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## Saturday Brings Renewal In Feud

gridiron rivals Saturday at 8 p.m. Stadium when the Herd hosts Rising Star.

## Home Towner

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and accomplish-  
Cross Plains schools  
readily apparent this  
as the ol' home  
hosts homecoming of  
girls who attended  
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and pleased. Finally, he pull-  
radio from the wall  
inside. Stashed  
J. L. Cearley's little

but fell last week to Richland Springs 27-12. Rising Star is favored to win the 18-B title.

Both units will be seeking to even non-conference records at 2-2. Rising Star took Early in the season opener, but since has lost to Bangs and Baird. Bisons lost the opener to Wylie.

Statistically the two teams are about even. Wildcats have lighted scoreboards with 42 points in three outings, an average of 14 points per game, and Buffaloes have averaged 10 points per contest. Defensively the Herd has allowed 46 points, and the Cats have watched 54 points rung up.

### Wildcats Experienced

The Wildcat squad is loaded with experience in the backfield. Dick Clarke, 165-pounder, brings three years of starting savvy to the quarterback slot. Adding to worries of Wildcat foes are senior veteran backs David Middleton, 145, and Brad Carroll, 168. A pair of junior letter earners are also available in Tommy Linney, 152, and Mike Polk, 135.

A competent passer, Clarke has two veteran ends in Larry Alford, 163, and Tommy Bibb, 180, both of who are six-foot plus seniors, to toss to.

Experience in the interior line is not so evident, but battle-tested personnel is available for most positions. Mike Childers, 168-pound senior, is at center, and he is flanked by David Griffin, 165-pound senior guard, and tackles Benny Ezzell, 168 senior, and Randy Goldston, 180 junior.

### Buff Wildcat Series

Saturday's contest will be the 38th renewal of the Cross Plains-Rising Star gridiron series. Buffaloes have triumphed 22 times, and Wildcats have won 14 times. The only ties was first game in 1929, a 6-6 deadlock. Rising Star took an 8-6 victory last year.

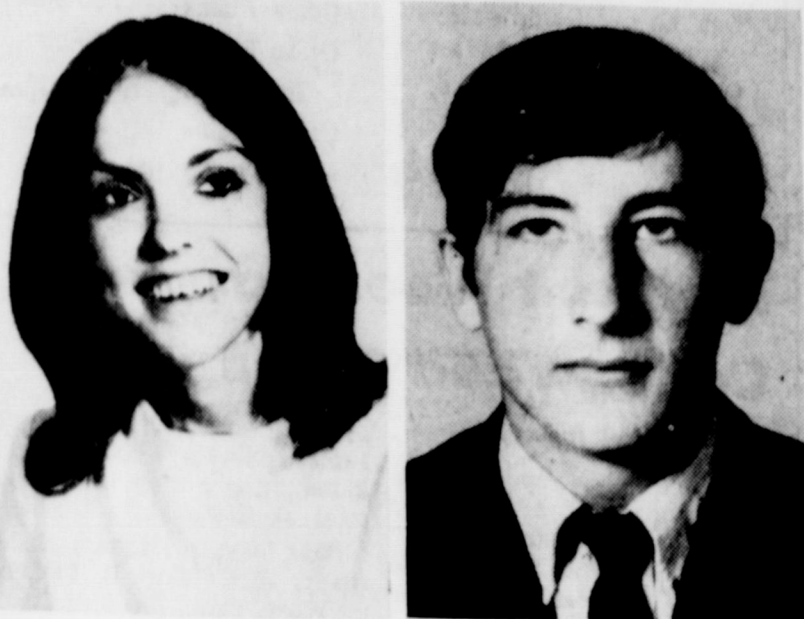
### VANDALS STRIKE HOUSE AT EAST 13TH & AVE. D

Vandals did considerable damage to a house at corner of East 13th Street and Avenue D sometime last week. The incident was reported Sunday. Most windows were broken and extensive damage done inside the unoccupied house.

### ONCE IN 70 YEARS IS NOT TOO OFTEN

S. F. Bond has drunk coffee most of his 97 years but he bought a pound can this week and paid retail price for the first time in 70 years.

"This is the first coffee I've had since 1900 that didn't come from a store which I either owned or had an interest in," he said to Miss Vesta Bond, who waited on him.



Debbie Tyler

Brad Harris

CHOICE OF STUDENTS — Miss Debbie Tyler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tyler, and Brad Harris, son of Bob Harris, have been designated "Mr. and Miss CPHS" by fellow students in Cross Plains schools. Both are members of the senior class. They will be honored at halftime ceremonies at the football game here Saturday night and then again with special pages in the school yearbook The Bison.

## 2,000 Deer, 12,000 Wild Turkeys Said In Callahan

Twenty-five local landowners received 6,000 channel catfish Wednesday for stocking ponds. These catfish were delivered by the federal fish hatchery.

A number also received fish from a state hatchery Friday.

Hunting in Callahan County should attract a large number of out-of-county hunters this fall, stated Larry Hollo-

way, local game manager with Texas Park and Wildlife Service. Holloway also stated that all counts show the wild-life population to be up from last year. Counts made this year show the deer population increased from 1,800 to 2,000 in Callahan County. Turkeys increased from 8,000 to 12,000 and quail also show an increase of 25 per cent over last year.

## School Reunion To Draw Large Crowd

One of the gayest week ends in the long history of Cross Plains is believed to be just ahead.

Saturday is homecoming for all former students of Cross Plains schools and that includes the 15 rural districts which were consolidated into the local system. Early reports coming in indicate that this year's reunion may surpass that of five years ago, said to have been the most widely-attended local homecoming ever held up to that time.

Harold Garrett, president of the Ex-Students Association, reports unprecedented interest. Officers working with him on the upcoming affair include Jack W. Tunnell, vice-president; Mrs. Oran Bains, treasurer, all of whom reside here, and Mrs. Jim Gilmore of Houston, secretary of the ex-students organization.

### Many Notified

A committee headed by Mrs. Tommy Hinkle has mailed 900 postcards to former local students asking them to come home for the big day. Each postcard also asked the person to whom it was addressed to notify other CPHS exes, who might otherwise not receive information regarding the reunion.

Saturday's program will be

kicked off with a coffee in the school cafeteria, beginning at 10 a.m. Mrs. J. D. Goble is in charge of this function. Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, chairman of the registration committee, will have tables set up to register returnees and issue identification badges.

Luncheon will be served by the Parent-Teacher Organization at noon, featuring turkey and dressing, or baked ham as the entrees. The elaborate, banquet-type meal will cost but \$1. Mrs. Leo G. Franke, PTO president, has had committees working on this feature continuously most of the week.

### Business Meeting

At 2 p.m. a business meeting is slated in the school auditorium. Garrett, who will preside, said that a coming home queen will be chosen at that time, as also will officers to serve the organization and work out plans for the next homecoming. Mrs. Clara Nell Westerman heads the committee on selection and presentation of the coming-home queen. Nomination committee to suggest officers will be made up of Garrett, Tunnell, Mrs. Bains and Mrs. Gilmore.

A number of individual class reunions are planned. Members of the class of 1967 will meet

at the Jack Tunnell home. The 1966 group will assemble at Lakewood Recreation Center, the 1951 crowd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Garrett on State Highway 279, two miles south of town. Those of 1946 will meet at the near by home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrett. Tommie B. Conlee is advising the 1945 group to meet at the Howard McGowen building, one block west of Odom's Restaurant on State Highway 36. Plans are expected to be worked out for other class reunions and announcement of the time and place for each will be made at the 2 p.m. meeting in the high school auditorium.

A pep rally with the school student body is scheduled at 3 p.m. in the gymnasium.

### Social at 10 p.m.

One of the high spots of the day will be held in the warehouse building just in back of Williams Planning Mill, on West 8th Street. The Gilmores of Baird, a western band, will provide music for those who wish to dance and another area of the building will be set aside for those who simply wish to visit and be together. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fortune and Jack Watkins are heading the committee working out plans for the social.

## R.B. (Slim) Taylor Ranking School Trustee For Texas

R. B. (Slim) Taylor of Putnam was honored at a banquet in Austin Sunday for "outstanding service to a local school district".

The presentation of an award was made at the annual banquet of the joint meeting of the Texas Associ-

ation of School Boards of the Texas Association of School Administrators.

