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Cardinals, T-Ball: front from left, Bradley Barnhardt, Michael Purcell, Jason Rutledge, Rachael Bush and Tabitha Barnhardt; back, Coach Patricia Purcell, Jerrell Scott Harris,

Scott Murphree, Cory Collins, Joey McKinzie and Coach Paula Collins. Not pictured were Scott Beech, Jesse Goodman and John Reagan.

(Photo Courtesy of Ed's Studio, Brownwood)



Colts, T-Ball: front from left, Alex George, Dennis Jackson, Amy Agnew, Clint Wolf, Tony Noice and Mae Beth Hinnant; back, Coach Debbie Green, Blair Bailey, Shelby Crume, Matthew Chancellor, Tara Donham,

Becky Headrick and Coach Evelyn Donham holding bat girl Allison Agnew. Not pictured were Brandon Thompson and Weldon Thompson.

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Cubs, T-Ball: front from left, Andy Rutledge, Bryan Tidwell, Candace Curtis, Jonathan Curtis and Heath Lee; back, Coach Dave Curtis, Kelly Griffin, Bridgette Claborn,

Larry Burcham, Randy McGinn Jr., Dana Carson and Coach Randy McGinn. Not pictured was Cody Williams.

(Photo Courtesy of Ed's Studio, Brownwood)

## JULY 4<sup>th</sup> Picnic

Come to the picnic! Rising Star's annual Fourth of July Picnic will be Monday, July 4, at Colquitt E. Williams Memorial Park and the front lawn of Rising Star Clinic.

A parade, toe tapping music, homemade ice cream contest, BBQ lunch and baseball will be there for your enjoyment. Booths will be set up to add to that enjoyment.

The parade will be at 10 a.m., starting from Rising Star High School and going south on Main Street. The lineup for the parade begins at 9:15 a.m., said parade committee chairman Gene Hicks. Look for parade entries we haven't seen in the past. First, second and third place trophies will be awarded.

The toe tapping music that has been such a crowd pleaser will begin at 10:45 on the lawn of Rising Star Clinic. Picnic goers have really appreciated the efforts of the musicians who provide this entertainment.

Mmmm! Homemade ice cream! The judging for the homemade ice cream contest will be at 11 a.m. Prizes in the amounts of \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20 and \$10 have been donated by First State Bank of Rising Star. Be sure to enter your favorite homemade ice cream in this contest.

Barbecued beef and sausage - good ole Texas fare - are the main items for the lunch which sells for \$3.50 a plate. Iced tea will be sold separately for 50 cents

by the Rising Star Parent Teachers Organization. Several donations have been made to the Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture so that the meal can be offered at the low price of \$3.50; if you've priced brisket and sausage lately you'll realize what a bargain the Chamber is offering.

Baseball between students and adults is under the supervision of Cindy Wood. If you're interested in playing, give her a call. If you'd like to watch, check for the time the day of the picnic. The game is sponsored by the Senior Class and they will have a concession stand open at the ball park.

Face painting has been popular at gatherings this year. The PTO will offer face

painting prior to the parade and at the picnic grounds. If you or your child want your face painted before the parade, look for the face painters in front of Buddy's Plumbing & Appliances. PTO will also sell T-shirts.

Watermelon and snow cones are just the thing to complete the picnic lunch and to help cool you on a hot July afternoon. They will be offered by the Sophomore Class.

More homemade ice cream! We ran out of ice cream last year so the Junior High Cheerleaders will also sell it so everyone can have all they want this year.

A cake walk has been tentatively scheduled by the Future Homemakers of America.

The Chamber of Commerce will sell mesquite chips that can add flavor at your home barbecues. Thirst quenching lemonade will also be sold.

Bush's Arts and Crafts will have a booth set up by Patricia Bush. Browse through these items to find just the right things to add to your decor or for gifts.

Volunteer help is needed to put on a picnic for our community. Contact one of the committee chairmen to offer your help: Food, Gene Lyon; Parade, Gene Hicks; Building and Grounds, Frank Agnew; Ways and Means (Booths), Dr. Don Bryan, Publicity, Evelyn Donham and Carolyn Ratliff.

If you can't help or enter a contest, come on anyhow! We need lots of spectators and picnickers so everyone can have a great time. See you at the picnic!

### Local 4-H'ers Elect Officers



Rising Star 4-H Club's Meat Judging Team, representing Eastland County 4-H, participated in the State 4-H Roundup. Team members are, from left, Brian Bailey, Howard Lawrence, Stephanie Long and Toby Long.

The Rising Star Stars of the Future met June 16 at the hut in city park.

The meat judging team, consisting of Howard Lawrence, Brian Bailey, Toby Long, and Stephanie Long, reported their participation in the state round-

up. Howard, Brian, and Toby had also attended a Leadership Lab in Brownwood and reported their experiences. Shelly Bailey, adult leader, accompanied 4-Hers to both functions.

Officers for 1988-89 are

President, Brian Bailey; 1st Vice President, Toby Long; 2nd Vice President (Recreation), Stephanie Long; 3rd Vice President (Membership), Amy Collins; Council Delegate, Howard Lawrence; Council Delegate Alternate, Jomy Clark; Parliamentarian, Robin Griffin; Secretary, Jomy Clark; Treasurer, Michael Perales; Reporter,

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### Ambulance Fund Donations

Since our last publication of donations and memorials, we have received memorials for Pearl Lockhart, Ober D. Cooper, Snova Walker, Jay Gardner, Ruby Hancock, Silas Swindell, Mrs. Bessie Wilson, Homer Green, W.B. Knight and Ted Tharp.

We have received donations from Irene Mayfield, O.R. Shults, Mrs. Ned Hale, Charles E. Wood, Contel, Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Taylor, Dr. Virgil Patrick, Mrs. Willie Ezzell, Dorothy J. Driskill, Alta Lee Cornelius, Jack & Ileta Agnew, Victor & Jeannine Childers, Ray & Eleanor Nunnally, Maxine

Robinson, Ellie Elliott, Alvie Bible, Lillian Smith, Alice Tharp, Lee Lyon, Ola Roberts, Ramona Dudas, Ozzie & Ollie Burns, Bob & Laquita Lucas, Fred & Dorothy Zedlitz, Mrs. D. Breeding, S. Scott, Carl B. Nichols, E.A. McBeth, Clinton and Mary Wilson, Mike & Evelyn Donham, John & Lou Gardner, James & Lorena Eastwood.

Rising Star Medical Service Volunteers appreciate your support in our efforts to serve the people of our community and area.

If your name has been omitted, please call 643-3142.



LAST THURSDAY  
AMERICAN LEGION, 7  
p.m., American Legion Hall

GARAGE SALE July 8-9 at  
Sipe Springs to raise funds  
for community activities.

EACH SATURDAY  
BINGO, American Legion  
Hall

1st SATURDAY  
SIPE SPRINGS MUSICAL  
at the Community Center,  
everyone welcome.

1st MONDAY  
EASTERN STAR  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, 7  
p.m., fire station

# Roads Main Topic At County Commissioners Meeting

Eastland County Commissioners traveled an agenda full of rocks and potholes during their long meetings Monday.

They appeared to bog down at times in discussions which centered most around roads, of course.

One agenda item - the consideration of an appeal on eligibility for County Indigent Health Care - will have a re-hearing at a called meeting on Wednesday, June 29, 10 a.m.

At this called meeting the Commissioners will also confer with representatives from Southwest Securities on interim and permanent financing for jail construction or expansion.

At Monday's regular meeting a number of decisions were made. The Commissioners approved a request in a petition to extend County Rd. 485 about 1,000 ft. down a public road between the Rawls and Linehan property, designating (and reaffirming) this as a County Road.

This would give unobstructed access to the Lewis, Speed, and other properties. Clydelle Lewis brought this petition, which was signed by 21 individuals from that area. This portion of Rd. 485, Pct. 2, is about 4 and one-half miles south of Ranger.

Billy Bacon, Comm. of Pct. 4, made the motion and other Commissioners voted to deny Bengal Gas Transmission Co. permission to keep a plastic gas pipeline in a roadway near the Dathan Community west of Cisco.

Bacon called the line "dangerous", and said the gas line had been run through a flume, and was the type which had once caused the death of a person. Furthermore, he reported, the roadway being used was a right-of-way rather than a dedicated County Road, and "we have no right whatsoever."

Landowners in the area opposed the plastic pipe, Bacon said.

Two of them were in the Courtroom and spoke against it - Truman Bacon and Clifford Phippen. Attorney Billy Wright was in the Courtroom with the representative of Bengal Gas, Charles Gowers.

In other action, the Commissioners tabled a request by Carl Bailey of Scranton to affirm (or designate) that a roadway on the Starr property where he lives is a County Road. Access to his property is being impeded, Bailey said. He stated that the road had been maintained by the County for over 50 years.

Commissioner Bacon answered that he considered this an easement type of thing - a private matter and not the County's business.

He was asked: "How do you quit maintaining that road when you've done it so many years?"

"We won't maintain it and get shot at!" Bacon replied. He indicated that one of his workmen had been threatened when he tried to grade his stretch of road.

Mr. Bailey did not appear satisfied with the way the Commissioners handled his request.

Joe Anderson and Harold Osburn appeared in the Courtroom with a request that "something be done" to improve the road to Lone Cedar Country Club, (Pct. 2) and other roads in that area. They stated that 300-400 families used the facilities of the Club, with 40 families living in the area.

## Social Security

CISCO: Senior Citizen Ctr. - Wednesday, 1 p.m. - July 6, 20.

