

1996 Baird Fall Cowboy Gathering and First Annual Big Bird Cook-Off

The Fall Cowboy Gathering and first annual Big Bird Cookoff will be held October 12 and 13. A full weekend scheduled is planned.

On Saturday, Oct. 12, the festivities will kick off with a parade downtown at 11:00 a.m., lineup for parade begins at 10:00 a.m. at the baseball field. A Barbecue lunch will begin at 12 noon, brisket with all the trimmings will be \$5.00 per plate. There will be a fireman's pumper polo race beginning at 2:00 p.m. There will be arts and crafts booths, and concession vendors, and you can shop and browse the Antique Shops in downtown Baird, the "Antique Capital of West Texas." To end the day, festivities there will be a street dance featuring the band "8 Seconds", winner of this year's KEAN Country Show-down. The dance will be from 8:00 p.m. till 12 midnight. Admission to the dance is \$8.00 per couple and \$5.00 single, no glass containers will be allowed at the dance.

On Sunday, Oct. 13, the morning will start off with a "Cowboys For Christ" church service in the Old Arches downtown at 10:00 a.m. Booths will open at 11:00 a.m., and the Big Bird Fajita and Chili

Cookoff judging will begin at 12 noon. This is a new event for this year's festivities. This is open to all cooking teams who would like to try their hand at cooking Emu meat for Fajitas and/or Chili. Judging will be in both categories with cash prizes awarded to the top three in each category. Entry fee is \$10 for each category, 5 lbs. of Emu meat for each category will be furnished. For \$2 the public may purchase a ticket that will let you sample every contestants entry in both categories, and you can discover for yourself the great taste of Emu meat. All entrants in the Bird Cookoff who want to, may sell hamburgers and drinks from their booths, sorry folks, but these will be beef burgers and not Emu burgers.

Starting at 1:00 p.m. there will be fiddlers contest in the Old Arches building downtown. Cash prizes will be awarded to first through sixth place in all 4 categories. Categories will be age one through 12, age 13 through 30, age 31 through 59 and age 60 and over. There is no entry fee for the fiddlers contest.

If you need further information, or if you would like to enter the Big Bird

Cookoff or the fiddlers contest, or if you would like to have a booth for this event, please contact the Baird Chamber of Commerce at 915-854-2003. They would also like to invite everyone who wishes to be a part of the parade to please call and let them know.

Child Protective Services

There will be lots and lots of winners at the Child Protective Services Board Booth at the Pecan Fest in Clyde, Saturday, October 5th!!

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Martindale Receives Certification



Mayor Jon Hardwick Presents Sargent Sue Martindale with Her Advanced Texas Peace Officer Certificate

BAIRD-Baird City Marshal Sargent Sue Martindale received her Advanced Texas Peace Officer Certificate from Baird Mayor Jon Hardwick during the City Council meeting Tuesday, September 24th. Mayor Hardwick commended Martindale for the achievement which is next to the highest level of Peace Officer Certification recognized by the State of Texas.

Martindale was quite surprised by the

presentation as Baird City Marshal Dale Coley had intercepted her certificate before she had seen it and requested her presence at the council meeting because of a complaint. The meeting was also attended by Coley, Sheriff Curtis and Deputy Sheriff Buddy Croft to help congratulate Sue for her hard work.

For Advanced Certification, a person must first achieve Basic an Intermediate Certifications, Basic

alone requires 600 hours of training. Martindale earned her Advanced Certification with 60 points (1 point = 20 hours of training)-plus 9 years of experience. The next step is Master Certification, which will require an additional 200 points.

Martindale has been with the Baird City Marshal's Department for two years. She had previously been employed by the Tarrant County Sheriffs Department.

City Council Lowers Tax Rate

By Billy Harris
The Baird City Council met in regular session Tuesday, Sept. 24, at Baird City Hall. Mayor Jon Hardwick called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. with Councilmen Brenda Mitchel, Dale Brewer, Rudy Rodriguez, Pat O'Brien, Terry Hunter and City Secretary Nancy Turnbow.

The Council unanimously approved the \$675,376.00 budget for fiscal year 1996-97, as presented by Hardwick, on a motion

by Hunter and seconded by Rodriguez. This was up some from last year's budget of \$661,398.00 due to increases in Citizens E.M.S. subsidy payments, City employees wage's and street paving.

The Tax Rate for 1996 was adopted on a motion by Mitchel and seconded by Brewer. The unanimous decision was for a rate of .544307, which is down from last year's rate of .578315. Due to an increase in local property

evaluations citizens will notice a slight increase in assessed tax amounts even with the decreased tax rate.

Other items taken care by the Council were:

City Marshal Sargeant Sue Martindale was presented with an Advanced Texas Peace Officer Certification by Mayor Hardwick.

Hardwick stated he had appointed Jim Higgins to fill the va-

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Homecoming 1996



Homecoming Queen Heather Barry Escorted by Homecoming King Jim Scott

The 1996 Homecoming Queen Heather Barry is the daughter of Bun and Rea Barry. She has been included on the all A-Honor Roll and was a member of the girls' district runner-up golf team in 1996. She has been involved in cross country and basketball. Heather has also been a member of the band for four years.

HOMECOMING COURT
Toni Vestal, a junior at Baird High School, is the daughter of Chris and Rhonda Vestal. She is involved in cross country and basketball this year. In addition, Toni is a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and has been elected junior class secretary.

Jennifer Benton, a senior, is the daughter of Daryl and Fredda Benton. Jennifer is actively involved in the athletic program at Baird High School. She has been a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and has participated in basketball, cross country, and track. For the past two years, Jennifer has been a regional qualifier in track. In addition, Jennifer has been a cheerleader for the past four years and has served as head cheerleader for the past two years. During her sophomore year, Jennifer was chosen as the class favorite and was named first run-

ner-up to Most Beautiful of Baird High School. Jennifer has also participated in the band for two years.

Kayla Hatchett, a senior at Baird High School, is the daughter of Byron and Debbie Hatchett. Kayla is also very active in the athletic program at Baird High School. She has played basketball and run track for four years. Last year Kayla was a regional qualifier in the mile run. She has played tennis for three years and has also run cross country. Because of her participation in athletics, Kayla has earned the title of Most Athletic Female of Baird School for two years. Kayla is actively involved in FFA and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. She has been a cheerleader for two years and was in the band for one year. As a freshman, Kayla was elected as the class reporter and selected as the freshman favorite. She was named Most Beautiful of Baird High School her sophomore year. Currently Kayla serves as the vice-president of the senior class.

HOMECOMING KING: JIM SCOTT
Junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Scott, Baird, and Mr. John Scott, College Station.

Jim's activities include: Sophomore Class Vice President, Varsity Football, Varsity Basketball, Varsity Baseball,



Homecoming Queen Heather Barry and Father Bun Barry

Varsity; Regional qualifier in mile relay.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Future Farmers of America.

Travis Kerbow: Senior; Son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kerbow. Activities include: Varsity football, Varsity tennis; District Champion in boys' doubles, Varsity track, Future Farmers of America-received Star Greenhand Award.

Chad Baron: Senior; Son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mendez. Activities: Varsity Football! Junior Class Vice-President.

Grand Opening Announced

By Billy Harris
Davids Hillside Flea Market announces its grand opening October 4, 5 and 6.

David Canada said he will have about 20

dealers during the grand opening and the Food Shack will be serving delicious hamburgers and hot dogs along with other items.

There will be lots of discounts and specials during these three days and all are invited to come get acquainted with the dealers. Bargains will be abundant, David said, and your support is much appreciated.

Upcoming Events Discussed at MFT Meeting

The MFT board met September 19 and September 26. All members were present.

The board agreed on continuation of six weeks movies. Last week with the help of many parents it turned out to be a success.

Several events were discussed with one being Cowboy Christmas. This year it will be December 7 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Anyone interested in renting a booth indoor with table \$20, indoor with no table \$15, outside booth with no table on day of event \$10. Please contact Sharon Jones at 854-1851 for any further questions.

The Scholastic Booth Fair is scheduled for December 7-13 (closed Sunday) in the school cafeteria. The chairperson this year is Cathy Brock. We would be glad to have any volunteers in helping us make this a successful event again this year.

The next MFT meeting is set for October 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.

Cemetery Association

The Dudley Cemetery Association will meet Saturday, October 5, at 7:00 p.m. at the Church of Christ, Highway 36. Everybody welcome.

Senior Citizen Garage Sale

The Senior Citizen Center Garage and Bake Sale will be held Saturday, October 5, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the corner of 4th and Chestnut in Baird.

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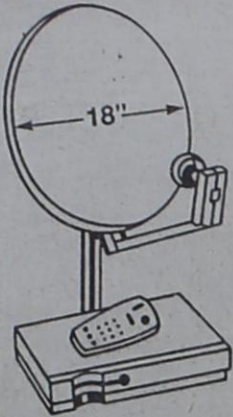
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This is the most unusual estate that we have ever been asked to dispose of at public auction. Mrs. McCleskey owned the property that the City of Eastland contracted as the city dump ground. By contractual agreement, she was the only person allowed to remove items from this dump. Everyday, starting in the early 1960's, she would pick out those items that she found interesting. The result is eleven (11) buildings full of merchandise and mounds of such things as iron bedsteads and implement wheels. We have been instructed by the heirs to sell everything there in the four days allotted.

The overwhelming volume of merchandise prevents any attempt at presorting and providing the normal typed itemized listing of the goods involved in this auction. Take a moment and visualize 30,000 cubic feet of unsorted goods and you will begin to understand why no one has ever attempted to sort it out. However, after having inspected the top layer several times, it is clear that Mrs. McCleskey had a good eye for collectibles. She particularly liked toys and small items. We have to sell the contents of more than three full buildings each day plus a wide variety of goods located all over the property. We intend to form a bucket brigade at the door of each building in turn to provide a constant supply of fresh boxes feeding three sorting tables located directly in front of the podium. Our most experienced floor crew personnel will briefly sort each box for primary items to be sold individually. The remaining contents will be offered by the boxful at periodic intervals. The pace will be constantly fast and furious for the entire four day event.

Auctioneer's note: For this auction, you will need to bring lawn chairs, boxes, newspapers and trailers. There is plenty of on site overnight parking for sold contained RV's and you can keep your same spot all four days. Concessions will be available during auction hours. Security will be present at night. Terms are cash or preapproved checks only. All sales are final and sold as is where is. This is an auction you do not want to miss. Bring a friend and a trailer because there is plenty for everyone.

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8 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Bicycles, lots of Christmas decorations, glassware, furniture, iron beds, clock, and much more. Friday & Saturday, 505 Conrad Hilton, Cisco. B40

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 108 Market St., Baird. Downtown, Saturday, Oct. 5th, 8:30-11:11? Lots of misc., some furniture, clothes-kids to adult, some XL. Please no early birds. B40

MOVING SALE: Furniture, sheets, towels, pillows, China, cookware, collectibles, some antiques, tool boxes, dog house, pick-up bed trailer, tiller for parts, chains, boomers, fence paneling, cross ties high line poles. Oct. 4th & 5th at 1300 Business I-20 West. B40

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GARAGE SALE: 416 Spruce St. Saturday. Sewing machine, vacuum cleaner, dishes, men and women's clothes, plants and lots of misc. B40

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YARD SALE: 401 Stella St. Sat., 8-2. Lots of misc. B40

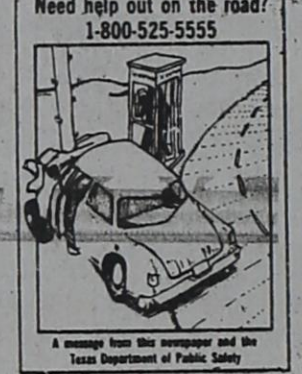
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Firearms: US model 1873 Trap Door Springfield 45-70 respecton data 1878; S & W single action second model revolver; Remington Targetmaster model 41; H&R topbreak .32 and more.

