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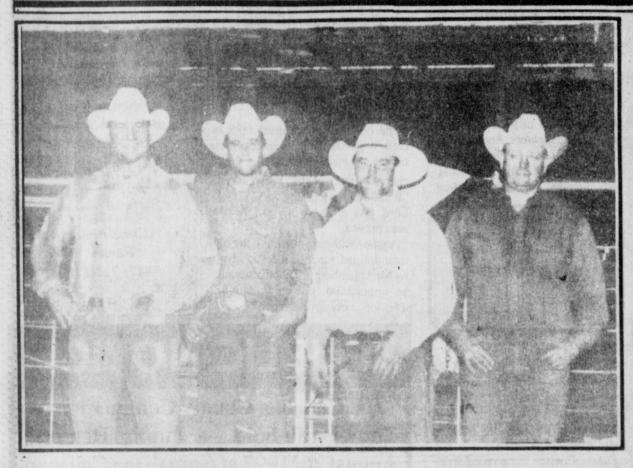


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89TH YEAR

CROSS PLAINS, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS 76443

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1ST PLACE-SILVERBROOK RANCH—Pete Moberly (from left), Richard LeMay, W.T. Miller, and Ted McCulloch. Not pictured Tommy Brown.

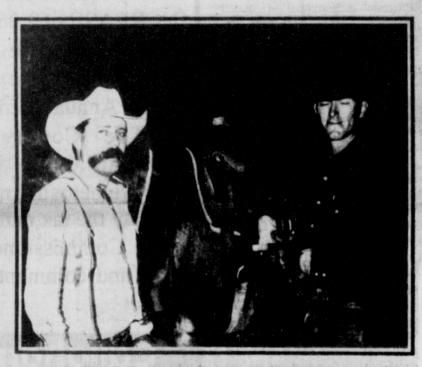
Ranch Rodeo Results Announced

The Cross Plains Roping Club Ranch Rodeo was enjoyed by a large crowd Saturday night as area cowboys roped, wrestled, branded, milked and penned steers and wild cows. We had some best rides and worse wrecks as the cowboys displayed their talents. The red wagon race and steer saddling provided, more entertainment if the five basic events weren't enough.

The club would like to thank Sam Odom for the penning cattle, Billy Golson for bringing the cows and Jerry Lindley for the other stock. An extra thank you to the ladies in the announcers stand for their help, Teresa Koenig, Brenda Switzer, Jean Harris, Dianna Stover, and Kelli Hyles, for staying to the bitter end. Special thanks to all those who helped with the stock and events. Cole and Clay Koenig, Dusty Hargrove, Billy Wyatt, Terry Harris, Rod Middleton, David Switzer, Frankie Hyles, Tammy Odom, Jed Pointer, Brittany Hinyard, Tonya Stover, and Benny Free. To our judge Clint Middleton, a big thank you.

Results are as follows:

1st place receiving Montana Silversmith buckles and gift certificates for brush popper shirts presented by Johnson's Dry Goods was



TOP HAND—Cody Cochran is presented handmade spurs by Kevin Elkins. Cody is the grandson of James and Wilma Lawrence.

Silverbrook Ranch.

2nd place receiving jackets was Lawrence Farm and Ranch.

3rd place receiving headstalls was

Johnson's Dry Goods
4th place receiving hand braided cattle whips by Tony Burns was

West Texas Utilities.

5th place Red Lantern

6th & 7th place tie Rose Bu

6th & 7th place tie Rose Butane and Strength Paint and Body 8th place Cross Plains Grain and

Peanut
9th & 10 place tie Village Market

and Citizens State Bank
11th place Pioneer Co-op
12 place Cutbirth, Bonner and

McWilliams Ranch
The Top Hand Award went to
Cody Cochran, grandson of James

ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB MEETS MONDAY NIGHTS

The Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club will meet on Monday nights at 7:00 p.m. at the City Hall on Main Street.

All booster club members are encouraged to attend. With football just beginning, a lot of new ideas are being discussed and your input is important.

If you have not become a member, your membership is also needed. Please join the Cross Plains Athletic Boosters now!

Farmers Market in Baird Saturday

The historic stone arches in Baird are the location for the monthly Farmers Market and Trade Fair this Saturday, August 23, 10 a.m. until 5

Every fourth Saturday of the month, as long as weather permits, area farmers, gardeners, and vendors are invited to sell their wares in Baird. Depending on location, both

spaces and parking spots are available for \$5, \$10, \$15, and \$20 rates for the day. Call the Baird Chamber of Commerce at (915) 854-2003 for

Shoppers enjoy a double treat. In addition to the Farmers Market and Trade Fair, more than a dozen antique malls and specialty shops are also open for business on Saturday.

and Wilma Lawrence. He was presented a pair of handmade spurs by Kevin Elkins.

The Hard Luck Cowboy, Frankie
Hyles, was presented with a gift
certificate from Johnson's Dry
Goods, compliments of Tye Brown
and Strength Paint and Body.

Winners of the Red Wagon Race were 1st place Terry French and Tim Yates and 2nd place to Clay McGonagill and Frankie Hyles.

The steer saddling team of Loren Odell, Ronnie McWhirter and W.T. Miller took top honors in that division

The roping club appreciates the Cross Plains business community for sponsoring teams and to the EMS who is always there to help.

American Legion Meeting Tuesday

The American Legion Post 0423 of Cross Plains will be meeting at Jean's Feed Barn on August 26, at 6:30 p.m. The District Commander will be here from Abilene.

If you are a Veteran and are interested, please attend. If you have any questions call (254) 725-7651.

Deadlines

Articles - No later than noon Monday Ads - No later than noon Tuesday

New Texas Area Codes Required August 24

IRVING, TEXAS—Telephone users are reminded the new area codes assigned last May to portions of north and central Texas must be dialed to complete a call beginning 'August 24.

The metropolitan Fort Worth area retains the 817 code. Cities in the northern part of the state changed from 817 to 940, including Childress, Wichita Falls, Gainesville, Denton, Mineral Wells, Throckmorton, Haskell and Aspermont. Central Texas cities in 817 changed to the 254 area, including Waco, Breckenridge, Glen Rose, Hillsboro, Donie, Cameron, Killeen, Evant, May, Cross Plains and Cisco.

