

Bisons End Season With 27-0 Win Over Lometa

Cross Plains Buffaloes closed the 1982 football season last Friday with a 27-0 triumph over host District 8-A foe Lometa Hornets and recording a 5-5 season mark, best since a 7-2-1 record posted in 1974.

The Thundering Herd earned a 5-3 District 8-A mark, tied for fourth place with Blanket Tigers, whom the Bisons defeated in play.

In the season finale the Buffaloes scored on second possession. The first quarter tally came on a two-yard run by Halfback Tony Apple, topping a 62-yard, eight-play drive. Dennis Koenig kicked the extra point for a 7-0 advantage.

Late in the second stanza, Koenig intercepted a stray Lometa pass, returning it 25 yards to the Hornet 30. Next play Halfback Tommy Johnston started up the mid-

dle and veered to the left going 30 yards for the touchdown. A missed center snap foiled the conversion attempt, but Cross Plains owned a 13-0 lead with 3:53 left in the first half.

A 15-yard return of a punt by Apple ignited the second touchdown blitz of the second quarter, which covered 53 yards in six plays. Halfback Mike Martin climaxed the drive on a 2-yard run up the middle with 22 seconds left in the quarter. Kick was blocked on the attempted conversion. Martin picked up 29 yards on the drive in three carries.

Cross Plains got its final tally in the fourth quarter when Apple ran a pass interception back 19 yards. Two plays later he ran for 20 yards and the touchdown. The two point conversion came on a pass from Quarterback Koenig to

Left End John Fred McWilliams and the 27-0 final count.

In the statistics battle Cross Plains racked up 14 first downs to 7 for Lometa, logging 203 yards rushing and 51 passing to 118 rushing for Lometa. Penalties were almost nonexistent as Cross Plains was flagged only twice for 1 yards. Buffs punted twice for 2 yards average, and Lometa punted four times for a 30-yard average. Bisons lost half of four fumbles and Lometa lost its fumble.

Apple was the leading rusher, picking up 63 yards on 12 carries. Martin gained 61 steps on 10 totes and Tommy Johnston netted 33 yards on 8 lugs.

Defensively Scott Taylor made 21 tackles, and Mike Newman and Dennis Koenig were also outstanding.

\$6,253.63 EMS Fund Continues To Grow

The fund collected to help buy the Cross Plains Emergency Medical Service a new ambulance during the November 6th EMS Day activities continues to grow with donations. Total on Tuesday morning was reported as \$6,253.63.

Mrs. Alan (Pill) Key, who originated the idea and directed the endeavor, reported another list of donations, some of which have been deposited, while others have yet to be added to the fund.

Among those who have given to the fund but have not been recognized include Alpha Wilson of Abilene in memory of Aunt Rosa Lovell and sister-in-law Jewel Woody, \$100; Frances S. Dibrell of Coleman, \$50; Dr. and Mrs. Scot H. Edington, \$20; E. L. and Lois Garrett, \$50; Mr. and Mrs. Seth Young of Houston, \$11; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott, \$100; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, \$25; Willie Joy Schoeb of Augusta, Kan., \$100; Mrs. Ray Lee, in memory of Colonel Lee, \$50; Kenneth Wise of Brownwood, \$20; Mr. and Mrs. August Garlitz, \$50 and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Balkum, \$50.

In the food donation list in last week's paper Mrs. Joe Fleming's name was omitted.

Gifts To Cemetery Reported \$1,695

Donations to the Cross Plains Cemetery Association during the months of September and October amounted to \$1,695, according to a report from Mrs. A. J. (Maureen) McCuin, secretary-treasurer.

Seventeen of the contributions came during the month of September and totaled \$1,340, and the other \$355 came in 10 gifts during October.

It has been asked that anyone who has plots that are unmarked in the cemetery, vacant or not, please contact Jimmie Lee Payne, president, or Mrs. McCuin. "We need to have these marked as quickly as possible," Payne stated.

Mrs. McCuin listed the following as donors to the association during September, Clyde C. Coggin, Jr. and Mrs. Maris H. Coggin, \$100; Unknown, \$100; Mrs. W. T. Cox, \$25; Anonymous, in memory of Ann McDermott, \$20; Richard Lawrence, \$10; Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, in memory of Mrs. Jeff Clark, \$10; Mozelle Richardson, in memory of Mrs. Jeff Clark, \$10; Mr. and Mrs. Fenny Glover and girls, in memory of Mrs. Jeff Clark, \$10; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Long, \$50; Nellie Mel-A. B. Adams, \$10; Jack Lacy, \$100; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Adams, \$20; Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Walker, \$25; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne L. Adams, in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Adams, \$300; Zora Mae Bryant, in memory of R. Elliott Bryant, \$500, and Mrs. A. J. McCuin, \$25.

The secretary listed the following:

In October. They follow: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tunnell, \$50; in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Tenison, by their children, \$60; Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Robbins, \$25; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Balkum, \$50; Alton Teague, in memory of Charlie Teague, \$20; Richard R. Long, \$25; Mr. and Mrs. Lester King, \$15; Mrs. Luther Shirley, \$50; Mrs. Addie Watkins, \$10, and George and Patsy McNeel Friend, in memory of Craig and Ida Mc-

Neel, \$50.

Mrs. McCuin and Payne express appreciation for the support to the cemetery association during the past couple of months and in the past. They invite continued support, and that may be done by mailing donations to the Cross Plains Cemetery Association in care of Citizens State Bank, P. O. Box 699, Cross Plains, Texas 76443. Acknowledgments will be made through columns of this newspaper periodically.

Methodist Lord's Acre Is Scheduled Saturday

Lord's Acre festivity observed annually by First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains is scheduled to be held Saturday.

The activities include a turkey dinner and an auction.

Tickets are on sale by many local Methodists, and the holder of a ticket is entitled to one turkey and dressing dinner complete with the trimmings. Cost is only \$3.

Everyone is cordially invited according to Rev. Bill Reed, pastor of the church, to come and eat with us at the buffet at the

church from 5 to 7 p.m. Saturday with the auction following.

Carry-out meals are also available from the home of Betty Browning on Avenue E from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Arrangements for take-out meals should be made well in advance of Saturday so ample food will be reserved. Persons wishing this service must call 725-6218. If that number were not to answer, call 725-7225 for other information.

"We look forward to sharing good times with our friends," said Rev. Reed.

3 Local Ladies Are Hurt In Accident

Three Cross Plains ladies, all connected with the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center suffered injuries to various degrees in a one-vehicle accident Tuesday of last week about three miles out of Abilene on Highway 36.

LaVerle Threatt, Dessa Higgins and Verna Childers were all taken to Hendrick Medical Center by ambulance.

Mrs. Threatt remains there recovering from a broken collar bone and fractured ribs.

Mrs. Higgins is in the hospital at Baird recovering from internal injuries.

Mrs. Childers returned home, but was returned to the hospital in Abilene on Wednesday for examination determining deep bruises.

Mrs. Childers, a Green Thumb Worker, is keeping the Center open.

