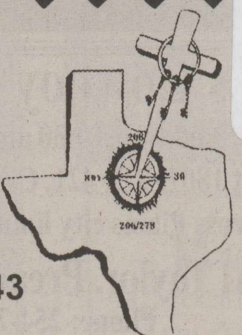


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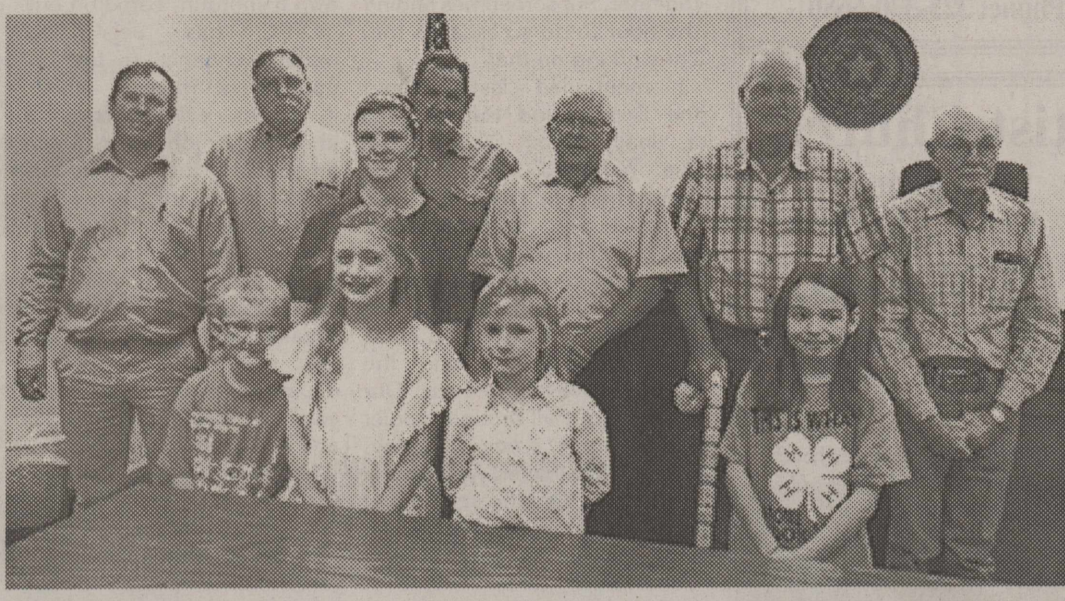


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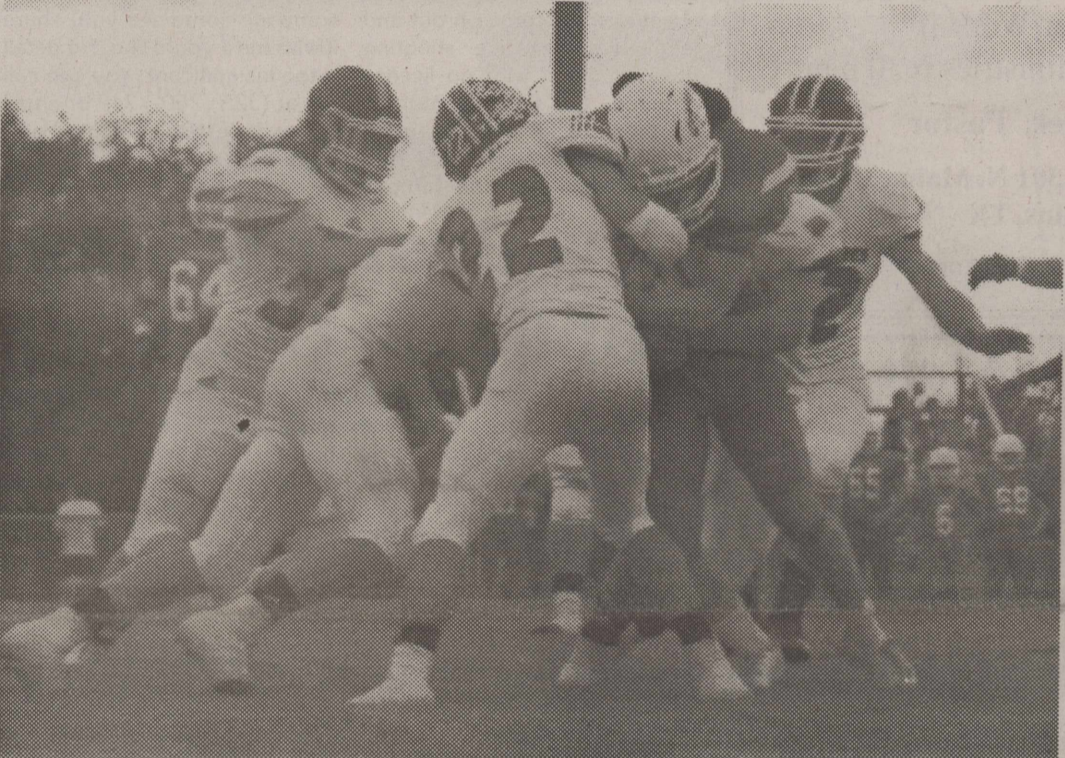
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4-H Proclamation Week - Local 4-H Students visited the Commissioner's Court on Monday for 4-H Proclamation Week. In the photograph: Front row: Hayden Bisbee, Abigail Bisbee, Emily Bisbee and McKenna Podlevsky, all Cross Plains 4-H; Back row: Callahan County Extension Agent Karl Wenge; Erwin Clark, Precinct 4 Commissioner Erwin Clark; Precinct 3 Commissioner Tom Windham, Kaitlyn Payne, Clyde 4-H; Judge Roger Corn; Precinct 1 Commissioner Howard Hicks and Precinct 2 Commissioner Bryan Farmer. Judge Corn signed the proclamation declaring October 7th-13th as 4-H Proclamation Week. More on 4-H Week on page 3.



The Buffaloes lost a heartbreaker to Christoval 27-26 on Thursday night bringing the team to 2-1 on the season. The Buffaloes travel to Tiger Stadium, located at 3901 Denison Avenue in Snyder, to take on the Plains Cowboys on Friday night. Game time is 7 p.m. Friday's Pep Rally is at 1:40 p.m. The theme is Sock Hop. Buffaloes Stats and photos from the Christoval game are on page 3.

Pioneer Cemetery Meeting, October 8th

The second semi-annual of the Pioneer Historical Association and Cemetery Board will be held at 6 p.m. on Monday, October 8th, at Jean's Feed Barn in Cross Plains. If at all possible, board members should be in attendance. Visitors are welcome and all with family ties to the Pioneer Cemetery are especially welcome.

Cottonwood Country Musical Friday Night

The Cottonwood Country Musical will be held September 28, 2018 at the Cottonwood Community Center. The menu is Enchilada Casserole, salad, desserts, and coffee, tea, or sodas. The proceeds from the musical meal are used for the maintenance of the building. The serving will begin at 5 p.m. There is no charge for the musical program. The music begins at 5:30 p.m. The musicians always have a good show planned for your enjoyment. The Cottonwood Country Musicals are held at the Cottonwood Community Center, Cottonwood, Texas the fourth Friday night of each month. Cottonwood, Texas is located in Callahan County on County Road 444 just off FM 1079 and FM 880. For any additional information, call Cookie Robinson at 325-660-5771.



Cross Country Teams Are Running - The Cross Plains High School and Junior High Cross Country Teams participated in meets at Haskell and Dublin last week. Jackilann Shepard came in 5th and Abigail Shepard came in 8th at Haskell. Cody McWilliams ran his best time of the year at the Dublin meet. Way to go, Cross Country! Photos of the Junior High Girls Cross Country Team on page 4.

Parents Night Out Saturday Sept. 29th

Come one, come all to 'PARENTS' NIGHT OUT!! The Cross Plains High School Cheerleaders have scheduled a "Parents Night Out" which will be fun and beneficial for local parents and their children. The event is Saturday, September 29th from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Cross Plains Methodist Church. Many activities have been planned for the kids to enjoy. First up is the evening meal! Yum! Yum! There will be lots of games and plenty of kids to play with, Movies, activity stations. All kinds of fun things to do and fun friends to do the activities with. Cost for parents night out is \$20.00 for the first child and \$15.00 each for each additional child. Let's plan a relaxing night for Mom and Dad and lots of fun for the kids.



Judy Porter and Bobby Jack McCowen relax on the new porch swing in front of the Senior Center. The built by Rick Potter. Several swings have been added to Main Street as a project of the Cross Plains EDC. Thanks to the EDC for continuing to invest in the community and local businesses.

American Legion Meeting, Thursday, Sept. 27th

American Legion Post 423 along with American Legion Auxiliary Unit 423 will be holding their regularly scheduled monthly meeting on Thursday, September 27th at the Legion building in Cross Plains at 6:30 p.m. All members and their families along with all interested veterans and their families are encouraged to attend as we will be celebrating the Post's birthday.

Helping Hearts and Hands set for Saturday, October 20th

The Annual "Helping Hearts and Hands" event will happen on Saturday, October 20th from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. This organization is volunteer oriented and would love to help you if you are a longtime Senior adult or have a disability. They are able to do winterizing, such as caulking, small jobs that help with repairs and helping to get your home ready for Winter. Please pick up an application at the Cross Plains Senior Citizens Center, Texas Heritage Bank, the Cross Plains Review or Donna's Southern Roots Salon. They MUST have a signed form/release to do your work for you and you must be at home when we are working on your home. They cannot do work for anyone who isn't at home. They begin work each workday at 8 a.m. If you are interested in helping or have questions or need more information please contact Connie Kirkham...254-725-6500, 325-665-0154, or Wilma Lawrence....254-725-7297. Breakfast will be served to the workers, at 7:00 a.m. compliments of the Cross Plains Church of Christ in their Activity Center on Highway 36.

Library Holding Coloring Contest

The Cross Plains Public Library will hold a Halloween Coloring Contest. The contest will run from thru October 29th. Please stop by and grab a color sheet and put all contact information on the back. Open to all ages.



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Lord's Acre Date Set

The First United Methodist Church is already at work on the annual Lord's Acre festival, to be held this year on Sat. Nov. 10th. As all of the profit from this event goes right back into the community service organizations, folks are encouraged to put the date on their calendars and make plans to attend. The usual evening turkey

dinner with all the trimmings will once again be available for \$8.00 with the live auction to follow. Throughout the day, other sales venues include the Little Store bazaar and a Silent Auction. As fall activities start showing up, we hope you will reserve this date to help the Methodist Church help the community.

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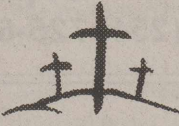
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Farm Bureau Annual County Convention

The Callahan-Shackelford County Farm Bureau annual meeting will be held Tuesday, October 2, 2018 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church Christian Life Center in Clyde, according to Phil Williams, County President.

A fish fry and desserts will be catered by Diamond R Catering of Zephyr to members prior to the meeting. Farm Bureau Members and their immediate families will be served at no charge.

There will be a drawing for door prizes

The main purpose of this annual meeting is to adopt policies for the coming year. Also, new Directors will be elected at this time. House District 60 State Representative, Mike Lang, will be the guest speaker.

Please call the office at 325-854-1044 by Friday September 21st for reservations if you plan to attend.

Hunters Feed Set for November 3rd; Buy Your Raffle Tickets Now

The Hunters Feed is November 3rd, but don't wait until then to buy your raffle tickets. This year's raffle gives you a chance to win one of five prizes. As always, the prizes are phenomenal, tickets are being Pre-sold at J & L Sales, Sparks Insurance Agency, Wildlife Nutrition, Junkin Daze, and Patsy's Flowers and Gifts.

There will only be 500 tickets sold, \$20 a piece or 6 for \$100. You must be 18 years old to enter and please note the firearms will require an FFL Transfer.

The prizes and the businesses donating them are:

J & L Sales and Services donated a 30" Fire pit w/State of Texas Plasma Cutouts.

Boss Hawg donated a BOSS HAWG Standard Trap 4' x 8' x 3' w/1.5" 14 gauge primed tubing.

Wildlife Nutrition has donated a Springfield XDG Black 9MM 4" Mod 2 Pistol, 16 Round, Striker Fire Action.

CrossFire Feeders and Supply has donated a 600 # Low Profile Crossfire Deer Corn Feeder w/ Solar Trickle Charger.

Sparks Insurance Agency has donated a Ruger American Rifle in 6.5 Creedmoor, w/ GoWild I-M Brush Camo.

Cottonwood News

I'm back from a little break. I wish I could say I've been out on vacation to some foreign country or somewhere with lots of sun and sand, but in actuality, it's just been a busy couple weeks. It doesn't take me long to put this column together, but sometimes finding the hour to do so escapes me. I'm working on that.

I mentioned last column the Cottonwood Bubble, well it finally burst. From what I've gathered, we received somewhere between 2.5 and 4 inches over the past couple weeks. It hasn't been a gully washer at any point, but some good slow soaking rain we desperately needed. The grass has sky rocketed and the stickers have followed suit. Our first day of Fall brought cooler temperatures, if only for a day. Soon, the leaves will be in full color changing mode and winter is just around the corner.

The Annual Cottonwood Community Skeet Shoot is upon us again. The date is set for October 13th at Abilene Clay Sports. This is a benefit shoot hosted by the Cottonwood Historical Association and the Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control Group. All proceeds go right back into our community organizations. If you've never been or have never even shot skeet or trap, come on out and learn. It's just like shooting dove or quail, with no license required. For the adventurous or those who need a good humbling experience, Bob Robinson will have his famous

Crazy Quail game set up as well. It's a sight to see the most experienced shots trying to take aim at clay targets when they have no idea which direction they're headed. We hope to see a great turn out this year and to see more locals involved. If you own a shotgun, come on out.

