (keeping the cells from growing), but cytotoxic (killing cells). Although the basis for this interesting and potentially important discovery is not proven, the evidence seems to point to the copper-vitamin combination as a generator of free oxygen radicals that prove toxic to the rapidly growing cancer cells.

"Cancer cells live on the threshold of toxicity, generating many oxygen radicals by virtue of their accelerated and abnormal metabolism. One theory is that the vitamin and copper themselves

foment radicals that collapse the system.

"The hope is that this discovery can be utilized in the treatment of some cancers when more is known about the interaction of vitamin C, copper, and cancer cells. It is known that with normal cells the combination of copper and vitamin C is less toxic, which makes the possibility of using the two to specifically attack cancer cells a very attractive proposition," Harris said.

Harris and his associates began research a number of years ago to learn why a living mammalian system requires copper. They discovered that chicks on a copper-deficient diet quickly took on symptoms showing something was wrong. Symptoms included leg weakness, stunted growth, and poor feathering.

If they were kept on a low-copper diet for two or three weeks they died, usually of internal hemorrhaging. Further research showed that the copper-deficient chick failed to produce a sound connective tissue structure. For example, without copper, reinforcing fibers were not laid down in blood vessels. The immediate result was blood-vessel rupture and death.

In the human mother, a copper-deficient diet can cause impaired blood-vessel development in the fetus.

"During our research on copper," Harris said, "it has become apparent that there is a tie-in with vitamin C (ascorbic acid), one of the nutrients we must have to maintain health. We know, for example, that vitamin C prevents scurvy, a disorder characterized by elevated temperature, general muscle weakness, swollen bleeding gums, muscle aches, anemia, and internal bleeding.

"Biochemists have been able to pinpoint specific systems in the body that have a particular need for ascorbic acid. One of these is connective tissue. Our bodies are held together by a glue-like protein called 'collagen.' The syn-

thesis of collagen requires vitamin C. Muscles are held to bone by collagen.

"Most fibrous components, including the tough gristle of meat, are composed of collagen. We can see why a vitamin C deficiency can result in general body aches, skin lesions, and leg weakness, which are all symptoms of scurvy. However, it became apparent that the scientist studying scurvy and the one studying copper deficiency see many of the same symptoms. There seems to be a connection between the two.

"In the blood, copper is not free but is bound to a very large protein. However, at the cellular level, in order for copper to be absorbed by the cell it must separate itself from the protein. What causes this separation? We're not certain but indications are that it may be vitamin C. In one of our studies, vitamin C at a level that is consistent with its concentration in the blood resulted in almost 10 times more copper entering the cell from the protein than is the case with vitamin C deficiency.

"Copper is needed to synthesize the connective tissue proteins, and this same function is performed by vitamin C. Is scurvy a condition that develops because the copper cannot enter the cell because the vitamin is not present to free the copper from its protein carrier in the blood?

"The interaction of copper and vitamin C in mammalian nutrition

is proven," Harris said. "The importance of this interaction in human and animal health we are only now beginning to comprehend. It appears to offer the potential of profound health returns in exchange for additional research."

Editor's Note: Any question regarding this column should be addressed to Science Writer, Department of Agricultural Communications, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843

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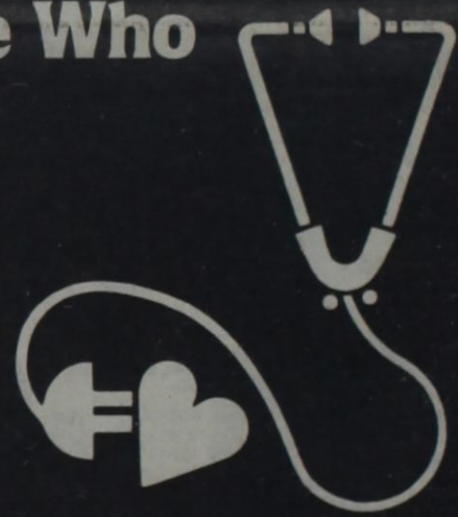
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Program On Forage Production April 16

Forage production on improved pastures and annual hay crops is an important part of the agricultural economy in Callahan County. Approximately 30,000 acres of improved pasture or annual sorghum hybrids are used to supplement native ranges or harvested for hay in Callahan County. With the dry weather the last half of 1989, most of the hay supplies were used to winter the beef cow herds.

The Callahan County Extension office and the Crops and Forage Committee are sponsoring an educational program on Forage Production on Monday night, April 16, at 8 p.m. in the County Courtroom.

Dr. Billy Warrick, Extension Agronomist for District 7, will present the program. Topics to be discussed

include fertility needs of improved pasture, seeding of new land, harvesting of forages for maximum quality and other factors for producing a high quality forage.

Warrick will also be discussing coastal production and management for hay and pasture for beef cattle.

Anyone interested in improved pasture or annual forage crops are invited to attend the meeting, according to Greg Gerngross, County Extension Agent.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.

