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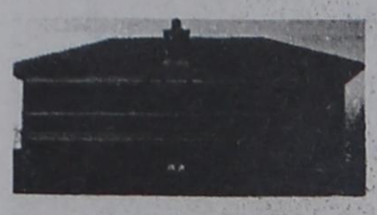

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Honor Roll - Baird Elementary School

The Baird Elementary School is proud to announce the Honor Roll for the 1st six weeks grading period of 2006-07. To qualify for the all A honor roll a student must have a 90 or above in every subject. To qualify for the A-B honor roll

All-A's

3rd-Barton
Austin Almanzar
Maegan Buchanan

3rd-Gardner
Cheyenne Hayes
Dillon Isenhower
Emily Waller

AB

3rd-Barton
Adam Mendez
Allison Robbins
Kalyn Smalley

3rd-Gardner
Layne Bell
Zach Gorham
Cory Mendez
Ambriel Ruelas
Daniel Saenz

All-A's

Gerngross-4th
Garrett Deel

Sheffield-4th
Kara McIntire

AB

Gerngross-4th
Dominique Bond
Preston Clark
Ra'ven Holden
Shane Lang

A-B

Sheffield-4th
Sam Green
Kaitlyn Robinson
J.J. Tate
Kaylee Wyatt

All-A's

Diller-5th
Kory Bjerke

T. Williams-5th

None

A-B

Diller-5th
Hayley Cook
Catherine Davis
Dakota Gibbs
Josh Gorham
Jake Green
Payton McGough

T. Williams-5th
Kaylee Voigts

The Baird Junior High is proud to announce the Honor Roll for the 1st six weeks grading period of 2006-07. To qualify for the all A honor Roll a student must have a 90 or above in every subject. To qualify for the AB honor Roll a student must have nothing below an 80.

6th Grade

All A's

Brenna Coffman
Candis Gilley
Esperanza Portillo
Kallie Pruet

7th Grade

All-A's

Melanie Cooper

8th Grade
All-A's

Alexis Almanzar
Cody Hunter
Yisrayl Martin
Michelle Robbins

6-th Grade
A-B

Kody Bryant
Nickalos Darnell
Sofia Dominguez
Rode Hargrove
Hannah Owens
Kenneth Perkovich
Alex Villareal
Rachel Villarreal

7th Grade

A-B

Brittany Cook
Russell Hess
Katelyn Mitchell
Courtney Ringhoffer
Charlcie Voigts

8th Grade
A-B

Jonathan Collins
Jarrod Cotton
Eric Ebeling
Colton Fox
Lauren Hare
Mackenzie Keller
Sara Kunick
Alex Neal
Elisha Pritchett
Jameson Rountree
Will Russell
Amber Wtitworth

Polling Locations for 2006-07 Fall Elections in Callahan County

Precinct #1, Clyde:
Clyde Lions Club
317 S. First St.
Clyde, TX 79510

Precinct #2, Eula:
Eula Lions Club
5776 F.M. 603
Clyde, TX 79510

Precinct #3, Baird:
Baird Housing Authority
401 Chestnut
Baird, TX 79504

Precinct #4, Cross Plains:
Cross Plains Community Center
108 Beech St.
Cross Plains, TX 76443

Precinct #5, Putnam:
Putnam Community Center
120 West Travis
Putnam, TX 76469

Precinct #6, Clyde:
Clyde Southside Baptist
641 Hunt St.
Clyde, TX 79510

Precinct #7, Oplin:
Oplin Community Center
8990 FM 2926
Clyde, TX 79510

Early Voting:
Baird Courthouse Room 102
100 W. 4th St.
Baird, TX 79504

Branch Early Voting:
Clyde Justice of Peace Office
208 Oak St.
Clyde, TX 79510

Branch Early Voting:
Cross Plains Justice of Peace Office
424 South Main
Cross Plains, TX 76443

Registration to Vote in November Election Deadline Oct. 10

*** SEPTEMBER 8, 2006**
People may start calling to request an application by mail - 325-854-1217
A person must specify which election they are requesting and qualified to receive a mail ballot for.

*** OCTOBER 10, 2006**
Last day a person may register to vote.

*** OCTOBER 23 - NOVEMBER 3, 2006**
Early voting in person. Note: Early Voting for all three elections will occur at the locations listed above.

*** OCTOBER 28, 2006 (SATURDAY)**
Extended Voting Hours ONLY.

***OCTOBER 31, 2006**
Last day a Mail Ballot may be mailed out.

*** NOVEMBER 7, 2006**
Election Day.

Please note that the last day a person may register to vote is Oct. 10. If you wish to register.

Callahan County SWCD is Now Taking Custom Map Orders

The Callahan County SWCD is proud to announce that we have recently purchased a plotter and is now offering to design maps for landowners, hunters, and interested indiviuals! The plotter will produce up to 36" maps in color or black/white. The cost will depend on the size and design of each individual map.

For more information on how to purchase a land map contact the Natural Resource Conservation office located at 141 W. 4th St. Baird, TX or Call (325) 854-1349, EXT 3. Order forms and information may also be obtained at the Albany NRCS at 325-762-2552, EXT. 3.

Brazos River Boys to Perform at Baird First Baptist Church

The Brazos River Boys will perform at the Baird First Baptist Church on Sunday, October 15th, to be a day of casual dress with a fish fry. Morning service will be at 11:00 a.m., and the firsh fry willl be at 12 noon with the concert starting at 1:30 p.m. There will be no evening service.

The Brazos Boys Quartet, an all male quartet based in Abilene, formed in 1999, has been delighting audiences all across West and Central Texas since the group's inception. The group gets its name from the popular West/Central Texas River known as the Clear Fork of the Brazos River. As the group was forming and coming up with name ideas, the original members

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Texas Dept. of State Health Services
Immunization Clinics in Callahan County

Monday, October 9th
Baird Cafetorium -- 400 W. 7th
10 until 12 a.m.

Cross Plains Housing Authority
233 N. Main
from 2 until 4 p.m.

Wednesday, October 11th
Clyde First Baptist Church
216 Austin
from 10 until 12 a.m. and 1:30 to 3 p.m.

Please bring Child's Immunization Records
For more Information: 325-754-4945

American Red Cross Needs Your Help

With the extreme heat and drought conditions, the American Red Cross has found itself busier than usual responding to a rash of wildfires across the Big Country.

As of August 21, most people are aware that the American Red Cross responds to large disasters such as tornadoes and hurricanes, and that the organization assists with food, clothing and shelter. But fewer people know that the Red Cross is also

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MESSENGER Getting Around And Being Read!

The Texas Messenger, magazine developed by Eastland County Newspapers, printed by VC Menus and underwritten by the Eastland Economic Development Corp. sure gets around.

Multiple copies of the magazine are mailed to subscribers, distributed to offices, desks and waiting rooms throughout this area and mailed in bulk to the eleven Dept. of Transportation Welcome Centers including Amarillo, Anthony, Denison, Gainesville, Langtry, Laredo, Orange, Texarkana, Valley, Waskom and Wichita Falls.

We have learned that the bright, colorful covers on the magazine attracts attention and that they are placed in prominent places at the welcoming centers.

Proof positive that they are being read? Advertising Director Gary Grady who featured in a recent issue, was surprised this week to receive a call from a cousin who had "picked up a magazine at the center in Amarillo, scanned the pages and was surprised to see a picture and story about her cousin in Eastland County. Gary's cousin was on her way back home to Colorado, when she stopped in the Texas Travel Center.

Baird I.S.D. Fund Raiser

Donate your unused and inactive cell phones and we'll turn it into cash! Nokia, Motorola, Samsung, Nextel-ALL WIRELESS BRANDS

You'll be helping: Baird High School!

Raise Money for Educational Supplies and Co-Curricular Expenses.

With your help and almost effortless work, you can help us have one of the most successful fund raisers ever! All you have to do is gather unused or inactive celll phones sitting around your home or office and bring them to: Baird High School or Elementary.

For more Information call: 325-854-1400, ext. 302

Thank you so much for your help!

Veterans News, by Tom Ivey

FREE Benefits Seminar--
The Texas Veterans Land Board will host a seminar for ALL Veterans on Thursday, Oct. 19 at the Abilene Civic Center (Conference Room One), 1100 N. Sixth St. in Abilene. Registration begins at 6:30 p.m. and the seminar starts a 7 p.m. This will be a good opportunity to learn of all the programs that are offered by the TVLB. One item of special note is the new loan amount for housing which is now $325,000. Information will be presented on the State Veterans Cemeteries and on the State Veterans Homes. The

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Looking for: responsible Paper Route Delivery for Baird, Clyde and Cross Plains.
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D.P.S. Report

9-24-06 to Oct. 1-06
Cases Investigated
WARNINGS-100
COMPLAINTS-121
D.W.I. 1
Possession of Marijuana.....1
Fugitive Arrest: Possession of Controlled Substance.....1
ACCIDENTS-There were three accidents investigated

Thanks for Reading the County Star

Addresses Needed for Baird Ex-Students

We're listing the students from the classes of 2001 through 2005 that that need updated addresses. If you have any information about any of the following, please contact the Baird Ex-Students' Association, P.O. Box 954, Baird, TX or 854-1947.

2001-2005:

Anthony Dean,
Candace Ellis,
Shanna Taylor, Casse Cook,
Ashley Pugh,
Matthew Ramirez,
William Ross,
Jessica Garnett,
Vickie Blair,
Blake Mendez,
Clelsey Hasha.

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Legal Notice

Notice

NOTICE TO
CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
(TxDOT) CONTRACTS

Sealed proposals for contracts listed below wil be received by TxDOT until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read.

CONSTRUCTION/
MAINTENANCE/
BUILDING FACILITIES CONTACT(S)

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Dist/Div: Abilene
Contract 0007-01-053 for SEAL COAT in CALLAHAN County, etc will be opened on November 02, 2006 at 1:00 pm at the State Office.

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Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at www.dot.state .tx.us and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.

NPO: 21409

State Office

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Constr./Maint. Division

200 E. Riverside Dr.
Austin, Texas 78704
Phone: 512-416-2540
Dist/Div Office(s)

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Abilene District
District Engineer
4250 N. Clack
Abilene, Texas 79604-0150
Phone: 325-676-6800

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TXDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex. or national origin.

Flooring for Sale from Old Gym

Baird Independent School District is in the process of refurbishing the old gymnasium. One of the main objectives is to replace the wooden floor because it is not level. The hardwood floor has been removed in sections of about 30 square feet. Thsse sections are for sale to the public for $1 per square foot. Preceeds from the sales of flooring will help defray the cost of updating the gym.

If interested in owning a piece of history you may call Scptt Cooper at 854-1400 extension, 320.

Callahan Divide SWCD Fish Stocking

The Callahan Divide Soil & Water Conservation District is now taking orders for their Annual Fish Program. Each year the district offers these fish to the general public on a first come=first serve basis at a very inexpensive price.

These fish come from the Arms Fish Farm out of Dublin, TX.

This year's selection of fish includes Bluegill, Hybrid Bream, Red Bream, Red Ear, Grass Carp, Largemouth Bass, Catfish, Bluecat, Crappie, Goldfish and Koi. In Addition we are also offering Red Horse minnows, Fathead and Goldshinners.

