





# FOCUS

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## Reflections of Life

Reflections. The ancient Greek poet, Euripedes, defined them as "second thoughts." An appropriate enough description. Reflections do give us a chance to think twice—just as physical reflections give us a chance to see twice.

I suspect most of us take reflections for granted. They're there. They're an everyday part of life. We see reflections on the sides of giant skyscrapers, in storefront windows, and in puddles after a summer rain. If we're astute, we notice them in the eyeglasses of a friend or staring back at us from the surface of a bar.

Despite their commonplace, reflections are really quite amazing. Whether or not we realize it at the time, they offer us that opportunity to see—and think—twice.

Yet, for all their dramatic impact on our lives, reflections go unnoticed by most amateur photographers...or at least unheralded. That's too bad, too. Because in the limited confines of a two-dimensional art form struggling to recreate three-dimensional life, reflections can be very effective.

Reflections are light waves bouncing off a smooth surface without becoming scattered. When viewed at the proper angle, the reflected image is visible. Often, the reflection is slightly distorted, adding to the surreal, dreamlike quality that accompanys many reflection photos. The smoother and flatter the reflecting surface, the less distortion produced. The rougher and more rounded the surface, the more distortion produced. With this simple fact in mind, a skillful photographer can create—or manipulate—reflections to heighten the desired effect of the photo.

Picture for a moment a small boat on a glass-smooth lake. It's early morning and there's just enough mist to hide the line of the horizon. The results: a dual image in which it's nearly impossible to determine the physical object—the boat—from the reflection.

On the other hand, imagine a closeup shot of an elderly lady wearing glasses. In the reflection from the lenses is a chair, a table, and a wall with one small window. It's obvious which is reality and which is a reflection. But that doesn't make the scene any less powerful or dramatic.

Undoubtedly, the most photographed, painted, and admired source of reflections in water. It offers far more possibilities for creative thought than any other reflective surfaces. On a calm day, water is no less precise a reflector than the smoothest mirror. But barely perceptible movement on the surface results in distortions with impressionistic overtones.

Water is most reflective when the sun is low in the sky—in early morning or late afternoon. If you're looking for still water, search just after dawn, before the sun has a chance to warm the air, causing breezes which set the surface to undulating.

Photographing smaller reflections, like a face in the rearview mirror of a car, can be trickier, depending upon the light. If the scene includes the mirror and a good portion of the scenery outside the car window, you're likely to have two different exposure requirements. Then it's up to you to decide which is more important. Nearly always, that's the reflection. So move in close, take a meter reading off the reflecting surface, and set your camera accordingly. Then move back and, using the previous reading, take the shot. You may end up with an overexposed or underexposed outside scene, but the reflection—the thing you want to capture on film—should be right on.



A cow drinking from a shallow stream becomes more interesting when its reflection is included in the scene.

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## Revival Services Set At Ranger Church

The Rev. Dr. Claus H. Rohlfs of Dallas will be preaching a series of Revival Services at the First United Methodist Church of Ranger during Holy Week, March 27-30.

The Revival will open on Palm Sunday morning at the 10:55 worship hour. There will be 7:00 p.m. preaching services each evening, Sunday through Wednesday. Music will be provided by

the Chancel Choir under the direction of Bob Johnson. An infant and pre-school nursery will be provided in the church basement.

In addition, there will be Prayer Breakfasts each morning (Monday - Wednesday) at 7:00 a.m. with Dr. Rohlfs sharing leadership. On Sunday evening the Youth Group will serve supper at 5:30 p.m. Monday through Wednesday covered dish fellowship suppers are planned at 6:00 p.m.

Rohlfs' leadership and vision have kept Perkins at the forefront of field education among seminaries.

Over the years Rohlfs has represented his church at jurisdictional and general conference as well as at the World Methodist Conference, London. He has served on boards and agencies too numerous to mention. Currently he is a consultant to the U.S. Army Chaplains Corps Academic

Board.

Dr. Rohlfs is recognized around the world as a trail blazer with tremendous vision into what it means for the church to be in ministry as the Body of Christ in the world today.

The people of the First United Methodist Church are preparing for a new awakening of the Spirit of God and warmly invite you to attend and share in these special services during Holy Week.

### courthouse news

Instruments Filed-91st Dist. Court  
Darrell Edward Watson Furnishing Alcohol to a minor  
Leonard John Daugherty Driving While Intoxicated

Ed Schroder Theft over \$20.00 and under \$200.00  
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Dwain McMillan Speeding  
The State of Texas vs Billy Carol Hughes Jr. Bond Forfeiture

Pauline Martinez vs Gene Gann Personal Injuries & Damages  
Charles R. Alexander vs INA of Texas Workman's Comp.

State of Nebraska Ex. Rel. Debra D. Shadley vs Richard N. Shadley Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support

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# Americans Are Potential Volunteers

COLLEGE STATION-- Looking for volunteers to help with a community project or charity drive? Don't despair. According to June Cline, an organization specialist, research shows that 65 million Americans are potential volunteers.

"The problem is that we must find ways of asking people to volunteer," says Cline, who is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Volunteer recruiters tend to go to parts of the com-

munity where they expect success, rather than reaching out to tap new volunteer resources, observes Cline.

Cline, who has worked with Texas voluntary Extension organizations for the past seven years, suggests several strategies for recruiting help.

"Start by looking beyond your circle of personal acquaintances and people already serving on committees," recommends Cline.

Also, don't be afraid to recruit in the areas that have

a need for the program, or among those who will be receiving the services. Recruit retirees to work in programs directed toward senior citizens, for example, or parents to work with youth programs, she says.

According to Cline, a well-planned publicity campaign to reach people aged 18-24 and over 65 can be quite productive.

Students are often interested in developing work-related skills and receiving school credit for volunteer activities. They can be recruited through school counselors and student professional or service clubs.

People over 65 are seeking a means to maintain their involvement in the life of the community, she notes, and can be recruited through a variety of senior citizen groups.

Regardless of who is being recruited, personal contact is probably the most important factor in "marketing" a volunteer program, says Cline. "You must be willing to go to people and their groups, talk to them, be enthusiastic, and answer their questions," she says.

Cline also suggests that recruiters think in terms of recruiting one "special" volunteer for a particular

job, rather than a pool of volunteers for unspecified jobs.

The names of potential "special" volunteers can be found by asking members of other organizations for ideas, watching the local newspapers for stories about people with special skills, or contacting the librarian for the names of people in

specific fields. These people can then be recruited through personal letters or direct contact.

"Everyone is self-directed at something," says Cline. "The job of a volunteer recruiter is to discover that self-direction in each individual, then find a place where it can be used positively," she adds.

## Seeds From The Sower

Michael A. Guido

Little Susie was given two quarters, one for church and one for candy. On her way to church she dropped a quarter and it rolled into a deep sewer.

"Oh," she yelled, "there goes the Lord's quarter."

Isn't that just like us!

We give the Lord so little, yet He gives us so much.

We give Him the worst of all things, yet He gives us His best.

We give Him the poorest of our talents for His service, and the smallest of our gifts for His ministry.

We eat the apple of our might and give Him the

core. We enjoy the bread of our income and give Him the crumbs.

We trust the Lord with our souls, but we do not trust Him with the key to our safety deposit boxes.

But our living cannot be right if our giving is wrong.

The more we give the more we live, and have.

It is like the man said, "What I spent I had. What I saved I lost. What I gave to the Lord I have."

Some give to the Lord's work weekly, while others give weakly. But since He is generous with me, I am going to be generous with Him. Are you?

## Lights From The Christian World

Josephine Cleveland

Several men were deep-sea fishing. A sudden storm forced them to abandon their large sailing vessel for lifeboats. For several days they drifted aimlessly on the high seas. Finally their meager supply of food was gone.

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## Cisco Church Slates Revival

John C. Whitley, an evangelist from Houston, will be conducting a gospel revival meeting at the 1-20 Church of Christ beginning Sunday, March 27 and concluding Thursday, March 31.

Whitley is currently serving as minister for the Kashmere Garden Church of Christ and has been there since March, 1982. He is a graduate of Southwestern Christian College in Terrell and of Pepperdine University.

"The Lord Is My Shepherd" will be the topic for the opening sermon of the meeting. Services begin Sunday with 9:30 a.m. Bible classes and 10:30 worship.

Whitley will teach a combined adult, college, high school and junior high class in the auditorium.

Sunday evening's topic will be "A Courageous Stand." Other sermon topics for the week include "Godly Deliverance," "God's Way - Organizational Structure of

the Church," "Just Saying, 'Lord, Lord' Is Not Enough" and "Youth."

In addition, there will be a 7 a.m. service each morning of the series.

Whitley is formerly a minister in Abilene, where he served as the first Black minister for the Central Church of Christ and was also the first Black instructor of Bible at Abilene Christian University, from 1970-73.

He has also served as minister for congregations in Fort Worth, Waco and Cleveland, Ohio.

Whitley is the author of one book, *Precious Lord Lead Me On*, and is founder and president of Janniko's Book Service.

A daily five-minute program called *Pleasant Moments* on Houston radio station KCOH is also a part of Whitley's routine, as is serving as director of the Houston Crusade for Christ which is hosted by Houston area churches of Christ and will be held at the Sheraton-Houston Hotel and Sam Houston Coliseum July 10-14.

The elders, deacons and members of the 1-20 Church of Christ take this opportunity to invite everyone in Cisco to come hear this fine evangelist.

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**P.M.—A Courageous Stand**  
**MONDAY: Godly Deliverance**  
**TUESDAY: God's Way—Organizational Structure of the Church**  
**WEDNESDAY: Just Saying, "Lord, Lord" Is Not Enough**  
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Cornelius R. Stam

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This truth has been confirmed by overwhelming evidence, and those who have tried, through the centuries, to overthrow the Bible have been about as successful as a man trying to overthrow the Rock of Gibraltar with a pea-shooter.

Furthermore, the Word of God towers above the clergy as well as the laity. The Bereans were called "noble" because they put the words of even the great Apostle Paul to the test of Scripture.

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ers of the Word overlook vital truth, true Bereans will use THE BOOK to "teach" us. If, God forbid, we handle the Word deceitfully, they should use THE BOOK to "reprove" us. If we go astray in our conclusions they should use THE BOOK to "correct" us. If they feel we encourage careless living, they should use THE BOOK to "instruct" us in "righteousness."

Well do we remember when we were first convicted by the Bible as the written Word of God—and we have never ceased to thank God for the blessed results.

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**Jim Parker-District 65**

This week I would like to continue with the general theme of alcohol abuse and the legislative process. At part and parcel of the issue, open container legislation will provide a hot topic of conversation and legislation.

As is customary in my reports to you, I would advise you that the proponents of this legislation feel that banning open alcohol containers would directly contribute to a lessening of the incidence of driving while intoxicated; would grant peace officers increased authority, in the form of "probable cause" to detain persons obviously possessing open alcohol containers in an automobile. (Of course, these statements are made in consideration of the fact that it is not now against the law in the State of Texas to drink and drive, simply to

drive while intoxicated). The proponents also feel that passage of a ban would generally serve to reduce the consumption, use and, ultimately, abuse of alcohol.

Opponents of the legislation point out that the casual drinker would be penalized unfairly; that the law is unenforceable; that it infringes on the right of the general public by criminalizing an activity which is not, in and of itself, criminal in nature; and, that the legislation is a product of overactive emotions of a few hysterical people whose minds are set on "legislating morality for the people."

