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No Report on Autopsy of Abilene Baby Buried in Baird

The Callahan County authorities are still awaiting a full autopsy report on the death of a 1-month old Abilene boy buried in Callahan County by his father after his death in Abilene.

The burial site has not been disclosed nor has a complete report from the Tarrant County Medical Examiner's office after recovery of the boy from the burial site.

The boy died July 7 and the father confirms this according to Abilene police.

Autopsy results some time take as long as six months to be returned according to Taylor County Justice of the Peace for Pct. 1, Judge Bryan Smith.

Abilene police are no longer working on the case after the initial investigation.

Baird Wipes Out of Lubbock Christian High

After a 34-0 defeat from Jarrell last week at Gordon Woods Stadium in Brownwood, Baird finished a game against Lubbock Christian on Saturday morning in Cisco at Chesley Field with Baird's quarterback Tyler Orlando getting three touchdowns after completing seven of 17 passes, scoring three touchdowns with two by Chris Whitworth and one by receiver Justin English.

The rushing for Baird came led by Chris Cogburn who had 13 throw carries and ran 101 yards. 130 yards rushing by the Bears was the total game play.

Lubbock Christian got only one touchdown in the third quarter to finish the game with seven points.

The Baird squad had a T.D. with field goal in the second and a single T.D. in the third. They finished the game with

eight more in the fourth and a total score of 21.

On first downs L.C.H.S. trailed 12 to Baird's 16. Lubbock Christian had 40 carries for 142 yards rushing and the Baird Bears got 46 carries with 196 yards rushing. Lubbock Christian's yards on passing was 42.

Comp-Attempt-Intent.

L.C.H.S.	Baird
Punt	
3 for 28	7-17
Fumbles-lost Fumbl.	
1-1	0-0

Baird's Garrett Jennings went for 8 rushing attempts for 52 yards.

L.C.H.S.'s Saucedo got the touchdown after going for 14 attempts for 70 yards rushing.

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American Red Cross Needs Your Help

With the extreme heat and drought conditions, the American Red Cross has found itself busier than usual responding to a rash of wildfires across the Big Country.

As of August 21, most people are aware that the American Red Cross responds to large disasters such as tornadoes and hurricanes, and that the organization assists with food, clothing and shelter. But fewer people know that the Red Cross is also called on to assist emergency workers such as police and firefighters. Since the wildfires broke out in the Big Country, the American Red Cross has been working hard to provide plenty of bottled water, Gatorade and meals to countless firefighters. Now, the organization needs your help to keep their supplies stocked.

The American Red Cross is asking the community to make financial gifts to the local Disaster Relief Fund. Financial Contributions allow the Red Cross to purchase materials in bulk, stretching the donated dollar even further. Additionally, financial contributions to the local disaster relief fund make it possible to help families displaced by house fires and other disasters, for the Red Cross. To make a gift to the local disaster relief please call 325-677-2622 or mail it to Big Country Region American

Red Cross 1610 N. 2nd Abilene, TX 79601. For free information on how to protect your home from a wildfire, or for tips on staying safe in extreme heat, please visit the site www.redcross.org.

Callahan County SWCD is Now Taking Custom Map Orders

The Callahan County SWCD is proud to announce that we have recently purchased a plotter and is now offering to design maps for landowners, hunters, and interested individuals. The plotter will produce up to 36" maps in color or black/white. The cost will depend on the size and design of each individual map.

For more information on how to purchase a land map contact the Natural Resource Conservation office located at 141 W. 4th St. Baird, TX or Call (325) 854-1349, EXT 3. Order forms and information may also be obtained at the Albany NRCS at 325-762-2552, EXT. 3.

Commissioners Meet and Discuss Budget and Property Taxes, Sept. 5

A regular meeting of the Callahan Commissioner's Court was called to order on September 5, 2006 at 9:15 by Judge Corn.

The following officers were present: Roger Corn, Judge presiding; Harold Hicks, Commission. Pct. No. 1; Bryan Farmer, Commission. Pct. No. 2; Tommy Holland, Comm. Pct. No. 3; Dianne Alexander, County Treasurer; and Jeanie Bohannon, County Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court and transactions

amounted to the following business items:

The motion to adopt the 2006-07 budget was made by Commissioner Farmer. The income total for the General Fund is \$2931,403.04 with the present 0.31456 rate of taxation. A surplus of \$94.59 was left over from total expenses for the general fund of \$2931,308.45. Total income for Road and Bridge Fund is \$1044,616.66 with a .10241

tax rate.

The motion carried with Holland seconding and a 5-0 vote.

Property taxes were increased by the adoption of a .41697 rate ad valorem after a motion by the aye vote of Commissioner Grider to increase taxes.

Corn seconded and the motion carried with a 5-0 vote.

By Voice Vote: the following record stands:

Commissioner Pct. #1- Harold Hicks aye.
Commissioner Pct. #2-

Bryan Farmer, aye.

Commissioner Pct. #3- Tommy Holland, aye.

Commissioner Pct. #4, Doris Grider-aye.

Roger Corn, County Judge-aye.

Commissioner Farmer made a motion to leave the burn ban lifted. This item was to be discussed at the Sept. 11 meeting. Commissioner Holland seconded and motion carried 4-1, With Commissioner Grider opposing.

Texas Department of State Health Services

Immunization clinics of Callahan County
Monday, September 11th
Baird Cafeteria - 400 W. 7th
10 to 12 a.m.

Wednesday, September 13,

Clyde First Baptist Church - 216 Austin
10-12 a.m. and 1:30-3 p.m.

Please bring Child's Immunization Records

If Child is on Medicaid or CHIP, please bring the Card.

For More Information call 325-754-4945

SEARCH FOR MRS. CALLAHAN CO. ANNOUNCED

The Reigning Mrs. Texas International 2006 also Mrs. International 2006, Suzy Bootz.

Reigning Mrs. Texas International 2006 (who was also crowned Mrs. International 2006), Suzy Bootz. Photo credit: Ladd Photography

Applications are now being accepted for the title of 2007 "Mrs. Callahan County"! Mrs. Callahan County will have the honor of representing her county at the Mrs. Texas Pageant to be held at the Scottish Rite Auditorium in San Antonio, Texas May 4-6, 2007.

The woman chosen as "Mrs. Callahan County" will become an ambassador from the Callahan County area and receive an official title and sash!

The woman chosen as Mrs. Texas will receive a prize package valued at over \$11,000 and the opportunity to represent Texas at the "2007" Mrs. International Pageant. The American Heart Association and The United Way are the official charities of the Mrs. Texas Pageant.

The current reigning "2006" Mrs. Texas is Suzy Bootz of Canyon Lake, Texas. As Mrs. Texas, Suzy speaks on her platform "Saving Lives Through Early Detection & Awareness of Breast Cancer". Suzy lost her mother to breast cancer after a long battle with the disease. Her goal as Mrs. Texas is to educate as many women as she can about the importance of early detection. Suzy has partnered with the Lois Caldwell Breast Cancer Foundation as well as the American Cancer Society to promote the cause.

Mrs. contestants will compete in Personal Interview, Fitness Wear, and Evening Gown. (There is no talent or swimsuit competition!!)

Married women living in Callahan County interested in applying should write for bio. form:

Mrs. Texas International Pageant
14427 Brookhollow, Suite 197
San Antonio, TX 78232
or call or e-mail for more information:
210.403.0589
Director@TXBeautyQueens.com

D.P.S. Report

9-3-06 to 9-09-06	
Cases Investigated	
WARNINGS-	109
COMPLAINTS-	123
D.W.I.	2
Possession of Controlled Substance	1
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	3
Public Intoxication	1
Open Container	1
Fugitive Arrest	2



ACCIDENTS-There were one 3 accident investigated during this time span

Commissioners' Court Minutes- September 11, 2006

The County of Callahan Commissioners' Court meeting was begun and held at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse on Sept. 11, 2006 A.D. with the following commissioners present to wit:

Judge Presiding Roger Corn, Harold Hicks, Bryan Farmer, Tommy Holland, Doris Grider, and Dianne Alexander County Treasurer, Jeanie Bohannon, County Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court and the following items were transacted of business:

After the meeting was called to order at 9:38 a.m. by Judge Corn, the minutes of the September 5, 2006 meeting were approved as

Clyde I.S.D. Amends 2005-06 Budget and Sets Tax Rate at \$1.4980 for 2006-07, Approves Current Budget

Including the addition of another school bus into the Clyde I.S.D. budget, the school Board came up with a tax rate of \$1.4980 per valorum for the budget effective February 2007. Also matters of business included transfer of \$15000 for the hiring of a school resource officer, which board member Nathan Tinkle uneffectively stated was not needed.

Also a seventh Clyde police officer will be paid by \$15,000 from the Clyde C.I.S.D. and \$20,986 from the City of Clyde.

presented.

Commissioner Grider made a motion to set the Sheriffs' & Constables' Fees as the same for 2007 as they were in 2006. Commissioner Farmer seconded and the motion carried 5-0.

