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C.P.I.S.D. Announces Tax Change

A tax notice published in this newspaper and paid for by Cross Plains I.S.D. may leave some local taxpayers scratching their heads in confusion.

The notice incorrectly states that the school tax rate will grow by 700.89 percent. But in publishing the notice, local school officials are only complying with a state law.

"This is one of those situations where the law doesn't make any sense, but we must nevertheless comply with it or risk serious consequences," said Lee Thompson, Superintendent.

Cross Plains I.S.D. is required by the state's "truth-in-taxation" law to publish an official notice reporting last year's tax rate, the proposed tax rate for this year, and the percentage increase. However due to a drafting oversight in the new school finance law, the notice significantly understates the tax rate for last year and produces a misleading comparison between last year's and this year's school taxes.

Under the previous school finance law, the county education district (CED) levied part of the taxes used for operating

schools and the school district levied the rest. Under the new school finance law, CED's are eliminated and all school taxes are levied by the school district.

Last year, the county education district imposed a tax rate of \$.9398 (per \$100 of value) and Cross Plains I.S.D. imposed a tax rate of \$.1336, for a combined school tax rate of \$1.0734. This year, Cross Plains I.S.D. is proposing a tax rate of \$1.07.

Because of the mistake in the new school finance law, Cross Plains I.S.D. is required to report a 1992-93 tax rate of \$.1336, a 1993-94 tax rate of \$1.07, and an increase of 700.89 percent, when in reality the rate will decrease by 0.32 percent.

In an effort to correct the misinformation, Cross Plains I.S.D. is publishing alongside the tax notice an advertisement indicating that the official tax notice is wrong. The supplemental advertisement, also paid for by the school district, provides the correct tax information.

The new school finance law, Senate Bill 7, was enacted on May 31, 1993.

Local Businesses Note Holiday Schedules

The majority of local businesses will be closed on Monday, September 6, in observance of Labor Day, including Lawrence Farm and Ranch Supply, Inc., Justice of the Peace and Car Registration Office, West Texas Utilities, Charlie's Truck and Trailer Repairs, Ellen's Dry Cleaning, The Back Room, Greenwood Insurance, Tim's Floral and Gifts, Western Auto, Neal Drug, Johnson's Dry Goods, Cross Plains Frozen Food

Locker, Bryan's Variety, U.S. Post Office, Citizen's State Bank, City Hall, Dal-Mar Energy, Inc., Ray's Barber Shop, Higginbotham's, Cross Plains Medical Center, Senior Citizens Center, Mediplex, and the Cross Plains Review. Cross Plains Grain and Peanut will close both Saturday and Monday. Village Market, Grocery, Food Plaza, and Skinny's will observe their regular hours.

Bufs Ready For Bronte

By CHARLES CHESSHIRE

Coming off of two successful scrimmages, Buffalo football is in excellent

condition to start the 1993 season against Bronte this Friday at home (8:00 p.m.).

Playing against Stephenville and Albany in scrimmages, the Buffalo defense looked impressive and the offense is beginning to improve according to Coach Doug Dallas. He sounded off his pride in all the boys who have worked extra hard and play well together as a team.

This year promises to provide plenty of excitement for Friday nights.

Athletes returning from the 1992 season include Colby Childers, SR; Jason Fleming, SR; Daniel Bushnell; Robert Lee, SR; Kevin Switzer; Jimmy Lee; Willie Nickerson; Rodney Rudloff; J.J. Higgins; Miquel Mauricio; Todd Smith; Jared Harris; Donnie Dillard; Brock Walker; Jeff Brown; Terry Shultz; Matt Reed; Cole Gilliam.

New Buffaloes include Jeremy Barnett; Scott Cheshier; Sean Jones; Brent Mackey; Porcious Potter; Roger Pope; Cody Leicht; Hugo Mauricio; and Justin Richey.

See revised football schedule and roster on school page.

Love Fund Established For Calvin Champion

The Cottonwood Ladies Quilting Club has opened a Love Fund for Calvin Champion at the Citizens State Bank. Calvin will have two back surgeries in October and contributions will be applied toward expenses incurred during his hospitalization.

Calvin is currently employed at Village Market in Cross Plains. He is a former graduate of Cross Plains High School and attended Cisco Junior College.

City Hall To Hold Public Meeting September 7

The City of Cross Plains will hold a public hearing on September 7, at 6:30

p.m. at the City Hall Building on 201 S. Main for the purpose of closing Avenue F between 16th street and Cypress Street. Any person interested in meeting with the council concerning this matter is encouraged to be at the meeting. For more information on this matter, please contact City Hall at (817) 725-6114.

Contact City Hall For Address Numbers

The City of Cross Plains has completed installing the new addresses for Cross Plains residents. If for some reason you did not receive a number, please call City Hall and one will be installed for you. A charge of \$4.00 for each set of numbers will be charged to your October 1, 1993 water bill. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact City Hall.

Athletic Booster Club Change Meetings To Tuesday

The Band Boosters will meet Tuesday, September 7, at 6:00 p.m. in the band hall.

All parents are encouraged to get acquainted with the new band director, Bruce Morgan, and become involved in the 1993-94 band program. A great year is anticipated.

Beginning in October, all Booster meetings will be held the first Monday of

Jack's Place Re-Opening Sundays — Closed Mondays

Due to popular demand by customers, Jack's Place will be open on Sundays, beginning September 5. The restaurant will also be open Labor Day, Monday, September 6. Beginning next week, Monday will be their regular day off.

First Art Club Meeting, Tues., September 7

By GRETNA PAYNE

The Cross Plains Paint and Palette Club will begin a new season with a meeting Tuesday, September 7, at 7:00 p.m. in the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center with President Marlene Sanders presiding.

Plans will be formulated for the Art Show in November.

All members are urged to be present and new members are welcome.

Influenza Vaccines Available At C.P. Medical Center

Influenza vaccinations will be administered beginning Tuesday, September 7, at the Cross Plains Medical Center on Main Street.

Medicare patients will not be charged for inoculations.

No appointment is necessary to receive just the vaccination.

Band Booster Meeting Tuesday, September 7

The Athletic Booster will hold its weekly meeting on Tuesday nights at 7:00 p.m. in the English room behind the auditorium. Please join the Booster Club

and support all the athletes of Cross Plains High.

