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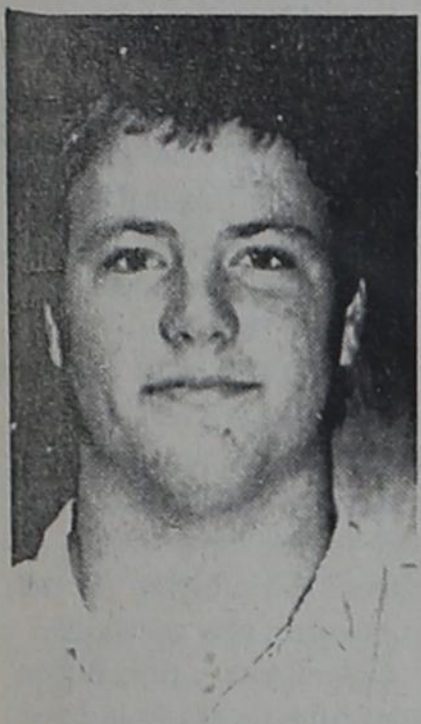
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## May Tigers Named To All-State



**GUYLE DONHAM**

Guyle Donham, 6-0, 215 lb. center for May Tigers, has been named center on first team offense for the 1989 All-State lineup selected by the Texas Six-Man Coaches Association.

He was also named center on second team 1989 All-Area Football in the *Abilene Reporter-News* selections and *Fort Worth Star Telegram* named Guyle lineman on its 1989 All-Area first team defense. He was named center, first team offense, in 1989 All-District selections.

The senior was selected as a representative to play in the Six-Man All-Star Football Game to be played in Stephenville in the summer.

Guyle was named to the 1988 All-State Academic Team, honorable mention offensive center on the 1988 All-State team, center on the 1988 All-District team and honorable mention offensive end on the 1987 All-District team.

His parents are Mike and Evelyn Donham and he is the grandson of Helen Donham.

Guyle plans to attend either Baylor University or Texas A&M University in the fall.

Scotty Ford was named linebacker on first team defense of the 1989 All-State Football Team chosen by Texas Six-Man Coaches Association.

The 6-0, 180 lb. senior was named quarterback and first team linebacker on the 1989 All-Area team selected by *Abilene Reporter-News* and linebacker first team defense 1989 All-Area by *Fort Worth Star Telegram*. He was also first team quarterback on the 1989 All-District Football Team.

Scotty will be one of two representatives from the May Tigers in the Six-Man All-Star Football Game to be played in Stephenville next summer.

He was on the 1988 All-State Academic Team, 1988 All-State second team defensive linebacker, 1988 All-Area quarterback and linebacker and 1988 All-District quarterback and linebacker. He was named to second team offense as quarterback and second team defense as linebacker on the 1987 All-District lineup.

Scotty is making plans to attend Southwest Texas State in San Marcos.

He is the son of Travis and Lynda Ford and the grandson of Mrs. Bob Ford.



**SCOTTY FORD**



**BRANDON GEYE** of May 4H won showmanship honors in both the cattle and swine divisions at the Brown County Youth Fair Jan. 13. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Geye of Rising Star.

## Wildcats on All-State Team



**DERRICK WHITE**

Derrick White was named running back on the first team in the 1989 All-State Football Team selections.

The 6-0, 210, senior back and linebacker for Rising Star was selected for the 1989 All-Area first team by the *Abilene Reporter-News*. He rushed for 2,055 yards and 30 touchdowns, was in on 127 tackles, had

nine quarterback sacks, six fumble recoveries and two pass interceptions.

He was named Offensive Player of the Year in the

1989 All-Area selections made by *Fort Worth Star Telegram*. He was named running back on first team offense and linebacker on first team defense in the 1989 All-District Football lineup.

Derrick received honorable mention as running back on the 1988 All-Area team. He was defensive lineman first team and running back first team offense in the 1988 All-District selections.

He gained over 1000 yards rushing both his junior and sophomore years. Derrick was named running back first team and linebacker second team in the 1987 All-District picks. In 1986, his freshman year, he was center second team and honorable mention defensive back on the All-District team.

A senior honor student, Derrick hasn't made a decision about his plans for the fall.

He is the son of Danny and Debbie White and the grandson of Ione White and Bill and Faye Medley.



**TOBY LONG**

Toby Long was named honorable mention linebacker on the 1989 All-State Football Team. A senior, he was captain on the Rising Star Wildcat team the past two years.

He named to the first team as defensive linebacker and was offensive center in the 1989 All-District Football selections.

He was offensive lineman first team and defensive linebacker second team on the 1988 All-District Football lineup.

Toby, an honor student, plans to attend either Texas A&M University or Tarleton State University after graduation.

He is the son of Tony and Barbara Long and the grandson of C.W. and Geraldine Richter.

## Chamber of Commerce



LaDena and C.W. Best, center and right, are welcomed as recent new members of the Rising Star Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture by Gene Lyon, president.

The Bests are owners of Best Fast Foods, located on U.S. Highway 36 West.

The Rising Star Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture is pleased to welcome new members to the organiza-

tion. Among members joining in recent months are LaDena and C.W. Best, owners of Best Fast Foods, Hiway 36W.

Membership to the Chamber is easily obtainable, simply by paying dues. The Chamber urges all members to participate in meetings and activities undertaken by the group.

The date for the annual awards banquet has been set for March 15 and the speaker will be Rick Perry, candidate for Texas Agriculture Commissioner.

Suggestions for recipients of the awards are welcome.

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

### Treatment Centers, Parking Discussed

there was much discussion but not many final decisions at the County Commissioners Court meeting Monday.

One item concerned parking around the Courthouse, which Commissioners agreed had a number of problems.

Nancy Trout, County Tax Assessor-Collector, brought the minutes of the Dec. 18 Eastland City Commission meeting to the Court.

At that meeting the City of Eastland granted Eastland County control of parking next to the Courthouse.

The Commissioners discussed employee parking in these spaces, saying that each elected official should urge his employees to park away from the area. There should be spaces near the Courthouse set aside for jury members, they agreed however.

Other suggestions ranged from a designated loading zone to places for the public to conduct business.

County Judge Scott Bailey asked Nancy Trout to work on the matter and bring recommendations to the Court next time.

## Weather

Mist and light rains softened the ground last Tuesday and Thursday, paving the way for the rainfall early Friday morning to be more easily absorbed into what had been extremely dry soil.

Rising Star received 1.5 to 1.7 inches while nearby areas received heavier rainfall. Four miles to the west 2.5 inches were reported and the Pioneer area received 3 inches. Similar totals were reported in the Okra area.

Volunteers for area fire departments were given a few days respite, but were being called out to grass fires again by Monday. Beautiful springlike days following the rain had already dried the dead vegetation enough to burn.

David Allsup, Counselor-in-Training at the Substance Abuse Treatment Center, Ranger General Hospital, requested that Ranger Gen-

Continued

## FLASH!

Six Rising Star Seniors outscored the SAT national average by 60 points!

Congratulations Seniors!  
Way to go!

(Who says small schools don't have it!!)

## Pee Wee Basketball Tourney Starts

by Camille Harris  
The Pee Wee Basketball Tournament, which is being sponsored by the Senior Class, will begin this Thursday at 7 p.m.

Each of the three games will last four quarters. The first game will be the Second Grade against the Third Grade. The Fourth Grade girls will meet the Fifth Grade girls next and in the last game the Fourth grade boys will play the Fifth Grade boys.

This same schedule of play

will be used the other two tournament nights, February 1 and 8.

The concession stand will have homemade hamburgers and lots of other goodies.

Admission is \$2 for adults, \$.50 for students and children under five free.

At the end of the tournament on February 8 a special presentation will be made to each child who participated.

The Seniors and Pee Wees appreciate your support!

P.S. Bring your cameras!



Randy McGinn (3rd) puts the ball up for two while Timothy Rimer (3rd) and Dustin Watson (2nd) scramble to block.

## Stenholm-Appreciation, Marker Dedication Set At Majestic, March 11

A Charles Stenholm Appreciation and Historical Marker Dedication will be held at the Majestic Theatre in Eastland on Sunday, March 11th, beginning at 2 p.m., it has been announced.

Coordinators, friends and supporters from throughout the area will be invited to attend this free special event honoring Cong. Stenholm, and officially designating the historical significance of the beautifully-restored Majestic, which is an area cultural and convention center.

Special details are to be announced, and special surprises are planned as Eastland County citizens join together to pay tribute to their United States Representative to

Congress. The Fine Arts Association, which is made of citizens from throughout the county, operates the Majestic and is planning this special patriotic event which will also encourage voter citizenship in the party primaries which will follow the event by a few days. The Association invites Stenholm Coordinators to assist with planning.

Further details will be announced.

## Scholarship Fund Donation Made

A contribution to the Skeet Clark Scholarship Fund has been made in memory of Charles Steel by Homer and Guy Nell West.



Jeremy Singer (2nd) passes the ball while Blair Bailey (2nd), Bridget Claborn (3rd) and Timothy Rimer (3rd) go for it.

## community calendar...

**EACH THURSDAY  
SENIOR CITIZENS**

**MEALS ON WHEELS**  
To reserve a meal from Meals on Wheels on Mondays, call by 9:45 a.m. The meal is catered from Cisco.

**EACH SATURDAY  
BINGO, American Legion Hall**

**SIPE SPRINGS MUSICAL**  
The musical will be this Saturday at the Sipe Springs Community Center beginning at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

**LAKEWOOD SUPPER**  
The Lakewood Recreation Center monthly supper will be Tuesday, January 30. Nominations and election of board members will be held.