Burt League with Air Evac Lifeteam explained the membership program for citizens of Callahan County. Commissioner Hicks made a motion to authorize Air Evac to sell subscriptions or membership fees to the Citizens of Callahan County. This authorization is not an endorsement of Air Evac Lifeteam by Callahan County. Air Evac Lifeteam will not offer subscriptions or memberships nor accept members into the program who are

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The budget was approved by a motion by Tina Sartor and seconded by Kristina Lacey and approved by a 6-1 vote including the nay vote of Nathan Tinkle whose earlier motion wasn't approved.

The Clyde C.I.S.D. maintenance and operation taxes \$1.370 per valorum property while the tax rate for Debt Service is \$0.128 on the \$100 property value. The 2005-06 budget was also amended to include moving one line item to another on a motion by Hawk seconded by Tinkle.

County Commissioners Lifts Burn Ban effective 9-11-06. Burn Ban was to be discussed again on Monday, September 11, 2006 at the Regularly Scheduled Meeting.

"Go Big Red" Spirit Week for Baird Bears: End of Week:

Wednesday, Sept. 13:

Knock the Bulldogs- Wacky/Crazy Hair

Thursday, Sept. 14:
Color us a Victory Seniors wear black, Freshen wear yellow, Junior High wear Orange, Elementary School wear Green

Friday, Sept. 15:
Paint the School RED Everyone Wear RED

Addresses Needed for Baird Ex-Students

We're listing the students from the classes of 2001 through 2005 that need updated addresses. If you have any information about any of the following, please contact the Baird Ex-Students' Association, P.O. Box 954, Baird, TX or 854-1947. 2001-2005:
Anthony Dean,
Candace Ellis,

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CONSTRUCTION/ MAINTENANCE/ BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT(S)

Dist./Div: Abilene Contract 1778-01-008 for "REPLACE BRIDGES AND APPROACHES" in CALLAHAN County will be opened on October 04, 2006 at 1:00 pm at the State Office.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification

information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at www.dot.state.tx.us and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor. NPO: 21259

State Office

Constr./Maint. Division
200 E. Riverside Dr.
Austin, Texas 78704
Phone: 512-416-2540

Dist/Div Office(s)

Abilene District
District Engineer
4250 N. Clack
Abilene, Texas 79604-0150
Phone: 325-676-6800

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TXDOT ensures that bidders will not be

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Dist./Div: Abilene Contract 6150-61-001 for "ON DEMAND" METAL BEAM GUARD FENCE in TAYLOR County, etc will be opened on October 05, 2006 at 1:00 pm at the State Office for an estimate of \$424,522.50.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must

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200 E. Riverside Dr.
Austin, Texas 78704
Phone: 512-416-2540

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2006-07 Calendar Baird I.S.D.

next Teacher Development Workday: December 22
May 25

Staff Development Day: ends Aug. 11

***Compensatory Days:** November 21-22 also January 19.

Bad: Weather Day: May 11.

Students Holidays: Labor Day, September 4

Thanksgiving, November 20-24

Christmas break, December 21-January 7

County Stockshow: January 19.

Spring Break, March 12-16

Easter, April 6

TAKS TESTING days: October 17-20, February 13-15, April 4, April 17-20, May 15


B.H.S. Graduation: May 25, 2007

*****Three staff development waiver days required during the summer or weekends to compensate the 3 days in November and January.**

Bears Football Schedule			
Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 19	Ranger	There	5:00 p.m.
August 25	Bronte	Here	6:00 p.m.
September 2 (Sat.)	Jerrell (34-0)	Brownwood	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 9 (Sat)	LC.H.S.(21-7)		10:00 a.m.
Sept. 16 (Sat.)	Stamford	Baird	7:30 p.m.
*Sept. 21 (Sat.)	Abilene J.V. District Game	Shotwell	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 29	Roscoe	Baird	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 6	Albany	Albany	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 13	Open		
Oct. 20	Roby	Baird	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 27	Winters	Winters	7:30 p.m.
Novemb. 3	Hamlin	Baird	7:30 p.m.
Novemb. 10	Rotan	Rotan	7:30 p.m.
	*Homecoming		

Clyde Insurance
Bonnie Howe
Angela Martinez
325-893-4225

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Brandon Orms Owner ALL TYPES DIRT WORK (817) 578-4155 (254) 653-7469

First National Bank of Baird
244 Market Member FDIC
325-854-1295

Baird J.U. and Junior High Football Schedules

August 31	Anson	Anson	5:30 J.U.
Sept. 7	Eastland	Baird	5:30 J.U.
Sept. 14	Stamford	There	5/6 JH/JU
Sept. 21	Open	Open	
Sept. 28	Roscoe*	Roscoe	5/6 JH/JU
Oct. 6	Albany*	Baird	5/6 JH/JU
Oct. 13	TBA		5/6
Oct. 20	Roby*	Roby	5/6 JH/JU
Oct. 27	Winters*	Baird	5/6 JH/JU
Nov. 3	Hamlin*	Hamlin	5/6 JH/JU
Nov. 10	Rotan*	Baird	5/6 JH/JU

Coaching Staff: Kevin Hill, Jeremiah Munoz, Scott Nedrow, Scott Kello.
Superintendent: Cliff Gardner
Junior High Principal: James Wgyatt

Pharmacist In Charge

Position available at rural grocery store pharmacy about 90 miles from Fort Worth. Pharmacy is newly constructed. Hours of operation are Monday thru Friday, 9a-6p
NO SATURDAY SHIFTS
NO SUNDAY SHIFTS

Pharmacy Technicians

One floater position for Abilene/ Clyde/ Winters. One position for Ranger/ Cisco area. If you are interested in a slower pace, Saturday and Sundays off, and an excellent salary and benefits package, please call 325-947-0332 or send your resume and contact information to:
Recruiter
114 Hidalgo
San Angelo, TX 76904

Clyde Hardware And Supply
199 Pecan
325-893-4260

Go Baird-Go, Fight, Win

BUS SERVICE MINISTRY, Schedule AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH BAIRD, AUGUST

You WILL Be HAPPY to learn that the adventure will continue through our bus ministry! The bus ministry will serve children age three through senior adults, who live within the Baird city limits, and are needing a ride to our Sunday School (Bible Study) and Worship Serv. beginning at 9:45 each Sunday. If you or a child in your neighborhood have been unable to attend Sunday School and Worship Services due to lack of dependable transportation, here is your opportunity!

With August 20 only a couple of weeks away, we encourage you to contact the church office at 854-1574 to receive important information pertaining to pick-up times and enrollment for this serv.

We will be eagerly anticipating your calls!

Service Times
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer-meeting 7:00 p.m.
Youth Wednesday Old Fellowship Hall 7:00 p.m.
(Nursery provided for all services.)
Change of Location

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 pm
Wednesday YOUTH Fellowship 7:00 pm
(Nursery provided for)

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Guest Slot

Net Gleanings To All Who Survived The 1930's, 40's, 50's, 60's and 70's

First, we survived being born to mothers who smoked and drank while they were pregnant. They took aspirin, ate blue cheese dressing, tuna from the can, and didn't get tested for diabetes.

Then after that trauma, we were put to sleep on our tummies in baby cribs covered with bright colored lead-based paints.

We had no childproof lids, medicine bottles, doors or cabinets and when we rode our bikes, we had no helmets, not to mention, the risks we took hitchhiking. As infants and children, we rode in cars with no car seat booster seats, seat belts or bags.

Riding in the back of a pickup on a warm day was always a special treat.

We drank water from the garden hose and NOT from a bottle.

We shared one soft drink with four friends, from one bottle.

NO ONE actually died from it.

We ate cupcakes, white bread and real butter and drank Koolade made with sugar, but weren't overweight because WE WERE ALWAYS OUTSIDE PLAYING!

We would leave home in the morning and play all day, as we were back when the streetlights came on.

No one was able to reach us all day.

And we were O.K.

We would spend hours building our go-carts out of scraps and then ride down the hill, only to find out we forgot the brakes. After running into the bushes a few times we learned to solve the problem.

We did not have Playstation, Nintendo's, X-boxes, no violent games at all, no 150 channel cable, no video movies or DVDs, no surround sound or CD's, cell phones, no personal computers, no Internet or chat rooms... WE HAD FRIENDS and we went outside and found them.

We fell out of trees, got cut, broke bones and teeth and there were no lawsuits from these accidents.

We ate worms and mud pies made from dirt, and the worms did not live in us forever

We were given BB guns for 10th birthdays,

We made up games with sticks, tennis balls and, although were told it would happen, did not put out very many eyes.

We rode bikes or walked to friend's house and knocked on the door or rang the bell, or just walked in and talked to them!

Little League had tryouts and everyone made the team. Those who didn't, had to learn to deal with disappointment. Imagine that!!

The idea of a parent bailing out if we broke the law was unheard of.

They actually sided with the law.

These generations have produced some of the best risk takers, problem solvers and inventors ever!

The past 50 years have been explosion of innovation

and ideas.

We had freedom, failure, success and responsibility, and we learned HOW TO DEAL WITH IT ALL!

If you are one of them CONGRATULATIONS.

You might want to share this with others who have had luck to grow up as kids, before the lawyers and government regulated so much of our lives.

"For our own good".

And while you are at it, forward it to your kids so they will know how brave (and lucky) their parents were.

