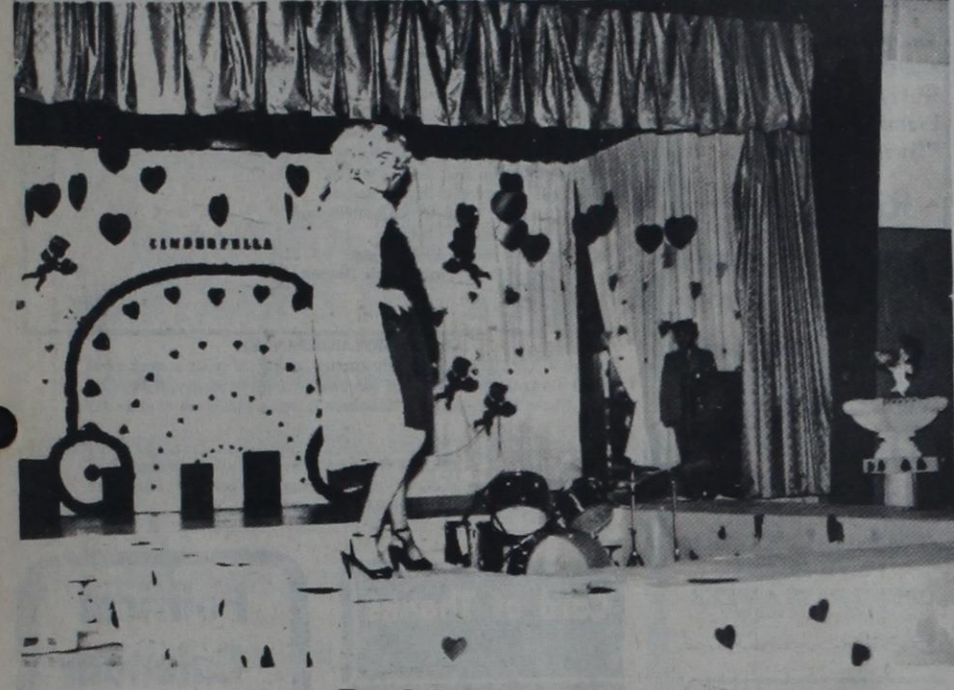


Miss "Cinderfella"



Brad Barnes

"Cinderfella Pageant" A Big Hit

By The Office

Hilarious laughter rang loud and long in the gym last Thursday night as the Senior Class presented a "Beauty Contest" with nine senior boys vying for the title of "Miss Cinderfella." Brad Barnes, "Ms Krystal," won that title, with Damon Cooper, Terry Walker and Jon Vaughn runners-up. Other winners were: Most Talented, Ed Anderson; Most Photogenic, Joey McCollum; Most Flirtatious, Mike Cogburn; Thad Chambers, Most Congenial; and Clay Shults, Best Dressed. Southern Belle and

Hollywood Starlet, Mrs. Kay Gray, acted as M.C. and she did a fantastic job praising and scolding the "beauties," in turn. Contestant judges were Mildred Childers, Bill Dennard and Dr. Billy Carpenter, who did an excellent job. Ushers were Merlinda Munguia, Barbrie Rust, Angela Clay and Joannie Hubbard. Cashiers were Billy Nall and Craig Scoville. Entertainment was also provided by the kindergarten and first grade children singing, directed by Julie Weise and Robbie Rutherford. They did great.

Leslie Alford and Melinda Finley did a clever dance routine and Sybrinna Killion did a cute routine. All performers performed well. The lyrics from the song, "Miss America," were rephrased accordingly for Rising Star by Mrs. Billie Zellman, and Leroy Woody sang the lyrics at the final crowning of the Beauty Queen, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Zellman, being the director of music in the Rising Star schools. We would like to compliment Mrs. O.B. (Blanche) Byrd and Mrs. Billie Zellman for their fine leadership in this spectacular event.

Marciel G. Justice Announces Candidacy

Marciel G. Justice, of Carbon has announced her candidacy for the Office of District Clerk of Eastland County. She is a Democrat and has lived in Eastland almost all of her life. She is presently employed as a bookkeeper in the County Auditor's Office, in the Courthouse. Mrs. Justice will issue a formal statement at a later date.

PTO And Open House March 9

PTO will be sponsoring OPEN HOUSE Tuesday, March 9, in the school lunchroom at 7 p.m. There will be a short PTO business meeting in lunchroom. Following the meeting you may visit your child's room. The children have really worked hard to display their very best work. We hope each of you will do your very best to come and share this SPECIAL TIME with your child.

Rising Star Nursing Center Birthday Honorees



Mary Crisp



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Josie Hammonds

Ruth Spence, Guest Speaker At Saturday Club

The Saturday Club met in the spacious, unique native stone home of Dorothy Shook with Adelia Shults as co-hostess on Feb. 17. Irene Mayfield, president, opened the meeting with a quote

from The Texas Clubwoman. "And I said to the man who stood at the gate of the year: 'Give me a light that I may tread safely into the unknown.'" And he replied: "Go out into the darkness and put your hand into the hand of God. That shall be to you better than light, and safer than a known way." M. Louise Haskins.

"For those of you who question the importance of reading and discussing Texas writers, I close with a quotation from J. Frank Dobie, 'Great literature transcends its native land but none that I know of ignores its own soil'."

Olice Jones gave the invocation and all joined in the singing of "God Bless America", led by Lenell Henry and Pauline Hudson as pianist.

The refreshment tables were covered with red cloths and centered with arrangements of red and blue flowers, emphasizing the Americanism theme. Finger sandwiches, pickles, fig and nut breads, cake squares topped with cherries, frosted pecans, punch, and coffee were served by Dorothy and Adelia to the following members: Gladys Carter, Blanche Cawley, Mary Claborn, Lela Clark, Helen Donham, Lenell Henry, Lillian Howard, Pauline Hudson, Georgia Jacobs, Olice Jones, Lucille Joyce, Beatrice Kruger, La Quita Lucas, Hazel T. Marsh, Irene Mayfield, Barbara McCollum, Hazel McCollum, Eleanor Nunnally, Bonnie Polk, Polly Price, Elizabeth Robertson, Olive D. Schaefer, Vera Westerman, Bertha Mae White, Vi Williams, Yvonne Williams, Cliffogene Witt and three guests-Gladys Howard and Ruth Spence.

Ruth Spence, guest speaker from Brownwood, presented the program using The Fisty Best Texas Books by A.C. Greene for a delightful and interesting talk.

Ruth selected three outstanding writers-J. Frank Dobie, Walter Prescott Webb, and Roy Bedichek-relating the similarities and differences in their lives and works. "These three were an 'incomparable triumvirate'-one a naturalist, one a historian, and one a folklorist and chronicler."

Coronado's Children by Dobie, Adventures with a Texas Naturalist by Bedichek, and The Great Plains by Webb were used as selections for interesting reading.

Barbara Alexander and Lois Eason

First Baptist Church One Century Old

First Baptist Church of Rising Star was organized in 1882. The weekend of August 7 and 8 is set for a 100 year celebration. The History Committee has begun the compilation of material for the church's history. If you have photos, news items, or other data, please identify such material and place in the marked container in the foyer of the church or get it to one of the History Committee. Please remember to identify each item and it will be returned when the history is completed. Committees for the Anniversary Celebration are: Program: R.D. Williams, Blanche Cawley, Horace Geye, Kay Pollock, Ronnie Jones and Pauline Hudson. History: Gertie Smith, A.P. Smith, Olice Jones, Lela Clark, Elizabeth Chamberlain, and Doris Griffin. Hospitality: Peggy

Dennard, Joyce Geye, Dorris Harrel, Eula Grisham, Rosa Van Cox, LaJean Lawrence and Vi Williams. Food: Doris Griffin, Ruby Murdock, Velma Hollis, Bertha Mae White, Sara Chamberlain, Caroline Harris and Betty Gray. Finance: Aubrey Lawrence, Lane Wells and Gerald Jones. Publicity: Evelyn Donham, Edra Butler and Helen Donham. Reception: Karen Davis, Sharolyn Cox, Saralyn McGowen, Linda Finley, Gloria Jones, Karen Rhodes, Barbara McCollum and Linda George. Correspondence: Norma Carpenter, Jean Gray, Susan DeLong, Yvonne McCutchen, Thresa, Derende and Janetta Lawrence. General Planning: Emma Jean Steel, Anna Baker and Lottie Roach. Schedule of events to be announced later.

