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Wildcats Fall Under Buffalo Hooves

The Rising Star Wildcats traveled to Cross Plains Friday to take on the 8-2A Buffaloes. Rising Star's Reil Barron returned Cross Plains opening kick off for 25 yards but the Cats' drive was stopped when we came up empty handed on a fourth down pass attempt. Eight plays later Cross Plain's Darin Apple ran 15 yards for the touchdown. Apple's PAT was no good and with 5:44 left in the first quarter Cross Plains led 6-0.

Once again Wildcat Reil Barron had a good kick return, this one was good for 87 yards! The Cats took over on Cross Plains 10 yard line and three short plays later fullback Stacy Green scored from one yard out. Green's PAT was good and the Wildcats led 7-0 with 3:44 left on the first quarter.

The lead changed hands once again when Buffalo Darin Apple ran 27 yards for a touchdown. Cross Plains' try for two points failed when cornerback Kerry Hill stopped the Buffs short. The

first quarter ended with Cross Plains 12, Rising Star 7.

In the second quarter Cross Plains capitalized on a Wildcat fumble on the Cat 47 yard line. Buffalo Bill Johnson ran 12 yards to the end zone. Once again the PAT by Apple was no good and the score was 18-7 Cross Plains.

On Cross Plains' next drive defensive lineman Lupe Pavon hit the quarterback and linebacker Stacy Green came up with his first interception of the season on the Cats' 14 yard line. The Cats' offense marched down the field and tailback Derrick White drove in for what appeared to be a touchdown; however, the officials saw differently. The next play fullback Stacy Green punched the ball over the end zone and this time everyone agreed - touchdown! Green's PAT was off and with 6:39 before half the score was Cross Plains 18, Rising Star 13.

Even though defensive end

James Holman was able to sack the quarterback on Cross Plains' next offensive drive, the Buffaloes scored on an Apple 12 yard run with

only 54 seconds before half. The run for extra points failed again. Half-time score was Cross Plains 24, Rising Star 13.

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Enrollment Is Up in May Schools

The 1987-88 school year is in full swing for the May Independent School District. Enrollment is standing at 249 students with an increase in high school of 20 students from the number completing the spring 1987 semester. The May Tigers have two football victories to their credit and host Panther Creek Friday night, September 18, at 8 p.m. in District play.

The administrators for the school district this year are Don Rhodes, Superintendent; Ronnie Watkins, High School Principal; and Don Lee, Elementary Principal.

Returning high school faculty members are Bo Allen, Vocational Agriculture; Cindy Greenlee, Business; Teresa Guess, English; Monty Jones, Head Basketball Coach and Language Arts; Robin Nance, Mathematics; Donald Penn, Science; Shirley Petty, Home Economics. Additions to the 1987-88 high school faculty are Mitch Lee, Head Football Coach and Social Studies, and Robbye Fullen, Spanish. Ms. Petty is the high school drill team sponsor.

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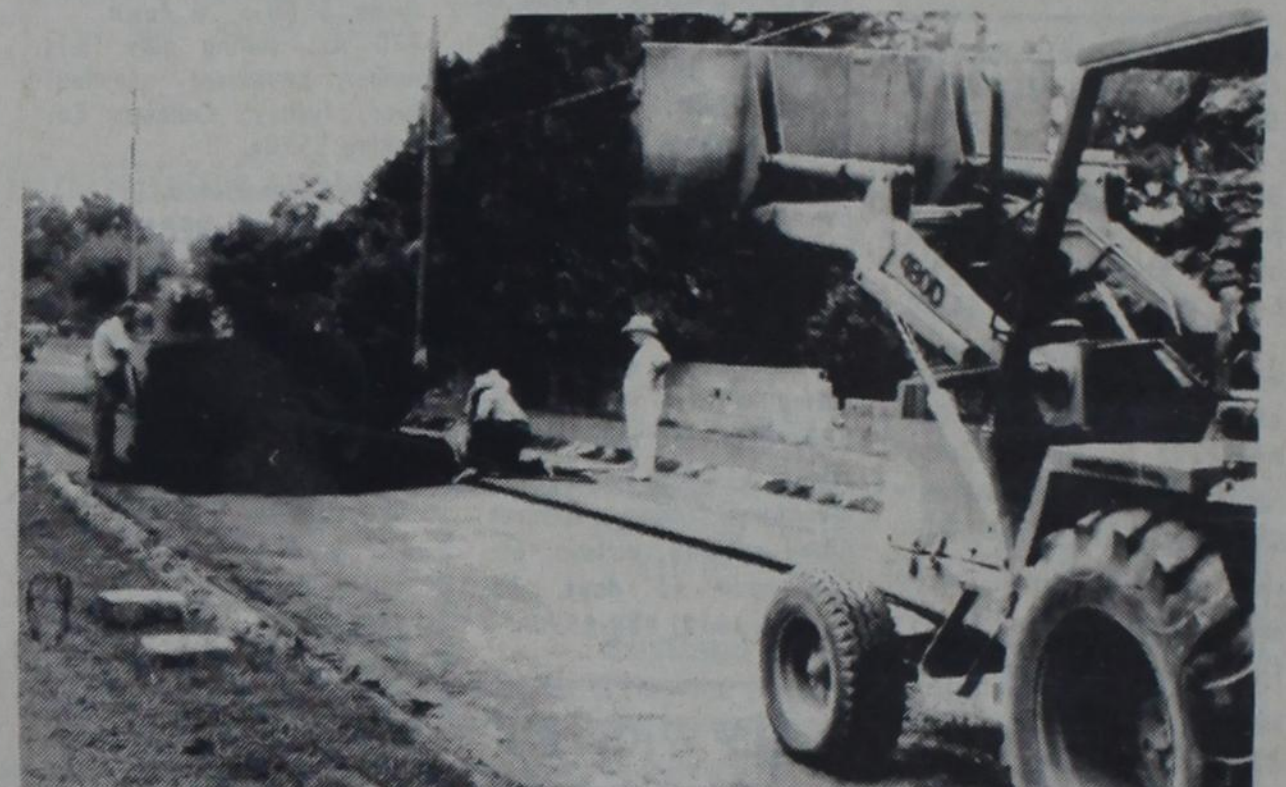
N. Anderson St. Being Paved

Long Awaited Wish Is Fulfilled

If the weather hadn't interfered last week, parents of Rising Star school children would have been using a newly paved North Anderson Street in transporting their children to the Ward School. After making good progress in preparing the road bed and beginning the laying of the hot asphalt mix, city crews and the firm of Bill Walters & Sons Paving were kept from completing the project by rain and threat of rain.

The loads of hot asphalt mix must be ordered or canceled at 7 a.m. and that is the time we either have had rain or it really looked as though it would rain.

The City of Rising Star is funding the paving project with money from the federal Revenue Sharing program. The paving will serve a large portion of the community, for N. Anderson is heavily traveled. The local bank is on one end of the paving project and the grade school and cafeteria on the other end, which is as far as funds would allow the paving to go.



Work on paving N. Anderson St. came to a temporary halt when a machine needed repair. Rainy weather brought a more lasting delay to the completion of the work by Bill Walters & Sons.

In addition to the automobile traffic on N. Anderson St., many children walk along the street to and from school. After witness-

ing two school children being almost run over on the street, one of the city officials suggested to the council that the speed limit be lowered on the street. On September 8 Rising Star City Council voted to set the speed limit at 20 mph on N. Anderson St. and signs will

soon be posted to that effect. All motorists are encouraged to take note of this change and obey the new law. "It will be enforced," stated city officials.

Another reason for changing the speed limit is the problem which rainfall will

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New Farm & Ranch Supply Opens

Rising Star Farm & Ranch Supply, the community's news business, opened its doors to the public on Monday. The supply store is located in the Bramlett Implement building a mile east of Rising Star on Highway 36. The telephone number is 643-5614.

John T. Brown of Gorman is providing his Rising Star area customers with a shopping spot closer to home. Brown owns Brown's Feed Store in Gorman and Eastland Farm & Ranch Supply in Eastland. He welcomes all area customers to the new business location.

Managing the store for Brown is Gary Mauney who has had seven years' experience in the business. Mauney grew up on a farm and is familiar with the farm

and ranch owners' needs. A supply of feed is already on hand and more merchandise is arriving right away. The supply store will handle feed, seed, fertilizer, chemicals, plows, sweeps, discs, shares and other farm supplies. They will carry animal health supplies and lawn and garden products.

Future plans for the business include the possibility of installing a seed cleaner and buying peanuts. The farm supply needs will be expanded and perhaps will include tires for farm use.

Mauney noted that Rising Star Farm & Ranch Supply will specialize in custom fertilizer application.

He invites area farmers and ranchers to stop by and let him help with the supplies you need.



Gary Mauney

Fire Station Is Goal

Door-to-Door Campaign Begins in May Monday

The door-to-door campaign to raise funds to renovate a building to house the fire trucks in May will begin Monday, September 21, and continue through the end of the month.

Workers will meet at the Fire Department at 8 a.m. May Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary was organized in June and made its first goal to raise funds

City Will Collect Taxes Locally

The Rising Star City Council held a called meeting September 10 at 1:12 p.m. to make a decision about the collection of City taxes. Present for the meeting were Mayor Henry Burk and councilmen Pete Starks, James Cook, Clinton Crisp and Cole White; Tom Bailey was absent.

For the convenience of Rising Star taxpayers the council decided that City

taxes will be collected at the Police Station office until January 1, 1988. The motion, made by Starks and seconded by White, passed unanimously. The office will be open on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

A motion by Cook, seconded by White, that the City the September 88 assessment to Eastland County Dispatch in October, 1987 in order to pay for radio equipment carried unanimously.

Super Advertising Rates

"All aboard—
"THE TWIN-COUNTY EXPRESS is fixin' to run again!"

The special tabloid publication that covers Eastland and Callahan Counties will be distributed during the week of Sept. 21, and the advertising deadline is Friday at 5 p.m. of this week.

With a theme of FALL HARVEST OF VALUES it is an opportunity for merchants to advertise their wares and services at rock-bottom prices, and the widest-possible distribution. The EXPRESS is carried in the five newspapers (Cisco, Eastland, Ranger, Rising Star and Baird) and is placed at FREE pickup points in every town in both counties.

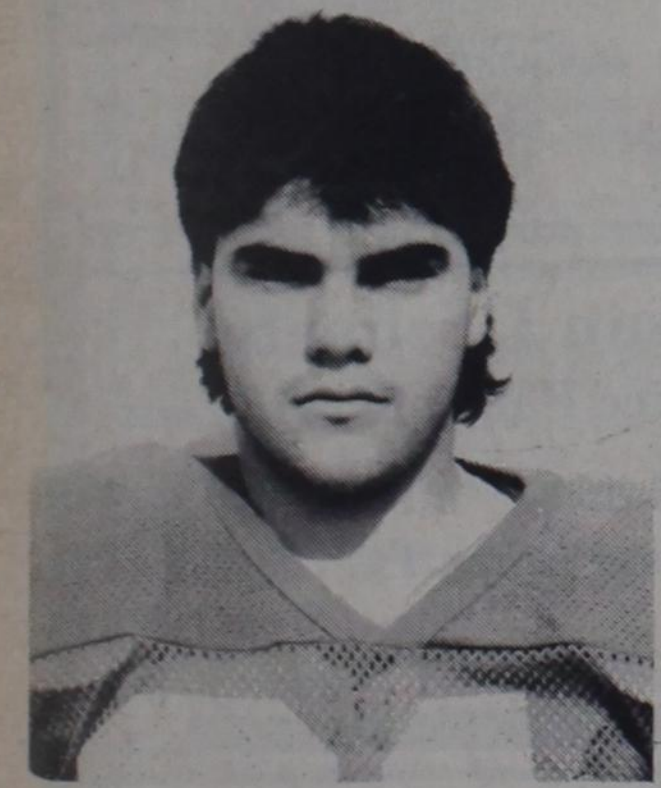
The rates are low and the coverage is complete, so it's an opportunity to strengthen the weak part of the month for merchants.

Space is available in increments of one page, one half, one fourths and one eighth pages. Card ads at \$5. each and classified ads at \$2.00 each, cash in advance, are available. Discounts are also available for display ads paid in advance.

Call today to reserve space:
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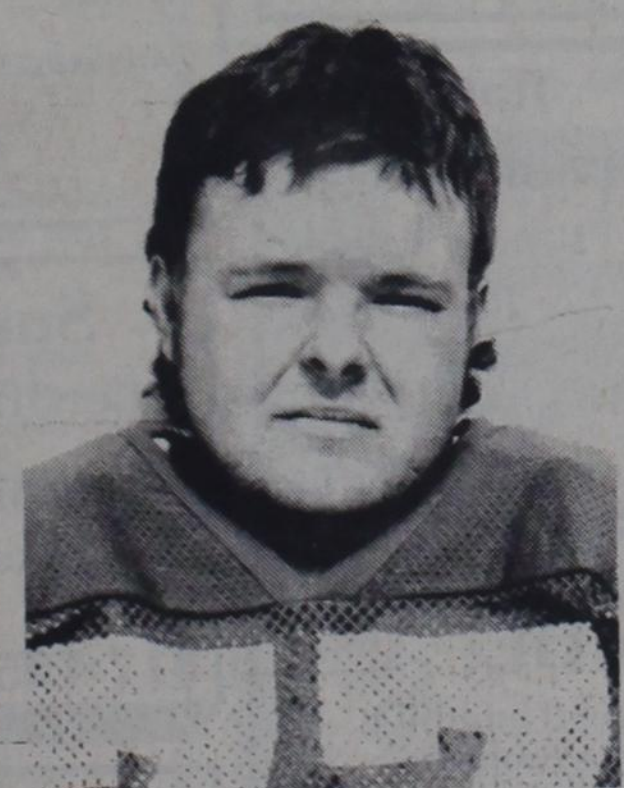
Highlighting the Wildcats

by Ronnie Evans



JOHN FLORES is offensive guard and defensive linebacker on the Wildcat football team. Look for this senior in jersey number 61; he is 5'10" tall and when he plays guard his 205 pounds makes an intimidating statement to the opponents' defense.

This teenager enjoys dating and being out with



friends. He does part time work and is ready to work for anyone!

John is the son of Joe Sr. and Josephine Flores.

CORY ATWOOD wears jersey number 77 and plays defensive tackle on the Wildcat football team. The senior student is 5'10" tall and at 260 pounds adds some

force to those tackles he makes.

In addition to athletics, Cory is active in Future Homemakers of America and enjoys such hobbies as making the drag, does art painting and finds time to work part time for the school.

Cory is the son of Roland and Opal Atwood.

May Methodists Will View Slides of China

The United Methodist Church of May invites everyone for services Sunday, September 20, beginning a 9 a.m.

The ladies of the church

will be in charge of the services. Guest speaker, Mrs. Myrle (Ann) Kelton, will speak about China and show slides made while she was in China.

**Dr. Carpenter's Office
Will Be CLOSED
One Week
Sept. 28-Oct. 2
Open 9 a.m. Oct. 5**

4H Club Meets

The Stars of the Future 4H Club will meet Monday, September 21, at 7 p.m. in the 4H clubhouse at city park. New officers will be installed and plans made for National 4H Week, October 3-10.

If you are interested in joining 4H or being a 4H project leader call organization leaders Shelly Bailey at 643-2732, Rex Long at 643-4927 or Barbara Long at 643-6103. Leaders are needed in clothing, food and nutrition, and horse project areas.

4H is an organization for children eight to 19 years old and promotes healthy life skills, leadership and citizenship. Parents are encouraged to attend meetings and share the 4H fun.

Weather

On Saturday morning Rising Star received .6 inch of rain. West of town .75 inch was reported and Okra was deluged with two inches.

A small amount of rain fell Sunday morning.

Tuesday morning two tenths was reported in town with slightly heavier rainfall reported to the west and north. Several sprinkles occurred later in the day.

community calendar...

- 3rd THURSDAY
Scottish Rite
- AMBULANCE MEETING
The Rising Star ambulance meeting will be Monday, September 21, at the Star Plaza Restaurant at 7 p.m. We need your support!
- 4H MEETING
The Stars of the Future 4H Club will meet Monday, September 21, at 7 p.m. in the 4H clubhouse at city park.
- Commodities
Central Texas Oppor-
- tunities, Inc. will distribute USDA Commodities at Rising Star from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 22, 1987. Items available this month are butter and cheese. All eligible persons will receive emergency food assistance without regard to race, sex, political beliefs, age, national origin, or handicap. Shut-ins are encouraged to designate an authorized representative to pick up for them. Commodities will be distributed on a first come-first serve basis. Volunteers are greatly needed and appreciated to help with this much-needed program.

public notices

The Rising Star ISD is seeking applicants for a vacancy in the maintenance-janitorial department. Interested persons need to contact superintendent Dr. Donald E. Bryan at 817-643-2717 or 643-1981. Deadline for receiving applications is September 25, 1987.

