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SIXTY-SEVENTH YEAR

## Record' Grain Harvest Ending Locally

Already the bumper crop has funneled almost a quarter of a million dollars into the local economy. Two Cross Plains buyers, Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply and Cross Plains Grain and Peanut Co., had combined to purchase an estimated four and one-half million pounds of wheat. At \$2.95 per bushel for number one wheat, about the average price this season was being paid Tuesday morning the four and one-half million pounds netted roughly \$220,000. Normally local dealers buy about four million pounds locally.

## Partner Golf At Lakewood

Annual partnership golf tournament at Lakewood Recreation Center, located midway between Cross Plains and Rising Star, was held July 11, 12 and 13.

## Bill Pope Re-Elected Sheep Group Prexy

Bill Pope of the Atwell community was unanimously re-elected to a second term as president of the American Rambouillet Breeders Association during the organization's 87th annual meeting held in San Angelo last Friday and Saturday.

## Rundell Now At Temple After Surgery

John J. Woody of Cross Plains, superintendent of Cross Plains schools, is currently being examined by an attorney. City plans to buy the land at a cost of \$15,600 if the title is clear.

## Cats Retain Local L.L. Lead

Cats, but lead-off batter Rocky Callaway doubled which was followed by another two-base blow by his brother, Marty Callaway. McClure singled Callaway home. Cats got lead-off hitters on the next two frames and as far as third, but could not score. The unit went down in order in the top of the sixth inning.

Kilowatts played dead for the first three frames, going down in order. In the fourth two runs crossed the plate. Lead-off batter Joe Holland singled and later scored. Johnny Neeb also scored after reaching base with one out. Randy Ingram walked and reached third before the final out was recorded.

Two more Kilowatt runs scored in the fifth. With one away, Tony Apple singled which was followed by a single from Kim Jones, who was later thrown out. Holland singled with two outs, and rode home on a double by Joe Hennessey.

Marty Callaway worked most of the game for the Cats with relief help in the fifth from brother Rocky. Holland went the distance on the mound for the Kilos. Cats collected seven hits and three walks off Holland who struck out eight. Kilowatts got five hits and just three walks off the Callaway boys who fanned five Kilos.

Beadels pounded the Buffs 18-3 in a three-inning contest in the nightcap. Beadels came to play, scoring 14 runs in the first inning. They added three more in the second and one in the third. Buffs got their trio of scores in a brief flurry in the second frame.

## Historical Group Asks Dedication Of Events

Callahan County Historical Survey Committee met June 10 at the courthouse in Baird with eight members present. Mrs. John Berry, chairman, presided.

It was announced that month of July is County History Appreciation Month. Committee members suggested that any bicentennial celebrations be dedicated to the late B. C. Christian of Baird, well known historian, and to other pioneer settlers of this area.

The Committee also voted to ask leaders from various parts of Callahan County to plan for a county-wide bicentennial observance in 1976. This will be in addition to the several projects and celebrations which are being carried out or planned for the present year in different county towns.

Next regular meeting of the Historical Survey Committee will be on September 9 in Baird.

## Cottonwood Musicales Carded Friday Night

The regular third Friday musicale is scheduled at the Community Center at Cottonwood for Friday night.

A spokesman for the event said that doors to the center will open about 6:30 p.m. and the music will begin between 7 and 7:30 p.m.

Although there is no special event planned, Jack Priest of Albany, master of ceremonies for the musicale, reported that another fine array of country and western talent will be on hand to perform.

Following usual custom ladies of the community will have plenty of sandwiches, pies, cakes and drinks on sale in the kitchen.

There is no admission charge, and the public is invited to attend. It was emphasized by one Cottonwood resident.

Howard McGowen of Brownwood was in Cross Plains on business Friday and visited with relatives and friends while here.

## New School Bill To Cost Local District \$111,000

According to Superintendent of Cross Plains School System Frank Rundell, the new school bill which passed the Texas Legislature recently will cost taxpayers in this district an additional \$111,000 during the next two school years. Next year total increased cost is estimated at \$75,000.

## Dressy Cemetery Gets \$30 In Recent Gifts

Mrs. Flem (Hester) Johnson has acknowledged receiving four donations, totaling \$30, for the Dressy Cemetery Association. The local lady serves as secretary-treasurer for the organization.

The contributions came from the following: Imogene Bragg \$5, Mrs. Zelda Long \$10, Mrs. Jess Womack \$5 and A. R. Cavanaugh \$10.

Mrs. Johnson noted that all persons with loved ones or friends buried at Dressy are invited to help with cost of maintaining the burial ground. Gifts may be sent to the cemetery in care of the Citizens State Bank in Cross Plains, Texas 76443, or they may be mailed to Mrs. Johnson at Route 1, Cross Plains.

Acknowledgements of all donations will be made through columns of this newspaper on a periodic basis.

## Pancake Drilling Co. Opens New Office

Pancake Drilling Co. of Cross Plains has opened newly remodeled offices just east of the city.

Owners Bill Pancake and Jackie Pancake have invited the public as well as local and area oil operators and contractors to come in and view the new facilities on Thursday when free coffee and donuts will be offered all visitors.

The new offices are located just east of Cross Plains in the building formerly housing the Cross Plains Truck Stop Cafe. Extensive remodeling has been completed by the Pancake brothers. The building has been divided into sections, two offices, reception area and lounge.

Bill Gregg has leased one of the offices.

The local drilling company, offering contract drilling from 500 to 4,000 feet, is also utilizing the land area around the new offices as an equipment yard. The local concern has been in business for the past two and one-half years, and last year's payroll ran in excess of \$200,000. Although the firm is presently running only one rig, another is planned in the near future.

Doyle Burchfield of this city, who has been with the firm about two years, will continue as accountant.

Bill Pancake noted that other interests of the company, such as oil and gas leases, will also be handled from the new quarters.

## Cottonwood Church Begins Gospel Meeting On Sunday

A five-day gospel meeting has been scheduled at the Cottonwood Church of Christ next week.

The meeting will begin Sunday, June 26. Services will be held each evening beginning at 8 o'clock.

Evangelist for the five-day meeting will be Mr. Lee Clark of Bayfield, Colo. He has attended the Bear Valley School of Preaching at Denver, Colo.

ator Farabee and Representative Lynn Nabers, this administration (trustees and superintendent) opposed this move! No bill at all would have been better for our locale!

In the past, we paid 18 per cent of the cost for the education of our children, and now we will pay 30 per cent. The local fund assignment for the school year 1974-75 was \$41,000. For the school year 1975-76 it will be \$89,000, and for 1976-77 it will be \$104,000.

The state did increase maintenance and operation \$25,794.

## First Baptist Church Here To Note 85th Anniversary

First Baptist Church of Cross Plains will observe its 85th anniversary Sunday.

Special services are planned for that morning and afternoon. Featured will be four former pastors of the church here, Rev. D. R. Philley of Cimarron, Kan., Rev. V. D. Walters and Rev. E. V. Brooks both of Abilene and Rev. Roger Butler of Cleburne.

Morning worship service will begin earlier than usual Sunday, at 10:50 a.m., and the afternoon session will start at 1:30 and last about two hours.

