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THE RISING STAR Girls' Softball Schedule

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Regional Track Schedule

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Super Soph State Bound

Although she just thought that getting the "grass" to stand up for the Coronation decorations has been her biggest challenge recently, Emily Stuteville proved that activities at RSHS paid off in even a bigger challenge. That challenge is competing at the State level in Academic UIL in Austin on Friday, May 8.



Emily Stuteville

Two Named All District in Band



Angelia DeLong and Amy Collins were named to All-District Band.

Nimrod Baptist Church Revival Services to Begin Sunday

Nimrod Baptist Church will hold revival services May 3-6. Sunday morning service will be at 11:00 and the services Sunday through Wednesday evenings will be at 7:00.

Baptist General Convention of Texas. Dr. Edwards helps to start new churches in the western half of Texas. Ike Whitson of Carbon will lead the music. We invite everyone to come hear good gospel singing and powerful Bible preaching, and to meet our new pastor, Bill Armstrong.

Eastland Drowning Victim Recovered From Brazos

The body of Johnny Elton Williams, 50, of Eastland was recovered from the Clear Fork of the Brazos River at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, the third victim of a weekend boating accident.

Williams was one of four men in a fishing boat that was swept over the Gulf Dam ten miles north of Breckenridge last Saturday afternoon.

The bodies of R.L. "Snuffy" Morales, age 60, and Ronnie Martin, 50, were located Sunday morning and Monday afternoon. Another passenger in the boat, Phillip Murdock of Eastland, was able to survive by swimming the muddy river and climbing a steep bank.

When the boat was pulled over the dam and hit the churning water below it reportedly began flipping. Murdock was able to swim free of the accident and walk about 2 1/2 miles to alert family members.

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According to reports from Stephens County Sheriff James Cain, Morales, Martin, Williams and Murdock were in a

Miss La Estrellita Holds Court



Matthew Harmon and Betty Jones

The 1991-92 Miss La Estrellita Coronation was Saturday, April 25, at 8:00 p.m. in the gym. This year's theme is jungle related and several cute skits were presented by some of the finest actors and actresses in the school system.

The honorees for this year include: Miss La Estrellita and Miss Rising Star, Betty Jones, who selected Matt Harmon to be her Lord Chamberlain. Betty selected Courtney

Browning to be her attendant. Betty is the daughter of Jewel and Monty Jones and Matt is the son of Mary and Billy Harmon. Courtney is the daughter of Shawn and Doyle Browning.

Miss Rising Star High School, Senior Class Favorite and Most Athletic, Gherda Williams, daughter of Wanda and Travis Williams, was escorted by Mr. Rising Star High School and Most Likely To Succeed, Brandon

Geye, son of Terry and Gretchen Geye and the late Sharon Donham Geye.

Most Attractive Couple Miss Jomy Clark, daughter of Jan and Benjy Clark, and Chad Hill, son of Judy and W.D. Hill. Chad is also Most Athletic.

Michelle Ferbrache, daughter of Julie and Brady Fox, and Donnie Horton, son of Terry and Don Horton, are Most Friendly. Donnie is also Senior Class Favorite.

DeSha Barnard, Senior Class Representative, escorted Most Likely To Succeed, Scotty Wilson. Her parents are Sandra and Dale Barnard and his are Rita and Larry Wilson.

Football Sweetheart and FFA Sweetheart, Cheryl Robinette, daughter of

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'THANK YOU' From the Sponsor

To the following warm, willing (and the unwilling and unsuspecting), who worked to decorate the 1992 Miss La Estrellita Coronation: Judi Butler, Doug Fisher, Shawn Browning, Courtney Browning, Anna Ezzell, Cheryl Robinette, Gherda Williams, DeSha Barnard, Will Ezzell, David Fisher, Shannon Stuteville, Emily Stuteville, Christy Hughes, Doug Bass, Cody Wilson, Debbie Satterfield, Tina Patterson, Wendy Cooper, Stephanie Cook (and dog, Tiffany, for entertainment.), Inga Williams, Kelly and Barry Pritchard and Carol Horrell.

and Christy Hughes. For the music: Earla Pallette, Cheryl Robinette, Christy Hughes, Greg Stone, Terry Ware, Lee Robinette and Brandon Geye. To those who attended: YOU - the community. Thank you for your continued support of the La Estrellita Coronation. We appreciate you.



Brandon Geye and Gherda Williams

Kindergarten, Early Childhood Screening Will Be Held May 7

Kindergarten and Early Childhood Screening for the 1992-93 school year will be held May 7 beginning at 9 a.m. on the elementary campus.

Please contact Randy Mohundro, elementary principal, at 643-2431 to schedule an appointment for children ages three to five for early childhood and children five years old by September 1 for kindergarten.

The Early Childhood program is sponsored through Comanche Special Services Cooperative. Any child who is thought to be developmentally delayed or handicapped in any way will be screened.

Children who will be regular kindergarten students in the 1992-93 school term will need to be screened also for educational needs. Areas to be screened are hearing, vision, speech, motor skills and language ability. A developmental growth evaluation will be given.

Please bring birth certificate, shot records and social security number for your child. This screening

is very beneficial to you, your child and your child's teacher in finding out his or her educational needs.

Golf Tourney at Lakewood May 2-3

A 3-Person Golf Scramble will be held at Lakewood Golf Course, located midway between Rising Star and Cross Plains, Saturday and Sunday, May 2 and 3. Tee-off times are 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

The entry fee of \$60 per person includes a supper Saturday night, mulligans and closest to the pin contest. For more information call 817-643-7792.

Decoration Day Planned at Wolf Valley Cemetery

Wolf Valley Cemetery Association will host the Annual Decoration Day on May 3. Following worship services, a covered dish lunch will be held. Gospel singing will be after lunch. All singers

and families of former Wolf Valley people are invited to attend. The first grave in the cemetery was dug in 1882. Now over 300 people are buried there. Wolf Valley is located south of Rising Star on U.S. Highway 183.

City/School Election Is Saturday

Three incumbents and three challengers are seeking at-large seats in the Rising Star City Council election Saturday. Incumbents are Charles Barnes, Randy Goldston and Billy Harmon; challengers are Brenda Williams, Lorry Moore and Jay Lee Ware.

Four candidates are vying for two at-large seats on the Rising Star Independent School District Board of Trustees. They are Judi Butler, Nanette Goldston and Steve Campbell.

Be sure to vote in this local election Saturday. The polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at City Hall.

Eat Catfish With Charlie Jordan

The Rising Star Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture is sponsoring a benefit catfish supper at the city's new park pavilion on Monday, May 4, at 7:00 p.m. Starting at 6:30, just before the fish fry, there will be a baked goods auction, so take advantage of some of the delicious baked goods made by Rising Star and area cooks.

\$6.00 for all you can eat and the net proceeds will go to the building fund for the City Park Restroom Facilities. The City hopes to have these facilities completed in time for the 4th of July Freedom Festival.

Charlie Jordan, whom I am sure you remember as the television weatherman at KTAB, Abilene, will be among the ones eating that delicious "J.C. Cook" catfish. The price is

Come on out and have a good time. All you ladies bring your favorite cakes and pies for auctioning. This will be a great chance to enjoy the new pavilion, eat good food and help better the park—all at the same time. The City and Chamber have set the pace, let's support them and Rising Star.

Free Bar-B-Que

The public is invited to a free barbecue, sponsored by American Legion Post 433 in Rising Star, on Saturday, May 2. Ham, link sausage, beans and potato salad will be served.

Bingo games will start at 7:00 p.m. and pay out is the maximum allowed by law. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to come on down and have a good dinner and a good time!

Romney Cemetery Group Meets Monday

The annual meeting of the Romney Cemetery Association will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 4, at the Christadelphian Church at Romney.

All members are urged to attend this annual business meeting and all interested persons and visitors are welcome.

Community Calendar

Activity Center, 6:30	1ST TUESDAY
-----	Star Pride, Peoples State Bank, 5 p.m.
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-----	1ST WEDNESDAY
-----	Saturday Club, library, 2
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-----	School Calendar
-----	by Inga Williams
-----	Fri., May 1
-----	Baird, Baseball, 5:00 pm
-----	Regional track
-----	School holiday
-----	Sat., May 2
-----	Tri-County Band
-----	Mon., May 4
-----	Early out at 1:45
-----	Pee Wee track workouts.
-----	Tues., May 5
-----	Eula, Baseball, 5:00 pm

Dr. Carpenter's Office
Will Be Closed
All the second week in May,
May 10-16

Senior Citizens Center

by Marjorie West

Easter has come and gone; we are glad it was a pretty, warm day, so those who had egg hunts or picnic lunches had an enjoyable day out in the sunshine.

