



GOLF TROPHY WINNERS- James Ross (left) and Colby Gibson

Ross and Gibson Compete In Stamford Junior Golf Tourney

James Ross and Colby Gibson com- putting contest for his age division. peted in the Stamford Junior Golf Tour-Stamford Country Club.

Colby won first place in age 9 and Under Division with a score of 37 on 7 holes. He also took second place in the

In the age 10-11 Division, James was nament last Thursday, June 29, held at the tied for the lead with a score of 45 after 9 holes. In a one hole sudden death playoff, James left his putt two inches to the right Ross of Cross Plains. Colby is the son of of the cup. He took home the second Eddy and Kim Gibson of Rising Star.

place trophy after a great effort. He also won fourth place in the putting contest for his age division.

James is the son of Charlie and Beverly

Sheriff's Posse Trailride July 14-15

The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse will host their annual Trailride to, Coleman, Friday July 14th and Saturday July 15th. The Horseback ride will begin promptly at 6 am, with riders leaving from the Rodeo arena in Baird and riding down Highway 283 to Coleman. Anyone interested in riding with the group should bring a sack lunch for Friday's noon meal, eggs & bacon for Saturday morning breakfast and sleeping bags or bedding for the Friday night camp-out. The group will ride approximately 30 miles on Friday, to the Hemphill Ranch, and camp on Jim Ned Creek.

Friday night's meal will be a Hamburger supper served campfire

TURKEY CREEK COOK-OFF AND DANCE JULY 8

July 8 at the local arena.

July 8. Categories include: Briskets, Friendliest Cook and for Showmanship. Ribs, Chickens, Chili, and Jackpot Judging will begin at 3 p.m. Beans. Entry fees are \$20 per division, or There will also be a dance beginning at

T-shirt to 2nd place, and caps to 3rd Entry deadline for the cook-off is 9 a.m. place. Plaques will be awarded to

3RD ANNUAL "NO FRILLS-JUST SKILLS" BASKETBALL CAMP JULY 17-21

The third annual Boyd's "NO FRILLS-JUST SKILLS" Basketball Camp will be held at the Cross Plains awards given in each competition. This Gym July 17-21. The camp is for boys and girls who will be entering grades 4-9. If you have a younger child (below fourth grade) who you feel is ready for this camp please feel free to contact Coach Boyd. The cost of the camp is \$25. This includes a T-shirt plus certificates.

This camp emphasizes offensive play and one-on-one skills. Coach Boyd feels it is essential to learn to break down and bcat your opponent off the dribble in today's fast-paced game. These one-onone skills will be heavily emphasized and taught step-by-step. Another camp objective is to teach the campers to shoot

Summer TAAS Testing

with proper form. The camp will also have numerous competitions with year the 7th, 8th, and 9th graders will play five on five, full court with emphasis on setting screens and ball movement.

The first session is for grades 4, 5, and 6 and will last from 8:15 to 10:15. The second session is from 10:30 to 12:30. Parents are welcome to attend any scssion, especially Friday, July 21, when the awards will be presented.

Coach Boyd has a combined boys and girls varsity coaching record of 194 wins and 89 losses with numerous teams in the state playoffs. Last year the camp had 36 students. Coach Boyd and his staff hope to see you there.

WASHINGTON-The U. S. Senate Gramm said.

The Cross Plains Roping Club will be \$75 for all. Prizes are: 30% plus an apron 9 p.m. Music will be provided by "Kelly having a Cook-off and Dance Saturday, and a cap to 1st place, 20% plus cap and Spinks and The Miles of Texas." Ad-

mission is \$5 per person.

For more information or to enter the cook-off, call 817-725-7777 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., or 817-725-6545 after 5.

Temple **Baptist VBS** July 10, 11, 13 and 14

Temple Baptist Church will hold their Vacation Bible School July 10-11 and 13-14, from 6 to 8 p.m. Preschool through High School are invited to come to the VBS where the theme will be "Miracles of God." On Friday, July 14, there will be commencement exercises at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend. Temple Baptist Church is located at 100 South Avenue D, Cross Plains.

Senate Votes To Repeal 55 MPH Speed Limit

voted 65-35 to turn back to the states the The primary aim of the bill is to desigright to set speed limits for automobiles. nate 159,886 miles of roads across the U. S. Senator Phil Gramm, R-Texas, country-primarily interstates and main

Benefit **Garage Sale** July 15

Kirkwood

Friends of the David Kirkwood family are planning a garage sale to help them with medical expenses. It is tentatively set for Saturday, July 15, at the old T&C Village Market building on South First Street in Clyde. Items for the garage sale may be donated by calling Pat Morris at 893-4816, Janet Barnett at 854-2020, or by contacting the Cherry Heights Baptist Church secretary in Clyde.

Kirkwood, a 1992 graduate of Clyde High School, contracted bacterial meningitis while attending LA Thoumeau in Longview. As a result, the young man has been through a number of surgeries, including the amputation of both legs and his left arm. He has also experienced kidney failure and remains at Parkland Hospital in Dallas. David is the son of Bob and Lucy Kirkwood of Clyde.

