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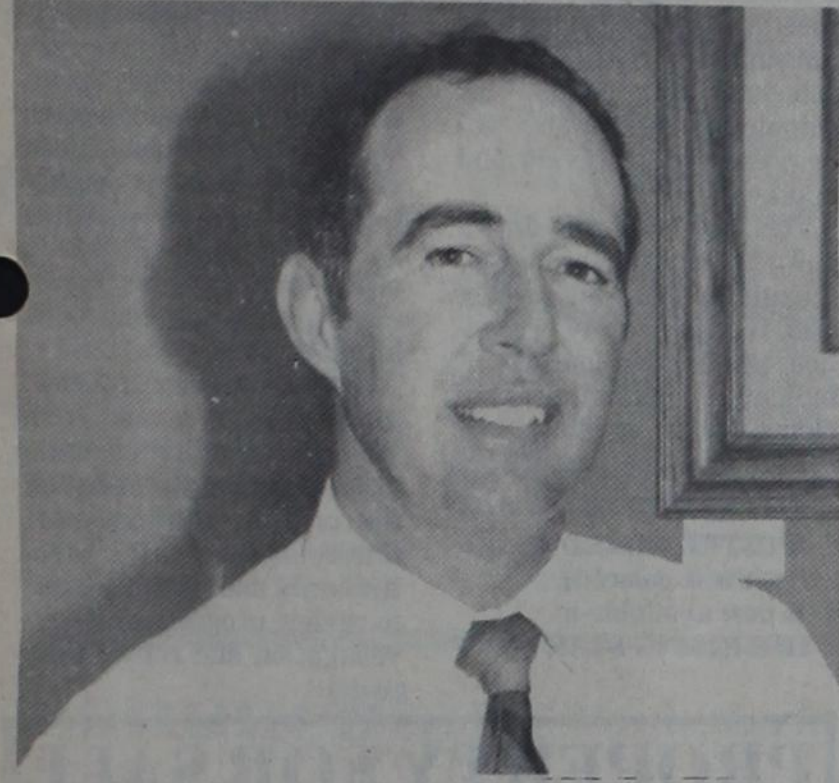
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A crowd of some 200 turned out to meet artist Wayne Baize and view his artwork Sunday. The exhibit remains on display at First State Bank through November 13.

Ambulance Fund Donations

Rising Star Emergency Medical Service, our volunteer ambulance service, has received memorials to Cleo Palmore, Ed Chick, T.T. Barnes, B.W. Copeland, W.L. Curtis, Mary Claborn, Ed Duensing, Nettie Jean Cooper Lay and Mattie Jordan since the last published list.

Donations have been made by Polly Price, Ivy Allen, Chuck Wagon Cafe, Bible Baptist Church of Rising Star, Hazel McCollum, Evelyn Chick, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Palmore, Bob and Lela Shults, Delia Dalton, Mrs. P.A. Kaltenbaugh, Geneva Bobeen, J.D. Ward, Irene Mayfield, Ruby Ballew, Gorman ISD, McKinnerney children, Mrs. J.W. Stover, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Langner, Hoxie Kensor, Freda Duensing, Cloyce and Virginia McBride of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Holeman, Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Holeman, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Holeman, Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Crump, J.R. and Edythe Morrow, Maggie Smith, Mary Carroll, Roger and Pat Barron, Alvie and Dell Bible, Ellen Mayes, Robert Eichelberger, Senior Citizens Center of Rising Star, Lee and Pernie Lyon and Mae Leonard.

All memorials and donations are appreciated. If your name has been omitted, please call 643-3142. The ambulance service is volunteer and operates on donations. Let's keep the service available.

THANK YOU

Peggy Roberts, Director of the Multipurpose Center in Eastland, and Mary Dunn, Vista Worker at the Center, wish to thank everyone who responded so generously to the recent appeal for canned goods. A number of needy families have been fed with these contributions. Your desire to share with those less fortunate has meant a lot to them and to the Center workers. The food pantry at the Center continues to be open to those in need of emergency help.

\$2,500.00 REWARD

Money may be mailed to First State Bank, Rising Star, 76471, to be deposited in the Witt Reward Fund. The account number is 72-360-6. No arrests have been made in the rape/murder case. Era Witt, 87, was found dead in her home on June 7.

Any person with information leading to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons responsible for the crime may call 643-4261 or 643-3421. Information may be given anonymously and arrangements will be made for the payment of the reward.

WE WISH TO THANK ALL OUR FRIENDS, FROM FAR AND NEAR, FOR THEIR GENEROUS SUPPORT DURING OUR RECENT LORD'S ACRE FESTIVAL. MAY GOD BLESS EACH OF YOU. FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Pat Howard Will Speak at Homecoming Assembly

Dr. Pat Howard, a 1958 graduate and valedictorian of Rising Star High School, will speak at the Ex-Student Association's homecoming assembly Saturday morning.

Pat completed her Ph.D. in educational administration with an emphasis in international education, management and related fields.

Since entering the field of education in 1962 as a high school English teacher, Dr. Howard has had exposure to a great variety of educational settings and professional activities, both in the United States and around the world. She has lived in and worked for educational in-

stitutions based in Europe and in the Middle East and used her expertise in combining traditional with her own innovative approaches to solving problems encountered.

The author and co-author of numerous books and articles, Pat has also served as editor for a number of education related publications. She is listed in *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*, *Personalities of the South*, *Dictionary of International Biography*, *The Worlds Who's Who of Women*, *Who's Who in American Women*, *Who's Who in the South and Southwest*.



Dr. Pat Howard
Pat's mother is Mrs. Lillian Howard.

Wildcats Swat the Hornets

The Rising Star Wildcats traveled to Lometa October 30 where they defeated the Hornets 42-8. The Cats improved their district record to 4 and 1 and are currently in second place in District 8-A.

The Hornets started out on offense. On the second play of the game Derrick White stripped the ball loose from a Lometa player and the Cats came up with their first fumble recovery. The Wildcats took advantage of the turnover when Kevin Bond scored from 25 yards out. Stacy Green's PAT was good and with 10:21 left in the first quarter, the Cats led 7-0. Lometa came back to score on a big play. It was third and nine yards to go for the first down when Lometa's Craig Byrd sprinted 74 yards to the end zone. The pass for the extra points was good and Lometa led 8-7. Lometa gambled on trying an onside kick and came up with the football on the Wildcat 43 yard line. The Wildcat defense rose to the challenge. Wildcat Kevin Bond sacked the quarterback and the Hornets were forced to punt. The Cats offense appeared to be stalled on fourth and six when Derrick White followed excellent blocking from the Wildcat offensive line and ran 33 yards for the touchdown. Stacy Green's PAT was good and the Cats regained the lead 14-8 with 5:38 left in the first quarter. On the next Wildcat drive the offensive line consisting of seniors John Flores, Kery Hill, James Holman, Lupe Paxon and sophomore Toby Long once again opened the holes for the running backs. On the

third down of the series Kevin Bond scored his second touchdown from seven yards out. Once again Stacy Green's kick was good and the Cats added to their lead, 21-8. The Hornets tried to come back but the Wildcat defense proved too much when linebacker Stacy Green intercepted a Lometa pass and returned it 28 yards. With 2:19 left in the first quarter, the Wildcats took over only to fumble on the first offensive play of the series. The Wildcat defense

line was too tough for the Hornets. Senior James Holman batted down a pitchout and freshman Donny Alcorn recovered the ball for the Wildcats. The Wildcat offensive line once again did their job when on the first offensive play of the series Wildcat Derrick White dashed 21 yards for his second touchdown. Stacy Green's PAT was good and with only 1:56 left in the first quarter, the score was Rising Star 28 and Lometa 8.

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Kittens Trounce Lometa

The Rising Star Kittens allowed Lometa only one touchdown while they racked up four last Thursday night, winning 30-6.

In the first quarter Kitten Scotty Wilson ran 29 yards to score the first touchdown of the game, although his run for two extra points was unsuccessful. The second quarter was scoreless for both teams. In the third quarter Wilson went in five yards for a touchdown and two extra points were scored on a run by Jarod Horton. Lometa scored on a 62 yard pass but failed to gain the extra points on a run. The score was 14-6. In the fourth quarter Wilson ran three yards to the

goal line and added two extra points on a run. The Kittens' fourth touchdown of the game was a nine yard run by Brandon Geye. Geye then ran into the end zone for the two extra points, bringing the score to 30-6.

Wilson carried the ball 19 times for 153 yards, Jarod Horton carried 14 times for 100 yards and Geye carried 9 times for 30 yards gained.

On kickoff returns Jarod Horton ran once for 35 yards and Donnie Horton ran once for 7 yards. On punt returns Scotty Wilson ran once for 22 yards.

One fumble was recovered by Jarod Horton.

The Kittens will play at Blanket at 6:30 Thursday night. GO KITTENS!

Class of '47 Reunion

The Class of 1947 will have a reunion in the homemaking cottage at Rising Star High School to celebrate their 40th anniversary.

Members of other classes who attended school with the Class of 1947 are especially invited to attend.

The reunion will be directly after the pep rally, about 4 p.m. Bring picture albums and memorabilia to help us reminisce.

School Prepares for Homecoming Activities

This year's homecoming is to be the best ever for ex's and students! Students have begun to make signs and on Friday will be painting windows at Higinbothams. The cheerleaders are offering \$20.00 for first place, 15.00 for second, and 10.00 for third. The judging will be done on Saturday before the pep rally. The pep rally will begin at 3 p.m. The winners of the float, sign and window contest will be announced. Other prizes will be awarded to students who have par-

ticipated in the week long events at the high school. The events consist of dressing up each day from the 50's on Monday to Blue and Gold Day on Friday. Also on Friday there will be class competitions between classes and even the teachers!! That night will be the Spirit Bonfire at 8:00 p.m. on the football field. The bonfire is promising to be the biggest and the best ever. See you there!

Maxine Perales

Class of '58 Will Plan Next Year's Reunion

The anticipation of their 30th class reunion in 1988 has prompted the Class of 1958 graduates to schedule a planning meeting at this year's Rising Star High School Homecoming. Class members who expect to attend the Homecoming festivities on November 7 are requested to meet at the High School Home Economics Cottage at 1:30

Rising Star High School 31st Homecoming Saturday, November 7, 1987

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

7:30-9 a.m. Exe's Breakfast-Visitation, Gmnasium Foyer
9 a.m. Assembly-Business Meeting, Gymnasium
11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. PTO Luncheon, School Cafeteria
2 p.m. Homecoming Parade
3 p.m. Homecoming Pep Rally, Gymnasium
7:30 p.m. Football Game, Wildcat Stadium

RISING STAR WILDCATS VS. BLANKET TIGERS

Half-time Activities: Crowning of Homecoming King and Queen
King and Queen - Class of 1937
Wildcat Sweetheart

Homecoming Assembly Rising Star High School Ex-Student Association

LINKING THE PAST AND THE PRESENT TO ENRICH THE FUTURE

Honoring the Class of 1937 50th Anniversary and all classes ending in Seven

Invocation.....Weldon Hill
Principal, Rising Star Elementary
Welcome.....Dr. Donald E. Bryan
Superintendent, Rising Star Schools
Presentation of Awards, Recognition of Classes.....
Announcements, Business Meeting.....
Memorial Scholarships.....Guy Nell West
Chairman, Board of Directors
Introduction of Speaker.....Randy Goldston
President, RSHS EX-Student Association
Speaker.....Dr. Pat Howard
RSHS Ex-Student, Class of 1958
Benediction.....School Song

Saturday Morning Breakfast

Coffee, milk, juice, coffee cake and fruit will be served from 7:30 to 9 a.m. for the homecoming exes in the Wildcat gymnasium foyer. A reasonable price of \$2 for "all you can eat" will be charged.

Each year the Rising Star Future Homemakers of America chapter does many community service projects. Christmas caroling, Adopt-a-Highway, Adopt a Grandparent, Easter party and Family Night are just a few. Proceeds from the breakfast will be used to help

support these activities. For more information about the breakfast or about FHA call Linda Webb at 643-3362 (during school

hours) or James Holman at 643-7805. Y'all come out and enjoy a great meal.