James Steel Named Organist

Waxahachie--The Music Ministry of First Baptist Church of Waxahachie announced today that the church has called James Steel to become the church's organist-music assistant. Steel is currently a student of Dr. Albert Travis at Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth. A bachelor of music graduate of Hardin Simmons University, he is now a candidate for the masters of music in organ at Southwestern. He has served most recently as organist at First Presbyterian Church in Abilene. He has served as interim organist at First Baptist here since Sept. 1, 1981. The church voted to elect him on a permanent basis in the January church conference. "We consider ourselves most fortunate to have attracted Steel to Waxahachie," said R. G.

Huff, Minister of Music. "He comes to us highly recommended and has already proven his fine abilities to us. He is a very gifted musician who has a real understanding of his craft." Steel will be playing the church's 32-rank Reuter pipe organ in worship services, accompanying various choirs and groups, coordinating various events, and acting as assistant to Mr. Huff. "One of the things that is exciting to us is that James will be giving lessons on our pipe organ," Huff continued. "Since we purchased our new instrument, we have wanted to make it available for lessons...training some upcoming organists. James has agreed to come to Waxahachie and do some teaching to help us in our ongoing music education ministries. He will also do some instructing in piano."



Daughter Barbara Alexander Lois Eason

Chit Chat

With Edra

Comments from many who attended the Senior Class's "Cinderfella Pageant" have been, unanimously, "I can't remember when I have ever laughed so much," and "It was hilarious." Those of you who missed it have no conception of what you missed. The boys really entered into the spirit of their roles as beauties, putting aside natural disinclinations and embarrassment at appearing in public in feminine clothing, and letting their sometimes ungainly "female walk," send the audience into gales of hearty laughter. The inimitable Kay Gray gave an outstanding performance as mistress of ceremonies. I personally got a big kick out of her Southern accent. No one could have done better. I applaud the Seniors of '82 for coming up with this way of raising funds for their senior trip; you can bet the audience received their money's worth in fun and laughter. Now back to our Spring Clean-up campaign. We do appreciate the Letters to the Editor that have come in and we expect more to be forthcoming. This beautiful weather we're having is sure giving me the clean-up fever-do you suppose it's contagious? Hope so.

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IN RANGER-2 bedroom, 1 bath house with chain link fence. Would make a good first home. Has assumable 10% loan. Affordable and nice. \$18,000.

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

AFFORDABLE LIVING-Start with this small home 2 or 3 bdms., 1 bath, \$12,500. Owner will finance.

LARGE OLDER frame house on over sized lot. 7 rooms and full attic. Lots of space inside. Needs remodeling. Would like to trade for airplane or other. \$30,000.

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ACREAGE

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78.4 ACRES-South of Cisco on Hwy. 2526. One tank, 15 acres coastal, 47 acres love grass. New corrals, new fences. One-fourth of the minerals go. \$96,000.

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

42.8 ACRES-Coastal and love grasses, 3 tanks, water well, corrals, roping pen, barn, very pretty homesite. Northeast of Eastland. \$1000/acre.

50 ACRES-All secluded. 35 acres timber, river bottom, 2 tanks, well, 15 acres cultivation with small 1 bedroom house S. of Cisco. Some owner finance. \$1,000/acre.

93.34 ACRES in Okra area. Has good stock tank, 57 acres cultivation, 18 acres of pretty timber. Also a 33 acre peanut allotment. Owner will finance with 29% down or will Texas VET/Also will divide. Has minerals that will go. Great buy at \$540/acre.

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

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Rock three bedrooms, two full baths, large den with wood burning fireplace, game room, large patio enclosed. This place is on six lots.

Brick three bedrooms, two baths, den, living room, dining room combination. Fenced back yard with workshop, double attached garage.

Three bedrooms, utility room, nice kitchen. Franklin wood stove in living room. This place has three storage buildings. This house was completely redone two years ago. \$22,500.

Older home on about 1/2 block with three bedrooms, one bath. This house needs to be re-done, priced right to sell \$15,000.

This house could be made into a nice large home. Three bedrooms, one bath, on two lots. has beamed ceiling in dining room. \$16,500.

Brick two bedroom, one bath, central heat and vented evaporative cooling, corner lot and 1/2. Fenced back yard, range and cooktop, washer and dryer connection. This house will FHA finance.

Three bedrooms, two full baths, central heat and air, utility room, nice large kitchen, dishwasher, wall oven, cook top. Approx. five acres of land with barns go with this place.

1980 Mobil home on eight lots. Three bedrooms, two full baths, central heat and air. There is a large 24x30 steel building with concrete floor that goes with this property. Also a 14x20 storage building. \$65,000. Some owner financing available.

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

LAKE PROPERTY

Thirty two acres on Lake Leon with a three bedroom, two bath house. Several barns and sheds, young orchard, good garden spot, ten acres of Klein grass. \$60,000.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

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ACREAGE

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79 ACRES sand **SOLD** astal, mostly cleared, good fences, at Older **SOLD**

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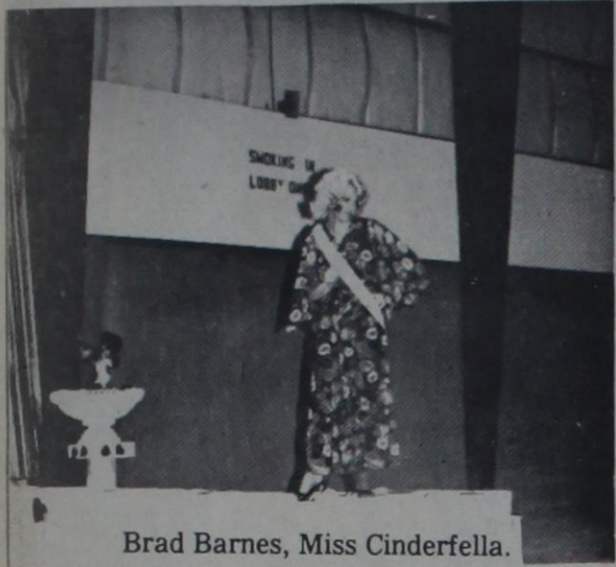
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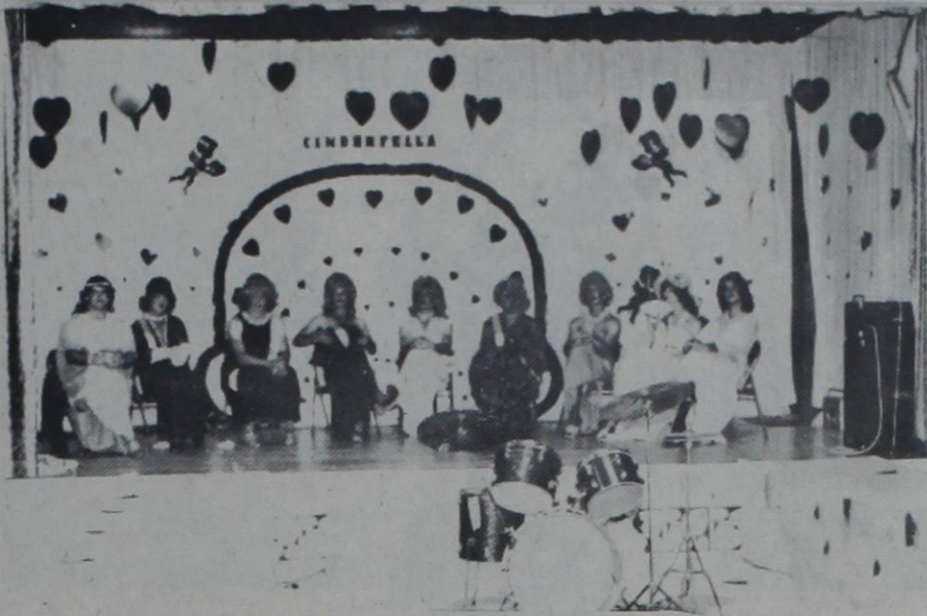
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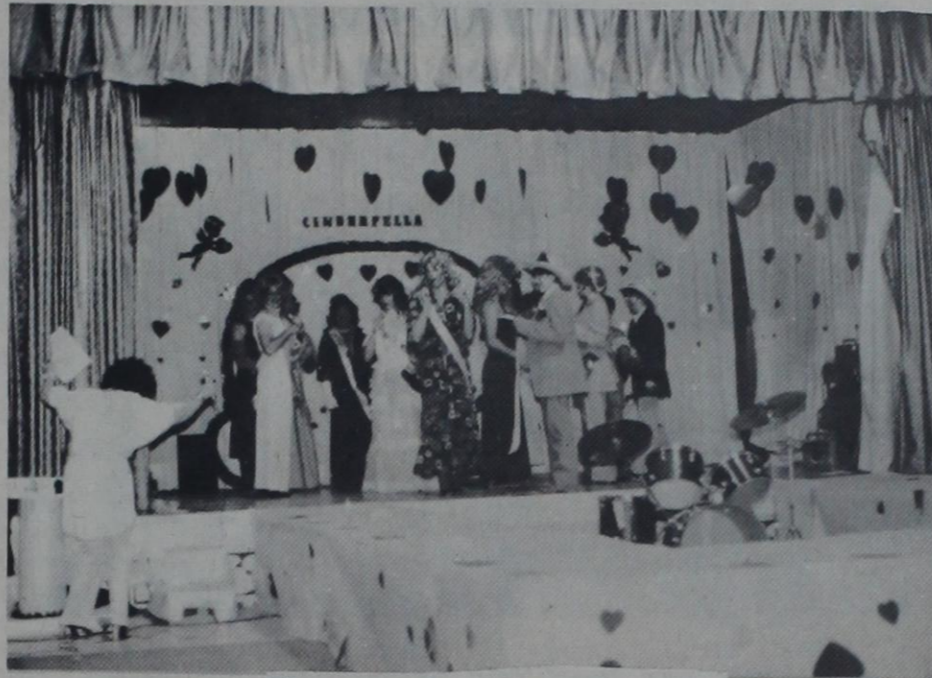
Cinderfella Beauty Pageant contestants.



