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THE SINGING WILLS FAMILY TO PERFORM LOCALLY

Southern Gospel Quartet the "Singing Wills Family" will be in concert in Cross Plains, at Living Water Ministries Fellowship, Highway 36 West, Saturday evening, July 1 beginning at 6:30.

Since 1938 the "Singing Wills Family" has been traveling across the U.S. promoting the Southern Gospel Style of music to the honor and praise of the Lord Jesus Christ and His word.

They had a weekly radio show in the 50's and 60's and in the 60's made the first color taped syndicated TV show of gospel music.

Calvin helped organize the Southern Gospel Music Association and in 1972 hosted the SGMA TV Program "Keep

On Singing" and owns the Sword and Shield Record Company. He sings bass and manages the group. Lillie Wills, Calvin's wife sings lead and alto and has been with the group since 1960.

John Points brings over 50 years of experience to the group, has sung and played piano for many groups.

Johnny Smith sings lead and tenor and plays harmonica and has been with the group since '85.

The newest member is Duain Petty, and he's been singing gospel music since he was 10 years old.

Also in concert with the Wills Family will be Colleen Anderson, singing the gospel "Country Style". Song writer,

recording artist, and pastor of Living Water Ministries. Colleen has been singing and sharing the love of the Lord for many years; she will bless and encourage you.

Stan and Marianne Smith will also be in concert sharing the gospel in song. Stan was a studio musician in Nashville and is now in partnership with Mark Warren in "Messiah Studios", state of the art recording studio in Abilene. You will love this couple and enjoy the talent God has given them to share the gospel. Everyone is invited and admission is free. An offering will be taken to help with expenses.

Services Held Monday, For I.B. Loving

Ira Benjamin Loving, Jr., I.B. to all of us, was born to Ira and Mittie Loving on July 27, 1918. He attended the Cross Plains Public Schools, graduating with honors in 1936. During the following two years he attended East Texas State Teachers College, after which he worked in Fort Worth until he entered the Air Corps. There he served as an instructor in aerial gunnery. Following his service, he returned to East Texas State, where he majored in Business and History.

His first teaching job was in Burkett. In 1950 he came to Cross Plains as Elementary Principal. In following years, he taught commercial studies, history, and math in Cross Plains High School. For two of those years he was high school principal, after which he returned to teaching. He also taught drivers education for many years. In 1961 the school annual, The Bison, was dedicated to him. Mr. Loving was an avid golfer, fisher-

man, and hunter.

After a two-month stay in Audie Murphy Hospital in San Antonio, I. B. passed away Saturday, June 24, 1995. On July 27 he would have been 77 years old.

Services were held Monday at the Higginbotham Funeral Chapel with Bob Pipes officiating, assisted by Tom Cosper. Ira Evers delivered a touching eulogy. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Leota Evers.

Survivors include two sisters, Billie Loving and Zenovia Strickland, both of Cross Plains; and two nephews, Billy D. Strickland of Glen Rose and Ira Evers of San Antonio.

Pallbearers were Dusty Finn, Robert Eubank, Dick Grider, Charlie Grider, Scott Odom, and John Swift. Honorary pallbearers were James Alexander, Bobby Dillard, and Melvin Placke.

Colonial Oaks Services

Church of Christ will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, July 2, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

Rising Star Freedom Festival July 4

The Rising Star Freedom Festival will be held Tuesday, July 4 beginning with a parade at 10 a.m. A flag raising at 11:30 a.m. will be followed by a barbecue lunch.

Music, kiddie train ride, bed races, dunking booths, pick-up softball, crafts, and a city wide garage sale will be other highlights of the event.

Make plans to celebrate July 4th by attending.

ROPING CLUB MEETS

The monthly meeting will be held Monday, July 3 at 7 p.m. at the Roping Arena.

All members are urged to attend.

Methodist Youth Bake Sale July 3

The Methodist Youth will have a bake sale Monday, July 3 in front of Village Market beginning at 9:00 a.m. They invite you to let them do your July 4th baking.

Proceeds will be used for a summer youth trip.

City Council Meets July 3

The regular council meeting of the Cross Plains City Council will meet on Monday, July 3 instead of at the regular time which would have fallen on Tuesday, July 4. Meeting time is 6:30 p.m.

Stenholm To Visit July 9

Congressman Charles Stenholm will be visiting with his constituents in Cross Plains on Wednesday, July 5 at the Citizens State Bank at 9 a.m. He invites residents to come by and discuss legislative policies. Stenholm welcomes questions and encourages input from voters in this area.

Refreshments will be served in the bank lobby and everyone is invited to attend.

Fireworks Safety Tips

LOCAL RESIDENTS ARE REMINDED THAT FIREWORKS ARE NOT TO BE USED IN THE CITY LIMITS.

To help Texans celebrate the Fourth of July holiday safely, the Texas Commission on Fire Protection offers the following safety tips:

1. Purchase fireworks only from a licensed vendor. Fireworks vendors must have a valid permit from the Texas Commission on Fire Protection.

2. Know the laws in your community. Many Texas cities and communities regulate the possession and use of fireworks. Contact local fire department or law enforcement authorities regarding fireworks rules in your community.

3. Read and follow all safety directions. Fireworks sold in Texas must be clearly labeled with safety instructions. The label must show that the fireworks conform to U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission and U.S. Department of Transportation standards.

4. Use fireworks outdoors only, in an open area away from houses and flammable materials. Be sure that fireworks—especially aerial fireworks—will not come into contact with or land on objects such as power lines or automobiles.

5. Keep a bucket of water handy while setting off fireworks. Use the water to pour on malfunctioning fireworks, to immerse minor burns, and to dispose of used sparklers.

6. Never give fireworks to children. Designate a responsible, sober adult to ignite the fireworks. Keep everyone—especially young children—a safe distance from where the fireworks are ignited.

7. Never touch a firework after it has been lit. If the firework malfunctions, do not try to re-light it or pick it up. Douse all used fireworks with water.

8. Don't make fireworks at home, and don't take fireworks apart or mix anything with the contents. Don't set off fireworks in metal, glass, or other types of containers.

9. Never point or throw fireworks at another person.

10. Store fireworks in a cool, dry place. Never carry fireworks in your pocket.

11. Dispose of used fireworks properly. After you have finished lighting fireworks, pour water on the remains. Collect all used fireworks, put them in a metal container, and cover the remains with water again to reduce the chances of an accidental fire.



GTE REPRESENTATIVES INVITED TO MEET WITH KIWANIS CLUB—Pictured are Jerry Luthrell (from left), Joe Hanke, and Joel Johnson.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO GTE CUSTOMERS IN THE CROSS PLAINS AREA

You may or may not have read the "Public Notice" from GTE in the June 15 Cross Plains Review. When Kiwanian Joe Hanke, Jr. read it, he called GTE to see if a company representative would explain the proposal in more detail to the Kiwanis Club. Joel Johnson, GTE Representative, clarified some things to those present at the June 20 Kiwanis meeting. Kiwanians felt that further information and clarification should be known by all GTE customers of the area.