CVFC has been busy making changes to the once nonexistent training schedule in hopes of furthering the knowledge of fire fighting amongst the volunteers. Plans are in the works for a joint training program with area departments. Believe it or not, in today's times with regulations and more organization structure, even the smallest volunteer fire departments have to have extensive training. More details and dates to come soon.

Work has resumed steadily on the pavilion for the cemetery. It hit a slow spot this past year due to the dry weather and the fact the location is in the middle of some thick grass....not the best conditions for welding. There are big plans for this pavilion and it will be place that can be used and appreciated for generations.

To be honest, I don't hear about much going on anymore. It's a busy time of year for everyone. If you travel or have someone come see you, share it with me if you'd like. No detail is too insignificant. You can call me at (325) 260-7749 or email me at forrest@blakefauto.com. Have a great week.

- Forrest Creamer

New Pastor at First Baptist in Cisco

Cody Favor has been named as the pastor of the First Baptist Church in Cisco. He will be officially taking over on October 7th.

Favor is a graduate of Wayland Baptist University (BA) and Logsdon Seminary (M.Div.) at Hardin-Simmons University. Cody has served in ministry for the last twenty years. Most recently, he has served as the pastor for students at First Baptist in Abilene. Cody is married to Brennan Favor and has two daughters, Micah and Margaret.

The Favor family is excited to be a part of the Cisco community and pastor at First Baptist.

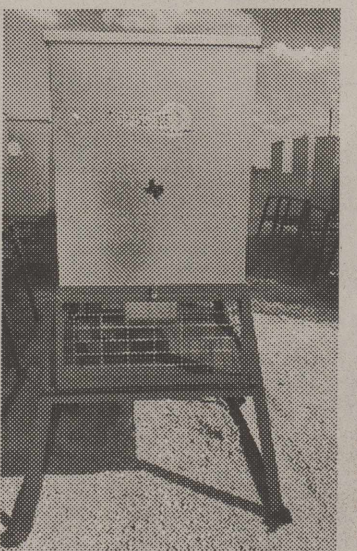
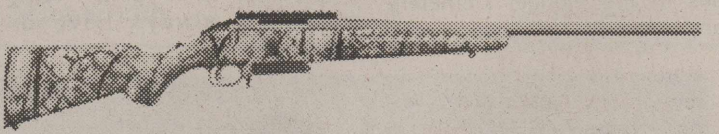
"This is a wonderful opportunity for our family

and we are grateful for the hospitality that has already been shown to us," Favor stated. "We look forward to being a part of such a wonderful church and community."

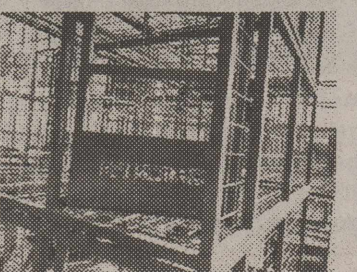
Dudley Cemetery Annual Meeting

Dudley Cemetery Annual meeting notice on Saturday October 6th at 7:00 PM at the HWY 36 Church of Christ. Thank you, Paul Delacot

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Colors of Hope Cancer Walk Chamber Chatter

The Cross Plains Community Cancer Fund will be showing "Colors of Hope" at this year's Cancer Walk!

Set for Saturday, October 13th at the Cross Plains ISD Football Field, starting at 5 p.m., the event brings local residents together for an evening of fun, food, games, live music, prize drawings, support for those fighting cancer and a remembrance of those who have passed on.

This year's walk is memory of our friends, coworkers and loved ones who have lost their fight to cancer this year and in honor of the survivors and those still fighting the battle.

Walking teams set up camp on the football field along with all kinds of other booths. Decorate your booth (or even your team) to go along with this year's colorful theme. Paint your booth in many colors, make a tie dye array - or just select one signature color for your booth! Be as creative as they'd like with this year's theme.

One of the highlights of this year's walk is the Corn Hole Game. Get your team together! Teams will play to 21 points, best 2 out of three.

Many local organizations and businesses will be at the event including Cross Plains VFD, Cross Plains High School FFA, ResourceCare, Turner Family, Cross Plains Custom Tile, Texas Heritage Bank.

Some of those who have signed up to have a food booth: Church of Christ, Rowden Baptist Church, Baptist Men's

Ministry, Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge.

Awards will be given for the "Best Decorated Booth" and for the Team/Booth that raises the most money.

The kids will enjoy the inflatable obstacle course bounce house manned by the Turner Family. There's also the children's train and other kids games.

The evening starts with the Opening Ceremonies at 5 p.m. with the raising of the flag by the American Legion.

Live music will be presented at the event First Baptist Children's Choir and other performers.

A Live Auction feature cakes from some of the best bakers in the Cross Plains area and many other items.

There's also a Silent Auction and a Children's Auction.

Items are needed for the raffle, live auction, silent auction, and the children's auction. You can drop off donations with Dannes at the Senior Citizens Center, Cindy at Resource Care.

Cakes are needed for the Cake Walk and Cake Auction. Contact Terrie Parum at Junkin Daze if you can bake for the Cake Walk.

Your group or walking team can help sell tickets for the quilt raffles and the main raffle.

Brenda Simons has made a beautiful quilt in memory of Faye and Homer Simons. There is another raffle for the beautiful cowboy quilt created by the Cross Plains Quilting Club. Tickets for either quilt are \$1 each or 6 for \$5 and available

from the Senior Center, Texas Heritage Bank or any of the walking teams.

The Butcher Block Processing and Project Pride will be giving away a Variety Meat Pack valued at \$100. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5.00 and are available at Texas Heritage Bank, Cross Plains Library, the Senior Center and Butcher Block Processing.

The CPHS NHS will be sponsoring a 5K Run/Walk and a Kids Run, starting just after the opening ceremonies and the Survivor Lap of the Cancer Walk.

Luminaries are available from Texas Heritage Bank and the Senior Citizens Center. A highlight of the each year's Cancer Walk is the final Memory Walk. The lights around the football field are dimmed and the candles in the luminary sacks are lit. The names of those who have been taken by cancer are read aloud as the walking teams, survivors and all walkers take to the track to remember those we've lost in our community.

Lighted Balloons are also available.

The Turkey Creek Rodeo Club is presenting the Neva Yates Memorial Roping during the day of the Cancer Walk. All proceeds go to the Cancer Fund.

Proceeds from all of the prize drawings, both walk/runs, auctions, food booths and all of the events at the Cancer Walk benefit the Cross Plains Community Cancer Fund.

The crazy weather may have your allergies and immune system in a tizzy, stop into ResourceCare and be sure to get your prescriptions filled at Larson's Pharmacy.

If all the rain has let you discover that your roof could use some TLC... Cross Plains has some wonderful contractors, Hutton Construction, Reed Construction, and Tunnell construction would love to help you out.

The Community Wide Garage Sale is just short two weeks away. Sort through your closets, storage units, and the garage to see what you haven't used in a year or more. Call Junkin Daze and get your garage sale on the map.

For those items that are too dear to let go, but too bulky to keep in the house, AAA storage has rental units in all sizes. Higginbotham Brothers can help keep your treasures safe, they carry totes, bubble wrap, and packing tape.

If you haven't done so yet, but sure to get your raffle tickets for the hunters feed raffle. J & L Sales, Park Insurance, Wildlife Nutrition, Patsy's Flowers and Gifts, and Junkin Daze all have tickets. Twenty dollars each or six for a hundred.

Your business is an asset to Cross Plains. Let the Cross Plains Chamber be an asset to yours. Feel free to contact that chamber via email crossplainschamber@yahoo.com or via the phone at 254-725-7251.

Senior Citizens Center Activities

October 1st-5th

- Monday-1st Exercise 11:00; Music Jam 6:00 p.m.
- Tuesday-2nd 50s Music C&W 8:30-11:00; Exercise 11:00 a.m.; Game Night
- Wednesday-3rd Exercise 11:00
- Thursday-4th Exercise 11:00 a.m.; Manicures from Kindred at Home of Eastland
- Friday-5th Bingo 11:15 a.m., Rising Star Nursing Center

Cross Plains Senior Citizens Center seeks to nurture our aging population

SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

October 1st-5th

- Monday, 1st- Cheeseburger (lettuce/tomato/onion, pickle), Tater Tots, Fruit, Cookie
- Tuesday 2nd- Chicken Strips, Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Bread, Dessert
- Wednesday 3rd- Taco Salad, Mexican Corn, Chips and Salsa, Fruit, Cookie
- Thursday 4th- Chick-en Salad, Pasta Salad, Fruit Salad, Crackers, Dessert
- Friday 5th- Pinto Beans and Sausage, Spinach, Cornbread, Dessert

MEAL IS SERVED - 11:45 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

Monthly Menu may be picked up at the Senior Citizens Center

Cross Plains Community Calendar

September

September 27 - Thursday, American Legion Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

September 27 - Thursday, Turkey Creek Rodeo Club Meeting, 7 p.m.

October

October 6 - Saturday, Community Wide Garage Sale, sponsored by the Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce

October 9 - Monday, Columbus Day Celebrated, School's out.

October 13 - Saturday, Cancer Walk, Cross Plains ISD Football Field, 5 p.m.

October 20 - Saturday,

Helping Hearts and Hands Work Day

October 27 - Saturday, Fall Festival, Sponsored by the Junior Class, CPHS Old Gym

October 31 - Wednesday, Trick or Treat with the Businesses, sponsored by the Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce.

October 31 - Wednesday, Trunk or Treat, First Baptist Church.

November

November 2 & 3 - Friday and Saturday, Jeremiah 29:11 Benefit Dinner at the Kirkhams.

November 3 - Saturday, Hunter's Feed, sponsored by

the Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce, 11 a.m.

November 10 - Saturday, Lord's Acre, First United Methodist Church

November 22-24 - Wednesday-Friday, School's out for Thanksgiving

November 23 - Thursday, Thanksgiving

December

December 2 - Sunday - Cantata, First United Methodist Church

December 7 - Thursday - Santa Claus Comes to Town; Christmas Parade, Kiwanis Supper

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Cakes are Needed for the Cake Walk

Cakes, pies, cookies and other desserts are needed for the Cake Walk at the Cancer Walk. Any donations will be appreciated.

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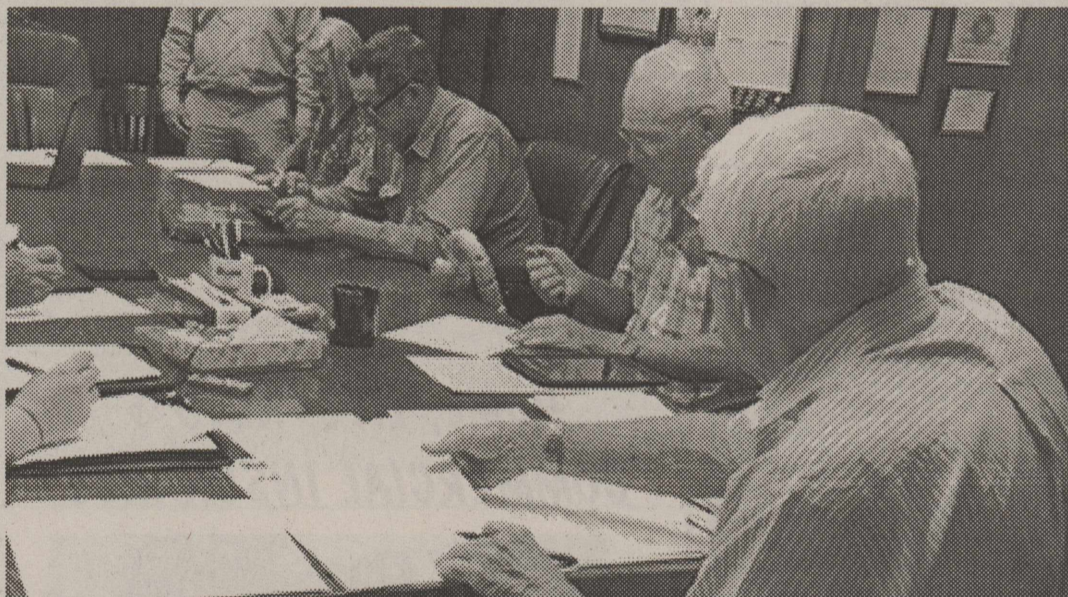
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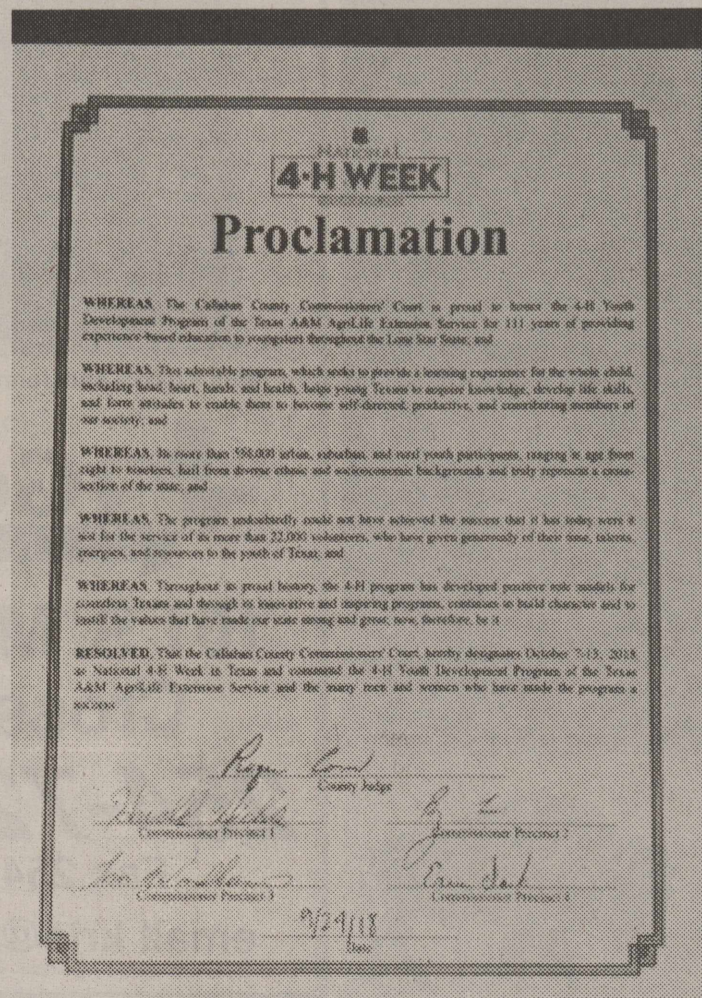
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Judge Roger Corn signing the proclamation for 4-H Week.