Buff-Rising Star Exes Football Is Saturday

A full contact football game between former players and students at Cross Plains High School and those of Rising Star School will be held Saturday, Nov. 20.

Kickoff is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at the Rising Star High School field.

Tickets are selling for \$3 each, and proceeds will be shared by the Athletic Booster Clubs of Cross Plains and Rising Star.

Cross Plains will be coached by Mack McConal and Ron Lanford.

IN GOLDTHWAITE ON DEC. 4 ARTS-CRAFTS FESTIVAL SET

The Mills County Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring an Arts & Crafts Festival to be held Dec. 4 in Goldthwaite at the Mills County Civic Center.

There will be food and entertainment, and the hours are from 10 a.m. 'til 6 p.m., according to Susie Stewart, manager of Mills County Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.

GARDEN CLUB BAKED FOODS SALE SLATED FOR NOV. 24

Cross Plains Garden Club will have a baked foods sale on Wednesday, Nov. 24, beginning at 9 a.m. in front of Higginbotham's store. Cakes, pies, baked rolls and possibly other pastries will be for sale.

Anyone desiring special baking done should call Mrs. Peyton Smith at 725-6335.

Helen Cowan and Fern Witten of Mission are visiting their mother, Dessa Higgins while she is recovering from injuries suffered in a traffic mishap last week.

Double Funeral Held For Mr., Mrs. Eddie Champion

A double funeral for Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Champion of Cross Plains was held at 3 p.m. Friday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

Mr. Champion died of a gunshot wound to the head Tuesday, Nov. 9, and was to be buried Thursday about six hours before his wife, the former Alice Parsons, was found by her son, Eddie Carl of Burkett, also dead of a gunshot wound.

Mr. Champion was found dead by a Cross Plains West Texas Utilities Co. employee.

Officiating the final rites for Mr. and Mrs. Champion was Charles Butler, minister of the Cross Plains Church of Christ. He was assisted by the Rev. Stan Coleman, pastor of the Pioneer Baptist Church.

The Champions married Sept. 17, 1960, in Sabanno. Mrs. Champion, born March 13, 1943, was a native of Brownwood who attended Cross Plains schools. She was a homemaker. Both Mr. and Mrs. Champion were members of the Baptist Church.

They had lived in Dumas for 17 years before moving to the Cross Plains-Sabanno area a few years ago. They had moved to Cross

Plains Aug. 20, 1936.

Mrs. Champion's survivors are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Parson of Cross Plains; a son, Eddie Carl Champion of Burkett; a daughter, Elizabeth Scott of Sabanno; two brothers, Jimmy Parson of Friona and Homer Parson of Cross Plains; three sisters, Billie Pelton of Amarillo, Carol Beth Neill of Monahans and Helen Guyn of Blytheville, Ark.; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, Sr. of Friona and Mrs. T. E. Parson of Blanket.

Survivors of Mr. Champion other than his son and daughter are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Champion of Cross Plains; four sisters, Joyce Parkinson of Grand Prairie, Vonita Champion of Cross Plains, Zona Mosley of Abilene, Dorothy Mosley of Sundown, and several aunts and uncles.

Mrs. Champion was found dressed in a bath robe on her bed with a .37 caliber Magnum loader with .38 caliber ammunition and shot in the chest. Instructions for disposing of her property were reportedly alongside.

Peace Justice Bob Morgan ruled death as self-inflicted. Mrs. Champion had reportedly requested to be left alone Wednesday afternoon. According to reports from investigating Deputy Glen Smith of Brown County before the 8 a.m. discovery no member of the family had seen her since 6-6:30 Wednesday.

Justice Morgan had made no ruling on the death of Mr. Champion Monday afternoon. "I have signed no papers, but feel both will be the same."

Mr. Champion was found dead Tuesday at a well site not far from his home. He was a pumper for L. M. Young Co. of Abilene.

Pallbearers were Ivan Clark, James Oscar Koenig, Lonnie Switzer, James Scott, Jimmie Lee Gattis and Pat McNeel.

BASKETBALL BEGINS HERE NEXT TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The 1982-83 basketball season is reportedly scheduled to begin in Cross Plains Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 23, as local high school teams take on counterparts from May.

According to tentative slates Cross Plains junior varsity boys and girls teams from both schools will begin a four-game set in Buffalo Gymnasium at 4 p.m.

Complete schedule will be printed next week.

Christmas Program Set Here Dec. 11

The Cross Plains Christmas Program will be held Saturday, Dec. 11, according to word from the Cross Plains Kiwanis Club, an organization committed to community service, which will be sponsoring the undertaking this year.

Troy Stone and Burlie W. Taylor have been named co-chairmen of the event this year. Rev. Taylor noted that additional details of the coming event will be printed in coming editions of the Review.

ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB WORK NIGHT SET THURSDAY

All members of the Athletic Booster Club are being asked to gather at the basketball concession stand in Buffalo Gymnasium for a work night to work on the stand, Thursday at 7 p.m.

All parents of basketball players are especially encouraged to come and lend a hand in repairing and cleaning the stand for the coming season.

The total construction cost of building the Eiffel Tower in Paris was recovered from sight-seers fees within first year completion.

LOCAL MUSICAL IS GOOD EVEN THOUGH DELAYED

Dessa Higgins penned the following short article.

The musical was a good one even though I could not be there. I want to thank all who helped, Turner and Ellen Simpson, Helen Cowan, Fern Witten, Nellie Arrington, Glen and Lois Vaughn, Mrs. Emmet Price, Helen Easley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boatright and anyone else who helped or offered to help.

And thanks to all those who dedicated songs to me.

BURKETT CANCELS SUPPER SCHEDULED FOR NOV. 20

The regular Burkett Community supper will not be held this month. The supper was scheduled to be held Saturday, Nov. 20, but due to the fact there is no gas the supper has been canceled according to a spokesman of this month's hostesses.

Mighty Mite Lead Melts To 30-14 Finale Loss

Cross Plains Mighty Mites and the Lometa Junior High School football team played last game of season for both Thursday as host Lometa erased a 14-0 Mite lead en route to a 30-14 triumph.

The two squads played rugged defense in the first half with the visiting Mighty Mites claiming a 6-0 lead in the second quarter when Quarterback Troy Harris passed to Left End Jesse Sibley for a 40-yard pass-run combination. Attempted two-point conversion failed, and Cross Plains lead 6-0 at halftime.

The Mighty Mites quickly increased their lead to 14-0 in the second half. Mighty Mites kicked off to the hosts to open the second half and Lometa player fumbled the ball which was recovered by

Mite Ronnie Pope at the hosts' 10-yard line. The Mighty Mite fullback hit the line twice, then Left Halfback David DeShazo got the final yard off right tackle.

Right Halfback Darrin Apple converted the two points on a reverse around left end.

A couple of fumbles cost the Mites 16 points in about three minutes, and Mighty Mite game plans deteriorated as the game was closing.

"Overall, however, we feel it has been a successful season," according to Mack McConal, head junior high school football coach. "With the exception of the last game, we finished the season on an up, and believe we taught some football," the coach continued.

