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Wildcats
Varsity Girls & Boys
Santa Anna Tournament
Junior Varsity Girls
Gorman JV Tournament
Dec. 3, 4, & 5
Lingleville at home
Tues., Dec. 8, 6:30



Wildcats Named District 13A Football All-District Players



CONGRATULATIONS to the Rising Star Wildcats named to District 13A Football All-District teams; they are, from left:

Chris DeLong, junior, quarterback, 1st Team Offense, and defensive back, 1st Team Defense;

Jarod Horton, junior, tight end, 1st Team Offense, and Most Valuable Player, 1st Team Defense;

Aaron Long, junior, running back, 1st Team Offense, and defensive end, 1st Team Defense;

Terry Ware, senior, lineman, 2nd Team Offense, and defensive line, 1st Team Defense; and

David Bronson, junior, defensive back, 2nd Team Defense.

40th Annual Pecan Show This Week At Courthouse

The 40th annual Eastland County Pecan Show will be held December 2-3-4 at the Eastland County Courthouse. Entries are due in the Extension Office by 5 p.m. Wednesday, December 2. Dr. Chip Lee, Extension Plant Pathologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Larry Womack Nurse in DeLeon, will serve as judges for the annual event.

The show is sponsored by the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association and the Eastland Chamber of Commerce.

The show will be open to the public for viewing between 3:30 and 5:00 p.m. on Thursday and all day Friday.

Entries should consist of 40 pecans all of the same variety. Varieties unknown by the producer will be classes by the officials.

Help make the 40th Annual Pecan Show a huge success by entering and attending the event.

Hay Show Saturday

The Annual Eastland County Hay Show will be held Saturday, December 5. Judging will begin at 8 a.m. at the Livestock Association Center, northwest of Eastland.

A Hay Quality Program will be held at 9:30 a.m. Dr. George Alston, Extension Agronomist from Stephenville, will present the program and judge the hay.

The show is coordinated by the Eastland County Livestock Raisers Association and all proceeds from the sale of the hay will go toward debt reduction on the show facilities.

The auction will be held at 10 a.m. All livestock producers are encouraged to attend and help support our youth program through the purchase of hay.

Hometown Christmas December 14

Rising Star's Hometown Christmas will be held Monday, December 14, beginning at 6:00 p.m. at the Higginbotham Center on North Main Street.

Santa will be there for the children to tell their Christmas wishes.

A hay ride will begin from near the center and, inside, refreshments will be served.

The window decoration committee is headed by Janell Caudle.

Hometown Christmas is sponsored by Rising Star Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture, Star Pride and Rising Star Foundation.

PTO Will Sponsor Santa's Secret Shop Open at Elementary December 7 to 11

The Rising Star Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) is sponsoring a Santa's Secret Shop December 7-11 in the Elementary School Library.

A large variety of inexpensive items will be available for children to purchase as gifts for family and friends. All items are priced at \$6.00 and under, with gift bags included.

More information, including a list of items with prices, will be sent home from school so parents may help the children decide what they might want to buy.

The PTO plans to use the money earned from this project for a Library Reading Incentive Program and also a Writing and Illustration Contest in the next few months.

Volunteers are needed to help out with the Santa's Shop. If you would be able to help during school hours, please call Trina Nance at 643-3791 or the Elementary School office at 643-2431.

CJC Choir Singing Here

Christmas Concert to Be Tuesday

Cisco Junior College Chorus will provide an exciting Christmas Concert Tuesday, December 8, at 6:00 p.m. This event is sponsored by the Saturday Club of Rising Star at the Methodist Church.

Prof. Wylie Peebles says they will have a surprise this year. The community has a very cordial invitation to the third annual holiday concert. Refreshments will be served directly afterwards at the Library building.

Rising Star Foundation Auction Set

The Rising Star Foundation will hold an auction at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, December 12 at the Higginbotham Center on North Main Street.

Included in the auction will be items left in the building by Higginbotham Brothers and Company; several of these items are antiques. Also other items (some antiques) have been donated to the Foundation for sale in the auction.

Donations may be made to any of the Foundation's directors: Robin Reeves, Gene Moore, Bill Medley, Wilburn Caudle, Mack Elliott, Robert Bostick, Weldon Hill, Gene Lyon or James Ramsay.

Come out and support your community civic center. See you there.

Eastern Star to Honor Masons

The local chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star is honoring the Masons with a covered dish supper on December 10 at the Senior Citizens Center's building. The event will begin at 6:30.

All Masons and wives are invited. See you there!

RSHS Band Concert Is December 10

by Adela Chavez
Wildcat Tales Staff

The Rising Star High School Band will be having its annual Christmas Concert at 7:00 p.m. in the auditorium next week on December 10. This will be the first time the concert will be held in the auditorium.

Senior Jo Linney said, "We have worked really hard for this concert and we hope that everyone will enjoy it."

We hope everyone will come and enjoy the sounds of our band for the Christmas Holidays!

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

Rising Star ISD will have an immunization clinic for school children Thursday, December 10, at Dr. Carpenter's office. Information packets will be sent home with the children who have been found to need either a booster shot or the oral polio.

We want to send a big THANK YOU to Dr. Billy T. Carpenter and his staff for helping with this clinic.

Connie Burcham, R.N.
School Nurse

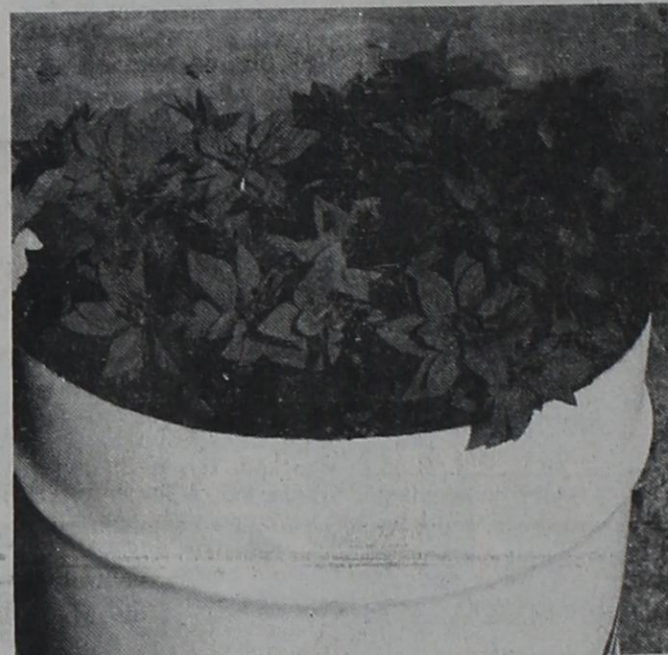
Today

Open House at Peoples State Bank

Peoples State Bank, Rising Star Branch has announced a Gala Holiday Open House to be held on Thursday, December 3.

This is our way of thanking our many customers for allowing us to serve them during 1992, said manager James Ramsay. Everyone is invited to come.

Star Pride Adds Color Downtown



Star Pride's flower barrels, scattered around downtown, are showing off some beautiful red poinsettias.

Community Calendar

- 1ST THURSDAY**
Rural Fire Dept., meet and train, County Barn, 5:15 p.m.
Board of Directors, Fire Dept. meets after training session, 6 p.m.
Firefighters Assn., City Hall, 7 p.m.
Dept. of Human Services, City Hall, 9-12.
- EACH THURSDAY**
Kiwanis Club, Peoples State Bank 6:30 a.m.
Senior Citizens Center is open for lunch, activities.
- City Library, open Thursdays, 9:30-11 a.m.
- LAKEWOD**
Christmas Party
Sat., Dec. 5, social at 5:30, dinner at 6:30.
- 1ST SATURDAY**
Sipe Springs Musical, community center, all musicians welcome
- EACH SATURDAY**
Bingo, American Legion Hall, 205 S. Main
- 1ST MONDAY**
Eastern Star, 100 N. Main, 7:30 p.m.
- EACH MONDAY**
Boy Scouts, Baptist Activity Bldg., 6:30 p.m.
- BIRTHDAY PARTY**
Rising Star Nursing Center birthday party for residents will be Tues., Dec. 8, 2:30 p.m.
- 2ND WEDNESDAY**
License tag renewals, County Precinct offices, Hwy. 36 W
EMS Meeting, 6:30 PM, Ambulance Bay
EACH WEDNESDAY
Clothing Supply Room, Church of Christ 9-4.
BAND CONCERT
Rising Star High School Band Concert will be Thurs., Dec. 10, 7 p.m. in the auditorium.
Hometown Christmas
Mon., Dec. 14, 6:30, Higginbotham Center. Santa, hay ride, more.
Nursing Home Party
Fri., Dec. 18, 6:30-8 p.m.
What's Happening by Kristi White
Dec. 3, 4, 5
Varsity girls and boys basketball, Santa Anna Tournament.
Dec. 3, 4, 5
Junior varsity girls basketball, Gorman JV Tournament.
Dec. 7
JH B-ball vs. Gustine. There at 6:00.
Dec. 8
VG-VBB-ball vs. Lingleville. Home at 6:30
Dec. 10
Band Concert. Auditorium at 7:00 p.m.
Dec. 11
VG-VB B-ball vs. Moran. Home at 6:30 p.m.
Dec. 19
Miss La Estrellita Coronation. High School Auditorium. TBA

Dr. Carpenter's Office

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Thursday and Friday,
December 3 and 4

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Lease Wanted

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WANTED

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Rising Star Nursing Center has vacancies available for both male and female residents. Private or semi private rooms. Call 643-2691 or come by and visit at 411 S. Miller in Rising Star.

Eastland County ASCS Peanut Box Score

Eastland County Peanut Production Summary as of Nov. 25 with harvest 94% complete
 Total acres planted _____ 26,188.8
 Total pounds sold _____ 37,373,355
 Pounds sold per acre _____ 1,656

Abilene Philharmonic to Give Christmas Concert

Abilene Philharmonic will present its annual Christmas Pops Concert Saturday, December 12, at 8:15 p.m. at the Abilene Civic Center. Along with standard Christmas music such as Rimsky-Korsakov's Introduction and Polonaise from "Christmas Night," Menotti's March and Shepherd's Dance from "Amahl and the Night Visitors," the orchestra will play music of Strauss and Waldteufel. Artist for the evening will be nationally known bass baritone, Charles Nelson, presently Artist in Residence at Abilene Christian University. He will narrate Prokofiev's "Peter and the Wolf," one of the holiday season's most loved symphonic works. Tickets are on sale at the symphony office.

Subscription Rates will increase January 1, 1993

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AUCTION

SATURDAY DECEMBER 5, 1992 10:30 A.M.

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Letter To The Editor

Editor,
In response to your request for input from your readers regarding the question you have presented as to whether a single county wide publication would better serve the people of Eastland County. Without hesitation, my recommendation is to develop a single county wide paper that will seek to unify the people of this county.

I have just completed the survey that you also have urged your readers to complete and mail to the County Industrial Development committee. Under the question, "List Eastland Counties three strongest features," I was only able to list LOCA-

TION. I do not feel that overall, the people of this county all agree or desire the same thing. And second I certainly do not feel that a majority would be willing to put their money where their mouths are.

If Eastland County is to move forward we must create opportunities for ourselves from within. We cannot continue to wait for someone to come and do it for us. This concept means we must be willing to make an investment in our own future. The forum that you offer could be a key factor in making this happen.

Our success depends on recognizing what is missing in our county in regards to economic devel-

opment and a lot less of our past desire to hang onto things that give us a false sense of security. The citizens must come to grips with the fact that we have very little to offer as compared to many others who are all competing for the very same things. We must seek to fund ourselves first, and at the same time determine if in fact we are all marching to the same drummer.

Please keep up the job you are doing and as always I will be happy to support any worthwhile cause that will benefit the people of Eastland or Eastland County.

Sincerely,
Steve Haines

Read the Classifieds

Eastland County MHMR Will Hold Screening

A developmental screening will be held December 9 for young children ages zero to three (0-3). This screening will be conducted at the Eastland County MHMR Center, 301 Pogue, Eastland, from 2:00-4:00 p.m.

The screening, which takes about 20 minutes to complete, tests a young child in four areas; personal/social skills (playing, eating, dressing, etc.), fine motor skills (ability to manipulate small objects), gross motor skills (running, jumping, etc.), and language development (speech, following instructions, etc.) If a child is found to have two or

more delays in one area, there is further testing available or referral to the appropriate agency.

The purpose of Early Childhood Intervention is to identify and correct as many problems as possible for young children. Early detection of young children's delays have proven beneficial to the child, parents and teachers.

For further information, please feel free to call (915-646-9574, ext. 158/159 in Brownwood, or come to the screening site.

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Eastland County Defensive Driving Classes Forming

Eastland County Defensive Driving Classes are now forming. For early registration please call 442-4479 or after 10 a.m. 442-2673. The fee for the class is \$20.

Classes are held at the Mountain Top Church Family Center at 600 E. 8th Street in Cisco. The next class will be held Saturday, Dec. 12, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

County Resources Association Meeting Thursday

The Eastland County Resources Association will hold its December meeting on Thursday, Dec. 3, 12 noon at Eastland Memorial Library. All are invited to

Class materials and videos are interesting and designed to give positive learning reinforcement with class participation and interaction.

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come out and learn of the needs of the community during the Holiday season.

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Sipe Springs Musical Saturday

The Sipes Spring musical will be Saturday, De-

Cowboy Stew Dinner At Cottonwood

The Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control will have a Cowboy Stew Dinner with live gospel and Christmas music on Saturday, Dec. 5, at 5:30 p.m. at the Cottonwood Community Center. The money raised will go toward the new construction of the fire building.