GTE reminds telephone users to reprogram automated equipment that uses the area code, such as storing or analyzing telephone numbers, security systems, business telephones systems, modems, speed call lists and automatic dialing.

Central and North Texas are two of 70 regions nationwide to receive new area codes over the last two years. The need for codes has increased due to population and business growth, entry of new competitors for local service, and the proliferation in use of fax machines, modems, cellular phones, pagers and additional phone lines. In 1996, the 972 area code began serving the suburban areas surrounding Dallas, and the 281 area code replaced 713 for suburban areas surrounding Houston. In July of this year, the 830 area code was assigned to the part of the 210 area code north of Webb County, and the 956 area code was placed in service for the portion of the 210 area from Webb County south. The San Antonio metropolitan area remained 210. Mandatory use of the new south Texas codes will occur

Athletic Booster Club Host Ice Cream Supper

October 6. (See map on page 5.)

The Athletic Boosters Club will host an ice cream supper Tuesday, August 26, at the football field beginning at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited

Local Businesses Experience Break-Ins

Saturday morning, August 16, at approximately 5:30 a.m. Subway, Cross Plains Economic Development Corporation, Sweet Stuff, First Med, Collum's Restaurant, and C&C Service Center were broken into. Some cash was taken (hundreds of dollars), while the building and property of the businesses were damaged.

The Callahan County Sheriff's Department is investigating the incidents.

Il anyone has information leading the arrest and indictment of these cases, call Crime Stoppers at (254) 725-7456 local or 1-800-252-TIPS Austin. Up to \$1,000 reward and quick \$50 for tips are available.

Callahan County Student Enrollment Clyde Eula Baird Cross CISD ISD ISD **Plains** 1,488 512 472 446 1992 1,447 527 457 1993 511 491 451 1,511 1994 1,532 558 503 454 1995 1,528 568 490 449 1996 1,530 595 438 450

Enrollment Up in 3 out of 4 Callahan County Schools

Student enrollment increased in three of the four Callahan County public schools during the first week of classes.

1997

Enrollment in 1997 is up in Clyde ISD, Baird ISD and Cross Plains ISD. Student enrollment at Eula is reported down slightly from last year.

Cross Plains ISD reported the largest increase with 20 more students this year bringing the total to 470. Baird ISD reports student enrollment up 16 students to 454 district wide.

Clyde ISD reports first week enrollment at 1,539 students—nine students higher than the previous year. Enrollment at Clyde ISD still outnumbers the enrollment of Baird, Eula and Cross Plains combined—1,539 at Clyde and 1,499 at the other three districts.

Clyde ISD reports student enrollment jumps at Clyde Junior-High and Clyde High School. Enrollment is down this year at Hamby Elementary, Clyde Elementary and Clyde Intermediate School.

Clyde Junior High reported 137

seventh graders and 136 eighth graders at school the first week of class. Enrollment at Clyde High School is higher because of a freshman class of 134 students and a senior class of 102. If the senior class maintains the century mark in numbers it will be the largest graduating class ever at Clyde High School.

Baird ISD reported 218 students enrolled in grades 7-12 and 226 students in pre-kindergarten through sixth grade.

Cross Plains 1SD reported elementary school enrollment for grades K-6 at 221 students. Junior high and high school (grades 7-12) enrollment at Cross Plains this year is 249 students.

Enrollment at Eula is down 20 students from last year, school officials report. Enrollment at Eula High School stayed steady at 185 students. Eula Middle School (grades 6-8) enrollment is down three students to 145. Eula Elementary School enrollment this year is down 17 students to 245.

Cross Plains Dairy Queen To Become Smoke-Free

As of September 1, 1997, the Dairy Queen store in Cross Plains will be all non-smoking, according to Doris Richeson, president.

Richeson states, "We have had complaints from our customers, especially families with children, who wish to be able to enjoy their meals in our dining room without being harmed by secondhand smoke. While we appreciate the right of our customers to smoke if that is their choice, we now ask that they abstain during their Dairy Queen visits. We have received requests from the American Cancer Society for a

smoke-free environment, and have had numerous positive comments from customers in our stores which are already smoke-free."

Currently, 78 percent of the American people do not smoke, and many of those are offended by smoke which is a part of a common ventilation area, as is the case in the Dairy Queen stores.

"This is a decision previously made by many foodservice operators, and by city councils in major cities, including Austin and Arlington, in which the entire city is non-smoking," said Pat Dial, vice president.

Cross Plains Cemetery Assoc. Report for June & July

June 1997 Donations

Donations & Earnings: Leota and Wayne Howser \$25; Mary R.L. Rucker \$100; Rolan and Sandra Jones \$50; In Memory of George and Viola Hutchins by The Hutchins Children \$100; Fanora E. Miller \$100; Earnings added to acct. \$5.39; Total \$400.39

Grave Opening Pemits: 4 plots by M/M Frank J. O'Banion \$300; 1 plot by Ruby Tate Henson \$75 Total \$375.

July 1997

In memory Charlie and Alice Mayes by Claude and Wille Bishop \$50; Mel Strength \$20; Margaret A. McNeel \$25: Thelma Long \$35; Earnings to Acct. \$4.19 Total \$124.19

Grave Opening Permits: Higginbotham Funeral Home for DeWitt Newton Service \$75 Total \$75

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COUNTY COURT Bill Johnson presiding

Misdemeanor Minutes

Carmen Hayes-Marin, TPC (theft of property by check), \$100 fine \$157 court costs, \$213.24 restitution, 6 months probation.

Randall E. Yawn, TPC, \$50 fine \$157 court costs, 15 days in jail. James Lee, TPC dismissed due to restitution having been made.

Glenn Thomas Woody, DWI, \$100 fine, \$187 court costs, 10 days in jail. Motions filed to revoke probations: Richard Wayne Jaggers, Jr., Woodrow W. Davis II, Jenny McDowell, Nancy J. Chapman.

> **42nd DISTRICT COURT** John Weeks presiding

> > **Civil Filings**

Divorces filed: Wood, Dedra Gail & Christian Davon.

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Sunday School

Wed. Prayer Service

Sunday Morning 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School .

4.44

Shackelford, Franklin Pierce IV & Marion Erline.

