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## Joe Gary World Ski Champion



Major Joe Gary

Star Medal and the Army Commendation Medal.

The Major is a 1958 graduate of Cross Plains High School and he received a B.S. degree in 1963 from Trinity University at San Antonio.

His wife, Linda, lives in Brady.

## Yule Lights Now Burning Nightly

Cross Plains has taken on an added glow.

Christmas lights were put up across Main Street last Saturday by West Texas Utility workmen and helpers. The multi-colored lights are now burning nightly and will continue to be lighted through the Christmas season.

Cross Plains merchants have also started to decorate for the coming Yuletide. Many local stores have already taken on the added festive atmosphere of Christmas.

Christmas is now less than a month away, and only 22 shopping days remain before the long holiday week end arrives.

## Elliott Begins Life In Prison Sentence

Howard Cox, deputy sheriff of Cross Plains, took Daniel Maurice Elliott to Huntsville last Friday to begin a life prison sentence.

Elliott, a drifter, entered a guilty plea to murder with malice aforethought after waiving jury trial last week. Raleigh Brown, 42nd District Court Judge, sentenced Elliott to life in prison.

Elliott, 43, was charged with the murder of Elciney F. (Bud) Jenkins of Baird. It was reported that Elliott said he wished to plead guilty immediately for the good of everybody concerned.

Jenkins was beaten and stomped to death in his apartment at Baird, and Elliott was picked up as a drunk pedestrian and later charged with the murder after Sheriff Grayson Miller and Deputies Luke Taylor and Bill Wright found possessions of Jenkins on Elliott.

## EASTERN STAR SLATES CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Order of the Eastern Star will have a Christmas program and salad supper on December 4, regular meeting date. All members are asked to bring a salad.

Program will be a musical by a group of 4-H boys and girls of Coleman, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. James Barr.

# Annual Hardwood Meet Set For This Week End

Annual Cross Plains invitational basketball tournament will unfold in Buffalo Gymnasium Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Sixteen teams, eight boys and eight girls units from a like number of schools, will vie for six trophies to be awarded winner, runner-up and consolation victor in the two divisions Team awards and all-tournament players will be presented after completion of the meet Saturday.

Schools represented other than Cross Plains will be Talpa-Centennial, Cisco, May, Santa Anna, Putnam, Eula and Bangs.

Local coaches Don Lee and Arthur Boyle said that an exceptionally good tourney is expected. It was pointed out that many teams entered are strong this year including: girls May, Eula and Santa Anna; boys, Putnam, Eula, May and Cisco.

Sessions are carded for Thursday afternoons and nights, Saturday morning and early afternoon with championships set for Saturday night.

Play will begin on Thursday at 1 p.m. when May and Putnam girls tangle, followed at

2.30 by May and Putnam boys. Talpa-Centennial and Cisco girls will clash at 4 p.m. with male squads of the two schools meeting at 5.30.

Cross Plains Buffetes will take on Santa Anna at 7 p.m. Thursday, and Buffaloes and Mountaineers will battle starting at 8.30.

Friday's schedule is identical starting with Eula and Bangs girls followed immediately by the male contingents of both schools. Remainder of Friday's slate, Saturday morning and early afternoon games will consist of elimination play for both consolation and winner brackets.

Finals Saturday will begin at 4:30 p.m. with the girls consolation contest followed at 6 o'clock by the boys consolation game. Girls championship tilt is scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m., and the boys championship clash will start at 9 p.m.

Admission will be 50 cents for students and 75 cents for adults for each session.

## CHAMPIONS OF LAST 19 TOURNAMENTS

Eula girls have won more titles than any other team in Cross Plains High School's annual basketball tournament since 1953. Cross Plains boys claim the same honor in the male division. Eula sextets have captured seven championships, and Cross Plains Buffaloes have seven victories four times in the last 19 meets. The 1967 tournament was canceled because of a severe ice storm, and two meets were held in 1956, one in January and the following December. Champions have been:

Date	Boys	Girls
1953	Wylie	Cross Plains
1954	Clyde	Eula
1955	Cross Plains	Eula
1956	Burkett	Eula
1956	Burkett	Clyde
1957	Centennial	Coleman
1958	Cisco	Eula
1959	Cross Plains	Coleman
1960	Talpa-Centennial	Santa Anna
1961	Talpa-Centennial	Baird
1962	Eula	Baird
1963	Talpa-Centennial	Eula
1964	Eula	Baird
1965	Early	Talpa-Centennial
1966	Clyde	Cross Plains
1968	Cross Plains	Eula
1969	Cross Plains	Santa Anna
1970	Albany	Eula
1971	Bangs	Santa Anna

## Deer Harvest Said Good In This Area

Deer hunters in the Cross Plains area are apparently meeting with more success than in the past several seasons.

A check with Alvin Hutchins, owner and operator of Cross Plains Frozen Food Locker, last week revealed that he and his staff are working long night hours to keep up with processing the deer bagged in this area. He said that through the first six days of the season his plant has handled over 100 deer.

He also pointed out that most of the animals were in good shape, indicating that the more numerous deer have found adequate food supply. It was also noted, however, that the antlers are small and deformed on many of the animals he has handled. Hunters had no immediate explanation for the odd-shaped and small racks of the deer.

## Man County Still Area Bond Race

quota reached among three adjoining counties.

Coleman County is tops among the four. Robert I. Bowen, Jr., county savings bond chairman, has reported that during the 10-month period, residents of Coleman County have purchased 114 per cent of its goal of \$120,000. Sales in the county during October totaled \$34,975 for an aggregate of \$136,733.

Running second, after leading the four-county area at one time this year, is Brown County with 94 per cent of its goal attained. Sale of savings bonds in October were reported as \$24,555 for a grand total of \$311,174. The county's assigned quota for 1972 is \$330,000.

In fourth place is Eastland County. Residents there have purchased \$178,168 worth of savings bonds during the first 10 months of this year which is 63 per cent of the standard of \$300,000. October sales amounted to \$10,443.

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## Dr. Carl J. Sohns Is Featured In Article

Carl J. Sohns, D. O., of Cross Plains was featured in the magazine supplement of the Dallas Morning News last Sunday.

Dr. Sohns was pictured on the cover and a clever article titled "Country Doctoring" written by Dudley Lynch, who visited with the local physician a few days recently, is found inside the magazine.

Many local persons are mentioned and pictured in the article.

## WILLIE WILCOXEN BACK IN ABILENE HOSPITAL

Willie Wilcoxen has been returned to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene from the rest home in Baird. He is reported to be in serious condition.

## 2 CPHS Grads Given \$500 Oil Scholarships

Two 1969 graduates of Cross Plains High School have been named recipients of \$500 scholarships.