Collectibles of all kinds: unusual wooden 40 pc. dairy farm set in salesman's sample type case; Shawnee double stripe Dutch Boy cookie jar (mint); antique hay loft type hay claw hook complete with trolley patented 1889; Victorian era family album on original stand; Jewel Tea pitcher; small Hull ure & matching vase; c. 1955 Buddy; Coca-Cola truck; 36 pc. set of Thomas Ivory Bavaria Germany china; Cameo KFS rubber Popeye; (2) c. 1950 Coca-Cola store racks; goat cart; nice old pair of beaded Indian moccasins; c. 1950 tin Frito's store rack; Walter Hagan Tom Boy LI golf club; several pair of c. 1950 Texas Brand child's boots (NIB); several older kerosene lamps; 1934 Decoy board game; whiskey crocks; hand scythes; cast iron table lamp; assorted primitive boxes; Moxie bottle with original label; baby carriage; costume jewelry; collector coins & silver certificates; brass switch lock with key; plastic Marx child's vanity; mdl #2 Klaxon horn; mallard TV lamp; toy tractors & John Deere cultivator; c. 1950 Lifesavers store rack; complete 1956 US Army issue Coleman lantern; wooden lures; German coo-coo clock dated 1960 (NIB); older build a city type wooden block set; small Budweiser Clydesdale digital clock; (2) plastic Gandy's signs; nice variety of lenses; nice modern cast iron wood stove; Electric Little Modiste toy sewing machine; glass nativity scene and much more.

Auctioneer's Note: We will continue to accept quality consignments of antiques and collectibles until the day before the sale. There will be a multitude of unadvertised quality items in this auction.

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'Lord's Acre Festival' Set for November

The annual "Lord's Acre Festival," hosted by The First United Methodist Church of Baird, Texas will be held on November 16, 1996, at the Baird Elementary Cafetorium.

The event will begin with coffee and doughnuts or homemade rolls from 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon. There will be a Cake, Cookie and Homemade Candy sale and also a Holiday Craft Sale beginning at 10:00 a.m. and continuing until 7:00 p.m. A beautiful quilt will be on display at the First National Bank in Baird to be given away at the Lord's Acre Festival. Tickets for the quilt will be \$1.00 per drawing. The winner does not have to be present and will be notified.

The menu for the dinner consists of turkey, dressing and all the trimmings. The meal will be served from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Take out dinners will be available from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Call Steve Warren at 915-854-1699 to place orders for take out.

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Dogs with heartworms are being diagnosed on a regular basis in our area. 13 cases have been diagnosed since the first of the year and more cases are sure to be found before the end of the year.

Many cases would not have been found until clinical signs of heart diseases were evident, but increased awareness of the problem has increased the testing for heartworms. Our area was once to be a low incidence area, but with the rapid increase in the numbers of heartworm cases, we must take a more aggressive approach to the problem.

Heartworms are on the increase: Mild winters with increased rainfall resulting in more mosquitoes and year around exposure; Owners more aware of the problem which results in more testing of infected dogs. Heartworm checks and preventatives must be initiated to decrease the incidence of the disease.

this is such a deadly disease that it is well worth reminding owners of certain facts:

The net result of heartworm disease is the serious mechanical damage it causes to a dog's heart, lungs, liver and kidneys. But while it is stopping up kidneys and blood flow, there are few outward signs of all of the internal damage being

caused until the disease is very far along.

Mosquitoes are key carriers of heartworm disease. When an infected dog is bitten by a mosquito, blood is carried away which may include tiny, immature forms of heartworms called microfilaria.

It takes about three months for these larvae to travel through the tissues of the body to enter the heart.

Dozens of these larvae (some of which can actually become up to 14 inches long) become adults within another three months. By that time, much of the mechanical damage just mentioned has become fact.

Thanks to research and modern preventative medicine, there is a lot you can do to avoid heartworms in the first place or see that it is successfully treated if it hasn't progressed too far:

-A blood test is the only way to detect heart disease in its early stages.

-Since it's possible for an infected dog to have adult heartworms without microfilaria, an X-Ray examination and other lab tests may be needed to confirm heartworm infection.

-After the disease has progressed, symptoms can include fre-

quent coughing, sluggishness, rapid tiring and finally, labored breathing.

-If caught in time, a series of injections of an organic arsenical rug can be used to kill heartworms. Then another drug can be used to get rid of the microfilaria.

-No vaccine is available for heartworm disease, but we can give you regular doses of a drug which can prevent infective larvae from developing into adult heartworms. This can be in the form of a daily

Callahan County Recognition

Despite the threat of storms, the volunteers of Callahan County came to Baird for the annual recognition.

Sheriff Eddie Curtis of Baird and Anita Buchanan of Cross Plains presented information about the Triad Co-operation Agreement of Callahan County. Triad is the concept of cooperation to

reduce the criminal victimization of the elderly. It is a joint approach to crime issues which affect older citizens and the enhanced delivery of law enforcement services to these mature persons. Triads educate, assist, emphasize, communicate and involve seniors with law enforcement entities to develop and implement community wide solutions. Contact Eddie or Anita if you want to be a volunteer with this program.

Charles Caldwell of Clyde entertained us with his singing of many of the old favorites.

Mae Carothers was the recipient of the Clyde Volunteer of the Year Award. Mae is active at the senior center,

provides transportation and is involved with church activities.

Jeannine Elkins was designated as the

Outstanding Volunteer of Baird. She delivers meals on wheels 5 days a week and also helps

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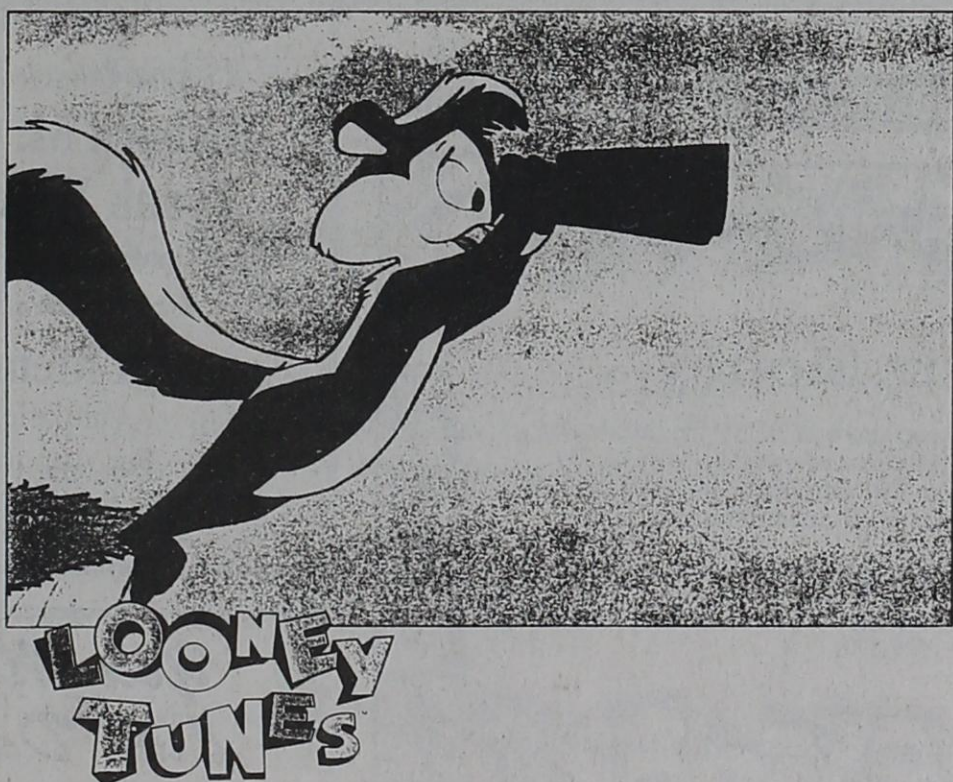
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The Baird Booster Club now has its new caps, T-Shirts, and Sweatshirts in! Caps may be purchased for \$10, T-Shirts are \$10 for youth sizes, \$12 for adult sizes and \$15 for plus sizes, Sweatshirts are \$15 for youth & adults. You may purchase any of these items at any Friday night homegame at the Bear Cave inside the football stadium, or you may contact Karen Riddle at 854-1165 or 893-2328. If you haven't been by the new Booster Clubs souvenir stand called the Bear Cave, and located underneath the South end of the bleachers, you need to stop by and see the selection of items that they have. Not only will you find caps and shirts, but you will find growl towels, scarfs, tobaggans, car flags, cushions to sit on, spirit pins, and window stickers. All kinds of unique things to show your Baird Bear Spirit! Please help support the Baird Booster Club! Our meetings are every Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. in the Ag Building, after the meeting, the coaches always show the film from the previous Friday night varsity game and with enough interested parents, they will show the JV game from Thursday night if you want them to do so. If you have a son playing football, you will really enjoy getting to see these films with the plays close up. These films are shown for your benefit and pleasure. If you haven't been to a meeting and watched what goes on, you are really missing out on watching these replays of games!!

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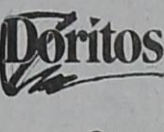
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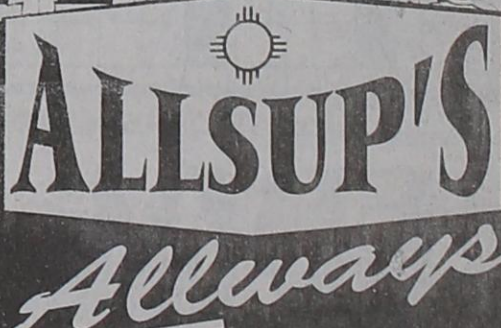
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Comedy 'The Cable Guy' To Show At Majestic Theatre This Weekend

Paramount Pictures comedy "The Cable Guy" has a mix of fun with a dark edge — zany in places and discerning in others.

Rated PG-13, this movie will open at the Majestic Theatre in Eastland on Friday, Oct. 4, and show nightly at 7:30 through Monday, Oct. 7.

Admission will be \$3.50 at the box office, with balcony seats available at \$5 to persons over 21.

In the story, Steven Kovacs (Matthew Broder-

ick) moves into a new apartment, and decides he will slip the cable guy fifty bucks and get all the movie channels for free. But he soon finds out that his Cable Guy (Jim Carrey) is not like the others.

All he wants is a friend ... and he won't take no for an answer. So Steven is about to learn there's no such thing as a free cable!