The dinner menu will consist of homemade stew, cornbread, desert and drink.

Adult plate will be \$4.50 and a child plate (under the age of 12) will be \$2.00. The singing will begin around 6 p.m., and everyone is invited to attend.

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Tribute To Keyahna Faith Nelms

(Editor's Note: The following was written by Keyahna's mother, Alva Nelms. Little Keyahna, 7 months, was buried Saturday, Nov. 28, at Romney Cemetery.)

Born: April 30, 1992. Died: November 27, 1992.

Seven months. That is not a long time for most of us. But for Keyahna, it was a life-time. Still, with her short life, Keyahna made a dramatic difference in our world.

On a personal level, she taught us how to be thankful for any abilities above zero percent, instead of complaining about how far our abilities are from the perfect 100 percent. We learned that crying, wiggling, coughing, and sneezing were great blessings that we had previously taken for granted. Because Keyahna did not cry as most babies do, we had to guess when she needed comforting or feeding or a change of scenery. She

smiled her appreciation for the simplest things we did for her. We learned that giving to some one who had no way of repaying us helped us understand our relationship with our Creator who cares for us in spite of our disabilities. Keyahna showed us that disabled people are different from the rest of us; just in her being, she gave us much more than we could possibly give her. Most of all, Keyahna gave us herself, our dear, sweet, wonderful daughter.

(Truly I say to you, as you did it to the least of these my brethren, you did it to me. Mat. 25:40)

On a community level, Keyahna was a catalyst for positive changes as well. A help line for other families of babies with anencephaly was started. A Bryan, Texas, family with an anencephalic baby drew strength from her life, and were able to sustain their baby

Samuel for four months despite medical predictions of immediate death. Environmental issues were underlined by the condition that she and her cousin Toby shared, making more people (including us) aware that we Texans are daily being exposed to dangerous toxins. A common desire for Keyahna's well-being welded many devout people of different faiths together in prayer. And our faith in Yahweh was strengthened when we met so many wonderful, caring believers through her.

(And whoever gives to one of these little ones even a cup of cold water because he is a disciple truly I say to you, he shall not lose his reward. Mat. 10:42)

Keyahna was involved in national events. She was a party to the Baby Theresa case in Florida. Baby Theresa had anencephaly like Keyahna. Her parents wanted the Florida law defining death to be changed to say that anencephaly meant "dead," even though her baby's heart and lungs were functioning perfectly on their own. They wanted to kill one person (who did not give permission for that killing) in

the hopes of salvaging body parts for some other person to use. Keyahna's presence at the oral arguments before the Supreme Court of Florida may have helped the judges decide to leave the current law untouched.

(See that you do not despise one of these little ones. Mat. 18:10)

We have been living with a miracle. In the whole United States, there are only three other children with anencephaly still living who are more than two months old. Medical literature has given that as the maximum age ever verified for a baby with anencephaly. However, Keyahna is changing the literature. The December issue of American Medical News has an article about her living for seven months and having abilities no one expected her to have. So, medical personnel all over the U.S. will become aware that babies with anencephaly can and do live for an extended time and do have some functions. It is our desire that these caregivers will act on Keyahna's story, so that more babies will be fed and encouraged to live, and more families can experience the joy with their babies that we have

Burton Hosts Tax Education Seminar

Jim M. Burton, Eastland representative for Edward D. Jones & Co., will host a live interactive broadcast for tax and legal professionals Wednesday, Dec. 9. The program is titled "Tax Policy and Priorities: A Year-end Update from Capitol Hill."

With the election behind us, many tax and legal professionals are wondering about tax changes in the near future. What are the tax and fiscal priorities of the Clinton Administration? Which recent tax proposals will be dusted off and moved to the top of the tax agenda? Which legislative and regulatory proposals will be driven by the deficit? Answers to these questions and more will be addressed during

had with Keyahna.

Keyahna has helped us to realize that, truly, ability and longevity are not the criteria for determining who is worthy of living. And we as people must not decide who lives and who dies. It is Yahweh alone who holds life and death in his hands.

(Yahweh giveth and Yahweh taketh away. Blessed by the name of Yahweh. Job 1:21)

tax budget policies.

This program will also feature Stephen Corrick, a tax partner in Arthur Andersen's Washington, D.C., Office of Federal Tax Services. Mr. Corrick is a CPA and attorney, and assists clients in analyzing the effects of legislative and regulatory proposals on individuals, corporations and partnerships.

This program is the final continuing education broadcast slated for 1992 and will be the fourth in the firm's series of town hall meetings featuring elected officials. "The format of this program will allow for significant interaction between the speakers and participants," Bruton said. "After a few minutes of prepared remarks, Senator Bradley will take viewer questions. Steve Corrick will continue with this format in the second hour, as he focuses on technical

changes we might expect."

This program, eligible for two hours of continuing education credit, makes earning required credit convenient for local tax professionals. "Participants are spared the expense of traveling long distances and being away from their offices for extended periods," Bruton said.

For more information on this continuing education broadcast, please contact Bruton at (817) 629-3851. The local office is located at 107 W. Main.

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Pharmacy Topics

By Bob Mueller



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Laser beams may be used to numb teeth before treatment. New unit being tested pulses on and off so heat doesn't build up.

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11th Court Of Appeals

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Appeals, Eleventh District of Texas:

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11-91-090-CV
Clyde T. Carter and Doris Carter Corum, Independent Executors of the Estate of Harry Lee Carter, Deceased v. Exxon Corporation. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) (Publish) (Judge Arnot not participating) Cherokee

11-92-089-CR
Jack Whitfield, Jr. v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Opinion) Smith

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11-92-051-CV APS Financial Corp. v. J. Scott Patton v. James E. Holmes. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) (Publish) Taylor

MOTIONS SUBMITTED & GRANTED

11-92-028-CR
George Truitt Stone, Sr. v. State of Texas. State's second motion for extension of time to file brief. Eastland

11-92-029-CR
Yolanda Soliz v. State of Texas. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief. Taylor

11-92-092-CR
John Welsey Metts v. State of Texas. Appellant's fourth motion for extension of time to file brief. Smith

11-92-114-CR
Gary Lollar v. State of Texas. State's second motion for extension of time to file brief. Smith

11-92-131-CR
William Tompkins v. State of Texas. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file record (statement of facts). Smith

11-92-160-CR
Travis Dudley, Jr. v. State of Texas. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file statement of facts. Gregg

11-92-177-CV
Jim Jacobs and Charles Jacobs v. Goldia Malone. Appellee's motion for permission to file late brief. Taylor

11-92-246-CR
Roy L. McClung, Jr. v. State of Texas. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file transcript. Baylor

11-92-247-CR
Roy L. McClung, Jr. v. State of Texas. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file transcript. Baylor

11-92-253-CV
Exploracion De La Estrella Sotaria Incorporacion, Marquis Petroleum, Inc., and Mamie Joe Cope v. Beryl Birdwell and Rosalie McGlaun. Appellants' motion for extension of time to file statement of facts. Scurry

First Monday Seminar Is Planned

The Pastoral Care and Counseling Center will present a First Monday seminar on December 7. Patrick Heard, staff therapist, will present an hour-long seminar entitled "Train up a child the way that he should go" Positive Methods for Shaping Your Child's Behavior, which will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room, 751 Hickory Street, Abilene, and is free to the public. For more information call 672-5683.

WORD OF GOD

Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore will I deliver him: I will set him on high, because he hath known my name.

He shall call upon me, and I will answer him: I will be with him in trouble: I will deliver him, and honor him.

With long life will I satisfy him, and show him my salvation.

Psalm 91:14-16

Duracell Announces Annual Scholarship Competition

All 9th through 12th grade students with an interest in technology, electronics or mechanics are invited to power their imaginations and enter the Eleventh Annual Duracell/NSTA Scholarship Competition to be eligible for \$32,500 in college scholarships and cash awards. Forty-one students are top winners in this national competition, which grants a first place scholarship of \$10,000, five second place \$3,000 scholarships, ten third place \$500 scholarships, and 25 cash awards of \$100 each.

'The Mighty Ducks,' New Disney Comedy, At Majestic This Weekend

The new Disney comedy "The Mighty Ducks" tells a story of inner-city kids and hockey. It also tells of a lawyer, Gordon Bombay (Emilio Estevez) whose ethics are out of whack.

When a Judge slaps Gordon with a community-service sentence, he finds himself coaching pee wee hockey. To Gordon's horror he is assigned to District 5, the A-team of hapless hockey players. A clumsy crew of misfits, these kids can't skate, can't score and can't win!

Unavoidably drawn back to a sport he has come to loath, Gordon is reluctant to get involved. But once committed, he determines to turn things around and starts by giving the team a new name - The Ducks.

Things finally come down to the most important slap-shot of their lives, in Walt Disney Pictures' new live-action comedy. This picture is presented in association with Touchstone Pacific Partners 1.

For screenwriter Steven Brill, the decision to film this action in Minnesota was an easy one. "Hockey in Minnesota is taken very seriously," says Brill, who plays the

winners are guests of Duracell for awards festivities which conclude the competition.

The Eleventh Annual Duracell/NSTA Scholarship Competition culminates in Kansas City, MO on March 31 and April 1, 1993, during the 41st Annual Convention of the National Science Teachers Association. The winners, accompanied by their parents and science teachers, will be presented with their awards and congratulated by an audience of media representatives, educators and scientists.

The Duracell/NSTA Scholarship Competition has recognized young inventors and designers for the last ten years by honoring more than 400 students with scholarships and cash awards totalling over \$300,000. To enter the competition, a student must design and build a battery-powered device that is educational, useful or entertaining. Past winners have made an automatic card dealer for the disabled, a talking ruler, an adjustable wrench, a walkietalkie device for the deaf, a portable keyboard, a talking weather predictor, and a

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Administered by the National Science Teachers Association and sponsored by Duracell U.S.A., the Duracell/NSTA Scholarship Competition is judged by a prestigious group of scientists and science educators, headed by Dr. Arthur Eisenkraft, a physics teacher, Presidential Awardee, and Disney Science Teacher of the Year. Judging for the competition is the sole responsibility of the NSTA.

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MORAN NEWS

By Mrs. Luke Huskey

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Winn of California visited with her brother, Raymond Finley, and Mrs. Finley, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hudman spent Thanksgiving Day in Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hudman.

Your correspondent wishes that each of you had a very enjoyable Thanksgiving and did not eat too much. Now, as we approach the Christmas Season, do be careful and have a very Merry Christmas, and be careful. If you travel during the coming season, drive carefully, as there will be lots of people on the roads.

Mrs. Winnie Padgett and Susie of Athens spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Howard. Bill Howard of Midland was also a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard.

Mrs. Dale Tollefson spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. John Borella and Mr. Borella in Georgetown, also visited with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hawkins and Dean Tollefson in San Antonio. Jo Anna and Sara Hawkins returned home with their grandmother for a weekend visit.

Ryan Dunbar of Fort Worth spent the holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kays.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Gardner of San Antonio visited with her other, Mrs. J.W. Booth a few days last week.

Carolyn Loudder of California was greeting friends in Moran Friday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Thomason for the holidays was Glenn and Joy Key of Miami, Florida, Steve and Jennifer Key, Steven and Sarah of Houston, Pete and Jo Ann Hathcock of Ranger, Joe and Carol Harper, Jade of Andrews and Russell Thomason and Rachel and Stephanie of Odessa.

Funeral for Ann York Pettus Wurst, 86, was held at 1 p.m. at the Moran Cemetery Tuesday, directed by Harper-Talesek Funeral Home of Killeen.

Mrs. Wurst grew up in Moran. She was a member of Eastland Avenue Methodist Church in Atlanta. She was a bookkeeper in Atlanta, Ga.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Leota Bartholomew of Brownwood and one brother, Victor Pettus of Killeen.



Mrs. Donna Moore of Russellville, N.C. visited with friends in Moran last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Matthews spent Thanksgiving Day in Abilene with her sister, Mrs. W.C. Weske, and Mr. Weske.

Mr. and Mrs. Neu Baker of Red Oak visited with her mother, Mrs. L.L. Walker for Thanksgiving.



Read The Classifieds

Sugar In Children's Diet Should Be Moderate

At Christmas, visions of sugarplums may dance in children's heads but sugar in their diets should be kept to a moderate level, says a nutritionist at the USDA's Children's Nutrition Research Center in Houston.

"There is a place for sugar in children's diets. They need sugar, vitamins, and minerals for energy. But parents should watch for 'hidden sugars' in foods, said Janice Stuff, a research instructor at Baylor College of Medicine. "Moderation is the key."

Children who learn to prefer sweet-tasting foods may face problems down the line, she said.

For example, a high-calorie diet can lead to weight gain in some youngsters. Although most children burn the extra calories received from sugar through daily activity, some do not and may eventually end up overweight, said Stuff.

Also, dental problems such as tooth decay and unhealthy gums can be reduced by limiting sugar in the diet.

Stuff warns that food manufacturers often add sugar to their snack products, especially microwavable foods.

"Parents can promote healthier snacks and decrease sugar intake by making snacks at home," said Stuff.

She offers the following suggestions to reduce sugar:

- * Drink unsweetened fruit juices and avoid soft drinks containing sugar. Read the labels. Words such as "punch", "fruit drinks", and "10% juice" mean the drink has a high sugar content.