First, please go back and read the "Public Notice" in its entirety if possible. Someone in the Cross Plains area petitioned for "Expanded Toll-Free Calling to the Abilene, Baird, Brownwood, Coleman, Cisco, Clyde, Comanche, Eastland, Putnam, Ranger, and DeLeon Exchanges" (toll-free calling like we now have to Rising Star). The reason Burkett is not included is because the exchange there is owned by a cooperative.

Following are some clarifications regarding the proposal:

1. The cost will be \$3.50 per month per telephone number for residences, and \$7 per month per telephone number for businesses.

2. All telephone customers in all these locations will also have the opportunity to vote on this proposal. It can pass or fail either way or both ways, i.e. if Cross Plains votes "Yes" to other locations, but any or all other locations vote "No," Cross Plains will still have the toll-free calling, but the ones voting "No" will not have it to call us.

3. The cost for this will be the same whether one town or all towns are approved—so if you desire this for one location, vote "Yes" for all locations. Ballots will be mailed by GTE within 30 days from June 15 to all customers. If you have further questions regarding any of this, call Joe Hanke, Jr. (725-6562) or Bob Pipes (725-6117).

Ranch Rodeo 1995 Results

By CLIFFADEAN HARGROVE

Brown County Backhoe took the honors and the belt buckles at this year's ranch rodeo. Team members Frankie Hyles, Foreman, Buck Hyles, Clay McGonagill, Alan Fleming, and Tommy Brown penned, mugged, branded, milked the cow and ran the relay race and the championship.

Reserve Champion was the Silverbrook Ranch. Team members Tim Byerly, Foreman, Kevin Elkins, David Williams, Mel Matthews and Dale Deaton received jackets for their efforts. Coming in 3rd in a tight race was the team from Cutbirth, Bonner and McWilliams Ranch with Joe McWilliams, Foreman, John Fred McWilliams, Cody Odom, Ted McCulloch and Ronnie McWhirter. This team received ropes donated by Mel Matthews of Cisco Rope Company.

Following close on the heels of 3rd place was Strength Paint and Body one point shy in 4th place. Team members were Jim Hargrove, Foreman, Johnny Stewart, Dustin Hinyard, Ronnie Barr

and Dean Dillard. One point less of 4th was Village Market in 5th place with Randall Witt, Foreman, Kyle Scott, Billy Phillips, Mike Cannon and Bubba Wilson.

Pioneer Co-Op took 6th place, Regin Stover, Foreman, Jason Fleming, Bubba Hargrove, Travis Thomas and Mac Foster. There was a tie for 7th place between Citizens State Bank and Lawrence Farm and Ranch, with Citizens winning the tie-breaker for 7th place. Team members for Citizens were Randy Strickland, Foreman, Gary Wilson, Sam Hargrove, Lorin O'dell and Richard LeMay. Riding for Lawrence Farm and Ranch, Ted Wheeler, Foreman, Terry Johnson, Hoppy Hopkins, Cliff Holley and Royce Lawrence.

Rose Butane was 9th with team member Reggy Stover, Foreman, Jerry Dominy, Mike Roberts, Sam Seider and Michael Cowan.

10th place Johnson's Dry Goods Condra Odom, Foreman, Ricky

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The Cross Plains Review
Will Be
CLOSED
Tuesday, July 4
Articles Must Be In
By Friday, June 30
Ads Must Be In By
Monday, July 3

Independence Day

July 4, 1995



COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT Bill Johnson presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Charged with TPC (theft of property by check): Kerri Martin, Danny Dlugonski, N.W. McDaniel, Aureliano Ramos.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Wayne Snyder, TPC, \$10 fine \$173 court costs.
Kenneth McCollough, TPC, \$10 fine \$173 court costs, \$26.30 restitution, 20 days in jail probated for 6 months.

42nd DISTRICT COURT John Weeks presiding

Civil Minutes

Divorce granted:
Morrow, Christopher Shane & Peggy Sue.

Felony Indictments

Michael Patrick Kearney, intoxication assault.
Lisa Kay Lee, forgery.

Felony Minutes

William D. Gattis, probation revoked; sentenced to 3 years at TDC.
Cesario Juarez, forgery, \$1000 fine, 2 years at TDC probated for 5 years.

BURKETT NEWS

By LOVERA STRICKLAND

This is the fourth list of donations to the Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association.

Mosell Kelberg, (\$50); Mrs. E. C. Edmondson, (\$35); E. Marie Herring, (\$20); Fannie Bowden, (\$50); Barney and Sylvia Ransberger for Juanita Bowers and Stamphill plots, (\$20); Joe and Era Lee Hanke, (\$25); Roy Don Biehl, (\$30); Jan and Ken Baker, (\$10); Judy and Billy Porter, (\$20); Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walker, (\$20); Melba Walker, (\$50); Billy and Carol Watson, (\$50); Vera Pearl Bunnell, (\$20); Roy and Lela Young, (\$50); Minnie Burkett, (\$10); Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hill, (\$20); Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland, (\$25); R. T. Watson, (\$50); Merl Dean Koeing, (\$20); Mr. and Mrs. Ben Creek, (\$15); Walter and Willie G. Wilson, (\$15); Emery and Willie Rider, (\$10); O. W. Mayfield, (\$25); David and Laura Dean, (\$20); E. W. DeBusk, (\$25); Ruby Hubbard, (\$20); and Leta Dagley in memory of Clyde and Callie Gray, (\$10).

Each and every donation is greatly appreciated.

Mike and Linda Brady returned from vacation. They went to see their children, Kelly, Faith, and Savannah Brady in Columbus, Mississippi and then they all went to Memphis and Nashville, Tennessee. They attended the Grand Ole Opry while there. Then they went to see the Smoky Mountains and traveled to Atlanta, Georgia and back to Mississippi. They had a very fun time.

Tommy Gene and Lanette Burns of Brockenridge went to Arizona to attend the Shillings Reunion. They really enjoyed their trip.

OBITUARIES

Byrnes W. Temple

Services for Byrnes W. Temple, 83, of Lubbock were held Monday, June 19, 1995 in Lubbock at the Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. Cecil E. Foster, a retired Baptist minister officiated. Graveside services were held Tuesday in the White Oaks Cemetery in White Oaks, New Mexico.

Mr. Temple died Friday, June 16, 1995 at his residence in Lubbock.

He was born April 14, 1912 in Killeen. He lived many years in Lorenzo. Mr. Temple was a barber and owned the Tower Barber shop in Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife, Lee Dibert of Lubbock, two sons James Carter of Lubbock and Van W. of Albuquerque, New Mexico. Mr. Temple was the son-in-law of the Late Mrs. George Ann Bennett long time resident of Cross Plains.