Thad Chambers Most Congenial.



Damon Cooper 1st runner-up.



The announcing of Miss Cinderfella.



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Terry Walker 2nd runner-up



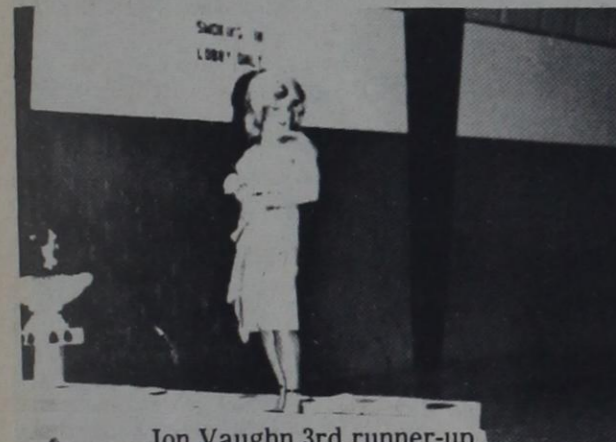
Mike Cogburn Most flirtatious.



Kay Gray Mistress of Ceremonies.



Ushers: Barbrie Rust, Merlinda Mungia, Joanie Hubbard and Angela Clay.



Jon Vaughn 3rd runner-up.



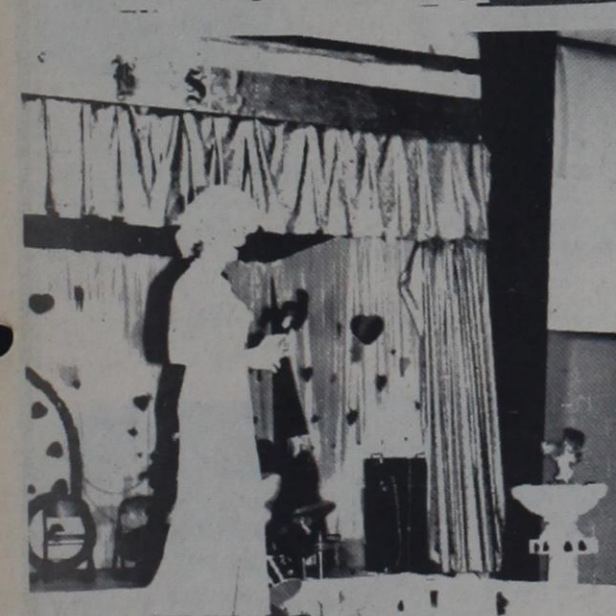
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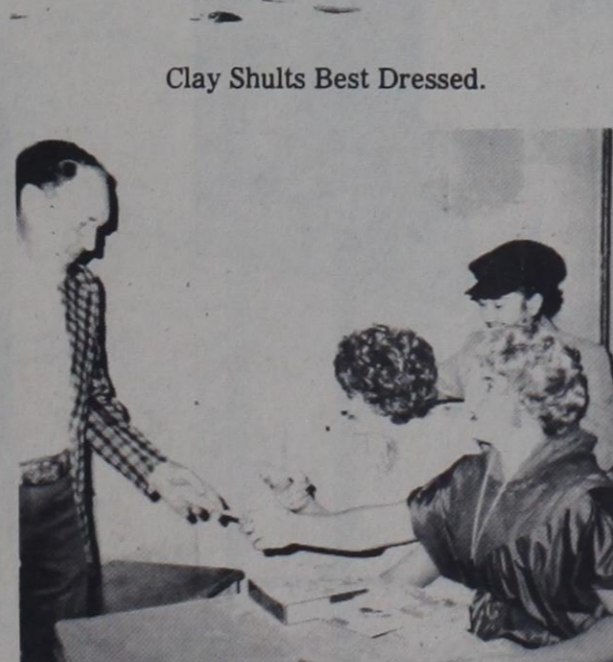
Kindergarten and 1st grade Students.



Sybrinna Killion dance routine.



Ed Anderson Most talented.



Cashiers Billy Nall and Craig Scoville



3 Stragglers



Leroy Woody associate host singer.



Joey McCollum Most Photogenic.



Leslie Alford and Melinda Finley dance routine.



Coronation Pictures

Thursday, February 25, 1982

Thanks To Everyone

The 1982 La Estrellita Yearbook staff wishes to thank the many people who helped make the Coronation a success. The following parents helped with the beautiful decorations: Jo Hubbard, Faye White, Norma Carpenter, Arla Hill, Janette Bass, and Carolyn Walker. These students assisted: Damon Cooper, Regina White, Angela Clay, Barbrie Rust, Lori Finley, Merlinda Munguia, Jeff Rust, Joanie Hubbard, Melinda Finley, Angie Bass, Steve Hill, and Amy Dudley.

Special thanks go to Dorothy Dunn and Delta Webb for lending the wrought iron chairs.

Mrs. Billie Zellman did a great job with the entertainment: the second, third, and fourth grade singers and the Rising Star Concert Band aided by the sixth grade students who chose to play with them.

The following sponsored the program and deserve much appreciation: Billy T. Carpenter, D.O.; Chambers Grocery; Connie's Beauty Shop; First State Bank of Rising Star; Higginbothams; J&S Grocery; Gerald Jones; Kountry Kitchen; Medley Conoco; Palace Drug; Quickway Grocery; R&R Auction - Gwynn Tharp; Jim Rutherford; The Rising Star; Jack Shults; and West Texas Utilities.

Our school productions are supported very well by the community and we do appreciate it.

No Definite Trial Date Has Been Set For LaFlore

No trial date has been set for Charles LeFlore who is charged with murder in 91st District Court.

Presiding Judge Jim Wright reports that a definite date has not been set but that two local attorneys have been named to represent LeFlore.

In the court Monday Larry Joe Garrett pleaded no contest to a felony DWI charge, and was found guilty. Sentencing is due Friday at 9 a.m.

