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This entitles candidate to have name published in Political Calendar throughout campaign, and two statements, one at beginning of campaign and one later in campaign with picture.

Tidbits by HVO

SEPT. 16TH: mark that date for the Annual Lions Club Peanut Bowl/Old Rip Fest in Downtown Eastland.

TINY PORTUGUESE colony of Sae Tome and Principe is issuing nine new Marilyn Monroe collectors stamps at \$9.95, 1-800-624-442. USPS will issue a M.M. stamp in June.

FRIEND HERE shares this quote on the importance of very important people: "Because the customer has a need, we have a job to do. Because the customer has a choice, we must be the better choice. Because the customer has sensibilities, we must be considerate. Because the customer has an urgency, we must be quick. Because the customer is unique, we must be flexible. Because the customer has high expectations, we must excel. Because the customer has influence, we have the hope of more customers. Because of customers, we exist!"

QUOTES OF note: There are some people that if they don't know, you can't tell 'em.--Louis Armstrong.

The most beautiful words in the English language are 'check enclosed.' -- Dorothy Parker.

I have noticed that nothing I never said ever did me any harm--Calvin Coolidge.

Our knowledge is a receding mirage in an expanding desert of ignorance.--Will Durant.

A college education is very educational. It teaches the parents of the student how to do without a lot of things.--Anon. The trouble with making mental notes is that the ink fades so fast.--Anon.

TextSCAN IS a state-wide classified ad program that this newspaper participates in. An advertiser can put a 25-word ad in more than 300 newspapers and is ideal for those with broad appeal. Served well are such things as adoptions, animals for sale, antique, estate and cattle auctions and sales, unique business opportunities, special educational sources, employment,

financial assistance, health/diet aids as well as weight-loss plans, etc., law firms that specialize, unusual and large products (pools, buildings, vet supplies), and real estate of all kinds including resort and time-share.

A call to this local paper can set ads into motion.

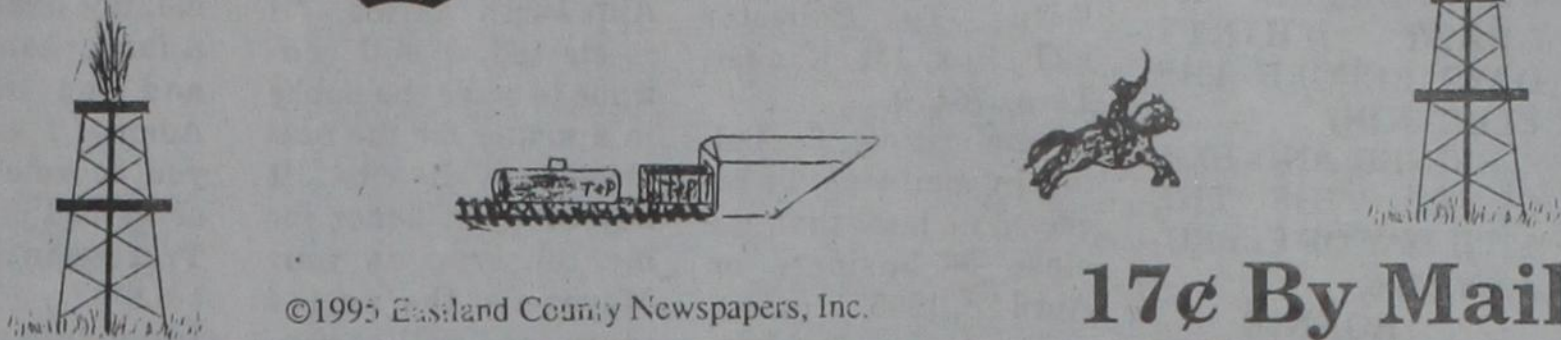
SEE MAYOR C.W. Hoffmann's photos in the recent Midwest Community Network bulletin about that groups recent visit to Austin.

WE'RE BEHOLDEN to Mr. Charles Lafon of Huntington Beach, CA, for an excellent article from the Smithsonian magazine about horned toads. Mr. L. writes in part: "Having read the many articles in your paper (enjoyed every one) about the Horned Toad, and having read the article in the Smithsonian, I immediately thought of you so the reason for sending this magazine. Sincerely, ... for the preservation of the Horned Frog." Thanks again; it's an outstanding piece and we're seeking permission to reprint. It has excellent photos of the lizard "shooting blood" and other oddities...In this regard, locals might want to know that many, many copies of a little two-page story of Old Rip is being mailed to publications around the state/nation to help publicize our area. Hopefully, these will be showing up near and far.

YOUR COMMENT?: U.S. Tobacco donated \$224,000 (a portion of 3-month sales from Copenhagen and Skoal) to the State Association of Fire Fighters to provide emergency aid and college scholarship assistance to families of firefighters in Texas. The money will be available for the needs of all fire fighters throughout Texas, regardless of affiliation or location.

Fullen Motor Co. Presents Laugh-A-Day To teach is to learn twice.

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Saturday Is Election Day A Day To Pray

Polls are open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at many polling places around the county for local important elections Saturday.

Among the elections are city, school, hospital district boards, water district boards, college boards, and maybe others.

Early voting ended Tuesday at 5 p.m. at the various sites.

In Eastland the city, school, hospital district and the Eastland box for the Eastland County

Folklife Festival Winners Named

Floats: Commercial: 1st Canterbury Villa of Cisco; 2nd Cisco Golf Course and Country Club

Civic: 1st Becca Williamson Miss Rising Star; 2nd Cisco Civic League

Horse Drawn Wagons: 1st West Texas Rehab (Abilene); 2nd Brooks Farms (Hawley)

Riding Clubs: 1st Ranger Auction; 2nd

Comanche County Decorated Bicycles/Vehicles: 1st Jake Traylor and Laura Beasley; 2nd Alexandra Berry; 3rd Brittany Jones

Autos: Before 1950: 1st Mel & Pat Henson (Abilene)

1950 to Present: Phillis Johnston; Claud Jessup

Pickups: Jack & Linda Jenkins; Bryan Jackson.

Judge Scott Bailey Delegate To White House Conference On Aging

Eastland County Judge Scott Bailey is in Washington, D.C. this week as a Delegate to the Official 1995 White House Conference on Aging.

This Conference is being held May 2-5 at the Hilton Towers in the National Capitol. Hundreds of delegates from across the United States are expected to attend.

Judge Bailey is one of the sixty delegates representing the State of Texas. His appointment was made by the Governor's office.

Preliminary Regional Conferences were held across the country to decide on issues to be discussed at the White House Conference. Judge Bailey also served a Delegate to the Regional Conference

on Aging in Texas, held in Dallas on March 26 - 28.

The White House Conference, Judge Bailey says, will deal with the current issues of Health Care, including long-term care, Promoting Economic Security for the Elderly, Housing and Support Service Options, and the

(Cont. On Focus Page)

In 1952, The United States Congress approved a joint resolution establishing a National Day of Prayer.

Since 1988, the first Thursday in May has been an annual observation - a day "the people of the United States may turn to God in prayer and meditation."

The National Day of Prayer actually traces back to 1775, when the Continental Congress called for a day of prayer. This year, organizers are planning hundreds of events to take place nationwide on May 4, the 1995 National Day of Prayer.

In spite of the publicity, many Americans won't know about the event, others will ignore it, and still others will protest it, claiming it violates the principle of the separation of church and state.

Those who believe in the values of prayer however, know the benefits of focusing public attention on the need for prayer, especially in times like these when much that is righteous and holy is open to secular assault.

One doesn't have to be extremely observant to see that the United States, like other nations, is in deep trouble spiritually and morally. This contributes directly to many of the enormous social and economic problems extant today.

In Gallup polls published less than a year ago, nearly two thirds of Americans surveyed responded that they were dissatisfied with the way things are going in the United States.

Two thirds of those polled felt that religion is losing its influence on how people really live. Still, nearly two thirds thought that religion could answer all or most of today's problems.

The basic idea behind a day of nationwide prayer is that we as a people collectively turn to God and seek his guidance in our lives. History provides that earnest, believing prayer works.

Effective prayer, according to the Scriptures, is not just a list of requests - give us this and give us that. Effective prayer includes confessing our sins, with a humble, repentant attitude and a worshipful approach.

In 2 Chronicles 7:14, we see how a people should pray when seriously wanting an answer. Though specifically addressed to ancient Israel, the principles apply to any nation.

God said if people "will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land."

A people united in (Cont. On Focus Page)

David Norris Announces Candidacy For Hospital Board of Directors



DAVID NORRIS

Howdy! My name is David Norris. I want to represent you on your Eastland Memorial Hospital Board of Directors. I settled my family in Eastland a little under three years ago, because my parents have extensive family here (Norris and Tuckers). I work full time at the family farm and part-time as a substitute teacher in the Eastland High School and Middle School. My wife is

a registered nurse and we have two daughters in the Eastland schools - Davina (8th grade) and Danielle (5th grade).

I was born and raised in Lubbock. In 1979, I graduated from Texas Tech University with a B.A. in Political Science. While in college, I worked as an aide in the Emergency Room, Intensive Care Unit and Traction at Methodist Hospital of Lubbock. After college, I served over 12 years as an Administration Officer in the United States Air Force obtaining the rank of Major. Some of my decorations include: Air Force Meritorious Service Medal, two Air Force Commendation Medals, National Defense Medal, Overseas Long Tour Ribbon and Expert Marksmanship Ribbon for rifle and pistol.

Some of my duties included: Squadron Commander authority for over 450 military and civilian personnel and their families; Squadron Hospital Representative (which included patient advocate and Hospital Commander (Cont. On Focus Page)

Bill Jernigan Candidate For Place 2 Ranger Commissioner



My name is Bill Jernigan. I am running for Place 2, Streets and Park Commissioner.

I moved to Eastland Co. in 1984 and to Ranger in 1985. I am thirty five years old and married to Karen Templeton Jernigan. I plan on making Ranger my home for life. I believe I can help the commu-

nity to improve itself. I was employed by the City of Ranger for several years. By being a City employee I learned all the "ins" and "outs" of small town politics.

There is a lot of room for improvement. My main concerns are the threats of closing the swimming pool, city street lights and the condition of the cemetery. The Ranger swimming pool has been costly to operate, but this problem has been here for twenty years. Why close it now? Ranger is no richer or poorer now than it has ever been. Our children need something to do this summer. I would rather have the kids at the pool than on the (Cont. On Focus Page)

Angeline Stovall Announces Candidacy For CISD Place 2

I, Angeline Stovall, would like to announce my candidacy for Cisco Independent School District Board of Trustees. I graduated from Ira High School in 1977, attended Cisco Junior College, and graduated from Tarleton State University in 1980 with a degree in accounting. I became a Certified Public Accountant in 1983, and I have had a practice in Cisco for twelve years.

My family includes my husband, Howard, and three children, Jessica, Ben and Zac who all attend Cisco Elementary School. We attend Calvary Baptist Church. We have lived in this district for twelve years, and I have had family living here and paying property taxes since the 1900's.

Our main concern should be a quality education for all students. We

have to stay competitive in all aspects of the education process to compete in today's fierce job markets. Whether your child gets a high school education or pursues an advanced degree, he or she needs to be prepared for today's high-tech world.

As our school system excels it has a rebounding effect on our community and our county. Our school has some excellent facilities and learning tools. There are quality teachers in our system that need to be encouraged and (Cont. On Focus Page)



1920 Club Members, Diamond Jubilee Party: Ms Cecelia Scott; Elva Larson; Betty White; Iris Hummel; Jane Blacklock; Sally Thomas, Pres.; Sue Allsup, Vice-Pres.; Lois Raley; Eva K. Poyner; Ella White; and a much missed member, Topsy Jackson.

