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Production, Marketing of Fruits and Vegetables Topic of Jan. 24 Meeting

The Rising Star Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture will sponsor a meeting for those people interested in the commercial production and marketing of fruit and vegetables in this area. The meeting will be held Friday, January 24, at

2:00 p.m. at the Activity Center of First Baptist Church in Rising Star. Dr. Frank Demello, extension horticulturist from Texas A&M University will discuss production of fruit and vegetables and Bill Weeks of Harlingen, current president of

Texas Citrus and Vegetable Association, will discuss marketing of fruit and vegetables. Anyone interested in production and/or marketing of fruit and vegetables is urged to attend this meeting.

Stenholm Meets With Local Peanut Farmers, Others



Peanut farmers showed their concern about congressional talks concerning the General Agreement on Trade and Tariffs (GATT) when they and other citizens met with Congressman Charles Stenholm in the community room of Peoples State Bank here Tuesday afternoon.

Stenholm, in his 14th year as representative from the 17th District, said he has worked against the odds for his rural and agricultural constituents since, in his estimation, about .025 percent of his colleagues have any real understanding of the peanut program.

He has had the support of farmers in the past, but area farmers voiced concern over his backing of the Fast Track, trade agreements passed with speed by Congress, and with GATT, particularly Section 22. (These issues are quite complicated and this reporter has little knowledge of the trade agreements.) Our representative replied that he feels that agreements leading to "freer and fairer trading rules" will be in the best interests of farmers in the long term and that he fears a program without GATT more than with it.

"The U.S. economy is sick," Stenholm said, and added that he has sincere concerns that protectionism (trade rules) would make it even worse.

Stenholm plans to continue to work to improve the peanut program, but said that he felt that, after considering long term and short term effects, sup-

porting the Fast Track was the proper way to go.

Two things he said he wanted to see submitted in the GATT talks were elimination of export subsidies and an agreement on sanitation rules regarding food and fiber imports.

Without rules supporting freer and fairer trade, Stenholm feels there is a possibility of an export-import protectionism war, which would get out of hand and hurt the United States seriously. He reit-

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Local Livestock Show & Fair to Be Saturday

Local Livestock Show & Fair will be Saturday, January 18, at the Rising Star High School gym. There will be a craft and food fair (everyone is invited to enter), rabbit show, hog and lamb show and a cake auction. Please come and support our annual auction. A concession stand will be open.

The Livestock Show & Fair supports 4-H and FFA. There are 21 students who will show market animals and three students will show breeding animals.

Look for a fair entry form in this newspaper or get one from any 4-H or FFA student or sponsor.

County Commissioners: Agriculture Team To Survey Flood Damage

Eastland County Commissioners heard Monday that an Emergency Management Team would be in the County Thursday, Jan. 16 to assess agricultural damage from the December floods. Anyone who had damage to crops, fences or livestock should contact the local ASCS office and report this damage.

The Commissioners reported that a Federal Emergency Management Team surveyed county road damage on Thursday of last week, after Eastland County was declared a Disaster Area.

The roads were traveled, and each site assessed. Pct. 1 Comm. Richard Robinson was the only one reporting that each site he asked help for was approved. He said he had only two places that were so bad felt sure they wouldn't be turned down.

On one, he said he "Took him (the inspector) as far as we could go, and then backed up a half mile to get out."

Pct. 4 Commissioner Reggie Pittman had 26 places approved for assistance. Pct. 2 Commissioner Calvin Ainsworth had 21, and Pct. 3 Commissioner L. T. Owen 20. Each of these commissioners had put in requests for more sites than were approved.

Pittman said that he "showed him (the inspector) a lot more than he wanted to see!"

The Commissioners were told that the only sites approved were those that were "washed completely out," and would cost "real bad expense" to fix. There would be "about a \$250 minimum on each site," or 80 percent of the cost.

There would be no funds allowed for "improving" the county roads, just for getting them back into the shape they were before the December floods.

Each commissioner will need to keep an account of the money spent on repairs.

In other business, Commissioner Richard Robinson said he hadn't heard what the target date would be on the use of the 9-1-1 Emergency System.

He said testing was going on now at the County Dispatch, but there were still a few homes in the county with no address and information listed. Robinson said he expected this to be cleared up soon.

He said there was also another problem - some people living just outside of Eastland County are listed on the County 9-1-1 System. These residents have to be "flagged" so that when they call in their messages can be given to proper authorities.

During Monday's meeting representatives of Protective Life Insurance Co., informed the court there would be changes in what the insured from the County paid on medical prescription.

County Judge Scott Bailey questioned whether a company had legal authority to change the price of insurance when it was on a contract. He was told this was not a change of premium rates - and that Federal laws on Cooperative Ins. were not that definite.

One insurance official told the court that Eastland County had paid \$98,000 on premiums from August - December 1991, and collected

around \$225,000 in insurance. Much of this cost was in medical prescriptions, he said, so measures had to be taken to help with the loss.

This item is expected to have further discussion by the commissioners.

An Executive Session to discuss litigations was listed on Monday's agenda. After coming out of this discussion the commissioners approved payment of \$3,765.20 in attorney's fees in a 1989 lawsuit styled against "Sheriff Don Underwood and others."

Vance said that "Underwood and the County are not liable in the suit." There was a "tactical error by defense counsel," he added.

On other law enforcement matters, Comm. Pittman brought a report from the County Jail. He said there were 17 prisoners currently in the jail, with one for TDC, 11 awaiting trial, one on a bench warrant and four on blue warrants.

Five prisoners have been held less than 30 days, four over 30, one over 60 and one over 90 days, he said.

Heritage Cemetery Fund Receives Donations

The following have made donations, given memorials and paid for grave opening permits since the last report February 1, 1991 for Rising Star Heritage Cemetery: Olene and Maudene Brazzil, Mrs. J.F. Mistrot, Maurine M. Wells, A.M. Butler, Dorothy Shook, Nellie Majourai, J.R. Hill, Rada King, Herman R. and Mrytle Jean Ogden, John Hale, Mrs. Erwin F. Agnew, Mrs. L.C. Childers, Willie Lee Gray, Cecil and Mamie Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Cox, Waldrine Foster, Daniel R. Bucy, Mr. and Mrs. John Yocham, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pierson, Minna Harding, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gordon, Mary Jo Duggan, Tommie Jean Graves, Matt M. Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Holamon, Jean C. Anderson, Leta B. Cole, Mrs. Audry Ellen Ford, Clara D. Kidd, Robert A. Henderson, Keith Clark, Zada Henson, Vern and Billy Coleman, Art and Betty Fisher, Lee R. and Pernie H. Lyon, Bonnie Polk, Dean and Jeannine Bailey, Edra Allen, Donald L. Watson, Bonnie Parsons, Lawton and Nellie Sharp, F.B. and Lucille Joyce, Glen and Lenell Henry, Bobby G. Joyce, Carrie Gaines, Norine Boggs, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Childers.

Donations, memorials and grave opening permits were \$2,665. Expenses were \$2,370.64 more. We were able to pay the difference with the interest from our perpetual care fund (we are only allowed to use the interest). Anyone wishing to make a donation to this account in memory of a loved one may make it at the Peoples State Bank in Rising Star or send it to Lenell Henry, Treasurer, Box 415, Rising Star, 76471. The account is 6-401-1. The maintenance account is 54-923-1. Your contribution to these funds will be greatly appreciated.

Our cemetery is filling up fast. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bibb have recently donated 4.485 acres of land joining the cemetery. It is going to require more money to keep the badly needed space. A lot of work is going to have to be done to control the water situation which is a serious problem. This will

Pharmacist and Family Members Die in Accident



Phil and Jan Anderson, pictured here when they bought Palace Drug Store in Rising Star just over two years ago, and their son, David, were killed in an automobile collision in New Mexico Saturday. Funeral services will be today in Brownwood. See obituary section inside for further details.

Doug Ford to Be Honored Friday

The Board of Directors of Peoples State Bank of Clyde will host a reception to honor bank president Doug Ford, who is completing his 10th year with the bank this month. The reception will be held in the lobby of the bank in Clyde Friday, January 17, between 9 a.m. and 12 noon.

Mr. Ford had been instrumental in the continued profitable operation and growth of the bank in Clyde, as well as a branch in Moran and, more recently, the branch in Rising Star.

He and the three banks are well known in their respective locations for operating with a keen sense of community pride

and involvement, as is evidenced by their support of youth activities, schools and other community projects.

There is no question about what a plus Mr. Ford's involvement in the local bank has meant to the community of Rising Star.

The public is invited to attend the reception and express their appreciation to Mr. Ford.

Musical at May on January 20

The May Senior Citizens will have a musical January 20 at the May Community Center at 6:30 p.m. Stew and pie will be served as a fundraiser.

Come and enjoy the music by area musicians.

Eastland County ASCS Peanut Score Box

Eastland County Peanut Production Summary as of January 8 with harvest 99% complete:
Total Loads Peanuts Sold 4,915
Total Pounds Sold 43,305,314
Pounds Sold Per Acre 1,573
Estimated Dollar Value . . . \$12,717,602

Fire Calls, Donations

Fires the Rising Star Rural Fire Department has responded to since the last report:

10-4-91, 12:20 p.m. house fire NW of Rising Star;

11-21-91, 3:30 p.m. grass fire 1 mile SW of Rising Star;

11-22-91, 6:45 p.m. car wreck 2 miles west of Rising Star to wash glass and fuel from Highway 36;

12-3-91, 11:15 a.m. grass fire 4 miles NW of Rising Star;

12-6-91, 5p.m. fence row and grass 6 miles NW of Rising Star;

12-14-91, 3:30 p.m. grass fire 3 miles south of Rising Star;

12-16-91, 6:15 p.m. grass fire 2 miles south of Rising Star.

