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# **Project Hoos-Gow Opens With Bang**

**Holiday Closings** 

Buddy's Plumbing & Appliances..... Dec. 24 thru 26

Carey's Automotive......24 thru 26

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Cooper's Texaco......25

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White's Elite Cafe......25

Winfrey Feed & Peanut Co......24 thru 25

The Rising Star......26

Max's Quickway and Nall's Quick Stop will be open

Rainbow Cafe will be the site of a community Christmas

Eastland County.

sent mesquite.

He said Eastland County

can brag about the hunting,

fishing, and lakes here. The

county has lots of trees, live

oak, pecan and the ever pre-

He said peanut farming is

something to brag about. He

will tell the TDC about being

able to live in an area where

you can go out and pick your

Barnes said there are lots

of reasons to enjoy living in

Eastland County and he will

stress this fact to the Texas

Department of Corrections.

Community support will

be the most important factor

for an area to be picked for a

own pecans and peanuts.

dinner. Concerned and compassionate individuals and

Those businesses OPEN are:

men" spirit of Christmas.

A spokesperson for the

Economical Development

Commission, said they will

offer the Texas Department

of Corrections a list of the

county's credentials, in the

near future. This will be in

an effort for Eastland Coun-

ty to be chosen as a site for a

Dr. Charles Barnes, pro-

ject manager, said they will

officially notify the Texas

Department of Corrections

of their interest to obtain a

the TDC know this is good

country. They will show all

the good things about

Barnes said they will let

County

Eastland

new prison.

Even as shepherd and angels sang Christmas carols at church lawn displays, housewives were busy with last minute shopping, and children were eagerly awaiting dismissal for the holidays, "Project HOOS-GOW was born with a

At a recent meeting of the Executive Board, Eastland

County Economic Development Council, it was announced by project manager, Dr. C.M. Barnes that the effort by the council to obtain a state prison for the area in 1989 would henceforth be called Project HOOS-GOW. Barnes stated that in order to meet the proposed project deadlines it would be necessary to begin

the work now rather than wait for the first of next year. "It will sort of be like a 4th of July bang in December and a reversal of the sometimes used theme of 'Christmas in July'," Barnes

The words, HOOS-GOW is not Chinese. It is a slang expression used by many Texans and Eastland Countians as a substitute for jail or prison. The term originated as a spurious substitute for the Spanish word "juzgado" meaning a justice process usually ending with a term in

At the same meeting, Dr. Barnes, reported considerable progress in the project since he was appointed manager about 2 weeks ago. The office is now located at 700 Ave. C., P.O. Box 568, and a telephone, 817-442-3413, has been secured.

The First State Bank of Rising Star and Eastland have graciously provided the building for the office and much of the furniture therein. Previously the office was located at Cisco Junior College.

The location of a site for the proposed prison will be of high priority for project HOOS-GOW. A sitting committee will be established at the next meeting of the Council Executive Board, as well as nominations for 1989 officers of the council.

### Christmas Service at First **Baptist Church**

A special Christmas worship service will be held at First Baptist Church at 10:15 end at 11 a.m.

Sunday School members

### a.m. Sunday, December 25. The Public is invited to attend the service, which will

### merchants are donating their time, merchandise, facilities and money so that everyone can have a Christmas dinner. are directed to go to the We commend those who live out the "good will toward sanctuary by 10:15 Commission To Present County

Good Points To Dept. Of Corrections prison. "The fact that this is

> Barnes said the TDC will not go where they are not wanted. He said there are too many other places who want a prison to be built in their communities, including cities where there is already

one of the five new prisons.

Barnes said the question is, "is Eastland County willing to accept the money a

chosen, the building will

start reasonably soon. Barnes said a lot of the negative worry about a prison is unfounded. He said there will be extra law enforcement officers in Eastland County with the prison. The fact that there are so many police in the area is a determent to

Eastland County. Members of the Eastland County

# **Sheriff Offers To Resign**

During a called meeting of the County Commissioners Monday Sheriff Don Underwood offered to resign his office, effective Friday, Dec. 23 at 5 p.m.

He had two stipulations to the Commissioners: that his employees draw Holiday pay for that day, and that he have vacation pay for one week after his resignation.

Underwood's term as Sheriff ends Jan. 1, 1989, so this resignation would mean that he left the office only one week early.

The Sheriff said he was going to take it anyway (a vacation for the last week), and may not be here for the inventory of his office.

He indicated that the transition between his term and that of in-coming Sheriff Dee Hogan might go more to study his offer of resignasmoothly if Hogan had a chance to finish the inventory before the Jan. 1 Holiday. This generally is a time of in-

creased lawbreaking, he reminded the Court.

Sheriff-elect Hogan, who sat near Underwood at the courtroom table, nodded agreement to the plan.

County Judge Scott Bailey said he did not know if the Court had authority to gran vacation pay to elected officials. Jo Ann Johnson, County Clerk, and several Commissioners said they were also not certain they could legally pay an elected official after his resignation.

Underwood replied that it was generally accepted that elected officials had two weeks off each year for vacations, and he was leaving town whether his resignation was accepted or not. Either was he would draw the same

The Commissioners agreed tion. They will hold an emergency meeting at 9 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 22, and give their decision on the request.

### **Delinquent Taxes Discussed By County Commissioners**

Delinquent taxes was an agenda item at the County Commissioners called meeting Monday. The Commissioners questioned why so many delinquent tax notice are going out now, some of them for taxes allegedly owed for as long as 15 years.

Commissioners Billy Bacon, L.T. Owen and Norman Christian told of people in their Precincts receiving this type of billing. Some of them also thought they were being double-billed, or were getting incorrect notices.

Sheriff Underwood reported personnel from his office was "being blamed" for part of this, since they were serving some of the notices.

One Commissioner asked why the County Tax Assessor's office hadn't been mailing out delinquent notices along time ago. County Judge Scott Bailey mentioned that the firm of Pritchard and Abbott had been requested to bring delinquent notices up to date, but they had not done

The Judge also said that the Austin firm of McCreary, Valeska, Beck and Allen had been employed to collect delinquent taxes, "because a law firm letter has more impact."

Cindy Guerra, an employee of this firm, was in the Courtroom. She has been doing tax research in the county, and discussed some aspects of this with the Court.

Several of the Commissioners said citizens had told them that certain banks and real estate firms had not informed them during property transactions of delinquent taxes on the property. The commissioners had also heard of incidents where money was turned over to a bank or bank's attorney to pay taxes on property, yet no receipts for this can be found in the tax office. So now the land-owner is being billed for taxes he as-

County Clerk Joann Johnson said: "Few people ing property that it is their responsibility to see if taxes are rendered in or out of their

name." Cindy Guerra said that delinquent taxes follow property no matter whom they are assessed against. When asked, she agreed there was a 20 yr. limitation on how far back delinquent taxes could be collected.

Willie Maude Hughes of Pct. 1 was in the Courtroom on a tax matter, she stated that she had overpaid on taxes for two years, due to her exemption being listed wrong. Now she was being billed for 1980-81 delinquent taxes on other property since inherited from her mother. She was not certain whether a receipt existed on this.

It was suggested that she see Steve Thomas, head of the Tax Appraisal office to find out more about her tax

At the end of the discussion the Commissioners passed a resolution requesting that delinquent tax notices be mailed with all current tax statements.

In other matters, Billy Bacon reported that 22 prisoners were currently in the county jail, but some were expected to make bond soon.

L.T. Owen was sworn in by Judge Bailey for another term as County Commissioner of Pct. 3.

Another meeting was set for 9 a,m. on Thursday, Dec.

# Pentecostal

### Canceled

The Friday services at the Pentecostal Church at

Pioneer will be canceled until after the holidays. Also the "Drawing Nigh to

God" fellowship meeting at the Revival Center in Cross

Plains will be canceled. The next meeting will be Friday, January 6.

Three Lady Wildcats were named to the All-Tournament team at the Santa Anna basketball tournament last Thursday, Friday and Saturday. (left to right) Stephanie Long, Stacey Wright, and Wendy Green

helped their team win the first place trophy in the tourney. The Wildcats came home with second place in the tourney. Chosen for the All-Tournament team were, from left, Reil Barron and Stacy

After playing Blanket Tuesday night, the roundballers will take a holiday break until the Blanket tournament December 30.

# May Honor Roll

Second Six Weeks 1A Grade: A- Scott Beech. B- Gary Bates, Mellissa Flowers, Jonathan Gilbert, Mandy Holmes, Brent Jones, Justin Pittman, Jeremy Walters, Randee Wren.

1B Grade: A- Mickey Harris, Casey Hardin. B- Brian Tidwell, Cody

Sosebee. 2nd Grade: A- Shana Allen, Dana Carson, Julia Crim, Shelby Crume, Stephanie Flanary, Michael Purcell, Sonya Reagen,

Stacee Ribble. B- Amber Crume, Dennis Jackson, Christie Powell.

3rd Grade: A- Dennis Bates, Leeann Epley, Kristy Jackson, Laurie Jackson, Leslie Joyner, Rachel McInnis, Chad Wheeler.

B- Brandi Baumguardner, David Gilbert, Mandi

Lindley, Steven McDaniel, Lacie Michael, Morgan Pendleton, Tammy Petross, Evon Reyna, Monica Reyna. 4th Grade: A- Daniel

Thompson, Chris Wood, Wade Landers. B- Misty Holmes, Al Terpen-

Purcell, Cody Spinks, Chase

ing, Jolea VanStory. 5th Grade: A- Matthew Beech, Lance Chambers,

David Wheeler. B- Jennifer Brown, Michael Dinwiddie, Tina Foster, Tim Pallette, Becky Scott, Crystal Tischler, Jennifer

Wells, Jacob Scott. 6th Grade: A- Teri Hardwick, Craig Hardy, Ben McInnis, Ethan Rhodes, Justin Thornhill, Ryan

B- Tera Ashworth, Tina Hardy, Nathan Henson, Bradley

Ferguson, Robin Hardy, Mike Hendrix, Jason Le-Lindley, Mina Marin. Mond, Venus Tischler,

Ashley Thompson. 11th Grade: A- Lisa Doerschuk, Guyle Donham, Resource Group Meets January 12 Gidget Goode, Tammy In-

B- Jason Boever, Clayton Breeden, Kathy Faries, Scott Ford, Michael Jackson, Katy Lancaster, Jamie Lindley, Mark Pitt-

Shalonda Miles, Brandi

Reno, Will Stewart, Rowon-

7th Grade: A- Cissy Bates,

Donna Smith, Jeanette

B- David Craig Chambers,

David Lee Chambers, Tonya

Lancaster, Vickie Lee,

8th Grade: A- Raelyn

B- Marie Fergeson, Dawn

Goode, Kevin Jones,

Russchelle McNutt, Jason

9th Grade: A-Briana Coss,

Traci Hopper, Laura Lewis,

B- Larry Bates, Lisa Epley,

10th Grade: A- Cody

Chambers, Jeremy Jones,

James LeMond, Allison

B- Andrea Alford, Ben

Shelly Hardy, Noe Scott.

Rhodes, Melissa Cloer.

na Sublett.

Tidwell.

Wheeler.

Tanya Tischler.

Thomas Hodges.

man, Natalie Tischler. 12th Grade: A- Helena Diaz, Susan Freeman, Jennifer Gregory, Michael Gwin, Wesley Jones, Harvey McKinley, Jesse Romines. B- Jackie Hendrix, Doris Nelson, Dusty Pittman,

### The Eastland County Rethe First Christian Church, is

source Association will not hold its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 21, due to Holiday Sched-

The next meeting will be at 12 noon on Wednesday, Jan. 18 at Eastland Centennial Memorial Library.

David Bondurant, Pastor of

President of the group, which was formed to assist the needy in all of Eastland County. Interested persons are encouraged to attend any of the meetings.





Thomas Salinas.

# Post Office Opens Saturday

Donham has announced that the windows at the Rising

Fort Worth, TX - The

Postal Service is already in

the middle of its heaviest

Star post office will be open

Saturday, December 17 from 7:30 - 11:00 a.m. and on Saturday, December 24 from 7:30 - 11:00 a.m. to aid postal

patrons with holiday mailing. The usual services will

Buy Stamps by Mail? Yes!

season, but the peak days In Rising Star from 7:30 to are yet to come. The follow-11:00 a.m. ing operations should help -The postal facility at both the Postal Service and DFW Airport is open 24 the mailer in having a happy hours a day, 7 days a week. holiday season.

-Window units in major

-Stamps may be purchased by phone and charged to のなるなのなるなのなるなのなるな

WHO? Everybody is Invited

WHAT? Community **Christmas Dinner** 

WHERE? Rainbow Cafe

WHEN? December 25 From 11:30 to 1:30

postal units will extend your Master Card or Visa. Call metro (214) 263-9402. hours of business especially on Saturday, December 17. -Stamps may also be purchased by mail. Ask your

> carrier or call your local post office for appropriate forms. In Rising Star, call 643-2191. Remember that post offices will be closed on Mon-

day, December 26, and January 2. We will however deliver Specials, Express Mail and perishable items on those days.

