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CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443 WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 1974

SIXTY-SIXTH YEAR

## Count School Race Vote; Odom New Commissioner

A re-count of the votes polled in the race last Saturday for Callahan County School Superintendent has been requested by candidate E. L. (Chief) Reese.

It was learned here Tuesday that the recount would be held in the courthouse at Baird Friday, beginning at 9 a.m. A three-man panel will count the votes consisting of Noah Johnson of Cross Plains, Curtis Sutphen of Baird and Roy Pheimer of Clyde.

In the run-off Democratic Primary last Saturday incumbent L. C. Cash was favored by initial vote counts over the county by 12 votes. He polled 704 while Reese, Baird businessman who is seeking his first county office received 692 votes.

It was noted that under existing election laws the second place candidate may request a re-count of all the ballots if his total is within five per cent of the leading candidate's total. In this case it is less than one per cent.

In other voting in the Cross Plains box last Saturday, E. F. (Franz) Odom defeated incumbent Duke Mitchell for the post of County Commissioner of Precinct 4. Odom was favored by 392 ballots, and Mitchell received 304.

Mitchell led a six-man ballot in the first primary, while Odom and Nathan Foster tied in initial vote count with 144 votes. A recount in that race found one more vote for Odom to put him in the run-off with Mitchell. The incumbent was first elected in 1962.

In the commissioner's race Odom polled 379 votes in the Cross Plains box, according to Precinct Democratic Chairman Alton E. Hornsby who announced results only minutes after the polls closed Saturday. Odom also received 13 absentee votes. Mitchell got a total of 301 ballots in Saturday balloting and three absentee votes.

A breakdown of votes in the county superintendent's race, in which Reese carried four boxes and Cash three although

the latter was favored by absentee voters, follows.

	Cash	Reese
Cross Plains	359	306
Baird	145	228
Clyde	94	77
Putnam	26	33
Eula	30	9
Oplin	19	20
Denton Valley	7	8
Absentee	24	11
Totals	704	692

It was expected that Cross Plains would have a heavy turnout of voters due to the commissioner's race. It was somewhat heavier than expected with 687 votes being counted. That was only three short of the 690 polled in the first primary. Adding the 16 absentee ballots in the commissioner race an aggregate vote of 703 ballots, clipping the combined

697 total in the election on May 4.

Over the county 1,423 votes were cast last Saturday as compared with 2,002 in the initial Democratic balloting.

Mr. Reese advised the Review that he requested the recount in his race "in fairness to you who voted in my behalf". He emphasized that the re-count is being done without offense to friend or foe.

Although victors in Saturday's election still must stand for approval in the general election in November, the Democratic nomination in Callahan County is usually considered elected. There were no Republicans nor other party candidates filing for office in Callahan at the county or precinct level. Only an independent or write-in campaign could challenge the local or county nominees in November.

Cross Plains led all other voting boxes in the run-off last Saturday with 687 votes. Baird was next with 376. Following in order of number of ballots cast were Clyde 173, Putnam 59, Eula 39, Oplin 39 and Denton Valley 15. Total absentee vote was 35.

### MRS. W. H. KELLY IS ROUTE 1 SUB CARRIER

Mrs. W. H. (Billie) Kelly, who is clerk at Cottonwood Rural Station, has been hired by Cross Plains Postmaster Joe E. Hanke, Jr., as substitute rural carrier on Route 1.

Mrs. Kelly plans to continue her work at the Cottonwood Post Office but will be a replacement for the carrier on Cross Plains Route 1 when needed.

## Pioneer Cemetery Hits \$10,000 Care Fund Goal

Editor's Note: The following article was written by Mrs. Ethel Brown, secretary-treasurer of the Pioneer Cemetery Association, after a \$3,000 check arrived to put the Endowment Fund for Pioneer Cemetery over the goal of \$10,000. The money has been placed in interest bearing notes to provide permanent care for the burial plot at Pioneer. Her article follows.

By Mrs. Ethel Brown

"I want to express my thanks and the thanks of the officers of the Pioneer Cemetery Association to the 42 people who responded so generously in answer to the 186 letters we sent out.

### Atwell Cemetery Has Memorial May 26

The Atwell Cemetery Association held its annual homecoming and memorial service Sunday, May 26. A host of former residents and local people were present.

Paul Brashear was master of ceremonies and the main address was given by Rev. Glen Purvis, pastor of First Baptist Church at Walnut Springs.

Contributions were taken for the cemetery association and for the building of a permanent shelter at the cemetery. Those contributing to the cemetery association and the amounts are as follows:

Higginbotham Bros. & Co. \$25; contributing \$20 were Gerald Foster and Lela, Donna Black and Leo Purvis; those contributing \$10 each were Doyle Purvis, Otis Purvis, B. F. Hutchins, Julia Foster, Buster Foster, Vee Maher, E. M. Sessions, J. T. Foster, Loda L. Foster, Mrs. James Goble, Mrs. Bobby Dillard, Charnel Hutchins, A. B. Foster, D. L. Sessions, George Hutchins, M. A. Tatom and Ethel Hewes; giving \$5 were Roma Lee McKinley, Mrs. J. M. McWilliams, and Mel

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tery Association to the 42 people who responded so generously in answer to the 186 letters we sent out.

I said when we reached our goal, I would stop asking for money. But to each of you who didn't send a donation, you can still send any amount at any time for I know you don't want other people to pay for the care of your loved ones' graves without your having a part in it too.

Some of you have paid in several hundred dollars each. Some have paid all they could spare, but some of you have not responded. When I suggested this means of permanent care for our cemetery, some thought it was a good idea while others thought we wouldn't be able to reach the goal of \$10,000.

Through the generosity and goodness of his heart, one man who has no relative but a host of friends buried in the Pioneer Cemetery, sent me a check in the amount of \$3,000

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## Cats Claim Top Spot In Little League Race

Cats gained first place in Cross Plains Little League action last week with twin victories and help from the Buffs.

The loop leaders prior to last week's action, the Beadels, dropped a pair of decisions falling to a second place deadlock with the Buffs. Both teams are just one game behind the league leading Cats.

Cats opened the week's action on Tuesday of last week with a 5-3 verdict over the Beadels for a share of the league lead. Beadels took a one-run advantage in the first, but Cats rebounded with a four-run out-burst in the second frame on two singles and three free passes. Beadels rallied for single runs in the third and fourth innings, and the Cats scored an insurance run in the third.

Winning hurler was Danny Lewis in allowing just three hits. He walked seven and struck out 12, the maximum number in four frames. Lewis went the distance as did the losing pitcher R. Allen.

Buffs finally won a 12-11 scoring battle over the Kilowatts in the nightcap on Tuesday. Kilos jumped to a three-run lead in the first frame and held a 4-1 margin until the third inning when Buffs exploded for eight runs. Trailing 9-6, Kilos countered for five tallies in the fourth, but Buffs scored three in the last of the frame for the 12-11 decision.

Winning moundsman was D. Illingsworth in relief of starter Duane Hutchins. Loser was R. Kitchens who came on in relief of starter R. King.

Thursday in the first game the Cats insured themselves of at least a share of the lead by defeating the Kilowatts 12-4.

The eventual victors tallied four runs in the initial frame and insured the triumph with four more runs in the second and fourth innings. Kilos scored single runs in the second and third frames and a pair of scores in the fourth inning.

Winning pitcher was Dan Flippin who went the distance for the Cats. Loser was Kitchens who started with King coming on in relief.

