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Wildcats Win Over Panthers 12-6 May Homecoming 1987

The Rising Star Wildcats defeated the Gorman Panthers Friday night by a score of 12-6 in a key district game.

The Wildcats kicked off to the Panthers and the defense held forcing the Panthers to punt. After a short punt the Wildcat offense took over on Gorman's 38 yard line. The Cats moved the ball well but came away empty handed when a Gorman defender intercepted a pass on the Gorman three yard line. Once again the defense proved too much for the Panthers and the Cats took over on Gorman's 32 yard line. This time the offense made it to the five yard line before fumbling the ball. The first quarter was entirely played on Gorman's end of the field only to end 0-0.

The mighty Wildcat defense held once again when senior James Holman sacked the Panthers' quarterback and Gorman was forced to punt. Rising Star was moving the ball again only to come up with another turnover. This time

the ball was fumbled on Gorman's 15 yard line. The Panthers finally took advantage and scored first on a 23 yard controversial pass. The Wildcats and their fans thought the ball bounced off the ground before being caught but the referees saw it differently. The Panthers came up short on their try for two and the scoreboard read Visitors 6, Home 0, with 7:49 remaining before half time. The Wildcats' special teams did an excellent job and never allowed Gorman good field position all night. One of the key plays came when Wildcat Reil Barron tackled two Gorman players as they were attempting to carry out a reverse. Barron knocked the ball loose and Wildcat Kevin Bond recovered the football before the Panthers knew what hit them. The Cats started on Gorman's 35 yard line and followed good offensive blocking to the one yard line where quarterback David White ran around the end for the score with only 52

seconds left in the half. Stacy Green's kick for the extra point was just off to the left and the score was even at half time, 6-6.

The Wildcat defense took over in the second half and allowed Gorman only 64 total yards. Gorman drove to the Cats' 16 yard line before being forced to turn the ball over on downs. The Cats returned the favor and punted on their next possession. The Cats defense held as defensive end James Holman came up with his second quarterback sack of the

night. The Panthers were forced to punt and three swarming Cats had the Gorman punter before he could manage to get his punt off. The Cats had been plagued by penalties all night and this was no exception as a face mask call gave Gorman 15 yards and a first down. Gorman decided to go for it on fourth down when junior linebacker Stacy Green sacked the quarterback. The third quarter ended with the score still tied at 6-6.

The Cats' final score of the
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October 20

Senior Center Lunch Aids Ambulance Fund

Members of the Senior Citizens Center in Rising Star are concerned for our volunteer ambulance service. Rising Star Emergency Medical Service needs \$7,000 to meet expenses for insurance.

Although many of these Senior Center members are well into their 70's (some are older), many have health problems and many of them live on fixed incomes, they are all anxious to help our

volunteer ambulance service continue to operate.

They will hold a chicken spaghetti lunch Tuesday, October 20, from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Center.

Chicken spaghetti, salad, bread, drink and cobbler will be served for \$3.50 for adults and \$2.00 for children.

All proceeds will go to the ambulance fund. Help our seniors benefit our ambulance service by enjoying a meal at the Center.

Ambulance Report

Since our last publication, memorials have been made to Mary Claborn, Vivian Koonce, Robby Price and Kenneth Smith's grandmother.

Donations have been made by James Eastwood, Mrs. Dell King, Clarence and Ruth Stroebel, C.R. Tyler, Erwin and Frances Agnew, Willie and Brenda Ezzell, WMU First Baptist Church of May, Neil and Joy Jones of Fort Worth, Hershel and Margie Kent of Cisco, J.R. Morrow, Jr., S.C. and Cloia Tucker, N. Leonard, Elgie and Maxine Crisp, Lee and

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

All memorials and donations are appreciated and needed to keep our ambulance running.

Anthony's First Surgery

Anthony Murdock, infant son of Phillip and Judy Murdock, will have the first of eight or nine surgeries to reconstruct his cleft palate and reshape his nose on October 12. Born June 11, Anthony was soon fitted with a temporary partial palate and has gained weight so well that his doctors set the surgery three weeks earlier than originally planned.

The next surgery is planned sometime near Anthony's first birthday and the remainder of the operations will be performed over a period of 16 to 18 years as the baby grows to be a young man.

Little Anthony's family appealed to the public to help

them meet the pre-surgery payment of \$500 and very gratefully acknowledge the help of the community in being able to meet that obligation. Insurance will help cover about 80 percent of the expense of the operation which will be performed at Texas Medical Center of Dallas - Humana.

Although doctors assure them the operation shouldn't be too hard on Anthony, family members feel a strong anxiety about going through what is a new experience for them. Grandparents are Brownie and Johnnie Williams of Rising Star, Luke Murdock of Pioneer and Carol LaPointe of Japan.

May Lord's Acre Oct. 10

May United Methodist Church will have the annual Lord's Acre Supper Saturday, October 10, from 5 to 7 p.m. Turkey, dressing, all

the trimmings, drink and dessert will be served to adults for \$4.00, to children under 12 for \$3.50.

Pies will be available for sale.

WHAT A DAY!

May Homecoming kicked off to an exuberant weekend beginning with a devastating blow to the Sidney Eagles Friday night, October 2. The 40-6 victory was the perfect beginning to a very busy 33rd consecutive coming home celebration.

Half time featured the high kick routine of the May High School Drill Team and performances by the cheerleaders and twirlers. Highlight of the half time was the presentation of the 1987 Homecoming Queen. Sophomore Janie Lindley, daughter of Jerry and Julia Lindley and escorted by her father, was elected by the homecoming crowd. Other candidates were senior, Tammie Hardy, daughter of Jan and Charles Hardy and

escorted by her father; junior, Doris Nelson, daughter of Robert and Sandra Nelson and escorted by Joey Horton; freshman, April White, daughter of Randy and Debbie White and escorted by Dale Greenrock. Jamie as presented a bouquet by Ex-Student Association Vice President Chick Eoff and was then taken around the field in a convertible loaned by Evelyn and Mike Donham and driven by Troy Pallette.

Saturday morning activities began when Bobby Gene Brown ('50) sacrificed himself to keep Barbara Glenn Woods ('50) and Vella Rae Henry Pallette ('52) working during the coffee and registration. All Bobby Gene received in the line of duty was dishpan hands and

a hard time. Grace Glenn presided over the registration book and 172 exes signed the guest book.

The assembly began with Charles Woods ('49) leading three gathering in prayer and Don Rhodes, superintendent of schools, giving the welcome. The group was then introduced to the Junior High Twirlers and Cheerleaders by sponsor Fran Ferrell and the High School Cheerleaders,

Twirlers and Drill Team by sponsor Shirley Petty.

Mattie Faye Wilson, Cross Plains' first grade teacher and noted humorist, tickled the crowd with her rendition of "Rinderfella" and cautioned the younger crowd not to "slop their drippers." She also gave examples on how to age and what may cause aging.

Don Rhodes introduced members of the 1977 state

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A Special 'Thank You'

TO: The Staff and Student Body of May ISD
FROM: The Ex-Students Association and Officers

We realize the amount of time and effort that it takes out of your personal lives to create floats and volunteer time to ensure the success of the 1987 Homecoming.

The Ex-Students Association would like to acknowledge the cooperation of the entire staff and student body of May ISD. Thank You!!

Cynthia Wood, President, Ex-Students Association

Absentee Voting to Start

County Clerk Joann Johnson announced that her office on the east wing of the main floor at the county courthouse will be accepting absentee votes after October 14 until October 30.

If you want to vote absentee, and that is reason enough as you no longer have to state that you will be

out of the county at election time, just come in person to the county clerk's office between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

The absentee voting will be for the Constitutional Amendment Election to be held Tuesday, November 3. There will be 25 constitutional amendments and two referendum propositions.

