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Support Our

Local Economy

– Shop At Home

By VANDA KING Editor

Recently I have been approached by a businesswoman in regard to the desperate need for residents to shop at home.

She noted the fact that if we buy everything in another city we are helping that community thrive while our home town suffers.

After thinking through her observations, it made perfect sense. If we don't support local businesses they will cease to exist. Evidence of that dilema can be seen on our Main Street. Over the years the number of stores have become fewer and fewer.

Maybe we all take for granted the convenience of our little town having a variety of shops to meet most needs. It wouldn't be too handy to run out of town every time we needed a gift for a birthday party, a part for a vehicle,

We are very fortunate to have the businesses, as some small towns do not have a variety store or clothing shop. Cross Plains provides a clothing store, boot, belt, and hat shop, hardware and furniture, household and toy store, gift and fountain shop, pharmacy, flower shop, auto part store, dance and gym facility, VCR rental, clothing and business service, insurance office, banking service, feed stores, mechanics, welders, grocery businesses, restaurants, service stations, and many more.

There are several convenient stores in the communities surrounding Cross Plains which provide additional supplies and gasoline for residents.

It is quite an impressive list of services locally available. Sometimes we don't see what is right before us until we take inventory.

Another plus, is the personalized attention you receive from each merchant when you patronize their business. You simply walk in and announce what you seek and they instantly help you with your purchase. You know how many times you can't even find a clerk in the large stores.

You also are greeted as an appreciated customer rather than someone who is just taking up space. If you purchase a gift, it is automatically wrapped for the particular occasion. If you only want to pay on a shower gift that convenience is available.

After all, the taxes paid on items return to our city in revenue benefits which keep our town looking prosperous.

Let's all help keep the doors open to our businesses by trading locally and helping our own community grow.

Postal Employee Honored

The U.S. Post Office at Cross Plains received notice of the passing of Fletcher Accord, assistant to the

Postmaster General, on Monday.

The United States flag will remain at half mast until Friday in Accord's

Girl Scout Cookies Are Coming Soon

Local Girl Scouts are gearing up for the annual Cookie Sale scheduled to get under way January 15. After school on that Friday, the girls will be going door-to-door taking orders to be delivered in mid-February.

Terry Nixon, Service Unit Cookie Chairman, reminds all parents of Girl Scouts that the permission forms the girls are bringing home this week MIIST be signed and returned to the

Troop Leaders before the girls can participate in the sale.

If a Scout is unable to attend her troop meeting next week, the parent is responsible for getting the form to the Leader prior to the Friday kick-off.

The girls are looking forward to the best sale yet as the order taking period will extend over three weekends this year.

Childress, Jennings Win Regional Show

Central Texas Regional Pecan Show was held in Stephenville on December 8 with 343 entries.

The pecans were processed and judged and are now on display at the Post Oak Mall in College Station.

Dan Childress placed 1st on Caddo

entry, pound 58.92 — kernel 56.67. VS State AVG 2.68.

Lorene Jennings placed 1st on Mohawks entry, 28.55 pounds, 56.65 kernel, VS State AVG 1.70.

They will be judged at the State Show in July at El Paso.

A Christmas Fantasy Comes To Life

Mr. and Mrs. John Sharpe and son Shane had one of the best Christmases ever. On December 24, a trip was made to San Antonio. They enjoyed their stay at the Hilton Palacio Del Rio with a room overlooking the famous

That evening they took a ride on a riverboat, taking in all the beautiful lights decorating every tree on the Riverwalk.

On Christmas Day, Santa found where Shane was staying.

JAMES L. (MACK) WEST SR.

... candidate for sheriff

Mack West

Sheriff Post

James L. (Mack) West, Sr., has an-

nounced his candidacy for Callahan

County Sheriff in the Democratic

West served as chief deputy of

Callahan County Sheriff's Department

for a period of 61/2 years. He has been

a peace officer for a total of 22 years.

Western Texas Jr. College where he

studied law enforcement and police

science. He has attended numerous

schools sponsored by the Texas

Department of Public Safety and the

law enforcement and an instructors

West holds an advance certificate in

Federal Bureau of Investigation.

certificate.

He attended Odessa Jr. College and

Primary on March 8, 1988.

Seeks

The Sharpes then joined Mr. and

Mrs. Mike Clark and family for Christmas Day. Mrs. Clark had food set out buffet style for everyone to enjoy all day. Later in the evening the Clarks drove the Sharpes to a subdivision called Windcrest.

It is located in Northeast San Antonio. Nearly every home was decorated for the holidays. One street won first prize for the best decorated block.

Every home on that block was decorated. There were several themes that each home carried out.

The Sharpes said this was a fantasy come to life. It was like a winter wonderland that you see on T.V. or in a movie.