* When preparing juice

from concentrate, dilute the juice with additional water to cut the sweetness.

- * Use fresh fruit purees with chopped fruit to add natural sweetness to baked goods or low-fat plain yogurt.

- * Make your own frozen fruit bars by freezing juice (orange juice is especially good).

- * Flavor pancakes, waffles, muffins, and hot cereals with spices such as cinnamon or nutmeg, or with extracts—vanilla, almond, orange, or maple.

- * Use 2/3 to 3/4 of the sugar called for in recipes.

- * Replace cocoa with carob powder in baked goods. This will decrease sugar by 25%.

- * Pack lunches with individual servings of unsweetened applesauce or fruit in water-packed or light syrup.

- * Devise a plan with your child to limit candy or candybars to once or twice a week.

"These guidelines can be used in the battle against

high-calorie diets," she said. "Promoting a healthy diet is one of the greatest gifts you can give your child during the holidays and throughout the new year."

WORD OF GOD

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I tell you, Nay; but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.

He spake also this parable; A certain man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came and sought fruit thereon, and found none.

Then said he unto the dresser of his vineyard, Behold, these three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none: cut it down; why cumbereth it the ground?

And he answering said unto him, Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it:

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Luke 13:5-9

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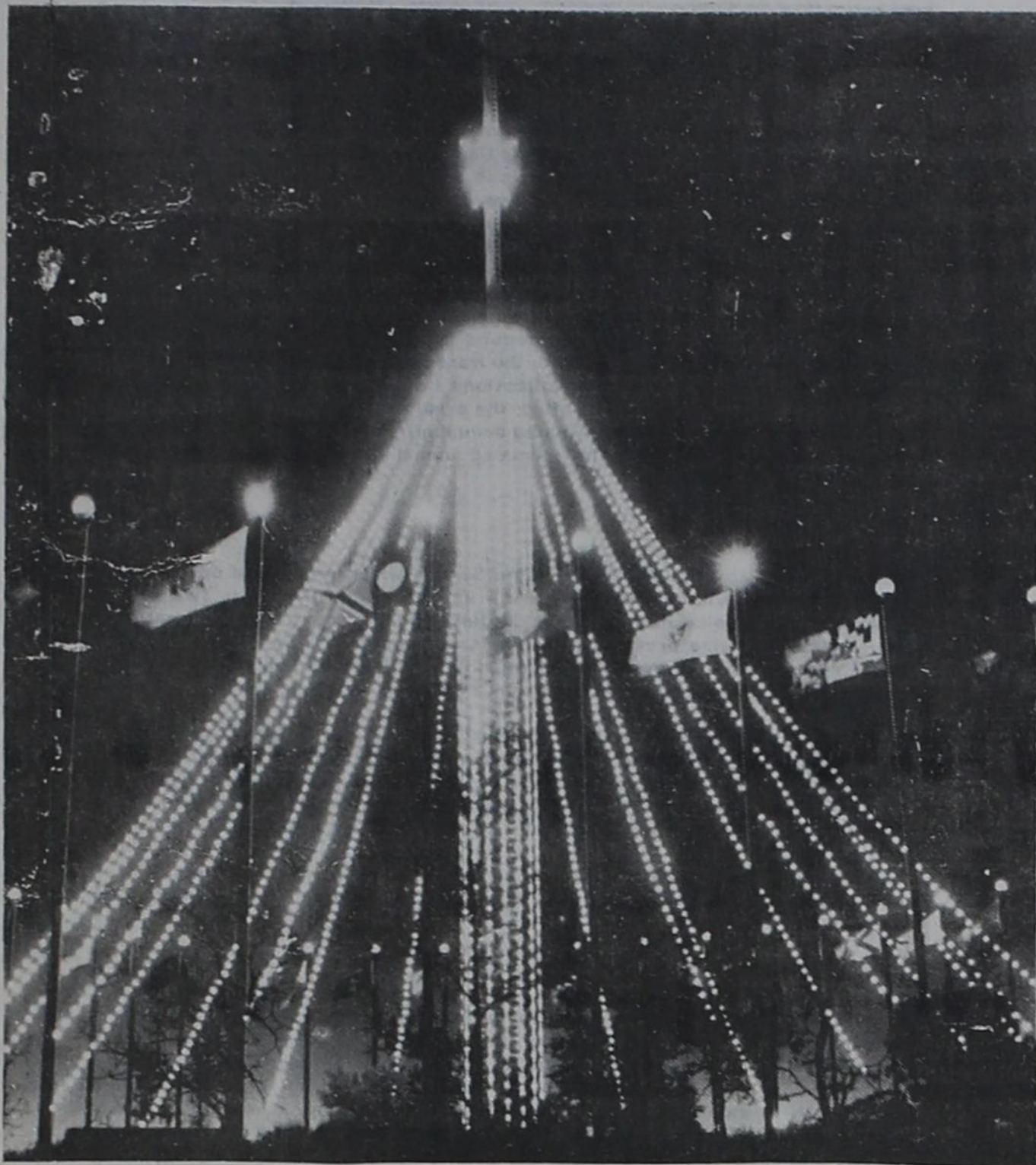
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'HOLIDAY LIGHT MAGIC' AT SEA WORLD OF TEXAS - Hundreds of lights form a shimmering 180-foot-tall Christmas "tree" (left) while carolers (right) perform some of the season's most popular songs for guests during "Holiday Light Magic" at Sea World of Texas in San Antonio. Sea World's holiday spectacular enables guests to drive their vehicles through a mile-and-a-half-long route of illuminated holiday displays and then enjoy an array of entertainment and festivities in the park's elaborately decorated Entrance Plaza. Holiday Light Magic runs nightly December 4 through January 3, with the exception of December 24, Christmas Eve. For more Sea World of Texas information, call (210) 523-3611.



"Holiday Light Magic" To Brighten Sea World Of Texas Holiday Season

Sea World of Texas in San Antonio is brightening up for the holidays with "Holiday Light Magic," a sparkling spectacle of lighted seasonal displays, colorful decorations and festive entertainment for all ages.

Featuring a one-and-a-half-mile drive-through of lighted, larger-than-life holiday scenes, Holiday Light Magic will be presented nightly at Sea World Dec. 4 through Jan.

3, except Christmas Eve, Dec. 24. Hours of operation will be 6 to 10 p.m. Sunday through Thursday and 6 to 11 p.m. on Friday and Saturday.

Holiday Light Magic will enable guests to drive their private vehicles past numerous brilliant displays — many as tall as 15 feet — fashioned out of thousands of colorful lights. Sea World's spacious Entrance Plaza also will be decked out in its

brightest holiday attire with special lighting and decorations as well as live entertainment and music.

Admission to Holiday Light Magic will be \$9 per passenger car or van, \$20 per commercial shuttle or mini-bus and \$45 per bus. However, the drive-through and Entrance Plaza are the only portions of Sea World that will be open to the public.

"Holiday Light Magic is a fitting conclusion to our

year-long celebration, The Year of the Family," said Dan Trausch, Sea World of Texas assistant general manager. "This special Sea World presentation is ideal for families who want to come together and share the beautiful pageantry of the holiday season."

Many of the drive-through's lighted exhibits will depict some of the season's most popular traditional images, such as snowmen, Christmas trees, Santa Claus and toy soldiers. Others will portray marine life themes featuring illuminated

figures of dolphins, whales and flamingos, to name a few.

After completing the drive-through, guests will be able to park their vehicles and stroll through

Sea World's Entrance Plaza where more than 30,000 lights and stained glass imagery will bring to life the splendor of the season.

Guests also will be able

to view antique animated window exhibits, static displays of Sea World parade floats decorated in holiday colors and a large (15-foot-tall) lighted teddy bear.

Entertainment will showcase performances by San Antonio-area choirs as well as Sea World's popular costumed characters Shamu and friends in a lively stage presentation of the Charles Dickens classic, "A Christmas Carol," under the park's elegant Entrance Archways. In addition, strolling performers will make appearances throughout the Plaza various times each night.

At Santa's Workshop, Santa Claus himself will be available for photo-

graphs and to take children's Christmas wishes. Also appearing each evening will be Sea World's own Shamu Claus costumed character and the world-famous Anheuser-Busch Clydesdale horses.

At Mrs. Claus's Kitchen, guests will be able to purchase tasty holiday treats such as cookies and other baked goods, while Sea World's "Tis the Season" gift shop will offer many interesting gift-giving ideas.

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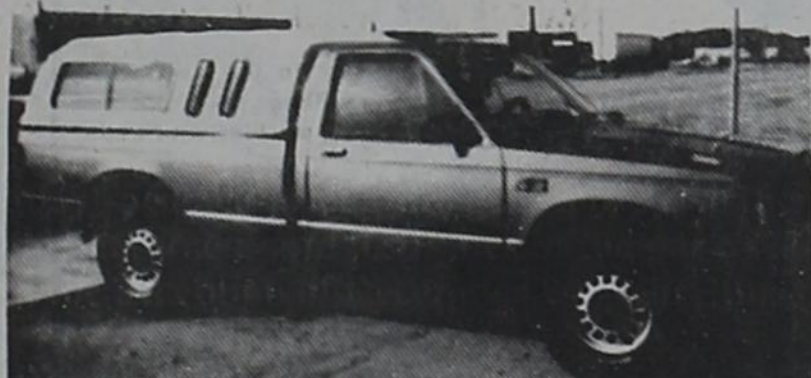
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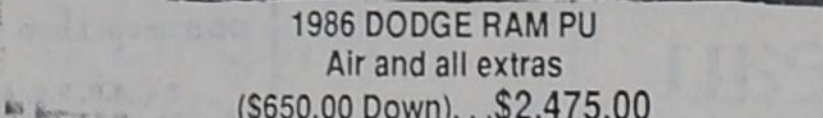
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Obituaries

Glen R. Harms

MAY - Glen R. Harms, 90, died Sunday, November 29, 1992 in a Brownwood nursing home following a lengthy illness. Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at May Cemetery with the Rev. Dennis Hester officiating. Davis-Morris Funeral Home of Brownwood was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Harms was born June 12, 1902 in Paradise and was a lifetime resident of Brown County. He was a veteran of the Army Air Force military police in World War II, a carpenter and a Baptist. He married Thema Byrd on March 28, 1942 in Brownwood. She preceded him in death on June 11, 1991.

Survivors include a stepdaughter, Earlene Hampton of Brownwood; a granddaughter, Karen Penberton of Tuscola; a grandson, Carlton Hampton of Brownwood; two great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Helen Strong

Helen Strong, 66, died Monday, November 30, 1992 in a Brownwood hospital. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Ronnie Bostick officiating. Burial will be in Romney Cemetery.

Mrs. Strong was born in Cardiff, Md. and had lived in Eastland County for several years. She was a retired bookkeeper and a member of Union Center Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Nancy Lee Bostick of Lake Brownwood; a granddaughter, Carrie Lynn Welch of Rising Star; and three great-grandchildren.

Pioneer Patchwork

by Irma Miller

The quilters finished the Triangles and Squares, worked on the LeMoyné Star and put into the frames an old quilt, an Improved Dresden Plate.

On the Thanksgiving holidays, Jean and James Alexander entertained their children, Jim and Marie Alexander and their children, Doss, Jack, Will and Ashley of Richardson. Also participating in their holiday celebrations were May and D.P. Jones and their son, Skip Jones, and his friend Randy Wroble of Abilene.

Visiting at the home of their parents, Frankie and Oliver Smith on Thursday, were their daughter and her husband, Roxie and Bobby Nance and children Joe and Scott of San Angelo, and their daughter Shirley Rankin of Rising Star. Also visiting was their friend and neighbor, Jean Fore. On Friday they went to Ranger to see Frankie's Dad, who was doing pretty well.

Jewel Foster had an extended and wonderful Thanksgiving with her children, Gene and Norma Foster. Charles and Lucille Foster, of Clyde, could

not be there on Thursday, but on Sunday treated Jewel to a steak dinner.

Lottie Sooter entertained a crowd of relatives on the holiday from Louisiana, Arkansas and Texarkana, besides the Texas residents.

Novilia Barton received her children, Mary and Cecil Barton of Waco and Randall and Terry Barton and their little boy, who came and stayed five days.

Visiting Nell and Joe Fleming on the holiday were Mr. and Mrs. Brett Atchley of Pampa and Bryan Fleming of Amarillo, who spent a few days. Other relatives were JoVeda and Bill Watson of Byrds Store, Alton Watson of Pampa and Julie Robinson of Midland who had lunch with them on Saturday. Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Don Nelson of Brownwood visited.

Visiting John and Irma Miller on Wednesday was Mr. Cayden Fran of Clyde. He was on business of the Railroad Commission. Visiting Wednesday night and Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Lipstraw and children Steven and Mark of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Lagow of Dallas and Thursday were David Miller and Sam Miller of Houston area, who stayed until Sunday.

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Sipe Springs News

Mr. and Mrs. John McKeehan and Mrs. Joyce McKeehan had Thanksgiving dinner with their niece, Mrs. Barbara Lee and family in Stephenville.

Mrs. Mary Anderson, Mrs. Jessie Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Anderson and girls of Carlton spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Winnie Anderson in Rising Star. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Anderson of Snyder also spent the weekend with Winnie.

Melinda Vernon of Illinois returned home after visiting her father, R.A. Vernon.

Visitors at the T.A. Weavers during the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Covie Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Todd Weaver and David Weaver, all of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Kim Joyce of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith of

Okra and Kyle Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Caylon Joyce of Dallas, Mae Leonard and Mr. and Mrs. David Rainer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barton spent Wednesday night and Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Barton in Knickerbocker, then their weekend visitors here were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Barton of McCamey, J.E. Barton of Dublin and Kevin Barton of Austin.

