

School Board Nixes Parts Of 'Tax Relief' Exemptions

Cross Plains School Board used powers granted by the Texas Legislature last Thursday in delaying two portions of the "tax relief" amendment taking effect in Cross Plains Independent School District for one year.

The so-called "tax relief" amendment passed last year by Texas voters gave birth to House Bill 1060 which provided for several areas of school tax reduction. In two instances local boards were granted powers to delay implementation for a year. Cross Plains trustees did that in two areas last Thursday in regular session.

Six members of the school board voted unanimously to extend taxation of vehicles for the 1979 tax year. H.B. 1060 stated that two autos or light trucks not business connected could be exempted.

Five trustees voted to con-

tinue agricultural use exemptions for 1979 tax year under the old format. One trustee abstained on the question of waiving the new statute. Both were passed by resolution.

It was explained by school board members, Peggy Dickson, tax assessor-collector and Dr. Sect H. Edington, superintendent, that the steps were taken due to time element. There is not enough time left before certain steps in taxing procedures must be taken if all new phases of the bill had to be implemented at once.

Portions of the "tax relief" bill which will go into effect for the taxes of 1979, statement to be issued in October, are homestead exemptions, most intangibles and household goods and personal effects.

Regular homestead allowance of \$5,000 and an additional \$10,000 for the elderly, 65 and over, and disabled do take effect. Exemptions must, however, be applied for annually it was pointed out. Ms. Dickson explained that if a birthdate was shown and homestead noted on rendition forms already turned in, that is all that is necessary. All exemptions called for will be granted. Applications should be made by July 16.

Those who wish to file agriculture use forms should pick up forms at the School Tax Office and return as soon as possible, not later than July 1, same date of rendition cut-off.

It was explained that on agriculture use forms it must still be shown this year that applicant derives at least 50 per cent of earnings from that land. Those who have already applied, and did not list income from other employment should prove it to Mrs. Dickson immediately.

It was explained that freeze on tax valuation on homesteads receiving \$10,000 exemption will never exceed the amount placed on it the first year until it changes hands.

Also exempted are most intangibles although exceptions include such as bank stock, common carriers, mutual life insurance companies, pension or profit sharing plans, savings and loans, insurance companies and contract motor carriers.

It was noted that homesteads

Fuel Shortage Cuts Local Station Hours

Most Cross Plains full service stations have also been hit by the fuel shortage, although not yet to the degree that some in the state and nation have been.

Four of the five full service stations along Highway 36 here have already curtailed hours of operation.

J. W. Fore Conoco and Grider Gulf are closing on Sundays and at 6 p.m. all other days because they can't get enough fuel. Fore stated that the unleaded gasoline is in short supply at his station.

Cliff's Exxon Station is closing at 6 p.m. nightly, although Cliff Kirkham said Tuesday he will remain open on Sundays as long as gas supplies allow.

Charles Dillard at the Texaco Station is closing at 7 p.m. daily, nearly two hours early, but plans to continue Sunday sales as long as gasoline supplies will permit.

Guy Stroud at Wylie Shamrock Station said he is still operating on regular schedule, and has been getting sufficient fuel. He added, however, that he had been notified that June allocations have been cut to 80 per cent of last year's total.

Local self-serve gasoline outlets have not yet been curtailing sales to any great extent. One outlet has been temporarily out of the unleaded fuel, and another was getting dangerously low on regular Tuesday.

The price per gallon has increased rapidly at all area stations during the past several weeks.

Library Lists New Books As Brisk Use Continues

The Cross Plains Public Library has a sign painted on the door as well as one hanging on the awning, both donated by Bob Golsen of this city.

Marilyn Buffington, Chris and Jody Brown and Alvie Hutchins of Abilene donated books last week.

Book circulation continues good, with 248 volumes being checked out last week. The public is reminded that the library is closed on Monday morning and open Saturday morning. It is also open all day Tuesday through Friday.

Mothers are reminded to give themselves and their kindergarten through third grade children the advantage of the Library Story Hour at 10 o'clock each Wednesday morning.

New adult books purchased by the library and now on the

shelf are: "Mommie Dearest" by Christina Crawford, "Texas Folk and Folklore" by Mody C. Boatright, "How to Prosper During the Coming Bad Years" by Howard J. Ruff, "Where the Red Fern Grows" by Wilson Rawls, "Love Signs" by Linda Goodman, "Out of the Old Rock" by J. Frank Dobie, "Evergreen" by Belva Plain, "Good as Gold" by Joseph Heller, "Chesapeake" by James A. Michener, "Overload" by Arthur Hailey, and "The Complete Scarsdale Medical Diet" by Dr. Herman Tarnower.

It was explained that since new children's books have not arrived, 19 children's books were borrowed from the Abilene Library.

Memorial donations received last week were for Ottilie Knight from Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Garrett and for Jack McCarty.

Locally Known Girl Earns Snyder Valedictory Honor

Miss Melinda Masters was named valedictorian of the graduating class at Snyder High School recently.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Masters of Snyder. Her mother is the former Irene Mauldin, a 1951 Cross Plains High School graduate. Miss Masters' grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. S. (Gene) Mauldin of the Rowden community.

The locally known girl compiled a grade point average of 4.6338 on a five-point system in claiming the top spot in the approximately 200-member graduating class at Snyder. Commencement exercises were held June 1 at the Scurry County Coliseum.

Melinda was also chosen by her classmates this year as Miss Snyder High School, as well as being elected Band Sweetheart. She is also a member of the National Honor Society, serving as vice-president of that organiza-



Melinda Masters

School Board Okays Calendar For 79-80

Cross Plains School Trustees accepted last Thursday the school calendar for the 1979-80 school year. It will be a 175-day calendar for students.

School will begin Monday, August 27, for students, although teachers will start in-service classes on August 20. First quarter will end November 16. The 58-day quarter will have two holidays, Labor Day on September 3, and November 5.

Second quarter, of 60 days duration, begins November 19 and runs through February 22. There will be two Thanksgiving holidays, November 22 and 23, and seven Christmas holidays, December 24 through January 1.

Third quarter starts February 25 and continues through May 24. Graduation will be Thursday, May 23, last day of school. Barring bad weather make-up, a seven-day Spring break will run from April 4 to April 14.

A couple of in-service dates will be holidays for students.

INEZ INGRAM UNDERGOES SURGERY ON TUESDAY

Mrs. Calvin (Inez) Ingram of Cross Plains underwent surgery in E. L. Graham Memorial Hospital at Cisco Tuesday, and was reported to be recovering normally at mid-afternoon.

She entered the hospital last Sunday, and she is in room number 8.

tion, and she also belonged to the Future Teachers Association. She plans to attend Lubbock Christian College and major in some field of special education.

In the May 24, 1979, issue of the Snyder Daily News in which there appeared the story announcing Miss Masters as valedictorian, there were also lists of the top 10 students scholastically in each high school class. In the Sophomore Class was Melinda's sister, Charlotte Renee Masters, who had the third highest grade, a 4.5137.

Kerens Youth Choir Sings Here Tonight

The youth choir of the First Baptist Church of Kerens, Texas, will be in concert tonight, (Wednesday) June 20, at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains.

The 30-voice choir is on a tour and has sung in 10 states. The concert will feature group and individual selections.

There will be a supper for the choir members and area youth at the church at 5:45 p.m. The concert begins at 7:30 p.m. and will be followed by a youth fellowship.

Tommy Havens, minister of music at the Kerens church, is the choir director.

Dr. Toby Irwin, host pastor, cordially invites the public and especially the youth to attend this special concert.

Phone 725-6234 to report fire in Cross Plains.

Old Settler Meeting Set Friday At Baird

Persons interested in staging reunion of Callahan County pioneers this summer are being reminded that a meeting will be held Friday, June 22, at the County Courtroom in the courthouse at Baird for that purpose. Starting time is 2 p.m.

All persons who want a reunion held and will help are advised to be present. Officials of the pioneer gathering say, "We need help in preparing for and staging the event."

Cross Plains has hosted pioneers for past several years.

PAINT & PALETTE CLUB SETS JULY 2 MEETING

The Paint & Palette Club of Cross Plains will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, July 2, at the Multi-Purpose Center. Officers for the incoming year are to be elected so all members are urged to attend, a spokesman for the club stated.

Area Bumper Grain Harvest Underway

Ideal weather for harvesting has smiled on the Cross Plains area the past several days, and cutting of small grain crops is in full swing.

Already an estimated quarter of a million dollars of wheat has been marketed in Cross Plains. That was through Monday night. Two local grain dealers have purchased over five million pounds of wheat, and the harvest is estimated to be just less than half over.

In the past several days wheat has been selling for \$3.65 to \$3.95 per bushel. In Cross Plains Tuesday price was \$3.85 to \$3.90 per bushel. It was explained, however, that much of the wheat produced locally was contracted earlier for around \$3.10 per bushel.