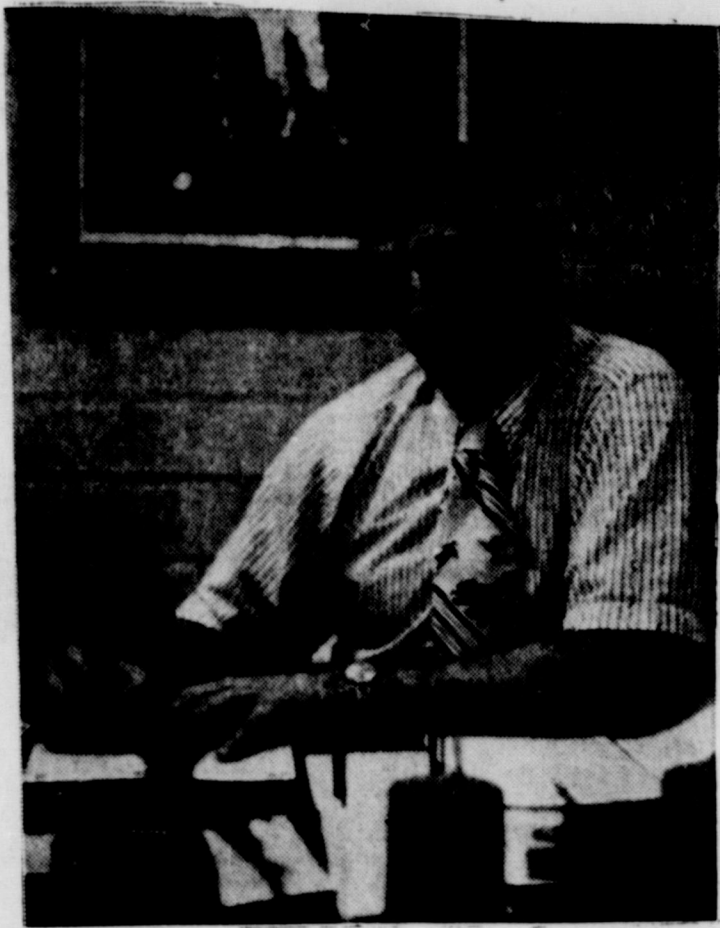
The Buffs insured the Cats of a one-game lead in Thursday's second game with a 21-20 scoring upset of the Beadels. The eventual losers tallied four runs in the top of the first inning, but Buffs countered for five in the last of the frame. Twelve Beadels scored in the top of the second inning, and the Buffs rallied for 11 runs for a 16-16 deadlock after two innings. Both teams scored four runs in the third frame. Beadels failed to score in the top of the fourth and Buffs put the game away with a single run in the last half of the frame.

Hutchins was the winning hurler, coming on in relief of Illingsworth in the second frame. Loser was reliever D. Dixon who replaced starter R. Allen in the second frame. Buffs drew 25 free passes while collecting just six hits. Beadels drew 19 free passes and got seven hits.

Reminder is again made that the Pee Wee League plays each Tuesday at 5:30 p.m., just before the first game of Little League play begins about 6:30.

Standings following the week's play are as follow.

	W	L	Pct.
Cats	6	2	.750
Buffs	5	3	.633
Beadels	5	3	.633
Kilowatts	0	8	.000



Supt. Frank Rundell

## Supt. Rundell Looks To Future, Lists Achievements

Newly hired Superintendent of Schools at Cross Plains Frank Rundell plans to assume full-time duties of his position on July 1. He was asked by the Review to provide background material since he left Cross Plains as head coach in 1953. That follows as does his hopes and expectations for the near future.

His resume' in part, follows. He left Cross Plains in spring of 1950 for freshman coaching position at McCallum High School (Austin), winning city

championship in basketball and track and finishing second in football. In 1954 he moved to head B team coach winning city title in football and basketball. His only losing season in football (4-5) was in 1955 but had a winning basketball season.

In 1956 Rundell moved up as varsity assistant and head basketball coach at McCallum. He was head basketball mentor until 1968 when he was named head football coach. His basketball teams at McCallum won 236 and lost 93 games, winning seven district championships, three bi-district titles and going to state meet once. In the three years as head football coach his units compiled a 19-15 mark with the highlight being stopping Austin Reagan's 35-game winning streak by a 10-7 score.

He moved to Reagan as head basketball coach, putting two winning seasons back-to-back which had never been done at the school before. He moved to Hays High School in 1973 as assistant principal.

He has during his coaching career, spurned three university basketball coaching jobs in favor of staying in high school. Rundell was nominated for "Coach of the Year in Texas" in 1959. In 1969 he was given an appreciation dinner by parents and basketball players of McCallum.

"I have been one of Cross Plains' best boosters down through the years, as I have often spoken of the wonderful people who live in Cross Plains.

"Cross Plains was extremely good to me the three years that I lived here. They started me out right in my coaching career. Just as the football fortunes were at a low ebb when I arrived, I now find the school district in a financial tight spot, but I know with the help of the good people of the community, we will ride the tide and continue to offer to our children the quality education they deserve.

"My family and I are looking forward to becoming active members of the community on July 1st."

### DAVE LEE REMAINS IN HOSPITAL AT CISCO

D. C. (Dave) Lee, prominent longtime Cross Plains resident, remained in E. L. Graham Memorial Hospital at Cisco Tuesday morning where he had been eight days after being hit by a stroke Monday of last week.

The former Cross Plains merchant was believed to be improving, but it was learned here Monday night that he might be transferred to an Abilene hospital on Tuesday.

## Youth Known Suffers Burns

Smoot, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smoot, suffered serious burns in a mishap at his home Friday of last week. The accident occurred when he was pouring gasoline in the motor of his mother's car when the engine when an explosion occurred. His mother, Mrs. Judy McMillan of Cross Plains, said, "It blew up on the side and face."

Smoot is a senior at Wylie High School and missed his graduation Friday night due to the mishap. He had just returned home two days before the accident from two weeks in hospital suffering pneumonia.

Smoot was taken by Cross Plains ambulance to the Burn Unit at the University of Texas at Austin for treatment Tuesday for treatment.

He had been in an Abilene hospital awaiting an operation at the Galveston hospital. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McMillan of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Smoot, Sr. of Pioneer.

Smoot was reported in a stable condition when moved Tuesday. He has been started for school and his classmates began a campaign donating \$100 to help defray the cost of his medical bills.

Smoot flagged an unlicensed man down after the man took her son to the hospital. She said she forgot to name during the crisis, but she will call so she can thank him.

Smoot's parents accompanied her to the hospital in Galveston.

## Cottonwood Cemetery Gets Donations, Funds

The annual meeting of the Cottonwood Historical Association was held May 5 in Cottonwood Baptist Church. John T. Purvis was elected president and Norman Coffey was re-elected secretary-treasurer. An Cottonwood resident, Wagoner, was named president of the organization which oversees the maintenance and funds belonging to Cottonwood Cemetery.

Coffey stated that re-contributions, since April 1st part of May, \$348.79 had been contributed to the cemetery. Her list follows: Anonymous Memorial Day \$51.25, Mrs. Morris \$50, Oliver D. Worthy \$25, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Tipton \$20, Mr. and Mrs. Gloster Thompson \$15, Floyd \$20.

Contributions of \$10 each were Chatham, Dorris Moore, B. Jones, Ann Mayfield, Lloyd Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Alice Champ, and Mrs. H. L. Harland and Judge Meade F.

## William Hines Due Training June 24

William R. Hines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hines of Cross Plains, is to be trained in the United States Air Force Delayed Entry Program, according to Captain Sammy D. Stephens, Air Force Recruiter.

Hines was a 1974 graduate of Cross Plains High School. He is to report on June 24 for two weeks of basic training. He has selected the Aero Control and Warning Operator aptitude test.

A report fire in Cross Plains on June 23.

## Brownwood Rites For Former Local Man

Funeral was held at 5 p.m. Sunday from a Brownwood funeral chapel for Edward Rosenberg, 76, of Brownwood, former Cross Plains resident and oilman.

Mr. Rosenberg who lived here and was active in the oil business in this area during the mid-1950's, died in a Brownwood hospital at 6:25 p.m. Friday. Burial was in Greenleaf Cemetery at Brownwood.

Born in New York April 29, 1896, Mr. Rosenberg was a member of the Baptist Church and the Knights of Pythians Lodge. He lived in Brownwood for the past 16 years and was a retired leaseman, oil and gas operator.

He married Iva West Litton in Shreveport, La., in 1944.

He is survived by his wife, one stepson, Allen Litton of Shreveport, and two sisters.

Mrs. W. E. (Sayra) Fox of San Angelo has spent about ten days here in the home of Mr. Joe Evans and also with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stroud. Other guests in these homes during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Boone Evans of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Walker and Sharon Bea and Mr. and Mrs. Benny Glover and Pamela Sue were Cisco visitors Sunday afternoon.