History Book Meeting

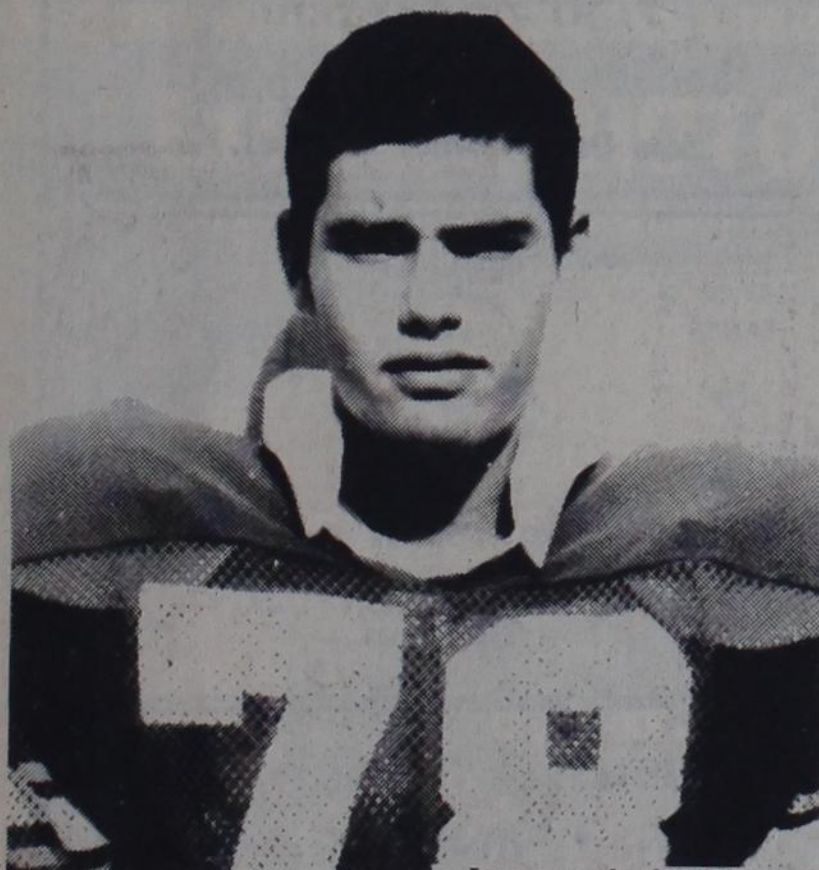
There will be a meeting at the Eastland Chamber of Commerce office on Friday, October 9th at 9:00 a.m. to work on the history of Eastland County. Everyone

interested in the project is invited to attend.

Persons having questions about the meeting can telephone Ron Bailey at 629-2365 after 6:00 p.m. each evening.

Highlighting the Wildcats

by Ronnie Evans



JAMES HOLMAN is starting offensive tackle and defensive end. He stands six feet tall and weighs 205 pounds.

His hobbies include dating, coin collecting, being with friends and sacking quarterbacks.

James works for L.D. and Oleta Alcorn. He spent the summer in boot camp.

He is president of Future Homemakers of America, active in athletics and is senior class parliamentarian.

James is the son of Linda Holman.



Congratulations to Jennifer Linney on winning first place in the Duchess division of the Eastland County Fair parade Saturday.

Jennifer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Winfrey of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Linney of Brownwood.

\$2,500.00 REWARD OFFERED

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.

community calendar...

2nd MONDAY School Board
2nd TUESDAY City Council
2nd THURSDAY Masonic Lodge

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.

Rescheduled

May ISD Trustees

Meet October 13

The regularly scheduled meeting of the May Independent School District Board of

Trustees for October 8 has been changed to October 13 at 8 p.m. in the Home Economics building.

Rescheduled

May Jr. High Game Will Be Tuesday

The October 15 Jr. High football game between

invoice and may will be rescheduled to October 13 at 6 p.m. in May.

Benefit Blood Drive in May October 20

Blood mobile from San Angelo will be at the Community Center in May, Tues-

day, October 20, from 4 to 7 p.m.

The drive is to benefit Bill Buzbee, a cancer patient.

May VFD Workday

The May Volunteer Fire Department met on Monday night, October 5. A workday is planned for Saturday, Oc-

tober 10 beginning at 9 a.m. It is to be the first in a series, according to President Charles Wood.

May VFD Auxiliary Plans Cookbook Sales

May VFD Auxiliary met October 1 at the fire station.

Members will be collecting recipes for our cookbook to be printed and sold for a fundraiser.

Final results of the door to door fundraising campaign have not been tallied but we do know it was successful and wish to thank each one who made a donation. If you were not contacted and wish to donate to the Fire Department building fund, you may contact any member of the department or auxiliary.

The Kohler Company in Brownwood has donated two commodes for the restrooms.

The auxiliary has tickets for a \$1 donation for a 20 inch color television to be given away in a drawing in December.

At the homecoming parade last Saturday, the auxiliary won the second place prize of \$25 for their bucket brigade float.

The next meeting will be Monday, November 2, at 6:30 p.m. at the fire station.

Booster Club Will Show Football Film

The Wildcat Booster Club will meet each Monday night.

A film of the football game which was played on the previous Friday night will be shown. Wildcat boosters are invited to come to the meeting and view the films.

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FOR SALE

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. 38-41

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Saturday, Nov. 7, 3 p.m. **DRAWING** for **HOMECOMING** 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

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Rising Star Homecoming Sat., Nov. 7

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The market Sept. 30 was steady on slaughter cows & heifer springer cows were fully steady, good quality young steers were steady to \$20 higher, light steer & heifer calves steady, heavier feeder steer & heifer yearlings were \$1.50 to \$3 lower, the plattler kinds, shorts, & extremely full cattle were a little dull, the choice kind were in strong demand. Estimated receipts, 1030 head.
Representative sales: Buckner's Boys Ranch, Llano, red mf str, 510-, \$90.50; Jake Lobstein, Brownwood,

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FOR SALE 3 BR 1 bath frame house, corner lot at 308 S. Main st., Rising Star. Appraised value \$8,200. Direct inquiries to Southern Savings & Loan, P.O. Box 340, Brownwood, 76804. 915-646-4561, attn. Donnie Stegemueller. 38-41

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I would like to thank all my friends for the visits, calls, cards, flowers, gifts and prayers.

I am doing really well and everthing is going good for my recovery.

Polly Price Room 432 Brownwood Regional Hospital

We would like to express our gratitude and appreciation to those who contributed toward the Anthony Murdock Fund.

Thanks to the people of this community we have the money needed for Anthony's pre-payment for his surgery October 12.

Thank you all so much. The family of Anthony Murdock

Remember your loved ones. Help the Rising Star Heritage Cemetery!

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MISCELLANEOUS

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Wildcats Win 12-6

game came when Sophomore running back Derrick White spun out of two tackles for the go ahead touchdown with 11:55 left in the game. The cats decided to try for two points only to come up inches short making the score 12 for Rising Star and 6 for Gorman. Gorman once again moved the ball to the Wildcat 6 yard line but a stubborn Wildcat defense refused to let them score. On third down defensive safety, David White tackled the quarterback behind the line of scrimmage and on fourth down Wildcat linebacker Stacy Green sacked the quarterback for the second time of the night. The Cats took over on offense and Gorman had no time outs remaining. If the Cats could make at least two first downs and not have a turnover the game was theirs. The offensive line consisting of seniors Lupe Pavon, Kerry Hill, John Flores, Tim O'Connor, James Holman, sophomore Toby Long and junior end Shawn Morrow did their job opening up the holes and the backfield came up with the necessary yardage. The Wildcat fans and players were estatic when the final buzzer sounded and the Cats

won their district opener against district favorite Gorman. If you have not been to one of the games this season you do not know what you are missing as the Cats always keep the games interesting, sometime almost too interesting for comfort! Next week the Cats will travel to Evant for their second district contest. Come cheer them on to another victory. **LOVE THAT BLUE!**

Rising Star	Gorman
16 First Downs	13
54-238 Rushes-Yards	39-120
21 Yards Passing	40
259 Total Yards	160
2-5-1 Passes-Inter	4-12-0
2 Fumbles Lost	1
2-42 Punts Average	4-30
9-70 Penalties-Yds	4-17
4 Penetrations	2
12 Score	6

Individual statistics are as follows: Rushing: Kevin Bond, 19-116; Derrick White, 14-64, 1TD; David White, 11-32, 1 TD; Stacy Green, 10-26.
Receiving: Stacy Green, 1-20; Kevin Bond, 1-1.
Tackles: Stacy Green, 7 1/2; James Holman, 7; David White, 6; Derrick White, 6; Steven Wilson, 5; John Flores, 4 1/2; Kevin Bond, 4; Reil Barron, 3; Cory Atwood, 2 1/2; Lupe Pavon 2; Kerry Hill, 1 1/2.