Both local dealers, Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Co. and Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply, Inc., reported grades and yields both running high. Yields are exceptionally good this year. Both buyers termed the 1979 crop as "bumper," the best in many years. Although few producers have completed harvest-

ing, average yields are expected to run from 35 bushels per acre upward, with some reaching as high as 50 bushels per acre in spots.

It is expected that with favorable weather conditions continuing, the harvest will be virtually over within the next week to 10 days.

Most grains have also been reported high, but most of that crop is going into farm storage, replenishing nearly exhausted supplies there.

Another boon for the area ag-

riculture picture brought by the clear, dry weather is that planting of peanut, cotton and other crops is being completed. The extended wet weather, which aided in making the bumper grain crop, was severely hindering hay, milo and cash crop plantings. Several more days is needed by cotton and peanut producers to complete plantings.

An abundance of hay has also been made this early summer, and a plentiful supply is presently on the market.

Concerned with the number of inactive delinquent accounts on the tax rolls, the Trustees of the Cross Plains Independent School District have recently signed a contract with the law firm of Mays, Hart & Co., lawyers, of Greenville.

The law firm was hired to collect delinquent taxes. They will receive a percentage in legal fees of collections, as prescribed by the Texas statute.

In addition to this legal fee, the school district will incur other expenses connected with delinquent taxes. For example, the school district will incur the time and expense of maintaining a delinquent tax roll and computing receipts upon payment results in a reduction in net revenue and increases the tax burden on the 85 per cent of the taxpayers who pay on time. Therefore, on June 14, 1979, the school board passed an ordinance whereby a collection expense of 15 per cent plus the receipt fees will be added when delinquent taxes are paid. This 15 per cent cost will be in addition to the ordinary penalty and interest, and will become effective on August 1, 1979.

Jay Ringhoffer Is Graduated At A&M

Jay Ringhoffer of Baird has been graduated at Texas A&M University at Bryan with a degree in agriculture engineering.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ringhoffer of Baird, and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ringhoffer of Cross Plains.

A graduate of Baird High School, Jay is now at Jacksboro where he is employed with Haliburton Services as a field engineer.

Keith Watkins Named Eastland Principal

Keith Watkins has been named High School Principal in Eastland, effective next school term.

Watkins is the son of Mrs. Jack Watkins and the late Mr. Watkins of Cross Plains. The late Mr. Watkins was Cross Plains Elementary Principal for many years.

A 1962 graduate of Cross Plains High School, Watkins has been math teacher at Eastland for the past 14 years. He succeeds Elvin Hill who had been principal for the past 10 years.

An outstanding athlete in Cross Plains High School, Watkins earned both a bachelor's and master's degree at Tarleton State University at Stephenville.

Savings Firm Plans Local Branch Office

Roy H. Simmons, president of Southern Savings and Loan Association, has announced that building plans are being reviewed for construction of the firm's Cross Plains branch office. The site for the new office building is 200 West 36 Highway, one block west of Highway 279.

Simmons stated that construction is to begin in the near future. Meanwhile, the Association is reviewing applications for manager of the Cross Plains branch office.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ingram here last week end were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cloud, Melinda and Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brooker, all of Abilene.

School Board Okays Back Tax Fee Recoup Ordinance

The rationale of the Board is expressed in the following Section 1 of the ordinance: "It shall be the declared policy of this tax unit that the expenses of maintaining records on delinquent taxes owed to the tax unit and of collecting such taxes, now an unfair burden on the general revenue and the taxpayers who pay on time, should be borne instead by the delinquent properties and their owners who are responsible for causing such expenses."

The ordinance also states: "And to effectuate this policy, the unit hereby orders such cost be charged against the delinquent properties and their owners as Authorized Collection Expenses as herein provided, and the same are hereby made a part of the tax liens against the delinquent property to which each such cost is attributable."

The school is attempting to give wide publicity to the forthcoming increase so that anyone with delinquent taxes may avoid the 15 per cent expense by paying prior to August 1, 1979.

Cats Reclaim Leadership In Local L. L. Standings

After a one-week absence the Cats have reclaimed the leadership of standings in Cross Plains Little League.

Trailing the Kilowatts by a half game last week, the Cats bested the challenging Kilos 18-12 in the first game Tuesday of last week. Cats remained in the lead with a 15-6 triumph over the Beadels Thursday. Kilos kept pace, however, with a narrow 3-7 victory over the rallying Buffs.

In Pee Wee League action the Angels bested the Cubs 7-0 Tuesday of last week. The win assured the Angels of the top spot in league standings. Giants strengthened the hold on second place with a 5-1 verdict over the Cubs on Thursday. Only three contests, two featuring each team, remained on the regular schedule going into this week's play on Tuesday. Angels own first place with record of six wins, one loss and one tie. Giants rest in second place with a mark of three victories, four losses and a tie. Cubs are third with two triumphs and six losses.

In Thursday's opener the Cats used a 10-run second inning to insure the 18-12 decision over the Kilowatts. Both teams counted three runs in the first, but the Cats' 10-run second was too much for the Kilos to overcome although that squad tallied four in the second and five in the third. Cats added three in the third frame and two in the fourth.

T. Harris scored the winning run in the bottom of the fifth inning when the Buffs edged the Beadels 11-10 in Tuesday's nightcap. Buffs owned a 5-0 advantage after two frames, but Beadels rallied for two runs in the third and fourth innings, knotting the score with six scores in the top of the fifth. After walking Harris home after a double of D. Koenig and a single by T. Strickland. Eventual winners counted a pair of runs in the first and fourth and a trio of tallies in the second and third innings.

Kilowatts took an 8-7 win over the upset minded Buffs in first game Thursday. The winners tallied two unearned runs in the second and added three more in the fourth before six Buffs crossed home plate in the fourth. Kilos regained the lead 8-6 with three tallies in the fifth, and a Buff rally fell short, scoring one run, in the bottom of the sixth.

Regulation play is scheduled to end Tuesday, June 26. Action is also carded Thursday, June 21, with Pee Wee game starting at 5 p.m., and Little League contests beginning about 6 p.m. and 8-8:30.

Standings in the Little League competition after last week's play follow.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cats	9	2	.818
Kilowatts	9	3	.750
Buffs	4	7	.364
Beadels	1	11	.083

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 Sheryl Larae Glover

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 Jerry Fleming
 L. V. Falkner
 W. C. (Bill) Davis
 Rachael Suzanne McClure

JUNE 23
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 Mike Pruet
 Sue Harper
 Gary Peninger
 Dorothy Jean Pittman
 Ruby Allen
 Jimmy Webb

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 Linda Scott
 Dorothy Baugh
 Cowan Hutton
 Chuckie Wade Weiss
 Eldon McIntosh
 Donald Watson
 Linda Renfro
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JUNE 25
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 Tommy Merryman
 Terry Watson
 Sharon Watson

Kyle Davis
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 Martha Bible

JUNE 26
 Marlene Cowan
 Florine Forbes
 Ronnie Wilson
 Joyce Carol Wilson
 Mrs. Ben Wagner
 Mrs. O. D. Strahan
 Janet Moore
 Sharon Bea Walker

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

McGOWEN REUNION SLATED HERE ALL DAY SUNDAY
 The McGowen Family Reunion is scheduled to be held Sunday, June 24, at the Multi-Purpose Center in Cross Plains. All members of the family and friends are invited to attend the all-day affair, a spokesman for the family stated.

BAINS FAMILY WILL REUNITE JUNE 23-24 AT CISCO LAKE
 Members of the Bains Family will gather in annual reunion at Lake Cisco Saturday and Sunday, June 23 and 24. A spokesman for the family stated that all members of the family and friends are urged to attend.

GOSPEL MISSION SLATES NURSING HOME SERVICE
 The Gospel Mission will be in charge of the regular Sunday afternoon services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home June 24. Starting time is at 3:30 p.m.
 Clasp Envelopes at Review

Local Student In Job Interview Class

Central Texas Commercial College held final job interviews recently winding up a three week business behavior class. A total of nine students went through trial interviews with six Brownwood business men and women to give them experience for future interviews. Participating students were Debbie Edington, Cross Plains; Delia Stamper, Coleman; Sheryl Boyat, Lou Chambers, Suzie Flores, Jake Holt, Ellen Miller, and Kandance Salazar, all of Brownwood, and Ginger Smith of Santa Anna. These interviews are a small part of the training received at CTCC and are scheduled after the completion of each business behavior class. Phone 725-6234 to report fire in Cross Plains. Phone 725-6666 for ambulance service and city police.

FIELD NORTH OF PIONEER DRAWS 2,500-FOOT TEST

Cordova Resources Inc. of Monahans will drill No. 13 A. E. Cook in Eastland County Regular Field. Location is one mile north of Pioneer on a 105-acre lease. It spots 700 feet from the north and 475 feet from the east lines of W. J. Thompson Survey. Permit depth applied for is 2,500 feet. Phone 725-6666 for ambulance service and city police.