We have received donations from Harold F. Baker, Robert Eichberger, David Cooper,

Beth Kizer, Hugh Bushnell, F.B. and Lucille Joyce, Edwin Buttery and Marion and Marjorie West since our last report. Thank you for your continued support.

We received notice from the forest service stating that the unusually high rainfall and abnormally early cold temperatures we have experienced are creating a potentially dangerous situation. They said they view with alarm the high potential for extensive and deadly loss to homes and ranches from wildfires in much of western Texas.

Please remember to be extremely careful with fire, ashes from fireplaces and trash this year.

Barbara Murphree, Secretary Treasurer Rising Star Rural Fire Department

School Calendar

by Inga Williams
Fri., Jan. 17
RS vs. Paint Rock, there at 6:30
Sat., Jan. 18
Local livestock show & fair, gym.
Mon., Jan. 20
RSJH vs Novice, here at 6
Tues., Jan. 21
RS vs. Novice, there at 6:30

55 Alive, Mature Driving Course

Anyone 50 or older is invited to take a course produced by AARP which refines your defensive driving skills and helps save lives on the road.

The course will be held at the Senior Citizens

building January 14 and 16 from 1 to 5 p.m. (Must come both days). The cost is \$8.

Get a discount on your liability insurance for taking this course.

Expenses for the Rising Star Heritage Cemetery in 1991 were \$5,035.64.

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ELEVENTH COURT OF APPEALS

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

AFFIRMED

11-91-027-CV M. K. Carson v. Geneva A. Carson.-Howard.

(Opinion by Judge McCloud).

11-91-268-CR Bobby Vela, Jr. v. State of Texas.-Dawson.

(Per Curiam Opinion).

REVERSED & REMANDED

11-91-128-CR Benton Brett Saylor v. State of Texas.-Erath.

(Opinion by Judge Dickenson).

OTHER ORDERS NOT DISPOSING OF CASE

11-91-115-CR Jamie R. Green v. State of Texas.-Nacogdoches.

(Per Curiam Order).

11-91-116-CR Jamie R. Green v. State of Texas.-Nacogdoches.

(Per Curiam Order).

11-91-117-CR Jamie R. Green v. State of Texas.-Nacogdoches.

(Per Curiam Order).

11-91-118-CR Robert W. Keener v. State of Texas.-Nacogdoches.

(Per Curiam Order).

11-91-119-CR Robert W. Keener v. State of Texas.-Nacogdoches.

(Per Curiam Order).

11-91-263-CR James Randall Dyess v. State of Texas.-Taylor.

(Per Curiam Order).

MOTIONS SUBMITTED & GRANTED

11-90-062-CR Michael Joseph Bitgood Easton v. State of Texas.-Harris.

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

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

11-91-081-CR Keunte Darel Johnson v. State of Texas.-Smith.

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

11-91-097-CR Reginald Wayne Starks v. State of Texas.-Anderson.

Appellant's fourth mo-

tion for extension of time to file brief.

11-91-098-CR Marvin Ray Edwards v. State of Texas.-Anderson.

Appellant's motion for permission to file late brief.

11-91-103-CR Charles Welborn Gore v. State of Texas.-Smith.

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

11-91-108-CR Lloyd Mills, Sr. v. State of Texas.-Smith.

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

11-91-121-CR Brenda Darlene Williams v. State of Texas.-Smith.

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

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

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

11-91-131-CR Douglas Edward Burns v. State of Texas.-Palo Pinto.

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

11-91-132-CR Douglas Edward Burns v. State of Texas.-Palo Pinto.

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

11-91-133-CR Douglas Edward Burns v. State of Texas.-Palo Pinto.

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

11-91-150-CR Michael Anthony Schultz v. State of Texas.-Palo Pinto.

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

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

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

11-91-160-CV Jerry Wayne Taylor v. State of Texas.-Stephens.

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

11-91-161-CR Kevin Patrick Wheeler v. State of Texas.-Jones.

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

11-91-163-CR Curtis McGlothlin v. State of

Texas.-Comanche.

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

11-91-168-CR Douglas Brian Jones v. State of Texas.-Taylor.

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

11-91-171-CR Rene Garcia Ornelas v. State of Texas.-Howard.

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

11-91-187-CR James Daniel Delgado v. State of Texas.-Palo Pinto.

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

11-91-195-CV Jerry Trimble and Marco Antonio Martinez v. State of Texas.-Comanche.

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

11-91-196-CV Irene K.C. and T.C., Children-Mitchell.

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

11-91-197-CR Clyde Evans v. State of Texas.-Palo Pinto.

Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

11-91-202-CV Horace Davis, Jr. et al v. Greer-Netherly, Regina and Leatrice Greer-Shelby

Appellees' motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-91-213-CV Jayson Croon v. State of Texas.-Upshur.

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

11-91-215-CV Dan Thomas v. James Alford.-Anderson

Appellant's pro se motion for permission to file late transcript.

11-91-228-CV Missouri Pacific Railroad v. Frank C. Roberts.-Anderson.

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

11-91-230-CV Woodbine Electric Service, Inc.,

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Stanley A. McCubbin and Rita McCubbin v. William E. McReynolds, and William E. McReynolds and Company, Inc.-Gregg.

Appellants' motion for extension of time to file brief.

11-91-232-CR Larry Dean Maples v. State of Texas.-Anderson.

Appellant's pro se motion for permission to file late statement of facts.

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

11-91-233-CV Martha Wetherhold v. Mercado Mexico Cafe, Andrew Gugar, Jr., Individually and as President, Susan Beth Gugar, Individually and as Secretary; East Texas Dodge, Inc; Shooters, M. Merrill Greer, Individually and as President.-Smith.

Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

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

Appellants' motion to substitute counsel.

11-91-244-CR Kings Komolafe v. State of Texas.-Smith.

Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

11-91-262-CV Ronald Dale Mueller v. State of Texas.-Jones.

Appellant's motion to file out of time record.

11-91-270-CR Artulus P. Johnson v. State of Texas.-Stonewall.

Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

11-91-275-CV Kenneth Walker d/b/a Superior Land & Cattle Company v. Glenn Winfrey d/b/a Cross Plains Grain & Peanut Company.-Callahan.

Appellant's motion for extension of time to file cost bond.

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

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

11-91-282-CR Douglas Brian Jones v. State of

Texas.-Taylor.

Appellant's motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

MOTIONS SUBMITTED & GRANTED IN PART

11-90-053-CR Robert Loyd Belcher v. State of Texas.-Harris.

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

MOTIONS SUBMITTED & OVERRULED

11-90-059-CR Ivan Love Knox v. State of Texas.-Harris.

Appellant's motion for rehearing.

Appellant's motion for publication of opinion.

11-90-088-CR Dale Gordon Everett v. State of Texas.-Harris.

State's motion for rehearing.

11-90-166-CV American Commercial Colleges, Inc. v. Dianna Davis.-Taylor.

Appellee's motion for rehearing.

11-90-172-CR Jim Bob Weatherford v. State of Texas.-Scurry.

State's motion for rehearing.

11-90-233-CV Arthur W. Carson v. Larry Robertson.-Taylor.

Appellant's pro se motion for rehearing.

11-90-242-CV Jose Zavala-Nava v. A.C. Employment, Inc. and Centron Corporation.-Palo Pinto.

Appellee's (Centron) motion for rehearing.

11-91-012-CV John Stanley Brooks v. Marian (Brown) Brooks.-Taylor.

Appellant's motion for rehearing.

11-91-232-CR Larry Dean Maples v. State of Texas.-Anderson.

Appellant's pro se motion to supplement the record on appeal.

CASES SUBMITTED

11-90-125-CR Larry Mark Parker v. State of Texas.-Palo Pinto.

11-90-264-CR Thomas Howard Hennington, III v. State of Texas.-Eastland.

11-90-266-CR Allen Scott Russell v. State of Texas.-Taylor.

Drilling Bits

New Tests

Concho
The Wiser Oil Co., Wichita Falls, will drill two wildcats to 4,000 feet 5 miles west of Eden on a 400 acre lease. Section 71 BS&F, A-95. They are:

• No. 14 Jacoby A, spots 2,959 FSL and 1,950 FEL.

• No. 14 Jacoby A, spots 1,707 FNL and 2,617 FWL.

Shackelford

Eastland Exploration Inc., Midland, will drill a wildcat, No. 2 Fay Hooker, to 1,150, in the Regular 3 miles SW of Albany on a 480-acre lease. Spots 1,100 FNL and 1,300 FWL, Section 31, Black 11, T&P, A-600.

Oil Completions

Palo Pinto
Three P Operating Co., Newcastle, completed the No. 1 Gragg in the Regular 11 miles north of Brad. Spots 500 FSL and 600 FEL, J. Pointeview, A-1931. Elevation 1,130 KB.

Daily flowing potential was 31 barrels of 41 gravity oil through a 10/64-inch choke at 90 psi from perfs at 2,997-3,006. GOR 130:1. TD 4,753; PB and 4 1/2-inch casing at 3,270; TOP 2,995. Acidized with 250 gallons.

Tops: Caddo 3,604; Marble

11-91-003-CV Bill Griffin d/b/a Bill Griffin Drilling v. Arthur D. Smith and wife, Frances G. Smith.-Coleman.