FOR SALE-- Old Cisco Chamber of Commerce office, 619 Conrad Milton Avenue, Cisco. Chamber will accept sealed bids until Friday, September 25, at 5 p.m. Drop off bids or mail to 309 Conrad Milton Avenue, Cisco, Tx. 76437. RS38

FOR SALE

OAT & WHEAT SEED for sale. Call nights (915) 624-5245 in Burkett. 37-40

BLACK EYE PEAS \$3.30 per pound you pick 7 miles south of May. Herschel Wheeler 915 646-5796. 38-40

Wizard REFRIGERATOR for sale at 114 S. Miller st. Call 643-2723 38

HALF PRICE! Flashing arrow signs \$299! Lighted, non-arrow \$289! Unlighted \$249! Free letters! See locally. Call today! Factory: 1 (800) 423-0163, anytime. RS38

LADIES CHAMBRAY BLOUSES, assorted stripes, \$16.99. Johnson's Dry Goods, Cross Plains 38

LEE DENIM SKIRTS, drop waist, sizes 8-18, \$26.99. Johnson's Dry Goods, Cross Plains 38

CLEARANCE SALE Bedroom suite, triple dresser, night stand, bed; exercise bicycle, crochet collars, black & white used TVs, stuffed chairs. Dad's Doo-Dads, 36W, Rising Star. 38

For sale 1 new single barrel 20 gauge SHOTGUN at 208 N. Brewster. Call 643-7316. 38

FOR SALE 20 hp Johnson motor, 14' Starcraft boat with swivel seats, Dilly tilt trailer. See Monty Jones. 38-52

ALCOHOL OR DRUG problem, come meet with us, Sunday 8 p.m., at the American Legion Hall, AA & NA. For more information call 643-3421 or 643-3310. 38-41

BREAST X RAYS FOR CANCER Mobile X ray unit in RS on Wed., Sept. 30. Will be located at city park. For appointment call 1-800-527-4159. 20 persons or more, discount given. 38

LAST chance to join the "hottest" seasonal party plan in the nation! Be a Christmas Around the World demonstrator. No investment. Free kit! Hiring will end the last of September. Call 817-442-4705. RS38

Brownwood Cattle Auction

The market Sept. 9 was a full \$2 higher on all stocker, feeder & slaughter classes; this was the best all around market of the year. Estimated receipts, 757 head.

Representative Sales: Kathleen Fitzgerald, Bangs, blk wf str, 400-, \$97; H.D. Bradley Estate, Brady, blk hfr, 675, 74; S.R. Sikes, Brownwood, white cow, 1370, 49.25; H.G. West, May, red hfr, 375, 87; Kyle

FOR RENT

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Public Housing Authority has apartments for rent for senior citizens. Equal housing opportunity. 817-643-3812 or 643-6791. RISING STAR

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WORK WANTED Odd jobs, farming. Reasonable and reliable. Call 259-3105. 37-39

LEASES

DEER LEASE 415 acres, deer, turkey, quail. Call (817) 643-3531, J.B. Hunt. 37-38

LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE: Cows and cow-calf pairs. Call 817-481-3285. RS-52

FOR SALE: BRANGUS BULLS. Call 647-1155 or 647-1182 in Ranger. recrsb104

AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION
Open consignment Saturday, September 26, 10 a.m. Four miles west of Cisco, 1-20 Farm Tractors, farm machinery, cons. equipment, trailers, pickups, trucks autos. To consign equipment call Auctioneers Alfred E. Green, 817-442-2306 or Bill Roper 817-442-4665 RS38

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893-2642 DE LEON

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James Smith broker 646-0297

Rising Star

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HOUSE FOR SALE at 207 West Austin. Call James Cook at 643-1144 in Rising Star. 35-38

FOR SALE: Framehouse with 12 acres. Hwy. 80 East in Ranger, near school. Owner will finance. Call 647-1182 or 647-1156. R-41

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OCT. 2-3, 1987

THANK YOU

Thank you very much for the prayers, food, cards, phone calls, flowers and other expressions of love during the passing of our dear mother, Clyde Allen. Your love has been a great comfort to us.
Bo & Pat Allen
R.A. & Betty Blair

Thanks to each who has been concerned about me when and since I had the accident, to the ones who rushed to my rescue, to Curtis Hill and Fred Rabe for the excellent ambulance service and for the cards, calls, visits and food. I will always remember you.

Sincerely,
Nina Grisham

I wish to take this opportunity to extend my most sincere, heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors that expressed their sympathy and get will wishes during my recent stay at the Veterans Hospital in Kerrville. It is very comforting to know that you have such good and faithful friends who think so much of you, especially when you are hospitalized.

My special thanks to the American Legion Post 433 at Rising Star, Butch and Sydney Pharr and all those that sent flowers and cards.

George (Slim) Creech

THANK YOU

We want to extend our thanks and goodwill to our many friends and neighbors who brought food, sent cards and visited during our illness. It was really nice to feel so cared for.
Meritt & Pearle Proctor

Class of 1942 Sets Party Date

The Class of 1942 is planning its 46th homecoming anniversary party for Friday, November 6, at Lakewood Recreation Center.

For more information write to Class of 1942, P.O. Box 851, Rising Star, TX 76471 or phone Franches Agnew at (817) 643-6759 or Olena Ezzell at (817) 643-4879.

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Write: Lake Lot, Box 29, Eastland, TX 76448

Eastland County Bass Club Invitational Draws A Crowd

By Terry L. Wilson
Sunday, September 13 at Lake Leon the Eastland County Bass Club hosted its largest Invitational to date. 233 Anglers from across the state were on hand for what proved to be an excellent day of fishing. 202 black bass 14 inches or longer were brought to the scales. Most of the anglers who weighed in did have two are more fish. And three anglers were able to obtain full creel limit of 5 fish.

The top 5 results were 1st Butch Willingham, 5 fish, 12.36 pounds; 2nd Scott Pierce, 5 fish, 11.36 pounds; 3rd Bud Wood, 2 fish, 9.37, 4th Ted Hale, 4 fish, 7.37 pounds and 5th Lloyd Waddington, 3 fish, 7.28 pounds. Unfortunately one angler's polygraph was deemed inconclusive by the polygrapher. J.L. Stracner of Abilene was disallowed due to body movement during the exam. The polygraph was given 2 1/2 times with the same results. This event was unfortunate. I'm sure most of you recognize J.L. from previous reports we have carried. This gentlemen is recognized as the angler to beat at most of the

tournaments he enters. But for what ever the reason, if a contestant can not pass the polygraph, tournament officials are required to either disqualify the contestant or disallow his catch.

Thirty-seven Junior Division entrants were on hand this year, and caught some excellent fish. First place was won by Jason Hart, 3 fish, 6.94 pounds, Second place Justin Lawrence, 1 fish 3.79 pounds, Third Sandy Gilly 1 fish 2.12 pounds, and 4th Chance Reid, 1 fish 1.91 pounds.

For Jason's first place finish he received \$250.00. Also a special presentation was awarded from Mepps, a Bass spinner bait kit. Second received \$125.00 along with a LR 9 lightening rod compliments of Berkley Trilene and their Ambassador James Fullen. Third place received \$75.00, Fourth place \$50.00. Each youth who did not place in the tournament was eligible for a cash drawing compliments of American Legion Post 553 Eastland County. The winners received \$60.00 and \$40.00. Also the juniors were treated to prizes simply for signing up, and again at

weigh-in for the non winners. These kids names were drawn from the hat for an excellent variety of prizes. These prizes were sponsored in part by Berkley Trilene, Mepps, Outdoors Unlimited and Fishing Outdoors.

Many of you are probably wondering what was done with all these largemouth lunkers which were caught. A mere 16 fish were dead. The remainder were chemically treated and released back into the lake. Live release is a requirement in all Eastland County Bass Club tournaments. Thank you gentlemen for your efforts to preserve our fisheries for future generations.

Big Bass honors were won by First place Bud Wood, 6.78, Second Marlyn Moore 3.92, Third J.G. Moore, 3.86. These gentlemen had a 50, 30, and 20 percent split respectively.

Congratulations to all this years winners and for the rest, theres always next year the second weekend of September on Lake Leon.

Don't forget Brown County Opend Lake Brownwood September 20, 1987. Hope to see you all there.



Winners in the Senior Division of the 12th Annual Eastland County Bass Tournament were: (r to l) First Place, Butch Willingham, Second Place, Scott Pierce, Third Place, Bud Wood, Fifth Place, Lloyd Waddington, and Fourth Place, Ted Hale.



Junior Division winners in the 12th Annual Eastland County Bass Club Tournament were: (l to r) Second Place, Justin Lawrence; Third Place, Sandy Gilly; First Place, Jason Hart; and Fourth Place, Chance Reid.

Mangum Baptist Church Celebrate Homecoming

Mangum Baptist Church will celebrate its 83rd anniversary Sunday, Sept. 20 with its annual homecoming.

Pastor of Mangum Baptist Church is Dwayne Clower of Carbon. He came here in 1979 from Sweetwater with his wife, Angela, and two children; a son, Keith - a

freshman this year at Hardin-Simmons University and a daughter, Wendy - a sophomore at Carbon High School.

Guest speaker for the homecoming will be John Taylor, pastor of Plainview Baptist Church in Colorado City, Texas and a former

member of Mangum Baptist Church. Rev. Taylor surrendered to the ministry while at Mangum Baptist Church.

In charge of the morning service will be Luce Pittman leading the singing and Flo Clark playing the piano.

The homecoming services begin at 11:00 a.m. There will be no Sunday School that day. Dinner on the grounds will follow the 11:00 services with services starting again at 1:30 p.m. These services include singing and testimonies and will last until 3:30. There will be no evening service this one day only.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Bowling Report

Wednesday Night Ladies League

Week of Sept. 9, 1987

TEAM STANDINGS

1. Moore Properties 4137 Pins; Won 12; Lost 4

2. Team No. 7 4070 Pins; Won 12; Lost 4

3. Altman's Style Shop 4241 Pins; Won 10; Lost 6

4. Mitchell Electric 4197 Pins; Won 6; Lost 10

5. Bagwell Motor Company 3837 Pins; Won 6; Lost 10

6. Beaty/Talley Travel 3702 Pins; Won 4; Lost 12

7. Quetta's Dress Shop 3579 Pins; Won 4; Lost 12

SPLITS CONVERTED

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Della Cass 3-10

Carolyn Bussell 4-7

Lennie Koen 9-10

HIGH SCRATCH IND. GAME

1. Carolyn Bussell 191

2. Connie Pattan 190

3. Jenny Lawrence 186

HIGH SCRATCH IND. SERIES

1. Carolyn Bussell 524

2. Linda Clark 502

3. Connie Patton 499

HIGH SCRATCH TEAM GAME

1. Moore Prop. 769

2. Team No. 7 764

3. Altman's 757

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Woman Returns From Mary Kay Seminar

DALLAS-Dessie Hooks of Olden, an independent Beauty Consultant for Mary Kay Cosmetics, has just returned home from three days of intensive sales and product training in Dallas as a participant in Mary Kay's 1987 National Seminar.

More than 25,000 independent beauty consultants and sales directors flocked to Dallas between July 16 and July 29 to attend one of four consecutive three-day meetings. In keeping with the company's commitment to recognize outstanding business women, this year's multi-million dollar seminar was appropriately entitled "Success Express!"

To enable Dessie, who joined Mary Kay in Sept. 1983, to build her Mary Kay business in the months ahead, dozens of specialized classes were held each day in product knowledge, Color Awareness, sales training, business management, goal setting and other valuable tools for business success.

Besides intensive training, company founder and Chairman of the Board Mary Kay Ash also uses the annual meeting to personally

reward and recognize the outstanding achievers of the past year. During four identical Awards Night extravaganzas, the company distributed more than a million dollars in fur coats and jackets, luxury vacations, shopping sprees and gold and diamond jewelry.

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Eastland County Has \$51 Million In Sales

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Neighboring Erath county, with 50 more outlets (581) had only some \$2 million (\$53,738,410.00) more.

Stephens County's 321 outlets had \$20,206,529.00 for the first three months.

Comanche County, with 309 outlets, had \$28,847,787.00.

Callahan County (also on

I-20) with its 267 outlets, had \$10,156,091.00.

Brown County with 778 outlets had \$67,515,115.00.

Coleman County, with 237 outlets, had \$12,759,052.00.

Palo Pinto County, with 650 outlets, had \$56,903,183.00.

Registration Continues For Guys And Dolls Golf Tournament

Early registrations indicate that the annual Guys and Dolls golf tournament scheduled Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 19 and 20, at Lakewood Recreation Center between Cross Plains and Rising Star, may enjoy its largest field in history.

Teams are already assured from: Baird, Clyde, Cisco, Abilene, Houston, Brownwood, Coleman, Cross Plains and Rising Star.

Lakewood committeemen are considering accepting no more than 36 teams. A decision on this matter had not been reached yesterday but some felt that a greater number might overcrowd the nine-hole course.

L.E. Allen, Lakewood president, reports the local facility is in probably its finest condition ever. Recent rains filled the club lake to capacity. Water hazards now come into play on three

of the nine holes. Fairways were being manicured yesterday in preparation for first round play Saturday morning.

A fish fry for golfers will be held in the clubhouse Saturday night. Arrangements are being made to accommodate others who may wish to attend. Plates will be available at \$4 each.

Cash prizes will be awarded winners and runners-up in all flights. Golf merchandise will be given winner of a closest-to-the-pin contest and also for the longest drive in the fairway.

Entry fee is \$70 per couple. There will be no admission charge to spectators who may wish to watch the play.

Fiddler's Contest To Be Held At Roaring Ranger

The Roaring Ranger Day Fiddler's Contest will be held at 4 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 26.

There will be 3 age groups: 0-15; 16-59; 60 and over. Cash prizes will be awarded in each category.

Registration begins at 3:30 p.m. in front of the Gholson Hotel, downtown Ranger.

For more information, call

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Senior Center News

Due to my not being able to attend Thursday's luncheon, the news is short.

Doris Sue Braungardt of Fort Worth spent Sunday with her mother, Hazel McCollum and attended morning services at the Methodist Church and the funeral services for May Claborn in the afternoon.

Berna Lee Chick reports a busy summer. She and her daughters traveled over the Western United States and relatives came from California for a visit. Granddaughters also spent the summer. It's good to get back to normal again, she said.

Netha Carouth and son of Cross Plains spent Wednesday with her mother-in-law. Rickey came today to fix a door for his mom.

Marion West is reported ill; we hope you the best.

Betty Raybon and I visited the Cisco Senior musical Saturday night. She ate lunch with me Sunday and went to Brownwood on a business trip.

Dell Bible's daughter and granddaughter of Dallas visited her last weekend. Dell returned to her doctor in Abilene Tuesday but has no word on her test results. She will return the 18th for more tests. Get well soon, Dell.

Nursing Center News

Peggy Goodman

Activity Director

Van ride-Residents enjoyed a van ride with Nancy Jackson last Thursday afternoon. The route included country roads out toward Amity and then east on 36. We got a good look at the peanut crops along the way and reminisced about the "old days" around Amity and the area. Those who went along for the ride were Maggie Christian, Mary Crisp, Vera Forbes, Joe Fox, Jewel Harrell, Pauline Hill, Lila Jarrett, Myrtle Killion, Ethel Moore and Snova Walker. Many thanks to Nancy and the First Baptist Church for a great afternoon.

Bible study-Roger Barron, minister from the church of Christ, is conducting a Bible study with residents on Friday mornings at 10. Several have commented on how much they have enjoyed the study and welcome others to attend.

Church services-Services were held this past Sunday by E.B. Elswick and members of the Methodist church. Rev. Don Longoria and members of the May First Baptist Church will be here next Sunday at 3.

Thank you-We regret that Dorothy Reynolds is no longer able to be with us on Tuesday afternoons. Dorothy has been leading the singing at our weekly Bible study for many years. She is a dear friend to us all and will be missed. All of us here just want to say, thank you, Dorothy, for your years of dedication and friendship.

Our thanks to Mr. Thomas Busbee for his donation of watermelons last week. Also, to Mrs. Barnes for her donation of clothing.

Bingo-Those who played bingo this past week were Grace Goss, Robbie Henderson, Annie Mae Selman, Snova Walker, Joe Fox, Vera Forbes, Pauline Hill, Mary Crisp, Martha Irby, Buster Rixford and Jewel Harrell. Special thanks to Buster for running the show in my absence on Monday.

Visitors-Visiting Mary Crisp were Dawn Pacek of Pearland, Alissa Menne of Bartlett, Tennessee and Mrs. Horace Geyer of Rising Star.

Visiting Martha Irby were her sister, Pearl Crudgington and nieces, Doris and Barbara, all from Breckenridge.

COMMENTARY

Myrtle Owen

Continued from last week

Dear reader, be honest with yourself. Is it fear, jealousy, hate, wrath, evil thoughts? Do you have to admit that evil desires rule your heart, and daily the worries and the guilt which face you threaten to destroy you? You know, it is really true. You are a poor sinner! There is no need to hide behind your Christian church, your traditional Christianity, for the devil himself does not mind at all if you remain a church member in good standing but without a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus. One the enemy does not want: namely, the fulfillment of the Scripture such as Col. 3:15, "Let the peace of God rule in your hearts." Because whenever the peace of God rule in your heart and life, then you have been liberated from all resignation, from all the complications of your own created philosophies, and you are free to serve a living and

soon-returning God. Then the dynamic power of God becomes effective in your life. It is the peace of God with its unlimited power that will enable you to live a life purposefully for God, because you entire life will then be aimed at God. Today, do not postpone your decision for Jesus Christ. Remember, it may indeed be too late tomorrow. Make use of it today, because if you really want the peace of God in your heart, then you must prepare now. There must be a change of authority in your heart and that change will determine eternity.

