

Higginbothams Celebrating 100th Anniversary

During this year, Higginbotham Bros. & Co., a corporation operating eighteen locations in Central Texas, is celebrating its 100th year in business.

Lucy and John James Higginbotham moved from Water Valley, Mississippi, with four of their twelve children and settled in Dublin, Texas in December, 1880. Five of their children were already living in or near Dublin, two of whom were married daughters. Several members of this family immediately started opening general mercantile stores, the first two being in De Leon and Dublin and both of these are still in the same location today.

The De Leon store was established in January, 1881 by the oldest and youngest sons, B.T. and J.M. Higginbotham. In the early days this store operated under the name of Higginbotham & Co. The Dublin store, Higginbotham & Son, was also opened in 1881. Mr. Higginbotham died in 1883, soon after moving to Dublin, but his wife managed to hold the family together and they continued the business and opened other partnership stores.

Three of the sons, R.W., J.M., and Ben started the store in Stephenville in 1891. It was Higginbotham Company. The Townsend Oldham Co. was established in Gorman in 1900 by R.W. Higginbotham and Clem Oldham and F.W. Townsend, son and son-in-law of Jenny Higginbotham Oldham, and Robert Fry, son of Sue Higginbotham Fry.

Other stores that have been in operation since the early 1900's are Comanche, Rising Star, Ballinger, Gustine, and Cross Plains. The present manager of the Ballinger store is C.R. Ayers, who is a grandson of Sarah Higginbotham Williams, and he has been an employee of Higginbothams for fifty years.

The Brownwood location was added to the chain in 1926 and Hamilton and Brady in 1928. A lumberyard in Winters was purchased in 1942 and one in Weatherford in 1955. During the 1970's lumberyards have been opened in Granbury, Cleburne, Coppas Cove, and Glen Rose.

From 1881 to 1917, the stores operated independently. In 1917, the business was reorganized and all of the stores became Hig-

ginbotham Bros. & Co. the corporations present name, and a General Office was established in Comanche. The eighteen locations now under its management and supervision retail general merchandise which includes piece goods, ladies' and men's wear, shoes, furniture, hardware, plumbing, and lumber. Four of the locations operate funeral homes. They employ approximately 265 people.

It has not always been smooth sailing for this pioneer company, but it has managed to survive droughts and oil booms and busts and continued to grow. Some of their stores have been discontinued due to the changing times were located in Texarkana, San Angelo, Blanket, Lee Ray, Desdemona, Breckenridge, Snyder, Hico, Rotan, Coleman, Carbon, and Pioneer.

This corporation is still family owned with several still active in the business as officers and directors. Ownership is now in the fifth generation. Their 100th Anniversary Stockholders' Meeting was held in January and approximately 200 stockholders and their families attended this celebration. It was more like a big family reunion.

Regular Business Handled By RSISD Board of Trustees

The Rising Star Independent School District Board of Trustees met Monday, June 8, 1981 in regular session.

Members present included: Jack Hubbard, R.L.Rust, David Harris, Jack Shults, Sue Barnes and Douglas Walker.

Members absent: Bob Clark.

School personnel present: Gene Williams, Weldon Hill and Coach Dewain Finley.

Others present included: Sue Watson and David Watson.

The following business was presented:

Jack Hubbard, President called the meeting to order.

1. By general consent of the board the

minutes of the regular board meeting of May 11 and special board minutes of April 22, 1981 were read and approved with no corrections or additions.

2. Motion by R.L. Rust, seconded by Douglas Walker to pay the bills incurred by the Rising Star ISD during May, 1981. Motion carried.

3. Sue Watson met with the board concerning the award presentations in football.

Motion by Jack Shults to award a jacket to David Watson. (Motion dies for lack of a second.)

4. Motion by David Harris, seconded by Jack Hubbard to accept Self Study of T.E.A. Motion carried.

5. Motion by

Bonuses Awarded To School Personnel

The Rising Star ISD Board of Trustees met in special session on Wednesday, June 24, 1981.

Members present were: Jack Hubbard, Jack Shults, Bob Clark, David Harris and Douglas Walker.

Members absent: Sue Barnes and R.L.Rust.

School personnel present: Gene Williams

Business:

1. Meeting called to order by President Jack Hubbard.

2. Motion by Bob Clark, seconded by David Harris to make arrangements to pur-

chase a house for school personnel. Motion carried.

3. Motion by Douglas Walker, seconded by Bob Clark, subject to approval of budget to give bonuses of \$1000.00 to Supt. Gene Williams, Principals Weldon Hill and Frank Gray. Also bonuses of \$500.00 to full time teachers of Rising Star ISD. Motion carried.

4. Discussion of teacher salaries.

5. Motion by Jack Shults, seconded by David Harris to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 12:07.

Senior Citizens Welcome Two New Members

On July 23rd, we had a very good meeting with thirty-eight people enjoying lunch and games. There were several local visitors and one out-of-town guest, Jane Ann Jenkins of Levelland, Texas. We welcome Alvey and Dell Bible as new members of the club.

Our compliments to Artie Jagers for being a gracious hostess and custodian for the month. To you too, Vernon, the refrigerator looks great.

I would like to take

The first place winner was Flarez Plumbing from Abilene, second place B&B Pools from Abilene, and third place went to our own home team-Twin Drilling.

this opportunity to thank all the club members for their great cooperation—all the work and food is strictly on a volunteer basis. The bachelor men have been faithful to bring canned goods—coffee, tea or sugar and etc.

The Starbrites have been resting up a bit in this hot weather. Our bus drivers have been busy on the farm, but we have begun practice on some new tunes and are ready to go again.

Reporter, Rilla

We hope that this is just the beginning of money-making projects for the next year. Thanks again to everyone, The Officers of Rising Star P.T.O.

Little Towns Of Texas

THE LITTLE TOWNS OF TEXAS

The little towns of Texas

That nestle on her plains, That gather close the inland roads,

The homing trails and lanes, The little towns of Texas

That sleep the whole night long, Cooled by a scented tropic breeze, Lulled by its drowsy song!

The little towns of Texas

Will ever seem to me Like stars that light a prairie sky

Or isles that dot a sea; Like beads that sparkle here and there

On Texas' flowered gown; Like figures on its rich brocade

Of purple, green and brown.

The little towns of Texas

Seen through the prairie haze, How fair and fresh and free they lie

Beneath the golden

days! Not crowded in deep valleys,

Not buried in tall trees, But open to the sun, the rain,

The starlight, and the breeze!

The little towns of Texas,

What pretty names they bear!

There's Echo, Garland, Crystal Springs,

Arcadia, Dawn and Dare;

There's Ingleside, and Prairie Home,

And Bells, and Rising Star.

God keep them childlike, restful, clean,

Pure as the prairies are!

Taken from: THE BUCCANEER: A Journal of Poetry, Sept. 1924 and SHINING TRIALS, written by Clyde Hill.

Submitted by E. J. Patterson (Finney), Professor Emeritus.

Rising Star Schools To Begin August 24th

Supt. Gene Williams has announced that In-School Service for all Rising Star Independent School District teachers will be held August 17-21, 1981.

Senior pictures will be taken on Monday, August 17, 1981.

The first day of regular classes will be Monday, August 24, 1981.

Niece of Local in Abilene Piano Recital

Angelyn Frankenberg presented her piano students in recital at 2 p.m., June 7th in the Parish Hall of the Episcopal Church of the Heavenly Rest in Abilene, Texas.

Students performing included Jenny and Susie Clark, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Clark; Carrie Horwedel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Horwedel; Kristin Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Jackson; Julie Kahl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Kahl; Beth Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Patton; Kemberly Philpott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Philpott; Jim Johnson and Jane Schwertner, son and daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schwertner; Matt Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson; Dawnel Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Turner; Lea 'Anne' Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Williams; and Wendy Wiser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wiser.

Adult students performing in the recital were Debbie Sams and Laura Smith.

Students and guests were honored with a reception following the program. The recital was open to the public.

Angelyn is the daughter of A.H. and Estellene Frankenberg of Abilene and a niece of Mrs. Ed Witt of Rising Star.

Brother of Local Buried in Somerville

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nunnally attended funeral services for her brother, Elton

Tucker, of San Angelo Saturday. Services were held at Somerville.

Supt. Don Rhodes has announced that FOOTBALL PHYSICALS for May High School and Junior High will be held Monday, August 3, 1981 at 7:00 p.m.

All players are to meet at the football field where we will go by bus for the physicals.

There will be a \$6.00 fee for the physical.

Coach Dewain Finley has announced that Physicals for the Rising Star Junior High and High School football players will be given Monday, August 3rd beginning at 8:00 p.m.

Doctor Carpenter's Office Will Be Closed Friday and Saturday, August 7th and 8th.

The Doctor Will Be Attending a Seminar For General Practitioners.

Cindy Elliott Named To ACU Dean's Roll

ABILENE, Texas--Cindy Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Walker, Box 433, is one of about 317 Abilene Christian University students to be named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester.

Elliott is a 1979 graduate of Rising Star High School. This is her second year to be included on the ACU

Dean's Honor Roll.

Students named to the honor roll must earn at least a 3.45 grade point average and be enrolled in at least 12 hours during the semester.

Abilene Christian University is a four-year institution with an enrollment of 4560 undergraduate and graduate students.

PTO Expresses Thanks

We would like to take this time to express our gratitude to everyone who had a part in the P.T.O. Men's Slow-Pitch Softball Tournament.

The officers would

especially like to thank Tommy Pernel for organizing the tournament and working so hard on it. Also, a special "Thank You" to Chuck Temple, an out-of-town visitor, for all the errands that he ran and all the help he gave.

We are proud to announce that we show a profit of about \$1000.00 which will go into the P.T.O. treasury for future use at the school.

COMMENTARY

By Myrtle Owen

Rapture Before Judgment, I think you can see why these two illustrations of Jesus teaches His return for His own before the Tribulation judgment begins. We are now living in a period of prophetic warning about God's impending judgment. Newspaper, books, preaching, mass media, and word-of-mouth messages about Jesus' return are having a wider spread than at any time in history. Following this prophetic warning, Christ will remove His people in the rapture, and then judgement such as man has never known will see the world for seven years. After that, Christ will lead His believers into God's Kingdom of peace and righteousness forever and forever on a new unpolluted, germ-free, no tempter (Satan) will never cause any more sickness, no more death, we will never be separated from our loved ones again. No more fear, hate, despair, nothing but joy, love, peace, and best of all to forever be with our Blessed Saviour and Lord. The Rapture is very near, since the Bible teaches that the Rapture is going to occur before the Tribulation period begins, and since there are increasing signs that this time of God's judgement is nearing, it would be good to briefly summarize the major signs that Jesus and the prophets said would herald the Tribulation and return of Jesus to this earth. Even though many of these signs are appalling in themselves, their tremendous significance should gladden the heart of every true believer in Christ. Many of these predicted signs are

amplified in various chapters of the Book of Revelation. Here I'm simply going to list them to get them focused in our minds as a group. 1. The return of the Jews to Israel to become a nation again in 1948. 2. The Jew's recapture of the old city of Jerusalem in the 1967 Arab-Israeli war. 3. The rise of Russia as a powerful nation and enemy of Israel. 4. The Arab confederation against the new State of Israel. 5. The rise of a military power in the Orient that can field an army of 200 million soldiers. (Red China alone boasts that she has this number of troops!) 6. The revival of the old Roman Empire in the form of a ten-nation confederacy. (I believe the European Common Market is ultimately going to be this power.) 7. The revival of the dark occultic practices of ancient Babylon. 8.

The unprecedented turn to drugs. 9. The increase of international revolution. 10. The increase of wars, earthquakes, famines, population explosion, plagues, air pollution, the departure of many Christian churches from the truths of Christianity. The move to one-world religion, one world government, the increase in lawlessness, the decline of the family unit.

Several times in the New Testament the coming of Christ at the Rapture is called a great "Hope." It can only be a hope, however, for people who are ready by having personally received Jesus as their Saviour.