My personal experience with open container regulation is limited to personal observations I made in Houston while in law school. Being ever mindful of the fertility of the human im-

agination and unique ability to circumvent the law, I was, nonetheless, amazed to discover that citizens of that fair city, when purchasing liquid libation from convenience stores for consumption in an automobile, were furnished with a handy, little gadget generically referred

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hiding the container from the prying eyes of suspicious peace officers and robbing them of the 4th amendment "probable cause" to stop an individual and inquire into the alcoholic nature of the contents of the container.

Notwithstanding the reported success of sister

states in implementing open container legislation, this provides at least one true to life example of the difficulty of enforcement. I would much prefer, and could more easily support, a total ban of all alcohol beverage containers, open or closed, from the passenger compartment of a motor vehicle if, in fact, we are serious about this issue.

In response to these articles, I have received from the highest of praise to suggestions that my immediate empeachment and recall are in order and, at the risk of fueling the fires of my critics, I would again advise you that this is an area wherein I have no strong moral or ethical feelings. Fortunately, or unfortunately, again as the case may be, I fit neither the category of teetotaler nor drunk but simply have tried to state both sides of the issue and really need to know how you would vote if you were sit-

ting at dest No. 87 on the day this legislation comes up. Thank you for your patience. See you next week.

# Alcohol Abuse & The Legislative Process

## Texans Are Littering More

AUSTIN—Texans littered their roadsides more than ever in 1981-82 and it cost more than \$17 million of their tax dollars to pick the trash up, according to the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation (DHT).

DHT Engineer-Director Mark Goode said, "The dollars spent to pick up litter, 35 percent more than a year earlier, come from the same budget that must also be used to repair potholes, mend guard rails and other necessary maintenance activities."

Statistics compiled by DHT's Safety and Maintenance Operations Division show that Houston far outpaced other metropolitan areas in trash pick-up costs. Compared to

the \$6.9 million spent by the department's Houston district, \$1.9 million was spent in the Dallas district while San Antonio and Fort Worth districts used \$1.2 and \$1.1 millions respectively.

The 1981-82 trash pick-up total is two-thirds more than was spent in 1979-80 when the statewide cost reached \$10 million for the first time. During 1980-81, DHT spent \$12.2 million.

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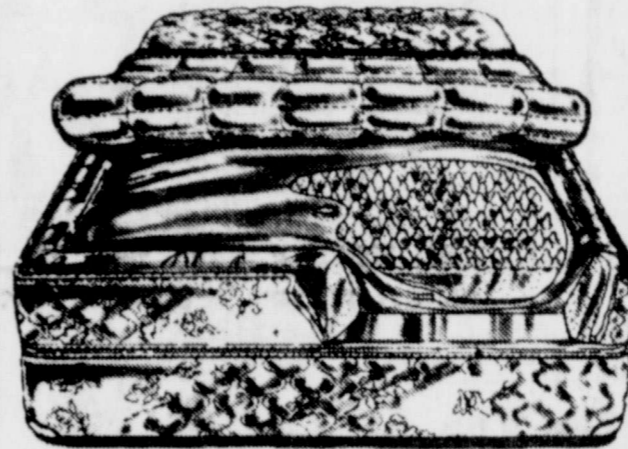
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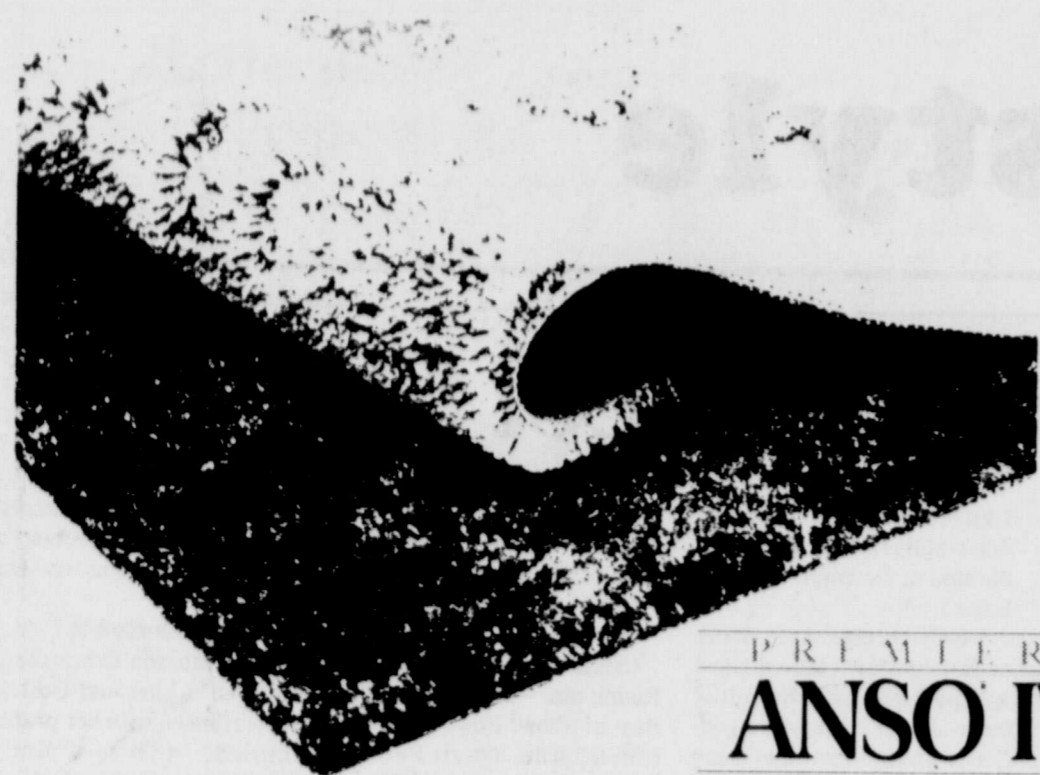
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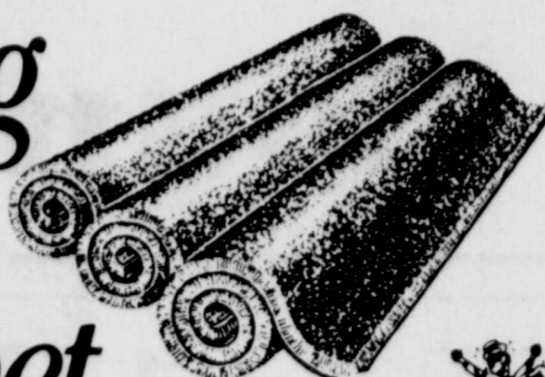
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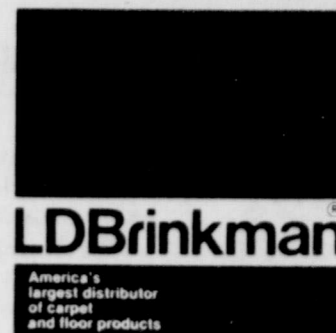
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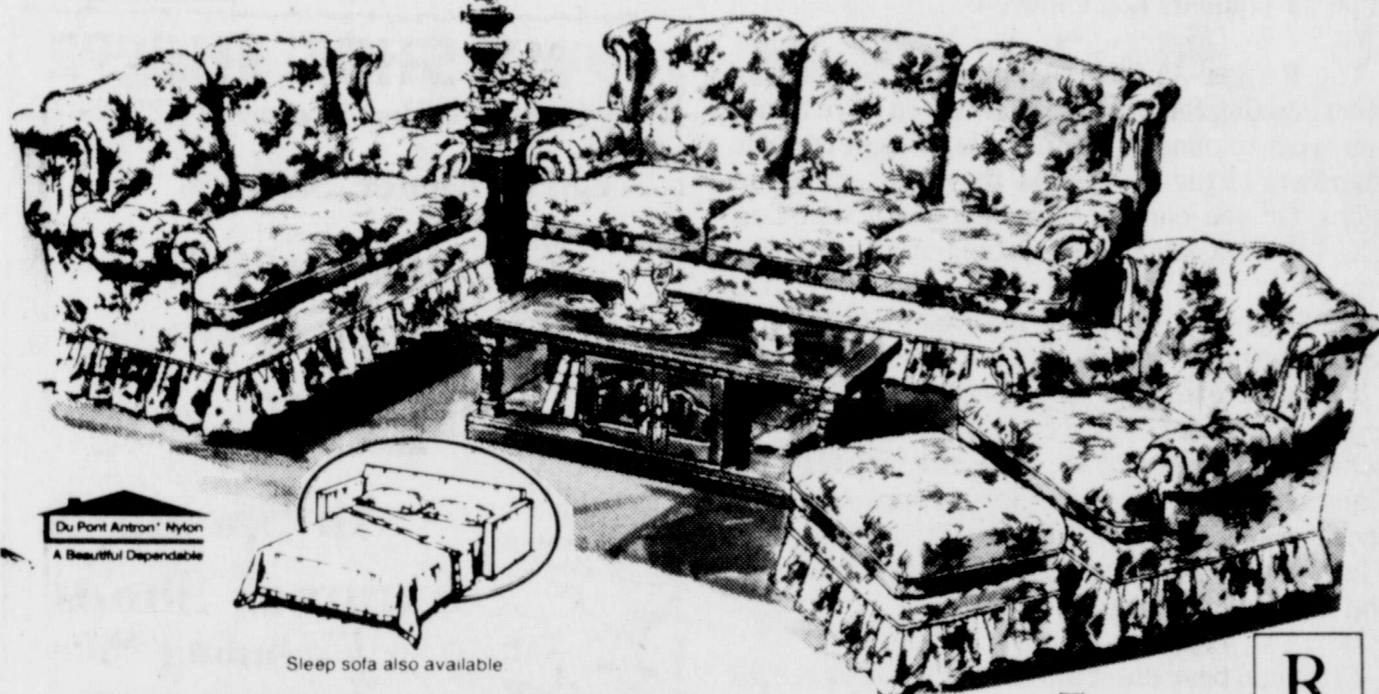
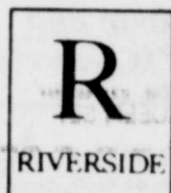
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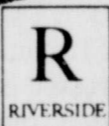
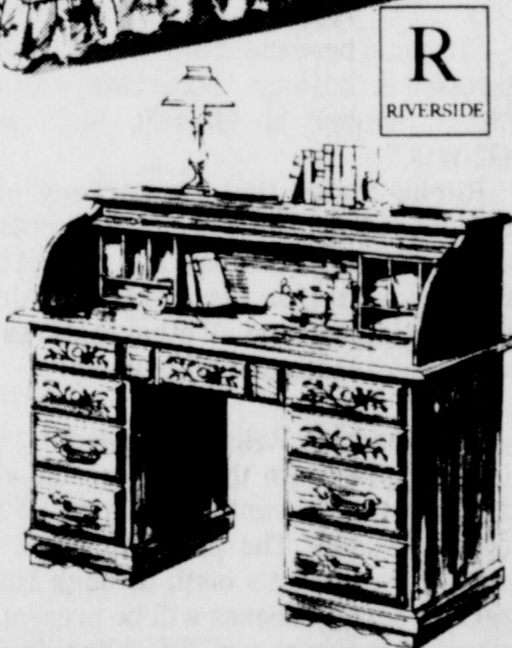
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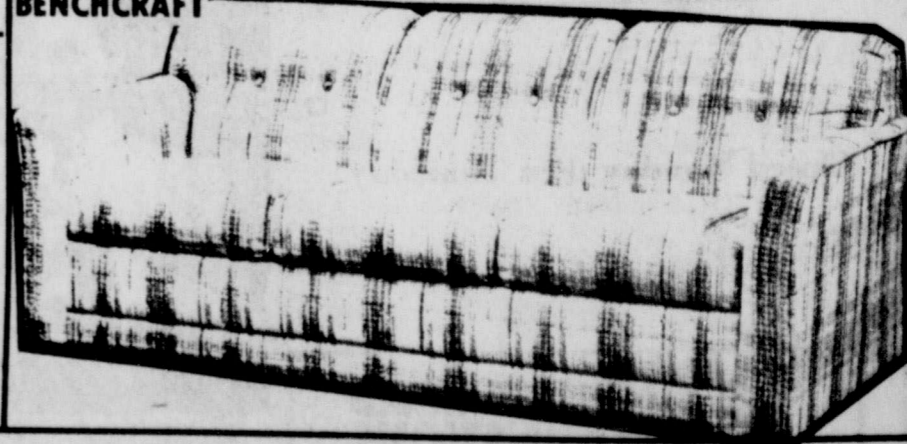
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## Reflections In Perspective

By I.W. Ussery

Major F.N. Potts, Training Regiment, Abu Dhabi Defence Force is a Yorkshireman. And yes, "Defence" is correctly spelled with a "c" instead of an "s". Now, there's nothing wrong nor unusual in a Major of the Training Regiment's being a Yorkshireman. Major Potts is a "Contract Officer," which means that he is serving in the Force under the terms and conditions of a contract negotiated and executed by the Officer and the Ruler. He will serve for a stipulated term at a likewise stipulated compensation. The British have a much more open-minded attitude toward service of subjects of the Crown in foreign military forces...provided, of course, the Crown is aware of such service.