Mrs. Mae Leonard had lunch with Mrs. Sandra Creech Saturday and supper with Mr. and Mrs. Nonnie Leonard Jr. Saturday night.

Mrs. Elayne Millwee visited her parents at Pioneer Thursday and had dinner with her sister, Mrs. Artis Kanady on Friday.

Everyone enjoyed the Fire Department fish supper benefit at Cook's Fish Barn Monday night.

RS Nursing Center

Vickie Majors, Activity Dir.

MON: Did daily visits and care plans. Bingo players were Maggie Christian 5, Addie Green 2, Ruby Booth 3, Bryant Houston 2, Myrtle Burkett 1, Daisy Smoot 3, Opal Gattis 4, Lovester Brown 3, Laura Bennie 6, Rose Nichols 2, Martin Straub 3 and Charles Rixford 7.

TUE: Daily visits and had Ruby McCowen and Bobby Jack for visitors.

WED: Daily visits and exercised. Bingo players were Maggie Christian 3, Addie Green 2, Ruby Booth 4, Bryant Houston 1, Myrtle Burkett 2, Daisy Smoot 3, Opal Gattis 3, Lovester Brown 3, Laura Bennie 3, Jenneye Turner 2 and Charles Rixford 6.

THU: Daily visits and exercises. We watched a movie.

FRI: Daily visits and exercised. Bingo players were Maggie Christian 5, Addie Green 2, Ruby Booth 1, Myrtle Burkett 5, Bryant Houston 4, Daisy Smoot 2, Opal Gattis 4, Lovester Brown 1, Rose Nichols 4, Martin Straub 6 and Charles Rixford 8.

We want to thank the Church of Christ for Sunday services.

Our monthly birthday party has been moved to December 8 at 2:30 p.m. The Assembly of God Church will be our host.

Residents Christmas Party will be Dec. 18 at 6:30-8 p.m.

Read The Classifieds

Senior Citizens Center

by Marjorie West

Everyone is about back to normal at the club after preparing the benefit luncheon for the ambulance fund and enjoying the Thanksgiving holidays. We hope everyone

had a great time with friends and relatives.

We are sorry Anna Lovell is not well. She recently had surgery at the Brownwood hospital and we hope she will be doing great soon.

The center was closed for Thanksgiving, so everyone could visit their families.

We will be open Thursday, December 3. Everyone come and enjoy the day with us.

PERSONAL

Guests for the Thanksgiving weekend for Lottie M. Roach and Sharolyn and Franklin Cox were McKala Millington of Albuquerque, N.M.; Mary Lane and Tissie Roach of Hamilton; Judy Roach of Austin; Cris Cottingham of Bryan; Marc and Linda Cottingham of Dallas; James Roach and Debra Satterwhite, both of San Angelo; Jimmie and Jay Mayes of Brownwood; Jim Ray Cox of Rising Star; and Laura Cox of Washington, D.C.

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DS1 Service

DS1 Service is an intraLATA Private Line Service which provides a dedicated, high capacity channel which may be used for simultaneous two-way transmission of voice data or other digitally encoded customer information signals. DS1 Service provides a transmission speed of 1.544 Mbps and is designed to provide an average performance of at least 95 percent error-free seconds of transmission over a continuous 24-hour period.

DS1 Service is available in and between all exchanges of GTE-SW and Contel where digital facilities exist. DS1 Service is available on a point-to-point intraLATA basis between two Customer Designated Locations (CDL) between a Serving Wire Center (SWC) and a CDL, between a CDL and a point of connection with another service provider or between two SWCs.

IntraLATA DS1 Private Line Service is comprised of three rate elements: DS1 Local Loop, DS1 Transport and DS1 Transport Termination. Each element is described below.

DS1 Local Loop

This rate element is for the cable facilities from the CDL to the SWC. The customer has two payment options for the purchase of DS1 Local Loops. There is a month-to-month plan or term contract Optional Payment Plan (OPP).

The month-to-month payment basis allows the customer to establish and disconnect DS1 Services, without penalty, other than to meet the minimum service interval of one month's service, as needed. Under the month-to-month service, the additional DS1 Local Loop rate applies only when the additional DS1 Local Loop (s) is (are) ordered at the same time and between the same two CDLs as the first DS1 Local Loop.

The OPP plan allows the customer to select a term of service (1 YR, 3 YR and 5 YR) with lower monthly rates associated with longer term contracts. If the customer selects an OPP, additional DS1 Local Loops may be ordered and installed at the Additional DS1 Local Loop rate between any SWC and CDL covered by the OPP, at any time during the term of that OPP.

DS1 Transport

This rate element is for the mileage sensitive charges for transporting a DS1 signal between Serving Wire Centers. Transport occurs only when the two CDLs being connected are served by two different SWCs.

DS1 Transport Termination

This rate element is for the equipment to terminate DS1 Transport at the SWCs. This charge applies only when DS1 Transport is required for the service configuration of the customer. One transport termination charge applies at each end of the DS1 Transport.

Proposed Rates and Charges for DS1 Service are as follows:

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rates
DS1 Local Loop		
Month-to-Month		
First System	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 298.00
12-month term		
First System	-0-	\$ 283.00
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First System	-0-	\$ 255.00
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First System	-0-	\$ 226.00
Additional System	\$ 130.00	\$ 130.00
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DS1 Transport Termination		
Per Termination	-0-	\$ 40.00

Digital Data Service

Digital Data Service (DDS) is an intraLATA Private Line service which supports synchronous, full-duplex transmission between the CDL and the SWC or the point of connection with another telephone company at transmission speeds of 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2 and 56 kilobits per second (Kbps). DDS provides a transmission path for digital data signals within the same LATA.

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IntraLATA DDS Private Line Service is comprised of three rate elements: DDS Local Loop, DDS Transport and DDS Transport Termination. Each element is described below.

DDS Local Loop

This rate element is for the cable facilities from the CDL to the SWC. The customer may establish and disconnect DDS Local Loops without penalty other than the minimum service interval of one month's service, as his/her needs demand.

DDS Transport

This rate element is for the mileage sensitive charges for transporting a DDS signal between SWCs. Transport occurs only when the two CDLs being connected are served by two different SWCs.

DDS Transport Termination

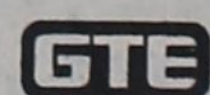
This rate element is for the equipment to terminate DDS Transport at the SWCs. This charge applies only when DDS Transport is required for the service configuration of the customer. One transport termination charge applies at each end of the service.

Proposed rates and charges for DDS are as follows:

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rates
DDS Local Loop		
2.4, 4.8, 9.6, & 19.2 Kbps	\$ 85.00	\$ 85.00
56 Kbps	\$ 85.00	\$ 95.00
DDS Transport		
Per airline mile		
2.4, 4.8, 9.6 & 19.2 Kbps	-0-	\$ 1.60
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Wildcat Tales

Rising Star High School Journalism Class

Stuteville's Stats

by Emily Stuteville

Last Tuesday, November 24, the Lady Cats traveled to Cisco to play in probably the most physical game the high school girls will experience all year. In the first quarter the Lady Lobos went on a wild scoring spree, leaving the Lady Cats in their dust. The score at the end of the first period was 20-6 in favor of Cisco.

The second quarter was not a large improvement. However, the Lady Cats did improve their defense and the score at the halftime buzzer was 30-13.

The third quarter saw a burst of adrenaline from Rising Star when the defense was much improved and scoring was a little better. The third quarter

Wid's Wide World of Wildcats

by Wid Keeling

Last Tuesday, Nov. 24, the mighty Wildcats basketball team traveled to Cisco to take on the Lobos. It was a very close and exciting game the first half. The Cats were down by 3 at the half.

The second half the Cats only scored 3 points, while the Lobos scored 18. This is where the Cats lost ground. The game provided yet another great learning experience, confidence that they can mix it



Rising Star Wildcats were getting ready for basketball practice when this photo was made early this week.

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Catnip

by Christy Hughes

Last Monday the Jr. Ladycats took on the Zephyr Jr. High girls. This game was close all the way through, but in the end, Zephyr was on top.

In the first quarter, both teams scored 6 points, but by the half, Zephyr had begun to pull away. At the half the score was 13-10, Zephyr. In the third quarter, the Ladycats led 16-15, but the final score was 23-18, Zephyr.

Scoring for Rising Star were Kristie Collins, 10; Holly Butler, 4; and Melissa Johnson, 4.

The ladies' next game will be on Monday, December 7, as they travel to Gustine, with the game starting at 6:00 p.m.

Nonnie's News

by Tianay Chambers

The Jr. High Wildcats lost to a great fight against Zephyr. The final score was 32-27. They did a wonderful job.

Scoring for the Jr. Wildcats were Johnny Salazar, 5; Jeff Harris, 6; Brandon Cook, 5; Kobey Morris, 4; Korey Morris, 7.

The guys said they did a good job, but they need to work on their shots. The guys play Gustine next Monday, there at 6:00 p.m. Be there!

Our Eccentric Elementary

by Inga Williams

It is back to work for the elementary students this week. After a short break from school for the Thanksgiving Holidays and the fun they had last week at school learning and doing projects for the holiday, now it is back to the books.

All of the students had a fun and relaxing four day weekend, but now I do not think that they are ready to get back on track. A couple of the students that I talked to were ready to come back to see their friends, but they did not really want to see the work that their teachers had prepared for them to start the fourth week of the third six weeks.

Man, no one ever appreciates their teachers hard work huh? Oh, don't feel bad! After a couple of days the students will soon be back on track.

Misc. Musings

by Adela Chavez

Last week was Thanksgiving Week and to show the different customs and traditions, I went around and asked different people what they did for the big "Turkey Day."

Freshman, Tianay Chambers, went to her grandparents house and enjoyed a good old fashioned Thanksgiving dinner. "It was a nice break from school, and a chance to see most of my family."

Sophomore, Andi Ferbrache, had a different kind of Thanksgiving this year. She came to Dallas with me and celebrated Thanksgiving with my family. We both had a bunch of fun especially with the forty year olds.

Junior, Inga Williams, went shopping for the Thanksgiving Holidays. "Thanksgiving sales are almost as good as after Christmas sales."

Senior, Kristi White, had to work for the holidays. "The one good thing about working on Thanksgiving Day is that I was able to make someone else's holiday more enjoyable than it would have been if no one was there for them."

As you can see everyone spent Thanksgiving in their own special way. I hope that everyone had a great day, now it's time to count for the Christmas Holidays.

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Paranoid

Keep talking to him and see if you can convince him that you want to help. Sounds like there is something wrong. If he won't tell you what the problem is then maybe you can get his best friend to talk to him.

Delicious Delicacies

by Kristi White

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THU: Lunch: Sheppard pie, carrots, salad, rolls, peach halves, milk. **Breakfast:** Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk.
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Dec. 11	Moran	6:30, home
Dec. 15	Abilene Christian	4:00, there
Dec. 18	Zephyr	6:30, TBA
Dec. 29	Priddy	6:30, there
Jan. 5	Abilene Christian	4:00, home
Jan. 7,8,9	Rising Star-Tourney,	home
Jan. 12	Santo	6:30, home
Jan. 15	Santa Anna	6:30, home
Jan. 19	Gorman	6:30, TBA
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Former CJC Student Completes 30 Years As Military Cop

When CMSgt. Jim Tabor began terminal leave in November, he had served almost 30 years as a military cop. This was a long career for a person who, as a kid, never knew what he wanted to do when he grew up.

"Joining the Air Force was a 'spur of the moment' kind of thing," Tabor conceded. In January, 1963, he was attending Cisco Junior College.

"I went to college mainly because that is what most of my friends did," he said. "Then one friend suggested we join the Air Force."

Tabor and his friend drove to the office of the nearest AF recruiter, in Abilene. They both enlisted, but Tabor still didn't know which career field he wanted.

"Radiologist sounded good," he remembered thinking at the time; but

the recruiter persuaded him to attend the Air Force Academy. Tabor entered basic training at Lackland Air Force Base on Jan. 28 and completed the academy, also at Lackland, the following May.

At last, Tabor had found his career, and he would continue learning — learning something important at each base where he was stationed. "I learned early on that it was important not only to learn how to do my job well," he said, "but also to be able to demonstrate I could do it."

After two years at England AFB, La., Tabor received orders for Vietnam. "I was the 27th cop to arrive at Cam Rahn Air Base," he called. "By the time I left, there were 700, and Cam Rahn had become a huge installation."

Tabor was in Vietnam for a year. "I had some

scary experiences," he said, "but there I learned how people have to depend on each other."

Partly because of his experience in Vietnam, Tabor's next assignment, at Bergstrom AFB, Texas, called upon him to each some combat skills. "This whetted my desire to become an instructor," he noted. In 1970, he applied and was accepted. It was back to Lackland.

At about this time the career field was undergoing major changes. The Air Police Academy became the Security Police Academy. "Now AF cops had to learn about such things as weapons security, air base defense and resources protection," Tabor explained. "We had to learn and teach them all."

After leaving Lackland in 1973, Tabor pulled year of duty at Cape Newingham, Alaska, a remote base with only 80 people

where he was the only full-time cop. Then he returned to Texas, this time at Carswell AFB. By the time he left this Strategic Air Command assignment six years later, he had learned the reputation as a person who could do many jobs.