They are C. V. (Dick) Dickson, Jr., son of Mrs. C. V. Dickson, Sr. of Cross Plains, and Tommy L. Dodds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Dodds of Arlington, formerly of Cross Plains.

Both Dodds and Dickson are senior students at the University of Texas at Austin, and both are majoring in Petroleum Land Management.

Dickson's scholarship came from Continental Oil Co., and Dodds' grant was awarded by Amoco Oil Co.

Both grants were made on the basis of achievement in the classroom, on campus and in the community.

## Mrs. Freddy Tatom Wins \$100 Prize

Mrs. Freddy Tatom of Cross Plains became \$100 richer recently when she won \$100 in a punch card contest sponsored by J.R.B. Supermarkets. Jimmielee Payne, local manager for the supermarket chain, said Mrs. Tatom is the first big winner here, and added that officials have advised him that a \$1,000 prize is awaiting someone in the Cross Plains area.

## YOUTH KILLS BUCK ON HORNSBY PLACE

John White, 12-year-old son of Mrs. Joe F. Vandiver of Nederland, and grandson of Mrs. H. P. White of Cross Plains, killed an eight-point buck weighing 130 pounds while hunting with his granddad, Jack McCarty, of Glen Rose, on the Alton Hornsby place west of town Friday afternoon.

## 2 Menus In Baird Legion's Dinner

The American Legion in Baird will host a Pearl Harbor Day turkey dinner beginning at 5 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 7. The public is invited to attend and plates will be \$1.50 with dessert and drink.

The following menus have been announced: turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, or ham with candied yams, and creamed potatoes, peas, green beans, fruit salad and home-made pies and cakes.

Plenty of food for all is promised, and everyone is invited to attend. Serving will continue as long as people come said C. H. Luceford, post commander.

Music will be furnished during the dinner by various musicians from the area. "Remember December 7, and have dinner at the Legion Hall in Baird," Luceford urged.

## BILL BUTTON NOTED FOR 35 YEARS WITH W.T.U.

Bill Button of Merkel, formerly of Cross Plains, has been recognized by West Texas Utilities Company as having completed 35 years employment with the company.

Button, who is now local manager at Merkel, was formerly WTU office manager in Cross Plains and also held that position in Rising Star.

## JOHN WATSON GOES TO RISING STAR REST HOME

John Watson of Cross Plains, who was stricken by stroke on October 20, left an Abilene hospital Tuesday, and entered the nursing home in Rising Star. He is reported to have shown little improvement.

# HILF Grazing System Increases Production For Local Rancher

By A. H. Ringhoffar  
Soil Conservation Service  
Officer

High Intensity-Low Frequency Grazing or Short Duration Grazing is a new grazing system being used by C. M. (Merlin) Garrett of Cross Plains. A. H. Ringhoffar, Soil Conservationist official at Baird, stated that on this system Garrett runs all of his cows in one pasture at a time.

The idea is to concentrate cattle in one pasture instead of grazing all pastures year long. Then as the grass is properly used, the herd is moved to the next pasture in the rotation. As a result, a pasture is intensively grazed two to four weeks, depending on the size, then rested four to six months.

"I grew into this system five years ago," Garrett said. "As I completed reseeded my old cropland fields, I had 10 pastures already fenced and by building three more ponds, I could water each pasture separately," says Garrett.

In February of 1967, Garrett signed a Great Plains Conservation Program contract to complete the Brush Control and Range Seeding Program which had been started earlier. The contract will be completed this year, stated Ringhoffar.



NEW GRAZING SYSTEM — C. M. Garrett of Cross Plains observes growth in a planting of Old Woryd Bluestem in a High Intensity-Low Frequency grazing system which he has initiated on his land here. This pasture has had five months rest since the last grazing period. (Photo Courtesy of Soil Conservation Service)

In addition to the 45 cow herd, Garrett runs on his 380 acre home place, another 350 acre pasture was rowplowed and seeded to KR Bluestem, and Sideots Grama and Green Sprangletop. After adding another pond and fencing into three pastures, Garrett leases grazing for 125 to 150 steers each year from October 1 to

June 1. These steers are run in one herd under a short duration grazing system also. Ringhoffar stated one reason why the grazing system works so well is that it permits utilization of the less desirable grasses also. Under normal grazing, cattle tend to eat the more palatable plants. This not only puts a stress on the desirable

plants, but it allows the undesirable ones to go untouched. Then when choice grasses start regrowth, they have to compete for moisture and sunlight with plants that have been under utilized. This is the cycle that the short duration system helps break.

Garrett says what impresses him most is that the grass continues to get better every year. "When I first began operating this place some 35 years ago, 40 cows were all that could safely be run without overgrazing," Garrett said. "Now following seeding of improved grasses and using the high intensity-low frequency grazing system, I can run 120 animal units year long without feeding anything except for one pound of protein supplement per head per day during the winter months," Garrett explained.

Ringhoffar stated that the wide acceptance by ranchers to this system is that it is so flexible that it can fit almost any livestock operation ranging from normal cow-calf to steer or registered cattle operation. Information on how a short duration grazing system will fit a particular livestock operation can be obtained from the Soil Conservation Service personnel in Baird.

### Local Man's Sister Dies In Sweetwater

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Monday in Sweetwater for Mrs. Minnie A. Green, 82, sister of O. R. Lawlis of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Green died early Sunday morning at a Sweetwater hospital. Burial was in a Sweetwater cemetery.

She was born Jan. 3, 1890 in Gurdon, Ark. and married Jessie Green in 1908 in Anson. They lived in Jones County for several years before moving to Sylvester in 1923 where they farmed and ranched until 1950 when they moved to Sweetwater. Her husband died in July 1966.

She is survived by four daughters, four grandchildren, five brothers and two sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Williams of Freeport visited friends and relatives here during the holidays.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU . . .

