

out of Bobbie's Notebook ...

I AM A SICK AMERICAN...

There are those that claim ours is a "sick" society; that our country is sick; that we are sick. Well, maybe they're right. I submit that I'm sick... and maybe you are, too. I am sick of having policemen ridiculed and called "pigs" while cop killers are hailed as some kind of folk hero.

I am sick of being told that religion is the opiate of the people... but marijuana should be legalized.

I am sick of being told that pornography is the right of a free press, but freedom of the press does not include being able to read the Bible on school grounds.

I am sick of commentators and columnists canonizing anarchists, revolutionaries and criminal rapists, but condemning law enforcement when such criminals are brought to justice.

I am sick of paying more and more taxes to build schools while I see some faculty members encouraging students either to tear them down or burn them.

I am sick of Supreme Court decisions which turn criminals loose on society - while other decisions try to take away my means of protecting my home and family.

I am sick of being told that policemen are mad dogs who should not have guns - but that criminals who use guns to rob, maim and murder should be understood and helped back to society.

I am sick of being told it is wrong to use napalm to end a war overseas - but if it's a molotov cocktail or a bomb at home, I must understand the provocations.

I am sick of not being able to take my family to a movie unless I want to have them exposed to nudity, homosexuality and the glorification of narcotics.

I am sick of pot smoking entertainers deluging me with their condemnation of my moral standards on late night television.

I am sick of riots, marches, protests, demonstrations, confrontations, and the other mob temper tantrums of people intellectually incapable of working within the system.

I am sick of hearing the same phrases, the same slick slogans, the cries of people who must chant the same thing like zombies because they haven't the capacity for verbalizing thought.

I am sick of reading so-called modern literature with its kinship to what I used to read on the walls of public toilets.

I am sick of those who say I owe them this or that because of the sins of my forefathers - when I have looked down both ends of a gun barrel to defend their rights, their liberties and their families.

I am sick of cynical attitudes toward patriotism. I am sick of politicians with no backbone.

I am sick of permissiveness. I am sick of the dirty, the foul-mouthed, the unwashed.

I am sick of the decline of personal honesty, personal integrity and human sincerity.

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Number 53

WHERE THREE GOOD
TEXAS COUNTIES
GET TOGETHER

County Votes Nixon, Tower, Hanna, Briscoe, 9 Amends

A total of 5,985 Eastland Countians marked ballots in the General Election Tuesday, and joined the Mainstream of America on most counts.

A goodly number "went fishing" - With 9,374 registered, 3,389 didn't take the bother to cast votes. The percentage of qualified voters making the effort was 63.5 percent of the eligible.

And it was shades of 1952, all over again.

President Nixon carried every box in the county, with a total vote of 4,106 to McGovern's 1,629.

And the county joined the state in re-electing Sen. John Tower in every box, with the exception of Rising Star, which carried for Sanders. Tower got 3,201 and Sanders, 2,563.

In the state governor's race which was still in question statewide at press time, Eastland County collectively went for Democrat Dolph Briscoe, who carried every box in the county. Briscoe got 3,186 and Grover, 2,395.

HANNA RE-ELECTED
Eastland County certainly helped State Rep. Joe Hanna be

re-elected, giving him 4,113 to Jack Hetzel's 1,706 in this county.

Complete unofficial returns show the district returns.

Palo Pinto: Hanna, 4,576; Hetzel, 1,729.
Stephens: 2,443; 476
Jack: 1,523; 869.
Montague: 2,380; 958.
Eastland: 2,380; 1,706.
Total: Hanna, 15,035; Hetzel, 5,738.

The County endorsed Bill Hobby for lieutenant Gov. with 4,410 votes and Hill for Attorney General, with 4,339. Calvert drew 4,309 votes here and Treasurer James, 3,288.

James' Republican opponent Angly got 2,470. Land Commissioner Armstrong got 4,360 and Railroad Commissioner Byron Tunnell got 3,751, although his opponent got 1,588.

Statewide, all but the two constitutional amendments proposing pay hikes for legislators and certain state officials, were passing, but not in Eastland County. Statewide and locally voters turned thumbs down on the pay hikes.

Countians voted against five.

Collectively, the county voted against No. One, the legislator pay hike; No. Four, authorizing constitutional revision commission; No. Nine, Dual office - holding for soil conservation directors; No. Ten, Time of Proposing Constitutional Amendments and Public Notice Thereof; and No. Eleven, salary of lieutenant governor and speaker.

The Tuesday ballot was a big one, and took a lot of work to get counted. Workers spent eight hours counting the absentees, and the boxes weren't fast coming in after the polls closed at 7 p.m. Desdemona Election Judge L.E. Clark maintained his record of being the first reported complete a few minutes after 7.

Order of reported returns is as follows: Desdemona, Carbon, Cisco, Olden, Eastland, Rising Star, Gorman and Ranger.

Voter turn-out looks like this:

Absentee, 296 votes.
Desdemona, 133 voted; 201 registered.
Carbon 174 voted, 280 registered.

Cisco, 1,632 voted, 2,589 registered.

Olden, 184 voted, 246 registered.

Eastland, 1,467 voted, 2,265 registered.

Rising Star, 709 voted, 1,210 registered.

Gorman, 550 voted; 990 registered.

Ranger, 840 voted, 1,593 registered.

In the Primaries this past spring, 5,470 Democrats voted and 65 Democrats.

In 1968, 6,293 voted and

President Nixon won only in the Eastland and absentee boxes.

In 1952, the late President Eisenhower carried 17 of the then 27 boxes in Eastland County for first election. His vice presidential running mate, Richard Nixon polled 4,518 votes and his opponent John Sparkman got 3,370. Eisenhower drew 4,502 votes and Adlai Stevenson got 3,386 votes. (That was back in the days when Eastland, Ranger, Cisco and Rising Star each had two voting boxes.)

Come To The Country Store

Come to the Country Store, Saturday, Nov. 18 in the Lobby and Community Room of the First State Bank.

The Country Store is a project of the Lord's Acre - Lord's Hour Festival of First United Methodist Church and will greatly appreciate your patronage.

There will be home baked cakes, pies, cookies and breads. Homemade candies, jellies, jams and preserves, pickles and relishes.