Stephanie Long

More Prize Money for Parade Entries

This year three first place prizes of \$20 each will be awarded to float entries in the homecoming parade. Also, a prize of \$5 will be

awarded for the best decorated bicycle in the parade.

In the past, first, second and third place float winners had been named.

The Rising Star High School Ex-Students Association is providing \$50 in prize money and the other \$15 is being donated by interested citizens.

The parade will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 7.

Class of '42 Will Meet

The Class of 1942 will have its 46th anniversary party Friday, November 6, at Lakewood Recreation Center beginning at 6 p.m. There will be a catered

meal.

A special invitation is extended to members of other classes who attended school with the Class of 1942.

community calendar...

2nd MONDAY
School Board
2nd TUESDAY
City Council
Chamber Board

SIFE SPRINGS MUSICAL
The Sipe Springs musical will be held at the Community Center at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, November 7. Musicians and listeners are all welcome to attend.

2nd WEDNESDAY
License tags, J.P. Office
License tag renewals may be obtained the second Wednesday of each month at the office of the Justice of the Peace, S. Main St. in Rising Star.

2nd THURSDAY
Masonic Lodge

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FOR SALE 20 hp Johnson motor, 14' Starcraft boat with swivel seats, Dilly tilt trailer. See Monty Jones. 38-52

QUALITY papershell PECANS \$1.00 lb. James Alexander orchard, 643-1661. 45-48

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FOR SALE: BRANGUS BULLS. Call 647-1155 or 647-1182 in Ranger. recrsb104

Brownwood Cattle Auction

The market report for October 28 compared to last week was \$1 higher on choice stocker steer & heifer calves. Steady on feeder heifer yearlings, \$2 lower on heavy feeder steer yearlings, steady on slaughter cows & bulls. Cow & calf pairs were untested & springer cows were about steady as dry weather has many local grazing buyers stalled out. Estimated receipts 1130 head. Representative sales: Dr. J.P. Jones, Coleman, Char hfr, 320-, \$77; Charles Coburn, Burkett, red spotted

FOR RENT

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Public Housing Authority has apartments for rent for senior citizens. Equal housing opportunity. 817-643-3812 or 643-6791. RISING STAR

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HOMES

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James Smith broker 646-0297 Rising Star

STELLA WARE 643-3591

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Saturday, Nov. 7, 3 p.m. DRAWING for HOMECOMING, 4 PRIZES. 1st prize, touch lamp, value \$69; 2nd prize, silk flower arrangement, value \$25; 3rd prize, 3-shelf plant stand, value \$20; 4th prize, clown music box, value \$15.95. Register each time you visit our shop. Must be 13 years old to register. Limit 1 prize per person. We appreciate your business. Rising Star Flower Shop 30-45

ALCOHOL OR DRUG problem, come meet with us, Sunday 8 p.m., at the American Legion Hall, AA & NA. For more information call 643-3421 or 643-3310. 42-45

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THANK YOU

I wish to thank each one, first for your prayers, and also for the cards, flowers, phone calls and for being concerned during my recent illness.

A special thanks to Dr. Carpenter and staff. It blesses my heart to know God sheds His great love through all these gracious people.

May God bless each one of you. I love you all. LaVerne Lee

Christmas Candlelight Tour of Homes

GRANBURY - Granbury's Christmas Candlelight Tour of Historic Homes and Buildings will be Saturday, December 5, from 3 to 9 p.m. Advance tickets are \$6.50 for adults and \$4 for children 12 and under. Adult tickets will be \$7.50 the day of the tour. For information, contact Granbury Visitor Center, Box 100, Granbury, TX 76048 or phone (817) 573-5548.

Ethnic Folk Dancers to Perform

STEPHENVILLE - The Cross Timbers Fine Arts Council, Inc. will present "Ballet Artes de las Americas" November 7 at 8 p.m. in the Jaye C. Helms Auditorium at Stephenville High School. Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$2 for children 12 and under and may be purchased at Stephenville, banks, Stephenville, Chamber of Commerce or at the door on performance night.

Repair Continues on Dam at Possum Kingdom Lake

The Board of Directors of Brazos River Authority, at its regular quarterly meeting in Waco on October 19, authorized expenditure of \$6 million in Authority funds for continuation of the investigation and repairs to the dam at Possum Kingdom Lake. This is in addition to the \$2.1 million approved in April of this year. The additional expenditures are expected to be sufficient to fund the ongoing investigation and repairs until the board's January, 1988 meeting. At that time it is anticipated that a final schedule and budget for completing the repairs will be presented for review and approval.

The lake level was drawn down 13 feet from the normal maximum operating level of 1,000 feet as a safety precaution while investigations of indicated foundation problems and immediate corrective modifications are being made at the dam. The temporary level was reached April 24 and is expected to be in effect possibly as long as a year. Lowering that level was ordered by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, which licenses the hydroelectric generating facilities at the project.

Repair work at the dam proceeds on schedule. Installation of monitoring instruments used to detect any movement in the dam continues, along with drilling of wells to relieve water pressures found to be occurring beneath the dam. To date 55 piezometers, eight extensometers, five inclinometers and 22 relief wells have been installed. Also, a highly sophisticated and sensitive surveying system which allows very precise movement monitoring has been installed at the dam.

Representatives of FERC from Washington and from the regional office in Atlanta, Ga. met on October 8 at the project with representatives of the Brazos River Authority and its consultants to review progress of the investigation and repair work to date.

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Senior Center News

Forty-four turned out for the birthday luncheon on Thursday with guest Lois Holder, Dorothy Thomas, D.W. and Georgia Curtis present. Lois played the piano so the band could play some. They enjoyed it very much.

This will be the last column for me to write for awhile due to health problems. I was rushed to Brownwood Monday suffering a heart condition. I returned Wednesday for more medical attention.

Rickey Carouth of Cross Plains came by Saturday evening to take Mom to Comanche with him but Betty Raybon and I had drove to Brownwood on business.

Thanks friends for your calls, prayers and concern last week. Edith Bostick will be writing the news for me for awhile so give her your news.

Berna Lee Chick and daughter, Paula Hubbard and granddaughter, Jerrilea Ann, drove to Del Rio Thursday to attend the Miss Del Rio Pageant in which Berna Lee's granddaughter, Danielia Priest, was represented by Mary Kay Cosmetics. They stayed for the football game Friday night and returned home Saturday.

Marion and Margorie West went to Abilene on Wednesday to buy supplies. They visited in Clyde with their daughter, Juanita Hollis and family, also.

Vernon and Artie Jagers had a birthday party at their

house Wednesday night. Honorees were E.F. Agnew, Herman Ogden and Guy Jagers from May. Their wives were present and also Myrtle Duggan, Ron Ogden and Kandi Jo Myers.

While in Brownwood, Betty Raybon and I visited my daughter, Linda Bates, taking some sewing to her, readying her for the move to the bank down town. She was getting ready to work at the Early Carnival booths so was quite busy.

Thanks to Dell Bible for taking my blood pressure, also Betty for staying at my house for deliveries from Brownwood. It was appreciated.

D.W. and Georgia Curtis visited his mom, Lucy Curtis, last week.

Beef and Biscuit Casserole
1 1/2 pounds ground meat
1/2 cup chopped onion
1/2 cup chopped bell pepper
1/4 cup chopped hot pepper
2 teaspoons chili powder
2 tablespoons instant onion flakes
3/4 teaspoon garlic powder
1 egg, slightly beaten
1/2 cup sour cream
1 8 ounce can tomato sauce
Cheddar cheese
1 can (10) biscuits, split into

Brown meat, onion and pepper in fry pan. Add rest of ingredients and simmer a few minutes. Arrange split biscuits in bottom of square pyrex pan. Pour the meat mixture over the biscuits. Put grated cheese on top of this. Arrange the rest of the biscuits on top and bake at 425° until biscuits are brown.

Commentary Myrtle Owen

A REWARDED HOPE: Yes, it is also a rewarded hope. Paul said in 11 Tim. 4-8, "Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day; and not to me only, but unto all them also that love His appearing." In light of Christ's return being a blessed, comforting, purifying and rewarded hope, how foolish the statements of the backslidden, who cry, "Don't preach prophecy, no one can understand the subject anyway. Just preach the gospel." If prophecy does all that our God declares it will do, it must be of tremendous importance to the Lord and to each believer. Because of this fact, the rantings of the carnal must be ignored. Bible prophecy is understandable, Rev. 1:3 states, "Blessed is he that readeth and they that hear the words of this prophecy and keep those things which are written therein." God is omniscient. Yea, he is infinite intelligence and he promises to bless the one who reads, hears and keeps the things that he wrote in the book of Revelation.

Notice that this statement is found in the first and last chapters of the book. In chapter 22, verse 7, God reiterates the declaration, "Behold, I come quickly, blessed is he that keepeth the sayings of the prophecy of

this book." Man, woman or child, one questions God's unlimited intelligence when he declares that the book of Revelation is a mystical book so filled with symbols that it is not understandable. The Almighty states that a special blessing is conferred upon one who reads, hears and keeps that which is written. How could the all knowing God make such a promise if the readers and hearers could not understand and be keepers of the sayings. Quit listening to clergymen and lay people that are too lazy to pray and study prophecy and begin listening to God who promised each student of prophecy a blessing.

"And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely. For I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book, If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written on this book: And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life and out of the holy city and from the things which are written in this book. He which testifieth these things saith, Surely I come quickly. Amen." Revelation 22:17-20

Pioneer Patchwork

Irma Miller

The quilting circle included 12 quilters working on a Double Wedding Ring and a Pinwheel.

The club will have a Harvest Supper Thursday, November 5, at 6 p.m. The club will furnish turkey and dressing; bring dishes that go with those items.

Pioneer Baptist Church had 36 present at the Halloween party Saturday night. Many spooks were there and Laquitta Rankin brought a good devotional on "How God Wants Us to Act." We had hot dogs and the trimmings. Thursday night the ladies of the church gave Eulala Stover a surprise housewarming. She has moved to Rising Star and bought a new mobile home. There were 13 ladies and two children present.

Mike, Pam and Sam Fritchlee of Longmont, Colo. were visiting Jean and James Armstrong last week. Lottie Sooter went to Lubbock last week to visit sick relatives.

Lindley Carey, 92, passed away at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains. He was a longtime Pioneer resident. He was buried on Sun-

day at Cross Plains. The Pioneer ladies hosted a dinner for family and friends at the Pioneer Community center at noon Sunday. Our heartfelt sympathy is offered to the bereaved.

We welcome Tommy and Barbara Brown and boys to our community. They have built a new house near Mr. and Mrs. Smoot.

Jewel Foster went with Gene and Norma on vacation to Port Aransas, across the ferry, and fishing there. She caught an eel, a crab and a variety of other things. She did not know what she was missing all these years!

The following recipe is recommended by Frankie Smith: Never-Fail Cake Frosting

2 egg whites, 1/2 C. light corn syrup, 1/2 C. sugar, 1/8 tsp. salt, 1 tsp. vanilla.

Beat egg whites, corn syrup, sugar and salt in top of a double boiler set over rapidly boiling water with rotary beater or electric mixer until frosting stands in firm peaks, about 3 to 4 min. Makes frosting for 2-layer 9-inch cake. For butterscotch, use brown sugar and dark corn syrup.

Rising Star Nursing Center Obituaries

Vickie Majors

MONDAY: The residents had a great time at our monthly birthday party. Our thanks to the Senior Citizens Center for bringing the delicious cakes and thanks to the First State Bank for the flowers.

TUESDAY: Residents playing bingo were Joe Fox, Ethel Moore, Grace Goss, Rada King, Snova Walker, Annie Selman, Robbie Henderson, Martha Irby, Mary Crisp, Pauline Hill, Vera Forbes, Jewel Harrell and Buster Rixford.