SLOW DOWN



THEY DEPEND ON YOU

Rising Star Nursing Center

Diana Bailey Activity Director

MONDAY, we gathered the news for the newspaper. Mildred Parnell, admn., and Terry Horton, LVN, graced the lunch hour with hymns. Terry Horton played piano. "I Know Who Holds Tomorrow," and "Without Him," were sung beautifully by both.

TUESDAY, residents played Bingo. Buster Rixford called the numbers. Estelle Bolding and Mary Hammett tied as top winners of 3 games each. Martha Irby won 2 games. Ada Foster, Ora Clark, Maggie Christian, Emma West and Mary Crisp each won 1 game. Popcorn and punch were served.

WEDNESDAY was shopping day for personal items. Canteloupe donated was thoroughly enjoyed for the noon meal by residents, whose diets permitted.

THURSDAY, consultant, Linda Monsey, of Cross Plains made her monthly visit with residents. Afternoon refreshments of punch and cookies were served at 3:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, Bible Study was conducted by Olive Odom of the 1st Baptist Church of May. Mildred Parnell, admn., and Terry Horton, LVN, sang special duets of "Because He Lives" and "What A Day That Will Be." Terry Horton played the piano as Robert Sparkman led the group singing of hymns. Mrs. Odom continued with her study context of the "Parables of Jesus." Twenty-seven residents attended Sunday.

Rev. Ray Green of the Church of Christ in Rising Star conducted worship services. "Let's Negotiate" with scripture text of Phillippians 4:8, negotiate with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ was Rev. Green's particular sermon notation.

Special Note: Barbara Chick went home Saturday.

TFB President Expresses Concern Over Fruit Fly

WACO- The Texas Farm Bureau has asked the federal government to strengthen the quarantine on fruits and vegetables from the Mediterranean fruit fly-infested area of northern California.

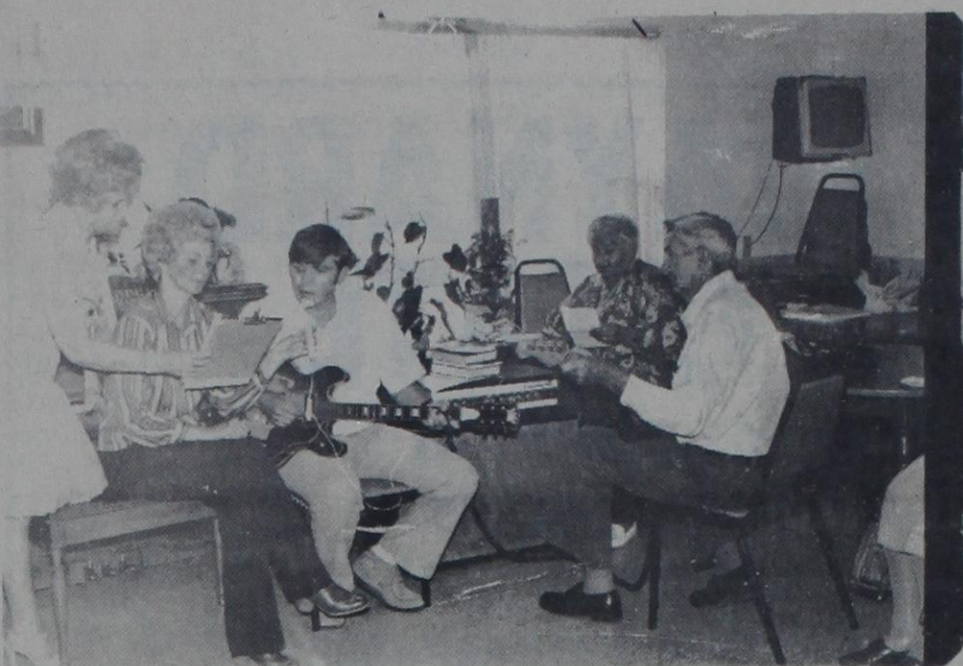
"The spray area should be expanded to include a one-and-a-half mile buffer zone around all areas in which medflies have been found," TFB President Carrol Chaloupka said in a telegram to President Reagan.

The Texas farm leader also told the President: "We are in complete agreement

with your decision to deny the request of California Governor Jerry Brown Jr. to declare fruit fly-infested areas a federal disaster area.

"We believe that the California governor has contributed to the spread of the fruit fly. We feel his actions have jeopardized an important part of the nation's food supply. In our opinion, he and the misguided so-called environmentalists of his state have permitted the spread of the infestation through their inaction.

"Governor Brown was told by competent



Providing entertainment at the July birthday party for residents of the Rising Star Nursing Center were left to right: Mildred Parnell, Administrator; Diana Bailey, Activity Director; Tom Bailey, brother of Diana; Irene Bailey, Diana's mother and Doc Bailey, Diana's father.

authorities a year ago that the then small outbreak could be eliminated through three simple steps: stripping of trees and ground spraying, introducing sterile flies, and most important, permitting aerial spraying of the common garden pesticide, malathion. This is how we quickly and successfully rid the Rio Grande Valley of the dreaded pest in 1967.

"Yet, the Governor refused to use the safe aerial spraying, electing instead to mobilize an army of workers on the ground in a futile, \$23 million effort to eliminate the pest. According to officials of the American Farm Bureau Federation, the medfly could be eradicated in 1980 with an effective spray program at a cost of only \$128,000."

PERSONAL:

The Willie H. Ezzells have just recently returned from a most enjoyable vacation which took them to California, Las Vegas and the Grand Canyon. Points of interest include Universal Studio, N.B.C. Studio, Marineland, Movieland Wax Museum, Disneyland, Knotts Berry Farm, The Queen Mary, The Sequoia National park and Old Tucson Town.

West Texas Fair Announces Availability of Catalogs

Plans for the 75th West Texas Fair & Rodeo are well on the way with the release of the catalogs for various Fair activities. The Modern Living Mall and Livestock premium catalogs are now available through the Fair Office at the Taylor County Expo Center, P.O. Box 5527, Abilene, Texas 79608.

The catalogs outline the rules and requirements for the activities in both divisions. Deadline for all livestock entries is August 21st. Entries for the Modern Living Mall departments will be Tuesday, September 8th and Wednesday, the 9th, except for perishable foods (Sat., Sept. 19th) and Youth Clothing (Tues., Sept. 15th).

In addition, fair Manager John Emmons announced that there remains unlimited outdoor display booth space as well as some 70 inside booths in the exhibit and Display Buildings. The fee for display booths is \$200 for a 10' x 10' interior space which includes a name banner and professional drapes. Outdoor space rents for \$12 per front foot. However, Emmons pointed out

Booth Space

that all permanent concession space has been rented.

The West Texas Fair & Rodeo gets underway Saturday, September 12th, with the traditional downtown parade.

For additional information about the West Texas Fair & Rodeo call 915-677-4376 or write P.O. Box 5527, Abilene, Tx. 79608.

Windfall Profit Tax Returns Fewer Than Expected

Dallas, Texas--The Internal Revenue Service said that very few Federal Excise tax returns for crude oil windfall profit tax have been filed from persons who received income from producing oil wells in 1980.

District Director Richard Voskuil said the IRS had expected to receive several thousand Forms 720 from the northern Texas district. "They were due June 1, and we received less than a thousand," he said. "We suspect that many persons may not recognize the requirement for filing an an-

Thursday, July 30, 1981 nual excise tax return."

Essentially, taxpayers who did not have enough windfall profit tax withheld during 1980 should file Form 720, Quarterly Federal Excise Tax Return. He suggests that all royalty owners and oil companies, as well as estates, trusts, and others receiving income from producing wells, should review the requirements for filing the return.

To determine the under withheld amount, subtract the total of the amounts entered on line 4, Part IV, from the total of the amounts entered on line 3, Part IV, of all Form(s) 6248. The amount should be reported on the line entitled Annual Return under Crude Oil Windfall Profit Tax.

Taxpayers with questions about the filing requirement may contact IRS. In Dallas call 742-2440; in Fort Worth 335-1370; elsewhere in Texas 1-800-492-4830.

BIRTHS

We are proud to announce the birth of Robert Dale Ratliff II, born July 14th at Women's and Children's Hospital, Odessa, Texas, weighing 7 lbs. 2 oz. and 19 inches long.

The proud parents are Dale and Mitzi Ratliff of Odessa. Grandparents are Betty Boudreau of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Mertz Ratliff of Ranger. Great grandparents are Clay Cade of Cisco and Ora Lee Ratliff of BelAire, Texas.

CORRECTION: The pictures of the residents of the Rising Star Nursing Center which appeared in last weeks paper were birthday honorees of the month of July instead of June as was reported.



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HOMES-RANGER

Brick three bedrooms one and a half baths, large den, central heat and air, range and dish washer. This place is in the Meadowbrook Addition and would make some family a very nice home. FHA Financing Available

Two bedrooms, one bath, close to down town, needs very little work, double garage. This house is on 1 1/2 lots, a good buy at \$10,000.

Three bedrooms, one bath on 1 1/2 lots, this is an older home but built with **SOLD** lumber. On Spring Road in Ranger. Priced to sell at \$12,500.

Brick three bedrooms, two full baths, den with wood burning fireplace, kitchen with double oven, corning cooktop, dining room living room combination, central heat and air, utility room with washer dryer connections. Fenced back yard with covered patio, storage building. This is a in a very nice neighborhood. \$75,000.

Approx. 5 Acres of land **SOLD** City Limits with a three bedroom, Two bath, central heat and Air, Horse barns, garage, and storage, very attractive place. \$45,000.00.

Three bedroom, one bath, large living dining room combination. Central heat and air, washer dryer connections. Separate garage and storage room. This house is on two lots, on Main Street.

Mobil home on one acre **SOLD** land, two bedrooms, one bath, outside utility house, washer and dryer. Garden spot with plenty of room. \$1,000.00.

1980 model Mobil home on eight lots. Three bedrooms, two full baths, carport, Central heat and Air. There is a large 24 x 30 steel building with concrete floor that goes with this place also a 14 x 20 Storage house. \$65,000. Some owner financing.

Rock two bedroom, central heat, one bath, living room, large kitchen, washer connection, range, refrigerator, would like to sell furnished. This house has 4 1/2 lots, six ocean trees and several fruit trees. \$40,000.

Two bedroom house on 1/2 acre **SOLD** x 80. Need some work but will sell cheap enough. \$6,000.

Tile block house on deeded lot, one large bedroom with very large living room with sleeping facilities. This place has a nice boat dock. All furniture goes with this. \$35,000.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

7,000 square foot Delta Steel Building in Ranger. This building has a large truck scale that goes with the building.

Two lots on Hwy. 80 just next to JRB. A good commercial location.

Three story brick **SOLD** Ranger with twelve lots.

Ten acres of land in the city limits, good place to develop. Will sell worth the money, \$10,000.

LAKE PROPERTY

35 acres just off of the lake with three bedroom, two bath house. Living room dining room combination, nice large kitchen. Several barns and sheds with a two car garage. Staff water.

RANCH OUT OF RANGER

981 acres on I-20 just east of Ranger, excellent hunting place. Will run 60 pairs year round, small but nice house with central heat and air.

JUST OUT OF RANGER

25 acres of land with a four bedroom house, two full baths, Franklin Stove, very nice kitchen with plenty of cabinet space. Dishwasher, range and ovens, large pantry. Lots of closet space **SOLD** and storage. Several outside buildings, metal pens, water well, fenced garden spot. \$58,000.00

160 acres of land, one tank, 87 acres in cultivation, good fences, some improved pasture, 1/4 minerals. Owner will sell parts of this place also.

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3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home on 40 acres to lease. Must be at least a six months lease. \$500 a month, first and last, plus \$500 damage deposit.

For Lease! Commercial 6.8 acres in Olden. Septic tank and utilities available.

