

Dr. Vidal Simpao Sets Up Practice

Vidal Simpao Jr., M.D., reopened Blackwell Clinic in Rising Star on March 7. The clinic, located at 104 E. College, was closed for several weeks after Dr. Adoracion Palisoc made the decision to move to Morton.

Dr. Simpao lives in Gorman with his wife, Abigail, and their two children, five-year-old Sharon and three-year-old Marc. His wife is a registered nurse and is working with him in the clinic at the present time.

The Simpaos are originally from the Phillipines and he earned his medical degree in the University of the East there. They came to the United States in 1974 and he was house officer in a hospital in Toledo, Ohio. Dr. Simpao served his residency at Michigan State University. He began general practice in 1976 in the Detroit area, then joined a friend in practice in North Dakota in 1978. After a year and a half there, he came to Texas to Rotan where he worked with a former classmate in Fisher County Clinic.

Another former classmate of Dr. Simpao, Dr. Limneo Aguila, practices



Dr. Vidal Simpao

medicine in Gorman at Blackwell Hospital where Dr. Simpao is on call in rotation with the other doctors at Blackwell Hospital.

Mrs. Simpao taught in the nursing program at Texas State Technical Institute when they lived in Rotan.

"We find the people in this area to be accommodating and friendly and we hope to establish lasting friendships here," Dr. Simpao said.

Terry Wilkerson is the receptionist for Dr. Simpao at Blackwell Clinic. The telephone number is 643-3037 and the clinic is open from 9 a.m. until 12 noon, then from 1 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. weekdays; it is closed on Wednesday afternoons. Calls after office hours may be made to Blackwell Hospital in Gorman, 724-2294.

Olice Jones Is Made Life Member of Texas Women's Clubs

The Twenty-third Annual Convention and Board Meeting of the Heart of Texas District of Texas Federated Women's Clubs held in Cisco on March 25-26, 1983, was very special for the members of the Saturday Club of Rising Star.

Mrs. Olice B. Jones, a charter member, joining in 1926, was announced as a life member of the State Federated Clubs of Texas.

Olice has served in the Federation under seven different presidents beginning in 1958 to the present year.

She has been named to many other honors as the Most Outstanding Woman in 1978-79; a member of the Pioneer Women's Club of Texas in 1970-72; a member of the Historical Society Commission of Eastland County for 1979-80; now serving as



chairman of consumers' concern for the Heart of Texas District Federated Clubs.

Nine members of the local club and one guest, Gloria Phillips, daughter of Olice, were present to hear these words as Olice received this outstanding honor, "The Club has been and is one of the greatest blessings of my life."

We are honored, also, as a club and can truly say, "You, Olice, have been one of the great blessings of the

Local Fire Department Equipment Gets Poor Rating

The citizens of Rising Star should be aware that your local fire department may be in trouble. The mayor has been asked for help and so far, no indication of results has been seen.

This past month a State Board of Insurance representative, Ike Williams, from Austin, was in Rising Star. He informed the city that unless some big changes were made, the key rate insurance would go up no less than 81%. This means your insurance premiums would be increased a considerable amount.

Some of the faults he found with the City Fire Department were:

- (1) more fire plugs needed downtown
- (2) the new city pumper truck would not pass inspection
- (3) the City backhoe was being repaired in the fire station; the Fire House shall not be used as a place of maintenance
- (4) no reserve fire hose
- (5) City fire station is not properly heated to

Coy Barker Injured in Motorcycle Accident

Coy Barker of Odessa, formerly of Rising Star, was injured in a car-motorcycle accident Monday night, March 28. Suffering a broken pelvis and possibly other injuries, he is in traction in Medical Center Hospital in Odessa.

His grandmother,

Pets Need Rabies Vaccine

W.W. Ezzell, who lives three miles southwest of Rising Star, expresses regret that he didn't heed the warnings of reports of increased numbers of rabid wild life this year. He had to have his dog and her two pups destroyed after they were attacked by a rabid skunk.

Ezzell reported that about 11 p.m. March 19 he heard the dogs raise an alarm. The skunk was killed and taken to a vet to be tested for

Saturday Club of Rising Star and to so many people whose lives you have touched.

A friend,
Mary Claborn

EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 1, 1979
SUPPLEMENT NO. 2
to
ANALYSIS OF KEY RATE
of
RISING STAR
EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS
ESTIMATED POPULATION 1,009

6384	CHARGES
1. WATERWORKS (c) Pumping units in duplicate, electric power-----	\$.05
(e) Pumps deficient 50% in capacity-----	.05
(f) Power for pumping units not according to standards-----	.09
2. WATER SUPPLY (b) Storage basins 25% deficient in capacity-----	.01
4. WATER MAINS (a) Supply main not in duplicate-----	.01
(b) Supply main deficient in size-----	.02
(c) 75% of mains deficient in size in residence sections-----	.07
5. FIRE HYDRANTS (a) Deficient 20% in number in mercantile districts-----	.03
(b) Deficient 40% in number in residence sections-----	.01
(f) Hydrants not properly maintained-----	.02
7. FIRE DEPARTMENT (c) Wholly volunteer-----	.10
(d) Fire department organization not properly maintained-----	.05
(e) Fire department equipment not properly maintained-----	.05
8. FIRE APPARATUS (c) Reserve supply of hose not as required-----	.01
(e) No reserve pumper-----	.02
(f) Pumper inadequate in capacity-----	.02
(h) No reserve hose truck-----	.01
9. FIRE ALARM SYSTEM: None but electric siren in service-----	.04
10. BUILDING LAWS (a) Inadequate-----	.07
11. STREETS (a) Principal streets in residence sections not paved-----	.02
(c) Over 40% of streets in mercantile district less than 70 ft. wide-----	.02
13. FIRE MARSHAL: No reports made-----	.03
14. CONFLAGRATION HAZARDS (a) Overhead wires in mercantile district-----	.01
(c) Frame ranges in mercantile districts-----	.02
(e) Over 40% of combustible roofs in residence sections-----	.03
TOTAL CHARGES-----	\$.79
CREDITS	
16. BOOSTER TRUCKS: Two of at least 100 gallon booster tank capacity in addition to requirements at 11-----	-.24
(a) Chief's car-----	-.14
22. METHODS OF FIRE PREVENTION AND PRINCIPLES OF FIRE INSURANCE: Taught in all Public Schools-----	-.34
23. ARSON REWARD: Maintained-----	-.24
TOTAL CREDITS-----	-.76
KEY RATE-----	5.73

prevent the water in the pumper from freezing in wintertime

(6) no active City Fire Marshal

(7) to keep money premiums down, Mr. Williams added the rural fire trucks (bought by rural people) as city equipment. Mayor Killion instructed Mr. Williams

not to put the rural trucks on city roster. Mr. Williams put these trucks on as city equipment for a period of no longer than six months to maintain present premiums and to help the city.

This report is not meant to be a reflection on the fire chief or on any fireman.

Sunrise Service Set by May Church

The May United Methodist Church will hold a Easter Sunrise Service at Eugene Pallett ranch.

The public is invited to attend. Rev. Lynn McAdain to be in charge of service. At the close of the service a breakfast will be served at May Methodist Church. Regular Church Service at 9:30 a.m.



meeting notices ...

The Rising Star 4-H members interested in being on a judging team are asked to meet Thursday, March 31, at 7:00 in the ag classroom. Doug Owen and Cliff Hall are coaching.

The regular meeting of the Rising Star 4-H Club will be Monday, April 4, at 7:00 p.m. in the ag classroom. County Round-Up is April 7, and plans for those interested will be made.

Polls Open 7 am to 7 pm at City Hall

Election Judge, E.L. (Smokey) Gains, has announced that voting in the City-School Board Elections will begin at 7:00 a.m. Saturday, April 2, at City Hall. The polls will remain open until 7:00 p.m.

Helping Gains in the elections will be Mary Claborn, Emma Jean Steel, Barbara Kanady, Faye Medley and Carolyn Ratliff.

CITY Candidates on the ballot for mayor are W.G. Reed, H.L.

Killion and Doris Griffin. Killion is seeking his third term as mayor.

Three councilmen will be elected to serve two-year terms from these candidates: Collette Wells, Rudy Sayas, John G. Lee, N. D. Chancellor Jake Landess, Charlie Benson, Bernie Barnes, Steve Bibb and Bill Carpenter.

Two councilmen will be elected to serve for one year from candidates Pete Starks, Don Horton, James New, Johnny Lee and

Mary Ann Underwood. Starks and Lee are incumbents.

SCHOOL BOARD
Candidates for the board of directors of the Rising Star Independent School District are H.T. (Bud) Vicars, D.W. Sessums, Frankie Sayas, Earl M. Wright, Tony Long, Danny Hughes, Frances Justice and Terry Geyer.

Sample ballots are printed in this newspaper for the benefit of the voting public.

VOTE APRIL 2
These concerned citizens will provide transportation to City Hall, April 2, for voters who have no transportation of their own.

Mr. & Mrs. Joe Allgood 643-3471

Mr. & Mrs. James Armstrong 643-1722

Mr. & Mrs. Alvy Bible 643-3006

Mr. & Mrs. Willie Vandiver 643-6451

Earl M. Wright Runs for School Board

Contata Planned at First Baptist Church

First Baptist Church is presenting an Easter Contata directed by the Rev. R.D. Williams Sunday, April 3, at 7:00 p.m.

The public is invited to hear the presentation of "Near the Cross," which includes solo parts sung by Jean Darnell and Blanche Cawley.

Pianist is Pat Walker and organist is Kaye Pollock.

With the Rising Star School Board election coming up, I'd like to introduce myself. My name is Earl M. Wright and I'm running for one of the positions on the board.

Although I'm fairly new to this area, my wife's grandparents, Sterling and Maude White, were among the early settlers here; her mother, Kathleen Hardesty, and her uncle, Jack White, were born near Rising Star and grew up here.

My wife, Sandi, and I have been coming here to visit for the past seven years. About two years ago we decided to leave California and move to Rising Star, a town we have come to love.

During the years we lived in San Diego, I was elected to two terms on the Presidential Advisory Board to our school system. I worked for the city for eight years, setting up programs, sports, crafts and field trips for young people during the summer; I was in charge of setting up my own budget and in keeping expenses within that budget.



From my four years' experience as Chairman of the I.B.E.W., I became well acquainted with contracts with employees and with working for the best interest of the majority.

Our two children, Stacey and Heather, attend the Rising Star school and I feel strongly that "basics," along with a mixture of electives, band, sports and the arts, will help prepare them for a place in the world when they are grown.

We need to be conservative and wise in the use of our tax dollars, choose our school personal carefully to insure the best education possible for our children. I'd appreciate your vote.

