

Domino, Forty-Two Tournery Scheduled

Starting time will be 7 p.m. for a PTO-sponsored domino and forty-two tournament to be held in the school cafeteria Saturday night.

Players, who can conveniently do so, are being asked to bring card tables and dominoes. An entry fee of \$1 per player or \$2 per team will be charged.

Tickets may be bought in advance from Mrs. Travis Bailey, Mrs. Leo G. Franke or Mrs. John D. Montgomery.

Child Care Places Must Have License

Mrs. Betty J. Simmons, regional licensing worker for the State Department of Public Welfare, was in Cross Plains Thursday and contacted civic leaders in regard to a state law, which is said to be frequently unknowingly violated.

"It is a statute which requires that day care centers, or places of such nature where children are left by working parents, be licensed by the state," she said. Although there is no charge for the license, Mrs. Simmons pointed out that failure to obtain such license is in strict violation of law and cannot be continually overlooked. Licenses are required of any place or persons keeping unrelated children, whether for a fee or otherwise.

Persons having questions in regard to the matter are invited to contact Mrs. Simmons on the third floor of the Brown County courthouse, or telephone her at 646-0393 in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Baum and family of Dickinson were visitors here Thursday.



A MULE'S LIKE SOME PEOPLE—THEY DON'T NEED A REASON TO KICK JUST 'SUMPIN' TO KICK AT.

.60 Inch Rain Falls Over Rowden Sector Saturday

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Monday's weather had us reaching for our coats and over-shoes to keep warm. Even the ground hog saw his shadow for a few minutes in this area, which means six more weeks of winter. Someone said they hoped that was true and winter would be over then for good.

Texas weather plays tricks on us. Who would have thought it would rain .60 of an inch Saturday night? At least our cotton farmers finished the '69 cotton crop last week before the rain and cold weather.

Those visiting in the Jimmy West home Sunday and during the week were Red West and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price of Baird, Jerol Price of Putnam and Mrs. James Reynolds and Jan of the community.

Mrs. Jimmy West and Cindy attended funeral services in Baird Thursday for Dr. Stubblefield.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and sons of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards of Denton Valley, Carolyn Chrisman of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Wheat and children of Baird, also Leonard Mauldin, Raymond Gibbs, Roy Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. George Blakley and Cindy West.

Dinner guests Saturday in the Leila Gibbs home were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Judy.

Marion Brumley of Abilene spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thornton and Arvin. Other visitors in the home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. John D. Montgomery of Cross Plains, Bill Baxter of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Livingston of Austin and Elic Bainbridge and Jesse Bower.

Lon Duncan of Cisco and J. R. Duncan of Cleburne former residents of the community stopped by the Garys' store Saturday to chat a while. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye of Fort Worth also visited with the Weldon Garys Saturday. They were spending the week end at their place here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunderson and daughter, Lu Ann, of Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. N. B. Gibbs and Mrs. Sterling Odom visited their aunts, Mrs. Jewel Swanzy and Anna Bell Tabor, in Clyde Tuesday. The Gundersons left Wednesday to continue their trip to the Texas Coast area.

Pam Harper of Cross Plains, Jimmy Harris and Ivon Odom made a trip to Weatherford Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Terry Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henry and Nancy spent part of last week in Fort Worth where Nancy entered her calf in the stock show.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom visited their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Trevey, and her family in Snyder Saturday. Sterling was on a business trip to Ira.

Duke McIntosh and granddaughter, Jodi McIntosh, of Baird visited in the Don Harris home last Tuesday. Duke took the grandchildren fishing and Terrol Harris was the one catching fish. Jodi McIntosh spent Friday night in the Harris home.

Mrs. Lillie Lawrence of Cross Plains, mother of Bill Lawrence, passed away Tuesday of last week after a long illness. She was buried near Austin Thursday with funeral services being held there. Our sympathy is extended to Bill and Ethel in their loss. Mrs. Pearl Lawrence of San Angelo was here in the Lawrence home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited Mrs. Opal Crow in Baird last Monday. They report that her injured ankle was doing fine and the cast would be removed this week.

Mrs. R. L. McClain suffered a series of heart attacks last week and was hospitalized in Baird on Wednesday. Her condition is improved, but she will be in the hospital a few more days. Her daughter, Mrs. Madge Bruce, of Snyder and son, Carol, of Galveston and another daughter, Mrs. Arveta Watson, of Abilene have been at her bedside during her illness.

Mrs. Warren Price was in Gorman Thursday at the bedside of Mrs. Mary Outlaw of Merkel who is a patient in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Thomas in Cross Plains and attended the area singing at the Church of Christ in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge were in Abilene Saturday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McWhorter and Mrs. Lucille Mason. Mrs. Mollie Taylor of Abilene is spending a few days in the Bainbridge home.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary visited Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Kelsey in Hawley Sunday.

Mrs. Tommie Harris visited her mother, Mrs. Ivon Odom, in Cross Plains Tuesday.

Mrs. Jimmy West was in Baird one day last week visiting Mrs. Hattie West and Mrs. C. W. Price. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr. of Dalhart, who were guests of Mrs. C. W. Price.

Those visiting Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and H. W. Martin of Baird, Dale Gibbs of Abilene, Jesse Bower, Elic Bainbridge and Roy Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Washburn of Sipe Springs visited her father, Jerry McDonald, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh of Cross Cut Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children were guests in the Tommie Harris home Saturday night.

Ellen Reynolds celebrated her ninth birthday Friday with a party after school in her home. Attending were Melinda Moore, Melinda Hinkle, Melissa Payne, Missy Childers, Cheryl and Robin Merrill, Ema Corley and Cindy Montgomery. Nick Harris and Jim Reynolds stormed the party at refreshment time.

Local Firemen Heed 13 Alerts In January

Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department answered 13 alarms last month. Nine were in the area surrounding the township, and four were within the corporate limits.

Four of the alerts came in the last five days. Tuesday evening of last week an auto, owned by Lillian Allen, sustained damage by fire, and 2:15 a.m. Thursday a grass fire was extinguished just south of the former American Legion building. Rural firemen doused a small grass blaze in the state roadside park just west of town Wednesday evening, and Saturday afternoon the rural unit helped control a grass fire on the Mrs. J. P. Smith place four miles west of Cross Plains. An estimated 100 acres were seared in the latter blaze.