CJC Registration Continues

Cisco Junior College's Dean of Admissions, Olin O. Odom III, reminds area residents that registration is underway and will continue through January 23 at the Cisco campus and all off-campus centers. Though there will be no problem in registering as late as January 23, Mr. Odom urges those who wish to take college credit courses to register now in order to begin attending classes. Classes will begin on January 15 and a minimum amount of missed time is beneficial to the student.

Mr. Odom said, "Cisco Junior College offers a wide range of opportuni-

ties for expanding knowledge. We're anticipating a large enrollment this year, and we invite anyone, college age or older to enroll in one of the many programs we offer."

Students may register at the main campus in Cisco between the hours of 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. or at the Abilene Educational Center at 841 North Judge Ely Blvd. from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. For more information call the appropriate campus at one of the following numbers: Cisco (817) 442-2567 or Abilene (915) 673-4567.

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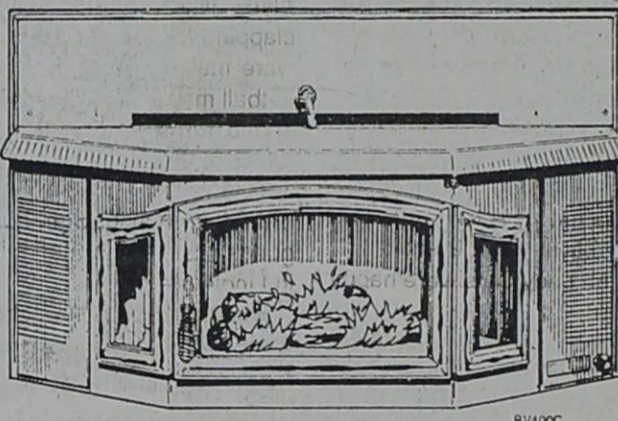
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88 Ford Aerostar Van, Fully Loaded w/Seats, 5 Sp.....\$4950

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Pharmacy Topics

By Bob Mueller

Extensive study at Harvard University school of Public Health indicates that moderate alcohol intake -- one or two drinks a day -- substantially cuts the risk of heart disease.

After pupils are dilated for an eye examination, new eye drops return them to normal quickly so patients can resume their usual activities. Dapiprazole is approved by the Food and Drug Administration.

The mercury in tooth fillings--a small amount in the silver amalgam--poses no health threat to patients, the National Institutes of Health concluded. The amalgam has been in use for almost 150 years.

Measles is on the rise, perhaps because only 60 percent of youngsters in some areas have been immunized. Children generally should have the first shot at 15 months, the Centers for Disease Control suggest.

Temporary memory lapses may be caused by low levels of zinc and iron. Research at the University of Texas in Galveston suggests that supplementation of both minerals helps restore short-term memory.

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Wildcat Tales

Journalism Class Rising Star High School

Wid's Wide World of Wildcats

by Wid Keeling

On January 7 the Rising Star Wildcats played a hard fought basketball game against Lingleville.

The game was very slow paced in the first quarter. Defense is what kept the Cats in the game. The second quarter the Cats were able to continue on their way to victory. Defense was still the key for the Cats.

The third quarter saw more of the same. The Cats offense was beginning to drop off. Lingleville did not have enough offense to overcome the mighty Wildcat defense.

Scoring for the Wildcats were Chad Hill, 4; Jarod Horton, 13; Jason Bible, 4; Wid Keeling, 14; Rene Rodriguez. Last Friday Rising Star

played Moran. Moran was able to clearly beat the Wildcats in a previous game and the Wildcats wanted revenge.

The first half started out with lots of good outside shooting from the Wildcats. Moran's offense was not able to fool the Cats. The last minute Moran set up a press that sent them on an eight-point scoring frenzy in 48 seconds.

After having time to regroup, the Cats came out to regain a sizable lead for good. The Cats showed great ability to act like a team set on winning a district championship.

Scoring for the Wildcats were Chad Hill, 13; Jarod Horton, 15; Jason Bible, 2; Wid Keeling, 10; Rene Rodriguez, 11.

Basketball Babes

by Gherda Williams

The Ladycats survived two exciting games last week. On Tuesday the Ladycats played Lingleville at home. The game was so exciting that some of the parents were too stressed out afterwards to stay for the boys' game. The girls' game went into triple overtime and Jo Linney and Inga Williams both made some crucial baskets to either tie up the game or get them ahead. The Ladycats finally won in the last (third) overtime with a final score of 56-52 after the Lingleville girls' team coach and one of their players received technical fouls and were thrown out of the game. What happened next is not worth even mentioning but the fact that this is the first time in at least five years that the Lady Cats have beaten the Lady Cardinals is worth mentioning (several times).

Those scoring for the Lady Cats were Brandi Harris, 18; Jo Linney, 14; Inga Williams, 8; Gherda Williams, 6; Andi Ferbrache and Emily Stuteville, 4 each; Olivia West, 2. On Tuesday the Lady Cats did something a little different. They boarded the big Blue Bird bus and headed for Abilene to watch the McMurry University Lady Indians take on the LCU Lady Chaps in a somewhat disappointing game. It was still a fun outing for the girls even though the Lady Indians (the team of the former Lady Cat team mem-

ber, Stacy Wright) lost. The Lady Cats were still inspired by the college game and enthusiastic about their own games.

That enthusiasm and inspiration carried them through a close game with the Moran Lady Bulldogs. The Lady Cats were ahead throughout the first quarter but the Moran girls caught up in the second and it was a fight for the higher score the rest of the game until the Lady Bulldogs won with a final score of 42-38.

The loss was disappointing but the Lady Cats were still proud of their hard work. Their coach, Robby Stuteville said, "The Lady Cats defense was almost perfect and I'm proud of my girls!"

Those making points for the Lady Cats were Jo Linney, 14; Brandi Harris, 12; Gherda Williams, 8; Andi Ferbrache and Olivia West, 2 each.

The Lady Cats were happy about their performance this week and are optimistic about beginning district this week!

Stuteville's Stats

by Emily Stuteville

The Junior Lady Cats traveled to Abilene last Monday, January 6, where they met up with the Abilene Christian Junior Lady Panthers. These ladies were obviously well rested from the holiday, exhibiting their desire in a victory over Abilene Christian, 16-7.

Rising Star has several new faces on the team due to academic success. When grades came out, three new members found themselves on the team. Tiesha Long, Courtney Ezzell and Saman-

tha Kerr all participated in this great victory over the Lady Panthers.

Scoring for the Lady Cats were Angelia DeLong, 5; Tiesha Long, 3; Tianay Chambers, 2; Melody Fisher, 2; Amy Collins, 2; and Kristie Collins, 2.

After having played in a tournament here Saturday, January 11, the Lady Cats will play Novice on Monday, January 20 at 6 p.m. here. They all appreciate your support and hope to continue the season successfully.

Junior Cat Tracks

by Christy Hughes

When the Junior Cats came back from their much enjoyed holiday, Abilene Christian Junior High was the first team on their schedule. Unfortunately, the Abilene team was

much larger than Rising Star's and they were also a little faster. They handed the Cats a 34-19 loss, so the team members used this game to learn some valuable lessons.

The Junior Cats only lost one player due to grades this six weeks, but they gained five more eager members in Larry Burcham, Landon Ratliff, Shawn Harrelson, Gary Stone and Jeremy Hall. The entire team is ready to play some serious basketball!

Scoring for the Cats were Robert Hollis, 7; Gary Stone, 6; Michael Perales, 2; Jeremy Hall, 2; and Kirby Bush, 2.

The Junior Cats were compete in the Rising Star tournament on Saturday, January 11. Following this, they will host Novice Monday, January 20, at 6 p.m.

Davitorials

by David Fisher

Hello. This is the first week of Davitorials. This week we are going to talk about sportsmanship. It seems that it has become worse since our parents were in school. When our parents got mad, they would begin to play better or reckless. These days when we get abad call, we either slam down the ball or yell at the referees. Of course, most of the players try to calm down but when they get pushed over the edge, it gets nasty. We just get mad easier than our parents.

Take the girl from Lingleville for instance. She got mad, which got her coach kicked out of the game. This made her storm out. Why? This really didn't make her a better player. Also, all the people began clapping for her. I guess they were making her into a basketball martyr. Why does this sound funny? Because it is funny. It is also very stupid. This type of behavior isn't tolerated in Rising Star but I guess it is a celebrated thing in Lingleville.

Be sure to be here next week when we talk about the new Russia maps.

Incredible Edibles

by Inga Williams

January 20-24
MON: Lunch: Burritos, salad, crackers, cobbler, milk. Breakfast: Oatmeal, toast, juice, milk.
TUE: Lunch: Steak fingers, gravy, French fries, salad, rolls, cake, milk. Breakfast:

Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk
WED: Lunch: Beans, rice, cole slaw, cornbread, jello, milk. Breakfast: Bacon, toast, fruit, milk
THU: Lunch: Spaghetti, green beans, salad, rolls, bars, milk. Breakfast: Pancake, syrup, milk, juice
FRI: Lunch: Hot dogs, fixings, chips, fruit, milk. Breakfast: Sausage, gravy, biscuits, milk, juice

Dear Marie

Dear Marie,
I have a problem. My best friend drinks a lot. That isn't the real problem though. My parents don't approve of me drinking, they say it's stupid. My friend keeps on pressuring me to drink but so far I haven't done it. Should I?

Confused
Dear Confused,
You say your best friend's drinking isn't the problem, but it is. Listen to your parents, this is probably one of those things they know from experience. Drinking, especially when you're underage, is never the right thing to do.