1920 Club Diamond Jubilee Reception

The 1920 Club celebrated its 75 years of community involvement and service on Sunday April 23, 1995 at the Ranger Community Club House. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Sally Thomas, President, and Mrs. Ella White and Mrs. Iris Hummel who registered our guests.

The Club colors of rose and gold predominated decorations throughout the Club House. Refreshments were served in the 1920 Club Room from a beautifully decorated

table centered by an arrangement of exotic tropical flowers, bird of paradise, anthurium, and ginger from Hawaii. Among our special guests were Mrs. Elsie Barnes, President of the Heart of Texas District, Texas

Federated Clubs and Mrs. Eula Weaver of the Shakerian Club of De Leon. Members of the 1920 Club would like to thank those members of the community who called to help us celebrate our Diamond Jubilee.

Apply For Christmas In May

Christmas in May is a community project each year to actually do something about the community's concern for local residents who need

a helping hand with their homes. Elderly, poor and handicapped people who need maintenance of or im-

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A Day To Pray

humbly and earnestly calling out to God for help - we need a National Day of Prayer just like that.

Clayton Steep
(From the Plain Truth Magazine)
Eastland

Concerned individuals are urged to participate at City Hall on that day from 12:20 p.m. to 12:40 p.m. and pray for a moral rebirth for America.

Meet at City Hall is a project for special prayer. On that day individuals in hundreds of communities will gather at their City Hall for a moral rebirth of America.

You are urged to join others from church and community as we meet at City Hall on May 4th to pray for a moral rebirth in our community.

Guest speakers will be Larry Roberts, Eastland Church of Christ; Rick Grant, Eastland First Baptist Church; Kyle Glenn, Eastland First United Methodist Church; Robert Deluca, Eastland First United Methodist Church; and Donna Deluca, Special Music. Hosted by city of Eastland, C. W. Hoffmann, Jr., Mayor.

Cisco
Thursday, the min-

isters and residents of the Cisco area will gather at the Conrad Hilton Community Center to participate in this annual observance. The service of prayer will begin at 12 noon and will be marked by prayer, song, and testimony.

Gary Turner, pastor of First United Methodist Church is coordinator for this year's Day of Prayer.

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Candidate - Bill Jernigan

streets. If there is no pool kids will go to Lake Leon, where there is no life guard. If just one child drowns or gets run over because of this, are the savings really justified?

There have been no real improvements to the swimming pool, the Park system or the streets in a number of years. I believe it's about time we start, instead of just waiting for them to improve by themselves.

Another big problem seems to be Rangers inability to keep the cemetery mowed, or the graves leveled. Ranger's Cemetery is a total disgrace. I would like to see that it is kept in the manner a perpetual care cemetery should be kept. The gates are no longer locked. There has always been one full time employee at the cemetery, but now you rarely find him there.

If organizations like the Ranger Historical Society can raise thirty thousand dollars to operate and the Majestic Theater can do the same, why can't the people of Ranger do the same for our swimming pool and parks? All it takes is some community effort. But it won't happen unless we make it happen.

I would like to be involved in the many important decisions it takes to operate Ranger. I would appreciate all the support from the community, most of all I would appreciate your vote.

Always remember if you don't vote don't complain about the politics.

Sincerely,
Bill Jernigan.
Pd. Political adv. by:
Bill Jernigan.

LAST CHANCE

By Patti Flippin

Put your "words" or "pictures" in history free! Roy Lee Smith is putting together the 2nd volume of Eastland County History. This will probably be the last volume so don't miss out.

I'm sure there are family events you are proud of and would like to share with others. These events can be most anything from family history to county history. We need pictures that tell a story or ones of people who have played an important part in your life. Families will be able to look at and read this volume for "centuries" to come.

Volunteers would be greatly appreciated because this volume is being put together by those who are willing to give their time and effort to make a volume of history Eastland County can be proud of.

Please send what information and pictures you have to:

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Christmas In May

provements to their homes, and are unable to do the work or have it done, are urged to fill out an application for Christmas in May.

At the selected time, many people donate their time and labor to help while businesses and other individuals donate money and materials. Others may serve refreshments to willing workers.

Once an entire home was built, but usually minor repairs are made, sometimes to the exterior. Homes may be painted and yards mowed and trimmed up.

Not only does Christmas in May make all the difference for those who are unable to help themselves, but it brings a blessing to those who help their neighbors. Some of the needs are so important, and the workers usually have a good time while meeting the needs.

An application was published in the April 23rd Cisco Press, and applications may be picked up at the Cisco Chamber of Commerce, 309 Conrad Hilton Avenue. Call 442-2537 for more information. Applications need to be turned in to the Chamber office by May 5. If needed, someone can probably bring you an application and help you fill it out.

Projects will be selected from applications on the basis of greatest need and the ability of volunteers and donors to meet needs. But needs will not be met unless applications are received.

Cisco Christmas in May is a project of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce. The projects will be undertaken on Saturday, May 20th.

Ch.A.D.D. To Hold Meeting May 9

The Eastland County Ch.A.D.D. organization will meet on Tuesday, May 9, at the Daugherty St. Church of Christ in Eastland. Time of the meeting is 7-9 p.m.

All who are concerned with children and adults with Attention Deficit Disorders are encouraged to attend this educational meeting.

Retirement Reception For Ranger City Secretary May 5

There will be a Retirement Reception that will be held honoring Mrs. Barbara Wheat for her long time dedication of 17 years with the City of Ranger.

The Reception will be held at City Hall on May 5th from 2 to 4 p.m. everyone is welcome to attend.

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Candidate - Angeline Stovall

supported by the school board.

As our economy has declined every business has had to tighten up their belts. It is my belief that this too can happen in our school district without hampering our educational process. We will have to seek all available funding and find the best way to utilize the funds we have. Careful financial

planning for the future is a must, so that future generations are not left with a tax burden. As a CPA, I feel I can be of assistance in this area.

I would like to solicit your vote for Place 2 on the School Board. Regardless of your voting preference, please exercise your right and vote on May 6. (Paid pol. ad. by Angeline Stovall).

From Page One

Candidate - David Norris

Liaison duties); Base Director of Administration for an entire Air Force Base supporting two Air Wings and a Reserve Group (totaling 4,800 personnel). When I began as Base Director of Administration my \$300,000 annual budget was the largest I ever controlled. By my second year, I had cut it to under \$190,000 and in my third year had cost the taxpayers less than \$160,000. All these savings were done with improved service by the correct use of new technologies and common sense improvements.

I am keenly aware of the staggering layers of government regulations.

My personal experience in reducing federal spending in the face of bureaucratic opposition has proven to me that we can follow rules but change wasteful habits. I have always treated the spending of the public's good tax dollars very seriously - the taxpayer deserves the best service possible for their dollar.

The past two years, I have been observing the public sessions of the Hospital Board and become familiar with their actions and challenges. Let me represent your interests on YOUR hospital board of directors. (Paid pol. ad. by David Norris 202 W. Moss St., Eastland, TX. 76448).

Scenes From Cisco Folklife Festival Parade Saturday



Eastland County Crime Stoppers To Meet May 3

The Board of Directors of the Eastland County Crime Stoppers, Inc. will be meeting at 12 noon Wednesday, May 3rd, at the County Commissioners' Courtroom on the

second floor of the Courthouse, it has been announced.

It will be a "brown bag" luncheon meeting. The Crime Stoppers telephone number is 1-800-300-3TIP.

Winners Of Cisco Folklife Festival Sidewalk Chalk Art

6 & under: 1st Dana Boyd; 2nd Samantha Burns; 3rd Amanda Watts

7-12 years: 1st Kyle Gilmore; 2nd Jackie Madison; 3rd Rowdy Riffe

13-17 years: 1st Vicki Perez; 2nd Dale Daus

18 & over: 1st David Wells

Groups: 1st Jody Lilley & Jody Lilley; 2nd Kate Hounshell & Sunnie Baker; 3rd Stacie Crutchfield & Jessica Ballinger

Thelma Baxter, Sidewalk Chalk Art Committee Chairman would like to thank all participants for making this event a big success.

Read The Classifieds

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Thursday, May 4, 1995

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New Movie 'Outbreak' Opens At Majestic Friday

Disasters have been in the news lately. "Outbreak," a biomedical thriller, explores a different kind of disaster.

This Warner Bros. Release will open at the Majestic Theatre in Eastland on Friday, May 5, and show nightly at 7:30 through Monday, May 8.

Admission will be \$3.50 at the box office, with balcony seats available at \$5 to persons over 21. The movie is rated R for language, and its theme is on the scary side.

In the picture, a mysterious and deadly new virus is carried into the U.S. by a cute-looking African monkey. The virus, motaba, spreads more easily than the common cold and kills its victims within 24 hours.

Even Col. Sam Daniels (Dustin Hoffman), a veteran Army medical researcher who specializes in dangerous viruses, has never encountered anything like this.

He sends a warning to his ex-wife, Dr. Robby Keog (Rene Russo), only to be yanked off the case by his military superiors. Led by Gen. Donald McClintock (Wolfgang Petersen), they want to conceal the virus's true history.

The action darts around from the jungles of Zaire to Cedar Creek, a northern California town, in which the disease begins to spread. Hoffman is in good form in the movie - he's a relentless crusader who searches for antibodies to save the town and planet.

There's some similarity to the AIDS epidemic in the spread of the imaginary motaba virus,

enough similarity to make the audience think "It could happen here." This movie will appeal to a special crowd, probably most to those who like medicine and science.

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Appeals, Eleventh District of Texas on April 27, 1995:

Affirmed
11093-316-CR Herman Coffield, Jr. v. State of Texas, Taylor. (Opinion by Judge Arnot).

11-94-035-CV Charlotte A. Kelly v. Donald L. Stone and Erath County Electric Cooperative Association, Erath. (Opinion by Judge McCloud, Retired, sitting by assignment) (Publish) (Judge Wright not participating).

11-94-062-CV James S. King v. The First National Bank of Baird, Callahan. (Opinion by Judge Dickenson). (Judge McCloud, Retired, sitting by assignment) (Judge Wright not participating).

11-94-066-CR Roddy Lynn Hopkins v. State of Texas, Dallas. (Per Curiam Opinion) (Judge McCloud, Retired, sitting by assignment) (Judge Wright not participating).

11-94-141-CR Stanley Victor Taylor v. State of Texas, Eastland. (Per Curiam Opinion). (Judge McCloud, Retired, sitting by assignment). (Judge Wright not participating).

Appeal Dismissed
11-95-037-CV Ronald Dwayne Whitfield v. Ronald Drewry, Warden, Jones. (Per Curiam Opin-

Family Reunions

Fox Family Reunion

The descendants of William Napolen Fox and Emma Adline

Wright Fox met for a family reunion on Saturday, April 15, 1995

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ion).

Appeal Abated
11-94-190-CR Rodney Wayne Sinyard v. State of Texas, Palo Pinto. (Per Curiam Order).

Motions Submitted & Granted
11-93-252-CR Jerome K. Antone v. State of Texas, Dallas. State's motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-93-296-CR Jerome K. Antone v. State of Texas, Dallas. State's motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-94-068-CR Gloria Rodriguez Sandone v. State of Texas, Dallas. State's motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-94-075-CR Eugene Ivory Henton v. State of Texas, Dallas. State's second motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-94-161-CR Demetrius Elkins v. State of Texas, Howard. Appellant's third motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-95-010-CR Willie David Suel v. State of Texas, Taylor. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-95-018-CR Earnest Ramon Smith v. State of Texas, Taylor. Appellant's motion for extension of

time to file brief.

Motions Submitted & Overruled

11-94-038-CR Amy Lynn Christian v. State of Texas, Howard. State's motion in opposition to appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief and request for dismissal of appeal.