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Girl Scouts Make Overnight Camp

Seventeen Girl Scouts and four adult leaders attended an all-night camp-out at Camp Wood on Brownwood Lake last Friday night.

Girls prepared all meals. The girls were: Vivian Franke, Sandy Bailey, Dana Richardson, Tracy Dillard, Norma Lee, Cindy Purvis, Debbie Waldruff, Tammie Stroud, Kathy Bates, Christy Dewbre, Shirley Brown, Cecilia Smoot, Teressa Taylor, Teressa Merrill, Sandy Williams, Susan Brown and Melissa Pancake.

Adults accompanying the group were Mrs. Leo G. Franke, Mrs. Louis Richardson, Mrs. Charles Dillard and Mrs. Harold Merrill.

Garland Smith of Fort Worth visited here one day last week.

Mrs. Howet Wilson visited in Coleman Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Childs of Baird were visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. Elic Bainbridge and her mother visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Sunday afternoon.

Judy Gibbs of Abilene spent the week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs. She is looking for employment in Abilene after completing business college.

Sam Cutbirth Rites Set On Wednesday

Sam T. Cutbirth, 71, of Wharton, well-known in this locality, was to be laid to rest in Brownwood Wednesday afternoon. He died at his home Sunday.

Survivors are his wife; two sons, Dr. Seale T. and Trelton,

both of Brownwood; daughters, J. Brown and of Houton; and children, as well as kinsmen in this area.

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Sales Lag In City Last Year

State Savings Bond sales in Callahan totaled \$70,224, according to Howard E. Farmer of the savings bond committee. The county achieved its goal of \$70,000 in December sales totaling \$70,224. Sixty-nine counties achieved their 1969 goal.

THURSDAY BIG DAY FOR PIONEER LADIES

Pioneer Ladies Club will hold regular meeting Thursday. Roll will be answered with wise sayings. Mrs. Pete Fore and Mrs. Joe Fleming will have quilts to be worked on. Ladies are invited to quilt all day and have luncheon at the clubhouse. Thursday night is family night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Penn and Don of Midland visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell here over the week end.



ENGAGED — Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Carolyn Tunnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Tunnell of Cross Plains, and Richard Allison Ogden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Ogden, of Abilene. The wedding will take place at Saint Mark's Episcopal Church in Coleman April 4.

BILLY MAC LEE AT HOME ON FURLOUGH

Pvt. Billy Mac Lee is spending a furlough with his family in Cross Plains before reporting to Fort Lewis, Wash., March 8 for shipment to Vietnam with an Army unit.

Wed In New Mexico Couple Known Here

Before an altar lighted by candles and adorned with white carnations and red lillies, Miss Donna Ree Erwin became the bride of Eddie Kenneth Adams, Dec. 31 at the First Presbyterian Church in Hobbs, N. M. The early afternoon services were performed by the Rev. Jack London.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Erwin of Hobbs and is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin of Sabanno. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. George K. Adams of Hobbs.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length empire gown of white lace over chiffon fashioned with sheer petal point sleeves. The bride's white circlet head-dress secured a shoulder-length veil of illusion. She carried white carnation bouquet trimmed with tulle puffs, Lillies of the Valley and satin ribbon streamers.

The maid of honor was Miss Ramona Wolfe. Best man was Darrell Adams. Ushers were Terry Smith and Dickie Erwin.

The church parlor was the setting for the reception. A 1969 Hobbs High School graduate, the bride is a student at New Mexico Junior College. The bridegroom is a graduate of Hobbs High School in 1966, attended NMJC and is now employed at a supermarket.

Buffs Continue Drive For 9-A Cage Crown

Cross Plains Buffaloes maintained an unblemished District 9-A basketball record with two victories last week.

Tuesday of last week the Herd sailed past host Early Longhorns 64-40, and Bisons managed a 52-46 win over visiting Bangs Dragons Friday.

Although not playing good ball, Cross Plains out-scored the hosts in every quarter, but only in the second frame was it one-sided. Local earned an 11-point edge in that canto, 17-6, for a halftime advantage of 34-18.

Larry Bishop won scoring honors with 19 markers on nine field goals and a free shot. James McMillan was next with a 15-point aggregate on six two-pointers and three charity tosses, half of the entire team's free shot output. Leslie Cowan and Robert Lewis counted 13 points apiece, and Bobby Cowan and Joe Dodds hit a field goal each. Lance Blackwell paced the Longhorns with 12 points.

Two cold teams collided in Buffalo Gymnasium Friday night as Buffaloes edged Bangs 52-46. Numerous turnovers and missed field shots plagued Bisons, but the team moved within one game of a cinch share of the 9-A championship.

Accuracy from the free throw line was the Herd's salvation. The unit hit almost 65 per cent of the foul shots, 24 of 37, while Bangs netted just over 45 per cent, 10 of 22. Dragons counted on 18 two-pointers while Buffs managed only 14. Bisons zipped to a 15-4 first quarter lead, but visitors out-scored the Herd 11-7 in the second eight minutes. Cross Plains' narrow lead was in danger much of the latter part of the game.

Leslie Cowan paced Buff scoring with 17 points on four field goals and nine free shots. McMillan collected 13 points on a pair of two-pointers and nine charity tosses. Bishop added 10 points, and Bobby Cowan and Ronnie Pancake each contributed six markers. Billy Nelson had points for the Dragons.

CROSS PLAINS HAS HOUSING SHORTAGE

Cross Plains needs additional housing.

Numerous inquiries have come to the newspaper office in recent weeks regarding places for rent. In particular demand are three bedroom places.

One family of four which recently came here from West Texas has been forced to find living quarters in Rising Star.

MRS. JUANITA MAYES \$15 TO FIRE COMPANY

Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department has acknowledged a donation of \$15 from Mrs. Juanita Mayes. The company recently extinguished a fire in the apartment she owns on 15th St.

Dick Goldman of Brady spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends in Pioneer and Cross Plains.

ASCS Begins Farm Sign-Up February 1

Farmers who will participate in the wheat, feed-grain or cotton programs sponsored by the Department of Agriculture, began signing applications Feb. 2. All such applications must be completed and be in ASCS offices by March 20.

Persons who have not participated in these programs in the past may contact the county ASCS office for explanations of the provisions of the plans.