Smith, Deborah Ann & Thomas Leonard.

Bryant, Karen & Jon A. Little, Donald & Vicki Leigh. Smoot, David Cecil & Mary Elizabeth and in the interest of minor

Wiginton, Cathey Lynn & Joel, and in the interest of minor children.

Civil Minutes

Divorces granted: Toon, Patricia Jean & Bobby Reid. Jackson, Ann Marie & Brian Keith.

Felony Minutes

Daniel Rodriquez III, possession of cocaine, \$1000 fine \$174.50 court costs, \$140 restitution, 2 years at TDC probated for 5 years.

Joseph Lee Williams, obstruction, \$1000 fine \$142.50 court costs, \$1099.16 restitution, 5 years at TDC. Jason Lynn Kilough, theft, \$1000 fine \$174.50 court costs, \$1045.58 restitution, 5 years jail probated for 5

Cliff H. Varnado, possession of controlled substance, \$500 fine \$139.50 court costs, \$140 restitution, 10 years probation.

William Robert Henley, theft, \$1000 fine \$139.50 court costs. \$1045.58 restitution, 5 years proba-

Jason Lee Monsey, theft, \$2500 fine \$139.50 court costs, \$1045.58 restitution, 10 years probation.

Bobby Don Chittum, theft, \$1000 fine \$139.50 court costs, \$1045.48 restitution, 2 years in jail probated



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.....7:00 p.m.

HURCH SERVICES

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CROSS PLAINS

Morning Worship11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship7:00 p.m.

Dr. Jim O'Dell - pastor - 725-7556

Jason Kempf - Youth & Music Minister

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OBITUARIES

Ondelia E. Stone

Graveside services for Ondelia E. Stone, 77, was held at 4 p.m. Friday, August 15, 1997, at Cross Cut Cemetery with Dr. Richard Chaffin officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

She passed away Sunday, August 10, 1997, in Tyler. She was buried with her son, Charles William Stone. Mrs. Stone was born December 31,

1919, in Kaufman County. She married J.W. Stone, who later died in 1979. She was a housewife and a Methodist.

Survivors include a daughter, Jeanna Dodds of Tyler; and one grandson, Brandon Dodds of Tyler.

Charles Stone

Graveside services for Charles William "Bill" Stone, 43, were held at 4 p.m. Friday, August 15, 1997, at Cross Cut Cemetery with Dr. Richard Chaffin officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

He passed away Monday, February 17, 1997. His cremated remains were buried with his mother, Ondelia

Mr. Stone was born April 25, 1953. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include a sister, Jeanna Dodds of Tyler, and a nephew, Brandon Dodds of Tyler.

Lee Bowman

CLYDE-Lee Bowman, 83, passed away Tuesday, August 12, 1997, at an Abilene hospital.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Kendrick Cemetery at Denton Valley with Richard Adkisson officiating directed by Bailey Funeral Home.

Mr. Bowman was born in Rising Star, He married Pearl Carroll Baker in 1938 in Cedar Gap. They moved to Clyde from Abilene in 1976. He was a truck driver for Scurlock Oil Company and later farmed. He was a member of the Baptist Church. He was also a veteran of the U.S. Army and fought in World War II serying in Africa, Ireland and Italy.

Survivors include his wife, Pearl Bowman; one son, Mac Arthur Bowman of Buffalo Gap; one daughter, Mary Betty Hardin of Clyde; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Lola Mae Jordan

FISK-Lola Mae Olliff Jordan, 84, of Fisk and formerly of Lubbock, passed away Monday August 11, 1997, at a Coleman hospital.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Girard Cemetery near Spur with Dr. Cleve Haley officiating directed by Stevens Funeral

Mrs. Jordan was born in Oklahoma and grew up in Girard. She graduated from high school there. She graduated from nursing school and was a registered nurse in the U.S. Navy during World War II and also after discharge from the service. She was the widow of William Earl Jordan. She lived in Lubbock for 15 years prior to moving to Coleman County one month ago. She was a member of Oakwood Baptist Church in Lubbock.

Survivors include one daughter, Cheryl Howard of Fisk; one brother, Mickey Olliff of Odessa; one sister, Christine Long of Burkett; four grandchildren and nine greatgrandchildren.

Lon Gray

COLEMAN-Lon M. Gray, 85, of Coleman passed away Friday August 15, 1997, in Fort Worth.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Monday at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Reed Justus officiating. Burial was in Burkett Cemetery.

Mr. Gray was born and raised in Burkett. He married Lorene Harris in 1934. He farmed and ranched near Burkett until moving to Coleman in 1979. He was Methodist.

Survivors include his wife, Lorene Gray of Coleman; one son Don Gray of Hurst; a daughter, Suc Price of Fort Worth; a sister, Maureen Gilliam of Kermit; five grandchildren; and 12 gicat-granuciniuren.

Faye Moore

RISING STAR-Faye Lancaster Moore, 86, passed away Monday, August 18, 1997, at a local nursing home.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Don Longoria officiating, assisted by Dennis Hester. Burial was in Blake Cemetery.

Mrs. Moore was born in the Wolf Valley Community (Brown County) and lived in Rising Star most of her life. She was a homemaker and a member of May United Methodist Church. She married J.W. Moore in 1929; he preceded her in death.

Survivors include one son, J. Weldon Moore of Shawnee, Oklahoma; two daughters, Ann Murdoch of the Williams Community and Judy Coker of Earth; 10 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

City Council Minutes

August 5, 1997

This was a regular meeting of the Cross Plains City Council. All members were present with the exception of Jerry Cassle.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

Denise Coulter, Economic Development Coordinator, met with the council to discuss the "Main Street Program" and invited the council members to go to Breckenridge on August 21, 1997 to discuss this project with Breckenridge's coordi-

Bob Hill, City Judge, met with the council to present the Judge's monthly report. By general consent the council accepted the report as presented.

Buck Brown was on the agenda to ask the council to waive the \$25 burn permit fee so he could get the weeds and debris cleaned up on his lot at the corner of 7th and Avenue D. Ray Womack moved not to waive any burn permit fees at this time. James Nichols seconded and motion car-

Betty Cavanaugh met with the council again concerning the Nuisance Ordinance pertaining to the poor condition of the property located next to her property on the corner of 7th and Avenue D. The council had reviewed the Nuisance Ordinance and felt it necessary to make some changes to the ordinance. A special workshop meeting was set by the council for August 12, 1997 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall to work on the ordinance to meet more of the City's needs. The discussion was tabled until that time.