Dinner will be served at noon in Fellowship Hall.

The First Baptist Church was originally organized on the second Sunday in June 1890 with 18 charter members, all now dead. First pastor was Major Roscoe Surles, and the church was first located a block west of the present cemetery. The congregation moved to the present site in 1911. It is the town's oldest religious body.

Highlights of the day's activities were reported as follows.

Following usual reports and songs during the morning worship, present pastor, Rev. Curtis T. Simpson will offer a prayer and welcome visitors. Jack Scott, mayor of Cross Plains, will give a brief history of the church. Rev. Philley will deliver the morning sermon.

That afternoon three other former pastors will speak briefly. In order they will be Rev. Walters, Rev. Brooks and Rev. Butler. The sermonettes will be intermingled with a prayer by Rev. E. A. Jordan of this city.

## JOHN WOODY REPORTED IMPROVED AT TEMPLE

John J. Woody of Cross Plains is reported to be improving as well as could be expected while taking very severe treatments at a Veteran's Administration Hospital at Temple. Mr. Woody has been at Temple since first week in June. He may be addressed in care of V. A. Hospital, West Ward 13-B, Temple, Texas 76501.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris (Buddy) Belew of Clarksville spent last week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Belew and other relatives and friends.

which is still far from being adequate to take care of our old high school building.

Transportation was increased \$11,400 which is \$10,000 short of taking care of this cost. Local district must pick up the difference, when in reality all funding for transportation is supposed to be covered by the state.

By lowering the ADA (Average Daily Attendance) student-teacher ratio, the state picked up 70 per cent of the salaries of our two excess teachers. But in the new bill they have ruled that students enrolled in our Cisco program, agricultural program, homemaking program and special education program cannot be counted in ADA. Therefore we lose the benefit of the lower ADA pupil-teacher ratio.

What this means is that we must find an additional \$75,000 for the next school year. If this is equalizing education over the state, then the other schools must have been really bad off. If the state does not increase taxes, then the local district will have to thereby enabling the Governor to shift what should be the state's responsibility to the local districts.

The Board of Trustees and administration want the people to know we tried and suggested to the Legislature that the state, which has a large tax base, should absorb more of the educational cost. We don't understand why a portion of the sales taxes can't be used to help reduce the ad valorem tax. Until the Governor is willing to help the taxpayers, there is nothing we can do but raise local taxes as long as we want a school in Cross Plains.

## Countywide July 4th Show Set At Baird

Plans are being made for a countywide, old-fashioned July 4th celebration on Friday, July 4, in Baird.

Mrs. James Paul Shanks is heading up the planned event.

All Callahan and area clubs, bands and organizations are being invited to participate. Clubs and individuals will be exhibiting all types of arts and crafts, paintings to pastries and hand crafts from needlework to nonsense. Residents of county rest homes are expected to show handcrafts.

A portion of downtown Baird will be blocked off for the celebration.

Baird Chamber of Commerce is a driving force behind the event which will be something like the old settler reunion. A larger event is planned for next year.

## City Begins Process For Purchase Of Waterfield

City of Cross Plains has exercised its option to purchase a 36-acre tract of land two miles north of town which it plans to develop into a new waterfield.

Title to the tract, offered by owner Harold Hinkle of this city, is currently being examined by an attorney. City plans to buy the land at a cost of \$15,600 if the title is clear.

Tests on three original wells on the tract and two more drilled by the city have been completed, and Water Commissioner Alvin Hutchins reported that water was produced in sufficient quantity to make development feasible.

There was once a question on quality of the water, thought to contain unacceptable high nitrate concentrations. Additional tests have revealed the first test was in error, and the water is of better quality than that now being provided.

## MRS. RAYMOND DeBUSK ON TOUR OF VIRGIN ISLANDS

Mrs. Raymond DeBusk of Cross Plains and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Geneva Cowan of Houston, boarded a ship at Miami, Fla., last Saturday for a seven-day cruise in the Virgin Island area. They were to also visit other interesting ports in that area.

The two ladies are scheduled to land back in Miami on Saturday and will return home the following day.

Descendants of the R. M. Proctor Family and the Fisher-Hamilton Families, all of whom met in reunion last Sunday at Cross Cut, donated \$50 for upkeep of the burial ground.

Other recent gifts came from Mrs. Loyda Griffin \$10, Miss Ocie Byrd \$10, and Miss Opal Byrd \$10.

It was noted that persons wishing to help with expenses of keeping the final resting place of friends and relatives in an attractive manner may mail donations to Mrs. W. L. (Les) Byrd at Route 2, Cross Plains, Texas 76443.

Donations to the Cross Cut Cemetery Association will be published in columns of the Review on a periodic basis.

## MRS. JAMES APPLE HOME FROM STAY IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. James Apple returned to her home west of Cross Plains Monday after an extended stay in an Abilene hospital. She recently underwent surgery there.

## Cross Cut Cemetery Gets \$80 In Gifts

The Cross Cut Cemetery Association has recently received \$80 in gifts, according to Mrs. Les Byrd of Cross Cut who serves as secretary-treasurer of the organization.

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**BABY GIRL IS BORN TO TONY GOLSONS JUNE 14**

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Golson of Abilene became parents of a baby daughter Saturday, June 14.

The little lady, born at 6:45 p.m. at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital at Coleman, weighed six pounds and eight ounces. She has been named Christina Michelle. She is the couple's first child.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Odell Golson of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Sanders of Abilene.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. M. A. Golson of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Sanders of Roscoe and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Quinney of Abilene.



Mr. and Mrs. Randall Jack Pancake

**Lofton-Pancake Vows Said At Local Home On June 6**

Miss Sheila Lavonne Lofton and Mr. Randal Jack Pancake were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony Friday, June 6, in the home of Mrs. Marie Dillard in Cross Plains with Rev. Mike Kelley officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Richard Bennett of Biloxi, Miss., and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Crenshaw of Cross Plains. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Pancake of Cross Plains.

Organist was Miss Terry Dillard, cousin of the groom, who played the "Theme from Love Story" and accompanied the vocalist, Mattie Faye Dixon who sang "Wedding Song".

Given in marriage by her grandfather, the bride wore an empire style gown of bridal satin overlaid with white eyelet. Her double tiered veil of bridal illusion fell from a band covered in satin and eyelet. She carried a white Bible on which rested her bouquet of two white orchids surrounded by baby's breath.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Debbie Thomas of Breckenridge, and bridesmaid was Caroline Berton of Cross Plains. Flower girl was Miss Shae Pancake, sister of the groom.

The bride's attendant wore empire style gowns of orchid and white organza. They carried a long-stemmed white rose.

Best man was Jimmy Bates of Cross Plains, and groomsman was Nick Cantu of Orange Grove, Texas.

Candles were lighted by Abby and Lindsay Bennett, sisters of the bride.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Ray Worley of Cross Plains. Seating guests were Greg Pancake, Tim Dillard and Nickki Wilson, all cousins of the groom.

Reception was held following the ceremony. Serving at the bride's table were Deana Strickland and Kala Templin, both of Cross Plains, and Sharon Crenshaw and Ann Daniel, both of Abilene.

