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Saturday At Wal-Mart Parking Lot County Wide Musical And Bake Sale To Benefit Weeks Family

EVERYBODY IS invited to the Robert Weeks Family Benefit Saturday, Feb. 15th from 10 to 4 at the Wal-Mart Parking Lot in Eastland.

It will be a County-Wide Bake Sale and Musical. It's all free; sunshine expected; bring your sweets. Champion Fiddler and all-around Good Guy Robert Weeks whipped a major heart problem a few years ago, and now he's doing major battle with cancer. All proceeds from the bake sale and donations will go to the Weeks family to help with expenses.

Four bands and many individual acts will be performing Saturday: Al Anderson of Cisco; Finis Butler of Strawn; Vernon Willingham of Abilene; and Southbound of Eastland, and Randy Finley, Tim Webb, Marvin Payne, and a great number of Texas Old Tyme Fiddlers from all over the state as well as the Weeks children, Rebecca, Robert Jr. and Brandy.

Born Nov. 6, 1921 on a farm between Putnam and Cross Plains, Robert's parents were the late George and Myrtle Weeks. He had three brothers and one sister. His mother was an expert pianist. Like many others, Robert was drafted in November of '42; went first to Camp Wolters, then to Salt Lake City, then Almagordo in the Army Air Corps. The Army sent him back to Salt Lake and in six weeks made a 40 wpm typist out of him, and assigned him to S2 intelligence. He went to Pueblo, Colo., for nine months, then to Westover, Mass., and finally was put into the Infantry as a squad leader and went to Fort Gordon, Ga., for training, then shipped over from Ft. Meade, MD. Robert saw major action in the Battle of the Bulge in Belgium, and was wounded as the troops moved to the Rhine into Germany. It was a 90mm mortar shell, with scrapnel to the neck and head. He was evacuated to a hospital in Paris, after long recuperation, he was made an M.P. and helped guard supply trains to the front.

His best duty: supply sergeant for an outfit stationed at Nice, France, on the Rivera. His worse: Marsalle, France. He stayed in another year and was eventually mustered out at Ft. Lewis, as a buck sergeant with a Purple Heart, Combat Infantry, Battle Stars and other decorations. He was in the Takoma area for three years, going to barber school and working in that area before coming back to Texas in '48. He went to the GI school at CJC taking salesmanship. He later barbered and fiddled in Odessa, Kermit and other West Texas towns before coming back here and marrying Bonnie in 1976. He's painted, barbered and fiddled, entertaining anywhere folks wanted good music, including many nursing homes.

He has most recently been in the local hospital and was released Monday afternoon. Will he be at the Saturday event? Hopefully -- but no guarantees. He's chosen the Murray location between Carbon and Gorman; it's on the way to Dublin, where Bonnie's folks live.

Is he in pain? Not a lot, but there was some around his heart Sunday, and makes him wonder how far the cancer has traveled. He has not been encouraged to seek further treatment by his doctors.

Regrets? That he won't be with his family longer. That he didn't get a complete physical when his brother died of cancer two years ago. He'd lost his sister earlier.

The strong man said the Lord permitted us to overcome the heart problem. If it's His will, then we'll overcome this. If not, we understand. "I know a lot of people are joining us in asking God's will in this."

His many, many friends will join together Saturday in the kind of day that Robert Weeks enjoys. A day of music, friendship, food and fellowship.

And we'll add: a good cause. Love gifts in advance could be left with Wal-Mart Mgr. Glen Mathis in advance, or Saturday morning when baked goods will be accepted for sale. Over 20 store associates are bringing home-baked items for sale.

Energy Aid A Topic At County Resources Meeting

Emmett Lasater, Customer Service Supervisor of TU Electric and Phylecia Schooling of Lone Star Gas Co. told the County Resources Association last Thursday how energy assistance funds are used.

TU Electric accepts Energy Aid contributions from the public with monthly bills, Lasater said. There is a place on each statement to check the amount you want to give. Special forms for contributors were also included in the December bills.

Lasater said that all funds collected by TU Electric go to Central Texas Opportunities Inc. in Coleman for distribution. CTO sends funds to the Multipurpose Center here.

"I feel that Eastland County has probably gotten as much help from this as we have put in," the Supervisor added.

Lasater explained that a typical month (Jan. 1992) brought in \$26 in contributions from Eastland and \$11 from Ranger.

"This may not sound like much, but every bit really helps," he said.

Lasater explained that TU Electric did not require senior citizens to put up a deposit.

"On many other things we are bound by certain guidelines. But if people are having trouble paying their electric bill they should come in and talk to us. We will work with them all we can."

Phylecia Schooling said that Lone Star Gas does

not require a deposit "Unless we determine you are a credit risk."

"Since 1983 customers have donated more than one million dollars to help on gas bills," she said.

"Called 'Project Happening', this money goes into a special fund for energy assistance. The West Central Texas Council of Governments administers this aid. In 1991 there were 110 households served in Eastland County."

Twila Senterfitt, the new Multipurpose Center Director for Eastland County, said that presently she had no funds for energy assistance. But some funds were coming in to this agency.

"Weatherization is expecting more funding," she said.

Mrs. Senterfitt and the utility representatives remarked on how much energy could be saved if homes were caulked and weatherstripped.

In other news, Corrie Cowley reported that the Clothes Closet (with the Food Pantry, 204 N. Lamar) needs children's clothing and shoes. Any sizes can be used, from infants up.

In March the volunteer workers there will take a day to switch from winter to summer clothing.

Corrie Cowley also reported that the free seeds for vegetable gardens and community beautification are expected to be available during the last week in February. They will be at Eastland Memorial Library. Watch for an announcement about them in the Eastland County Newspapers.

Lake Leon Residents At Commissioners Court

Eastland County Commissioners Monday had a Courtroom full of area residents, many of them from Lake Leon.

James Greer, spokesman for the group, told of flood damage at the Lake in December, and offered suggestions on what could be done.

"We're here for support - trying to do something about the Lake," Greer told the Commissioners.

He outlined a plan to put a culvert (or culverts) just below the dam.

"The culverts should be the same height as the horn - some kind of safety devices as an overflow," he said.

"Austin sees no reason why we can't do it," Greer added.

There was some discussion about who owned the land around the Lake.

Pct. 1 Commissioner Richard Robinson said the Eastland County Water Supply District owns an easement at 1385 ft. sea level, the water line set for the Lake.

Pct. 2 Commissioner Calvin Ainsworth suggested that Greer and the Lake Leon group talk to the State Highway Department, which owns

property along an FM Rd. near the Lake.

Comm. 4 Reggie Pittman said: "The dam needs a bigger spillway." He asked why people at the Lake couldn't get a FEMA Grant for flood control.

Several Commissioners replied that before any Grant was approved the Water Supply District would have to approve the plan.

Greer said that he and his family were rescued (Dec. 22) at the Lake by the Fire Department.

"Thousands of dollars were lost by people out there," he stated. "It's time for us to work together."

County Judge Scott Bailey brought out a copy of the document that created the Eastland County Water Supply District.

"It was originally created for the City of Ranger," he said.

Greer was asked if there was a high water mark on his property. He said when he built his home he didn't know anything about it.

"It's not on my deed," he stated.

Several other Lake residents told of damages by the flooding. Comm. Ains-

worth estimated \$500,000 in damages to individual property, with 150 homes, cabins and small trailers flooded.

Judge Bailey commented that a long-range damage was the lowering of the value of property in the flood-prone areas.

Greer was advised that he would need to consult with engineers, work out a plan for flood control, and present this to the Eastland County Water Supply District Board.

"It's up to the Water Board," Robinson said. "They're elected like we are."

"We want you to stand behind us and help us," the Commissioners were told.

On other matters, Probation Officer Randall Logan, told the Court that the Eastland County Probation Department had been offered a Performance Award Grant of \$86,976 from the State.

Within two weeks he would need to submit a plan to the State on how the Department would spend the money, Logan explained.

"They intend for us to use the money for alternatives to locking people

up," he said.

Comm. Richard Robinson said: "I have expressed reservations about this before."

Robinson indicated that this plan might put more obligation on the county than it appeared to.

Logan replied that Eastland County was fortunate to be offered this Grant - not many area counties were getting it. He said the awarding of the Grant was based a lot on the performance of the Courts here.

"We should thank Judge Wright and Judge Bailey for wisdom in handling cases," he said.

Logan reviewed plans for use of the Grant money here. It would be dedicated to development and expansion of the Probation Department and also for substance abuse treatment, he said.

He mentioned that the old jail might be remodeled and put into use, and that parole officers might be supplied with a location in Cisco.

The Parole office in the Courthouse might move into a larger location.

After the discussion the Commissioners appeared to be in agreement with this plan.

Parade of Valentines
And Eastland County Stock
Show Pages
Inside

Ranger Comes A Courtin' By: Donna Driskill

Interested local residents met at 2:00 Saturday afternoon at the Community Club House in an all out effort to revitalize a city that once was ... a BOOMTOWN.

The echoes of pump jacks have ceased and the boomtown is almost a ghost town.

If two heads are better than one, this group will surely make an impact on the prison officials visiting Ranger on Wednesday.

Plans were made simi-

lar to those of a young man courting his sweetheart for Eastland County and Ranger hopes to win her love.

The combined efforts of all local organizations, Ranger students and concerned citizens have a green light. The word was GO!

Visions of a prison were on the minds of those attending. Plans were discussed and made in hopes that Ranger could once again become a BOOMTOWN.

Prison Location Review Board To Be In Ranger Wednesday

The Prison Location Review Board will be in Ranger Wednesday, February 12, to visit the proposed prison site.

Supporters for the prison unit are asked to be at the airport Wednesday at 10:30 a.m., or the Ranger Fire Station no later than 12:30 p.m. You

are also asked to decorate your cars, store windows or portable signs welcoming the Review Board and the prison project. City officials will lead the Review Board in a tour of the area, so wave as they pass by, make them feel welcome.

1920 Club News

The 1920 Club met Thursday, February 6 in their Club Room in the Community Building, with Sally Thomas presiding. Iris Hummel as Program Chairperson introduced James McDonald from the Ranger Junior College. Mr. McDonald gave us the following Data about the Junior College which we enjoyed very much, and are sharing it with you.

Routine Business Followed.

This year the enrollment at Ranger Junior College is 714. This includes students at all campuses. At the Ranger campus students can take either academic or vocational classes. On the campus at Graham, vocational programs in cosmetology and in nursing are offered. Also, vocational nursing is offered in DeLeon. Academic classes are provided in Comanche.

To serve students, there are seventy-six full time and eighteen part-time employees. The annual payroll is \$1.8 million which is included in a \$3.7 million annual budget. This money comes from

several sources. Fifty percent (50%) of the budget comes from state funding; thirty-four and one half percent (34.5%) comes from the dormitories, cafeteria, and bookstore operations; twelve percent (12%) is from tuition and fees; and the remaining three and one half percent (3.5%) comes from local taxes.

This school year on the Ranger campus an academic honors program and a dance team have been added.

The need for higher education is increasing. The occupations that are projected to have the greatest growth, computer fields, health care fields, and some engineering areas, all require education and training. Ranger Junior College will continue to help students achieve their educational goals and will be an active part of the community.

Thanking Mr. McDonald for his information about our College, something all of us who live here can be proud to know. The meeting closed with the reading of the Collect.

URGENT

Mayor Ainsworth is requesting anyone that has a building or large room they could donate for the use of the CLOTHES CLOSET to please contact him immediately.

The Clothes Closet is a very worthwhile project and is sometimes the only source of clothes for those in need. Many Ranger families have been helped by the efforts of the Clothes Closet. No one knows when a tragedy may strike or an unforeseen financial problem

occur. This may well be the only means of clothing for some.

Those unselfishly volunteering their time and efforts to help those in need are: Mrs. Ruby Ainsworth, Mrs. Maurine Ellison and Mrs. Francis Hutchins.

Anyone that wishes to donate used clothing please call Mrs. Ainsworth at 647-1314.

Please, help these ladies so they may help our families in need.

The Clothes Closet will be open this Saturday.

Attention Masons

Ranger Lodge 738 will have their Washington Birthday Supper Saturday Night, February 15th at 7:00 P.M. in the dining hall at the First United

Methodist Church which is two blocks west of the lodge hall.

All Masons and their families are invited.

Early Dismissal

The Ranger Public Schools will dismiss at 11:45 A.M. on Friday, February 14th. Lunch will

be served at the school before the buses leave. The buses will run beginning at 11:45 A.M.

Ranger Garden Club News

The Ranger Garden Club will meet in the home of Topy Jackson on

Caddo Road, Thursday, February 13th at 2:30 P.M.

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Annual Child Passenger Safety Awareness Week

The Texas Department of Public Safety urges families to recognize the Annual Child Passenger Safety Awareness Week from February 9-15, 1992.

The theme, Buckle up for Love!, is designed to encourage parents and others to protect their children in child safety seats and safety belts by using them correctly. The goal of 1992's awareness week is to urge the correct use of these protective devices. When used correctly, child safety seats are extremely reliable in preventing deaths and injuries to young passengers.

Motor vehicle crashes are the number one killer andcrippler of children. Correct use, by manufacturers instructions, of the child safety seats and belts is 71 percent effective in preventing death and 67 percent effective in preventing serious injuries to children four and

under.

In 1990, highway crashes killed 56 child passengers age 4 and under in Texas. Parents can help reduce the number of deaths caused by such crashes by buckling in their loved ones every time they drive.

In Texas and all other states, laws have been enacted requiring infants and young children to be placed in safety seats and/or secured by safety belts. Children under the age of two must be secured in an approved child safety seat or secured by the seat belt.

The Texas Department of Public Safety joins other law enforcement agencies and citizens groups throughout the nation in recognizing February 9-15 as Child Passenger Safety Awareness Week, a time for everyone to get into the habit of correctly using child safety seats and safety belts.

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Ranger Jaycees

First Of The Year Dance

When - Saturday, Feb. 22, 1992

Time - 9:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.

Where - Ranger Jaycee Barn

Band - Bandera

Copies \$3.00
Samples 500

1991-92 RJHS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPP	SITE	TIME
Nov. 18	Graford	T	4:00
25	Graford	H	4:00
Dec. 2	Eula	T	4:00
9	Breckenridge	H	5:00 Girls
9	Breckenridge	T	5:00 Boys
16	Breckenridge	T	5:00 Girls
16	Breckenridge	H	5:00 Boys
Jan. 6	Eastland	H	4:00
11	Eastland	7th	Tournament
13	DeLeon	H	5:00 Girls
13	DeLeon	T	5:00 Boys
20	Cisco	H	5:00 Girls
20	Cisco	T	5:00 Boys
25	Eastland	8th	Tournament
27	Eastland	T	4:00
Feb. 3	DeLeon	T	5:00 Girls
3	DeLeon	H	5:00 Boys
10	Cisco	T	5:00 Girls
10	Cisco	H	5:00 Boys

Ranger 4-H Report

By: Libby Koenig, Reporter



Pictured from L to R: Nicki Cozart, Holly Greenwood, Joanna Wallace, Summer Sharp, Libby Koenig, Billy Joe Jernigan. Not pictured are Monica and Kevin Espinoza.

The 4-H Club met Thursday, January 23 at the fire station and made Valentine cards for the veterans who are hospitalized in the 172 Department of Veteran Affairs Medi-

cal Centers Nation Wide who served in all war. We can never repay these valiant vets for the sacrifices they have made, but we can do something to cheer them up and let

them know they have not been forgotten. Remember Valentines day is February 14 and it falls during National Salute to Hospitalized Veterans Week.



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1991-92 RANGER JUNIOR COLLEGE MEN'S BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Th-F-S Nov 28-29-30		Odessa	Tour	Odessa
Sat Dec 7	SWCC	Ranger	8:00	
Sat Jan 11	Collin	Plano	8:00	
Wed Jan 15	Temple	Ranger	8:00	
Sat Jan 18	Weatherford	Weatherford	8:00	
Wed Jan 22	Cisco	Cisco	8:00	
Sat Jan 25	Hill	Ranger	8:00	
Wed Jan 29	MCC	Waco	8:00	
Sat Feb 1	Grayson	Ranger	8:00	
Wed Feb 5	SWCC	Terrell	8:00	
Sat Feb 8	Collin	Ranger	8:00	
Wed Feb 12	Temple	Temple	8:00	
Sat Feb 15	Weatherford	Ranger	8:00	
Wed Feb 19	Cisco	Ranger	8:00	
Sat Feb 22	Hill	Hillsboro	8:00	
Wed Feb 26	MCC	Ranger	8:00	
Sat Feb 29	Grayson	Sherman	8:00	

First Annual Abilene Arts And Crafts Festival

The first annual Abilene Arts and Crafts Festival will be held February 15-16, 1992, in the Abilene Civic Center. More than 150 exhibitors from throughout the Southwest will be participating. Hours for the two day event are Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 5 p.m. There is no admission charge to the general public.

