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THIRTEEN CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443 WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25, 1975 1 Section — 8 Pages SIXTY-SEVENTH YEAR

Cemetery Gifts For Past Month Amount To \$207

Cross Plains Cemetery Association received 17 donations for the month of May for the Cross Plains Cemetery. Contributions totaled \$207. The association is acting as a report of the gifts were for the maintenance fund. The association also has a fund which is hoped will grow to provide permanent burial ground.

and respective the cemetery during the month of May. The following are listed as follows: \$5, R. Elliott Bryson and Mrs. Charles M. and Mrs. N. O. B. W. Huntington Harding \$10, Ida Louise Dewbre in J. W. Brown \$5, Mrs. Frances McClure \$10, \$5, Mrs. Bill Hoover Henderson \$50, W.

MAN PATIENT
Alfred Franke, prominent farmer of Cross Plains, is a medical patient in the Memorial Hospital. He entered the hospital on June 19. He is expected to be improved first of the week.

Board Tables Decision

The Trustees of Cross Plains Independent School District made no decision on vocational programs at a meeting July 1. Superintendent Frank Rundell of Cross Plains noted that under the new legislation that vocational programs cannot be counted in the daily attendance for the time spent in the programs. He noted that the opinion of state leaders that the legislation will have a tremendous effect over the state. He noted that as set up, Cross Plains will lose credit for vocational units, administrative aides, if the vocational programs are run according to set-ups.

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Girl Has Part In National TV Spectacular

Anita Tatom, daughter of Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, will leave Wednesday by chartered bus from Cisco City with the Home College Wrangler to spend a week in recording "The Stars and Stripes Forever", a three-hour patriotic program originating from Oklahoma's Myriad Coliseum on June 29. The program will be filmed and shown on Thursday, July 31, on NBC-TV. The television special will be Bob Hope and his troupe, Charlie Pride,

T. Jones \$5, Mrs. Alma Illingworth \$5, Mrs. Jack Womack \$10. T. T. Nichols, president of the cemetery association, and other officials of the organization joined recently in thanking each donor for support. They also invite all persons with loved ones buried there to help

Check Hay For Quality Advises County Agent

The quality of hay that you harvest or buy is directly related to crop maturity, fertilizer application and crop variety. Greg Gerngross of Baird County Agent for Callahan County, reports that last year protein samples on hay quality ranged from a low of 8.1% to a high of 18.4%. Cost of hay is a major item for some producers who either lack winter pastures or who are forced to feed roughage due to overgrazing or adverse weather conditions.

Hay quality is influenced to a large extent by crop maturity. Coastal Bermuda hay should be harvested every 28-35 days for maximum yield and quality. Sorghum-Sudan crosses should be harvested at the boot stage for maximum yield and quality. Other grass hays need to be cut in the boot stage also prior to heading.

All hay cuttings should be followed with an application of nitrogen to promote growth and increase yield. In addition to increasing protein content of the hay, palatability of the hay will be increased. When figuring costs in a ton of hay, use cotton seed meal as the basis for cost or comparison, Gerngross suggests. For example in a ton of cotton seed meal there is 820 pounds of protein. Figured at \$120 per ton, protein cost is approximately 15¢ per pound. Good quality hay based on the assumption of 65 pound bales (31 bales ton) and 12% protein: \$1.50 per bale or \$45.00 per ton would mean that protein cost per pound would be approximately 19¢ per pound of protein. Hay of lesser quality such as 8% protein, would increase costs per pound of protein to 28¢ per pound. Protein cost is not the only

FREE BARBECUE PLANNED AT SHARON PARK JUNE 28

Sam Warren announced there will be a free barbecue at Sharon Park next Saturday, June 28, beginning at 1 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend. Sharon Park is seven miles east of Cross Plains, one mile north of Highway 36, turn north at the Lakewood Recreation Center road.

Deadline for news 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

share the rising expenses of maintaining the grounds in an attractive manner. Donations may be sent to the Cross Plains Cemetery Association in care of Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains, Texas 76443. All gifts will be acknowledged through columns of this newspaper on a monthly basis.

No Crossing District Lines By School Bus

Recent state ruling has prohibited school buses from crossing district lines of another school district. Frank Rundell, Cross Plains superintendent, advised the Review of the ruling this week. Supt. Rundell quickly pointed out that it will not affect transfers from one school district to another, such as students coming to Cross Plains from surrounding districts, but may affect mode of getting to school.

"All the students who transferred to Cross Plains last year may still come to Cross Plains," the superintendent pointed out, "but local district buses may not cross into any other district to pick up those students." He added that transfers will have to meet the school bus at the district lines if they intend to ride the bus.

The ruling prohibits any school bus from crossing into another school district to pick up pupils.

Kilowatts Capture Share Of Little League Lead

An upset of the Cats by the Beadels, and a late-inning rally by the Kilowatts to nip the Buffs left the lead in the Cross Plains Little League shared by two teams. The Kilowatts had to score two runs in the top of the sixth inning Thursday to clip the stubborn Buffs 5-4. In the nightcap, the Beadels used the same late-inning tactics to upend the Cats 8-7. The Kilo win and the Cat loss left the two teams deadlocked for the first in the league standings.

Buffs took the fight to the Kilowatts in the curtain-raiser Thursday by scoring two runs on two singles by Ronnie Purvis and Nickie Williams and walks to Greg Hutchins and Steve Hargrove. Kilo's tallied three runs by Kim Jones, Tony Apple and Joe Holland on two walks, a single and a triple by Holland. Buffs tied the score in the fourth when Janet Reynolds scored after walking and Purvis' single.

Joe Hennesay and Johnny Neeb, who walked and singled respectively, scored to give the Kilo the 5-4 victory. Winning hurler was Holland, who went the route, and Hutchins was the loser in six frames. Buffs collected five hits, and Kilowatts for five hits. Beadels scored seven runs in the last half of the fourth inning to upend the Cats 8-7. The Cats claimed a two-run edge in the top of the first inning when the first two batters, Rocky and

Ex-County Men Lead Harris Co. Historians

Two former Callahan County men were featured at the recent annual June banquet meeting of the Harris County Historical Society in Houston.

Dr. Ralph W. Steen, a native of Clyde, was the principal speaker for the event. Russell L. Chatham, a native of Baird, was installed as president of the Harris County Historical Society for the coming year. Dr. Steen is the son of Mrs. Preston C. Steen of Clyde. He is currently president of Stephen F. Austin University in Nacogdoches, a position he has held since 1958. During this period the University has experienced its greatest growth.

Dr. Steen graduated from McMurry College at Abilene and the University of Texas, and is a former head of the History Department at Texas A&M University. He has written 15 books and published 75 papers on Texas and American history and government. He is also a former president of the Texas State Historical Association. Russell Chatham is the son of Mrs. M. D. Chatham of Baird. A graduate of Texas A&M University, he is now a chemical engineer with one of the large engineering and construction firms in Houston. History and genealogy have been avocations for many years. He is a former officer and charter member of the Harris County Genealogical Society.

LIGHT SHOWERS DOT AREA SUNDAY MORNING

Light showers dotted the Cross Plains area Sunday morning leaving little benefit to crops, pastures and gardens. In Cross Plains only .03 of an inch of rain was measured. A trace was recorded at Burkett, but in both Sabanno and Cottonwood communities .20 of an inch was gauged. Rainfall to mid-morning Tuesday totaled .23 of an inch for June in Cross Plains. Year's aggregate stood at 9.51 inches. Area agrimenensmen are reporting that a good rain is needed on both crops and pastures.

City Asking Bids For Ditching And Pipe

City of Cross Plains is advertising for bids for pipe and ditching preparatory to developing a 36-acre tract of land two miles north of Cross Plains into a new waterfield. City is currently in process of completing paper work to buy the land for \$15,600 from Harold Hinkle of this city. The bid invitations ask for sealed bids on approximately 10,000 feet of 6-inch plastic pipe of certain type and test and 10,000 feet of ditch of a specified depth and width in legal notices on classified page of today's Review.

It was noted that all bids will be opened and publicly read at regular meeting of the council on Tuesday, July 15.

Baird Junior Rodeo Opens 4-Night Run

The 12th annual Baird Junior Rodeo will open a four-night run Wednesday at the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse arena just west of Baird on business route of Highway 80. The show, being billed as one of the largest junior rodeos in the nation, and possibly the largest, will continue through Saturday night, June 28, with three to four-hour performances on tap each night beginning at 8 p.m.

Tomatoes On Potato Vines Are Actually Seed Pods

Those tomato-like growths on potato vines recently discovered by several area gardeners are not tomatoes. They are potato seed pods. Rolan Jones of Cottonwood,

3 Cottonwood Ladies Injured In Mishap

Three Cottonwood community ladies were injured in a two-car, head-on collision just before 8 a.m. last Saturday. Hurt were Mrs. V. I. Spivey, driver of one car, and her passenger, Mrs. Blanton Childers and Mrs. Charles Waggoner, driver of the other auto.

Mrs. Spivey sustained bruises and a severely cut lip, and Mrs. Childers sustained a fractured heel and right forearm. Both were taken to Hendrick Memorial Hospital by Higginbotham ambulance. They remained in the hospital Tuesday morning and were expected to stay there a few more days. Mrs. Waggoner was treated at a local doctor's office. She was to return for additional treatment Tuesday.