Deadline for Advertising 5 O'Clock Monday Afternoon

HAPPY BIRTHDAY  
MR. ERWIN

## LAKEWOOD LADIES GOLF DAY IS SLATED FRIDAY

Ladies Golf Day has been scheduled at Lakewood Recreation Center for Friday, June 7. The time is carded for 10:30 a.m.

Participants are invited to bring a sack lunch for dinner.

## Funeral Friday For Lady Known Locally

Funeral was held from Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel in Cross Plains Friday at 4 p.m. for Mrs. Margaret Watson, 65, sister of Mrs. O. O. Sandifer of Cottonwood and Troy Watson of Sabanno.

Mrs. Watson, a resident of an Eastland nursing home and formerly of Rising Star, died Thursday morning.

The Rev. Luther Helm, pastor of the First United Methodist Church here, officiated the final rites. Burial was in the Pampa Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of this city.

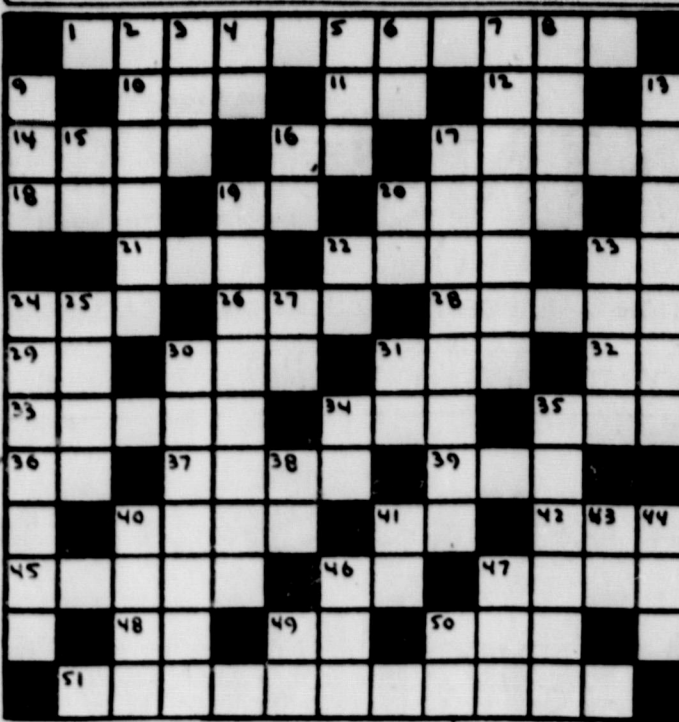
Born Nov. 1, 1908, in Shamrock, Miss Watson was a member of the First Methodist Church in Rising Star.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. O. O. Sandifer of Cottonwood; and a brother, Troy Watson of Sabanno.

Mrs. Susie Stanford of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon of the Pioneer community last Sunday.

Visitors during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann here were B. T. McCann and son, Allen, of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Scott and son, Carl, of Andrews. Mrs. McCann's brother, S. E. Parkinson, of Cisco visited in the home last Thursday.

## CROSSWORD By A. C. Gordon



- ACROSS**
- 1 - Irresponsible
  - 10 - Lamprey
  - 11 - "That is"
  - 12 - (one of the chess abb.)
  - 14 - Depression
  - 16 - Public notice
  - 17 - Look of scorn
  - 18 - Mrs. Deer
  - 19 - That thing
  - 20 - Beverages
  - 21 - Acquire
  - 22 - A covering
  - 23 - Correspondent's afterthought
  - 24 - Garden utensil
  - 26 - Miscue
  - 28 - Nature's climbers
  - 29 - "For example" (Latin abbrev.)
  - 30 - Exist
  - 31 - Tennis term
  - 32 - Compass point
  - 33 - Sphere of action
  - 34 - ...power
  - 35 - Heav of burden
  - 36 - In reference to
  - 37 - Let it stand!
  - 39 - Beginning of liniment
  - 40 - Inspired fear
  - 41 - Oldtime "yes"
  - 42 - Man's name
  - 45 - Nominated
  - 46 - Printer's measure
  - 47 - Ignore
  - 48 - Comparative suffix
  - 49 - Preposition
  - 50 - Feminine item of apparel
  - 51 - Inexpensive
  - 2 - To deny
  - 3 - Soak flax
  - 4 - Aerial train
- DOWN**
- 5 - Assist
  - 6 - In reference to
  - 7 - Advantage
  - 8 - Reclines
  - 9 - Total
  - 13 - Green herbage
  - 15 - Educational
  - 16 - Preposition
  - 17 - Slipshod
  - 19 - Repeated
  - 20 - Acorn (abb.)
  - 22 - Public conveyance (abb.)
  - 23 - Confines
  - 24 - Earshot
  - 25 - Monster
  - 27 - In reference to
  - 30 - Solutions
  - 31 - Musical note
  - 34 - Natural high spot (abb.)
  - 35 - Beutel
  - 38 - Male nickname
  - 40 - So he is!
  - 41 - Have being
  - 43 - U.S. state (abb.)
  - 44 - Eroded
  - 46 - Greek letter
  - 47 - Spherical body
  - 49 - Scottish "one"
  - 50 - College degree

## Marble Falls Well Hit In May Sector

Wynana S. Wilson of Abilene No. 1 Bruce Harris has been completed as a Marble Falls discovery seven miles northwest of May in Brown County.

Location is 1,787 feet from the north and 1,310 feet from the west lines of Simson Saunders Survey, 788.

No. 1 Harris had a daily potential of 68 barrels of 42 gravity oil, plus three barrels of water. Flow was through an 8-64-inch choke with 680 pounds tubing pressures.

The well is producing from an open hole treated with 500 gallons of acid. The pay was topped at 2,923 feet. Operator set the 5 1/2-inch casing at 2,923 1/2 feet, and the hole is bottomed at 2,928 feet. Gas-oil ratio with 988-1.

## Burkett Native, 92, Buried There Sunday

Dr. Ophelia C. Wesley of Brownwood, 92-year-old native of Burkett, died late Friday afternoon at a Sana Anna hospital. Funeral was held at 4:30 p.m. Sunday in a Coleman chapel.

Robert Bostick, minister of the Church of Christ at Coleman, officiated the final rites. Burial was in the Burkett Cemetery.

Mrs. Wesley was born Feb. 4, 1882, in Burkett. She was a teacher of science at Denton and Amarillo Junior College, and served as dean of women at Daniel Baker College in Brownwood from 1940 to 1950. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are a sister, Mrs. Myrtle Crocker of Jal, N. M.; two nieces, Mrs. Neal Nicholson of Novice and Mrs. Clarence Burkett of Coleman; three nephews, A. R. Clark of Fort Worth and Jim and O. W. Helms, both of Burkett.

## Good Rains Changing Rowden's Appearance

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Good rains over the week end have already changed the looks of burning pastures, fields and gardens.

The N. V. Gibbs place gauged 2 and 20 inches of rain and more is forecast for Monday and Tuesday.

Farmers will be anxious to get peanuts and cotton planted. Others will be planting milo and hay grazers.

Telephones are out again this week end, so this column will come up short again this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odom were in Waco during the week visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, Mrs. Scott graduated from Baylor University last week.

Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs spent Sunday afternoon in Clyde visiting Mrs. Jewel Swanzy and Anna Bell Tabor and they also visited briefly in the Charles Palmer home.

Iven Odom reported for a National Guard duty over the week end in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele and Tonya were in Clyde Saturday night. They returned Seth and Bobbie Whitnair to their home after they had spent the week in the Steele home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs stopped by the Walter Rose home in Cross Plains Saturday

## Sabanno

There is no Sabanno news column in this week's Review, due to Mrs. Edwin Erwin, correspondent for the area, having undergone eye surgery in Abilene one day last week.

Mrs. Erwin will soon be back on the job doing her usual fine job of reporting Sabanno area happenings, but until that time, expected to be about two weeks, residents of that community may call the Review, 725-6111, anytime before noon Mondays to report news items. They will be collected into a column by Review staffers.

Mrs. Erwin is reported to be doing nicely following the surgery.

Guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Butch) Roberson, Bryan and Debra of Brunswick, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Roberson and Dwight of Lake Charles, La., Mr. and Mrs. David Talton of Houston, Mrs. Bob Rambling of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Raper and Mrs. Onita Gwin of Abilene.

## BABY GIRL IS BORN TO GENE BUSHES ON MAY 30

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bush of Mineral Wells are parents of a baby girl, born May 30 in the Palo Pinto General Hospital in that city.

The little lady weighed eight pounds, one and one-half ounces, and has been named Susan Kate for her great-aunt Mrs. Kate Powell of this city.

She is the couple's first child. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. M. (Hub) Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bush, all of Cross Plains.

## REGULAR FIELD VENT SET NORTHEAST OF

Lewis Production Co. of Abilene will drill a regular field in Callahan County Regular Field. Location is four miles east of Baird on a 32-acre lease. It spots 760 feet to the north and 1,100 feet to the east lines of Section BBB&C Survey.

Deadline for advertising 5:00 P. M. Monday.

Deadline for News 10 Tuesday Morning

## WELCOME TO SERVICES AT First Baptist Church

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SUNDAY SCHOOL	9:45 A.M.
MORNING WORSHIP	11:00 A.M.
CHURCH TRAINING	6:00 P.M.
EVENING WORSHIP	7:00 P.M.
WEDNESDAY PRAYER SERVICE	7:30 P.M.

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Carroll Rhoads  
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# Pioneer Farmers Face Busy Time After Rain

By Mrs. J. T. Beggs

It is nice and cool this morning after an inch of rain this morning and one inch on Sunday morning. The dry-land peanut planters will be active now. Mrs. Grace Eakin reports that Jack Orr of Cross Plains took her for an enjoyable airplane ride one day last week. She and Mrs. Rubye McCowen and Naomi were in Abilene on a shopping tour Friday. Mrs. Eakin visited Mrs. T. O. Powell on Saturday. The two visited Mrs. Bertha Millward in Cross Plains. On Monday Mrs. Eakin was a guest of Mrs. Kate McCarty in Pioneer. Mrs. Sam Warren of Pioneer visited Grace on Wednesday.

Mrs. Elaine Ratliff and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John (Drucilla) Eppard were in Corpus Christi recently to visit his father. Later in the week, Mrs. Lou Grider and Esther McDaniel of Cross Plains visited Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beggs made a quick trip to Sulphur, Okla. on Tuesday night to see her mother, Mrs. R. G. Young. She has improved gradually throughout the past month. On Friday night the Begges visited his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Johnson of De Leon. They enjoyed a tour of their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Beggs and Danyel spent last week end with his parents. On Sunday Mrs. Rusty and Mrs. J. T. visited Reba's parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Clark, in Rising Star. Also during the week, Miss Suzie Koenig of Burkett and Billy Zirkle of Rising Star and David Beggs of Long Branch visited in the Beggs home, and on Sunday Miss Edith Ingram of Cottonwood and neighbor, Mack Taff, visited them.

Terry Brooks who is working at Twilight Acres Nursing Home in Rising Star is on vacation in Odessa where she is visiting her sister, Mrs. Linda Richard and family. Ramona Brooks, Roger Crawford and Kenneth Brooks visited them last week. Kenneth is working full time on his farm now, the family is glad to report.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harrell of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrell of Harrah, Okla. visited their brother here, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harrell.

On May 26th, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady and all their children (except Arthur of Clyde), her sister, Mrs. Estelle Roberts of De Kalb and her two sons, a daughter-in-law and her three daughters, all went from the Roady home to Burnet to attend the funeral of Mr. Emmett Self, brother-in-law of Mrs. C. Roady.

## Texas A&M Group Honors Mr. Eubank

B. K. Eubank of Cross Plains has recently received an honor from Texas A&M University at College Station.

It was for his 50 years devoted interest in the school since his student days there. The certificate, signed by Joe Hiram Moore, president, and Richard Weirus, executive secretary, was issued by the Association of Former Students of Texas A&M University.

It reads, in part, as follows: "Golden Circle Certificate of the Sul Ross Classes . . . to one for all time among former students certifying that B. K. Eubank has been enrolled in the permanent records of the Association of Former Students and has maintained a devoted interest in Texas A&M during the fifty years since his student days on the campus."

Recently Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady visited the N. A. Roadys in Anson. Last Sunday Mrs. H. A. Freeman of Baird and Art and Calvin Roady of Anson accompanied the Calvin Roadys on a fishing trip to Coleman Lake. Later the C. Roadys stopped for a visit in Cross Plains with the Bob Roadys.

Mrs. A. C. Halsell visited in the home of her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bates, last week end. On Saturday evening they all attended the wedding of Gary's sister, Donna, in Menard, Texas.

Mrs. Onis Taylor, Dianna and David Carl of Denton visited briefly last Sunday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Halsell.

## 3 Ex-Local Students Are CJC Honorees

Three former students at Cross Plains High School have recently earned scholastic honors at Cisco Junior College. One was listed on the prestigious President's List, and two were named on the Dean's List for the Spring semester of this year.

Noted on the President's List was Miss Beverly Tatom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom of the Atwell community. To be eligible for the president's roster a student must make a straight "A" record or have a perfect three-point grade point on the three-point system.

Appearing on the Dean's List is Larry Boyle of Coleman, a graduate of CPHS, and Joe Wilcox of Santa Anna, also a Cross Plains graduate. The Dean's listing requires a student to earn a 2.5 or better grade point average on the three-point system.

## Mrs. B. K. Eubank Retiring As Teacher

Mrs. B. K. (Dorothy) Eubank of Cross Plains was recently honored upon her retirement after 26 years of teaching.

She was recently honored with a retirement dinner at the Webb AFB N.C.O. Club at Big Spring which was attended by 74 friends.

She was presented with "A Pot at the End of Her Teaching Rainbow" which was a black sash, not filled with dollar-bills. Rainbow ribbons spread onto the table with letters of appreciation at the end of each ribbon.

Mrs. Eubank graduated from the University of Oklahoma and has done graduate work at Howard Payne, North Texas State University and Texas University.

Mrs. Eubank taught two years at Oklahoma, eight at Cross Plains and 16 at Big Spring. She is active in professional organizations, a member of the Presbyterian Church, Alpha Xi Delta, Delta Psi Kappa P.F.O. and Order of Eastern Star.

Mrs. Eubank plans to make her home in Cross Plains, and is including in her plans volunteer work at the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene, travel and the study of music and languages.

Visiting here with Mrs. Jeff Clark last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Helms and Raymond Sewell of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clark of Crockett, and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Clark of Fort Worth.

To report fire in Cross Plains Call 725-6234.

# Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?

parapet      parapit      paraphet

(Definition: a wall or railing.)

(ANSWER ON BACK PAGE)

## L. H. Mosley Elected Lions Club President

Cross Plains Lions Club had a set-up meeting Wednesday, May 29, in basement of the First United Methodist Church, and elected officers for the ensuing year after enjoying a fine meal.

After being called to order by outgoing president Harold Garrett, officers were named.

L. H. (Leonard) Mosley was chosen president of the organization for the year 1974-75. Others named were Mike McClure, vice-president; Garrett, program chairman; Walter Pope, tail twister, and Rev. Luther Helm, secretary-treasurer.

It was explained that the May

29 meeting was in place of the regularly scheduled session set for June 5. It was set-up because the club's cook, Mrs. Helm, would be with her husband at annual conference of the United Methodist Church in Waco at that time.

The Lions Club will meet on regular schedule Wednesday, June 19, at noon in the church basement. Regular meeting dates are the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

Members present at last Wednesday's meeting were Garrett, Rev. Helm, Bill Hines, McClure, Mosley, Eddie Petty, Dr. Carl J. Sohns, Ted Souder and Pope.

## Pioneer Cemetery Report

(Continued from Page 1)

in memory of those dear friends who had such an influence on his life. He is W. R. (Robert) Gibson of Fort Worth. Thus we have passed our intended goal of \$10,000.

"For the first time since I started in August 1971, I consider my time well spent on this project, and am very happy to have been a part. There were 10 people who promptly paid in April whose names have been published.

