

Easter Sunrise Services in May

The First United Methodist Church of May will have an Easter Sunrise Service Sunday, on the mountain in Eugene Pallettes' ranch pasture, Northeast of May. The route will be designated with markers to direct people to the site. Everyone should be there between 5:30 and 6:00 a.m. in order to be organized by sunrise.

Rev. Lynn McAden, church pastor will be

in charge of the service. Songs planned include: "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Christ Arose," by the group will go to the church for a fellowship breakfast that will be served by the church women in the fellowship hall.

Preaching service will follow at 9:30 a.m. and will be followed by the Sunday School hour.

Everyone is invited to attend all these services.



High School UIL Winners

RISING STAR HIGH WINS 3RD AT U.I.L.

Rising Star High School was well represented at the District 14A U.I.L. literary contest held on the Cisco Junior College campus March 29-30. The following students competed for Rising Star High School:

Informative Speaking - Ed Anderson, 1st Place
Calculator Applications - Damon Cooper,

1st Place
Melinda Finley, 4th

Place
Tim Evans

Darla Goldsmith

Alternate

Number Sense
Melinda Finley, 6th

Place

Damon Cooper

Karen Wilson

Tim Evans, Alter-

nate

Typing - Linda

Chamberlain, 3rd

Place

Lisa Brown

Melanie Ratliff,

Alternate
Poetry Interpreta-

tion - Joanie Hubbard,

2nd Place

Leslie Alford

Jami Long

Spelling - Karen

Wilson, 2nd Place

Terry Walker, 4th

Place

Kathy Wallace

Headline Writing -

Terry Walker, 3rd

Place

Ready Writing - Lisa

Brown

Science - Gretchen

Williams

Damon Cooper

Ed Anderson

News Writing - Vicki

Walker

Roxann Martinez

Editorial Writing

Lisa Brown

The first three place

winners in each event

will advance to

Regional competition

at McMurry College

April 14-15.

Out of 13 schools,

Rising Star High

School placed third in

District 14 behind Gor-

man and Cross Plains.

Drug Awareness Program Set for April 14

Parents and other interested adults are invited to a drug awareness program being given in the Rising Star school gym-

nasium April 14 at 10:30 a.m.

The speaker will be Richard Watson, a pharmacist from Eastland.

Record Sales Tax Distributed to Cities

Austin, Tex.—State Comptroller Bob Bullock Monday sent checks totaling \$48.9 million to 962 cities as their share of the one-percent city sales tax for March.

The payment is the largest representing a single month's tax collections ever distributed—29 percent over the same period in 1981.

This record payment, reflecting taxable sales made by Texas businesses in January, is the second record payment in two months, but Bullock added a note of caution.

"Record sales can be one indicator of good times, but they are not an indicator of profit margins. These taxes are based on sales price or market value. True, Texans are spending more buy these figures don't tell us what the merchants or

suppliers or manufacturers are having to pay for the goods they buy."

Bullock explained that last month's record \$106.4 million payment to cities who levy the local sales tax represented collections from taxpayers who pay monthly as well as those who pay quarterly and yearly.

The biggest check this month went to Houston, which received \$10.3 million, compared with \$8 million last March.

The city of Rising Star received \$2,925.57 compared to \$2,572.00 last March.

The city of Cross Plains received \$4,322.25 compared to \$2,572.00 last March.

The city and MTA sales taxes are collected along with the state sales tax by merchants and businesses and rebated monthly to the cities in which they are collected by the Comptroller.

Easter Cantata To Be Given

The choir of the First Baptist Church will have its annual Easter Cantata Sunday, April 11, at 7:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church. The cantata presented will be "ALIVE!" The public is invited.

Tax Office To Close Friday

The Rising Star Independent School District tax office announced that it will be closed Friday, April 9, for its Easter holiday.

The office will be open Monday at 8:00 a.m.



Jr. High UIL Winners

Eighth Grade
Sybrinna Killion - 2nd Place
Number Sense

Seventh Grade
Laura Cox - 1st Place
Oral Reading

Sixth Grade
Lori Finley - 1st
Place Number Sense
Lori Finley - 3rd
Place Spelling

Jackie Harris - 3rd
Place Number Sense
David White - 4th
Place Number Sense
Kallie Gray - 4th
Place Oral Reading

REACT Outfitting Second Ambulance

The REACT ambulance has been rather busy these past months, so another ambulance is being put into service to better meet the need of the public.

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service could not operate without donations and want to, thank everyone who has made donations in the past.

Drivers with chauffeur's licences and helpers with Red Cross First Aid cards are also needed for the second ambulance. Persons are needed, too, to take emergency calls. REACT will be offering a First Aid Course soon.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS EXPIRED IN JANUARY! RENEW TODAY. Local subscribers who have not renewed will be taken off mailing list.

Dr. Carpenter's office will be closed
Thursday-April 15
Friday-April 16
Saturday-April 17
He will be attending the Texas Osteopathic Medical Convention & Scientific Seminar in Austin.

Election Results Announced

A good crowd turned out to vote in Saturday's city council-school trustee election.

Incumbents Mark Cooksey and Gerald Jones were elected to the city council with votes of 141 and 132 respectively. W.G. Reed had 78 votes and Leroy Woody had 58

votes.

In a close race for the two open places on the Board of Trustees for the Rising Star Independent School District, Joe Frank McCollum received 179 votes and Joyce Baker 160 votes to win over incumbent Bob Clark who received 149 votes.

Churches Set Joint Sunrise Services

There will be a joint Sunrise Service to celebrate Easter involving the First Baptist and the First Methodist Churches of Rising Star. The services will be at the First Methodist Church at 6:30 A.M. this Sunday. Rev. Dick

Williams, pastor of First Baptist Church will preach. The choir, composed of the combined church choirs, will be directed by Rev. Lewis Wilkerson, pastor of First Methodist Church.

Everyone is invited.

May Livestock Judging Team Qualifies for State

Recently, the May FFA Livestock Judging Team placed 2nd in the Area judging Contest held at Tarleton State University. Shane Crafton was 3rd high individual, Darrin Chambers was 8th high individual.

The contest was sponsored by the Agriculture

Department and the Agriculture Education Department of Tarleton State University. Approximately 1,500 FFA members from Area IV and Area VIII participated in the 8 FFA Contest divisions: Livestock Judging, Dairy Cattle Judg-

ing, Poultry Judging, Milk Quality and Dairy Foods Judging, Agriculture Mechanics Contest, Land Judging, Range-Pasture Judging, and Farm Business Management Contest. 248 Area IV teams and 210 Area VIII teams will participate in the State competition at Texas A&M University on April 24, 1982.

FFA Team member

Contestants are: Darrin Chambers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Chambers; Shane Crafton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Crafton; and Charles Nelson, son of Mrs. Thelma Spann.

Correction

The poem, "My Daily Prayer," which appeared in the March 25, 1982, issue was authored by Helen Smith and submitted by Lucille Joyce.

Which Are Tornadic Clouds?

Tornado season is here and to help area residents learn what to watch for in the sky when severe weather is happening, the U.S. weather service will be presenting information on the subject April 12 at 7:00 p.m., in the basement of the First United Methodist Church.

A film will be shown on the type of clouds that tornadoes come from, as well as those that dump hail and heavy rains.

Everyone is asked to attend this meeting. Please help REACT to help you.

Rural Fire Dept Meets April 13

The monthly meeting of the rural fire department will be Tuesday, April 13, at the Bank Community Room. There will be election of officers and directors for the next year during the meeting. All members and any person interested in the rural fire department are urged to attend.

CLASSIFIED ADS sure to get results

Thursday, April 8, 1982

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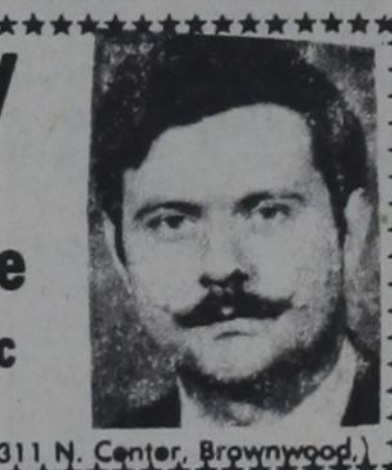
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Hamp and Roby Kornegay

THANKS

It is with deep appreciation and many thanks for your prayers, the lovely gifts, cards, flowers during my stay in the hospital. May God bless.
Inez Hutton

THANKS

Thank you citizens of Rising Star Independent School District for electing me as one of your school board trustees. I appreciate your support and pledge that I will perform the duties of this position to the best of my ability.
Joe Frank McCollum

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I would like to express my appreciation to all my friends who sent flowers, cards, phone calls, visits and especially for the prayers during my stay in the hospital.
A very special thank you to Dr. Carpenter, the React for the ambulance service and the nursing staff at the Rising Star Nursing Center.
God bless each one of you for your kindness.
Della Roberts

THANKS

Thank you citizens of Rising Star Independent School District for electing me as one of your school board trustees. I appreciate your support and pledge that I will perform the duties of this position to the best of my ability.
Joe Frank McCollum

Political Calendar

The following candidates have authorized this newspaper and paid commercial rates to be listed as candidates:

Congress, 17th District
Charles Stenholm, Incumbent

County Judge:
Scott Bailey, Incumbent

Criminal District Attorney
C.S. (Stan) Boose, Republican
District Clerk

Mary Jane Rowch, Incumbent

Marciel G. Justice
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Democrat Lee Haney

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Precinct 3 Rising Star:
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State Senator Bob Glasgow
Democrat

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Thank God for the song of a bird, the fragrance of a flower, the warmth of a friend.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to our friends and neighbors for the cards, flowers, visits, phone calls, food and money we received since Herman's hospitalization in February. May God bless each of you.
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I have served as Chief Deputy for ten and a half years under two District Clerks and have served as your District Clerk since May, 1981. As of December 31, 1982, I will have served twelve years in the office of District Clerk.

I feel with the knowledge and experience of the many Civil, Criminal, Tax and Juvenile transaction processed through this office and the vast amount of paper work involved in each individual case, the filing of appeals from lower courts, processing of all Child Support payments ordered by the Court, the handling of very large sums of money deposited into the Trust Registry of

the Court, preparing Civil and Criminal transcripts which are transmitted to our Court of Appeals here in Eastland, Texas, and many, many other responsibilities qualifies me to remain your 91st District Clerk.