Mel Prather, organizer for the event, said the festival would offer a variety of handmade items. "We're pleased to have everything from original art by well-known artists to homemade fudge." Among the better known artists to be participating include David Brownlow of Fort Worth, Jo Ann Wright of Canyon Lake, Dan Brown of Fort Worth, and Diann Eshleman of Clovis, New Mexico.

"There will also be plenty of unusual items to be featured at the festival, as well as the more standard items," Prather continued. Some of the more unusual items include painted gourds, corn jewelry, rag rugs and baskets, wire-wrapped jewelry with stones and fossils, painted glass and painted iron cutouts.

There will also be original clay sculpture, door stops, decanters, scented lotions, original jackets, tree spirits, leather collars, hardwood replicas of antique cars and enamelware. There will also be coin jewelry, concho coats made from imported blankets, art prints of various schools, and canisters.

Other items to be exhibited include original jewelry, woodwork, hair bows, fibercraft and soft sculpture, quilts, clothing, and jams and jellies. Other exhibitors will be offering dresses, cedar chests and shelves, goucho pants, tables and carts, wreaths and button covers.

Unfinished and finished wood is both country and Southwest designs will be on hand, as well as ceramics, potpourri, carousel horses, bird houses, throw pillows and wind

chimes. Terra cotta pottery will be offered by a couple of participants, as well as needlework, fishing rod holders, purses, lamps, porcelain dolls, lawn chairs, afghans, album covers, dusters and more.

Hours for the show are Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday from 12 noon to 5 p.m. There is no admission charge.

Thank You

The family of Nancy Pryor would like to take this opportunity to thank the many friends and neighbors who so graciously responded during "Moma's" illness and passing. We want to thank everyone for the outpouring of love - the phone calls, cards, visits, flowers, food and most of all the many heartfelt prayers. May God bless each of you. As "Moma" would have said, "You done good, kids!"

Bill, Patty & Deborah

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POLITICAL CALENDAR

The following candidates have authorized this newspaper to list their names as candidates for the March 10, 1992 Primary Election.

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R.B. White
(Re-election)

District 17
Representative
Charles Stenholm
(Re-election)
Pd. Pol. Advertisement

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G. E. Railcar Repair Service
NE of City
647-3223

Mathews Pharmacy
300 Hwy 80 W.
647-1115

Adams Grocery & Market
114 N. Austin
647-1144

Ranger Times
211 Elm
647-1101

Edwards Funeral Home
211 Pine Street
647-1133

OBITUARIES

Texlinna Belle Spence

RISING STAR - Mrs. Spence was born in Bell County and was a Baptist. She was a lifelong resident of May.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, February 9, 1992 at Higginbotham Funeral home Chapel with the Rev. Darrell Dossey officiating. Burial was in Wolf Valley Cemetery.

Survivors include two sisters, Ella Suddeth of Ritzville, Wash., and Vick Butts of Henrietta; two granddaughters, Susie David of Coleman and Becky Jones of May; and three great-grandchildren.

Ruth Langford

RANGER - Ruth Stuard Langford, 80, died Friday, February 7, 1992 at a Breckenridge hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, February 9, 1992 at New Hope Baptist Church No. 3 with the Rev. Jerry Speer officiating and the Rev. Charles West assisting. Burial was in Mount Zion Cemetery, eight miles north of Ranger on Farm-to-Market Road 717, directed by Edwards Funeral Home.

Mrs. Langford was a lifelong resident of the Frankell community where she attended school and played basketball. Before retiring, she was a homemaker and worked

for the Breckenridge Independent School District for several years. She was a member of New Hope Baptist Church No. 3 where she frequently sang.

She was the widow of Marlow B. Langford.

Survivors include three sons, Buddie R. Langford of Grand Prairie, Terry W. Langford and Ronnie M. Langford, both of Breckenridge; three daughters, Marlene (Mrs. Bill) Layne of Fort Worth, Jerry Ruth (Mrs. James) Kyle of Round Rock and Margaret Jo (Mrs. Bob) Gailey of Strawn; 18 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

William 'Bill' Pace

BROWNWOOD - William T. "Bill" Pace, 59, died Thursday at a local hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday at Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. R.D. Williams officiating. Burial was in Eastlawn Memorial Park.

Mr. Pace was born in Ranger. He retired from the U.S. Air Force after 20 years of service. He was a member of Masonic Lodge, a Baptist and had

lived in Brownwood since 1971.

Survivors include his wife, Iris Pace of Brownwood; two daughters, Donna Sue Pace of Brownwood and Iris Ann Smith of Midwest City, Okla.; his mother, Bertha Pardue of Wink; his father, Charlie T. Pace of Brownwood; a sister, Dorothy Pauline Snow of Wink; three granddaughters; and several nieces and nephews.

Allene Carter

EASTLAND - Allene Carter, 79, died Monday, February 10, 1992 in a local hospital.

Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, February 12, 1992 in the Rising Star Cemetery with the Rev. Lee Rogers officiating, directed by Bakker Funeral Home.

Mrs. Carter was born in Cisco and grew up in Eastland County. She lived in Rising Star until 1968 when she moved to

Cisco. She lived in Eastland the past three years. She was a homemaker and the widow of Jess Carter.

Survivors include two sons; Joe Carter of North Carolina and Eldon Carter of Stockton, Calif.; two daughters, Billie Mahaney of Eastland and Carolyn Eays of Palo Pinto; 14 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Northview Development Center Celebrates National Long-Term Care Administrators Week

Staff and residents at Northview Development Center will honor Administrator Jackie Edmonds during the inaugural celebration of Long-term Care Administrators Week, February 9-15, 1992.

Long-term care administrators command a profession that is becoming increasingly complex and requiring greater sophistication — making them the renaissance professional of the health care industry as they simultaneously experience and direct these changes.

Meeting the changing health care needs is placing new challenges on today's long-term care facility, according to Sabrina Hammit, a regional director of operations for Living Centers of America, the company that operates Northview Development Center. "Today's administrators wear a variety of hats as they carry out their ever-changing role of ensuring the overall quality of care."

Long-term care administrators are well trained and equipped to meet the challenges of their vocation, Hammit said. "Typically, our administrators study gerontology, health administration, social services, or business in college and receive extensive, facility-based training under the supervision of another long-term care administrator," Hammit said. "They must be well-versed in state and federal long-term care regulations and every facet of facility operations and resident care — from nursing, dietary, and maintenance to social services, activities, and medical records."

Hammit added that all long-term administrators are licensed by the state.

In recognition of Long-term Care Administrator's Week, Northview Development Center will have special activities planned throughout the week.

To further recognize its administrator, Hammit said Northview Development Center has decorated the walls of the facility with commemorative posters that say, "You're at the Helm of Long-term Care." She said the posters were specially designed and printed by Living Centers of America just for Long-term Care Administrators Week.

The American College of Health Care Administrators in Alexandria, Va., and Living Centers worked together to create Long-term Care Administrators Week, which is sponsored by Wander

Guard, to increase public awareness of the valuable role long-term administrators play in our nation's health care delivery system.

Living Centers of America operates 210 long-term health care facilities in 9 states.



Hospital Report

EASTLAND MEMORIAL HOSPITAL Admissions 2/7/92

Gilbert, Betty Ruth
Dismissals
Clark, Sharon
Holt, John
Rawson, Merton
Slaughter, Ada
Admissions
2/8/92

Hix, Wendy
James, Linda
Murdock, Mary A.
Price, Dora L.
Dismissals
Garcia, Tiffany
Admissions
2/9/92

Vinson, Perry T.
Wiley, Donald
Dismissals
None
Admissions
2/10/92

Thompson, Maurine
Thompson, William L.
Dismissals
Campbell, Mary F.
Duffield, William J.
Gist, Margaret
Hix, Wendy G.
Mize, Lloyd E.
Murdock, Mary A.
Weeks, Robert D.

Criswell To Preach In Eastland This Monday Night

Dr. W. A. Criswell, Senior Pastor of the First Baptist Church in Dallas, will be the keynote preacher at the Cisco Associational Evangelism Conference this Monday evening, February 17, 1992 at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Eastland. Dr. Criswell is widely recognized as Southern Baptists' foremost Pastor. He has served two terms as President of the Southern

Baptist Convention and is the chancellor of the Criswell College in Dallas.

The fifty-voice Sanctuary Choir of First Baptist Church, Eastland, will provide the music. A complimentary supper will be served in the church's fellowship hall at 6 p.m. Dr. Robert Jeffress, Pastor of First Baptist, Eastland, invites all area residents to attend.

Pleasant Hill Home Ext. Club To Meet February 13

The Pleasant Hill Home Extension club will meet Thursday, February 13 at 2 p.m. in the home of Twila Lee.

"Ideas for Reuse and Recycling," household waste management will be the program of the month given by Ann Larkin.

Members are urged to be present visitors are always welcome at any meet we have.

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An 18-Pounder Now Looking 20

With the new state largemouth bass record of 18.18 pounds set just a couple of weeks ago, bass fisherman and fishery biologists are expecting another record breaking bass to surface at any time.

While it took more than 40 years to break the 13 1/2 pound bass record, the record has been broken five times since 1980. Now, fisherman are looking for a 20-pounder. Many people close to trophy bass fishing believe that such large catches are not isolated but come in groups.

There could be some truth to that theory because a new record stimulates other to try, and the more fisherman there are on the water trying, the more bass end up in the boat. Five of the 10 top bass in Texas were caught in February and March, so the calendar is right for another record bass.

Dr. Ruby Rosen, fisheries and wildlife division director, speaking Jan. 31 at the record bass's coming out party at its temporary home in the Tyler State Fish Hatchery, said he believes there is a 20-pound largemouth bass lurking in Texas waters right now. Logically, this is not an idle boast.

To get the big, the fish would have to be of the Florida genetic strain, and Florida bass were first stocked in the public waters of Texas in the early 1970s. David Campbell, hatchery superintendent, said the new state record bass will be 10 years old this spring. The previous record caught by Mark Stevenson, which is still alive, was 10 when caught in 1986. This means there could be older bass in the lakes.

The 18-pounder bass, caught by Klondike rancher Barry St. Clair, survived its first two weeks with the help of antibiotics and the dedicated efforts of Campbell and his staff. Since the fish was caught in 42 feet

of water, Campbell wasn't sure it would survive the internal damage suffered from the sudden change of depths.

An estimated 1,000 people have visited the fish since it was brought to the hatchery Jan. 24. On February 1, the day after the press conference to show off the bass, almost 300 visitors stopped by, a one day visitation record for the hatchery.

The bass is one of five donated to the Operation Share A Lone Star Luncheon program so far this year. Stevenson, who had held the record since 1986 with the state's first 17-pound bass, was the program's first donor.

Anglers may loan 13-plus pound bass to the department for spawning and research. Offspring will be stocked in public waters or used as broodfish for the

department's Florida largemouth bass program. Participating anglers will receive fiberglass replicas of their fish from the Texas Taxidermy Association. Fish that live are returned to the angler and most are returned to the lake where they were caught.

The program is sponsored by Lone Star Brewery, HEB Food Stores, Professional Sporting Goods Inc. and Irving Marine.

St. Clair's bass is swimming and active, but has not begun eating again, which is not an unusual occurrence for big fish, Campbell said. In the meantime, the only thing

Social Security Expands Work Rules For Disability Beneficiaries

A change in the law effectively expands the time frame for people with disabilities to test their ability to work without losing Social Security benefits.

"People getting disability benefits can work and earn as much as they can without losing benefits for up to nine months," Glen Hammons, district manager in Abilene, said. "The rule change will allow those nine months of trials work to be a more realistic assessment of their ability to work."

The new rule took effect January 1, 1992, and provides that a trial work period will be exhausted only after the beneficiary works any nine months during a rolling 60-month period — that is, nine months of work during any 60 consecutive months.

"For example," Hammons explained, "if a person works for two months one year, but has to stop and doesn't get back to work again until six years later, the first two months of work won't count towards the trial work period."

"This means that failed work attempts are less likely to count toward the 9 months of trial work and the beneficiary will have more time to establish his or her working ability."

her keepers and well wishers can do is wait, watch and hope. The rest will be beating the waters for that 20-pounder.

Another provision of the law provides a brand new trial work period every time a person become reentitled to a new period of disability.

"For example," Hammons said, "let's take a person who is entitled to disability benefits and uses only three trial work months before benefits end because he or she is no longer disabled. If that same person at some point in the future becomes reentitled to disability benefits, he or she will have a new trial work period of nine months."

Under Social Security rules, any month in which a person earns at least \$200 counts as a trial work month. During trial work months, the amount of earnings does not effect the amount of the monthly Social Security check — no matter how much money is earned.

After 9 months of trial work, earnings are reviewed to see if they are "substantial." Average earnings of \$500 a month are usually considered substantial.

People who are still medically impaired in spite of their earnings can have their benefits reinstated without an application for any month that earnings drop below the "substantial" level. This "extended period of eligibility" lasts for 36 months.

"The trial work period makes it possible for people to test their ability to work without losing

their benefits and Medicare coverage," Hammond said. "Under the change in the law, we can expect that more people may be willing to make the attempt."

Anyone who wants more information on the trial work period should contact their nearest Social Security office or call toll free 1-800-772-1213.

November Texas Gas Production Up Compared To 1990

Railroad Commission Chairman Lena Guerrero announced that Texas oil and gas wells produced 457,935,854 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas in November, up three percent compared to November 1990 gas production total of 444,727,839 Mcf. The October production was 464,510,119 Mcf.

47,217 gas wells. November gas production in Eastland County was reported as 818,189 Mcf.

The state's top producing counties, rank ordered by preliminary November production, were: Pecos, 31,957,869 Mcf; Webb, 26,828,815 Mcf; Zapata, 24,299,381 Mcf; Panola, 17,943,625 Mcf; Hidalgo, 16,221,627 Mcf; Crane, 12,114,662 Mcf; Hemphill, 9,258,615 Mcf; Crockett, 8,754,907 Mcf; Ector, 8,640,692 Mcf; and Moore, 7,748,531 Mcf.

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Pharmacy Topics
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The National Cancer Institute is sponsoring a study of the drug tamoxifen. Now used to prevent recurrence of breast cancer, drug will be tested to see if it can also prevent it from starting in at-risk women. Other bonuses seem to be protection against heart disease and osteoporosis.

Genetically altered mice with more low-density lipoprotein receptors in their liver cells can remove more cholesterol from their blood. Researchers at the University of Texas in Dallas say it may be many years before this success can be achieved in humans.

Young children offered good food eat what they need, a study at the Child Development Laboratory in Urbana, Illinois, found. What constitutes a "meal" varies, but daily caloric intake is constant.

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WRITTEN PROTOCOL

Federal legislation requires that hospitals have a written protocol outlining how donors are identified. The written policy must specify a method for advising family members of their option to donate on behalf of a deceased relative, even if that loved one had not signed a donor card. Notice of the approach and the family's decision must be documented in the patient's medical records.

Effective Sept. 1, 1991, the Texas Anatomical Gift Act was revised, in part altering how hospitals comply with federal laws on identifying donors. Under statute revisions, the hospital must immediately

notify an organ procurement organization when a patient meeting medical criteria for donation suffers brain death or cardiac death. That group determines if a donor card was signed, and if not, they speak with the family to determine their wishes. Under previous state law, hospitals were required to make family inquiries directly.

TO INFORM, NOT REQUEST

Although donor identification methods have changed, hospitals still are required to develop a donor identification protocol to avoid delay in the procurement/transplant process. The intent of legislation is not to ask families for an anatomical gift, but to identify donors and inform families of their options.

PROTOCOL MUST:

- *Provide that the hospital use appropriately trained persons from an organ or tissue procurement organization to make inquiries.
- *Encourage sensitivity to family beliefs and circumstances.
- *Provide a method for documenting the inquiry and the decision, both of which must be included in the patient's medical records.
- *Provide that inquiry is not necessary if the pa-

tient is not medically suitable to donate, or if there is an actual notice of objection to donate from either the deceased or family member eligible to make a decision on his behalf.

*Establish donation guidelines, based on accepted medical standards. Generally, anatomical donations will not be accepted from those with communicable diseases, cancer, or diseases for which a cause is unknown. An age limit is generally placed on donors of tendons, cartilage, heart valves and visceral organs.

DECISIONS, RULING

According to Texas statutes, a potential donor's statement of anatomical gift is proof of that person's wishes and takes precedence over the desires of all others. In the absence of a donor card, family members eligible to donate on the deceased person's behalf, in order of priority, are his:

- *Spouse
- *Adult son or daughter
- *Parent
- *Adult brother or sister, or
- *Guardian or other authorized person

"Visceral organs," the heart, liver and kidneys, require a patient support system to maintain viability. Because time is crucial, state statutes were revised to assume donation consent in accident/trauma cases where family members cannot be located within four hours after death is pronounced. The medical examiner may authorize the removal of visceral organs or tissue if eligible family members cannot be contacted within four hours and if it appears unlikely they will be notified in that time frame. Those

who authorize the gift and carry out this order are protected from criminal and civil liability, provided good-faith efforts are made to comply with the statute. Instances in which family members are not located within four hours are rare.