**November 30**  
Travis Foster  
Donald Hargrove  
Julie Watson  
Paula Ann Wright  
Bill Kirkham  
Mrs. Bill (Nita) Hines

**December 1:**  
Sammy Odom  
John D. Montgomery  
Mark Bland  
Jerry Whiteside  
Arlie Thate  
Darrell Lynn Dillard  
Mrs. Ira Calhoun  
Pamela McCowen  
Stephen Farmer

**December 2**  
Pat Vaughn  
Faye Marie Williams  
Harold Garrett  
Marvin Cade  
Mrs. J. D. Moore  
Dorothy Reed  
Bobby Porter

**December 4**  
Michael Duane Franke  
Mrs. Vida Waldrop  
Paul Perkins

Rhonda Wilcoxon  
Wayne Bishop  
Scott Odom  
Leelan Nunn  
Larry Blankenship  
Judy Casey  
Lynn Hutton

**December 5**  
R. T. Peevy  
Bobby Harris  
Darwin Breeding  
Annette Breeding  
Kathy Sohns Bonser  
Jenna Kay Teague  
Cheryl Ann Franke  
Jimmy Glenn Kelly

**December 6**  
Mrs. R. N. Whitehorn  
Debbie Havens  
Johnny Johnson  
Mrs. J. E. (Eddie) Wood  
Debbie Jean Potter  
Phillip Perry  
Frances Mote  
Katrena Ring

#### BAIRD ADVANCES TO REGION GRID PLAYOFF

Bears of Baird High School, winner of District 8-A football championship, defeated Archer City 27-0 last Friday in bi-district elimination game, and will take on Plains in a regional contest at Snyder Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Plains defeated Rankin, which had been rated number two in the state, last Friday by a 13-0 score.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Dickson, Jr. of Austin spent the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Callaway, at Lake Brownwood, and with Esthloy S. Dickson here.

Tuesday noon is deadline for news and advertising.

### HOME AND FAMILY HINTS

FROM HIGGINBOTHAMS

By Barbara Williams

Several requests were made for the recipe of the punch served at the recent opening of the new Comanche Funeral Home facilities. Here it is:



- 1 46-oz. can Red Hawaiian Punch
  - 1 46-oz. can Pineapple Juice
  - 2 12-oz. cans frozen orange juice concentrate
  - 2 6-oz. cans frozen lemonade concentrate
  - 1 or 2 28-oz. bottles Ginger Ale
  - 2 qts. water
  - 1 pint pineapple sherbet
  - Sugar to taste (about 1 1/2 cups)
- Add Ginger Ale and sherbet right before serving.
- Yields 60-65 1/2-cup servings.

Dear Barbara:

I have recently purchased a dining table and chairs. Parts of tables and chairs are black metal and on the bottom of the table and chairs it tells me to "wax metal parts for preservation of lustre." What type of wax do you suggest?

Yours very truly,  
Mrs. E. G. Roby

Dear Mrs. Roby:  
I would use a wax that would

not give a heavy build-up on your furniture; any liquid furniture wax such as Johnson's Jubilee would do.

Do you have a question or comment? We welcome your letters and cards. Write to Mrs. Barbara Williams, c/o Your Higginbothams store or P.O. Box 392, Comanche, Texas 76442.

Pd. Adv.

#### SON IS BORN ON NOV. 17 TO STEVEN B. GUYNS

Mr. and Mrs. Steven B. Guyn are parents of a baby boy born November 17. The baby was named William Barington. He weighed seven pounds and three ounces.

The mother, the former Helen Parson of Pioneer, is a 1969 graduate of Cross Plains High School. Mrs. Guyn returned on October 19 to the United States from a year's stay on Okinawa. Mr. Guyn is stationed at Kadena Air Force Base on Okinawa. He is to return to the United States in December.

Mrs. Guyn is staying with her husband's parents in Hinesville, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. Guyn will be stationed in Michigan.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Parson of Pioneer and Mr. and Mrs. Guyn of Hinesville, Ga.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Mattie Parson of Blanket and Mr. and Mrs. John Allen of Friona.

### YOU ARE INVITED TO WORSHIP AT Cottonwood Church of Christ

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## Remember?...

Mr. Beeler has made a Christmas present of his car to his young daughter, Miss Myrtle.

**37 Years Ago  
December 1935**

Culminating an extended romance Miss Margarete Young and W. J. (Son) Sipes, both of Cross Plains, were joined in marriage at Brownwood Friday night.

Prizes in The Review's circulation campaign were awarded Saturday night at 10 o'clock. The grand prize, a 1936 Standard Chevrolet coach, went to Mrs. Edwin Baum, Jr., of Cross Plains, first place winner; second prize, \$100 in cash was awarded to Mrs. Olen Phillips of Admiral, and third award, \$50 in cash went to Mrs. J. W. Thornton of Pioneer.

Ivon S. Odom, Jr. and Miss Joyce Tabor, both of northwest of Cross Plains, were married here last week.

Henrietta Smith, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Smith of Breckenridge, was honored with a birthday party at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J. G. Saunders, Saturday afternoon.

A. J. Burks, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burks of Rowden, died at the family home December 18 of diphtheria.

Businesses having Christmas greetings in this edition were: James Cross, Magnolia Service Station; S. C. Barr Insurance Agency; Anderson Chevrolet Co.; Cross Plains Variety Store; W. R. Dowe, Magonia Agent; Community Public Service Co.; J. D. Conlee Service Station & Grocery; Calhoun Motor Co.; Neeb Produce Co.; City Drug Store; Cross Plains Hardware; Cross Plains Lumber Co.; Barr's Bakery; Kemper's Cafe; Piggly Wiggly; W. D. Smith; West Texas Utilities Co.; Jim Settle's Dry Cleaning; Cree & Co.; Citizens State Bank; Higginbotham Bros. & Co.; Liberty Theatre; Lotief Dry Goods Co.; and E. C. Neeb Service Station.

**27 Years Ago  
December 1945**

James Matthew Wright passed away at the home of his son, W. M. Wright, Wednesday, Dec. 26.

Cross Plains boasts the citizenship of a 101-year-old inhabitant. Next Monday, Dec. 31, Wild Wood Foster, who resides in the northeast part of town, will celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Freeman are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Marsha Petty Voight, Bobby and Lori, of Mineral Wells visited her parents, the Eddie Pettys, and other relatives and friends during the holidays.

Clasp Envelopes — The Review

## ROWDEN

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Editor's Note: This column was intended for last week's Review, but due to no fault of this correspondent or this newspaper, it was not available for publication.

Light rain is falling Monday night as this reporter writes her column. Stock tanks are only partially full from earlier rains, so more moisture is welcomed.

Opening day for deer and turkey season has come and gone with only a few deer killed in the community. Warren Price and N. V. Gibbs have each bagged one.

Mrs. Don Harris, Terrel, Troy and Tonya, spent Saturday in Baird with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duke McIntosh.

Kim Strahan of Cottonwood visited with Ellen Reynolds after school Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price attended the musicale at Cottonwood Friday night.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence was in Abilene Monday visiting the Glenn Lawrence family.

Those visiting Raymond Gibbs during the week end were Dale and Roger Gibbs of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Clyde visited in the Sterling Odom home last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odom and Mrs. Leila Gibbs Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence attended a birthday party honoring Mrs. Calvin Champion in Cottonwood Saturday night.