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Political Calendar
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John G. Lee (Twin)
School Board
Earl M. Wright
Pol. Adv. Paid for by each candidate.

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A special thanks to our two daughters, Jo Ann and Essie, and their families for making it all possible.
Thanks again,
Tommye and Bigge Heairren

The family of Herbert A. Cain would like to express our heartfelt appreciation for each act of kindness shown during the loss of our loved one, for all the delicious food, visits, phone calls, flowers and especially your prayers.

Our sincere thanks to the two wonderful ladies who dropped everything to follow the ambulance to Cisco and to each one who lent a helping hand.
The wonderful people helped make this loss easier to bear.
The Family of Herbert A. Cain

I wish to thank my friends and neighbors for visits, calls, gifts and food. I especially wish to thank them for their prayers during my convalescence.
Lillian Howard & Children

Drive safely in '83

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THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1983

Sheriff Morren Selected To Serve On Committee

Eastland County Sheriff, Johnnie Morren, has been notified by the President of the Sheriffs' Association of Texas, T.L. Baker, that he has been selected to serve on the Legislative Committee for the year of 1983.

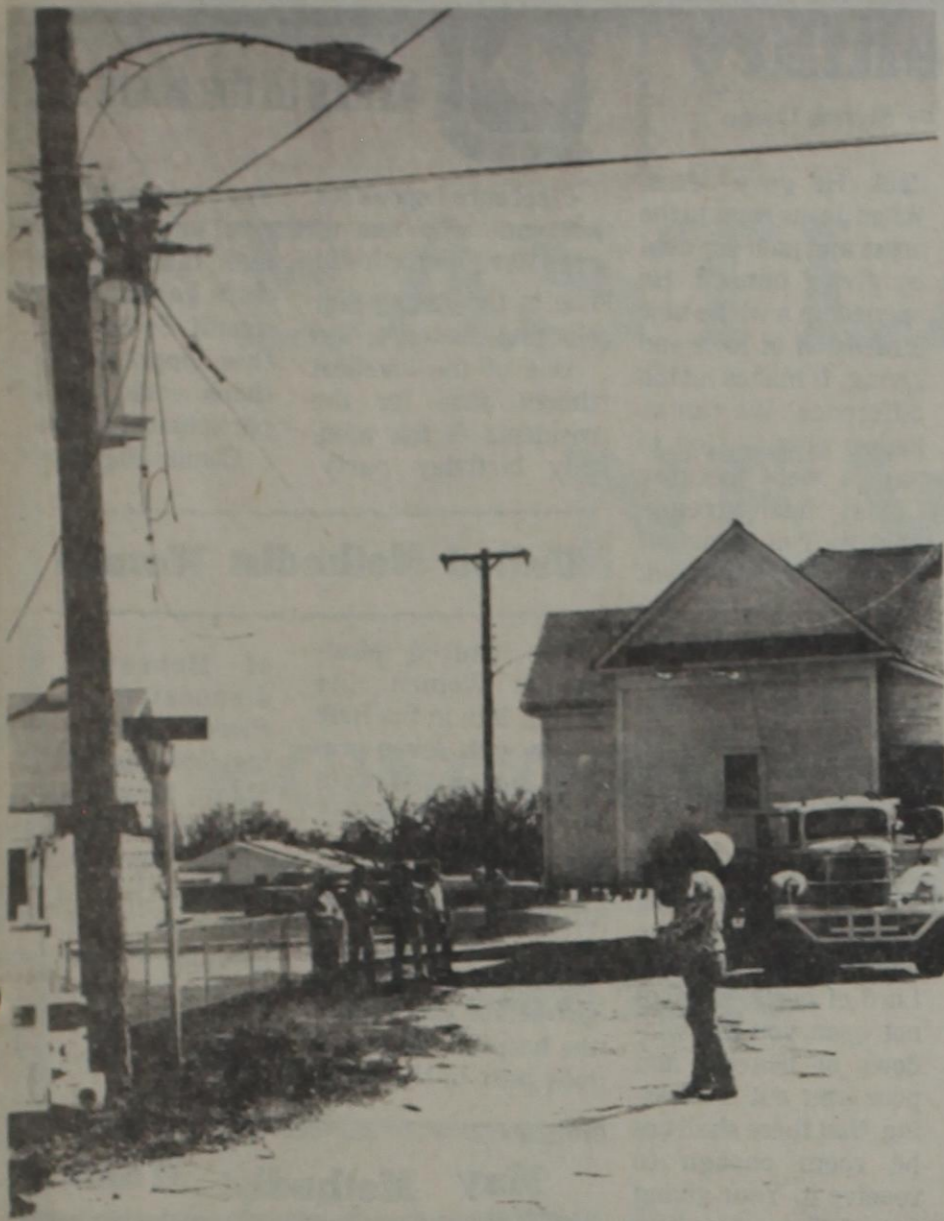
The role of this committee is to seek suggestions and ideas from Sheriffs and other Association members as to new laws or changes in legislation that are needed to assist law enforcement.

County Awards Contract

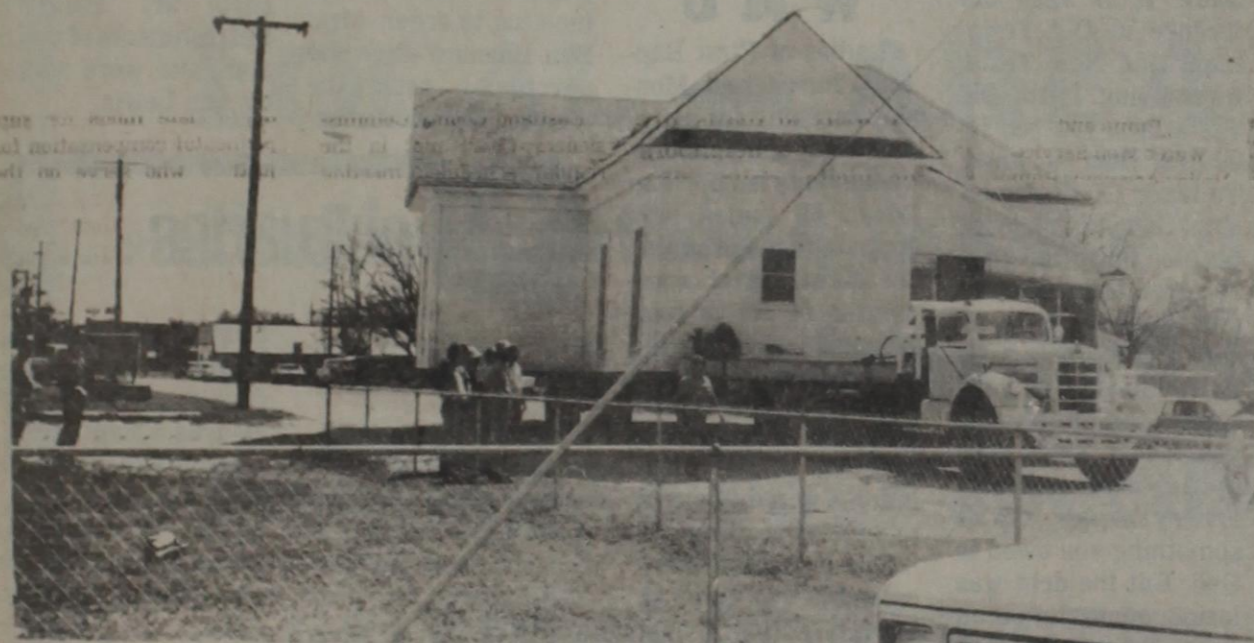
Eastland County Commissioners Court met in the regular scheduled meeting Monday morning to consider nine items on the agenda.
Bill Miller of Ranger was awarded a contract for plastering and repair work in the Eastland County Tax office. Miller was hired to do the job for \$12 an hour and an assistant will be paid \$8 an hour with the county furnishing Miller's material for the work.
Commissioners authorized Judge Scott Bailey to hire legal council to settle claims against an estate. District Attorney Emory Walton has disqualified himself because of what he termed a conflict of interest.
In other action the Commissioners
* Granted a request from the Bar Association to appropriate funds for supplemental compensation for justices who serve on the 11th Court of Appeals. The justices will receive \$500 a month from April through September. At the end of the six-month period, commissioners will consider further compensation.
* Granted four oil companies permission to cross county roads with oil pipelines
Sun Exploration and Production Company plans to cross County Road 339 in four places in Precinct 2.
Enserch Exploration, Inc. will cross County Road 339 in one place in Precinct 2.
Lyle Energy and Premco Petroleum received permission to cross County Road 211 in Precinct 3.
* Granted a request by Rev. John Walker, pastor of the Desdemona First Baptist Church, for relinquishment of an alleyway. An alley separating two pieces of land owned by the church, was given to the congregation so they could build on the land. Jerry Carter, representing Lone Star Gas Company, appeared with Rev. Walker. He said the gas company would relocate a pipeline in the alley.
* Renewed an office machines service contract with Kirbo Company of Mullin
* Rescinded a decision that instructed the county auditor to do bookkeeping work in the district attorney's office.
* Passed with no action a letter from Representative Jim Parker relating to jurisdiction of Constitutional Court - Senate Bill No. 576
* Heard a report on an insurance meeting, Texas Association of Counties.

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Workmen and onlookers watch as the old Bucy home is maneuvered under electric, telephone lines and tv cables. The house was being moved for Johnny and Pam Cook.



Six Continental Telephone employees and four WTU employees used four bucket trucks and a line truck to handle the problems involved in moving a large house through the maze of cables

and wires necessary to today's way of life. The house is being moved to several miles northwest of Rising Star.

Better Days Ahead For Tavia Justice

By Viola Payne

Pretty little Tavia Justice, daughter of Lynn and Dyann Justice of near Cisco, is as lively as most other five week old babies. But there were anxious days for her parents and grandparents and family friends for about two weeks after her birth.

Tavia's grandparents are -maternal, Thomas D. Miller, Brownwood and LaVelle Chasteen, Burleson. Her paternal grandparents are Delbert and Annette Justice, who live S.E. of Cisco. Great grandparents are -maternal, Mrs. Lois Grissom, Cross Plains, and Richard O. Pellor, Germany. Paternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Chester Miller, Eastland, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Compton, Breckenridge.

The little girl was born with a condition referred to as "tracheo esophageal fistula", which means that her esophagus was not con-

nected with her stomach and digestive tract. The Justices learned that this is a condition affecting about one baby in every two thousand. It's not something they would recommend to any young couple expecting a baby!

