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City Council Passes Resolution



Shown are Mayor Henry Burk, flanked by councilmen Dr. Charles Barnes, Randy Goldston, Bill Harmon and James Cook; the city's governing body recently passed a resolution, with a unanimous voice of approval, to form a committee for industrial and economic development and cultural growth. Representatives from the city, Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture and school system were to be appointed to the committee. A copy of the resolution is below.

WHEREAS: The Mayor and City Council of Rising Star, Texas desire to exhibit and achieve a spirit of cooperation between the City of Rising Star and the Rising Star Chamber of Commerce in working for the overall benefit of Rising Star and the surrounding area.

AND WHEREAS: We feel that it would be beneficial to

the City of Rising Star, the Rising Star Chamber of Commerce and, most of all, the citizens of Rising Star and the surrounding trade area to achieve this cooperation.

AND WHEREAS: These benefits would surely multiply many fold and accrue increasingly to the future generations of this area.

THEREFORE BE IT SO RESOLVED: That a special committee be created from the City Council for the specific purpose of working in cooperation with the Rising Star Chamber of Commerce in the pursuit of industrial,

economic and cultural development and growth of Rising Star and the surrounding area.



The new Economic Development Committee has members from Rising Star City Council, the school system and Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture; however, it will act independently of the parent organizations. Members are Councilmen Randy Goldston and James Cook, school trustee Joyce Baker and Supt. Dr. Donald Bryan, and Chamber members Travis Williams and James Ramsay.

The committee held an organizational meeting Tuesday evening and named Bryan as chairman and Baker as secretary; they will also establish by-laws. The primary function will be in activating community economic improvement.



Joining forces to work toward the common good of Rising Star and the surrounding area are Gene Lyon, president of the Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture; Mayor Henry Burk; and Dr. Donald Bryan, superintendent of schools. These leaders and their organizations will explore and develop different goals for economic growth for businesses and agri-businesses in this area.

Chamber of Commerce Membership Drive



Ann Murdoch, Dr. Donald Bryan, Jean Ramsay, James Ramsay, Mildred Childers, Gene Moore and Lorrye Moore are members of the membership committee for the Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture. The drive will kick off October 12 with a Ham 'n' Bean-Stew supper prior the Wildcat game with the Cross Plains Buffaloes.

Mountaineers Tame Wildcats, 20-9

Those of you not traveling to Santa Anna last Friday night missed one good game.

On the second play of the ball game, Santa Anna's speedster, Herbert Jackson, raced 72 yds. for the touchdown. With less than one minute off the clock, the Mountaineers led 6-0.

Everyone in the stands you could feel the tension and wondered if this was going to be a repeat of last week when Santa Anna beat Cross Plains 60-0. The Wildcats never give up. Senior Brian Bailey returned Santa Anna's kick-off 30 yds., giving the Cats good field position. Bailey and senior quarterback, Jimmy Evans, teamed up for a 34-yd. pass play and senior Donny Alcorn had a couple of 7- and 8-yd. gains before the drive stalled on the Mountaineer 21-yd. line. The coaches decided to go for it on the 4th and 8th and Alcorn, with good blocking and extra effort, was able to pick up 9 yds. and the first down. Bailey and Evans teamed up, this time for the 12-yd. touchdown. With 6:16 on the first quarter clock, Alcorn kicked the PAT and the Wildcats moved into the lead 7-6. The fans went wild.

Santa Anna tried to retaliate, but came up short on 4th and 8 when Flores and Wilson made the drive-stopping tackle on the Wildcat 30. The first quarter ended 7-6, Wildcats over Mountaineers.

Two penalties and a sack later, the Cats were forced to punt and Alcorn booted the ball 52 yards.

Alcorn, who seemed to be

everywhere, came up with a Mountaineer fumble on the 50-yard line. Brandon Geye, who rushed for a 10-yd. gain late in the first quarter, teamed up with Evans for a 16-yd. pass play; the drive ended when the Mountaineers intercepted a Wildcat pass and returned it 32 yds. before Hollis made the tackle. Alcorn and Flores made a good backfield tackle, bringing up 4th and 12 and forcing the Mountaineers to punt. In Santa Anna's next series, they had a 49 yd. run before Bailey made the saving tackle. Keith Trozell made a good tackle, which brought up 3rd and 11. Hollis intercepted the next Mountaineer pass and ran it back 37 yds. to the Wildcat's own 49, with :49 left in the first half. Santa Anna had one more chance before half time, but Geye recovered the Mountaineer fumble and the Cats remained in the lead, 7-6.