Rowden News

By MRS. N.V. GIBBS

This has been a week of weather again. This area was lucky to not be in the storms Thursday evening. Some watched the fast moving clouds, but not much rain fell here. It was the 28th of April in 1950 when the tornado in Clyde took the lives of Bert and Maude Tabor and their daughter, Annie Mae Tabor. They were parents of Joyce Odom, Nell Gunderson, and this writer. The building they lived in was demolished, along with several small buildings. Their car was totally damaged and trees stripped of their leaves. Some household things were not ruined completely. It is a time one doesn't want to remember.

On the way home from church services in Cross Plains Sunday, it was noted that a family living close by the

side of Highway 36 were enjoying the noon meal at an outside lunch table. They were enjoying the warm sunshine.

Emma Johnson and Lizzie Burks had one visitor this week — their nephew, Bobbie Burks, who lives on the hill behind their house. Emma talked by phone to wish her son, W.R. Johnson of New Mexico, a happy birthday and a niece, Mary Frances Lowery of Abilene, called Thursday night.

Edna Dye spent the weekend in Breckenridge with her brother, Ed Sayre.

Visitors of James and Dorothy Reynolds were Ellen, John and Dalton Carpenter of Azle. Also her father, Billy Henry, visited in the home during the week.

Gene and Vernie Belle Mauldin were in Baird Saturday afternoon where they visited in the homes of Velma Shelton and Dorse and Lee Harris. Vernie Belle also visited Versie Simmons in Abilene one day. Their visitors were Johnny Hamilton of Stephenville and Jessie Odom of the community.

This writer visited Mary and Ruth Appin in Cross Plains area Monday and also visited Pete and Margie Swafford this week.

Dorothy Watson visited their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, in Hendrick Hospital Wednesday. Mr. Smith is some better. Dorothy will be busy taking care of their baby chicks for the next few weeks.

Leigh Harrell attended a birthday party of Britni Wood in Abilene Saturday afternoon. They were enjoying a "Fiesta" in their back yard.

Children and grandchildren of Joyce Odom, Ralph and Ginny Trevey and children, David, Scott and Jennifer of Snyder, and Charles and Nancy Palmer and Michael of Clyde attended church services at First Baptist Church in Cross Plains Sunday. They, along with Ivon Odom, honored Joyce on her birthday with dinner in Cross Plains. They enjoyed the day.

Judy Steele attended track events in Comanche Saturday. Tonya was to enter the mile and two mile cross country races, and placed 4th in mile and 2nd in the 2 mile races.

Connie Steele, along with other Cross Plains students, were in track events in Baird Saturday. She placed 1st in the 1 1/2 mile, 2nd in 400 yard dash, and 1st in the mile.

Local Honor Students Named At CJC

Cisco Junior College conducted its annual Awards Ceremony on Monday, April 2.

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

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

Local students receiving awards were Jeannie L. Barclay of Cross Plains, Dean's List; Carrie L. Gomillion of Cross Plains, Dean's List; Kami Hargrove of Cross Plains, Agricultural Sweetheart; Terri D. Hunter of Burkett, Dean's List; Audrey D. Johnston of Cisco, Dean's List, Outstanding Student in Office Occupations; and Melissa A. Montgomery of Cross Plains, Dean's List, Phi Theta Kappa.

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Contel To Restructure Telephone Operations Sector

ATLANTA — Contel Corporation (NYSE: CTC) today announced that its Telephone Operations Sector will complete a major restructuring over the next two years aimed at creating a more efficient, market-focused organization.

Under the restructuring plan, Contel will combine the sector's three existing regions and 12 divisions into six operating units reporting to a sector headquarters in Atlanta. The company also expects to reduce the sector's 15,000 employee workforce by approximately four percent, with the majority of those reductions concentrated in staff support positions. Contel said the workforce reductions would be achieved largely through attrition and voluntary separation programs.

Contel said it does not expect the restructuring to have a material effect on consolidated financial results.

According to Telephone Operations Sector president, Bob Alton, "We are building today an organization that will prepare Contel for the board and sweeping changes we anticipate in the marketing, technological and regulatory arenas of the telecommunications industry in the 1990s."

The new organizational alignment calls for the formation of six multi-state operating groups reporting to a sector headquarters organization in Atlanta. They are:

- * Western Operating Group. Headquarters: Victorville, CA. States served: California, Nevada, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Utah, Arizona and New Mexico.
- * Southwest Operating Group.

Headquarters: Wentzville, MO. States served: Missouri, Arkansas, Texas and Kansas.

* Great Lakes Operating Group. Headquarters: DeKalb, IL. States served: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota and Minnesota.

* Northeast Operating Group. Headquarters: Johnstown, NY. States served: New York, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine and Pennsylvania.

* Mid-Atlantic Operating Group. Headquarters: Mechanicsville, VA. States served: Virginia and West Virginia.

