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WEST TEXAS FAIR WINNERS — Vicky Worley (left) and Delores Garrett won 5th place ribbons in separate quilt categories. This was the first quilt for both participants. Worley also placed 1st in the tating category with her cross. Tatting is the lace-making version of knotting.

FFA Rabies Clinic October 11

By BRITTANY HINYARD

On October 11, the Cross Plains FFA will be sponsoring a Rabies Clinic at the Ag Shop in Cross Plains from 3:30 to 6:00 p.m. Dr. Duane Hutchins from Stephenville will be giving the clinic. The Rabies vaccinations are \$7. Dewormer and other shots will also be available.

The FFA Chapter appreciates the support of the community.

Annual Library Rummage Sale Scheduled For October 1 And 2

Did you remember that this Friday, the first of October, is the first day of the Ninth Annual Bake, Book And Rummage Sale for the benefit of the Cross Plains Public Library?? Well, it is!

This year's sale will be held at the old Butler house on West Highway 36 — look for the sign. The sale will begin at 8:00 a.m. on Friday. Doors will close at 4 p.m. Friday and will reopen at 8 a.m. on Saturday. As usual, at noon on Saturday everything that is left will be reduced in price by 50 percent. What a deal!

Paint And Palette Meets October 5

The Cross Plains Paint and Palette Club will meet Tuesday, October 5, at 7:00 p.m. in the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center for a regular meeting. Marlene Sanders, president, urges all members to be present.

Special thanks to Project Pride which donated the use of the Butler house for this sale. With organizations and citizens working together, much can be accomplished.

Grocery bags full of books of all kinds will be sold for \$2.00 per bag. Toys,

First Baptist Senior Youth Car Wash Saturday

The Senior Youth (11th and 12th Grades) at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains will have a Car Wash on Saturday, October 2, at the church from 9:00 a.m. until noon.

A representative stated that all donations would be greatly appreciated. Proceeds from the event will benefit youth winter activities.

furniture, dishes, clothes, luggage, Christmas stuff, picture frames, sports equipment, etc., etc. are all priced to sell. Every item is donated, so every dollar received goes directly to the Library budget. Come early and come often — you'll be glad you did.

Home-baked goodies will be for sale Friday morning in front of the Library and more will be brought in all during the day. Y'all come.

Emergency Response System For Elderly Now Available

Emergency Response Systems are now available for the elderly. There is no installation fee, only a \$15.00 monthly donation requested.

For eligibility details call collect (915) 672-8544 or write: West Central Texas Council of Governments, P. O. Box 3195, Abilene, Texas 79604, Attention: ERS Department.

Cross Plains EMS Held Continuous Education Class

A 4-hour Continuous Education Class by the Cross Plains E.M.S. was held at the Community Center Monday evening from 6:00-10:00 p.m. An educational video, Care of the Elderly, was shown by instructor Rolan Jones to the local Emergency Medical Technicians who attended.

After a short break, a refresher test was given on chest trauma and a 45-minute Texas Department of Health video on chest injuries was viewed. The discussion tests covered Pneumothorax, Hemothorax, Tension Pneumothorax, Pneumo Hemo Thorax, Traumatic Aphyxia, Myocardia, Contusion, and Cardiac Tamponade, Blunt Trauma, and Penetrating Injuries.

The last 1 1/2 hour was used to become familiar and practice the new equipment purchased with grant money. E.M.T.'s practiced with the new Hare Adjustable Traction Splint, the Pediatric Stabilization Device, and the "Spider," a strapping device used to secure trauma patients to the back board.

These Continuous Education classes keep the local E.M.T.'s refreshed on techniques and are necessary for recertification by the state.

Emergency Medical Technicians attending were Sandra McKeochan, Betty Lewis, Susan Schaefer, Barbara Albrecht, Wilma Lawrence, Sandra Jones, Linda Strength, Debra Childers, Johnnie Bland, and Darrell Peevy.

Local EMS State Coordinator and Instructor Rolan Jones attended a 3-day BTLs school in Abilene last Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. BTLs (Basic Trauma Life Support) is a new and advanced course to teach the Emergency Medical Technician the signs and symptoms of the acutely injured patient and what conclusions can be drawn from these symptoms and findings and how these acute conditions can be managed quickly.

The major trauma patient has the greatest risk of dying, is the hardest patient to manage, and has the greatest

Chamber Of Commerce Meets Monday, October 4

The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce will meet Monday, October 4, at 6 p.m. at the Justice of the Peace Office on South Main.

Discussion of Christmas projects will be the main objective. All members are urged to attend.

chance of being saved if the signs and symptoms and mechanism of injury are recognized and acted upon quickly. These new concepts will be introduced into the local EMS program and Continuing Education classes.

P.T.O. Meets Tuesday, October 5

P.T.O. (Parent Teacher Organization) will hold its monthly meeting Tuesday, October 5, 7:00 p.m. in the Cross Plains School Auditorium.

A short business will include the "BIG" fund-raiser, special events and financial reports.

Roy Richey's Agriculture students will present the program for the evening at the conclusion of the meeting.

Colonial Oaks Services

Cornerstone Methodist will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, October 3, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

A.A.R.P. Meets Monday

The local chapter of the A.A.R.P. will have their regular meeting on Monday, October 4, at 11 a.m. at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center.

Mack Kniffen, A.A.R.P. Member of the State Legislature Committee, will be the guest speaker. His message should be of interest to all.

Members are requested to bring a covered dish for the luncheon following the session.

U.S. Post Office Closed During Lunch October 5-6

The Cross Plains Post Office will be closed for lunch on October 5 and 6, 1993 from 11:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. as notified by Postmaster Norma Evans.

C.P.I.S.D. Out Early Friday

Cross Plains I.S.D. will dismiss early Friday, October 1, due to the football team and band traveling to Evant for the game. Buses will run at 2:26 p.m.

The public is reminded that the Pep Rally will be held at 1:59 p.m. Friday afternoon.

October Social Security Checks To Be Delivered Early

"Social Security checks will be delivered on Friday, October 1st," said Glyn Hammons, Social Security manager in Abilene. The checks usually arrive on the third of each month. But in October, the third falls on a Sunday, so the checks will be delivered on Friday the 1st. "Whether you receive your benefits by mail, or you have them deposited directly in your bank account," Hammons said, "your Social Security payment should be available 2 days early." As usual, Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments will arrive on the first day of the month.

If you need to visit the Abilene office, remember they have moved to 209 South Danville. The telephone number remains the same, (915) 698-1360.

Texas Dept. Of Health Offering Vaccines

The Texas Department of Health will be offering Flu and Tetanus Diphtheria vaccines for people in the following high risk categories:

*Persons 55 years old and older

*Adults and children with chronic heart or lung disorders, including children with asthma

*People under medical care for chronic metabolic diseases, kidney or blood problems or weakened immune systems

*Children 18 and younger who are receiving long-term aspirin therapy and therefore may be at risk of developing reye syndrome after influenza

The clinic will be held at the Clyde Senior Citizens Building, North 4th & Maple on October 5, 1993, from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The charge for these services are based on a sliding scale, based on income and family size. The amounts will be either "No charge", \$4.00, or \$15.00. No one will be denied services if unable to pay.



DISPLAY ENTRY — Eva Fleming, Village Market employee, is shown with her display for the produce section which has been entered in a contest.

Village Market Employee Enters Contest

Eva Fleming is well known for her ability to grow great plants — some attaining unbelievable size — but only the grapevines in this picture are from her garden.

When she became produce manager for Village Market just over two years ago, she had two main goals: cleanliness and cutting waste. Her newer goals are greater variety and unique promotions.

Constantly cleaning and rotating stock leaves little time for extra projects, but when she does one, it is out-of-the-ordinary. (Last Christmas she and Matt Sowell created a holiday fantasy in her corner of the store.)