To see it is to believe it. The Sharpes said if they had it to do over, it would be another trip to the Riverwalk in San Antonio for the holidays.

EMS Calls For December

The Cross Plains EMS made the following transports during the month of December:

12-7 — Elmer Hamby — Brownwood — illness

12-11 — Lillian Parson — Humana heart 12-12 — Ernest Cortez — Hendrick —

head injury
12-14 — W.M. Stansbury — Humana
— illness

12-14 — Mr. Cornet — Hendrick auto accident 12-15 — Elmer Peevy — Humana —

12-16 — Albert Lee — Humana — ruptured hernia 12-17 — H.H. McDermett —

Brownwood — illness 12-19 — Lois Crist — Hendrick heart

12-19 — Marie Dillard — Hendrick — abdominal illness 12-20 — C.G. Lawson — D.O.S. —

The workers of the EMS are willing to help the community when necessary. However, they are in desperate need of additional workers. The ambulance service has been such a good asset to the community and they want to continue. If anyone can and will volunteer their time to help, please call Billie Norton at 725-7467.

Update On County Office Filings County Tax Collector

Eugene Kitchens

Roy H. LaFoy

January 4 was the final day to file for candidacy in the Democratic Primary in March 8, 1988. At press time Charles Walker, Callahan County democratic chairman, reported the following candidates:

following candidates:

County Attorney

Brad L. Harris

Robert E. McCool

County Sheriff

Bill W. Skinner

James L. (Mack) West, Sr.

Precinct 3 (Baird) Commissioner

James "Sonny" Collins

Tommy Holland

Gary Frank

EMS Donations For December

The EMS received the following donations for the month of December, 1987:

\$20, The Dub Meador family in memory of W.C. "Dub" Arledge; \$25, Joe and Pauniece Oglesby in memory of Leo Jones, Sr.; \$25, Dick Thrasher in memory of Claude G. Lawson; \$15, James and Wilma Lawrence in memory of Claude G. Lawson; \$10, Richard and Jeanell Purvis in memory of Claude G. Lawson;

\$30, Glenn and Peggy Winfrey in memory of Claude G. Lawson; \$800, Cotula Oil and Gas; \$20, Roy Tatom in memory of Leta Tatom; \$25, Noah and Bobbie Johnson; and \$100, Margaret McNeel.

The workers of the EMS appreciate very much all of the donations they received throughout the year. Without them, they probably would not be able to keep the ambulance going.

The EMS wishes everyone a safe, healthy, prosperous Happy New Year. The Cross Plains EMS is in

desperate need of more workers. If you would be willing to donate your time and effort, please call Billie Norton — 725-7467.

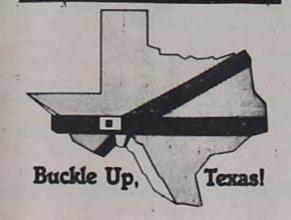
Recent Donations To Fire Department

Alvin Hutchins, Secretary-Treasurer of the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department, wishes to express his sincere thanks and appreciation to the following for their recent generous donations to the department:

\$50 — Clyde Petroleum; \$50 — Ames Inc.; \$50 — Nettie Roady; \$100 — Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Stover; \$35 — Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson; \$50 — Anonymous;

\$50 — Mr. and Mrs. R.E. King; \$40 — Mr. and Mrs. Troy Tomlinson; \$100 — Dr. C.A. Rodenberger; \$100 — Mrs. Margaret McNeel; \$50 — Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Meiron;

\$50 — Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Carey; \$100 — J.C. and Fannie Bowden in memory of Alton Hornsby; \$100 — Mr. and Mrs. M.W. Smith in memory of Jonathan Smith and Dub Arledge; \$25 — Mr. and Mrs. Noah Johnson; \$250 — MCG Enterprise - Mary Gibson; and \$100 — Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Winfrey.



College Hotline Assists Students And Parents

Wauneta Estes

to file for office.

College-bound students and their parents are faced with many decisions in selecting the "right" college and meeting college costs. Without accurate and timely information, the process can be both confusing and frustrating. The Texas Association of College Admission Counselors (TACAC) and First City National Bank of Houston will provide a toll-free telephone HOTLINE in January to assist Texas students and their parents.

Precinct 1 (Clyde) Commissioner

On Saturday, January 9 and Sunday, January 10, the **HOTLINE** will be in operation from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. The special toll-free number established to serve callers: 1-800-253-8989.

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Teams of college admission direc-

tors and high school guidance counselors will be answering the eight (8) phone lines. Financial aid officers from Texas collegiate institutions will round out the staff of "experts". Nearly eight hundred calls were

Candidates had until 6 p.m. Monday

answered last year on topics such as entrance requirements, ACT/SAT testing, college costs and scholarships.