EASTLAND: Courthouse Basement - Tuesday, 9:30 a.m. - July 5, 19.

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SSI Information: (915) 695-1240.

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They asked that bar-ditches be fixed so that water wouldn't run into houses, that chug holes be filled, and the roads generally be kept up. They mentioned that such roads to a Country Club were a deterrent to attracting industry to the area.

"When someone from industry comes in here to look around and bumps over pothole roads to Lone Cedar he would probably decide not to move here," one of the men remarked.

Norman Christian, Comm. of Pct. 2, said that the road toward the Lake and Cedar Country Club is not a County road at all.

"None of the Staff roads, and about 100 miles in all around Lake Leon are not County roads," he said. They are not figured in the budget, but he did what he could to maintain them.

"That road to Lone Cedar Country Club needs to be repaved," he said. "It won't do much good to just fill up the pot holes. I would have to get some money out of the general Road and Bridge fund to fix those roads."

Anderson and Osburn were invited to come to the next regular Commissioners meeting for further discussion of the problem.

Paul Fox of Desdemona, Pct. 2, was among many others in the crowded Courtroom. He again told the

Commissioners about the roads near Howard Cemetery.

"We had one inch of rain out there," he said, and a car bogged down right in the middle of the road. That's the kind of roads we have out there. There are a lot of taxpayers in Pct. 2 - I think some of the main roads should be fixed instead of individual roads.

"I realize that the Commissioners handle a lot of money, and 'pass' on things like the Sheriff's new automobile. They also say how many can drive county vehicles - and maybe where they drive them. People wonder about that!"

"I think that County roads need to come first - above some other expenditures."

During the morning the Commissioners heard and approved a request from Sgt. Jerry Mathews of the Department of Public Safety for the purchase of new radar equipment. Sgt. Mathews stated that he had \$2,000 in his budget set aside for this, but would need \$585 more to add to it. The Commissioners voted to amend his budget in this amount.

On another matter related to law enforcement, Commissioner Billy Bacon reported that 19 prisoners were currently in the County Jail, and the facility was clean.

# 9-1-1 Can Be A Lifesaver In Any Emergency

Cities throughout Eastland County will decide in the near future whether or not the 9-1-1 Emergency Number will be installed here.

City councils, and the Eastland County Commissioners have been studying information on the 9-1-1 number and will make their decision about the number.

The 9-1-1 Emergency number is always pronounced nine-one-one, instead of nine-eleven to avoid possible confusion when dialing the number since there is no number 11 on the dial or pad. Nine-one-one is an easy to remember, easy to dial three digit telephone number that provides citizens with a fast, reliable, convenient way to reach fire, police, or medical assistance in the event of an emergency.

When the nine-one-one number is dialed, the dispatch will automatically display the telephone number of the phone from which 9-1-1 was dialed. This will help the dispatcher locate the address of the call within two minutes.

This can even possibly save a life, as it did in a small town, located near Houston. The town had just recently had the 9-1-1, Emergency number installed. A grandmother was holding her 16-month old granddaughter when the child's body slumped into her arms, turning purple and blue.

The grandmother called the 9-1-1 number in hysterics and then hung up the telephone before a dispatcher who routed an ambulance to the address could get additional information from her.

The telephone number was displayed on the 9-1-1 screen and the paramedic-dispatcher called back and gave detailed instructions on how to hold the baby, telling them to slap the child between the shoulder

blades on the back to dislodge anything obstructing the airway.

On the fourth slap, of the second series of them, they said something was happening and they could hear the baby moaning. The grandmother said, that call proves 9-1-1 works.

With the 9-1-1 number, a person reporting an emergency only has to dial the three numbers. They do not have to decide which agency is responsible, look up the number and dial the seven digit number.

Calling the 9-1-1 number is faster than dialing the operator. When a person dials "0" for Operator, they may get an operator who is not in the same area and has to determine which public safety agency is responsible for the emergency and then dial a seven-digit number for the caller. And a call to the operator is not treated as an emergency and may ring a number of times before being answered.

In an emergency, seconds count. Anytime saved in getting help to a person in an emergency can save their life, or the life of a loved one. 9-1-1 does save time, when seconds count.

To pay for the expense of the 9-1-1 Emergency Number telephone lines, if it is approved by the cities, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company will begin charging up to 50 cents a month for each telephone line in a home or business. That will only amount to \$6.00 a year for most homes. SWBell will begin construction of the emergency telephone lines and when the total amount due has been collected, the 9-1-1 number will be put into use.

Council members, city managers and County Commissioners would like to hear how Eastland County citizens feel about having the 9-1-1 number. Everyone is urged to contact the city and county officials to let them know.

# Drug Enforcement Program June 15, A Huge Success

Over 130 persons listened to four speakers and watched a video on the problems of drug abuse and ways to help stop the abuse, at the Drug Enforcement Program, held last Wednesday night, in Cisco. The Program, sponsored by the Cisco Lions Club and the Cisco Police Department was a depiction of the drug problem across the United States and in Cisco and Eastland County.

Chuck Huthmaker, canine enforcement officer with the Department of the Treasury, U.S. Customs Service at the DFW Airport, brought a police K-9 dog, Jessie. Jessie gave a demonstration on finding a small pouch of marijuana hidden in a box set beside some empty boxes.

Jessie is an 8-year old Golden Retriever. Huthmaker said dogs have a 100 to 10,000 times better smelling capabilities than what man has. He said Jessie can smell out a small marijuana seed out of 100 envelopes. Huthmaker said this is where Jessie can help, because there is a heavy drug flow in the mail system. Jessie has been on the force for 6½ years.

The dog is rewarded when finding drugs by getting to play with a rolled up cotton terry towel. This is how he is paid. Huthmaker said the dog believes that at the source of the odor of drugs is the towel. He said that is how they are trained. The dog was able to find the correct box and then proceeded to tear into the box by scratching and biting.

Huthmaker said the Supreme Court recently passed a law that says a police dog is an extension of the police officers senses. If a person is arrested because of the reaction of the dog, the evidence can be used in court.

John Lund, special agent with the U.S. Justice Department, narcotics division out of Ft. Worth, said drug use is a symptom of an underlying problem. He said the people in this area are lucky to be living in a rural area. He said the heroin problem in Dallas is extra bad. Lund said rural areas do not have the heroin problem of the larger cities because most addicts need to use the drug three to four times a day, and they want to be around other addicts. And, they need a town where they can steal merchandise to sell and buy more drugs, which in turn, leads to high crime.

Lund said the cost of marijuana is now \$500 a pound. He said in a recent national survey, in high school

seniors there is a slight decrease in marijuana usage. But, he said, the use of cocaine is really taking off. He said five years ago it cost \$60,000 a kilo on the Ft. Worth streets, but now it cost \$16,000. He said there is now a 250 percent increase in the availability of cocaine.

Lund said dope dealers do not ever stop. He said they can not be rehabilitated. He said another drug is speed, a white powder that ruins people and can be made and sold very cheap. He said it is a very devastating drug. He said a lot of speed factories are in the rural areas. He said if someone who lives in the country smells an obvious odor when the wind blows just right, to call the law, because their neighbors might be manufacturing speed. He said a lot of dopers from Fort Worth are here in this part of the country manufacturing speed.

Lund said if anyone sees a pickup parked somewhere loaded with chemicals and glassware to call the police. Someone who is manufacturing the speed will have a load of phenylacetic acid. Lund said if anyone walks by the pickup they can feel a tingling on their skin. He said this is one way to tell if it is the acid.

Lund said one way the law enforcement officers are ruining dopers and dealers is with the civil seizure laws. He said last year they seized \$5 million dollars in cash assets. Lund said, "But don't think any community is safe. The drug problem today is worse than what it has ever been." He added, "Nobody is safe."

Michael D. Dromgoole, special agent with the Drug Enforcement administration with the United States Department of Justice in Dallas, said experts today say it will take at least 10 years to turn the drug problem around. He said one way is to have Drug Enforcement programs such as the one Wednesday.

Dromgoole said peer pressure can work both ways. He said if groups can get started with students who are drug free, and they receive special discounts, and will be the first to be hired for a job, then it will begin to turn around. He said it will take awhile, but it can be done.

He said America is the most drug abusing nation in the world. And he can't understand that because America is also the most educated and has the most income for each citizen. He said the Texas Education

agency needs to teach students on how to deal with peer pressure and how to be healthful beginning in kindergarten and then in the fifth grade start teaching about drugs.

He said the best kind of program though is where the entire community becomes involved. He said in Kilgore their drug problem was really bad, and the high school students volunteered to undergo a drug test. He said they had drug test every Wednesday and if a student showed positive they underwent counseling with no arrest. He said the peer pressure was turned around so that it is better not to use drugs. He said the police, parents and the schools need to become involved in getting rid of the drug problem.

Cisco Chief of Police Billy Rains told the crowd that he believes that 90 percent of all the crime in Cisco is drug related. He said since he took over as chief of police, there have been 333 burglaries, 350 thefts 149 assaults, and 187 criminal trespass. He said there has been \$542,561.75 worth of damage and loss in Cisco since 1983, and that's not counting the cost of the fires two years ago that were started to conceal burglaries. Rains said the Cisco Police Department has arrested people on drug charges, possession of drug paraphernalia, misdemeanor drug possession, felony drug possession, possession of marijuana and controlled substance.

Rains said 70 percent of all crimes in the United States are drug related. He said that 80 percent of the inmates in prison were involved with drugs. He said there are lots of speed labs in Cisco. He said there are two different kinds of speed. And, he said, taking speed is just like killing yourself.