Leslie Mann, George Segal, Diane Baker and Jack Black head a strong supporting cast in "The Cable Guy," directed by



Unsuspecting cable subscriber Steven Kovacs (Matthew Broderick, R) has no idea who or what he's just invited into a life when he accepts the offer of a few free movie channels from the Cable Guy (Jim Carrey) in Columbia Pictures' comedy "The Cable Guy." This movie will open at the Majestic Theatre in Eastland next Friday, Oct. 4.

Ben Stiller.

"The Cable Guy," sees an opening in Steven's life because he has just broken up with his girlfriend and is on his own," says director Ben Stiller.

"Basically, Steven's open to psychos because he can't say no," explains Jim Carrey, who stars as the strange yet charismatic Cable Guy.

"And that's a problem that many people have — not being able to tell someone when they're invading your space.

"Even when Steven tries to say no, the Cable Guy knows how to manipulate him and get him around that no. He will keep banging at the door until he finds a way."

Carrey, who has created some of today's most memorable screen characters, sees "The Cable Guy" as a chance to play both sides of the sanity fence.

"I love the danger of him," says the actor. "You

can never really figure this guy out. He has this fantasy about what life should be from his being raised exclusively by television.

"His idea of a perfect family unit is 'My Three Sons.' He is a master manipulator who sets his sights on Steven for friendship."

The film finished three months of production on the soundstages of the Sony Picture lot after shooting exteriors in Los Angeles communities such as Hancock Park, Pasadena and Culver City.

There are several amazing stunts in the picture, including a high fall from a satellite dish and radio tower in the mountains of Angeles National Forest above the San Fernando Valley.

The scene had to be played out with water and wind swirling around the performers. No fun — but one way to earn your pay in Hollywood.

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Service Academy Applications Are Currently Being Accepted

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm is currently accepting applications from young men and women in the 17th Congressional District who are interested in attending one of the nation's service academies.

This December Congressman Stenholm will have the opportunity to nominate area citizens for appointments to the four U.S. academies: the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Co.; the Military Academy in West Point, N.Y.; the Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md.; and the Merchant Marine Academy in Kings Point, N.Y.

Persons interested in the possible nominations should contact the Congressman's San Angelo office as soon as possible. The deadline for completed application files is December 1, 1996.

To be eligible for an appointment, the appli-

cant must meet certain requirements. The requirements are: American citizenship; good SAT or ACT scores; outstanding high school record; and good physical condition, including excellent eyesight. There is a very limited number of waivers for non-pilot candidates whose eyesight is less than 20/20.

Aside from academic achievement, emphasis is also placed on character, church and community involvement, extra-curricular activities and/or part-time employment. Applicants must be single with no dependents and at least 17 years of age, but not past their 22nd birthday upon admission into the academy on July 1, 1997.

Additional information may be obtained from high school guidance counselors or by contacting Jayne Schoonmaker in Congressman Stenholm's San

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along the way.
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We are always searching but for what.

His presence seems so far away,

And all hope seems to be lost.

And then He touched me,

And I felt His presence so near.

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That it was I that left Him.

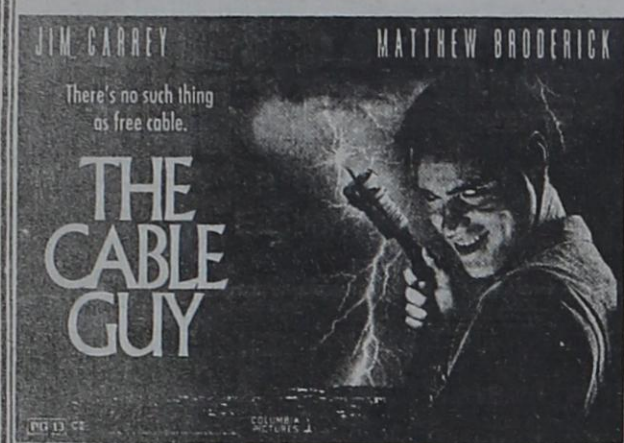
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1 19th Amendment beneficiaries	44 "Monopoly" card	19 Plaster of Paris on which one paints
6 Actress Wray	47 Carville's stopover	21 Purpose
9 A bit awry	52 Model Carol	22 Not neg.
12 Cognizant	53 Mamie's man	24 Fluffy neckwear
13 Barcelona	54 Bring about	26 Eastern temple
bravo	55 Napoleonic marshal	28 "Fidelio," e.g.
14 A.F.L. partner	56 Each	30 Addressee
15 Tend a stubborn knot	57 "— no questions..."	32 Atlanta-based attorney
16 New Testament opener	DOWN	33 One of the Gabors
18 Bets both ways	1 Conflict	34 Harrison or Reed
20 Remark from Jack Benny	2 Have debts	36 Oklahoman
21 Wire service abbr.	3 Decathlon champ in 1948 and 1952	38 Madison Ave. employee
23 Longing	4 One of HOMES	39 Fraser of tennis fame
24 Hitchcock antagonists	5 Indigent	40 Pier
25 Daytime TV entry	6 Instigate	42 Places in the heart
27 Milkmaid's perch	7 "Oh, woe!"	45 Tour de France entry
29 Pieces of Lamb?	8 Nevertheless	46 A lo-o-o-ong time
31 Golf's first \$1,000,000 winner	9 Yellow-brown hue	48 Backtalk
35 Christmas entree	10 She played Forrest Gump's mother	50 Bottom line
37 Be frugal	11 Chicks and ducks and geese	51 Uno, due, —
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11th Court Of Appeals

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Appeals, Eleventh District of Texas on Sept. 26, 1996:

Affirmed

Willie David Suel v. State of Texas, Taylor. (Opinion by Justice Wright). (Panel consists of: Chief Justice Arnot, Justice Dickenson, and Justice Wright)

Ronald Lee Johnson v. State of Texas, Dallas. (Opinion by Justice Wright). (Panel consists of: Chief Justice Arnot, Justice Dickenson, and Justice Wright)

Benny Frank Toland v. State of Texas, Dallas. (Per Curiam Opinion)

Benny Frank Toland v. State of Texas, Dallas. (Per Curiam Opinion)

Motions Submitted & Granted; Appeals Dismissed

Melinda Perez v. State of Texas, Harris. Appellant's motion to dismiss appeal. (Per Curiam Opinion)

Ex Parte Robert Vanderventer, Comanche. Appellant's motion to dismiss appeal. (Per Curiam Opinion)

Appeals Abated

Kerry Michael Monte v. State of Texas, Hunt. (Per Curiam Order)

Adrian Dwayne Ayers v. State of Texas, Harris. (Per Curiam Order)

Harold Lewis Cooper v.

Answers to King Crossword

WOMEN	FAY	OFF
AWARE	OLE	CIO
RETTIE	MATTHEW	
HEDGES	WELL	
UPI	YEN	BIRDS
SOAP	STOOL	
ESSAYS	PALMER	
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State of Texas, Harris. (Per Curiam Order)

Monika Jessie Ruiz v. State of Texas, Harris. (Per Curiam Order)

Motions Submitted & Granted

Christopher L. Jones v. State of Texas, Dallas. State's third motion for extension of time to file brief.

Christopher L. Jones v. State of Texas, Dallas. State's third motion for extension of time to file brief.

Max Melvin Walck, Jr. v. State of Texas, Taylor. Appellant's third motion for extension of time to file brief.

Gerald Lee Chadwick v. State of Texas, Brown. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

In re: R.A.J., R.L.T., P.R.T., and B.T., Taylor. Appellee's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Martha Whitehead, State Treasurer of the State of Texas v. Craig Johnson, Fisher. Appellee's second motion for extension of time to file brief.

Jim Russell Paugh a/k/

a James Paugh v. State of Texas, Harris. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief. Appellant's counsel's motion to withdraw as counsel on appeal.

Michael Jones v. State of Texas, Dallas. Appellant's motion for permission to file late brief.

Brian E. Salazar v. State of Texas, Harris. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file brief.

William Edward Planter v. State of Texas, Harris. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

Jose Alfredo Cruz v. State of Texas, Harris. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

Jose Delossantos Cortes v. State of Texas, Harris. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Rick Rumpfelt and Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. v. Jere-

Andrews Enrique Ortiz v. State of Texas, Harris. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Steven Strickland v. State of Texas, Howard. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file brief.

Linda Jean Alvarez v. William Kyle Reiser, Harris. Appellee's (unopposed) motion for extension of time to file brief.

Richard Anthony Thorson v. State of Texas, Chambers. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

Michael Lois Brooks v. State of Texas, Taylor. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

Patricia Layman v. State of Texas et al., Howard. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Rick Rumpfelt and Wal-

miah McKinzie, Anderson. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

In the matter of A.G., Harris. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Benjamin Gomez Martinez v. State of Texas, Anderson. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Richard Blessing v. State of Texas, Nacogoches. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file brief.

Ronald Parks v. State of Texas, Smith. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

Henderson County Appraisal District et al v. HL Farm Corporation, Henderson. Appellants' motion to correct statement of facts. Appellants' motion to substitute parties. Appellants' motion to retain case and order filing. Appellants' motion for extension of time to file brief.

Kimberly Dawn Craven v. Scott Edward Craven, Rusk. Appellant's motion to continue appeal.

Motion Submitted & Overruled

Cassandra Ann Andras v. State of Texas, Harris. Appellant's motion to withdraw as counsel for appellant or to abate the

Brownwood Seminar To Detail Increased Benefits For Texas Veterans

Did you know Texas veterans now have \$110,000 in special low-interest loans available for the purchase of a home, land, or to make home improvements?

That's the message the

Texas Veterans Land Board (VLB) is bringing to Brownwood on Thursday, Oct. 10, when the VLB hosts a public seminar on the special state benefits exclusively for Texas veterans.

The seminar is set for 6:30 p.m. at the Adam Street Community Center, 511 E. Adams Street, in Brownwood. Registration begins at 6 p.m.

"The Veterans Land and Housing Programs have never been more popular than they are today," said Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro. "And there's no question that Brown, Callahan, and surrounding counties are very attractive places to buy land or build a home. The beauty and affordability of this area combined with a strong regional economy make it a great place to raise a family or start a small business."

The VLB recently increased the maximum amount of a VLB land loan from \$20,000 to \$40,000. This means veterans who want to buy land will now have the option of borrowing \$20,000 at 6.65 or

appeal and remand to trial court.

Cases Submitted

Thomas Ray, Jr. v. State of Texas, Dallas.

Gary Lee Green v. State of Texas, Dallas.

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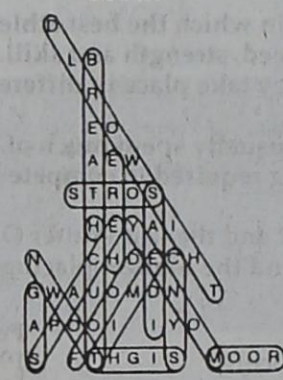
Uni Y. Kano v. State of Texas, Dallas.

Jason Boyd v. State of Texas, Taylor.

Jerry Claud Mitchell v. State of Texas, Erath.

Barney B. Arnold v. Sue Arnold Eaton, Jones.

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Mauro, who serves as chairman of the VLB, said the increase in benefits means veterans now have \$110,000 in special low-interest loan benefits to use.

"I want to urge every veteran and real estate professional to attend this seminar and find out more about these outstanding programs that have enabled more than 150,000 Texas veterans to buy a home, land or make needed home improvements," Mauro said.