And, if you are familiar with the breed, Major Potts would not be the first man you'd pick out of a crowd as being a Yorkshireman. One usually pictures a "Yorkie" as being somewhat above average height, perhaps somewhat blondish, soft-spoken, a rugged in-

dividualist, and either fervently loyal to conversely a bit cool toward the Crown. "Guy" Potts was almost rabidly loyal. And he stood in elevator shoes at only barley five and a half feet. His dark hair was receding noticeably, and he wore very thick-lensed glasses.

And the nickname "Guy"? With initials "F.N."? Elementary, my dear Watson. Fawkes Nathan Potts was a direct descendant of another Yorkshireman, one Guy Fawkes who participated in 1604 in what came to be known as "The Gunpowder Plot." Under the terms of that plot, a small room directly underneath the House of Lords was to be filled (which it was) with kegs of gunpowder. To be ignited by the use of a "slow match", the heart of British Parliament would be blown to kingdom come.

"Sir Guy", as he came to be known, was apprehended very shortly before the blast was to be set off. The names of other conspirators was obtained from Sir Guy by torture...so history records. Guy Fawkes and at least

four others were publicly hanged for their trouble, and each year children in England observe "Guy Fawkes' Day" by setting off fireworks. So you see, my dear Watson, it was only natural to call F.N. Potts "Guy."

Another incongruity existed in Potts' background. In full military dress, almost lavishly be-ribboned, monocle at the ready and his puckish smile disarming everyone who passed; if you could identify the ribbons creating a colorful panel above the pocket of the tunic you would recognize the fact that "Potts" had been awarded the Distinguished Service Order, the Military Cross, the Order of the British Empire...and that he had served in The Gurkha Regiment. That regiment of the British Army, as you who have studied or have played a part in military history know is one of just about the fightingest organizations ever to have become engaged in modern warfare.

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The Gurkha's favourite weapon is his razor-sharp "Kukri." With a large, somewhat broad curved blade, he handles it with deadly efficiency. Gurkhas were noted for their successful activities on night patrol.

Officers for "The Regiment" were drawn on a voluntary basis. And Potts

had served with distinction with the Gurkhas. With his ribbon clerk's appearance? And with the perpetual sort of startled expression of his near-sightedness? One never knows. And no one considered it prudent to pry. Remember when, in a rash of terrorism at least three jet passenger liners were forced to land on "Dawson's Field" in Jordan? Potts was on a British Airways VC-10 in that little caper. For 21 days he and the other male passengers of that flight were herded from place to place. Upon their release, Potts was given credit by the other captives for having been almost singly responsible for their having kept their courage and their hope. It was for that that Queen Elizabeth II tapped him for the Order of the British Empire. Or so it is said. If he lives long enough, he will likely eventually become a Knight of the Order.

One thing about Potts we could never fathom. It was never explained, and somehow no one ever questioned him as to its origin or its meaning. He used an expression which didn't have the slightest inflection of profanity. More likely he would use it when you or I would have said "Well; what do you know!" And then he would pop out with it at a most unexpected moment. Perhaps it was intended to disarm the object of his greeting. Standing in the foyer of the Officers' Mess, or at the bar in "The Club" in Abu Dhabi; a friend would show up to be greeted by Major Potts with... "Ah, my dear boy! Hoy Hoy. And a Tiddley push! What are you having?" And at points during the conversation which followed the bartender's having taken the order he'd put in a quiet, "Hoy hoy", slowly and with feeling.

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# Spotlights & Sidelights

## Julia Worthy

In my progress toward senior citizenship, a term rejected by many youngsters as well as oldsters—not sure why, I have acquired a great amount of information that I cannot foresee any particular use for...a game show, maybe?

No matter. I've decided not to hoard all this. I'll share some of it with you.

No one has ever approached me with a burning yearning for the identity of "The Old Lady of Threadneedle Street," but if anyone wants to know, "she" is the Bank of England.

I'm sure I'm not alone in having Number 10 Downing St. and 1600 Pennsylvania Ave. firmly fixed in my memory, but I don't ever expect to have tea and crumpets with England's Prime Minister Thatcher any more than I think the Reagans will invite me to the next bash at the White House...even if I could get away from The Pizza House cash register! But I know the addresses in case I ever get the equivalent of a royal command for my presence.

What good does it do me to know that the big Colorado River—not the Texas one—is

also known as "The Red Bull?" The Red Bull got a ring in his nose when the Hoover Dam was built to control the food damage he did and to provide electricity for millions of homes and industries—give or take a few.

Hoover was not exactly our most popular president, so Hoover Dam became Boulder Dam when Hoover bowed out to Franklin Delano Roosevelt and the rest of the Democrats. Back to Hoover Dam the name went in 1947 when Congress voted to restore the original name. Did all this affect the dam? Not a whit. (A "whit" is the least bit you can possibly get—maybe related to a "smidgen.")

Which leads to identifying a "bit." Aside from being an essential part of a bridle, the bit that sticks in my mind is the one originating from Spanish coin. A quick method of making change for the Spanish dollar was to whack it with an axe into twelve even pieces.

Remember the yell with which cheerleaders urged the team on? "Two bits, four bits, six bits, a dollar. We'll make podunk stand up and holler!" A bit was twelve

and a half cents, so two bits made a quarter.

While on the subject of money, there's "...not worth a Centennial." I believe that expression referred to the value of the currency of the colonies at the time of the American Revolution. It wasn't worth much.

And that bit of info is about as useful to a Gentile as knowing that a yarmulke is a skullcap Jewish men often wear when they pray.

Maybe I could make use of all this brain clutter if I could get on one of the game shows. Although I don't know all the answers by any means—for instance, why is anyone as "mad as a March hare?" Is a hare likely to be wilder if he's born in March?

I have always been wary of the tsetse fly because there is a variety that carries sleeping sickness. As this particular fly is an

African native, and I'm not planning an African jaunt, this caution is not listed under "Necessary."

Why does it stick in my mind that John Paul Jones, American Revolutionary hero, was born in Scotland? Most of our Revolutionary War heroes was born elsewhere. Lafayette didn't even live here—he came pelting over from France to do his considerable bit, as well as flirt with the ladies.

He brought a lot of other Frenchmen with him.

Digitalis is very important to a person with a heart problem other than amatory. It's getting to be pretty trivial trivia to know that its common name is "foxglove."

Would it really make your day to know that "morpheme" has nothing to do with traffic in illegal drugs? A morpheme is the smallest meaningful language unit. As an English

major there probably is some reason for my having that tucked away, but it's not the easiest thing to work into a conversation.

As I don't expect any of us to see a Moslem mosque built around here, I don't know that it's essential that we be able to identify a minaret. If it's slipped your mind—as it hasn't escape mine—a minaret is a tall, thin tower. They are found on tops of mosques.

Among the things I'm never positive about is the difference between

"metatarsal" and "metacarpal," but the only person I ever knew to get passionate about it was the teacher trying to teach my class about bones...believe the "tarsal" one refers to foot.

The more I think of it, one of the game shows might fulfill my destiny. But I'd probably turn to chicken fat under those hot lights...and some of the more exotic trivia that sticks with me absolutely would be censored. People are the strangest creatures. But interesting.

## Bass Club Report

Fishing on area lakes has been good to excellent. Hubbard is producing some nice five pound fish in the creek area with numerous smaller fish being taken. Leon is also producing in the river area; as well as Lake Daniels. One bank fisherman had 25 fish averaging two pounds. Brownwood is very muddy in the river areas, and present rains can only push the murky water further out towards the main lake areas. Strawn is low, but still giving up some fish in the creek area.

Have you gotten your tickets for our one man boat to be raffled off. If not contact your Bass Club members and pick some up. These boats are stable and excellent for smaller impoundments such as farm ponds. Our drawing will be held April 24th 4 p.m. at the Cisco Folk Life Festival. Also the Eastland County

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We shall hold our April meeting Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the Cisco Bank Building. The public is invited to attend and learn more about our organization, its function and goals. Good fishing and lets all remember that those youngsters enjoy fishing as much or more than you and I.

Terry L. Wilson

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**Putnam News**

By Mrs. R.B. Taylor

This is the first day of Spring according to the calendar. Where has winter gone! But as the late Frank Grimes of the Abilene Reporter said, "The old mesquites ain't out yet," so spring is not here.

We have had two wonderful rains last week. Everything will really grow. When the warm days come again. We are supposed to have a freeze tonight, just hope it is not low enough to get the fruit.

The Womens Study Club met at the Community Center last Monday, with thirteen members and two guests present. Bill Sellers of the D.P.S. from Abilene was guest speaker. He gave a very informative talk on safety in the home and automobile accidents. Hostesses were: Mrs. Joe Whitehead, Mrs. Ruie Sunderman, and Mrs. Ollie Burnam.

The Milton Donaways visited their sons family at Albany last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Edith Muzny spent a week recently with her daughters family Delores

Krinkle of Dallas. Mrs. Jewel Webster of Clyde and Mrs. Glover Johnson of near Scranton visited Jack Ramsey and Maxie Solomon last Sunday. Also visiting was Maxies niece Viola Campbell of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sunderman of Ft. Worth visited their Aunt Ruie Sunderman at the Golden Holiday Nursing Home at Baird and friends at Putnam Monday.

Visiting Ollie Burnam this week have been her grandchildren, Chris Heidelberg of Breckenridge and Carl Brown of Ft. Worth - over the week end were The Bill Browns of Ft. Worth. Tom and James Heidelberg of Breckenridge and the James Isenhowers of Coleman.

Miss Kathryn Ivie of Rock Springs spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Edith Ivie. Mr. and Mrs. Buford Green of Perryton are spending some time with the folks, the Calvin Kings and Ray Green.