Vergil Smedley of Big Spring and Dale and Roger Gibbs of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Saturday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Whitmire and Dennis of Granbury and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Whitmire and sons of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Don Harris had lunch with Mrs. Ivon Odom in Cross Plains Thursday.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. Joe Higgins, Mrs. J. L. Smith and Mrs. Lorene Jennings in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

**LOCAL R.N. DIRECTS  
CJC NURSING PROGRAM**

Mrs. John (Donna) Burleson is director of the Cisco Junior College nursing program, and her class of women training as vocational nurses in an extension service of the school in Abilene recently held a capping exercise in that city.

Mrs. Burleson is a registered nurse.

Mrs. W. A. Gill of Clyde recently spent a couple of nights with Mrs. W. F. Woody.

# Reasons For High Lumber Prices Explained

Editor's Note: The following article is being run as a public service to explain causes of much higher lumber prices. It was submitted by a local business concern.

"The Federal Government's policies and price control regulations are the major cause of high lumber prices," said Joe Butler, Executive Vice President of the Lumbermen's Association of Texas. The 87-year-old Austin based organization represents over a thousand Texas retail lumber dealer firms.

"The demand for lumber and forest products caused by the record breaking number of housing starts, and the federal government's inequitable controls, timber selling policies and lack of restraint on log exports, has compounded the problem rather than alleviate the present conditions," Butler continued.

In addition to the increased number of housing starts, the industry spokesman cited the following reasons for the continued rising lumber prices. (1) The lack of export controls have increased the volume of log exports from 430.6 million feet through September of last year to 512.7 million board feet through September of this year, and (2) the lack of price controls on federal timber and the federal government's policy of selling logs to the highest bidder are consistently raising the log prices which are passed on in the finished product. It is estimated that the Federal government owns over 65% of the nation's forests. "If the government's policies and regulations are continued, the American people can expect their future housing to be stamped, 'Made in Japan' at the expense of the American public," Butler said.

"The Price Commission's regulations rather than increasing the supply of lumber have been 'counter productive' in that they have restricted the nation's lumber supply on many critical lumber items. The Profit Margin limitation imposed by the Price Commission has forced many manufacturers to circumvent the regulations by discontinuing the manufacture of high manufacturing cost items such as 1" lumber for lower manufacturing cost items, resulting in critical shortages; to curtail or drastically reduce their direct carload shipments which are usually sold at a lower price, and move as much of their material through their controlled warehouses at higher prices, and to increase their exports which results in less material being offered for domestic use.

"All of the above factors raise the cost of lumber and forest products to the retail lumber dealer who in turn must pass these increased costs on to the consumer and home builder."

Butler said. "The retail lumber is in the unenviable position of being caught in the middle between the Federal governmental policies and the manufacturer's activities on the one hand, and the wrath of the consumer and the home builder to the high lumber prices on the other hand."

"The lumber dealer's dilemma is further compounded by the fact that the Price Commission regulations permit him to pass on increased cost from the manufacturer, on one hand, yet at the same time he is saddled with the Profit Margin limitation which does not permit him

to realize a greater margin of profit than he realized in the average of his two best years of 1968, 1969, and 1970. This further increases the lumber dealer's hardship since in 1969 the price of lumber dropped drastically, and most dealers lost thousands and thousands of dollars in inventory loss during this period of time.

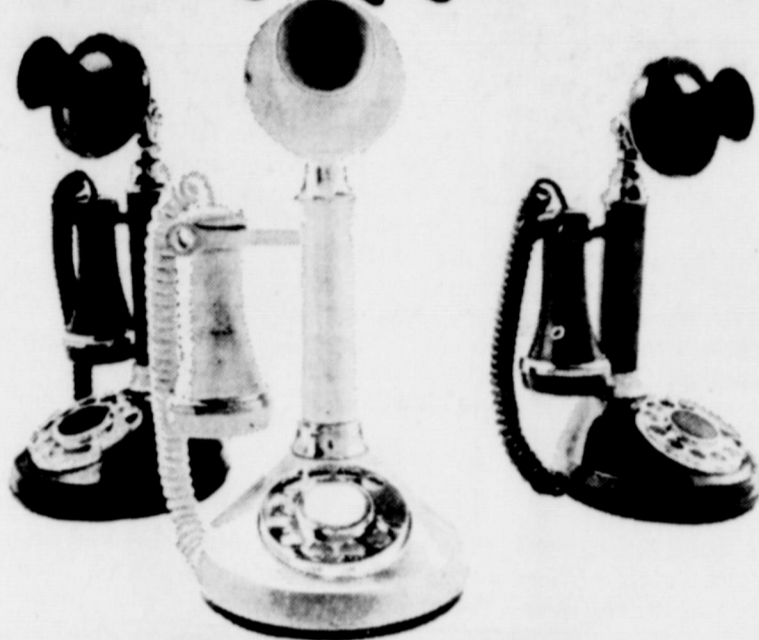
Unlike the manufacturers who can increase their prices to reflect manufacturing costs, raw material costs and increased productivity, the lumber dealer is not permitted to realize the benefit of increased efficiency in his operation. He is actually

penalized for keeping his operating costs down," Butler said. "If the present governmental policies and the Price Commission regulations are continued, many, many independent retail lumber dealers will be forced out of business, and the consuming public will be at the mercy of the giant multi-level corporations," Butler predicted.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Petty have returned to their home here after having spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Morris (Buddy) Belew and family in Fort Worth.

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  - 90 Brahman cross heifers, 900 lbs., and up, calving now with first calves; all pregnancy and blood tested.
  - 100 tiger striped heifers, 700 lbs., bulls put out May 1.
  - 100 black cows, 800 lbs., calving now.
  - 100 black baldface cows, calving now.
  - 100 Angus heifers, calving in January from Angus bulls.
  - 100 Char-cross heifers, 500-700 lbs., pregnancy tested.
  - 100 black baldface heifer calves, 300 pounds and up.
  - 77 Santa Gertrude heifers, 800 lbs., bred to Angus Limousin cross and Hereford Simmental cross bulls, pregnancy and blood tested.
- Many other large and small consignments.