Fish orders will be taken from **April 19, 2006, through August 31, 2006, or until supplies ru out. Whichever come first.** The fish will be delivered to Baird on Thursdays. We will set appointment times for pick up as orders are takne. All orders are **prepaid with a check or money order.** and delivery is guaranteed.

For more information contact the Natural Resources Conservation Service office in Baird, TX at (325) 854-1349 Ext. 3. The office in Baird is located at 141 W. 4th and Suite B. Orders and information may also be obtained at the Albany, TX NRCS office. The number is 325-762-2552. EXT 3.

Callahan County (Baird) Star Classifieds

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED: Experienced, mature woman for home cleaning; Rainbow vacuum cleaning system knowledge helpful. Needed every other week for multiple in-home tasks. Good references required. Please call 254-629-2413 after 6 p.m. to set interview.

For Sale

FOR SALE: Mostly highway-driven, '90 Oldsmobile Full Tank. Cutlass Supreme - V-6—loaded. 69,000 miles. Computer/gauges-Call 254-629-2413 after 6 p.m. to see.

Web Press Time available call 254-629-1707.
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Family Van For Sale: Designer Conversion big engine, '91 GMC family van, 90,000 actual miles, white exterior/gray plush interior, pretty wood trim inside, garaged, clean, 4 captains, convertible couch, electric windows, TV/cassette, call 254-629-2413 to see after 6 p.m. $4995.00 firm.

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NEWS for VETERANS

Continued from Pg. One

seventh home is scheduled to open in Amarillo early 2007.

PTSD Counseling--A Veteran's Counselor from Fort Worth will begin monthly visits to the Eastland V.F.W. Post 4136 on Wednesday, October 4. Plans call for the counselor to come to Eastland on the first Wednesday of each month following this first visit. Veterans suffering from PT.S.D. will be able to meet with this person for guidance in coping with difficulties associated with P.T.S.D. A Veteran's counselor from Stephenville will also be on hand to assist with questions concerning disabilities, medical needs and other problems of Veterans and their families. For more information call Larry Monroe, V.F.W. Commander at 254-647-1097 or V.F.W. Post 4136 after 6 p.m. at 254-629-1918. Our thanks to Commander Monroe and the Post for sponsoring this aid!

A Thought--After really reaming out a cadet, the drill sergeant said: " I guess when I die you'll come and dance on my grave."

"Not me, Sarge," the cadet replies. "No sir, I promised myself that when I got out of the Army, I'd never stand in another line."

Good News-The Court of Appeals for Veterans claims recently made a very important decision in HAAS vs NICHOLSON that VA regulations defining who had service in Vietnam for the purpose of establishing a presumption to exposure to herbicides (eg. Agent Orange) were too restrictive. Consequently, those who served in Thailand, Laos and Cambodia or on Navy ships off the coast of Vietham MAY be eligible for service-connection of certain cancers, including lung and prostrate cancer, as well as Type 2 Diabetes.

FOR NOW, all those who received a Vietnam Service Medal meet the requirements for "service in the Republic of Vietnam." This would include not only those who served on board "blue Water" Navy ships off the coast of Vietnam, but also those who received the VSM for service in Thailand, Cambodia and Laos, those who flew high level missions over Vietnam and so on. Veterans who were previously denied service-connection for a presumptive disability should reopen their claim with VA. Those who have a presumptive disability should apply for immediate service-connection.

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If you or a loved one has been diagnosed with **Acute Myelogenous Leukemia (AML)** or **Myelodysplastic Syndrome (MDS),** please call us today toll free at 1-866-369-3476 to discuss your legal rights.

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ACREAGE

.15 Acres with cabin mostly wooded with oak trees, very large hill for home site, creek/drainage, water line with meter, electricity, Eastland School District, lots of wildlife including deer, turkey, hogs. Owner/broker, agent $46,500.
29.72 acres with large hill. Mostly wooded with red oak and live oak, creek, water line, electricity, excellent home site. Deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, owner/broker, agent.
40 Acres +/- partially wooded with oaks, 4 ponds, waterline septic system, electricity, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, duck.
50 Acres mostly wooded with oak [redacted] SOLD [redacted] 2 ponds, county road frontage, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail $7[redacted]
61 Acres mostly wooded with live oaks, pond, one 5-acre field, excellent home site or recreation property, wildlife includes deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail. $1,500 per acre.
61 Acres near Lake Cisco mostly wooded with live oak and post oak, two hills overlooking Lake Cisco with a canyon and creek in between the hills, wildlife includes deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, $1,800 per acre.
65 Acres mostly wooded with oak trees, elevation changes from hill top down to lower land, paved road frontage, wildlife includes deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, $1,195 per acre.
81 Acres mostly wooded with oaks & mesquite trees, one 4-acre field, two ponds, hills down to draws, large ranches around this property, lots of wildlife including deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, $1,395 per acre.
83 Acres 95% wooded with oak t[redacted] SOLD [redacted]erty for hunting or a home site, wildlife includes deer, turkey, ho[redacted]
93 Acres Stephens County, mostly wooded with live oak & mesquite trees, hills, water line, electricity, big views including [redacted] SOLD [redacted] turkey, hogs, dove, quail, $1,195 per acre.
112 Acres, wooded and cleared, very large canyon on property, hills, older mobile home with CH/CA and older frame house, [redacted] SOLD [redacted]urkey, hogs, dove, duck, quail. $145,600.
116 Acres on large creek, wood[redacted] SOLD [redacted]er field in the middle, good for cattle or hunting. Deer, turkey, h[redacted] acre.
124 Acres with nice fifth wheel camper, mostly wooded with oak trees, 2 fields, big hill and other elevation changes, creek, 2 ponds, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail and duck. 221,555.
151 Acres 75% open in fields with coastal and other grasses, 25% wooded with oak trees, 3 ponds, 6 water wells. Wildlife includes deer, turkey, dove, quail, $196,490.
151 Acres with house, mostly w[redacted] SOLD [redacted]ldings. Deer, turkey, hogs, dove, duck, quail. $220,183.
160 Acres, mostly pecan orchard, approximately 80 acres of pecan trees, 60 acres of oak timber, 20 acres open grass la[redacted] SOLD [redacted]on in the oak timber, water well, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, duck, quail, $236,000.
275 Acres mostly wooded with o[redacted] SOLD [redacted]k, 2 ponds, water well, very nice property, wildlife includes deer, [redacted] SOLD [redacted]uail, $328,625.
421 Acres with home 2-story, 5[redacted] SOLD [redacted]nd swimming pool, large metal barn with pens, 12-acre lake, large creek, mostly wooded.

COMMERCIAL

Attractive and clean, 2 year old 40' x 50' bldg., corner property with interstate access. Covered front porch and pavilion with ample parking, drive thru shop, parts counter, showroom, 2 half baths and mini kitchen. 5 lots. Call for details.
3 commercial buildings and a carport on several lots. $39,500. Call for details.
Downtown building with approx. 5700 sq. ft. plus more sq. footage upstairs for storage. Call to details.

HOMES

Only 17,000 for this 2 BR, 1 bath home. Call for details.
2 BR, 1 bath home on corner property with storm windows, some wood floors, large oak trees, attached garage and fenced backyard, $25,000.
3 BR, 1 3/4 bath home, carpet ju[redacted] SOLD [redacted]rport w/attached storage, corner lot, large trees, Reduced to $26,[redacted]
3 BR, 2 bath home with storm w[redacted] SOLD [redacted]rkshop or storage building, large trees, $27,500.
Large 2 BR, 1 bath home. Could be arranged for a third BR, separate DR, detached garage with extra storage, many large oak trees, 1 1/2 lots, $32,000.
2 BR, 1 bath home with storm [redacted] SOLD [redacted]arate double carports, storage building and plenty of space to [redacted] $[redacted]2,000.
3 BR, 1 1/2 bath home, CH, larg[redacted] SOLD [redacted]rt, storage bldg., privacy fence, corner property, $36,000.
3 BR 2 bath home, CH/A, vinyl s[redacted] SOLD [redacted]deled, large trees, 6 ft. chainlink fence, backyard, oversized double garage, $[redacted]
3 BR, 1 1/2 bath home with CH/A, large LR and master BR, small office, fenced backyard, large trees, storage building. $53,000.
2 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick veneer home with CH/A, WBFP, storm windows, attached garage, covered patio, backyard fenced, detached room with full bath, small shop. $55,000.
3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick veneer ho[redacted] SOLD [redacted]ences, pantry, attached double garage, large trees, fenced backyard, 1 1/2 lots, $55,000.
Need extra lots for kids or animals? Call about this 3 BR, 2 bath with CH/A on 24 lots, $59,500.
3 BR 1 3/4 bath home, brick ve[redacted] SOLD [redacted]nd den, storm windows, CH/A, attached 2 car garage, double carport, fenced backyard, $62,500.
Large 3 BR, 2 bath home, (recently built) with 2 family rooms, CH/A, wooden deck, double carport, 2 storage buildings and shop or game room. Fenced backyard, corner property.
4BR, 2 bath, 2 story home with lots of character and space, separate DR, LR and den, 2 CH/CA units, vinyl siding, storm windows, jacuzzi, double carport plus single carport, workshop, many large oak trees, 151' x 270' lot. Also has mobile home hookups.
3 BR, 2 bath brick veneer home with CH/A, large rooms, office, many nice ash cabinets, WBFP, triple pane windows on 2 acres, just outside Cisco city limits.

LAKE CISCO

Well maintained, 3 BR, 1 bath hom[redacted] SOLD [redacted] patio, 2 storage bldgs., covered boat dock with boat lift, large tre[redacted]
Recently built, attractive 2 BR, 1 [redacted] SOLD [redacted]ine cabinets, large deck, many live oak trees, storage building, covered boat dock, $69,500.
Must See! Large 4 BR, 1 3/4 bath 2 story home. 2 CH/A units, fireplace, several extra closets, balcony off master BR, large oak [redacted] SOLD [redacted]rt, covered boatdock.
Beautifully landscaped frontyard and backyard surrounds this large beautiful 2 story, 3 BR, 4 bath home with WBFP and 2 CH/[redacted] SOLD [redacted]any nice cabinets and builtins. Garage, boat dock, 2 decks, plant room, sprinkler system, many large oak trees.
Great view of the lake, unique 2 BR, 1 3/4 bath homme surrounded by large oak trees, attached double garage with extra storage on 9 lots, yard is landscaped and fenced, covered boat dock with 2 boat slips. Call for details.

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Good Country Wide Classifieds

Putnam, Carbon, Olden, Morton Valley, Desdemona, Kokomo

Baird Star•Cisco Press•Eastland Telegram•Ranger Times• Rising Star

Thursday, October 5, 2006

Strawn, Mingus, Gordon, Gorman, Flatwoods

REAL ESTATE

Rising Star: 4-2-1 fra[redacted], metal roof, 1/2 acre corner lot. $29,500

10.43 A, N/W Co[redacted]op wa[redacted]ec. available, paved road. Owner/agent, possible finance $33,900.

17 A W DeLeon, wooded, one small pond, county water & electricity available, some new fence, nice homesite. $2750 per acre.