National 4-H Week October 7-13, 2018

Judge Corn and the Commissioners of Callahan County signed the Proclamation recognizing National 4-H week on October 7-13, 2018. Several 4-H members from the county were present for the signing. One Day 4-H will be held on October 13th. 4-H members across the state will be working within their counties doing community services projects. The Callahan County 4-H Council decided in cleaning up the County Show Barn for this upcoming County Show in January. 4-H members will be cleaning up stalls, removing pens, mowing, weed eating, and picking up trash. Another project that the 4-H County Council decided to do for 4-H members that cannot attend is collecting bottled water for our Volunteer Fire Departments in Callahan County. Bottled water can be dropped off at the Extension Office at the Courthouse in Baird. 4-H would like to thank Judge Corn, Commissioner Harold Hicks, Commissioner Bryan Farmer, Commissioner Tom Windham, and Commissioner Erwin Clark for supporting the 4-H program in Callahan County.



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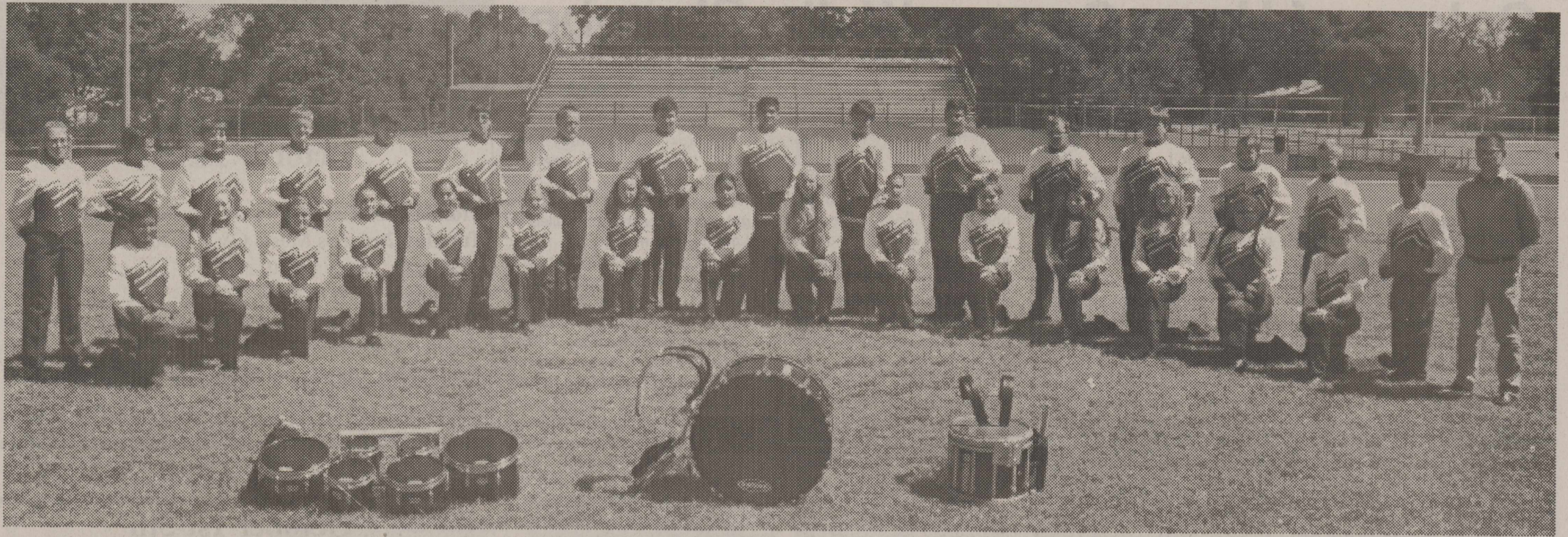
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- TX DL, e.g.

DOWN

- TX Dell was ...
- Cliver on CBS's "Evening Shade"
- TX King Vidar's "A Tree ... Trees"
- Columbus ship type
- TXism for achieved (3 wds.)
- bil over ...
- TX Bill Moyers won this in 1992 (3 wds.)
- TXism: "by your hand ... it"
- Dallas sportscaster Fitzgus (init.)
- TXism: "hot enough to sunburn ..."
- dog; Great ...
- Mountain in Llano County
- TXism: "esta ... (good)"
- TX Sly Stone's ... the ... Music"
- poor sitting posture
- TXism: "dwas ... have a climbing gear?" (yes)
- TX Lyle Lovett's "Here ..."
- TXism: "got the ... waggin' the dog"
- a pen name of TX Sandra Brown: ... St. Claire
- TXism: "tough tooth and ..."
- Italian artist who painted mural in Castro County's The Prayer Chapel
- TXism: "painted ... (prostitute)"
- TX Willie Nelson wrote and sang ... the Road Again"



The 2018-2019 Cross Plains High School Marching Band, under the direction of Band Director Richard Murrow, far right, and Drum Major Ashley Anderson, far left. The band performs at Pep Rallies and at Halftime at the Varsity Buffalo Football Games.



Cross Plains Junior High Girls Track Team



District Cross Country Meet is October 10

The District 8-AA Cross Country Meet will be held at the Haskell Golf course on October 10, 2018. The running schedule is:
 Varsity Boys 1:00 pm
 Varsity Girls 1:30 pm
 Junior Varsity Girls 2:00 pm
 8th Grade Girls 3:30 pm
 7th Grade Girls 4:00 pm
 Junior High Girls 4:30 pm

Cross Plains Buffaloes JV Football Roster 2018

#	Name
2	Spade Koenig
3	Beau Barker
5	Sam Horan
8	Andrew Carey
10	Sean Hernandez
22	Hunter Johnson
34	Glen Dunlap
40	Strait Loftis
42	Kaydence Smoot
50	Keegan Tillery
54	Wade Byrd
55	Ketch Thomas
58	Austin Rankin
64	Johnathan Wheeler
70	Jason McPherson
76	Moses Simmons
77	Anthony Fidler
78	Ashton Powell

Neva Yates Roping Event October 13th

On October 13th, the Turkey Creek Rodeo Club will be hosting their 6th Annual Neva Yates Memorial Roping. Six years ago the Turkey Creek Rodeo Club and the city of Cross Plains lost a dear friend to cancer. While not a Cross Plains native, Neva Yates married a home town boy by the name of Tim Yates. Neva became the secretary for the TCRC Club and played a large part of getting the club back up and running again. To honor Neva's memory, the Turkey Creek Rodeo Club created a memorial roping where the proceeds will be donated to the Cross Plains Cancer Fund. This year the club will be donating to both the Cross Plains Cancer Fund and Royce Atchley. The books open at 9am with the first roping at 10am. There is a 3 Head (Progressive after 1), #8, #10, #12. The cost is \$25 per man with a 50% payback, plus buckles for the average winner of each roping. Come on out and join the rodeo club in honoring a dear friend's memory, a love of horses, and let's raise money for a wonderful cause. For more information, please contact Ginger at 817-694-7991 or Josh at 325-669-4509.

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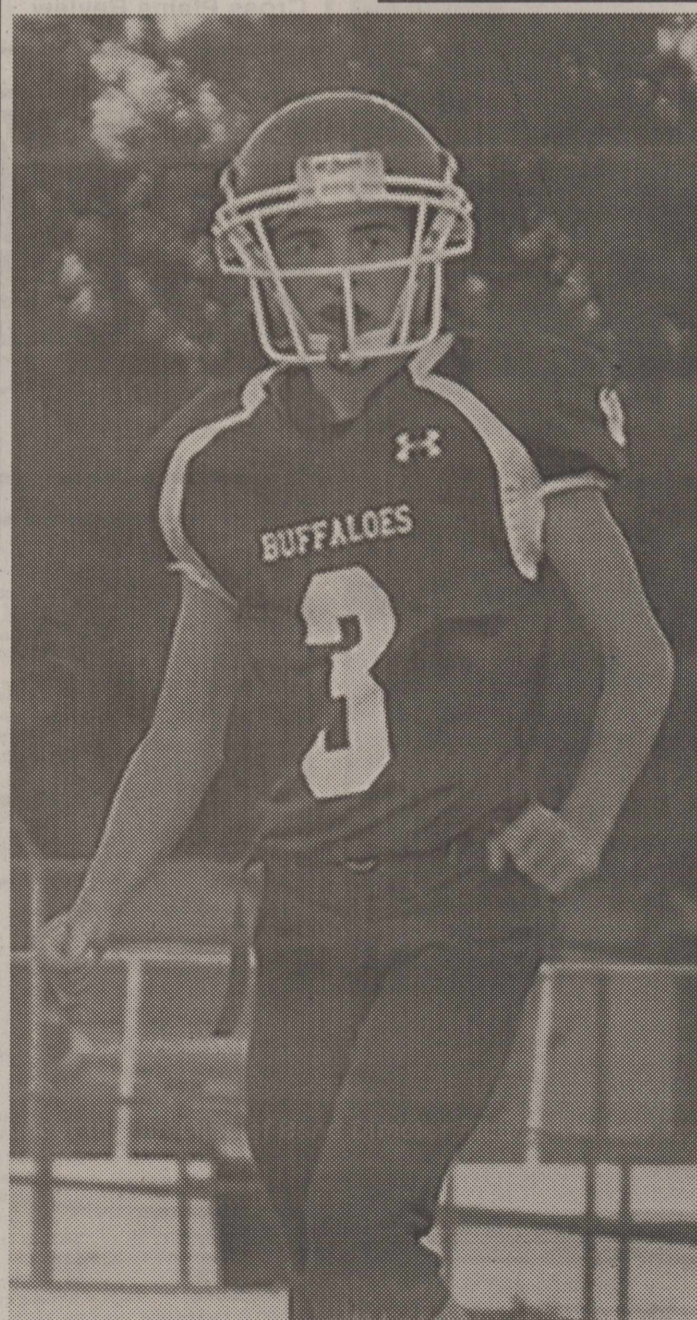
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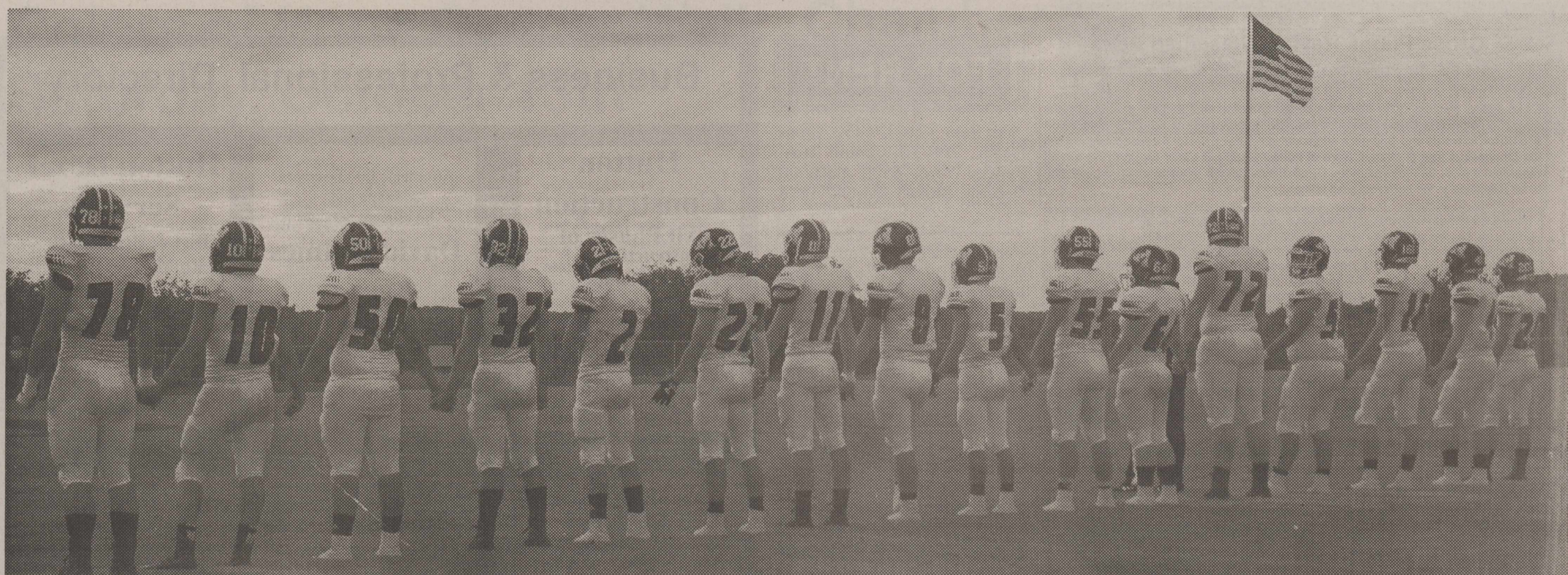


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Buffaloes Lose Heartbreaker to Christoval 27-26

By Al Pickett
Special Writer

Christoval scored a touchdown and then the game-winning two-point conversion with seven seconds remaining Thursday night to upend Cross Plains in a non-district football game in Christoval. The game was moved to Thursday from the originally scheduled Friday night because of the predicted heavy rain.