Monetary donations may be sent to the David Kirkwood Trust Fund at Pcople's State Bank, P. O. Box 459, Clyde, Texas 79510.

Cross Cut Homecoming July 16

The Annual Cross Cut Homecoming will be held Sunday, July 16, at the Community Center in Cross Plains.

You are invited to come and bring a covered dish and join us for lunch. There will be a business meeting after lunch, and a report from the Cross Cut Cemetery Association will also be read.

Colonial Oaks Services

Pioncer Revival Center will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, July 9, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

style on the Creek. Following a good night's sleep everyone is up early for breakfast and back on the trail by 7am for the

> additional 12 miles into Coleman. Riders arrive in Coleman around noon, the Street Parade will be at 5pm and the Grand Entry and Rodeo begin at 8pm.

Everyone's invited to come on out and join in the fun!!

For more information call Callahan County Sheriff's Posse President Steve Nail at 893-4753.

Schedules Announced

The summer TAAS Tests will be given on the following days:

Tuesday, July 11, Writing Wednesday, July 12, Math Thursday, July 13, Reading The testing site will be Cross Plains High School Library. The tests will

begin each day at 9:00 a.m., so please come on time. Once the tests starts, late students cannot be admitted.

New Highway Maintenance **Building Planned In Baird**

Bids will be opened July 5 for the construction of a new state highway department maintenance building in Baird estimated to cost \$988,000.

The Texas Department of Transportation will open bids July 5 for the construction of a new 18,000 square foot highway maintenance building lo-. cated one-half mile north of Interstate 20 on State Highway 283 in Baird. The building site is located north of the city cemetery on the east side of State Highway 283.

Scotty Mitchell, District Maintenance Manager with the Department of Transportation headquartered in Abilene, said work on the new maintenance building in Baird should begin around the first of September. He said the new maintenance building should be completed by April 1996.

The Department of Transportation recently purchased 10 acres of land on the east side of State Highway 283 north of Baird to construct the new maintenance building. Dirt work at the site has already begun and a security fence has been erected around three sides of the property.

Mitchell, who is a resident of Baird, said the Department of Transportation

will be doing some of the site work, including constructing the pad the new building will set on.

The new maintenance building will include constructing nine covered truck bays, a two bay shop area and office area. Mitchell said the building will be constructed of concrete tiles with an exposed galvanized roof. The building will be built to ADA (American Disabilities Act) requirements as well.

Mitchell said the new building is being constructed because the current building is too small. "We don't have adequate storage for equipment now. Most of the equipment sets outside," Mitchell said of the lack of covered truck bays at the current facility.

The district maintenance manager said the new facility will also have outdoor lighting in case maintenance crews need to be dispatched at night. Mitchell said the new maintenance shop will also have several heated shop bays and all truck bays will have electrical plug-ins. With the new 10 acre site, Mitchell . said the new maintenance facility will also have more outdoor area for material storage.

Mitchell said the new facility is being constructed away from the city of Baird because of traffic concerns. The current maintenance building in Baird is located close to downtown on FM 18.

The new maintenance facility will have some landscaping of grass and shrubs in front of the new building. Mitchell said the Department of Transportation also plans to plant pine trees on the south side of the state-owned property. He said a private property owner south of the new maintenance site plans to subdivide the property for new housing.

Mitchell said the new maintenance building is similar to one recently constructed in Aspermont, although the Baird facility will be one bay larger.

Mitchell said when the new facility is completed, the state will first offer the existing maintenance building and site to Callahan County. "The county will have first shot at the building, if not the City of Baird and Baird school district will be offered the building," Mitchell said. He said the building will be offered to a private individual only if the county, 11:30 to 12:00 noon; at Clyde Senior city or school declines on purchasing the existing building.

The Baird facility is only state highway maintenance building in Callahan County. The maintenance facility at Baird employs 15 people.

supported the repeal of the 55 mile-perhour national speed limit.

"Driving from long distances across Texas at 55 mph, two things happen. You cither get discouraged and turn back, or you're going to get run over," joked Gramm, adding that he believed the Texas Legislature was fully capable of setting an appropriate speed limit in rural arcas.

Current law sets national limits for all vehicles of 55 mph on most roads and 65 mph on rural interstates.

"It's illogical for politicians in trafficcongested Washington, D. C. to make a law that sets the same speed limit on a 100-mile stretch of the Texas Panhandle and a crowded Houston freeway,"

highways—as the National Highway System and provide \$13 billion over two years to upgrade these roads. The measure has yet to be considered by the House.

Under a 1991 law, roughly \$440 million from the Highway Trust Fund is to be provided in each of 1996 and 1997 to help improve and maintain Texas roads, if the National Highway System is officially designated by September 30 of this year. In 1974, Congress set a national speed limit of 55 mph in an effort to conserve gasoline at the height of the Arab oil embargo. Congress approved a 65-mph speed limit for rural interstates in 1987, and extended it to four-lane highways in 1991, subject to state approval.

