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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443 WEDNESDAY, NOV. 28, 1973

SIXTY-FIFTH YEAR

THIRTY-FIVE

City Increases Gas Rates; Minimum Up

of the City of Cross Plains will be paying for natural gas beginning with the December billing. Mayor Burchfield announced the rate increase this week, pointing out that the increase is necessary because of the gas now being charged from its supplier. The city-owned natural gas system buys gas from W. B.

Evans of Lubbock, and he recently increased rates to the city. The gas comes from wells located northeast of the city.

Mayor Burchfield noted the following increases, which will appear on the bills sent out in December by the city. Minimum charge will now be \$3 for 1,000 cubic feet of gas. The old rate carried a \$2 minimum charge. The rate for each additional 1,000 cubic feet has also been increased. New rate is 85 cents per 1,000 feet. The old schedule called for 65 cents per 1,000 cubic feet over the minimum.

The last rate increase enacted by the City of Cross Plains was on May 7, 1968.

It was pointed out by Mayor Burchfield that the last rate increase to the city was absorbed by the city, and was not passed on to the consumers.

4-H Club Sets Sale; Asks For Support

Cross Plains 4-H Club will hold another rummage sale at their building on Main Street, next to Shot's TV, Thursday and Friday.

The local 4-H Club, newly formed, had a sale last week, but it failed to be well supported. Members and sponsors of the club did express thanks to those who did attend especially to persons and merchants who donated to the sale.

A fund has been set up at the Citizens State Bank for those who would like to make cash donations to the local club. Checks should be made to Cross Plains 4-H Club.

The club is seeking help in furnishing the building it has rented.

Among the needed items are paint, gas lines, electrical wire, lights and fixtures. Donated labor would also be appreciated. It was pointed out.

Articles of all kinds are needed for the rummage sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schaefer, co-adult leaders of the local 4-H Club, stated this week, "We feel that the club is beneficial to the kids of this area and is an asset to Cross Plains. The kids need your support badly."

They added that almost anything is needed either for the building or the rummage sale.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

Callahan Families Said To Be Insured Heavily

Compared with people in many other parts of the country, residents of Callahan County are relatively well protected, financially, in the form of life insurance. Per family, their coverage is at an all-time high.

They have also been safeguarding themselves in other directions by increasing their health insurance, household insurance, automobile insurance and the like.

Of particular note, however, is the extent to which they have been adding to their fire insurance holdings in recent years. The total amount held by local residents, as of the beginning of this year, is estimated at \$48 million.

Details on the number of policy holders and their participation are given for each of the states and for the United States as a whole by the Department of Commerce and the Institute of Life Insurance.

They show that overall ownership of such insurance, nationally, has passed the \$1.6 trillion (yes trillion) mark. That is \$122 million more than in the previous year.



Tom Pack

H-SU's Tom Pack To Sing Here On Sunday

Tom Pack, noted voice professor at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, will be here at First Baptist Church in Cross Plains for the Sunday evening service, Dec. 2. He will share his testimony both in song and words.

Many of the local church people have heard this man's testimony before, and recommend him highly.

The public is invited and invited to attend this service which begins at 7 p.m.

Admiral Cemetery Asks Care Goal This Year

The Admiral Cemetery Association, Inc. has received an additional \$790.00 in donations toward providing perpetual care for the burial ground at Admiral, since the last report in July.

The latest gifts leaves the fund \$561 short of the \$8,000 goal. A spokesman for the cemetery said that he hopes to reach the goal by the end of the year, and request those who have not contributed to mail contributions to James Eubanks, secretary of the cemetery association, in care of the First National Bank of Baird at P. O. Box 968, Baird, Texas 79504.

Eubanks stated that the organization plans to assume the responsibility of maintaining the cemetery next year. He added, "We need to reach our goal so the money can be invested as only the interest will be spent to maintain the cemetery."

The grand total of the permanent care fund stands at \$7,439, according to Eubanks. Latest donors and respective amounts, as reported, follow.

Annual Basketball Meet Set For This Week End

The annual Cross Plains invitational basketball tournament will unfold in Buffalo Gymnasium this week end, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Sixteen teams, eight feminine units and eight male contingents, will be vying for three trophies in each division. Awards will go to winner, runner-up and consolation victors. Individual awards will also be made to players elected on both boys and girls all-tournament teams.

Both male and feminine squads will be represented

4-H CHRISTMAS PARTY SCHEDULED AT BAIRD

The 4-H County Christmas Party has been set for December 8 at the Eugene Bell Legion Hall in Baird. Joel Wilson of West Texas Utilities will call the square dance. The party is for all 4-Hers, their friends and family. The time is Saturday, December 8, at 7:30 p.m.

from the host school, Talpa-Centennial, Putnam, Rising Star, May, Eula, Bangs and Cisco.

Both defending champions return to defend title. Cross Plains Buffettes claimed the

championship last year and the May Tigers won in the boys division.

Sessions are slated for Thursday and Friday afternoons, beginning at 1 p.m. and continuing through 8:30 p.m. A session will also be held beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday. Finals will start with the girls consolation game which is to begin at 4:30 p.m. Saturday.

First round of play, according to brackets released by Coach Jack Orr, follows, Thursday: 1 p.m. May and Cisco girls, 2:30 p.m. May and Cisco boys, 4 p.m. Talpa-Centennial and Putnam girls, 5:30 p.m. Talpa-Centennial and Putnam boys, 7 p.m. Cross Plains and Rising Star girls, 8:30 p.m. Cross Plains and Rising Star boys.

First round elimination continues Friday as follows: 1 p.m. Eula and Bangs girls, 2:30 p.m. Eula and Bangs boys. Second round begins at 4 p.m. Friday with girls consolation elimination followed at 5:30 with boys consolation elimination. At 7 p.m. Friday girls winner bracket elimination will unfold followed with boys winner bracket game.

Saturday morning, starting at 9 o'clock, girls consolation elimination followed at 10:30 with boys consolation elimination. Girls winner elimination starts at noon Saturday followed by the boys winner elimination at 1:30 p.m.

Championship games will start at 4:30 p.m. Saturday with the girls consolation. It will be followed at 6 p.m. with the male consolation game. Girls championship contest will begin at 7:30 p.m. followed by the boys championship game at 9 p.m. Admission will be 75 cents for adults and 25 cents for students.

48 Called For Petit Jury Service Dec. 6

Forty-eight Callahan County residents have been called for possible petit jury duty in 42nd District Court at Baird for Thursday, Dec. 6.

Jurors are to report at the courthouse at Baird by 9 a.m. Court docket was not immediately learned in Cross Plains.

Twenty-two persons giving Baird mailing address have been called. Eleven persons are from Cross Plains, 10 giving Clyde addresses and five from various routes serving Callahan County.

The list, as released by Beatrice Deal, county-district clerk:

Summoned from Cross Plains are: Mrs. James Ned Clark, Joe B. Hanke, Jr., Mrs. Curtis S. Black, Lula E. Holman, Mrs. Leo G. Franke, Mrs. J. P. Pannell, Mrs. Ray L. Phillips, Mrs. Frank N. Brown, H. C. Freeman, Jr., O. L. Joy and Nadine Nickerson.

Called from Baird are: Mrs. Russell Dye, Grady E. Davis, Mrs. H. T. Varner, Mrs. J. T. Meeks, Doris Harris, Lucille Tankersley, Buster Hatchett, J. Rupert Jackson, Jr., Mrs. R.

ASCS Teils More Data On Farm Fuel Needs

The following release from the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office at Baird was given this newspaper by the Callahan County Executive Director J. C. Earp, Jr. concerning interpretation of mandatory allocation program of farmers fuel needs.

The release follows: Numerous requests are being received concerning the fuel needs of farmers for harvesting. In many cases this year's harvest and other critical operations will occur in a different month from last year. Some suppliers have misinterpreted the Mandatory Allocation Program for Middle Distillate Fuels and are refusing to adjust monthly allocations to meet this year's exception requirements.