The Buffaloes had taken the lead 26-19 on a 12-yard run by quarterback Caleb Hernandez with 2:46 remaining, but Christoval answered with a nine-play, 69-yard scoring drive. Cougars quarterback Brayden Wilcox connected with running back David Fava on three key passes on the drive, the final one a 9-yard toss for a touchdown with seven seconds left. The pair hooked up again on the two-point conversion attempt to give Christoval the one-point win.

That was Cross Plains' first loss of the season. Both teams

are now 3-1.

The Buffaloes scored twice in the second quarter on a 1-yard sneak by Hernandez and a 23-yard pass from Hernandez to Theron Allen as the two teams went the locker room at halftime tied 13-13.

Cross Plains took the lead on the first series of the third quarter when Cody McWilliams intercepted a pass and returned it 52 yards for a touchdown. Christoval tied the game at 19-19 on a 72-yard run by Wilcox in the opening seconds of the fourth quarter, setting the stage for the final heroics.

Hernandez completed 5 of 12 passes for 102 yards and rushed for 23 yards on 15 carries to pace the Cross Plains offense. Ty Tipton had three catches for 63 yards, and Allen hauled in two receptions for 39 yards.

In addition to McWilliams' interception, Hernandez and Jevon Tillery also picked

off passes for the Buffaloes' defense.

Wilcox ran the ball 27 times for 216 yards and three touchdowns and also completed 8 of 12 passes for 59 yards and the game-winning score to lead Christoval.

Cross Plains will face Plains at 7:30 p.m. next Friday in Snyder.

Cross Plains 0 13 6 7-26
Christoval 6 7 0 14-27

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter

Christoval - Brayden Wilcox 13 run (run failed)

Second Quarter

Cross Plains - Caleb Hernandez 1 run (kick missed)

Christoval - Brayden Wilcox 6 run (Brendon Wilcox kick)

Cross Plains - Theron Allen 23 pass from Hernandez (Trent Potter kick)

Third Quarter

Cross Plains - Cody McWilliams 52 interception return (kick missed)

Fourth Quarter

Christoval - Brayden Wilcox 72 yard run (run failed)

Cross Plains - Hernandez 12 run (Potter kick)

Christoval - David Fava 9 pass from Brayden Wilcox (Fava pass from Wilcox)

TEAM STATISTICS

Cross Plains	Christoval
First Downs	12 11
Rushes-Yards	32-69 45-237
Passing Yards	102 59
Comp-Att-Int	5-13-0 8-12-3
Total Plays-Offense	45-171 57-296
Fumbles-Lost	1-1 1-0
Penalties-Yards	3-11 1-5
Punts-Avg.	4-26.5 2-24.0

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

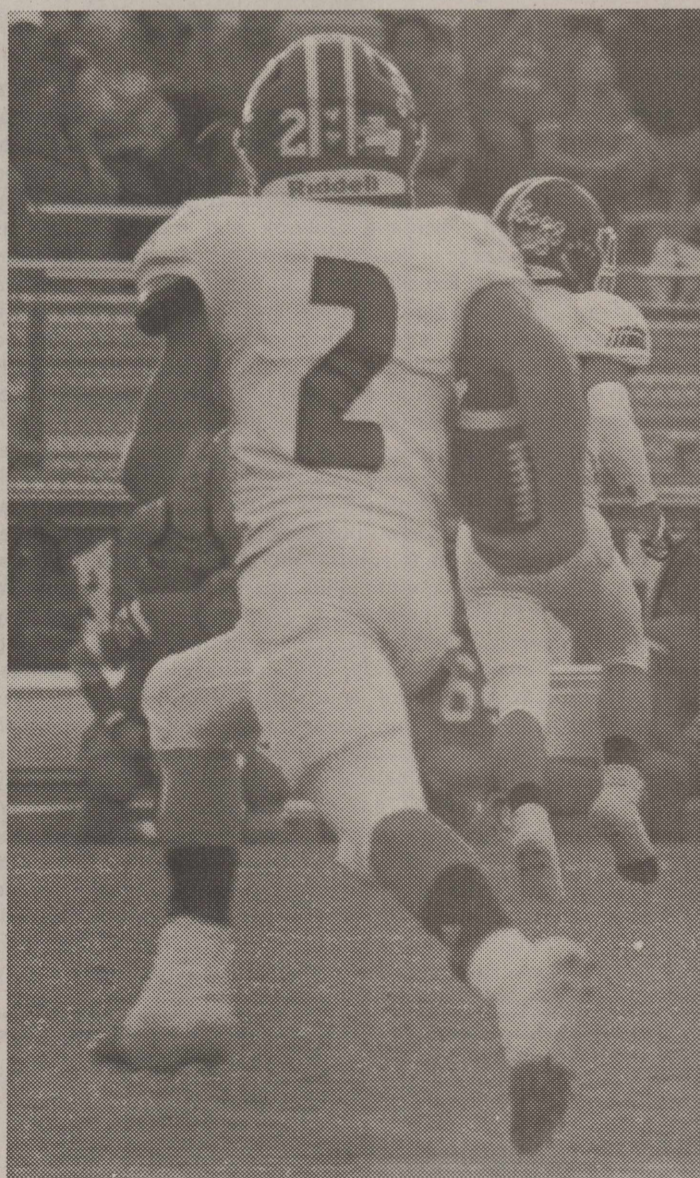
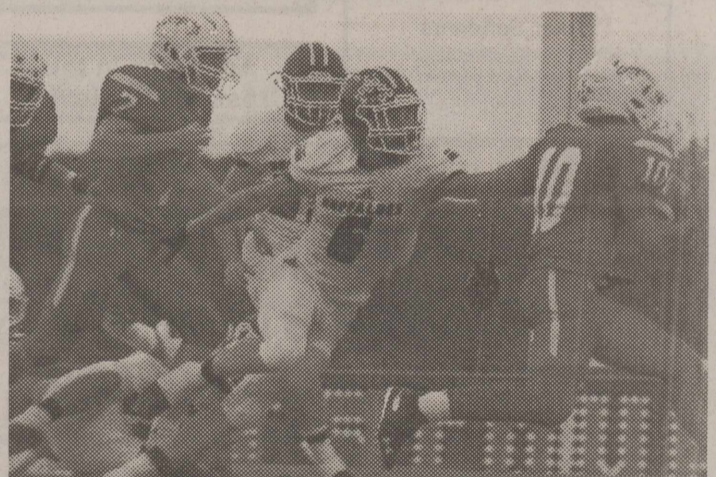
RUSHING - Cross Plains: Cason Allen 2-10, Caleb Hernandez 15-23, Ty Tipton 3-16, Sterling Switzer 8-20, Cedar Joes 3-6. Christoval: Clayton Edmiston 1-(-2), David Fava 15-21, Brayden Wilcox 27-216, Josh Fava 1-2.

PASSING - Cross Plains: Caleb Hernandez 5-12-0, 102 yards; Sterling Switzer 0-1-0. Christoval: Brayden Wilcox 8-12-3, 59 yards.



RECEIVING - Cross Plains: Theron Allen 2-39, Ty Tipton 3-63. Christoval: Clayton Edmiston 2-1, David Fava 2-17, Josh Fava 2-11.

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To finance the Project, the Corporation proposes to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$1,659,295.00, the presently estimated amount of costs to be incurred for construction, engineering, architectural, legal and other professional

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The anticipated payments of the District under the Agreements are expected to be in an amount sufficient to enable the Corporation to issue bonds to finance the costs of the Project. In accordance with the Act, the term of the Agreement shall not exceed 25 years. Federal grant funds are expected to finance a portion of the Project's costs. The District presently proposes to make payments under the Agreement from any lawfully available funds of the District which may be used for such purposes, subject to annual appropriation by the District.

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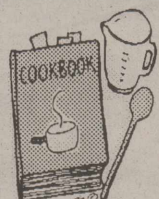
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- * 1 small onion, finely chopped
- * 2 tablespoons butter
- * 5 cups chicken broth
- * 1 cup uncooked wild rice
- * 1 cup uncooked long grain rice
- * 2/3 cup dried cherries or cranberries
- * 1/2 cup chopped pecans, toasted

Directions

1. In a large saucepan, saute the celery, carrot and onion in butter until tender. Stir in broth and wild rice. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer for 25 minutes.
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Callahan County Commissioners' Court Meeting Minutes from Monday, September 24th

The meeting of the Callahan County Commissioners' Court was held at its regular meeting place in the courthouse on Monday, September 24, 2018, at 9:30 A.M., with the following officers present to wit: Roger Corn, Judge Presiding; Harold Hicks, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; Bryan Farmer, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; Tom Windham, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; Erwin Clark, Commissioner Precinct No. 4; Taylor Landeros, Deputy County Clerk; Sandra Rose, County Auditor; and Jan Windham, County Treasurer. Also attending: Terry Joy, Sheriff; Rick Jowers, Deputy Sheriff; Karl Winge, County Extension Agent; Scott Kniffen, Renea McGowen, Emily Bisbee, Abby Bisbee, Hayden Bisbee, McKenna Podleusky, Kaitlyn Payne, Terrie Parum and April Bisbee.

The following items of business were transacted:

— The meeting was called to order at 9:32 A.M. by Judge Corn. All Commissioners were

present.

—The minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and signed.

—Under public comment: Doug Campbell mentioned his concern about the burn ban.

—No action was taken on the burn ban. The burn ban remains lifted.

—Commissioner Farmer made a motion to accept the sheriff's report and overtime report with 73.75 unapproved hours. Commissioner Hicks seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

—Judge Corn made a motion to approve working with the Abilene Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse. Commissioner Clark seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

—Commissioner Windham made a motion to proclaim October 7-13, 2018 as National 4-H Week. Commissioner Hicks seconded the motion. The motion was carried 5-0.

—Commissioner Windham made a motion to leave as is,

the Sheriffs' and Constables Fees. Judge Corn seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

—Commissioner Farmer made a motion to approve budget amendment #12. Commissioner Hicks seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

—Commissioner Clark approved renewal of automobile insurance. Commissioner Windham seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

—Commissioner Hicks made a motion to approve payroll. Commissioner Farmer seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

—Commissioner Hicks made a motion to pay the approved bills and pay the approved payroll. Commissioner Farmer seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

—Commissioner Windham made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Hicks seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0. Meeting adjourned at 9:57 A.M.

Local Businesses Have What You Need for Hunting Season

Dove season has been in full swing for a couple of weeks, which makes it a great warm up for deer season. While you're out hunting, take the time to check on the deer blinds, deer feeders, and game cameras. It might be time to replace the batteries on the feeder, put in a solar charger, or give everything a good cleaning.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to remind you that local businesses can help you with all your hunting needs. Wildlife Nutrition Center can help to help you find your next hunting rifle, or give your old one a new look. The Butcher Block does a wonderful job processing deer and for those lucky hunters who get their dream buck; Potter Taxidermy Studio can make you a trophy mount that you will be proud to hang above the fireplace.

They say that variety is the spice of life, and Cross Plains has you covered. J&L Sales, Higginbotham Brothers, Wildlife Nutrition Center, and Lowes, all carry deer blinds, deer feeders, ammunition, attractants, deer corn and more. Hunting Licenses are available at Food Plaza, Wildlife Nutrition Center, and Higginbotham Brothers.

Registration Underway for Children's Program

Registration is now underway for "Learn About..." Program at the Cross Plains Public Library.

The "Learn About..." Program is a pre-school program for ages 2-5. Your child must be age 2 by September 1, 2018. The Children will have the opportunity to do finger plays, do crafts, sing, hear stories, have refreshments, check out books, and "learn about" a variety of activities.

The program will meet on Wednesday mornings from

9:30 to 11:30, beginning November 1st and continuing until the end of April 2018.

First day of class will be November 7, 2018. We are excited for the new changes being made to this program and hope to see you then.

You may register your children at the library Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 1-5 pm and on Tuesday from 11 am - 7 pm. The library is closed on Fridays.

Cottonwood Sporting Clays Shoot Set For October 13th

The Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control and the Cottonwood Historical Association are joining together again for their fall fundraiser Sporting Clays Shoot. The Cottonwood Fire Control is a volunteer nonprofit organization and is always in need of repair to the equipment and other essential supplies.

The Cottonwood Historical Association is a volunteer nonprofit organization in charge of two cemeteries and the upkeep of three historic buildings and is in need of monies to help in the repair of the buildings and the maintenance of the cemeteries.

The Sporting Clays Shoot will

be held on October 13, 2018 at Abilene Clay Sports range. The event consists of a 100 target walking sporting clay course. Awards will be given for high overall individual and high overall team. Event fee is \$125 per person. For registration or more information call Bob at 325-660-5771 or Roy at 209-601-0102.

The Crazy Quail Game will also be set up at the range. Gather up your family and enjoy the walking course or meet the challenges of the Crazy Quail.

Lunch will be provided for registered shooters.

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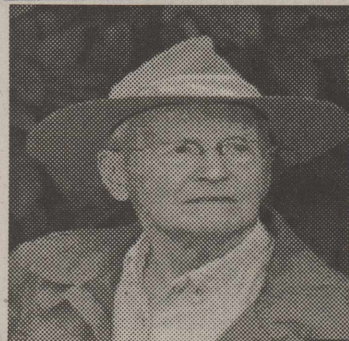
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RAIN: GOOD or BAD?

It usually rains enough right before dove season to fill ponds and puddles and scatter the doves. Occasionally, a hurricane in the Gulf comes ashore and inundates part of the state, ruining dove hunting as it did in coastal areas last year. But, this year, the opening day of dove season was dry. And hot. Then, it started raining and fields got sloshy. Our lease agreement says we are not to drive on the farm if it's muddy. We're into our 15th consecutive day of rain as I write this. That all-time record of 40 DAYS is getting closer.