NEW: 17.55 A West De[redacted]tal, few lg. Pecan trees, country water, nice.

30 A m/l Gorman, water well, elec. barn, coastal, old pond, good fences, 100s of small pecan trees. $2,500 acre.

35 A S/W Gorman, wo[redacted]d, pon[redacted]k, great hunting, lots wildlife in this area. $2,150 acre.

73 A, NW Comanche County, remote, great hunting, app. 1/2 wooded, 1/2 field, wet weather creek, small pond, old well, $2250 A.

97 A N/W Comanche County, secluded, good hunting, creek, oak & mesquite, pond, seller, willing to divide. Reduced to $1750 A.

NEW: 100 A west DeLeon, 3-1 1/2-[redacted] older brick, 1444', C-H/A, fireplace, some remodeling, 3 ponds, 35 A coastal, 2 steel corrals, 2 wells, shop building. $295,000.00.

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30.18 acres East of Rising Star Doublewide, barn, garage w/apartment. Coastal field and lots of trees. $179,000. 254-631-8403.
RS81

HOMES FOR SALE

HOUSE FOR SALE: 205 S. Mayben, Rising Star. 1 acre lot with pecan trees. Bids will be accepted. Call 254-643-3226 or 254-629-1915.
E83

FOR SALE: Coach Hood's house in Rising Star 4 BR, 2 Bath, 2 living areas, office space, double wide on 2 lots, carport and storage bldg. 254-776-2416.
RS104

FOR SALE: 2 Bdrm, 2 Bath house. Waterfront, Lake Leon. Boat house, dock, Lg. workshop, patio, other amenities. Deeded lot. By appointment only. 254-629-8695.
E82

FOR SALE BY OWNER Ranger: Approximately 3,000 sq. ft. 2 1/2 story, 3-4, sunken den with wet bar, large Master suite. $75,000.00. 254-647-3970.
R80

HOMES FOR SALE

For Sale in Ranger
Newly remodeled Home
C/HA,
BIG Yard
VERY Nice!
Evenings
254-629-3159
104

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Very nice small house. Faux painting, draperies, beautiful ceiling fans, hardwood flooring. $450 a month + $250 deposit. Can be seen at 707 E. 23rd, Cisco, 442-1461.
C104

FOR RENT: Very nice 2 Bedroom, with new carpet, beautiful ceiling fans, hardwood floors, $500 a month + deposit. Can be seen at 709 E. 23rd, Cisco, 442-1461.
C104

MOBILE HOMES

16 x 56
3 + 2!
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$16,900 Cash!
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5 + 3
New home, great layout, corner breakfast room, with acerage, $0 down
$695 per mo. FHA,
7%, 360 mos.
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If you own land, or a relative owns land, you are approved, $0 down, S/wides, D/wides, new and pre-owned. Call Now!
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E86

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E86

APTS FOR RENT

For Rent: 2 BR Apartment. No pets. $250 month. Water paid. No deposit. 442-3835.
C80

For Rent: Very nice, large 1 Bedroom Apt. in historic home. Fully furnished, all bills paid. $600 per month, $600 deposit. No smoking or pets. Must have excellent references. Call 254-631-3129.
C81

CEDAR RIDGE APARTMENTS
Clean Unfurnished Apartments
Security Guard on grounds
Maintenance
Total Electric
Laundry
Central Heat/Air
Near Schools/Hospital
No Pets
254-629-2805
E104

APTS FOR RENT

GHOLSON HOTEL APTS
If you are 55 years of age or older, handicapped or disable, and want a nice quite place to live, come by the Gholson or call Martha at 254-647-1513.
R104

COUNTRY VILLA APTS
1-2 bedrooms, kitchen appliances, Central H/A, W/D, pool. On site security and maintenance. (Behind Pizza Inn) 1099 Lago Vista Blvd. Eastland, Texas. Contact Kim Ramsey, Manager 629-2769.
E104

ROYAL OAKS APARTMENTS
Unfurnished 1 and 2 Bedroom; Carpet, Drapes, & Kitchen Appliances Furnished. Water, Trash Pickup & TV Cable Paid. Also Laundry Room at complex. Choice neighborhood. See and compare at 1304 Royal Lane, Cisco, or call 442-3232. Vacancies not always available.
C104

HELP WANTED

Cisco Sonic is now hiring for Cooks and Carhops. Must apply in person.
C104

CASHIER
Experienced convenience store Cashier wanted in Putnam, TX. Please call 325-662-3328.
E104

O'Reilly Auto Parts now hiring all positions. Applications can be picked up at the Chamber of Commerce in Eastland.
E82

Northview Development Center is currently taking applications for a full time Cook. Previous experience cooking for a large number of people is a plus but all necessary training will be provided. Benefits include: Medical and Dental Insurance, Vision Plan, Personal holidays, 401-K plan. Starting salary above minimum wage. Interested individuals should come by 401 West Moss, Eastland to fill out an application. E.O.E.
E84

EASTLAND COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER seeks a full-time customer-service-oriented front office person. Bi-lingual preferred. Please fill out an application at 404 W. Commerce or fax to 254-893-5895 Attn: H.R.
E82

MOBILE HOMES

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HELP WANTED

LVN
Part time opening available. Must have TEXAS state license.
CNAs
Full time openings on different shifts. Must be state Certified. Competitive rates, & full time employees are eligible for company benefits incl. vacation leave, & holiday pay. EOE Apply in person
EASTLAND HEALTHCARE CENTER
1405 West Commerce
Eastland, TX 76448
82

Pyramid HealthCare Wants You!
Pyramid HealthCare, a leader in the long-term care industry, is looking for qualified candidates to join our progressive team. Due to the recent increase in admissions Heritage Manor of Gorman Currently has the following position(s) available:
LVN (nights)
Relief RN
CNA's
Please apply in person at
600 W. Roosevelt
Gorman, TX.
Pyramid Healthcare
EEOC M/F/D/V
E81

Two Secreterial Positions Available--Must possess computer skills in Word and Excel. Efficient writing and editing skills required. Excellent benefits. Apply in person only at Eagle Construction and Environmental Services, L.P.- 9701 East I-20, Eastland. TX.
E82

RANGER CARE CENTER
A privately owned, skilled nursing facility
We are currently accepting applications for:
DIRECTOR OF NURSING
Excellent Benefits/52-60K DOE
Work in a friendly, family-oriented environment.
Apply in person at: 460 W. Main St. Ranger, TX 76470
For more info, contact Stormie (254) 647-3111 Equal Opportunity Employer.
R104

Girling Health Care, Inc. has an immediate opening for a full time clerk. Medical office experience is a plus.
Send Resume referencing Ad #4880
Fax to (254) 629-8698
Call (800) 950-0363
Email to opportunities@girling.com or apply at 405 East Commerce - Eastland. E.O.E. M/F/D/V
E82

Moylan Construction Company is accepting applications for Operators & Labor Hands. Come by 512 N. Seaman, Eastland to apply.
E104

Northveiw Development Center is currently taking applications for Full Time Housekeeper. Previous experience a plus. Starting salary above minimum wage. Benefits include: Medical and Dental Insurance, personal holidays, vision plan, 401-K. Interested

HELP WANTED

Redchain Feeds
is currently hiring
Drivers
Class A & B

- Local deliveries
- Home every night
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Apply at Gorman Milling Co. In Gorman TX.
80

individuals should come by 401 West Moss Eastland, Texas to fill out an application. E.O.E.
E85

FOOD MANAGEMENT EARN TOP SALARY PLUS MONTHLY BONUSES as the **Albany DQ Manager-** 313 Hill Street. Excellent opportunity for continued salary growth. We pay for the job well done. Need responsible, honest service leader to do the job. Background checks, drug testing. Call Carol at 940-549-5041 or fax resume to 940-549-6106.
E80

Girling Hospice **Chaplain** needed for Girling Hospice Program providing home based services in Eastland and surrounding communities. Theological degree required with an understanding of Hospice philosophy and the needs of the terminally ill.
Send Resume referencing Ad #4870
Fax to 254-629-8698
Call 254-629-1268
Email to opportunities @girling.com or apply at 405 East Commerce - Eastland. E.O.E. M/F/D/V
E81

Rising Star Nursing Center is looking for Certified Medication Aide. Full time position. Contact Minta or Lori 254-643-2681.
RS81

Eastland County Tire (Goodyear) now hiring for General Automotive Service and Repair Tech. Oil lube filter, automotive tire, industrial tire, brakes and front end, heating and cooling experience a plus. Good driving record mandatory. No phone calls. Apply in person 315 E. Main, Eastland.
E86

Girling Health Care, Inc.
We need RN's and LVN's to make hospice visits in your area. Open positions include:
Full-Time RN
Competitive Salary
Competitive Benefits
Fee-For-Service LVN's
Flexible Schedules
Pays Per Visit and Mileage Reimbursement
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Fax to (254) 629-8698
Call (800) 950-0363
Email to opportunities@girling.com or apply at 405 East Commerce - Eastland. E.O.E. M/F/D/V.
E83

HELP WANTED

Needed: *Baby Sitter* in home 3 days a week.
Hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Need excellent references.
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If interested please call Amber at (254) 629-8822 day or (254) 629-8982 night
86

Experienced truck driver needed to haul oil field storage and equipment. Apply at Stewart Tank Company in Strawn, Texas 254-672-5102.
R80

OPPORTUNITY IS KNOCKING!!!!! R.E. Dye Mfg. Corp. is seeking qualified individuals for the following positions:
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E84

Girling Health Care, Inc.
Providers
We have part-time positions for caring and dependable people to work in the homes of the Elderly and Disabled in your area. We offer flexible schedules. Must be 18 years with no criminal background. No experience or Certification needed.
Send Resume referencing Ad #4861
Fax to 325-646-2278
Call 800-665-4471
Email to opportunities @girling.com or apply at P.O. Box 1849 Brownwood, TX 76804. E.O.E. M/F/D/V.
E80

JOB OPENING for full-time receptionist. Must have some computer skills. Send resume to P.O. Box 892, Eastland, Texas 76448.
E86

Need Licensed Plumber call 254-559-8542 or 254-522-1414.
E104

HELP WANTED: Experienced mature woman for home cleaning; Rainbow vacuum cleaning system knowledge helpful. Needed every other week for multiple in-home tasks. Good references required. Please call 254-629-2413 after 6 p.m. to set interview.
E104

Brick Mason and helpers needed in Eastland area. Full time 629-1342.
E82

HELP WANTED

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Local factory distributor has to fill 11 positions immediately
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IMMEDIATE OPENINGS
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Eastlander Design
202 N. College St., Eastland E.O.E.
E83

Part-time Attendants needed to assist elderly and disabled clients with personal care and light housekeeping in Eastland County area. Contact Missy at 877-885-7056.
E104

FOOD MANAGEMENT EARN TOP SALARY PLUS MONTHLY BONUSES as the **Breckenridge DQ Manager** 1838 W. Walker. Excellent opportunity for continued salary growth. We pay for the job well done. Need responsible, honest service leader to do the job. Background checks, drug testing. Call Carol at 940-549-5041 or fax resume to 940-549-6106.
E79