11-94-161-CR Demetrius Elkins v. State of Texas, Howard. Appellant's pro se motion to file contemporaneous pro se brief.

Cases Submitted
11-93-340-CR Samuel Earnest Bigham v. State of Texas, Stephens.
11-94-109-CR James Carroll Roy v. State of Texas, Dallas.

Scranton Cemetery Association To Meet Thursday

The Scranton Cemetery Association will hold its annual meeting on Thursday, May 4, 1995, in the Scranton Community Center, Rt. 4, Cisco at 7 p.m.

All interested persons are urged to attend.

Read The Classifieds

Pharmacy Topics

New treatment for prostate cancer utilizes cryosurgery - destroying tissue by freezing it. Recovery is faster than after standard surgical procedures, and there's less likelihood of incontinence, but doctors are still cautious.

Scientists at the University of Utah have identified the gene that seems to account for some cases of breast cancer. Next step: a blood test to detect it in women with a strong family history of the disease.

A Yale University study says high cholesterol does *not* increase the risk of heart disease in those over 70 - but the jury is still out.

Two new drugs are being tested against rheumatoid arthritis; cA2 and CDP571 seem to cut the pain and joint swelling in half.

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at the Community Center in Desdemona, Texas.

Those attending were H. C. "Blackie" and Bonnie Fox, Kenneth Fox of Olden; Kay Sattarphai, Annie Belle Fox, Pete and Dealva Rodgers, Inez Fox Vinson, Otis and Jay Marshall of Eastland, Jack Fox of Burnet, Lorrie Shimp of Cisco, James and Charlene Thackerson of Carbon, Mylinda, Mylissa and Ginger Gilmore, Darren, Kathy and Katelyn Rodgers of Weatherford, Benny and Marilyn Rodgers of Fort Worth, Bruce and Renee White, Chelsea and Cory White, Paul and Susan Moore, Winnie and Roger Rainey of Stephenville, Ray and Mickey Rodgers of Grafrod, Debbie Peano of Edmond, Oklahoma, Lucy Fox Stewart, Ashley Shelton, Jimba Stewart of Ranger, Keith Marshall, Dale Marshall, Renee and Allie Marshall of Vernal, Utah, Glenda Fox Steddum, Melissa Steddum of Clyde, Charles and Wanda Fox Thetford of Graham, P. E. "Shorty" Fox, Larry and Gay Fox Moore, Eddie and Pat Fox, Chris of Desdemona.

A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by all. Family pictures were shown and lots of visiting rest of the afternoon.

Scranton Musical Set For Saturday
The Scranton musical will be held Saturday, May 6, at the Scranton Community Center. Food will be served starting at 5:30 p.m. The music begins at 6 p.m.

The power of tax deferral can be astounding.

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Instead of annuitization, you might choose a flexible withdrawal plan. For example, your contract may allow you to withdraw up to 10 percent of the original investment, or the interest earned, on a monthly, quarterly, semiannual or annual basis. Withdrawals can be started or stopped, increased or decreased, within the parameters of the contract at any time.

Retirees have understood the value of annuities for a long time. The rest of us can learn from our elders. While annuities are still a reliable source of retirement income, they also can be a good way to save for retirement. Your financial professional can help you determine whether an annuity is appropriate for you.

\$ Financial Focus

Annuities: An Alternative for Retirement

They say you can't teach an old dog new tricks, but many people are discovering a new way to use an old type of investment.

Not too long ago, annuities were familiar only to retirees, who used them for income during their golden years. In recent years, however, they've gained popularity with the younger set as a way to prepare for retirement.

Traditional retirement-planning tools, such as individual retirement accounts (IRAs), remain an excellent way to secure a comfortable future. Being able to put away \$2,000 every year and have it grow tax-deferred can help you build a sizable nest egg. Those who have the opportunity to contribute to a retirement plan at work should certainly do so.

But those looking for additional retirement-planning ideas might want to consider annuities.

An annuity is a contract with an insurance company. Like an IRA, an annuity is not an actual investment; rather, it is the vehicle into which investments are placed - for example, stocks, bonds and mutual funds. Like IRAs, the income earned on investments placed in an annuity contract grows tax-deferred.

The power of tax deferral can be astounding.

Deciding whether to choose fixed or variable annuities depends on your objectives and risk tolerance. While fixed annuities offer a reliable, steady level of income, variable annuities offer the potential for increasing re-

To illustrate, assume you made a one-time \$10,000 investment earning 8 percent, compounded annually. If you were in the 28 percent tax bracket, your investment would be worth \$53,659 after 30 years. But if you had placed the \$10,000 in a tax-deferred account earning the same amount, your money would grow to more than \$100,000 in the same time period.

Annuities are available in two varieties: fixed and variable. With fixed annuities, the insurance company offers the policy holder a fixed rate of return for a set period of time, usually from one to 10 years. Variable annuities, on the other hand, pay variable returns. They can include a variety of investments, such as growth stocks, international stocks, growth-and-income stocks, corporate bonds and money-market funds. The return on the variable annuity is directly related to the performance of the investments within the annuity.

Deciding whether to choose fixed or variable annuities depends on your objectives and risk tolerance. While fixed annuities offer a reliable, steady level of income, variable annuities offer the potential for increasing re-

turns to protect income against the effects of inflation.

Annuitants also offer different withdrawal options. For example, if you want a stream of income that you could never outlive, you might annuitize your contract. Annuitization establishes a payout amount based on a specific period of time chosen by the policyholder or on the policyholder's lifetime. The payments stop after the time period ends or the policyholder dies, and they can't be altered or stopped in any way before that time.

Instead of annuitization, you might choose a flexible withdrawal plan. For example, your contract may allow you to withdraw up to 10 percent of the original investment, or the interest earned, on a monthly, quarterly, semiannual or annual basis. Withdrawals can be started or stopped, increased or decreased, within the parameters of the contract at any time.

Retirees have understood the value of annuities for a long time. The rest of us can learn from our elders. While annuities are still a reliable source of retirement income, they also can be a good way to save for retirement. Your financial professional can help you determine whether an annuity is appropriate for you.



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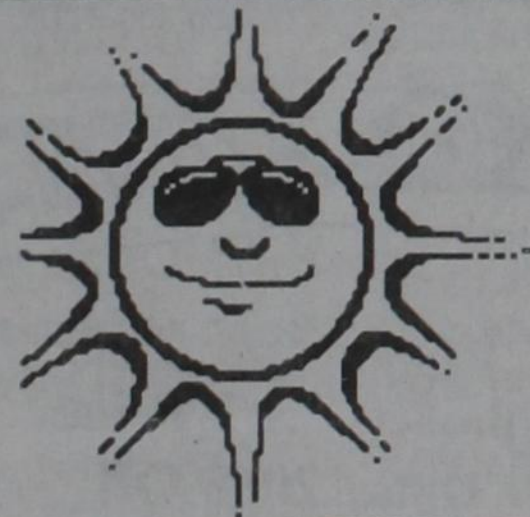
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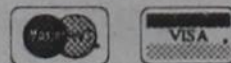
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Anniversary



George Roquemores Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. George Austin Roquemore, Jr. celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception, hosted by their children, at the Ponca City Cultural Center April 22.

The couple met in Texas while Mr. Roquemore was in the service. He flew as a pilot during World War II. They were married in Muskogee April 21, 1945.

Upon his discharge from the service, the couple moved to Ponca City, where Mr. Roquemore returned to his job in the Refinery for Continental Oil Company. He retired August 1, 1980, after 38 1/2 years of service. The couple resides at 409 North Tenth Street, where they have lived for 46 years.

The couple have seven children: Mrs. Clarence B. (Rosalin) Kolb Jr., Mrs. Marvin Sam (Haroldine) Fischer Jr., Mrs. Lester (Georgia) Eagle, Rolland A. Roquemore, Joe H. Roquemore, William C. "Bill" Roquemore, and Walter C. "Walt" Roquemore. The couple also have 21 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

The couple are charter members of Hartford Avenue Church of Christ.

Attending from Eastland were: Arleta Mace (sister-in-law) and



Mr. and Mrs. Roquemore 1945

Olden FCE Club Members Attend District Convention

Those attending from the Olden FCE Club were Jane Stark, Rachel Wakefield, Hilda Squires, Ruth Cowley, Mildred Raney, and our president Jane Davidson. We rode in the van driven by Janet Thomas, Extension Agent.

Eastland County was well represented. Mrs. Gerry Zummer, serving as State FCE Secretary.

A culture Arts contest and show was held in conjunction with the annual Spring Convention. Ladies from 21 counties were represented. Sheila Boyd won a blue ribbon in the ceramics division; and a white ribbon in the Fiber Arts division. Sheila is from the pleasant Hill Club, Congratulations to Sheila. All enjoyed looking over all the Culture Arts. We also enjoyed a dinner, catered, we then split up into small groups and discussed solutions to some of the major problems effecting the Families of Today. We had some very interesting discussions. Most of my group were senior citizens and decided the problems facing families in the 90's

Norma Taylor (niece) of May Dells, another sister-in-law, Imogene Mace of Breckenridge and niece, Nell Anders of Fort Worth, also another niece of May Dells, Betty and Mac McClure of Joshua.

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were much greater than when we were bringing up our families.

The Olden FCE Club is sponsoring a Bake, garage sale, with lots of misc. items; plus a beautiful hand made afagan will be won by some lucky person at 4 P.M. The sale at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 6 in the Olden Community Center, Olden. Watch for signs. See you there. Tickets for draw-

ing will be on sale until 3:30 P.M. This is our money making project for this year.

Our next regular scheduled meeting will be at 2:00 p.m. in the Olden Community Center May 9, 1995. The program "Too Little To Save Too Much To Dump That's what makes the housewife pum". Refreshments will be served. All members are urged to attend and visitors are always welcome.

Reporter, Olden F.C.E. Club Rachel Wakefield

Nurses Honored At Northview Center

National Nurses Week will be celebrated during the week of May 6-12. During this week, nurses across the country will be recognized for their dedication and hard work. The theme for this year is, "NURSES: THE HEART OF HEALTH CARE."

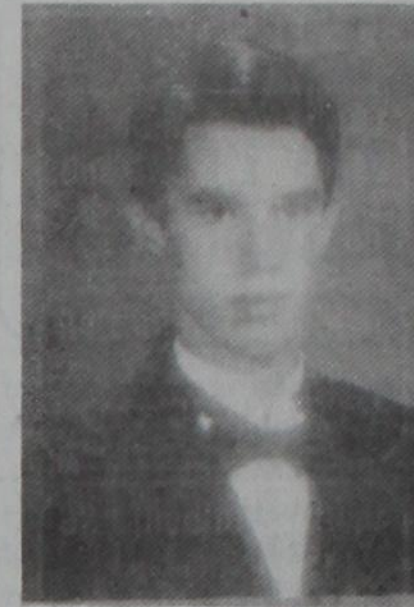
Providing services to individuals residing in nursing homes and home for the mentally retarded and developmentally disabled is becoming more complex. Nurses are on the front line of the delivery or health care services. They are playing an increasingly important role in the lives of the people who live in our homes. National Nurse Week starts on the traditional Nurses Day and concludes on the birthday

of Florence Nightingale, the founder of nursing as a modern professions. The accomplishments of nurses in every environment of health care, from hospitals to nursing homes and schools to home for the mentally retarded and developmental disabled, will be highlighted during this week. The health care needs of our country demand a wide variety of settings.