Taylor, the Association of School Boards says, has been on his local school board longer than anyone else in the state. He is now serving his 44th year.

## Cross Plains Oldest Sweethearts Note 70th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Butler, who were married in Cross Plains Sept. 26, 1970, celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary at Sunny Dale Nursing Home in Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Butler and their family hosted the observance. He is the couple's son and only surviving child. Their daughter, Mrs. Porter (Faustine) Henderson, passed away several years ago.

## Cliffy Kirkham To Head Local Riders

Cliffy Kirkham has been chosen president of Cross Plains Riding Club for the ensuing year. Other officers elected at a meeting of the organization last week include: Alton Tatom, vice-president; Doyle Burchfield, secretary; Tony Burns, arena director, and Merlin Garrett, parade marshal.

Mr. Butler was born Jan. 6, 1876, in Glasgow, Ky. Mrs. Butler was born Sept. 3, 1877, in Holly Springs, Miss. They met in 1899 in Cross Plains and were later married at the home of her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bond. They made their home here until early this year.

The Butlers, who have often been called Cross Plains' oldest sweethearts, have five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

### PETE CUNNINGHAM TAKES COUNTY JOB

Pete Cunningham, widely-known Putnam man, has been named veterans service officer in Callahan County. He replaces Carl Fleming, who resigned to accept similar responsibilities in Coleman. Cunningham will office on third floor of the courthouse in Baird. He is a veteran of World War II.

### NAME ON ROOF AIDS FLOURING FLYER

A Wichita, Kansas, businessman wrote Mayor Doyle Burchfield this week thanking him for having name of this town painted on the roof of a large store (Higginbothams). "We were lost, flying in that area on Sept. 16," wrote D. Duane Solter, "and the town's identification was all required to get us back on course. Thanks for your public spiritedness."

## Cool Bandit Trio Heists Rising Star Bank And Escapes

Local officers joined an area-wide search Thursday for three armed men who robbed \$9,263 from the First State Bank in Rising Star shortly before 11 o'clock. The get-away car was found two hours later on FM Road 583, (road to Williams) five miles south of State Highway 36. The late model auto was in mesquite brush about 150 feet from the pavement.

Officers said the bandits marked location of their second car with red flags attached to reflector posts on a culvert near where the first auto was abandoned. Lawmen opined that the robbery appeared to have been well-planned.

James A. Rutherford, president of the bank, said that two of the robbers ordered all employees and two customers

into a back room, while they scooped up money from teller's cages. The third man stood guard.

Dwayne Holmes of Andrews and Donald Watson of Cross Plains, employees of Texas Telephone and Telegraph Co., provided excellent descriptions of the trio. They were standing near the Rising Star Telephone Building when the three exited from the bank and got into the get-away car, approximately 100 feet away.

"They did not seem to be in a hurry," Holmes said.

He and Watson commented at the time that the trio looked suspicious — like bank robbers. They telephoned the bank and were told that the place had just been robbed. Holmes and Watson had written down

license number and detailed information about the get-away vehicle. This data they immediately passed along to officers, together with descriptions of the bandits, all of whom were dressed in business clothes and wore narrow-brimmed hats, mustaches and goatees. One carried a satchel, or brief case, known now to have contained loot from the bank.

Arley Bibby, Rising Star city marshal, who had been in the bank talking with Rutherford, attempted to follow the robbers but his car was in collision with a pick-up. Although the vehicle was severely damaged it would still run and Bibby sped all the way to Cross Plains before realizing that they had turned off.

"I noticed the men get out

of the car across the street from the bank," Rutherford said, "and remarked to Bibby about how ridiculous their goatees and mustaches looked. We laughed about it, and went back to talking business."

"The next thing I remember was one of the two men standing by the door," Rutherford continued. "He said 'All right, let's get up and go to the back with the other people' and started waving his gun in our faces."

Miss Patra Goss, a bank secretary, was sitting at a 90-degree angle from the path one robber took from the front door to the teller's cage. "When he walked up to the cage, I looked up and noticed a gun in his left hand. I said very calmly, 'We're having a hold-up,' be-

cause somehow I couldn't imagine it being for real, and thought it was a practical joke. Then the man turned to me and said, 'Yes, we're having a hold-up,' only he wasn't smiling, so I knew it was for real," Miss Goss said.

Bank president Rutherford and Lane Wells, the cashier who was first approached, agreed that the men didn't say enough to determine if they had any regional accent.

In the bank at the time of the robbery were Rutherford; his brother, C. C. Rutherford, vice-president; employees Wells, Barbara Kanady, Ruth Perkins, Miss Goss and Lana Brown; customers Olin V. Lee of May, Bibby and Mrs. Bruce Harris, who walked into the bank after the robbery had begun.



## Busy People Keep Things Humming About Burkett

By Mrs. A. H. Carroll

We are having cooler weather and I'm sure everyone is enjoying it. It makes us realize that Autumn is arriving.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy James Slack and Cindy were weekend visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Slack.

Mrs. Mae Beaver returned home Friday after being hospitalized several days for tests and medication.

Mrs. O. O. Autry of Lockhart spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll. Mrs. Etta Downs of Coleman visited the Carrolls Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Rose Lee Soules, postmaster at Star, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Burkett. Mrs. Soules and Mrs. Burkett left Saturday by plane for St. Louis, Mo., to attend a national convention of postmasters.

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris and Ivan Harris all of Coleman visited relatives and friends in Burkett last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson visited in the Felix Watson home Sunday, and also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Watson and baby from Plainview. It was their first time to see the Felix Watsons' new grandson.

## Opening Friday

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## 2.62 Inches Rain Received In Town

A total of 2.62 inches of rain fell in Cross Plains over the week end, according to measurements taken by F. C. Newton, official observer for the Weather Bureau.

Many communities around Cross Plains, however, reported heavier precipitations.

Total rainfall during September, according to Newton's records was 4.76 inches. That brought the aggregate for the first nine months of 1970 to 21.53 inches.

### RETIRED SERVICEMAN VISITS HERE TUESDAY

Franklin Freeland of Baird, who recently retired from the U. S. Navy after 20 years service, visited with kinsmen and friends in Cross Plains Tuesday afternoon.

### 3 LOCAL PERSONS IN BROWNWOOD HOSPITAL

Three Cross Plains people have been hospitalized in near by rooms at Brownwood Community Hospital the past week. They are Hugh McDermott, Mrs. T. E. Baum and Mrs. L. W. Westerman.

### CASE OF OIL TAKEN FROM MOBIL WAREHOUSE HERE

George Hutchins, Mobil consignee, reported theft of a case of outboard motor oil from his warehouse on West 6th Street. Theft was believed to have occurred last week end.

### HOMECOMING WEEK END SCHEDULED FOR BAIRD

This is homecoming week end for former student of Baird public schools.

### BURLESON LUNCHEON SLATED ON OCT. 30TH

A luncheon honoring Congressman Omar Burleson will be held in Abilene Oct. 30. Hosting the event will be the legislative committee of Abilene Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. James Herring and son of Baird were in Cross Plains one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harmon and daughter, Robbie, were in Brownwood Saturday.

### CROSS PLAINS HIGH SCHOOL BUFFALOES 1970 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 11	Wylie 12	Cross Plains 0	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 18	Santa Anna 7	Cross Plains 18	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	Richland Sprgs. 27	Cross Plains 12	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 3	Rising Star *	Cross Plains	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	Baird	Baird	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	De Leon *	De Leon	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 23	Goldthwaite *	Cross Plains	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 30	Early *	Cross Plains	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 6	Ranger *	Ranger	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 13	Dublin *	Cross Plains	7:30 p.m.

\* Homecoming Game

\* District 10-A Game

## Pleasant Week Passes In Cottonwood Community

By Mazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Wiseman of Florence visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gill, here and Mrs. Myrtle Wiseman of Cross Plains over the week end.

Mike Galliver, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Sandifer, and his roommate, Tony Gillis, of Washington visited the Sandifers over the week end on their way to attend college in Denver, Colo.

Lee Bulls of Cross Plains preached for the Church of Christ congregation here Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Kelly and Mrs. W. B. Nickerson visited their sister, Mrs. W. W. Byrd, and family in Fort Worth one day last week.

Mrs. Charles Waggoner had a phone call Sunday from her sister informing her of the serious illness of their father, Mr. Owens, at Cushing.