In 1980 he received orders to go to Europe. He never made it. "The orders were cancelled due to a fluke," he said. Instead he made it to the Canadian border — almost — with orders for Loring AFB, Maine. "This was my hardest assignment," Tabor recalled. He had signed in as section supervisor in July and his new unit of 400 SPs was expecting a major Department of Defense inspection the following December. "We were not expected to pass," he said, "but we did. It took a lot of hard work and long hours by a lot of people, but we

exceeded everyone's expectations."

By this time Tabor was ready for a change in climate. He got it with an assignment to the Pacific Air Command's SP staff in Hawaii. "It was a great assignment," he said. "I got to see a lot of the Pacific." His job required a lot of traveling — maybe too much. When the opportunity came for him to come to Kelly in 1986, he and his wife, Barbara, whom he had met while stationed at Lackland, welcomed the change.

"I didn't know what to expect at Kelly," Tabor admitted. Kelly was different from all his previous assignments. "Elsewhere my focus was narrower," he explained. "At Kelly I have had to put to use all my previous training."

"Kelly's huge population means a bigger law enforcement mission," he continued. "We do a lot of 'real police work' — as

opposed to just safeguarding material assets."

Tabor has enjoyed his duty as 651st Security Police Squadron superintendent. "I liked getting involved in all aspects of police work," he said. For some aspects he was not specifically trained. During Desert Storm, he got involved in a proxy wedding between an SP on duty in Southwest Asia and the SP's wife-to-be. "This was one of the highlights of my career," said Tabor. "Not every SP chief gets to play such a role."

Tabor has also found time to become involved in the Kelly Chiefs Group. Top Three Association and the NCO Club Advisory Committee. "A chief master sergeant ought to provide leadership and a positive role model and to help people achieve their

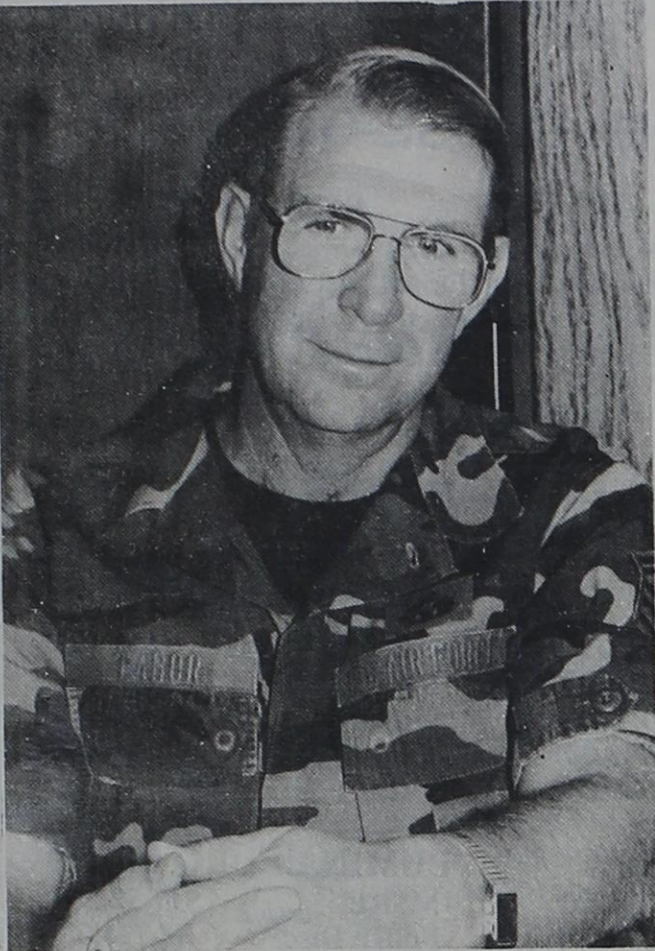
goals in the Air Force," he said.

Looking at retirement, Tabor said he will remain in San Antonio. My wife's family lives here, we own our home, and we have a daughter in college," he explained. He plans to "go back to work" eventually, but has nothing lined up.

In any case, Tabor expects to stay in touch with the many friends he has made at Kelly. "I am leaving formal duty," he said, "but I will never really leave Kelly."

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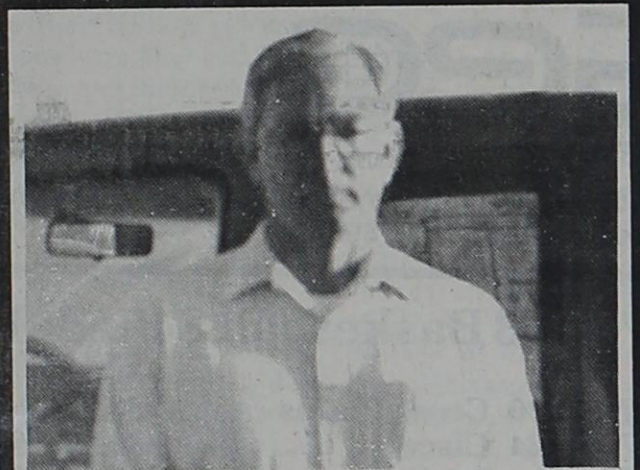
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HIGHLIGHTS
 By Lyndell Williams
 TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Lawmakers went home early for Thanksgiving last week — leaving behind a disappointed governor and disgruntled lieutenant governor — after House Republicans rejected a proposed compromise school finance bill.

Gov. Ann Richards and Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, their own "Fair Share Plan" roadblocked by the GOP caucus, had asked Republicans to offer their own plan.

Although cynicism abounds in this special session, hopes rose briefly when freshman Rep. Steve Ogden, R-Bryan, steered his bill through committee.

Nothing Accomplished
 "For all practical purposes, there's no way we can accomplish what we wanted. This session is just as good as over," said Rep. Hugo Berlanga, D-Corpus Christi.

Democrats, who hoped to resolve the issue before more GOP troops arrive in January for the regular session, blamed the failure on the Republicans.

Bullock blasted House Republicans, saying they are playing hardball politics with the state's schoolchildren and the state's \$14 billion education system.

"They get an 'F' in leadership and an 'F' on their plan," said Bullock, who presides over the Senate.

Bullock said it was clear to him that some Republicans came to the special session intent on "trying to embarrass Gov. Richards." If the session fails, Bullock said, "we ought to send the Republicans a bill for \$500,000 for wasting taxpayer money."

Governor's Mistake?
 Rep. Tom Craddock of Midland, leader of the 58-member GOP caucus, said Republicans are not trying to be spoilers. He said GOP members choked on the Ogden bill when they saw its \$15 billion price tag. He said the bill would require about \$1 billion in new state money — significantly more than the Democrat-backed plan.

Craddock said Richards was told last spring that Republicans would not support any bill until told precisely how funds would reach each school district.

"Without an agreement in hand before the session, I'd say it was a waste for the governor to call the session," Craddock said.

Compromise Possible
 But Richards said the Senate

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Education Committee is expected to take up a bill to deal with public education spending this week.

She did not have specifics about the new proposal, but House Speaker Gib Lewis said Sen. Bill Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant, is expected to file a new bill on school finance.

Two Week Hury's Seat
 Secretary of State John Hannah has certified that Democrat Patricia Gray and Republican Cynthia Tauss will appear on the Dec. 12 special election ballot for the Texas House District 23 seat.

Gray was elected Nov. 3 to fill the unexpired term of James Hury, who vacated the seat to join the law firm of Fulbright & Jaworski. Hury did two weeks after leaving office in an airplane crash in Houston.

The special election will determine who will serve the next two years as the representative from the Galveston County district.

Auto Insurance Discounts
 The State Board of Insurance has authorized insurers to offer three types of car insurance discounts, including rate relief for parents of students living away from home.

By a vote of 3-0, the Board approved discounts for drivers with anti-lock brakes and for drivers with good records when renewing policies that have been in force at least six months.

Each discount will be optional with insurance companies and will not be subject to a percentage or dollar limit.

Treasurer's Staff Reduced
 State Treasurer Kay Bailey Hutchison said a recent story in the *Houston Post*, which stated that her staff has increased 16 percent is "totally incorrect."

"When I took office in January of 1991, the agency had 274 employees. It now has 253. This represents an eight percent reduction," she said.

"The budget I have submitted to the Legislature for the next biennium is for a five percent reduction from my current funding level. This will include further staff reductions, which will be accomplished through attrition," Hutchison said.

Other Highlights
 ■ The U.S. Navy will close Chase Field in Beville on Feb. 1, two months earlier than planned. Jobs for approximately 90 to 100 civilian employees will end Jan. 19, said Ensign Brenda Malone of Chase's public affairs office.

■ Sen. Mike Moncrief, D-Fort Worth, on the state's tight fiscal condition and the need for tax reform without an income tax: "Once we have a good taste of living within our means for the next two years, the business people and citizens are going to be asking for this."

■ Gov. Richards asked President Bush to declare Harris County a major disaster area in the wake of tornadoes and thunderstorms that caused more than \$100 million in damage on Nov. 21. If approved, the designation could provide financial assistance to individuals and business owners, said Ed Laundry of the state division of emergency management.

December To Promote Safe Driving Month

In the last decade, encouraging progress has been made in reducing injury and death in motor vehicle crashes involving drivers and pedestrians impaired by alcohol and other drugs. However, alcohol-related crashes still claim about 20,000 American lives annually, more than a third of them under 25 years of age, and remain a leading cause of death for teenagers and young adults.

In Texas specifically, we've lost 1,249 people in alcohol-related crashes and another 33,856 were injured.

In an effort to reduce the number of crashes, injuries, and fatalities on our nation's highways, the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) has been working with many other national organizations to promote sober driving during December.

Particularly around the holiday season, the incidence of impaired driving increases as people are out celebrating.

The Texas Department of Transportation is joining NHTSA's effort to bring this message home to Texans. A coalition of the organizations listed below has been put together to implement a state wide campaign:

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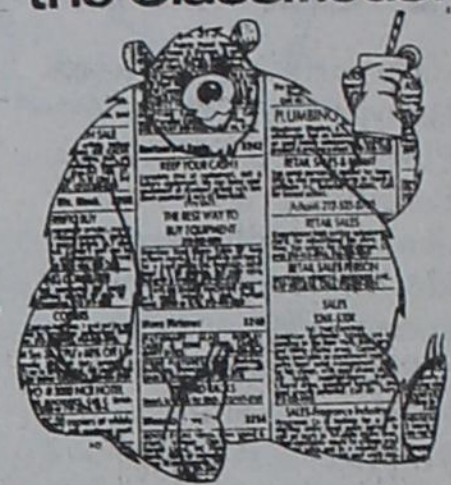
Texas Safety-Association, and Texas Department of Transportation.

Using the slogan **Texan's Don't Let Friends Drive Drunk**, the coalition hopes that Texans will look out for each other more and not let a friend drive after

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91 Dodge Colt, 4 Sp., w/Air, One Owner, 23,000 miles. \$4750	83 Ford Ranger Pickup XLT Long bed, Auto, Air, AM-FM, Power Steering, 2 Tanks... \$2250
89 Ford Ranger Pickup 5 Sp., One Owner, Nice Vehicle... \$3500	85 Ford Tempo, Auto, Air, Power steering, good work car, must see. \$1350
81 Toyota Tercel 5 Sp., 4 Dr., Air, Good Car. \$995	85 GMC Sierra Pickup with camper shell, auto, air, 76,000 actual miles. \$4500
88 Ford Tempo Red, 4 Dr., Auto, Air, New tires, 67,000 Miles, Nice car. \$3250	88 Ford Ranger XLT Long Bed 5 Speed, Extra Nice. \$3550
87 Dodge Dakota Pickup Long Bed, Auto, air, V6, Extra Nice. \$2995	90 Ford Escort 2 Dr., 5 Sp., Air, 40,000 miles, sun roof, Nice Car. \$3250

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The Party Place - Items For Special Occasions

A colorful clown invites everyone into The Party Place at 605 W. Sadosa. Past this bright window is a store full of creative ideas and items for all special occasions.

Party Place owners Maxine McMains and Loleeta Campbell have brought together unusual decorations and delectable refreshments - all under one roof.

There are even special things for children who stop by here from school-penny candies in large glass bowls, novelty jelly beans and other inviting treats.

The public will remember the Mother-Daughter team of Mrs. McMains

and Loleeta Campbell as the former owners of "Salads, Soups and Such," a small restaurant on the Courthouse Square.

These good cooks have transferred their knowledge of cake baking to The Party Place, and offer cakes which they will personally bake and decorate for any occasion. This includes birthday cakes and Christmas cakes, or how about a dark "Over The Hill" cake for someone past age 29?

A glance around the store shows many other items planned for birthdays and holidays. Balloons and candles are included among the decorations. There is freshly

popped corn in nine flavors, including large cans

filled with cheese popcorn, butter corn or sweet frosted. And the sacks of red and green confetti popcorn would put anyone in the mood for a Christmas party! The store also has cook-

ies, including those decorated for Christmas, and gourmet candy. Favorites such as pecan turtles, English toffee, frosted pretzels, Gummi Bears and peanuts are available here. There are tins filled with candy which would make attractive gifts.

An array of nuts and party mixes hang around the walls. Mrs. Campbell says that some of the best sellers at the store are the Oriental party mix and coconut-vanilla popcorn. Other favorites are the birthday cakes, chocolate candies and the novelty birthday gifts for people of all ages.

She invites everyone to come by and check out these items and the whole store. The Party Place is open Tuesday-Friday from 11 a.m.-6 p.m.