Rising Star School Honor Roll

3RD SIX WEEKS

A 1st: Kristina Butler, Kailani Killion, Brittany Rogers, Mack Taff, Theresa Tulcus, Michael Venzor and Penny Winfrey. 2nd: Jesse Harris, Jessica Harris, Stephen Hughes,

Jared Janes and Sarah Scott. 4th: Amy Agnew, Laura Bailey, Kory Collins and Tiffany Savage. 5th: Miria Clark.

A/B 1st: Charlene Canales, Tasha McGinn, Toni Myers, Justin Nail, Christopher Patterson, Tonya Petree and Steven Rutledge. 2nd: Jennifer Canales, James Koger, Laci Levisay, Kandi Myers, Derek Savage and Grady Wellmaker.

3rd: Leanna Bailey, Maci Claborn, Lance Hutchinson, Thomas Myers, Theresa Petree, Mandee Westerman and Steven White. 4th: Jerrel Scott Harris, Eva Hollis and Michael Peters. 5th: Racheal Bush, Jesse Goodman and Kelly Griffin. 6th: Holly Butler, Brandon Cook and Kenneth Rutledge.

Effort Awards

K: Manuel Ponce. 1st: Adam Constancio, Alisha Holden and Adriana Ponce. 2nd: Kandi Myers, Bubba Koger and Laci Levisay. 3rd: Leanna Bailey, Maci Claborn, Thomas Myers, Mandee Westerman, Steven White, Micah Butler and Brandi Goldston.

4th: Katy Scott, Kory Collins, Cliff Hayes, Lupe Aquilar, Jerrel Scott Harris, Tiffany Savage, Blair Bailey, Amy Agnew and Jonathan Rimer. 5th: Kelly Griffin, Jesse Goodman, Miriah Clark, Jeff Butler and Racheal Bush. 6th: Jeff Harris, Jason Rutledge, Holly Butler, Kathryn Smith, Judy Ware and Monica Rodriguez.

Early Childhood: Samantha Alexander, Don Campbell, Dusty Ivy, Caleb Mohundro, Tyler Mohundro and Jess Woody.

Semester

A 1st: Kristina Butler, Kailani Killion, Toni Myers, Justin Nail, Brittany Rogers, Steven Rutledge, Mack Taff, Theresa Tulcus, Michael Venzor and Penny Winfrey. 2nd: Jesse Harris, Jessica Harris, Stephen Hughes and Jared Janes. 3rd: Theresa Petree.

4th: Amy Agnew, Laura Bailey, Kory Collins and Tiffany Savage. 5th: Jesse Goodman.

A/B 1st: Charlene Canales, Tasha McGinn and Chris Patterson. 2nd: Timothy Butler, Jacob Campbell, Jennifer Canales, James Koger, La-Tasha Koger, Laci Levisay, Kandi Myers, Derek Savage and Sarah Scott. 3rd: Leanna Bailey, Maci Claborn, Brandi Goldston, Lance Hutchinson, Thomas Myers, Mandee Westerman and Steven White.

4th: Tabitha Barnhart, Chrystal Canales, Jerrel Scott Harris, Eva Hollis, Justin Janes, Lacy Kight and Michael Peters. 5th: Miriah Clark and Kelly Griffin. 6th: Holly Butler, Brandon Cook, Kenneth Rutledge, Kathryn Smith, Judy Ware and Grady Wellmaker.

Perfect Attendance

K: Jessica Anderson and Jacob Ramirez. 1st: Adam Constancio, Tasha McGinn, Tonya Petree, George Taff and Theresa Tulcus. 2nd: Tyler Chambers, Gregory Clay, Jared Janes, James Koger, LaTasha Koger, Kandi Myers and Sarah Scott. 3rd: Leanna Bailey, Brandi Goldston, Theresa Petree and Andrew Rutledge.

4th: Amy Agnew, Tabitha Barnhart, Jerrel Scott Harris, Eva Hollis, Justin Janes, Michael Peters, Jonathan Rimer and Katy Scott. 5th: Jeff Butler, Casey Larance and Richard O'Connor. 6th: Bradley Barnhart, Cheyne Fox, Carla Funderburk, Kobey Morris, Eva Rodriguez, Monica Rodriguez, Kathryn Smith and Raquel Stewart.

EQ: Dustin Ivey, Caleb Mohundro and Kyler Mohundro.

3rd Six Weeks

A 7th: none. 8th: Tianay Chambers. 9th: Brandi Harris. 10th: Christy Hughes and Emily Stuteville. 11th: Jo Linney. 12th: Brandon Geye

and Gherda Williams.

A/B 7th: Landon Ratliff. 8th: Amy Collins, Angelia DeLong, Melody Fisher and Steven Stephens. 9th: Chris Bailey, Misti Bailey, Adela Chavez, Gwen Hollis, Heather Hutchinson and Olivia West. 10th: David Fisher, Wid Keeling and Scott Rutledge. 11th: Kristi White, Stephen O'Connor and Laura Rankin. 12th: Wendi Cooper, Matt Harmon and Chad Hill.

Semester

A 7th: none. 8th: Tianay Chambers. 9th: Chris Bailey and Brandi Harris. 10th: Christy Hughes and Emily Stuteville. 11th: Laura Rankin. 12th: Brandon Geye and Gherda Williams.

A/B 7th: none. 8th: Amy Collins, Angelia DeLong, Melody Fisher and Samantha Kerr. 9th: Misti Bailey, Adela Chavez, Chris Harrelson, Gwen Hollis, Heather Hutchinson and Olivia West. 10th: Athena Black, David Fisher, Wid Keeling, Scott Rutledge and Inga Williams. 11th: Jo Linney and Kristi White. 12th: Chad Hill and Cheryl Robinette.

Rising Star High School 1991-1992 Basketball Schedule

Date	School	Place	Time
Jan. 10	Moran	Here	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 14	* Lohn	Here	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 17	* Paint Rock	There	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 21	* Novice	There	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 24	* Brookesmith	Here	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 28	* Lingleville	There	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 31	* Lohn	There	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 4	* Paint Rock	Here	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 7	* Novice	Here	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 11	* Brookesmith	There	6:30 p.m.

*District Games

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Senior Citizens Center

by Marjorie West

We at Senior Citizens Center were proud to have a sunshine day last Thursday for our meeting.

Among our sick are Ladell Key, Artie Jagers, Mearlyn Jones, Murline Somerford, Pete Starks and Bill Gray, who is now out of the hospital and recovering at our nursing home.

Marion and Marjorie West spent the weekend in Arlington visiting Marion's cousin and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bryant. They took us out to a lovely dinner and we went to several places of interest.

Bob Beaus of Cisco will be teaching a driving school January 14 and 16. Those who need a re-

resher on defensive driving skills be at Senior Citizens Center at 1 p.m. those two days.

We were glad Oral and Amy Davis are back at the center; they've been missed.

We were sorry to hear about Mrs. Hershel Benton losing her brother, who lived at Lampassas.

Due to illness and funerals in our town, we put off electing club officers until Jan. 16.

B.B. Ivie dropped by to see everyone; he was on his way to Brownwood and did not stay for lunch.

We are sorry one of our Pioneer school teachers, Miss Elizabeth Robertson, passed away and extend sympathy to her family.

Pioneer Patchwork

by Irma Miller

The Quilting Club started the work season again last Tuesday with a Shooting Star and a Little House Improved Log Cabin put into frames.

The community received .2 inch of rain.

Frankie and Oliver Smith and Jean Fore were in Ranger Saturday for breakfast and a visit with Frankie's father. Saturday night they were in Cross Plains at the school auditorium to hear the Ayers gospel singing group of Fort Worth.

Visiting with John and Irma Miller Saturday night were Dean and Carol Brannan of Cole-

man.

Visiting Nell and Joe Fleming were Mr. and Mrs. Vince Meiron of Andrews on Saturday morning, Sam Fleming of Cross Plains Thursday morning, Novilia Barton on Thursday afternoon and JoVeda Watson and Jim and Charlene Fleming and family on Sunday.

Wednesday Novilia Barton and Betty Beggs were in Abilene shopping and having a great time. Sunday Novilia attended the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of Tom and Wanda Flippin; it was very nice.

Registration at CJC Continues

Cisco Junior College's Dean of Admissions, Olin O. Odom III, reminds area residents that registration is under way and will continue through January 23 at the Cisco campus and all off-campus centers. Though there will be no problem in registering as late as January 23, Mr. Odom urges those who wish to take college credit courses to register now in order to begin attending

classes. Classes will begin on January 15 and a minimum amount of missed time is beneficial to the student.

Mr. Odom said, "Cisco Junior College offers a wide range of opportunities for expanding knowledge. We're anticipating a large enrollment this year, and we invite anyone, college age or older to enroll in one of the many programs we offer."

Students may register at the main campus in Cisco between 8 hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. or at the Abilene Education Center at 841 North Judge Ely Blvd. from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. For more information call the appropriate campus at one of the following numbers: Cisco 817/442-2567 or Abilene 915/673-4567.

Happy Birthday

JANUARY 17
Stanley Alexander, Joe Ashworth, Randy Ware

JANUARY 18
Mrs. C.T. Barton, Velita Aaron, Dan Hamer, Frank Agnew

JANUARY 19
Larry Alford, Traci Gowin

JANUARY 20
Bob Shults, Rickey Lee Smith, Treasa Powell

JANUARY 21
David Watson, Darryl Watson, Mabel Dill

JANUARY 22
Ottis Lee, James A Carver, Lacy Knight

JANUARY 23
Judy Butler, Nancy McDaniel

on top of bacon and vegetables layered on top of meat. Season with salt and pepper to taste. No additional liquid needed. Simmer, covered, about 45 minutes. Serves 5.