The quote of the month is by Leno:

"With hurricanes, tornados, fires out of control, mud slides, flooding, severe thunderstorms tearing up the country from one end to another, and with the threat of bird flu and terrorist attacks, "Are we sure this is a good time to take God out of the Pledge of Allegiance?"

Wags and Whiskers

Dedicated to the Love and Care of Animals

Focusing On Our Furry Friends

Every day is the right time to make the world a better place for our chirping, barking, meowing, and mooing friends. Everyone tries to be kind and help their animals. Here are a few suggestions for ways to show kindness to the animals that don't live in your house.

Encourage family and friends to spay or neuter and vaccinate their pets.

Create a unique space for wildlife in your own backyard or community.

Report animal abuse to your local authorities. In Eastland please call Sheriff Bradford or Jennifer Arnett at 254 629-1700.

Volunteer to help at your local animal shelter, pet shop or Humane Society.

Speak out on the importance of respecting animals. Article Supplied by the SPCA.

A monetary donation of any amount is now being accepted for the Animal Shelter. The City of Eastland has set up a fund to help animals and the shelter. Contact Jennifer Arnett at 254 629-1700 for details. Your help is greatly needed. Please visit our shelter on Marsh Street and make suggestions for improvement. Please take an interest in this worthwhile project. We need your input.

A word from the Doctor: "Show season is starting up and many shows have changed requirements for livestock to enter fair grounds. It is important to get your testing completed in a timely manner to avoid missing your show. I recommend brucellosis testing and tuberculosis testing be completed two weeks prior to show. This will allow for the us postage to get samples to the lab in time and should give ample time for the 3 day tb test to be completed. (Any positive tb tests have to be retested by a state veterinarian to confirm type of tb).



This is Toby. He is a 6-7 month old Doberman mix. He is very sweet and playful and gets along well with other dogs. He would love to be your "forever" friend! Please call Jennifer Arnett at 629-1700. Questions and/or suggestions may be emailed to wags_whiskers@sbcglobal.net

Help control Eastland's growing animal population by spaying and neutering your pets. Contact your local veterinarian.

Thanks,
Dr. Billy Bob Browning
Lazy 3 Animal Care 254 631-0816

Cross Plains 254-725-7361 BI-RITE AUTO 4th Block E. of Light, Hwy 36

VANS & SUVs

- 01 Ford Explorer Sport, V6, leather seats, fully loaded, looks, runs drives very good (red).....\$5950
- 98 Windstar V6, 7 pass., looks, runs very good, cold air, etc., (red), reduced to only.....\$3750
- 98 Ford Explorer Sport, V6, leather seats, fully loaded, cold air, runs, looks very good.....\$5250
- 97 Isuzu Rodeo, 4 cyl., auto., cold air, looks, runs good, green.....\$2750
- 97 Ford Aerostar V6, 7 pass., auto., cold air, looks, runs, drives very good (light blue).....\$2750
- 9. Plymouth Voyager, V6, 7 pass., cold air, looks, runs, drives good (white).....SPECIAL \$2650
- 95 Plymouth Voyager, V6, 7 pass., cold air, auto., looks & drives good (green).....REDUCED TO \$1895
- 95 Pontiac Transport, V6, auto., looks & drives good, 7 pass., (green).....SPECIAL \$1795
- 94 Ford Explorer Eddie Bauer, V6, cold air, runs good, white-tan.....\$2750
- 01 Isuzu Rodeo 4 cyl., 5 sp., good fuel mileage, runs good, silver.....\$1850
- 89 Ford Aerostar 7 pass., V6, auto., local van, looks, runs good, cold air, (red).....\$1295
- 95 Chevy Cargo Van, V8, auto., runs good, needs brakes, (white).....\$1295
- 90 Dodge Conversion Van, nice interior rear seatbed, cold air.....\$1750
- 88 Chev. Suburban 350 V8, cold air, looks, runs very good, A nice Suburban for only.....\$1295
- 95 Dodge Grand Caravan, V6, cold air, looks, runs good, (red).....\$1495

DIESEL TRUCKS

- 01 Ford XLT F250 Super Duty, Power Stroke, 4 dr., Super Cab, 6 sp., looks, runs good.....\$9250
- 97 Ford F350 Dually Super Cab Power Stroke Diesel, auto., cold air, XLT, special paint.....\$6750
- 97 Ford F250 Super Cab, Power Stroke, 5 sp., cold air, a very good truck.....\$8250
- 96 Chevy Diesel, Ext. Cab, 3500, auto., looks, runs good, silver.....\$4850
- 96 Ford F250 Super Cab, Power Stroke, 5 sp., cold air, runs very good (white).....\$5250
- 95 Ford F350 Dual Rears, Power Stroke, 5 sp., flat bed, cold air runs very good (white).....\$5250
- 94 Ford F250 7.3 Turbo Diesel, 5 speed, cold air, runs good.....\$3850
- 94 Ford F350 Crew Cab Power Stroke, auto., cold air, runs good.....\$4450
- 91 Ford F350 Crew Cab, 7.3 Diesel, nice truck inside & out, 5 sp., red.....\$3975
- 91 Ford Van, 7.3 diesel, auto., perfect for rig crew.....\$1995

GAS TRUCKS - ETC

- 01 Ford XLT Super Cab, 4 drs, V8, auto., clean inside & out, cold air, alum. wheels.....\$6250
- 01 Ford F150 Reg. Cab, LWB, 4.6 V8, auto., looks, runs good, cold air.....SPECIAL \$4950
- 97 Ford Ranger Super Cab, 4 drs., V6, auto., looks, runs good, cold air, silver.....\$5950
- 96 Dodge Dakota, V6, 5 sp., cold air, looks & runs good.....\$2850
- 97 Ford F250 Crew Cab, 4 drs., V8, auto., super nice truck, white.....SPECIAL \$4850
- 99 Chevy Crew Cab, 1 ton, V8, auto., good truck except seats, cold air.....REDUCED TO \$3750
- 93 Chevy 2500 4x4, V8, auto., Ext. Cab, roll bar, cold air, it blue.....\$2950
- 94 Ford Wrecker, F250 Super Cab, 4x4, 12,000 lb. winch, runs good.....\$2500
- 2-2 Car Haulers w/12,000 lbs winches, ready to work.....\$3750 and \$4250
- 96 Dodge Dakota 4x4, V6, 5 speed, cold air, looks, runs good.....\$2850

AUTOMOBILES

- 00 Ford Contour 4 dr., V6, cold air, a super nice local car, (grey), Don't miss this nice car SPECIAL.....\$3450
- 99 Mercury Tracer 4 cyl., auto., 4 dr., A nice clean local car (white).....\$2750
- 96 Buick Century V6, 4 dr., cold air, low miles, good mileage, local car.....\$2150
- 99 Ford Taurus 3.0 V6, cold air, looks, runs very good (white).....\$3450
- 00 Ford Contour 4 dr., 4 cyl., cold air, looks, runs good, red.....Was \$3495 NOW \$3250
- 97 Thunderbird, 3.8 V6, cold air, clean inside & out.....\$2750
- 97 Ford Taurus 3.0 V6, cold air, looks, runs good, it blue.....\$2750
- 96 Ford Taurus 3.0 V6, cold air, looks, runs good, white.....SPECIAL \$1950
- 96 Mercury Cougar XR7, 3.8 V6, rear wheel drive, runs good.....\$2450
- 94 Olds Cutlass 4 dr., looks, runs good (white).....\$1495
- 91 Ford Crown Victoria, it's good transportation.....\$995
- 91 Lincoln Continental in fair condition.....\$750
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WORD PILE By Mark Szorady

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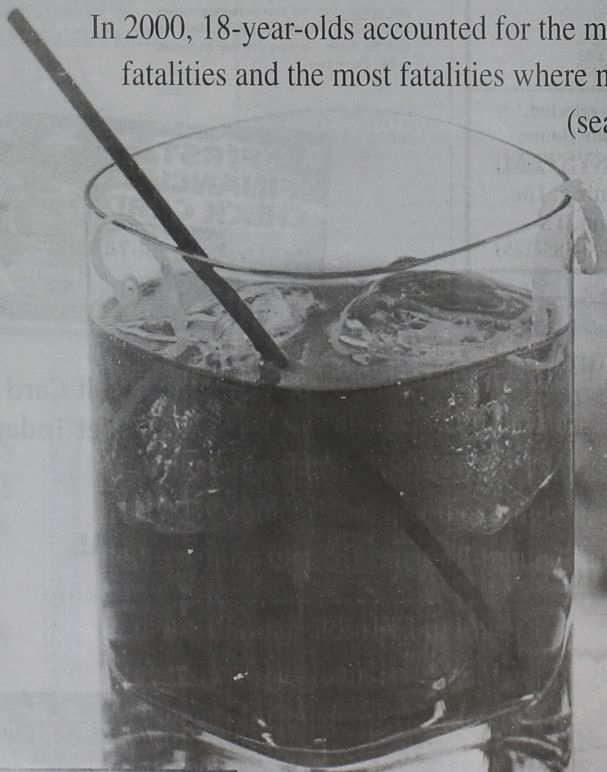
IS IT WORTH IT? STATISTICS

In 2000, more 19-year-olds died in alcohol-related traffic crashes than any other age (1,368). The next most fatal ages were 18, 21, 20, 17 and 22, respectively. No other single ages but these six recorded more than 1,000 fatalities.