Belinda and Oliver West had a lovely Easter luncheon for Marjorie and Marjorie West and for her parents, Ray and Sallie Hutchinson. Amy West was home from college and brought a girlfriend who is an exchange student from Germany.

Curtis and Stella Hill visited their children, John and Kay Bradley, and children of Lancaster. They also visited with their son, Marty Hill, also from Lancaster. Kay may be facing surgery.

Barbara Nixon, a nurse, will be here at the center April 30 to check blood pressures for everyone.

Benjamin Chick's sister, Sybil Clements, of Kerrville passed away. Berna Lee is back home after spending 11 days in Stephenville. Her daughter, Paula Hubble was in the hospital eight days, but is better now. She and her daughter, Jerrilea,

spent the Easter holidays with the Chicks.

We were glad Oleta Seale was back at the center; she is back home after spending the winter months with her children.

Bill Gray was dismissed by a doctor last week. We were glad she was at the center Thursday.

A lovely birthday celebration luncheon was held for Joyce Geye, Alvie Bible and Berna Lee Chick.

We want to thank the Rising Star Flower Shop for the bouquet; it was just lovely. Monty Jones, the shop owner, sends flowers for the monthly birthday luncheon.

Dell Bible baked our lovely birthday cake. We want to thank her for doing this for our center.

We wish to thank Arnie Jagers for making pictures of our birthday people each month.

Oliver Wallace was a visitor at our center Thursday. Please come again, we were glad to have you.

Curtis Hill and Billie Lewis were visited by their sister from Hugo, Okla. the past weekend.

Rising Star Nursing Center

Vickie Majors,

Activity Director

MON: We did daily visits, in-room exercises and passed out mail. Playing bingo were Bryant Houston 0, Ruby Booth 3, Maggie Christian 1, Lena Scott 2, Daisy Smoot 1, Opal Gattis 7, Bertha White 0, Laura Bennie 2, Helen Mitchell 4, Leona Welch 2, Deward Maynard 5, Charles Rixford 5.

TUE: We did daily visits, care plans and passed out mail. Methodist Church ladies hosted our birthday party this month. The cakes were very good and the residents enjoyed them very much. Thanks to everyone for being here and helping.

WED: We did daily visits. Attending our exercises were Alpha Hogan, Nellie Corley, Irene Arnold, Bertha White; not attending were Maggie Christian, Lillian Morrow, Alma Armstrong.

Passed out mail. Bingo players were Bryant Houston 2, Ruby Booth 1, Maggie Christian 2, Daisy Smoot 0, Opal Gattis 4, Helen Mitchell 3, Laura Bennie 4, Rose Nichols 3, Jennie Turner 5, Deward Maynard 3, Kala Robertson 5 and Charles

Rixford 4.

THU: We did daily visits. Exercising were Albert Cline, Deward Maynard, Wilson Carleton, Bryant Houston; not attending were Martin Greenwood, John Childers, Charles Rixford.

We watched a movie and had snacks. Attending the later exercises were Vera Forbes, Mabel Dill, Maggie Clark, Allie Nelson, Pearl Nunnally; not attending were Johnnie Madison, Ruby Bailey.

FRI: We did daily visits. Playing bingo were Bryant Houston 1, Addie Green 3, Ruby Booth 2, Mary Hord 1, Opal Gattis 3, Velma Baker 3, Bertha White 2, Lena Scott 5, Rose Nichols 2, Laura Bennie 1, Jennie Turner 6, Lovester Brown 1 and Charles Rixford 2.

Attending exercises were Bertha White, Lena Scott, Mary Hord, Margaret Burgett, Hazel Coursey, Pauline Hill, Leona Welch, Laura Bennie, Ruby Booth; not attending were Daisy Smoot, Rose Nichols, Addie Green, Opal Gattis and Lovester Brown.

Thanks to the Church of Christ for Sunday services.

Pioneer Patchwork

by Irma Miller

The Quilting Circle worked on the Wedding Ring and the Brick. Their visitors were Juanita and Vi Harlow, who quilted all day, and at lunchtime, Paul Harlow.

Frankie and Oliver Smith went to Ranger to see her daddy on Thursday. On Friday night they attended the Rising Star musical and on Saturday were in Brownwood on business. Saturday night, in company with Jean Fore, they spent a good hour or two at the Echo

Social Security May Schedule

Representatives of Social Security will be in Eastland Monday, May 11, and 18 at 9:30 a.m. at the Park Hill Senior Citizen Center.

The federal budget has affected the Social Security Administration in several ways. One of these is that we have less money to pay travel expenses. So, we have had to reduce or travel schedule.

We regret the inconvenience and will resume our normal travel schedule when, and if, funds are made available.

You can call Social Security toll-free any weekday 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at 1-800-772-1213.

musical.

Jean Fore's visitors were Paul and Juanita Harlow and Vi Harlow, all of Lovington, N.M. Jean said she very much enjoyed the week's visit.

Jean Alexander and Dorothy Zedlitz took in the Buffalo Gap Art Festival and while there saw the exhibit of the art of Betty Beggs. They saw one exhibit of antique quilts which had been treated in various ways, framed, and pieces decorated with lace, and so on. They also had a good time observing the wildflowers along the highway between Clyde and Ranger.

Lottie Sooter's guest was her sister, Lucy Townsend, of Arkansas. Lottie was home from her trip visiting Louisiana and Arkansas.

Laverne Hutton, her mother, Mrs. Ella Dean of Cross Plains, and her sister, Mrs. Betty Haslam of Clyde, attended the Gurley reunion at Lake Nasworthy on Saturday. They saw lots of yellow daisies and some Indian Blankets along the road.

Billie Freeman was out Monday picking some early garden produce. Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Anderson of Rising Star were visiting Saturday with Nell and Joe Fleming.

Obituaries

Dennis Hattox

KERRVILLE - Dennis Hattox, 83, died April 21, 1992 in a local hospital. Services were at 10 a.m. Thursday at Grimes Funeral Home. Masonic graveside services were at 1:00 p.m. Friday at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Beaumont.

He died Tuesday, April 21, 1992, in a local hospital. Born Feb. 27, 1909 in Comanche County, he had lived in Kerrville since 1978 and had previously lived in Dayton. He was an insurance agent for 25 years with National Life and Accident Insurance Company and was a member of the Southern Oaks Baptist Church. He was a member of Quicksaw Masonic Lodge No. 1370 in Beaumont for more than 50 years. He was also a member of the Kerrville Elks Club, Scottish Rite Mason and the El Mina Shrine Temple in Galveston.

Area survivors include two sisters, Fay Hattox of De Leon and Geneva Rutherford of Rising Star.

Alma Leona Goss

COLEMAN - Alma Leona (Mrs. Fred) Goss, 87, died Tuesday, April 21, 1992 at her residence. Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday at Walker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Pat McClatchy officiating, assisted by the Rev. Glen Bowman. Burial was in Coleman City Cemetery.

Mrs. Goss was born in Ben Franklin and had lived in Coleman County most of her life. She was a homemaker and was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Fred Goss of Coleman; a daughter, Dortha G. Awalt of Munday; two sons, William G. Goss of Lueders and Louis F. Goss of Mandeville, La.; a sister, Mrs. M.A. Wilson of Rising Star; a brother, Robert N. Hambrick of Houston; six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Cecil 'Buck' Richey

MAY - Cecil 'Buck' Richey, 85, died Wednesday, April 22, 1992 in a Brownwood hospital. Graveside services were at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in the Lost Creek Cemetery with the Rev. R.J. Elkins officiating, directed by Davis-Morris Funeral Home.

Mr. Richey was born in Comanche County and lived most of his life in May. He was a retired carpenter, a Baptist and was the widower of Emily Tabor Richey.

Survivors include a stepdaughter, Francis Smith of Brookesmith; a sister, Billie Chambers of May; a brother, S.J. Richey of Tyler; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren and seven nieces and nephews.

Johnny E. Williams

EASTLAND - Johnny Williams, 50 died Saturday, April 18, 1992 in Stephens County. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 25, 1992 at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel in Rising Star with the Rev. O.L. Rogers officiating. Burial was in Merriman Cemetery near Ranger.

Mr. Williams was born in Tohoka. He was a rig operator, served in the U.S. Navy and was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Brownie Williams of Eastland; a son, Teddy Williams of Rising Star; two daughters, Sandy Williams and Judy Murdock, both of Eastland; three brothers, Alvis Williams of Ralls, Jerry Williams of Comanche and Larry Williams of Hilton, Okla.; four sisters, Janice Mason of Wichita Falls, Nelda Jones of Chicago, Ann Smart and Helen Campbell, both of Comanche and two grandchildren.

Annie Mae Smith

MAY - Annie Mae Smith, 85, died Friday, April 24, 1992 at her home. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church. Burial was in May Cemetery, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home in Rising Star.

Mrs. Smith was born in Coryell County. A homemaker and a Baptist, she moved to May in 1969 from Dumas.