To put it briefly, you either will spend eternity in everlasting, never-ending punishment or in never-ending eternal glory with your Lord. Therefore today, come to Him and in simple words tell Him, "Lord Jesus, come into my heart. Take over the rulership of my life. I am today surrendering it to you. Beginning now, you shall be my 'Prince of Peace.'"

Church of Christ

Roger S. Barron, evangelist

OBSERVATIONS ON THE BIBLE

1. Accept no book but the Bible, no creed but the Christ, no name but the divine name. (Read 2 Tim. 3:16,17; Matt. 28:18-20; Mark 16:15,16; 1 Pet. 4:16; Rom. 16:16).
2. Is your rule of faith and practice the new testament or the creeds of men? (See Matt. 15:9).
3. Why should Christians want any creed but the inspired word of God? If a creed contains less than the Scriptures, it does not contain enough: If it contains more, it contains too much. If it contains the same as the Scriptures, we do not need it, because we have the Scriptures. Read Prov. 30:5,6.
4. Let us do Bible things in Bible ways, and call Bible things by Bible names. (See Isaiah 55:8,9; 2 Tim. 1:13).
5. Are you a member of the church you can read about in the Bible?
6. The name "Christian" is the only distinctive, religious

proper name for God's people today, in the Bible. Why be satisfied with denominational names originating with men?

7. Is scriptural "baptism" sprinkling, pouring, or immersion? What does the Bible say? "Prove all things; hold fast that which is good." (1 Thess. 5:21).

8. Is baptism essential to salvation? Let the Bible answer. (Read Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; Acts 22:16; Gal. 3:26,27).

9. Is church attendance essential? Turn in your Bible to Heb. 10:25-31 and read the fearful warning about the danger of forsaking the assembly.

10. When we go beyond the doctrine of Christ, we have neither God nor Christ. (2 John 9; 1 Cor. 4:6; Matt. 15:9; 1 Cor. 14:37). All of the doctrine of Christ, that we can know, is in the Bible.

We welcome your comments and inquiries

May Methodist Women

The Ada Prentice Chapter of May United Methodist Women met at noon Monday in the Friendship Hall of the church.

Opal Erwin was study chairman for the lesson taken from the first chapter of Mark. Mrs. Erwin gave

some background information on the life of Mark.

Others attending and taking part in the study were Betty Hickley, Bea Kelton, Grace Glenn and Vina Mae McAden.

The next meeting will be Monday beginning with a covered dish meal at noon.

Sipe Springs News

The musical at the Sipe Springs Community Center Saturday night was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Angela Richards and son visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wyatt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane Cotter of Baird and Bud Cotter of De Leon visited the Jack Millwee family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Callaway and children of Jal, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Skippy Morgan and Julie Morgan of Odessa and Margaret Schooler and son John of Moran spent Labor Day weekend with the N.L. Leonards.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Graham and Mollie Franklin attended a musical at Desdemona Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith attended funeral services for his grandmother, Lena Smith, in Brownwood Tuesday. Our sympathy is extended to them and the family.

Covie Weaver and son David and Dr. Haley and son of Garland spent Labor Day weekend with the T.A. Weavers.

Mrs. Elton Richardson of Levelland and Mrs. Winona Harrison of De Leon visited the Dick Wyatts and N.L. Leonards Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruby Boswell of Whitney visited friends here this weekend.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

Eastern Star Chapter No. 277 met September 7 for a stated meeting. The 15 members present had a busy meeting. Among the things to do was voting to raise dues from \$5 to \$10 a year.

We discussed who would go to Grand Chapter in Dallas on October 22, 23 and 24. No one was willing to go.

Six from our chapter went to Eastland August 12 for drill practice.

Hostesses for the meeting were Celestine Carleton and myself.

Worthy Matron, Goldia Lancaster

PERSONALS

people in the news ...

Bart Butler of Corpus Christi is at the University of Texas at Austin this week with a group sponsored by the American Legion, learning about how our government is run.

Bart, a senior in high school, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Butler and the grandson of Hazel Marsh of Cross Plains.

Bufford and Velma Carr have returned from an enjoyable week in the cool pines at Ruidosa, N.M., where they visited with family members and attended the horse races.

Others there were Terry, Beth and Kyle Carr of Odessa; Kim Carr of Newport Beach, Calif.; Buff, Jo and Courtney Carr of San Angelo; and Glen Elliott of Midland.

Obituaries

Velma Marsh

Services for Velma Marsh, 76, of Lubbock were at 2 p.m. Thursday, August 27, in Franklin-Bartley Chapel with the Rev. Cleve Haley, pastor of Oakwood Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Mausoleum under the direction of Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home.

She died at 8:45 p.m. Tuesday, August 25, in Methodist Hospital after a sudden illness.

She was born in Rising Star and moved to Lubbock in 1946. She married O.T. Marsh on July 30, 1932, in Rising Star. She was a member of Oakwood Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Jan Assiter and Wilda Teague, both of Lubbock; two brothers, Travis Roach of Hamilton and Bob Roach of Dallas; a sister, MacClaire Crownover of Comanche; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. She is the sister-in-law of Lottie Mae Roach of Rising Star.

Rev. V.W. Allen

AMARILLO-Rev. Victor Woodfin Allen, 83, died Tuesday, September 8.

Services were under the direction of Memorial Park Funeral Home.

Reverend Allen, born in Vinita, Oklahoma, had been an Amarillo resident since

Methodist Women

The United Methodist Women met Monday at 2:30 at the church, beginning the new fall season with the Bible study of Mark.

Mrs. James Armstrong presided and Mrs. Maggie Smith gave the opening prayer.

Mrs. Winnie Anderson's birthday was celebrated.

Mrs. James Armstrong opened the study, the first chapter of Mark, "First

1977. He was preceded in death by his wife, Robbie Jewel Allen, in 1987 and a son, Doyle, in 1962. He was a retired Baptist minister who pastored many churches in and around Amarillo and Lubbock for 50 years. He was a member of First Baptist Church and Pastors Association.

Survivors include one son, Grady Allen of Kansas City, Kan.; a brother, Glenn K. of Keys, Calif.; three sisters, Bertha Nelson of Petaluma, Calif., Carrie Hassler of Navato, Calif., and Molly Wright of El Paso; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Claudia Huckabee

FORT WORTH-Claudia C. Huckabee, 90, died Tuesday, September 10, at a Stephenville nursing home.

Services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Stephenville Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Emil Becker officiating. Burial was in the West End Cemetery.

Born in Rising Star, she moved to Fort Worth 40 years ago. She was a member of the Baptist church and a homemaker.

Survivors include a daughter, Louise Loudermilk of Stephenville; a half brother, Irving Boone of Lubbock; a half sister, Dorothy Johnson of Tennessee; a granddaughter; and two great-grandchildren.

Disciples". Others taking part in the reading and discussion of the study were Maggie Smith, Maurine Wells, Elza Witt, Winnie Anderson and May Pearl Hull.

The society benediction in unison was the closing prayer.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served by Winnie Armstrong and Winnie Anderson, hostesses.

Harris Family Reunion

The fourth annual Harris family reunion was held on Sunday, September 6, at the home of David, Shirley, Mikka and Mickey Harris in May. Those present were descendants of V. A. Harris and the late Amy Schooler Harris.

There were 56 family members and two guests present. The eldest present was V.A. Harris, 89, and the youngest was Kyla Crawford, five and a half

months. In addition to those from the host city of May, family members came from Brownwood, Cisco, Priddy, Moran, Plano, Pasadena, Fort Worth and Austin. Covered dish meals were served at lunch and supper.

Activities included using a trampoline, swimming, volleyball, kite flying, horseback riding, picture taking and lots of visiting.

Bowling Report

TUESDAY NIGHT LADIES BOWLING LEAGUE

Sept. 8, 1987

1. First State Bank - Record 8-0; Pins 2825
2. Greer's Dept. Store - Record 8-0; Pins 2808
3. Breckenridge Affiliated - Record 8-0; Pins 2710
4. Lone Cedar Pro Shop - Record 8-0; Pins 2705
5. Cisco Radiator - Record 6-2; Pins 2595
6. Elder Welding - Record 4-4; Pins 2635
7. Yellow Mound - Record 4-4; Pins 2632
8. E.C.B.C. - Record 2-6; Pins 2567
9. The Gusher - Record 0-8; Pins 2659
10. La Mancha Lake - Record 0-8; Pins 2602
11. Ranger Hospital - Record 0-8; Pins 2483

High Individual Game

1. Audrey Rose - 204
2. Hazel Collins - 192
3. Jennie Ewing - 188

High Team Game

1. Greer's Dept. Store - 968
2. Yellow Mound - 972
3. 1st State Bank - 964

High Individual Series

1. Jennie Ewing - 507
2. Cathy Doyle - 502
3. Jo Kesner - 491

High Team Series

1. First State Bank 2825
2. Greer's Dept. Store 2808
3. Breckenridge Affiliated 2710

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A man was sure short handed to have to use me when a cataract on my only eye had me down to shadow vision but so it happened. He, on the other hand was just getting over a heart attack.

Until one experiences something of the sort or age really shapes him, it is hard to understand the frustration of not being able to do what once was easy. That is all the more so when that man was always the wheel-horse on any job and so proud of both strength and ability.

I took hold of the load in a way that had me holding a bit more than half. It was no back breaker anyhow and I was in no strain. Still he seemed to resent being favored. About the third time he belittled that he could handle "his share" of the load I asked if he thought each man should do his half of everything.

When he said, "Your blame right I do," I told him I expected to do my half of the driving into town. To his

reply that I was blind I only informed him that he had heart trouble and if we shared the work equally that should include driving. After a long pause while I wondered if he would fold or fight he said, "Well, you have to accept your limitations and I guess I will have to learn to accept mine. "Pride is sure a hard thing to swallow. Thus we learn that we may have to stand by even feel a bit useless because we can neither know nor do anything.

It is hard to persuade a young man that though strong he should have better judgement that to try to win a kicking contest against a mule. But, Lord, how we miss the robust days of youth. The wisdom not to waste our remaining strength is small compensation and the determination to stay past when the first fatigue places middle age ahead of inexperienced youth but why do some old men refuse to accept that wisdom should replace physical vigor?

Maybe it is because the youths they encounter show less respect for age in this day. Maybe too many try to kid themselves with, "I'm as good a man as I ever was," and being doubted, loose that

due respect.

How does that card read about praying for strength to change what can be changed and brains enough to let be that which can't be changed?

Area Football Scores

Eastland County football teams didn't fare as well this week. Eastland remained undefeated and unscored upon with a 16-0 win over Anson, but Cisco lost to Class AAA Merkel 38-14 and

Ranger was embarrassed by Springtown 49-0.

Rising Star lost to Class AA Cross Plains, a team which appears much stronger this year, 30-21, and Carbon was edged out by

Jonesboro 8-6.

In some area games Breckenridge beat Coleman 28-20, Albany beat Baird 29-6, Point Creek beat Moran 53-6 and Cherokee beat Strawn 55-18.

DeLeon defeated Comanche 28-0, Stamford downed Clyde 12-0, Hico lost to Valley Mills 20-0, and Dublin defeated Bangs.

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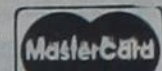
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"The right of survivorship is important because it means that the surviving spouse receives the property outright, without having to go through probate," she explains. "Without the right of survivorship the spouse's share of the accounts will go to his or her heirs, usually the children."

Granovsky, who is a specialist with Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service home economics program, says that the right of survivorship can be created through a cotenancy, which is one form of joint ownership.

"Three types of cotenancy are recognized in Texas; tenancy in common, community property, and joint tenancy with the right of survivorship. The main difference between tenancy in common and community property is that community property exists only between husband and wife."

"But with either cotenancy or community property, property passes to the heirs and does not go automatically to the surviving contentant," Granovsky observes. "She emphasizes that only a joint tenancy with right of survivorship allows the funds to go automatically to your spouse."

"To create a bank or checking account that allows for joint tenancy with right of survivorship, there must be a written agreement that has been signed by the per-

son who dies and starting the intention that his or her share should pass to the surviving spouse."

A written partition agreement must also be signed by the couple separately, before opening the joint savings or bank account, she says.

"The signature cards you sign at the bank when setting up accounts can create the right of survivorship if they meet these requirements," the specialist says. "However, not all signature cards meet the requirements, and not all people pay attention to what they are signing in setting up accounts."

"Without joint survivorship you may have to function with half the money in joint accounts in case of your spouse's death," notes Granovsky. "Even if you are designated as your spouse's heir, you will not have access to those funds while the estate is probated."

"When opening a joint account, consider whether it will meet the rules for joint survivorship," advises the specialist. "One side of the signature card should contain the partition agreement and the other, the language you need to set up a joint tenancy with right of survivorship."

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Area News Briefs

CISCO

Cisco Junior College's 1987-88 fall semester enrollment is up by some 127 students over the same time last year, reports Dr. Henry E. McCullough, college president. The present enrollment total for Cisco, Clyde and Abilene was 1,661, up from 1,534 a year ago. Dr. McCullough said the Cisco campus has enrolled 629 students of the total, up 50 from last year. "We are real pleased with our gain and are looking forward to a good year," Dr. McCullough said.

The quarterly Chamber of Commerce Breakfast will be held at 7 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 30, at the White Elephant Restaurant. This was decided at a recent monthly meeting in the Mobley-Hilton Community Center. Other items at the meeting included a decision by the Board of Directors to accept sealed bids for the sale of the old Cisco Chamber of Commerce Building located at

1619 Conrad Hilton Ave. The bids will be accepted until 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 25. The Board also discussed a "Brown Bag Project" for the business people in Cisco, which would be a day for local business people to meet together with sack lunches. This would give everyone a chance to visit and relax.

Plans to conduct a drive for new members and for the reinstatement of former members were made at a meeting of the John William Butts Post 123 of the American Legion at the Legion Hall last Thursday night. Post Commander Willard Johnson said the drive would be directed by Vice Commander Eddie McMillan and Leonard Tipton. Veterans interested in joining are asked to contact one of the Vice Commanders, Mr. Johnson or Adjutant Bobby Ingram.

Frankie Letney of the Nimrod community, who had several surgeries earlier

in the year, stopped by the Cisco Press last week. Mrs. Letney is walking upright now. She has to wear a brace, but says it feels so good to be walking upright again. Frankie says everyone has been so good to her, and she received many flowers and cards while she was in the hospital. She said she had to move from room to room, and the nurses did not keep a lot of the cards or flowers - so she does not know all the names of persons who sent her things. But she is very grateful for the concern she received from the people of this area.

Five bids for a new contract to erect a girl's dressing room and other quarters at the high school gym were rejected at a School Board meeting Monday night. Supt. Ray Saunders said the bidders, including four from Abilene, submitted bids from \$71,000 to \$96,000. He indicated that the bids were considerably higher than the

Board had expected. Architect Tom Huckabee will meet with the Board this week, and is expected to be asked to revise plans and specifications.

RANGER

The RJC Rangers will go against the Cisco Junior College Wranglers next Saturday, Sept. 19, 7:30 p.m. at Buckaroo Stadium in Breckenridge. This is the 10th annual Benefit Bowl sponsored by the Lions Clubs. The proceeds from this annual event go toward the Crippled Children's Camp in Kerrville. The Benefit Bowl game is expected to be a hard-fought, fast-paced one, and should draw a large crowd.

A Community Chorus is being organized to give local singers a chance to take part in a musical group. The chorus will meet on Mondays at 7 p.m. in the music building on the Ranger Junior College campus. Organizer and Director Bob Johnson is hoping for a large number of singers who want to do some public performing. The music will consist of popular, serious, sacred and seasonal. Contact Bob Johnson at 647-3533 for more information.

There will be a picnic for Master Masons and their families at the Featherlite picnic grounds north of Ranger at 6 p.m. Sept. 22. On this evening the Masons will also celebrate the Past Masters, and will be giving 25-year awards to the brethren who have not previously received theirs.

The Clothing Closet sponsored by the Eastside Baptist Church will be open on Saturday, Sept. 19 and Monday, Sept. 21 from 8 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. This will be at the new location 112 Rusk St. The Clothing Closet is in need of clothes hangers. If you have extra ones, they can really be put to good use. If you are in need of free good used clothing, come by and look over the selection at the Clothing Closet.

EASTLAND

The Eastland County Fair is scheduled for Oct. 3, and there will be plenty of entertainment all day long. The fair will open with the Eastland Chamber of Commerce Parade downtown at 10 a.m. The Hardin Simmons Band and famous white horses will be a featured part of this event. Among the entertainers afterward will

be the Jamie Dee Dancers, Davene Jeffcoat Folkdancers, The Eastland County Popovers, Tim Morgan's Karate exhibit and much more. This year the Fiddlers Contest will be held in the restored Majestic Theatre, beginning at 7 p.m. This contest is sanctioned by the Texas State Fiddlers Association, and should draw a large group of contestants.