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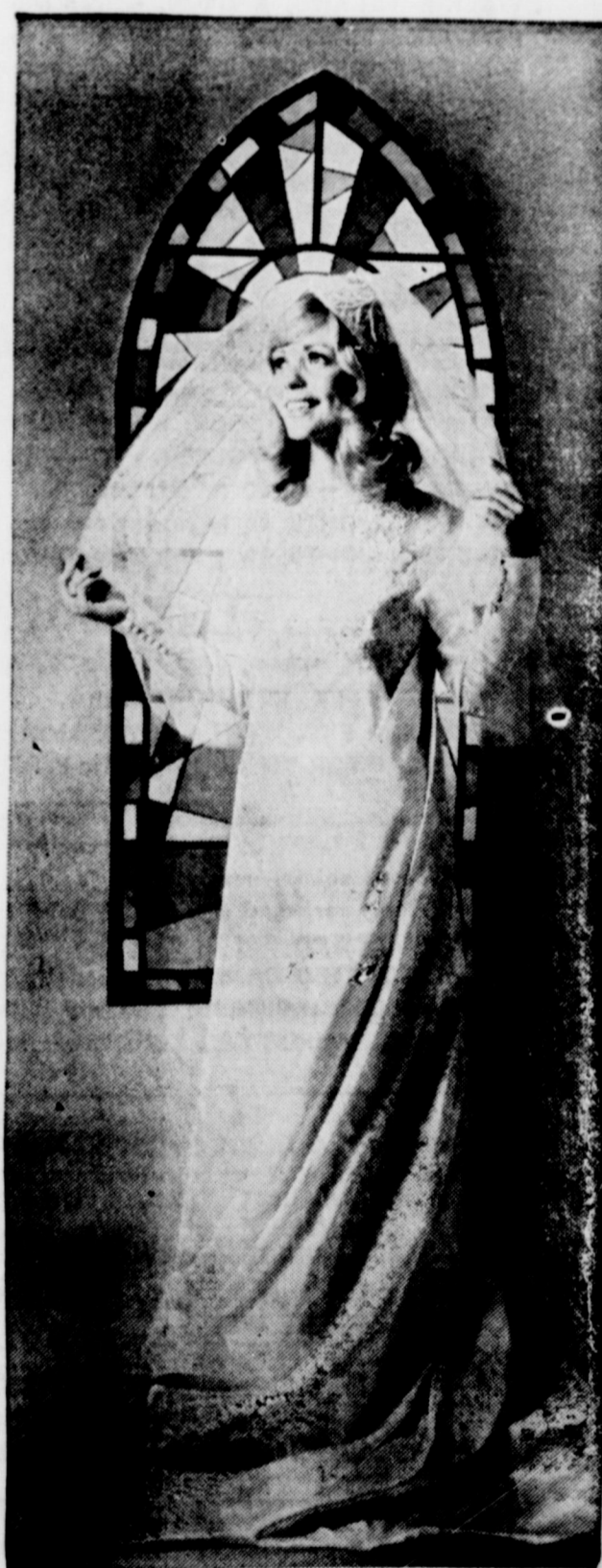
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# Willie Hendersons To Note 50th Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Henderson will observe their 50th wedding anniversary from 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 3, with a reception open to friends and relatives in the Hospitality Room, First Coleman National Bank, Coleman.

Hosts for the reception will be their son, William Curtis, his wife, Dusty and their children, Candy and Billy Henderson.

Wernon Jordan and Willie Henderson were married Nov. 29, 1922 in the Kentucky Home by Mr. E. S. Kennedy. Attendees were Virginia Pope and Joe Weddle. The honeymoon was spent on the Henderson Ranch where they have lived those fifty golden years.

Mr. Henderson is the son of the late Effie and William Cowan Henderson, parents of eight children, seven girls and one boy.

Mrs. Henderson is the daughter of the late Georgie and Will F. Jordan, parents of three daughters.

The groom of fifty years was born on July 8, 1902 at Burkett. At the age of nine, Mr. Henderson was one of the seven members of the first Baby Beef Club organized in Coleman County in 1911 by J. E. (Boog) Scott, which later became the 4-H and FFA clubs in the United States. Mr. Henderson's parents moved to Coleman several years later to send the three younger children to school. This was when

the couple met and their courtship began.

Mrs. Henderson was born at Lott, Feb. 19, 1903. When she was 20 months old, the family moved to Santa Anna where they lived for a short time before moving to the Weaver Ranch, then later to Coleman. The couple set up housekeeping in their first home on the Henderson Ranch and have continued farming and ranching through the years. One son, William Curtis was born in 1925 to the Hendersons.

The Hendersons are members of the Burkett Church to Christ where Mr. Henderson served for several years as an elder.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Nora Phillips over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cloud of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. James Cloud of Texas City, Homer Phillips of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Phillips and sons, Mrs. Ophelia Harris and Willard Marshall of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Phillips and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Goss and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Mason Cloud of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wolf and daughter of Midland and Mrs. Charles Barr and daughters of Coleman.

Dick Illingworth of Carrollton visited his mother, Mrs. Alma Illingworth, and friends in Cross Plains Monday.

# Sabanno News Items

By Mrs. Jack Thomas

Visiting was the highlight of the news in the Sabanno Community this week.

Visiting Josie and Alma Morris Friday were Mrs. Winnie Flippin, The Bill Brown family of Mineral Wells and Rev. and Mrs. Poindexter of Abilene. J. C. Morris of Colorado City visited Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blankenship visited Hugh Wilson in Bangs, Friday.

Visitors with the Bob Blackwells recently were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rogers and son of Hobbs, N. M., Jimmy Hale and family of Clyde, Jerry Lee of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Mage Notgrass and Mrs. Luttrell of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester King and family and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shirley ate dinner Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carlike and family in Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King spent one day last week with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas of Eastland. Visiting them Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Thompson of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas shared Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Brown of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hamlin and Mark of Arlington, and Mrs. Addie Brumfield. Mrs. Oma Houser of Childress spent Monday night with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thate spent the week end with them. Also visiting were

Rev. and Mrs. Poindexter and W. C. Dawkins of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin enjoyed a pleasant evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Friday at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins had dinner Thursday at Golden Lawsons, along with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. Noland Brooks and girls.

Mrs. Lillie Williams has gone to attend her brother's funeral. No other details are known.

Guests in the R. E. Watson home Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gresham of Winters and Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Gresham of Edmondson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cox of De Leon spent Sunday with Mrs. Lillie Williams.

This was a happy time for Mr. and Mrs. Troy Watson, with 10 of their children home for the holiday. Visiting were: Mr. and Mrs. James Watson, Tuscola; Mr. and Mrs. John Casey and girls, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Watson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Large and son, Morgan City, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kanady and son, Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Watson and boys, Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Watson and family, Beaumont; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watson and family, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Berney Tucker and sons, Watauga; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Watson and son, Dallas; and several grandchildren and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Tempest Brandon of Gorman spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler this week were Mr. and Mrs. Coker of Lubbock and daughter, Mrs. B. F. Dudley of Lubbock.

It was a great day Thanksgiving at the Wes Holcomb home with all of their children there with them. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and family, Clyde; Miss Glenna Crane, Dudley; Mr. and Mrs. James R. Clark and Patricia, Clyde; Bill Ince, Comanche; Mr. and Mrs. Junior Livingston and girls, Gustine; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Clark and Shiela, Clyde; and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark.