She was the widow of James J. Smith Jr. Survivors include a son, James J. Smith III of Corpus Christi; a daughter, Mava Peterson of Lovington, N.M.; eight grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Irene Sprayberry Leonard

BISBEE, Ariz. - Irene Sprayberry Leonard died April 24, 1992. Memorial services were at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 29.

Survivors include a daughter, Janet Jorgenson of Tucson, Ariz.; a son, Jerry Jack Leonard of Tucson, Ariz.; two sisters, Lucille Pinkenson of Corpus Christi and Earline Presley of Richardson; and two brothers, Roy Sprayberry of Odessa and Bruce Sprayberry of Lake Whitney.

Fariel 'Sis' Jones

HOUSTON - Fariel Faye "Sis" Jones, 87, died Saturday, April 25, 1992 in a local hospital. Services were at 10 a.m. Monday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel in Rising Star with the Rev. Raymond Jones officiating, burial was in Sipe Springs Cemetery.

Mrs. Jones was born in Burket and was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Survivors include a daughter, Polly Cree of Houston; a brother, Doby Jones of Rising Star; and five grandchildren.

Warren Denton

PETERSBURG - Warren "Bill" Denton, 71, of Petersburg died Saturday, April 25, 1992 in a Lubbock hospital. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Jim Teeter officiating. Burial was in Petersburg Cemetery under direction of Abell Funeral Home.

Mr. Denton was born in Grannis, Ark. and moved from Lubbock to Petersburg in 1989.

Survivors include four sons, Mike, Ronnie, Cody and Bill of Pine Bush, N.Y.; four daughters, Francis and Rebecca, Linda Harrison of Granbury and Mary Sue Rone of Gentry, Ark.; a brother, Walter of Cisco; three sisters, Lucille Moore of Petersburg, Delia Barnard of Rising Star and Ruby Rogers of Weatherford; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

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Pioneer Baptist Church

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May

Calvary Assembly Church
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Union Center
Baptist Church

Sipe Springs
Church

First Baptist Church
400 N. Main

Assembly of Yahweh
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Church of Christ
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Bible Baptist Church
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Sipe Springs News

Game night was well attended and enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Rye of Albuquerque, N.M. are visiting his sister, Mrs. Mae Leonard, and other relatives. The three went to Brownwood and visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stokes Sunday afternoon.

Visitors at the T.A. Weavers this past week were Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Cagle of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Covie Weaver of Garland and Mr. and Mrs. Todd Weaver of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Caylon Joyce of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. Kenita Rainer, and husband last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Anderson of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Anderson of Rising Star had dinner with Mary

Happy Birthday

MAY 1
Dorothy Schlenker, Bryan Milner, Jacky Michael, Bobby Hubbard, Troy Bilbrey, Essie Cain

MAY 2
Bruce Hubbard, Sandra Harris, Caroline Harris

MAY 3
Johnnie Bird

MAY 4
Linda Crisp

MAY 5
Le Ann Bibb, Martha Ezra, Nell Bush, Joshua Munguia

MAY 6
Bill Gray, Mrs. C. Ezra, Mona Lindley, Myrle Ross

MAY 7
Casey Barker, V.O. King

Lifeguard Class May 2

American Red Cross will offer a Lifeguard Class starting May 2. Cost is \$55. Must be 15 years of age and a strong swimmer. Contact Taylor County Chapter 915-677-2622 for more information.

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Guest Slot

By HVO

THE FOLKS in Austin are going to be thrilled to know that I've totally and once and for all, solved the horrendous school finance problem.

OH I know everybody thinks it's unsolvable but it's really simple.

Yes, we've had the Robin Hood Plan which would rob from the rich and give to the poor. And you know how that got shot down. The rich, rich because it has a powerful lobby, shot that apple down quick.

AND THERE was one brief flurry from a not-so-brave state don (who is on his way out of the system anyway) who, heaven forbid, even broached the thought that, (better sit down for this) many of the small schools in Texas be CONSOLIDATED. Well, you know where that went.

Recently we've had the governor's Trickle Down Plan sprung, proposing to "transfer" the taxation of businesses to Austin, which has more expertise at extracting funds, than do the local yokels. But alas, most businesses are not without their "spokes-persons" (read lobbyists) in Austin, so don't hold your breath waiting for that to come down. Under this plan, all the businesses in the state would send all their school tax money to Austin, and then Austin would properly distribute, on a fair and equal basis, back to the various schools in the state. Doesn't the thought of that warm the cockles of your heart? Remember REVENUE SHARING? Wasn't that cool? We sent all the money to Washington and they sent some of it back to us.

We're waiting for yet another "special session" of the legislature to decide on this and/or other plans to salvage the educational system in the great state of Texas. Would it not be wise to also convene the courts at the same time, so that lawmakers and law-entrepeters could counsel one with another, in what might seem foolish, but none-the-less, possibly cost-saving to the rest of us taxpayers. That way, they could know in advance which dog-and-pony plan might go down with the courts.

SO HERE'S what we're going to propose to the special session: THE SCHOOL SOLUTION! It came to us in a blinding flash of inspiration, while pulling crab grass. On hands and knees, (where a lot of good thoughts are known to incubate), we're pulling and tossing: up, out, over the shoulder and away. The undesirable crabgrass was flying

every which way. You could almost hear it singing: "I can fly...I can fly." And then it struck, like a bolt. School finance problem had been on the mind, so it was natural that we were open for inspiration.

We'll call it the P.P.P.S. & H.E.F. -- The Peter Pan Public School & Higher Education Finance Plan.

It's based on the simple philosophy that if you believe something hard enough, it might come true. Like Peter Pan: "I can fly, I can fly". (Silly? Yes! But no more so than Robin Hood.) So if we believe certain things hard enough: 1. that our young people deserve the best education we can give them; 2. that local control is the best control, Ross Perot notwithstanding; and 3. that when we stop playing games, looking out only for our own selfish interests and really get down to working together, WE CAN solve our problems and deliver quality education, to lift Texas public education out of the back waters and to the national ratings it deserves. It may require answers to TOUGH questions: Less entertainment? More Teacher pay? Year-round school facility utilization?

In a nutshell, the Peter Pan Plan says we can do it, IF the decision-makers apply the same logic they ask of students in solving trig problems. And, maybe we all need to be on our knees, asking for a few bushels from Solomon's warehouse.

Given, that tax equalization and fair school financing may be impossible dreams, but it just could be that it's out there, if we look and work hard enough. The only thing at risk is our future.

Cisco Lady Golfers Invite Area Golfers April 30

Ladies of Cisco Country Club Golf Association would like to invite all area lady golfers to bring a sack lunch and join them Thursday morning, April 30. Tee off time will be 10 a.m. Lunch break will be after the first nine holes are played.

for 18 holes and \$3.00 for nine holes. Golf carts will not be available but most Cisco ladies have carts and will enjoy the company.

Beginners are welcome too. For more information call 442-1278 or 442-1176, evenings.

Green fees will be \$5.00

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ELEVENTH COURT OF APPEALS

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

AFFIRMED

11-91-093-CR David Eugene Fields v. State of Texas.-Rusk. (Per Curiam Opinion).

11-91-225-CV Alta J. Kilpatrick and George D. Kilpatrick v. Brookshire Brothers, Inc.-Cherokee. (Opinion by Judge McCloud).

11-91-240-CR Jeffrey Mark LeBlanc v. State of Texas.-Panola. (Per Curiam Opinion).

11-91-241-CR Jeffrey Mark LeBlanc v. State of Texas.-Panola. (Per Curiam Opinion).

11-92-016-CV Jerry C. Scott v. D. Gamble.-Houston. (Per Curiam Opinion).

APPEAL

DISMISSED

11-91-237-CR Diana Dews v. State of Texas.-Smith. (Per Curiam Opinion).

APPEAL DISMISSED FOR WANT OF JURISDICTION

11-91-147-CV Oddie O. Jones and wife, Naomi Jones v. First National Bank of Anson.-Jones. (Opinion by Judge McCloud).

MOTIONS SUBMITTED & GRANTED

11-91-083-CR Eddie Williams v. State of Texas.-Smith.

State's second motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-91-124-CR Ronald Brooks v. State of Texas.-Smith.

State's motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-91-159-CR Samuel Ernest Bigham v. State of Texas.-Stephens.

State's motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-91-170-CR Melvin Riggins v. State of Texas.-Scurry.

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

11-91-206-CR Le-carmichael Woods v. State of Texas.-Smith.

Appellant's motion to withdraw as counsel.

Appellant's motion for substitution of attorneys.

11-91-207-CR James Ellis Chandler v. State of Texas.-Anderson.

Appellant's motion to withdraw as counsel. (Per Curiam Order)

11-91-220-CR Daniel R. Unger v. State of Texas.-Anderson.