The family suggests memorials to Hospice of Lubbock, P.O. Box 53276, Lubbock, Texas 79453.

Alma Baker King

Alma Baker King, 87, died Saturday, June 17, 1995. Memorial services were conducted at 10:00 a.m. Monday, June 26, 1995, at Christ Church Cathedral, 1117 Texas Ave. with the Rev. Canon John A. Logan, Jr. officiating.

Mrs. King was born in Burkett on November 13, 1907. She was active for many years in Christ Church Cathedral in Houston. Mrs. King spent over 20 years in South America with her husband of 67 years, Frank R. King. Mr. King predeceased his wife in 1994.

Survivors include children, Frank R. King, Jr. and wife, Myrna of Bedford, Mary of Houston; grandchildren, Mollie Bull, William A. King and Frank Ross King III of Fort Worth and Holly and Tavener King of Houston; a sister and two brothers who live in the Fort Worth area, Marie Andrews, Earl Baker and Bob Baker.

For those desiring, memorial contributions may be given to The Hospice At The Texas Medical Center, 1905 Holcombe Blvd., Houston, Texas 77030.

MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

Complete confusion is my great problem this Monday morning. I attended a family reunion in the Necessity Community and we had our own prayer services. There was good attendance.

In my Father's family, there were seven sons and seven daughters. Only the youngest daughter still lives--she was at our reunion. She is ninety-four years of age, and is almost blind. Her general health is good, and she has the sweetest outlook on life.

Bob Roady had a birthday last weekend and his family made it a special celebration. Cindy called in from Missouri; Joe and Beverly visited on Sunday. They visited N.A. Roady at Baird one day. Bob visited his mother at the nursing home nearly every day.

My daughter, Joan Elizabeth, called

me this morning. The new refrigerator she bought for me is not working as it should, and she is upset over that problem. I hope to get that problem solved soon.

I missed Betty Beggs last week and I'm missing her again this morning. Bless her heart! I'm glad she has those boys to help her through the long, long days. I want her to call me often.

I enjoyed a brief chat with Helen Tillotson. She did not have any special news, but I always enjoy my chats with her--she is always cheerful and care-free.

Mrs. Jewel Foster sounded great this morning. She went to Lubbock for the Father's Day reunion and had a great time with her loved ones.

I do so hope that my friends and neighbors will feel free to call me when and if they have a news item for this column--I need them!

COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS

By LINDA EDINGTON
Activity Director

Deen Haddock, Mayme Giddens, and Wonnice Walton are looking mighty pretty with their new perms. Leila Montgomery looks nice with her fresh hair cut.

Thoughts and prayers for Mary Keele who is in the hospital.

Our appreciation to Bonnie Witt for the brownies, to Frances Wolf for the cake and candy, to Ruby Cassle for bringing her cute little puppy for us to enjoy, to Pete Golsen for the candy and to John Adams for the squash.

Mrs. Garmond Parrish from Cisco visited Vera Belyeu.

Velma Lee visited Midge McCall, Myrtle Wilson and Callie Meadows.

Bryan and Eloise Eubank visited with David Smolley and Tud Hounshell.

Virginia Callaway visited Bertha Wheeler.

Betty and Gene Williams visited Evie Williams.

Glenn Champion visited Nettie Clark, Myrtle Wilson and others.

W.B. Porter from Odessa visited Elsie Porter.

Activities during the week:

Monday: Bingo winners were: Allie Dickson (2), Ressa Glover (2), Midge McCall, Mary Keele (2), Vera Belyeu, Suma Dill, Mildred Ford and Gertie Powell. Exercise class.

Tuesday: Art class.
Wednesday: Sing-a-long with Bob Wallace. Skip-Bo games and dominoes.

Thursday: Bingo winners were: Midge McCall, Suma Dill, Mildred Ford, Allie Dickson (2), Mary Keele, Ressa Glover, Vera Belyeu and Deen Haddock. Exercise class.

Friday: Sing-a-long with Bob Wallace. Sit-down-basketball.

Sunday: Church of Christ
Plan to have a good day...everyday!



The refrigerant CFC-12 will no longer be produced but car owners have many other cost-efficient options for staying cool.



LIVING WATER MINISTRIES FELLOWSHIP Living Water Ministries Fellowship Announces New Location

By COLLEEN ANDERSON

Living Water Ministries Fellowship is now meeting in their new home on Highway 36 West. Open House will be held from 10 a.m. to 12 noon Saturday, July 1 and then, starting at 6:30 a South-Central Gospel Concert will be held with the "Singing Wills Family", Colleen Anderson will also be in concert as well as Stan and Marianne Smith from Abilene.

Come and be blessed by the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ shared in song by these anointed people, and in praise and worship to God our Father and the Holy Spirit for His love and provision.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

We believe that both Old and New Testaments constitute the divinely inspired Word of God, inerrant in the originals.

We believe in one God existing eternally in three persons, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, became Man without ceasing to be God, in order that He might reveal God and redeem sinful men.

We believe that the Holy Spirit came forth from the Father and the Son to convict the world of sin, of righteousness, and of judgment; and to regenerate, sanctify, comfort, and seal those who believe in Jesus Christ, and to empower them to use spiritual gifts for the carrying out of the work of the Lord Jesus Christ.

We believe that man is totally depraved in that of himself he is utterly unable to remedy his lost condition.

We believe that salvation of man's

eternal being is the gift of God brought to man by grace and received by personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, whose atoning blood was shed on the cross for the forgiveness of sin.

We believe in the baptism by water of believers, symbolizing the believer's union in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

We believe in the observance of the Lord's Supper, commemorating the sacrifice of our Savior for all mankind.

We believe the life of the believer is to be separate from worldliness by consistent conduct before God and man, and is to be in the world as life-giving light.

We believe in the personal, visible, bodily, return of the Lord Jesus Christ, and that His second advent is essential to the fulfillment of God's plan for his age.

Selected Scriptures

They divide my garments among them and cast lots for my clothing. Psalm 22:18

...Dividing up his clothes, they cast lots to see what each would get. Mark 15:24

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CHURCH SERVICES

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.
Dr. Jim H. O'Dell - Pastor (817) 725-7556 Tony Appugliese — MY Min. (817) 725-6326

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

9TH & AVE. D CROSS PLAINS
WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.
BIBLE CLASS 10:30 A.M.
Rev. Henry Grubbs, Pastor
Everyone Welcome

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Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
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Bob Wallace, Pastor (817) 725-6607

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Charismatic

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New Location—Highway 36 West

Sunday Morning 10:00 a.m. Thursday Evening 7:00 p.m.
For Information Call (817) 725-8800
1-800-252-3629

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8th & Ave. D - Cross Plains, Texas

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Bro. Max Martin, Pastor

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New Arrival

KATELYN COLLEEN BALKUM

Sam and Dana Balkum of Lockhart are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Katelyn Colleen, on June 8, 1995. She was born at 6:22 p.m. at Seton Hospital in Austin. She weighed 4 pounds 13 1/2 ounces and was 17 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Larry and Delores Magee of Odessa, Louis Richardson of Stephenville, and Sam and Wilsie Balkum of Brownwood.