Rains said three years ago there were four 10-year old boys caught smoking marijuana at the Cisco Elementary. Another boy in Cisco told Rains that he has using marijuana and speed since he was 14-years old.

Rains said the purpose of the Drug Enforcement Program is to raise a little bit of money for a narcotic dog. He said the Cisco Police force will work the dog if they get one. Rains said he has no sympathy for those who deal drugs. He said he feels sorry for those who use narcotics, but there is not sympathy for the pusher.

Rains said the police know who the dealers and users are in town, but it has to be under the right circumstances to make an arrest.

Sue Lacy, Cisco Service Club president, presented Chief Rains with a check for \$250.00, to be used to help buy the K-9 police dog. Rains said the fund had about \$1,000, and he did appreciate the thoughtfulness of the Service Club. Chief Rains said another woman, gave a check for \$50.00 check before the program began.

Envelopes with forms inside were passed out to the people who attended the program. There were places for people to fill out their name, address, city and phone number and the amount they wished to contribute or to pledge to help buy the K-9 dog. A total of \$590.00 was given or pledged for the dog.

If anyone would like to help with the purchase of a K-9 Police Patrol Dog, for the Cisco Police Department they may send their donation to the Special Police Dog Fund, Olney Savings, 701 Conrad Hilton Avenue, Cisco, Texas, 76437.

Earl Ray, Cisco Lions Club member said he would like to thank Cisco Electronics for setting up the electronic equipment for the program and the Cisco Police Department for their hard work. He also thanked The Cisco Press and Jane Ray for the publicity on the program. Ray said Oscar's Bar-B-Que cooked the meat at no charge and the Cisco Junior College Drama Department entertained the crowd before the program began.

Ray said he received a call from Helen Myer from Richland Spring who will set up a drug counseling service in this area, if anyone is interested.

# Fishing Outdoors

By Terry Wilson

## A New Black Bass on the Scene

Last time out we reported to you the outcome of the E.C.B.C. club event held at Lake Graham. With these weights tallied the yearly standings in the angler of the year race look like this: (These are not official standings; for the official tally you should contact President Green.) 1st-32.54 pounds, Jerry King; 2nd-28.56 pounds, Terry Wilson; 3rd-26.21 pounds, Tommy Maynard; 4th-25.74 pounds, Ron McCullough; 5th-21.34 pounds, Eddie Green; 6th-13.69 pounds, Steve Pennington; 7th-13.49 pounds, Bobby Maynard; 8th-12.75 pounds, Jimmy Johnson; 9th-12.61 pounds, Chuck Burgess; and rounding out the top 10 with 11.72 pounds, Don Flowers. At the year's end, the top three anglers will be awarded cash, plus the angler of the year will receive a beautiful trophy.

Sunday, June 26, the Brownwood Bass Club held their inter-club tournament at scenic Possum Kingdom Lake. As most of you know P.K. is about 12½ feet low and during this draw down fishing has been pretty good. Thirty-three members were met with rain and lightning at 6:00 a.m. At tournaments end, 10 anglers were able to land 1-3 bass measuring 14 inches or longer.

The B.B.C. awards 5 money places based on the number of entries. The top five winners were: 1st-Greg Denison, 3 fish, 11 pounds, Greg also won big bass honors with a nice lunker going 5 pounds, 2 ounces; 2nd-Kendall Davis, 3 fish, 6 pounds, 13 ounces; 3rd-Terry Wilson, 3 fish, 5 pounds, 12½ ounces; 4th-Robert Brown, 3 fish, 4 pounds, 9½ ounces; 5th-Ryder Lee, 3 fish, 4 pounds, 2 ounces. First and second places won fishing worms in areas that had ledges in 10 to 15 feet of water dropping off to 20 to 30 foot. Third places was using crankbaits and jigs in 5-8 feet of water around standing timber. Fourth and fifth were long pitching standing timber in 15 feet of water.

With the year half over the B.B.C. is proud to announce the current standings in the race for their T.A.B.C. top six team. Once again the figures are not official but should be very close:

1st-Greg Denison-51 pounds, 15½ ounces; 2nd-Kendall Davis-36 pounds, 14½ ounces; 3rd-Jack York-27 pounds, 7 ounces;

4th-Terry Wilson-26 pounds, 3½ ounces; 5th-Buddy Reynolds-25 pounds, 15½ ounces; 6th-Robert Brown-25 pounds; 7th-Ryder Lee-21 pounds, 14 ounces; 8th-Herschell Duncan-21 pounds, 1 ounce; 9th-Johnnie Meador-21 pounds; and 10th-Graig Miller-19 pounds, 14½ ounces.

As you can see Greg Denison is walking away from the field. And there is a somewhat unique story to this excellent record. Greg fishes with the #2 man, Kendall Davis, from the back of the boat. Kendall has long been known for his ability to locate bass, but has not consistently been able to catch the fish once found. Greg, being considered as a virtual rookie, seems to be establishing himself as a masterful angler in the catching department. However, it has been noted that while Greg does catch fish, he has trouble locating fish. I guess this is one excellent example of fishing the buddy system in competition. One hand here certainly washes the other. Congratulations to both these gentlemen for their winning combination.

We have all heard of most of the species of bass today, or have we? Town Lake in downtown Austin and Walter E. Long Lake east of the city have been stocked with largemouth bass that are unlike the usual Florida-strain hatchery bass.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department crews released about 26,000 Kemp's bass, which are first generation crosses between Florida and native largemouths, in Town Lake. Half of the one-inch fish were released in the lower end of the lake, with the rest liberated near the Lamar Boulevard bridge. The species is named for the late Bob Kemp, who as the department's fisheries director was instrumental in bringing Florida bass to Texas.

The fish were "marked" genetically for future identification. The first-generation crosses are known for their fast growth rates and these stockers were produced at the department's Jasper Fish Hatchery.

Till next time, keep one eye on your line and one on the weather, you don't want to get bit by the wrong one.

Terry L. Wilson  
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# Eleventh Court of Appeals

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

- AFFIRMED**  
11-87-257-CR Bobby Dwayne Fambro v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Dickenson) Comanche  
11-87-267-CR Raymond Brooklyn Stuart v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) Eastland  
11-88-026-CR Rocky Wayne Gray v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Dickenson) Palo Pinto  
11-88-037-CR Thomas O'Neil v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Opinion) Howard  
**AFFIRMED IN PART & REVERSED AND REMANDED IN PART ON REMAND**  
11-82-281-CR Albert Wayne Ware v.

- State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Dickenson) (Judge Arnot not participating) Nolan  
**APPEALS DISMISSED**  
11-88-097-CR Jorge Alberto Zavala v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Order) Harris  
11-88-99-CR Jerry Don Dickens v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Order) Harris  
11-88-100-CR Jerry Don Dickens v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Order) Harris  
11-88-118-CR James A. Burk v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Order) Harris  
11-88-119-CR James A. Burk v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Order) Harris  
11-88-172-CR Vernon Earl Fletcher v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Order) Harris

## Texas State Board Certifies Property Tax Professionals

Regulations from Austin cover a number of areas of life, and Property Tax Professionals are certainly included.

The Board of Tax Professional Examiners is a state agency which registers and certifies the appraisers who appraise your property for property tax purposes, and the local officials who assess and collect property taxes. It is a state board that certifies appraisers and assessor/collectors who work for local agencies; the county-wide appraisal districts and the tax offices of cities, counties, school district and special districts.

A "certification" from the board means that a person has completed training courses and passed board examinations, as well as having gained considerable experience in property tax work.

Several Eastland County Tax Professionals have completed the exacting work leading to State Certification. The only dual certification is held by Steve Thomas, Chief Appraiser of the Eastland County Appraisal District, and Peggy Dixon of the same District office.

Each is a Registered Professional Appraiser (RPA) and a Registered Texas Assessor-Collector (RTA). Nancy Trout, Eastland County Tax Collector, is a Registered Texas Collector.

Elizabeth Harris, who collects for the Carbon School Tax Office, is also a Registered Texas Collector.

Nancy Pryor, Tax Collector for the Eastland Independent School District, is a Registered Tax Assessor-Collector. And in Ranger Vana Danes, School Tax Collector, is a Registered Texas Assessor-Collector. She is also working toward certification as a Registered Professional Appraiser.

In Gorman Helen Brown, School Tax Collector, is a Registered Texas Collector. Sue Kessee, Tax Collector for the City of Gorman, is in the process of getting certified as a Texas Collector.

All property tax appraisers must register with the board, those working for an appraisal district as well as those who are not appraisal district employees but who do property tax appraisals for the district under contract. The assessor/collector or collector who is the chief administrator for a local jurisdiction's tax office must register, and may designate other persons in the office to register.

The purpose of the state certification program are twofold. First, to assure taxpayers that the persons who appraise their property and who collect property taxes are knowledgeable and competent individuals; and se-

cond, to bring property tax professionals under a code of ethics and standards of practice which are uniform throughout the state.

To be certified an appraiser or assessor/collector must have five years of experience in the field, complete seven specialized courses, pass a mid-level examination at three years and pass a certification examination by the end of the fifth year on the job. Appraisers must also complete a detailed demonstration appraisal.

If a registrant fails to advance and be certified then the registration is cancelled. Registrants should carry a card which is issued by the board while they are on the job. Taxpayers should be aware that anyone who appraises their property for property tax purposes and anyone in charge of a collections operation should be registered with the board and have a current card.