Appellant's second pro se motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-91-221-CR Daniel R. Unger v. State of Texas.-Anderson.

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

11-91-234-CR Bennie Grismore v. State of

Texas.-Smith.

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

11-91-235-CV Floyd D. Hutson, Joyce N. Hutson and Blendco Fuels, Inc. v. Thomas W. Blow.- Smith.

Appellants' motion to supplement record.

11-91-236-CV Otis T. Hawkins v. Van Zandt County Appraisal District and Van Zandt County Review Board.- Van Zandt.

Appellees' motion to supplement transcript.

11-91-237-CR Diana Dews v. State of Texas.-Smith.

Appellant's motion to dismiss appeal.

11-91-269-CV D. H. Bashford v. Barbara J. Roper and husband, W. F. Roper.-Callahan.

Appellees' motion to withdraw as counsel.

11-91-279-CV Judith Lisa White Earnest v. Time Earnest and Eugene Earnest.-Comanche.

Appellees' motion for

permission to file late brief.

11-91-283-CR Michael Alex Fields v. State of Texas.-Taylor.

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

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Appellant's pro se motion to set aside mandate and reinstate appeal.

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Two hundred and eight anglers from across Texas meet at Lake Leon for the Eastland Volunteer Fire Departments Open Bass Tournament. This year's event could well be remembered as the year the big bass bit. There were 10 or better fish over five pounds caught, and probably near that of 4 pound fish. Of course there was also one fish which was 6.12 pounds landed by Casey Schupp which took Big Bass honors.

A wide variety of baits were used by the winners with jigs, spinners and wienie worms leading the pack. What was consistent of most of the anglers

Musical At Scranton May 2
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and third, Robert Staton. The big story for me from this event was the show of our 4 to 5 pound class fish. If properly handled by anglers we should have some good numbers of hogs next year. What was lacking were a good number of three pounders. There fish are preferred sprawners, but this was offset with a huge number of 2-2 1/2 pounders. The last two open events held at Leon (September 91 and April 92) have seen anglers really have to hustle to make the top 20. 6.48 this past weekend and 6.32 last year. This says a lot for the success of the Florida strain introduction into Leon, thanks to TP and W. How about a new stocking in 1992? Terry Wilson

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Pharmacy Topics
By Bob Mueller

What works best against a cold? Australian study found that aspirin and acetaminophen increased nasal congestion. If you have a fever and aching muscles, say the researchers, you'll do better with ibuprofen.

Increasing calcium intake to 1,300 mg. a day ease the symptoms of premenstrual syndrome, a study at the Department of Agriculture Human Nutrition Research Center found. Their prescription: four glasses of skim milk a day.

Computerized laser, developed by French scientists, is said to make it easier and safer to remove birthmarks. Hexascan precisely controls the direction and intensity of the laser beam.

Exercise seems to cut down levels of fibrinogen, the protein that makes blood clot. Result: lower risk of stroke and heart disease. Study was reported in the journal *Circulation*.

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Agriculture Viewpoint

by M. Davy Vestal

COASTAL HAY PRODUCTION

Dr. George Alston, Agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Stephenville shared some interesting information Tuesday evening at an Extension sponsored Hay Quality meeting. Dr. Alston relayed that in recent fertility studies using nitrogen fertilizer in one lump sum, instead of the commonly used three applications (Spring, after first cutting, after second cutting), coastal production has responded very favorably.

Alston states that "not only do producers realize an economic gain in reduction of application cost, they should benefit from the early season moisture availability for acthation of the nitrogen".

Many times after the first cutting rainfall becomes short. With an early season application of a large amount of nitrogen the fertilizer is in the ground working for a quick regrowth.

Alston cautions producers not to try this procedure with Liquid N because of a burn and set back of the growth. "Ammonia Nitrate is pre-

ferred for this procedure over Urea as well" states the agronomist. Urea tends to activate with wet soils and turns to gas before it incorporates.

However a good rain after fertilizing is just what the doctor ordered, but who can count on that.

For more information over coastal hay fertility, contact the Eastland County Extension Office.

PECAN MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

Scheduled for May 1, 1992 at 5:00 p.m. on the Charles Walker Orchard 4 miles south of Eastland on Highway 6.

Larry, Womack from DeLeon will discuss Fertility, Insect and disease Management, Establishment and Pruning. One hour of CEU will be given to all private applicators. This course is coordinated by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Eastland County Pecan Growers Association, Palo Pinto County Horticulture Committee.

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and the farmers and ranchers of Texas in the administration of the 1990/91 Disaster Program. The Texas State ASC Committee presented certificates of appreciation to every county ASCS office in Texas.

Jerry D. Harris, Chairman of the Texas State ASC Committee, said, "We would like to take this time to let you know how proud we are of our county office employees and their dedicated service to the farmers and ranchers of Texas."

In addition, Harris stated, "As you know, the county offices just finished the sign up period for the 1990 and 1991 Disaster Program. What you may not know is what commitment and hard work it took for the counties to meet the deadlines imposed by Congress. Texas county offices were required to make a report of participation and projected payments not later than Saturday, April 11, 1992. However computer software sent to the counties to transmit the data was faulty. A fix to the problem was not received

until Friday night, April 10, and had to be hand-delivered to many offices. Determined county office employees worked long hours Friday and into Saturday night traveling from county to county to ensure information was timely and accurately transmitted to Washington, D.C."

As a result of county office efforts, the disaster information was successfully transmitted to Secretary of Agriculture Ed Madigan who announced a payment factor of 50.04% and authorized disaster payments of more than \$144,000,000 for Texas producers.

According to Harris, Texas ASCS employees continue to set the example for all government employees. Harris said, "The state ASC Committee members are all active farmers and ranchers, who regularly observe these committed professionals do everything they can within the regulations to make farm programs work." Everyone should be aware of how county office employees are working for them.

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McCoy's Building Supply Centers Open 100th Store

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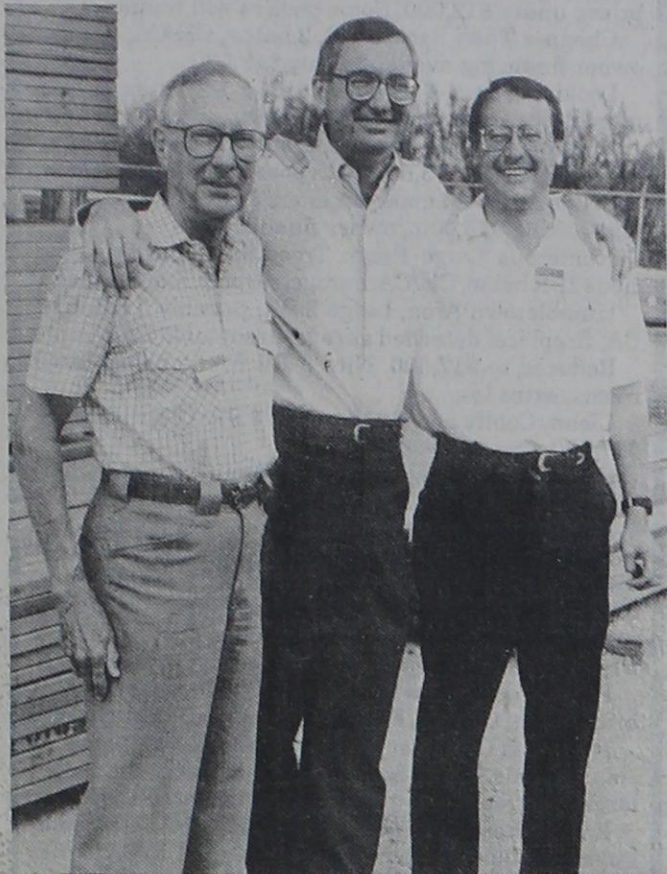
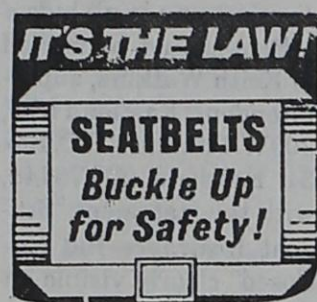
ton-based roofing company, McCoy's has expanded into one of the largest family-owned businesses in America's retail building supply industry under the direc-

tion of his son, Emmett McCoy.

Although the number of stores and sales volume have multiplied through the years, the basic structure of this third-generation company has remained the same. Efficiently operated stores, an emphasis on customer service, and the philosophy of storewide low prices are the three major ingredients formulating the chain's success.

Now headquartered in San Marcos, Texas, McCoy's has not only continued to expand inside its home state of Texas, but has added locations in New Mexico, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Mississippi.

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Pictured are McCoy's Building Supply Center owners and officers, Emmett McCoy and sons Mike McCoy and Brian McCoy.