WORD of GOD

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1 Corinthians 3:16-17

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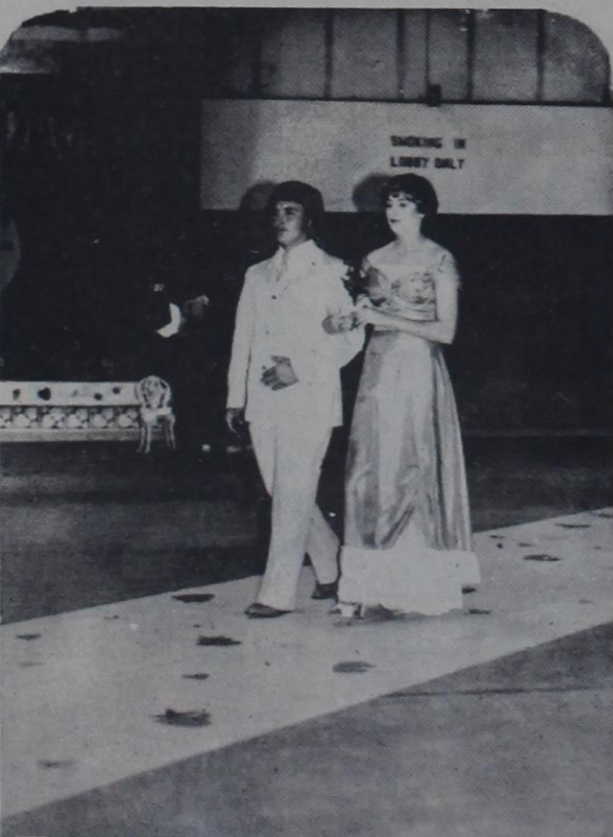
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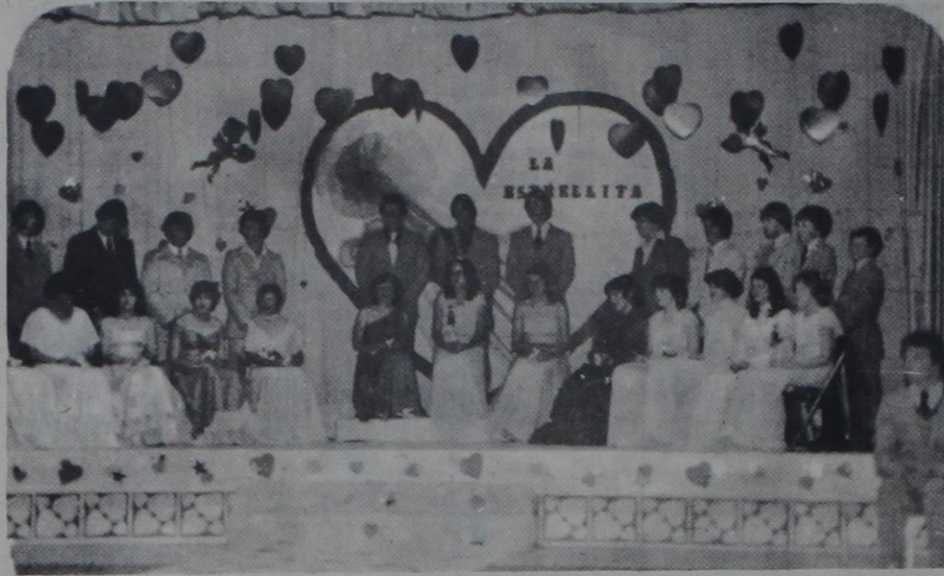
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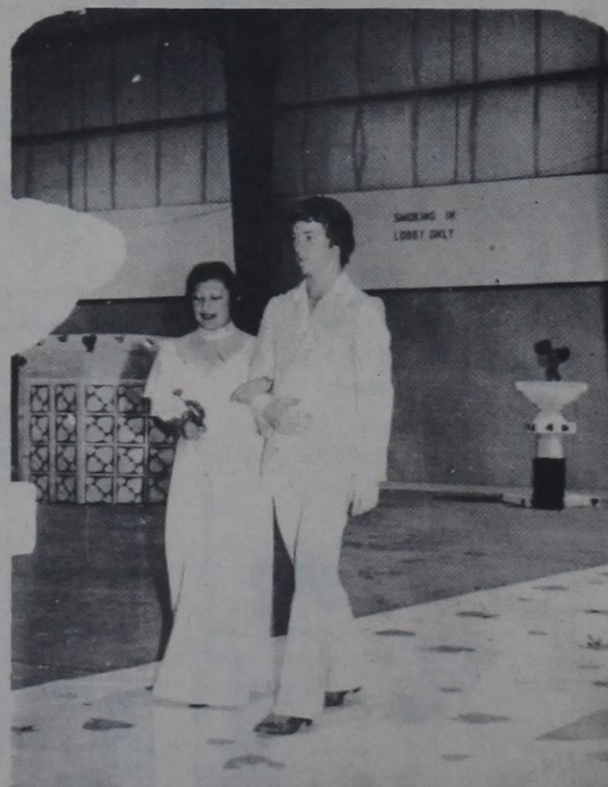
Billy Nall & Barbrie Rust



LaEstrellita and Great Lord Chamberlain Nominees



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Parents Warned of Tattoo Transfer Drug

Thursday, February 25, 1982

The Brown County Sheriff's Dept. issued a warning to parents in Brown County. Sheriff Deputy Hays Beam said that according to authorities, a form of tattoo transfer called "blue star" is readily available in some areas of the United States.

Beam said some of these tattoos have been intercepted by the Brown County Sheriff's Dept.

This is a small sheet of white paper containing blue stars the size of a pencil eraser. Each star is impregnated with L.S.D. and can be removed from the paper to be placed in the mouth. Absorption can also occur through the skin by simply handling the tattoo.

There are also brightly colored paper tabs resembling postage stamps in size, which have pictures of Superman, Mickey Mouse (dressed as a soccer's apprentice), Dopey, and possibly other Disney characters.

The stamps are packed in a red cardboard box with a picture of Mickey Mouse, wrapped in foil in a clear, lock-type bag. They come in five, one inch square sheets with 100 perforated 1/4 inch square stamps.

This is a new way of selling acid. A young child could happen upon these and have a fatal "trip." It is also found that little children could be given a free "tattoo" by older children who want to have some fun. It is important that all parents be alerted in case their child is involved, even innocently.



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 Monday
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 Juice
 Milk
- Tuesday:
 Pancakes
 Syrup
 Juice
 Milk
- Wednesday:
 Bacon
 Biscuits with Gravy
 Juice
 Milk
- Thursday:
 Eggs
 Sausage
 Toast
 Juice
 Milk
- Friday:
 Muffins
 Juice
 Milk



Damon Cooper twirling routine.

- LUNCH:**
 Monday:
 Fried Fish
 Blackeyed Peas
 Whole Potatoes
 Salad
 Rolls
 Applesauce
- Tuesday:
 Tacos with Cheese
 Buttered corn
 Salad
 Fruit
- Wednesday:
 Spaghetti
 Meat sauce
 Green Beans
 Salad
 Rolls
 Peanut Butter with Syrup
- Thursday:
 Pinto Beans
 Fried Okra
 Sweet Potatoes
 Slaw
 Cornbread
 Cobbler
- Friday:
 Hamburgers
 Tomatoes
 Lettuce
 Pickles
 Onion
 Cupcakes

Public School Week At May Set March 1-5

The week of March 1-5 will be recognized at the May Schools as Public School Week. Several activities are planned by the May Schools for this week.

Elementary students will participate in the Jump Rope for Heart program to raise money for the American Heart Association. The May PTC will sponsor a program Tuesday, March 2, at 7:00 p.m. presented by Dave Harmon of the National Weather Bureau on Tornadoes and Our Schools. Open House will be conducted Tuesday night, March 2, from 8:00-9:00 p.m. The Masons will conduct an assembly Wednesday morning at 10:00 a.m. for the students and faculty in regard to Public School Week. All parents and citizens are invited to attend all of these events and visit the presented by Dave May Schools.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Westmoreland of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. Almos McMurry of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Killion during the weekend.

Dr. Brent Green, head of ACU Art Department of Abilene will be at the Multipurpose Center in Cross Plains on Monday, March 1, at 7:00 p.m., where he will be showing slides and giving lectures on painting, plus some of his own.