**RISING STAR LIVESTOCK**

**RAISERS ASSOCIATION**  
The Rising Star Livestock Raisers Association will hold a meeting on Jan. 31, at 7 p.m. in the Ag classroom. All parents and boosters are urged to attend this important meeting.

The buyers pool will be discussed and so will the upcoming local stock show.

**SCHOOL CALENDAR**  
by Cathy Smoot  
Thurs., Jan 25  
Pee Wee Basketball Tournament, sponsored by Senior Class

Fri., Jan 26  
HS BB Sidney, there, 6:30  
Mon., Jan. 29  
JH BB Lingleville, there, 6  
Tues., Jan. 30  
HS BB Gorman, home, 6:30  
Wed., Jan. 31  
ASVAB test, Jrs/Srs, 8:30  
Thurs., Feb. 1  
Pee Wee Tournament  
Sat., Feb. 3  
Local Stock Show

New Grandbaby?  
Big fish? Award?  
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 Nell Cooper  
 David Cooper

We wish to thank you all for your kindness and thoughtfulness; for the food, the beautiful flowers and all your prayers in our loss of Josephine Hammonds.  
 The Family

## POLITICAL CALENDAR

The following persons have authorized this newspaper to list their names as candidates in the Springs Party Primary.

### Congress 17th District

Charles Stenholm (Re-Election)  
 Criminal District Attorney

Truman P. Kirk  
 Emory C. Walton, (Re-Election)  
 Leslie B. Vance

Clerk, 91st District Court  
 Kathy Trout Hallum  
 June Tucker-Hicks

### County Judge

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 Scott Bailey (Re-Election)

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Fifteen Eastland County 4-Hers attended the 1990 4-H Statewide Teen Retreat at the State 4-H Center on January 12-14. The retreat theme was 'Friends Helping Friends' with 200 youth participating.

Pictured (left to right, back row) are Scott Hodges, County Extension Agent; Christy Arther, Brian Bailey, Toby Long, Robbi Daskevich, Ricky Agnew, John Seaberry, Gable White, Tommy Squires and Amy Logan. Front row (left to right) are Cathy Thomas, Barbi Butler, Natalie Stevens, Diane Butler and Tommy Thompson.

Not pictured but also attending were Mike Fox, Mrs. Shelly Bailey, Mrs. Patti Cozart and Mrs. Janet Thomas, County Extension Agent.

The Eastland County 4-H Recreation team members John Seaberry, Cathy Thomas, Amy Logan, and Robbi Daskevich were the statewide Rec Team chosen to provide recreation training and led the recreation at this retreat. Congratulations on your hard work and outstanding job! A special thanks to their adult leader, Mrs. Patti Cozart.



Eastland County was well represented at the Statewide 1989 Leadership Retreat for junior high 4-H members. The theme: '4-H Youth Under Construction' promoted leadership skills, positive attitude, understanding self and communicating with others. The retreat was held at the State 4-H Center with over 200 4-Hers present.

Attending were (left to right): Kirby Bush, Rising Star 4-H; Jeremy Keith, Olden 4-H; Brown County 4-Her; Niki Cozart, Ranger 4-H; Aaron Kennedy, Olden 4-H; Amy Collins, Rising Star 4-H; and Toby Long, Rising Star 4-H and retreat resource staff instructor.

Chaperones from Eastland County were Mrs. Paula Collins, Rising Star; and Fred Keith, Olden.

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## Commissioners

eral Hospital also be considered for treatment. Later Jerry Edwards, President of the Ranger Hospital Board, brought the same request to the Commissioners.

Kathy Swift spoke to the Court, saying that the Cisco Treatment Center was presenting this suggestion as a part of licensing - and this alternate to incarceration concerned only those people who were picked up for public intoxication - not those arrested on DWI.

She said each situation would have to be looked at differently - to break down the denial of addiction. She indicated that this treatment plan was approved by the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, as another means of the war on drugs.

Sheriff Dee Hogan then addressed the Commissioners, stating that the considered drug and alcohol abuse treatment a good thing, and the would support it in any way he could. He had a letter for Kathy Swift in which he state these general principles.

"But I don't have the authority to release anyone incarcerated by the Court - it must be the Court where the charge is filed," the Sheriff said.

Hogan also said it was putting too much responsibility on an arresting officer to attempt to get an intoxicated person into treatment at that time. "A mad drunk is not very receptive," he re-

marked.  
 Commissioner Richard Robinson agreed that the options should be with the Judge, not the arresting officer. "The Judge can make treatment a part of the sentence," he said.

County Judge Scott Bailey said that the Court was "Caught in the middle." The Treatment Centers are valuable resources to have as a referral, he said, but certain procedures and liabilities called for caution in sending intoxicated persons directly to them.

For one thing, they are not locked facilities, so a person must agree to stay there - or the Treatment Center must have a Court order.

On other law enforcement matters, The Commissioners asked Sheriff Hogan if he was "ready for the Sate inspection," which was supposed to take place Feb. 20.

"The jail is in as good a shape today as it will be when inspected," Hogan replied. "That's a daily routine we stay in. We have written an operational program for the jail to meet new standards."

Commissioner Billy Bacon agreed that the jail should pass inspection. "Talk about clean! I could eat dinner on the floor there and it wouldn't bother me," the Commissioner said.

Bacon reported there were 19 prisoners currently in the jail, with 12 of these county prisoners, 6 for TDC, and 1 on a "blue warrant," or for another County.

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## County Resources Association Provides Services, Needs More Involvement

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The Eastland County Resources Association works with the Texas Department of Health to provide reim-

cally ill and Disabled Children's Travel Services program. These funds are used to assist needy families with mileage, food and/or lodging when taking qualifying children for medical treatment. Since these outlays are reimbursed by the State, donations in this program are

This year we are also working with the Texas Department of Human Services and Central Texas Opportunities to provide utility deposits and payments and other items needed on an emergency basis by their clients. These agencies work with a variety of funding sources so we feel confident that our efforts will enhance and not duplicate existing programs.

We also work to promote greater cooperation and communication between the

organizations of Eastland County. To accomplish this we compile a directory of these organizations and the services they provide.

You can help! Attend the monthly meetings on second Tuesdays at the Eastland Library at noon and mail in your contribution today to ECRA, 210 S. Lamar, Eastland, TX 76448. For more information call Corrie Cowley 629-1813, Becky Boswell 629-1176 or Viola Payne 442-3186.

## Legal Notices

### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

1. Sealed proposals addressed to Mr. Jim Moylan, President, Board of Trustees, in care of Mr. Keith Watkins, Superintendent of Schools, Eastland Independent School District, Eastland, Texas, shall be received by 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 7th, 1990, in the School Administration Building Conference Room of the Eastland Independent School District, Eastland, Texas, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud, for the furnishing of all materials and equipment, for Prefabricated Steel Stairways For The 6th Grade Building for Eastland Independent School District, Eastland, Texas, in compliance with plans, specifications, and contract documents, as prepared by Huckabee & Donham, Architects and Planners, Stephenville, Texas.

2. Lump sum proposal will be received for the materials for Prefabricated Steel Pan Stairways.

3. Attention is called to the fact that the contractor must comply with all Federal, State, and local labor laws, including Article 5159a, Vernon's Annotated Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas.

4. The bidder acknowledges the right of the Owner to reject any bid received. In addition, the bidder recognizes the right of the Owner to reject a bid if the bid is in any way incomplete or irregular.

(1-25, 1-28, 2-1, 2-4)

## Martin Receives Promotion

Don R. Martin, a Lone Star Gas Company employee for 25 years, has been named vice president of Lone Star Energy Company, an affiliate of Lone Star Gas.

Martin moves to Lone Star Energy from his current position as director of operations of Lone Star Gas for the Fort Worth area where he supervised activities in Fort Worth, Arlington, H-E-B and Cleburne.

He graduated from Fort Worth Trimble Technical High School and received a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering at The University of Texas at Arlington and an MBA from Pepperdine University.

Martin was Regional Manager at Eastland from 1971-1981.



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REALTOR

Brick, three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, very large living room, dining room, combination. Kitchen with plenty of cabinets, dishwasher, two storage buildings in back yard. Drapes, curtains, fans, and many other nice things about this home. 1230 Lamar Street. This house should FHA to Qualified Buyer.

Brick three bedrooms, two baths, central heat and air, living-dining room comb., attached double garage, kitchen with rnaq., dishwasher. 1202 Westland.

Three lots, three bedrooms, two baths, central heat, large living room, double attached garage, fruit trees. This house has been reduced in price, good buy. 108 Travis Street.

Three bedrooms, two baths, frame home. Double garage on 1 1/2 lots, storage building. Ready to move into. \$17,000.00.

Stucco 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room, dining room, utility room, garden spot, car port. 710 Cherry St.

Brick four bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room, separate dining room, kitchen, sun room or office. Double garage, two lots, in very good neighborhood. Space heaters and several window refrigerated units.

Large big rooms, three bedrooms, one bath, older home on corner lot. This home needs repairs but would make a nice home for someone who could remodel.

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BEST LOCATION in TOWN! Nice 3BR, 2 bath brick home in Crestwood Add'n. Corner lot with garden spot. Assumable financing! \$19,900. F.A.C.E. L.I.P. T. In progress on this 2BR, 1 bath home. Good starter home. \$26,000.

STOP! Look at this budget S-T-R-E-T-C-H-E-R! 2BR in nice neighborhood. Under \$15,000.00! PRICED LOWERED on this 3BR, 2 bath home. Beautifully landscaped, well-kept home. \$36,000. BEAUTIFUL CUSTOM 3BR, 1 1/2 bath brick home in tree covered lot in Crestwood Add'n. All the extras! FREE.

