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EASTLAND COUNTY'S MISSION HOME FURNISHINGS GOES TO MARKET AT THE END OF THIS MONTH.

Burnett Hunt of Eastland joins a select number of artists and craftsmen selected to participate June 29 - July 3, 1991 in the Best Southwest Design and Craft Show at the Dallas Market Center.

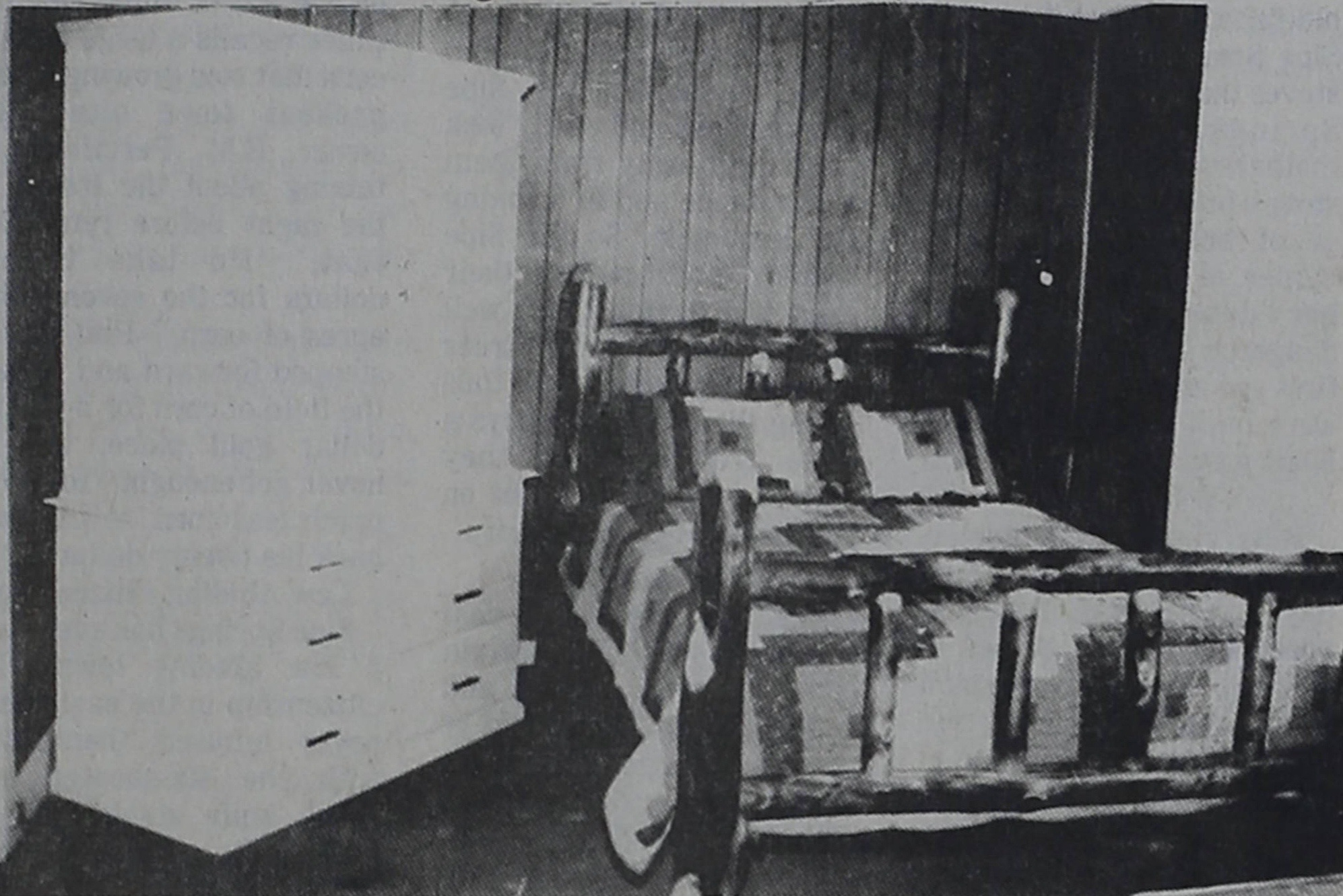
The show features an expanded concept that includes products from the West, as well as those with a Southwest flavor, according to Dallas Market Center officials. The Best of Southwest will unite artists and craftsmen of quality Southwestern products with wholesale buyers from all 50 states, as well as Canada, France, Germany and Mexico.

The 1990 show attracted more than 8,000 wholesale buyers and proved successful.

All Eastland Mission Furniture pieces are hand crafted originals from 100% solid wood products. No particle board is used and the only wood veneer used is 3/4" maple or birch plywood for shelving.

Armoires, wardrobes and entertainment centers are carefully constructed using 1 X 6

Mission Home Furnishings New Entry At Dallas Show



tongue and groove pine or aspen and finished with various Southwest colors.

Poster bed logs are cut by Mission in Colorado and Arkansas. Pine and Aspen logs are brought back to Texas where they are hand peeled, cut to various lengths, and then go through a drying process. Logs are then cut, drilled, and doweled one into the other to make beds available in various sizes.

"The Best of Southwest Design and Craft Show is expected to set a new standard of excellence this year," said Kathryn

Chamberlain, Dallas Market Center Marketing director. "The scope of the Best of Southwest will remain quality oriented, but will be broadened to accommodate a wider range of artists, craftsmen and buyers who might otherwise have excluded themselves."

This year the Best of Southwest is scheduled in conjunction with the Dallas Christmas Gift Market, the largest gift market in the country. The Christmas Gift Market typically attracts more than 25,000 retailers who buy general gift merchan-

dise, tabletop, floral, gourmet, stationery and bath, bed and linen.

The Best of Southwest Show attracts designers and buyers from galleries, museums, furniture and gift stores. Only authentic American products produced with attention to detail and superb craftsmanship are allowed in the show. An exhibitor selection committee reviews the work of prospective exhibitors to assure that each point meets the show's standards.

Mission Home Furnishings is a prime example of the quality craftsmanship displayed by all of the Best of Southwest exhibitors.

The Best of Southwest Design and Craft Show will be located in Market Hall on the Dallas Market Center complex June 29 - July 3, 1991.

CHAMBER MEETING

Ranger Chamber Board of Directors regular monthly meeting will be held at 12:00, June 24, at Lillies. All Directors and Members are invited to attend.

RANGER JAYCEE RANCH RODEO

Thursday, July 4th, Jaycee Rodeo Arena, 9 A.M. & 7:30 P.M. Contestants Call: 639-2382 or 639-2236. Events - Team Prnning, Double Mugging, Team Roping Branding & Milking, Four Man Team Entry Fee \$240.00.

Each of the other tables held a flag. All the decorations were hand-made needlepoint by Lorraine Feltmann.

The program was a joint effort of all who wished to express their thoughts on our flag, our nation, and our fraternity. The combination of the two Great Commandments according to Jesus in Matthew 22:37-40 is the basis of our great nation and our fraternal organizations.

The celebration closed with the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison.

At the camp's next meeting, July 2, these will be a drawing for an Afghan which was hand-made and donated by Joyce Hoover.

wish to join in the traditions and rituals of RNA.

Those attending the June 14 Flag Day celebration were: LeOma Arterburn, Mildred Hill, Lois Raley, Edna Huffman, Joyce Hoover, Loueise Britt, Johnnie Snapp, Gary Snapp, Lorraine Feltmann, Edwin Feltmann, Charlene Thackerson, Christy McMillan, and Thelma Powell, District Deputy.

The opening prayer was offered by Mildred Hill who expressed our great appreciation of God's watchful care over our service people in Desert

Storm, and asked for His continued graciousness for our nation.

The United States Flag was raised amid strains of The National Anthem. Then the Pledge of Allegiance was repeated in unison.

A salad supper was served to the guests who enjoyed lively conversation during the meal. The serving table was decorated with a centerpiece of red, white and blue carnations arranged in a basket with needlepoint eagles on each side. Uncle Sam stood beside the basket holding a flag.

Wal-Mart Grand Re-Opening



WAL-MART GRAND RE-OPENING -- Ribbon-Cutting by Department Heads and CofC Red Coats Friday morning officially re-opened the totally remodeled and up-dated Eastland Wal-Mart Center located on East Main St. Store Manager Mike Scott issued the following statement in welcoming all to the all-new center:

"Welcome Wal-Mart guests. You all have been very supportive of your Eastland Wal-Mart since October 1983. Through good times and bad times we are still going strong 8 years later. This extensive remodel you have endured these last two months, we are hoping has paid off for each one of you. We hope the new look your Wal-Mart has taken has exceeded your expectations. We extend a very big welcome again to each and everyone of our Wal-Mart guests. We want to thank you for shopping with us and our main goal is still to serve you with #1 service! Before we cut this ribbon I would like to say 'Yes! We all did survive our Wal-Mart remodel!'"

RANGER MARKET REPORT

The Market at Ranger Auction was very active and fully steady and stronger on all classes of cattle on a run of 400 head of cattle at its sale Thursday according to Jackie Gentry, Reporter. The next sale will be Thursday, June 27th. COWS: Choice, 48-55; Canners, 38-48; Stockers, 600-850; BULLS: Bologna, 62-70; Stockers 75-78; Utility, 52-62. STOCKER STEER

CALVES: Choice, 200-300 lbs., 1.20-1.50; 300-400 lbs., 1.17-1.20; 400-500 lbs., 1.10-1.17; 500-600 lbs., 1.00-1.07; 600-700 lbs., .95-.99/2. STOCKER HEIFER CALVES: Choice, 200-300 lbs., 1.10-1.24; 300-400 lbs., 1.07-1.15; 400-500 lbs., 1.00-1.06; 500-600 lbs., .95-.99; 600-700 lbs., .89-.95. COWS & CALVES: Good, 750-1025, Plain, 650-750.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

Jasper Massagee will be leading morning and evening worship services at the Second Baptist Church, Sunday, June 23, 1991.

CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY

Looking for something to do? Come to our "Family Crusade" at the Church of God of Prophecy, corner of Oak and Hunt St. Ranger, TX. Date set for the Crusade is Sunday June 23 - Wednesday 26. Starting time 7:00 P. M.

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KIDS CLUB TO OPEN JUNE 24th, 1991

ATTENTION RANGER YOUTH AGE 6-18!!!

The Ranger Kid's Club (located at the Boy's Club building on Pine St.) will officially open on Monday, June 24th. Club activity time will be from 9:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., Monday through Friday. Activities include pool, ping pong, basketball, volleyball, and table games. Girls are encouraged to bring Barbie's or other dolls for their own section of the club.

Kid's can bring a sack lunch. There are drink and snack machines available in the building.

Just like any club-The Ranger Kid's Club will have a few rules to maintain order. Kid's Club Supervisor this year is Jeremy Bibby.

The Kid's Club is sponsored by the Ranger Lion's Club and is under the direction of Patti Cozart.

A roster will be made of all members. Each member will sign in and out

with the supervisor each day. A form will go home and be returned with the signature of the parent or guardian.

The Kid's Club is being re-opened in hopes of providing a safe and fun place to be this summer. We hope everyone will participate and help make the club successful. For more information contact Jeremy Bibby at 647-3103 or Patti Cozart at 647-3963. See Ya Monday!

SCOREBOARD

Gary Walton of Whitewright, Texas and Billy Coburn of Savoy were chosen the 1991 Denison Herolds All Texomaland Baseball Teams Co-coaches of the year.

Coach Walton took over a Baseball team that had won just a handful of games the previous season to take them to the verge of post season play.

Gary is the son of Anita and Bill Walton of Ranger.



RNA FLAG CEREMONY

Carnation Camp #9059, Royal Neighbors of America met at the home of LeOma Arterburn at Lake Leon for a Flag Day celebration. This is an annual event for this RNA group. RNA is a life insurance fraternity which has been in existence for ninety-six years. Carnation Camp #9059 has been a part of the fraternity for many years, although it has struggled from time to time to stay active. Several fine ladies have worked diligently to keep this group operative. The camp is rallying and is looking for persons who

A HISTORY OF SIPE SPRINGS

(By Miss Carrie Childress)

Just who was the first to discover the seeping springs from which the town of Sipe Springs received its name, whether some lonely cowboy drew rein under the big live oak tree that stands on the branch, to rest himself and his horse, and saw the sparkling waters flowing down the opposite bank from the spring, or whether the Indians had a well beaten trail to the springs, and the early comers followed this trail to water for himself and his herd is not known. But one of the pioneer citizens of Sipe Springs, who still resides here (John C. Plott), who came to this country when a boy twelve years old with his parents, Culpepper Plott, and wife in January '70, and settled on Sabano creek about six miles north of the present town of Sipe Springs, recalls that at that time Schmick, Follis and Cage had their headquarters ranch on Sabano; Bill Follis lived on the place now owned by N.J. Pounds, and Ike Schmick lived further down the creek on the place recently owned by Henry Tyrone. In the summer of '70, Mr. Plott says, he was helping herd cattle for Schmick, Follis and Cage, and one morning Henry Schmick, who was herd manager, told the boys to herd the cattle down to the Sipe Springs branch, and then back to Dudley Flat. This is the first time any of the pioneers remember hearing the name of Sipe Springs branch.

But more settlers came in '72 and by '73 there was a sufficient number here to start a town. Among this number was Cal Watkins, J.J. Smith, M.W. Hall and Rev. James Buckmaster. These gentlemen organized a town site company and attempted to start a town on the hill about one and a half miles south of the present site on what is now known as the Mrs. Mattie Duke farm, but recently purchased by Sam Morgan. No titles were passed to lots in this town site, however, as no one had any rights except squatters' rights, and it was soon found that water could not be obtained at this place. However, M.W. Hall had opened up a general merchandise store carrying everything needed at that time even the supposedly necessary barrel of whiskey with the tin cup setting on top of the barrel; so when the town moved down to the site now known as "old town," M.W. Hall moved his store to the lot where the old rock store building now stands, his building at that time, however, was only a log and picket building.

Naming of the Town
Then came the naming of the town. Another of our pioneers, M.W. Wyatt, then a boy, recalls as does John C. Plott, that there was considerable discussion as to the spelling of the name. The name Sipe Springs had been decided upon, the spelling of the word had its advocates and its friends. Finally Cal Watkins unearthed an old Worcester unabridged dictionary and they found that according to Worcester that Sipe with the "i" marked with two dots (..) is pronounced the same as seep or seep, and thus it was unanimously decided to spell the name Sipe Springs, and nothing annoys the old timer more than to have some tenderfoot come in and go about saying SIPE (pronounced with long sound of i) Springs. In fact, the first time the train ran thru Sipe Springs and the negro porter sang out Sipe Springs, he was notified at once not to make the error again.

First Settlers
W.L.D. Whitesides came to this country from Arkansas in December, '69. A month later, January '70, his wife, Mrs. Fannie Whitesides, her father and mother, Culpepper Plott, and wife, and two sons, Elias and John, and Mr. Plott's brother, Elias, Sr., came to this country. These people lived on Sabano until the fall of '70 when they moved to Sweetwater. Ship Carnes piloted them from Sabano to Sweetwater and in making this move they cut

the "first wagon road thru this section of country. The road coming thru the present town of Sipe Springs.

In the summer of '71, George O'Neal built a box house south of Sipe Springs on the Caddo place, the place now known as the Will Brewer place, hauling the lumber from either Waco or Hearne. In the fall of '71 Culpepper Plott bought the improvements from Mr. O'Neal and Elias Plott, Jr., settled what is now known as the Hugh Foster place; Elias Plott, Sr., settled what is now known as the Irby place and Bill Whitesides settled the place where his widow, Mrs. Fannie Whitesides, now lives. At an earlier date there had been an old ranch in that section with headquarters at what is now owned by Mrs. Jennie Foster, but in '70 this had been abandoned.

The summer of '72 brought to this settlement the families of Sam Percifield, Jess Thurman, Cal Watkins, Fate Watkins, E.W. Plott, Pratt Scarlett, J.J. Smith and Gayle Elliott and his mother, Mrs. Huff; and young men, M.T. Leonard, Ike Snow, Bill Snow and John English. In the fall of '71, October 6, J.L. Dewey and his wife and son, E.B. Dewey, landed in the settlement. Just one week later, Daniel Wyatt and family (his son, M.W. Wyatt still resides here). James Buckmaster, James Murphy and Mrs. Martha Murphy, pitched their tents in this settlement. The spring and summer of '73 brought M.W. Hall, Tom Hale and wife, Capt. J.F. Childress and family, Sam Bryant and family, George Fry, Gus Rogers, John Falls and Bill Shultz.