I have lived in Eastland, Texas, since 1933. I am an active member of the First United Methodist Church and a member of the choir in Eastland, Texas. I attended public schools in Eastland graduated from Eastland High School in 1947. I attended Texas Tech University two years and Cisco Junior College.

In 1965 I married the late Robert L. (Buddy) Rowch, who was Justice Of The Peace, Precinct 1, Eastland County, Texas. I have four sons, Michael W. Arther of Iowa Park, Texas, Brett J. Arther, Phillip H. Arther and Thane R. Arther of Eastland, Texas, and eight grandchildren.

Prior to my working



in the 91st District Clerk's office I worked for Lone Star Gas Company and The Department Of Human Resources for over eight years in Eastland, Texas.

To the many people of Eastland County I want to extend my apologies in not being able to personally contact each and every one of you but due to many circumstances I have not been able to leave the office to do so. Please do not feel slighted if I do not see or contact you before the primary.

I believe the decade of the eighties will be a trying time for county government and I feel with the courtesy I have given to the public and the people of Eastland County and my knowledge and experience of this office will benefit the people of our county. Your vote and support of my continuing to serve as your District Clerk will be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Courthouse News

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C.G. Millican, Sr. To TESCO R/W
Ted Martin & Wife To Ridge Seikel Const. Co. MML
Kenneth McCulloch To Gerald Ingram Part. Asgn OGL
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Warren Norwood To Melvin Sullivan & Others Part. Asgn OGL
Warren Norwood To F.S. Jackson Part. Asgn OGL
Wallace Nichols To The Public Unit Agreee.

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Smokeless Doesn't Mean Harmless

College Station-- "Snuff dippers" and "tobacco chewers"--the smokeless tobacco fad has become increasingly popular among children and young adults, says Dr. Mary Ann Shirer, a health education specialist.

But just because it's "smokeless" doesn't mean it's harmless, the specialist warns.

Shirer is with the home economics staff of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Tobacco and its by-products--used in snuff and chewing tobacco--are extremely irritating to the mouth's sensitive tissues, she says.

A dipper's or chewer's mouth may show signs of "leukoplakia," wrinkled, thickened and white leathery areas inside the mouth.

About 6% of persons with leukoplakia develop oral cancer, Shirer remarks.

TOOTH PROBLEMS
Not only does tobacco cause tissue irritation, but chewers and dippers tend to have greater tooth wear than non-users, the specialist notes.

The gums tend to recede in areas where tobacco is held, as between the lower lip and gum, she explains.

Consequently, bare roots caused from receded gums become more susceptible to decay and are more sensitive to heat, cold, air, certain food and chemicals, Shirer says.

Also, tobacco that has been sweetened may increase tooth decay, she adds.

Tobacco juices also contain hundreds of chemicals which may delay wound healing, especially when a tooth has been pulled or oral surgery has taken place, the specialist reports.

Tobacco products decrease the user's ability to taste and smell bitter, salty and sweet foods. Dippers and chewers use more salt on their food. Additional sugar also may be required. Excessive salt contributes to abnormal blood pressure and kidney disease.

NICOTINE BOOST
Tobacco juices as well as smoke contain a harmful substance--nicotine--which may be habit-forming, Shirer warns.

Nicotine is readily absorbed through the lining of the mouth and has a direct effect on the nervous system.

This habit-forming stimulant first causes its users to become stimulated and excited, but later they may feel depressed and let down.

To keep this "lifted" sensation, a person with the nicotine habit needs "booster" every 20 to 30 minutes, the specialist explains.

Nicotine can also affect the heart and other parts of the circulatory system, she says.

As nicotine enters the bloodstream, the arteries constrict and become smaller, the blood platelets clot and the heartbeat rate increases.

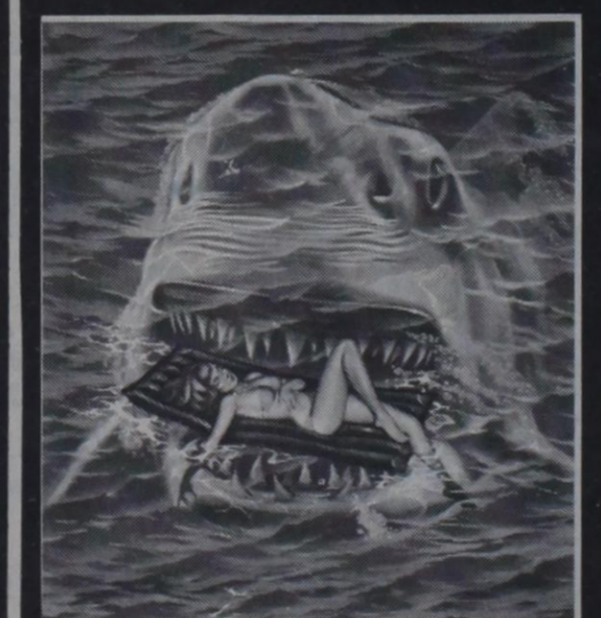
Consequently, blood pressure may rise and this increases the risk of strokes and heart attacks, the specialist warns.

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Liability Insurance Violators Being Fined

AUSTIN--The 90-day DPS warning period for the new mandatory liability insurance law expired last week. After midnight Wednesday, March 31, state troopers began issuing citations to drivers who fail to show proof of insurance when such information is requested.

The law, which became effective January 1, 1982, requires all drivers to carry minimum liability coverage for bodily injury of \$10,000 per person (\$20,000 for two or more persons) and property damage of \$5,000.

Colonel Jim Adams, DPS director, said the law is encouraging more drivers to obtain the required coverage.

"DPS figures show that during 1981, approximately 73 per cent of driver involved in reportable accidents had the insurance," Adams pointed out. "That number increased to 81 per cent for the first two months of this year."

Drivers who fail to carry the required coverage risk are being fined from \$75 to \$200 for the first offense and from \$200 to \$1,000 for subsequent violations. In addition, a conviction under the new law will result in the suspension of the violator's driver license and motor vehicle registration unless the violator establishes and maintains proof of financial responsibility for five years from the conviction date.

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Under construction now! A 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home, 1834 sq. ft. plus garage. It will be carpeted, a fireplace in a 30 x 24 den and dining area, snack bar and many other extras. Pick your own colors for this one.

Located close to downtown, a large 3 bedroom, 1 bath home that has been remodeled. Priced to sell at \$28,500.

Extra nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath home. Carpeted, central heat and air. This place has been completely remodeled, just like a new home. \$34,500.

A large 2 bedroom, 1 bath home. Living room with fireplace, formal dining room, carpeted and paneled. \$25,000.

At Lake Leon, a large 2 bedroom, 1 bath mobil home on a deeded lot. Large patio, two storage building and other extras. This is located in a good water area. \$30,500.

A 2 bedroom, 1 bath within walking distance to post office, hospital and doctors' offices. Priced to sell at \$18,000.

If you are single or just a couple, this 1 bedroom, 1 bath home will be perfect. Just had a complete plumbing job too. Only \$15,500.

An older 3 bedroom frame home on corner lot. Needs some work done on it. Terms can be arranged. \$16,000.

Want a new home? We have large lots available in exclusive area. City water, sewer and paved streets. This area is restricted to brick homes, only. Reasonably priced from \$4500 to \$4800.

CISCO HOMES

Partially furnished, 2 bedroom home, has large rooms, garage, garden spot and on corner lot. Only \$20,000!

Nice 5 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath brick home with fireplace and living room, separate den, carpet, built-ins, central heat and air and fenced back yard. Present loan can be assumed.

Large 3 bedroom, 1 bath older home. Has large rooms, separate dining room. Bathroom and kitchen have been remodeled. Also, separate garage and storage. \$21,000.

A nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath mobil home on 2 large corner lots. Central heat and air, large rooms, fenced back yard. You'll have country equipment, but still in city limits. Priced to sell at \$11,500.

Home plus rental! We have 3 mobil homes on 7 lots in Cisco. Hookups for two more. Priced to sell at \$23,000. \$375 monthly income now.

2 bedroom, 1 bath stone home on 2 1/2 lots. Lots of pecan, fruit and oak trees. Owner will consider terms. Reduced to \$15,000.

A large 2 story with 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, den, separate dining and breakfast rooms, located on corner lot. Has apartment attached. A very scenic yard with lots of trees.

A nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath home on corner lot. Central air and heat, new carpet, modern kitchen and built-in dishwasher. Also, a garage and storage area.

Enjoy summer in your own swimming pool in privacy fenced yard. This large 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath, 2 story stone home also has large game room and a study, which could be a 4th bedroom. As a bonus, a fully furnished rent house goes with this property. 2 large corner lots. Only \$40,000.

SMALL ACREAGE WITH HOMES

20 acres located South of Eastland, with a nice 3400 sq. ft. home on it. Carpeted, fireplace, central heat and air and lots of cabinets, book cases and storage. \$125,000.

Located in Carbon, a 3 bedroom, 1 bath home on 10 acres. Extra large den with wood burning stove, carpeted, central heat and air, outbuildings, several wells and city water. Only \$49,500.

A 3 bedroom, 1 bath home on 40 acres located near Gorman. Has a 24 x 40 building, plus a barn and other sheds. The land is all cleared and has been in cultivation. \$75,000 and owner will carry a note.

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We have 2-4 acre tracts of land near Lake Leon. Water meter included with these. Owners will consider selling a large or smaller tract. priced at \$8500 each.

74 acres located on highway 2526 out of Carbon. 35 acres of cultivation and 1/4 minerals. \$53,500.

12 acres located near Lake Leon on highway. Good hunting land, none of it has been cleared. \$16,500.

Near Lake Leon, a 20 acre tract of land. Some cultivation and good hunting area. \$30,000, owner will finance.

62 acres near Union Center. Approx. 25 acres in cultivation. Good fences, 1/2 minerals. \$800 per acre.

150 acres south of Carbon, 60 acres in cultivation. Good hunting area for deer, turkey and quail. Has house that is good for hunters to stay in. \$500 per acre.

17 1/2 acres near Gorman off Desdemona highway. Water well, natural gas available, 1/4 minerals. \$25,000.

52 acres located north of Eastland on Wayland highway. All in cultivation, four tanks, 2 water wells, barns & pens, and good fences. \$52,000.