Another function of the board is to provide guidance on ethical matters to the registrants and their jurisdictions, and to hear complaints against registrants. The board cannot, under the law, hear complaints about the appraised value of a person's property.

A taxpayer who feels that the appraisal is too high has recourse to the local Appraisal Review Board and, if not satisfied with the ARB's decision, to the state district court. The Board of Tax Professional Examiners responds to complaints concerning the ethical conduct and professionalism of appraisers and assessor/collectors.

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### 4-H Officers

Kirby Bush; Telephone Committee, Jason Headrick and Tim Burtin; Historian, Kristie Collins, and Refreshment Committee, Traci Clark, Kristy Hubbard and Quinton Cook. Club manager is Shelly Bailey. Refreshments were brought by Brian Bailey, Jason Headrick and Kirby Bush and were enjoyed by all.

Kirby Bush, Reporter

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## 4-H'ers Are in Fashion Show

Several Rising Star 4-H members participated in the clothing project this year. Shelly Bailey is the project leader. Members participating are Kirby Bush, Jomy Clark, Amy Collins, Kristie Collins, Robin Griffin, Kristy Hubbard, Stephanie Long, and Toby Long.

There are two divisions in the clothing project, construction and buying.

Stephanie, Toby, and Kirby modeled their entries in the County Fashion Show on Saturday in Eastland. Kristy Hubbard, Stephanie and

Toby will compete at the District competition this week.

Congratulations! We are proud of you. Kirby Bush, Reporter

## Who Influenced You?

Arthur Smith's entire life span of over 96 years was lived in Rising Star. He was a quiet man who went about the business of living the good life without expecting or wanting recognition for his good deeds and his kindness to his fellowman. Many boys who grew up in Rising Star (as well as some of us girls) had an "Arthur" haircut at least once in their lives. Mr. Smith had a keen sense of humor and an outgoing personality that drew the men of the town to his shop, whether they needed a haircut or not, just to enjoy a few minutes of relaxation and fun as well as to catch up on the daily gossip (oops, sorry, I meant news—men don't gossip). Arthur set a high standard as a devoted father, concerned citizen, and faithful Christian that we should all try to reach. He lives on in the memories of all who knew him as one of God's "good and faithful servants."

ATTENTION: Ex-Students of Rising Star Schools

Are there special people who influenced your life to whom you would like to say "THANKS"? If so, please write a short (or not so

short) expression of appreciation. Include as many as you wish—teachers, friends, family—and send to: Ms. Florine Forbes 1504 S. Travis Amarillo, TX 79102 Call: (806) 373-1260 or 376-5521 Ext. 244.

These will be compiled and ready for distribution at Homecoming 1988. A nominal fee may be charged and it will be donated to the ambulance fund. Arrangements will be made to order a copy by mail if you are unable to attend the Homecoming activities.

Also, please include the following information about yourself as well as a description of where you are and what you are doing: NAME: ADDRESS: CLASS OF:

Please take this time and effort to write your "tributes of thanks" and help make this project a success. If you do not feel comfortable writing, dictate it on a cassette and send. All contributions should be received on or before September 15, 1988, to allow time for preparation so they can be distributed at Homecoming on October 1, 1988.

## Season Ends for Sportsman Club

Regular season play for the Rising Star Sportsman Club has come to an end. After a year without play, a large group of interested parents and supporters got together and once again reorganized the program. Coaches, announcers, score keepers, umpires, concession stand workers and lots of "gophers" were all put into action. Thanks to the help of the following businesses and individuals, First State Bank, Rising Star Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture, Higginbotham's, Chuck Wagon Cafe, Buddy's Plumbing & Appliances, Allen Morris, Rising Star Truck Stop, Medley Motor Co., Jack Shults, John Gardner, Max Wilson, W.V. Delaney, Cooper Texaco, Star Feed Mill, Butler Texaco, Davy Jones Exxon, Jake Landess, Jerry Jackson, Palace Drug Store, Vickers Machine Shop, Family Food Store, Jenkins Insurance Co., Mike's Fina, Cher Pipe & Pipeline, Slim Creech, Doby Jones, Dr. B.T. Carpenter, Ted Murphree, Jackie Palmore, Rising Star Nursing Center and D & T Building Supplies for donations which were used

to purchase all the necessary equipment, bats, balls, helmets, bases, get utilities turned on and concession stand made ready for opening night.

Thanks to L.T. Owen and some of his workers who helped ready the park by mowing. Thanks to Bobby Busbee for repairing some broken forms in the concession stand and to Frank Agnew for installing a new particle board counter top.

Thanks to Paula Collins and Shelly Bailey and 4-H club members for doing a wonderful job of cleaning, pulling weeds, trimming and mowing around the ball park.

Thanks to the Rising Star Volunteer Fire Department for burning the old dead weeds around the exterior of the field. A big thank you to Bill Gregg and a crew of people he got together to move the bleachers from the market building back up to the City Park.

Thanks goes to the following individuals who helped on different committees: Concession stand: Shelly Bailey, Gayla Headrick, Peggy Goodman, Pam Cook,

and Gayle Rutledge. A special thanks to Sue and Donald Watson for donating all the ice and to Chester and Gayla Headrick for making sure it was transported for all the games.

Uniforms and Trophies: Gayla Headrick, assisted by Jalayne Williams, Jan Clark and Celeste Harris. Sponsorship Committee: Pam Cook and Pam Thompson. Score keepers: Debbie White, Cindy Wood and Aline Morris.

Field maintenance: Aaron Lemond, Randy McGinn, Dave Curtis, Bryan Wynn and Bebo Fox. Thanks also to Bebo Fox for repairing the netting behind home plate to protect the scorekeepers and to Charlie Moore for installing the replacement light bulbs. The Finance committee consisted of Stella Ware and Evelyn Donham.

Results of the season are as follows:

SOFTBALL: Tigers, coached by Janet Murphree, 7-1 and Bandits, coached by Denece Hubbard, 1-7.

HARDBALL: Tigers, coached by Aaron Lemond, 5-3-0; Rangers, coached by Bebo Fox and Claudie Fox, 4-3-1; and Braves, coached

by Bryan Wnn, 2-5-1.

T-BALL: Cubs, coached by Debbie Green and Evelyn Donham; Colts, coached by Randy McGinn and Dave Curtis; and Cardinals, coached by Paula Collins and Patricia Purcell.

Last Tuesday all of the players, coaches and families were treated to a skating party at Heartland Skating Mall. The last count I heard there were well over 100 participants.

Once again I would like to thank each and every one who helped to make this season one that the kids will always remember. Those who took the time to share their talents by willingly giving their encouragement, guidance, patience and knowledge of the game of baseball to these young people were rewarded tenfold in the love returned by these special youngsters. There were no "losers" - only winners.

Editor's note: Photographs of the T-ball teams are in today's issue. Photos of the other teams are being delayed until all players can be identified by name.

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## Bass Tournament Nunnally Reunion

"We've had quite a bit of response, and I expect the Second Annual Lions Club Invitational Bass Tournament to be very profitable this year," according to Will Johnson, Cisco Lions Club member. He added, "We sent out over 300 flyers across Texas. There have been entries as far away as Mullins, Texas."

The tournament will be held Sunday, July 3, at Lake Leon. Entry fee is \$30.00 and can be mailed to Cisco Lions Club, P.O. Box 89, Cisco, Texas, 76437. Anyone can register at the tournament headquarters, at the Chock-O-Block, but all entries must check in at headquarters, before fishing. Headquarters will open at 5 a.m., on Sunday.

There will be a Big Bass Calcutta entry fee of \$5.00 with 100 percent payback, one winner.

A three fish, 14 inch minimum, one day total weight, will determine the winner. First place will win 30 percent, second place 20 percent, third place 15 percent, fourth place 10 percent and fifth place 5 percent.

The Lions Club Camp for Crippled and Blind Children in Kerrville, will receive twenty percent of the Tournament's payback. Johnson said this is why the tournament is being held, to help the Kerrville Camp.

He said he is expecting from 150 to 200 entries in the tournament. Several fishermen have called needing a partner for fishing in the tournament. Johnson said, if a fisherman does not have a boat, do not hesitate to call him, at 442-1539 and he will see about matching up partners. He said he is looking forward to the tournament.

The 39th Nunnally reunion was held on the 11th and 12th of June at the First Baptist Church Activity Center in Rising Star with 85 registering. This was the largest crowd that we have had lately. On Saturday evening we started the reunion off at the home of Lottie Mae Roach with a nice supper and all the good things to go with them. Sunday, we met in the Activity Center with the usual basket lunch with so much good and delicious food.

We spent the day visiting and looking at pictures that have been made over the years by our cousins C.C. and Florence Nunnally. They have about ten (10) big books that have been made over the years and it's always interesting to review the books.

Those who registered from Rising Star: Lottie Mae Roach, Robert and Edra Butler, Duck and Ruby Bailey, Dean and Jeannine Bailey, David and Sara MvGowen and children, Ray and Eleanor Nunnally,

Franklin, Sharolyn and Laura Cox.

Form Abilene: Bob and Joy Nunnally, Alton and Jessie Nunnally, Mary and Tom Curry, Les and Lorie Havins, John and Jan Lineweaver and children, Wade and Mia Parker and children, Jimmy and Poette Wadley and children, Gale Nunnally, Wanda Siekman, Kathy Decker, Alan and Ashley.