Olive Odum held our Bible study at 3 p.m. Residents who attended were Maggie Christian, Lorraine Williams, Mary Crisp, Martha Irby, Jewel Harrell and Annie Selman. We enjoyed the visit with the ladies from May Senior Citizens' Group.

WEDNESDAY: We

Activity Director

distributed fruit to the residents.

THURSDAY: Some of our residents played dominoes.

FRIDAY: We had our Halloween Party for the residents and crowned a king and queen. Our queen is Nettie Wilson and our king is Claude "Shorty" Weathersby. Everyone had a great time eating cake and punch. Our nursing home spooks, Linda Holman and Sandra Creech, were funny and bloodthirsty.

Mary Crisp had some visitors over the weekend, Bennie, Debbie, Brandi and Amanda Williams from Big Lake.

We would like to thank those of you who brought clothes for our residents in need of clothes. Our thanks to the First Baptist Church for Sunday services.

Weldon Lee

LUBBOCK - Weldon Lee, 74, of Lubbock, formerly of Rising Star and Brownwood, died October 26 after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. October 28 at Resthaven Funeral Home in Lubbock. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Born Nov. 2, 1912 in Maverick, he married Mable Hutton Oct. 16, 1933 in Fort Norton. Involved with farming interests, he was a member of Green Lawn Church of Christ in Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Steve Lee of Olton; a daughter, Shirley Carothers of Santa Fe, Tex.; four brothers, T.J. Lee of Iradell, Lorenzo Lee of Hart, Irvin Lee of Halfway and Bailey Lee of Ballinger; and three sisters, Lela Burson of San Angelo, Velma Hardy of Plainview and Oma Ballard of Cleburne.



Sandra Creech and Linda Holman "spooked" at the nursing home



Nettie Wilson and Shorty Weathersby were crowned queen and king at the Halloween party at the nursing home Friday.

Meals on Wheels Is a Community Effort

By Viola Payne

I couldn't have picked a better day to visit the "Meals On Wheels" Center in Baird. It was Thursday, that weekday when local volunteers bring in covered dishes for a buffet dinner-meeting.

This time there were fourteen of those wonderful cooks, along with Ferne Lee, Director of the Center. There were also two visitors from Abilene - Richard Thompson from the Department of Human Services, and David Merrill, Contract Manager of the Department.

Ferne Lee's smile and welcome radiated good cheer. And the building on Market street, with its blue and white curtains and homespun touches, had its own charm.

I wanted to talk to Ferne Lee about her work, for Baird's "Meals On Wheels" is known as a model program. This is a project which other towns in the area have a great need for.

But at 12 noon the dinner spread before us seemed the most urgent matter. The ladies had prepared beef brisket, an array of tasty casseroles, home-grown vegetables, salads and home-baked desserts.

After filling our plates we sat at the long tables. I looked across the room, which had a street entrance in front and large modern kitchen at the other end. A beautiful blue Dresden pattern quilt hung in a frame against one wall.

Ferne Lee sat down across from me. "Some Thursdays we have a larger crowd than this," he said. "County officials or others involved in the program stop in to eat and visit."

"Sometimes Sheriff Bill Skinner, the President of the Board of Directors, comes by. I don't know what we would do without him and his Department."

Mrs. Lee went on to explain that "Meals On Wheels" is funded by the state and federal government, also by the county, city, private donations, and fund-raising. Other than a minimum of paid help, the organization is run by volunteers. There are around 45 volunteers from Baird and Clyde helping right now.

Mrs. Lee said that the local program serves about 60 elderly, disabled or ill people in their homes in Clyde or Baird, with all the food prepared here in the Baird kitchen. Noon meals are sent out five days each week, with generous portions of food provided.

Volunteers furnish most of the transportation for these meals. They also visit with the home-bound and check on their needs.

"I never realized how important this work is - how needed - until I got into it," Mrs. Lee said.

As we finished our meal she explained how the program began in Baird. Nine years ago a worker from the Department of Human Services in Abilene persuaded her to take the Directors job and set up the "Meals" effort.

"My husband, W.J., was very supportive of the program," Mrs. Lee said. "He delivered meals, worked on



Ferne Lee

maintenance, and helped haul commodities from Brownwood.

"The local people also pitched in and helped keep the work going. For several years we rented a building, but finally had a chance to get this place."

Ferne said that when she first looked inside this building she didn't see how it could ever be restored.

"Buddy Brame convinced me that it was worth fixing up," she said. "He worked hard at it. A lot of other people cleaned and hauled off trash and did what they could."

"We moved in here five years ago, and it has really been convenient."

Mrs. Lee said that when her husband died in 1982 she felt that she would have to give up the job of Director. It was not only because of the shock of her loss, but the fact that her husband had helped so much with the outside work.

"I told Bill Skinner," she said - "There is no way I can run this place any more!"

"Yes, you can do it," Skinner told me. "We will see that you get your commodities delivered, and help you in any way we can." So I kept on.

Mrs. Lee recalled that not only these Officials helped - but others from the town. The work kept on growing.

She explained about the various fund-raisers, such as garage sales, chili suppers, and other events. Some of the volunteers come in each week to quilt. Sometimes they quilt for other people, and other times they make quilts to auction off.

Una L. Smith

COMANCHE - Una L. Smith, 83, died October 28 at a 6:05 p.m. local nursing home. Services were at 2 p.m. Friday at Hall & Chaney Funeral Home Chapel with Tommy Johnson officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Born in Alabama on Oct. 30, 1904, she lived in Comanche County some 65 years. She married Jesse U. Smith in 1923; he preceded her in death on Sept. 25, 1984. She was a homemaker and a member of Pearl Street Church of Christ.

Survivors include two sons, Jack Smith and Norman Smith, both of Comanche; a sister, Myrtle Killion of Rising Star; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Isla Carlock

BROWNWOOD - Isla Carlock, 73, of Brownwood died at 3 a.m. Friday at her home after a brief illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at Davis-Morris Funeral Home with the Rev. R.D. Williams, chaplain for Girling Health Care, officiating. Burial was in Eastlawn Memorial Park.

Born in the Blake community in Brown County, she lived in Brownwood the past 40 years. She married Alvin Carlock in Brownwood. He died May 2, 1962. A business woman, she was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include a brother, Robert Butler of Rising Star; five nephews, Butch Butler of Breckenridge, Kenny Butler of Victoria, Roy Butler of Ardmore, Okla., Ray Butler of Alice and Keith Butler of Corpus Christi; three nieces, Saralyn McGowen and Wilma Jean Lasater, both of Rising Star, and Jean Moore of Indianapolis, Ind.; and a number of great-nephews and great-nieces.

"I've been so lucky," Ferne Lee said. "I'm just glad to be in a town that cares for other people. I know I would have missed a lot if I hadn't been involved in this program."

We finished our visit, but I lingered for a moment, thinking about some of the things she had said. I decided that the real measure of a town lies in how it treats its people - especially those who cannot help themselves.

Nimrod Baptist Is New Church



The noon meal is being enjoyed together in the Nimrod Baptist Church's recently constructed fellowship hall after Sunday morning's services. Members had reason to celebrate as their place of worship had just been constituted as an independent Southern Baptist Church after being a mission of the Mangum Baptist Church. At least forty-five people attended the Sunday morning services of the new church. The mission was started "from scratch" about two and one half years ago by pastor Lee Rodgers after a former church had been disbanded years ago. Area Missionary Jack Redford gave the "charge" to the new church and Lee Rodgers preached the sermon. Sunday morning services begin at ten and visitors are welcomed.

Men Turning 26 Reach Milestone

Men who turn 26 during the remainder of 1987 will be reaching an important milestone according to the Selective Service System.

Young men born in 1961 were required to register with Selective Service in July of 1980 when President Carter reinstated the registration requirement.

These men turn 26 in 1987. Selective Service does not have the authority to accept a young man's registration after he has reached his 26th birthday.

Harold Doyle, Texas Selective Service State Director, warned that, with few exceptions, a man who fails to register before turn-

ing 26 will permanently forfeit his eligibility for federal student financial aid, job training benefits and most federal employment. Additionally, non-registrants face possible prosecution as felons. Texas has registered nearly one million men since 1980.

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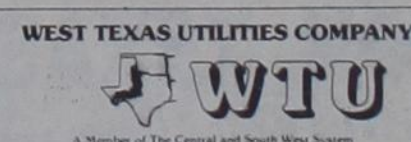
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The PEOPLE'S FORUM

I've Been Wrong Before

By Gordon S. Clark
Though certainly not an anarchist, I do believe in the saying, "He governs best who governs least." Or as the framers of the Constitution mostly thought, government should serve only to prevent person's from abuse of others.

Permit me to repeat what Tom Anderson said, "Politicians are like rats. It is not the damage they do, but rather what they mess up, that we can't afford." I shall not take sides in the argument about who invented the airplane. For in Greek mythology Daedalus fashioned wings, Leonardo DeVinchi built model airplanes and others no doubt dreamed of emulating the birds but we credit the Wright Brothers with the first manned flight. Consider now that it was both the dreamer who invited and the technician who produced a working model that made the dream come true.

While they were entertained by a man from the Smithsonian Institute who plugged for their new publication "BOOK OF FLIGHT" it brought no joy to notice a big many missed. He stated that flying and airplanes developed faster in Europe after the Wright Brothers flight BECAUSE THEY WERE LESS RESTRICTED BY LAWS. Now how does that speak for what we have been brain washed to believe is "The Land of the Free"? Certainly it was not intended that way but since the turn of the century the direction and pace of meddling in personal freedom has quickened. Oh my yes, but always with high sounding rationalizations. Thus the length of the chain does not mean one is not chained nor does one caged have to try the bars before the fact that he is caged become actual. When we encounter the bars we realize what was there all along.

Catholic Rummage Sale

Catholic Youth Group of Cisco, Eastland and Ranger will hold a Rummage Sale Saturday, Nov. 7, at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Cisco.

Funds raised at the sale will be used for a youth trip to San Antonio.

Anyone wishing to donate items for the sale have been asked to contact Ana Walker, 442-4741, or Helen Gaeta, Cisco Chamber of Commerce, 442-2537.

mises to do things for people is more likely to do thing TO people. The wise course would have been, "Do me a favor by not doing me any favors."

An experience which still galls me is my attempt to get information from governmental agencies during the energy crisis (whether you believe that one was real or contrived).

Knowing that the 1949 Yearbook of Agriculture "TREES" stated that by use of weak acid and moderate steam pressure forest waste could be converted to syrup which could then be fermented with yeast to produce ethanol (grain alcohol.) There remained 45% syrup consisting of pentose (five carbon) sugars which could be used as animal feeds.

Additional facts I have aroused questions. Corn syrup does not crystallize because it has 11 to 12% pentose sugars. In 1893-4 a Japanese named Takamine introduced a Manhattan Distillery in Peoria, Ill. the saki making process where enzyme from fungus was used instead of yeast. The result was 11 to 12% more alcohol than traditional distillers got from corn. Could it be that fungal enzyme made alcohol from five carbon sugars? Takamines process was discarded probably for the simple reason that the liquor did not taste like the liquor American drinkers were used to. But carburetors have no taste

buds. I wrote the US Dept. of Agriculture asking about the kinds and strengths of acid and amount of steam pressure used to convert cellulose to syrup. It should have been simple. The US Forest Service had run the tests as tax payer expense. But USDA switched my letter to Dept. of Energy which informed me that they had granted a fat sum to one Dr. Kendel Pye of U. of Penn. to run experiments on that subject.

Next my letter of protest to a Houston paper brought a letter from the head of the Texas Dept. of Energy "explaining to me" that the process was still experimental and not yet practical.

I was not placated, I was furious. Texas was paying a bunch of dead-heads to duplicate what a bunch of federal dead-heads were doing, namely paying for work the tax payers had financed years before.