10 acre tracts near Gorman located on Old Highway 6. City water available. \$10,000.

147 acres near Carbon with approx. 80 acres cleared. Fair to good fences, road frontage on three sides and some minerals. \$500 per acre with terms.

25 acres south of Eastland near Lake Leon. Road frontage, new stock tank, 20% down, owner financed. \$35,000.

500 acres north of Eastland on highway. Kline and native. An older 2 bedroom, 1 bath home with fireplace. Barn and other outbuildings. \$530 per acre.

320 acres located between Carbon and Gorman. Some cultivation, but mostly wooded. Good fences and hunting, some minerals included. \$500 per acre. Owner financed at 9% interest.

10 acres near Eastland. I20 frontage. \$5000 per acre. Terms can be arranged.

Approx. 55 acres in Ranger. Ideal location for subdivision. Utilities available. \$1500 per acre.

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In Cisco! A nice brick building with 5,000 sq. ft. in prime downtown location. \$60,000.

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In Ranger! 4 1/2 acres on highway 80 W. 1800 sq. ft. office, 24,000 sq. ft. shop building, 2400 sq. ft. warehouse, other buildings and commercial antenna. Owner will consider terms. \$170,000.

In Rising Star, established service station and garage. Located on busy highway near downtown intersection. Good Income Potential. \$40,000.

Lot on Interstate 20 East, approx. 1/2 acre located near Best Western. Perfect for offices or business. \$16,000.

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Rising Star Nursing Center

Avia Massey - Activity Director

Monday 29: News Day. Della Roberts was welcomed back from the hospital.

Tuesday 30: The StarBrite band was here at 2:00. The following members signed our register. Julia Ross, Ladell Key, Howard and Cleo White, Lucy and Wilbur Curtess, Charlie and Liz Chamberlain, Elsie Criswell, Rilla Richburg, Berna Lee Chick, Dell Bible, Luella Mckinnerney.

Refreshments were served after they thrilled our hearts with song and music, also a bit of dance. Thank you and will look forward to your visit next month on April 28th.

Wednesday 31: (11:30-12:00). First Baptist Church gave the devotional with Bro. Dick Williams in charge. Our residents welcomed the devotional while waiting for food.

Thursday Apr. 1: Bingo was played at 2:00 with Buster Rixford calling numbers. We had three big winners with three games each. They were Ora Clark, Estell Bolding, Mary Crisp. Pauline Hill won one game and Mary Hord won the last game. It was played on the 4 corners only. Annie-Buster Rixford said "April Fool."

Friday 2: 2:00 Bible Study was presented by First Baptist Church of May with Olive Odom in charge. Robert Sparkman led the singing with Bea Kelton at piano, with the help of Dorothy Harris. After the study visits were made to the residents that were unable to leave their rooms.

Saturday 3: Barbara Alexander and Terry Horton went to hospital to check on Elizabeth Flowers.

Sunday 4: At 3:00 Bro. Dick Williams was in charge of services with 17 residents present. Fourteen visitors joined in singing and enjoyed the service.

Notice--Our Birthday party will have to be put off until Tuesday, April 27 because A.D. has to be in a meeting that day.

Vance McDaniel brought quilt scraps. Thank you.

Visitors:

Connie, Whitney and Barry Kirkham of Cross Plains to see Nettie Wilson, Connie Hightower, Newt Odom, Olive Odom, Minta Harding, Lillian Howard, Elza Witt, Earl and Ivy Allen, Charley and Helen, John Hale, Tracy Rutherford, Walter and Hettie Hastings, Wendy Green, Annie, Debbie, Stacy Green, Rev. and Mrs. Smith, Marjorie West, Sam Partee, Trecia Fox, Lisa Lewis, Colbert and Vance McDaniel, Pearl Anderson, Nell and Mabel, Terri and Stacy Valdey, Paula Cameron, Sherry and Kyle Wright, Georgia Ralston, Velma Turner, Lela Clark, Helen Thompson, Lillie White, Chris Thompson, Sibyl Sears, Margie Earp, Lillian Newcombe, Jewel Smith of Brownwood to see Lela Murphy, Elizabeth Robertson, LaVonne White, Elgie and Maxine Crisp, Earl Fussell, Ollie Burns, LaVern Carroll, Clinton Crisp.

Please note that the Birthday Party for April will be April 27, at 2:30.

Mattocks-Jones Engagement Announced



Donna Lee Mattocks and Ted Ray Jones Set Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Chambers are happy to announce the engagement of her sister, Donna Sue Mattocks to Ted Ray Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Jones of Goldthwaite.

The bride-to-be is a 1975 graduate of Rising Star High School and is currently employed by

the Brownwood Woolen Mill in Brownwood. The groom-to-be is a 1968 graduate of Goldthwaite High School. He graduated from Texas State Tech. Institute of Waco in 1970 and served in the U.S. Navy from 1972 to 1976. He is currently employed by

Pool Well Servicing Division in Winters.

The May 2nd wedding will take place at 3:00 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Woods, Jr., in Comanche. Close friends and relatives are invited to attend.

The couple will reside in Winters.

Coach Ezzell Has Winner on Track Team

Anna Ezzell has begun her first coaching year at Big Spring with an exciting track athlete on her team. Carla Jackson, large-boned with strapping muscles, competes in five events and began breaking records early

in the season.

In the District 5-AAAA meet April 2, she jumped 37-5 in the triple jump and 19-1/4 in the long jump to break district records she set last year. She ran anchor leg on the 1600-meter relay team which beat the old

record nearly eight seconds with its 4:08.51. Jackson also won 200 meters and ran on the winning 800-meter relay team.

Anna Ezzell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Ezzell of Rising Star.

"Wheels For Life, Bike-a-Thon", Saturday

The "Wheels for Life, Bike-a-Thon" will be held Saturday, April 24 at 9:30 a.m. at the City Park, says chairman Joyce Baker.

All Rising Star cyclists (students or adults) are urged to participate in this worthwhile event.

The riders are asked to pick up registration

forms at Mr. Hill's office at Grade School or at the Rainbow Cafe. Riders will secure sponsors who will pledge any amount of money they wish per each mile ridden.

All proceeds from the Bike-A-Thon will go directly to St. Jude's Children's Hospital Research

Center in Memphis, TN. St. Jude's leads the nation in research in the field of childhood cancer.

Prizes will be awarded top riders.

Serving on the Steering Committee with Mrs. Baker are Barbara Long and Kay Gray.

Got It Made At 80!!!

Thursday, April 8 1982

We oldsters do get away with a lot just because we've managed to keep breathing longer than most folks. I have just celebrated my 80th birthday and I've got it made.

If you forget someone's name or an appointment or what you said yesterday, just explain that you are 80, and you will be forgiven. If you spill soup on your tie, or forget to shave half your face, or take another man's hat by mistake, or promise to mail a letter and carry it around in your pocket for two weeks,

just say "I'm 80 you know," and nobody will say a thing. You have a perfect alibi for everything when you're 80. If you act silly, you're in your second "childhood."

Being 80 is much better than being 70. At 70 people are mad at you for everything, but if you make it to 80, you can talk back, argue, disagree and insist on getting a little soft in the head.

They say life begins at 40--Not true. If you ask me, life begins at 80! Got it made at 80.

Submitted by a friend to Doris Griffin

does not qualify must be rejected by the Appraisal District as is required by the State Property Tax Code. If an application is rejected; the property owner will be notified by mail of the rejection and will be given the cause or reason for the rejection.

The Open Space Exemption remains on the land as long as the land remains in agricultural use. It is therefore not an annual exemption. If the land qualifies in 1982; then as long as the use remains the same it is still covered by the original application. However, it is the responsibility of the property owner to notify the Appraisal Office in writing before May 1 of the year in which the land use changes or the eligibility of the land ends. The law provides a penalty for failure to notify the Appraisal District of this change.

The deadline for filing the Open Space Exemption, as well as all other property exemptions, renditions, and homestead applications is May 1, 1982. If you have any questions concerning the exemptions available, please contact the Eastland County Appraisal District at 629-8597 in Eastland, Texas. The Appraisal District Office is located on the 2nd floor of the Eastland County Courthouse.

Mark Griffin Commissioned by U.S. Air Force

Mark L. Griffin, son of Andrew W. and Ruth J. Griffin of Rising Star, Texas, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

The lieutenant was

selected through competitive examination for attendance at the school.

Griffin will now go to Reese Air Force, Texas, as a pilot trainee.

He is a 1981 graduate of Tarleton State University, Stephenville, Texas.

"OPEN-SPACE LAND EXEMPTIONS"

The deadline for filing your 1982 Open-Space Land Exemption is May 1, 1982. To qualify for this exemption, land must be devoted to agricultural use to the degree of intensity generally accepted in the area. It also must have been devoted principally to agricultural use for five of the preceding seven years. The qualified open-space land also includes all appurtenances to the land

The application for the Open-Space Land Exemption must be on a form prescribed by the State Property Tax Board and must contain the information necessary to determine the validity of the claim.

The application must be properly filled out, signed, and returned to the Eastland County Appraisal District office prior to the May 1, 1982 deadline.

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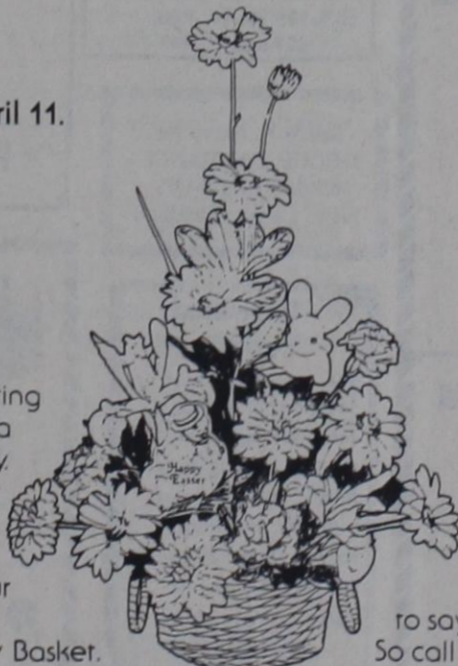
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Texas crude production totals over 73 million in January

Texas crude oil production totaled 73,777,006 barrels in January 1982, according to

Railroad Commission Chairman Jim Nugent. The figures compares with

reported December 1981 production totaling 75,357,782 barrels and January 1981 production of 77,205,910 barrels.