GROUND HOG SURELY SAW SHADOW MONDAY

Monday was Ground Hog Day.

Although the weather was stinging cold, the sun shone brightly most of the day. Observers agreed that any ground hog, if only half observant, would have definitely seen his shadow, and according to legend, frightened back into his hibernating hole, foreboding six weeks more of winter weather.

J. D. Sandefer, Jr. of Breckenridge was a business visitor in Cross Plains one day last week.

WORSHIP WITH US AT THE

Pioneer Church of Christ

BIBLE STUDY 10:00 A.M.
 WORSHIP 11:00 A.M.
 EVENING WORSHIP 6:00 P.M.
 WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 8:30 P.M.

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By Mrs. J. T. Beggs

It looks like old man Winter has returned. Monday morning, at this writing, the temperature was going down, and the sun was hiding its face.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean had lunch with their grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton, Jr., Sunday. The occasion was Mr. Dean's birthday.

You domino players are getting ready to play in the PTO tournament Feb. 7 in the cafeteria at Cross Plains schools. You have a chance to win a prize. Entry fee is \$1. Our "old hands" at this may take the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington in Brownwood last week. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Oren Barr of Cross Plains were visitors in their home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Barton were at his nephew's house, W. T. Chambers, at Brownwood Lake Sunday. Monday Mrs. Barton visited with her mother, Mrs. Nettie Reed, in Rising Star. Mr. Barton took P. G. Arnold to Coleman for a medical check-up. He is getting along nicely from his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Beggs and son, Randy, were in the home of his brother, J. T. Beggs, Sunday. His father, David Beggs, of Carbon, was also there. They enjoyed a chili supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gann were in Coleman Saturday to see her sister, Mrs. Nell Savage.

The Community Club will have its regular meeting this Thursday afternoon. Family night will be that night with sandwiches and cherry pie to be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady visited with her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Self, in Burnet Friday. They attended their daughter and husband's, the H. A. Freemans, 20th wedding anniversary in Clyde Saturday. Sunday they visited with Arthur Roady and family in Abilene.

Mrs. Doss Alexander and grandson, Mike Fritchlee, were in Abilene on business last week. Her son, James Alexander, and his son, Jim, of Clyde were at her home pruning pecan trees Saturday.

Mike Ratliff's brother, Lawrence Elkins, of Longview was here to see them recently. He plays professional football for the Pittsburgh Steelers. Bill Hunter of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Elkins of Brownwood were among their guests.

Local Firm Drills Eula Oil Venture

Davis Brothers of Abilene and Big D Drilling Co. of Cross Plains staked No. 2 F. L. Coughran, et al, in the new Pecan Bayou Field in Callahan County.

Location for the planned 2,500-foot rotary venture is seven miles southwest of Eula. Site is 1,960 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east lines of Section 16, Block 7, SP Survey.

Site is 933 feet northeast of the firms' No. 1 Coughran, et al, the field opener.

NAVAL OFFICER KNOWN HERE FINISHES SCHOOL

Navy Lieutenant-Commander Thomas D. Chambers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell T. Chambers of Cross Plains Route 1, recently graduated from the 14-week basic hospital corps school at Great Lakes, Ill.

Birthday Strip

February 5

Mark Adair
Glen Dale Champion
Penny Odom
Carolyn Tunnell
David Hargrove
Johny Rouse
Eva Slack
Mrs. C. H. Edington
James W. Lindsey
Ronnie McNutt
Barbara Lynne Oliver

February 6

Mrs. Ivan Clark
Terry Cearley
Tommy Garrett
W. A. Huckaby
Norman Farr
Mrs. Larry McAnally
Jerry Beene
Elmer Duncan
Tommy Graham
Cleo C. Joy
Billy Evans
Mrs. Jimmie Mobley
Junior Ford
Mary Ruth Lee
Curtis Ray Shields

February 7

Allen Lovell
Mrs. B. A. Moore
Mrs. Dale Bishop
Randy Shields

February 8

Elvis Scott
Charles Strength
B. P. McCowen
Grady Newton
Sherry Wilson

February 9

Mary Strahan
Mrs. Lila Webb
Fred Dill
Vernon Phillips
Mrs. A. B. Foster
Granvel Scott
Mrs. N. L. Dillard
Ronnie Flippin
Mrs. Ethel Clark
Cecil Johnson
Skipper Nichols
Mrs. Clifford Hill
Mrs. E. A. Calhoun

February 10

Les Byrd
Mrs. V. C. Walker
Elizabeth Griffith
Mrs. T. O. Powell
Cody Golson
Nathan Wayne Jones

February 11

Mrs. Winnie Smith
Kenneth Lowry
Alvin Parrish
Mrs. A. Painter
Voncille Gibbs
Mrs. J. C. Grantham
Mrs. Tom Burks
Mrs. Callie Havner
Mrs. Jim Settle
Pam Pillans