The couple will be making their home in Cross Plains.

Wesley and Vonnie Rutherford of Sulphur Springs are visiting her mother, Althea Fuller of Baird, and his father, R. E. Rutherford of Putnam.

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**Sabanno Sector News**

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Farmers are planting peanuts in all directions and they will soon have them all planted. A nice rain now would be a big help.

Mr. and Mrs. James Switzer and little son have gotten moved into our community. They have a lovely new home at the edge of the mountain, just west of his parents home, the O. B. Switzers. We welcome them to our community. This place will be remembered as the home place of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Erwin.

Visiting with Mrs. Lillie Williams over the week end were her daughter, Mrs. Cox of De Leon and Mrs. Joe Montgomery of near Fort Worth. The grandchildren were along also and little George Montgomery will spend the summer with his grandmother.

Shari Watson left Friday with the Girl Scouts for a trip to camp at Lake Brownwood.

Mrs. Mary Bates of Cross Plains visited with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer Saturday.

Stacy and Randy Goble of Brownwood are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rector, Sr. for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holcomb and children of Clyde and Stephen Bailey of Clyde were visitors with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb.

Mrs. Albert Gardner of Abilene visited with the Edwin Erwins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Watson had a lot of fun and work at their farm Saturday when several of their children met at their farm home and harvested their potato crop. A good crop was harvested, as well as a good family visit. There were 26 for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Baum made a trip to Big Spring Sunday to visit their son-in-law who is in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Nichols of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman McKoy of Clyde visited with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Thursday for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb visited with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Livingston in Gustine Friday night.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer visited with Mrs. Wordis Erwin Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb visited her sister, Mrs. Ethel Anderson in Cross Plains Thursday.

A recent report from J. R. Rector, Jr., is that he is still in the Brownwood Community Hospital, but has been released.

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from intensive care. He is slowly improving.

Mrs. Pat Shirley is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Lester King. Her sister, Mrs. J. E. Key, from Cross Plains visited her Sunday.

Mrs. Pauline Switzer, Mrs. Lonnie Switzer and Belinda and Mrs. Edwin Erwin visited with Mrs. James Switzer Wednesday afternoon.

**Mrs. Blanche Fortune Honored On Birthday**

Mrs. W. H. (Blanche) Fortune was honored last Sunday with a dinner on the occasion of her 90th birthday. The celebration was held at the honoree's home in Cross Plains and was attended by all her children.

The children are Mr. and Mrs. Garth Fortune of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Swafford of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Dorris of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fortune of Sweetwater.

**SHOWER WILL HONOR MISS BROWN, VIC CURRY**

A bridal shower will be held at the Multipurpose Center in Cross Plains this Friday, June 20, from 8 to 9:30 p.m. honoring Miss Teri Brown and Vic Curry. Hostesses for the occasion are Mrs. Calvin Ingram, Mrs. Mamie Clark, Mrs. Maxine Dimitri and Mrs. Ileta Jones.

All friends of the families are invited to attend.

**EX-LOCAL MAN TO STAR IN ACC DRAMA OFFERING**

Mike Moore, a 1973 graduate of Cross Plains High School and son of Mr. and Mrs. Audie Moore of Eastland and formerly of this city, will have a starring role in an upcoming production of the drama department at Abilene Christian College.

Moore, an honor student here, will play the part of Dirk Sneath in the vaudeville-type melodrama "Love Rides the Rails". The show will be presented as a dinner-dessert offering in ACC's Sewell Theatre on July 3-5, 10-12 and 17-19.

**2 SHALLOW TESTS SET IN SOUTH PUTNAM FIELD**

Robert P. Conner of Midland has staked two 800-foot County Regular projects in east-central Callahan County, five miles southwest of Putnam.

The No. 5 A. M. Jones spots from north and 1,170 feet from feet from east lines of Section 28, Deaf & Dumb Asylum Lands Survey.

The No. 6 Jones is 2,190 feet from north and 1,170 feet from east lines of the same Section 28.

**4,300-FOOT WILDCAT PROBE SLATED EAST OF BAIRD**

Lone Star Producing Company has staked a 4,300-foot wildcat in central-north Callahan County, 3 miles east of Baird.

Designated the No. 1 E. L. Brown, the venture will be drilled 3 miles south of the Herr-King multipay field and spots 1,980 feet from north and west lines of Section 77, Bayland Orphan Home Survey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Payne, Kim and Dennis, of Imperial spent last week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Payne, Melissa and other relatives.

Office Supplies At Review



Mrs. Opal (Underwood) Hobbs, N. M. here with her parents, Mrs. Leaman Underwood, other relatives and other recent visitors were Mrs. Leman Underwood of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Underwood of Abilene and Mrs. Brent Underwood of Abilene.

Mrs. Chester Glover Ben Atwood visited Mrs. Forbes in Cisco last termocn.

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## Pioneer

By Esthly S. Dickson

Mr. and Mrs. Al Taylor of Killeen visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Halsell last Sunday. Accompanying them were Mr. and Mrs. Jess McMinn also of Killeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Athans and sons of Odessa have spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Daniel. Other visitors last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Chapman of Denver City, and David Daniel and Doug Chapman of Odessa.

Mrs. May Jones of Corpus Christi is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Doss Alexander, for a few days. Mrs. Alexander recently returned from a five-day stay in West Texas Medical Center in Abilene where she underwent tests and treatment. She is reported improving. Week end visitors in the Alexander home were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alexander of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander of Clyde.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stover whose daughter, Vickie and husband, Mike, have presented them with another grandson, Michael Dustin was born June 4 in San Saba.

Elaine Ratliff has returned to her home following several days' convalescence in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Grider. She has a friend from Brownwood staying with her and caring for her now. Mrs. Ratliff recently underwent surgery at Eastland Memorial.

Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Beggs and daughters of Tivoli spent last week end here with their parents, the J. T. Beggs and the Starks in Rising Star.

### PIONEER DRIVE-IN THEATRE NOW OPEN ON WEEK ENDS

The drive-in theatre at Pioneer will re-open Friday, June 20.

It was noted that at the present time the concern will be open only on week ends, showing films Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The theatre has scheduled the movie "Freebie and the Bean" for its first showing, June 20 through 22.

The movie has been closed for the past few months.

## Little League

(Continued from Page 1)

aged two runs in the fourth inning.

Beadels got just five hits, all singles, off the two Cat hurlers, Marty Callaway and Ronald Hilburn, who worked two innings each. Neither Ricky Brown nor Bill Burleson could quiet the bats of the Cats with their offerings from the mound.

Two Cats got triples, Rocky Callaway and Eric Robertsen and collecting doubles were Wesley Hiburn (two), Mike McClure and Ronald Hilburn.

Bufs came from behind to win their second game of the season, upsetting the second place Kilowatts 11-7 in the nightcap Tuesday. The eventual winners got started good with a three-run outburst in the top of the first inning. Kilowatts retaliated with five runs in the last half of the frame. The Kilos added another run in the second for a 6-3 advantage.