* Southeast Operating Group. Headquarters: Pell City, AL. States served: Kentucky, Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina.

Donald W. Weber, Contel President and Chief Executive Officer, emphasized further the need for the change. "As our industry becomes more competitive, it is essential that we have in place a structure that maximizes our resources and is consistently responsive to the needs of our customers."

Contel Telephone Operations consists of 28 local telephone operating companies and provides local exchange service and long distance access for 2.6 million customers in 30 states.

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By MARY SCOTT NABERS
TEC Commissioner

Substantial changes to the Texas Payday Law went into effect January 1 of this year and employers need to be aware of them! "Ignorance of the law" could be very costly for your company.

The old Payday Law was in the statutes for many years and was administered by the Texas Department of Labor and Standards (recently renamed the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation). The old law did not give the Texas DOL any authority to actually collect wages owed but not paid. It simply provided for a penalty of \$50 against employers who failed to properly pay wages.

The new law, enacted during the last regular legislative session, is administered by the Texas Employment Commission and gives the Commission the authority to collect wages owed. The new law also authorizes the imposition of administrative penalties against employers who, in bad faith, fail to pay wages or fail to pay them timely. The administrative penalty may not exceed the amount of wages in question or \$1,000, whichever is less. By the same token, the Commission may assess the claimant an administrative penalty if it is determined that the wage complaint was brought in bad faith...in other words, was frivolous. The monetary limits on a penalty assessed a claimant are the

same as those for employers.

In a nutshell, the new Payday Law has a lot more teeth in it, and it will be much easier for employees with legitimate complaints to get relief.

Complaints will be taken through local TEC offices. Those which are based on issues of federal law, such as overtime pay, will be forwarded to the United States Department of Labor for investigation and disposition. Those over which the TEC has jurisdiction will be processed much like claims for unemployment benefits are now handled. Notice will be given to both parties of determinations made, rights of appeal, and time limits for filing of responses and appeals. Hearings on disputed complaints will be held by a hearing officer and the decision rendered by that officer will be the final administrative decision. There is no further appeal to the three TEC Commissioners. Instead, parties who wish to pursue disagreement with their decision must go to court.

Other New Provisions Worth Noting

1. Employers are required to pay employees who are exempt from the Fair Labor Standards Act overtime requirements at least monthly. All other employees must be paid twice monthly. Employers must designate paydays, and if they fail to do so, paydays shall be the 1st and 15th of each month.

2. Notices designating paydays must be posted prominently in the workplace. Employers may pick up notices from their nearest TEC local office.

3. An employer may not withhold or divert any part of an employee's wages unless the employer: (a) is authorized to do so by a court of competent jurisdiction — for example, child support payments; (b) is authorized to do so by state or federal law — for example, social security and withholding; or (c) has written authorization from the employee to deduct a part of the wages for a lawful purpose. (Employers should pay particular attention to item (c) because it has broad implications for employee loans or advances, group insurance, uniform rental, etc.)

4. Wage claims may not be filed for vacation pay, sick leave pay, parental leave pay or severance pay unless it is owed to an employee under a written agreement with the employer or under a written policy of the employer.

Summaries of the new Payday Law are available in TEC local offices.

Reminders

* Texas Business Council meetings continue through April in Dallas, San Angelo, Lubbock, Longview, and Houston. You are missing out on valuable, informative sessions if you don't attend.

* Job Service Employer Committee (JSEC) seminars are ongoing throughout the state. They provide updates on new laws and regulations, business cost-cutting tips, and personnel management suggestions. They can save your company money. Contact your local TEC office for information on the JSEC in your area.

* Copies of your company's chargebacks are available on request by writing to the TEC Tax Department in Austin. Because chargebacks affect your tax rate, it is advisable to see what's on your record.

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**DEADLINE FOR NEWS
FRIDAY AT 5:00 P.M.**

The Great American Food Fight Against Cancer

The American Cancer Society is picking a fight — the Great American Food Fight Against Cancer. Rosie Holden and Amanda Waggoner will serve as leaders in this year's Community Crusade in Clyde.

The Great American Food Fight Against Cancer, to begin April 19, is a lighthearted event with a serious message: people can lower their risks for certain cancers by eating more of the right foods. The Community Crusade, the American Cancer Society's annual fundraising drive, will take place April 23-28, according to Holden and Waggoner.

The money will be used to support programs in Clyde and Callahan County that help prevent, detect, and treat cancer and offer assistance to cancer patients.

For the year ending August 31, 1989, the Callahan County Unit of American Cancer Society provided

services for 20 cancer patients in Callahan County. These services include free loan of hospital beds, wheel chairs, walkers and commode chairs. Also, there are many gift items available. Your donations work right here in your community and county.

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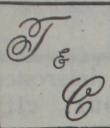
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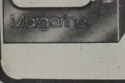
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