The Postal Service is proud to serve you and wish all a happy holiday season.

### School Holidays

Don't forget the school holidays. School lets out for the Christmas holidays Thursday, December 22, at 2 p.m. School will take up again on Tuesday, January

Have a safe and happy holiday!!!! Stephanie Long community calendar ...

RSNC CHRISTMAS PARTY The annual Christmas party for residents of the Rising Star Nursing Center will be Thursday, December 22, at 7:30 p.m.

EACH THURSDAY SENIOR CITIZENS

NO BINGO NEXT TWO SATURDAYS Bingo games at the local American Legion Hall will

Regular Saturday bingo will be resumed January 7.

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS

be canceled December 24 &

DINNER Everyone is invited to a Free Christmas Dinner at the Rainbow Cafe on December 25 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

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

SATURDAY Club

The Saturday Club will meet Wednesday, January 18, at City Library with Ruth Spence reading stories about "The Nice and Nasty of Brown County."

School Calendar

THURSDAY, DECEMBER School out for holidays at 2

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30

Blanket Tourney (high

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 3** School resumes at regular a county wide project will be the biggest plus for us,"

Barnes said.

a prison. The TDC already have a list of 100 cities who want to have a prison built in their location. They are expecting 200 communities to apply for

prison will bring in?" It will cost \$63,000,000 to build a prison. The county will benefit from the payroll of this construction. Barnes said if Eastland County is

criminals. This will be another plus for the safety of

Economical Development Commission are Tom Dunn and Bill Walton from Ranger, Dubb Hoffman, John Berry and Grover Hallmark, from Eastland, Brent Lassiter and Ray Daniels from Gorman, Dr. Charles Barnes, Pat Bryon and David Harris from Rising Star and Dick Woolley, Mike Moore and Don Shepard from Cisco.

# Friday Services

sumed were paid.

know, when buying or sell-

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Springs, pavement frontage, excellent deer, good tank. \$600 ac. 15 percent down. 80 ACRES near Carbon, about

20 cultivated. 1 well, tank, big oak trees & road on 3 sides. \$575 ac.

145 ACRES SW of Rising Star. Steel corral, excellent fences, 75 Coastal & Ermelo, fine hunting, ½ off pavement, low taxes. \$550 ac. ¼ down.

161 ACRES Lots bottom land. 161 ACRES Lots bottom land, pecans, 60 tillable, well fenc-ed, ½ mile Sabanna, good deer hunting, lots big oak, pecans. \$550 ac. Agent own-

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FOR SALE

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God Bless Everyone, Lela Clark

CARD OF THANKS

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# **ASCS** News

CONSERVATION COM-PLIANCE - The food Security Act of 1985 requires farmers with highly erodible land to develop a conservation plan by January 1, 1990 and actively apply the conservation plan so that the conservation system is fully functional by January 1, 1995. Active application of the conservation plan means that the practices are scheduled, operated, and maintained according to the conservation plan. Farmers who are considered to have sodbusted highly erodible land must be actively applying a conservation plan at the time the sodbusted land is planted.

SCS conservation planners are strongly encouraging farmers to schedule practice application as early as practical and reasonable. Erosion control practices must be fully operational not later than the 1994 crop year to be in compliance by January 1,

WORD OF CAUTION -Peanut marketing cards are issued to each farm producing peanuts for the purpose of recording the production of peanuts produced on that farm. Using the card to market peanuts on another farm or allowing another person to identify peanuts produced on another farm constitutes false identification of peanuts.

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be announced soon and is expected to begin the first of December 1988. The 0/92 provisions will apply and should be considered by those who think that weather conditions may hinder the profitable produc-

FEED, GRAIN AND COT-

TON bases will be mailed

later this month. Signup for

the 1989 annual program will

tion of a crop. 1989 Wheat Feed Grain and Cotton: The signup period for the 1989 wheat, feed grain, and cotton programs will begin December 19, 1988 and end April 14, 1989. Also, producers may declare their intentions to plant 10 percent to 25 percent of each program crops per-

mitted acreage to soybeans

or sunflowers during the

signup period of December

19 through February 3. Another change for 1989 allows producers to exchange any of the farm's acreage base (FAB) for oats. This exchange will not result in any increase in the acreage base and any program benefits will be those normally applicable to oats.

the estimated wheat and feed grain deficiency payments. Advance payments for cotton are limited to 30 percent of the estimated deficiency payments. Advance payments will be made in cash and will be limited to the intended program acreage.

Advance payments may

be requested on 40 percent of

Wheat and feed grain producers may participate in the 0/92 program and cotton producers will be offered the option to participate in the 50/92 program. Peanut Marketing Cards:

Please return peanut marking cards as soon as marketings are completed. Emergency Feed Program: Producers who are considering filing for emergency feed assistance

are reminded that crop

losses can not be carried for-

ward to the 1989 calendar

year. Those who think they

are eligible should file before the December 31, 1988 Disaster Assistance Act of 1988: We are still taking applications for assistance under the Disaster

Assistance Act of 1988. The

numbers you need to know:

> \$59<u>68</u> per book

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For:





### The Rising Star Tax Rebate

Payment-to-date sales tax checks delivered to Eastland County cities in December (for October sales) were up nearly four per cent over the same period last year, according to the State Comptroller's Office.

Checks to the five cities totaled \$606,936.99-and individually all but one city had increases over last year's payments.

Year-to-date totals by cities: Cisco, \$151,306.94; Eastland, \$311,834,30; Gorman, \$27,743.17; Ranger, \$97,739.15; and Rising Star, \$18,313.43.

disaster program covers losses on wheat, feed grains, cotton, peanuts, and other nonprogram crops such as hay, melons, rye, guar, peaches, pecans and other commercially grown crops. Losses will be recognized for low yield and approved

prevented planting. Holiday Notice: This office will be closed December 26, 1988 in observance of Christmas and January 2, 1989 in observance of New Year's Day. May You Have A Very

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# TOWN AND COUNTRY REVIEW

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# **Naylor's Used Cars**

Naylor's Used Cars located and it's here. The area's finest at 601 E. IH 20 in Cisco, selection of quality recondiphone 442-1842, is headquartioned cars is the main reason ters for used car values! They for the number of customers operate their lot with the who do business here again customer in mind. Small cars, and again. You can get a car family units, sports cars, this is completely inspected pickup trucks...you name it, and reconditioned, and the

result is a better more reliable vehicle. Drop in and look over their lot full of values. No profile of community business leaders would be complete without mention of this firm. Naylor's Used Cars wishes all a Happy Holiday

# First State Bank Of Ranger

Ranger, phone 647-3242, and ing and personal interest in strength of our area's eco-ous 1989!

First State Bank of Ranger each customer to cope with is located at 106 Main in their particular problems. They are interested in the has long been recognized as small depositor and the small one of the outstanding banks loan applicants as well as the in our area. They offer to the larger accounts. A great folks in our area every con- amount of praise is due the venience of a large city bank officers and directors, for they

nomic structure. Each depositor is insured up to \$100,000 by the F.D.I.C. and has encouraged each and every family to help secure their future with a sound savings plan. First State Bank of Ranger wishes all a Joyous yet maintain the understand- have contributed to the Holiday Season and Prosper-

# Comet 1 Hour Cleaners/ **Comanche 1 Hour Cleaners Hillcrest Cleaners**

Eastland, phone 629-3233 -Comanche 1 Hour Cleaners in Comanche, phone 915-356-2184 - and Hillcrest Cleaners in Breckenridge, phone 559-6671, are known fortheir quality of work done. For many years they have clothes, but the dirt and perfeatured the finest in cleaning and pressing. People are often judged by their appear- and have that dirt removed

pression the right one. It is wise to keep our clothes neat and clean at all times. It is an accepted fact that fabrics wear a great deal longer that have as they are worn. Be thrifty ance. Our clothes mean a great completely by one of these

Comet 1 Hour Cleaners in deal in making that first im- outstanding cleaners. They are also known for quality alterations, laundry service jeans, shirts, etc... and Tuxedo rentals. Bring your next cleaning to Comet Cleaners, been cleaned often. It is not Comanche Cleaners or the cleaning that wears out Hillcrest Cleaners where the employees are experienced spiration that collects in them and the equipment is the newest and most modern. Your clothes will tell the difference. They wish all a very Happy Holiday Season!

# **Comanche County Electric** Co-Op Assn.

more toward the development and progress of this section than has this reputable electric co-op. They operate one of the finest equipped utility companies in the United States. Comanche County

and in Eastland at 1311 W. Main, phone 629-3358, is owned by the members who use its services. The service furnished by this fine co-op is rendered at a low and reasonable rate. It will pay you to & Bright New Year!

It is a well known fact that Electric Co-Op Assn. located support and patronize this cothere is no institution in this in Comanche at 201 W. op. No Review of the busicommunity that has done Wright, phone 915-356-2533; ness, agricultural, and indusof the state would be complete without prominent mention of Comanche County Electric Co-Op Assn. They wish all a Joyous Christmas

# Ranger General Hospital

any community is its hospital. Such a hospital is Ranger General Hospital located on Hwy. 80 W. in Ranger, phone 647-1156. It is completely equipped and prepared to render appropriate hospital care for medical, laboratory, X-ray and the allied services.

One of the mainstays of The nurses and attendants give careful, efficient attention to all patients entrusted to their care, thereby relieving the family of additional worry and responsibility in the time of necessary hospital confinement. We in this Town and Country Review commend the management of this

hospital for the excellent service they render to the community. No more public spirited citizens could be found anywhere than the members of the administration and staff of Ranger General Hospital. They wish all Happy, Healthy Holidays!

# Jay-Way Janitorial & **Chemical Supply**

This firm is known throughout this area as being able to provide all types of janitor supplies at reasonable

Merchants and trademen in this area are invited to rely on them for all needed janitor

Jay-Way Janitorial & Chemical Supply located at 110 E. Main in Eastland, phone 629-2190, has built an enviable reputation in this area. Another feature they are noted for is their fast service.

In this Review we are happy to recommend the supplies and services offered by this building maintenance firm and suggest you call on them when your stocks run low. Happy Holidays to All!

### **Heartland Mall**

That friendly shopping area at 300 Early Blvd., in Early, phone 915-646-8531, is just waiting for you with bargains galore and some real old fashion service! We're talking about Heartland Mall and its high time that you made this fine shopping center a regular stop on your shopping excursions. Featuring a complete line of quality clothing, gifts, household items and fine eating establishments. These well known respect and patronage merchants offer some great buys on all types of goods. They also specialize in service with a capitol S! Stop in soon and see what we mean! This shopping center includes

prominent firms. Their business policies and courteous personnel have won them the throughout the area. We highly recommend Heartland Mall to all our readers. Heartland Mall and all merchants extend to all a Joyous Holiday Season and Happy 1989!



# Dear Santa...

1958 Santa letters Dear Santa Claus,

I am a little girl 8 years old, and I have been a good girl. I would like for you to bring me a Tiny Tears doll for Christmas. And please, remember all the other little boys and girls.

Your friend. Sandra Linney

Dear Santa,

I have been a good boy. Please bring me a basketball, watch and a football suit. Bring Johnny a little

Your friend, Billy Turner

Dear Santa Claus, I want a knife set to carve out things. A gun, a Jim Bowie knife, a radio set, a model T coil, some real thin

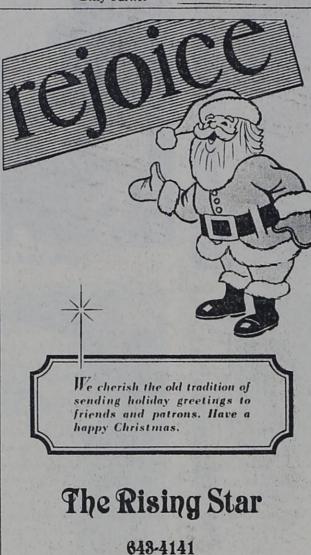
wire, a dart gun, and lots of radio things. Your friend, Mike Donham Dear Santa. I am a little boy 5 years old

and I've been pretty good. I'd like to have a stage coach and two gun scabbard, and a cowboy hat.

Jackie Rutledge

Your little friend.

Dear Santa, If all is good in the North Pole and all the little moles curled up curled up in a hole.







Higginbotham Funeral Home

Gene & Reba Lyon

I hope I get all the toys I want. A bike that has a horn

and really honks. I want a book and a puppy and I want a doll. I hope you are fine. I will be waiting in the hall! I'll try to be good.

Debbie Kay Watkins

Dear Santa,

I am 7 years old. I want a bicycle and a toy airplane, candy and fireworks.