Bargains in needlework. Linens for the home. Household appliances and gadgets and many interesting items. There will be Mystery Boxes each filled with surprises of useful and beautiful articles at very low prices. No Junk.

Sandwiches and coffee will be served throughout the day.

Anyone having merchandise for the store may leave them at the home of Mrs. Vada Arnold or at the Bank Lobby after 3 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 17. Doors will open at 9 o'clock a.m.

Your cooperation is solicited. COME TO THE COUNTRY STORE!

May 4-H'ers

Hold Meeting

The May 4-H Club met Nov. 2, 1972, in the May Community Center at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was called to order by the Vice President Carla Thornhill. The pledge was led by Becky Moore; the club prayer was led by Jackie McPheeters.

Mrs. Carol Beebe was introduced to the club and she discussed the food project for the coming year. She also told the club members all about the Pecan Show and urged the members to enter.

Ass't. County Agent Jim Flemming talked to the club about the Youth Fair on Jan. 4, 5 and 6.

The club decided to have a Christmas party on the next monthly meeting.

We would like to welcome five new members, Matt Muckleroy, Randy Purcell, Andy McPheeters, Janet Nelson and Kenny Hightight. Other members present were Carla Thornhill, Becky Moore, Jackie McPheeters, Bobby Driskell, Bo Emery Allen, Tammy Jasper, Tanya Allen, Cindy Pallett, Mrs. Carol Beebe, Mr. Jim Flemming, Allen Flemming, Crystal Moore, Mrs. Mike Muckleroy. Adult Leaders Mrs. Eugene Pallett and Mrs. S.M. Moore. Becky Moore Club Reporter

Book Week Nov. 14 - 20

National Children's Book Week is November 14 through 20. The theme is "Read in '72". All the children are encouraged to visit the local city library and read some of the new books available. The library is open Tuesday and Thursday morning from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. and Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 4 p.m. Come by and browse.

Most of all, though, I am sick of being told I'm sick. I'm sick of being told my country is sick - when we have the greatest nation that man has ever brought forth on the face of the earth. Fully fifty percent of the people on earth would willingly trade places with the most deprived, the most underprivileged among us.

Yes, I may be sick, but if I am only sick, I can get well. I can also help my society get well - and help my country get well.

Take note, all of you... you will not find me throwing a rock or a bomb; you will not find me under a placard; you will not see me take to the streets; you will not find me ranting to wild-eyed mobs.

But you will find me at work, paying taxes, serving in the community where I live. You will also find me expressing my anger and indignation to elected officials.

You will find me speaking out in support of those officials, institutions and personalities who contribute to the elevation of society and not its destruction. You will find me contributing my time, money and personal influence to helping churches, hospitals, charities and other establishments which have shown the true spirit of this Country's determination to ease pain, suffering, eliminate hunger and generate brotherhood.

But, most of all, you'll find me at the polling place. There - if you listen - you can hear the thunder of the common man. There, all of us can cast our vote... for an America where people can walk the streets without fear.

Author Unknown

Burleson Announces Summer Job Examination Dates

WASHINGTON, D.C. - - Congressman Omar Burleson (D - Tex) said today that the Civil Service Commission is now receiving applications for the 1973 competitive examination for summer employment with the United States Government.

The examination leads to eligibility for appointment to most temporary summer jobs at Grades GS - 1 through 5, and also Postal Service Clerk - Carrier PS - 5.

Those who are interested in the summer jobs covered may apply to take the written test on

or before three filing dates - - November 24, 1972, December 29, 1972 and January 26, 1973. Representative Burleson stressed that applications for the written test postmarked after January 26, 1973, will not be accepted. If you miss the last test, you cannot be considered for jobs filled by this

application and for maximum consideration, you should apply as soon as possible.

The Congressman noted that applicants rated eligible in 1972 need not take the written test again unless they wish to improve their scores. They will



Pictured above is George Yaeger, conductor of the Abilene Philharmonic Orchestra. Maestro Yaeger will present a "POPS" Concert at Cisco Junior College November 14.

PTA To Meet "POPS" Concert At CJC Thursday, Nov. 9

Thursday, Nov. 9, will be the date for the monthly PTA meeting.

The meeting will be held in the High School Gym at 3 p.m. A skit presented by a group of high school students will be this month's program.

Everyone is urged to attend. Our attendance has been very good so far this year. Let's try to make it even better!

The Abilene Philharmonic Orchestra will present a "POPS" Concert at Cisco Junior College on Tuesday evening, November 14, as the third program in the college's 1972 - 73 Arts and Humanities Series. The well-known west Texas orchestra performs under the baton of conductor George Yaeger.

The orchestra's "pops" format will include music selected from a light classical repertoire, some popular numbers, and music from Broadway shows. Among the music from which the program will come is: "La Vie Parisienne" by Offenbach; "Serenata" and "Blue Tango" by Leroy Anderson; "Hungarian March" by Berlioz; "Fiddler's Day" by Matesky; "Sleeping Beauty Waltz" by Tchaikovsky; "Jalousie" by Gade; "Music from West Side Story" by Bernstein; "Slavonic Dance" by Dvorak; "Praeludium" by



Pictured above are the 1972 - '73 officers of the Eastland County Farmers Union. They are left to right: Jerry Warren, Gorman; E.B. Harding, Rising Star; Oral Davis, Rising Star; C.G. Stroebel, Cisco; Claude Fuller, Gorman; and Lee Starr, Cisco.

Farmers Union Elects Officers

The annual meeting of the Eastland County Farmers Union was held in Rising Star at the American Legion Hall on Nov. 6, 1972, according to Lee Starr, County President.

Jay Naman of Waco, who spoke briefly about the importance of voting to farmers. Officers and directors for 1972 - 73 were elected. Officers re-elected are: Lee Starr, Cisco, President; E.B. Harding, Rising Star, Vice

President; Oral Davis, Rising Star, Sec. - Treasurer. Policy resolutions were adopted by the members and will be submitted to the state program drafting committee as recommendations for state policy.