Tavia, the first child of Lynn and Dyann, was born Feb. 17 at Blackwell Hospital, Gorman. Her birth was attended by Dr. L. Aguila and Dr. N. Aguila. The 6 lb. 5 oz. baby appeared to be in good condition, with no signs of abnormality for about two days. When some difficulty was apparent, she was referred to a Pediatrician, Dr. Kanjanapone of Stephenville. After extensive tests at Stephenville General Hospital, the problem was diagnosed. Then Tavia was flown by a Care Flight Helicopter to Ft. Worth Children's Hospital.

Lynn and Dyann Justice followed by car, and their feelings at that time were hard to describe. Dyann was still weak from the birth, but determined to stay as near the Ft. Worth Hospital as possible.

Surgery was scheduled at 12:00 Sunday, Feb. 20, with Dr. Mann as surgeon.

"And he finished just about 3:00 p.m.," says Lynn, who hovered near the operating room during the ordeal.

The baby, who had obviously had no nourishment by mouth since her birth, came through the surgery remarkably well. Her defect was corrected, and she began to revive as soon as the anesthetic wore off.

Tavia was fed intravenously for five days after the operation. But on Feb. 25 she began taking nourish-

ment by mouth, and on Feb. 28 she was moved out of the intensive care unit. On March 3 she was permitted to come home.

Since then Tavia has continued to recover, and is taking a normal amount of milk. At this time she weighs 7 lbs. 1 1/2 oz.

The doctors, however, explained to the parents that children who have trouble with the esophagus sometimes have other problems. On Tavia the difficulties appear to be minor. But it was found that the baby has a small heart murmur, which is expected to clear up as she grows older.

The medical miracle for Tavia has been extensive for the young parents. The hospital and doctor bills received so far total around \$16,000. More bills arrive almost daily.

"Dyann used to like to go to the mailbox," says Lynn. "Now she hangs her head after she opens the letters." "But we do appreciate how concerned everyone has been about the baby," says Dyann. "Our friends - which includes the people in our Church, the Mangum Baptist - have been helpful.

"And we are so thankful to the doctors for what they did. We appreciate the Doctors Aguila, at Gorman, and Dr. Kanjanapone at Stephenville. Besides Dr. Mann, Dr. Sidebottom and Dr. Tierney assisted on the case while she was in Ft. Worth."

Lynn smiles and says: "Tavia's days and nights are still sort of mixed up, though. They didn't fix that part about her!"

But maybe that is normal after all.

Rising Star Nursing Center
Darlene Harris - Activity Director

Monday-Bingo-Buster Rixford was calling numbers. Today Martha Irby and Maggie Christian won three each. Buster Rixford and Mary Boase won two. Mary Crisp and Ester Cowley won one. Tuesday-Today we made some Easter bunnies. Wednesday-Today we planted some seeds in egg cartons for them to root. Martha Irby planted her egg carton full of petunias, Maggie Christian planted some zinnas in her carton, Estelle Bolding planted peppers in her cartons, Mamie Wells

planted some zinnas, tomatoes and some pansies. Dorothy Reynolds and Teri Horton came and sang for us at 4 o'clock. Friday-Mrs. Odom held Bible Study. Mr. Sparkman sang and Bea Kelton played the piano.

Lena Eason is still in the hospital we all hope she gets to come home soon.

We want to welcome Myrtle Tyler and Mary Hord home from the hospital.

Mary Crisp had some out of town visitors last week. Alene Thompson came from Brownwood, Mr. & Mrs. Johnston Smith, this is Mary's cousins, came from Eastland and from Ohio, Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Boyd.

Wednesday. Last report he is improving each day and looking forward to coming home.

Mr. Ray Agnew entered West Texas Hospital last Tuesday. He is much improved and hopes to come home soon.

Personal

Derral White is improved and is now home from the hospital.

Curtis Alford had surgery at West Texas Hospital in Abilene last

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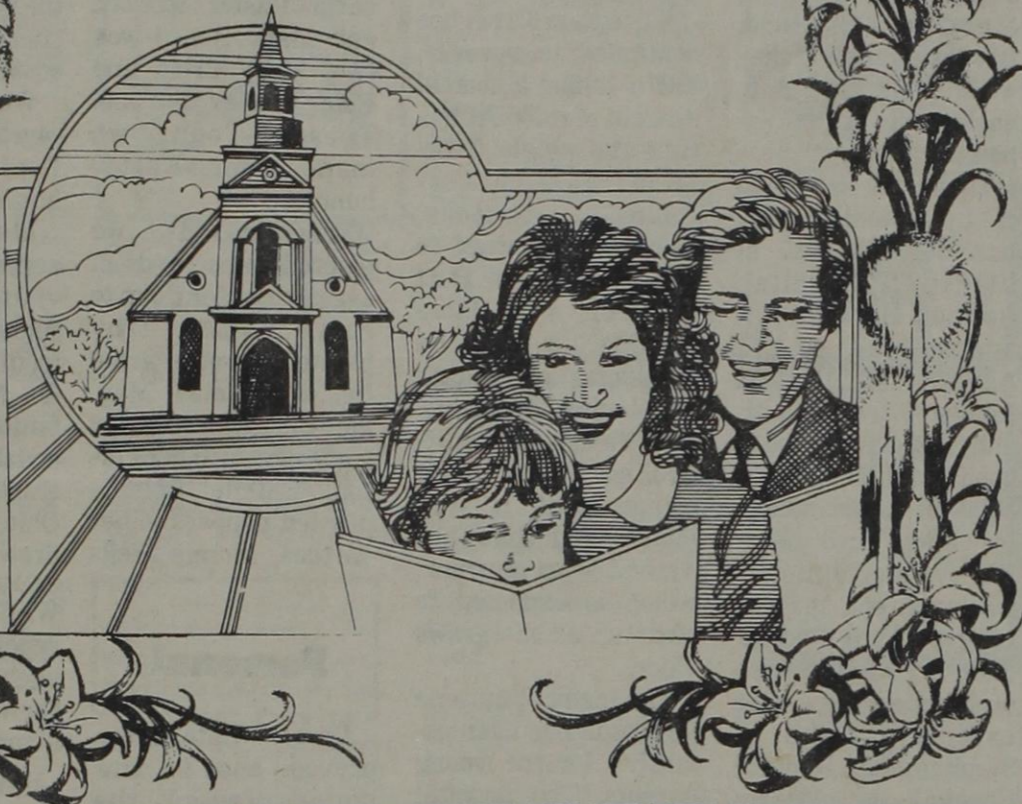
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Commentary

by Myrtle Owen

EVERYONE HAS SOMETHING TO GIVE—Ye shall take my offering...gold, and silver and brass...and fine linen, and goat's hair. (Exodus 25:2-4). God asked the children of Israel to bring gifts to be used in building the tabernacle, ranging in value from gold to goat's hair. Each gave as he was able. There was none so poor but that he could offer something—even goat's hair. God fixed it so that each one could give. The giver needed to give more than God needed to receive, for only what we give can be multiplied back to meet our needs. If we gave God nothing and He multiplied it, it would still be nothing. Your "goats' hair" may be a few pennies, or it may be an act of kindness, prayer, time, patience...anything that represents you. But each of us can give something! New Testament living; Of the first fruits, ye shall offer them unto the Lord. (Leviticus 2:12). Most Christians know the Bible has an Old Testament and a New Testament. But many are not aware that there is a vast difference in Old Testament and New Testament living. In the Old Testament you received first, then you gave. To teach God's ownership, God did things for people and after they received they were to give back to Him. It was a debt. You owed it. You owed God your time---the sabbath; you owed God your money---the tithe. Everything was something you owed to God. But the debt was insurmountable; man could not pay it. God sent HIS Son to pay the

debt. He gave Jesus. When Jesus went to the cross and paid our debt by giving himself. He opened up a whole new dimension of love and giving. It makes all the difference! We can no longer give to God to pay a debt because Christ has already paid it. You come out of the Old Testament with its heavy requirements into the joy of New Testament living. You give not as a debt you owe, but as a seed you sow! Malachi 3:10, Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it. Your giving is a seed you sow first to meet the needs of others, which God then multiplies back in a miracle-harvest to meet your own personal needs. (See 1 Kings 17:8-16, for an illustration of this principle concerning a woman and her needs being met.)

Baptist W M U

Ladies of First Baptist Church met Monday morning for an interesting study of current events led by Jean New. All ladies participate in the program by giving brief summaries of active missionaries serving in the United States. Dorris Harrell presided during the business session. The ladies voted not to meet next Monday. The missionary calendar was given by Doris Griffin. Prayer was offered by Marie Hardin.

letters to the editor ...

I feel sure I speak for everyone who has or ever have had a loved one in the Rising Star Nursing Center.

One of the loveliest things done for the residents is the monthly birthday party.

The beautiful cakes rival any seen at a fair and many hours of work go into this each month. So let me take this opportunity to thank each lady who participates in this.

Connie Hightower

United Methodist Women

The United Methodist Women met March 28th in the Blue Room with seven present. Mrs. Winnie Armstrong presided. Mrs. Yvonne Williams gave the invocation. A thank you card was read from Stacey Wilkerson for the love gift before she went to the hospital. Each one took part in the study

of Hebrews with discussion on-A Pioneer Worth Following, God Has Spoken in Many Ways-Hebrews 1:1-4. Jesus is Superior to the Angels-Dangers of Drifting Away-Hebrews 2:5-8. The meeting closed with singing "The Old Rugged Cross", and prayer in unison.

May Methodist Women

May Ada Prentice Unit of the United Methodist Women met Monday at 2:00 p.m. at May Methodist Church. The meeting opened with group singing, "Love Divine" and "Mansion Over The Hill Top". Mrs. Clyde Allen was at the piano, Rose Lee Glenn leading. Mrs. Grace Glenn called the meeting to order. Mrs. Ben Branum gave the devotional, using the theme, "The Resurrec-

tion", reading scripture from John 4th chapter and voice the opening prayer. Members gave parts of the lesson "Outside the Gate", followed by comments and discussion. Eleven members were present. Meeting closed with members joining hands and singing "Lord Jesus Come Into My Heart". Refreshments of coffee and cake were served by Ann Lewis.

Obituaries

Doral Bible

Doral Eugene Bible, 45, of Copperas Cove, a retired soldier, died at 9:40 p.m. Sunday at Darnell Army Hospital at Fort Hood. Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel. Burial with military graveside rites were held at Long Branch Cemetery.

Born Jan. 23, 1933, in Long Branch, an

Eastland County community, he retired from the Army in 1961. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his father, Ernast of Cisco; six brothers, Donald of Copperas Cove, Bobby of Dallas, Ricky of Eastland, Larry of San Angelo, Mark of Cisco and Jimmy of Sugarland; and three sisters, Sandra Harwell of Terrell, Audie Vass of Eastland and Sherry Purdum of Carbon.