Arzie Green accompanied Edwin Erwin to a Thanksgiving supper at the Presbyterian Church Tuesday night.

## HARVEST DAY SLATED AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY

Harvest Day at the local First Baptist Church is scheduled for next Sunday. The church voted to try to raise one-half the balance due on the building note by free will offering.

Visitors with Mrs. R. C. Brown, Sr. during the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hodnett of Big Spring, Dorman Graves of Midland, Mrs. C. C. Coggins of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Brown of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Dwane Gale and three children of Houston, Mrs. Inez Ratliff of Lubbock and Mrs. Spencer Pickens and Christa of Huntsville, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hodnett and Mr. and Mrs. Jack White of Rising Star, Mrs. Gus Brandon of Sabanno, and Cross Plains people were: Mrs. Dick Brown, Jr., Mrs. Alma Illingworth, Mrs. Homer Robison and son, Randy, and Mrs. George Parrish, and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Garrett.

Guests in the M. B. King home last week end were Mrs. W. C. Gibson and daughters, Debbie and Marsha, and their friend Marshall Duvalan, all of San Antonio.

Miss Deana Kay Childers of Clyde spent last Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers. Other visitors in the home were Mrs. Lawrence Wilson and Mrs. Clara Richardson and children of Irving.

## W. R. THOMPSONS HAVE FAMILY THANKSGIVING

Thanksgiving Day in the W. R. Thompson home in Cross Plains was just like reunion time with most of their family at home.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Traeger of Porterville, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson of Roswell, N. M.; Capt. and Mrs. Dick Thompson, Tooter and Tye of Enid, Okla.

Those from Texas were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and Annette of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson, Kaven, Karen and Keith of Dallas; Lt. Col. and Mrs. R. G. Thompson of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ramey and Judy and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ramey, Brant and Kevin, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Baker of Denton, and Mr. Earl Baker of Ballinger. Local people present were: Mr. and Mrs. Pender Mitchell, Mrs. Betty Lewis, Robert, Jerry, Debbie and Danny; Mrs. Darlene Floyd, Tammy and Rickey; Lillian Shelton and Pearl Whitehorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Strahan and Gaylon of Muleshoe spent Thanksgiving week end with his mother, Mrs. O. D. Strahan.

## Chambers Family Reunion

Forty-seven members of the family of the late W. H. G. Chambers and Nancy Shirey Chambers met in the Community Center Building at Cross Plains on Thanksgiving Day for their annual reunion. A delicious meal was spread at the noon hour and the members of the family played games and reminisced throughout the day.

Preceding the meal there were some announcements, among which was the announcement that four members of the six-member Herman Jenkins family had received college degrees since the 1971 Thanksgiving meeting and the recognition of the birth of Shannon Jenkins, the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jenkins and the great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mills, and the marriage of Mike Williamson, the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Keeler, to Lucy Thomas.

The following members of the Chambers family were present for the reunion: Mr. and

Mrs. Walter and Mrs. Mar and Mrs. W. Lola Woodrider and Mar Loyd and A Brownwood; Chambers of Gary Chamber and Mrs. R. and Mrs. C. thwaite; Mr. Byrd and Mr. Newton of Mrs. Ferrell Lisa, Robert a Jimmie Newt and Mrs. G. and David of Mrs. Herman and Mrs. Ch Mills and Do and Mrs. Dolahoma City, don Newton Jon of Colleg

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- TWINKLE LIGHTS, 35 to set, priced at ..... \$1.59
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- 5 ROLLS FOIL WRAP, total 11 1/4 ft. by 26 inches ..... 89c
- 3 ROLLS PAPER, 17 ft. by 30 inches ..... 59c
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## High School Basketball Schedule Is Revealed

Remainder of the 1972-73 basketball schedule to be faced by varsity Cross Plains High School cage teams has been released.

The season actually began on November 21 when the two local varsity teams tangled with Novice units here.

Putnam was to have hosted Buffaloes and Buffettes on Tuesday night.

All varsity contests are slated to start at 7 p.m. this season, according to coaches Don Lee, Buffalo mentor, and Arthur Boyle, Buffette tutor. The exception being tournament clashes. First tourney on the slate is the Cross Plains invitational. Local teams will play in the Rising Star meet on December 14, 15 and 16, and will participate in the tournament at Early on December 28, 29 and 30.

The Early tournament will end non-conference play, and District 10-A competition will begin on January 2 when Santa Anna comes here. The league battles will be a double round-robin affair.

## Junior Cagers Split In Season Opener

Varsity basketball teams of Cross Plains Junior High School halved two contests with hosts Bangs Monday of last week.

Cross Plains feminine team was bombed 41-16 in its curtain opener. Rita Wilson paced local scoring with eight points. Barbara Reed bucketed six points and Vivian Franke netted two for the locals.

Mighty Mites claimed a 28-22 decision over the host junior high school team. Darrell Sanders led Cross Plains scoring with 18 points. Sam Koenig hooped seven points, and Bubba McConal netted the other five.

Next Monday, Dec. 4, Cross Plains teams will travel to Cisco for a pair of games starting at 6:30 p.m.

Henry (Elwin) Williams of Denver, Colo., came through Cross Plains during the holidays and stopped by the Review for a brief visit. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, late longtime Cross Plains residents.

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Remainder of the schedule, as given to the Review, follows:

Nov. 30, Dec. 1 and 2 — Cross Plains tournament

Dec. 5 — May, here

Dec. 8 — Cisco, here

Dec. 12 — Putnam, here

Dec. 14, 15, 16 — Rising Star tournament

Dec. 19 — May, there

Dec. 23, 29, 30 — Early tournament

Jan. 2 — Santa Anna, here

Jan. 5 — Early there

Jan. 9 — Bangs, here

Jan. 12 — De Leon, here

Jan. 16 — Ranger, there

Jan. 19 — Santa Anna, there

Jan. 23 — Early, here

Jan. 26 — Bangs, there

Jan. 30 — De Leon, there

Feb. 2 — Ranger, here

## Local Soldier Ends Army Photo School

Army Private First Class Greg H. Scott, 17, son of Mrs. Mickie Boyle of Cross Plains recently completed a 15-week camera equipment repair course at the U. S. Army Signal Center and School at Fort Monmouth, N. J.

He was trained to maintain and repair still and motion picture cameras and their related equipment.

Pfc. Scott entered the army in January 1972 and completed basic training at Fort Polk, La.

The private's father, Coyt O. Scott, lives in Graham.