REDUCED PRICE on this 3BR, 2 bath home. Sunken den, lots of storage. A Nice Place! \$29,900. VACANT LOT - COMMERCIAL AREA, near downtown. Frontage on N. Lamar, access from Patterson St. Owner will finance. \$30,000.

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CAN'T BEAT THIS BARGAIN! 2BR, 1 bath garage with workshop, fenced yard, beautiful pecan and fruit trees. \$19,900.

CHOOSE YOUR FINANCING, FHA-VA-CONV. Large 3BR, 1 bath home with Cen. H/A, fireplace, storm windows & More! \$20,000.

IN THE LOW 20's... 3BR, 1 bath w/brick trim. Cen. h/a, stove and refrigerator. Freshly painted. \$22,000.

THIS CHARMING 2 BR, 1 bath frame (could be 3 BR) has hardwood floors and lots of cabinet space. Single Gar. & C.P.P.24.

NEED ROOM FOR A LARGE FAMILY? Grab this one! Reasonably priced 4 BR, 3 bath remodeled older home. \$27,000.

THIS 2 BR, 1 BATH is surrounded by large oak trees on a corner lot. Kit. built-ins, fresh paint & new carpet. NICE! \$33,000.

HERE IT IS! 3 BR, 2 bath brick home. Cen. h/a, carpet w/ste. Nice neighborhood. \$12,000.

THIS TWO STORY BEAUTY has all you could ask for! 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, large beautiful kitchen and dining areas. MUST SEE! \$14,000.

FAMILY HOME - PRICED RIGHT 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath frame home. Cen. h/a, well insulated, Dbl. det. garage. Near schools! \$4,000.

### OTHER

ARISING STAR: 2 BR, 1 1/2 bath frame on lot; Also 4 BR, 1 bath on approx. 1 acre. Both need repairs. \$7,800.

CARBON cozy 3BR, 2 bath on nice lot. \$22,000. OWNER TRANSFERRED! 3BR, 1 1/2 bath brick. Storm windows, new appliances & More! Only \$36,000.00.

ONE 7 A HALF STORY frame home located at Lake Leon. 4BR, 2 baths. Needs some repairs. \$10 Large CORNER LOT in CARBON, some pecan trees, with old frame home and mobile home. Owner finance with approved credit. \$11.

RANGER: CORNER LOT! 3BR, 2 bath frame. Total elec.; A/C; car., cov. patio. Low \$30,500.

CISCO - Great design and beautiful kitchen with this 3BR, 1 1/2 bath home. A Nice Family Home! \$2

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LAKESIDE COUNTRY CLUB-3BR, 2 bath with cedar siding, F/P and country decor. Lots of amenities. HA13

OLDEN - 1.3 AC & 2 BR, 2 bath brick, F/P, storm windows, covered patio & MORE! HA15

PRICE REDUCED on this large 2BR, 2 bath home situated on 1.4 Ac. GREAT BUY! HA14

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

DRASTIC REDUCED on this 3 BR, 13/4 bath home on 32 ac. \$1,000.00. barn, & more. HA17

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Eastland, 2 bd., 2 lots, cellar, fenced on main.  
Large Cisco cabin, w/furn., under \$12,000. O-carry.  
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Mechanics or Handymen! Large workshop with this 2 BR brick home on 4 lots, many large trees.

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Nestled in Large Oak Trees! Spacious 2 BR home, CH/CA, formal DR, FP, fenced yard, large carport - only \$21,000.

Good Location - Lots of Storage - 3 BR brick home, CH/CA, patio, carport.

Assumable! Comfortable 3 BR, 1 3/4 bath home, breakfast nook, plus formal DR, 2 car garage.

Custom Cabinets in this immaculate 3 BR, 2 bath home, hardwood floors, carpet, carport.

More Than Ample Storage in this 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath home, hardwood floors, on corner 2 lots.

Roomy 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath home, storm windows, garage, 2 carports, plus detached apt. in rear - only \$26,000.

Energy Efficient! All Electric! 3 BR, 2 bath brick home, CH/CA, on 2 lots.

A Bit of Country in Town! 3BR, 1 3/4 bath home, CH/CA, water well, 13 lots, also guest house.

Family Growing? 2 story, 4 BR, 2 bath home, well insulated, large rooms, corner lot.

So Much Home! 10 rooms, 2 baths, 2 fireplaces, on corner lot with several huge oak trees.

Historical 2 story home - CH, basement, privacy fence, on very large corner lot.

Spacious 2 story 6 BR home on acre of land, DR, den, remodeled kitchen, detached garage.

A Family Pleaser! 3 BR, 2 bath brick home, vented fireplace, CH/CA, 2 car garage, fenced, on 4 lots.

Country Atmosphere with this 4 BR, 3 bath home, CH/CA, 3 fireplaces, lots of bookshelves & storage, 3 decks, 2 porches.

Inspiring View plus many conveniences with this 3 BR 1 3/4 bath, 2 story home, CH/CA with heat pump, FP, Satellite Antenna, hot tub, 2 car carport, ample storage.

Big & Beautiful describes this all electric 3 BR brick, 2 bath home, DR, den, breakfast room, CH/CA, FP, wood-burning heater, plus many extras.

Dream Home Now Reduced! Custom Built 3 BR, 2 1/2 baths, sunroom, CH/CA, beautiful view plus privacy on 3/4 acres.

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Furnished 2BR home, large deck, boat dock, many trees, on 2 lots.

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Approx. 148 acres, 3 tanks, good hunting, wooded & cleared acreage, owner would sell all or half.

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In Ranger area - Spacious 4 BR, 2 bath Austin Stone home, CH/CA, approx. 190 acres, mostly wooded, price reduced, will consider selling home and acreage separate.

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Too Cute! Picture-Perfect 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Modular Home, Central Heat & Air, Carpet, Vaulted Ceilings, Master Bath has Garden Tub & Sep. Shower, Large Covered Patio, 12' x 15' Storage Room, Big One-Half Acre Lot, \$55,000.

Established Neighborhood - Glam. Oak Trees, Lovely 3 Bedroom, 1 3/4 Bath, Frame Home on roomy Corner Lot, Large Living/Dining Combo, Tall Chainlink Fence, Storage Bldg., plus Detached Two-Car Garage, Priced To Sell! \$27,000.

2 Huge Bedrooms, 1 3/4 Bath, w/Detached Room perfect for Teenager's Retreat! or Office, Formal Living Rm., Sep. Den/Dining Combo, Extra Large Lot, \$35,000.

3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, 2-Car Garage, In Exclusive Oak Hollow, Formal Dining, Vaulted Ceiling in Den, Fireplace, Bookshelves, Built-ins, Carpet Drapes & MiniBlinds, Central Heat & Air, Covered Patio, Fenced Backyard, Nice! \$63,500.

Approximately \$2,500 dn., and possible assumption on this Bricked 3 Bedroom, 1 1/2 Bath, Mobile Home, Central Heat & Air, Appliances, Lots of Fruit Trees, Good-Sized Lot, Additional Game/Storage Room built on, JUST \$17,500.

3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Frame, Newly Painted Exterior, Close In, Large Comfortable Rooms, Formal Dining Rm. w/Built-in Hutch, Carpet, Paneling, Ceiling Fans, Utility Rm., Privacy Fence, Big Trees, EXCELLENT TERMS! \$23,500.

Extra Nice 2 Bedroom w/Finished Attic for 3rd BR or Gameroom, plus Detached Garage w/Room & Bath, Situated on 4 Wooded Lots w/Space for Kids or Growups to play Volleyball, etc. This is a solid, well-cared-for Home! \$28,500.

Don't Panic, You Can Afford This! Neat 2 Bedroom Frame w/Redwood Shingles & Brick Trim, Can Be Assumed w/Good Credit & \$750, Monthly pymts. are \$333, Loan To Balance Approx. \$28,000.

Fabulous Rock Two-Story, Updated Downstairs w/3 Bedrooms, 2 1/2 Baths, Carpet, Custom Drapes, Formal Dining, Sep. Living Areas, Breakfast Area w/kitchen, Upstairs features 3 Bedroom, 1 Bath, Detached 2-Car Garage & Storage Rms., Fenced Backyard, Many Extras, \$120,000.

4 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Hillcrest Addition, Carpet, Miniblinds, Central Heat, Chainlink Fence, 2 Large Lots, Privacy Plus! \$48,000.

2 Bedroom, Brick, Carpet, Drapes, Central heat & Air, Ceiling Fans, Fireplace w/Heat-O-Later, Double Carport w/storage, Fenced Backyard, Stor. Bldg. \$32,500.

Take Over Payments on this Super Nice 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Double-Wide Near Golf Course, Central Heat & Air, Carpet, Drapes & Miniblinds, Fireplace, Nice Deck, Small Equity, \$27,500.

If you don't do another thing in 1990, you've just got to take the time to see this fantastic Home! It's big, w/5 Bedrooms, 3 1/2 Baths, plus upstairs studio and bedroom & Bath off garage, Closets Galore! Don't Buy until you see this one.

Near Grocery & Small Shopping Center, 3 Bedrooms, Sep. Dining, Bad Roof, but priced/adjusted to allow for "fix-up", \$16,000.

3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Frame Home, Carpet, Drapes, Woodburning Heater, Refrig. Air, Sep. Dining Rm., Great Patio & Backyard, One of Eastland's Best Locations, \$27,000.