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Hoop-D-Do July 7-9

The Central Texas Hoop-D-Do, 3 on 3 basketball tournament will be held at Heartland Mall, 300 Early Blvd., Early, from July 7-9. There will be both men's and women's divisions. First place will be awarded \$100 and a trophy, and second place will be awarded \$50 and a trophy. All entries will receive a T-shirt.

The entry fee for up to four players is \$45, and the deadline is July 1.

The following divisions will be available:

TOP GUN—College experience or better and those who can hang with 'em.
COMPETITIVE—Better than your average person, but not quite TOP GUN.
RECREATIONAL—For those who play just for fun.

COUCHPOTATO—Our usual basketball gear is drinks, pizza, and the remote.
YOUNG GUNS—For ages 17 and under; you will play with kids your same age and height.

OLDER THAN DIRT—Special divisions for people age 40 and over.

WHEELCHAIR—Special divisions for people who are physically challenged.

For more information call 1-800-646-8161, FAX to 1-915-646-8161, or write to:

Early Chamber of Commerce, Hoop-D-Do, P. O. Box 3010, Early, Texas 76803.

Garage Sale Planned To Help David Kirkwood Family

Friends of the David Kirkwood family are planning to hold a garage sale to raise funds for the Clyde man diagnosed with bacterial meningitis to help with medical expenses.

The garage sale is tentatively set for Saturday, July 15 at the old T&C Village Market building on South First Street in Clyde.

Friends of Kirkwood are asking for donations for the garage sale. Anyone wishing to donate items can do so by calling Pat Morris at 893-4816, Janet Barnett at 854-2020 or can contact the Cherry Heights Baptist Church secretary in Clyde.

Besides the garage sale, there are plans to hold a benefit golf tournament for Kirkwoods as well as several other fundraisers being planned.

A fund has been set up at Peoples State Bank in Clyde to help with medical expenses for Kirkwood.

Kirkwood, a 1992 graduate of Clyde High School, contracted bacterial meningitis May 31 while at student at LA Thourneau in Longview. David is the son of Bob and Lucy Kirkwood. The Kirkwoods are members of Cherry Heights Baptist Church in Clyde. Bob is the former manager of Callahan County Co-op in Baird and Lucy is a former school teacher in Cross Plains.

The David Kirkwood Trust Fund set up at Peoples State Bank is to help with medical expenses for the family. Donations can be mailed to P.O. Box 459, Clyde, Texas 79510.

The young man remains in Parkland Hospital in Dallas. He has been through a number of surgeries, including have both legs and his left arm amputated. He's also on dialysis because of kidney failure.

Applications For U.S. Academies Accepted

WASHINGTON, DC—Congressman Charles W. Stenholm is currently accepting applications from young men and women who are interested in attending one of the United States Service Academies.

Eligible applicants will be at least 17, but not past their 22nd birthday, by July 1, 1996, and must have graduated from high school by that date. Competitive applicants will be in the top 20 percent of their class and have SAT scores above 500 Verbal and 550 Math, or ACT scores of 24 English and 25 Math. Involvement in extra-curricular activities, including school and community organizations and sports, as well as full or part-time employment is also in the applicant's favor.

Individuals who wish to attend the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colorado, the Military Academy at West Point, New York, the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland or the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, New York and who wish to serve as a commissioned officer are strongly encouraged to contact Jayne Schoonmaker in Congressman Stenholm's San Angelo office. Any individuals wishing additional information should call (915) 655-7994 or write to O. C. Fisher Federal Bldg., #318, 33 East Twohig Avenue, San Angelo, Texas 76903.

Fellowship Meeting June 30

The Draw Nigh to God Fellowship Meeting will be held at Bro. Wheeler's church in Lometa beginning at 7 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Open Track Meet In Breckenridge

Breckenridge will host an open track meet at the South Elementary track on July 8 for boys and girls ages 6 to 18. Texas amateur athletic federation rules and guidelines will be observed. Participants must bring a copy of their birth certificates and pay 50 cents for each event they enter.

The meet will begin at 8 a.m. with registration. Field events and the 3200 m. run will begin at 9 a.m. The remainder of the events will begin at 10 a.m.

The meet will be directed by Van Grimes, T.A.A.F. coordinator and coach. Further questions may be addressed by calling Grimes at (817) 559-8157.

Pioneer Cemetery Donations

Since the last financial notice released on June 9, 1994, Pioneer Cemetery gifts amounting to \$1,205.00 have been received by the Pioneer Historical Association. The names of the donors are: Maxine Poindexter; Ray Curry; Children of Ella Dean; N.A. Roady; LaVerne Hood; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Crisp; Lucille Harris; John McFerrin; Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Fleming; Mrs. Teresa Keeling; Marjorie Barber; Wanda Anderson and Vanda King in memory of Howard McGowan; Vernon Falkner; Memory of Lillian Parson; Jay and June Hughes; Kate McCarty; Memory of Oletta McCluskey; Kathryn Brown and Earlene Burse; Mr. and Mrs. Don Nelson; and R.O. McCarty.

The Pioneer Historical Association is appreciative of all gifts and acknowledges receipt of them as addresses are made available. Gifts may be offered at the Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains or sent by check to the above named fund in care of Irma Miller, Treasurer, Route 1, Box 210-A, Rising Star, Texas 76471.

Men's Softball Tournament July 14-16

A men's softball tournament will be held at Rising Star July 14, 15 and 16 for class C or below teams.

The entry fee is \$100 per team and the deadline is July 12 at 10 p.m. Call Randy (817) 643-2702, Ray (817) 643-1815 or Bill (817) 643-3400 to register.

Harris-Brown Reunion July 9

The annual Harris-Brown reunion will be held Sunday, July 9 at the Burkett Community Gym.

All descendants and friends of the Brown and Harris families and early pioneers of the Burkett area are encouraged to attend. Bring food for a noon meal and enjoy a day of visitation and fellowship.

ADVERTISE IN THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

Pioneer Farmers Cooperative Will Be Closed
Friday, June 30
For Inventory and Monday and Tuesday July 3 and 4
For Independence Day 13-1c

Dr. Childers Office in Rising Star Will Be Closed
July 3 and 4
for Independence Day 13-1c

The Wills Family



Saturday, July 1 at 6:30
Living Waters Ministries Fellowship
Highway 36 West, Cross Plains

Prayer-Walking

Research supports the principle that praying while you walk is a mood booster and a stress reliever, according to T. George Harris, former editor of *Psychology Today* and *American Health* magazines. He advises corporate execs to take routine prayer-walking breaks to increase their creative productivity. "It's a method for growing spiritually as you're going physically," says Linus Mundy, author of the new book "Prayer-Walking."