With over 3,000 higher education

institutions to choose from and over \$14 million in financial aid available, selecting the 'right' one is truly a challenge. The goal of the 1988 HOTLINE project is to provide immediate answers to all the people of Texas who have questions about college.

Rural Hero Search Is On

The seach is under way for the rural hero for 1987, according to Ben Bullard of Waco, president of the Texas Farm & Ranch Safety Council which presents the annual rural heroism award.

The 1987 recipient will be announced March 7, 1988, at the 49th annual Texas/Southwestern Safety Conference and Exposition to be held at the Marriott Hotel in San Antonio. Deadline for submitting 1987 entries will be February 15, 1988, Bullard said. Send all nominations to Texas Farm & Ranch Safety Council, Box 2689, Waco, Texas 76702-2689.

To qualify for the honor, a candidate must have performed a heroic act of human-lifesaving within Texas during 1987. Preferably, it should be related to farming and ranching, Bullard noted.

The 1987 winner, Arzo Burnim, junior high coach at Teague, rescued Russell Keaton, 13, also of Teague, from a rain-swollen storm drain at the edge of this small Central Texas town. Mr. Burnim received his award at Houston on March 24, 1987. The 1985 and 1984 winners also received the prestigious Carnegie Medal.

Nominations should include a written account of the incident and the names, addresses and telephone numbers of all persons involved. Newspaper clippings and photos should also accompany when available, Bullard said. Bullard is associate director for safety and health for the Texas Farm Bureau.

Annual Rainfall For Cottonwood

Dayton McInnis of Cottonwood called in his recordings of rainfall for the year of 1987. He stated that the average was around 30 to 35 inches, so the 35.90 inches received was a good year.

Measurements for each month were:

January 1.00 inch 5.30 inches February 1.00 inch March 1.00 inch April 9.15 inches May 5.65 inches June 1.05 inch July 2.15 inches August 3.15 inches September October 1.55 inch 1.90 inch November December 3.00 inches

35.90 inches total.

Some Reminders On Winter Care For Pets

Winter is here over a great part of the country and so are the winter health hazards, so here are a few reminders from the Humane Society of the United States that can help you and your pets enjoy the season with minimal risk.

Salt and other chemicals used to melt ice or to give humans traction can irritate and burn a dog's feet. Some dogs will gladly walk in plastic booties, others would rather burn. So if your dog won't be bottied, be sure to check its feet after every walk and wash the pads carefully.

Chemicals can also burn the pet's mouth and throat, so make sure you get there first before the pet licks itself clean.

The Humane Society also warns that cats left outside will often rush to the comfort of an automobile that is being warmed up after an icy night. Before starting off, it's a good idea to get out and give the auto a solid bang to alert and scare off any animal seeking this temporary shelter.

No dog or cat should be lett out in severe weather — frostbite and freezing are very real possibilities. But if the pet is accustomed to winter nights, make sure it has adequate shelter in the form of a draft-free and watertight house.

Because the dog will be warming its winter home with its own body heat, the structure is best kept small — no more than 12 inches long or three inches higher than the dog's body. The floor should be raised off the ground several inches and covered with material such as cedar shavings, straw, or even shredded newspapers. These must be checked thoroughly for any parasites that might also appreciate the warm environment they provide, and should be changed as often as required.

Finally, there is always good reason to remember the fatal attraction of antifreeze. Its sweet but fatal taste attracts both dogs and cats, and even a small amount can be a serious health

hazard

The United half mast u memory.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT Mack Kniffen, presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Mark Anthony Wheeler, DWI. James Ward Stork, DWI. Elvin Ray Sharp, DWI. Elvin Ray Sharp, carrying a prohibited

weapon. Randall Nathan Bird, DWI.

Randall Nathan Bird, possession of marijuana.

Donna Lynn Bird, possession of marijuana.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

William Raymond Bravenec, Abilene, and Bennie Katherine Billings, Abilene Gregory Kent Lewis, Rt. 3, Clyde, and Susan Elaine Proctor, Abilene.

Roy Don Williams, Rt. 4, Clyde, and Maria Keanette Williams, Rt. 4, Clyde. Chester Lee Morris, Rt. 1, Coleman, and Joy Laverne Stanford, Rt. 3, Clyde. Robert Ray Simons, Cross Plains, and Kimberlie Dawn Gregory, Cross Plains.

NEW VEHICLES

Steve T. Miller, Rt. 6, Abilene, Chev.

Roy Harris, Benbrook, Pont. 4 dr. Ken L. Horan, Cross Plains, Pont. 2 dr. Robin Ross Purcell, Anson, Chev. PU. August P. Schkade, Rt. 1, Albany, Chev. PU.

A.L. Hunter, Gorman, Pont. 2 dr. Amber's Store, Inc., Abilene, Chev. Sub.

Fadi A. Nammour, Abilene, Chev.