RANGER CARE CENTER a privately owned, skilled nursing facility
Due to recent increase in census, we are accepting applications for the following positions:
DIETARY AIDE
Excellent wages and benefits, work in a friendly, team-oriented environment. Apply in person at: 460 W. Main St., Ranger, TX 76470. For more info, contact David (254) 647-3111 Equal Opportunity Employer.
R104

ClearGuard Products, Inc. is expanding and taking applications for qualified employees. ClearGuard Products, Inc., one of the nations leading manufacturers of restaurant menus, is building new manufacturing facilities between Olden and Eastland and will be expanding our sales and production force. We provide stable employment to people who don't mind working hard for their wages.
Sales
Prior sales experienced required. Must be computer literate in Word, Excel, and data base programs. Must be energetic, dependable with pleasant telephone voice. Salary plus commissions.
Production Sewing
Experienced commercial sewing machine operators in a high volume, fast-paced environment. Salary will depend on experience.
Production
General production employees needed. Will train the right people. Opportunities for advancement. Contact Becky Armstrong at 254-653-2775.
E104

HELP WANTED

!!Help!! Wanted
NEEDED IMMEDIATELY
Dishwasher
Cook
Pay Depends on Experience
Willing to Train
Hard Working Individuals
Apply at Red Star
Corner of Hwy 6 & I-20
Eastland
104

The Eastland County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for the position of Full Time Corrections Officer. For more information and application contact the Sheriff's Office at 201 W. White, Eastland, TX 76448 or call 254-629-1774. Eastland County is an equal opportunity employer.
E80

JOB OPENING for person with Web Press Newspaper Experience to fill second slot with small group in Eastland. All applicants subject to drug and alcohol testing. References required. Apply in person by appointment to 254-629-1707.
E104

Cashier/Cook needed. Must be able to work nights and weekends. apply in person 18 Wheelers 100 E. I-20, Cisco.
C79

Criminal District Attorney is accepting resumes for Secretary/Adm. Asst. **Only Applicants possessing strong organizational skills and proficiency in MS Word and QuickBooks need apply.** Current resume required and will be accepted in person until the position is filled at 100 W. Main, Room 204. Eastland County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
E82

RANGER CARE CENTER A privately owned, skilled nursing facility due to recent increase in census, we are accepting applications for the following positions:
DIETARY STAFF
Excellent wages and benefits
Work in a friendly, team-oriented environment.
Apply in person at: 460 W. Main St. Ranger, TX 76470
For more info., contact David (254) 647-3111 Equal Opportunity Employer
R104

Lead Teacher/Supervisor needed at Head Start in Eastland. BA/BS in Early Childhood Ed or EC endorsement. Will consider Elem Ed or related degree eligible to obtain EC endorsement. $27,442 for 11 months. Paid insurance and retirement. Deadline is October 10, 2006. Call (325) 625-4167. Accepting applications for Substitutes. Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. is an E.O.E.
E81

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254-631-1785 80

HELP WANTED

RANGER CARE CENTER
A Privately Owned, Skilled Nursing Facility due to recent increase in census, we are accepting applications for the following positions:
P/T LVN's (2-10 shift)
Excellent wages and benefits work in a friendly, team-oriented environment. Apply in person at: 460 W. Main St., Ranger, Tx. 76470 For more info. contact Stormie (254) 647-3111 Equal Opportunity Employer.
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A Privately Owned, Skilled Nursing Facility Due to recent increase in census, we are accepting applications for the following positions:
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R104

CISCO HIGH-LIFT CHL MANUFACTURING DIVISION
Cisco High-Lift is now taking applications for experienced welders, experienced shear and roll operators, and auto and industrial painters. We are a fast-growing company looking for a few good men and women to help us grow. Insurance, 401 K and competitive wages. Apply at Wilks Masonry 16858 Interstate 20 Cisco, Texas.
C104

Valentino's Italian Restaurant & Pizza now hiring for the following positions:
Wait Staff
Dishwasher
Cashier
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E104

BUSINESS SERVICES

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Johnson grass mix for baling 254-734-6233.
RS83

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E81

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Concealed Handgun License Classes
Day, Nights, Weekends
Call Buck at 254-647-1449.
R83

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C104

FOR SALE

HAY FOR SALE: 5 x 4 round bales #1 & #2 grade, Eastland, Texas. 817-205-6938 or 254-629-2721.
E93

HAY FOR SALE: Coastal Bermuda square bales DeLeon, TX. 254-893-6553.
E81

Bangora Straw Hats 3 1/2 & 4" brim. Eyelets, vented crown, $23.99 at Johnson's Dry Goods, Cross Plains, TX.
C80

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E82

For Sale: Hunter's Camper 1971 model, 20 ft. Sterling. 254-898-3141.
E82

Beauty Shop & Equipment For Sale on skids $8,000 firm 254-639-2526.
E80

For Sale: Gooseneck flatbed trailer for heavy equipment has tandem axles with duals $5,000 629-8417.
E104

FOR SALE: Copies of any Photo By Terry Simmons in this newspaper are available for purchase. Call 254-629-8389. If no answer please leave a message with your phone number.
E104

For Sale: Macintosh SE one of the 1st Mac's ever made. Several in stock. Come by the newspaper office to see.
E104

FOR SALE: 21 ft. gooseneck cattle trailer $2,000; trailer $600. Call 254-629-8417.
E104

LOST & FOUND

LOST DOG: Dachshund male, black with white spot on chest, 2 years old, no collar. About 6 miles on 183 towards Breckenridge to Cisco on CR 155. Reward. 817-332-7159 or 817-360-2318.
C82

LOST & FOUND

LOST DOG: Small Yorkie. Lost corner of Sadosa and Seaman in Eastland. Black & brown, answers to "Penny". May not have collar. REWARD. Call Lesa Herod 631-1325 or 631-0466.
E104

AUTOS

FOR SALE: 2001 Chevy Suburban 31,000 orig. miles, excellent condition. 254-631-0806 or 817-559-0001.
E87

FOR SALE: Cream Puff, '90 Oldsmobile Cutlass Supreme- V-6-loaded. 64,000 miles. Call 254-629-2413 after 6 pm to see. $3995.00.
E104

LIVESTOCK

Tri County Commission Company
Livestock Auction
Santo, Texas
Sale every Thursday
Start 11 a.m.
Phone: 940-769-2550
E104

DEER LEASE

Deer Lease for 3-4 hunters in Eastland County 254-639-2214.
E87

GARAGE SALES

BRECKENRIDGE
Community Wide Garage Sales in Breckenridge, Texas Saturday, October 7, 2006. Maps will be available at the Courthouse at 7:00 a.m. Sponsored by the Breckenridge Chamber of Commerce 254-559-2301.
E80

CISCO
YARD SALE: 605 W. 12th in Cisco. Something for everyone. Friday, Oct. 6th from 8 a.m. to ?
C80

BIG YARD SALE: 702 E. 11th, Cisco. Oct. 6 & 7 8:00-? 3 Family. Pick-up, furn., appl., registered pups. Early sales welcome!
C81

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, October 7, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. 507 W. 19th, Cisco. Some furniture and lots of stuff. Kids stuff, adult stuff. Old stuff, new stuff. Ugly stuff, pretty stuff. Clean stuff, dirty stuff. Kitchen stuff, household stuff. Misc. stuff and other stuff.
C81

This Week's Special 10- 4 x 4 10 ft. $5.00 each. All dishes, plates, cups, all glasses, whatever is for the table- Half price Oct. 3 to 7. See many new books - wide selection. Lots of fine clothes. King size mattress $35.00 each. Look like new. 3 different desk priced to sell. Look at 3 different exercise machines. Good regular beds with metal frame $50.00. Flea Market Recycle Store 109 Hwy North across the tracks in Cisco.
C80

CROSS PLAINS
SUPER GARAGE SALE: Friday & Saturday, October 6 & 7. Combining two households, moving, remodeling. Furniture, home decor, linens, books, dishes, toys, MWC & maternity clothes, knick-knacks, small appliances, office items. 1/2 mile S. of Cross Plains on Hwy 206.
C80

EASTLAND
GARAGE SALE: Saturday, October 7, 808 W. Sadosa. Office supplies, baby items, books, new hot water heater, household and golf items.
E81

BACKYARD SALE: Friday afternoon Oct. 6 & Saturday, Oct. 7 at 305 S. Dixie. Doors, windows, appliances, toys, tools, fencing, bicycles and much more!
E81

RANGER
YARD SALE 304 HUNT ST., RANGER. TRASH TO TREASURE FROM MY HOUSE TO YOURS- KS SHEETS-GLASSWARE-BLANKETS-JUNK TO ANTIQUES- YOU NAME IT-WE GOT IT-8-6 THURS. & FRI. OCT. 5 & 6 COME EARLY - STAY LATE. BROWSE TILL YOU DROP! XL SHIRTS-THIS IS A GET RID OF SALE!
R80

GARAGE SALES

Big Garage Sale
Multi Family
Friday Oct. 6
Sat. Oct. 7 - 8am - 6 pm. 311 W. Main - **Ranger.** Furniture, Tools, and Lots of everything. Look for the Ballons!
80

SIX FAMILY YARD SALE: Friday, Oct. 6th only. In Ranger on Breckenridge Hwy. Look for signs. Bedroom furniture, glider rockers, area rug, clothing infant to 2X, scrubs, new kitchen items, bird and hamster cages, table & chairs, glassware, Christmas items- too much to list. Stagner Families.
R80

WANT TO BUY

If you are remodeling we try to buy what ever you have- old doors, windows, tin, old lumber. See me at 109 Hwy North across the RR tracks in Cisco. We also buy other things.
C80

NOTICES

The Eastland County Sheriff's Office will be accepting blds for two patrol units. The specifications for the vehicles can be obtained at the Eastland County Sheriff's Office at 201 West White, Eastland, Texas or by calling 254-629-1774.
E80

Web press time available call 254-629-1707.
E104

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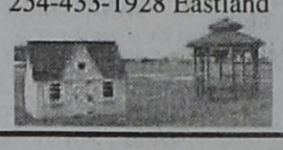

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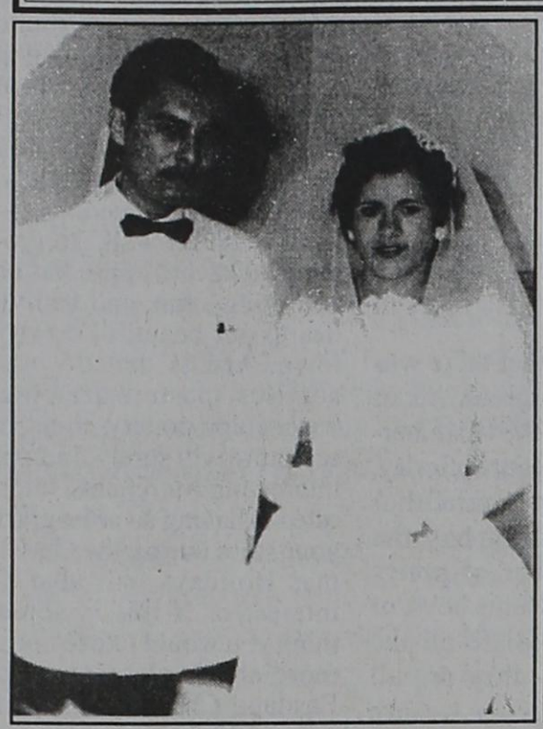

Gilbert and Rose Garces Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Gilbert and Rose Garces with their children Sylvia and David Newton, Leonard and Stacy Garces and their 5 grandchildren celebrated their 50th Golden Wedding Anniversary on Saturday, September 30, 2006. They were married on Sept. 30, 1956 at the Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Cisco. The Anniversary Mass was celebrated at the same church on Saturday, Sept. 30th at 4:00 followed by the dinner and dance at The Connellee Roof Garden in Eastland where they had originally celebrated their reception and dance 50 years ago. One hundred and thirty guests attended the celebration.