Texas oil production averaged 2,379,903 barrels daily in January 1982, down from 2,430,896 barrels daily in December 1981 and down from 2,490,513 barrels daily in January 1981.

The January 1982 allowable totaled 97,014,541 barrels.

The preliminary January summary indicated Texas oil production was 23.59 percent under the allowable for the month.

The No. 1 K.T.-Lloyd Smith "A" was finished by W. Don Smith of Breckenridge. It is a developmental well in the Stephens County Regular Field, one mile west of Ivan. Drillsite is in a 40-acre lease in Stephens County's TE&L Survey, A-1032.

Daily potential of 3 barrels and a small amount of casinghead gas was posted with the Railroad Commission. The well went to a 4,600-ft. bottom. Production will be from perforations 3,250 to 3,260 feet into the wellbore.

Sun Exploration & Production Company of Abilene has filed first production figures on a new oil well in the Stephens County Regular Field. The No. 122 J.M. Ward "C" showed potential to make 31 barrels of oil and 9,000 CF casinghead gas per day.

The operator has 5,058 acres leased, with drillsite in Stephens County's TE&L County Survey, A-669, two and one half miles north of Breckenridge.

The well will produce from an interval 3,156 to 3,176 feet into the wellbore. Total drilling depth was 3,301 feet.

A 4,500-ft. developmental well is planned by AEC Oil & Gas Inc. of Weatherford at a drillsite seven miles northwest of Breckenridge, Stephens County. The location is in a 320-acre lease in the TE&L County Survey. Well's designation is the No. 5 J.N. Crudginton. It is in the Reid-McLennan Field.

At a location two miles southwest of Breckenridge, Jones Company of Albany has finished a new oil producer in Stephens County's O'Neal Field.

The well is designated as the No. 1 Brown Heirs "16", producing oil at the rate of 7 barrels per day. The well also showed potential for a small amount of casinghead gas per day.

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Location is in an 800-acre lease in the L.A.L. Survey. Bottomed at 4,510 feet, the well will produce from perforations 4,420 to 4,434 feet into the hole.

Jones Company has filed production figures on a new wildcat gas well. The No. 1 Bell "14" showed potential to make 518,000 CF of gas per day on an 18/64 choke. Absolute open flow estimated at 950,000 CFPD.

The operator has 334 acres leased, with drillsite in Stephens County's T&PRR Survey, A-2317, three miles southwest of Breckenridge.

The well will produce from an interval 3,954 to 3,959 feet into the wellbore. Total drilling depth was 4,437 feet.

A Mineral Wells-based operator has staked location for the No. 3 Copeland Ranch, a wildcat to be located two miles southeast of La Casa. With projected total depth of 4,500 feet the well is in a 160-acre lease in Stephens County's T&PRR Survey, A-362. The operator is Min-Tex Exploration Corporation.

Producing 451,000 CF of gas per day, the No. 2-4C Coalson was completed successfully in the Irsfield Field by Lariat Oil & Gas Company Inc. of Mineral Wells.

Drillsite is eight miles west of Gordon.

It was drilled to 3,962-ft. total depth and will produce from an interval 3,711 to 3,762 feet into the wellbore. Production tests were run on a 1-inch choke, and absolute open flow estimated at 520,000 CFPD.

The location is in a 519-acre lease in Palo Pinto County's Southwestern Gas Pipeline Survey

At a location one mile northeast of Brazos, Chester R. Upham Jr. of Mineral Wells has finished a new gas well in Palo Pinto County's Mineral Wells Field.

The well is designated as the No. 1 Chastain, producing gas at the rate of 186,000 CF per day on a .5-inch choke. Absolute open flow estimated at 498,000 CFPD.

Location is in a 393-acre lease in the George Green Survey, A-207. Bottomed at 4,446 feet, the well will produce from perforations 2,291 to 2,574 feet into the hole.

A 4,950-ft. wildcat is planned by W.D.I. Norris of Dallas at a drillsite ten miles west

of Graford, Palo Pinto County. The location is in a 40-acre lease in the R. Clark Survey, A-135. Well's designation is the No. 11 Harrison Estate "G"

Tex-Am Petroleum Corp. of Eastland has filed first production figures on a new wildcat oil well. The No. 1 Schofield showed potential to make 50 barrels of oil and 80,000 CF casinghead gas per day.

The operator has 160 acres leased, with drillsite in Palo Pinto County's T&P County Survey, four miles southwest of Brad.

The well will produce from an interval 3,843 to 3,851 feet into the wellbore. Total drilling depth was 4,300 feet.

Located two and one half miles southeast of Gordon, Lloyd Patton of Fort Worth has finished a new gas producer in Palo Pinto County.

The wildcat well is designated as the No. 1 Bennie W. Evans Jr., producing 1,664,000 CF per day on a 16/64 choke. Absolute open flow estimated at 3,147,000 CFPD.

The operator has 103 acres leased, with drillsite in Palo Pinto County's Nathaniel Green Survey, A-209. Bottomed at 3,600 feet, the well will produce from perforations 3,144 to 3,175 feet into the hole.

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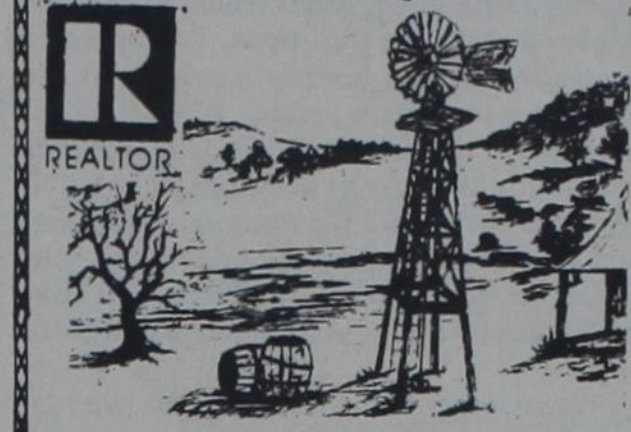
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Mrs. Roody's visitors during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bob McNeil of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roody, Cindy and Charley.

Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Love of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sessums recently. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sessums on a trip to Corpus Christi, Port Lavaca and other places on the coast. They had a very pleasant trip but were glad to get home.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming were Haymon Lawson, Spec Conner during the week. Mrs. Ruby McCowen, Naomi, and Mrs. Blanch Brooks visited on Saturday afternoon.

Tommy and Vanda King visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester King Sunday afternoon. Vanda reports that her grandmother, Mrs. Loma Atwood stays in Abilene with Wanda or Jo, due to her convalescence from a recent illness.

Dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Phillips on Sunday were Mrs. Nora Phillips, Allen and Janet Phillips and Mr. Boyd.

Mrs. Gann reports that their sister-in-law, Mrs. Betty Dunn pass-

ed away recently. She lived in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferrill visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore Sunday. Mr. Fore is undergoing tests at the Hospital in Temple. He will return to Temple on Thursday for more tests.

Mrs. Holmons went to Brownwood Wednesday on business. Mickey Holmon's Sunday visitor was Melissa Taylor from Cross Plains.

Mark Reed from Odessa visited M. and Mrs. C.T. Barton recently.

Alma and Josie Morris's visitors Sunday and during the week were Mrs. Parsons, Gail and Tamara Flippin, Susan Brown of Cross Plains and Hershel Kent of Cisco.

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WORD OF GOD

The Way of Love

Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal.

And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries, and all knowledge; and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing.

And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, and have not charity, it profiteth me nothing.

Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up,

1 Corinthians 13:1-4

CAPITOL UPDATE

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During the Great Depression, when much of our best farmland literally blew away in the Dust Bowl, Texans realized that soil conservation had to become a priority if the agriculture industry was to remain viable.

In 1935, Texas passed the first law in the United States creating soil conservation districts as government subdivisions. This law became the model for national legislation setting up the Soil Conservation Service and the soil conservation system for the entire nation. Effective soil conservation made U.S. agriculture more productive and more prosperous.

However, in recent years rising demands on productivity, the conversion of cropland to urban use, strains on farm cost-income balances, drought and a new understanding of the costs of soil erosion have made conservation more important than ever.

The most damaging form of erosion is caused by water run-off, which results in the loss each year of more than four billion tons of soil. That is the equivalent of a one-foot-deep slice of soil large enough to cover 2,247,000 acres. Wind erosion takes another billion and a half tons (more than 800,000 acre feet), and gully erosion, about 300 million tons (165,000 acre feet).

This soil loss translates directly into productivity loss. Research in one southern state showed that each inch of eroded topsoil cost the producer approximately five and three-fourths bushels of corn per acre per year.

Loss of soil nutrients is one of the major reasons for these yield losses. One estimate is that each ton of medium-textured topsoil eroded results in loss of 26 pounds of potassium, seven pounds of phosphorous and two pounds of nitrogen.

That farmers understand the dimensions of the problem is illustrated by a recent survey conducted by the U.S. Soil Conservation Service. By an overwhelming majority, farmers said soil conservation should be the highest priority goal for that agency. That may be the obvious function of the Soil Conservation Service, but in recent years soil conservation has taken a back seat to other areas.

Our farmers are better educated and better equipped than ever. They know conservation methods.

Yet a significant number of farmers have failed to use proven methods of conserving their soil. Windbreaks, terraces and conversion of cropland to pasture take cropland out of production. Maneuvering large farm equipment around existing terraces is time-consuming and increases fuel consumption. These short-term reasons for not using every means available to conserve the soil have potentially disastrous long-term consequences.

It is imperative that the Soil Conservation Service and other government agencies do everything that they can to encourage voluntary use of conservation methods. We must continue to direct our agriculture programs toward that end.

We depend on our farmers for food for ourselves and much of the rest of the world, and for much of the prosperity of our national economy. We must look toward the future and ensure that our agriculture industry continues to be the most productive and most prosperous of any nation's in the world.

Our nation has seen once the awful effects of failing to take care of our soil — the terrible Dust Bowl of the 1930s. We must never allow that to happen again.