Visiting Mrs. R. B. Taylor this week end have been a niece, Mrs. Ruth Barnett of Amarillo; a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones of San Antonio; a niece Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kunge of Ft. Worth; a grand-daughter and baby Heather.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lem-

mous of Abilene and sons. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of Weatherford and Homer Taylor of Sweetwater, visiting the George Weeks have been their granddaughters, Melba and Sherry Weeks of Baird; and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Norres Weeks of Baird.

Mrs. R. B. Taylor visited friends at Baird, Wed. and painted china with Maggie Cook.

Don't forget Saturday, March 26 is clean up day at the school house. Please come help clean for the homecoming which will be Saturday April 3rd.

**Moran News**

By Mrs. Luke Huskey

**RAIN**

Moran received about 2 1/2 inches of rain the first of last week. Saturday afternoon about 8/10 of an inch fell, along with hail. The hail was not large enough to do any damage, but enough fell to cover the ground. The rains are making the vegetation grow and the country sides look beautiful.

Mrs. Morris Snyder, Mesquite District President, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Morris D. Snyder, Jr. and Mrs. W.V. Wheeler of Albany attended the Pieran Club's Texas Breakfast, March 12, at Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Knowles of Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Bartee of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Henry, Shawn and Aimee of Longview visited with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Floyd Knowles, and Kamber, during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shinn and children of Lexington, Oklahoma, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Moore, Mrs. Arlen Merritt, and Mr. and Mrs. Artie Wayne Merritt and baby attended the funeral for Clarence Brock in DeLeon, Sunday. Mr. Brock is a former minister of the Church of Christ in Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. O.K. Schooler and John had guest this week, Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Schooler of Tye, Mrs. Eleene Reynolds of Webster, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Jean Steward of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Weir of Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brewster spent a few days in Junction, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O.K. Schooler and John enjoyed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blount and children of Roswell, N.M., and Harold Gardner of Albany. They also visited with Emory Morris of Albany Nursing Home.

Mrs. Bobby Jackson of Arizona is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McKelvain.

Dick Cockrell is seriously

**Little League Try-Outs Are Planned For March 29th**

All of the more than 100 boys who signed up for the Little League will take part in try-outs for team assignments at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 29, LL President Randy Speegle reported after a board of directors meeting Monday night.

The league will field four teams instead of six as they had last year and this will require try-outs before players are assigned, the board decided. The 1983 league teams will be the Rangers, Astros, Braves and Giants. Each team will have a minor affiliate and, in addition, there will be two mini teams - the Cubs and the Jets.

Team managers and coaches will be announced after players are assigned, Mr. Speegle said.

Last Saturday's work-day program at the new Little League Park was a good success despite rainy weather, Mr. Speegle reported. Fence post holes were dug, steel pipe posts were cut and plac-

ed in Lackland Air Base Hospital, at San Antonio.

Mrs. Albert Morris is receiving treatment in Hendricks Hospital, Abilene.

**In Memoriam**

Dr. Norman Wallace, Jr., president of Cisco Junior College, acknowledged the contributions of the following memorials to the Cisco Junior College Memorial Endowment Fund: Mr. and Mrs. John Muller and Mr. and Mrs. Ike Watts, in memory of Steve Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. John Muller in memory of A.B. Allen.



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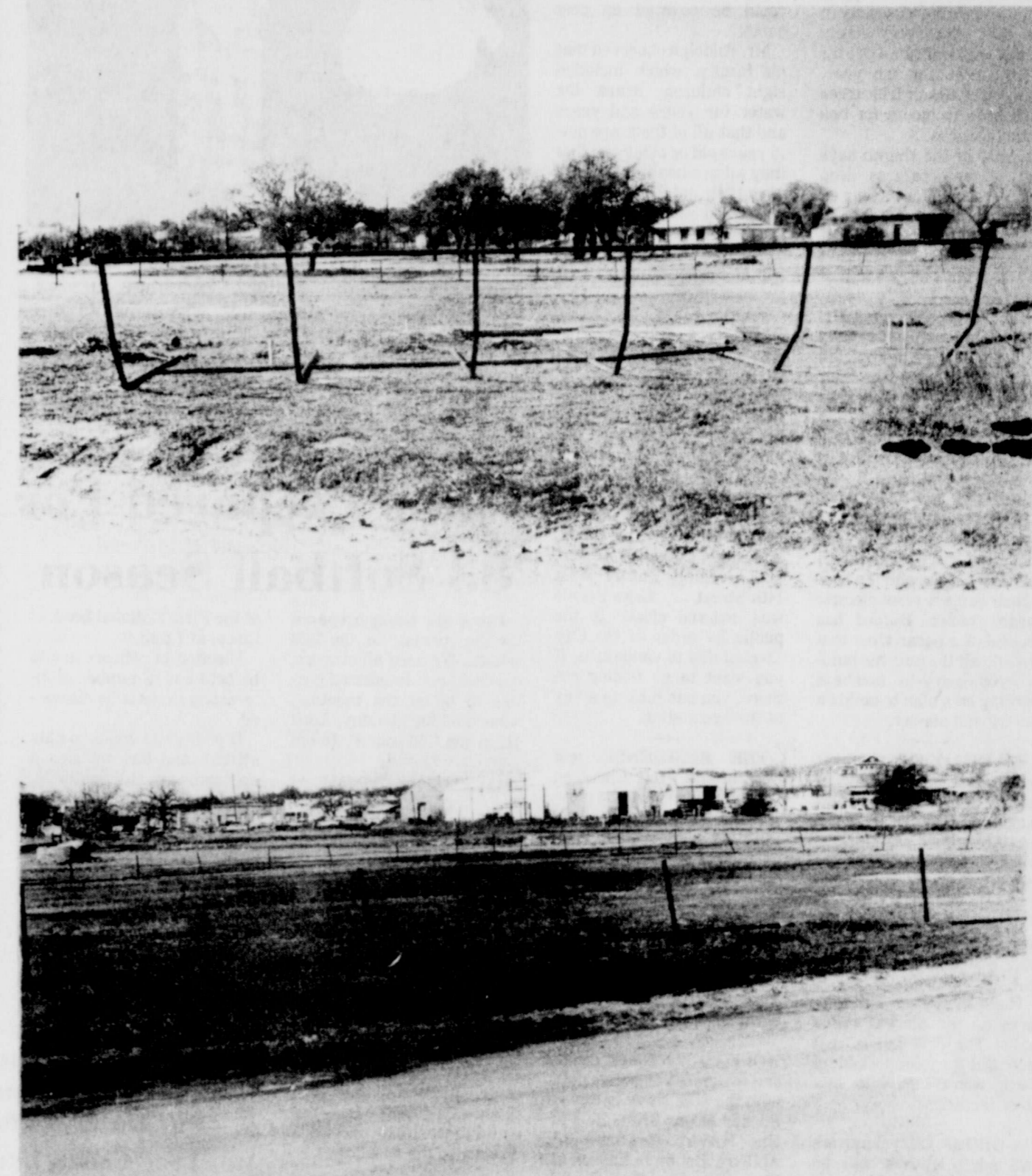
Those helping with the work included Jerry Jeff-

coat, Ralph Berry, Jack Phillips, Bobby Rains, Jackie Witt, Harold Sted-

Whitley, Steve Cozart and Randy Speegle.

Another work day will be held Saturday, March 26,

Mr. Speegle said. Anyone interested in the Little League program was invited to participate.

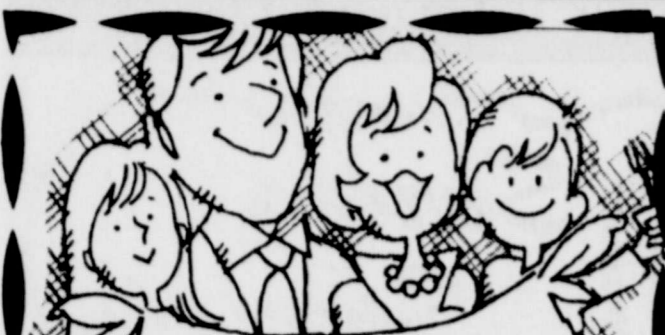


INITIAL WORK on Cisco's newest Little League baseball field started last Saturday when volunteer workers showed up at the site just south of the present Rylee Field on Avenue B. Saturday's workers started putting up posts for the fence and they also worked on a backstop for the field. In the background of these photos can

be seen the area which was recently cleared off by City of Cisco crews to make way for a new city park. Trees were pushed down and an old tank was filled in by the crews. Another work day for the Little League group is planned for this coming Saturday after 8 a.m. (staff photo)

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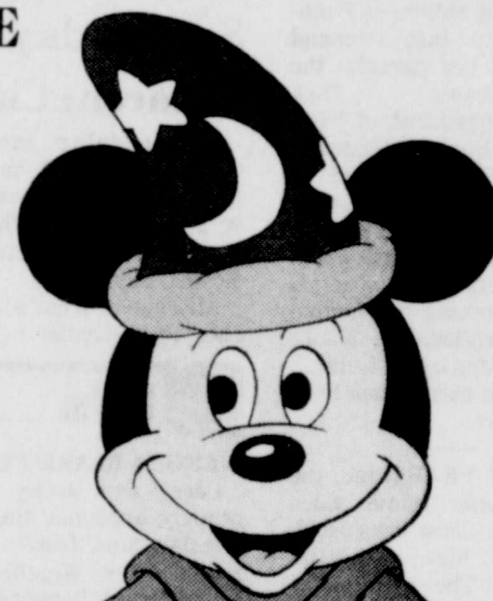
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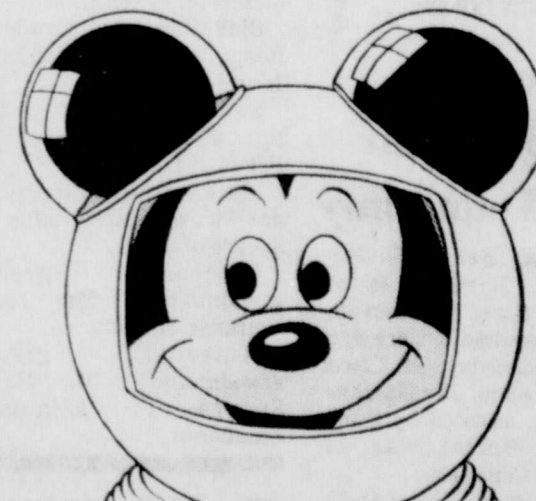
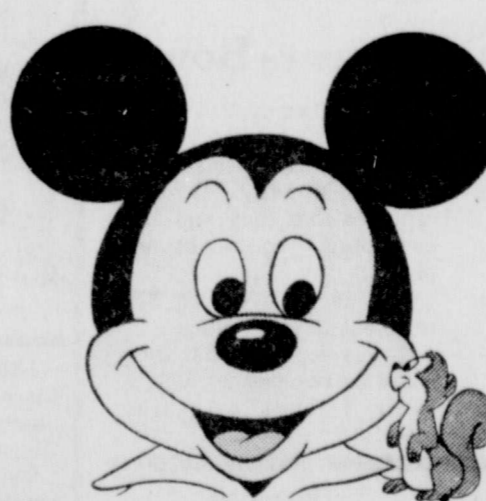
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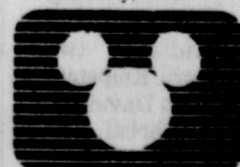


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## Companies Describe State Of The Oil & Gas Industry

MIDLAND—Company and association executives representing all segments of the petroleum industry zeroed in on natural gas policy and possible new energy taxes as chief concerns this year as they discussed a crowd of more than 350 at the Railroad Commission's annual "state of the oil and gas industry" hearing at the Hilton Inn here.