For commercial use only. One to five acres with I20 frontage.

HOMES & LOTS

2 bedroom, 1 bath home with detached garage. Carpeted, fireplace, central heat and air. Nice neighborhood. \$28,500.

Country living in town! A 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick home on large lot, located on edge of town. A very nice place. \$45,000.

A 2 bedroom, 1 bath home with white siding, has some paneling and is carpeted. Detached garage and carport, both. \$35,000.

Beautiful 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick home with all the extras! Carpet, custom drapes, fireplace, built-ins, CH-CA, covered patio, privacy fence and more. An exceptionally nice home in one of Eastland's best neighborhoods. Close to schools \$85,000.

3 bedroom, 2 bath frame. Carpeted, living room plus den with fireplace, built-in oven and range top. \$32,500.

A nice lake cabin on deeded lot. Good boat dock and boat storage. \$29,500. Terms available.

A large 5 bedroom home on corner lot. 2 story. Better hurry on this one. \$23,500.

Close in, a 2 bedroom, 1 bath older home that is carpeted. Located on large lot. \$21,500.

3 bedroom, 2 bath frame home with approx. 2,000 sq. ft. living area. Central heat and air, built-ins and carpet. \$48,000.

Lake Leon! A 1 bedroom, 1 bath lake home with a large den, including a Ben Franklin fireplace. Located on a 276' x 300' deeded lot.

Close in, a large 3 bedroom frame home. Has been completely remodeled. Carpeted, fireplace and central heat. \$37,000.

Deeded lot at Lake Leon. Good waterfront. Some terms. \$9,500.

CISCO

A large 2 story home with apartment attached, located on a corner lot. A very scenic yard with lots of trees. This is a versatile house.

A large 2 or 3 bedroom home on 3 big lots with about 30 oak trees, lots of fruit trees, big fenced garden, storage building and also has mobil home hook-ups. This home has been recently remodeled and has new carpet and lots of cabinets.

Big 2 story older home. First floor could be used for a business and still have 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath upstairs. Also, has a basement and big attic, which could be used for more living space. Good location and reasonably priced.

2 bedroom home on approx. 6 acres in town. Barn, pens, garage, storage and other outbuildings. Also, has a small rent house. Some owner financing available.

A nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home on corner lot. Central air and heat, new carpet, modern kitchen and built-in dishwasher. Also, a garage and storage area.

Large 3 bedroom older home in good neighborhood, brick street, big trees, garage and storage. Only \$19,500.

3 bedroom home with central heat and air, carpet, paneling, lots of closets, built-in oven and range, big pecan trees, corner lot. Priced below FHA appraisal.

A large 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 2 story carpeted home. Large game room and also a study which could be a 4th bedroom. As a bonus, two rent houses go with property, which are fully furnished. 2 large corner lots with several fruit and other trees.

COMMERCIAL

In Cisco, a 30 x 60 metal building close to railroad. Plenty of room for parking. Would make a good office building. \$43,500.

In Cisco! Nice brick building with 5,000 sq. ft. in prime downtown location. A 3,125 sq. ft. warehouse located nearby goes with this. Only \$65,000 for both.

In Eastland! A 50' x 100' building. Close to downtown. Ideal for retail business. \$32,500.

On highway 80 E. approx. a 10 acre tract and 20 acre tract of land. Ideal location for a business. Utilities available.

1.3 acres joining railroad tracks, with spur. 3 buildings, one has office and bath, and a 2,000 gallon underground gas tank. \$75,000.

In Cisco! Large lot on Hiway 80 E. with older building and garage. \$22,500.

In Ranger! 9 acres on Hiway 80 W. 1800 sq. ft. office, 24,000 sq. ft. shop building, 2400 sq. ft. warehouse, other buildings and commercial antenna. Owner will sell or consider long term lease.

In Cisco! Good commercial building with about 1100 sq. ft. Good location with main street frontage. Only \$19,500.

In Rising Star, established service station and garage. Located on busy highway near main 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.

We have a place that would be a good location for most any business. There is an 1840 sq. ft. Building with ample parking on 4 lots. This is a fast food business. It is now priced at \$60,000, which includes all equipment.

If you need I20 exposure for a business, we have 5 acres on the south side. \$27,000. Make Offer.

Located on Highway 80 E. near I20, approx. 1 1/2 acres with old house and large metal garage. Now used as a wrecking yard. \$54,000.

FARMS & RANCHES

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

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

10 acres tracts near Gorman located on old Hiway 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.

50 acres south of Eastland near Lake Leon. 15% down, owner financed, \$50,000.

We have ten acre tracts and up on hiway near Lake Leon. \$11,000 and up, owner will finance.

40 acres between Cisco and Cross Plains with a 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home. Carpeted, central heat and air, built-ins, large den with fireplace. Terms can be arranged. \$80,000.

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. \$450 per acre with terms.

10 acres near Eastland. I20 frontage. \$3500 per acre. Terms can be arranged.

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

A 2 bedroom, 1 bath home only one year old. Located on 5 acres south of Cisco. Carpeted, screened in porch, extra nice. \$48,000.

12 acres in edge of Ranger, good grass, fair fences. \$18,000.

3 1/2 acres, with stock tank, located approx. 1 mile from Eastland. \$6500.

De Leon Peach and Melon Festival

The De Leon Peach and Melon Festival will celebrate its 67th annual festival this year on August 3,4,5,6,7 and 8. ALSO DE LEON WILL CELEBRATE ITS CENTENNIAL Monday, August 3rd.

Tuesday will be a show on the open-air stage—a two hour show is presented by Joe Stampley, then the slab area is cleared and a dance is held until midnight or later. A charge of \$4.00 per person is charged for the dance. Also, Tuesday is judging of the exhibition booths, classified civic, commercial, and 4-H booths and this year they will have Centennial Booths decorated by surrounding communities. There are 40 of these booths. Ribbons are given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.

Wednesday is a big day—starting with farmers bringing in melons, peaches, apples, pears and cantaloupes to the festival shed. These are entered in 1/2 bushel entries and are judged at 1:00 p.m.. Prizes are given for best group of three and also largest melon. That night all entries are auctioned at a public auction. Also received on Wednesday morning are the entries for the 4-H contest including three divisions: food, crafts and floral. This is a county-wide show. They are allowed to sell the cakes at the public auction that night.

On Wednesday also at 4 p.m. before the parade a tea is given by the De Leon Shakespeare Club to the Queen's court and all the duchesses from out-of-town, their escorts and visiting queens the opportunity to get acquainted. This is invitation only. At 5:30 p.m. each duchess must have her car decorated to be judged before the parade. The theme for the parade is "Centennial". Thursday is the night a program is given on the open-air stage by the Cross Timbers Opry. This is a half gospel and half country western stage show. This show is from Stephenville and is very similar to the Grapevine Opry. The tractor pull is started on this night. De Leon has one of the largest and possibly the largest one in Texas. This is due to the local participation of our farmers as this is a farming community.

Friday is one of the oldest and best old-time fiddlers contest in the state. As many as fifty contestants make up three groups. The grand prize is \$500.00. Also this is the second night of our Tractor Pull. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights they have entertainment in three areas—stage area, tractor pull and the midway is always open. Saturday opens with an ex-students reunion in the city auditorium and is well attended by several hundred ex-students and is a real homecoming. Each individual class will have their own reunion after the general meeting. At 3:30 p.m. a seed spitting contest of watermelon seeds is held. The record now stands at 48 feet. This is a lot of fun to watch. This is the final night of the tractor pull. A Centennial Pageant program will be held on the open-air stage. This will be followed by a centennial dance with Joe Paul Nichols playing. One of the most colorful events during the entire festival is the "Watermelon Slicing". This is a very old custom. The festival committee buys 27,000 pounds of local watermelons and will put them in cold storage for the week and the festival members then load them in their pickups. They are taken to the main street and sliced and given away free to the crowd. The rinds are then picked up and taken out of town and the streets are washed by the fire department.

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Eli Jacobs' to Celebrate 50th Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Eli Jacobs of Rising Star will be celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary, Sunday, August 9, 1981 at a reception from 2 to 5 p.m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank of Rising Star. The reception will be hosted by their children: Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bailey of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs.

Robert Roberson of Big Spring, and their grandchildren: Dick and Brenda Goldston and sons, Chad and Kevin; Don and Nedra Roberson; Ron and Jan Roberson all of Lubbock; David Bailey of Houston; and Lauri Roberson of Big Spring. Eli Jacobs and Georgie Lewis were married August 8, 1931

in Henderson, Texas. They are both natives of Rising Star and have made their home in Rising Star, Big Spring, and were living in Hobbs, New Mexico at the time of Mr. Jacobs retirement after 22 years as a test engineer with Continental Oil Company.

The following is the wedding announcement of the Jacobs' taken from the August 1931 edition of the RISING STAR RECORD.

MR. Eli Jacobs and Miss Georgia Lewis, popular young couple of this city, were married last Saturday at Henderson, Texas, where the young lady was visiting with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs returned here on Saturday and are at home to their friends.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. W.H. Lewis, and is a most charming and popular young lady

and for some time has been employed in a local store where she has made many friends. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Jacobs, a pioneer family of this section, and is highly esteemed by all who know him. During his high school days here, he was one of the star athletes of this section, being mentioned as an all-state end in high school football and was also a prominent high school baseball player.

Both have many friends who will be glad to extend congratulations.

The family invites all friends and relatives to join the Jacobs on August 9th, 1981 in their 50th wedding anniversary celebration.



THE HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Home Energy Assistance Act of 1980, Public Law 96-223, Title III, establishes the Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP). The program is designed to assist low income households in meeting the increased cost of energy for heating and cooling their homes. It is federally funded through the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). In Texas, the program is administered by the Texas Department of Human Resources (TDHR).

Low income families containing members age 65 or older may receive needed assistance this summer to help in cooling their homes. Under the cooling phase of the federally funded Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) the Texas Department of Human Resources proposes to make a one-time-only payment to qualifying households which:

1. have energy costs that are subject to increases
2. have both low income and low resources
3. contain a member age 65 or older by August 31, 1981
4. meet income limits listed below

Under TDHR's plan those households not receiving an automatic payment can apply between August 3 and August 31, 1981. Each county in Texas will have a designated location for members of such households to apply. If certified as eligible, the household

Thursday, July 30, 1981 should have their benefit payments within 20-30 days.

A household's resources cannot exceed \$1800 for one person or \$3000 for more than one person. The value of a homestead, cars, personal and household belongings will not be considered liquid assets. All household income must be verified and gross income cannot exceed the following limits:

Number of persons	Income Limit
1	\$296
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7	1195

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Some eligible households containing a member aged 65 or over that get AFDC, supplemental Security Income (SSI), or Food Stamp benefits in July 1981 may get an Energy Assistance payment automatically if they returned by June 18th the HEAP questionnaire mailed to them in June 1981. All others may apply for benefits at DHR Office, Exchange Bldg., P.O. Box 876, Eastland, TX 76448 or call (817) 629-1713 for more information.

Malathion Safe Despite Public Up roar

COLLEGE STATION—Despite the public uproar in California about use of the insecticide malathion to control Mediterranean fruit flies, the material has a proven track record of being safe and free of health hazards.

"Malathion has been with us a long time—since the early 1950's—and is one of the most commonly used insecticides by farmers, homeowners and gardeners," points out Dr. Phil Hamman, entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Hamman says he has been inundated with telephone calls since the California controversy from people wanting to know about the safety of malathion.

Tests sponsored by the National Cancer Institute have shown malathion to be both non-carcinogenic (not causing cancer) and non-mutagenic (not causing genetic changes).

According to Dr. Bill Plapp, research toxicologist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, malathion is one of the least dangerous insecticides in use today.

"Malathion is routinely used by many homeowners and gardeners to control insects and mites on trees, shrubs, houseplants, flowers and vegetables. It is also used to control external parasites on pets," says Hamman. In addition, he ex-

plains that malathion is used widely to control many different insect pests of crops. For instance, it has been used in large area control programs for boll weevils and grasshoppers in West Texas.