First Houses Built
Cal Watkins built the first house in Sipe Springs, a double log house just across the Sipe Springs branch from the spring and near the spot where Ted R. Jay now lives. Sam Percifield built a log house under the big live oak trees that mark the site of the school building, used until the erection of a new brick building two years ago or in 1922. Jess Thurman built a log house across the street from the residence now owned by N. Crane. Gayle Elliott and his mother bought out the improvements on south Copperas from Hog Mullin, just west of what is known as the old Bob Wagon place on present crossing of the Sipe Springs-Comanche road.

M.T. Leonard took up a claim on what is now known as the Joplin farm, now owned by Earl Morris and Jim Scoggin and later sold his claim to M.A. Dry. E.W. Plott settled the Bryant Place, he died in '73 and Sam Bryant bought his claim from his widow. Jim Plott settled what is known as the Westbrook farm two miles east of Sipe Springs and cut and hewed logs on Jimmys creek and hauled them and erected the old log house which now stands on the place.

Captain Childress bought out the improvements and claims of Cal Watkins across the Sipe Springs branch. The town site was later laid off of the Childress and Percifield places, Martin Duval was the surveyor for the town site. John Falls settled a place west of Sipe Springs branch known as the old J.C. Smith place now owned by S.T. Zellars. Rev. James Buckmaster settled what is known as the Mattie Duke farm one and one-half miles south of town. J.J. Smith settled what is known as the Boswell place. Daniel Wyatt settled the place now owned by his son, M.W. Wyatt. James Murphy settled the Barnes place, Mrs. Martha Murphy the Stamey place and John English the Lloyd place.

First Sunday School
Rev. James Buckmaster was a preacher of the gospel of the United Brethren faith and in a short time after he settled his place south of town, he with the others of the settlement erected a picket school house and there Rev. Buckmaster organized a Sunday school. It was here, too, that the first school was taught, William Jude was the first teacher, teaching in the spring of '73

thru the summer until the fall.

School Moves With Town
When the town moved off the hill to the location on the Sipe Springs branch, now known as old town, the school moved and a second picket school house was erected with split log seats, this building stood just across the street in the west part of town near where the Sipe Springs-Rising Star road now crosses the branch.

This picket school house served as a church, and the split log benches as pews for the citizens of Sipe Springs for several years. W.N.R. Neal was the second school teacher. Mr. Neal lives in California, and is a grandson-in-law of Rev. Buckmaster. Cal Hargroves was the third school teacher. The third school house was a plank building erected about fifty yards southeast of the site of the picket building then used, and the lumber was hauled from Fort Worth with ox teams. F.K. Stamey, Jep Christmas and John Allen were the draymen who hauled the lumber. The fourth school building was a large, three roomed building built in the shape of an 'L' in the north part of town off the J.R. Stewart farm. The fifth, a more commodious building, was built on the same spot in 1908 and was used until the large brick building was erected in 1922, on the beautiful site in the east part of town.

The Earlier Businesses
Among the early business concerns in Sipe Springs was M.W. Hall, general merchandise. His business was conducted in a part picket and part log house where the old "rock store" now stands in the old town. Mr. Hall kept a wagon on the road from Sipe Springs to Waco, hauling merchandise, and many a housewife in Sipe Springs has waited for Mr. Hall's freight wagon to come in with sugar before she could make her Sunday cake. Mr. Hall bought his groceries from Kellum and Rotan in Waco and his dry goods from H.L. Blum.

W.L.D. Whitesides built a picket building just east of where Robert Humphreys now resides and Bill Crawford ran a mercantile business in this for a while. Tob Anderson built a house of rawhide lumber on the corner of the block north of where Hall located his store. This was later bought out by J.A. Rice and Co., this business was bought and sold until almost every general mercantile business man in town had something to do with this in some way.

J.A. Rice and Co. sold in a bankrupt sale and was bought in by J.C. Smith and Steve Roach. Stamey and Jacobs later bought these parties and moved the stock across the street. Roach again put in a business in the same building and later sold to Morgan and Dry; they in turn to T.C. Yantis. Yantis had various partners, at one time the firm was Yantis & Dewen, then Dewey sold to Frank Weaver at Rising Star and the firm name changed again to Yantis & Weaver.

In 1908 this old building was destroyed by fire in a great conflagration that swept almost the entire town. It was replaced by a new building and is one of the connecting links in the business section of the old and the new town. This building was bought by Jackson and Dings when the railroad came in 1911 and moved to the present site of the First National Bank building. Later it was sold to D.L. Morris and Son and with the coming of the oil boom these gentlemen sold this building to some parties from Dublin, Texas, who later sold it to the First National Bank stockholders, who remodeled the building as it stands today. Others in the dry good business, as many will remember was M.A. Dry, and Davidson and Bailey, this firm later took the name of Dry and Davidson. The Grangers also had a business here at one time and was managed by a Mr. Rockmore. Fire originating in this building took this business together with the business of Stamey and

Jacobs, also the postoffice in this building was lost.

First Drug Stores
The first drug store was opened by Tom Miller on the west side of the main street in the old town, then came Charlie Taylor, Yantis and Creach, Dewey and Roach and Westbrook; then on the east side Elias Plott, Sr., put in what was known as the Palace drug store, in the two story frame building in the same block but on the opposite corner to M.W. Hall's general mercantile business, the second story was occupied by the Masons as their lodge room. Elias Plott was succeeded by his nephew, John C. Plott, who in 1900 sold the business and building to Gus Gilbert and he in turn to J.H. Williams, who moved this building to the present townsite in 1911. In the same year it was destroyed by fire.

The first doctor in Sipe Springs was Dr. Ross, then came Dr. Hammock, Dr. Cloud, Dr. Crawford, Dr. Roach, Dr. Davis, Dr. Burrows, Dr. Westbrook, and Dr. Marks. There have been several other doctors who have been here at different times, among them Dr. Chilton and Dr. Thomas of Comanche, but Dr. W.J. Westbrook is the only one remaining who connects the old town with the new.

Lawrence Woods built the saw mill and grist mill in '74. In '78 Tom Yantis built a flour mill, next came R.H. Spinks, who bought out Lawrence Woods and also added a flouring mill and gin to his plant. Sipe Springs was for sometime the milling and ginning center of West Texas, people hauling their cotton to be ginned and their grain to be milled from as far west as Buffalo Gap.

First Postoffice
The first postmaster was M.W. Hall. For sometime men took turns carrying the mail from Comanche once a week. Later Nim Childress, a lad of ten was the first mail carrier. He rode an old mule named Jude to Comanche once a week. Money orders were limited in those days, only a certain number could be bought per day and it was frequent that Nim and his mule had to spend the night in Comanche in order to get the number of money orders sometimes desired. Ned Carrington, the second postmaster died while in office and F.K. Stamey, who was serving as his assistant, became postmaster and it was while Mr. Stamey was postmaster that Sipe Springs had their first money order office.

With the coming of the Chedister stage line from Fort Worth to Fort Yuma, Ariz., the mail route was changed and Comanche received her mail daily from Sipe Springs, this was in '79 and Sipe Springs received her mail daily by the stage line from Eastland. The stage was started in '78 and a great deal of history connects itself with this stage line. E.B. Dewey recalls that the late J.A. Holman of Comanche was one of the relay drivers, driving from Stephenville to Brownwood. The Childress home took on the pretensions of a hotel at that time when Mr. Chedister, an old friend of Captain J.F. Childress, established headquarters for his stage line at the Childress home. Another instance that lingers in the memories was the removal of the negro troops from Fort Concho to Fort Sill, the negro women and children being transported by the stage, but the black line of negro soldiers marching thru the streets of Sipe Springs made an impression that the boy or girl of Comanche county who saw them will never forget.

After the stage line was discontinued Sipe Springs received her mail from Carbon, Oliver and Johnnie Edgington being mail carriers on this route for sometime. The mail later came from Gorman until the coming of the railroad in 1911.

Justices of the Peace
E.W. Sublett was the first justice of the peace, Ned Carrington the second, E.B. Dewey the third. Many jokes are told on these interpreters of the law. It was told that E.W. Sublett had two couples

that wanted to be married at the same hour, in opposite directions from town, so to accommodate both couples, Mr. Sublett deputized a party to marry one couple, while he went and performed the ceremony for the other. E.B. Dewey tells the story on himself that he was justice of the peace a year and a half before he knew it was not legal for him to go into Eastland county and marry a couple. Many justices of the peace have come and gone, but perhaps none have been more necessary than these three early interpreters of the law.

First Stoves
M.T. Leonard, one of the old timers, who still lives in Sipe Springs, built the first stoves that were used in Sipe Springs. Many of the mothers were as proud of the stoves built by Mr. Leonard out of rock and mud in some corner of her log house as her daughter or granddaughter has been over her first gas range. These stoves were built on the order of a bakery oven.

First Churches
Rev. James Buckmaster, who organized the first Sunday school was the first preacher of the gospel in Sipe Springs. The Baptist church was organized first in Sipe Springs at the close of the first protracted meeting ever held in Sipe Springs. This meeting was conducted by Choctaw Robinson and a minister by the name of Byers. At the close of the meeting the church was organized and among the charter members were: J.D. McKeehan and wife, Sam Bryant and wife, W.H. Key and wife, Mann Dunn and wife. The church records have been lost and it is not known the date of the Methodist church organization, but it was in the early seventies by Rev. Peter Gravis. The Methodist church building was completed in 1888 and still stands on the beautiful hill in the southern part of town. The Baptist church building was dedicated in 1891 on the site where it stands today.

First Marriage
John English and Miss Florence Sublett were the first couple married in Sipe Springs. The romance of the story goes like this, the couple were betrothed on Round Mountain and were married at the little picket school house on the hill south of town by Rev. James Buckmaster in '73. It has been told but we do not claim it to be authentic, that theirs were the first marriage license issued in Comanche county.

First Death
Pratt Scarlett, who came here in '72, died in '73. His was the first grave that was made in the Sipe Springs cemetery. Mr. Scarlett was a Mason and while there was no Masonic lodge here at that time, what few Masons were here attended the funeral services and assisted in the ceremony. One of the pioneer citizens who is still living tells us that he was present in the morning and took part in the joyous occasion of the first marriage in Sipe Springs, that of Mr. English and Miss Sublett, and the evening of the same day was called to mourn the death of the first citizen who passed away.

First Picnic
The citizenship of Sipe Springs was not of the lawless class of people but were of the type of men and women who came to the frontier determined to win against odds and their ideas and ideals were to provide good wholesome entertainment, so on the Fourth of July '73 the whole community met together for a basket picnic under the live oak trees between where the Methodist church now stands and the Wyatt home. Picnics are not picnics without red lemonade and E.B. Dewey tells us that he was the dispenser of this thirst quencher, striped candy and other articles to be found in the confectionery at that time and that he took in a bushel measure of nickels that day. One of the usual features of every picnic is public speaking and it is recalled that Cal Watkins was one of the principal speakers of the day and

perhaps John D. Stephens, who later was sent to Austin as a member of the Third House to get a bill thru the legislature putting this land on the amrket. Up to this time no one had any rights except that of squatter's claim. One of the pleasing features of the picnic was the barn dance in which young and old alike took part. Sam Percifield and Thaxton of Comanche were the principal fiddlers of the day.

It is recalled that Mr. and Mrs. M.W. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Dewey, Mr. and Mrs. William Judd and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Percifield composed the first set that was danced that day. It is said that the Comanche boys were present that day and had "outshown" the Sipe Springs boys and easily took their girls away from them in the dance and in drinking red lemonade. So the Sipe Springs boys seized their axes and having them well ground felled some trees across Comanche road, thus giving the Comanche boys a little trouble when they started home that night on account of their popularity.

First Cattle Deal
The first big cattle deal was in '70, when Peter Smith came from Arkansas and bought five hundred head of six-year old steers from Schmick and Follis at ten dollars per head. Mr. Smith paid for these in twenty dollar pieces. Mr. Smith was an old time Arkansas friend of Culpepper Plott and John C. Plott recalls that when he rode up to his father's home, he took the saddle bags containing the gold and threw it across the fence. Mr. Plott asked him if he had better not take it in the house but Mr. Smith remarked, "I guess it will be all right there," however, Mr. Plott, for fear that a coyote might come along and drag the saddle bags away, took the money in the house and turned it over to his wife for safe keeping thru the night. Mr. Smith drove the steers thru to Shreveport, La.

Banking in Shoes
Tom Hale, who came to Sipe Springs in '73, tells us the following story: His wife put six hundred dollars in gold in an old shoe, tied it up and threw the shoe under the bed, a mischievous puppy came along and dragged the shoe across the road, a neighbor coming along found the money, took it into the house and turned it over to the rightful owner.

Captain Hall Organized Minute Men
Captain Hall organized a company of Minute Men in '73 for protection of the settlers against the Indians. In '73 the Indians drove off the horses of Justice and Watkins on Sabano. A man by the name of Gass Evans notified the company and they followed the Indians into Callahan county and recovered the horses. The last Indian raid was made in '74, when the Indians killed Bob Leslie on Rush creek. In leaving the country they touch the point where the house now stands on the old Tom Hale place east of town and swung into the north and west. A few earlier raids had been made in the early part of January '70, the Indians raiding the Schmick and Follis ranch, and driving off the horses; Bill McGuire, the only man on the ranch who had been left to protect the women and children shot at the Indians but they made their get-away with their horses.

First Lodges
The Sipe Springs citizenship has always been composed of people who believed in fraternities. In '77 the I.O.O.F. lodge organized with the lodge room over the W.M. Hall building. E.W. Plott, Elias Plott, Dr. Hammock, S.M. Percifield, J.C. Smith, Z.T. Brooks, T.R. Deens and J.W. Morgan were among the charter members. In '82 the Masonic lodge organized with J.C. Smith, E.W. Plott, Capt. J.F. Childress and Sam Bryant among the charter members. Both lodges have flourished, the Masonic lodge being the parent lodge of Rising Star, Carbon, Gorman, May and perhaps one or two other lodges in this section. Both lodges met in

the same room, over the W.M. Hall building, a movable petition made this possible. In later years each lodge had their own building. Another lodge that held a place of importance in the early history of Sipe Springs was the Temperance Council. This was more of a social than fraternal organization and every one from twelve years old up could be a member of this order, and almost the whole community availed themselves of this privilege.

June Freeze
The early settlers still recall the June freeze of '78, corn was in silk and tassel and was frozen to the ground on the 9th of June. One old timer recalls a large field of corn that was growing on the present town site. The owner, S.M. Percifield, in talking about the freeze of the night before remarked that, "I'd take twenty dollars for the seventy-five acres of corn." Phil Payne stepped forward and bought the field of corn for a twenty dollar gold piece, but he never got enough "fodder," much less corn, to pay him back his twenty dollars.

Law Abiding Citizenship
Sipe Springs has ever been a law abiding town. Her citizenship in the early days never amused themselves with the six-shooter and Bowie knife stunts that so many writers love to portray in the western life. Foot races, tournaments and baseball were early favorite amusements. A foot race between Sage Nichols and Frank Wilson is still recalled today. Mr. Wilson had come to Comanche with a record as a champion foot racer. On one of his visits to Sipe Springs Sage Nichols, one of the champion foot racers of Sipe Springs, was matched to run a race with Mr. Wilson. Mr. Nichols outran Mr. Wilson so far that Mr. Wilson gave Mr. Nichols his running shoes and said that he would never run again.

Until the coming of the oil boom it has been said that Sipe Springs has never had a lawless murder, during that time one man was killed in a gambling hall. The mob made a few raids thru the Sipe Springs as it did all thru Comanche and Brown counties but their intent and purpose was to stop the cattle stealing which the law seemed powerless to prevent.

The Railroad in 1911
When the railroad came in 1911 the business section of Sipe Springs moved from its pretty location on the Sipe Springs branch to the beautiful hill site location where it now stands. Plott-Stamey Company erected a large brick building and conducted a general mercantile

business. The State Bank of Sipe Springs also built a brick building on the opposite corner from the Plott-Stamey building. A number of other businesses opened here at that time and among them were W.L. Blair, Jackson-Dingus and G.L. Garrison & Son.