COLEMAN'S PRCA RODEO JULY 13-15

Coleman's 58th Annual PRCA Rodeo will be held Thursday through Saturday, July 13-15 at 8:00 p.m. It will take place in The Coleman Rodco Association Arena which is located on 33 acres south of Coleman and seats 6,000 people and has free parking adjoining the dust-free arcna.

The stock will be furnished by the DON GAY ALL STAR RODEO of Mesquite, owned by Mr. Don Gay who is an eight time World Champion Bull Rider and a member of the Pro Rodeo Hall of Champions. Charlie Throckmorton of Grandview will serve as the rodeo announcer, and music will be provided by Donnic Ncff of Santa Anna.

distribute USDA commodities in Calla-

han County at Cross Plains Multi-Pur-

pose Center July 13, from 8:00 to 10:00

a.m.; at Putnam City Hall, July 12, from

Center, July 12, from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

and at Baird VTW, July 12, from 9:30 to

C.T.O., Inc. has no control over what

items are available or the quantity of the

items. All locations of all commodities

11:00 a.m."

The bullfighters for the 1995 Rodeo are Gary Hedeman and Barry Hankins. Quail Dobbs will serve as barrelman, and he will also perform specialty acts.

The rodeo dance will be held at the **RODEO DANCE PAVILION cach night** starting at 9 p.m. Sonny Burgess Band of Cleburne will provide the music.

The parade, which will feature floats, out-of-town shcriff's posses, and local riders, will be held Saturday, July 15, at 5 p.m.

A barbcque sponsored by the Coleman High School Cheerleaders will be held at the Breeder-Feeder Building at the rodeo grounds Saturday, July 15, from 6 to 8 p.m.

USDA Commodities **Distributed Locally**

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. will depends on the availability of food items from USDA.

All cligible persons will receive emergency food assistance without regard to race, color, age, national origin, political beliefs, religion, sex, or handicap. Shutins are encouraged to designate an authorized representative to pick up for them. Voluntcers are greatly needed and appreciated to help with this much needed program.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT Bill Johnson presiding

Misdemeanor Filing Lisa Weber, criminal mischief.

Misdemeanor Minutes Linda Garrison, theft of property by check, \$10 fine \$195 court costs, 1 year probation.

Jody Lee Hare, motion filed to revoke probation.

Probations discharged on the following: Sharrai Elizabeth Smoot, Johnny D. Davis, Alfredo C. Gonzales, Jr., Rusty Bill Wells, Russell Belton Whitehead, Julia Ledford.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE Angie Laureen Garcia & James Brian Turner of Clyde.

42nd DISTRICT COURT John Weeks presiding

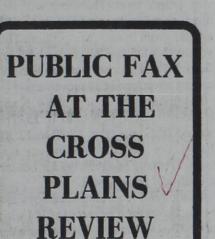
Civil Filings Divorces filed: Whitley, Eric & Donna M. Cortez, Ernest & Amelia.

Civil Minutes Strickland, F.A. & Ida Mae, divorce suit dismissed with prejudice. Divorces granted: Golson, Jessie Odell & Dorothy M. Reed, Edith Darlene & Timothy Dwayne. Womack, Brenna Lynn & Joshua Andrew. Beasley, Karen Yvonne & Ricky Dan.

Felony Minutes Clay L. Canales, criminal trespass, \$500 fine, 60 days in jail probated for 6 months. Roy D. Allen, theft, 5 years at TDC.

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CARLA SEIDENBERGER

Funeral Services for Carla Seidenberger of Midland were held at 10 a.m. at St. Stephens Catholic Church with Father John Waldron officiating. Interment followed in Resthaven Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funcral Home of Midland.

Mrs. Seidenberger died Saturday, June 24, 1995, in a hospital in Weatherford. She was born June 21, 1948, in Big Spring, where she was reared and educated. She met Barney Seidenberger in Big Spring, and they were married on January 21, 1967. In the late 1960s they moved to Midland. Mrs. Seidenberger worked at several oil companies located in Midland. She was active in little league and in Lee High School Booster Clubs for cheerleaders, baseball, and football.

Survivors include her husband: Barney Scidenberger, Midland; three sons: Robbic and Phillip both of Midland, and Mark of Lubbock; her mother, Chloc Pierce, Big Spring; one brother, Jimmy Pierce, Knoxville, Tennessee; one granddaughter; four nieces, and seven nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father, J.C. Pierce in 1977, and a brother, Ronnie Pierce in 1964.

The family requests that memorials be directed to the American Heart Association, 3525 Andrews Highway, Stc. 111, Midland, Texas 79703.

Tax Seminar July 13

(AUSTIN) --- "At the Comptroller's Office, we understand that state tax issucs can sometimes become very complex and confusing. Since taxpayers can't just pick up and come to Austin whenever they need assistance we'll hold a free taxpayer seminar in the Abilene area on Thursday, July 13," State Comptroller John Sharp announced today.

The seminar will be held at 1290 S Willis, Suite 202 from 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Bob Jones and Mike Brady from the Comptroller's Abilene field office will be available to meet and discuss any questions pertaining to state taxes.