MORAN NEWS

By Mrs. Luke Huskey

Mrs. Bobby Padgett and Susie of Athens spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Howard.

Government commodities will be given away at the Moran City Hall on Tuesday, May 12, starting at 10 a.m. If you think you might be eligible for the commodities, contact the Moran City Secretary.

The Moran Birthday Club will meet at K-Bobs Cafe in Breckenridge on Tuesday night, May 12. Come and enjoy an evening of fun, food and fellowship. Those with birthdays in May will be honored.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kays spent the weekend in Fort Worth with their daughter, Mrs. Craig Dunbar, and family.

Frances Green, Mildred Smith, and Elma May Huskey attended the Shackelford County Historical meeting in Albany last Thursday night. Jo

Ann Farmer showed some interesting slides on the erection and present day Courthouse. Some very informative facts were discussed. Cookies and lemonade was served following the meeting at the Gazebo.

David Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Alvice Parrish and Mrs. Johnnie Branham and Henry attended the funeral for their brother-in-law and uncle, Auda Fleming, in Seagraves last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Skiles and children of Arlington spent the weekend with Maurine McCollum.

Dick Palmer is receiving treatment in the Veterans Hospital, Big Spring.

Mrs. Cecil Harper is at home from the Blue Bonnet Nursing Home and would enjoy having friends come by for a visit.

Mary Edwards, Lorene Midkiff, Elma May Huskey and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kays attended the tea honoring Mrs. Lois Locke, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Meredith, in Olden Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Locke is the Deputy Grand Matron of District 3, Section 4, Order of the Eastern Star, Grand Chapter of Texas. The tea was hosted by Ranger Chapter No. 275. Mrs. Locke is a member of the Ranger Chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Murry of Oklahoma spent the weekend with his uncle, Alfred Agnew.

Have you noticed the beautiful wild flowers? Aren't they lovely? Due to the good rains that were received in the winter, the flowers are most outstanding. If you have not seen them drive along the roads and look. You will be glad you did. The weather continues to be hot in the Moran vicinity. No rain has fallen in several days. The weeds and grass continue to grow, but not as fast as a few days past. People are getting a rest from mowing.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Young were Marie White of Lake Brownwood and Margie Clausel of San Angelo.

Dean Tollefson of San Antonio spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Tollefson.

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Stephens County Genealogical Society Meeting To Be May 7 In Breckenridge

The Stephens County Genealogical Society will meet on May 7 at 7 p.m. in Clark Auditorium at the Breckenridge Library and Fine Arts Center for their regular meeting. The Genealogical Society is fortunate to have Mrs. Peggy Fox, Executive Secretary of the Harold B. Simpson Confederate Research Center, Hill College, Hillsboro, TX as the speaker for the evening. Mrs. Fox is a member of several genealogy societies and serves as Vice-President of the Hill County Genealogy Society. She is also a member of the Hillsboro Heritage League, Mrs. Fox has written and published "Going to Big Church", a guide for parents with small children.

Her program will be "Researching Civil War Records/A Day at the Confederate Research Center. Mrs. Fox is a "Real Granddaughter" and "Great Granddaughter of Confederate soldiers, her forbearers arriving in Hill County, TX during the

late 1860's from Tennessee and Mississippi.

If you have wondered where your Confederate soldiers served, this program will tell you how to research this information. The Confederate Research Center and Museum in Hillsboro has the most complete records of the Confederates of any research center in the United States. Historians, genealogists, art lovers and students open the doors to a new world of history, research and military art at this center. The Harold B. Simpson Hill College

History Complex includes: 1. Confederate Research Center and Museum 2. Audie Murphy Gun Museum and Weaponry Library 3. Hill College Press and Bookstore which publishes Texas, Confederate and U. S. Military History. Sales are world-wide. The Research Center has been featured in Southern Living Magazine, TV's PM Magazine and many leading Texas newspapers.

Mrs. Fox will have brochures and handouts. There is no charge and the public is cordially invited to attend.

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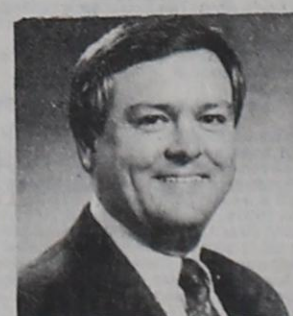
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Guest Slot

By HVO

Monticello

THERE ARE those who wouldn't drive out of their way to visit anything that had to do with Thomas Jefferson, because of their views of him. His Monticello (little Mountain) outside of Charlottesville

VA, was a treasured stop for us, recognizing that this magnificent home of his own design, was his refuge from the pressures of public services, which included Governor of Virginia, Minister to the French court, Secretary of State, Vice President and ultimately the third President of the United States.

We'd read and heard much about the home, but were surprised to learn that he in fact did not invent the many ingenious devices of convenience for which it is famous, but had copied them from other sources. Restoration continues, and a major new, but conforming to the original, roof was being installed when we were there. In 1769, at age 26, Jefferson began the plans and construction of his beloved mountain top estate, and Monticello portrays the interests and individuality of its creator. The house displays many original family furnishings and the orchard, vineyard, and gardens reveal his horticultural interests and talents.

Here again, a lot of re-creation from archaeological finds, ancient records, etc., particularly in Mulberry Row, the slave quarters at the plantation. Though he called slavery an "abominable crime," Jefferson was a slaveholder all of his life. He inherited 20 slaves from his father and 135 more from his father-in-law who had been active in the slave trade, a practice which was not prohibited until 1778 by an act drafted by Jefferson himself. He reportedly held a paternalistic view of his human property, and refused to sell slaves until economic difficulties forced him to sell a number during his lifetime, and his

death left the remainder unprotected. Usually living far beyond his means, he died deeply in debt, and his black community and property was sold at auction and dispersed.

Operated by a foundation, you buy your tickets at the bottom of the hill (expect to get Jefferson-faced \$2. bills in change); bused up to the house; and join a guided tour of some 20 at a time. From a terrace you can see Charlottesville and the University of Virginia that he founded and made the "hobby" of his old age and beyond it the Blue Ridge Mountains. Entrance hall is a virtual museum with fossil bones, buffalo head, elk antlers, and a seven-day clock which indicates day and hour. In this house, Jefferson enjoyed the "ineffable pleasures" of family society with his beloved wife Martha, daughters Martha and Mary and 12 grandchildren.

The five rooms on the south end of the first floor -- bedroom, cabinet, library, south piazza and sitting room--comprised his private domain where visitors and even family were seldom admitted. His 7,000 volume

library was sold (to raise cash) to the federal government to form the nucleus of the Library of Congress. Other rooms include the formal parlor, dining and tea rooms, guest bedrooms, and the second and third floors (untoured) contain nursery and five small bedrooms.

An important part of the mansion are the dependencies (kitchen, servants' rooms, smokehouse, dairy, stables, carriage bays, ice house, rooms for tools, weaving, nailmaking, carpentry and other services for the operation of the house and farm. These were all joined cleverly at a lower elevation than the house, concealed in the hillside out of view, and roofed with terraces from the main house.

The 5,000 acre plantation with four adjacent farms, was inherited by Jefferson at age 14, and was largely self-sufficient. He switched from tobacco to wheat cash crops and developed modern farming techniques, and the manicured grounds became a living laboratory, but due to many circumstances, the farms rarely showed monetary profit. Sound familiar?

Special State Benefits For Low Income Medicare

Income eligibility guidelines are higher this year for the Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB) program, according to Glyn Hammons, district manager in Abilene. "If your income was too high to qualify last year, you may want to reapply because the income eligibility guidelines were raised to conform with the new national poverty guidelines," Hammons explained.

The QMB program is run by the Health Care Financing Administration, the federal agency that runs Medicare, and Texas Department of Human Services. Under QMB, state Medicaid programs are required to pay Medicare medical insurance (Part B) premiums, deductibles and copayments for certain elderly and disabled persons with low incomes and

=very limited assets.

Generally, to qualify for the QMB program in 1992, you must: be entitled to Medicare hospital insurance (Part A); have an annual income at or below the national poverty levels; not have resources such as bank accounts, stocks and bonds in excess of \$4,000 (\$6,000 for a couple); the national poverty levels for 1992 are \$6,810 for an individual, \$9,190 for a family of two.

If you think you qualify for assistance under this program, you should file and application at Texas Department of Human Services. If you think you might qualify for assistance but do not have Medicare Part A contact a local Social Security office or call the Social Security toll-free number—1-800-772-1213—any business day from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. to inquire about filing an application for Medicare Part A.

Poem

My Friend

On a bright clear Sunday morning

As we walk down this dusty country road

We can hear the birds singing sweetly

As they put on for us a show.

We know His love is with us

In every living thing

The wild flowers blooming brightly

Blessed by the early morning rain

We feel His presence near us

As we kneel in silent prayer

Asking for His love and guidance

And he will meet with us there.