Sipe Springs has always been unfortunate in fires. Soon after the moving of the town a fire occurred July 4, 1911, which swept the Masonic hall and a number of business houses, among them G.L. Garrison & Son. The first fire Sipe Springs ever had was in '78 which burned a saloon, a livery barn and eight head of horses belonging to the Chedister stage line. Several other fires occurred at different times destroying some of the leading business properties in town, the largest being in 1898 when fire originated in the R.W. Turner general mercantile store and swept the entire west side of town and all of the east side north of the Palace drug store. It is remarked that fire was stopped three different times at the old Palace drug store while this building stood in the old town but after the removal of this building to the new town it was consumed in the first fire.

Sipe Springs took on an unprecedented growth during the oil boom of 1918-1919 but in 1922 fire again consumed a number of her business buildings. The oil boom also left Sipe Springs like a number of other towns, without banking facilities, her two banks having failed during 1920-21, but the Sipe Springs shallow oil field is still very productive. Her people are getting back to profitable farming and cattle raising and prospects for casing head plant to make use of the rich gas from her gas field give promise of making the little town of Sipe Springs come back into her own.

Editor's note: "A History of Sipe Springs" was printed in the Comanche Chief Golden Anniversary Edition in 1924. A copy of the article was submitted to The Rising Star by Marita Smith.

A few obvious typographical errors were corrected, but the article is otherwise pretty much as it was printed in 1924.

Who are the present-day residents on the farms named in the history? If you know any of the answers, let Marita Smith or Pat Maynard know

Wouldn't a map listing the families of the 1870's, 1924 and now be interesting?

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ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wende To Celebrate 50th Anniversary



MR. AND MRS. ED WENDE

Ed & Irene Wende will be honored at a reception celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Hosted by their four children, it will be held at the Cisco Country Club on Saturday, June 29 from 5:00-8:00 p.m. They were married at the Club on July 8, 1941.

Ed was born August 3, 1912 in Cisco and Irene (Prange) was born on February 4, 1913 in Crockett Bluff, Arkansas. They spent many years managing the Country Club, as well as Cisco's "world's largest swimming pool", skating rink and for twelve years owned the miniature golf course. Ed retired from Reynolds Manufacturing Company in 1975 where he was shop foreman of the aluminum window department. Irene is well known for her culinary art and catered dinners in the

County for many years. They are also known for their love and care of the elderly.

They lived in Cisco from the time of their marriage until moving to Eastland in 1988. They are members of Redeemer Lutheran Church in Cisco where they have served for over fifty years.

Their children include: Danelda Gevara and husband Roy of Eastland, Rev. David Wende and wife Diana of St. Paul, Minnesota, Marcia Pippin and husband Jim of Ft. Worth, and Rick Wende and wife Darla of Eastland. There are fifteen grandchildren, four step-grandchildren and one great grandchild.

No formal invitations are being sent, but all friends and relatives of the couple are asked to join in this happy occasion.

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Garland Wheats To Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary



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TO CELEBRATE 50TH -- The children of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dale Wheat, Sr., will honor them with an open house on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, June 30th, between the hours of 2 and 5 at their retirement home at 11101 Hidden Bluff Drive in Austin.

He is a native of Ranger and Mrs. Wheat of Rising Star. They visit and attend events in Eastland County regularly. The Wheat Family Reunion will be held in Ranger on July 27th and 28th.



Mr. and Mrs. Jack Locke To Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Locke of Lake Leon are being honored by their children and grandchildren Sunday, June 23 on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary in the fellow-

ship hall of First United Methodist Church in Eastland. The Lockes were married June 20, 1941 in Comanche.

Read The Classifieds



Pharmacy Topics

By Bob Mueller

Experimental implantable blood pump to help the heart function until a transplant donor can be found has received approval from the Food and Drug Administration. Not an artificial heart, the device does the work of one ventricle. The battery pack that runs it is worn outside.

Increased fiber in the diet may cut the incidence of kidney stones in those at risk, say researchers at the Camp Hill Medical Center, Halifax, Nova Scotia. Doctor's supervision is recommended.

To treat baldness, doctors use balloons to gradually stretch hair-bearing portions of the scalp so they can cover hairless areas. Newer procedure, reported in the Journal of the American Medical Association, stretches the skin during surgery to avoid big "bumps."

Still another reason youngsters should not smoke: young smokers are 14 times likely to abuse alcohol, 32 times likelier to use cocaine, and 100 times as likely to smoke marijuana. Figures come from the National Institute on Drug Abuse.

Want to stop smoking? You'll find a number of helpful aids to breaking the habit at Wal-Mart Pharmacy, Hwy. 80 East, Eastland, 629-3347.

Engagement



Thompson-Montgomery

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thompson of Eastland are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Loretta Kay Thompson to Michael Spencer Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Montgomery of Eastland.

The wedding is scheduled for August 9, 1991, at 7:00 p.m. at Daugherty Street Church of Christ in Eastland. A reception will follow in the church fellowship hall.

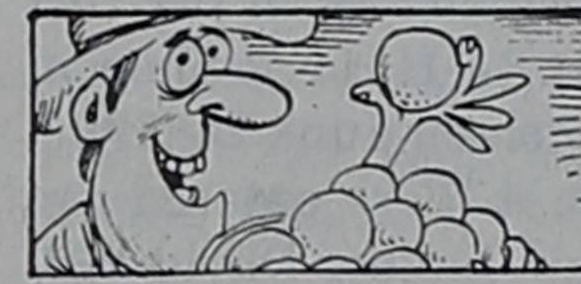
All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Guys And Dolls Golf Scramble To Be In July

There will be a Guys and Dolls golf scramble July 6-7 at Lakewood Golf Club, located between Cross Plains and Rising Star on Highway 36.

Entree fee will be \$50 per person and carts will be extra or golfers may bring their personal carts. All fees include meal, mulligans, and closest to the pin contest. Tee times will be 8 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

Cash prizes will be awarded. For more information call 817-643-7792.



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Kokomo News

Zelda Jordan

We hope everyone had a very nice Father's Day. We've had some more stormy weather during the past week or so. Electrical storms with high winds and rain in the early hours of Friday morning. Again on Sunday afternoon and Tuesday morning.

The Sunday storm was quite nerve-racking to us as we were on our way home from a visit with Glenda and Sheri Miles and Bill Priest in Abilene and ran into the storm between Clyde and Baird, and had it with us all the way home. It hailed some, but it was soft so did no damage to the car. Traffic was heavy and it was quite frightening when you could hardly see the vehicle in front of you. We stopped once at a roadside park for about 15 minutes, and then decided to go ahead and made a run for home. It was a good idea too as that area received a lot more rain after we got home. Water was already over Hwy 6 south of Eastland and also near the Paul Norrishome near Kokomo as we came through. Only got .6 of rain at home.

Nancy Hendricks had visited in Clyde with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan and Yancy and Kelly Buchanan of Fort Hood, and also came home through the storm. Lydia Adams and Lela Dillard of Abilene visited on Saturday with Bro. Joe O'Neal and Nancy Hendricks and they all attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary reception honoring Buster and Louise Brown at Gorman. Congratulations to the Browns.

Other visitors with Nancy Hendricks were Wilbourne and Martha Wood of Carbon, Terri Bencize of Leander, Ollie Webb and Sylvia Bride-water of Gorman and Hope Joiner.

Special music at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning was rendered by the choir under the direction of Woodrow Browning. Visitors were Mrs. Clarence Wilson's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman of Abilene, Mrs. David Porter, Scarlett, Amanda and Sarah of Taylor, Jacob and Kaci Webb of Comanche, Dale and Lena Mae Hawkins of Blanket, and Kris, D'Aun and Kristal Brown of Carbon. Jacob Webb gave his testimony about being saved at Bible School on Thursday, and Jacob and Kaci Webb and Amanda Porter recited some bible verses they had learned in Bible School. Praise the Lord for the children.

Mary Beth Glenn of Abilene and Irene Glenn of Dublin were recent visitors with their cousins, Larry and Betty Strube. Joyce Gilbert of Katy visited from Tuesday until Sunday with her mother, Berniece Rodgers, and they visited with John and LaTonne Rodgers at Carbon, Bob and Kathy Rodgers in Brownwood and with Billie Stacy at Carbon, Ima Brown at Gorman and Ava and Cullen Rodgers. Mike Rodgers of Weatherford visited one day with Joyce and Berniece.

Visitors with Bro. Joe O'Neal were Ardith Pittman and Bro. Ron Carroll of Gorman, John Taylor and Lynn Mackey of Eastland, Fred Keith of Olden and Buck Anderson of Rising Star. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little, Mrs. Dora Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. James Little and Mrs. Tim Fails, Cody and Jarad visited during the weekend in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark, and attended the wedding of Amy Hallmark and Shane Shott on Saturday evening.

Recent visitors with Dora Garrett were Mrs. Mamie Little, Betty Little, Nelda, Cody and Jarad Fails of Arlington and Jimmy and Verna Lee Little.

Oren Webb Celebrates Birthday Judy Porter and daughters, Scarlett, Amanda and Sarah of Taylor spent the weekend with her parents, Oren and Norma Webb. James and Teresa Webb and Jantzen of Stephenville and Stacy and Brenda Webb, Jacob and Kaci of Comanche joined them on Sunday for Father's Day visit and a birthday celebration for Oren. Scarlett remained for a visit this week with her grandparents, and will also visit with a cousin, Melissa Clark in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fields, Michael, Caylea, Lisa and Faylan of Bryan have been vacationing here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields, and Lindell and with other relatives.

Cassie Nelson of Phoenix, Ariz is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson and with Rev. and Mrs. Jimmy Nelson and Teresa of Stephenville. Teresa spent the past two weeks in Phoenix with Cassie.

Garry and Jan Brown, Aaron and April visited on Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cozart.

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- SUN. JUNE 23**
• 7:30 Majestic Theatre, "Oscar," Rated PG.
- MON. JUNE 24**
Meals On Wheels, Rising Star
• 8:00-4:00 Senior Citizens, Cisco, Eastland, Ranger.
• 10:00 County Commissioners, Courthouse.
• 12:00 Rotary, Eastland.
• 5:30 City Commissioners, Ranger.
• 6:00 Rescue Line, KVMX.
• 7:00 Community Association, Cisco.
• 7:00 Chamber of Commerce Directors Meeting, Ranger.
• 7:30 Majestic Theatre, "Oscar," Rated PG.
• 8:00 Narcotics Anonymous, Eastland.
- TUE. JUNE 25**
• 9:00 Chamber of Commerce Early Morning Coffee Break, Eastland.
• 12:00 Lions, Eastland.
• 5:15 Weight Watchers, Eastland.
• 5:30 TOPS, EMH.
• 6:00 City Council, Cisco.
• 7:00 Boy Scouts, Eastland.
• 7:00 Special Needs, Eastland.
• 7:00 Volunteer Fire Dept., Ranger.
• 7:00 Dinner, Lakewood Recreation Center, Rising Star.
• 8:00 Alcoholic Anonymous, Eastland.
• 8:00 Al Anon, Eastland.
• 8:00 Narcotics Anonymous, Gorman.
- WED. JUNE 26**
• 7:00 Kiwanis, Eastland.
• 8:00-4:00 Senior Citizens, Cisco, Eastland, Ranger.
• 12:00 Kiwanis, Ranger.
• 5:30 Overeaters Anonymous, EMH.
• 6:00-9:00 Jackpot fishing, Chock-O-Block, Lake Leon.
• 7:30 Support Group, Gorman.
- THURS. JUNE 27**
• 8:00-4:00 Senior Citizens Center, Rising Star.
• 12:00 Lions, Ranger.
• 7:00 Eastland County Disabled Veterans, Olden.
• 7:00 American Legion, Rising Star.
• 7:30 Majestic Theatre of the Air, KEAS, The Shadow: The Creeper.
• 8:00 Narcotics Anonymous, Eastland.
• 8:00 Ft. Griffin Fandangle.
- FRI. JUNE 28**
• 8:00-4:00 Senior Citizens, Cisco, Eastland, Ranger.
• 6:30 Country-Western Musical, Rising Star.
• 7:30 To Be Announced, Majestic Theatre.
• 8:00 Ft. Griffin Fandangle.
- SAT. JUNE 29**
• Bluegrass Music Festival, Buffalo Gap.
• 6:30 Country-Western Musical, Desdemona.
• 6:30 Bingo, Rising Star.
• 7:30 To Be Announced, Majestic Theatre.
• 8:00 Alcoholics Anonymous Open Meeting, Eastland.
• 8:00 Al Anon, Eastland.
• 8:00 Ft. Griffin, Fandangle.
- For Additions, Changes, Deletions, Please Call Faye Spurlen at the Majestic Theatre or Your Local Newspaper Office: The Eastland Telegram-629-1707; The Cisco Press-442-2244; or The Ranger Times-647-1101.

Mrs. Janet Thomas County Extension Agent Texas Agricultural Extension Service

4-H FASHION SHOW WINNERS
The Eastland County 4-H Fashion Show was held June 14th in Rising Star. A special thank you to the Rising Star 4-Hers and parents for hosting this occasion.

The theme was "Stars of the Future". Winners were:
BUYING Sub-Junior
Amy Agnew, Rising Star
Lacy Knight, Rising Star
Blair Bailey, Rising Star
Nicole Hallmark, Eastland
Junior Daytime Non-Tailored
Dedria Emert, Rising Star

CONSTRUCTION Sub-Junior
Racheal Bush, Rising Star
Kristie Collins, Rising Star
Kory Collins, Rising Star
Lyndee Groce, Eastland
Junior Daytime Tailored
Kirby Bush, Rising Star
Daytime Non-Tailored
Felicity Byars, Eastland
Dressy Attire
Amy Collins, Rising Star
These 4-Hers will advance to the District 8 4-H Fashion Show in Marble Falls on Tuesday, July 23, 1991.
Congratulations and Best of Luck at District!!

4-H RECORD BOOKS DUE
4-H Record Books and Project Record Forms are due in the Eastland county Extension Office on Friday, July 5th.

SIX FLAGS DISCOUNT TICKETS
The 4-H Office is selling discount tickets to Six Flags for \$17.50. This is a \$4.75 savings off the gate price.
The 4-H Office of the Eastland County Extension Service is located in

the Basement of the Courthouse. The office is open 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. The telephone number is 629-2222.

TEXAS 4-H DOG SHOW ENTRY DEADLINE
The 1991 Texas 4-H Dog Show will be August 9th and 10th at the Wichita Falls Activity Center, Wichita Falls. Entry applications are due in Wichita Falls before July 10th. Entry fees are \$8.00 per day, per class.
Entry applications and rules are available at the County Extension Office.

EASTLAND COUNTY 4-HERS TO COMPETE IN DISTRICT HORSE SHOW

A total of eight Eastland County 4-H members from the Ruff Riders 4-H Horse Project Group and Rising Star 4-H Club will be competing in the District 8 4-H Horse Show in Belton on June 24, 1991. The 4-Hers entered are Blair Bailey, David Williams, Jessica Keith, Jeremy Keith, Kristi Rogers, Holly Greenwood, Tracie Ingram and Tessie Ingram. They will be competing against 4-H members from 18 other counties for the opportunity to compete in Texas State 4-H Horse Show in Abilene on July 21-27.

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Wouldn't you rather surrender to the Lord?

Improved Bond Rating Means Lower Interest Payments

"Steady economic growth combined with efforts to strengthen our financial performance, such as the *Texas Performance Review* to streamline state government, has Wall Street regarding Texas as one of the best places in the country to invest money," State Comptroller John Sharp said as he released an in-depth analysis of the state's bond rating.
"We are once again on solid ground, having recovered from the drop in our bond rating in 1987," Sharp said in the latest edition of *Fiscal Notes*. "Now we need to use our improving economic status to build the state we want to live in for years to come."

According to the June *Fiscal Notes*, Standard and Poor's annual assessment of the state's economy and finances again gave Texas an AA rating for the state's general obligation bonds, citing "low and manageable debt ratios, an improving and diversifying economic base and continued improved financial performance."
The AA bond rating is one notch below the premier AAA rating enjoyed by the state between 1962 and 1986. According to the Texas Bond Review Board, for every \$1 billion in bonds issued by the state with an AAA rating, taxpayers will save upwards of \$40 million in interest payments over an AA rating.