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Area News Briefs

EASTLAND
The Eastland County Fair drew a large crowd to the town last Saturday, and most of them stayed for the evening's entertainment. The Parade at 10 a.m. was outstanding, with numerous bands, floats, and other features. A large variety of booths were open all day around the Square, with arts, crafts, food and drink available. Displays of photography, preserved foods, handcrafts, china, ceramics and baked goods were in the Courthouse, with an art display in the Library. The Fiddlers Contest in the Majestic and Antique Car Show on the Square closed the day. Ricky Turpin of Lubbock was named Grand Champion of the Fiddlers Contest, with Robert Weeks Sr., Weldon Turpin, Ricky Turpin and Robert Weeks Jr. awarded First in the various categories.

Mike Pinson, representing a group seeking a location for Aldersgate Enrichment Center, spoke to a group of Cisco and Eastland Pastors last Thursday. He stated that Eastland County is still very much in the running as a location for this facility, and that the final decision will not be made until Dec. 1. He said that Eastland had the best presentation and Cisco the best turnout and response of any of the cities considered. "They were much more professional and better organized than the larger cities visited," he said.

Scott Body Works at 300 W. Commerce in Eastland is celebrating its 50th Anniversary. The business was established here in 1937 by L.A. (Scotty) Scott, after he moved to Eastland from Ranger. He sold the business to Sam Beggs, a long-time employee, in 1974. Mr. Beggs is assisted in the business by a son, Randy, and employee

Ernie Herrera. The shop repairs and rebuilds damaged car bodies and install new auto window glass.

A Seminar offering help in handling pressures will highlight a 4-H and Youth Committee program at Camp Inspiration on Oct. 17. Termed "BIONIC" - Believe It Or Not I Care - the activities will begin at 2 p.m. The workshops will be presented by professionals from around the state, and are free to the public. A free supper will also be provided for persons who have attended the workshops. A dance at the Eastland County Showgrounds will conclude the evening.

BAIRD
Fifty new street signs have been purchased for the main entrances into Baird. They will be placed on Cherry St., 3rd St. and 4th St. The Baird city employees will erect the signs on city streets, and the Texas Highway Dept. will place the signs along the state highways. Residents who want signs for their block may purchase them for \$34.65 per intersection. The signs already purchased were made possible by Baird merchants and the Chamber of Commerce.

The Baird Volunteer Fire Department will hold a "Hamburger Burn" on Oct. 9, 5-7 p.m. at the High School Cafeteria. Your burnt offering will be the small fee of \$3, which will buy a hamburger, fries, tea or coffee. At 6 p.m. awards will be given for the best Fire Prevention Posters created at the school. Everyone is invited to attend - and go on to the Baird - Lometa football game afterward.

No tax raise for the City of Baird this year! The Baird City Council met Sept. 28 for budget approval and the set-

ting of a tax rate for the new fiscal year. The current tax rate is .37 per \$100 valuation, and it was decided that the budget could be accepted at the present tax rate. Also discussed was the fact that the city must begin collection tax on the garbage collection. The Nov. 1 bill will have this 7 percent tax on it.

CISCO
Cisco Junior College Drama Students, under the direction of Carroll Brown, announce that the first production of the season will be "Picnic" by William Inge. Preview performances will open Oct. 19 at the Hilton Theatre, and will continue Oct. 20 and 21 with general seating. Curtain time is 7:30, and the preview price is \$1. English and drama students from all area schools are encouraged to attend one of these performances. The dinner Theatre presentations will be Oct. 22, 23 and 24 at 7 p.m., with tickets at \$10. Call Cisco Junior College if you wish more information.

The Cisco First National Bank Artist of the Month for October is Rebecca Walker, who will have her paintings displayed in the lobby. Mrs. Walker has been painting for about 10 years, starting her lessons with Billie Barns of Houston. Before moving from Houston Rebecca Walker had showings of her pictures several times each year, and sold paintings to persons all around this country and in England. Besides her oil paintings, she does china painting and works with ceramics.

Wanda Hallmark, Cisco Press Editor and President of the Evangelical Methodist Women, is leading out with a Bible study called "The Challenge of Being a Woman". The first study was Tuesday, Oct. 6 at the First Evangelical Methodist Church, West Highway 80.

This study, which is by Alice Painter, is a Course which is designed to meet the needs of women in all walks of life. Since 1976 over 70,000 women have taken the course.

RANGER
Ranger people especially enjoyed visiting with Don Champion, oil man and author, during Roaring Ranger Day Sept. 26. Champion is the son of Frank Champion, who drilled the famous McCleskey No. 1 oil well that started the Ranger Oil Boom of 1917. Don Champion's book, "Wood Dericks, Iron Men and Gold Women" includes Don's memories of this early boom. The book begins with Ranger and ends with claim surveying done by Champion in Alaska. It is a vivid, interesting book. There's really nothing like a first-hand account of an event - no other type of reporting can match it.

The First Baptist Church of Ranger was involved in a People Search and Bible Distribution program in the town last Sunday afternoon. Volunteers covered the areas east of Main St. and Southwest of Highway 80. (Ranger Junior College Area). Teams of church workers knocked on doors, talked to people about their Bible Study program, and left each family a marked New Testament Bible.

The Ranger Lions Club will hold its annual Mop and Broom sale on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 9 and 10. Proceeds of the sale will go to aid for the blind. The caravan selling the mops and brooms will set up each day at Main and Austin St., beginning at 9 a.m. If you wish to make a purchase, but can't get to this site, contact one of the Lions Club members.

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Photo Club's Show Winners

Belle Dowell of Stephenville took the Best of Show trophy for her architectural photograph in the Microplex Photo Club's fall show at the Eastland County Fair, Saturday, October 3, 1987. Mrs. Dowell also won first place ribbons for her photographs in three other color print categories. Her "Playing Volley Ball" took third place in the Sports in General category.

Agriculture Fair Winners

Agriculture Division
Milo Heads
1. Robert Tucker, Carbon Vetch Seed
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1. Robert Tucker Bundles of forage Coastal Bermudagrass
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1. Robert Tucker Cotton Seed
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Irish Potatoes
1. Bill Walton, Ranger

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1. Bill Walton
2. Hazle Barron Onions
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2. Anita Walton, Ranger Egg Plants
1. Twila Lee, Cisco Watermelons
1. Clyde L. Yarbrough Bell Pepper
1. Bill Walton
2. Wanda Boyd, Cisco Jalapino Pepper
1. Bill Walton
2. Pat Williamson, Ranger
3. Melinda Billings, Ranger Chili Pepper

Winning entries in the other color print categories were - (Open) first place: "Grandchild" Delores Tankersley, Eastland; second place: "Deep River" Bob Wood, Eastland; third place: "Athabaska Glacier" Bob Wood, Eastland. (Architecture) first place: "Flat Iron Building" Belle Dowell, Stephenville; second place: "McCormick's Grist Mill" Linda Kiser,

Eastland; third place: "John Wood Mill" Bob Wood, Eastland. (Rural Texas Life) first place: "Patiently Waiting for Catch" Belle Dowell, Stephenville; second place: "Edna Anderson Farm in Tolar" Neal Raney, Eastland; third place: "Walking the Coastline" Bobby Kinchele, Eastland. (Sports in General) first place: "Sailing on Lake

Michigan" Bob Wood, Eastland; second place: "Sand Skiing" Truman Kirk, Cisco; third place: "Playing Volley Ball" Belle Dowell, Stephenville. (Still Life) first place: "Flowers in Churn" Belle Dowell, Stephenville; second place: "Pink Flowers" Linda Kiser, Eastland; third place: none. (Night Scenes) first place: "Lightning" Bobby Kinchele, Eastland; second place: "Man on Mountain" Karen Plowman, Eastland; third place: "Ranger Oil Well Blowout" Gail Hagar, Ranger. (Holidays) first place: "A Standard of Valor" Linda Kiser, Eastland. There were no second or third place winners in this category. (Field Trips) first place: Belle Dowell, Stephenville. There were no second or third place winners in this category. (Black and white) first place: "Pre-General Motors" Linda Kiser, Eastland; second place "Arizona White Wash" Linda Kiser, Eastland; third place: "All Lined Up and Ready to Go" Linda Kiser, Eastland. Hillary Taylor, 11, Eastland, won the Junior Division Best of Show Trophy for her beautiful photograph of a river. There were no second or third place winners in this category.