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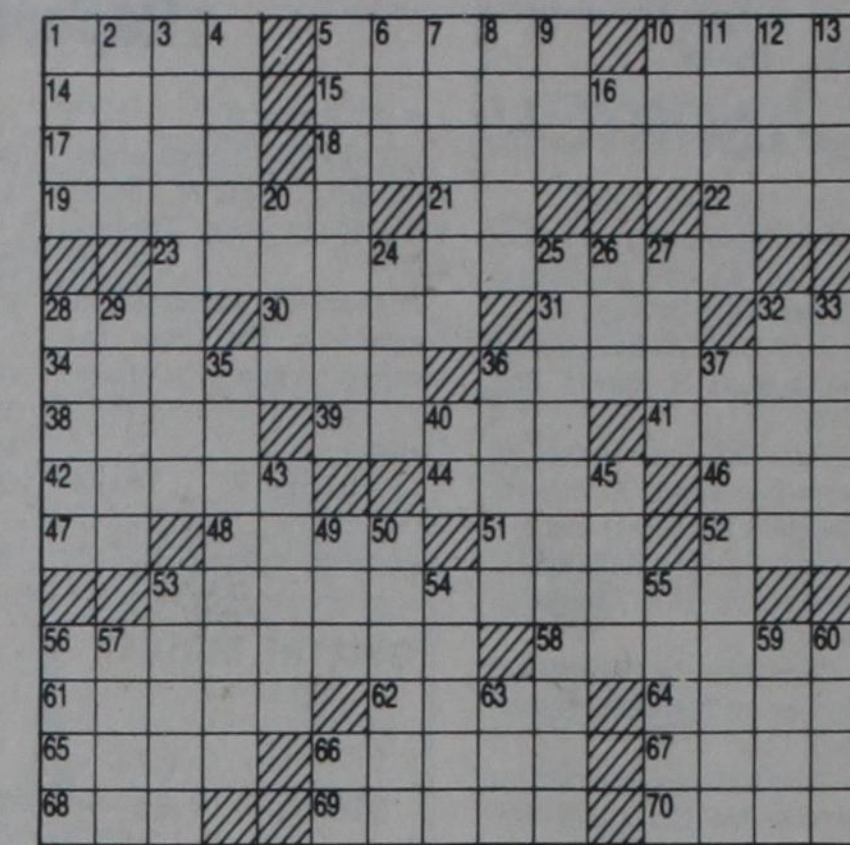
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- Register for school
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- Evergreen tree
- Space target already reached
- Note of debt
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- Where to keep valuables
- Lust for money
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- Sheep cries
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- What the red rose says in the language of flowers.
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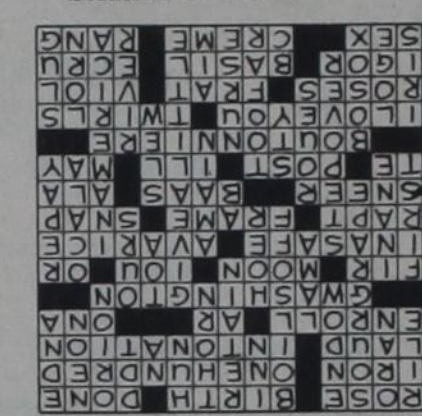
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- Make a gift to
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- Defense of the rose
- Attilla
- Pesticide
- Hunter constellation
- Sign light
- Novelist Ferber
- Symbol for sodium
- Tibetan priest
- Garden worker
- Make a small gift (3 wds.)
- "Wild Rose," MacDowell song

Coming Up Roses



- Yours and mine
- The rose is — in the hearts of Americans
- Pointless
- Northern Florida city
- Discharge a debt
- Walk above without touching obstacle
- With all one's might
- Where the freshest, longest-lasting roses are grown (2 wds.)
- Able-bodied seaman, for short
- Libertines
- Some big amount
- Pigpen
- No place is — away to wire roses
- Fenway Park team
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CORNER LOT-3 bd, 1 bath home with attached garage in Ranger.

OLDEN: Neat, small frame home on 15 lots, large trees, one bedroom or could be small child's room, 1 bath, living room, combination, nice cabinets, carpeted, room, 2 storage buildings. Reasonably priced. Call today.

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NEW BRICK HOME-Just completed, very desirable neighborhood. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, wet bar, fireplace, cathedral ceiling, ceiling fan, self-cleaning oven, indirect lighting, storm windows. Very unique design.

NEAT IS THE WORD for this 3 bedroom, 1 bath, large utility room, 2 ceiling fans, sits on 100 x 100 foot lot, in Olden. Detached garage, city water & well water, fenced yard & garden spot.

AFFORDABLE LIVING IN GORMAN: 2 bdr., 1 bath, frame house. Two lots, large area, water well, and fruit trees. Will consider 1976 or later model mobile home in trade.

BRICK HOME NEAR SCHOOL IN GORMAN: 3 bdr., 1 1/2 bath, covered patio and attached garage. Central heat and air. Exceptionally clean; good neighborhood.

SPACIOUS BRICK HOME; approximately 2300 sq. ft., 3 bdr., 2 1/2 bath, utility room, formal dining and living room, central air and heat. House sits 1/4 miles off country road on 5 acres surrounded by oak trees. Gorman area.

BARGAIN PRICED; for the handy man. Older home with 8 rooms in need of some repair. Located in Gorman.

NEAT, WELL KEPT; Stucco home, 3 bdr., 1 bath, poten-



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SPACIOUS OLDER BRICK HOME-Like new inside and out. Approximately 2400 square feet, includes 4 bedrooms, 1 & 3/4 baths, or 3 bedrooms and large game room, large walk-in closet. This sits on 100 x 200 lot, large shade trees in back, Bar B Que pit and gas grill, garden spot, in established neighborhood.

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used as diesel mechanic shop. Excellent location for exposure to Interstate 20.

COMMERCIAL BUILDING-Consisting of 4 offices, reception area, 2 baths, conference room, large storage bldg. in back, has 1,000 Gal. gasoline tank buried with electric pump. Owner financing with 29% down, 12% interest 10 years. 2 blocks from square.

INVESTORS: New 4 Plex, each unit has 2 bedrooms, livingroom & kitchen. 2 units have 1 1/2 baths, the other 2 have 1 bath. These are extra nice. This has existing loan that is assumable.

COMMERCIAL LAND FOR YOUR NEW BUSINESS IN EASTLAND-2.77 acres on I20 East on access road. Ideal location!

62 ACRES SOUTHEAST OF RANGER located only 1 mile from I20. Fenced and cross fenced. One stock tank, some coastal, cultivation and an excellent home site. Deer & turkey, 1/4 minerals. **SOLD** exceptionally good place, with all the things you've been looking for in one package.

60 ACRES So. of Cisco, 1 mile off Hwy. 206. Approx. 30 acres coastal, 15 acres love grass, some timber. One good stock tank, shallow hand-dug well.

3.965 ACRES in City Limits with mobile home hookup, city water. Cleared, fenced, some large pecan trees.

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160 ACRES South of Ranger off FM 571 in Rustic area. Unimproved, 2 tanks. Excellent hunting area for deer, turkey and quail. Ideal for group investment.

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TWO BEDROOM, 1 bath - has wall furnace and refrigerated air condition, carport on side of house, carpeted. This is only \$25,000.00. E-5

LARGE TWO BEDROOM, one bath house. Central heat and air, in good condition. \$3,000 down and assume loan at 11 1/2%. E-2

THREE BEDROOM, ONE bath nice older home. New kitchen cabinets, carpet throughout. \$30,000.00. E-7

NICE OLDER home situated on four lots. Two bedrooms, one bath. All new kitchen, beautiful fireplace, big beautiful **SOLD** all for more details and how to get this on **SOLD**

IN OLDEN: Nice 3 bdr home, one bath home. 100 x 100 foot lot. Paved street. This is really a neat place. E-16

RANGER

NICE: Three bedroom, one bath, den home. Completely carpeted. Back of house has an efficiency apt. Call for details. R-3

PUT YOUR FAMILY in a home of their own! Start with this nice two bedroom, one bath home in Ranger. Has central heat and air, redwood fence, living room and dining room. Call now! R-4

GOOD LOCATION-Nice two bedroom, one bath home in THE HODGES OAK PARK ADDITION of Ranger. Call for more information. R-5

IN A REAL GOOD LOCATION sits this nice two bedroom one bath home in Ranger, with small equity. Call for details. R-8

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COUNTRY HOMES & ACREAGE

INSIDE CITY LIMITS: 1.2104 acres. All cleared land. Great for building a new home, or putting a mobile home on it. Like to know more about this? Call Now! A-19

55 ACRES good building site. Across from new high school in Ranger. May be subdivided or sold as a unit. A-6

FRESH ON MARKET 60 acres about 12 miles South of Cisco, 30 acres Coastal, 15 acres in Love Grass, rest in timber, 1 tank and 1 hund dug well. Call for details. A-1

4 ACRES off old hwy. 80 E. 1/2 block from city water main. Excellent for pipe yard or for oilfield storage. A-10

SMALL ACREAGE TO BUILD ON between 2 and 3 acre tracts about 6 miles south of Eastland on Hwy. 6. City water and electricity available. Call for details. A-17

FRESH ON MARKET! 167 2/10 acres. Approx. 16 miles S. of Cisco on Rising Star Hwy. Has small older house, two tanks, peanut acreage, coastal and some wooded area. \$500 an acre. Owner will consider some financing. Call for information. A-15

5 1/2 ACRES-N/W of Olden. City water available. Small tank. Call for details. A-5

80 ACRES OF CLEARED LAND! In blue stem grass, fenced, with one tank, trap, and barn. CALL TODAY! A-7

6.52 ACRES: with three bedrooms one bath. Has a fireplace and a two car garage. This is in a very good location. HA-8

COUNTRY LIVING-Close to Eastland. Three bedroom, two bath home on 13 acres. MANY EXTRAS! Priced in the Mid-Seventies. Additional acreage available. HA-3

COMMERCIAL & LOTS

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IN CISCO, 2 large lot with many oak trees. Utilities on property great for mobile home. L-15

PACKED WITH POTENTIAL Going business good income, excellent location. Call for details. CP-8

EXCELLENT BUSINESS LOCATION on Old Hwy. 80 West-has room for four office spaces, central heat and air, carpeted. CP-1

CISCO Excellent property for office with plenty of parking space. 150 x 150; lot with 1500 sq. ft. building. Owner financing with 25% down at 11% interest. Located on a main thoroughfare. CP-10

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HOMES-RANGER

Mobil home on two beautiful lots with several large live-oak trees. Three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, two refrigeration units, cook top, wall oven, refrigerator storage building. \$10,200.00

Three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room, large kitchen, nice carpeting, central heat and air, double attached garage. This home looks real nice inside. \$35,000.00

Rock home on six lots, wood burning fireplace, three bedrooms, two baths, dining area, den area, a lot of nice live-oak trees in the yard, new carpet and drapes. FHA assumable loan. Shown by appointment only. \$80,000.00

Two story house with four bedrooms, two baths, living room, dining room, large kitchen, closed in back porch, separate garage with two storage rooms. This is a very attractive home in a good neighborhood on one and 1/2 lots.