Another major use of malathion in Texas has been for mosquito control programs, points out the entomologist. "Malathion is used almost exclusively to rid urban and suburban areas of disease-carrying mosquitoes," says Hamman. "In 1966-67 and again in 1971, vast areas of Texas, including major cities such as Dallas, Houston and Corpus Christi, were aerially sprayed with malathion to control outbreaks of St. Louis encephalitis and Venezuelan encephalomyelitis, diseases spread by mosquitoes."

The entomologist points out that in all of these uses of malathion, there has been no record of problems involving human health.

Of course, Hamman cautions users of malathion as well as other insecticides to follow common sense precautions for safe and effective results. This means following directions on the product label, avoiding any unnecessary contact with the insecticide, and washing your hands after use. He also suggests scrubbing sprayed fruits or vegetables before cooking or eating.

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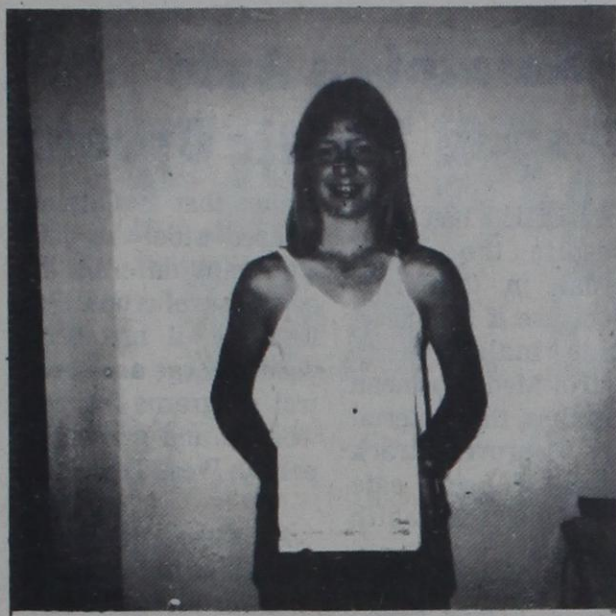
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Robin White's District winning 4-H recordbook.

Robin White, fourteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie White, of Eastland, has won a very nice 4-H honor recently. Her recordbook on Citizenship placed FIRST at the District 4-H Recordbook Contest last week. Robin's book competed with 4-Her's from all over the central district (eighteen surrounding

counties). Robin's Citizenship record book concentrated on her trip to Japan last year as part of the 4-H/LABO exchange program.

By winning first place at the District contest, Robin is eligible to compete at the State level with her recordbook. The State contest is in August and we wish Robin good luck!

Robin White, Citizenship, 1st
Sam Scott, Beef, 2nd
Phil Osborne, Sheep, 3rd
Scott Anderson

FOUR YOUTH TO ATTEND STATE 4-H CAMP

Four Eastland County young people will attend State 4-H Camp in Brownwood the end of July. These 4-Her's are Patri Spurlen, Leanne Brown, Rhett Harrison and Noble Laminack. Patri and Leanne are members of the Eastland 4-H Club and Rhett and Noble are members of the Gorman 4-H Club.

Activities at State Camp include workshops on canoeing, tennis, swimming, shooting sports and ground sports subjects. Evening parties will be an exciting part of camp! One party will be a Halloween Carnival and party. Everyone will have the opportunity to dress in costumes. Another party during camp will carry out the Indian theme. Counselors will be dressed as Indian braves and maidens.

State Camp is a fun activity for our 4-Her's as they meet fellow 4-Her's from all over the state. For further information on the 4-H program in Eastland County please contact the County Extension Office.



first place at the county contest on July 10. Congratulations to the following 4-Her's:

- Juniors
 - Julie Weathers, Clothing, 2nd
 - Karmen Hall, Sheep, 3rd
 - Stephanie Long, Beef, 1st
 - Kathy Choate, Dairy, 1st
 - Noble Laminack, Swine, 1st
 - Travis Parson, Gardening, 2nd
 - Seniors

Proposal To Increase Severance Taxes on Oil-Gas

AUSTIN, TEX.--State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday released figures showing that Attorney General Mark White's proposal to increase severance taxes on oil and gas would heap millions of dollars in new taxes on Texans.

"What the Attorney General is suggesting makes about as much sense as burning down your house to get rid of mice. Texas consumers will end up being burned and burned bad," Bullock said.

Bullock said an analysis of a 30 percent severance tax on oil and gas will increase the taxes the average Texas motorist pays in severance taxes each year for the purchase of gasoline from \$26.56 to \$80.10.

Bullock said Texas refineries consume 64 percent of the crude oil produced in the state.

Bullock also said that because of the cost of natural gas in Texas is higher than the cost for out-of-state customers, Texans wind up paying 73 percent of the natural gas severance tax.

"Pix" Looks Promising In Cotton

College Station--In a wet crop year such as 1981 has been up to now, cotton often makes a lot of vegeta-

Texas crude oil is taxed at 4.6 percent of value, while the natural gas rate is 7.5 percent.

Overall, a 30 percent severance tax would mean about \$2.6 billion in additional taxes on oil and \$1.6 billion on natural gas.

"Basically, White's proposal will quadruple the taxes that Texans pay on energy products and if he's successful in having a severance tax placed on coal or lignite he'll end up jacking up our electric rates because all the lignite produced is consumed in Texas," Bullock said.

"Those who advised the Attorney General on this are ill-advised. I'll be glad to show him my figures, I just hope he's got someone smart enough to explain them to him."

Bullock said White's retaliatory severance tax proposal won't work in Texas because it will not only cost Texas consumers more, but it's also a kick in the teeth to the state's 650,000 royalty owners.

tion growth and not much else. But use of a growth control can provide some relief of that problem.

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"Pix, a growth regulator developed several years ago, holds a lot of promise for cotton, particularly in a wet year," points out Dr. Bob Metzger, cotton specialist with the Texas A & M University System.

"When applied as the first few white blooms appear, Pix reduces plant height, increases lateral branching, and makes for a more uniform cotton crop," explains the specialist.

This growth regulator has been used in studies involving picker and stripper variety cottons throughout Texas, notes Metzger. Lint yields were equal or higher than untreated plots when adequate moisture was available during the early bloom period. However, Metzger cautions that using the product when cotton is under moisture stress can reduce yields.

In addition to having the potential for improving yields, Pix creates a more uniform crop that enables more effective defoliation as farmers get ready to harvest. Furthermore, harvesting efficiency is increased due to the crop's uniformity, says the specialist.

"Field demonstrations and studies this year with Pix should provide a wealth of information because of the kind of weather conditions we've had," notes Metzger. "We will be able to get some good comparisons between treated and non-treated fields, and this information will help us develop better guidelines for using the product in the future."

Hospital News

Mrs. Myrtle Tyler was admitted to Hendrick Hospital, Abilene, Tuesday morning, following a broken hip.

Mrs. James Rutherford was admitted to Hendrick Hospital Tuesday where she is undergoing a series of tests.

Mrs. Duck Bailey spent from Monday of last week until Friday in the Eastland Hospital. She is much improved.

Local Briefs

Don Duker of Seattle, Washington is visiting his father, M.J. (Red) Duker. Don arrived Saturday and will be staying with his Dad through August 9th.

Mrs. Hermance Watson has just returned from a four week trip to San Diego, Los Angeles, New Port Beach, Lancaster, Lake Tahoe and Reno, Nevada.

Guyle Donham returned home Monday following several days of visiting with his grandfather, Henry Kipp of Giddings.

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Railroad Commission Grants Thrity Permits For New Pipelines

AUSTIN—A total of 30 permits to operate new pipelines in Texas were granted by the Railroad Commission in June 1981, according to the RRC's Oil and Gas Division.

Eighteen of the permits were for gathering pipelines, four

were for gas plants, four were for trunk transmission lines, two were for feed stock lines, and one was for a distribution line. Another was for other purposes.

Gathering lines bringing oil and gas from

production leases, while a trunk transmission line is a larger diameter line into which smaller lines connect. At gas plants, natural gas is stripped of the liquid hydrocarbons usually present in well-head gas. Feed stock is crude oil or other hydrocarbons that are basic materials for refining or manufacturing processes.

Twenty-six of the newly-permitted pipelines will transport gas, two will move petroleum products, and two will transport crude oil and conden-

sates.

Private pipelines accounted for 28 permits last month, while two were for common carriers. A common carrier performs public work for hire, such as the movement of petroleum products.

In June, 12 permits were granted in Southeast Texas, four in deep South Texas, two each in East Texas, East Central Texas and the San Antonio, Refugio, and San Angelo areas, and one each in the Panhandle, West Central Texas, and the Lubbock and Midland areas.

Gathering lines approved:

JM Petroleum Corp., Dallas, crude/condensates, Wood County; Compressor Rental Services, Inc., Breckenridge, gas, Eastland County; Seagull Pipeline Corp., Houston, gas, Galveston County (two lines—one for gas, the other for crude and condensates); National Gathering System, Inc., Houston,

gas, Jasper County; Intrastate Pipeline Co., Inc., Houston, gas, Harris County; Prairie Producing Co., Houston, gas, Matagorda County; Southern Natural Gas Co., Monroe, La., gas, Roberts County; Ferguson Crossing Pipeline Co., San Antonio, gas, Brazos County; Huggs Inc., Shreveport, La., gas, Harrison County; Seagull Pipeline Corp., Houston, gas (two lines—one in Tom Green County, another in Orange County); Tejas Gas Corp., Corpus Christi, gas (three lines—in Montgomery, Aransas, and Duval Counties); Prairie Producing Co., Houston, gas, Matagorda County; Tenroc Corp., Needville, gas, Runnels County; T-Gas Pipeline Co., Houston, gas, Live Oak County.

Gas plant lines approved: J.L. Davis--Wilson County Plant, Midland, gas, Wilson County (two lines);

Mobil Producing Texas and New Mexico, Inc., Houston, gas, San Patricio County; Sid Richardson Carbon and Gasoline Co., Fort Worth, gas, King and Cottle Counties.

Trunk transmission lines approved:

Esperanza Transmission Co., Corpus Christi, gas, Van Zandt County; Adobe Gas Co., Midland, gas, Pecos County; Texas Crude, Inc., Houston, gas, Brooks County; Intrastate Gas Transmission, Inc., Houston, gas, Navarro County.

Feed stock lines approved:

United Brine Pipeline Corp., Houston, products, Refugio, San Patricio, and Victoria Counties; Texaco, Inc., Port Neches, products, Jefferson County.

Distribution lines approved:

Grangerland-Wigginsville Gas Corp., Conroe, gas, Montgomery County. Other lines approved:

Mobil Producing Texas and New Mexico, Inc., Houston, gas, Nueces County.



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Eastland County Oil News Report

Mack Wallace For American Oil Production

Wilbrook Exploration, Inc., Stephenville, No. 3 Hodges has been staked as a wildcat test in Eastland County.

Four and one-half miles southeast of Ranger, drillsite for the 3,800-foot test is 900 feet from the north and 333 feet from west lines of E.L. RR Co. Survey. Cook Production Co., Fort Worth, has staked a wildcat test in Eastland county.

No. 1 Emma Talley is two miles southeast of Carbon and spots 1,540 feet from the south and 330 feet from east lines of Section 21, Bock 2, H&TC Survey. It will drill to 3,600 feet.

Wilbrook Exploration Inc., of Stephenville has staked a site in the Mangum, North (3200) field of Eastland County.

No. 1 Sneed is four miles east of Cisco and is scheduled for a 3,800 foot bottom. It spots 788 feet from north and

900 feet from east lines of section 26, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

Van Oil Corp. of Pasadena, Calif., has staked a wildcat test in Eastland County.