"Experimental" the genius from Austin had informed me without reading that the West Coast pilot plant in 1948 had processed 200 to 200 TONS of forest waste PER DAY. A sizeable test tube I must say. "Not yet practical" he had said yet the year book stated that it was producing alcohol for 1/5 the cost of the same stuff from grain. While gasoline was around 20 cents a gallon in the 40s and the cost of alcohol from grain in the 70s was around \$1.09 and

the 40s gas at 20 cents included road tax it is obvious that even at 1/5 it was not a practical fuel in the 40s but could beat the cost above a dollar when some farmers were turning their grain into alcohol fuel.

Thus ended in a fit of fury my quest for knowledge. Government does not honestly want our people knowing or doing things for themselves. If you don't believe that then try to gain any technical information your tax dollars financed.

There are still times when I wonder whether enzymes from fungus might convert five carbon sugars to alcohol and what the specifics are in converting cellulose to syrup. I doubt I will ever know. Big Oil, Big Liquor, and Big Lumber get what they want from government but unless you have ways I do not, then don't waste your time. You will be happier keeping your nose to the grindstone, your shoulder

to the wheel or whatever while you watch the games on the boob tube and nurse a six pack.

Little of the Norse worship of Odin and Thor remains but from what would be their Book of Proverbs we have, "Moderately wise one should be. Not otherwise, for a wise man's heart is seldom glad."

With Gulf Oil and others pushing oil exploration in Communist Angola, the North Sea and Arctic fields barely tapped, the Falkland Island and South China Sea fields not even touched it is unlikely that we will be short of oil in our life time. Meanwhile with grain still cheap and a farmer's ability to make his own fuel for a bit over a dollar the price of gasoline should not go much above the cost of producing alcohol plus the bit Big Oil can figure is the trouble and time cost of producing your own. That is to say that they won't boost it higher without a lot of anticonglomerate collusion by the politicians.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

To your Guest Slot of Nov. 1 may I say AMEN!

Eastland County is fortunate to have a person as dedicated to history as Ron Bailey. Even though Mr. Bailey is not a native Eastland Countian, he has

put in hours and hours of unpaid, volunteer work in the Eastland County History Book.

Roy Smith and Darrell Basham are to be commended on their volunteer efforts to get accepted the "articles of Incorporation" whereas,

Eastland Only County Location

For Social Security Representative

There will be no Social Security Representative in Cisco or Ranger during the month of November, according to information from the Office in Abilene. This change is for one month only, and is due to Computer training scheduled for the

personnel. There will be a representative in Eastland at the Courthouse basement office on Tuesday, Nov. 17 at 10 a.m., and Tuesday, Nov. 24 at 10 a.m. Residents of Eastland County who need assistance may contact this individual.

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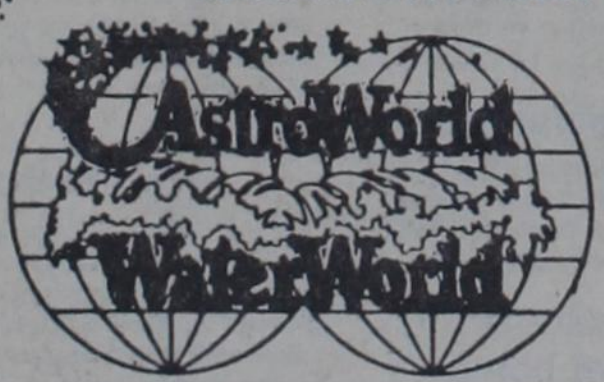
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Endorsed by Olney Savings, "These new investments provide tax advantages by enabling our customers' money to earn and compound interest without current tax liability," said Myers.

Offering tax-deferred growth, both Taxbrake and Base feature one or three year guaranteed interest rates; 100 percent principal guarantee, backed by the general assets of Life Insurance Company of the Southwest; no sales charges; a sixty-day bailout provision to protect against substantial interest rate declines; and are available through "Aplus"-rated Life Insurance Company of the Southwest, Dallas, Texas.

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world's largest petroleum industry service and engineering construction firms. Life Insurance Company of the Southwest conducts business in 49 states and the District of Columbia. Insurance in force now exceeds \$4.9 billion and assets exceed \$400 million.

He continued, "Annuities and Single Premium Life Insurance are a highly individualized decision. We suggest consulting with an attorney, accountant or tax advisors to see what is right for each person's particular set of circumstances. Olney Savings has qualified specialists for counseling, also, about these investments."

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The Lost Arrow Head

Indians in Eastland County?

Mercy, yes. It's been a number of years, but there's Indians stories in large numbers.

For instance, have you heard the one about the man who carried an arrowhead in his leg for 25 years?

The man was James Madison Ellison and it happened in 1860. The very same arrow is in a display case at the Archives Room of Eastland Centennial Memorial Library.

And here's how Mrs. Langston wrote of the event in her History of Eastland County:

THE LOST ARROW HEAD
"On the 16th day of December, 1860, Gols Flanagan and myself started in an ox wagon to Blair's Fort, fifteen miles away, for some bread stuff. We had only gone a mile when we were waylaid by Indians, who opened fire on us at close range from a little ravine by the side of the road, which we were about to cross.

"Fifteen or twenty red skins facing a fellow on a turn in the road is enough to make the cold chills run down any man's back - Gols was only nineteen and I was twenty - but we didn't have time for more than that, for the bullets and arrows sung

a funeral dirge about us.

"I'm shot!" I exclaimed, falling backward in the covered wagon, and pulling a stinging arrow out of my knee. Gols turned and looked at me in a dazed manner, not seeming to understand. There was a red spot on his shirt front, and I knew he was hit, too.

"The young oxen, at sight of the Indians, wheeled around and ran as if wild, followed by the howling fiends. Presently the animals left the road and took to the open, making for a timbered spot. They ran some two hundred yards, when the wheels hit a tree, and they broke loose from the wagon.

I was nimble as a cat in those days, and the Indians having fallen some little distance behind, I leaped from the wagon and ran off in the timber. There I looked and waited for Gols, thinking perhaps he was hiding in a little hollow below me. My knee got to hurting me so bad I decided to make my way to the ranch. Gols had not come in. 'Bad' Reese went at once to look for him, and found him dead and scalped. Reese and Ral Smith went out and brought him in on a horse. Early the next morning the men went to McCain's Ranch for help,

and Mr. Highsaw and Lyman McCain came back with them and buried Gols, and we all moved up to their fort ranch the next day. By April I was able to get around on crutches. From about the middle of January I was at my father's house in Parker County, and was disabled for six months.

"One day in 1886 something pricked me on the under side of my knee. On examination, I found a sharp black point sticking through the skin, and knew at once that twenty-five years ago I had been shot with a double-headed arrow, and had only pulled one head out. Three weeks later, on February 21, 1886, after having carried it in my knee for twenty-five years, two months and five days, the arrow head came out."

WORD of GOD

New Testament

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Matthew 24:14

Eastland County Man Arrested For Theft

One man from Eastland County was arrested in Stephens County late Wednesday night, Oct. 28 and charged with theft of oilfield equipment in Eastland County, according to Stephens County Sheriff James Cain.

Cain said Danny Ray Hamrick, 27, of Eastland, was arrested and charged with theft. His bonds were set Thursday, Oct. 29 by Stephens County Justice of the Peace Veva Ford at \$5,000 for theft of oilfield equipment, a felony, and \$500 for driving while license was suspended, a misdemeanor.

Hamrick was filed on in Eastland County Thursday morning, Oct. 29 and was transported back to Eastland County that afternoon, along with his vehicle and the stolen merchandise.

Cain said the sheriff's office received a call Wednesday night, Oct. 28 around 10:15 p.m. and Deputy Randy Miller was dispatched to the Sun Oil Plant along the Eiasville highway. A pumper who works at the plant reported he "had spotted a couple of vehicles coming into the Sun Oil lease which didn't belong out there in the middle of the night."

According to Cain, the pumper went out to try and stop the vehicles to see what they were doing. Cain said the pumper managed to stop one vehicle, but the other one got away. The pumper reported that the person driving the vehicle he stopped had "no good reason for being there" and it made the pumper suspicious so he called the sheriff's office.

Cain said the vehicle stopped by the pumper was a 3/4

ton pickup pulling a gooseneck flatbed trailer.

As Miller was approaching the lease along the Graham highway, he met the other vehicle reported at the lease, a Ford Bronco. Miller stopped the vehicle—which was being driven by Hamrick—and found a load of Barton gas meters in the back of the Bronco.

Miller called Cain and "stolen checks were run" on the seven meters and "sure enough three of them came up with hits," Cain stated. He said all seven meters turned out being stolen from Eastland County.

While Miller took the subject in to jail, Cain went to the plant where he and the pumper searched the lease for the other vehicle or anything which might be missing. Cain said Deputy James Chaney was stationed at the entrance to the lease but apparently the vehicle left the scene while officers were busy with Hamrick.

According to Cain, Hamrick is employed by a contractor which works everyday at the Sun Oil lease so "he knows the lease real well."

Cain stated that Eastland County authorities and Stephens County authorities are "cooperating in the investigative effort trying to determine exactly who the other party was involved in this" and if there is any connection to oilfield thefts which have occurred in Stephens County.

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Fishing Outdoors

By Terry Wilson

Put An Eagle To Work For You

November 5th at 7:30 p.m., all members and interested guest are urged to attend the Eastland County Bass Club November meeting. This meeting will begin laying the ground work for the 1988 season. Nominations for next years officers will be made during this gathering. Also recommendations will be heard from two committees. Everyone is urged to attend this very important meeting to help direct your club's future.

Creel and cove rotenone surveys at Lake Whitney near Waco reveal good news for Central Texas area fishermen, according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

The 23,000-acre lake northwest of Waco has an excellent largemouth bass population and good numbers of crappie as well, said biologist Ken Sellers of Waco.

"During a recent angler survey, 87 percent of the 38 parties we interviewed had caught fish," Sellers said. "They reported catching 154 largemouth bass. About 92 percent of the catch was released, and 23 percent of those fish were of legal size for retention."

Crappie fishermen reported releasing 62 percent of the 128 fish caught.

Whitney has the statewide limits for bass, at five per day and 14-inch minimum length limit. The crappie regulation is a special 25 per day limit, with a 10-inch minimum length require-

ment. Sellers said a September cove-rotenone survey revealed a substantial increase in largemouth bass population, compared to similar surveys in 1984 and 1986. Workers found 36 pounds of bass per acre from three surveyed coves. "This was approximately three times the weight of bass collected from the same three coves in 1984 (nine pounds per acre) and 1986 (11 pounds per acre)."

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November 8th will be the date for the E.C.B.C. in-club tournament. The drawing for which lake will be held at November 5th meeting. And don't forget there are still a few slots open for this year's T.A.B.C. top 6. Y'all come and bring a new member.

Terry L. Wilson

Use The Classifieds

Eastland County Retired Teachers Assoc. To Meet

The Eastland County Retired Teachers Association will have their second regular luncheon meeting of the year Monday, November 8, at 12:30 p.m. at the Birdcage Restaurant in Friendship Inn on Interstate 20

Survivor Benefits Payable

Social Security benefits can be paid to many survivors of workers who die after working long enough in work covered by Social Security, Glyn Hammons, Social Security manager in Abilene, said recently.

These survivors include the worker's unmarried children under 18, under 19 if a full-time high school student or over 18 if disabled before reaching 22; a parent caring for a child under 16 or disabled who gets benefits; a widow or widower 60 or older, or 50 or over if severely disabled; and dependent parents 62 or older.

In addition, a surviving divorced wife or husband can generally get the same benefits as a widow or widower if the marriage to the worker lasted 10 years or more.

A lump-sum payment of \$255 can be made to a worker's eligible widow or widower, or, if none, to the worker's child entitled to benefits.

It is important for survivors to apply for benefits as soon as possible after the worker's death. This is generally important for

widows and widowers under 65 because benefits cannot generally be paid before the month of application.

When applying, survivors should have their own and the worker's Social Security cards or a record of the numbers, birth certificates for any eligible children, marriage certificate, proof of the worker's death, proof of

age for the widow or widower, and Form W-2 or self-employment tax return for the past year. Parents 62 or older will need to show they were dependent on the worker for their support.