Jack Ray Clark

Dear Santa,

I am a little girl 6 years old, and I would like for you to bring me a doll and a doll bed for Christmas, and please Santa, don't forget my little brother and sisters and all the other girls and

I love you, Debby Linney

I've tried to be a good little boy. I'm six years old and go to school. Please bring me a doctor set, a rifle, a marble game and a lantern with a

Dear Santa,

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real light. Don't forget to bring Rex and Don and Mother and Daddy something. Also bring some candy, nuts and

Love, Tony Long

Dear Santa,

I am a little boy six years old. For Christmas I want a two engine streamlined electric train, a pair of boxing gloves and a boxing bag. Bring my brother something and a doll for Denise, my little neice. Don't forget the other little boys and girls. Thank you Santa.

Gary Ware

Dear Santa,

I am a 6 year old boy in the first grade. I want a bb gun and army set. Bring my little brother, Tommy, something too. Remember Mother and Daddy and everyone else

> Waiting for you Bobby Linney

Dear Santa Claus,

I am 8 years old and I would like to have an air rifle and a football. Now don't

give me so much. Remember my brothers, John and Larry, and the other boys and girls, too.

Your friend, James Gerhardt

Dear Santa Claus, For Christmas I would like to have a shetland pony, a saddle, and a bridle, but Mother and Daddy said that until I am big enough to take care of a pony, I cannot have one. So please bring me a high heel doll and a stuffed

> Your friend, Peggy Burns

Dear Santa.

I want a bride doll, dishes, doll house, a dress, two pairs of socks and a drum. I have been a good girl this year. Love, Janet Ezzell

Dear Santa Claus,

I would like to have a watch and a basketball and a goal. Also some candy and fruit and do not forget Mack and Lawrence Dale.



Jo & Jack **Hubbard Gift & Gallery** Jack Hubbard, Soil Conservation Contractor



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Cisco Junior College

# **News Briefs**

CISCO City Manager Mike Moore says that an initial study of Williamson Dam at Lake Cisco needs to be made soon. Although there is no sign of leaking on the dam, Moore says the City Council needs to address a problem. He says there is concern about the access of going across the top of the dam and going inside the structure. He suggested they close the dam by putting up steel doors on each side of it. He recommends the Council contact Jacob and Martin Construction Co. to present a proposal to the city to make a study to find out the cost.

Hopefully this could be done

by the second Council meet-

ing in January.

A spokesperson for the Eastland County Economic Development Commission says they will soon offer the Texas Department of Corrections a list of the county's credentials. This will be part of the effort to have Eastland County chosen as the site for a new prison. Dr. Charles Barnes, project manager, says they will officially notify the Texas Department of Corrections of their interest in obtaining a prison. Barnes says they will show the good things about Eastland County, such as the hunting, fishing, lakes and trees, he will tell the TDC about being able to live in an area where you can go out and pick your own pecans and peanuts. Community Support will be the most important factor for an area to be picked for a prison, he says. The facility would hold over 2,000 inmates and employ around 700 people.

Cookies and punch will be served in the lobby of the First National Bank on Friday, Dec. 23, from 9 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to drop by for these Holiday refreshments.

Cisco Canterbury Villa Nursing Home has a new Administrator, Mel Serratt. He has been serving in the medical field for over 20 years, and received his Texas Nursing Home Administrators license in 1974. Mel Surratt's wife, Carol, teaches math at Hico High School. During his career Serratt has been in charge of four superior rated Nursing Home. The public is invited to come by Canterbury Villa and make him welcome.

### EASTLAND

The Taylor Publishing Co. is preparing to send proofs of the History Book family stories back to each of the originators. The Company and Eastland County Book Committee is urging all those families that receive proofs in the mail to check them carefully and then return them to the publisher. Once the

Sat. 10 am-2 pm

proofs are returned to Taylor, production of the book will progress fairly rapidly. If you submitted material for the book and don't receive proofs by around Jan. 20 please notify Jerry Steely, Taylor Publishing Co., Fine Books Division, 1550 West Mockingbird Lane, Dallas, Texas 75221. Additional book sales are needed, and the pre-publication price is \$52.50 plus \$3.68 sales tax and \$4 mailing cost (postal increase). Mail orders to Eastland County Family History Book, P.O. Box 856, Eastland, Tex., or call 629-2995.

There will be a special Christmas observance on Sunday, Dec. 25 at the Camp Inspiration Church of God. There will be no Sunday School on that day, and the Christmas Program will be from 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. All are welcome to attend this time of worship and celebra-

Eastland looks particularly beautiful this Christmas - it would inspire anyone to drive around and look at the glittering lights and decorations. There are decorated businesses and special residential areas where all the homes are lighted. Plans to spend an evening driving to all these areas to see how the spirit of Christmas has spread to the

The Multipurpose Center at 204 N. Lamar could use some more winter clothing, according to Peggy Roberts, Director. Coats and sweaters are especially in short supply, and other items for all ages could be used. The Center serves the needy in all of the county, helping those who are in emergency situ-

### BAIRD

The Baird Chamber of Commerce reports that last year the group spent over \$12,000 on 125 street signs, bought paint for the downtown painting project, paint for the city-owned Depot, and taxes and rent for the Chamber Bingo games. They also donated to the Baird Volunteer Fire Department, gave to the City Park, and contributed to Meals on Wheels. The Chamber still has 44 new street signs waiting to be installed, and this is expected to cost around \$1,700.

The City of Baird plans to repair and reinstall trash receptacles downtown, and also install handrails on the ramps for the handicapped downtown. Also a general cleanup of the town is planned, backed by recent ordinances. These recent enactments include a junk, trash, weeds and delapidated buildings ordinance, an abandoned and junked vehicle ordinance, and

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THE BARGAIN 601 East 1-20 Cisco 301 E. College **Rising Star New Shipment Has Arrived** New **Ladies Clothes Sizes 6-52** Jewelry, **New Furniture & Gifts Some Antiques** "All Clothes 40% Off **Until Christmas**" Open Mon.-Fri. 10 am-5:30 pm

a grass, weeds, brush and uncultivated plants ordinance.

There will be a Holiday Bake Sale Thursday, Dec. 22 at the First National Bank of Baird. This is sponsored by The Meadow organization, and will start at 9:10 a.m. The ladies will have homebaked rolls, pecan, mincemeat, pumpkin, apple, cherry and sweet potato pies, and many other good things. The Meadow will use proceeds from this sale for community improvements.

New rules applicable to 1989 payment limitations have been received by the Callahan County ASCS office, says Scott Odom, County Executive Director. "We will begin work on determining payment eligibility. The new rules require a producer to be actively engaged in farming before they will be eligible to receive 1989 program benefits." Odom also stated that the county committee must make an "actively engaged" determination for every person who receives any payment, no matter how small.

### RANGER

The last of the 1988 Christmas "Open House" days are fast approaching in Ranger. On Thursday, Dec. 22 the Lone Star Gas Co. will hold Open House from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. On Dec. 22 the Pickrell Insurance will hold Open House from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. Then on Friday, Dec. 23 the First State Bank will hold Open House during regular banking hours. The people of Ranger and the area have enjoyed all the Open Houses during this season, and the turnout has been good.

Caprice Scott, missionary, will speak on Wed., Dec. 21 at 7 p.m. at the First Christian Church. Caprice has been a missionary in the New York ghettos for the past two years, following her past ministry in Kenya, Africa. One of the main areas of her work in New York is her ministry to drug addicts and to AIDS victims and their children. She will show slides dealing with these subjects, as well as highlights of other New York activities. All interested persons are cordially invited to attend this presentation. Refreshments will be served following the program.

The next meeting for the United Methodist Women will be on Jan. 9, 1989 at 10 a.m. in the home of Ruth Glenn. The co-hostesses will be Marie Mahaffey and Vera Criswell.



# **Fishing Outdoors**

By Terry L. Wilson

### Study Casts New Light On **Spike Buck Question**

AUSTIN-An ongoing study of mule deer bucks in the Trans-Pecos region of Texas suggests that a high incidence of spike bucks in the yearling age class is normal, and that spikes should not necessarily be considered inferior deer.

Bill Russ of Sanderson, a Texas Parks and Wildlife Department biologist, is in charge of the investigation aimed at determining if mule deer spike bucks are inferior to bucks that have forked antlers during their first year of life. Spike bucks have single antlers with no prongs

Russ wrote in a report that a majority of buck mule deer yearlings are spikes during their first year. This percentage tends to increase during dry years when range conditions are poor.

The same is true for whitetailed deer spikes, said Horace Gore, white-tailed deer program leader. "Studies on the Kerr Wildlife Management Area have shown that the percentage of spikes taken by hunters may triple or quadruple following lengthy

A total of 324 mule deer were trapped for the West Texas study during the three years from 1986 through 1988, including 102 fawns and yearlings. The animals were marked with ear tags and freeze brands for subsequent identification, and then released at the trap site.

"Of the 39 known-age yearling bucks we marked, 34 have been sighed or retrapped," said Russ. "A total of 28; or 82 percent, of these bucks were spikes."

On the other hand, 12 of the 18 known-age 2.5-year-old bucks were documented, and only one was a spike. A 3.5year-old eight-pointer was a spike when trapped as a yearling, Russ said.

"There has been a great deal of misinformation and misinterpretation of information concerning spike bucks," said Bob West, wildlife regional director in San Angelo. "The 'kill all spikes' attitude is now being applied to desert mule deer. The department has never recommended culling spike mule deer."

West believe deer management is a complex situation with virtually no easy answers. "Poorrange conditions almost always produce low quality animals with smaller antlers," he said. "Spike bucks have become scapegoats, animals to be blamed for mismanagement of Texas' deer herds. The taking of spikes has never been shown to improve deer quality unless the total herd is managed."

West said the mule deer study is not yet complete, but so far the data indicate that the incidence of spike bucks in mule deer populations reflects weather conditions, and that spike fawns and yearlings have a chance to develop into good-quality, forkantlered bucks later if range conditions allow.

"Shooting spike bucks is no cure-all for lack of quality," said Gore. "Trophy bucks, whether mile or whitetail, require two things; age and nutrition. If these two requirements are met, everything else naturally falls into

# **Texas Top Largemouth Bass**

#	(1b)	GHT (oz)	LENGTH (inch)	ID.	AGE (yrs)	RESERVOIR	DATE	ANGLER
		10 70	27 50		10	Taka Faule	Nov. 96	Mark Stevenson
	* 17	10.70	27.50			Lake Fork	Nov-86	
2	17	4.16		*****		Lake Fork	Feb-88	Larry Barnes
	* 16	14.58	27.63	FLMB		Pinkston	Feb-86	Earl Crawford
4	16	12.32	A second			Mill Creek	Har-88	Herchel Brickey
5	16	9.44	26.00			Lake Fork	May-87	Guy Whitherspoor
6	16	2.50	26.00			Gibbons Creek	Jan-88	Troy Johnson
7	16	1.00	27.50			Lake Fork	Mar-88	Tom Hallum
8	15	8.50	27.00	100000		Lake Fork	Apr-87	Dennis Canada
9	* 15	8.00	25.75	7-1		Echo (private)	Feb-81	John Alexander
10	15	3.75	27.50			Welsh	Dec-83	Bill Ockerhause
11	15	3.00	27.00			Houston County	Har-88	Terry Walling
12	15	2.00	27.50	FLHB		Jacksonville	Apr-86	Melvin Berry
13	14	14.00	27.00			Lake Fork	May-88	Art Keenom
14	14	13.28				Lake Fork	Mar-88	Robby Bickley
15	14	12.25	25.00			Lake Fork	Feb-88	H. L. George
16	14	10.00	26.50	FLMB		Hill Creek	Mar-86	Mike Reeve
17	14	8.80	28.00			Lake Murvaul	Feb-88	Larry Schubert
18	14	8.48	27.00			Lake Fork	Jul-88	Gaylan Wooldrid
19	14	8.00	28.50			Lake Fork	Apr-88	Jeff Neighbors
20	14	6.75	25.63			Jacksonville	Mar-86	Eddie Lumpkins
21	14	6.50				Houston County	Mar-86	Dan Bush
22	14	6.4	25.25	1		Hill Creek	Mar-88	James Jordan
	* 14	5.00	26.63	F-1		Echo (private)	Jan-81	John Alexander
24	14	3.50				Honticello	Feb-84	Jackie Walker
25	14	3.36	25.00			Hurvaul	Har-87	Stan Ritter
-	* 14	1.50	28.00	FLMB		Monticello	Feb-80	Jim Kimbell
27	14	1.00				Honticello	Jan-84	Max Roach
28	14	1.00	28.00			Pinkston	Hay-85	Ronnie Denard
29	14	0.32	27.25			Nacogdoches	Har-86	Jimmy Williams
30	13	15.00	26.00			Lake Fork	Jul-87	Tony Clark
31	13	14.50	27.00	F-X	7	Lake Fork	Jun-86	Todd Hunter
	+ 13	14.00	07.00			Choke Canyon	Nov-88	T.L. Rutherford
33	13	13.00	27.00	-		Jacksonville	Feb-86	Robert Parker
34	13	13.00	23.66	FLMB	9	Mill Creek	Mar-86	Mike Reeve
35	13	12.00	26 00			Houston County	Oct-85	Paul Sivy
36	13	12.00	26.00	PINE		Mill Creek	Sep-87	Don Gilley
37	13	11.68	27.00	FLMB		Private Lake	Sep-86	Bennie Boles
38	13	10.56	26.75			Hill Creek	Aug-66	Bill Ballard
39	13	10.56	24.75		9	Lake Benbrook	Feb-88	Bill Lynn
40	13	9.92	25.90			Private Lake	Oct-86	Lynn Kelley
41	13	9.76	25.50			Lake Fork	Apr-88	Kirk Balsley
42	13	9.50	25.00		-	Private Lake	Jan-87	Dan Berg
43	13	9.28	21.50		7	Lake Fork	Feb-88	Michael Kubecke
44	13	9.12	24.50			Lake Fork	Har-87	Rodney Allen
45	13	9.00				Calaveras	Jul-84	Bill Guilliani
46	13	8.50	27.00		11	Nacogdoches	Apr-87	Keith Drewery
	* 13	8.00	28.75			Medina	Jan-43	H. R. HaGee
48	13	8.00	26.00			Lake Fork	Feb-86	Alden Clifton
	13	8.00	27.00			Possum Kingdom	Har-86	R, Marshall
49 50	13	8.00	27.00			Houston County	Mar-86	Mark Hill

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ID- FLMB - Florida bass, F-1 - 1st generation hybrid, and F-X - Later gen. hyb.

