

Rural Fire Investigation Nets 12 Arrests, **Local 4-Her Shows Truck Tank** More Anticipated By Law Groups **Grand Champion Steer Donations**



Rumors, some proving to tribute methamphetamine, be untrue, have been rampant over the past weekend following drug raids across the Big Country which started sometime last Friday morning.

State and federal officers raided a Ranger business and reportedly searched some homes as they arrested a 39 year old businessman and ten others in the Big Country. Among the other men and women arrested were four from Ranger, three from Brownwood, two from Odessa, one from Stephenville, and one from Abilene. Tight-lipped officers finally disclosed some of the details of the raids in the area Monday in Abilene. Reportedly, officers believe the Ranger

using and carrying a firearm during and in relation to drug trafficking, and controlled substance conspiracy. Those arrested ranged in age from

22 to 54. F.B.I. Special Agent Don Ramsey seemed to be a spokesman for the offices, which also included a Texas Ranger Captain, a D.E.A. agent, Northcentral Texas Task Force officers, D.P.S. officers, and police officers years near Ranger were linked to drug trafficking in the

Dallas-Fort Worth and local areas. Officers are implying that the arrests have broken up a major crime organization, and

those arrested are reportedly

being held without bond in Lubbock awaiting a January 17 detention hearing before a federal magistrate.

Some vehicles have reportedly been seized also.

But officers may not be through yet, as many as twelve additional arrests may be made, reportedly in the Midland-Odessa area.

With the exception of the Task Force, police activities by out of county officers are rare in the towns of Eastland County, and numbers of such officers draw plenty of attention.

Arrested were: Steven Patrick Benifiel, Guy Regan Kincaid, Elida Ashworth, Marsha Renee Jacoby, Billy Delbert Dickey, Deborah Dawn Simmons, Dwight

Anthony Langdon, Eddie Ray Huffman, Cynthia Joy. Peeples, Waymon Joyner, and James Elmer Seiley. A warrant was also reportedly issued for Allen Dale Owens of

TANK FOR TRUCK GOAL \$2,000+ Reported earlier... 505 Latest received 225 Total received 730 Still needed . . \$1,495+

LIVE STOCK SHOW AND FAIR **SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 26**

The Rising Star Live Stock Show and Fair is scheduled to be Saturday, January 26.

Odessa.

More information on the events and time will be given next week in this newspaper.

RENEW SOON Many Subscriptions Expire Jan. 1, 1991

Brian Bailey exhibited Grand Champion Steer of the District 8 4-H Show. The steer is a Chianina Cross. This is Brian's 8th year to show cattle and will be his 6th year to exhibit a steer at Houston. He is a senior in high school.

Brian Bailey of the Rising Star 4-H Club recently attended the District 8 4-H Show held in Burnett. District 8 consist of 14 counties in Texas. Brian had a successful day by exhibiting the Grand Champion Steer of the

show. He also had the Reserve Champion heifer of the show with his Limousin heifer.

Brian's steer recently was the Champion AOB steer (all other breeds) at the West Texas Fair. He will show him again at the Eastland County Show and for a final time at Houston. Brian will also take his Limousin heifer to Houston and enter her in the Houston Scramble Show.

Also attending the District 8 Show were Brandon Geye and Toby Lindley. Both boys

were successful with class winning steers and Brandon won the Senior Showmanship Award. Toby and Brandon will show in the Brown County Fair Show, at Fort Worth and Houston.

All three boys purchased steers from Payton Scott of Oak Grove Farms. Good luck to these boys in the upcoming shows!

Brownwood.

Reportedly, the testimony of an informant led to courtapproved wiretaps, which led to the arrests. More than a year of investigation led up to the arrests, it was reported.

from Lubbock. Abilene and

Drug labs seized by the Eastland County Sheriff's Department in the last two

businessman to be the leader of the organization which has allegedly been selling illegal drugs around the Big Country and maybe as far away as Florida.

Among the charges were: major drug trafficking, continuing criminal enterprise, possession with intent to dis-

Deputy Added To Sheriff Department

After Eastland County Commissioners approved the addition of a fifth deputy to the Sheriff's Office for 1991, Sheriff Dee Hogan has an-

nounced that he is advancing some people within the Department. Jail Administrator, or Chief

Jailer, Elton McCoy was sworn-in Monday as a deputy and is currently learning the duties as the fifth deputy.

Dawn Beckett, a member of the jail staff, is being promoted to replace McCoy as

the Jail Administrator. A deputy transported two prisoners from the county jail to TDC Monday.

4-H Clean Up Day At Show **Grounds Jan. 12**

A 4-H clean-up day at the Eastland County Show Barns has been scheduled for 9:00 a.m., Saturday, January 12, 1991. All Eastland County 4-H families are asked to come Continued

Hundreds of subscriptions to this newspaper exprire January 1, 1991. Check your mailing label for your expiration date.

Subscription rates are the same as last year:

In Eastland County and within a 30-mile radius of Rising Star, \$9.00.

Other Texas areas, \$13.00. Out-of-state, \$19. Mail your renewal or new subscription check to The

Rising Star, Box 127, Rising Star, TX 76471 or drop it by the office at 104 N. Main Mondays, Tuesdays or Thursdays (except during Christmas week and New Year's week).

No Greater Love

Those who worked during the Christmas season to make a community dinner a joyous and companionable coming together for those of us who are no longer able to cook a holiday meal, who have no family nearby to share the day or who are otherwise not able to enjoy the traditional happenings of Christmas day have our deepest appreciation.

We join the entire community in commending you for your selfless efforts.

about running for your State Representative! I feel I am Community Calendar highly qualified for this position because of my varied and versatile background. I have been an educator and certainly

LIBRARY HOURS The City Library will be open every Tuesday from 9:30-11:00 a.m. during the winter months.

because my wife has been one for 24 years, or that I was one EACH THURSDAY CITIZENS SENIOR CENTER District 65 needs someone to

> EACH SATURDAY **BINGO**, American Legion Hall, S. Main

3RD MONDAY AMBULANCE VOLUN-TEERS, Rising Star EMS meeting

3RD TUESDAY FOOD COMMODITIES, Senior Citizens Center, Noon to 1 p.m.

BIRTHDAY PARTY for residents of Rising Star Nursing Center, 2

3RD WEDNESDAY

SATURDAY CLUB, City

Number of Candidates in Legislative Race Growing

Bob Day

Bob Day, Chairman of the Brown County Democratic Party, has announced his intention to be a candidate for the 65th District State Representative seat expected to be vacated by Jim Parker.

Day was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention in 1988 and took a very active part in the recent campaigns of all of the top elected officials in Austin. He feels that he will be well positioned to look after the interests of the 65th District.

Day attended school in Bangs and Brownwood and graduated with highest honors from Howard Payne University with degrees in Psychology and Biology. He is an Air Force veteran who served in both the Korean and Vietnam wars. He owns Brownwood Teaching Aids and is a member of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce and the Downtown Brownwood Association. Due to the nature of his business and the fact that both his wife Joyce and daughter Thea Griffin are teachers, he is extremely aware of the problems in the area of education in Texas. Day presently serves on the board of directors of the Brownwood Public Library and is treasurer of the Pecan Valley Geneological Society. He is Past Commander of the Disabled American Veterans and is an active member of other veterans' organizations. Austin." If elected, Day said that he

and not the Austin establishment or the lobbyists. Furthermore, Day said that "Unless the people of my district told me to do otherwise, I would vote against pay raises for the Legislature and oppose any new taxes. I want to emphasize that if I go to Austin, the voice of the senior citizen, the veteran, and small business person, the teacher, the farmer, and the ordinary person who works for a wage will be heard just as loud as that of the fat cat and high roller. THIS IS USUALLY NOT THE CASE."

"I feel that as a conservative, I am in step with the majority of the citizens of the 65th District," said Day. "I am one of the real people whom I seek to represent in Austin.

Richard Gist

Richard Gist of the Brownwood area announced tired from the U.S. Army as a today his intention to seek the result of a disability incurred District 65 State Representawhile serving in Vietnam. tive position expected to be Gist and his wife, Joan, live vacated by current Represennear Brownwood. They have tative Jim Parker. 2 children, David employed In announcing his candiwith Superior Cable Corpodacy, Gist, a 48 year old ration and Janna, a student at Brown County native, said "I Howard Payne University. feel that as a conservative Gist graduated from Zephyr democrat I can offer a com-High School and received a mon sense approach to solvdegree of Business from ing the problems that face Howard Payne University. He Texas today. I do not pretend currently serves on the Board to have all the answers, but I of Directors of the Brown will work with the people of County Historical Commisthis district to represent their sion, Brown County Criphilosophy and viewpoint in

tion, redistricting, state budget and crime as major issues in his campaign. He said that in traveling the district he found that voters in Brown, Comanche, Eastland, Runnels, Coleman, and McCullouch counties want a state representative who is "not afraid to vote for traditional values." He assured constituents that he would be accessible to the district during the upcoming legislative session with fre-

quent visits seeking voter input on important issues.