Do you know my Jesus

The one that loves us so

He gave his all for us

Will you answer when He calls.

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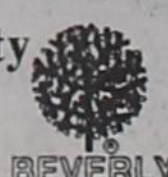
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Rising Star High School

Junior Cat Tracks

The Jr. Cats wrapped up a successful track season with one last, District, win. The team had a great time at the meet, and they are very proud of their accomplishments.

The sprint relay and the mile relay both placed first, Michael Perales won the 100 meter dash and the high jump and Daniel Rodriguez won the 800 meter run. I would like to mention the fact that Daniel has competed in the 800 meter run in every track meet this year, and he has won every time.

Gary Stone placed second in the 400 run, Landon Ratliff

placed third in the 800 run and Don Rutledge placed fourth in both the high jump and the 400 run.

Now their track season is over, the Jr. Cats will go into off-season workouts. The eighth graders will start preparing for high school and the younger Cats will be getting ready for another exciting year in Jr. High.

The Cats would like to say a special thanks to everyone who has supported them throughout this track season and the whole past year. Your spirit and devotion have been greatly appreciated.

Stuteville's Stats

by Emily Stuteville

The Jr. Lady Cats ended their track season well. They finished fourth overall in the district meet held in Rising Star on Thursday, April 23.

An exciting finish gave Rising Star a first place in the 400m relay. They also received second in the 800m relay and third in the mile relay.

Placing in individual events

were: Amy Collins, fourth in high jump; Melody Fisher, third in the 100m dash; and Shirley Smith, first in the mile and fourth in the long jump.

The girls would like to thank the community for its support during the season. Hopefully, now they can kick back and enjoy those coming final exams.

Lady Cat Athletics

by Gherda Williams

The Lady Cat Track Team traveled to Wall High School last Thursday to participate in a Regional Qualifiers Track Meet. The team did not finish nearly as high in the rankings as they have been in the past track meets this season. However, this disappointment was due to the fact that all of the participants were Regional Qualifiers from much larger schools of 2A, 3A, 4A and 5A calibers.

Even though the competition was stiff, one team member did manage to place pretty high in the field events. Brandi Harris received 3rd place in the long jump (16'8") and 6th

place in the triple jump (32'). Brandi also made it to the finals in the 200m dash. She came in 5th (27) overall, as her teammates cheered her on!

The girls coach, Robby Stuteville, said, "Even though the Lady Cats did not do as well last week as they had hoped, their relay times were still good and a good time was had by all."

An even better time will be had by the Lady Cats this Friday in Abilene at McMurry when they participate in the Regional Track Meet, as the girls still have good reason to be confident about advancing to finals in the Regional Meet!

Davitorials

by David Fisher

Why are Taco Bell commercials so dumb? Why should we make "a run for the border"? Taco bell is in Brownwood, not Mexico. The songs are real lame. They try to hire neat people to sing, but they always get the dead, shot-out-of-water, washed up, drug-gone-straight singers. And who plays a piano on the back of a truck? You'll notice he doesn't do the commercials anymore. It's really not that cheap, either.

I am sorry I just let out all of my Taco Bell anger on paper. It won't happen again. You must admit that I am right.

Incredible Edibles

by Inga Williams

May 4-7
MON: Lunch: Frito pie, corn, salad, cake, milk. **Breakfast:** French toast, syrup, juice, milk.
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WED: Lunch: Spaghetti, carrots, salad, rolls, cookie bars, milk. **Breakfast:** Bacon, toast, juice, milk.
THUR: Lunch: Barbeque chicken, fixings, French fries, fruit, milk. **Breakfast:** Gravy, biscuits, juice, milk.

Fast Talk

by Cheryl Robnette

What two sr. guys went fishing for snakes but ended up finding a beaver. Ask them about the beaver's tail.

What sr. guy and girl got new names, like "Tarzan" and Jane."

What coach's daughter ate a lot of cookies and candy during the coronation just so she would sit still during the skits? Oh, but wasn't she cute?

What new sr. doesn't have her boyfriend around anymore? Note to all the boyfriends: **Never** make your girlfriend's dad angry with you.

What sr. got hit in the eye with a BB? Next time be more careful when you aim.

What sr. finally found a girlfriend? Congratulations, but aren't we a little bit too shy with her?

What sr. just can't get enough of fishing and has to go every day?

What sr.'s husband left her and a friend fishing alone? And guess what happened when they caught one?

Which RSHS students are ready for school to be out? Hint: **All of them**, especially the seniors.

What teacher played the "elephant" at the coronation and had a soph. "duckie"? Hint: She teaches computer and the soph. is a cheerleader.

What jr. fixed a sr.'s hair for the coronation? Needless to say she had to wash it three times just to get all of the hair spray out.

What 8th grade girl was really rude in the coronation? Haven't you ever heard of manners?

Just three more weeks of school left and everyone is counting down the days until the end.

Dear Marie

I have two friends, one's a boy and one's a girl. They've started going out and so far things have gone good. The problem is, I know him better than she does. In the past, he's only been with girls to "find out what they were like." I don't want to see her get hurt, but I don't want to lose a friend. What can I do? Caught in the Middle
Dear Caught,
 You should give her a warning, but she might not listen. Either way, you're going to lose a friend. They might be a good couple, but if you feel you need to tell her, do so.

Rising Star Wildcats Baseball Schedule

The game scheduled for May 1 is changed to May 9, 2 p.m. (due to conflict with Regional Track Meet).

May 5 *Eula 5:00 There
 May 12 *Baird 5:00 There

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Super Sophomore

Emily, the sophomore daughter of Debra and Robby Stuteville, qualified for Austin by placing second in Journalism Feature Writing at the regional meet held Saturday, April 25th, at McMurry University in Abilene. Best friend, Christy Hughes, humorously chimed in, "I'm glad somebody made it out of regional, considering we left here at 6:45 in the morning!" She also added, "I'm really proud of her."

The high school principal in Mr. Stuteville stated, "Although athletics is generally equated with state competition, it is especially satisfying when state level competition is made in academics." (The Dad in Mr. Stuteville, however, had a grin across his face the size of his office door!) When last seen, Mom, Debra, was floating off the ground, but she was very happy for Emily and was busy planning their trip to Austin.

One of Emily's hobbies is running around with Christy Hughes. It is convenient for her that her other hobbies are school and UIL.

Emily will compete in a flute solo at state at the end of May. This achievement falls after receiving a I in flute solo at regional band. She is also a member of the RSHS Band which received Sweepstakes rating.

Emily is a Wildcat Tales staff member, on the La Estrellita staff, on the varsity basketball and tennis teams and participated in Journalism Feature Writing and News Writing, Lincoln/Douglas Debate, Persuasive Speaking, Current Events, Calculator and Science. She qualified for regional in Feature and News Writing and Persuasive Speaking. Because of scheduling conflicts, she participated in

the Writing. As if she doesn't have enough to do, between her activities and maintaining an A average, Emily is also a member of the First Baptist Church Youth Group.

Emily wears her favorite colors, Baylor green and gold as often as possible, leaving us no doubt that she would like to attend Baylor University. She thinks she would like to study medicine or law. Her favorite clothes these days are XL T-shirts and sweats, but she assures me that's just 7 a.m. Driver's Ed days because she doesn't want to be thought a slob.

As a sponsor, I can tell you she absolutely adores creative activities such as decorating for the Coronation and works hard at all she participates in to be the best she can possibly be. She tries to be cool and calm about her achievement, but I think inside she's pretty excited. Em's statement about the whole thing? Just, "I'm glad to have a chance to represent my school in this way."

(Note: The last time a Rising Star student went to state was 1985. Mrs. Azalee Womack took Karen Wilson Brown to Austin in Spelling.)

Athletic Scholarships Available

Over 100,000 collegiate athletic scholarships are available each year to male and female high school and junior college student athletes. Contrary to popular belief, students don't have to be all state to qualify. Much of this money goes unused. A New publication with forms, sample letters and tables of factual information is available for student athletes. It takes them step by step through the important process of getting an athletic scholarship and includes college and conference listings.

For information on how to get a collegiate athletic scholarship, send a #10 self addressed, stamped envelope to the National Sports Foundation, 611A Willow Drive, P.O. Box 940, Oakhurst, NJ 07755.



Regional Track & Field Schedule

Indian Stadium, McMurry University, Abilene

Friday, May 1 (times a.m. through p.m.)