Parade Entry Winners

Floats
Out of town: Birdsong Peanut of Gorman Peach And Mellon Festival of DeLeon Ranger 4-H Local Floats: Boy Scouts of America Troop 103 Housson Child Care Center Valley View Nursing Home Riding Groups: Potosi Riding Club Ranger Riding Club Roaring Ranger Riding Club Cars: Up to 1931 James T. Wright's '29 Model

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Floyd Caraway's '36 Ford Roadster
Billy John Keith's '56 Ford Victoria
Melvin Crabtree's '57 Chevrolet Hard Top
Duchesses:
Age 3-5
1st Place: Sara Snowden

2nd Place: Brooke Barnes
3rd Place: Chrystal Purdom
Age 6-9
1st Place: Mindy Cunningham
2nd Place: Sabarah Beiard
3rd Place: Monica Maulden
Honorable Mention: Jessica

Hernandez
Age 10-13
1st Place: Tiffany Purdom
2nd Place: Cynthia Miller
3rd Place: Jennie Edwards
Age 14-Up
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2nd Place: Karen Walton
3rd Place: Angela Gregory

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Senior Center News

A good lunch was enjoyed by all last Thursday. A chicken spaghetti lunch will be held on Tuesday, October 20, from 11 to 1:30 at the center with all proceeds to go to our ambulance fund. This is a MUST, mark this on your calendar! It will consist of spaghetti, salad, bread, cobbler and drink. The price will be \$3.50 for adults and 2.00 for children.

Berna Lea and Ben Chick went to Stephenville on Monday to see Paula and Jerry Hubble's new home. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Spears spent Friday and Saturday with the Chicks.

Norman and Lolene Claborn were in Abilene Thursday to watch their grandson Jason Pernel play football with the Abilene Christian Panthers.

Rilla Richburg spent Sunday evening in Abilene with Rowena Chambers, Maurine and Corky Stribling of Odessa, Stephanie and Perry Robertson of Irving, Taronna, JeTana and Judd Sewall

of Brownwood had lunch with the Richburgs. Netha Carouth and family of Cross Plains picked up her mother-in-law Thursday night, ate supper in Brownwood then went to a birthday party for Lisa Bates at the skating rink. The party was early due to both Lisa and Lori having their tonsils out Friday; they will be out of school for a week.

Several remain on the sick list. Mattie Jordan was returned to the local nursing home. Joe Ward was back home after knee surgery and will have his stitches out Wednesday. God bless those who are still in the hospital, those ill at home and those recovering.

Wanda Burns of Abilene spent Thursday night and Friday with her sister, Betty Raybon, and mother, Snova Walker. This writer and Betty made a shopping trip to Brownwood Saturday and ate lunch there.

Obituaries

Lehn McInnis

BROWNWOOD - Services for Lehn C. McInnis, 68, of Brownwood were at 2 p.m. Monday in St. John's Episcopal Church with the Rev. Radford Allen Jr. officiating. Burial was in the Greenleaf Cemetery, under the direction of Davis-Morris Funeral Home. He died at 9:40 p.m. Friday in Brownwood Regional Hospital after a two-year illness.

Having lived his entire life in Brown County, he was born in Byrds on Nov. 25, 1918. On March 17, 1940 he married Rosemary Thompson in Coleman. A World War II veteran, he served with the Army Air Force. He was a rancher, store owner and land developer and was a member of St. John's Episcopal Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, J. Lehn McInnis of Odessa; two daughters, Mrs. Jim (Karen G.) Whiteley of Route 1, Brownwood and Mrs. Roger (Kathy Ann) Walker of Eden; three brothers, Abney McInnis and Wyman, both of Owens, and Claude McInnis of May; his sister-in-law, Marjorie Bradley of Brownwood; his

brother-in-law, John S. Thompson of Aledo; his mother-in-law, Lydia Thompson of Brownwood; nine grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Cleo Palmore

Cleo A. Palmore, 81, died Monday at 9:45 p.m. at a Brownwood hospital. Services were at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Revs. Truett House and Robert Elkins officiating. Burial was in Blake Cemetery.

Born Dec. 29, 1905 in Texas, she lived in the Williams community and was a lifelong Brown County resident. She was a retired school teacher and a Methodist. Her husband, Pete, died Feb. 2, 1976.

Survivors include three sons, Jack Palmore of Rising Star, Jim Palmore of Coppell and Carroll Palmore of Hobbs, N.M.; two daughters, Lynda Haight of Vidor and Nancy Lee Reneau of Prosper; a brother, Coolege Henderson of Texas City; 13 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Quartet Performs at Cisco



The Four Tune Seekers Barbershop Quartet of Abilene will be performing at Puttin On The Ritz in

Cisco, Saturday, October 10 at 6:30 p.m., 7:15 p.m., and 8 p.m. Shown in the above photo are Tenor George Faqua lead Andy Maddox, bass Steve Austin and Baritone Greg Elston.

They have recently represented Abilene in the Southwestern District of the S.P.E.S.Q.S.A., Division Contest in Ruidoso, N.M.

They placed second overall and were the Novice Champions. The 1st place quartet (from El Paso) won only in Stage Presents but lost to the Four Tune Seekers in Sound and Interpretation.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allen were hosts to their family for a fish fry for two weekends. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Davis, Jessie and Dean of Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Robertson and sons, Ronnie and Rodnie of May; Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Robertson and sons, Ray of May and Lonnie and his friend from Llano; and their sister-in-law, Evelyn Davis of Stephenville.

The Allens enjoyed a five-day visit in Milano with their Army friends, Henry and H.D. Wood. They fished on the Colorado River and caught 37 catfish.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Davis, their son A.J. and daughter Dena visited again this past weekend with the Allens and the L.R. Robertsons of May.



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Sipe Springs News

Services were held at the Sipe Springs Baptist Church the past two Sundays. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. Ted Barton received the death message of her cousin, Odessa Winfrey Skinner, of Breckenridge. She was a former resident of here and the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winfrey. Services and burial were at Breckenridge Saturday.

Harry Anderson and Larry Anderson have been at the bedside of Jack Anderson who is seriously ill at Midland.

Miss Tamy Cantrell was

Duchess from Sipe Springs at the Peanut Festival Parade at Gorman last Saturday. She was escorted by Terry Jones.

Mrs. N.L. Leonard is home after having eye surgery in Arlington last week. Mr. and Mrs. Lane Cotter and Artis Kanady, all of Baird, and Mrs. Vicky Crow of Hico visited the Jack Millwee family last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Barton of Midland and Mark Barton of McCamey visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cagels of Abilene visited the T.A. Weavers last week.

Church Rummage Sale

The Holy Trinity Episcopal Church of Eastland will be conducting their annual Rummage Sale Saturday, October 10, from 8 a.m. till 5 p.m. This year's sale will include such items as a black and white TV,

electric range, and refrigerator, many household items and clothes of all sizes.

Donations of articles will be accepted through Friday. Call 442-3282 after 5 p.m. or 629-1247.

This year the sale will feature pricing based upon the buyer's estimation of worth. (Let your conscious be your guide). The church is located at 803 South Seaman in Eastland.

English Workshop at Abilene Oct. 10

ABILENE - Dr. Rosanna Herndon, a Hardin-Simmons University professor, will be the keynote speaker at the District XIV Texas Joint Council of Teachers of English (TJCTE) meeting Saturday in Abilene.

English teachers from grades K-college in the 14 county district will meet at 8 a.m. October 10 at Abilene High School for the annual fall workshop.

Participants can choose from among five different topics during each of the morning sessions.

Elementary, middle school, high school and college sessions will be available, and each session will be repeated twice.

"Although District XIV of the TJCTE sponsors the workshop, teachers do not have to be a member to attend," Mrs. Kaye Price, general chairperson, said.

Registration begins at 8 a.m., and the workshop concludes at 12:30 p.m.

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Wedding Shower Honors Shelly and Steve Hill

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church of Christ Fellowship Room. Family and friends are invited to attend.

people in the news



Debbie Chambers

GORMAN - Citizens State Bank of Gorman announces the election of Debbie Chambers to the position of assistant vice-president.

Chambers, a native of Rising Star, comes to Gorman from Burleson State Bank

where she was assistant cashier. She brings with her over 14 years in the banking field.

She has also held positions as supervisor of bookkeeping department at Town & Country Bank in Stephenville and cashier at First National Bank of Dublin and First State Bank of Rising Star.

"We are fortunate to have an employee of Debbie's experience at Citizens and invite all our customers to come by and get acquainted with her," says John May, executive vice-president.