Gist currently serves on the

Board of Directors of the National Rural Water Association and the Texas Rural Water Association. He has just completed serving 3 years as president of the state wide organization that represents community and small city water systems.

Gist has business interest in Brown County, including real estate investments. He is retion. He is a member of the First Baptist Church in Early, and a life member of the Disabled American Veterans and the Jaycees. Gist said, "I appreciate the

encouragement and support that I have received from people in this district to enter this race. If elected, it will be an honor to represent this district.'

Phil Wilson

Brownwood marketing consultant Phil Wilson while visiting Eastland announced his plans to seek the 65th Legislative seat expected to be vacated by Jim Parker.

A graduate of Brownwood High School and Hardin Simmons University in Abilene with a B.A. Degree in Political Science and History, Wilson calls himself a conservative Republican. He is also a member of a Southem Baptist Church. Wilson lists education, crime, and economic development as basic concerns. Education needs to be placed back under the control of teachers and the local school boards, criminals should be required to serve full sentences (Do the crime and do the time), and you should be able to keep more of your money to help the economy grow.

tive, concludes Wilson, who lists 2306 12th Street, Brownwood, as his address.

Bob Moore

Bob Moore, 57, 100 Nelson & Hogan St., P.O. Drawer 72, Comanche, announced today that if Representative Jim Parker resigns from the legislature, he will become candidate in the Special Election to fill the vacancy.

Moore is a veteran, educator, oil and gas owner-operator with agriculture experience as employee and owner. Moore's experience is as follows: Korean War Veteran

4 years, Sul Ross University graduate, teacher-coach 10 years, Paymaster Seed Co. 1 year, agriculture aerial spraying business, commercial licensed pilot, resided in Eastland County 12 years where he created two successful businesses, the Bob Moore

attorney in Lubbock; Blake of Lubbock who is a state bank examiner; Blair of Ralls who is a farmer; and Bobby of Honolulu who is employed by Continental Airlines. They have 5 grandsons.

In a statement to The Chief,

Moore said: "I'm excited

realize all the problems exist-

ing in that area. The educators

in Texas need a friend in

Austin and I will try my very

best to be that person, not

for 10 years, but because there

are problems in Texas and

speak up and to defend their

"I have built several busi-

nesses, agricultural and other,

rights."

would represent all of the people of the 65th District,

mestoppers, Zephyr Water Supply Corporation and Gist cited insurance reform, Zephyr Cemetery Associathe Texas economy, educa-

Texas is at a crossroads, says Wilson. We will either have bigger government with higher taxes, or less government and taxation without "Big Brother." And I believe that this district is conserva-

Transport Co. and the Bob Moore Oil and Gas Production Co. He became a drilling consultant for Energy Development Corp. in Abilene, working his way to Executive Vice President of Operations with a gross of \$5 million annually. He retired for about one year and then purchased a ranch in Comanche County and operated it for 5 years before selling to the present owner.

Moore is married to Beverly Moore who teaches 2nd grade in the Comanche Primary School. They have five sons: JoBob of Cisco who is with Cisco Pump and Supply; Byron of Southland who is an

from the bottom up to a very successful level. These involved budgets and personnel and I know the issues that will be involved in these areas. District 65 needs a person who can give them 100 percent of their time and energy and since I'm retired I can do just that."

"I will try my very best to make a difference in our district, for all the people, big or little, educators, businesses, and the agricultural, who are the backbone of this area." "Their issues and platforms are vital and I hope I can be elected so I can meet them head-on. I'm certainly not afraid to speak my mind and

EACH MONDAY RESERVE A MEAL: Mealson Wheels are provided Mondays at Rising Star SEnior Citizens Center, 643-5141. **2ND MONDAY** RS SCHOOL BOARD, 116 N. Main

those who have served on

boards with me know that I

will defend strongly what I

believe is the best. Sometimes

that doesn't gain you any

friends, but I won't be going

to Austin to become popular.

I will be going to do what is

best for each and everyone of

you, in District 65, if elected."

Library **School Calendar** by Donny Alcorn

Thurs., Jan 10 End of 3rd six weeks, semester Fri., Jan 11 Teacher workday; student

holiday. HS basketball, Cats vs. Lingleville, away, 6:30. Mon., Jan. 14 JH basketball vs. Lingleville, 5:30, here. Tues., Jan. 15 HS basketball, vs. Gorman, away

Note On 'Fresh Ideas For Old Job'

By Viola Payne

Newspaper writing has a number of fringe benefits. One of these is the opportunity to meet a lot of unusual people.

The best time to meet wellknown people, I've found, is before they become too famous - when they are still accessible. This is the way it was with Ann Richards in 1985, at the Leon-Bosque Development Area meeting at PAR Country Club on Lake Proctor.

At that time Ann Richards had been State Treasurer for two years, and was engrossed in her job. I scarcely realized she would have an even more demanding public office someday.

But that story she told about why she ran for Travis County Commissioner kept haunting me, giving a feeling of destiny.

With Ann Richards being sworn in for Texas Governor Jan. 15, it is interesting to review this story published in The Eastland County Newspapers in March, 1985.

(Article Follows): As I drove to the Lake Proctor Recreation Clubhouse on March 11 for a conservation program and a speech from State Treasurer Ann Richards, I had no idea what she might say.

But probably few of the 115 others attending the Leon-Bosque Development Area meeting knew what to expect

Ann Richards is, in fact, the first woman to be elected to any office in the state in more than 50 years.

Not that she hasn't held some interesting offices in the meanwhile. A Democrat and history teacher (both of which are solid requirements for office-holding in Texas) Richards began her political. career by serving as a Travis County Commissioner.

cattle country.

litical scene.

the men would have said.

mindnesses" is an absolute

"Why in Heaven's name

would a woman run for

County Commissioner?'

Richards laughed. "I was

calleda 'lady Commissioner'.

I'm not sure about the 'lady'

what was going on.

Undaunted by this way of life, she accepted an appointment in 1979 from President Jimmy Carter to serve on the President's Advisory Committee on Women.

She was named "Women of the Year" by the Texas Women's Political Caucus in 1981 for her contribution to the Women in Texas History Project, and again in 1983 for her success in winning the

Treasurer's office. When I reached PAR Clubhouse I saw that the Banquet Room held a number of community leaders from a fivecounty area. Introductions to Ms. Richard's speech pointed out that she chairs the State Depository Board, which oversees the investment of a more than two billion dollars constant cash flow belonging to the State of Texas. As Treas-

of 140 employees. Richards, wearing a good dark suit with a muted-gold

urer, she also directs the work

cent her youthful face and talking about your money. We bouffant white hair. have a balance of \$2.5 billion She appeared at ease with each day, and I never forget, the Soil Conservation groups who it belongs to."

and business people in the Ms. Richards said that when room, taking time to greet old she assumed the office in 1983 friends. She introduced her she found an antiquated sysmother and father from Waco tem of handling its affairs. and relatives from Hico.

"The office was run with a Her voice was a mixture of ten-key adding machine, down-home warmth and which was used as checks strength, a rather potent comcame in," she said. On a typibination. As she began to talk cal day we used about 1700 ft. I realized that in my youth she of adding tape. It was an inwould probably have been credible, inefficient system called a "strong-minded" like stepping back in time." woman - a phrase that carried The Treasurer told how the considerable respect in the State money was scattered in banks all over Texas, and It also had some connotadrawing no interest.

tions of wariness - as if the She soon leaned that many woman so described always state offices had slow systems managed to land in control. of transferring funds to the Too much control - some of Treasury. One of them, she said, brought over checks But as Richards began to "whenever the bag gets full," tell of her overhaul of the State or an employee "had nothing Treasurer's office, I underelse to do." stood why some "strong-

Richards said that she formulated plans, and the first necessity for the Austin powas to "get our act in order internally."

> Then she went to the Legislature for permission to upgrade and automate the Treasurers office. She also received new investment authority.

She worked with various part, but I liked that job a lot. state offices on rapid deposit "I ran for that office besystems. And the State money cause I wasn't happy with "Now stays in the Treasurer's office no longer than 90 min-"I always figured it this way utes," she reported.