## DEEP OIL TEST SLATED IN PUTNAM LOCALITY

N. R. Chico of Fort Worth will drill No. 1 Lacy Caldwell Beckham and Guy Caldwell in the Marge, East (4,040 feet) Field eight miles southwest of Putnam.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Belew of San Angelo visited recently with his parents, the H. M. Belews, and other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glover of Lampasas visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover, here Sunday night.

## Bufs, Buffettes Ax Novice Cage Teams

Cross Plains varsity basketball teams were rude hosts Tuesday night of last week, taking two contests from visiting Novice squads.

Buffettes claimed an easy 53-25 decision, and Buffaloes, with only one day's workout, took a 53-33 triumph.

The Herd, under tutorage of Head Coach Don Lee who said that he was pleased with the hustle shown by Bisons, claimed a 10-5 advantage in the first quarter then equalled Novice's nine points in the second stanza. Buffaloes padded the lead by out-scoring the visitors 19-9 in the third period and 10-5 in the final quarter.

Rodney Renfro paced local scoring with 14 points. Andy Walker was runner-up with nine, followed closely by Rick Kirkham with eight and Donny Dillard with seven. Fifteen Bisons saw action in the opener, and nine of those players tallied. Mike Wilson led Novice with 13 points.

Cross Plains Buffettes began the night's action coasting to a 53-25 victory, the local team's third consecutive triumph of the young season.

Buffettes grabbed a 14-5 first quarter advantage and padded that in each quadrant, owning a 28-15 halftime edge. Terry Edington took the night's scoring honors with 27 points on 11 field goals and five charity tosses. Paula Wright hooped eight more for the locals and Margie Duncan added seven. O'Neal paced Novice with 11 points.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stewart, Nate and Matt, spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her mother, Esthloy S. Dickson. The Stewarts, Mrs. Dickson, Karen and Dick, Jr., had Thanksgiving dinner at Cisco in the home of Mrs. Truly Carter. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cox of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Max Satterwhite of Cisco.

Tommy Dodds of Austin spent the holiday week end here visiting relatives and friends.



**AG SCHOLAR** — Charles Chesshir, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Chesshir of Cross Plains, has been named winner of a scholarship at Cisco Junior College. The 1972 graduate of Cross Plains High School was one of only six CJC agriculture students who were awarded the scholarships, first such awarding at the school. A more detailed story may be found in last week's Review. This photo was received too late for inclusion with the story last week.

Office Supplies At Review

## 23 PERSONS AT LOCAL HOME THANKSGIVING

Twenty-three persons visited in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wright here on Thanksgiving Day.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Clark of Whiteface, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Armstrong of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wright, Paul and Beverly of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Johnson, Dianne and Bruce, of this city, Mrs. Wanda Reynolds and Maurine of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Don Strahan and Gary of Muleshoe, Mrs. O. D. Strahan, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Balkum and Alma Armstrong of Cross Plains.

## LOCAL SENIOR F.H.A. MEMBERS TO TAKE TEST

Senior Future Homemakers of America chapter members of Cross Plains High School will be among many thousand such students taking a test Tuesday, Dec. 5, to finally determine the top future homemakers in the nation.

College scholarships totaling \$111,000 are at stake in the 1973 Betty Crocker Search for American Homemakers of Tomorrow. The test will be a written quiz on knowledge and attitude.

## PERSONAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Halsell spent the holiday week end at Bryan in the home of their daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Rodenberger.

Pauline Regian has returned to her home here after having spent three weeks in Grand Prairie with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hinesly and children. Mrs. Regian's grandson, Donald James Crouch, came home with her to spend couple of weeks.

Visitors in the Altie and Robert Foller home in Baird during the Thanksgiving holidays were: Byron Foller, Barstow, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Foller, Stacy and Johnny, Jr., Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Foller, John David, Amy and April, of Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sprawls, Grapevine; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brian and Diane, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Rutherford, Jimmy, and a friend, Dean Grand, Sulphur Springs.

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# Many Visitors Celebrate Holidays At Burkett

By Mrs. Eddie Strickland  
Visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mountain on Thanksgiving Day were Johnnie Tinney of Mangum, Okla., Darryl and Don Tinney of Lefors, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ketchum of Midkiff, Mr. and Mrs. Jody Whitely and Buddy of San Saba, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland, Marsha and Jackie of Burkett.

Mrs. Merret Burkett spent Thursday visiting her mother, Mrs. W. M. Freeman at Zephyr, and two sisters, Mrs. Opal Willis and Mrs. D. A. Young also of Zephyr, and Mrs. Lowell Newton and family of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Anderson of Overland, Kan., visited her aunt, Kathryn Cravens, her grandfather, W. M. Newton, and her uncle, Wayne Newton for three days. Mrs. Anderson is the former Bonnie Newton, the youngest daughter of the late Byron Newton.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Gerlie Strickland were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rhoads, Randy, Cindy, and Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Strickland, Terry Steve and Scott of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Strickland, Debra, Donna and Daphne of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Carey Hightower, Pete and Kathy of Cisco, Ben Strickland and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Strickland, David and Tammy of Burkett. Later in the day Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Strickland and Mr. and Mrs. Carlos McDermott visited for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strickland had as Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Strickland and Matt of Sabanno, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Strickland and Shana of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland, Marsha and Jackie, had dinner with Mrs. Gerlie Strickland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Derrick of Kermit visited Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Porter and family. They had Thanksgiving dinner Tuesday. Visiting the Porters on Thursday and having supper with them were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter of Fort Worth.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carroll during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Don Carroll of McCamey and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Herring and Julie of Brazoria. Don Brown of La Marque and Mrs. Lella Brown of Brownsville visited over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams had Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Adams and family of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bradford and family of McCamey as recent guests. Walter expresses this appreciation for the favors extended him while in the hospital and upon recuperating at home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lindsey and Bryan visited Wednesday

through Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Koenig. The Willie Koenigs visited their other daughter, Elizabeth, at Abilene on Friday.

Visitors in the D. R. Gould home Thanksgiving Day were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Biehl and family of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Justice and family of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dodgen and family of Coleman, Mrs. Ruby Biehl, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blutworth, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Blutworth and W. B. Blutworth of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Walker had 24 guests Thursday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gray and family of San Angelo, Johnny Gray of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gray and family of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker and Paul of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. William Walker of Burkett.

The Wade Golsons had 50 guests Saturday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Low Golson and Michelle of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Golson, Pam, Molly and Misty, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Golson, Tony, Tim Tracy and Tamarah, and Miss Becky Bryan, all of Trent; Randy Bredemeyer of Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gol-

son, Murry and Randy, of Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Golson, Cory and Chad, of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kleiber, Matt and Dawn, of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fuller, Paul and John, of Shawnee, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuller of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McKinny of Novice, Bill and Jack Strickland of Burkett.