Green Beans DEL MONTE ITALIAN CUT, 303 CAN	3	FOR	\$1
Buttered Corn LIBBY'S, NO. 2 CAN	3	FOR	\$1
Kraut SHURFINE, NO. 2½ SIZE CAN	3	FOR	\$1
Yams EVANGELINE, WHOLE AND CUT, NO. 2½ CAN	3	FOR	\$1
Chocolate Drink STOKLEY'S, 46 OZ. CAN	3	FOR	\$1
Tomatoes SHURFINE SOLID PACK, 303 CAN	4	FOR	\$1
Blackeye Peas Homefolks, Fresh Shelled, No. 2 Can	4	FOR	\$1
Pork & Beans UNCLE WILLIAMS, 2½ SIZE CAN	4	FOR	\$1
Pineapple SWEET TREET, CRUSHED, 300 CAN	4	FOR	\$1
Catsup DEL MONTE, 14 OUNCE BOTTLE	4	FOR	\$1
Pineapple DEL MONTE CHUNK, CRUSHED 211 CAN	4	FOR	\$1
Diced Carrots SHURFINE, 303 CAN	5	FOR	\$1
Corn DEL MONTE, CREAM STYLE GOLDEN, 303 SIZE CAN	5	FOR	\$1
New Potatoes DEL MONE, WHOLE, 303 CAN	5	FOR	\$1
Tomatoes GOLD TIP, STEWED, 303 SIZE CAN	5	FOR	\$1
Ranch Style Beans 15 OUNCE CAN	5	FOR	\$1
Juice TEXSUN GRAPEFRUIT, NO. 2 CAN	5	FOR	\$1
Green Beans DEL MONTE CUT, 303 CAN	5	FOR	\$1
Apple Sauce WHITE HOUSE, 303 SIZE CAN	5	FOR	\$1
Peas DEL MONTE SWEET, 303 SIZE CAN	5	FOR	\$1
Butter Beans SEASIDE, 303 CAN	6	FOR	\$1
Cut Beets SHURFINE, 303 CAN	6	FOR	\$1
Mixed Greens ALMA, 303 CAN	6	FOR	\$1
Apple Sauce FOOD KING, 300 CAN	6	FOR	\$1
Sardines ADMIRAL, IN OIL, 4 OUNCE CAN	6	FOR	\$1
Spinach DEL MONTE, 303 SIZE CAN	6	FOR	\$1
Turnip Greens ALMA, 303 CAN	7	FOR	\$1
Limas FOOD KING, GREEN AND WHITE, 300 CAN	7	FOR	\$1
Green Beans GOLD TIP CUT, 303 CAN	7	FOR	\$1
Golden Hominy FOOD KING, 300 CAN	8	FOR	\$1
White Hominy SHURFINE, 303 CAN	8	FOR	\$1
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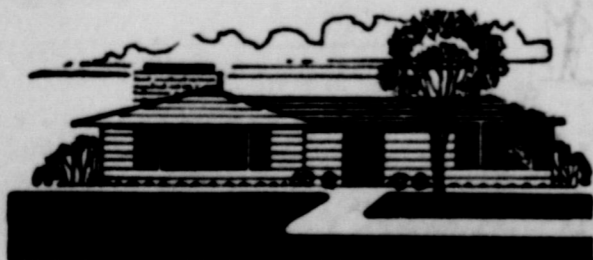
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Ham, center slices, lb. . . . 99c

Beef Patties, 20 oz. pkg. . . . \$1
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LIBBY'S VIENNA, 4 OZ. CAN
Sausage, 5 cans \$1

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Coffee, 1 lb. -- 79c

SHURFRESH ORANGE, FROZEN, 6 OZS.
Juice, 5 cans -- \$1

GALDIOLA, BAG
Flour, 5 lbs. --- 49c

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Red Ripe, per pound 33c

Manas GOLDEN RIPE, LB. 10c

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Orange Juice, 5 cans \$1

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Tomato Soup, 10 cans \$1

Mrs. Lillie Lawrence Buried On Thursday

Funeral for Mrs. Lillie Lawrence, 80, a 27-year resident of Cross Plains, was held Thursday, with Minister Tommy Stone of the Northside Church of Christ in Austin officiating, followed by graveside rites at the Live Oak Cemetery, 13 miles south of Austin.

Mrs. Lawrence died Tuesday afternoon of last week at 5:30 in West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. She had been in declining health for more than a year.

She was born Jan. 10, 1890, in Travis County and moved here in 1942. She was a former resident of Ballinger.

She was a member of the Cross Plains Church of Christ and married James Washington Lawrence April 25, 1907, in San Angelo. He died in 1941.

Survivors include one son, Bill Lawrence of Cross Plains; three sisters, Mrs. Metilda Smith of Austin, Mrs. Nellie Hughes (twin) of Jourdanton and Mrs. Pearl Lawrence of San Angelo; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were nephews.

Buffettes Record Two Cage Wins In Week

Buffettes of Cross Plains High School remained atop the District 9-A girls basketball race through last week with a perfect 6-0 record.

The local feminine unit romped past host Early 51-28 Tuesday of last week, and last Friday defeated Bangs 40-25. The victory at Early brought the team's season record above the 500 level at 7-6.

Cross Plains took a 34-19 lead at halftime, but had only a three-point advantage after first eight minutes, 9-6. Buffettes outscored the hosts in each of the final two periods. Both squads were cold from the charity line. Cross Plains made 9 of 20 shots, but Early bucketed only 12 of 32.

Lydia Albrecht paced Buffette tallying with 17 points, six field goals and five free shots. Paula Petty and Terry Edington shared runner-up honors with 14 points each. Debbie Tyler added four points, and Sherry Ingram netted another two. Judy Richardson led Early's scoring with 14 points.

Buffettes claimed a sixth consecutive 9-A win, 40-25, before home fans Friday over Bangs.

Cross Plains bested counterpart by just one point in each of the first two quarters, leading 15-13 at intermission. Buffettes came alive in the third canto netting 16 points, while Bangs managed only seven.

Miss Edington paced local scoring with 16 points on four field goals and eight charity shots. Miss Petty and Miss Albrecht shared second place, each with 12 points. Nita Fisher led the Bangs attack with 13 points.

TOWN'S OLDEST LADY SOON TO BECOME 97

Mrs. Zulima Painter, Cross Plains' oldest lady, will celebrate her 97th birthday Feb. 11.

She will be honored with an open house at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Craig McNeel, from 1 to 8 p.m. on that date.

Mrs. Painter's other daughter, Mrs. Herman Jaekel of Denver, will be here for the occasion. She will, in fact, arrive at Abilene airport three days earlier to help her sister in planning the festive event.

Sabanno

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

We are having more cold, windy, damp weather. Monday was Ground Hog Day, and one wonders how the weather will be for a time.

The Busy Bee Club met Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons of last week in regular session. Mrs. Gus Brandon was hostess for the meeting, and one quilt was finished. Refreshments were served. Several members were out for different reasons.

Next meeting will be Feb. 10 and 11, at which time a "pay quilt" will be worked on. Mrs. J. L. King will be hostess for this meeting. The club is always glad to have visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lilley of Stephenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkett, Mark and Lydia, of Mineral Wells spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Lusk.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robinson have returned home from several weeks visit with their son and family in Dallas. Mrs. Robinson has been quite ill with the flu since returning home, but she was feeling better last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester King were business visitors in Abilene Saturday.

Herman Barron of Cisco visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb visited with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin, in Anson and with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and family and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb in Clyde last Thursday.