Those contributing in May are as follows: Mrs. B. C. Brown \$10, Charlie and Carrie O'Neal \$5, A. J. Shepard \$5, Mrs. Edna Kelly \$10, Vera Albin White \$10, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dillard \$100, Mrs. Delta Madison \$5, Mrs. Ida R. Gray \$20, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. McCarty \$100, Olene Brown Simmons \$5, A. R. Atwood \$25, R. O. Pancake \$25.

### ALVIE HUTCHINS EARNS H.S.U. HONOR ROLL PLACE

Alvie Hutchins, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hutchins of Cross Plains, has been listed among students receiving honorable mention on the honor roll at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene for the spring semester.

Students on the honorable mention roster means they are taking between 6 and 11 hours for credit, less than a full load which is considered 12 semester hours.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Dickson, Jr., of Houston spent last week end at Lake Brownwood with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Callaway and here with his mother, Esthloy S. Dickson. Saturday evening the Dicksons and Tommy Dodds of Laredo visited Mrs. Truly Carter in Cisco and attended the wedding of Ivan and Elizabeth Webb. Dodds and Dickson were ushers at the wedding which was at Calvary Baptist Church there. On Sunday Mrs. Callaway was dinner guest of the Dicksons here.

Mrs. Norman Claborn \$25, C. A. Willis \$25, Mrs. Ann Burriss \$25, Maurine B. Hayes \$10, Mildred Hester Naylor \$5, Mrs. Willie Hughes \$10, Mrs. Era Hagan \$10, Ralph and Mary Huntington \$25, Mrs. Lee Hanks \$5, Mary Lou Nisbet \$15, Billie (Bill) Freeman \$100, Mrs. Eula Foster \$25, Mrs. Edgar Jones \$5, Mrs. LeRoy Nichols \$5, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Axson \$25, Mrs. Ava Hughes Talley \$20, Mrs. Juanita Morgan \$50, Riley Shipp \$10, W. R. (Robert) Gibson \$3,000.

"We had on hand this 31st day of May \$10,762.35.

"We all owe a special debt of gratitude to Robert Gibson now of Fort Worth for a gift of love which will contribute to the care of the cemetery forever.

"You know the Quilting Club ladies have contributed to the care of our cemetery for over 30 years, and they say 'Thank you all', too. So again I say 'Thanks to each of you.'"

## 2-Day Shortcourse Is Slated At Baird

A two-day shortcourse on pregnancy determination of beef cattle is scheduled to be held in Callahan County Monday and Tuesday, July 29 and 30. This shortcourse is being sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Baird Young Farmers.

A one-night session will be held on July 29 to give the participants basis background in beef cattle reproduction. The next day will be devoted to field work.

Enrollment will be limited due to the time the instructor has to spend on individual instruction. Those wishing to participate in the field instruction must furnish part of the cattle to be used for the field work.

Persons interested in enrolling in the shortcourse should contact Gary Franke at Baird or Greg Gerngross at the County Extension office in Baird.

## O. O. Sandifer, 72, Succumbs On Friday

O. O. Sandifer, prominent 30-year-resident of the Cottonwood community, died Friday at 11:30 p.m. in an Abilene hospital. He had become ill only a few days before his death.

Funeral was held at 3 p.m. Monday from the Cross Plains Church of Christ. Earl Miller of Hillsboro, officiated the final rites.

Burial was in the Cottonwood Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Cross Plains.

Mr. Sandifer was born Dec. 7, 1901, in Edina, Lee County. He was a retired dairy man and farmer in the Cottonwood locality. He married Cornelia Watson, Jan. 10, 1924, in Wheeler County. They moved from there to their place southwest of Cottonwood in 1944, and had made their home there during the intervening 30 years.

He is survived by his wife, Cornelia; one son, Charles Bennett Sandifer of Borger; two daughters, Mrs. Frank Gallivan of Arlington, Va., and Mrs. R. T. Peevy of Midland; one sister, Mary Lee Wicker of Liveoak, Calif.; one brother, Weldon Woodward of Wheeler; six grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

## BILL LONG RETURNED TO ABILENE HOSPITAL

Bill Long, former operator of City Cafe here was returned to West Texas Medical Center in Abilene last Saturday morning apparently suffering another heart attack. Mr. Long was in the hospital a few days last month.

He is reported to be resting fairly well. He is in Room 216.

## Ronnie Edington Is On ASU Honor List

Ronnie Lynn Edington formerly of Cross Plains, who is a student at Angelo State University at San Angelo, is listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester at the university.

Edington, son of Mrs. Deel Edington of Cross Plains, is a 1965 graduate of Cross Plains High School. He is a junior agriculture major at ASU and is listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll.

Mrs. Melvin Holdridge of De Leon visited Mrs. C. C. Holdridge here on Tuesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mac Holdridge and Tim of Coleman were her guests on Wednesday evening.

## 2 Local Piano Pupils Get Recent Honors

Terry Dillard and James ret of Cross Plains have received a gold cup award by the National Featring Music Clubs in completing required points for piano performance in festivals sponsored by this music organization.


Miss Dillard is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dillard and Garrett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrett.

The festival for District held annually at Howard College in February. Part of the festival is to present interest in American piano. Each student plays two compositions and receives a certificate and a rating of points.

Others of this area who be eligible for the cup participating in the 1973 will be Tracy Dillard, Pancake and Dana Richards. All are pupils of Mrs. Smith of Brownwood teaches piano here.

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I renew my pledge to do my utmost to render effective service to the schools of the county.

SINCERELY  
**L. C. CASH**

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## My Sincere Thanks

I wish to express my sincere and humble appreciation to the people of Precinct 4 in Callahan County for the confidence you showed in me last Saturday by nominating me as your County Commissioner.

It is with a grateful heart that I look forward to serving each of you to the best of my ability as your County Commissioner.

Again I thank each for his vote, support and confidence.

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**E. F. (Franzel) Odom**

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# Classified Ads

## Merrel Burkett, 59, Buried On Saturday

## Interesting Burkett Column Covers 2 Weeks Of News

By Lovey Nichols

I would like to apologize for not having any news last week. The Burkett community was saddened Friday with the passing away of a long time friend and neighbor, Merrel Burkett. Our sympathy goes to Freda, Karen, and all the family. We all loved Merrel and will miss him a lot.

Merrel Burkett and her family have been by the bedside of her sister, Opal Willis at Scott & White Hospital in Temple. She was in serious condition. Freda and Karen would like to thank everyone for all the food and the help that they gave them during this time of loss. Freda wanted to say that the food has been a double help because it is also being used in Temple for those sitting with her sister. Freda and Karen will always remember everyone for their kindness during this time.

The Tabor reunion will be this Sunday at the Burkett Community Center. Everyone is invited. Visiting in the home of Viola Moore this past week were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lee of Corpus Christi, granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams and son of Whitesboro and her daughter-in-law, Flora Mae Moore of Whitesboro. They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burkett and family.

Everyone is invited to attend the wedding of Chris Connelly, Friday night at 6:00. Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Bradford and Sharon of McCombs spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams. Also visiting was a great-grandson, James Keith Thomas. They all went to Hordes Creek Lake.

Hap and Ethel Bearden have returned from a trip to Washington, Oregon and a sightseeing trip to Canada. While in Washington they attended the wedding of a granddaughter and the graduation of a grandson.

Visiting in the Hap Bearden home were Mr. and Mrs. Lil

burn Fariss and Edna Bullard of Goldsboro and nephew, Mickel Cate of Novice, and Clara Angeley of Cross Plains. They all visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Angeley in Brownwood.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Walker were Beulah Adams and Joan Noork of Lovington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Walker and children of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Amos and Michael of Linden, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Walker of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Amos of Linden, Audrey, Kathy and Paul Walker of Cross Plains, Annie Merl Gray of Coleman, L. L. Morgan of Brownwood and Gladys' brother, Charlie Burkett of Cross Plains, Beulah Adams is Gladys' sister.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Long and family were her mother and sister and family, Mrs. O. J. Hoepfl and Mrs. Shirley Keen and boys of Snyder and cousins of Don's, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Burnum of Mojave, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bell of Justin, his aunt, Mrs. Rachel Burnum of Sayre, Okla.