Vince Woodard of Abilene spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Woodard.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith are doing extensive remodeling on their home, such as moving windows and moving the fire

Mrs. Vera Baum of Mansfield visited relatives and friends in Cross Plains last week end.

TUESDAY NOON is deadline for news and advertising

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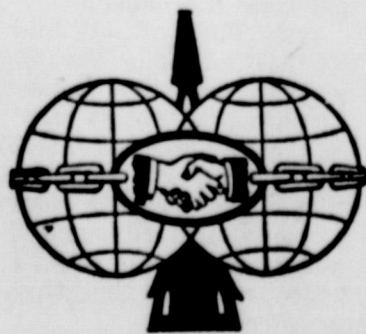
Oct. 29-30-31 & Nov. 1

"GONE WITH THE WIND"

### NOTICE

Increased cost of postage, billing and bookkeeping makes it unprofitable to send statements on classified advertisements, some of which run only 50 cents.

It is, therefore, requested that these ads be paid for at the time of placing, unless they are to be billed to an established account.



See You in Church Sunday

## Most Long Distance Phone Cost Less Than Dictated Let

Now long distance is a better bargain, according to Harvey Womack, business manager at Texas Telephone & Telegraph Company.

A recent article in Nation's Business sets the cost of the average dictated business letter at \$3.05.

On the other hand, a three-minute station-to-station call placed during daytime hours from coast to coast costs no more than \$1.70. Most calls from this area are much less. And, Womack emphasizes you're communicating instantly.

DDD calls cost even less. Discounts are automatically given on station-to-station calls which are dialed direct. For example, a station-to-station call regularly costing \$1.70 is discounted to \$1.35, a 20 per cent savings.

"Since these calls require no operator assistance," said Womack. Another suggestion for reducing the size of your telephone bill is to avoid calling person-to-person. That same call costing \$1.35 on a station-to-station discount basis, costs

## Persons

The Rev. and Mrs. Brooks visited friends in Wood Community Home day last week.

Mrs. John Pruet home last week from Overall-Morris Memorial, where she was several days.

Mrs. Hilda Ellis and Mrs. Fanny C. Roscoe visited Mr. Chester Glover last and Thursday.

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KLEENEX JUMBO TOWELS, 3 rolls for

Ham ARMOUR'S STAR, HALF OR WHOLE, PER LB. 5

KLEENEX TISSUE, 200 size, 4 boxes

GLADIOLA FLOUR, 5 pounds

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FRANKS, Armour Star, 12 oz. package

Bacon ARMOUR'S STAR, PER POUND PKG. 7

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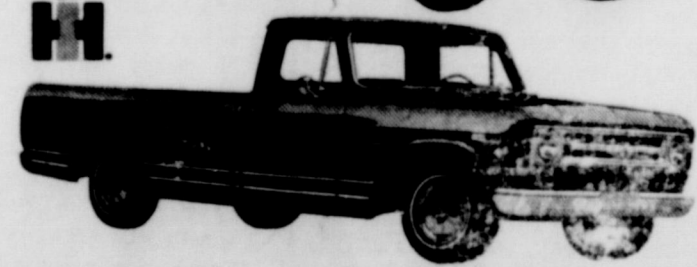
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# Coyotes Defeat Buffs 12 On 6 Turnovers

Buffalo fumbled to stop the Wishard passes, mixed with overconfidence of Cross Plains to second season last Friday at Springs. The Coyotes the second half beat the Herd 27-12.

The Herd netted 248 yards, majority coming from Brad Rodney Renfro. Buff Renfro almost broke loose on the ensuing punt runback, returning 25 yards to the hosts' 40. Five plays later Bisons were on the 24, hosts threw back the thrust. A Richland Springs drive bogged down, but on third down the Herd's alternate unit fumbled the ball away at the 25. Four plays later Teal traveled six yards for the touchdown with 1:03 left in the game. Gibson missed the point.

**Game At A Glance**

Cross Plains	Richland Springs
21	15
248	210
68	106
3-5	4-8
0	1
0-0	2-28
11-92	11-105
5-6	0-0

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## S.S. Agent Names Dates For Visits

Dates when a representative of the Social Security office in Abilene will visit Cross Plains, Baird and Rising Star were announced this week. They are as follows:

Cross Plains at the City Hall, Oct. 23, Nov. 13 and Dec. 11 at 10 a.m.

Baird at the courthouse, Oct. 20 at 10 a.m. only for the next three months.

Rising Star at the City Hall, Oct. 16, Nov. 20 and Dec. 18 at 10 a.m.

## Mighty Mites Clip Rising Star 12-8

Cross Plains Junior High School Mighty Mites scored 12 points in the first half here Tuesday of last week and made it stand for 12-8 victory over Rising Star Wildkittens.

It was the second straight conference triumph for the local unit, and upped the season record to 2-1.

Left End Ricky Westerman got Cross Plains' first touchdown on a 55-yard scamper on an end-around. Right halfback Randy Pancake romped 35 yards off left tackle for the Mites' second tally midway of the second period.

Mighty Mites played superb defense in the first half, and the line blocked crisply. Outstanding defenders included Carl Thomas, Gad Edwards, Randall Franke and Tim Bishop.

Rising Star got its touchdown in the third quarter on a 15-yard halfback pass, and successfully converted for two points.

Mite Jimmy Bates almost broke loose on the second half kickoff, racing about 45 yards to the Wildkitten 25 before being dragged down.

Next home game for the Mites will be Tuesday, Oct. 6, when Baird comes here. Kick-off is scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

## Baby Boy Is Born To Couple Known Here

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watson of Tulsa, Okla., are parents of a baby boy, born Sept. 21. The child weighed seven pounds and three ounces and has been named Randy Glen.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Troy Watson of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parker of Lubbock.

## Football Record

Hereunder is a record of football games played by Cross Plains and Rising Star in interscholastic League competition.

Year	Buff	Cats
1929	6	6
1930	20	6
1931	7	34
1932	6	7
1933	7	0
1934	13	0
1935	18	6
1936	20	7
1937	7	27
1938	18	6
1939	21	6
1940	32	7
1942	0	15
1944	21	0
1945	7	0
1946	19	7
1947	0	6
1948	6	38
1949	14	45
1950	18	14
1951	27	0
1952	26	0
1953	12	7
1954	19	7
1955	46	0
1956	32	0
1957	33	0
1960	18	8
1961	7	36
1962	6	12
1963	0	14
1964	8	20
1965	7	12
1966	0	26
1967	12	6
1968	6	0
1969	6	8

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## Interesting People Pay Calls In Cross Cut Area

By Mrs. Les Byrd

Mr. and Mrs. Tye Clark, who are employed at the K. P. Orphan Home in Weatherford, visited with Mrs. Maud Byrd and Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Chambers of Monahans spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chambers. Another guest was Mrs. Clifton Chambers' sister, Mrs. Howard Stringer of Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Byrd of Austin and their son, Alan, of Galveston spent Friday night and Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd, her parents, Mrs. Hugh McDermott at Cross Plains and Mr. McDermott at the hospital in Brownwood.

We had a good rain over the week end, averaging two inches in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton and Mrs. D. L. Riley attended funeral services for Dr. Austin in Bangs last Wednesday. Mrs. Austin is a niece of Lewis.

Mrs. Elsie Byrd visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cowan, at Burkett Sunday.

Mrs. O. B. Byrd attended a joint, college, high school and elementary school English meeting at the university in San Angelo Saturday. Mrs. Byrd is president of the District 15.

Mrs. Jack Arledge visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray, in Pioneer Sunday. Nancy visited her friend, Vicki Foster, in Cross Plains Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wright and Teresa of Brownwood visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wright, and his sister, Paula, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Clark and three children of Fort Worth spent two or three days

## DAN JOHNSTON HOME FROM TRIP TO MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnston returned home last week from a trip to Acapulco, Mexico. They spent a week at the resort city with all expenses paid. It was first prize in an International truck contest. Mr. Johnston, who owns and operates the Cross Plains dealership is a leader in truck sales throughout the Southwest.

## E. G. ROBYS MOVE TO NEW MEXICO RANCH

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Roby, prominent local residents for the past several years, have moved to New Mexico to make their future home. He will be ranch foreman on a sizeable spread near Cloudercroft.