The accident occurred on a dirt road about a quarter of a mile north of Farm Road 880.

CITY INCREASES ARSON CONVICTION REWARD

City of Cross Plains has increased the reward offered for any person reported and found guilty of arson within the city to \$250. It formerly was \$100. Officials of the city noted that displaying signs within the city noting the reward is a requirement of the State Fire Commission to maintain key rates on fire insurance. The City Council recently passed an ordinance increasing the reward offer to \$250.

Burkett-Adams Cemetery Fund Aided By \$344.12

Mrs. Jack (Zora) DeBusk of Burkett has announced donations to the Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association totaling \$344.12. The contributions were made by the following persons who attended the annual memorial service held at the Burkett Cemetery last May. Mrs. DeBusk also noted that the Tabor family gave \$10 to the Community Center for use of the facility during the annual reunion recently. The donors to the cemetery maintenance fund were listed as follows: Norene Donaldson, C. H. Edington, Willie E. Koenig, Jack Strickland, Lois Garrett, Mrs. Marcel Coleman, Bruce

Dick Vestal of Baird, vocational teacher at Baird and a native of Cross Plains, points out in proving the fact that the Baird junior wild west show is one of the country's biggest, that more than 600 contestants are expected for this year's rodeo. Vestal has been the driving force behind the event since it

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science instructor at Cross Plains High School, informed the Review one day last week that the pods which do resemble tomatoes are actually seed pods. "They (the seed pods) are not real common," Jones explained, "and usually appear more often in a 'good' year (when moisture is adequate)." He added that if the pods are left to mature on the vine, the seed would germinate and produce potato plants.

The local teacher went on saying that the potato and the tomato are in the same family of plants as are tobacco, purple nightshade, potato weed, and several others. Recently W. R. Thompson of Cross Plains and T. G. Phillips who lives south of Cross Cut, reported the tomato-shaped pods on potato vines. Since last week's story in the Review, Mrs. Jay Kirkham and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones of this city have reported finding the pods.

Jones noted that Luther Burbank, famous botanist, found such seed pods when he was working on a farm in Massachusetts, planted the seeds and found each made a different type potato. From that discovery came the Burbank Potato in 1871. He experimented with many plants during his days in California, migrating there after his discovery, where he established a huge vegetable farm. He continued experiments with plants and produced many hybrid experiments was an attempt to cross a potato and tomato. That effort failed.

Prices for the winners will total about \$3,000. Most of the money comes from entry fees, \$10 per entrant per event, except for the boot race which is free to all 8-year-old comers. Admission to the show is \$1.00 for adults.

Real Estate Concern Opens Office Here

Cross Plains Realty has opened an office in the city. The quarters are in the building owned by Dillard Drilling Co., located on West Highway 36, immediately east of the Dairy Bar. The realty company occupies half of the building and the drilling company the other half. L. H. (Leonard) Mosley is broker, and office manager is Damon D. Jones, both of this community. Jones noted that he is in the office during normal business hours except when showing or acquiring listings. The firm has a display ad elsewhere in this issue of the Review giving some of the holdings offered for sale.

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began, and he announces the show each year. Runt Sloan of Newcastle will produce this year's show. He has recently furnished the stock for the Fisher County Rodeo in Rotan. Boy's events will include bareback bronc riding with the first 60 paid. In bull roping, the first 60 are also paid. The competition also includes ribbon roping, bull riding, tie down roping, breakaway roping, flag racing, barrel racing, steer riding, wild steer saddling and three-man roping. The girl's events will include barrel racing, pole bending, flag racing, breakaway roping and goat tying. Age groups are 16-19 years; 13 to 15; and youths 12 and under.

A special attraction will be boot race for cowboys and cowgirls age 8 and under. Awards will be presented each night. Saddles will be presented to the contestants selected as all-around cowboy and all-around cowgirl. Buckles will go to contestants taking first places in all events. Prizes for the winners will total about \$3,000. Most of the money comes from entry fees, \$10 per entrant per event, except for the boot race which is free to all 8-year-old comers. Admission to the show is \$1.00 for adults.

A parade will be held through downtown Baird on Saturday beginning at 5 p.m.

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Do You Remember . . .

40 Years Ago
June 1935

Grain began moving into the Cross Plains market with the sale of several quantities of oats. No wheat has been sold here from the new crop as yet, however, both oats and wheat are expected to be moving in quantities in a few days, since threshing is now underway.

A washed air system is being placed in the Liberty theatre here at an estimated cost of \$500. The cooling device will be completed by Sunday afternoon barring mishaps, said W. A. Beavers, manager, said to the Review yesterday.

At the regular meeting last night of Cross Plains' Little Theatre casts were selected for the plays "Flitter Mouse" and "Crim Conscious." Members of the cast of "The Mystery of the Tapping Keys" have begun rehearsal and a presentation of the plays is planned about the middle of July.

30 Years Ago
June 1945

At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Citizens State Bank on Monday, June 11th, a 5 per cent dividend was declared. Book value of the Banking Building was reduced \$1,000, and \$12,500 was added to the Surplus Account. Capital Stock now stands at \$25,000 and Surplus Stock stands at \$38,500. Pfc. Dan Johnston has received the Purple Heart for wounds

PIONEER Drive-In Theatre

CROSS PLAINS - RISING STAR

NOW OPEN WEEK ENDS
Show Begins 8:45 p.m.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY
June 27 & 28

Walt Disney's Production
"STRONGEST MAN IN THE WORLD"
(92 Minutes - Rated G - Color)
Kirk Russell - Joe Flynn
Eve Arden - Cesar Romero
Phil Silvers

received in action in Germany on April 17, 1944, and has sent it to his wife, the former Bobbie Gene Webb.

Employees desiring to check up on their social security credits can do so by securing a self-addressed post card at any office of the Social Security Board, completing the form on the opposite side and mailing it. A statement will be received in a short period of time, said Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Abilene Social Security Board Office.

20 Years Ago
June 1955

The graduating class of Cross Plains High School in 1954 will hold their first reunion at Lake Brownwood, July 4, according to an announcement made the past week. All members are urged to attend and bring basket lunch. The group will meet at the club house at the State Park.

City Sanitation Commissioner, Alton E. Hornsby announces this week that the first spraying of the city for control of insect pests is expected to be completed this week and that additional sprayings will be administered as the need arises.

Chairman William H. Ferguson of the Callahan County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee has designated six voting places in Callahan County for the wheat referendum to be held June 25.

According to officers of the Burkett Homecoming Association, plans are now completed for the homecoming to be held in the Burkett Gymnasium Sunday, June 26. Ex-teachers, students and visitors are asked to bring a basket lunch which will be spread at 12:30. Following lunch visitation will be enjoyed until the program begins at 2 o'clock, at which time Mrs. Bill Murray of Austin will be guest speaker.

10 Years Ago
June 1965

Forrest Walker underwent stomach surgery at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Tuesday. Friends will be pleased to know that he is believed improving satisfactorily.

Glenn Lawrence and Jimmy Gattis, both of Cross Plains businessmen, returned during the week end from two weeks train-

ing with army reserve units at Fort Carson, Colo. Their home unit is in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins and two sons, former Cross Plains residents, moved to Burkett last week. Hutchins owns and operates a combined grocery and service station business there. The couple took the J. C. Boyle house in Burkett.

Even potatoes not planted on Saint Patrick's Day do well in Cross Plains. D. J. Perkins can vouch for that fact. He and his wife recently harvested the spud crop from a garden plot in the northwest part of town. Only seven rows were planted to the crop, but each row netted an average of one and one-half bushels. According to Mrs. Perkins, each vine yielded six to eight red potatoes of the Cobler variety. They were planted late in March on about 200 foot rows.

Cross Plains Masonic Lodge will hold a public installation ceremony Monday night, June 28, beginning at 8 o'clock. It was announced by Norman Coffey, Fred Price and H. H. Lawson of Rising Star will serve as installation officers. The public is invited.

V. C. Adams, former Burkett telephone operator and long time resident of that community, died at 7:20 Monday morning in a Coleman hospital after a lengthy illness.

5 Years Ago
June 1970

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrd and two sons, who are moving here from Houston were house hunting in Cross Plains Monday. He is going to work for Johnston Truck & Supply.

Mrs. Marv Norman and three-year-old babe rented a home in the west part of town and will move here next month. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Perkins. Her husband is in the Marine Corps and is being sent to Viet Nam for a second tour.

Cross Plains Riding Club met in the City Hall Monday night and laid plans for the annual trail ride to Coleman to participate in the rodeo street parade. The group will leave the local arena the morning of July 7 and spend the night at the Baird Gin, just south of Echo, and then ride into Coleman the following morning. The parade will begin at 5:30 that afternoon.

The Baptist Church buildings got new roofs last week, although a new top had been ordered for only one. Therein rests a strange tale.

Eastside Baptist Mission, located at the east end of 7th Street had been figuring with Bowden Lumber Company on a new roof. One day last week a



Miss Terri Jean Vaught

Girl Known Locally Plans August 2 As Wedding Date

Miss Terri Jean Vaught and Ted R. Krueger, Jr. have chosen their wedding date, August 2. Vows will be exchanged at Sherwood Baptist Church in Odessa with Rev. Lenard Hartley officiating at 6 p.m.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Vaught, Jr. of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Ted R. Krueger of Austin.