RECOMPLETION PLUGBACK TRY SET ON CALDWELL

C. B. Edgar Oil Co. of Abilene will plug back to 3,500 feet and recomplete in the Gray Sand at a Callahan County project nine miles southeast of Baird in the Marge, East Field. It is No. 4 Guy Caldwell, located on a 334-acre lease. Site is 3,300 feet from the south and 900 feet from the west lines of Section 13, Block 5, SP Survey. It was recompleted in 1968 from perforations at 4,090 to 4,100 feet.

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Paul said tongues were a sign to them that believed not. The Bible also teaches that it is a means of self edification (upbuilding) spiritually. In 1 Cor. 14:14, Paul says, "For if I pray in an unknown tongue, my spirit prayeth, but my understanding is 'unfruitful.'" The intellect relinquishes a tive control of the speech centers and is yielded to the control of the Spirit. Our speech is the focus of our intellectual pride and is the main thing that obstructs the freedom of the Holy Spirit in the believer's life. The speech centers dominate the brain, so we can readily see why God chose this way to show total submission of our will. When one is praying "in the Spirit", he is praying in tongues. In 1 Cor. 14:15 Paul says, "What is it then? I will pray with the Spirit, and I will pray with the understanding also; I will sing with the Spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also." In Rom. 8:26, 27 Paul tells us that none of us knows how to pray as we ought, but the Holy Spirit searches the heart and makes intercession for us and prays according to the perfect will of God. Tongues are also of value to edify the Church when followed by interpretation. This unique experience of the Holy Ghost is something that even the Angels desired to look into. (1 Peter 1:12)

We are unquestionably in the latter days. Satan has never been more frantic in his dedication to corrupting the world. A glance at our society confirms this to anyone willing to recognize the signs of the time. During this time especially, it is tragic for anyone to be deprived, or to deprive himself of the only effective weapon against Satan's onslaughts. I pray every Christian will go before God with an open heart and open mind and ask the Father to reveal to him whether or not the words above are truth or fallacy. If every Christian, with a love for the truth, would do this, there would be an even greater move toward the new common experience of seeing members of every denomination receiving the filling of the Holy Spirit. I would like to point out that this is not just "emotionalism", as some would think, but such a joyful experience sometimes causes an emotional response. Remember, 'emotional' is a response, not a cause.

If you want to know what it means to an individual's life, ask someone who has experienced the Holy Ghost Baptism and continues to walk in this way. You won't find any doctrinal, theological arguments being advanced by me. They'll tell you that it is the most important thing, outside of salvation, that ever happened in their life, and is the most important tool a Christian can ever receive. It is vital in this last day that we be careful not to be misled by men. It is wisdom to follow after no man, but God only. Do not rely on what Grandma told you, or some preacher, but get your knowledge straight from the Word of God for yourself. Make a habit of checking out the teaching you hear.

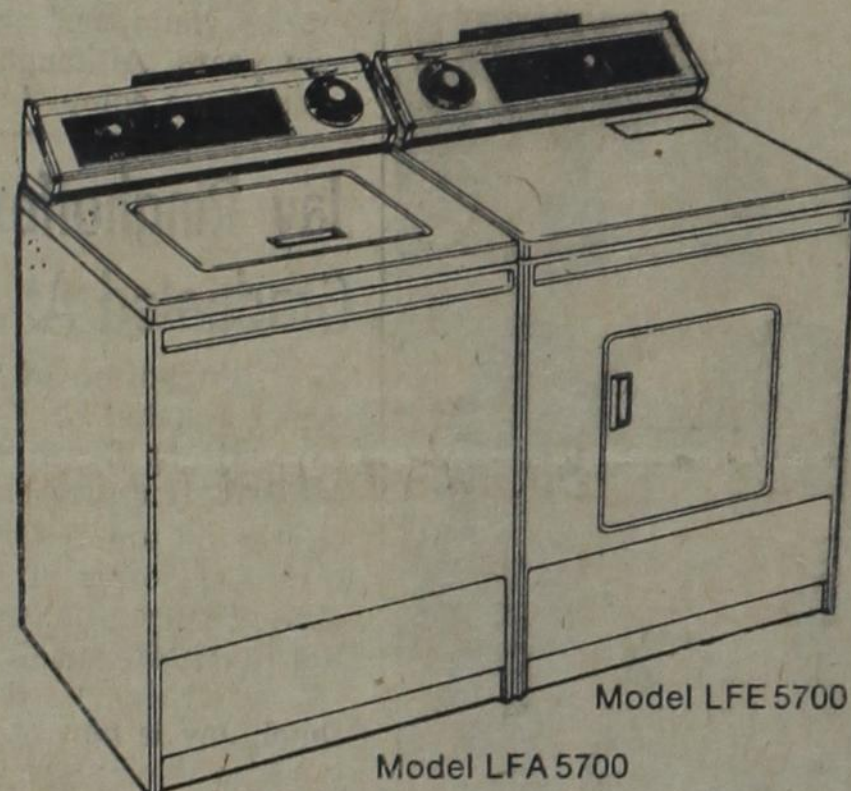
Many will reject God and the gifts He has made available to us. There are several scriptural references warning against irreverence toward the Holy Ghost. The only 'unpardonable sin' is blasphemy against the Holy Ghost (Matt. 12:31; Mark 3:29). Isa. 63:10 warns of rebellion against the Holy Spirit; "They rebelled, and vexed his Holy Spirit: therefore He was turned to be their enemy." Acts 5:3 warns against lying to the Holy Ghost. Eph. 4:30 says not to grieve the Holy Spirit. In Gen. 6:3, God says, "My Spirit shall not always strive with man." Finally, be careful not to be among those spoken of in Acts 7:51, "Ye stiffnecked and uncircumcised in heart and ears, ye do always resist the Holy Ghost: as your fathers did, so do ye."

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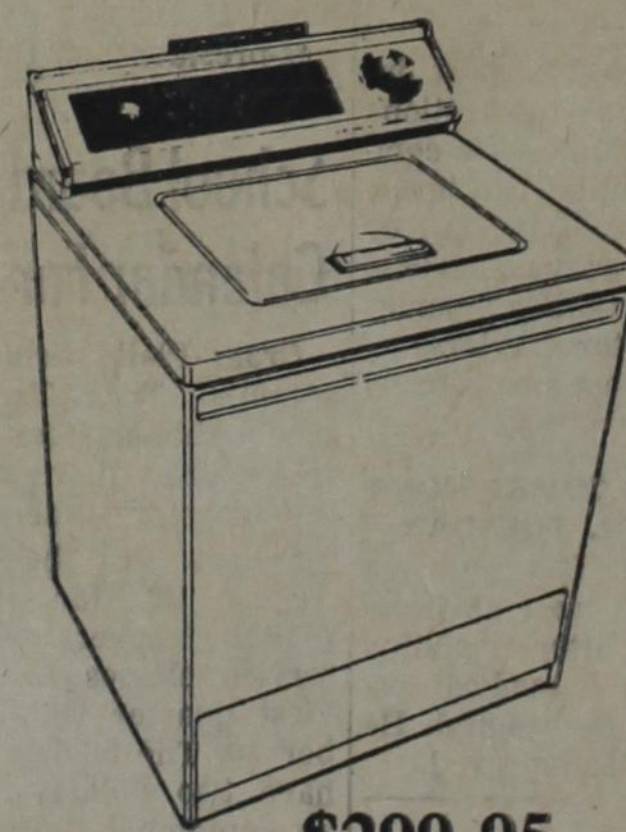


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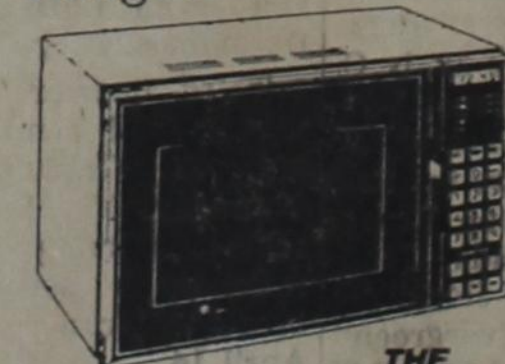
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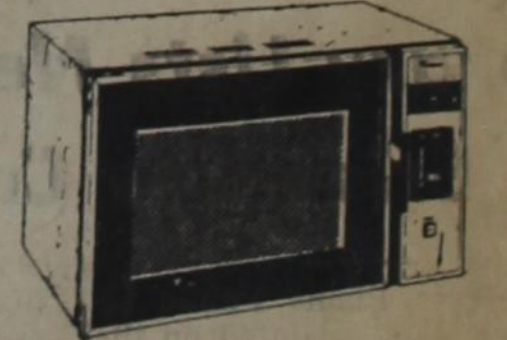


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NORRIS HOME TO HOST SINGING FRIDAY NIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Norris will host a singing in their home in the Pioneer community Friday, June 22.

Mrs. Norris explained that everyone is invited and expected to attend the regular fourth Friday musical. Starting time is about 7 p.m.