Others: C.C. and Florence Nunnally, O'Donnell; O.T. Marsh, Lubbock; Mae Claire Crowner, Comanche; Bob and Fran Roach, Dallas; Eldon Roach, Midland; James Roach, San Angelo; John and Nell Nunnally, Kilgore; Bobbie, Jan and Bret Assiter, Lubbock; Troy and Tai Cartwright, Lubbock; Jerry, Linda, and Chris Cottingham, Richardson; Chris and Leslie Langford; Pflugerville; Mike and Karen Bell, Clyde; Mrs. Fricke, a friend of Lottie's; Dale, Nancy, and children, and Dorothy Jackson. Mae Claire Crowner, sec.

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# Area News Briefs

**CISCO**  
The Fourth of July Celebration will be a good one this year, and there will be fireworks, according to Don Shepard, Chamber of Commerce Manager. He said the fireworks contributions are beginning to come in, but the Chamber is still short on the amount of money needed. If you haven't sent your donation please bring it by the Chamber office or mail it to Cisco CofC, 305 Conrad Hilton, Cisco, 76437. Shepard said he would like Cisco to keep up the tradition of having fireworks on the Fourth of July, which make a great finale for the celebration. There will be a lot of fun, food and booths at Cisco City Park on that day, and all are invited to come to Cisco.

There will be a Yard Sale to raise money for a K-9 Police Dog on July 6, 7 and 8. The location will be 1501 Ave. N. Anyone who has contributions for the sale may call 442-1907, or bring items. Please bring good things so that the sale can be successful. The K-9 Police Dog project is gaining the support of the town, and hopefully enough money can soon be raised to purchase one of the dogs.

The mural painting on the old Chamber of Commerce building is progressing well, and should be finished soon. The workers want to complete this art before the July 4 celebration, when a number of visitors are expected in town for the fireworks. Among those doing the painting are Kim Rhodes, Lori Ann Speegle, Al Gaeta, Eric Johnson, Yokiko Kliener and Aki Kliener. Drive by and see this colorful and interesting mural. It attracts a lot of attention from tourists coming into town on Highway 183.

The Cisco School District Board of Directors awarded eight young men and women Maner Scholarships recently. Ray Saunders, CISD Superintendent said the

Scholarships totaled \$20,200. Those receiving them were Jeff Kinser, Angie Bradford, Rhonda Bradford, Tracie Hughes, Deanna McGrew, Leslie Scott, Anita Trammel and Brad Hawari. The Maner Scholarships are awarded each year to students who have graduated from Cisco High School or Cisco Junior College. Students who receive them will attend the University of Texas at Austin.

Cisco Junior College has 886 students enrolled in their summer session, which is an increase of 221 over the attendance of last summer. This total was reported to the College Board of Regents meeting on June 13. In other business, Ralph Glenn and Herman Glueck approached the Board of Regents on the development of the B.B. Owens land site, located on Highway 80 east of the city limits. The estate was given to the college several months ago. The Board made a motion to turn the matter over to Spencer Carver, the Judge who worked with the agreement.

**BAIRD**  
Baird Presbyterian celebrated the Church's 103rd year with a Founder's Day on Sunday, June 26. Church members, friends, former members and descendants of early-day members were in town for the event. The program included church services, lunch, and the dedication of the remodeled kitchen and meeting room. Those who could not come last Sunday should take time to drive by and view this picture-book church with its historic marker.

A new place for young people, "The Bear's Cave", is now open in Baird. It is located across the street from the drive-up window at the Baird First National Bank. This place has been designed for the young and young-at-heart, 'Teens and Pre-teens. It has video arcade games, pool tables, and

music. The "Bear's Cave" will be open Mon.-Thur. 2-10 p.m., and Fri.-Sat. 2-12 p.m. Come out for a good time.

**EASTLAND**  
Ground breaking was held last week for the new Charles Sharp Carpet Design facility on I-20 east of town. The slab was to be finished Monday, and other building underway. Sharp is building his plant here to be more centrally located for the large clientele he serves with exclusive carpet designs and manufacture. The firm hopes to be in full operation in early fall. The building will be highly visible to Interstate traffic, and be convenient to customers from far west Texas.

A movie entitled "Don't Run Away" is being shot in Eastland, with almost all the actors also from this city. The filming of the movie is expected to continue throughout June, and should be ready for viewing in July. The movie is directed by Oral G.L. Blackstock, a senior at Warner Southern College in Florida, who also comes from Jamaica. Cameramen are Darrel Basham, Scott Dennis and Blackstock. The production is being underwritten by the Inspiration Church of God Youth Department as a special summer project.

Once released, videotaped recordings of the film will be available on request.

Summer productions of the Kendrick Religious Pageant "The Life of Christ" began June 16 and will be presented each Thursday and Friday night at 9 o'clock through August 12, 1988. This production is the complete life of Christ from birth through the resurrection. It is portrayed in sixty scenes by a cast of dedicated people, with the script from the King James version of the Holy Bible. Included with the cast is a grey donkey for Mother Mary, a white donkey for the triumphant entry of Jesus, a camel for the wise men, and sheep for the shepherds in the field. Admission is \$3 per person. All are encouraged to come out to this non-denominational presentation.

Three Eastland County students attended the Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar at Angelo State University June 13-17. Brian Lasater of Gorman, Sherry Nail of Ranger and Steve Couch of Cisco were sponsored by the Bureau. They completed a training course designed to give them a better understanding of their American heritage, and also the free enterprise system. A number of speakers from Universities brought information. Other speakers were Basilio Bachor, a Polish immigrant, and Jack Jackson, free enterprise lecturer from

Fort Worth.

**RANGER**  
The Chamber of Commerce has scheduled a Work Day for Wednesday, June 29 at 6 p.m. at the Tennis Courts. New wire will be strung and nets put in place. The poles around the court will be painted and the lines on the court will be done. Soft drinks will be provided. All members are urged to attend. Plans are underway to beautify Ranger in every way possible.

Frontier Trails is working with the Chamber of Commerce to keep Roaring Ranger Museum open every day. A Committee has been selected: Chuck Lindley, Chairman, and Jeanne Pruett, Co-Chairman. The Museum is advertised in various ways, with beautiful signs at the city limits directing visitors to it. This place is an asset to the town, and Chamber members are asked to donate time each month to keep it open. Quite a few have already volunteered, including Lone Star Gas, Frontier Trails, Big Country Burgers and More, and Pilgrims to Pioneers.

Records show that 596 Ranger households answered a recent inquiry concerning approval or

## Tarleton State University

### Distinguished Student List

The A and B Honor Roll and Distinguished Student list for the Spring 1988 semester has been announced at Tarleton State University. Dr. Robert C. Fain, Vice President of Academic Affairs at the University, released the names of students honored during the most recent long term. Included on the list were 189 students making the A Honor Roll and 670 making the B Honor Roll. There were 676 Distinguished Students named.

Students listed on the A Honor Roll must have a 4.0 grade point ratio (GPR) on

disapproval for city-wide clean-up campaigns, what utilities were servicable, and what priority should be placed on Ranger's needs. There was an overwhelming approval of city-wide cleanups, 99.99 percent. Some listed various utility improvements needed, but the largest number of persons answering indicated a need for better pavement, or for paving unpaved streets. This information will be used in a planning process when a grant is obtained.

the 4.0 system and be taking a minimum of 12 hours. Students on the B Honor Roll must have a grade point ratio between 3.00 and 3.99 with no grade lower than B and taking a minimum of 12 hours.

Distinguished Students include freshmen and sophomore students who have a minimum GPR of 3.25 with no grade lower than C, and junior and seniors who have a minimum GPR of 3.50 with no grade lower than C and are in good standing.

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# Homemaking Hints

From Janet Thomas, County Agent

I am excited about all the new information on food preservation that has been received from the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The information includes new techniques for canning tomatoes, separate processing time sheets for weighted-gauge and dial-gauge canners, recipes for low-sugar and low sodium products and information on a new product for making canned pie filling.

The new information is based on canning, pickling and jellied products research just completed by Penn State University. It's the most extensive revamping of canning information in years. The Extension Service office is now getting copies of the new bulletins, and will be available free to the public.

One development, we are particularly excited about is a new product that makes it possible for consumers to can their own pie filling. In years past if a cook wanted to use her summer's peaches to make pies next Christmas, they would have to can the peaches, then make the pie filling from the canned peaches. This was because most starches break down under the high temperatures required for canning, causing homemade canned pie filling to be runny.

For this year for the first time Clearjel A, a commercially modified starch made from waxy maize, is available to consumers. Previously, the product was available only to producers of commercially canned pie fillings. USDA is not promoting or endorsing the product, but is using the brand name because to its knowledge Clearjel A is the only product of its type available to consumers.

Clearjel A produces an excellent product that maintains its consistency, even after it is canned and baked. It is also much less expensive than commercially made pie filling. Clearjel A costs about \$2.35 per pound, which is enough for at least a half-bushel of peaches. So if you have your own fruit, you can make pie filling for less than 50 cents a quart rather than paying \$1.80 to \$1.90 for store-bought canned pie filling.

We are also excited about the new processes for canning tomatoes. The Extension Service now says tomatoes can be canned with the pressure-canning method. Earlier, only the boiling-water method was recommended.

Many people are glad about the change because the processing time is shorter with the pressure canning. That means you can spend less time in a hot kitchen. Other good news is that USDA has developed a technique for including lemon juice in canned tomatoes. This gives you improved quality and a firmer texture than in years past.