In this regard, Section 4(e) of the Program (EPO Reg. 1, FR 28660) applies: "Suppliers and purchasers may agree among themselves to either borrow on future allocations or defer current allocations within the level of the total allocation for the year, as long as such arrangements do not result in an involuntary reduction in allocations to their purchasers. Similarly, suppliers may borrow or swap products among themselves."

HIGGINBOTHAM STORE TO CLOSE FRIDAY, SATURDAY

The Higginbotham store in Cross Plains will be closed Friday and Saturday, Nov. 30 and Dec. 1, to allow employees to take inventory.

Customers are asked to please take note of the closing and get needed supplies before the closing dates so no one will be inconvenienced.

MRS. NORMA SAUNDERS IN HOSPITAL AT BALLINGER

Mrs. Norma Saunders, former longtime Cross Plains resident, entered Ballinger Memorial Hospital Monday, after a sudden illness on Sunday. She is in room 21 if her many friends here wish to remember her with cards or letters.

Brief Storm Saturday Dumps .38 Inch Rain

A brief, spring-like storm struck Cross Plains and this area Saturday morning. It was complete with rain, some hail, wind and lightning display.

The storm dumped .38 of an inch of rain in Cross Plains, according to records maintained here by F. C. Newton, local official weather observer. That amount made the month's aggregate .93 of an inch. The year's rainfall here totals 31.78 inches.

Some hail was seen here. It was of a minute size, however. Hail was also reported at Burkett and Atwell. In the latter community .35 of an inch of rain was received. Almost an inch of moisture fell in the Rowden and Cottonwood communities, it was reported.

Predictions were for more possible showers on Tuesday, but at mid-day a sand storm was raging in this area.

Office Supplies At Review

Energy Crisis Nixes City's Yule Lights

There will be no Christmas lights strung across Main Street in Cross Plains this year.

The Cross Plains City Council voted at its last regular meeting not to put up the multi-colored strings of lights this year due to the energy shortage.

Mayor Doyle Burchfield stated that the action was taken to conserve energy in cooperation with the national effort.

The mayor pointed out, however, that the council did not attempt to limit or restrict local business or residence Christmas lighting or decorating.

JIMMIELEE PAYNE ENTERS ABILENE HOSPITAL MON.

Jimmielee Payne, member of the Cross Plains City Council and manager of the local JRB Supermarket, entered West Texas Medical Center Monday. He was scheduled to undergo tests on Tuesday and expected to remain in the hospital only a few days.

BAND BOOSTERS CALL MEETING FOR THURSDAY

The Band Boosters Club will have a meeting on Thursday at 7 p.m. in the band hall of the local school. Band Director, Carroll Rhodes will show a film of the recent marching contest at Brady.

All members and other interested persons are invited and urged to attend this meeting.

Deadline for news is 10 a.m. Tuesday.

Post Office Adds Another Letter Drop

Another letter drop has been installed in the Cross Plains Post Office according to Postmaster Joe E. Hanke, Jr., whereby the public may receive the local postmark on letters dispatched out of town.

This letter drop is in addition to the one used for local delivery and is labeled "For Cross Plains Postmark Only."

"The local postmark is not lost to any city or community processing mail through the Area Mail Processing System," Hanke said, "and is always available if wanted."

Guests in the Ike Neal home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bradford and Rick Neal of Waco, and Miss Sherri Neal of Dallas.

Christmas Mail Early Week Is December 3-8

Postmaster Joe E. Hanke, Jr. announced today that December 3-8 will be "Christmas Mail Early Week" in Cross Plains. The fuel energy crisis is a cause of great concern to the postal service as it affects the timely movement of Christmas mail. The curtailment in the number of air flights as well as the 50-mile-an-hour speed limit for vehicles makes Mail Early Week more important this year than ever before according to Hanke.

"We are handling more mail this Christmas than in any previous year", Postmaster Hanke said. "In order to get this mail to its destination by December 25 we need your cooperation in mailing early."

Some of the new suggested dates for mailing international and military mail have not expired as yet and are as follows:

November 27 (changed from December 11): Airmail greetings and parcels to Armed Forces in Belgium, Denmark, England, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Portugal and Spain, and International air parcels to Europe, South and Central America.

November 29 (changed from Dec. 14): International air parcels to Canada and Mexico, and International air greeting cards to Africa, the Near East and the Far East.

December 2 (changed from December 16): International air greetings to Europe, Central and South America.

December 4 (changed from December 19): International air greetings to Canada and Mexico.

Ben Gray, former Dressy area resident, now of Houston, and his daughter, Laura Ann Gossett and Steven, visited the Junior Baugh family here during the week end.

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JACK SMITH AT HOME AFTER HOSPITAL STAY

Jack Smith, widely known rancher, was returned to his home north of Cottonwood Wednesday of last week after spending 10 days as a medical patient in an Abilene hospital. He is reported to be slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane returned to Cross Plains Sunday evening after spending three days with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Wooten at Raton, N. M. They also visited points of interest in New Mexico and Colorado during the extended week end visit.

Advertising in the Review pays.

Thanksgiving Busy Time In Sabanno Community

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Thanksgiving holidays are gone for this year. We had a lot of visiting coming and going in our community. Weather was autumn-like.

This coming Friday night will be game night at the community center. All who like dominoes and 42 and visiting with friends come along and enjoy the evening.

The Busv Bee Club quilters will be busy Monday afternoon and all day Tuesday. A luncheon will be enjoyed Tuesday at noon. We always love having visitors.

Visiting with Josie and Alma Morris during Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morris and two little sons, Bert and Jeff of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tomlinson and Kelley of Grandview, Mr. and Mrs. Dal Brown and children of Cross Plains, and Mrs. Emma Kent of Cook and her son, Hershel of Cisco.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wordis Erwin Thanksgiving Day were Jerry Erwin of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Rick (Peggy) Terrell of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Marinelli and Bertha Whitlock of Gorman. Mrs. Erwin reported such a good time together.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb Sunday was a big day. This was their Thanksgiving get together. All their children and their families were present. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and their married son Jimmie and wife and baby, Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark and baby, here, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Livingston and three daughters of Gustine, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and their three children of Clyde, Glenna Crane of Dudley, Birk Linley of Clyde and Bill Clark of Cross Plains and Mrs. Holcomb's sister, Ethel Anderson of Cross Plains, in all they had 25 for dinner Sunday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Thomas and Mark of Eastland, Wayne Tanner, Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Seburn and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Seburn of Olden.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer, accompanied by her granddaughters, Belinda and Edie Switzer, visited with Mrs. Ola Thompson in Cisco Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler of near Rising Star visited with the Edwin Erwins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blankenship spent Thanksgiving day in Abilene with their daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Marshall Turnbull and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Rhodes of Lubbock, a niece of Mrs. O. B.

Switzer visited in their home Sunday afternoon. The Switzers two sons, Lonnie and family of Rising Star and James and family of Cross Plains were dinner guests with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon spent Thanksgiving holiday in Big Spring with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Norrel.

Truman Clark and children, Jerry and Larna of Douglasville, Georgia, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bryant of Beaumont and Mr. and Mrs. Bowan Clark of Cross Plains, were visitors with Mrs. Earnest Clark and Irvin, during Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and family.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer visited with her sister, Mrs. Mary Bates and daughter, Darla, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wood and family from Lubbock visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown of Odessa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas and James Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Watson had several of their children and families home for Thanksgiving.

Our community was without electricity from noon Saturday until 8:30 that night. We had dim lights Saturday night, and we who have electric cook stoves were wondering about our meals. Then there came a flicker of light, a lot to be thankful for.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas had their mothers with them for Thanksgiving dinner. Mrs. Jane Thomas of Eastland and Mrs. Brumfield of Cross Plains

Cotton Bag, Bale Ties Continued For 1974

Congressman Omar Burleson called attention today to a U.S. Department of Agriculture announcement that detailed specifications applicable to bagging and bale ties used in packaging cotton tendered to the Commodity Credit Corporation under its Cotton Loan Program will be continued for the 1974 crop of cotton.