The Lubbock Division of Fleming Warehouses California Table Grape is sponsoring a contest that Eva couldn't fit into her schedule. Knowing Wanetta Parson had time while recovering from a mid-July auto accident, she asked for help.

Even though they shopped for supplies together, Eva was shocked by the giant clusters of purple, red, and green balloon grapes and paper leaves when Wanetta arrived bearing a car-bursting load.

Defrocking a portion of Eva's home arbor to create a winning table curtain of grape foliage, the two hung fresh bunches of California grapes in a spray of delicious color. All seemed on schedule when one end of the heavy vine drape plunged to the floor, scattering speeding grapes in every direction!

The ladies express special thanks to Assistant Manager Ray Worley, Robert Lee, and Matt Sowell for helping re-hang the heavy trim and quick clean up.

It's Never Too Late To Join Cub Scouts!

By BRENDA NELSON

Local Cub Scout Pack 281 held its annual rally to sign up new members September 20th. This was our first meeting for the new year, and there was a great turnout. ANYONE WHO MISSED THE RALLY MAY STILL SIGN UP! Look for details elsewhere in this article.

Cubmaster Linda Reed opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance, and passed out awards previously earned by members. Chris Harris received a perfect attendance award for the 1992-93 year. Chris did a great job. It takes lots of dedication to win this award and very few of these are earned. Also pins were handed out to signify how many years members have been in the program. Receiving 1 year pins were: Dusty Dickson, Jordan Hataway, Josh Nelson, Brandon Phillips, Andrew Taff, Marcus Williams, Jaron Hataway, Eric Womack, Lance Scrimshire, Landon Hill, Brandon Gilliam, Brenda Nelson, Jessie Stancil, and Vicki Williams. Two (2) year pins went to: Chris Harris, Kevin Cheshier, A.J. Carouth, Mack Taff, Chris Sleiger and Evelyn Harris. Three (3) year pins: Kevin Wilson and Ryan Hale. Four (4) year pins: Kenny Callaway, Cody Reed, Johnny Clay, and T.J. Harris. Other

awards were: Brandon Phillips — Tiger graduation certificate and patch; Kevin Wilson — Wolf Cub and Bear Cub badges, 1 gold and 1 silver arrowpoint; and Chris Sleiger — Wolf Cub badge, 1 gold and 3 silver arrowpoints. Chris was also the top Tree Salesman in our local pack last spring. His efforts were rewarded with a Bear Cub handbook and scarf and a backpack. Good job, Chris!

Our new District Scout Executive Dewayne Stephens was introduced, and he along with Lana Montgomery introduced potential new members and parents to the world of Scouting. They had a short film for the boys and the pair, along with local Boy Scout David Reed, led us in a song of old nursery rhymes with new and interesting twists! Applications were then handed out and refreshments served.

We are proud to announce that 10 new Cub Scouts were signed up and also 6 new adult volunteers! If you were unable to attend the rally but are still interested — **It's Not Too Late To Sign Up!** In fact, boys may sign up at any time during the year by contacting Linda Reed at 725-6744 or Evelyn Harris at 725-7697. But the sooner you join the better, so that you don't miss a single minute of all the fun and excitement as we are "getting in gear for a brand new year!"

COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT Bill Johnson, presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Genesse L. Freiman, assault.
C.W. Turner, DWI.
David Eugene Whitt, DWI.
Charged with theft of property by check: Rex Priddy, William Bagby, Kathleen Alexander, Cynthia E. Hood, Joni D. Kvien.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Following found guilty of TPC (theft of property by check), fined \$10 each plus \$160 court costs each: Genevieve Lamorre, Wilma Gaylord, Douglas Smith.
Jimmy Leon Hare, Jr., resisting arrest, \$250 fine \$137 court costs.
Thelma Garner Harvey, DWI, \$100 fine \$192 court costs, 10 days in jail.
Jim A. Hershey, possession of marijuana, \$250 fine \$137 court costs, 20 days in jail probated for 6 months.
Steve Branum, TPC, \$10 fine \$160 court costs, 90 days in jail probated for 1 year.
Martha Biziko, TPC, \$10 fine \$160 court costs, 30 days in jail probated for 6 months.

Joe Villeda Ramos, DWI, \$100 fine \$192 court costs, 10 days in jail.

NEW VEHICLES

Steve Mathewson, Tye, Pont 4 dr.
Russ & Consuelo Chambers, Abilene, Chev Sub.
Billy R. Mitchell, Brownwood, Dodge Housecar.
James Craig, Abilene, Chev Sub.
Jack Vallance, Anson, Dodge PU.
B.J. Watkins, Colorado City, Dodge PU.
Audra Sunnett, Baird, Chev PU.
Dwain & Cody English, Merkel, Chev PU.
Robert Blancet, Stamford, Chev PU.
Shad Phillips, Hawley, Eagle 4 dr.
Randy Tollett, Baird, Pont 4 dr.
Jack A. Smith, Abilene, GMC PU
Kelly & Eleanor Hamby, Abilene, Pont 4 dr.
Stewman Ranch, Maryneal, Dodge PU.
M.W. & Peggy Pierce, Clyde, Chev PU.

42nd DISTRICT COURT John Weeks, presiding

Civil Filings

Billy Hines vs Champion Home Builders, damages; breach of warranty.
Divorces filed:
Burton, Kevin DeWayne & Stephanie Renee, and in the interest of minor child.
Miller, Laura Jane & Brian Eugene, and in the interest of minor child.

Felony Indictment

Christopher Harris, Sexual assault

Felony Minutes

Juan Ascencion Ramirez, DWI, \$500 fine \$141.50 court costs, 60 days in jail.

CJC Defensive Driving Course Oct. 11 And 13

Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course on Monday and Wednesday, October 11 and 13, from 6:00-9:00 p.m. The class will meet in room 3 of Schaefer Hall. Fee for the course is \$20. Enrollment must be paid no later than 3:00 p.m. on the first day of class. Students must attend both nights of class and must bring a valid drivers license to class. Social Security number is needed on all forms. Cisco Junior College is an agency of the Texas Safety Association — extension registration number CO228-199 — TEA License #605.

For more information contact Charlotte Nix Speegle at (817) 442-2567, extension 122.

OBITUARY

Theola Payne Neeb

Theola Payne Neeb, 82, died Monday, September 20, 1993, at her residence. Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, September 22, at the First United Methodist Church, with Sherl Taylor and Don Roath officiating. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery, under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Born in Dressy, Mrs. Neeb was a homemaker and member of the First United Methodist Church. She was the widow of Howard Wilson Neeb.

Survivors include three sons and daughters-in-laws, Howard Lee Neeb and Tina of Windthorst, Charles Wayne Neeb and Cheryl of Ft. Stockton, Monty Louis Neeb and Louise of Stephenville; son-in-law Sherl Taylor or Wasco, California; on brother Jimmie Lee Payne of Cross Plains; ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were the grandsons; Ted Neeb, Rick Taylor, Chris Neeb, Phillip Neeb, Andrew, and Scott Neeb.

Joyce Belle Anderson

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, September 22, 1993, at South Park Cemetery for Joyce Belle Anderson, 68, of 1600 Mission Arch, Roswell, New Mexico, who passed away Monday, September 20 at a local nursing home.

Pastor Onsy Whicker, minister of Tabernacle Baptist Church, officiated the service.

Joyce was born May 14, 1925, in Wellington, Texas, to James A. and Myrtle Sublett Wilson. Her father has preceded her in death as well as her sister, Oleta Templin. In 1958, Joyce married Alvin Anderson in Roswell, New Mexico. He has also preceded her in death.

Formerly of Texas Joyce had been a resident of Roswell, New Mexico, for the last 45 years. She was a homemaker and a member of Tabernacle Baptist Church.