Quilting Workshop Is April 2

A special program on "Seminole Patchwork Quilting" will be presented by the owners of the Prairie Star Quilt Shop in Abilene. This outstanding program is being sponsored by the Eastland County Extension Homemaker's Club. The public is invited.

The program is scheduled for Thursday, April 21 from 2-3:30 p.m. at the Eastland Senior Citizen's Center. The center is located on Eastland Park Hill.

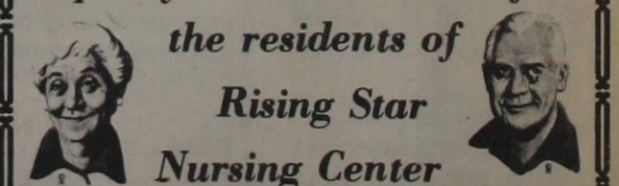
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includes: Quilts in Women's Lives, Designer Quilted Fashions, and Seminole Patchwork quilting demonstration.

If you would like a kit which includes fabric, etc. for a Seminole patchwork example, please pre-register by April 7 to let us know. You can pre-register by calling the Extension Service office at 629-2222. The kits will cost \$2.00.

If you do not want a kit then there is no charge for attending the program.

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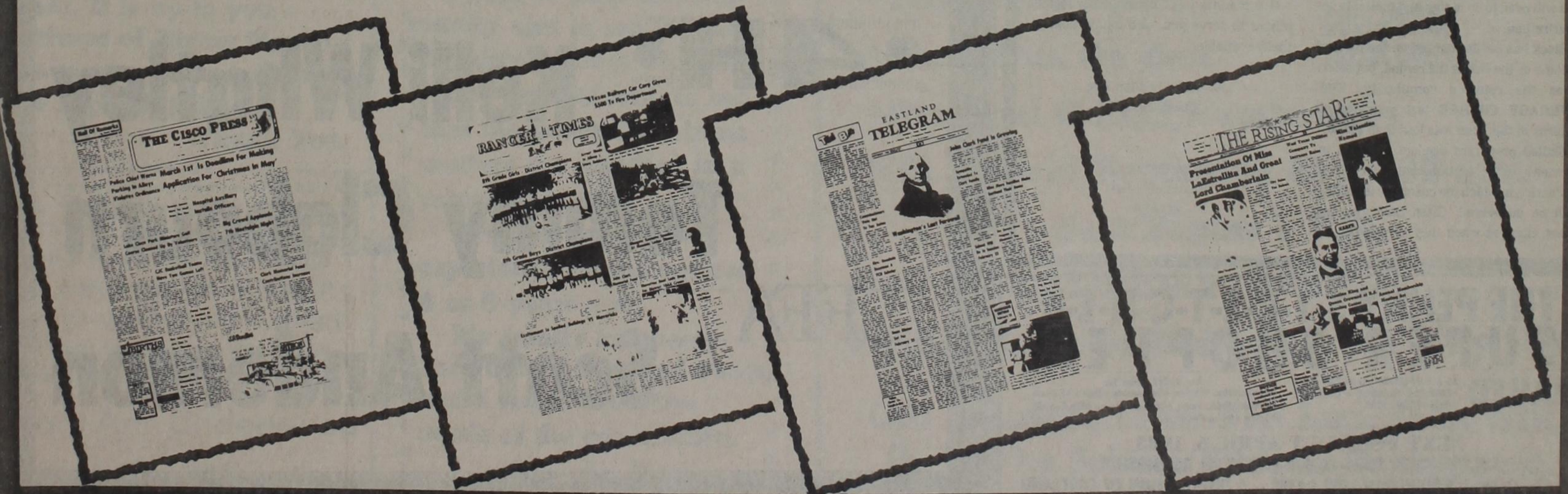
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Eastland County Livestock Show Sale Sets Record

The 1983 Eastland County Junior Livestock Show came to a close on a high note Saturday night when total sales went for \$100,218.79, the highest in the show's history.

Jim Moylan of Eastland took the top honors in the show by showing the Grand Champion Steer, a 1,315 pound Limousin.

Moylan, a member of Eastland 4-H, showed the grand champion steer last year at the show with a different steer.

The Reserve Champion Steer was shown by Michael Cunningham of Ranger while the Showmanship Award went to Charla Little of Gorman.

Complete results of the show are as follows:

HEIFERS Hereford

6-11 mos. - 1. Tracy Jones, Eastland FFA; 2. Karl Joiner, Eastland FFA

12-17 mos. - 1. and champion, Kevin Wright, Eastland FFA; 2. Kevin Wright; 3. Kathy Linney, Rising Star FFA

18 mos.-2 yrs. - 1. and reserve champion, Kevin Wright

2 yrs.-over - 1. Jeff Thackerson, Ranger FFA

ANGUS

12-17 mos. - 1. Shirley Kidd, Eastland 4-H; 2. John Kidd, Eastland 4-H; 3. Justin Heyser, Cisco 4-H

18-24 mos. - 1. Shirley Kidd; 2. Wade Shackelford, Cisco 4-H

2 yrs.-over - 1. John Kidd; 2. Steve Gordon, Eastland FFA

OTHER BREEDS

6-11 mos. - 1. Toby Long, Rising Star 4-H; 2. Shane Lee, Rising Star 4-H; 3. Stephanie Long, Rising Star 4-H

12-17 mos. - 1. and reserve champion, Stephanie Long; 2. Jim Moylan, Eastland FFA

18-23 mos. - 1. and champion, Toby Long; 2. April Moylan, Eastland 4-H; 3. Lee DeLong, Rising Star 4-H
Grand Champion Heifer - Toby Long, Rising Star 4-H
Reserve Champion Heifer - Shirley Kidd, Eastland 4-H

SUPPLIES

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STEERS

Light - 1. Jim Moylan, Eastland 4-H; 2. Zack Wilcox, Gorman FFA; 3. Jeff Thackerson, Ranger FFA

Heavy - 1. Jim Moylan; 2. Michael Cunningham, Ranger FFA; 3. April Moylan, Eastland 4-H

Grand Champion Steer - Jim Moylan, Eastland 4-H
Reserve Champion Steer - Michael Cunningham, Ranger FFA
Showmanship - Charla Little, Gorman 4-H

RABBITS Colored Bucks

1. Mike Nash, 2. Jami Hutton, 3. David Edwards, 4. Tabitha Hutton, 5. Wendy Green, 6. Teka McGlothlin, 7. Amy West.

WHITE BUCKS

1. Jonna Rodgers, Carbon; 2. Derrick White, 3. Stacy Green, 4. Mike Nash, 5. Terri Davis, 6. Terri Davis, 7. Mike McCormick, 8. Lenny Morrow, 9. Lenny Morrow.

COLORED DOES

1. Kelli Whatley, Cisco; 2. Kelli Whatley, 3. Mike Gryder, 4. Terri Davis, 5. Ricky Spur, 6. Zack West, 7. Christina Betancant, 8. Amy West.

WHITE DOES

1. Jonna Rodgers, Carbon; 2. Jason Green, 3. Shane Caraway, 4. Terri Davis, 5. Jerrell Pennell, 6. Shane Lee, 7. Jerry Gibbs.

BEST OF SHOW - Jonna Rodgers, Carbon, White Doe.

BEST OPPOSITE OF SHOW - Jonna Rodgers, Carbon, White Buck.

MARKET BROILERS

1. Sam Scott, Rising Star; 2. Noble Laminack, Gorman; 3. Noble Laminack, Gorman; 4. Randall Gibbs, Gorman; 5. Joe Nash, Ranger; 6. Allan Little, Gorman; 7. Wayne Warren, Gorman; 8. Michael Rogers, Ranger; 9. Brian Bailey, Rising Star; 10. Charla Little, Gorman.

GOATS

Two-tooth and under Does - 1. Jackie Harris, Rising Star 4-H; 2. Angie Boyd, Cisco 4-H

Four-tooth and over Does - 1. Jackie Harris; 2. Shelly

Agnew, Cisco FFA; 3. Angie Boyd.

Four-tooth and over Bucks - 1. Shelly Agnew; 2. Jackie Harris

Grand Champion - Jackie Harris, Rising Star 4-H
Reserve Champion - Jackie Harris

BREEDING SHEEP Finewool

Lambs - 1. Lee DeLong, Rising Star 4-H; 2. Kelli Whatley, Cisco FFA; 3. Karmen Hall, Rising Star 4-H

Two-tooth and under ewes - 1. Jerry Long, Rising Star 4-H; 2. Jay Hall, Rising Star 4-H; 3. Jamie Long, Rising Star 4-H

Four-tooth and over ewes - 1. Amy McDonald, Ranger FFA; 2. Kelli Whatley; 3. Shannon Caraway, Gorman FFA

Four-tooth and over rams - 1. Shannon Caraway

Grand Champion Finewool - Jerry Long, Rising Star 4-H
Reserve Champion Finewool - Lee DeLong, Rising Star 4-H

MEDIUM WOOL

Lambs - 1. and 2. Tommy Claborn, Cisco FFA; 3. Diane Butler, Eastland 4-H

Two-tooth and under ewes - 1. Tommy Claborn; 2. Scott Anderson, Cisco FFA; 3. Scott Anderson

Four-tooth and over ewes - 1. Tommy Claborn; 2. Shane Burgess, Gorman 4-H; 3. Jamie Long, Rising Star 4-H

Grand Champion - Tommy Claborn, Cisco FFA

Reserve Champion - Tommy Claborn

Ram lambs - 1. Tommy Claborn; 2. Darla Cagle, Eastland 4-H; 3. Cliff Spruill, Carbon FFA

Two-tooth and under rams - 1. Tommy Claborn

Four-tooth and over rams - 1. Shane Burgess; 2. Scott Anderson; 3. Scott Anderson

Grand Champion - Tommy Claborn

Reserve Champion - Shane Burgess

SOUTHDOWN

Ewe lambs - 1. Kelli Whatley, Cisco FFA; 2. Jerry Long, Rising Star 4-H; 3. Scott Anderson, Cisco FFA

Four-tooth and over ewes - 1. Kelli Whatley, 2. LaTonya

Caraway, Gorman 4-H; 3. LaTonya Caraway

Champion - Kelli Whatley, Cisco FFA

Reserve Champion - Kelli Whatley

Ram Lambs - 1. Scott Anderson, Cisco FFA
Four-tooth and over rams - 1. Jerry Long, Rising Star 4-H; 2. Rebecca Scitern, Gorman 4-H; 3. Stephen Scitern, Gorman 4-H

Champion - Scott Anderson, Cisco FFA
Reserve Champion - Jerry Long, Rising Star 4-H
Breeding Sheep Showmanship - Tommy Claborn, Cisco FFA