This will provide for the same specifications that were in effect for the 1973 crop and withdraws the action to discontinue these specification requirements as announced September 13, 1973.

Telephone 725-2341 to report fire in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Williams and children of Freeport visited relatives and friends here during the holiday week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gilmore and family of Houston visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bonner and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gilmore, here during the Thanksgiving holiday week end.

Clasp envelopes at Review.

SHARON BEA WALKER IS HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Sharon Bea Walker, 17-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Walker of Cross Plains, was released from an Abilene hospital Monday where she had been a medical patient since last Friday.

She is improving nicely.

Quality Printing, At Review

Review advertising pays.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon J. Darren of Broken Arrow visited her brother and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Walker here during the giving holidays.

Tommy Hornsby left the week for Laredo and will be employed for months.

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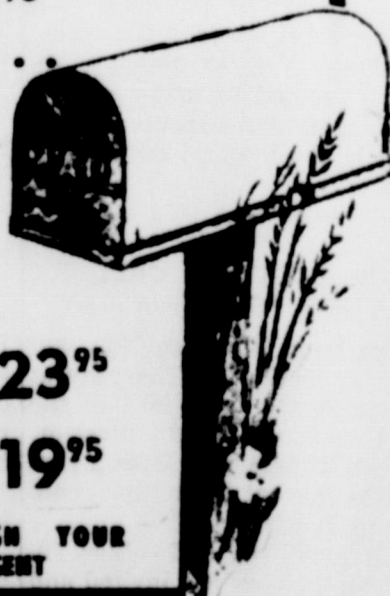
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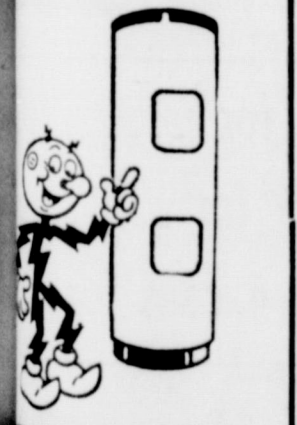
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 Ann Wright
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 Bill (Nita) Hines
- NOVEMBER 1**
 Odom
 D. Montgomery
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 Whiteside
 Thate
 Lynn Dillard
 Ira Calhoun
 McCowen
 Farmer
- NOVEMBER 2**
 Vaughn Umbarger
 Marie Williams
 Garrett
 Maria Perry
 Maria Gunn
 Lee Beggs
- NOVEMBER 3**
 Frances Walker
 Cade
 D. Moore
 Reed
 Porter
- NOVEMBER 4**
 Duane Franke
 Waldrop
 Perkins
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 Bishop
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 Nunn
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 Casey
 Hutton
- NOVEMBER 5**
 Peavy
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visitors in the J. H. home here were Dr. Bruce Strahan and Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. ...

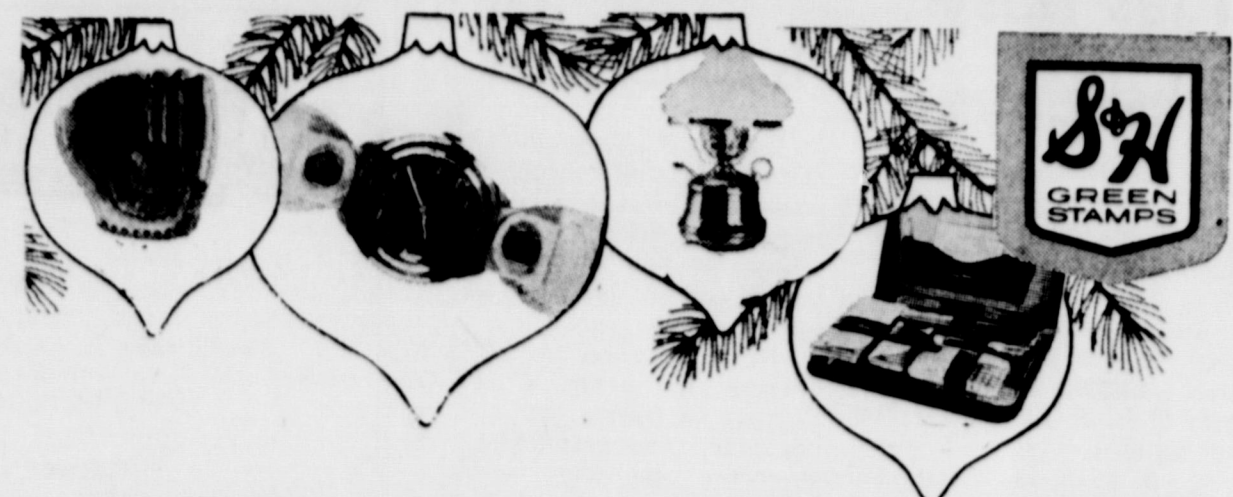
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Round Steak, tender fed, full cut, lb 99c

BOTTOM ROUND, tender fed, boneless, tenderized, lb. \$1.29 GROUND MEAT, extra lean, per pound \$1.29

Franks ARMOUR, 12 OZ. PKG. **79c** **Party Pups** FRANKS, 12 OZ. PKG. **59c**

GOOCH, PICKLE, OLIVE, LIVER, BOLOGNA LUNCH MEAT, 6 oz. pkg., each . 59c GOOCH HOT LINKS, per pound 99c DANKWORTH GERMAN SAUSAGE, 12 oz. pkg. . 99c

Dairy and Frozen Foods

FLAVOR PAC, 10 OZ. BROCCOLI SPEARS, 3 for \$1

FLAVOR PAC, 8 OZ. BRUSSEL SPROUTS, 3 for \$1

FISH STICKS, Booth's, 8 oz. 59c

SHRIMP, Booth's, 1 lb. pkg. . \$1.98

PIE SHELLS, Mrs. Smith, 2 pan . 59c

WHIPPED MARGARINE, Parkay, 1 lb. 59c

MARGARINE, Parkay Diet, 1 pound 55c

MARGARINE, Nu Maid Corn Oil, qtrs., 1 lb. 49c

WISK LIQUID DETERGENT
 12c OFF LABEL
 1/2 Gallon \$1.57

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 With This Coupon 54c
 Redeem Only At J.R.B. Supermarkets
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- Del Monte PINEAPPLE, sliced or crushed in juice, 1 1/2 can .. 35c
- KRAUT, Del Mnte, 303 can, 4 for \$1
- Del Monte, WHOLE NEW POTATOES, 300 can, 4 for \$1
- WHOLE GREEN BEANS, Del Monte, 303 can 35c
- TOMATOES, Three Ring Standard, 303 can, 2 for .. 45c
- SPINACH, Del Monte, 303 can, 4 for \$1
- Ranch Style BLACKKEYED PEAS WITH BACON, 300 can, 5 for .. \$1
- Sunshine GREENS WITH TURNIPS, 2 1/2 can, 3 for \$1

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PIE CRUST STIX, Betty Crocker, 22 ounce 59c
 WESTERN GOLD 2 1/2 CAN, 5 FOR

Pork & Beans . . . \$1

MISTIC MINT SANDWICHES, Nabisco, 11 1/2 oz. 59c
 GLADIOLA 10 POUND BAG

Flour \$1.59

TOILET TISSUE, Charmin, 4 roll carton .. 39c

INSTANT COFFEE, Maryland Club, 6 ounce size \$1.09

PEAS, Misson, 303 can, 5 for \$1

Try Safe Low-Suds **DASH** and SAVE

 9 lb. 13 oz. JUMBO SIZE ONLY \$1.69

- AERO WAX, 46 oz. \$1.59
- Kraft ICE CREAM TOPPING, 10 oz. 39c
 Fudge, Pineapple or Carmel
- CATSUP, Hunt's, 32 oz. 59c
- Del Monte PICKLES, whole sour, 22 oz. 49c
- Del Monte PICKLES, whole sweet, 22 oz. 77c
- Del Monte TOMATO SAUCE, 2, 8 oz. cans 29c