The couple plans to continue their education at Southwest Texas State University while residing in San Marcos.

Miss Vaught is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Robert L.

spokesman for the congregation telephoned and ordered the new roof installed. Gerald Bowden, owner of the firm, told his roofers to begin work and laid out necessary materials. Somehow, they thought he had reference to the Pioneer Baptist Church building, also east of the lumber yard but about four miles farther.

They drove there and completed the project.

B. R. Cunningham Buried On Thursday

Funeral for B. R. (Toody) Cunningham, 57-year-old Putnam constable, were held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. from the First United Methodist Church in Baird.

Mr. Cunningham, a native of Putnam, died at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday of last week at an Abilene hospital after a lengthy illness.

Officiating at the final rites was the Rev. C. C. Schutz, pastor of the Putnam United Methodist Church. Burial was in Ross Cemetery at Baird.

Born Feb. 10, 1918, in Putnam, Mr. Cunningham was a U. S. Army World War II veteran. He married Gertrude White Sept. 7, 1946, in Putnam.

Mr. Cunningham was a Methodist and a member of the American Legion and Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Miss Wanda Cunningham of Baird and Martha of the home; two sons, Roger of the home and Charley of Monroe, La.; two brothers, R. M. (Pete) of Ozona and Claude of Midland; four sisters, Mrs. Rupert (Carlie) Keller of Medina, Ohio, Mrs. Shirley Lamb of Fort Worth, Mrs. Charles Reynolds of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. Ida Harper of Grove, Okla.; and a granddaughter.

Four brothers, Frank, W. R., Charlie and Garland, preceded him in death. Pallbearers were Hershell Wagley, K. B. Riffe, Robert Lindsey, Jiggs, Shackelford, W. P. Fleming, Weldon Isenhower, James Eubanks and L. A. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ringhoffer, Sr., of this city recently spent several days touring East Texas. They viewed a strip-mining project and other interesting place.

Coffee Introduces Mrs. Robert Eubank

Mrs. Brooke Eubank was hostess for a coffee introducing her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robert Eubank of Houston, on Saturday morning, June 14th.

Mrs. F. L. Norris of Beaverville, N. C., and Mrs. Frank Norris of Kenansville, N. C., niece of Mrs. Eubank, who were guests in her home, were also introduced.

The serving table appointments were of silver and cut glass. Mrs. S. A. Walker of Big Spring poured coffee.

Floral arrangements of day lilies on the serving table and in the living room, and daisy arrangements throughout the house were arranged by Mrs. E. L. Garrett.

The house party consisted of Mrs. S. A. Walker and Mrs. Tom Adams of Big Spring, Mrs. Douglas Dallas of Eastland, Miss Lydia Eubank and Miss Mabel Eubank of Brownwood, Mrs. Jake Dallas, Mrs. Fonia Worth, Mrs. James Chesshir and Mrs. E. L. Garrett.

Out-of-town guests beside those mentioned above were Mrs. C. R. Porter and Mrs. Clara Walker, Big Spring; Mrs. John Gordon and Miss Karen Gordon, Santa Anna; Mrs. Wm Adams, Abilene; Mrs. James Alexander, Clyde; Mrs. Jim Alexander, Dallas; Mrs. Kenneth Thate, Fort Worth, and Mrs. B. E. Ehresman, Plainview.

Deadline for news 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

LADY KNOWN HERE MAJOR SURGERY
Mrs. Jack Arrington, the former Miss Peard of Cross Plains, is scheduled to undergo major surgery in Baylor Hospital Tuesday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnard other daughter, Mrs. Oscar Koenig of Brownwood, in Denton last week with Mrs. Arrington.

MISS BETTY BROWN IS TITLE I OFFICER

In a story recently in the Review it was Miss Betty Brown hired some time ago in the Cross Plains System. The item pointed out that the local system is a part of the Title I federal and state project.

Monday evening deadline for advertising.

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- Meats** USDA GRADE A, BREAST THIGHS, per lb. ... **69c** USDA GRADE A FRYER BREASTS, per lb. ... **99c**
- Meats** USDA GRADE A, BREAST QUARTER, ALL WHITE MEAT, LB. **55c**
- Meats** USDA GRADE A, LEG QUARTER, ALL DARK MEAT, PER LB. **49c**
- Meats** USDA GRADE A, WING BACKS, per lb. ... **29c** USDA GRADE A FRYER NECKS, per lb. ... **19c**
- Meats Legs** USDA GRADE A, PER POUND **69c**



- PICKLE, LIVER, OLIVE AND BOLOGNA
- LUNCHEON MEAT, Armour Star, 6 oz. pkg. ... **49c**
- ARMOUR STAR BOLOGNA, market sliced, per pound **99c**
- ARMOUR STAR BOLOGNA, by the chunk, per pound **89c**
- ARMOUR, GRILL DOG FRANKS, 1 pound for **\$1.09**
- JRB, OUR VERY BEST BACON, by the pound **\$1.39**
- GLOVER GERMAN SAUSAGE, 12 oz. ring, each **89c**
- GLOVER HOT LINKS, by the pound **89c**
- DECKER FRANKS, 12 ounce package **79c**

- ### Dairy and Frozen Foods
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 - CONDENSED MILK ALL FLAVORS
 - CONDENSED MILK, 8 oz. ctn. ... **29c**
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- CONDENSED MILK **49c**
 - CONDENSED MILK, excluding ham, each ... **43c**
 - CONDENSED MILK ALL FLAVORS
 - CONDENSED MILK, 8 oz. ctn. **39c**
 - CONDENSED MILK ALL FLAVORS
 - CONDENSED MILK, 4 for **\$1**
 - CONDENSED MILK, CUT CORN, GREEN PEAS, 10 OZ. PKG.
 - CONDENSED MILK, R-PAC VEGETABLES, 3 for ... **\$1**
 - CONDENSED MILK, CORN OIL, QUARTERS
 - CONDENSED MILK, margarine, 1 lb. **59c**
 - CONDENSED MILK, MARGARINE, 2, 8 oz. mugs ... **79c**
 - CONDENSED MILK, Or Crunchy BUTTER, Bama, 18 oz. jar **79c**
 - CONDENSED MILK, Folger's Instant, 10 oz. jar **\$1.99**

- ## FLOUR
- GLADIOLA, 5 POUND BAG **59c**
- HUNT'S CATSUP, 20 oz. bottle ... **49c** HI-C, ALL FLAVORS DRINKS, 46 oz. can **39c**
 - DETERGENT, Joy Liquid, giant size bottle **79c**

- ## TIDE
- DETERGENT, GIANT SIZE BOX **99c**

PUDDING & PIE FILLING, Jello Instant, small **29c**

JELLO GELATIN

- All Flavors - 3 Oz. Box **49c**
- 2 For **49c**

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- 3 Oz. Box **39c**

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ALLENS WHOLE, 303 CAN GREEN BEANS, 3 for ... \$1	ALLENS, Mustard, Turnip, Mixed 303 Can GREENS, 5 for ... \$1
ALLENS GREEN, 300 CAN LIMA BEANS, 4 for ... \$1	ALLENS, Mexi, White, Gold, 300 Can HOMINY, 5 for ... \$1
ALLENS, BEANS AND, 303 CAN POTATOES, 3 for ... \$1	ALLENS, WHOLE IRISH, 300 CAN POTATOES, 5 for ... \$1

- ### J. R. B. Garden Fresh Produce
- NET POTATOES, 10 pound bag **69c**
 - Watermelons 28 LB. AVG., EACH **\$1.98**
 - PEACHES, large size, 4 for **\$1.00**
 - Carrots 1 POUND PKG., 2 FOR **49c**
 - ONIONS, Italian Sweet, per pound **29c**

- ALLENS EVERYDAY LOW PRICES —
- ALLENS, GREEN & WHITE LIMA BEANS, 300 can ... **29c**
 - ALLENS, MIXED VEGETABLES, 300 can ... **29c**
 - ALLENS PINTO BEANS, 300 cans ... **29c**
 - ALLENS, POKE SALET GREENS, 303 can **29c**
 - ALLENS, CROWDER OR CREAM PEAS, 300 can **29c**
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Health And Beauty Aids

- WILKINSON STAINLESS STEEL — REG. 95c
- RAZOR BLADES, 5's **39c**

SAVE VALUABLE COUPON SAVE

This coupon must be presented by the customer at the time of sale.

Shaving Cream — Reg., Mint or Lime

Palmolive Rapid Shave **39c**

Reg. 99c

6 1/4 Oz. Can GOOD ONLY AT J. R. B. WITH THIS COUPON

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- KOTEX, Reg. or Super, 12's **59c**
- KOTEX MAXI PADS, 12's ... **59c**
- KOTEX LIGHT DAYS, 12's ... **39c**

J.R.B. COUPON

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1 1/2 OZ. — REG. \$1.36

Deodorant **25c**

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VALUABLE COUPON

- Yellow Cling, Halves Only PEACHES, Del Monte, 303 can **39c**
- CRACKERS, Sunshine Krispy, 1 lb. box **49c**
- A-1 STEAK SAUCE, 10 oz. bottle **89c**
- BORATEEM PLUS, 6 lb. box ... **\$1.79**
- GAINES MEAL DOG FOOD, 25 lb. bag **\$5.69**
- ALL FLAVORS, 12 OUNCE SIZE SHASTA DRINKS, 6 cans **\$1.09**
- ALL FLAVORS, 12 OUNCE SIZE SHASTA DIET DRINKS, 6 cans ... **\$1.13**
- THROW-AWAY BOTTLES COCA-COLA, 28 oz., 3 for **\$1**

Pioneer

By Esthloy S. Dickson

Visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Halsell last week were Dr. and Mrs. Charles Rodenberger of Bryan, Mrs. Sue Taylor and David Carl of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bates of San Angelo, and Mrs. Halsell's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hill of Grandview. The Halsells got their lawn mowed during that time, thanks to Gary Bates.