Ted Clark, former TPWD dove project leader, often said that "...doves don't like to get their feet muddy." Ever see a flock of doves sitting on a power line after a rain? That may be why. They're ground feeders, and either aren't comfortable trudging around in a muddy field or their feathers got wet and they want to dry them for quick getaways from predators before they venture off the safety of the wires. Whatever the reason, it's been raining all month, so far, leading up to the opening of the regular season in the South Dove Zone on September 14. That probably disappointed hunters in those areas as much as it did shooters in the North and Central zones shortly after those areas opened. Much of the state has gotten rain, except the Panhandle.

But as dove season enters its third week, the wet conditions favor those intrepid souls that hunt teal. Early teal season opened September 15 and closes September 30, as does the Eastern Zone Canada goose season. Hunting waterfowl takes a certain amount of "want-to", but harsh conditions don't bother the dedicated. The "glass-half-full" guy observing a cold rain falling one winter day who termed it "A good day for ducks" must have been a duck hunter. Hunting teal in September at least doesn't involve near freezing weather. It does, however, entail other issues like hot weather, mosquitoes, and water



Early teal season is in full swing until Sept. 30. The limit is six teal a day. Pictured above are birds bagged by two hunters, but each hunter must carry the birds he shot. Number six shot size is recommended. Photo © John Jefferson.

moccasins. Be prepared and dress appropriately.

Teal are fast. Good hunters must be quick, too, but must be safe. Know where your hunting mates are well before you shoot. Blue-winged teal are usually the first waterfowl to arrive, but if you see a flight of smallish birds rapidly coming at you as if late to dinner, shoot 'em. All teal are legal in September. Kevin Kraai, TPWD's waterfowl leader, says shallow water with seedy vegetation is ideal for teal. Dark decoys and an experienced teal-caller will help. One year, we set

up on our deer lease lake over deep water and wondered why we didn't have any teal when daylight came. Now we know.

For all migratory waterfowl, you'll need a Texas hunting license with a migratory game bird endorsement, an H.I.P. certification, a Federal duck stamp, a hunter education certificate if age-required, a shotgun plugged to hold no more than three shells unless it's a double barreled piece, and non-toxic shells. A camouflaged face also helps. JJ

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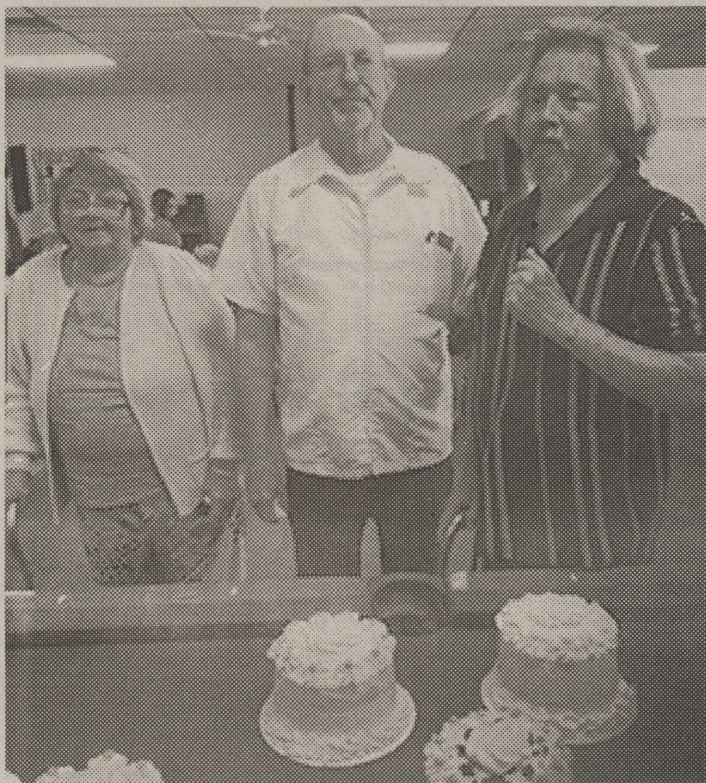
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More September Birthdays - Dorothy Reynolds, Ray Purvis and Brad Waggoner also celebrated their September birthdays at the Senior Center.

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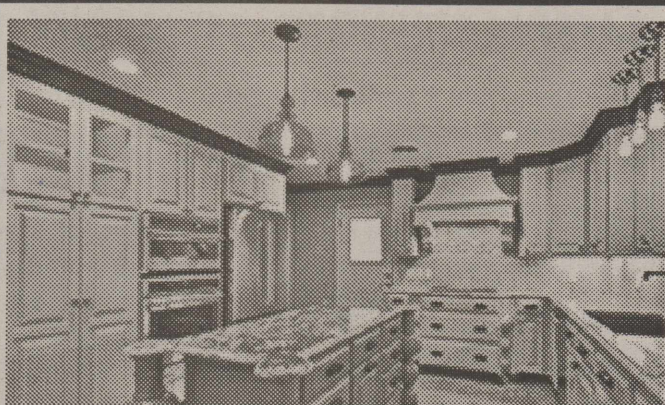
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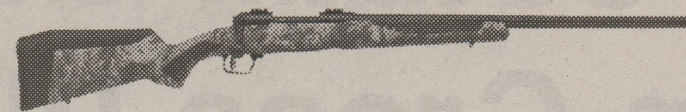
Friends of the NRA holding Second Chance Raffle for Savage 22/250

The Callahan County Friends of the NRA is now holding Second Chance Raffle drawing for a Savage Varmint 22/250 rifle to be raffled away on October 26, 2018.

The Callahan County Friends of the NRA stated by holding another raffle right after this past August annual banquet, the local chapter will be provided more auction items at next year's banquet.

The Callahan County Friends of the NRA raised just over \$21,000 at the Saturday, August 11th banquet.

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Top Fifteen Football Games in Cross Plains

By Buffalo Kid

#10 "Miracle at Miles" 2009
Coming into Miles, Cross Plains had lost 23 consecutive district games. Not since a victory over the Ranger Bulldogs by in 2004, the Buffaloes had yet to clinch win in the most important games of the season.

By halftime the losing streak looked like it was to extend to 24. Cross Plains was down 27-7 to start the second half and a victory was looking bleak. By the start of the fourth quarter still down 27-7, many people called the game over.

However, the Buffaloes refused to give up. Despite not recovering a single onside kick, the Buffs clawed their way back into the game making a 20-27 game with a combination of turnovers and great play calling. But for the Buffs, the ball was at the 50-yard line with just five seconds in the game.

But the football gods were looking down on Cross Plains that night. In a desperation Hail-Mary pass, the ball was miraculously caught for a touchdown with zero seconds left to make the 27-26.

In a gutsy decision, the Buffaloes elected to go for the Two-Point Conversion instead of kicking the extra point to send the game into overtime. As the crowd held their breath, the Buffs ran the ball up the middle and scored to win a wild 28-27 game for their first district win since 2004.

#9 "Toppling the Cats" 1950

For many young people of Cross Plains, Baird has been the number one rival for the Buffaloes. But for many older generations of Buffalo Fans, Rising Star has been enemy number 1.

The Wildcats and the Buffaloes have played a total of seventy times against each with Cross Plains leading the series (40-27-3). Only separated by 12 miles on Highway 36, the two teams have been natural rivals since playing their first game in 1928. In 1950 however, the rivalry reached new heights.

Rising Star was the defending district and regional champions coming into the season. In the 1948 and 1949 seasons, the Wildcats went a combined 24-0 including blowout victories over the Buffs. Seeking their first district championship since 1933, Cross Plains knew the road went through Rising Star.

In an early November matchup, it became clear the district championship was going to be determined between the two rivals. Sitting at the top of the standings, Cross Plains at 4-0 and Rising Star at 3-1, many people watched wonder if the Buffaloes could dethrone their rivals.

In a hard-fought battle between the two rivals, the

Buffaloes would vanquish their demons to beat Rising Star 18-14 to clinch a district championship, their first in seventeen years. This would also represent Cross Plains' first victory over the Wildcats in three years.

#8 "The Tussle at Twinkle City" 1996

The 1996 game between Rising Star and Cross Plains was all about one word. Defense. Both teams through three games had a combined total of three points allowed, a field goal by the Roby Lions in the Buffaloes 42-3 win.

For Cross Plains, this was about revenge. The Wildcats thumped the Buffs 46-7 to secure the final playoff spot. If the Buffaloes wanted to get back into the playoffs this year, they needed to beat their rivals.

The battle between the two teams became what everyone thought it was going to be, a defensive slugfest. With neither team's defense wanting to bulge, the Buffaloes and the Wildcats were held to a scoreless tie heading late into the fourth quarter. With 1:35 left in the game, the Buffs would finally break the Rising Star defense scoring on a 15-yard running play to win 7-0.

Both defenses that night held their opponents to less than 150 yards rushing and allowing less than 50 yards passing. The Buffaloes became the first team to score a touchdown against the Wildcats that season while their defense had not allowed a touchdown yet. However, one more hurdle needed to be clear.

#7 "The Big Country Showdown" 2016

From 2009 to 2015, the rivalry between Cross Plains and Baird was even 4-4. The rubber match between the two teams was going to be big, but the rivalry was being taken to new heights.

The game was on center stage in the Big Country as the Abilene Reporter News selected Baird-Cross Plains as the Big Country Game of the Week. It was the first time the game between these two had ever been elected.

With the majority of the sportswriters and local TV crews there in Buffalo Stadium, the stakes were risen much higher. Added on to the fact the Buffaloes hadn't beaten the Bears to two years, the fire continued to be stoked in an intense rivalry game.

For the fans on both sides, the game didn't disappoint. In a back and forth affair, Baird and Cross Plains traded blow for blow in an exciting game. By the start of the 4th quarter, the Bears lead the Buffs 32-26 on route to a third consecutive victory.

But in a stunning comeback,

the Buffaloes would score twice to take the lead 40-32 late in the fourth quarter. Going for it on 4th down, Bears would be stopped and Cross Plains secured the victory.

With the win, the Buffaloes would secure a 7-3 season, their best since 2001, and their first playoff victory since 1997.

#6 "The Drive" 1996

Fresh off their battle with Rising Star, the Buffaloes couldn't celebrate long as they were facing the defending district champions in the Gorman Panthers.

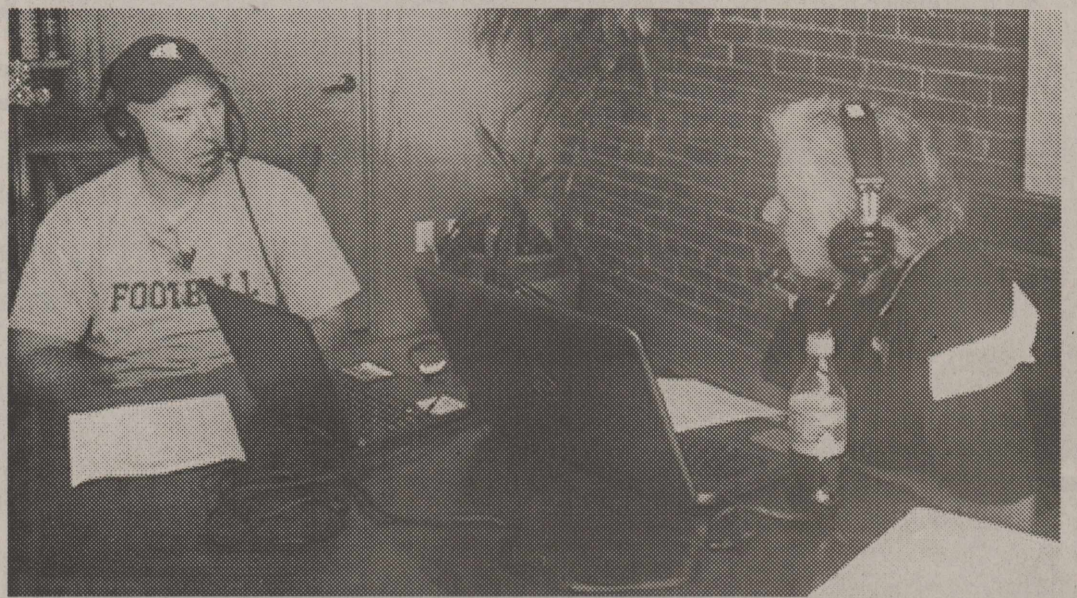
After the Panthers dominated the Buffs 34-0, Cross Plains was eyeing this game for a long time. With a playoff spot and vengeance on their minds, the Buffaloes were ready to steal the spotlight.

The Buffaloes and the Panthers were locked in another defensive slugfest. While Gorman was able to score a touchdown, the first one allowed by Cross Plains this season, the Buffs responded with a touchdown of their own to tie the game at 7-7 heading into the fourth quarter.

When Cross Plains got the ball back with 5:26 left in the game, they were faced with a daunting task. Down on their own 5-yard line, the Buffaloes needed to drive 95 yards to win the game.

In an unbelievable drive, the Buffs slowly drained the clock and marched on the field to the Panther 35-yard line. On the final play on the drive with 1:26 left in the game, the Buffaloes completed a 35-yard touchdown pass to secure the 14-7 victory.

The win over the Panthers would help lead the Buffaloes to a 7-1-1 season and a playoff victory for the first time since 1988.



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Youth will need to be registered to participate in the many activities that 4-H offers.