Sharp said that, although bond-rating houses have been generally impressed with the strength and diversity of Texas' economy, they have not yet upgraded the state's credit rating.
"The bond raters in New York have been a little

squeamish due to the downturn in the national economy," Sharp said. "To ease investors' nerves and earn their confidence, Texas has to demonstrate its determination to meet high standards of fiscal stability, including the recommendations of the *Texas Performance Review* which are scheduled to be released around July 1."
Sharp has guaranteed that the recommendations of the *Texas Performance Review* will save the state a minimum \$1.6 billion.

Earlier this year Sharp traveled to New York City to meet with officials of the major bond brokerage firms and Wall Street investors. Subsequently, the Comptroller outlined a five-step plan in *Fiscal*

Notes to get Texas back to AAA status.

It calls for: building a sizable "rainy-day" fund; diversifying the state's revenue base; controlling spending; promoting state efforts to diversify the economy and developing a long-term capital budgeting plan that includes effective debt management.

While Texas still enjoys a relatively low per capita burden for state debt payments, the debt service paid from general revenues has almost quadrupled since 1986-87.

"As of March 31, Texas had a total of \$7.6 billion in state bonds outstanding and ranked 38th among all states—ninth among the 10 largest states—in tax supported debt per capita," Sharp

said.

"Texas ranks 49th among all states in terms of state debt per capita, but when the debt being carried by local governments and authorities is added to state debt, Texas jumps to 18th among the states. In 1989, Texas' combined state and local debt per capita was \$3,589. State debt was a small portion—\$392, while local debt averaged \$3,196 per Texan," Sharp said.

Several of the state's most recent bond issuances have been to finance new facilities for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation. Sharp said the lack of long-term fiscal planning has caused a

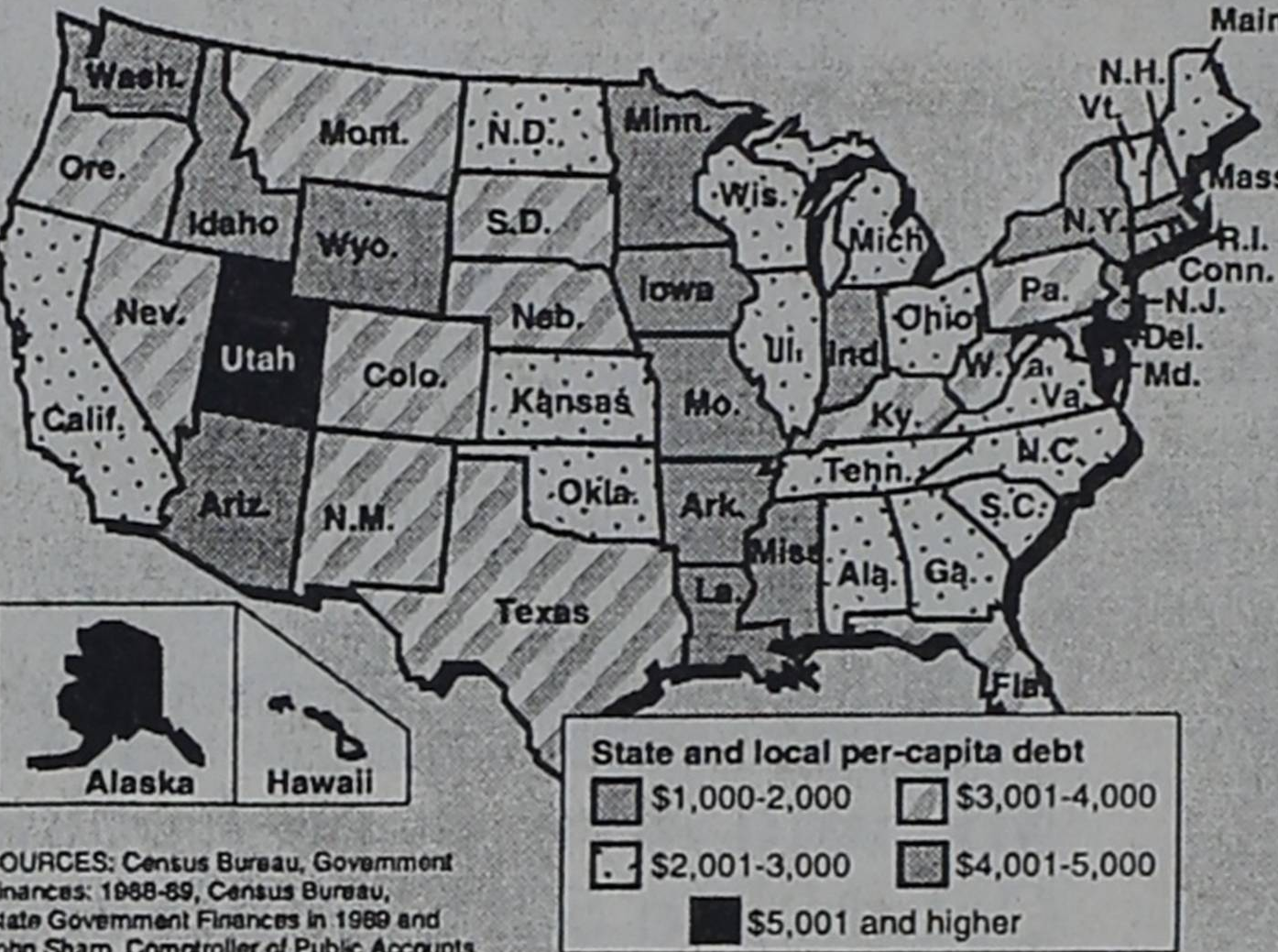
detour on the road back to AAA ranking and lower interest payments.

"A good part of our current state spending, including state bond issues, is being driven by stop-gap budget management, reacting to court decisions or our own short-sightedness during the boom years."

"Texas' agenda for the decade cannot be based on such short-term vision," Sharp said. "We must establish a fiscal management program that enables us to predict future needs, project our fiscal capabilities, set funding priorities for the long term and prepare a budget strategy that does not place unfair burdens on current taxpayers or their children."

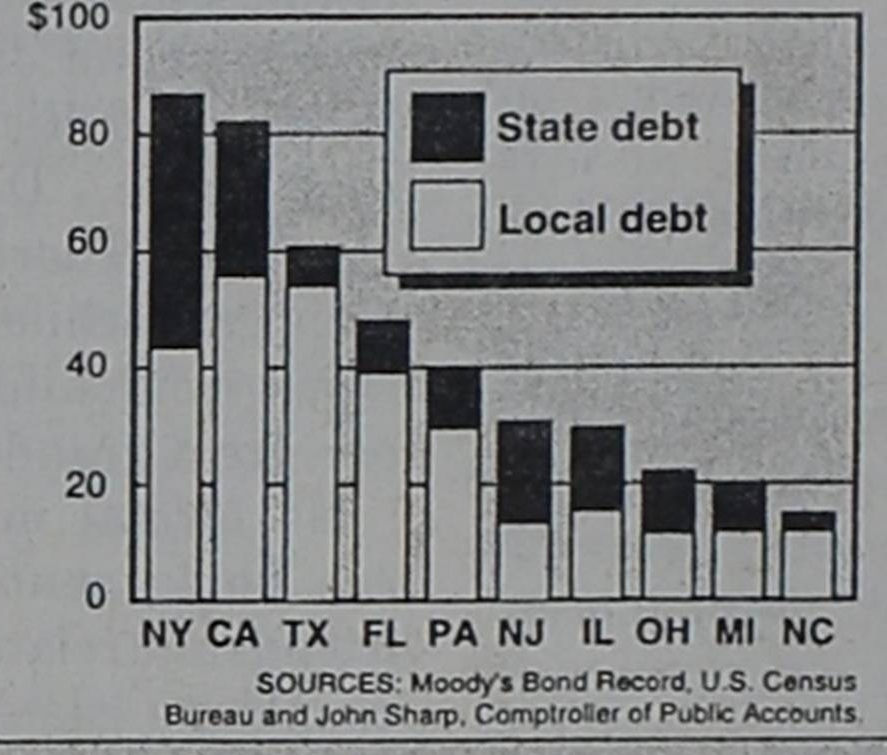
Texans owed \$3,589 each

Among the 50 states, Texas ranked 18th highest in total debt per capita at \$3,589 in 1989. State debt was a small portion—\$392, while local debt averaged \$3,196 per Texan.



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HOMES

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HOMES

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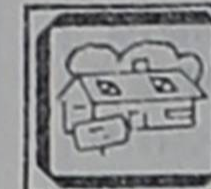
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FOR RENT

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FOR RENT: 1 bed and 2 bed, 2 bath apartments. Major appliance, earthtone carpets, pool, located behind Pizza Inn. Eastland's newest and finest. Call Shirley 629-3164. T104

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HELP WANTED

NEEDED RN Relief Sat. & Sun. Hours 6-2 or 2-10. Salary competitive. Contact Russell Gray, Rising Star Nursing Center 817/643-6700. RS104

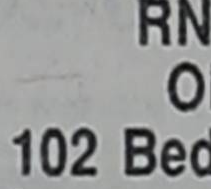
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HELP WANTED

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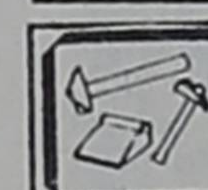
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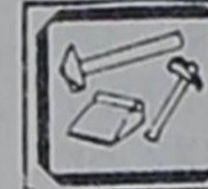
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FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Beautiful 3 BR, 2B, 1CG Townhouse located on golf course in the cool mountains of Ruidoso NM. Offered by owner at price 10% below current appraisal. Please call RC Wheeler 629-1541 or write to 507 Crestwood, Eastland, TX 76448. T55

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FURNITURE FOR SALE: New - Port-a-crib, trundle bed, tables, bookcases, shelves, lamps, dinette-4 chair, wall accessories, bed frames, bunkie sets. Also Used - Honda Elite 50, under 600 mi. Dining table, waterbed and bunk bed, cedar chests. Call Dolan Parker 629-2763. T104

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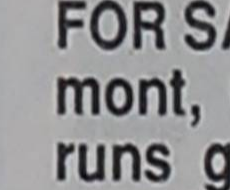
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FOR SALE: 82 Ford Fairmont, 6 cyl, auto, A/C, runs good. Good work car. \$625.00. OBO. 442-4360. C53



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3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Saturday, June 22, 8:00. Baseball cards, furniture, trash compactor, clothes, odds n' ends; 1311 W. 13th, Cisco. C50

INSIDE SALE: Morton Valley at Old Store. Good clothes, kids to adults, bicycles, frames, lots of good odds and ends. Sat. 22, Sun. 23, 1/2 price. T50

GARAGE SALE: Lots of clothes, shoes and misc. Fri., June 21, Sat. 22, and Sun. 23; Fri. June 28, Sat. 29, Sun., 30. 410 S. Marston, Ranger. R51

YARD SALE: Sat., June 22, 8-5, at 415 N. Green. Lots of clothes, TV, coffee table, weight bench, toys and more. T50

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GARAGE SALE: Sat., June 22, 1991, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., 400 E. 19th, Cisco. Clothes, tools, paint, and many misc. items. C50

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A "Highlights Revue" for the life of Charles Marshall would also include his marriage to Lois Bolding; the births of their sons, Charles and John; the welcoming of grandchildren Elliott, Haley and Shelby; and twelve years on the City Commission, three as mayor pro tem and eight as mayor (1974 - 1986).

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T50

I wish to thank my friends and neighbors for the food, flowers, visits, telephone calls and cards, in the death of my son Sam W. Hedrick Jr. of San Diego, Ca. Special thanks to the Cottonwood Church for the lovely meal.

Mrs. Julia Hedrick
Bill Hedrick & Family
Kiera Gunsorck

T50

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Experienced mature lady would like to care for the elderly or work two or three days for a sitter. Call 559-3998 after 5 p.m.

T51

WANTED

Organist for the 1st United Methodist Church services in Ranger. Call Bob Johnson at 647-3533 or Rev. Bill Reed at 647-3145.

R52

LOST & FOUND

FOUND: 1 pair of tinted glasses at ballpark. To claim come by Eastland Telegram.

T50

FOR LEASE

FOR LEASE: 2 trailer lot spaces. Call 653-2407.

T104

THANK YOU

Thanks to all our family and friends who made our anniversary party a success and all who brought food for the Christian Service Center.

Red and Nell

C50

WANTED

WANTED: Lot that's setup for trailerhouse. Would consider acre or so of land. 629-2041 or 629-2089.

T51

WANTED

Bookkeeping job, full or part-time. Experienced A/R & A/P, payroll, word processing/computer skills, 2 years experience WP51. Call 647-3160 or write to: P.O. Box 372, Ranger TX 76470.

R104

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INFORMATION NEEDED:

Saturday, June 15, 1991 at 2 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. at Chevron Food Mart Laundry, clothes were stolen from washer which included dark clothing such as Rocky Mountain Jeans and baseball uniform. Any information please call this number 442-3603.

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NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Eastland County Sheriff's Department will be accepting bids on a 1987 Honda G.L. 1200 Aspcade Motorcycle until 4:00 p.m. on Friday, July 5, 1991 at the Eastland County Auditor's Office on the 2nd floor of the Eastland County Courthouse, Eastland, Texas. The motorcycle can be seen from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Monday through Friday at Mangum's Service Center, Hwy 80 East, Eastland, Texas. Bids will be opened during the regular meeting of the Eastland County Commissioners at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, July 8, 1991 in the Commissioners' Courtroom in the Courthouse. Eastland County Sheriff's Department reserves the right to accept and/or reject any and/or all bids.

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Obituaries

Jack Bibby

RISING STAR — Jack Bibby, 86, died Wednesday, June 19, 1991, in an Abilene nursing center. Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday, June 20, 1991, at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Darrell Dossey officiating. Burial was in Pioneer Cemetery. He was born in the Long Branch community in

Eastland County. He was self employed and a Baptist. Survivors include a son, Arley Bibby of Rising Star; a brother, Elmer Bibby of Denver, Colo.; three sisters, Dorothy Hunt of Rising Star, and Geneva Click and Ofay McCulka, both of Fort Worth; two grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

'RePete' Rumley

CISCO — W.W. "RePete" Rumley, 74, died Wednesday, June 19, 1991, at his home. Services were at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 22, 1991, at Cisco Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. M.H. Clark, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Rumley was born Jan. 28, 1917, in Roston, Okla. He married Lois Marie Hageman May 13, 1950, in Rising Star. He worked for the Okla-

homa Mental Health Department until retiring, and moved to Cisco in 1986. Survivors include his wife, Lois Rumley of Cisco; three brothers, his twin, W.W. "Pete" Rumley of Breckenridge, Calif., and Robert "Tate" Rumley of Las Vegas, Nev.; a sister, Carrie Peters of Las Vegas, Nev.; and several nieces and nephews. Nephews served as pallbearers.