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# Gordon Spot

By DeMarquis Gordon, County Agent

The nation wide drought is getting a lot of attention now. Apparently much of the nation is in worse condition than we are in Eastland County. We had one of the driest Winter - Spring season than we have had in a long time. However, the good rains in late May and early June helped our situation a lot. Last week the peanut fields still had good moisture. The range and pasture grasses are still green but the grasses are wilting fast under the 90 degrees plus weather. Most bermudagrass hay fields have yielded one cutting of hay, but rain will be necessary to get a second cutting in most cases.

Across the nation this Spring's drought has reduced pasture and range feed conditions to the worst at this time of year since USDA started keeping tabs on pasture conditions in 1922. The condition is rate a little worse than the Dust Bowl year of 1934. Even worse the atmospheric scientists are predicting the drought to continue through the summer or even longer.

Dry weather has reduced first crop hay yields up to 70% in some areas, which has fueled advances in hay prices and concerns about hay production later this summer.

The continuing drought has made itself felt elsewhere, particularly in Northern Mexico and Western Canada. Northwestern Mexico is weathering one of its worst droughts in 20 years. Thousands of cattle have been reported dying in the area.

Tight feed grain supplies as a result of drought conditions in Western Canada will leave no option for producers but to reduce their herds. Pastureland is virtually non-existent in the area from Red Deer, Alberta, South to Central and Southern regions of Saskatchewan, sources said.

All this makes us even more thankful for the rains we received on May 31-June 2. Those rains put a lot of water in stock tanks and lakes. The way it looks now, that stored water will be helpful if we have a long, hot, dry summer as most weather scientists predict.

If you own cattle, you are familiar with the damage caused by cattle grubs. Their damage is largely unseen, yet they cause greater economic losses to the U.S. beef cattle industry than any other insect pest.

While grubs are usually found on the backs of infested animals during the winter months, that's not the time for control measures since the past have already done their damage. Feed efficiency and animal vigor are reduced in infested animals.

The time to control grubs is from now through August when grubs are small and before infested animals suffer stress weight loss and decreased feed efficiency.

If you have a history of grubs in your herd, it's best to treat each animal over three months of age with an application of an approved systemic insecticide or injectable treatment during the June through August period.

Systemic insecticides are absorbed directly through the animal's skin, circulate through the body, and kill grubs while they are small. Injectable treatments are circulated in the animal's body fluids to kill the invading pests.

These insecticides come in various forms—dips, sprays, pour-ons, injections and spot-on treatments. A listing of approved insecticides and methods for controlling cattle grubs is available at the County Extension office. Publication B-1306 contains information on the control of livestock pests.

Thursday, June 30, 1988

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# Cisco Class To Sponsor Teenage Dance

The Senior Class of Cisco High School, in coordination with Senior Class parents, is sponsoring an Eastland County and area high school dance on Monday, July 4.

The dance will be held in the Corral Room from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

Jason Phillips, local DJ, will provide the music for the dance. Admission will be \$3.00. Soft drinks will be available.

Cisco has an active group of parents, Parents for Teens, who have sponsored monthly parties for Cisco High School students for the last three years. Senior Class parents who work with Parents for Teens will serve as chaperones, in addition to other interested Senior parents, or parents from other classes. Parents from all surrounding towns are invited to also help chaperone.

Definite rules have been established for high school students as follows:  
1. Only high school students and guests who are on a guest form will be allowed to attend the dance.  
2. Students may leave the dance at any time; however, once a student leaves they may not return.

3. No drugs or alcohol will be allowed.  
4. No smoking or dipping will be allowed.  
Says a "spokes parent" for the Senior Class, "High school parents should be assured that the dance will be well chaperoned and our definite rules will be followed. Please feel secure in allowing your teenager to attend our dance, and feel free to join us if you can."

Guest forms may be filled out at Merle Norman Studio, 719 Conrad Hilton, Cisco, or call 442-3113 or 442-4627 for further information.

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Don't Miss this lovely 2 BR home on 4 lots, large shop with 3 phase wiring, beautiful yard, water well.  
Affordable! Cozy 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath home, breakfast nook, formal DR, double garage, and workshop.  
Victorian style, 2 story home, 5 BR, 2 bath, 2 fireplaces, double carport, on lovely tree shaded property.  
Remodeled 5 BR, 2 bath, 2 story home, insulated, storm windows, CH/CA, rewired and replumbed, water treatment system, many extras.  
Need Animal Space? Come see this 3 BR 1 3/4 bath home on 14 lots.  
Spectacular Buy! Extras Galore! 3 BR 2 baths, DR/LR combination, sep den, privacy fence, carport.  
13 Lots make a beautiful setting for this lovely 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath home. CH/CA, also has an unfinished 2 BR, 1 3/4 bath home, all city utilities, plus water well.  
Convenient location! Exceptional 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath home, CH/CA, 2 living areas, DR, office space, new carpet, large shaded yard.  
Nice selection of 3 & 4 BR brick homes with CH/CA, ranging from \$29,000 to \$48,500. Call for details.  
Several Residential Lots available.  
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**OLDEN-NEAT** 2 or 3 BR 1/2 bath home, remodeled, built-in stove & refrigerator & well water. Plenty of space around it. \$22

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PRICE REDUCED COUNTRY LIVING AT IT'S BEST! 12 plus acres with large 3 BR, 2 bath home. HA18  
225 ACRES NW OF DESEMONA with 4 BR, brick home - or will split off 10 AC & home. 47 acres cult., peanut quota, 3 irrigation wells. HA11  
198 ACRES with early 1900's home - Johns Eastland City Limits. EXCELLENT TO SUBDIVIDE! Hwy. frontage, rustic, trees. HA8  
225 ACRES & 2 BR home near Eastland. Some coastal, native pasture. WILL SPLIT OFF house and 160 ac., house & 1 ac. up, 60 ac. without house. HA14  
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32 ACRES m/l with 3 BR home, access to Lake Leon. Staff water & well, stock tank, barn, shed. Producing gas well, 1/8 royalty. HA17  
HERE IT IS! 3 BR "nearly new" brick home on 40 acre mtl-ranch. Good grass, deer, turkey. Stock tank, well, Staff water. HA19  
8 ACRES WITH LOG HOUSE - 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large living room, fireplace, cen. H/A. City water, barn, MUG, JOREH! HA  
BEAUTIFUL LOG & ROCK HOME on 5 ACRES at edge of Eastland! Large 4 BR, 4 bath home with all amenities and many extras! HA20  
11.85 ACRES with 3 BR frame home, near Lake Leon, Kiehlgras, 1 stock tank, staff water. Pavement 3 sides. HA2  
DREAM HOME on 27 ACRES! Beautiful 4 BR brick home in very desirable location near Eastland. Call for details! HA  
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CISCO 2 BR on 1/2 Acres, City sewer and water makes for country living in the City! HA15  
112.1645 ACRES m/l with 3 BR home. Cult., sandy soil, highway frontage. REASONABLY PRICED! HA10  
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The market report for June 22 was feeder steers \$3 to \$4 lower, steer calves \$1 to \$2 lower, feeder heifers & heifer calves \$4 to \$5 lower, slaughter cows & bulls \$3 to \$4 lower, stock cows mostly \$5 lower, cow & calf pairs steady to weak. Demand moderate, trade fairly active. Estimated receipts, 903 head. **TOP OF THE MARKET:** Thomas Newman, Brownwood, brn w/c, 1035 lbs, \$625 pr; Peggy Richmond, Bangs, gray cow, 1120, 45.25; Rocking Horse Ranch, San Saba, blk bull, 1215, 795 hd; Charles Green, Brownwood, gr mf cow, 1160, 45; Howard McQueen, Brownwood, rd spotted bull, 1820, 59.50; Charlie Smith, Brownwood, blk x str, 510, 80; Rickey Sikes, Brownwood, brn x str, 440, 84; John Green, Bangs, brn w hfr, 700, 67; Spinks & Schulze, Mullin, rd w hfr, 395, 85; R.V. Pittman, Brownwood, rd w hfr, 340, 96; Charles Deeds, Rochelle, blk str, 445, 86; Darrell Wilson, Brownwood, 6 Brang pr 690 pr.; W.H. Bates, Rising Star, Brang mf str, 350, 98.

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Please send a photo along with your entry blank to be used in newspaper publications.

Mail entry blank to: Shirley Gentry, Rt 3 Box 19, Ranger, TX 76470. For further information call Shirley at 647-1566 or 647-1308.

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Rodeo Queen Contest, age limit 15 to 25 yrs. old (must be single), will be interviewed on Thursday, July 14, at 3:00 p.m. in the Gholson Hotel. All Rodeo Queen contestants will ride in the parade at 5:00 p.m., and will

ride in the grand entry each night of the Rodeo. Horsemanship will be judged on Friday, July 15th at 6:00 p.m. in the Jaycee Arena.

Rodeo Queen winner will be announced on Saturday night.

Entry fee to enter the Little Miss contest is \$10.00; and \$25.00 to enter the Rodeo Queen Contest. Deadline to enter either contest is July 3rd.

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Each camper will receive a regulation size basketball. T-shirts will be provided to each camper.

Each camper will be covered with insurance from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. each day. A noon meal will be provided Monday through Thursday in the CJC cafeteria. Cost of the camp will be \$60.00 and a \$25.00 deposit is required.

Camp Instructors will be: RONNIE HEARNE-Hearne is the women's basketball coach at Cisco Junior College. While the director of the girls camp at CJC it has grown from 45 to 186 girls in six years. His six teams at Cisco have each won 20 games and advanced to the Regional Tournament. In the past four years his teams have been conference cham-

pions three times. Hearne was three times All-Southland Conference at Abilene Christian University.