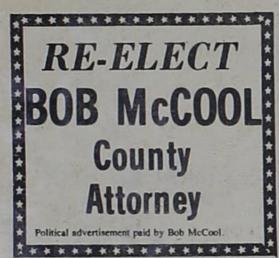
Elbert M. Ezzell, Abilene, Chev. van. Robert H. Enbanks J., Abilene, Chev. Sub.

Thomas D. Santry, Alpine, Ford 4 dr. Jimmy D. Wilson, Rt. 1, Cross Plains, Ford PU.

> **42nd DISTRICT COURT** Don Lane, presiding

> > Civil Filings

Kimberly Jean Fernandez and Larry Dean Fernandez and in interest of



unborn child, suit for divorce.

State of Texas vs. Leslie Wayne Pugh, suit for child support.

Tonya D. Orebo vs. Lynn McCormack Mann, suit for damages.

HTH Trucking, Inc., vs. Welltex Energy Corp., et al, suit on liens. Kathy Lee Stout and Aubrey Lynn

Stout, suit for divorce. Barbara Ann Stewart and Jimmy Dean Stewart and in interest of minor

children, suit for divorce.

Allstate Petroleum Operations, Inc., vs. Harbison-Fisher Mfg. Co. & All Star Pump & Supply, suit on warranty.

Civil Minutes

Floyd L. Teague and Lisia Gail Teague and in interest of minor children, decree of divorce and order terminating parental rights.

Circle W Well Service, Inc., vs. AFE Oil & Gas Consultants and Sanford Dvorin, judgment of \$9,836.69 plus interest and attorney fees.

In Re: J.E. Burk, deceased, judgment and order directing sale of property not susceptible to partition in kind.

Teena Energy, Inc., et al, vs. Michael D. Brown, judgment on application for bill of review (granted).

Harold Wade King and Sabrina Gay King and in interest of minor child, decree of divorce.

Diana Lynn Hallmark and Alton Lee Hallmark, decree of divorce re-entered to correct clerical error.

Randy Vernon vs. The Travelers Indemnity Co. of Rhode Island, award of Industrial Accident Board set aside, judgment of \$40,500, another case dismissed.

Felony Criminal Minutes

Bruce Ian Williams, plea of guilty to theft from a corpse, 10 year prison sentence, plea of guilty to forgery by passing, 5 year prison sentence (concurrent).

Taylor Elrage, plea of guilty to burglary of a building, \$500 fine, 3 years' probation.

People believe if a spider swings down in front of you, you will hear

If you think you're having a heart attack, think out loud.

to get you to a hospital emer-

Chest discomfort that lasts longer than two minutes is nothing to fool around with. Play it safe and ask someone

gency room - immediately.

Holiday visitors in the home of Lillie McMillan were her granddaughters, Cindy, Marcie, and Susan McMillan of Arlington and granddaughter, Annelle (McMillan) Miller, and children, Darrel, Jason, and Tona

of Newberg, Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Alford of May and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lee of Cross Plains also came by

Mack West Running For Sheriff

former Hazel McIntire of Kennewick. Washington. Mack and Hazel have been married for 34 years and have 3 sons, 2 daughters, and 9 grandchildren.

CROSS PLAINS

LIBRARY

NOTES

"It is a tie between men to have read

Memorials: For Claude Lawson:

Elmer Hamby, 77, died Wednesday

Graveside services were held at 9

a.m. Thursday at the Cross Plains

Cemetery with Michael Ingram of-

ficiating and directed by Higgin-

He was a ranch hand and a member

of the Pentecostal Church. He was the

Survivors include three daughters,

Marie Robertson of Big Spring,

Lucille Wright of Comanche, and Jean

Strength of Cross Plains; one sister,

Edith Dillard of Cross Plains; nine

grandchildren; and six great-

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M.F.

Dill this past week were Mr. and Mrs.

Skeet Walker, Mr. and Mrs. L.A.

Richardson, Jay Kirkham, Ora

Breeding, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Butler of Alice

spent Christmas here with his mother,

widower of Olie Lofton Hamby.

J.I. Crawley, Dr. and Mrs. J.O.

LAP: January 6, 10 a.m.

the same book." Emerson

December 28 — 30

Circulation: 128

Children's: 31

Paperback: 44

Hardback: 56

Extension: 28

Elmer Hamby

at the local nursing home.

botham Funeral Home.

grandchildren.

Thompson.

Mrs. Carl Marsh.

Williams.

Non-fiction: 15

Inter-Library Loan: 2

Make 1988 a year of reading.

Mack has ties to Callahan County around the Dudley community where his great-grandfather and grandmother resided until their death. Mack and Hazel have been residents of Callahan County for the past 7 years, 61/2 of which he was the chief deputy of Callahan County Sheriff's Department.