Northview will be honoring the dedicated nurses who provide quality care to the people who reside here with surprises and a luncheon in their honor. Northview employs 6 LVN's. It is with heartfelt thanks that the following nurses are recognized; Tammy Dake (health



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3 Arnold Grandchildren To Graduate College May 13

Aaron and Arlina Shortnacy of Round Rock are announcing the graduation of their children, Veronica Lynn and Stephen Nathan from Southwest Texas State University in ceremonies on Saturday, May 13th,

at San Marcos.

Veronica is graduating Kappa Delta Pi Honor Student with a Bachelor of Science degree in Education.

Stephen is graduating Magna Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics.

They are the grandchildren of Richard and Othelia Arnold of Eastland and the late Tom and Lillian Shornacy of N. Gadsden, AL.

Veronica will marry Doug Nichols later on her graduation day and will move to Wichita, Kansas, where she will teach.

Stephen recently received the "Tutor of the Year" award from Southwest Texas University, and plans to spend the summer rock climbing in Utah and Colorado and tutoring in the fall.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

AMERICA is said to be the Greatest Nation on Earth. The concepts that make our nation great, are the freedoms of its citizens to lead private lives, to speak their minds on the issues of the day, to demonstrate for or against current events, and to pen the feelings and opinions that stir the soul.

The bombing of the Federal Building in Oklahoma City is viewed by myself, and indeed every true American, as an atrocity. I believe public branding in the "town square" would be too good for the individuals who orchestrated this attack on innocent Americans. Young and not-so-young, the victims of this act of terrorism were Americans. Americans who have been robbed of their right to Life, Love and the Pursuit of Happiness. For denying responsible should be severely punished. However, let us not punish every American, for the acts of a few.

For some reason the leaders of our country, and the liberal media, have arbitrarily placed a higher value on the lives of the children killed in the Oklahoma blast. How can this be? Does the agony of the mother of a dead five year old over-shadow the despair of the widow of a thirty five year old killed by the same device? Think ye not that the lives of all Americans are valuable?

By playing up the idea that, "because the lives of children were lost, the tragedy is some how greater," we are being forced a diet of pity and outrage. Plucking at the

heart strings of America with graphic scenes of the dead and injured children, our governmental bodies begin to attack more of our basic freedoms. They speak of legislation that would allow government agencies, like the FBI, to step beyond the guide lines that have protected private citizens from abuses of power by these agencies. Relaxing these guide lines would allow the government to use, heretofore illegal covert maneuvers, to "infiltrate" the private lives of Americans. These covert operations would include the use of "roving wire taps," "open personal surveillance," access to privileged information, and who knows what else.

Our politicians have already voiced their disapproval of talk show hosts like Rush Limbaugh and Oliver North. These "Americans" are merely exercising their freedom of speech. The same freedoms are available to anyone who wants to rebut their views, we should

not condone government attempts to quiet their voices. Using the Oklahoma tragedy as a catalyst to fuel suspicions, that these people cause incidents like this by preaching a gospel of Anti-Governmentism, is inexcusable. It is only a convenient excuse for politicians to shut the mouths of people who would keep them in check.

So, shall we regress forty years? Shall we allow government to ride, rough shod, over our constitutional rights? Shall we return to the age of McCarthyism and to the unchecked methods of J. Edgar Hoover? If the legislation, President Clinton and others are talking about, becomes law, government agencies, such as the FBI, the CIA, and ATF and the IRS, will use their new powers to compile lists of "Disident Americans." Under the new legislation these Americans, now labeled "disidents," could be legally spied upon, for no good reason. And, if any person on the list began to make too many waves, or acquire too much of a following, these agencies could merely fabricate some ridiculous excuse to "storm the compound." The innocent children in Waco, Texas did not de-

serve to die for something that David Koresh may have done.

If we, as Americans, do not have enough insight to see than an incident of terrorism in Oklahoma City is a lame excuse to tread on our constitution, you may make up in a few years and discover that your name has been added to an ever-lengthening "disident list." I would likely be added to the list for writing this piece. My family and friends would naturally be added under my name, by association. If a Government agency happens to be spying on me under authority of new constitutional provisions, that authority could extend to anyone that I may happen to speak to. After all, you never know what a "Disident" is up to, or who his accomplices may be.

In this senerio your Lions Clubs, Rotary Clubs, Masons, etc., even your local church could be accused of promoting "disident ideas." An army tank crashing through the front door would surely be an unwelcomed guest at your church's prayer watch service!

The Revolutionary war was fought by brave Americans. Thousands of lives were given to gain the freedom we enjoy as Americans. Thousands more have been given, over the years, to protect this hard won freedom. If we allow Government to take away basic American freedoms, in response to the 200 or so dead in Oklahoma, the countless thousands of our war dead will have given their lives for nothing. Is this a fair trade? Would not the dead in Oklahoma have gone to battle and died, if necessary, to protect their civil liberties?

My point is this; While the "Oklahoma Bombing" was a tragic affair, we should not allow people in power to ride the tide of America's pity for the

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ENGAGEMENT



Harbin-Foster

Mrs. Jean and the late Mr. L.A. "Jeff" Harbin would like to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss

Monica Bea Harbin to Mr. Raymond Keith Foster, son of Mr. Kenneth Foster of Breckenridge and Mrs. Connie White of Hamilton.

The wedding date is set for June 10, 1995 at 2 p.m. It will be held at Bethel Baptist Church in Eastland.

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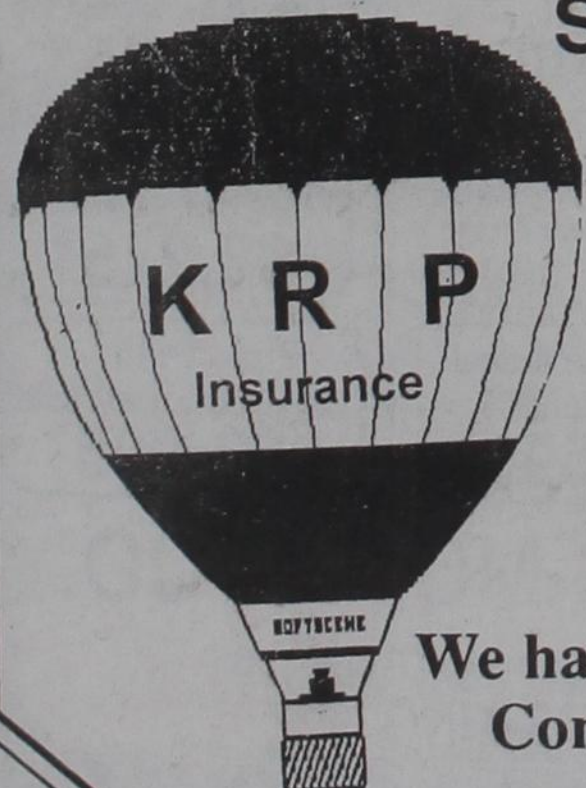
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Lena Dobbins,
 Children &
 their families

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The family of Florine Honea, we would like to share our appreciation to everyone for the food, flowers, cards, visits, prayers, your love and tender compassion. May God bless all of you. A special thanks to Dr. Bob Alexander and his staff, Eastland Memorial Hospital and staff, Outreach Health Services and staff, Edwards Funeral Home and staff.

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Few elements in the landscape complement one another as much as fences and plants. Fences form a pleasing backdrop for plants and can be designed to showcase espaliers or flowering vines.

Plants, on the other hand, soften fences by subduing their angular, hard lines and by blending them with the landscape.

There are several factors to keep in mind when pairing plants and fences. First,

plants that are scattered throughout the yard interfere with activity and diminish the roominess of the landscape. Maintain an open, spacious feeling by clustering flowers and shrubs as near to the fence as possible.

Select varieties that are proportional at maturity to their surroundings. A tree, or even a vigorous vine, can grow into a problem instead of an asset. Position plants far enough away from fences and their corners, so that they will develop symmetrically.

Choose vines that accent

the fence, not camouflage it. Wisteria and other fast, heavy growers can overpower and damage light- or medium-weight fences. Make sure the structure is equal to the challenge.

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Desdemona News

By
Vonnie Guthery



"Congratulations" to the Seniors 1995 from Desdemona who are graduating from the De Leon School. They are Angela Creed, daughter of Wayne and Karen Eaves, Sonja Martin, daughter of Belinda Webb and Eddie Martin, Rachael Hanks, daughter of Pete and Sharon Hanks, Buddie Whitt, son of Mary Chatherine Whitt.

Bill Sanders was the guest speaker last Sunday for the morning and evening services at the First Baptist Church in Gorman. His wife, Tami and daughter, Robyn also attended.

Keith spent the past week camping and fishing at the Proctor Lake with their friends, Carson and Oma Lee Holdridge of Cisco.

Archie and Helen Depwe returned home last week after an extended vacation camping, fishing and sightseeing through Texas.

Dorothy Roberts was in Fort Worth on Monday to visit her daughter, Ulenda Weaver and family. Also to go to the doctor for a checkup.

Larry Walker, Wayne Eaves, Dorothy Roberts, Pug and Vonnie Guthery was in

Eastland on Tuesday, April 22 to attend a meeting with the Texas Highway Department. This group discussed their viewpoints on the present traffic light in Desdemona at the intersection of Hiway 16 and FM Road 8. Also the need for a bigger and better traffic light to help prevent accidents and safer conditions for all who enter this intersection.

"Happy Birthday" to our sister, A. V. Seay on Monday, May 1 and to our brother, Mack Keith, on Tuesday, May 9 both of Gorman from Pug and Vonnie Guthery.

Sipe Springs Musical Saturday

There will be a Sipe Springs Musical Saturday, May 6, at the Sipe Springs Community Center starting at 6:30 p.m.

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- SUPER SIZE 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, brick, approx. 3,500 sq. ft. living area, plus guest room w/3/4 bath and upstairs studio, \$100,000.
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- FANTASTIC 3 bedroom, 2 Bath, Modular Home on 26 wooded acres, approx. 2,080 sq. ft., CH/CA, Fireplace, Formal Dining, Den w/Wet Bar, nice deck in front and back, very scenic, tank, \$82,500.
- BEAUTIFUL 3 Bedroom, 2 3/4 Bath, Brick Home in Ranger, Privacy Fenced, Too Many Extras! List, \$89,500.
- PRIEST LOCATION! New on the market! 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, brick w/2 car garage. Approx. 1875 sq. ft., CH/CA, fireplace, large privacy fenced back yard, \$80,000.
- EXTRA LIST, \$89,500.
- SPACIOUS 3 BEDROOM, 1 3/4 Bath, Frame w/Wet Bar, Corner Lot, Formal Dining, 3 Fireplaces, CH/CA, Builts, Many Extras, \$63,500.
- MUST SEE THIS NEW LISTING! 3 Bedroom, 3 bath, siding on large corner lot, CH/CA, recessed lighting, ceiling fans, large master bedroom, \$63,500.
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- BEAUTIFUL 3 bedroom, 2 Bath, Doublewide, Like New, CH/CA, Carpet, Builts including Cookstove & Refrigerator, Large Dishwasher w/Compressor & other equipment, Corner Lot, \$55,000.
- NEAT AS A PIN! 3 Bedroom, 1 bath, brick w/1 car garage, CH/CA, built-ins, large workshop in back yard w/irrigation fence, quiet neighborhood, \$54,500.
- HUNTING LODGE, I-20 Frontage, 2.52 ac, warehouse, guest house, and motel units, Great potential, \$50,000.
- 3 BEDROOM, Formal Living Room, Separate Den with beautiful knotty pine, fenced backyard, Must See \$48,500.
- NEW ON MARKET, Brick Home, 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath approx. 1,700 sq. ft., looks like new! \$45,000.
- 2000, 1 3/4 bath frame approx. 1,750 sq. ft., CH/CA, ceiling fans, carpet, vertical blinds, builtins, \$45,000.
- HOMES INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY! 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, modular home, CH/CA, sits on a complete city block with 5 mobile home rental spaces, large workshop/garage, \$45,000.
- \$20,000 - \$40,000.
- NICE BRICK DUPLEX, 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath ea. side, or could be large 4 bedroom brick home, \$40,000.
- NEAT AS A PIN! 2 bedroom, frame w/wooding & awnings, new central heat & air, new dishwasher, carpet, miniblinds, split bedroom arrangement, large 100' x 140' corner lot, \$39,000.
- CLOSE TO SCHOOLS! 3 bedroom, 1 bath, frame, corner lot, attached garage, panelled throughout, \$37,500.
- WRAP AROUND PORCH! 3 goes with this Victorian, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, CH/Heat & air, large living area, \$37,500.
- LOVELY STONE HOME, Large 2 Bedroom, 1 1/2 Bath, Pretty Carpeting and Wallpaper, 3 Fireplaces, CH/CA, \$36,000.
- QUIET NEIGHBORHOOD, Frame Home, 3 Bedroom, 1 3/4 Bath, CH/CA, Garage and Storage Building, Must See \$35,500.
- POSSIBLE SELLER FINANCING! 2 Bedroom, frame w/wooding, situated on 6.87 ac., city water, nice trees, w/100' mobile home rentals, \$35,000.
- JUST LISTED! Cute, frame, 3 bedroom, 1 bath on corner lot, separate den, screened-in-patio, beautiful yard, \$33,500.
- POPULAR S. DIXIE STREET location, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, frame w/partial siding, carpet, miniblinds, dishwasher, 4 refrigerated window units, \$33,000. Owner/Agent.
- FENCED 3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH, frame w/brick trim, sep. living & den, CH/CA covered patio, fenced yard w/stor. shed, \$30,000.
- ASSUMABLE ELOAN! 3 Bedrooms, 2 bath, double wide trailer, on 6 city lots, CH/CA, \$29,900.
- GOOD RANGER LOCATION, Newly remodeled 3 bedroom, 1 bath, frame with tile siding, CH/CA, new kitchen cabinets w/breakfast room, separate utility room, \$21,000.