TIME IS CRUCIAL

Eyes or corneas must be retrieved within eight hours, and many tissues must be removed within 24 hours of death. Visceral organs must be sustained on a patient-support system or removed immediately after brain death, proclaimed when there is a total absence of brain activity and when breathing and circulation can be maintained only with the help of special machines.

CARD SAVES TIME

To be quickly identified as a donor, a person over age 18 may execute a statement of gift on a personal identification card or a Texas driver's license. Under revised Texas law, the license or card is sent to the hospital with a patient who is involved in an accident or other trauma. A person under age 18 may make a statement of gift, but it is not effective at the time of death without the approval of that minor's parents or legal guardian.

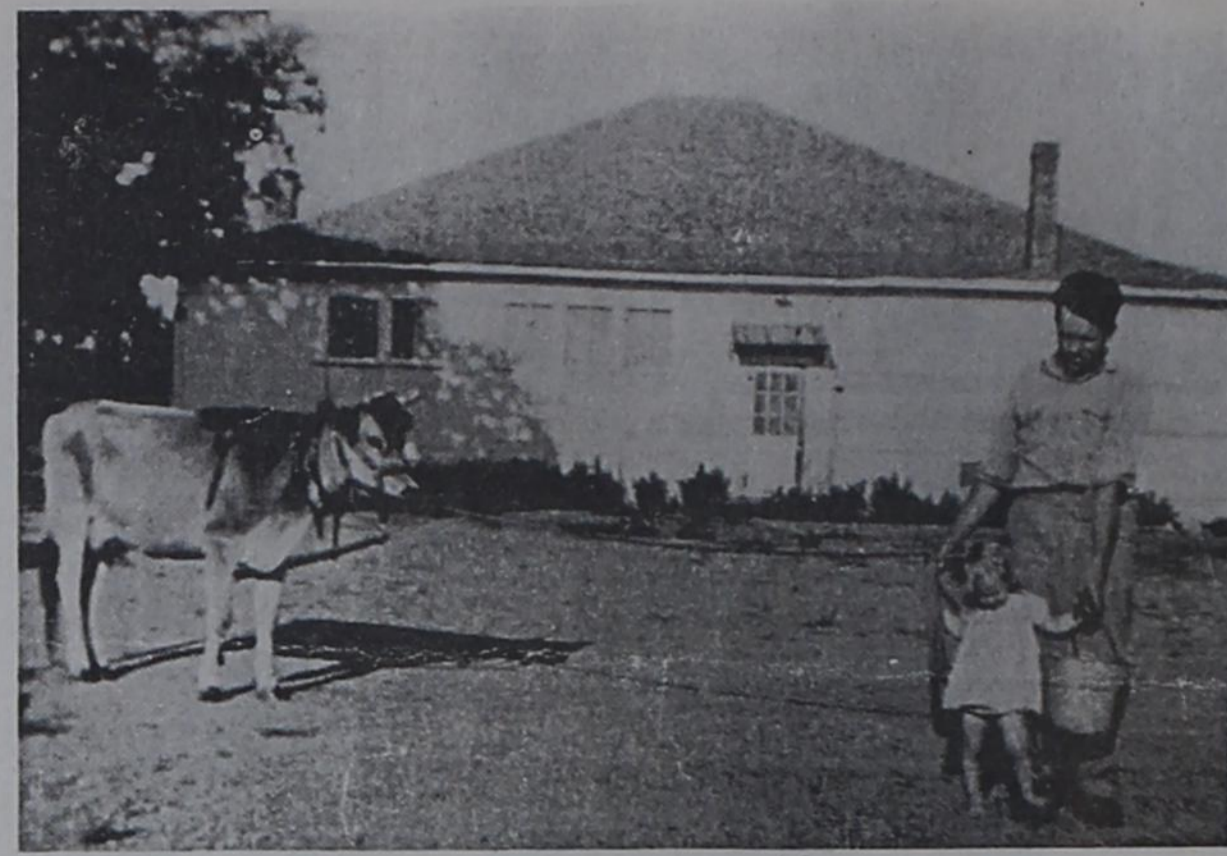
Because of time restraints, donation procurement officials suggest signing a donor card and not including a statement of gift in a will. It also is recommended that family members discuss anatomical donations, so those left to make decisions may act according to the wishes of the deceased.

As of July 1991, nearly 24,000 patients were on the national United Network for Organ Sharing waiting list, hopeful that a family grieving the loss of a loved one might decide to give the gift of life. In Texas, more than 800 people are waiting for organ transplants. But misconceptions about organ donation charges may cost waiting transplant recipients their lives.

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Donor families are sometimes unaware of the high medical costs involved with life-support systems or other methods used in final life-saving attempts. Often, medical bills received after a loved one's death are interpreted as organ removal costs. At no time should any donation-related costs be passed to the donor's family.

The patient/family financial responsibility stops when life-saving attempts fail, the loved one expires and donation is authorized. From that moment, the procurement organization assumes financial responsibility for any costs associated with the donation process, including organ removal, preservation and transportation. Anatomical donation is a gift and is always treated as such. The family is never charged for this ultimate act of kindness, nor are they financially reimbursed. It is illegal to buy or sell human organs or tissue.



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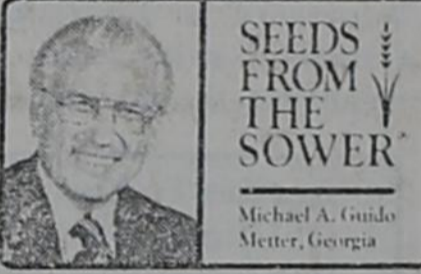
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Eleventh Court Of Appeals

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

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11-90-247-CV
Chris Gould v. Gary Frost d/b/a Frost Motors. (Per Curiam Opinion) - Taylor.
11-91-008-CR
Ivory Joe Walker v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Brown sitting by assignment.) (Judge Dickenson not participating.) - Taylor.
11-91-028-CR
Wesley Truitt Dixon v. State of Texas. (Opinion by Judge Brown sitting by assignment.) (Judge Arnot not participating.) - Stephens.
11-91-049-CR
John Wesley Traylor v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Opinion) - Erath.
11-91-139-CV
Earlene S. David v. Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) - Taylor.
11-91-273-CR
Millard Vance Smith v. State of Texas. (Per Curiam Opinion) -

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11-91-001-CV Bandera Drilling Co., Inc. v. E. J. Lavino, II, Robert W. Twiford, Robert W. Henderson, and Reliance Trusts. (Opinion by Judge Arnot) (Publish) - Taylor.
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11-91-115-CR
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11-91-116-CR
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11-91-118-CR
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MOTIONS SUBMITTED & GRANTED
11-91-098-CR
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11-91-115-CR
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11-91-159-CR
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11-91-168-CR
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11-91-170-CR
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11-91-210-CR
Billie Calip v. State of Texas. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts. - Smith.

11-91-269-CV
D. H. Bashford v. Barbara J. Roper and W. F. (Bill) Roper.

Appellant's motion for leave to file reply brief. - Callahan.

11-91-274-CR
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11-92-005-CV
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11-92-009-CV
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11-92-015-CR
Ernestine Wickware v. State of Texas.

Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief. - Smith.

MOTIONS SUBMITTED & GRANTED IN PART

11-91-229-CR Todd W. Long v. State of Texas.

Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief. - Henderson.

MOTIONS SUBMITTED & OVERRULED
11-91-227-CR
Benjamin Perea v. State of Texas.

Appellant's pro se motion to deny the State's motion for extension of time to file brief. - Cherokee.

November Daily Crude Production Average Down Compared To 1990

Texas crude oil production averaged 1,700,150 barrels daily in November, according to preliminary figures released by Railroad Commission Chairman Lena Guerrero. November 1990 preliminary production was 1,736,623 barrels daily. This figure compares with preliminary October production of 1,674,576 barrels daily. Final production reports for October indicated average production at 1,733,841 barrels daily.

The preliminary Texas oil production figure for November is 51,004,497 barrels, down from 51,911,845 barrels in October. November 1990 preliminary Texas oil production figure was 53,288,401 barrels. Guerrero said the state's top producing counties, rank ordered by preliminary November production, were: Gaines, 3,411,455 barrels; Ector, 2,830,800 barrels; Andrews, 2,724,202 barrels; Yoakum, 2,521,455 barrels; Gregg, 2,415,079 barrels; Hockley, 2,388,969 barrels; Pecos, 1,846,737 barrels; Crane, 1,507,800 barrels; Scurry, 1,018,030 barrels; and

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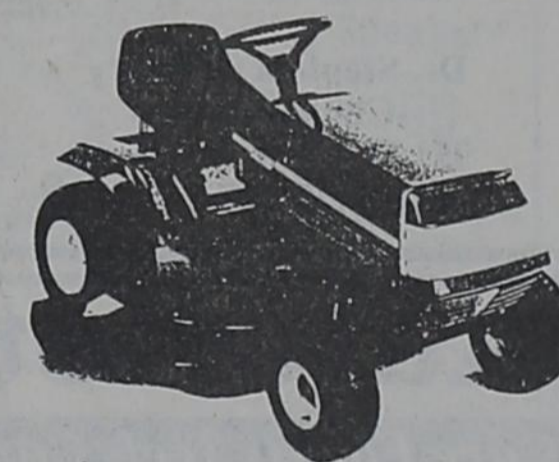
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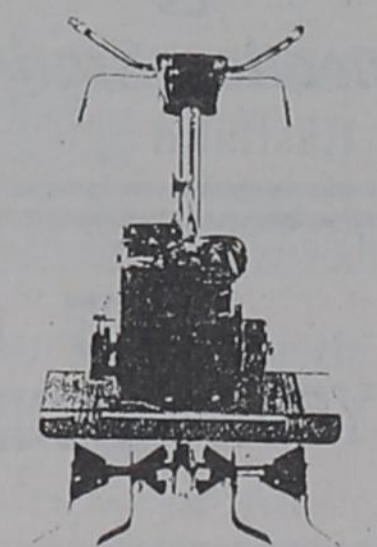
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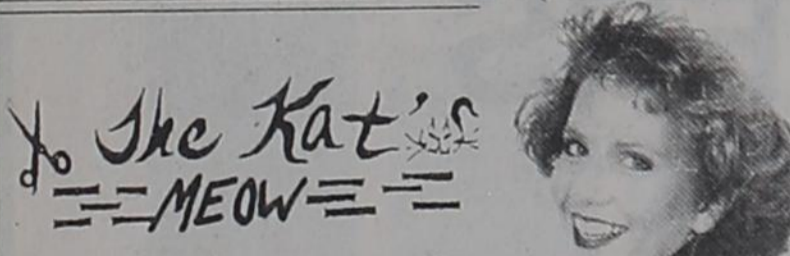
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Martin Short stars as flamboyant Franck, the wedding coordinator who is more enthusiastic than bride-to-be Annie (Kimberly Williams, L) or her mother Nina (Diane Keaton, R) in Touchstone Pictures new "Father of the Bride". Steve Martin is the father, George, in the romantic comedy. The picture will begin at the Majestic Theatre Feb. 14.

'Father Of The Bride' To Show At Majestic This Weekend

Valentine's Day, 1992: Time for something romantic and cheerful. "Father of the Bride", a Touchstone Pictures Comedy, seems to fill both of these requirements.

It will open at the Majestic Theatre in Eastland on Friday, Feb. 14, and run at 7:30 nightly through Monday, Feb. 17. Tickets will be \$3 at the box office, with the pictured rated PG.

This current "Father of the Bride" is actually a remake of a witty 1950 MGM classic. It took a

year and a half to secure permission to modernize and update the story.

Stars of the picture are Steve Martin as George Banks, Diane Keaton as his wife, Nina, Kimberly Williams as Annie Banks, George Newbern as Bryan MacKenzie, and Martin Short as Franck Eggelhoff.

There are more than 12 special songs in the film, including compositions by Burt Bacarach, Rodgers and Hart, Jerome Kern, Robinson-White of Motown Records and others.

The story begins with a young at heart father who can hardly imagine that his 22 year old daughter is old enough to date boys - much less marry one. Loath to accept his son-in-law-to-be, George struggles with the day-to-day traumas.

In the original film Spencer Tracy was worried about how his prospective son-in-law would support his daughter. In this 1992 version, Steve Martin is worried that his daughter is going to have to support her future hus-

Fishing Outdoors

by Terry L. Wilson

16 PARKS TO RECEIVE MATCHING FUNDS

There are currently five fish entered in this year's share a Lone Star Lunker program. The program began in 1987 and accepts 13 plus pound bass loaned by anglers for spawning and research. Offspring will be stocked in public waters or used as broodfish for the department's Florida largemouth bass stocking program. The participating anglers receive fiberglass replicas of their fish from the Texas Taxidermy Association. Fish that life are returned to the angler and most are returned to the lake where they were

band!

Principal photography for "Father of the Bride" began in April, 1991 in and around Los Angeles, and on sound stages at CBS/MTM Studios. After two months search the filmmakers found the perfect "Banks" house on a tree-canopied street in Pasadena, a dignified traditional southern California suburb.

This picture should provide some weekend fun - with values mixed with the entertainment.

caught.

The four official entries plus the new state record are: Barry St. Clair 18-2.88, Lake Fork Jan. 24; Low Cole of Arlington 14.14 pounds, Lake Fork, Jan. 8; Chris Maness of Mesquite, 13.19 pounds Mill Creek Jan. 10; Bob Glamager of Anderson, 13 pounds, Gibbons Creek Jan. 10; Glen Cormack of Houston County, 13.33 Cormack Private Lake.

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission approved \$5,716,748.00 in park grants for 16 Texas communities during a public hearing January 23.

Applications for \$12.1 million in matching funds submitted by 41 sponsors seeking grants from the Federal Land and Water Conservation Fund and the Texas Local Parks Recreation and Open Space Program Fund.

Both funding sources were established to assist states, cities, towns, counties and other local governments in defraying the costs of purchasing park lands and developing outdoor recreation facilities.

Grant monies are earmarked for acquisition and development of local parks in the following communities. Once again nothing in our county is not listed:

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- Ingleside, Ingleside Cove Park, \$499,955.00.
- Jasper, Sandy Creek Park, \$500,000.00.
- Jourdanton, Jourdan-ton City Park, \$305,188.00.
- LaRosita, LaRosita Park, \$25,000.00.
- Refugio, Lions City/Shelly Park \$500,000.00.
- Richardson, Spring Creek Park II, \$500,000.00.
- Round Rock, Fern Bluff MUD Park, \$160,000.00.

Birth Certificates Reflect Most Popular Babies' Names

The Bureau of Vital Statistics of the Texas Department of Health has released a list of the ten names most frequently given to newborn boys and girls of Texas residents.

State Registrar Richard B. Bays, who is chief of the bureau, said that, "Calendar year 1990 was the first year that these names were available for publication in our annual report."

The 10 most popular names for boys born in 1990 were: Michael, Christopher, Joshua,

David, Matthew, Justin, Jose, John, Daniel and James.

Girls born during the same year were most of ten named: Ashley, Jessica, Amanda, Brittany, Sarah, Stephanie, Samantha, Lauren, Jennifer and Elizabeth.

"When examined by ethnicity, Whites, Blacks and Hispanics each chose Michael as one of the most popular names for boys, while Ashley and Jessica were among the most popular girls names" Bays said.

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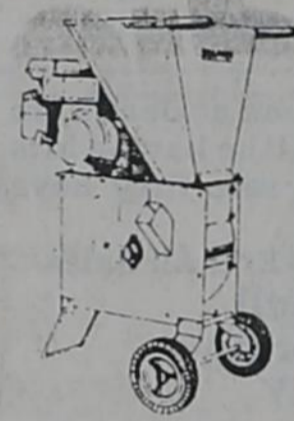
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Governor Richards Awards Crime Stoppers Grants

Governor Ann W. Richards today announced that she has awarded grants to aid 54 Texas Crime Stoppers programs. Funding of over \$500,000 will assist those Crime Stoppers programs with supplies, equipment, travel, and professional and contract services.

Among the grants awarded was one in the amount of \$9,052.00 to Eastland Crime Stoppers, Inc. located in Eastland, Texas.

The grants will support training, improved auto-

maintained record-keeping, creation of public service announcements to increase public awareness and participation, and acquisition of computer software. Programs will provide dollar-for-dollar matching funds for acquisition of equipment.

Governor Richards has proclaimed January to be Crime Stoppers Month in Texas, recognizing the nearly 200 local Crime Stoppers programs throughout the state for their successful work in drawing on the combined

resources of concerned citizens, law enforcement officials, and members of the news media.