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SALON FINISH, 8 oz. 89c

SKINNY DIP, REG. \$2.00
 SPRAY COLOGNE, 2 oz. \$1.48

ELMER'S — REG. 39c
 CANDY BUBBLES 19c

BRECK, DRY OR NORMAL — REG. \$1.25
SHAMPOO, 7 oz. 79c

DR. SCHOLLS, REG. \$1.39
 SOFTENING LOTION 79c

REG. 89c
 CHAP NO MORE LOTION 59c

12's
STAY FREE MAXI-PADS 49c

DR. SCHOLLS, REG. \$1.19
 ROUGH SKIN REMOVER 49c

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PARADE, MACARONI & CHEESE DINNER, 5, 7 1/2 oz. boxes \$1

KEEBLER'S CLUB CRACKERS, 16 oz., 2 for . \$1

FLOUR, Gold Medal, 25 lb. bag \$3.59

Unbeatable produce

BANANAS, golden ripe, per pound 10c

Cabbage NEW CROP, PER LB. **9c**

LETTUCE, large heads, each 25c

Grapefruit TEXAS RED, PER LB. **19c**

APPLES, Red & Golden Delicious, Jonathan, 4 lbs. ... \$1

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Longtime Cross Cut Lady Buried Tuesday

Funeral for Mrs. R. M. (Hama Lou) Proctor, 93, of Cross Cut was held from Higginbotham Funeral Chapel here Tuesday at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Proctor, who had made her home in the Cross Cut community for 30 years, died after a sudden illness early Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Byrd, at Odessa. She had been visiting there about three weeks.

Officiating the final rites was the Rev. Ross Grace of Cisco, retired Methodist pastor who had formerly pastored the Cross Cut and other area Methodist churches. Assisting was the Rev. Luther Helm, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains.

Burial was in Wilmeth Cemetery, near Winters, under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Cross Plains.

Born in Erath County Jan. 26, 1880, she formerly lived in Runnels County. She was a member of the Methodist Church, and had lived in Cross Cut for the past 30 years.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. J. M. Byrd of Odessa, Mrs. Leroy Byrd of Cross Cut, Mrs. Sally Cashion of Mesquite and Mrs. Hoyt Futrell of Yuca Valley, Calif.; three sons, Jack Proctor of Fort Worth, Earnest Proctor of San Angelo and Millas Proctor of Hobbs, N. M.; two sisters, Mrs. Lola Hamilton of Wichita Falls and Miss Willie Jones of Cross Cut; 13 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons and great-grandsons.

Office Supplies At Review

LEE BISHOPS RETURN HERE TO MAKE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop, long-time prominent residents of this city, who have been living at Lake Leon for the past eight years, have returned to Cross Plains for the time being. They are living in their trailer home at 614 East 8th St.

Ex-Local Lady Buried In Ranger Sunday

Funeral service for Mrs. Ethel Williams Hise, 80, of Abilene, former Cross Plains resident, was held Sunday at 2 p.m. from the Mesquite and Rusk Street Church of Christ in Ranger.

Mrs. Hise died at 10:40 a.m. Friday in a Bronte hospital after a long illness.

Officiating the final rites was Mike Shero, minister of that Church of Christ in Ranger. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery at Ranger.

Born June 7, 1893, in Ranger where she lived for many years, she and her family moved to Cross Plains in the late 1930's where her husband was employed by an oil company. They made their home here until the early 1940's when they moved to Abilene. She married Charlie F. Hise in 1914 at Eastland. He died several years ago.

Survivors are one son, Bobbie L. of San Antonio; one daughter, Mrs. Melvin (Maxine) Placke of Bronte; two brothers, John of Abilene and Terrell of Baird; and three grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore of Pioneer and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Huntington of Brownwood visited on Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Huntington and three daughters in Brady.

Cottonwood Has Busy Thanksgiving Holidays

By Mrs. Wayne Brown

On Saturday we received a spring-like storm in this vicinity, which dropped temperatures temporarily, brought almost an inch of rain, high winds and some hail. Several hunters fared well over the holiday week end in shooting of deer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Webster of Costa Mesa, California, are on vacation here visiting with her father and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Webb and also, her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith.

Spending Thanksgiving and the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anguish, Sandra Rene and infant, Robert Rynn of Topeka, Kansas. They were joined by other members of the family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith, Lori and Richard of Oplin and Mr. and Mrs. B. Webster.

Family, relatives and friends in the home of P. M. Duncan's over the holiday and the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Gary Marsh and family of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Duncan and family and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Duncan of Cleburne; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gary of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gary and Rocky of El Paso; Lon Duncan and his son-in-law, George Morino and Johnny Reynolds all of Cleburne and Mrs. Jane Davis and Jerry of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Spivey met Mr. and Mrs. Larry Spivey and family of Bronte at Mrs. Larry Spivey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hewe Hester in Coleman for the Thanksgiving holiday. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Alford from San Angelo.

Mrs. Ethel Anderson spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen of Comanche. On Saturday she visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood. On Sunday Mrs. Anderson spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Champion and children spent the holiday with his mother, Mrs. Alice Champion. On Sunday Mrs. Champion visited with her family and relatives in Cross Plains, Mrs. W. F. Woody and Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Woody. Other members of the family there were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Woody of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woody of Coleman and Mrs. Bessie McMillan of Comanche.

Mrs. Charles Waggoner, Brad, Brenda and Rhonda visited from Friday through Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Owen in Cushing. While there they visited the Stephen F. Austin College and the old fort.

Miss Tonja Edwards spent Friday to Sunday with Miss Teri Brown. They attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. G. Scott Kniffen on Friday night at the Baptist Church in Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hughes's daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hardison, Lois and Nancy of Big Spring spent the Thanksgiving holiday through to Saturday evening with them. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Hughes attended the work shop day of the Church of Christ in Baird. J. T. Bristow of Washington was the guest speaker.

Mrs. Lillie Brothers of Midland visited with her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Barnett from Thursday evening through to Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Brothers and family of Midland visited with the family on Thursday and Sunday evening.

Arnold Childers of Brownwood and his daughter, Dena Kay of Abilene spent the first part of last week through Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers. Other members of the family in the home on Thanksgiving Day were Mrs. Harry Childers, Cassie and Rusty of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Childers of Cisco. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilcoxon of Hobbs, New Mexico spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. B. Childers.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilcoxon of Hobbs, N. M., spent the holidays with his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. N. G. Wilcoxon. We wish to express our sincere sympathy to the B. Booth family in the loss of their loved one.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Wilcoxon and Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers attended the funeral service of B. Booth in Cross Plains on Sunday.

Y. H. Kelly of Wichita Falls spent this past week and the Thanksgiving Day with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Byrd, Cheryl and Dean of Fort Worth and Miss Mary Weaver of Corpus Christi spent Thanksgiving Day with the Bill Nickersons and the Bill Kellys. Miss Kathy Nickerson was home over the long week end from business college in Abilene. Rickey Nickerson of Houston spent Thanksgiving Day with the families. He is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson and will be staying with the family for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hogue of Houston, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickerson, visited with them and the family Saturday.

Miss Melinda Stroud visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stroud, and family in Odessa over the long holiday from school on Thanksgiving. Mr. Stroud and boys, Darrin and Donald, brought Melinda home on Sunday and visited with his family. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Morris of Abilene also visited with them.

Mrs. C. R. Myrick left Wednesday night to spend the holiday week end with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hughes, in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Liebrum and Craig Hughes of Howard Payne College came by Wednesday evening to take his grandmother to Fort Worth.

TERRY EDINGTON MAKES TECH GIRLS B-BALL UNIT

Miss Terry Edington, student at Texas Tech University at Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Edington, here during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Edington has earned a spot on the girls basketball team. She was an outstanding cager during her high school days here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Edmondson visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Don Edmondson, in Dallas last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Kirkham and Alicia spent last week end in Spur with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Roby.