Mrs. F. L. (Opal) Dean and Mrs. Ethel Brown were in Brownwood on business last Monday. Guests in Mrs. Brown's home last week end were Eddie King and friends, Doris and Roy, all of Colorado City; also Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robbins of Raywood spent the week end and attended the Purvis reunion on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beggs attended Eastland Homecoming last Saturday and had a wonderful time. J. T. was visiting with an ex with whom he fought in World War II, and to whom J. T. had loaned \$5. The friend insisted on paying off that loan after all these years.

Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Beggs and daughters of Tivoli spent the week end with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Kim Beggs spent the week end here with her parents, the R. D. Koenigs.

Rev. and Mrs. Ben Neel, Ben Jr., Bradd and Lisa, of Big Spring are spending some time here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Daniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stover spent part of the week end in San Saba with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hinyard and Dustin. Mr. and Mrs. Regie Stover joined them on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Don Parson and boys spent part of Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Parson.

Robert Gibson of Fort Worth recently drilled a water well for the Pioneer Community Club house; and the Ladies Club and all other interested persons are deeply grateful to him for this wonderful convenience he has provided for them.

Little League

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Tommy Phillips and Randy Ingram, on four bases on balls.

The eventual winners cut the deficit to 5-3 with one run in the third. Joe Holland scored it after singling and coming home later. Kilos were retired in order in the fourth, but scored five runs in the fifth on hits by Craig Hughes, Johnny Neeb and Phillips and free passes earned by Kim Jones, J. Hennesay and Michael Flippin.

Kilos got just five hits off three Beadel pitchers, Hinkle Conlee and Brown but drew six walks. Neeb and Holland shared mound duties for the Kilos and yielded five safeties and three walks.

Cats counted four runs in the fifth inning, all that was actually necessary to win, but added five in the second four in the third and three in the fourth in the 16-3 win. The Buffs tallied a single run in the second and two more in the fourth.

Top hitter for the Cats was first baseman John Long who collected two singles and a home run in three official trips to the plate. He also drew a base on balls. He scored three runs for the winners as did Mike McClure, Jr., who got two hits and a pair of free passes. Only other hits for the Cats were by Wesley Hilburn, who doubled twice in three trips.

Buff's got a double from Greg Hutchins and singles from Ronnie Purvis and Steve Hargrove for the only hits allowed by Cat pitchers Marty and Rocky Callaway, and the brothers issued just one free pass.

Hutchins, Purvis and Hargrove tallied for the Buffs. Others crossing home plate for the Cats were R. Callaway, M. Callaway and Eric Robertson, twice each, and W. Hilburn, Ronald Hilburn, Greg Robertson and Chris Porter.

Scorebook was not kept on the games in Pee Wee League action on Tuesday. In that game, which is played before Little League each night, the Braves clipped the Giants 4-3.

	W	L	Pct
Cats	7	3	.700
Kilowatts	7	3	.700
Beadels	4	6	.400
Buff's	2	8	.200



ON YOUTH TOUR—Representing Taylor Electric Cooperative of Merkel on the annual Government-In-Action Youth Tour to Washington, D. C., recently were Lesa Ledbetter and Keith Morton. The two young people won the all expense paid trip to the nation's capital city by competing in a local contest which was open to all young men and women 16 to 18 years of age who attended high school in the area served by Taylor Electric Cooperative.

Lesa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Ledbetter of Route 1, Abilene. Keith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morton of Clyde. Both young people attend Clyde High School.

Lesa and Keith joined approximately 40 other young rural Texans for the 11-day trip.

During the June 9-14 stay in the nation's capital, these young people saw the United States government in action, visited with their congressmen and senators and saw various government agencies and sites of historical significance. Included on the five-day agenda were visits to Arlington Cemetery and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, the National Archives, Mt. Vernon, the Library of Congress and many other places.

On Wednesday June 11 the group met approximately 1,000 young people from 30 states for a program coordinated by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association. The morning program was an informative question and answer session with congressional leaders and high government officials. After a brief lunch, 37 busses transported the young people to the South Lawn of the White House for a special program and tour of the presidential mansion.

LOCAL PEOPLE ENJOY RECENT 3-STATE TOUR

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Childers came from Odessa on Monday of last week to join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Maxwell and Glen on a trip to Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana. They visited Childers' mother, Mrs. Crestinger, and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Davis, in Perkins, Okla.

They visited Platt National Park in Sulphur, Okla., attended an antique car show and museum in Muskogee, visited the Quachita National Forest in Oklahoma and Arkansas. Also in Arkansas they saw lumber and paper mills, rice fields, and drank mountain spring water.

In Louisiana they saw swampland, plantation homes, visited the State Museum and the Norton Art Gallery, attended the Louisiana Hayride where a young boy from Brownwood was appearing on the Hayride. They saw much beautiful country and educational scenes.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson here the past week end were Mr. and Mrs. John Traeger and Joan Armstrong of Porterville Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson of Roswell N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and Annette of Fort Worth, Mrs. Alma Williams and Laura Mae James of Bowie.

Mrs. R. P. Barnett, Mrs. Mark Walker and Sharon Bea and Mrs. Benny Glover and Pamela Sue were visitors in Coleman Monday afternoon.

Visiting here last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barr were Kate Davidson of Slaton and Jim Harwell of Arlington.

Mrs. Henry (Lucille Martin) Callaway and Mrs. W. E. (Stella Lou Butler) Sealy of this city were among the more than 1,500 persons who attended Eastland High School homecoming at Eastland last Saturday. This event was said to be the biggest and best homecoming ever held there.

Dillard Performs At Ballinger Celebration

R. B. Dillard of Lake Brownwood, formerly of this city, performed, lectured on snake handling and witnessed before an estimated 3,000 persons Saturday and Sunday at Ballinger in a bi-centennial celebration.

Assisting him is his snake-handling act was his wife, Rosita, and his brother-in-law, Juan Perez of Ballinger.

He will be in Shepard Saturday for a benefit show for the fire department there.

Dillard noted that he is available almost any time for charity shows for any worthy cause. He may be contacted by writing P. O. Box 422, Cross Plains, Texas, or calling 915-784-4798, Lake Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGowen of Brownwood visited relatives and friends in the Cross Plains area one afternoon last week.

Deadline for News 10 O'Clock Tuesday Morning

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JOHN J. WOODY STILL AT TEMPLE VA HOSPITAL

John J. Woody of Cross Plains remains a medical patient at a Veterans Administration hospital at Temple where he has been for the past few weeks. He is reported to be responding to treatment and improving. It was not known just how long he will remain there.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McMillan visited last Sunday with her brother, Alvin West, who has been confined to Brownwood Community Hospital for about ten days. Another brother, Walter and Alice West of Lubbock visited the McMillans and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dallas on Monday.

Recent visitors here in the W. M. Smith home were Paul and Greg Smith of Cedar Hill, Becky Smith of Los Angeles, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Worley of Lubbock, and M. W. Smith and Johnathon of Abilene.

Review Classified gets results. Tuesday.

Breeding Fair

Reunion On

The Breeding fair was held at Lytle, Abilene, last Sunday. It was the first time in years that all the Breeding fair members were together.

Mr. and Mrs. Leaning of Lamesa, Mrs. Ette Jones of Abilene, (Ardis) Scrivner of Lubbock, Mrs. A. L. Breeding of Cross Plains had nine present. Breeding of Sulphur and Mrs. Gussie Ogden of Cedar Hill, Friends visiting and Mrs. Elmer Peck of Cross Plains, Loyd Scrivner and Willard Mullin.

Deadline for news Tuesday.

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ARMOUR'S CHILI DOGS, 15 1/2 ounce size, 1 for

Shortening BAKE-RITE, 3 POUNDS \$1.

CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP, 5 cans for

BACON, Armour's Star, 1 pound package

FRANKS, Armour's, 12 ounce package

Ice Cream GANDY'S, 5 QUART BUCKET \$2.

BOLOGNA, Armour's, 1 pound

HAMS, half or whole, per pound

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Sabbath Sector News

Mrs. Edwin Erwin and Pat Rector visited Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb recently. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas visited Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins recently.

George Rogers and David and Gary Harris of Amarillo were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Goldon Lawson recently. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin and Belinda of Hobbs, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Foster and Kyle were Saturday night supper guests with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin through the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin and Belinda left Sunday afternoon for Houston on business and to visit his sister, (Annette) Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ege. They will return to the Erwin home Tuesday and on to Hobbs, where they live, on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins visited Mr. and Mrs. Goldon Lawson Sunday afternoon.

Residents of Santa Anna will present a bicentennial program and community musicale for Saturday night, August 16, at the athletic stadium. The musicale, entitled "Country Follie '75", will have a cast of about 50 persons with many more involved in other phases of the program. The public is invited to attend.