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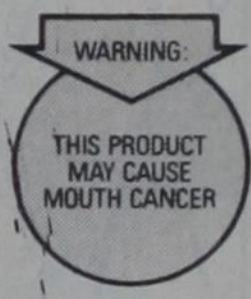
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Area News Briefs

RANGER

Homecoming at Ranger High School turned out great last weekend. The Ranger Bulldogs won the game against Hico, 9-0, thanks to some good work by the local players. During the festivities Misty Barrett was named as Homecoming Queen, with Terri Kay White as Band Sweetheart and Chris Cockburn as Band Beau. J.R. Hunt was recognized for his announcing of the Football Games for 18 years. This honor was presented by Charles Koch, High School Principal.

The Ranger Junior College men's Baseball team received a special treat recently when they had the opportunity to practice and play with professional baseball player Ellis Burks. An RJC player in 1983, Burks is currently the starting center fielder for the Boston Red Sox. Burks said TJC Coach Don Flowers asked him to come down and spend some time with the players, and he told Flowers it would be a pleasure. Burks said it was always good to "come back home". He is originally from Fort Worth, and while at RJC trained under Coaches Jack Allen and Don Flowers.

A public meeting will be conducted at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 5 at City Hall to solicit public comment on needs that could be addressed through an application for a Planning Grant to the Texas Department of Community Affairs. Interested citizens are urged to attend.

CISCO

The City of Cisco is proposing a grant request to the Texas Department of Community Affairs for \$275,000. City Manager Mike Moore says Cisco is competing with 25 to 30 other Texas cities, and there will be only five or six who will receive this funding. If Cisco is approved, improvements for the northeast part of the city will begin. Street paving will start, and code enforcements be upheld. There will be sewer and water line placement, and other work.

Cisco merchants held an Open House on Tuesday, Nov. 3, 7-9 p.m., election day. The Cisco merchants offered special bargains for customers during these hours. Cisco is always an interesting place to shop, with many places offering things which can't be duplicated nearby. Where else can you find the equal of the fine musical instruments sold at Anderson's Jewelry, or the special items at Songs and Psalms Bible Book Store? Other stores, too, have exclusive lines of merchandise, or offer bargain prices. Some make a speciality of antiques and art supplies.

All area High School students are invited to attend a dance in the Corral Room at the Laguna Hotel (downtown Cisco) Saturday, Nov. 7 at 8 p.m. Admission is \$3 per person, with the Cisco Sophomore Class sponsoring the event. A cash prize will be awarded to the Student Council of the area school with the largest number of students registered.

Lela Latch Lloyd, favorite Cisco citizen, is home from the hospital. Mrs. Lloyd had surgery on a knee early in October, and has been staying at the facility for orthopedic treatment. She is feeling much better, and plans to be out driving and running errands soon. Her sister, Annie Rendall of Ranger, is visiting her presently. Another sister, Mary Carey of Alaska, plans to be in Cisco next week.

EASTLAND

The Eastland County Art Association will hold its regular meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 5 at the Texas Electric Reddy Room in Eastland. Jo Hubbard of Rising Star will give a demonstration in oil media. Mrs. Hubbard is well-known for her beautiful work, and will have some helpful suggestions. All members are urged to be present, and visitors are also invited.

The Brown-Bag Luncheon at Eastland Memorial

Library this Wednesday, Nov. 4 will offer advice on a very special matter - how to make the most of your looks. Allene Smith, beauty advisor, will give the program at 12 noon. She will give information about the care of skin, eyes, face - and how to enhance natural beauty. There will be no charge for these services, and samples of products will also be available. So bring a lunch and join the crowd for fun and learning.

Don't miss the Senior Citizens Bazaar Thursday and Friday - Nov. 5-6 at the Rebekah Lodge, 300 N. Lamar in Eastland. There will be many beautiful handmade items for sale, and the Seniors keep all proceeds. The Bazaar is sponsored by the Eastland County Extension

Homemaker Clubs and the Eastland National Bank. The Homemakers Clubs will have delicious food for sale at noon each day.

The peanut crop in Eastland County looks good this year, according to DeMarquis Gordon, County Agent. Gordon says it is too early to know how it will compare with last year's crop, however. A lot will depend on the weather during the next six or eight weeks, for the soil is dry, and some crops need moisture and warm weather to complete maturity. Other peanut fields have nematodes and plant diseases, and rain and warm weather would increase this damage. All farmers agree that a heavy frost or freeze in early November would be the most

damaging of all.

The 7th Annual Reunion for all former employees of the Vasarette of Munsingwear, Inc. and the old Hollywood-Maxwell-Corset Companies will be held Saturday, Nov. 7 from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Camp Inspiration. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. The manufacturing concern opened in Eastland in 1946 and closed in 1980.

A beautiful Holiday centerpiece with three candles will help to bring on the Christmas spirit for some family during the Holidays. It is the Grand Prize which will be given away at the Merle Norman and Heather's Hallmark Annual Holiday Open House on Nov. 10 in Shady Oaks Shopping Center in Eastland.

BAIRD

The Sheriff's Posse will be hosting a chili supper Friday, Nov. 6 from 5:30 p.m. until 8 p.m. The place will be the school cafeteria, and the

meal will consist of chili, beans, crackers, tea and coffee. It is an "all you can eat" supper, costing \$3 per person for all over age 12. Those younger than 12 can eat for \$2 per child. Come and get warmed up before the football game.

The Baird High School Band brought home a 1st Division Win from the competition in Abilene on Oct. 24. This is the second year in a row for the Band to make a 1, which is not surprising to Director Devenport and other fans of the local musicians. Now that they have won the 1st Division standing this will enable them to win the Sweepstakes Award. That is if they receive a 1 and concert and sight reading when they attend the April contest. Last year the Baird Band was State runnerup in Class A. The Band will give its Christmas Concert on Dec. 16. Plan to come out and hear this talented group.

Eastland County Football Scores

In what had to be the 'game of the week' Ranger came through and put the bite on the Hico Tigers 9 to 0. It broke a scoring drought for the Bulldogs as they posted their first win of the season and plunged Hico into the district cellar.

Eastland's 28 to 0 shutout of Dublin and De Leon's hard fought 31 to 14 win over Cisco put Eastland and DeLeon in the two District 13 AA playoff spots.

But who will be the District 13AA champions? That will be decided Friday night when the districts two 4-0 in district teams, Eastland and DeLeon, play in Eastland.

Baird is in the top spot in District 8A after a 27 to 0 win over Gorman, and Rising Star with a 42 to 8 defeat of Lometa is trailing close

behind the Bears.

Carbon fell victim to Novice 44-12 while Zephyr was edging Gorman 50 to 46 and May was outscoring Strawn 54-7.

Cross Plains defeated Jim Ned 14-6, the Albany Lions chewed up the Anson Tigers 37-15, and Breckenridge kept their playoff hopes alive with a 33-14 win over Bridgeport.

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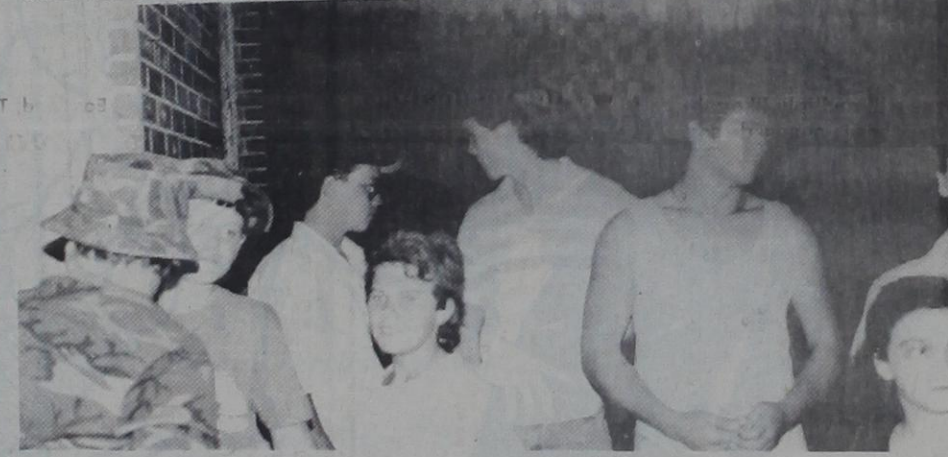
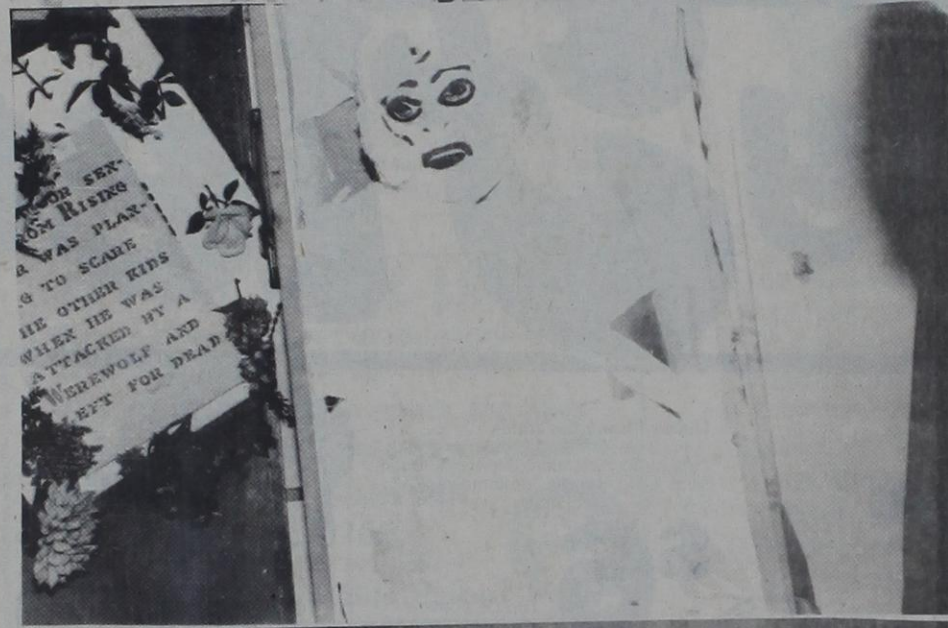
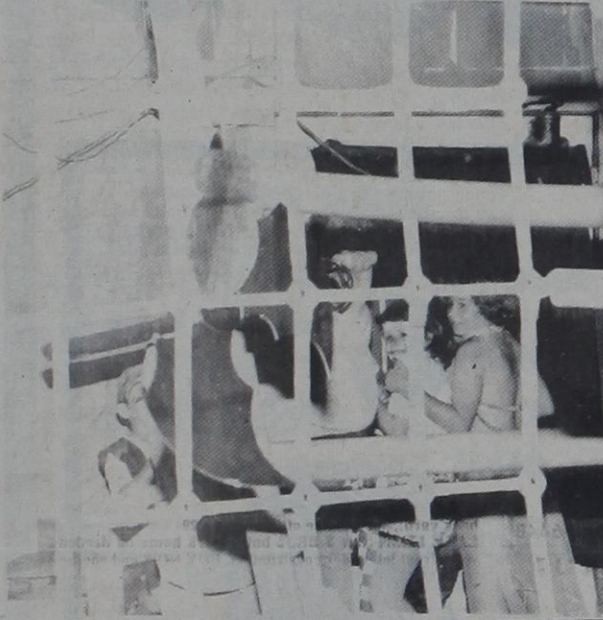
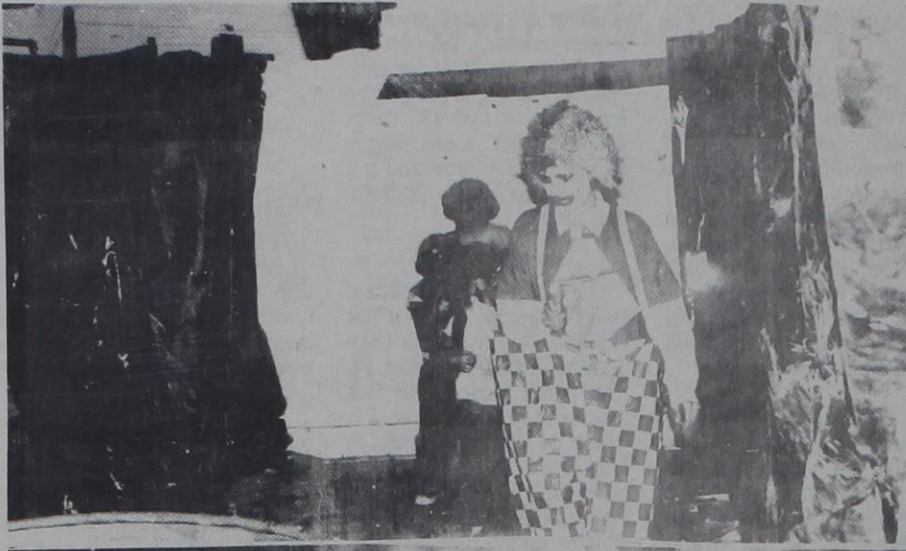
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Three County Youth Honored At 4-H Gold Star Banquet Mon.