Mrs. E. B. McCollum of Rising Star and Mrs. Carl Marsh of Cross Plains were guests during Thanksgiving in the home of Dr. and Mrs. David Braungardt in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Dickson and Dawn, also Allen Loyd Dickson, all of Lubbock were week end guests here in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Dickson.

Mrs. Oleta Templin of Dallas spent last week end here in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Boatright and with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kirkham.

Visitors in the W. R. Thompson home here during Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson of Roswell, N. M., Lt. Col. and Mrs. G. L. Thompson, Douglas and a girl friend, all of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ramey and Judy, and Jay Underwood, of Abilene, Robert Lewis of Houston and local families, Mr. and Mrs. Pender Mitchell, Mrs. Betty Lewis, Jerry, Debbie and Danny.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood here during the Thanksgiving holidays were Eva Vestal of San Antonio, Treacia Edington of Albany and her fiancé, Benny Peacock, of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson, Guy, Todd and Staci, of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hughes, Jeb and Julie, and a friend of Jeb's of Crane, and the following local persons, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Watson, Mrs. Alice Irvin, Ed Flowers and Mrs. Ethel Anderson.

Brother Of Local Man Is Interred Friday

Harvey B. McAdams, 51, of Odessa, brother of John N. McAdams of this city, died suddenly last Friday at an oil rig where he was working. His funeral was on Monday with burial in Odessa.

He is survived by his wife, Fannie, his father, C. T. McAdams, of Odessa, one son, one daughter, one grandchild, four brothers and four sisters.

Guests during Thanksgiving holidays in the M. B. King home here were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gray, Cheri, Shelly and Susan, Mrs. W. C. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. William Allen Gibson and Niki, all of San Antonio, Mrs. W. R. Gibson, Jr., and Sara Jane of Fort Worth, and Mrs. W. R. Gibson, Sr. of Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Coppinger, Paul and Dee Ann, of Eula spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthly, and his mother, Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Priddy, in Cross Plains.

Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly

infiltrate infilltrate infiltrate

(Definition: gain access to; filter.)

(Answer On Back Page.)

DAUGHTER IS BORN TO COUPLE KNOWN LOCAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blackburn III of Abilene became the parents of a baby girl Wednesday, Nov. 21, at 5:15 a.m.

The little lady, who weighed 7 pounds and 5 ounces when born at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, has been named Robbin Kay.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith of Cottonwood, formerly of Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blackburn, Jr., of Abilene.

Great-grandparents and Mrs. O. S. Smith wood and J. B. Williams of Abilene.

Mrs. Charles E. K... a daughter of Austin father, Ira Hall of L... wood, visited friends Plains one day last

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WEDNESDAY PRAYER SERVICE	7:30 P.M.

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Pastor Music Director

A LETTER TO CROSS PLAINS VOTERS

By D. J. Perkins

I have learned that the people of Cross Plains have been misinformed or received no information at all of the true facts concerning the proposition to exempt taxes up to \$3,000 on homesteads belonging to people over 65 years old in Cross Plains. After making the necessary inquiries at the proper places, I have learned the people receiving old age pension checks will pay their taxes just the same. The money they are paying to Cross Plains for taxes will be taken out of their pension checks and paid into the welfare fund in Austin instead of paying their taxes in Cross Plains where it will help our community. They will be paying them to the welfare fund in Austin, and that will be taking the money out of our community.

I am not for that at all. I am for keeping our money at home. For the Social Security recipients over 65 who do not get an old age pension check, it would be a good deal. They can put their tax money in their pockets and let someone else pay their taxes. This proposition would be a special favor to a select few. The Social Security recipients above 65 would be the only beneficiaries. It would put a heavier burden on everybody else in Cross Plains. I am a social security recipient myself, but I don't believe in accepting special favors when it costs my friends and neighbors more money. I am willing and able to pay my taxes in the future as I have in the past, and will continue to do so regardless of how the election comes out.

Most Social Security recipients above 65, in addition to their Social Security checks, receive retirement pay checks and are more able to pay taxes than some poor home owners under 65 who perhaps have chronic illness in their families and are struggling to make ends meet. By taking Social Security and old age pension taxes out, it is questionable if the city could raise enough revenue to operate. If not, they have one alternative, to raise the city tax rate. This would put a heavier burden on home owners under 65. They would have to pick up the tab. Social Security recipients over 65 would be the only ones to benefit. It is unfair and unjust.

As it is now, there are no special favors, no extra burden, no hard feelings. Everybody is paying their taxes and everybody is happy. Why can't it remain that way?

I think most Social Security recipients feel the same way I do about this. There will be a few who will hang back and not pay. There always is, and this is no exception to the rule.

This newspaper was misinformed about the Brownwood election which appeared herein a few weeks ago. That was not for homestead tax exemption, that was for school taxes. No school board can call a city election. It must cover the entire school district.

The city of Cross Plains will do well to defeat this measure at election time. If it passes it will be a black day for Cross Plains and a day long remembered by Cross Plains citizens.

If I have said anything to offend anybody, I am sorry indeed, but I have stated the facts. The above statements can be verified by the old age assistance office in Baird. That is where I got my information.

I have written and paid for the above in an effort to help Cross Plains and my friends and neighbors, the people who live in my home town.

(Paid Adv.)

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LISTEROL SPRAY DISINFECTANT,	7 oz., 1 for	
GRIFFIN FANCY WHOLE GREEN BEANS,	4 cans for	
Franks	DECKER'S, ALL MEAT, 12 OZ. PKG.	80¢
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 The bride was given
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 LADIES CLUB
 CONVENE TUESDAY
 Pioneer Ladies Club will
 on Tuesday, December 4,
 be a Christmas party.
 member is asked to bring
 a gift for the tree and
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 aged by the secret pals.
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 officers will be elected
 coming year.
 CLUB SLATES
 PER ON DECEMBER 6
 Pioneer Community Club
 meet on Thursday evening
 7, on Dec. 6. This will
 regular meeting, there will
 pper and games. Visitors
 ways welcome.
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Rowden Weather Ranges From Nice To Stormy

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

This community had stormy and beautiful weather last week. Nearly an inch of rains Monday and Saturday. Thanksgiving gave us warm spring weather which was fine for families who were having company.

One week of hunting has gone by and two or three deer have been killed in the area. Thanksgiving dinner guests in the Bill Lawrence home were the Glenn Lawrence family of Abilene and the James Lawrence family of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Whitmore and Dennis of Granbury spent Saturday night in the Tony Steele home. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dye enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dye in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence attended the funeral of Bob Needham in Cross Plains Friday. Mrs. James Reynolds, Ellen and Jan made visits Saturday with Mrs. Russell Dye and the Tommy Dye family.

Bernice Elliott of Ballinger visited Mrs. Ruth Boen Monday. Bernice was out to hunt. Mr. and Mrs. Mac McIntosh and daughter of Corpus Christi visited in the Don Harris home last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence attended the funeral of Henry Pruitt in Ballinger Saturday. Those spending the holidays in the R. L. McClain home were Mr. and Mrs. Carrol McClain and two daughters of Galveston and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Watson and two daughters of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie were in Mason to have Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dendy. Mrs. Leila Gibbs accompanied Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs to Odessa Thursday to have holiday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Granel Gibbs and Stephen.

Visitors Sunday in the Lizzie Burks home were Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Brown and her mother Mrs. Penny Cannon of Clyde and Mrs. Frances Lowry and grandson Jeffrey Goss of Abilene and Robert Burks of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burks in an Eastland hospital Saturday afternoon and visited Bill Reece Saturday night in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele and Tonya had Thanksgiving dinner in the John Steele home in Clyde and visited in the Seth Whitmore home that night. Troy and Terrel Harris spent Thanksgiving with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris.