No. 1 K.W. Jameson is located seven miles south of Ranger and spots 2,173 feet from north and 1,533 feet from east lines of Lot 1, north 1/2 of Harvey Kendrick Survey, A-340. It will drill to 4,000 feet.

Tenco Drilling Co. of Farmington, N.M. has spotted a site for a wildcat test in Eastland County, two miles west of Carbon.

No. 2 Ray Lovell, scheduled for a 2,000 foot bottom, is 2,380 feet from north and 330 feet from west lines of Section 19, Block 2, H&TC Survey, A-180.

AUSTIN--Texas Railroad Commissioner Mack Wallace today expressed shock at opposition from the oil industry and some states to increasing oil and gas exploration on federal lands.

"Year after year, industry has begged the government for greater access to federal lands for increased exploration and production," he said. "Now, instead of rejoicing over the expanded, accelerated federal leasing program, complaints have been voiced from both inside and outside the industry."

Recently, the U.S. Interior Department announced plans to open up one billion acres of offshore land to oil and gas exploration over the next five years.

Wallace made the statement to oil industry representatives gathered for the Commission's monthly statewide oil and gas proration hearing here.

The Commissioner challenged the industry to concentrate on domestic rather than foreign exploration, saying the industry's increasing ex-

ploration overseas, coupled with a lack of U.S. production incentives, apparently makes it more profitable to drill overseas than at home.

"I want to do whatever is necessary to insure that American-made drilling rigs are operating on American soil - it is in the national interest," he said.

Wallace cited the millions of dollars U.S. oil companies are spending this year exploring and developing oil resources in Indonesia, Angola, and China, and said, "I am much more interested in jobs for Americans than I am jobs for roughnecks in China or drillers in Angola."

NGP Plans Construction Of 50-Mile Pipeline

Northern Gas Products Company (NGP) will construct and operate a low pressure gathering system and a 50-mile pipeline in north central Texas, announced John Hon, regional manager for Houston region.

The system will gather and transport natural gas from wells in Eastland, Comanche and Erath counties to NGP's Lipan gas processing plant in Hood County, which is located 70 miles southwest of Fort Worth. Propane, ethane, iso and normal butane and natural gasoline will be extracted from the gas stream at the Lipan plant.

Construction of the line is scheduled to start in August with completion in November. The line will originate in southern Eastland County where the gathering system will be built. The first 16

"Why cannot the United States Presidents and the United States Congresses make it possible and equally attractive for companies to drill in America?" he asked, noting that only two percent of

America has ever been explored by a drill bit and only three percent of U.S. federal offshore lands has ever been offered for lease until now.

"Before this nation finance a worldwide exploration program, we should thoroughly inventory our own resources and set about developing a sufficient energy base that will guarantee our position of world leadership," the Commissioner stated.

Wallace told the oil industry representatives that the time has come to "fish or cut bait."

"The counterproductive windfall profits tax must be changed to provide

that above-normal profits be plowed 100 percent back into the domestic production of energy of all forms or be taxed at 100 percent," he said. "This has been the accepted Texas position."

He went on to say that "if the industry declares and proves that capital is insufficient to meet this massive and urgent exploration effort, then I am prepared to recommend that the President and the Congress take another look at the tax laws to provide the capital in the interest of our national security."

Wallace said the nation's energy priorities are still tangled. "To be sure, drilling has increased in this country," he said. "Our storage tanks, limited as they are - are full. However, we are still almost 40 percent dependent on unstable foreign sources for our daily crude oil needs."

"There is no glut of oil in America," Wallace said.

In closing, the Railroad Commissioner's senior member called for the country to stop erecting barriers to all-out production in America and to thrust the full weight of government and industry behind exploration and production at home.



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CAPITOL UPDATE

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For almost a decade we in government and you in the private sector have been talking about developing a national energy policy.

We have generated enough computer printouts from enough energy use models to bury the entire Congress, and a substantial number of bureaucrats as well. We have generated enough regulations to confuse the most dedicated businessman and make lawyers rich. But until now, we have not had anything that could honestly be called an effective energy policy.

But in all this fruitless search for an energy policy, the planners failed to take into account the most obvious and the most critical element -- the American people and their ability to respond to a changing world.

The Administration is in the process of evolving a policy which will put the people and their marketplace in the center of the equation where they belong. That is not to say government can wash its hands of the problem and walk away.

There is a legitimate role for the federal government in developing new sources of energy, in ensuring energy security and even in regulation. But this role should start where the ability of the private sector to handle the situation ends. We must stop the government from inhibiting energy independence.

All Americans are involved in making energy policy. When an individual decides to form a carpool because the price of gasoline is too high to drive alone, he is helping create a conservation policy. When an independent producer decides to drill an oil well on the hope of a return on his investment, he is implementing a policy of increased production.

Computers cannot gauge human responses to future situations with precision. That is a major reason so many projections of future energy production and consumption have been wrong.

Increased reliance on the market decisions Americans make every day offers a continuing national referendum which is a far better means of charting the nation's energy path than stubborn reliance on government dictates or a combination of subsidies and regulations.

Certain mitigating measures may be required from time to time to avoid unacceptable burdens on one sector of our society or another, but these can best be considered in the context of social, not energy, policy.

The President's action to end oil price controls and to dismantle the burdensome regulatory apparatus associated with those controls was a major step in implementing an energy policy focused on market realities. The challenge ahead is to provide a healthy economy and policy environment that enables citizens, businesses and state and local governments to make rational energy production and consumption decisions -- decisions that reflect the true value, in every sense, of all the nation's resources.

Panicky, piecemeal efforts by government to relieve energy supply and price uncertainties have been and always will be counterproductive.

I know that the citizens, the energy producers and the industries of Texas stand ready to do their share and more in implementing a reasonable energy policy which relies on the traditional greatness of the American people and their ingenuity and resourcefulness.

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Obituary

Norman Ray

Norman Ray, 82, of Phoenix, Ariz., formerly of Rising Star, died at 5:30 a.m. Saturday at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Phoenix. Services were held at 10 a.m. Friday in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel. Dr. Leon Woods officiated. Burial was in Amity Cemetery.

Born Dec. 14, 1898, in the Amity Community, he was a veteran of both World War I and World War II. A retired farmer, he was a member of the American Legion and was a Baptist.

Survivors include nine cousins, including Mrs. John Shields of Brownwood.

Don Spence

John Donald Spence, 61, of May, died Thursday morning at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Temple. Services were held at 3 p.m. Saturday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Dick Williams of First Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in Wolf Valley Cemetery.

Born Jan. 16, 1920, in May, he was a retired carpenter and a veteran of World War II.

He was preceded in death by his father, James Spence, a brother, Ansel, and a sister, Roxie Griffith.

He is survived by his mother, Belle Spence of May; and two brothers, Check Spence of Odessa and Ken Spence of Dallas.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for cards, flowers, food and their many prayers at the loss of our loved one. The Family of John Donald Spence 31-1tP.



Congressman Charles W. Stenholm

Congressional Comment

WASHINGTON, D.C. — When one embarks on an attempt to effect change in government, there are no guarantees that the trip will be a smooth or easy one.

During the past year, since I became convinced that the political current of the Democratic Party, with its obvious strong drift toward "spend, spend, spend and tax, tax, tax," philosophical objectives, needed change, I have weathered some strong opposition to my convictions.

On November 4, 1980, the American voting public confirmed what I had come to believe, that that philosophy had brought this nation to the brink of economic disaster. The decision that voters made last November was not so much a "turning out" of some politicians as it was a turn away from current economic policy. It was not a mandate to follow any man or political party blindly, but to open our eyes to the dangers such an economic policy had pressed upon us and to change course before it was too late.

I remain committed to changing that course and doing so in the fairest and most equitable manner that I think is possible. The first steps toward that change, sharply cutting the level of government spending, were relatively easy votes to cast. There was a clear-cut difference in approaches presented to the Congress during the budget considerations. I have voted my convictions and my conscience, even though those votes have been politically difficult and have

estranged me somewhat from some of the leadership of the Democratic Party. While there is talk of "punishing" conservative Democrats for their support of that austere budget, I would cast the same votes today or any day, regardless of the cost to my political future.

One of the first things that members of my Democratic leadership told me when I came to the Congress was that at no time would they ever ask me to vote against my convictions or my conscience. I have every right to expect them to honor that commitment.

Leadership, in its truest sense, is a very lonely business. It is more a matter of following the dictates of one's conscience, rather than necessarily marching in rank with one's party or blindly following the dictates of any one person or giving in to political expediency.

At this writing, I have not decided what course I will take on the tax cut, as I have yet to examine final versions of the two proposals and make a personal assessment of the issues included in each. I realize that whatever my decision may be, there will be those who will criticize my actions and I will honestly and sincerely respect those differing opinions.

As I told my colleagues on the House Floor during debate on the budget reconciliation, the beauty of the American system of government is that reasonable men may disagree. I might also suggest the wisdom in agreeable men being able to reason, as well.

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GORDON SPOT

By DeMarquis Gordon

White grub worms can do a lot of damage to lawn grasses by feeding on the roots. The damage is most noticeable in the spring when the grubs are large. However, they are difficult to kill at that stage.

Now is the time to control white grubs. The worms hatched from eggs during the last month. They are small now and just beginning to feed on roots of Bermudagrass and St. Augustinegrass. The best time for treatment is from now until August 15.

If you are not sure if you have a white grub problem examine at least one square foot of sod for each 1,000 square feet of lawn area. Chemical treatment is needed if there are more than four grubs per square foot

of sod.

Diazinon provides good control and should be used at recommended rates given on the chemical container label. The granular form is easier to apply and to wash into the soil than liquid or spray formulation. After using granules, drag the grass with a tow sack or water hose to knock them down to the soil. Then apply enough water to soak the granules into the soil.

Apply diazinon sprays at the rate of 25 gallons of water, including the insecticide per 1,000 square feet to wash the insecticide into the soil; wetting the lawn before spraying also helps. Always keep children and pets off the treated lawn until the grass is dry.

The key to white grub control in home

lawns is proper timing of chemicals application, and getting the insecticide through the grass to the root zone where grubs are feeding.

Farmers and ranchers across the state will observe Farm Safety Week, July 25-31. Both President Reagan and Governor Clements have signed proclamations designating this week for emphasis on farm safety activities.

Theme for the weeklong observance is "Enjoy Life - Safely."

Farm Safety Week, sponsored by the National Safety Council, Texas Safety Association and the state Cooperative Extension Services is supported by many organizations serving agriculture. These organizations are asking farmers and ranchers nationwide to assist in their efforts to reduce accidents and to promote safety in all recreation.

All accidents involving Texas farm and ranch residents accounted for more than 400 fatalities and nearly 38,000 disabling injuries in 1980. Agricultural work related accidents claimed about 200 lives and caused about 20,000 disabling injuries. Ten percent of all agricultural accidents occur in Texas. Total cost of accidents to Texas farm and ranch people exceeded 1/2 billion dollars last year while the figure topped \$5 billion nationally.

Farm Safety Week is designed to call attention to both leisure-time and work safety as a necessary part of efforts to control off-the-job, profit-eating accident losses.

If your pecan trees are dripping, a tiny yellow aphid is the likely culprit. This little insect sucks juice from pecan leaves, taking much more sap than it can fully use so

that it passes through a sticky substance called honeydew. Often honeydew is first noticed on the windshield of a car parked under a pecan tree. When aphids build up in large numbers, honeydew will fall as a mist and cover everything under the tree canopy.

Pesticides labeled for yellow aphid control include Cygon, D-Fend, Rebelate, Guthion, Diazinon, Malathion or Zolone. When using any insecticide, be sure to read and follow closely information on the product label.