Ruby McCowen in Washington, D.C.

A special candlelight tour of the White House and a tour of the Capitol were two of the favorite activities enjoyed by Ruby E. McCowen, 90-year-old resident of Cross Plains, during her recent visit to Washington, D.C.

She was joined by her grandson, James Horton Jr., at the airport on her arrival and they were picked up by her daughter and granddaughter, Bonita and Cahty Horton. They dined in Bailey's Crossroads, Va. then enjoyed a brief tour of the Washington Mall and Capitol Hill areas before going to her family's apartment in southwest D.C.

Ruby especially appreciates the landscape of this beautiful old world the Lord made, as she often says, and Washington, even in the winter with the trees bare, is a beautiful place with its waterways and impressive monuments. The Potomac River, the Tidal Basin and the Washington Channel all are near where her family lives and the Channel can be seen from their balcony and living room.

Ruby's trip was made possible by the combined efforts of her family. Bob and Naomi McCowen at Cross Plains and Charlene McGowen of Brownwood helped with the many details of packing for the trip, and other family members assisted in other ways. Granddaughter Angie Eger and her husband, Ken, of Dallas drove to Cross Plains and escorted Ruby to DFW airport for the departing flight. Grandson James Horton of Ft. Polk, La. amde her tours in Washington more enjoyable by wheeling her

everywhere in a wheel chair. Grandson David McCowen and wife, Janet, of Abilene made arrangements to pick her up on her return flight.

She really enjoyed seeing her family and the nation's capital, Ruby said. She liked the beautiful buildings, the lovely Potomac River and the interesting tours, but she missed seeing the President during her brief visit to the White House. Perhaps in 1992, the Lord willing, Ruby can return to Washington and meet the President.

Due to the weather and Ruby's recent bout with the flu, plans to attend services at Washington National Cathedral on Sunday were cancelled. Instead, Ruby and her family had Bible readings and prayer at home.

During the remainder of her visit she witnessed the changing of the guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington Nation Cemetery where a 24-hour vigil is kept by U.S. Army personnel. She saw the Jefferson Memorial, the Lincoln Memorial, the Washington Monument and many Federal office buildings, such as the U.S. Department of Labor, where Bonita works.

A relaxing meal by the indoor waterfall at the Cascade Cafe in the National Gallery of Art was enjoyed by the family during a break from viewing the beautiful paintings.

Touring around the "Mall" area of Washington, Ruby visited the Air and Space Museum, which was of particular interest since her granddaughter, Cathy, works for the National Astronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

Obituaries

Elizabeth Robertson

Elizabeth Robertson, 88, died Tuesday, January 7, 1992 in a local nursing center. Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Revs. Steve Nance and Dick Williams officiating. Burial was in Amity Cemetery in Comanche County.

Miss Robertson was born in the Amity community. She graduated from Rising Star High School in 1923 with honors, received her bachelor's degree from Southwest Texas State Teachers College in San Marcos and her master's degree from Howard Payne University in 1960.

She taught school for 45 years in May, Coleman and the Imola community, retiring in 1972 from May Independent School District.

She was a charter member of Retired Teachers Association of Brown County and became a member of the Order of the Eastern Star in 1930, where she served as worthy matron.

She worked at First United Methodist churches in May and Rising Star and was president of United Methodist Women. She wrote the history of the Amity Cemetery which appears on a 100-year marker that was placed there in 1971.

Survivors include a sister, Betha Mae White of Rising Star; a brother, John M. Robertson of Comanche; eight nieces and nephews; 15 great-nieces and great-nephews; and six great-great-nieces and great-great-nephews.

Memorials may be made to the Amity Cemetery Association, c/o Cindy Wood, Rt. 2, Rising Star 76471.

Gloria E. Ecoff

EASTLAND - Gloria E. Ecoff, 64, died Sunday, January 12, 1992 in a local hospital. Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Bakker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Dewey Lamb officiating. Burial was in Eastland Cemetery.

Mrs. Ecoff was born in Sweetwater and lived in Monahans and San Angelo before moving to Eastland in 1975. She worked at Eastland Memorial Hospital for eight years as a ward clerk and pharmacist. She was a member of Bethel Baptist Church.

Survivors include her father, W.C. Lewis of Rising Star; three uncles, Clayton Wilson, Clinton Wilson and L.L. Lewis, all of Rising Star; and an aunt, Estell Harris of Rising star.

Mrs. A. J. Joyce

ALPINE - Mrs. A. J. Joyce, 93, of Alpine died Sunday, January 5, 1992 in a nursing home at Crane. Burial was at Alpine January 8.

She was a retired school teacher and a member of First Baptist Church at Alpine.

She was the widow of Jack Joyce, brother of Cecil Joyce and Floyd Joyce, both of Rising Star.

Survivors include two daughters, June Atkinson of Crane and Sara Davis of Helena, Mont.; six grandchildren; and a number of great-grandchildren.

Phil Anderson Janet Anderson David Anderson

The owners of Palace Drug Store in Rising Star, Phil and Jan Anderson, and their son, David, were killed in a head-on automobile collision near Las Vegas, N.M. at 9:30 p.m. Saturday, January 12, 1992. David's fiancée, Janet Luper, 23, of Dallas was seriously injured in the accident and was taken to University Hospital in Albuquerque.

Two of the occupants of the other vehicle, which was traveling south in the wrong lane, were also killed. Ester Griego, 38, of Las Vegas and Maria Bailey, 12, of Santa Rosa died and Griego's daughter, Amanda Griego, 10, was seriously injured.

Local friends say the Andersons were on a skiing trip.

Funeral services for the Andersons will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at Coggin Ave. Baptist Church, Brownwood. Philip Anderson married Janet Dickson in Mineral Wells November 4, 1961. They had lived in Brownwood 18 years and were members of First Christian Church in Brownwood.

Phil Anderson, 58, was born in La Crosse, Wis. October 27, 1933. He was Wisconsin State Tennis Champion in 1952. A veteran of the U.S. Army, and served as a relief pharmacist in the area several years before purchasing Palace Drug Store in Rising Star in October, 1989.

Jan Anderson, 53, was born at Graham November 8, 1938. She was administrator of Brownwood Housing Authority. She had taught English at Central Texas Commercial College in 1974 and recently served on the Literacy Council in Brownwood.

Their survivors include two sons, Lance Anderson of Del Ray Beach, Fla. and Robert Anderson of Brownwood.

Phil's survivors also include a sister, Donna L. Ellis of Beaverton, Ore.; and a brother, Paul Anderson of Findlay, Ohio.

Jan's survivors also include her mother, Evelyn Bell; and a sister, Joann Daren of Copperas Cove.

David Anderson, 26, of Dallas, was born April 29, 1965 in Sheboygan, Wis. He was an accountant for Federal National Mortgage Association and was a member of Royal Lane Baptist Church in Garland. He had lived in Dallas four years. David was a four-year letterman on the Brownwood High School Tennis team and was a member of the A Cappella Choir.

David's survivors include those already named, his brothers, grandmother, aunts and uncle.

Extension Homemakers

from Janet Thomas County Extension Agent

TEHA ACTIVITIES

The District 8 Texas Extension Homemakers Association (T.E.H.A.) will be convening in Cisco on January 28th for a District Training-Planning Meeting. Mrs. Winona Baugh of Waco, is the Chairman of the District delegation which includes eighteen central Texas counties.

Eastland County TEHA members will be meeting with the Stephens and Palo Pinto TEHA representatives to coordinate plans for hosting the Spring Convention which will be April 6th.

TEXAS FAMILY FORUM - WACO

Mrs. Gerry Zummer, Mrs. Dois Hodges, Mrs. Jane Stark and Mrs. Janet Thomas, County Extension Agent-Home Economics, will be participating in the Family Forum Conference on Tuesday, January 14th in Waco. This conference will be held in conjunction with the Blackland Income Growth Conference and Mid Tex Farm & Ranch Show at the Waco Convention Center.

Program speakers will include: "Political Issues Affecting Families" by State Representative Betty Denton; "The Sandwich Generation - Coping Skills" by Dr. Judith Warren of TAEX; "Finan-

cial Planning for Families" by Dr. Nancy Granovsky; and the luncheon speaker will be nationally known motivation speaker Toody Byrd who will speak on "Families on the Move".

INCOME TAX WORKSHOP ANNOUNCED

There will be an Income Tax Workshop for farmers and ranchers on Tuesday, January 28th. The program will begin at 9 a.m. in the Eastland National bank Community Room.

The workshop is being sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Instructor will be Dr. Ashley Lovell, Extension Economist.

The workshop is free to the public.

RECIPE FOR THE WEEK

After the holidays we are often tired of cooking and spending so much time in the kitchen. So, try an easy skillet supper. Just add a salad and enjoy!

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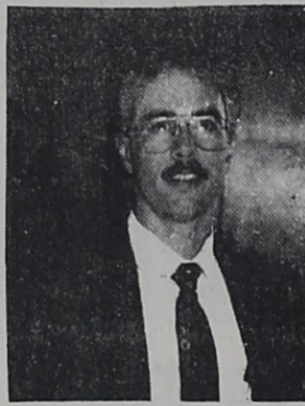
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RENEW NOW

Guest Slot

By H.V.O.