Those visiting in the Warren Price home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Chatam of Houston, Dale and Roger Gibbs of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Clyde spent Saturday in the Sterling Odom home. Mrs. Weldon Gary visited Mrs. Ruth Boen Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence attended the funeral of Mrs. Ethel Hise in Ranger Sunday and also visited in the James Chesshir home in Cross Plains area.

ELECTION NOTICE

To the duly qualified electors of the City of Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas, notice is hereby given that an election will be held within the City of Cross Plains on Thursday, the 27th day of December, 1973, for the purpose of balloting on the proposition of exempting homesteads of persons over 65 years of age, not to exceed \$3,000.00, from taxation by the City of Cross Plains. Said election will be held in accordance with the Texas Election Code, and polls will be open at 8 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. at the voting box in the City Hall of Cross Plains, Texas.

Election order issued under the authority of the City Council of the City of Cross Plains, Texas.

S. DOYLE BURCHFIELD, Mayor, City of Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas.

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 Buddy and I would like to take this opportunity to thank each of our friends and customers who were so concerned about me during my stay in the hospital and since coming home - so many cards and calls. I love all of you for them. I would recommend the Comanche County Hospital to anyone - they were all so nice and attentive. The doctors are wonderful there.
 Again, thank you all and God bless each of you. I hope to be back at work in a few weeks and will see you all again.
 Mrs. Oneta Thate.
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Plain Feeder Heifers 40-46
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Fat cows 31-34.50
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Burkett Community News Items

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fonia Worthy during the Thanksgiving holidays were Mrs. Lois Whitehorn, Reba Whitehorn and Mrs. Christine Houston of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barr of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morris of Houston.

MRS. HIRAM FOSTER BACK FROM MABILENE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Hiram Foster was returned to their farm home east of town on Wednesday of last week following surgery in an Abilene hospital on November 10. She is reported to be improving normally.

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By Lovey Nichols

The Postal Service Department has asked that all of us begin our Christmas mailing early to assure delivery on time. This is because of the greater volume of mail to be handled and the energy crisis is becoming serious. Our Postmaster, Freeda, is urging all of us in this area to cooperate in this "mail early" campaign. Packages should be mailed by December 3rd and Cards by December 8th. All local mail can be mailed later. This campaign has been published in the newspaper, and through other news media lately. The use of zip codes is very important. Freeda says she will be more than happy to furnish the zip codes you need to know. So feel free to call on her. Also, she has asked that everyone please put a return address on every card and letter so if it isn't delivered, it will not be put in a "Dead Letter" office. It will come back to you.

Freeda plans to make the holiday season more pleasant for all of us. She will be serving coffee and cookies and donuts each morning during December.

So let's begin our holiday mailing as soon as possible and at the same time we can enjoy this hospitality that Freeda is showing us as her customers. We can show our hospitality by mailing early.

Bro. and Mrs. Thomas Dufresne and Christy visited in Fort Stockton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Beene and Morris Wednesday evening through Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Porter, Dale and Bobby visited his brother, Roy Porter and family in Big Lake and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Porter in San Angelo.

Miss Gail Derrick spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Derrick in Kermit.

The members of the Baptist Church were invited out to Mr. and Mrs. Hap Beardens Sunday evening for coffee and cookies. Everyone enjoyed himself, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Nichols of

Cross Plains spent Thanksgiving with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols and Darby.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Adams over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Adams, Tim, Patrick and Robert of Houston, Grady Glenn Harris of Aransas Pass, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bradford, Sharon and James Thomas of McCamey, Mr. A. B. Harris and Jess Harris of Coleman, Monnie Garrett, Lillian Harris, Mrs. Mae Harris, and Wilda Thomlinson all of Burkett.

Visiting in the Mel Walker home during the holidays were, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gray and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gray and children of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. John Collins and baby of Duncan, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burkie and boys of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. William Walker of Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walker and family of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Burkett of Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wallis of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker and daughter of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Boyle spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Snyder with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Strickland and family. Bonnie returned home from the hospital on Tuesday. She is doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Golson had as their visitors during the holidays Pete Golson and Randy and Tom Wimberly of Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Golson, Tamara and Tracy of Trent, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Golson, Cory and Chad of Austin, Grace Green of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Golson, Jr., and children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Armistead and children of Lamesa, Tony Golson of Midland, Bill Green of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fowler of Dallas, Walter Walker of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland, William Walker and Lyda Harris, all of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols and Darby visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bishop in

Rising Star Thursday and Sunday. While there they were able to visit her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smedley, and Stacey of Georgetown and her brother, Curtis Bishop of Austin and her niece, Cressi Rutherford of Abilene.

Freeda Burkett spent Friday night and Sunday with her daughter, Karen in Austin. Merrel met Freeda in Zephyr Sunday where they had lunch with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Freeman and sister, Mrs. Opal Willis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gleck and children of Fort Collins, Colo., Mrs. Clara Angely and Mrs. Lois Garrett of Cross Plains had a fish dinner with Mrs. Jo Davee last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Evans had Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McCormick and June of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Evans and Luida of Dublin, Mrs. Ann Joyce and son of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goss and family of Leuders, Mrs. Betty Chatham and Connie of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Skiles and family of Abilene, and Mrs. Jerry Buehl and children of Brownwood as their visitors during holidays.

Visiting the A. H. Carrolls from Wednesday through Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Herring and Julie and Mrs. Kathy Williams and Christi of Brazoria, Mrs. Lella Brown and her sister, and Mrs. Doris Bhur and Steve of Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and Vera Pearl Bunnell spent Thanksgiving in Houston with the Max Watsons.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watson and Kelly, in the Roger Watson home were, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Winters and daughter of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gregg and children of Gatesville. The Billy Watsons were her for her father, Bob Needham's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson, Vera Pearl Bunnell, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watson and Kelly were in Dallas Sunday where Billy had made flight reservations to Orlando, Florida. Carol Ann and Kelly will remain here and in Cross Plains with her mother until Christmas.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Foster were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster of Abilene, Golda Huston of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Don Huston and Dallas of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Hughlen Huff of Lampasas, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sessums and Jess Brown of Pioneer, and local friends and neighbors, Rev. and Mrs. Andy Foster, Mrs. Minnie Swann, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atwood.

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sergeant first class K. McFarland, son of Mrs. Weldon McFarland, is assigned as an sergeant in headquarters of the 37th Transportation Battalion of the 37th Transportation Group in Kaiserlautern, Germany. His wife, Christi Elsbath, is in Germany.

COMPLETED AS NORTH OF CLYDE

Country project has been completed as a producer in the Rippen Field 4 1/2 miles west of Clyde. Ridge Oil Co. of Abilene, 8 A. E. Dyer Heirs, 330 E. 1st St., Abilene, Texas, own the north and 675 acres of the west lines of W. Survey 56.

potential was 41 barrels of gravity oil, plus 20 barrels of water. It is pumped through perforations at 1,668 feet, fractured with 1,000 gallons of sand and 70 barrels of water.

Drill set the 4 1/2-inch diameter at 1,666 feet, and the bottomed at 1,670 feet. Total depth was 1,667 feet.