Lloyd Coan and Mrs. Austin McCloud of Eastland and Sid Waynick of Carbon have been appointed area chairmen for the Cattleman's Roundup for Crippled Children, according to Jim Alexander of Abilene, CRCC general chairman. About 250 Chairmen statewide are assisting the Cattleman's Roundup, which benefits the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene and San Angelo. The livestock donated by ranchers will be collected at a designated spot in the community and sold at a special auction. Persons wishing to make a donation of stock or cash should contact the local chairmen.

Mangum Baptist Church will hold its annual

Homecoming on Sept. 20. John Taylor from Plainview Baptist Church in Colorado City is to be the guest speaker. There will be dinner on the grounds, with singing and testimonies following. Mangum Baptist Church is located five miles south of Eastland. Everyone is invited to the Homecoming.

The Eastland Chapter of Friends of the Library will have a concession at the County Fair on Oct. 3 to sell used books. Please clean out those boxes in the garage and attic and bring any books you no longer need to the Library. If more convenient, call 629-8760 and the books will be picked up at your home. Both paper backs and hard backs in reasonably good condition are solicited. Funds raised will help support the Library.

Would you like to show off your beard in a beard contest on Roaring Ranger Day? Call Phylecia Schooling, Chamber of Commerce President, at 647-3750 in Ranger.

'Rural Revitalization Church Conference

COLLEGE STATION--Rural revitalization of Texas will be the major thrust for discussion at the 42nd Annual Town and Country Church Conference at Texas A&M University, Oct. 5-6.

Clergy and church lay leaders from across Texas will participate in the educational conference conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Also assisting will be Texas A&M's departments of agricultural economics and rural sociology.

Dr. Dave Ruesink, Extension sociologist and conference chairman, says the conference will focus on helping communities that have been experiencing economic difficulties.

"Many Texas communities have been hard hit by the downturn in the oil and agricultural industries, and often the church can play a key role in helping such communities through

Lights From The Christian World

Josephine Cleveland

We are told that the word "blessed" appears in various forms in the Scriptures 55 times. The Greek word "blessed" is difficult to translate into English because there is no exact English equivalent. Some use the word "happy" but this is a weak word because the work "hap" means chance or good luck. The word "blessed" conveys far more than this. It conveys happiness identified with pure character.

Matthew, one of the twelve disciples, placed the Sermon on the Mount at the beginning of his book. He felt it worthy of note for everyone to understand that Christ's kingdom was not something we do or something that is done for us, but it is something we are or what we can become through God's life-changing and enabling power.

In Matthew's account Jesus went up on a mountain and set down. A crowd listened as He taught them saying, "Blessed are the poor in spirit for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

What does He mean by "poor?" The word "poor" has nothing to do with financial poverty ... it deals with spiritual poverty. D. Martin Lloyd-Jones says, "It is just a tremendous awareness of our utter nothingness as we come face to face with God."

The poor in spirit are aware that they can rely on nothing but God's helpfulness for their salvation. They cannot rely on their family, their national origin, their wealth, or their fame. The "poor" in spirit are blessed because they have come to loathe the sin and know they are nothing outside Jesus Christ. They are aware of their need of Jesus.

Jesus often told of rewards a person would receive as the result of their attitude and behavior. Those who are poor in spirit are promised the glories of heaven. What a priceless reward!

Eleventh Court of Appeals

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

MOTIONS SUBMITTED & GRANTED

11-86-087-CV The City of Brady, Texas v. Terry Bennie, Julie Bennie, Dr. J.L. Morris, and Diamond Mineral Investments, Inc. Appellant's motion for leave to file amended motion for rehearing. Brown

11-87-053-CR Thomas Lee Cole v. State of Texas. State's second motion for extension of time to file brief. Taylor

11-87-061-CR Roy Stewart Warren v. State of Texas. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file brief. Eastland

11-87-090-CV Lawrence Nelson Wheeler v. Lucinda Wheeler Akin. Appellee's motion for extension of time to file brief. Taylor

11-87-111-CV William V. Hannigan and Lucille Hannigan v. First State Bank, Wylie. Appellant's second motion for extension of time to file briefs. Collin

11-87-121-CV Juliette Fowler Homes, Inc. and John W. Butler v. Welch Associates, Inc. Appellants' (Butler) motion for extension of time to file brief. Dallas

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difficult times," Ruesink says.

The conference, Ruesink says, is designed to provide information to help clergy and church lay leaders be more effective in dealing with community concerns.

"Revitalization of rural communities is one of 12 key issues that were identified by a broad sector of Texas citizens last year, and those issues are currently being addressed by the Extension Service, notes Ruesink.

Registration will begin at 10 a.m. Oct. 5 at the Rudder Conference Center and the program will get under way there at 1 p.m. Discussions will deal with basic strategies and lessons in rural revitalization, models of churches and communities involved in rural revitalization, and implications of rural revitalization for the church.

Ministers will moderate the sessions which will feature key resource people from a broad range of subject matter disciplines. Special workshops will

deal with increasing economic competitiveness and economic development, income diversification possibilities, adjusting to family and community needs, and involving volunteers in community leadership.

A special feature of the conference will be the presentation of the Texas Rural Minister of the Year at a banquet on Oct. 5. This project is in cooperation with Progressive Farmer magazine.

A new program, Rural Social Science by Extension, also will be introduced, notes Ruesink. The program will be launched on a pilot basis this fall and is designed to provide in-depth community dynamics training for clergy serving in rural and small town churches.



September, National Child Safety Month, Markers A Victory For Children

September is National Child Safety Month and what better time to announce that some 20 million American children are better off this year due to a national effort to promote the use of seat belts. Seat belts for use in automobiles? No, seat belts for off-the-road safety for use in shopping carts in supermarkets and department stores.

Since the Consumer Product Safety Commission first reported that more than 9,000 children under the age of 5 are injured from falling out of shopping carts annual-

ly, the amount of "safe supermarkets" has doubled. This is due to a commendable display of cooperation between consumers and private industry working together toward the common goal of bringing down that alarming number of accidents. But, unlike the mandatory use of automobile seat belts and child car seats in many states, shopping cart seat belts are being installed voluntarily. It is the overwhelming acceptance and appreciation of the seat belts by people that shop with small children that has

prompted a growing number of supermarkets to install the straps.

This rapidly expanding movement has not stopped or rested with supermarkets. When hearing about these efforts to ensure child safety, LUVS Diapers, a division of Procter & Gamble, sponsored 1,000,000 Safe-Straps for use in shopping carts throughout the United States. This sponsorship program is the first of a new trend in child safety and pro-

motion, whereby sponsors with their names or product logos on the belt will offset the cost to the retailer and ultimately provide a safer environment to children. The straps which are custom printed and made from durable woven textiles with high impact buckles and permanent fasteners, are manufactured by the Safe-Strap Company of Dover, New Hampshire.

Safe-Strap pioneered shopping cart seat belts and reports that some 4,000,000 are currently in use throughout the U.S. and that the reaction from consumers and supermarkets has been overwhelmingly positive. Safe-Strap, a relatively new venture started by two

young men in their 20s, has combined good business with community service. Now, with LUVS Diapers lending a helping hand, this concept has really made an impact across the country in child safety and has set a new course for marketing of shopping cart seat belts as an in-store promotional vehicle.

During the month of September, the National Supermarket Child Safety Committee (NSCSC) and concerned retailers are making parents aware that

using seat belts in supermarket shopping carts makes good sense. The NSCSC will be presenting awards and commending supermarkets all over the U.S. who have taken a voluntary step to improve safety for small children in the supermarket. The praise is well deserved because in addition to making the shopping environment safer, the supermarkets are also fostering an overall appreciation of safer living among our nation's children.

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BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 3, 1987

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 104 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to provide a guarantee for the Texas grain warehouse self-insurance fund. The guarantee of the fund may not exceed \$5 million, and when the fund reaches \$5 million, the guarantee will cease. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for the surety of a grain warehouse fund to be established by the grain industry for the protection of farmers and depositors of grain in public warehouse facilities."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 60 proposes a constitutional amendment to permit rural fire prevention districts in counties with populations over 400,000 to levy a tax at a rate not to exceed six cents (\$.06) per \$100 property valuation for the district, if the voters of the district approve the tax.

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to raise the maximum property tax rate that may be adopted by certain rural fire prevention districts, but only if approved by the districts' residents."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 48 proposes a constitutional amendment to extend the school ad valorem tax exemption for elderly persons to the surviving spouse of a person receiving the exemption. If a surviving spouse is at least 55 years old at the time of death of the person receiving the exemption, ad valorem public school taxes could not be increased as long as the homestead remained the residence homestead of the surviving spouse.

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to limit school tax increases on the residence homestead of the surviving spouse of an elderly person if the surviving spouse is at least 55 years of age."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 5 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to create programs and make loans and grants of money for development and diversification of the economy, elimination of unemployment and underemployment, stimulation of agricultural innovation, promotion of agricultural enterprises, and development of transportation and commerce. Bonds or other obligations payable from ad valorem taxes must be approved by the voters in the political subdivision seeking such funding sources.

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide assistance to encourage economic development in the state."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 65 proposes a constitutional amendment to permit the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation to contract with the Texas Turnpike Authority and to contribute money to the costs of turnpikes, toll roads and toll bridges of the Authority. The amendment would authorize the governing body of a county with a population over 400,000, a county adjoining such county, and any city or district located in or partially in such county to make agreements with the Texas Turnpike Authority and levy ad valorem taxes to pay part or all of the principal and interest on Turnpike Authority bonds and to pay maintenance and operating expenses of the Turnpike Authority, if the voters approve the tax.

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds for projects relating to corrections institutions

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to establish three separate development funds. A Texas product development fund could be established to aid in the development and production of new or improved products in the state. The amendment would authorize the issuance of up to \$15 million of general obligation bonds to provide initial funding for the program. A Texas small business incubator fund could be established to foster and stimulate the development of small businesses in the state. Small businesses operating under the program would be exempt from ad valorem taxation. The amendment would authorize the issuance of up to \$10 million in general obligation bonds to provide initial funding for the program. A Texas agricultural fund could be established to promote the production, processing and marketing of agricultural products produced primarily in Texas by small Texas agricultural businesses. The amendment would authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds in the amount of \$100 million outstanding at one time to carry out the agricultural fund program. The legislature could require review and approval of the issuance of bonds and the use of bond proceeds.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds for projects relating to corrections institutions

and mental health and mental retardation facilities."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 9 proposes a constitutional amendment to provide that a state legislator is eligible to serve in another state office even if the compensation of the office was increased during his legislative term or even if the appointment is made in whole or in part (including Senate confirmation) by the legislature. The legislator could not, however, receive the increased compensation approved during his legislative term.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide that a member of the legislature is eligible to be elected or appointed and to serve in a different state office but may not receive an increase in compensation granted to that office during the legislative term to which he was elected."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Subsections (d) and (e) of Section 1 of Senate Joint Resolution 12 propose a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation all tangible personal property except structures which are used as residential dwellings and property held or used for the production of income. This exemption would be in addition to the personal property homestead exemption already established by the constitution. If the legislature authorizes the exemption of additional personal property from taxation, under this amendment, local political subdivisions may pass resolutions providing for taxation of such property unless the property is exempt from ad valorem taxation under another law.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation certain personal property not held or used for the production of income."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

Section 1, Subsections (f) and (g) of Senate Joint Resolution 12 propose a constitutional amendment to exempt from ad valorem taxation goods, wares, merchandise, and ores other than oil, gas and petroleum products. These items would be exempt from taxation only if they originated outside the state and were located in the state for a period of 175 days or less for purposes of assembly, storage, manufacture, processing, or fabrication. Such property could be taxed by a county, school district, or municipality if the governing body of the political subdivision took official action to provide for the taxation of the items while they were located in the political subdivision. If the governing body of a political subdivision took official action to tax the items before January 1, 1988, the tax would be effective for the 1988 tax year. If the action were taken after January 1, 1988, and before April 1, 1988, the tax would become effective January 1, 1989.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the exemption from ad valorem taxation of certain property that is located in the state for only a temporary period of time."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 35 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow a married couple to agree in writing that all or part of their community property will become the property of the surviving spouse if one spouse dies.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment permitting spouses to hold community property with right of survivorship."

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 27 proposes a constitutional amendment to authorize the creation of special districts to provide emergency services. The commissioners court in a county participating in a district could, upon approval of the voters, levy an ad

valorem tax of up to ten cents (\$.10) per \$100 valuation of the property located in the district.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow for the creation and establishment, by law, of special districts to provide emergency services."

PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the state a limited right to appeal criminal cases. Under current law, only criminal defendants are allowed to appeal. This proposed amendment would allow the legislature to pass laws granting state prosecutors the right to appeal in limited circumstances.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment giving the state a limited right to appeal in criminal cases."

PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 35 proposes a constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county treasurer in Gregg County and transfer the duties of that office to the county auditor or an elected official designated by the commissioners court. The amendment would also abolish the office of county treasurer in Fayette and Nueces counties if a majority of the voters in those counties vote in favor of the amendment. In Fayette County, the functions of the treasurer would be transferred to the county auditor or the officer succeeding to the auditor's functions. In Nueces County, the powers, duties, and functions of the treasurer would be transferred to the county clerk.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for the abolition of the office of county treasurer in Gregg, Fayette, and Nueces counties."

PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 6 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the commissioners court in a county with a population of more than 150,000 to establish more than one Justice of the Peace court in each Justice of the Peace precinct, i.e., to provide for the election of more than one Justice of the Peace in each Justice of the Peace precinct.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing that certain justice precincts may contain more than one justice of the peace court."

PROPOSITION NO. 17 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 26 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to define by law those municipal functions that are governmental and those that are proprietary. This authorization would apply to laws passed by the 70th Legislature, 1987, and by future legislatures in regular or special session. A municipality is liable for damages arising out of acts committed under its proprietary functions, but not its governmental functions. Definition of such functions by the legislature would clarify the liability of a municipality in civil lawsuits filed against it.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to define for all purposes the governmental and proprietary functions of a municipality."

PROPOSITION NO. 18 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 18 proposes a constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to provide for the creation, operation, and financing of jail districts. Financing of a jail district could be accomplished through the issuance of bonds and other obligations, or by levy of an ad valorem tax on property located in the district if the qualified electors of a district approve an ad valorem tax or bonds secured by a property tax.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment relating to the creation, operation, and financing of jail districts."

PROPOSITION NO. 19 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 88 proposes a constitutional amendment to authorize the issuance of \$500 million in general obligation bonds, the proceeds of which will be used to establish a superconducting super collider fund. The fund would be used to provide economic incentives for the superconducting super collider research facility, and the agency administering the fund would be authorized to grant land or property to the United States government for undertakings related to the facility.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds to fund undertakings related to a superconducting super collider research facility sponsored or authorized by the United States government, and to make appropriate grants for such undertakings."

PROPOSITION NO. 20 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 96 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to provide ad valorem tax relief for mobile offshore oil and gas well drilling equipment. The tax relief would be limited to equipment that is being stored while not in use in a county that is adjacent to the Gulf of Mexico or on a body of water that is adjacent to the Gulf of Mexico.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to provide ad valorem tax relief for certain offshore drilling equipment that is not in use."

PROPOSITION NO. 21 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 17 proposes a constitutional amendment to provide for legislative involvement in the executive branch of government by permitting the legislature to include the speaker of the house of representatives in the membership of an agency or committee that includes officers of the executive branch of government and performs executive functions. Under current law, the legislature is not allowed to exercise any powers in executive matters under Article II of the Texas Constitution, which provides for the "separation of powers" into three distinct departments.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment permitting the legislature to include the speaker of the house of representatives or the speaker's appointee in the membership of an executive agency or committee."

PROPOSITION NO. 22 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 53 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to limit the term of office of a gubernatorial appointee to a vacancy in a state or district office to a partial, temporary term if the appointment is made on or after November 1 of the last year of the governor's term and the governor is not reelected. Under this amendment, the legislature may provide that the tenure of such an appointee would end sooner than the term would normally expire.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to limit the authority of a governor to fill vacancies in state and district offices during the end of the governor's term if the governor is not reelected."

PROPOSITION NO. 23 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 54 proposes a constitutional amendment to authorize the Texas Water Development Board to issue an additional \$400 million in water development bonds. Of the \$400 million authorized, \$200 million would be designated for conservation and development of water resources, \$150 million would be designated for water quality enhancement, and \$50 million would be designated for flood control. The amendment also authorizes the legislature to provide for review and approval of the issuance of the bonds and the use of the bond proceeds.

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the issuance of an additional \$400 million of Texas Water Development Bonds for water supply, water quality, and flood control purposes."

PROPOSITION NO. 24 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 83 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow a county to use county equipment and personnel to perform work, without compensation, for another governmental entity if the commissioners court finds that the work will not interfere with the performance of county work and approves performance of the work. The governmental entity must be located wholly or partly in the county, and the governing body of the governmental entity must file a written work request with the commissioners court.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to permit a county to perform work, without compensation, for another governmental entity."