PTO Invest In Future

The PTO (Parent-Teacher Organization) began a major fund-raiser Monday, August 30. In order to raise money to purchase special equipment for our school that will benefit both teacher and students. Kids kindergarten through fifth grades will be participating in this fund-raiser. They will be selling "Century Pride" edibles and "Collector's Corner" decorative tins. These products have a money-back guarantee. Order will be taken until September 7.

We are excited about this fund-raiser because its success determines what we can do for our school this year. We hope your family will participate. Thank you for your continuing support.

Chicken What

By NORA ODOM

If you had attended the Athletic Booster meeting Monday night, you would know all about it. We are excited about this endeavor, and we know you will be too! Ask an active Booster member for details.

Other items discussed was the cooking of hamburgers at the Roscoe game September 24 and the Baird game November 5. Mark your calendars and plan on eating with us before the game. We also discussed the work to be done on the tennis courts. Are you interested? If so, we need workers.

No matter what athletic program your child is or if they are in High School or Junior High, the Athletic Booster Meeting is where you should be every Monday night. We meet at 7:00 p.m. in the foyer of the auditorium.

A strong Athletic Boosters will benefit not only our athletes of today, but our future athletes as well.



PROJECT PRIDE PRESENTS PLAQUE—Members of the local organization were on hand to present a plaque to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCowen for their home (the former Bond house) which was built in 1911, located on the corner of Avenue C and 9th Street. Susan McNeel (back, from left), Clara Nell Spencer, John Adams, Joan McCowen, and Betty Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCowen (front).

School Schedule For Labor Day Holiday

Cross Plains I.S.D. will dismiss early Friday, September 3, at 2:26 p.m. and buses will run at this time. Students will

have a holiday through Monday, September 6, with classes resuming on Tuesday at 8:05 a.m.

Colonial Oaks Services

United Pentecostal will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing

Home on Sunday, September 5, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

You Can Now Pay Your Taxes By Credit Card

Callahan County residents will soon be able to pay their county, school and city taxes with a credit card, after Callahan County Commissioners voted to begin accepting credit cards for payment of fines or taxes.

The county commissioners, in a regular meeting Monday, August 23, voted to apply for a Visa and Master Card merchant number to accept the credit card payments for fines and taxes.

The credit card payments will only be taken by the sheriff's department, justice of the peace offices and the county tax collector's office.

The acceptance of credit card payments will especially be convenient to out-of-town drivers who are ticketed in Callahan County and must appear before a justice of the peace. The JP's office currently only accepts cash as payment for a traffic fine.

Other items brought before the commissioner's court included:

—County commissioners voted to close a portion of a private road southeast of Clyde. In a letter to county commissioners, Dr. Monty Ancinec requested the road, which dead-ends at his property, be closed to public traffic. Dr. Ancinec stated all residents along the roadway have signed a petition requesting the road be closed. Because county officials were unsure if the

roadway was a private or county road, the county commissioners voted unanimously to grant the closing of the roadway and have the item place in the official minutes.

—Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department member Bob Harrell met with the county commissioners to discuss the county contributing towards the repair of a fire truck. Harrell stated the fire truck, which is used to battle rural grass fires, is in need of a new pump and motor. He said the estimate of repair is \$2,108. The county commissioners voted to donate \$1,000 to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department towards the fire truck's repair.

—County commissioners voted to approve a revised list of fees for services performed by the sheriff and constables in Callahan County. These fees will be for the District Court, County Court and Justice of the Peace Courts. The revised fees are effective January 1, 1994. The fees include:

Personal Citation	35.00
Citation by Publication	35.00
Citation Scire Facias	35.00
Distress Warrant	45.00
Forcible Detainers	35.00
Injunctions	45.00
Notice of Publication	35.00
Order of Sale	45.00
Precept to Serve	35.00
Subpoena - Civil	35.00
Subpoena-Duces Tecum-Civil	35.00
Summons	35.00
Temp. restraining order	45.00
Writ of Attachment	45.00
Writ of Execution	45.00
Writ of Habeas Corpus	45.00
Writ of Possession	45.00
Writ of Restitution	45.00
Writ of Sequestration	45.00
Show Cause Notice	35.00
Arrest Warrant	35.00
Posting Citation	20.00
Notice of Trustee's Sale	20.00
Protective Orders	20.00

For each criminal case tried in District or County Court, a jury fee of \$20.00.

For executing a bill of sale to each purchaser of personal property under execution or order of sale, when

demand by purchaser, a fee of \$35.00

For executing a deed to each purchaser of real estate under execution or order of sale, a fee of \$35.00.

For posting written notices in public places as may be required by law, a fee for posting each location \$25.00.

Collecting money on an execution or an order of sale, when the same is made by a sale:

For all sums over Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) and not exceeding One Thousand (\$1,000.00), six percent (6%).

For all sums over One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) and not exceeding Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), three percent (3%).

For all sums over Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), two percent (2%).

When the money is collected by the Sheriff or a Constable without a sale, one half (1/2) of the above rates will be allowed him.

—County commissioners held the first of two public hearings to receive public input on a \$5,000 grant Callahan County is applying for. The grant application is to help pay expenses incurred by Callahan County while performing the 911 addressing recently completed. If the grant application is approved, Callahan County could receive up to \$5,000 towards the 911 addressing expense.

Masonic Lodge Meets September 2

Cross Plains Masonic Lodge #627 Regular meeting September 2 at 7:30 p.m. Members urged to attend. Refreshments served after meeting.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT
Bill Johnson, presiding

Misdemeanor Filings
Joe Villela Ramos, DWI.
Thelma Garner Harvey, DWI.
Michael Clinton Sultz, DWI
Charged with possession of marijuana: Jim A. Hershey, Lisa Hickerson, Jerry Gene Hickerson.

NEW VEHICLES

Troy & Joanna Glover, Dallas, GMC Housecar.
Kenneth W. Terrell, Jr. Clyde, GMC Housecar.
Mark Kruse, Abilene, Pont Van.
Jimmy Don Rogers, Merkel, Chev PU.
Molly Richards, Dallas, Chev Sub.
Jeffrey & Judy Posey, Cisco, Jeep 2 dr.
Kevin Balsness, Abilene, GMC PU.
Jimmy & Teresa Culbert, Abilene, Ply Van.
Tony Burnette, Abilene, GMC PU.
Bob Strader, Abilene, Ply Van.
Miller & Marian Scott, Baird, Dodge PU.
E.E. Allen, College Station, Chev PU.
Douglas Noice, Clyde, Nissan PU.
Larry Brewster, Abilene, Chev PU.
M. Ann Jackson, Abilene, Jeep 4 dr.
Floyd Hanley, Abilene, Chev PU.