Her survivors include her mother, Myrtle Wilson, of Cross Plains; one son, Bob Green, of Florida; three daughters, Shirley Lockabay, of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Wanda Ince, of Abilene; and LaDonna Calcote, of Lubbock; three brothers, Junior Wilson, of Roswell, New Mexico; and John Wilson, of McAllen; and Cecil Wilson, of Brownwood; three sisters; Eileen Gardner, of California; Frances Thornton, of Cross Plains; and Ruby Snowden, of Arlington; 17 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were under the direction of the Ballard Funeral Home.

J. V. Simpson

J.V. Simpson, 76, former owner of B & J Home Furnishings, died Tuesday, September 21, 1993, at a local hospital.

Services were held at 1:30 p.m., Friday, in the Crescent Heights Baptist Church with Revs. Chris Walker and Mike Chancellor officiating. Burial followed at Elmwood Memorial Park, directed by Elliott-Hamil Funeral Homes, 542 Hickory.

Born in Sipe Springs, Texas, Mr. Simpson lived in Cottonwood before moving to Anson in 1925 and Abilene in 1939. Mr. Simpson served in the 73rd Seabee Battalion during World War II, and in the CCC in 1936 in Wilcox, Arizona and also worked for Haliburton. J.V. and Bea were co-owners of B & J Furnishings from 1969 until their retirement in 1982. They have been involved in ranching since that time.

Survivors include his wife, Beatrice Simpson of Abilene; two sisters, Margaret Warneke of Abilene and Louise Sadberry of De Leon; and several nieces and nephews including John Farris of Abilene; Prentice Eugene Simpson of Houston; Billy Ray Warneke of Westminster, California; Harold Warneke of Big Spring; Weldon Sadberry of Las Vegas, Nevada; Otis Earl Sadberry of Saudi Arabia; Patsy Ables of Eastland; Frances Hopkins of Houston; and Violet Spross of League City.

Mr. Simpson was preceded in death by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Madison Simpson; a sister, Lila Mae Allen; three brothers, Elton Simpson, Bert Simpson, and Prentice Simpson.

June Lee Gorham

CISCO — June Lee Gorham, 52, died Monday, September 20, 1993, in an Eastland hospital.

Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Mitchell Cemetery with the Rev. Gary Pettigrew officiating, directed by Kimbrough Funeral Home.

Born in Snyder, Mrs. Gorham was a cook.

Survivors include her husband, Allan Gorham of Cisco; two daughters, Corenia Stephens of Tennessee and Kim Sanderson of Snyder; one son, Glen Allen Pritchard of Carlsbad, N.M.; her mother, Jackie Pior of Cisco; her father, R.L. Burdett of Snyder; four brothers, R.C. Burdett of Hamilton, Jim R. Burdett of Cross Plains, R.L. Burdett of Snyder and Olen Burdett of San Angelo; two sisters, Judy Powledge of Scranton and Julie Strunk of Snyder; and four grandchildren.

Local Woman Earns Award For Top Hog

By J.T. SMITH
Farm Editor
Abilene Reporter-News

Veteran swine authorities say you really tell the top hog when it's finally "hanging on the rail."

When the carcass results came back from an Oklahoma City packing plant Wednesday, Chandra Scott from Abilene took the trophy and \$525 prize for the Grand Champion Pork Carcass of the 1993 West Texas Fair.

In last week's live swine judging, which featured almost 300 entries in Abilene from throughout Texas, the hog was second in its heavyweight class. But after the terminal trip to the packing house, the three-fourths Hampshire and one-fourth Yorkshire pig clearly cut out the grand carcass.

The 252-pound live-weight hog produced 187-pound hot carcass with 5/10-of-an-inch backfat and a phenomenal loin eye of 8.6 square inches.

Chandra's hog yielded 113.75 pounds of lean meat — or 60.829 percent lean.

It had a carcass length of 32 inches, dressed 74.2 percent, and had a thick muscle score.

Scott teaches agriscience at Cross Plains High. She has raised pigs since she was a toddler. Her father, Bill Scott of Abilene, is a nationally respected leader in the swine industry.

Meanwhile, close behind was Rusty Turner, 17, of Ovalo, for the pig producing the reserve grand carcass. The Jim Ned High junior gets a trophy and \$275 for his win. Rusty's crossbred pig was a muscular 208 pounds — the lightest pig in the entire West Texas Fair live competition. It produced a 159-pound carcass — also with 5/10-of-an-inch backfat, and had a loin eye of 6.8 square inches. The pig yielded 96.15 pounds of lean meat.

Rusty's pig was 60.47 percent lean — only a fraction below Scott's pig.

Interestingly, Ernie Eckert of Harper was the breeder of both the top pigs.

Stay Warm This Winter, Check Your Home Insulation

Summer heat is finally fading, but it's not too early to think about staying warm this winter. West Texas Utilities Company suggests a yearly checkup to get you ready for chilly months ahead. Just a few home repairs can keep you comfortable all winter and keep your home at peak energy efficiency. The best time for your home checkup is right now — every month you delay, your energy costs will be unnecessarily higher.

Here are the basic steps for a do-it-yourself home energy inspection:

- Check the caulking around doors, windows, and other parts of the house. Letting air leak through small cracks and holes in a home's exterior is a major reason for heat loss in winter. Don't think those tiny cracks and holes are no big deal. If you added together the area of all these small openings on a typical older home, you'd have a hole at least five feet by five feet.

- Check weather-stripping along sides and bottoms of doors. A 1/16-inch wide crack around a door is the same as a 4x4-inch hole, as far as your heating is concerned. Make sure storm windows and storm doors still fit tight, too. Replace cracked or broken window panes.

- Inspect your attic. Heat rising through the ceiling into the attic is a major source of heat loss. If your attic insulation measures six inches or less, you probably need to add more. Talk to an insulation contractor to learn the type and amount you need. Look for leaks in the roof. Wet insulation is less effective and the moisture can damage your home's structure. One place you don't want covered with insulation are eaves vents; the attic needs ventilation to prevent unwanted moisture.

- Check the duct insulation to see that all tears and separations are taped and the insulation is securely wrapped around the ducts. Ducts that aren't

properly sealed and insulated leak as much as 20 percent of heated and cooled air into your attic. This means you're paying to heat and cool your attic as well as your home, and wasting energy and dollars.

- Check floor over unheated areas, such as crawl spaces, garages or basements. These areas can be major sources of heat loss in an otherwise well-insulated house. If you already have insulation in these areas, make sure the support rods or wire mesh is secure. Be sure and add insulation where needed.

Whether you do the work yourself or hire a contractor, you're conserving energy. By following the above guidelines, you help WTU achieve its main goals: to help reduce the drain on fossil fuels in short supply, and to help you keep your monthly energy bill as low as possible.

Local Hunting Leases Needed

The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce is continuously assisting in promoting business activity in our area. Recently, they have received numerous calls concerning hunting leases in the Cross Plains area.

If your property is available for lease hunting: dove, quail, turkey or deer, please contact the Chamber of Commerce at 817-725-7251.