Wildcats Tumble 36 - 8

By Johnny Sansom

The Meridian Yellow Jackets put an array of Rising Star mistakes together Friday night and came up with a 36 - 8 victory. The Young Cats seemed to be on defense the whole night. A blocked kick and an intercepted pass gave Meridian a 16 - 0 lead at halftime.

The Cats suffered a tremendous blow when their fine fullback - linebacker Alvin Spencer was hurt in the second quarter. The last word I had was that Alvin will be out the rest of the year.

I'm sure Coach Gray and the rest of the Wildcats will miss him.

On the brighter side, the Wildcats had some young people that looked very good. Rickey Bolles, freshman quarterback, looked exceptionally good passing. He

finished the night with 10 for 20 passes completed. Rickey Schaefer made several great catches.

The Wildcat ground game never seemed to get untracked. Meridian stacked up everything we tried except the passing game.

The lone Cat tally came on a 50 yard pass and run from Bolles to Schaefer. Schaefer dove over for the two point conversion.

Defensively the Wildcats were led by Kim Joyce, Andy Robinson, Dale Wolf and Johnny Cook. Steve Tarver and Rickey Ware also came up with big plays.

Coach Gray will have to do some shuffling around this week. I'm sure Kim Joyce will probably inherit Spencer's linebacking position. Steve Bibb will probably move back into Alvin's fullback position.

The Wildcats know that they will have to put out a little more effort to overcome Spencer's absence. So, let's all go to Gorman and give 'em our support.

See you at the game.

MAIL EARLY FOR CHRISTMAS

The Postal Service has suggested deadline for parcels and cards to insure delivery by Christmas. It is Dec. 10 for parcels and Dec. 15 for cards.

Mrs. L. Starks, O.I.C. suggests you contact the local office for further information and all information and deadlines for overseas mailing.

First State Deposits Exceed \$7 Million

Deposits in the First State Bank of Rising Star soared above seven million dollars this week. Under the impetus of a near bumper peanut crop, the bank's deposit figure was in excess of \$7,313,222.01, the highest by almost one million dollars, in its long history.

President James Rutherford estimated that about one-fourth of the crop remains to be harvested and it is anticipated that the deposit figure will be further swelled by this late income. His estimate agrees with that of agricultural leaders and buyers generally.

Deposits in the bank at the corresponding period last year were somewhat in excess of six million. Significantly the level of deposits remained consistently higher throughout the year, although declining from the peak period as part of the income was transferred in payment of grower obligations.

The Rising Star Bank has ranked third in the county in amount of its assets.

Golf Day

Winners Announced

Ladies Golf Scramble on Ladies Day: The winning team was Lois Garrett, Jean Fore, and Jean McAnally.

In the Sunday's mixed scramble the winning team was: Jack Scott, Mary Lee, Pete Fore and Frank Rhymes. They came in with a 66.

After a sudden death playoff Charlie Grider, Lou Brown, Frankie Smith, and Jean Fore won second place.

Third place: Smoky Gaines, Dick Grider, Lois Garrett and Zora DeBusk.

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THE RISING STAR FFA is taking orders for Citrus Fruit for December delivery. \$5.50 per box. Tree ripened oranges and Ruby Red Grapefruit. Contact an FFA member. Order your oranges and grapefruit from the FFA. 53 - 3tc

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MAY NEWS

BY
ENTHA CAMPBELL

voters for the day.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. R.S. Hickman who has gone to Florissant, Mo., to attend the funeral of his brother, Glenn Hickman, fifty-six. Mr. Glenn Hickman died Oct. 31 of a heart attack.

Local farmers believe peanut harvest will be finished here by Nov. 20 if fair weather continues. There has been a good yield and good weather this year for harvest.

Sympathy is also extended to the family of Grandmother Arnold who was buried in the Pleasant Valley Cemetery on Monday; and to the family of Sabe Hart who was buried in Heflin Cemetery on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Fred (Evie) Ashworth was admitted to a Brownwood hospital, Monday morning after she sustained a broken arm, while seeing after livestock at her farm home 2 miles north of May.

Mrs. Ima Crooks is recovering from surgery rapidly. She says "Thank You" to those who visited her or sent a card while she was in the hospital.

Minter Rasberry of Seguin, Texas, is seriously ill in the Veterans Hospital in Temple. He is a former May resident and the son of Mrs. Alma Robason of May. We hope him a speedy recovery. He underwent surgery Wednesday of last week.

Voting began early Tuesday and had a large percent of



Lenora Marie Webster - Michael Clarence Stroebel To Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foree of Fort Worth announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lenora Marie Webster of Lubbock, to Micheal Clarence Stroebel. Micheal is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stroebel of Route one, Rising Star. The wedding date has been set for November 25 at 7:30 p.m. in the Redeemer Lutheran Church of Lubbock. The reception will follow in the Parish Hall. The bride-to-be is a 1969

graduate of Lubbock High School. She is now employed at Lubbock State School for the Mentally Retarded. The prospective bridegroom is a 1967 graduate of Rising Star High School, a 1969 graduate of Cisco Junior College and attended Texas Tech in Lubbock. He is presently employed by Acker and Hedrick Construction Co. of Lubbock. The family would like to extend a welcome to all friends to feel free to attend the wedding and reception and share in their joy.

social security QUIZ



A worker will be 65 this year. He plans to keep on working full time at his present salary of \$12,000 a year. Is there any reason for him to contact social security before he turns 65?

- A. No, he's earning too much money a year and can't get monthly retirement checks.
- B. No, he needs only contact social se-

- C. Yes, he's eligible for Medicare even though he's still working.
- D. Yes, he's eligible for monthly retirement checks and Medicare.

There are 2,284 home health agencies and 2,751 independent laboratories participating in Medicare.

W.M.U. Entertain Nursing Home Residents

Members of the W.M.U. of the First Baptist Church, Carbon, entertained Twilite Acres Nursing Home residents Monday afternoon, Oct. 30. Several hymns were sung and a brief devotional period was brought. Refreshments were served in the traditional Halloween theme of orange and black and consisted of cake squares, candy pumpkins, and pink lemonade. Those

representing the W.M.U. Class from Carbon were Aleane Hughes, Dorothy Jackson, Lavene Stubblefield, Gladys Hale, Ona Rogers, and Wanda Bryant.