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Jesus explained the difference in a successful life and one of failure as being whether or not one helps others in need — the hungry, the thirsty, the stranger, the naked, the sick, and the persecuted. He implied heavily that to do unto them was as if it were being done unto Him, Matthew 25.

So I ask: "Is your life like the rather useless clock? — or does your life have helpful, useful "hands"? Remember, the proof or test of a good clock is not in whether or not it ticks, rather in whether or not it gives correct time — and constantly at that. Are you just ticking? — or helping? May we let God make our lives channels of blessings to others!

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Highway Improvement Plan Includes County

Approximately 30 people attended a public hearing at the Clyde Lions Club Thursday, June 15 on the Texas Department of Transportation improvement program through the 1998 fiscal year.

The three-year Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) was the topic of discussion for the evening. The lists of projects planned over a 13 county region, which includes Callahan County, was developed by the Department of Transportation along with public input.

David Casteel, an engineer with the Department of Transportation, told the audience some \$80 million in improvements is scheduled to be spent over the next three years. He said the majority of the projects are to rebuild existing roadways.

Several projects were mentioned for improvements in Callahan County including remodeling of the rest area of Interstate 20 west of Clyde in 1996. A bridge replacement is also planned for 1996 at Deep Creek Bridge on Interstate 20 in Baird.

The 1997 TIP plan improvements in Callahan County include repairing the eastbound lane of I-20 at the T&P overpass.

Four projects are being planned for 1998 in the county, including two projects which will affect Clyde residents.

The Department of Transportation plans a \$235,000 rehabilitation, widening and safety improvement project for Spur 189 from FM 604 to Interstate 20.

Spur 189 in Clyde runs along North First Street east to Oak Street and north to the south access road of I-20.

Another TIP plan project is the rehab, widening and safety improvements to FM 604 (Elm Street) from the intersection of FM 18 north to Interstate 20.

The Department of Transportation said the FM 604 project cost estimate is \$230,000.

The Department of Transportation's Abilene District Engineer Blair Haynie said both the Spur 189 project and FM 604 project in Clyde could be bid sometime in 1997. The Department of Transportation's fiscal year runs from September to August. The department's 1998 fiscal year is from September 1997 to August 1998, transportation officials said.

Haynie said the Spur 189 project does not call for the removal of several large Pecan trees on North First and Oak Streets.

Haynie added the FM 604 project could also include landscaping of a city garden area running north and south west of Elm Street.

Haynie said the Department of Transportation would work with the City of Clyde to correct the water drainage problem on both Elm and Oak Street. Water stands in one area on both streets.

Haynie also commented about the new FM 1707 (Hays Road) project near completion in Clyde. He said the new one-half mile Farm to Market road is complete except for paint striping and sign placement. He said FM 1707 should be open to traffic before the end of June.

Haynie also mention the rest area of I-20 west of Clyde should also be open in a couple of weeks. He said remodeling of the rest area, including mural tile paintings will not be done at another time.

Two other TIP project in 1998 planned by transportation officials include the

rehab of I-20 from Mexia Creek to the Eastland County line and a rehab project on U.S. Highway 283.

During time set aside of public comment, Callahan County Judge Bill Johnson asked transportation officials what happened to the FM 603 rehab from FM 18 to the Eula community. Judge Johnson said the roadway is in need of improvement because of the heavy traffic and school bus activity.

Transportation officials said the project was dropped during the planning stage, however transportation officials said the project will be considered again.

Johnson also asked the transportation department to try and do a better job of estimating bridge repairs. Johnson said transportation officials gave county officials several estimates of bridge repairs in Callahan County a couple of years ago. But now, the estimates for those same bridge repairs have doubled and tripled in some cases.

Transportation officials agreed there is a problem with bridge estimates, how-

ever other counties in the Abilene district are having similar problems with estimates.

The bridge repair program is financed through federal, state and county funds. Under a new funding formula, 80 percent of a bridge repair is from federal money, 10 percent from state and 10 percent from county.

Robert Allen, who lives in Clyde, asked transportation officials to do something about the south access road of I-20 in Clyde or risk losing the roadway all together. Transportation officials said there are plans to spend some \$140,000 to use the milling from I-20 to redo the frontage roads in the county.

Several dignitaries attended the public hearing including Judge Johnson, Clyde County Commissioner Harold Hicks, Clyde City Administrator Robert Bradshaw, Clyde City Councilman Wendell Farmer and State Representative John Cook.

SPRING TSU GRADUATES ANNOUNCED

STEPHENVILLE—Sixteen member of the Spring 1995 graduating class at Tarleton State University were honored during commencement exercises held May 13. Tarleton President Dr. Dennis P. McCabe offered special recognition to the students who were named Outstanding Departmental Graduates.

The Outstanding Departmental Graduates included Karma L. Watson, Stephenville, Department of Accounting and Finance; Christopher R. Hargrove, Heidenheimer, Agricultural Services and Development; James Rass Smith, Zephyr, Agronomy, Horticulture and Agricultural Economics; Dawn Renee Niemann, Woodsboro, Animal Sciences; Brian W. Dach, Temple, Biological Sciences; Joseph A. McLatchy, Stephenville, Computer Information Systems; Heather Renee Christie, Eastland, Education and Psychology; and Joyce L. Gray, Eastland, English and Languages.

Also named Outstanding Departmental Graduates were Lavelle McClintock Haynes, Rising Star, Fine Arts and Speech; Ramona Joy Simpson, White Deer, Health and Physical Education; Randall Scott Polston, Mineral Wells, Industrial Technology; Pattie E. Willey, Glen Rose, Management, Marketing and Administrative Systems; Wayne R. Keith, Stephenville, Mathematics and

Physics; Cynthia K. Ridgeway, Cleburne, Physical Sciences; Janis J. Fillingim, Hico, Social Work, Sociology, and Criminal Justice.

Commencement Speaker for the spring exercises was Dr. C. Roland Haden, Vice Chancellor and Dean of Engineering for the Texas A&M University System. Frederick D. McClure, one of three newly appointed members of the TAMUS Board of Regents, brought greeting on behalf of The System.

In other commencement activities, Mrs. Barbara Russell, a member of the faculty in the Department of Computer Information Systems, was named as the 1995 recipient of the Jack and Louise Arthur Excellence in Teaching award.

The following area students graduated: Ronald Chad Bagley, BS-Agricultural Business; Richard Alan Brown, MED-Guidance & Counseling; Lisa Ann Ruthledge, BS-Interdisciplinary Studies; and Melissa Christine Kemp (with honors), BA-English, all from Cross Plains, and Shannon Stuteville Geyer (with honors), BS-Sociology; Lavelle McClintock Haynes (with honors and Outstanding Departmental Graduate), BS-Speech Comm.; and Donna Chalk Priest, BAAS-Dist. and Mkt. Occupation all from Rising Star.

COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

Cottonwood gains another new business in the community. The 880 Farm Store owned and operated by Earnest and Dana Hall located south of the community on Highway 880. Fresh fruits, vegetables, barbecue by the pound or sandwiches, soft drinks, snacks are available. Dana has homemade breakfast burritos, plus coffee and tea. Do stop by and visit with the folks.

On Father's Day family members gathering at the home of Blanton and Lillie Childers were Harry and Betty Childers of May; Arnold and Nancy Childers and Kane from Brownwood; Aubrey and Virginia Childers of Potosi; R.D. and Sharon of Scranton; Todd Childers of Irving; and Dena Kaye Childers and friend of Abilene. The daughters-in-law furnished the meal for the gathering.

Cassie and David Adams and son, Matthew of Farmington, New Mexico, were here visiting with her grandparents, Blanton and Lillie Childers, last week.

The E.E. Weaver family had their

family reunion over the weekend in the homes of Bill Nickerson, Sr. and Bill Kelly. Those attending were Warren and Betty Weaver of Missouri City; Floyd and Louise Weaver of New Waverly; Wanda Hammel of Schertz; Shirley Byrd of Keller; Mandy, Ross and Chris and Angie Ford and son of New Braunfels, grandchildren of Wanda; Mary and Herman Weaver; Dena and Bill Nickerson, Sr.; and Billie and Bill Kelly.

Over the weekend family members in the home of Mary and Herman Weaver were her brother, Tommy Pugh, his daughter, Shannan and son, Gregory of Splendora, and Mary's aunt and uncle, Butch and Vennie Burke of Sam Rayburn Lake.

Teri Brown and Gilbert Ibarra of Houston were at her parents, Wayne and Beverly, over the weekend visiting and helping with chores on the place.

Over the weekend, Cassidy and Caleb Champion of Potosi and Shelby Champion of Cross Plains were at their grandparents, Glenn and Ethel Champion. Stasha Breanne Hamm of Cross Plains visited with them.

A.A.R.P. NEWS

By ESTHER KERR

"T.R.I.A.D.—New Program Initiated to Help Senior Citizens in Callahan County"

TRIAD is a three-pronged program consisting of three organizations—Texas Police Chiefs Association (TPCA), Texas Sheriff's Association (TSA) and American Association of Retired Persons (AARP).

This news program encourages a cooperative, coordinated and multi-disciplinary approach to crime-related problems of older person-Senior Citizens.

Baird, Clyde, and Cross Plains will be represented by an Advisory group known as S.A.L.T. (Seniors and Lawmen Together).

The Advisory group from Cross Plains are: Esther Kerr, Kay Mosley, Chuck Woody, and Elva Mae Woody from the AARP chapter #3092. Lawmen will be Rolan Jones, Don Griffith, and another deputy to be named later.

As this new program goes into motion, further details will be given in the news media and in the AARP monthly meetings. Additional people will be called upon to participate in crime prevention, scams, fraud, etc. to aid our Senior Citizens in dealing with serious and frustrating situations.

Watch for further updates on this new and important program being formed here in Callahan County!!

"Regular Meeting Held"

The regular meeting of AARP Chapter #3092 was held on June 5, at 11:00 a.m. in the Multi-Purpose Center. Old and New Business matter were discussed as the chapter will not meet again until the Fall season begins on September 11. A nominating committee was appointed to select a slate of nominees for election of officers for 1996. These nominees will be voted on in November and installed in the December meeting.

The door prize was won by Troy Crockett and furnished by Joe Howser. The meeting was adjourned and a covered-dish luncheon was served to members and guests.

"Guests of Coleman Chapter"

On June 20, eleven members traveled to Coleman to be guests of the AARP chapter at their monthly meeting. A delicious buffet was served and a great musical program by Gene Christian and band followed, filling requests for songs at least 50 years old. We had a most enjoyable visit with all the AARP members and will cherish the fellowship.

Members from our local chapter were Esther Kerr, Elva Mae Woody, Chuck Woody, Lorene Jennings, Joe Howser, Lucile Callaway, Maxine Crockett, Troy Crockett, Kay D. Mosley, Marvin Mosley and their grandson, Zachary Mosley.

GREETINGS FROM YOUR SENIOR CITIZENS

By THELMA LONG

Ophelia Lawson is home. She had a fall while visiting her son-in-law's home. She has a few bruises. Helen Freeman also had a fall while on vacation. She has some sore spots.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Helen's son-in-law. Our heart felt sympathy to this family.

Vicky was gone on Tuesday to celebrate her wedding anniversary. We wish for them many more happy years together.

The Dick Dillard and Chuck Woody families were at a meeting in Coleman on Tuesday. They were missed at the center. Kate Watson had a couple of very special visitors with her Wednesday.

A nice lady, Karla Cooke from Abilene Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, gave us a very interesting talk on Family Traditions. She brought back some very special memories of our childhoods. Thank You!

This reporter will be in Abilene with Bud and Ruth. I'm scheduled for eye surgery and I can't stay alone. They are so good to me. I'll be back, the better to see you (I hope).

The purpose of life is a life of purpose.

PERSONALS

Bufford and Velma Carr attended the Carter/Thompson Reunion at the Ramada Inn in College Station this past weekend. Bill and Sandy Clark of Merryville, Indiana won the award for traveling the farthest distance.



90 YEARS YOUNG...Pearl Greenwood

PEARL GREENWOOD CELEBRATES 90TH BIRTHDAY JUNE 29

On June 29, 1995, Lavenia Pearl Greenwood begins living her 90th year on earth and 51st year in Cross Plains.

Pearl was born on a farm near DeLeon June 29, 1905 to parents, Newman and Annie Pounds. She had one brother, Fred and three sisters, Merle, Irene, and Ruby Jo. She attended a one room school for eight years and completed one year at Tarleton State College in Stephenville.

She married Joseph Manning Greenwood May 1925 in Gorman. They lived in Ft. Collins, Colorado, Blackwell, Van Horn, McCamey and finally moved from downtown Big Lake to a farm near Cross Plains in 1944.

They brought all three children: Margaret, Paul, and Gene. They grew up to marry: Charles Coppinger of Cottonwood, Carol Peterson from Carlsbad,

New Mexico, and Betty Bettis of Stephenville, respectively.

Husband, J.M. died in 1988, ending a perfectly good marriage that had lasted 64 years.

Pearl plays piano, and organ, and many will remember her playing an instrument called the marimba. Also, she is known for delicious homemade cooking.

Mrs. Greenwood has six grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. She is a member of the First Baptist Church of Cross Plains.

A woman at the Cross Plains Senior Citizen Center said of Pearl, "Everyone who knows her, loves her." Pearl does indeed represent America's strong Christian women of her generation. Do they make a difference in our lives everyday? You bet!