PROPOSITION NO. 25 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 5 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the Legislature to authorize Randall County to levy a tax for the benefit of the Amarillo Hospital District. Any such tax could be levied only on property located outside the City of Amarillo and outside the South Randall County Hospital District. The tax could not be more than 75¢ per \$100 property valuation and would be effective only upon approval by the voters in the area to be taxed. If the tax is authorized by the Legislature and approved by voters, the Amarillo Hospital District is to serve residents of part of Randall County. If a tax is levied under this provision, Randall County must repay the State for the cost of publication of this amendment.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to permit the Amarillo Hospital District to serve certain residents of Randall County, to authorize Randall County to provide financial assistance to the district, and to authorize certain hospital districts to change their boundaries or jurisdiction with voter approval."

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOR STATEWIDE REFERENDUM NO. 1

Senate Bill 86 submits to the voters the question of whether the 15 members of the State Board of Education should be appointed instead of elected. If the proposition passes, the Governor will appoint a member of the board for each district, with the consent of the Senate. If the proposition fails, the members will be elected from these districts.

The referendum will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The State Board of Education shall be composed of members who are appointed from districts instead of elected, with equal representation throughout the State of Texas."

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOR STATEWIDE REFERENDUM NO. 2

The Texas Racing Act submits to the voters the question of whether pari-mutuel wagering should be legal in Texas on a county-by-county local option basis. If pari-mutuel wagering is adopted by the voters statewide, a county must also pass a separate proposition on pari-mutuel wagering at an election held in the county before any such wagering may be conducted in that county.

The referendum will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The legalization of pari-mutuel wagering under the Texas Racing Act on a county-by-county local option basis." (7-10, 9-17)



WILDCAT TALES

RISING STAR HIGH JOURNALISM

Short Report

Class Officers Elected

Officers for the Senior Class of 1987-88 are Renee O'Connor, president; Kerry Hill, vice president; David White, secretary; Elizabeth Holland, treasurer; Danetta Bible, reporter; and James Holman, parliamentarian.

Officers for the Junior Class are Sandy Williams, president; Juanita Ramirez, vice president; Tricia Fox, secretary; Staci Schlittler, treasurer; and Maxine Perales, reporter.

Officers for the Sophomore

Class are Jason Cook, president; Cody Wilson, vice president; Meredith Hamblen, secretary; Doug Bass, treasurer; Becky Walker, reporter; and Derrick White, parliamentarian.

Officers for the Freshman Class are Tami Vandivere, president; Patricia Pavon, vice president; Jo Beth Landers, secretary and reporter; and Wendy Green, treasurer.

Under the guidance of Coach Goodman, the girl's basketball program has expanded from eight girls to twelve for this coming season. Leading the Lady Cats will be seniors, Jackie Harris and Jennifer Linney; juniors, Stephanie Long, Stacy Schlittler, Juanita

Rameriz, Maxine Perales, Stacey Wright, Julie Stulting; sophomores, Becky Walker; and freshmen, Wendy Green, Jo Beth Landers and Pam Hollis. Coach Goodman drills the team in fundamentals for use in game situations. The girls have improved and look forward to a winning season.

Dear Penny,

There is this boy I am desperately in love with, but he doesn't even notice me. What should I do to get his attention?

Sincerely,
Needs Attention

The way to get a guy's attention is to flirt a little (don't overdo it) and show him you care. Give him a big smile and even a little wink once in a while. Be his friend. Soon that friendship could become more.

Dear Penny,

I have this very best friend. She and I are as close as butter and bread. The thing is she moved this summer and I miss her terribly. I've been feeling very lonely lately and I really don't know what to do.

Lonely

Dear Lonely,
Having a best friend move is a pretty tough thing. Try to get involved in sports, band or school committees. Try to make new friends; that way you can have good things to write to her/him about.

Lunch Menu

SEPTEMBER 21-25
MONDAY
LUNCH: Pigs in blanket, macaroni/cheese, salad, cake, milk
BREAKFAST: Muffins, fruit, milk
TUESDAY
LUNCH: Cheese nachos, baked beans, salad, fruit, milk
BREAKFAST: Pancakes, syrup, juice, milk
WEDNESDAY
LUNCH: Chili & beans, corn, cole slaw, cornbread,

crunch, milk
BREAKFAST: Toast, bacon, fruit, milk
THURSDAY
LUNCH: Meat loaf, creamed potatoes, green beans, salad, rolls, jello, milk
BREAKFAST: Cereal, juice, milk
FRIDAY
LUNCH: Sloppy Joes, onions, pickles, relish, carrot sticks, chips, cookies, milk
BREAKFAST: Biscuits, gravy, sausage, juice, milk

N.A.R.F.E. To Meet

National Association of Retired Federal Employees (N.A.R.F.E.) will meet at K-Bob's in Eastland Sept. 22 at 5:30 p.m.

Dorothy Marks of Glen Rose, our District Representative will bring the program of all the latest information of interest to every one.

Lets make a real effort for our members to be present for this meeting.

All Retired Federal Employees whether they are members are not are invited to attend this meeting and all those who may retire in a few years are also welcome.

See you at K-Bob's the 22nd.

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It's Pep Rally Time!!!

The 87-88 Wildcat cheerleaders, Maxine Perales, Becky Walker, Jennifer Linney, Renee O'Connor, Meredith Hamblen and mascot Juanita Rameriz held the second pep rally of the football season on Friday, September 11. The theme of the pep rally was "Wipe Out the Buffs". The cheerleaders dressed in jams, t-shirts, and sunglasses to add some needed spunk to the theme. The gym walls were decorated with signs concerning the theme and even a few fans participated in dressing up to fit the occasion. The pep rally was filled with yells and chants and the

cheerleaders even did a routine to "Wipe Out", a popular song sung by the Fat Boys and Beach Boys. The spirit stick winners were the football guys, drums, band and the seniors. The "Spirit Jug" winners this week was the elementary for most spirit and for wearing the most blue and gold. To end the pep rally, the juniors were asked down to help lead the school song and fight song. The next pep rally is Friday, September 18 at 3:20. The cheerleaders ask that you come and show the Wildcats that we are all behind them 100 percent as they face the Tolar Rattlers.

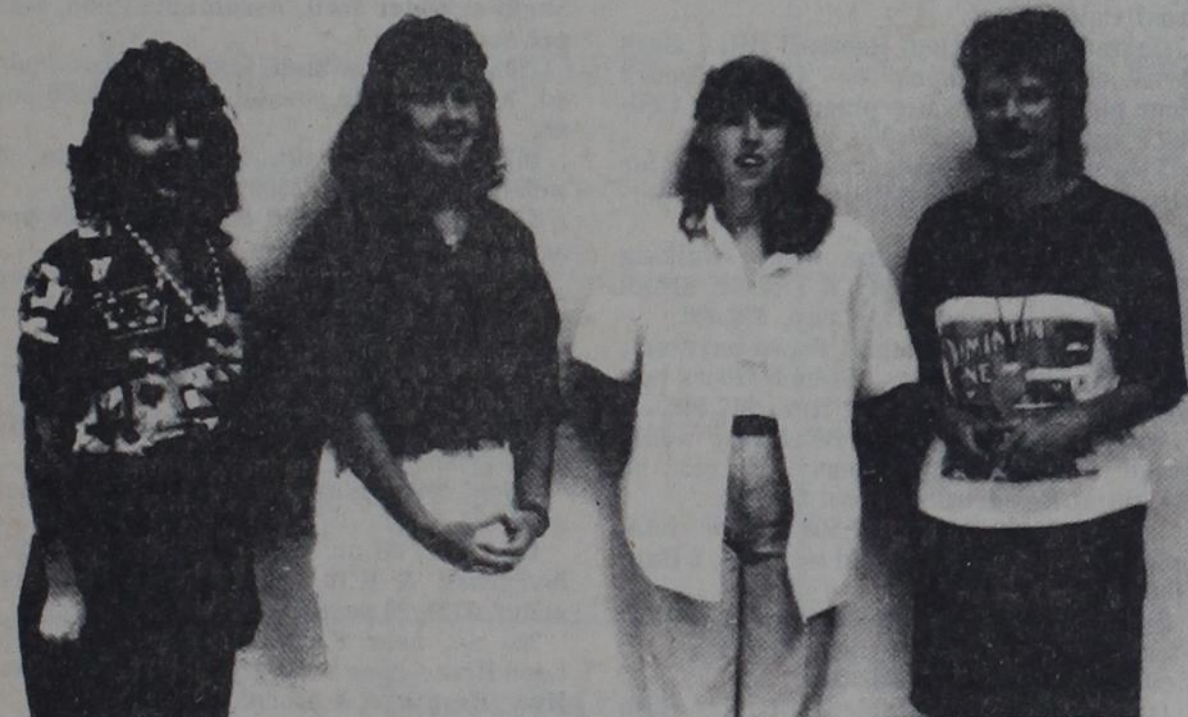
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Campus Calendar

SEPTEMBER 17
THURSDAY- Jr. High Pep Rally, 10:10 a.m.
Jr. High Football Game, 6:30, Tolar

SEPTEMBER 18
FRIDAY- High School Pep Rally, 3:20
High School Football Game, 8:00, here

Local 4Her Is Jr. Leader Officer



Eastland Co. Jr. Leader Officers are, l. to r., Diane Butler, P.J. Key, Natalie Stevens, and Stephanie Long.

Eastland County Jr. Leaders Association met August 16 in the Texas Electric Reddy Room in Eastland. Officers elected for 1987-88 are chairman, Stephanie Long of Rising

Star; vice chairman Natalie Stevens of Eastland; secretary, LaDawn Little of Ranger; reporter, P.J. Key of Eastland; and recreation chairman, Diane Butler of Eastland.

Business discussed included having a Funday and petting zoo at the Eastland County Fair and taping radio spots for National 4H Week.

Jr. Leaders Association is open to all 4Hers 13 years old or older and promotes leadership and citizenship in older 4Hers.

The next Jr. Leader meeting will be Sunday, September 27, at 3 p.m. in the Texas Electric meeting room in Eastland.

REWARD OFFERED

Money may be mailed to First State Bank, Rising Star, 76471, to be deposited in the Witt Reward Fund. The account number is 72-360-6. No arrests have been made in the rape/murder case. Era Witt, 87, was found dead in her home on June 7.

Residents in this small town were shocked by the violent crime and women who live alone are still experiencing fright.

Any person with information leading to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons responsible for the crime may call 643-4261 or 643-3421. Information may be given anonymously and arrangements will be made for the payment of the reward.

The amount in the fund was \$2,500.00 on Tuesday.

Bill Huffaker Workshop

October 1

Hubbard Gift & Gallery
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May Homecoming Street Paving

From page one...

October 2, 3

The football game between the May Tigers and the Sidney Eagles will be the opening activity of the 1987 Homecoming for May High School. The game will be Friday, October 2, at Tiger Stadium at 8 p.m.

On Saturday, coffee and registration will be held at the Home Economics Cottage from 8:30 a.m. until 11 a.m.

The homecoming assembly will be in the school auditorium and includes a business meeting and the election of coming home queen and king. It will begin at 10 a.m.

The Senior Luncheon will be served in the school cafeteria from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m.

The \$50 first place float prize winner will be selected during the parade in downtown May at 2 p.m.

A men's exes basketball tournament will begin at

3:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium. Sign up for the tourney will be from 8:30 to 10 a.m. in the Home Ec Cottage Saturday morning and the awards ceremony will be held at 8:30 p.m.

The Home Demonstration Club supper will be in the clubhouse from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m.

The two-day activities end with a dance in the rodeo barn from 8:30 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Special class reunions will include the class years which ended in seven.

Officers of the May Ex-Students Association are Cynthia Pallette Wood, president; Chick Eoff, vice president; Beverly Harrell Pittman, secretary; A.J. Dickerson, treasurer; and Randy Pittman, parade chairman.

If you have any questions, call Beverly at (817) 259-2633 or Cindy at (817) 643-4001 after dark.

The street drops four feet in elevation from one end of the paving project to the other, but it levels off for a distance near the highway and that will cause excess runoff from rainwater to be a nuisance to motorists and pedestrians.

Another paving project in Rising Star has been started at the United States Postal Service. Paving will be put all around the building, covering the parking area on the east, the service area at the rear and the drive on the west side to the drive-up mail box.

Mail patrons have made good use of the drive-up mail box since it was installed, said Postmaster Evelyn Donham, and she expressed regret at having to place even a temporary restraint on the use of the convenience.

By the time this article is read perhaps the weather will have permitted the completion of the paving of N. Anderson and motorists can enjoy this new driving surface with NO POTHOLES. Just remember to enjoy it at 20 mph.

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New Arrivals

AMANDA CHRISTINE
Aimee Lauren Chatelain is proud to announce the arrival of her baby sister, Amanda Christine, born August 30 in Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. She weighed seven pounds four and one half ounces and is 20 1/2 inches long.

Their parents are Danny and Becky Chatelain. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wilson of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Chatelain of Little Rock.

Thursday,
September 17, 1987

City Council Minutes

A special meeting was called to order by Mayor Burk on August 19 at 11 a.m. Councilmen present were Tom Bailey, Pete Starks, Clinton Crisp and Cole White. James Cook was absent.

The meeting was called for discussion as to the cost, labor and ets. of paving Anderson street from highway 36 to north of the grade school. A motion by Tom Bailey seconded by Cole White to accept a bid from Whites Mines at a cost of \$26.60 per ton for hot mix hot lay delivered to Rising Star and to accept Bill Walters labor and machinery contract at a cost of \$2885. It carried unanimously.

The Rising Star City Council met September 8 at 7:30 p.m. with Mayor Henry Burk and councilmen Cole White, James Cook and Clinton Crisp present; Pete Starks and Tom Bailey were absent.

Guests present were Don Ashmore and Randy Bibb, of Davis Kinard & Co.

The minutes of the August 11 and August 19 meetings were accepted as presented. Also accepted were the utility report and treasurer's report.

Under the heading of new business Don Ashmore of Davis Kinard & Co. presented the auditor's report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1987.

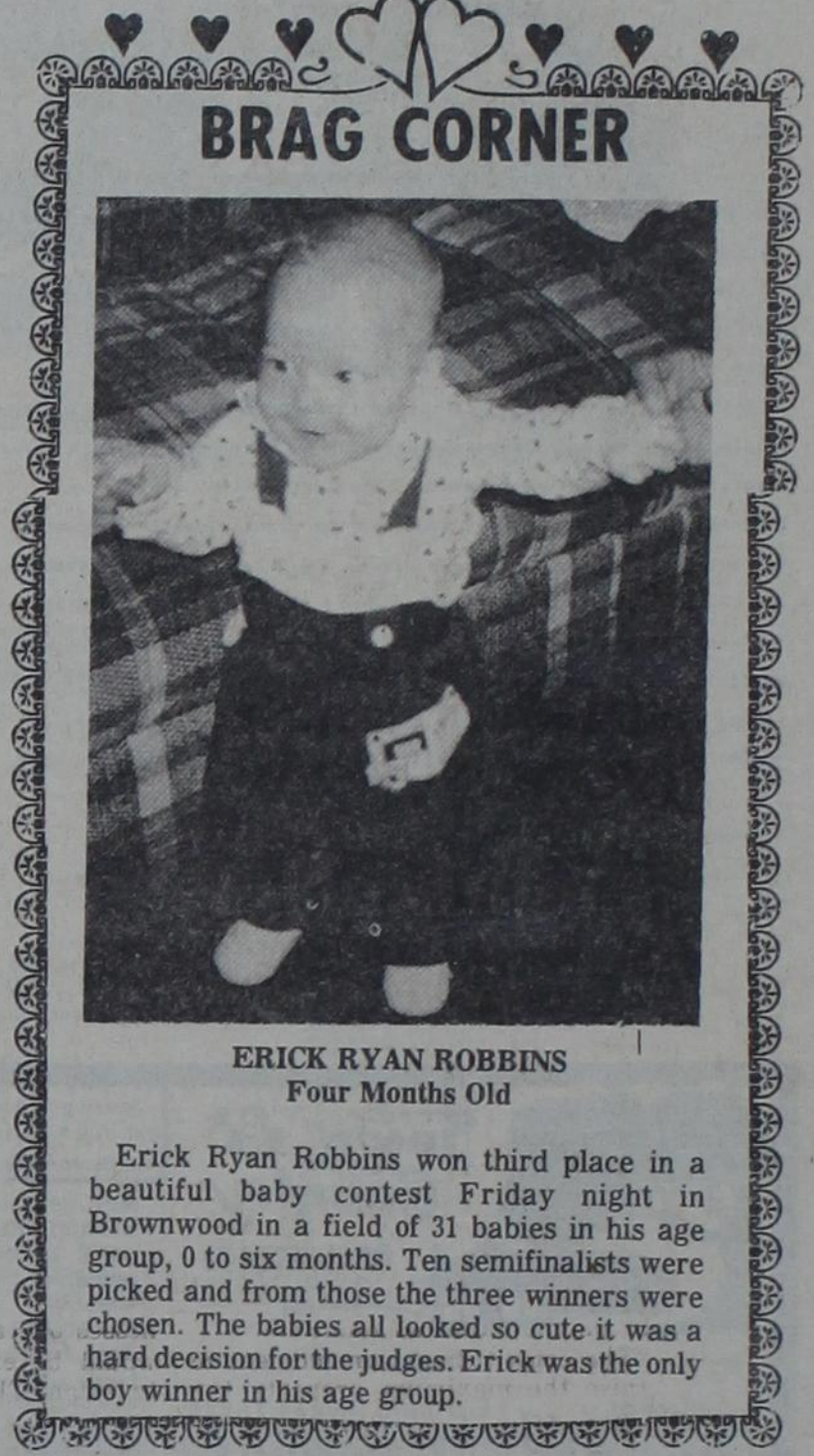
North Anderson Street, for which paving was underway, was put under a speed limit of 20 mph in a motion by White, seconded by Crisp; the motion carried unanimously.