This engaging technicolor clown invites everyone into The Party Place, 605 W. Sadosa. Ricky Herrera of Herrera Sign. Co. designed and painted the window. Bowls of penny candy show through the window.



Loleeta Campbell, one of the owners of The Party Place, is surrounded by tins of popcorn and gourmet candy at the check-out counter.

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EASTLAND HOMES AND LOTS
\$100,000 & up
4 BEDROOM, 2 3/4 bath, Two-Story, huge wooded lot, \$110,000.
\$75,000 - \$100,000
3 BEDROOM, 1 3/4 bath, brick, den, gameroom, \$79,800.
3 BEDROOM, 1 3/4 bath, Rock Home on approx. 1 ac., \$76,500.
3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, brick on 1.77 ac., fenced & crossfenced, 14 pecan trees, 8 fruit, city water and well, Nice! \$76,500.
3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, brick, on 2.77 ac., \$76,000.
\$60,000 - \$75,000
LAKE LEON, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, cedar, Open Living Deck, Gazebo/Floor, \$72,500.
OAK HOLLOW, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, Assumable FHA, \$69,500.
CRESTWOOD, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, corner lot, \$68,500.
LAKE LEON, Family Home near dam, two lots, Staff Meter, nice dock, \$68,500.
YELLOW FRAME Victorian, CI/CA, wood floors, professionally decor., \$68,500.
MEADOWBROOK ADDITION, RANGER, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, large den w/fireplace, \$62,500.
\$40,000 - \$60,000
3 BEDROOM, 1 3/4 bath, on approx. 5 ac., completely fenced, city water, \$59,500.
SELLER FINANCE, 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, brick, on approx. 1 ac., \$59,000.
3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, frame w/siding, large rooms, huge closets, good fences, on 5 ac. near Lake Leon, \$55,000.
LOVELY SOUTH SEAMAN, 3 BD, approx. 1877 sq. ft., CI/CA, F-pl., \$52,000.
BIMACULATIF 3 BD, 2 BA, brick home, Carbon, CI/CA, Fireplace, \$52,000.
JUST LISTED! Brick home, corner lot, Thilcrest Addition, Nice! \$46,500.
VERY VERSATILE, Approx. 2.5 ac. w/house, guest house, former motel units, above-ground pool, \$50,000.
3 BEDROOM, Victorian, beautifully decorated, CI/CA, plush carpeting, \$44,000.
HILLCREST ADDITION, Neat 2 BD on two lg. lots, CI/CA, New Carpet, \$45,000.
LARGE 4 BEDROOM, 1 3/4 bath, frame, CI/CA, fenced yard, trees, corner lot plus extra lot, \$45,000.
\$20,000 - \$40,000
APPROXIMATELY 2,000 SQ. FT. home on large 65' x 250' lot, \$35,000.
3 BEDROOM, 1 3/4 bath, frame w/siding, on 2.96 ac., City water, plus 2 wells, \$33,900.
3 BEDROOM, Frame w/yellow siding, storm windows, privacy fence, plus 1250 sq. ft. metal garage/workshop, \$33,000.
LIKE NEW! 2 Bedroom, frame w/siding, 2-car carport, CI/CA, \$32,500.
LAKE LEON, Cozy Cabin on large Deeded Waterfront lot, CI, Staff Meter, New Guest House, \$32,000.
LAKE LEON, Older Cabin situated on two deeded Waterfront Lots, Staff Meter, Beautiful Homeite, \$30,000.
LAKE LEON, Nice 2 bedroom, 2 bath, mobile home w/80' screened porch, on two lots, Electric Boat Lift, \$35,000.
SUPER NICE 2 bedroom, 2 bath, Doublewide on 280 wooded ac., CI/CA, fence, storage shed, \$29,500.
2 BEDROOM, Frame on 4 wooded lots, Assumable Loan, Make Offer! \$29,000.
3 BEDROOM, 1 1/2 bath, frame w/siding, CI/CA, utility rm., detached garage, chainlink fence, pecan trees, \$28,000.
MRS. CLIFAN, 2 Bedroom, 100' x 150' lot, 2-car carport, storage shed, \$28,000.
ASSUME Loan, 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, frame w/siding, CI/CA, builtins, \$27,000.
LOW DOWN PAYMENT & assume FHA, Payments under \$200 mo., brick, \$26,000.
2 BEDROOM, 2 bath, frame, on approx. 3 ac., CI/CA, \$25,000.
LAKE LEON, 2 Bedroom on deep water near dam, long-term lease lot, new paint, \$25,000.
SELLER FINANCE, large 4 bedroom, frame, commercial location, \$24,000.
2 BEDROOM, frame, sep. living areas, two 2-car garages, 2 lots, \$18,000, Terms.
2 BEDROOM, Near Hospital, refrigerated air, rock patio, fence, \$20,000.
UNDER \$20,000
2 BEDROOM, 2 bath mobile home, CI/CA, builtins, corner lot, \$19,500.
HORSE LOVERS take note, 2 bedroom mobile home on 3/4 ac. Central Air, Stalls, & fenced, \$19,500.
\$4,000 DOWN, Seller Finance, 3 bedroom, frame, corner lot w/additional lots, nice shop bldg., pecan trees, \$18,000.
NEEDS SOME TLC, but priced accordingly, 3 BD, frame, "fixer-upper", \$16,000.
STURDY 2 BD, white frame, aluminum windows, stor. bldg., large lot, \$16,000.
LAKE LEON, Small Cabin, Staff Meter, Waterfront Lot, \$15,000.
REDUCED TO SELL! 3 BD, Stucco, attached carport, big backyard, \$12,500.
3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, Cameo Mobile Home to be moved, \$12,000.
LAKESIDE COUNTRY CLUB Area, 5.29 ac. overlooking golf course, \$8,000.
BEAUTIFUL WOODED LOT near Eastland Lake, City Water & Electricity already there, \$6,895; w/Mobile Home \$12,500.
LAKE LEON, Deeded waterfront lots starting at \$6,000.
ACREAGE
100 AC., Mostly grass & wooded, excellent fences, 2 tanks, City water, good hunting, nice place, \$575 ac.
66 AC., Mostly pasture, some cultivation, corner tract, could divide, \$550 per ac.
161 AC. TO 503 AC. TRACTS, Good hunting land, Seller will finance!
12 AC., 1 tank, road frontage on 2 sides, 2 bedroom house, 3-stall garage, 4-stall shed/storage rm., \$22,000.
160 AC., Rough Pasture Land, 2 tanks, county road frontage, good hunting, \$350 per ac.
415 AC., 7 tanks, 65 ac. cult., Hwy, frontage, good grass, excellent hunting & fishing, \$450 per ac.
COMMERCIAL
HWY. 80 EAST, Commercial Lot near Pizza Inn, \$30,000.
NEAR MAJESTIC, Adjoining Buildings, Just \$7,000 & \$12,000.
TURN-KEY OPERATION, Eastland's newest Laundromat, \$56,000.
PRIME DEVELOPMENT ACREAGE, Eastland, \$3200 per ac.
3,000 SQ. FT. Metal Bldg., 4 stalls, 5 Roll-up Doors, office, private quarters upstairs, 12 lots, \$50,000!!
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COMMERCIAL:
\$5,850 - Lot 70' x 94'
\$10,000 - Approx. 3 acres, I-20 Frontage. WILL OWNER FINANCE.
\$10,500 - 3.7 acres, located on access road off Interstate 20. WILL OWNER FINANCE.
\$14,800 - 180' x 150' land on N. Service road. WILL OWNER FINANCE.
\$25,000 - Large metal commercial building, excellent location. Over 13,000 sq. ft. on 6.3 acres.
\$59,500 - "LILLIE'S RESTAURANT" One of Eastland Co.'s most popular eating location. Complete with separate large home. All equipment goes.
\$65,000 - Nice "Night Club" in Strawn Texas. Huge cement outdoor recreation area. Is set up for private club and dining area.
\$73,000 - "H & R Lumber" Large two-story commercial building, approx. 30,000 sq. ft. Fenced, all inventory goes. 150' main street frontage. WILL OWNER FINANCE.
\$110,000 - 38.693 acres of commercial property on I-20 S. access road. 50' x 100' metal building with partition N. to S. through building. Makes two offices or two living quarters. Approx. 5,000 sq. ft. CH/A, WILL OWNER FINANCE.
\$150,000 - 11 acres downtown Eastland, Hwy 80 Frontage. POSSIBLE OWNER FINANCE.
MAKE AN OFFER! Approx. 2230 sq. ft. commercial bldg. on I-20. All food preparation equipment goes with sale.

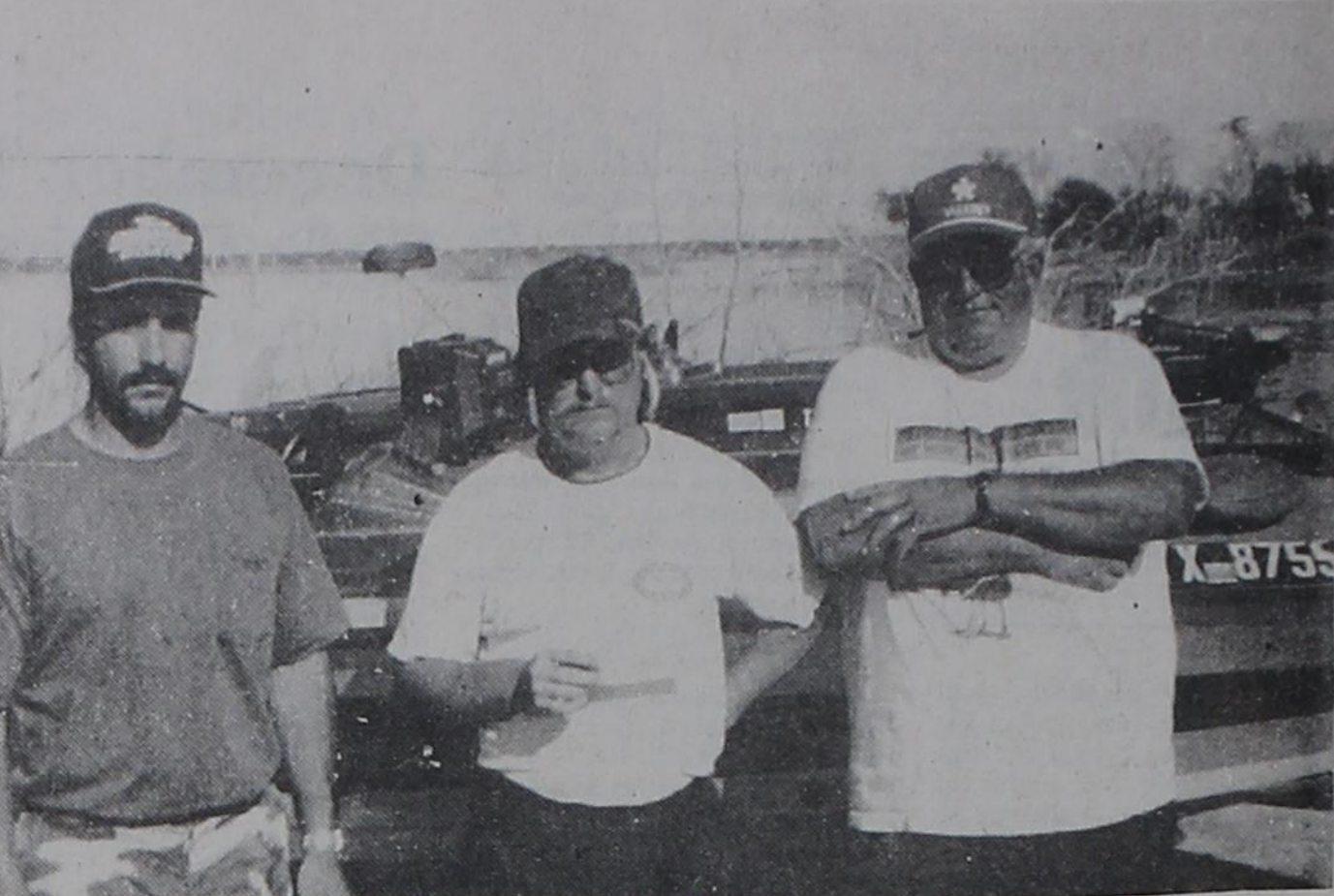
HOMES WITH ACREAGE CONT.
\$80,000 - 3 BR, 2 bath triple wide on 28 acres, 2,100 sq. ft. all fenced and cross fenced, barn, stock tank, Staff meter. Totally private.
\$85,000 - 3 BR, 2 bath home with approx. 3,072 sq. ft. on 6.1 acres. New home with oak parquet flooring, built-ins, large recreation room, 2 car garage and storage building, city water. Excellent hunting and fishing in area.
\$97,300 - 3 BR, 2 bath double wide on approx. 52 acres. CH/A, kitchen bar, fireplace, ceiling fans, skylight and lots of storage. Satellite, chain link fence, outdoor floodlights, storage building, metal garage, beautiful oak and cedar trees, and 1 tank.
\$125,000 - Beautiful 3 BR, 2 bath home on 57 acres. CH/A, ceiling fans, total electric, Island range, bar, double oven and dishwasher. Huge utility room. Master bedroom with garden bath and shower. Totally fenced. Study, work shop, huge vehicle shed. Lots of trees, 5 tanks plus windmill, city water.
\$126,000 - 3 BR, 2 bath, approx. 3,000 sq. ft. home on 162 acres, located 15 mins. from Eastland, CH/A, sunken den with cathedral ceiling, new built-in appliances in kitchen, 3 car carport, garage workshop, barns, pens, corrals and horse stalls. Creek runs through property, 6 acre lake stocked with Bass and Channel Cat. Prime hunting property.
\$135,000 - Beautiful 3 BR, 2 bath home on 52 acres. CH/A, Cable T.V. large recreation building, 2 fireplaces, hot tub and gazebo. 16' x 36' heated inground pool. Complete additional Bungalow next to pool. All land in coastal, 3 tanks, fenced and cross fenced.
\$135,000 - Beautiful 3 BR, 2 bath home on approx. 40 acres. Separate large apartment with appliances and furniture. 30' x 30' workshop and huge vehicle storage shed plus carport. Home has cellar, all metal construction with steel beams, excellent insulation and design.
\$159,000 - 4BR, 2 bath, five year old brick home on 122 acres. Located 8 mins. from Eastland. Approx. 2,000 sq. ft. CH/A, separate dining, utility room, total electric. All land in coastal bermuda. City water plus well and deep tank. New corrals and fencing. 1/2 mineral rights go to buyer. Rock building for barn.
\$180,000 - 3 BR, 2 bath, brick and siding home with approx. 2,600 sq. ft. CH/A, native pecans and coastal grass. Branch of Leon River runs through this outstanding property. Approx. 1/4 mineral rights go with property. City water, 5 mins. from Eastland. Home is located on 220 prime area acres.