Two unearned runs cut the Buff deficit to one run, 6-5, in the third. Kilowatts went down in order in the third and fourth frames, while Bufs counted three scores in the fourth for an 8-6 edge. Another trio of Bufs crossed the plate in the top of the fifth, and Kilos could score just one run in the last of the fifth inning.

Winning hurler was Steve Hargrove in three relief innings of starter Greg Hutchins. Three Kilowatts saw action on the mound, Joe Holland, Joe Hennesay and Johnny Neeb.

Bufs collected seven hits in the win, three by lead-off hitter David Strickland, a single and two doubles. Kilowatts also managed seven hits, three in the first frame. Joe Holland got a pair of doubles, but long blows, triples, were by Tony Apple and Tommy Phillips.

Standings through last week were as follows:

	W	L	Pct.
Cats	6	2	.750
Kilowatts	5	3	.625
Beadels	3	5	.375
Bufs	2	6	.250

Pat and Jim Potter of Midland are spending two weeks here in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Buckner.



**FIVE GENERATIONS**—The above-pictured portion of the McGee family can brag of five generations. The picture, taken some months ago, was offered by Melrose Brown of Bangs. Shown in photo are, left to right, Ernestine Brinkley of Portales, N. M., Billie

Ann Willingham of Jal. N. M., holding young Jerry Todd Willingham. Melrose Brown of Bangs and Mrs. Minnie McGee of Cross Plains. Mrs. Brown notes that Mrs. McGee is still very active at the age of 87. She still does her housework, washing and ironing for herself and Charlie.

### NORTHEAST CALLAHAN GET DEEP FIELD VENTURE

ACR Exploration, Inc., of Abilene has scheduled a 4,100-foot regular field probe in northeast Callahan County, about 10 miles north of Putnam.

ACR's No. 1 Anthony Heirs is a twin to an old 4,167-foot failure and is inside of old shallow production.

Drillsite is 330 feet from north and 1,650 feet from east lines of Section 3, Deaf & Dumb Asylum Lands Survey.

### HOMER NORRIS RUSHED TO ABILENE HOSPITAL

Homer Norris of Cross Cut was rushed to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene about 4 a.m. Monday. It was learned here on Tuesday that he was immediately placed in the intensive care unit.

His condition was reported as "stable" on Tuesday, but he was said to be seriously ill. Tests were being made first of the week.

Monday evening at 5 o'clock is deadline for advertising.

Deadline for News 10 O'Clock Tuesday Morning

## Potato Vines Sport Green Tomatoes Also

W. R. (Richard) Thompson of this city was showing a potato vine last week which had small green balls on it resembling tomatoes. It was thought that his plant might be the only one of its kind.

That belief was shattered later in the week when T. G. Phillips, who lives near Pecar Bayou south of Cross Cut, also brought in a potato vine with small tomatoes growing on it. The potato was of the red variety. The tomatoes were cut, and proved to be tomatoes.

In both instances both vines had been dug before the tomatoes were noticed. Both men were to check other potato vines, and if there were others with tomatoes on them, they were to be left to see what the outcome may be.

Mrs. Louise Lacour and Mrs. Eugene Williams, mother and sister of Mrs. Willard (Sara) Thomas, have spent the past week here in the Thomas home.

### BABY BOY IS BORN TO KENNETH SMITHS JUNE 12

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Kenne's Smith of near Rising Star are parents of a baby boy born last Thursday, June 12, and weighing six pounds, two ounces. The little lad has been named Brandon Kent and has a big brother, Terrill, age 4.

Grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Price of Santa Anna, and Mrs. Doyle Smith of Graham. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sim Fuller of Dallas and Mrs. Wright Price of Cameron.

Randy Stambaugh, stationed at Goodfellow AFB at San Angelo spent last week end here with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stambaugh and other relatives and friends. Mrs. Bert Ehresman, an aunt of Plainview, spent a week with the Stambaughs and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smith of Houston spent last week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith.

### LAKEWOOD GOLF WINNERS ARE TOLD

In the Golf Scramble at Lakewood Recreation Center Sunday, first place, won by E. L. Rankin, second place by E. Pair, Cliff Gilmore, and Jay Rankin. Score of 65, went to Westerman and Mary.

There was a tie for place, and the play-off were Jack Scott, Frank Rhymes and Smith with a 66.

Out-of-town guests recently visiting the J. E. were Mr. and Mrs. T. Han and Celeta, Mr. and Mrs. David Christie, all of Ed. Larry Green and Jackson, Miss. Mrs. Bruce Strahan of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Maria of Anchorage.

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## Lowell Corn Buried At Baird On Tuesday

Funeral for Lowell Corn of Baird, 59-year-old native of Putnam and widely known over the county was held at 2 p.m. Tuesday from the First Baptist Church in Baird.

Mr. Corn expired at 11:30 p.m. Sunday in an Abilene hospital after a long illness.

The Rev. H. B. Terry, pastor of the Temple Baptist Church in Abilene, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Riley Fugitt, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Clyde. Burial was in Ross Cemetery at Baird.

Born Jan. 30, 1916, at Putnam, he worked for the City of Baird in the electrical department. He had lived there 28 years. He married Audrey Beeler Dec. 26, 1936, in Baird.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Robert of Dallas, Jerry of Miami, Fla., and Larry of Arlington; two daughters, Paula Higgins of Baird and Betty Major of Tampa, Fla.; four brothers, Irvin and Raymond, both of Baird, Ben of Marshall and Weldon of Ajo, Ariz.; two sisters, Annie Mae Lahm of Ajo, Ariz. and Opal Francisco of Putnam; and nine grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Roy Denny, Lloyd Jones, Fabian Bell, Garvin Jones, Pinky Black, Bo Pruitt, Jim Hatchett and M. L. Hughes. Honorary pallbearers were Baird city employees.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Clarence and J. H., and a sister, Dura.

## Local Snake Handler Siates Benefit Show

R. B. (Cotton) Dillard of Lake Brownwood, formerly of Cross Plains, will put on a snake handling exhibit and give testimony at Sheppard, Texas, Saturday, June 28, for the fire department there.

He and his wife recently performed by invitation at the annual pow wow at the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation in East Texas. He was invited by the tribe chiefs, and an estimated 2,000 people viewed his act and heard him witness for Christ there.

He also recently performed at a recreation center at Livingston which is operated by his brother, Vernon Dillard.

### LAKEWOOD LADIES CARD LUNCHEON FOR FRIDAY

Lakewood Ladies Club will have a covered dish luncheon at the Recreation Center this Friday, June 20, at 12:30 noon. All members and friends are invited and urged to bring a dish and attend this affair.

### LOCAL FEMINIE GOLFERS VIE IN BAIRD TOURNEY

Three teams of ladies from Lakewood Golf Club attended the Baird Ladies Partnership tournament first week in June. Local players were Mrs. O. B. Edmondson, Jack Scott, J. L. Bonner, E. L. Garrett, Dick Grider and Mike Cunningham. Mrs. Grider and Mrs. Cunningham won a third place in first flight.

Miss Gena Finley of Baird won first place with the longest drive, but could not accept the award, so that honor went to Mrs. Cunningham.