Kindergartners, Amy Agnew, Heath Lee, Jerrell Scott Harris, Jenni Lee Hinnont

6th graders, Christi Bush, Christy Hughes, David Bronson, Christeyna Johnson, Wid Keeling, Scott Rutledge, Mary Weise, Heather Wright



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May Homecoming

football championship team. Also present was head coach Grayum Hart. Becky Moore Coonrod ('78) introduced the cheerleaders, drill team members, twirlers and sponsor in 1977 and gave a special thank you to the officers and members of the Booster Club that year.

Wayne Pittman, School Board President, was called upon to inform the crowd about all of the volunteer paving work done on the campus.

Cynthia Palette Wood ('73), President, then called the May Ex-Students Association meeting to order. After thanking the May Independent School District staff for their hard work in preparing the campus for the homecoming, she introduced the 1987 association officers: Vice President, Chick Eoff ('57); Secretary, Beverly Harrell Pittman ('67); and Parade Chairman Randy Pittman ('69). Treasurer A.J. Dickerson ('56) was on his way back from Colorado. Beverly Pittman read the minutes of the previous meeting and gave the treasurer's report.

No old business was introduced, but an officer nominating committee was selected to draft officers for the years of 1989 and 1990. The committee members are Edith Ford, Sook Burnett and Ben Cook. All interested persons are encouraged to contact these members!

As the hat was being passed, the ex who had traveled the furthest to come home turned out to Peggy Vaughn Sheridan ('45) of Vancouver, Washington. The oldest graduates present were representatives of the class of 1923. This hilarious group included Bonnie Grace Triplett LeMaster of May, Felton Underwood of Abilene, Reginald Hardy of San Antonio, Anita Henry Chapin of Dallas and Arthur McMurray of May.

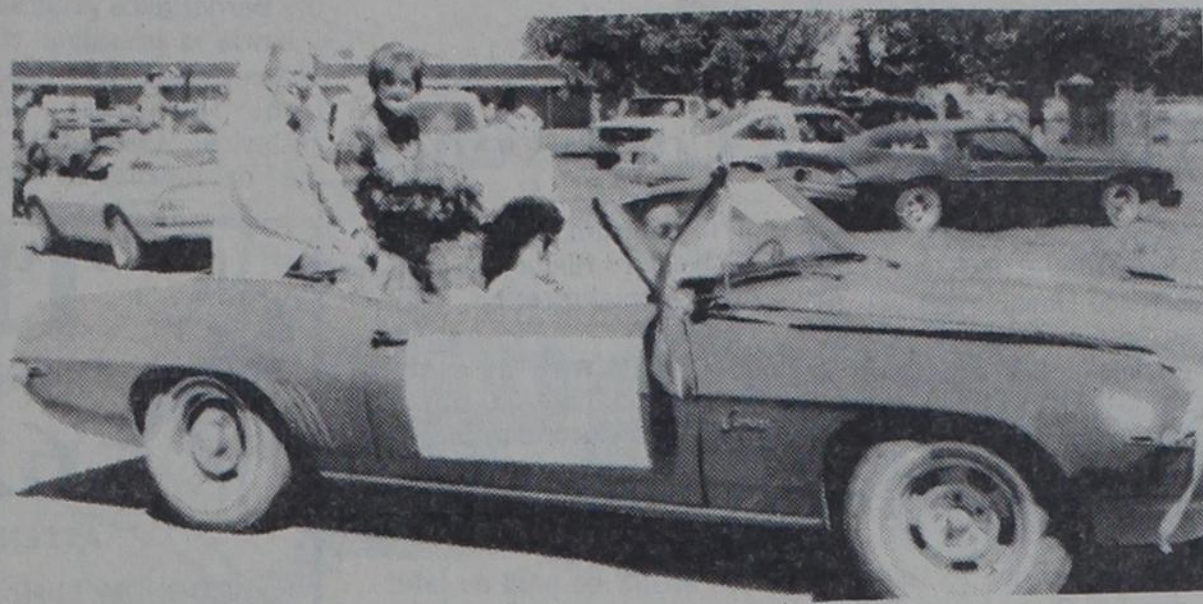
Elected as 1987 Coming

Home Queen was Alto Turpin West ('37) of San Angelo who was presented with a bouquet of bronze mums by Homecoming Queen Jamie Lindley. Coming Home King was Robert Steel ('39) of Virginia who claimed he was the father of May ex and Rising Star resident George Steel.

The May Senior Class served approximately 370 people before the parade. The judges had a difficult time selecting only three winners out of the 52 entries. The judges commented on the quality and imagination displayed by all entrants this year. Float winners were: first place—"Cinderella", First grade; second place—"Catch the Wave", kindergarten; third place—"The Class of '88", seniors. Outside winners were first place, "Welcome Exes", May Cafe; second place—"The Bucket Brigade", May Volunteer Fire Department Women's Auxiliary; and third place—Horse and Buggy, Eric Pierce, Early. The identity of the football players and cheerleaders on the first place float can be found out for the right price.

The Men's Exes Basketball Tourney was well organized by Coach Fran Ferrell. Fran and Beth Renfro organized and the Junior High athletes staffed the concession stand. Johnny Sue Lancaster and Linda Wheeler kept the gate, David Jackson kept the clock and Cindy Wood kept the books.

The team of '72-'77 put forth a valiant effort but the team of '83-'87 kept ripping the nets with their three point shots. Working hard and sweating buckets despite their defeat of 58-47 were '72-'79 team members: "Jumpin'" Joe Crume '73, "Leapin'" Larry Hart '74, Bobby "Big Grin" Thornhill '75, "Blinding Bill" Murphree '75, "Fast Phil" Mitchell '77, "Rippin'" Robert Windham



Alto Turpin West of San Angelo, Class of 1937, and Robert Steel of Virginia, Class of 1937, were named Coming Home Queen and King at May

'78, Ted "The Marvel" Murphree '79 and David "Nuke Em" Newman, '81.

Team members of '83-'87 went on to face the challengers '78-'82. Team members of '78-'82 included Robert Windham '78; Bobby Coonrod, Johnny Jackson and Ted Murphree '79; Tony Wade and Bo Allen '80; David Newman, Gary Jackson and Thane Pittman '81; and James Driskill '82.

The members of '83-'87 captured the rights of first place by a score of 48-39 despite all efforts of the other participants. This team included Shane Crafton and Cliff Matthews '84; Terry Burnett, Richard Windham and Glenn Pittman '85; Brian Thompson '86; Chuck Woods, Michael Pittman and Skeeter Herbert '87.

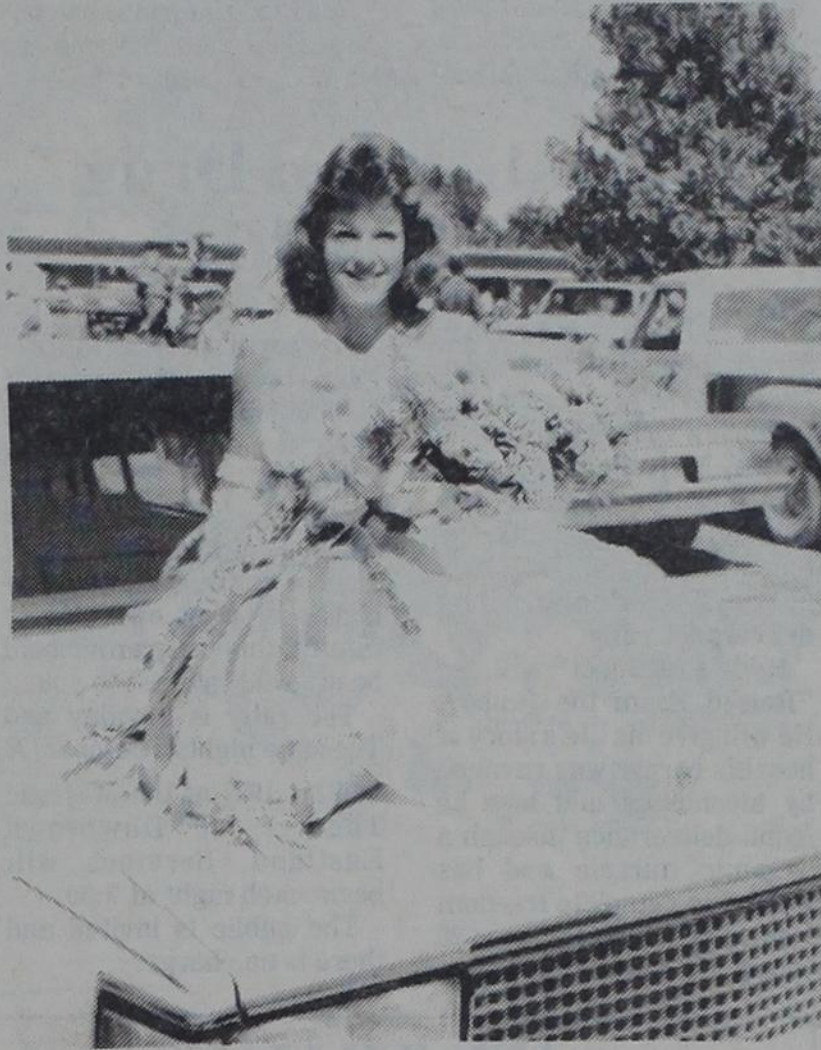
Copies of the books are available by calling Cindy Wood.