By a wide margin, 21-year-olds recorded the most alcohol-related fatalities (680) in 2000. The ages with the next highest numbers of fatalities in alcohol-related crashes were 19, 22, 20 and 23, respectively. By comparison, no other single age besides these five accounted for more than 500 alcohol-related fatalities.

In 2000, more 19-year-olds died in lower BAC (between .01 and .09) alcohol-related crashes than any other age. In fact, 19-, 21-, 18-, 20-, 22- and 17-year-olds made up the top six ages (in order) of people who died in these crashes.

In 2000, 18-year-olds accounted for the most alcohol-related fatalities and the most fatalities where no restraint system (seat belts or motorcycle helmets) was used.



Attorney General Candidate Van Os Plans To 'Rock Boat' In Texas Politics

by Margaret Hetrick

The State Attorney General should not be a "go along to get along person" Democratic candidate David Van Os told a gathering of people at the Eastland County Courthouse Thursday, Sept. 7 on his 254 county Whistle-Stop tour of Texas. "I'm a boat rocker," he said.

Van Os plans to rock the boat about a number of issues. He promises, if elected Texas State Attorney General in November, to exercise available legal means to block the Trans-Texas Corridor project planned along Interstate 35, which he says is "unconstitutional and illegal."

Other promises include upholding "all the enumerated rights in the Bill of Rights" and to "enforce the Texas Constitutional ban on monopolies."

These intentions are reenforced in a sworn affidavit filed by Van Os at courthouses across Texas.

Eastland County Courthouse was the 171st stop on candidate Van Os' Whistle-Stop tour. He was accompanied by wife Rachel. The tour had been a tremendous and educational experience, he said. He particularly liked the "straight talk" he'd heard in West Texas. He added that one finds a strong atmosphere of government servants being in service at courthouses.

Van Os didn't mince words about what he described as the "ivory tower" mentality of many legislators, who, in his opinion, spend their time in conference rooms, and are using their office to provide for themselves and their friends.

He said wanted to see Texas politics restored to the people, and made an appeal for "trans-partisan" politics, which would allow people of all parties to work together on important Texas issues.

Strong words were

addressed in the direction of giant oil companies. While average citizens were struggling to stretch their dollars to cover the high cost of gasoline, the giant oil companies were showing billion dollar profits, he said. "Texas has always said no to robber baron monopolies," Van Os continued, commenting that Texas had anti-trust laws in the 1880s. He said that former Texas Attorney General James (Jim) Hogg had "whipped the railroad barons," and that Texans can fight back now (against the oil monopolies). He added that independent oil companies should have a fair chance in the market.

Van Os received his law degree from UT in 1976, and has his own law firm in San Antonio. He is running against incumbent Texas Attorney General, Republican Greg Abbott, in the November general elections.

Ripfest Pageant To Be Sept. 30

The Eastland Chamber of Commerce will have the Ripfest Pageant on Saturday, September 30th at The Eastland High School Auditorium from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Entry forms are available at The Eastland Chamber.

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- Tiny Majestic Boys-(Under 1 year)
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- Little Miss Majestic- (4-6 year old girls)
- Jr. Miss Majestic- (7-10 year old girls)
- Duchess Majestic- (11-13 year old girls)
- Queen Majestic- (14-18 year old girls)

There will be some optional events this year! Prizes will be awarded for talent, special event (contestants can model a red, white, and blue outfit), most photogenic, best hair, prettiest eyes, best attire, and prettiest smile! All entrants should include a photo with entry form. All entrants are required to participate in the Ripfest parade on Saturday, October 7th. Please call the Eastland Chamber of Commerce for more details at 629-2332.

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NEW: 17.55 A West
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We would like to thank everyone for your caring love and support shown to Bill during his recent illness. Never are we more aware of how much friends mean to us than at the time of bereavement. Your kind expressions of sympathy eased our sorrows so much. We want to thank each and everyone for all their prayers, flowers, gifts, cards, kind thoughts, phone calls and visits. Our love and appreciation to Rev. Jim Wright and Dr. Bill Boyd for the beautiful service and to Edwards Funeral Home and staff for their outstanding service; Bill loved you all very much. To the First Christian Church members who prepared and served lunch; thank you so much it was wonderful. Your caring thoughts and faithful prayers brought comfort to us in our loss.
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Tidbits...by H.V.O.

YOU WONDER: is local planning underway to ACTIVELY solicit playoff games at the end of the season for the local stadium? It's a fact that these games bring a lot of people to town, and help bolster the economy for all-- but the cooperative planning needs to be going on now.

GIFT TIP early in the season: what better thoughtfulness for friends and relatives near and far copies of the local feature magazine, the Texas Messenger? Because there are a few remainders of previous editions--which never go out of date--we are temporarily offering a three for two Whale of a sale Deal. Now, buy two for \$10, get a third issue free--while they last, and not all issues are still available. So pick up an

armload and be ready to give your special people gifts that will be appreciated and treasured for a long, long time. (Note: not many copies of the Langston History [the rarest of the rare] not included.)

HOPEFULLY CABLE television will improve around here as the result of an outage over the past weekend. It went out at our house sometime Friday; on the third call (playing a long series of "if this, do this" games) to the company (still Cebridge they said, but with a different name) we were told that they'd try to get someone out Monday. That didn't set too well, so an ill-mannered weekend call to our City Manager Don Wilson, brought results. He and Mayor Mark Pipkin arrived Saturday afternoon, discov-

ered the line from the pole unconnected and called the proper local repair man who responded quickly, fixed the problem, and put in a line that it and other lines would be replaced in this system.

EMPLOYERS who use the Texas Workman's Compensation insurance are learning that there is a new option. Employers can now choose between the existing system or elect to pay a lower premium, with restrictions. The restrictions are that injured employees must pick from a list of approved medical providers to utilize the Workman Compensation provided. Checking the web site offered by the company, one learns that there are no providers listed for Eastland County. Apparently all the medical community chose not to participate in the W.C. program, so if an employer goes with the cheaper system, his employees would have to go to neighboring facilities for treatment under the W.C. program.

'The Ant Bully' To Show At Majestic

More "Ants" at the Majestic Theater in Eastland! And yes, the kids still love them, according to critics across the country.

Adults are finding this "Ant Bully" picture interesting to them also, partly due to the top voice talent used in the animated film.

Warner Bros. "The Ant Bully" will open at the Majestic Theater on Friday, Sept. 15, and run through Monday, Sept. 18. Show time will be at 7:30 nightly.

General admission is \$4.50 at the box office, and \$6 for adults-only balcony tickets.

This family-type picture is rated PG.

In the story, pint-sized Lucas Nickle (voice of Zach Tyler Eisen) suffers at the hands of the neighborhood bully and his cronies.

Lucas, embarrassingly nicknamed "Peanut" by his mother (Cheri Oteri), takes out his anger on his parents and a front-yard anthill, soaking it so regularly that the ants refer to him as "The Destroyer."

Determined to keep the

colony safe, ant wizard Zoe (Nicholas Cage) devises a shrinking potion that, once inserted into Lucas's ear, makes the boy insect-sized.

They take Lucas before the Queen-Ant (Meryl Streep), who vetoes the idea of having the colony eat him, preferring to teach the boy a lesson that will make him more appreciative of insects and their lives.

What follows are some amazing digital adventures. Lucas gets over his initial shock and discovers that ants have other destroyers than man--namely wasps and their vicious attacks.

Then there's the exterminator--whom the ants call the "cloud breather." A lot of situations arise here when a human gets another world view.

So there's some education along with the animation in this picture.

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1201 W. 14th, 3 BR, 2 3/4 bath; 1 car garage, + large den/master bedroom - brick home on corner \$89,000.
480 acres @ Gilpin in Dickens Co., TX - cultivation; some minerals, \$400 ac (owner/agent).
1011 W. 14th - Classic Spanish Home, Cisco - beautiful yard, 2 story, up 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath; down living room, dining room, hardwood floors, fireplace, kitchen w/ builtins, 1/2 bath - total 1900 sf. Guest house bedroom, kitchenette, bath, laundry room, living room w/ 2 car garage. Italian tile roof, plus adjoining near lot. \$225,000.
507 W. 7th, Cisco - renovation started, needs finishing, 3 BR, 2 bath, 2 carports, storage shed, 2 lots. \$20,000.
28.177 ac; old building, access to electricity and water; one stock tank, no minerals on Hwy. 6 N. of Cisco to right of Country Club Rd., sign on property, \$70,442 firm.
4 lots w/ 2 buildings 1000 Block of W. 8th, Cisco. Gas tanks gone. \$24,000.
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Deralee Scanlon, R.D., manager of professional and consumer education at Nature Made vitamins, reminds women that supplements can help. Scanlon's ABCs of Supplements for good health include:

Amp Up Antioxidants: Nine out of 10 Americans fall short of vitamin E and 35 percent of women do not consume adequate amounts of vitamin C -- two important antioxidants. Eating colorful fruits and vegetables daily helps combat deficiencies, and supplements can help. When taken together, vitamins C and E pack a powerful antioxidant punch to prevent premature aging.