- if you don't like what an-"It is then placed in interother fellow is doing, don't est-bearing accounts around just stand around and comthe state. Around 10 million plain. Get in there and see if is presently in this Leonyou can do the job better. Bosque area. New ways of That's what Government is handling the funds have al-

"unclaimed accounts" and property, returning assets to rightful owners if possible. She is working with the Legislature to smooth the cash

flow, so expenditures will be planned to coincide with revenues. She said she is also interested in assisting counties with the management of funds, and will send help if desired. "We work for you," she

concluded, "As the State Government delivers the services you demand." Probably sensing a lack of response to that statement, she continued: "Oh yes, you do demand services! Among other things, you want good

road and good schools. That costs plenty of money. "I believe that is what Democracy is all about -Government working for the

people." After the ovation I waded through the carpet of the PAR Clubhouse for a more personal glimpse of the Treasurer. She still appeared tireless and gracious, shaking hands and answering questions.

She remembered stopping in Cisco during her 1982 campaign, she said, and yes the car licenses and other fees had gone up.

"But Texas is one of the few states with no personal or corporate income tax," she reminded me. "Those fees are simply taking the place of a raise in state sales taxes." I stepped out into the soft

spring night. The evening star was hanging in the west like a pendant on a necklace, glow-

Eastland County Bass Club

Gary Horton, 31, is the featured angler of the Eastland County Bass Club. Gary is our president and owns Gary's Automotive in Ranger. Gary is married to the former Diane Crabtree and he lists Possum Kingdom as his favorite lake and fishing a jig or worm on deep water structure is his favorite way to fish. Gary says he fishes between 10 to 15 tournaments a year and his biggest fish to date is a 6.98 pound fish. Gary fishes out of a Stratos boat powered by Evinrude and he has been fishing for about 2 1/2 years, about the same time he joined the ECBC.

The next scheduled ECBC monthly interclub tournament will be held Saturday, Jan. 12. Anglers will meet at the Dairy Queen in Eastland by 5:30 a.m. at which time the

Attention Tire Dealers-In accordance with 25 TAC 325.732 we are a registered

us out.

at a later date.

Decrease In Sept-**Texas Marketed Gas Production**

Railroad Commission Chairman James E. (Jim) Nugent announced that Texas marketed gas production in September totaled 345,441,001 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas, compared to the August production total of 360, 052, 901 Mcf. The September marketed gas production relfected an increase of 2.39 percent compared to the September 1989 production of 337,346,130 Mcf.

In the first nine months of 1990 Texas marketed gas productiontotaled 3,262,670,136 Mcf, a 2.45 percent decrease from the 3,344,819,127 Mcf total during the same period of 1989. Total gas production in Texas in September was 436,557,158 Mcf, compared

to the August production total of 448,134,281. September 1989's total gas production was 438,178,660 Mcf.

Mart. It will be awarded at the Marketed gas production is monthly meeting on FEb. 7. the gas left after liquid hydro-Money earned will go to varicarbons have been separated ous projects that the ECBC is on the lease from the "wet" sponsoring. If you are congas that is usually produced at tacted by a club member the wellhead. It also does not please buy several and help include gas that is used to fuel production-related equipment Due to the cold weather, on the lease site, or gas that is

the weekly jackpot held on otherwise not marketed. Sunday afternoons have been

Exports of Texas-produced gas in September totaled 148,439,949 Mcf compared to 144,902,597 Mcf in August. The September exports of Texas-produced gas re-

drawing for the lake to be fished will be held. Fishing hours will then be set. These club tournaments are a 5-fish string with a 14" minimum. Prospective members are invited to meet with us at this time if they would like to join the ECBC and go fish with us. The ECBC members are still offering tickets for the

\$250 gift certificate from Wal

cancelled. They will resume



CISCO - large residential lot with mobile home CISCO: Excellent office bldg. 5 rooms, 2 restrooms hookups. O10 Concrete parking area. In good location. C5 CISCO - Approx. 5 ac, good for commercial or resi-dential. Financing available. O13 CISCO - Rock home, partially remodelled. Only blocks from school & downtown, O15 blocks from school & downtown. O15 LAKE CISCO - (North Shore) - Approx. 11 yr. old home on leased lot - good water - front. 2BR, 1 3/4 baths, plus 2 separate guest quarters. Owner fi-nancing to qualified buyer. O16 GORMAN - Numerous listings, \$8,000-\$45,000. Call for details! Call for details! interior. Asphalt parking. C10 **HOUSE & ACREAGE** CISCO - Frame office bldg. 3 offices, reception area. On corner lot. C12 OLDEN -- 1.3 Ac & 2 BR, 2 B brick. F/P, storm area. On corner lot. C12 windows, covered patio & More! HA15 PRICE Reduced on this large 2BR, 2 B home situ- CISCO - Vacant corner lot at E. 8th & Ave. C. C13 price Reduced on this large 2BR, 2 B home situ- CISCO - Mini-mall. Over 4,000 sq. ft. in this metal CISCO - Mini-mall. Over 4,000 sq. ft. in this metal bldg. located on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C14
CISCO - Large, metal bldg. on main thoroughfare. C15
L20, Baird, Approx. 2,400 sq. ft. mesquite B-B-Q
Chipping factory, on 30 acres. Equip. can be purchased also. C11
CONCESS EDONITACE OF C15 -20 ACCESS FRONTAGE: 2.5 acres & office.C17 Three Year Old Brick with country charm on 2.7 acres. Bay windows, F/P; decorator touches. HA12 CARBON-3.6 acres with frontage to Hwy. 6, a 14X64 mobile home. ONLY \$12,500.00! HA20 INVESTORS!32 unit apartment complex, 1,2,&3BR, D/W, washer/dryer connections, cenh/a. C18 RANGER: Service Station on large lot. Conv. pump RANGER: Service Station on large lot. Conv. pump area: concrete & asphalt paving. C19

SHELLY RICHEY

629-3614

CINDYE FOSTER

629-8227

BARBARA LOVE

647-1397

LAKE CISCO AREA Comfort and Space! Lovely 3BR on 4 wooded lots, CH/ CA, FP, large covered boat dock, new 30X20 garage or shop. Great View of Lake, enjoy relaxation, 2BR, 2 baths, CH/ CA, covered deck, boat dock, double garage. COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES Bargain Buy! Large frame bldg., \$4,8000., owner fin. High Traffic Area, 2 commercial buildings on Conrad Hilton Ave., \$14,500 or \$12,500 Did Somebody Say Deal? Metal bldg, 4 lots, \$9,5000. Int. 20 Frontage, Large Restaurant, lots of potential, with or without equipment & furniture, 2 acres, price reduced, terms negotiable. SMALL & LARGE ACREAGE Geat Potential, 24 wooded lots, ideal for subdivision. Geat Potential, 24 wooded lots, ideal for subdivision. 4.3959 ac SOLD^{*} Rising Star. Say Hello To Country Living! Roomy 2BR, 2 bath, CH/ Ca, garage, horse barn, tank, rural water, approx 5 acres. Nestled in Trees! Specieus 3 BR, 2 bath home on approx. 3 acres, \$25,000, of SOLD^{*} cing available. Country Peace and Quiet, spacious home on about 1 1/2 acres, CH/CA, guest house, many fruit trees. Hooked on Country Living! 2BR rock home, CH/CA detached garage, excellent sho-approx. 1800 sq. ft., 5 acres 8 Acres of Scentic Country, 3 BR, 2 bath brick home, CH/ CA, fireplace, garage, rural and well water. Be A Land Owner, approx. 138 acres with 3 BR, 2 bath home, beautiful view, coastal and cultivation. CERRS104

ROSEMARY FERGUSON

653-2375

CERRS104

Start earning competitive money market interest without locking your money away. And you don't need a big initial balance to get started. Call me today for all the details and a free prospectus. **Robert Steed** Investment Representative 107 W. Main Eastland (817)629-3851 ~ 1-800-441-5282 Edward D. Jones & Co.' For more complete information, including a free prospectus with current yield, advisory lees and other expenses, contact your Edward D. Jones & Co. representative. Please read the prospectus carefully before investing or sending money. 7 days annualized yield ending 1-4-91 was 7.59%. This yield will vary as short-term interest rates change.