Small house on corner lot, needs fixing up but is priced to sell. \$3500.00

Three bedrooms, one bath, living room, dining room, kitchen that is very attractive. This house has been completely re-done. The kitchen and bath will sell this house. Woodburning stove in living room, large new utility room, three outside storage buildings. \$18,000.00

Large three bedrooms, one bath, living room, dining room. All the rooms in this house are large. It needs to be redone but is priced to do just that. \$16,500.00

Brick two bedrooms, one bath, central heat and evaporative cooling, corner lot and 1/2. Fenced back yard. \$35,000.00

Three bedrooms, two baths, on three lots. This is an older home that has lots of floor space but needs re-doing. \$34,500.00

Large living room with woodburning fireplace. Two bedrooms and two baths, one of the bedrooms is very large, nice kitchen. This place is on the lake with 2 1/2 deeded lots. Large garden plot with pump house from the lake also Staff Water. \$60,000.00

Thirty two acres just off the lake with a three bedroom home, two baths, several barns and sheds, young orchard, good garden spot. Ten acres of klein grass. \$80,000.00

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Two lots on Hwy. 80 west to next to Food Fare. A good commercial location.

5.75 acres on access road just off I-20. \$1,200.00 per acre.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

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310 acres just west of Ranger on Hwy. 717, dirt road on the back side.

160 acres north of Ranger in Stephens County. 74 acres in cultivation, 2 tanks, Staff Water, several barns and sheds, one home with three bedrooms.

90 acres southeast of Ranger, 20 acres of coastal, 18 acres blue stem, 16 acres in cultivation. Four tanks, one water well, barns, pens, big hay barn. You can buy this place with 23 head of cattle, John Deere tractor, mower, baler, and lots of equipment.

161 acres west of Ranger, cross fenced, 40 acres of coastal, klein and love grass. Good set of pens, four tanks.

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Pioneer News

By Mabel Halse

Sunday will be Easter! A celebration of the greatest of events. Easter is a time of rejoicing; a time of hope; a time to really believe something. Within a period of only three days, two earth-shaking events happened in the life of Jesus: His crucifixion; a time of sorrow, of hopelessness, of defeat, for all who had not remembered His teachings and the teachings of the Jewish prophets. "—and the third day He shall rise again;" Jesus's own words. Mt. 20:19b. Then His Resurrection, His triumph, and triumph for all Christians. No historical proof is needed. We believe with Mary Magdalene, the first to see the empty tomb, the first to experience a change from the material conception to the Spiritual witness. She could truly report His message, "I ascend to my Father."

All peoples are bombarded with a consciousness, a telling, a feeling that life here and now, be it ever so fulfilling or be it disappointing, is only the beginning of life.

The following quote from Jesse Stuart's "Men and Mountains" illustrates this consciousness:

"If you could see all us Republicans, Democrats, Methodists, Forty-Gallon Baptists, Hard-Shell Baptists, Free-willed Baptists, Primitive Baptists, Regular Baptists, United Baptists, Missionary Baptists, Union Baptists, Independent baptists—all of us out'n the graves a shaking hands and asking one another how he is after the long night of sleep.

How he likes this part o' life called sleep and how glad he is that he's born into this world—so full o' surprises—how great it all is—and how much fun it is to live it all over again—to fight, to love, to live, and pay debts and make debts and buy land—the freedom of the earth, the wind and the skies—all under the skies American—the expanse of eternal skies upon the earth—all, all, all flesh and blood and sleep and graves and all American."

The hope of the RESURRECTION! Remember this next Sunday (and think about it).

Dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Phillips on Sunday were Mrs. Nora Phillips, Allen and Janet Phillips and Mr. Boyd.

Mrs. Gann reports that their sister-in-law, Mrs. Betty Dunn passed away recently. She lived in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferrill visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore Sunday.

Mr. Fore is undergoing tests at the Hospital in Temple. He will return to Temple on Thursday for more tests.

Mrs. Holmons went to Brownwood Wednesday on business.

Mickey Holmon's Sunday visitor was Melissa Taylor from Cross Plains.

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The gathering and the giving of news from week to week may be monotonous at times but when we think of the circulation of a newspaper, and of all the ex-residents of this area who read and enjoy hearing from "home" we are encouraged to continue writing (and reporting). For one instance, in talking to a person this morning, she told me of a couple, a Titsworth girl and a Kidd boy who went to school in Cross Plains, married and who live in Denver City. After all the years intervening they have subscribed for the Cross Plains Review just to hear from friends who still live in this area. The same is true for other ex-residents.

Your next reporter will be Betty Beggs, call her number 725-7235.

Reserve Champion Swine Shown by Jason Hubbard



Jason Hubbard, Grandson of H.D. & Ruby Nell Welch

Jason Hubbard, 6 years old, a Three Rivers Young Feeder, had the Reserve Champion Swine in the Live Oak County Fair. It was purchased by Bednorz Motor Inc. for \$1,488.00. Jason is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hubbard of Three Rivers, Texas and the grandson of H.D. and Ruby Nell Welch of Abilene, Texas.

SIPE SPRINGS NEWS

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Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hailey of Abilene were visitors in the Dick Wyatt home.

Mrs. Ruby Boswell spent several days with her sons in Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKeehan visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Westor at Carbon Sundry afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Weaver attended funeral services for her uncle, Mr. Dolphie Cox in Pampa Wednesday. We extend our sympathy to his family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Quill McKeehan visited his sister Sue Vanatta and family Sunday afternoon.

Out-of-town visitors at the N.L. Leonards were Mr. and Mrs. Doby Jones of Rising

Star, Mrs. Willie Mae Stokes of Sherfield and Mr. Herman and Travis Boswell of Arlington and Johnnie Childers of Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones and children have moved into their beautiful new home on the old Jones place. We are happy to have them in our midst and hope them much happiness.

Recent visitors with Mrs. Ethel Brown were Mrs. Bertha Hoyt and Mrs. Reed of De Leon, LaVonne White, and Mrs. Beulah Polk, Rising Star, Jean Alexander, Mrs. Lynn Daniels and grandson mark, Norma Foster, Louella Parrish, Lou Grider, of community, Mrs. C.C. Coggin and daughter, Mary Ruth, Waco, Mrs. Mozelle Rhymes, Gorman. Mrs. Brown visited the Nursing Home one day last week.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Parsons of Dumas spent all last week in the home of Mrs. Leonard Harris. Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Mitchell of Albany were Saturday visitors and Neomi, Dick and Charlie Hutton all of Cisco visited during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butler were met in Austin over the weekend by Kenny, Judy and Jamie Butler, of Victoria,

where they enjoyed a nice family get-together.

Buster and Barbara Battson and son, Michael from Lake Dallas, visited Eddie and Pam Colflesh and son, Tony, last Sunday, March 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kunz of Odessa are guests of Clyde and Doris Griffin. Ed is Doris' former principal in Odessa.

Senior Citizen's News

SENIOR CITIZENS
Tuesday afternoon 14 Starbrites entertained at the local nursing home. We are always happy to see so many boosters. A.E. McNeely came all the way from Cisco to play the fiddle with us. He also



- April 15 — Clyde Barton, Martha Cook, May Delle Jackson, Roxie Butler, Dick Erwin, Bernie Barnes
- April 16 — Belinda Switzer
- April 18 — Lucille Joyce, Mrs. T.B. Busbee, Wanelle Schafer
- April 18 — Sara McGowen, Bobbi Chambers, Willie Lee Chambers, James Draper
- April 19 — Mrs. E.C. Howard, Sharolyn Cox, Murel Forbes, Bettie Hosch, Donnie Rodgers, Trudi Owen, Glenn David Shipp
- April 20 — W.E. Caudle
- April 21 — Estelle Martin, Chad Gilliland, Cullen Couch, Bart Poyner, Harley Gene Butler, Carol Bilibrey

practiced with us Thursday. A.E., we have hopes you like us well enough to play with us regularly.

The club was bulging Thursday April first with 46 chatting visiting people. The quartet and choir from Cisco was made up of 14 men and women. Mrs. Perry Brown also came with them.

Rev. Troy Culpepper of Texarkana, Dick and Vi Williams, Della and George Webb and John Bishop were other guests. Mr. Bishop reminded us of the special meeting of the Rising Star Volunteer Fire Dept. on April 2 and extended a special invitation to us to be present and back them.

Next Thursday April 8 Jim Parker, candidate for State Representative of the 65th legislative district (subject to the Democratic primary) will be guest speaker at lunch. The club as a whole does not recommend any candidate. We do invite all interested to come hear him speak.

Come to our Easter Party Friday April 9, at 7 o'clock. A talent contest will be the entertainment. Come do your speciality. Wear an Easter bonnet or hat for the contest, also bring ciikies or eggs. Join the fun.

Reporter, Rilla

Appraisal Work Continues With County Businesses

The last several months have seen much of the property within the County reappraised. This appraisal work is continuing as the mandated 1982 deadline imposed by the new Property Tax Code is here. The law requires that all taxable property within the State of Texas be placed on the tax rolls of the States' taxing jurisdictions at the fair market value.

The firm of McMorries and Company, a professional evaluation firm has been handling the task of measuring, classifying, and valuing the properties within the County. The work is scheduled to be completed during the next few weeks.

Although the majority of the work has been completed there are still scattered property parcels that must still be looked at. The properties in the Ranger area will only have to be updated as they were reappraised in 1980. All of the businesses within the County will be visited during the next few days by the appraisers who will be obtaining business personal property renditions and other information that is required by law.

When the appraisers visit your property,

whether it is a residence or a business, they will identify themselves as representatives of the Appraisal firm. If you have any questions concerning the appraisal work you should contact the Eastland County Appraisal District. The telephone number is 629-8597 and the office is located on the second floor of the Eastland County Courthouse.