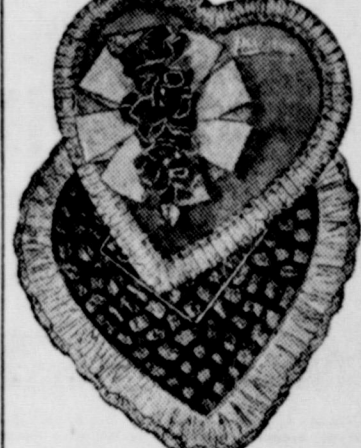
Mrs. Tempest Brandon of Gorman visited Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Kent of Cook and Josie Morris visited Mrs. John (Eunice) Morris in the hospital at Coleman Thursday. They reported Eunice was slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blackwell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King

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Cemetery Meeting Scheduled Friday

Annual meeting of Cross Plains Cemetery Association will be held Friday afternoon, Feb. 6, in the directors room at the Citizens State Bank. Starting time is 3:15.

T. T. Nichols, president of the cemetery association, urges persons with relatives buried here to attend or have representation at the meeting. Officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

MORRIS BELEW AND FAMILY MOVE HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Belew and twin baby girls have moved to Cross Plains, and he has accepted a position with Garrett Egg Company, Inc.

MRS. ROY ARROWOOD IN COLEMAN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Roy Arrowood entered Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman Thursday as a medical patient. She was undergoing a series of tests early this week.

Classified Ads — 50c per week

JUST A REMINDER

"And have tasted the good word of God, the powers of the world to come, if they shall fall away, to renew them again to repentance; seeing they crucify to themselves the Son of God afresh, and put Him to open shame." Hebrews 6:5&6 We need to lift up Christ and serve Him, not to continue in sin and shame. D.C.J.

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By Mrs. Les Byrd

Earnest Byrd was brought to his home here from the Brownwood Community Hospital last Thursday afternoon. He expects to get to stay at home for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers spent Saturday night and Sunday at home. They are staying in Brownwood helping with his mother who broke her hip over a week ago. She is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Pentecost of California, who are staying with her father, Bob Westerman, at Spur, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton and in the Jack Arledge home Tuesday of last week. Mr. Westerman's health has improved some.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shults of Odessa have visited with her brother, Jack Arledge, and family recently. Dub Arledge of Odessa was also here the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Markham of Brownwood visited with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baucom, one day last week.

Bill Baucom visited with his granddaughter, Bobby Sue Chambers, in the Hamlin Hospital. Bobby Sue underwent an appendectomy one day last week. Dickie Chambers of Lueders took his physical for the service Monday.

The colds and "flu" haven't let up to any extent yet. Nobody can seem to shake it.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Proctor spent Sunday with Mrs. Proctor and Miss Willie Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolley and Wanda of Abilene were here Saturday. He is very weak and not able to be up much.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley were in Ballinger one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Riley, David and Shae, of Abilene spent last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riley. They all attended church together Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lane, Flaire and Marche, of Sonora spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton. Also spending the week end were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Haun, Ann and Brian, of Eastland. The Ferrell Newton family of Clyde were Saturday visitors.

BLANKET JUNIOR CAGERS DUE HERE ON THURSDAY

Cross Plains Junior High School basketball teams will host Blanket junior cage squads at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in two games.

Last Monday's scheduled contests with Baird were canceled because of conflict with local high school basketball. In last outing local feminine team beat Rising Star, but the Mighty Mites bowed to the Wildkittens.

Eula will be here Monday for a pair of contest at 6:30.

CROCKETT HOME HAS WEEK END VISITORS

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Crockett and Mrs. H. L. Ford over the week end were R. G. Ford of Anchorage, Alaska; Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and granddaughter, Michelle Toms, of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; Mrs. Neal Umphress and Misses Mary and Vinnie Umphress of Scottsville, Miss Jane Allums of Kilgore, Miss Maxine Umphress and Wayne Zakeriska of Dallas and Major and Mrs. D. T. Crockett, Jr. and family of Killeen.

SAM EAKIN STAYS 2 WEEKS AT HOSPITAL

Sam Eakin, well-known independent oil operator, returned to his home between Cross Plains and Pioneer recently from Brownwood Community Hospital where he underwent surgery. He was hospitalized two weeks. Friends will be pleased to know that he is thought to be recovering satisfactorily.

BAND BOOSTERS WILL MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Cross Plains Band Boosters Club will meet Monday night, Feb. 9, at the Band Hall on the school campus. Members are urged to be present and help in planning the trip to Corpus Christi.

Man Known Here Injured In Mishap

Clifford Hill, 40-year-old Winters man and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Watson, who live between Cross Plains and Burkett, was critically injured about dusk Sunday in a three-vehicle smash-up north of Cresson.

Two Fort Worth residents were killed and a total of four persons were hurt in the mishap.

Hill was rushed to Peter Smith Hospital in Fort Worth where his injuries were said to include a broken ankle, fractured knee and rib. He sustained severe facial lacerations and a head injury.

Highway patrolmen said that one of the cars was towing another when it was involved in a collision with Hill's vehicle.

Dead at the scene were David F. Gold, 21, of Fort Worth, and an unidentified woman passenger in his car.

APRIL 1 DEADLINE FOR TRANSFERRING PEANUTS

All peanut allotment transfers must be completed by April 1.

Persons interested in transferring or acquiring acreage are advised to request a normal yield be established at this time. Peanut allotments cannot be transferred across county lines.

Personal Items Of Local Interest

County Attorney James Paul Shanks of Baird transacted business in Cross Plains Friday.

Orba Booth of Los Alamos, N. M., visited here this week with his mother, Mrs. Corda Booth.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Baird of Coleman visited friends and relatives in Cross Plains one day last week.

Vernon Warren, well-known Gorman area farmer, was a business visitor in Cross Plains Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Cowan and sons spent the week end in Fort Worth where they attended the fat stock show and the TCU-Baylor basketball game.

Miss Betty Tunnell of Fred Tunnell, Worth over the week they attended and rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. ... were in Fort ... where they ... Stock Show ...

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Mr. and Mrs. ... were in Miners ... where they ... of their daughter ... band, Mr. and ...

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Popular Local Couple Set Next May Wedding Date

Miss Joan Burks and Mr. Joe Burks announced the engagement and wedding date of their daughter, Joan, to Joe Pope, Jr. and Mrs. Bill Pope. The wedding date is yet to be determined but will be some time in May.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1967 graduate of Cross Plains High School, and is currently a junior at Tarleton State College in Stephenville. He is majoring in agriculture and has been a perennial winner in livestock exhibitions throughout this section of the state for a number of years.