9,469,630 Mcf; American Gas Storage Corp., Gaines County, 7,953,501 Mcf; Lone Star Gas Company, Clay County, 7,410,151 Mcf; and Texas Utilities Fuel Company, Jack County, 5,685,658 Mcf. College Students, Friends Away . would love a subscription to local newspapers EASTLAND COUNTY CRIME STOPPERS

629-TIPS

Lo East				
	ren st L Pri LAWRENIC	OWE	ere	d
HUNDREI STORE. CO PRICE HERE ARE JUST Medal \$15 Flour	OWERED H DS OF PRIC DMPARE OU DES AND SA CES AND SA S NOW 9 \$19 9 \$29 Del Monte Tomato Sauce Field Trail Dog Food	UNDREDS ES THROU R NEW EVE VE! SAVE VE! SAVE	S AND JGHOUT /ERYDA ! SAVE! RYDAY LO Miracle Whip	THEYLOW YLOW WPRICES \$159 \$149 \$16 oz. 10.75 oz. 73° 65°
W/Iron13 oz.	9\$119Shortening9\$119Gladiola Yellow Corn Bread Mix Del Monte Cut Green Bean Of Chicken Sour IGA Ramen Noodles Ramen Noodles9\$299Campbell's Creation of Chicken Sour IGA Miracle Whip9\$119Kraft Mac & Cheese Miracle Whip9\$175IGA Sugar9\$175IGA Sugar9\$173Ranch Style Beans9\$779Starkist Tuna in Water	42 0Z. 45 0Z. 45° 516 0Z. 69° 510 0Z. 69° 65° 10 0Z. 69° 65° 10 0Z. 69° 65° 10 0Z. 69° 65° 10 0Z. 69° 59° 59° 59° 59° 59° 59° 59° 5	Muffin Mix Hunt's Tomato Sauce Del Monte Cream Style Corn Gold Medal Flour Rainbow Apple Juice Carnation Evaporated Milk	B OZ. 39° 3,61
Beans	9 \$-33 Whole Kernal Con		Wrap Brawny Towels Hamburger Helper THURS., FRI.,	8 oz. 99° 85°
CRACKERS KRISPY Limit 1 599¢ with \$10.00 purchase there after price 69¢	CANNED SOFTED DRINKS 6 pack 6 pk/69¢ with \$10.00 purchase	Limit 1	E BA 4 chase	NANAS LBS./ \$1.00
300 WEST HWY. 80 RANGER TX.	Limit 1	ence E	Bros.	EAST HWY. 80 EASTLAND TX.

CLASSIFIEDS

REAL ESTATE

161 ACRES Lots of bottom land, 60 tillable; well fenced, 1/2 mi. Sabanna, good deer hunting, lots big oak, pecans. \$550 a. Agent owned.

58 ACRES Several big trees, 2 tanks Soldoastal, most new fer. S., lots road front. \$550 a., E-Z terms.

57 ACRES, 7 Jarisco. Most timber; 'Soldrikey, birds; road from S400 a. 80.5 ACRES, 7 mi. NE Rsing

Star, 30 coastal, app. 1/2 cult., well fenced, lots road front, \$560 a.

1000+ ACRES S of Carbon, native, coastal pasture, 13 pastures, 13 tanks; deer lease brings over \$10,000 per year. Lots of road front, \$495 per a., co-op water

95.43 ACRES, 20 cult., 3-1 frame home, 4 mi. of Carbon. Good barn, native grasses. \$70,000, \$14,000 down, 10% interest.

10.4 ACRES Fronts on Pioneer & Mill Sts., good subdivision property, \$9,000. 62 ACRES m/1, abut 1/2 cult., good peanut/melon land, some coastal, lots rod front, with new fence. \$500 a., liberal terms, agent owned. 70.3 ACRES 7 mi. E.Hy. 36, timber, coastal, 3 water taps applied for, well fenced, barn, tanks, \$500 a., cash or equity/ GI assumption.

35 Yrs. in Business COGBURN REALTY 893-5898 DE LEON

WE NEED LISTINGS!!! Equal Housing

FOR SALE

FAMOUS COPYRIGHTED Stop-Smoking for Good Personal Letter sent direct to you or to a loved one. It's working for thousands. \$5. (total). Write Smoking, Box 29, Eastland, TX 76448.

RS52 VALUABLE, HISTORIC Tapestry Paintings in this area? All over Southwest. Book tells story and what to look for. \$17.00 (total). Write Paintings,

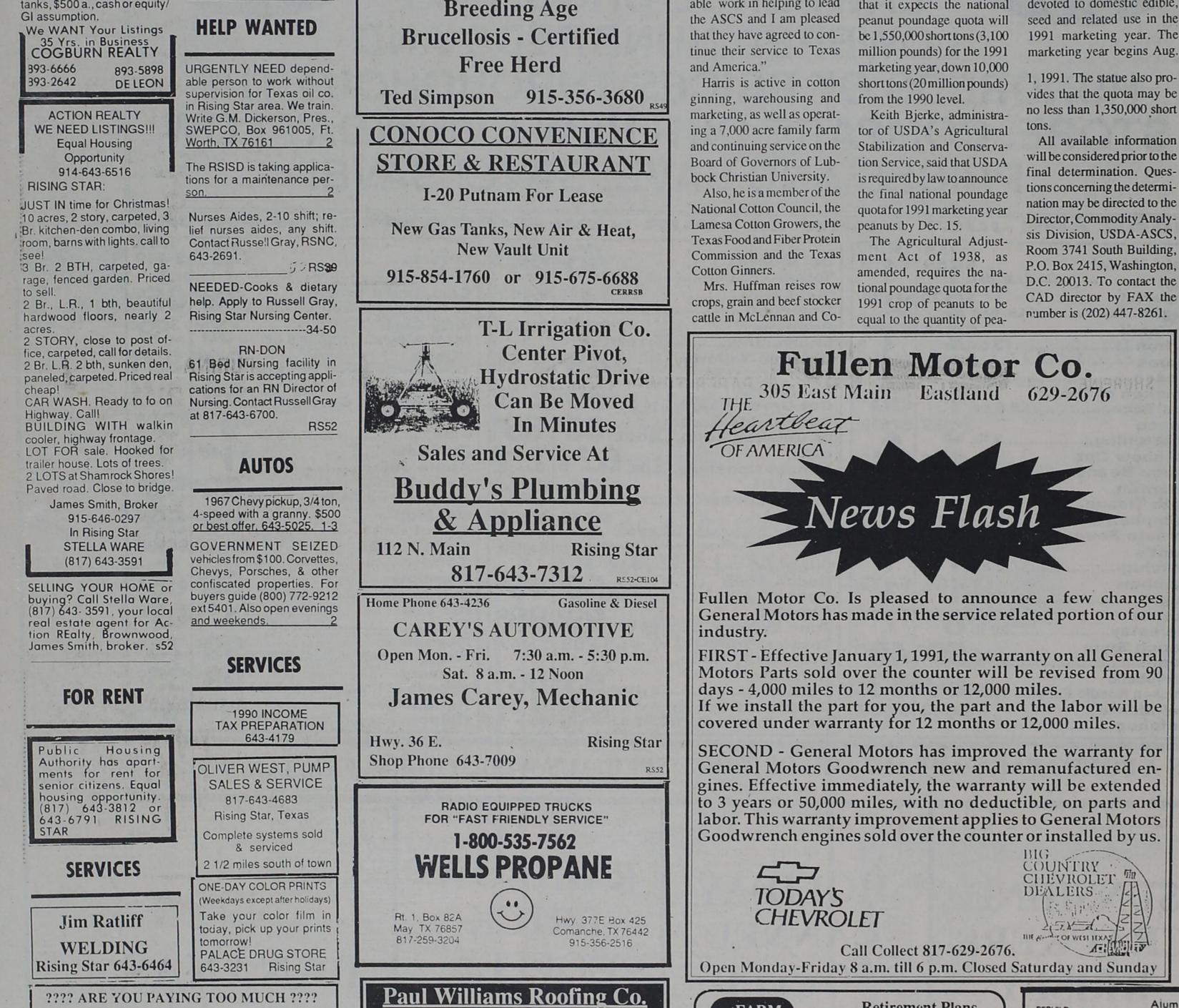
Box 29, Eastland, TX 76448. **RS52** Golf carts, End of year sale, 4 wheels, 3 wheels,

plenty to choose from. 915 893-2662, Clyde T104

LADIES canvas sneakers, white or black, sizes 5-10, made in U.S.A., \$5.99. Johnson's Dry Goods, Cross Plains

ADULT ski masks, tan, green or brown, full eye openings, \$3.49. Johnson's Dry Goods, Cross Plains

> Spinet-console piano. Name brand. Assume payments. See locally. 1-800-343-6494



THANK YOU

SERVICES

CARPET

Cleaned, Restretched

Cross Plains

CAMPBELL'S

CABINET SHOP

& CONSTRUCTION

817-842-5875

WILLIE VANDIVERE

Dirt, Caliche Hauling

Build Lease Roads,

9 - 5 Call 643-2023

After 5 Call 643-6451

JOHN DEERE TRACTORS

NEW AND USED

PEANUT EQUIPMENT

LILLISTON - KMC

7

JOHN DEERE

PLANTERS-DISKS

DRILLS-ROLLING

CULTIVATORS-

CHISELS

SELL OR TRADE

Driveways, etc.