"The citizens of Texas should all be aware of the tremendous success of Crime Stoppers in helping law enforcement agencies solve crimes and form an efficient network that also helps deter crimes before they are committed," Governor Richards said. "We must continue to use every possible means to stop crime in its tracks. I recommit my support to all those whose lives have been adversely affected by crime and to all our law enforcement officers, who place their lives at risk every day."

Leroy Wormley, Jr., Chairman of the Governor's Crime Stoppers Advisory Council, said, "Today, because of Crime Stoppers, there is no reason at all for anyone with information not to do his or her part to solve crime."

Crime Stoppers uses anonymity as an inducement to encourage citizens to report information useful in solving crimes without fear of retaliation. Crime Stoppers also provides cash rewards of up to \$1,000 for information leading to an arrest and grand jury indictment. The Governor's Crime Stoppers hotline can be reached toll-free at 1-800-252-TIPS.

Eastland County Juvenile Board To Meet Feb. 18

The Eastland County Juvenile Board will meet in a regular quarterly session at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 18, 1992 in the 91st District Courtroom, Eastland, Texas.

The agenda is as follows: Meeting called to order. Approve minutes of prior meetings.

Consider juvenile activity report.

Review financial status of department.

Discuss performance reports allocation.

Other business. Adjournment.

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subscription to *Telemarketing* magazine. For information on how to do this, send us a self-addressed stamped envelope.

■ **Target your calls.** Making random calls from a phone book is probably the most inefficient way of identifying prospects. You'll be much better off renting a list of customers from other similar businesses in your area.

Your best bet, of course, is to call your own list of past customers. These are people with a demonstrated track record of buying from you. Don't have such a list? Start building it right now. From this day

forward, request the name, address and phone number of every customer who steps through your doors.

■ **Give customers a reason to call you.** Rather than shooting in the dark, make yourself the target. Use your free time to take calls from prospects.

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Those wishing to bid to be included on this list should contact Keith Watkins, Superintendent,

Eastland ISD Administration Office, 900 W. Plummer, P.O. Box 31, Eastland, TX 76448, (817) 629-8221. Deadline to submit bids is 4:00 p.m., Monday, February 17, 1992.

Bids to be included on the vendor list will be considered at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 18, 1992, in the administration building at Eastland ISD. Eastland ISD reserves the right to waive formalities of the bid process and to accept or reject any or all bids.

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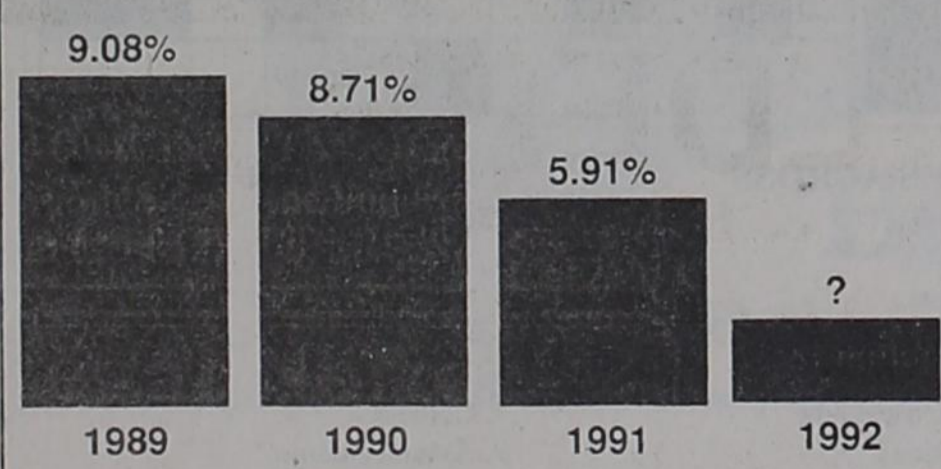
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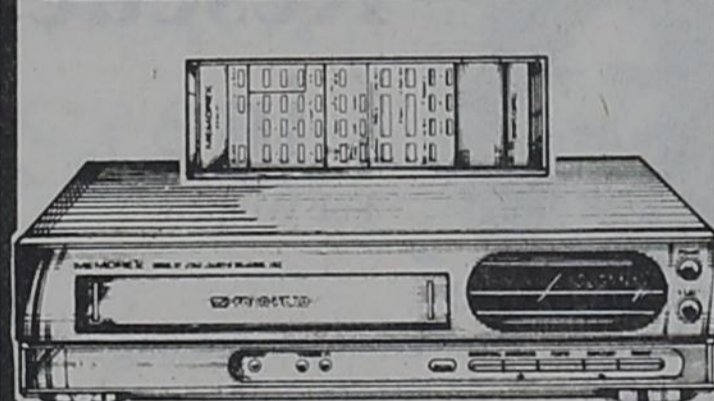
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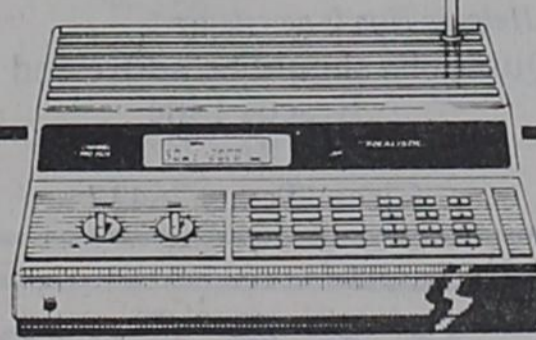
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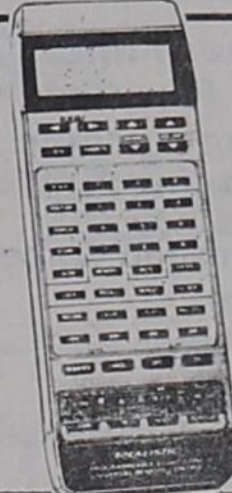
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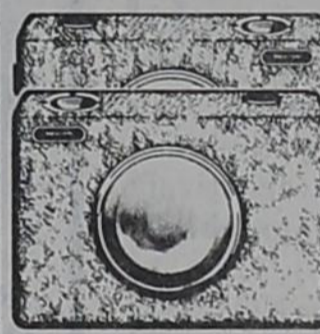


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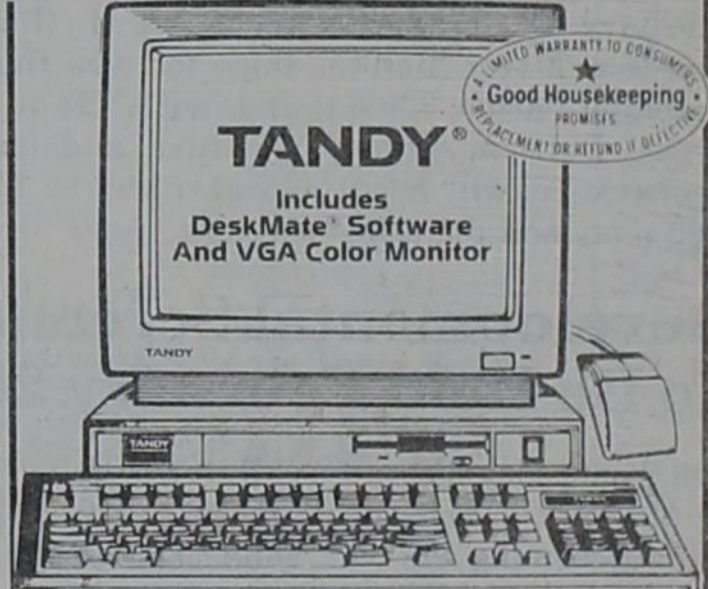
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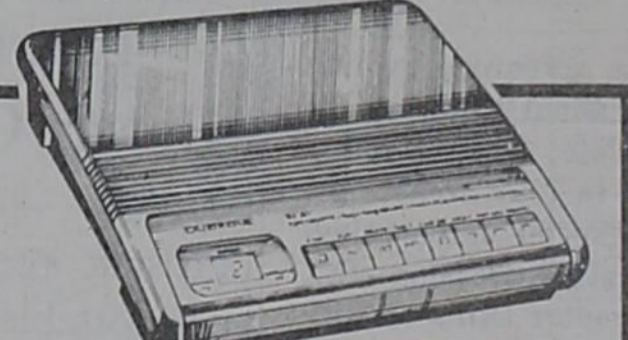
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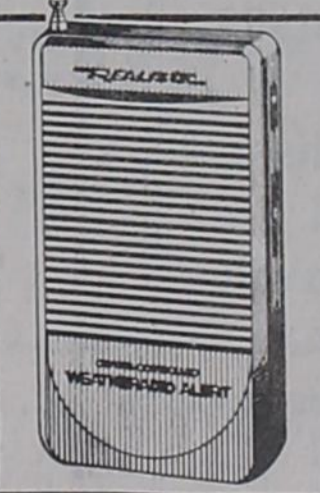
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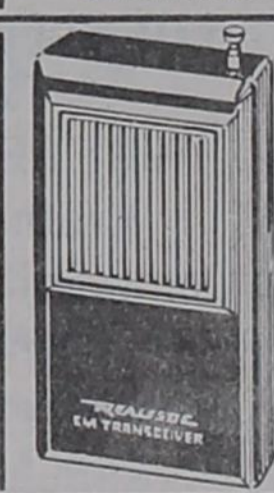


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The Boy Scouts of America (BSA) celebrated its 82nd birthday with nationwide festivities held during Scouting Week.

The Comanche Trail Council will be celebrating this historical event with many Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts attending their local church in uniform and holding Troop Courts of Honor and Cub Blue and Gold Banquets. In addition, the Council will launch a two year project to collect and publish the History of Scouting in this area.

A major national focus of the week will be the presentation of the BSA's annual "Report to the Nation" to President Bush and members of Congress. Both adult and youth members of Scouting will take part in several days of meetings with federal officials and military leaders.

"Our 82nd anniversary is the perfect time for everyone in the Comanche Trail Council's eight-county area to commemorate the proud history and benefits of Scouting," said Frank T. Hilton, Scout Executive. "Since the Boy Scouts of America was founded, Scouting has provided millions of young people with values and ex-

periences needed to meet the challenges of the future."

The Scouting movement originated in Great Britain in 1907. Two years later, William Boyce, a Chicago publisher traveling in London, became lost in a London fog. A young boy offered to help and led him to his destination. When Boyce thanked the boy for his graciousness, the boy explained that as a Boy Scout, it was his duty to help others, and declined a tip.

Impressed with the boy's actions, Boyce met with Britain's Boy Scout founder, Robert Baden-Powell, and laid the groundwork to bring the Scouting program to the United States.

With the help of Baden-Powell, Ernest Thompson Seton, Daniel Carter Beard and James E. West, Boyce established the Boy Scouts of America on February 8, 1910. This date is now recognized as Anniversary Day, with members of the BSA across the country making the occasion with special ceremonies and commitments to the Cub Scout Promise, Boy Scout Oath and Explorer Code.

With more than 4.3 million youth members and more than 1.5 million adult volunteers, the Boy Scouts of America is one of the nation's largest youth development or-

ganizations. More than 88 million young people have been involved in Scouting since the Scouts first began in 1910.

For more information on Scouting in the Comanche Trail Council, contact the office at 915-646-0616 in Brownwood.

Bowling Report

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LADIES Week of Feb. 5, 1992

Team Standings
Mitchell Electric
Bubba's Liquor Store
J&W Kwik Stop
Thrift Mart

Buckeye Energy Inc.
Beaty Travel Agency
Breckenridge Affiliated
Myo-Massage Clinic
Team #10

RCG Leasing
Individual Game
Lori Whatley 214
Pat Wallace 203

Faye Boustead 193
Individual Series
Faye Boustead 556
Lori Whatley 549

Juanita Girsham 521
Team Game
Bubba's Liquor 784
Mitchell Elec. 750

Bubba's Liquor 749
Team Series
Bubba's Liquor 2267
Mitchell Elec. 2216

Buckeye Energy 2104
Splits Converted
Ester Escovedo 5-7
Mary Beaty 2-7

Kay Bailey 3-10
Faye Boustead 3-7
Pam White 3-10
Gay Vinson 4-7-10
Evelyn Bagwell 3-10

Three From County To Compete In Houston Rodeo Calf Scramble

Jessica Keith, 12, and Jeremy Keith, 15, 4-H members from Olden, and Kevin Espinoza, 13, Ranger, 4-H, will compete in the 1992 Houston Rodeo calf scramble on February 17 in the Astrodome.

The calf scramble is an exciting part of Houston rodeo action, featuring Travis Tritt and Tanya Tucker as part of that evening performance.

Jeremy and Jessica, the children of Fred and Nannette Keith, will compete for one of 252 calves to be awarded at the 1992 Show. Kevin is the son of Rudy and Ruth Espinoza.

Additionally, as many as two youngsters from each of the 18 rodeo performances will be awarded "hard luck" certificates for their hearty efforts in attempting to catch a calf, resulting in 36 more certificates actu-

ally given.

An entertaining event whose net proceeds provide educational contributions to Texas students, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo ranks as the nation's largest donor of agricultural scholarships. Currently, more than 1,000 students are on Show-sponsored scholarships. The Show's educational commitment for the 1991-92 school exceeds \$2 million.

Equally important is the Show's commitment to youngsters competing at the event itself. The

calf scramble is one of the Show's major programs benefiting youth, requiring a yearlong commitment to the animal project.

Beginning with athletic competition in the Astrodome, the program ends 12 months later with top-notch competition in the Astrodome showing.

The actual calf scramble event involves 28 energetic youngsters pitted against 14 vigorous calves. Each youngster is committed to capturing a calf, haltering and bringing it to the finish line - but only the successful ones receive \$1,000 calf purchase certificates.

The certificate, donated by a generous firm or

individual, is used to purchase a purebred registered beef or dairy heifer. This year, several companies have strengthened their commitment to the calf scramble program by donating a calf for each of the 18 rodeo performances.

The calf is raised by the winner for special showing competition in the Astrodome at the following year's Show. The yearlong project is closely supervised by the appropriate county extension agent or agricultural science teacher.

Additionally, the winners are required to submit financial records, photographs and a scrapbook to the calf scramble

office to detail the progress of the venture. The youngsters are encouraged to provide updated reports to their donors as well.

Proper livestock evaluation techniques, efficient cattle feeding and production methods, principles in economics and money management are all realistic learning experiences for the youngster who manages to get a firm hold on a calf.

To date, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo calf scramble has put 12,144 animals valued at more than \$2.9 million into the hands of Texas youth.

Eastland Telegram, Cisco Press, Ranger Times, Thursday, February 13, 1992

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Jeremy Keith



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Workshop For Parents With Disabled Children Set February 18 In DeLeon

A workshop for parents of children with disabilities, and the professionals who work with them will be held on Tuesday, February 18, 1992, at Freedom Motor Bank, Hospitality Room, 206 S. Texas, DeLeon, Texas. Registration will be at 6:30 p.m., and the semi-

nar at 7:00 p.m. Pre-registration is requested, but not required.

The seminar is presented by the Big Country P.A.T.H. (Partnerships for Assisting Texans with Handicaps) Coalition and featured speaker will be Marilou Wright, Area Develop-

ment Director of P.A.T.H. Project.

The seminar will cover regulations for educating children with any type of disability who do - and do not - qualify for special education, and the parent's role in the process - how to effectively work with your child's school.

There will be NO fee for this seminar. For more information and registration, contact: Pam Tomskey, Key Volunteer, Rt. 3 Box 445, Eastland, Texas 76448 (817) 629-1239.

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READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Developmental Screening To Be Held February 26

On Wednesday, February 26, 1992 a developmental screening will be held for young children ages zero to three (0-3). This screening will be conducted at the Eastland MHRM Center, 301 Pogue, Eastland TX. 76448 from 10:00-12:00 A.M.

children's delays have proven beneficial to the child, parents, and teachers.

For further information, please feel free to call (915) 646-9574, ext 158/159 in Brownwood, or come to the screening site.

Harris Methodist Erath County Hospital

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WHEN: Fri., February 21, 1992
TIME: 2-5 PM
WHERE: Harris Methodist Erath County Hospital Community Room, Stephenville
WHAT: Call 965-1599 for reservations/appointment

Dr. Avi Deshmukh,
Board Certified Urologist,
will be conducting the screening.