We would like to express our appreciation to this lovely group of ladies, for their time and efforts, in making it an enjoyable afternoon for the ladies in Twilite Acres Nursing Home.

Young Homemakers Hold Meeting

The Young Homemakers had a very exciting meeting in October on how to use an electronic oven. Barbara Williams gave a fascinating demonstration on how speedy cooking could be.

If you are not familiar with the Young Homemakers, it is an organization for young women. We have a meeting once a month on things like crafts, sewing tips, demonstrations on new appliances and we enjoy just getting together. Our next meeting is Monday, November 13 at 7:00 p.m. at the Homemaking Cottage. The meeting is on Tupperware. We will be selling Tupperware through the month of December. Come to our meeting if you can. Everyone is welcome.

School Menu

- THURSDAY, NOV. 9**
Pinto Beans
Spinach
Onions & Pickles
Hot Rolls & Cornbread
Apple Cobbler
- FRIDAY, NOV. 10**
Stew
Crackers
Brownies
- MONDAY, NOV. 13**
Steak
Corn
Blackeyed Peas
Hot Rolls
Peaches
- TUESDAY, NOV. 14**
Goulash
Mixed Vegetables
Lettuce & Tomato Salad
Hot Rolls
Peach Cobbler
- WEDNESDAY, NOV. 15**
Fried Chicken
Creamed Potatoes
Green Beans
Hot Rolls
Banana Pudding

VISITORS

Gaston Alford of Wichita Falls visited his aunt, Mrs. Jack Roark, last Friday. Gaston grew up and attended school in Rising Star.

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TO BIDDERS

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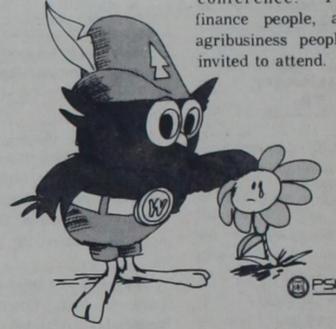
Little Bit of News

"Money in Fruit, Nuts, and Vegetables" is the theme of a conference to be held in Brownwood, Thursday, Nov. 9th. The conference will be held at the Holiday Inn beginning at 1:00 p.m.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce are jointly sponsoring the conference.

The purpose of the conference is to look at fruit, nut and vegetable production as another economic opportunity for this area.

County Agent De Gordon urges all fruit, nut and vegetable growers as well as landowners who are looking for new opportunities to attend the conference. Processors, finance people, and related agribusiness people are also invited to attend.



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FROM OUR CHURCHES

First Baptist Church Rising Star

Praise the Lord, we have another day for the Lord Jesus to live in and through us. So often in our life we have days in which we say what is the use in living? I guess everyone has his answer to this question but the best answer is God has a purpose for my life. Each day that we enjoy life there is a purpose far beyond any physical or material reason we might give and this is especially true for the born again believer. The Word of God says "Sanctify the Lord God in your hearts, and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you..." I Peter 3:15. Our purpose in life is to lift up the Lord Jesus for he states, "If I be lifted up, I will draw all men unto me", again meaning we are to bear testimony of Him.

Sunday was a wonderful Lord's day. We had two of the most wonderful services Sunday that we have ever had. I pray that we continue to come to the throne of grace humbly that the Lord might continue to pour out His blessings upon us.

I wish just to express my thanks to both the Adult and the Youth Choir for the job they did on our services Sunday. Continue to allow the Lord to sing through you. Also the combined choirs have begun work on the Christmas music. If you should be in the Adult or Youth Choir we would love to have you sing in our Christmas music.

Next week is the Nationwide Conference or Revival in San Antonio. Linda and I will be attending this throughout the week. We will be praying for you as we are gone. Jeff will be in charge of the Wednesday evening service. Pray for us that we might return to you having learned much from God's men and the Holy Spirit.

Let's make Sunday 'Praise the Lord Day', the message Sunday morning will be on giving God the praise. This is an area that is greatly

misunderstood in our Christian realm today. Pray that the Lord might lead and teach us how to praise His holy name. Happy in Jesus, Bro. Monte

First United Methodist Church Rising Star

Scripture Lesson for Sunday morning Matt 5:8. Sermon - "A Vision of God". Evening Sermon - "Temptation". Luke 23:31, 22:31 - I Cor. 10:13.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Luggens of Irving spent Saturday night with his mother, Lucy Boase.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nunnley, Lessie Smith, Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Coker, Mrs. Bobby Fortune and Brad were in May Saturday night for the United Methodist Lord's Festival luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davidson and children of Olden visited Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Coker Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lee Hughes and Mrs. Jim Bucy are on the sick list this past week.

The Saturday Club met in the home of Mrs. Floyd Joyce Wednesday afternoon.

District Supt. Dr. Floyd Johnson and Mrs. Johnson will be with us Sunday night at 6:30 in Church Conference. The ladies of the Church will serve a salad meal.

Those who have dishes from previous meals served at church, please pick them up Saturday. Come by and identify your dish. Names have been lost on some.

Sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Max Priddy's mother, who lived near Hamilton.

Don't forget November 18th, date for our Lord's Acre and Hour Harvest Festival. There will be a full announcement in next week's paper. Do you have your projects ready?

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joyce and daughters from Fort Worth attended church services Sunday morning. Mrs. Joyce visited her mother in the nursing home.

United Methodist Women

met Monday evening at church. "What shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? Or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?"

Mark 8:36 - 37

Church of Christ Rising Star

Recently I read of a Christian farmer who was spending the day in a large city. Entering a restaurant for his noon meal, he found a table near a group of young men. Quietly he bowed his head and gave thanks to God. One young man, observing this, yelled out in a loud voice, "Hey, farmer, does everyone do that where you come from?" The old man looked at the youth and said, "No, son, the pigs don't."

We are thankful to the Lord that recently our attendance and contribution have been improving and the interest in the Lord's work seems to be increasing.

Our fourth After - game Fellowship for teenagers was last Friday night following our football game. The final one in this series will be November 17. We have had great attendance and interest in these informal get - togethers.