GARMOND PARRISHES SPEND 1 WEEK HERE

T-Sgt. and Mrs. Garmond L. Parrish visited here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Parrish. They were en route to Biloxi, Miss., where he is attending a 12 month advanced electronics school at Keesler Air Force Base.

Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

This area had a nice shower Saturday night, although it was less than an inch. Weather was warmer Sunday, but Monday a cold norther was blowing.

Mr. and Mrs. Black Higginbotham visited in Longview last week.

Mrs. Cy Thomas and son and brother-in-law of Altus, Okla., visited her sister and family, the Buster Blacks, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Purvis and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Beth Sunday.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions last week were Mr. and Mrs. Mindon McWilliams of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady of Cross Plains, Ples Ray of Scranton, Bill West of Midland, Roy Tatom and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Hill, Shirley and family of De Soto and Edgar and family visited their parents over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Black Higginbotham are always ready to help and visit often.

There are a lot of school activities that I don't keep up with, but one thing that happens early every week day is Mr. Weiser and Roy Neil Tatom take turns every morning at 6 o'clock taking Beverly and Nancy to town for driver's education.

BROWNWOOD Cattle Auction

January 28, 1970

MARKET: Strong and active. Stocker and feeder calves and yearlings 50c to \$1 higher in excellent demand. Fat calves and yearlings mostly 50c higher. Slaughter cows sold steady to strong with some up as much as \$1 per hundred. Slaughter bulls were scarce and about steady. Feeder bulls sold active.

Estimated Receipts: 1142

Stocker Steer Calves	Wts. 250-425 lbs. 36-49.75
Stocker Heifer Calves	Wts. 250-425 lbs. 31-36
Steer Yearlings	Wts. 500-700 lbs. 31-36.50
Bull Yearlings	Wts. 28-33.50
Heifer Yearlings	Wts. 28-30
Plain Feeder Steers	Wts. 26-30
Plain Feeder Heifers	Wts. 24-28
Cows and Calves, pair	Good \$225-\$290
Plain \$150-\$235	
Stocker Cows	Wts. 19-24
Slaughter Cattle	Fat calves 27-29.50
Fat cows 21-23	
Utility & cutter cows	18-21.50
Canners 16-19	
Shells 14-16	
Stocker bulls 23-27	
Slaughter bulls 24-26	
Hogs (top)	None

Representative Sales

Melvin Pafford, Mullin, 1160 lb Bra. cow, 22.70; D. R. Kerby, B'w'd, 505 lb blk wf str, 36.40; Jack Beyers, Stephenville, 13 Hol. str, 406 lb avg wt, 29.80; Taylor Duncan, B'w'd, 235 lb wf str, 50; W. E. Bill Burlison, B'w'd, 445 lb blk hef, 30.90; Troy Mitchell, Rising Star, 350 lb blk hef, 35.10; J. B. Turner, Jr., B'w'd, 300 lb wf str, 48, and 400 lb wf str, 40.50; Marshal Crouch, Blanket, 290 lb wf str, 45; H. W. Boyken, Gldwith, 480 lb blk wf hef, 30.90, and 550 lb blk str, 37.50; Spud Smith, B'w'd, 295 lb wf str, 44; James Hutchings, Blanket, 440 lb wf hef, 31; Bill Blue, Indian Gap, 1550 lb Hol. cow, 22.60; L. L. Gilger, B'w'd, 315 lb wf hef, 35.75, and 300 lb wf str, 43; Vernon Hogg, B'w'd, 24 blk hefs, avg wt 319, 35.60.

Classified Ads

WEST TEXAS Polled Hereford Association Sale: 68 lots, 46 bulls, 22 females. Saturday, Feb. 14, 1970, 12:30 p.m. Abilene Auction, Abilene, Texas. 45 2tc

FOR RENT: Good business location on N. Main, quarters just south of Ray's Barber Shop. See Mrs. Sam Barr. Phone 725-2333. 45 1tc

FOR SALE: 2 half-beds with innerspring mattresses and springs. Priced for quick sale. Mrs. H. C. (Helen) Freeman, telephone 725-3651 after 5 p.m. 1tp

FOR SALE: Nice 2-bedroom home with furniture; priced for quick sale. Mrs. M. E. Howell. Telephone 725-4472. 45 1tc

FOR SALE: 100 good, young heavy springer Angora goat nannies, shearing time in March, \$7.75 each. See J. M. Greenwood. Phone 725-4408. 45 3tc

FOR SALE or Trade: Toro gasoline-powered golf cart \$195, or will trade for good, gentle saddle mare. Cart can be seen at O. K. Angeley residence. Phone 725-2794. 45 2tc

COASTAL BERMUDA sprigging. Have own sprigs, automatic digger and planter. Start digging around Feb. 15. Claude Joy, Cottonwood. Phone 725-4224. 45 1tc

FOR SALE: Peanut hay, baled Haygrazer and milo maize, 3-bottom, 16-inch, Ford-Ferguson 3-point hook-up moldboard plow. Conrad Schaefer, phone 643-3628, Rising Star. 45 4tp

FOR SALE: 4-year-old horse and good saddle. See Bill McMillan, phone 725-2362 45 2tc

NEED kitchen help. Apply at Odom's Cafe. See Mrs. Morris Odom. 43 3tc

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FOR SALE: Good mixed oat and Johnson grass hay, 75c per bale. See Howard Dickey, 2 miles east of Burkett. 1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE by owner: Combination Pawn Shop - Second Hand and Clothing Store in Odessa, Tex., consisting of very good 11,600 square foot block building and 200 foot frontage on main street. Well stocked and approx. \$7,000 in pawn loans, established 12 years free and clear, \$25,000 cash down (owner will carry balance) or consider trading for good farm and/or land. Prefer Eastland or Brown County area. Contact John T. Kelley at the A to Z Mart, 501 So. Grant, Odessa, Texas 79760. Phone 332-0449 or 366-8748. 45 4tp

FOR SALE: 133-acre, well improved farm, 5 miles southwest of Cross Plains on Highway 206. See L. D. Koenig or Mrs. F. C. Newton, telephone 725-3554. 44 1tc

FOR QUALIFIED income tax preparation for individuals and small business, See Ed Priest, public accountant, 3041 South 7th St., Abilene, Texas 79605. Residence telephone 672-5447, business 672-2291, after 2-1-70. 37 years with Internal Revenue Service. 44 1tc

PEST CONTROL: Termites and all types of insects controlled effectively and economically. For free inspection by Sure-Kill staff members contact our Cross Plains representative by telephoning 725-2604 or see John Watson.