AUGUST 3 - Gary Dennard
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Nell Garner
AUGUST 4 - Le Nell Henry
Eunice Smith
AUGUST 5 -

Lolene Claborn
Donna Grider
Rebecca Owen
AUGUST 6 - Jack White
Mrs. Arbie Burcham
Lillian Taylor
Melody Fisher
AUGUST 7 - Delta madison
Sherry Hubbard
Bryan Switzer
U.S. Cooper
AUGUST 8 - David Switzer
Dorothy Diddle

SIPE SPRINGS NEWS

Visitors in the Dick Wyatt home the past week have been Mr. and Mrs. Haley of Abilene, Mrs. Joyce Burk and Dorothy Robinson of Comanche, also Mrs. Jerry Adams and children, Sherry and Skip of Wesson, Miss.

Mrs. Ruby Murdock and Mrs. Maggie Smith of Rising Star

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visited the Herman Andersons and Ma Morgan one day last week.

Mrs. Jack Millwee and children attended the Rodeo at Zephyr Saturday night. Edward participated in the bull riding event.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham visited Mr. Red Duke who is a patient in the Eastland Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Leonard, Lori and

Robert of El Paso spent Tuesday and Tuesday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Leonard.

We are sorry to report Ma Morgan is spending a few days in the Eastland hospital. We hope for her a speedy stay there and hurry home.

Little Graham Reidel of Houston is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graham.

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RANGER - 3 bdrm, 1 bath comfortable home has new carpet, new paint, peach and pecan trees. Come look! Possible owner finance. \$25,000

RANGER - 3 bdrm, 2 bath home, central H/A, completely remodelled. Drapes, too. Nice location. \$31,500.

IDEAL MOBILE HOME SITE - City utilities available on this cleared lot in Olden. 150' x 75'. Owner finance. \$2,750.00

RANGER - Excellent building site or mobile home site. 3 lots with city utilities. Owner finance. \$8,700.00

MOBILE HOME OR BUILDING SITE - lot in Olden 150' x 90'. Utilities available. Has been cleared. Possible owner finance. \$3,300.00

COZY & CUTE - 2 bdrm, new paint and carpet. Small yard, carport on paved street. Nice for single or starter home. \$25,000.

PLENTY OF ROOM - to live in and rent out this large 2 story apartment home in good repair, stays rented, good neighborhood. \$27,500.

AFFORDABLE LIVING - 3 bdrm, 1 bath, \$12,500.

RANGER - This remodeled house has 3 bdrms, 1400 sq. ft. on extra large lot. \$32,100.00.

PRIME LOTS - 9 lots in the best location in Eastland. Buy early and take your pick. \$4,500 to \$6,000.

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10 LOTS in Ranger - 1 set up for mobile home. By all 10 for \$12,000 or 5 for \$7,500.

COMMERCIAL

PRIME RAILROAD SPUR LOCATION - 1 building with office, 1400 sq. ft. floor space - dock height, 2 storage buildings on 1 1/2 acres. Excellent for bulk delivery shipping point. \$75,000.

INTERSTATE LOCATION - Prime location for development. Unlimited potential. Call for details. \$48,000.00

THRIVING BUSINESS - Local business that grossed \$740,000 in 1979. Excellent cash flow and terrific location. Terms negotiable.

COMMERCIAL LOCATION - Large bldg. site on N. access of I-20. Excellent location. Good investment. Owner finance, 25% down. \$25,000.00

EXCELLENT LOCATION - 1.5 acres on Hwy. 80 near I-20. Unlimited potential. Older 3 bdrm. house. Call for more information.

MEET DEMAND FOR RENTAL PROPERTY - 3 frame houses in Ranger, all remodeled, in a nice neighborhood. Houses stay rented. Good return on investment.

DOWNTOWN CISCO - Excellent location in Cisco business district. Approximately 7800 sq ft. office bldg. \$49,500.00

DEVELOPMENT POSSIBILITIES 151 acres with 120 frontage, paved hwy. Numerous options. Owner finance. \$1,000.00/acre.

ESTABLISHED BUSINESS - both in Eastland and Ranger. Excellent investment for the right person. Call for information.

SEVERAL MOTELS - listed in various parts of the state. All excellent investments. Call for location and details.

INVESTMENT WITH RETURN 4 unit apartment house. Small 2 room units upstairs, larger 2 bdrm. downstairs. Washer & dryer. \$700 month. Income. \$35,000.

OWN YOUR OWN BUSINESS Convenient store and trailer park. Ideal man and wife set-up. Call for more details.

LAKE PROPERTY

SUMMER HIDE-AWAY - modern cabin on deed-ed lot. Good fishing. **SOLD** for on this one! LL-07 \$11,700

LAKE LOTS - We also have many lots available some with excellent water frontage. The fishing is good and the price is right. LL-01

HOMES & ACREAGE

HOUSE & 40 ACRES - 2 bdrm. home on 40 acres improved grasses. Barn and corrals. Close to Ranger. Owner finance. \$53,000.00

ACREAGE

77 ACRES - Close to Ranger. Good pasture land, tank, easy access. Also good deer and turkey hunting. \$725/Acre.

49 ACRES - in northern part of Eastland County. Tank has been stocked. On good County Road less than 1 mile off pavement. \$700/Acre.

42.53 ACRES - Oak trees, pasture land. New tank - really pretty land. Come and look at it. Owner will finance. \$685/acre.

JUST WHAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR - 4 acre home site at Olden, city water, ideal for building site, or mobile home. \$850.

5 ACRES - with I-20 frontage. Land is unimproved but has excellent potential. Call for more details.

20 ACRES - available on paved highway about 4 miles from Eastland. All improved coastal bermuda, 1 tank, few trees, good fence. Possible owner finance. Will Tex. Vet. \$15,000

12 1/2 ACRES - Pecan orchard at Carbon, about 70 productive trees, city water, septic tank for a mobile home, all on paved highway. Better hurry. Owner financed at 10% interest. \$25,000.

SPORTSMAN'S RETREAT - 78.9 acres of hunting and fishing! 3 stocked tanks fishing with live creek. Dove, quail, turkey & deer. 20 acres coastal & 13 ac. wheat. 1 acre fenced garden. City water. Pretty campsite with all hook-ups. \$50,000.00

39.29 ACRES - Farmland and Pasture. 1/2 minerals. Has tank and water well. South of Cisco on Hwy. 183. Priced at \$700/acre.

22 ACRES - North of Eastland. Mostly coastal with a tank. Nice location. \$1,000.00 per acre.

20 ACRES - Scenic and rustic area. Scattered trees, city water available 5 miles from Cisco, ideal mobile home site. Owner finance. \$800.00

45 ACRES - All improved good native grasses. Stock tank. Oak tree country. **SOLD** TEXAS VET. \$525/acre.

38 ACRES - 5 miles from Eastland with some trees. Nice place for a home. Hiway frontage with good all-weather road. WILL TEXAS VET. \$750/acre.

60 ACRES - S. of Cisco close to Union Center, 25 acres peanuts, 1 good water well, good fences. Will divide. \$600/acre.

85 ACRES - All improve, good native grasses. Scattered oak trees, stock tank, good fences. Old frame house. WILL TEXAS VET. \$525/acre.

50 ACRES - South of Cisco, city and county road frontage. Property has tank and its cultivated 1/2 minerals. WILL TEXAS VET. \$500/acre.

63 ACRES - Some cultivation, beautiful trees. Excellent building site, fenced, city water. Some minerals. Pavement frontage. 750/acre. Assumable financing.

50 ACRES - Secluded 35 acres timber, river bottom, 2 tanks, well, 15 acres cultivation with small 1 bedroom house S. of Cisco. Some owner finance. \$850/acre.

93.34 ACRES - in Rising Star area. Has 33 acres peanut allotment. Good stock tank. Some owner finance. \$540/acre.

97 ACRES - about 1/2 native pasture, some improvements. Older frame house and dairy barn. Owner finance. \$567.00/acre.

124 ACRES - Excellent hunting on this property. Travel Trailer included. Native pasture. \$50,000

230 ACRES - All in coastal and love grass. Excellent hunting. Well water, stock tank, some minerals. Will divide. \$495/acre

300 ACRES - Two miles from Eastland, some timber, native and improved grasses, 2 tanks. Excellent ranch land. Financing arranged. 425/acre.

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Oil News

Southeastern Resources Inc., operating from Rising Star, staked location for No.2 Kincaid in the JMJ (Marble Falls) Field in Eastland County.

Location is eight miles northeast of Cisco on an 80-acre lease.

Having a proposed depth of 4,100 feet, it spots 3,240 feet from the south and 467 feet from the east lines of Section 55, Block 4, H&TC Survey.

FBAN 1979 LTD. No.1 of Graham will drill a regular field project seven miles south of Cisco.

Located on a 91-acre lease, it is No.1-A Donald Shepard.

Site is 150 feet from the north and 2,875 feet from the east lines of Section 94, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

Permit depth applied for is 1,500 feet.

Another wildcat will be drilled five miles north of Gorman as TLS Oil Inc., Round Rock, No.1 Cecil Exerton.

Having a proposed depth of 3,400 feet, it spots 2,310 feet from the north and 330 feet from the east lines of Section 20, Block 1, H&TC Survey.

The lease is composed of 80 acres.

Ridgeway Oil Exploration & Development, Abilene, No.2 R.P Morton, wildcat, three miles north of Romney, 990 from north, 600 from east, Section 78, Block 3, H&TC Survey, A-1828, total depth, 1,281 feet.

Nimrod Operating Co., Cisco, No.1 W.B. Wright, Regular, two miles south of Cisco, 1,500 from north, 1,200 from west of northwest quarter, Block 3, H&TC Survey 51, total depth 1,330 feet.

Casador Oil & Gas, Dallas has completed its No.1 Fletcher as a wildcat gas well in Brown County, six miles southwest of May. The well spots 2,173 feet from south and 853 feet from west lines of HT&B Survey 79.

The well finished for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 1,000,000 MCF of gas per day.

Total depth is 2618 feet, plugged back to 2614 feet. Perforations are from 2473-522 feet and four and 1/2 inch casing is set at 2610.

Moore Investment Co. Abilene has staked a wildcat test in Eastland County, one mile east of Nimrod.

No. 1 D.D. Jackson is 1470 feet from the north and 450 feet from east lines of Section 99, Block 3, H&TC Survey. The test will drill to 1900 feet.

EnRe Corp. San Antonio has completed its No. 2 Garner, a wildcat gas well in Eastland County, 10 miles northwest of Cisco.

The well spots 330 feet from north and west lines of Section 3186, TE&L Survey and produced a calculated, absolute open flow potential of 24,110-2,000 MCF of gas per day.

Total depth is 3975 feet, plugged back to 3970 feet. Perforations are from 3905-12 feet and four and one-half inch casing is set at 3972 feet.

Furry Producing Co. Brownwood has completed its No. 3 J.C. Bibby in Brown County, two miles north of Byrds. The well spots 1650 feet from the north and 330 feet from the east lines of S.R. Windham Survey, A-979.

The well finished for three barrels of 41

gravity oil and no water, pumping. Total depth is 2005 feet, plugged back to 1900 feet. Perforations are from 1,863-82 feet and four 1/2 inch casing is set at 1900 feet. Gas-oil ratio is 1000-1.

Southeastern Resources Corp. of Rising Star has staked location for a test in Brown County.

No.2 J.W. Armstrong is located eight miles southwest of Rising Star and spots 2,173 feet from north and 330 feet from west lines of Juan Delgado Survey 789. The test will drill to 3,500 feet.

Wilbrook Exploration Inc., of Stephenville has staked a site in the Mangum, North (3200) Field of Eastland County.

No.1 Sneed is four miles east of Cisco and is scheduled for a 3,800 foot bottom. It spots 788 feet from north and 900 feet from east lines of Section 26, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

Tenco Drilling Co. of Farmington, N.M. has spotted a site for a wildcat in Eastland County, two miles west of Carbon.

No.2 Ray Lovell, scheduled for a 2,000 foot bottom, is 2,380 feet from north and 330 feet from west lines of Section 19, Block 2, H&TC Survey, A-180.