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- 2 BEDROOM, 2 bath permanently attached mobile home, corner lot, \$19,500 Seller Financed.
- 3 BEDROOM, Frame, Sep. Dining Rm., New Roof, \$17,500.
- OLDEN LOCATION, Starter Home, 2 Bedrooms, 1 Bath with a Sleeping Porch, \$15,000.
- 2 ACRES, with small frame home, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, Olden location, \$15,000.
- UNLIMITED POSSIBILITIES! Large corner lot building, could go residential or commercial, uses just the right person to reconstruct, \$15,000.
- CARBON LOCATION! 3 bedroom, 1 bath, detached garage, storage building, corner lot, \$13,000.
- RANGER LOCATION, 3 Bedroom, 1 bath, partial frame and brick, carport, separate den and living room, \$12,500.
- LAKE LEON, Deeded waterfront lots starting at \$6,000.
- LAKE LEON, Deeded WATERFRONT SITE, Close to schools, call for details!

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- 80 AC., Part native, part improved, large double-wide mobile home with porches, highway frontage, east of Carbon, \$80,000.
- 200 AC., Four Miles SE Carbon, 2 tanks, creek, exterior fencing, Good Deer Hunting and/or cattle place, \$500 per acre.
- 131 AC., Scranton Area, Cultivation, timber, and native, house and mobile home, pool and many extras, \$149,500.
- 100 AC., Mostly grass & wooded, excellent fences 2 tanks, City water, good hunting, Nice Place! \$575 per acre.
- 30 AC., Hwy 6 frontage between Eastland and Carbon, \$25,000.
- 4.86 AC., Carbon, On Pavement, Oak & Pecan Trees, loads of Bluebonnets, ideal building site, \$7,000. Owner/Agent.
- 110 AC., Morton Valley, Super Place for Horse & Cattle Operation, 3 tanks, Big Barns, Welding Shed, Some Minerals. Can be purchased with or without Spacious 5-Story Brick Home, \$50,000.

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- TURN-KEY OPERATION! Fully equipped Beauty Shop building with two stations, bathroom, miniblinds, refrigerated air unit also has \$11,000.
- CONVENIENCE STORE & MOBILE HOME PARK in Eastland, Own your own business! \$28,000. Can also be purchased separately, \$15,000.
- 120 FRONTAGE, EASTLAND, Approx. 9 ac., Prime Commercial Location between I-20 and Pogue Industrial Park, \$67,500.
- DOWNTOWN EASTLAND COMMERCIAL LOT across from new Thrift Mart store, \$7,500! Owner/Agent.
- 120 FRONTAGE, CLYDE, TEXAS, Commercial Lot just West of CJC Blvd., \$10,000.
- HWY. 80 EAST, Commercial Lot near Pizza Inn, \$30,000.
- PRIME DEVELOPMENT ACREAGE - Eastland, Call for Details!
- COMMERCIAL LOT AND BUILDING next door to Aulps's on West Main in Eastland, excellent, CH/CA on both sides, \$56,000.
- 3,000 SQ. FT. Metal Bldg, 4 stalls, 5 Roll-up Doors, office, private quarters upstairs, 12 lots, \$50,000!
- OLDEN MOBILE HOME PARK and surrounding acreage, Great income potential, Also ideal location for many other types of businesses, Approx. 7 ac., \$82,000.
- COMMERCIAL LOT AND BUILDING next door to Aulps's on West Main in Eastland, excellent, CH/CA on both sides, \$56,000. Make Offer!

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 - Apr. 2560 sq. ft. brick house in country setting but in the city limits sitting on 1.86 acres of oak trees. 4 BR, 3 bath, w/replace. R3
 - QUICKS NEEDS TO SELL! Very large frame with slate siding, 3 bed, 1 bath, large DR, den and living room, 2 car garage, lots of oaks. R4
 - TWO LOTS FENCED - 2 BR, 1 bath, laundry room, fully carpeted. Storage bldg., pecan trees in nice neighborhood, \$10,500.00 R5
 - GREAT STARTER HOME! Brick 3 BR, 1 bath, 1 car garage on large lot. R6
 - A SMALL PRICE for this 2 BR, 1 bath CH/CA home on nice lot. R7
 - MUST SEE THIS BEAUTIFUL 3 BR, 2 1/2 bath brick home with formal dining room. Built in appliances, 2 car garage, Ch/CA, total electric. R8
 - JUST ON THE MARKET - 3 BR, 3 1/2 bath two story with sunken den, very unique home with large master bedroom, wet bar, LR, DR, lots of extras. R9
 - 2 BR, 1 bath, LR, DR, nice kitchen, 1 car garage, storage shed. New roof and extra lot on quiet sunny paved-in porch. R10
 - 2 BR, 1 bath close to downtown - good rental. R12
 - BEAUTIFUL CUSTOM BUILT LOG HOME on 1.18 acres just outside city limits. 3 BR, 2 bath, sun room with lg. hottub. Large kitchen with lots of cabinets, fireplace, lots of extras. R13
 - A REASONABLE PRICE for this 2 BR, 1 bath, separate dining with built-in cabinet. 1 car carport/storage bldg. in nice neighborhood. R14
 - OWNER IS READY TO SELL - MAKE OFFER 3 BR, 1 bath, 1 car garage, large corner lot. R16
 - JUST LISTED - 4 BR, 1 1/2 bath, two story on corner lot. 2 car garage, large fenced back yard with large trees in nice neighborhood a few blocks from downtown. R17
 - A PLACE TO CALL HOME! Beautiful 3 BR, 2 1/2 bath, masterbath with whirlpool, sunken living room, formal dining, large kitchen with built-ins, CH/CA, lots of extras. R18
- EASTLAND**
- 12 RESIDENTIAL LOTS between Halbrun & Bassett streets. Owner/agent! WE NEED YOUR LISTINGS!!!
- CARBON**
- THE PRICE IS RIGHT on this cute and cozy 2 BR, 2 bath home on two fenced corner lots. Stone fireplace, carport & 3rd bedroom, lots of cabinets, storage bldgs, fruit trees & storm cellar. C2
 - JUST LISTED. 3 BR, 1 bath, 1 car garage, large closets, lots of cabinets, storage bldgs, fruit trees & storm cellar. C2
 - THIS ONE HAS IT ALL! Beautiful country home, 3 BR, 2 bath on approx. 181 acres. Fireplace, large sunny paved-in porch, CH/CA, carport, storage shed, barns & lots more. 1/4 mineral rights on producing wells go with the property. C3
- GORMAN**
- NEW LISTING - 3 BR, 2 bath home in 2 acres. Kitchen, living room, dining room, with large master bedroom/bath, Pecan trees, 1 bath, 1 bed tent house next door. Buy it together or split them up. G1
- STRAWN**
- HISTORICAL HOME - 5500+ Sq. Ft. 2 story brick home, 6 BR, 2 1/2 bath, 1/2 basement & attic. 7 marble tile fireplaces, sun porch, 2 car garage, 1 servant quarters. Built in 1919. Perfect for that bed & breakfast you have always wanted to own. S1
- LAKE PROPERTY**
- LAKE PALO PINTO - 2 BR, 1 bath cedar frame home, rock trim, 3 car garage, boat dock, rock sea wall - PP1
 - LAKE PALO PINTO - 3 BR, 2 1/2 bath, 2 story brick home with rock fireplace, boat storage barn, small metal bldg., boat dock PP2
- ACREAGE**
- 89.35 ACRES, grass, trees and wildlife. Good fences & hunting. A1
 - 6 ACRES with city water, gas and electricity. Owner/Agent. A2
 - 545 ACRES - this could be the hunting place you have always looked for. Very wooded with several ponds. A3
 - 53.69 ACRES, 5 pastures, 3 tanks, shed & pens, all grass & cultivation. Highway & county rd. frontage, 3 miles west of Ranger. A4
- BUSINESS & COMMERCIAL PROPERTY**
- INVESTMENT PROPERTY - Mobile Home Park with swimming pool, fence, 4 rental mobile homes & 33 utility hook-ups with piped & metered propane system. Owner/Agent. B1
 - COMMERCIAL PROPERTY - Approx. 33 acres, city water, gas & electricity available in Ranger. B1
 - 21 BUILDING LOTS in Ranger on the hill. Owner/Agent. B5
 - STRAWN - Commercial lots on main street. B6
 - STRAWN - Commercial lots on Hwy 16. B7