FOR THE most part it was the name of an un-pronounceable town in Germany, but we did know that Oberammergau was the passion play and wood carving town, and since we've always been somewhat of a whittler, it was a place we wanted to visit. And while our own creations have pretty much been saw dust and shavings, we weren't disappointed in what we saw in the little German Alpine village. The three of us bused from Garmisch on a cold and drippy day, and found a warm and picture book-pretty dream town. The main streets are lined with beautifully frescoed houses and shops, occupied by families whose men are engaged in highly skilled wood-carving craft, which has flourished for over three centuries there. Fine carving was Oberammergau's route to economic recovery after the ravages of the Thirty Years' War and the art and the town thrive today, thank goodness.

The town is probably better known for the Passion Play, which is performed once every decade in years ending with zero in faithful accordance to a solemn vow. The play started as an offering of thanks, commemorating the fact that the Black Plague stopped in 1633 as though by miracle, just short of the village. It was first performed in 1634 and has been repeated every decade.

Oberammergau

We visited the amphitheater where the 16-act, 5 1/2-hour play is presented depicting the final days of Christ from the Last Supper through the Crucifixion and Resurrection, against an open-air mountain backdrop from late May to late September. Some 1,500 locals are involved in the production, and the little town is swelled by thousands and thousands of people during the Play season. It must be a traffic nightmare and a not-to-be-forgotten experience.

Unbelievably detailed and fine carvings fill the shops and the windows. Nativity scenes in particular, angles, traditional figures and all the gee-gaws so familiar to wood carving are to be found. And we're talking BIG bucks for the hand-done pieces, although router-reproduced, and/or castings of the more familiar pieces are available at reasonable prices. You get the impression that the carvers are a tightly-knit guild of craftsmen who closely guard their skills and keep the prices UP. We were there in November and the crowds were not heavy so we're guessing that they may have three months or so of severe winter, with few sales, so they have to make it the rest of the year when crowds are heaviest.

In season, classes in carving, pottery and painting are available, and the museums are open year-round.

The frescoes here are famous, although they can be seen in most of Bavaria. We understand that local ordinances prohibit altering or removing these colorful housing decorations once they are in place.

The locals tell you that the long, hard mountain winters preclude much income from farming and agriculture, so the people turned to crafts, and so born out of need,

their work is known worldwide. Dating to the Roman Empire, the carvings were found as early as the 16th century. Nearby forests of linden and alderwood in vast quantities provide the raw materials, and from the beginning, Bible themes were the most popular: Christ's crucifixion, Mary, and the crib scenes, and the most famous "Christ on the cross," theme led to the nickname Herrgottsschnitzer, God carvers. Kraxenträger (curbstone traders), or what we'd call peddlers, using a wooden carrying frame (Kraxe)

took the carvings all over Europe to sell. Today, a model in the village square is a reminder of those times of long, long ago.

Another unique Oberammergau skill is that of glass painting in which the work is done in reverse: on the backside with the background done last! Beautiful and so fine.

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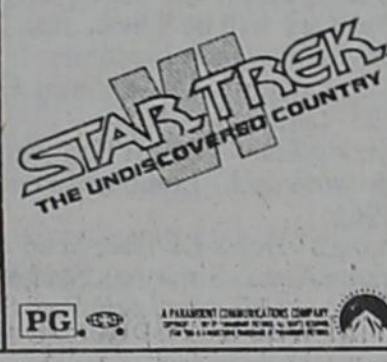
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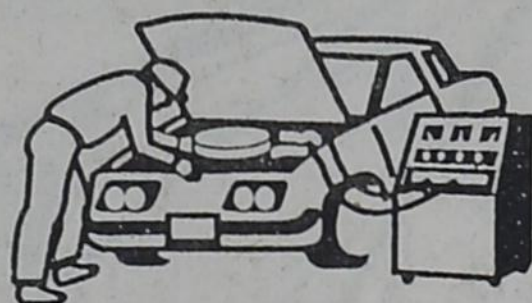
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Disaster Payment Program Is Announced by ASCS

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service will administer a crop disaster assistance program to compensate eligible producers for crop losses caused by drought, flood and other natural disasters in either 1990 or 1991.

"To be eligible, producers with crop insurance must have had losses greater than 35 percent," said ASCS official Jerry Harris, Chairman of the Texas State ASC committee. "Producers without crop insurance must have had losses greater than 40 percent."

Program applications may be filed from February 3 through March 13.

The 1990-91 crop disaster program provides cash payments for production losses on participating program crops of wheat, feed grains, upland cotton, extra long staple cotton and rice; nonparticipating program crops; peanuts, soybeans, sunflowers, sugar beets, sorghum and tobacco; and all commercial non-program crops.

Harris said producers who intend to file should

begin to assemble their records now, so they will be ready when the program opens. He said that farmers will receive a special mailing with specific information on the program this month. "If a producer does not receive the disaster program information in the mail by February 3, he or she should call the county ASCS office."

Harris explained that a producer may not file on one crop on a farm for one year and a different crop on the same for the

other. "However, the producer may request benefits for 1990 on one farm and for 1991 on another farm."

The ASCS official said disaster payments would be computed according to the 1990 Farm Bill, and expected to begin issuing payments to farmers by April 16.

Further details of the disaster payment program may be obtained from the local ASCS Office, Eastland County ASCS, P.O. Box 430, Eastland TX 76448, 817/629-1636.

Defensive Driving

Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course Monday and Wednesday, January 20 and 22, from 6-10 p.m. in room 3, Schaefer Hall.

Fee for the course is \$20 and enrollment must be paid no later than 3 p.m. Jan. 20. Students must attend both nights of class and must bring a valid drivers license to class. CJC is an agency of Texas Safety Association.

For more information contact Charlotte Speegle 817/442-2567, extension 122.

Rodeo Tickets on Sale

All the reigning world champions from the major rodeo events have signed to enter the Southwestern Exposition and Livestock Show's 1992 edition of the World's Original Indoor Rodeo which runs January 17 through February 2 in Fort Worth.

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Obituaries

Dr. H.J. Bulgerin



Dr. H. J. Bulgerin, 65, of Eastland passed away Thursday, Jan. 9 1992 at Hendrick medical Center in Abilene. Services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 11, 1992 at the Edwards Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland with Dr. Vaughn Baker officiating. Burial was in the Eastland Cemetery.

Dr. Bulgerin was born February 10, 1926, in the community of Sommerset in Atascosa County, Texas. His family later moved to New Braunfels, where he grew up.

Bulgerin's father worked for United Gas Company, and his mother was a Librarian. Her love of literature and learning influenced Dr. Bulgerin and two other sons to get as much education as they could.

The family was Lutheran, and Dr. Bulgerin's brothers Melton William and Davis Lewis Bulgerin became Lutheran ministers.

Dr. Bulgerin had a varied background before he began to practice medicine. The country was in the middle of World War II when he graduated from New Braunfels High School in 1943. He enlisted in the Navy and became an Aviation Metalsmith.

When Bulgerin arrived

on Okinawa in May, 1945, he learned that his title could cover a wide field of work.

He was stationed with a combat aircraft service unit, which had to do everything from patching disabled aircraft to hauling fuel and guarding Japanese prisoners.

Patching up airplanes had its points, but another kind of "patching up" had much more interest for the young sailor. For the Navy had a large field hospital near the base, and there they received Air Force casualties.

H. J. could look beyond the mosquito netting and makeshift surroundings and watch surgery and other tense situations. He was fascinated, and began to admire the Doctors who battled for lives.

He began to wish he had the skills to accomplish something that meaningful.

War was the order of the day, however. The Island of Okinawa was being geared up for an invasion of Japan. But then an extremely heavy typhoon hit the Island, inflicting great losses on the Navy.

Bulgerin always believed that the loss from this typhoon was so disabling that it led to President Truman's decision to

drop the atomic bomb on Japan.

After the war was over Bulgerin returned home and enrolled in Southwestern University at Georgetown, Texas, where he majored in Chemical Engineering and took some pre-med basics. At Southwestern he met Loretta Davis, who later became his wife. In 1950 he graduated from the University Cum Laude, with a B.S. in Chemistry.

But he couldn't forget his desire to become a Doctor, so he enrolled at the University of Texas, Galveston to study medicine. During summers he worked at hospitals in Houston - two shifts per day.

While Bulgerin took studies leading to his M.D., Loretta Davis studied Medical Technology. They were married June 9, 1953 in Houston.

In 1954 Bulgerin graduated from the University in the top ten percent of his class. After that he served as Chief Resident at City-County Hospital in Fort Worth.

In 1955 Dr. Bulgerin visited Eastland, liked what he saw, and decided to set up a medical practice here. He went into partnership with Dr. B. B. Westbrook in an office across from the Courthouse Square.

Bulgerin always said he was happy about his decision to come to Eastland, that he considered it a great place to live and bring up a family.

From the time they came here he and his wife, Loretta, became interested in the community. They were civic workers, involved in politics, interested in the schools, and members of the First United Methodist Church. They were also known for their devotion to their home and children.

After Dr. Westbrook left Eastland Bulgerin had an office with a Dr. Lindsey, who also moved away. Then came the remarkable partnership with Dr. B. B. Alexander, which lasted until Dr. Bulgerin's retirement in 1987.

In 1972 the Doctors Bulgerin and Alexander moved to the spacious B & W Clinic, located on West Plummer across from Eastland Memorial Hospital. The clinic is

1991 IN REVIEW

January

Brian Bailey showed champion steer at District 8 4-H show in Burnett.

Linda George's book for children, "Hallelujah Corncocks" was published.