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What's normal in a child's sexual behavior? What is not? What signs does a parent need to watch for, and what does a parent do to assure that children have a healthy attitude toward sexual conduct? These are some of the areas which will be discussed on Monday, July 10, during a seminar presented by Ray Sibert, therapist at Pastoral Care and Counseling Center.

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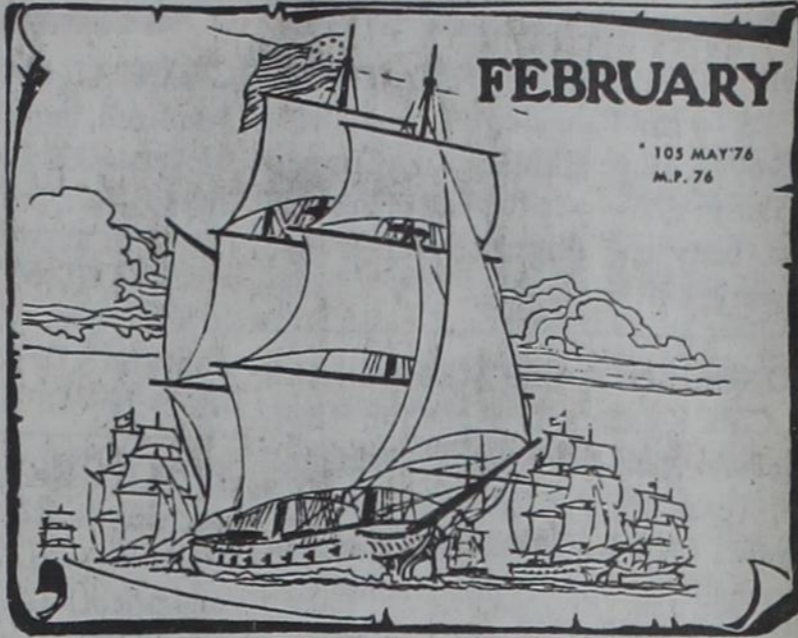
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JANUARY

101 MAY 76 M.P. 48

On January 10, 1776, a young patriot named Thomas Paine published a fiery pamphlet, "Common Sense," demanding independence from the British.



FEBRUARY

105 MAY 76 M.P. 76

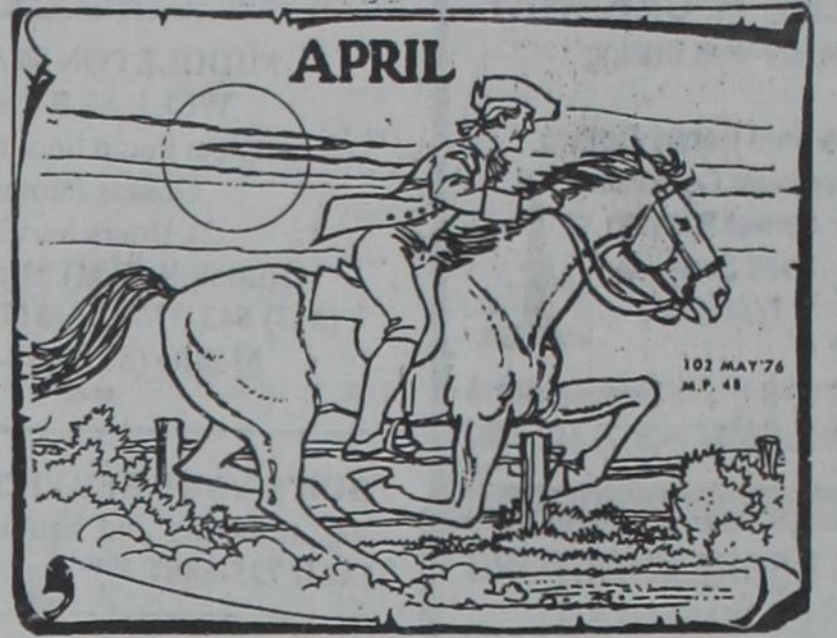
On February 17, 1776, the 1st Continental Navy was put to sea when Commodore Esek Hopkins sailed to Chesapeake Bay to break the British naval blockade.



MARCH

109 MAY 76 M.P. 76

On March 5, 1770, British soldiers were provoked into firing upon a mob of jeering Boston patriots, an event commonly referred to as the Boston Massacre.



APRIL

102 MAY 76 M.P. 48

On April 18, 1775, Paul Revere, warned by a light in a church steeple that the British were coming, set out on his famous ride alerting his countrymen.



MAY

106 MAY 76 M.P. 76

On May 10, 1775, 83 Green Mt. Boys, led by Ethan Allen, took possession of valuable military stores when they peacefully captured Fort Ticonderoga.



JUNE

110 MAY 76 M.P. 76

On June 17, 1775, patriots were ordered "don't fire until you see the whites of their eyes," and proved they could act as an army, at the battle of Bunker Hill.



JULY

103 MAY 76 M.P. 76

On July 4, 1776, Congress adopted the Declaration of Independence, a document proclaiming that the colonies be "free and independent states."



AUGUST

107 MAY 76 M.P. 48

On August 10, 1831, it is believed that the name "Old Glory" was given to the flag when Charles Daggett said, "my ship, my country, my flag, Old Glory."



SEPTEMBER

111 MAY 76 M.P. 76

On September 23, 1779, Commander John Paul Jones said the immortal words, "I have not yet begun to fight," and defeated the British in a famous battle at sea.



OCTOBER

104 MAY 76 M.P. 48

On October 17, 1781, British General Cornwallis had his troops lay down their arms at Yorktown. This was to be the last major action of the Revolutionary War.



NOVEMBER

108 MAY 76 M.P. 76

On November 30, 1782, America and Britain signed a preliminary agreement to end the war, signifying the first step toward a formal treaty.



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"Forever Plaid" At CJC Dinner Theater

Cisco Junior College takes you back to the days when life was simple, TV was black and white, and music had lyrics you could understand. On July 5-9, CJC's summer dinner theater company presents "Forever Plaid," a trendy, up-beat look at a men's vocal group that almost wasn't. Appearing in this four man show are old favorites from the area: Bill Culverhouse, owner of Express Photo in Eastland, plays Jinx, the high tenor whose notes give him a nosebleed; Gary Turner, pastor at First United Methodist Church is Cisco, plays Frankie, the would-be heart-throb named after Frank Sinatra; Le Jones, a veteran of 5 CJC summers and currently an instructor at Boerne High School in Boerne, is

Sparky, the hand-wringing baritone; and Bill Swinney, also a frequent CJC performer who is head band director at Madisonville High School, appears as Smudge, the slow talking boss. Swinney is also vocal director and Jones is artistic director. All four have appeared numerous times on the CJC stage.

Make reservations for "Forever Plaid" now by calling (817) 442-2589. Wednesday, July 5, is a special dessert performance, while Thursday, Friday, and Saturday (July 6, 7, and 8) are dinner performances.