In the crude oil arena, representatives of the major oil companies active in Texas were in general agreement that the present glut of crude oil would not last much longer as companies finish drawing down existing stocks and begin buying again in the international marketplace. "Inventories have been drawn down to such low levels that there's

almost no way to go but up," said Gordon Hillhouse of Sun Co., Inc.

C.S. Nicandros, a Conoco vice president, said, "as a result of stock reductions alone, I believe that the stage is set for a return to a more balanced market even if OPEC is unable to enforce strict production quotas. There are simply too many people who have held off buying crude for too long."

Looking ahead to the remainder of 1983, Nicandros forecast a return to a more balanced market by the third quarter of the year as inventory drawdowns run their course, supply is held in check and demand stabilizes.

Many of the oil industry executives placed decontrol of natural gas without related increases in energy taxes at the top of their corporate priority lists although most wanted to see some changes in the administration's decontrol proposal.

"So far in this administration, the red-tape cutters have done well by the con-

sumer," said Mobil president Allen E. Murray. "Two years of full decontrol for crude oil and petroleum products have brought out additional supplies, moderated demand, and provided a real incentive for conservation. And that's something to bear in mind as natural gas deregulation is debated."

But Murray and others said a windfall profits tax

proposed for gas and other selective taxes on the oil industry under discussion in several states could eliminate any gains from decontrol. "All of these tax schemes are bad ideas whose time only seems to have come because of today's glut and easing prices. But what of tomorrow? Prices will turn upward eventually and today's glut

will eventually vanish like yesterday's shortage," he said.

According to B.L. Choate, senior vice president of Gulf Oil, "The U.S. has learned a hard lesson from previous market controls - consumers inevitably pay more when prices are regulated by law and not the market. Companies should be allowed to succeed or fail based on how

well they anticipate and react to market forces. Supply and demand should guide the market, the rigid laws and regulations."

A different perspective was contributed by Chester B. Bengel, Jr., president of the International Association of Drilling Contractors who described his segment of the industry as hard hit but meeting the challenges.

"Hopefully these hard times, especially if they do not linger too long, will trim the fat from our business and we will enter the next upturn leaner and better able to do the best possible job for our operator customers."

Independent oilman Clayton Williams said disruption in the natural gas markets was especially tough on the smaller operators. "For the first time I see something that might force Claytie to drop his 800 employees down to two," he said.

But Williams did see some hope in decontrol. "If we can

grind through the transition to free enterprise, we'll come out better, leaner, and meaner," he said. "But if the umbrella of federal regulation comes down, it would be the worst possible thing for the industry."

Representatives from 26 producing and distributing companies and industry associations spoke at the Railroad Commission hearing.

## Rising Star Company Posts Figures

Southeastern Resources Corp. of Rising Star has posted initial production figures for the No. 5 M.K. Courtney-A-, new oil well in the JMJ Field, five miles northwest of Eastland.

The well indicated potential for 5 barrels of oil and 180,000 CF casinghead gas on an open choke. With drillsite in a 480-acre lease in Eastland County's H&TC RR Co. Survey, Blk. 4, the well had total drilling depth of 4,958 feet and will produce from a set of perforations 3,562 to 4,110 feet into the wellbore.

At a location 10 miles southwest of Ranger, Wallace Co. of Houston has completed the No. 1 Church "A", new oil well in the Eastland Regular Field.

Drillsite was in a 160-acre lease in Eastland County's Andrew Tarter Survey.

The well showed daily potential for 5 barrels of oil per day on an open choke. Production will be from an interval 3,293 to 3,400 feet. Well's total depth was 3,913 feet, with top of pay logged at 3,291 feet.

Two new gas wells with combined potential for over 3,200,000 CF per day have been completed in Palo Pinto County's O'Laughlin Field. M.O. Rife Jr. of Fort Worth was operator on both ventures.

The wells are in a 1,300-ft. lease in the S.F. Harding Survey, about five miles west of the Graford townsite.

They are designated as the No. 82 and No. 85 McMurrey "D."

Stronger of the two, the No. 85 showed potential for 2,223,000 CFD on a 1-in. choke and was rated at 2,900,000 CFD on absolute open flow. It bottomed at 4,411 feet and will produce from perforations 4,312 to 4,318 feet.

The No. 82 came in showing 923,000 CFD potential on a .75-in. choke. On open flow, it was rated at an even 1,000,000 CFD. This well was drilled to 4,365-ft. TD. The production interval after plugback will be 2,879 to 2,900 feet into the wellbore.

Sun Exploration and Production of Oklahoma City has filed for permit to drill the No. 198 J.N. Stuart "A" in the Palo Pinto Regular Field five miles northwest of Strawn. With projected total depth of 3,800 feet, the well is in a 3,228-acre lease assembly in the W.J. Betterford and AB&M Surveys.

Vortt Exploration of Fort Worth has requested permit to deepen the No. 1 Lawson-Stasid in the South Mineral Wells Field. Newly proposed depth is 3,000 feet. The well is in a 156-acre lease block in the F.H. Gray Survey, four miles south of the city limits.

A wildcat gas well as been completed in Stephens County two miles south of Caddo. It is the No. 1 Berry, a venture of Eastland-based Triple-R Oiland Gas.

The well flowed at the rate of 438,000 CF gas per day on a 1.1-in. choke. It was rated at 1,700,000 CFD on open flow.

It went to total depth of 3,000 feet and will produce from a set of perforations 2,752 to 2,787 feet into the wellbore. Location is in a 160-acre unit in the T&PRR Survey.

Operating out of Temple, Tex., Shane Oil Corp. has posted first production figures for the No. 7 Cook Heirs of Stephens County's South Frankel Field, three miles south of the Caddo community.

The well showed ability to pump at the rate of 24 barrels of crude per day on a two-inch choke. Tubing pressure was 50 PSI.

Shane took the hole 1,722-ft. bottom and perforated for production in the Strawn Formation, 1,614 to 1,623 feet into the hole. Drillsite was in a 925-acre lease block in the T&PRR Survey.

Location has been staked for a 2,500-ft. developmental well in the Stephens Regular Field six miles east-southeast of Ivan. It is the No. 1 WDW-MOK, a venture of Wes-Mor Drilling Inc. of Graham. The operation will be in a 320-acre unit in the TE&L Survey, Stephens County.

T.L.S. Oil Inc. of Round Rock has filed for permit to drill the No. 1-T.B.F. Dudley,

a projected 1,300-foot wildcat for oil, 10 miles southwest of Cisco. The venture will be in a 146-acre lease in Eastland County's Mary Ann Clark Survey, Lot 8.

The No. 8 Mitcham Estate "H" is slated to be drilled in the DRS Field by EnRe Corp. of Cisco. With projected total depth of 4,200 feet, it will be spudded in a 640-acre lease of the SPRR Survey, Sec. 493, 10 miles northwest of Cisco, in Eastland County.

Pumping at the rate of 7 barrels of oil per day, the No. R.H. Danley has been completed by North Ridge Corp. of Grand Prairie, in the Ranger Field.

Located six miles northwest of Ranger, the well is in a 111-acre lease block of Eastland County's Mary Fury Survey, A-127.

The well was drilled to a total depth of 3,688 feet, after entering the pay zone at 3,600 feet. It will produce from a perforated interval of 3,601 to 3,607 feet into the hole.

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The pamphlet is published by the State Property Tax Board under provisions of the Texas Property Tax

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The pamphlet explains in detail the residence homestead exemptions offered by various taxing units, including the amounts of each exemption and what it takes to qualify for and receive them.

For example, all homeowners in a school district are eligible for a \$5,000 general residence homestead exemption. Also, certain disabled taxpayers and those aged 65 or over may qualify for an additional \$10,000 exemption from the value of their homesteads.

"A taxpayer who was 65 or older on January 1 of this year is also entitled to a tax freeze or ceiling on the tax bill from the school district on his house and yard. This ceiling is established when a taxpayer receives the over-65 school homestead exemption."

Homeowners who received the elderly exemption and tax freeze from the school district last year need not apply again this year. Only those who became 65 during 1983 and those who have never been granted the exemption and freeze must apply for 1983.

Homeowners may also be eligible for a \$3,000 general homestead exemption for

county tax purposes. This exemption is granted on the portion of county tax levied for farm-to-market roads and flood control.

Local taxing units may adopt a general "percentage" homestead exemption. Approved by Texas voters as a constitutional amendment in 1981, this exemption can be granted for any percentage up to 40 percent off the appraised value of residence homesteads.

School boards, city councils and county commissioners must take official action for this exemption, after careful review of the taxing unit's needs and taxable property.

Additional exemptions are available upon application to disabled veterans.

Owners of agricultural land which was taxed for 1982 on its productivity value under 1-d-1 open-space provisions do not have to reapply this year. However, applications must be filed by May 2 for land to be taxed for 1983 under 1-d agricultural-use provisions, and by landowners who have not previously received either kind of productivity valuation.

"More complete information on special land valuation, tax reductions and exemptions is available from appraisal district personnel as well as the pamphlet."

The "Remedies" pamphlet also contains information about the appraisal

review board (ARB) which serves to equalize all property values in the district. This section of the pamphlet outlines the steps for making a protest to the ARB and suggests ways to prepare and present the appeal.

Another section deals with the process of initiative and referendum by which voters are now able to petition for an election to limit the

amount of tax increase by any taxing unit.

"District residents are encouraged to review the pamphlet and to make any applications required, in order to get all the tax relief to which they are entitled. Remember, applications must be filed with the appraisal office by May 2 when the rendition period ends," the chief appraiser said.

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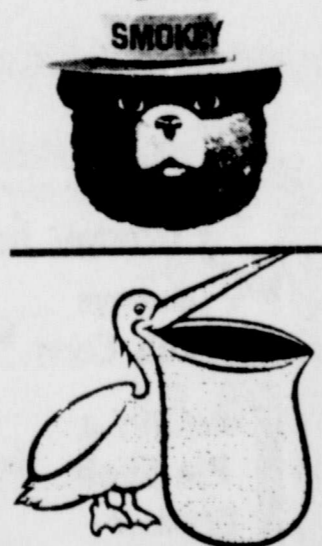
To meet with counsel on your Social Security you can find them on these days. Eastland in the Courthouse Basement April 5 and 19, May 3 and 17 and June 7 and

21 at 10:00 a.m. in Cisco at the Chamber of Commerce on April 13 and 27, May 11 and 25, and June 8 and 22 at 1:30 p.m. in Gorman at the Senior Citizen Ctr. on April 25, May 23 and June 27 at 1:00 p.m. in Ranger on April 13 and 27, May 11 and 25 and June 8, and 22 in Joseph Building on Main Street at 10:00 a.m. in Rising Star at the City Hall at 10:00 a.m. on April 25, May 23 and June 27.