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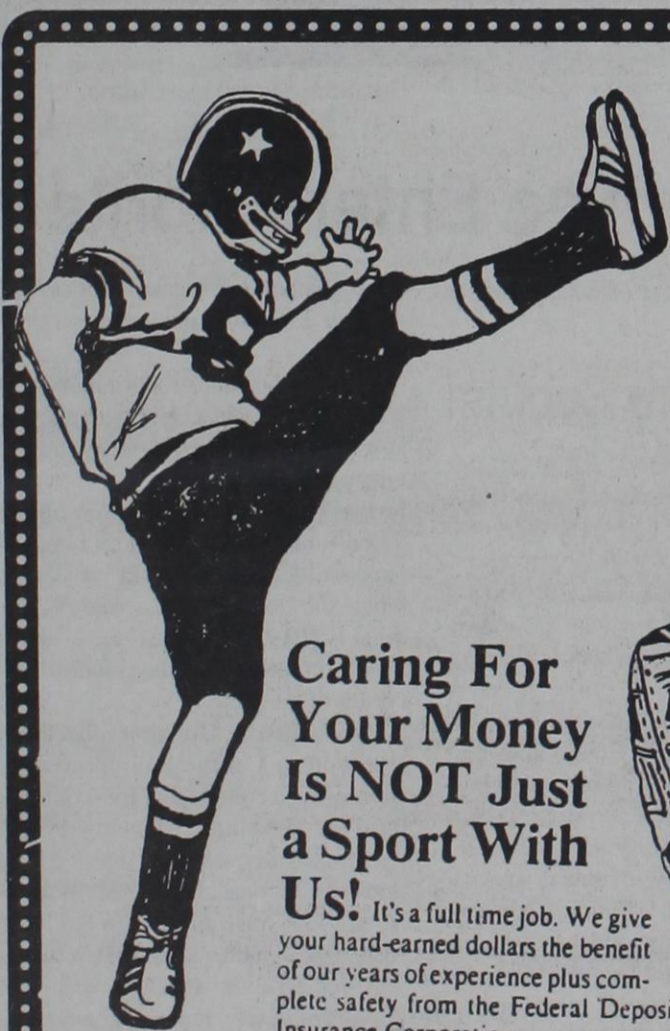


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Michael Hale, Pastor — 725-7556		

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Bob Wallace, Pastor (817) 725-6607		



JAMES & WILMA LAWRENCE
...celebrating fortieth wedding anniversary



MR. & MRS. JAMES LAWRENCE
...married October 2, 1953 in Abilene

James And Wilma Lawrence To Be Honored At Reception

James and Wilma Lawrence will be honored at a reception celebrating their fortieth wedding anniversary. The come-and-go reception will be held on Sunday, October 3, 1993, from 2 to 5 p.m., at the Cross Plains Church of Christ Activity Center, East Highway 36. Everyone is invited to attend. No gifts please.

James Vernon Lawrence was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence on December 20, 1934, in the Dressy Community near Cross Plains. Wilma Ruth Armor was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armor on October 4, 1935, in Oplin, Callahan County, Texas. They met while attending the Dudley Church of Christ. James and Wilma were married on October 2, 1953, in Abilene, Texas at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Musgrave. They lived in Abilene and San Angelo before moving to Cross Plains in 1967. They became partners in his parents business, Lawrence Farm and Ranch Supply, which they continue to own and operate.

The Lawrence's have three children, Bruce, Royce, and Keith. Bruce and his wife, Paula, live near Anton, Texas, and have three children, Paul, Amber, and Lee Roy. Royce and his wife, Melissa, live in the Tecumseh community near Clyde, Texas, and have four children Cody, Kyle, Justin, and Rhett. Keith and his wife, Leslie, live in San Angelo, Texas, and have one daughter, Kayla.

James and Wilma are members of the Cross Plains Church of Christ and are volunteers for the Cross Plains Emergency Medical Service.



LOCAL SCOUTS AND MOMS — Pam and Brandy Hutton attend Girl Scout weekend. Patricia and Ashley Cook (from left) and

Girl Scout "Mom And Me" Held

By definition, a positive role model is a person whose behavior in a specific role is worthy of imitation by others. Placing "positive role models" in leadership positions is what the Heart of Texas Girl Scout Council strives to do with all troops throughout their 19-county jurisdiction. The council takes every opportunity to thank those special volunteers who contribute their time and talents to making Girl Scouting possible for all girls who have the desire to join their organization.

One way that the council has of showing their appreciation is by planning a special weekend at camp for just leaders, assistant leaders, service team members and their daughters. They do not have to bring 20 other little girls; they can just come to camp and have a fun, relaxing weekend with their own daughter(s). The weekend of September 11 found special volunteers and their Girl Scouts at Camp Wood Lake on Lake Brownwood participating in the annual "Mom and Me" event. They enjoyed swimming, crafts, games, hiking, and other programs designed specifically for this event.

"Mom & Me" participants from Cross Plains were Patricia and Ashley Cook and Pam and Brandy Hutton.

A Girl Scout leader is a very important role model for the girls in her troop. As adults, we tend not to recognize the powerful influence we have on children. The Heart of Texas Girl Scout Council

encourages their leaders to be conscious of the activities they provide, their overall appearance and the way they speak and interact with the girls.

The council is always in search of adults to serve in leadership positions -- not necessarily in a troop. There are numerous jobs to do that do not involve direct involvement with girls. Every year, a few girls have to register as individually registered Girl Scouts instead of as a member of a troop because we do not have enough volunteers who are willing to be leaders. If you are interested, please call the Heart of Texas Girls Scout Council at (915)646-1516.

With the use of role models, perhaps more girls will be able to accomplish their goals and become the leading citizens of tomorrow.

Eula dance

There will be a Country & Western Dance to benefit the Eula 4-H & FFA on Saturday, October 2, from 7:30 until 11:30 at the Oplin Community Center. Music will be provided by RockaBilly Sound and DJ's will be Billy Martin & Randy Roberts. Adults \$3.00. Students \$2.00. Concession stand will be open with drinks and snacks.

ABSOLUTELY NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ALLOWED ON THE PREMISES!!!

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

This week our students will receive their first report card for 93-94 school year. Football practice and football games, band practice and half-time performances, athletic booster and band booster meetings, P.T.O. and the volunteer program are progressing very well.

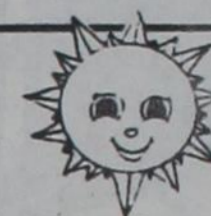
With all due respect to the many individuals involved supporting our school system, I believe there is a group of committed individuals who often are over-looked. They are the men and women who are our school bus drivers.

Men and women who leave their homes in the early morning and arrive at home at any given time of the day, night, or wee a.m. Rain, sleet, snow, cloudy, dry, or hot — each individual with the commitment and responsibility to safely transport our children to and from school as well as all the extra school sponsored activities and events. Men and women who apparently have nerves of steel, lots of patience, and a sense of humor for the situation on hand.

I, for one, would like to publicly thank our children's school bus driver for his commitment and dedication. Thank you, **MR. ALLEN BLAND**, for wiping away the tears, refereeing the arguments, suffering through the disturbances, silenc-

ing the loud, calming the rowdy, and at the same time keeping your eye on the road! A job well-done!

Sincerely,
Vivian Wooten
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By Bob Pipes, preacher
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"Me first!" We're all screamed it before, haven't we? Yes, when there was a game to be played or a treat to be given, we'd holler, "Me first! Me First!" As we grow up we're not so apt to voice our selfishness as we once did — at least we learn to soften our requests somewhat. But I wonder...have we really changed inside all that much? Our old nature whispers, "If you want something you'll have to get in there first." This goes close in hand with the idea of wanting to be the greatest and to be important, letting people know in our own subtle ways just how many good little things we do and how important a people we know — and all the time forgetting the words of Jesus who said: "For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted." And, "Many shall be last that are first, and first that are last." And on another occasion: "Whoever would become great among you shall be your servant; and whoever would be first among you shall be your servant — even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give His life a ransom for many." (Lk. 12:11; Mt. 19:30; 20:26-28)

What a paradox to ordinary thinking, and what a contrast to the scream (whether actually verbal — or more subtle): "Me First! Me First!" Let's try to pattern our lives and actions after the Master's and be last — and then we'll really be "first!"

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Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
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LOOKING FOR THE PROBLEM — Workmen are digging several holes on the high school grounds trying to find out why one of the sewer lines ruptured at school on Friday, September 24.



STUDENTS CURIOUS — Checking out one of the holes dug in the yard of the high school are Hillary Giles, Kelly Wellmaker, and Latrisha Curry.