Following the completion of the reappraisal work, all property owners within the County will be notified of their new property values. If the work is completed as scheduled, these notices should be mailed out sometime in the early part of May.

As soon as a definite target date is determined for the mailing of these notices, information will be provided to the property owners through this newspaper concerning the information contained by the notice and also the right of the property owner to appear before the 1982 Board of Review concerning his property values.

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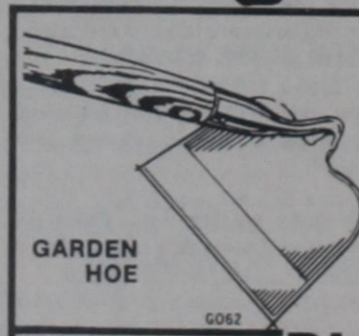
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Commentary

I Peter 5:7, casting all your care upon Him; for He careth for you. One of the most thrilling truths in the Bible is that God is concerned about each of us individually. Each child of God is dear to His heart. And He is very concerned about the people that is not saved, and His heart's desire is for them to seek His love and way of life. All you have to do is to ask God's forgiveness, and to come into your heart, and He will guide you, read His word and learn of His great love. You know that if God was willing to give His only Son to redeem you, He loves you with a love that covers a multitude of sins. God knows you, He knows where you live, and what you do every hour of the day or night. He knows the very thought and what you intend to do next. If you intend to ever make things right with the Lord it's now or it will be too late. God Knows the number of hairs on our heads, Jesus calls us by our names. God even sees the fall of a worthless sparrow. Then He asks, Are ye not much better than they?

When we are heartsick and lonely, and there seems no one cares, he cares and is touched with our grief. Just call on the name of Jesus, he hears you and takes away your sorrows and fills your heart with love. He knows your needs even before you call upon Him. God is not limited "Come and Dine" is His call to every hungry heart. I've been feasting on the good things of God for many years, yet there is still plenty for all, and bread enough to spare. God has a bountiful, daily supply of good things for everyone who will accept His invitation. God has enough for every need for today and all the tomorrows to come. He is a Compassionate Christ touched with the feelings of our infirmities. He shares our pain, our sorrows, our heartaches, our joys, our happiness, our dreams, yes thank God He still cares. It is a fact that His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, BUT HAVE EVERLASTING LIFE.

Myrtle Owen

WORD of GOD

The Body of Christ continued

That there should be no schism in the body, but that the members should have the same care one for another.

And whether one member suffer, all the members suffer with it; or one member be honored, all the members rejoice with it.

Now ye are the body of Christ, and members in particular.

And God hath set some in the church, first apostles, secondarily prophets, thirdly teachers, after that miracles, then gifts of healings, helps, governments, diversities of tongues.

1 Corinthians 12:25-28 (see tomorrow)

United Methodist Women

The United Methodist Women of the First United Methodist Church met Monday at 2:30 p.m. at the church. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. James Armstrong and Mrs. Mamie Joyce gave the invocation. Miss Elizabeth Robertson accompanied at the piano as the group sang the opening song, "I Surrender All." Eleven members were present to hear Mrs. W.C. Witt present the continuation of the study of Isaiah. She

reviewed the questions on the history of Cyrus, the exile of the Israelites and the women's movement in the church; she then read the poem recently submitted to the newspaper by Lucille Joyce, "My Daily Prayer," by Helen Smith. Others on the program were Yvonne Williams, Mamie Joyce, Lucille Joyce, and Terry Wilkerson. The Society Benediction was repeated in unison in closing.

Mae Pearl Hull

Calvary Baptist in May Has New Pastor

Rev. Larry Johnson of Brownwood recently accepted the call to the May Calvary Baptist Church as full time pastor. He with his wife Deborah Gayle and baby daughter, Crystal, have moved in to the church parsonage after accepting the call January 31. Rev. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, of Poolville, Texas, was born May 7, 1960, at Farmington, New Mexico. He grew up in agricultural environment and lived on a farm or ranch most all of his life. He graduated from Poolville High School as Salutatorian in 1978. He married Deborah Gayle Spraberry, April 14, 1979, at Rockport, Texas. Crystal Gayle was born May 24, 1980.

Rev. Johnson is presently attending Howard Payne University, seeking a Bachelor of Arts degree in Bible and Greek. He plans to graduate in December of this year. His religious background includes accepting Jesus as Savior in November, 1970, at the Purmela Baptist Church in Hamilton, Texas and was baptized at the First Baptist Church in Gatesville, Texas. He surrendered to preach Gods word at the Heart of Texas Youth Camp at Lake Brownwood in June, 1976, and was licensed to preach by the Hilltop Baptist Church in Weatherford, Texas, April, 1978.

Rev. Johnson's ex-

periences include: serving as Activity Director at the Hilltop Church, under Rev. Donald Thompson, church pastor; He served as pastor of Scallion Baptist Church in 1980. He is presently interim Music Director at Sunset Baptist Mission, in Brownwood. He served as Activity Director at Zion Hill Baptist Church in Weatherford.

"My parents heads a church going family. My father served as Sunday School Superintendent and my mother was an active Sunday School teacher and Children Choir Director at the First Baptist Church at Poolville. Both of my parents instilled in my life respect for others, and both were instrumental in showing me the way to Jesus. I have three sisters and one brother. All are christians and active in their church. I am proud to be a member of my family," said Larry Johnson.

"I would like for my friends and church members to know some of my convictions and basic beliefs, which are: I believe that there is one God, Creator and Master of everything and every one, that he sent his son, Jesus into this world by way of a Virgin, Mary; That Jesus died to be Supreme Sacrifice for my sins. That he conquered death, hell and the grave and arose the third day to justify my sins and the sins of

the whole world, and he now sits at the right hand of God the Father. And the Holy Spirit is with me today and every day to guide and instruct me. I also believe that Jesus will return to earth again to receive his people. My only desire is to work for and please God in my life."

BY Mrs. C.O. Young

Rising Star Chapter 277

OES Meets

Rising Star Chapter 277 O.E.S. met April 5, with Claudia Mae Gardner, Worthy Matron and Harold L. Evans, Worthy Patron presiding. Twenty three members and two visitors were present. This was our first meeting in the greatly improved Masonic Hall. A standing vote of thanks was given to our Masonic Brothers and Eastern Star members who worked so diligently to produce a comfortable and beautiful meeting place.

A report on the March 10th O.E.S. School of Instruction in Eastland revealed that 14 from Rising Star attended with 9 doing special work.

Election of officers for the next year was conducted by Harold Evans and the following will serve: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Opal Dean. Worthy Patron, Harold L. Evans. Associate Matron, Mrs. Goldia Lancaster. Associate Patron, Doyle Lancaster. Secretary, Mrs.

OBITUARY

Annie Bucy Haley

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Joyce attended the funeral of Mrs. Joyce's aunt, Annie Bucy Haley, in Dallas, March 15.

Mrs. Haley, 92, died March 11 after a short illness. She grew up in Rising Star.

Survivors include four daughters, Sarah Childers of Dallas, Mary Wilson and Dorothy Best, both of Grand Prairie, and Jo Ann Dreisbach of North Hollywood, Ca.; ten grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Robert L. Richardson and Dr. Herbert Howard officiated at the services held in Restland Memorial Chapel.

Pallbearers were great grandsons.

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WHO WAS TO BLAME

One of the most horrendous crimes ever committed happened nearly 2000 years ago this week. The crime was that an innocent man was falsely arrested by jealous men, illegally tried in what amounted to a kangaroo court, then banded over to occupation forces of another country for execution. For all concerns, this was murder in the first degree, made respectable because the religious establishment of the day was directly involved. As one might guess, I am referring to the crucifixion of Jesus of Nazareth, who is called the Christ.

Who was to blame? This is a question which has troubled thoughtful people through the ages. It can be said that the Jewish religious establishment was to blame because they were the ones who made the arrest and carried out a mockery of a trial in the middle of the night. One of the disciples, Judas Iscariot is also to blame because he was the one who sold out his teacher for thirty pieces of silver. Pontius Pilot, the Roman governor was to blame because he was the one who refused to act as a person of legal responsibility and recognize the mock trial for what it was. The crowds as well were to blame because, when given

the chance, they rejected Jesus for a two-bit hood named Barabus. And even though they were carrying out their orders, the soldiers were to blame because they drove the spikes into his hands, placing him on the cross.

But, can the blame stop here? Some would say yes, but I say no. When we stop and consider the fact that Jesus died for the sins of the world, for your sins and mine, then the blame also rests on us.

We also have the chance to either accept or reject Jesus as the Christ. When we accept the Lordship of Christ, we enter into God's Kingdom of love, the kingdom which will last through eternity. When we reject the claims of Christ in our lives, we join with the Jewish leaders, the Roman leaders, the crowds, and the soldiers in crucifying Jesus anew. We have the choice.

Worship with us at First Methodist this Easter. Sunrise service at 6:30 a.m. (A joint worship with First Baptist Church), Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. and morning worship at 11 a.m. See you Sunday. Lewis Wilkerson, Pastor

March 12, of a member and Past Matron, Lulu D. Price. The meeting closed with a memorial and the Charter draped in her honor.

The May meeting will be preceded by a

salad supper at 6 p.m. All members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome.

Refreshments were served by Mary Eakin and Celestine Carleton.

Reporter, Elizabeth Robertson

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Alford, Karen Wilson. 3rd Row: (L to R) Melanie Ratliff, Damon Cooper, Melinda Finley, Kathy Wallace.

Jr. High and Grade School UIL Participants



Kneeling: Stephanie Long, Karmen Hall, Stacy Green, Becky Walker, Lori Justice. Seated: Corina Gomez, Jerry Long, Sam Jones, David White, Melissa Clay. 1st Row Standing: Michelle McCutcheon,

Garisue Maynard, Wendy Green, Kimberly Wilson, Devin Sessums, Kalli Gray, Lori Finley. Back Row: Bubba Lewis, Sybrinna Killion, Deedra Morris, Trisha McQuiston, Laura Cox, Renee Teague and Jackie Harris.