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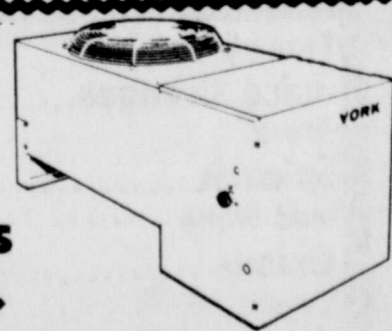


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 BUDGET MINDED - 2 SOLD equity & assume FHA loan. E15  
 MUST SELL 3 bdr., frame home close to schools. E15  
 LARGE BRICK 3 bdr., 2 lots, landscaped, fenced. E16  
 REMODELED frame 3 bdr., central heat. Neat. E8  
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 MOBILE HOME, 3 lots, 3 bdr., 2 bath. G1  
 MUST SELL large home, garden spot, cellar. G2

**OTHER**  
 COZY BUNGALOW-two br. on corner lot. Cisco. O2  
 CISCO, partially remodeled 3 bdr. 1 bath. O4  
 RISING STAR, 1900's home needs TLC, on 8 Ac. O5

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 5 AC., 2 Bdr., 1 bath home in Olden. HA6  
 8.41 AC. edge of Eastland, 2 bdr. home, city water. HA7  
 SPACIOUS BRICK home on 4.38 ac. Lake Leon area. HA9  
 RANGER, rock home on 1 ac. up to 21 ac. Nice. HA10  
 CROSS PLAINS, 116 ac., custom brick home. HA11  
 207 1/2 A.C. NW of Eastland, 2750 sq. ft. lovely home. HA13  
 CISCO, 4 bdr., 2 1/2 bath home on 10 acres. HA15

**ACREAGE**  
 100 AC. m/1 SE of Carbon, improved grasses, water. A1  
 .725 AC. So. access of I-20, near 2 exits. A2  
 .7 TO 1.2 ACRES, Near C.L., city water, excellent homesteads. A3  
 SMALL tracts So. of Eastland, building sites. A4  
 78 ACRES, Necessity Comm., 2 tanks, some minerals. A6  
 12 1/2 AC. near Lake Leon on pavement. Staff water. A7  
 60 AC. SW of Cisco, 45 ac. cleared, rest timber. A8  
 1.1683 AC., OLDEN. Wooded homestead. A9  
 TWO 8 AC. tracts SW of Cisco, good coastal. A10  
 167 1/2 AC. 70 ac. field, rest pasture, tanks, well. A14  
 30.87 AC. on FM571 SE of Lake Leon, trees, minerals. A15  
 20.12 AC W/I-20 frontage, Ranger. Pens, shed, tanks. A16  
 RISING STAR, 8 ac. w/older home, owner carry. A17

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 OFFICE BLDG. on Seaman, owner carry. C1  
 4-PLEX APTS. 2 bdr., 1 or 1 1/2 baths. FHA. C2  
 3 RENTALS, large lot, fenced, garage. C3  
 OFFICE BLDG., 2 lots on Commerce St. C4  
 HWY. 80 E. near I-20, large bldg. 1/2 ac. C5  
 MAIN ST., Eastland, 6 rooms or re-do. C6  
 BRECKENRIDGE, bldg. & older station on 2 1/2 lots. C7  
 N. SEAMAN, stucco bldg., 3 blks. from square. C8

# Courthouse Report

THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1983

**Marriage License**  
Gene Edward Ellison and Morine Hatcher  
Ronald Lee Vass and Audie Jean Vass  
Wendell Lee LeFlore and Gloria Jean Watson  
Kirk David Arnold and Donna Beth Rodgers  
Terry Warren Mahoney and Brenda Kay Weise  
Amfac Distribution Inc. dba To Joe Herring Ind. & dba Abstract of Judg. Norman Boggs To West Tex. Utilities Co. Right of Way  
J.T. Weggs To West Tex. Utilities Co. Right of Way  
Arley J. Bibby To 1st St Bk-Rising Star Deed of trust

Roy Barnhill To The Public Cert. of Corp. Res.  
Robert Emmett Boyie, Dec'd To The Public Certified Copy Probate  
R.E. Boyie, Dec'd To The Public Afdt Sweetie J. Boyle To 1st City Natl Bk-Midland M/D  
Bryant Realtors, Inc. To Ken M. Bryant & Wife Warranty Deed  
Ken M. Bryant & Wife To Abilene Natl Bk Deed of trust  
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Linton Batteas & Wife To W.D. Batteas MML  
W.D. Batteas To First Natl Bk, Cisco Trans. MML  
Bruce Lee Barney To Johnny Charles Jones Rel. Deed of trust  
Zetta Herring Byrd & Husband, both Dec'd To The Public Proof of Heirship Etna Notgrass Compton, Dec'd To The Public Power of Atty.  
J.C. Carr To West Texas Utilities Co. Right of Way  
Johnny Cagle To West Texas Utilities Co. Right of Way  
J.D. Carr To West Texas Utilities Co. Right of Way  
Jim D. Carruth & Wife To 1st St Bk of Ranger Deed of trust  
Cecil Camp & Others To James P.

Maxwell Warranty Deed  
Continental Natl Bk of Ft. Worth To Howard Wayne Const. Co. Inc. Par. Rel. of D-T  
Citizen's Natl Bk of B ridge To Raymond Thornton & Wife Rel. of D-T  
Custom Construction, Inc. To 1st St Bk-Rising Star Trans MML  
J.D. Carr & Wife To John C. Jones & Wife Warranty Deed  
Cody Vance Cox & Wife To Billy John Keith & Wife Warranty Deed  
Louise Cooper & Others To The Public Afdt  
Alden Cathey & Others Trustee To The Public Restrictions  
Citizen's Natl Bk-Bridge To J. Patrick O'Leary & Wife Rel. Deed of Trust  
Frances Cox Dec'd To The Public Certified Copy Probate  
Mildred M. Drake, Dec'd To The Public Certified Copy Probate  
T.W. Dodd, Dec'd To The Public Afdt H/S  
Dowell Div. Dow Chem. USA To C.L. Tyra Abstract of Judgment  
Mary E. Drommer To Larry G. Gerhardt & Wife Warranty Deed  
Ollie Mae Eppler, Dec'd To The Public Certified Copy Probate  
Fred Erwin & Wife To Dewey Struck

MML  
City of Eastland To Charles Underwood & Wife Warranty Deed  
Sloan Ellis To Mark G. Kalpakis MML Afdt  
First St Bk of Ranger To Alsup Dev. Inc. Rel. Deed of trust  
First St Bk of Ranger To Alsup Dev. Inc. Rel. Deed of trust  
Falcon Sciences, Inc. To Tidewater Comp. Serv. MML Afdt  
Eddie Lee Fisher, Dec'd To The Public Afdt H/S  
Lauraw E. Fraley, Dec'd To The Public Inher. Tax Cert.  
Marita Jane Foreman & Husband To Michael L. Anderson & Wife Warranty Deed  
James P. Maxwell To Cecil Camp & Others Deed of trust  
Doris A. Green To Alfred E. Green Warranty Deed  
Alfred E. Green To Dora A. Green Deed of trust  
J.D. Green To Louella Green Power of Atty.  
Lorolla Green Ind. & A/F To Alfred E. Green Warranty Deed  
Krean Jean Green To Tillie Pullman Warranty Deed  
Jerry W. Graham & Wife To Wanda Kay Warren Warranty Deed  
Joe Housson & Wife To Quality Builders MML  
Housing & Urban Dev. To Wm. B. Griffith & Wife Spec. Warranty Deed  
Vernon G. Hill AKA & Wife To Federal Land Bank Deed of trust  
Elton D. Heath To Vera Pearson & Others Quit Claim Deed  
Robert Harrel To American Natl Bank Deed of trust  
J.B. Hunt To Leslie Oil & Gas Co. Inc. R.R. Comm. Abandon Well  
Joel Ingram & Wife To The Public Afdt  
John Charles Jones & Wife To The Public Afdt  
Johnny Charles Jones & Wife To L.W. Leach & Wife Warranty Deed  
Jameco, Inc. dba To Western Oil & Minerals Abstract of Judg.  
Eddie Jack King & others Cecil Camp & Others Warranty Deed  
H.H. Knipe To Lorena G. Knipe Warranty Deed

Betty Kimbro & Others To Thomas M. Kimbro Warranty Deed  
Lannie C. Keilar & Wife To Marcia Pack Warranty Deed  
Tommy Lee To West Tex. Utilities R/W  
Henry Lind To 1st St Bk-Ranger Trans. MML  
A.J. Lamb & Wife To William Charley Lamb Warranty Deed  
Norma Boyd Murdock To West Tex. Utilities R/W  
Vera Adelle Martin To Desdemona Baptist Church W/D  
James M. Massey & Wife To 1st St Bk-Ranger Deed of trust  
J.D. May & Wife To R.J. Development, Inc. W-D & V-L  
James P. Maxwell To Cecil Camp & Others Deed of trust  
Mattel, Inc. To Stereo Central, Inc. Rel. Abstract of Judg.  
Charles A. Moore & Wife To Custom Const. Ltd. MML  
Carl E. Nolen To 1st St Bk-Rising Star Assn Lien  
Debbie Lynn Norman To James E. Wheat Warranty Deed  
Pioneer Electronics of Am. To Stereo Central Inc. Rel. of A-J  
Mavel Ruby Puling To Virginia P. Stone Power of Atty.  
Wm. Rudolph Richter & Wife To 1st Natl Bk-Cleburne Deed of trust  
Horace A. Rohloff & Others To Curtis B. Posey & Wife Warranty Deed  
John Roe & Others, dba To Henry Lind MML  
Mrs. Ted A. Rogers To Bea Kruger Warranty Deed  
Darrel F. Rhodes To Royce L. Parsley & Wife Bill of Sale  
Jess L. Simmons To The Public Afdt  
Jerry Benjamin Scott, Dec'd To The Public Certified Copy Probate  
S. Payton Scott & Wife To 1st St Bk, Rising Star Deed of trust  
State of Texas to Arley J. Bibby & Wife Deed  
State of Texas To Tarek Hawari & Others Rel. State Tax Lien  
Carol Senkel dba & Others To 1st Natl Bk-Gorman Deed of trust  
Forrest Wahl Snyder, Jr. To The Public Afdt

Southwest State Bank To The Public Afdt  
Homer L. Sims To Dean Dennis & Wife Warranty Deed  
Dewey Struck To 1st St Bk-Ranger Trans. MML  
Southern S&L Ass'n. to B.E. Hanson & Wife Rel. Deed of trust  
Lloyd Swindle To 1st Natl Bk-Cisco Trans. MML  
State of Texas & Others To Ranger Hill Cafe & Others Abstract of Judg.  
Flora A. Smith To Doyle Williams Quit Claim Deed  
Ray Thornhill Ser. & Others VS To GT Oil & Gas Notice Lis. Pend.  
Veteran's Land Board To Don H. Bentley Deed  
Cora M. White To Derrell Wade White Warranty Deed  
Cora M. Shite To Mary Lois Dudley Warranty Deed  
Elizabeth M. Whittet, Dec'd To The Public Certified Copy Probate  
Elizabeth M. Whittet, Dec'd To The Public Death Cert.  
Walt's Advertising To The Public Assumed Name  
West Tek. Ass'n of Ch. of God To Lone Star Gas Co. F/S  
Wanda K. Warren To Jerry W. Graham & Wife Warranty Deed  
Wells Fargo Bank NA To Jumas Oil Part. Corp. Part. Rel. D-T  
New Vehicle Registrations  
Peggy Hammer Chev. 2 Dr. Eastland  
A.C. Underwood Ford 4 Dr. Ranger  
Robert L. Carroll Chev. Pu. Eastland  
Oliver B. Moon Buick 2 Dr. Eastland  
B.D. Yancy Chev. Pu. Ranger  
Billy Self Chev. Pu. Gorman  
Three S Oil Co. Chev. Pu. Gorman  
A.L. Hunter Chev. 4 Dr. Gorman  
Sam C. Reeves Chev. Pu. Abilene  
Benton Pruet Chev. Pu. Baird  
Amber McLaughlin Olds 2 Dr. Baird  
Harold R. Hall Chev. Pu. Desdemona  
Tex. Seal of Houston Chev. 4 Dr. Arlington  
J.W. Vinson Ford Pu. Ranger  
Don Lowrance Buick 2 Dr. Eastland  
J.W. Eudson Ford Pu. Eastland