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42nd DISTRICT COURT
John Weeks, presiding

Civil Filings
Donald R. Houlihan vs John Louis Norman, American Transportation & Howard Payne University, damages; motor vehicle.

Divorces filed:
Berryhill, Charles P. & Carol Jane.
McCormick, Sandy Kay & Richard Keith.

Thurman, John Delbert III & Linda Joyce, and in the interest of minor child.
Adams, Tonya & David Wayne, and in the interest of minor children.

Phillips, Lisa Y. & Kevin Warren, and in the interest of minor children.

Civil Minutes

First National Bank, Baird, vs Terry Touchstone, \$16,631.73 judgment for plaintiff plus other monies.

First National Bank, Baird, vs Larry Joe Prickett, \$5333.80 judgment for plaintiff.

Fletcher Leasing dba InnCom Telephone, vs Bell Bowden, dba Odom's Motel, \$10,144.20 judgment for plaintiff.

Annulment granted:
Bailey, Catherine Ladell & Walter Monroe.

Divorces granted:
Hill, Sharon Kay & Mikael Leon.
Glaze, Louis N. & Pamela K.
Dodson, Traci Lynn & Cecil Richard, Jr.

Ware, Hazel Marie & E.B.

Felony Indictments

Charged with DWI's: Danny Wayne Booth, Billy Wayne Powers, Jay Don Cox, Juan Ascension Ramirez, Charley Lee Daniels.

Felony Minutes

Peter Richard Mayer, burglary of a vehicle, \$1000 fine, \$87.50 court costs, \$200 atty fee 7 years probation.

2 Day Revival Set At Old Time Gospel Mission

There will be a two day Revival on Friday and Saturday, September 3 and 4, at the Old Time Gospel Church on Eighth Street beginning at 7:30 nightly.

Sam Thompson of Early will be the evangelist and the public is cordially invited to attend.

OBITUARY

Mattie Callis Gilmore

CROSS PLAINS — Mattie Callis Gilmore, 76 of Clyde Died Tuesday, August 24, 1993 at a Houston hospital.

Services were held at 10 a.m., Thursday, at the First United Methodist Church in Clyde with the Rev. David Edwards officiating. Graveside services were held at 2:30 p.m. in Hillside Memorial Gardens in Snyder, directed by Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home, 542 Hickory, Abilene.

Mrs. Gilmore was born in Snyder and moved to Sweetwater after her marriage in 1933. She moved to Cross Plains in 1955 and to Clyde in 1976. She worked in dry goods stores, retiring from Higginbotham's in Cross Plains. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Clyde and the widow of Roy Clifton "Cliff" Gilmore.

Survivors include one son, Jim Gilmore of Houston; on sister, Dosa Fargason of Snyder; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Methodist Home, 1111 Herring, Waco, Texas 76708.

Irma Gene Reeves

Irma Gene Reeves, 64, retired manager of a local convenience store, died Wednesday, August 25, 1993 in a Brownwood nursing home.

Services were held at 2 p.m., Friday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Kenneth Steel of Comanche officiating, assisted by Faye Simons. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born in Childress, she was a member of Pioneer Revival Center.

Survivors include three sons, Robin Reeves, Eddie Reeves and Bobby Reeves, all of Brownwood; a daughter Becky Guill of Cross Plains; two sisters, Bertha Eason of Gatesville and Ruby Smith of Lubbock; one brother Elvis Edwards of Greeley, Colorado; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Rev. Ernest Hollis

SWEETWATER — The Rev. Ernest J. Hollis, 88, a retired Baptist minister who started four churches, died Thursday, August 26, 1993 in a local hospital.

Services were at 10 a.m. Saturday at McCoy Funeral Home Chapel of Memories, with the Revs. Curtis Hollis, Mike Haley and Billy Roddy officiating. Burial was in Sweetwater Cemetery.

Born in Cottonwood, the Rev. Hollis

attended Wayland Baptist College in Plainview and Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth. He pastored churches in Texas, New Mexico and Louisiana beginning at age 17 and retiring after 55 years. His first full-time church was in the Stamper community east of Sweetwater. He started the West Side Mission in his home, which later became West Side Baptist in Sweetwater. He returned to Sweetwater in 1980.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby Hollis of Sweetwater; a daughter, Shirley Crawford of Sweetwater; two sons, Kenneth Hollis of Haltom City and Delbert L. Hollis of De Riden; a sister, Ruby Daniel of Sweetwater; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

James "Jim" Dennis

James Kennedy "Jim" Dennis, age 46, died Sunday, August 29, 1993 in the Olin Tague V.A. Center.

Services were held Monday at 2 p.m. At Harper-Talasek Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Jack Riley and Mr. Melvin Haisler officiating. Private family burial services were held.

Mr. Dennis was born in Mineral Wells on October 26, 1946. He was a 1965 graduate of Cleburne High School, and attended Sam Houston State University and Tarrant County Junior College.

He was a veteran, serving in the U.S. Air Force from 1965 until 1969. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Temple and former Director of the Cen-Tex Rehabilitation Center in Temple. He had lived in the Central Texas area most of his life.

Jim attended school at Cross Plains and his father served as the pastor for the First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains during 1957, 1958 and 1959.

Survivors include a son, James Coker Dennis of Milano, Texas; his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Dennis of Temple; and two brothers, Hal Dennis of Fort Worth and David Dennis of Bedford.

Memorials may be made to the First United Methodist Church, 102 North 2nd Street, Temple, Texas 76501 or the American Red Cross.

Floye Cassle

FREDERICK, OKLAHOMA — Floye (Simmons) Cassle, 87, mother of Jerry Cassle of Cross Plains, died Saturday in a Camp Wood nursing home.

Graveside services were held August 28, 1993, at 11 a.m. Monday in the Frederick Memorial Cemetery with the Rev. Vernon Dale Lewis officiating, directed by Gisk Funeral Home.