Courthouse News

Sandra Frazier To Leland W. Carter Ratif. OGML

Scot Earl Felker To Bill L. Rankin & Wife Warranty Deed
1st St Bk-Ranger To Kama Biggs Rel. Deed of trust

J.M. Greenwood To Taylor Operating Co. Esmt
Berry F. Greenwood To Taylor Operating Co. Esmt
Bertha L. Gregory To Harold J. Lindley & Wife Rel. Deed of trust
R.I. Griffith, Dec'd To The Public Proof of Heirship
John C. Gregg & others To L.D. Bond OGL
Sallie Day Garrett To Chris A. Ball Warranty Deed
Leon Gilbert, Dec'd To The Public Inher. Tax Return
Nettie L. Clark Garrington To W.B. Norton & others OGL
Woodrow F. Holmes To Mrs. Pat Holmes M/D
Billy Jack Hare & Wife To Eric F. Hyden & others Warranty Deed
Eric F. Hyden & Others To Billy Jack Hare & Wife Deed of trust
Leslie Hise To Leland W. Carter OGML
Katy Wray Hunter To Leland W. Carter OGML
Dorothy Hanson To Leland W. Carter OGML
Walter G. Hall To Robert L. Cochran Asgn OGL
Minton Hanna & Wife To Margaret Bell Hanna Warranty Deed
Margaret Belle Hanna & others To Minton Hanna & Wife Warranty Deed
Floyd Hardin Ind. & Others To W.B. Norton & others OGL
Jamie Joyce To L.D. Bond OGL
Marpie W. Johnson To Marion H. Barry & Wife Deed of trust
Bettye Miller Kohlhagen To Leland W. Carter OGML
Mrs. Clinton King To Leland W. Carter OGML
Gerald Kendrick To L.D. Bond OGL
Frances Kendrick To L.D. Bond OGL
Eva Owings Kinard To A.B. (Angie) Baumstimmer OGL
Austin Moore Knox & Others, Dec'd To The Public Corr. Proof of Heirship
Owen E. King To Wayne Blanchette Asgn ORR
H.W. Kuteaman III & others OGL
Ethel Lovell, Ind. & Others To Taylor Operating Co. Esmt
Lillie Lusk To Leland W. Carter Ratif. OGML
Robert Joe Lobaugh Jr. & Others To Robert J. Lobaugh Sr. Warranty Deed
Florence Martin To David W. Martin M/D
C.C. Miller To Thomas R. Miller OGML
Lucy Mills, Dec'd To The Public Inher. Tax Return
Charles Morgan To Eastland Natl Bk Trans. MML
Charotte Miller Mehler To Leland W. Carter OGML
Ivan J. Miller To Leland W. Carter Ratif. OGML
Ruth Moore To Leland W. Carter Ratif. OGML
J.R. Mason To Wayne Carille & Wife Deed of trust
Stanley B. Morris & Wife To C.L. Tyra & Others Sub. Agree.
W. Clark Martin Jr. & Others To Toby Stone Warranty Deed
Richard Merriman, Dec'd To The Public Proof of Heirship

Irene McKinnerney To Jay R. Frazier OGML
Pat McGough & Others To The Public Aid't
Royce McGaha & Others To Richard D. Threet & Wife Warranty Deed
Ester McAlister To Bob Maynard OGL

Frank McKibbian To Gene M. Snow OGML
D.C. McClelland To L.B. Holly OGML
Ruth L. McCauley To L.B. Holly OGML
Russel Neal & Wife To Jay Frazier OGL
Jerry D. Nickell To Commercial Bank & Trust Deed of trust
Olney Savings Assoc. To Ward Arnold & Wife Rel. Deed of trust
Olney Savings Assoc. To Larry V. Cornelison & Wife Rel. Deed of trust
Olney Savings Assoc. To O.L. Justice Rel. Deed of trust
Linda L. Owings To Ronald Owings Power of Atty.
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Cecil Dwight Penn To A.G. (Angie) Baumstimmer OGL
R.D. Patterson & Wife To David R. Drake & Wife Warranty Deed
Pioneer Electronics of Am. To Robert G. McCoy Abstract of Judg.
Barbara Rogers To James A. Thackerson & Wife Warranty Deed
Mary Jane Rowch, Rec. No. 29,633 To L.H. Jones OGML
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Bennie Allen Reynolds & Others, Dec'd To The Public Proof of Heirship
John S. Ripley To Sue Pittman Ripley Warranty Deed
Mary E. Snead Ind. & others To Vic Riley OGL
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Gordon H. White Chev. Pu. Odessa
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C.N. Huddleston Chev. Pu. Rising Star
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Donnie Rone Chry. 4 Dr. Gorman
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Rodney Hess Chev. Pu. Eastland
J.H. Jarratt Chev. Pu. Eastland
Dean Madison Chev. Pu. Cisco
Frank W. Murphy Chev. 4 Dr. Merkel

Thursday, April 1, 1982

RSHS Track Rising Star

Girls

Triple Jump - 1. Mary Nell Clayton (Roby) 27.9; 2. Pat Jackson (Santa Anna) 24.79; 3. Engstrand (Eula) 24.34.
Long Jump - 1. Mary Nell Clayton (Roby) 17.4; 2. Pat Jackson (Santa Anna) 14.94; 3. Brenda Bowden (May) 15.119.
High Jump - 1. Katy Jackson (Moran) 54; 2. Yvonne Petross (May) 52; 3. Donna Richards (Throckmorton) 50.
Shot Put - 1. Bailey (Blanket) 35.7; 2. Manell McCleskey (Rising Star) 33.5; 3. Verayp (Eula) 33.0.
Discus - 1. Collins (Santa Anna) 99.8; 2. Tammy Garland (Gratford) 91.3; 3. Bennett (Eula) 84.6.
400 Relay - 1. Brock 32.82; 2. May 32.10; 3. Santa Anna (54.14).
500 Run - 1. Shellen McCallie (May) 12:07.23; 2. Maddoux (Blanket) 14:10.79; 3. Jacobson (Santa Anna) 14:22.41.
100 Low Hurdles - 1. Katy Jackson (Moran) 16:30; 2. Andrea Bazzam (Eula) 17.26; 3. Wornack (Brock) 17.53.
800 Dash - 1. Charly Smith (ACHS) 2:25.37; 2. Blanche Jantho (Moran) 2:25.97; 3. Mahan (Santa) 2:29.61.
100 Dash - 1. Kinton (Brock) 13.05; 2. Jackie Finer (ACHS) 13.32; 3. Bryant (Mozelle) 13.58.
800 Relay - 1. May (1:52.46); 2. Eula (1:52.70); 3. Brock (1:53.16).
400 Dash - 1. Mary Nell Clayton (Roby) 41.71; 2. Manuel (Throckmorton) 44.55; 3. Jones (Woodson) 44.73.
200 Dash - 1. McLaughlin (Blanket) 27.30; 2. Jackson (Santa Anna) 27.89; 3. Bryant (Mozelle) 28.48.
800 Run - 1. Shellen McCallie (May) 5:25.53; 2. J'Lynn Alling (Gratford) 5:28.73; 3. Jacobson (Santa Anna) 5:29.47.
1600 Relay - 1. Rising Star (4:27.01); 2. Throckmorton (4:27.43); 3. May (4:28.88).
Team totals: 1. May, 84; 2. Brock, 43; 3. Santa Anna, 62; 4. Eula, 55; 5. Throckmorton, 31; 6. Blanket, 50; 7. Rising Star, 36; 8. Roby, 33; 9. Moran, 28; 10. Abilene Christian High School, 27; 11. Santo, 17; 12. Gratford and Mozelle, 14; Woodson, 15; 15. Gordon, 5.

Boys

Pole Vault - 1. James Allen (Mozelle) 12.6; 2. Damon Cooper (Rising Star) 12.4; 3. Ricky Walker (Moran) 12.0.
Long Jump - 1. Parham (Gordon) 21.10; 2. Robbie King (Roby) 20.44; 3. John Vaughn (Rising Star) 19.4.
High Jump - 1. David Manley (Parrin) 6.4; 2. Brad Wardlow (Santa Anna) 6.2; 3. Davis (Throckmorton) 5.4.
Discus - 1. Thad Chambers (Rising Star) 151.5; 2. David Cooper (Rising Star) 131.44; 3. Stevens (Carbon) 119.4.
Shot Put - 1. Thad Chambers (Rising Star) 49.84; 2. John Mathews (ACHS) 47.9; 3. Albert Collins (Santa Anna) 44.4.
400 Relay - 1. Roby (45.54); 2. Santa Anna (46.40); 3. Gordon (46.12).
200 Run - 1. Terry Brown (ACHS) 10:52.44; 2. Mark (Moran) 11:38.00; 3. Timmy Griffin (Santo) 11:44.74.
110 Hurdles - 1. Wheeler (Cross Plains) 16.90; 2. Garza (Santa Anna) 16.8; 3. Palmer (Woodson) 17.84.
800 Run - 1. Dolloff (Eula) 2:10.04; 2. Roberts (Moran) 2:11.29; 3. Jiminez (Throckmorton) 2:11.84.
100 Dash - 1. Heeb (Cross Plains) 11.49; 2. Duncan (Star) 11:57; 3. Nigar (May) 11:77.
400 Dash - 1. Tidwell (Star) 51.91; 2. McGhee (Gordon) 53.54; 3. Stark (Santa Anna) 54.14.
200 Dash - 1. Dolloff (Eula) 42.13; 2. Dixon (Gordon) 42.54; 3. Clay Shults (Rising Star) 42.98.
200 Run - 1. Curt Stover (Santo) 22.31; 2. Karl Stover (Santo) 22.95; 3. Duncan (Star) 24.44.
1600 Run - 1. Bobby Burnett (May) 4:45.60; 2. Frankie Gonzales (Roby) 4:55.01; 3. Terry Brown (ACHS) 4:57.03.
1600 Relay - 1. Santa Anna (2:44.11); 2. Star (3:44.48); 3. Santo (3:44.69).
Team scores - 1. Rising Star, 79; 2. Santa Anna, 47; 3. Roby, 50; 4. Gordon, 26; 5. Star, 43; 6. Santo, 40; 7. Abilene Christian High School, 36; 8. Parrin, 26; 9. Cross Plains and Throckmorton, 25; 11. Moran, 24; 12. May, 21; 13. Eula, 20; 14. Mozelle, 16; 15. Carbon, 7; 17. Woodson, 4; 18. Brock, 1.

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