Sunday night the pre - teens will meet at 5:55 p.m. for a discussion period and devotional at their Young People's Meeting.

You are invited to our worship service Sunday. My morning sermon will be "The Awfulness of Apostasy" and Sunday evening's will be "What Shall I Do With Jesus?" Come and study God's word with us.

Jesus said that the first and greatest command is that we are to love God with everything we have (Mk. 12:29, 30). To love God, one must also love his fellow men (I Jn. 4:20, 21). Love is demonstrated by one's daily living. Christians will demonstrate their love for both God and man by the concern shown in their daily lives.

James Haney

Consumers Report

"I'm a consumer with a complaint. Who will help me?" Because there are so many things to complain about, and because there are so many state agencies to deal with, it's difficult for the consumer to know exactly who he should contact.

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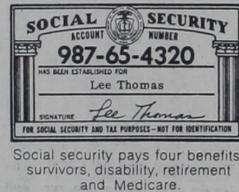
jurisdiction in the matter, you accomplish two things. You know that the proper agency is made aware of the problem, and, if necessary, can take precautions to prevent such practices in the future. Also, you are assured of having your complaint reviewed by a specialist in the appropriate agency who deals with similar problems every day.

To help avoid delays in the solution of your problems, for the next few weeks we will discuss some of the more important State Agencies which are concerned with various consumer matters. We will talk about the Insurance Commission, Securities Commission, Department of Agriculture, Education Agency, Motor Vehicle Commission, Consumer Credit Commission and the Railroad Commission. We know you will find their activities on your behalf both interesting and informative.

Officers Of LVN Assoc. To Be Installed

Installation of officers for the coming year will highlight the meeting of Licensed Vocational Nurses Association, Division No. 64, at 7 p.m. Monday, Nov. 13, in the Conference Room of Eastland Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Martha Brashears, R.N., will be installing officer.

All members are urged to attend.



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There are 6,745 hospitals participating in the Medicare program.

Pioneer Church of Christ Pioneer, Texas

The pulpit was filled Sunday by Bro. John Gross of Abilene whose message at the morning hour was "Counting the Cost". He was accompanied by his wife, Patricia. The hymnal service was directed by John Wessler of Arentville, Illinois. The message at the evening service concerned "The Good Samaritan". Brother Gross hails originally from Chandler, Arizona. He is scheduled to visit again Sunday week.

Letha Lee Hall of Albuquerque, New Mexico, attended the morning service and from Clyde came Prof. and Mrs. James Alexander.

Other visitors from Abilene were: Prof. and Mrs. D.F. Fitzgerald, Rhonda Anderson, Scott and Sharla Winkles.

"The Spirit and the bride say, Come", Revelation 22:17.

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Debbie Tarver Roger Crume To Wed



Debbie Tarver

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The bride - elect is a graduate of Rising Star High School.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of May High School.

The wedding will take place at the First Baptist Church of Rising Star at 5:00 p.m. Saturday, November 18. Friends and relatives are invited to the wedding and the reception.

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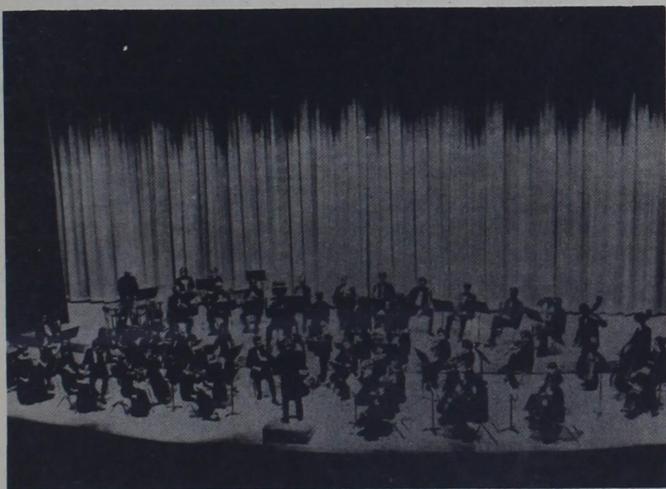


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Shares Her Favorite
Recipes This Week

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1 med. onion, chopped
1 can cream of chicken soup (do not add water)
1 can cheddar cheese soup (do not add water)
1 small can roasted peppers
1 pkg. corn chips
1 lb. cheddar cheese grated
Brown meat and onions, add soups and peppers. Place corn chips in baking dish. Add meat mixture. Top with grated cheese. Bake at 325 degrees 30 minutes. Do not add salt.

YEAST BISCUITS

1 pkg. dry yeast dissolved in 1/2 cup warm water.
In large bowl add
2 c. buttermilk
1 1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 c. cooking oil
2 Tbs. sugar
4 tsp. baking powder
Add yeast and mix well. Add 6 c. flour. Pour in large bowl. Cover and keep until ready to use. Pour out on floured board and knead lightly. Shape into biscuits. Place in greased pan and bake at 400 degrees until brown.

"DO - RE - MI"

Hello, again all you great band fans!
We have had a very exciting week and are going to have some more.
Last Saturday we went to May and led their homecoming parade. After that we gave them a concert in their auditorium - a smash! There were a few numbers that we did not do as well as we should have. Anyway, they seemed to really like us because they invited us back.
On November 4, the students entered the All - District Band try - outs at DeLeon. In next week's news we will learn how they turned out! O.K.?
Until next week,
Kasey Maynard

"WITH THE BOOKWORMS"

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"R.S.H.S. ROUNDUP"

Things at Rising Star High School seem halfway normal now that Homecoming and Halloween are in the past once again.

Thoughts are now turning to the approach of basketball since football season is nearing completion. The bonfire was held last Thursday night; it was well attended and the spirit was good.

This is six weeks' test week, so students are really hitting the books. With everything that goes on, we still have grades to keep up and learn new things each day.

The annual staff has canceled the pancake supper this Saturday night. We are sorry about this, but it is all due to circumstances beyond our control.

"THE SECRET"

I met God in the morning,
When my day was at its best,
And His presence came like sunrise
Like a glory in my breast.

All day long the Presence lingered,
All day long He stayed with me,
And we sailed in perfect calmness
O'er a very troubled sea.