The Mighty Mites recorded a 4-1 season.

USDA Proposes Poundage Quota For 83-85 Peanuts

Editor's Note: Following is information provided by the ASCS office at Baird, and in turn its executive director, Scotty H. Odum, passing the peanut quota information along to the Review. His article follows.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has requested public comment on proposed regulations for reducing state and farm peanut poundage quotas for the 1983 through 1985 crops as required under the 1981 farm act.

The deadline for receiving comments on December 27, according to Everett Rank, administrator of USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Under the proposals, each state would receive the same pro rata share of the 1,167,300-short ton 1983 national poundage quota it had of the 1981 quota, Rank said. USDA then would establish a preliminary poundage quota for each farm that had a quota in 1982.

Current law requires individual farm quotas be reduced for the 1983 crop based on the farm's production characteristics during the 1960-82 crop base period.

Rank said USDA proposes to divide peanut farm quotas into four priority categories and then reduce individual poundage quotas on farms with inadequate tillable cropland to produce the poundage quotas; category 2, quotas which were not fully produced in at least 2 of the last 3 years; 3, quotas transferred by lease and produced by a different operator in at least two of the last three years; and category 4, would include quotas on all farms except those reduced to zero in categories 1, 2 and 3.

Under reductions in effect for the 1982 crop, categories 3 and 4 does not exist for 1983 and subsequent crops, he said.

Rank said the statute requires any peanuts produced on a farm without a poundage quota or in excess of the farm poundage quota will be classified as additional

peanuts and be contracted for export or crushing by April 14, or placed in the price support loan pool for additional peanuts.

Rank said USDA will determine cumulative undermarketings for each farm, including undermarketings not used in 1981 and 1982. Under the proposal, these undermarketings could be carried over on a farm until used or until the 1981 farm act expires after the 1985 crop.

Undermarketings would be subject to a national carryover limitation of 10 per cent of the national poundage quota, Rank said.

The proposal to transfer poundage quotas would authorize transfers by lease, sale, owner or operator, across county lines within a state in those states which had a state poundage of 10,000 tons or less for the 1981 crop, Rank said. Those states are Arizona, Arkansas, California, Louisiana, Missouri, Mississippi, New Mexico and Tennessee, he said.

"For the other peanut producing states, transfers by lease or sale are authorized but are limited to those within the same county," Rank said. "However, transfers by owners or operators are authorized to other farms owned or controlled by such owner or operator in the same county or in a county contiguous to the transferring county in the same state if the receiving farm had a farm poundage quota established for the 1982 crop."

All transfers would be on a pound-for-pound basis with no productivity adjustments, he said.

Rules for identifying marketings, assessing marketing penalties and handling violations are also a part of this proposed rule, Rank said.

Further details of USDA's peanut program proposals will appear in the Nov. 9 Federal Register.

Written consents should be addressed to the director, tobacco and peanuts division, ASCS-USDA, P. O. Box 2415, Washington, D. C. 20013. Comments will be available for public inspection during regular business hours in room 5750 of USDA's South building.

Needy To Get Surplus Cheese Here Friday

On Friday, Nov. 19, government surplus cheese will be given to needy families of Callahan County.

The guidelines must be one of the following:

1. At least 60 years of age.
2. Receiving SSI.
3. Receiving Medic-Aid or food stamps.

This cheese will be distributed in Cross Plains at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center at 10:30 a.m., according to a spokesman from the county.

State Capital HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams

As Governor-elect of Texas, Mark White's transition team is fine tuning his legislative package and scrutinizing qualified candidates for various appointments he will make in the next few weeks.

At the top of the list of appointees is the new Texas Secretary of State, a new Public Utility Commissioner, and, perhaps, a new Supreme Court chief justice.

The big question mark is: just how many appointments will outgoing Bill Clements leave for the man who defeated him?

Clements still can make more than 220 appointments to boards and commissions.

The hitch for Clements is that his "midnight appointments" must face confirmation in the Senate, where an appointee is rejected if at least 11 senators vote against him.

White won't be able to appoint a successor to Chief Justice Joe Greenhill who resigned last month unless (1) Clements fails to name a replacement before Jan. 18, or (2) the Senate acts to reject Clements' pick.

Clements said last week he intends to pick a new chief justice, but a couple of days later he got a letter signed by 15 Democratic senators asking him to leave the task to White.

Senatorial Courtesy

The letter stopped short of threatening to block the appointment, but the wording and number of signatures indicated a Clements nominee might be in trouble.

Perhaps the real issue is whether an appointee can overcome political pressures from former Atty. Gen. John Hill, who is considered a sure bet to run for chief justice in 1984.

Clements' most recent appointee, Tommie Gene Smith to the Public Utility Commission, also has yet to be confirmed, and speculation has it the Democrats are moving to "bust" the retired Army general from San Antonio.

Quiet pressure is apparently being put on Sen. Glenn Kothmann of San Antonio to use senatorial

courtesy to nullify Smith. Kothmann hasn't said what he'll do.

PUC Under Gun

Such a move would give White two appointees to the PUC, since Commissioner George Cowden's term expires next August, which is plenty of room to let White fulfill his campaign promise to appoint a woman-consumer to the post.

But other changes for PUC are planned by various legislators, including Sen. Lloyd Doggett, D-Austin.

Doggett last week prefiled a bill which would eliminate the controversial fuel adjustment clause, also a White campaign pledge.

The bill expands the three-member board to six members, who would be elected from single-member districts.

It allows the Texas Attorney General a larger role in rate cases before the PUC.

He said PUC reform will be a top legislative priority for his administration.

One Billion \$\$

White, acting in his capacity as attorney general, last week began presenting evidence in a lawsuit to collect \$1 billion which he says the federal government owes Texas in offshore revenues.

In a Beaumont courtroom, he offered geological surveys to content that the Feds drained oil and natural gas from Texas deposits without compensation.

Money awarded to Texas in settlement would go to the Texas Public School Fund.

Matagorda Island

Texas has moved closer to assuming control of 19,000 acres of federal land on Matagorda Island, and may finalize the controversial plan by mid-December.

The proposal would give Texas control, but not ownership, of the property for the next 100 years.

Dolph Briscoe

Former Gov. Dolph Briscoe, who was seen quite a bit helping Mark White on the campaign trail, said recently he plans to announce in January or February whether he will run in 1984 for the U. S. Senate seat now held by Republican John Tower.

That race will be the hottest on the ballot, and sure to be sought by others including former U. S. Rep. Bob Krueger.

White's landslide over Clements, plus Tower's bare-squeaker victory over Krueger in 1978, has Democrats feeling confident they can beat Tower.

CLINTEN DEAN BAILEY NOTES FIRST BIRTHDAY WITH PARTY

Clinten Dean Bailey of Cross Plains was honored by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robby Bailey with a party celebrating his first birthday. Although Clinten was a year old November 4 his birthday celebration was not held until Saturday, Nov. 13, at his home on 12th Street. Special guests present to help him celebrate were his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Huffman of Boyd and Travis Bailey of Cross Plains.