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 - BRICK DUPLEX - each side has a bedroom, kitchen, bath and living room; 1 BR apt. above large garage.
 - GREAT PRICE - 2BR, 1 bath, roof, screened porch, 2 car garage with storage. **SOLD** \$22,500.
 - SPACIOUS 3BR, extra cabinets, separate dining room, large rooms, 2 storage bldgs., carport, reduced to \$22,500.
 - LOOK AT THIS 3BR frame, large kitchen and living room, 2 storage bldgs., drive thru carport, corner lot, \$25,000.
 - COMFORTABLE 3B **SOLD** name, large master BR, CH/CA, 2 car carport \$33,000.
 - SEPARATE FENCED GARDEN, 3BR, 2 bath home built in 1982, CH/CA, oversized carport, storage bldg., approx. 3 lots.
 - GREAT FAMILY HOME, 3BR, 2 baths, fireplace, CH/CA, storm windows, covered patio, carport, swimming pool, approx. 2 1/2 lots.
 - IMMACULATE 3BR, 2 bath brick home, 2 living areas plus gameroom or office, CH/CA, fireplace, carport, shop, storage bldg.
 - NEAR HIGH SCHOOL, attractive 3BR, 2 bath brick, CH/CA, covered patio, attached 2 car garage with storage room.
 - ABUNDANT SPACE INSIDE AND OUT, Classic Colonial 3BR, 2 bath brick, 2 living areas, formal DR, attic with possibilities, surrounded by large oak trees, carport, nice insulated shop, price reduced.
 - EDGE OF TOWN, Large 4BR, 2 bath, separate LR and den, fireplace, CH/CA, storage bldg., hot tub, satellite dish, approx. 1/2 acre.
 - UNIQUE 11 ROOM, 2 story brick home, CH/CA, fireplace, beautiful built-in china cabinet and bookshelves, many other amenities, guest room and bath above 3 car garage, price reduced.
- LAKE CISCO PROPERTY**
- 1 BR CABIN on 2 lots plus small camping trailer, \$15,000.
 - FURNISHED 3BR HOME. CH/CA, fireplace, screened porch, large insulated shop or garage, nice covered dock with 2 boats and lifts, 4 lots, \$52,000.
- COMMERCIAL PROPERTY**
- GOOD LOCATION, downtown, already set up for offices, reception area, central heat and air, only \$16,000.
 - APPROX. 7,800 SQ. FT., steel bldg., mostly shop area, 3 tall overhead doors, CH/CA in offices, approx. 3 acres, fenced, price reduced.
- SMALL AND LARGE ACREAGE**
- NICE BRICK HOME, lots of nice cabinets, CH/CA, extra bldg. with 2BR and a bath, carport, storage, orchard, garden, \$36,000.
 - FOR THE GROWING FAMILY, spacious 4BR, 2 bath rock home, office, CH/CA, sunroom, approx. 1.4 acres, reduced to \$45,000.
 - A LITTLE BIT OF COUNTRY, 3BR, 2 bath brick, sep. LR & oversized den, CH/CA, 2 car garage, satellite dish, barn, approx. 1.6 acres.
 - APPROX. 400 acres, 3 tanks, rural water, approx. 80 acres in cultivation, Battle Creek goes thru property, \$140,000.
- SMALL AND LARGE ACREAGE LISTINGS ARE NEEDED**
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PERSONALITY PLUS describes this 3 bdrm, 1 1/2 bath on popular Dixie St. 2 story with steel siding, CH/CA, fireplace, built-in dishwasher, electric range, storm windows, open concrete patio and deck. Beautifully landscaped. VERY UNIQUE...check it out!

ENJOY THIS SUMMER on this nice big porch! 3 bdrm, 1 bath frame just listed ceiling fans, fireplace, living & dining room, garage on 2 lots. E2

CUTE & COMPACT 2 bdrm, 1 bath brick, CH/CA, fresh paint, large backyard, just right for a small family. Very reasonable! E3

POSSIBLE ASSUMPTION OF FHA LOAN helps you move right in this 3 bdrm home. CH/CA, water filter system, fenced yard with lg. oak trees on corner. Lots of extras. E6

WALKING DISTANCE TO SCHOOLS! This 3 bdrm brick has a fresh paint, nice ca. large backyard. Nice size for your growing family! E8

SO MUCH FOR SO LITTLE! 1 1/2 bath frame with lots of storage area. Big ca. **SOLD** built-in bookshelves, ceiling fans, and more. Great starter home. E4

CITY LOT ON SE corner of Oak & Moss Sts. Approx. 100' x 150'. City utilities available. E11

OWN YOUR HOME FOR THE PRICE OF RENT! This 3 bdrm, 2 bath has CH/CA & is **SOLD** fenced. Some remodeling, convenient to downtown area. E1

DONT MAKE A MOVE til you've seen this 3 bdrm, 2 bath frame home. Privacy & chain link fence, garage, & storage bldg. Built-in range oven. Assumable loan with good credit. Call today! E5

A TRUE DREAM HOUSE! 4 bdrm, 3 bath custom built home in an area of outstanding homes. Beautifully designed & landscaped. 2 fireplaces, bay windows, fabulous kitchen, skylights, sprinkler system, & garage/workshop. Numerous amenities. Ready for your family. E7

LUXURIOUS IN EVERY DETAIL, this is a home of distinction and prestige. 5 bdrm, 3 1/2 bath, 2 car garage, system, greenhouse, guest house, inground pool, **SOLD** late in amenities. Fantastic landscaping. One of Eastland's finest! E3

QUALITY AND LOTS OF SPACE! This 3 bdrm, 1 3/4 bath offers all you need for comfortable living. Great kitchen with lots of cabinets, rock **SOLD** ceilings, enclosed porch, 3 car garage, all on beautiful tree covered lot. Superior neighborhood of quality homes. E14

BUILD YOUR NEW HOME on this popular South Seaman lot. Location can't be beat, frontage on 2 sides. Close to downtown. Call for details! E20

CRESTWOOD home **SOLD** 2 Bath, built-ins, Sauna room. E36

CISCO

POSSIBLE ASSUMPTION! 3 bdrm, 1 1/2 bath, CH/CA, lots of closets, storage shed. Good location! CS3

A LITTLE HOME WITH BIG IDEAS! 3 bdrm brick with 1 1/2 baths, CH/CA, DW, ceiling fans, walking distance to City Park. CS4

FIX IT AND ENJOY! This nice 3 bdrm has all kinds of possibilities - built-in **SOLD** W, hardwood floors, & storage area. CS1

BIG HOUSE but not big! 4 bdrm, LR, DR, hardwood floors. A totally unique **SOLD**

RANGER

FRESH PAINT inside & out! 2 bdrm, 1 bath on large corner lot. Some repairs needed, but great potential! Very reasonably priced! R4

THIS HOME NEEDS A FAMILY! 3 bdrm, 1 1/2 bath brick, CH/CA, large rooms, pretty **SOLD** ready to show you! R3

OWNER FINANCING AVAILABLE on this 3 bdrm, 1 1/2 bath. Storm windows, pecan trees on 5 lots. R2

CITY LOTS on Hunt St. Approx. 140' x 300'. City utilities available. R7

EXTRA CLEAN 2 bdrm, 2 bath mobile home on fenced corner lot. Big covered deck, fruit trees, dbl. carport, fireplace. R1

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION! 2 bdrm brick in nice neighborhood. CH/CA, fireplace. Call us to show you. R2

VERY EXCLUSIVE 3 bdrm brick with sunken LR, formal DR, privacy fence. Owner financing available. R5

LAKE LEON

NEAR LONE CEDAR CC-2 bdrm frame, CH/CA, satellite, sprinkler system, boat ramp, good area! L6

EXCEPTIONAL **SOLD** Very pretty waterfront lot. Lg. trees, lots of **SOLD** home. Just listed! L6

COMPLETELY FURNISHED 1 3/4 bath waterfront cabin. Good water, **SOLD** needed to low 20's. Great weekend place! L3

OTHER

NO NEED FOR A VACATION when you live at Lake Cisco in this 2 or 3 bdrm, 1 3/4 bath w/FP, lots of closet space, dock that faces lake, & covered boatdock w/electric boatlift. PRICE REDUCED! O2

HISTORICAL HOME on 27 ac. m/ in Strawn, Texas. Built in late 1800's, this charming 5 bdrm, 2 story home sits amidst beautiful liveoak trees with surrounding acreage. Call to see the many unique features of this "one of a kind" home O6

CARBON - 3 bdrm frame with some remodeling & updating. CH/CA, decorative FP, CF, stg. bldg., lg. metal shed, conveniently located. O7

OLDEN - 3335 acres w/2 bdrm, 1 bath home, city water, lg. pecan trees. O5

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161.6 ACRES South of Eastland-Live & post oak trees, native pecan trees **SOLD** for hunters & ranchers; some minerals. Call for details. A3

398.5 ACRES South of Ranger. FM 2461 frontage, 3 stock tanks, 1 oil well, 3 barns, city water, electricity. Some minerals, cultivation, fenced & cross fenced. Excellent hunting! FANTASTIC PLACE! A17

155.3 ACRES South of Desdemona in Erath County. Some cultivation, coastal, native pastures, irrigation wells, stock tanks, perimeter & cross fencing. Peanut quota. Good hunting! A18

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403 ACRES 2 mls. NE of Rising Star. Sandy soil, approx. 60 acres cultivation, remainder is coastal, large trees, 3 water wells, 5 stock tanks, 9 pastures. Some minerals. Deer, turkey, quail. Possible owner financing. A15

327 ACRES West of Carbon. Approx. 75 ac. in cultivation, improved grasses & wooded pasture, peanut quota. A16

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Book Review

David Hunter Black Friday Coming Down

"I am not a policeman who decided to write a book," David Hunter says. "I am a writer who became a policeman."

For that reason, Hunter believes, the perspective he brings to his book, *Black Friday Coming Down*, is unique. As a writer searching for his niche, Hunter found law enforcement offered him a wealth of creative energy and focus.

Hunter now coordinates his department's intelligence-gathering efforts for the Knox County Sheriff's Department and acts frequently as a community liaison.

During the past two years, Hunter has appeared on almost 200 television and radio spots in his department's service area. He also makes media appearances in other major cities to discuss his books and various crime-related topics.

Hunter came to police work after trying his hand as a church pastor, a ditch digger, a union organizer, a writer of greeting card verse, and a pest-control salesman, among other things.

"At last I had found my voice and my song," David Hunter reflects. "Someone needed to speak for those individuals who stand between society and lawlessness. I have endeavored to do that."

Police work is full of days like "Black Friday." Days when all hell breaks loose, days when even the most

hardened cop must stand back and take stock of the ruin around him. David Hunter knows all about days like Black Friday, because David Hunter is a police officer.

David Hunter is also an author. He has already been hailed as "one of the South's best new writers," and has garnered much acclaim for his first book, *The Moon Is Always Full*. "David Hunter does for policemen what James Herriott has done for veterinarians," says Joe Casey, past president of the International Association of Chiefs of Police. "He shows our humanity."

Now Hunter returns with a second collection of true police stories pulled from his own experiences, titled *Black Friday Coming Down*. Many stories in *Black Friday Coming Down* are vaguely unsettling. Some are disturbing and some are even funny. They all explore certain questions about police officers, their motivations, and their rewards. The book also brings to mind larger issues, like how representatives of a black-and-white legal system deal with social problems that are so often shades of gray. It leaves readers wonder-

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Black Friday Coming Down is a book about change. How evil changes people, how drugs change people, how faith and understanding can change people. "Since finishing my first book," says David Hunter, "I have seen people die and I have held infants in my arms; I have laughed and I have cried; I have loved and I have hated. I have watched a few more precious days of my life pass away. Nothing stands still; nothing escapes change."

Black Friday Coming Down uses humor, pathos, adventure and routine to make the point that policemen are people, too. That underneath the badge, a cop experiences the same fears and anxieties as the criminal he is fighting. David Hunter wouldn't have it any other way. "The human condition," he says, "is universal."

To order *Black Friday Coming Down*

Moran News

By Mrs. Luke Huskey

Mrs. Cheryl Stave of South Dakota, Mrs. Tina Sanders, Jennifer and Brandi of Stinnett and Lisa Stark of Dallas spent last weekend with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Floyd Midkiff and Mr. Midkiff.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mark and Shirley and children of Fort Worth spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. George Mark.

The Moran Historical Society will sponsor a bean and cornbread lunch, garage sale and a bake sale on Saturday, May 13, to be held at the American Legion Hall in Moran. The event was supposed to be Saturday, April 29, but was postponed due to conflicting events. Remember May 13.

Recent visitors with send check or money order to Rutledge Hill Press 211 Seventh Avenue, North Nashville, Tennessee 37219-1823 in the amount of \$14.95 Hardcover.

Bryant and Mary Edwards have been Bob and Sue Bybee of Lubbock, Jack and Lucy Pettus of Midland, Charles and Diann (Brooks) Harris of Waco, and Ruth and Buster Gary of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Collinsworth are at the bedside of their daughter, Mary Mahaffey, who is receiving treatment in a Corpus Christi hospital.