Other ships were blown and battered,
Other ships were sore distressed,
But the winds that seemed to drive them
Brought to us a peace and rest.

So I think I know the secret,
Learned from many a troubled way:
You must seek Him in the morning,
If you want Him through the day.

- - Ralph S. Cushman

Wouldn't we all be better persons if we applied this to our lives?

Till next week,
James Steel

**"ONE WAY!
ALL THE WAY!"**

Lately some of us have been forgetting to set our alarms early on Tuesdays, right E.W.? The attendance at S.F.C. was lower than usual so we just talked. We soon got off onto the subject of Halloween and the convention of witches and warlocks in San Antonio. Mrs. Rhoses told us about some of the true stories she had been told about the supernatural and some very strange ex-

periences.

It was great to see some new faces there; please, keep on coming. We are planning on hearing a record in the near future of evangelist James Robison talking to teenagers. So until next week,
Marilyn

"NOT FINISHED - JUST BEGUN"

After a Hallowe'en Carnival that cleared over three hundred dollars for us Seniors; after a home basketball game that brought us \$7.25 on chances on a cake (Was it good, Jim?); after a wonderful bonfire which really lifted the spirit of many of us; after a home football game with Meridian; after S.F.C. meetings; after haunted house hunting; after church Wednesday night; and after basketball games in Jim Ned and Cross Plains Evonne Woody finally writes her news to keep Rising Star's citizens well informed on the Seniors. As you can read, we have not been too busy!!

English has finished us off again with our second six weeks' test, and Bookkeeping has brought us our second unit test which covers about five chapters. Everyone did well (I think). In Typing Mr. Hill had to refuse an interested student since she was furry, had four legs, and couldn't understand English. In case you are wondering, this was a stray cat that got into the typing room while we were typing away at Unit 9. Civics still has current events and something new, well not new, but it has not been around for a while. That is to say a test! On Chapter VIII at that! School is really moving on. Since I am not taking Algebra II or Chemistry, I don't really know what's going on. The Algebra II students always look very bright and alert when I walk past their class, so Mr. Hounsel must be getting through to them. The Chemistry students say they love Chemistry, but they would love it even more if they understood it a little better. Here's something to think about and revel in during the week - Love comes as birth does...knowing its own time.

Loving Life,
Evonne

P.S. - Mrs. C. had one little blonde - headed trick or treator Hallowe'en night from the first grade, oops! I mean the twelfth

grade. I don't want to mention any names, but I wonder if Philip knows the little fellow??
P.S.S. - Congratulations to Homer and Rose Mary!!

"STRONGER BECAUEE UNITED"

It is that time again; another six weeks is gone. It seems as if we just finished one six weeks' term and here comes another. The Juniors are really trying to make good grades this year. It would help for all to turn in their book reports and term themes on time. We are getting better in American History - really working hard! We answer the questions out of the book and the review questions Mr. Nunnally gives us. We are still trying to understand our chemistry and Algebra II. Some days it seems easy, but others we are absolutely lost. We are really getting good at typing or at least we think so. We would like to congratulate the Seniors on all the money they made on the Hallowe'en Carnival. It surely did look like it was raining eggs and water balloons Hallowe'en night. Right P.H. and S.M.? Be good and be careful!!!
Cheryl

"STEP BY STEP"

Feet, inches, centimeters, milliliters, and scientific notation. These are the things that are getting us in Physical Science, but come on Sophs., let's pick it up and show Mr. Gray that we can do it. In English we are beginning a new unit called "Essays and Essayists".

In World History the tests are getting harder, but the chapters are getting more interesting. We have just begun the study of China and Japan. Remember when China had a wall around it and new Germany has one. This reminds me of the Joneses trying to keep up with the Smiths.

Now that Hallowe'en is over, we shall start thinking about Thanksgiving and be thankful for all the many wonderful things God has given us.

The bonfire was a little hot but it was fun. All the football boys were pinned by the girls; then we had a few yells to build the spirit of the game.

Did you ask if the Sophs had spirit? You had better believe we do; we are going to keep it and show the people and the boys at the game.
Let's back the Wildcats!!
Taronna

"IN THE FISHBOWL"

Hi! All you people out there in fish country. All twenty - seven of us are still swimming.

In English I Madame Defarge is knitting away as we continue reading "A Tale of Two Cities". I don't think anyone can stand the suspense of not knowing what is ahead; I know I cannot!
In Biology we are starting the study of viruses. Imagine something as small causing so much "trouble". Can you think of singing Christmas carols in October; that is just what the P.E. girls are doing.

Math still seems as easy as ever, but we had better keep at it; those stated problems may get some of us yet.

Just a little quick reminder; watch your step. Remember what happened to S.W. and N.T. (it was really kind of funny.)
Back here next week,
Bonnie

"TOWARD NEW HORIZONS"

Six Weeks again! I know everyone is wondering how grades will come out.

Last week was a different line of work in homemaking classes. We saw some great films on child birth and dope. I think we will all agree, they were good and revealing.

The first year girls have not said how their pies resulted last week. Someone may be keeping secrets!!! What about it??

The Sophomores are sewing - fun - fun - fun! That class really keeps things happening! Last week Debbie W. decided to sew her hem with two needles. She may have something there, but I doubt it!!

Third year girls are cooking; I am not sure what, but I hear they are still cooking. We all really like homemaking classes. There is never a dull moment!?

Be nice!
Delynn

"BETTER DAYS THROUGH BETTER WAYS"

"Who threw that egg?" was a familiar cry that echoed through the streets of most small towns on October 31, as hen houses were locked and egg prices rose higher and higher.

The price of an ungraded egg rose as much as forty cents! Almost everyone was looking out for some kind of prank to leave them with either a house gift wrapped in toilet tissue or

scrambled eggs delivered to their door. (If it is true that egg whites have a tendency to turn hair lighter, then I know several people who should have white hair by now. (Right, Craig?) I guess I could ask Cook.

I recently read of an experiment conducted by a group of noted scientists. They calculated that by the year 2025 (November 13, to be exact!) all the world will be without food. This is backed up by several months study and a series of computer checks.

Further estimations revealed the fact that the world is also running out of natural resources. (Petroleum, metals, water, trees, etc.)