Mauro said the VLB currently has more than \$100 million available for direct home loans at rates as low as 6.0 and 6.5 percent interest.

"The Texas veterans home loan program is far and away the best deal in today's home buying market," Mauro said. "And Texas veterans are responding in record numbers to rates that are way below the current market. These programs can offer you substantial savings on a 15 and 30-year mortgage and allow you to get more home for your money."

Mauro said there are more than 10,600 veterans in Brown, Coleman, Callahan, Eastland, Comanche, Mills and surrounding counties that are eligible for the special state benefits but have never taken the time to get the details of these outstanding programs.

The seminar is free and open to the public. Those attending will be able to get the latest information on the state's three unique low-interest programs for Texas veterans.

"Recent legislation which increased the maximum amount of a VLB home loan to \$45,000 greatly improved Texas veterans benefits," Mauro said. "But Texans are not limited to homes costing \$45,000 or less."

"Veterans who want to buy a home costing more can combine a VLB loan with an FHA, VA or conventional loan to get a lower interest rate," Mauro said.

"No other state has anything that compares with these special benefits," Commissioner Mauro added. "It's a special Texas way of saying 'thanks' to our veterans for the sacrifices they've made in the service of our country."

Golf Scramble Results At Lakeside Club

The 18 Hole Golf Scramble held on Sunday, Sept. 29th at Lakeside Golf Club, Eastland ended with the following team members shooting 15 under par:

Joe Heyser from Cisco, Roy Gevara from Eastland, Bobby Knight from Breckenridge, Pat Knight from Breckenridge, Ed Clark from Cisco and Fran Clark from Cisco.

There were two Closest to Pin winners: Hole #3- Fran Clark; Hole #16- Elva Jimenez.

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Just kidding



1. What do you call a mean-tempered horse?
2. Where do fish sleep?
3. What is a chimp's favorite snack?
4. How does a basketball player keep cool?
5. What is it called when a boy banana and a girl banana don't like each other anymore?

Answers:
 1. A nightmare!
 2. In a waterbed!
 3. Chocolate chip cookies.
 4. By standing by a fan.
 5. Banana split.

OLYMPIC RECORDS

The Olympics are a series of sporting events in which the best athletes in the world participate. They compete either on their own or as a member of a team in games of speed, strength and skill. The Games are held every two years, alternating between Winter Olympics and Summer Olympics. They take place in different cities around the world.

Athletes who compete in the Olympics have usually spent much of their lives training and practicing. It takes many years to develop the skill and physical conditioning required to compete in these special events.

The last Summer Olympics were held in 1992 and the last Winter Olympics were held in 1994. Listed below are some of the 1992 Summer Olympic gold medal winners and the highest placing American winner in each event.

Archery (Men's Individual)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Sebastien Flute (France)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Jay Barrs (5th place)

Badminton (Men's Singles)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Alan Budi Kusuma (India)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Chris Jogis (3rd place)

Baseball
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Cuba
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Team U.S.A. (4th place)

Basketball (Men's)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team U.S.A.

Boxing (Heavyweight)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Felix Savon (Cuba)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Danell Nicholson (3rd place)

Canoe (Men's C-2 Whitewater Slalom)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Scott Strausbaugh/Joe Jacobi (U.S.A.)

Cycling (Men's 1-km Time Trial)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Jose Moreno (Spain)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Erin Hartwell (3rd place)

Diving (Women's Platform)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Fu Mingxia (China)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Mary Ellen Clark (3rd place)

Equestrian (Individual Jumping)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Ludger Beerbaum/Classic Touch (Germany)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Norman Dello Joio/Irish (3rd place)

Field Hockey (Men's)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Germany
 U.S.A. did not qualify

Gymnastics (Women's Team)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Unified Team
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Team U.S.A. (3rd place)

Judo (Men's Half Middleweight)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Hidehiko Yoshida (Japan)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Jason Morris (2nd place)

Pentathlon (Team)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Poland
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Team U.S.A. (4th place)

Rowing (Women's Single Sculls)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Elisabeta Lipa (Romania)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Anne Marden (4th place)

Shooting (Women's Smallbore Rifle)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Launi Meili (U.S.A.)

Soccer
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Spain
 U.S.A. eliminated in first round

Swimming (Men's 50-m Freestyle)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Alexander Popov (Unified Team)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Matt Biondi (2nd place)

Swimming (Women's 50-m Freestyle)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Yang Wenyi (China)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Angel Martino (3rd place)

Tennis (Men's Singles)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Marc Rosset (Switzerland)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Pete Sampras/Jim Courier (Tie—3rd place)

Tennis (Women's Doubles)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Gigi Fernandez/Mary Joe Fernandez (U.S.A.)

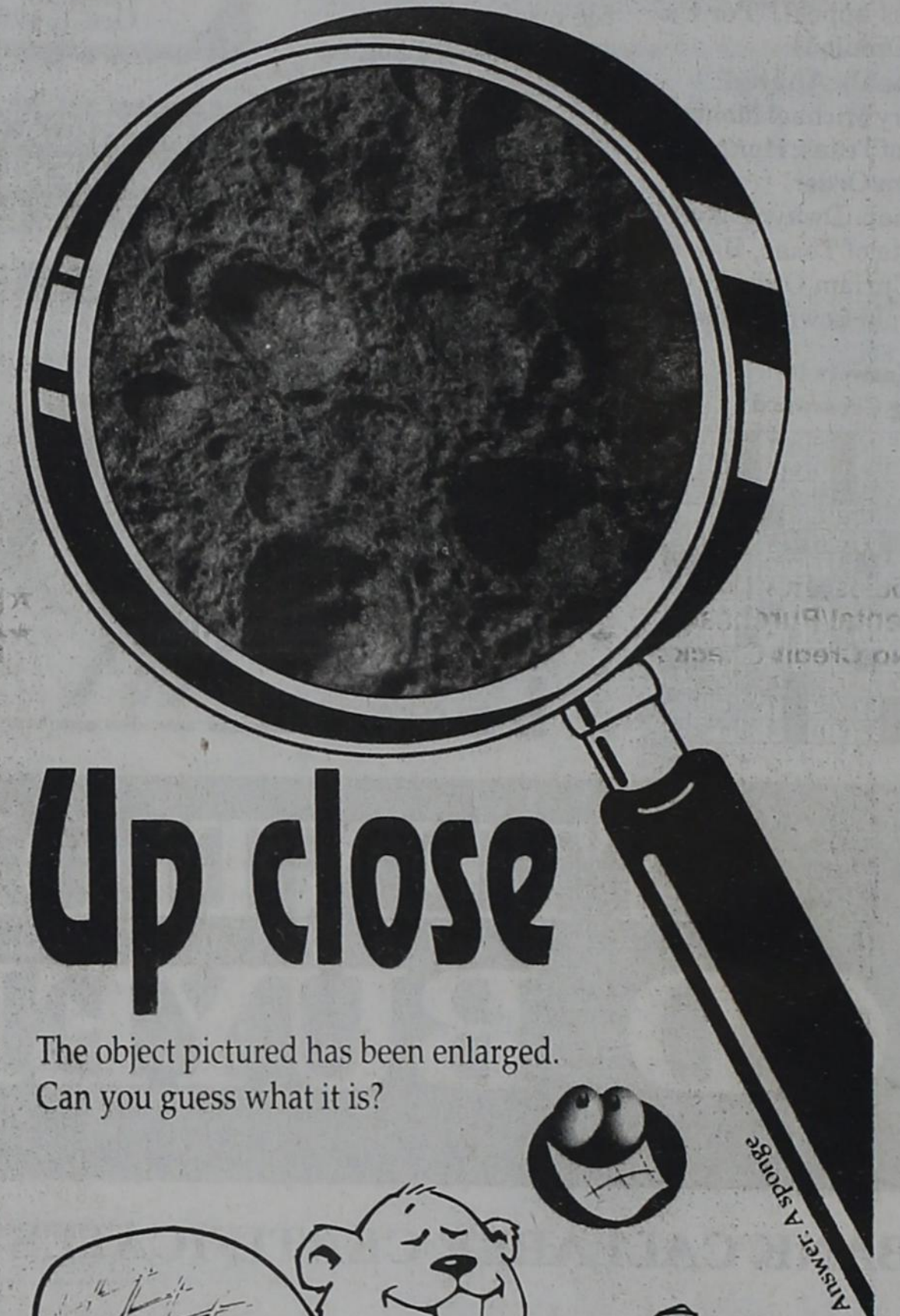
Track & Field (Men's 200 Meters)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Mike Marsh (U.S.A.)

Volleyball (Women's)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Cuba
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Team U.S.A. (3rd place)

Weight Lifting (243+ lbs.)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Alexandre Kourlovitch (Unified Team)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Mario Martinez (8th place)

Wrestling (136 lbs. Freestyle)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: John Smith (U.S.A.)

Yachting (Finn Division)
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Jose Van Der Ploeg (Spain)
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Brian Ledbetter (2nd place)

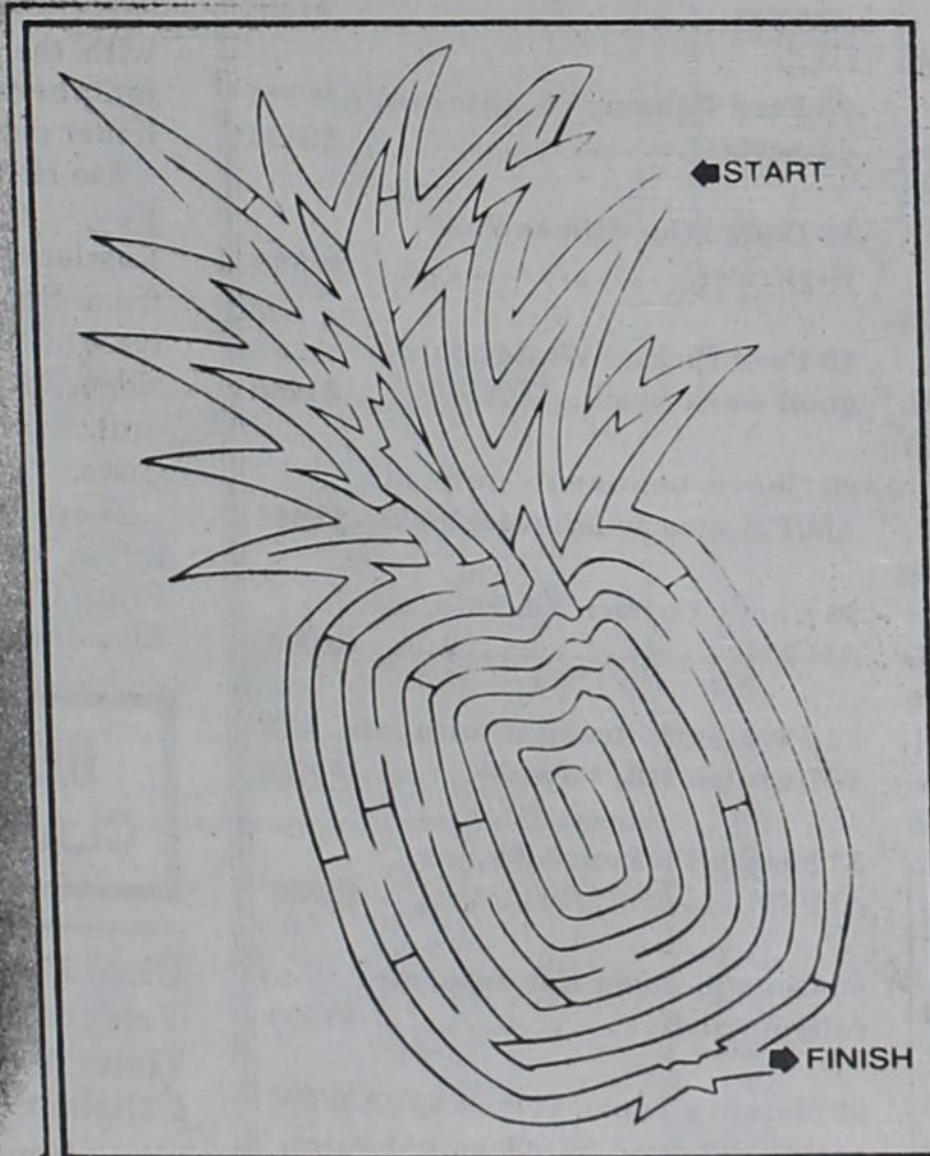


Up close

The object pictured has been enlarged. Can you guess what it is?