James L. (Mack) West, Sr., has been a peace officer for 22 years. He served in the U.S. Army for which he received a honorable discharge. He attended Odessa Jr. College and Western Texas Jr. College where he studied law enforcement and police science. Mack has attended numerous schools sponsored by the Texas Department of Public Safety and by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He holds an advance certificate in law enforcement and an instructors certificate. Mack has attended a course in primary care and transporation of the sick and injured as well as one in explosive sabotage ordinance conducted by the U.S. Army.

James L. (Mack) West, Sr., is a member of the Baptist Church and the Masonic Lodge.

Mack states, "I believe the Sheriff should be available to the citizens at all times and the law should be enforced equally to all people, young and old. Training is another item that should be considered for the deputies as well as the Sheriff to keep up with changing times.

"I am not an experienced politican but a working man, I am submitting my application to you the people of Callahan County to be your next Sheriff. I would appreciate your support and vote in the upcoming Democratic Primary. If elected I will strive to do the best job possible for you, the citizens of Callahan County." Pol. Ad. pd. by James L. (Mack) West Sr., Rt. 1 Box 113,

Meeting Set For Pentecostal Church

The Pentecostal Church at Pioneer will be holding a meeting on Friday, January 15.

Gerald Green of Brownwood will be the guest speaker. Everyone is invited to attend.

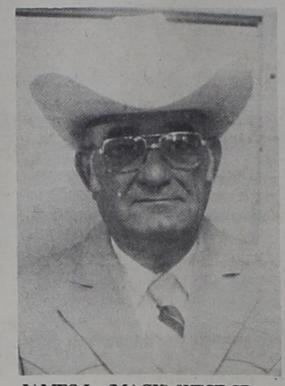
Colonial Oaks Services By Cottonwood Baptist

Church services will be held by the Cottonwood Baptist Church Sunday, January 10, at Colonial Oaks Nursing

Worship will begin at 3:30 p.m.

James L. (Mack) West, Sr., former Chief Deputy Sheriff of Callahan County, has announced that he is a candidate for the position of Callahan County Sheriff. The Democratic Primary will be March 8, 1988.

Mack was raised in Runnels County and attended school at Ballinger and Paint Rock. He is married to the



JAMES L. (MACK) WEST SR. ...seeking election as sheriff



Since when is it a crime to turn 18?

Of course turning 18 isn ta crime at all. However, turning 18 without registering with Selective Service is.

That is why we need your help. We need parents to tell their, sons to register with Selective Service within a month of turnin 18. And we need teachers, friends, employers and others who can influence these young men in reinforce the message. Why? Because, for one trason, it is the bia. But in addition to risking prosecution by not registering, who son or young from it disqualifying himself from eligibility for federal student loam federal employment and keb training programs.

America's future security depends upon tuday a young men registering with Selective Service on time. Even young man must register within 30 days of his 18th batthards to completing a simple form at any post office. You can help. Ask a young man you know if he is registered.

Selective Service Registration. It's Quick. It's Easy. And it's the Law.

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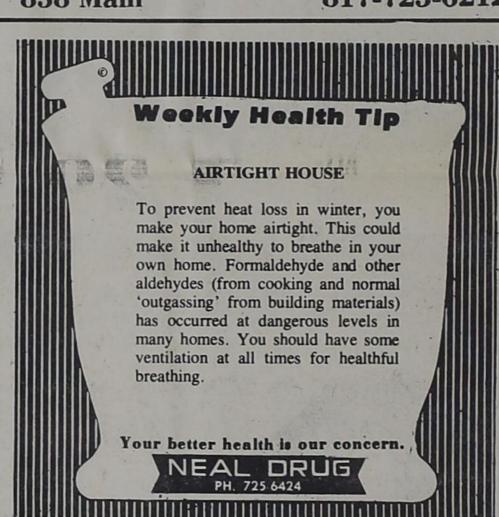
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Old Time Gospel Mission East 8th Street Sunday Evening...... 6:00 p.m. Michael Ingram, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 10th & Main Cross Plains (817) 725-7629 Church Training...... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service...... 7:15 p.m. Michael Hale, Pastor-725-7556 Marvin Saunders, M/Y Dir.-725-7550

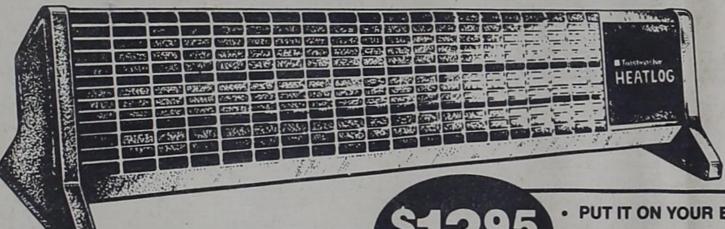
FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Cross Plains, Texas North Main at George Scott 9:45 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship 7:00 p.m. **Evening Worship** 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice Wednesdays 6:30 p.m. Youth Meet Wednesdays 2:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study First & Third Mondays Reverend Jasper Cook, Pastor 725-7377

COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH "WHERE JESUS IS LORD" SERVICES: Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Training Union & Youth Choir 6:00 P.M. Sunday Choir Practice.......6:00 p.m. Chas Payne, Music and Youth Director, Knox Waggoner, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST Located at 725-4117 CROSS PLAINS 12th & Main COME WORSHIP WITH US WHERE CHRIST IS HONORED Sunday Morning Bible Class 9:45 A.M. Wed. Morning Ladies Bible Class Sunday Morning Worship......10:45 A.M. (Seasonal)10:00 A.M. Sunday Evening Worship6:00 P.M. Wednesday Evening Bible Study 7:00 P.M. "Come now, and let us reason together 'Isaiah 1:18

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Attn: Bill Baxter

The Burkett Quilting Bees made their T.V. debut appearance with Laurie Stevens on the "Mid-Day With Laurie," which was aired December 23 on Channel 9.

The Bees were invited to a brunch featuring some of the beautiful items donated for the Rehab '88 Auction and their quilt which was shown was a Dresden Plate design.

Those attending the show were Iola Terry, Mozelle Semans, Addie C. Rhoads, Willie Wilson, Freeda Burkett, Doris Walker, Cleo Porter, Wilda Tomlinson, Lucille Cross, and Alice Edington. Two of the Bees, Eunice Mountain and Ima Bludworth, were unable to attend. Those of us who were able to attend agreed that it was a rewarding and exciting experience for all.

The Burkett Community Center received \$25 for the upkeep of the Center. Each gift is deeply appreciated.

Visiting the D.R. Goulds over the Christmas holidays were Russell, Eli, and Alisa Gould of Abilene; Linda, Melinda, and Jackie, and Marty, Glenda, and Brooke Callaway.

We all ate Christmas dinner with Linda and family. Jan and Landon Pope and Linda Strickland visited with us Sunday afternoon.

David Braddock of Merkel spent some of the Christmas holidays with Melinda Dodgen. Jacky and Johnny Pricer also spent Christmas Day with Linda Brinson and family.

during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Strickland, Deanna, Staci, and Jacob of Brenham; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Turney and Jon of Santa Anna; Mr. and Mrs. Lat Mountain; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pope, Landon and Cory; and Mr. and Mrs. David Strickland and Daniel.

Those visiting Montie Jennings during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jennings, Marc, Jamie, and Amy of New Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hutchins and Harrison of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hutchins, Kenneth, Wesley, and Brent and Brian Cox of Bangs; Randy Jennings and friend, Jim of Tye; and Mike Jennings of Abilene.

Montie Jennings spent Christmas Day in Tye with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Jennings, Jill and Randy Jr.

Mrs. Virgie Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Bradford spent the holidays visiting in Odessa and McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Adams and family of South Houston visited his mother, Virgie Adams, this week.

Garden Club **Meets Friday**

The Cross Plains Garden Club will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Garden Center on Friday, January 8. This will be the club's annual Arbor Day meeting with plans being made to plant a tree at the Garden Center on Arbor Day, January 15.





Greenwood **Insurance Agency**

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COTTONWOOD NEWS

By BEVERLY BROWN

First - let's scrap the 1988 New Year's Resolution to diet. Instead, cut down on our food intake and start your exercise schedule and routine today and keep it up daily. Get your 1987 income tax preparation work done and completed in January. On smoking no cutting down - quit it "the cold turkey way", think of the money you'll save. If we "do unto others, as we would have others do unto us" this is living. Have a happy pound shedding, healthy, long life and a loving and caring 1988.

On January 7, the quilting ladies will resume their sewing sessions from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the local community center. All new residents, beginners, and "old hands" are cordially invited to attend the "quilting bee." Each lady is requested to bring a covered dish for the noon meal.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Childress of Cottonwood and Mrs. Peggy Dow of Eastland had a "White Christmas" in the beautiful snowy country of Hot Springs, South Dakota with their son and family, Bob and Lavonne Childress, Brett of Texas Tech in Lubbock and Bobby of Tarleton in Stephenville. The trio returned home on the 29th of December.

Nora and Dylan Williams of Lubbock visited this past week with their grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. J.O. Williams and great-grandfather, Mr. J.I. Crawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Childers had all their children, with the exception of Harry, in their home Christmas Day: R.D. and Sharon Childers, Todd and Shane of Cisco; Arnold and Nancy Childers and Kane of Brownwood; Deanna Kaye Childers of Abilene and Aubrey and Virginia Childers of

On Tuesday the Blanton Childerses and Cecil Gobles went to Cisco to visit with the girl's mother, Mrs. Jessie Wilcoxen, and the Roy Edwardses, and were in Eastland doing some

On Monday Aubrey Childers came by to see the folks, Lillie and Blanton, and Harry visited with them New Year's Day.