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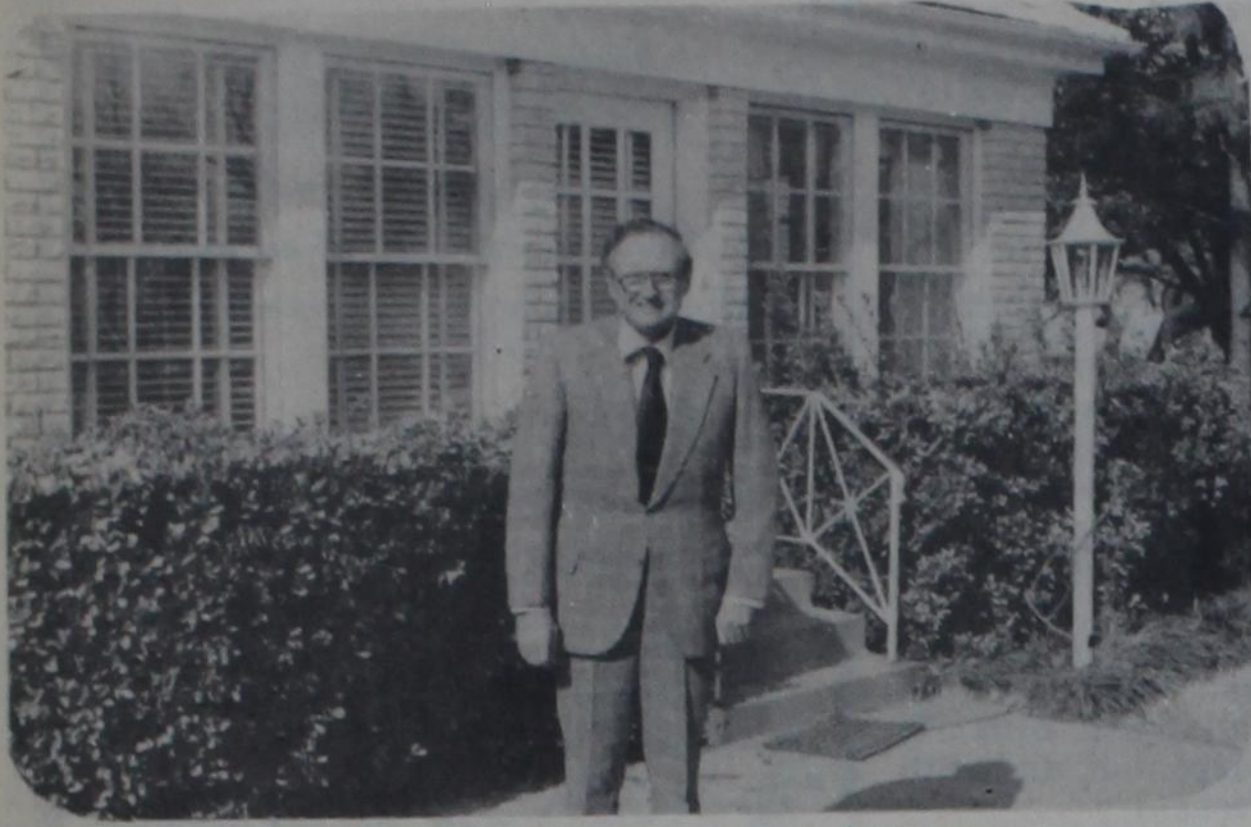
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The Golden Triangle - Linking Cisco With Australia



ROBERT KAMON is shown at the south end of his home in Cisco.

By Viola Payne
Kamon House of Cisco, the home of Golden Triangle Royalty & Oil, Inc., resembles a beautiful southern estate more than a typical Corporate Headquarters. The large white columns of the two-story house, with the spreading arms of trees above neatly trimmed lawns, give a tranquil appearance. But a sign with an astonishing list of company names indicates that the home of Robert and Effie Kamon has a lot of activity.

Golden Triangle Royalty & Oil, Inc., with Robert Kamon as President-Director, is the most recently acquired corporation among those based at Kamon House. Controlling interest in this corporation, which was formerly located in Pennsylvania, was acquired May 15, 1979. Other corporations based here include International Royalty & Oil Co., Black Giant Oil Company, Kamon Petroleum Exploration, and U.S. Representatives.

Golden Triangle has issued more than 13 million shares, of which 4 million are publicly traded. The stock is listed with brokers in a number of U.S. cities and in London, England.

On May 6th about 60 out of approximately 3,500 Golden Triangle stockholders are expected to attend the annual Stockholder's Meeting at the Kamon House, enjoying a mixture of hospitality and reports from the Company's extensive royalty holdings. They will discuss late developments with the management of the Corpora-

tion - President/Director Robert Kamon, Vice President/Director Ivan Webb of Cisco, Secretary/Treasurer/Director Effie Kamon, Chairman of the Board Thys B. Johnson from Goldn, Colorado, Director Howard Siegel, Houston, Vice President/Public Relations Randy Agnew of Cisco, Lloyd London of Cisco, Vice President/Geology Robert Hare of Ft. Worth, and Attorney C.J. Eden of Breckenridge.

Various companies will meet during different times of the day, and all are expected to have favorable business reports.

Golden Triangle, as a royalty corporation, is not providing the actual drilling on the land where its mineral interests are held. It seeks and acquires favorable royalty and mineral rights, and is an owner of a percentage of the oil developed on the properties. Although Golden Triangle has oil royalty and working interests in the United States (including Eastland County), and Honduras, its main holdings are under approx. 88.5 million plus surface acres in the state of Queensland, which extends from northeastern Australia to the center of the country. These acres exceed an area over half the size of Texas, with the majority of the net royalty acres adjoining a block with major oil production.

Australia, according to the experts, is about 25 years behind the United States in oil exploration and development - and it is making a

feverish attempt to catch up. The government has welcomed American companies into the country, and they are doing the major part of the drilling at the present time. But Australian, English and French companies are also involved in all phases of the operation.

Even a glimpse of that is happening around the Golden Triangle property shows the extent of the search, and the high stakes involved. Australia's largest onshore production site, held by Delhi International and partners, adjoins GTR "Authority to Prospects" land along its 319 miles of the southern border. This adjoining Delhi et al block contains proven and probable reserves estimated at 317 million barrels of liquid hydrocarbons and 3.4 trillion cubic ft. of gas. One new well in this area, the Jackson No. 1, is initially reported to be flowing 4,200 barrels per day, heralding a large new oil field. Further seismic tests and more wells will

probably follow to determine the size and structure of the reservoir.

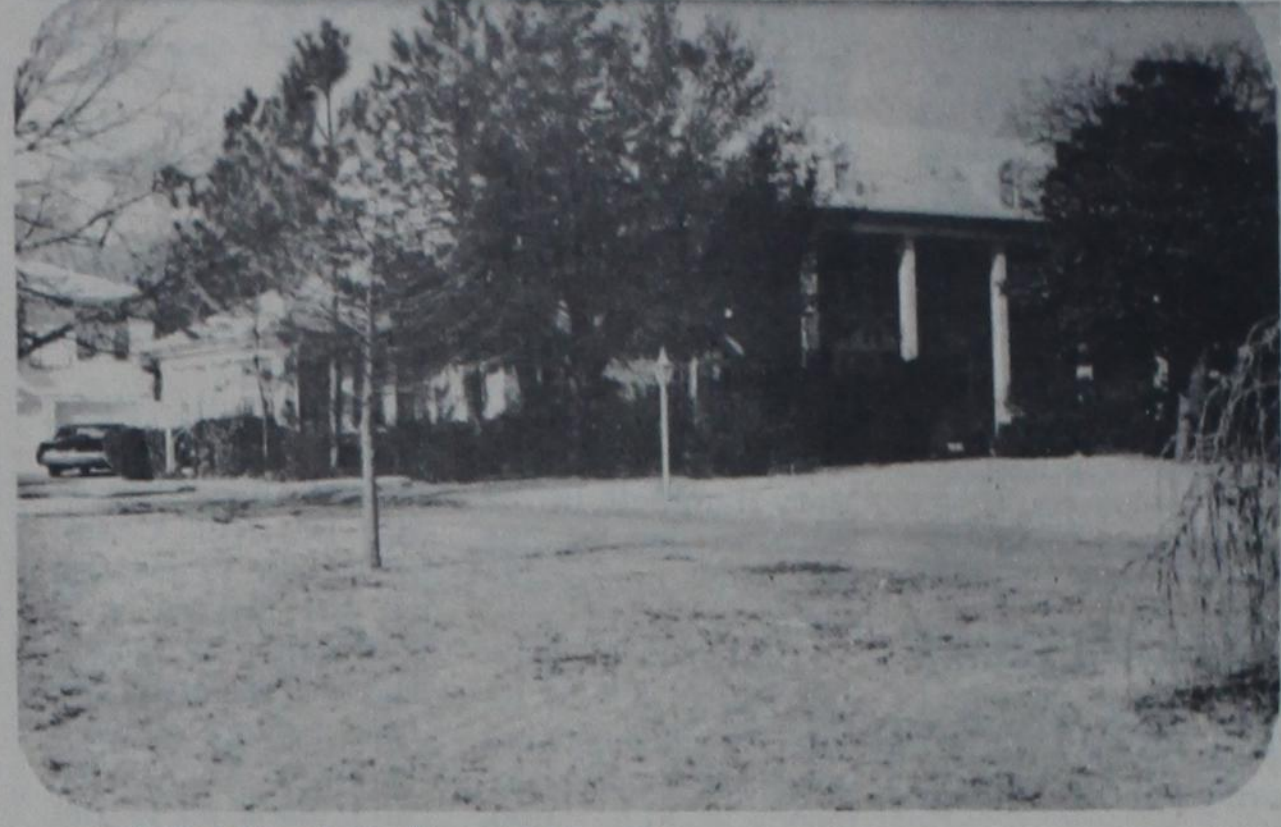
Other exploration in this general area of Australia is being conducted by Esso Exploration and Production Australia Inc. (Exxon) and Abbott Petroleum Co. Harken Oil & Gas is scheduled to begin exploratory drilling on Golden Triangle royalty acres by December, 1982.