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Cancer Society Plans Survivors Celebration

The American Cancer Society Annual Cancer Survivors Celebration, sponsored by Hendrick Medical Center will be held Sunday, July 9, 1995 beginning at 2 p.m. at the Hendrick Medical Center in the Tom Roberts Conference Center, 1242 N. 19th, Abilene, Texas.

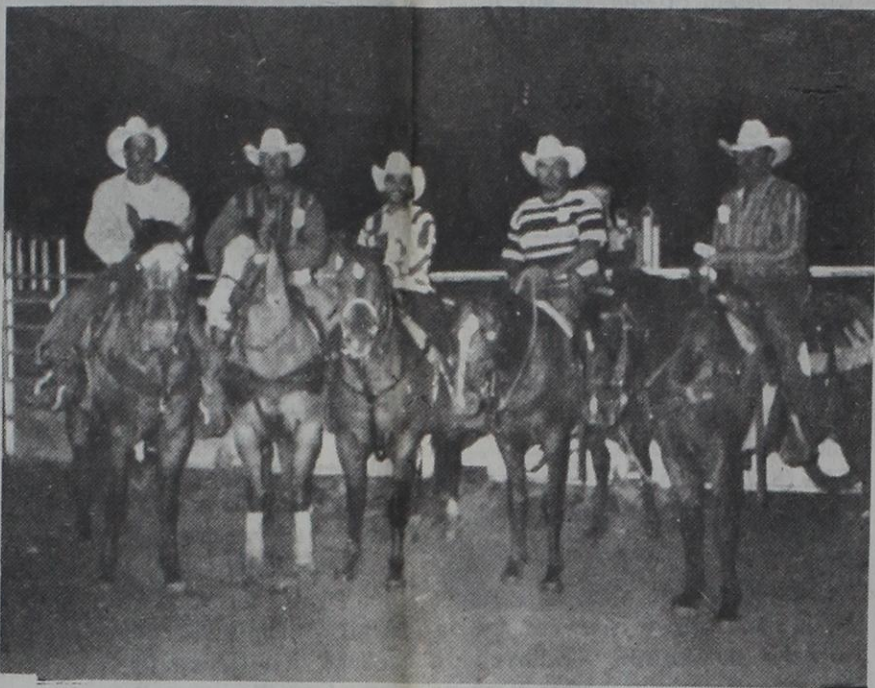
Randy Becton, speaker for the Herald of Truth and co-director of Caring Cancer Ministry, will be the featured speaker.

This annual event is a time for cancer survivors friends and family members to celebrate life and share their triumphs over cancer.

Refreshments will be served. For more information, call the American Cancer Society office at 692-6446.



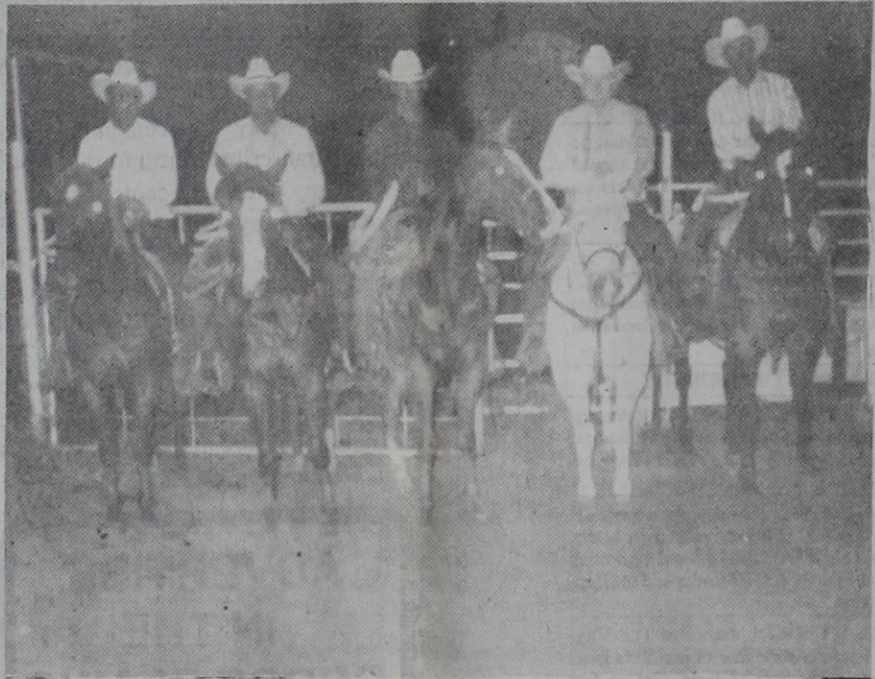
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Dusty Hargrove and Frankie Hyles won a very competitive and wild red wagon race. Wilder still was the steer saddling with Michael Palmer, Russ Holloway and Dwayne Farr taking the jackpot.

The top hand award went to Cody Odom and the Hard Luck Cowboy to Cliff Holley. These awards are voted on by the other cowboys competing.

Cliff Holley was injured and taken by ambulance to Abilene. We would like to thank our EMS for being at the rodeo

and providing the help needed with this accident. Best Wishes go to Cliff for a speedy recovery.

So many people we would like to thank and if anyone we missed we are grateful for your help, Alan Key for judging, Reggy Stover and family for the cattle for penning and milking, Jerry Dominy for steers, Mel Matthews for ropes and steers, Higginbothams for the top hand plaque, Strength Paint and Body for the Hard Luck plaque, Johnson's Dry Goods for gift certificates, donation and banner, D & D Jewelry for ordering belts and plaques, to Ophelia Merrill and girls for the great concession and donating proceeds to Children's Miracle Network, to Donald Strength for announcing and all the workers in the chutes and the gate and grounds, to all the sponsors who make it possible to give caps to each contestant.

LAKWOOD NEWS

By MILLIE OWEN

SECOND FLIGHT:

First Place: James Evans and Bob Carter-36

Second Place: Bob Daskcevich and Lanny Hand-39

Third Place: Gary Word and James Downs-39

We didn't have the golf cart trailer giveaway because we didn't have enough entries. Details on this will be available in a week or so.

We want to remind everyone about our Thursday afternoon scramble. Please call and enter by 5:30 p.m. so play can begin at 6:00 p.m. Entry fee is \$5.

If you haven't been out and splashed in the pool, come on out. We are opened Tuesday through Sunday 1:00 to 6:00 p.m. Admission is \$2.50 per person. Until next week then...

It's been a week and a half since the pool opened and we must say it's been a great success. We want to thank each and everyone of you who has been out here.

We also want to thank Monty Richards for his donation to the pool fund. We will be able to purchase another ladder now.

Our tournament Saturday was also a success. We only had 11 teams entered, but everyone had a lot of fun. The winners were:

FIRST FLIGHT:

First Place: Bonnie Nichols and David Johnson-31

Second Place: Charlie Grider and David Grider-32

Third Place: Greg Hutchins and Duane Hutchins-35

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