Eastland County's most outstanding 4-H members for 1986-87, Toby Long, LaDawn Little, and Natalie Stevens, were honored Monday, November 2nd, at the annual Central District 8 Gold Star banquet at the Parr Country Club, Lake Proctor.

Thirty-two boys and girls from each of 19 counties in the Central District also, received Gold Star pins, symbolic of the highest county 4-H honor provided by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, parent organization of the huge youth program.

Selection is made by a local committee on the basis of personal development, leadership, achievement in 4-H projects and activities and contributions to the overall county 4-H program.

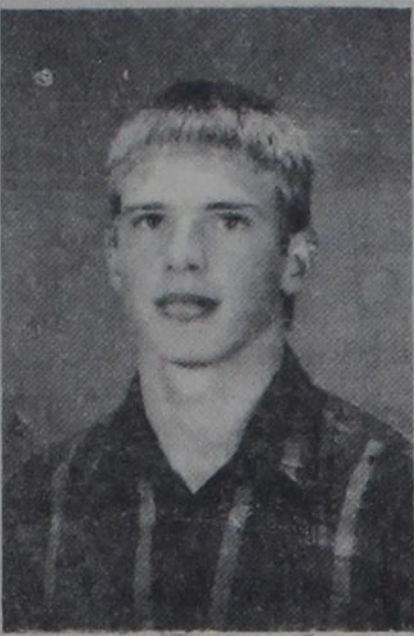
Approximately 400 youth are involved in the county 4-H program.

The guest speaker was Dr. Don Newberry, President of Howard Payne University in Brownwood.

Presenting the Gold Star awards to winners was Mr. Ronnie Robinson from Comanche County Electric Cooperative.

Brad Reynolds, District 8 4-H Council Chairman, presided.

The banquet was a cooperative effort of the Extension Service and Erath and Comanche County Electric Cooperatives.



TOBY LONG

Toby Long is the son of Tony and Barbara Long of Rising Star. Beef activities have been one of the major projects for this award winner, along with sheep, swine, leadership and many more. He has been an officer in his club, serving as President, Council Chairman and District 8 Council Treasurer. Toby has also, competed on a State level in Livestock Judging and Method Demonstrations. He is a past recipient of the Danforth Award and very active in the Junior Leaders Association. He serves as an example of how it should be done in Eastland County.

LaDawn Little is in the 6th year of her 4-H career. She is the 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Bobby Little, of Kokomo. LaDawn has interests in many different projects, including Beef, Foods and Nutrition, Sheep and Clothing, just to name a few. She has participated in State level competition with her Record Books and Method Demonstrations. She serves as a project leader in the Foods and Nutrition project and is an active member of the Junior Leaders Association. LaDawn has set her goal high and strives to be the best in everything she does. She is truly a "shining 4-H Star" in Eastland County.



LaDAWN LITTLE

Natalie Stevens is the 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stevens of Eastland. She has been an active member in 4-H Clubs for the past four years. Natalie has held many offices in various clubs, including District 8 Council Delegates, Treasurer & Recreation Leader. She has competed on the State level in many events, including Method Demonstrations and Share-the-Fun. Miss Stevens has shared knowledge of foods and clothing by serving as a Junior Leader in charge of these project groups. Natalie is truly an asset to the Eastland County 4-H program.



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Hay Show To Be Held Nov. 19 At Feed Stores

An Eastland County hay show has been scheduled for Thursday, November 19. All Eastland County producers are encouraged to pull a sample of their hay for the show according to DeMarquis Gordon.

Eastland County Extension Agent. A show sample consist of one fourth (1/4) of a conventional bale of 5 pound box of hay pulled from a large bale. The hay show samples must be left at a local feed

store or the County Agents office or on before November 13. Producers should include their name, address and kind of hay. A producer may enter one sample in each of seven classes. The classes include 1) Alfalfa and other Legumes; 2) Coastal Bermudagrass; 3) Other Bermudagrasses; 4) Sorghum-sudan hybrids and Forage Sorghums; 5) Other Perennial grasses; 6) Oats and other winter annual grass and 7) Peanut hay.

Protein analysis will be made on each entry at no cost to the producer. Gordon says, the hay show judge will classify each entry based on the protein score and the physical score. Physical score is determine by the stage of maturity, texture, leafiness, foreign material, and color. Ribbons and plaques will be awarded to the winners.

Hay shows are designed to be educational and provide producers an opportunity to see the difference in hay quality. It is important that producers know all the key elements that go into top quality hay, says the agent.

Gordon Methodist Church To Hold Harvest Festival

The First United Methodist Church of Gordon will have its annual Harvest Festival on Saturday, November 7, at the American Legion Hall. Homemade arts and crafts and baked goods will start selling at 10:00 a.m. A dinner of turkey and dressing, complete with sweet potatoes, homemade rolls, pie, and drink will be served at 11:30.

Take home orders will be ready at 11:00. Cost of the meal is \$4.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children twelve and under. An auction will follow the dinner. Your support will be appreciated.

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CAPITOL UPDATE

by Jim Parker



Legislation failed during the last session of the legislature that would have placed Texas in approximately the same position that the state of Florida now stands in regard to a citizen's possession of handguns.

That much ballyhooed Florida legislation has just become effective and, stating the case as simply as possible, provides a situation whereby a citizen can obtain a permit to carry a concealed weapon on his or her person. It has since been amended but the original law would have allowed a Floridian to strap on a six-gun and walk around Main Street if they so chose.

It is going to be interesting to see what happens to crime statistics in the state of Florida. Of course, those in favor of gun control say crime will multiply like rabbits; those opposed say crime will cease to exist. The truth lies somewhere in between and only time will tell; but, whatever the outcome, I suspect it will have a profound impact on Texas in 1989, since I know concealed weapon permit legislation is waiting in the wings here in our state also.

Texas has a really strange "pistol-packing" law right now. The law effectively says you can carry a pistol if you are traveling or if you are engaged in a lawful hunting or sporting activity. The trouble is, as I see it, in each case you have to have a

court determine if you are doing these things or not.

By the 1989 legislative session it may well be time to take a long, hard look at Texas' gun law. I suppose we can be grateful that our sister state, Florida, will have worked out some of the kinks before we have to address that issue.

As always, I'd like to have an idea what you think. I look forward to hearing from you.

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Wildcats Swat the Hornets

The Wildcat defense came through again when cornerback Steven Wilson intercepted a Hornet pass and returned the ball 22 yards. The Wildcats failed to take advantage of the turnover when the Cats offense fumbled for the second and last time of the game. It was a night for Hornets turnovers as the ball was fumbled on the snap and Tim O'Connor recovered the football for the Cats. The Wildcats next score came with 1:31 left in the half as Stacy Green ran 1 yard for the touchdown. Green's PAT was good and the Cats lead 35 to 8. The Hornets tried to get something going but failed when sophomore Cody Wilson intercepted a Hornet pass.

The third quarter saw all the Wildcats getting in on the action. It was late in the third quarter when the Wildcats scored for the last time. With only 47 seconds remaining, senior David White ran 32 yards for the touchdown. Stacy Green's kick split the uprights and the score was Wildcats 42,

Hornets 8. The Wildcat defense set the pace in the fourth quarter. On Lometa's first offensive series, Steven Wilson broke up a pass play. James Holman's rush forced the quarterback to throw the ball away and Toby Long sacked the quarterback. With this kind of outstanding play it was not surprising that Lometa had only 15 yards of total offense in the entire second half. The fourth quarter belonged to sophomore Toby Long as he registered three quarterback sacks with two in a row.

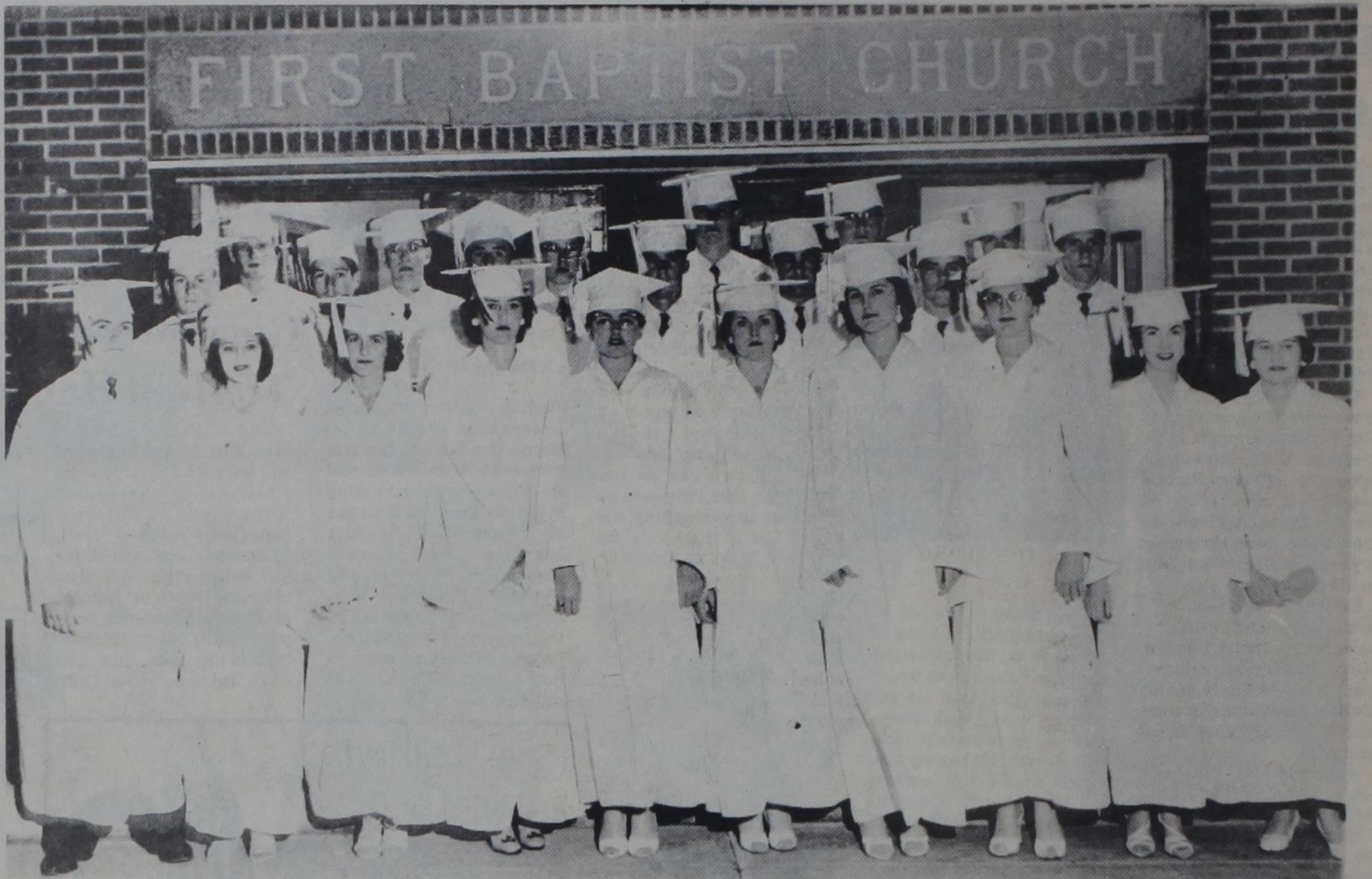
Junior Shawn Morrow also had a quarterback sack in the fourth quarter. Congratulations Wildcats on a game well played. The final score was Rising Star 42, Lometa 8.