Johnnie Bland, Housing Authority Representive, met with the council to inform them that she was in the process of trying to buy the property located south of the Housing Authority which is located on the Corner of 8th and South Ave. E for the purpose of building a 30' x 60' activity center for the residents of the Housing Authority. She informed the council that she has applied for a grant and will know in September if the Housing Authority will receive the grant and she asks that the City consider helping the Housing Authority buy the property if the grant is received. She stated that she would need between \$2,000 and \$5,000 from the city. The council informed Ms. Bland that this budget year did not include any monies available for this project, but if she received the grant in September, she could come back to the council and they could consider the request in next years budget which will begin April 1,

W.C. Pringle moved to pay the bills. James Nichols seconded and motion carried.

W.C. Pringle moved to adjourn. Edwin Weiss seconded and motion carried.

Ray Purvis, Mayor ATTEST: Debbie Gosnell, Secretary

PUBLIC FAX AT THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW 2 - CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

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Definition Sanctification

By Mabel F. HALSELL

After reading the first copy of "The Flame," a newsletter written by Dr. Richard Chaffin, the pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains, brings to my mind and my spirit a recent article I read in a book written by Oswald Chambers "Utmost for His Highest." Rev. Chaffin was telling the story of a very old man who was told by his atheist doctor that he was going to have to have surgery.

The old man had a great faith in God. When the doctor went to search for the old man, he found him in the chapel of the hospital. When asked, "What are you praying for?" "It's I, Lord, give me more of you," the old man prayed.

Perhaps without knowing it the old man defined sanctification as given by Mr. Chambers -- "Sanctification is an impartation, not an imitation." This too is my definition.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Callahan County Commissioners' Court will hold a Public Hearing, August 26, 1997 at 6 pm in the Callahan County Courtroom to consider a TAX INCREASE of \$.06 per hundred dollars of valuation to be used for rural road improvements. (example \$50,000.00 \$30.00 Annual Increase).

The County would borrow \$900,000.00 to finance the road improvements and the .06 would be used to repay the tax anticipation notes.

The Commissioners encourage your input and comments on this proposed project.

Callahan County Courtroom - 6 PM August 26, 1997

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COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS

LINDA (EDINGTON) MERRITT **Activity Director**

The residents will be having their monthly birthday party tonight at 7:00. Turner Simpson and group will be providing the entertainment for us. Residents having birthdays are Nora Golson, Wayne Dalton, Irma Deen Haddox, John Green, Ritta Knight, Lorena Wright, Juanita Thornton, Bud Ingram, and Inola Wilcoxen. Employee with a birthday is Frances Wolf.

Appreciation to Mrs. Buster Black for the crackers and cheeseball and to Ava Tollett for the peaches.

Peggy Escue was chosen as the employee for this week. Congratulations Peggy.

Louise Richardson was our winner for a free meal at Jack's Place. Thanks Wanda and Jack.

Billy Wright from Clyde, J.H. and Vida Balkum and Lori Hail visited Lorena Wright.

Dorothy Welch from Fort Worth and Betty Montgomery from Midland visited Leila Montgomery.

Mona Wilson from Abilene visited with Gertie Powell and Blanche Brooks.

Bobby and Lori Haddox from Eastland, Deborah Griswold, Tim and Michael Curry visited with Deen Haddox.

Brenton, Byron and Lurene

McNutt visited Louise Richardson. Frankie Smith and Laquelta Ranken from Pioneer visited with

Falba Shofner and Jo Boatright. Nancy and Ken Felton from Weatherford visited Juanita

Carol and Trey Bilbrey visited with Myrtle Owen.

Activities during the week were: Monday: Bingo winners were Dorothy Thomas, Falba Shofner (2), Inola Wilcoxen, Minnie Swann, Gertie Powell, Ruby Harrell and Vera Belyeu. Exercise

Tuesday: Art class. Popcorn and Skip-Bo games.

Wednesday: Singing with Bob Wallace and Jennifer Ames. Exercise class.

Thursday: Bingo winners were Minnie Swann, Falba Shofner, Dorothy Thomas, Louise richardson, Vera Belyeu, Gertie Powell and Ruby Harrell. Skip-Bo games.

Friday: Singing with Bob Wallace and Jennifer Ames. Sunday: First Baptist

Today is the tomorrow that worried you so much yesterday doesn't look half bad; does it?

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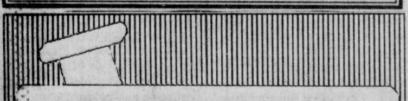
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BREAKTHRU

By Bob Pipes, preacher **Cross Plains Church of Christ** 433 N. Main At 12th (254) 725-6117

The Bible class teacher had put up with the "class clown" and general disrupter as much as he could. Little did the teacher know that this student had been to the principal's office at the public school so many times that he should have been the ssistant principal -- but it would not have surprised him. And now the student was bringing his terrible behavior into the Sunday school classroom and the teacher's tience was being tried severely. Grabbing the boy by the shoulders and shaking him, the teacher said, "I believe the devil has hold of you, Willie!" "Yes," agreed the boy, his teeth chattering, "I think so, too!"

Seriously, have you thought much about the devil lately? Perhaps you have heard of the upswing in "Satan worship." It's frightening! It's suppose to be very prevalent in this area. That' more frightening!! I hope it will at least cause us to reconsider Satan's power and subtleness. Paul, by inspiration of God, says Satan "masquerades as an angel of light" and warns us to prepare well against his schemes (II Cor. 11:14; Eph. 6. Peter adds that he "prowls around like a roaring lion, looking for someone to devour (I Peter 5:8). And he has ministers (or helpers) who also masquerade as ones of righteousness but in reality are no more righteous than their leader, Satan (II Cor. 11:15).

Let us indeed be careful of who has hold of us! Come join us in allowing Christ

to have charge of our lives...