Other family and friends present were Drew Huffman and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Huffman of Alto; Britt Hart and his mom, Tina Hart, of Bangs; Sandy Hunter of Abilene; Cody Smith and his mom, Shirley, from Merkel; Jody Hook and mother, Colleen Hook, from Millsap, and Chad and Dana Barr and their mother, Pat Barr, of Brownwood.

Those attending from Cross Plains were Dusty, Kami and Kelli Harpove, and Cliffadean Hargrove; Pam and Sheryl Glover, Sharon and Shirley Walker and Carolyn Glover and Sharolyn Walker.

A Mickey Mouse cake and ice cream were served to the guests. The house was decorated for his birthday with balloons and blue, red and yellow crepe paper.

BAIRD LEGION POST SETS MEETING FOR THURSDAY

Ruth Strickland, adjutant, advises that the American Legion, Eugene Bell Post No. 82, will hold a regular meeting at the American Legion Hut in Baird Thursday, Nov. 18, at 7 p.m.

She asks, "Please attend and help in every way you can to make our worthy organization a growing and successful one."

Elevation of Cross Plains is 1,717 feet.

Phone 725-6224 to report fire in Cross Plains.

RIISING STAR COUPLE KNOWN HERE PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mandee Niccole Westerman was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Westerman of Rising Star at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene at 7:30 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 7.

Mandee Niccole weighed 6 pounds, 11 ounces at birth and was 19½ inches long, according to her parents, Gary and Betty Westerman.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Noel King of Cross Plains, and Mrs. L. D. Westerman of Rising Star.

Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Ruby Brooks of Cross Plains and Mrs. Nina King of Bangs.

SOUTH BAIRD AREA GETS 4,500-FOOT OIL VENTURE

EnRe Corp. of Cisco will drill No. 1 McFarlane as a Callahan County wildcat eight miles south of Baird.

The planned 4,500-foot test is on a 650-acre lease.

It spots 2,800 feet from the north and 1,200 feet from the west lines of Section 9, T&NO Survey.

DAUGHTER IS BORN TO EDDY, BALINDA WYATT

Eddy and Balinda Wyatt of Cross Plains are the proud parents of a daughter, born Sunday, Nov. 7, at 3:31 p.m. in Brownwood Regional Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds and 12½ ounces and was 20 inches long. She has been named Tessa Jo, and has two sisters, Carrie and Sonya.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wyatt all of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen of Custine.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Seamans of Coleman, Kathryn Wyatt and Mildred Wilson both of Cross Plains and Maud Byrd of Cross Cut.

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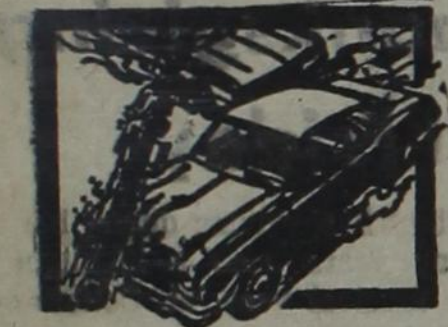
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**NORTH CROSS PLAINS AREA
DRAWS 4,500-FOOT OIL TEST**

Guidon Oil & Gas Inc. of Coffeyville, Kans., will drill No. 1 D. E. Childers and Verna Marchant as a Callahan County wildcat three miles north of Cross Plains.

The planned 1,800 foot venture is located on a 155-acre lease.

It spots 2,800 feet from the north and 3,803 feet from the west lines of Jesse Dyson Survey 751, A-126.

For City Police or Emergency Medical Service phone 725-6664.

**LAKELWOOD LADIES PLAN
LUNCHEON FOR FRIDAY**

Lakewood Ladies Association is scheduled to meet in regular session Friday, Nov. 19, starting at 11:30 a.m. at the Lakewood Recreation Center clubhouse.

Hostesses will be Frances McAnally and Jewel Thompson.

There will be no other dinner until December 14, according to a spokesman for the center.

Mrs. Mark Walker and girls and Mrs. Benny Glover and girls were Cisco shoppers Saturday.

Happy Birthday Column

NOVEMBER 18

Kenneth Hutchins
Alton Watson
Mrs. Nathan Foster
Herbert R. Ellis
Mrs. Tommie Harris
Florene Thornton
Donna Jennings
Mike Wilson
Bobby Sue Chambers
Cindy Greenway Fortune

NOVEMBER 19

Gordon Blanton Scott
Ruby Carroll
Odean Smoot
Mrs. Carolyn French
Marline Smith
Lynda Smith
Gregory Smith
Billy Dale Dillard, Jr.
Darron Koenig
Mrs. W. M. Stansbury
Cynthia Kunkle
Claudia Childers
Terry Gene Fortune, Jr.

NOVEMBER 20

Joe Gary
Barbara Albrecht
Clifton J. Kirkham
Christy C. Dallas
Gene Mauldin
Velda Stephens
Thelda Jefferies
Diane Foster
Mrs. Garland Dupriest
Craig Hefner
Cindy Holcomb
Bobby Dillard

NOVEMBER 21

Marcia P. Voigts
James Strength
Mrs. S. N. Foster
James Switzer
Wanda Cloud
Mrs. G. W. Bell
Sandra Allen
Mrs. Milton Baty
Cheryl Wellmaker
Wayne Taylor

NOVEMBER 22

James Henry Nelson
Clark Don Baugh
Nicky Hal Harris
Jimmy Baum
Ophelia Merrill
Dick Thrasher

NOVEMBER 23

Mrs. Clarence Region
Bess Coppinger
Mary Diane Nunn
Mrs. J. A. Kirkham

Betty Purvis
Barbara Jean Walker
Brenda Walker
Mrs. H. T. Porter
Jewel Hutchins
Becky Coppinger
John V. Hanke
Sam Marshall, Jr.
James Hennesay

NOVEMBER 24

Mrs. Maje Arvin
Linda Strength
Lee Reynolds
Junior Hilburn
Debbie Cavanaugh Waggoner

School Meal Menus

The following menus for lunch and breakfast will be served at the Cross Plains School Cafeteria, providing deliveries are made on time, during the week of Nov. 18-24.

Noon meal menu for the designated days follow.

Thursday: Ham slices and gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, chocolate pudding, rolls and milk.

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The offering for the breakfast meal were revealed as follow.

Thursday: Eggs, sausage, biscuits-jelly, juice and milk.

Friday: Fruit pie, juice and milk.

Monday: Cereal, toast, juice and milk.

Tuesday: Donuts, juice and milk.

Wednesday: Pancakes, syrup and butter, juice and milk.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dill here during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ingram, Alton McCowen, L. A. Richardson, Mrs. Audra Crunk and E. K. Coppinger of the community, and Joe Howser of Tye.

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New Titles Last Week**

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The donation was made in memory of Mertie Jones and came from Mrs. R. W. Spencer.

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The Carl Champion Family.