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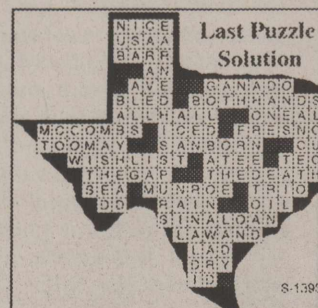
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CPHS Jr. Varsity Football Schedule

September 27	Roby here
October 4	BYE
October 11	Haskell here
October 18	Baird there
October 25	Albany here
November 1	Hamlin here
November 8	Roscoe there

Unless noted, Games start at 6:30.

CPHS Junior High Football Schedule

September 27	Ranger here; Roby here
October 4	BYE
October 11	Haskell here
October 18	Baird there
October 25	Albany here
November 1	Hamlin here
November 8	Roscoe there
7th Grade Games start at 4 p.m.; 8th Grade Games Start at 5 p.m.	

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Make the Most of Your Health Insurance

Schedule necessary appointments, tests and surgeries to maximize your health plan benefits before year end

During the fall and as the holidays approach, it's easy to forget to take advantage of your insurance benefits. Early October is a good time to review your outstanding health care needs and take full advantage of paid-up deductibles or available funds in Flexible Spending Accounts. "In considering their health care needs, people should also consider the best strategy for using their available health insurance plan benefits," said Dr. Tammi Cox, Brownwood Family Care. She went to say, "It is beneficial to take advantage of unused benefits to complete outstanding treatments or recommended tests or procedures before the year ends."

Most health insurance plans have a deductible requirement—a predetermined amount of healthcare expense

that must be covered before the plan begins paying the majority of (if not all) remaining expenses," Cox stated. "It's crucial to know how close you are to meeting your deductible—or if you've already met it; "because, once you reach that threshold, you have a limited window of opportunity to obtain health care services and have the bulk of that expense covered by your plan. Remember: a new year brings a new deductible," she says.

"The close of 2018 also affects individuals who have Flexible Spending Accounts (FSAs)—which are pre-tax dollars set aside primarily for health-related expenses. The Internal Revenue Service requires those funds to be spent—or forfeited—by December 31. It's a "use it or lose it" proposition," said Dr. Cox.

If you have been putting off scheduling care, such as an annual check-up, allergy testing, or knee-replacement surgery, it would be wise to

check your deductible status and your FSA balance to see if there's money to be saved, encourages Cox.

"It's important to schedule services promptly so there is enough time to have the test or elective procedure done before the end of the year. Getting everything squared-away by early December will help ensure the services you receive are considered part of your 2018 coverage," she said.

Every health plan is different. It is important to know how your plan works so you can get the most from your benefits.

So now is the time to review your health insurance coverage, deductibles and your Flexible Spending Account balance to take advantage of your Health Insurance Coverage for 2018. Remember 2019 begins a new year and a new deductible. Make those calls now to schedule those needed health treatments/procedures to be completed before the end of year.

After School Program Schedule

Cross Plains Library After School Program Schedule:

- Oct - Pilot Pete and his amazing air planes
- Nov - Weather
- Dec - Happy Birthday Walt Disney with Cher and Miss Rasbury
- Jan - Rock Painting with Kim Goldsmith
- Feb - Bathbombs with Christine Evans
- Mar - Dr Suess Birthday Cat in the Hat in the Library
- April - Microscopes lets take a closer look

Fiesta de la Paloma in Coleman on October 6th

Coleman Chamber Of Commerce Agriculture & Tourist Bureau Invites you to the 40th Annual Fiesta De La Paloma - back on the streets of downtown Coleman, on Saturday, Oct 6th the fun starts at 9:00 am til 11:00 pm. There will be a team roping at the Coleman Rodeo Grounds with books opening at 9:00 am and roping to begin at 10:00 am.

All other Fiesta events will be on the Streets Downtown, featuring the Cook off around the Court House, Exhibits at the Coleman Library Community Room, Vendors, Food Booths, 35ft Climbing Wall, Kiddy Train Rides, Balloon Animals, Car Show, Miss Coleman County

Community-Wide Garage Sale to be Held on October 6th

The kids are in school, now is the time to clean out the cupboards, the shop, and the garage. October 6th is the community wide garage sale and is a perfect day for everything to find new home (for a rehoming fee of course). For only \$5 you can put your address on the map and help insure that people find your



available treasures. Stop into Junkin Daze to sign up.

Rodeo Club Offers Roping, Sortings, Playdays and More

Ropings, Sortings, Playdays and Ranch Rodeos are just a few of the things that the Turkey Creek Rodeo Club has to offer. A family membership to the club cost \$25.00 a year and renews every January. Membership to the club gives you access to the arena when it isn't already in use and qualifies youth members for awards at the playday series.

The club is dedicated to helping youth and novice riders learn to ride safely and to have fun. The summer playday series even has a sportsmanship award for the competitor who displays the most sportsmanlike behavior. This awards is voted on by the other playday riders and helps

to bring home the concept that win or lose, character counts.

Even for those riders who don't have any desire to compete, having access to an arena is a asset when working with young horses. It isn't uncommon to see young hoses standing tied to the trailer at events as they get used to all the different smells and noises.

The club welcomes anyone who is interested in the finding out more about the club to call Ginger at 817-694-7991, email the club at TurkeyCreekRodeoClub@gmail.com , or follow the club on facebook.

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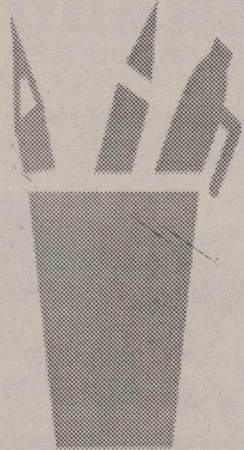


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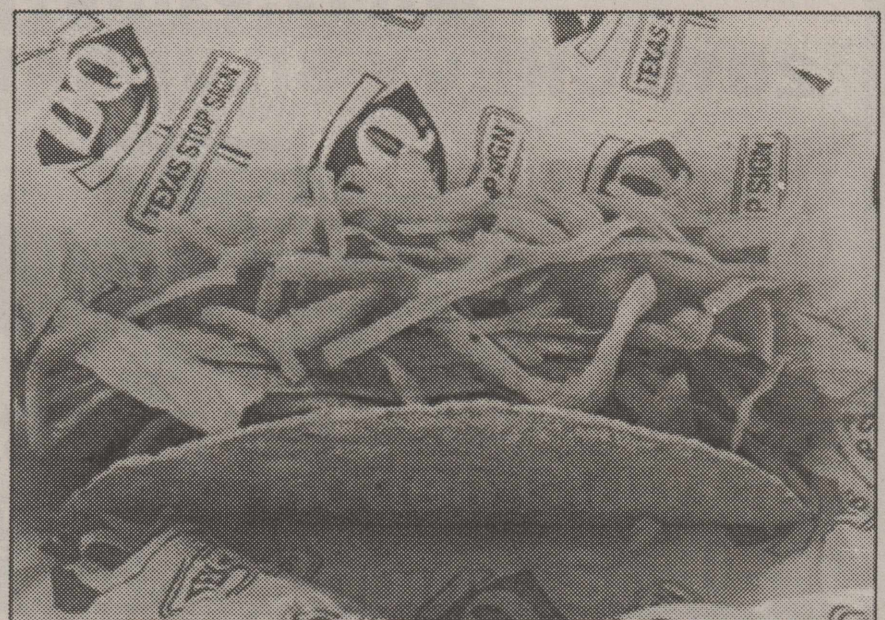
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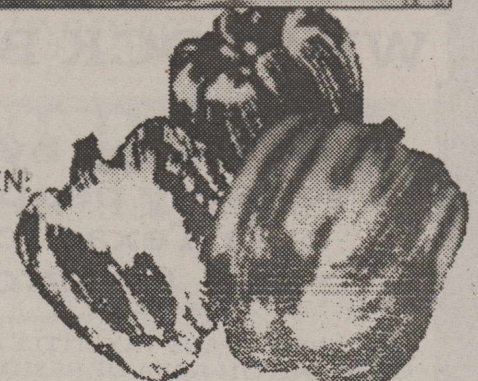
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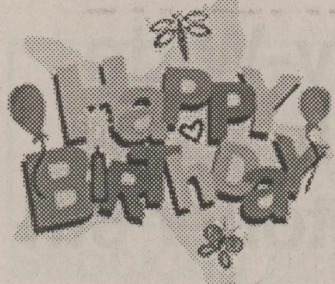
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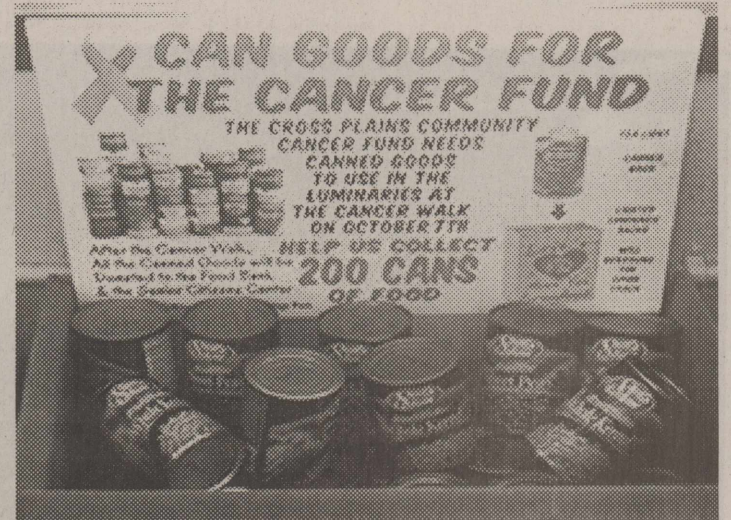
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200 Cans of Food are Needed for Cancer Walk

The Cross Plains Community Cancer Fund needs canned goods to put in the Luminary Sacks that will surround the walking track at the football field on the night of the Cancer Walk, Saturday, October 13th. 200 cans of food are needed. After the Cancer Walk, the canned goods will be donated to the Food Bank and the Senior Citizens Center. Please help the Cancer Fund by donating canned goods in our collection boxes at Lowe's Market and at the Senior Citizens Center.



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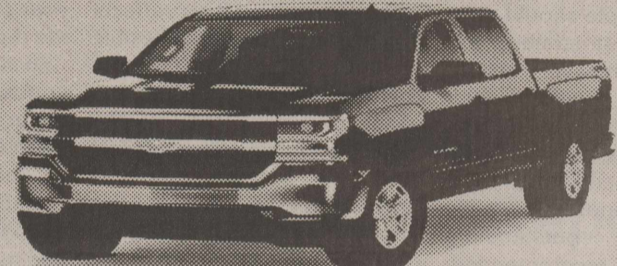
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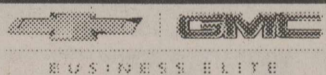


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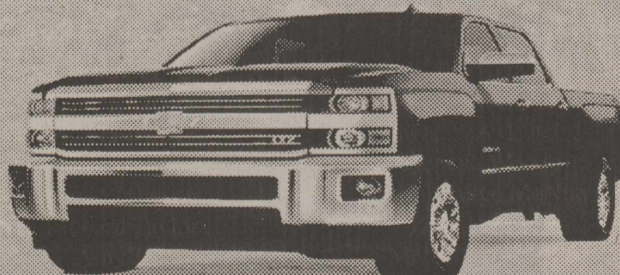
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High School "LOCO" Students - Excellence in the first three weeks of school.



Buffalo Breakfast Schedule

September 28	First Baptist Church
October 5	Bye Week
October 12	First United Methodist Church
October 19	Cross Plains Church of Christ
October 26	Cottonwood Baptist Church (Main Street Poolhouse)
November 2	First United Methodist Church
November 9	First Baptist Church
November 16	Cross Plains Church of Christ playoffs
November 23	Cottonwood Baptist Church (Main Street Poolhouse) playoffs

Buffalo Breakfasts begin at 7:00 a.m.



Junior High "LOCO" Students.

Local 4-H Holding Water Drive

Callahan County 4-H and the Cross Plains 4-H are collecting water for the Fire Departments and EMS. The Cross Plains members started collecting water at Junkin Daze and collected over 10 cases on Saturday. The drive will be held through October 13th. This is a wonderful way to support our volunteer firefighters and EMS

and is an excellent community service project for our 4-H members.

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School Board Minutes

September 19, 2018

The Cross Plains I.S.D. Board of Trustees met in a regular meeting with the following members present: Jack Shepard, Porcius Potter, Brian Allen, Michael Cowan, and Roy Richey. Davy Crockett and Bennett were absent.

The following administrators and guests were also in attendance: Supt Phil Mitchell, High School Principal Dade

Cosby, and Elem Principal Leslie Lawrence.

Prayer was led by Shepard.

Motion was made by Cowan and seconded by Allen that we approve minutes from August 7, August 30, and September 5th. For 5/Against 0

Motion was made by Shepard and seconded by Potter that we approve Investment Policy. For 5/Against 0

Motion was made by Allen and seconded by Shepard that

we approve Integrated Pest Management Policy. For 5/Against 0

Motion was made by Cowan and seconded by Potter that we review and approve school FIRST Rating. For 5/Against 0

Motion was made by Cowan and seconded by Shepard that we approve Accountability Rating. For 5/Against 0

Motion was made by Cowan and seconded by Shepard that we adjourn. For 5/Against 0

Old Issues of the Cross Plains Review Can Be Found Online

Good news at the Cross Plains Public Library for you genealogists and local historians! Past issues of the Cross Plains Review (and many other Texas newspapers) are now on-line through the Texas Tech Southwestern Collection.

The database is search able, and a single page or pages can be downloaded and printed. Many thanks to the great folks at the Southwestern Collection - and to Judy Luter for getting the projected started for us. Come by the Cross Plains Public

Library for instructions on how to access the Collection. You can also pick up instructions at the Library so you can get access from your own home computer.