IVAN CLARKS DONATED \$50 TO LOCAL FIRE VOMPANY

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Clark of near Burkett have made a \$50 contribution to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department in appreciation of the rural units efforts at their place recently.

Cross Plains firemen answered a call to a wheat field at their place one day last week. An estimated 10 acres of not yet harvested wheat was burned.

J. C. (Doc) Claborn returned to his position as manager of the Cross Plains Higginbotham store Monday after spending a week vacationing.

Clasp Envelopes at Review.

Pioneer News Items

By Mrs. Grace (Eakin) Norris

I hope we have the reporter for Pioneer straightened out. Sorry I didn't get everyone. Some were either in gardens or away, no answer.

Jewel Foster was the good Sir. She called me and though late said I was to give the Pioneer news this week. So not knowing it was my turn, I was late and didn't get to call everyone.

Visiting in the Hiram Foster home was their daughter, Golda Houston, from Austin. Charles and Lucille Foster from Clyde and Eugene and Norma Foster from our community, all visiting on Father's Day. Billie Wayne called from Oklahoma.

Pete and Jean Fore had as visitors Reggy Stover, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Golson and their two children from Fort Worth and on Thursday night, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow from Marble Falls, who were en route to Lubbock to visit their son, Mr. and

Mrs. Jeff Harlow and son Troy, and from here to Washington to visit their daughter, Janet.

Winnie Flippin had as her guests Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kramer from Lake Brownwood and Winnie had Sunday lunch with Nora Phillips. Saturday Winnie visited Eddy and Gail Flippin.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Lipstraw is Stephen's mother, Mrs. Ruth Lipstraw from Hickory Creek, Texas. Helping prepare for the new "expectant" to the family which is due any time now.

John Miller of this community spent last week with their daughter who lives in Dallas and while there attended a church seminar.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roberts from Copper Cove and Mrs. Nora Phillips from our community are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flippin. Wanda and Tom and Denise had lunch with Nora yesterday (Sunday). Mildred, Bob and two sons, Vernon and Glenda and their two sons spent last week with Nora also.

Jean Alexander is visiting in Corpus Christi with her daughter, Mrs. Star Appleton and two small daughters.

Jim Alexander from Richardson visited with his mom and dad, Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander and Annie Laura, and Jim and family visited the Moore Reunion last week at Bend, Texas.

News from the Austin Jacksons. The Austin Jacksons were asked to a fish fry at May on Friday. This was at the Floyd Jackson residence.

News from our new neighbors who have recently moved to our community, Mr. and Mrs. Tillotson. Overnight guests last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Cole Tillotson were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Asher of McAllen, Texas. The two couples were friends and neighbors for many years in Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Coburn and Mr. Brooke Eubank called on Mr. and Mrs. Tillotson recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Halsell's visitors were Nadine McKinney from Coleman, accompanied by her niece from California. Mr. and Mrs. Halsell visited with many friends at Cottonwood when they attended the Friday evening musical.

News from the D. G. Stover home is that their daughter, Mrs. Mike Henyard and their children from San Saba were home on the week end. Also their son and family, Reggie Stover visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Flippin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barr for a fish fry at Byrd's Store Sunday.

News from the Jim Flemings. Visitors with them was John Monteague from Brownwood, who had lunch with them Monday. The Flemings were in Clyde at the Edwards ranch Saturday to "ear tag" some calves.

Joe Fleming's news. Nell says they have been very busy trying to get their wheat combined here and at Williams. Those visiting Joe and Nell were Lou Grider, Annie Laura and James Alexander, Myrtle Kirkham and Nell's aunt Lucy Stephen and her friend, Mrs. Reed from Stephenville spent the week end with Joe and Nell.

News hurried from the Bill Sessums. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sessums made a business trip to Eastland, also to Gorman recently. Visitors were Mrs. Don Socter and her children, Deborah and Thomas.

Homer Parson visitors. Mrs. Homer Don Parson and boys, Travis and Warren spent Friday in Coleman visiting the Melton Kennedy family and the children went swimming. Saturday afternoon Homer Don Parson family delivered Father's Day gifts to Cowan Hutton and Truett Parson. The Homer Parsons visited the Eddy Champion family Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Hutton

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization of the Cross Plains Independent School District will meet July 3, 1979, between the hours of 2:00-5:00 p.m., at the Tax Office, Main Street, Cross Plains, Texas, along with the oil and gas and mineral consultants from Latham & Stults, Inc., for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of all taxable oil, gas, mineral and utility properties in the Cross Plains Independent School District for the year beginning January 1, 1979. All persons having business with the Board concerning the above type property values are invited to appear. By order of the Board of Trustees, Cross Plains Independent School District.

S/ RANDY FOSTER, President, Board of Trustees. 12 2tc

Stella Payne Buried Here Last Saturday

Funeral service for Mrs. W. A. (Stella Virginia) Payne was held in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel at 2 p.m. Saturday.

Mrs. Payne, 88-year-old Cross Plains native, died Wednesday in a Prement nursing home. She had been ill for the past few months, after suffering a heart attack in the early Spring.

Officiating the final rites was the Rev. Bill Reed, pastor of the First United Methodist Church. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Born Oct. 23, 1890, in Cross Plains, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neeb, Cross Plains pioneers. She had lived here all her life and married William Austin Payne April 16, 1911, in Cross Plains. She was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Mr. Payne died Jan. 6, 1975. Survivors include a son, Bill of Dallas; two daughters, Virginia Campbell of San Angelo and Winnie Ruth Grantham of Prement; five grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were five grandsons, J. R. Campbell, Charles Grantham, Roger Grantham, John Grantham and Jim Payne. The other pallbearer was Jimmie Lee Payne of Cross Plains.

Visitors with Mrs. Ethel Brown were Bob Hodnett, Mrs. Cora Howland and her niece, Marie Starr. Also visiting were Velma Brown, Mrs. Lottie Sooter, Mr. and Mrs. Cole Tillotson, Mrs. Bill Sessums and Opal Dean of Plains. Rising Star.

LOCAL DANCERS INVITED TO GRADUATION DANCE

All area square dancers are invited to the Big Country Promenaders Graduation Dance Saturday, June 23, at the Wagon Wheel on the old Tye Road. Starting time will be 8 p.m.

Caller will be Delton Lovelace.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for the kindness in our recent sorrow in the loss of our papa, J. Henry Riggs.

The flowers and cards of sympathy meant so much to all of us.

Signed, Vida and George Cavanaugh, Ricky G. S. Cavanaugh, Tommy Cavanaugh, Debbie Cavanaugh, and Mary Cavanaugh Bagniefski.

had Father's Day dinner with his son, the J. D. Huttons.

News from the David McGowens. Their visitors were Danny McGowen from Lubbock and his mother, Charlene, from Temple. They had lunch with David and Sarah Saturday.

Our sister (little sister) we call her) is now doing fine after surgery at the Brownwood Community Hospital. She will spend several days with us, Grace and Leonard Norris.

Your news reporter for next week is Mrs. Austin Jackson. Her phone number is 725-6830.

W. N. (Bill) Smoot news. Visitors with the Bill Smoots Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T. O. and Kathy Meador, Barbara and Tommie Brown from Brownwood Lake, and Billy D. and family of Eula. Mrs. Smoot reports a lovely day with their children.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in Session at its regular meeting place in the Court House in the town of Baird, Callahan County, Texas, at 9:00 o'clock A.M., on the 2nd day of July, 1979, for the purposes of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Callahan County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1979, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

S/ DARLENE WALKER County Clerk, Callahan County Texas, Baird, Texas. 11th day of June, 1979. 12 2tc

PUBLIC NOTICE

AN ORDINANCE

providing for certain Authorized Collection Expenses in connection with delinquent taxes owed to the Cross Plains Independent School District was duly passed, approved and adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Cross Plains Independent School District at its regular meeting on June 14, 1979, to be effective August 1, 1979. The Authorized Collection Expenses covered by this Ordinance are:

(1) A charge of One Dollar (\$1.00) per year for each year listed on each receipt issued for delinquent tax payments.

(2) A charge of One Dollar (\$1.00) for each affidavit, certified copy of records and any other item of evidence furnished by the Tax Assessor-Collector upon requisit of the Tax Attorney.

(3) Costs of copies of records of other governmental agencies when needed for preparing, filing and/or prosecuting suits and claims for delinquent taxes.

(4) A charge for each check that is returned unpaid after presentation.

(5) A charge of fifteen per cent (15%) of the delinquent taxes and penalty (including any "interest" owed) to cover costs of legal services in connection with each delinquent account.

S/ JOE E. HANKE, JR. Secretary, Board of Trustees, Cross Plains Independent School District.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation and gratitude for the many acts of kindness shown to us in the recent sorrow and loss of our mother.

The food, lovely flowers and visits were deeply appreciated. We are also grateful for the prayers, cards, letters and gifts for her during her illness. It meant so much to her.

We will always have loving memories of each of you.