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 - Tarnish
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 - Hasty writing
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 - Intended
 - Forty winks
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 - Likeness
 - Nothing
 - Amidst
 - Portal
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 - Satisfied
 - Stole
 - Proverb
 - Artless
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 - Assumed name
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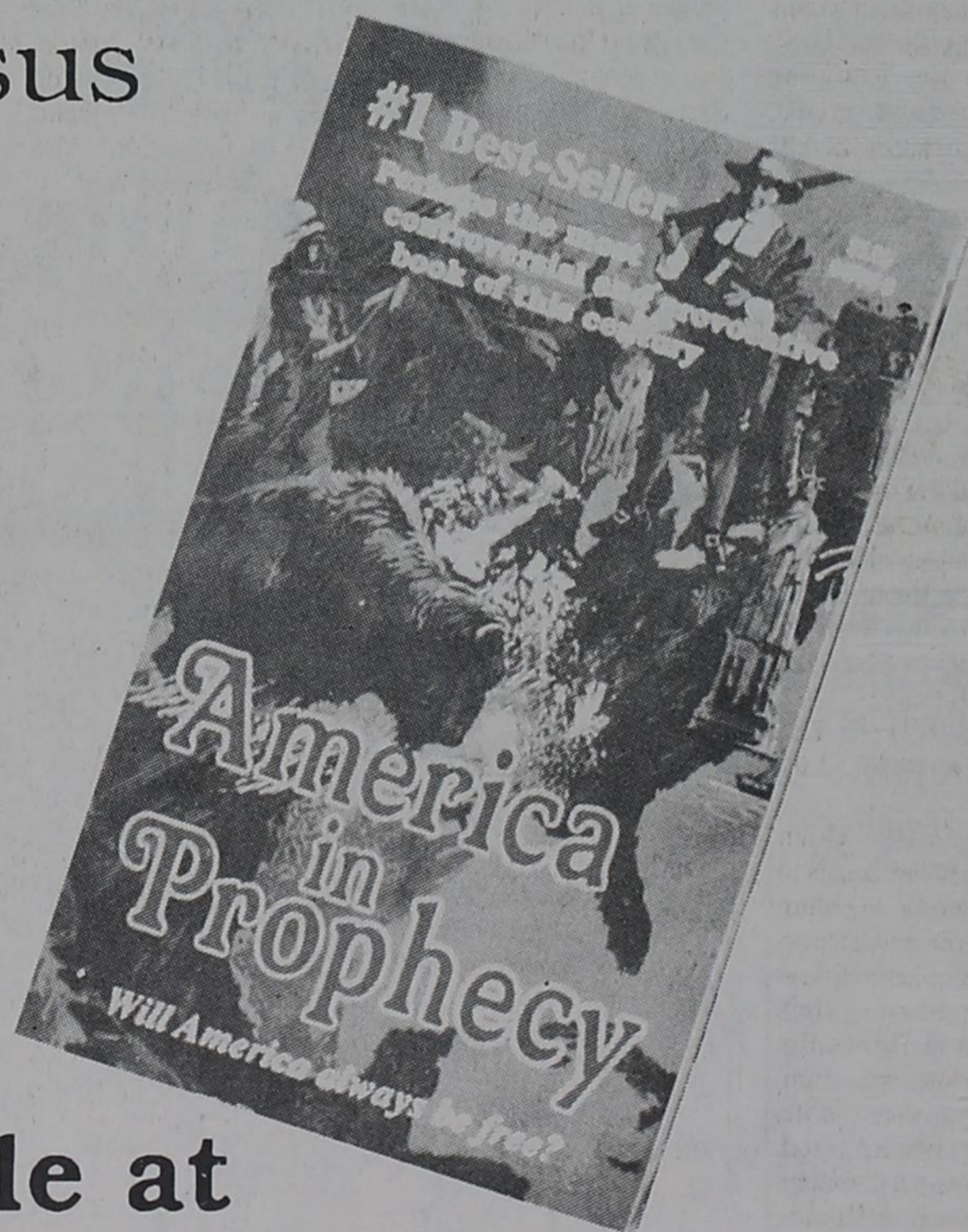
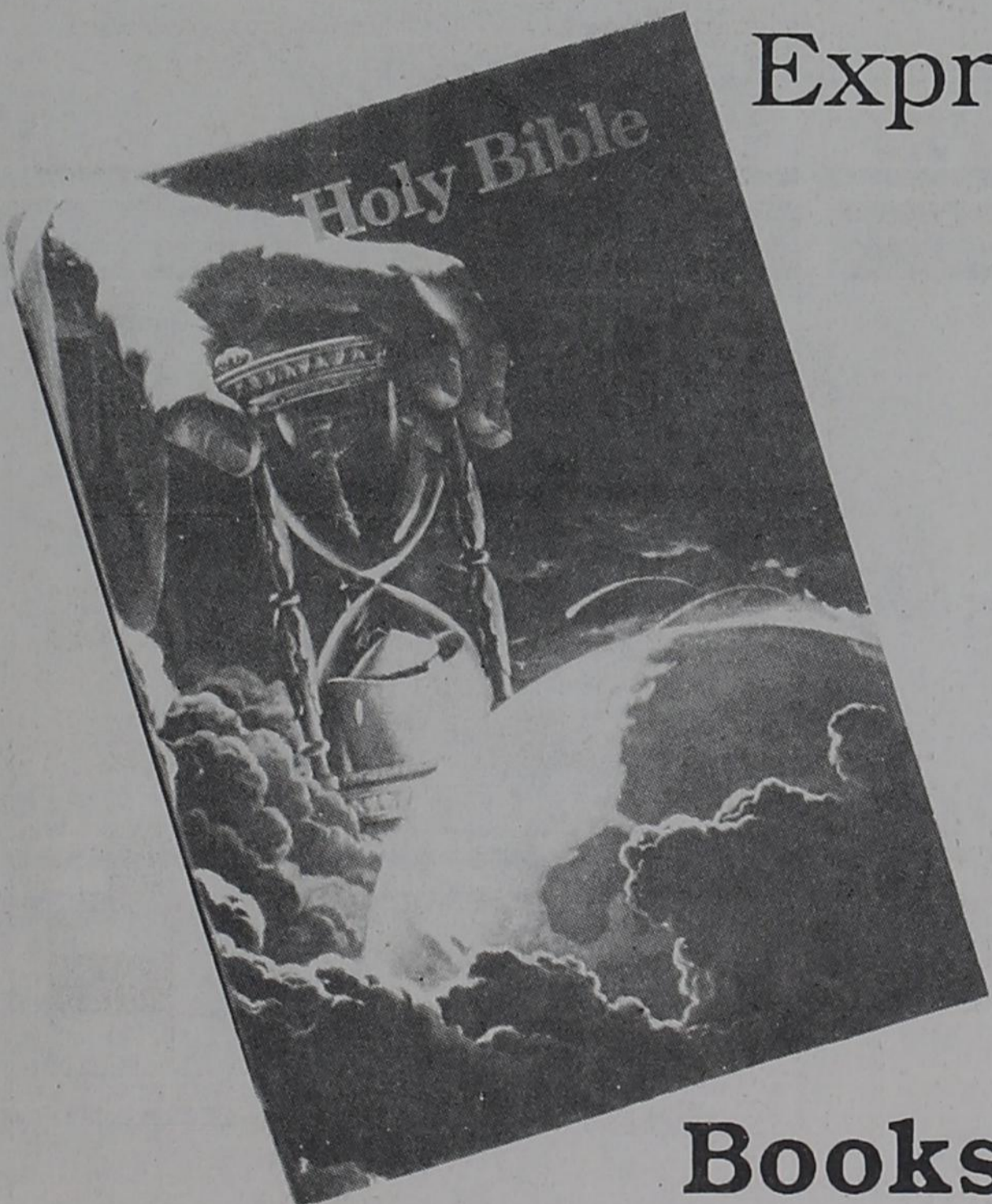
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State of Texas
Comptroller of Public Accounts
City Sales and Use Tax Comparison Summary - February 1992

County/City	Net Payment This Period	Comparable Payment Prior Year	% Change	1992 Payments To Date	1991 Payments To Date	% Change
Eastland						
Carbon	\$1,037.67	\$461.65	124.77%	\$1,037.67	\$461.65	124.77%
Cisco	\$19,535.90	\$18,911.19	3.30%	\$28,810.77	\$26,992.97	6.73%
Eastland	\$39,910.25	\$41,124.78	-2.95%	\$64,197.73	\$67,895.28	-5.45%
Gorman	\$3,975.35	\$6,197.54	-35.86%	\$5,880.99	\$7,421.14	-20.75%
Ranger	\$11,146.49	\$14,150.60	-21.23%	\$15,744.54	\$19,007.71	-17.17%
Rising Star	\$2,619.83	\$3,009.76	-12.96%	\$3,243.50	\$4,296.36	-24.51%
County Total	\$78,225.49	\$83,855.52	-6.71%	\$118,915.20	\$126,075.11	-5.68%
Ector						
Goldsmith	\$2,890.76	\$4,466.94	-35.29%	\$4,627.92	\$10,001.17	-53.73%
Odessa	\$1,059,402.68	\$1,133,419.73	-6.53%	\$1,548,783.97	\$1,647,473.12	-5.99%
County Total	\$1,062,293.44	\$1,137,886.67	-6.64%	\$1,553,411.89	\$1,657,474.29	-6.28%
Edwards						
Rocksprings	\$4,685.79	\$3,973.95	17.91%	\$7,269.04	\$6,303.31	15.32%
Ellis						
Alma	\$2,565.16	\$2,176.25	17.87%	\$4,577.54	\$4,101.96	11.59%
Ennis	\$115,398.65	\$106,706.52	8.15%	\$194,551.05	\$170,242.21	14.28%
Ferris	\$5,850.74	\$6,782.76	-13.74%	\$7,994.85	\$9,093.37	-12.08%
Garrett	\$198.78	\$612.73	-67.56%	\$198.78	\$1,169.43	-83.00%
Italy	\$5,801.16	\$5,790.23	0.19%	\$7,176.25	\$7,656.74	-6.23%
Waybears	\$1,359.88	\$1,525.58	-10.91%	\$1,999.64	\$2,288.10	-12.61%
Hidolochian	\$89,567.33	\$124,900.61	-28.29%	\$160,831.66	\$232,829.88	-30.92%
Milford	\$1,191.97	\$977.87	21.89%	\$1,191.97	\$1,508.40	-20.98%
Palmer	\$5,102.81	\$5,222.64	-3.90%	\$4,005.51	\$3,775.70	6.09%
Ovilla	\$3,990.35	\$5,031.17	-20.69%	\$7,515.94	\$8,323.20	-9.70%
Red Oak	\$21,006.36	\$20,181.56	4.09%	\$30,919.70	\$29,141.29	6.10%
Waxahachie	\$167,745.03	\$164,165.12	2.18%	\$267,743.48	\$250,678.63	6.81%
County Total	\$417,777.22	\$441,073.04	-5.28%	\$683,706.37	\$720,808.91	-4.45%

State Capital
HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN - "Our ox is in the ditch," Gov. Ann Richards is fond of saying, as she did last week while blasting President George Bush's proposals to improve the national economy.

In Texas, public education's ox is in the ditch:

- Texas property taxpayers are paying millions in new reform taxes which the Texas Supreme Court ruled is illegal, but must be paid anyway.
- More than half of Texas high school seniors have failed the basic skills performance exam.
- Japanese leaders accuse us of having a 30 percent illiteracy rate.

Undeniably, Texas education is in a ditch, despite billions in tax dollars jacked up by the Legislature since former Gov. Mark White began the reforms in 1984.

Last week, state leaders signaled they are well aware that voters have taxes and education on their minds.

Retreats from Threat

Gov. Richards and other legislative leaders backed down on their threat to let the justices write a new school finance law.

Richards, Senate education chairman Carl Parker and others tried to pressure the High Court into accepting their latest try at straightening out the mess.

The court didn't fall for it; it ruled the Legislature's plan to pay for education was unconstitutional. Try again.

Last week, Richards and Lt.

Gov. Bob Bullock echoed the need for Texans to stamp their approval on any legislative plan. It's the only way to get the controversy out of the courts, their aides say.

Richards said it is very likely she will call the Legislature into special session instead of waiting until the next regular session in January 1993.

Another Committee?

"We're going to take our time, so that when we do it, we try to get it right," Richards said, explaining why no date has been set.

"I'm saying you've got to come up with a proposal that not only passes the Legislature but will pass the voters of Texas," she said. "And that's not easy."

Richards said she will probably appoint another blue-ribbon task force, such as one recommended by the NAACP and LULAC.

Governor Boosts Pact

National and state issues are harder to separate these days: The governor was in Washington, D.C. last week boosting her pet issue, the free trade pact with Mexico.

Richards said she was looking for a Congressman with enough bravery to author a "social pact with Mexico" as well, which was badly needed, in her opinion.

She cited job training as one social issue for the pact.

The President proposed to spend \$210 million to address environmental problems, with Mexico committed to spending \$500 million.

Later, following a meeting between governors and Bush, she criticized the Bush administration for not laying "down any plan whatsoever" for an economy that "was in terrible straits."

The governor admitted, however, that his proposed national budget was "very good for Texas."

AG Wants Drug Money

Attorney General Dan Morales is attempting to secure drug assets, possibly totaling more than \$750,000, that were seized by Midland County's sheriff outside of the county lines.

The attorney general's office

said the state could demand the assets seized by Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter.

Morales intervened in a lawsuit that Midland County Judge Charles Seltzer filed against Painter claiming that 90 percent of the money seized in stings since 1988 came from outside Midland County.

Justice Quits One Post

Texas Supreme Court Justice John Cornyn, elected as a Republican last year, settled the controversy over his holding two judicial posts by quitting one.

Cornyn caught repeated flack from Democrats for also presiding over the 4th Administrative Region, which includes courts in 22 South Texas counties.

Appointed to that post in 1989 by then-Gov. Bill Clements, he vacated it last week, opening it for a minority appointment by Gov. Richards.

Regulation Cost Cut

The Public Utility Commission voted to lower the assessment paid by consumers on their utility bills that goes toward covering the cost of utility regulation.

"The actual decrease for utility rate payers will be approximately \$40 million," Commissioner Maria Greytak said.

The assessment is levied on telephone and electric customers.

Other Highlights

- State Rep. Paul Hilbert, R-Spring, was charged with public intoxication after officers found him unconscious in his car along a Harris County tollway. His attorney, Floyd Freed, said Hilbert had been suffering the effects of flu and medication when he was arrested.
- The federal probe into the plane crash which killed former U.S. Sen. John Tower was caused by the failure of hydraulic gear in the propeller control system.
- The State Board of Insurance agreed to a four percent increase in rates for drivers forced to obtain liability coverage from the insurer of last resort: the Texas Automobile Insurance Plan.

Anniversary

Darrell Raney To Celebrate 65th Wedding Anniversary

Darrell and Bernice Raney will be honored with a reception on Sunday, February 16, from 2-4 p.m. at the Daugherty Street Church of Christ Fellowship Hall in Eastland in observance of 65 years of love and companionship.

They were married February 21, 1927, in Breckenridge.

They have three children, Donald of Thousand Oaks, California; Patsy Stephenson of San Jose, California, and Gary of Plat City, Mo. They have 11 grandchildren and 12 great grandchil-

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New Arrival

Kortney Ann Rear

Ashley Nicole Rear of Leiston, England, is proud to welcome a new baby sister, Kortney Ann. She was born January 15, 1992, and weighed eight pounds and eleven ounces. They are the daughters of Mike and Vickie Rear.

Maternal grandparents are Jack and Jerry Stephenson of Cisco. Maternal great-grandparents are Herman and Estell Jordan of Flatwood.

Paternal grandparents are Bud Rear of Strafford,

Missouri, and Carolyn Bilger of Abilene. Paternal great-grandparents are Mary Rear of Strafford, Missouri, and Virgie Baker of Hawley.



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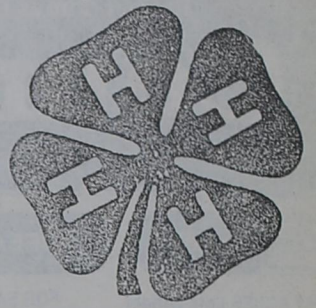
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Thursday, February 13, 1992

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FOR SALE IN SCRANTON AREA 240 Acres grazing, stock tanks, cultivation and good fences.

80 Acres w/peanut allotment. 2 Acres of house and barn.

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VACANCY'S Apartments 1 & 2 BR, furnished or unfurnished.

NOW AVAILABLE Earthtone carpets, drapes, major appliances, CH/CA, washer/dryer connections, Pool.

All of our units are thoroughly cleaned and painted before you move in. Maintenance man on duty. Pets welcomed with deposit. Country atmosphere. School bus to deliver children to and from school. No pests, the "bug doctor" sprays once a month. Quick and easy access to I-20. Ask about our move-in "Special."

Resident manager. For more information stop by apt. #117 or call Shirley 629-3164.

"We're located directly behind "Pizza Inn"

NEEDED: Free Rent & Utilities. A mature couple needed (with references) live at ranch. 629-1804; 629-1916.