The Robys have many friends here who wish them every happiness in their new location.

Cross Plains Riding Club honored the couple with a parting gift one night last week. The Robys were given a large wall clock as a token of affection by friends here.

## BABY BOY BORN TO THE ODEAN SMOOTS

Mr. and Mrs. Odean Smoot are parents of a baby boy, born Sept. 19 in Eastland Memorial Hospital. The child weighed six pounds and 10 ounces and has been named Larren Wade.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Smoot of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. James G. Christopher of Dallas.

## Huge Bonfire To Be Set Friday At 8:45

A bonfire, to whip up enthusiasm for the homecoming football game with Rising Star, will be ignited Friday night at 8:45.

Four Cross Plains High School cheerleaders: Debbie Tyler, Sherry Ingram, Kathy Purvis and Jan Strickland, have been organizing the bonfire program and material to keep it aflame will be brought in by boys at CPHS.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Baum of Mineral Wells visited here Monday with Vesta Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy were Brownwood visitors Saturday.

Miss Paula Richardson, student at SMU in Dallas, visited here last week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Conn.

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WORSHIP . . . . . 11:00 A.M.  
EVENING WORSHIP . . . . . 6:00 P.M.  
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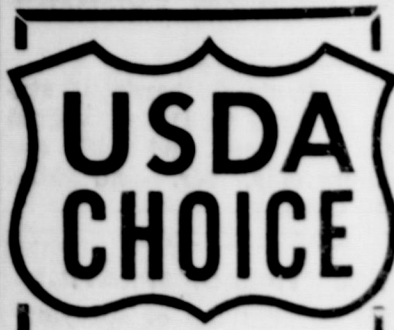
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- SLICED BOLOGNA, Gooch Blue Ribbon, per pound .....
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- EXTRACT Adams Best, 1 1/2 oz. .... **39<sup>c</sup>**
- COOKIES Shurfresh Fig Bars, 2 lb. pkg. .... **49<sup>c</sup>**
- CATSUP Del Monte, 14 oz. Bottle ..... **24<sup>c</sup>**
- CUT GREEN BEANS Del Monte 303 Can ..... **24<sup>c</sup>**
- GREEN LIMA BEANS Del Monte 303 Can ..... **31<sup>c</sup>**
- CORN Del Monte Cream Style Golden, 303 Can ..... **23<sup>c</sup>**
- CORN Del Monte Family Style, 303 Can ..... **23<sup>c</sup>**
- SPINACH Del Monte, 303 Can ..... **5/1<sup>00</sup>**
- PEAS Del Monte, 303 Can ..... **23<sup>c</sup>**
- NEW POTATOES Del Monte 303 Can ..... **5/1<sup>00</sup>**
- TOMATO SAUCE Del Monte 8 oz. Can ..... **13<sup>c</sup>**
- PINEAPPLE JUICE Del Monte 46 oz. Can ..... **38<sup>c</sup>**
- TOMATO JUICE Del Monte 46 oz. Can ..... **39<sup>c</sup>**
- CRACKERS Keeblers Zesta Saltine, Lb. .... **39<sup>c</sup>**

- PAPER PLATES PAPERMATE 100 CT. .... **69<sup>c</sup>**
- MIXED NUTS TOM SCOTT, 13-OZ. CAN ..... **59<sup>c</sup>**
- PINE SOL PINE OIL, 15-OZ. BOTTLE ..... **59<sup>c</sup>**

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6 OZ. JAR SHURFINE MUSTARD  
WHEN YOU BUY 1 PKG. GOOCH ALL MEAT FRANKS

COME OVER & SAVE  
**FLOUR**  
GLADIOLA 5 LB. BAG  
**39<sup>c</sup>**  
LIMIT ONE  
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**59c**

INSTANT MILK, Pet Dry, 12 quart size ..... 1.29  
BISCUITS, CORN BREAD, PANCAKE PET COFFEE  
GLADIOLA MIXES, 14 for \$1 CREAMER, 11 ozs. ... 49c  
FRUIT PIES, Mrs. Smith's, big 20 ounce pie ..... 53c

**FREE!**

MORTON'S  
CREAM PIE  
WHEN YOU BUY BUY ONE PIE AT REGULAR PRICE

BOOTH PERCH 1 Lb. Pkg. .... **69c**  
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- CANE SUGAR Shurfine, 5 Lb. .... 55c
- SOUP Shurfine Tomato, 10 oz. Can. .... 10c
- PICKLES Rainbo, Whole Sweets, 16 oz. .... 51c
- FLY & MESQUITO KILLER Hot Shot Pint. .... 59c
- SPRAY STARCH Easy Monday, 15 oz. .... 39c
- LIQUID DETERGENT Energy 22 oz. .... 35c
- ALUMINUM FOIL Arrow, 25 ft. .... 25c
- NAPKINS Soflin Rainbow, 60 Count. .... 10c
- CHARMIN Toilet Tissue — 4 Rolls. .... 42c
- PAPER TOWELS Bounty, Jumbo Roll. .... 36c
- POST TOASTIES 18 oz. Box. .... 39c



# 3 Inches Of Rain Falls In South Rowden Area

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Good rains fell again last week in the community. Heaviest rainfall was gauged in the south area, measuring up to three inches.

Northers accompanying the rains remind us that winter is not far away. Most homes had fires burning to keep warm, and this writer and her husband donned overshoes, raincoats and caps to wade around in the cow pen while milking cows.

Young grain is growing fast, and those who didn't get sowing done are anxious to get in the fields.

Those visiting Mrs. Ray Boen during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haddock and Christine Bower of Abilene, Mrs. Hattie West of Baird, Mrs. Bill Lawrence, Mrs. Anne Gribble and Cindy West of Rowden.

Mrs. Don Harris and Troy visited Mrs. Ivon Odom in Cross Plains Wednesday morning.

Nicky Harris spent Sunday afternoon with Jim Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom.

Mrs. Ruth Campbell of Edinburg spent the week end with Mrs. Leila Gibbs.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited patients in the nursing home at Cross Plains Wednesday afternoon.

Those visiting in the Jimmy West home during the week and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price, Ricky and Danny Vestal, all of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Price, Tana and Sherri, and Raymond Gibbs, also Mr. and Mrs. Richard Angel and daughters of Abilene.

Saturday visitors of Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond were Mrs. Ruth Campbell, Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Tom McCoy of Baird and his daughter, Mrs. Tommie Jo Wells of Burlington, Wash.

Mrs. Warren Price visited her sister, Mrs. Barney Gibbs in Baird one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Swafford along with Leonard Swafford and two children of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Hoot Swafford and girls of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Rawson of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Burleson and children of Baird and Benny Gibbs of Ranger Junior College met at the home of Mrs. Lillie Swafford in Baird Saturday night to honor her with a dinner on her 75th birthday.

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

Elic Bainbridge had the mis-

fortune of getting his right hand caught in his grain drill while cleaning it Friday afternoon. Twenty-eight stitches were required to close the cuts. Mrs. Bainbridge entered her mother, Mrs. Mollie Taylor, in Cox Hospital Saturday after she had suffered a light stroke on Friday. The community hopes for a fast recovery for both Elic and Mrs. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Crockett of Cross Plains visited in the Elic Bainbridge home Saturday. Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited in the home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henry and grandson, Pat Dean McKennon, of Baird visited in the James Reynolds home Friday night.

Sheri Price spent Sunday night with Cindy West.

Mrs. James Reynolds and Ellen were in Baird Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Larmar Henry.

Mrs. Ruth Campbell, Mrs. Leila Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Judy were Sunday dinner guests in the Walter Rose home in Cross Plains.

Tommie Harris was in Austin Sunday and Monday attending the Texas State School Board meeting.

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

### MRS. EDWIN SCHAEFER LEADS IN STORY HOUR

Mrs. Edwin Schaefer will be in charge of the P.T.O. sponsored story hours for the month of October.

Eleven children are presently enrolled. They are Terrel Harris, Heath Conley, John Hanke, David Justice, Amy Rowlett, Kevin Weiss, Kayla Sue Franke, Matthew Burleson, Chris Porter, Staci Weiss and Charlie Pat Grider.

All children ages 3 through 5 are invited to attend each Wednesday morning from 9:30 to 10:30. The sessions are held in the beginners classroom at the First Baptist Church.