The Home Demonstration Club ladies served supper at the clubhouse to approximately 150 people.

The day's activities closed with class reunions, family gatherings and the annual dance.

Association officers for Homecoming '88 are: President, Cynthia Wood; Vice President, Chick Eoff; Secretary, Beverly Pittman; Treasurer, A.J. Dickerson; Parade Chairman, Randy Pittman.

A good time was had by all and thank goodness it is over for another year!!!



Jamie Lindley, May Homecoming Queen

Indians and Arrowheads

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 the 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



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scalped. Reese and Rai 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-

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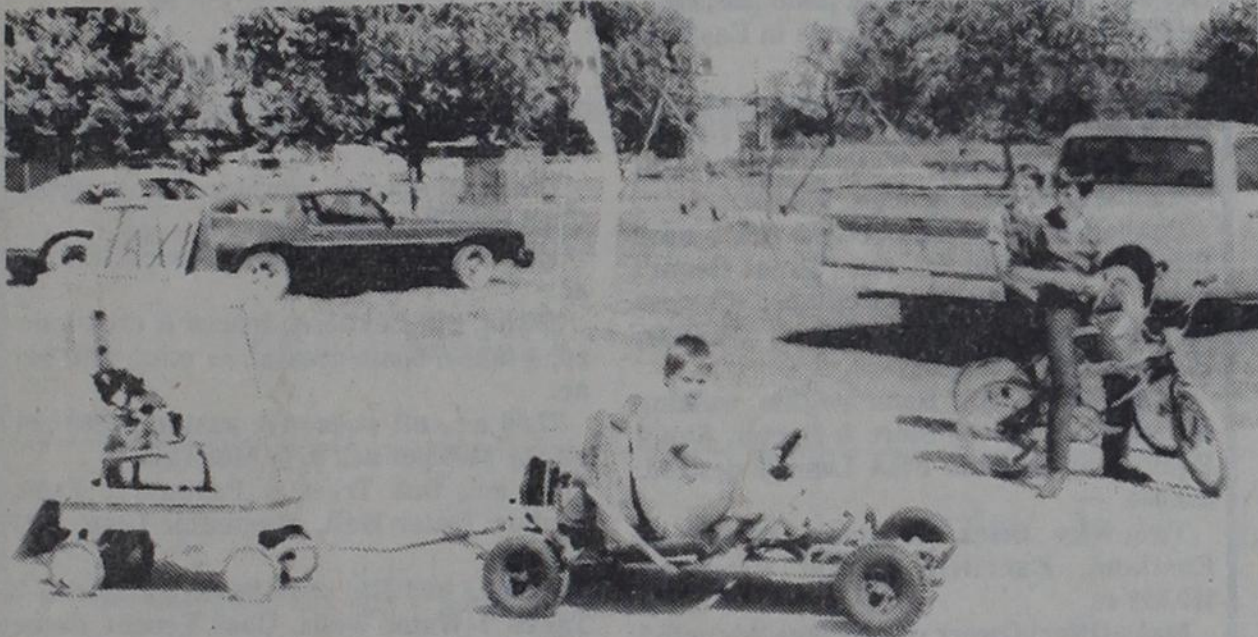
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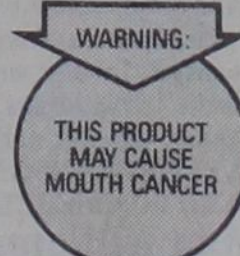
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The PEOPLE'S FORUM

I've Been Wrong Before

by Gordon S. Clark
People can sure find something to be unhappy about in this old world and love of money is most often what they are nursing unhappiness over. Lazy minds and empty heads echo, "Money is the root of all evil," but that is dead wrong. It isn't money itself but the "Love of Money" and I still contend that some poor people can love it as passionately as those who have a lot.

It is like people who can't distinguish between love and lust. Maybe the scripture would have translated better as "lust for money" or simply covetous.

Probably the most extreme demonstrations of desire of man for woman and vice versa have been exhibited for those beyond reach. The range is from great violence to self and others to unequal generosity and self sacrifice but desire lies at the root of it. Less extreme and more frequently too much desire simply inhibits rational action and limits production while making one miserable. As with desire of the flesh so with money. Crime, madness, or just miserable dissatisfaction abound.

We want more money. There is always a handy reason to justify the demand. If we can't show that we draw below average in our field we can point to the national average income or least point to the few places paying more while ignoring

the lower brackets which go to produce that average. Why should we consider that in getting that raise we push them further under in the battle of statistics?

Don't fret that bringing all areas up to a certain level we might end up at Communism where theoretically all are equal. There are always factors like greater hazards in your own work area, greater skill required, or greater perceived creativity to push you above the average with Mr. Average desperately trying to hold his own in the rat race.

If your field becomes so attractive that others limit the demand for you by excessive competition then the answer is a professional organization like the AMA or any other labor union with the aim of restricting the number being admitted, restrictive licensing laws, etc. Whether by strike or "gentlemen's agreement" the price can be raised. That again gives a lot of people a higher "average" to gripe about.

Another force jacking up the average is competition for "the best". Top athletes drive up the average because team owners feel they must kick in or not win the pennant or more attractive contract for TV rights. Then wealthy school districts pay more thinking higher pay will guarantee their children a better education and thus an advantage in the rat race of competition. The spiral upward continues as teachers from other districts pressure legislators. Police and firemen protest greater hazards (though some schools more resemble bat-

tle zones) and you wouldn't think it right that those who run your government get less than someone bouncing a ball around would you?

After all, average is mediocre and who wants to strive to be only mediocre?

You can see how it goes so get in there and fight. You owe it to your dependents and to yourself. That part about "You owe it to yourself" is really a dandy. It is seen in most sales pitches from Readers Digest and if you think "You owe it to yourself" caters to base and selfish motivation, well, that is just the way our world is.

Of course you may be charged with being a DAR, that a D-Average Raiser. Only in one class where the grading was on a curve was I ever accused of being a DAR and if you shy away from such criticism by associates then just shoot for average.

The trouble with average is as one man said, "If one foot is in a bucket of ice water and the other in boiling water, on an average you should be comfortable." The cold water might be your income and the hot be what you want.

Seriously dislocated priorities can result from a champagne appetite and a beer income. The LOVE of either money or things can be deadly. Or maybe another view of it is the question, "Do you possess money and things or do they possess you?"

CJC Historian To Participate In Conference

Dr. Monte Lewis of the Cisco Junior College Social Science Department will fly to the "City of Earthquakes", Los Angeles, on Friday, October 9, to be part

of a program presented at the Western History Association's annual meeting.

Lewis' paper, "Chickasaws in the Borderland, 1800-42," will be one of three presentations in

Defensive Driving Course Offered

As a service to the community, Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving course October 13 and 14 from 6 - 10 p.m. The course will meet in room 3 of Schaefer Hall. Fee for the course is \$20. Enrollment

fees MUST be paid no later than 3 p.m. on October 13. No late registration fees will be accepted. Students must attend both nights of class.

For more information contact Charlotte Speegle at 442-2567, extension 115.

Alcohol And Drug Deliverance Rally

Fred Hyde, ex-Bourbon Street entertainer and Country and Western personality from New Orleans will speak at the Majestic Theater of Downtown Eastland on Monday and Tuesday nights, October 26 and 27, 1987 in a special alcohol/drug deliverance rally.