Hawley Jubilee 2018

Friday

Oct 5

.Kickoff with our Cook-OffFriday Oct 5th @ 6PM

Ribs / Chicken / Basket categories; Cook Site prep

.Horseshoe / Washer pits open

.Music

Saturday

Oct 6

.Fun Starts @ 9AM

.Kids fun— Knockerballs, bounce house, petting zoo, obstacle course, face painting, games & crafts

.Vendors and Food Trucks

.Horseshoe / Washer tournaments Starting at 12PM

Register by 11AM, sign up individually or with a team-mate!

.Local Talent @ the Main Stage 12PM-2PM

.Car Show Hosted by GiGi Blue.....Awards!

.Big Country Bombshells

.Ice Cream / Dessert Cook off (Items due @10:50AM)

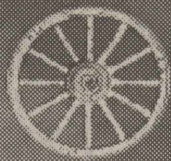
.BBQ Cook-Off Awards / Ice Cream & Dessert Cook-Off Awards 6:30PM

.Live Music @ 7PM (sponsored by Taylor Telecom)

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Shocking scandal of Judge John Brady

Sometimes who is brought high shall be brought low. And pride so often goes before a fall. This has been the story of many powerful politicians wrecked by scandals of their own doing. In 1929, Texans were shocked by the story of Judge John W. Brady, a powerful justice who murdered his mistress in the streets of Austin.

Brady was born in the small town of Brenham in April 1869. His parents had immigrated from Great Britain, and he had two brothers and two sisters. When he was two, the family moved to Austin. He attended Austin schools and graduated high school in 1887.

He attended the University of Texas and earned a law degree in 1891. After graduation, Brady opened up a private practice in Austin. He served in the army briefly during the Spanish-American War of 1898. He ran for city attorney in 1901 but finished second in a five-man race. Brady married Nellie Burns that year and later adopted a daughter. In 1902, Brady ran for Travis County Attorney and won.

His younger brother, Will Brady, became an attorney and prosecutor himself. The younger Brady was appointed district attorney for Reeves County, in far West Texas, in 1909 before becoming a judge in El Paso shortly afterward and then moving to California. Their parents followed him to California.

In the meantime, John Brady's political fortunes steadily rose. He was soon named assistant attorney general for the state. In November 1918, Brady was then appointed justice for the Third Court of Civil Appeals by Gov. William P. Hobby.

Though respected as an able

jurist, Brady's decline soon began. His drinking steadily increased. He began an illicit affair with Lehlia Highsmith. Brady found a number of jobs for Highsmith within the state government. But the relationship became unstable over time.

On the night of Nov. 9, 1929, Brady drank himself into a stupor and wandered over to Highsmith's boarding house. He was unable to find her at first. Then he saw her approaching the house with another man. He flew into a rage, argued with her, and then pulled a long knife and stabbed her to death on the spot. In one moment, he ended one life and destroyed his own.

Brady was immediately arrested, and news of the death spread across the state like wildfire. Even Austin, a city used to the strange, the bizarre, and even the violent political scandals, was shocked by the events. The city was riveted by developing reports and rumors flew.

In the furor over the murder, Brady was forced to resign his seat. The district attorney demanded the death penalty. So now the once-rising star in Texas politics was now ruined, and the former judge now himself faced the electric chair. He claimed ill health and under a doctor's care as he awaited trial. All of Austin awaited the proceedings.

The trial was held in Austin. Initially, Brady pled insanity because he was drunk at the time. But as Prohibition was still in effect in 1929, alcohol was illegal. Psychiatrists were brought in to testify. The defense convinced Brady's betrayed wife to testify on his behalf. The jury deadlocked as one juror held out his innocence while nine others called for Brady's execution.

Prosecutors decided for a second trial, this one in Dallas - far from the local publicity of Austin. The second trial was more subdued within the courtroom, but the publicity still swirled outside. In May 1930, Dallas jurors declared Brady guilty and sentenced him to only three years in prison, citing the death of Highsmith was not premeditated. After Dallas jurors read their verdict, Brady reportedly wept.

In the end, the jury showed far more mercy toward Brady than he had toward Highsmith. And all his power and all his connections could not save him. He was crushed under the weight of his own corruption. He reported to the state penitentiary in Huntsville in disgrace.

His wife did not divorce him over the affair or the death of the young woman. She stood by him while he served his prison term. Local papers noted how she met him at the prison gate at the state penitentiary in Huntsville in July 1932 and drove him home. His term was reduced even further by what prison officials described as overtime credits for his work.

Once he returned to Austin, he spent the next several years working as a legal researcher. He was respected for his work, but he spent the remainder of his years in quiet obscurity.

Brady died quietly at his home in Austin in December 1943. A long illness was cited as the cause of death, of entirely natural causes. His wife died shortly afterward.

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Dr. Ken Bridges is a Texas native, writer, and history professor. He can be reached at drkenbridges@gmail.com.



Cowboy Country Quilt for Cancer Walk on Display at Texas Heritage Bank

The Cross Plains Quilting Club has finished their new quilt for the Cancer Walk. It is currently on display at Texas Heritage Bank in Cross Plains. This years quilt "Cowboy Country" was created and hand quilted

by club members. Donation tickets are available at \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Members of the club are Wilma Lawrence, Polly Beeler, Helen Parson, Nora Pointer and Cathy Goode. Ann Beeler

embroidered the table toe the quilt. Come by the American Legion building on Tuesday's from 9 to 3 and visit with us. If you would like to learn this art, we'd love to teach you.

Texas Comptroller Announces Recognition for Financial Reporting

(AUSTIN)—Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar today announced his agency has received the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting from the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) for its fiscal 2017, Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR). The agency has received this honor for 28 consecutive years.

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In presenting the award, GFOA Technical Services Director

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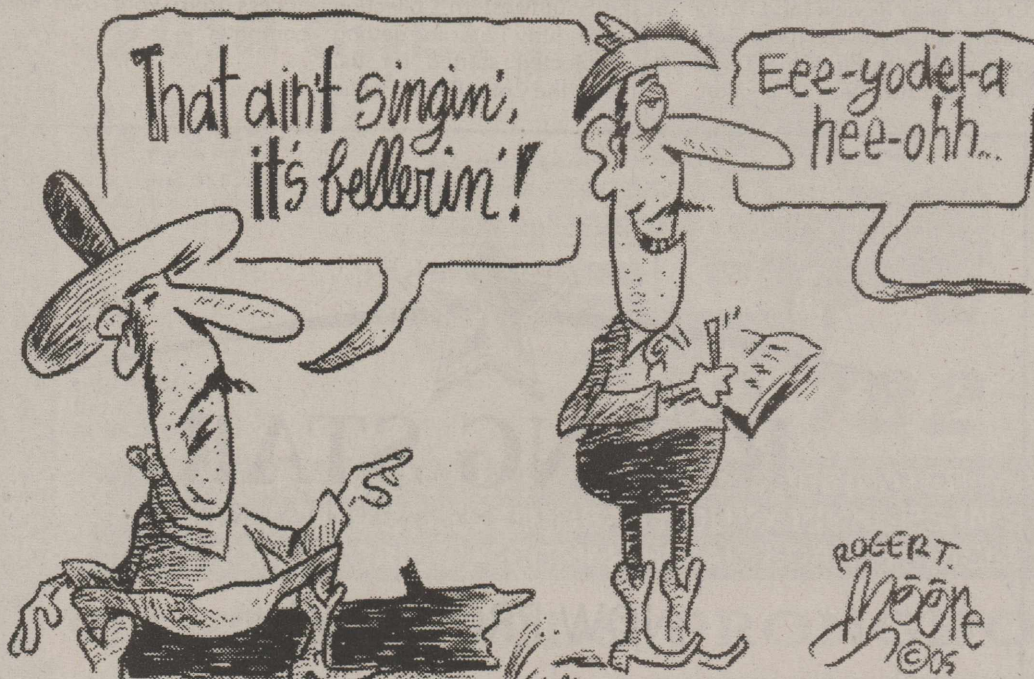
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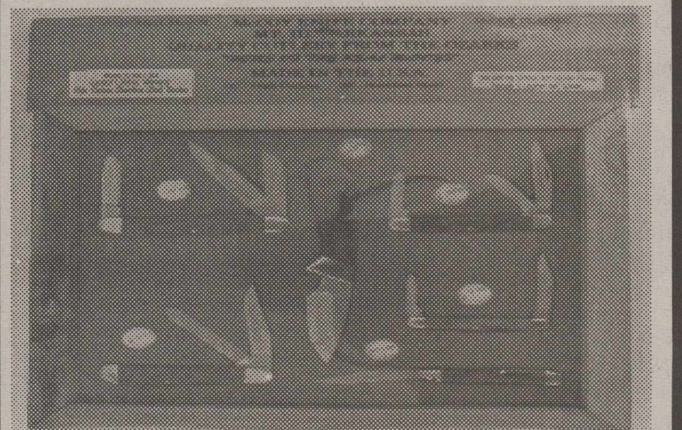
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Local Man to Participate in Living History Event

Jonathan Hopkins will be participating in the Annual Living History Event at Fort Griffin State Historic Site out of Albany.

Hopkins has been volunteering at the annual Frontier Days at Fort Griffin for six years.

The family also travels all over Texas to participate at other historic sites and events. Living History events are different than re-enactments and teaches about the life and times on the frontier, and reenactment portray the event.

Friday, October 12th, is student day at the Living History Event at Fort Griffin State Historic Site and it's free for all students and teachers and home schoolers. Saturday is for the public.



Jonathan Hopkins

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Buffalo Breakfast at the First Baptist Church Friday, Sept. 28th

The next Buffalo Breakfast is on Friday, September 28 at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains.

Breakfast will be served to the football players, coaches, cheerleaders, and band members at 7 a.m. followed by a short devotional.

The Buffaloes take on Plains at Snyder on Friday night, September 28st.

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2018 SWIFT Program Savings of More Than \$300 Million Announced

AUSTIN - (September 20, 2018) - The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) today announced the projected savings for Texas communities participating in the 2018 funding cycle of the State Water Implementation Fund for Texas (SWIFT) program.*

This week the TWDB sold bonds to provide approximately \$1.85 billion in state water plan project funding. The TWDB estimates the project sponsors will save approximately \$300 million by using the SWIFT program.

"In the first four years of the SWIFT program, Texas water utilities have saved approximately \$825 million," said TWDB Chairman Peter Lake. "These savings incentivize utilities to participate in the state water plan process and to develop water infrastructure projects that are instrumental in securing water for generations to come."

In its meeting today, the Board also established the interest rates for SWIFT participants. The rates were set as a result of the bonds priced earlier this week.

"The low-interest rates make the SWIFT program an appealing option for communities and projects of all sizes," said TWDB Board Member Kathleen Jackson. "The savings we provide communities through the SWIFT program allow utilities to pass on valuable savings to their rate payers."

The application period for the next cycle of the SWIFT program will open later this year. To be eligible for the upcoming cycle of SWIFT, projects must be included in the 2017 State Water Plan.

"More than 50 state water plan projects have received SWIFT financial assistance since the program's creation," said TWDB Board Member Brooke Paup. "With each project we finance through the SWIFT program, we are one step closer to ensuring that Texas has the vital water resources it needs."

SWIFT was established by the Texas Legislature and voters in 2013 to fund projects in the state water plan. More information on the SWIFT program is available on our website.

The TWDB is the state agency charged with collecting and disseminating water-related data, assisting with regional planning, and preparing the state water plan for the development of the state's water resources. The TWDB administers cost-effective financial assistance programs for the construction of water supply, wastewater treatment, flood control, and agricultural water conservation projects.

*The SWIFT program includes two funds, the State Water Implementation Fund for Texas (SWIFT) and the State Water Implementation Revenue Fund for Texas (SWIRFT). Revenue bonds for the program are issued through SWIRFT.

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Becky and Gil Tabor

BECKY TABOR'S MEDICAL FUND

A Fund has been set up for Becky and Gil Tabor at First Bank Texas and at First Financial Bank and at Texas Heritage Bank in Cross Plains. While vacationing in South Padre, Becky was in a tragic accident where a vehicle struck her. She was life flighted to University hospital in San Antonio where she has spent the last 6 days in ICU and was on a ventilator for 3 days. She has had surgery to repair a major fracture in her pelvis and still has 10 other fractures in her pelvis and 5 fractures in her lumbar. Becky also had a brain bleed that is resolving on its own but she will have a very long road to recovery.