Visiting Bert and Ona Evans over the week end were their son, Dutch Evans of Odum and Mrs. Weldon Pierce and Trent also of Odum. Sunday they all went to Oplin and attended the school homecoming where Dutch graduated.

Marsha Strickland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland and Glenda Gould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Gould have moved to Abilene where they are employed by Timex Corp. We all wish them the best of luck.

Visiting the Dalton Goulds this week were Mr. and Mrs. Duke Hood, Mary and Patsy, Russell Gould of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Dodgen, Melinda and Jackie of Coleman.

Recent visitors in the Dalton Gould home were Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Strickland and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Strickland of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Porter and Bobby and Dale have returned from a weeks vacation. They visited in Kermit with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Derrick and in Aransas Pass with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Holman and in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Porter.

Lovey Nichols and Darby visited in Andrews with Beulah Mae McGary and in Kermit with Mrs. Hazel Clark and Cecil Atwood. They also visited with the Jess Holmans in Aransas Pass and Curtis Bishop in Austin.

## Man Known Locally Buried Last Friday

Funeral for Denman J. Burns of El Paso, husband of the former Betsy McAdams of Cross Plains, was held Friday at 2 p.m. from a Brownwood funeral chapel. Mr. Burns, a Brown County native, died in El Paso Tuesday of last week.

John Shero, minister of the Austin Avenue Church of Christ at Brownwood, officiated the final rites. Burial was in Greenleaf Cemetery in Brownwood.

Mr. Burns was born Dec. 22, 1904, in Brown County. He was a retired livestock inspector. He formerly lived in Brownwood, but had made his home in El Paso for the past two years.

Survivors are his wife, Betsy of El Paso; one daughter, Mrs. Ann Beeler, of El Paso; one brother, George of Brownwood; two sisters, Mrs. Effie Jack and Mrs. Charles Tongate, both of Brownwood; one grandson and one granddaughter.

Among those from here attending the final rites were Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Koenig, Mrs. Koenig was Mr. Burns' sister-in-law.

Mrs. A. B. Foster, Jessie Weathermon and Shawn of Cross Plains visited relatives in Dallas last week and attended the H. Grady Spruce High School graduation of their grandson and nephew, Rodney Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith. The exercises were held in Dallas Convention Center.

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the fine people of the Cross Plains area who were so kind to us during our recent sorrow caused by the passing of our brother-in-law, Denman J. Burns.  
The food, calls, other kind deeds and sympathetic expressions made in so many ways were genuinely appreciated by us and other members of the family.  
The L. D. Koneigs.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to each of you for the many kindnesses extended us during our recent sorrow caused by the passing of our beloved father and grandfather. The flowers, cards, visits and each other act of sympathy were genuinely appreciated. Your kindness and concern will be long remembered by grateful hearts.  
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Estimated Receipts: 984

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Plain Feeder Heifers	..... 26 - 30

Cows & Calves - pair

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 David Hinkle  
 Mrs. Fred Wilson  
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 Mrs. George Morgan
- JUNE 9**  
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 Mrs. Homer Johnson  
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 Vernon Falkner  
 Damon Jones  
 Mrs. George Barnard

**63 Years Ago**  
 Miss Esther McCord is home from Baylor College where she has just graduated.  
 Pink Barr, who resides four miles southwest of town reported cotton blooms in his field June 12.  
 Herbert Marrell, an old timer here, returned Sunday from a singing tour. Herbert is a good singer and has been connected with some of the best quartets in the southwest.  
 Bert Brown and Herbert Goodman of Burkett were business visitors in Cross Plains Monday.  
 Miss Mable Hall entertained a few friends Tuesday evening.  
 The Cross Plains Mercantile Co. shipped the first carload of wheat from Cross Plains this season. They paid around 90c a bushel.  
**53 Years Ago**  
 The Magnolia Petroleum Co. reduced the price of light crude oil from \$1.50 to \$1 and heavy crude from 75c to 50c per barrel at the well.  
 E. M. McDaniels and Miss Bessie Harlow were married last Saturday evening at the Methodist parsonage in Cross Plains.  
 Miss Lessie Tunnell of Rising Star visited with friends in Cross Plains last Monday.  
 Mayor Tom Bryant reports that the City Council has designated June 15 as clean-up time at the City Park. All residents of the trade territory are asked to donate their time to the project.  
**38 Years Ago**  
 Miss Beatrice Minton and R. G. Copping were married at Coleman Saturday night.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Grider are parents of a baby girl born May 24.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Teague are parents of a baby girl born June 8.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gary announce the birth of a son, June 2.  
 Misses Oleta Thate and Jo Ello Henderson complimented Mrs. Norman Farr with a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter in Burkett last Wednesday afternoon.  
 The medicine show at Row-

den the past week will stay another week. It has been enjoyed by all who attended it.  
**23 Years Ago**  
 Jessie D. Shirley, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shirley of this city, is to receive a journalism degree from SMU in 1952 after serving his journalism-advertising internship with the Waco News-Tribune.  
 The Burkett Post Office was just a point short of a perfect grade, reports Mrs. Merrel Burkett, postmaster.  
 A good rain fell over this area Saturday evening and night.  
 Misses Kathryn Anderson and Billie Ruth Loving are in Corpus Christi this week attending the state convention of post office clerks.  
 Charles Mack Holdridge has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge. He is a student at Texas A&M at College Station.  
 The marriage of Miss Joann Eckelberger and Elmore I. Vestal, Jr. took place Friday in Fort Worth.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John T. Farr celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday.  
**14 Years Ago**  
 Robert Eubank has been awarded a four-year college scholarship for outstanding achievement at Big Spring High School from which he was recently graduated.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coburn of Crane are parents of twin sons born June 2.  
 James Daryl Huntington sustained two broken arms when he fell from a swing Thursday afternoon.  
 Cross Plains has been selected host city for the annual reunion of the Callahan County Pioneers Association.  
 Miss Byrene Richardson and Eugene Ferguson repeated nuptial vows Wednesday afternoon.  
 A reunion of Smith descendants representing 15 families met at Brownwood Lake Sunday. W. D. Smith attended the event.  
 Review Advertising gets results.  
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## Friday Service For John E. Pruet, 85

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Friday from the First Baptist Church in Putnam for John E. Pruet of Putnam, 84-year-old father of John A. Pruet of Cross Plains.  
 Mr. Pruet died Wednesday in an Abilene hospital. He had been in ill health for some time.  
 Rev. Hicks of Abilene, pastor of the church, officiated the funeral service.  
 Masonic graveside rites were conducted in the Putnam Cemetery.  
 Born July 24, 1888, at Ashland, Ala., Mr. Pruet came to Callahan County in 1891, settling with his late parents, near Belle Plain. He had lived in Callahan County since that time with the exception of three years spent in Colorado. He moved to the Putnam sector in 1922. He married Ruby Gunn Nov. 12, 1911, at Colony. She predeceased him in death May 29, 1970. He was a retired stock farmer, and was a member of the Putnam Baptist Church and Masonic Lodge.  
 Survivors are two sons, Arnold Floyd Pruet of Eastland and John Allen Pruet of Cross Plains; four daughters, Mrs. Ralph (Wilna) Mitchell of Houston; Mrs. Earline Clark of Boerne; Mrs. John (Roberta) Isenhour of Putnam and Mrs. Henry (Willie Grace) Mundt of Abilene; one brother, C. B. Pruet of Ranger; 20 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.  
 Grandsons served as pallbearers.  
**BAPTIST CLASS HOLDS SOCIAL ON THURSDAY**  
 The Ruth Sunday School class of First Baptist Church held its quarterly social and business meeting last Thursday at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. M. E. (Valerie) Rouse.  
 Following a brief devotional and business session, refreshments were served to Mes. V. L. Hobdy, L. L. Ingram, Otis Purvis, Mae Dillard, W. R. Marshall, Lila Webb, A. G. Morrison, Lorena Settle, Esthloy S. Dickson and Mrs. Rouse.  
 Gifts were presented to those who had birthdays during the past quarter.  
 Tommy Hornsby of Carizzo Springs visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton E. Hornsby, here last week end.