Born in Whitney, Mrs. Cassle was a homemaker and a Baptist. She was the widow of Rev. John C. Cassle.

Survivors include two sons, James Cassle of San Antonio and Jerry Cassle of Cross Plains; one brother, Frank Simmons of Fort Worth; one sister, Othell Speed of Hallettsville; and 28 grandchildren.

Linda Sue Parks

COLEMAN — Linda Sue Parks, 35, died Monday, August 23, 1993, in a local hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Roger Hammonds officiating. Burial was in Coleman Cemetery.

Born in Denver, Colo., Mrs. Parks grew up and attended school in Rising Star. She was a homemaker and a Baptist and had worked in area nursing homes.

Survivors include her husband, Lloyd Parks of Coleman; a daughter, Chrysteyna Dawn Griffith of Breckenridge; a son, John J. Johnson III of Cross Plains; a stepson, Lloyd Parks, Jr. of Coleman; two stepdaughters, Lois Jean Parks and Lori Bell Dennis, both of Coleman; a sister, Ruth Jarvis of Coleman; a brother, J.B. Jarvis of Eastland; five half-sisters, Rae Jean Jarvis of Coleman, Grace Taylor and Betty Watkins, both of California, Violet Cheney of Oregon and Gwen Johnson of Washington; three grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

NEWS FOR VETERANS

Attention! All Persian Gulf Veterans and family members. You are invited to an informational workshop sponsored by the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Dallas. The subject will be "Persian Gulf War: Adjusting After The Storm".

The workshop will be held on September 17 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Holiday Inn-Brookhollow, 7850 North Stemmons Freeway, Dallas 75247.

Topics to be discussed include: Persian Gulf Registry, Health Care Issues, Female Veteran Issues, Trauma, and its Impact on their Veteran/Family System. Compensation/VA Benefits. As space is limited, please notify Diane Foreman at 214 376 5451 extension 7199 or Tina Mayfield at 214 376 5451, Extension 7198 if you plan to attend. Please RSVP by August 31. (This will not make the papers by August 31 so tell them you just got the word).

Trivia Question: what unusual- quite revolutionary- track and field event was officially recognized by the Physical Culture and Sports Commission of Communist China in 1956?

World War II Facts: Following are the

numbers of Active Military Personnel (Enlisted and Officer) for 1940 and 1945, the peak year of World War II

	1940	1945
Army	269,023	8,267,958
Navy	160,997	3,380,817
Marines	28,345	474,680
Total	458,365	12,123,455

It is a wonder that there were enough uniforms to go around!

Trivia answer: The hand-grenade throw.

Notice: Your Veterans office will be closed September 27 and 30 for annual training as required by Texas law.

PERSONALS

Visiting Suma Dill were Johnnie Bland, Irma Floyd, Fred and Wilmojean Dill, Tim Dill, Blanche Moore, and Pearl Greenwood, all of the community.

Other guests were Joe Houser of Abilene, Gayland Duggan of Rising Star, and Deral Young of Fort Worth.

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Church Training	6:00 p.m.	
Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.	
Wed. Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.	
Michael Hale, Pastor — 725-7556	Scott Hamilton — Music/Youth 725-7550	

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Bob Wallace, Pastor (817) 725-6607

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Sunday Evening	6:30 p.m.
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WTU ANNOUNCEMENTS

Expanding businesses in West Texas may now have greater representation when they seek Small Business Administration funding. Eric Geisler, Economic Development Specialist at West Texas Utilities Company, was elected to the Board of Directors of the Capital Certified Development Corporation at its quarterly meeting recently held in Midland. San Angelo Chamber of Commerce President, Stephanie Haynes were elected as general board members. The Capitol CDC that serves small businesses in Texas by assisting them in accessing federal funds administered by the SBA's 504 Loan Program.

"The establishment of the statewide Certified Development Corporation means representation for communities not previously served by a CDC and we are pleased that these newly elected members will be representing communities within WTU territory," said David Young, Director of Wholesale and Business Development. "We are always looking for ways to provide Economic Development tools to our region and this

can be a competitive funding source for new or expanding businesses."

The SBA 504 Loan Program rewards financially sound businesses with money for expansion, relocation, and the creation of jobs. SBA 504 loans have long terms; financing for fixed assets; low, fixed-rate financing; and low equity injection - only 10 percent down. A business can only access the federal SBA 504 Loan Program through a certified development company.

The capitol CDC has a 10 member board with statewide representation from private lenders, business organizations, local government, and community organizations. All board members are active in small business economic development and have business finance expertise.

For more information on the Capital CDC, please contact Armando Ruiz in the Texas Department of Commerce Office of Business Finance at 512-320-9649 or Kit Horne, manager, Public Relations, at 915-674-7274 or any of the board members.

COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS

By LINDA EDINGTON
Activity Director

There was not a more beautiful sight to see than that wonderful rain that fell. Residents went to windows and doors to look out. Comments were made on how wonderful it was and "praise the Lord for it".

Dorothy Thomas, Annabel Vaught, Lillian Smith and Clara Coburn all have new perms and are looking great! Our appreciation to Lillie Dillard and Connie Kirkham.

Jewel Thompson was here visiting everybody.

Mabel Halsell from Baird visited Carl Halsell.

Earlene Hughes from Baird, Brooks and Pat Hill from San Angelo visited with Lillian Smith, Midge McCall and Ceila Montgomery.

Daisy King visited Inez Ingram.

Becky, Jenny, Laura and Kari Purvis from Sonora visited Ruth Joy.

Alma Lewis from Cisco visited Nettie Clark.

Kathy Marh, Ashley and Lou Rodenburger from Aledo visited Carl Halsell.

Eddie Hodrick from Baird visited Julia Hedrick.

Cookie Robinson from Clyde visited Nettie Clark and Ruth Joy.

Activities during the week:

Monday: Bingo winners were Elsie Porter, Midge McCall, Vera Belyeu (2), Delia Dalton, Clara Coburn, Zenovia Strickland, Estelle Breeding, and Ressa Glover. Exercise class.

Tuesday: Art class. Popcorn and dominoes.