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Sept. 10	Ranger 7	Cross Plains 0	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 17	Goldthwaite* 36	Cross Plains 14	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 24	Rochelle* 0	Cross Plains 42	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 8	Gorman* 26	Cross Plains 16	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 16	Santa Anna* 25	Cross Plains 6	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 22	Evant* 7	Cross Plains 12	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 29	Blanket* 0	Cross Plains 24	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 5	Rising Star* 13	Cross Plains 34	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 12	Lometa* 0	Cross Plains 27	7:30 p.m.

Asterisk (*) Denotes District 8-A Contests

Toody Byrd Loves Life

Editor's Note: Following is a feature article written about Mrs. Hoyt (Toody) McDermett who is a former resident of Cross Plains and is well known in this and the Cross Cut communities. The article was written by Dianne King, an Austin American Statesman staff writer on Sept. 17, 1982, and forwarded to the Review a couple of weeks ago by Jack and Barbara Baum of Lampasas. Dr. Jack M. Baum is a dentist in that city, and is the son of Mrs. Elliott Bryant of Cross Plains.

It wasn't the only time that one of the troublesome brothers sat squirming in Westlake High School counselor Toody Byrd's office. Words flew as she chastised him for fighting the evening before. "I got that kid in here and I just read him the riot act," Toody remembers. "I was furious." Two or three times in the middle of the tirade, the student tried to interrupt.

"Mrs. Byrd?" he said. "Don't you try to stop me," the normally even-tempered counselor warned, and continued the tongue lashing. When she ran out of words, she asked with an angry glint in her eye, "Now what was it you were going to tell me?" "Well," he said calmly, "I was going to tell you my brother did it."

Toody sat down with a deflated whoosh. The boy came to her chair and out his arm around her. "But you know, Mrs. Byrd," he comforted, "that was one hell of a good speech. I wish my brother would have heard it."

Toody Byrd knew the value of a good laugh then. And she knows it now. "Sometimes in this office we deal with so much heavy stuff," says the woman who was named outstanding counselor for the state last year, "if some funnies didn't happen every once in a while, you wouldn't handle it."

Toody Byrd looks up behind a sign on her desk that says, "A cluttered desk is a sign of genius." She is a woman with a chameleon face. When she's thoughtful, she speaks with her head down, face in repose. When she makes a point or shades an idea, the head comes up and the whole face opens. Eyes widen behind large glasses, brows raise and then draw together with an endearing quirk.

"I just don't think there's anything in the world more exciting than working with kids," she is fond of saying. The expressive face opens. The brows rise. The listener believes.

For 28 years, Toody has been in the school business; 18 of those in counseling. "Be sure to say," she commands, "that I started as a very young child."

She started when she was 18. She's been with Eanes ISD for 12 years, beginning when there was one principal, one secretary. "And me."

"At one time when I walked out on Monday morning, not only did I know every kid in the hall," she says, "but I knew what he did on Saturday night."

Last year 250 seniors graduated from Westlake, compared to 68 when she arrived. Such intimate knowledge is impossible now, a fact that she deplored and then dismissed with the best Toody logic. Still, "You just wish you had time to know them better," she says.

Toody Byrd is officially known as coordinator for the Guidance and Counseling Department. But coordinating aside, what Toody Byrd likes best is counseling. "As a counselor, you make things to help kids develop into the best possible they can be," she says, eyes downcast, "to help life be the best we can for them."

Her counseling technique could be summed up in one word: Honesty. "I find that kids respond to that even if it's not what they want to hear," she says. "I don't really pull many punches with them, because I don't think we do them any favors when we play games with them."

"I think kids, basically, they just want you to be honest."

That philosophy shouldn't be limited to school, she says.

"I think parents are really the key to this. If you don't talk to them about why grass is green and why helicopters don't hit God when they're little, they're not going to talk to you about premarital sex in high school."

During her school career, the gray-haired mother of two grandmothers of four has taught "everything in the world," including an aeronautics class when the original teacher dropped out. Toody didn't know anything about aeronautics. "Only time I had an elective class," she says, "nobody elected to take it more than one semester."

But while the teaching business is an important part of her life, it is not her whole life. "I do have a life outside of school," she says. "I think it's real sad when people say, teaching or school is my whole life. That's bad."

Toody's alter-life is writing a humor column for a personnel magazine, considering the two or three books "running through my head" and, most importantly, her family. "I think my ace in the hole is the fact that my family loves me," she says. "That regardless of what's going on here, I can count on them."

She lives on several acres of land on the edge of town with her husband, whom she calls Hoyt-byrd, running it together into one word. "I've been married to this same man for 39 years." Pause. "We're beginning to work out some of our problems."

As honest as she is, there are two subjects Toody does not like to talk about. Her real name. "Nobody's ever called me anything but Toody." And her age. "If I can remember it," she says va-

ROWDEN

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

Two weeks of November have rushed by and Thanksgiving holidays are coming up next week. It's time to plan your turkey dinner with other dishes for a special day.

Deer and quail season opened with lots of hunters. We could not say that about the game as no reports have been made.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom accompanied the Charles Palmer family of Clyde to Snyder Sunday where they spent the day in the Ralph Trevey home. The occasion being Sterling's birthday.

Michael Odom of Tuscola spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odom and attended services at the First Baptist Church in Baird with them.

Visitors Sunday night in the Robert Watson home were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Turnbow and children, Jody and Jill of Baird Mrs. Watson was in Abilene Friday where she visited a friend Mrs. Guy Yarborough.

Those visiting Raymond Gibbs during the week were the W. B. Gibbs family of Winnie. Also Mr. and Mrs. Richard Angel and Da' Gibbs of Abilene, and Jimmy and Jov West of the community.

Robbie Watson of Austin spent the week end with his parents and mothers, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson, Brock, Brad, Kyle, Cody and Wyatt.

Sterling Odom visited his mother, Mrs. Ivon Odom in the Cross Plains rest home Saturday.

A telephone call was received from Curtis and Velma Springfield of Azle Sunday night. They report that Walter and Esther part of last week in a hospital Rose are doing well. Walter spent to monitor his heart condition but both are adjusting to their new surroundings in the Lake Worth Nursing Center.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin accompanied Mrs. Roland Mauldin and her sister, Mrs. Tim Burns of Potosi and her mother, Mrs. N. L. Simmons of Abilene to Lubbock Friday. Mrs. Willie Masters of Snyder met them near Snyder where she and her mother, Mrs. Mauldin, drove to the home of Rod and Charlotte Clifton in Lubbock for a visit. The three other ladies spent the day with Veda Williams and honored her with birthday gifts. Three sisters and their mother enjoyed the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris enjoyed the fourth birthday celebration of their granddaughter, Joanna Harris, given in her home by her parents and brother, Jimmy and Pam Harris and Jared, on Sunday.

guely, "I lie about it so much." "Just past 50," she decides. "I tell the truth about everything but that."

Regardless of age, Toody's sure of one thing. "This is probably one of the best times of my life," she says. "Really."

She stops. The brows draw up. She smiles a wide Toody but Toody." And her age. "If I my life has been the best time."