## EX-PIONEER MAN VIES IN SCOTLAND GOLF EVENT

While on an international tour, W. C. (Bill) Gibson of San Antonio, son of Mrs. W. R. Gibson, Sr. of Pioneer, played in a golf tournament at Edinburgh, Scotland, on June 1 through 5. Mr. and Mrs. Gibson are in several countries May and June, including land, Scotland, France and ers.

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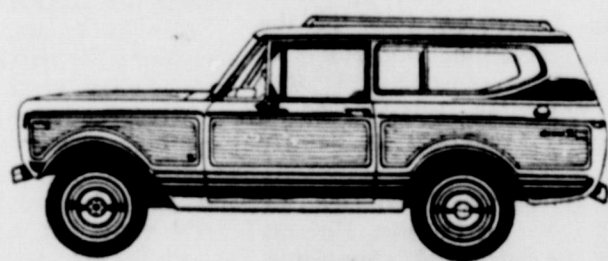
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1949	3.49	2.23	2.50	2.49	4.89	3.75	.99	2.65	1.55	3.00	3.19	2.30	33.03
1950	1.07	.27	.12	2.13	6.82	3.60	3.02	1.26	1.38	.36	.00	.00	20.03
1951	.00	.91	.94	1.55	4.20	3.88	.81	.76	.71	1.97	.00	.00	15.73
1952	.34	.30	1.30	2.60	3.37	.30	.10	.25	1.65	.00	3.12	1.49	14.73
1953	.00	.40	3.75	1.20	4.25	3.00	2.52	2.28	.15	5.87	.48	.28	24.18
1954	.71	.30	.75	4.51	3.11	.00	.25	.50	.00	2.01	2.50	.50	15.14
1955	1.39	1.71	.21	1.17	3.06	2.65	3.47	2.75	.25	2.30	.53	.00	19.46
1956	1.65	1.28	.30	5.55	2.26	.22	.00	.00	.00	2.45	1.95	2.35	18.01
1957	.36	1.85	1.26	7.40	9.50	3.46	.13	.00	4.07	5.66	1.00	4.90	38.58
1958	1.35	2.01	1.55	3.60	3.10	1.50	2.00	2.00	2.73	2.36	.25	2.21	24.71
1959	.00	.56	.30	1.65	3.27	5.37	4.09	.93	1.35	5.17	4.01	.63	27.30
1960	2.85	2.20	.00	1.76	1.84	.00	2.20	2.01	2.20	3.50	2.51	.97	21.07
1961	5.60	1.58	.46	.67	4.21	7.30	2.58	.45	.67	3.25	.55	3.66	31.20
1962	.00	.61	.76	3.09	.37	6.22	4.08	.30	7.36	3.07	.92	1.18	27.96
1963	.00	.50	.25	1.86	8.24	2.12	.22	.73	.78	.26	5.18	.83	20.87
1964	2.40	1.67	1.47	2.69	.30	.35	.10	3.02	8.95	1.45	1.68	.35	24.43
1965	2.50	1.85	.41	.76	7.87	2.41	.00	2.30	2.85	2.40	1.60	1.55	26.40
1966	.51	.86	.43	5.40	.00	4.26	.00	5.57	3.15	1.26	.02	.00	21.46
1967	.00	.57	.91	3.39	5.40	2.44	1.22	.82	5.21	1.83	1.90	1.20	24.89
1968	9.26	1.82	1.97	3.06	4.23	2.46	2.83	3.29	.80	.22	5.03	1.02	35.99
1969	.63	1.38	4.58	4.05	4.70	4.97	.60	1.80	3.82	4.33	1.58	3.33	35.77
1970	.06	2.68	3.35	1.65	3.08	2.43	.14	3.44	4.76	1.02	.00	.25	22.86
1971	.08	.97	.00	.82	3.75	1.41	2.26	6.78	4.32	4.50	.67	1.58	27.14
1972	.74	.26	.09	1.12	3.46	2.85	3.15	3.13	2.26	4.12	.82	.14	22.14
1973	2.84	2.38	1.79	3.67	2.36	3.73	5.05	.00	3.76	5.27	.93	.00	31.78
1974	.11	1.05	1.67	2.09	.93	2.67							8.52

## More Data Given On Equal Rights Proposal

By Wanetta Parson

The CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, March 22, 1972, Statement: "The proposed Equal Rights Amendment reads as follows: Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled (two-thirds of each house concurring therein), That the following article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states within SEVEN years from the date of its submission by the Congress: Article—Sec. 1. Equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of sex. Sec. 2. The Congress shall have the power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the provisions of the article. Sec. 3. This amendment shall take effect two years after the date of ratification."

The forces for the ERA have until 1979 to get the required states to ratify this article. They can even get a state to re-ratify it after it has rescinded its original ratification. These people have all the time on their side for unlike the busy housewives who oppose this drastic measure they have ample time, money, and energy to hold out and wage a massive last ditch campaign if needed. It is doubtless true, that if the fight against ERA has not reached higher levels in other areas than in our own, they will accomplish their goal. Those of you who were "going to write that letter tomorrow" ever since last month will never do it!

It is easy to put this off until it is too late to do anything to reverse still another trend to pull America a little further down the sewer drain. When you add the two years of Sec. 3 onto the seven allowed for ratification the whole thing sounds too far away to even concern ourselves. How old will your children or grandchildren be then? Will they be ready to share restrooms, gym classes and showers, army barracks and be "bunk mate" with the opposite sex? Do you really think they will come through still clinging to the morals that created and kept our nation strong? For that matter, how about you? With our life expectancy being lengthened with each new medical discovery you may be around to witness things from the ERA that you would find harder to believe than a man on the moon 20 years ago!

In earlier articles the subject of Sec 2 was discussed in relation to the vast power given Congress to enforce this amendment. We reviewed the inhumane treatment of pushing precious little children out of bed before dawn to bus them many miles to schools outside their own neighborhoods to fulfill national law to "help" our society. What makes us trust that they would use better judgement to enforce the ERA? It seems they are bent on "helping" us if they have to drag us to equality through the slime that women have been held above for years.

"The basic principle on which the Amendment rests may be stated shortly: Sex should not be a factor in determining the legal rights of men or of women. The Amendment thus recognizes the fundamental dignity and individuality of each human being. The Amendment will affect only governmental action; the private actions only requires equal treatment of individuals; it does not require any State or the federal government to establish quotas of

men or women in, for example, admission to State supported schools." (Cont. of original quote.)

First, as we have seen from events in states that have already changed their laws to fit this seemingly innocent article we know that it DOES affect the personal lives of both men and women. Second, our Congress must have had very short fore-sight to have made such a statement. Third, in many instances it does not give a woman equal rights. It reduces her to NO CHOICE in her life. If she has a family she does not have the choice to stay home and love and teach her children if her husband will not support them. She must earn the living. Of course the husband has the choice by law to just "half-way desert" his family for he is only 50 per cent responsible to them under the ERA. Civilization is moving, but which way?

With so much talk about equal opportunity for women in the educational establishments and employment fields, just how can the ERA help more women to enter these schools and jobs when it is clearly stated that "there will be no requirement to establish quotas of men and women?" Isn't this promise of more admittance why so many prominent national and international organizations endorsed the ERA? After observing this and the two federal laws last week which already forbid sex discrimination... just what can the ERA deliver that it promised in order to secure so many votes of approval? NOTHING! The slogans and panacea promises were just a cover-up to get something passed that would have been about as popular as a hornet's nest if the full details had been given to the public.

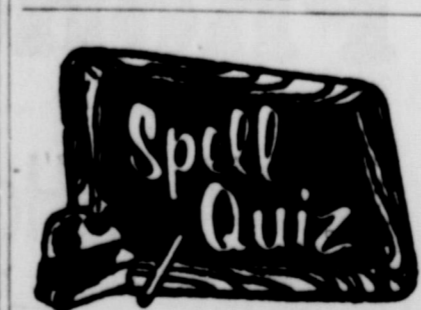
As for recognizing the fundamental dignity and individuality of each human being" I find that each of us will have far less than we had. At least I thought I had more than that! Now we can have the same equality of cattle in a feed lot. Equal rest room privileges, equal turn at the slaughter house in case of war equal more concern for the young, equal pen facilities when in jail and most of all EQUAL DISREGARD FOR OTHERS.