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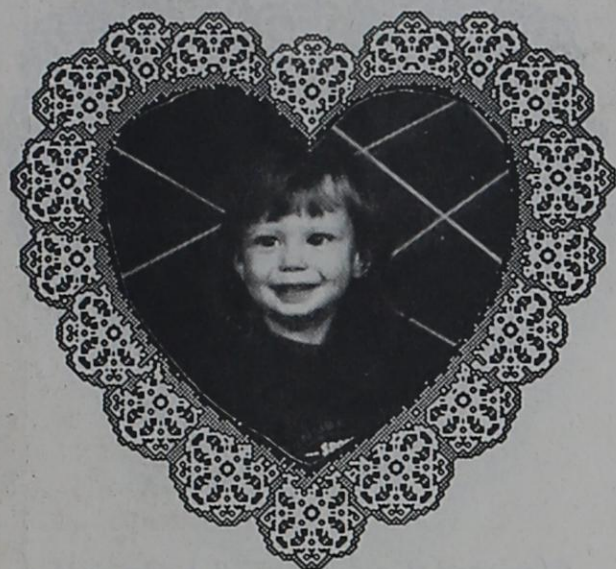
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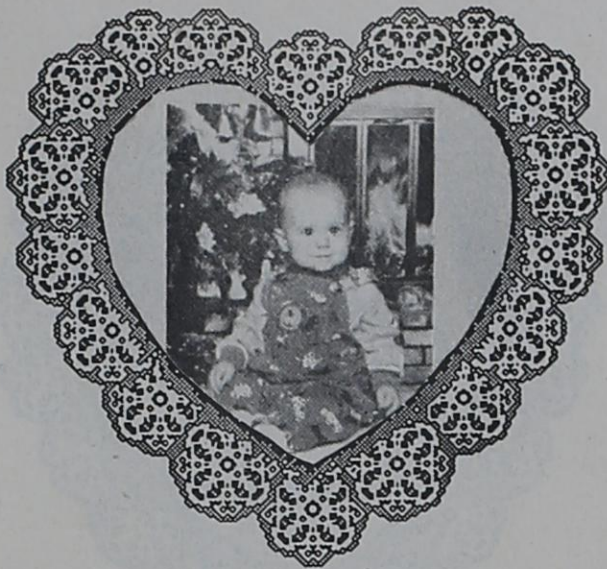
Birth Date: October 25, 1989

Parents: Ladonna Clement

Grandparents: Mr. & Mrs. Royce Clement

Great-grandparents:

Mr. & Mrs. M. Y. Hallmark,
Velma Clement



Taylor Nathaniel Truran

Eastland, Texas

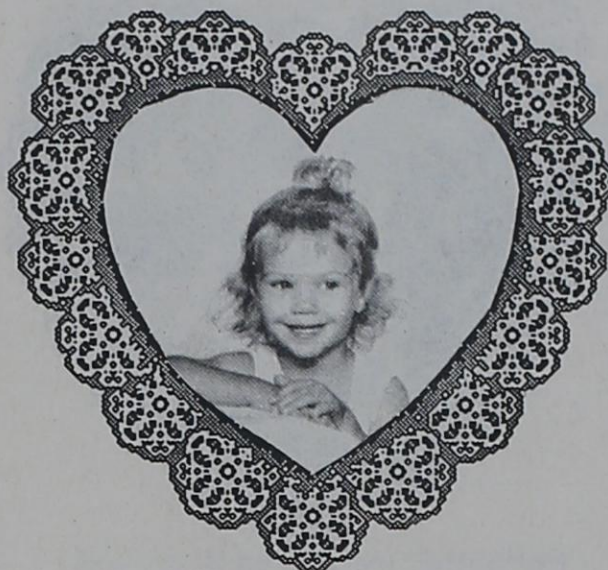
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Parents: Michael & Vickie Truran

Grandparents: Ralph Cain
& Sandra Truran

Roy Finley

Myrtle Baker



Kari Elizabeth Preston

Cisco, Texas

Birth Date: April 27, 1989

Parents: Kenneth & Karen Preston

Grandparents: Charles & Dorothy Preston

Larry & Liz Cozart



Robby Joe McCollum

9 months old

Parents: Joe Don & Robin McCollum

Grandparents: Mr. & Mrs. Ronnie White

Mr. & Mrs. Joe Frank McCollum



Mollie Marie & Mara Lindsey

Hogue

Cisco, Texas

Birth Date: Sept. 29, 1986; Feb. 25, 1989

Parents: George & Loretta Hogue

Grandparents: Mrs. Louise Hogue &

Mr. H. L. Reeve



Jessica Lee Edwards

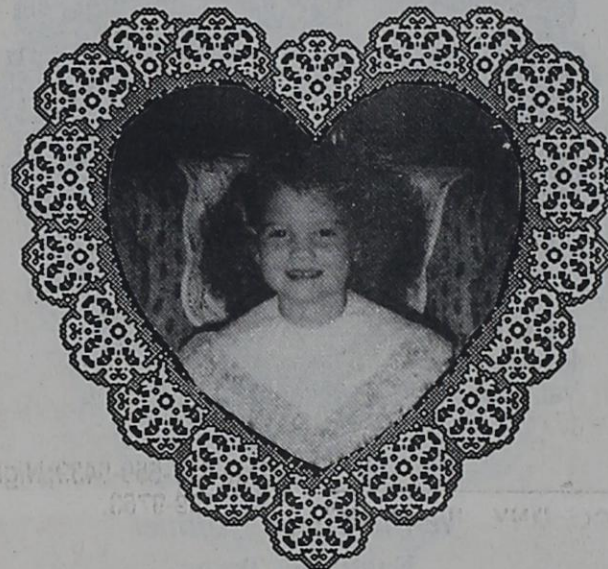
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Parents: Margie Edwards

Grandparents: Marilyn Edwards of

Rockmart, GA

Mr. & Mrs. E.D. (Red) Duncan



Courtney Nicole Boone

Hobbs, New Mexico

4 1/2 years old

Parents: John & Caryn Boone

Grandparents: Jack & Linda Petree, Olden



Justin Allen Thomas

Midland, Texas

Birth Date: November 14, 1989

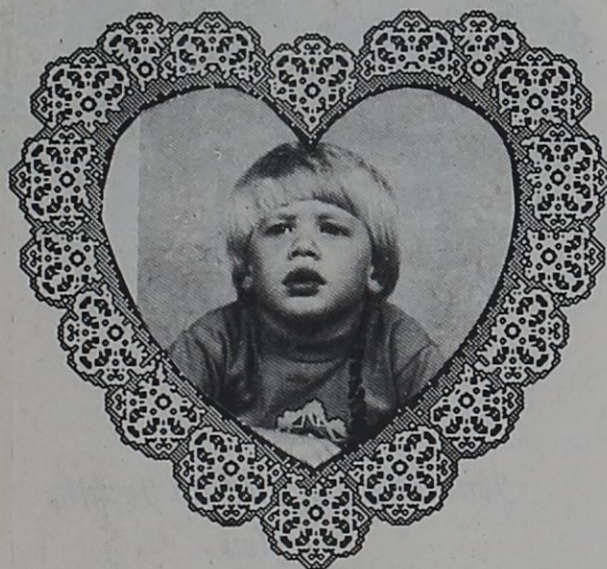
Parents: Gary Allen

& Suzanne Collins Thomas

Grandparents: Mr. & Mrs. Allen Thomas,

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Great-grandparents: Millie King



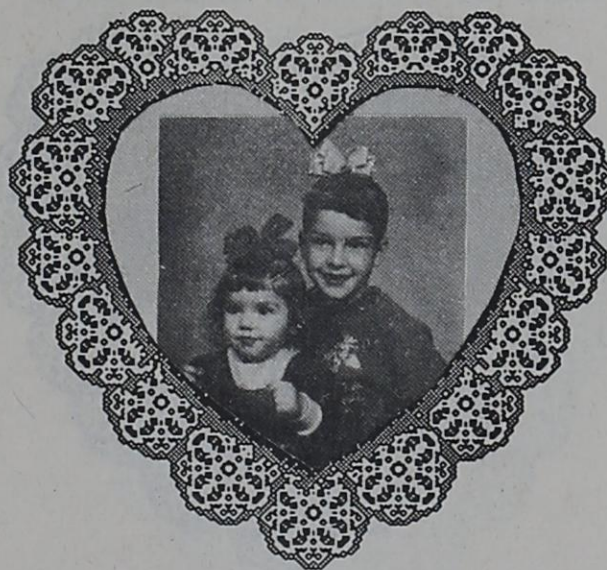
Derek Harris

Newark, Texas

3 years old

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Grandparents: Weldon & Alma Harris



Erica & Kerry Seabourn

Cisco, Texas

19 months; 5 years

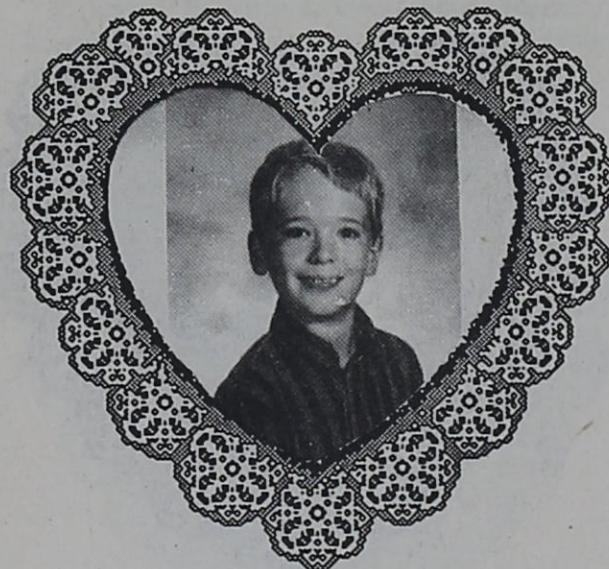
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Grandparents: Joe & Andrea Seabourn

Bill & Pat Sweeney

Great-grandparents: Ed & Jean Posey

Great-grandmother: Opal Seabourn



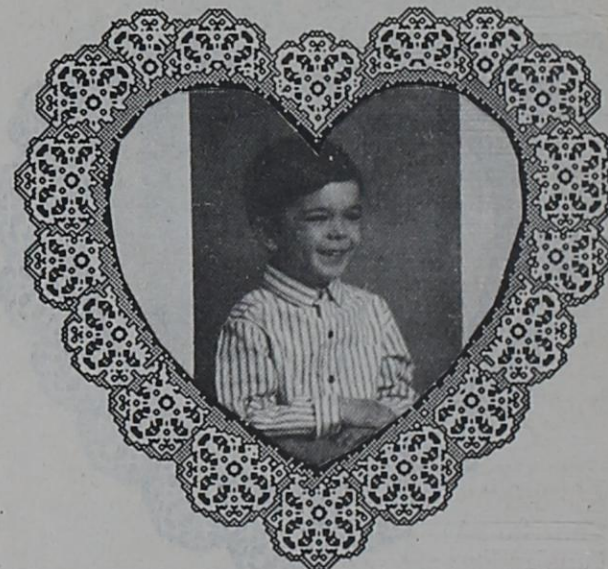
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Deer Park, Texas

9 years old

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Patrick Harris

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6 years old

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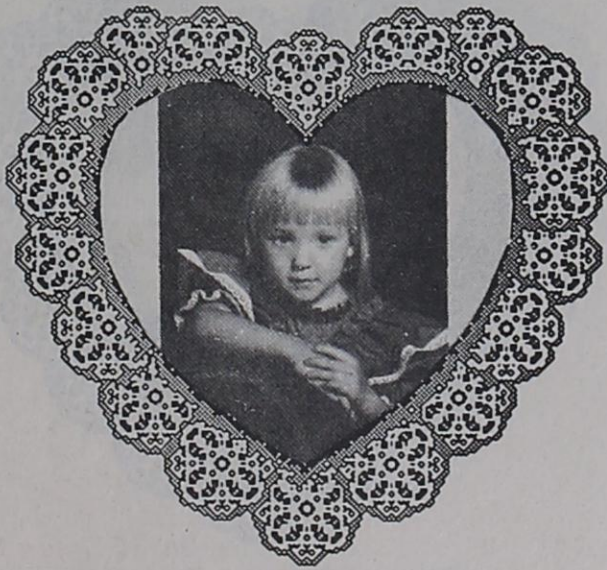
Erin Harris

Newark, Texas

5 years old

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Jaelyn Nix

Fort Worth, Texas

Birth Date: Sept. 10, 1987

Parents: Randy & Linda Nix

Grandparents: Holland & Betty Nix



Bryce Mason Williamson

Eastland, Texas

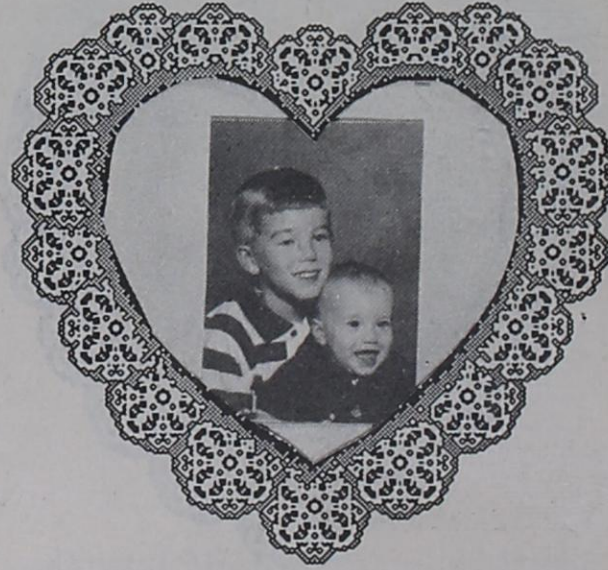
Birth Date: Nov. 15, 1988

Parents: Tommy & Yvonne Williamson

Grandparents: Howard & Jackie Wilson

C. W. & Pat Williamson

Great-grandmother: Juanita Steddum



Brandon & Matthew Ferguson

Cedar Park, Texas

Parents: Tim & Rene Ferguson

Grandparents: Janice Ferguson of Cisco

Hoot Ferguson of Olden



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Grandparents: Judy Dean
Gerald & Joy Ingram



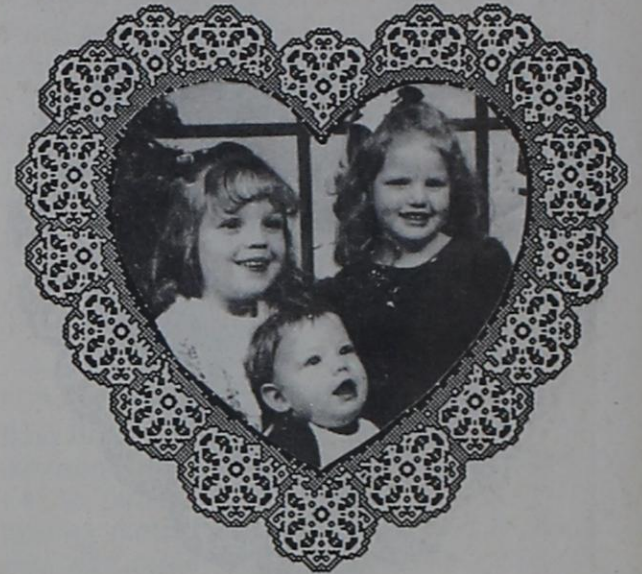
Sharée Haney

Arlington, Texas
6 years old
Parents: Jeff & Gayle Haney
Grandparents: Walter & Faye Jett



Lori Krupski

San Antonio, Texas
5 years old
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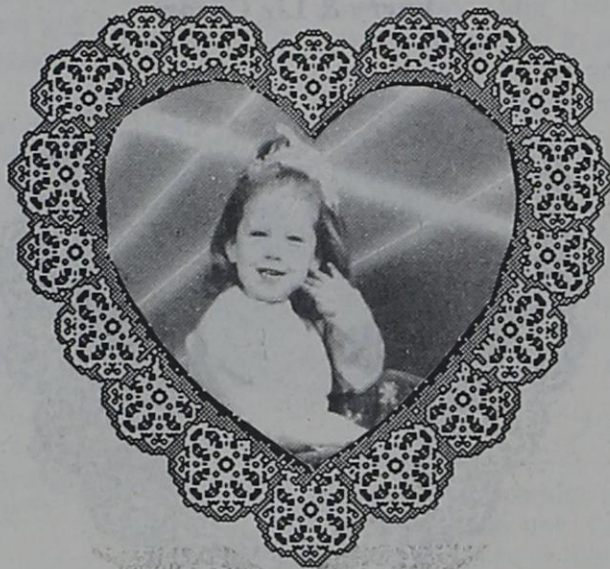
Howard Earl IV (T.J.), Courtney