Maze



At The Pool

By Martha J. Morrison, Candor, NY



Nicole, Michelle, Kaitlynn and Tina met at the pool. Each carried a towel (one pink, one aqua, one blue and one white) which was rolled with something inside. One girl had sunglasses, another had a radio, the third had suntan lotion and the last had a book. Use the clues to find out which girl's towel was blue and who had the sunglasses. Use the grid to help you. Put an "X" in each incorrect box and an "O" in each correct box.

1. Michelle's towel had a pattern of flamingos in a shade darker than the background color.
2. Tina forgot her glasses and couldn't use what she brought.
3. Kaitlynn's towel was neither blue nor white.
4. The cap was loose on the suntan lotion and some of it spilled on the aqua towel while its owner was walking to the pool.
5. Everyone used what Nicole brought at the same time.
6. The book was not in the blue towel.

	Sunglasses	Radio	Lotion	Book	Pink	Aqua	Blue	White
Nicole								
Michelle								
Kaitlynn								
Tina								

Answer: Nicole had the sunglasses.

Mailbox Express Classified Section

Sunday, September 29, 1996

HOMES

62+ ac. - NE Rising Star, 1/2 cult., like new fence 2 sides, 2 small tanks, lots Rd. front, \$550 ac., good terms or would lease. Agent own.

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C82

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T79

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HELP WANTED

WANTED- Part time help to care for 1 year old in our home. Hours will vary. Resume and local references should be mailed to: In Home Care P.O. Box 332, Eastland, TX 76448. Must have phone and own transportation and be non-smoker.
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HELP WANTED: Paid Nursery Worker needed for First Baptist Church. Ranger. 5 1/2 hours a week plus extra time for special occasions. Pick up application at church office and you may leave it there.
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Eastland Flag Football Standings

SFL (1st & 2nd grades)	Bears 20, Raiders 6
1. Raiders- 2 wins, 1 lose	MFL
1. Aggies- 2 wins, 1 lose	Longhorns 18, Bears 0
1. Bears- 2 wins, 1 lose	Mustangs 14, Raiders 8
4. Mustangs- 0 wins, 3 loses	Longhorns 20, Razorbacks 2
MFL (3rd & 4th grades)	BFL
1. Longhorns- 4 wins, 0 loses	Mustangs 12, Raiders 6
2. Raiders- 2 wins, 2 loses	Longhorns 20, Bears 6
3. Razorbacks- 2 wins, 2 loses	Razorbacks 25, Aggies 6
4. Mustangs- 1 win, 2 loses	This Week's (September 28th) Schedule:
5. Bears- 0 wins, 3 loses	9:00 a.m. (SFL) Raiders vs. Mustangs
BFL (5th & 6th grades)	10:10 a.m. (SFL) Aggies vs. Bears
1. Mustangs- 3 wins, 0 loses	11:20 a.m. (MFL) Bears vs. Mustangs
1. Longhorns- 3 wins, 0 loses	12:30 p.m. (MFL) Longhorns vs. Razorbacks
3. Aggies- 1 win, 2 loses	1:40 p.m. (MFL) Raiders vs. Bears
3. Raiders- 1 win, 2 loses	2:50 p.m. (BFL) Aggies vs. Mustangs
3. Razorbacks- 1 win, 2 loses	4:00 p.m. (BFL) Razorbacks vs. Longhorns
6. Bears- 0 wins, 3 loses	5:10 p.m. (BFL) Bears vs. Raiders
Saturday's (Sept. 21) Results:	
SFL	Aggies 20, Mustangs 6

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Eastland

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YARD SALE:

Saturday, Sept. 28, 8-5. Lots of good stuff - something for everyone: toys, children's clothes, household goods, tools, set of shower doors, etc. County Road 309 (go south from Eastland on Hwy 6, less than 3 miles south of I-20, left on County Road 309, first house on right). T78

Ranger

YARD SALE: Ranger-Sat., 8-5. 1 ml. past school-Hwy. 80 East. Watch for flags. Shelves carpet, new chain saw, men's & women's clothes, hunting clothes, sleeping bags, kitchen items, antiques, junk, etc. Come & see. T78

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The family of Dessie "Johnnie" Johnson

wishes to thank friends and family for all the beautiful flowers, cards and food sent after the loss of our mother. We would like to thank Tim Culpepper for the singing, Judy Culpepper for the music. Tommy Woody and Michelle Greer for the service, First Baptist Church for the dinner. A special thanks to Dr. Alexander for his care and concern for our mother in the Eastland and Abilene hospital. Thanks to Frances Casey and family for all the flowers and food sent. Words cannot express our feelings for our mother's neighbor and friend Mildred and Leonard Vaughn. Thanks for being there each time for us. Thanks to Pam Rose for riding in the ambulance to Abilene with our mother. And to Outreach for all the help they gave us. Thanks to Humpty Dumpty Day Care kids and staff for the flowers and time given. May God Bless each of you. Robert Johnson Geraldine Greer & Family James Johnson & Family Glenda Garrett & Family Sue McInis & Family T78

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One Contrary Vote Doesn't Diminish Stenholm Support

Editorial

Notice: to those offended by the earlier flag amendment vote -- we feel your frustration! There were circumstances that influenced Cong. Charles Stenholm's vote on the flag-burning issue. His vote displeased many.

There are probably viable reasons why he voted diametrically opposite to how we thought he should have voted on the insurance/health care measure which passed and was signed into law a couple of weeks ago.

Frustration? Yes. But not sufficient to diminish our belief in Charlie Stenholm or dilute our support for him. This was but one of many votes, and although the way he voted on it didn't please us, we're not going to give up on him. There will be other votes and other opportunities to correct the inequities that exist in the area that we are concerned with. His staff has already heard of our displeasure and so will he when we visit again. And he will listen. And he will explain why he did what he did. And hopefully, we'll understand. But more importantly, he will be able to help "fix the problem" in the future.

Able because of his true concern for all of the people in this country and especially the people in his 17th District, and able because of his valuable seniority in the United State House of Representatives. This time, like most times, is the time when experience, standing and weight are so valuable in the legislative process so valuable to this country, and the world's future.

Cong. Stenholm is a low key person. We don't read his name or his pronouncements a lot in the national media, but those who know him, know that he is what the old-time farmers used to call the "lead horse," the one that could be depended on day in and day out. Methodically, he does his job. He isn't the one who bolts at the least distraction or attracts attention in fits and starts, but the one who pulls most of the load until the field is finished.

Charlie's votes are a lot like those of many independent voters. And in spite of our present frustration, we know that he votes his convictions and in a manner that will be most beneficial to the most people in the long run.

His Republican friends, here and elsewhere, like him and the way he serves; they just wish he'd change his party label. He won't, because he is grounded in the old-time Democratic philosophy that so many adhere to. Some of his votes do not always please some of his modern-day Democratic friends who sometimes think, falsely, that he's a turncoat to the party. He certainly isn't.

We have pondered in these columns here earlier how the presidential voting will affect the other races down the ballot, and at this time, that's still a big question. Control of Congress is also of great concern nationwide.

Regardless of who wins the presidency, we believe that it is imperative that Cong. Charles Stenholm and those of his standing and strength be retained in office to help guide and lead our nation. Therefore we wholeheartedly endorse the re-election of Charles Stenholm to Congress. --HVO.

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Not taking advantage of a 401(k) plan or an IRA. One of your best investment options is your 401(k) plan at work, especially if your company matches your contributions. Invest the maximum you can afford to set aside, and enjoy tax-deferred savings for your retirement. If you reach the maximum in your 401(k) and can still afford to save more, contribute to an IRA too. Even though the contribution may not be tax-deductible, the earnings will grow sheltered from tax. And if you're not eligible for a 401(k) plan, put all you can into an IRA.

Not understanding what "guaranteed" means. If you buy a guaranteed investment, know what kind of guarantee you are buying. For example, bonds may be insured against default. But that doesn't mean their value won't fall below your purchase price during the life of the bonds. If you sell before maturity, you could sell at a loss.

Not preparing or updating your will. All your careful planning can be wiped out if you don't have a will or fail to keep it updated. Estate planning doesn't just minimize estate taxes -- it makes sure that your assets are left to the people you choose. This mistake can have a huge dollar impact, yet it's relatively easy and inexpensive to avoid.

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Wendy Gramm shaking hands with Joe Stewart, local Chairman of the Republican Party, along with area merchants in front of Eastland Drug.

Wendy Gramm Visits Eastland Merchants

Wendy Gramm, wife of Texas Senator Phil Gramm, visited Eastland Friday for a walking tour of some of the downtown merchants. Mrs. Gramm is the former Chairman of the U.S. Commodity Trading Commission under Presidents Reagan and Bush. As Chairman of the committee Mrs. Gramm promoted less government intrusion in America's financial matters. She also

fought for the Republican philosophy of reducing the cost of government regulations imposed on Americans.

After leaving Eastland Mrs. Gramm was traveling to Albany to be present at the ribbon cutting ceremony for the new EBBA Iron factory. Mrs. Gramm's husband is seeking re-election to the Senate in the November election.

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Ceremony began with Mrs. Pruett introducing Mr. Jerry Jackson who gave the Invocation and Eastland County Judge Scott Bailey, Master of Ceremonies. SSG Lister and SSG Alvarez of the Texas Army National Guard Company B 11th Engineer Battalion, Mineral Wells posted the Colors and the Pledge of the Allegiance was led by Adam Lopez, Jr. after which the crowd sang the National Anthem led by J.R. Hunt.

Judge Bailey in his introduction said "we'll never see an occasion like this again in our time... when you come out here... and reconstruct history like it was in 1917 and 18". He recognized several dis-

tinguished guests "not necessarily in order of their importance". W.G. "Dub" Shivers the derrick builder who supervised and assisted historical society volunteers to erect the derrick, news media, Eastland County Precinct 2 Commissioner Calvin Ainsworth, J.J. Finley and Clinton Eaton, All the North Ridge Corporation Crew for the project: Jack Lowrance, Joe Martin, Jackie Conger, Phillip Tucker, Cecil Robertson and Kevin Nelson, Jerry Speer, The Bilhartz family, W.K. Gordon family, families of John Tillman and Daniel E. McCleskey sons of J.H. McCleskey, and Judge Stephen F. Preslar.