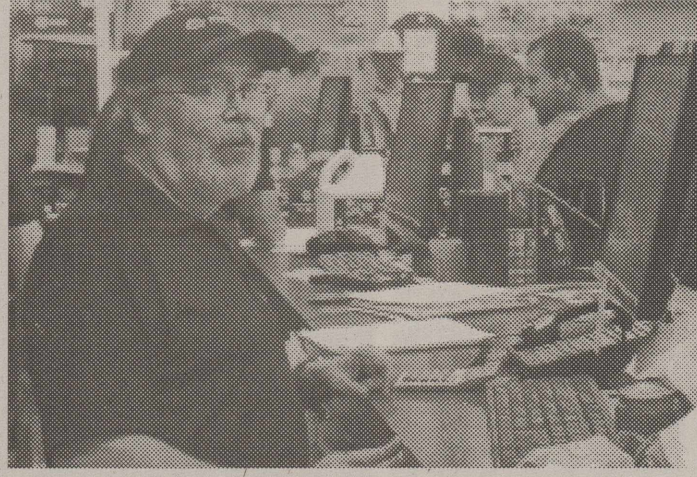
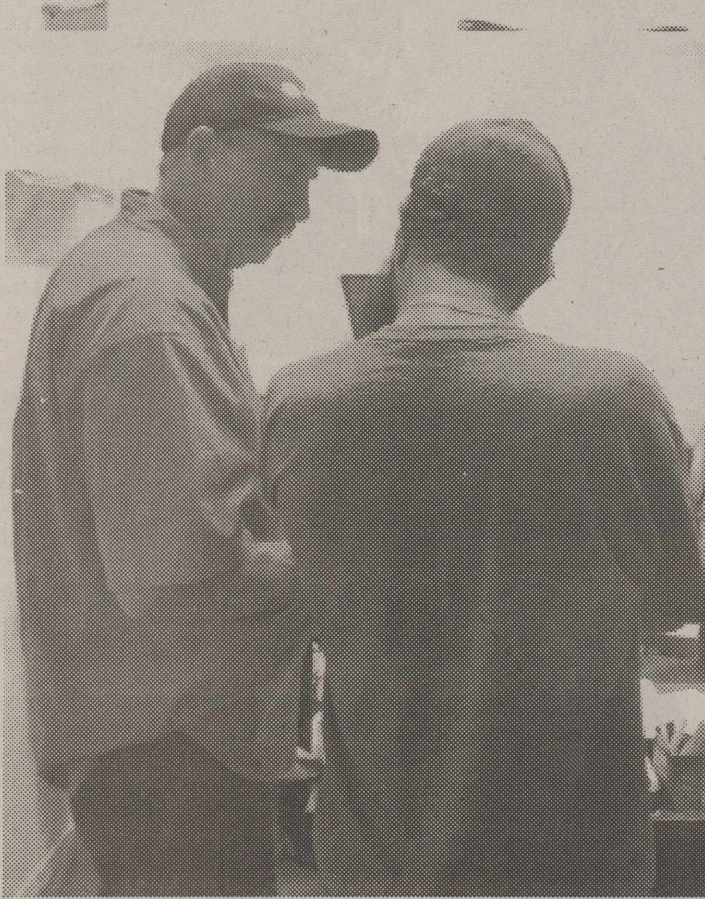
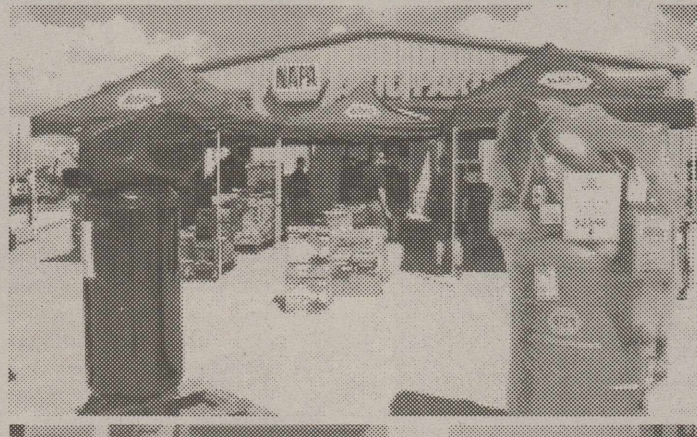
Family asks for any donations to help ease the burden of medical bills and the Tabor's daily bills will be coming in. Becky will need at least 3 months of intensive Physical Therapy.

If you wish to help the Tabor Family by depositing into the account for her Medical Fund you may do so at Texas Heritage Bank in Cross Plains or at any of the First Bank Texas locations at Baird, Clyde or Abilene. The account name is "Becky Tabor's Medical Fund" or "Becky Tabor's Benefit Account"

We are eternally grateful for all the prayers and all that our community has done for our family!

Office Supplies Available at the Cross Plains Review

Clyde Auto Supply NAPA Customer Appreciation Meat Raffle to Benefit Local Cancer Walk



Once again, Project Pride is teaming up with the Butcher Block to raffle off a \$200.00 variety meat pack to benefit the local Cancer Walk Fund. Tickets are available now and will be sold until the winner is announced on Oct. 13 at the big evening event at the school. The bright green tickets are available at the Butcher Block Processing, Bank, Library, the Senior Citizens Center or from any member of Project Pride for the regular \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00 cost.

The annual Cancer Walk is just one way Project Pride is involved with the community. Pride members decorate the windows at Higginbothams as well as setting up a lighted Nativity scene at the Robert E. Howard Museum during the Christmas season. Quite a number of years ago, Project Pride started their annual tradition of providing a lunch for all the school personnel during in-service training. Gradually the churches got involved and the idea has grown to several meals provided during that week as a way to support CPISD. Project Pride also donates cash prizes to Project Graduation.

Even if you have little use for a big meat pack yourself, you can put the Sr. Center's name of the ticket and they can always make use of a big meat pack. Several people did just that last year and although they didn't know who actually bought the winning ticket, they all got the joy of thinking they had purchased the winning ticket. The annual Cancer Walk is an awesome way to help our own with travel and housing expenses related to their cancer treatment. Project Pride and the Butcher Block are proud to be a part of such a caring effort.

Texas Lead the Nation in Job Creation

AUSTIN - Today, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics released state-level labor market data for August 2018. Texas employers created 32,000 net nonfarm jobs in August and the leads the nation with 391,000 net nonfarm jobs created within the last 12 months.

The Texas Public Policy Foundation's Director of the Center for Economic Prosperity and Senior Economist Dr. Vance Ginn issued the following statement:

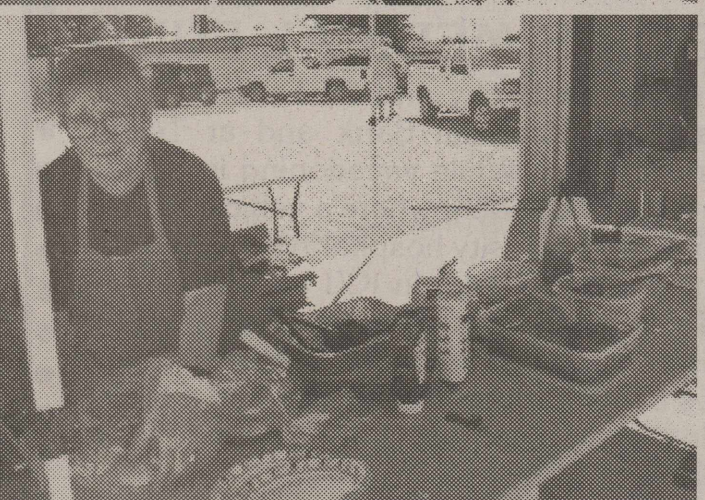
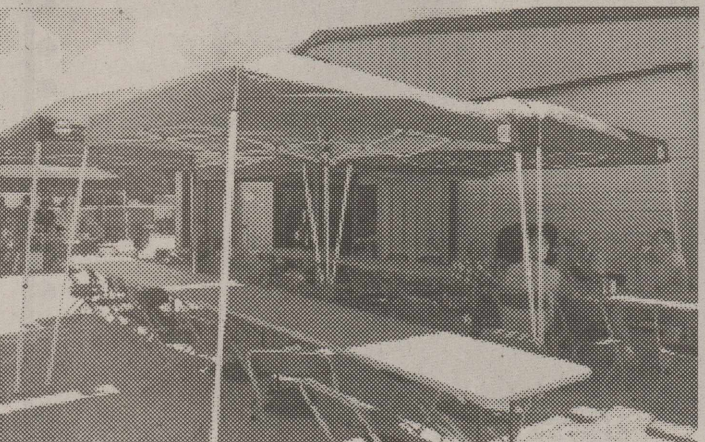
"Texas still leads the nation in job creation during the last 12 months with jobs added in every industry except information. Texas' annualized job creation pace of 3.2 percent is one of the most robust nationwide. This is yet another example of how lower-tax states tend to have faster job creation."

The Texas Workforce Commission reports Texas'

unemployment rate of 3.9 percent in August matches the U.S. average and the state's rate has now been at or below 5 percent for 49 straight months. Texas has now had positive job creation in 97 of the last 103 months.

The unemployment rates in major Texas metro areas remained essentially unchanged from last month: Austin-Round Rock at 3 percent, Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington at 3.6 percent, Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land at 4.3 percent, and San Antonio-New Braunfels at 3.5 percent.

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The Fall Armyworm—A Pest of Pasture and Hay

The fall armyworm, *Spodoptera frugiperda*, is a common pest of bermudagrass, sorghum, corn, wheat and rye grass and many other crops in north and central Texas. Larvae of fall armyworms are green, brown or black with white to yellowish lines running from head to tail. A distinct white line between the eyes forms an inverted "Y" pattern on the face. Four black spots aligned in a square on the top of the segment near the back end of the caterpillar are also characteristic. Armyworms are very small (1/8 inch) at first, cause little plant damage and as a result often go unnoticed. Larvae feed for 2-3 weeks and full grown larvae are about 1 to 1 1/2 inches long. Given their immense appetite, great numbers, and marching ability, fall armyworms can damage entire fields or pastures in a few days.

Once the armyworm larva completes feeding, it tunnels into the soil to a depth of about an inch and enters the pupal stage. The armyworm moth emerges from the pupa in about ten days and repeats the life cycle. The fall armyworm moth has a wingspan of about 1 1/2 inches.

The front pair of wings is dark gray with an irregular pattern of light and dark areas. Moths are active at night when they feed on nectar and deposit egg masses. A single female can deposit up to 2000 eggs and there are four to five generations per year. The fall armyworm apparently does not overwinter in north Texas, but survives the winter in south Texas. Populations increase in south Texas in early spring and successive generations move northward as the season progresses.

Management. Fall armyworm outbreaks in pastures and hay fields often occur following a rain which apparently creates favorable conditions for eggs and small larvae to survive in large numbers. Hay fields with a dense canopy and vigorous plant growth are often more susceptible to armyworm

fertilized and managed fields. Irrigated fields are also susceptible to fall armyworm infestations, especially during drought conditions. Also monitor volunteer wheat and weedy grasses in ditches and around fields which may be a source of armyworms that can move into the adjacent crop. Look for fall armyworm larvae feeding in the crop canopy during the late evening and early morning and during cool, cloudy weather. During hot days, look for armyworms low in the canopy or even on the soil surface where they hide under loose soil and fallen leaves. A sweep net is very effective for sampling hay fields for fall armyworms. When fields are wet with dew, armyworms can stick on rubber boots worn while walking through the field. Small larvae chew the green layer from the leaves, creating a "window pane" effect and later notch the edges of leaves.

The key to managing fall armyworms is frequent inspection of fields to detect infestations before they have caused economic damage. Once larvae are more than 3/8 inch long, the quantity of foliage they eat increases dramatically. During their final 2-3 days of feeding, armyworms eat 80% of the total foliage consumed during their entire development. The density of armyworms sufficient to justify insecticide treatment depends on the stage of crop growth and value of the crop. Seedling plants can tolerate fewer armyworms than established plants. Infestations of more than 2-3 armyworms (1/2 inch or longer) per square foot may justify an insecticide application. If practical, apply insecticides early in the morning or late in the evening when armyworm larvae are most active and therefore most likely to come into contact with the insecticide spray. If the field is near harvest, an early harvest, rather than an insecticide treatment, is an option.

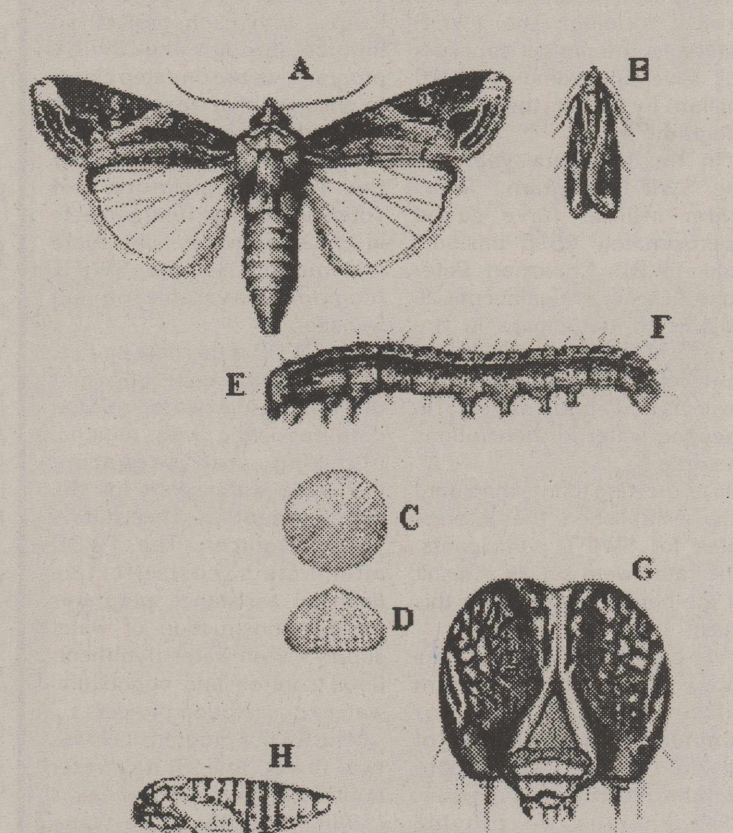
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Parasitic wasps and flies, ground beetles, and insect viruses help suppress armyworm numbers. However,

these natural enemies can be overwhelmed when large numbers of migrating moths move into an area and weather conditions favor high survival of eggs and larvae.

Active ingredient	Insecticide	Pre-planting	Post-planting	Remarks
Label/Trade Name	Key word	Pre-planting	Post-planting	
Carbaryl	Sevin	14	15	Control use
Chlorpyrifos	Dursban	0	0	Control use
Cyfluthrin	Brigade	0	0	Control use
Permethrin	Prothonos	0	0	Control use
Spinosad	Tristar	0	0	Control use
Thiamethoxam	Planthor	0	0	Control use
Trifluralin	TriForce	0	0	Control use
Zeta-cypermethrin	ProForce	0	0	Control use



Fall armyworm. A & B, Adults. C - E, Eggs (enlarged) and egg mass. F & G, Larva with front view of head. H, Pupa.