After a discussion about where City taxes would be collected, the decision was postponed.

The next regular council meeting is planned for October 13 at 7:30 p.m.

Beta Club Donates TV

The May High School Beta Club presented the high school with a color television and a video cassette recorder on September 9. The Beta Club is the honor organization for A students at the high school. The members raise money each year to improve the school. The 1987 members are Carla White, president; Saronna Alldredge, vice-president; Brad Spinks, secretary; Brenda Hopper; Kim Hardy; Tammie Hardy; David Jackson; Doris Nelson; Jennifer Gregory; Jason Boever; Guyle Donham; Tammy Ingram; Katy Lancaster; Gidget Goode; and Scotty Ford. The sponsor is Ms. Teresa Guess.



BRAG CORNER

ERICK RYAN ROBBINS
Four Months Old

Erick Ryan Robbins won third place in a beautiful baby contest Friday night in Brownwood in a field of 31 babies in his age group, 0 to six months. Ten semifinalists were picked and from those three winners were chosen. The babies all looked so cute it was a hard decision for the judges. Erick was the only boy winner in his age group.

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U.S. Constitution Week

County Judge Scott Bailey has designated September 17-23 as U.S. CONSTITUTION WEEK in Eastland County and urged all citizens to celebrate the 200th birthday of the document, which was signed on Sept. 17, 1787, by its authors, delegates from the American colonies.

The proclamation points out that the Constitution was developed because the people of the 13 colonies saw the need for a national government which could secure the people's right of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

"The final manuscript guaranteed that power was derived from the people," the proclamation reads. "It provided checks and balances on that power through three separate branches of government - the Legislative, Judicial and Executive. This was a novel idea for the time. That the document has survived is a credit to the wisdom and integrity of its authors."

The proclamation reminds that the "Constitution and the amendments that have been added through the

years have served us well. The designation of the special week requested by Bob Bullock, president of the Eastland County Farm Bureau, which is participating in a state-wide commemoration effort conducted by the Texas Farm Bureau. The TFB emphasizes study of the Constitution in its annual Citizenship Seminar for high school students.

Bullock To Run For Lieutenant Governor

AUSTIN, Tex.-State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Thursday that he intends to run for lieutenant governor in 1990.

"All visitors are welcome," Bullock said.

Nimrod 4-H Club

The Nimrod "Willing Workers" 4-H Club held its first meeting of the new 1987-88 4-H year on Sept. 7, 1987, at the Nimrod Community Center. The business conducted at this meeting was re-enrollment of members and the election of officers.

New officers of the club are: President, Leslie Allen; vice president, Roy Powlledge; secretary/treasurer, Shelly Agnew; reporter, John Strader; council delegate, Chad Rogers; sergeant at arms, Sammi Solis; sentimental, Hannah Nicks; recreation chairman, Michael Rabb; and floor chairman, Jackie Powlledge.

The next club meeting will be held October 5, and all interested people are welcome to attend.

Attention All Eastland County Residents !!!!!!!

You have just two weeks to dig out those crafts you've been meaning to complete for the past two years and have them finished in time for the County Fair. Two weeks is also plenty of time to rummage through your card file for those recipes that you know are better than anyone else's and be ready to enter them as well. Within the past year, there has been a resurgence of community spirit that promises to help make this one

of the best county fairs ever. We would like for all of you to become a part of it.

There are no entry fees in the Home Craft Division. All entries (except baked goods) will be accepted from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Friday, October 2nd, with judging to be held at 2. Baked goods will be accepted from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. Saturday morning, the 3rd. Judging for those entries will be at 9 a.m. Each division will have classes for: adults, youth -

Fall Semester For Religious Education Classes Set

The fall semester for religious education classes for Catholic school children in Eastland County are set to begin Wednesday evening, Sept. 16, according to director Janelle Schrader.

Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) is taught to children from kindergarten through high school.

A special class is also available for those children who have not yet received the sacraments of the Eucharist, Baptism or Confirmation and are of the appropriate age or above to receive them.

The classes meet every Wednesday in the Catholic parishes of Cisco, Eastland and Ranger. The schedule is

kindergarten to 3rd grade, youth - 4th to 7th grade, and youth - 8th to 12th grade. Ribbons will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places and a "Best of Show" ribbon awarded for each division.

We must ask that all entries be left until 5 p.m. on Saturday, October 3rd, for the viewing public to enjoy; but left no later than 6 p.m.

Should you have any questions or wish more information concerning the general rules, please contact Mindy Stephenson (629-8119) or Meg Kennedy (653-2407). Volunteers are also needed to sit with the display booths during the fair. Any time you can donate would be appreciated.

as follows: Holy Rosary, Cisco, 6 to 7 p.m.; St. Rita's, Ranger, 6:30 to 7:30; St. Francis, Eastland, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

More information may be obtained by calling Mrs. Schraer at 442-3329 in Cisco, Cindy Bilby at 629-3147, or St. Rita's rectory at 647-3167.

Pleasant Hill Homemakers Club

The Pleasant Hill Homemakers Club met in the home of our President, Muri Campbell. Seven members attended.

Minutes were read and approved and Arleta Shirey gave the Council report. The County Fair will be on Oct. 3rd and the Council will operate a Dr. Pepper booth and bake sale. This will help raise money for the Treasury. Sr. Citizens Bazaar will be Nov. 5 and 6 at the Rebekka Lodge. Plans will be finalized at next month's meeting. Dorothy Underwood was elected TEHA chairman.

The nominating committee will be Arleta Shirey,

chairman, Allene Smith and Virgie Hale will elect a new president and secretary for the next term starting 1988.

Our program "Exotic Fruits and Vegetables" was presented by Janet Thomas of the Extension office. It was excellent and all the members learned about the newest ways to prepare the newest vegetables and fruits that are in our supermarkets. We also tasted a spaghetti squash and all took new recipes home to try in the near future.

Our next meeting will be at the home of Arleta Shirey, Oct. 8th at 2 p.m.

Thursday, September 17, 1987

Proclamation

OFFICIAL PROCLAMATION

BY:

Scott Bailey, COUNTY JUDGE

Eastland, COUNTY

Eastland, TEXAS

Greetings:

Americans are celebrating the 200th anniversary of the creation of our Constitution. It was signed by its authors, delegates from the American colonies, on September 17, 1787.

The Constitution was developed because the people in the colonies saw the need for a national government which could secure the people's right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

The final manuscript guaranteed that power was derived from the people. It provided checks and balances on that power through three separate branches of government -- the Legislative, Judicial and Executive. This was a novel idea for the time. That the document has survived is a credit to the wisdom and integrity of its authors.

Our constitution and the amendments that have been added through the years have served us well. Because all of our citizens should participate in commemorating the anniversary of this event, I, Scott Bailey, County Judge of Eastland County, do hereby designate September 17-23, 1987, as U. S. CONSTITUTION WEEK in Eastland County, and urge our citizens to give due recognition to this worthy document.

In official recognition thereof, I hereby affix my signature this 14th day of September, 1987.

Signed *Scott Bailey*
Eastland County Judge



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EASTLAND

ALWAYS WANTED A HISTORICAL HOME? 2 story beauty, huge front porch, 4 or 5 BR, 2 baths, den with W/F/F, YOU'LL LOVE IT! E22

UNIQUE 2 STORY 3 BR, 2 1/2 bath home in preferred neighborhood. One year builder's warranty. E5

CLOSE-IN - Large 2 BR, 2 bath, nice kitchen. FHA-VA-CONV. Financeable. E7

PRETTY, PRETTY is the word for this 3 BR, 2 bath, brick with many extras. E20

PLENTY OF SPACE - Fenced yard, large pecan trees, cellar are just some of the extras that go with this 2 BR home. Let's talk terms. E23

LOTS AVAILABLE 75'x150'. \$750 down. Owner financing. E14

PRICED TO SELL! 2 or 3 bedroom, 1 bath older home on large lot, paved street. E18

GREAT FOR YOUNG FAMILY OR RETIREE! 1 1/2 mobile home with 2 BR, 1 bath, cen. H/A, kitchen appliances & washer/dryer. Fenced yard. E17

THIS IS IT! Beautifully landscaped, 3 BR, 2 bath with many extras, approx. 2500 sq. ft. Swimming pool, satellite, sprinkler system. CALL TODAY! E19

LOW DOWN - COME SOLD! PAYMENTS on this 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath brick home. Don't miss! E24

LARGE FAMILY NEEDED TO ENJOY this 1 year-old 4 BR, 2 1/2 bath home in Eastland's newest addition. Storage for Mom, workshop for Dad, plenty of space for the kids. E28

PRICED REDUCED on this near 2 BR, 1 bath home with fenced yard, 25'x40' steel building. SEE THIS ONE TODAY! E2

BEAUTIFUL NEIGHBORHOOD! Spacious and charming older brick home, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, brick home priced right. See Me Now! E16

PRETTY! IM COOL! Energy efficient 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, brick home priced right. See Me Now! E22

PRICED AS A PICTURE! This quality home has it all - prestige location, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, formal dining, large living room, hot tub, in-ground swimming pool, MORE! E11

DRASTICALLY REDUCED! Owner needs immediate sale, so price on this 3 BR frame home is now ONLY \$20,000.00 ACT TODAY. E3

CAN'T BEAT THE PRICE! 2 BR, 1 bath, new plumbing and carpet. SOLD! Appliances. Above ground pool, workshop. E15

COZY COTTAGE, ideal for retirees or small family. 2 BR, 1 bath, near downtown. E16

LOCATION! LOCATION! Hillcrest Addition, 3 BR, 2 bath home with 2 living areas, fireplace, on large wooded site. SEE IT TODAY! E27

"DOLL HOUSE" perfectly remodelled 2 BR home with warm, homey atmosphere. Beautiful country kitchen, much more! E22

PRETTY LOT! 2 BR, 1 bath cottage set among large oak trees. New carpet. OWNER FINANCE. E38

CLOSE TO SCHOOLS-Perfect for small family, 3 BR, 2 bath, WB fireplace, ceiling fans, beautiful trees. Reasonably priced. E39

FIT FOR FAMILY! Totally remodelled, large 2 story home. 4 BR, 2 baths, beautiful custom cabinets, cen. h/a, plenty of storage. E23

PRICED TO SELL! 3 BR frame house over to suit yourself. Large lot. E24

VACANT LOT - COMMERCIAL AREA, near downtown. Frontage on N. Lamar, access from Patterson St. Owner will finance. E20

LOOK! AFFORDABLE BRICK HOME! 7 yrs. old, 3 BR, 2 bath, cen. H/A. Covered patio & fenced yard. E31

LOW DOWN, EXCELLENT FINANCING for qualified buyer! 2 1/2 yr. old 2 BR, 1 1/2 bath home. Cen. H/A, large corner lot. LET US SHOW YOU! E9

CARBON - 2 BR home near school. Large tree shaded corner lot. E3

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Moving to Eastland County? or anywhere in U.S.A. Call Toll Free 1-800-525-8910 Ext. 4365 for information. (No Rentals Please)

MINGUS - 2 story, lots of living area. 3 BR, 2 bath on large lot MUST SEE! E12

LAKE LEON-Near Country Club! Beautiful wooded waterfront lot with furnished cabin, 1 blk. off pavement. E14

CARBON-2 LOTS, all utilities, ready for mobile home. Lawn, fruit & pecan trees, util. bldg. & shop, fenced. E25

LAKE LEON-Deeded Lot, cabin with sleeping porch, excellent condition. Good water, dock. E27

OLDEN-Neat 2 or 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath home, remodelled, built-in stove, D/W. City & well water. Plenty of space around it! E28

CISCO-NEAR SCHOOL, spacious 2 BR, Cen H/A, fenced back yard. Your choice of financing. E29

LAKE LEON-Neat 3 BR, 2 bath, brick home on deeded waterfront lot, under construction. BUY NOW and choose carpet. E13

LAKE LEON-Deeded waterfront lot with 3 BR, 2 bath mobile home. Beautiful yard, city water, dock. MUST SEE TO APPRECIATE! E15

DESDEMONA-PECAN TREES! Young pecan orchard and remodelled 1 1/2 story 3 BR home on 6 lots. Water well. E29

DESDEMONA-DOUBLE LOT, FRUIT TREES, and mobile home with added room, 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath. Gar., Sig., fence. E22

HOUSE WITH ACREAGE

HOME IN COUNTRY ON 8 ACRES! Just great for handyman, the 3 BR, 1 bath home needs work. Beautiful homesite. Priced in HA1

PRICE REDUCED COUNTRY LIVING AT IT'S BEST! 12 plus acres with large 3 BR, 2 bath home. HA18

CARBON - 5 acres, 2 BR, 2 bath, brick home. Cen. H/A, built-in stove, washer and fireplace. Nice tank and garden spot. HA10

225 ACRES NW OF DESDEMONA with 4 BR, brick home or will split off 10 AC & home. 47 acres cult., peanut quota, 3 irrigation wells. HA11

OWNER MAKES IT EASY - \$10,000 down on rustic 3 1/2 year old 2 BR home on 7.9 acres, beautiful oak trees. HAS COUNTRY LIVING. E21

SOLD! BEST - 5 acres with 2 yr. old brick home. IMB. E18

125 ACRES with early 1900's home - joins Eastland City Limits. EXCELLENT TO SUBDIVIDE! Hwy. frontage, rustic, trees. HA8

220 ACRES & 3 BR home near Eastland. Some coastal, native pasture. WILL SPLIT OFF house and 160 ac., house & 1 ac. up, 60 ac. without house. HA14

175.8 ACRES with 3 BR home near Lake Leon. Staff water, well, 6 tanks, 10 ac. cultivable, some irrigation possible. Some minerals, producing well. HA5

NATURE'S WONDERLAND! The quiet beauty of giant oak trees makes ideal setting for attractive 1 1/2 yr. old 3 BR, 2 bath brick home on 15 beautiful acres. HA16

SPACIOUS BRICK SOLD! 36.6 acres, fronts highway and county road.

32 ACRES w/1 with 3 BR home, access to Lake Leon. Staff water & well, stock tank, barn, shed. Producing gas well, 1/8 royalty. HA17

ACREAGE

11.94 AC HWY 80 edge of Cisco. Scenic, trees, pond, shed. Owner financing with approved credit. A6

26.15 Acres on old Highway 80 West. Close to Cisco. A12

50.6 Acres 3 1/2 miles NW of Eastland. Scattered trees, on Leon River. A13

OLDEN - 77 ACRES with beautiful building site. Only \$625.00 per acre! A4

1747 ACRES of range land, a working ranch. Plenty of tanks and plenty of wildlife for the hunter. Some minerals. A7

319 acres 2 mi. S. of I-20. Good tanks, coastal, native pasture, some minerals. WILL DIVIDE. A9

62 AC. SO. OF RANGER - Approx. 18 ac. wooded, deer, turkey, quail; bal. cult. Barn, corral, stock tank, minerals. A3

2.77 ACRES ready for mobile home. Has elec., water & septic tank already installed. A5

239 ACRES REDUCED TO SELL! Some coastal, brush, pasture, 3 tanks. Turkey, deer & minerals. A17

40 ACRES W. Gorman, (SOLD) wells, peanut quota. A8

80 ACRES W. (SOLD) pasture, bottom land. A10

5.29 ACRES, 2 MI FROM DOWNTOWN EASTLAND, beautifully wooded hilltop view, perfect for building, city water. A14

46 ACRES - WOODED, GREAT HUNTING! Natural grasses, large stocked lake, good fence. A16

11 1/2 ACRES, COMMERCIAL FRONTAGE I-20. Stock tank, fenced. Olden water available. A15

COMMERCIAL

SUPER COMMERCIAL LOCATION! N. Seaman near downtown. Corner lot with small building, and vacant lot. Shop, office or business. C10

RETAIL BUSINESS - LADIES' WEAR! Excellent location, 125 ft. building and inventory. EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY! C1

LAKE LEON - GROCERY, GAS, BAIT BUSINESS. Aft. 3 BR, trailer & RV hookups, on 7.4 ac. with lake frontage. PRICED TO SELL! C2

PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY - Main Street, near downtown. Large corner lot, old building. C3

MOVING BUSINESS - EVERYTHING YOU'LL NEED! Hard to obtain local & long haul permits, vehicles & some equipment. GREAT PRICE - CALL US! C6

PETROLEUM BUISOLD! Excellent downtown corner location. Lots of potential. C4

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CISCO HOMES

Call for information on HUD REPOSSESSIONS.

Sacrifice at \$15,000. - Recently remodeled 4 BR, 1 3/4 bath home, central heat, refrig. air, large corner lot.

Neat, cozy 2 BR frame on W. 13th, separate DR, utility room, storage bldg., huge pecan trees.