- 9:00 High jump- G, Discus- B, Triple jump- B: Final event
- 11:00 High jump- B, Discus- G, Triple jump- G: Final event
- 1:00 3200 meter run- G: Final event
- 1:30 3200 meter run- B: Final event
- 2:00 400 meter relay- G & B: Prelims
- 2:30 800 meter run- G & B: Prelims
- 3:00 100 meter hurdles- G: Prelims
- 3:15 110 meter hurdles- B: Prelims
- 3:30 100 meter dash- G & B: Prelims
- 4:00 800 meter relay- G: Prelims
- 4:15 400 meter dash- B & G: Prelims
- 4:45 300 meter hurdles- G & B: Prelims
- 5:20 200 meter dash- G & B: Prelims
- 5:50 1600 meter relay- G & B: Prelims

Saturday, May 2

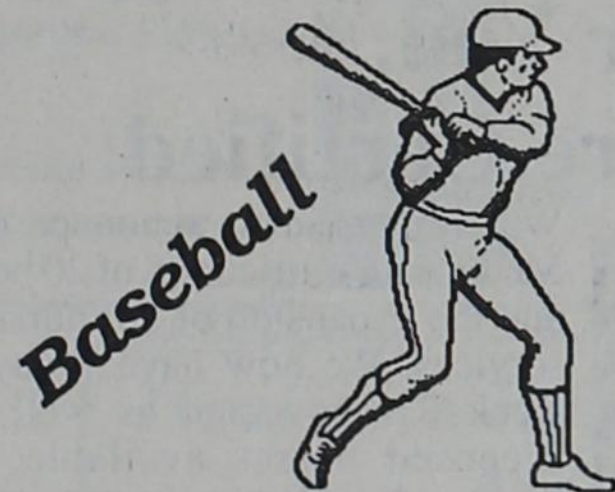
- 9:00 Shot put- G, Long jump- B, Pole vault: Finals
- 11:00 Shot put- B, Long jump- G: Final events
- 1:30 400 meter relay- G & B: Finals
- 1:50 800 meter run- G & B: Finals
- 2:10 100 meter hurdles- G: Finals
- 2:25 110 meter hurdles- B: Finals
- 2:35 100 meter dash- G & B: Finals
- 2:55 800 meter relay- G: Finals
- 3:10 400 meter dash- B & G: Finals
- 3:30 300 meter hurdles- G & B: Finals
- 3:55 200 meter dash- G & B: Finals
- 4:20 1600 meter run- G & B: Finals
- 5:00 1600 meter relay- G & B: Finals

All Friday and Saturday running events will be filmed by an Accutrac System.

Girls Softball Schedule

Ages 8-11

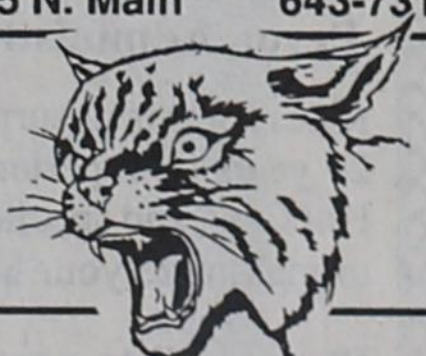

Time	Date	Home	Away
6:30	Thu., Apr. 30	Gorman I	RS Angels
6:30	Fri., May 1	RS Stars	Gorman II
6:30	Mon., May 4	RS Stars	Gorman I
7:00	Tue., May 5	Gorman II	RS Angels
6:30	Fri., May 8	Cisco Lemon Drops	RS Angels
6:30	Fri., May 8	RS Stars	Cisco Roughnecks
6:30	Mon., May 11	RS Angels	Cisco Roughnecks
7:00	Tue., May 12	Cisco Lemon Drops	RS Stars
6:30	Fri., May 15	RS Stars	Cisco Hypers
6:30	Mon., May 18	RS Angels	Cisco Hypers
6:30	Fri., May 22	RS Angels	Cisco Lemon Drops
6:30	Fri., May 22	Gorman II	RS Stars
6:30	Mon., June 1	RS Stars	Cisco Lemon Drops
6:30	Tue., June 2	Gorman II	RS Angels
To Be Rescheduled		RS Angels	RS Stars



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Murphree Oil Co. 308 W. Mills 643-2341	Main Street Auto Repair 127 N. Main 643-1701	#1 Video Mildred Childers, Owner 200 S. Main 643-1009	Jim Ratliff Welding 430 E. Mill 643-6464	Max's Quickway 200 W. College 643-1490	The Ole Store 124 N. Main 643-2221

County Commissioners Approve Proposal For Museum In Old Jail

Eastland County Commissioners Monday approved a proposal to turn the old County Jail into a Museum.

The proposal was from H.V. O'Brien, Eastland County Newspapers publisher and Editor of the Eastland Telegram. It was presented to the Court by Pct. 4 Commissioner Reggie Pittman, who oversees the jail.

"Turning the old jail into a County Historical Museum, through cooperation with citizens and groups locally, and to seek grants for development. This naturally would link to the Cisco Santa Claus Bank Robbery, the Conrad Hilton Museum, to the Roaring Ranger Museum, and points of interest in Gorman, Carbon and Rising Star. The idea being that each entity would help direct its visitors to other points in the county, with free exchange of literature and brochures, so that visitors who 'drop in' could be lured to stay longer and visit other sites, as we make them easy to visit."

agreed with this proposal, and thought it would be a good thing for the whole county.

Pct. 1 Commissioners stated their approval, saying that tourism was a big industry in Texas now, and Eastland County should save historical sites and try to bring as many visitors here as possible.

County Judge Scott Bailey asked if anyone in the audience wished to state an opinion on the proposal.

Ed Allcorn, Manager of the Majestic Theatre, and Roy Lee Smith, President of the Eastland County Historical Society, spoke in favor of the idea.

Allcorn said that a Museum in the Jail would add interest to the historical area around the Majestic and its Annex on the north.

Roy Lee Smith said that the Museum was an excellent idea, but it would take a lot of work.

It will need participation from all the county, and a term contract would also be needed on the building," Smith said.

He turned to Sheriff Ronnie White and asked if the old jail was being used for storage, and White said it was. But the Sheriff added that a storage building could probably be put on the outside. White also said that he could clean the old jail up with inmate labor.

Roy Lee Smith told the Court it would take a lot of planning to set up a Museum properly, in which points of historical interest were left intact. There would also need to be volunteers to keep the Museum open, he reminded the Court.

After voting their approval on a Museum, the Commissioners requested that Roy Smith head the work. He was asked to first appoint a Committee to study the possibilities of the project.

On other business, the Commissioners voted to make an application to participate in the National Flood Insurance Program, and take steps to comply with all regulations.

Pct. 1 Comm. Richard Robinson said that if the

county is accepted, claims filed by Lake Leon flood victims will be reconsidered by the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

James Greer of Lake Leon told the Court again about the many homes that were damaged by high water in late December and early January, and how emergency aid claims were denied because the county did not participate in the flood insurance program.

Comm. Robinson said that if the county is accepted into the Flood Insurance Program "Every area of the County will have a different rate, depending on the likelihood of being flooded."

He added that all development would probably have to stop around Lake Leon, with strict enforcement on buildings below the 1385 ft. mark.

The Commissioners said it might be arranged for the Lake Patrolman to issue or deny permits.

On another agenda item, Sheriff Ronnie White told the Commissioners that he doesn't have the extra manpower to enforce a county parking ordinance around the Courthouse.

Richard Robinson said he would discuss the matter with Eastland City Manager Paul Catoe to see if the City's parking enforcer can also patrol inside the Square.

The Commissioners also heard from Wes Heald (Brownwood) and Bryan Neaves (Eastland) of the Texas Department of Public Transportation.

Heald said that funding should be available this summer to add five or

six miles of additional FM roads in the nine-county area he supervises. He discussed county roads from 1-20 into Scranton which have been proposed for a new FM road, and also unpaved roads NW of Ranger along the Stephens County line.

He said these roads needed paving, and he wished he could promise to fix both. But he said the Department would have to take everything into consideration and make hard decisions. "Not much money goes into FM roads," he said.

Heald added that he wanted people of the county to know that the improvement on 570 S.E. of Eastland would not influence the decision on new FM roads for the county.

"This is a different system-improvement on an existing road," he said.

On another matter, Commissioner Pittman reported on trash being dumped on county roads. After discussing this at length, the Commissioners voted to donate \$50 per month to Eastland County Crime Stoppers for rewards to citizens turning in names of people dumping trash on roads.

Pittman also reported on the jail population, saying that 26 were currently being held. Four of these were due to be sent to TDC shortly.

Sheriff Ronnie White also had some news on the jail, and it was good. On Thursday, April 23, the State Jail Inspector make his visit, and the facility was approved. This is the fifth year that the jail has passed inspection by State officials.

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Drowning Victim

members who were in a fishing camp.

Around 4:30 p.m. the initial call of a "possible drowning" came to the Sheriff's office in Breckenridge. A deputy was dispatched to the scene and determined what had happened, but by that time it was apparently too late to get a search effort underway before dark.