Wednesday: Sing-A-Long with Wayne and Wilda Dennis, Ernestine Watson, Vernie McMillan, Ruby McCowen, Vera Pearl Bunnell, Sarah McCowen, Clyde Linker, Sally Roady, Oliver and Frankie Smith. Exercise class.

Thursday: Linen folding with Re'v, Rachel and Rohni Childers. Dominoes.

Friday: Bingo winners were: Clara Coburn, Bertha Wheeler (3), Vera Belyeu, Ressa Glover and Ruth Joy. Afternoon singing with Sister Ruby and Bobby Jack McCowen.

Sunday: Church service with United Pentecostal.

Take time to laugh - it is the music of the soul.

Broom-Weiss Wedding September 4

Tonya Broom, daughter of Donnie and Margaret Broom, of Azle, and Chuck Weiss, son of Doug and Nelda Weiss, will exchange wedding vows September 4 at 6:30 p.m. at the Walnut Creek Baptist Church in Azle. Reception will follow.

Tonya graduated from the High School in Azle and is employed as a medical secretary.

Chuck is a former graduate of Cross Plains High School and is currently employed by Dr. Pepper Co. in Fort Worth.

All Friends and family are invited to attend.

12 Annual Chili Super Bowl September 4-5

The 12th annual Chili Super Bowl will be held Labor Day weekend (Sept. 4th and 5th) at the Perini Ranch in Buffalo Gap.

The World's largest chili pot is one of the highlights of the event, holding some 3200 pounds of chili and is equipped with a special six inch water jacket so that the chili heats evenly from top to bottom without burning.

The recipe includes 1800 pounds of meat, 100 pounds of onions, 32 gallons of tomato paste, as well as many chili seasonings. The pot is loaded with the ingredients Friday afternoon before the chili cook-off begins on Saturday to allow at least 15 hours to cook.

Last year, the cook-off attracted some 75 chili entries and another 75 entries in the brisket competition. Prize money totaling \$4300 was divided between chili and brisket winners as well as those who participated in showmanship.

Best of all, the 1992 Chili Super Bowl raised over \$46,000 to benefit the boys of the Ben Richey Boys Ranch in Abilene - a home for troubled children.

The Boys Ranch shelters 34 abused and neglected children between the ages of 6 and 18 -- providing them with love, structure and comfort they need to grow into strong and productive citizens.

Again, this will be the 12th year for the chili and brisket extravaganza. Organizers hope to raise 50 thousand dollars to benefit the boys of the Ranch. It will be held September 4th and 5th in Buffalo Gap, just about 15 miles south of Abilene on Highway 89.

C.P. STUDENT REVIEW

Newborn Arrives At School

Everyone delights with the arrival of a newly born baby and it is much the same with the newborn household pets. There is a mystery about the birthing process mainly involving what cannot be seen by the human eye.

Students and teachers in the kindergarten, primary, and third grades were awed with the newborn hognose snake brought to school Friday morning by Levi, Jared, and Vivian Wooten. Also they brought a baby chicken snake still inside the eggshell itself, but which was pecking his head out getting ready to leave the eggshell.

The students and teachers learned the process of obtaining the eggs, the preparation of the eggs for hatchery, and the time it takes the infant snake to disengage itself from the shell.

They were able to view the chicken snake inside the shell and at various times the snake would bring it's head out to look around. The children were curious as to what the fluid was which surrounded the snake and how he was able to get out of the shell on his own.

Everyone was delighted at the small hognose and after learning that it was unable to bite small fingers, boys and girls alike wished to hold the hognose snake and feel it's body.

Some of the children shared their knowledge of their experiences with the hognose snake such as it's ability to flatten it's head and hiss and that it will

roll over and play dead at various times. Several boys shared their knowledge on the feeding of the hognose snake whereby they feed on small toads and frogs and that the chicken snakes survive on eggs and small rodents.

Education is the key source to the prevention of snake bites. The children are always cautioned that it is best not to pick up any snake and to always watch their step in grassy, weedy areas.

The children always show an eager interest in the reptiles. Care and maintenance is minimal and reptiles make excellent pets for those who have allergies to other pets.

Next week, a new reptile will visit the school. Teachers may call Trans-Texas Reptiles at 725-6503 in order no classroom will be overlooked.

Special Meetings Held By C.P. School Board

The Board of Trustees for the Cross Plains I.S.D. met on August 30 and the following agenda was addressed:

1. Pay balance of 92/93 bills;
 2. Amend 92/93 budget;
 3. Discuss 1993 tax rate;
- A second special meeting on the same evening included:
1. Budget hearing;
 2. Approve 93/94 school year budget.

BREAKTHRU

By Bob Pipes, preacher
Cross Plains Church of Christ
433 N. Main At 12th
(817) 725-6117



Three weeks ago I announced a special series entitled "FAMILIES" that we will present at our Activity Center on Tuesday evenings beginning September 28, 7 - 8 p.m. We want to share these lessons with those of the community who care to take advantage of them. I am happy to announce that we are also providing free child care for ages 2-9 at our church building on these Tuesdays for those who attend the series. This care is beyond "physical keeping" inasmuch as there will be Bible story lessons, songs, etc. for them.

Sessions topics of the "FAMILY" series are: God's Design for Families; Helping Family Members Grow; Planning Family Activities; Facing Family Problems; Communicating with Family Members; Setting Family Goals. It is important to understand that these are not lectures. In each session there will be a great deal of discussion and participation. Each participant will receive a free 45 page workbook. Discussion will include how to put biblical principles into practice in every-day life. Families will be encouraged to do some activities together each week.

If you feel you and/or your family can benefit from this series, please "register" by calling me at 725-6117, or send your name(s), address and telephone number to me at P.O. Box 576, Cross Plains. The series is for entire families, preferred, but is for children/teens age 10 and above, dads, moms, and grandparents. We want to draw from the experience, knowledge and wisdom of those who "have been there" as well as from those who "are there."

Think about it. Pray about it. If you have further questions, call me and let's talk...

Sunday Morning Bible Class	9:45 a.m.	Wed. Morning Ladies Bible Class (Seasonal)	10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	10:45 a.m.		
Sunday Evening Worship	8:00 p.m.		
Wed. Evening Bible Study	7:00 p.m.		

Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus

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THE PIONEER PATCHWORK

By IRMA MILLER

On Monday night, Frankie and Oliver Smith went to Rising Star and played canasta with Wayne and Dorothy Callaway. On Tuesday, Jean Fore traveled with them to Abilene on business, and on Tuesday night Frankie and Oliver visited with Ed and Sally McAnally. On Wednesday, Jean went with them to Ranger to see Dad Vinson, who is doing real well. On Thursday, the Smiths visited with Raymond and Mary Parrish in Cross Plains. On Friday night, Jean, accompanied them to the Rising Star musical, on Saturday the three made another trip to Ranger, and Saturday night attended the Echo musical, making it a full week.

Jewel Foster was entertained by friends and relatives at the Dairy Queen on the occasion of her 90th birthday on Tuesday. They made her a cake, and she continued to enjoy her birthday the rest of the week.

Lottie Sooter, accompanied by part of the family, went to Lubbock last week to visit a daughter and family.

Novilia Barton's visitor Sunday afternoon was Nell Fleming. Novilia visited in Cross Plains one day, with Myrtle Wilson.

Laverne and Cowan Hutton made a trip, leaving Thursday, August 5, and traveling with old friends, from Lubbock to Leadville, Colorado, and on to the Taos area. Their friends went back to Lubbock, and they went on to Portales, where they did work in the Christian Childrens Home. Afterward, they taught at a Vacation Bible School there. They returned home Wednesday.

Nell Fleming's visitors were Jo Veda and Bill Watson of Lake Brownwood on Saturday afternoon.

On Sunday afternoon, John and Irma Miller had lunch in Coleman and then visited there with her brother and wife, Dean and Carol Brannon.

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Thursday, September 9, 1993

7:00 p.m.

Cross Plains
Multi-Purpose Center

Corner of 8th & Beech

Dwain Harris
Prudential Representative



The program will last approximately one hour
and refreshments will be served.

Everyone Is Welcome!

C.P. STUDENT REVIEW

BAND CONCESSION SCHEDULES ANNOUNCED

Here is the band concession schedule for the '93 football season. The band concession is the main money maker for band boosters. The money is used solely to provide for the needs of our band students. Every band student benefits from our effort as parents. If you cannot work on the night we've scheduled, please trade with someone or get someone to work for you.

In order to accommodate parents, they are no longer required to bring chili or snack treats.

We are looking forward to another great year with the "Pride of Cross Plains", the Buffalo Band.

Band Booster Concession Schedule 1993

- Sept. 3: **Bronte H.S. Varsity**
Kathy Chesshir - Chamn-725-7119
Linda Edington - 725-6227
Norma Goble - 725-6248
Lynette Gommillion - 725-6823
Vivian Wooten - 725-6503
- Sept. 9: **Roby J.H.**
Melissa Richards - Chmn- 725-6651
Pam Hutton - 725-7582
Cherry Shults - 643-3823
Sandy Hutton - 725-6255
Sandy Carey - 725-7790
- Sept. 16: **Santa Anna J.H.**
Linda Reed - Chamn-725-6744
Debra Childers - 725-6345
Vickie Williams - 725-7650
Sandra Sanders - 725-6553
Betty Weiss - 725-6598
- Sept. 24: **Roscoe H.S. Varsity**
Debbie Edington - Chmn-624-5284
Terry Jane Wyatt - 725-7762

- Jackie Evans - 725-6731
Debbie Thomas - 725-7283
Vicky Worley - 725-6718
- Sept. 30: **Evant J.H.**
Myrna Mitchell - Chmn-725-6682
Robbie Eppard - 725-6228
O'Linda Hale - 725-7556
Debbie Gosnell - 7761
Sandra Moore - 643-7787
- Oct. 8: **Tolar H.S. Varsity**
Dec Harrell - Chmn-725-7120
Dinah Keathley - 725-6827
Susan Maddox - 725-6706
Nelda Hogan - 725-7177
Cindy Payne - 725-6692
- Oct. 14: **Gorman J.H.**
Edith Beggs - Chmn-725-6532
Mary Dunn - 725-7136
Pat Stephens - 725-6429
Barbara Barnett - 725-7314
Barbara Dillard - 725-6522
- Oct. 22: **Santo H.S. Varsity**
Terri Nixon - Chmn-725-7520
Jane Bessalar - 725-7260
Sally Boyd - 725-6348
Sharon Stephenson - 725-6768
Donna Clark - 725-7121
- Oct. 28: **Rising Star J.H.**
Vanda King - Chmn-725-7796
Linda Strength - 725-6871
Jacque Childers - 725-6866
Jan Merryman - 854-1233
Cheryl Beaty - 725-6235
- Nov. 5: **Baird H.S. Varsity**
Peggy Brame - Chmn-725-6811
Billie Clausen - 725-7783
Carolyn Morgan - 725-6285
Lenell Sliger - 643-6907
Sara McGowen - 643-3276

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

SEPTEMBER 6 — 10

(Subject to Change)

BREAKFAST

- MONDAY — HOLIDAY.
- TUESDAY — Pancake, sausage, orange juice, and milk.
- WEDNESDAY — Choice of ready to eat cereal, toast, grape juice, and milk.
- THURSDAY — Eggs, gravy, biscuit, orange juice, and milk.
- FRIDAY — Waffle, bacon, grape juice, and milk.

LUNCH

- MONDAY — HOLIDAY
- TUESDAY — Chicken nuggets with gravy, green beans, rolls, fruit cocktail, and milk.
- WEDNESDAY — Pizza, salad, corn, Jello, and milk.
- THURSDAY — Lasagna, green beans, garlic toast, pineapple chunks, and milk.
- FRIDAY — Hamburger with lettuce, tomato, and pickles, fries, peanut butter cup, and milk.



MRS. PAULA WINFREY

P.T.O. Teacher Profile

Name: Paula Winfrey
Grade taught/subject: Kindergarten
Years taught: 15 years
Family history: Husband Tony; Children, Cody, senior; Emily, Third grade.
Favorite color: Blue
Favorite book: Who has time to read?!!
Favorite Movie: Pure Country
Educational background: Elementary Education degree from Tarleton State University
Birthdate: 11-30-55
Greatest Pleasure: Watching young children be so enthusiastic about learning everything.
Worst vice: Procrastination
Lump-in-the-throat-story: I had a little boy in my room one time that had just lost his mother in a plane crash. He came up to my desk with his big beautiful eyes looking at me and said, "Can I just sit in your lap?" Every time I looked at him I wanted to hug him.
This will be published in the *Cross Plains Review* weekly. To inform parents and enlighten about their child's teacher, as much as teachers know their children.