Judge Bailey also recognized the donor of the 1.5 acre site to the historical society, Eastland Attorney Jim Farrar reading his note to Mrs. Pruett: "I regret that I will be unable to attend the dedication of the McCleskey No.1 derrick due to a prior commitment. I would love to be present on this auspicious occasion. As I have indicated to you in the past, it was both a privilege and a pleasure to be in a position to donate the property surrounding the McCleskey No. 1 to the Historical Society. It was an opportunity that was 'laid at my doorstep' by Divine Providence, and I am most grateful that the concerned citizens of Ranger were willing to

tackle the daunting task of creating a fitting tribute to the pioneers of the Texas oil and gas industry. Congratulations to you and the other volunteers who have given their blood, sweat and tears to this project. Thanks to you, future generations will be able to contemplate and commemorate the rugged individualism that created an empire of prosperity where none existed before. Yours very truly, Jim Farrar".

Jim Bilhartz, representing North Ridge Corporation donor of the vintage equipment, and current operator of the Ranger Oil Field said "the Ranger Field remains one of the greatest oil fields ever found... that of the 140 million barrels discovered here only 40 million barrels have been produced to this day. At this moment you're standing on top of a field where 100 million

barrels remain tapped less than a mile below our feet".

Elzie and Jeane Pruett sang "The Old Rusty Wagon", a song fitting the times of the oil boom.

Eastland Attorney Saul Pullman, legal advisor for the Society said when the members "came to me with a dream, I told them it couldn't be done...but you don't say no to these folks...they're doers". When he checked the Internet for Ranger, it is noted "when oil booms are recalled, Ranger is number one. He then said "I dedicate the McCleskey No. 1 located on the original site, in hopes that the whole world in the future will have the opportunity to come here and enjoy what we're doing here today." Scott Harper, Ranger High School Junior, youngest member of the society and worker on the derrick accepted "the derrick and rig for future generations".

Jerry Jackson presented plaque for the first inductees into the newly formed Ranger Hall of Fame. Ruth

Terry Denney, plaque accepted by Bill Bourdeau and William Knox Gordon accepted by his grandson William Knox Gordon III. Persons are afforded this honor "IN RECOGNITION FOR SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CITY OF RANGER, TEXAS OVER ITS HISTORY". Portraits or photos of inductees will be on display in the society's Ruth Terry Denney Library. Two persons will be inducted into the Ranger Hall of Fame each year and will be announced at a Society function.

Special guest speaker was Ruben Moreland-Ochoa of the Texas Historical Commission who spoke of the importance of preserving local history. He said "it's quite humbling to be in the spot just the idea in 1917 on this very spot something very remarkable happened". He applauded the volunteers for their work. "When it comes to the point of actually preserving your local his-

tory, it's an excellent way to communicate to the young people in your township...they can actually see with their own eyes and feel with their own hands the kind of things that took place here".

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Bears Win District Opener

The Baird Bear Football Team opened its District 8-A play Friday night a 45-6 victory over the Lometa Hornets.

The setting was the Bears' Den. The night was cool and the Bears were playing well. Quarterback Jim Scott started the game rolling for the Bears by handing off the football to running back, Shannon Campbell, who racked up 44 yards in four carries to move the Bears in good scoring position. Baird's first touchdown came early. Only two and one half minutes in the game, Campbell carried the ball over for six points and Britt Johnson kicked the extra point to bring the score to 7-0. This was the beginning of a great team effort for the night by the Bears and the first of several successful PAT's. Teamwork for the extra points was

evident each time as the football was carefully placed by Travis Kerbow and forcefully kicked by Britt Johnson. Quarterback Jim Scott took care of the Hornet's punt return and ran 35 yards to score Baird's second touchdown. Johnson's kick for the PAT was good and the score was 14-0 in the Bears' favor. Only minutes later, Scott connected with Eric Wall for a 28 yard pass. After carries by Scott and Kerbow, Scott completed a seven yard pass to Dusty Barron who went on to cross the goal line. Baird's tally climbed to 21 while Lometa Hornets were still anticipating their first points.

Running back, Travis Kerbow, scored on the first play of the second quarter. Again, Johnson's kick for the extra point was successful and the Bears

reigned 28-0. Less than a minute later, Eric Wall upped the Bears' score another notch with a touchdown he scored on an intercepted pass. Johnson's PAT was "gold" again which paced Baird ahead 35-0.

Early in the second quarter linebacker, Chad Barron, made a surprise interception and the Bears took over on the Hornets' 48 yard line. This was the beginning of a drive that gave Jim Scott the opportunity to score on a 35 yard keeper off the option. Once again, Johnson's kick was accurate and the Bears led the Hornets, 42 to 0.

The kickoff return was received by Joe Miller of Lometa. He fumbled the ball upon his confrontation with the Bears, who were led by Britt Johnson. After quite a scramble, the ball was recovered by Sophomore Jeremy Riney.

The 42-0 score held for the Bears until the third quarter when, Miller of Lometa, racked up the Hornets' only score of the night. The two point conversion was not good.

Safety Shane Devenport broke up the Hornets' campaign to score again in the third quarter. On a first down play, Devenport intercepted Bill Dixon's pass which put the Bears on the Hornets' 47 yard line.

Although the Hornets kept on "stinging," the night was not over and the Bears were not through. Once again, the Bears' offense took control of the game. The stage was set and Britt Johnson kicked a 37 yard field goal which raised Baird's score to 45 against Lometa's 6. This score held for the remainder of the game.

Baird's defense was virtually a brick wall for the Hornets and

continued to remain strong against Lometa's efforts. Members making up the Bears' tough defense were: noseguard, Ryan Ward; tackles, Chris Mendez, Steve Crow, Robert Gunn and Kolt DaPron; ends, Stephen Kock, Jeremy Riney, Lee Michael Reyna and Shannon Campbell; linebackers, Chad Barron, Eric Wall and Britt Johnson. Playing outstanding in Baird's secondary were cornerbacks, Travis Kerbow and Todd Rodriguez and safetys, Jim Scott, Shane Devenport and Dusty Barron.

Friday night's victory was a credit to Baird's Junior Varsity Team as well as the Varsity Bears. During the second half, members of the junior varsity team gained valuable experience as they assisted their varsity team members. This triumph was a joint effort between the two teams.

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Coaches for the Baird Bears are Head Coach Gary Roan, Gordon Martin, Tony Koch, Jeff Campbell and Doug Thompson.

Statistics:
Baird
Score by Quarters 1st 21; 2nd 21; 3rd 0; and 4th 3.
First Downs 23
Yards/Rushing 67 for 326
Yards/Passing 35 (2 of 6)
Total Yards 361
Penalties 4
Season Record 3-1
District Record 1-0
Lometa
Score by Quarters 1st 0; 2nd 0; 3rd 6; and 4th 0.
First Downs 9
Total Yards 112
Penalties 4
Season Record 1-3
District Record 0-1

Noland Joins Army

Kodi L. Noland has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Enlistment Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Abilene, Texas.

The Delayed Enlistment Program gives young men or women the opportunity to delay enlistment into the Army for up to one year before reporting to basic military training.

The enlistment gives the new soldier the option to learn a new skill, travel and become eligible to receive as much as \$30,000 toward a college education. After completion of basic training, soldiers receive advanced individual training in their career specialty.

Noland, a senior at Clyde High School, will enter military service June 19, 1997.

He is the son of Jim L. and Kalah N. Noland of 819 Gashouse Road, Clyde.

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distribute commodities. She shares the labor of her hands - flowers from her yard and vegetables from her garden with shut-ins.

Volunteers who had completed one year of service were given certificates; those serving 5 years, 10 years and 15 years were given RSVP pins with the appropriate number. George and Dorothy Peart and Jeannine Elkins were recognized for over 600 hours of volunteer service for 1995-96.

All volunteers were commended for volunteer work in their communities.

Bear Tracks

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Aug. 23	Deleon	Here
Aug. 30	Throckmorton	There
Sep. 6	Cisco	There
Sep 13	Rotan	Here
Sep 20	Hawley*	Here
Sep 27	Lometa	Here
Oct. 4	Santa Anna	There
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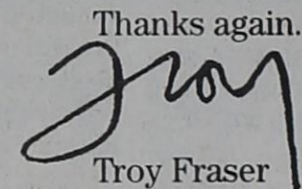
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From Your Library

The following article appeared in the Baird Star, January 5, 1945. Mr. Marvin Hunter, Jr. was editor of the Star at that time.

"CALLAHAN COUNTY TEXAS SIXTY YEARS AGO"

By J. P. Davis
"One afternoon some time in March, 1878, two covered wagons crossed Arkansas River at Van Buren, Ark., bound for Callahan City, Callahan County, Texas. One was drawn by two horses. In this wagon were my mother, a sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. William Wills and four children. My father, my brother and myself were in the other wagon. We had four mules to our wagon. Our wagons were partly loaded with dried fruit.

We all stopped near String Town, where my father and uncle hauled lumber from the saw mills to the railroad. Two of my aunt's children died there. As we neared Fort Worth, Sam Bass and his gang were loose and the law was after them, just a day ahead of us. Ft. Worth has a mule, car street service on main street.

We finally arrived at Callahan City. This city had four homes. One of them a picket house made by putting wooden stakes in the ground, sawing the tops even and then nailing 2 by 4 lumber in order to frame the roof. There were also a blacksmith shop, two stores and a post office. The fuel for heat for the blacksmith was charcoal made from mesquite burned near the shop. Most work was shoeing ponies.

Law was not much observed in those early days; every one who wished to do so carried a gun. Having a gun handy some times caused many heart aches as in a case here at that time. Mr. Tom Terry was in the Terry store; two men started a row. A man named John Barnett and a fellow named Blansit begin to draw their guns, Burnett ran to the back door (in the north end of the store.) Mr. Terry came out from behind the counter facing the back door, just as Burnett fired and received the bullet in the stomach. He died that night. He was the first one buried in the Callahan City cemetery. Blansit was stooping to get his gun from his boot when the bullet passed through two folds in the front of his shirt making four holes in it. Burnett took immediate leave, by way of the Dawkins ranch, buried his pistol near the ranch corrells. It was found by some who lived on the ranch some odd 30 years afterwards - a colts six cap and ballpistol. It was rusty and the wood of the handle rotted off. I have seen that pistol twice. A man who lived at Cottonwood had it here at Baird a few years ago on exhibit at the fair. It had been cleaned, but never used since, so this man said. My grandfather was

post master at Callahan City. The U.S. address was Callahan, Texas. The Post Office was in the picket house described in the first part of this story. My grandfather, Russell Allen, was my mother's father. My mother's brother, Miram Howard Allen, began to publish The Callahan County Claredon, a four page paper which he sold to the Gillilands some time afterward. The T. P. had been built this far before any paper was published here.

There was an election held in 1878, to determine if Belle Plain or Callahan should be the County seat. Belle Plain won the election. The old timers, as I remember, were John Mathews; Mr. and Mrs. Terry; Sr., and two sons, Tom (who was killed) and Marion and daughter; Mr. Russell Allan and

daughter Susan, two sons, Howard (and family of four children) and John; Mr. Barnhill (the blacksmith), who was the father of the late Martin Barnhill, father of I. G. Barnhill our present Blacksmith. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hart was here at an earlier date, but I did not meet him at that time.