Much of this exploration lies in a remote, arid, picturesque area of domes and basins. Robert Kamon and his son, Ken Kamon, made a geological field trip to the area in the summer of 1980. They made extensive surveys of the Warbreccan Dome, as well as other areas on the eastern portion of the concession.

Robert Kamon is the son of the late Rudolph and Isabel Kamon, long time residents of Cisco.

Rudolph Kamon was born in Poland, and in 1910 he came to America to study at the University of Chicago. In 1914 war began in Europe, and he learned that his family in Poland had been killed by invading armies. After that Kamon enlisted in the American Army. After the war he did extensive geological work, finally moving to Cisco with his family in the 1940's. He completed Australian work and a number of projects before his death in 1979.

Robert Kamon graduated from the University of Texas at Austin in 1949 with a Degree in Petroleum Engineering. He married Effie Hart of Cisco, daughter of a prominent ranching family, and made his exploration headquarters here from that time on. Effie and Robert Kamon have a son, Ken, who recently graduated from the University of Texas (Austin)



THE FRONT of the Kamon House

with a Degree in Geological Engineering. Ken now works out of Abilene. The Kamon's daughter, Kaye, is presently a student at the University of Texas.

In spite of the activity stirring around, Kamon House retains an atmosphere of graciousness. Visitors are ushered into a living room with a deep red carpet and French Provincial furnishings. A desk nearby holds maps, charts, and other materials describing far-away places with exotic names. On down the hall are the real working quarters - spacious rooms with more desks and secretaries tackling correspondence. Mrs. Kamon, an unhurried hostess, greets guests.

Robert Kamon's office is as quiet as the eye of a hurricane. Kamon is slender,

soft spoken, and energetic. ("We can hardly keep up with him!" smiles an employee.) A filing cabinet across one side of the room contains minute data about every tract of royalty the corporations own from here to Australia. These are probably filed in Kamon's mind also, for he can rustle through papers and bring up information quickly.

When asked about Australia, and how he can handle property so far away, Kamon simply states that he has a lawyer in Australia who keeps him informed of what is going on. Of course, he makes numerous trips, not to mention the phone calls back and forth. As for the Australian Land and Cattle Co., in which he is a partner - that ranch has a foreman who handles things well. It lies in an area on the

east coast which as 43 inches of rain annually, contrasting with the 7 inches in the interior.

"I feel at home in that interior of Australia - it is almost exactly like some parts of west Texas," Kamon says. "A few cattle ranches operate on the fringes of it, and occasionally an aborigine will come through hunting. There are herds of kangaroo and packs of dingos (wild dogs) in the area. Generally the natives have moved to reservations set up by the government, where they find living easier."

Kamon mentions that the roads are rough back in the area of the domes - that it

takes a 4 wheel drive Land Rover to get there. Drinking water is scarce, and must be carried in with other supplies. The Australian people - if you meet any in the back country - are friendly and easy to communicate with. They look and act like Texans, in fact, until you notice their speech.

Mr. Kamon believes that Golden Triangle has good oil prospects in the United States as well as Australia, and these will go along with the production it already has. He mentions a deep gas well in Pecos County as an example. There are others in Oklahoma and Louisiana, oil wells in the Austin Chalk formation, and production in Kansas.

GTR owns a 4% working interest in 5 wells drilled in Clyde Houston here in Eastland County. Furthermore, in a joint venture with Houston Oil & Energy, GTR recently formed G&H Water Injection Co. for the purpose of disposing of salt water from area wells for 65 cents per barrel. The Company has converted one of its wells in the Foster Field to a salt water injection well.

With all these projects going on, there is little chance that the Kamon family or associates will be idle or bored in the foreseeable future. They are looking forward to this future - which is an attitude which will probably pay dividends along with oil.



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Crystal Gail McCartney Celebrates 5th Birthday

Crystal Gail McCartney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan McCartney of May, celebrated her fifth birthday Saturday, February 13, in the home of her parents. Crystal's older sister hosted the celebration. She also baked the large birthday cake and the Valentine cookies. "Strawberry Short Cake" was the theme of the decorations of the table, napkins, plates and punch. Streamers hung from the ceiling of the party room with strawberries hanging in the center of each. The cake holding five pink candles was a large sheet iced in white with a red strawberry border and "Happy Birthday Crystal." The honoree wore a Strawberry Short Cake T-shirt to

carry out the theme of the party. After the play period and the birthday song the charming hostess served cake, pink iced heart shape cookies that held a red heart in the center of each, and red fruit punch to sixteen guests. Special guests for this occasion included the honoree's paternal grandmother, Mrs. W.R. McCartney of May; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Dogett of Goldthwaite; also John Rothy Edwards and Teresa Petross of May; Sharon Young, Angela and Ryan; Jeannie Hardy, Craig, Robin and Kim; Jennifer Brown, Crystal's parents and sister, Seronna. Crystal presented each guest a bag of Valentine candy on their departure.

Rising Star Nursing Center

Avis Massey - Activity Director

MONDAY 15: News day. Bingo at 2 p.m. Numbers were called by Buster Rixford. The big winners were Della Roberts and Martha Irby with 3 games each. Ora Clark won two games each, Maggie Christian, Mary Hammett, Birdie Lancaster and Pauline Hill won one game each.

TUESDAY-16: Birthday Party at 2:30 today. The ones honored today are Josie Hammonds, 92, Feb. 1, 1990, born in Louisiana; Lois Eason, 83, Feb. 9, 1899, born at Pertolis, Tx.; Mary Hord, 76, Feb. 15, 1906 in Eastland Co.; Estell Bolding, 91, Feb. 23, 1891, born at Snyder; James E. Cooper, 85, Feb. 24, 1896, born at Carmen, Tx.; and Mary Crisp, 87, born at Coryell, Tx.

Our wonderful ladies bringing cakes were Avis Kinnard, Syble Sears, Stella Hill, Vera Hill, Rada King, Artie Jagers, Jean Ogden, Lolene Claborn, Mary Carroll, Violet Burcham, Sula Harris. The musicians were Nell Maynard at piano, Earl Epley, guitar, and Bryant Houston, violin. Nell Maynard brought her husband, W.A. Morgan, and Earl brought Opal Epley. Thank you everyone for your part in making such a happy time for the residents. Punch was served with the lovely cakes.

WEDNESDAY 17: The First Baptist Church brought a lovely devotional from 11:30 to 12:00.

THURSDAY: FRIDAY-19: The First Baptist Church of May had regular Bible study. Mrs. Cliffogene Witt was at the piano. Twenty residents enjoyed Bible study—it is exciting to study the beginning and go through the Bible.

SATURDAY-20: The Star Brite Band was here at 2 p.m. Twenty residents attended and the others enjoyed the music from their rooms. We had a large number of visitors that

didn't sign the register, also Star Brite members that didn't sign in.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Annie Gotcher in her passing away.

SUNDAY-21: First Baptist Church of May brought the services with Bro. Bill Campbell in charge. He also led the singing with Bea Kelton at piano. Eighteen residents and three visitors enjoyed the entire service. We can't thank all of you lovely volunteers enough for your time and talents for our residents.