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## Burkett Neighborhood News

By Mrs. Joe C. Golson

A double ring wedding ceremony united Miss Donna Strickland and Glendal Garvin in marriage May 30th. Leonard Waggoner, Church of Christ minister of Abilene, officiated the ceremony.

The wedding was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Strickland of Snyder, parents of the bride.

The bridegroom's parents are Mrs. Flossie Garvin of Stamford and Glen Garvin of Snyder. Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length gown of sheer white muslin. The empire style white featured short puff sleeves, square neckline and deep eyelet embroidered ruffles. Her veil was beaded Venice lace.

The bridal bouquet was of orange carnations and baby's breath.

The bride carried out the theme of something old by wearing a garnet ring belonging to her mother; something new was her wedding ensemble; borrowed was a jade necklace belonging to her sister, and something blue was her garter.

Debra Strickland served as her sister's maid of honor. She wore a pale yellow sheer muslin gown, with prints of cord, blue and green flowers, and she carried a nosegay of yellow carnations.

David Jones of Snyder served as best man.

A reception followed the ceremony and serving in the house party were Daphne Strickland and Kelly Townsend, sisters of the bride.

Following a short wedding trip the couple will reside at 2701 Avenue G, Apt. 3, Snyder, Texas.

The bride is a student at Snyder High School, and the groom is employed by the Baremore Drilling Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harding of Rising Star visited the D. A. Boyles Thursday evening.

Mr. Arch Harris of Coleman visited in the Walter (Tooter) Adams home over the Fathers' Day week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Stephenson of DeQueen, Ark., and Mrs. Robbie Bowden of Rising Star visited with Mrs. Kathryn Cravens Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hud Burkett of Coleman visited the store Tuesday evening. They had been to visit Mrs. Eula Hunter of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. (Bill) Ensor of Odessa visited in Burkett recently and they stopped by the store to say hello. Bill said many a time he would run off from the cotton patch and end up at the old Burkett Bridge hiding from his mother. Mrs. Virgie Ensor. When Bill left Burkett he attended school over at Ranger, it was called the N.Y.A. Youth organization, and he was taught wood work and such at this school. One night he and a bunch of boys worked until they got a car down the steps of the old hotel basement, and then it took a while for folks to get it out. The item of the buggy on the top of the Bob Cross Cafe brought this to his mind. Thanks for dropping by Bill. Come again.

Visitors in the Delbert Boyle home this last Sunday evening were Mr. Ira Hall, Mrs. Arthur Boyle, Mrs. Jerry Boyle, Amy and Elcia, and Mrs. Bobby Golson, Scottie and Kayla.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cross of Aransas Pass and their grandson, Blake of Searcy, Arkansas, stopped in to visit the Delbert Boyles recently. They were all on their way back to the "Pass" after a visit in Arkansas. Blake is going to spend some time with the Crosses and in Corpus this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Cross and Lisa of Corpus spent the week end with the Delbert Boyles week before last.

Visiting in the S. C. Evans home over the Fathers' Day week end, were Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McCormick of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goss and family of Lueders, Mrs. Betty Chatham and Connie, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Skiles and family, Mrs. Joann Burton, Kathy and Ronald, all of Abilene, Mr. Dutch Evans of Sinton and Freda Burkett of Burkett.

I would like to say hi to Ernest Harris over in Cross Plains Rest Home. I hope you had a nice Fathers' Day, and will have a good week.

Hi to Aunt May. I think of you often, sorry I haven't taken the time to drop by and see you but will soon. I hope you have a good week.

Hi, Grannie McAnally. I was driving past your house the other day and all at once out of the weeds in the ditch, ran a little Banty hen and her chicks. There must have been nine or ten little ones of all colors. They were so pretty that I stopped the truck and watched them cross the road in front of me and round the corner of your home. Folks tell me that you just let them be, and they set when and where they wish. Could this be the secret of raising baby chicks? Or is the Banty hen that much different from other hens?

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barnett motored over to Ballinger to attend the wedding of Mrs. Barnett's nephew, Keith Collon.

Lee Brown of Coleman stopped by the store to say hello and tell us how much he enjoyed the Burkett Report. Thanks to you, Lee. Come again.

I had a nice surprise the other evening, Hugh Burns came to the store to say hello and say that he read the Coleman and Cross Plains papers and enjoyed the Burkett Report. Hugh is getting around pretty good after having a fall on the ice last winter and undergoing hip surgery. He said "I used to have a lot of hunting dogs, and when they decided to run the new highway through here, I told them o.k. but not to run it through my dog pens or the Burkett Cemetery. And do you know, they came pretty close to those dog pens. Oh, I had some swell dogs and I thought a lot of them. We used to do a lot of hunting around here years ago, me and old Luther and Reese Porter sure had some good times." Thanks for taking the time to stop by Hugh. I enjoyed meeting you. Come again and bring some stories for me to tell the folks.

Mr. Toby Golson, our grandson of Merkel spent the past week with us while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Golson, and some friends spent their time in a cabin on Brownwood Lake. Much fun was had fishing and boating and just snacking or going out to eat with no meals to cook. Vacation time is much looked forward to when both parents work all year long. These are the times when grandparents are most appreciated. This grandmother nearly climbed the walls the first two days, but it was well worth it, as when the kids came home I got a big old hug and a "Thanks Mom, we had a swell time."

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Walker and Windy of Burtleson visited with the Pete Walkers over the Fathers' Day week end. Dale is Pete and Onie's son. Also a nephew, Mr. H. L. Walker and family of Abilene visited in the home.

Gacia Burkett of Lampasas has been visiting in the Pete Walker home the past week and has just returned home. Her daughter (Audry Jean) Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Chambers and grandson, Tony Summerville made the trip to Burkett to visit the Walkers and drive Gacia back home.

Mr. Wayne Harris and his son, Will, visited Lyda and Ernest Harris Fathers' Day. They all attended church and visited Ernest in the Cross Plains Rest Home. Then on returning to Burkett, Wayne and Will did some fishing. Several fish were caught and Will was quite pleased with the catch.

The Burkett Community supper will be this coming Saturday night, June 21, at 7:30 p.m. Host committee is composed of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Rasbury, Mrs. Hattie Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Golson. All musicians are invited to come and join in the fun.

Around these parts there used to be a man that most remember. His name was Oliver Cross, and for years he worked for and with his brother-in-law, D. L. (Dee) Williams.

Now Oliver could do just about anything with mules or horses, and he had a pair of mules and was about the finest in these parts, bar none. Oliver only had to talk to them and he would say, "Pull a little harder to the left or to the right, come on now let's go." And if they were slow to do his command, which wasn't very often, he could pop a mule's ear down the best you ever saw.

Once some folks were out swimming on one of the creeks near here, and they some how got their Model T Ford in the

creek. They were upset as to how on earth they were going to pull it out when up the road came Oliver. "But Oliver, we don't have a rope. How can we pull it out?" they asked. "Well," said Oliver, "this here horse has got a tail now hasn't he?" And Oliver backed the horse or mule up to the Model T Ford, tied his tail to the bumper and told that animal to pull. And pull he did, and out came the Model T to the amazement of the onlookers. Yes, Oliver Cross is remembered with fondness in these parts right along with several others that lived here years ago. I'm kinda like Loretta Lyn, they don't make them like that any more.