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BUTANE AND PROPANE: For prompt gas service, call 725-3221. We also have propane bottle service. Rose Butane Gas Service, one mile east of town on Highway 36, Cross Plains. 1tc

SPECIAL: 4 x 8 pre-finished paneling for \$2.95 per sheet. Bowden Lumber Co., phone 725-5241. 33 1tc

FOR SALE: 40-acre peanut allotment, 1,175 pound yield per acre. Vernon Warren, 2 1/2 miles northwest of Gorman. Write Gorman Route 2. 45 4tp

FOR SALE: 13-foot metal, tandem stock trailer with new 700x15 six-ply tires. Phone 725-3648. 45 4tp

FOR SALE: Springing Jersey heifers. See or call Johnny Gerhardt, Rising Star, telephone 643-4619. 1tc

FOR RENT: One-bedroom house furnished, all bills paid. Lindsey Waldrop, Avenue D and 10th St. 1tp

RUMMAGE SALE All this week. Good used clothing and other items. Also used furniture for sale. See at D&D Family Store, N. Main St. 1tp

FOR SALE: 25 gallon butane tank. See Mrs. Sam Spes. Phone 725-5431. 45 2tp

WANTED: Water wells to drill. See Vernon Phillips or telephone 725-4551. 16 1tc

FARMERS: See us for Coastal Bermuda sprigging and seed bed preparation; we're experienced and will do you a good job. Call or write D. H. Herring or D. E. Pollock, Box 2, Rising Star, or telephone 643-6693. 43 4tp

CASH for producing oil or gas royalties. Write P. O. Box 518, Cross Plains, Texas.

FOR SALE: 164 acres west of Cross Plains. Mesquite grass. Call 893-5534, Clyde, Texas. 42 8tp

TAX SERVICE and bookkeeping. Billy D. Blitch, De Leon, Tex., phone 893-2636, P. O. Box 158. 44 4tc

FOR SALE: Modern 5-room house. See Mary Bates, corner East 11th and Ave. A. Telephone 725-5753. 35 1tc

HAY BALING: Custom hay baling. Have wind-roller and good baler. Joe Ingram, phone 725-4339. 8 1tc

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ANTIQUING: - Furniture refinished and repaired. Leather hand sewn. Minford Bernard, 511 N. Main, Rising Star. 45 8tp

FOR SALE: 6-cylinder 1966 model Chevrolet engine. Also have some good hybrid sudan hay. See Homer Simons, Cross Plains, phone 725-4253. 45 2tp

FOR SALE: 12 good eating ducks. Want to buy 5 or 6 young black heavy springers or pairs. See Jack Mitchell. Phone 643-4154. 1tp

USED FURNITURE: Now buying and selling. Contact me at D&D Family Store on North Main St. Robert Meador. 44 2tc

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FOR SALE: 1960 V-8 Ford, Fairlane 500 4-door, good tires. Call 725-5388, Garth Fortune. 44 2tc

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FOR SALE: 2-story, 6-room house on 7th and Ave. C on 4 lots. See or call Oliver Robertson, Cross Plains. 33 1tc

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom home with 2 baths, North Ave. E. For appointment contact Jack Pancake or call 725-2172. 33 1tc

IF YOU ARE BOTHERED with termites and roaches in your home and business, phone your home town pest control man, Robert Meador, telephone 725-3974. 1tc

SACRIFICE price on 5 acres of land on Highway 206, just outside city limits, near school; shallow water, beautiful home or business site. Price cut \$1,000; first \$2,500 gets this choice property. E. K. Coppinger, phone 725-3244. 40 1tc

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FOR SALE: Fuel barrels and trash barrels. Call 725-3643. Weldon Gary at Rowden Store. 25 1tc

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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank those who remembered me with cards, letters, flowers, visits and good wishes during my recent stay in the hospital. I am now at the home of my daughter in Abilene recovering satisfactorily and looking forward to returning home and seeing each of you. Thanks again, most sincerely.

Verna Mae Ramsey

CARD OF THANKS

Here's most sincere thanks to all my friends for their kindnesses and good wishes, shown in so many ways, during my recent stay in the hospital and since coming home. Friends are wonderful and I'm honored with a set worth more than gold. Thanks to all of you.

Sam Eakin

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Cross Plains volunteer firemen for their alertness in extinguishing a fire which imperiled our property recently.

Mrs. Juanita Mayes
John and Joy Geer

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the friends who remembered me in so many wonderful ways during my stay in the hospital and since returning home. I shall forever treasure the memory of your every kindness.

Katie Kilgore

CARD OF THANKS

My deepest thanks go to those friends who remembered me during my stay in the hospital and since returning home. Every visit, flower, card, letter, and good wish was most appreciated and shall be held in grateful remembrance.

Mrs. Jessie Westerman

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the cards, thoughts and words of kindness, as well as those of you who spent so much time sitting up with us in the long illness and loss of our Granny. Thanks also to the ones who furnished and served food in our home. May God's richest blessings be with you all.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence
The James Lawrence Family
Glenn Lawrence Family

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To Betty Ruth Smith, Defendant.

Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 9th day of March, 1970, at or before ten o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Callahan County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Baird, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on the 13 day of November A. D. 1969, in this cause, numbered 12,092 on the docket of said court, and styled:

Billy Oric Smith, Plaintiff, vs. Betty Ruth Smith, Defendant.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: Billy Oric Smith, Plaintiff, and Betty Ruth Smith, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Plaintiff seeks divorce from Defendant, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this 19th day of January A. D. 1970.

Attest:
S/Mrs. Beatrice Deal, Clerk.
District Court, Callahan County, Texas.
(Seal)

POLITICAL CALENDAR

The following have authorized the Review to announce their candidacies for public office, subject to action of the Democratic Primary Election May 2, 1970.