VISITORS: Charlie Chamberlain, Gay Lynn Weimer, Lisa Michelle Hubbs, Marjorie West, Marion West of Star Brite Band, Lisa Lewis, Fatima Garcia, Barbara Lewis, Trecea Fox, Elza Witt, Monica Duncan, John Boaron, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Dean, James Durham, Connie Hightower, Newt and Olive Odum, Lois Richardson, Ollie Burns, Ruby Ballew, Robert and Edra Butler, Grace Loflin, Mr. and Mrs. John Shaffer, Bea Kelton, Stacy, Derrick, Nell Fleming, Opal Hill, Terri Valley, Paula Cameron, Grace McAndrews, Rada King, Pauline Modawell, Clara Keese, Mavis Hart, Flo Childers, Lolene Claborn, Hallie Hill, Eula Goss, Jack and Joyce Hill of Jal, N.M. to see Pauline Hill and Estell Bolding, Lillian Newcomb of Brownwood to see Lela Murphy, Virgil and Doris Young, Marvin and Marianna Bellah, Nelda White, Maurice Martin to see Mary Crisp, also Elgie and Maxine Crisp, Earl Fussell, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Childers, Vera Beth Young of Victoria, Jack Harris and Maureen Snodgrass of Dallas to see Olene Simmons, Delia Dalton, Grace McAndrews, Ray Jean Jarvis, Ray Watson, Kenneth Kenney, Alton Burns, Nettie Simpson and Minnie Reynolds.

A BIG THANK YOU

By Barbrie Rust

Thursday, February 18, the Senior Class held a Beauty Contest.

Crowned Ms. Cinderfella for 1982 was Brad "Crystal" Barnes. Brad's talent was singing and dancing. First runner-up was Damon "Dominique" Cooper, Damon twirled a baton. Second runner-up was Terry "Farrah" Walker. His talent was playing the piano and cornet. Third runner-up, Jon "Angel" Vaughn, playing an electric guitar.

Named most talented was Ed "Charity" Anderson whose talent was singing a love song. Most photogenic was Joey "Cher" McCollum. who entertained everyone by his lovely belly dance. Thad "Olivia" Chambers was named most congenial. Thad sang "I Love Rock-N-Roll."

Clay "Clatina" Shults was best dressed for the evening. Clay dazzled the audience with his graceful ballet dance to the "Music Box

Dancer."

Most flirtious was Mike "Michelle" Cogburn, Mike also played an electric guitar.

Hostesses for the evening were Craig Scoville, and Billy Nall. Four of the Senior girls dressed as young men were: Merlinda Munguia, Angela Clay, Barbie Rust and Joanie Hubbard.

Judges for the contest were Mildred Childress, Billy T. Carpenter and Bill Dennard.

The Senior Class would like to thank the parents who helped us to get ready for the contest. We would also like to thank everyone who attended and especially those who sponsored our contestants:

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Joey McCollum belly dance routine.



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Morgan-Paulk Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Morgan are happy to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marla Lois, to Mr. Ramon Anderson Paulk, Jr., of Carbon. Mr. Paulk is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Anderson Paulk, Sr. of Ashburn, Georgia.

Marla is a freshman student at Cisco Junior College and her fiancé will graduate in May from Tarleton State University with a major in Agri-education. The couple will be married June 4, at the First Baptist Church in Carbon.

And knew not until the flood came, and took them all away; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be.

Matthew 24:38,39



Ray Darnell Jean Gray Announces Engagement

Dr. and Mrs. Jim Gray, of the Okra Community announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Jean, to Mr. Ray Darnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Darnell, of Rising Star, Texas.

Miss Gray is a 1980 graduate of Hardin-Simmons University with a B.B.A. degree in Accounting. She is presently employed as City Accountant for Cisco.

Mr. Darnell is a 1981 graduate of San Angelo State University with a B.A. degree in History. He is presently employed by the City of Rising Star.

The couple plan to be wed at the First Baptist Church on April 17th in Rising Star.

Wedding Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Bangs and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bush are happily announcing the marriage of their children, Eva Ellison and Mickie Dan Bush.

The couple were united in marriage Friday, February 19, 1982, at Bangs, in the home of the parents of the bride at 6:30 p.m.

Senior Citizen's Baird Performance

Tuesday, Feb. 16th, only thirteen "Starbrites" made the trip to Baird but all reported a delightful trip. We are always well received and feel welcome. The band was given twenty dollars toward the bus expenses.

Thursday night, eighteen enjoyed fellowship and a game of 42. Annie Dill and three others from the May Senior C. club visited with us.

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Sipe Springs News

Mr. John McKeehan and Mr. Quill McKeehan attended funeral services for Mr. Dale Farrow in De Leon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doby Jones of Rising Star and Sis Jones of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Anderson and Ma Morgan Sunday morning.

Mrs. Conova Weaver had dinner with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Loman Cagle in Comanche Sunday. She visited with relatives in the nursing home and Mrs. Dewey Lewis in the hospital that afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Millwee and children spent Valentine's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lane Cotter in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Quill McKeehan and Mr. and Mrs. John McKeehan visited with

their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vanatta at De Leon Saturday night. They were met there by Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Houston and other relatives.

Mr. Red Jamerson of Cleburn visited with the T.A. Weaver's this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Whiteside and baby son have moved to Sipe Springs. We are happy to have them in our midst and we hope them much happiness here.

WORD of GOD

Praise the Lord!

Let the people praise thee, O God; let all the people praise thee.

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Psalm 67:3,4

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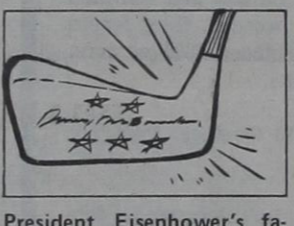
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By Ace Reid

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Facts About The **BIBLE** BY JOHN LEHTI

"SING UNTO THE LORD!"

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Thursday, February 25, 1982

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Commentary

OBITUARY

Annie Gotcher

The word "heart" refers to the center of man's being, which is his spirit. Now the writer of the Proverbs, inspired of the Holy Spirit, is saying the same thing that Jesus said, "The good things come out of your heart," or out of your spirit. Prov. 4:20-23. Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life." Verse 24 says, "Put away from thee a froward mouth, and preverse lips put far from thee," or speaking contrary to what the Word says, for the **WORD IS THE WISDOM OF GOD. GOD'S WORD IS HIS WISDOM** (1 Corinthians 1:30) **WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE**—"Thou art snared with the words of thy mouth..." (Proverbs 6:2-3). We need to notice what the word says about the mouth and the tongue. "The mouth of a righteous man is a well of life..." (Prov. 10:11). Verses 21 and 24 say, "The lips of the righteous feed many; but fools die for want of wisdom. The fear of the wicked, it shall come upon him; but the desires of the righteous shall be granted." The thing you fear will come upon you. Fear will activate satan. Job activated satan by his fear, the thing which I greatly feared is come upon me, (Job 3:25). The active faith in the word brings God on the scene. Fear brings satan on the scene. The mouth of the just bringeth forth wisdom; but the froward tongue shall be cut out. The lips of the righteous know what is acceptable. (Prov. 10:31-32). Now notice with me in Proverbs 11:11, "By the blessing of the upright the city is exalted: but it is overthrown by the mouth of the wicked." The wicked have talked against our nation, and I'll tell you a lot of Christians have done the same. Friends let us pray for our nation's leaders instead of bad mouthing them. God said to pray for them, that we might dwell in peace. God puts the man that he wants in offices or they would not be there. And who are we to talk against what God knows is best. No matter who is in the President's chair, God says I will set up whom I will and I will tear down whom I choose, it doesn't matter what man thinks. God still knows best.

Annie Beulah Gotcher, 83, of Rising Star, died at 11:28 p.m. Saturday at Rising Star Nursing Center. Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Monday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. John G. Lee officiated, assisted by the Rev. Dick Williams. Burial was in Blake Cemetery.

She was born March 27, 1898, in Eastland County. She married Charles Gotcher in Dec. 1917, in Brown County. She was a homemaker and member of Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son, Eldon Gotcher of Brownwood; a daughter, Ione White of Rising Star; two sisters, Della Roberts and Hetty Hastings, both of Rising Star; three grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Letters To The Editor

The Random House Dictionary defines PRIDE this way: "the state or feeling of being proud."

In casting a critical but friendly eye over the town of Rising Star I wonder how and where to apply that word.

My critical eye sees peeling paint and abandoned buildings, uneven sidewalks and ragged weeds, pot holes and potheads. And I am tempted to remain here and hurl barbs and criticisms at our inadequacies.