Back several years ago when Raymond Jennings was a boy, Burkett had a big picnic and that picnic lasted three days. People would go down near the old Burkett bridge and pick them out a spot to build a booth to sell their cakes, pies, hot dogs and what have you. During these three days a baseball game would be held with another community, most likely Cross Cut. Parades were held on the streets of Burkett, and a big rodeo for each of the three days. What fun was in store for the onlookers, as in those days the stock was rough and the riding style was a little different. Raymond said that they were given from 25 to 50 cents to spend for the goodies during the picnic.

One day a man was selling watermelons, and the boys were asked to push his truck, as it wouldn't start. They gave him a push and that man never said thanks or even looked back so one of the boys, grabbed a large melon off the back of the truck and the boys went down on the Bayou to eat it.

McGEE FAMILY WILL REUNE IN CROSS PLAINS SUNDAY

Notice has been received from Virginia McGee Malone of Abilene that the McGee family will have its annual reunion Sunday, June 22. The event will be held at the Multipurpose Center on East 8th Street in Cross Plains.

It was pointed out that all relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend.

SOUTHWEST CALLAHAN GETS 2,000-FOOT WILDCAT

Southwest Callahan County has gained site for a proposed 2,000-foot wildcat in the area four miles northwest of Dudley.

It is Pequena Oil Co. of Abilene No. 1 Leon Chrane, located on a 174 acre lease. Drillsite is 2,320 feet from the south and 3,995 feet from the west lines of Section 9, Block 6, SP Survey.

Monday evening at 5 o'clock is deadline for advertising.

TEXAS TALK

By Glenn Winfrey

Dead last with the camel. That's where the experts say beef ranks as a preferred meat in the mid-east. Goat and lamb are way out in front and it'll take some mighty tempting T-bones to turn the tide. This is an Arabic fact-of-life depressing to cattlemen trying to build a fire under the export meat business. On the positive side however, proponents of the U. S. Meat Export Federation say there is major demand for prime beef in many of the European and Asian markets. Organizers of the fledgling federation hope to obtain the blessing of the Foreign Agricultural Service in the near future and establish international offices to promote the sale of U. S. meat throughout the world. Model for the ambitious undertaking is the highly successful National Feed Grains Council whose members have shown how well consistent international promotion works. Japan and Germany are most often mentioned as locations for the first two offices of the new Export Federation.

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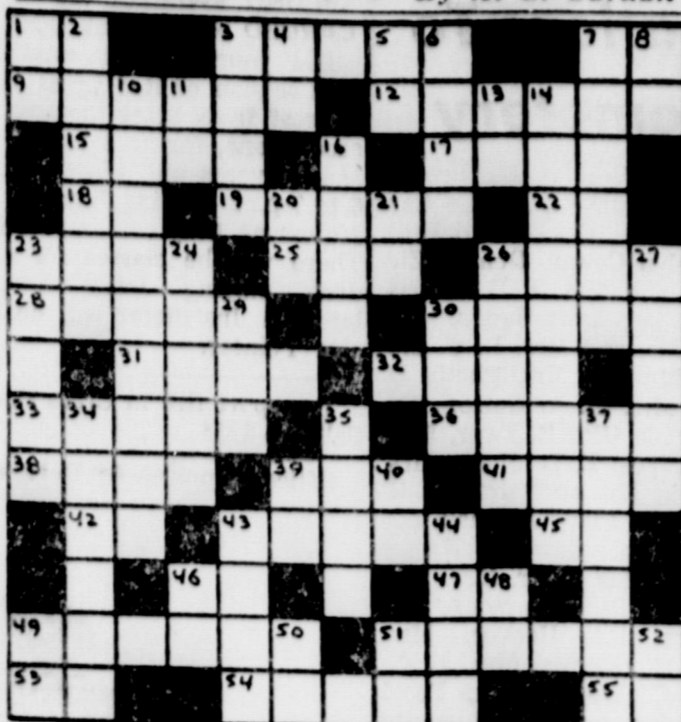
Discovery Petroleum Corporation, operating out of Rising Star, has announced two wildcat locations in Brown County. Deeper of the two is the No. 1 C. T. Keller, located eight miles southwest of Rising Star in the north-central part of the County.

Projected to 3,350 feet, the venture offsets old shallow production and spots 3,195 feet from south and 1,380 feet from east lines of William English Survey No. 791.

Six miles southwest of Rising Star, Discovery will drill the No. 2-A Don Stover, a proposed 1,300-foot test which spots 567 feet from north and 487 feet from east lines of Subdivision 4, Juan Delgado Survey No. 789.

To report fire in Cross Plains Call 725-6234.

## CROSSWORD By A. C. Gordon



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1 - British legislator (abb.)  
3 - Stately  
7 - Sun god  
9 - Appearance  
12 - Savored  
15 - Deer  
17 - Sailors  
18 - East  
19 - Rake projections  
22 - That is (abb.)  
23 - Entrance  
25 - Sign of the Zodiac  
26 - Encourage  
28 - Of punishment  
30 - To top off  
31 - Exclamation of sorrow  
32 - To captivate  
33 - A toying machine part  
36 - Former Russian rulers  
38 - Poetic "taken"  
39 - Old coin  
41 - Great lake  
42 - Kinetic science (abb.)  
43 - Units of the dance

**DOWN**  
1 - "Two grand," in ancient Rome  
2 - Procession  
3 - Repose  
4 - Erbium (chem.)  
5 - Preposition  
6 - Wooden strip  
7 - Viewed again  
8 - Public notice  
10 - Appoints easily  
11 - Compass point  
13 - Sinus (chem.)  
14 - An auxiliary  
16 - Sow  
20 - Aerial train  
21 - Preposition  
23 - Separately  
24 - Claw  
26 - Ascend  
27 - Harass  
29 - Household god  
30 - Adity  
34 - Ship-caulking materials  
35 - Performer  
37 - Quarried  
39 - Thoroughfare (abb.)  
40 - Above  
44 - To cast off  
45 - Ornamental nail  
46 - Male nickname  
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51 - Compass point  
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## Bulk Of Local Revenue Raised On Property Tax

How much of the money needed for local governmental operations in Callahan County comes from property taxes?

Do these taxes produce a greater or smaller proportion of locally-raised revenue than they do in other communities?

Property taxes have always been the chief source of such revenue in most sections of the country and they still are. But they no longer carry as large a share of the load as they did in former years.

With cities and counties requiring more money each year to provide necessary public services, which have been growing more expensive because of the rising cost of labor and materials, they have been forced to increase existing taxes and to seek additional revenue from other sources.

As for property taxes, they have reached the point in many communities at which attempts to boost them any higher are meeting with stern resistance.

In Callahan County, according to the latest findings of the Department of Commerce, approximately 53.5 per cent of the revenue obtained from local sources come from property taxes.

In other communities across the country, an average of 63.5 per cent is from such sources and, in the State of Texas, 60.0 per cent.

The relative importance of the property tax has been offset, in many localities, by the newer taxes that have been imposed in the last decade or so, such as the gross sales tax and the local income tax. The yield on these two has increased three-fold in the past 10 years.