Fire destroyed the possessions of Joel and Tracy Patterson and their rented house, owned by Gaynelle Callaway.

Rising Star Livestock Show & Fair: Swine: Scotty Wilson, champion; Brian Bailey, reserve champion; Holly Butler, showmanship. Lamb: Jason Bible, 1st; Kirby Bush, 2nd; Kirby Bush, showmanship. Rabbits: Blair Bailey, champion (buck) and reserve champion (doe).

February

Rising Star One Stop opened.

City accepted solid waste disposal contract with BFI.

March

The Ole Store held its grand opening.

Wildcat Band soloists Patricia Paxon, Emily Stuteville and Christy Huges excel in competition.

All-District Basketball teams included May's Lori Doerschuk and Melissa Cloer, 1st team; and Rising Star's Wendy Green and Stephanie Sizemore, 2nd team. Boys' 1st team included Jimmy Evans of Rising Star and Jeremy Jones and Tod Kilgo of May; and 2nd team, Chad Hill and Jarod Horton of Rising Star and Ben Ferguson and Chris Hardy of May.

listed as offering "surgery and general practice." "Family Practice." Dr. Bulgerin always called it. A compassionate man, Bulgerin always tried to offer his patients support and encouragement. He hated the word "terminal," and always battled for life.

Bulgerin was a member of the Tri County Medical Society, the Texas Medical Association, the American Medical Association, and the Association of Physicians and Surgeons. In his last years of practice he became especially interested in the treatment of heart patients.

In addition to his medical practice, Dr. Bulgerin enjoyed several hobbies - photography, hunting, collecting guns and stamps, and art.

Bulgerin was acquainted with state and national political figures, among them President George Bush. One day in 1964 Bush visited in the Bulgerin home and then toured Eastland. "He liked it, too!" reported the doctor.

Dr. Bulgerin's survivors include wife Loretta of Eastland, four sons, Steve of Weatherford, Donald of Tyler, Curtis of Round Rock, Kieth of Watauga; one daughter, Claudia Hurst of Weatherford, two brothers, Rev. David Bulgerin of Brenham and Rev. Melton Bulgerin of Eau Claire, and seven grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Eastland Memorial Hospital or to the carpet fund at the First United Methodist Church.

250 attended open house at school.

Named to Jr. High All-District Band were Olivia West and Angelia DeLong.

Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture awards banquet held. Outstanding citizen, Gene Moore; farmer/rancher, Mike Hardwick; farm family (three generations), the Gregorays, Marie, Tom and Raymond; business of year, Cook's Fish Barn. Outstanding students: scholastic, Wendy Green, Brandon Geye, Jo Linney, Emily Stuteville; FHA, Heather Wright; FFA, Brandon Geye, 4-H, Brian Bailey. Betty Jones was crowned Miss Rising Star by Wendy Green, outgoing title holder.

Peoples State Bank began a night depository service.

Brandon Geye showed reserve champion at Houston Livestock Show.

Bernell and Jimmy Guynes held grand opening at Rising Star Lumber & Hardware.

April

Laura Cox was selected to intern in Contressman Stenholm's office.

Easter egg hunt was held at the city park.

5th and 6th grade band earned high ratings at CJC Music Festival. Achieving Division I rating in solo and duet were Kristi Collins, Holly Butler, Landon Ratliff and Courtney Ezzell.

Willie Ezzell was named Conservation Farmer of Year in Zone 4, Upper Leon District.

Jr. High won sweepstakes trophy at CJC Music Festival. Individuals receiving high honors were Emily Stuteville, Gwen Hollis, Heather Wright, Amy Collins, Dedria Emert, Christy Hughes and Angelia DeLong.

Winfrey Feed & Peanut Co., Inc. held grand opening at new quarters.

Qualifying for Regional Track competition were Chad Hill, Robert Self, Brian Bailey, David Bronson, Bobby Flores, Jarod Horton and Jason Bible.

Regional Tennis qualifier was Stephanie Sizemore.

Regional qualifier in UIL academics was Christy Hughes.

School trustees vote for new high school.

May

Elementary students sample pioneer life.

Turnout was low in local elections. Jerrell Bible was elected mayor and James Cook and Edra Butler were elected to city council. Larry Chambers, David Harris and Wanda Hughes were elected to school board.

State qualifiers in track were Vicki Lee and Chris Hardy of May.

Julia Devers won a microwave given by WTU microwave school.

New decor was on show at Rising Star Nursing Center's open house.

Star Pride organized. 8th grade valedictorians and salutatorians: Brandi Harris and Chris Bailey, Rising Star; Ben McInnis and Justin Thornhill, May.

Rising Star High School valedictorian, Wendy Green; salutatorian, Pamela Hollis; high point boy, Brian Bailey.

Gerrie Cornett purchased beauty shop from Connie Hightower.

School board accepted bid on new high school.

June

Jr. Jackpot Rodeo held. Serving both the Rising Star and May Methodist churches is the Rev. Steve Nance.

Dr. Charles Barnes received distinguished Alumni Award from Texas A&M University for professional achievements.

Star Pride put barrels and flowers downtown and held clean-up in preparation for Freedom Festival.

July

Freedom Festival draws large crowd. Activities include parade, ice cream judging, BBQ brisket lunch, craft booths, city-wide garage sales, music, junior rodeo, ball games and fun.

May athletes played in all-star games at TSU.

A pavilion is the next major project planned for the city park.

August

Best Fast Foods held grand reopening.

American Legion Post held a cook-off, horseshoe and washer pitching contests.

Paulilne Winfrey opened Honey Bee Wholesale Outlet.

School began August 16.

Debbie Green, Mildred Childers, Shirley Leonard, Judi Butler and Nanette Goldston held open house at their businesses, Green & Associates Insurance Agency, #1 Video and Leonard, Butler & Goldston Bookkeeping and Tax Service.

FFAers and advisor Gene Smith are very proud of the new stock trailer donated by Rising Star Branch of Peoples State Bank.

Rising Star schools will have Gifted and Talented Student Program.

September

City hires police chief and patrolwoman.

School enrollment was 106 in elementary, 42 in

jr. high and 68 in high school.

Cats won opening game of football season.

Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture held Pot Luck Supper; plans for Higginbotham building put in motion.

Masonic Lodges held open house.

Auto accident in town injured four.

May homecoming held. Walking/jogging track at park completed.

School hosted education workshop.

October

May's show pig and lamb sale was held.

WTU lowered costs of electricity with a one-time credit and reduced fuel costs.

Star Pride set workdays to spruce up the town before homecoming.

Adult help requested for school's Mentor Program. County 4-H banquet held in Cisco.

Fire destroyed home of Johnny and Jackie Owen.

Toby White burned when cylinder of oxygen exploded.

City hired animal control officer.

200 exstudents and teachers at homecoming meeting in gym. Cats won game against Santo with large crowd in attendance.

Winners in fire prevention poster contest were Maci Claborn, Sarah Scott, Adriana Ponce, Ben Campbell, Miriah Clark, Blair Bailey and Monica Rodriguez.

City got grant to contract with Rising Star Vineyards, Inc. for economic development program and expansion of the business.

Qualifying for Cross Country Regional were Quinton Cook and Adam Rodriguez.

November

Four Hits and a Miss performed at First Baptist Church.

Jr. Wildcats won Dis-

trict in football.

Star Pride began putting up Christmas lights, put poinsettias in barrels downtown and announced Hometown Christmas plans.

Bullet penetrated home of the E.M. Roberts.

City park committee asked for storage building.

Elementary students gave Thanksgiving program.

Cross Plains drug store owners, Margaret and Ike Neal, were in auto accident just west of here; she was seriously injured.

Peanut harvest slowed by rain and freeze.

Wildcats named to all-District teams were Terry Ware, Chad Hill, Donnie Horton, Scotty Wilson, Jarod Horton, Aaron Long and Matt Harmon.

December Mrs. Bill Gray injured in auto accident here.

Saturday Club hosts Christmas concert by CJC Choir.

Area got a coating of ice. Christmas lights and tree downtown look great!

Brandon Geye showed grand champion steer at Tarleton Livestock Spectacular.

City hopeful of grant for a water tower.

Hometown Christmas draws crowd of near 300.

Elementary students Jumped Rope for Heart and raised \$1,166.57.

Rains cause flooding; over a million dollars of damage in county. Due to continuing fall rains and very wet conditions, some peanuts could not be harvested.

Local students explored space exhibit at Fort Worth.

RAINFALL 1991

Total rainfall for Rising Star in 1991 was 39.63 inches. Two other gauges near town caught 46 inches. One report for December was 12.5.

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This is part of the famous hitchhiking scene from "It Happened One Night," a classic movie scheduled for the Majestic Theatre. Stars of the movie were Clark Gable and Claudette Colbert, shown here trying to catch a ride. This movie will open here with a Sunday Matinee at 2 p.m.

'It Happened One Night' To Show At Majestic

In 1934 the picture "It Happened One Night" almost made a clean sweep of the Academy Awards. Oscars were presented to Director Frank Capra, stars Clark Gable and Claudette Colbert, Columbia Pictures for the production, and to writers who did the original story and adaptation.

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for a simple comedy - shot in four weeks - a movie top film critics had panned. It took the public to recognize the quality of this classic, people who turned out in droves during the depression years. Undoubtedly some of the charm of the picture lay with the stars, Colbert and Gable. A number of other actors are listed in "It Happened One Night," but none made the impact on the industry these two did.

This classic picture will show at the Majestic Theatre in Eastland on Sunday, January 19 at 2 p.m., and Tuesday, January 21 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets will be \$3 at the box office. The 1934 movie is part of the current Classic Series.