### RANCH HOUSE CAFE TO RE-OPEN FRIDAY

Mrs. C. W. Tension has leased the Ranch House Cafe on west Highway 36 and will open for business Friday.

The Ranch House has been closed for about two weeks.

### SEW & SO CLUB MEETS THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Members of the Sew and So Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Jeff Clark Thursday afternoon, Oct. 1.

Advertising Gets Results!

# Official Measurements Of Rainfall Here For Past 22 Years

	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1948	.21	1.07	.60	1.39	1.21	2.72	2.09	.50	.40	1.71	.60	1.28	13.78
1949	3.49	2.23	2.50	2.49	4.89	3.75	.99	2.65	1.55	3.00	3.19	2.30	33.03
1950	1.07	.27	.12	2.13	6.82	3.60	3.92	1.26	1.38	.36	.00	.00	20.03
1951	.00	.91	.94	1.55	4.20	3.88	.81	.76	.71	1.97	.00	.00	15.73
1952	.34	.30	1.30	2.60	3.37	.30	.10	.25	1.65	.00	3.12	1.40	14.73
1953	.09	.40	3.75	1.20	4.25	3.00	2.52	2.28	.15	5.87	.48	.28	24.18
1954	.71	.30	.75	4.51	3.11	.00	.25	.50	.00	2.01	2.50	.50	15.14
1955	1.39	1.71	.21	1.17	3.06	2.65	3.47	2.75	.25	2.30	.53	.00	19.46
1956	1.65	1.28	.30	5.55	2.26	.22	.00	.00	.00	2.45	1.95	2.35	18.01
1957	.36	1.85	1.26	7.40	9.50	3.46	.13	.00	4.07	5.66	1.00	4.90	38.58
1958	1.35	2.01	1.55	3.60	3.10	1.50	2.99	2.00	2.78	2.36	.25	2.21	24.71
1959	.00	.56	.30	1.65	3.27	5.37	4.09	.93	1.35	5.17	4.01	.63	27.30
1960	2.85	2.20	.00	1.76	1.84	.00	2.20	2.01	2.20	3.50	2.51	.97	21.07
1961	5.60	1.58	.46	.67	4.21	7.30	2.58	.45	.67	3.25	.55	3.66	31.20
1962	.00	.61	.76	3.09	.37	6.22	4.08	.30	7.36	3.07	.92	1.18	27.96
1963	.00	.50	.25	1.86	8.24	2.12	.22	.73	.78	.26	5.18	.83	20.87
1964	2.40	1.67	1.47	2.69	.30	.35	.10	3.02	8.95	1.45	1.68	.35	24.43
1965	2.50	1.85	.41	.76	7.87	2.41	.00	2.30	2.85	2.40	1.60	1.55	26.40
1966	.51	.86	.43	5.40	.00	4.26	.00	5.57	3.15	1.26	.02	.00	21.46
1967	.00	.57	.91	3.39	5.40	2.44	1.22	.82	5.21	1.83	1.90	1.20	24.89
1968	9.26	1.82	1.97	3.06	4.23	2.46	2.83	3.29	.80	.22	5.03	1.02	35.99
1969	.63	1.38	4.58	4.05	4.70	4.97	.60	1.80	3.82	4.33	1.58	3.33	35.77
1970	.06	2.68	3.35	1.65	3.08	2.43	.14	3.44	4.76				21.59

Twenty-Two Year Average Rainfall: 24.30

Normal Rainfall Here: 24.54

# Oil Has Been Vital Factor Economy Of 4-County Area

Callahan, Coleman, Brown and Eastland Counties have produced nearly 300 million barrels of oil since crude was first discovered in this area 68 years ago.

First production for this section was hit in Coleman County in 1902. Since that time the county has yielded 70,038,266 barrels of oil.

Both Brown and Eastland County got commercial production in 1917, shortly before America's entrance into World War I. Eastland has produced a total of 122,189,544 barrels of oil and Brown County's aggregate is 41,797,689.

Callahan was the first four-county area commercial oil. It was profitable quantity since then marketed 57,121,000 barrels.

At present Coleman County leads the area in daily production as follows: 4,440, Coleman 2,108, and Brown 1,084 and Brown 1,084.

Mr. and Mrs. V. little son, Michael Austin spent the week in the home of his mother and Mrs. John P.

### JUST A REMINDER

"That they should seek the Lord, if haply they after him, and find him, though he be not far from us." Christ is so near; if you half way seek him, you will find him real.

# Happy Birthday Column

### October 1

- Bonnie Davis
- Gaylon Harris
- C. C. Westerman
- Mrs. Levi Bennett
- Vern Webb
- Mac Coppinger
- Kala Sue Bright
- Jean Neff
- Mrs. Julie Thompson
- Virginia Strength

- Albert Lee
- Eddie Bell
- Mary Jo Schaefer
- Rickey Kirkham
- Wanda Jean Boyle
- Mrs. E. L. Busbee
- Mrs. Roy Arrowood
- Mrs. Ledford Joe Smith
- Jan Wagner
- Eldon Connell
- Oran Bains, Jr.
- Mrs. Truman Foster
- Wendell Johnson
- Jerry Wayne Simons

### October 2

- Claude Champion
- Benny Glover
- Mrs. Bill Brown
- Mrs. C. H. Lovelady
- Mrs. Alice Grider

### October 3

- David Edward Pancake
- Hadden Payne
- Richard White
- Sharon Jan White
- Mrs. D. W. Havener
- Max Howell
- Erna Havener
- Tommy Tunnell

### October 4

- Charnel Hutchins
- Mrs. Flem Johnson
- Dennis Beeler
- Debra Brown
- Mrs. B. A. Luttrell
- Geneva Woody
- Billy Stroope
- Mrs. Eunice Starr
- Mrs. H. W. Gasset
- Ethel Moon

### October 5

- Mrs. Dave Lee
- Tommie Harris
- Lon Duncan
- G. A. Gasset, Jr.
- Arlie Breeding
- J. R. Duncan
- Sam Balkum
- Brian Lee Hayes
- Mrs. Mark Adair
- Mrs. James Lawrence
- Tancred Flippin

### October 6

- Mrs. Frank Woody
- Mrs. Mac Coppinger
- Madenia Stansbury
- Mrs. L. L. Hill
- Pamela Thetford
- Mrs. Harold Wise
- Eugene Bates
- Paula Kay Hanke
- David Ray Harris

### October 7

- Esther Lee

# Local Man Reminds Japan Big Customer

Local residents are well aware that U. S. - Japanese trade is extensive. Tommie Harris of Cross Plains, chairman of the Callahan County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee, commented recently.

"Almost everyone recognizes that Americans are important customers for Japanese goods. I wonder how many of us realize that the Japanese are major customers for American goods, especially for American farm commodities.

"In fact, Japan imports more U. S. agricultural products than any other country in the world — a record \$1.1 billion worth during the 1970 fiscal year," Mr. Harris said.

He pointed out that feed grains, wheat and cotton are important farm crops in Callahan County and that exports of these farm products to Japan have gone up dramatically in recent years.

More than six million tons of feed grains were shipped to Japan last fiscal year — just about one-third of U. S. feed grain exports. Soybean exports to Japan had a 251 million dollar value, and wheat exports \$136 million. Japan is our best cotton customer, taking one-fourth of its cotton from the U. S., and Japan bought \$50 million worth of tobacco from the U. S. during the last fiscal year.

Classified Ads — 50c per week

## AUCTION

FARM MACHINERY CONSIGNMENT SALE  
SATURDAY — OCTOBER 3, 1970 — 10:00 A. M.  
TEX HERRING EQUIPMENT CO.  
LAWN, TEXAS

830 Case tractor (like new); 4020 John Deere (LP); 706 IH C tractor; 85 Massey-Ferguson; 65 Massey-Ferguson; 404 IH C tractor; 400 IH C tractor; 2 A - John Deere tractors; 2 Ford tractors (8N & 9N); New 4-cylinder stationary John Deere engine; Ford front end loader; 20-ft. Hand-over goose-neck trailer (new) flat bed; John Deere Serflex plow (late model); Oliver grain drill (16-10); 3-pt. tiller tools and blades; Set of duals for 4020 John Deere; 26-ft. Clipper house trailer; 2 941-Ford diesels; 2 65-Massey-Ferguson (LP); M5 Moline (LP); 730 John Deere diesel; 730 John Deere (LP); 4020 John Deere diesel; Plus other related items such as: 2 and 3-pt. moldboard plows, cultivators, sweeps, tools, bars

This is an Open Consignment Sale - Commission 10% on first \$100.00, 5% over \$100.00. Minimum Charge 50c on any one item.