Faher, my brother, and I left here and went to Coryell County, where we stayed until late in autumn, returning to Van Buren, Ark. I came back to Texas in 1890 and I have been a citizen of this state ever since."

Chamber Bake Sale

The Baird Chamber of Commerce will have a bake sale Friday, Oct. 4, in the First National Bank lobby from 9 a.m. to noon. Any member that can bake for the sale will be greatly appreciated.

Help sponsor the Cowboy Gathering.

Canterbury Villa News

by Johnnie Plunk

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We went to welcome Mrs. Isabel M. Helms as our newest resident. Mrs. Helms is a member of the Methodist Church and is a local resident residing just outside Baird for a number of years. She is currently in room number 114A. Welcome Mrs. Helms and we're looking forward to you joining our daily activities.

Bro. Jack Willoughby was here for our regular early in the week singing and Bible message. We always enjoy this time.

"Twin" Flores and Elna Adams won the black out bingo game Monday afternoon. Others playing that day were Bobby Strickland, Dwain Warren, Nevie Henson, Clarice Black, Alyne Jackson, Juanita Senter, Gertrude Epperson, Cordie Brame and Billy Holly. My thanks

to LaVerne Rutherford and "Lib" Shields for assisting some of us.

Members of the Ladies Cantasta Club hosted the September birthday party Tuesday afternoon at our facility. Residents who have September birthdays are Irvin Corn, Louise Sassin, Judy Kehrer and Olive Quinney. Jim Hicks played the piano while Frances Dunlap, Rosalyn Schaffrina, Joyce McAuley, Goldie Henry, Pat Sartor and Cathlene Jones served angel food cake and sherbet to everyone. Our thanks to these ladies for a very nice party and delicious refreshments.

Margie Robinson and Burma Warren were her for our middle of the week singing, music and Bible message Wednesday morning. Thanks ladies.

That afternoon Sue McNeil came to assist with manicures for the ladies. Thanks Sue!

Juanita Senter won the black out bingo game Thursday afternoon. Others playing were Billy Holly, Nevie Henson, Bobby Strickland, Clarice Black, Gertrude Epperson, Cordie Brame, Dwain Warren, "Twin" Flores, Alyne Jackson, Elna Adams and our new resident, Isabel Helms.

Our residents enjoyed a movie and popcorn Friday afternoon. Louise Joy visited and taught Sunday School for 14 residents this week.

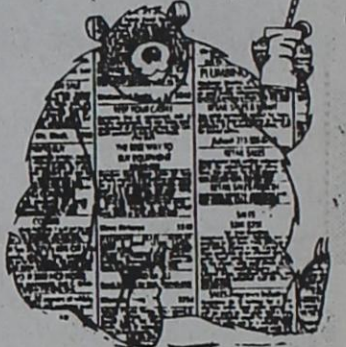
I want to say a big thank you to Margie Robinson, "Lib" Shields, LaVerne Rutherford and Sue McNeil for carrying on with our daily activities while I was on va-

cation last week. These ladies and all the volunteers are very dedicated to our residents and make their lives bright. Thanks to all!

The Clint Kniffen Band was enjoyed by everyone last Tuesday night. We always look forward to the time they are here.

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the families of Mr. Garland Rutherford and Mrs. Bonnie Gilliam. We miss these two at our home and pray God will stay close to their family and friends during this time.

Cool Buys in the Classifieds!



Smile

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cancy on the Baird Economic Development Board pending approval of the City Council. This vacancy was left when Fred Goble resigned earlier this year and the term would run until January of 1997.

Chamber of Commerce President Bun Barry along with Councilmen Rodriquez and Mitchel stated that they had received input from citizens and board members favoring another nomination for the seat. It was repeatedly stated that no disrespect was aimed toward Higgins as the appointment, but it seemed a majority favored a different appointment.

Harwick stated another person could be considered at a future time but the business at hand was for the Council to approve or disapprove of the present appointment.

On a motion by Mitchel and seconded by Brewer the council disapproved the appointment of Jim Higgins to the Baird Economic Development Board. The vote was unanimous with O'Brien abstaining because he said he didn't know Higgins.

Hardwick said he would make another appointment for the Council's consideration at a later date.

Billy Harris was appointed by the Mayor as a one man commission to investigate costs involved with upgrading the City's 1927 American LaFrance Fire Truck. Harris told the council that next August would be the 70th anniversary of the City's ownership of the truck and asked if the City would like to commemorate the event. The truck is still fully operational but does show some signs of age.

The council approved the paying of bills and approved the financial statement.

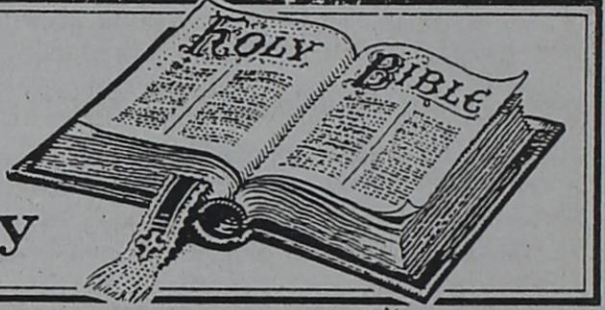
The next council meeting will be held October 15.

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plesh Training, 6:00 p.m.;
Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.

BAIRD CHURCH OF CHRIST
I-20 and FM 2047
Gary Williams, Minister
Sunday: Bible Classes, 10:00
a.m.; Worship & Communion,
10:45 a.m.; Evening Worship,
6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: Ladies Bible Class,
9:30 a.m.; Mid-Week Bible Class,
7:00 p.m.
Nursing Home Service: 3:30
p.m. each third Sunday.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Hwy 283
Skip Hodges, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.;
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.;
Youth Group, 5:00 p.m.; Eve-
ning Worship, 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday: Youth Meeting,
7:30 p.m.
Holy Communion every 1st
Sunday at 11:00 a.m.
Methodist Services at Golden
Holiday Care Center, 3:00 p.m.
every 1st Sunday.

COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
Knox Waggoner, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Wor-
ship, 11:00 a.m.; Choir practice
6:00 p.m.; Sunday evening 7:00
p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
No. First & Pine
893-2783
Sunday Morning service, 10:30
a.m.; Sunday evening, 6:00 p.m.

APOSTOLIC UNITED PENECOSTAL CHURCH
So. First & Marion
893-4874
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.;
Worship 11:00 a.m.; Prayer and
praise, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday
evening, 7:30 p.m.

ST. JOACHIM & ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH
Cherry Ln.
Priest, Mark Woodruff
Sunday Mass: 8:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF CLYDE
So. 3rd & Austin
893-5815
Jerry Joplin, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sun-
day morning worship, 11:00
a.m.; Sunday evening worship,
7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer,
7:15 p.m.

NORTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
No. 5th & Plum
Sunday Morning Service, 10:30
a.m.; Sunday evening service,
6:00 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
217 Oak St.
893-4923
David Edwards, Pastor
Worship Service, 8:30 a.m.;
Fellowship: Coffee & donuts,
9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:45
a.m.; Worship Service, 10:50
a.m.; Jr. High Youth, 5:30 p.m.;
Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Sr.
High Youth, 7:00 p.m.; Tues.
9:30 a.m. prayer group; Wednes-
day: Choirs (all ages); Wednes-
day night, Bible Studies.

EULA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
529-4241
John Bill Hedrick, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sun-
day morning worship, 10:50
a.m.; Sunday evening worship,
6:00 p.m.; Youth Fellowship,
7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible
Study, 7:00 p.m.

HWY 36 CHURCH OF CHRIST
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529-3818
Ed Headrick, Minister
Bible School, 10:00 a.m.; Sun-
day Morning, 11:00 a.m.; Sun-
day evening, 6:30 p.m.; Wed-
nesday Evening, 7:30 p.m.

TRINITY COMMUNITY CHURCH
North First & Cedar
893-4438
Sam Nichols, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sun-
day morning worship, 10:45
a.m.; Sunday evening worship,
7:00 p.m.; Wednesday night
7:00 p.m.

CLYDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
So. 4th & Austin
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Rick Cunningham, Minister
Bible Class, 10:00 a.m.; Sun-
day worship, 10:55 a.m.; Sun-
day evening worship, 6:00 p.m.;
Wednesday evenings, 7:00 p.m.

CHERRY HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH
N. 4th & Cherry Ln.
893-5630
Jimmy Davis, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sun-
day morning worship, 11:00
a.m.; Sunday evening worship,
7:00 p.m.; Wednesday night,
7:00 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
South 604
893-5851
David McGraw, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.;
Sunday morning worship, 11:00
a.m.; Sunday Eve worship, 6:00
p.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00
p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
S. Access Rd., Off I-20, 893-5208
Charles Morgan, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45; Sunday
morning worship, 11:00 a.m.;
Sunday evening worship, 6:00
p.m.; Wednesday night, 7:00
p.m.

SOUTHIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
Ronnie Turnus, Pastor
S. 604 California
893-4611
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sun-
day morning worship, 11:00
a.m.; Sunday evening worship,
6:00 p.m.; Wednesday night,
7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD
Thelma Dr. and W. Hwy 80
Rev. James Radford, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 10:00
a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00
a.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00
p.m.
Thursday: Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Fourth and Chestnut
Larry Black, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.; Pub-
lic Worship, 10:00 a.m.

OPLIN BAPTIST CHURCH
Riley Fugitt, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.;
Sunday morning worship, 11:00
a.m.; Sunday evening, 5:00 p.m.,
Wednesday evening, 6:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF EULA
529-3768
Johnny Hailes, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sun-
day morning worship, 10:55
a.m.; Discipleship Training, 5:00
p.m.; Sunday evening worship,
6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer,
7:15 p.m.