Books Needed For Sale

The Eastland County Historical Commission, a non-profit organization, is asking the public to donate used books for their upcoming third annual charity sale.

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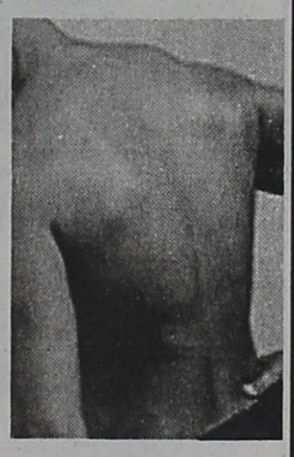

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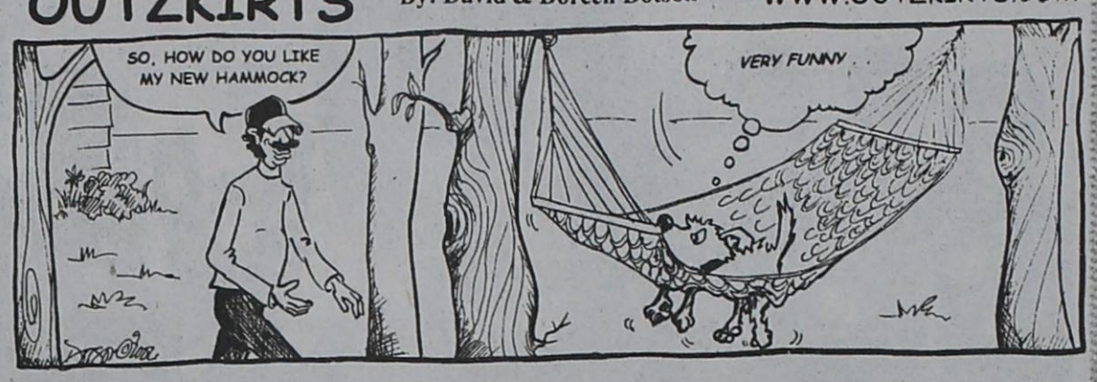

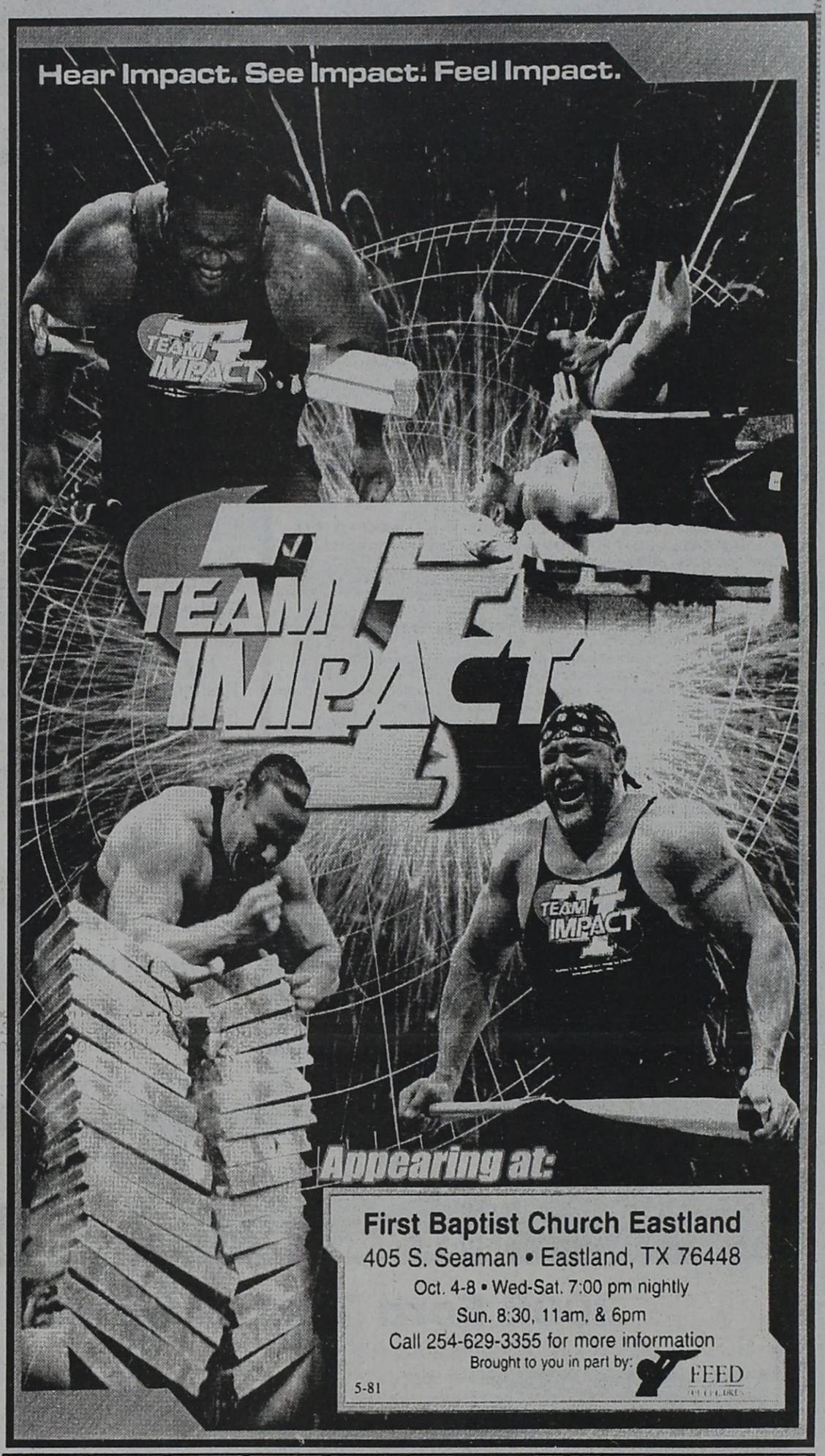

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Daugherty Street Church Of Christ Women Honored For 26 Years Of Volunteer Services At Eastland Healthcare Center

The ladies of the Daugherty Street Church of Christ were honored on Thursday, September 28th at Eastland Healthcare Center for 26 years of dedicated volunteer work in the facility. They were presented with coffee cups filled with angels, hot chocolate, bookmarks, pens and a key chain. They will be honored on October 12th with a luncheon at the facility. At that time they will be presented with 25 year service pins, in recognition of their service.

Current volunteers are Nell Alldredge, Emma Lou Benton, Pat Burnett, Pat Byrd, Pebble Harrison, JoElla Jones, Sharon Lewis, Kay Rodgers, Margaret Scott, Arleta Shirey, Fern Taylor and Wanda Thompson.

The staff and residents of Eastland Healthcare Center truly appreciate all the love, caring and dedication they have shown throughout the years.

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Tidbits...by H.V.O.

THE OLD slogan Time marches on is truly a misnomer.. People marches on.

Can it be such a coincidence that the Old Rip Festival Saturday which is such a high point in this County s life, falls almost on the occasion of the retirement of one of the movers and shakers who helped conceive it as the Oil Boom Parade, and nurtured it along to where it is today. There s no telling how many roles Emmett Lasater has played in this historic event, and others like it through the years as as employee of what we knew as Texas Electric Service Co., which is no more. And now his retirement represents the last link to what we ve known as TESCO for so many years...Hopefully Emmette and Kay Lynn will continue to make Eastland their home. They ve been good for Eastland.

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AND AS for the Old Rip Festival: Bigger and Better than ever what a day; you ll need a program to keep up with all that s going on:

The Flatwood folks are having a breakfast.

The Carbon Golden Exes are meeting at the Community Center in Carbon the same day.

The **BIG** Parade kicks off at 10 .m., followed by all sorts of activities, entertainment s and just pure-d old fashion fun. Don t miss it!

Bryan s 20th Anniversary Old Rip Car Show takes off downtown just after the parade.

And in the unlikely event that you re not full of turkey legs, the E.V.F.D. ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT, World s Biggest Fish Fry will unfold from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. with all the trimmings. Eat in or take out at the Eastland fire station.

Understand that there was an unusually large number of participants in the Chamber-sponsored Pageant Saturday, proving once again that Eastland County has the greatest number of pretty girls, and handsome boys, of all ages. We salute all the participants -- they are all winners as far as we are concerned.

SEE YOU IN EASTLAND SATURDAY!

Attention Artists Of Eastland County

Artists of Eastland County, a newly formed group of local artists, are at the ground floor of forming a group that can enjoy the friendship of other artists and work together to make a lot of good things happen in our county. One thing of immediate interest is an art walk to promote local art appreciation and bring , fun, and festivities to our beautiful down - town. Artists that do oils, acrylics, pasters,drawing, water color, pottery, china, or sculpture will surely find this interesting.Merchants interested in having an artist grace your store during the Christmas Holidays will also be interested .If this is something you would like to know more about, please contact Eastland Chamber of Commerce 629-2332, Joy Conner 629-3290, Ruth Stewart 442-4280.

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507 W. 7th, Cisco - renovation started, needs finishing, 3 BR, 2 bath, 2 carports, storage shed, 2 lots. $20,000.
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Music Scholarships To Be Awarded At Old Rip Festival

There will be many events during the Old Rip Festival in Eastland on Oct. 7, but none more appreciated than the Music Scholarships awarded to music students. The Nancy Seaberry Frost Arts Endowment (NSF Arts), directed by Chris Whiddon, will present these generous awards on the Courthouse Square at 11:30 a.m. on Oct. 7.

A number of young musicians, their teachers, family members, and interested people from the community plan to be present for this annual event. Twenty-seven music Scholarships will be awarded to young people from this area.

Since 1999 almost 200 children have received $500 Scholarships to study piano, violin, fiddle, harp, cello, guitar, clarinet, flute, saxophone, and voice.

The music students and music programs have been from Eastland, Stephens, Brown, Comanche, Callahan, Mills, Parker and Tarrant counties.

This year NSF Arts will honor Eastland Majestic Manager Ed Allcorn and the Eastland Music Study Club by presenting the 2006 Scholarships in their names.

Besides his superb work at the Majestic Theatre, Ed Allcorn is a patron of all the arts, a community worker, and Chairman of the Eastland County Historical Commission.

The Eastland Music Study Club, founded in 1921, has helped make Eastland the music and art center that it is today. This group has always had a vision of sharing fine music with the community.

Violinist Nancy Seaberry Frost played for the Music Club often. After her death her family sold a rare violin belonging to her estate, and with the proceeds established this Scholarship Program and a Community Performance Program.