Sunday Morning Bible Class ... 9:45 a.m. Sund wening Worship Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Wed. Evening Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus

Clips, Quips & Comments By KAY DENNIS MOSLEY

"Ode To Granny Annie" Year before last: She retired from teaching! This year a new grandson! Now, ain't that a blast; She's taken up baby-sitting the grandson, which seems quite

but I can't help but wonder and I can't decide*---Is she progressing? Or is she regressing? Now you I'm beseeching-but it seems to me; as I sit 'neath this tree that from teaching fourth grade to sitting for this babe the next step for this lady;

must be a return to being the bride.

I can see her now beaming with pride,

she hasn't regressed! She's been greatly blessed! She isn't baby sitting; she's rocking, not sitting, that's fit-

Rocking, rocking that baby. Yes! She's rocking him in his cradle

as she feeds him soup from a ladle. Now me, I'd like to be a poet, but please don't let anyone know it. (DEDICATED TO MY SISTER --ANN)

I don't relish hearing her beg, but I just can't help pulling her leg. THE END

BBB Consumer Tips Prepaid Funeral Plans

According to the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP), the purchase of a prepaid, also known as "preneed," funeral or burial plan is big business in the U.S. and it continues to grow. Based on a 1995 survey conducted for AARP, almost 17 million adults age 50 and above have prepaid some, or all, of their funeral or burial expenses.

A prepaid agreement consists of a contract for the future delivery of specific goods and services, and a funding mechanism to pay for the goods and services. Under the various state laws, the funeral home or cemetery places a percentage of the payment in a state regulated trust or purchases a life insurance policy with the death benefits assigned to the funeral home or cemetery. Most, but not all, prepaid contracts guarantee that the price of the funeral or burial will cost no more at delivery than what was paid at the point of purchase.

Among the abuses involved with prepaid funeral plans are:

Lack of portability. The plan can only be used to obtain goods and services at a single funeral home or cemetery. Often a substantial penalty is imposed for cancellation.

* Unexpected expenses. At times the purchaser's survivor find that a plan does not cover all funeral and burial expenses, and that an additional amount is required in addition vested in a prepaid plan. to the "guaranteed" expenses.

* Marking abuses. Many sellers of

preneed plans use high-pressure sales techniques. The seller generally tries to convince the purchaser to buy

more expensive goods and services. * Difficulty in detecting fraud. Because there is potentially a time lag of years between purchase of a plan and the purchaser's death, the more fraudulent sellers can and do vanish before their fraud is uncovered.

Before purchasing a prepaid funeral or burial plan the Better Business Bureau suggest the following tips:

* Be sure to compare prices. Costs for funeral merchandise and services can vary drastically. The Federal Commission's Funeral Rule requires itemized cost disclosure from funeral directors, though it does not cover cemetery sales.

* Review the plan carefully. Request a copy of the proposed contract and financial information about the trust itself. Review all documents with an attorney; accountant and/or a financial advisor.

* Visit the facilit. Do not depend on the good faith of the person selling the plan, especially if it's door-to-door

* Investigate the seller's reputation. Check the company out with the Better Business Bureau, funeral boards, attorney general office.

If you suspect fraud, act fast. The quicker you act, the greater chance of regaining any funds you have in-



JESSE WALLACE REED **BIRTH ANNOUNCED**

Tim and Leann Reed of Arlington are proud to announce the birth of a son, Jesse Wallace Reed, born August 11, 1997, at Harris Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth. He weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces and was 18 1/2 inches long.

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DR. DON NEWBERRY AND COURTNEY KIRKHAM

Courtney Kirkham **Graduates From HPU**

Courtney Kirkham graduated with honors from Howard Payne University with a Bachelor of Science in Sociology. She has been on the Dean's List much of her four year college tenure. She graduated Magna Cum Laude. She has also been chosen Who's Who Among American College Students.

Courtney will enroll in Texas

Bible Institute in September. Upon her graduation in May from TBI, she plans to work and then attend graduate school and get her Masters Degree in Sociology. Her desire is to love, work with, nurture, encourage, exhort, and bless our world's greatest and most precious resource - children.

COLONIAL OAKS **SERVICES**

First Baptist will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, August 24, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

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1971-72 BUFFETTES - Julie Tunnel (front, from left), Susi Koenig, Paula Wright Winfrey, and Kathy Purvis; Drucilla Ratliff Eppard (middle, from left), Rhonda Franke, Anna Smith, Sherry Ingram Harris, Judy Koenig, Diane Johnson Hail and Vicki Foster Cobb; Vickie Goble Williams (back, from left), Terry Edington, Evelyn Kitchens Tyler, Penny Odom Heath, Coach Arthur Boyle, Susan Holland, Barbara Ingram Dillard, Marjie Duncan, and Susan McNeel.

SCHOOL MENU

AUGUST 25 - AUGUST 29 (Subject To Change)

BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Cream of wheat, toast, grape juice and milk.

TUESDAY -Cinnamon toast, orange juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Sausage biscuit, apple juice and milk. THURSDAY — Pancakes, grape

juice and milk. FRIDAY — Cereal, toast, orange

juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY — Burrito w/chili & cheese, crackers, salad, fruit cocktail and milk.

TUESDAY — Salisbury steak w/ brown gravy, mashed potatoes, peas & carrots, rolls, honey and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Beef/cheese nachos, salad, corn, apple crisp and

THURSDAY — Grilled cheese, beef/vegetable soup, crackers, fresh fruit and milk.

FRIDAY — Hamburger, lettuce,

Cross Plains ISD School Baord Met Tuesday, Aug. 19

The Board of Trustees of the Cross Plains School District held a called meeting on Tuesday, August 19, at 7:30 p.m. in the faculty room of the high school.

The following agenda was addressed:

Prayer

- Minutes 1. Open Forum
- 2. Amend 96/97 Budget
- 3. Approve 97/98 School Year
- 4. Discuss 97 Tax Rate
- 5. Discuss and Take Action on Dennis House
- 6. Personnel/Staffing
- A. Accept Resignations
- B. Employ Cafeteria Personnel
- 7. Discuss Substitute Teacher Pay 8. Pay Bills
- 9. Executive Session, if needed
- 10. Adjourn. Notice of the meeting was given by Jackie Tennison, Superintendent.