But my friendly eye finds enough and more to satisfy my need to feel PRIDE in my town.

I see new businesses and am proud of them all. Karla Murdoch (Trails West) and Danny Medley (Conoco Station) provide us good examples of young people who have invested time and energy into a business and in so doing have upgraded the appearance of our town. Thanks and Congratulations!

We can all feel proud that after long years of being the sole provider of medical services to our town Dr. Carpenter now has a fellow practitioner in town in the person of Dr. Palisoc. Welcome to Rising Star, Doctor.

The Music Department at school is a source of pride to this parent: it has come far under the skillful and dedicated professionalism of Billie Zellman. Laurels to Billie!

Let us always be self-critical lest we become complacent and moss over like the turtle. Let us get out our paint cans, pick up our trash, sweep our streets and prune our trees. But let us not ever forget that kind hearts and helpful hands make the soul of the community whereas its physical appearance only makes the face of it. Joyce Baker

Methodist Women Met

The United Methodist Women of the United Methodist Church met February 22nd at 2:30 P.M. to continue the bible study of Isaiah. Eight were present.

Mrs. Yvonne Williams was in charge of the program. Mrs. James Armstrong presided. Mrs.

Grace McAndrews gave the invocation. Mrs. Williams subjects on the study were: God's Creation, Redeemer as Creator, and the New Creation. Scriptures were read from Isaiah pertaining to lesson subjects. The Society Benediction was repeated in unison.

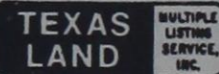
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Pioneer News

By Mabel Halsell

I promised some comments on "How to Quilt" for this column. I didn't remember that it would be in this month so I have to "put that on the back burner" for this time.

Some teachers of the late forties and earlier made much use of the historical events of each month as it came. Lessons in citizenship along with "Readin, Ritin and Rithmetic, art and music were correlated into units of study with special days, events of the month being the focus for learning.

Emphasis in February was on the birthdays of George Washington, Abraham Lincoln as well as Valentines Day. With some time being given to birthdays of Longfellow, Sidney Lanier, Charles Lindbergh, Victor Hugo, Thomas Edison, Babe Ruth, James Russel Lowell, Buffalo Bill and others according to the grade level.

Today, Feb. 22nd is the date of George Washington's birth two hundred and fifty years ago. Those two important events and Februarys being Valentine month gave teachers much to emphasize. Silhouettes, quotes, booklets, pictures, calenders, the flag, games and sometimes the sand-table were media for pupil participation and expression...

Only a brief outline can be given here of the life and works of the first President of the United States. He was born in Westmorland Co. Va., in 1732. In due time, at the death of his father and his brother, he became owner and manager of Mt Vernon. He divided his large farm into smaller farms, each with a manager. Here he spent the happiest days of his life, leaving it only to serve his country.

He raised horses, mules, sheep and cattle, besides his crops. He housed his animals in barns of his own design and construction; one an octagonal shaped barn which showed his talent as an architect.

His farm managers were required to keep records on worth of fleece, mutton and tallow, along with records of feeding costs. By such records he could determine if there were more profits in selling animals on foot or to butcher and the meat.

He was the first farmer to raise mules in America. He was the first to improve the breeds of hogs. He crossed the Razor back hog with the Guinea hogs and by selection he produced the first market type hog.

We could forget our wonderful heritage if we do not remember

the great contributions of Washington and other statesmen at the time of the burning and nurturing of our wonderful country. First as Commander-in-chief of the American Army, President of the First Continental Congress then in 1789 becoming our first President.

Among the many firsts—"First in War, First in Peace and First in the hearts of his countrymen—" we find that he was also first in farming also. His success in almost everything he undertook was due to his scrupulous attention to detail; he showed this in being a general, a statesman and a farmer.

He died Dec. 14, 1799, from an attack of Quinsy due to exposure in severe cold. His wife, Martha, his beloved servant and his secretary were by his side. Had he lived eighteen more days he could have ushered in the new Century.

Washington stated in his Farewell Address, that in regard to foreign nations, in extending our commercial relations, to have as little political connection as possible. One of his rules of civility, written when he was fifteen years old was: "Be not curious to know the affairs of others neither approach those that speak in private."

Mrs. Ethel Brown's visitors were Sec. of State Rodney Quinn, wife Melba, and daughter Kally spent

Tuesday night. Melba is Ethel's cousin. Other visitors were Cora Howland, Cross Plains, Cole and Helen Tittotson, Annie Laurie Alexander, Mable Halsell, Mrs. Lavonne White and Kathleen Hardesty of Rising Star. Mrs. Merle Schooler of O'Donnell, Agnes Bascom, Lamesa, and Mrs. Daniels, daughter Bonnie from Vincent and Lou Grider.

Mrs. Brown visited Mrs. Dean of Rising Star, on Saturday, also Mrs. Moxelle Rhymes of Gorman and Mrs. Boyle Birchfield of Cross Plains were visitors over the week.

Rev. Audy Cathy, daughter and husband, Heather of the Cook Community visited Alma and Josie Morris recently. Other visitors were Sybil Brown, son Wesley and daughter Sherry Benet and little daughter. Mrs. W.A. Morris and sons Bert and Jeff of Stephenville. Mrs. Truitt Parsons and Mrs. Laqita Rankin of Pioneer.

Mrs. Calvin Roady attended the Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Smoot on Sunday. Her visitors during the week were, Mrs. Bobby Holder and children. Chuckie and Mackie of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roady, daughter Cindy and little son Charley and Mrs. Sue McNeil of Baird.

Bee Beddington returned to her home

in Artesia, N.M. after spending the week with her sister, Jean Fore and Pete. Her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Beddingfield, came for her after they had spent the week in Houston, where he attended school.

Rev. Purvis of Granville Gap visited Jean and Pete Fore Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow, Pete and Jean, were in Abilene, Saturday, where Paul attended Bus Driving School.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Parrish were Gormond Parrish of Cross Plains and Raymond Parrish of Arlington; also her sister, Mrs. Eunice Marsh of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hutchins were visitors in their parental homes, Mr. and Mrs. John Burleson and Mr. and Mrs. Tuffy Hutchins during the weekend. A family dinner was given on Sunday at the John Burleson home. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Burleson of DeLeon, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins and Mr. and Mrs. Cole Tillotson.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Halsell were their daughter and husband Drs. Lou and Charles Rodenberger of Bryan. A birthday dinner was hosted at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Halsell, on Tuesday, for Mr. and Mrs. Cole Tillotson. Another guest was Mrs. Clara Coburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster's sons and their wives, Charles and Lucille, Eugene and Norma, reroofed the north side of their home on Saturday. Mr. Foster's brother, Mr. A.B. Foster of Clyde is seriously ill in the hospital at Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Sessums Jr. visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sessums. They live in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sessums and Dorothy Zedlitz attended the Cattle Auction in Comanche on Saturday.

Mrs. Loma Atwood is spending a few days with her daughters in Abilene. She left the hospital recently and is feeling fairly well.

Mrs. Mae Jones of Corpus Christi visited her mother Mrs. Annie Laurie Alexander and her brother, James and Jean last weekend.

Mrs. Halsell visited

with Grace Morrison in Rising Star recently. There is always much talk about when we visit. Grace was a neighbor and school mate in Rising Star.

May School Board Holds Meeting

The May School Board met in a regular session at 7:00 p.m., Feb. 11, 1982, in the May Home Economics Building. Members present were Royce Kilgo, Clayton Chambers, Eddie Hardy, Mike Hardwick, Jerry Lindley, and Tommy Petross with Wayne Pittman presiding. Superintendent Don Rhodes and Principals Ronnie Watkins and Grayum Hart also attended.

Contracts on Principals Hart and Watkins were renewed after evaluations were reviewed.

Contracts on Coaches McKin-

nerney, Hart, and Watkins were renewed after evaluations were reviewed.

Also, Mr. Rhodes' Superintendent's contract was renewed following an evaluation.

The resignation of Mrs. Barbara Sowell as science teacher was considered and approved.

The Board reviewed all teacher evaluations which will be acted on at the next regularly scheduled meeting on March 11, 1982.

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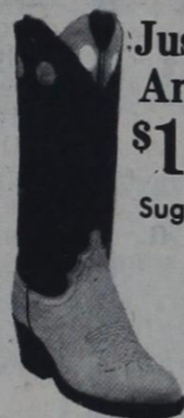
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