Build Up A Base: "I recommend a balanced, low-fat diet, but realistically that isn't always possible," said Scanlon. A high-quality multivitamin supplement such as Nature Made Multi For Her or Multi For Her 50+ provides a good base of essential vitamins and nutrients for women of all ages.

Consume Calcium: Nearly 83 percent of women over the age of 45 do not meet their daily calcium needs. Calcium-rich foods plus a calcium supplement as part of a healthy diet can help maintain bone health and prevent osteoporosis later in life.

Don't Be D-ficient: A deficiency of vitamin D plagues up to 40 percent of Americans over 50. New research suggests Americans need at least 1,000 IUs of vitamin D daily for optimal health.

Energize: B vitamins are necessary for energy. During times of stress, our bodies can excrete higher levels of some nutrients. Green leafy vegetables and Nature Made B vitamins can help maintain

active lifestyles, while ensuring adequate nutrient levels.

Fish For Heart Health: The American Heart Association suggests at least two servings of fatty fish weekly to reap the benefits of heart-healthy omega-3 fatty acids. Not a fish eater? Fish or flaxseed oil supplements are good alternatives. Scanlon suggests Nature Made Odorless Fish Oil to control the fishy after-taste.

For more info., visit the Nature Made Wellness Advisor Web site at: www.NatureMade.com

Drawing For Life/Recliner Chair To Be Oct. 3

The drawing for a Lift/Recliner Chair will be October 3rd at the Eastland Senior Citizens Building located on Park Hill in Eastland, TX. The Eastland County Seniors group have been accepting donations of \$1 ticket and will continue to do so until the drawing. Anyone wishing to donate may contact the Seniors group on Wednesday s or Friday s in the Senior Building or call 629-. The

chair may be seen at Allegro Mobility, 201 S. Lamar in Eastland. Funds from these donations will assist the Eastland County Seniors in various projects as well as purchase supplies for the Building.

Seniors regularly meet on Wednesday and Friday Game days from 9AM to 2 PM. The monthly meeting is each first Tuesday at 6 PM. This meeting consists of a meal, informative speakers and concludes with a business meeting. Anyone over age 55 and a Eastland County resident is welcome to become a member. Visitors are welcome. A donation jar

is available to help pay for cleaning and supplies. There are no dues.

On every Thursday at 7 PM there is a Gospel / Country Western community singing. No meal is served but coffee

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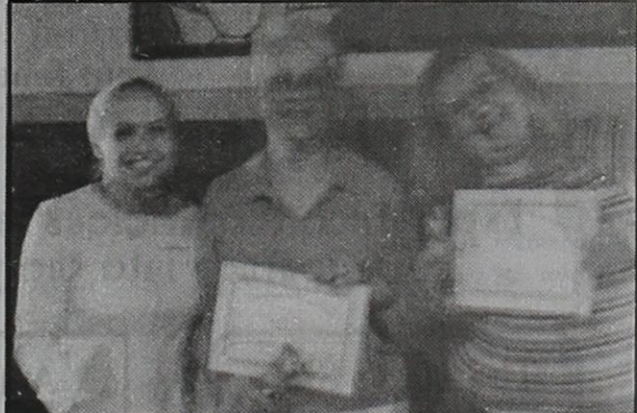
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Would like to announce that we have three new volunteers, Victoria Jiminez, Caryon Garrett, and Mary Ann Troxtell that have graduated from our 20 hour program on Thursday, June 29, 2006. They have received their certificates and are ready to help the Hospice program. Thank you for becoming part of the Girling Hospice team.

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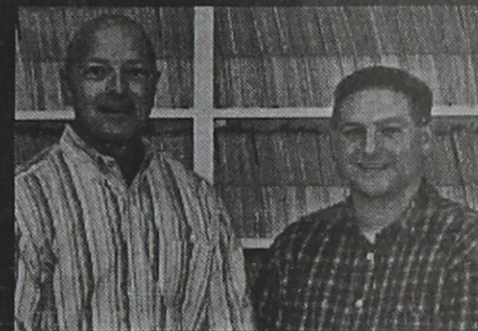
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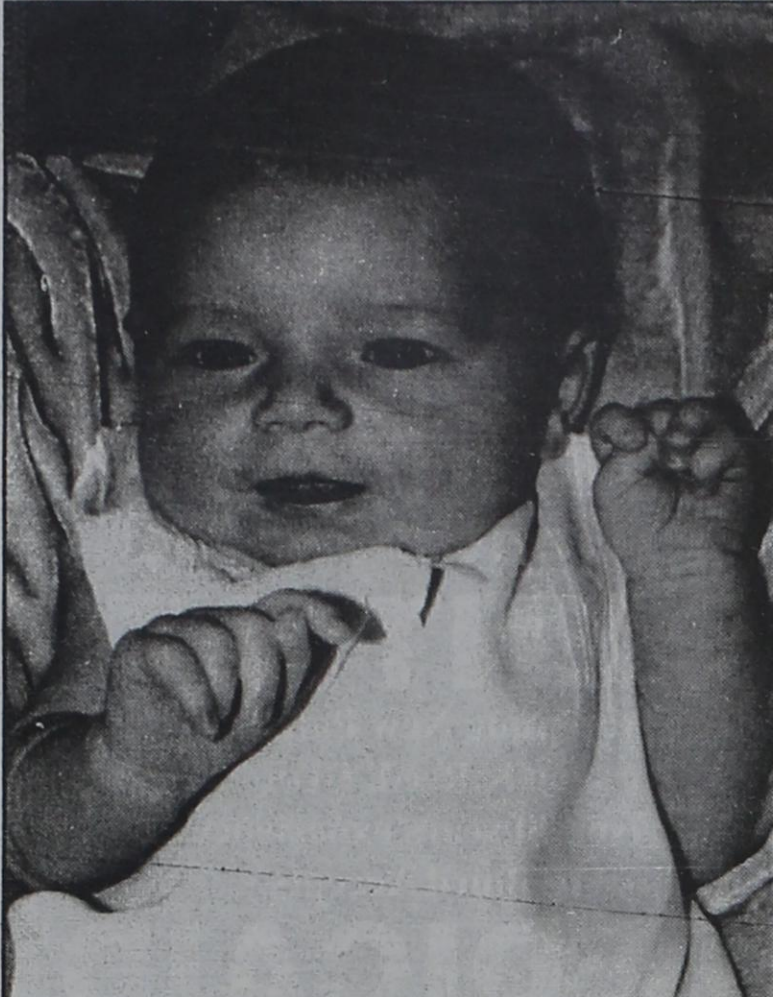
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River Of Life Food Pantry Schedule

The River of Life Food Pantry will be open Saturday, Sept. 30, from 9 to 11 a.m.

Applicants must come themselves with identification. A short form will be filled out.

Their goal is to help families that are temporarily in need of assistance.

The food pantry is located in the south building at River of Life Church, 103 Pogue Ave, in Eastland.

If you would like to contribute to the Food Pantry, these items are needed this month: personal hygiene products and laundry soap. These items can be dropped off at the church's office entrance Monday-Friday, 9:00-5:00.

Bryan's Auto Old Rip Car Show Oct. 7

The year 2006 20th annual Bryans Auto Supply "Old Rip" CAR SHOW will be held on October 7th, immediately following the 10:00am Old Rip Fest Parade. There will be booths all around the downtown square with festivities going on all day. The Bryans Car Show does not require sign-up and Classes will include just about anything you can think of, including special classes for Race Cars, Pull Trucks, Motorcycles, even an open exhibition class. Don't worry; all the conventional classes are high and mighty as well. Like the 31 and earlier, 32 to 48, 49 and up. Yes, we will have a Pickup Truck class, Convertibles, and probably even the All-Original Class.....Not restored

Calling All Eastland County Artists

Are you a 2D or 3D artist? Would you be interested in participating in an art-walk in Eastland this fall? We are looking for artists who do fine art such as drawing, pastels, acrylics, oils, pottery, or sculpture.

We are hoping that there might be artists who would like to do some demonstration class.

As in years past, you can feel assured there will be many special attractions at the FREE event. Trophies are always large and plentiful, so come on out and have a good time in Eastland Texas USA at the 20th annual Bryans Car Show.

Pre-registration is not required for the Bryans Car Show - and its all FREE FREE FREE. Even to watch is FREE.

tions around the courthouse square in Eastland. It may be possible that we can hang some art in buildings around the square.

The Eastland Chamber of Commerce would like to encourage artists to participate in a new venture of an art walk. There would be no

charges to the artists for display or for sales. The details for the date and time are still being discussed.

If you are interested, or if you know someone who might be interested, please contact the Eastland Chamber of Commerce at 629-2332. Other numbers are Joy Conner at 629-3290 and Ruth Stewart at 442-4280.