Mary VanDerLinden and Ellen Simpson came by to see Bertha Wheeler on Saturday.

On Saturday Mrs. Imogene Brooker and Mr. and Mrs. L. DeSoto, Amy, and Kamy of Abilene visited with Mrs. Ethel Anderson. On New Year's Day Darwin and Wanda Anderson had dinner with his mother, Ethel.

Daisy and Wes Holcomb visited with Ethel Anderson over the

On New Year's Day the Richard Smiths had all their children at home for dinner. Mrs. Bertha Wheeler attended with the Wheeler family. Mrs. Bob Anguish and son, Bobby, left Saturday morning to return to their home in Topeka, Kansas after spending the holidays here.

Scott Clark and Mary Ann McGivern were united in marriage on January 3 at 2 p.m. in the Canyon Church of Christ in Canyon.

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By MRS. N.V. GIBBS

All of the holidays have come and gone, but will not be forgotten. They will be remembered for a time of families gathering for visiting and sharing of their food. Weather was a popular subject Christmas Day and then extending on through this past week. There have been so many cloudy days and low temperatures.

This writer did not venture out on icy roads last Sunday to attend church services in Cross Plains. The last two weeks have us all mixed up on which day of the week it is. Maybe after tomorrow, Sunday, we'll settle down to a normal schedule.

James and Dorothy Reynolds have had their three grandchildren part of this week, Chris and Colby Reynolds of Midland and Drew Flippin of Midlothian. Drew's parents, Tan and Janet Flippin, were on a skiing trip to New Mexico with the youth of their church in Midlothian. They were to return Drew to his home Saturday.

Don, Maryana, and Leigh Harrell were in Austin during last weekend visiting her sister and family, the Griff Andrews, and also visiting Don's cousin, Mark Schreiver and family. Maryana and Leigh did not return home until Tuesday. The family spent New Year's Day in Abilene with his mother, Justine Harrell.

Don was in Abilene Saturday where he attended the Circuit Cutting Horse Show held at the Fair Grounds.

Bob, Kathy, and Julie Dye spent Christmas weekend with her mother, Anna Dendy, and other members of the family near Brady.

Edwin and Ann Dye and daughter, Lori Ann's home in Abilene was the meeting place on Christmay Eve for supper and tree. Those present were Edna Dye, Bob, Kathy, and Julie and Tommy Dye, Erlene and Douglas Dye of Abilene.

The Ralph Trevey family of Snyder visited her parents, Sterling and Joyce Odom, last Sunday afternoon. Joyce reported Gini Trevey saying this was the first Christmas the family had ever spent by themselves at home since their marriage.

The Blan Odom home was the meeting place for members of her family. This would include her brothers, Alton Tatom and family and Roy Tatom and family, of the Atwell Community, as well as their own children and grandchildren.

Robert, Dorothy, and Brock Watson attended the funeral of their friend, Albert Hannsz, in Haskell Thursday. On Thursday, Scott Martin of Ft.

Hood, friend of Brock Watson, came for a visit, but missed seeing Brock. Carroll Burks of Abilene visited in

the Emma Johnson and Lizzie Burks home during the week. It was reported that a former resi-

dent of the community, Buren Burks, died in an Abilene hospital Friday. He was the son of Will and Georgia (Gibbs) Burks and lived here when he was a young boy. He had been seriously ill with cancer since late summer.

This writer spent New Year's Day in the home of her daughter, Judy Steele and family. Other company in the home was Lee and Jean Jernigan of Lake Proctor.

Connie and Tonya Steele spent part



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of the week with their grandmother, Opal Steele, in Clyde.

Visitors in the Gene Mauldin home Tuesday and Wednesday were Willie and Irene Masters of Snyder and their daughter and son-in-law, Charlotte and Rod Clifton of Lubbock. Roland and Faye Mauldin of Denton Valley had supper with the family Tuesday

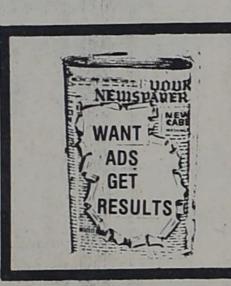
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By ESTHLOY S. DICKSON

This is my last referral to my Christmas holidays (I think).

My brother, Wayne, had a picture of our mom and dad enlarged and framed for each one of us, five in all. It is such a precious picture and I'm thrilled over mine.