Just Poured New Driveway, 3 Bedroom, Central Heat & Air, Ceiling Fans, Carpet, Updated Kitchen Looks Great, Garage enclosed & ready to be made into big den or gameroom, Storage Shed, Fence, \$36,000.

Become An Instant Landlord, Real Nice Brick Duplex ideally located near schools and grocery store, 2 Bedrooms, 2 Baths on each side w/attached Garage, Central Heat & Air, Corner Lot, or could be 4 Bedroom Home, Stays Rented, \$55,000.

Executive Home, 4 Bedroom, 3 Bath, Approx. 3,000 sq. ft., All the Amities, including built-in vacuum system, ice machine, pop-up blender/mixer, Office or 4th BR, Covered Porch all across back of house, Must See To Believe, Situated on 3.77 Wooded Acres.

4 Bedroom Two-Story on Corner Lot, 3 Lots in all, approx. 2250 sq. ft., Pretty Living Rm. w/Fireplace, Large Formal Dining Rm., 2 BRS. Upstairs, \$38,500.

2 Bedroom, Central Heat & Air, Built-ins, Ceiling Fans, Carpet, Drapes, Wallpaper Accents, Cute As A Bug! \$30,000.

Neat 2 Bedroom, Formal Dining Rm., Carpet, Drapes, Storm Windows, Covered Patio, Lots of Wallpaper, fenced yard, detached 3-car Carport, \$24,000.

Close In, Attractive 2 Bedroom, Central heat & Air, Ceiling Fans, Pecan Trees, Pretty Patio, Fenced yard, \$30,000.

3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Central Heat & Air, Carpet, Formal Dining Rm., detached Garage, Fence, Corner Lot, \$29,500.

No Traffic Congestion here! Isolated 3 Bedroom Frame Home One Block off of S. Seaman, Carpet, Refrig. Air, Chainlink Fence, Storage Shed, \$23,000.

Country Country Living In Town, 3 Bedroom, 2 1/2 Bath, Brick Home on 9.3 ac., fenced & Cross fenced, Lots of Space for the Money, \$60,000.

Oak Hollow Subdivision, 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Mission Brick, 2 Central Heat & Air Units, Fireplace, Built-ins, Wet Bar, Garden Tub, & More! \$95,000.

Let's Make A Deal! Nice 3 Bedroom, 1 1/2 Bath, White Frame Home is vacant & ready for immediate move-in. Central Air, Panel Ray Wall Heaters, Carpet, Blinds, Electric Garage Door-Opener, Huge Storage/Shop Bldg., Privacy Fence, Big Trees, \$35,000.

Don't Rule Out A Double-Wide Home before looking at this Terrific 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Carpet, Drapes, Central Heat & Air, Fireplace, Sky-Light, on Approx. 1 ac., \$38,500.

Between Lake Leon & Town, 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, Brick Home on 9.7 ac., carpet, central heat & air, fireplace, large utility rm., formal dining, fenced, \$65,000.

Even Your 1st Grader can walk to school from this pretty 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, brick home, no streets to cross, new carpet, central heat & air, drapes, privacy fence, barn & pens, \$45,000.

Two-Story Brick Home situated on 10 ac., 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, rock fireplace, central heat & air, carpet, covered patio, boat barn, storage shed, Room to Roam! \$85,000.

### LAND: FARMS, RANCHES, & SMALL ACREAGE

14 ac., county road frontage on two sides, strong water wells nearby, \$12,500.

20 ac., near Lake Leon, Hwy. frontage, kline grass, tank, fenced, \$27,000.

24.69 ac., In the Heart of Ranger, Hwy. 80 E. Frontage, producing gas well, 1/8 minerals, Assumable Texas Lev Loan, \$15,000.

40 ac., heavily wooded, can be divided, seller will finance, \$36,000.

40 ac., native pecans, water well, good fenced on 3 sides, some minerals, \$775 per ac.

40 ac., grass & trees, good hunting, fenced on 3 sides, 1/8 minerals, \$425 per ac.

50 ac., Staff Area, Lake Leon, very wooded, lots of deer, \$400 per ac.

50.6 ac. near Eastland Lake, creek, heavily wooded, two tanks, pens, \$750 per ac.

78 ac., Oak & Mesquite, native grass, good hunting, tank, 1/2 minerals, \$450 per ac.

120 ac. near Lake Leon, scattered big oak trees, 2 tanks, run in creek, lovegrass & bluestem, 1/8 min., \$595 per ac.

146 ac., pastureland, oaks, tank, Hwy. frontage, fenced, some minerals, \$550 per ac.

166 ac., mostly wooded, some cultivation, corrals, good fences, road frontage 2 sides, will divide, \$550 per ac.

249.3 ac., Sabana River, 2 tanks, 1/2 min., 140 ac. cult., oak & pecan trees, \$40 per ac.

260 ac., water wells, spring-fed tank, 149 ac. cult., barn, shed, 2 oil wells, 1/2 seller's minerals, \$475 per ac., will divide for \$525 ac.

### COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

Good Commercial Lot on N. Seaman St. in Eastland, 70' x 94', \$4,500.

Brick Building on paved lot, approx. 2500 sq. ft., CH/CA, Carpet, I-20 Eastland

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I-20 Frontage, Eastland, approx. 5,000 sq. ft. metal bldg., \$76,900.

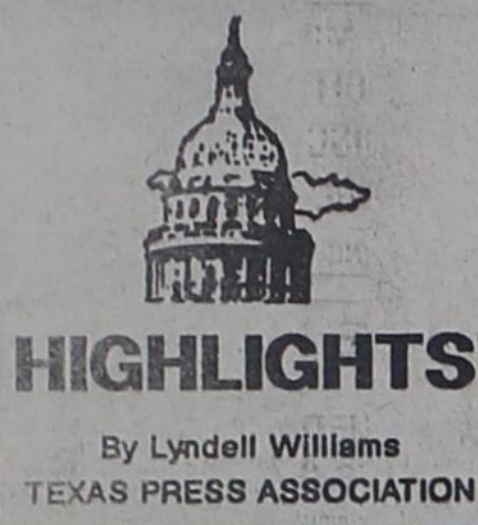
Busy Service Station in Eastland, fully equipped, \$60,000.

New Laundromat on Hwy. 80 E., Eastland 1-20, Eastland, Modern Office Bldg., 8 private offices, kit./conference Rm., \$75,000.

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## STATE CAPITAL



AUSTIN—With the election just weeks away, the gloves are off in both primaries.

In the Democratic gubernatorial race, Attorney General Jim Mattox gambled to preempt the Texas labor convention endorsement over the objections of its president.

Meanwhile, GOP contenders combined to battle frontrunner Clayton Williams for a previous history of drinking and brawling.

One can safely say now that the Republicans' 11th commandment — speak no evil of other Republicans — is shattered forever.

The commandment worked fine when Republicans were a minority party, but last week's mud throwing was inevitable — one cannot win the brass ring with a wimp campaign.

Campaign spending continues at a record pace, with Williams leading all candidates in what promises to be the most expensive election year in Texas.

Former Gov. Mark White inflated his war chest by including \$1 million he borrowed from a bank last month and repaid two weeks later.

On the Democratic side of the fence, Treasurer Ann Richards' status as frontrunner is now questionable, and she admitted for the first time that she and Mattox will probably be run-off opponents.

In the past three weeks, Mattox has dispelled early doubts about

his strength with a textbook strategy that stunned everyone but his camp.

### Mattox Marches On

Like a well-oiled conquering army, his campaign moves from victory to victory, making a mockery of an autumn poll painting him far behind primary opponents Richards and White.

One observer noted that Mattox "hones in on issues like a heat-seeking missile," and it has paid off in recent weeks.

### The Targeted Coalition

Unlike the GOP, the Texas Democratic coalition is comprised of identifiable groups of varying strengths: labor unions, trial lawyers, blacks, Hispanics, feminists, teachers, and white male liberals.

These are the biggies, the groups that Republicans blast as the "special interest groups" that dictate policy.

Unapologetic and unabashed, Mattox takes a strong stand for them, expecting them to stand strong for him at election time.

### A Near Endorsement

Last month, he angered state district judges everywhere by stepping into the court-ordered judicial election fray, but won the love of Hispanic and black leaders for fighting fiercely for them.

Some judges loudly accused Mattox of selling them out for minority votes. Days later, Mattox emerged from the Mexican-American Democrats' convention just 22 delegates short of winning the MAD endorsement.

### Mattox Woos Labor

This week he's gambling for the Texas AFL-CIO endorsement, despite pleas from its president, Joe Gunn, who seeks to avoid bloodying or muddying the labor camp.

Gunn, who's not anti-Mattox, conceded that Mattox has more labor union support than Richards or White.

But Gunn doesn't think that Mattox can muster the two-thirds

needed for official endorsement, and then AFL-CIO rules will keep union membership from campaigning for Mattox in the primary.

Richards and White want labor to remain officially neutral.

Mattox, sensing weakness on their part, is going for the endorsement. If he wins it outright, it'll be the biggest coup of the primary so far, on either ballot.

### Democrats Seeking Debate

Democrats seeking a TV debate between their nominee, state Sen. Hugh Farmer, and Republican U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm may not get that exposure for their lesser-known Farmer.

Gramm said in the last election Democrat U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen would not debate Beau Boulter, "who was a sitting GOP congressman, so I feel no obligation."

### Strong-arming Utility

Public Utility Commissioner Jo Campbell, a Democrat, accused GOP Railroad Commissioner Kent Hance of "strong-arming" a South Texas power company into switching from natural gas to a more expensive fuel during the recent freeze, thereby raising utility bills for South Texas residents.