MARKET LAMBS Finewool

Light - 1. Layne Morrow, Gorman 4-H; 2. Bert Seabourn, Eastland FFA; 3. LaTonya Caraway, Gorman 4-H

Medium - 1. and champion, Lee Lewis, Eastland FFA; 2. Belinda Flanary, Cisco FFA; 3. Cliff Spruill, Carbon FFA

Heavy - 1. and reserve champion, Jonna Rodgers, Carbon 4-H; 2. Lynn Stewart, Ranger FFA; 3. Howard Lawrence, Rising Star 4-H

CROSSBREDS

Light - 1. Steve Hill, Rising Star 4-H; 2. Shannon Bond, Carbon 4-H; 3. Layne Mor-

row, Gorman 4-H

Medium - 1. and reserve champion, Josh Stewart, Ranger 4-H; 2. Jackie Harris, Rising Star 4-H; 3. Stacey Slampa, Gorman 4-H

Heavy - 1. and champion, Nikki Warren, Gorman 4-H; 2. Kelli Whatley, Cisco FFA; 3. Charla Little, Gorman 4-H

MEDIUM WOOL

Light - 1. Rebecca Scitern, Gorman 4-H; 2. Randall Lewis, Rising Star FFA; 3. Sue Ann Osborn, Gorman 4-H

Light Medium - 1. Toby Long, Rising Star 4-H; 2. Lance Morrow, Gorman 4-H; 3. Shane Burgess, Gorman 4-H

Medium - 1. and champion, Nikki Warren, Gorman 4-H; 2. Kelli Whatley, Cisco FFA; 3. Noble Laminack, Gorman FFA

Light Heavy - 1. Robert Gorr, Cisco FFA; 2. Johnny Rodgers, Ranger FFA; 3. Tommy Claborn, Cisco FFA

Heavy - 1. and champion, Brenda Eddleman, Ranger FFA; 2. Craig Koch, Ranger FFA; 3. Diane Butler, Eastland 4-H

SOUTHDOWN

1. and champion, Stephanie Koch, Ranger 4-H; 2. and reserve champion, Allen Scitern, Gorman FFA; 3. Jerry Long, Rising Star 4-H

Grand Champion Market

Lamb - Stephanie Koch, Ranger 4-H

Reserve Champion Market Lamb - LaTonya Caraway, Gorman 4-H
Showmanship - Nikki Warren, Gorman 4-H

JUNIOR DAIRY CATTLE

Heifer Calves 6-11 mos. - 1. Stacy Slampa, Gorman 4-H; 2. Fredia Burns, Gorman FFA

Helpers over one year prior to calving - 1. Eric Farmer, Eastland 4-H

Cows Two Years-Three Years

1. Jim Bob Cozart, Cisco FFA; 2. Amy Farmer, Eastland 4-H

Grand Champion Stacy Slampa, Gorman 4-H; Reserve champion Jim Bob Cozart, Cisco FFA

Showmanship Award Jim Bob Cozart, Cisco FFA

MARKET SWINE Red

Light - 1. Rusty Owen, Rising Star FFA; 2. Layne Morrow, Gorman 4-H; 3. Lance Morrow, Gorman 4-H

Medium - 1. and reserve champion Rebecca Owen, Rising Star FFA; 2. Jon Carter, Eastland FFA; 3. Josh Stewart, Ranger FFA

Heavy - 1. and champion, Wayne Warren, Gorman FFA; 2. Noble Laminack, Gorman FFA; 3. Toby Long, Rising Star 4-H

Grand Champion Market

Black

Light - 1. Allen Scitern, Gorman 4-H; 2. Allen Hunter, Eastland FFA; 3. Tony Wells, Ranger FFA

Medium - 1. Tammy Lyerla, Eastland 4-H; 2. Chad Pickens, Carbon 4-H; 3. Tony Wells, Ranger FFA

Heavy - 1. and champion, Randal Gibbs, Gorman 4-H; 2. and reserve champion, Jerry Brown, Ranger FFA; 3. Becky Bishop, Ranger 4-H

White

Light - 1. and champion, John Woodall, Gorman FFA; 2. and reserve champion, Josh Potter, Cisco FFA; 3. Rhett Harrison, Gorman FFA

Medium - 1. Leslie Bryant, Gorman FFA; 2. Frankie Seabourn, Cisco FFA; 3. Juan Paschill, Gorman FFA

Heavy - 1. David Seabourn, Cisco FFA; 2. DeeDee Lewis, Rising Star FFA; 3. Judd Hess, Eastland FFA

Grand Champion Market Swine - Randal Gibbs, Gorman 4-H

Reserve Grand Champion Market Swine - Jerry Brown, Ranger FFA

BREEDING SWINE Duroc

Class 1 - 1. La Tonya Caraway, Gorman 4-H; 2. Kevin Hurst, Gorman 4-H

Class 2 - 1. and champion, Noble Laminack, Gorman

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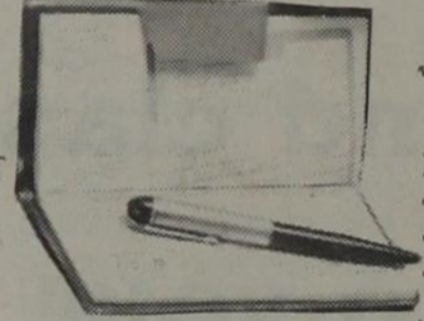
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Charlie Benson

John G. Lee Is In Council Race

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down.
If you want Rising Star to go forward and to have a town we can all be proud of, consider each candidate carefully before you vote on April 2.

John G. Lee
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CAPITOL UPDATE

by Jim Parker



Raise Drinking Age

Perhaps the least controversial, yet most trying philosophically, of the issues of the alcohol abuse legislation, is the proposal to raise the drinking age for the State's young people from age 19 to 21. Those supporting this legislation point out the statistically provable fact that raising the drinking age would greatly reduce the number of traffic accidents and resultant fatalities. One problem with this, while absolutely correct in reasoning and theory, is that the vast majority of DWI offenders and those involved in traffic accidents are between the ages of 25 to 34. Statistically speaking, there is no question that banning this age group from the right to purchase alcohol would have a much more profound effect than banning 18 to 21-year olds from such purchases.

Proponents cite, and it is true, the fact that, nationwide support for raising the legal drinking age to 21 ranges all the way from 83% of the over age 50 group in favor to an astonishing 58% of persons aged 18-20. Maybe the majority of persons want to be regulated in what they can and cannot purchase.

The philosophical difficulty arises in creating a group who would have almost all of the rights of an adult, but not quite all. They can get married, contract to buy property, be drafted, be sued, vote, and be subjected to the full range of adult criminal penalties. If we are just going to go on statistics, and if we believe in the sanctity of

Seriously, we have to determine to what extent we want to carry legislation before it becomes ridiculous. The thinking opponents of this legislation rightfully point out that age is not the problem—alcohol is; since the incidence of alcohol abuse and traffic accidents is virtually nonexistent among females aged 18-24, should we punish them along with the males?

I, personally, have no difficulty in supporting legislation that would increase the legal drinking age in spite of the fact that I will undoubtedly have "in-house opposition" from my two sons: Shane, 20, and Kent, 18. I cannot honestly tell you that I think

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the impact would be significant, although I hope it would be. Maybe the fault

lies not with youth, because if we survive as a species, there will always be youth; and not with alcohol, because, again, if we survive as a species, there will always be temptation and danger. Perhaps the fault lies with us, as parents and

people, for failing to teach by example, or otherwise, the proper respect for what can, if abused, be as dangerous and mind-altering a drug as man has ever conceived and concocted since Noah allowed his grapes to spoil. See you next week.

Letter To The Editor

Voting is your privilege. I want to encourage each and every person in Rising Star to vote election day, Saturday, April 2nd.

Our city needs many things. The main thing we need is harmony in the city government.

Vote for the persons of your choice but be sure God is guiding your heart and your hand.

Collette Wells
Rising Star, Texas

As a candidate for Mayor of Rising Star, I am having many inquiries about a rumor concerning the hiring of Curtis McGlothlin for police chief. I want you to understand that I have NOT made any promise or proposal to this effect if I am elected.

Please read carefully my statement. My only promise is to be honest, truthful and account our city's income and outgo. I will, also, spend time in the office at city hall working for you, the citizens of Rising Star, and our city. While there, I promise to be willing to listen to you for your ideas about city improvement and progress.

Be sure to vote Saturday, April 2.
Doris Griffin

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SAMPLE BALLOT



I, Rudy Sayas Jr., am a candidate for City Council Place 2. I'm for a good, Honest City Government. It is up to you Citizens of Rising Star to have one. Your vote will be appreciated.

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People learn by a variety of methods. Book learning is one, but not the only one. It is the interchange of ideas and facts among people, teacher to pupil, pupil to teacher, that makes learning a living process. People learn by opening themselves to the world around them, by allowing their senses to interpret their surroundings, by leaving their eyes open, metaphorically speaking, to the world that nature and art and creation have to offer.

Learning is not a matter of rote memorization. It is a process of discovery, of exploring the world as it is, of seeking out the truth, of finding the meaning of things. There is nothing so small as a not worth learning, nothing so large as a not worth knowing.

A student writes . . . and is answered with scholarships

LOS ANGELES — Patrick Cole was a California high school senior who had a very good record. He wanted to go to college, but he had no money. He wrote a letter to the Student Assistance Council, asking for help. He said he was a good student and he wanted to go to college. He asked for \$10,000 a year for four years.

The Student Assistance Council answered his letter. They said they would give him \$10,000 a year for four years. They said they would also give him a computer. They said they would also give him a car. They said they would also give him a house.

Patrick Cole was very happy. He said he would go to college. He said he would study computer science. He said he would work for the Student Assistance Council. He said he would be a very good student.

Perfect picture

Capturing the spirit of summer in photographs can be as easy as thinking in the sun. When you follow a few simple tips on picture taking, you can get the most out of your camera. No matter how ideal the lighting and other conditions, ultimately the quality of your pictures depends on the way you handle your camera.

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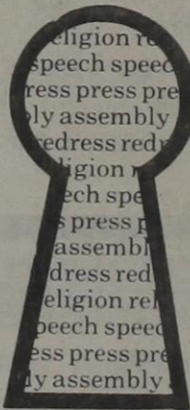


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The Oil Belt News

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1983

Pecos County Leads In Texas Production

Pecos County was the leading crude oil producer among Texas' 254 counties in 1982 with total output of 50,472,279 barrels, according to preliminary figures tabulated by the Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division for last year's hydrocarbon production.

The West Texas county edged Yoakum County which recorded crude production of 48,442,386 barrels last year. Gaines County was

the oil leader in 1981 with 53,257,653 barrels.