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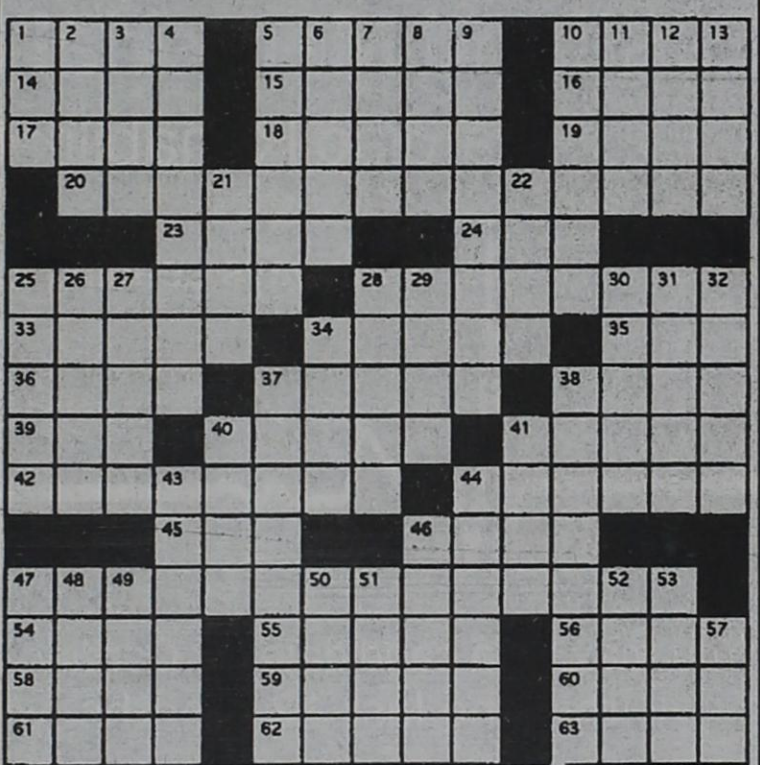
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Obituary

Lillie Joyce (Rose) Bowden

Lillie Joyce (Rose) Bowden, 77, of Clyde, Texas, born September 22, 1928 near Lawn, went to be with the Lord on September 10, 2006. She grew up near Content with her parents, Lillie (Aldridge) and Franklin Rose, and her sister, Doris Copeland Harrell. She graduated from Lawn High

School in 1945. On September 3, 1949, she married E. H. "Sandy" Bowden, whom she met while working in Abilene for Southwestern Bell. She started her family and happy memories in Abilene prior to living in Wichita Falls and Odessa, Texas. She and Sandy retired to Clyde in

1987. She was a member of Abilene Primitive Baptist Church.

Joyce was a playful and caring Mother, Grandmother and Great-grandmother who loved her family and became known as Nana. She was a precious wife that enjoyed life and will always hold a special place with her family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents and sister.

Joyce is survived by her husband, E.H. "Sandy" Bowden of Clyde; son, Terry Bowden and wife, Gloria, of Ranger; and daughter, Kim Justis and husband, Tim of Stephenville; two granddaughters, Jessica and husband, Cole Callaway, of Orlando, Florida and Ashley Justis of Stephenville; two

great-grandchildren, Austin Hunter and Mackenzie Rose Callaway; and nephews, Mike Copeland and wife, Becky, of Stephenville and Tim Copeland and wife, Erica, of Abilene.

Services were held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13, 2006 at Elliott-Hamil Chapel of Memories conducted by Elder Travis Brown, with her resting at Dewey Cemetery in Lawn.

Pallbearers were Matt Copeland, Mitch Copeland, Scott Copeland, Rick Copeland, Michael Copeland and Doug Aldridge.

Memorials may be made to Hendrick Hospice Care, P.O. Box 1922, Abilene, TX. 79604.

Reverend Robert "Bob" Bockman

MERKEL-Reverend Robert "Bob" Bockman, 88, died Wednesday, September 6, 2006, in a local hospital. Services were to be 5:00 p.m. Saturday, September 9, at Merkel First Baptist Church with Reverend Jimmy Griffith officiating. Burial was to be in Rose Hill Cemetery, directed by Starbuck Funeral Home. Visitation was to be at the funeral home.

Bob was born April 24, 1918 in Callahan County to Robert E and Katie B. Barry Bockman. He served with the 8th Air Force as an Electrical Engineer in Washington, D.C. On June 15, 1951 he married Willie Mae Harber in Mt. Rainier, MD. Several years later he entered the ministry. Reverend Bockman was pastor of Baptist Churches in Texas and Tennessee. After retiring from the pastorate, he taught Sunday School classes and was President of the Golden Saints Club at First Baptist Church where he was a member for several years.

Survivors include his wife, Willie Mae Bockman of Merkel; several nieces and nephews including Dave and Pat Humphrey of Merkel, Brenda and Bob Knisley of Albuquerque, N.M., Linda

and Jim Emmerson of McCaulley, Charlie and Louise Beard of Abilene, Billy and Jenny Beard of Baird and Harold Dean and Linda Bockman of Miles; his church family and many friends all of which were very special to him.

He was preceded in death by his parents; 1 brother, Jacob "Jake" Bockman; 4 sisters, Ozelle Burgher, Estelle Beaird, Adelle Hurmphyre and Iva Nelle Bockman. Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 399, Merkel, Tx 79536.

Addresses Needed for Baird Ex-Students

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- Ashley Pugh,
- Matthew Ramirez,
- William Ross,
- Jessica Garnett,
- Vickie Blair,
- Blake Mendez,
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Lubbock Christian Gets Ears "Nipped"

Continued from Pg. 1

The passing game by Baird saw Tyler Orlando go for 17 attempts with seven completions and 3 touchdowns; and Lubbock Christian's Robinson attempted 10 passes with 3 completions and 42 yards.

Justin English of Baird went for 90 yards, on 4 re-

ceptions and one touchdown; and Chris Wentworth got 36 yards with 2 touchdowns after 2 receptions. L.C.H.S.'s Robinson made 42 in 3 receptions.

The final score was 21-7 Baird in the ascendancy

(from Page 1) Commissioners' Court Minutes

Medicaid Clients. Commissioner seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Commissioner Grider to reinstate the Burn Ban for Callahan County but the motion died for lack of a second.

Judge Corn made a motion to pass a Proclamation declaring "Disaster Preparedness Week" (September 10-16, 2006) in Callahan County. Commissioner Hicks made a second and the motion carried by all.

Commissioner Farmer made a motion to proceed with the Depot Restoration when the money is in escrow. Commissioner Holland seconded and the motion carried 5-0.

A motion to have budget amendment as per the auditor was made by Judge Corn and Commissioner Hicks made a second the motion carried 5-0.

The motion to pay approved bills was made by Commissioner Grider and Judge Corn seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Commissioner Farmer and the meeting adjourned on a second by Commissioner Hicks, at 10:45 when the motion carried by all.

Signed by Roger Corn Judge.

The foregoing minutes were read and approved the 25th day of September 2006.

by Jeanie Bohannon, County Clerk.

Desdemona News

By Vonnie Guthery

Ladies monthly social was held on Monday, September 11th at the Desdemona Community Center School Building. There was plenty of good food and great fellowship for everyone that attended this mornings event. The entire room and tables were decorated with many large Confederate flags, several books about the Civil War and soldiers who fought in this battle. There was several award ribbons, emblems, knives, swords, etc. on display--each with interesting stories about the confederacy. Hostesses for this social were Joy Rogers of Gorman and Gail Clayton of Desdemona. Joy and Gail were dressed in their long ball gowns - very appropriate for the occasion.

There was twenty three ladies to attend this social. The next ladies monthly social will be held on Monday, October 9th at the same place and same time. Visitors are always welcome to attend.

Our sincere sympathy goes out to the family of Velma (Melton) Carr, 89, of Gorman. Burial was a graveside service on Saturday, September 2 at the Desdemona Cemetery. She

was born September 14, 1916 in Eastland County to Lonzo and Beulah (Weeks) Melton. Survivors include two sons, Donald Carr and Keith Carr; a daughter, Wanda Morrow. Preceded in death by her parents and her husband, Henry Ewell Carr.

A family birthday dinner was held on Saturday night at New York Hill Restaurant (near Gordon) for Gay (Fox) Moore of Desdemona - her daughter, Renee (Moore) White and son, Cory White of Stephenville. Others attending were "Shorty" Fox and Larry Moore of Desdemona, Bruce White, daughter, Chelsa and friend, Jeremy all of Stephenville; Paul and Susan Moore and children, Hagan and Scarlett of Lingleville.

Dorothy Roberts spent the past week in Fort Worth with her grand-daughter, Heather Caddell and children, Kelsey, Cameron and Cain.

Desdemona Thanksgiving Supper will be held on Sat-

Devotion

Who Is In Control?

Proverbs 3:5-6 "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart, and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths.

GRAND OLE OPLIN LINEUP FOR SEPTEMBER

The Grand Ole Oplin is proud to announce their band lineup for the month of September. On Sept. 1, Texas Touch joined them to play all of your country favorites. On Sept. 8, Country Classics entertained us here. On September 15th, we have invited The Kevin Seals Band to play their own brand of country music (we understand they are real good.) On Sept. 22nd, Muddy Creek will join us, playing all the country music we love to dance to. On Sept. 29th, Jack Rosser

will be back again. The Grand Ole Oplin is hosted by the Oplin Community Center and is located at the intersection of 604 S. and FM 2926. Alcohol and smoking is not allowed at any of our functions. Admission to our dances is still only \$4 per person, and everyone is encouraged to bring a snack to be enjoyed by all during the band's break. Our dances begin at 7:30 p.m. and end at 10:30 p.m.

So gather the family and all of your friends and come on out to an evening of good music and good friends, plenty of dancing.