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Avenues And Streets

An Avenue is usually defined as a wide, tree lined thoroughfare. A Street is defined as a public thoroughfare, usually paved, in a village, town, or city, including the sidewalk or sidewalks.

Despite the clouds thrown over the land titles primarily on Avenue F, by the actions of Mayors and Mayors Pro Tem through the making and paying for, from City of Cross Plains Funds, of survey work; this clouding may affect only the West side of Avenue F.

Although the width of Avenue F is shown on an undated unnumbered, untitled drawing obtained from the City Office; as sixty (60) something, precise scaling shows this to be sixty (60') feet; Avenue F North of Texas Highway No. 36 varies from a Right of Way width of some 38 to 50 feet. This has remained with this varying width for 75 years, approximately. It has never had a width of 60 feet as is substantiated by the undisturbed soil where visible.

South of Highway 36, Avenue F was laid out and property lines established some 50 years ago with a 50 foot Right of Way. At no time, to the best of my knowledge and belief, has the City of Cross Plains ever taken any legal action, given notice in writing or shown by fencing or other legal notice that they made claim to the ten foot strip to the West of West side of the Fifty (50') Foot Right of Way. A conclusion of such acceptance by all parties concerned is warranted by the placing of Water Meters just inside the Property Line on the West Border of the Right of Way; and the location of high voltage electrical power poles just inside the West line of the Fifty (50') foot wide Right of Way.

The danger of opening any such can of worms as has been twice now is that all affected must be treated equally. If one begins his walk at the Stansbury Place on the West side of Avenue F at 1st Street a 20 foot Alley will be noticed at the North end. It is believed the fencing on the South and North sides of the Alley have been placed by the adjacent property owners. It is understood the alley has been mowed and maintained by Mr. Stansbury to avoid an eyesore next to his home. Next, to the North is an anomaly, an empty area scaling some 100' x 60'. This also has never been posted nor fenced. For obscure reasons Mr. Kirkham has at various times had the City run a narrow road around the outer sides of this area. Just North of the Kirkham property, equidistant about an Electrical power pole is another alley jointly shared by Kirkham and Swaim. Until the present Mr. Swaim took possession a 10' Fire Lane ran from the NW corner of the Anomaly Area to Chestnut Street. Mr. Kirkham took down his fence on the South side of his narrow strip running across the South end of Block 25, closed off both ends of the Fire Lane and denied passage to the public over this public right of way.

To the North of my place there is another anomaly, similar in dimensions to the one described above. An explanation of these two areas and of the two previously described alleys and the one to the North, just South of the Shamrock Station, will be given next week.

This last area has a somewhat different history. Apparently the people involved were very good friends. The original owner of my place sold the South 65' of his lots to his friend who added one-half of the twenty foot alley to the South. The first mentioned man took over from the first the 100' by 60' area and built his driveway and barn on it. There was no conflict with his neighbor to the North who then appears to have owned all the Land North to Highway 36.

The rationale behind all this has been worked out and it seems reasonable, granted the assumption the participants were good friends. It can be seen why it is assumed there is a possibility, not a probability, that a court, probably not a county court but a State Court or a Federal Court would grant, in equity, that any land never needed and not now or in the future for which there is any foreseeable need should continue to be held by those having held such land in openly for a period of ten years or more. And that the width of the Avenue F Right of Way be continued to be Fifty (50') feet as it has been since approximately 1905 for that portion North of Highway 36 and since approximately 1925 for that portion South of Highway 36.

I have been advised that a Court, certainly a Federal Court will find for all as for one. That is, the findings of the Court in my specific case; for which I have secured the necessary survey and topographical work and on which I have done the necessary work and research to prepare a rationale that will be clear and understandable, will be the finding for all identical cases.

I am advised by competent counsel that it will better to have as many as possible join in the effort to correct this injustice. For that reason I am trying to form The Avenue F Protective Society. There will be no dues, no obligations and only the Officers legally required. I will defray all expenses directly incurred in furthering the single aim of the organization: to correct the situation where one or all or any of us are deprived of our property rights without due process.

I ask any willing to join and help in this cause drop me a card at Box 548, Cross Plains, Texas 76443.

Some five years ago when the attempt was made to run me out of town so my place could be used to form a truck stop, I was given help by Senator Bentsen. This time when my work on this place where I intend to die was almost completed I have now been forbidden by the Mayor and Mr. Koenig to grow trees in the planting strip between the paved strip or mud puddle; to have a sidewalk and to submit to having the raised shoulder for a sidewalk ripped out and destroyed to make possible an unnecessary Barrow Ditch, used only during the construction of a road in the country to furnish spoil for the subgrade.

I am sure we are all aware Power corrupts and absolute power corrupts absolutely. Both the Mayor and Mr. Koenig have told me they have the power to do anything and to forbid the doing of anything within the limits of the Street Right of Way. As a Free Born American I do not think anyone has such absolute power, and I welcome this opportunity to find out.

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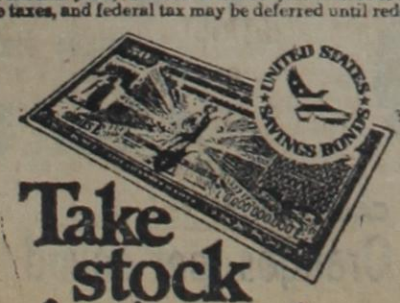
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Across from the Post Office

Rev. and Mrs. John Swift and daughter, Rhonda, of Cross Plains were in Dallas last week where they attended the "Institute in Basic Youth Conflicts" at the Convention Center. They returned home Saturday, and he filled the pulpit at the Evangelical Methodist Church here Sunday.

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Cottonwood News

By Alice Champion

Hi folks. Haven't we been having some wonderful mornings? Yesterday (Sunday) was very windy, but it takes all kinds of weather to make the world go round, or so I've heard. Maybe folks will get the rest of the peanuts in the ground now. They better hurry, though, as the weather forecast says 20 percent chance of rain by tomorrow (Tuesday). Oh well, even God can't please everyone. However, most everyone has had a wonderful garden this year, and for once we have had a good apricot crop. So, most everyone has been busy canning beans, beets, fruit and making jelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Plummer of Leander visited her parents Friday and picked up their daughter, April, who had spent a week with her grandparents, Ora and Artie Lee Breeding. Other visitors with the Breedings recently have been Mrs. Eddie Jones and Wilda and Elvin Jones and Lorene Green of Abilene, Raymond Breeding of Oplin, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Breeding and girls of Abilene, Mrs. Gussie Oglesby of Cross Plains and Darwin Breeding and son of Abilene.

Visiting the Calvin Ingrams Sunday were Donald and Daniel Ingram of Fort Worth.

Laura Ingram and Vina May of Abilene were down at the home place last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ingram and Nora Gillit visited the Calvin Ingrams during the week end.

Ethel Anderson's son has

been working on his home in Cross Plains and visiting his mother.

Mrs. Anderson reports that Vanda King's baby is not well. It has so many allergies.

Mrs. Anderson visited Mrs. Charlie Myrick Saturday. She is not well either. Mrs. Anderson also visited her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro at Cross Plains.

Visiting the Curtis Brothers Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Falkner of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Fortune visited in Kerrville and did some fishing recently. They had a good time.

Visitors in the James Earnest Clark home over the week end were their daughter, Susie Clark, of Rockport, Mrs. Earlene Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ray Hughes of Baird, Mrs. Earl Smith and grandson, Bill Smith, of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Don Helberg of Echo and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robinson of Clyde visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark, recently.

Little Elvan Goode, Jr. and Michelle Goode visited the J. P. Clarks Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hogan, Todd and Tye, of Cedar Hill and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark had supper with the James Earnest Clarks Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Blanton and son of Abilene visited his parents, the J. E. Blantons, over the week end.

Jessie Kelly and Dan Rogers attended the singing at Burkett Sunday, then visited with the Champions Sunday evening. We all had sandwiches with Glenn and Ethel for supper. Stevie Thornton visited with Glenn, Jr. and Monty.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thornton visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Thornton, at Hico Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Childers of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Childers of Brownwood visited the Blanton Childerses and helped get in the hay Saturday and Sunday. Wasn't that a wonderful Father's Day gift for Blanton? The girls and Lillie did some canning. Also visiting the Childerses were Mr. and Mrs. Rankin of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Child-

2 WELLS COMPLETED IN NEW CROSS CUT FIELD

Palo Petroleum Inc. of Dallas completed No. 1-B Emma Riley in the Palo Davis (Ranger) Field one-half mile northwest of Cross Cut.

Location is 330 feet from the north and 2,856 feet from the east lines of Stephen Jones Survey 282, A-546.

Daily potential was 94 barrels of 42 gravity oil, plus 30 barrels of water. Flow was through a 13-64-inch choke with 840 pounds casing and 555 pounds tubing pressure.

The well is producing from perforations at 3,062-81 feet with the 4 1/2-inch casing set at 3,360 feet.