Morton Valley Homecoming Reunion To Be Held July 6

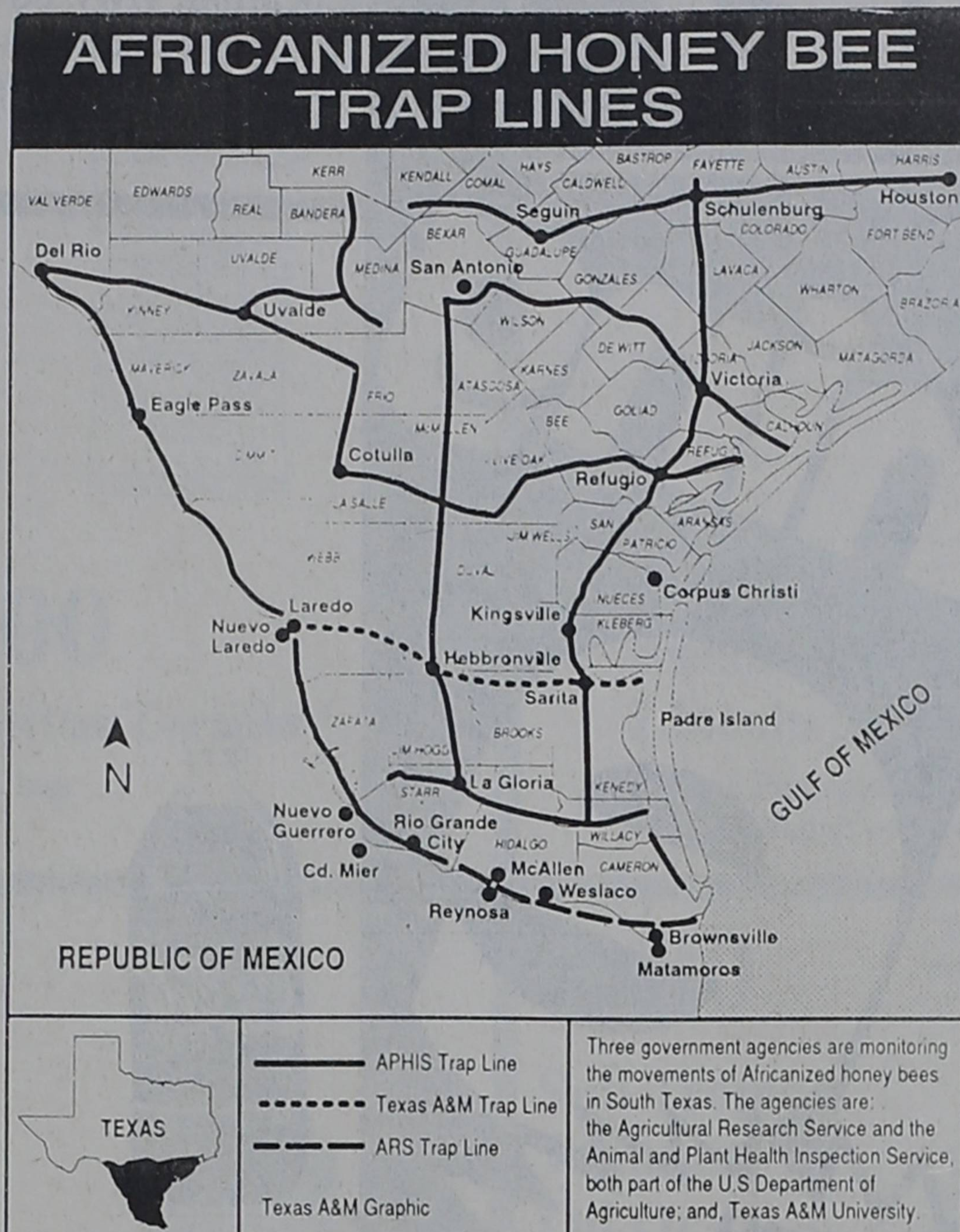
The Morton Valley Homecoming Reunion will be July 6 at the Eastland High School Cafeteria. The reunion is for all ex-students and

residents of the Morton Valley Community. Friends and guests are welcome. A barbecue lunch will be catered at a \$6.00 charge.

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Cisco Press - Eastland Telegram - Ranger Times Sunday, June 23, 1991

Surprises Mark Africanized Honey Bee Swarming Season



Three government agencies are monitoring the movements of Africanized honey bees in South Texas. The agencies are the Agricultural Research Service and the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, both part of the U.S. Department of Agriculture; and, Texas A&M University.

By Kathleen Davis
Africanized honey bees migrating to the United States from Mexico provided a couple of surprises for swarm watchers this spring. Lots of Africanized honey bee swarms hit South Texas in a short period of time and lots of people called to report them. In traps, under a trailer house, near a corn field, on a school yard, at a railroad station, in parks and up trees, about 50 Africanized honey bee (AHB) swarms landed indiscriminately in South Texas between April 15 and June 1.

As the spring swarming season ends, officials believe the final count may be 60 confirmed AHB swarms. The first migratory AHB swarm in the United States was detected last October near Hidalgo. "We are surprised by the number of Africanized honey bee swarms so quickly," said Dr. Anita Collins, who leads the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Honey Bee Research Lab in Weslaco. "What surprised me was that we had such a big response from the people calling in to report swarms," noted Elba Quintero of Harlingen, AHB program coordinator for the USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.

About 60 percent of the AHB swarms found so far this spring were reported by the public. The remainder were captured in a web of more than 1,200 traps strung across South Texas from the Rio Grande to San Antonio. Most of the bees have been found along the Rio Grande from Brownsville to Eagle Pass. About 70 percent were found in two counties - Hidalgo and Starr.

"It seems the bees have come up the central mountains (of Mexico) and down the rivers from there to the Rio Grande rather than up the Gulf Coast," Collins said. "They have taken a more inland route." Collins noted that Mexico had a relatively mild winter followed by a wet spring, both favorable for honey bee populations. "Depending on the weather, we may see continued activity (in South Texas) at a lower level through the summer," she said. "There still are a lot of flowers blooming," said Collins, who oversees the USDA's Agricultural Research Service trap line from the Gulf Coast to near Mission.

She said ARS will continue to monitor its trap line monthly. APHIS traps - strung along various routes from the Rio Grande to San Antonio - are checked every two weeks. The Texas A&M University trap line from Laredo to the coast south of Corpus Christi also is checked every two weeks. A second swarming season this year is expected in the fall, scientists said. Dr. John Thomas, Texas

Summer Camp Must Meet Standards

Summer camps in Texas can be compared to little cities, which must meet all the sanitation and safety needs of the campers. This season the Texas Department of Health (TDH) will regulate more than 500 summer camps through its licensing and inspection programs. As might be expected, TDH inspectors will check for safe drinking water supplies, adequate garbage and sewage disposal facilities and sanitary food service operations. But the inspectors also ensure

that the camps meet the specific standards of the Texas Youth Camp Safety and Health Act. "The Act specifies that camp activities such as swimming, archery, horseback riding and riflery must be conducted by experienced counselors whose qualifications are on record at the camp," said Travis Mansell, a chief sanitarian with the TDH Youth Camp Program. "Also, each camp must have an infirmary or first-aid facility to handle health and emergency cases," he said. The infirmary must keep a health record on every child and a physician must be on call at all times. Any serious accident, illness, or death must be reported to the camp inspection program. Food - or water-borne diseases, such as dysentery, salmonellosis, shigellosis or infectious hepatitis, must be reported immediately. Recently, the 72nd Texas Legislature passed a bill amending the Texas

Youth Camp Safety and Health Act by establishing standard license renewal fees and allowing administrative fines for violators. Under the new law, camp operators can be assessed an administrative penalty not to exceed \$100 per day if the Commissioner of Health, following a hearing, finds them in violation of the law. Violators also may be subject to a fine a \$50 to \$1,000 in civil penalties. In addition, the bill establishes a nine-member Youth Camp and Health Advisory Committee under the Texas Board of Health. For more information, contact Travis Mansell, General Sanitation Division, at 512/458-7521 or Margaret Wilson, Public Health Promotion Division, at 512/458-7405.

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Farms And Gardens

By David Tunmire

FALL WEBWORMS APPEARING

Fall webworms have begun appearing throughout the county. I have seen them on mulberry and pecan trees.

You may be asking yourself - "How can these be fall webworms in the middle of June?" There can be as many as four generations of fall webworms a year depending on the weather.

Fall webworms are the larval stage of moths. The larvae are about 1 inch long and are pale yellow or green. They are covered by tufts of long whitish hairs. A dusky stripe bordered by a yellow stripe will be on the back. The main identifiable characteristic of the fall webworm is the web it builds in the tree or limb.

The fall webworm will feed on a variety of trees and shrubs. I have seen webs in mulberry, poplar, willow, pecan and oak.

Newly hatched larvae begin feeding and spin a web over the foliage as they feed. These webs can cover an entire branch. A large amount of defoliation can weaken a tree and could result in the tree dying.

Control can be accomplished without insecticides where they are only one to two webs in a larger tree. Simply prune out the web and destroy it.

In trees which are too small or the webs are too numerous for pruning an insecticide may be required. Before applying an insecticide, use a large pole to break up the web. This will help the insecticide reach the larvae. A high pressure spray will also be required to reach the taller trees and help penetrate the web.

These are several insecticides which can be used for fall webworms. Some of these products are Dipel, Sevin, Diazinon and Malathion. Whichever product you select make sure you read and follow the label instructions.

The publication entitled Fall Webworms (L-1811), is available in the County Extension Office located in the basement of the County Courthouse in Eastland.

2ND GENERATION PECAN NUT CASEBEARER

If you sprayed on May 22nd for the first generation of pecan nut casebearer, then the second generation should be

Texas Show Steer Validation Set For June 26

Texas Show Steer Validation for Eastland County is scheduled for Wednesday, June 26, 1991 at two locations. Validations will be conducted from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. at Jim Moylan's cattle barn located on Highway 3101 on the left approximately 2 miles past the County Show Barn. The second validation location will be from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Cisco Rodeo Arena. 4-H and FFA members planning to show a steer in any livestock show other than the county show, must have the steer validated with a Texas eartag

watched for before July 3rd. The recommendation is to spray for the second generation 42 days after the first generation spray, which would be July 3rd if you sprayed on May 22nd for the first generation.

Because timing is so critical in controlling the pecan nut casebearer, you should inspect your own trees. The female pecan nut casebearer moth lays its eggs on the tips of the nuts. The newly laid eggs are just visible to the naked eye and are greenish white in color. The egg color will turn greenish-brown then to a brown before the larvae hatches. The larvae hatches from an egg in 3 to 5 days.

Legals

Eastland Independent School District is accepting bids on Cafeteria Products, and Maintenance & Custodial Supplies for the 1991-92 school year. Bid specifications may be obtained by contacting the following: Cafeteria Products — Barbara Rogers, cafe supervisor, (817)629-8927; Maintenance & Custodial Supplies — Doug Crutchfield, maint supervisor (817)629-8221.

Deadline for receiving bids is July 17, 1991. Bids should be mailed to Eastland ISD, 900 W. Plummer, P.O. Box 31, Eastland, TX 76448. 'Cafeteria Products Bid' or 'Maint/Cust Supplies Bid' should be clearly visible on outside of envelope.

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\$4,500 - Commercial lot 70'x94'
\$10,000 - Four hillside residential lots in exclusive location.
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\$12,500 - Two centrally located homes on two adjoining lots. Needs work for great investment possibilities as homes or rental property. Each home has approx. 1500 sq. ft. with bright sun rooms and large back porches. Cyclone fenced back yards. Each home has 4 BR, 2 living areas, 2 baths and kitchen.
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\$65,000 - 2 BR, 1 Bath frame metal with wood home, overlooking lake. CH/CA, satellite, large storage house. Water pumped from lake through purification system. Ceiling fans throughout. Breakfast bar with custom chairs. Superior insulation. Kitchen has beautiful double ovens and built-ins.
\$55,000 - 2 BR, 2 Bath mobile home on two large, shady lots. Home has big insulated, glassed-in sunroom and great lake frontage on deep water. 565' chain link fence surrounds home. Concrete boat dock hook-ups. Comes completely furnished with quality furnishings, including new carpet, drapes, ceiling fans, new refrigerator, washer/dryer, built-in living room, sun room, and bedroom furniture. Satellite, Staff meter, and 250 gal. butane tank. A beautiful home.
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Cisco - \$54,000 - commercial building with residence in rear (3 BR, 1 1/2 Bath) 175' highway frontage. Olden - \$9,600 - 2 large BR, 1 Bath on 4 lots. House has nice screened front porch.
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EARLY 1900'S HOME! 11/2 Story frame home on large lot in desirable location, needs restoration. 9 rooms, 2 bath. E4
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MANY EXTRAS! 2 BR, 1 bath frame home, fireplace, fenced yard, trees. E26
BEAUTIFUL tree shaded lot with 4 BR, 1 bath frame home. F/P, built-ins. \$222 PRETTY LOT. SOLD
EASY TO BUY, great terms! 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, CH/CA, brick & frame house on corner lot. E5

OTHER:
NEAR LAKE LEON: Nice dbl. wide 3 BR, 2 bath, built-ins. CH/CA, on 1/4 acre w/lake view, trees. 029 RANGER: \$3,900.00 for 2 BR frame home. 028 RANGER: Nice 12 yr. old 3 BR, 2 bath brick, F/P, built-ins. Shaded corner lot. 05
RANGER: Beautiful home! 3 BR, 2 bath brick home; kitchen built-ins, workshop. 09
RANGER: 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath brick home in excellent neighborhood. CH/CA, kit, built-ins. Price reduced, under \$30,000.00. 04
RANGER: Large 3 BR, 1 bath frame, shaded lot; extra lot across street, gar. CP, RV cov. 06
CISCO: Comfortable 3 BR frame. Kitchen appliances. Fenced rear yard; fruit & pecan trees. 02
CARBON: Shaded corner lot with frame home. Owner financing w/approved credit. 011
LAKESIDE: 3 BR, 1 bath frame home. Addn. 1 BR frame cabin, cov. patio. \$6,000. SOLD
CISCO: Large residence w/mobile home hook-ups. 012
CISCO: Approx. 5 ac., good for commercial or residential. Financing available. 013
CISCO: Rock home w/wood remodelled. Only blocks from school and do. SOLD
GORMAN: Numerous listings, \$8,000-\$45,000. Call for details.
LAKE LEON: Lake cabin on deeded lot, Staff meter, fruit trees and lake frontage. 016
PICTURESQUE PRIVACY! Nearly new 3 BR, 2 bath brick home on large, completely fenced lot. Well for outside use. Many other amenities. 018
LAKE LEON: 2 BR, 2 bath home on 3 waterfront lots. CH/CA, satellite. Guest house, stg., fruit/pecan trees, garden shed. 024
LAKE LEON: Be ready for summer! Weekend cabin on waterfront lot. Heat A/C. Furnished. 026
DESEMONA AREA: 3 BR, 2 bath older frame with outbuildings on 3/4 ac. Possible owner financing! 025
CAN'T BEAT THIS! 3 BR, 1 bath frame house, perfect for handyman. Financing available. 027
RANGER: 2 for 1! 2 BR, 1 bath frame home and 1 BR, 1 bath home on a large lot. Excellent investment property or live in one & rent one. 023

HOUSE & ACREAGE:
NEAR LAKE LEON - 2 BR, 1 1/2 bath mobile home on 5 acres. Staff water, well, cellar. Stove & refrig. HA2
EXECUTIVE HOME - 3 BR, 2 Bath. Beautifully decorated. Show place. H. SOLD
COUNTRY CHARM! 3 BR brick on 2.7 acres. Bay windows, F/P, decorator touches. HA12
OLDEN - 1 1/2 BR, 1 Bath. 56 ac., 3 BR, 1 1/2 baths. In need of some. SOLD

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CARBON 3 BR frame home on 36.5 acres. Cultivation with quota; minerals. HA24
100 ACRES PECAN ORCHARD. Highly productive; 2 homes, farm equipment; 23 ac w/drip irrigation. Good income! HA9
EASTLAND LAKE: Great fishing! 5 acres with 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath home. City water and satellite. HA13
COUNTRY CHARM on 10 acres. Beautiful oak trees surround this 3 BR, 2 bath with CH/CA. HA16
RANGER: 2 acres with 3 BR, 2 bath modular home. Pretty setting, trees. Owner fin. to build. HA15