U.S. Exploration Corp., Fort Worth, staked four wildcat locations two miles northeast of Okra on a 781-acre lease.

Each test is slated for 1,400 feet.

No.1-A Criswell spots 4,330 feet from the south and 330 feet from the west lines of P.A. Barnhill Survey 53, A-12.

Site for No.2-A Criswell is 4,430 feet from the south and 990 feet from the west survey lines.

Site for No.4-A Criswell is 3,670 feet from the south and 990 feet from the west

survey lines.

A Brown County wildcat will be drilled seven miles south of Brownwood as Mehafey Oil Co., Breckenridge, No.1 Roy Howard.

The planned 1,800-foot test is located on a 77-acre lease.

It spots 677 feet from the most northerly northeast line and 365 feet from the northwest line of W. Lee Survey, A-1154.

Great West Energy Inc., Dallas, will drill four Eastland County wildcats with each test slated for a 3,800 feet.

No.2 Schriener will be drilled on a 235-acre lease two miles southeast of Carbon.

Drillsite is 330 feet from the south and 1,321 feet from the west lines of Section 20, Block 2, H&TC Survey.

No.3 Schreiner spots 150 feet from the south and 1,500 feet from the east section lines.

Site for No.4 Schreiner is 520 feet from the south and 1,120 feet from the west section lines.

The firm's No.2 Gilbert will be drilled two and 1/2 miles southeast of Carbon on a 420-acre lease.

Site is 1,787 feet from the north and 2,173 feet from the west lines of Section 4, D&DAL Survey.

Nationwide Oil & Gas Corp., Dallas, No.1 Clower is a planned 3,500-foot wildcat for the area six miles south of Eastland.

Location is on a 160-acre lease, spotting 467 feet from the south, and 688 feet from the east lines of Section 42, Block 2, H&TC Survey.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Jacobs returned home Friday from spending three weeks in Cloudcroft, N.M.

50th Wedding Anniversary Planned For T.P. Boyd's



Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Boyd are invited to a 50th Wedding Anniversary reception on Saturday, August 8, 1981 to be held in the fellowship room at the Church of Christ in Rising Star, Texas from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Hosting the occasion will be their daughter and son-in-law, Lee and Anita Peters of Mineola, Texas; their grandchildren: Mike and Anita Peters of Dallas; Kevin and Kathy Burley of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; David and Loyce Peters of Amarillo, Texas; Stephen Peters of Edmond, Oklahoma; and a sister and brother-in-law, Leveta and Robert Scott of Gorman, Texas.

Mrs. Boyd was born Vera Opal McCollum on March 6, 1914 in Callahan County. Mr. Boyd was born on February 13, 1909 in

Pocahontas, Arkansas. They were married by Mr. L.L.Hanks on August 10, 1931 in Cisco.

The Boyd's lived most of their married life around the Odessa area where Mr. Boyd worked for the Exxon

Company. He retired on March 1, 1970 and they moved to Rising Star.

They are members of the Rising Star Church of Christ.

The couple has 6 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

Chambers-Spence Reunion

A reunion of the descendants of Spencer Chambers and Nancy Roe Chambers, also John Wesley Spence and Martha Almeda Lester Spence; will be held in the May Community Center (formerly Chambers Memorial Hospital) on Sunday, August 2, 1981.

Both the Chambers and Spence families were early settlers of the Wolf Valley Community near May and still have many descendants in the area.

Spencer and Nancy Chambers, who came to Brown County from

Albertville, Alabama were parents of seven children. These included: Eugene, Griggs, Paul, Wade, Bill, Soloman, and one daughter, Lizette.

John, who came to Texas after the Civil War and his wife, Martha were parents of nine children. Their names were: John, Lily, Mary, Wessie, Edna, Jim, Lola, George and Mike.

Those attending are urged to bring several of their favorite dishes. The meat will be furnished this year, as well as bread, tea, coffee, ice, cups, plates, etc.

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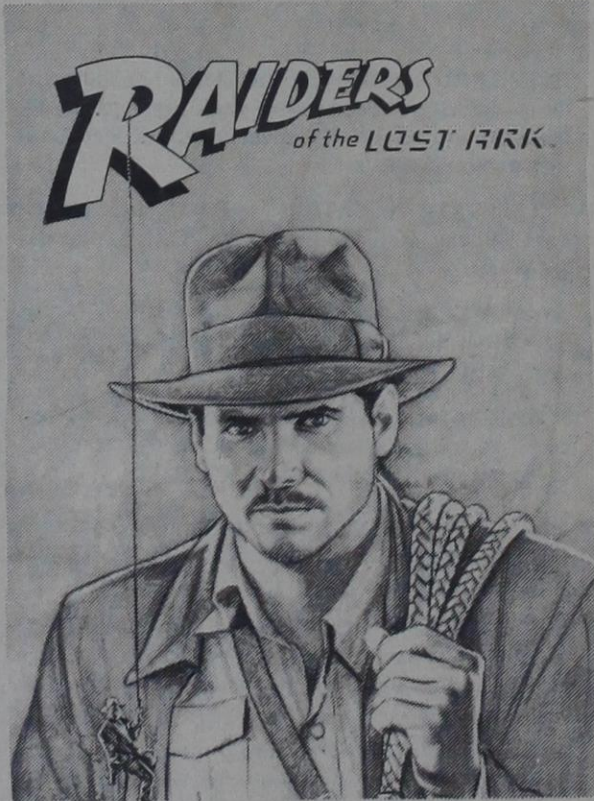
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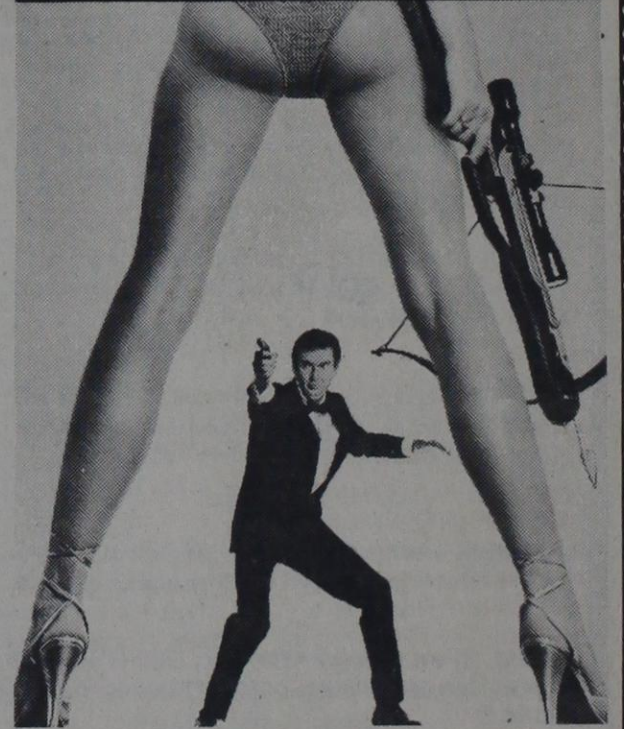
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Eastland Arts & Crafts Fair Friday & Saturday

A fun day for the family is planned for Friday and Saturday, July 31st and August 1st, at Eastland first Arts and Crafts Fair.

The fair will be at the county livestock show grounds. Starting time will be 10:00 a.m. Friday morning and the fair will close Saturday night.

There will be many forms of arts and crafts on display and for sale throughout the fair. There will be ceramics, oil painting, plaster and stains, homemade hand crafts, woodcrafts, glass etchings, a booth of items made of nails and homemade handbags.

The World of Ceramics and B's Mud Hen Ceramics both of Abilene will be demonstrating various techniques of creating

at the piano.

Mrs. W.C. Witt reported on the Houchen Mission in South El Paso, Teen Center, Day Care Center, Clinic and Hospital, Friendship Square Center, all sponsored by the United Methodist.

Nine members were present and one new member, Mrs. Yvonne Williams, was welcomed by the group.

The Society benediction was repeated in unison in closing.

REACT

The club would like to thank the following people for their generous donations: O.M. Wilson, the Quik Stop, F.D. Underwood, M.J. Dukes and Kathy and Cliff Hall, Jr.

Memorials to Mr. Charlie Reis this week were from: G.D. and Loree Guinn, Mrs. Carl D. Estes and Robert Guiders.

On July 27th we took Mrs. Jerry Underwood to West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. On July 28th we took Mrs. Tyler to Hendrick Hospital in Abilene.

Five local members attended the Texas State React Council meeting in Brownwood on July 25th. We enjoyed the speakers, discussions and helpful hints that were presented. Brownwood React hosted a delicious lunch and a fish fry for everyone Saturday evening at Lake Brownwood.

We would like to encourage anyone who is interested in REACT to attend our regular meeting the first Tuesday of each month. We need more members. Anyone interested in helping with the ambulance is also welcome. For more information call 643-6059 or 643-4271.

The Rising Star Emergency Club will host the Area II REACT Council meeting on Saturday, Sept. 18th. Area II includes Breckenridge, San Angelo, Sweetwater and many clubs in this area. The club would appreciate the support of the community as we will be serving lunch to all in attendance. Anyone interested in making donations of food or

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NOTICE

The Rising Star High School Homecoming will be held on Saturday, September 26, 1981, beginning with coffee, registration and visitation at 8:30 a.m. at gym, business meeting following. Luncheon will be served by PTO at school cafeteria.

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UMW Meet Monday

The United Methodist Women of the First United Methodist Church met Monday, July 27, at 9:30 in fellowship hall for their regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. James Armstrong presided at the meeting and Mrs. Bob Smith gave the invocation. Mrs. W.C. Witt was in charge of the program. Miss Elizabeth Robertson opened the program with a discussion on an article from the Response Magazine,

"No Longer Silent," Women for Peace, Women in Europe, Protesting Atomic Weapons, and a prayer for Peace was read.

Mrs. W.C. Witt read a letter to the Editor of the Response Magazine from a United Methodist Woman, "Opposed to Abortion."

Mamie Joyce read a letter from Mae Claire Harrison Baird, "Aging Gracefully." The first verse of "Just As I Am," was sung by the group with Mamie

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BRAND NEW HOME just completed 3 bedroom, 2 bath all electric carpet and tile throughout. Appraised FHA. Buy. E-15

FRESH ON MARKET Nice Brick home on large lot, house has approx. 2400 sq. ft. living area. 4 BR, 2 baths, Cent. H/A, Nice built in kitchen, custom made drapes, covered patio, Brick BQ pit and smoker in back yard, nice large oak trees. You must see this one. E-7

This older home is located in nice neighborhood. Needs repairs done. 4 BR, 2 baths. Nice garden spot. Building in back with utilities. Fenced in yard. Inquire today! E-19

FRAME 3 bedroom with siding. \$15,000.00. Lot is 100 x 266. Call for details. E-6

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CHECK THIS ONE OUT. NICE older home on two large lots. Located on corner with many oak trees. 3 BR, 1 bath, 2 fireplaces, nice built-in, custom drapes, screened in porch, hardwood floors and carpeting. A terrific buy. E-3

3 BDRM, 2 bath Olden home in good location. Needs some repairs. Carport, fenced back yard with storage bldg. Call for more information. E-2

Cisco

700 BLOCK EIGHTH STREET, fronts on Old Hwy. 80 - 2 bedroom, 1 bath stucco house, excellent commercial property. Taking offers. C-6

TWO bedroom, 2 bath, year old refrigerator, stove, dishwasher, gas grill, carport. This is a good buy for \$27,500.00. C-3

A VERY GOOD BUY A nice well kept older home with approx. 1000 sq. ft. on 2 1/2 lots. Large storage building with electricity. 2 separate garages. Storm cellar. Nice garden spot. Beautiful fruit trees. 3 BR. 1 bath. Very comfortable home on a quiet street. Call about this one. C-1

Ranger 647-1302

TWO bedroom, 1 bath home with central heat, fireplace, fenced in backyard. FHA. R-13

NEW ON THE MARKET, energy efficient home, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining room, large den, central heat and air, only 2 years old. FHA. R-14

TWO bedroom, 1 bath home with two car garage on large lot. FHA appraised. R-11

BRICK home with 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath in the Meadow Brook Addition. R-7

NICE 3 bedroom brick home with 1 1/2 bath in the Meadow Brook Addition. R-1

THREE bedroom, 1 bath home with den, wood heater, carport. FHA appraised. R-9

PARTIALLY BRICK 3 bedroom, 2 bath energy efficient home approximately 2 years old with central heat and air, 12 x 22 covered patio and is on corner lot. Financing available. R-5

TWO BEDROOM, 1 bath home with fireplace, carpet, nice cabinets. R-6

ATTRACTIVE 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central H/A excellent location. F.H.A. 31,500.