Woodmen of the World Camp; 4242 of Cross Plains presented a 50-star United States Flag to the First Baptist Church here last week. The presentation was made by Exal McMillan, WOW camp secretary, and the Rev. Curtis T. Simpson, pastor of the church, accepted the gift.

Esthloy S. Dickson drove to Cleburne last Thursday afternoon and visited through Saturday with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Stewart, Nate and Matt. Other guests in the home were Mrs. Stewart's uncle, Henry C. Moore of Anchorage, Alaska, and his son, Robert S. Moore of Ithaca, New York.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd last week end were their grandson, Allen Byrd of Fort Worth and his friend, Steve Davis of Dallas.

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CROSS PLAINS REALTY Phone 817-725-6186 Highway 36 West CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS 160 A.—N.E. Cross Plains, 40 A. Coastal, 41 A. peanut alt., 95 A. Cult., \$10,000 hog barn, well with pump, 4 tanks, net fence. \$400 A.

240 A.—S.E. Cross Plains, 100 A. Coastal and Love Grass, 130 A. native grass with trees, 10 A. cult., 2 barns, new lots, trailer house and well, 4 tanks, deer & turkey. Cash or 29% down, balance 20 years at 8%, \$350 A.

FOR RENT: Small 2 br., 1 bath, house with large lot in Cross Plains. Phone 915-672-1247 after 6 p.m. 13 tlc

NEED LARGE BOY with large mower for a large lawn. Please call Mrs. C. V. Dickson, at 725-7322 or 725-6111.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to express my most sincere appreciation for each kindness extended me and my family during the time I was in the hospital and since returning home. The get-well cards were genuinely appreciated and your thoughtful acts will be long remembered. Frank Rundell

CARD OF THANKS I want to express my sincere gratitude to so many friends who remembered me while I was in the hospital at Breckenridge. I want to say "Thank You" for the visits, telephone calls, cards, gifts and beautiful flowers. It was so nice to be thought of in such sweet ways which brightened my days. Thank you. Juanita Mayes

CARD OF THANKS Words can never express the deep appreciation we feel for the many ways you helped me and my family along during my recent weeks in the hospital. I'm especially grateful to my many friends for their cards, calls, visits, flowers and prayers. I am sending a very special "thank you" to Bro Curtis Simpson for his many visits and prayers. Mrs. James (Joan) Apple.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains, Sr. want their friends to know that they have moved from the Oplin community to 1256 Avenue A, in the northeast part of Cross Plains. They bought the Freddy Tatom place and have been here since last October.

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32 A.—N. Cottonwood, 20 A. Love grass, good fence, on farm road, 30 gpm. well with 1 hp. pump, 12x34 building. \$450 A.

400 Acres—southwest Gorman, 231 cultivated, cross fenced, 250 GPM water well, irrigation EQP 47 A cotton allotment 21% down, 40 years at 8% on balance, \$380.00 A.

FOR SALE: Alfalfa hay in the field, \$2.50 per bale; baling now. Call Don Long, Burkett, 915-624-5255 13 tlc

STRAYED: White Charolais-Holstein steer calf with black spots, weighing about 300 pounds. Strayed from cur place near Cottonwood. D. C. Hargrove, phone 725-6177. 13 tlc

MOTORCYCLE for sale: 197-RD 350 c.c. Excellent condition. 1516 actual miles. Call Greg Rogers at 725-7577 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. or see at mobile home across from Lakeway Store after 5:30 p.m. 13 tlc

WANTED: Part-time dishwasher for evening shift. Applications of students considered. Apply in person to Dorothy Odams at Odom's Cafe. 13 tlc

WANTED: Bus drivers, August through May. Apply at High School office or call 725-6121. 13 tlc

CATTLE FOR SALE: 8 nice pair. See them at Oral Joy's place one mile south of Cross Plains on Brownwood Highway. 13 tlc

FOR SALE: 1973 SL 350 Honda. Real good condition on only 3500 miles. \$650 with helmet. Call 725-6406 or 725-7345. 13 tlc

KEY AUTO REPAIR is now open for business on Highway 36 west. Phone 725-6509 early mornings or late evenings. 13 tlc

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FOR SALE: 22 ac., excellent water, some big trees, good truck farm in Cottonwood area. Will G.I. Call 725-7667. 13 tlc

PIPPIN'S BODY SHOP, quality body work and painting. Open Monday through Friday, on East 36 near Markham's Fruit Stand. 12 tlc

FOR SALE: Kentucky Wonder beans \$3 per bu. You pick 'em. Will have cucumbers and okra in near future. The Watson Farm, Sabanno, 725-6595. 12 tlc

CUSTOM HAY BALING: Jimmy Joy, phone, day Claude Joy 725-6319 or night call 725-6359. 12 tlc

PUBLIC NOTICE Invitation for Contractors to Bid Notice is hereby given that the City of Cross Plains will accept sealed bids for ditching approximately 10,000 feet. Specifications of such ditch to be 30 inches deep and 15 to 18 inches wide. Additional information and bid sheets may be obtained by contacting the City Hall, Cross Plains, Texas, P. O. Box 295, or by telephoning AC 817 - 725-6114. Bids must be submitted by 7:30 P.M., July 15, 1975, at which time they will be opened and publicly read by Cross Plains City Council in regular session at that time. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Done by action of Cross Plains City Council: Jack Scott, Mayor 13 tlc

PUBLIC NOTICE Invitation for Contractors to Bid Notice is hereby given that the City of Cross Plains will accept sealed bids for approximately 10,000 feet of 6 inch SDR-26, 160 pound per square in test, plastic pipe with necessary gaskets and lubricants. Delivery would be required on location by or before August 1, 1975. Suppliers are invited to submit sealed bids to Cross Plains City Council, P. O. Box 295, Cross Plains, Texas 76443. Bids must be submitted by 7:30 P.M., July 15, 1975, at which time they will be opened and publicly read by Cross Plains City Council in regular session at that time. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Done by action of Cross Plains City Council: Jack Scott, Mayor 13 tlc

REAL ESTATE 90 A. on Hwy. at Cross Plains, can divide for two Texas Vets, \$333 per ac. 12 A. Clyde, fruit and pecan trees, two wells, \$900 per ac. Lots of other land in Callahan County. I appreciate listings, and will do my best to get your property sold. We are not part-time agents. Real Estate is our business. W. H. Varner Realty Box 1999, Abilene, Tex. 79604 Office 672-5658 - Res. 677-8643

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CUSTOM HAY BALING. Call Sam Odom at 725-7566. If no answer call 725-7281. 13 tlc

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FOR SALE: Used Kenmore automatic washer. Can be used First \$5 gets it. Elvin Hutchin in at Cross Plains Building & Supply. 13 tlc

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FOR SALE: 60 series John Deere tractor, three-point, butane. Call 725-7667. 12 tlc

SEED CLEANING: Wheat seed cleaned, treated and bagged. Oat seed debarbed, cleaned and bagged. May Agri-Business, 101 San Saba St., phone 915 - 625-5535, Coleman, Texas. 12 tlc

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Burkett Neighborhood News

By Mrs. Joe C. Goison

About three weeks ago several young men. I would guess their ages to be between twenty and twenty-three years, came into the store for bait, food and cold drinks. They were dressed in patched cut-offs, some were bare backed others had on prank tee-shirts and sneakers. They said they were fishing along the Pecan Bayou, and for three days these young men made their way to the store for supplies, yet not once did they speak a word of their unusual sport, and I never knew where they came from or where they were going. You see, they are making their own way down the Bayou by means of rubber rafts. What an interesting story they could have given to readers of the Burkett Report. I overheard of the adventures after they had gone their way. I had missed a swell story and they missed getting their names in the paper.

Readers, I'm sorry that I missed writing the news week before last. Please don't think that I will stop writing the news for you or that I'm just not taking the time. The Burkett Report is a pleasure to me, and I enjoy hunting new stories to write for your reading enjoyment. But you know sometimes I get too many irons in the campfire and can't let go of the things that just have to be done. This is what happens when you find there isn't any Burkett Report. One man came by the store and said, "Some people of Coleman said they were taking that paper to read what that nut at Burkett wrote and were sure upset when I missed." Another stopped me on the street of Coleman and yelled, "What happened?" Still another stopped me in a Coleman department store saying "I looked that paper over twice before I decided you didn't write the report." Well you Coleman readers hang in there for as long as you read the crazy things I write and yell for more, I will continue to send in the news.

When the boys were small, our house was the hang-out for all the young boys in Novice. We owned the old hotel or boarding house. The two-story dwelling sat in town, right across the street from an old oak tree that sheltered the local domino players, and the spit and whittle club. Now all you folks know that nothing short of rain stops a good game, that is, unless you were playing while a circus was going on and that is what it was around our house all the time. I often wondered why so many boys went up the stairs and never came down. What on earth? Towels were around their necks. Goodness they were playing Superman and leaping out the upstairs windows.

Sometimes I'd lose my temper and grab a belt. Round and round that big old house I'd go, chasing the boys. I'd chase until I gave out, then giving up, I'd return to what I was doing.

Then one of the members of the spit and whittle club let me in on the boys' hiding place. They would dart in the house, go up the stairs and climb out the window onto the roof of the porch and watch me chase the wind. Well, boys will be boys, and if you want to know the truth, I don't know how on earth we ever got them raised.