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Registration Continues at CJC

Cisco Junior College's Dean of Admissions, Olin O. Odom, III, reminds area residents that registration is under way and will continue through September 5 at the Cisco campus and the CJC Abilene Educational Center. Though there will be no problem in registering as late as September 5, Mr. Odom urges those who wish to take college credit courses to register now in order to begin attending classes. Classes began on August 25 and a minimum mount of missed time is beneficial to the student.

Mr. Odom said, "Cisco Junior College offers a wide range of opportunities for expanding knowledge. We invite anyone, college age or older, to enroll in one of the many programs we offer."

Students may register at the main campus in Cisco or at the Abilene Educational Center at 841 North Judge Ely Blvd. during regular office hours. For more information call the appropriate campus at one of the following numbers: Cisco (254) 442-2567 or Abilene (915) 673-4567.

Rehab Club

The Rehab Club Pig sale is set for

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Wade Stephens of Cross Plains is the

Callahan County area chairman for

this event from which the proceeds

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The American Lung Association is an advocate of the prevention, control and cure of lung disease, the third leading cause of death in Texas. The Lung Association fights lung disease and promotes lung health through statewide programs, involving research, health education, advocacy and community service. Its life-saving programs are made possible by public contributions and community

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Kay Bailey Hutchison, U.S. Senator, Room 703, Hart Building, Washington, D.C. 20510-4301.

Stenholm Announces **VA Retirement Home** in West Texas

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Representative Charles Stenholm today joined State Representative David Counts in announcing the selection of Big Spring as the location for a new Veteran Retirement Home.

"Obviously, this is great news for Big Spring, and it's good for all veterans in the West Texas area," Stenholm commented. "Our country owes a great debt of gratitude to the veterans who have served and sacrificed for all of us. Providing retirement homes for our veterans is one excellent way for us to say thank-you."

The Texas Veterans Land Board had the final responsibility for making the decision regarding the location of the facility. After considering proposals from a number of communities throughout the state, the Land Board settled on Big Spring, Bonham, Floresville and Temple. Groundbreaking for the 150-bed facility in Big Spring should take place in about a year.

Earlier this year Stenholm had contacted state and national officials on behalf of the West Texas location. Representative Counts authored the legislation in the state legislature.

"This is a win-win situation," stated Counts. "This will be a tremendous boost to the Big Spring community, a long overdue benefit for our veterans, and will save the state approximately \$30 million over the next ten years."

Funding for the nursing centers is shared between the state and federal governments. The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs will provide grants amounting to 65 percent of construction costs while the state will be responsible for the other 35 percent. After construction, the facilities will be managed privately.

Individuals interested in eventual residence in the retirement home can contact the Texas Veterans Commission in Austin (512-463-5538) or speak with their local veterans om-

Local Land Bank Associations Joining Forces

Local farmers and ranchers have overwhelmingly approved the merger of four local Federal Land Bank Associations in Coleman, Brownwood, Haskell, and San Angelo. The new association will become known as Federal Land Bank Association of Texas. Effective merger date is September 1,

The combined association will hold approximately \$140 million in mortgage loans outstanding to approximately 2,200 local farmers, ranchers, agribusiness's and rural homeowners in 16 West and Central Texas counties.

James Isenhower, who has served as President of the Federal Land Bank Association of Coleman since 1976 and has over 31 years of experience, will be the Chief Executive Officer of the continuing association. "Since 1917, Federal Land Bank Associations have provided agricultural credit in the counties they serve. To our borrowers, this merger will mean they can benefit from a stronger financial

institution without losing local ownership. Operations at Coleman and other present offices will continue as they have in the past with present staff. The merger will also enable the new association to centralize the administrative operations. freeing up more time for the staff to spend with customers," says Mr. Isenhower. Continuing staff in the Coleman office are Scott Ogden, Vice President and Clerical Assistants Frankie Gregg and Arletta O'Shields.

Continuing management in the other association branches will include Herbert Loeffler, President in the Brownwood office, Dale Bullinger, President; Craig McCormick, Vice President in the Haskell office, and Brian Meeks, President in the San Angelo office.

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Unfortunately with time some traditions must change also. The football game will be held on Friday this year. Come and join old friends and classmates and help us make this the best Homecoming ever.

The scheduled events for the weekend are as follows: Friday, October 10, 1997

4:30 p.m. Pep Rally downtown 7:30 p.m. FOOTBALL GAME Cross Plains Buffaloes vs Evant Elks

Saturday, October 11, 1997



11:30-2:00 p.m.

8:00 p.m.

9:00-11:00 a.m. Coffee & Registration Gymnasium Foyer Tour of Campus Facilities 11:00-11:30 a.m. Business Meeting-Gymnasium

Classes Sectioned by Decades Election of Coming Home King & Queen Lunch in Lunchroom Sponsored by the **Band Boosters** Parade Downtown (Coming Home King &

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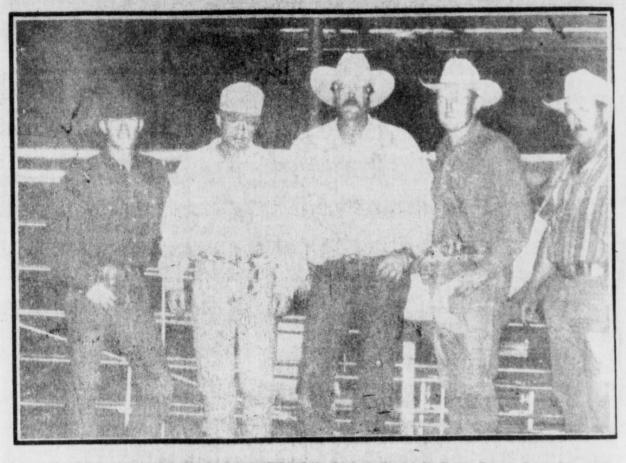
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Queen will be Honored) 3:30 p.m. Class Meetings 8:00 p.m. Coffee Gymnasium Foyer

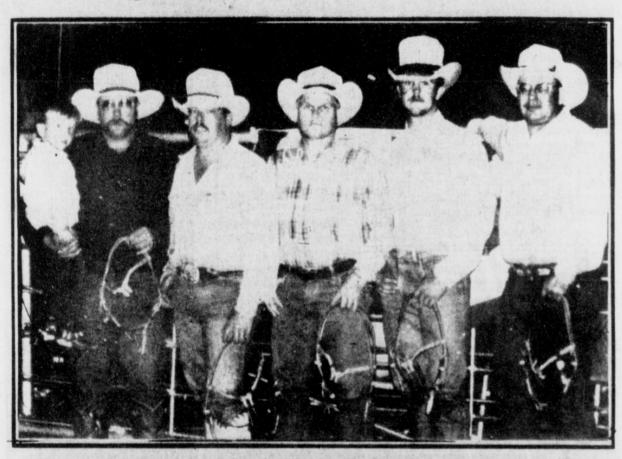
We will take one candidate per decade for King and Queen nominations from the '20-'90's. Be thinking of who you would like to nominate. We will do this during the business meeting.