Power Plant Donates

By **JERRY BOYD**
PRINCIPAL

The Comanche Peak Nuclear Power Plant donated a little less than \$10,000 worth of office supplies and equipment to the Cross Plains I.S.D. this month.

After finally completing all phases of construction at the Glenn Rose facility, all of the temporary construction offices and supplies were donated to schools in the immediate surrounding area.

Mr. Ron Bagley of the Cross Plains ISD Board of Trustees heard of this giveaway and informed the school. Despite the school not being in the immediate area around the plant, arrangements were made for the school to load up all that could be carried from the facility.

Kenneth and Margie Sowell, Roy Richey, Doug Dallas, Jerry Boyd and L.J. Boyd made the trip to Glenn Rose where four desks, nineteen chairs, twenty-three filing cabinets, twenty-four room dividers, and office supplies ranging from copy paper to hole punches were loaded on three stock trailers.

Cross Plains was approximately the twenty-third school to take advantage of this surprise bonanza, so many things were already gone. Despite this, the school was very happy to get all the material they did.

CROSS PLAINS HIGH SCHOOL 1993-94 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

REVISED 9/26/93

Date	School	Site	Time
8-19	STEPHENVILLE SCRIMMAGE	HOME	6:00
8-27	ALBANY SCRIMMAGE	HOME	6:00
9-3	BRONTE HIGH SCHOOL	HOME	8:00
9-10	ROBY HIGH SCHOOL	THERE	8:00
9-17	SANTA ANNA HIGH SCHOOL	THERE	8:00
9-24	ROSCOE HIGH SCHOOL	HOME	7:30
10-1	EVANT HIGH SCHOOL	THERE	7:30
10-8	TOLAR HIGH SCHOOL	HOME	7:30
10-15	GORMAN HIGH SCHOOL	THERE	7:30
10-22	SANTO HIGH SCHOOL	HOME	7:30
10-30	RISING STAR HIGH SCHOOL	THERE	7:30
11-5	BAIRD HIGH SCHOOL	HOME	7:30

JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	School	Site	Time
9-9	ROBY JUNIOR HIGH	HOME	6:00
9-16	SANTA ANNA JUNIOR HIGH	HOME	6:00
9-23	ROSCOE JUNIOR HIGH	THERE	6:00
9-30	EVANT JUNIOR HIGH	HOME	6:00
10-7	TOLAR JUNIOR HIGH	THERE	6:00
10-14	GORMAN JUNIOR HIGH	HOME	6:00
10-21	OPEN		
10-28	RISING STAR JUNIOR HIGH	HOME	6:00
11-4	BAIRD JUNIOR HIGH	THERE	6:00

Denotes district games

Athletic Dir/Head Coach.....Doug Dallas	Superintendent.....M. Lee Thompson
Coach.....Monty Jones	HS Principal.....Jerry W. Boyd
.....John Starcher	JH Principal.....Margie A. Sowell
Band Dir.....Bruce Morgan	
Cheerleader Sponsor.....Peggy Bailey	
Mascot.....Buffaloes	HS Phone.....817 725-6121
Colors.....Purple/Gold	JH Phone.....817 725-6123

CROSS PLAINS HIGH SCHOOL BUFFALOES ROSTER 1993-94

No.	Name	Pos.	Height	Weight	Year
7	Jeremy Barnett	B	145		Fr
9	Kevin Switzer	B	180		Sr
10	Brock Walker	B	165		Soph
12	Scott Cheshier	B	145		Jr
20	Jason Fleming	B	165		Sr
25	J.J. Higgins	B	140		Jr
30	Sean Jones	B	150		Fr
34	Miguel Mauricio	B	165		Jr
40	Daniel Bushnell	B	210		Jr
44	Jimmy Lee	B	150		Jr
46	Brent Mackey	B	110		Fr
50	Todd Smith	L	200		Soph
51	Josh Coburn	L	180		Jr
52	Corey Switzer	L	230		Fr
53	Jeff Brown	L	180		Soph
55	Porcius Potter	L	180		Fr
62	Roger Pope	L	170		Fr
63	Coby Childers	L	250		Sr
66	Terry Shults	L	140		Jr
71	Robert Lee	L	240		Sr
72	Cody Leicht	L	170		Soph
73	Willie Nickerson	L	180		Jr
74	Hugo Mauricio	L	155		Fr
75	Cole Gilliam	L	140		Jr
80	Matt Reed	E	175		Jr
82	Rodney Rudloff	E	145		Sr
84	Donnie Dillard	E	175		Soph
86	Jared Harris	E	145		Jr
89	Justin Richey	E	130		Fr

Ath Dir/Head Coach: Doug Dallas	Supt..... M. Lee Thompson
Coaches.....Monty Jones	Principal..... Jerry W. Boyd
.....John Starcher	Mascot..... Buffalo
Band Dir.....Bruce Morgan	Colors..... Purple/Gold
Cheerleader Sponsor: Peggy Bailey	
Cheerleaders: Allison McGowen, Lori Dillard, April Hogan, Misty Strickland, Hillary Giles, Jaonna Harris	
Drum Major: Amanda Sowell	
Flag Corp: Amber Williams, Amy Strength, Leah King, Renee Atchley, Karen Dunn, DeAnna Besselaar, Candice Eppard, Jennifer Hogan	

Tel. (817) 725-6121

THE ACCOMPANYING TAX NOTICE IS WRONG!

The Cross Plains Independent School District is *required by state law* to publish the accompanying tax notice in this form, *even though the notice is deceptive.*

Because of an omission in the recently-enacted state law, Cross Plains I.S.D. may not include revenue collected by the county education district in the calculation of taxes for the 1992-93 school year. The effect of this is to understate last year's actual school tax rate and produce an inaccurate comparison of last year's tax rate to this year's tax rate.

The correct comparison of tax rates is as follows:

Last year's (1992-93) total school tax rate (including county education district taxes):	<u>1.0734</u>
This year's (1993-94) proposed school tax rate:	<u>1.07</u>
Percentage change:	<u>-0.32%</u>

This notice is required by the Texas Legislature.