"It's important that taxpayers have a full understanding of state taxes. This seminar has been designed just for that,"

Memorials **To County Cancer Unit**

The following memorials have been received by the Callahan County Unit of the American Cancer Society:

Beatrice (Tots) Dees - Ralph & Floy McMullen Doyle Lovell - Raymond & Dorothy

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Gladys Probst - Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Nance

Scott Cheshier - Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Barron

J.L. Ault - Ralph & Floy McMullen Bonnie Faye McDaniel - Ralph & Floy McMullen

Selan L. Canada - Ralph & Floy McMullen **Opal La Roe - Billie Ruth Shackelford**

Pearl Windham - Joe & Cubelle L. Harris

Jessie Mac Pyeatt - F.L. & Ida Mac Strickland C.W. Swope - Mr. & Mrs. L. E.

Simmons, Paula Patton & Theresa Holmes

Charles Brame - Joe & Cubelle L. Harris

Frances Barton - Evalyn Scott Maurine Varner - Wesley & Vonnie Rutherford, Jane Kendrick

Lunelle Sutphen - Margie Sullivan Viola Mae Ellis - J. L. & Vera

Marinelli Family Bob Williams - Dub & Ruby Cutbirth Avanell Webb Halbrook - Ralph & Floy McMullen, Mrs. Dollie Faircloth. Mrs. Louise Jones

Larry O'Brian - Thomas M. Ivey Ruth McCarley - Iva Dauster, Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Nance

Mrs. Margarita Schrader - Mary Ruth Chatham, Aubrey & Charlotte Loper. Joe & Cubelle L. Harris

Ruth McCarley - Evalyn Scott Allen Knight Coventry - Leonard & Rosa Belle Farmer

Lee Trachsel, Salem, Oregon - Anbrey N. & Charlotte Loper

Leaman H. Hayhurst - Evalyn Scott Clara Marks - Fern Watts Bob Davis - Melanic, Thornton &

Billic Ruth Shackelford Mark Eb Atteache - Raymond & Roberta Com

Bud Smith - Joe & Cubelle L. Harris Wendell Lee Batley - Mr. & Mrs. L. E.

Simmons, Ralph & Floy McMullen Maurine Marr - Ralph & Floy McMullen

Memorials should be sent to Cubelle L. Harris, 300 W. 9th, Baird, TX 79504.

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PARTICIPANTS-Theresa Fritz, left, first and second respectively at the and Jeffrey Holland, right, show off the county level to carn them the right to certificates they carned as participants in compete at the district. Marvin Rogers, the Texas Department of center, is the Callahan county mainte-Transportation's Abilene district Roadco nance section supervisor. (Photo by competition. Fritz and Holland, mainte- Mary Beth Kilgore) nance technicians for the Callahan

Man's unhappiness; as I construe, comes of his greatness; it is because there is Infinite in him, which with all his cunning he cannot quite bury under the Finite.

-Thomas Carlyle



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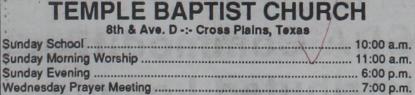
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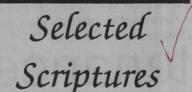
Phone (817) 725-7265

Sharp said.

Bob Jones and Mike Brady, two of our many agency experts, will be available to deliver quick accurate information to tax questions and assist taxpayers in any way wc can.

Those taxpayers who cannot attend the free seminar can call the Comptroller's toll-free hotline at 1-800-252-5555 for additional assistance.

For more information about the Abilene seminar, call the Abilene field office at (915) 695-4323.



They are to eat the lamb ... They must not leave any of it till morning or break any of its bones... Numbers 9:11-12 (Also Exodus 12:46)

Phone 725-6574

Now it was the day of Preparation, and the next day was to be a special Sabbath. Because the Jews did not want the bodies left on the crosses during the Sab. bath, they asked Pilate to have the legs broken and the bodies taken down. The soldiers therefore came and broke the legs of the first man who had been crucified with Jesus, and then those of the other. But when they came to Jesus and found he was al. ready dead, they did not break his legs. Instead, one of the soldiers pierced Jesus' side with a spear, bringing a sudden flow of blood and water. The man who saw it has given testimony, and his testimony is true. John 19:31 Paid Advertising - Irma Miller

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Her Smile By Tonya Hayrood

Long before her spoken word, there was that SMILE. That SMILE that said more than a simple hello, but rather proclaimed, "welcome to my family."

Long before that sassy walk, that larger than life laugh, there was that SMILE. The SMILE of a wife looking adoringly at her soul mate. The SMILE of a mother in awe of the son created by their love.

Long before the never-ending story,

the moment's deadline - the big scoop, there was that SMILE. The SMILE that said, "no problem, I can do it." The SMILE that told us everything is possible. The SMILE that was simply "KATHY."

And now in our deepest sorrow and loss, it is that SMILE that will get us to tomorrow and tomorrow and yet another tomorrow. For we will always remember and hold in our hearts THAT SMILE.

COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS

son.