	Ex-Student Association:	
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	Debbie Tyler Reed, Secretary/Treasurer	725-7363
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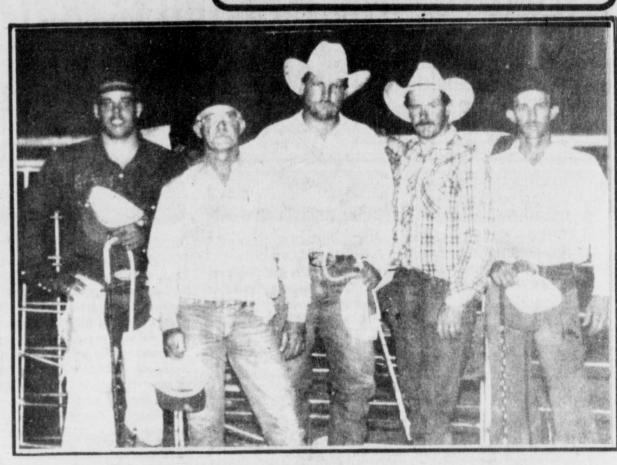
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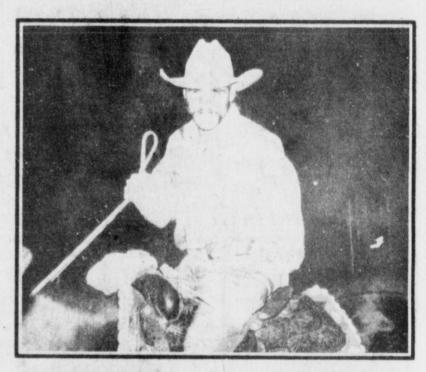
2ND PLACE-LAWRENCE FARM & RANCH-Cody Cochran (from left), Danny Brown, Royce Lawrence, Mike Roberts, and Doug Akers.



3RD PLACE-JOHNSON'S DRY GOODS-Jerry Williams (from left), Derek Shires, Jim Hook, Jody Hook, and Ronnie Barr.



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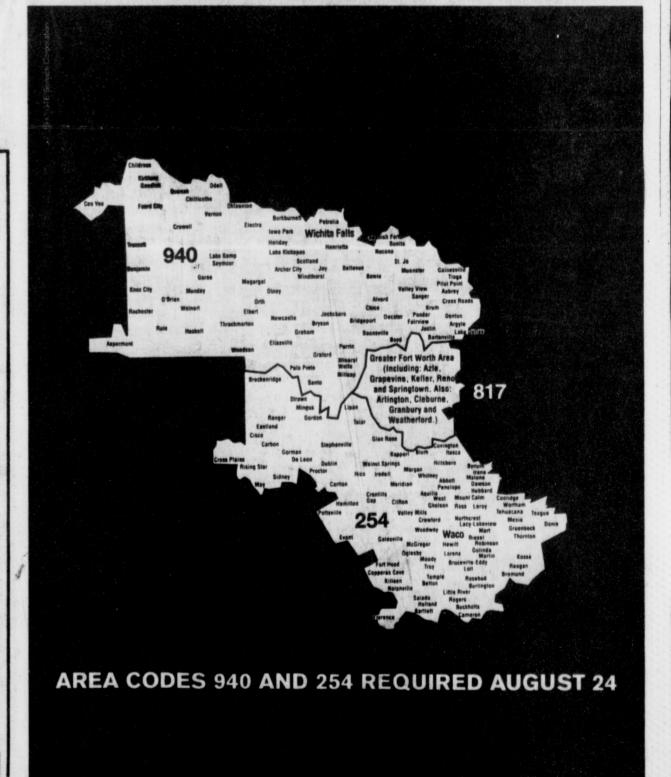
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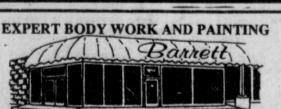
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Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capital Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone (512) 463-6792). 21-1te

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CALLAHAN

In the name and by the authority of the State of Texas, notice is hereby given as follows: TO

R.B. Dillard, if living, and if any or

all of the above named defendants be dead, the unknown heirs of each or all of said above named persons who may be dead, and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said above named persons, and the unknown owner or owner of the hereinafter described land, and the executors, administrators, guardians, legal representatives, legatees and devisees of the above named persons, and any and all other persons, including adverse claimants, the unknown stockholders of any defunct corporations, their successors, heirs and assigns, owning or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property, delinquent to Plaintiff herein, for taxes, all of said property being located in said County and State, to-wit: North half of Lots 1 and 2, Block 87, Central Addition to the City of Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 371, Page 248 of the Deed Records, Callahan County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiff for taxes in the following amount: \$950.87, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes, all said interest, penalties and costs therein allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the County of this the 1st day of August, A.D., Callahan, Plaintiff, against the above named persons, as Defendants, by petition filed on May 2, 1990, in a certain suit styled the County of Callahan et al vs.

E.J. Abernathy et al, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, 42nd Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-845, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit are NONE.

Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiff, Defendants, and Intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the 1st day of August, 1997, same being the 11th day of September, A.D., 1997, (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Callahan County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Baird, Callahan County, Texas,

> s/Cubelle L. Harris Clerk of the District Court Callahan County, Texas, **42nd Judicial District**

Drinking Cranberry Juice **Probably** Won't Help

HOUSTON-If you're female and have a urinary infection, drinking cranberry juice probably is not going

"The widely held belief that cranberry juice can cure a urinary infection is based on the notion that acidification of the urine will eliminate the infection," said Dr. Michael Coburn, a urologist at Baylor College of Medicine and The Methodist Hospital, both in Houston.