Next week is our homecoming and the Wildcats play the Blanket Tigers. The tigers are only one half game behind the Cats in the district standings. This should be a hard fought game. Come cheer the Cats on to victory.

Individual statistics are as follows: Rushing: Derrick White, 12-147, 2TD; Stacy Green, 11-56, 1 TD; David White, 4-55, 1 TD; Kevin Bond, 6-43, 2TD; Steven Wilson, 7-42; Larry Hollis, 3-minus 1; Cody Wilson, 3-minus 4; Jimmy Evans, 2-minus 14.

Receiving: Kevin Bond, 1-25. Tackles: Toby Long, 7½, 3 sacks; Derrick White, 7; James Holman 4; Reil Barron, 3½; Donny Alcorn, 3½; John Flores 3½; Kevin Bond, 3; Steve Wilson, 2½; David White, 2½; Larry Hollis, 2; Kerry Hill 2; Cory Atwood, 2; Cody Wilson, 1½; Stacy Green, 1½; Brian Bailey, 1; Lupe Paxon, 1; Shawn Morrow, 1 sack.

Rising Star	Lometa
19 First Downs	11
6 Penetrations	2
50-322 Rushes-Yards	31-150
23 Passing Yards	53
345 Total Yards	203
1-5-0 Passes/Intercept	7-28-3
2 Fumbles Lost	3
3-51 Punts/Average	6-32
7-40 Penalties	5-35
42 Score	8



THE 1958 GRADUATING CLASS - Front row, from left, Jack Callaway, Mary Reed, Anna Little, Jeanette Hubbard, Martha Duggan, Jane Ann Key, Jaynel Edmiston, Pat Howard, Martha Walker and June Jones; middle row, Don

Hicks, Jerry Don Aaron, Donald Ray Crisp, Edward Burns, Jodie Wallace and Mack Elliott; and back row, Carl Weathers, Joe Frank Crisp, Charles Steel, Billy Rucker, Roland Earo and Lester Harris. Thanks to Dr. Pat Howard for the use of this picture.

260 Eastland County Soccer Players

By Richard Kurklin In the fall of 1985 a group of Eastland County people recognized a need and took action to fill that need.

There was a need for recreational activity for children and youth who did not participate in school sports, after the Little League season comes to an end. And it needed to be a 'safe' sport that both boys and girls could participate together in.

Answering this need, the Eastland County Soccer Association was formed.

A spirit of competition has existed between the towns of Eastland County about as long as most people can remember, and the Association founders realized that a spirit of friendship and cooperation between neighbors needed to be added.

Forming a Soccer League, 105 youth or children from Cisco, Eastland, Ranger and Carbon were placed on eight teams which played a fall schedule.

In the Spring of '86, over two hundred potential young soccer players showed up and the League was increased to eighteen teams. The League kept growing with about three hundred on twenty-four teams during the fall of '86.

A record sized crowd of about three hundred and sixty boys and girls participated on twenty-seven teams in the spring of '87.

The addition of Rising Star to the League helped to swell the numbers, but football is so popular in this area that the League has dropped to twenty-five teams and about two hundred and sixty players during this fall's football season.

A double season is now being played where players are required to sign up in the fall and teams are then formed that play a fall schedule and later a spring schedule as parts of their season. Players can no longer sign up in the spring.

While the League was experiencing all of this growth, a major problem arose. The athletic fields of the Cisco Schools had been used by the new League in its formative stages and Cisco people had carried a large portion of the load in supporting the League. But Cisco School officials could not guarantee the League that they would be allowed to play their games on school property in the future.

The Eastland County Soccer Association sent out a plea for help, the League needed a place to play their games.

One response to that plea was received and by necessity that response decided where the games would be played.

Darrell Adams, the Association President, spoke about the League and its needs to the Lions Club and was invited to talk about those needs by and with the Eastland Industrial Foundation.

The Foundation believed in the League's merit and donated land in North Eastland to be used as soccer fields by the League. But a lot of work and expense was still required to turn the land into a complex of soccer fields.

Jim Davidson at the Eastland National Bank started a fund raising effort for the League and once again Eastland County people came through,

donating from their money and possessions and of their time and labor.

Fields were prepared and seeded with grass, water lines were laid so that the fields can be irrigated when necessary and permanent goals were installed at the fields. A concession stand and rest rooms were added.

The response in donations of land, money, materials, and labor was estimated to be worth around eighty thousand dollars.

People continue to work on the soccer field complex that now includes six fields. There are two 30 by 50 yd. fields for children under six years of age, two 40 by 70 yd. fields for those six years to under eight, a 50 by 100 yd. field for eight years to under twelve, and a 70 by 130 yd. field for twelve years to under nineteen.

"The complex can now handle a big tourney of any age group," says Darrell Adams.

Both boys and girls have been playing together on the teams and it has been a safe sport with no serious injuries reported, not even a sprained ankle.

The Eastland County Soccer Association is a non-profit organization and they still need your donated money, time, labor and etc. for the kids. The local Association is a member of the North Texas Soccer Association which is out of Dallas.

If you are willing to help, the League needs certified referees, coaches, and equipment and field managers. It takes twenty dollars and an eighteen hour course on Friday nights and Saturdays to get certified to referee in youth soccer games. And that includes receiving the North Texas soccer newspaper "Pitch" and insurance.

The League has about 44 coaches and seven certified referees at present.

Another need is a used refrigerator and maybe a freezer for the concession stand if someone would like to donate one. When children under age eight are playing no score is kept.

In the older age groups the teams compete and the first, second and third place teams are recognized. Every player on each team received a medal for competing, but on the first team the medals are gold plated, on the second they are silver plated, and on the third they are bronze.

Darrell Adams, the League President, extends a special thanks to everyone who has helped to make the League a success.



This photo was made near the Alamo in San Antonio during the Senior Trip made by Rising Star High School's Class of 1947.

Those on the trip were, front row seated l. to r., Tommy Zellars Crawford, Valeria Brown, Betty Connor Busbee, Sue Graham, Eloise Rumph, Juanita Chick, Edith Agnew Bibb, Martitia Chambers Glenn and Charlene Long Schaeffer; second row, Earlene Phillips, Dorothy Green, Alameda Smith, Bernell Cox Guynes, Shirley Witt Allen, Nadine Morris Allen

and a girl who wasn't a member of the group; and, standing, Jan Cargile, James Lufkin, Billy Ted Shook, James Hefner, Jimmy Record, Kenneth Gray, James Nay, Jack Hill, Jerry Walker, Kenneth Joyce, class sponsor Mary Claborn, Dalton Jones, Don Morrow, Billy Harding, Dean Bailey, Kenneth Morrison, L.E. Allen, Serita Allen, Herman Boswell, Don Schaeffer and Minter Ray Hardin. Married names of some of the graduate women have been added.

Thanks to Kenneth Morrison for the use of the picture.

County Resource Group Names Board

The County Resource

Plans are to keep improving the facilities, the participation and the attendance. The concession stand can be finished and grass, bleachers, fencing, and maybe picnic tables can be added at the complex.

At the end of the spring schedule there will be an awards ceremony and there will be more announcements about it in the future. It will mark the completion of three years for the League.

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meeting Thursday at the First Baptist Church in Eastland was attended by a number of people from this area.

Several decisions were made, including one to set up a Board of Directors. This Board will work on plans for assistance to the needy, and present them at each general meeting.

Those named to the Board were: DeMarquis Gordon, County Extension Agent, David Bondurant, Pastor of the First Christian Church, Dennis Noska, Director of the Eastland MH/MR Center, Peggy Roberts, Director of the Multipurpose Center, Maria Duncan, Department of Human Services, and Martha Knowles, Department of Human Services.

Others in attendance at

Thursday's meeting were Dr. Robert Jefferies, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Nannette Keith, Department of Human Services, Waldine Stephenson, Mangum Baptist Church, Mattie Donelson, Mangum Baptist Church, T.G. Jackson, Civic and Church worker, Corrie Cowley, civic worker, Dept. of Human Services Volunteer, Mary Dunn, Vista Worker at Multipurpose Center, Patty Matthews, Volunteer of Dept. of Human Services, and Viola Payne, Eastland County Newspapers.

There were a number of reports at the meeting as to current needs and help available. Nanette Keith said that more people than ever were coming to the Department of Human Ser-

vices for help. Many times they had to send families to the Multipurpose Center for emergency food, and this agency had a hard time keeping enough in the food pantry.

Mrs. Keith also said that several volunteers were now helping with the work-load at the Department of Human Services, "They are a great help to us," she said.

Mary Dunn, Vista Worker, reported that she had had "no success" in her efforts to secure a location for a County Food Pantry in Eastland. This would be a place where more food could be stored than at the Multipurpose Center.

Peggy Roberts, Center Director noted that the facility has to close one week each month, due to commodity distribution, and is also closed on Fridays. Volunteers are needed to keep the Center open on those days, she said.

The group decided to continue to support the Food

Pantry in the Multipurpose Center, and continue to look for a larger place. Mrs. Roberts and Dunn said they really appreciated the recent contribution of canned goods, and hoped the public would continue to bring all donations possible.

Several people reported that the Ministerial Alliance in Ranger was doing a great job in providing emergency food and clothing in that town. A need was stated for a directory of where help was available in other parts of the county.

Pastor Bondurant seemed to express the feelings of the group when he said: "We can't drop this now." The people voted to have another meeting on Thursday, Nov. 19, at the First Baptist Church. Community and Church leaders and other interested individuals are urged to come out and have a part in this work.

THE RISING STAR

Thursday, November 5, 1987

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**RISING STAR HIGH SCHOOL
1987 WILDCAT ROSTER**

Number	Name	Weight	Height	Class
10	Steve Wilson	130	5'7"	Junior
11	Jimmy Evans	115	5'6"	Freshman
17	David White	165	5'11"	Senior
20	Cody Wilson	110	5'5"	Sophomore
23	Brian Bailey	145	5'6"	Freshman
24	Brandon Carroll	110	5'8"	Sophomore
25	Kevin Bond	170	5'10"	Junior
30	Ronnie Evans	115	5'8"	Senior
32	Reil Barron	155	6'1"	Junior
33	Stacy Green	200	6'0"	Junior
40	Donny Alcorn	145	5'7"	Freshman
42	Larry Hollis	135	5'8"	Freshman
44	Derrick White	180	5'11"	Sophomore
52	Roanen Barron	255	6'0"	Sophomore
60	Toby Long	150	5'11"	Sophomore
61	John Flores	205	5'10"	Senior
65	Alan Havens	175	6'3"	Sophomore
69	Tim O'Connor	180	5'10"	Senior
71	Kerry Hill	165	5'8"	Senior
75	Lupe Pavon	205	6'0"	Senior
77	Cory Atwood	260	5'10"	Senior
78	James Holman	200	6'1"	Senior
80	Johnny House	130	5'8"	Junior
82	Allan Holman	190	6'2"	Junior
83	Shawn Morrow	140	5'11"	Junior
85	Shannon Bailey	125	5'10"	Sophomore

Coaches:
James Cox, Head
Dan Goodman, Assistant

Cheerleaders:
Anna Ezzell, Sponsor; Maxine Perales, Head; Becky Walker, Assistant; Jennifer Linney, Sec.; Renee O'Connor, Treas.; Meredith Hamblen, Rep.; Juanita Ramirez, Mascot.