Roscoe Slips By Buffaloes 20-6

By CHARLES CHESHSHIR

When the Roscoe Plowboys came to town Friday night, their record was 3-0 and confidence was running high. Coming back from a 10 and 0 season last year were 10 seniors and at least 5 juniors with a good balance between speed and size.

The young Buffalo team was not intimidated by these statistics, and with the exception of a bad bounce of the ball on a Roscoe punt, Cross Plains played head to head through the first quarter. The early turn-over deep in Buffalo territory, however, netted the Plowboys their first of 3 touchdowns for the night.

Roscoe's experienced defense was able to shut down the Buffalo offense with three pass interceptions. With good field position Roscoe scored twice more in the second period. Cross Plains completed one successful drive against the stubborn Plowboys scoring with 7 seconds to go in the half.

In the second half Cross Plains's defense shut Roscoe's explosive offense off, holding them scoreless, but our offense simply couldn't conquer both size and experience to overcome the 20-6 deficit of the first half.

Kevin Switzer led the offense with 59 yards rushing on 9 carries and a 25-yard kick-off return. The remaining 110 yards of rushing offense was spread between Jason Fleming, Jimmy Lee, Brock Walker, Rodney Rudloff, and Justin Richey. Donnie Dillard caught 2 passes while Rudloff and Matt Reed each caught one.

On defense, Cross Plains fans enjoyed a maturing team that showed balance on the line and in the secondary. Roscoe coaches stated that the Buffaloes were definitely their toughest foe this year. The team effort was led by Lee, Nickerson, Bushnell, Fleming, Higgins, and Switzer with Mauricio, Barnett, Richey, Reed, Cheshier, Walker, and company all giving an impressive performance.

The Buffaloes completed their pre-district warm-up with a tough opponent and came away healthy and better prepared for District play this Friday, October 1. The Buffs travel to Evant and begin play at 7:30 p.m.

Cross Plains of District 13-A is ready to start district play with a 1-3 record.

Roscoe	7	13	0	0-20
Cross Plains	0	6	0	0-6

SCORING SUMMARY		
	Roscoe	CP
First downs	13	10
Rushing yards	55-171	41-164
Passing yards	84	12
Comp-Att-Int	1-7-0	4-15-3
Punts	5-34	6-36
Fumbles lost	1	1
Penalties-yards	2-20	2-30

There are no football photos this week due to camera problems.

7th Grade Scrimmages Roscoe 6-0

By CAROL ATCHLEY

Traveling to Roscoe from C.P. were 13 7th grade football players to compete in a

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

OCTOBER 4-8

(Subject to Change)

BREAKFAST

MONDAY — Pancake, sausage, grape juice, and milk.

TUESDAY — Cinnamon toast, orange juice, and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Bacon, egg, biscuit, jelly, grape juice, and milk.

THURSDAY — Choice of ready to eat cereal, orange juice, and milk.

FRIDAY — Oatmeal, toast, grape juice, and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY — Chicken nuggets with gravy, creamed potatoes, green peas, rolls, fruit cocktail, and milk.

TUESDAY — Hot dogs with chili, pickle spears, baked beans, white cake squares, and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Pizza, salad, corn, Jello with fruit, and milk.

THURSDAY — Lasagna, green beans, crackers, pineapple slices, and milk.

FRIDAY — Submarine sandwich, lettuce, tomato, and pickles, chips, apple wedge, and milk.

8th Grade Buffs Contain Roscoe 12-8

By CAROL ATCHLEY

The C.P. Junior High Buffaloes defeated Roscoe for their second win (making their record 2-0) on Thursday, September 23, in a game played at Roscoe.

Offensively, the first quarter of the game was the most productive for the younger Buffs. By the end of the quarter, C.P. was ahead 12-0. The first TD came on a pass (a streak!) from Jarad Richards to Joseph Turner. The PAT attempt was unsuccessful, though. The second TD was also a pass (a dump!) to Turner, but again, the PAT failed. According to several of the players, C.P. had "many first downs," and more specifically, Justin Hopkins said, "The offensive line blocked real good" allowing them to move the ball on Roscoe. On the offensive line are: Leif Hunter, Mike McClure, Jeremy Pancake, Nathaniel Swift, Carlton Swift, Benji Blackstock, Joseph Turner, and Benji Switzer. The offensive back field included Hopkins, Fortune, and Nickerson. C.P. fumbled the ball twice during their offensive possessions, losing one, and Hopkins recovering the other.

Roscoe had several fumbles in their offensive drives, and the C.P. defense was quick to recover them. Benji Blackstock recovered 2, Turner had 1, Mike McClure had 1, and Josh Goble recovered one. In two other good defensive moves, John Worsham intercepted a Roscoe pass attempt in the 4th quarter, and Jody Fortune also had an interception, his coming in the first quarter. Fortune was also in on another important defensive play that prevented a Plowboy touchdown when he, as the last man, stopped the Roscoe runner. Fortune, Hopkins, and Worsham were also credited with 3 successful sacks, further hampering the Roscoe offense. According to McClure, the "defensive line stood their ground." The defensive line includes: Nick Graves, Josh Goble, Benji Switzer, McClure, Pancake, Swift, Blackstock, Nickerson, Jeremy Box, and Worsham.

On Thursday, September 30, the Middle School Buffalo teams will be playing at home against Evant, beginning with 7th grade scrimmage (if they play) at 5:30 p.m., followed by the 8th grade game at 6:00 p.m.

WTF LIVESTOCK SHOW RESULTS

By BRITTANY HINYARD

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P.T.O. Teacher Profile

Name: Darlene Webb
 Grade Taught/Subject: 7-12 grade Algebra; 1-4 Geometry; TAAS; Algebra II

Years Taught: 3rd year
 Family History: Raised in San Angelo, Floyd and Norma Butler parents, 1 brother, and 1 sister, have been married to Wayne Webb for 20 year in September '93; 3 children: Bill (17), Tasha (13), and Vanessa (11)

Favorite Color: Peach and Forest green

Favorite Book: "Gone With The Wind"

Favorite Movie: "Pretty Woman"

Educational Background: Graduated San Angelo Central High School, graduate of Howard Payne University with Bachelor or Science in Math

Birthday: 12-12-51

Greatest Pleasure: My family (all of them)

Worst Vice: Alphabetizing my spices! Putting off Housework.

Lump-In-The-Throat-Story: Last spring I taught a Taas review class for the exit test. We worked together and set a goal to PASS the exit test. When the scores came in, I got a lump in my throat and was so proud when my kids came by during the day to tell me they passed. A bond was formed in that class.

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.

BUFFALO BAND NOTES

By LEAH KING

Band Member of the Week is Jenny Potter. She is a member of the clarinet section and is also active in basketball, track, the PAL program, and agriculture. Jenny is the daughter of JoAnn and Benny Gary.

The clarinets were recognized as the "Section of the Week." Band students include Becky Foster, Amanda McGuire, Crystal Carouth, Mandy Bushnell, Latrisha Curry, Donna Besselaar, Melissa Clark, Nathaniel Swift, Connie Stout, and Rickie Jo Potter.

In a recent election the following members were elected band officers:

- Amanda Sowell — President
- Amber Williams — Vice-President
- Amy Strength — Secretary
- Kelly Barclay — Treasurer
- Leah King — Reporter
- Josh Harrell — Senior Representative
- Sheryl Glover — Junior Representative
- Amanda Tomlinson — Sophomore Representative
- Malyssa Sowell — Freshman Representative
- Nathaniel Swift — 8th Grade Representative

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Thursday, September 30

Junior High Football here vs. Evant, 6:00 p.m.

Pep Rally 3:00 p.m.

Friday, October 1

Varsity Football at Evant, 7:30 p.m.

Pep Rally 2:00 p.m.

Early Out 2:26 p.m.