Completed in the same field was Palo Petroleum No. 1 Ray Traweck, spotting 467 feet from the south and east lines of Jordan Hill Survey 156, A-410.

It had a daily potential of 73 barrels of 42 gravity oil, plus 25 barrels of water.

Flow was through a 15-64-inch choke with 750 pounds casing and 300 pounds tubing pressures from perforations at 3,040-84 feet.

The 4 1/2-inch casing is set at 3,396 feet, and the hole is bottomed at 3,492 feet.

Gas-oil ratio was 2,603-1.

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MITCHELL SISTERS REUNE IN HOUSTON JUNE 11-14

The Mitchell sisters met in annual get-together in the home of Mrs. W. W. (Ruby) Pink in Houston June 11-14.

Those present other than the hostess were Jewell Conlee of Cross Plains, Clara Tong of Baynard, N. M., Opal Oliver of Artesia, N. M., and Melba Burns of Crowley.

All had a wonderful time, the sisters reported, and they added the weather couldn't have been better. But they concluded, "We missed our little sister, Aletha Kelley, who passed away May 23, 1976."

Phone 725-6666 for ambulance service and city police.

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Joe McNeel spent the past week here with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McNeel, Jr. and Susan. He left for Wichita Falls Monday afternoon.

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AUCTION

The Rising Star FFA is holding a Consignment Auction on June 30, 1979. Anything you have to sell can be consigned. For more information call after 5:30: Doug Owen (817) 643-7131 or Gwynn Tharp (817) 643-4288, or contact Gerald Lawrence Auction Co., Abilene, (915) 676-2332, Res. (915) 673-8527.

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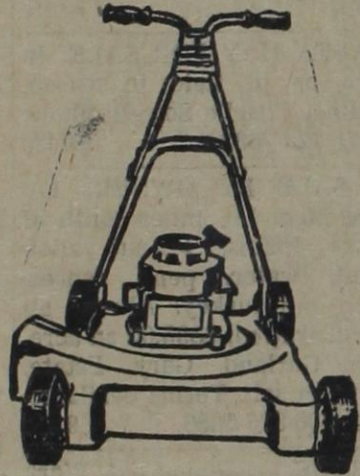
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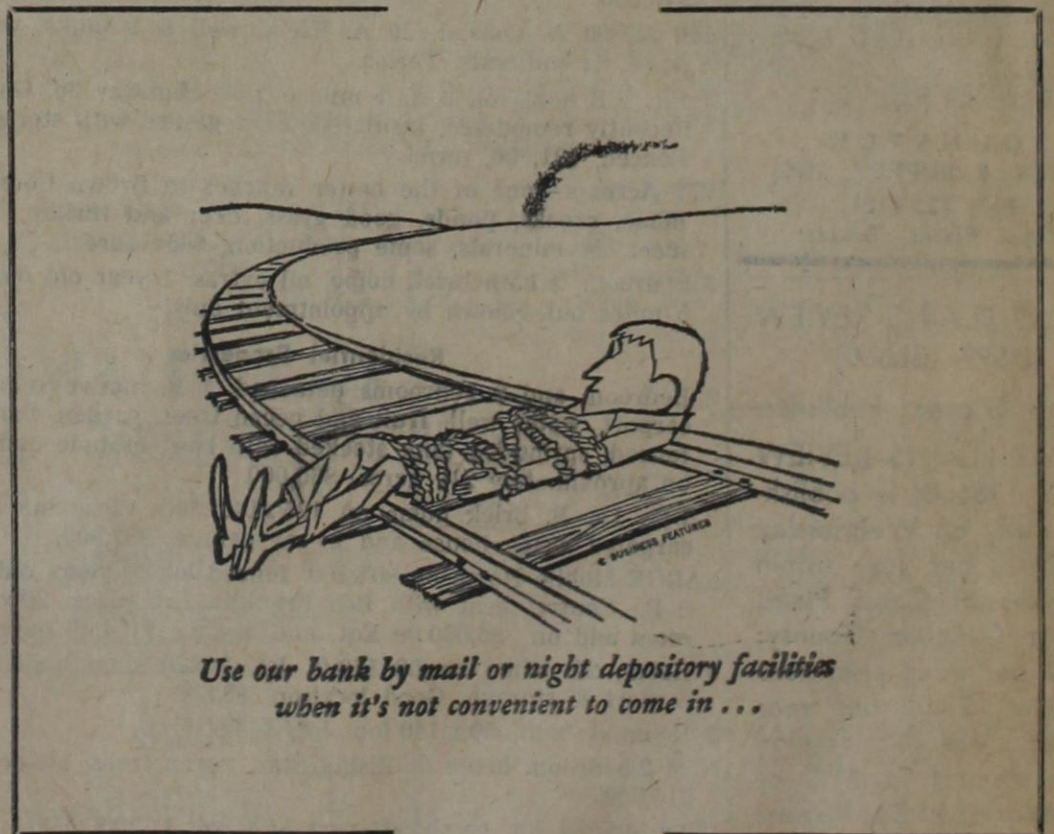
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Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson last week end were Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Thompson and grandson of Wimberly, Texas, Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Traeger and Wavid and Sandra of Longview, Wash., Mrs. Jerry Lewis and children, Mrs. Betty Lewis and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Pender Mitchell and E. K. Copinger all of this city.

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"Jesus answered them. Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whosoever committeth sin is the servant of sin. And the servant abideth not in the house forever: but the Son abideth ever. If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed."

Jo. 8:34-36

Evangelical Methodist Church

1568 Ave. E, Cross Plains, Tx.
Meeting Sunday 10 a.m., 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. and Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Clyde Sailor Begins Mediterranean Cruise

Marine Lance Corporal Richard S. Rose, son of William S. and Mary J. Rose of Clyde, recently departed for a cruise in the Mediterranean.

He is a member of Marine Composite Helicopter Squadron 264 (AMM-264), based at the Marine Corps' New River Helicopter Air Station, Jacksonville, N. C.

His unit is the aviation element of the 34th Marine Amphibious Unit (MAU). The 34th MAU is the force-in-readiness or the U. S. Sixth Fleet; on-call to project combined air-ground forces ashore.

During the cruise, HMM-264 is scheduled to participate in training exercises with other Sixth Fleet units and with those of Allied nations. Port visits are scheduled in several Mediterranean coastal cities.

A 1977 graduate of Clyde High School, Rose joined the Marine Corps in June 1977.

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Burkett News Items

By Lovera Strickland

Mrs. E. A. Jennings, treasurer for the Smith Cemetery, reported a \$15.00 donation from Mrs. Adrian Wilcoxon. Mrs. Jennings also gladly reported the Smith Cemetery has purchased their first \$1,000.00 certificate of deposit for the Smith Cemetery Historical Association. She would like to thank everyone for their donations to the Smith Cemetery.

Mrs. Lena Bland of Andrews underwent surgery in Baylor Hospital in Dallas last Monday. She was reported doing as well as could be expected after her surgery.

Visiting Pauline and Lanette Burns week end before last were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pace and family of San Antonio, Mrs. Caroline Burns and children of Round Rock, Mrs. Jerry Young and Toni of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Burns and Chad of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Crocker of San Antonio, Buddy Oliver of Coleman, and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Oliver of Artesia, New Mexico visited Mrs. Lillian Brown last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Jennings are the proud parents of Randy Curtis Jennings, Jr. He weighed 8 lbs. 10 ozs. and was 19 inches long. He was born June 16, at 11:45 a.m. He has an older sister, Jill. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jennings are the grandparents.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jennings were Mrs. Nora Jennings of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vallier of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Campbell and granddaughter Christi of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hutchins and boys of Bangs, and Frank Krstulja.

Bill Davee is on the sick list this week. He started to San An-

tonio Saturday morning and he was sick when he got to Brady. He entered the hospital there and at the time of this writing he is doing better. He expects to be home in a few days.

Wanda Jean Jennings and Mildred Jennings were in Dallas Thursday to visit Mrs. Lena Bland. She is reported to be doing real well.

Mrs. Velma Penney of Belton visited Mrs. Ruby Biehl over the week end.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Newton over the week end were Wayne Newton, Donald Newton of Kaufman, James and Francis Walker of Little Rock, Ark. and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Beal of Coleman.

Eli Geuld of Abilene spent Wednesday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Geuld.

Mr. and Mrs. Jody Whitley and Buddy of San Saba and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickland and Jackie Strickland had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lat Mountain.

Carl Bludworth returned home Sunday, after spending a few days in the Coleman hospital.

8th Set Twin Calves Born At Area Ranch

In the 59 years that Vetra Connelly and the late Willis T. Connelly have been farming and ranching there have been eight sets of twin calves born. Three of the sets have been male and female at the place about midway between Burkett and Coleman.

Tommie Mac Connelly, vocational agriculture teacher at Coleman High School and a nephew of Mrs. Connelly, is operating the place.