If people try to hoard these resources, it will cause an even greater shortage! It may not seem possible now, but in future years it will become more and more realistic.

This week when papers come out, Ag. I and II hope to have the honor of being number one in district and area chapter conducting. (I'll let you know about that later!)

Anyone wishing to purchase a box of grapefruit or oranges at \$5.50 a box can call me at 643 - 2502, Mr. Geye, or any Ag student. This is a money raising project for the Rising Star F.F.A. Chapter; your help will be appreciated.
Wish us luck,
Jay Benson

RAH! RAH! RAH!

Only two more weeks to go! This week we will be playing the Gorman Panthers. Gorman is not too far; thus we expect to

see all you fans there! This will be our last out of town game and your last chance for this year to travel to see the "Cats" in action.

Our bonfire went great last week - only a few minor burns! We would like to thank everyone who helped us with it, especially Wesley K. and David T. (a three - seater huh!)

You can tell that the cheerleaders have been working hard - so hard we sometimes doze in Civics. How 'bout that B.C.? Do you like whistles?

Keep up the Spirit!
Sharon

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 1. President
 2. Five Board Members
 3. A financial secretary - treasurer
5. BOARD SHALL DECIDE ON ALL SUSPENSIONS.

SIPE SPRINGS

Partyline

By Shirley Leonard

DeLeon 22 - Cisco 0

Folks, you missed a good ballgame Thursday! The DeLeon Cubcats showed a bigger Cisco team what little fella's can do, if they really want to bad enough. This week they take on Eastland at DeLeon. Get 'em Cubcats!

Miss Effie Foster is sick in the Comanche Hospital this week. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wyatt and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davidson, and daughter Irene visited with her Sunday. Miss Foster's sister, Mrs. J.W. Stanfield is in the Lamesa Hospital after being injured in a car accident near Lamesa. Mrs. Stanfield was returning home after a visit with Miss Foster. Hope both ladies get well soon.

Mark Barton and Eddie Millwee are over the mumps and back in school this week.

Mr. V.C. Cagle of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Squab Weaver over the weekend. Squab is through thrashing peanuts, so I hit him up for a loan right away.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson of Washington, D.C. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Washburn over the weekend.

Halloween Spooks were out in

Sipe Springs last week. One "spook" asked to borrow some soap to soap my windows.

Gwenda Butler is sick in the Comanche Hospital. Get well soon, Gwenda.

Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Leonard entertained several grandchildren this week and one great grandchild. So, there was lots of "fun noise" coming from down that way with Michael, Sherry, Vickie, Skippy, and Jimmy (better known as the Snotty Nose Kid) all there. Also there was Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Leonard of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Los Angeles, California and Mrs. Thurman of Rising Star came by for a visit one day last week.

Marita Joyce came by for coffee and a chat with me Monday. Her report on the Wildcat game Friday night could have been better. But, the game was well attended -- some as far away as Abilene.

By the way have you heard this old saying?:

GOOD

Here's to you,
as good as you are,
and here's to me,
as bad as I am;
but as good as you are,
and as bad as I am;
I am as good as you are,
as bad as I am.

NIMROD

NEWS

By Eva Stroebel

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wende celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Saturday, Nov. 4th at the Lutheran Parish Hall in Cisco. It was hosted by their sons Charles Wende and family of El Paso and Edward Wende and family of Cisco. Several from this community attended including Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wende, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schaefer, Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Stroebel, Mrs. Herman Reich, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hageman. Many more relatives and friends attended.

Those visiting Mrs. Edgar Townsend last week were Ordie and Ruth Hale. Mrs. Herbert Wright, Mrs. Betty Blackwell, Cisco and Lon and Laursey Townsend of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Karouse and children of Copperas Cove spent last weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ziehr.

Bob Jackson of Odessa visited his brother and family the Drew Dan Jacksons last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ziehr and sons of Sweetwater visited relatives here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrit Dill of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Stroebel Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Beulah Sheridan enjoyed a telephone conversation with her daughter Mrs. Helen Graham of Hobbs, N.M. Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wende visited his mother Mrs. Otto Wende and a sister Mr. and Mrs. Otto Naurt in Brownwood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Stroebel attended the Farmers Union Supper in Rising Star Monday night.

**The Lord Is Not Slack Concerning HIS Promises,
Toward Us; Not Willing That Any Should Perish . . .**

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PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
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Mrs. A. J. Martin, Pastor

Sunday School ----- 10 a. m.
Preaching ----- 11 a. m.
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BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
West College Street
Rising Star, Texas

Sunday School ----- 10 a. m.
Preaching Service ----- 11:00 a. m.
Sunday Evening Service ----- 6 p. m.
Wednesday Evening ----- 7 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rising Star, Texas
Rev Vic Allen, Pastor

Sunday School ----- 9:45 a. m.
Preaching ----- 10:45 a. m.
Training Union ----- 5 p. m.
Evening Preaching ----- 6 p. m.
Wednesday Evening Prayer Service ----- 7 p. m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
May, Texas

Sunday Morning Service ----- 10:45
Sunday Evening Service ----- 7:30

BAPTIST CHURCH
Carbon, Texas

Sunday School ----- 10 a. m.
Preaching ----- 11 a. m.
Training Union ----- 6:30 p. m.
Mrs. Bob Hastings, training director.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Pioneer, Texas
G. A. Dunn, Minister

Bible Study ----- 10 a. m.
Bible Study ----- 7 p. m.
(Wednesday Evening)

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
May, Texas

Sunday School ----- 10 a. m.
Preaching Service ----- 11 a. m.
Training Union ----- 5:15 p. m.
Evening Service ----- 6 p. m.
Prayer Meeting (Wed.) ----- 6:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
May, Texas
Joe Miller, Pastor

Sunday School ----- 10 a. m.
Preaching Service ----- 11 a. m.
Evening Service ----- 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Service ----- 7 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Rising Star, Texas
James Haney, Minister

Sunday Bible School ----- 9:30 a. m.
Morning Worship ----- 10:30 a. m.
Young People's Meeting ----- 5:55 p. m.
Evening Worship ----- 6:30 p. m.
Midweek Devotional and Bible Study, Wednesday ----- 7 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH
May, Texas