As a result, although the property tax is now producing \$50.9 billion a year nationally, as against \$22.6 billion in 1965, it represents a much smaller proportion of the total collection than it did then.

The government's report shows that property taxes are considerably higher in some

sections of the country than in others.

In Callahan County, the figures indicate, the amount being collected annually through property taxes is equivalent to \$84 per local resident.

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- Be available

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## DANCE CARDED FRIDAY AT BAIRD LEGION BUILDING

The American Legion dance, with Sierra Light and R. D. Weeks playing country-western music, will be held in Baird Friday, June 20, starting at 8:30 p.m. at the Legion building. Admission is \$1.50 per person, and everyone is invited a spokesman pointed out.

Fred McNeel of Wichita Falls is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McNeel, Jr., and other relatives and friends.

Monday evening at 5 o'clock is deadline for advertising.

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# Rowden Area News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Hot, dry winds are drying out all the moisture on gardens and fields.

Grain harvest was progressing with the usual amount of machinery break downs which gets the farmer and operator both flustered at times. It is busy times for all on the farm.

A seven pound and 1 ounce baby boy was born to the Tony Steeles last Monday at Hendrick Hospital. He has been named William Elvin. His paternal grandmother is Mrs. Opal Steele of Clyde. Also his great-grandmother is Mrs. Audria Cook of Clyde. Grandparents of the maternal side are Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and great-grandmother, Mrs. Leila Gibbs. Little Tonja Steele spent most of last week with the N. V. Gibbs.

Ellen Reynolds spent Sunday night in Cottonwood with Brenda Waggoner.

Mrs. Martha Kapper returned to her home in Arlington last Thursday after spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Leila Gibbs. On Monday the two made a trip to Abilene where they visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Hollingshead and Mrs. Elveda Sikes. In Baird they visited with the Jimbo Sikes family who were in reunion. On Wednesday they were in Cross Plains visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose and later went to the Admiral Cemetery. Mrs. Kapper also visited Mrs. Ray Boen and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price.

Those visiting in the Tony Steele home Sunday were Mrs. Opal Steele and Mrs. Audria Cook, the John Steele family of Clyde. Also Lewis Whitmore and sons of Clyde. Mrs. Sterling Odom, Mrs. Charles Palmer and Michael of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and Janet and on Monday Mrs. Tommy Dye visited in the home.

Those visiting in the Warren Price home and at their place on Coleman lake over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Smedley of Big Spring. Mrs. Bill Coots and Billy and Brian of Lawton, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smedley of Arlington, Billy and Brian Coots returned home with the Larry Smedleys for a visit. Larry is employed at Six Flags this summer.

On Tuesday, Bro. Curtis Simpson of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs visited in the James Reynolds home.

The Charles Barbee family of Abilene spent Fathers' Day in Eugene and Diann Bell's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer and Michael of Clyde spent Sunday in the Sterling Odom home.

Mrs. Ruby Russell and her granddaughter, Elizabeth Harold, of New York accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Gibbs of San Diego to Carlsbad, New Mex. last Thursday where they toured the caverns on Friday and then went on to El Paso to visit Mrs. Corrie Lou Darby. Mrs. Russell and Elizabeth will visit a week or so with Mrs. Darby.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Gibbs and Elizabeth Harold visited in the N. V. Gibbs home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited residents of the Cross Plains rest home Sunday afternoon and also visited in the home of the Elbert Olivers, the T. Y. Woodys and Kim Keele.

O. C. Burke of London and Buren Burkes of Abilene visited Raymond Gibbs last Friday. Other visitors in the home were Jimmy West, Smokey Gary and grandsons, Tim and Jim Gary of Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson started building their new house this past week while his father and brother were here to help. She reported they were putting up decking today.

The Tommy Daye family are clearing ground for their new house.

The Frank Harrells have completely redone their house on the inside which is very beautiful. Don Harrel will be bringing a new bride to this house in August.

The N. V. Gibbs have slowed up on their building project, due to other farm work, but hope to get it completed this summer.

Not everyone was contacted for news this week due to illness of this writer. Will see you next week.

Ellen and Janet Reynolds spent last Monday night in Baird with Lisa Carrico.

Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Tonya Steele visited in the Walter Rose home in Cross Plains Saturday.

Those visiting in the Robert Watson home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Watson of Maryland, Mrs. Eddie Watson, Mike and Cheryl of Fort Worth, Mrs. David Watson of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Bill Beck and Darrell of Jacksboro, Travis Watson of Virginia and the Jim Needham family of Coleman.

Those attending Mrs. Lamar Henry's funeral in Baird last Tuesday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence, Mrs. Ray Boen, Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Mrs. Sterling Odom.

Mrs. Louise Bennett of Roswell, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goodman of Colorado returned to their homes Monday after spending the week with her sister Mrs. Bill Lawrence, and Mr. Lawrence. Mrs. Goodman, Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Lawrence attended their school reunion at Maverick, near Balingier, Saturday. On Friday Mrs. Goodman attended a nurses school reunion at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

Visiting Jerry McDonald during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDonald of Baird, Hope Manning and Merla of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cope and son of Fort Stockton, Mrs. Joe Washburn of Sipe Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Childers, Mrs. Betty Phillips and children and Ned McDonald of Cross Plains and James Reynolds.

## BROTHER OF 2 LOCAL LADIES REPORTED ILL

Alvin West, 74, brother of Mrs. Loyd Montgomery and Mrs. Jake Dallas of this city, is confined to the intensive care unit at the Brownwood Community Hospital and is reported to be critically ill. He is expected to undergo surgery soon but the date was not known here.

Classified Advertising Gets results.

# More Recent Donations To Burkett-Adams Cemetery

Following is another list of names of persons who have contributed generously to the Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association in past months. It is thought by Mrs. Jack DeBusk, recently elected secretary-treasurer of the cemetery association that the following donors will bring the list of those contributing up to the last memorial service, held in May. If there are more, names will be run in coming weeks.

Beginning with current donations and donors, since the memorial service, reports plan to be made on a regular schedule listing names and amounts of contributions.

Also listed here are recent contributions to the Burkett Community Center. Mrs. DeBusk reported those as follows: Burkett Quilting Club \$10, Mrs. Joe Davee \$25 and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paul Golsen \$10.

Gifts to the cemetery were listed as follows:

Evelyn Hounsell Pitts in memory of L. F. Hounsell and others. Era McWilliams and daughter, Madena Peel, Mrs. Lucille Barr, Finis B. Brown, Mrs. W. A. Welty, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gray, Mrs. T. J. (Zelma H.) Hart, C. E. Pope, Earl Glander, O. D. Cross, Eugenia Shepherd, Kathryn Forester, C. D. Bronner, J.

C. Boyle, Hillary E. Brown, Freeda M. Burkett, Lucille Carmichael, Buel Evans, Euil Bullard, Evelyn Cowan, Don E. Zirkle, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harris, C. A. Walker, Lyda Harris.