In spite of all this equality here is a vast difference in the appearance of the "persons" who bear the young and those who do not. I wonder what they plan to do about that?

Women will be losing all their protection laws in labor rather than gaining anything, also they will lose their extra social security benefits. These and the things that we have briefly studied the last few weeks will add up to one thing. We lose the right to be women. Those who wish to be otherwise are already doing so and now they are trying to destroy our world because they are unhappy misfits. We must not let them. Our men will cease to be proud and noble and much needed guardians of the family in the years to come. If I may borrow a friends phrase, "This does NOT meet with God's divine approbation!"

For those who have asked for addresses each of these men can be written at Capitol Station, Austin, Texas. Callahan County: Senator Jack Hightower and Representative Lynn Nabors, Eastland County: Senator Thomas Creighton and Representative Joe. C. Hanna.

This is the last article that I had planned. There is far more and I welcome calls from anyone who wants addresses, etc. to learn more. Look for a notice in the paper before long announcing another meeting for both men and women. Most important, DON'T FORGET TO WRITE THOSE LETTERS! Thank you to each reader and especially the REVIEW for giving the other side a chance to be heard.



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## \$1,840,000 In Extra Cash Coming To Callahan Folks

In Callahan County, where local residents have been having greater difficulty in recent months in coping with the surging cost of living, as have people elsewhere, there is some temporary relief in the offing. A flood of cash will be flowing into the area shortly in the form of checks from Washington.

It will consist principally of refunds that will be going to people who have overpaid on their income taxes last year through excessive payroll deductions.

More money is on its way, also, for those who are collecting Social Security benefits.

According to an estimate by the Treasury Department, a record \$22 billion in tax refunds will be distributed to about 60 million Americans during the next few months. That is well above last year's total, which was \$297.25.

Residents of Callahan County will be getting approximately \$872,000 of this amount, it is calculated. It will be going to some 2,350 local taxpayers.

The average refund this year will be about \$361. It is indicated, compared with the \$345 that was returned in 1973.

Local residents will share, in addition, in the extra \$2.4 billion that is to be distributed to Social Security beneficiaries. The checks they are now receiving are seven per cent larger than the March ones. They will go up another four per cent in July.

All in all, according to the estimates, the nation's consumers will be getting about \$24.4 billion from these two sources alone.

The part of it that goes to Callahan County residents assuming that they share proportionately in the payments out to approximately 600.

What effect will this flood of cash have on the local economy? It all depends on the spending mood of consumers in the area—how safe they are financially, how much they decide to put into saving or reducing their installment payments that they think the future holds with regard to stability, utility costs, prices and other living costs.

### Atwell Cemetery

(Continued from Page 1)

Rouse; Others were Purvis \$3, Mrs. Howard \$1.25, Merritt Dill \$1, Hutchins and Paul \$1, and Owen Rouse \$1. Total was \$297.25. Those contributing to building of the shelter Maggie Wilson and Paul shear \$25 each; Gerald P. Hutchins and Paul Rouse \$10 each; Joe H. Hutchins, Exa Hutchins, Bandy Intire, Clint Brashear, Pillars, Iona Jones, Brashear, and Billy Black Aleta Pinnell gave \$1. Total was \$111.00.

Following the program, building committee was recommended for their efforts and were dismissed from office. The committee consisted of Steve Foster, chair, Freddy Tatom, B. F. Hutchins, Buster Black and Clint shear.

## Thunder Showers Yield Good Rains Over Area

Thunder showers which roamed over this section of Texas in early morning hours Sunday and about 8 o'clock Monday morning dumped 2.67 inches of rain in Cross Plains, according to official measurement by F. C. Newton.

The thunder showers featured vivid lightning displays and a few small hailstones were reported in Cross Plains with the Monday's rain. High winds were reported in Burkett with Sunday's rain.

Newton revealed that 1.17 inches fell here Sunday, and additional 1.50 inches were received on Monday. In two days June became the wettest month of 1974 a distinction April held previously with 2.09 inches. Total moisture in Cross Plains to near noon Tuesday was 8.52 inches, still below normal for just over five months.

Top area rainfall report came from the Burkett community where 3.80 inches fell. A gauge there showed 1.80 inches Sunday and two inches on Monday morning. Next in line was Cross Cut with an even three inches, 1.40 and 1.60 Sunday and Monday respectively.

The Rowden sector received 2.20 inches in the two days, and the Alton E. Hornsby place, in the northwest part of the community, received a two-day total of 2.50. Both Cottonwood and Pioneer got about an inch each time, and Atwell totaled the same, but had a half-inch Sunday and three times that amount Monday.

## \$100 Gift Boosts Burkett-Adams Fund

Latest contribution to the Burkett-Adams Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund was for \$100 from L. E. Mountain of Burkett.

A spokesman for the cemetery permanent care fund said that it is a fine act on the part of families and friends of the two cemetery associations to place memorials to the fund. It was also reported that both cemeteries are now in very good condition, but to assure the future care it is hoped that interest from certificates need to be added to regularly.

All contributions may be sent to Citizens State Bank in Cross Plains or to Vera Pearl Bunnell, Route 1, Box 25 E. Cross Plains, Texas 76443.

## Cottonwood Locality Grateful For Rains

By Mrs. Wayne Brown

Storms roamed our area Sunday and Monday mornings. Rainfall totals an inch and a half Sunday and an inch and more in sections on Monday. We are so grateful for the moisture.

Our hearts are saddened in Cottonwood by the loss of our friend and neighbor, Mr. O. O. Sandifer. We wish to express our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Sandifer and family in loss of their loved one.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee and Deana, and Mrs. Roy Summers of Denver City visited with their mother, Mrs. Alice Champion and at the O. O. Sandifer home on Sunday.

Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle was in the hospital for a few days a week ago and now is at home. Hope she is doing well.

Recent visitors in the D. T. Wrinkle home were Mrs. Robert Brown and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hughes of Bronte; Mrs. Lula Maddux of Ranger, Mrs. Nettie Morris of Fort Worth, Rev. Knox Waggoner, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hughes, Mrs. Ethel Anderson, Mrs. Dona Neeb, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Copping and Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Smith and Ted, all of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hughes of Fort Worth spent a night recently with his mother, Mrs. C. R. Myrick.

## Personals

Mrs. Elvis (Minnie) Bollinger of Snyder has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Woodard, this past week.

Mrs. Rufus Renfro, Mrs. Wes Holcomb and Mrs. Ethel Anderson visited with John Conger in an Eastland hospital on Friday. Mr. Conger underwent surgery this past Tuesday. He is the brother of Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Holcomb.

Welcome to the community to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Creamer, Richard, Lee and La Vanda, who have moved in west of Cottonwood. Mrs. Creamer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. X. L. Stroud.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Landolt, Mike and David, of Pasadena are spending a portion of their vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Landolt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fleming of Brownwood spent last Sunday here with their parents, the Dale Garys and the L. J. Flemings.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Webb of Round Rock are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Lila Webb, this week.

Tim and Jamie Foster, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Foster of Odessa, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster this week. Tim will remain for the summer and work for his grandfather, and also for his uncle, Randy Foster.

## TO CALLAHAN COUNTY VOTERS

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to all who had a part in my candidacy for Callahan County School Superintendent.

In fairness to you who voted in my behalf, I have asked for an official re-count of all the county voting boxes.

Under the present election laws, if the difference between the winning votes and those in second place is 5% or less, the person in second place is allowed a re-count to be paid for by the one who contests the election results. In my case, it was a 12 vote difference or less than 1%. This re-count is being done without offense to friend or foe.

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**E. L. (Chief) REESE**  
Pol. Adv. Paid for by E. L. (Chief) Reese

## TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT 4

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for your support and vote in my recent bid for re-election as your County Commissioner.

Your encouragement and support will always be remembered by a grateful and humble heart. Congratulations go to my successor for a clean race.

SINCERELY  
**DUKE MITCHELL**  
Pol. Adv. Paid for by Duke Mitchell