Saturday, October 2

Cross Country Meet — Coleman

Tuesday, October 5

Senior Pictures

YOUNG POETS

By CA

Mrs. Pat Stephens, the Elementary Gifted and Talented teacher at Cross Plains has recently had her G/T students in grades 2nd through 5th writing poetry, which can be quite challenging. They worked together as classes to produce their interesting poetic writings and then each student did a visual illustration of

their poem.

Those participating in the 2nd and third grades were: Mack Taff, Jennifer Young, Emily Winfrey, Ashley Cook, Lacy Romines, Keali Eppard, and Nathan Joy.

Fourth graders included: Shane Sharpe, Erin Stephens, Sarah Nixon, Angela Swift, Shena Thomas, and Greg Black.

Fifth graders were: Charlie Bell, L.D. Whitehead, Mikey Bennett, Roger Carcy, and Ashley Harris.

Cross Country Results

By CAROL ATCHLEY

Cross Plains hosted last week's Cross Country meet at Lakewood Recreation Center between Rising Star and Cross Plains. The course itself is one of the more strenuous courses on which these athletes compete. There were 23 schools entered with over 350 competitors in the different divisions which included Junior High, J.V., and Varsity girls and boys. A school could enter from 5-7 runners as a team, or enter individuals. The top 10 finishers in each race each received a medal.

Schools competing in this meet were Woodson, ACHS, Ballinger, Lucders-Avoca, Early, Goldthwaite, Wylie, Blanket, Stamford, Breckenridge, Jim Ned, Cisco, De Leon, Richland Springs, Eula, Gatesville, Baird, Eastland, Bangs, Coleman, Gorman, May, and Anson.

In the Junior High girls division, Cross Plains took 7th in team totals in the race that had 98 runners. First place went to Anson. Individually, the C.P. runners finished as follows:

- Liz McCarty: 23 — 6:51
- Donna Besselaar: 27 — 26:54
- Amy Hale: 53 — 7:26
- Mindy Mitchell: 56 — 7:30
- JaDeana Nolan: 60 — 7:35
- LeaJean Wyatt: 79 — 8:29

The Junior High boys team trophy was won by Cross Plains in their one-mile race, with 5 of 7 boys earning medals. Their individual results in the 22-person race were:

- Kevin Switzer: 1 — 5:20
- Justin Hopkins: 3 — 5:40
- Nathaniel Swift: 4 — 5:42
- Jay Jackson: 5 — 5:43
- Joseph Turner: 8 — 5:46
- Carlton Thomas: 12 — 5:51
- L.J. Boyd: 15 — 6:27

Cross Plains did not have any entries in the J.V. girls race, but in the J.V. boys division, C.P. finished 3 out of the top four, but were ineligible for the team trophy because there were only 4 runners. Individually, their times and places for the 2-mile run were:

- Justin Richey: 1 — 11:56
- Jason Carey: 2 — 12:30
- Mike Tollett: 4 — 12:46
- John Chesshir: 12 — 16:08

C.P.'s Varsity girls could have possibly been in contention for a team trophy with their strong individual finishes, but C.P. had only 4 girls competing in this race with 99 runners. They finished as follows:

- Angie Phillips: 1 — 12:30
- Connie Steele: 2 — 12:48
- Amanda McGuire: 47 — 14:32
- Jodi Dallas: 59 — 14:49

Next Sunday, October 2, the C.P. runners will be going to Coleman to compete. The week following that, Cross Plains will be hosting their second meet at Lakewood. After that, there will only be 2 more meets before the district competition.

Last week's competition at Lakewood went very smoothly, according to Cross Plains' Cross Country Coach Mac McConal, and he will use this opportunity to thank Lakewood for the use of their facilities and all the volunteers that gave their time and efforts in successfully doing all the necessary jobs in order to have a well-run meet...he wants to see all of you again in two weeks!

Outlaw Of The Jungle

By 4th G/T

Deep in the land of Sindhu
 Lived a beast of power
 Orange with a reddish hue
 And he was no cower
 The outlaw fearless in flight
 Attacks his prey at night
 Weary of his strengths
 As he drifts across great lengths
 He roars louder than the village drums
 Which made up the queen's mind to come

She found him swimming across the ganges
 And decided he needed a life of ease
 Now a pampered kitten stays in the palace
 With not a single callus.

Halloween

By 5th G/T

Three troublesome kids spied on a witch
 Under the trash can lids the bats twitch
 Then a black cat frightened
 The creepy ebony bat
 Next the fierce cougar
 Acted like a wimpy flougar
 Luminous shadows crept
 While black candles slept
 The creepy wolf
 lurks on the roof
 Skeletons fidget endlessly through the night
 Under the flickering light
 Over the horizon the sun appeared
 As the old gloomy house disappeared.

MHMR Held Quarterly Meeting

The Public Responsibility Committee of the Abilene Regional MHMR Center held its quarterly meeting on September 15. Officers for fiscal year 1994 are Norman Bryan - Chairman, Ruby Blascyk - Vice-Chair, Rebecca Leonard - Secretary. Additional members include Don Wright, Dr. Barry Hoefler, Rev. Sam Matta and Rev. Jack Wallace.

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ADDITIONAL ART SHOW WINNERS — Leila Montgomery (back, from left) 5th place - \$5 and Lucille Stone 6th - \$4; Mildred Ford (front, from left) 7th - \$3, Ruth Joy 8th - \$2 and Elsie Porter 9th - \$1.

COLONIAL OAKS NURSING HOME NEWS

By LINDA EDINGTON
ACTIVITY DIRECTOR

Our Art Show proved to be a very difficult one this year for the judges, Marlene Sanders and Marianne Taff. The residents did some mighty fine work on their pictures and the judges commented on how hard it was to choose because they were all so good. Our appreciation to the judges this year.

Jim and Cindy Meyer from Rising Star visited Nettie Roady.
Elma Green from Rising Star visited Estelle Breeding.

Virginia Callaway and Hazel Bigbee from Cottonwood visited with Bertha Wheeler and Ruth Joy.

Lou and Charles Rodenberger and Mabel Halsell and Sue Taylor visited with Carl Halsell.

Mark Hill from Anchorage, Alaska, Brooks and Pat Hill from San Angelo visited with Lillian Smith and Leila Montgomery. Also Dorothy Welch from Fort Worth and Ada Frank from Arlington were Leila's guests.

Peggie Pecchioni from Abilene and Jewel Thompson visited Nettie Clark.

Vernie McMillian visited Minnie Dallas.

Sharon Hooten from Fort Worth Daisy King visited Inez Ingram.

Charlene Metcalf visited Clara Coburn. Alma Lewis from Cisco visited with Nettie Clark and Ruth Joy.

Activities during the week: **Monday** — Bingo winners were: Bertha Wheeler (2), Midge McCall (2), Vera Belyeu, Clara Coburn, Dorothy Thomas, Elsie Porter (2), and Zenovia Strickland. Exercise class.

Tuesday — Art Class, popcorn and dominos.

Wednesday — Sing-a-long with Clyde Linker, Sally Roady, Vernie McMillian, Oliver and Frankie Smith and Ruby McCowen. Exercise class.

Thursday — Linen folding with Rohni, Rachel and R'Evelyn Childers. Dominoes.

Friday — Bingo winners were: Zenovia Strickland, Midge McCall (2), Sylvia Smith, Lucille Stone (2), Estelle Breeding (2), Bertha Wheeler, Ressa Glover, Elsie Porter and Vera Belyeu. Afternoon singing with Sister Ruby and Bobby Jack McCowen.

Sunday — Church service with Cornerstone Methodist.

In the garden where faith grows, prayer plants a flower.

SABANNO BUSY BEE QUILTERS CLUB NEWS

By BEVERLY POPE

On Tuesday, September 21, the "Busy Bees" gathered at the "Hive" for a day of quilting and buzzing. It is always a pleasure to be there. Welcome back to Jenny Townson of Sabanno. Last week in the list of those present at the first meeting, Oddie Dawkins of Sabanno was present at the first meeting — her name was not listed.