Local authorities and volunteers began searching the river Sunday morning, with seven boats and draglines. About an hour after dragging the river, authorities found Morales' body about 500 yards downriver from the dam. Around 1:30 p.m.

Monday Martin's body was located floating in the middle of the river about one-fourth of a mile from where Morales' body had been found.

A full crew was ready to resume the search Wednesday when Williams body was located. It was about a half-mile downstream from the others and about a mile from the Gulf Dam.

Sheriff Cain said this boating accident was probably the worst ever in the County, because of the number of fatalities. The Sheriff expressed his appreciation to all people who helped in the search efforts.

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ASCS News

David W. Martin
Exec. Director
Eastland County

Signup Program Extended: Signup for participating in the 1992 Wheat, Feed Grain and Cotton Programs has been extended through May 1.

Secretary Madigan stated that farmers in a variety of special circumstances have indicated that more time for signup would be helpful. The extension will not delay receipt of advance deficiency payments.

Failed Small Grains: Producers who have program crops that fail due to drought, freeze, flood or other conditions beyond their control should file a failed acreage report before making other use of the crop.

ASCS must inspect the crop before disposition in order to receive disaster credit, and planted and considered produced credit.

Peanut Considered Produced Credit: Producers who spring transfer by lease to different operators or owners can receive considered produced credit for the pounds transferred provided that the transferring farm has not spring leased or released quota in any two of the previous three years.

Producers who spring transfer to the same operators or owners can receive considered credit for the pounds transferred provided that the receiving farm produces the receiving farm's basic quota and the transferred quota. These type transfers do not have a year restriction imposed as on leases to different operators or owners.

Reporting Cropland for Program Benefits: Producers are required to report all cropland acreage, including zero acreage reports on ASCS-578 when the farm is participating in the current year's production adjustment and CRP programs. This requirement is to insure that:

*Acreage affecting participating crops is not omitted.

*Normal historical plantings of fruit and vegetables remain current.

*The farm is complying with HEL and WC provisions.

*History is maintained for program crops.

Producers on nonparticipating farms requesting planted and consid-

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County Historical Society To Meet Tuesday At 7 At Jail

All Eastland Countians are invited and urged to attend an organizational meeting for the development of the Olde Jaile as a County Historical Museum.

Coordinator Roy Lee Smith has called the meeting for 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 5th at the Olde Jaile.

The County Commissioners Court voted this week to provide the historic old building for use as a county museum, and a great deal of details are to be worked out and plans formulated for its development to serve this entire area.

All persons interested in participating in this exciting project are invited to attend the meeting with ideas and recommendations, Mr. Smith said.

County Clerks Attend Seminar At Texas A&M

About 500 county and district clerks and their staff took part in the 20th Annual County and District Clerk's Seminar at Texas A&M University, March 16-18.

The seminar is designed to update participants on duties and responsibilities of their offices, helping them become more capable and effective in serving the public.

"Workshop for Professionals" was the theme for the meeting. Participants took part in general sessions, workshops and discussions on topics that included ethics, legal research, probate law, budget presentations, reports, new legislation, grant searches and preparation of court minutes.

The seminar was sponsored by the V.G. Young Institute of County Government of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the County and District Clerk's Association of Texas in cooperation with the Texas Association of Counties. Clerks received 18 hours of credit from Texas A&M Office of Continuing Education by participating.

President of the association for 1991-92 is Dorothy Browne of Gail, county and district clerk of Borden County.

Participating in the seminar from Eastland County were Joann Johnson, County Clerk and Bill Mears, District Clerk.

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Caryl Jones and Howard Lawrence

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gary Jones, of Abilene, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Caryl Dyan Jones, to Howard Royce Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Gale Lawrence of Rising Star.

The bride-elect is a 1989 graduate of Monahans High School and is currently attending Howard Payne University where she is majoring in Mathematics. The prospective bridegroom is a 1989 graduate of Rising Star High School and is presently enrolled at Tarleton State University where he is majoring in Agribusiness.

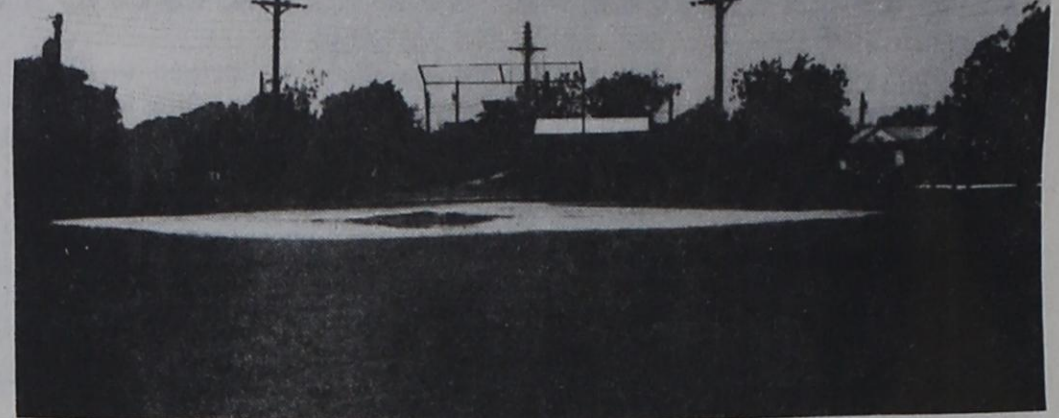
Miss Jones and Mr. Lawrence will be married on Saturday, June 27, 1992, at 2:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Rising Star. The couple will reside in Rising Star. Grandparents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Rabbit Jones of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ramph of Frisco. The surviving grandparent of the bridegroom is Mrs. Howard Moore of May.

RJC Home Volunteers Clean Up Computer Seminar

The Continuing Education Department of Ranger Junior College will present a one-day seminar entitled "Turning Your Personal Computer Into a Profit Center." This seminar is being coordinated by Ranger Junior College's Graham Campus and will be held at the Graham Alternate Learning Center, 701 Tennessee St., Graham, Texas, on Saturday, May 9, 1992, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The American Home Business Association estimates that by the turn of the century, one third of American workers will be self-employed entrepreneurs working out of offices in the home. If you are considering a career change, would like to work for yourself, and are intrigued by the staggering capabilities provided to the individual by current computing technology, you should attend this seminar.

Ideas for in-home computing-for-pay will be discussed, as well as the tools necessary to turn your entrepreneurial drive into a reality. Aspects of planning, marketing, organizing, accounting, and controlling a business will also be covered. Fee for the seminar is \$85.00. Call Donny Veal at Ranger Junior College, 647-3234 for registration.



A big 'Thank You' to all the volunteers who gave time and equipment for sprucing up the ball park. Gene and Lorry Moore; Michael and Judi, Holly and Timothy Butler; Ricky, Shelly and Blair Bailey; Gerald, Sunny and Toni Myers; Billy, Kathy, Kirby, Racheal and Bridger Bush; Steve White, Rick Cottrell; Nannette, Brandi and Dusty Goldston; Bobbie Chambers; and Donald Cornett

4-H News

by Janet Thomas, County Extension Agent

EASTLAND COUNTY 4-HERS WIN

Eastland County 4-Hers participated in the District 8 4-H Roundup contests at Tarleton State University. Winning honors were the following juniors:

3rd Place: Clothing Education Activity - Tiffany Savage of Rising Star 4-H Club

1st Place: Entomology Demonstration - Janice Glover and Samantha Stephens of Gorman 4-H Club

3rd Place: Family Life Education Activity - Kory Collins of Rising Star 4-H Club

3rd Place: Focus on Health - Mark Glover of Gorman 4-H Club

2nd Place: Horse Demonstration - Blair Bailey of Rising Star 4-H Club

4-H SPECTRA APPLICATIONS DUE

4-Hers wishing to attend 4-H SpecTra (as well as Primetime) are reminded to mail your pre-registration form and deposit to the Texas 4-H Center to arrive May 1st. All sessions will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis after May 1.

4-Hers are reminded that applications will be accepted by mail only.

BI-COUNTY 4-H CAMP COMMITTEE

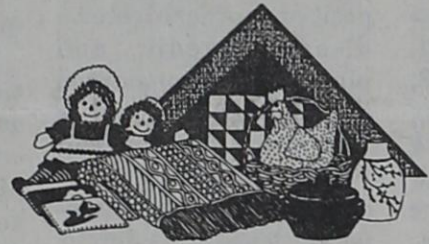
The Comanche-Eastland County 4-H Camp will be on July 17-18 at the State 4-H Center.

4-Hers who have volunteered to serve on the planning committee are Ricky Agnew, Cathy Thomas, Jackie Powledge, Jennifer Jarrell, Jeremy Keith, and Blair Bailey.

The 4-H Camp Planning Committee meeting with Comanche County 4-Hers will be Thursday, April 30th at 4:30 p.m. in DeLeon at LaDon's Restaurant.

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