Phillip Milton Buick 2 Dr. Center Point  
D.R. McInnis Ford Pu. Cross Plains  
Dan H. Wilks Chev. Pu. Cisco  
Jaye C. Jarrett Chev. 2 Dr. San Antonio  
Instruments Filed Dist. Clerk's Office  
Larry Sanders Speeding  
Ronnie Sandlin Speeding  
Jack Hailley Speeding  
Donald E. Landers Speeding  
Kevin A. Templeton Speeding  
Joe Cabral Reyes Unlawfully Carrying Weapon  
Rogelio Lago Possession of Marijuana Less Than Two ounces  
Tina Evans Theft over \$5.00 and under \$20.00  
Eric Mayfield Driving While Licenses Suspended  
Charles E. King Speeding  
Billy Bob Gore DWI  
Edward Wayne James DWI  
Brian D. Paxton Speeding  
Kenneth P. McCulloch van Stop Sign  
Judy Ann Uselton vs Billy Ray Uselton Divorce  
A.S. Franklin vs Margaret Franklin Divorce  
Daniel Wayne Jackson vs Dora Kathleen Jackson Divorce  
Estate of T.W. Pittman, Dec'd To Probate Will  
First State Bank, Rising Star vs W.D. Hill Promissory Note  
Wyatt G. Davenport, Jr. vs Abbie Joe Downing & Others Receivership  
Jay Edward Adie, Jr. vs Iva Kathleen Adie Divorce  
Larry Lee Ferrell vs Kimberly Jan Ferrell Divorce  
Katherine Talbott vs Michael Earl Talbott Divorce  
The State of Texas vs Adella Nunez Bond Forfeiture  
The State of Texas vs Bobby Neil McClain Bond Forfeiture  
The State of Texas vs Eddie Joe Harvey Bond Forfeiture  
The State of Texas vs Tommy Jo Sanders Bond Forfeiture  
Carol T. Woods vs Ruby Ethel Edwards Woods Annulment

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# Homestead Exemptions Available

The burden of property taxes for 1983 can be reduced for taxpayers in Eastland County Appraisal District who take advantage of various residence homestead exemptions available in Texas, but some homeowners may need to file initial applications with the district appraisal office by May 2 this year.

According to Steve Thomas, chief appraiser for the district, provisions of the Texas Property Tax Code now permit a one-time initial application for residence homestead exemptions rather than requiring annual application as previously.

However, taxpayers who have never received a residence homestead exemption on the homes they now live in, and those who became 65 years old or disabled during 1982 must make the one-time application this year in order to receive exemptions for 1983.

A residence homestead is a structure, together with improvements and land, used by the owner for residential purposes. To qualify for homestead exemptions, a property must meet four tests:

(1) It must be owned by the person or persons claiming the exemption; (2) it must be designed or adapted for human residence; (3) it must actually be used a

residence, and (4) it must be occupied as the principal residence of an owner who qualifies for the exemption.

A mobile home, if it fills the requirements, can be claimed as a homestead, even if it is on leased land.

A taxpayer can still qualify for the exemptions if a portion of his residence is used for other purposes, such as a business in the home. And the home will not lose the exemption if the owner moves away temporarily, provided he intends to return and does not claim a homestead somewhere else."

Among the various types of homestead exemptions provided by Texas tax law are two which must be granted by a school district to taxpayers who qualify. School districts offer a \$5,000 general homestead exemption to all homeowners and an additional \$10,000 exemption to those who are 65 years of age or older or who are disabled.

An advantage associated with the over-65 school exemption is that elderly homeowners receive a "tax freeze", or "ceiling", on the school taxes they are assessed in the first year of qualification. Although the appraised value of these homesteads may fluctuate with the market, taxes due

the school district will not increase. An exception to the ceiling is the addition of an improvement, other than repairs or general maintenance. In this case, the value of the new improvement will be taxed at current market value and tax rate and the taxes due will be added to the previous tax amount to create a new ceiling.

The over-65 homeowner has to apply for the over-65 school tax exemption in order to get the ceiling. The homeowner must be over-65

school tax exemption in order to get the ceiling. The homeowner must be 65 years old or more on January 1, 1983 to qualify for the elderly exemption and tax freeze.

Counties must offer a \$3,000 general homestead exemption to all taxpayers, granted only on the portion of the county tax levied for farm-to-market roads and/or flood control.

Any taxing unit's governing body may vote to offer an exemption of a minimum \$3,000 on the homesteads of disabled and/or elderly tax-

payers. Only in school district, however, is a tax freeze established for taxes on over-65 homesteads.

In addition, many taxing units may be offering a local-option homestead exemption based on a percentage of the home's value. Because of a constitutional amendment passed in 1981, any taxing unit may exempt up to 40 percent of the value of all homesteads in the unit. No matter what the percentage, the dollar amount of exemption must be at least \$5,000. This exemption is granted at the option of each taxing

unit's governing body.

For more information about any of the homestead

exemptions, homeowners may contact the Eastland County Appraisal District

located at Eastland County Courthouse 2nd floor, 629-8597.

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# Eastland County Livestock Show Sale Sets Record

The Eastland County Livestock Show Sale topped previous records last Saturday night. The sale brought Eastland County 4-H and FFA youth, a total of \$108,409. Last year's sales totaled \$84,000. A total of 197 market animals were sold. Only the top 50% of each class was eligible for this sale.

Parti Port Petroleum purchased Jim Moylan's Grand Champion Steer for \$3,000 per pound. The steer weighed 1,315 pounds. Parti Port Petroleum included four local companies - W.A. Hill & Son Inc., Center Point Enterprises, Eastland Drilling and Omega Enterprises.

Randall Gibbs of Gorman sold his Grand Champion market hog to Brown's Feed Store for \$2.25 per pound. His hog weighed 258 pounds.

The Grand Champion Lamb, owned by Stephanie Koch of Ranger was purchased by the First State Bank for \$2.40 per pound. The lamb weighed 102 pounds.

McDougal Livestock Auction of Comanche purchased Sam Scott's pen of three champion broilers for \$400.00.

The Reserve Grand Champion steer, exhibited by

Michael Cunningham of Ranger, sold to the First State Bank of Ranger for \$1.40 per pound. The First State Bank also purchased Jerry Brown's Reserve Grand Champion Market Hog and paid \$2.00 per pound. Columbia Packing purchased the Reserve Grand Champion lamb of exhibitor LaTonya Caraway of Gorman for \$5.00 per pound.

First National Bank of Gorman bought the Reserve Grand Champion broilers for \$375.00. They were owned by Noble Laminack of Gorman.

The Champion red market hog was sold to Birdsong Peanuts for \$2.50 per pound. The exhibitor was Wayne Warren of Gorman. John Woodall, owner of the Champion white market hog sold his animal to Lone Star Title Co. for \$2.45 per pound. Rebecca Owens of Rising Star sold her Reserve Champion red market hog to the Rising Star Livestock Raisers Association for \$2.65 per pound. The Reserve Champion white market hog owned by Josh Potter of Cisco sold his hog to Nimrod Operating Company for \$2.80 per pound.

Eastland Drilling paid \$2.40 per pound for the

Champion Fine Wool Lamb owned by Lee Lewis of Eastland. Dr. Paul Duncan paid \$2.40 per pound for the Reserve Champion Fine Wool Lamb owned by Jonna Rodgers of Carbon. The Champion Fine Wool Cross Lamb, owned by Nikki Warren of Gorman was purchased by Brown Feed Store for \$4.00 per pound. Ranger FFA Boosters paid \$2.00 per pound for Ranger's Josh Stewart's Reserve Champion Fine Wool Cross Lamb. Jack Roher paid \$4.60 per pound for Nikki Warren's champion Medium Wool lamb. Ranger merchants paid \$3.75 per pound for the Reserve Champion Southdown lamb owned by Brenda Eddleman of Ranger. Gorman Merchants paid \$3.25 per pound for the Reserve Champion Southdown Lamb owned by Allen Scitern of Gorman. The Reserve Champion Southdown Cross lamb which was owned by Stephen Scitern of Gorman sold to Gorman Merchants for \$3.25 per pound.

Jim Moylan's light weight Champion steer sold to Hoffmann's Ranch for \$2.70 per pound. The Reserve Champion Light Weight Steer own-

ed by Zack Wilcox of Gorman sold to Bob Carroll for \$1.25 per pound. The Columbia Packing Company of Dallas purchased all the hogs at a price of \$50.10 per hundred pounds. The Breckenridge Stockyards purchased the steers for \$62.50 per hundred pounds and paid \$60.50 per hundred pounds for the lambs.

The lower half of each class sold at the packer price if the exhibitor chose to sell. The top half of each class was auctioned and the stock show buyers paid the difference between their bid price and the packer price.

The following is a list of Stock Show buyers:

**EASTLAND**  
Charles Hutto, Bob Carroll Construction, Ron Carroll Electric, Dr. Paul Duncan, C&D Feed Store, Harrison Bros., King Motor Co., Production Credit Assoc., Barbara Love, Sunbelt Oil & Gas, Mo's Sports, Poe Floral, Hallmark Floral, B&W clinic, Hagood Electric & Big Log Homes, Moylan Construction, Buck Wheat Resources, Eastland National Bank, Williamson Ex-

xon, Hoffmann Ranch, Ball Oilfield, Martin Pipe Sales, Super Duper Grocery, Comanche County Co-Op, Mangum Service Center, Texas Electric, Miek Siebert, Eastland Drilling, Perkins Implement, H&R Lumber, Turner, Seaberry & Warford, Lone Star Title, Central Drug, M.H. Perry Insurance, Rossander Insurance, Allsup's, Edwards Funeral Home, Dixon Auto, Fullen Motor Co., Bakker Funeral Home, Best Western, Harold Owens, Eastland Savings, Parti Port Petroleum, Beaty Aviation, J.J. Finley, Taylor Center, Scott Body Works.

**CARBON**  
Carbon Lions Club, Carbon Booster Club, Granny's Grocery and Carbon Farm Supply.

**GORMAN**  
Jack Roher, Southwestern Peanut Growers, Higginbothams, Mauney Farm Supply, Sure Grow Liquid Feed, Gorman Milling, Corn Gold Sausage, First National Bank, Birdsong Peanuts, Gorman Merchants, Gorman Boosters, Easley Trucking Co., Harold Fritz, Brown Feed Store.

**RANGER**  
East Texas Pipe Service, Ranger Animal Clinic, Ranger FFA Boosters, First State Bank, Wesley Car Wash, Shane Oil Co., Jim Speaks Truck Service, John Gilmore Drilling, Don Edleman Welding.