# Eleventh **Court Of Appeals**

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

### **AFFIRMED**

11-88-028-CR Travis Green v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Arnot) Mitchell

11-88-115-CR Rita Marie Snow v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Arnot)

11-88-144-CR Jed Adams v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) Harris Darrian of the

700, LB 39, Dallas, TX

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11-88-158-CR Earnest Selestino v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Dicken-

11-88-161-CR Glen Gordon v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Opinion) Brazos

son) Harris

### MODIFIED & AF-FIRMED

11-88-080-CV W.A. Stephenson, Jr., and W.A. Stephenson, Sr. v. Nancy L. Downey. (Opinion by Judge Dickenson) Coleman

REVERSED & RE-MANDED

11-88-016-CR Darriel Wayne Whitehead v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Arnot) Palo Pinto

11-88-024-CR Larry Dan Beard v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) Scurry

APPEALS DISMISSED 11-88-153-CR Darssie Dolores Irvin v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Order)

11-88-245-CR Arthur Clay McIntire v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Order) Howard MOTIONS SUBMIT-**TED & GRANTED** 

11-86-272-CR Jerry Broseh v. State of Texas. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file brief. Coleman

11-87-192-CR Brenda Gail (Perry) Andrews v. State of Texas. State's second motion for extension of time to file brief. Eastland 11-88-068-CR Daniel Per-

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dismiss appeal. Harris 11-88-184-CR Walter Isaac Harlmon v. State of Texas. State's motion for extension of time to file brief. Brown

11-88-185-CR John Randal Locknane v. State of Texas. Appellant's motion for permission to file late statement of facts. Scurry

11-88-199-CR Carol Johnene Morris v. State of Texas. Appellant's third motion for extension of time to file file brief. Scurry

11-88-224-CR Michael Anthony Schultz v. State of Texas. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts. Palo Pinto

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# **AARP Director Alerts Older Consumers**

"AARP does not offer any

DALLAS-"Olderconsumers should beware of telephone solicitors and door-todoor salesmen claiming to represent the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP)," reports AARP Texas State Director and chief volunteer, Jim Bergen.

Telephone solicitors claiming to be representatives of AARP are operating throughout Texas. They usually do not mention that they are hired by the Allied Association of Retired Persons of Beaumont, Texas, not the 30 million member American Association of Retired Persons.

The telephone solicitors, claiming to represent AARP, will discuss "funeral insurance benefits" and if the older consumer responds positively, the telephone caller arranges an appointment for a salesman to visit the indi-

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vidual.

insurance products by telephone solicitation or through local agents. We have no salesman of any kind who call on members in their homes," states Bergen. Bergen suggests that any-

one contacted by telephone or by salesmen claiming to represent AARP or the Social Security Administration should contact the Texas Attorney General's office, the Texas State Board of Insurance, or their local law enforcement agency. AARP members receiving this type of information should send it to the regional office in Dal-

AARP, Area VII Office, 8144 Walnut Hill Lane, Suite



A message from this newspaper and the Texas Dept. of Public Safety



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The 4-H Beef Project will meet Friday, Dec. 30, at 9:00 a.m. at the Moylan Steer Barn, north of Eastland. Curt Jergens, 4-H leader, will demonstrate how to trim hooves and discuss the importance of structural correctness. We will also work on showmanship, All 4-H mem-

aged to attend with their 4-

H'ers.

bers, parents, with beef projects are invited to attend. Please bring your calves.

Twenty-four 4-H members and parents attended the 4-H Rabbit Project training last week. The next training is

February 11, 1989. Mark your calendars for this date. Monday, January 9, 1989,

scheduled for Saturday,

is the date for the countywide drug training concerning livestock show animals. The meeting will be held at the Eastland National Bank Community Room from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. All major livestock show exhibitors are required to attend.

# Gordon Spot

By DeMarquis Gordon, County Agent

A special seminar on "Buying More Farmland" will be held February 3, 1989, at Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, 17360 Coit Road, Dallas, 9:30-4:00.

The seminar is designed to explore the "best" way of

.....to a clear conscience and a good night's sleep is the feeling of security in

owning your own home with with a clear title. Peculiar to the real estate field,

values are based on land and the improvements thereon, if any. But values on

these are based on the title. The title then becomes the most important item to

be considered when purchase of real property is contemplated. So be careful to

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buy good title based on an abstract of title or a policy of title insurance.

The Next Best Thing -

buying more land from Texas farms and ranches, says Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economist and attorney with the Texas agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Even if there is not a "best way," maybe we can

keep people from making mistakes that were common in the past.

Discussions will center on economies of scale, projecting cash flows, financing alternatives and tax planning.

Farm purchase agreements include many clauses, notes Hayenga, and many of these will be discussed at the seminar. Benefits and restrictions to both sellers and buyers will be addressed.

One major consideration is projecting income from both the existing operation and the additional land. Dr. Ken Stokes, Extension Economist from Dallas will discuss this

Financing alternatives will be covered. Price and interest trade-offs will be calculated with a look at the tax situation of both the buyer and seller.

Ways to take title to the new farm to save both income and estate taxes will be the highlight of the afternoon program.

This is the first time Extension is hosting this program.

As many of Texas farmers buy the land "right."

from my lawn? I've heard that question several times lately. I think most people hope the answer is "no." They reason that the thick coat of tree leaves will protect the grass from freezing temperatures and that is right. However, the lawn specialists say the tree leaves keeps moisture on the grass and promotes all the fungus diseases which will do more damage than the freeze.

It is much better to rake the

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Thursday, December 22, 1988

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SHIP SHAPE - Remodeled, 2BR, 1 bath, complete

with mini blinds.E31
YOUR DREAM HOME! 3Br, 2½ bath in exclusive neighborhood. Study, entertainment centers and more add to the beauty of this 3 yr. old home.E35
AFFORDABLE CRESTWOOD HOME - Spacious
3BR, 2 bath, beautiful kitchen, sunken LR, sauna, much more. CALL TODAY!E36
VES YOU CAN OWN A RPICK HOME for under YES, YOU CAN OWN A BRICK HOME for under \$40,000.00! See th SOLD 17/4 bath home on large lot. Many extras! E.22

UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY to own a large 3 BR, 2 bath home for under \$30,000.00! CALL US!!E12 COUNTRY LIVING IN TOWN! Nearly new large custom home. Heat pump, rock fireplace, office. Beautiful oak covered lot.E23
STOP! Look at this budget S-T-R-E-T-C-H-E-R! 2

BR in nice neighborhood. Under \$15,000.00.E1 GREAT PRICE & LOCATION for growing family. Needs some work, 3 BR, 2 bath.E38 WELL KEPT 3 BR, 2 bath home, large gameroom

and storage. Beautiful yard, privacy fence.E3
BUDGET PRICED! Neat 2 BR, 1 bath frome home, carport, Stg. Nice location, pretty yard.E10
BRICK, 2 BR, 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> bath. Formal living & dining,
Den with fireplace. A "Nice" home.E20
LOW DOWN, LITTLE CLOSING COSTS-BELOW MARKET F SOLD NG! Freshly painted,
spacious 3 BR, 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>5</sub> bath, nice location, beautiful

NEEDS SOME WORK! 2 BR, 1 bath frame with

LIVABLE & LOVABLE, 3 BR, 1 bath brick. Some built-ins. Nicely landscaped. Priced under STORAGE GALORE in this 3 BR, 2 bath home

with sunken den. 4 car carport and workshop. VACANT LOT - COMMERCIAL AREA, near downtown. Frontage on N. Lamar, access from

Patterson St. Owner will finance.E30
ON A BUDGET? PRICE REDUCED on this affordable 2 BR, 1 bath home - lg. living area, gar./

NOTHING OVERLOOKED in making this quality home the ultimate in beauty. 3 BR, 2 bath brick. Many built-ins. Security & sprinkler systems. LOADED WITH EXTRAS!E5 SHADED CORNER LOT - 2 BR, 1 bath frame.

Central heat, metal stg. bldg.E6 OWNER FINANCE - 3 BR, 2 bath, large home on corner lot. A bargain at \$19,500.00.E12 SHORT OF CASH? Flexible financing available

on remodeled 3 BR, 2 bath frame home, central H/

# OTHER

LIVE AT THE LAKE & VACATION YEAR-ROUND in this 2 BH SOLD home, many amenities. Redwood deck, boat dock, deeded waterfront

LAKE LEON-New 3 BR, 2 bath, brick home on deeded waterfront lot, under construction. BLY NOW and choose carpet.O13
LAKE LEON-Beautiful waterfront lot with large 2 BR home, fireplace, central H/A, Staff water. VERY

NICE!06 CARBON cozy 3 BR, 2 bath on nice lot.O22 LAKE LEON, GOOD LOCATION. 3 BR, 1 bath on leased waterfront lot. Deep water, near dam.

Patio, Stg. & carpet. Priced under \$30,000.03 RANGER, 6 yr. old Brick on 2 lots. 3 BR, 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>2</sub> bath. Some built-ins.O14 CISCO, Beautiful remodeled home on corner lot. Privacy fence, above ground swimming pool. Near school. A steal at \$39,000.00!O1

OLDEN-'FIX ME UP" Large 2 story house & store on approx. 3/, ac.O2
RANGER-COUNTRY ATMOSPHERE& 3 BR,

11/, bath brick on nice Lot!O4

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SPACIOUS 2 BR, 2 bath home on 1.4 AC, m/l. Central H/A, F/P and more!HA14 PRICE REDUCED-4 BR brick on 225 AC or will split 10 ac & house. Some cult., peanut quota & more. NW of Desdemona.HA11

198 ACRES with early 1900's home-joins Eastland City Limits. EXCELLENT TO SUBDIVIDE! Hwy. frontage, rustic trees.HA8

FIXER UPPER! 2 RP. 1 bath on 1.5 AC, m/l. Nice setting. Large tre 32 ACRES m/l with 3 BR home, access to Lake Leon. Staff water & well, stock tank, barn, shed. producing gas well, 1/, royalty. HA17

"NEARLY NEW" 3 BR, 13/, bath brick on 4 acres surrounded by oak trees. A nice place!HA19 PRICE LOWERED on 3 BR, 21/, bath brick on 5 acres near Lone Cedar Country Club.HA7 11.85 ACRES with 3 BR frame home, near Lake

Leon. Kleingrass, 1 stock tank, staff water. Pavement 3 sides.HA2 COUNTRY RETREAT! 5 Acres with lovely, large 3 BR, 21/, bath brick home, 2 living areas, 2 fire-

places, many amenities.HA3 CISCO-2 BR on 11/, Acres, City sewer and water makes for country living in the City!HA4 112.1645 ACRES m/l with 3 BR home. Cult., sandy

soil, highway frontage. REASONABLY PRICED!HA10 NEAR LONE CEDAR COUNTRY CLUB Beautiful Brick house on 5 Acres. Spacious 3 BR & den or

4 BR, 21/, bath, many extras!HA7 40 ACRES WITH 2 BR HOUSE-needs some repairs. Land is cleared, sandy soil, some coastal, some minerals. Stock tank, city water well. EX-