Reese and Cleo Porter have returned from a trip to Fort Worth to visit their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Porter and children. While there Reese went through a clinic in Dallas.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams last week were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bates and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bradford and son. The Bates are from Odessa and the Bradfords live in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Golson and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Golson and Robin were dinner guests in the Joe Golson home Sunday. An all-out effort was made to construct a pen for baby chicks and pick out a site for a new turkey pen.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lee Golson and Lenora were visitors in the Wade Golson home this past week, and I would like to say that they were on vacation. Susan was not in the hospital. I do not have a new granddaughter. That was Tony Golson of Cross Plains which is kin, a third cousin or something. We have often had mix-ups in both boys being Tony Golson. So all you can rest easy, Tony and Susan are not thinking of children at this time.

Visitors in the Wiley Newton home this past week were Ade's children and grandchildren Frances and James Walker and son, Jimmy, of Little Rock, Ark. L. D. and Peggy Walker and children, Sharon Edward and Pam, of Clyde, D. L. and Hazel Campbell and children, Teresa and Sherry, of Eula and granddaughter, Brinda, and husband, Richard Kolb, of Deltona, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Koenig, Sherry and Jo Jo, Kim and Susie Beggs and Tamarah Golson, all had supper out at the Driewood Saturday night.

I had a nice visit with C. A. Walker of Big Spring and Hubert and Cardon Walker of Abilene the other afternoon. They lived in the old Ramsey house years ago and moved from Burkett to Echo in 1906. Then in 1917 C. A. went into the drug business at Santa Anna, then later in Big Spring. He was in the drug business for fifty years. One of the boys belonged to the old Echo Woodman Lodge, but from my notes I can't make out which one. Enjoyed visiting with you guys. If you are ever in Burkett be sure and stop by again. I might be able to get the Woodman Lodge name.

Buddy Oliver and Norent came by the store late Sunday evening. They had been to Waco to the Oliver reunion. A swell trip and lots of fun and good eating was reported. I asked Buddy if he had run into any of those Golsons up Waco way.

but he said he hadn't. The Golson family traveled from Waco to settle in Burkett, and several more still around there. I hear tell. If I remember right Buddy's mother was a Golson.

Mrs. Lyda Harris is spoiling Joe. She was at my house visiting Saturday, and I was putting up shelled pintos for the winter. I said Joe wanted some fresh blackeye peas, cornbread and squash and beets soon, and she was out of the house like a light. In a little while, here she came, sat down at the table on the back porch and began to shell the first crop of blackeyes from her garden. By the way, she gathered her squash too. She said, "Well here are the peas, and squash; I don't have any beets and you cook that man some cornbread." Oh, Miss Lyda, it is hard to be number one with you around. All kidding aside, you're wonderful and we love you.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bullock came by the other day and brought me pictures and a story on the old time thrashing machines. I tried to get it put together for the paper this week, but haven't gotten it to gether as well as I wished. So, I'll work on it another week. Look for the story at that time.

H. L. Walker, nephew of Pete Walker, was in Burkett for the supper Saturday night.

Jack DeBusk is not getting to play much golf here of late. He's combining. He said h's small combine has made many a trip around his fields, and he's made every one of those trips with it.

Local Cowboy Making Mark In Bull Riding

Rex Mayes of Cross Plains was busy last week riding bulls in four rodeos. The 1973 graduate of Cross Plains High School took first place in the event at the Lawn rodeo, second place in bull riding in the shows at Gorman and Stephenville and was fourth in a rodeo at Van Horn.

His prize money totaled about \$400.

Mayes will be striving to stay atop bulls in four rodeos again this week, having entered rodeos at Breckenridge, Baird, Aspermont and China Springs. He will also be competing in the Cowboy Reunion Rodeo at Stamford on July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pittman of Dallas spent last week end here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Exal McMillan, and attended the 85th anniversary observance at First Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Office Supplies At Review

TEXAS TALK

By Glenn Winfrey

Thickening the spread thins the profit. "Spread" is the farm-retail spread, i.e., the difference in what consumers pay and farmers receive for agricultural products. "Thickening" is the unusual increase the "spread" has gone through in the past year. In January of 1974, farmers received 46 cents of a market basket dollar . . . by December their share was down to 41 . . . this year the figure could be less than 40. Growth of the "spread" is causing officials to launch specific investigations into agricultural marketing and distribution systems. Suggestions are being made to locate processing plants closer to the producer, to increase efficiency in food transportation, to locate major supermarkets in central-city areas and to take a second look at effects of labor unions. Success in shrinking the "spread" will work well for everyone. The producer will get a larger share of the money spent and the consumer will receive more product for his food dollar.

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WILDCAT DRILL**

County southwest of Rising Star has been completed as a larger discovery.

Discovery Petroleum Corp. of Rising Star is spoting 2,130 feet north and 1,420 feet east of the east lines of Juan Survey 789.

potential was 32 barrels of oil, pumping from a well at 3,255-65 feet and treated with 1,500 gallons of acid.

set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 291 feet, total depth.

**BAIRD AREA PROBE
AS PRODUCER**

Project has been set as a Tannehill Sand six miles north of Callahan County.

E. Greene of Baird Elma Jackson, spotting from the north and from the east lines of ETRR Survey.

potential was 21 barrels of gravity oil, pumping at 900 to 911 feet pay was fractured sacks of sand.

set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 286 feet, the cleaned

project was plugged in 218 feet, by Ungren &

**WILDCAT TEST
AS DRY HOLE**

Senhower Properties, at oil test drilled to a depth of 3,900 feet by Produces Co. has been termed a dry hole.

venture was located two miles east of Putnamville was 7,760 feet south and 2,550 feet west lines of Section 34 Survey.

**Baird AF Cadet In
Summer Training**

Charles R. Greenway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Greenway of Baird, is taking part in a U. S. Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps (AFOTC) training encampment at Lackland AFB at San Antonio.

During the four-week program, AFOTC cadets will participate in a wide range of activities designed to reveal and develop leadership, as well as provide an introduction to military operations and life.

Cadet Greenway is among approximately 3,900 young men and women involved in the special training at 13 Air Force bases this summer.

The cadet is a member of the AFOTC unit at Texas Tech University at Lubbock.

Cadet Greenway is a 1973 graduate of Baird High School.

**ANNUAL DeBUSK REUNION
CARDED AT LAKEWOOD**

Nineteenth annual DeBusk Family reunion will be held Saturday and Sunday, June 28 and 29, at Lakewood Recreation Center, located half midway between Cross Plains and Rising Star.

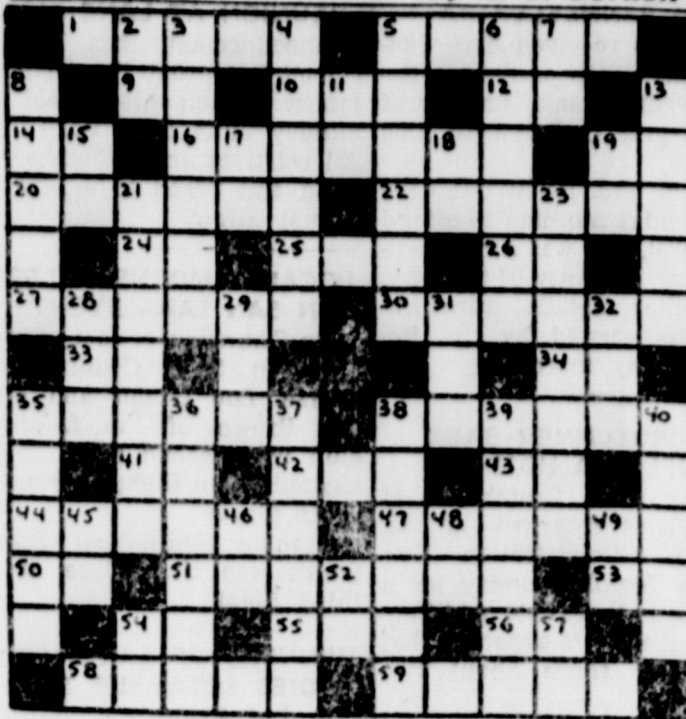
Aleta Coleman of Brownwood, secretary for the group announced that each family attending is requested to bring a picnic supper which will be spread for the Saturday evening meal. Sunday lunch will be catered.

She also noted that club facilities, golf, swimming and miniature golf, will be available to those attending the reunion.

All relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend.

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

CROSSWORD By A. C. Gordon



- ACROSS**
- 1 - Heavens
 - 5 - To recompense
 - 9 - Sansrhythm (chem.)
 - 10 - Unrefined mineral
 - 12 - Male nickname
 - 14 - Exclamation
 - 16 - Model of excellence
 - 19 - Either
 - 20 - Selfishness
 - 22 - Weasel
 - 24 - Current News (abbr.)
 - 25 - Girl's name
 - 26 - Proposition
 - 27 - Iconoclast
 - 30 - Doctrine
 - 33 - Aerial train
 - 34 - Pronoun
 - 35 - To carry off secretly
 - 38 - Moses' sister
 - 41 - Compass point
 - 42 - Fuse
 - 43 - Wield of ..
 - 44 - To delay
 - 47 - Speeders
 - 50 - Have being
 - 51 - To plunder
 - 53 - Pronoun
- DOWN**
- 2 - Like
 - 3 - Suring
 - 4 - Unusual
 - 5 - Ruler
 - 6 - Author
 - 7 - Public amusement
 - 8 - Collection of papers
 - 11 - Sun god
 - 13 - Is agitated
 - 15 - Silver (chem.)
 - 17 - Like
 - 18 - Esher
 - 19 - Proposition
 - 21 - Specialist in eye treatment
 - 23 - Particularize
 - 24 - Corded fabric
 - 29 - Babe
 - 31 - Biblical high priest
 - 32 - Social party
 - 35 - Closed conveyance
 - 36 - Elevated
 - 37 - Specialist in leather
 - 38 - Mental condition
 - 39 - Space missile
 - 40 - Billiard shot
 - 45 - Printer's unit
 - 46 - Inter-American (abbr.)
 - 48 - Type of electric current
 - 49 - Ruthenium (chem.)
 - 52 - Compass point
 - 54 - Pronoun
 - 57 - "To .. or .."