By LINDA EDINGTON Activity Director

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, AMERICA! Thank You, God, for America. We are wishing everyone a happy and

safe Fourth of July. We would like to express our heartfelt sympathies and love to Billie Ruth Loving and Zenovia Strickland on the loss of their loved one. Memories are a treasure time cannot take away. May you be surrounded by happy ones today.

Allie Dickson is looking pretty with her new perm.

Mildred Ford and Elsie Porter were our lucky winners for a meal at Jack's Place. Thanks Wanda and Jack.

ies.

Jenny Pancake, Misty Callaway, and Tiffany were here visiting with everyone.

Joy Gerking visited with Myrtle Wil-

Activities during the week: Monday: Bingo winners were Midge McCall, Vera Belyeu (2), Suma Dill, Allie Dickson (2), Gertie Powell (3), and Ressa Glover (2). There were also an exercise class and domino games.

Tuesday: Art classes and Skip-Bo games were offered, and Popcorn was served.

Wednesday: Bob Wallace led a Sing-a-Long, and there were an exercise class and domino games.

Thursday: Bingo winners were Suma Dill (2), Sylvia Smith, Midge McCall (2), Vcra Belycu, Irma Deen Haddox, Ressa Glover (2), and Mildred Ford. Joy

Gerking presented some music. Friday: Sister Ruby and Bobby Jack Our appreciation to Ruby Cassle for the McCowen led in some singing. There cakes and to Frances Wolf for the cook- was also a game of Sit-Down Basketball. Sunday: Services were held by the Pioncer Revival Center.

The Light of the World is Jesus.

59TH ANNUAL WOODY REUNION JULY 8 AND 9

The 59th annual Woody Reunion will activities will conclude at the Cottonbe held July 8 and 9. On Saturday, July 8, wood Community Center. All relatives and friends are invited to atter the festivities will be held in the Glenn Champion home. Sunday, July 9, the

Taylor County Old Settlers Reunion July 14 And 15

The 75th Taylor County Old Settlers Reunion will be held Friday and Saturday, July 14 and 15 at the Old Settlers Grounds in Buffalo Gap (free admission).

Friday's events include a hamburger supper and social gathering with entertainment and history of Taylor County slide presentation by Cactus Jack beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday begins with the Parade Registration at 8:30 a.m.; Hometown Parade 10:00 a.m.; Abilene Community Band performs at 11:00 a.m.; 11:30 Introductions and Awards; and a noon Bar-b-que Lunch (\$4.50) catered by Perrini's. Afternoon activities are the Cadre Vert Quadrille; Fiddlers Contest; 42 and Domino Tournament; Mule Jumping; Children's Area; Horseshoe and Washer Pitching; Special Pioncer Exhibits; and a Hamburger Supper. A Dance will be held from 8 a.m. to midnight (\$5.00 per person) featuring Muddy Creek.



Barr And Creager To Wed July 14

Johnny Creager and Cindy Barr of Breckenridge announce their engagement and upcoming marriage. The prospective bride is the daughter of Regie and Glenda Barr of Pioneer. The prospective groom is the son of Billie Creager and the late Richard Creager of Breckenridge.

The couple will marry on July 14, 1995 in Breckenridge. A reception will follow the ceremony.

Hall Challenges HSU's 1995 Graduates

ABILENE-Dr. Lanny Hall, president, challenged Hardin-Simmons University graduates to choose carefully as life is full of choices at May commencement exercises.

Angela Honca of Cross Plains received the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree.

Abilene Superintendent Charles Hundley was in the spotlight at graduation ccremonies, receiving an honorary Doctor of Humanities degree.

Hall, in telling the graduates-to-be that they were "ready to move to the next step in life," challenged them to realize their strengths and "rely on God" in decisions that lie ahead. "We learn from our past. Those things that we experience shape our future," he declared. Undergraduates received their degrees

in morning ceremonies and master's degree candidates and Dr. Hundley received their degrees during the afternoon.

HSU, affiliated with the Baptist Gencral Convention of Texas, was founded in 1891. The fall registration begins on Friday, August 25 and classes start on Monday, August 28.

National Fair Housing Law Marks 27th Anniversary

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KRISTY WEBB AND MICHAEL MCKEE Webb - McKee To Wed July 22

Kristy Webb, 18, and Michael McKee, Carlsbad. 19, both of Artesia, New Mexico will The groom is the son of Rusty and exchange wedding vows at 2 p.m. July 22 Patricia McKee of Artesia. He is a 1993

at the Pecos Inn in Artesia. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Tim couple will reside in Artesia. All friends and Sherrie Webb of Cisco. The is a 1995 of the couple are invited to attend. graduate of Bethel Christian School in

graduate of Artesia High School. The

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Intermittent Exercise

Too busy, too lazy to exercise for 30 minutes? According to a report in the Journal of the AMA, moderate activity scattered over the day will help avoid dangers of long-term illness. Walking briskly, playing with children, climbing stairs, cleaning house, or dancing, can reduce your risk of heart disease and other health problems. Millions of Americans, about one in five, get no significant physical activity. The key is to make the activity at least as intense as brisk walking.