Mrs. Raymond Finley is receiving treatment in Hendricks Hospital, Abilene.

It continues to be dry in Moran and community. The grain is beginning to suffer from the lack of moisture. The grass and weeds are also drying up. A good rain would be most welcomed. The wild flowers are still looking very pretty. Do drive along the roadways and view the beauty of the flowers. The primroses are in full bloom now.

The Moran Birthday Club will meet on Thursday night at 6:00 at the Lone Star Eatery in Albany. Come and enjoy an evening of fellowship.

EASTER IS A CELEBRATION

Easter is the time for a great resurrection celebration. Long ago Jesus lived and died but victoriously rose again.

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Could it have been a new hat to brighten the face, Or would a nice smile for the sick and sad suffice? Was it necessary to wear a corsage in its proper place,

Or should we give a bouquet of flowery words once or twice? Would a pair of new shoes be good or even hurt the feet,

Or guidance into a right walk with Him would be best? He arose and lives today, praise and thanks are so sweet.

Let him clothe you in His robes and in His sweet rest.

By Wanda Skinner
(ED. NOTE: We apologize for the lateness of this, but it must have gotten lost in the mail).

Lisa Schaffer, city secretary, attended a water school in Abilene this week.

The members of Ernest F. Pettit Post, No. 343, in Moran is sponsoring a dance at the American Legion Hall on Saturday night, May 13. Wayne Thompson's one man band will provide the music.

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Obituaries

Frankie Martin

CISCO- Frankie E. Martin, 93, of Cisco died Saturday, April 29, 1995 in the Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 2, 1995 in the Bakker Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland, Rev. Ronnie Skaggs officiated. Burial was in the Long Branch Cemetery.

Mrs. Martin was born July 31, 1901 at the Sipe Springs Community. She grew up there and married Ralph Martin on Nov. 9, 1922 in Carbon. She lived at Flatwood until 1943, when she moved to Eastland, where she lived until moving to Cisco in 1959.

She was a homemaker

and a member of the East Side Baptist Church in Cisco.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph in 1942 and two sons, Glen Martin and Don Martin in 1990.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Barbara and Wesley Walker of Abilene; 3 sons and daughters-in-law, Billy Martin of Rising Star, Jimmy and Patsy Martin of Buffalo Gap and Joe Wayne and Cindy Martin of Austin; a daughter-in-law, Sue Martin of Boerne; 10 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the Long Branch Cemetery Association.

Ira J. Dobbins

CISCO- Ira Jenkins Dobbins, 95, died Monday, April 24, 1995 at the Coronado Nursing Center in Abilene.

Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 27, 1995 at the Kimbrough Funeral Home Chapel, Revs. Sherman Ervin and Michael Young officiated. Burial was in the Oakwood Cemetery with Masonic Graveside Rites by Cisco Masonic Lodge #556 with Worshipful Master Joe A. Gayle of Abilene officiated.

He was born Sept. 23, 1899 in Strawn, Eastland County, Texas. He began working in the coal mines in Thurber. He later worked as a pipeline worker and pumper for Premier Oil Co. He was also employed at Cisco Jr. College.

He married Lena Mae Overand Feb. 26, 1922 in

Ranger.

He was Master Mason and a 65 year member of Cisco Masonic Lodge. He was a member of the Lakeside Country Club of Eastland. He was a Baptist.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Mollie Dobbins.

Survivors include his wife, Lena Mae Dobbins of Cisco; 3 daughters, Dorothy Williams of Abilene, Wanda Johnson and husband, Fred of Jacksboro and Louise Warren of Fort Worth; a son, Bill Dobbins and wife, Beulah of Highlands; 9 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were: Tom Smith, Harold White, Don Watts, Cecil Brewer, Reggie Pittman Sr. and Ike Watts.

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Dona Tomerlin

EASTLAND- Dona I. Tomerlin, 83, died Thursday, April 27, 1995 at Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Services were at 2:30 p.m. Monday, May 1, 1995 in Edwards Funeral Home Chapel in Ranger, the Rev. Jerry Speer, Craig Rhoton and Jim Andrews officiated. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery in Ranger.

She was born Jan. 25, 1912 in Texas and grew

up in East Texas. She married Clemie Lee Tomerlin, who preceded her in death in 1976. She moved to Eastland in 1962.

She was a member of Eastside Baptist Church. Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Fay and Bob Todd of Eastland; a brother, J.W. Paschal of Plainview; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Julia Jenkins

STRAWN- Julia Jenkins, 91, of Colorado Springs, Colorado died Thursday, April 27, 1995 in Colorado Springs, CO.

Graveside services were at 1 p.m. Monday, May 1, 1995 in the Macedonia Cemetery, Mike Orsini officiated, directed by Edwards Funeral Home of Strawn.

She was born July 4, 1903 to George and Mary Manick Sadver in Lyra, Texas. She married George Jenkins Oct. 1, 1921 in Mineral Wells. She was a resident of Caddo in 1951. She was a

member of Eastern Star Lodge, Calvary Baptist Church and the Rebekkah Lodge.

Survivors include a daughter, Doris Cox of Colorado Springs, CO; 3 grandsons, Ricky Jenkins of Albuquerque, N.M., Timothy Cox of Colorado Springs, CO. and Brett Box of Lynchburg, Virginia; 2 granddaughters, Vicki Helwick of Placitas, N.M. and Julie Thompson of Colorado Springs, CO.; a brother, Tony Sadver of Strawn; two sisters, Lucille Gray of Ranger and Mary Lavera of Strawn.

Viola Spargo

GORDON- Viola (Vi) Spargo, 81, of Gordon died Friday, April 28, 1995 in Harris Methodist Hospital in Stephenville.

Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 30, 1995 at the New Gordon Cemetery. Rev. Michael Orsini officiated, directed by Edwards Funeral Home of Strawn.

She was born April 11, 1914 in Albion, Michigan. She married Harold Spargo Oct. 13, 1933 in Lewiston, Illinois. She was a homemaker and mother and attended the Church of Christ. She moved to Gordon in 1975. She was preceded in death by one grandchild,

Russell King.

Survivors include her husband, Harold Spargo of Gordon; 4 sons, Rick Spargo of Albuquerque, N.M., Dave Spargo of Goldfield, Nevada, Jim Spargo of Raton, N.M. and Vic Spargo of Rio Ranch, N.M.; 6 daughters, Pat Smith of Henrietta, Lelia Pugh of Shaddock, OK., Rose Lawyer of Henrietta, Ginger Mitchell of Abilene, Mary Marquez of Santa Fe, N.M. and Margie Johnson of Gordon; 2 sisters, Golden Suydam of Farmington, Illinois and Lela Totten of Peoria, Illinois; 22 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren.

Mattie Bentley

NEW, MEXICO- Mattie Bentley, 92, formerly of Eastland, died Sunday, April 23, 1995 while a resident of the Sierra Health Care Center in Truth or Consequences, New Mexico.

She was born July 28, 1902, in Walters, OK. She was a member of the Baptist Church in Eastland, Texas, The Retired Waitress and had lived in Truth or Consequences, N.M. since 1981.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 13, 1995 at the Frank A. Grey Memorial Park with interment in Oakland Cemetery, near

Gorman.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Lucy Stoker in 1991; her parents; four siblings; and a beloved great-granddaughter.

Survivors include her three daughters, Lucile Montgomery of Truth or Consequences, Glennis (Mrs. Gaylord) Ray of Grass Valley, CA and Mattye Jo (Mrs. Bob) Cobb of Richardson, TX.; 12 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren; and many Brown, Porter and Stoker relations.

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BOOK TALK

By Rich Tennant

Version 2.0 More BYTE-ing Humor from the 5th Wave

As a featured artist for the past ten years in some of the industry's biggest publications, Rich Tennant's cartoons have captured the attention of computer users everywhere - now in more than 30 million households, and growing. In his new book, *Version 2.0: More BYTE-ing Humor from The 5th Wave*, (Andrews and McMeel, \$6.95) fans will enjoy his witty panel cartoons on computers and their users, a topic that might not sound all that funny at first. But this amazingly adept artist reveals rounded, bugged people as they react to this new wave of technology - and he does it with an amusing edge that computer users can't miss.

The *New York Times* calls Rich Tennant "a market maker" and "one of the country's leading computer cartoonists." There's Tennant's take on the proliferation and

diversity of user groups: The Nuns Who Smoke Pipes and Dress Laptop Computers in Doll Clothes Users Group. There's Tennant's puzzled grandparents who stand near a bathtub filled with water and computers: "Gary and some of his friends wanted to bob for Apples this year. I guess it can't hurt as long as they're not plugged in."

From chia-pet PCs to an Airedales for Elvis Bulletin Board, Tennant has captured computer technology in an engaging way that computer users can plug into. *The 5th Wave* addresses the increasingly technical world in a comical and entertaining fashion.

Tennant's work has appeared in corporate newsletters for companies across the U.S. and Canada, such as Xerox, IBM, and Price Waterhouse; computer publications like *PC Magazine* and *Computerworld*; and other newspapers and magazines around the world.

Pleasant Hill FCE Club Meets In Shirey Home

The Pleasant Hill Family Community Education Club met in the home of Arlita Shirey in Eastland on April 13th for the regular monthly meeting.

Twila Lee called the meeting to order; Marjorie Lacy read the minutes and called the roll with everyone answering "Something I've Never Done, But Always Wanted To." Mary Louise Fitzgerald gave the devotional; Allene Smith gave the treasurer's report, and showed us a plaque and read a letter from West Texas Rehab Center naming us a member of the Century Club.

Janet Thomas brought several broomstick skirts and explained how easy they were to make and how best to dry them. She said that they were wonderful to take on trips. She showed us how to leave them in the hose that they had dried in and just put them in the suitcase. They took up less room and were ready to wear when you needed them. A lot of the members wanted her basic pattern for the skirts.

We were so glad to see Willie Hines at the meeting. She helped organize Pleasant Hill Club over

40 years ago. Arleta served refreshments to Marjorie Lacy, Twila Lee, Mary Louise Fitzgerald, Allene Smith, Shirley Cole, Lynn Fitzgerald, Vadis Phelps, Ann Larkin, Nadyne Knight, and guests Willie Hines and Janet Thomas.

Those serving at Canterbury Villa Nursing Home for the monthly Birthday party were Ann Larkin, Lynn Fitzgerald, Marjorie Lacy, Arlita Shirey, Twila Lee and grandson, Logan.

Our Bake Sale was held on Friday, April 28th in Cisco. It was a big success and we want to thank First National Bank and First American Bank for letting us use your lobbies and for all your help, also to all of you who bought our baked goods.

Our next meeting will be at Allene Smith's home in Cisco on May 11th at 2 p.m. We hope all members will be able to attend and we are always happy to have visitors. Our scheduled program will be *The Power of Positive Thinking*. Janet Thomas will give this program and we always look forward to her programs. Hope you can join us.

Kokomo FCE Club To Hold Meeting May 8

The Kokomo Family Community Education Club will meet on Monday, May 8 at 2 p.m. at the Kokomo Community Center.

County Extension Agent Janet Thomas will give the program "The Power of Positive Think-

ing." The hostesses will be Anna Laura Clearman and Johnnie B. Griffith.

All members are urged to attend. Guests and prospective members are welcome.