**CELLENT LOCATION!HA 21** OAK TREES SURROUND 61/, yr. old 2 BR, 1 bath on 7.9 Acres. \$10,000 down & Owner Finance! HA5 ROCK HOME & 10.8 ACRES-Convenient to Eastland, Cisco, Breckenridge. 3 BR, 2 bath. Well,

barn, tank. OWNER FINANCE!HA22 OLDEN-"ROOM TO SPARE"-extra large home & 10 ac., 3 garages & more!HA20

### ACREAGE

LAKE LEON-EXCELLENT RECREATIONAL OR BUILDING SITE! Approx. 4 acres with high-way frontage and lake frontage. Trees!A1 SO. OF CISCO, 158 AC, peanut cultivation, pas-ture & wooded with deer. Highway frontage.A3 239 ACRES REDUCED TO SELL! Some coastal, brush, pasture, 3 tanks. TURKEY, DEER &

MINERALS!A17 80 ACRES W. Ga SOLD cult., pasture, bottom RANGER, 92.675 ACRES-Scattered trees, some coastal & minerals. 3 Stock tanks, water well & septic system. Good building site! A5 8.9 ACRES, CARBON-excellent location

ment. City water, some trees.A6 LAKE LEON-20 ACRES m/l, stock tank, barn, fenced. Adjacent deeded waterfront lotA8 CARBON, 125 AC, m/l-2 small tanks, fenced & crossfenced. Some improved grasses. Highway frontage. Good building site!A11
N. OF EASTLAND-393.48 ac. Various native

grasses, oak & mesquite trees. 3 tanks. Deer, turkey and quall.A4

2 ACRES-MORTON VALLEY excellent building site. Water meter available. Highway frontage.A9

EDGE OF EASTLAND, <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> acres homesite - oak trees, city utilities available.A2

5.2922 AC. LAKESIDE COUNTRY CLUB. Nice

### COMMERCIAL

building site. Owner Finance! A12

LOOK! EXCELLENT COMMERCIAL PROP-ERTY! 125 ft. frontage on access road at I-20 exit with 2500 sq. ft. metal building. Inventory

153' OF I-20 ACCESS FRONTAGE, near Eastland with 2.5 ac. & office. Excellent set up for oilfield business.C3

EXCELLENT LOCATION, excellent automotive type building & bu SOLD reat opportunity!C4 LAKE LEON AREA-Store w/3 BR, 1 bath home. 2 underground fuel tanks. Hookups for 4 mobile homes & 7 campers. PRICED RIGHT!C5 4 APARTMENTS in need of a helping hand. PRICED CHEAP!C6

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and ranchers are thinking about selling land because of the current financial situation, others will want to buy the land. We hope to help buyers

> A registration fee of \$75 will be charged, which includes the cost of meals and materials. For registration information contact us at the County Extension office in the courthouse basement or call 629-1093.

> Should I remove the leaves

leaves, decompose them and

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11011/2 W. 12th

And Rising Star

1 Mile West & 1 Mile South Of Cottonwood

### BIG COUNTRY R.E. DANA (BRK) 442-3958

Nice Cent H/A 2bd on W. 5th \$32,500. 3bd on 5th, fenced, porch, guest house, more. 3bd corner, lg rooms, patio, porch, garage. We handle rentals and HUD repos. Sacrifice: SOLD c: \$22,000 or offer. Rising Star: Make An Offer; house & 1/2 ac. Homes on Acres. Various prices & locale.

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# **CISCO HOMES**

Believe It! Homes under \$10,000. Owner Fin. possible. Mobile homes, \$15,000 & less, 2 & 3BR, large yards. Assumable! Only \$1,100 down, Approx \$150 per month. Immediate Occupancy, 2BR, Sep DR, utility room, exerior repainted recently.

Super Buy! 3BR, home, Sep DR, large rooms, corner lot, wner fin. available. Come Look-Numerous other 2 & 3BR homes under

Worth looking into, 3BR, 1 3/4 bath home on 14 lots. Attention Horseowners! 3BR, 1 3/4 bath home on 4 lots, arge barn with stables.

Oldie but Goodie 3BR, 13/4 baths, 2 living areas, formal DR, CH/CA, detached apt., 3 lots, owner fin. av.

Recently remodeled 2BR home, work shop, on 4 lots, plus water well and many trees. Freshly painted, new carpet, 3BR home in nice area,

some owner fin. available. Spoil yourself with this 3BR, 2 bath home, Sep Den, patio, carport, many extras.

Peaceful neighborhood! Lovely 3BR 1 3/4 bath home, CH/CA, 13 lots, water well, plus a 2BR home. Gently Lived In, 3BR 1 3/4 bath home, CH/CA large formal DR/LR comb., sep. den, fireplace, fenced yard, many

trees. Extras Galore! Lovely 3BR home, CH/CA, fireplace, covered deck, carport, large storage bldg, beautiful yard. Country Club Rd. Rock Home on approx. 1 acre, 2BR,

CH/CA, orchard, owner fin. available. Nice selection of 3 & 4BR brick homes with CH/CA, starting at \$27,000. Various sizes. Call for details.

Variety of 2 story homes, some remodeled, others waiting for your finishing touch. Each with their own unique

RESIDENTIAL LOTS: Call for deails. HUD REPOSSESSIONS— Call for information. LAKE CISCO AREA: Homes in various sizes. FOR RENT: Large 4BR, 2 bath older brick home and a freshly painted 2BR home. Both are in Cisco.

# COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES

Need a place to start a new business? Try downtown Cisco. Only \$14,000 for this building with CH/CA, owner fin.

Doctor's Clinic or Large Office Building, like new, with CH/CA, large parking area.

### ACREAGE AND COUNTRY HOMES Many extras with this spacious 3 or 4BR, 13/4 bath rock

home on 4.07 acres. Spectacular View, lovely 3 BR, 212 bath brick home,

CH/CA, many special features, on 3.64 wooded acres. Approx. 13 acres, sandy loam, coastal, oak trees, \$11,000. 3BR brick home on 29.6 acres, mostly wooded, tank, South of Cisco, 48.63 acres, partly wooded, \$21,500. 160.7 acres, pasture and farmland, tank, creek, lots of urkey and other game, \$370, per acre.

173 acres near Rising Star, sandy learn fields, owner may

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organic material for gardens and flower beds. The leaves can be decomposed in a compost pile or an easier approach is to compost them by simply putting wet leaves in sealed plastic leaf bags for eight to nine months, at which time they will have decom-

use them later as a source of

important that the leaves be wet, otherwise they will not decompose. location is also important,

Organic matter should be added to the garden soil every year in Texas since organic matter decomposes more rapidly in our warm climate than in the cooler northern areas of the country.

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More! \$100,000

Master Suite, Outstanding!

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Big Kitchen, \$88,000.

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Acres, \$85,000.

posed adequately to be area towns will not be visited worked into the soil. It is at all in the first quarter of the year. The number of visits to Eastland will remain the

same, but have been cut in Placing the bags in a shaded Cisco and Ranger to one visit each month. Please not these otherwise the direct sunlight changes. can decompose the bags, thus allowing the leaves to dry out.

cial Security office says: "The 800 number allows you to conduct your Social Security business without waiting for a scheduled trip. "Due to our reduced staffing, we are experimenting

EASTLAND HOMES AND LOTS

Den, Woodburning Fireplace, Double-Size Master

Suite, Solarium, Upstairs Studio, Garage Apt., &

Living/Dining Combo, Big Den w/Woodburning

Fireplace, Large Kitchen w/Breakfast Nook, Sep.

Beautiful 4 BR, 3 Bath, Brick Home, Formal

Custom Built 3 BR, 17, Bath, Brick, Large Den

w/Woodburning Fireplace & Wet Bar, Gameroom,

Sep. Dressing Areas in Master BR, Custom Drapes,

Scenic Acres just outside City Limits, Stately Oak

Trees, Covered Porch and Balcony, Shown By

5,000 sq. ft., Formal Living & Dining, Comfortable

Den, Great Kitchen, Office, Gameroom, All the

Suite w/Sitting Rm., Abt. 2,376 sq. ft., on 9 Wooded

21/, Bath, Abt. 3,000 sq. ft., Petrified Wood Fireplace,

CH/CA, City Water, Lots of Storage, Good Fences,

Brand New "Spec" House situated on Lovely South Seaman Street, CH/CA, Builtins, Plush Car-

pet, Neutral Colors for "Light & Bright" Atmos-

phere, \$72,000. 3BR, 2Bath, Brick Home situated on 9.67 Wooded

place, Formal Dining Room, Just a few miles from

Corner Lot, 3 BR, 13/4 Bath, CH/CA, Ceiling

Priced to Sell! Pretty 3 BR, 11/, Bath, Brick, CH/

2-Story, 3 BR, 13/4 Bath, Brick, CH/CA, New

Hear Ye, Hear Ye! Extra Nice 3 BR, 2 Bath,

Doublewide ideally situated on approx. 1 ac. Lake-

Unit, Chainlink Fence, Lots of Trees, \$24,000.

Nice 3 BR, 13/, Bath, Frame w/Siding, 5 Ceiling

Fans, Refrigerated Window Units, Detached Garage

& Storage Building, Very Well Kept Home, \$24,500. 3 BR, 2 Bath, Doublewide, CH/CA, Builtins,

Fireplace, Situated on Approx. 1 Ac. overlooking

Lakeside golf Course and near Eastland Lake,

House to be Moved, Large 2 BR w/nice sized Living Rm. & Kitchen, \$8,000.

Kitchen, New Carpet, CH/CA, Dishwasher, Fenced Yard, Storage Shed, \$33,500.

3 BR Frame w/Brick Trim, Beautiful Remodeled

Ideal South Dixle Street, Comfortable 3 BR, 2

3 BR Frame w/Siding, Woodburning Stove, Ceil-

Must Sell! 2 BR Frame w/Stucco on W. Main,

1983 Model 3 BR, 2 Bath Mobile Home, 14' x 80'

3 BR on 11/, Lots, Detached Garage, Storm Cel-

4 BR, 13/, Bath, Approx. 1,800 sq. ft., near major

Total Electric, CH/CA, Dishwasher, Carpet, on 2

lar, Pretty Trees, Close in, Owner Finance, \$18,500.

convenience store, \$20,000.

3 BR, 2 Bath, CH/CA, Carpet, Storm Windows,

Ceiling Fans, Fenced Yard, Large Shed, New Plumb-

Carpet, Drapes, Builtins, on abt. 5 ac. w/Hwy. Frontage, Barn, Shop Bldg., Garage, & Sheds, \$55,000.

4 BR, CH/CA, Cooktop & Oven, Covered Patio,

Chainklink Fence, Large Shop Building, Nice Trees,

Lake Leon, 3 BR, 2 Bath, Brick, abt. 2,000 sq. ft., CH/CA, Deeded Lots, plus 3 Rentals (2 BR Mobile

Home, 1 BR Frame Home, 1 BR w/Siding) all for

Heater, Carpet, Staff Water, 2 Deeded Lots, Small Guest House, \$40,000.

Lake Leon, Brand New 3 BR, 2 Bath, Brick Home, Redwood Deck overlooking lake, Deeded Lot,

Lake Leon, 3 BR, 13/, Bath Mobile Home under full roof, 14' x 70', CH/CA, Builtins, Boat House &

Lake Leon, 3 BR, 13/, Bath, Brick, Deeded Lot,

Near Lake Leon Dam, 3 BR, 2 Bath Modular

Staff Water, Boat dock, Deep Water, Furniture In-

Dock, Deeded Lot, Staff Water, \$35,000.

Lake Leon, 3 BR Frame, CH/CA, Woodburning

5 BR, 2 Bath, approx. 2200 sq. ft., New CH/CA,

ing Fans, Fenced Yard, Fruit Trees, Near School, \$35,000.

Dishwasher, Fresh Paint, Chainklink Fence, \$15,500.

2 BR Frame, CH/CA, Carpet, \$28,500.

Lots, Assumable Loan, \$20,000.

ing & Wiring, \$33,000.

Staff Water, \$85,000.

cluded, \$45,000.

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Carpet, Separate Living Areas, Patio, Privacy Fence,

Corner Lot, Preferred Location, \$53,500.

CA, Carpet, Builtins, Fireplace, Playroom, Storage

Fans, Custom Drapes, Formal Dining, Spacious

Kitchen, Large Master BR, Patio, B-B Court, De-

tached 3-Rm. Garage, \$60,000.

Building, Corner Lot, \$48,500.

priced accordingly, \$30,900.

Nestled on approx. 10 ac., Brick 2-Story, 3 BR,

Unique 2-Story Cedar Home, Very Modern, CH/ CA, Rock Fireplace, Sky-Lights, Large Master BR

White 2-Story, 5 BR, 2 Bath, Situated on 131/

Fabulous 4 BR, 3 Bath, 2-Story, Brick, Approx.