McAnnally Is Who's Who Nominee

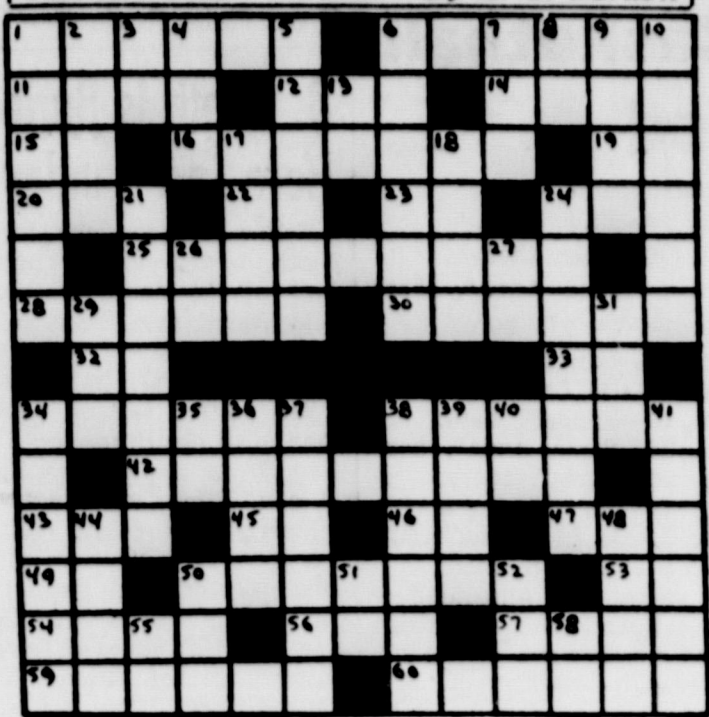
McAnnally of Burkett, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron J. Burkett, has been named for Who's Who in American Students in American Schools and Universities for 1974.

McAnnally, well known in Cross Plains, is a graduate of Coleman High School.

He is a senior student at San Angelo State University at San Angelo, Texas, where he is majoring in Business Administration.

My Dodds, student at San Angelo State University at San Angelo, Texas, and his relatives and friends in Cross Plains during the holiday season.

CROSSWORD • • • By A. C. Gordon



- ACROSS**
- 1 - Medium
 - 6 - To certify
 - 11 - of Man
 - 12 - Tangle
 - 14 - Persian poet
 - 15 - Nickel (chem.)
 - 16 - Struggle
 - 19 - Germanium (chem.)
 - 20 - Big notion (abb.)
 - 22 - Printer's measure
 - 23 - That is (Latin abb.)
 - 24 - Male descendant
 - 25 - A beggar
 - 28 - Besmirches
 - 30 - Breathes violently
 - 32 - Delayed Action (abb.)
 - 33 - Sloth
 - 34 - Humanlike mechanisms
 - 38 - Averred
 - 42 - U. S. state
 - 43 - Content
 - 45 - Compass direction
 - 46 - Livingroom (abb.)
 - 47 - Legal degree
 - 49 - Public announcement
 - 50 - Flag of champions
 - 53 - One of many individually (abb.)
 - 54 - Allot
 - 56 - Egg drink
 - 57 - Oh, the pity of it all!
 - 59 - Type of hat
 - 60 - Sovereignty
- DOWN**
- 1 - Quiet time type of dance
 - 2 - Ancient Egyptian deity
 - 3 - Deciliter (abb.)
 - 4 - Atmospheric moisture
 - 5 - Corrects
 - 6 - Garrets
 - 7 - ... the mark!
 - 8 - Printer's measure
 - 9 - Starchy foodstuff
 - 10 - Tendencies
 - 13 - Like
 - 17 - To lease
 - 18 - Spare
 - 21 - Kindly
 - 24 - Of a rock layer
 - 26 - Half an em
 - 27 - Dissenting vote
 - 29 - Fuss
 - 31 - Neckpiece
 - 34 - Renovate
 - 35 - Double zero
 - 36 - Harmony
 - 37 - Reddish-brown
 - 38 - Fodder
 - 39 - Small lake
 - 40 - Indefinite article
 - 41 - To corrupt
 - 44 - Notion
 - 48 - Shakespearean king
 - 50 - Vegetable
 - 51 - Never!
 - 52 - Spigot
 - 55 - True North (abb.)
 - 58 - Roman 51

W.T. Polled Hereford Sale Set On Dec. 5

Twelve members of the Texas Polled Hereford Association have consigned 32 registered bulls and 1 female to the 7th annual sale of the association to be held at the West Texas Fairgrounds in Abilene on December 5.

The sale will be the biggest and best Polled Hereford sale between Texas and the west coast. Every animal has been inspected and passed by the sale committee, and all animals will be weighed on the sale day.

Eddie Sims will be the auctioneer and he will start the sale at 12:30 p.m. The 12 consignors to the sale are: Abilene Christian College; Abilene; Boss Pol-

led Herefords, San Angelo; Chisholm Trail Ranch, Rhame; Dulick Stock Farm, Morgan; Ivy Jones, Rotan, Paul Michaelis, Wingate; W. H. Ooberhaus, Chillicothe; John Roderick, Jankins, Mo.; James Rowley, Safford, Ariz.; J. B. Stephens, Bangs; Trenfield Polled Herefords, Follett; and J. W. Winkel, Llano.

Catalogs may be obtained from the Texas Polled Hereford Association, Charles Talley, secretary-manager, P. O. Box 806, Glen Rose, Texas 76043, phone 817-897-2265.

Deadline for news is 10 a.m. Tuesday.

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NORTH BAIRD OIL TEST IS SAID TO BE DRY

Lewis Production Co.'s No. 24 Jackson Estate, a 1,024 foot oil tests about five miles north of Baird, has been abandoned as a dry hole.

The regular field venture spotted 930 feet from the north line and 2,075 feet from the west line of Section 14, ETRR Survey.

Visitors with Mrs. Ophelia Harris here during the Thanksgiving holiday week end were her son, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Harris and girls of Idabell, Okla.; her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Rodgers and family of Carrollton; Mrs. Wilbur Elkins of Coleman, Steve Huntington and a friend, who are students at Austin.

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86 Attend Chambers Family Reunion Thursday

Sixty-eight members of the 130 members of the family of the late W. H. G. and Nancy Shirey Chambers met in the Community Building at Cross Cut on Thanksgiving Day for their annual family reunion and Thanksgiving celebration.

A sumptuous meal was spread at the noon hour and the members of the family visited and reminisced throughout the day. Before the meal, there were some announcements and recognition of recent achievements of some members of the family. It was noted that there are 86 of the direct descendants and 44 people who have married direct descendants of the original members, making the 130 members of the family.

It was also announced that there had been two new members added to the family during the last year. Mary Louise Newton and Michael Haley, both of whom are teachers in the school for military personnel children at Guantanamo Base in Cuba were married since the last meeting, and little Miss Judith Woodson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Woodson of Alice, was born during the year.

The following members of the family were present at the meeting: Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ferguson and Merisha, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Loyd and Angelique, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tripitt, and Mrs. Lola Woodruff of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Chambers and Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Glenn Chambers, Rodie, Jule, and Kalena, and Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby and Don of Bedford; Mrs. Ruth Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Dobbs Kilgore, and Alan Byrd of Fort Worth; Mrs. Bernice Cooksey, Billy, Terrell, Leslie, and Wayland of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jenkins and Shannon, and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Byrd of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newton and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Keeler of Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Woodson,

Holiday week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith were Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smedley, also Viola Price, all of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cook and Mrs. Naomi Heyser, all of Baird, Harold and Jess Ables of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins of Atwell, and Parker Langston and Rex Maxwell of Cross Plains. To add to the festivities, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Childers of Phoenix, Ariz. and Mr. and Frank Shelton of Ripley, Okla. called the home on Thanksgiving Day.

Gary Childers spent Thanksgiving Day in Odessa with the Maxwell family.

Jeffrey and Judith of Alice; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chambers of Early; J. W. and Camille Newton of Lubbock; Jimmie Newton and Dana Rankin of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jenkins of Eules; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rankin and David of Waco; Mrs. Christine Williamson of San Marcos; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bryan and Ann of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Morgan of Brownwood and Barbie Killion of Lubbock were recognized and welcomed as visitors for the day. Mrs. Madie Belle Chambers visited briefly in the afternoon.

Junior Cagers Split With Early Monday

Cross Plains Junior High School basketball teams halved a pair of hardwood contests with visiting Early junior teams Monday night.

The local feminine team romped to a 38-20 decision in the opener, but the Mighty Mites dropped a 22-21 heart-breaker in the second contest. Both local squads now own 2-2 records on the season.

Cross Plains girls built a 20-6 lead at halftime and coasted to the victory as every player saw action. Cross Plains defense was extremely effective. Guards coming in for praise were Roxie McConal, Rhonda Jackson and Linda Carouth.