Baird I.S.D. Menus

Week of Sept. 20, 2006 - Sept. 21, 2006

LUNCH

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Refried Beans, Lettuce and Cheese Enchiladas or Beef & Tomato, Jello, Fresh Fruit, Bean Burrito, Spanish Rice, Choice of Milk

Breakfast Menu:

Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2006: Breakfast on a Bun, Breakfast Taco or Cereal & Toast, Fresh fruit, Assorted juices, Choice of Milk.
Thursday, Sept. 21, 2006: Biscuit and sausage w/gravy or Cereal & Toast, Fresh Fruit, Assorted Juices, Choice of Milk.

Want to Know What's Going On in Baird? Read the Callahan Star for all the News That is Fit To Print!

2006 Baird Bears Roster

No.	NAME	GRADE	POSITION	WEIGHT
2	TYLER ORLANDO	Sr.	QB./ FS.	175
3	CHRIS WHITWORTH	So.	WR/FS.	145
9	NOAH ALBERGUCCI	Sr.	TE/DE	155
12	RUSTIN WILLIAMS JR.	Jr.	TE/LB	160
15	CHRIS ENGLISH	Sr.	TE/OLB	160
21	CHRIS COGBURN	Sr.	RB/C	140
22	JESSE MENDEZ	So.	RB/C	150
29	JUSTIN PATTERSON	Sr.	RB/LB	175
32	JUSTIN ENGLISH	Jr.	WR/LB	155
38	JONATHAN WADDLE JR.	Jr.	WR/LB	175
51	JUSTIN ROBERTS	Sr.	C/DE	205
53	ISAAC DICKEY	So.	C/LB	165
55	KOBY PARKER	Sr.	C/DE	240
60	JERAMIE BROOKS	Jr.	T/DT	245
65	JACOB DILLARD	Jr.	G/DT	205
68	ANDREW EMMERT	Jr.	G/DT	195
70	TY CULP	Sr.	G/DE	205
72	JUD CLARK	Sr.	T/DT	255

Coaching Staff: Kevin Hill, Jeremy Munoz, Scott Kello, Scott Nedrow.
Student Trainers: Breanna Patterson, Ashyla Murff, Peyton McIntire, Chris Ramirez.
Athletic Trainer: Danae Edwards.
Cheerleaders: Patsy Dugan, Brooke English, Lauren Thackerson, Vicky Suarez, Nicole Darnell, Ketic Bessent, Megan Betcher, Cassie Burns, Ashley Lowe (Mascot).
Cheerleader Sponsor: Cliff Gardner.
Superintendent: Cliff Gardner.
Principal: Vick Orlando.
Band Director: Donna Ronquillo.



Baird I.S.D. Lunch Menu



Breakfast

Wednesday, Sept. 13: BREAKFAST ON A BUN, BREAKFAST TACO, or CEREAL AND TOAST, Fresh Fruit, Assorted Juices, Choice Milk.

Thursday, Sept. 14: BISCUIT & SAUSAGE W. GRAVY or CEREAL & TOAST, Fresh Fruit, Assorted Juices, Choice of Milk.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 15: CINNAMON ROLL, YOGURT Plate or CEREAL & TOAST, Fresh Fruit, Assorted Juices,

MONDAY, SEPT. 18: BREAKFAST PIZZA, CINNAMON TOAST or CEREAL & TOAST, Fresh Fruit, Assorted Juices, Choice of Milk.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 19: BREAKFAST PIZZA, CINNAMON TOAST or CEREAL & TOAST, Fresh Fruit, Assorted Juices, Choice of Milk.

Lunch

Wednesday, Sept. 13

CHICKEN FAJITA or CHEESE NACHOS, Spanish Rice, Pinto Beans, Lettuce & Tomato, Brownie, Fresh Fruit, choice of milk

Thursday, Sept. 14 CHICKEN BURGERS or DELI SANDWICH, Baked Chips, Lettuce & tomato, Carrot Sticks, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Fresh Fruit choice of milk

Friday, Sept. 15: BEAR BURGERS or BEAR DOGS, Chef Salad, French Fries, Lettuce & Tomato, Dessert, Fresh Fruit, Choice Milk.

Monday, Sept. 16: CHICKEN WRAP or GRILLED CHEESE SANDWICH, Lettuce & Tomato, Tator Tots, Peanut Butter, Cookie, Fresh Fruit, Choice of Milk.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 17 HOT HAM AND SWISS MELT or CHICKEN SALAD SANDWICH, Vegetable Noodle Soup, Pudding, Fresh Fruit, Choice Milk.

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Web Press Time available call 254-629-1707.

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Flooring for Sale from Old Gym

Baird Independent School District is in the process of refurbishing the old gymnasium. One of the main objectives is to replace the wooden floor because it is not level. The hardwood floor has been removed in sections of about 30 square

feet. These sections are for sale to the public for \$1 per square foot. Proceeds from the sales of flooring will help defray the cost of updating the gym.

If interested in owning a piece of history you may call Sceptt Cooper at 854-1400 extension, 320.

Real Estate-Local

For Sale By Owner: Lake Leon- Older cabin on extra large deeded lots. 330 feet gently sloping waterfront, pier/dock. Has never

flooded! Staff meter, water pump. All furniture. All appliances. Large oaks, St. Augustine grass. \$120 K. 254-629-2813.

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CHECK OUT YOUR CHECKOFF Cooking Up Knowledge

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Beef Goes World Wide Web

Epicurious, a popular gourmet website, is featuring a beef-sponsored grilling section from Bobby Flay, a famous chef will known for his grilling expertise. Part of the beef checkoff summer grilling campaign, beef recipes and beef 101 are some of the grilling topics covered. Visit www.epicurious.com to learn more about beef grilling with Bobby Flay.

Reaching Texas Schools As a result of the beef checkoff and a grant from Pfizer Inc., this school year approximately 10,000 teachers across the nation will receive Choose Well kits designed to help teach students about "power foods" such as beef. The Texas Beef Council will be extending efforts

to ensure the kits are available to Texas teachers. The Choose Well kits are filled with eight classroom activities, a computer game and a video to educate children on how to take control of their food choices.

Beef on Today Renowned Texas Chef Richard Chamberlain appeared on the number one rated morning show July 11. Chef Chamberlain, author of the checkoff funded Healthy Beef Cookbook, showcased numerous beef recipes from the cookbook and provided lean beef grilling and cooking tips on NBC's "Today Show". The lengthy segment included an interview by "Today Show" anchor Ann Curry.

PROTECT THE EYES OF TEXAS: DONATE \$1 TO THE BLINDNESS EDUCATION, SCREENING, AND TREATMENT PROGRAM

Imagine that your Eye MD (ophthalmologist) has just informed you that you have a potentially blinding eye disease. He or she tells you that with proper treatment, probably even surgery, blindness is preventable, which reassures you somewhat.

Now imagine that you don't have health insurance.

That situation is lived out daily in exam rooms around the state. Nearly one out of three Texans aged 18-64 have no health insurance, and many of the uninsured lack the savings needed to cover surgery or other major medical expenses out of their own pocket.

For these people, the state of Texas created the Blindness Education, Screening, and Treatment (BEST) Program.

The BEST Program—run by the Texas Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services—assists uninsured adult Texans with the payment for urgently needed medical and surgical treatment for such diseases and disorders as retinal detachment, diabetic retinopathy,

and acute glaucoma. As the name implies, the program also offers vision screening clinics and patient education.

The program is funded through \$1 voluntary contributions when Texans renew their drivers' licenses. Because of a shortage of contributions, the BEST Program has a shortage of funds year in and year out. Consequently, there is a waiting list of 90-100 patients who cannot afford the medical or surgical eye care they need.

Please do your part to shorten—or even eliminate—that wait list and protect the eyes of Texas. Join me by contributing \$1 next time you renew your license.

If you are a patient and think you qualify for the program, ask your Eye MD (ophthalmologist) or optometrist. If you'd like more information on the program or a schedule of upcoming screenings, contact the Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services at 800-628-5115 or online at www.dars.state.tx.us.

Callahan Divide SWCD Fish Stocking

The Callahan Divide Soil & Water Conservation District is now taking orders for their Annual Fish Program. Each year the district offers these fish to the general public on a first come—first serve basis at a very inexpensive price.

These fish come from the Arms Fish Farm out of Dublin, TX.

This year's selection of fish includes Bluegill, Hybrid Bream, Red Bream, Red Ear, Grass Carp, Largemouth Bass, Catfish, Bluecat, Crappie, Goldfish and Koi. In Addition we are also offering Red Horse minnows, Fathead and Goldshiners.

Fish orders will be taken from April 19, 2006,

through August 31, 2006, or until supplies run out. Whichever come first. The fish will be delivered to Baird on Thursdays. We will set appointment times for pick up as orders are taken. All orders are pre-paid with a check or money order, and delivery is guaranteed.

For more information contact the Natural Resources Conservation Service office in Baird, TX at (325) 854-1349 Ext. 3. The office in Baird is located at 141 W. 4th and Suite B. Orders and information may also be obtained at the Albany, TX NRCS office. The number is 325-762-2552. EXT 3.