Also: Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McCowen, Mr. and Mrs. Phelix D. Watson, Mrs. M. A. Golsen, Dr. A. O. Brink, Glen R. Swor, Marguerite Sipes, E. L. Slack, Mrs. Ida Slack, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Adams, Mrs. Claud DeBusk, Mr. and Mrs. Hap Bearden, Emery and Willie Mae Rider, Mrs. Verda Brown, Belle Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoover, Mrs. Claudia C. George, Mrs. L. B. Madie C. Wooley, Vera Pearl Bunnell, Mr. and Mrs. Burnette C. Porter, Stencil Edington.

And Minna Wright, Coleata Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Adams, Seth and Myrtle Burkett, O. D. Burkett, L. V. Helberg, A. H. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seltzer, Mrs. F. C. Newton, Mrs. Carlos McDermitt, Alice Whitfield, Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Johnson, Verlin Arrowood, J. T. Isbell in memory of Rosette and Jasper Lewis, Jewell Lewis, Ivy Lewis, (Mrs. Carson Walker), D. P. and May Ellen George, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Golsen, Louise Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Jewel F. Tabor, Mrs. Ida Edington, Jim H. Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Biehl.

## Days Of Yore

40 Years Ago  
June 1935

Youngs Barber Shop, formerly located on the highway East of town, was moved this week to the downtown district and is now housed in the Wilson building, between the West Texas Utilities Company and Neeb Produce.

Plans were going forward yesterday, according to G. M. Martin, for the celebration of a community picnic to be held July first and second on the Lon Edington ranch, three miles south of Cross Cut. Entertainment will include a basket dinner, public speaking and concession attractions.

Mrs. J. W. Thornton of Pioneer entertained her Sunday School Class at her home Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served to: Anna Lee Anderson, Bessie and Mary Jo Harris, Mary Jo Betty, June and Nophlet Sheelan, Ruth Lee Bussey, Tina Marie Joyce, Martha Lou Lawrence, Irene Kilcrease, Lola Mae and Margie Jann Thornton, Charles Anderson, Gerald Wyatt, Joe and Clifford Bussey, Harold Tunnell, John Sheehan and Jimmie Thornton.

10 Years Ago  
June 1965

Bids for construction of a water system at Burkett are now being sought by the Burkett Water Supply Corporation. Cost of the project is expected to run about \$61,000. Construction will begin early in July.

A scheduled hearing on the boundary dispute between Coleman County and Callahan and Taylor counties was postponed Wednesday afternoon of last week. A trial has been rescheduled for July 9 in Judge Truman Roberts 52nd District Court in Comanche, same site of the originally slated suit.

"Little interest has been shown in paving of additional streets in Cross Plains," said J. P. McCord, city council street commissioner said yesterday. In a meeting last month with members of the Cross Plains City Council, an Odessa paving firm offered to hard surface roads in the township and gave its prices. The council agreed to allow the contractors to enter into transactions with property owners here.

Mrs. H. Dale Gary and her sister, Mrs. Mary Murray of California, also Mrs. Leo Franke and Vivian, visited recently in Platonina with the Harold Gary family.

Mrs. Mary Murray of Richmond, Calif. visited here the past week with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dale Gary, and other relatives and friends in this area.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. W. A. Payne last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Van Campbell of San Angelo, L. E. Col. and Mrs. Bill Payne of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Grantham of Premont.

## SECOND SWIM CLASS CARDED AT LAKEWOOD

Did your children miss the first session of Red Cross swim classes? If so, bring them to the second one, for ages 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 years old. Class time is 6 to 7 p.m. starting June 24, for 10 lessons. Only cost is pool fee. There will be classes for children playing Little League later on. Instructor will be Eunice Pointer.

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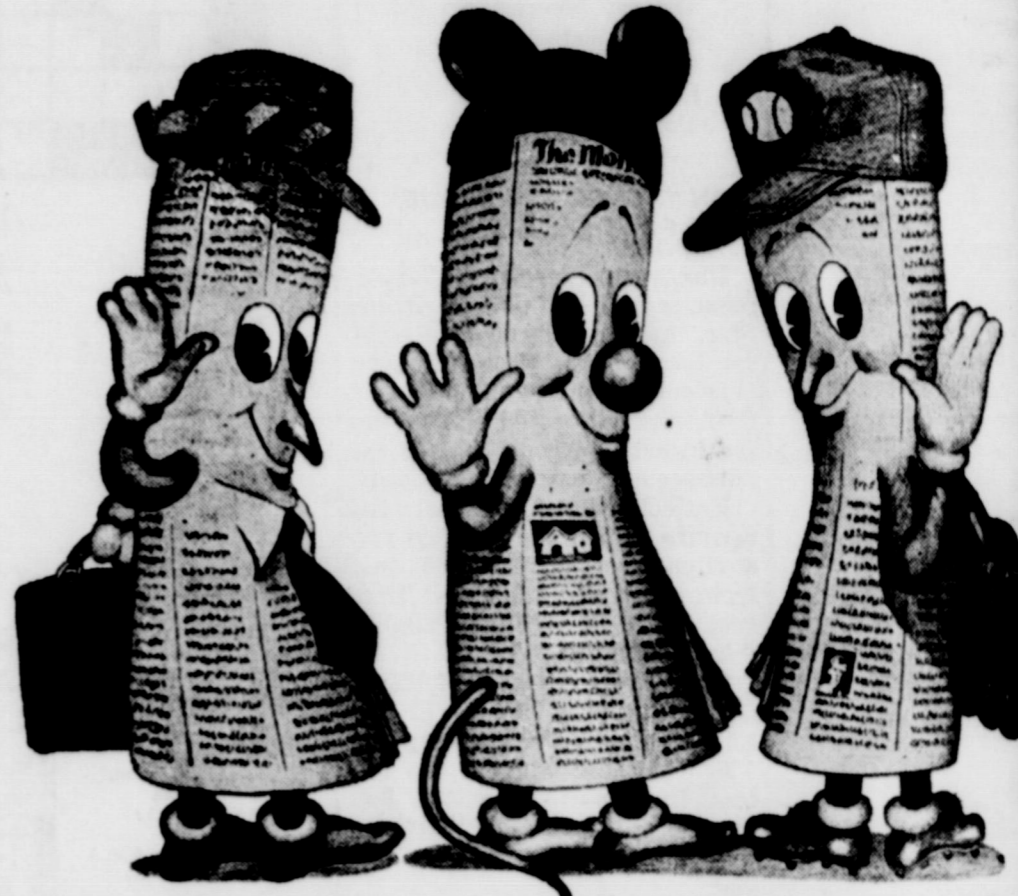
Wednesday, June 11

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Simpson, Jason and Gary, Jr., of Houston have spent this week here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Curtis Simpson and Joe, and she (Donna) assisted with the vacation Bible school.

Miss Paula Ann Dickson, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dickson of Lubbock, is spending several weeks here in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Dickson.

## COUPLE KNOWN LOCAL PARENTS OF BABY

Mr. and Mrs. Mike H. San Saba are parents of a boy born June 4 and 7 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces, been named Michael D. Grandparents are Mr. Donald Stover of the community and Mr. Wallace Hinyard of the Great-grandparents are Mrs. I. W. (Irvin) Pitt this city and Rev. and H. McKenzie of Nederland.



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