Pacing the Cross Plains attack was Sandy Bailey, who bucketed 18 points. Melissa Pancake added another 8 points to the Cross Plains total.

Mighty Mites dropped the one-point decision, 22-21, to the visiting Early quintet in the final quarter. After a 5-5 stand-off in the first quarter, Cross Plains gained an 11-8 halftime advantage. The third quarter saw the Mites edge in front by five, 17-12, but Early rallied in the final stanza for the 22-21 triumph.

John Schaefer led the Mite attack with 8 points. Nicky Harris and Cody Golson each counted 4 points for Cross Plains.

Next scheduled action for the local junior team will be in the tournament at Rising Star on Dec. 6, 7 and 8. Coach Mack McConal noted that the Cross Plains teams will battle May in first round. Local girls are due to see action at 2 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 7, and the boys will play immediately following the feminine contest.

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Bob Needham Buried At Pioneer Friday

Final rites for R. D. (Bob) Needham, 68, widely known Cross Plains man, were held Friday at 3 p.m. from Higginbotham Funeral Chapel here.

Mr. Needham died at 1:05 a.m. Wednesday in an Abilene hospital.

Officiating the final rites was Audy Moore of Gorman, former minister of the Cross Plains Church of Christ, and he was assisted by Bill Reece, present minister of the church.

Burial was in Pioneer Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mr. Needham, Bob, as he was known to a legion of friends here and in surrounding areas, was born Dec. 15, 1904, in Balingier. He had made his home in Cross Plains 14 years, and was a former longtime resident of Rising Star. He was a retired contractor. He also managed Lakewood Recreation Center at Pioneer for several years.

Survivors are his wife, Esther of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Billy (Carroll Ann) Watson of Charlotte, N. C., and Mrs. Ray Ortega of Vista, Calif.; two sons, Robert Allen of Andrews and Don Mack of Goldsboro, N. C. three sisters, Mrs. Roy Worthy of Big Spring, Mrs. R. Bishop of Salado and Mrs. Vivian Bailey of Waco, eight grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Palbearers were Oscar Koenig, E. M. Roberts, Curt Smith, Dave Lee, Glen Henry and John D. (Skeet) Clark.

Local 4-H Club Sets Meeting December 3

Cross Plains 4-H Club will meet in regular session on Monday, Dec. 3, in the Vocational Agriculture Building on the school campus. Starting time is 7:30 p.m.

Two special guests will be present. J. L. Bonner of Cross Plains will be on hand to display and talk about firearms, and W. G. Lynn of Brownwood, a licensed member of the National Rifle Association, will speak on gun safety.

It was pointed out that girls of the club will discuss plans of the upcoming food show and special handicrafts.

Also on the club's agenda will be ways of increasing club membership, upcoming rummage sale and furnishing of the club's building on Main Street.

Each member is urged to be present and to bring a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Segura and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bulbenik were visitors in Abilene Sunday evening.

Bill Satterwhite of San Antonio visited his cousin, Esthroy S. Dickson, here last Tuesday morning.

MRS. ETHEL BROWN IS SAID NOW IMPROVING

Mrs. R. C. (Ethel) Brown, Sr., who has been ill for several weeks, is reported to be improving. Friends and relatives who visited her during the holidays were Mrs. Loyd Hodnett of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Jack White of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Brown of Fort Worth, Mrs. Homer Robinson, Terry and Randy of Grand Prairie, Mrs. Brenda Woods, Ricky and Dana of Dallas, Mrs. Larry Hefflev, Arlington, and Chuck Pennell of Waco, Sharon Clark of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore, Mrs. David (Lou) Grider, Mrs. Bill Sessums, Velma Brown and Marie Bryson.

High School Basketball Card Announced

The schedule which will be faced by both boys and girls basketball teams at Cross Plains High School has been released by Coach Jack Orr.

The card includes three tournaments. Cross Plains this week and Gorman, next week end, Dec. 6, 7 and 8, and Rising Star on Dec. 13, 14 and 15. Also included are five non-conference games, counting game with May slated Tuesday night.

Ten District 10-A contests are on tap. That will be a double round-robin affair. League play opens on January 4.

Remaining contests listed on the schedule follow.

Nov. 29, 30 and Dec. 1—Cross Plains tournament.

Dec. 4—May, here.

Dec. 6, 7, 8—Gorman tournament.

Dec. 11—Rising Star, there.

Dec. 13, 14, 15—Rising Star tournament.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yockey and daughter, Josie, of Austin came by here recently and picked up their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell, and met Mr. and Mrs. Larry White of California, also Don Penn of Texas Tech, Lubbock. They all met at the E. D. Penn's home in Midland for Thanksgiving.

The home of Mrs. Truly Carter in Cisco was the scene on Thanksgiving Day of her family gathering. Those present were T. Sgt. and Mrs. Gail (Charlie) Trout, Tracy and Regina, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dickson, Jr. of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Satterwhite and Shayne, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy D. Cox, Mrs. Mike Jones and Dustin, all of Breckenridge, Mrs. C. V. Dickson of Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. Max Satterwhite and Mrs. Carter, of Cisco.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Swafford on Thanksgiving Day honored Mrs. W. H. (Blanch) Fortune. Her children, seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren were present. They were Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Dorris of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ward and family of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Woods and family of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Fortune and family of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Meadors and family of Buffalo Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fortune and family of Rising Star, and Mr. and Mrs. Garth Fortune of this city.

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R. E. EDINGTON HAS SURGERY ON MONDAY

R. E. (Hick) Edington, known Cross Plains businessman, underwent major surgery in Brownwood Community Hospital Monday morning.

He is reported to be nicely, but will probably be in the hospital through Friday. His room number is 212.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Crenshaw here during Thanksgiving holidays are their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Crenshaw of Stamford and Mrs. Ray Crenshaw of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Thebert and Carl Hess of Raymond visited during the holidays with Mrs. Lela Foster and Diane Diane Foster at home with her family. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Elliott and Nan Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Strahan and Caleta, Mrs. Larry Green and Annie, Peggy and Tony S. all of Eules.

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RAISINS	15 oz. box 7
DATES	1 lb. box 6
ASSORTED CANDIED FRUIT FOR FRUIT CAKES AND HOLIDAY BAKING	
BATHROOM TISSUE	10 rolls 9
STEP SAVER FLOOR WAX	7
DECKER'S FRANKS	12 oz. pkg. 8
DECKER'S BACON	12 oz. pkg. 9
ROUND STEAK	lb. \$1.
Randall's Country SAUSAGE	lb. \$1.

TRY 'UM . . . YOU'LL LIKE 'UM!

When's the last time you got goose bumps when they played the Star Spangled Banner?



It's been a while, right? Well, then you're like a lot of us.

It seems that many of us are too grown-up to get excited about things like the Star-Spangled Banner any more.

You could almost say that patriotism makes us feel embarrassed.

Besides, it's hard to really feel patriotic when you hear so much about how this country is falling apart.

But, of course, America still has a Bill of Rights. And free elections.

An incredibly high standard of living.

And a free enterprise system that lets you hitch your wagon to any star you want.

And plenty of other things you can't find anywhere else in this world.

Know what? Looking at it that way, America deserves a lot more credit than it's been getting.

One of the best ways to give this country the support it deserves is to buy U. S. Savings Bonds.

They strengthen the country so that it's better prepared to solve its problems.

And they happen to be one of the best ways to provide for your own welfare.

The interest is exempt from state and local income taxes. And you don't have to pay Federal tax until you cash your Bonds.

Buy U. S. Savings Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work. Or at your bank.

It'll give you a good feeling.

And a perfect excuse for getting goose bumps the next time they play the Star-Spangled Banner.



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COTTON & POLYESTER

SWEAT SHIRTS

HOODED, ZIPPER FRONT

HAND WARMING POCKETS

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BOOTS

12-INCH TOP

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