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### Turner-Childers Vows Solemnized Sept. 14

Mrs. Delbert Turner and Mr. G. W. Childers announce the marriage of their daughter, Wanda, to Delbert Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Turner of Coleman. Rites were solemnized by the Rev. Paul Smith at the First Baptist Church in Coleman on Sept. 14.

### NEWS NOTES FROM SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE

Application of conservation practices on Great Plains Conservation Program contracts in Callahan County increased this year over the previous three years. A total of \$50,256 was earned on farms and ranches in Callahan County from July 1, 1969, to June 30, 1970, through the Great Plains Program. This federal cost share assistance was earned on 84 contracts with a total of 48,039 acres.

Callahan farmers and ranchers earned assistance from the application of the conservation practices which include: seeding or sprigging 328 acres of cropland to a permanent grass, re-seeding 1,622 acres of rangeland which had an inadequate grass cover, construction of 70,830 feet of parallel terraces on cropland, installation of 2,930 feet of diversion terraces, control of brush on 3,823 acres, and installation of 30,776 feet of cross fences on pasture and rangeland.

Water and air pollution in Callahan County has been reduced greatly by the establishment of permanent grasses on cropland which was susceptible to both wind and water erosion. Brush control and deferred grazing also have reduced the amount of sediment being carried into county lakes and ponds. The silt which would end up in the lakes if not controlled, is being held in place on farms and ranches where a good grass cover is maintained. The increase in grass production following brush control and deferred grazing not only enables the farmer or rancher to increase his production, but the cover of grass also benefits the city dweller as well by supplying city lakes with clear water and by recharging the ground water pumped by city wells.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett of Brownwood were in Cross Plains Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Charley Childs of Baird was in Cross Plains last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hinkle recently honored her grandson, Johnny Pascall, who recently returned from Vietnam, with a homecoming party. Entertainment was provided by David Marshall and Johnny Allen of Abilene, who played instrumental music and sang. The returned serviceman spent more than a year in Vietnam.

YOU ARE INVITED TO WORSHIP AT  
**Cottonwood Church of Christ**  
BIBLE STUDY ..... SUNDAYS 10 A.M.  
WORSHIP ..... SUNDAYS 11 A.M.  
WORSHIP ..... SUNDAYS 8 P.M.  
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY ..... 8 P.M.

## Do You Remember?...

Sept. 6, 1940: First bale of new cotton for the Cross Plains trade territory was brought in Wednesday by Porter Lee. A premium of \$20 was awarded by local merchants and professional men.

Sept. 13, 1940: A local chapter of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers was organized Tuesday night. Primary purpose of this group's formation is to obtain a lunchroom for the local school system.

Sept. 5, 1941: Two school consolidation elections are pending in the near future. Voters will decide the future of Caddo Peak and Dressy schools.

Sept. 12, 1941: Enrollment at Cross Plains schools passed the 600 mark this week according to Leo Varner, superintendent.

Sept. 4, 1942: A giant junk rally is scheduled for Cross Plains Saturday. Every person is urged to give some metal to help this nation in the battle for victory.

Sept. 11, 1942: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. (Son) Sipes are the parents of a baby girl born Thursday afternoon. The little girl was named Rita Gay.

Sept. 3, 1943: Congressman Sam Russell was in Cross Plains last week end.

Sept. 10, 1943: Four inch rain breaks drought. The consensus of farmers, merchants and everyone in general seemed to be that, "It was a million dollar rain".

Sept. 1, 1944: Fred Tunnell, local banker, had the misfortune of breaking his left arm just above the wrist. He was riding a tractor with J. C. Bowden and was thrown from the vehicle as he started to dismount.

Sept. 8, 1944: The Cross Plains school doors were thrown open Monday morning for a year of better learning with 450 students registering. Opening exercises were begun with an address by Superintendent A. J. McCuin.

Sept. 7, 1945: Pioneer High School transfers here; 40 student increase.

Sept. 14, 1945: Approval of a three-year highway construction program totaling \$6,467,600 for the 12 counties of this highway district has been made by the highway commission.

Sept. 6, 1946: Enrollment tops all-time record for the 46-47 school year as registration in Cross Plains nears 700. The local system also boasts a staff of 24 teachers.

Sept. 13, 1946: Representing Callahan County at the Democratic convention in San Antonio this week are George Barnard of Cross Plains and F. E. Mitchell of Baird.

Sept. 5, 1947: Eight sets of twins enrolled this week in school. They are Dale and Donny Tension, Herman and Shirley Weaver, Verna and Vernon Baum, Buck and Winnie Gibson, Edgar and Edwin Ramey, Billy and Bobbie Wright, Charles and Barbara Gibson, and Roxie and Doxie Pillans.

Sept. 12, 1947: In a recent contest sponsored by the Pepsi Cola Company, two local women, Mmes Ava Childers and Dave Lee were awarded money prizes for catchy sentences beginning "I like Pepsi Cola because".

Sept. 10, 1948: Tom Flippin was named to school board in a meeting Monday night. Other members of the board include: B. A. Atwood, L. L. Montgomery, J. H. Carpenter, Leonard Breeding, Clint Brashear and H. W. Neeb.

Sept. 17, 1948: R. W. Shields, former Rice Institute football player, was named to coach the high school Buffaloes and serve as principal by the board of trustees.

Sept. 2, 1949: Veterans of World War II began Monday morning applying for shares in a \$2,000,000 dividend created by excessive rates charged for National Life Insurance during the recent war.

Sept. 9, 1949: Persons who

have not yet purchased reserved seats in the new stadium on the Cross Plains school campus are urged to contact A. J. McCuin, O. B. Edmondson or Bill Shields.

Sept. 1, 1950: Formal opening of the new Red and White Store on South Main owned by Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell is scheduled for this week end.

Sept. 8, 1950: Cross Plains school faculty, which was already the largest in history, has just added the 27th teacher.

Sept. 6, 1951: Girl Scouts of Troop 2 enjoyed a two-day camping trip near Burkett. Scouts making the trip included: Kay Barr, Gay Nell Bryan, Linda Kay King, Ruth McAnally, and Bernice Nichols. Leaders were Betty Browning and Mrs. Pauline McAnally.

Sept. 13, 1951: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson were honored with a dinner celebrating their 43rd wedding anniversary. Hostess for the occasion was their daughter, Mrs. Bob Baker.

### 28 Girls At Chapter Homemaking Meet

Twenty-eight Cross Plains High School girls attended a recent meeting of the local homemaking chapter, the first such gathering of the current scholastic year.

In attendance were: Dianné Key, Debbie Tyler, Anita Wooten, Kathy Purvis, Paula Wright, Anna Smith, Norma Merrill, Debbie Thetford, Judy Koenig, Janet Whitley, Debbie Tension, Kathy Morris, Janie Thomas, Lu-rene Richardson, Yvonne Sanders, Debra Brown, Angela Rector, Robbie Harmon, Judy Bowman, Ann Wilson, May Tension, Linda Eppard, Detra Dillard, Brenda Avery, Teresa Bakum, Vicki Foster, Nancy Arledge and Lafonda Knott.

### FFA Youths Elect Officers For Year

Cross Plains Chapter of Future Farmers of America announces its slate of officers recently chosen for the ensuing year.

Jackie Thomas was elected president; Larry Tatom, vice-president; Tony Golson, secretary; Donny Dillard, treasurer; Rex Mayes, reporter; Tony Winfrey, sentinel; Rodney Renfro, parliamentarian; Lynn Koenig, historian; Eddy Weiss, second vice-president, and Bruce Johnson, third vice-president. O. B. Edmondson is chapter adviser.

Wayne Ford was a business visitor in Fort Worth Thursday.

Raymond Franke was a business visitor in Baird one day last week.