Contributions from music supporters also assisted these projects.

On Oct. 7 some more happy music students will benefit from these gifts.

Tarleton 2006 Summer Commencement

Summer commencment ceremonies were held in Stephenville at Tarleton State University on August 11 and 12, 2006.

CLYDE:

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Cody Cordell Walton, Marketing, BBA

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Lori Beth Johnston, Human Science, BS

Melissa Murillo, Animal Production, BS

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RANGER:

Summa Cum Laude Jammie Lynn Caraway, Animal Science, BS

STRAWN:

Michael Shane Mallory, Exercise Studies, BS

Shelley Dawn Mallory, Human Science, BS

Scranton Musical To Be Saturday

The Scranton musical will be held Saturday, October 7th at the community center. The kitchen will begin serving at 5:30. Sarah and Annetta are serving stew, cornbread, green salad or fruit salad. There will also be homemade pies and sandwiches. The music begins at 6 p.m. All area musicians are welcome to play. You may call 325-692-2057 to reserve a time for your group. We hope you will come out to enjoy a good evening of food, fellowship and entertainment.

D.P.S. Capt. Farber District Commander

Texas Highway Patrol Captatin Douglas Farber took over as District Commander officially on September 1, 2006. He is presently getting acquainted with the area and people within the 21 counties assigned to him.

Captain Farber is no stranger to the area. He has been with the Department since 1985 and his first duty station as a Trooper was Monahans. In 1994 he was promoted to Sergeant and was assigned to Haskell. He continued to promote through the ranks of the Highway Patrol Service and was stationed in Lubbock. In March of 2005 Lieutenant Douglas Farber promoted to Captain and was assigned to Austin in the Department's Office of Audit and Inspection, legislatively mandated to conduct independent inspections of all of the divisions of the Department, and then submit their reports to the Public Safety Commission. The Public Safety Commission is a three member body that oversees all aspects of the Texas Department of Public Safety and is appointed by the Governor.

As Captain, Farber is responsible for the management and supervision of the Supervisors, Troopers and civilian personnel assigned to the Abilene District. This 21 county district stretches on the north end from Scurry County across to Stephens County and on the south end includes Crockett and Sutton Counties. Abilene is one of the two districts that make up Region Four, which is based in Midland. Region Four goes west to include El Paso.

Captain Farber is still getting settled in. He hopes to have his wife, Brenda, and two children, Jennifer and Melissa, join him soon.

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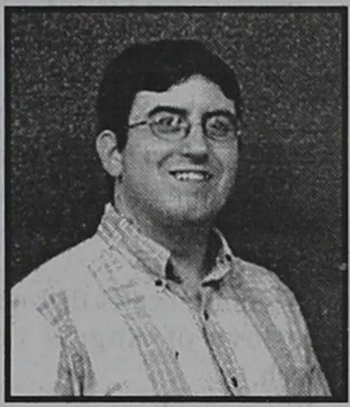

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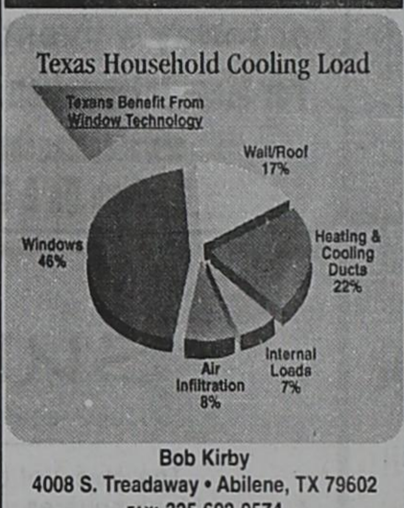

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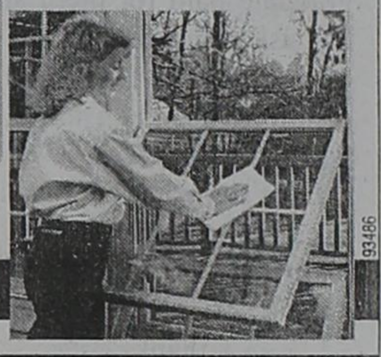

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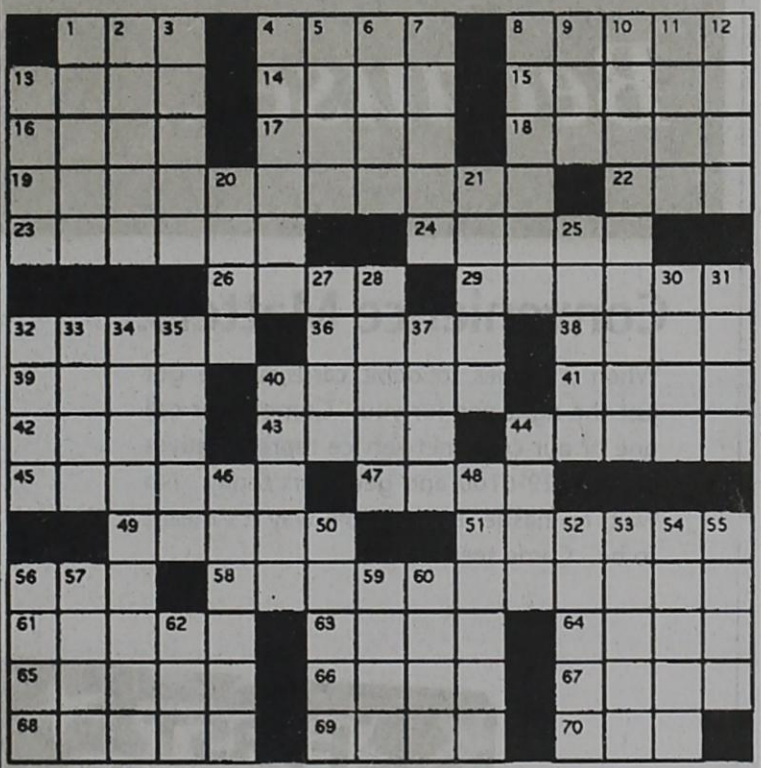

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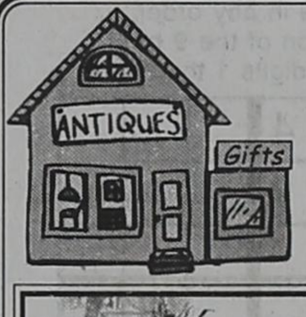

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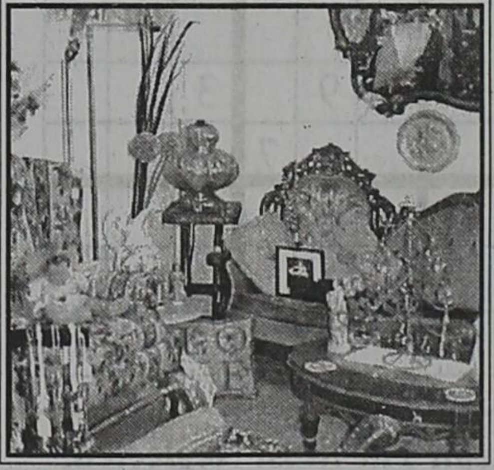

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Angels

The Bible mentions angels in many different scriptures and contexts. Every day there are angels around us doing whatever they can to help us. They understand difficulties and often "hold" us as we go through hard and difficult situations.

The Bible usually depicts angels as men, but our earthly art usually pictures angels as women.

Angels are great for guidance, reassurances, support and encouragement. Angels are great at giving feelings of self-worth.

There are angel figurines, pictures, posters and Biblical quotes and books. I don't know when I first became fascinated with angels, or why, but I do know it was before it was the "in" thing to do. I particularly like the Guardian Angel watching over the children.

For the 1995 Eastland High School Homecoming I made a wooden window sill angel for each E.H.S. graduate to have. Actually, Mrs. Price D. Rose (Betty Hagar) a fellow 1955 graduate paid for them and had asked me to make them and bring them to the reunion. On each angel I wrote this verse:

Here sits your windowsill angel,
A gentle reminder to pray;
Have you stopped to give thanks
For God's love today?

Drue Duke, who lives in Alabama, thought that her neighbor, Louise, was cold and unneighborly, when actually Louise was a dear woman who had a sweet spirit, but was not an outgoing person. When Louise went out early every morning, Louise picked up Drue's paper and put it on her porch rather than at the end of the driveway to prevent it from possibly being picked up by a dog or getting soaked.

Guardian angels don't always have wings. Sometimes these angels are just friends of ours who know of needs we have and endeavor to help us. An angel is not known for looks, but for actions.

Scripture tells us that God "will give His angels charge of you to guard you in all your ways." Have you ever felt God's guardian angels beside you in some time of panic or peril? I have, and the peace that resulted is indescribable. Others who have experienced His protecting hand in such moments know what I'm talking about.

I collect angels because I believe angels are real. I never put away my Christmas angels.

There is a little boy in church named Matthew w[illegible] has been completely blind since birth. Matthew's mom and dad are always very careful what they say [illegible] Matthew. When Pastor Golden was alive, Matthew's parents told Pastor that at Sunday lunch one day, Matthew asked them if they had "seen" the angels in church that morning flying around the ceiling. They told Pastor Golden that they told Matthew they hadn't seen anything and Matthew insisted he had "seen" them. The parents asked Pastor what they should have said and Pastor said, "Are you sure they weren't there?"

A third grade teacher at East Hill Elementary school said that most of her students came from dysfunctional families. She and her husband went to her classroom one year before school started and prayed over each desk in the classroom. They prayed that God would place an angel near each and every child during the coming school year. During a written assignment time a student, Andrew, motioned for the teacher to come over and Andrew whispered to her asking if she thought people could see angels. She said that she thought some people could. Then Andrew told her that he could see an angel beside each child in the classroom.

Although there is no audible prayer in a classroom each teacher should be dedicated enough to pray for God's angels to protect the students.

Guardian Angels

When Angels sense you need them- and Angels always do.

They come unseen, from everywhere to help and comfort you.

They hover close beside you- till all your cares are gone.

Till they can see you're ready once again to carry on.

Then some of them may fly away- and take their gentle touch

To other hearts that need the love of Angels very much.

But one, at least, stays with you- as your constant friend and guide,

For Guardian Angels never leave they're always at your side to brighten up your day.

So, through the trials yet to come and trials always do;

Remember I'll be by your side, just looking out for you.

Author Unknown

Ten Free Trees--Autumn Classics

Ten free trees, autumn classics, will be given to each person who joins The National Arbor Day Foundation during October 2006.

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's Trees for American campaign.

The ten trees are 2 Sugar Maples, Scarlet Oak, Sweetgum, Red Oak, Silver Maple, White Dogwood, Washington Hawthorn, and 2 Red Maples.

"These trees will produce vibrant red, orange, yellow, scarlet, and purple leaves in the fall," John Rosenow, the Foundation's president, said.

The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between November 1 and December 10 with enclosed planting instructions. The six to twelve inch trees are guaranteed to grow, or they will be replaced free of charge.