Willing Workers News Notes

By Eunice Pointer

We had six members and one visitor, Winnie Flippin, present last week. Paul Coppinger from Texas Tech visited his grandparents, Fonia and Syble Worthy Friday night of last week.

Syble and Fonia Worthy were in Brownwood Tuesday.

Lessie and Jim Baum visited in Lueders Monday.

Mildred and W. M. Stansbury visited Marlene and Johnny Cowan and children at Hawley last Saturday.

Sherry Bennett and daughter visited Linda, Terry and Stephen Pringle Wednesday afternoon.

Fonia and Syble Worthy and Zelda Long visited Carroll and Linda Pringle and family Sunday afternoon.

George and Eunice Pointer went to Brownwood Monday. His doctor said that he is fine now. We

are so happy for that. While in Brownwood they shopped and visited Elizabeth Morton and Lucille Pruett. Jay and Ernestine Rankin visited the Pointers on Monday.

Visiting the Kirkhams this week were Frances and Don Thornton of the Cottonwood community, Cecil and Naomi Wilson, Robbie and Richard Allen and little Ricky, their granddaughter Melinda and little Chris, grandson, Ronnie Wilson and wife Mazies, of Roswell, N. M. They went on to Dallas to visit Mazies' sister.

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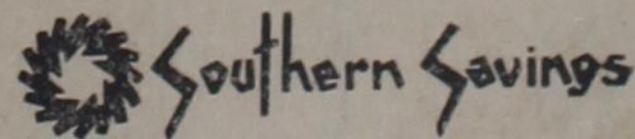
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Lubbock Girl Known Here Is Wed In Saturday Rites

Miss Rhonda Elaine Hardwick became the bride of Keith Winston Lambert in a double ring ceremony Saturday afternoon, Nov. 13, in the J. A. Hodges Chapel of the First Christian Church in Lubbock, Rev. Bill Pattenon of Waco, was officiant.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hardwick of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Lambert, Jr. of Germantown, Tenn.

Mrs. W. E. Sealy of Cross Plains is grandmother of the bride.

Guests were seated as pre-nuptial selections were played by Mark McClung, instrumentalist, of Dallas. Professional selections were "Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus" (Boltz, 1750) and "Wedding March from Lohengrin" (Wagner). "Wedding March from Midsummer Night's Dream" (Mendelssohn) and "Prelude and Fugue No. 1" (Bach) were used for the recessional. Rev. Don Allen of Lubbock sang "Sunrise, Sunset" (Bock), "And on This Day" (English), and "Lord's Prayer" (arr. Malotte).

As the members of the bride and groom were escorted in, they lit a candle representing their children.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride was attired in a traditional gown styled in white satalustre organza, trimmed in Venise lace. The bodice featured a high collar bordered in a row of the Venise lace, and the bodice of organza had appliques of the Venise lace, and was outlined in the scalloped lace effect. The back of the bodice featured covered buttons which extended from the neckline to below the waistline. A row of the scalloped Venise lace outlined the low-cut of the bodice in the back. Her sleeves were full of silk organza overlaid with appliques of Venise lace, and were gathered to cuffs which were accented by lace and covered buttons. The full skirt featured a flounced hemline which was bordered in a wide row of the Venise lace, and the skirt swept into a full brush train. Beneath her gown, the bride wore a tiered, lace petticoat with a deep ruffle of lace at the bottom given to her by Mrs. Maurice Goodwin of Lubbock. Her fingertip veil of tulle was gathered to a cap which was

overlaid with Venise lace to match her dress, and a row of the lace edged the entire length of the veil. Two other tiers of tulle completed the veil. She carried an all-white cascading bouquet of tiger lilies, open majestic roses and carnations accented with white stephanotis and lily of the valley atop a bride's Bible carried by her mother on her wedding day and given to her by her cousins, Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Weatherington of Arkadelphia, Ark. The blue garter she wore was also worn by her mother.

She was presented in marriage by her parents.

At each side of the altar were two tall, brass stands filled with arrangements of dusty rose and burgundy majestic roses, carnations, delphinium, anemone, azalea and star flowers. Between them, the altar held the bride's and groom's candles and the unity candle. Two white urns filled with fern completed the decor.

Serving as maid of honor was Dr. Karyl Martin of Dallas, former roommate of the bride. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Dennis Hirschfield of San Angelo and Mrs. John Roberts of Itasca.

They were gowned in identical floor-length dresses of rose lustreglo. The high neckline featured a stand-up ruffle of the lustreglo and was accented by a wider row of the material formed into a ruffle below a band of the material. They carried colonial nosegays of dusty rose apple blossoms, anemone and highlighted with burgundy delphinium, star flowers and satin ribbon. Each wore half-combs in her hair with rose pecko ribbon scattered with burgundy gypsophila attached.

The groom was attired in a basic black tuxedo with two pockets on the right, peaked lapels and black bow tie, black cummerbund and a standard pleat white shirt.

Buckley Eckert of Galveston served as best man. Groomsmen included Michael Beard, a former college roommate from McGregor; Greg Gillespie, a former college roommate from Memphis, Tenn.; and Pat Hazelip, Fort Worth.

The bride's mother wore an afternoon-length dress of burgundy crepe. The high neckline featured a stand-up pleated ruffle of the material. The bodice had six centered tucks extending from neckline to waist. The long sleeves were banded with pleated ruffles extending over the wrists.

The mother of the groom wore a two piece silk afternoon-length dress. The bodice featured long sleeves with blue, gold, green and rust stripes. The full skirt's blue background was accented with blue, gold, green and rust stripes. The full skirt's blue background was accented with gold, green and rust flower print.

The mothers' corsages were white gardenias.

Miss Marcia Goncalves of Recife, Brazil, assisted in registering the guests before the ceremony and distributed wedding programs. She was seated beside a

crescent-shaped table. Featured at the table was a burgundy-colored candle in a brass holder.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Lambert were honored with a reception immediately following the ceremony in the parlor of the church. The parents assisted the bride and groom in a receiving line.

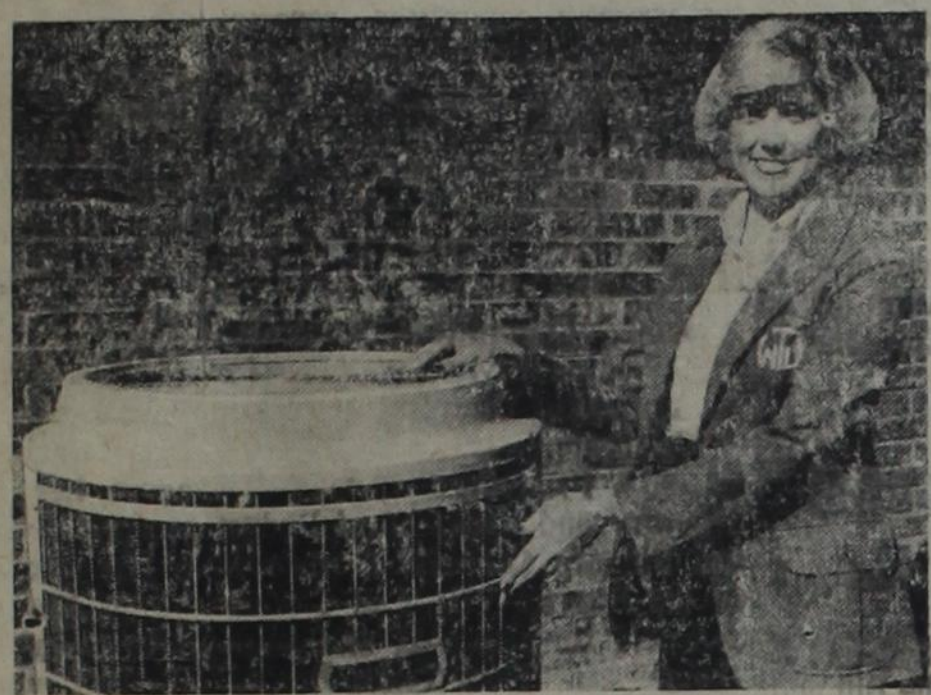
After a wedding trip to Carmel, Calif., the couple will be at home in Dallas.