Rose, Tracey Nicole Worley
Cisco, Texas
Parents: Howard Earl Worley III (Trace)
& Melody
Grandparents: Howard & Joy Worley,
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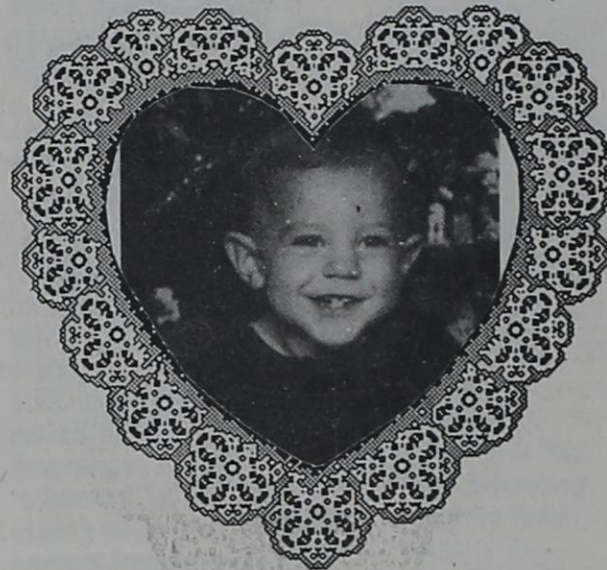
Christopher Wayne Harris

Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: October 31, 1982
Parents: Dr. & Mrs. Gary Harris
Grandparents: Weldon & Alma Harris



Jenna Lynn Simmel

Eastland, Texas
Birth Date: April 21, 1989
Parents: Steve & Denise Simmel
Grandparents: Don & Linda House,
Howard & Barbara Joiner,
Wilbert Simmel,
Jimmy & LaVerne Everett



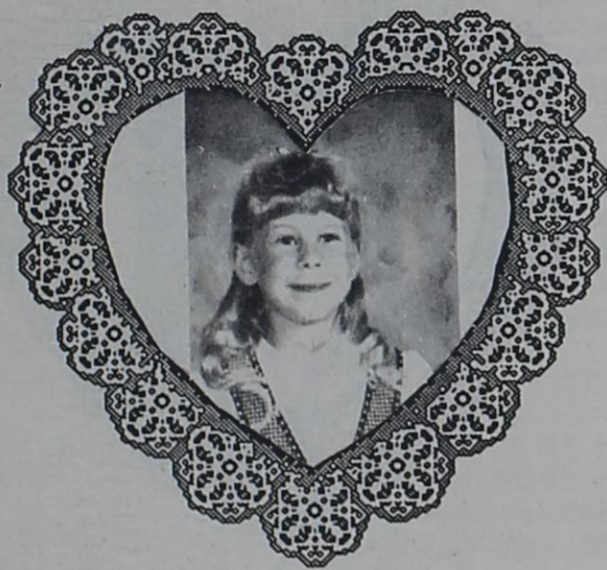
Link Lowrance

Eastland, Texas
18 months
Parents: Randy & Kim Lowrance
Grandparents: L. A. & Mary Lowrance
Gwenda Eberle of Breckenridge



Sarah Lavelle Hatcher

Fredrickburg, Virginia
Birth Date: July, 13, 1990
Parents: Cliff & Hazel (Worley) Hatcher
Grandparents: Howard & Joy Worley,
Jim & Susie Hatcher of Glen Rose



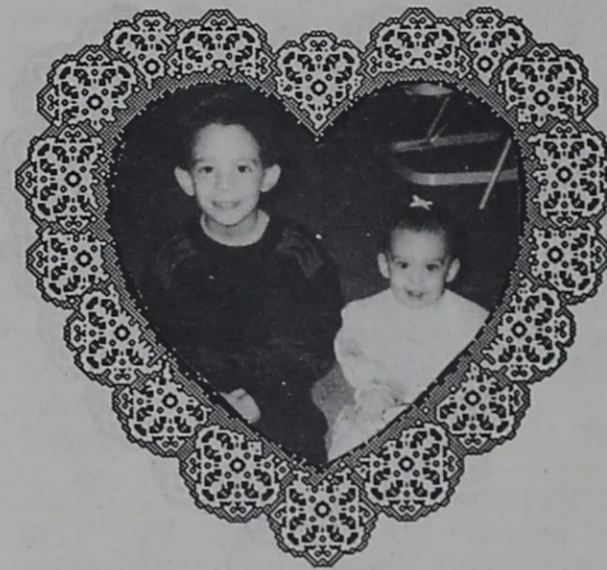
Nicole Reneé Harris

Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: May 30, 1985
Parents: Dr. & Mrs. Gary Harris
Grandparents: Weldon & Alma Harris



Justin & Joshua Marston

San Antonio, Texas
3 years, 6 years
Parents: Sonny & Angie Marston
Grandparents: Arthur & Opal Marston
Edwin & Jane Davidson



Jordan & Jaime Speegle

Comanche, Texas
Birth Date: 4 years (June 5, 1987),
7 months (May 27, 1991)
Parents: Gary & Kim Speegle
Grandparents: Betty Speegle
Van & Patsy Chambers



Jenny Lee & Joshua Frank

Worley
Early, Texas
Birth Date: June, 1, 1987; July 18, 1984
Parents: Donnie & Linda Worley
Grandparents: Howard & Joy Worley,
Clarence & Pat Dorman of Taft, TX



Whitney Shelleá Harris

Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: September 8, 1987
Parents: Dr. & Mrs. Gary Harris
Grandparents: Weldon & Alma Harris



Samantha Ranae Burns

Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: August 15, 1988
Parents: Douglas & Penny Burns
Grandparents: Lewis & Alice Burns
Ben & Frances Thompson



Christopher Dewayne Burns

Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: January 16, 1985
Parents: Douglas & Penny Burns
Grandparents: Lewis & Alice Burns
Ben & Frances Thompson

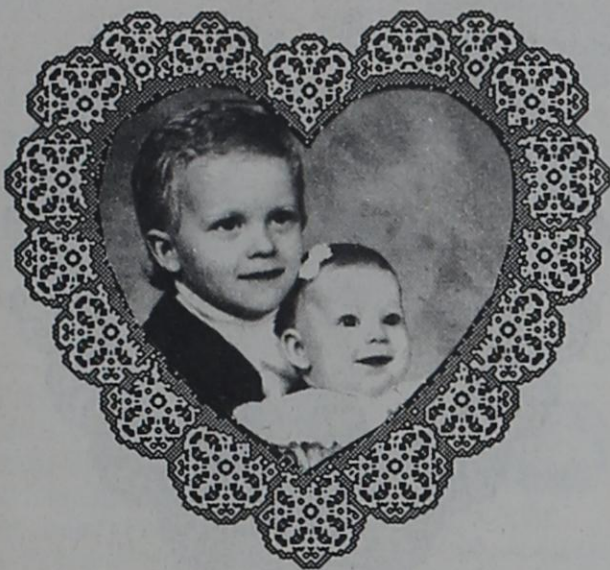


Kyle Jacob Bisbee

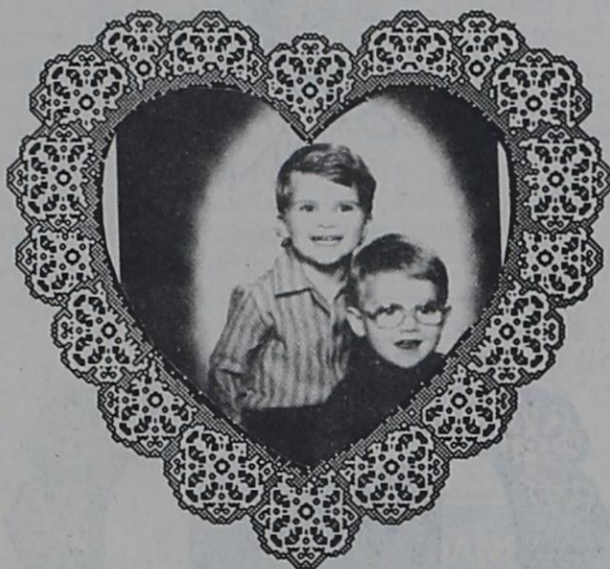
Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: January 3, 1991
Parents: Billy & Kartin Bisbee
Grandparents: Bob & Frances Bisbee
Charles & Shirley Milholland
Great-grandmother: Mae Bisbee



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*Aaron Timothy & Shareah Jan
McKinney*
Cisco, Texas
3 years, 2 1/2 months
Parents: Tim & Margaret McKinney
Grandparents: Cliff & Melba Brawley &
Travis McKinney
Claude & Belva Yeager
Great-grandmother: Mrs. W. A. Burkman



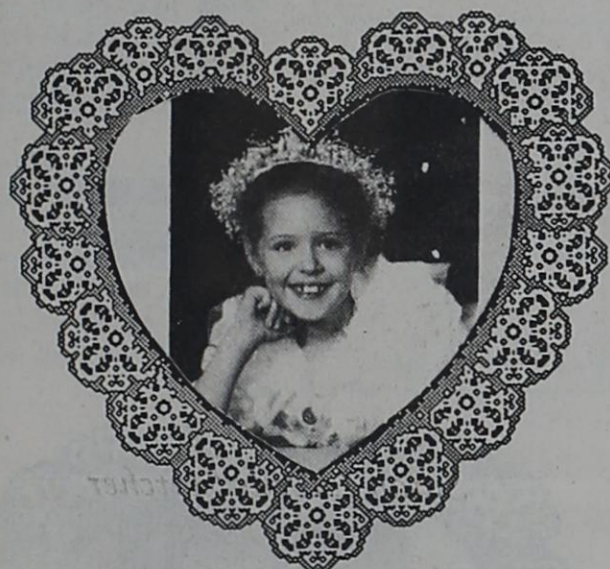
Cameron & Jonathon Oxford
Eastland, Texas
4 years, 3 years
Parents: Kerri Oxford
Grandparents: Nita Whaley
& Jim Hendricks
Great-grandparents:
Mr. & Mrs. Delbert Cozart
Great-great-grandmother: Myrtie Maness



*Jeremy Webb, Kory Batterton
& Cody Webb*
Cisco, Texas
Jeremy: Oct. 14, 1985; Kory: Nov. 25, 1981
Cody: June 1, 1984
Parents: Edward & Susie Webb
Grandparents: Rafael & Dora Ramirez,
Henry & Dorthy Webb
of Mountain City, GA



Diana Nichole Morales
Fort Leavenworth, Kansas
Birth Date: February 9, 1988
Parents: Sgt. & Mrs. Rueben Morales
Grandparents: Rafael & Dora Ramirez
Joe & Della Morales of San Angelo
Diana is the reigning
"Petite Little Miss Cisco."



Davina Norris
North Pole, Alaska
Birth Date: November 17, 1981
Parents: Devony & David Norris
Great-grandparents: Bill & Velma Norris



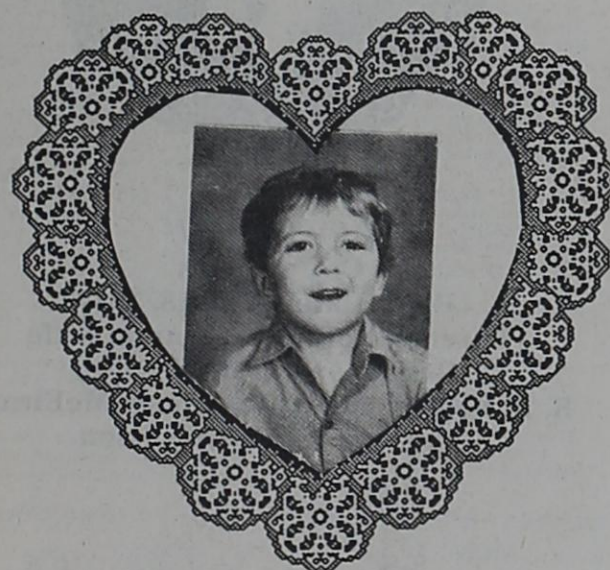
Austin Conger
Cisco, Texas
Birthdate: July 26, 1989
Parents: Gene & Velia Conger
Grandparents: Raymond & Jan Smith
Mrs. Seferino (Helen) Lopez



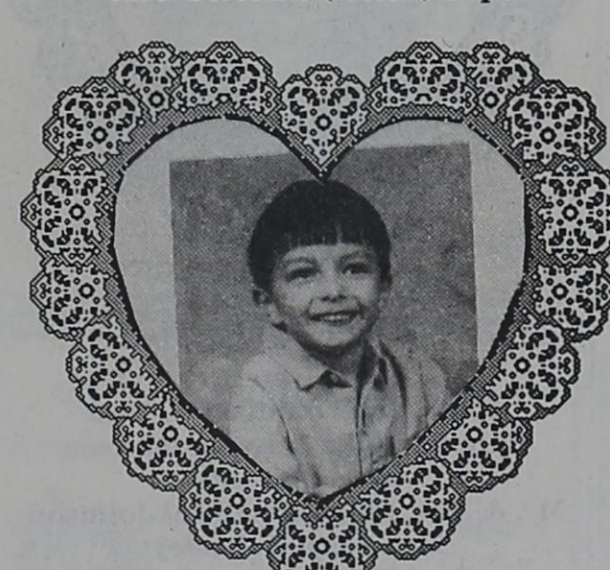
*Kimberly Raynea
& Amanda Rayschell Weiser*
Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: Feb. 24, 1987; Dec. 5, 1990
Parents: Ronnie & Charlotte Weiser
Grandparents: Norman & Kathleen Weiser
Jack & Pat Ray



Kyle Preston Hawari
Dallas, Texas
Birth Date: October 5, 1986
Parents: Kenneth & Beverly Hawari
Grandparents: Charles & Dorothy Preston
Tarek & Kay Hawari



Terry Lynn Wilson, Jr.
Eastland, Texas
Birth Date: November 6, 1987
Parents: Terry & Carlotta Wilson
Grandparents: Howard & Jackie Wilson
Alvin & Vonita Duncan



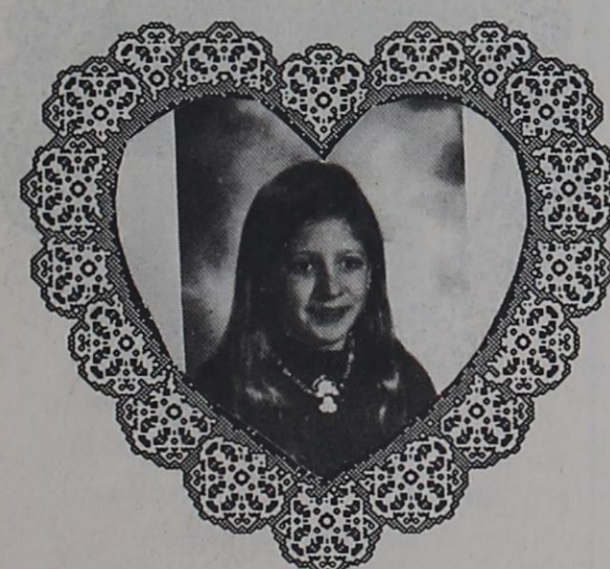
Seth Lopez
Fort Worth, Texas
Birth Date: September 30, 1985
Parents: Jamie Lopez
Grandparents: Mrs. Seferino (Helen) Lopez



Shannon Grace Hawari
Dallas, Texas
Birth Date: October 30, 1989
Parents: Kenneth & Beverly Hawari
Grandparents: Charles & Dorothy Preston
Tarek & Kay Hawari



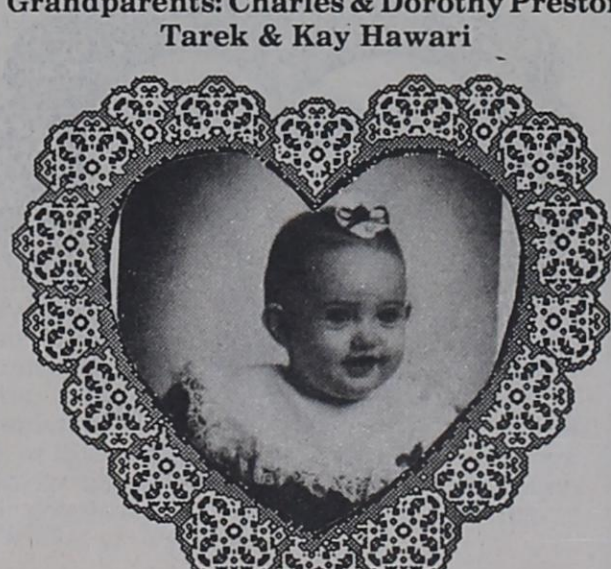
Andrew Miller
Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: October 22, 1986
Parents: Donny & Violet Miller
Grandparents: Don & Betty Miller
Mr. & Mrs. C. L. Betts



Danielle Norris
North Pole, Alaska
Birth Date: March 5, 1984
Parents: Devony & David Norris
Great-grandparents: Bell & Velma Norris



Jhosten Ellis Miller
Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: January 13, 1992
Parents: Donny & Violet Miller
Grandparents: Don & Betty Miller
Mr. & Mrs. C. L. Betts



Ashton L. Parker
Birth Date: February 23, 1991
Parents: Ronnie L. & Amy R. Parker
Grandparents: Gail Meister, Ruby Parker