Preliminary figures indicate Texas fields produced 871,780,379 barrels of crude oil in 1982, down from 897,573,416 barrels the previous year.

Eastland County reported 2,463,028 barrels of crude oil for 1982 with 9,229,865 MCF casinghead; 8,737,664 MCF gas; and 24,141 barrels of condensate.

Other leading oil-

producing counties by 1982 production were: Gaines, 47,520,145 barrels; Ector, 45,899,359; Gregg, 39,131,736; Hockley, 39,115,115; Andrews, 39,042,016; Scurry, 31,731,929; Crane, 26,803,532; and Refugio, 23,483,771.

Pecos County was also the leading gas producer in 1982 with 299,582,487 MCF (thousand cubic feet), down from 402,237,131 MCF the previous year when it also led the state. The total in-

cludes both gas well gas and casinghead gas.

Other leading gas producers last year, in volumetric order, include Kleberg County, 209,724,016 MCF; Crane 174,282,695 MCF; Hemphill 150,345,391 MCF; Ward 140,991,958 MCF; Waller, 140,312,957 MCF; Winkler, 138,409,063 MCF; Panola, 133,211,735 MCF; Moore, 124,417,956 MCF; and Brazoria, 116,298,314 MCF.

Texas produced

6,113,850,504 MCF of gas in 1982, compared to 6,733,042,031 MCF a year earlier. Of the 1982 total, 4,721,572,710 MCF gas well gas and 1,392,277,794 MCF was casinghead gas. Casinghead gas is gas produced with oil from an oil well.

Live Oak County lead the state last year in condensate production with a total of 1,659,362 barrels up from the 1,576,827 barrels produced in Hidalgo County in 1981 which led the state that year. Second place went to Jefferson County with 1,494,321 barrels.

Other leaders in 1982 condensate production included San Patricio County, 1,141,346 barrels; Hidalgo, 1,101,666; Matagorda, 1,083,410; Nueces, 1,019,088; Burleson, 1,009,821; Panola, 1,009,336; Hemphill, 881,092; Lee, 816,198; and Webb, 763,206.

Texas produced 30,129,964 barrels of condensate last year, down from 31,566,529 barrels in 1981.

Crane County produced 127,600,002 MCF of casinghead gas in 1982 to lead in that category of hydrocarbons output. Crane also led the state in 1981 with 128,566,529 MCF.

Other leading casinghead gas producers in 1982 included Burleson County, 68,024,368 MCF; Scurry, 53,087,947 MCF; Refugio 50,934,814 MCF; Ector, 46,550,101 MCF; Winkler, 39,334,794 MCF; Gaines 34,232,531 MCF; Carson, 33,401,897 MCF; Chambers, 32,337,363 MCF; and Lee, 31,235,224 MCF.

Texas produced 1,392,277,794 MCF of casinghead gas in 1982, up from 1,356,878,719 MCF a year earlier.

In the gas well gas category, Pecos led all counties with 274,741,143 MCF.

Other leading producers in the category were Kleberg 202,712,617 MCF; Hemphill 140,361,712 MCF; Waller, 139,264,619 MCF; Panola, 130,800,053 MCF; Ward, 122,242,679 MCF; Moore, 117,477,283 MCF; Webb, 106,351,146 MCF; Nueces,

106,296,737 MCF; and Brazoria, 105,101,882 MCF.

Texas produced 4,721,572,710 MCF of gas well gas in 1982, down from 5,376,163,312 MCF in 1981.

Of the state's 254 counties, 218 had reported production of oil or gas or both in 1982.

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AUSTIN—Railroad Commission Chairman Mack Wallace has announced that 60 refineries in Texas processed 126,920,123 barrels of crude oil and hydrocarbon blends during November 1982. Through the first 11 months of 1982, Texas refineries ran 1,406,333,594 barrels.

November's volume compares with 120,270,632 barrels in the same month a year ago, the Commission's Oil and Gas Division reported in its monthly recapitulation of Texas refinery operations. Inputs of crude oil and blends totaled 133,804,257 barrels in October 1982.

Texas refineries ran 98,374,913 barrels of crude oil in Novmeber compared to 91,664,681 barrels in November 1981 and 103,734,681 barrels in October 1982.

Products manufactured in November totaled 128,900,682 barrels, up from 121,160,478 barrels in November 1981 and 103,734,681 barrels in October 1982.

Products manufactured in November totaled

128,900,682 barrels, up from 121,160,478 barrels in the same month the previous year, and down from the 134,969,944 barrels in October 1982.

November 1982 manufacture of motor gasoline totaled 54,119,484 barrels, compared to 52,948,950 barrels in the year-earlier month and 55,012,683 barrels in October of 1982.

Texas refineries manufactured 12,451,253 barrels of home heating oil in November 1982—an increase of 3,853,368 barrels from the year-earlier volume. October 1982 output was 13,776,135 barrels.

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Rained Out Track Meet Is Set for April 15

Coach Jack Gray announced that the track meet which was canceled here March 25 will be held on Friday, April 15, rather than on the April 2 date given to the teams which had planned to participate in the meet.

Track teams which have not attended eight meets before April 15 will be able to bring a full girls' team to the meet, Gray

stated. The girls' district meet will be held in Rising Star on Friday, April 8, the boys' district meet will be held here on Friday, April 22, and the junior high district meet will be held here on Saturday, April 16.

The rescheduled meet will begin at 2:30 p.m. April 15 and Gray expects a large number of schools to participate.

Car Wash/Bake Sale Planned by Seniors

The Senior Class is sponsoring a car wash/bake sale Saturday April 2, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The car wash will be held at Kenton's Exxon. The prices to have your vehicle washed inside and out are:

cars-\$5, Trucks-\$7 and Vans-\$9.

The bake sale will be in front of Family Food Store from 9 a.m. while supplies last.

The Senior Class appreciates the continued support of the community.

May FFA Sends Winning Teams to Judging Contest

Tarleton State University Judging Contest was held last week and the May FFA Chapter placed 3rd in Livestock Judging out of over 250 teams from all areas of the state.

Darrin Chambers was 3rd Individual out

of over 450 participants.

Also, the May FFA Chapter Dairy placed 2nd out over 200 teams.

Clif Matthews was 1st high individual in the Dairy Contest, scoring 322 out of a possible 350 points.



Pictured above are: (L to R) Clif Matthews, Lonnie Robertson, Bryan Thompson, and standing, Bo Allen-Vo, Ag. Teacher.



Pictured above are: (L to R) Glenn Pittman, Shane Crafton, Darrin Chambers, and standing, Bo Allen-Vo, Ag. Teacher.

Winner of Gasoline Announced

The winner of the twenty gallons of gasoline was Pat Rios, an employee in the school cafeteria. The winning ticket was sold

by Mike Kyle.

The Senior Class thanks everyone for supporting us in this fund-raising project.

The Class of '83

Bond Wins Area Spelling Bee

Shannon Bond, 7th Grade student of Carbon School, is again the area winner of the Ft. Worth Star Telegram Words Of Champion National Spelling Bee. Shannon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bond, Rt. 3, Gorman, Texas.

The area competition was held Feb. 24 in the Carbon High School auditorium. Other contestants from Carbon were: Kenny Norris, a 6th grader, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenn Norris of Carbon, Brian Bond, a 5th grader, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bond, and Kenny Halford, a 5th grader, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Halford, Carbon.

Last year Shannon was the area winner, and competed in Ft. Worth. He placed 10th in the competition there.

The Judges at Carbon were Mr. Fred Tucker, Mrs. Eunice Gregory, and Miss Jo Ann Tubbs. The an-



SHANNON BOND
nouncer was Mrs. Maria Scholer.

Mr. Jim Gambrell, Director of Educational Services for the Ft. Worth Star Telegram, was in Carbon for the Spelling Bee. Mrs. Jenoise Allison acted as the Spelling Bee Coordinator.

Shannon Bond is now eligible to compete in the 1983 Star-Telegram Championship Bee, and attend the Awards Luncheon at the Ft. Worth Hilton Hotel. These events are scheduled for April 5.

The winner at Ft. Worth will be eligible to compete in the National Spelling Bee,

Sophomores Say "Thanks for the Help"

The Rising Star High School Sophomore class held their pancake supper Saturday, March 26th. A total of 36 people who showed up to partake of the all-you-could-eat feast. The class would like to express their appreciation to those who did show up and also to the class parents who attended/or helped with

the supper.

The drawing for the quilt make by Karen Wilson was held at 8:45. Mrs. O. L. (Ollie) Burns was the winner. DeLana Vandiver sold the winning ticket.

A big thank you to the First Baptist Church for allowing us to use their activity center.

May ISD Board

The May ISD Board of Trustees met March 10, 1983, at 7:00 p.m. in the high school library. Members present were Clayton Chambers, Shorty Kilgo, Tommy Petross, Jo Anne Windham with Wayne Pittman presiding and Eddie Hardy recording the minutes.

Also attending were Supt. Don Rhodes and Principals Grayum Hart and Ronnie Watkins. Items acted on during the meeting were as follows: Approval of the resignation of Everett Yeilding as sixth grade teacher as he is retiring; renewal of all

classroom teachers that are presently employed; approval of the textbook committees selections; approval of 1983-84 school year calendar; approval of all local, salary and salary deduction vouchers; approval of Liz Hardy and Magdalene Driskill as election clerks; and approval of a motion to sell by bids the present lighting and wiring on the football stadium. A motion to adjourn carried. The next meeting is tentatively scheduled for April 14, 1983, at 7:00 p.m. in the Home Economics Building.

school lunch menu

APRIL 4-8 MONDAY Easter Break	Pimento Cheese Lettuce Tomatoe Onion Pickles Chips Candy
TUESDAY Hamburger Lettuce Tomatoes Pickles Onion Potato Rounds Peach Cobbler	BREAKFAST MONDAY Easter Break TUESDAY
WEDNESDAY Bar-B-Q Chicken	Pancakes Syrup Juice-Milk
Rice Green Beans Salad Rolls Applesauce	WEDNESDAY Cereal Juice-Milk THURSDAY
THURSDAY Beans Cabbage Com. Salad Cornbread Choc. Cake	THURSDAY Eggs-Sausage Toast Juice-Milk FRIDAY
FRIDAY Turkey Sandwich	FRIDAY Biscuit Gravy Juice-Milk