### BONNERS SPEND WEEK END IN NEW ORLEANS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner were in New Orleans over the week end, where they attended national rifle matches. He is an officer in the nationwide organization.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Westerman were in Coleman Wednesday

Clasp Envelopes — Review

### DANNY MCGOWEN TO SERVE IN VIETNAM

Danny McGowen, 1969 graduate of Cross Plains High School, is presently on 17-day furlough here before reporting to the West Coast for reassignment in Vietnam. He took his basic training at Fort Ord, Calif., and armored training at Fort Knox, Ky. Danny is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGowen.

## Athletic Supplies & Sporting Goods

### Golf Specials

Edmont Super Grip Golf Glove, Reg. \$3.50 ..... \$2.19

Woods — Spalding, MacGregor, Burke, Voit, Sets of 3 or 4 ... \$29.95 to \$39.95

Irons — Spalding, MacGregor, Burke, Voit, Sets of 8 ..... \$49.95 to \$59.95

Woods & Irons — Left Hand, Aluminum Shaft, Reg. \$176.50 ..... \$98.00

Golf Cart, Reg. \$15.95 ..... \$11.95

X-Out Golf Balls, 4 for ..... \$1.00

### Shoes

Men's Golf Shoes, Reg. \$28.95 ..... \$16.95

Men's Golf Shoes, Reg. \$18.95 ..... \$11.95

Ladies' Golf Shoes, Reg. \$19.95 ..... \$12.95

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For All Former Students Of Cross Plains Public School System

## Saturday, October 3

### Homecoming Fare

10 a.m. Coffee and Registration  
(School Cafeteria)

12 Noon Homecoming Luncheon  
(School Cafeteria)

2 p.m. Business Meeting  
(School Auditorium)

3 p.m. Pep Rally  
(Gymnasium)

8 p.m. Football Game  
(Buffalo Stadium)

10:30 p.m. Exes' Social

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### Football Game

Cross Plains  
Buffaloes

VS.

Rising Star  
Wildcats

Saturday, 8 p.m.  
Buffalo Stadium

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# Classified Ads

## Bond Sales Slow In Area Counties

Neither Callahan nor any other near by county gives indication of meeting an assigned quota for U. S. savings bond purchases during 1970.

H. L. Evans, Jr. chairman of Brown County bond sales, reports that \$20,061 worth of purchases during August brought the total for eight months to \$157,264, which represents 48 percent of the year's goal of \$330,000.

Howard E. Farmer, Callahan County chairman, reveals August bond sales in this county aggregated \$14,890, bringing the year's total to \$64,220, which is 49 percent of the 1970 assignment of \$130,000.

Coleman County's bond sales chairman, Robert I. Bowen, Jr., announces August sales of \$3,946, bringing the total for 1970 to \$55,810, 47 per cent of the year's goal of \$120,000.

Eastland County, which has no bond sales chairman, bought \$9,580 worth of the securities during August, bringing 1970 purchases to \$113,492, said to be 38 per cent of the \$300,000 assessment for the year.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL FOLK AT ABILENE MONDAY

Local people attending a Sunday School clinic at Crescent Heights Baptist Church in Abilene Monday night were: the Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Brooks, the Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. Hadden Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ford and Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Rowlett, Mrs. Henry McCoy, Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. Cora Howland, Mrs. Ross Respass, Mrs. V. L. Hobdy, Mrs. Margaret Proctor, Mrs. J. T. Hodnett, Mrs. J. H. Strahan and Mrs. C. V. Dickson.

### MRS. BUCK WEEKS IN HOSPITAL AT TEMPLE

Mrs. Buck Weeks entered Scott & White Hospital at Temple Sunday. She is undergoing a series of medical tests.

Don Wilson, Abilene attorney, was a business visitor in Cross Plains Tuesday.

## Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

Atwell had 1.90 inches of rain over the week end.

Truman Foster has been seeing about his cattle.

Jim Hutchins of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins last week, and they rebuilt their home. Jim also visited in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Viola Tatom of Thomas, Okla., Mrs. Melvin Payne and Mrs. Clint Brashear of Cisco visited with Mrs. Alton Tatom and Mrs. Essie Alexander in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones last week.

Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom took her Sunday School Class on an outing to Abilene Saturday. She teaches the 15 and 16-year-old girls in the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Sunday.

Mrs. Vee Maher of Cisco spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ethel Hewes.

Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and Beverly visited Rev. and Mrs. Arlis Williams in Hendrick Memorial Hospital Saturday. Mrs. Williams is very ill.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice Affording Opportunity For Public Hearing Corridor (Location) And Design (Combined Hearing)

The Texas Highway Department is planning the construction of Farm to Market Highway 3146 from S.H. 36, 3.9 miles south of the intersection of S.H. 36 and U.S. 283, to southeast a distance of 4 miles.

The proposed highway project is located about 11.8 miles northwest of the city of Cross Plains, Texas. A usual farm to market highway is proposed, and it will consist of a 20 ft. asphalt paved surface within 100 ft. of right of way.

Maps and other drawings showing the proposed location and geometric design and any other information about the proposed project are on file and available for inspection and copying at the Resident Engineer's office, Mr. E. L. Harris, at 102 East College Drive, Abilene, Texas.

Also, the drawings showing the proposed geometric design have been placed on file with the County Judge of Callahan County.

Information about the State's Relocation Assistance Program, the benefits and services for displacees and the relocation assistance office as well as information about the tentative schedules for acquisition of right of way and construction can be obtained at the Resident Engineer's Office.

Any interested citizen may request that a public hearing be held covering the social, economic and environmental effects of the proposed location and design for this highway project by delivering a written request to the Resident Engineer's Office on or before October 22, 1970.

In the event such request is received, a public hearing will be scheduled and adequate notice will be publicized about the date and location of the hearing.

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Signed Jack Scott, publisher. Dated Sept. 18, 1970.

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WANT TO BUY good used furniture and appliances Roy's Trading Post, phone 893-4468 Clyde, Texas. 26 1tc

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WANTED: Peanut combining with all new Long equipment. See or call J. R. Rector, Jr., phone 725-3158. 27 1tc

FOR SALE: Sweet potatoes at Jack Thomas home. See after 3:30. Phone 725-2541. 27 2tc

CEMETERY MEMORIALS: Monuments and markers built of choicest granite to your particular specifications. Jim Wetsel, P. O. Box 65, Cross Plains. 27 1tc

FOR SALE: Pears, \$1 bushel and up at Markham's Fruit Stand, 2 miles East on Highway 36. 1tc

FOR SALE: A few head of light weight heifers. See or call Bill Lawrence 725-4911. 1tc

FOR SALE to settle estate in Rising Star, furnished or unfurnished 2-bedroom home, carpeted. For information call 643-6644. 27 2tc

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CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our friends in Cross Plains for the expressions of sympathy following the passing of our dear son, Clifton Barron. Your many evidences of true friendship at that time is a cherished memory. Alona Barron and Family

CARD OF THANKS I send sincere thanks to those friends who were so thoughtful and remembered me with cards, flowers, prayers and good wishes during my recent stay in the hospital. I shall forever cherish the friendship with each of you. Mrs. M. E. Howell

CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank the friends who remembered me with flowers, cards, letters and prayers during my recent visit to the hospital. God bless all of you. Mrs. Dave C. Foster

CARD OF THANKS I want to thank all my wonderful friends for the many acts of kindness shown me during my recent stay in the hospital and since my return home. All your prayers, visits cards and flowers brought me were most appreciated. May God bless each of you. Ernest Jones

FOR SALE: 851 Ford, butane, planter, cultivator, tandem disc, chisel. John Deere 15x7 grain drill with fertilizer attachment. Dan User post hole digger. A. L. Varner, 2457 Campus Courts, Abilene, telephone 672-1315, or see Carlie Sowell. 27 4tc

FOR RENT: 4-room and bath dwelling with large walk-in closet on Ave. E, in front of Bowden Lumber. Telephone 725-4903, Mrs. M. C. Landolt. 1tp

SEED: Rye and vetch mix, 100 pound bags. Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply. 26 2tc

FOR SALE: 3 lots, on corner and 2 adjoining at Shamrock Shores. Contact W. A. (Slim) Crutchmer or the Shamrock Station on Highway 36 in Cross Plains. 27 4tp

TARPAULINS: Custom made, any size or shape. Otto Irby Upholstery, 701 South Concho, Coleman, P. O. Box 607, or call 625-4012. 27 8tc

FOR SALE: Long peanut digger, good shape, \$250. See B. A. Moore, Route 1, Cross Plains, phone 725-5268. 25 2p