Visitors in the E. L. Harris home were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams, Ruby Burns, Jessie Harri, L. D. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harris and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeBusk, Pete Golson and Tamarah Golson, Gill Helms, Ernest Harris came home for the week end and had a nice time.

### MERRYMAN-POTTER VOWS SAID IN BROWNWOOD

Miss Ann Merryman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Merryman, and Tommy Potter, son of Estalee Potter, all of this city, were united in marriage November 17 in a double ring ceremony in Brownwood.

The bridegroom is a 1971 graduate of CPHS, and the bride is a senior at Cross Plains.

## Grandmother Of Local Lady Dies

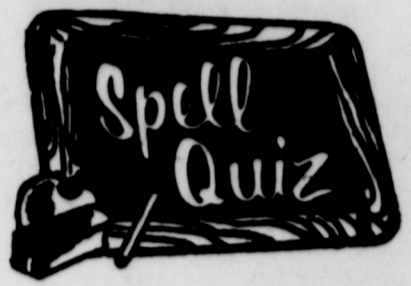
Funeral of Mrs. Mary O. Santleben of Sabinal, grandmother of Mrs. Cliff Kirkham of this city, was buried at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Sabinal.

Mrs. Santleben died in an Abilene hospital Sunday after a three-day illness. She had been visiting here and was in Abilene with another granddaughter, Mrs. Glenn Lawrence, when she became ill.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. E. G. (Alice) Roby of Spur and Mrs. Aliene Blocker of San Antonio; one son, Alton Santleben of Lyons; 13 grandchildren, among whom Mrs. Kirkham, Mrs. Lawrence and Jim Roby of Spur; 17 great-grandchildren.

Robert Merrill, senior at Texas A&M, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Merrill, and Roy. They went to the Big Bend and Davis Mountains area, returning late Saturday. Robert bagged a big turkey on his grandparents' ranch before returning to College Station.

Billie Morris Steele of Plano visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ingman Sunday afternoon.



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## Personals

Visiting Mrs. Byron Richardson and girls over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coppinger and Kerry of Odessa, Wanda Braune of Merkel and Mrs. Byrene Ferguson and girls of Coleman.

Charles Coppinger, Louise Richardson, Minnie Cunningham, Lewis Coppinger and Sherri Richardson visited in Baird Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Butler Bart and Brett, of Corpus Christi visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Marsh during the holiday week end. Other visitors early in the week were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tunnell of Levelland.

### 45 IN VERNON HOME THANK

Visiting in the hills home Thanksgiving were the five children of da Pittman and Pittman. Those Mr. and Mrs. Lou Pittman, Those Mrs. R. V. Pittman, Ladora Smith, at community, Fr were Mrs. Lou Randy Pittman man, Albert Re rtle Smith, and Diane Mus ville. From Earl Gainer Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. B and three child Mrs. Leslie Rus dren.

Also: Mr. and Dodds and th Noodle, Mr. an Smith and two Mrs. Bill Hudg Rock, also a ni Pittman, Mr. an of Milwaukee, hosts, Mr. and Phillips and son

Mr. and Mrs. and Tina spent Hondo visiting and Mrs. J. B. I

## Hunter Husbands, 'Fix That Faucet' Says Rowden Scribe

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs  
In just a few days the 12th month of the year will start counting off the days until Christmas and the close of 1972.

Cold weather had many of us inside trying to find something to keep us busy. It was a good time to shell pecans or mend your husbands torn trousers or socks.

Thanksgiving has come and gone with not so much visiting in the community.

Hunting is still high on the list of things to do for men that love that sport. They don't even mind the cold drizzling rain on a cold dark morning Ladies. I think now would be a good time to ask them to fix the door lock or stop the dripping faucet.

Holiday visitors in the Jimmy West home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Eck Brown of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott of Dalhart, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Vestal and Chris West of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price, Red West, Mrs. Hattie West and Mrs. Rubye Berry, all of Baird.

Ned McDonald visited Jerry McDonald last week. He has moved to Cross Plains from Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Minnich of Merkel visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Sunday.

Little Tye Rae and Tamara Lawrence of Abilene are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence, while their parents attend funeral of her grandmother.

Jesse Bower visited Raymond Gibbs last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Clyde spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom. Mrs. Odom and Mrs. Palmer visited Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Mrs. Tony Steele that afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence and sons served Thanksgiving dinner in their home near Cross Plains to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence and the Glen Lawrence family of Abilene.

Spending the holidays in the Tommie Harris home were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Harris and Tessa of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harris of Abilene. Terrel, Troy and Tonya Harris spent Thursday evening there.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Davis and children of Eula were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and children Thursday.

Attending a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Tony Steele in her home Tuesday were Mrs. Warren Price, Mrs. Russell Dye, Mrs. Bill Lawrence, Mrs. James Reynolds, Mrs. Larmer Henry, Mrs. Sterling Odom, Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs. The honoree received many useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence

were luncheon guests of Mrs. J. Lee Smith Sunday in Cross Plains. They also visited in the rest home that afternoon.

Mrs. Emma Johnson is in Abilene helping care for her first grandchild, a son, born last week to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Whittiker of Rule visited in the Lizzie Burks home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McClain accompanied the Carol McClain family of Galveston to Abilene Thursday to have Thanksgiving dinner in the L. C. Watson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Freeman of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. Alice Wills, Sunday.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs accompanied Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs to the Potosi area Thursday to visit Mrs. Elveda Sikes and family who were there for the week end.

### Atwell

By Mrs. Alton Tatom

We had a very nice Thanksgiving Day after a little shower and it's been very cool.

Mr. and Mrs. Lineham and son, Curtis, of Fort Worth, own the Mary Guyton place and have been spending some time there. Curtis spent the week end with Billy Black.

Mrs. B. F. Hutchins was in Cisco Thursday visiting.

D. C. Foster of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black last week.

Those visiting Mrs. Ethel Hewes Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black, and Barbara and Vee, Mrs. Romalee McKinly and Virgil and Tommie boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and Beverly and Kim spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black and Billy went out to a deer lease near Brownwood Friday night for a supper with Mr. and Mrs. Robinson.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions on Thanksgiving and through Sunday were Mrs. Shirley Ludlow and children from De Soto, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions, Lynn and Debora, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy, Lee and Ruby of Baird visited Thursday and Shirley and children left Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom, Larry and Lynn visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom Thanksgiving. Larry and Lynn killed a deer each. We had been seeing deer and it was a thrill for the boys to kill them.

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**Syrup** New Crop, Bradford Ribbon Cane Or Sorghum, 1 Gallon **\$1.19**

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