The bride graduated from Mon-

terey High School in Lubbock, Baylor University at Waco, and is a senior student in the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School at Dallas. The groom is a graduate of Harding Academy in Memphis, Tenn., and received a BBA and MBA from Baylor University and is a commercial real estate broker in Dallas.

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Cottonwood News

By Beverly Brown

The annual turkey dinner sponsored by the Cottonwood Ladies Club is this Friday night, November 19. The menu consists of turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, rolls, Waldorf salad and coffee or tea for the price of \$2.50 a plate. Desserts of pie are extra. For carry-out dinners please bring your own containers. Serving time begins at 6 p.m. at the Cottonwood Community Center.

All donations of pies will be greatly appreciated Friday night. Pies are a very popular item and sell quickly. The proceeds of the evening help with the upkeep of the center. A special added attraction for the big night will be Christmas items on sale, made and furnished by the ladies in the quilting room. The Cottonwood musical of country western music will begin at 7 p.m. Let's help make this pre-Thanksgiving dinner and musical night a big success. See you all there.

A group of young teen-agers of the Cottonwood Baptist Church went to the First Baptist Church Family Center in Abilene Saturday afternoon. Those going on the trip were Charlotte Albercht, Carlton Newman, Jessa Reddick, Kala Franke, the young people's director, Mrs. Craig Rogers and Mrs. Wilburn Newman. The group took in roller skating, bowling and went to the Godfather's Pizza place for pizza before returning home.

Bill Long of Fort Worth is here spending the week and doing some hunting at his mom's, Virginia and Smokey Callaway.

R. D., Sharon, Todd and Shane Children of Scranton and Arnold Children of Brownwood visited the folks, Lillie and Blanton Children this Sunday. Arnold arrived early this morning to do some hunting.

This past week Mr. and Mrs. Wes Holcomb came by to see her sister, Mrs. Ethel Anderson on Monday, Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Ethel and her family stopped on their way home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Renfro were over Saturday to see her mother.

This November 14 greeted the area residents with easty winds, an overcast sky with intermittent sunshine around noon and temperatures dropping as the day progressed. Temperature at 8 a.m. was 42 and dropped by 9 a.m. two degrees and reports of the upper 20's tonight.

Mrs. Frances Thornton of Abilene, Mrs. David (Gayla) Dickey and daughter, Kelli of Azle, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Champion and Calvin on Saturday. On Sunday David and Gayla surprised Ethel and Glenn with a presentation of an eight-point deer and a turkey for their Thanksgiving

dinner David said. That is terrific. Happy to hear David had good hunting, not locally though.

Mr. Narciso Alamilla and Mr. Luz De Losanto of Abilene spent Sunday with Narciso, Jr. and Yolanda Alamilla, Ethel and Glenn and Calvin Champion. On Sunday afternoon Glenn, Jr. and Randi Champion of Abilene dropped by to see the family.

Mrs. Curtis Hines and Jeffrey of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Randall Franke, Amie and Kellie of Baird were at their parents, the W. B. Nickersons Sr. Saturday and Sunday.

Pioneer

By Gail Flippin

We extend our sympathy to the Parson and Champion families. May the comforting hand of God surround all of you.

Onis Taylor of Denton had Sunday lunch with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Halsell.

On Monday last week Mrs. Halsell attended an autograph party at Nemms Library at HSU in Abilene for her daughter, Dr. Lou Rodenberger. She returned on Tuesday morning after visiting with Lou and Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Francey, Darrel and Candy of Clyde visited Rhonda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Jackson over the week end.

Austin's brother, George, of Abilene had lunch with Austin and Lillian Sunday.

Julie and Darwin Floyd of Brady visited with Julie's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming over the week end. Also Bill Watson of Pampa visited Joe and Nell over the week end.

Saturday afternoon Julie and Nell visited Myrtle Conner.

Monday morning Mrs. Rouse King visited Nell.

Ethel Brown's local visitors were Lou Grider, Opal Dean and Velma Brown.

Mrs. C. C. Coggin of Waco had lunch Wednesday with Ethel. She visited her sister in Abilene and the next day en route back home Mrs. Coggin and her sister had lunch again with Ethel.

Sunday Ethel had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Cole Tillotson. They took an afternoon ride through Cottonwood and as far north as Admiral admiring the beautiful fall scenery.

Elfred and Foy Austin of Fort Worth spent the week end with "Bill" and Gladys Sessions.

Other recent visitors in the Sessions home were Lottie Sooter, Dorothy Zedlitz and Novella Bartin.

Bob, Sally and Charlie had Saturday night supper with Nettie Roudy.



Clinton Dean Bailey

Clinton Bailey Noted With Birthday Party

Clinton Dean Bailey of Cross Plains was honored by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robby Bailey with a party celebrating his first birthday. Although Clinton was a year old November 4 his birthday celebration was not held until Saturday, Nov. 13, at his home on 12th Street. Special guests present to help him celebrate were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Huffman of Boyd and Travis Bailey of Cross Plains.

Other family and friends present were Drew Huffman and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Huffman of Alto; Britt Hart and his mom, Tina Hart, of Bangs; Sandy Hunter of Abilene; Cody Smith and his mom, Shirley, from Merkel; Jody Hook and mother, Colleen Hook, from Millsap, and Chad and Dana Barr and their mother, Pat Barr, of Brownwood.

Those attending from Cross Plains were Dusty, Kami and Kelli Hargrove, and Cliffadeah Hargrove; Pam and Sheryl Glover, Sharon and Shirley Walker and Carolyn Glover and Sharolyn Walker.

A Mickey Mouse cake and ice cream were served to the guests. The house was decorated for his birthday with balloons and blue, red and yellow crepe paper.

4-H CLUB SPONSORING BAKE SALE SATURDAY

A bake sale sponsored by the 4-H Club will be held Saturday, Nov. 20, in the front of Higginbotham's. The 4-H'ers invite the public to take advantage of the sale and get their week end baking done the easy way. All proceeds will benefit the 4-H program.