Nancy Hendricks Reporter



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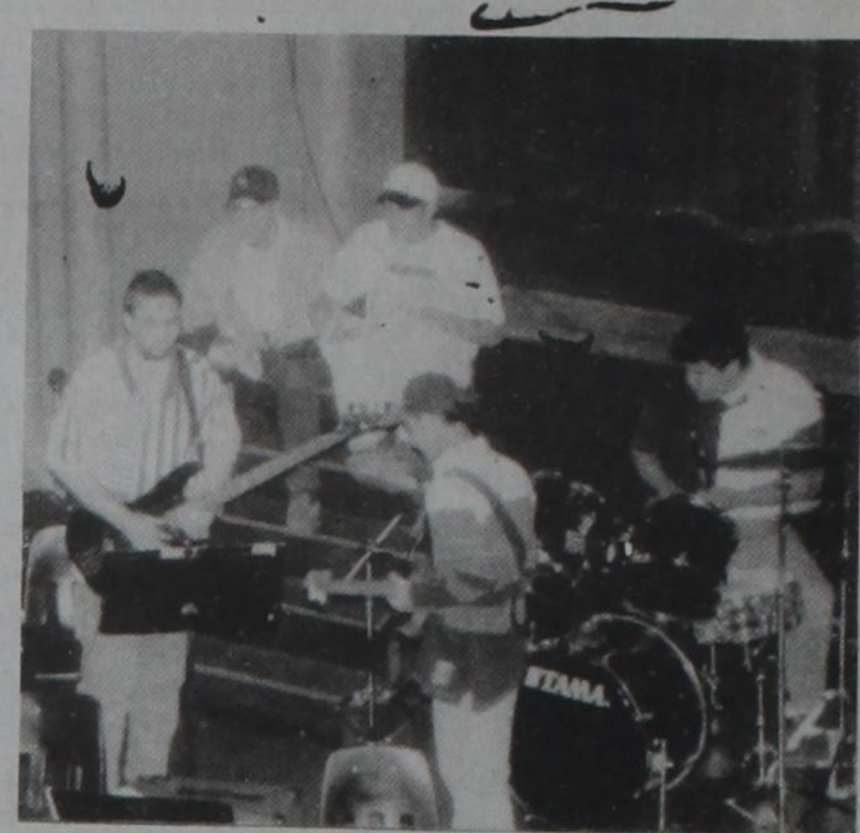
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Cisco High School Band

ensemble, group of two guitars, two drums and two singers, played numbers including "Plush", "When I Come Around" and "Far Behind".

Cisco High School Band played "Quality Plus", Jewell; "Poem", Fibich; and "Blue Ridge Saga", Cacavas. Wayne White is the band director.

Eastland High School Band played "Bullets and Bayonets", Sousa; "Concert Variations", Smith and "Southwest Saga",

Sheldon, Harold Scarborough and Kelly Rushfeldt are the band directors.

As always, the Majestic had great acoustics that gave each band a special luster. Also, Majestic Manager Ed Allcorn and his volunteers had the Theatre in great shape, and assisted with the program in every way possible.

All these things gave the public another enjoyable afternoon at the Majestic.



Ranger High School Band



Letters To The Editor

To the Editor:
I believe Gordon S. Clark needs professional help for his irrational opinions before

he does more than just blow venom from his mouth.

A concerned citizen,
Ida Hazelwood

Carbon Musical Saturday

A large crowd attended the musical at Carbon Community Center on Saturday night. We express our appreciation to all the musicians who

provided an evening of special music for everyone to enjoy. We are also appreciative of all the people who came out.

We're looking forward to the next fifth Saturday musical which will be on the 29th of July.

Cisco Press - Eastland
Telegram - Ranger
Times Thursday,
May 4, 1995

Tri-City Band Festival Displays Area Talent

There was a large crowd and good response at the Fifth Annual Eastland County Band Festival at the Majestic Theatre on Sunday, April 23.

The audience cheered as bands from Ranger College, Cisco Junior College, Ranger High School, Cisco High School and Eastland High School gave varied and spirited performances. An extra plus was a performance by an ensemble from CJC.

Cletis Williamson, president of the Eastland Music Study Club, welcomed everyone to the concert. The Eastland Music Club sponsored the event.

Mrs. Williamson told the crowd that the festival was dedicated to National Music Week, which will be observed May 7-14 this year. The theme is "Music Gives Value to Life."

She also spoke of the work of the Eastland Club, which is celebrating its 75th anniversary this year.

Appreciation was expressed to the band directors who arranged this Tri-Cities program, as well as to the young musicians who were out sharing their talents.

The program included: Ranger College Band members with Bob Johnson, director, played "Lone Star Salute", Buckley; "National Anthem", Key; "Of A Distant Star", Huckleby; "Fort Canterbury March", Holsinger; "March of the Combat Patrol", Holsinger; and "Eagle Crest", Sewarigen. Bob Johnson is the band director.

Cisco Junior College Stage band members played "Spinning Wheel", David Clayton Thomas and "Sugar Blues." David Luna is the stage band director.

Ranger High School Band members played

"Gallant Men", Cacavas;

"Old Scottish Melody", Wiley; and "Prelude and Fugue in B Flat", Bach. Randy Taylor is the band director.

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Ranger Times

Thursday,

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Ranger ISD Recognized For Outstanding Safety Program

Mr. Joe Pharris, Superintendent of the Ranger Independent School District was recently honored for outstanding employee safety by the North Texas Educational Insurance association at its annual meeting conducted in Austin, Texas. The annual meeting conducted in Austin, Texas. The Association consists of 121 participating school districts located throughout northern and central Texas. The

district is a member of a uniquely designed partially self-funded workers' compensation program developed by Hibbs-Hallmark & Company and administered by Claims Administrative Services, Inc., both located in Tyler. Hibbs-Hallmark & Company currently provides workers' compensation programs to over 25 percent of all schools in Texas. The purpose of

the meeting was to recognize those districts that have held both the number and severity of employee accidents to a very low level. The combined savings during the 1993-94 school year, for all participating districts, was over 2.4 million dollars when compared to the costs of fully insured programs. The total savings for all districts since inception of the programs in 1991 exceed \$13 million dollars.

The Ranger Independent School District was a Platinium award recipient with the actual losses from employee accidents equaling less than 25 percent of the fund set aside by the district for claims expenses. The actual savings to the school district was \$22,099. "Our self insurance program was designed to provide the highest level of safety and offer the greatest potential for premium savings to the districts," said Billy Hibbs, President of Hibbs-Hallmark & Company. "We have a team of safety professionals who help the district to implement a strict set of safety policies and procedures." Claims Administrative Services, Inc. President, Barry Jones, stated "Safety in the workplace is such an important issue and the administrators who

have achieved such a high level of success in the area of employee safety deserves this special recognition. The taxpayers should also be pleased to know that the Board of Trustees and the administrative staff of the Ranger Independent School District is doing everything possible to insure a safe working environment for its employees while reducing the cost of workers' compensation insurance," continued Jones.

Clothes Closet

The Ranger Community Clothes Closet will be open Saturday, May 6, from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. The Clothes Closet is located across from the street from The Ranger Times.

RHS Cheerleaders To Sell Community Calendars

The RHS Cheerleaders will begin selling the 1995-96 Community Calendars beginning April 21 through May 8. The calendars will include birthdays, anniversaries, and many Ranger High School sporting events. Businesses may include coupons and advertisements as well. Clubs and organizations may also list

Ranger Fire And EMS Calls

Fire

April 22-Responded to a report of a one car rollover at the 353 mile marker on I-20 assisted with traffic control.

Total Fire Calls To Date: Fifty-Two

EMS

April 21-Transported a 73 yr. old male from Eastland Hospital to Abilene Regional Medical Center for an aortic aneurysm.

April 22-Responded to a report of a one car rollover at the 353 mile marker on I-20. Upon our arrival occupants in vehicle were out of car. No injuries, no transports.

April 22-Responded to Western Manor Nursing Home for a report of a possible broken hip. Transported an 89 yr. old female to Eastland Hospital.

April 22-Transported an 89 yr. old female to Western Manor Nursing Home after having X-rays at Eastland Hospital. No injury found.

April 24-Responded to Western Manor Nursing Home for a medical emergency. Transported an 85 yr. old male to Eastland Hospital. Patient was very lethargic and congested. Patient was returned to nursing home after treatment at Eastland Hospital.

April 25-Responded to a residence on North Hodges for a possible medical emergency. No transport.

April 25-Responded to a residence on N. Oak for a report of a

possible medical emergency. No transport.

April 27-Responded to a residence at the Terry Place apartments for a medical emergency. Transported a 65 yr. old male to Eastland Hospital for treatment of a severe nosebleed.

Total EMS Calls To Date: One Hundred Sixty-Nine.

Gardner Tips

As you set spring-blooming annuals out, set out some of these summer-blooming plants for late garden color.

The common sunflower and the Maximillian sunflower (H. maximilliani) seed readily and will also attract birds to your garden.

Cosmos is a tall plant but if you choose a good spot for it you'll have a stand of bright blooms that make great cut flowers. It reseeds itself.

Orange daisy is a great butterfly plant that grows easily from seeds or seedlings, blooming through summer and into fall. Coreopsis is a tall bloomer that produces great flowers through the summer and into fall. It reseeds itself.

Black-eyed Susans have a nice, old-fashioned look. They are tall and heat tolerant and bloom May to November.

Four o'clocks are an old Texas favorite with trumpet shaped flowers on tall stems. They thrive in part shade.

Penta is fairly new to Texas gardens but it is a profuse bloomer in hot weather, making it a popular plant. It blooms in sun or shade and grows about 3 feet tall.

Missionaries Caprice And Nico To Speak

Caprice Scott Gatea and her husband, Pastor Nico Gatea, will be presenting a slide show next Wednesday, May 10th at 7:00 P.M. at the Church of God of Prophecy, 221 N. Oak St., Ranger. The Gatea Family will be returning to Romania in

June to continue their work of the past five years there among gypsies and needy children.

The new slide show which they will present highlights life in Romania before and after the Revolution which overthrew Communism. All friends and anyone interested are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served following the program.

Korean Veterans Eligibility Passes Congress

Thanks to the help and support we received, especially from Representative Dick Arme, Senate Bill 257 passed the House of Representatives on Tuesday, February 28th. This bill previously had passed the Senate and will now be signed by President Clinton on Monday, March 6th, during the Washington Conference. During this legislative session, no bill other than those having to do with the Republicans Contract with America had been presented before the House of passage.

Representative Arme, as the Majority Whip in the House, controls the calendar. After discussion with several of his aides, Representative Arme presented this bill on Tuesday, February 28th.

This now makes all veterans who served in Korea since 1949 eligible for membership in the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

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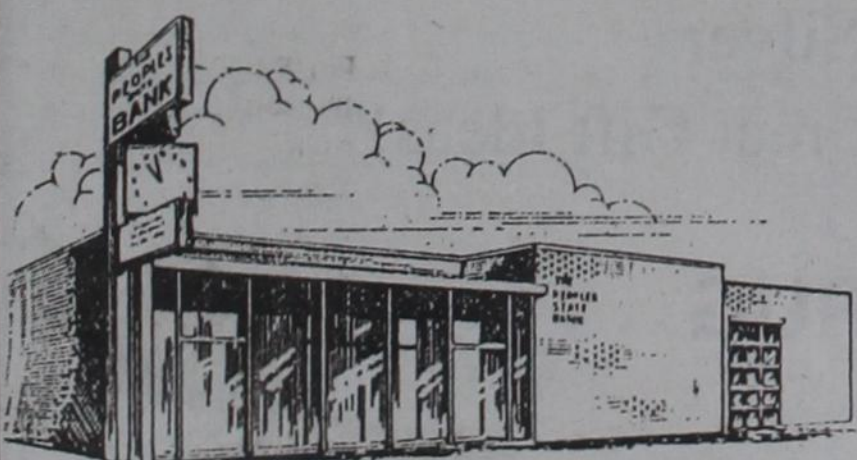
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