CLYDE CHURCHES

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
S. Access Rd., Off I-20, 893-5208
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Sunday evening worship, 6:00
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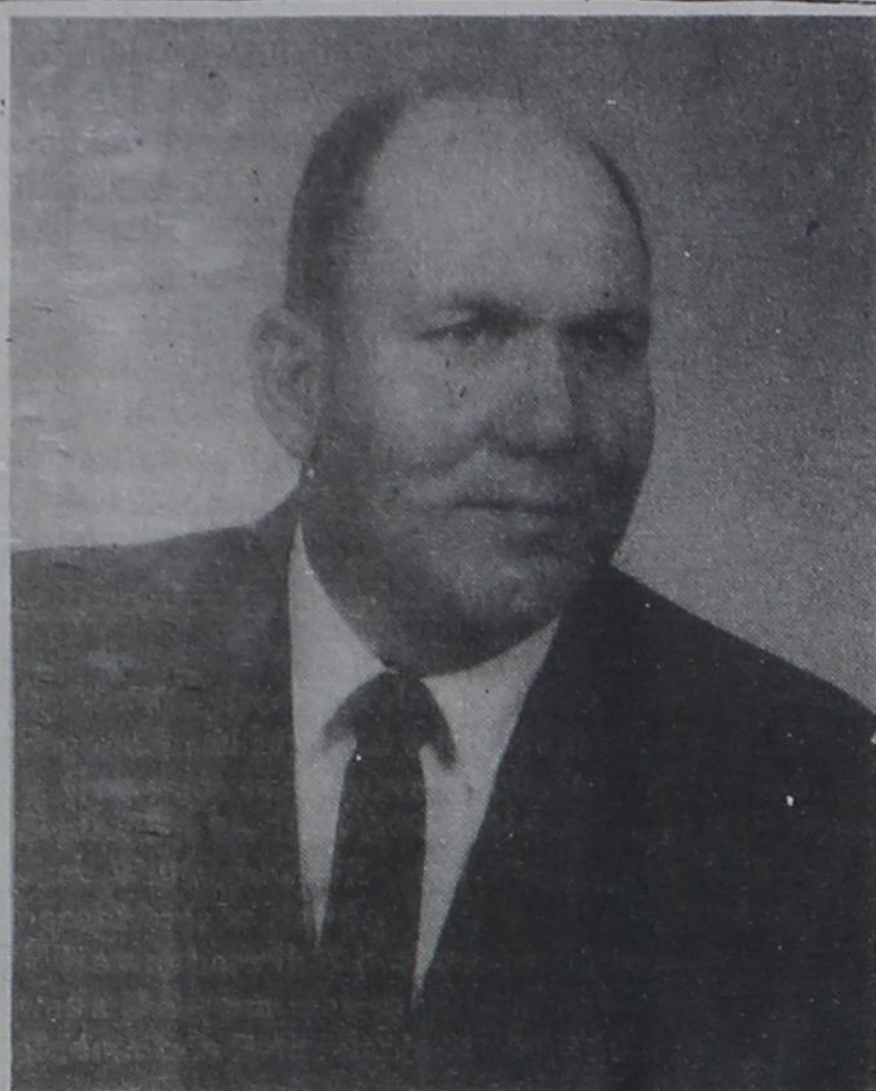
Remember To Stop At School Crosswalks

Mae Carothers is the recipient for the Clyde Volunteer of the Year Award!



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Obituaries



Delton Eugene Fisher

BAIRD-- Funeral services for Delton Eugene Fisher were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, October 2, 1996 at First United Methodist Church in Baird. Rev. Ricky Carstensen officiated, assisted by Revs. Darris Egger, Ken Mitzger, and Dr. James Johnson. Burial was in the Belle Plaine Cemetery, directed by Parker Funeral Home of Baird.

He was born September 6, 1930 in Brownfield, to Marvin and Ruth (Dye) Fisher. He graduated from Aspermont High School, McMurtry College and Perkins School of Theology. He married Rose Davis on June 18, 1950, in Quitaque, TX.

He pastored churches at Clarendon circuit, Sylvester, Hawley, Lueders, Halfway, Meadow, Anton, Baird, 10th Avenue in Amarillo and Grace Methodist in Abilene.

He loved the Cowboy Camp Meetings that he held for several years on his ranch south of Baird. However, due to ill health, the camp meetings had to be discontinued.

Survivors include his wife, Rose, of Baird; two daughters, Jeanie Gilley of Clyde and Jan Van Hoose of Abilene; his mother, Ruth Dye Fisher of Baird; four grandchildren, Jon Gilley of Clyde, Carl Van Hoose and wife Carla of Denver City, Kristina Magistro and husband Joe of Hampton, GA., and Cari Van Hoose of Clyde; two great-granddaughters, Candis Gilley and Kodie Magistro; other relatives, and many friends.

Pallbearers were: Roger Dickie, Roger Corn, Greg Gerngross, Frank Windham Jr., Bernie Holtman, David Grace, Homer Lowrance, Royce Terry.

Honorary pallbearers were: Jon Gilley, Carl Van Hoose, Joe Magistro, Jason Waller, Ethan Holtman, Jonathan Johnson, Winfred Tucker, James Eubanks, Wendel Smith, Earl Hughes, Richard Windham, Jim Wison, Frank Gomez, Alfred Douglas, Leroy Brooks.

Memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church Sanctuary Fund of Baird.

Robert Glen Curtis

BAIRD-- Robert Glen Curtis, 75, died Thursday, September 26, 1996 at an Abilene hospital, after a short illness.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Saturday, September 28, 1996 at First Baptist Church in Baird, Rev. Riley Fugitt officiated. Burial was in the Ross Cemetery Annex, directed by Parker Funeral Home.

He was born August 30, 1921 in Clyde to Albert Vernon and Nell Curtis. He was a lifelong resident of Baird. He married Juanita Swafford on February 21, 1947. He served as Constable for 24 years. He retired from being Constable and became a self-employed rancher and oilfield worker for many years. He married Ray Nell Brooks in 1977, and she preceded him in death in 1983. He was also preceded in death by one sister, Mildred Guffey.

Survivors include one son and daughter-in-law, Eddie Glen Curtis and Cindy Curtis of Baird; one stepdaughter, Margie Palmer of California; a brother and sister-in-law, A.V. and Helen Curtis of Baird; a brother, Cliff Curtis of Baird; one grandson, Josh; one granddaughter, Meredith; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Lloyd Ray Hughes, Russell Robbins, Elmore Kendrick, Zeke Rodriguez, Roger Freeland and Phillip Dean.

Honorary pallbearers were: Hatton Moore, Woody Gordon, Elmer Crossland, K.D. Griffin, Richie Crow and Tommy Stevenson.

Memorials may be made to American Cancer Society or Baird Cemetery Association.

Brooks Leclare Miller

CISCO-- Brooks Leclare Miller, 95, died Saturday, September 28, 1996 at a local nursing home.

Graveside services were held at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, September 29, 1996 at Ross Cemetery in Baird, Rev. Jack Willoughby officiated, directed by Parker Funeral Home of Baird.

He was born in Brownwood on October 1, 1900 and was a U.S. Army veteran. He was a retired employee of Mountain Bell Telephone Co., and was a Baptist.

Survivors include one cousin, Homer Leclare of Flower Mound, TX.

William Hicks Bryson

William Hicks Bryson, 90, of Clyde, died Wednesday, Sept. 25, 1996 in a local hospital.

Services were at 10 am Friday in Elliot-Hamil Funeral Home Chapel of Memories, the Rev. Dan Burrow officiating. Burial was in Potosi Cemetery.

Mr. Bryson was born in Pioneer in eastland County and attended school in Oplin. He farmed for 65 years before retiring and lived in Callahan County for many years. He was a Baptist deacon in the area 1956-93. He was member of Southside Baptist Church in Clyde and was the widower of Iva Lee Watson Bryson, whom he married in 1929 in Lawn; and Christine Hughes Bryson, whom he married in 1970 in Abilene.

Survivors include his son, Daniel Bryson of Clyde; three daughters, Collene Miller and Sue Freema, both of Baird, and Billie Knox of San Antonio; three sisters, Mary Inman of Clyde, Christine Correll of Baird and Minnie Ola Grant of Lawn; 23 grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Bessie Mae Borden

BAIRD-- Bessie Mae Borden, 86, lifelong local resident, died Friday, September 27, 1996 at her home after a long illness.

Graveside services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, September 29, 1996 at the Ross Cemetery, Rev. Ricky Carstensen officiated, directed by Parker Funeral Home.

She was born July 11, 1910 in Baird and formerly worked as a telephone operator. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include one brother, John Browning of Baird; a sister-in-law, Dorothy Browning; a niece and caregiver, Billie Joyce Morgan of Clyde; a nephew, Delbert Browning of Lubbock; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be sent to Hospice of the Big Country, 3113 Oldham Lane, Abilene, TX. 79602 or Baird Cemetery Association, P.O. Box 745, Baird, TX 79504.

Janice Stockton

PUTNAM-- Janice Stockton, 61, died Tuesday, October 1, 1996 at an Abilene hospital.

Graveside services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, October 3, 1996 at Belle Plaine Cemetery, Rev. G.W. Weeks will officiate.

She was born on April 15, 1935 in Cottonwood, TX. She had lived in Putnam since 1974. She married James Stockton on October 31, 1952 in Baird.

She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband, James Stockton of Putnam; two sons, Thomas Joseph Stockton of Abilene and James Dean Stockton of Cisco; one brother, Silas Ray Floyd of Arizona; two sisters, Adran (Red) Nettles of Putnam and Wanda Arnold of Eastland; two grand children; Daniel Thomas Stockton and Timothy Joseph Stockton of Abilene; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Bonnie Gilliam

ABILENE-- Bonnie Gilliam died Wednesday, September 25, 1996 at an Abilene hospital.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, September 27, 1996 at the Stagg Creek Cemetery in Comanche Co., Rev. Knox Waggoner officiated. Burial followed, directed by Parker Funeral Home of Baird.

She was born on October 15, 1909 in Comanche Co., TX. She had lived in Abilene for three years moving there from Baird. She married Curtis Gilliam in Comanche in 1926.

She was a homemaker and a Methodist. She was preceded in death by her husband, Curtis Gilliam; one son, Joe Gilliam; and an infant son, Curtis Melvin Gilliam.

Survivors include one son, Don Gilliam of Cross Plains; one daughter, Gemetha Tatam of Abilene, three sisters, Neta Reese of Abilene, Hazel Moore of Sidney and Laverne Hornesby of Lubbock; 10 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.



Local Man Involved in NATO Effort

Army Spec. Carl E. Peterson is one of over 20,000 U.S. service members currently involved with Operation "Joint Endeavor", a NATO sponsored effort to secure peace in the former Yugoslavian republic of Bosnia-Herzegovina.

Soldiers from 25 countries are supporting the effort designed to promote and speed the peace process inked last year at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio. The majority of the American soldiers and airmen will serve in the northeastern part of Bosnia, with headquarters in Tuzla.

The NATO troops are in place to enforce an end to hostilities, as well as to provide a secure environment for civil peace operations, and to man a zone separation between the formerly warring ethnic factions.

The forces will also ensure self defense and safe movement for its troops within the various sectors, and help enforce the withdrawal of ethnic forces to their respective territories.

Peterson is a cannon crewmember with the 3rd Field Artillery at Camp Caisson, Bosnia.

He is the son of Dennis C. and Kathleen M. Peterson of 105 N. Pine St., Weyauwega, Wis.

His wife, Laura, is the daughter of David and Loretta Robinson of 515 Oriole St., Clyde, Texas.

The specialist is a 1992 graduate of Weyauwega Fremont High School, Weyauwega.

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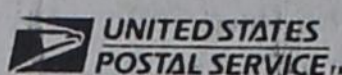
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Teeth are tough! Did you know that the outside layer of teeth (the enamel) is the second hardest naturally occurring substance. Only diamond is harder. That's one reason why more human teeth are found as prehistoric relics than any other part of the body. It seems paradoxical that such a fabulously hard substance should be such easy prey to decay. It's amazing how teeth can decay in short order from contact with sugar and its eventual change into enamel-eating acid. Another thing to be careful of is eating extremely hot and cold foods together. For example, drinking hot coffee while eating ice cream is liable to make teeth crack, because tooth

enamel and the dentin underneath it expand and contract at different rates as they react to temperature changes. Tooth enamel is not damaged by hot liquids, but if something cold is consumed immediately afterward, the enamel contracts and could crack. Hot drinks are usually about 140 degrees Fahrenheit, ice cream is about 35 degrees. That much sudden change can be harmful to teeth.

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