FIRST BAPTISTS PLANNING NURSING HOME SERVICES

The First Baptist Church will be in charge of the regular Sunday afternoon services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home November 21 at 3:30 p.m.

Billie Freeman accompanied her mother, Nettie to Cisco where Nettie got a good report from her doctor.

Bob, Sally, Charlie and Nettie visited the Arthur Roadays at Fort Phantom Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Halsell will write the news next week. Her phone number is 725-6458. Surprise her and call in your news.

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'83 Wheat Program Offers Higher Prices, Loan Rates

The 1983 wheat program, administered by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, offers farmers higher target prices and loan rates than those in effect in 1982.

Scotty H. Odom, County Executive Director, said the target price will be \$4.30 per bushel, as opposed to \$4.05, and the loan rate will be \$3.65 a bushel instead of \$3.55. The program requires that participants limit their wheat acreage planted for harvest to no more than 80 per cent of the farm's wheat base.

In addition to a higher loan rate and target price, program benefits also include land diversion payments and deficiency payments. The land diversion payment is based on \$2.70 per bushel times the farm yield times the acres diverted. The projected wheat deficiency payment rate is 65 cents a bushel. "At the time

they sign up for the program, farmers may request 50 per cent of their land diversion payment and 50 per cent of their projected deficiency payment," Odom said.

Wheat production for 1982 was an all-time high of 2.82 billion bushels, 1 per cent above last year's record. USDA officials say the wheat supply for 1982-83 will also be the largest ever - just under 4 billion bushels. Reflecting the large supply, wheat prices on the farm have been the lowest in four years.

The 15 per cent acreage reduction and five per cent paid land diversion program for wheat is designed to reduce carryover supplies and increase commodity prices. "Strong participation will mean strong prices," the ASCS official said.

Applications for the program may be filed at the county ASCS office weekdays between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Burkett News Items

Mrs. Lucille Gould, accompanied by Mrs. Linda Dodgen and Melinda, of Coleman and Brooke Gould of Cross Plains, were in Abilene Saturday to attend a birthday party for Eli Gould. He was six years old.

Chester and Nellie Arrington of Cross Plains visited the D. R. Goulds Sunday.

Mrs. Jack DeBusk and her sister, Mrs. Susan Andes of Coleman, visited their sister at Corpus Christi last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Burkett spent several days recently at San Marcos visiting her daughter and husband, Clay and Karen Garland.

Mrs. Delbert Boyle has been feeling quite bad for some time and went to Brownwood Regional Hospital for a check-up last week. It was learned that her heartbeats were much too slow and she was required to wear a heart monitor for 18 hours and will receive treatment according to results of this test. We hope Emma's condition is much better soon. Their daughter and husband, Tommy and Bonnie Strickland of Snyder spent Monday and Tuesday of last week with them.

Mrs. Anna Golson is a patient at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene where she underwent knee surgery last week. We hope she will be able to return home soon.

Virgil and Freeda Burkett visited in the home of her sister and husband, Celeste and Brig Young of Zephyr where they were joined by other members of their family. Their sister and husband, Clavene and Clint Edgar of Millersview, their brother and wife Eldon and Allyne Freeman of Ruidoso, N. M.; a niece, Mrs. Paula Russell and infant daughter, Amber, of Fort Worth and a relative, Jo Crimm of Ballinger on Friday last week. It turned out to be a family reunion and a day of rejoicing for all present. The following day Eldon and Allyne and Celeste had lunch here with the Burketts.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gould attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gould of Coleman Sunday.

Latt Mountain is recuperating at home after undergoing surgery at Brownwood Regional Hospital the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Arrington of Cross Plains visited in the Dalton Gould home, Sunday a week ago.

Mrs. Gwen Golson of Hobbs, N. M., was a recent guest of Grace Green and other members of the Golson family.

Linda Dodgen and children, Jackie and Melinda and Mrs. Ruby Biehl, all of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gould of Abilene attended the wedding of Glenda Gould and Marty Callaway at the

BABY DAUGHTER BORN TO COUPLE KNOWN HERE

Glenn and Carolyn Golson of Lawn are the proud parents of a baby boy born October 29 at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. His name is Chancy Glenn, and he weighed 3 pounds and was 16 inches long at birth.

Grandparents are Bob Golson of Cross Plains, Pat Marcee of Potosi and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Sherley of Lawn.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pete Golson of Cross Plains, Junior Ford of San Angelo and Jean Trinkner of Lake Coleman.

Great - great - grandfather is John Ford of Cross Plains.

15 Attend Garden Club Session Held On Friday

Cross Plains Garden Club met for regular monthly meeting Friday, Nov. 12, at 2 p.m. at the Garden Center located at 644 Beech Street. Fifteen members attended.

Topic was "Time to Select the Queen."

Roll call was answered by members naming their favorite rose.

Mrs. Peyton Smith, president presided for the business meeting.

Mrs. Glenn Payne, chairman of the projects committee, reported and revealed the two trophies won by the Garden Club float, "Honoring the Coming Home Queen." She also refunded club members of the November 24 baked foods sale the club is to stage in front of Higginbothams at 9 a.m.

Social Committee Chairman Mrs. Hadden Payne gave plans for the upcoming Guest Night "Time to Celebrate."

Mrs. J. P. McCord, District VIII treasurer and chairman of Budget and Finance Committee, reported on the District VIII Fall Convention held November 11 at Odessa. Theme was "West Texas Brags." Mrs. Smith and Mrs. McCord attended, and total attendance was 96.

Mrs. Raymond DeBusk, chairman of the Nominating Committee, will serve with elected members Mrs. Leo Franke and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs.

Mrs. Alton McCowen, program chairman, introduced the pro-

gram, "Shopping Wisely for the Queen," brought by Mrs. Hadden Payne.

"The Popular Miniature Rose," Lone Star Gardener Review, January 1980, by Mrs. Alton McCowen.

Door prize was won by Mrs. Raymond McCowen. It was a hanging basket of assorted plants. She will submit an article to the local newspaper on timely garden tips for public education.

Delicious refreshments were served from serving tables featuring a Thanksgiving motif by the hostesses who were Mrs. Raymond McCowen, chairman, and Mrs. Maxine Davis.

WINNING BEGINNER ARTIST NAME OMITTED FROM LIST

Apologies are made to Mrs. Irene Garlitz of Cross Plains because her name was inadvertently omitted from the list of winners in the art show held in Cross Plains November 6-7.

The local lady had an honorable mention winner in the beginner's category of the Cross Plains Paint & Palette Club sponsored exhibit.

Visitors in the home of Lela and Gerald Foster over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Arden Strahan of Euless and their daughters, Mrs. Larry Green and daughters, Stephanie and Amy of Lubbock.

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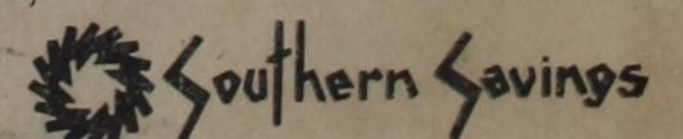
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