But there is no objective proof of that, Coburn said, and, even if cranberry juice could prevent infections through acidification, prohibitive amounts of juice would be required.

There are, however, effective, proven ways to fight female urinary infections.

For recurring infections, a common treatment is a program of prophylactic antibiotics.

"This is highly effective," Coburn said. "There are few side effects, and there is little danger of development of antibiotic resistance."

If you are among the women biologically predisposed to frequent urinary infections, this regimen can be particularly helpful.

If you experience such infections in connection with sexual activity, your physician may link the antibiotic regimen to the sexual activity rather than to a daily schedule.

If you are post-menopausal, topical or systemic estrogen supplements can help. Other ways to help prevent the infections in the first place include maintaining good hygiene and hydration. Coburn cautions, however, that drinking water will not, as some people believe, "flush out" an already established infection.

The classic symptoms of urinary infection are burning, urinary urgency and bladder pressure, but "every irritation or feeling of bladder pressure is not in itself a definite sign of an infection," Coburn said.

If in doubt, see a urologist, who can determine with certainty if infection correctable predisposing cause. And don't expect the urologist to

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prescribe cranberry juice.

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Senate Interim Committee to Study Housing Needs

AUSTIN -- Lt. Governor Bob Bullock on Thursday announced the appointment of a special Senate committee to study state programs designed to give low and moderate income Texans access to affordable

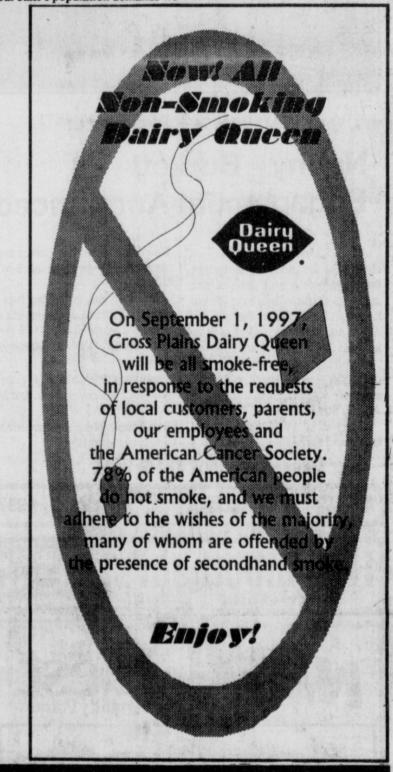
Bullock said the Senate Interim Committee on Housing will be chaired by Sen. Eddie Lucio, D-Brownsville. Other members of the special committee include Sen. Carlos Truan, D-Corpus Christi, Sen. Jeff Wentworth, R-San Antonio, Sen. Rodney Ellis, D-Houston, and Sen. Florence Shapiro, R-Plano.

"The current and projected growth in our state's population demands we

do all we can to make sure safe and affordable housing is within reach for Texans with low and moderate incomes," Bullock said.

Bullock asked the committee to monitor the implementation of recent legislation that revised the powers and duties of the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs and the renamed Texas State Affordable Housing Corporation.

The committee will evaluate the state's efforts to make affordable housing available to individuals and families with low and moderate incomes and review the agency's mortgage banking and lending ac-



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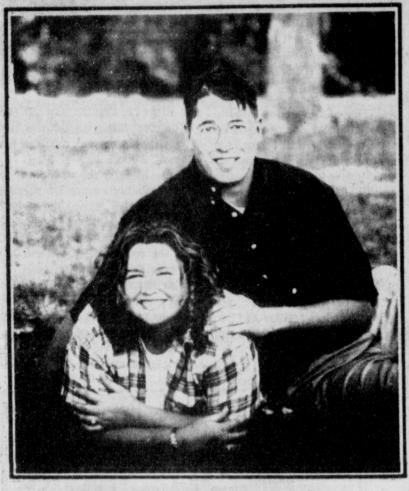
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NICOLE HEINS AND TIMOTHY MCCOY

Heins - McCoy **Announce Engagement**

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The couple will be united in marriage on September 13, 1997, at 2:00 p.m. in St. Lawrence Catholic Church in Silver Creek, Nebraska.

Miss Heins is a 1993 graduate of ceremony. Silver Creek High and attended Peru

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald "Jerry" John State College for 1 1/2 years. She is presently employed as a sales clerk at Tooley Drug in Columbus, Nebraska.

Mr. McCoy is a 1988 graduate of Cross Plains High School and a 1993 graduate of Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Economics. He is an adjustor for Farmers Mutual of Nebraska in Columbus, Nebraska.

Friends and relative of the couple are cordially invited to attend the

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Pvt. Johnson Completes Basic

Marine Pvt. Victor T. Johnson, son of Virgil G. and Vita E. Johnson of Cross Plains, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

Johnson successfully completed 12 weeks of training designed to challenge new Marine recruits both physically and mentally.

Johnson and fellow recruits began their training at 5 a.m., by running three miles and performing calisthenics. In addition to the physical conditioning program, Johnson spent numerous hours in classroom and field assignments which included learning first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training. They performed close order drill and operated as a small infantry unit

Johnson and other recruits also received instruction on the Marine Corps' core values -- honor, courage and commitment, and what the words mean in guiding personal and professional conduct.

Johnson and fellow recruits ended the training phase with The Crucible, a 54-hour team effort, problem solving evolution which culminated with an emotional ceremony in which the recruits were presented the marine Corps Emblem, and were addressed as "Marines" for the first time since boot

Johnson joins 41,000 men and women who will enter the Marine Corps this year from all over the country.

He is a 1995 graduate of Midlano High School of Midlano, Texas.

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RANS NEWS

By TOM IVEY

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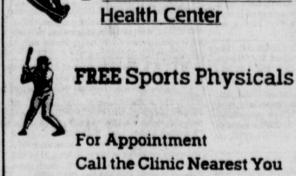
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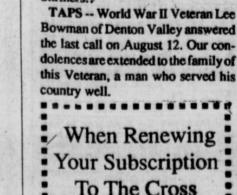
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