Also, I received a lovely card and note from Mrs. Tom (Imogene) Cox - you remember them - such a sweet message from her. Also, I received three boxes of stationery and two boxes of greeting cards, plus a roll of

postage stamps. Then I received three books of Crossword Puzzles - now, tell me, when will I have time to use my pretty stationery??

This Monday morning, I called my good friend, Lucille Callaway, to make sure the hour of our first A.A.R.P. meeting in 1988. She is my Karen's grandmother, and a very good friend. She was here one day last week when I had to make a fast trip to The Cobbler in Rising Star - she went with me, and I appreciated having her

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Mrs. Ethel Brown's visitors the past week were Mrs. Kathleen Hardesty and her daughter, Mrs. Earl Wright, both of Rising Star. And from Cross Plains were Jimmielee Payne, Lou Grider, Lois Garrett, Rita Knight, and Mrs. A.B. Rowan. Her good neighbors, the Tillotsons, visit her

Mack and Marianne Taff spent New Year's Day with his mother at Junction. They had a very nice visit.

Donald and Delores Stover took her brother, Ronnie Pittman, to the home of another brother, Dean Pittman, in Oklahoma. They had a nice trip, but they are glad to be back home and off the highways on a day like this.

George Roady of California is still with his parents, Bobby and Sally. The Roadys always have a New Year's Party, and this time they were all here at the Bobby Roady home. All the brothers and sisters were present, also her mother, Ms. Nettie. Seventeen were present. They played '42', talked and laughed, had a wonderful fellowship. Joe and Beverly Roady of Brownwood were there on Saturday. They all ate blackeyed peas and corn bread for "good luck".

On Sunday the family went to Fort Phantom to the home of Art and Bertie Roady. Ms. Nettie Roady, mother of that bunch, was with them.

Betty Lou Beggs stated they did not have any company on New Year's Day - they just enjoyed each other's company. Betty made a business trip to Eastland on Saturday afternoon. On Wednesday of last week, Jeannette and L.W. Mitchell visited them. Rex Beggs of Cross Plains visited one day and checked on his cows. Rusty and Reba Beggs and girls of LoJunta, Colorado spent the holidays with the family. They left for home on Tuesday

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THE PIONEER **PATCHWORK**

By IRMA MILLER

The quilters started on their first Tuesday in the New Year, January 5, with two quilts to work on.

Mrs. Betty Meiron visited, in company with her daughter, Susie Hutchins, and son, Allen, of Bryan, in the home of Nell and Joe Fleming on Monday. Eva Fleming of Rising Star had lunch with Joe and Nell on Tuesday. Zandra McLemurray and son, Pat, of Dallas came to visit on Wednesday and stayed until Friday. Then Mary Matthews of Stephenville came on Friday and returned Sunday. Joe and Nell just had lots of company.

Frankie Smith and her husband, Oliver, visited her father, Mr. Jerry Vinson, on New Year's Day in the nursing home in Eastland. Jean Fore went back to Eastland on Saturday and visited Frankie's father again.

Several of the Pioneer residents went to the AARP meeting Monday in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Lillian Parson is now home from the hospital.

Frankie Smith attended the funeral of Pete Buchanan Monday in Rising

Irma and John Miller went Monday afternoon to another funeral in Rising Star, that of Jack Anderson.

The Pioneer Pentecostal Church plans a special meeting Friday, January 15, with Gerald Green of Brownwood speaking. It is hoped they will bring their musical equipment and sing and play music. They are real good musicians. Everyone is invited.

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CANDY BARS

89c

SYRUP LUG CABIN 100TH ANNIVERSARY PACK 24 0Z GRAPE NUTS HERITAGE TIN PACK 32 0Z.

POPPING CORN URVILLE REDENBACHER'S 40 OZ. CANISTER

CHILI WULF 15 OZ. WITH BEANS

\$3.49

\$2.79

DISHWASHING LIQUID SUNLIGHT 22 OZ.

FABRIC SOFTNER

LIQUID FABRIC SOFTNER SNUGGLE 96 OZ.

DISHWASHING NEW LIQUID SUN

PIZZAS

SANDWICH BARRICINI ICE CREAM

GRADE "A"

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CLASSIC QUARTERS COUNTRY CROCK 49c CHEESE KRAFT AMERICAN SINGLES 12 0Z. \$1.79

BISCUITS SHURFINE OLD FASHION OR BUTTERMILK 7.5 OZ.

CHEEZ WHIZ KRAFT 8 0Z WHITE MRS. BAIRD'S 11/4 LB. BREAD OR LARGE

\$1.29 **89c**

COUNTRY CROCK SHEDD'S 3 LB.



KRAFT 32 OZ. Miracl

PREMIUM CRACKERS



PORK N BEANS VAN CAMP 16 OZ.







DOG FOOD HIGH PRO 25 LB. BAG GET A \$2.00
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FEATURE PRICE \$2.00
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