The family of Ernestine Lancaster Brazzil wishes to thank the ladies of the May commu-Repaired, Sold, Installed Scotch Guarding Available Dub Meador 725-7720 nity for the delicious food and the compassion shown during our time of need. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

May God bless you. The Lancaster Family

We wish to thank each and every one of you for the beautiful sympathy cards, for your phone calls and visits during the passing of my dear sister, Cora Sherrill. May God richly bless each of you.

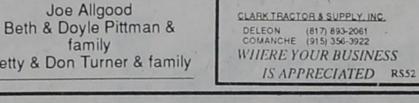
Eula and Tom

The thoughts and prayers of our friends and neighbors have helped sustain us through our loved one's illness and death. Your help and loving kindesses during these weeks have been deeply appreciated. Thank you, too, for all the

calls, cards, visits, flowers and food. May God bless each of Joe Allgood

family Betty & Don Turner & family

you.



RED BRANGUS BULLS Quail Hill Ranch Breeding Age



Harris Named to A SixthTerm as Chairman of Texas ASCS

Washington - Jerry D. Harris, a cotton and grain sorghum farmer in Dawson and Gaines Counties, has been named to a sixth term as chairman of the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Committee, U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm has announced.

Agriculture Secretary Clayton Yeutter also named Mrs. Hope Huffman of McGregor to her second oneyear term on the panel and reappointed veteral ASCS committee members Dale Hunt of Garwood, D.V. Guerra Jr. of Edinburg and Keith Spears of Vernon. "These five leaders bring a

wealth of practical background in agriculture to ASCS. Jerry Harris has established an impressive record, combining years of experience as both a family farmer and a federal program administrator," the senator said. "Hope Huffman, Dale Hunt, D.V. Guerra and Keith Spears all have done remarkable work in helping to lead

ryell Counties. She is a member of the Texas Farm Bureau's Labor Advisory Committee and is active in both the McLennan County Farm Bureau and the Waco Chamber of Commerce's Agricultural Committee.

Hunt is a recognized national leader in the rice industry. He has served on the National Commission on Agricultural Trade and Export Policy and as president of the Texas Rice Research Foundation.

Guerra, active in soil and water conservation in South Texas, is an expert in livestock production. He has served on the Governor's Task Force on Rural Development and Texas A&M University to promote agri-

USDA Announces Expected **Peanut Poundage Quota**

the U.S. Department of Agriculture today announced that it expects the national

cultural interests. He was named "Man of the Year in Agriculture" by the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association.

Spears is a leader in the wheat industry. He has served as vice chairman of the Texas Wheat Producers Board and as a member of the U.S. Wheat Associates Board.

The five-member panel oversees activities of the ASCS organization throughout Texas, including administration of federal farm programs in Texas.

Texas ASCS employs a staff of 1,400 and supervises the distribution of more than \$1.5 billion in federal farm program benefits to the farmers and ranchers of Texas every year.

nuts that the secretary of agricultural estimates will be devoted to domestic edible, seed and related use in the 1991 marketing year. The marketing year begins Aug.

1, 1991. The statue also provides that the quota may be no less than 1,350,000 short

All available information will be considered prior to the

Course in Agriculture **Economics**

Thursday, January 10, 1991

Cisco Junior College will offer a 24-hour adult education course in Agriculture Economics. The comprehensive, step-by-step series of workshops is designed to assist farm families in developing and improving their financial management and commodity marketing ability.

The class will meet from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the Texas Room Maner Memorial Library on Thur., Feb.14; Tue., Feb.19; Thur., Feb. 21; Tue., Feb. 26; Thur., Feb. 28; Tue., March 5; Thur., March 7; and Tue., March 12.

Instructor for the course is Truet Hart and cost is \$175. A minimum of eight paid participants is necessary for the course to be offered. Registration deadline is

January 31. For more information or to register contact Charlotte Speegle at 817/442-2567, ext. 122.

Defensive Driving Course at CJC

Cisco Junior College will offer a Defensive Driving Course on January 21 and 23 (Monday and Wednesday) from 6-10 p.m. in room 3 of Schaefer Hall. Fee for the course is \$20 and must be paid by 3 p.m. on Monday, January 21.

Students must bring a valid drivers license to class and must complete both nights of the course in order to receive certification.

For more information contact Charlotte Speegle at (817) 442-2567, ext. 122.

THE RISING STAR 817-643-4141

© 1991Eastland County Newspapers, Inc. Publication No. (USPS 466500)

2nd class postage paid at Rising Star, TX under Act of Congress, March, 1870. Published every Thursday. Publishers, Mr. & Mrs. H.V. O'Brien.

Subscription rates per year: Eastland County & 30-mi. radius of Rising Star, \$9; other Texas counties, \$13; out of Texas, \$19. No out of U.S. without APO.

POSTMASTER: Send address changes to The Rising Star, Box 127, Rising Star, TX 76471-0127.

For All Your Construction Needs: All Types Steel Bldgs. **Contract Welding** Dozer Work Contract or By Hour LARRY WILSON 817-643-3275

MOBILE HOME TRANSPORTING **Complete Moves** & Setups Moving **Throughout Texas** Tie Downs Blocking & Leveling * Licensed * Bonded * Insured **18 Years Experience** 817-893-6753

AUTO

Compare These Everyday Low Prices On Genuine JOHN DEERE Ag. & Auto Filters

JOHN DEERF AGRICULTURAL FILTERS

3020-4020 JD Engine Oil Filter (AR26350)	
30 Deries JD Engine Oil Filter (AR43634)	
40-50 Series JD Eng. Oil Filter (AR101278)	\$10.18
20-30 SeriesHydraulic Filter (AR75603)	
40-50 Series Hydraulic Filter (AR94510)	
4230-4240 Outer Air Filter (AR79941)	
4430-4440 Outer Air Filter (AR'79679)	\$27.21

JOHN DEERE AUTOMOTIVE OIL & AIR FILTERS Most US Gas Car & P/U Engine Oil Filters \$2.78 All GM Diesel Engine Oil Filters\$2.78 Ford Diesel P/U Air Cleaner Filter\$6.99 All GM Diesel Engine Air Cleaner Filters\$5.99

JOHN DEERE

CLARK TRACTOR & SUPPLY INC. DeLeon: 817-893-2062 Comanche: 915-356-3922



WINTERIZE NOW!

Quality Antifreeze K-1 Kerosene for Kerosene Heaters Power Serve Diesel Fuel Treatment (Prevents Diesel from jelling in freezing temps.) We deliver Bulk Gasoline & Diesel and Stock all Major Oil Brands At Cross Plains Petroleum (E-S-E Inc.) 6th and Ave F, Cross Plains, Tx. 817-725-6582 We Accept FINA, VISA, Master Card & Discover R552

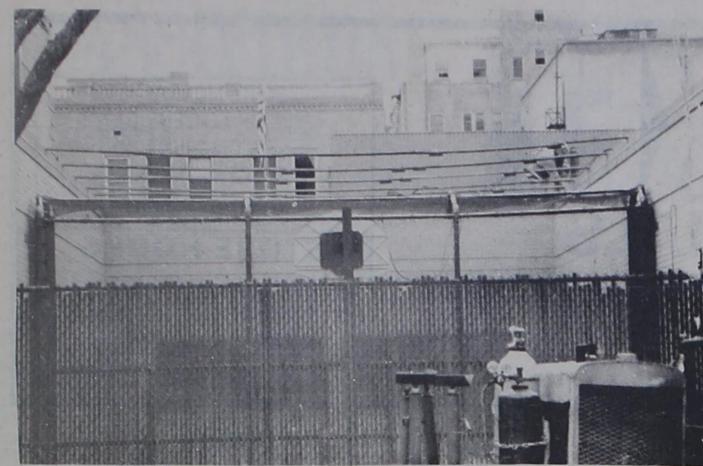


Welding ENGINES THANSMISSION **JAKE'S SHOP** GENERAL MECHANICAL & WELDING FABRICATION Body Work & Painting OWNER 404 N. MAIN 817-643-3031 JAKE LANDESS RISING STAR, TX rs52 **Main Street Auto Repair** Open Monday - Friday 8-5 p.m. **CUSTOM MUFFLER** & TAILPIPE WORK Jackie Palmore - Mechanic 643-1701 R\$52 Hwy. 183 **Rising Star, Texas**

Aluminum

REBUILD





A welder is working on a metal grid being installed over the exercise yard at the Eastland County Jail. The yard now has a cage or lid over it to prevent prisoners from escaping by climbing over the 15 foot fence around it.