We finished the "around the world" quilt and put up a "nine patch" quilt in its place.

Our Queen Bee, Shirley Snodgrass, and Bee helpers, Oddie Dawkins and Inez Shawver, went to Abilene for a fun-filled day of shopping and to the fair on September 15.

Busy Bee Oddie Dawkins had company from Sonora, Texas September 19, Nice and Nick Anderson. They had a real good visit.

Busy Bee Louise Fitzgerald and her husband, Delmer, also had visitors September 19, their daughter Kim and family, Chrys, Jennifer, and Eric and also Jean Anderson Marrs. Then on Monday evening Jennifer fell down some stairs at her church. Her arm was very badly broken and will have surgery to put a pin in it. She is 11 years old.

Busy Bee Inez Shawver had eye surgery on September 23. She is doing very well and has the patch off, seeing things better now.

Thought

Pleasant words are as a honeycomb, sweet to the mind and healing to the body.
Proverbs 16:24

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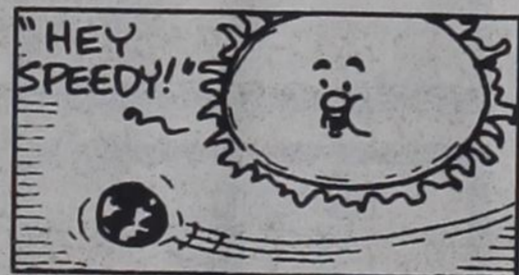
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1 small jar of pimentos
Salt and pepper to taste
Add all with the skeddie, cook slowly until the cheese is completely melted. Stir often so the cheese won't stick. Your kids will love it. Freezes well! Serve with garlic toast and salad. Great left over.



September 20-24

"Anything can happen when you open a book!" (Wonders Forms)

New Books Available: Peterson's Job Opportunities — Business and Liberal Arts Graduates - 1993.

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Memorials: Jack and Kathryn Tunnell for Theola Neeb and Jim Dennis; Jackye Childress.

New Library Cards: Ann Marie Stephenson, Charlotte Biggs, and Hailey Biggs.

Circulation: 132
October 1 — Library Bake Sale - 8:30 a.m.

October 1-2 — Library Rummage Sale - Highway 36 West.

Save Hot Water Cost Without Switching To Cold Showers

AUSTIN, TX — September 27 — A water heater fueled by propane could save the average Texas family nearly \$200 a year compared to the cost of heating water electrically, while at the same time benefiting the environment and creating jobs in Texas.

That's the message of the Railroad Commission's new newspaper and radio advertising campaign that kicks off statewide this week. The campaign is part of the Commission's legislative mandate to educate Texans about propane's benefits as an environmentally beneficial alternative fuel.

Commission studies show the initial expense of installing a propane-fueled water heater is no higher than other types, but the return on investment is much faster. According to Chairman James E. (Jim) Nugent, fuel-cost savings recoup the initial purchase price in about two years. "That's about a 50 percent annual return on investment," Nugent said, "which is considerably more than you get at the bank." Assuming typical delivered costs of 82 cents per gallon for propane, savings over the ten-year life of the water heater could total more than \$2,000, Nugent added.

A major reason for propane's economy is its efficiency compared to other methods of energy production. More than two-thirds of the energy generated by oil- or coal-burning electric utility companies literally goes up in smoke, and is therefore lost at the source. Propane, a clean-burning primary fuel, is nearly 2 1/2 times as efficient, delivering 87 percent of its energy percent of its energy directly to the burner tip.

Propane is widely distributed and readily available throughout. "More than a third of the nation's propane comes from Texas," noted Commissioner Mary Scott Nabers. "Texas has a state-wide propane production and distribution network in place, and the more people take advantage of propane as a domestic and commercial heating fuel, the more jobs that network creates." Nabers added that a new market worth \$65 million a year to the Texas economy

would arise if the 60 to 70 percent of all propane-heated Texas households that heat water electrically switched over to propane.

Propane technology has also become efficient in recent years. Today's propane water heater uses one third less fuel than heaters manufactured as recently as five years ago, which contributes to the fuel's economy. Advanced burner design, energy-saving temperature controls and better insulation make the most of every gallon of fuel.

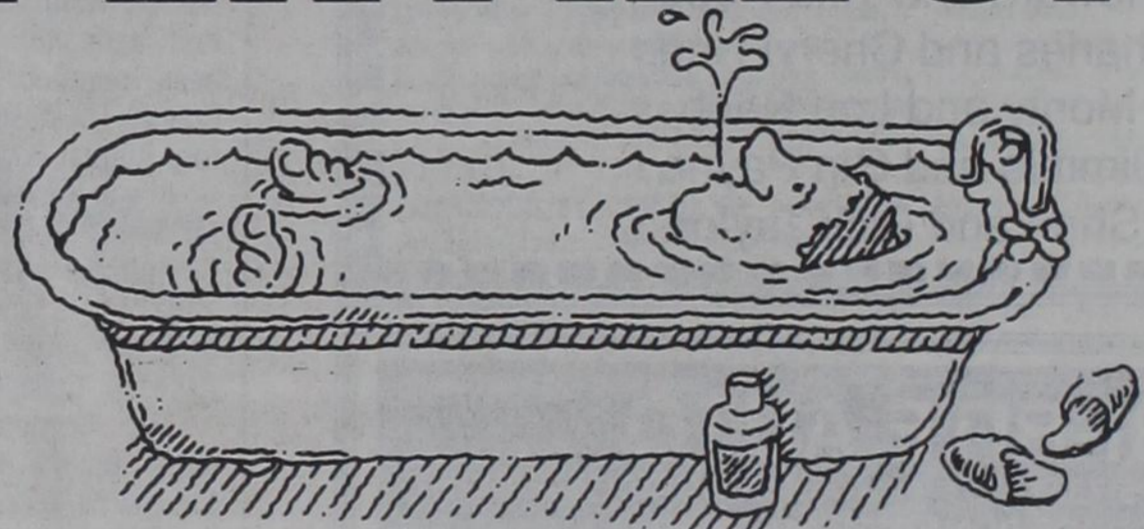
Texas' environment also benefits from using propane to heat water, according to Commissioner Barry Williamson. "Air pollution concerns all Texans, in both urban and rural areas," Williamson said. "Gallon for gallon," Williamson added, "it takes nearly three times as much fuel, generating nearly three times as much ozone-depleting greenhouse gas, to heat water electrically as it does to heat it directly with propane."

Quick recovery is a primary benefit of propane water heaters. Anyone who has ever run out of hot water in the middle of a shower, especially in cold weather, will appreciate the prospect of having plenty of hot water on tap. In a comparison of the first-hour recovery rates of typical 40-gallon water heaters, the propane model provided nearly twice as much hot water over the same period of time as a comparable electric model.

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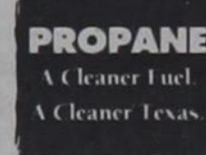
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With love,
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Kathy Purvis family
James Payne family
Melissa Strickland
Jerry Payne family

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The family of W.E. "Bill" Long wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the churches that had special prayers. It helped us tremendously. A special thanks for the visits, support of prayers, food, flowers, cards, phone calls and service rendered from: Dr. Butka, Dr. Russell, Brownwood Regional I.C.U. and E.R. Staff, Pink Ladies, Allen Bland, Bud Stephens, Bob Pipes, Bob Harrell, James Eubanks, Mack and Faye McIntyre, Sharon Ford, Downtown Bible Class, Cross Plains Church of Christ, Church Choir, Residents and Staff of Brownwood Manor. Thank you for being there for us and sharing our sorrow.

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ROWDEN NEWS

By MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Rain clouds are moving over this area of Rowden Community Saturday morning. We are hoping for a good rain. James and Dorothy Reynolds Attended the 30th anniversary of the Cherry Heights Baptist Church in Clyde.