Starter home, 2 BR frame on approx. 2 lots for only \$1,500. down and owner could finance bal. of \$9,500. at 8% int.

We have a number of other 2 or 3 BR low priced homes under \$14,000., some with owner financing available.

Priced to sell at \$22,000., spacious 3 BR, 1 3/4 baths, central H/A, double garage, huge yard, big trees, owner fin. available.

New kitchen cabinets, large 2 BR with central H/A, room above double garage could be an apartment.

Humbletown area, very nice energy efficient 2 BR home, wooden deck, garage, beautifully landscaped yard.

Great buy, 2 BR home with garage and 3 lots only \$14,000. or house and 9 lots for \$21,000.

Country Club Road - spacious 2 BR rock home with central H/A, double garage, workshop, on about an acre with orchard.

Extra large 2 BR, 2 bath remodeled home, central H/A, pretty carpet, huge pecan trees, double garage, owner fin. available.

Look at this! Large 2 BR, formal DR, fireplace, central H/A, new carpet, beautiful landscaped yard.

Spacious 2 or 3 BR, vinyl siding, storm windows, covered deck, double garage, workshop, 2 lots, privacy fenced.

Completely remodeled, very nice 2 BR home on 4 lots, large shop with concrete slab and 3 phase wiring, beautiful yard, fenced, lots of trees, water well, all city utilities.

Quiet neighborhood, roomy 3 BR, 1 3/4 baths, formal DR, breakfast nook, double garage plus workshop.

Edge of town, large 2 BR brick with garage and carport.

Beautiful large 2 BR, formal DR, den could be 3rd BR, carport, storage bldg., 3 lots, 18 large pecan trees.

Large 3 BR, 1 1/2 baths, central heat, cabinets galore, numerous closets, FHA assumption available with \$3,500. down.

Cute 3 BR, 1 3/4 baths, central H/A, attached 2 car garage, fenced back yard, approx. 2 lots.

Large 3 BR, 1 3/4 baths, central H/A, siding, surrounded by oak and fruit trees, water well, 1 1/2 lots plus a 2 BR home that could be a great mother-in-law home.

Nicely decorated 3 or 4 BR, 1 3/4 bath stone and brick, 2 living areas, central H/A, fireplace plus a woodburning heater, new carpet, enormous yard with beautiful trees.

New shop and oak trees add to this charming 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick, central H/A, large LR, sep. den with fireplace.

Extra nice, spacious 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick, central H/A, fireplace in den, sep. LR, gameroom, carport, storage.

Custom deluxe, spacious 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick home, energy efficient, large office could be 4th BR, central H/A, woodburning fireplace, sky lights, intercom system, attached 2 car garage, beautiful landscaped yard and many extras.

GREAT FAMILY HOMES, A nice selection of brick or frame, large 2 story homes in various price ranges are available, reasonable priced, please call for more information.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES

Good commercial location with plenty of parking space plus a spacious 2 BR frame home.

Large metal building with 4 lots, excellent location.

Spacious office building, built approx. 5 years ago, reception area, conference room, 3 offices, central H/A, 2 1/2 lots.

On busy street, large shop with office space, extra parking.

ACREAGE AND COUNTRY HOMES

36.81 acres, mostly cleared with some trees, 2 tanks, barn, good fences, tractor and equipment remain, only \$24,000.

76 acres with barn, pens and a tank, approx. 50 acres in coastal, remainder is thickly wooded.

Approx. 164 acres, thickly wooded, mostly oak trees, shallow water well and a tank, \$425. per acre.

Approx. 158 acres, partially wooded, some cultivation, 2 tanks, nice home sites, highway frontage, \$475. per acre.

About 7 1/2 acres with tank and barn in Cisco.

Country Home, large rooms, brick veneer, lots of nice cabinets, central H/A, also nice 2 BR bunk house, approx. 1 1/2 acres.

4 BR, 1 3/4 bath, 2 story home on approx. 8 acres, barn, and shed, water well, \$27,000.

30.57 acres, fenced and cross fenced, approx. 20 acres coastal, 7 water wells, irrigation system, tank, city water, 4 large outbuildings, very nice 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath brick veneer home, central H/A, surrounded by oak and pecan trees.

CALL FOR INFORMATION ON CUSTOM BUILT HOMES AND COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS.

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EASTLAND HOMES AND LOTS

Lake Leon, 2 BR, 2 Bath w/large lot, CH/CA, Rock Fireplace, Staff Water, Boat House w/Lift, 1.4 ac. Deeded Waterfront Lot, \$70,000.

Lake Leon, Like New 2 BR w/large Basement, CH/CA, Fireplace, Boat House, Pretty Lot, Possible Owner Finance, \$60,000.

Lake Leon, Unique 2 BR, 2 Bath on 2 1/2 Deeded Lots (Approx. 1 ac.), Enormous Living Area, Fireplace, Fruit Trees, Staff Water, \$47,500.

Lake Leon, Just Completed, 3 BR, 2 Bath Brick Home, Redwood Deck, Staff Meter, Waterfront Lot, \$85,000.

Lake Leon, Large 4 BR, 1 1/2 Bath, Staff Water, Deeded Waterfront Lot, Lots of Potential, Near Country Club, \$49,500.

Dutch "A" Frame, 2 BR, 2 Bath w/2 Lots, Carpet, Builtins, Drapes, Ceiling Fans, Wood Stove, & More, \$39,500.

Hillcrest Addition, 3 BR, 1 1/2 Bath Home, Large Master Bedroom, Excellent Location, won't last long at this price! \$36,000.

Owner Will Finance, 3 BR Home w/5 additional wooded lots, plus mobile home hookup, all for \$18,000.

Brand New! 3 BR, 2 Bath Brick Home, CH/CA, Fireplace w/Blower, Carpet, Builtins, Some Wallpaper, Covered Patio, Oakhollow Addition, \$72,500.

Nice 3 BR, 1 1/2 Bath Brick Home, CH/CA, Ceiling Fan, Carpet, Builtins, plus cool & shady enclosed Lattice-Work Patio, \$46,500.

Charming 2-Story on Corner Lot, 3 BR, 1 1/2 Bath, Brick, CH/CA, Builtins, Privacy Fence, Excellent Neighborhood, Near Schools, \$78,000.

Nearly New! Beautiful 3 BR, 2 1/2 Bath Brick Home on 64.4 ac., This approx. 3500 sq. ft. Home is Exceptional, many, many extras! Call to See!

Oakhollow Addition, Pretty 3 BR, 2 Bath Brick Home featuring the "Great Room" floor plan, CH/CA, Fireplace, Carpet, Ceiling Fans, Builtins, \$75,000.

Two Nice Brick Duplexes & One 4-Plex for sale in Eastland, Excellent Rental Property, call for details!

Attractive 2 BR Home within walking distance to Grocery Store & Doctor, Small Equity and Assume FHA Loan, \$36,000.

Owner Finance w/Small Down-payment, 2 BR, Hardwood Floors, French Doors between Living Rm. & Dining Rm., \$17,500.

W. Main Street, This 2 BR House would make Commercial Property, & can be bought at Residential Price! \$15,000.

Investor's Bargain! \$7,500 is the total price on this Duplex (could be 3 BR, 2 Bath Home.)

2 BR, 1 Bath, Brick, CH/CA, Carpet, 2 Stor. Bldgs., 2-Car Carport, Fireplace, 3 Ceiling Fans, 2 Lots, \$36,500.

Oakhollow, Comfortable 3 BR, 2 1/2 Bath Brick Home, Huge Gameroom, Swimming Pool, Jacuzzi, Guest House, and More! Must See!

Stately Oak Trees surround this large 2 BR (could be 3), Corner Lot (4 Lots in all), Good Terms, \$26,000.

3 BR, Sep. Dining Rm., Carpet, Pecan Trees, Garden Spot, plus 6 Lots, \$25,000.

Assumable FHA Loan! 3 BR, 2 Bath Frame Home, Big Playroom, Formal Dining Rm., \$30,000.

Pretty Hillcrest Addition, Lovely 2 BR, CH/CA, Carpet, Freshly Painted, Appliances, Nicely Wooded Lot, \$42,500.

Price Reduction! 2 BR, CH/CA, Builtins, Carpet, New Roof, Approx. 1600 sq. ft., plus guest house in back, \$31,000.

Large 2 BR, 1 1/2 Bath, Sep. Living Areas w/Big Den, CH/CA, Carpet, Appliances, Double Carport, Income Producing Apt. in Back, \$30,000.

2 BR (could be 3), 1 1/2 Bath, Two Liv. Areas, Sep. Din. Rm., 2-Car Carport, Fenced Backyard, Huge Pecan Trees, Near Hospital, \$37,500.

1 1/2 Story, Approx. 1600 Sq. Ft. Living Area, 3 BR, \$22,500.

Large 2 BR, Formal Liv. & Din. rms., den, fireplace, big oak trees, extra lot, \$39,000.

Country Living w/City Conveniences, also ideal Commercial location, Unique Home on approx. 1 ac., \$110,000.

Remodeled 2 BR, CH/CA, Carpet, \$29,300.

2 BR, Completely Remodeled, CH/CA, New Roof, 4 Ceiling Fans, Large Closets, Well Insulated, \$35,000.

3 BR, 1 1/2 Bath, CH/CA, Ceiling Fans, 2-Car Carport, Fenced Backyard, New Roof, \$33,500.

Approx. 2 ac. w/Nice 3 BR, 2 Bath Mobile Home, CH/CA, Carpet, Drapes, City Water, Builtins, \$32,000.

Super Cute 2 BR Frame w/Brick Trim, CH/CA, Carpet, Custom Drapes, \$32,000.

3 BR, 1 1/2 Bath Brick Home, CH/CA, Carpet, Builtins, Corner Lot, Lots of Space for the money! \$48,500.

16 ac. Tract near Eastland, Owner Finance w/\$500 dn.

Owner Finance, 94' x 140' wooded lot, \$3,500.

We have Top-End Executive Homes with

all the amenities! Call for appointment to see!

HUD & VA REPOS available in Eastland County, call for details.

HOMES AND LOTS: CARBON, GORMAN, CISCO, RANGER, OLDEN

Cisco, Make Offer, Must Sell to Settle Estate, Brick Duplex, or could be 4 BR, 2 Bath Home, \$29,900.

Cisco, Nice 4 BR, 1 1/2 Bath Brick Home, CH/CA, Carpet, Builtins, \$35,000.

Carbon, 2 BR, 1 1/2 Bath w/3 lots, city water, paved street, \$23,500.

Carbon, 3 BR, 2 Bath Mobile Home, 14' x 80', covered porch, 3 lots, \$20,000.

Cisco, 2 Residential Lots, Good Location, \$3,500.

Lake Cisco Area, 3 BR Mobile Home w/added rm., \$5,000.

Olden, 4 BR, 1 1/2 Bath on 1.065 ac., sep. liv. areas, \$37,500.

Olden, 3 BR, 1 1/2 Bath Brick Home on approx. 1 ac., \$75,000.

Ranger, 28 Lots (5 ac.), city water, two mobile home hookups, \$6,000.

LAND: FARMS, RANCHES, & SMALL ACREAGE WITH HOMES

64.4 ac. near Eastland, abt. 20 ac. coastal, 4 tanks, 2 water wells, good fences, 40' x 30' Barn w/loft & insulated workrooms, plus nearly new 3500 sq. ft. Beautiful Brick Home, Olden Water Supply.

214 ac. w/3 BR, 2 Bath Brick Home, 3 Tanks, 5 Water Wells, Good Fences, Some Coastal, Barn, and abt. 5% of 27 Oil Wells, \$302,000.

164 ac., Oak Trees & Pasture, 1 Tank, Shallow Water Well, Assumable Loan, \$425 per ac.

320 ac. SW Eastland, fenced & crossfenced, 4 tanks, some coastal, 1/4 min., \$500 per ac.

167 ac., 112 ac. cult., 2 tanks, 1/4 min. (8 wells), Owner Fin., \$500 per ac.

27.96 ac., all wooded & pasture, \$300 per ac., or \$400 per ac. w/1/2 Minerals.

120 ac. SE Eastland, Oak Trees, Love Grass & Blue Stem, Running Creek, 2 Tanks, Some Min., \$600 per ac.

40 ac. Wooded Tract, Owner Finance, Easy Terms, \$36,000.

20 ac. Near Lake Leon, 1 tank, mostly kline grass, owner fin., \$27,000.

166 ac. NW Eastland, good fences, \$625 per ac.

136.7 ac., 30 ac. cult. & rest in coastal, lovegrass, & K.R., good fences, 4 tanks, water well, 20 pecan trees, \$90,000.

220 ac. near Eastland, Native Pecans, Leon River, Nice 3 BR, 2 Bath Home, Barns, Hwy. Frontage, & More! Call for details.

249.3 ac., 2 tanks, Sabana River, 140 ac. cult. & rest pasture, oak, & pecan trees, 1/2 min., \$675 per ac.

492 ac. N. of Eastland, fenced & crossfenced, 4 tanks, 1 water well, 120 ac. coastal & kline, \$500 per ac.

COMMERCIAL

Ladies Retail Sportswear Business, an inventory & fixtures, ideal situation, step into established Eastland Business, call for details!

S-120 Frontage, Eastland, 38.693 ac. land w/large metal bldg., \$214,000.

10' x 24' Customized Beauty Shop Bldg., Beamed Ceiling, Parquet Lanoleum, Refrig. Air, 1 Rest Room, Built-in Beauty Station Cabinet, \$5,500.

1-20 & Hwy. 6, Eastland, Just Listed! Property on all four corners, 2.08 ac., 7.69 ac., 8.79 ac., and 5.03 ac. tracts. Priced to sell!

Florist Business, plus large 2-Story Victorian Home w/basement & attic, \$65,000.

Brick Duplex, 2 BR, 1 1/2 Bath ea. side, CH/CA, Carpet, Builtins, \$50,000.

House & Lot on W. Main in Eastland, \$15,000.

4-Plex Apartment Bldg., Brick/Wood, 2 BR ea. unit, CH/CA, \$95,000.

12' x 32' Morgan Bldg. w/2 offices, kit., restroom, also has a 28' x 34' metal bldg. & 8' x 8' stor. shed, \$20,000.

Commercial Lot next to the Maynard Bldg., Hwy. 80 E., Eastland, \$65,000.

Corner Lot w/1800 sq. ft. Bldg., established business location, \$48,500.

FOR RENT

Office or Business Space in the Maynard Bldg., Hwy. 80 E., Eastland.

3 BR, 2 Bath Home, \$325 per mo.

4 BR, 1 1/2 Bath in Cisco, \$300 per mo.

2 BR, CH/CA, Will be available in late September, \$325 per mo.

YOUR HOME, LAND, AND COMMERCIAL LISTINGS ARE WELCOMED!

WE BUILD NEW HOMES ON YOUR LOT OR OURS.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS!!

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ROSEMARY FERGUSON 653-2375
ASSOCIATE

**RISING STAR HIGH SCHOOL
1987 WILDCAT ROSTER**

Number	Name	Weight	Height	Class
10	Steve Wilson	130	5'7"	Junior
11	Jimmy Evans	115	5'6"	Freshman
17	David White	165	5'11"	Senior
20	Cody Wilson	110	5'5"	Sophomore
23	Brian Bailey	145	5'6"	Freshman
24	Brandon Carroll	110	5'8"	Sophomore
25	Kevin Bond	170	5'10"	Junior
30	Ronnie Evans	115	5'8"	Senior
32	Reil Barron	155	6'1"	Junior
33	Stacy Green	200	6'0"	Junior
40	Donny Alcorn	145	5'7"	Freshman
42	Larry Hollis	135	5'8"	Freshman
44	Derrick White	180	5'11"	Sophomore
52	Roanen Barron	255	6'0"	Sophomore
60	Toby Long	150	5'11"	Sophomore
61	John Flores	205	5'10"	Senior
65	Alan Havens	175	6'3"	Sophomore
69	Tim O'Connor	180	5'10"	Senior
71	Kerry Hill	165	5'8"	Senior
75	Lupe Pavon	205	6'0"	Senior
77	Cory Atwood	260	5'10"	Senior
78	James Holman	200	6'1"	Senior
80	Johnny House	130	5'8"	Junior
82	Allan Holman	190	6'2"	Junior
83	Shawn Morrow	140	5'11"	Junior
85	Shannon Bailey	125	5'10"	Sophomore

Coaches:
James Cox, Head
Dan Goodman, Assistant

Cheerleaders:
Anna Ezzell, Sponsor; Maxine Perales, Head; Becky Walker, Assistant; Jennifer Linney, Sec.; Renee O'Connor, Treas.; Meredith Hamblen, Rep.; Juanita Ramirez, Mascot.