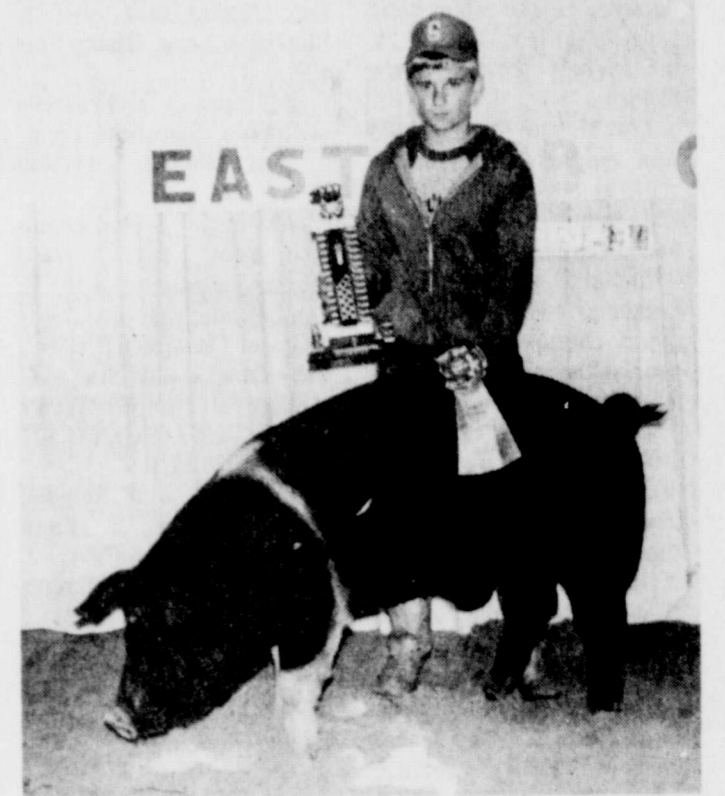
**CISCO**  
Nimrod Pipe Co., Ken McCullough, M&M Drilling, Nimrod Operating, Gilbrater Petroleum, Austin Oil, Travis Starr, Cisco Merchants, First National Bank, Walter Hall.

**RISING STAR**  
First State Bank, Rising Star Livestock Assoc., Bramlett Implement, Harris Ranch, Ricky Bailey - St. Transport, Peyton Scott, Pioneer Co-Op, Kelly Hill, O.T. Horten, Frazier Clark, Bob Clark, George Steel, Trails West, Bar Brahman - C.W. Richter and Gertrude, Jack Hubbard, Mark Clark, David and Marilyn Martin, Bibb Bros. Simenetal, Higginbotham Bros., Irvin Drilling, Brown County Animal Clinic, Winfrey Feed, West Texas Utilities, Kenneth and Ann Murdock, Tex Evans, Douglas Walker, Weldon Hill, Gene Hill, Loy Aldcorn.

**OUT OF COUNTY**  
Bob Rogers & Gibson

Pharmacy - Brownwood  
Dick Whittington - Dallas  
McDougal Livestock Auction - Comanche  
Moran National Bank  
Clyde Bookkeeping - Clyde  
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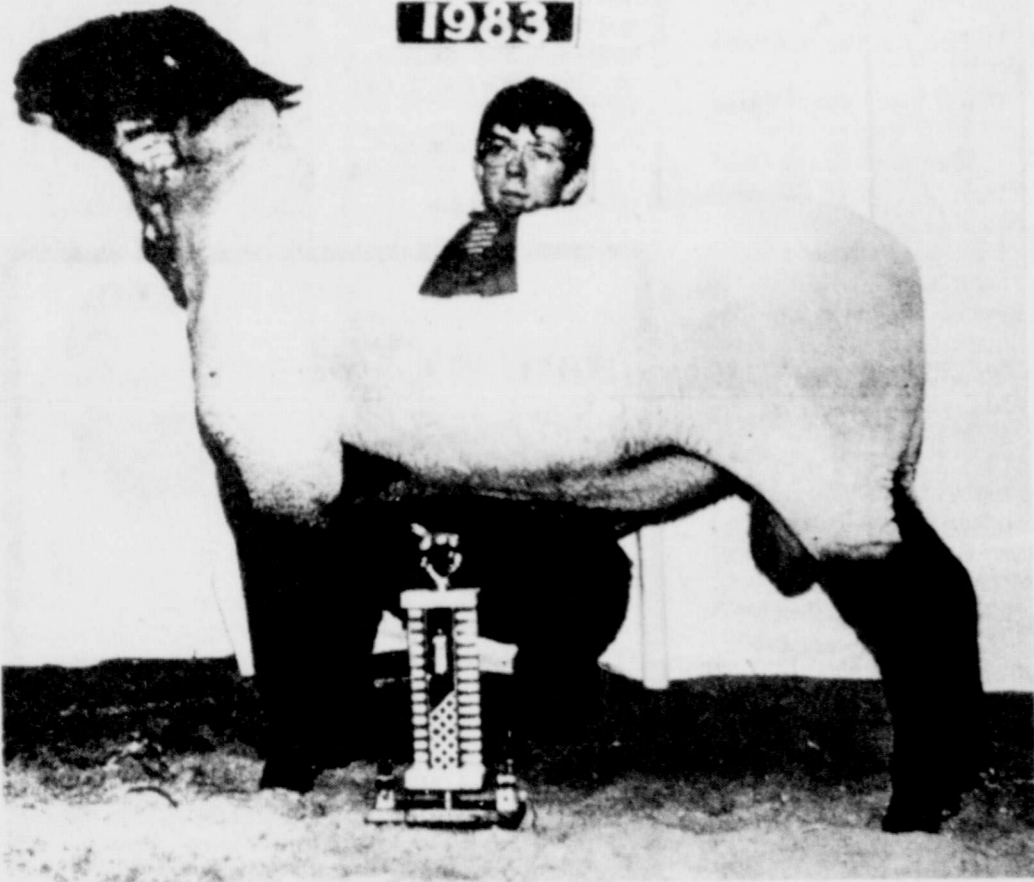
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**Randall Gibbs**  
Gorman

Grand Champion Market Hog

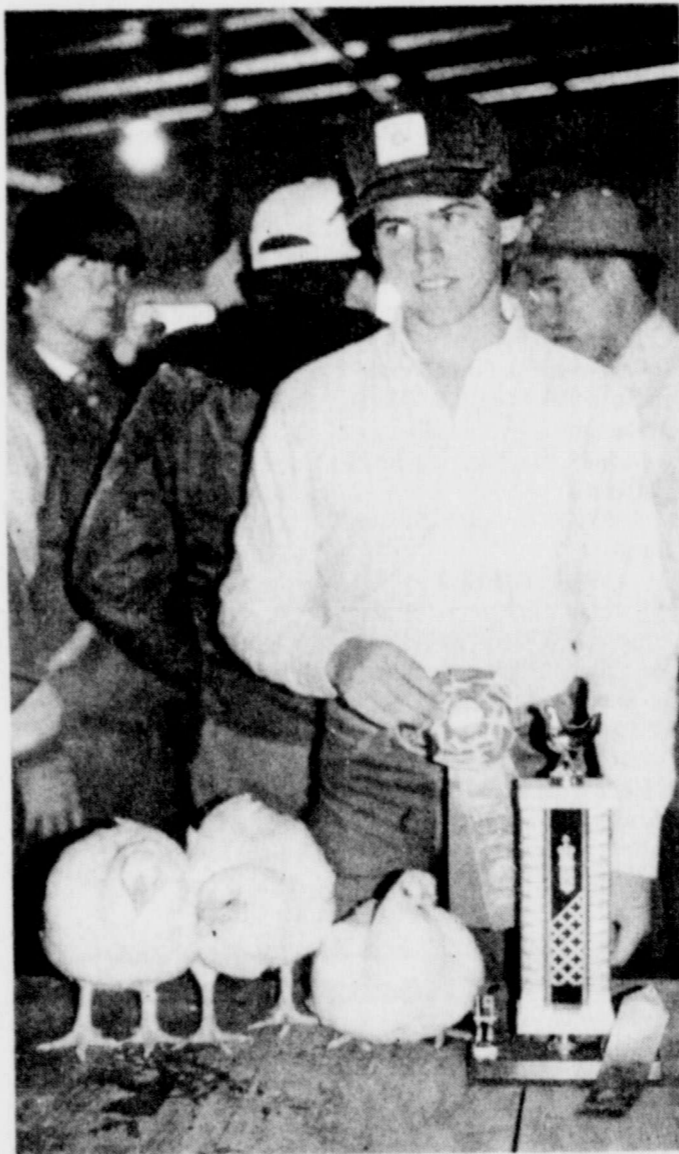
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**Tommy Claborn**

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Champion Suffolk Ram



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Grand Champion Market Broilers

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**Scott Anderson**

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Champion Southdown Ram



**Jim Moylan**

Eastland

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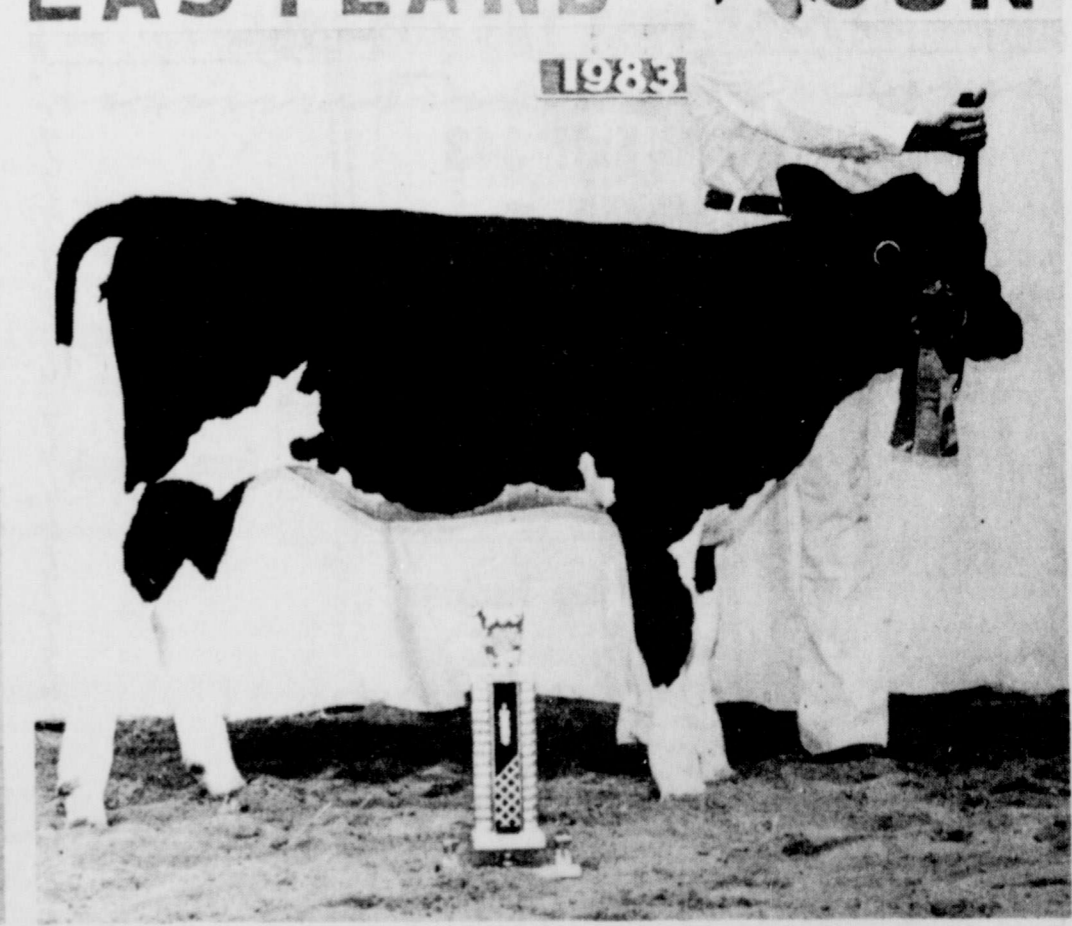


**Jonna Rodgers**

Carbon

Grand Champion Rabbit

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**Stacey Slampa**

Gorman

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