Those visiting in the Robert Watson home this weekend were Brad and Michael Watson of Arlington and Kile Watson and friend Tammie Culepper of Pflugerville.

Visitors of Gene and Vernie Belle Mauldin were Kenneth and Cristal Mauldin of Stephenville and Mrs. and Mrs. Joe Marshall of Abilene. Vernie Belle has done some quilting for Mrs. Marshall.

Mrs. Ruth Lawrence of Abilene like quilts and after seeing one that Dorothy Watson had pieced and quilted, she entered the applique design in the West Texas Fair and Dorothy placed second. Congratulations Dorothy.

Ivon Odom had dinner with his mother, Joyce Odom, Sunday.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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Bonnie Davis
Gaylon Harris
C. C. Westerman
Mrs. Levi Bennett
Marvin C. Rich
Mrs. Bob Letson
Sharon Jackson
Vern Webb
Jared Harris
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Kala Sue Bright
Mrs. Julie Thompson
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OCTOBER 2
Claud Champion
Mrs. Bill Brown
Vickie Donham
Eula Rhodes
Genie Johnson
Richard Taylor

OCTOBER 3
David Edward Pancake
Hadden Payne
Sharon Jan White
Mrs. D. W. Havener
Max Howell
Erna Havener
Tommy Tunnell
Kelly Hedrick
Bee Gee Johnston
Edwin Brazell

OCTOBER 4
Eric Tyler
Nicky Barron
Pam Strength
Dennis Beeler
Willie Blanton
Debra (Brown) Clark
Mrs. B. A. Luttrell
Joe Vance Fleming
Geneva Woody
Jarrah Paige Hutchins
Billy Stroope
Mrs. Eunice Starr
Mrs. H. W. Gossett
Ethel Moon
Michelle Cox

OCTOBER 5
Eric Womack
Tommie Harris
Jesse Bigbee
Lon Duncan
G. A. Gossett, Jr.
J. R. Duncan
Sam Balkum
Brian Lee Hayes
Eric Johnson
Tancred Flippin
Mrs. James Lawrence

OCTOBER 6
Kay Reed
Mrs. Mac Coppinger
Madenia (Stansbury) Palmore
Mrs. L. L. Hill
Pamela Thetford
Amber Dawn Wilson
Mrs. Harold Wise
Eugene Bates
Paula Kay (Hanke) Cole
Skeet Walker

MINUTE MUSINGS

By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

This Monday morning is identical to the weather one week ago. Not a leaf stirring. The sun is shining and I'm going to believe it is going to be a beautiful Monday.

I have an appointment with some lawn mowers, however, the grass is too wet at this hour—I'm sure the mowing will have to be delayed for quite some time.

Services at First Baptist were interesting and inspiring. Bill Swinney (he's new to me) led the song service and sang a solo. We appreciated his assistance. The pastor's message was inspiring.

Bob Roady answered at their home this morning. He said they were all well. They didn't have any special news. They were at church services on Sunday morning.

My good neighbor, Mrs. Jewel Foster, was not in Sunday School class on Sunday. I'm sure she is okay—she spends much time with her children, as they live close.

I talked to Mrs. Dale Gary this morning. She didn't have any special news, but I always enjoy my chats with her.

David Beggs of Morton Valley; Floyd Russell of Fort Worth; Fern Campbell of Phoenix, Arizona; and Mrs. Barton of the community, all visited in the home of J. T. and Betty Beggs.

OCTOBER 7
Esther (Lee) McCoy
Burlie W. Taylor
Albert Lee, Jr.
Eddie Bell
Mary Jo Davis
Sandra Sanders
Ricky Kirkham
Wanda Jean Boyle
Jan (Strickland) Baker
Mrs. Roy Arrowood
Pat McGough
Mrs. Ledford Joe Smith
Jan Wagner

Eldon Connel
Lee Ann Dominguez
Oran Bains
Mrs. Truman Foster
Wendall Johnson
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NEWS FOR VETERANS

Word has just been received regarding a new program designed to assist members of the Armed Forces who are adversely affected or given incentives to leave the military services due to the down-sizing of our military.

Implementation date for the State of Texas is September 1, 1993.

This program is called the Service Members Occupational Conversion and Training Act 1992 (SMOCTA).

Veteran Eligibility---To be eligible for participation under SMOCTA, a Veteran must have:

(a) been discharged under other than dishonorable conditions on or after August 2, 1990 and (1) served in the active military service for a period of more than 90 days with duty in Desert Storm noted on Form DD-214 OR

(2) been discharged or released from active duty because of a service-connected disability.

For the purposes of SMOCTA, the Veteran must also meet one of the following requirements.

(a) separated from the active military service and whose primary or secondary military occupational code in the Armed Forces is (as determined under regulations prescribed by the Secretary and in effect before the date of such separation) not readily transferable to the civilian workforce; OR

(b) served in the active military service and is entitled to compensation (or who but for the receipt of military retirement pay would be entitled to compensation) under the laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs for a Disability rating of 30 percent or more; OR

(c) been unemployed at the time of applying for participation in the program and unemployed for at least 8 of the 15 weeks immediately preceding the date of such eligible person's application for participation in a SMOCTA program. An eligible person shall be considered to be unemployed during any period such person is without a job and wants and is available for work. In determining whether a person is unemployed, V A shall not take into consideration part-time (a job that

required the veteran to work less than the full standard workweek at his or her place of employment) or temporary employment (a job that was expected to last less than six months).

Are you confused yet????? For guidance, assistance, or any questions on the SMOCTA program, contact a Veteran Employment Representative at Texas Employment Commission (915-672-4361).

Employers are entitled to reimbursement for up to \$12,000 depending on the type of Veteran trained. The training cannot be less than 6 months or more than 18 months in length. Job Service Veterans Employment Representatives can assist the employer to see which occupational job titles fall into this criteria.

This sounds like a WIN-WIN situation for both the Veteran and the employer. Both parties are urged to contact the Texas Employment Commission (915-672-4361) and request further information from a Veteran Employment Representative.

PERSONALS

Melvin and Jeannie Carter of Mississippi spent two days last week with her sister, Mrs. Kathryn Morris, Lee and Mary.

Myrtle Wilson traveled to Roswell, New Mexico to attend the funeral services of her daughter, Joyce Bell Anderson. She also visited her son, James Wilson, Jr. in the hospital at Los Vegas, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Watson of Houston visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and Aunt Pearl over the weekend. The family members visited Mr. and Mrs. Phelix Watson in Abilene.

THE PIONEER PATCHWORK

By IRMA MILLER

The quilts finished the Lone Star and put into the frames a Variation of Royal Cross. They also put up an applique quilt for the Rehab.

On Monday night the WMU women of the Pioneer Baptist Church went to Eastland and met at the Bethal Baptist Church. At the meeting they were introduced to many desserts and were allowed to eat them. They received recipes for many desserts. The meeting sure was filling, (the desserts, mean.)

On Tuesday night Frankie and Oliver Smith visited in the home of Raymond and Mary Parrish and played cards with them. They visited in Ranger on Wednesday and had lunch with her sisters again and with a friend, Mary Botts. They snatched some time for a game of miniature golf after eating. On Thursday they went to Temple, and Oliver got a good report from his doctors. They had supper that night with James and Shirley Blue at Newburg. Friday evening they, accompanied by Jean Fore, went to the Rising Star musical. Saturday, the three went to Ranger to visit Frankie's daddy, then to Echo to the musical on Saturday night.

Novilia Barton went with Betty Beggs to the art show in Comanche on Sunday. There were arts and crafts on display. Laverne Hutton was with them.

On Monday, John and Irma Miller attended the funeral in Cisco of Lou Foster, who had family connections with some of the Millers' fellow church member.

On Sunday night, the Hutton family had a meal together at the home of Danny and Patricia. Twenty-five family members were present, and a lot of visiting went on.



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