Hance answered he wanted to make sure Dallas-area residents had enough heat, and that he will make sure South Texans won't pay higher bills.

### Other Highlights

- The Texas Department of Human Services plans to establish a special ethics panel to arbitrate conflicts of interest in the state's third-largest agency.

- GOP gubernatorial hopeful Jack Rains claims his former architectural design and engineering firm, 3D/International, produced 140,000 jobs through its import-export business.

- Unexpected increases in the number of Texans receiving welfare services will cause a 1990 budget deficit approaching \$200 million for the Department of Human Services, officials said.

## Taylor Receives Partnership In Advertising Agency



### KAREN TAYLOR

Karen Taylor, former Cisco and Eastland resident has become a corporate partner in a Dallas advertising agency, according to an announcement by Dave Winslow, owner and president of the firm. The March Agency, in existence since 1979, has become Winslow Taylor, Inc., Marketing, Advertising and Public Relations.

Taylor joined the March Agency in 1988 as vice-president and director of public relations. She will retain those titles and will assume some administrative responsibilities. The Winslow Taylor firm handles advertising and public relations for such businesses as HUD, Metro Hotels, M&S Systems, Dal-Tile, the Dallas Parkway Hilton, the DFW Hilton Executive Conference Center, the Fort Worth Hilton and Bruce Hardwood Floors.

Taylor grew up in Cisco and Eastland, attending Cisco schools until her high school sophomore year. She was graduated from Eastland High School and Cisco Junior College. She is a former employee of the Cisco and Eastland newspapers and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Taylor, long-time residents of Cisco and Eastland, now of Whitesboro, Texas.

well as in long-term medical care.

Here are some other tips to prevent back pain while sitting for prolonged periods, standing, sleeping and diving:

- When sitting, push your hips back in the chair that has armrests and padded support for your lower back. The chair should allow your feet to rest flat on the floor; if necessary, use a footrest.

- Avoid bending over your desk for extended periods.

- To avoid fatigue when standing, change your posture frequently by walking, bending or stretching. Keep your knees slightly bent, and shift your weight occasionally.

- Stand erect with your chin in, head up and back straight.

- Sleep on a firm mattress, or place a plywood board between the mattress and box springs.

- Sleep on your side with knees bent and a pillow between your knees or on your back with a pillow under your knees; avoid sleeping on your stomach.

- While driving, move the seat forward to keep your knees higher than your hips.

More information on back health and on chronic back pain is available in "Managing Back Pain," a free publication available by writing to "We Care For You," Baylor College of Medicine at P.O. Box 13567, Houston, Tx. 77219, or calling 1-800-392-4444.

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## Valentine's Day

Valentine's Day is the second largest card-sending occasion in the United States. About 900 million valentines are expected to be exchanged this year, according to Hallmark.

Valentines appeal to a youthful market — children and people in their 20s and 30s are avid buyers. Nearly 65 percent of all valentines are given to relatives.

### History

At least three of history's eight St. Valentines had feasts on Feb. 14. Probably the saint for whom Valentine's Day was named was beheaded on Feb. 14, which is also the pagan holiday of the goddess of love.

According to legend, St. Valentine was imprisoned for his Christian beliefs. While jailed, he cured the jailer's daughter of blindness. On the eve of his execution in A.D. 269,

he sent her a letter signed, "from your Valentine," which has become the universal symbol of love.

Most likely, St. Valentine's Day traces its customs to the ancient Roman Feast, Lupercalia, which was celebrated in February in honor of the pastoral god Lupercus. At the festival, young men and women were matched by drawing names from an urn.

The earliest known valentine was a letter sent in 1415 by Charles, Duke of Orleans, to his wife while he was a prisoner in the Tower of London. Commercial valentines appeared about 1800.

Esther Howland, Worcester, Mass., published the first American valentine in 1849. Hallmark began making valentines in the early 1900s.

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A new 30-card collection called "Fun and Fancy" includes elegant designs that feature such special processes as glitter, embossing and special attachments, and playful designs featuring Elmer Fudd, Tweetybird, Casper, Garfield and Mr. Rogers.

Hallmark's Shoebox Greetings offers 169 non-traditional, comic valentines this year, including one that says: "Take me out to dinner for Valentine's Day or I'll do something you'll regret! . . . Like cook."

Him. Ask Him to save you and make you ready for that day that only He knows; He will come and take us home. I hope and pray that you enter 1990 with Blessings, love, and above all Jesus Christ.

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Rev. Rick Mota

## Pharmacy Topics

By Bob Mueller



Implantable defibrillator that shocks a heart back into action if it stops has saved lives at the University of California/San Francisco Hospital. After four years, doctors judge the implant more effective than drugs for those with serious arrhythmias.

New drug--flutamide--that blocks the effect of testosterone on cancer cells has prolonged the lives of patients with fatal prostate cancer in trials at the University of Colorado in Denver.

Menopause seems to cause changes in women's blood, researchers at the University of Pittsburgh found. HDL levels (the good cholesterol) dropped 4 points while LDLs (the bad kind) went up 12.

More rubber-band "surgery" --Doctors at the University of Colorado and VA hospital are using the bands to tie off veins that protrude into the esophagus. Few complications are reported.

24-hour allergy pill has gotten FDA approval. Astemizole is said to cause neither drowsiness nor dry mouth.

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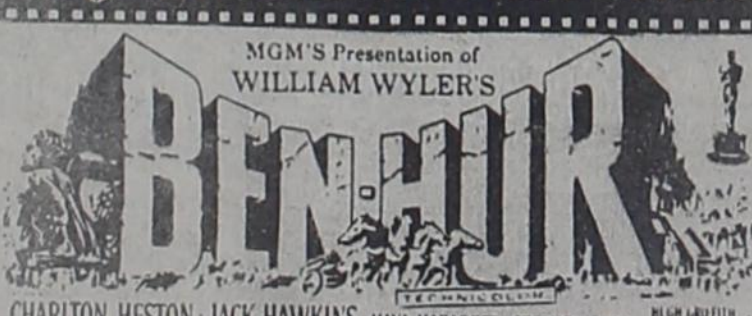
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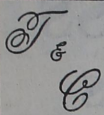
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### Senior Center News

Thursday was a busy day at the center. Birthdays for the month of January were celebrated with a special luncheon. Joyce Geyer baked the beautiful birthday cake. Those who had birthdays were Marion West, Irene Mayfield and Artie Jagers. Hostesses for the month, Carrie Gaines, Joyce Geyer and Maxine Robinson, served the meal.

Ruth Smith. Members of program committee were Marjorie West, Pearl Schlaepfer and Nell Maynard. The election was held in the library building. Mrs. Dee Breeding let the club meet in her building downtown, which is now the J.P. office, until the club moved to its present site, the hospital building. The club celebrated its first party in the present location on November 8, 1979.

### Mammography Unit Will Be in Rising Star Feb. 4

The Mobile Breast Cancer Detection Unit of Odessa, which services Rising Star, has received the certification of the American College of Radiology Mammography Accreditation Program. Mammography is an x-ray examination of the breast, which the American Cancer Society and other medical experts see as the best means for the early detection of breast cancer.

women will die of breast cancer this year. As there is no way to prevent the disease, early detection and treatment offer the greatest hope for survival. The American Cancer Society recommends that women do monthly breast self-exams and have regular physical breast exams by a doctor. It further recommends mammography on the following schedule:

The accreditation program was instituted because of the concerns of medical oncologists, other national medical organizations and the public that qualified personnel perform and interpret mammograms and that dedicated mammographic equipment be used. The American College of Radiology received an American Cancer Society Control Grant which was used to pilot test the Accreditation Program.

The president reminded the members that it was time to be thinking about the Heart of Texas Spring Convention in March. It will be held at Lone Cedar Country Club, located between Eastland and Ranger. New officers for 1990-1992 were elected. They are Betty Fisher, president; Joyce Geyer, vice president; Connie Hightower, recording secretary; Frances Agnew, corresponding secretary; and Jean Bryan, treasurer.

### Happy Birthday

- JANUARY 26 Joe Dell Hubbard Aline Morris
JANUARY 27 Nathan Henson
JANUARY 28 L.T. Owen
JANUARY 29 Ronnie Green Willie Vandivere David Draper
JANUARY 30 Barbara Long Terry Don Bostick
JANUARY 31 Kyle Joyce Stella Ware Norman Lee Beck Gerrie Cornett Doug Owen
FEBRUARY 1 Bill Lee Josie Owen Mary Clark Ruth Murphy Doris Hubbard Viola Williams

### The Saturday Club

The Saturday Club held its regular meeting Wednesday, January 17, at the Public Library. Melba Shelby, a retired school teacher, educator, speaker and writer, was introduced by Connie Hightower as guest speaker for the day. Melba lives in De Leon. Her husband has the Shelby Pharmacy in De Leon. Melba challenged club members as we start a new decade to review our priorities and set some new goals. We need to balance our lives physically, mentally and spiritually. We must decide how we can best do this. We need to find ways to be an effective person. Maybe there are some factors we need to eliminate in order to balance our lives. We need to set goals and put first things first. We also need to look out for number one, because no one else is going to do that. When only God is left, we find that God is enough.