SMALL 2 bedroom, one bath home in good location for only \$9,000.00. R-15

NEW ON THE MARKET: 3 bedroom, one bath remodeled home in good location. Low equity 10% FHA loan. R-17

Lake Property

NICE 1 bedroom, 1 bath home on deeded lot at Lake Leon with city water, all new plumbing, Ben Franklin wood heater. LP-13

CHARMING CABIN IN REMOTE LOCATION Receding water does not detract from this cozy 1 bedroom with fireplace. Plenty of trees, fenced yard, and year-round neighbors. \$17,000.00. Some owner financing. LP-11

LAKE LEON - Nice Lake home on deeded lot, city water, good boat dock, 3 BR. - 1 bath, 2 fireplaces, beautifully landscaped. This is a very pretty place. LP-1

BEAUTIFULLY LANDSCAPED 30 x 70 mobile home on pretty landscaped lot. Boat dock, storage house. This is a real buy. \$28,000. LP-3

Country Homes & Acreage

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 hand dug well. Call for details. A-1

3.9 ACRES in Eastland with all facilities for mobile home, city water. Can be bought with greenhouse. Fenced, large pecan trees. See this one today. A-8

ATTENTION MERCHANTS - RELOCATE! ONE-half to ONE ACRE TRACTS, all utilities and paved street, situated in new shopping development. Adequate parking space. \$8,500.00. A-12

NEAR NIMROD 189.8 acres with peanut allotment, some minerals, grass, trees. Lots of dove hunting. A-9

20 ACRES, owner financing \$3,000.00 down at 12% for five years, 4 mi. N.W. of Eastland-good fence all cultivation, on Farm to Market Road 3101. A-3

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

168 1/2 ACRES Northwest of Ranger. Three tanks, 1 water well, 1/8 minerals, good hunting.

House with Acreage

COUNTRY LIVING on 1 1/2 acres, 2 bedroom, 1 bath home with Franklin city water, located in Olden. HA-3

6 ACRES with large old home, owner financed. Three bedroom, two bath. SOLD. Pairs needed, Morton Valley. HA-2

1.734 acres - Breckenridge Road, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. Great condition. Call us. HA-7

400 acre ranch. Some minerals. Executive home with many extras. Beautifully maintained! Oil and gas wells on acreage.

Commercial & Lots

IN CISCO, 2 large lots with many oak trees. Utilities on property. Call today!

THREE lots 25 x 130 in Ranger's Original Town Site Addition (Commerce St.) L-12

TWO lots, 400 Block of E. 19th in Cisco, has owner financing with 25% or 30% down. Also there are 8 lots back of the two that could be sold with them. L-6

LAKE LEON BUSINESS with 3 bedroom siding home on water front, 2 gas pumps, 4 trailer hook-ups, store is 600 sq. ft., 24' x 30' workshop, storeroom, storm cellar, staff water, garden spot. **GOOD LOCATION AND A GOOD BUSINESS.** CP-5

CISCO, LARGE COMMERCIAL Bldg., includes nice size apartment, 2 bay car wash, mobil home hookup. Make offer. CP-6

DOWNTOWN CISCO Just 3 doors from proposed site of new bank, attractively remodeled for retail store or offices. CP-7

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

ONE HALF CITY BLOCK has 14 lots approximately 43' x 75' with alley dividing them. Nice trees. Must see to appreciate. Cisco. L-5

1-20 COMMERCIAL LOTS IN CISCO - 150 ft. frontage, 3 lots are 146 ft. deep, 3 lots are irregular, great location, \$9,700.00 L-7

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

ONE lot on Briarwood, \$6,000.00. L-2

SIX (6) lots on I-20 - Cisco - \$16,500.00. Good commercial. L-9

NINE apartments plus one 3 bdrm house. Good monthly income on this investment. CP-9

EXCELLENT commercial property on large corner lot - central air and heat - perfect for business offices. Eastland. CP-12

LARGE COMMERCIAL lot, 188 x 144 fronts on Old Highway 80 E. Excellent for a fast-food restaurant or 24-hour grocery store. CISCO. CP-10

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Homemaking Hints

By Janet Thomas

Don't ruin your summer vacation by losing or having your credit cards stolen while on your trip.

Millions of credit cards are lost or stolen each year with millions of dollars of unauthorized purchases made on these cards.

Consumers are partially protected against financial losses when credit cards are stolen or lost. The federal Truth-in-Lending Act provides that the maximum liability of a credit card holder is \$50 for unauthorized charges made on a credit card.

However, many consumers carry a number of credit cards and if, for example, they lose 10 cards, they are liable for \$500. To avoid problems and financial burdens of credit card losses, follow these tips:

1. Cut up and throw away all cards not needed or used regularly.
2. Maintain a safe place where a list is placed of all credit cards and numbers.
3. Keep a list of the toll-free numbers to contact if cards are lost. Most companies that provide credit cards will provide a postage-paid postcard to send in the event that the credit card is lost or stolen. Keep this in a safe place because it usually shows the credit card number as well as a toll-free number to call.
4. Notify the issuer of a lost card immediately.
5. Upon receiving a new card, sign it immediately.
6. Never loan a credit card to anyone who hasn't been authorized to use it by the issuer - this is a violation of contract.

To recognize the possible signs of credit card theft, check the

monthly bill closely. If an expected monthly bill doesn't arrive, someone may have stolen the card and sent in an address change.

RECIPE FOR THE WEEK

When all the vegetables in your garden seem to ripen at once and you've run out of recipe ideas, you might like to try this one:

ZUCCHINI SKILLET MEDLEY

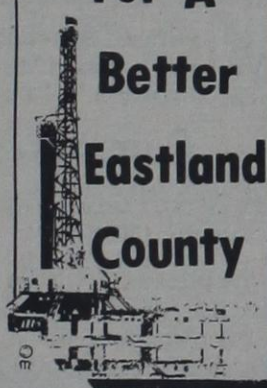
- 1/4 cup cooking oil
- 1/2 cup sliced onion
- 1 lb. unpared zucchini, sliced 1/4" thick
- 1/2 cup green pepper strips
- 1 8-ounce can tomato sauce
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 3/4 cup sliced celery
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 2 tomatoes, cut into eights
- 1/2 cup shredded, pared carrot
- 2 teaspoons prepared yellow mustard
- 3/4 teaspoon salt

Heat oil in 12 inch skillet over medium heat. Add celery, onion and garlic, saute until tender. Add zucchini, tomatoes, green pepper and carrot, saute 10 minutes. Stir in remaining ingredients. Reduce heat and simmer 5 minutes, or until vegetables are tender, stirring occasionally. Serve hot or cold. Makes 6 servings.

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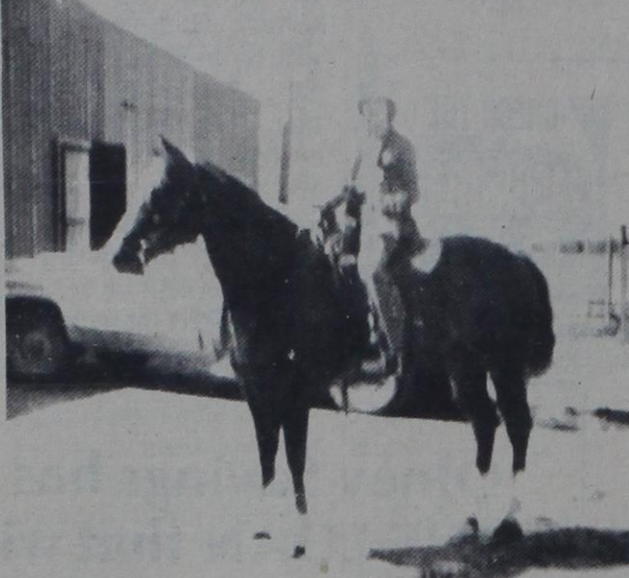
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Kim Lee To Participate In Rodeo



Kimberly Lee, daughter of Pat and Don Lee of Bangs will be participating in the Brown County Rodeo this weekend. She will also ride in the parade Thursday at 5 p.m.

Miss Lee is an accomplished horseman having won High Point at the 4-H Horse Show in Sewalt arena in 1981 and Grand Champion and Showmanship of the Show in the local Youth Fair Horse Show.

Kim is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Madison and Mrs. Olin Lee of May, Texas.

This week, the Lees are hosting a member of the Kingman County, Kansas 4-H Youth Exchange Program. A total of 24, 4-H members and sponsors will be in Brown County visiting local 4-H'ers.



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Madison Reunion

The Madison Reunion was held Saturday and Sunday the 18th and 19th of July in the Community Center in May, Texas. Those attending were: Frank and Johnny Madison, Opal and F.L. Dean all of Rising Star; Ruth and Clifford Cagle, Sam and Myrel Jordon and Billie Sour, Pat

and Tommie Talbot all of Fort Worth; Wanda Bradford, Peggy and Michel, Paul Parton of Azle; Leola Price of Brownwood; Paul and Ruth Madison of Kermit and Grace Glenn of May.

An enjoyable time was expressed by all.

Little League Photos

Anyone wishing to have reprints made of the Rising Star Little League teams printed

earlier in THE RISING STAR may contact Carolyn Ratliff at 643-6464.

Thursday, July 30, 1981

PERSONALS

In Brief

Guests in the Louis Mayfield home over the past weekend were nieces, Mrs. Dorothy Brown of San Antonio; Virginia McCanlies, her daughter, Donna McCanlies and her two grandchildren, Jenifer and Jamie Jeide of Seattle, Washington. They also visited in the Charlie Ballew and Victor Childers home while here.

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1/2 HP Grinder	68.95	48.95
Electrical Tape 12 Roll Package	40c Roll	10.89
7" Impact Driver Set	19.95	6.00
11-Pc. Wooden Handle Screw Driver Set	23.95	6.00
16-Pc. Allied Combination Wrench Set	79.95	29.95
Bench Type 1/2" Chuck 5 Speed Drill Press	249.95	169.95
21-Pc. 1/4" & 1/2" Socket Set	29.95	8.99
Cable Come-A-Long as supply lasts	39.99	20.00
4-Pc. Pipe Wrench Sets	59.95	17.99
8-Pc. 1/2" or 3/4" Deep Sockets	19.95	9.99
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5 Piece Plier Set as supply lasts	39.95	13.65
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4 Ton Port-A-Power	199.00	139.00
10 Ton Port-A-Power	299.00	239.00
Estwing Claw Hammers	12.00	6.99
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10-Pc. JMar Plastic Handle Screw Drivers	24.95	6.00
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40-Pc. 3 8" & 1 4" Industrial Socket Set	49.95	12.50
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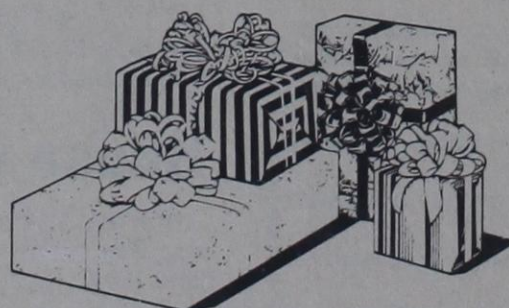
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