Band:
Tim Riley, Director; Drum Major: La Quita Hendricks;
Twirlers: Stephanie Long, Joe Beth Landers
School Colors: Blue & Gold
Mascot: Wildcat



'87 FOOTBALL




JUNIOR HIGH 1987

Sep. 17	Tolar	Away 6
Oct. 1	Gorman	Away 6:30
Oct. 8	Evant	Home 6:30
Oct. 15	Baird	Away 6:30
Oct. 22	Rochelle	Away 6:30
Oct. 29	Lometa	Home 6:30
Nov. 5	Blanket	Away 6:30
Nov. 12	Santa Anna	Home 6:30

**RISING STAR WILDCATS
FOOTBALL SCHEDULE
VARSITY, 1987**

Sep. 4	Santo	Away 8
Sep. 11	Cross Plains	Away 8
Sep. 18	Tolar	Home 8
Sep. 25 Open		
Oct. 2	Gorman	Home 7:30
Oct. 9	Evant	Away 7:30
Oct. 16	Baird	Home 7:30
Oct. 23	Rochelle	Home 7:30
Oct. 30	Lometa	Away 7:30
Nov. 7	Blanket	Home 7:30
Nov. 13	Santa Anna	Away 7:30

District games begin October 2; October 23 will be Parents' Night; and the homecoming game will be November 7.

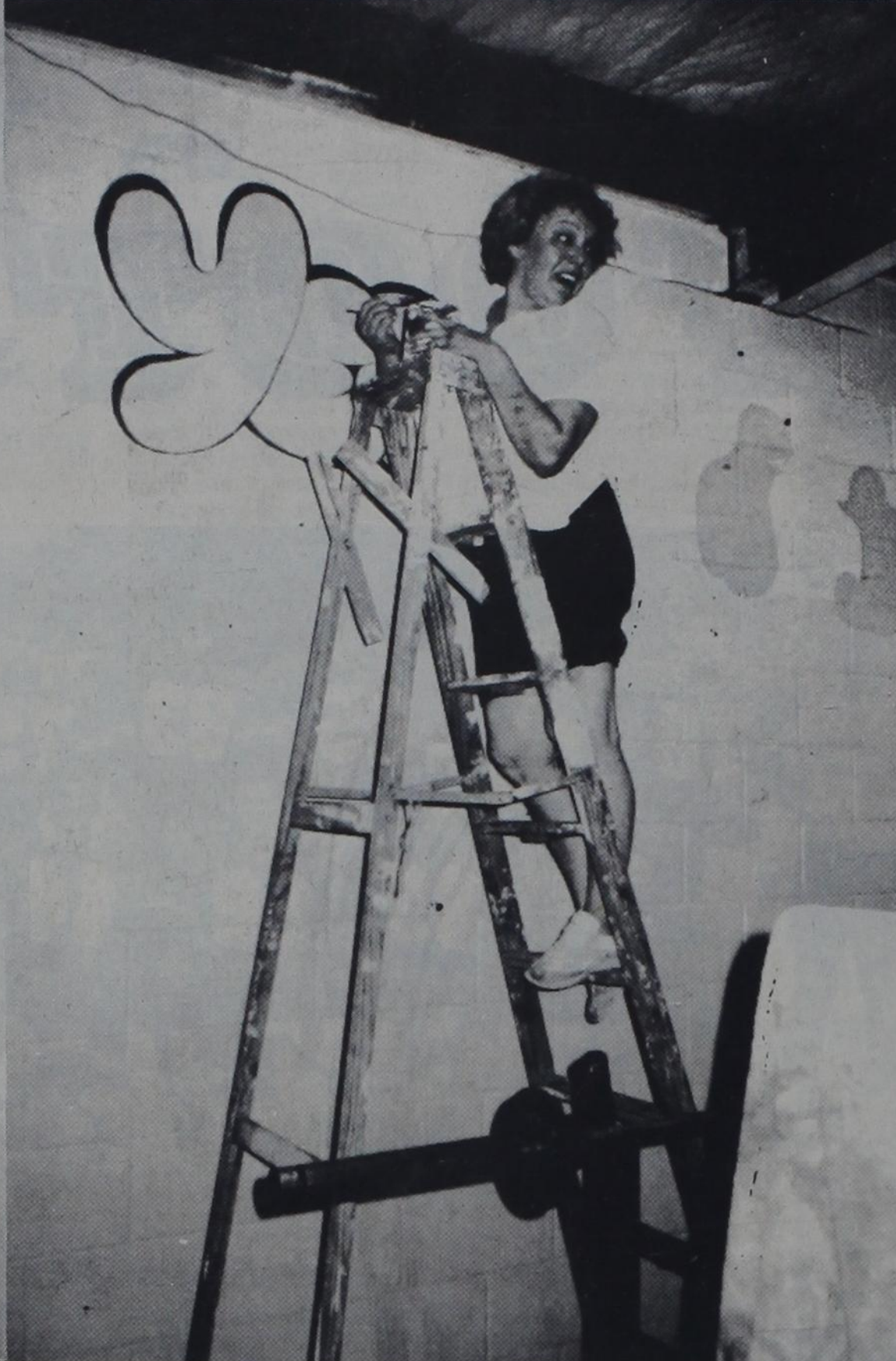


Kountry Kitchen 643-6831	Kizer Insurance Agency 643-4421	Jenkins Insurance Agency 643-1161	Rising Star Chamber of Commerce 643-1161
Palace Drug Store 643-3231	Dr. B.T. Carpenter 643-3141	Star Plaza Truck Stop - 643-1000 Restaurant - 643-1404 Western Motel - 643-7206	Rising Star Nursing Center 643-2681
Buddy's Plumbing & Appliances 643-7321	Winfrey Feed & Peanut 643-6251	Pioneer Farmers Cooperative 725-6564	Jim Ratliff Welding 643-6464
Higginbotham's 643-2271	Medley Motor Co. 643-6211	Chuck Wagon Cafe 643-3025	Mike's Fina 300 W. College
Butler Texaco 643-3261	The Rising Star 643-4141	Rising Star Emergency Medical Service 643-3001	Chambers Grocery 643-5292
D&T Building Supplies 643-4131	Family Food Store 643-2221	GO CATS!	The Quik Stop 643-1441
MainStreet Auto Repair 643-1701	L & C Auto 643-3082	Rising Star Exxon 643-3130	Coca-Cola Bottling Hwy. 80 E.- Eastland 629-2037

Booster Club Spruces Up The Dressing Rooms



Joy Harris, back, and Debra White



Clara Schlittler



From the back, Scott Murphree, Debbie Green, Rita Wilson, and Shelly Bailey.

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Wildcats Fall Under Buffalos

The third quarter saw the Cat defense come out with a bang as defensive lineman Cory Atwood's hit caused a fumble and end James Holman recovered. The offense failed to capitalize and again the Cats went on defense, holding the Buffs and forcing Apple to punt. The resulting fake turned into a 15 yard gain and Cross Plains had four more downs. The Cat defense held again when safety David White picked off his first interception of the season. The offense again failed to find the end zone. Cross Plains' final score came with one second left on the third quarter clock. Buff quarterback Gregg Weiss broke out for a 84 yard dash to the end zone. The try for two points was no good and the Cats trailed 30 to 13.

The fourth quarter the Cats defense held Cross Plains to only 26 total yards but it was too late. Wildcat David White recovered Cross Plains' second fumble. The offense took over and the Cats put the ball in the air, but could not hang on to the pigskin with any consistency. Rising Star's final

score came with 51 seconds left in the game as quarterback David White ran around the end for five yards and the end zone. Tailback Derrick White's run for two points was good and the final buzzer went off with Rising Star losing to Cross Plains 21-30.

Rising Star	Cross Plains
23	1st downs 19
51-171	Rushing 47-323
82	Passing 38
253	Total yds 361
1	Fmbals lost 2
4-46	Punt avg 2-21
8-60	Pnltly yd 9-57
4	Penetrations 6
9-27-0	Pas compl, int 2-7-2

Individual statistics are as follows: Rushing: Derrick White, 1252; Stacy Green 946, 2 TD; Kevin Bond, 1232; David White, 1327, 1 TD; Steven Wilson, 514.

Receiving: Reil Barron, 441; Stacy Green, 327; Derrick White, 214.

Tackles: Stacy Green, 12; Derrick White, 6½; James Holman, 6; Reil Barron, 5½; Cory Atwood, 4; David White, 3½; Lupe Pavon, 2½; Alan Havens, 2½; Kevin Bond, 2; Toby Long, 1; Steve Wilson, 1; Kerry Hill, 1; Tim O'Connor, 1; John Flores, ½.

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Enrollment Is Up

Our second grade teacher, Viola P. Tyler, is new to the elementary school faculty. Returning teachers are Patsy Allen, Fifth; Fran Ferrell, Seventh; Jean Hardwick, Sixth; Johnnie Sue Lancaster, Special Education, Vella Rae Pallette, First, Beth Renfro, Kindergarten; Donna Sublett, Fourth, and Lynda Wheeler, Third. Mrs. Ferrell is the junior high drill team sponsor.

Two additions have been made to the teacher aide staff, Eugenia Chambers,

First and Second Grade, and Charlsie Richardson, Kindergarten. Ann Kelton is the Chapter 1 Aide; Karen Power, Administrative Aide; and Sue Rhodes, Library Aide.

Cafeteria employees are Cleo White, Head; Evelyn Petross; Beverly Pittman; and Edith Simmons. The head of maintenance is Hill Thomas with Charlotte Spinks on the custodial staff. Bus drivers are Shirley Epley, Ralph Murray, Charlotte Spinks and Bill Terpening.

City Tax Rebate Still Dropping

AUSTIN, TX. - State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday sent checks totaling \$99.7 million in local sales tax payments to the 1034 cities that levy the one percent city tax.

Bullock said the monthly allocations were down 7.4 percent in August compared to the 1986 August allocations.

August checks represent taxes collected on sales in June and during the second quarter and reported to the Comptroller by July 20.

Rising Star: Net payment this period \$3,452.63, comparable payment prior year \$3,617.50; 1987 payments to date, \$13,628.91; 1986 payments to date, \$18,186.59; percent change to date, -25.06%.

West Texas Fair Results

Judging at the West Texas Fair at Abilene began September 11 and the fair continues through September 19.

Results of the judging include several winning entrants from May. In the Quilt Division Linda Lancaster placed third in machine quick piecing, second in pieced pillows, second in applique, placed for a tote bag with hand quilting and for a machine quilted tote bag, and received a first on a vest. She also entered stenciling and calligraphy in the amateur Decorative Painting division.

Katy Lancaster received first in colored nature entries in the Senior (ages 14-18) division of Youth Photography; in Youth Fine Arts she placed second in landscapes and first in animal subjects. In Youth Clothing she placed third in sportswear, third in jackets/pants/skirts, first in loungewear, third in dress/sundress, first in denim wear and third in blouses. In Youth Needlework Katy placed first in small quilted items, first in needlepoint, first in applique articles (a hoop), first in sewn dolls, third in holiday articles, first in sewn household accessory (a basket) and second in collars. In Youth Canned Foods she won a third in jelly, second in jam, third in preserves, second in canned vegetables and first with a chow chow relish.

In the division of Antiques & Collectibles Jaci Tischler of May received a third place for her entry of a 4th grade reader in child's book, a first for a metal box, a second for a churn in glass kitchen articles, a third for a platter in pottery and a third in bottles.

Natalie Tischler placed second in the Senior division of Youth Clothing in jackets/pants/skirts. Carolyn Tischler placed first in miles-a-minute afghan in the

Knitting and Crochet division. Venus Tischler placed first in the Seniors division of Youth Needlework in latch hook and third in collars.

In Youth Clothing Jennifer Freeman of May placed first in sportswear, first in loungewear, third in denim wear, in jackets/blouse and second in accessories. In Youth Needlework, Juniors (ages 9-13), Jennifer placed third in pillows, second in latch hook, in applique articles and first in sewn household accessory. In Youth Canned Foods she placed third in junior cucumber pickles, second in jams, third in preserves, third in canned fruit and third in canned vegetables.

In Youth Fine Arts Susan Noel Freeman placed third in animal subjects. John Freeman placed third in decorated wreaths in Hobbies and Crafts. Mark Freeman placed third in animals in Woodworking & Stained Glass. In Antiques & Collectibles Grace Freeman placed first in child's clothing.

Judy Tidwell of May placed second in crocheted infant wearing apparel in Knitting and Crochet, and in Antiques & Collectibles a second in time pieces and a third in child's clothing, accessory.

Results in cattle judging in Junior Limousin include Kerstin Gerhardt of Eastland Co. 4H taking a first place and Lee DeLong of Brown Co. 4H a third place in class #3 heifer calves.

Scott's Oak Grove Farms of Rising Star had first place in Females class #2; Division I champion female, Reserve grand champion female, Division II reserve champion bull, and reserve grand champion bull. Also, Sam Scott showed first place bull in class #16 and Bishop Boys, Scott's Oak Grove Farms showed the second place bull in class #21.

Media and Advertising

What do you think of the news media and advertising? Published in this issue of your local newspaper is a 20-question survey in which the public is given the opportunity to answer the above question.

Those questions are seeking to determine advertising, reading and listening habits, as well as the public's opinion of the news media. And although it's not necessary to answer every question, there's space provided for local respondents

to further detail their viewpoints.

The names of respondents are needed to verify the authenticity of returns, but the identity of each will be protected on a totally confidential basis.

Conducted by a statewide marketing interest, results of the poll could well determine the nature of advertising in this area reads, sees and hears in the future.

Readers are requested to consider participating in this survey.

CAPITOL UPDATE

by Jim Parker

This week I would like to make a few comments about the State Board of Education and where that body is going in the future.

As you well know the State Board of Education is supposedly the policy-making body for public education throughout our state. The State Board members had, prior to H.B. 72, been elected from 29 districts which corresponded with congressional districts. H.B. 72, through the efforts and influence of H. Ross Perot, changed that Board from being an elected board to at least a temporarily appointed board. The membership was reduced from 29 to 15, in theory, making it more manageable.

As the matter stood the Board would once again become an elected board, with 8 members being elected in 1988 and the remaining 7 being elected in 1989. It seems Mr. Perot does not trust an elected board so the Legislature was induced (I suppose a man with one billion dollars can do a lot of inducing) to pass legislation which will appear as Referendum No. 1 on the November ballot and, if passed, will allow the State Board to remain an appointed board.

In my opinion the State Board issue was a settled fact. A deal is a deal and Mr. Perot shouldn't be allowed to change the structure that had previously been agreed to. He says we can get better

10K AND 2K FUN RUN

The Roaring Ranger 10K and 2K Fun Run will be held on Saturday, September 26, in downtown Ranger, Texas. Runners will hit the brick streets at 8:00 a.m. and compete for medals in four women's and four men's divisions. There will be a 2K walk division also. All participants who finish the course will be given a souvenir T-shirt.

Registration will begin at 7:00 a.m. downtown at the Lion's Cowboy Cookout Breakfast. Entry fee is \$8 for the 10K and \$5 for the 2K. Any runner wishing to participate should contact Guyla Smith or Cindy Murray at 817-647-5390.

Thursday, September 17, 1987

Contel Will Have New Number to Call

Contel's Western District service office in Andrews is getting ready to provide a new telephone number for customers who have questions about their bills or unfamiliar long distance calls. Effective September 21, customers can call 915-524-1222, which is a toll-free number from any Contel serving area.

Telephone numbers for Contel's repair service (915-523-7321) and service order requests (915-524-1110) will not change and will continue to be toll-free numbers from any Contel serving area.

Mickey Martin, Contel's telephone services manager, explains the change. "By adding another customer service number in our office, we can redirect the flow of traffic. This means we will be able to provide a quicker response to billing questions and complete customers' service orders more promptly."

Later this month customers will receive in their bills a sticker that has the new telephone number printed on it. The sticker should be placed inside customers' telephone directories.

Local Survey

YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONNAIRE is seeking valuable insight into this community's reading, listening, viewing and shopping habits. Please complete these 20 questions (or any part of them), clip out this form and return it by mail to the address listed below. Your information is vitally needed to determine an accurate profile of local opinions as regarding the media. Replies are confidential.

- DO YOU USUALLY LISTEN TO THE RADIO? YES NO
- WHICH IS YOUR FAVORITE RADIO STATION? _____
- DO YOU READ THE NEWSPAPER? YES NO
- WHICH IS YOUR FAVORITE NEWSPAPER? _____
- DO YOU SUBSCRIBE TO CABLE TV? YES NO
- WHICH IS YOUR FAVORITE TV STATION? _____
- DO YOU READ CIRCULARS RECEIVED BY MAIL? YES NO
- WHICH DO YOU READ AND RETAIN THE LONGEST?
 - Ads printed as a part of the newspaper
 - Ad sections inserted in the newspaper
 - Ads in the mailed circulars
- DO YOU THROW-AWAY MAIL CIRCULARS WITHOUT READING THEM? YES NO
- DO YOU THROW-AWAY NEWSPAPER AD INSERTS WITHOUT READING THEM? YES NO
- DO YOU THROW-AWAY THE NEWSPAPER WITHOUT READING IT? YES NO
- DO YOU REDEEM COUPONS FROM THE NEWSPAPER? YES NO
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- IF YOU READ NEWSPAPERS, DO YOU VOTE? YES NO
- WHERE DO YOU OBTAIN THE MOST INFORMATION ABOUT ELECTIONS?
 - Radio Newspapers TV Others
- WHAT IS THE BEST SOURCE FOR LOCAL NEWS?
 - Radio Newspapers TV Others
- WHICH WOULD YOU PREFER FOR RETAILERS TO CARRY THEIR ADS?
 - Radio Newspapers TV Others
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