ACREAGE:
LAKE LEON: Excellent recreation or building site! 4 acres, highly visible and lake frontage. A1
NIMROD: 139 acres native pasture. Hwy. & county road frontage. Nice building site. Some minerals, producing well. A16
29 ACRES within city limits of Cisco. Highway frontage, oak trees. A10
TWO BUILDING SITES: Approx. 3 acres each, with water meters. Highway frontage. A5 & A6
CARBON AREA: 118.5 acres, fenced & cross-fenced, 3 tanks & equipment shed. Some minerals. A19
224 AC. SD. OF CARBON: Part brush, approx. 30 ac. coastal. 2 tanks, fenced & cross-fenced. Some minerals. A20
320 AC. CARBON: Improved grass & cut. Fenced & cross-fenced, 5 tanks. Some minerals. A21
16 ACRES on pavement near Eastland. Fenced, beautiful oak trees. CH/CA. A11
296 ACRES North of Cisco - Native pasture with highway & county road frontage. 3 tanks; good hunting. A26
59.5 ACRES, Highway 80 E., Ranger; across from school. Native pasture, great for subdivision! A12
155 ACRES So. of Cisco; cultivation, pasture & wooded, with deer. Highway frontage. A17
61.8 ACRES of Ranger, with paved & county road frontage. Producing oil & gas; 1/4 minerals. A15
9 ACRES in the city limits! Nice building site. A31
65 ACRES E. of Carbon; approx. 21 ac. cut; paved road. Sandy land; some minerals. A7
160 ACRES NW of Eastland; approx. 90 acres of improved grass, remainder native pasture with scattered trees; 2 tanks. A9
327 ACRES E. of Carbon; 75 ac. cult., improved grasses & wooded pasture, peanut quota. A13
82 ACRES NW of Gorman; approx. 1/2 cut. Small tank, hand dug wells. Minerals. A14
245 ACRES S. of Carbon; approx. 67 acres in cult., balance in improved grasses. Underground irrigation, large barn/wshed. 12x70 mobile home on property. Minerals & quota. A8
OLDEN: 16 ac. home hookup, carport, TV antenna, city. SOLD
COMMERCIAL:
EXCELLENT LOCATION! Store with 1680 sq. ft., kitchen, CH/CA, 5 LR. spaces w/ utilities. C7
FANTASTIC LOCATION next to Skinny's. 14'x24' office bldg., 6x160 paved & fenced lot. C1
ON THE SQUARE: 2 story bldg. in good location, some equip. & booths. Needs some repairs. C4
CISCO: Excellent office bldg., 5 rooms, 2 restrooms. Concrete parking area. In good location. C5
CISCO: 120-30 wooded acres, over 500 ft. frontage on North Access Rd., east of city limits. C6
RANGER: 2 story bldg., needs repairs. 1st floor open area w/restroom & kitchen. C8
I-20: 25 ACRES, 1 mile from E. Eastland exit. Beautiful home site, permanent & overnight trailer spaces. Some minerals & production. C9
CISCO: Beauty shop, 4 station, 8 hairdryers; nice interior. Asphalt parking. C10
CISCO: Frame office bldg.; 3 offices, reception area. On corner lot. C12
CISCO: Vacant lot. E. 8th & Ave. C13
CISCO: Mini-mall, over 4,000 sq. ft. metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO: Large, 3000 sq. ft. concrete floor, office in front. 3065
INVESTORS: 32 unit apartment complex, 12x3 BR, DW, washer/dryer, car, CH/CA, 90% occupancy. C18
FANTASTIC LOCATION! Hwy. 80 E. Eastland, near I-20; high volume of traffic. Currently occupied as office. Excellent for retail & expansion. C2
RANGER: Large garage type building divided in 2 units, plus a small apartment. C21
RANGER: 2 story brick bldg.; 18 offices, reception, with large 3BR 1 1/2 bath apartment. Good condition & near downtown. C22
EASTLAND: Commercial lot, approx. 1 ac., Hwy. 80 E. frontage; high traffic volume. C23
RANGER: 2 story bldg. in downtown Ranger. Great location! Good condition! C24
EASTLAND: Two 2-unit townhouses. Frame w/brick trim, CH/CA & appliances. Great investment! C25

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Eastland Homes
Exclusive Subdivision, Custom 3 BR, 1 3/4 Bath, Brick, Approx. 2,300 sq. ft., Wooded Lot, All The Amenities including Rock Fireplace, Wet Bar, Cathedral Ceiling, Insulated Master, Super Kitchen w/Center Island, Formal Dining, Gameroom, & More! \$98,500.
Dream Home, Newly New 3 BR, 2 Bath, Brick, near Lake Leon, situated on 8.65 ac., Professionally Decorated, Gorgeous Wallpaper, plush Carpet, Massive Master Suite, Formal Dining, Unique Living Rm. w/lots of Glass & Spiral Staircase to loft \$1,200,000.
LOVELY 4 BR, 2 3/4 Bath, Formal Living & Dining, Fantastic kitchen, sep. Breakfast Rm., Family Rm. w/Bookshelves, Parquet Floor/Area Rug, Carpet in BR's, Wonderful Backyard, huge Oak Trees, Privacy Fence, Patio; A Rare Opportunity to own one of the outstanding S. Seaman St. Homes \$125,000.
OWNER TRANSFERRED, Comfortable 3 BR, 2 Bath, Built-in Bookshelves & Fireplace in Living Rm., Formal Dining w/Beautiful Crystal Chandelier, Breakfast Nook off Kitchen, Large Bedrooms, Ceiling Fans & Mini-blinds throughout, Trees, \$34,000.
Victorian Style, 3 BR (Could be 4), Professionally Decorated for that "LightBright" feeling, from the cheerful Yellow Exterior to the beautiful wallpaper inside, Modern Kitchen, Formal Dining, Utility, Large Corner Lot, \$68,500.
Country Living in town, 3 BR, 2 1/2 Bath, Brick Home surrounded by huge Post Oaks on 9.3 ac., fenced & crossfenced, sep. dining, Spacious Open Living Area, Woodburning Heater, Large Master Suite, Oversized Utility, Pretty Patio built around trees, \$53,000.
Seller Finance, Nice 3 Bedrooms, 1 3/4 Bath, Frame w/Siding, corner lot, large living/dining combo, breakfast room in kitchen, lots of trees & shrubs, a chance to live in an extra nice neighborhood at a budget price, complete w/CH/CA, \$29,000.
Cute & Cozy 2 BR situated on 4 beautiful lots w/ lots of Big Trees, Fireplace, Carpet, Built-ins, Sun Room could double for 3rd BR, Small Equine & Possible Assumption \$29,400.
SUII Miss The Farm? This Roomy 3 BR, 1 3/4 Bath, Frame Home has 1.5 ac. including Shed, Pens, & Tank, and you still have all the conveniences of Town, Huge Master BR, All Kinds of Closet & Storage Space, Woodburning Heater, Pretty Patio, \$35,000.
Possible Assumption, 3 BR, 2 Bath, Frame w/Siding, Carpet, Built-ins, CH/CA, Fenced Backyard, Formal Dining, Detached Garage, Corner Lot, Airtex Sprock, Too Cheap at \$27,000
Sprawling 3 BR, 1 3/4 Bath, Frame/Siding on oversized corner lot, carpet, custom drapes, formal dining, big country kitchen w/breakfast area, large master BR/writing rm., utility, detached two-story bldg. for office, hobby, or mother-in-law, \$59,900.
Popular Area Extra nice 3 BR, 2 Bath, Brick Carpet, Built-ins, CH/CA, Formal Living/Dining, Den, Gameroom, Detached Garage, Privacy Fence, Storage Shed, RV Parking, Curbed Flower Beds, Selling below purchase price, \$85,000.
Unique Rock Home, Complete w/new carpet, wallpaper, CH/CA, Electrical & Plumbing Lines, features six large comfortable rooms, 3 fireplaces, built-ins, utility rm., & concrete picnic table. Even the Roof is new! \$39,900.
Quiet Street, Corner Lot, & Good Neighbors come with large 2 BR, 2 Bath, Mobile Home, carpet, CH/CA, built-ins, washer & dryer, stone shed, attached carport, \$19,500.
Golfers, This 3 BR, 2 Bath, Doublewide Home situated on 1 ac. faces the Golf Course! Carpet, Built-ins, CH/CA, Fireplace, Utility, Deck, \$27,000.
Ideal Investment, This 3 BR Home stays rented, Big rooms, Formal Dining Rm., Roof has been patched, but priced accordingly, \$16,000.
Executive Home, 3 BR, 3 Bath, log/Slate/Glass, on 3.77 wooded ac., Open Living Design w/Massive Rock Fireplace covering one wall, Magnificent Kitchen with the gadgets, Office, Utility, Covered porch all across back, \$160,000.

EASTLAND AREA HOMES & LAKE LEON
Custom Built Brick Home, Approx. 1,360 sq. ft., situated on approx. 1 ac., completely fenced, 3 BR, 1 3/4 Bath, Fireplace, Built-ins, CH/CA, New Carpet, Utility, 2-Car Garage, Covered Patio, stor. bldgs., pens, garden, One of the nicest homes in Olden! \$63,900.
It's Summer time, and the living is easy, Pretty 3 BR, 2 Bath, Brick, like-New Condition Throughout, carpet, drapes, CH/CA, Fireplace, Built-ins, stained Glass, Patio, 2-Car Garage, large corner lot, Eastland Schools, Carbon \$59,000.
Horse Lovers Take Note! Nest as a Pin 2 BR Mobile Home in Olden, approx. 3/4 ac. complete w/fenced area, shed & pens for "Trigger", cool central air inside, \$19,500.
Attention Mobile Home Owners, Beautiful Wooded Acreage to put your home on, approx. 3/4 ac., bushes already there, \$7,800.
Lake Leon, Really Nice 2 BR, 2 Bath Mobile Home, 14' x 80', Screened porch all across lake side, CH/CA, situated on 2 Deeded Lots, Pipe-Rail Fence, Boat Dock w/Electric Lift, Deep Water, Private Location, Price Reduced! \$35,000.
Lake Leon, Large 2 BR, Brick Home, Deeded lot, Staff Meter, CH/CA, Fireplace, Big Open Living Rm/Kitchen, Fenced Yard, Waterfront, Reduced for Quick Sale! \$40,000.
Lake Leon, New 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Brick Home, Carpet, Built-ins, Fireplace, CH/CA, Jacuzzi, Redwood Deck w/Hot Tub, Deeded Lot, Staff Meter, \$72,500.
Lake Leon, Waterfront lots, Deeded, \$6,000 & up. Also have several lots in town \$2,500 to \$10,000.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES & ACREAGE
Excellent Commercial lot on Hwy. 80 East, Eastland, approx. 180 x 200, City Utilities Available, \$30,000.
120 N. Hwy. 6, 180' x 150' lot, Reduced for Quick Sale, \$17,000. Just West of popular restaurant and service station.
Hunters Paradise, 252 ac. way out in the "Boonies", Takes a rugged vehicle just to get to it. Very isolated, \$400 per acre. In an old house on it is fairly good shape.
166 ac., Near Eastland, Good Acres, Fair Fences, Mostly wooded & pasture, some cultivation, could set pens, could be divided, \$550 per ac.
We also have several other tracts of land including two 6.5 ac. places, 24 ac., 40 ac., 402 ac., 42 ac., 49 ac., 56 ac., and will be further divided in next few weeks.
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It's Your's For Only \$19,500. - Neat 3BR home, wood heater, carport, covered patio, fenced yard, by Elem. School.
Garden Lovers! 2BR brick energy effec. home, CH/CA, city and well water, large trees, 5 lots.
Handyman's Special, historical 2 story home with basement, shop, large privacy fenced yard.
Need extra lots? Perfect for growing family, 3BR, 2 baths, large rooms, 6 lots.
Bring All Offers! Spacious 3BR, 1 3/4 baths, central heat, 7 closets, garage, storage, near Elem. School.
What A Deal! 3BR, 2 bath newer home, CH/CA, 2 lots, possible FHA financing with \$500. down, only \$37,500.
Family Delight - 3BR, 1 1/2 baths, CH/CA, vinyl siding, storm windows, covered deck, carport, 2 lots, \$29,500.
Exceptional Price! Nice 3BR, 1 3/4 bath, CH/CA, sep. LR, DR & den, extra storage, garage, fenced yard, \$29,500.
Just Listed, quiet neighborhood, large 3BR, 2 1/2 bath home, great den with fireplace, CH/CA, many extras, patio, carports, shop.
Immaculate 3BR, 2 bath brick, 2 living areas, office, CH/CA, fireplace, wood heater, patio, carport, nice fenced yard.
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Step Into Yesteryear, spacious 3BR, 2 bath Colonial Style, formal DR, wood heater in den, large oak trees, workshop, A Rarity! 2 story spacious Colonial 5BR, 3 1/2 baths, 2 CH/CA units, FP, many extras, garage, orchard, 3 fenced lots. Don't Cramp Your Style, Big N' Beautiful 4BR, 3 bath, 2 living areas, CH/CA, 2 fireplaces, surrounded by oak trees. Country Charming, city conveniences, beautiful 4BR, 2 baths, CH/CA, super swimming pool, large shop, garage, city and well water, many extras, approx. 1 acre.
VACANT LOTS - Many's those from, call for information.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY
Unbelievable! 4 lots with metal building, only \$9,500.
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Reduced to \$69,000., large remodeled restaurant with equipment and furniture, large parking lot, I-20 frontage, on approx. 2 acres, price and terms negotiable.
SMALL AND LARGE ACREAGE
Reduced to \$18,500., approx 5 acres with 2BR, 2 bath, CH/CA, FP, garage, horse barn, tank, rural water.
Cozy 2 BR rock home, CH/CA, garage, approx. 1800 sq. ft. shop, on 5 acres near Cisco, \$32,500.
60 acres, sandy loan, possible 8 3/4 ac. in loan assumption, only \$29,500.
\$350. per acre, approx. 209 acres, just outside city limits, mostly wooded, several tanks, rural water nearby. 4-104

Keeping Up With Our Folks
629-3420 By Weems Dykes

EASTLAND
Your columnist goes each Sunday to the First Christian Church in Richland Springs to preach, and Sunday, June 16 he found a good Samaritan in Mrs. Tommie Langford of Cisco and her children Jeremy, Amanda and Samantha who were on their way to attend the Liberty Baptist Church in Eastland. They picked up your columnist who had car trouble and delivered him to his home address in Eastland where he got another car and proceeded on his way to Richland Springs, getting there in time for morning worship. I learned from Tommie that her husband, Mike, works at Thrift Mart in Eastland. Tommie told me that she doesn't often pick up anyone on the road, but when she saw my car, she knew I had car trouble and stopped to render a helping hand. Thank you Tommie, you saved my day.

Took my grandchildren to swim in the Eastland Park Hill swimming pool last Saturday and met Terry and wife Elizabeth McCormack and two children. One will be 4 months old July 4. See Terry often at Thrift Mark where he works.

Your columnist meets a lot of nice people in eating places. At K-Bobs Steak he saw a couple of young men he met in Eastland High School as a substitute teacher and they shared these bits of information with me since their graduation in 1982.

SPT James Taylor Westbrook has recently returned from Germany where he served in the infantry battalion as a medic for two years and was stationed at Hoenfels, Germany. He will be in Eastland visiting his mother, Helen Westbrook,

and grandmother Wanda Basket, until the first part of July. When James leaves Eastland, he will be stationed in San Antonio at Fort Sam Houston, for nine months, and then will enter the University of Texas at Austin to begin study in preparation for a medical degree as a general practitioner.

Rafael Cervantes now lives in Abilene since his graduation from EHS in 1988. He is employed with the John Crowe and Associates in Abilene.

His mother is Anna Maria Dominguez of Eastland. I told Rafael, maybe he was a descendant of the father of Spanish Literature, Miguel De Cervantes, who wrote, Don Quixote. Friends are mans greatest possession.

RANGER
Recently the Ruby Saint Family had a welcome home party for son in law, Robin Sculthrop and wife Marilyn and their two sons. Robin served on the Missouri Gulf during the Persian Gulf during Desert Storm. War in the Gulf.

this welcome were Sandra and Alana Pevehouse, Alan and Bobby Williams, Linda and David James and children, also Carolyn and Clark Brooks. Part of the celebration was making home made ice cream and the enjoyment of eating it.

The Reverend Jasper Masseege, pastor of Second Baptist Church in Ranger, was honored Sunday, June 9 by the members of the church for his fifty years in the ministry of Christ and his church. Jasper came to the church as pastor upon completion of his college degree at Howard Payne University at Brownwood, in June of 1941.

While in Howard Payne University he served pastorates as a student pastor in Brown and Mills counties. Rev. Masseege and family served the Second Baptist Church in Ranger for eight years between 1941 and 1952. He left the church to serve 29 months in World War II, fourteen months he served Europe. Later he

returned to be an Army Chaplain during the Korean War, and continued in the service as chaplain until 1970.

Rev. Jasper Masseege returned to Second Baptist Church in November of 1978 and has continued in service to the Ranger Church until his resignation on June 9, 1991 as pastor of the Second Baptist Church in Ranger. The church presented him with a plaque for his service to the church in Ranger and for fifty years and more of work in the ministry of Christ.

Rev. Masseege holds the Bachelor Degree, the Masters Degree in Religious Education, and also

Look Who's New

Chelcie RaeAnn Fox

Brittney Nicole Fox of Weatherford proudly announces the birth of her new baby sister, Chelcie RaeAnn Fox.

Chelcie was born at the Master of Divinity Degree. This wonderful pastor looks forward to further serve the ministry of Christ where ever he is needed.