State Representative, 53rd District:
JOE C. HANNA

County Judge:
A. E. DYER, JR.

School Superintendent:
L. C. CASH

County Clerk:
BEATRICE DEAL

County Treasurer:
HAZEL REYNOLDS

County Commissioner, Precinct 4:
DUKE MITCHELL
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Burkett Report Covers Wide Range Of Items

By Mrs. A. H. Carroll

Mrs. Merrel Burkett had surgery in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman last week. A report first of the week indicated she is doing well as expected. She thinks she may get to come home this week if all goes well. Mrs. Burkett is our postmaster, and we wish her a speedy recovery.

Echo's annual March of Dimes program will be held in the church building there Saturday, Feb. 7, at 7 p.m. There will be an auction on things brought by the public such as pies, cakes, pot holders, needlework, quilts or whatever one wishes to bring. Residents of other communities are invited. It is hoped that this will be the best auction yet to raise money for the children who need it so badly. There will be refreshments, and music will be furnished by the Burkett Playboys. There will be no dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll visited his sister, Mrs. Clara Kirby, in Coleman Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans went to Fort Worth Friday to visit their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. McCormick.

The Burkett Quilting Club met at the community house last Thursday. Mrs. Lillian Harris and Mrs. Bert Evans were hostesses. Twenty-two persons were present and two quilts were quilted.

Alles Key and a friend of San Marcos and Hannah Brown of Coleman visited Allen's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Evans over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Turner

have moved from this community. They will be missed, but we wish them happiness.

Visitors during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Connelly and Chris were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Mac Connelly of Stephenville and Delbert Snow and Cecil Godwin of Echo.

Clifford Hill of Winters, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Watson, was in a three-car accident near Fort Worth. He is reported in critical condition in Peter Smith Hospital in Fort Worth. Mrs. Watson, Tommie Connelly and others went to see him Sunday night. His room number is 340.

Mrs. B. W. Adam's father, Willis Blackwell of Eagle Lake passed away Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Adams and sons left to attend the services. He is survived by six daughters, one son and several grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Boyle of Val Alstyne brought a load of furniture to his grandparents' last week end for his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyle of Howe, who have bought the store here. We welcome the Arthur Boyles to Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Strickland and girls of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray of Coleman, Mrs. Mae Beaver and Rev. and Mrs. Baty visited the Mel Walkers last week.

Mrs. Bill Walker returned home from Michigan Saturday.

This writer has received a card from Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker of Ballinger informing of their 66th anniversary.

Buffs Cinch Tie For 9-A Cage Diadem

Cross Plains Buffaloes cinched a share of the District 9-A basketball championship Monday night at Santa Anna, whipping the Mountaineers 72-30.

Buffette visions of an undisputed title faded, however, as the host sextet avenged an earlier defeat by Cross Plains 58-21.

Thundering Herd sits atop the conference standings with a 7-0 mark with only one 9-A contest remaining. That is with Goldthwaite Eagles, in second place last week end with only one defeat, and they will be in Buffalo Gymnasium Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Cross Plains girls now share the top spot with Santa Anna, both with a league loss. If neither loses again, a play-off will be held.

Santa Anna girls raced to a 17-4 first quarter lead. A rattled local team was no match for the experienced hosts. Paula Petty led Buffette scoring with nine.

Buffs were as over-powering as Santa Anna girls were, building a 41-12 first half lead as Coach Les Cowan emptied his bench.

Leslie Cowan captured high point honor with 17 followed by James McMillan's 12 and Larry Bishop's 11. Seven other Bisons also scored.

Typical Mid-Winter Week Seen By Cottonwood Community Folk

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. Bob Robinson spent last week in Brownwood visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Childers.

The Arnold Childerses of Brownwood spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers.

Mrs. J. T. Howard visited her mother in Roswell, N. M., last week end.

Mrs. Calvin Champion entered Cox Hospital in Abilene last Tuesday for a medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Myrick, Wadie and Sammie, of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. C. R. Myrick, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Norman Coffey was stricken with the flu Sunday and was unable to teach the Adult Class at the Baptist Church. Mrs. John Purvis, supply teacher, filled in for her.

Mrs. Woodrow McHugh was not able to attend services at the Baptist Church Sunday. Her place at the piano was filled by Mrs. B. A. Moore.

Mrs. Frances Gilleland and her son, Vorus Kelly, and daughter, Brenda, of Dallas attended a 50-year memorial service at the United Methodist Church at Meadow. They reported an enjoyable time visit-

ing former friends. They were members there many years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Spivey visited in San Angelo over the week end with her mother, Mrs. B. F. Bowman. Mrs. Bowman returned home with them to spend a week. They all had dinner Sunday in the home of the brother of Mrs. Spivey, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bowman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Spivey and sons visited the V. I. Spiveys here and the L. D. Koenigs in Cross Plains recently.

4,001 Register To Vote In Callahan

Albert Lovell, Callahan County tax assessor-collector, announced a final tabulation Tuesday on voter registrations for the current year.

"It all adds up to 4,001," he said, "which seems quite good in view of the fact that this is not a presidential election year."

Registrations in 1969 totaled 3,304, and in 1968 — the last year of a presidential election — the aggregate was 4,230.

Garnette McCowen Brownwood Man Marries

Miss Garnette McCowen and Ronnie Bagley were married Jan. 17 in the First United Methodist Church at Cross Plains.

The Rev. W. C. Crawford officiated. Organist was Mrs. Vera Pearl Bunnell and soloist was Mrs. James Reynolds.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGowen, and parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bagley of Brownwood.

The bride, presented in marriage by her father, wore an empire gown of ivory satin with the bodice and cuffs overlaid with Venetian lace. A matching bow held her veil. She carried a bouquet of Frenched carnations.

Mrs. Randy Montgomery was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Virginia Lane and Diane Key. They wore empire gowns of American beauty rose satin with short, flared Chiffon sleeves. Satin bows held their headresses and each carried a long-stemmed pink mum.

Flower girls were Lynn Bagley, best man, Glenn Williams, Teague.

Guests were members of the church and their families. Immediately after the ceremony, a reception was held in the church. Naomi McCowen, Brown, Diane Beth McCowen, and Mrs. J. L. McGowen of Atwell, Pottsphenville and of Cross Plains.



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