Representative To Be In Eastland a local, one-on-one basis. There's some things you just

Eastland County Residents Expect To Attend Governor's Inauguration

Austin is expected to have voice gospel choir. Seating is Balls will break out around an overflow crowd Jan. 15 for the Inauguration of Ann Richards for Governor and Bob Bullock for Lieutenant Governor.

A number of people from Eastland County plan to attend the Inauguration and activities surrounding it. Among those making the trip are June Hicks, Ann Murray, Saul Pullman, Barbara Lewis, Mary Webb, Dr. Roger. Schustereit, Olin Odom III, Robert Tucker and Jesse Price. The Inaugural Ceremony will be held at 12 noon on the Capitol grounds. It will begin with Bob Bullock taking his oath of office and making a brief speech.

Then Ann Richards will be sworn in as Governor and make a speech of about five minutes. As she concludes, all the church bells in Austin will chime.

There will be no charge for the public to view this Ceremony, but space around the Capitol is expected to be very limited.

A number of events are scheduled around the Inauguration, beginning with a Democratic Victory Party from 6-8 p.m. on Jan. 14. Anyone interested in attending this should contact Ed Martin, Texas Democratic Party, (512) 478-8746.

From 8-9:30 p.m. the same evening will be the TEXAS

limited.

Tuesday morning, Jan. 15 The North Ball will be at the will begin with a Prayer Service, by invitation only - in honor of the troops overseas. The Richards and Bullock families will join members of the Legislature.

March to the Capitol will begin. People participating in the March will meet at Congress Ave. and Barton Springs Rd. The National Guard will direct the March and provide security. Accommodations have been made for a shorter

others The Austin Opry House Ball, and the Driskill Hotel Ball downtown.

Each ball will be attended At 10 a.m. the People's by Richards and Bullock, and each will have three bands: a country and western band, a

the city beginning at 8 p.m.

Palmer Auditorium, the South

Ball at Erwin Center, with

Thursday, January 10, 1991

blues band.

These events are supposed to close out at 11 p.m., ending a historic day in the city and noon.

swing band, and rhythm and state. There will be TV, Radio and newspaper coverage of many of the events Jan. 15, especially the Inauguration at

Cisco Radiator Service 207 E. 6th - Cisco

Cleaning, Rodding and Repairing Radiators Since 1958, here since 1973. All kinds of radiators cleaned, rodded and repaired. Brass-Copper, Copper-Plastic, Aluminum-Quality Guaranteed Work Plastic. Call 442-1547 **CES104**

Your past business has been so appreciated, and in 1991, we are striving to serve you even better. Come see us under one roof.....

If the weather is good, about 25,000 people are expected to be in the March. No seating will be provided on the Capitol grounds. After the Inauguration Ann

March than the 11 blocks on

the main route.

Richards will have lunch with the outgoing Governor. Guests on the Capitol grounds will be provided with a box lunch. Tickets at \$5.00 will be included with invitations.

At 2 p.m. Richards will address the school children of Texas in live TV coverage from the mansion. She will also address the teachers of Texas.

The pace will quicken when the Inaugural Parade swings down Congress Ave. from 3-4:30 p.m. It will be led by a band from Baylor - Ann Richards' Alma Mater - and

TOWN & COUNTRY 12 (2/12/12/2 FONTLAC GMC, INC. Don Barr Randy Tollett, Mgr.

Glen Bolliew, Mgr. Curtis Loard

January 15 To Assist Taxpayers

State Comptroller John Sharp said Monday that a representative from his agency will be in Eastland on Wednesday, January 15th to answer questions about Texas taxes and assist taxpayers with paperwork and problems.

"I don't want to see state there is no charge. taxes turn into a burden for folks who can't get to a field

Texas taxpayers," Sharp said. Royce Manning, Enforcement Officer in the Abilene office, will be at the Eastland County Courthouse, RM B10 (the Social Security Room) from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. The public is welcome and

"I'm sending my employees out to help people with office. Our visits are a service of questions, filling out forms, we're happy to provide to and working out problems on

can't do as well over the phone or through the mail," Sharp said.

> Big Country area taxpayers who can't attend the courthouse workshop can still get individual tax assistance by calling the Comptroller's tollfree telephone number, 1-800-252-5555, from anywhere in

Texas. The Abilene office, headed by James Martin, serves Brown, Callahan, Coleman,

OUR TEXAS GALA at the Frank Erwin Center. This will be a musical review, featuring Willie Nelson, Dolly Parton, Freddy Fender, Kris Kristofferson, and a 1,000

Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, McCullough, Mills, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, San Saba, Shackelford, Scurry, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor and Throckmorton counties.

next will be the band from Texas Tech - Bullock's school. As the parade winds down

Vernon Willingham there will be a brief pause in Austin - and then Inaugural

Farms & Gardens by **Tunmire**

PLANT PECAN TREES PROPERLY One of the keys to growing

pecans, whether in the backyard or in a commercial orchard, is to plant the trees properly so that they get off to a good start.

Tree planting time is at hand with January and early February being the best times. Here are a few guidelines.

To begin, select a tree 4 to 8 feet tall as soon as nurseries get supplies. Plan as soon as possible, using care not to let roots dry out or freeze.

Dig a hole only as large as the tree's system. If the hole is too deep, the tree will settle and this can cause poor growth or death.

The taproot should sit in the bottom of the hole. If they hole cannot be as deep as the length of the roots, cut back the taproot to fit the hole. Pack original soil around roots as tightly as possible. Packing the soil in 2 to 3-inch layers is better than watering to pack the soil. Use adjacent soil to complete filling the hole, not light soil, send or potting soil. The tree can drown in rainy weather if light fill soil is used on clay land. Plant the tree at the same depth it grew in the nursery row. Look at the colors to determine the soil line: the bark is gray and the root is dark brown.

Cut off the top half of the tree at planting to balance the

P.J. Russ

Jay Hanner

Mark Hanner

Nobody Beats A Hanner Deal! Come By and Let Us Show You Why.



TOUGH DECISIONS for TEXAS!

Who is going to protect our interests in making decisions concerning. . .

PROPERTY TAXES? The LOCAL ECONOMY?

HIGH SCHOOL DROPOUTS? SCHOOL FINANCE?

INSURANCE? PRISON REFORM?

RE-DISTRICTING? LOBBYIST INFLUENCE? And many other vital issues?

Ben and his wife (Anne) live and work in West-Central Texas. They have raised six children. Sudderth knows the problems facing Texas and he is prepared to make the Tough Decisions that will provide this District with **QUALIFIED** representation!



We need a TOUGH DECISION **MAKER!**

Ben Doyle SUDDER TH

CANDIDATE FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE--65th DISTRICT (Brown, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, McCulloch, and Runnels Counties) ASKING FOR YOUR VOTE!

Paid for by the Committee to Elect Ben Sudderth, Anne Suddertth, Treasurer Rt. 1, Box 237, Zephyr, TX 76890

stem and roots and to force growth close to the soil line. Wrap the lower 18 inches of trunk with aluminum foil to prevent side shoots, sun scald and rabbit damage. On large plantings, use a mixture of white latex paint and water (one part paint to three parts water).

Build a basin around the tree to hold water and give each tree five gallons of water immediately after planting. Make sure trees do not go longer than 14 days without water.

These are some basic steps in planting pecan trees that can lead the way in getting them into production in a few years.

A heat pump is one complete system that keeps you toasty warm in the winter, and cool and comfy in the heat of the summer.

Plus you'll save money because a heat pump delivers about twice the energy it uses. So when you're building, buying or just replacing your present system, consider the all-in-one system — the electric heat pump.



For more information on the electric heat pump, contact your heating and cooling contractor or West Texas Utilities.

Obituaries

Vernettie Allgood

Vernettie Bishop Allgood, 88, died Saturday at a Brownwood hospital. Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Gary Adams officiating. Burial was in May Cemetery.