EASTLAND HOMES AND LOTS:
\$5,000 For two lots in town, electricity and water available.
\$6,500 - 2 BR, 1 bath frame house.
\$7,500 - Four hillside residential lots in exclusive location.
\$8,000 - Old home and garage, 3 beautiful lots, 16 large shade trees.
\$12,500 - Two centrally located homes on two adjoining lots. Needs work for great investment possibilities as homes or rental properties.
\$12,500 - 2 or 3 BR, 1 bath home on cedar lot. Garage and old barn.
\$29,500 - 2 BR, 1 bath frame with siding, completely remodeled interior, new carpet, built-in oven and counter top range, superior insulation in walls and ceilings, new plumbing and wiring, double carport, large patio.
\$29,500 - 3 BR, 1 bath home in Strawn, Texas on extra large lot. Also has 6 cyclone fence.
\$40,000 - 2 BR, 2 bath, lavishly remodeled home in elite neighborhood. Double car garage, workshop and storage facilities. Magnificent yard.
\$45,000 - 3BR, 2 bath brick home, CH/A, fireplace, double car garage with electric openers, 10' x 15' storage building, fenced back yard.
\$49,900 - 3BR, 2 bath home, CH/A, fireplace with heat-o-lator. Master bath with walk-in closet. Ceiling fans, kitchen with all built-ins, large utility room, Lovely landscaping.
\$58,000 - 3BR, 2 bath, beautiful brick home total elec. Double car garage with electric openers. Professionally landscaped, extra building w/plumbing, phone hook-ups, 24' x 34' storage house and 12' x 14' barn.
\$79,800 - 3 BR, 2 bath large brick home with cathedral ceiling. Excellent location in shady and quiet neighborhood. Large, beautiful game and sun room fireplace and built-in desks, bookshelves and cabinets in den and living area. Storage house. Truly lovely and "perfect condition" home.

LAND, FARMS, RANCHES AND SMALL ACREAGE:
\$5,500 - 2 acres, close to Eastland Lake.
\$8,500 - 7.5 acres with small tank surrounded by willows, access to Olden water, POSSIBLE OWNER FINANCE.
\$16,436 - 24.35 acres.
\$23,775 - 42.5 acres.
\$25,300 - 40.5 acres, good tank.
\$28,100 - 48.87 acres with electricity.
\$31,200 - 52 acres, \$600.00 per acre, good hunting and fishing. 20 minutes from Eastland.
\$35,000 - 56.3 acres with good tank.
\$43,000 - Approx. 54 acres, excellent fencing all around. Barn, 3 tanks, city water, electricity. Pavement on 2 sides. 4 mins. from town.
\$74,300 - 167 acres, \$454.00 per acre, good hunting and production land just west of Cisco.
\$75,000 - 166 acres, \$550.00 per acre, near Eastland Lake. Can be divided into 40 or 80 acre tracts. Good fences, barn and pens.
\$77,000 - 154 acres, \$500.00 per acre, 3 stocked tanks, barn and corral, well, electricity, totally fenced, cultivation, 1/3 mineral rights.
\$82,500 - 150 acres, access to city water, fenced and cross fenced. Hwy. 80 frontage. WILL OWNER FINANCE.
\$188,839 - 360 acres, \$525.00 per acre, 5 tanks, great fences, hand dug well, Branch of Leon River runs through property. Outstanding hills, trees, and pasture. All owners rights go with sale. Over one mile of I-20 Frontage.
Approx. 200 acres, 60 acres in cultivation, 3 tanks, great fences. Creek runs through property. 1/2 mineral rights go to buyer.
411 acres at \$550.00 per acre, 3 tanks, stocked with Bass and Catfish, fenced and cross fenced, 1/3 in coastal, building, corrals and loading dock.
MAKE OFFER!!! Approx. 435 acres, \$300.00 per acre. Lake stocked with bass. Plus mineral rights.
Approx. 272 acres, rich coastal, great fences, each pasture individually irrigated. Deep, deep tanks, mobile home, barns, corrals. PERFECT, POSSIBLE OWNER FINANCE.
"FAMOUS FEE RANCH" Approx. 1600 acres. \$400.00 per ac.
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RANGER:
\$18,500 - Neat, large 2 BR, 1 bath home, separate garage and storage house. Fenced, workshop, and lots of trees.
\$30,000 - New commercial building of Austin Stone on main thoroughfare. Totally cyclone fenced in office and work area.
\$53,600 - New 2500 sq. ft. convenience store on one acre. Enormous walk-in cooler, 3 - 8000 gallon underground gas tanks.
CARBON:
\$2,250 - 1 BR, 1 bath, kitchen and living room. Approx. 600 sq. ft. home.
\$3,500 - 2 large lots, three large pecan trees on front of lots. Fenced on three sides, hook-ups available for all city utilities.
\$11,000 - 3 BR, 2 bath mobile home on two lots. Cyclone fenced, 20' x 8' shop, 14' x 14' storage building.
CISCO:
\$10,000 - Large building with office upstairs, 1 bath, CH/A, and carport.
\$10,700 - 3 BR, 2 bath, approx. 2,500 sq. ft. home on 1 1/2 acres, hook-ups for two mobile homes on back of property.
\$54,000 - Commercial building with residence in rear (3 BR, 2 1/2 bath) 175' highway frontage.

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OCTOBER WINNERS on Proctor: (Left to right) 2nd place, Gary Harton; 1st place, Terry Wilson; and third place, Bobby Rains.

Eastland County Bass Club

The next Eastland County Bass Club meeting will be Dec. 3, 7:30 p.m., at the Eastland Bank Community Room. If you would like to visit or join the ECBC please feel free to stop by. The

Regular Family Planning Clinic To Be Dec. 10

The regular Family Planning Clinic will be held December 10, 1992. Applications are taken from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. Family Planning services available in this clinic will include: consultation, physical exam with a Pap test, laboratory examina-

\$560. This first to catch a 6 pound or larger fish in an inner club tournament will be the winner.

Terry Wilson has won big bass in the inner club tournament two month in a row with nice five pounds plus fish both times.

at 1611 West Highway 80, Cisco, Central Texas Opportunites, Inc. of Coleman, Texas is the provider for the Texas the Texas Dept. of Human Services.

For more information concerning this clinic please call 442-4522.

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EASTLAND:
CLOSE TO SCHOOLS - Large 4 BR, 1-3/4 bath brick veneer home with 2 living areas. Corner lot, privacy fence. E4
BEGIN OR RETIRE HERE! Ideal for newlyweds, retirees or investors. 2 BR, 1 bath frame home on tree shaded lot. E26
BUDGET PLEASER! 3 BR (could be 4), 1 bath frame home with vinyl siding, large lot. Needs some repairs, but under \$20,000.00.
THE PRICE IS SOLD - 1 1/2 bath frame home has central H/A, w/den, large front porch. Very Affordable. E25
SOUTH SEAMAN STREET LOT! Excellent location, great building site - 100' x 200', frontage on 2 streets. ACT TODAY! E20
PRICED TO PLEASE! Only \$15,500.00 for this 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath frame home on large corner lot with trees! E22
QUALITY, GRACIOUSNESS & CHARM describes this lovely 3 BR, 2 Bath custom built brick home with 3 car garage nestled oak trees in exclusive neighborhood. Split bedrooms, all amenities. PRICED TO SELL! E32
PRETTY STREET, CHOICE NEIGHBORHOOD! 3 BR, 2 Bath frame home with central H/A. Close to schools. In the 304 E24
BEAUTIFUL AND ROOMY! 1 1/2 story 3 BR, 2 bath family home with large recreation room, gourmet kitchen & many more amenities. E21
WOULD YOU BELIEVE only \$7,500.00 for this 2 BR, 1 B in excellent neighborhood? It's true! Needs TLC. E1
SO MUCH FOR SO LITTLE! 2 Bedroom, 2 bath mobile home with garden tub in master BR, open LR/KIT area; large lot. E3
WANTED! A family who needs a large 3 BR, 1 bath frame home with Cen. H/A, fireplace, fenced yard. Here it is! E5
BUY ONE OR BOTH and owner will finance! 2 lots located in commercial/residential area, 2 bks. from downtown. E6
MAINTENANCE FREE! Neat 2 BR, 1 bath home with vinyl siding in one of Eastland's most preferred neighborhoods. Affordable, Tool E8
PRICED TO SELL! 3 BR, 2 Bath frame home on large lot. Lots of extras, and affordable, too! Under \$30,000.00. Call Now! E13
NICE NEIGHBORHOOD! Brick 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath frame home with Cen. H/A, fireplace, fenced yard. Here it is! E5
TAKE ADVANTAGE OF PRICE REDUCTION on this 3 BR, 2 bath brick home in Oak Hollow. Fresh paint, new carpet! Don't wait! E16
OWNER FINANCE with small down payment for qualified buyer! Large 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath, stucco home on large lot. Needs repairs, but great potential. E11
CRESTWOOD home reduced! 3 BR, 2 Bath, built-ins, Sauna room. E36
GREAT NEIGHBORHOOD! For growing family, 3 BR, 2 bath brick, P/P, drapery, built-in. Gameroom/sunroom. A well kept home. E17
GREAT FAMILY HOME! Neat 1 1/2 story 4 BR, 2 bath home; shop/stg., fenced yard, beautiful lot with large trees. All for low \$30K+! E28
DISTINCTIVE CHARM! Gorgeous older home has been tastefully remodeled; 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, fireplace, Cen. H/A, storm windows & more. Don't miss it! E9
NO NEED TO WAIT! Ready for immediate possession. Large 2 BR, 1 bath home, built-ins, basement. Pecan & fruit trees, good location. Possible owner financed! E29

OTHER:
RANGER - BARGAIN for do-it-yourself person! This 2 BR, 1 bath frame home needs repairs, but priced for only \$23,500.00! Large lot, outbuildings. O20
LAKE LEON - READY FOR YOU! Completely furnished 2 BR, 1-3/4 bath waterfront home or weekendender. Good water, fishing pier, reasonably priced! O16
LAKE LEON - Small frame house on deeded waterfront lot. Large trees, picnic area, Staff water. Great fishing! O10
LAKE LEON - BEAUTIFUL VIEW from this year round lake home in exclusive deep water area; 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath modular home, Staff water, boat dock. O17
RANGER - A BRICK BEAUTY! We proudly offer this spacious 3 BR, 2 bath home in Meadowbrook for under \$40,000. Large fenced corner lot, many extras! O2
LAKE LEON WATERFRONT with guest house. Large tree shaded lot, main house, 2 bedrooms, great fishing! O4
LAKE LEON - RATED G FOR GREAT! Large 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, LR, Den, DR, Treas, privacy & chain link fence. Dbl. garage, carport. Room for garden, animals & kiddos! O6
RANGER - LARGE HOUSE, SMALL PRICE! This 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath frame home on 3 lots needs repairs. Great potential! O15
LAKE LEON - PERFECT GET-AWAY for fishing, skiing, swimming or just loafing! Frame house on large waterfront lot; appliances, boat dock, Staff water. O9
RANGER - GREAT NEIGHBORHOOD, LOW PRICE! 3 BR, 2 bath rock home in Meadowbrook Addn. Needs repairs, but priced to sell! O8
CISCO - YOU'LL LOVE THE PRICE and neat condition of this 2 BR, 1 bath frame home with sunroom, cellar, MORE! O1
RISING STAR - JUST LISTED! 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath brick home on corner lot. Cen. H/A, kit built-ins. Possible owner finance or FHA. O11
RANGER - AFFORDABLE LIVING! WOULD TRADE FOR PLACE IN COUNTRY! Ideal for young family or retirees. 2 BR, bath mobile home on pretty lot. MUST SEE! O18