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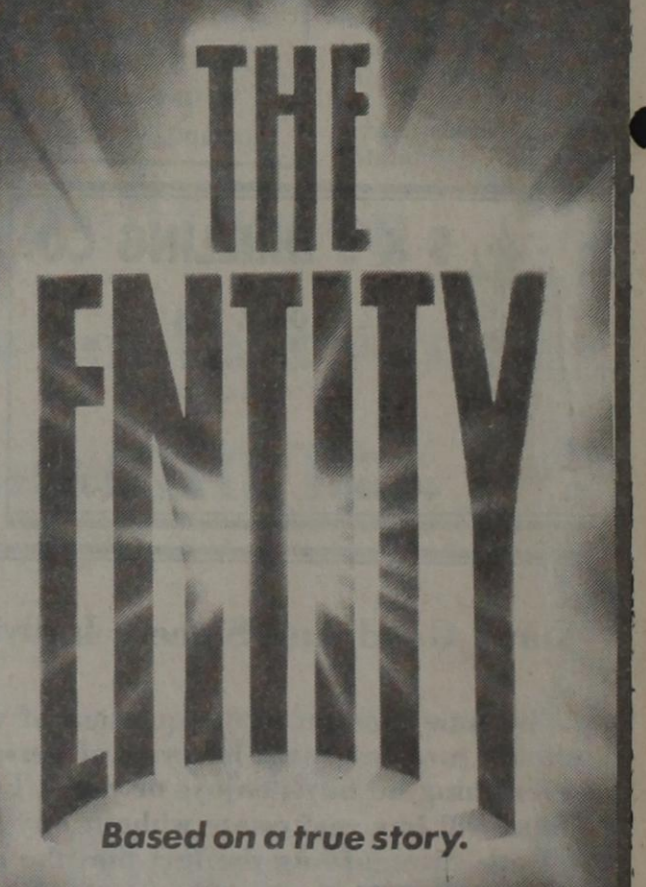
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Recipes Worth Collecting

This week's recipe was submitted by Era Witt. Era is our neighbor and has sent samples of her cooking, which Bob enjoys, he especially likes her jellies and preserves.

Era is 84 years young, she has lived in and around Rising Star most of her life. She is from a large family of 6 girls and 3 boys. Era is in good health and continues to be interested in all that is going on about her. She still enjoys working in her yard, has just recently had a new peach tree planted. A unique thing I learned about her, she still has

all her teeth and has never had a cavity.

I enjoy visiting with her because she always seems happy; a visit with her inspires and cheers me.

LaQuita
Era's Sunday Salad
 1 can eagle brand milk
 1 can frozen pink lemonade
 1 tall can crushed pineapple (drained)
 1 large carton cool whip
 1 cup coconut
 1/2 cup chopped pecans
 A few chopped maraschino cherries
 Pour lemonade in milk and stir, add other ingredients and mix, put in ice box until chilled.

Monday afternoon. Our sympathy goes to his family.

Mr. & Mrs. T. A. Weaver visited Mr. & Mrs. Rodney Shode in Comanche Monday, and also attended Chick Hutchins funeral.

Mrs. Jack Millwee and sister, Pat Leslie, of DeLeon visited their parents, Mr. & Mrs. Layne Cutter, at Baird Wednesday.

Mrs. Conova Weaver attended Mr. Guy Weavers grave side services at Stag Creek on Saturday.

May News

Entha Campbell

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Harms of Powderly spent 4 days with Mr. & Mrs. C.M. (Jr.) Michael several days ago.

Mike, Mark and Shannon of San Antonio visited with Mr. & Mrs. Jr. Michael during spring break. Last weekend Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Tubbs came to Mrs. Tubbs parents to take the children back to school.

Lea, daughter of

Rev. & Mrs. Paul Doerschuk, had an emergency appendectomy late last Friday night in the Brownwood Regional Hospital.

Continued work goes on at the Home Extension building, many people are helping in many ways. We plan to tell you more about it next week after we learn the facts.

Progress is going rapidly on the work at First Baptist Church.

Monahans, Mr. & Mrs. Leon Woods of Brownwood, Mrs. Summerford and Mrs. Murel Forbes of Rising Star.

The four girls surprised their mother with a birthday dinner. Her son was unable to come, due to the illness of his wife.

Personal

Mr. & Mrs. L. B. Forbes enjoyed guests in their home Sunday, Mr. & Mrs. Leon Thompson of Monahans, Mr. & Mrs. Leon Woods of Brownwood, Mrs. Summerford and Mrs. Murel Forbes of Rising Star.

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Gordon Spot

County Extension Agent

DeMarquis Gordon

THE GORDON SPOT

Keep your fingers crossed, but most of the fruit in Eastland County appears to be alright three days after a hard freeze.

According to Roland Bailey, Eastland Weather Bureau observer, the temperature dropped to 23 degrees early Monday morning and was below 28 degrees for several hours. On Tuesday morning the temperature dropped to 24 degrees, but for a shorter period of time.

Considering those fact I would conclude that there was no way the fruit crop, which was in the bloom stage, could survive. But, on Thursday morning the young fruit and the blossoms did not show much damage.

There were two factors that may have helped save the fruit. The wind was high both nights preventing a frost and the humidity was high. There is always less freeze damage when good moisture is available.

We can't be sure at this time that the fruit did survive. The cool, cloudy weather the past week may be preventing the freeze symptoms from appearing. If it had been warm and sunny following the freeze, the damage would appear very quickly. In a week or so we will know for sure about this year's crop.

Oak bud poisoning can be a serious spring problem in livestock, and this spring the

potential is especially great.

Drought, high summer temperatures, early frost and winter moisture have lead to a situation of little or no high quality range forage in certain areas of Texas. Oaks, particularly shin oaks, in these areas present a poisoning problem in late March and April.

Oakbuds when eaten by livestock, especially cattle, cause poisoning. Toxic substances of oaks are thought to be tannins. These are more toxic when oaks are budding and leafing. When more than 50 percent of the diet is oak, animals become sick. More than 75 percent diet of oak usually causes death.

Signs of poisoning are gaunt, tucked up

appearance; constipation, frequently followed by profuse diarrhea; weakness; tendency to remain near water; reluctance to follow the herd; emaciation; mucus in droppings; dark-colored urine; and collapse.

Move animals showing symptoms to an oak-free pasture and put them on adequate feed and water. Feeding a supplemental feed containing 10 percent calcium hydroxide may help reduce losses.

Prevention is a better cure. Control oak in a pasture and save the pasture as a reserve for the oak-bud season. Use moderate stocking and a deferred-rotation grazing program to improve range forage production.

Consult a veterinarian if you are unsure of the cause of livestock poisoning and losses.

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1983

SIPE SPRINGS NEWS

Grave side services was held at the Sipe Springs Cemetery Friday morning at 10 a.m. for Paul Morgan of Eastland. A number from here attended, we extend our sympathy to his relatives.

Mr. & Mrs. N. L. Leonard attended funeral services for Darrel (Chick) Hutchins in Comanche

1983 S & H Green Stamps Ideabook Is Available

Have you seen what you can get with Green Stamps today? The 87th printing of the S&H Green Stamps is now available at S&H accounts in your vicinity. Twelve million copies of the Ideabook, one of the most widely circulated merchandise catalogs in the United States, were printed. The Ideabook features many Texas manufactured items and is distributed by 14,000 retailers

throughout the United States who offer S&H Green Stamps.

The new book has many dramatic changes, contains over 1,200 items from which stamp savers can choose. "Everything from electronic calculators and name-brand designer accessories to 'Redeem-A-Dream' vacations are available", he said. This year again, offers of discounts on a variety of vacation packages to Walt Disney World's Magic Kingdom and Epcot Center as well as Windjammer Cruises.

New items that become popular after the Ideabook is published also will be added during the year to inventories of the redemption centers and catalog order stores operated by S&H.

"Adding items during the year allows flexibility in what we can offer and gives our stamp savers a great

variety of items from which to choose," said Gayland Robinson, area manager.

Last year nearly 100 million books of Green Stamps were redeemed for some of the merchandise that was manufactured by Texas companies. S&H, the oldest and largest trading stamp firm in the country, has for years been a major buyer of locally produced goods and since 1972 has purchased over 14 million dollars worth of Texas products.

Free copies of "Ideabook '83" are available at more than 14,000 S&H Green Stamp-giving merchants and over 500 redemption centers located throughout the country. A free copy of "Ideabook '83" can also be obtained by writing: "Ideabook '83", National Mail Order Center, The Sperry and Hutchinson Company, Inc., 5999 Butterfield Road, Hillside, Illinois 60162.

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Terry Geye
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- APRIL 5
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In Gorman, 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home, on 2 1/2 lots with separate garage and storage. \$30,000.

Just been remodeled on inside. A 2 bedroom, 1 bath, home within walking distance to town and doctors. \$23,500.

Just like new, this very nice 3 bed, 1 1/4 bath brick home. Located near all schools. Carpeted, built-ins, central heat and air. New loan or assume old one. \$59,900.

A large 2 bed, 1 bath home that is carpeted, paneled. Large double carport with storage and also garage. Reduced to \$22,000.00

Close in! A 3 bed, 2 bath older home that has been remodeled. Fully carpeted, ceiling fan, fenced back yard. \$29,500.

Located in Carbon! A 2 bedroom home on one acre. Just like living in the country and only \$16,000.

Magnificent can only begin to describe the den area in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Excellent location. 2400 sq. ft. of living area, and many other features. \$85,000.

This 2500 sq. ft. home has 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, living room, and den. This is a very neat and attractive place with a fenced yard, double carport and storage. Assumable loan. Reduced to \$42,000.00

On corner lot, a 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath home. Carpeted, beautiful fireplace in den. This home has 2000 sq. ft. and priced at only \$39,500.

A very attractive 2 bedroom, 1 bath home with formal dining room. Central heat and air, carpeted, some wallpaper. \$36,500.

New kitchen cabinets, in this 2 bedroom, 1 bath home. Carpeted, fireplace, dishwasher, stove. A nice place. \$32,500.

We have a very nice 4 bedroom, 3 bath brick home on 3 lots. This home has everything most anyone could ever want in a home. Call for details.

In Ranger, approximately \$1800 down, assumable 11 1/2% loan on this 2 bedroom, 1 bath carpeted home, with fruit and pecan trees. Only \$19,500 total price.

Want a new home? We have large lots available in exclusive area. City water, sewer, and paved streets. This area is restricted to brick homes only. Reasonably priced from \$4500 to \$4800.

A 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home, remodeled inside and out, convenient to Jr. and High School. \$28,500.

In Gorman, 3 bedroom, 1 bath frame home, completely remodeled, 1750 sq. ft., priced at only \$27,500.

A very nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath brick home, 2 car carport, built-ins and central heat and air. \$46,000.

A very nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick home with central heat and air. \$43,500.

A 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home with detached garage and storage, new insulation, wiring and plumbing. \$22,500.

4 lots, ideal for trailer house or to build on, \$4500 for two corner lots, \$6,000 for others.