Mrs. Allgood was born in Alabama aand was a homemaker. She was a member of the Church of Christ, and moved to Rising Star 30 years ago from the Williams community.

Survivors include her husband, Joe Allgood of Rising Star; two daughters, Mary Beth Pittman of Houston and Betty Jean Turner of Roscoe; three brothers, Bill Bishop of Abilene, Linwood Bishop of Coleman and Clyde Bishop of Brownwood; a sister Barnett of Minnie Brownwood; four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Kenneth R. Spence

Services for Kenneth Ross Spence, 58, of Dallas, were at 2p.m. Tuesday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Darrell Dossey officiating. Burial was in the Wolf Valley Cemetery in Brown County.

He died Wednesday at his home.

Mr. Spence was born in Weatherford.

Brown County and was a day due to icy roads. Everywarehouse manager for Dana one thought it best in fear Corporation. He graduated someone would fall on the from May High School in ice. Today, Monday, we are 1949 and served in the Navy trying to get back on schedduring the Korean conflict. ule. We had 26 out for Meals He was a graduate of the on Wheels luncheon. University of Texas with a Marion and Marjorie West degree in accounting. He had

came to center a little early to lived in Dallas for several get the Christmas tree and decorations all taken down Survivors include his and put away. mother, Belle Spence of May; Curtis and Stella Hill were

and two nieces; Becky Jones absent today; they took Inez of Abilene and Susie Davis of Robertson to see her doctor. Coleman. We are sorry Ladell Key is

soon.

June Moon

years.

EASTLAND - June Moon, 84, died Saturday at a local nursing home. Services were at 2p.m. Monday at the Daugherty Street Church of Christ with Gary Montgomery officiating. Burial was in Eastland Cemetery, directed by Bakker Funeral Home. Mrs. Moon was born in Gorman, grew up in Eastland, and graduated from Eastland High School in 1925. She was a former resident of Rising Star, returning to Eastland in 1968. She was a member of Daugherty Street Church of Christ, a homemaker and the widow of O.B. Moon.

Survivors include a son, Bobby Moon of Weatherford; and three grandchildren, Robbie Moon, Randy Moon and Carole Moon, all of

Senior Center News

We were closed last Thurs-Abilene Tuesday; we hope they have an ice-free road to make the trip.

Shiryn Gabbard and family visited Lucy Curtis during the holidays. Shiryn is a granddaughter of Lucy.

Evelyn Ward will check blood pressure Thursday, Jan. 10. We were closed last Thursday and she had to reschedule.

We will elect officers for the club on Thursday, Jan. 10; we had to reschedule the election also.

The Chicks had their granddaughter, Jerrilla Ann still sick. Hope you are better Hubble, from Stephenville visiting most of the holidays. Alvie Bible has an appoint-Marjorie West ment with his doctor in

Sipe Springs News

Our Christmas party at the and Mrs. Brian Graves and community center was well Derek of Belton, Kevin Leattended and enjoyed by all. onard of Corpus Christi, Mr. Gifts were exchanged, reand Mrs. Nonnie Leonard of freshments were served, a Rising Star, George Leonard business meeting was called and Kacy of Rising Star and to order and new officers were Michael Morgan of Odessa. elected. John McKeehan was Visitors at the T.A. Weavawarded a plaque naming him ers over the holidays were Volunteer Fireman of the Mr. and Mrs. Covie Weaver Year. and David of Garland; Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graham and Mrs. Todd Weaver of spent Christmas with thier Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Kim

children in Houston. Mr. and Mrs. John McKeehan spent Christmas Day with

her sister and family, the Mitchells in Newcastle. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Boswell spent Christmas with their daughter, Nancy Ruff,

Squab Weaver is home

from the De Leon hospital.

We hope he has a speedy

view is visiting Rocky Re-

Leonard of Fort Worth, Mr.

isner during the holidays.

Mrs. Latvea Davis of Plain-

and Matt in Arlington.

recovery.

.... -----

Stuteville's Shooters by Gherda Williams

one game to play over the

holidays. The game was-

Bearettes. The Ladycats beat

the Bearettes by one point,

avenging a one point loss to

After this long holiday from

basketball, though, the La-

dycats are rarin'-and-ready to

begin district play this Tues-

day night against the May

Our RS girls' team has al-

ready lost one game to the

Lady Tigers. (by one point no

less!) They don't relish the

idea of losing to the green

So keep your fingers

crossed for the Ladycats, or

even better, come out and

support them in person as they

begin the long road to victory

in district play. After all, the

RS gym is the warmest build-

School Menu

January 14-18

milk.

Art Classes, Workshops

Oils, Wood, Fabrics, More!

Sweatshirt Class taught by

Lela Shults, Jo Hubbard

Hubbard Gift & Gallery

105 S. Main Rising Star 817/643-6242

TRI CHEM

Baird a week earlier.

Lady Tigers.

team again.

ing in town!

The Ladycat basketball team had a fairly leisurely Christmas holiday with only

School Scoop

by Wendy Green

What ir, girl went to the movies New Year's Eve? It sure doesn't take long anymore, one date and she gets his letter jacket! What sr. girl has a POS?

"Boyfriend" is the translation here!

What sr. girl got lost going to Santa Anna? And what jr. gother back on the right track? What's wrong with Pumkin Bubbles (R.R.) has

he been sick? What sr. girl wears store bought clothes? Imagine that! A big thanks goes to those who caught the Drug Dealers. Let's keep our streets clean for the next generation! What sr. guy's been driv-

ing a new pickup? Let's hope next time J.E. finds the interior light a little sooner.

What school administrator was seen running the red light. Well you know who you are. Next time remember we're watching.

What jr. guys have been smoking in J.M. car? Well the firecracker kings J.M. and J.B. weren't exactly smoking Thursday, January 10, 1991

Tami's Tidbits by Tami Vandivere

Hey all you fans, how was your Christmas? Well this is a new year and last night the Rising Star Kittens proved that the Lady Kittens played their first game of 1991 and won by a score of 23 to 16. they played a spectacular game.

Jr. High Roundball

played against the Baird However, the boys team was another story. They started out winning and then they got behind. The held the other team to no more than a ten point lead. The last 50 seconds of the game was the most exciting. With the score 31-39 in May's favor, our guys got busy and scored 6 points in about 30 seconds. The final score ended with Rising Star-37 and May-39. If you weren't there, all I can say is you should have been. The next game will be held here and they will battle against Lingleville, starting at 6 p.m. Hope you can all

> Defensive **Driving Class**

come out and enjoy the fun.

Eastland County Defensive Driving class will be held Saturday, Jan. 12, from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. and night classes on January 21-22, MON: Lunch: Enchiladas, from 6 until 10 p.m. Location corn, salad, crackers, milk; of the classes is the Mountain Breakfast: Toast, eggs, juice, Top Church Family Center at 600 E. 8th Street, Cisco. TUE: Lunch: Pizza, salad,

this week is not exactly the best part of a new year. Semester tets are taking plac Wednesday and Thursday. I asked some juniors how they feel about the semester tests and here are some of the re-

sponses:

Donnie Horton states, "Disaster! It's semester exams, Yuk!"

"Why were semester exams created? They make us flunk and get in trouble at home." replied Matthew Harmon.

Jason Bible simply says, "No comment!"

Stephanie Sizemore asks the ultimate question "What's a semester test?" Wendy Green tells me its "no problem when your a senior!" Well, I hope she's right.

Keep us in your thoughts while we and taking these tests, some of us need all the help we can get!

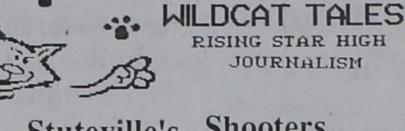
Kids Korner

by Betty Jones

Elementary students are working hard on testing this week. Being that the kids are working and studying so hard they will be extra releived to know that there is no school Friday because it is a teacher's work day.

Have a safe and happy week and study hard!

Fee for the class is \$20. For **Advertising Deadline** more information call 442-Tuesdays, 3:30 p.m. 2673 or 442-4479.



Rising Star Nursing Center Vickie Majors Activity Director

The Activity Director has not been able to be at the center every day because of icy roads, so we have a short article.

Residents have stayed in because of the weather and their visitors have also had to

bow to icy roads. We wish to thank First Baptist Church for the serv-

ices on Sunday. The birthday party for resi-

dents will be held Tuesday, January 15, and will be hosted by members of First United Methodist Church.