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BREAKTHRU By Bob Pipes, preacher **Cross Plains Church of Christ** 433 N. Main At 12th

(817) 725-6117 There's a song entitled "The Lord Bless and Keep You", and in addition to that, the song

goes on to say, "The Lord lift His countenance upon you, and give you peace ... and be gracious unto you." It's a song of benediction and comes from a passage in the Old Testament, Numbers 6:24-26. It is usually referred to as the "Aaronic Benediction" because God told Moses to tell Aaron (and Aaron's sons) to bless the children of Israel with these words. So the scripture has simply been made into a hymn wherein and whereby we might ask for God's blessings to be upon one another.

To have God's blessings upon them proved to be a great blessing indeed for the Israelites. I'm convinced we need His blessings today just as they did back then. They had been gone from Egypt where they had been held in bondage for years -- they had been gone for about a year and were about to leave Mount Sinai to journey to the promised land, Canaan. With God's blessings -- if they obeyed -- they would be in the land which flowed with milk and honey in another year or less. What they had not learned well enough was that if they disobeyed, instead of God's blessings, they would have His curse upon them. Let me encourage you to read more in the Old Testament of the experiences of the people of God from the creation. If you would like to have a daily Bible reading schedule -- or a free Bible correspondence course -- to help you in your study of the Bible, please let your desires be known and we will supply.

Sunday Morning Bible Class ... 9:45 a.m. Wed. Evening Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus



CIVIL WAR COLLECTION

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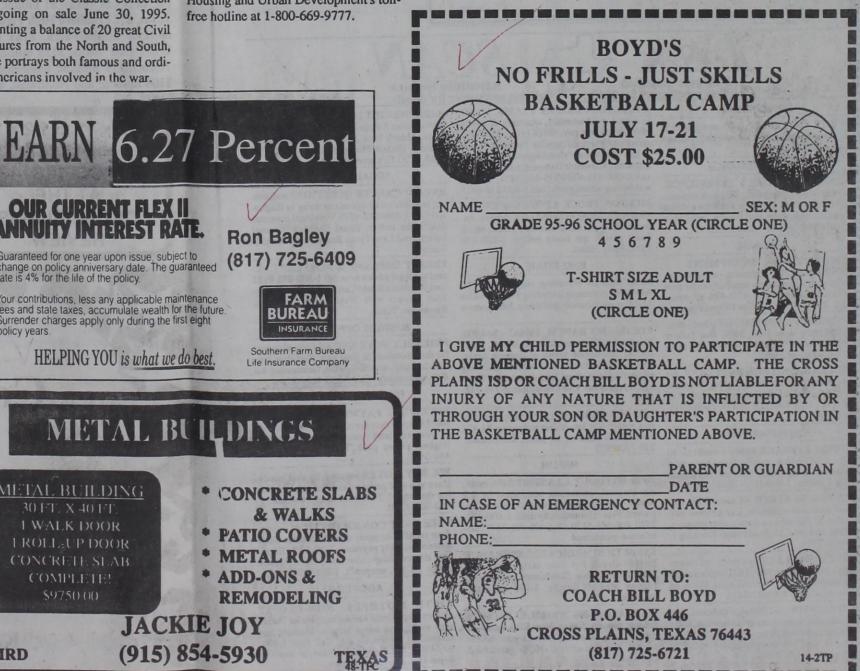
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TEXAS HOSPITALS FACE \$4 BILLION MEDICAID LOSS, PLACING LOCAL HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS, TAXPAYERS IN CRITICAL CONDITION

AUSTIN-State Comtroller John Sharp, a longtime advocate of block grants, said that proposed funding formuals now before Congress could cost Texas public hospitals up to \$4 billion and shift the fiscal burden to local taxpayers.

"Local property taxes help fund Texas' major public hospitals," Sharp said. "For them, the choice will be to raise those taxes or close their doors forever.

"Our analysis shows that by the year 2002, some public hospitals would have to hike local tax rates by as much as 50 percent to cover the shortfall caused by inequities in the proposed Congressional plan."

The Comptroller's analysis details current Medicaid payments to all Texas hospitals, the amount each hospital would lose under current Congressional proposals and the tax increase that would

be necessary to cover those losses. The analysis concludes that Texas hospitals could lose up to \$4 billion over the next seven years, depending on the growth of Medicaid patients during that period.

Total losses to all Texas health care providers could soar as high as \$12 billion in federal funding over the same period.

"I'm committed to block grants to help balance the federal budget and give Texas communities the flexibility to meet their needs," Sharp said. "But current proposals would force Texas taxpayers to subsidize health care for folks in a handful of powerful Northeastern states. Texans deserve better than an unfair system that treats a sick child here as if he or she were worth half a sick child in New York.

simple solution instead-send the money where the people are."

According to Sharp's analysis, Houston will be the hardest hit region of the state. Ben Taub and the other three hospitals in the Harris County Hospital District could lose nearly \$200 million over the next seven years. Two hospitals without tax bases, Texas Children's and Hermann, could lose \$163 million and \$142 million respectively. Altogether, Houston-area hospitals could lose \$1.2 billion.