Family Night Each Wednesday Following Fourth Sunday
Sunday School ----- 10 a. m.
Preaching Service ----- 11 a. m.
MYF ----- 7 p. m.
(Mrs. Frank Madison, President)
Prayer Service Wednesday Evening Following second Sunday

MOUNTAIN TOP PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Sunday School ----- 10 a. m.
Sunday Services ----- 11 a. m.
Midweek Services Each Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rising Star, Texas
Lloyd Coker, Pastor

A friendly church with a warm heart welcomes you to
Sunday School ----- 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship ----- 10:50 a. m.
Evening Worship ----- 6 p. m.
Choir practice Wednesday at 7:30 p.
Choir practice Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

LONG BRANCH BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School ----- 10 a. m.
Sunday Service ----- 11 a. m.
Training Union ----- 6 p. m.
Preaching Service ----- 7 p. m.

OBITUARIES

S.M. (Seth) Bucy of Coleman, passed away in an Abilene hospital October 27. He was the son of W.A. Bucy and was born and reared in Rising Star. He is survived by his wife and five children. Mr. Bucy was a former resident of Rising Star. Those attending the funeral from here were: An uncle, Mr. J.R. Bucy and wife, a cousin, Mrs. Cecil Joyce and Mrs. Clara Burkhead.

MRS. MARTHA ARNOLD
Services for Mrs. Martha Alice Arnold, 100, of 604 Hendricks were held at 3 p.m. Monday at Davis - Morris Funeral Home. Burial was held in Pleasant Valley Cemetery with Rev. F. D. Stover of Elmore City, Okla. officiating. Mrs. Arnold died at 9 p.m. Saturday in the Brownwood Community Hospital following a brief illness.

Born July 27, 1872, in Newton County, Mo., she was a housewife and a Methodist. She had lived in Brown County 96

years and married Douglas Arnold May 23, 1894, in Grayson County. He died May 16, 1920. Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Smith of Sylvester, Mrs. Lela Murphy of Rising Star, Mrs. Jewel Smith and Mrs. Fannie Douglas, both of Brownwood, two sons, Velmer Arnold of Kermit and Audrey Arnold of May; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Zula Stubblefield of Brownwood; a sister, Mrs. Maggie Hubbard of Rising Star; 32 grandchildren; and a number of great - great grandchildren.

Birthday Greetings

NOVEMBER 9

Letha Maynard
Bob Clark

NOVEMBER 10

James B. Jones
Gwendolyn Butler
Nora Yancy
May E. Setser
Alta Scruggs
Calvin McDaniel

NOVEMBER 11

L.J. Linney
Lynette Starks
Pearl Bishop
Bert Holamon

NOVEMBER 12

Russell Poyner
Woody Chambers
Lolene Claborn
Rita Gibson

NOVEMBER 13

Gertie Smith
Naomi Burns
Marilyn Wilson
Maria Abernathy

NOVEMBER 14

Mrs. Beatrice Hellums
Mrs. Jessie Montgomery

NOVEMBER 15

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NOVEMBER 6

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FRIDAY

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• WHAT'S HAPPENING?
• EVERYONE'S GOING!



**MARCH ON
DOWN THE
FIELD**

• LET'S ALL GO TO THE BIG GAME!



RISING STAR WILDCATS 1972 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

| SCORE | WE | THEY | |
|------------------|----|----------|-----------------|
| WYLIE | 7 | HERE 46 | SEPT. 8 |
| BANGS | 0 | THERE 22 | SEPT. 15 |
| OPEN | | | SEPT. 22 |
| CROSS PLAINS | 21 | THERE 22 | SEPT. 29 |
| RICHLAND SPRINGS | 60 | HERE 28 | OCT. 6 |
| BLANKET | 28 | THERE 6 | OCT. 13 |
| EDEN | 0 | HERE 6 | OCT. 21 SAT. HC |
| LOMETA | 7 | THERE 45 | OCT. 27 |
| MERIDIAN | 8 | HERE 36 | NOV. 3 |
| GORMAN | | THERE | NOV. 10 |
| EVANT | | HERE | NOV. 17 |

DISTRICT

| NO. | NAME | POSITION | WT. |
|-----|-------------------------|----------|-----|
| 15 | Rickey Bolles - Fr. | QB | 144 |
| 16 | Steve Bibb - Jr. | QB | 189 |
| 18 | Kim Joyce - Jr. | HB | 151 |
| 20 | Tony Rimer - Fr. | HB | 123 |
| 22 | Teco Munguia - Fr. | HB | 131 |
| 27 | Calvin Diddle - Jr. | E | 142 |
| 28 | Alvin Spencer - Jr. | FB | 157 |
| 36 | Ricky Schaefer - Jr. | TB | 162 |
| 40 | Danny Munguia - Fr. | HB | 110 |
| 44 | Johnny Turner - So. | E | 183 |
| 50 | Tanner Schlittler - So. | E | 127 |
| 52 | Bob Cohen - So. | G | 163 |
| 60 | Tommy Childers - So. | C | 154 |
| 61 | Jim Carpenter - Sr. | C | 154 |
| 62 | Kenton Joyce - So. | G | 147 |
| 63 | Johnny Cook - So. | G | 175 |
| 65 | Gary Dennard - Jr. | T | 174 |
| 70 | Duane Winchester - So. | G | 146 |
| 71 | Steve Tarver - So. | G | 211 |
| 72 | Dale Wolf - Jr. | T | 194 |
| 75 | Weldon Griffith - Jr. | T | 198 |
| 77 | Andy Robinson - Sr. | T | 170 |
| 80 | Robert Owen - Fr. | FB | 142 |
| 81 | Ricky Ware - Jr. | E | 163 |
| 82 | Gary Westerman - Jr. | E | 140 |
| 83 | Bill Carpenter - So. | E | 115 |

Coaches: Frank Gray - head
.....Bobby Fortune

Mgrs: Guy Stewart.
.....Wesley Kanady

Cheerleaders: Bobbi Callaway
.....Sara Butler
.....Debbie Nunnally
.....Sharon Clarke

Blue and Gold

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