Social Security Schedule est quality service that we can. According to information We will advise you of any received from the Social additional changes. Your Security office in Abilene, cooperation is appreciated." there have been some Travel Schedule changes in Eastland

You can call Social Secu-County and the area. Some rity toll-free seven days a week, 24 hours a day. The number is 1-800-234-5772. TRAVEL SCHEDULE

FOR JANUARY, 1989 CISCO: Senior Citizens Center, Wed. 1 p.m. - Jan. 18. EASTLAND: Courthouse

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Basement, Tues. 9:30 a.m. -

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ment Area, \$2,500 to \$5,500. Wooded Lot near Eastland Lake, Approx. 3/4 ac., \$9,200. Mobile Home may also be purchased w/ property if desired. La Mancha Area, Lake Leon, Lake Lots priced

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Choose yours while selection is good!

HOMES AND LOTS: OLDEN, CARBON, GORMAN, CISCO, RANGER, MORTON

Carbon, Like New 3 BR, 2 Bath, Brick Home,

CH/CA, Carpet, Drapes, Builtins, Fireplace, Storage Bldg., 2-Car Garage, Corner Lot, \$52,500. Carbon, 3 Room House, Owner Finance, \$2,500. Olden, 3 BR, 2 Bath, Brick, 2 Living Areas, CH/ CA, Covered Patio, Carpet, Carport, City Water, on

approx. 1 ac., \$36,500. Olden, 3 BR, 1<sup>1</sup>/, Bath, Brick, New Carpet, CH/ CA, Ceiling Fans, Utility Rm., Covered Patio w/Gas Grill, 2 Water Wells, 18 Pecan Trees, 2.2 ac., \$65,000. Olden, 3 BR, 13/4 Bath, Brick, CH/CA, Fireplace, Builtins, Covered Patio, Storage Shed, Chainlink

Acres near Eastland & Lake Leon, CH/CA, Fire-Fence, Approx. 1 ac., \$69,000. Olden, 3 BR, 11/2 Bath, City Water, Storm Windows, Storm Cellar, Fences, Approx. 2.96 ac., \$36,500.
Ranger, Approx. 5 ac., 2 Mobile Home Hookups,
City Water, \$4,000.
Cisco, 3 BR, 2 Bath, on 2 Lots, Covered Deck,
Carpet, Siding, Double Carport, Storage Bldg., Oak Hollow Beauty, 3 BR, 2 Bath, 2 CH/CA Units, Rock Fireplace, Builtins, Wet Bar, Garden Tub, Mission Brick, Approx. 2,471 sq. ft., \$99,500.

13 BR, 2 Bath, Brick, CH/CA, Custom Drapes,
Celling Fans, Fireplace, Covered Patio, Sprinkler
System, Storage Shed, Privacy Fence, Excellent
Neighborhood, \$72,500.

Cisco, Large Victorian 2-Story w/full Attic and Basement, Corner Lot, Close In, Must See! Morton Valley, 2-Story on 2 ac., 3 BR, 2 Bath,

# LAND: FARMS, RANCHES & SMALL ACREAGE WITH HOMES

153 ac., 3 tanks stocked w/catfish & bass, fenced & crossfenced, small barn, 2 sheds, corral, some coastal, \$550 per ac. 162 ac., 4 tanks, 100 ac. in cultivation, good

fences, owner finance, \$600 per ac. 166 ac. near Eastland, good road frontage on 2 side Golf Course, Fireplace, Builtins, & More! Just sides, good fences, some cultivation, lots of trees, excellent hunting, corrals, \$550 per ac.

2 BR, Frame w/Siding, Carpet, Storm Windows, New Privacy Fence, Screened Porch, \$29,500. 3 BR, 2 Bath, 2-Story, on approx. 2 ac., Fireplace, Carpet, Morton Valley Hwy., Needs some Work, but 260 ac., approx. 140 ac. cultivation, spring fed tank, 3 water wells, barn & shed, 1/, Seller's Miner-146 ac. pasture land, oak trees, 1 tank, Hwy. frontage, fenced, some minerals, \$550 per ac.

Reduced For Quick Sale! Large 2 BR, 11/, Bath, 249.3 ac., 2 tanks, Sabana River, 140 ac. cultiva-Big Den, CH/CA, Carpet, Double Carport w/Rental tion & rest pasture, Oak & Pecan trees, 1/, Minerals, \$500 per ac. 2 BR, 1 Bath, Frame w/Siding, Gas Range & 190 ac., mostly wooded, some cultivation, good Oven, Nice Trees, Garage, Fenced Backyard, \$17,000.

fences, 3 barns & corrals, 3 BR, 13/, Bath Austin Stone Home w/2,000 sq. ft., \$215,000. 75.5 ac., all wooded, good hunting, near Olden, \$525 per ac.

50.6 ac. near Eastland Lake, some coastal, good fences & set of pens, creek, pecan trees, 3 tanks, \$840

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From Micheal Purcell May 2nd Grade

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? I hope you are doing just fine. I am in second grade. I know you know me. I want a : Barbie and a trampoline. I want you to bring my little brother a Mickey mouse toy and my big brother a B-B gun.

Love, Dana Carson May 2nd Grade

Dear Santa,

How are you and Mrs. Claus? How are Rudolph and your other reindeer? I hope all of you are fine. Would you please send me a basketball and some blue skates? I would also like a Playdoe Flower Factory. Thank you for what you gave me last

Love, Leslie Joyner May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa, Thank you for last years toys. How is Mrs. Claus? I am fine. For Christmas I would like a flower making baset, a basketball goal and a basketball. A dollhouse and a mother and father, boy and girl dolls. I would be delight for a disigner oven, A pair of white shoes, a shirt and a pair of pants and blue jean bow would be nice. And a nintindo with the video's. Will you please bring my siser something. How are the

Love, Lacie Michael May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa, For christmas I want a doll and a airboom and new pencils and and I wish you came he to school and maybe you may came on a Slad and some beers will pull you maybe rudolpl may have a red noise and you will be red and white and you will look nice and I am bening good in school and my teacher is name Mrs. Wheeler and she is nice and we all have being good and we have being nice and we all hope you dress nice and you will have a red hat and white hat to and maybe Melody will tell me

> Love Monica Rodriguez May 3rd Grade

somethink that is right and

Dear Santa,

see you Santa.

Thank you for what you brought me last year. My bothers enjoy what you brought them. This year I would like a Radio (AmFm) cassette player and a watch, a barbie case, a skipper barbie doll and some ken barbie doll clothes.

Love Laurie Jackson May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

I hope Rudolph and Mrs. Claus are alright. Will you please bring my brother some typing paper, a few dollars, a couple new arrows, and some fox scent. My Mother and father would like some money, too. I would like an opal ring and necklace, some Minnie and Mickey clothes, and a new bicycle tire. I wish you would bring my dog a toy bone and my cats some cat toys. I wish I could see you some time. Have a Merry

Love, Leeann Epley May 3rd Grade



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Dear Santa,

I love you. I want a Barbie watch for Christmas. How is Rudolph doing? How are you and Mrs. Santa doing? I hope you are all doing great.

Love, Jami Walters May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

How is Rudolph? Well I hope He is fine. Are the Elves doing ok to! I hope the most unfortunate people in the world get the most things. Especially the kids that do not live in homes. The kids that do not have a home get a shelter before the long winters season comes. My mother would want just happiness. My dad would probably just want our bills payed. I would like to have a bike please, love birds, new shoes, swing set, and some clothes. If I was you I would probably say I have been good and a little little bit bad. Well write to you next Christmas.

Love Tammy Petross May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a cheerleading suit with green and white shoes, pompoms and socks. I want skates too. I want the wheels blue and the whole skates white, with white skate laces. That is all

ta Claus. From: Morgan Pendleton May 3rd Grade

I want. I am trying to be

good Santa. I Love You San-

Dear Santa,

How are you all at the North Pole? I am fine here. This year I would like you to bring me a pair of roller skates, a Barbie and the Sensations, and a Nintendo Entertainment Center. Give my Great Grandma a healthy Christmas. I wish my Dad would be home for Christmas, too. Thank You

Kristy Jackson May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

Thank you for what you brought me last year. This year I would like a G.I. Joe watch, a remote control 2 speed 4x4 blue pickup, a video camera for kids, a work bench, G.I. Joe walkie talkies, a bb gun, barbells, a knife, a cowboy suit, a long sleeve shirt, and a High School size football is what I would like.

Love, Dennis Bates May 3rd Grade

I want a foot ball and a socor ball for Chrismas and I want a toy car for Chrismas.

Steven May 3rd Grade

I would like you to bring me a real cash register and cash box. Some Barbie clothes for Ken and Barbie. A Barbie house, a Tiffiny tape, and a jump-n-jimmy. My bother would like a Nintendo, a belt, a watch and a tape of Beach Boys. I hope you will bring me and Bradley these toys. I have been good this year. I Love .

Mandi Kay Linley May 3rd Grade Dear Santa,

I been good! I am sorry I said you were stupid last year But I specially didn't want one of the elves to tell you I said that. I want a pair of boots. Hi Heel boots! My sister does too. I don't know what my brother wants.

By Melody Scott May 3rd Grade

I have been a good boy this year and would like for you to bring me a remote control car, some games and a key board thank you and Merry Christmas.

Ronny McGinn May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa, Last year you gave me

everything I wanted and I thank you for that. How is Rudolph? What are the elfs doing? Probably making toys for all the good kids. Santa, I know you want me to tell you how I have been good or bad. Well I have been both. Mama Claus helping you wrap presents? Do you like cookies and milk for Christmas Santa? This year I would like a pair of boots that are red or black, my own shirt and pants, some dresses to wear to church, some winter socks and skates. I would also like you to give presents to the children that don't have money. Thank You Santa.

Love, Monica Reyna May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

Would you please bring me pom cheerleading skirt, batton, a ring, some ear rings, dress, a necklace, warm socks, skates, hiy tops for Christmas. How is mama Claus doing. I still have good spirits in you Santa Claus. By Evon

May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

I want to thing you for wate you gave me last year. I wont for Christmas a new bike and a whach. I do not want a bunch for Christmas. My mom wants a ring. And my Dad want's a new hat for Christmas. I want to know if Rudolph is stell a live. And the elves are. I love you.

Clint Thompson May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

Thank you for the bike I got last year. Right now both of the tires have a flat. I want a horse for Christmas.

By Robby May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

Thank you for the gifts I got last year. This year I am not going to be greedy. I am just wanting one thing. All I want is a little picture book so I can put my favorite pictures in it. Rachel McInnis

May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

Will you bring me a skate board for Christmas please? I go to school in May. I am 8 years old. I am in 3rd grade. I like you. How is Rudolph the red nosed reindeer? How is your wife?

Love, David Gilbert May 3rd Grade



He came to earth with a gentle message of love and peace for all mankind.

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Dear Santa,

Thank you for the things I got last year. This year I want a b-b pistol, some b-bs and some clothes. Pleas bring these things. And my brother wants a bike and some clothes and a dog. We used to have three but his died of food poisoning. My sister wants some clothes. My mom and dad want some things for our new house. Well I have been bad this year but I still want these things. And those people that don't have any food or water, please take care of them. I saw you last year flying over my house. Oh! And don't eat alot because I am going to leave you a snack. Was that you who make that hot chocolate in the middle of the night? If it was, you woke

Rudolph on this trip. Chad Wheeler May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa, Would you give more presents to the one's who are not as forunate as me? I thank you for the things you brought me last year. This year I want a barbie icecream shop. This year she wants soft stuffed

me up but thats O.K. If I

were you, I would bring

animals. My brother wants new clothes. Dear Santa if you can't get that get something you can bring me. This year bring Rudolph back.

Brandi Boumguardner May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

I want for Christmas a bike and ball, jumping rope, and a play baby doll, and blow for my hair. And a box of makeup. Santa Claus I like you.

By Eva Rodriguez May 3rd Grade

Dear Santa,

I will leave out some cookies and milk on Christmas Eve night for you. For Christmas I want a Barbi doll set. I want a stuffed bean and a Santa Claus balloon. I also want a smart star computer.

By Tasha May 3rd Grade





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# **Obituaries**

C.B. Nochols Sr.

Services for C.B. Nichols Sr., 83, were held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with John G. Lee officiating. Burial was in the Wolf Valley Cemetery.

He died Friday at his

Born in Brown County, he was a longtime resident.

He was a retired dry cleaner and a member of the Baptist Church. He and his wife celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary in November.