Hyde's subject will be "Raised From the Ruins". He will give his life's story of how his career was ravaged by alcoholism and how he found deliverance through a dynamic miracle and has walked in complete freedom from alcoholism for over 28 years.

Hyde will speak on the progressive symptoms of alcoholism and drug use and give some shocking statistics.

Should you know an alcoholic or if you are having alcohol or drug related problems in your own life or family, this program should be of great interest to you.

The rally is Monday and Tuesday nights, October 26 and 27, 1987 at the Majestic Theater of Downtown Eastland. Services will begin each night at 7:30. The public is invited and there is no charge.

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the Borderlands program. Lewis is president of the Texas Oral History Association, the West Texas Historical Association, and the Fort Belknap Society.

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 - 220 ACRES & 3 BR home near Eastland. Some coastal, native pasture. WILL SPLIT OFF house and 160 ac., house & 1 ac. up, 60 ac. without house. \$414
 - 175 ACRES with 3 BR home near Lake Leon. Staff water, well, 6 tanks, 10 ac. cultivable, some irrigation possible. Some minerals, producing well. \$415
 - NATURE'S WONDERLAND! The quiet beauty of giant oak trees makes ideal setting for attractive 1 1/2 yr. old 3 BR, 2 bath brick home on 15 beautiful acres. \$416
 - SPACIOUS BRICK SOLD! 36.6 acres, fronts highway and county road.
 - 32 ACRES w/ 1 with 3 BR home, access to Lake Leon. Staff water & well, stock tank, barn, shed. Producing gas well, 1/8 royalty. \$417

- ACREAGE**
- 11.94 AC HWY 80 edge of Cisco. Scenic, trees, pond, shed. Owner financing with approved credit. \$45
 - 28 ACRES on old Highway 80 West. Close to Cisco. \$412
 - 50.4 Acres 3 1/2 miles NW of Eastland. Scattered trees, on Leon River. \$413
 - OLDEN - 77 ACRES with beautiful building site. Only \$625.00 per acre! \$44
 - 1747 ACRES of range land, a working ranch. Plenty of tanks and plenty of wildlife for the hunter. Some minerals. \$47
 - 319 acres 2 mi. S. of I-20. Good tanks, coastal, native pasture, some minerals. WILL DIVIDE. \$49
 - 62 ac. SO. of RANGER. Approx. 18 ac. wooded, deer, turkey, quail; bal. cult. Barn, corral, stock tank, minerals. \$43
 - 2.77 ACRES ready for mobile home. Has elec., water & septic tank already installed. \$45
 - 239 ACRES REDUCED TO SELL! Mostly oak trees, brush, pasture, 3 tanks. Turkey, deer & minerals. \$417
 - 40 ACRES W. Gorman. (SOLD) wells, pecan land. \$48
 - 80 ACRES W. (SOLD) cult. pasture, bottom land. \$410
 - 5.29 ACRES, 2 MI FROM DOWNTOWN EASTLAND. beautifully wooded hilltop view, perfect for building, city water. \$44
 - 46 ACRES - WOODED, GREAT HUNTING! Natural grasses, large stocked lake, good fence. \$418
 - 31 1/2 ACRES, COMMERCIAL FRONTAGE I-20. Stock tank, fenced Olden water available. \$415


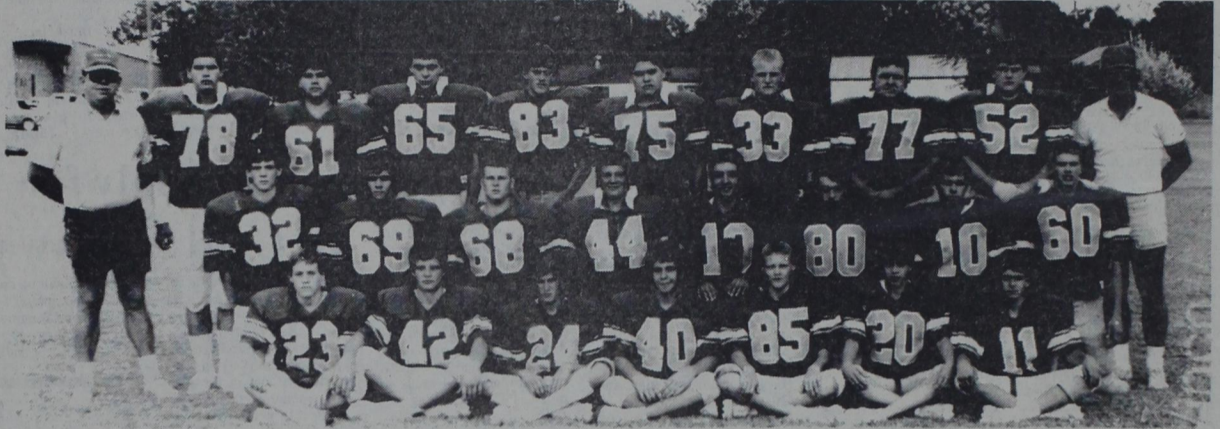
- COMMERCIAL**
- SUPER COMMERCIAL LOCATION! N. Seaman near downtown. Corner lot with small building, and vacant lot. Shop, office or business. \$10
 - RETAIL BUSINESS - LADIES' WEAR! Excellent location, 125 ft. building and inventory. EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY! \$1
 - LAKE LEON - GROCERY, GAS, BAIT BUSINESS. Aft. 3 BR, trailer & RV hookups, on 7.4 ac. with lake frontage. \$1
 - PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY - Main Street, near downtown. Large corner lot, old building. \$3
 - MOVING BUSINESS - EVERYTHING YOU'LL NEED! Hard to obtain local & long haul permits, vehicles & some equipment. GREAT PRICE - CALL US! \$6
 - PETROLEUM BULL! \$OLD! excellent downtown corner location. Lots of potential. \$1

**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

GO CATS!

'87 FOOTBALL

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

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

For Sale: YEARBOOKS

The Rising Star La Estrellita Yearbook Staff is proud to announce that the Congress of the United States has passed a joint resolution and a proclamation has been signed by President Reagan designating the first week in October as National Yearbook Week. The primary purpose of this celebration is to recognize the importance

of yearbooks in American education.

This Thursday, October 7, and during the month of October, yearbooks will be on sale for \$18.00 in honor of this week.

In November the price will go up to \$19.00 and each month thereafter the price will go up one dollar.

Get them while they are "hot" (and cheap!)
Danetta Bible

National Yearbook Week

The school yearbook, an integral part of American culture, receives much deserved recognition during the first National Yearbook Week, October 4-10.

The Yearbook Printers Association (YPA), an organization representing the major yearbook printers in the United States, initiated the effort to recognize the work of scholastic yearbook journalists. Senate and House of Representatives co-sponsors introduced a joint resolution which was subsequently passed and signed by President Reagan.

The resolution acknowledges that student involvement in yearbook production develops journalistic, photographic and business skills.

The resolution also cites a recent study by the American College Testing Program showing that college freshmen with previous yearbook experience have higher ACT composite scores, perform better on standardized college writing test, and achieve higher grade point averages during their first year of college than freshmen with no yearbook experience.

"Establishing a recommitment to the historical value of yearbooks is one of the goals of National Yearbook Week," according to J.E. Peters, Vice President of Sales and Marketing for Taylor Publishing Company and YPA member.

Due to the economic climate and a shift in the emphasis of educational curriculum, many schools throughout the country have restructured academic programs. Journalism and yearbook courses have suffered as a result.

Uniquely American in its origin, the yearbook has been valuable as a means of

recording school life.

The reduction of journalism and yearbook courses has denied students the opportunity to learn skills that might assist them in any future career. Yearbook experience teaches planning, organizing, writing, editing, sales, marketing, photography and design. Yearbook production requires business, artistic and mathematical skills as much as it requires language skills.

The focus of National Yearbook Week will be to educate the greater community concerning the continued historical and cultural value of yearbooks and the educational value of producing one.