Rev. Lance Hartsfield, associate pastor and student at the Southwestern Baptist Seminary will help the church until it calls a full time pastor.

12:02 P.M. on May 15, 1991 at Campbell Memorial Hospital in Weatherford. She weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Parents are Derrick and Melanie Fox of Weatherford. Grandparents are Raymond and Nona Fox of Eastland, John and Gloria Snyder of Weatherford and Fred and Diane Williams of Weatherford. Great grandparents are Hervey and Lottie Fox of Olden, J. C. and Barbara Butler of Eastland and a great-great grandmother, Mrs. W. O. Fox of Eastland. Also welcoming Chelcie is Aunt Dana Fox of Eastland.

Use The Classifieds

Men In Service



Steven Campbell graduated from Lackland AFB, San Antonio in Honor Flight Graduate.

He received a medal for marksmanship.

Steven is the son of Bob and Nancy Campbell of Andrews and grandson of James Le Rue Campbell of Lake Leon.

He is now in Tech school at Sheppard AFB, Wichita Falls.

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Ruth Stewart, M.Ed.

Q. (Continued) What are some ways I can improve as a follower of my husband's wishes for our family?

A. Be Adjustable: A good follower is adjustable to life's circumstances.

- Don't have a lot of preconceived ideas about what you want out of life, such as where you want to live, kind of house, life style, economic level, or plans for the children.

- Make all your dreams portable so you can be happy anywhere.

(More To Follow)

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Fourteen Answer Call To Belize

By Richard Kurklin
A hoped for 24 volunteer missionaries to staff three teams for a mission into Belize had dwindled to two teams by the time we left Tyler for the Houston International Airport. But after a three hour delay to repair the 737's hydraulics, 14 temporary missionaries were flying across the Gulf of Mexico toward the Central American country.

Belize, formerly British Honduras, is a beautiful country ranging from swampy lowlands on the coast to forested plains and remote jungle covered mountains. It has 180 miles of coast line on the Caribbean Sea and the world's second largest barrier reef protecting its beaches. The Ocean water is very clear and warm there. With only a population of about 200,000 people, much of the country is uninhabited jungle.

After arriving at the new Belize International Airport terminal and clearing customs, we split into two teams. One team would go north to an area with a large Spanish population to minister while our team would travel south to minister among the Indian villages and at a coastal town with a largely black population. We were assisted by two Southern Baptist missionary families who helped

to provide us with transportation.

We traveled west to Belmopan, the capital city, which is about the size of Cisco or Eastland then we headed south. Most of the bridges were one lane, but there were bridges. The pavement was poor at first and nonexistent as we drove further through the beautiful countryside. Agriculture and industry in the country seem to be centered around orchards and tree farms, and the export of their products. Farming is limited but there is tourism and fishing along the coast. The main Southern Highway was similar to our rural county roads.

After traveling more than 150 miles on dusty roads, we arrived at the Indian villages. We would stay in a small wooden frame structure at San Roman, a Ketchi Indian village. The two room building, built by an earlier team, provided crude bunk rooms for both men and women. Facilities in the rear operated on rainwater caught from the tin roof, but it hadn't rained in five months.

Without the usual rainfall this year due to a severe drought, the country was hot and dusty. We would treat drinking water taken from a well



with a hand pump and drink plenty to avoid dehydration. Cool Cokes were available at a small store and we would eat what the Indians ate, mostly beans, rice and bread. There was meat sometimes, usually a chicken or a gibbon, a wild animal which the Indians would kill in the jungle. It looked like a cross between a pig and a beaver and the meat was white.

It was extremely hot at first with the temperature reportedly over 112. A bath in the flowing creek by the village was the only way to cool off. The creek was also used for washing clothes.

It quickly became apparent that the four men and three women on our team had been hand picked by God for the mission. They had come from cities across Texas, often not knowing each other, but feeling that God wanted them to go to Belize. Each turned out to have the needed skills to make the effort successful when put together as a team, and all quickly became friends. Only God could have chosen such a team, and bringing them together was a miracle in itself.

Each team member, with prayer and sometimes financial support from friends, raised the \$600 or so needed to make the trip. Building materials were funded by the Green Acres Baptist Church in Tyler.

We had been told by others that the Indians were lazy and wouldn't cooperate with us. But we were immediately ac-

cepted by the Indians and became good friends with many. They were hard working and would do anything to help. And that included the children, who also were a lot of fun. When bathing in the creek, we might be joined by up to 20 Indian children, who swam like fish and loved to splash us with water.

God answered our prayers throughout the trip. It seemed that with so many praying for us, He quickly responded on every occasion.

First, a prayer for rain was answered with a rain shower which cooled temperatures. And when our only transportation, a small truck, broke down, the effort was in jeopardy. But another prayer was answered when a team member was able to repair the truck without the needed tools or parts.

In addition to V.B.S. for the children in the villages, a Bible study, and nightly services, the sick were doctored and a church building was completed in the Maya village. The truck was used to haul materials, tools, and people to the Maya village, and the Indians worked hard as together we completed their church

building. They needed someone to show them how to do the work, then they would offer to do the hardest work.

After seeing the leadership among the Indian Christians and the pride in their new church, we were sure that Christianity would thrive there. Two of the Indian men had become preachers and their work was quite impressive. Some people became Christians during the services and as a result of individual witnessing, but the preachers had already reached many.

Another prayer was answered when I was able to speak to a large crowd of children at a school in a coastal town. They listened intently as I told of Jesus and how to be saved.

They also begged for Bibles and tracts to learn more.

Mark, an 11 year old Indian boy, had become a good friend. His mother became very sick with a fever of 107 and was near death. And Mary, our team doctor and a former missionary to Africa, didn't have the needed medicine. After praying, we realized that if we gave her the medicine we were taking to avoid getting sick, it might save her.

We gave her our medicine and she quickly recovered.

A team member fell and injured her back, and she was in severe pain, hardly able to move. We were afraid we might have to carry her to a landing strip and get a plane to fly her out. But after a lot of prayer, she was able to get up and do her part the next day. Just one more miracle.

A crowd of Indians helped paint the Maya church white, and it stood out in the village of small thatched roof homes. During a candlelight service at night in it, a snake more deadly than a rattlesnake raced in the door toward two lady team members who were about to sing special music. But the Indian men quickly killed it and the services continued, as if it was merely routine.

Working at a feverish pace with only a few hours of sleep at night, we took a brief break and drove to the ocean for a swim one day. It was the pick up we needed.

When it was time to say bye to the Indians, there was not a dry eye anywhere, and the Indians gave us friendship gifts.

Our return trip included a stop at a market just across the border in Guatemala and a bus ride to Belize City where we ate at a waterfront restaurant. We flew to San Pedro, a tourist town on an island frequented by U.S. citizens, and went out in glass bottom boat in the Caribbean to swim and snorkel for shells and starfish. We had fun and even encountered an octopus. The plane took us on to Belize International for the return flight.

Our team members are meeting once again this week in Tyler, as friends at a cook out. It was an

Nutrition Program

Here are some suggestions that you might take advantage of in your shopping. Sometimes buying smaller quantities of goods can eliminate some of the storage and spoiling problems. Supermarkets are usually willing to divide and repack items such as meat or repacking items such as meat or produce. Older adults may not know this service is available. They may also buy items in larger quantities to realize a savings. The savings are not realized when the leftovers go bad. Nutrition education classes that give ideas about shopping, storing, and preparing for one or two people can be very helpful.

Have you been noticing the visitors that come to the centers? Those who are traveling and stop for a nutritious luncheon know that the Senior Centers across the country are serving them. Invite your friends if and when they come in town. Call Cisco 442-1557, or Eastland, 629-1382, for reservations.

Cisco programs for the week: dinner music by Lois Holder, Martha Shirey, Senior Center Band and Choir. AARP held their regular monthly meeting and covered dish dinner. Blood pressure by Mable Thetford.

Eastland programs: Jim experience we will never forget and we would all like to go again. It we go again later, would you like to go?

(NOTE: Richard Kurklin, a member at Calvary Baptist Church in Cisco, was one of two Eastland County people making the trip.)

Sayer presented a most educational program.

Menus for the week:
Monday— Meat loaf, lima beans, beets in orange juice, mashed potatoes, peanut butter chews, peaches, bread, butter and milk.

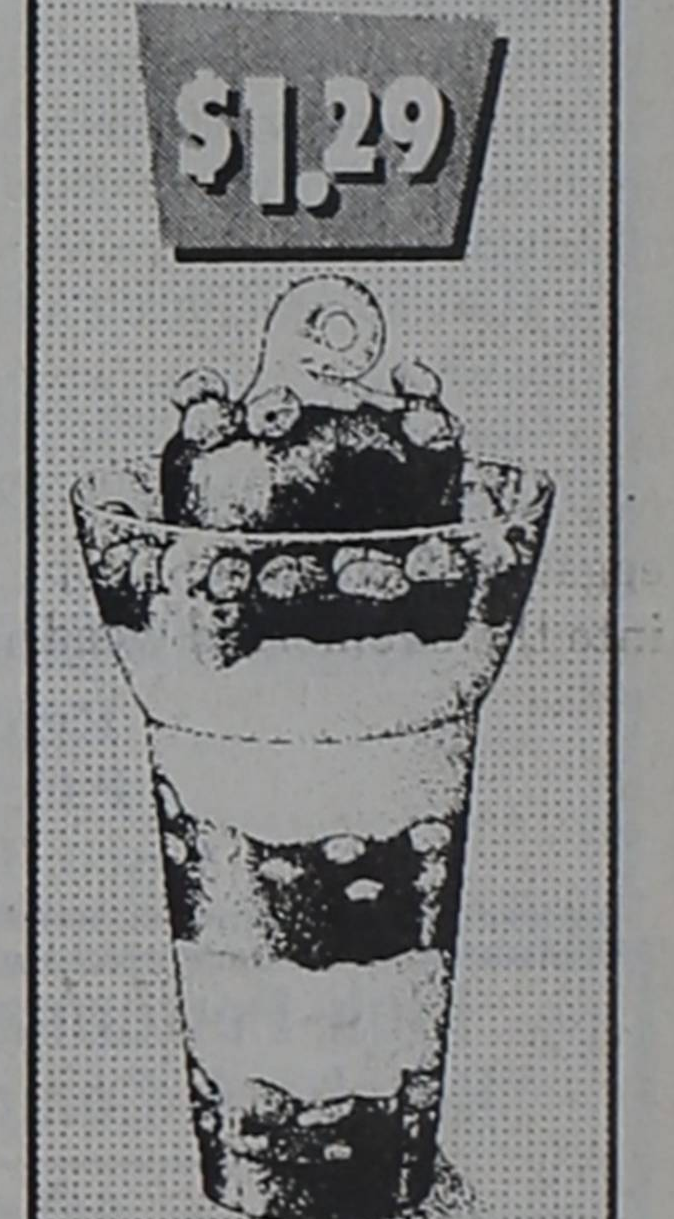
Wednesday— Oven fried chicken, stewed tomatoes and green beans, sliced potatoes, tossed salad, apple cheese crisp, bread, butter and milk.

Friday— Pinto beans, deviled egg salad with cheese, cottage fried potatoes, mixed greens, pineapple jello salad, cornbread, butter and milk.

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Fishing Outdoors

by Terry L. Wilson

BIOLOGICAL HYDRILLA CONTROL?

Work on biological controlling hydrilla, an aquatic weed on Sheldon Reservoir near Houston, began June 6 with about 1,000 host specific flies from Australia being released in enclosed cages.

Joyce Johnson, director of aquatic habitat for Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, said that during the project about 30,000 insects will be released at the reservoir as part of a national effort to find a solution to the hydrilla problem in some areas.

Hydrilla can cause severe water-use and access problems which crowd out valuable native plants. The only current practical solution are herbicides or grass carp, a prohibited exotic fish.

The Australian fly, *Hydrellia balciunasi*, is about the size of pin head and is similar to native flies that feed on native aquatic plants, except that it has adapted exclusively to hydrilla.

The female attaches eggs to the surface of exposed vegetation. As the eggs hatch the larva drop into the submersed weed bed and mine through the inside of the hydrilla leaf, leaving a transparent empty leaf frame work. The next life stage is the pupae that form in the axle of the plant and attach to the stem until emerging as adults. The adult mate within a few hours of emerging from the water and live about 18 days, long enough to lay eggs on emergent hydrilla, thus continuing the cycle.

Field research is needed to determine if the insect is an effective tool to control a plant that grows up

to two inches a day. And as most of you who have had the experience of fishing hydrilla are hoping this will only be used as control and not total eradication as was the case when grass carp were first introduced into some Texas waters.

Joyce Johnson has stated this will not be the case. We can only wait, watch and hope the T.P.&W.D. has success with this one.

August 4, 1991, the Stephenville Bass Club will be hosting its 10th Annual Open Tournament at Lake Granbury. Headquarters will be at Rough Creek Park beside McKeeveg's Marina. \$3,500 in cash and prizes is guaranteed with a first place cash prize of \$1,500. Entries received by July 22 are \$30.00 after that date will be \$35.00.

For more information contact Ray Martin at (817)965-4185.

August 28, 1991, Anglers Choice Northwest Texan Circuit will be hosting a team event at Lake Leon. Headquarters will be at the La Mancha Guest Ranch. This event is open to anyone who is a member of Anglers Choice. Dues for this organization is a mere \$20.00. So grab your partner and start hunting those Leon lunkers now.

And a few good fish are being caught at Leon now. Worms in shallow water and jigs seem to be working best. A few fish are being taken in deep water on shad crank baits. Currently the meed line is just to the bridge and the remainder of the lake is clear.

Next time out take a kid fishing, they will love you for it.

Terry L. Wilson

Cisco Press - Eastland Telegram - Ranger Times
Sunday, June 23, 1991

Eastland County Bass Club Report

WILLINGHAM WINS AT LEON

The Eastland County Bass Club sponsored Wednesday afternoon open jackpot held on Lake Leon on June 19 was won by Butch Willingham, who had three fish weighing a total of 5.72 pounds. In second place with three fish weighing 4.65 pounds was Al Senterfitt. We had 20 anglers who fished this weekly jackpot and everybody reported catching several small fish. The next ECBC sponsored open jackpot will be Wednesday, June 26, at Lake Leon with headquarters at Chock-O-Block. Fishing hours will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come fish these open jackpots.

The teams of Horton and Horton and Wood and Willingham will be fishing the Honey Hole Northwest Region Team Tournament on Twin Buttes Sunday, June 23. These teams are trying to qualify for the Honey Hole Team Championship on Richland Chambers coming up in July. We wish them well.

Eastland Memorial Hospital Report

Admissions

June 19, 1991

Ruby V. Curtis

Dismissals

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Admissions

June 20, 1991

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Delbert C. Hagar

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'Oscar' Showing At Majestic

The Sylvester Stallone comedy "Oscar" is now showing at the Majestic. This gangster/farce has a broad appeal, as seen by its No. 1 Box Office rating in the nation May 10.

Perhaps the whole movie market was a bit sluggish that week, as critics say, but the rating is still a good start for this Touchstone Picture. "Oscar" opened at the Majestic Friday, June 21, and will show nightly at 7:30 through Monday, June 24. Tickets are \$3 at the box office, with the picture rated PG.

This Touchstone Pictures release, directed by John Landis, undoubtedly took a risk by placing Sylvester Stallone as a leading man in a dialogue-filled farce that copies the screwball comedies of the 1930's. But the risk pays off - Stallone plays Angelo "Snaps" Provolone in a truly humorous way.

The funniest supporting roles are played by Tom Curry, as a linguist who tries to make "Snaps" sound cultured - and Martin Ferrero and Harry Shearer as immigrant tailors who try to outfit him for a meeting with legitimate bankers.

The title of the film? Viewers will have a chance to figure that one out!

Redeemer Lutheran In Cisco To Hold VBS June 24-28

Redeemer Lutheran Church, 18th and Conrad Hilton Avenue in Cisco, will hold Vacation Bible School Monday through Friday, June 24-28, from 9 until 11:30 a.m. daily.

All children age three years through sixth grade are welcome to attend.

The theme will be "The Sunshine Station - Telling the World About Je-

Sheriff's Dept. News

There are two new cases being investigated by the Eastland County Sheriff's Department, both are burglaries.

One was a burglary of an auto where \$60.00 cash was taken. This occurred in Eastland on June 14.