ACREAGE:
82.9 ACRES 2 1/2 miles from Eastland. Sandy loam soil, approx. 45 ac. SOLD - 2 water wells, stock tank, 1/2 mineral A6
5 ACRES near Lake Leon and country club. Minutes from Eastland and Ranger. Just listed - CALL NOW! A2
ATTENTION DEER HUNTERS & TEXAS VETS! 32 1/2 acres west of German, Tx., wooded, secluded. Priced right! A12
51 ACRES between Eastland and Cisco with county road frontage. Possible owner finance. A1
108 AC. SOLD - 100+ Burket pecan trees, brush. Post
327 ACRES - West of Carbone. Approx. 75 ac. in cult., improved grasses & wooded pasture. Pecan quon. Possible assumption! A13
LAKE LEON: Excellent recreation or building site! 4 acres, highway and lake frontage. A1
29 AC IN C.L. of Cisco. Hwy front, oak trees. A10
93 ACRES NW of Cisco, cultivation, pasture & wooded, fenced, large tan home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 fireplaces, possible owner financed. SOLD
224 AC. SO. OF CARBON: Part brush, approx. 30 ac. coast, 2 tanks, fenced & cross-fenced. Some min. A20
320 AC., Fenced & cross-fenced. All fenced & cross-fenced, 5 tanks. Some minerals. A21
COMMERCIAL OR RESIDENTIAL! Over 1 acre on I-20 with large metal building with small office and attached shed; mobile home hook-up, Olden water meter. A22
16 ACRES on pavement near Eastland. Fenced, beautiful oak trees. Be Quick! A11
296 ACRES North of Cisco - Native pasture with highway & county road frontage. 3 tanks, good hunting. A26
80 ACRES HAS IT ALL! Oak trees, 2 restrooms, beautiful homeite, parking area. In good location. CE
274 ACRES - South of Cisco, Hwy. frontage. Approx. 185 ac. Lovegrass, 40 ac. Cropland, balance timber windbreaks. Sandy soil, 2 wells, good fences. A15
82 ACRES NW of German. Approx. 1/2 cult. Small tank, hand dug wells. Minerals. A14
245 ACRES S. of Carbone: Approx. 67 acres in cult., balance in improved grasses. Underground irrigation, large barn w/shed. 12x70' mobile home on property. Minerals & quota. A5
80 ACRES HAS IT ALL! Oak trees, 2 restrooms, beautiful homeite, parking area. In good location. CE
CISCO: 1-20 wooded acres, over 500 ft. Frontage on North Access Road, east of city limits. C6
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State Officials To Continue Public School Audits

Due to the overwhelming response from private citizens and elected officials, the State Auditor's Office's Management Audit of Public Schools (MAPS) will now be expanded to include ALL school districts in Texas. The continuation of the public school audits was requested by Governor Ann Richards, Lt. Governor Bob Bullock and Speaker Gib Lewis. State Auditor Larry Alwin said, "The leadership of Texas wants the citizens to know they are

searching for savings at every level and our Office intends to continue to assist them." He said auditors will be looking for the school districts which have implemented cost saving ideas that can be passed on to other districts as well as pointing out school districts who are not doing the best job possible.

"The order in which school districts will be audited has not been determined as yet; however, each school district selected for an audit will be

notified when the schedule has been completed," said Alwin. A proposal for MAPS II, outlining the continuation of the project, will be presented to the Legislative Audit Committee in the next few weeks.

Last week, the State Auditor's Office issued their report, "Making the Most of our Education Dollars," which covered audits of 55 school districts. The report recommended changes to the public education system in Texas and projected savings to the State of \$640 million annually by 1997. Results of individual audits of school districts were included.

Citizens of Texas are encouraged to call the State Auditor's Office's 24-hour, toll-free hotline, 1-800-TX-AUDIT (1-800-892-8348) to report information about or ideas for school districts.

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Education Kit for Teenage Drivers Is Promoted

The Texas Department of Transportation has joined forces with Liberty Mutual to reduce teenage deaths in car crashes by distributing and interactive education kit for teens and their parents and/or teachers.

Developed by Liberty Mutual Insurance Group in cooperation with Students Against Drunk Driving and the National Safety Council, the education kit, "Avoiding Collisions: How to survive the Teenage Driving Years," is intended to provide a non-threatening atmosphere for teens to talk openly with adults about their driving habits.

The number one cause of death among teenagers is traffic accidents. In 1991 in Texas, 362 teenagers 15-19 were killed. The goal of this program is to reduce the number of teens killed or seriously injured by establishing good driving habits early in their driving years.

"The program challenges teens to reevaluate their driving habits by examining four areas of concern that are key to

survival in these high-risk driving years - speeding, night driving, safety belt use and drinking and driving," says Liberty Mutual spokesperson, John Connors, executive vice president and manager of personal markets. "We want teenagers to realize that a license to drive is a privilege that carries responsibility."

Arnold Oliver, executive director of TxDOT said he agrees with Connors, "Too many of our young people are killed needlessly, with so much of life ahead of them. We are encouraged, though, that programs like 'avoiding collisions' are making a difference."

The education kit consists of a 16 minute video and brochure, a follow along discussion guide, and student activity suggestions. It is now available for loan through any one of TxDOT's 24 district offices, or through Liberty Mutual Sales Offices. Educators may contact Modern, a distribution service company, at 1-800-243-6877, or their local TxDOT office.

When You Should Sign Up for Social Security

"If you're over 62 and plan to retire in 1993, you should contact Social Security now," according to Glyn Hammons, Social Security manager in Abilene. "It may be best to start your benefits in January, even if you don't plan to retire until later in the year." Hammons pointed out that under current rules, many people will receive the most benefits possible if their application takes effect in January.

He explained that people who want their applications effective in January 1993 should file any time from October 1, 1992 through January 31, 1993. However, no retirement benefits can be paid before a person turns 62.

The rules concerning how earnings affect Social Security benefits are complicated. "Because a person's age, earnings, and benefit amount are all factors that help us decide when is the most advantageous month for your benefits to start," Hammons said, "We encourage anyone thinking about retiring next year to call Social Security's toll-free number 1-800-

772-1213, business days between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., to make an appointment to discuss your retirement plans with a claims representative."

News Briefs

Helping Step-Children During the Holidays
HOUSTON—Holiday planning can be stressful for step-families.

"The holidays stir up old feelings that have not been resolved," said Dr. James Bray, a psychologist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "Many step-children are still upset over their parents' divorce and have not adjusted to their new family."

Bray offers these suggestions to help resettle the nest in time for the holidays:

*Hold a family planning meeting. Assign duties evenly among the children and be sure the older children are included.

*Create new family traditions. Rituals become shared experiences that can help solidify the family.

*Consider alternating holiday visits from year to year.

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HUMBLETOWN AREA, nice 2BR home plus office, large kitchen, **SOLD** for area, covered deck, carport, well insured.

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ATTRACTIVE, spacious 2BR, sep DR, CH, garage, storage bldg, above storm cellar, 2 fenced lots, nice yard.

EARLY 1900's, nice woodwork, 3 or more BRs, 2 baths, **SOLD** for shaded corner property.

NEAR ELM. SCHOOL, lg. 3BR, 2 B. home, 2 liv. areas, din. room, 2 lots, carport, shop, \$27,000.

NEWER, all electric, freshly painted 2 BR, mostly brick home, CH/CA, large carport and storage, lovely yard.

GREAT KITCHEN - lots of cabinets, eating bar, dining area, 4BR, 2 baths, CH/CA, 2 carports, storage bldg.

PERSONALITY Plus! 3BR, 1 1/2 bath brick home, CH/CA, fireplace, large closets, storage bldg.

REAL DELIGHT, 3BR, 2 bath brick, large family room, bookshelves, CH/CA, 2 storage bldgs, patio, carport.

LOVELY 4BR, 2 bath, CH/CA, fireplace in den, double carport, extra storage, large shop, on approx. 1 acre.

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Extension Homeakers

from Janet Thomas County Extension Agent

Homemaker Christmas Luncheon and Awards Program will be this coming Wednesday, December 2nd at the Eastland Woman's Club, 100 West Plummer.

Extension Home-maker Awards Luncheon The annual Extension

Luncheon speaker will be newspaper columnist, Mary Alice Flicklin, of Desdemona. Flicklin's column "Coming of Age" appears in the Sunday edition of Abilene Reporter News.

The day's program will close with special recognition being given to the Extension Homemaker Club Woman of the Year, Outstanding E.H. Club, and Publicity Award.

Everyone attending the luncheon is invited to bring a child's book. The books are being collected to be presented to the Eastland Memorial Hospital. This project is named "Baby's First Book". All newborn babies will receive a complimentary child's book to take home. This project is being sponsored in response to a statewide Extension Homemaker Association literacy campaign to promote literacy.

Members and guests are encouraged to call the Eastland County Extension Service Office by Monday, November 30th for reservations.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Contel of Texas, Inc. has filed an amendment to its application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas for approval of its Universal Emergency Number Service 9-1-1 tariff. The proposed tariff establishes rules, regulations and rates including the provisioning of the B9-1-1, C9-1-1, and E9-1-1 services; optional services, such as Selective Routing and Data Base Administration; additional services, such as Forced Disconnect, Called Party Hold, Emergency Ringback, Switched Access System; and Public Safety Answering Point Equipment.

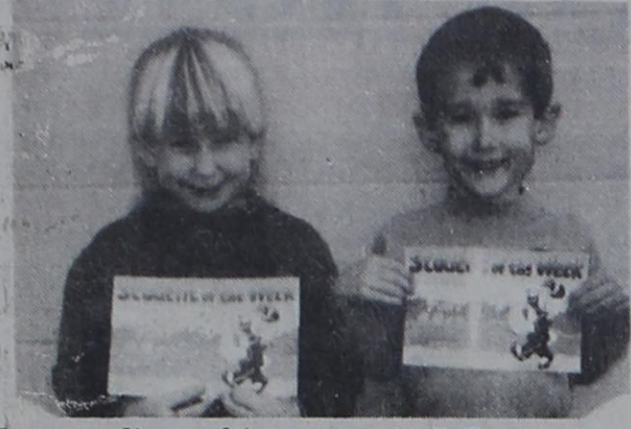
Customers affected are either 9-1-1 districts or councils of government with 9-1-1 responsibilities. The application does not propose changes to emergency fees charged to end-user customers.

Twenty-three customers would be affected by the Universal Emergency Number 9-1-1 tariff, which would increase annual revenues by \$10,107.12, a 2.92% increase in the revenues generated by the contract rates of the current customers. Customers will have the option, however, of continuing the rates under their contract for up to one 12-month renewal term.

The deadline to intervene in this proceeding is December 24, 1992. Correspondence or any other communication regarding this matter should reference Docket No. 10929.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in this proceeding should notify the Commission. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information, should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Information Division of the Public Utility Commission at (512) 458-0246 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.

Achievement Awards Given to Students



Outstanding achievement in P.E.
K-1: Katy Coulter, Sam Bates



Outstanding achievement in P.E.
2-3: Grady Wellmaker, Sarah Scott



Outstanding achievement in P.E.
4-5: Tiffany Savage, Leanna Bailey



Finis Langstons Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

Helen and Finis Langston celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary with a dinner at the Sizzler Restaurant in Tucson, Arizona.

The couple were married November 1, 1942 in Ranger, Texas and have lived in Arizona for the past 25 years. They have one son, Ewing Langston of Tucson, Arizona.

Proposed Transportation Projects Meeting Slated

Local citizens will soon have the chance to voice opinions and ask questions about the status of proposed transportation projects.

The Texas Department of Transportation will hold a public meeting on Dec. 8 at 10:00 a.m. in the Eastland National Bank Community room which will focus on the Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP), the department's 3-year project schedule.

In this meeting the

public will get a first hand look at specific transportation projects that are scheduled to begin in the nine-county area of District 23 in the next three years, said Brownwood District Engineer Wes Heald.

"In large part, it is the public's input that helps us to develop this plan," he said. "Therefore, the public is strongly encouraged to attend so that they can voice their concerns and we can jointly address our transportation needs."

Extension Homemakers

from Janet Thomas County Extension Agent

Recipe For The Week
Generations ago, when life seemed less complicated, chess pie was popular because Southern cooks found it economi-

cal. Many ladies used fresh eggs from the hen house, milk, butter, sugar and a sprinkling of golden cornmeal. Bake in made-from-scratch pastry, the pie was often the highlight of Sunday dinner.

Pineapple-Coconut Chess Pie

- 1 1/2 cups sugar
 - 3 tablespoons cornmeal
 - 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
 - 1/4 teaspoon salt
 - 4 large eggs, lightly beaten
 - 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
 - 1/4 cup melted margarine
 - 1 (3 1/2 ounce) can flaked coconut
 - 1 (15 1/4 ounce) can crushed pineapple, well drained
 - 1 unbaked 9 inch pastry shell
- Stir first 4 ingredients together, and then add remaining ingredients. Pour in unbaked pie shell and bake 1 hour at 350 degrees F. (Cover with aluminum foil after 40 minutes.)
Delicious!!!!

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- DECEMBER 9
Sandy Elliott, Peggy Wilson, Bobby Zellars, Eddie Murphy, Kay Gray,
- DECEMBER 10
Fay Calloway, Winnie Armstrong, Mickie Holmans

Baby Shower for Juanita Ramirez Will Be on Sunday

There will be a baby shower honoring the former Juanita Ramirez on Sunday, December 6, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in

the Rising Star High School Resource Room. Friends and family are invited to the come and go affair.

Wanda's Ceramics Will Be Be Open

Wanda Bible has announced that she will have her ceramic shop open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, December 4,










through Wednesday, December 16 (closed Sundays). She has ceramics and other items in the shop at 305 N. Main.

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- Inspect both indoor and outdoor lights for frayed cords or broken sockets replacing any damaged sets.
- Avoid adjusting lights while they are connected to a power circuit.

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