Other big losers include Parkland Hospital in Dallas, with \$140 million in potential losses, totaling more than \$500 million in losses throughout the Metroplex. The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston faces \$130 million in potential losses.

Sharp said that Texas hospitals could "Washington sould abandon these weather the transition to Medicaid block failed formulas of the past adn turn to a grants if Congress were to adopt a funding formula that treats all states fairly. His National Fair Share Block Grant Plan would distribute Medicaid funds according to each state's percentage of the U.S. population and its poverty rate. "Since early this year, I've been working to build a consensus among the twothirds of all states that stand to lose under current proposals," Sharp said. "We've worked with the Sunbelt Coalition, Governor Lawton Chiles of Florida, Controller Kathleen Connell of California, and anyone in Washington who will listen.

> "We have an historic opportunity to shape the distribution of Medicaid dollars into the next century. Not only can we help Congress balance the federal budget, but we can see to it that growing states like ours get their fair share."

> Sharp praised Texas Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison for taking the lead in the Senate for equitable public assistance block grants. He also applauded Texas Congressman Joe Barton, John Bryant, and Ralph Hall, all of whom serve on the U.S. House subcommittee on Medicaid, and Texas Health and Human Services Commissioner Mike McKinney for their combined efforts on behalf of fair funding formulas.

Medicaid was created in 1965 to ensure access to health care for low- and middleincome families, as well as long-term care for the elderly. Today, Medicaid serves as the basic health insurance for more than two million Texans. Twentysix percent of Texas children and 14 percent of elderly Texans, three-quarters of them women, depend on Medicaid for basic, primary health care. The program also pays for 40 percent of all Texas births.

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COOKIE & BOB ROBINSON ... Callahan County volunteer 4-H leaders honored

Volunteer 4-H Leaders Honored At Luncheon

Forty-two volunteer 4-H leaders were recently honored at the Annual District 7 4-H Volunteer Recognition Luncheon. The luncheon was held at the River Club in San Angelo.

The function recognizes individuals or institutions instrumental in 4-H's success in each of the 23 counties of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service's District 7. The event has been sponsored for the last 28 years by the ten rural electric cooperatives serving the Area covered by Extension's District 7.

Selected to represent Callahan County were Bob & Cookie Robinson of Clyde. Both of these leaders have been involved in the 4-H Shooting Sports Project for the past several years as instructors and club project coordinators. They have also assisted other leaders of the club in building the new Callahan County 4-H Shooting Range between Baird and Clyde. Our congratulations to both of these outstanding Leaders.

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"Local taxpayers will be in critical condition if fairness and common sense don't become part of the debate in Washington," Sharp said. "Either they will be forced to dig deeper into their pockets or stand by helplessly as, one by one, their public hospitals are shuttered and closed."

Sharp's analysis shows that hospitals in other regions of the state stand to lose significant amounts of Medicaid funding. In South Texas, \$1 billion; Central Texas, \$227 million; High Plains, \$206 million; El Paso-area, \$181 million; Upper East Texas, \$155 million; West Texas, \$119 million; Southeast Texas, \$108 million; and Northwest, \$80 mil-