Survivors include his wife, Rose Mae Nichols of Rising Star; three sons, C.B. Nichols Jr. of De Soto, Jimmy Dean Nichols of Abilene and Larry Nichols of Arlington; two brothers, George W. Nichols of Junction and Earl C. Nichols of Lubbock; six grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

### M.M. Sheffield

BROWNWOOD - M.M. Sheffield, 88, died Sunday in Brownwood.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Weldon Haynes officiating. Burial was in the Santa Anna

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Meat and Poultry Hotline

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number of calls about mail-

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it's cooked. In addition, all

meet — cooked or uncooked

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ice source to keep it at or

below 40 degree Fahrenheit,

Consumers should also

check the label to see if the

product contains preserva-

tives. When a product is cured,

such as a cured ham, the pre-

servatives will aid in protec-

tion against spoilage if it is

left out for a short length of

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serving is an added safeguard,

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Whether the food is safe

Christmas spirit.

for safety's sake.

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refrigerate it.

hazardous.

Cemetery. Born in Cooper, he was a longtime Brownwood resi-

dent. A 1918 graduate of Santa Anna High School, he graduated from Daniel Baker College in Brownwood and received a master's degree from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

He was a rancher, taught school in Abilene, Burkett, Brookesmith, Bernicker, Bitter Creek, Carbon, Eastland, Gillette, Holcomb, Kan., Lakeview, Lawn, Mansfield, Magdalina, N.M., New Central, Oravada, Nev., Putnam, Plainview, Rising Star, Rockwood, Southwest, Trickham, Valley View Wastella and White Flat.

He was an elementary school principal at Locust Elementary in Abilene from 1937 to 1952, a member of the Central United Methodist Church and the widower of Lerlee Casey Sheffield.

Survivors include a daughter, Joy A. Sheffield of Fort Worth; a son, Mark Sheffield of Giddings; a brother, Marvin Sheffield of Brownwood; and three grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the television ministry of the First United Methodist Church in Fort Worth.

the following before eating

· Fresh or cooked meat,

poultry or fish should arrive

frozen or still hard in the

middle. If never frozen, it

should be cold to the touch.

With the exception of dry-

cured hams, baked hams and

most canned hams need re-

frigeration and should arrive

· Hard, dry sausages, such

mail-order food products:

There's nothing like com- Consumers should look for

Mail-order food companies as pepperoni and hard sala-

# exercise, passed out mail and played bingo. Players

Vickie Majors

were Jennye Turner 2, Vera Hill, Bill Barr, Ethel Moore 1. Pearl Petty 3, Juanita Rhodes 1, Vera Forbes 1, Pauline Hill 1, Joe Fox 2, Martha Irby 2, Maggie Christian 1, Lela Clark and Buster Rixford 1.

Monday: We did in-room

Tuesday: We did exercise, passed out mail and had a rap session with coffee and

Wednesday: We passed out mail and played bingo with players being Jennye Turner 4, Ethel Moore 1, Vera Forbes 1, Lillian Morrow 1, Pauline Hill 6, Lela Clark 2, Vera Hill 2, Joe Fox 2, Martha Irby 4, and Buster Rixford 5.

Thursday: We passed out mail, played dominoes, and

did in-room activities. Friday: We did in-room crafts, passed out mail and played bingo. Players were Martha Irby 12, Lela Clark 2, Vera Hill 6, Jennye Turner 4, Vera Forbes 2, Pauline Hill 7, Joe Fox 2, and Buster Rixford 5.

**Activity Director** 

Neil Hill visited with Nettie Wilson. Also visiting with Nettie Wilson were Lindsey and Frances Tyson.

Martha Irby's visitor was Rob Nichols.

Lena Scott's visitors were Jan Roberts, Julie Farring, Trev and Brad. Mrs. Scott had her Christmas at Gladys Barron over the weekend and had a great time.

Pioneer Baptist Church sang Christmas Carols for our residents.

Our residents' Christmas party is December 22 at 7:30 p.m. at Rising Star Nursing Center.

Thanks to May Baptist Church for Sunday services.

# The Saturday Club

Rising Star Nursing Center

The Saturday Club met in Gray and Cora Harrell. regular session, in the Library Assembly Room on December 14.

Pauline Hudson, Helen Donham, Pearl Anderson and Polly Parker served as program coordinators and hostesses.

The meeting was opened by President, Dicie Adams, Polly Parker read "A Collect for Club Women". Dorothy memaking Hints
From Janet Thomas, County Extension Agent Shook led the pledge to the Flag of the United States. Reports were given by Committee Chairmen. The club voted to make a donation to the Boys' Ranch. The club also voted to give a poinsettia plant to the nursing home. One new member was elected to membership and one to be elected at the next meeting.

> The visitors were introduced and welcomed by Helen Donham. They were Betty

The arts and crafts table displayed things made by members of the club. One of the highlights of the "Teddy Bear" table was a musical teddy bear with a red nose.

After the business meeting the group sang Christmas Carols, led by Linda George and accompanied on the piano by Pauline Hudson. Linda George sang several Christmas songs and read one of her original poems, "Little Cheeses".

A lovely refreshment table was set and those present enjoyed punch, coffee, finger sandwiches, cookies, nuts, olives, pecan pie and other snacks. The decorations around the rooms added much to the festivities.

There were 25 members present, two guests, and Linda George.

Guy Nell West announced the next meeting to be January 18, in the Library with Ruth Spence reading stories about "The Nice and Nasty of Brown County".

# Sipe Springs

mis don't require refrigera-Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth tion. Thuringer, summer sausage and others do. If the label says "keep refrigerated", the

sausage should be cold. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cheese should not contain mold, unless the mod is part of the product, such as

blue cheese. Cheesecake should be frozen solid.

If the food product requires refrigeration and isn't frozen or cold, don't serve it. The food could give your family the unwanted "gift" of the flu-like symptoms that come from a food-borne illness.

According to U.S. Department of Agriculture figures, the mail-order food business is a \$1 billion a year industry.

The USDA Meat and Poultry Hotline (1-800-535-4555) or your local county Extension home economist can answer questions about mailorder meat and poultry.

But for consumer problems and complaints, contact the nearest office of the Food and Drug Administration.

If you think that you, or the person who sent you the food gift deserve a refund, call or write the mail-order house directly.

Remember, however, that the shipper's responsibility is to deliver on time; the customer's responsibility is to have someone at home to receive the goods so they can be properly refrigerated.

RECIPE FOR THE WEEK

Texas Tomado Cake is delicious. It is very similar to a German Chocolate. It's quick and easy. This is a cake that will make your holiday baking a hit.

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The musical at the Community Center was enjoyed by all and well attended.

Foster of Austin and Mrs. Dorthy Robinson of Comanche visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wyatt this past week

Boswell of Arlington have moved to our community. We are happy to have them in our midst.

Mrs. Lateva Davis of Plainview is visiting her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs.

Rocky Reisner. The community Christmas tree Friday night was well attended. Santa had gifts for all and it was an enjoyable evening for all.

Mr. Cecil Perkins is hospitalized with a foot infection. We hope him a speedy recovery.

### **TEXAS TORNADO**

CAKE 1<sup>1</sup>/, cups sugar

2 eggs

2 cups fruit cocktail, including liquid

2 teaspoons baking soda

2 cups all-purpose flour 1/, cup brown sugar

1 cup chopped nuts

Mix and cream together the first five ingredients. Pour into lightly greased and floured 13 x 9 x 2 inch cake pan. Mix the brown sugar and nuts together and sprinkle onto the batter. Place in oven and baked at 325 degrees for 40 minutes. Spread icing on cake

while hot. ICING

1 stick butter

3/, cup sugar

1/2 cup evaporated milk 1 cup flaked coconut Boil the butter, sugar, and

milk for 2 minutes; add coconut. Spoon Icing over cake as soon as cake is removed from the oven. Cut into squares when cool and serve.

# HAPPY

DECEMBER 23 Evelyn Coker Peggy Dennard Lynn Archer Chad Hill Geneva Cooper

DECEMBER 24 **Brandy Hutton** Cathy Scheffel

**DECEMBER 25** Ina Butler Carol Roy A.H. Thurman

DECEMBER 26 Teddy Michael Danny Daniels DECEMBER 27

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# Hill-Larrison Exchange Wedding Vows

Toni Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Hill of Rising Star, and David Larrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larrison Jr., exchanged marriage vows in a 4 p.m. ceremony on November 26, in the First Baptist Church of Rising Star. The Rev. Bill Johnson officiated for the ceremony.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cathey of Brownwood, Mrs. Bertha Dunlap, also of Brownwood, the late Rex Dunlap of Brownwood and the late Harvey Burress of Decatur. She is the greatgranddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Burress of Decatur. The groom is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larrison Sr. of Smithfield.

The couple exchanged vows beneath a brass heartshaped archway adorned with greenery and white satin stephanotis garlands. The arch was accented by a pair of brass heart-shaped candelabra. Six large sheffleras completed the altar decorations. A unity candle was placed on an antique, eagle-claw, occasional table draped with a mauve cloth. The candle arrangement consisted of a brass tiered candelebra with an arrangement of white satin roses. The family pews were designated by two staggered mauve satin roses surrounding a white pearl heart gathered by a white opalesque ribbon bow. The markers were draped with satin rose leaf greenery and white satin lily-of-the-valley

and pearl sprays. The bride was given in marriage by her parents and was escorted to the altar on the arm of her father. She wore a formal wedding gown of white taffeta. The bodice featured a pearlized lace wedding collar enhanced with a graduated strand of pearls that accented the sheer yoke. The bodice was heavily embellished with pearlized re-embroidered Alencon lace. The puff taffeta Edwardian sleeve and sheer net forearm were decorated with lace appliques enhanced with pearls and sequins. The full taffeta skirt featured a deep veeshaped waistline that accented the Austrian draped skirt. At each drape and on the ruffled flounce were matching pearlized appliques. The semi-cathedral train continued with the matching draped skirt and ruffled flounce. At the back waistline was a large taffeta bow edged in Alencon lace enhanced with seed pearls

and iridescent sequins. To complete her bridal ensemble, Toni chose a floral wreath designed with satin petals outlined in pearls and accented with a side floral spray. Her headpiece was attached to a two-

tiered waltz-length veil. The bride wore a mother's ring belonging to her paternal great-grandmother. Her cascading bouquet of mauve and white satin roses, heartshaped pearl picks, white star gypsophila with pearl centers, mauve satin stephanotis, surrounded by white lace, white satin lilyof-the-valley and pearl sprays, was featured with opalesque ribbon streamers.

Michelle McKinney of Brownwood served as matron of honor. Yvonne Moore of Dallas and Julie Rohaley, cousin of the bride, of Clarksville, Tenn., served as bridesmaids.

The bridal attendants were attired in formallength gowns of mauve taffeta. They carried white Bibles with silver binding opened to Proverbs 31. The opened Bibles were topped with arrangements of mauve satin rosebuds, white satin star gypsophila with pearl centers and mauve toned satin azaleas.

Their hairpieces consisted of cascading silver and white satin roses, mauve satin azaleas, honeysuckle, and alstroemeria with pearl Amanda Spruill of Hewet

served as flower girl. She wore a mauve taffeta gown trimmed with gathered white lace with a large bow tied in the back at the waistline. Her hairpiece was identical to those of the bridal attendents, and her picks, and silver roses. She

dropped white satin rose petals on the bride's white lace aisle cloth.

The groom was attired in a white tuxedo with satin lapels and a white wing tip shirt accented by a white bow tie and cumberbund.

Chuck Larrison of Eula served his brother as best man. Chad Hill and Kerry Hill, brothers of the bride, served as groomsmen. Candlelighters were Sammy Clary, cousin of the bride, of East Brewton, Ala., and Jeff Burton of Eula. Ushers were Michael Davis of Alice, cousin of the bride, and Jeff Adams of Stephenville.

Father of the bride and groomsmen chose silver tuxedos with white pleated shirt and matching silver bow ties and cumberbund.

The ushers wore silver tuxedos with satin lapels and matching accessories. Boutonnieres for the men were designed of mauve and white satin rosebuds, white satin rose leafs, white satin star gypsophila with pearl centers and heart-shaped

pearl picks.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Hill chose a kneelength gown of silver georgette with silver accessories. The groom's mother chose a gray threepiece tailored suit with gray accessories. Corsages for the mothers were fashioned of mauve satin roses with beaded hearts.

Guests were registered in the foyer of the church by Karen Cronier Brownwood.

The traditional wedding music was provided by Mary Cronier of Brownwood. Special vocalists were Kathy Dunlap of Brownwood, aunt of the bride, and Wayne Sewell of San Antonio. Miss Dunlap sang "Love of the Lasting Kind." Sewell sang "The Wedding Song" and they performed a duet of "Only God Could Love You More.'

A reception, immediately following the ceremony, was held in the reception hall of the church. House party members included Malinda Spruill of Hewett, DeLana Vandivere of Stephenville, Shirley Treadway of Brownwood, Karen Clary, aunt of the bride, of East Brewton, Alabama, Pat Burton of Eula and Shawna York of Abilene.

The bride's table, laid with a mauve satin cloth overlaid with white lace, featured arrangements of white satin roses, satin lily-of-the-valley and pearl sprays with mauve satin bows.