CHARLES HEARNE-Hearne is the boys coach at Grafard High School. He has coached 20 years and has won over 700 games. He has had 20 teams in post season play and has never lost a bi-district contest. His teams have won 4 regional Championships and 1 State Championship. He has had 5 players play in All-Star games and has coached 5 All-State players. He was the Abilene Reporter-News Coach of the Year in 1974. He was the Ft. Worth Area Coach of the Year and was nominated as High School Coach of the Year for Texas in 1988.

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DEADLINE to enter the camp is July 1, 1988.

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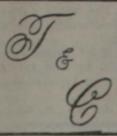
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## Jamboree To Benefit Sound System

The Second Fifth Saturday musical Jamboree at the Majestic will have a slightly different twist in its next outing.

Scheduled for Saturday, July 30, the event will be another crowd-pleasing, toe-tapping, fun-time musical, and have as its purpose, the raising of funds to provide a first-class sound system for the theatre.

Admission will be free, but attendees will be asked to contribute to the theatre's sound system fund. The recent gospel musical initiated the effort and raised funds for the sound project. Much more is needed.

Producing the show will be Al Anderson of Cisco who will have his band as house band, and he's already lining up well-

known entertainers and local performers for the big show. Anderson will be providing the sound system for this production.

The event is sponsored by Eastland County Newspapers, providing the location, and the performers all share their talent without fee.

The first program in April played to a large audience, and it is hoped that

the theatre can be filled for this edition.

The comfortable house provides excellent acoustics, and a pleasant setting for the Jamboree. There will be no tickets distributed for this event, so seating will be on a first-come, first-serve basis.

The theatre's concession stand will be open.

It is hoped that this type of entertainment, along with the gospel musical programs, will become regular and frequent offerings at the theatre, to provide a complete assortment of entertainments for the public which made the theatre possible.

## Economics Teachers And Extension Agents

"Energy Awareness...Today and Tomorrow" was the subject for the 1988 Home Economics Teachers and County Extension Agents Workshop sponsored by TU Electric, Texas-New Mexico Power Co., Southwestern Electric Service Co., and West Texas Utilities Co.

The workshop was held on June 14th & 15th at Baylor University in Waco, Texas.

## 2 Abilene Teens Hurt In Rollover Near Eastland

Two 17-year-old Abilene cousins were injured about 3 a.m. Monday in a one-vehicle accident south of here on Interstate 20.

Truman Ladout Keesee Jr., driver of a westbound pickup truck, was listed in serious condition Monday afternoon at Humana Hospital-Abilene with a head injury, a hospital spokeswoman said.

Micheal Shane Tamporello, a passenger in the truck, was treated for minor injuries at Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Eastland Police Officer Frank Saylor said Keesee apparently fell asleep while driving.

## Mangum Baptist Singing June 30

Mangum Baptist Church will hold their regular monthly singing Thursday, June 30 at 7:00 p.m.

All visitors and singers are invited to attend.

## Cisco Country Club Scramble

Cisco Country Club will have a two guys and a gal golf scramble Saturday and Sunday, July 2-3.

For more information contact Lonnie Crosby at the Country Club.

## Sipe Springs Musical July 2

There will be a musical Saturday, July 2 at 6:30 in the Sipe Springs Community Center.

Everyone is invited to attend.

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Attending from Eastland Co. were Jerry Stephenson, Janet Thomas, pictured with Kit Horne, utility company representative. They were among 162 Texas Home Ec Teachers and County Extension Agents who attended the workshop.

## Texas Future Farmers News

June 7-10 marked the dates for the State Awards and Degree Check for all of the Texas Future Farmers of America in Austin.

Teachers of Agri-Science selected from the ten areas across the state traveled to Austin to check over the numerous applications for scholarships, proficiency awards, State Farmer degrees, American Farmer degrees, and other types of awards FFA members were applying for. Charles Hutto, Agri-Science teacher from Eastland, served on this committee. In addition to the teachers, the State FFA officer team and the FFA of-

ficer candidates for 1988-89 also served on the committee.

Eastland FFA members that will receive the State Farmer Degree this July in San Antonio during the State FFA Convention are: Joel Bulla, Allen Elliott, Rodney Elliott, John Foster, Tanya O'Brien, Jody Scott, Brent Snapp, and Gina Stroud.

John Glenn Kidd, Eastland's applicant for the degree of American Farmer was approved on the state level. His application now goes to the national degree check. The American Farmer Degree is awarded during the National FFA

## CJC Summer Classes

Summer classes at Cisco Junior College will begin July 12 at all locations.

Students may register from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 to 8:00 on the following dates and locations: Cisco campus, Monday, July 11 in the Director of Admission's office; Clyde campus, Thursday, July 7; Abilene campus, Thursday, July 7. Coleman registration will be on July 6 at 6:00 p.m. at Coleman High School.

For more information call the appropriate campus at one of the following numbers: Cisco (817) 442-2567; Clyde (915) 893-5976; Abilene (915) 698-2212; Coleman (817) 442-2567.

Convention in Kansas City, Missouri in November.

Competing on the state level of competition was Scott Brinkley in the agricultural electrification division of proficiency awards. Scott was unsuccessful on the state level, but plans to try again next year.

Area IV Officers for the Future Farmers of America and their advisors will meet at Fox Hollow on Possum Kingdom for a planning meeting. During the FFA planning meeting, plans for the District and Chapter Officer training will be finalized. Those training sessions begin on Tuesday, June 21 following the meeting on the 20th. At the same time,

# 4-H NEWS

## By Crystal Wilbanks, County Agent — 4-H RECORD BOOK JUDGING:

All Eastland County 4-H Record Books will be judged on Wednesday, July 6th, in Rising Star. Eastland County 4-H leaders will meet with Brown County leaders and do an exchange judging.

All first place record books will be sent to district competition. The District 8 4-H Record Book Judging will be July 28th, in Stephenville. Along with Extension Agents, several Eastland County 4-H leaders will be judging. Volunteer leaders are Mrs. Shelly Bailey, Mrs. Mary Jane Little, and Mrs. Louanne Gerhardt.

## 4-H COUNCIL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

The 4-H Council executive officers will meet on Thursday, July 7th, at 12 noon at Pizza Inn in Eastland. Purpose of the meeting is to nominate a slate of officers for 1988-1989.

## GOLD STAR JUDGING:

4-H Gold Star and Danforth "I Dare You" Leadership applicants will be judged on Thursday, July 7, at 3 p.m. in the Eastland National Bank Community Room. The community room will be open from 1-3 p.m. for 4-H'ers to set up exhibits.

Winners will be recognized at the County Awards Banquet in October.

## 4-H PICNIC: DON'T FORGET! Friday

teachers of agri-science that serve as district and area officers of the teachers association will meet and plan their meetings and FFA activities for the year.

Charles Hutto and Alton Mitchell, agri-science teachers from Eastland and Tammy Lyerla, Area IV Vice-President will attend the Monday meetings. On Tuesday morning, Eastland FFA Chapter officers Jeff Byrd, Stephen Groce, Tanya O'Brien, Crystal Bridgens, Jerry Mehaffey, and Monty Kea will travel to Bobby Holder FFA Camp for leadership training sessions. Everyone will return home Wednesday afternoon.

Bobby Little cabin on Lake Leon. The Lake cabin is located on the Staff road off Farm to Market Road 2214, southeast of Eastland towards Desdemona. Turn left on Staff road after crossing one bridge over Lake Leon. COME AT 6 P.M. FOR HOT DOGS, BRING CHIPS, DESSERTS.

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Short business meetings will be held for the 4-H Parent Association and 4-H Council.

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## Senior Center News

We want to thank Artie Jagers for taking blood pressure Thursday. Most of the sick are better. Elsie Criswell is home from the hospital. Bonnie Polk had surgery. Alvy Bible is improving each day, and Mrs. Very had her checkup and is better.

Kathleen Summers from Austin and Pauline Roberds of Hobbs, N.M., visited Lela Clark during the week.

Marion and Marjorie West visited the Cisco Senior Citizens Wednesday and shopped in Brownwood on Tuesday.

Bobby and Inez are keeping busy with yard and garden work.

Gaylon and Jessie Swift visited with their children in Waco, and all spent two days in Galveston.

Reba and Johnny Mooney have been visiting in Lubbock. A granddaughter came for Father's Day and also visitors from Arkansas

visited in their home. Darwin Bostick is visiting his brother, Terry, in Utah this week. Terry had surgery recently.

Berna Lee Chick spent two days in Stephenville helping her daughter get moved and settled in.

Kippy Maynard of Breckenridge is still visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Deward Maynard.

There will not be "Meal on Wheels" Monday, July 4, will make it up another day.

### PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Forbes and daughter of Panama visited his grandmother, Mrs. Vera Forbes and his aunts, Murlene Somerford and Murel Forbes, Sunday.

**Smell Gas? Call City Hall 643-4261**

## Rising Star Nursing Center

Vickie Majors Activity Director

MONDAY: We did exercise, passed out mail, had Bingo. Players were Maggie Christian-1, Martha Irby-5, Mary C risp-2, Vera Forbes-3, Rada King-1, Pauline Hill-0, Pearl Petty-1, Joe Fox-1, Lila Jarrett-1, Grace Goss-1, Jenny Turner-2, and Buster Rixford.