It is reported that the latest set of twins born a month ago, have been named Jimmy and Roslyn. The two prior sets of male and female calves were tabbed Jack and Jackie and Lyndon and Lady Bird. It was pointed out that during the Republican years of Richard and Pat Nixon there were no twins.

Cottonwood Church Of Christ

Bible Study 10 A.M.
Morning Worship .. 11 A.M.
Evening Worship .. 5 P.M.

Terrill, Brandon Smith Honored With Party

Terrill and Brandon Smith celebrated their birthdays together on Saturday afternoon, June 9, with a party at their home. With their birthdays only four days apart, Terrill celebrated his 8th and Brandon his 4th birthday.

Everyone enjoyed lots of cake, ice cream, games and laughter. The highlight came when the boys were surprised with their new 110 Honda three-wheel motorcycle.

Those present who helped make a happy day were the boys' parents, Kenneth and Dora Smith; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Price from Lake Corpus Christi, and Mrs. Viola Smith from Graham. Other out-of-town guests were Nathan and Lucinda Price and Sharon Laughlin from Brownwood, David Price of Lake Corpus Christi, and Elvan and Michelle Goode of Abilene.

Attending from Cross Plains were Angie and Kevin Purvis; Alicia and Courtney Kirkham-Lori Dillard; Elizabeth Cavanaugh; Gail, Tye and Tamara Flippin; Shae and Cody Panake; Chad and Shana Bagley-May; Bubba and Christi Wellmaker; Sharon and James Ames; Michael Franke; Melissa Montgomery, Tim McCry, Judy and Lynn Porter and Gregg Weiss.

Stanton Couple Are Preaching Locally

Pro. and Sister Ward of Stanton are preaching through Thursday, June 21, at the Gospel Mission, located on East 8th Street in Cross Plains.

Michael Ingram, pastor of the local church, stated that Bro. Ward has the gifts in operation in his life. He said that everyone is welcome and urged to come out to the services.

Service begin each day at 7 p.m.

LOCAL PASTOR ATTENDS CONVENTION IN HOUSTON

Dr. and Mrs. Toby Irwin, Greg and Joni, attended the Southern Baptist Convention in Houston last week. They also visited with her sister and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Ron Moore and Jennifer of Victoria.

NORTH COTTONWOOD AREA DUE 2 WILDCAT PROBES
CPT Oil & Gas Inc. of Abilene staked two Callahan County wildcat locations two miles north of Cottonwood. Site for No. 2 Fletcher is 150 feet from the south and 1,330 feet from the east lines of Section 5, SP Survey. Each is located on a 61-acre lease and slated for 1,999 feet. No. 1 Fletcher will be drilled 854 feet from the north and 854 feet from the east lines of Section 5.

Property and Christian Economics

(SECOND PART)

To restate the situation, the beliefs, trends, practices and policies predominately present today as the acceptable life-style is accurately identified as but various shades and degrees of what is sometimes called "Socialism (See TENETS OF SOCIALISM), practical atheism, Liberalism, Secular Humanism or the Social Gospel. Thus, what is not generally realized is that multitudes of professing Christians have been lead to actually accept in practice much of the philosophy (Theology) of the opposers & rebels against God. Usually, such errors are permitted to go unchallenged and unrebuked by stating that spiritually minded Christians are not interested in such worldly matters, or that such a matter is best left to the scholars and experts!

The Biblical response (and rebuke to these two main arguments is straightforward: A laborer is worthy of his hire (or why would a man work if not to gain something of trading value); and, if the preacher is NOT qualified to speak on such important and basic a subject taught in the Bible, Why should men listen to his counsel (or, what is he learned in if not the full counsel of God?).

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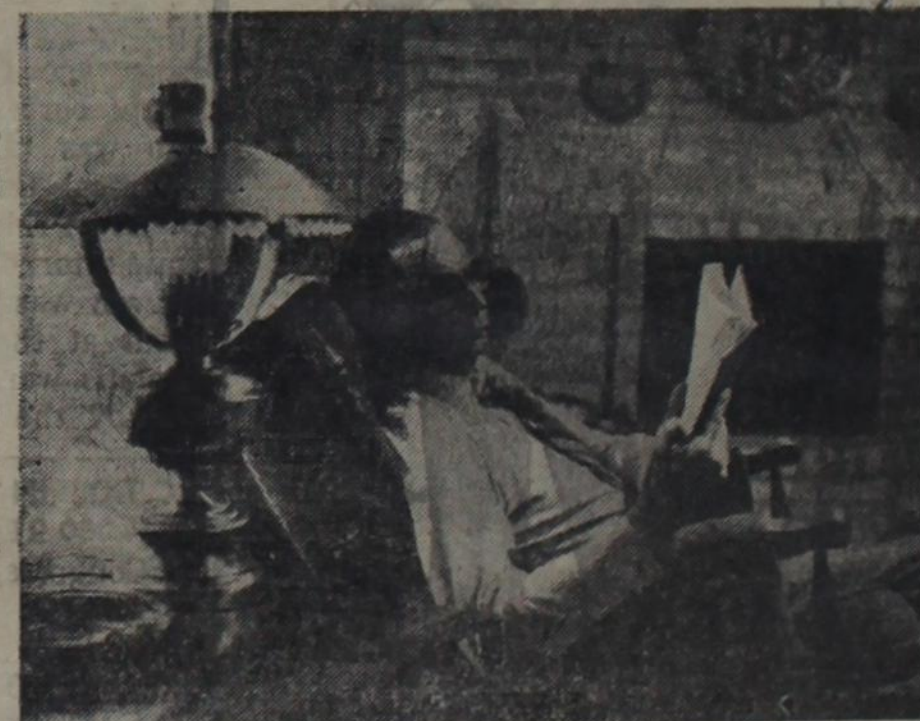
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Rowden Sector News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

These are busy days for the farmer who has a grain crop. Combines have been running into the night to get this bountiful crop harvested.

Tony Steele has spent his vacation with his combine in several fields. Yields on wheat has been excellent, some with an average of 40 to 50 bushels per acre.

Those of us with gardens have been busy canning beans. Judy Steele's garden produced beans for six cookers on Monday which were run off at the N. V. Gibbs place. Mrs. Leila Gibbs was called on to help get the snapping done. She enjoyed the busy day and had her special treat of fresh cucumbers for dinner.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Mrs. Ray Boen were canning and freezing berries last week and Mrs. Warren Price had fresh beets to can on Monday. Mrs. Tommie Harris is kept busy as well as Judy Steele supplying lunches in the fields for their families in the grain harvest.

Russell Dye returned to his home last Wednesday after spending some time in the hospital for medical treatment.

The Bob Dye family are on a trip with her parents, the Douglas Dendys of Mason. They are in San Antonio with Mrs. Dye's sister.

Jim Reynolds enjoyed hamburgers in the Jon Hardwick home in Baird Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Smedley of Clyde visited in the Warren Price home during the week. Vergil and Thelma have a large garden from which they have a good market for their fresh produce. They are kept busy this time of the year.

Ellen Reynolds is now em-

ployed at the Gibson's store on Barrow Street in Abilene. She is sharing an apartment with Virginia Harris and Tonya.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin spent last Thursday with the Tim Burns family in Potosi.

Mrs. N. V. Gibbs visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose in Cross Plains Saturday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Rose also visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Leila Gibbs.

Melissa Newberry of Austin spent part of last week in the Don Harrell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mrs. Mary Finley in Baird last Wednesday night.

Those visiting Raymond Gibbs were Jimmy Smedley of Baird and Claudell Sikes of Portales, N. M. Claudell grew up in this community and is related to the Gibbs people in the area.

We have gone a week without rain now. Hot south winds are drying out the ground and tender garden plants have begun to suffer.

This writer made calls for news but found no one at home. Maybe they were out doing garden or yard work.

PLAYNIGHT IS CARDED AT ROBY SATURDAY

A playnight is scheduled at Roby Saturday, June 23, starting at 5 p.m. at the rodeo arena sponsored by the Roby Fire Department Auxiliary.

Entry fee is \$1 per event, and competition is set for age groups. Events are western pleasure, reigning, barrels, peles and flags with ribbons first through fifth places and trophies for first and high point in each age group.

Phone 725-6666 for ambulance service and city police.

Paul Rivard Resigns Local Coaching Job

Paul Rivard has submitted his resignation as coach at Cross Plains Schools and it was regretfully accepted by the Board of Education in regular session last Thursday.

Rivard had been hired to continue as assistant coach and teacher for the coming school year. He has been here two years. His resignation was effective June 12.

He has accepted a position as a junior high school coach at Liberty City.

His wife, the former Monique Black, has been accepted at Tyler Junior College in a respiratory therapy class.

They are expected to move to that area soon.

8th Grade Class Sets Work Days July 2, 3

The eighth grade class at Cross Plains Schools in 1979-80 are asking work to do Monday and Tuesday, July 2 and 3.