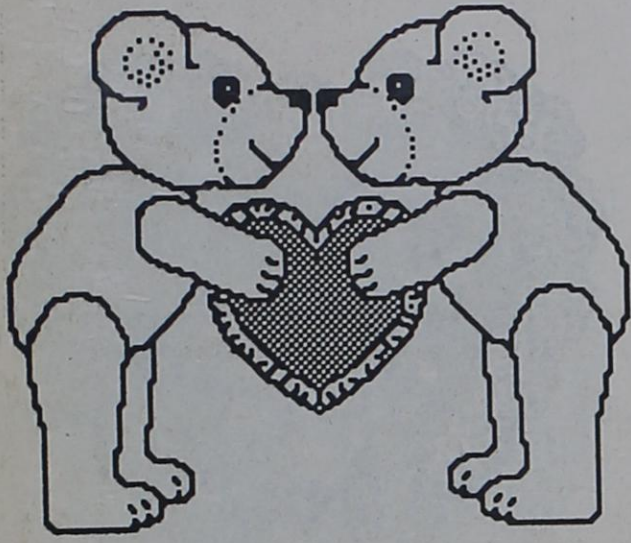


*Crystal Michell & Joshua David
Ray*
Abilene, Texas
Birth Date: Aug. 10, 1986, Jan. 2, 1987
Parents: David & Chong'sok Ray
Grandparents: Jack & Pat Ray



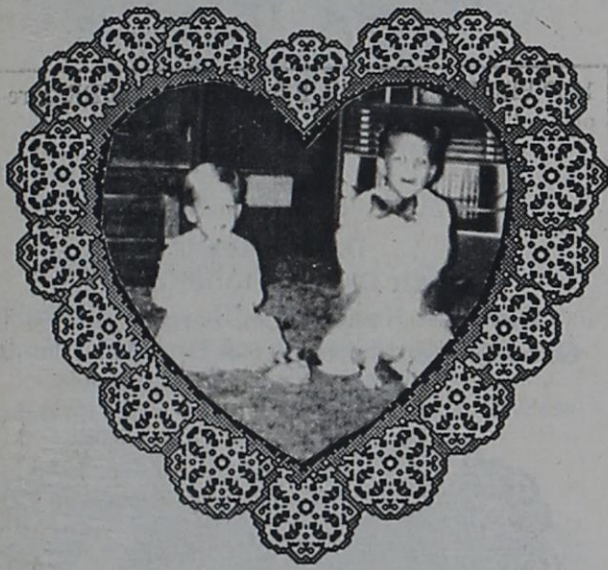
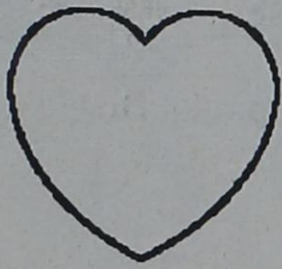
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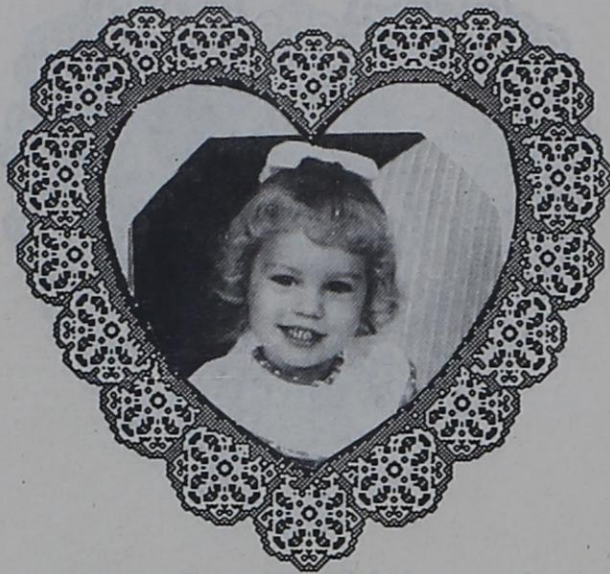


Shawn & Matt Sanders
Cisco, Texas
3 years, 5 years
Parents: Tony & Melissa Sanders
Grandparents: Marvin & Sue Sanders
Sue Leaker of Arizona

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Michael Brent Sherman
Eastland, Texas
Birth Date: Sept. 7, 1988
Parents: Mike & Lisa Sherman
Grandparents: Don & Barbara Brinkley
Don & Nell Sherman
Great-grandparents: Clifford Seabourn,
Mrs. J. I. Brinkley, Mrs. Sybil Urban



Jaci Gail Johnson
Eastland, Texas
Birth Date: December 13, 1988
Parents: Leslie & Sheri Johnson
Grandparents:
Ginger Mangum of Ruidosom
Robert & Sandra Mangum
James Johnson &
the late Berta (Bert) Johnson
Two proud uncles: Roger Rutledge
& Kevin Mangum

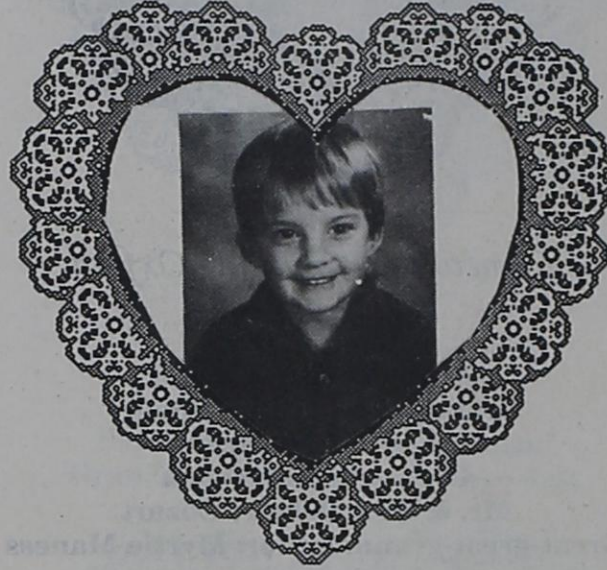


Michelle Johnson
Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: May 20, 1981
Parents: Mike & Lynn Johnson
Grandparents:
Mr. & Mrs. Floyd (PeeWee) Johnson
Mrs. Lora H. Lesley

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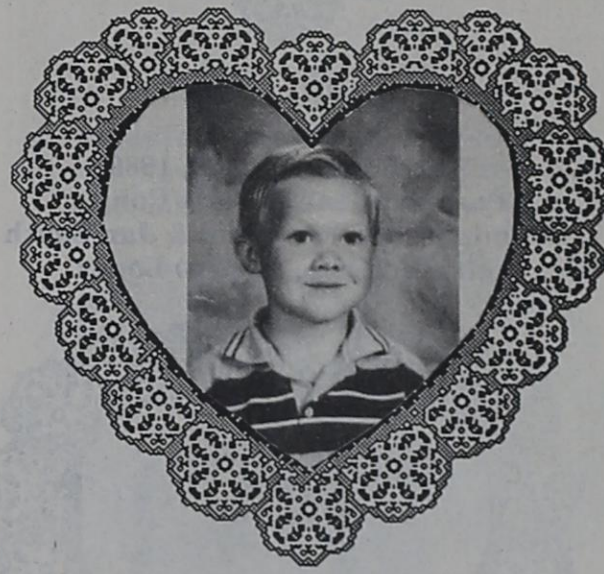


Andrea Lopez
Lubbock, Texas
Birth Date: September 12, 1986
Parents: Alfred & Luz Lopez
Grandparents: Mrs. Seferino (Helen) Lopez
Mrs. Moses (Andrea) Monclova



William Blake Wilson
Eastland, Texas
Birth Date: June 7, 1986
Parents: Terry & Carlotta Wilson
Grandparents: Howard & Jackie Wilson
Alvin & Vonita Duncan

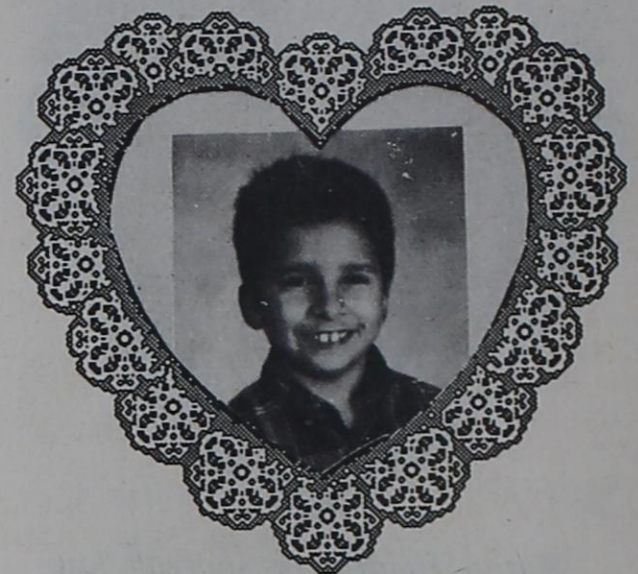
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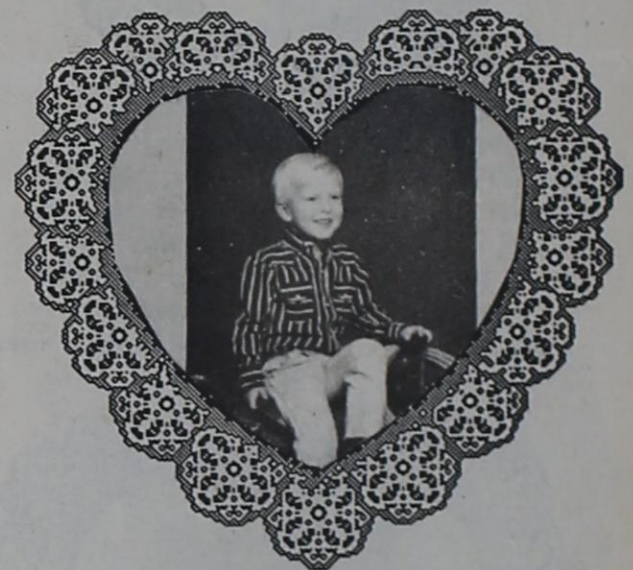
Michael O. Johnson II
Cisco
Birth Date: January 6, 1986
Parents: Mike & Lynn Johnson
Grandparents:
Mr. & Mrs. Floyd (PeeWee) Johnson
Mrs. Lora H. Lesley



Michael & Jarrod Humiston
Olden, Texas
16 years, 13 years
Parents: David & Brenda Humiston
Grandparents: Elmer & Alice Humiston
Edwin & Jane Davidson



Joshua Lopez
Lubbock, Texas
Birth Date: May 8, 1983
Parents: Alfred & Luz Lopez
Grandparents: Mrs. Seferino (Helen) Lopez
Mrs. Moses (Andrea) Monclova



Rowdy Riffe
Cisco, Texas
Birth Date: June 18, 1987
Parents: Rodney & Dianne Riffe
Grandparents: Nell Riffe,
K. B. & Gertrude Riffe, Jimmy McElrath,
Carlton & Myrna Watson

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Nikki Riffe
Cisco, Texas
February 23, 1984
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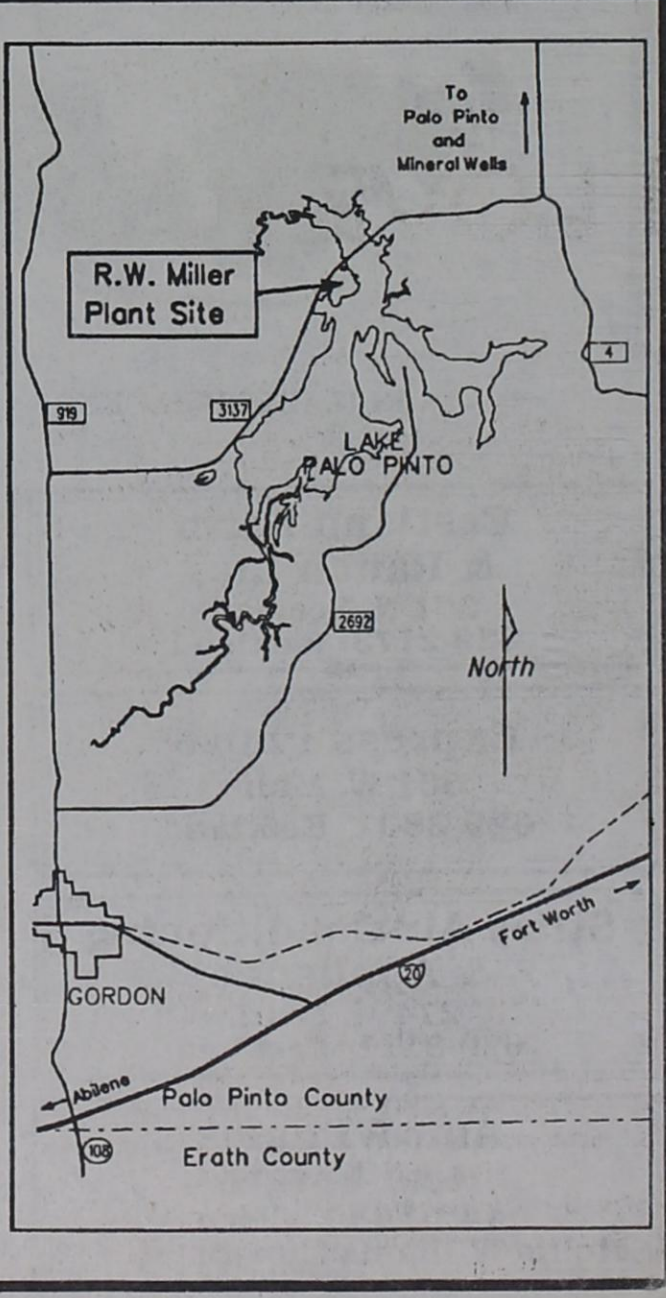
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Wednesday, February 12, 1992

1:00 p.m. — Begin weighing all market animals

8:00 p.m. — All livestock to be on show grounds and properly entered in their respective places including rabbits.

Thursday, February 13, 1992

9:00 a.m. — Breeding Rabbits

10:00 a.m. — Market Rabbits

2:30 p.m. — Judging Breeding Swine

5:00 p.m. — Judging Market Swine

Friday, February 14, 1992

9:00 a.m. — Judging Dairy Cattle

10:00 a.m. — Judging Broilers

3:00 p.m. — Judging Angora Goats

6:00 p.m. — Judging Breeding Sheep

7:00 p.m. — Judging Meat Goats

7:30 p.m. — Judging Market Lambs

Saturday, February 15, 1992

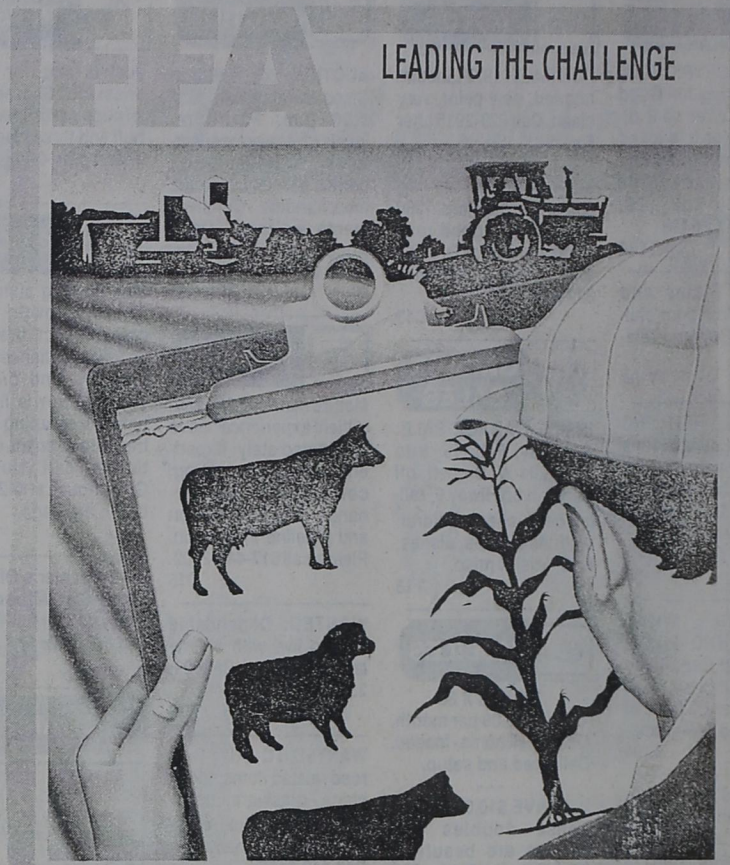
8:00 a.m. — Dairy Goats

10:00 a.m. — Judging Beef Cattle

11:00 a.m. — Judging Market Steers

12:00 p.m. — Start Removal of all Non-Sale Animals

7:00 p.m. — Auction and Presentation of Special Awards



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