FOR SALE: Antique 5-leg dining table with 6 chairs, some glassware, Jennie Lynn 3/4 bed w mattress & springs, other nice beds, 4 rocking chairs, odd chairs, pictures, some from Europe. Nearly new gas range, several space heaters, 1 thermostat controlled. Dishes silverware, treadle sewing machines, trunks in good condition. 1 1/2 horse boat motor. Pipe fittings and tools. Lots of trash. 2 blocks south signal light, W. side of highway (old laundry bldg). Open after 5 p.m. and week ends, or call at last yellow house on same block. B. C. McCowen. 25 3tc

FOR SALE: Watkins Products at my home, 1373 Ave. A. Phone 725-3483, Mrs. Earl Montgomery. 25 4tp

BARRELS: Good, heavy barrels for sale. See or call Rowden Store, 725-3643. 22 1tc

FOR SALE: Small house with lot \$1,000 or \$800 for house to be moved. Property is located next door to W. E. Butler place on West Highway 36. Telephone 797-3157, Walnut Springs, L. W. Ingram. 25 4tp

FOR SALE: Complete set of furniture. Will sell any part or all. See Bill Lawrence, Phone 725-4911. 24 1tc

NOTICE: Joy Packing Plant in Clyde, Texas, does custom butchering and packing. We also do curing and smoking on hogs. We are state inspected. Claudell Joy, Clyde, Texas. Phone 893-4241 or 893-4849. 24 1tc

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FOR SALE: 5 room house at 550 East 11th St. Would finance part to reputable buyer. Mary Bates, phone 725-5753. 23 1tc

LET US custom apply your fertilizer, 50 cents per acre. Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply. Cross Plains. 23 1tc

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## Pioneer Welcomes Wet And Cold Autumn Days

By Mrs. J. T. Beggs

Heavy rains fell over the Pioneer area during the week end, and it was wet and cold Monday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gann last week were her brother, A. D. Dunn, of Long Beach, Calif., and a sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones, of San Francisco. They left Tuesday. On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Gann attended a school homecoming at Archer City. She taught school there many years. Saturday they enjoyed the fair in Coleman. They were also recent visitors in Wichita Falls with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gann.

William Beggs of Austin, a brother, and a nephew, Larry Beggs, of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beggs Saturday night. Mrs. Mabel Johnson and son, Gene, went with Mrs. Beggs and sons, Rex and Troy, to the football game at Richland Springs Friday night.

Mrs. Charlie Harrell went with her brother, Herman West of Del Rio, to visit relatives in Weatherford and Decatur. In Weatherford Mrs. Harrell visited the Farmers' Market.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stover visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stover

at Williams Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Stover were in Abilene Saturday night.

Mrs. Mike Ratliff and her mother, Mrs. Sam Eakin, flew to Burksville, Ky., to see a brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Eakin. Mrs. Ratliff stayed two weeks in which time she visited the Cumberland River, State Troopers Island, Boys' Camp and Nashville, Tenn. She saw a few race horses being taken to Kentucky Downs. On the return trip they landed at Memphis because of bad weather, but found the sun shining above the clouds when they took off. Mrs. Sam Eakin remained for a longer visit.

Thursday is regular club meeting day at the Community Club. Two quilts will be put in. That night is also family night. Everyone is urged to attend, play games and visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady visited Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray one evening recently. He is doing as well as can be expected. The Roadys were in Brownwood Wednesday. They attended a birthday dinner for their daughter, Mrs. Bob McNeil, in Baird Thursday evening. There were 17 present.

## Hard Winter Forecast By Writer At Sabanno

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

We have had a good rain; north of Sabanno got two inches where to the south less fell. We have also had winter weather. Everyone thinks we'll have an early winter. We hope the frost and freeze will wait due to the peanut crop.

Mrs. J. H. Robinson will be hostess for the Busy Bee Club Wednesday, Oct. 7. She plans to quit a Lone Star Quilt, so every one who can come help.

We had a nice time at the quilting last week. Mrs. Clark was hostess and a good one. Most members were present, and delicious eats were enjoyed.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer will accompany her sister, Mrs. Mary Bates, and her son, Kenny, to Dallas this week where he will have his check-up.

Mr. J. H. Robinson returned home from an Abilene hospital Tuesday of last week where he had eye surgery. He's doing fine. He and Mrs. Robinson will go back for a check-up this week.



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Mrs. Calvin Morris and Theresa visited Mrs. Truett Dawkins recently.

Peggy Erwin of Stephenville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wordis Erwin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Notgrass of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Sunday afternoon. The Notgrasses have bought a home in Cisco where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Allan Thomas (Wanda), to Abilene to be at the bedside of her husband, Mr. Thomas, who had a serious operation. Late report is he is doing well as can be following surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hirman Brooks of Cross Plains visited Josie and Alma Morris recently. Other visitors with them were their sister, Mrs. Emma Kent, of Crook and the Edwin Erwins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge of Cross Plains, Mrs. Lillie Williams and Mrs. Jerry Cox and daughters of De Leon visited Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Wordis Erwin and her mother, Mrs. Larkin, spent the day Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Marinelli near Atwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins visited with his aunt, Mrs. Rosa Lovell, in Cottonwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Booth of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott Sunday.

### FLORIDA COUPLE PAY VISIT IN LOCAL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cottingham of Zephyrhills, Fla., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Craig McNeel here over the week end. The Cottingham and McNeel families were friends in Charleston, Ill., a number of years ago.

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TAM wintergreen Harding-grass, an improved cool season grass recently released by Texas A & M, has been seeded on the O. B. Edmondson farm.

Cross fences are being built on rangeland owned by C. M. Garrett, J. D. Holland, R. H. Seale and Jimmy Davison. These fences will enable ranchers to improve their grassland by developing a deferred-rotation grazing system.

### LOCAL GIRL BECOMES LVN SATURDAY NIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bennett were in Cisco Saturday night where they attended "capping exercises" at Cisco Junior College for newly-made licensed vocational nurses. Their daughter, Patsy, was one of those gaining the distinction.

Glenn Winfrey was a business visitor in Baird one day last week.

## Ben's Grid Picks

By Benny Glover

The "lucky 11" games forecast in this column last week improved the season standing to 22 of 35 for .628 percentage in recording an 8 of 11 mark for a .727 mean.

Callahan County teams won two of three. Again Baird, defeating Rising Star 28-14, and Clyde, humbling Roscoe 41-0, romped to victories, third for both. Cross Plains bowed to Class B Richland Springs 27-12.

With confidence somewhat renewed, Ben's Grid Picks will take a shot at predicting winners of 13 area school gridiron clashes this week end. Projected winners in bold type.

South Grand Prairie at Brownwood: Lions take this one, 30-6.

Coleman at Comanche: Blue-cats win 8-AA game, 26-8.

Wylie at Ranger: 10-A Bulldogs rebound, 20-7.

Merkel at Albany: Lions roaring like old, 28-12.

Clyde at Winters: Bulldogs nip Blizzards, 14-12.

Throckmorton at Baird: Callahan Bears drop first, narrowly, 14-12.

Easland at Cisco: No stopping the Mavericks, 32-6.

Goldthwaite at Marble Falls: Slight nod to Eagles, 7-6.

Early at Bangs: Homecoming gives Dragons edge, 16-12.

Santa Anna at Menard: 18-B Mounties bow again, 8-6.

Gorman at De Leon: Coin flip favors 10-A team, 14-12.

Springtown at Dublin: Visitors by a hair, 16-14.

Rising Star at Cross Plains: Wildcats disappoint Buffaloes and homecomers, 20-6.

### TWIN SONS BORN TO LOCAL COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Gilmore, Jr. of Cross Plains are parents of twin sons, born Sept. 24 in a Ranger hospital. The babies weighed three pounds and 12 ounces and four pounds and eight ounces, and have been named Clayton Thomas and Clinton Franklin.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hamby and Mrs. Joe Rena Gilmore of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur J. Scheldorf of Channelview and Mrs. Elizabeth Hutson of Groves visited Mrs. Alma Illingworth here last week end.

### MRS. MACK CAMPBELL IN COLEMAN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Mack Campbell was taken to Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman by local ambulance Monday afternoon.

### HOMER NORRIS FIRE DEPARTMENT

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