After the program, delicious refreshments were served to 24 members and three guests, Melba Shelby, Carrie McCain and Monina Fowler. Decorations complemented the January theme throughout the library. The hostesses had a most interesting table displaying antiques each had collected over the years. Among some of the things displayed was an antique sugar bowl and a pair of "sad" irons. The hostesses, Cliffogene Witt, Bertha Mae White and Connie Hightower, were dressed in white. The next meeting will be February 7, with Ann Murdoch, Betty Fisher and Glenda Harding as program coordinators. The program will be "Kids and Kindness." Dr. Jerrell Bible will be the speaker. All members are urged to attend this program and hear Dr. Bible speak.

Club members found Melba to be an able and interesting speaker. She was most gracious to share her time with us. A short business meeting was held with President Dicie Adams presiding. Ann Murdoch, accompanied at the piano by Cliffogene Witt, led the club members in singing "Auld Lang Syne" and reflect on members who had passed on. The president reminded the members that it was time to be thinking about the Heart of Texas Spring Convention in March. It will be held at Lone Cedar Country Club, located between Eastland and Ranger. New officers for 1990-1992 were elected. They are Betty Fisher, president; Joyce Geyer, vice president; Connie Hightower, recording secretary; Frances Agnew, corresponding secretary; and Jean Bryan, treasurer.

2ND SIX WEEKS
1ST GRADE A: Shae Berry, Kendra Gottfried, Marisa Michael, Kinsey Murphree. B: Beau Barton, Keri Doucette, Denise Flanary, Christopher Guess, Michelle Lee, Nathan Longoria, Kiesha Mathews, Kyle Ribble, Colt Thompson, Taylor Thornhill, Cody Wade.
GRADE 2-K, A: Jonathan Gilbert, Mandy Holmes, Justin Pittman, Brian Tidwell, Jeremy Walters. B: Melissa Flowers, Casey Hardin, Tim Jackson.
GRADE 2T, A: Gary Bates, Brent Jones, Justin Purcell. B: Scott Beech, Tara Donham, Mickey Harris, Efrin Reyna, Entee Sublett.
3RD GRADE A: Dana Carson, Julie Crim, Shelby Crume, Scott Murphree, Micheal Purcell, Stacey Ribble. B: Shana Allen, Stephanie Flanary, Jesse Knight, Brandon Purcell.
4TH GRADE A: Dennis Bates, Kristy Jackson, Rachel McInnis, Chad Wheeler. B: Brandi Baumgardner, Leann Epley, Laurie Jackson, David Gilbert, Lacie Michael, Morgan Brush, Tammy Petross, Evon Reyna, Monica Reyna.
5TH GRADE A: Cody Spinks. B: Misty Holmes, Sondra LaPonsey, Daniel Purcell, Chase Thompson, Jolea VanStory, Chris Wood.
6TH GRADE A: Matthew Beech, Lance Chambers, David Wheeler. B: Tina Foster, Jessica Henson, Kristy Hubbard, Crystal Tischler, Jennifer Wells, Brooks Wells.

### Methodist Women

The United Methodist Women met Tuesday, January 16, at 3 p.m. in the home of Maggie Smith. The meeting was called to order by president, Winnie Armstrong and prayer was given by Maggie Smith. Our purpose was repeated in unison. The songs were 'Oh Master Let Me Walk With Thee,' 'God of Grace' and 'God of Glory.' Our scripture study was Joshua, Chapter 2. Discussion was led by Nena Fowler. We celebrated Maggie Smith's 89th birthday. Dicie

Adams baked a beautiful birthday cake and Mamie Joyce brought delicious cookies. Mamie gave a memorial for Flara Westerman. Members present were Dicie Adams, Winnie Armstrong, Maggie Smith, Dearsio Duensing, Mamie Joyce, Elza Witt, Inez Hutton, Winnie Anderson, Nena Fowler, Maurine Wells and a visitor, Jean Anderson from Holland. The meeting closed with our prayer and The Lord's Prayer in unison.

### Obituaries

#### Martha E. Irby

Martha Emily Irby, 91, died Monday at 9:32 a.m. in a Brownwood hospital. Services were Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Higginbotham Chapel with the Rev. E.B. Elswick officiating. Burial was in Rising Star Cemetery. She was born Sept. 19, 1898 in Union Grove community near Rising Star. Her parents were Robert Allen and Florence Gattis Angel. She married Carl Jefferson Irby July 3, 1927 in the first wedding ceremony performed in the First United Methodist Church building, which is still in use in Rising Star. The Irbys operated a meat market in Rising Star for many years. She was a homemaker and a Methodist. Her husband preceded her in death April 6, 1978. Survivors include a daughter, Carleene Nichols of DeSoto; a son, Bob J. Irby

of Everett, Wash.; a sister, Pearl Crudginton of Breckenridge; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

#### Irene Aiken

CROSS PLAINS - Irene Velma Aiken, 79, died Thursday at her home in Cross Plains. Services were held at 3 p.m. Saturday at Higginbotham Chapel with Michael Ingram officiating. Burial was at the Cross Plains Cemetery. A lifetime resident of Callahan County, she was a homemaker and the widow of John B. Aiken. Survivors include four daughters, Patsy Day of Izora, Velma Boykin of Carthage, Alice Clay of Rising Star and Dorothy Clark of Grand Prairie; three sons, Jack Aiken of Cross Plains, Herman Aiken of Lake Brownwood and Frank Aiken of Grand Prairie; 20 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

#### Roy E. Clark

Roy Edward Clark, 86, died Thursday at a Snyder Hospital. Graveside services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Rising Star Cemetery with the Rev. Rusty Dickerson officiating, directed by Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home of Snyder. Born in Eastland County, he moved to Snyder in 1987 from Rising Star. He was a construction worker. Survivors include his wife, Mary Clark of Snyder; a stepdaughter, Charlene Hendrix of Snyder; two sons, Jerry Clark of Roswell, N.M. and Roy Joe Clark of Omaha, Neb.; two stepsons, Kenneth Hicks of Rising Star and Dr. Ray Hicks of Dallas; two sisters, Myrtle Graham of Cleburne and Monnie Drinkard of Cisco; a brother, L.E. Clark of Brownwood; 11 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

### Josephine Hammonds County Commissioners

Josephine Hammonds, 100, died Thursday at a Rising Star nursing home. Services were held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Higginbotham Chapel with the Rev. Dick Williams officiating. Burial was at Rising Star Cemetery. She was born in Cashatta, La. and lived in Rising Star for 55 years. She was a homemaker and a Baptist. She was the widow of Dock Hammonds. She was also preceded in death by a daughter, Genevieve Crawford of Waco, in 1982. Survivors include three daughters, Clara Thomas of Bangs, Hattie Darland of Morton and Pernie Lyon of Devine; nine grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren and 9 great-great grandchildren. Among her great-grandchildren was Nanette Goldston of Rising Star. Grandchildren included Trudi McGuire and Gwendolyn Reeves, both of Waco, and Kaye Pollock of Midland.

At the County Commissioners Court meeting Monday Ranger General Hospital Board President Jerry Edwards discussed funding of the Hospital Ambulance Service. He also told the Commissioners that the Substance Abuse Program at the Hospital was ready to offer treatment as an alternate to jail incarceration for alcohol and drug abuse. After this meeting Edwards gave news media an update on the operation of Ranger General. He said that Ester Robinson had been appointed Interim Administrator for the Hospital, filling the position formerly held by George Flory. Mrs. Robinson has been Business Manager of the Hospital for about seven or eight years, Edwards said. The Substance Abuse Program was begun at the Hospital last summer, and has been successful, Edwards reported. It is independently owned controlled and State licensed by the Hospital. Four people are employed by this program, and it has an average of 10 patients. Bonnie Williams is Program Director, and DeRoy Davis Assistant. David and Joan Allsup are Counselors-In-Training. Through revenue from this program and by other means Ranger General Hospital in endeavoring to keep in operation and pay off indebtedness, Edwards said. The Hospital plans to continue to serve the community.

### May Honor Roll

7TH GRADE A: Craig Hardy, Ben McInnis, Ethan Rhodes, Justin Thornhill, Ryan Young. B: Tera Ashworth, Jamie Brown, Teri Hardwick, Jennifer Henderson, Nathan Henson, Eric Jackson, Crystal McCarty, Chris Roberts, Will Stewart.
8TH GRADE A: Cynthia Bates, Vicki Lee, Jeanette Tidwell. B: Michelle Ball, David C. Chambers, David L. Chambers, Randy Jones, Donna Smith, Tanya Tischler.
9TH GRADE A: Thomas Foster, Russchelle McNutt, Raelyn Wheeler. B: Tricia Adkins, Lee Ann Cochran, Dawn Goode, Toni Hardwick.
10TH GRADE A: Shelly Hardy, Traci Hopper, Laura Lewis, Amy Taylor. B: Larry Bates, Brian Coss, Tiffanie Sosebee.
11TH GRADE A: Andrea Alford, Melissa Cloer, Allison Rhodes. B: Cody Chambers, Lori Doerschuk, Ben Ferguson, Chris Hardy, Robin Hardy, Melissa Harrell, Jeremy Jones, Todd Kilgo, Shane Nelson, Ashley Thompson, Venus Tischler, Angela Young.
12TH GRADE A: Lisa Doerschuk, Guyle Donham, Scotty Ford, Gidget Goode, Joey Horton, Tammy Ingram. B: Scott Ashworth, Jason Boever, Sam Dean, Billy Graham, Dale Greenrock, Katy Lancaster, Dayna Lewis, Jamie Lindley, Don McNutt, Keith Music, Mark Pittman, Devron Reno, Mike Simmons, Tracy Smith.