Band:
Tim Riley, Director; Drum Major: La Quita Hendricks;
Twirlers: Stephanie Long, Joe Beth Landers
School Colors: Blue & Gold
Mascot: Wildcat

GO CATS!

'87 FOOTBALL



JUNIOR HIGH 1987

Sep. 17	Tolar	Away 6
Oct. 1	Gorman	Away 6:30
Oct. 8	Evant	Home 6:30
Oct. 15	Baird	Away 6:30
Oct. 22	Rochelle	Away 6:30
Oct. 29	Lometa	Home 6:30
Nov. 5	Blanket	Away 6:30
Nov. 12	Santa Anna	Home 6:30

**RISING STAR WILDCATS
FOOTBALL SCHEDULE
VARSITY, 1987**

Sep. 4	Santo	Away 8
Sep. 11	Cross Plains	Away 8
Sep. 18	Tolar	Home 8
Sep. 25 Open		
Oct. 2	Gorman	Home 7:30
Oct. 9	Evant	Away 7:30
Oct. 16	Baird	Home 7:30
Oct. 23	Rochelle	Home 7:30
Oct. 30	Lometa	Away 7:30
Nov. 7	Blanket	Home 7:30
Nov. 13	Santa Anna	Away 7:30

District games begin October 2; October 23 will be Parents' Night; and the homecoming game will be November 7.



Kountry Kitchen 643-6831	Kizer Insurance Agency 643-4421	Jenkins Insurance Agency 643-1161	Rising Star Chamber of Commerce 643-1161
Palace Drug Store 643-3231	Dr. B.T. Carpenter 643-3141	Star Plaza Truck Stop - 643-1000 Restaurant - 643-1404 Western Motel - 643-7206	Rising Star Nursing Center 643-2681
Buddy's Plumbing & Appliances 643-7321	Winfrey Feed & Peanut 643-6251	Pioneer Farmers Cooperative 725-6564	Jim Ratliff Welding 643-6464
Higginbotham's 643-2271	Medley Motor Co. 643-6211	Chuck Wagon Cafe 643-3025	Mike's Fina 300 W. College
Butler Texaco 643-3261	The Rising Star 643-4141	Rising Star Emergency Medical Service 643-3001	Chambers Grocery 643-5292
D&T Building Supplies 643-4131	Family Food Store 643-2221	First State Bank 643-2811	The Quik Stop 643-1441
MainStreet Auto Repair 643-1701	L & C Auto 643-3082	Rising Star Exxon 643-3130	Coca-Cola Bottling Hwy. 80 E.- Eastland 629-2037



WILDCAT TALES
RISING STAR HIGH
JOURNALISM

Wedding Shower Honors Mr. and Mrs. Terry Walker

A wedding shower honoring Terry and Sofia Walker will be held Sunday, November 8, from 2 to 3:30

p.m. in First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. The hostesses invite all friends and relatives to attend.

May Honor Roll

FIRST SIX WEEKS

2nd Grade
A: Dennis Bates, Angela Bowden, Leeann Epley, Jason Greenlee, Kristy Jackson, Laurie Jackson, Leslie Joyner, Rachel McInnis, Lacie Michael, Tammy Petross, Monica Reyna, Melody Scott, Clint Thompson, Jami Walters, Chad Wheeler
B: David Gilbert, Mandi Lindley, Steven McDaniel, Evon Reyna, Eva Rodriguez, Monica Rodriguez

3rd Grade
A: Cody Spinks, Chris Wood
B: Misty Holmes, Daniel Purcell, Cindy Stephens, Al Terpening, Chase Thompson

4th Grade
A: Matthew Beech, Lance Chambers, Crystal Tischler, Jennifer Wells, David Wheeler
B: Jennifer Brown, Michael Dinwiddie, Tina Foster, Christy George, Jessica Henson, Becky Scott, Charity Walters

5th Grade
A: Craig Hardy, Ben McInnis, Ethan Rhodes, Ryan Young
B: Tera Ashworth, Teri Hardwick, Nathan Henson, Bradley Lindley, Rowonna Sublett

6th Grade
A: Cynthia Bates, David Craig Chambers, Vicki Lee, Donna Smith, Jeanette Tidwell
B: David Lee Chambers, Jesse Jackson, Tonya Lancaster, Toby Lindley

7th Grade
A: Raelyn Wheeler
B: Tricia Adkins, Ioni Hardwick, Dawn Goode, Kevin Jones, Russchelle McNutt, Thomas Foster, Jason Tischler, Joy Walters

8th Grade
A: Shelly Hardy, Tracy Hopper, Laura Lewis
B: Corey Ashworth, Larry Bates, Misty Cheatham,

Lisa Epley, Bryan Greenrock, Stephanie Stephens, Amy Taylor

9th Grade
A: Cody Chambers, James LeMond, Allison Rhodes, Ashley Thompson
B: Melissa Cloer, Ben Ferguson, Robin Hardy, Melissa Harrell, Jeremy Jones, Jason LeMond, Venus Tischler, April White, Angela Young

10th Grade
A: Jason Boever, Guyle Donham, Scotty Ford, Gidget Goode, Tammy Ingram, Katy Lancaser, Jamie Lindley
B: Clayton Breeden, Billy Graham, Dayna Lewis, Natalie Tischler, Scott Ashworth, Dale Greenrock, Joey Horton, Peggy Spinks, Susan Stephens, Mark Pittman

11th Grade
A: Wesley Jones
B: Jennifer Gregory, Jesse Romines, Doris Nelson, Harvey McKinley

12th Grade
A: Kim Hardy, Brenda Hopper, Carla White
B: Saronna Alldredge, Kirk Beauchamp, Kelly Buzbee, Thomas Hammer, Tammie Hardy, David Jackson, Eddie Martin, Michael Salinas, Brad Spinks

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bibb of Eastland are proud to announce the birth of their second son, Terrell Shay, born Monday, November 2, at 3:18 a.m.

Terrell weighed eight pounds and two ounces and was 20½ inches long. He is welcomed by his brother, Trevor J., and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bibb of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. Ovis James of Cohahoma.

Paint & Palette Art Show in Cross Plains

The Cross Plains Paint and Palette Club will host its 14th annual art show Friday, November 6, through Sunday, November 8.

Registration is from 2-6

p.m. Friday. The show will be open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 1-3:30 p.m. Sunday.

Over \$500 in cash awards for winning paintings will be given and a drawing for door prizes will be held at 3:30 p.m. Sunday.

The show will be held at the Cross Plains Community Center which is directly north of the Multi-Purpose Center.

For more information call Yvonne Key at (817) 643-4234, Ozella Huddleston at (817) 725-6501 or Linda Strickland at 725-7778.

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Band Notes

The Wildcat band will perform a pre-game show starting at 7 p.m. It will consist of the school song, fight song and the Star Spangled Banner.

The band will also entertain the homecoming crowd at half-time and will present the Band Beau and Sweetheart for 1987-88.

LaQuita Hendricks

Fifth Grade Field Trip

Thursday, October 29, the fifth grade class had the pleasure of taking a field trip to Bob and Daryl Medford's peanut field.

The students in the fifth grade include Misty Bailey, Brandi Harris, Andy Ferbrache, Heather Hutchinson, Olivia West, Lisa Hunter, Trudi Owen, Chris Schwab, Quinton Cook, Dusty Bilbrey, David Grissom, Donovan Ayers, Shane Kerr, Chance Schaefer and Gwen Hollis.

The trip was taken during the Earth Science class. Mrs. Cooksey, fifth grade teacher, was very pleased at this opportunity for the students. They asked intelligent questions, such as, "How do the vines get picked up by the combine?" and "How do the peanuts get separated from the vine?" They learned that the peanut is formed from the bloom.

It just so happened that Willie Ezzell was digging across the road so the students also saw this process and made the trip a great success.

Some of these students had never seen peanuts being dug. They rode on a tractor, watched peanuts being thrashed and ate some fresh peanuts.

Bob and Daryl Medford were very courteous and patient in answering all the questions and showing the youngsters around. Mrs. Cooksey and her class would like to express a great big "thank you" to Bob and Daryl for their time and generosity. Also a "thank you" to Cindy Wood for driving the bus and to Mr. Hill for allowing the trip.

Danetta Bible



FFA Sells Fruit, Turkey, Sausage and Bacon

The Future Farmers of America Chapter is now in full swing in their sales of smoked turkeys, fruit and Corn Gold sausage. Bacon has also been added to the

list of goods. Anyone not contacted by a FFA member please feel free to call President Howard Lawrence at 643-4791.

Stephanie Long

Thursday,
November 5, 1987

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6.5 oz.

79¢

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12 oz.

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w/beans
15 oz.

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6 oz.

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Assorted

Cake Mixes 99¢

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Crisco
Shortening
Reg. or Butter

3 lbs \$1.99

Limit 1 w/\$10.00
Purchase

Folger's Bag
Coffee

1 lb./ \$2.29

Bounty Towels
Assorted

79¢ per roll

Charmin
Toilet Tissue

\$1.09

4 roll pack

Tide Detergent
42 oz.

\$1.99

Bluebonnet Margarine
Quarters

1 lb./ 39¢

Pillsbury
Biscuits
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10 oz.

59¢

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Potatoes
32 oz.

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Ice Cream
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3 lbs./ \$1.00

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Delicious
Apples

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Apples

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Celery

3 stalks \$1.00

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Cucumbers

5/\$1.00

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Avocados

5/\$1.00

Fancy
Bell Peppers

5/\$1.00

Fresh
Green Onions

5/\$1.00

Cello
Red Radishes

5/\$1.00

Baker
Russet Potatoes

3 lbs. \$1.00

Calendar

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5
Advanced Math Field Trip to Tarleton State University Junior High Football Game at Blanket 6:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6
Setting up Homecoming Activities
Spirit Bonfire Football Field 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7
Homecoming (See schedule of events)
High School Football Game vs. Blanket 7:30 p.m.

Wildcat Stadium
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9
Career Night Juniors and Seniors

Dear Penny,

I am 13 years old and an immigrant. I am trying to learn to speak English but it is very hard and often confusing. The problem is that other students keep picking on me about the way I talk and I am afraid to tell the teacher. What should I do?

Afraid

Dear Penny,
It is hard for a new student to fit in a new environment. Teenagers can be cruel to each other and especially to new kids. Students who have never had to move and make new friends do not understand the loneliness and other frightening pressures. If you can, hold your head up high and shake of their insults. Those who truly want to be your friends will not be picking on you or otherwise want to hurt your feelings. If things get to bad, ask to speak to a teacher or the principal and see if other class arrangements can be made. It will take time and a lot of patience, but as long as you have confidence in yourself and just be yourself, real friends will be easy to find.

Dear Penny,
I have very strict parents and they won't let me go out. I feel like I am in a cage. I'm 16 years old and I believe that I should be able to go out. My parents do not seem to understand that. What should I do?

Feeling Caged

Dear Feeling Caged,
Talk to your parents and tell them how you feel about it. Show them that they are able to trust you. Put yourself in their shoes and try to understand their point of view.

Girls Basketball

Monday evening both the Junior High girls' basketball team under the direction of Coach Debbie Bacon and the High School girls' basketball team under the direction of Coach Dan Goodman traveled to Blanket for a scrimmage.

Coach Bacon's team took the court fired up and ready to play. The Kittens were challenged by Blanket's Junior High. The Kittens showed promise for the upcoming season while staging an upset of the home team. Each girl received valuable playing time experience. After the initial nervousness, the Kittens settled down to play ball.

The Lady Cats played both Blanket and Carbon in a round-robin type rotation. The Ladies showed good hustle and were tough on the boards. Although the Ladies were shy of perfect execution of the plays, they managed to keep their heads above water. Most of the imperfection was due to nervousness but once again each girl gained valuable playing experience.

The Ladies will now hit the gym in preparation of next week's scrimmage, Tuesday, November 10, when the Lady Cats play host to the Early Junior Varsity. Play will begin at 6:30 p.m. These girls, both the High School and Jr. High, are looking forward to an exciting season. Won't you be a part of it? Come out and show your support. Thank you.

Jackie Harris

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