Baird High School Homecoming 2006

Homecoming 2006 has been set for September 16th at Baird I.S.D. The Bears will be playing Stamford at the Bears' Den on SATURDAY Night. The other activities planned thus far include:

Saturday, Sept. 16: 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. - Coffee and Registration (\$5.00) in the Cafetorium.)

10:30 a.m. - Noon - Business Meeting in the High School Auditorium (registration continues)

12:00-2:00 p.m. Lunch in the Cafetorium (\$8.00) (Pork Loin Dinner catered

by Felix and Barbara Manion) 4:00-5:00 p.m. Parade downtown followed by the Pep rally on the Courthouse steps.

5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Dinner in the Cafetorium (\$7.00) (Chicken Spaghetti Dinner catered by Junior Class)

7:30 p.m. Football Game (Bears vs. Stamford)

After the Game: The Light Plant will be open for anyone interested in visiting a little more! Come on Down!

PLEASE TRY TO MAKE it to the Business Meeting. At that meeting classes will be recognized and it would be a good opportunity to hook up with classmates and plan meeting places for the afternoon. This year, special recognition will be given to the classes of 1956 and 1957, our "Golden Year Grads".

The Baird Motor Inn and R.V. Park are available for anyone needing a place to stay. If you need a room or space for your R.V., Call (325)-854-2527. There are

also several motels on the east side of Abil on I-20 that wouldn't be far from activities. Holiday Inn Express, 675-9800; Super 8, 673-5251; Days Inn, 672-6433; Executive Inn, 677-2200; and Whitten Inn 673-5271.

Please visit our website (www.bairdisd.net) for information, special pictures, address changes, and you can submit questions for us. Come to Baird in September and make this the best Homecoming ever!

Callahan County (Baird) Star Classifieds

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED: Experienced, mature woman for home cleaning; Rainbow vacuum cleaning system knowledge helpful. Needed every other week for multiple in-home tasks. Good references required. Please call 254-629-2413 after 6 p.m. to set interview.

For Sale

FOR SALE: Mostly highway-driven, '90 Oldsmobile Full Tank. Cutlass Supreme - V-6—loaded. 69,000 miles. Computer/gauges—Call 254-629-2413 after 6 p.m. to see.

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Family Van For Sale: Designer Conversion big engine, '91 GMC family van, 90,000 actual miles, white exterior/gray plush interior, pretty wood trim inside, garaged, clean, 4 captains, convertible couch, electric windows, TV/cassette, call 254-629-2413 to see after 6 p.m. \$4995.00 firm.

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Help Wanted

POSITION OPEN PHARMACY TECHNICIAN Must have current Texas Pharmacy Tech License, in good standing. Working hours negotiable. Must be personable, service and

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ACREAGE

15 Acres with cabin mostly wooded with oak trees, very large hill for home site, creek/drainage, water line with meter, electricity, Eastland School District, lots of wildlife including deer, turkey, hogs. Owner/broker, agent \$46,500.

29.72 acres with large hill. Mostly wooded with red oak and live oak, creek, water line, electricity, excellent home site. Deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail. Owner/broker, agent.

40 Acres +/- partially wooded with oaks, 4 ponds, waterline septic system, electricity, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, duck.

50 Acres mostly wooded with oaks, 2 ponds, county road frontage, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail \$79,900.

61 Acres mostly wooded with live oaks, pond, one 5-acre field, excellent home site or recreation property, wildlife includes deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail. \$1,500 per acre.

61 Acres near Lake Cisco mostly wooded with live oak and post oak, two hills overlooking Lake Cisco with a canyon and creek in between the hills, wildlife includes deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, \$1,800 per acre.

65 Acres mostly wooded with oak trees, elevation changes from hill top down to lower land, paved road frontage, wildlife includes deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, \$1,195 per acre.

81 Acres mostly wooded with oaks & mesquite trees, one 4-acre field, two ponds, hills down to draws, large ranches around this property, lots of wildlife including deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, \$1,395 per acre.

83 Acres 95% wooded with oak trees, excellent property for hunting or a home site, wildlife includes deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, \$1,195 per acre.

93 Acres Stephens County, mostly wooded with live oak & mesquite trees, hills, water line, electricity, big views including turkey, hogs, dove, quail, \$1,195 per acre.

112 Acres, wooded and cleared, very large canyon on property, hills, older mobile home with CHA and older frame house. SOLD turkey, hogs, dove, duck, quail. \$145,600.

116 Acres on large creek, wooded with oaks, large field in the middle, good for cattle or hunting. Deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, \$221,555.

124 Acres with nice fifth wheel camper, mostly wooded with oak trees, 2 fields, big hill and other elevation changes, creek, 2 ponds, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail and duck. 221,555.

151 Acres 75% open in fields with coastal and other grasses, 25% wooded with oak trees, 3 ponds, 6 water wells. Wildlife includes deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, \$196,490.

151 Acres with house, mostly wooded with oaks and mesquite, several smaller fields, creeks, hills, 3 water wells, 3 ponds, 3 buildings. Deer, turkey, hogs, dove, duck, quail. \$220,163.

160 Acres, mostly pecan orchard, approximately 80 acres of pecan trees, 60 acres of oak timber, 20 acres open grass land. SOLD on in the oak timber, water well, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, duck, quail, \$236,000.

275 Acres mostly wooded with oaks, hills, creek, 2 ponds, water well, very nice property, wildlife includes deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail, \$328,625.

421 Acres with home 2-story, 5 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, swimming pool, large metal barn with pens, 12-acre lake, large creek, wooded.

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Attractive and clean, 2 year old 40' x 50' bldg., corner property with Interstate access. Covered front porch and pavilion with ample parking, drive thru shop, parts counter, showroom, 2 half baths and mini kitchen. 5 lots. Call for details.

3 commercial buildings and a carport on several lots. \$39,500. Call for details.

Downtown building with approx. 5700 sq. ft. plus more sq. footage upstairs for storage. Call for details.

HOMES

Only 17,000 for this 2 BR, 1 bath home. Call for details.

2 BR, 1 bath home on corner property with storm windows, some wood floors, large oak trees, attached garage and fenced backyard, \$25,000.

3 BR, 1 3/4 bath home, carpet just installed, large carport w/attached storage, corner lot, large trees, Reduced to \$26,500.

3 BR, 2 bath home with storm windows, large kitchen, large trees, \$27,500.

Large 2 BR, 1 bath home. Could be arranged for a third BR, separate DR, detached garage with extra storage, many large oak trees, 1 1/2 lots, \$32,000.

2 BR, 1 bath home with storm windows, large carport, separate double carports, storage building and plenty of space to add more on these 1/2 acre lots, \$32,000.

3 BR, 1 1/2 bath home, CHA, large lot, large carport, storage bldg., privacy fence, corner property, \$36,000.

3 BR 2 bath home, CHA, vinyl siding, large lot, large trees, 6 ft chainlink fence, backyard, oversized double garage, \$36,000.

3 BR, 1 1/2 bath home with CHA, large LR and master BR, small office, fenced backyard, large trees, storage building, \$53,000.

2 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick veneer home with CHA, WBFP, storm windows, attached garage, covered patio, backyard fenced, detached room with full bath, small shop, \$55,000.

3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick veneer home with CHA, large lot, large trees, attached double garage, large trees, fenced backyard, \$55,000.

Need extra lots for kids or animals? Call about this 3 BR, 2 bath with CHA on 24 lots, \$59,500.

3 BR, 1 3/4 bath home, brick veneer, large lot, large trees, storm windows, CHA, attached 2 car garage, double carport, fenced backyard, \$62,500.

Large 3 BR, 2 bath home, (recently built) with 2 family rooms, CHA, wooden deck, double carport, 2 storage buildings and shop or game room. Fenced backyard, corner property. 4BR, 2 bath, 2 story home with lots of character and space, separate DR, LR and den, 2 CH/CA units, vinyl siding, storm windows, jacuzzi, double carport plus single carport, workshop, many large oak trees, 151' x 270' lot. Also has mobile home hookups.

3 BR, 2 bath brick veneer home with CHA, large rooms, office, many nice ash cabinets, WBFP, triple pane windows on 2 acres, just outside Cisco city limits.

LAKE CISCO

Well maintained, 3 BR, 1 bath home with vinyl siding, covered patio, 2 storage bldgs., covered boat dock with boat lift, large trees, \$62,500.

Recently built, attractive 2 BR, 1 bath home with CHA, granite cabinets, large deck, many live oak trees, storage building, covered boat dock, \$62,500.

Must See! Large 4 BR, 1 3/4 bath 2 story home, 2 CHA units, fireplace, several extra closets, balcony off master BR, large oak trees, large lot, large trees, covered boat dock.

Beautifully landscaped front yard and backyard surrounds this large beautiful 2 story, 3 BR, 4 bath home with WBFP and 2 CH/CA units, many nice cabinets and builtins. Garage, boat dock, 2 decks, plant room, sprinkler system, many large oak trees. Great view of the lake, unique 2 BR, 1 3/4 bath home surrounded by large oak trees, attached double garage with extra storage on 9 lots, yard is landscaped and fenced, covered boat dock with 2 boat slips. Call for details.

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Coffee & Donuts.....10:45 a.m.
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Wednesday Night Bible Study...6:30 p.m.

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