*The percentage increase shown in the first paragraph below may appear unusually high because it does not reflect 1992 taxes levied by the now-abolished county education district (CED). In 1992, the CED levied a portion of the taxes used for school purposes, and the school district levied the remainder of school taxes. In 1993, school districts will levy all school taxes. For an explanation of the increase, attend the public hearing scheduled below or call your school district.

Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

The Cross Plains Public School will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1992 by 700.89 percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on Wed., Sept. 8, 1993 at Cross Plains High School.
FOR the proposal: Foster, Montgomery, Richards, Beggs, Sowell, Dillard & Bagley
AGAINST the proposal: None
PRESENT and not voting: None
ABSENT: None

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the effective tax rate that the unit published on August 26, 1993. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

	(Optional) Last Year County Education District	Last Year School District	This Year School District
Average home value	\$ 25,000	\$ 25,000	\$ 25,000
General exemptions available (amount available on the average home, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)	\$ 10,000	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,000
Average taxable value	\$ 15,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000
Tax rate	\$ 0.9398/100	0.1336 /\$100	1.07 /\$100 (proposed)
Tax	\$ 140.97	\$ 26.72	\$ 214.00 (proposed)
(Optional) Total 1992 School Taxes	\$ 167.69	(Optional) Total 1993 School Taxes	\$ 214.00 (proposed)

(School districts publishing optional information must publish the following:)

This paragraph compares last year's CED and school district taxes with this year's proposed school district taxes:
Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase by \$ 46.31 or 27.6 percent compared with last year's total school taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would decrease by \$ 0.34 per \$100 of taxable value or 0.32 percent compared to last year's total school tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

(All school districts must publish the following:)

This paragraph compares last year's school district tax with this year's proposed school district taxes:
Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase by \$ 187.28 or 700.89 percent compared with last year's school district taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the school district tax rate would increase by \$.9364 per \$100 of taxable value or 700.89 percent compared to last year's school district tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS
I would like to express my appreciation for all the cards, flowers and gifts during my recent stay at Abilene Regional Hospital. The visits at the hospital and since returning home last week have been most thoughtful.
Mrs. Troy Tomlinson

REWARD

CASH REWARD — For information leading to the return of money and black ostrich money clip taken from the field house Monday, August 30, between 3-6 p.m. All calls will be confidential. Call (817) 725-6840.
23-1TC-24

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Separate sealed bids for the construction of a 125,000 GALLON WELDED STEEL GROUND STORAGE TANK OR BOLTED STEEL GROUND STORAGE TANK will be received by THE CITY OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS until 6:30 p.m., September 7, 1993, at the City Hall, 201 Main, Cross Plains, Texas 76443, and then at said location publicly opened and read aloud.

The contract Documents, consisting of Advertisement for Bids, Information for Bidders, Bid Proposal, Bid Bond, Contract, Performance and Payment Bonds, General Conditions, Notice of Award, Notice to Proceed, Plans, Specifications and Addenda (if any) may be examined at the following location:

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COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

Quilting is a special art of individual patterns, scrapes or new material pieces, lining, bating, putting the quilt into the frames, and sewing to produce the finish work. It takes an extraordinary talent to sew a butter knife in the quilt. How close to the completion of the quilting before it was found? Well! I wonder how the ladies accomplished this feat unnoticed.

Forty wars ago in 1953 the Cottonwood Quilting Club was started at the old Cottonwood school house. In the fall of 1953 the members held their first, so to speak Rehab Night, during the Cottonwood Musical. They have been sending contributions to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center ever since.

A special tribute to today's surviving members who started in 1953: Fleta Mitchell, Ruth Joy, Lillie Childers, Thelma Peavy, Jessie Kelly, Jessie Wilcoxon, Ethel Eastman, and Eula Bennett. Past member of the club listed on 1964 club roll deceased are: Helen Booth, Bertha Fortune, Georgia Howard, Lois Joy, Cornelia Sandifer, Frances Gilland, Rosie Lovell, Esther Parrish, Alice Champion, Minnie Wrinkle, Lorene Price, Hazel and Beulah Respress, Claudine Blanton, Jewel Stroud, Vern Gill, Emma Woody, and Mattie Coppinger.

Correction to last week's column. Phone number to call on Thursdays is (817) 725-7183 to volunteer your assistance on September 17 at Rehab Night festivities. Your support will be appreciated.

Arnold Childers of Brownwood was by to see his parents, Blanton and Lillie Childers on Saturday. Last Wednesday, Violet Edwards of Cisco was by to see them.

Fireman Carlile Albrecht is home from basic training at the U.S. Naval Training Center at Orlando, Florida. He will start his nuclear power training schooling when her returns.

We all apologize to Laura — there is a square pointed shovel. McCoy's in Abilene has them advertised in their circular in Sunday's paper. We are glad Laura was a good sport, from all the harassing she received about it.

On Saturday a group of young people from the Cottonwood Baptist Church

went to the Brownwood roller skating rink, then to Bonnie Hedrick's at the lake where they enjoyed swimming and a wiener roast. Those attending were Stephanie Childress, Christina Hargrove, Marion Hicks, Mary Jo Nickerson, and Jason Stroud. The chaperons were Traci and Lillie Dillard, Jackie Childress, and Annette Nickerson.

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By MRS. N.V. GIBBS

Coming out of Cross Plains Tuesday about 1:30, rain clouds began to drop water on vehicles going west. It looked like April rain showers and the windshield wipers were turned on. The cloud moved away but the Gibbs gauge measured .60 of an inch of moisture. We were truly thankful for that amount.

Charles and Nancy Palmer of Clyde stopped by the Joyce Odom home enroute home Sunday from moving their son to Stephenville where he will be a student at Tarleton University.

Vernie Belle Mauldin visited Ima Gibbs in Baird Friday.

Guests of Bob and Kathy Dye Saturday night were his mother, Edna Dye, Mary Sayre, Ed and Betty Sayre of Breckenridge, and Frank and Mildred Sayre of Eastland.

Dorothy Reynolds visited her sister, Shine Griffin and Julia Griffin in Abilene Friday.

Carroll and Nancy Burks of Abilene visited Emma Johnson Saturday afternoon.

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