Specialties are mowing lawns. Call 725-6658 or 725-7482 to arrange for mowers. Cars will be washed at the old Gulf station on Main Street from 1 to 6 p.m. both days. Charge will be \$3.50 for outside only and \$2.00 for inside cleaning, or \$5.50 for a complete job.

Ladies of the community are advised that the class will also hold a bake foods sale in front of the post office and Citizens State Bank each day from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

School Trustees Set Session On Thursday

A special meeting of trustees of Cross Plains Independent School District is scheduled for 8 p.m. Thursday, June 21, in the Home Economics Laboratory of the Elementary School Building.

A five-item agenda is scheduled to be considered, according to Dr. Scot H. Edington, superintendent.

The agenda was released as follows: I. Prayer, II. Five-Year Plan, III. Student Handbook, IV. Tax Office and V. Personnel.

MARY BATES RETURNS HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mary Bates returned to her home in Cross Plains last Friday from an Abilene hospital where she underwent knee surgery and had been a patient two weeks. She is reported recovering normally.

Staying with her mother are Darla Holcomb and daughter, Cindy, of Angleton while Mrs. Bates recovers further.

MRS. EDWIN ERWIN FELLED BY STROKE ON TUESDAY

Mrs. Edwin Erwin of the Sabanno community suffered an apparent stroke Tuesday morning. The former longtime Review correspondent for Sabanno was taken to West Texas Medical Center in Abilene.

Local relatives reported about mid-afternoon Tuesday that Mrs. Erwin was in the intensive care unit at the hospital. No other details were immediately learned by the Review.

C.T.O., INC. OKAYED FOR \$14,000 RECREATION GRANT

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm announces the approval of a \$14,000 grant to Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. at Coleman by the Community Services Administration. The funds are provided for a summer youth recreation program, which is designed to provide recreational and cultural opportunities for disadvantaged youth.

The grant became effective June 1, 1979, and will run for four months. The area served by Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. include Coleman and Callahan counties of the 17th Congressional District.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill during the past week have included Mike Cunningham, Michael and Shauana Cowan, Opal Maxwell, L. A. Richardson, Alton McCowen, Bob Lane, Mike, Randy and Skeet Walker, Ella Dean, Vergie and Collis Eager, Eunice Starr, Jewel Rogers, Ronnie Purvis, Mrs. Gayle Baize and Dona McCowen.

MISSOURI FAMILY VISITS C. E. WOODY'S RECENTLY

Captain and Mrs. Manuel Golsalves (Ret.) and their son Dusty, visited in Cross Plains recently with Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Woody.

They all enjoyed a fishing trip at Lake Brownwood.

Capt. Golsalves, who is retired from the U. S. Marine Corps, is presently employed with McDonald-Douglas Aircraft in St. Louis, Mo., as a senior engineer.

Mrs. Golsalves is a niece of Mrs. Woody.

LOCAL LADY SOFTBALLERS PLAN GAMES JUNE 20, 23

It has been announced that the Ragdolls, local ladies softball team, will have two games this week. The first game will be Wednesday (tonight), June 20, at 8 p.m. in Rising Star and the second game will be played here at 6 p.m. Saturday, June 23.

Sponsors for the Ragdolls are Worley Backhoe Service, Dairy Queen, Dillard Texaco, Palo Petroleum, Inc. and Kelley's Supermarket.

Everyone is invited to attend these games and other games played by these local ladies. "Come out and support your hometown ladies softball team," a spokesman for the Ragdolls stated.

Family Gives \$32 To Cross Cut Cemetery

Cross Cut Cemetery Maintenance Fund has received \$32 from the descendants of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Proctor who held their annual reunion at the Cross Cut Community Center last Saturday and Sunday.

Persons who wish to help with maintenance costs at the cemetery may address donations to Mrs. Les Byrd, Route 2, Cross Plains, Texas 76443. Mrs. Byrd is secretary for the fund used to augment the perpetual care fund in providing for upkeep of the Cross Cut burial ground.

MRS. A. R. McNUTT STILL IN ABILENE HOSPITAL

Mrs. A. R. McNutt of Cross Plains remains a medical patient in Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene, where she has been six weeks.

She has shown little improvement. Her room number is N-375.

THURSDAY WILL BE FIRST DAY OF SUMMER SEASON

The first day of Summer is Thursday, June 19, and seasonal weather has been experienced in this section of Texas the past several days.

11 Garden Clubbers At Called Meeting

The Cross Plains Garden Club held a called meeting at the Garden Center Tuesday, June 12, at 4 p.m. There were 11 members present including Mrs. W. Cole Tilloson, who is a new member.

Mrs. N. V. Gibbs, president, presided for the meeting.

Mrs. Peyton Smith, yearbook chairman, outlined plans for the year's programs, including an exchange program with Coleman Garden Club on September 14. Mrs. Zeno Hemphill is to be the moderator. Cross Plains Garden Club will give their exchange program on April 12, 1980, for Coleman Garden Club. Mrs. Leo Franke, flower show chairman, gave date for the Spring flower show to be staged the last Tuesday of April 1980. Other pertinent dates, activities, projects and such were discussed by the compiling of yearbook by Mr. Smith and Mrs. J. P. McCord.

Mrs. Gibbs served refreshments after the meeting adjourned. Then members mowed and cleaned the grounds at the center.

H. M. BELEWS HOST LUNCHEON, NOTE BIRTHDAY SUNDAY

Luncheon guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Belew here were Mrs. Carl Gunter, Eddie Neal and Kim, and Mrs. Bobby Voigts, Lorie and Bobby, all of Baird, and Mrs. Ed Petty, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Petty, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kelley and Ginger, Clyde Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger, all of Cross Plains.

In addition to observing Father's Day they also celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Ed Petty. Sunday night visitors in the Belew home were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pierce and two children of Abilene.

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JIM THOMASSON RECENTLY JOINS FARM BUREAU STAFF

Jim Thomasson of Clyde has recently become associated with Callahan-Shackelford County Farm Bureau Insurance, headquartered in Baird.

Maurice Newton, agency manager made the announcement.

Thomasson, who with his family, has lived at Clyde the past five years, has been assigned Cross Plains and the southern half of Callahan County.

ALICE NEEB EXPECTED HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Alice Neeb of Cross Plains is expected to be released from Hendrick Memorial Hospital by middle of this week where she has been since Friday.

Mrs. Neeb fell in front of JRE Supermarket here last Thursday afternoon, and was taken to the hospital on Friday. No bones were broken, but she was reported to be extremely sore.

Modern Pharisaism?

I read with interest Pastor Bill Reed's paid ad in last week's paper, in which he accuses David Holmes of self-righteousness and twisting the Scriptures. Some appropriate comments are called for.

First a careful (and honest) reader should notice that Mr. Reed sought to dismiss Mr. Holmes' argument with an accusation of axe grinding rather than with a specific, factual rebuttal of the points raised by Mr. Holmes. Being a preacher myself, I am familiar with the critic's tactic of accusing a preacher of righteousness of "having a political axe to grind". This tactic is used when the critic cannot make his case stand by using facts and evidence. Under such circumstances, we might suspect that an accusation of self-righteousness actually reveals a lack of concern for righteousness on the part of the accuser.

Secondly, Mr. Reed refers to something he calls "Biblical socialism", referring to Acts 2:44-47. The actions described in that passage, however, are voluntary contributions of private property, not confiscations enforced by tyrants (whether dictators or "the majority"). This is the difference between Biblical free enterprise and (antiBiblical) socialism. Socialism is by nature oppressive; it is simply collective theft, and the citizens of Cross Plains cannot ignore Mr. Holmes' warnings without suffering the consequences, both now and hereafter.

Thirdly, the Bible does indeed condemn governments (or, more accurately, men in government and their supporters). Does Mr. Reed want us to throw out all the Old Testament Prophets? Furthermore, in the time of Jesus the most important government (to those whom Jesus taught) was that of the Scribes and Pharisees. These were condemned repeatedly and heatedly by Jesus, contrary to Mr. Reed's implication that Jesus' words were only "positive and affirming". It is worth noting that these hypocrites were professed followers of the Bible. They despised Jesus, saying that they were "disciples of Moses". But Jesus said to them, "If you believed Moses, you would believe Me". Similarly today, there are many religious leader hypocrites who claim to be followers of Jesus, but who oppose those who truly and fully proclaim the message of Jesus. To quote Jesus is not enough. To talk about love is not enough. One must truly keep the words of Jesus. The apostle John said, "By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and keep His commandments." The test of love is not a feeling one gets from some supposed religious exercise. Let each examine his own concept of love and see to it that it conforms to the Scriptures.

Finally, is it not the God-ordained duty of pastors to call men to repent from specific, described sin, so that they might receive the forgiveness of their sins and the righteousness of Christ and new life? Is that not the loving thing for any man to do? Will preachers today be as false prophets of old who spoke smooth words to comfort people in their sins, saying "peace", "peace" when there is no peace? Truly, as the prophet Isaiah said, "There is no peace for the wicked," says my God.

BY JOHN RONNING Hatfield, Pa.

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