The bride's cake was fourcakes with the bride's and



wedding date. The cake was topped with a miniture bride and groom kissing under a heart-shaped archway decorated with pearl hearts, sprays and satin mauve and white flowers.

Mints were served from crystal appointments. Mauve punch was served from a lighted silver flowing fountain punch bowl.

The groom's table was laid with mauve satin overlaid with white lace. The table featured accents of satin lilyof-the-valley and pearl sprays with mauve satin bows.

The groom's chocolate sheet cake was decorated with a baseball theme and inscribed with "You're Batting a Thousand David." Coffee was served from a silver service and mints and nuts were served from silver appointments.

Valerie Johnson of Brownwood distributed rice bags of white net tied with mauve bows and silver wedding bands. Karen Cronier and Shelly Williams, both of Brownwood, presented mauve scrolls rolled in silver wedding bands.

Technical assistance for the wedding was provided by Brenda Williams and David Goddard of Rising Star, Gretchen Coyler of Brownwood, and Doylena Campbell of Carbon.

The bride, a 1986 graduate of Brownwood High School, is currently a junior at Tarleton State University in Stephenville. The groom, a 1986 graduate of Newcastle High School, is currently a junior at TSU. The couple will reside at Stephenville until graduation.

Out-of-town guests in attandence were from

Eula, Abilene, Hewett, Austin, Cisco, Dallas, Fort Worth, Decatur, San Antonio, Baird, Lufkin, Alice, Arkadelphia, Ark., East Brewton, Ala., and Clarksville, Tenn..

The rehearsal dinner was held at the Golden Corral Restaurant in Brownwood, hosted by the groom's parents.

The bridemaids' luncheon was given by the bride's mother in her home in Rising Pre-nuptial parties includ-

ed a miscellaneous shower on October 23, hosted by the Southside Baptist Church in Brownwood.

A bridal shower was held on November 12 in the home of Alisa Johnson of Brownwood. Hostesses were Shirley Treadway, Teresa Cadenhead and Alisa Johnson.

A lingerie shower was given in Toni's honor on November 15 at the Oxford House in Stephenville, hosted by Bonnie Armstrong.

A miscellaneous shower was held on December 3 in the reception hall of the First Baptist Church in Rising Star. Hostesses were Sue Vandivere, Debbie Jones, Shelly Bailey, Brenda Williams, Betty Fisher, Roberta Wilson, Debra Stuteville, and Kathy Wolf.

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pearl necklace matched the tiered with crystal pedestals matron of honor's necklace. and was decorated with She carried a wicker basket white doves and mauve trimmed with mauve ribbon roses. The bottom layer conbows, heart-shaped pearl sisted of three heart-shaped Rice Stadium - Zoo - Golf Course - Fet Stock Show - The Summit



Another Test!

college-bound students! Guess what? We "get" to take another test! That's right, the Texas Academic Skills Program Test. The test is a requirement for college and is an assessment of our academic preparation.

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Is there a cost for the test? Yes. The registration fee is \$24. How long does the test take? Generally, the test can be completed in four hours, but you are allowed five. Where can you take the test? The test is given on Saturday mornings five times per year at about 100 locations throughout Texas.

Will there be a study guide for the test available? Yes, but copies are \$12.00 each plus \$3.00 shipping and handling. For your guide you may write: Official TASP Test Study Guide, P.O. Box 1403347, Austin, TX 78714-0347

And if you were wondering if your Exit-Level TEAMS, SAT, or ACT scores could be used instead of the TASP Test, NO. Only scores form the TASP Test can be used to satisfy the testing requirements.

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Students may obtain more information about testing and registration by contacting their college or university academic advisor or high school counselor. The TASP Test Registration Bulletin contains official guidelines on issues related to the test. Good Luck!

Stephanie Long

# Band Notes

The bands of the Rising Star school system held their annual Christmas Concert on Monday night, December 19. The concert began at 8:00 p.m. with the 4th graders performing first. They played instruments called recorders. They performed the Christmas songs "Christmas is Coming",
"French Song", "Jingle
Bells," and "Jolly Old St.

After the 4th graders perfomed, the 5th and 6th grade band took center court to show off to many parents, grandparents, and friends who came to watch the grand performances. The Jr. High Band perforned two songs entitled "Jingle Bells", and "Good King Wenceslas".

Following the 5th and 6th

grade was the High School Band. They performed "Christmas Bell Carol", "Rudolph the Red-nosed Reindeer", "Silent Night", 'Christmas Rock'', and a special by members Wid Keeling, Stacey Wright, Kim Schwab, Christy Hughes, Heather Wright, and Band Director Tim Riley on the saxophone.

The finale of the Band Concert was the combination of the High School and Jr. High Bands, in which they performed "We Three Kings", and "Carol of the Drum". The finale was truly amazing and fascinated all!!! Maxine Perales

The groom's table was laid

# Basketball

Queens of the Court

Tuesday, December 15, the Cross Plains Lady Buff JV & Varsity teams came to Rising Star. The JV girls played first barely losing to the Lady Buffs with a score of 13 to Cross Plains' 18. Scorers for the game were: Jomy Clark 6, Juanita Ramirez 4, and Becky Walker 3.

The Varsity game was exciting ending with a final overtime score: RS 37, CP 41. The Lady Cat defense was good, but we came up short. Scorers for this game were as follows: Stacey Wright 16, Wendy Green 15, Jo Beth Landers 4, and Stephanie Long 2.

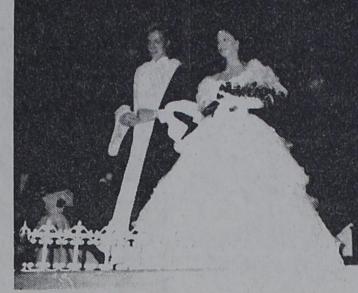
The Lady Cats came home Saturday night from the Santa Anna Tournament with a first place trophy and 3 All-Tournament team members. In the first game of the tournament, the Lady Cats defeated Blanket 43 to 32. The second game of the weekend was against May with the final score being RS 39, May 35. The championship game was exciting from the opening tipoff with the Lady Cats victorious over the Lady Mountaineers 33-32. Stacey Wright had 16 points for the game, Shawnah Harmon 10, Wendy Green 3, and Shannon Stuteville 2. Making the All-Tournament Team were Sophomore Wendy Green, Senior Stacey Wright, and Senior Stephanie Long. Congratulations, Lady Cats!!!! Shannon Stuteville

### Wildcats

WILDCATS TAKE TO THE COURT

Last Tuesday, Cross Plains came to Rising Star to play basketball. But, just like in football Rising Star came out with the victory by beating Cross Plains 49-44. High point scorer for the game was Reil Barron with 20 points. Others who contributed to the score were Stacy Green 12, Steve Wilson 11, Shawn Morrow 4, and

Jimmy Evans 2. The Wildcats went to San-



Phillip Shackelford and Lori Justice were crowned King and Queen LVII at the Cisco High School Coronation held last Thursday night in the Cisco Junior College Auditorium.

Lori is the daughter of Sam and Francs Justice of Cisco.

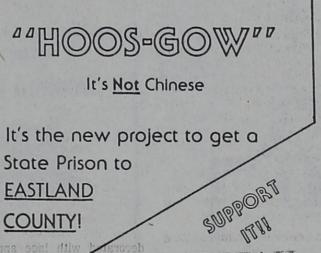
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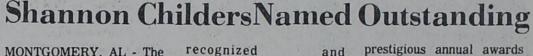
Peggy Roberts, Director of

ta Anna last Thursday, Friday, and Saturday to participate in their tournament. In their first game they played Blanket. They won this game with a score of 55-53. Next, they played May. Again they won with a score of 41-28. In the final game they played Santa Anna, only this time they fell short of a victory losing with a score of 73-47. Wildcats. that were selected for the All-Tournament team were Seniors Reil Barron and Stacy Green. The Wildcats were awarded 2nd Place in the tournament. Cody Wilson & Johnny House

the Multipurpose Center, reports that the Center is low on winter clothing for all ages. Coats and sweaters are especially in short supply, she says. The Center is located at 204 N. Lamar in Eastland, and serves the needy in all of the county.

Mrs. Roberts also expresses thanks to the various Churches and individuals in the community who have kept the Food Pantry operating. This on-going help is always appreciated. The Pantry keeps a stock of staple food to help people in emergency situations.





Board of Advisors for the The men listed, along with Outstanding Young Men of America awards program announced today that Charles Shannon Childers, of Fort Worth, was among the young men selected for inclusion in the 1988 edition of OUTSTANDING YOUNG MEN OF AMERICA.

Now in its 26th year, the OYMA program is designed to honor and encourage exceptional young men between the ages of 21 and 36 who have distinguished themselves in many fields of endeavor, such as service to community, professional leadership, academic achievement, business advancement, cultural accomplishments, and civic and political participation. Achievements in these areas are the result of dedication, responsibility, and a drive for excellence - qualities which deserve to be

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standing, left; two grandchildren, Brad Barron and Julia Forbing;

Mrs. Scott is a resident of the local nursing center, Mrs. Roberts

lives at Hearst, Brad is from Oplin and the Forbings are from McNeil.

seated, far right, for an early Christmas gathering Sunday, December

fellow Outstanding Young Men throughout North America, were selected after 150,000 nominations were received from political leaders, University and College officials, clergymen, business leaders, as well as from various civic groups and community organizations. Each young man will be represented by his biographical entry in this

prestigious annual awards publication.

Our Board of Advisors and Editors salute all those honored as Outstanding Young Men of America. We take great pride in bringing their accomplishments to the attention of the American public.

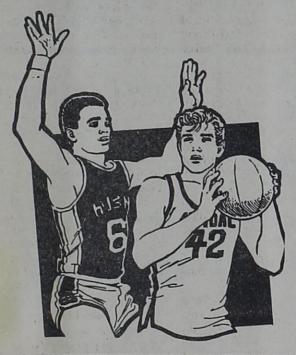
Shannon, a graduate of Rising Star High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Childers of Rising Star. He is married to the former Barbara Bowden of May.

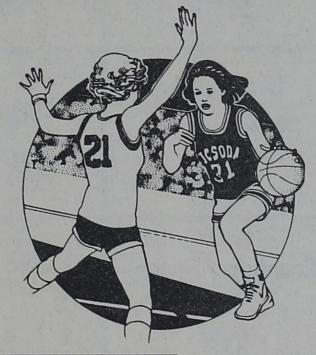
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right; and Trey Forbing, held by Mrs. Bar-

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.

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.





# BALL SCHEDULE

1988 - 89

**Boys and Girls** 

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Date	Day	Team	Place	Time	
Nov. 18	Fri.	Santa Anna	Home	6:30	V
Nov. 22	Tues.	Bangs	Away	5:00	V, JVB
Nov. 29	Tues.	Santa Anna	Away	6:30	V
Dec. 1-2-3	Th-F-Sat	Cross Plains	C.P.	TBA	V
	The second second	Tournament			
Dec. 6	Tues.	Rochelle	Away	5:00	V, JVB
Dec. 9	Fri.	Baird	Home	6:30	V
Dec. 13	Tues.	Cross Plains	Home	4:00	V, JV
Dec. 16-17-18	Th-F-Sat.	Santa Anna	S.A.	TBA	V
		Tournament			
Dec. 20	Tues.	Blanket	Home	6:30	V
Dec. 30	Fri.	Blanket Tour.	Blanket	TBA	V
Jan. 3	Tues.	Cross Plains	Away	4:00	V, JV
Jan. 6	Fri.	*Carbon	Home	6:30	V
Jan. 10	Tues.	*Sidney	Away	6:30	V
Jan. 13	Fri.	*Gorman	Home	6:30	V
Jan. 17	Tues.	*Lingleville	Away	6:30	V
Jan. 20	Fri.	*May	Home	6:30	V
Jan. 24	Tues.	*Carbon	Away	6:30	V
Jan. 27	Fri.	*Sidney	Home	6:30	V
Jan. 31	Tues.	*Gorman	Away	6:30	V
Feb. 3	Fri.	*Lingleville	Home	6:30	V
Feb. 7	Tues.	*May	Away	6:30	V

\*Designates District Games

Go Cats!



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# **May Housing Authority** to Hold Annual Meeting

May Housing Authority's Board of Directors has set its Annual Meeting for Thursday, January 5, 1989, from 6 to 7 p.m. in the May Community Center for the purpose of filling two positions on the Board and reorganiz-

Betty Wilson, who is serving out Jewel Alexander's term, will seek re-election in Place 3.

Marshall Campbell, who has served the past three terms as President of the Board, will seek re-election

Both Place 3 and Place 4 are three-year terms.

Those who wish to have their names printed on the ballot must apply in writing to the Board Secretary, Sook Burnett, May, TX 76857, and state the place number for which they are running, ten (10) days prior to the election to be printed on the ballot.

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# Birth Announcement

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