On June 18 a burglary of a habitation at Lake Leon. No arrests were reported.

If transportation is needed, call 442-2090 or 442-1551.

Read The County Classifieds

Vann Reunion Held

On Sunday, June 9, 1991, family and friends attended the annual Vann reunion at the VFW Hall East of Eastland. There were 55 present. Those attending were: Bert & Doris Kent; Dianne Moss & daughter, Kellee; from Gorman - Billy & Amy Vann; Jackie & Linda Buffalo; from Abilene: Cotton & Rena Berkley; Tommy Berkley & sons; Brandon & Kelsey of Breckenridge; Tex & Ruby Whitehead; Ronny & Jane Whitehead & daughter, Clarissa; Steve & Carla Whitehead & children, Dayna & Chris & guest, Ricky, of Hawley - J. T. & Edith Wilson; Bartow Wilson; Robert & Virginia Rich & daughter, Ann, of Eastland - Dale & Mary Smith of Pineville, LA - Karen Moss & son, Justin of Helena, AL - Richard Vann; Maudie Head & children, Christi & Justin, of Mineral Wells - David

& Karen Vann of Olden - Johnnie Chancellor, Damon & Sheila Brown & girls; Phyllis Dennis & sons, of Cisco - Jay Lionberger of Garner - Ruby Ainsworth; Laura Casey; John Chancellor; of Ranger - R.D. & Georgia Threet of Carbon.

Next year's reunion will be held at the same place, VFW Hall, Eastland, on the second Sunday of June.

NOTICE

The next meeting of the CTAMI (Central Texas Alliance for the Mentally Ill) is Tuesday, July 2, 1991 at 7:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, Brownwood. The speaker will be J. Don Wright, a therapist from Abilene.

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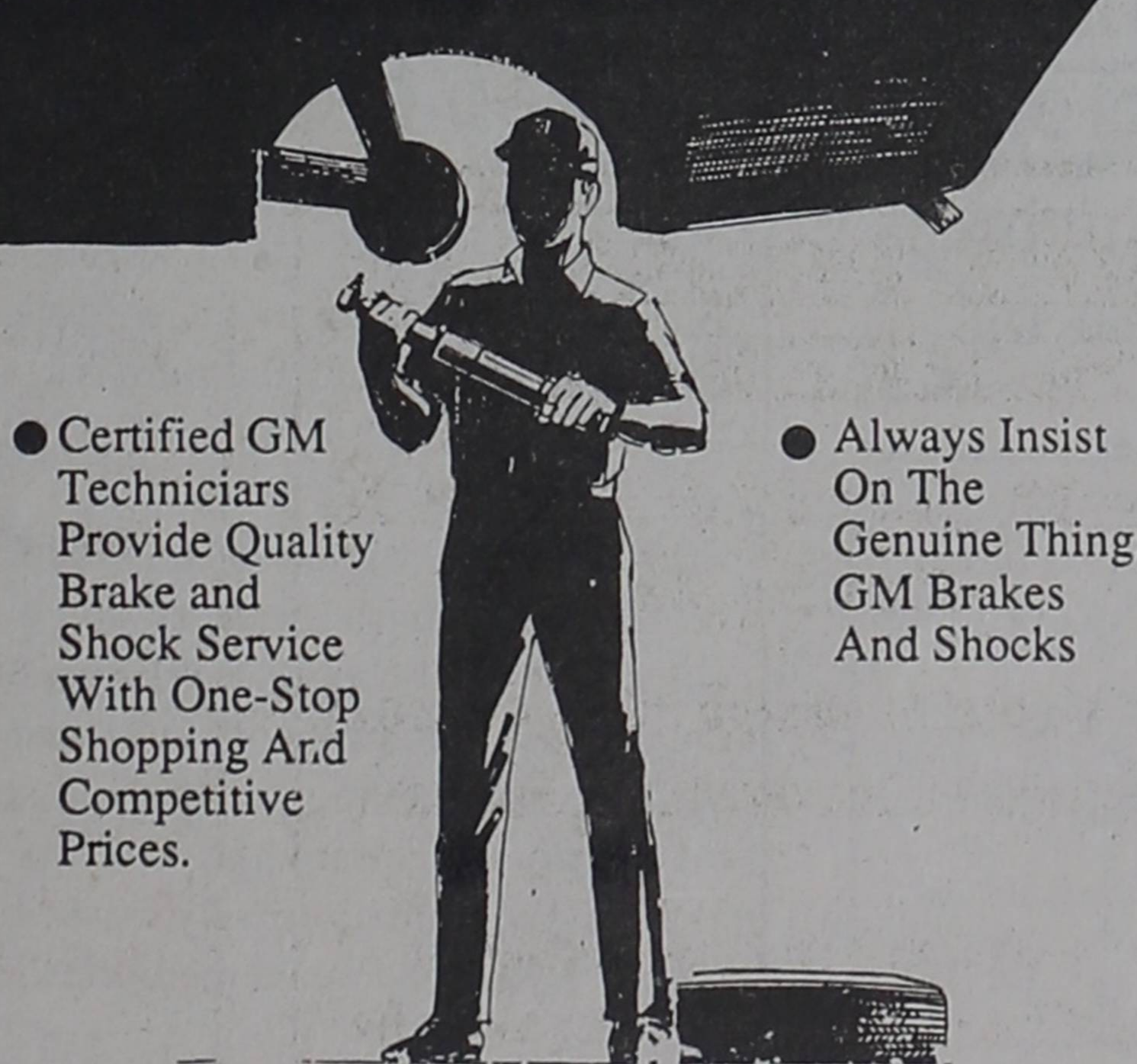
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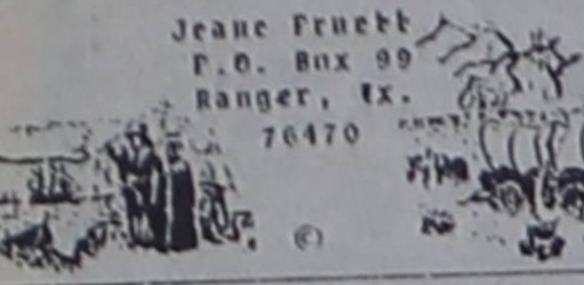


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...THURBER, TEXAS, DEMISE OF THURBER CEMETERY AND INTERMENTS. A brief history of the short lived town of Thurber, Texas by prestone lerner, former writer for the Fort Worth Star Telegram and Abilene Reporter-News. Photographs by J. Griffiths Smith.

THE DEMISE OF THURBER CEMETERY by Leo S Bielinski. In addition to a very clear description of the cemetery, Bielinski has alphabetized an earlier listing by Jack Harding and Mrs. T. B. Cawyer of Stephenville, Texas 8 March 1973. Also included and alphabetized are the "INTERMENTS AT THURBER CEMETERY" From Catholic Church Records." Total cost of this most information booklet is only \$5.00. Make check or money order payable to "Friends of Thurber" and mail to Thurber Historical Association; P. O. Box 192; Gordon, Texas 76435.

KAY ROBERTS MARTIN; Route 4, Box 440-1; Oak Grove, MO 64075 needs help proving that Peter Helton and wife Sarah (COURTNEY?) were the parents of at least three sons: William HELTON, born ca 1815, Rutherford Co., TN and married Nancy SHIPP; Abraham HELTON the same one in Burke Co., North Carolina on the 1810 census? Were Berch, Eliphus, Jerri, Jesse and Thomas HELTON his brothers? Was one these men his father? Also interested in information of the following family: Thomas Allen JAMISON, b. 25 April 1811, poss. KY, d. 6 March 1873, married 22 April 1835, Rutherford Co., TN to Caroline FULKS. Children: John W. (m. 1st Sarah COLEMAN, 2nd Betty JONES); William Robert (m. 1st Martha ARNETTE, 2nd Mary J. SHELTON); Martha J. (m. ?? SHELTON); Nancy L. (m. Andrew Peter HELTON); Joseph Andrew (m. Es-

ther BRANDON); Edmond Howard (m. Phoebe Elizabeth BOWLING); Sarah E. (m. I. S. PARKER); Calvin (m. Margaret SANFORD).

ANN JAY; P. O. Box 147; Gorman, TX 76454 is searching for descendants of JOHN JAY b. ca 1818 TN, and SALLY (poss. CAMPBELL or BRAMLETT) JAY b. ca 1819 SC, lived Hall and Lumpkin Co.'s GA 1830-1900. Several of their children eventually moved to Texas.

Known children: William, b. ca 1836; Elizabeth, b. ca 1838; John W. b. ca 1839; Nathan, b. ca 1842; Robert, b. ca 1844; Laura, b. 1845, married Samuel Anderson LOGGINS and moved to Bosque Co., TX; Isaac Mack, b. 1847, married Margaret TWITCHELL in TX, lived Leon, Bosque, Comanche and Eastland Co.'s TX; next child according to census - 1850 says male (Hewett?) b. 1849, 1860 census says female (Sarah?); Martha b. ca 1851, married Elisha MARTIN, lived Lumpkin Co., GA. (her father John was living with them in 1900); Lafayette, 1852 - 1906 Burnett Co., TX married Ella; Thomas M. 1854 - 1935 Burnett Co., TX married Callie C. WALLACE.

My ancestor, Isaac Mack JAY who married Margaret TWITCHELL had the following children: Robert Monroe 1866 - 1960 Brady, TX, married Amanda WOOD; William Isaac JAY 1868 - 1948 Colorado? In 1910 he was in Burnett Co., TX with his wife Cora SCOTT and three children. Have lost tract of him after this date; Mary Elizabeth 1869 - 1940, never married; John Edward 1871 - 1957 Lufkin, TX, 1st married Della CALDWELL, 2nd Flora O'NEAL; Wilburn (Webb) 1873 - 1960 - California?, married Lula KENNEDY from Alabama; Sudie Belle 1874 - 1969 Bell Co., TX married Earl Lee McQueen; Frederick W. 1876 - 1915 Comanche Co., TX; CLAUDE & SEABORN both died in early childhood. Sincerely appreciate correspondence with descendants OR anyone having information of any of the above.

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Points To Ponder

by Bill Reed, Pastor

When Willard Scott gives the national weather report on the "Today Show", he concludes, "Now here is what is happening in your today." Then a local forecaster tells what is happening in our area. The national weather comes down to the local situation.

We are a weather-conscious people. We live by the weather reports. They tell us what to wear, whether we need an umbrella, if one needs to start to work early because of snow or fog. I suspect some people use it as an excuse to stay home from church. People in Jesus time were weather conscious also. It was important to their life as well. Jesus told a parable about the weather in Luke 12:54-56. The point of the parable was not how well one was able to predict the weather, but how to interpret the present time.

The Greeks had two words for "time" CHAIROS and CHRONOS. CHRONOS was clock time, hours and minutes. CHAIROS is the word use in the parable. It stands for a critical opportunity. It is the time when opportunity knocks. Jesus saw His ministry as the nation's time to be saved from disaster. Thus He wept over Jerusalem because the people didn't know or realize the time to accept Jesus as their King.

What are today's time telling us? We live in a world that is unhappy. Most people are unhappy. We have problems that

are almost beyond solution. Conditions in our contemporary society is so blatant and evident that anyone with a minimum of sense can see disaster ahead. Nuclear arms can lead to world destruction. The population explosion with accompanying poverty, hunger, and will result in a world revolution.

What happens in the world effects us all. Can the people of the world today see and rightly interpret the work of the church? Does the world hear what God is saying through the word and work of the church? Does the world see what God is doing through your life. It is possible to get so involved with ones self that it is easy to forget that Christians are ambassadors of Christ.

What people see in your life and my life may be all they are able to interpret about God. As a part of the church Christians makes a witness to God's love and mercy. Christians through the church proclaim God's forgiveness through Jesus Christ.

How are you interpreting your life in light of the present time? Are you contributing to the solution by being a part of the church? Or are you a part of the problem by your lack of commitment to the work and mission of the church. Start your week right by making a positive witness by taking your family to church Sunday.



JAMMIE DEE DANCERS - "Bumblebees" (left to right) Katie Vinson, Jacquelyn Schuman, Brielle Parks, (kneeling) Jessica Crawford. Ninth Annual Recital - June 8th - "The Wizard of Oz"

RANGER COMMUNITY LIBRARY: LET'S BRING IT BACK
By: David Drake

man, and members Alla Ray Morris, Carla Gohlke, Mike C de Baca, and Juanita Warden. The role of the board will be to provide leadership and direction for our library while enlisting community participation and support. The board hopes to employ a library staff member through the use of "Green Thumb" funds. Green Thumb, Inc. is a nonprofit corporation that operates in 44 states and Puerto Rico as a job training and employment program for older Americans. The program is funded by a grant from the U. S. Department of Labor. Host agencies (in our case, the city of Ranger) are generally government or nonprofit agencies that would not be able to offer many essential community services without Green Thumb enrollees.

Our city has suffered in recent years from business closings and population decline, but we still have much to offer. Many of our citizens are working long and hard to improve the quality of life in Ranger. The recently initiated project of supervised destruction and cleanup of abandoned

buildings is just one example.

Our public library can unlock its door and serve our community again. Let's bring it back!

When our public library closed some time ago as yet another victim of our strained economy, our community lost more than mere access to the books on its shelves. A public library is a hallmark of civic pride as well as a center for education and entertainment. When the Ranger Community Library locked its door for what seemed to be the last time, it left behind that door a little bit of the civic pride that is so dearly needed in our town these days.

Ranger has an excellent school district and junior college. We can have an excellent public library as well. It doesn't have to be supported by local tax money—realistically, this is not even an alternative. Our city receives only \$25.00 a month from the county for library services, and we have no city revenue to support library. If our public library is to unlock its door, it must do so with the use of volunteers and financial support from some source other than local taxes.

Fortunately, it appears that we can do this. At their meeting on June 10, our city commissioners established the Ranger Community Library Board to lead the effort to bring back our public library. The board consists of David Drake, Chair-

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Poems Wanted For Contest

Poems are now being accepted for entry in Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum's new "Distinguished Poet Awards" poetry contest. Cash prizes totaling \$1,000 will be awarded, including a \$500 grand prize. The contest is free to enter.

Poets may enter one poem only, 20 lines or less, on any subject, in any style. Contest closes Sept. 30, 1991, but poets are encouraged to send their work as soon as possible, since poems entered in the contest also will be considered for publication in the summer 1992 edition of Treasured Poems of America, a hardcover anthology. Anthology purchase may be required to insure publication, but is not required to enter or win the contest. Prize winners will be notified by Nov. 30, 1991.

"Our contest is open to all, regardless of experience," says Jerome P. Welch, Publisher. "We especially want to see poems from new or emerging poets. We look for sincerity and originality and welcome a wide variety of styles and themes. In fact, many of our contest winners are new poets with new ideas."

Poem should be sent to Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum, Inc., Dept. J, 203 Daimond St., Sistersville, WV 26175.

Legal Notice

Ranger ISD is seeking bids for fleet fuels and fleet supplies for the 1991-92 school year. Interested bidders should contact the Business Office as listed above.

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Swimming Lessons are being offered at the Ranger Swimming Pool from June 24-July 3 (weekdays only). These sessions are for children ages 3-10 years... all swimming levels accepted. There will be Certified lifeguard/instructors; limited class size; each child individually evaluated and placed in class according to his/her skill level and completion certificates will be awarded. Registration begins now. Come by the Ranger Swimming Pool from 1:00-6:00 P.M. Tuesday through Sunday for registration or call Sherry Nail at 647-3728.

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Ranger Museum Update

UPDATE Our visitors come from many states; all of Texas and even foreign countries. Update on visitors Texas; New Mexico; Colorado; Oregon; Mr. Wm. J. Russell signed in from Las Vegas, Nevada stating "My father (T.A. "Sooner" Russell) worked on the first Ranger Field. "Another made the comment "A very nice place. But need someone here all the time. We like it very much. "Many thanks to our volunteers: Iris Hummel; Louse Britt; Doris Smith; Sue Sim-

mons; Betty Milner; Alta Carroll; Trudy Walker; Ray Parsons and Elzie Pruett. We hope for more volunteers, WE NEED YOU! More contributions were received from (Patty Mori) Budget Inn Motel; Memorial to Elzie & Alice Pruett; Darrell's Garage & Car Wash; Ranger Lions Club; and several

pledges.
Jeane Pruett Museum Director

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