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Rising Star Flower Shop First State Bank Member FDIC Jenkins Insurance Co.
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Family Food Store Butler Texaco L & J Construction

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**WILDCAT TALES**  
RISING STAR HIGH  
JOURNALISM

**Queens of the Court**  
by Shannon Stuteville

**Editorial**

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**4-H News**

**Little Known and Funny Facts' from Research Dept.**

**Jr. Cats**

by Becky Walker

The Jr. Wildcat team showed what kind of sportsmen they are Monday night as they not only battled their opponents but had to contend with an obnoxious person and taunts from the stands. The scoreboard showed Gorman winning 40-24.

The Rising Star gentlemen should be warmly commended for keeping their composure throughout the game and behaving in a sportsmanlike manner.

The first quarter score was 8-4 in Gorman's favor and at half the score was 17-8. Jarod Horton popped in 6 of the team's points and Aaron Jones sank a basket.

The team's scoring improved the third quarter and the Jr. Cats trailed 25-17. Jarod Horton netted 2 and Matt McDaniel made a free throw.

Each team member played in the final quarter and did well. Chris DeLong, Jarod Horton and Aaron Jones each put in 2 points and Mackey Elliott racked up 1 on a free shot.

The young Cats will be travelling to Lingleville to challenge the Cardinals. Let's all go over and cheer them to victory! They appreciate the support of the spectators who fill the stands.

**'Cats on the Court**  
by Roanen Barron

The Wildcats did not improve their record when they played Lingleville here January 16. Lingleville proved too much for Rising Star as the 'Cats fell short 34 to 53.

But the Wildcats did much better the following Friday when they faced the Tigers at May. The 'Cats took the game 53 to 45.

The Wildcats started the District circuit again, starting this week with Carbon at home Tuesday, Jan. 23. They travel to Sidney on Friday and face Gorman at home next Tuesday.

**Elementary Beat**  
by Gherda Williams

Elementary students have a lot to say about Pee Wee Basketball.

Bridget Claborn said, "We practice everyday during recess and our P.E. period so we'll be ready for the tournament."

**What's Going On?**  
by Tami Vandivere

Staff members of the Wildcat Tales and La Estrellita yearbook are starting News Broadcast on RSTV (channel 12). It will air at 8 a.m. on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Be sure to see all your reporters, soon to be tv news reporters, live and in action.

The district record for the Lady Cats now stands at 2-3 after a tough week of play. Lingleville, ranked 4th in the state, came to Rising Star last Tuesday and dealt the Ladies a loss. But they had to work to earn that victory, as the Ladies played good defense and things seemed to happen for the offense.

A road game Friday night in May proved to be quite a challenge and not what you'd call "a good night for the Ladies." Even though the Ladies weren't victorious, the game was "action-packed."

Gherda Williams was escorted to Dr. Carpenter's during the second quarter and received stitches in the gash above her left eye. But Gherda was back to support the Wildcats and we're glad she's okay and will be able to play Tuesday.

**School Menu**

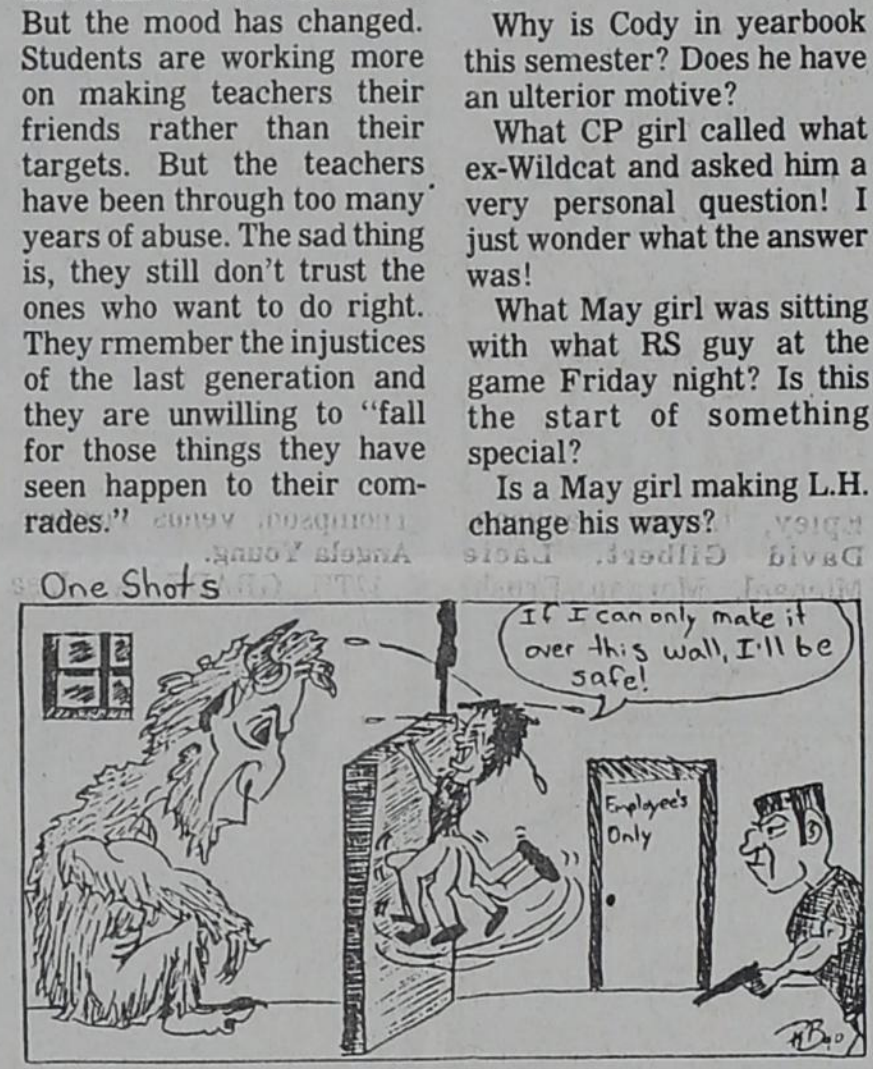
JAN. 29 - FEB. 2  
MON.: Lunch: Enchiladas, salad, corn, crackers, cake, milk; Breakfast: Texas toast, gravy, juice, milk  
TUE.: Lunch: Lasagna, salad, carrots, rolls, pudding, milk; Breakfast: Cereal, juice, milk  
WED.: Lunch: Nachos with meat and cheese, salad, refried beans, fruit, milk; Breakfast: Toast, bacon, fruit, milk  
THU.: Lunch: Fish, blackeyed peas, cole slaw, cornbread, crunch, milk; Breakfast: Pancakes with syrup, juice, milk  
FRI.: Lunch: Sandwiches, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, chips, cookies, milk; Breakfast: Biscuits, sausage, gravy, juice, milk

Office Supplies at The Rising Star

A revolution hit the United States during the 1960s and 70s. The students of America rebelled against that very discipline and authority that my father believes made him the man that he is. No longer were the students worried about what the teachers were able to do to them. Teacher bashing became the "in" thing.

Today's students are working hard to restore that trust. But unfortunately there are always bad apples that ruin the whole barrel. But the mood has changed. Students are working more on making teachers their friends rather than their targets.

**One Shots**



What may girl was sitting with that RS guy at the game Friday night? Is this the start of something special?  
Is a May girl making L.H. change his ways?

Air Force Staff Sgt. Douglas W. Matney has been decorated with the fourth award of the good Conduct Medal at Tinker Air Force Base, Okla.

The award was presented for exemplary conduct while in active service of the United States.

Mathney is an instructor with the 966th Airborne Warning and Control Training Squadron.

He is the son of Evelyn G. Matney of May.

His wife, Catherine, is the daughter of Edward J. and Janet E. Presor of Troupsburg, N.Y.

The sergeant is a 1977 graduate of Wellman High School.

**School Scoop**  
by Wendy Green

What two guys bought donuts for the teachers' lounge and why were all the teachers afraid to eat them?

B.C. took the van on the drag Saturday with S.B., not D.A., J.E. went with D.A. this time.

B.C. and S.B. were out cruising again on Sunday. Can they not find anything better to do? Oh yeah they could, they just couldn't find any yards.

Okay, who started the deal with parking sideways in the parking lot? There have been several complaints you MORONS!

You mean to tell me D.W. passed up a party? Who's he trying to impress, his parents? Well at least he was home on time Saturday night!!

What CP girl called what ex-Wildcat and asked him a very personal question! I just wonder what the answer was!

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JUNIORS A: Wendy Green; B: Brian Bailey, Larry Hollis, Pamela Hollis, Patricia Pavon.

SENIORS A: Kimberly Schwab, Shannon Stuteville, Becky Walker; B: Lee DeLong, Camille Harris, Toby Long, Cathy Smoot, Derrick White, Cody Wilson.

SEMESTER 7TH GRADE A: None; B: Chris Bailey, Misti Bailey, Brandi Harris, Heather Hutchinson.

8TH GRADE A: Christy Hughes, Emily Stuteville; B: David Fisher, Wid Keeling, Scott Rutledge, Inga Williams.

FRESHMEN A: None; B:

**COUNTY WIDE METHOD DEMONSTRATION WORKSHOP:**

Attention 4-H'ers! It's right "around the corner" to 4-H contest time!

There are 41 4-H contest and judging events you can enter. This is a great opportunity for you to learn public speaking skills, new information, and gain more self confidence.

**4-H HORSE JUDGING TEAMS ANNOUNCED:**

The 1990 Horse Judging teams for 4-H are:

**JUNIOR MEMBERS:** Tessie Ingram, Rocky Ingram, Holly Greenwood, Teresa Grace, and Michael Grace.

**SENIOR MEMBERS:** Shane Bush, Chance Bush, Brody Honea, Brent Shepard, and Dena Rogers.

The 4-H adult leader is Mrs. Idoma Bush, of Eastland.