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Baird Man Deis in Mason Vicinity 3-Car Wreck, Sept. 24

A Baird man, Chad Kendall York, was struck head-on by a second vehicle driven by Heather Lemke of San Antonio in an accident occuring on U.S. Highway 87, 18.3 miles of Mason, in an accident involving five people and 3 vehicles. Also in the accident was a third vehicle driven by Jody Kyle Moody and Joseph Hewel Shirley, both of Sweetwater for "cuts and abrasions" at Heart of Texas Hospital in Brady, however York was killed and James Smith of Rotan sustained a broken arm and leg after transport to San Antonio University Hospital.0.

Apparently, a law enforcement investigator stated:

the vehicle driven by Lemke was headed north and, after losing control, she veered into the south-bound lane and collided with Smith's vehicle. All three vehicles were fire-engulfed, after Smith's vehicle was struck broadside by the Moody car. Lemke was also killed in the accident.

The crash is being investigated by Senior Trooper Albert Herrington of Mason who is being assisted by Trooper Michael Bacon, Trooper Jamie Jay Rios and Senior Trooper John Stafford.

Other lawmen assisting were Mason County Sheriff's office, Mason County E.M.S., Mason County Fire Department, Gellespie County Fire Department and the Texas Dept. of Transportation.

Obituary

Gerald Whitley

CLYDE-Gerald Whtley, 65, of Clyde, died Monday, September 25, 2006 in Clyde, TX.

Services were to be held at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, September 28, 2006 at the Bailey Funeral Home Chapel with Rick Sanford and Gavaun Hedden officiating. Graveside services were at 2:30 on Thursday in the Hamlin Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Mr. Whitley was born on March 1, 1041 in Rotan, TX to J.L. and Dona (Woolf) Whitley. He married Brenda Donham on February 28, 1969 in Lubbock, Texas. They moved to Clyde from Fisher County in 1992. Mr. Whtiey had worked as a heavy equipment operator for Fisher County until his retirement. Up until his death, he spent his time farming. He had recently built a wagon from the ground up that he was especially proud of, and that could be pulled by his mule. Mr. Whtiley was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Brenda of Clyde; two sons, Travis Whtiley and wife Debbie, of Monticello, FL., and Eric Whtiley, also of Monticello; six grandchildren, Jacob Harrison, Megan Harrison, Corrina Whtiley and Colton Whtiley, all of Monticello., FL., and Steven Whtiley and Courtney Whtiley, both of Abilene, six brothers, Wayne Whtiley of Denton, Benny Whtiley of Santo, Danny Whtiley of Azle, Steve Whtiley of San Antonio and Ossie Whtiley of Aspermont; five sisters, Margaret Kingston of Denton; Mary Upshaw of Colorado City; Charlene Starnes of Snyder, Sue Spivey of Santo and Laverne Starnes of Rotan, as well as numerous nieces and nephews and a multitude of friends. He was preceded in death by; his parents; a son, Larry Whitley; a sister, Carolyn Taylor; and a brother, J.L. Whtiley, Jr., who preceded him in death one weath ago.

Visitation was from 6-7:30 on Wednesday at the, Bailey Funeral.in Clyde.

Michael Ray Johnson

Clyde-Michael Ray Johnson, 28, of Clyde, died Saturday in Baird.

Memorial services were to be at 6:00 p.m. Tuesday at the Bailey Funeral Home Chapel with Bryan Cauthen and Brandon Honeycutt officiating.

Michael was born January 23, 1978, in Abilene, to Billy and Choquita Dugan Johnson. He attended Clyde High School. He married Crystal Cooley on May 0, 2005, in Clyde. At the time of his death he was employed by the Ramos brothers in the masonry trade. He had formerly worked for Hawk Portable Buildings. He was a member of the Kingdom Life Fellowship Church in Clyde.

Survivors include his wife, Crystal of Clyde; two daughters and one son, Cheyenne and Brianna Cooley and Dakota Boles, all of Clyde; his parents, Billy and Choquita Johnson of Baird; two brothers, James Johnson of California and Thomas Johnson of Clyde; paternal grandfather, Ray Johnson of Abilene and his paternal grandmother, Betty Trussell of Anson

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called on to assist emergency workers such as police and firefighters. Since the wildfires broke out in the Big Country, the American Red Cross has been working hard to provide plenty of bottled water, Gatorade and meals to countless firefighters. Now, the organization needs your help to keep their supplies stocked.

The American Red Cross is asking the community to make financial gifts to the local Disaster Relief Fund. Financial Contibutions allow the Red Cross to purchase materials in bulk, stretching the donated dollar even further. Additionally, financial contributions to the local disaster relief fund make it possible to help families displaced by house fires and other disasters, for the Red Cross. To make a gift to the local disaster relief please call 325-677-2622 or mail it to Big Country Region American Red Cross 1610 N. 2nd Abilene, TX 79601. For free information on how to protect your home from a wildfire, or for tips on staying safe in extreme heat, please visit the site www.redcross.org.

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Brazos River Boys to Perform at Baird First Baptist Church

began to suggest names that might be familiar to residents of abilene and the surrounding communities which they regulary sang in. It was only after they chose to name the group after the popular Texas river that they realized the name name contained an almost ironic and God given meaning.

The Spanish armies during the wars of Texas dubbed the river the "Brazos de Dios", meaning the "Arms of Fingers of God." The Spaniards named the river shuch for the almost divine refuge the river gave for its water and protection in times of distress during the wars.

Members of the band are: Harvey Jackson, Bass. Harvey joined the quartet in early 2001. He had been singing gospel music all of his life and has been a member of several gospel groups in Abilene and the surrounding area. Harvey's rich bass voice is an essential part of the Brazos Boy sound. We are honored to have him in our group!

Chuck Sims, Baritone, Chuck has been with the Brazos Boys since the beginning of the original quartet in 1999. Chuck is a well seasoned veteran of Southern Gospel quartet singing, having sung with several gospel groups around the area. His Baritone voice rounds out the Brazos Boys sound.

Brian Clifton, Keyboard. For several years we have looked for the right keyboard musician to join the Brazos Boys. While Brian is the youngest member of the group, he is a remarkable young man at the keyboard. He plays like a seasoned professional, and has a wonderful personality to match his talent. We feel fortunate to have Brian on our team.

Keith Davis, Lead. Keith brings to the Brazos Boys a wealth of southern gospel music experience. He has sung with several local and area quartets, Keith is also an avid collector of Southern gospel recordings and accompaniement tracks. We're sure you will agree that he is a truly a very accomplished lead singer. He is excited to take on the new challenge of singing Tenor in the group. Mark is a veteran singer having been a member of other area groups and one of th best tenor singers around. We know you will enjoy hearing him in his new position.

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GRAND OLE OPLIN LINEUP FOR SEPTEMBER

The Grand Ole Oplin is proud to announce their band lineup for the month of September. On Sept. 1, Texas Touch joined them to play all of your country favorites. On Sept. 8, Country Classics entertained us here. On September 15th, we have invited The Kevin Seals Band to play their own brand of country music (we understand they are real good.) On Sept. 22nd, Muddy Creek joined us, playing all the country music we love to dance to. On Sept. 29th, Jack Rosser was back again.

The Grand Ole Oplin is hosted by the Oplin Community Center and is located at the intersectionof 604 S. and FM 2926. Alcohol and smoking is not allowed at any of our functions. Admission to our dances is still only $4 per person, and everyone is encouraged to bring a snack to be enjoyed by all during the band's break. Our dances begin at 7:30 p.m. and end at 10:30 p.m.

So gather the family and all of your friends and come on out to an evening of good music and good friends, plenty of dancing.

Baird I.S.D. Lunch Menu

Monday: Oct. 2nd: *CHICKEN NUGGETS W/ GRAVY OR EGG ROLL W/FRIED RICE, Steamed Broccoli, Carrot Sticks, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Fresh Fruit, Choice of Fruit.*

Tuesday: Oct. 3rd: *Fish Strips or Toasted Cheese Sandwich. Creamy Cole Slaw, English Peas, Spiced Apples, Fresh Fruit, Choice of Milk.*

Wednesday, Oct. 4th: *Chicken Fajitas, or Frito Pie, Refried eans, Spanish Rice, Lettuce & Tomato, Peach Cobbler, Fresh Fruit, Choice of Milk.*

Breakfast:

Monday, October 2nd: *Breakfast Pizza, Cinnamon Toast, Yogurt Plate or Cereal & Toast, Fresh Frit, Assorted Juices, Choice of Milk.*

Tuesday, October 3rd: *Biscuit & Sausage w/ Gravy, Yogurt plate or Cereal & Toast, Fresh Fruit, Assorted Juices, Choice of Milk.*

Wednesday, Oct. 4th: *Breakfast on a Bun, Breakfast Taco, Yogurt Plate or Cereal & Toast, Fresh Fuit, Assorted Juices, Choice of Milk.*

Want to Know What's Going On in Baird?

2006 Baird Bears Roster

No.	Name	Grade	Position	Weight
2	Tyler Orlando	Sr.	Qb./ FS.	175
3	Chris Whitworth	So.	WR/FS.	145
9	Noah Albergucci	Sr.	TE/DE	155
12	Rustin Williams	Jr.	TE/LB	160
15	Chris English	Sr.	TE/OLB	160
21	Chris Cogburn	Sr.	RB/C	140
22	Jesse Mendez	So.	RB/C	150
29	Justin Patterson	Sr.	RB/LB	175
32	Justin English	Jr.	WR/LB	155
38	Jonathan Waddle	Jr.	WR/LB	175
51	Justin Roberts	Sr.	C/DE	205
53	Isaac Dickey	So.	C/LB	165
55	Koby Parker	Sr.	C/DE	240
60	Jeramie Brooks	Jr.	T/DT	245
65	Jacob Dillard	Jr.	G/DT	205
68	Andrew Emmert	Jr.	G/DT	195
70	Ty Culp	Sr.	G/DE	205
72	Jud Clark	Sr.	T/DT	255

Coaching Staff: Kevin Hill, Jeremy Munoz, Scott Kello, Scott Nedrow.

Student Trainers: Breanna Patterson, Ashyla Murff, Peyton McIntire, Chris Ramirez.

Athletic Trainer: Danae Edwards.

Cheerleaders: Patsy Dugan, Brooke English, Lauren Thackerson, Vicky Suarez, Nicole Darnell, Ketie Bessent, Megan Betcher, Cassie Burns, Ashley Lowe (Mascot).

Cheerleader Sponsor: Cliff Gardner.

Superintendent: Cliff Gardner.

Principal: Vick Orlando.

Band Director: Donna Ronquillo.

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Bears Football Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 19	Ranger	There	5:00 p.m
August 25	Bronte	Here	6:00
September 2 (Sat.)	Jerrell	Brownwood	7:30 p.m
Sept. 9 (Sat)	LC.H.S.		10:00 a.m
Sept. 9 (Sat.)	Stamford	Baird	7:30 p.m.
*Sept. 16 (Sat.)	Abilene J.V.	Shotwell	7:30 p.m.
	District Game		
Sept. 29	Roscoe	Baird	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 6	Albany	Albany	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 13	Open		
Oct. 20	Roby	Baird	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 27	Winters	Winters	7:30 p.m.
Novemb. 3	Hamlin	Baird	7:30 p.m.
Novemb. 10	Rotan	Rotan	7:30 p.m.