**Man Known Here Dies
In 1-Car Accident**

C. E. Bayley of Goldthwaite, father of Mrs. D. J. (Jack) McCarty of Glen Rose and formerly of Cross Plains, was fatally injured in a one-car mishap Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. Bayley, 87, died in a Hico hospital shortly after the mishap. The accident occurred about seven miles north of Hico on Texas Highway 220. His car collided with a concrete culvert. He was en route home from a visit with his daughter and family in Glen Rose.

Funeral was held at 10 a.m. from a Goldthwaite funeral chapel. Officiating the final rites were the Rev. C. C. McKinney, retired Methodist pastor of Llano, and the Rev. Harven Tewes, Associate Pastor of the Goldthwaite United Methodist Church. Burial was in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery of which Mr. Bayley was caretaker.

Born Nov. 6, 1887, in Mills County, Mr. Bayley married Bertha Viola Nesbit Nov. 14, 1908, in Pleasant Grove. She died in 1965. He had lived in Goldthwaite all his life.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Goldthwaite, and members of that church had planned a Charley Bayley Appreciation Day in July for his long service to the church.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. McCarty, of Glen Rose; one son, James N. Bayley of Memphis, Tenn.; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Happy Birthday Column

- JUNE 26**
- Marlene Cowan
 - Florine Forbes
 - Craig McNeel
 - Ronnie Wilson
 - Mrs. Ben Wagner
 - Howard Strahan
 - Mrs. O. D. Strahan
 - Janet Moore
 - Sharon Bea Walker

- JUNE 27**
- Mrs. Albert Conlee
 - Merle Walker Amos
 - Marvin L. Dickson

- JUNE 28**
- Mrs. Russell Calhoun
 - Johnny Baugh
 - Jerry Payne
 - Zada Bell Dickey
 - Angela Cowan
 - Karla Ranae Wiggins
 - Johnny Markham
 - James Clyde Mayes
 - Elsie N. Nichols
 - Mrs. Irene Baum Scoggins

- JUNE 29**
- Terry Watkins
 - Mary Newton
 - Jimmy Dunn
 - B. A. Harrigal
 - Mark Allen Burkett
 - Mrs. J. M. Greenwood
 - Randall Keith Erwin
 - Robert Allen

- JUNE 30**
- Jerry Spivey
 - Linda Cowan Adkisson
 - Bobbie Newton
 - Fred Butler
 - Russell Chapman
 - Mrs. Gene Mauldin
 - Morris S. Thomas

- JULY 1**
- Aubrey Childers
 - Gary Ledbetter
 - Harold Mobley
 - Orvlie Black
 - Deborah T. Wellmaker

- JULY 2**
- Ferrell Newton
 - Danny Fritchlee
 - Sharon Gilmore Barnes
 - Barbara Shocklee
 - Vira Earl Hooks
 - Mrs. Billy Wayne Teague
 - Alma Armstrong
 - Ricky Dean Walton
 - Doc Proctor
 - G. M. McConal

Jack Scott, Alton E. Hornsby and Benny Glover attended funeral service for C. E. Bayley in Goldthwaite Thursday morning.

Mrs. Alice Irvin and Mrs. Chester Glover visited Mrs. George Forbes in Cisco Friday afternoon.

Clasp envelopes at Review.

**County Population Median
Age Reported 41.6 Years**

How young is the Callahan County population, measured in terms of its contact with the major events of the last few decades?

How many of the local residents were around in 1929, for example, when the great depression took place and the stock market crashed?

How many were on hand in 1936 when King Edward gave up the British throne to marry Wallis Simpson, or in 1941 when Pearl Harbor was attacked?

According to an age breakdown, compiled by the Census Bureau, no more than 35 per cent of the local population was alive in 1918, when World War I came to a close.

In 1933, when prohibition ended, nearly 14 years after it went into effect, only 52 per cent of Callahan County's current population was around to

witness the event.

The advent of the atomic age, in the early 1940's, following the first nuclear chain reaction, can be remembered by only 61 per cent locally, the figures show.

All of which points to the fact that the population of the area is relatively young.

The age level in Callahan County, taken as a whole, is found to be well below what it was a generation ago.

Local residents are slightly older, however, than their compatriots in most parts of the United States.

The median age of the local population is given at 41.6 years, which means that there are as many below that age as there are above it.

In the United States the median age is 28.1 and, in the State of Texas, 26.4.

Despite the fact that there has been a pronounced drop in the birth rate, nationally, in the last few years, there is still a preponderance of young people because of the big birth rates that followed World War II.

Currently, the largest five-year segment of the population consists of those between ages 10 and 15. They total more than 20,800,000. Next in order is the 5 to 10-year group, 19,890,000.

Just how large a concentration of young people is represented in this 5 to 15 age span is indicated by the fact that it contains twice as many persons who are in the over-65 ranks.

**SPECIAL GUESTS SLATED
AT LOCAL CHURCH SUNDAY**

Jim Wright and family and a group of other members of the Southern Hills Church of Christ in Abilene will be at the East 36 Church of Christ in Cross Plains Sunday, June 29. The group will be at the morning and evening services.

The public is invited to attend, according to a spokesman for the local church.

Young Darren Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Williams of Abilene, is spending this week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. (Tuff) Hutchins.

Guests here last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted A. Rogers were their son, Dan Rogers, and Miss Karen Jefferys of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnston of Carlsbad, N. M.

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Baird's July 4 Event Plans Are Completed

Plans have been completed by the Baird Chamber of Commerce for an old-fashioned July 4th celebration in Baird.

Activities will begin at 10 a.m., Friday, July 4, with an arts and crafts show on Market Street.

Local and area artists are asked to bring their exhibits to show and sell. Booths will be set up in front of area businesses for the displays.

At 3 p.m. the celebration moves to the Baird City Park for a watermelon feed, horned toad race, sack races, three-legged races and watermelon seed spitting contest. Prizes will be awarded winners.

Area country music bands are also being invited, including bluegrass, and they will entertain during the arts and crafts show at the park.

The Callahan County Museum, located in the basement of the County Courthouse, will be open so visitors may see old-time equipment, pictures and other things in the museum.

People wishing to enter exhibits or have a part in the program are urged to contact Mrs. James Paul Shanks, B. P. Stephenson, and Mrs. Frances Dunlap.

The Chamber of Commerce is trying to get an antique car display and may add other events to the program later.

Mrs. Iva Bains of the Oplin community visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains.

Donald Stephens of Snyder visited here with his mother Mrs. Oran (Linnie) Bains last week.

WELCOME TO SERVICES AT

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Bible Study 10 A.M.
Morning Worship ... 11 A.M.
Evening Worship ... 7 P.M.
Thursday Evening Singing
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Sterling Walker, Minister

Rowden Area News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Hot, dry weather continues on into June. It is surprising how well the gardens have produced with little rain. Beans, squash and potatoes, canned or frozen will be good eating this winter.

Grain harvesting is about over in the community, just in time for families to plan for a 4th of July picnic.

George Baker of Abilene visited in the Bill Lawrence home last Tuesday.

Terrell Harris spent two days last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Duke McIntosh in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Price of Cottonwood and Mrs. Warren Price visited in Baird with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs Saturday afternoon.

Those visiting in the Tony Steele home during the week were Mrs. Eugene Bell, Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price.

Ellen Reynolds visited with Ruth Burleson in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris were in Coleman Sunday afternoon visiting his sister, Mr. F. M. Best at the Leisure Lodge rest home.

Granvil Gibbs of Odessa spent part of last week in the homes of Mrs. Leila Gibbs and N. V. Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence made a business trip to Fort Worth last Friday.

Those visiting in the Jimmy West home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Richard McClesky of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas West of Baytown, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beasley of Pasadena, Don Gillit of Jal N. Mex., Mrs. Hattie West and Chris West of Baird.

The Robert Watson family were in Coleman Sunday visiting the Jim Needham family. They also visited Michell Needham in the Coleman hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Sayre of Irving spent two days last week in the Russell Dye home.

Those visiting in the Jerry McDonald home during the week were Jerol Price and Henry M. Donald of Baird, Ned

McDonald of Cross Plains, Bill Taylor of Mineral Wells, Buell Taylor of Clyde, Hope Manning and Meria of Odessa and Mrs. Carl Washburn of Sipe Springs.

Julie Dye returned home with her parents, Bob and Cathy Dye Sunday after spending part of last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dendy near Mason.