Lunch Menu

OCTOBER 12-16

MODAY
LUNCH: Cheese nachos, baked beans, salad, fruit, milk

BREAKFAST: Rice, toast, juice, milk

TUESDAY
LUNCH: Spaghetti, sliced carrots, salad, rolls, cake, milk

BREAKFAST: Pancakes, syrup, juice, milk

WEDNESDAY
LUNCH: Chili and beans, corn, cole slaw, cornbread, pineapple crunch, milk

BREAKFAST: Toast, bacon, fruit, milk

THURSDAY
LUNCH: Shepherd's pie, green beans, salad, rolls, pudding, milk

BREAKFAST: Cereal, juice, milk

FRIDAY
LUNCH: Hot dogs with chili and cheese, onions, pickles, relish, French fries, cookies, milk

BREAKFAST: Biscuits, gravy, sausage, juice, milk

Photo Show Results

Belle Dowell of Stephenville took the Best of Show trophy for her architectural photograph in the Microplex Photo Club's fall show at the Eastland County Fair, Saturday, October 3, 1987. Mrs. Dowell also won first place ribbons for her photographs in three other color print categories. Her "Playing Volley Ball" took third place in the Sports in General category.

Winning entries in the other color print categories were—(Open) first place: "Grandchild" Delores Tankersley, Eastland; second place: "Deep River" Bob Wood, Eastland; third place: "Athabaska Glacier" Bob Wood, Eastland. (Architecture) first place: "Flat Iron Building" Belle Dowell, Stephenville; second

place: "McCornick's Grist Mill" Linda Kiser, Eastland; third place: "John Wood Mill" Bob Wood, Eastland. (Rural Texas Life) first place: "Patiently Waiting for Catch" Belle Dowell, Stephenville; second place: "Edna Anderson Farm in Tolar" Neal Raney, Eastland; third place: "Walking the Coastline" Bobby Kincheloe, Eastland. (Sports in General) first place: "Sailing on Lake Michigan" Bob Wood, Eastland; second place: "Sand Skiing" Truman Kirk, Cisco; third place: "Playing Volley Ball" Belle Dowell, Stephenville. (Still Life) first place: "Flowers in Churn" Belle Dowell, Stephenville; second place: "Pink Flowers" Linda Kiser,

Eastland; third place: none. (Night Scenes) first place: "Lightning" Bobby Kincheloe, Eastland; second place: "Man on Mountain" Karen Plowman, Eastland; third place: "Ranger Oil Well Blowout" Gail Hagar, Ranger. (Holidays) first place: "A Standard of Valor" Linda Kiser, Eastland. There were no second or third place inners in this category. (Field Trips) first place: Belle Dowell, Stephenville. There were no second or third place winners in this category. (Black and white) first place: "Pre-General Motors" Linda Kiser, Eastland; second place "Arizona White Wash" Linda Kiser, Eastland; third place: "All Lined Up and Ready to Go" Linda Kiser, Eastland.
Hillary Taylor, 11, Eastland, won the Junior Division Best of Show

Thursday, October 8, 1987

All Day Service at Pioneer Church October 10

The Pioneer Pentecostal Church will have it's annual reunion Saturday, October 10, beginning at 9:30 a.m. The service will last all day and a covered dish luncheon will be enjoyed at noon. Everyone is invited to attend.

20 mph Limit on N. Anderson

Trophy for her beautiful photograph of a river. There were no second or third place winners in this category.

October Is Perfect Attendance Month

October has been declared as perfect Attendance Month. Audits on school attendance result in state funds provided to the school on the basis of enrollment. To encourage students to help the Rising Star Independent School District receive more state money, the Parents Teacher Organization has conceived the idea

of an attendance contest. Every student with a perfect attendance during October will be invited to an ice cream sundae party for grades K-12. Grades K-3 will receive individual prizes. One grand prize will be given to one student in grades 4-8. One grand prize will be given to one student in grades 9-12. Let's all show up!
Jackie Harris

Pep Rally Outdoors

The Rising Star High School Cheerleaders held the fifth pep rally of the season on Friday, October 2, at a different location. Instead of in the gym, it was held on the Wildcat football field. They did many chants and cheers to get the crowd stimulated and that they were! Some of the elementary classes made signs and taped them to the gym side wall. This week's pep rally proved to be one of the best.

Speakers for the Wildcats were Mr. Gene Smith, teacher and supporter, and Reil Barron, football player. Blue and gold winners were the fourth and fifth grades

and the lunchroom ladies, Kathy Bush and Gail Rutledge.
The next pep rally will be October 9 at 3:20 p.m. in the gym.

The cheerleaders are making preparations for the 1987 Homecoming Bonfire that will be held on Friday, November 6. The time will be announced later. They are looking for wood, scraps of lumber and tree limbs to make this year's bonfire the best ever. If you have any scraps that you will donate please contact Maxine Perales at 643-6404. Thank you!

New Halftime Show Planned by Band

The Wildcat Band will be performing an all new halftime show this Friday night. Among many new songs, the band will perform a dance routine to "We Got the Beat".

Workers for the band concession stand this Thursday, October 8, are Mr. and Mrs.

Barron for the whole game. The band would like to thank the parents who are spending their Thursday nights in the concession stand.
LaQuita Hendricks

Campus Calendar

THURSDAY, October 8
Jr. Hi football vs. Evant here 6

FRIDAY, October 9
Hi school football vs. Evant there 7:30

MONDAY, October 12
FHA install officers, Home Ec cottage 7

TUESDAY, October 13
PTO Meeting, gym. 4

RSTV Power Problems

Due to power problems, the Rising Star television weather station has been knocked off the air. New parts have been ordered.
Kerry Hill

A Big 'Thank You'

The senior class would like to express a big "thank you" to the Star Plaza Truck Stop for sponsoring the car wash the students held last Saturday, October 3.

Also, a special thanks to all who brought their dirty

cars for the students to wash.

The money raised will go towards the annual Halloween Carnival to be held at the end of the month. Thank you!
Danetta Bible, Reporter

School Editorial

There appears to be some type of fight song, spirit song controversy rumor plaguing the principal. Mr. Goodman has received numerous calls concernign this rumor.

First of all, there is no controversy. The band has many first year participants this year and music must be chosen to fit the many varied

talents and abilities of the band members.

A decision has been made to not play any music that may embarrass any individual or the band as a group. Band is an elective and the students involved work hard.

Let's be proud of the students who participate.

Joy Pecan Shoppe
GARAGE SALE
9-5 Oct. 10
Hwy. 36 West 643-3011

Preview Reception
Sun., Nov. 1 2-5 p.m.
Original Paintings
Limited Edition Prints
by
Wayne Baize
on view, Nov. 1-15, at First State Bank
Hubbard Gift & Gallery
Rising Star 817-643-6242

FmHA Office Closed This Week

The Eastland Farmers Home Administration office will be closed from Tuesday, October 13 through Friday, October 16, so that all personnel can attend a training meeting in Dallas. Also, the office will be closed Monday, October 12 in observance of Columbus Day.

The office will be open for business on Monday, October 19 at 8 p.m.

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Pay CITY Taxes at Police Station 8-5, Wed.-Thu.
Pay SCHOOL Taxes at Eastland

Three Apply for 4H Gold Star Award

Three 4-H members from Eastland County have applied for the Gold Star award. Receiving this award is the most prestigious county honor bestowed on a 4-H member. Criteria for selection include: demonstrate leadership skills by serving as a club officer or junior or teen leader with a project group, must have participated in community service oriented activities, must turn in a record book covering project work, must have completed work in three different project areas and must have been involved in method demonstrations, 4-H contests, project exhibits, public relations and other 4-H activities.

Toby Long of Rising Star, LaDawn Little of Ranger and Natalie Stevens of Eastland are the 1987 Gold Star applicants. These young people will set up a display of their 4-H projects and undergo an interview, as well as give a speech over why they should receive the Gold Star award. They will also appear on the Harry Holt Farm Show on October 10.

A panel of judges will interview the applicants and make their decisions based on the information presented to them. Gold Star award

recipients will be announced during the annual 4-H County Awards Banquet Saturday, October 10, at the Ranger High School.

Wedding Shower
honoring
Shelly and Steve Hall
Sun., Oct. 11 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Fellowship Room Church of Christ

JUST ARRIVED!
Wide selections of grade 5 hex head bolts sizes 1/4-7/8, 1"-6" long.
Also, Long & Lilliston Peanut Combine Teeth.
FEED SPECIALS this week include,
Rangemaster 20% All Natural Range Cubes, \$4.10 for 50 lbs. or \$150 per ton (cash).
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Acco Sparacho; \$5.00 per 50 lbs.
Tastee Star Cat Food; \$7.80 per 20 lbs.
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Sealy Bedding
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Over 100 Years of Quality and Service
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