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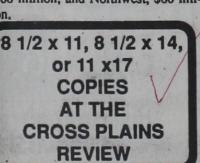
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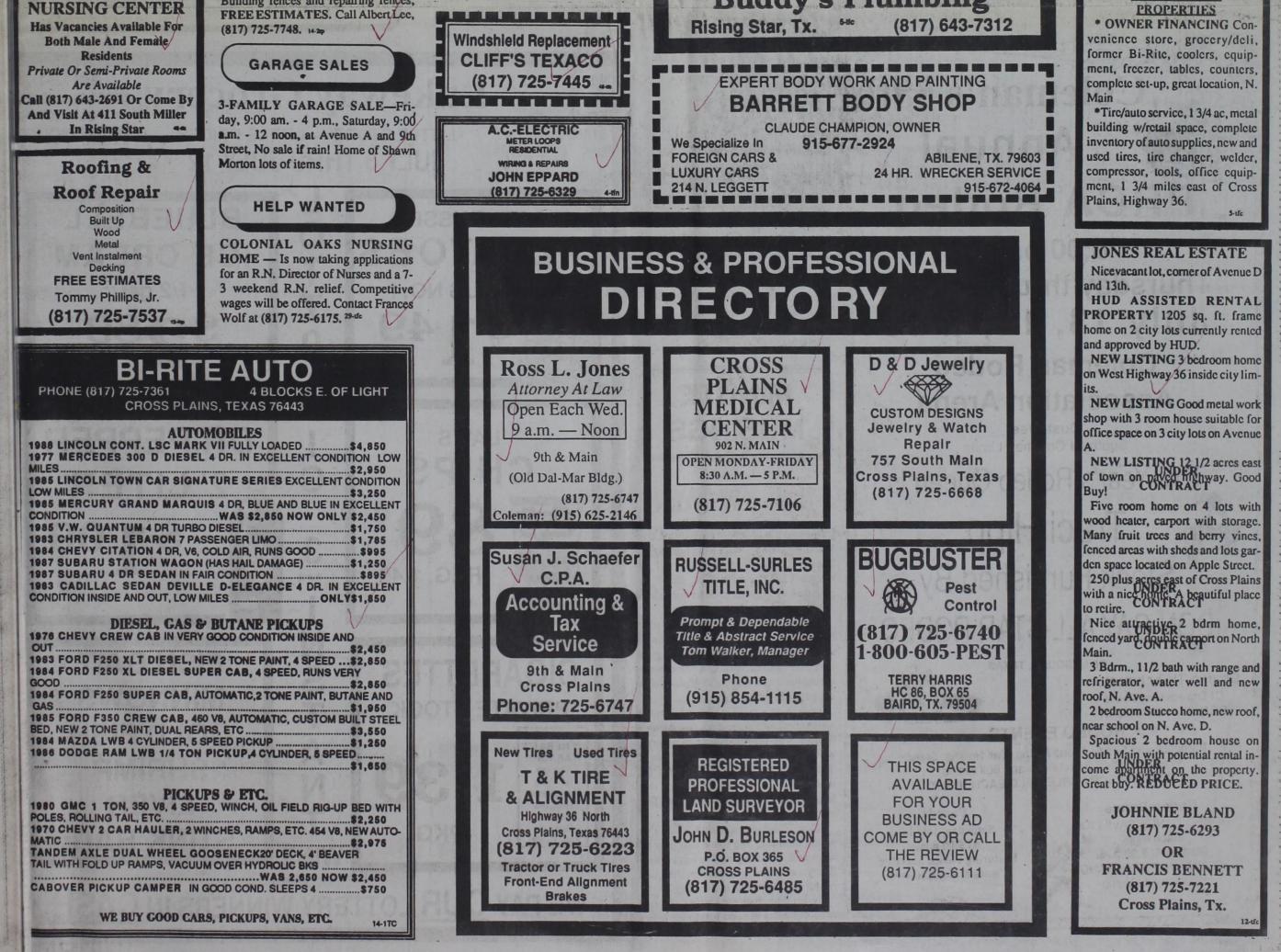


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PLANTING PINE TREES-Clint Natural Resources Conservation Ser-Watts, Derric Nichols, Devin Joy, Caty vices, at the Callahan County Shooting



SHOOTING RANGE WORK-4-H leaders put up the shooting benches on members Clint Watts, Caty Warrick and the rifle firing line at the Callahan Brian Robinson help 4-H volunteer County Shooting Range recently.

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-George Bernard Shaw

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Field was seeded in grass. The Archery

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All the 4-H Shooters are geared up for lots of practice in all three disciplines for

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Shooters will be in San Antonio for the

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Kyle and Kory Hartman proudly wel-

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this world on June 22, 1995, at Pecos

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Bakersfield, Texas. Grandparents are

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and Mrs. Randal Hartman of Bakersfield.

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Work has continued this summer at the Callahan County Shooting Range. With continued work from 4-H members, their volunteer leaders, parents, and community volunteers, Phase I of the Range is nearing completion. Watch for upcoming grand opening and other scheduled events.

Recently a covered firing line has been constructed on the Rifle Range. Ten pine trees donated by the Natural Resources Conservation Service were put out earlier this summer and the Skeet

CJC Summer Registration Begins

Registration for the second summer session at Cisco Junior College campus will be held on July 11 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Night classes held on Monday and Wednesday nights will be Reading in English Literature, History of U.S. Since Reconstruction, Developmental Writing I, II, and III, and Trigonometry from 6:15 to 10:15 p.m. Tucsday and Thursday night classes are English Composition and Rhetoric, State and Local Government, College and Intermediate Algebra from 6:15 to 10:15 p.m.

The first class day is July 11. The last day to register is July 12. For more information, contact the Cisco Junior College Admission's office at (817) 442-2567.

District **Horse Show**

Over 80 4-H'ers from District 7 recently competed at the annual District 7 4-H Horse Show held in Sweetwater. Scott Mackey of Cross Plains exhibited the Reserve Grand Champion Mare. This mare was also 1st in her class and also was 1st in the yearling mare competition. Rachel Smith also of Cross Plains was 1st place winner in the under 5 year old mares. Both of these 4-H'ers will be competiting at the State 4-H Horse Show in July in Abilene.

Jaycees And 4-H Club

The Ranger Jaycees and 4-H Club is

sponsoring a Playday Saturday, July 15 at

the Ranger Rodeo Arena. Events offered include Poles, Barrels, Flags, Stakes,

Goat Ribbon Pulling, and for ages six and

younger, a Stick Horse Race. Books will

open at 9 a.m., and the fee is \$1 per event. The activities will commence at 10 a.m.

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For more information, contact Tammy

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MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

This small talk should be just that this

Monday morning. With a big holiday on Tuesday, many folks are taking a long

weckend for the celebration, and I am

glad that we are able to do as we please. All countries are not free as we are.

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job! She is tremendous in her maneu-

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were timely and interesting. Our pastor's

subject was "Duty, Honor, Country",

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