Those visiting in the Tommy Dye home last week were her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Strickland of Canyon. The Stricklands are making a tour of Canada and New England states this summer.

Those visiting in the Warren Price home during the week and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cauthen of Admiral, Leon Chelf of Baird and Ralph Bates and Helen Bates of Clyde.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. L. W. Placke in Coleman recently.

Those visiting Mrs. Ray Boen during the week and Sunday were Mrs. Bill Lawrence, Christine Bower of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mahan of Lovington, N. Mex., and Roy Thornton.

Janet Reynolds spent one day last week with Merla Manning in the Jerry McDonald home.

Bill Lawrence visited Tommie Smith in Dudley Thursday and also visited Clark Odell and Sam Ingram in West Texas Medical Center.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Granvil Gibbs visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose in Cross Plains Thursday morning.

Cottonwood Area News

By Mrs. Wayne Brown

Farming activity has been "moving on" in the area. Men are busy harvesting crops, baling, pasture land, up early to get most of the chores under way before the high temperatures set in. The wives are kept busy with daily chores of summer gardening, canning plus quilting and an occasional visit with friends.

It is a girl for Ned and Billie Ruth Clark of Canyon. The young lady arrived at 5 a.m. on June 20th weighing in at 8 pounds named Billie June, mother and daughter were to return to their home on Monday where Billy June will join her two brothers, Scott and Gary. Congratulations to Mom and Dad. The young lady's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark of Cottonwood and Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Woody of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Woody, Tracy, Tammy, and Wayne of Glendale, Ariz. and Raymond Woody of Phoenix, Ariz., are visiting here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark. Over the week end the families traveled to Possum Kingdom Lake where they met Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clark and Richard of Duncanville. Richard returned to Cottonwood with the group to visit.

The Church of Christ in Cottonwood is holding its revival this week, June 23 through June

BROTHER OF LOCAL MAN DIES IN PENNSYLVANIA

Word was received here Sunday of the death of Claude Belew of Pennsylvania, brother of H. M. (Hubert) Belew of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Belew left here early Monday morning to attend the funeral, and was accompanied by Mrs. Ed Petty of this city.

No other details were immediately learned by the Review Tuesday morning.

W. A. CRUTCHMER BACK IN TEMPLE VA HOSPITAL

W. A. (Slim) Crutchmer of Cross Plains returned to the Veterans Administration Hospital in Temple Monday for a check-up and possible additional treatment. It is expected that he will be there about two weeks.

MOUNTAIN TOP CHURCH SETS SPECIAL SERVICES

The Mountain Top United Pentecostal Church, located in the Romney community south of Cisco, has scheduled special homecoming and pastor-church anniversary services for Thursday through Sunday, June 26, 27, 28 and 29.

The public is invited to attend the night services starting at 7:30, featuring Rev. J. T. Pugh of Odessa Thursday and Friday and the Rev. T. H. Chapman of Amarillo, Saturday and Sunday.

A barbecue supper is planned for 5 p.m. Saturday.

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McGOWEN FAMILY CARDS REUNION AT LAKE CISCO

Announcement has been received here that the McGowen family reunion will be held next Sunday, June 29, at Lake Cisco. All relatives and friends are invited and urged to attend this annual affair.

LOCAL FEMININE GOLFERS WIN SAN SABA EVENT

On Thursday of last week at the San Saba Country Club course, Lou Grider and Maryann Brown of the Lakewood club won second place in the championship flight in a sudden death playoff.

Frankie Smith and Juanita Smith won first place in the third flight.

WINNERS OF LAKEWOOD LADIES SCRAMBLE TOLD

In last Friday's scramble at Lakewood Recreation Center, two teams of ladies participated there. The team of Frankie Smith, Lois Garrett, Frances McAnally and Pete Buchanan won with four under par.

RE-ENTRY ON RECOVERY PROJECT SET AT BURKETT

Alliance Energy Corp. of Dallas will re-enter to 3,850 feet a regular field project four miles northwest of Burkett.

It is No. 9 Clyde R. Thate, located on a 206 acre lease. Site is 1,995 feet from the north and 1,727 feet from the east lines of Mark Isod Survey 172. The project will be used as a water supply well in a waterflood project.

It was originally drilled by Tipco.

M. E. (Ed) Flowers and Mrs. Alice Irvin attended the reunion of the Flower family at Lake Brownwood Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Callaway of this city attended the funeral of her cousin, Jackie Honea, Jr., who was buried in Breckenridge on Monday morning.

Tracy Kay Strickland, one year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dale Strickland of Hurst spent about 10 days here with her grandmother, Zenovia Strickland. Her parents came for her and spent last week end here. Other visitors with Mrs. Strickland and I. B. Loving were Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Evers of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Evers of San Antonio and Miss Billie Ruth Loving of Lampasas.

Cross Cut Cemetery Gets \$10 Donation

Mrs. Les Byrd of Cross Cut has announced that the Cross Cut Cemetery Association received a \$10 donation last week from Randall Clark.

The donor stated, "This is a Father's Day remembrance for my father, Alton Clark."

Persons wishing to assist in defraying costs of maintaining the Cross Cut burial ground may send contributions to Mrs. Byrd, secretary-treasurer of the organization, at Route 2, Cross Plains, Texas 76443.

Contributions will be acknowledged through columns of this newspaper periodically.

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JOHNSON GRASS ROOT GROWS THROUGH POTATO

Another oddity concerning potato is displayed at view. It is a Johnson grass growing through a small potato. The oddity was in the garden by Mrs. Franke of this community.

Whether the potato around the root or grew through the potato, known, and neither the nor the Review staff are sure a guess.

Mr. and Mrs. Golden of Phoenix, Ariz., were week end for the annual reunion. He visited the office early Monday morning.

Monday evening at 8 is deadline for advertising.

Wednesday, June 26



ONE GROUP
LARGE BATH TOWELS
PINK AND AVOCADO
\$1.98
MATCHING WASH CLOTHS
JOHNSON'S DRY GOODS
CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS



Somebody's trying to take something that belongs to you.

Right here in Texas

In fact, somebody's trying to take something that belongs to all of us: freedom of speech. Somebody's undermining your right to communicate, to listen, to have all available information on a given subject.

Somebody's trying to tell certain Arkansas companies they may not advertise their services.

But advertising is just another word for communication. It is public information; it gives you a choice. It encourages new and better ways of doing things and helps continue the development of newer, better and more economical consumer goods.

Now, however, the right of certain Texas companies to communicate with their customers is in danger. This could ultimately have more far-reaching effects on free speech as we know it.

Right now, we want you to think very long, very hard and very deeply about advertising and about the good it does in America. We want you to think about its effect on business, on your own entertainment, on radio, television, newspapers and magazines, on your right to know.

We want you to think about the effect advertising has on your company's sales, and how the sales of your company affect your own life-style.

Right now, we want you to think very long, very hard and very deeply about the issue of free speech. Then we want you to write Governor Dolph Briscoe, State Capitol, Austin, Texas 78711, and your legislators and your friends and tell them how you feel.

The ball is in your hands. It's up to you to drop it.

Advertising is everybody's business.

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LARGE SELECTION OF

Ladies', Children's and Men's
DRESS & WORK BOOTS

BY JUSTIN — NOCONA — COWTOWN — TEXAS

Children's Boots \$9.98 Up
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WESTERN STYLE STRAW HATS
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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

Improving Plainsmen Drop Game Monday

Cross Plains junior teen-age baseball team, the Cross Plainsmen, dropped a fifth consecutive game to the Clyde Bisons 13-9 here Monday night.

Manager Knox Waggoner said the team is improving and has looked stronger in last two outings. The Bisons are regarded the strongest unit in the league although Baird is yet undefeated.

Cross Plains fell to Albany 18-4, Clyde Braves 12-2, Baird 17-2 and Clyde Cougars 8-6 last week.

Monday night Glynn Nickerson pitched a strong game for the local unit, Waggoner noted. Troy Meiron has been named captain of the local junior teen-age club.

Thursday's scheduled game with Albany in Cross Plains has been postponed. Waggoner noted it possibly will be made up on July 3 or 10.

The Plainsmen will host the Clyde Braves Monday, June 30.

Mrs. Lorena Settle returned to her home here last Saturday following a week's visit in Tulia with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny McCaslin and family. She accompanied her sister, Mrs. Estelle Whitley of Pilot Point.

Mrs. Burks Featured Artist At Baird

Mrs. A. W. (Ethel) Burks has been chosen by the Baird Chamber of Commerce as Artist-of-the-month for July. Two of her paintings, a still life and a landscape in autumn colors, will be shown at the First National Bank in Baird.

Mrs. Burks uses oil as her medium, and her preference in subject matter is landscapes. However, she also enjoys painting still life particularly flowers. Her pictures are characterized by a skillful blending of light and shadow for a realistic effect.

Her paintings have been exhibited at the YWCA in Abilene, and at private showings in Baird and Breckenridge. She attended S.M.U. and has studied under Gaitha Browning at Howard Payne University, under Worth Baugh and Mary Louise Brown of Abilene, and Nell Gobie of Baird.

Mrs. Burks makes her home in Baird.

Other artists who have been honored thus far as a part of the bicentennial observance in Baird are Nell Gobie, Gene Swinson, Wayne Baize, Gay Lynn Newcomb and Atrelle Dill.

To report fire in Cross Plains Call 725-6234.