There will also be another episode in the Republic Serial "Jesse James

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Rides Again," starring Clayton Moore. This actor later became famous as "The Lone Ranger." This vintage series is a lot of fun.

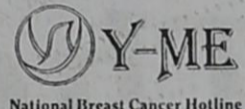
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Letter To The Editor

Editor,
Am I in error or were you?

As I read the political calendar I only saw "Stenholm for re-election" and saw no mention of his Republican opposition. Now if that had been headed just Democratic calendar that might have been OK but Charlie definitely has opposition.

Jeannie Sadowski is definitely in the race and deserves notice. In talks about trade with Japan we hear a lot of politicians talking about wanting "a level playing field" but they certainly never connect that idea with elections. The incumbents have all the advantages both fair and foul.

At least Mrs. Sadowski has Stenholm working the district harder than he ever has in previous elections. I see notices of him being guest speaker at dozens of places and his face has never been in papers and TV so frequently as it is now.

Considering the mess the economy is in and his votes to send money over seas he may be running scared and he jolly well should be. His staff must work very hard setting up

Fishing Outdoors

by Terry L. Wilson

"The Big Bass Were Biting"

The big bass have really been biting well around the state, especially in our area. Of course most of you have heard about the huge fish Alan Yaw of Abilene landed at Hubbard Creek last week. A 12.60 new certified by TP&W lake record.

No lake record but a nice fish from Brady, a 9.86 lunker which anchored a five fish stringer going 28.34 pounds. These fish were weighed, treated, and released by Bob Whaley last weekend.

Possum Kingdom speaking engagements, things for him to endorse etc. The free publicity he gets is impressive. Mrs. Sadowski would have to be a millionaire (which she obviously isn't) to match his publicity.

Given the unequal battle she is engaged in, I hope, no, I believe the omission of her name on that calendar was simply an oversight and I rely on your sense of fair play to print this because I feel are badly in need of a change in representatives.

Yours Truly,
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(ED NOTE: The Political Calendar is a paid advertisement, offering a number of features, and is available to all candidates.)

turned loose of another pig reported going 10.19. This fish has not been confirmed, but they're up at this old giant.

Lake Sweetwater, its new lake is reported to be 8.09 landed by Mike Sitts last weekend.

But as with most good things an end must come, well at least a set back. Our current cold weather will certainly push these lunkers back until the next set of 4 or 5 days of Indian like summer.

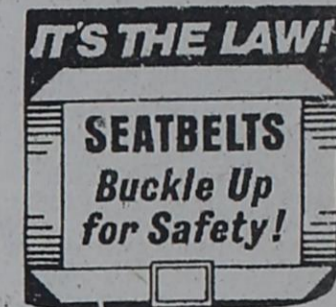
Anglers can watch for the water temperature to continue to roller coaster the next few months. But time on the water now will surely mean a shot at that once in a lifetime bite, possibly a new lake or who knows a state record.

Outdoor World 92, a big lash for outdoor enthusiast is stated for February 7, 8, and 9. This event is expected to draw between 10 and 20 thousand spectators. A quick run down of what to expect: Sponsored by Zebco, bass seminars by Tommy Biffle B.A.S.S. competitor, Kathy Majors Bassin Gal Angler, Clayton Douglas touring B.A.S.S. top water angler, Roland Martin (pending) Friday B.A.S.S. great, and a familiar name to many locally, Jay Yeales billed as the up and coming star of the B.A.S.S. tournament.

Three walleye professionals including Bob Propp, Trout expert, Ty Piper.

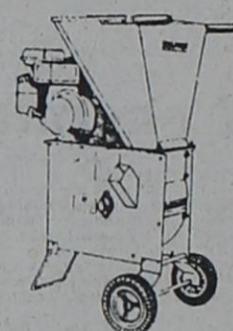
And there's more, tur-

key calling demonstrations, white deer rattling, archery exhibitions. And the list keeps going, but I'll save a little until all the details are in. Oh yeah where is all this great action going to be, Amarillo, Texas. Organized by our good friend, Mel Phillips outdoor writer, radio talk host and sportsman. More details next cast.
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Gail Rutledge will be honored with a baby shower Saturday, January 18, from 3:30 to 5 p.m. at

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Paula Ray Agnew Is Outstanding Student

The Breakfast Optimist Club annually recognizes outstanding students from each Middle School, Junior High, High School and University in Abilene. Recipients are selected on the basis of Citizenship, Character, Leadership, Scholastic, Achievement and Community Service by their school administrators.

Paula Ray Agnew of Abilene, Terry Catherine Crow of Lovington, N.M., Gary Duane West of Austin and Richard Hunter Cooley of Hawley were Abilene Christian University students honored at the 35th Annual

Youth Appreciation Reception November 5 at the Abilene Civic Center.

Musical entertainment was the Vocal Jazz of Abilene Christian University and the speaker was Bill Snowden, Executive Director of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Paula was also named to the Dean's List for the Fall 1991 semester at ACU. She is the daughter of Pat and Carolyn Agnew of Abilene and is the granddaughter of Paul and Blanche Cawley of Rising Star and the late Ray and Alta Agnew and is the niece of Edith and Kenneth Bibb of Rising Star.

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Peanut Farms

erated that in his opinion there is more to gain over the long term with freer and fairer trade agreements. These agreement not only affect agriculture, they will affect the oil and gas industry too, an industry of vital concern to this area.

This year's import of peanuts was not necessary, is Stenholm's opinion. He feels imports should be brought in to fill definite shortages, with people from the industry with the actual shortages sitting in on meetings before those imports are allowed.

Imports of peanuts are to be controlled and limited to 3 percent, under the agreements, he said.

Having the President make trade an issue is a plus, even though the recent trip abroad did not meet expectations, Stenholm said.

Another point brought up at the meeting is the average age of the American farmer, which is 55. Young farmers need help, said one citizen. In a related area, Stenholm said he would like to see tax incentives put into the taxing program and said he supports investment credit on long term capital improvements and a lower capital gains tax on long term holdings.

He also supports eliminating deficit spending by the Federal Government. Stenholm is a member of the Budget Committee and a is working on a 10-year plan to balance the budget. An amendment to the Constitution requiring a balanced budget is another project he is working on.

"Keep letting Congress know" your opinions, Stenholm told his listeners. Congressmen need to know how their constituents feel on the issues facing the nation.

4-H News

By Janet Thomas
County Extension Agent

FT. WORTH SOUTHWESTERN LIVESTOCK SHOW

Eastland County 4-H will be well represented at the Fort Worth Livestock Show which begins January 18th and concludes February 3rd.

We wish the following 4-Hers lots of luck as they show their animals.....

Morgan Moylan, Lyndee Groce, Kerstin Gerhardt, Garrett Gerhardt, Grayson Gerhardt, Jeremy Keith, Jessica Keith, Jayce Blair, Telitha Winge, Karl Winge, Ashley French, Kristi Wright.

Also, the following 4-Hers will be competing in the Calf Scramble at the Fort Worth Show....

Garrett Gerhardt, Ricky Agnew, Jeremy Keith, Kevin Espinoza, Jessica Keith.

Good luck in catching a calf!

On January 18th, the Eastland 4-H Ranger and Pasture Judging Team will participate in the Fort Worth Stock Show Range and Pasture Plant Identification Contest. The team is composed of Tommy Thompson, Ricky Agnew, Jackie Powledge and Doug Knigh. The Coach is Daryl Eckert.



COUNTYWIDE 4-H CONTEST TRAINING WORKSHOP

There will be a training workshop on Saturday, January 26th at 9:30 a.m. in the Eastland TU Electric Reddy Room.

The 1992 contest handbooks have arrive. There are 41 different contests... judging teams, method demonstrations, illustrated talks, share-the-fun talent, etc.

County contest date is tentatively set for March 26th. District 4-H Roundup Contests will be April 11th at Tarleton State University and Texas 4-H Roundup Contests will be June 9-11 at Texas A & M University.

COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW ENTRIES DUE

4-Hers are reminded that all entry cards for the County Livestock Show are due January 28th in the County Extension Office.

All entries are \$5.00 with the following exceptions: Cattle - \$10.00, and breeding rabbits are \$1.00 per entry.

Congratulations, Grad

Four members of the December graduating class at Tarleton State University were singled out for special recognition during commencement ceremonies held Saturday, Dec. 21. Selected as Outstanding Graduates during winter graduation exercises were Ron Graves of Post, College of Agriculture and Technol-

ogy; Cathy Haba of Ennis, College of Business Administration; Kimberly Kraatz of Stephenville, College of Arts and Sciences; and Teresa Mynbarcik of West, Collete of Education and Fine Arts.

December graduates include Rhonda Lee of Rising Star; she earned a BS in Speech Communication.

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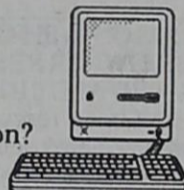
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One high point award will be given in this category.

Commodities Crime Of The Month Distribution

DECEMBER 1991

The Eastland County Crime Stopper Crime of the Month for December 1991 is that of a residential burglary at Lake Leon that occurred just before Christmas.

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc., will distribute USDA commodities in Rising Star from noon to 1 p.m. on January 21 at the Senior Center.

Items available this month are butter and peanut butter. CTO., Inc. has no control over what items are available or the quantity of the items. All locations of all commodities depends on the availability of food items from USDA.

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This offense occurred sometime after 2:30 p.m. on December 16 and before 6:15 p.m. on December 19, 1991.

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