**Rising Star Honor Roll**

CYCLE 3  
7TH GRADE A: None; B: Chris Bailey, Heather Hutchinson.  
8TH GRADE A: Christy Hughes, Emily Stuteville; B: Christi Bush, Chris DeLong, Wid Keeling, Scott Rutledge, Inga Williams.  
FRESHMEN A: None; B: None.  
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tension Service office announces these dates for 4-H Contests:

COUNTY CONTESTS: March 30, 5-6:30 p.m., ENB Community Room.

DISTRICT JUDGING CONTESTS: Sat., April 21st at TSU Ag Farm, Stephenville.

DISTRICT 8 4-H CONTESTS: Saturday, April 28, TSU.

STATE 4-H ROUNDUP CONTESTS: June 5-7, at Texas A & M University.

COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW ENTRY DEADLINE:

All 4-H entries are due January 26 at the County Extension Service Office.

WHAT: 4-H Method Demonstration Contest Training Workshop.

TIME: 5-6:30 p.m.

DATE: Friday, January 26th.

PLACE: Eastland National Bank Community Room. The Eastland County Ex-

A United States survey, recently conducted, reports that 86% of all parents do not, we repeat DO NOT, punish their children just for fun.

Did you know, according to the rules of etiquette, it is the hostess's duty to purposely spill something to set her guests at ease? Aren't you glad you just bought that Stainmaster party dress?

From the field of agriculture; it took a U.S. Supreme Court ruling to decide that a tomato is a vegetable and it is unconstitutional to call it a fruit. Now if we could get them to say whether Miller Lite tastes great or is less filling we'll solve most of America's problems.

There are rumors floating around that are as false as they can be! George Bush did not marry his mother. The latest reports from the White House are that Mrs. Bush just isn't able to find Mr. Reagan's brand of hair coloring at Wal Mart.

Out of the Old West: John Luke Habernathy was an Aggie outlaw who lost his life when, after having his getaway horse shooed, was trampled to death trying to lace them up.

Medical researchers released a report this week stating that contrary to popular belief, the size of a man's feet has no direct influence on the length of his ears.

Weight-Watchers question of the week: How does a two ounce box of candy make you gain five pounds?



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**IT'S TIME!  
Basketball '89!**

Rising Star High School Wildcats  
1989-1990 Varsity and Junior Varsity  
Basketball Schedule

Date	Team	Time	Place	Teams
Jan. 12 (Fri.)	Gorman	6:30	Away	V G / B
Jan. 16 (Tues.)	Lingleville	6:30	Home	V G / B
Jan. 19 (Fri.)	May	6:30	Away	V G / B
Jan. 23 (Tues.)	Carbon	6:30	Home	V G / B
Jan. 26 (Fri.)	Sidney	6:30	Away	V G / B
Jan. 30 (Tues.)	Gorman	6:30	Home	V G / B
Feb. 2 (Fri.)	Lingleville	6:30	Away	V G / B
Feb. 6 (Tues.)	May	6:30	Home	V G / B



**DERRICK WHITE (#44)**, senior, son of Debbie and Danny White, plays everywhere for the 'Cats. Derrick made All State and All Area in football this year and is currently in the lead in district for knocking down his opponents on the court.

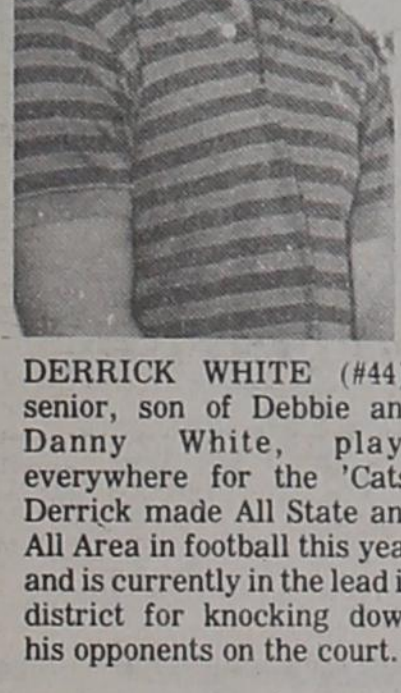


**PAM HOLLIS (#21)**, junior, daughter of Debbie and Kenneth Hollis, plays wing/post for the Lady Cats. Pam stays busy cheerleading, studying, playing basketball and working at Thrift Mart in Cisco.

**These Businesses Support School Activities**

<b>Rising Star Nursing Center</b> 643-2681	<b>Pioneer Farmer's Cooperative</b> 725-6564	<b>Family Food Store</b> 643-2221
<b>D&amp;T Building Supplies</b> 643-4131	<b>Max's Quickway</b> 643-1490	<b>First State Bank</b> 643-2811 member FDIC
<b>Medley Motor Co.</b> 643-6211	<b>Jenkins Insurance Agency</b> 643-2251	<b>The Rising Star</b>
<b>Main Street Auto Repair</b> 643-1701	<b>Jim Ratliff Welding</b> 643-6464	<b>Winfrey Feed &amp; Peanut</b> 643-6251
<b>Jack and Jo Hubbard</b> Janna Jones 643-6242	<b>Butler Texaco</b> 643-3261	<b>Chambers Grocery</b> 643-5292
<b>Carey's Automotive</b> 643-7009	<b>Higginbotham Funeral Home</b> 643-4321	<b>Dr. B. T. Carpenter &amp; Staff</b>
<b>Rising Star Chamber of Commerce</b> 643-3215	<b>Best Fast Foods</b> 643-5018	<b>Palace Drug Store</b> 643-3231

**Our Players**



**Go Cats!**

# 50th Anniversary

# Contel Adds 800 Numbers for Customer Service



Bryan and Lorene Bush will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception at Rocky Creek Baptist Church on February 10 from 2 to 5 p.m. The reception will be hosted by the couples' children, Sam, Phillip and Randal Bush, and their families. All friends and relatives are invited to attend. The couple request no gifts, please.

Contel of Texas has recently installed toll-free 800 numbers in its business offices for customers who have questions or problems regarding repairs, billing and service orders.

District Manager Ron Killion of Andrews explained, 'We've installed these numbers in order to serve our customers more efficiently. Although we have always reverse-billed calls to our business office, many customers have expressed concern when they have to dial direct. With the new 800 numbers, there should not be any confusion - Contel will pay for the call no matter where our customers are calling from.'

'Most important, with the three separate numbers for repair, billing and service orders, our service representatives can immediately pinpoint the nature of our customers' inquiries. The 800 numbers are simply another way we can provide quality service to our customers.'

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## Stew/Chili Supper at Sidney

The Sidney Lions Club will have a stew/chili supper Friday, Jan. 26, in the Sidney school lunchroom before and after the basketball games with Rising Star, from 5-7 and 9-10 p.m.. All you can eat: \$3.50 for adults; \$2.50 for children. Everyone invited to come.

## Renew Subscription

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The office is open Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. You might want to call first on Thursdays because the person working has to lock up to go to the Post Office, bank, etc.

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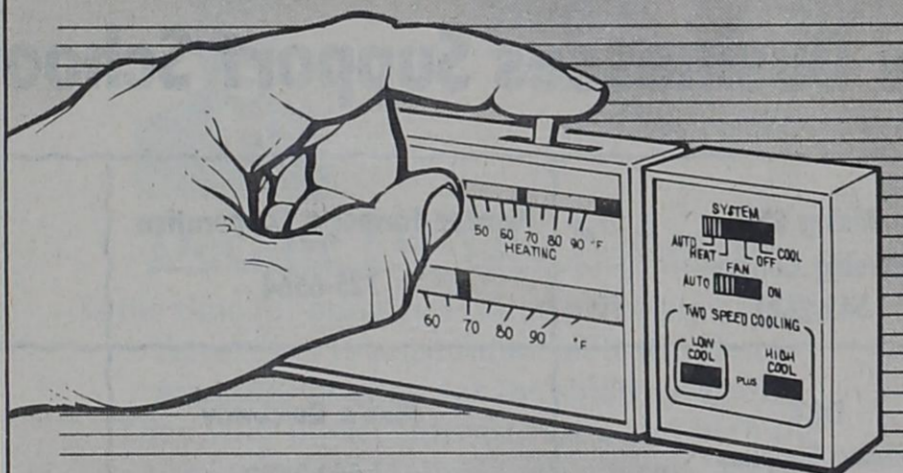
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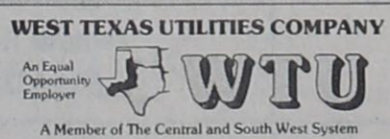
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## Farmers Tax Workshop Friday

A farmer's Income Tax Training Workshop will be conducted at the Eastland National Bank Community Room Friday, January 26, from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. according to County Extension Agent, DeMarquis Gordon.

It is the time of year when farmers and ranchers are getting their records together for income tax reporting. The Extension Service will conduct the training to help farmers and ranchers understand the tax laws and provide information that could save money at tax paying time. Dr. Ashley Lovell, Area Extension Economist, will be discussing the tax laws and answering questions on tax reporting as well as discussing other tax topics and farm records. Gordon says, there will be an hour break at noon and the workshop will continue in the afternoon as long as anyone wishes to ask questions.

Everyone interested in farm and ranch income tax information including agricultural producers, wives, tax practitioners, or the general public are welcome to attend. The IRS Farmers' Tax Guides will be available at the tax workshop.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.



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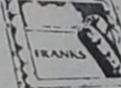










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