Pioneer Patchwork

Nell and Joe Fleming's company were Sam and Eva Fleming of Cross Plains on Saturday afternoon.

Jean Fore's visitors on Sunday and Monday were Grasson and Myrtle Harlow of Arlington, who were here to take Vi to Marble Falls. Frankie and Oliver Smith Naomi McCowen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd London hosted a duplicate bridge ournament at the Commuity Room of First National Bank in Cisco on January 5. The tournament commemorated the 30th anniversary of

By Irma Miller were honored once more by a visit from their children, the Nances, of San Angelo, on New Year's.

Irmaand John Miller hosted Sunday dinner for Ruby McCowen and her son and daughter-in-law, Bob and

Duplicate Bridge Tourney To Be Held This Weekend

the Eastland National Bank. Lloyd London of Cisco was the original director of the club and is still director now. Call him at 442-3633 for additional information.

help by removing surface stains.

Also, check with your dentist - there are recent advances in cosmetic dentistry that might help you smile brightly again!

Wyatt Friday. Several from here visited Winnie Andderson at a Comanche nursing home where she is recovering from knee surgery; we hope she has a speedy recovery.

Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. Jer-

ald Maynard, all of Rising

Star; Mr. and Mrs. David

Rainer, Mr. and Mrs. Ken-

neth Smith and Kyle Joyce,

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wyatt

and Jim of Waco visited Ruby

all of here.

Visitors at the Ted Barton Christmas holiday visitors home on the weekend were at the home of Mae Leonard J.E. Barton of Dublin, Mr. were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Merand Mrs. Howard Barton and worth of Comanche, Gayle daughter Lidia of Archer City, Lewis Barton and Kristy of and Mrs. Mike Stokes of Knickerbocker and Mr. and Brownwood, Linda and Kelly Mrs. Dale Whitaker and Dane Thompson of Wichita Falls, of College Station. Don Leonard of Temple, Mr.

Dental

日間

111

Teeth Yellow With Age?

Dialogue

by Cone C. Rice, D.D.S.

when all the firecrackers went off in the car! There were no injuries. J.B. escaped and J.M. escaped managed to take cover in the backseat.

What sr. girl ate supper at Memaws? Take a wild guess. What jr. guy and his family went to TSU to cat with exlady cat S.H.? And she thought she left to get away from them? A word to all students, you can never escape your family. You're stuck with them!

WED: Lunch: BarBQ sausage, beans, cole slaw, rolls, cobbler, milk; Breakfast: Toast, bacon, fruit, milk.

fruit, milk; Breakfast: Cinna-

mon biscuits, juice, milk.

THU: Lunch: Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, jello, milk; Breadfast: Toast, cereal, juice, milk.

FRi: Lunch: Hot dogs w/ chili & cheese, pickles, onion, relish, fries, cookies, milk; Breakfast: Biscuits, sausage, gravy, juice, milk.



Long-term landmark study recently published in the New England Journal of Medicine, offers solid evidence that lowering cholesterol levels saves lives even in those whose hearts functioned normally. The research reduced cholesterol markedly by a surgical procedure.

New testing techniques are expected to speed and improve matching blood marrow donors with the patients who need transplants. Oligonucleotide geno-typing tests for differences in the genes that code for the proteins on the surface of blood cells.

Researchers at the University of Washington are testing injections of testosterone enanthate, a synthetic version of a natural hormone, as a male contraceptive. Weekly injections lower sperm production.

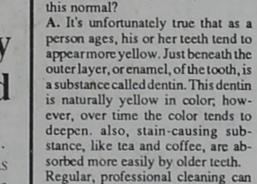
In a new procedure to diagnose disease r blockages of the fallopian tubes, doctors thread a tiny telescope through the vagina and cervix to see (via TV) the entire reproductive tract. New method is in use at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center in Los Angeles.

What's new in medicine? We keep up with the latest developments, the better to serve you at Wal-Mart Pharmacy, Hwy. 80 East, Eastland, 629-3347.

cersb104

This column is presented in the interest of better dental health. If you have any dental questions you would like answered, please contact the office of Dr. Cone C. Rice 963 East Main Str. Eastland, Texas Phone: 817-629-3843	Liquid Embroidery Products & Crafts Sales & Service for information 817-643-1607 RS10		
1 '90 IGH SCHOOL	Rising Star Nursing Center 643-2681	Pioneer Coop 72	
		A REAL PROPERTY AND A REAL	

the Lone Cedar Duplicate Bridge Club, which was or- ganized in January, 1961, at Lone Cedar Country Club. Winners were (1) Mrs. Lucy Wilson and Mrs. Annette	Basketball '90 RISING STAR HIGH SCHOOL	Rising Star Nursing Center 643-2681	Pioneer Farmer's Cooperative 725-6564	The Ole Store 643-2221
McCarty of Brownwood; (2) Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker of Abilene; and (3) Mr. and Mrs. Watson Thorpe of Brecken- ridge. The club has moved to The	Wildcats - Ladycats 1990-91 VARSITY & JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1990 Date <u>Time Place Teams</u>	Max's Quickway 643-1490	Peoples State Bank 643-2811 Member FDIC	Jenkins Insurance Agnecy 643-2251
Crossin' Restaurant in Eastland for its regular Satur- day afternoon games at 1:30 p.m. Entry fees are \$3.00 per player and these games are open to all bridge players.	Nov. 27, Tues.Zephyr5:00HomeJV/V B/GNov. 30, Fri.Tournament Rochelle/ZephyrV G/BDec. 4, Tues.Trent6:00ThereV G/BDec. 7, Fri.Tournament Cross PlainsV G/B	The Rising Star 643-4141	Jim Ratliff Welding 643-6464	Winfrey Feed & Peanut 643-6251
The next scheduled games are Saturday, January 12, at 1:30 p.m. at The Cossin' Restaurant in Eastland, and Sunday, January 13, at 2 p.m. in the Community Room of	Dec. 11, Tues. Novice 6:30 Home V G/B Dec. 18, Tues. Baird 6:30 There V G/B Dec. 28, Fri. Zephyr 6:30 There V G/B <u>1991</u> Jan. 4, Fri. Tournament Panther Creek 5:00 There V G/B	Butler Station 643-3261	Carey's Automotive 643-7009	Higginbotham Funeral Home 643-4321
Classified Ads are the People's Market Place!	Jan. 8, Tues. May Jan. 11, Fri. Lingleville Jan. 11, Fri. Lingleville Jan. 15, Tues. Gorman Jan. 18, Fri. **Open** Jan. 22, Tues. Sidney Jan. 25, Fri. May 6:30 There V G/B 6:30 There V G/B	Dr. B.T. Carpenter & Staff 643-3141	Rising Star Chamber of Commerce	Palace Drug Store 643-3231
JIM RATLIFF WELDING Oilfield and Farm 817-643-6464 Rising Star	Jan. 29, Tues. Lingleville 6:30 Home V G/B Feb. 1, Fri. Gorman 6:30 Home V G/B Feb. 5, Tues. **Open** Feb. 8, Fri. Sidney 6:30 There V G/B This page is made possible by these businesses.	Frank Agnew, Agent Farm Bureau 643-1010 629-1704	Nall's Quik Stop 643-1441	Murphree Oil Co. 643-2341



Q. I've always been so proud of my

white teeth, but in the last few years

they seem to be getting yellow. Is

CERS 104

Training Conference will be sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service on January 18-20, 1991. The conference will be at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake

Adult and teen volunteer leaders from across the state will be attending the "Catch the Vision" for 1991-1994 youth at risk programming in Texas states Mrs. Janet Thomas, Eastland County Exten-

To "Catch the Vision" of Texas youth at risk programming, Mrs. Thomas states workshops will include: (1) School-age pregnancy prevention, (2) School Drop-Out/

'Almost An Angel' To Show At Majestic Theatre Friday

scheduled to open at the Majestic. "Almost An Angel" will begin Friday, Jan. 11 and show through Monday, Jan. 14. Show time will be 7:30 each evening, with tickets \$3.00 at the box office. This picture is rated PG.

the star of the picture, with Linda Kozlowski (his wife) the co-star. Australian-born Hogan became an overnight powerhouse with the "Croco-

Andrea Alford Delyn Purvis Ruby Murdoch Dave H. Tharp

Vicki Vaughn

JANUARY 16

Joe Ashworth

Many Subscriptions Expire Jan. 1, 1991 Eastland County \$9.00 Other Texas Counties \$13.00 Out of State \$19.00 Mail renewal to: The Rising Star **Box 127 Rising Star, Texas 76471**