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City of Clyde Seeking Your Ideas on Centennial Celebration in July 2007

The City of Clyde is planning a Centennial Celebration in July of 2007. We are interested in what the citizens of Clyde would like to see for our celebration. On our Web Site, you will find a poll of different activities. Please check this out and see if there is something you would like to vote on. If there is something different you would like to see, please e-mail me and let me know. This event is for thecitizens of Clyde.

We want to make this a very fun and special event. Your input is very important to us so get involved in these decisions. Our web site is www.clydecityhall.com to take the poll and the email is clydeh2o@clydecityhall.com. If you do not have Internet access, you may also send your requests for this through the U.S. Mail. Our address is City of Clyde, Attn: Centennial Celebration, P.O. Box 1155, Clyde, Texas 79510. We are looking forward to your input.

Submitted by
Lorrie D. Trammell

Callahan Divide Soil and Water Conservation District Poster Contest

POSTER ENTRIES shall be on standard poster board, cut to half size 22" X 14". Artwork on poster entries should be produced with materials which do not readily smea, crack or chip. If necessary a fixative or lamination may be used. Poster entry artwork should be flat.

Each poster will need an entry form attached to the back of the poster.

Students may choose one of the two themes for this years contest. #1 "Water Wise."

#2 "Celebrate Conservation". Students will be awarded a ribbon for participation by the district. Arrea Winners will be presented with a plaque.

A Digital Photograph will be required of each winner from the County competition to be published in the local paper and the SWCD newsletter.

The district will choose three winners from the Callahan County School Districts 4th, 5th and 6th grades. These posters will be submitted to the Area 5 competition. If one of these posters is selected it will then be sent to the State competition. All posters must be turned into Callahan Divide SWCD no later than January 28, 2006. Please contact Judi Winans at Callahan Divide Soil and Water Conservation District, 141, W. 4th Street, Suite B, Baird, TX 79504. **325-854-1349, Ext 3.**

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DON'T "DUMB DOWN"

DEAR JUNE & JENNIE:

When I asked two friends for opinions, they gave conflicting advice, so I am still uneasy. Here's the problem: In my anatomy course, I've been getting the top grades – except for one other person who has never identified him- or herself. Because almost everyone else's grades tend to be quite a bit lower, the professor usually curves the grade, but my scores (and those of the other person) skew the curve. Other students ask me what I got and generally groan and act aggravated when I've done well because they know it keeps their grades from being higher. Some are kind of nasty about it – the joking has become bitter. Honestly, I'll bet the mystery student who is getting grades like mine is choosing to remain anonymous to avoid the recriminations.

One friend's advice was to "dumb it down" a bit and don't try to get all the questions right, but this goes against my nature and training. Besides, I want to go into medicine, so knowledge of anatomy is very important. What do you think?

In our opinion:

June and Jennie: Don't "dumb it down." That's an incredibly bad idea. Good grades in anatomy will be significant for your career and overall grade average. Even if you wait for years to go back to grad school, your undergraduate scores may determine if you're accepted to medical school or a nursing program. They will still be requested and used.

2006-07 Calendar
Baird I.S.D.

next Teacher Development Workday:
December 22
May 25
Staff Development Day: ends Aug. 11
**Compensatory Days: November 21-22 also January 19.*

Bad: Weather Day: May 11.

Students Holidays: Labor Day, September 4

Thanksgiving, November 20-24

Christmas break, December 21-January 7

County Stockshow: January 19.

Spring Break, March 12-16

Easter, April 6

TAKS TESTING days: October 17-20, February 13-15, April 4, April 17-20, May 15

B.H.S. Graduation: May 25, 2007
****Three staff development waiver days required during the summer or weekends to compensate the 3 days in November and January.*

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Bears Football Schedule

Date	*Opponent*	*Location*	*Time*
August 19	*Ranger*	*There*	*5:00 p.m*
August 25	*Bronte*	*Here*	*6:00 p.m.*
September 2 (Sat.)	*Jerrell (34-0)*	*Brownwood*	*7:30 p.m*
Sept. 9 (Sat)	*LC.H.S.(21-7)*		*10:00 a.m*
Sept. 16 (Sat.)	*Stamford*	*Baird*	*7:30 p.m.*
**Sept. 21 (Sat.)*	*Abilene J.V. (20-49)*	*Shotwell*	*7:30 p.m.*
	District Game		
Sept. 29	*Roscoe*	*Baird*	*7:30 p.m.*
Oct. 6	*Albany*	*Albany*	*7:30 p.m.*
Oct. 13	*Open*		
Oct. 20	*Roby*	*Baird*	*7:30 p.m.*
Oct. 27	*Winters*	*Winters*	*7:30 p.m.*
Novemb. 3	*Hamlin*	*Baird*	*7:30 p.m.*
Novemb. 10	*Rotan*	*Rotan*	*7:30 p.m.*

****Homecoming***

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The Museum Next Door

The Old Jail Art Center in Albany, has grown considerably since its humble beginning in 1980. Starting with the donation of four private collections, the premanent collection has expanded to include over 1900 works that span important periods in Asian, European, American, and ancient art. Successful capital campaigns in 1984 and 1996 added an important education wing, as well as additional exhition and operations apace. The museum facilities now occupy over 14,000 square feet.

The collection is strong in a number of areas, with most works dating from the 20th Century. The collection includes pieces from well-known artists, Pierre-Auguste Renoir, Henri de Toulouse, Lautrec, Amedeo Modigliani, Paul Klee, Pablo Picasso, Henri Matisse, Henry Moore, John Marin, Charles Demuth, and Alexander Calder. In addition the museum has strong representation of the Fort Worth Circle (active 1945-55), the regional Taos Modernists (active 1948-1979), a small, impressive Asian Collection, and the W.O. Gross, Jr. Collection of Pre-Columbian art. The outdoor sculpture collection is installed througout the grounds, with key pieces placed inside the Marshall R. Young Courtyard, including Jesus Bautista Moroles' granite Sun Symbol, *Pericle Fazzini's* Conversation, *and several other post-World War II Italian figuarative bronze works.*

The Old Jail Art Center is one of the accredited fine art museums between Fort Worth and El Paso. With a focus on education, exhibitions and art programs are scheduled year-round to serve an audience of children, youth, adults and visitors from around the globe. The Old Jail Center is located on Highway 6, two blocks east of Highway 160 in Albany. The Museum is open to the public on Tuesday-Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Sunday 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Admission is Free. (Please note: the museum is cloned on Mondays and major holidays.)

BUS SERVICE MINISTRY, Schedule AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH BAIRD, AUGUST

You Will Be HAPPY to learn that the adventure will continue through our bus ministry! The bus ministry will serve children age three through senior adults, who live within the Baird city limits, and are needing a ride to our Sunday School (bible Study) and Worship Serv. beginning at 9:45 each Sunday. If you or a child in your neighborhood have been unable to attend Sunday School and Worship Services due to lack of dependable transportation, here is your opportunity!

With August 20 only a couple of weeeks away, we encourage you to contact the church office at 854-1574 to receive important information pertaining to pick-up times and enortlment for this serv.

We will be eagerly anticipating your calls!

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 pm
Wednesday YOUTH Fellowship 7:00 pm
(Nursery provided for all services)

***Thursday, Oct 5**
Men's Bible Study at 7:00 pm
> *Sunday, Oct 8
Family Sunday-Come as a Family
3:30 pm Nursing Home Service
***Monday, Oct 9 at 6:00 pm**
Women on Missions
***Tuesday, Oct 10 at 7:00 am**
Ladies Prayer Breakfast
***Wednesday, Oct 11**
6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal
7:00 Business Meeting
8:00 pm Church Council
***Thursday, Oct 12 at 7:00 pm**
Men's Bible Study
***Sunday, Oct 15 Fellowship Sunday**
11:00 am Morning Worship
12 Noon Fish Fry
1:30 pm Brazos Boys in concert
Come Casual and enjoy the day
No Evening Service
***Monday, Oct 16 at 7:00 pm**
> Game Night Bring a Snack
***Wednesday, Oct 18**
6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal
7:00 pm Prayer Meeting and YOUTH Fellowship
Youth to meet in the NEW Fellowship Hall
***Thursday, Oct 19 at 7:00 pm**
Men's Bible Study
***Friday, October 20**
5th QTR following the game
Meet in the Fellowship Hall
***Sunday, October 22**
Friendship Sunday
***Wednesday, Oct 25**
6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal
7:00 pm Prayer Meeting and YOUTH Fellowship
> Youth to meet in the NEW Fellowship Hall
***Sunday, October 29**
FANTASTIC Sunday
***Monday, October 30**
Sister's at the Well
Bring a Covered Dish

For more events see your calendar!!!!
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Baird J.V. and Junior High Football Schedules

August 31	Anson	Anson	5:30 J.V.
Sept. 7	Eastland	Baird	5:30 J.V.
Sept. 14	Stamford	There	5/6 JH/JV
Sept. 21	Open	Open	
Sept. 28	Roscoe*	Roscoe	5/6 JH/JV
Oct. 6	Albany*	Baird	5/6 JH/JV
Oct. 13:	TBA		5/6
Oct. 20	Roby*	Roby	5/6 JH/JV
Oct. 27	Winters*	Baird	5/6 JH/JV
Nov. 3	Hamlin*	Hamlin	5/6 JH/JV
Nov. 10	Rotan*	Baird	5/6 JH/JV

Coaching Staff: Kevin Hill, Jeremiah Munoz, Scott Nedrow, Scott Kello.
Superintendent: Cliff Gardner
Junior High Principal: James Wyatt

Quotes

"What we usually pray to God is not that His will be done, but that He approve ours." – Helga Bergold Gross

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"It would be easier to subjugate the entire universe through force than the minds of a single village." – Voltaire

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"It is the job of thinking people not to be on the side of the executioners." – Albert Camus

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"I am not blaming those who are resolved to rule, only those who show an even greater readiness to submit." – Thucydides

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"A general dissolution of principles and manners will more surely overthrow the liberties of America than the whole force of the common enemy. While the people are virtuous, they cannot be subdued; but when once they lose their virtue, they will be ready to surrender their liberties to the first external or internal invader ... If virtue and knowledge are diffused among the people, they will never be enslaved. This will be their great security." – Samuel Adams, American Patriot and Politician

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"I am not a vegetarian because I love animals; I am a vegetarian because I hate plants." – A. Whitney Brown

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WICKED FLIRT.
YOU'RE BEAUTIFUL,
FICKLE AND MEAN.
ONE DAY I PLAY YOU
UNDER PAR,
NEXT DAY,
CAN'T HIT A
GREEN.
ONE DAY I DRIVE,
BUT I CAN'T
PUTT...
NEXT DAY I PUTT,
BUT I CAN'T
DRIVE.
AND YET...
THAT SHOT...

THAT ONE
PERFECT SHOT...
ONE A ROUND
MAKES ME FEEL
SO ALIVE.
I MAY BREAK
MY CLUBS
AS YOU
BREAK MY MIND
AND YOU TOY
WITH ME
HOLE
AFTER HOLE.
BUT I'LL ADMIT,
I'LL NEVER QUIT!
FOR GOLF...
YOU'RE IN MY
SOUL.

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