On Cul-de-sac, 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home, beautiful lot with oak trees and many other extras. \$68,500.

Small Acreage With Homes

Located in RANGER! A 4 bedroom, 1 bath frame home on 5 acres. There is an old motel on this property that could be possibly restored. Home is in good condition with plenty of highway frontage. All this for only \$55,000.

30 acres near Cisco with I-20 frontage. A very versatile place—Would be a good location for a business or home. \$45,000.

A very nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath stone and brick home on 4.38 acres. Carpeted, central heat and air, fireplace, bookshelves, screened porch, and many other extras in this 2150 sq. ft. home. \$88,500.

A 3 bedroom, 1 bath home on 40 acres located near Gorman. Has a 24 x 40 building, plus barn and other sheds. The land is all cleared and has been in cultivation. \$50,000 and owner will carry the note.

3 acres is the added attraction to this 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home with swimming pool and many extras. Included also is an airplane hanger and runway to airport. All this for only \$139,000.

5.3 acres near Lake Leon with a year old 2 bed mobile home 14 x 70. Carpeted, central heat and air, house type windows, special siding. Storage building and city water. \$35,000.

18 acres near Eastland with I-20 frontage. In 6 acre tracts \$4500 per acre, 18 acre tract \$4000 per acre.

Located near Union Center, 2 bedroom, 1 bath home on approximately 38 acres. This house is a dream place in the country. \$70,000.

A 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, two story 3000 sq. ft. brick home only 3 years old situated on 10 acres, unique petrified wood fireplace, close to Eastland. \$105,000.

Farms & Ranches

Beautiful can only be used to describe this property. 70 acres on I-20 with lots of nice trees, four tanks, 1 spring fed and 1 extra large. Good fences, 1/4 minerals with leasing rights. Not leased, but does have two old oil wells on it. Also a camping cabin included. \$98,000. Make an offer.

74 acres located on highway. 2526 out of Carbon. 35 acres of cultivation and 1/4 minerals. \$53,500.

Near Lake Leon, a 20 acre tract of land. Some cultivation and good hunting area. \$30,000. Owner will finance.

62 acres near Union Center. Approximately 25 acres in cultivation. Good fences, 1/2 minerals. \$700 per acre.

320 acres located between Carbon and Gorman. Some cultivation but mostly wooded. Good fences and hunting, some minerals included. \$500 per acre. Owner financed at 9%.

5 acres near Eastland. I-20 frontage. \$5,000 per acre. Terms can be arranged.

Located South of Cisco, 50 acres with approximately 35 acres of pecan trees. Owner will consider terms. \$74,200.

248 acres located on old Abilene highway west of Cisco, mostly cleared with a few wooded acres, no cultivation, good fences, 1/2 minerals with leasing rights. \$530 per acre.

100 acres between Lake Leon and Desdemona, all in cultivation and costal, good 5 wire fence and cross fence, shallow water. \$800 per acre, owner finance at 9%.

640 acres approximately 17 miles northwest of Breckenridge, with 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame house, 175 acres cultivation with remainder in pasture, 45% minerals with leasing rights. \$583 per acre.

Texas Veterans with number, 4 approximately 25 acre tracts, cultivation and costal between Lake Leon and Desdemona, 5 wire fence, shallow water. \$900 per acre.

Cisco Homes

A 2 bedroom, 1 bath frame home, has large rooms and new carpet. \$24,500.

Large 4 bedroom frame home; carport and storage room; several clusters of beautiful live oak trees in back yard. \$29,500.

A 4 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath 2 story stone home on 2 big lots; privacy fence around swimming pool. Also has small efficiency rental unit. \$37,500.

Large 2 story with 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, den, separate dining and breakfast rooms, located on 2 big corner lots. Also has a nice, roomy apartment attached. Beautiful landscaped yard with lots of trees.

A nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath home on corner lot. Central air and heat, recently remodeled. Also has a garage and storage area. \$25,000.

A 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath brick home with central air and heat, carpeted, and double garage. Fenced back yard, with several fruit trees. Assumable loan with \$3,000 down.

This large 2 bedroom 2 bath frame home has separate dining and living rooms, spacious kitchen cabinets and a one bedroom apartment rental above double garage. \$28,000.

Commercial

In Cisco, a 100' x 50' building with office space and shop area of 4400 sq. ft. Owner will finance on this one with reasonable down payment and interest. \$75,000 for building or \$95,000 for everything as is, as a business.

In Eastland, a new metal building, 2400 sq. ft., with dock area. \$38,000.

In Ranger, a large 2 story brick building with good sized fenced yard. Located near railroad tracks, with spur. \$85,000.

Located near downtown! A two-story brick building, 4 lots and a house. All this for \$40,000. Will consider splitting.

2 acres on I-20 Olden Ramp East. Ideal location for a business. \$20,000.

Valuable I-20 property! Approximately 4,600 sq. ft. building very versatile, easy accessibility. 477,500.

In Cisco, a nice brick building with 5,000 sq. ft. in prime downtown location, near new bank. \$60,000.

For commercial use only. One to five acres with I-20 frontage.

For lease! 2 story brick building near downtown Eastland. \$250 per month.

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The Bansford Eubanks Observe 50th Anniversary



Bansford and Martha Eubank

Mr. and Mrs. Bansford Eubank observed their 50th wedding anniversary on Monday, March 28, 1983, at the Rising Star Nursing Center where Mrs. Eubank has been a resident since suffering a disabling stroke last summer.

Eubank, 85, and the former Martha Fenn, 84, were married in Peking, China, where he was a missionary and she was the head of the foreign language department at a mission university. The two had been acquainted for five years, having met in the United States when Eubank was a seminar student at Princeton. All through the years they have shared, in addition to their love for each other, a love of languages and literature.

Mrs. Eubank was born near Peking, the daughter of missionaries. Her father, C.H. Fenn, was a Presbyterian minister and a well known scholar; he wrote a Chinese-English dictionary which was in use for many years and her mother was a graduate of Vassar. During her childhood, Mrs. Eubank barely escaped death when Peking was under siege during the Boxer Rebellion.

The Eubanks were forced to leave China in 1937 when the Red Chinese regime took control of the country.

They returned to the United States and in 1961 they moved onto a 3,000 acre ranch south of Cross Cut across which Pecan Bayou meanders. Eubank's mother's family settled in Brown County in 1877 and his father came to the area from Georgetown in 1888. Eubank and other family members were born on the ranch.

Eubank taught a number of years in Daniel Baker College in Brownwood and continued teaching there after it became Howard Payne University. Never able to completely retire, the Eubanks served seven years, beginning in 1970, doing volunteer work on the Yucatan Peninsula in an effort to improve the life of the Mayan Indians. Also in 1970, Eubank was in Africa helping set up a beef cattle ranch in Uganda. While in Africa, he was at Addis Ababa for two months

as a consultant in agriculture. He holds two degrees from Texas A & M University in addition to his degree from Princeton.

The Eubanks' son earned his Ph.D. in electronic engineering and taught 13 years in the University of Texas system. He has retired from that life to do something he thoroughly enjoys, building pipe organs.

Their daughter, Ann, lives in Waco with her husband, Dr. James Jolliff, a psychiatrist.

Eubank is also deeply interested in geology and archeology. He belongs to an archeological society and goes on digs every year. His own ranch has been the site of just such digs in recent years.

Although Mrs. Eubank was disabled by a stroke, she and her husband continue to share their abiding interest in literature and look back on their

Homemaking Hints

County Extension Agent

Janet Thomas

Something exciting will be available to you and your families next month. The Extension Service and Eastland National Bank will be sponsoring a free, computer prepared budget for you. "Dollar Watch" is the name of the computer budget program.

Our computer will prepare you with a personalized budget for your family in just a few minutes.

Sounds great doesn't it! The computer "Dollar Watch" terminal will be set up in the Eastland National Bank. The computer terminal will be available Monday, April 4; Friday, April 8; Monday, April 11; and Tuesday, April 12. Come by the bank on any of these days between 9 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. and have a personalized budget analyzed for you by our computer. On Friday, April 8 the computer terminal will be operated until 5:30 p.m.

For faster service, have the following information when you come:

Monthly estimates on amount your family spends for:

- Food eaten at home and away from home
- Cary payments
- Rent or mortgage

- Utilities (heat, electricity, phone, water, etc.)

- Installment debts paid monthly

- Childcare, household help, college expenses, etc.

Also you will need to have the following information:

- Number of people in your family
- Number of cars in your family
- Number of pay periods
- Available take home pay each pay period.

Your computer prepared budget will be done free. There will also be available free financial management information.

Also during this time there will be a Financial Management Seminar sponsored on April 11 and 12.

RECIPE FOR THE WEEK:

Recently I received a cookbook entitled *The Potato Lover's Diet Cookbook*. The recipes are interesting and sound good.

TURKEY AND POTATO BAKE

2 medium potatoes, peeled and thinly sliced

2 cups cooked diced turkey (or substitute ham or chicken)

1 medium onion sliced

1 can condensed cream of celery soup

½ cup skim milk
In a non-stick 8" square baking pan, arrange in layers as follows: potatoes, turkey, onion slices.

In small bowl, blend soup and milk; pour over casserole.

Cover and bake at 375 degrees for 45 minutes. Uncover and bake 15 minutes longer.

Makes 4 servings, about 250 calories each serving.

Bowling Teams

Organize

A meeting will be held April the 11th at 7 p.m. at the Texas Electric Reddy Room in Eastland for the purpose of organizing a women's bowling association for the Eastland County Bowling Center which plans to open on or about May 15th. All women interested in bowling are invited to attend this meeting.

On April 14th at 7 p.m. at the Texas Electric Reddy Room the men will have their meeting to form their association.

All men interested in bowling are invited to attend this meeting.

community calendar...

1st Monday: City Council
Eastern Star

1st Tuesday: REACT

1st Wednesday: Saturday Club

2nd Monday: School Board

2nd Tuesday: Chamber of Commerce

4th Tuesday: Chamber of Commerce

THURSDAY,
MARCH 31, 1983

Men In Service

Airman Steven W. Rook, son of Anna L. Rook of 16830 Tracy, Victorville, Calif., and John W. Rook of 22030 Hurons, Apple Valley, Calif., has graduated from the U. S. Air Force dental assistant course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas.

Graduates of the course are trained to assist dental officers in all phases of denture construction. They also earned credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

Rook will now serve at Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala., with the U. S. Air Force Hospital.

His wife, Stacy, is the daughter of Herb Herbert of Sixth St., Hesperia, Calif., and Jean Beam of Route 1, May, Texas.

The airman is a 1979 graduate of William Workman High School, Industry, Calif.

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