TUESDAY: We had exercise, passed out mail and had our monthly Birthday Party. Our birthday residents were Maggie Christian, Garland Bibby, Mamie Forehand and Pearl Petty. Members from the Methodist Church brought the cakes and we want to thank these ladies for their help in serving our patients and for bringing the cakes.

Thanks to the Bank for sending the lovely flowers to our birthday residents.

WEDNESDAY: WE played basketball, passed out mail, and played Bingo. Players were Lena Scott-5, Rada King-4, Pauline Hill-5, Vera Forbes-5, Grace Goss-1, Pearl Petty-2, Joe Fox-0, Mary Crisp-2, and Buster Rixford-5.

FRIDAY: We had our craft class, passed out mail,

and several played dominoes.

FRIDAY: We had exercise, passed out mail, and played Bingo. Players were Mary Crisp-0, Martha Irby-5, Pearl Petty-3, Joe Fox-1, Vera Forbes-3, Jenney Turner-4, Lena Scott-2, Rada King-1, Pauline Hill-4, Buster Rixford-2, Gladys Barron-4.

Visiting Pearl Petty was Paula, Ginger, Kelly, Michelle, and Kacie Shields.

Rev. Robert Robert Linnstaedt from Fort Worth visited with all our residents. Martha Irby went out with Carlene and Nick Nichols to eat at the Section Hand.

Maggie Christian was visited by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox, Lorene Forbes, Mrs. Sarah Alice Roebuck and son.

Rufus Wilson visited with Pauline Hill and Lena Scott.

Visiting Vera Forbes were her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Forbes and daughter from Panama. Mrs. Forbes says it had been 30 years since she had seen him.

Thanks to the Church of Christ for Sunday services.

## Sipe Springs

Friends have received the death message of Elmer Rachels of Bedford, who was a longtime resident of here at one time. He is survived by his wife, Ruby, daughter, Bobby Jean Payton, and son, Jimmy, of Fort Worth and Bedford. We extend our sympathy to his family. Funeral and burial was held at Fort Worth.

Graveside services were held at Sipe Springs Cemetery Tuesday for Quimby Haile Breckhannon of Levelland. He was a resident of here at one time. We extend our sympathy to the family.

Mr. Shelton Breautigan is home from De Leon hospital. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Dick Wyatt is home from the De Leon hospital. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Barton of Dublin spent Father's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barton.

Mr. Gayle Leonard of Fort Worth spent Father's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Leonard. Mr. and Mrs. Garland Leonard of Bisbee, Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stokes of Brownwood also visited the Leonards.

Mrs. Irene McKeehan is hospitalized at De Leon hospital. We hope for her a fast recovery.

**1988 Homecoming game - Friday nite, Sept. 30. Other activities, Saturday, October 1.**

## Obituaries

### Ted Tharp

Ted Tharp, 76, died Tuesday at a Temple hospital.

Services were held at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Gregg Knight officiating. Burial was in the Rising Star Cemetery.

Born in Eastland County, he moved to Rising Star in 1970.

He was a retired mechanic and a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Alice Hollingsworth Tharp of Rising Star, a son, Bobby Blevins of San Antonio; a brother, Charlie Tharp of Ballinger; a sister, Onis Lee of Brownwood; and numerous nieces and nephews.

### Olene Wise

BROWNWOOD - Olene Wise, 61, died Tuesday at a Brownwood hospital.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Thursday at Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Everett Yielding officiating. Burial was in Eastlawn Memorial Park.

Born in Brown County, she was a longtime resident of Brownwood. She was a Baptist and a homemaker. She was a former resident of Rising Star.

Survivors include her husband, Kenneth Wise of Brownwood; a daughter, Meichele Pittman of Brownwood; three sons, Sammy Wells of

Brownwood, Ronny Wells of Dallas and Michael Conners of Fort Worth; her mother, Gladys Everage of Bangs; a sister, Myrtle Mercer of Lake Brownwood; two brothers, Doy Everage of Martinsville, Ind., and Royce Everage of Fort Worth; and three grandchildren.

### Mamie Forehand

Mamie Edna Forehand, 94, died Wednesday at a local nursing home.

Services were held at 4:30 p.m. Thursday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Roger Barron officiating. Burial was in the Pioneer Cemetery.

Born in Comanche County, she was a homemaker.

Survivors include a son-in-law, Darwin May of Andrews; a grandson, Michael May of San Antonio; and a sister, Edith Curry of Cisco.

### William McCoy

William Otto McCoy, 84, died Friday at a Brownwood hospital.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Monday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Kerry Patton officiating. Burial was in the Romney Cemetery.

Born in Oklahoma, he was a longtime resident. He was a farmer and a Methodist.

Survivors include two

sons, Charles McCoy of Montgomery, Ala., and Lawrence McCoy of Lafayette, La.; three daughters, Evelyn McCoy of Mamou, La., Doris Fontenot of Fort Barry, La., and Myrlene Dean of Radcliff, Ky.; two sisters, Adina Krueger and Alice Stewart, both of Rising Star; 12 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

### Loraine Williams

Loraine Williams, 82, died Saturday at an Abilene hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jackson officiating. Burial was in the Rising Star Cemetery.

Born in Rising Star, she was a lifetime resident.

She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Survivors include a son, Steve H. Williams of Clyde; a daughter, Collette Wells of Rising Star; five grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

### Carl Burns

Carl Lee Burns, 89, died Monday at a Brownwood hospital. Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Dale Jackson officiating, assisted by the Rev. Dale Noska. Burial was in Elm Cemetery, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Born in Leon County, he was a longtime resident of Rising Star. He was a retired farmer and member of First Baptist Church. He was the widower of Estell Burnett Burns.

Survivors include two brothers, Robert Burns of Rising Star and Douglas Burns of Eastland; a sister, Irene Goodwin of Eastland; and several nieces and nephews.

### Scranton

**Musical To Be Held Saturday**

The Scranton Country and Western Musical will be held Saturday, July 2, in the Scranton Community Center.

Concession stand will open at 6:00 p.m., and music will begin at 7:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited, especially area musicians.

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According to the American Cancer Society, one out of eleven women in the United States will develop breast cancer sometime in her lifetime. It is currently estimated that over 37,000 women die each year as the result of breast cancer.

Ninety percent of breast cancers are diagnosed by women or their physicians finding a lump in the breast. Women who are diagnosed with a lump large enough to feel have a 50 percent five year survival rate. A woman who is diagnosed as having breast cancer by mammography, before a lump can be felt, has a 97% five year survival rate and a 90% 10 year survival rate.

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THE MOBILE BREAST CANCER DETECTION UNIT WILL BE IN RISING STAR ON THURSDAY, JULY 7TH.

The American Cancer Society has established guidelines for mammography in asymptomatic women. (Women who have no symptoms of disease). Those guidelines have been adopted by the American Academy of Family Physicians, American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, and The American College of Radiology. Those guidelines are:

- I. 35-40 years of age - One baseline mammogram.
- II. 40-50 years of age - A mammogram every 1-2 years depending on breast type and risk factor.
- III. 50 years of age and over - An annual physical examination and annual mammogram.
- IV. Asymptomatic women under 50 years of age with

significant high risk factors should be examined at appropriate intervals. These risk factors include previous breast cancer and family history of cancer.

V. A symptomatic woman should have a mammogram at any age when she experiences a mass, nipple discharge, skin changes or unexplained breast pain.

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**Engagement Announced Engagement Announced**



Paula New, daughter of James and Jean New of Rising Star and Philip Tatum, son of Bob and Rose Tatum of Abilene will be married August 6, in a private ceremony at the First Baptist Church.

Following the wedding an informal dinner reception will be held at the bride's parents' home.



Mr. and Mrs. James Carey of Rising Star and Mr. Jim Hendricks of Eastland have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, LaQuita Lynn to Ronnie Lynn Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Evans of Rising Star.

The wedding is planned for 7 p.m. on July 23, at the Calvary Assembly Church in Rising Star. Friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding.

**Rising Star 4-H'ers Lead in County**

Rising Star 4-H'ers have led the way in leadership for Eastland County this summer.

The County Meat Judging Team consisting of Brian Bailey, Toby Long, Stephanie Long, and Howard Lawrence, recently traveled to Texas A&M to participate in the Meat Judging Contest at State Roundup. Stephanie Long had the highest score in District 8. Brian, Howard and Toby traveled to 4-H Leadership Lab at the Texas 4-H Center, where they all served as workshop leaders. Shelly Bailey, adult leader, also attended Leadership Lab and Roundup. Barbara Long, adult leader attended Roundup. Brian and Toby also attended County 4-H Camp and served as camp counselors.

Special thanks to Paula Collins for helping transport and chaperone 4-H'ers at county camp.

**Putnam Musical**

The monthly Musical at Putnam will be held Friday July 1 at the Schoolhouse. The concession stand will open at 5 p.m. with another good meal available. The music will begin at 6 p.m., and Robert D. Weeks of Eastland will be Master of Ceremonies.

Everyone is invited, especially area musicians. A good program is expected, and there will be no charge for the music.

**THANK YOU**

Recently our mother, Olene Claborn, was ill and friends and neighbors and our sweet families made a wonderful difference in her recovery.

We especially appreciate the ambulance and the EMT that was so reassuring to a frightened little lady.

Thank you for your care and love. Rising Star is a special place to all of us.

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The family of A.H. "Hap" Lancaster wishes to express their deepest appreciation and sincere thanks for all the comforting words and prayers expressed through phone calls, letters and visits from friends and neighbors. Also for the food brought into our home and the beautiful flowers.

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- JULY 5  
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