Bailey returned the kick-off for 70 yds. to set up a field goal attempt. The 33-yd. attempt was blocked and the Cats were unable to draw first blood. Alcorn knocked the ball loose and Geye and Medley recovered to give the Cats another chance, but the 3rd quarter remained a defensive stand off until Santa Anna's Jackson returned a punt 80 yds for a touchdown, with 2:45 remaining in the 3rd quarter. The PAT was no good, but the Mountaineers led 12-7.

Only :08 into the final quarter, the Cats blocked a

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Storm Causes Power Outage



When this large tree, which was rotten in the center, fell in Sunday's storm, it broke the power lines and bent the television cable. The tree was in the O.L. Burns yard on W. Pioneer where power was restored Sunday; cable service for the Burns' home was restored Monday morning.

There was another power break a few blocks away and a third on E. Pioneer, total of four breaks.



The most damage to the power lines was near the L.J. Linney home where a large dead tree was felled by the storm. The impact of the tree on the lines snapped the next power pole to the east. That particular pole happened to be a switch pole which limited the options in restoring power and caused delay.

Considering the damage from the storm, power customers can be thankful their electricity was restored as quickly as it was. Power was restored to most customers in 20 minutes, a hour or three and a half hours, depending on their location in relation to the downed switch pole. Customers to the east of the pole had power by 10:15, just over six hours from the time the storm's worst damage was dealt.

WTU's standby crew in Abilene had already been dispatched to Santa Anna, necessitating that another crew be called in and sent to Rising Star to help replace the broken pole and bypass the switch to return power to the lines to the west. In addition to the local WTU crew and the Abilene crew, WTU employee David Tharp, who was visiting in Rising Star, helped with the repair work. WTU manager Travis Williams felt the repair work went pretty good and expressed appreciation to power customers for the patience shown during the time of the outage.

With the power out, the tv cable was also out. Damage to cable loops to homes was repaired Monday.

PTO Will Serve Lunch at Homecoming Here

The annual PTO homecoming luncheon will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday October 6 at the elementary cafeteria. Plates will cost \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children. Take out plates will be available.

The menu this year will be roast, mashed potatoes an gravy, green beans, corn, rolls, cobbler and tea or coffee.

Volunteers can call Tonya Killian at 643-1018 or Peggy Goodman at 643-7106. There will be plenty of work to do in the next few weeks and we will appreciate all of the help that we can get. If you are not available to work, then please donate when your children bring home a note asking for your support.

Lets have a good show and let the ex-Wildcats know that Rising Star still has the spirit

and unity that makes this small town strong and proud. Thank you!

Class of 60

The Rising Star High School graduating class of 1960 is planning a 30th year reunion during the Rising Star Homecoming on October 6. All classmates are urged to attend. This reunion will be more enjoyable if each of you are here. Please reply to Rising Star High School Class of 1960, rising Star, TX 76471.

A special invitation is extended to our former teachers and the parents, brothers and sisters of class members to come and join us. Other year class members are also invited to come out and visit with us.

Our reunion site will be the Lakewood Club, between Rising Star and Cross Plains on highway 36. Come and join us!

We will be at Lakewood after the business meeting until parade time; after the pep rally and then following the football game.

Burn Victims Improve

John Lee and Benjy Clark of Rising Star are reported to be improving. John is out of the hospital and staying at a nearby motel, enabling him to go back and forth each day to see his doctor and for his treatments.

Benjy Clark remains in the Burn Center, but reports are

Rainfall
3.5

Sabanno Cemetery Ass'n. Meet

The Sabanno Cemetery Association will meet at Sabanno Community Center Tuesday, September 25, at 11:30 a.m.

We urge everyone to come and bring a covered dish. After lunch we will have a business meeting and planning session.

We really need everyone's participation and will be looking forward to seeing you.

Blood Pressure

Blood pressure tests will be given at Senior Citizens Center by Evelyn Ward from 10:30 until 11:30 a.m. The center will open at 10.

Community Calendar

EACH THURSDAY
SENIOR CITIZENS
CENTER is open.

EACH SATURDAY
BINGO, American Legion
Hall, S. Main

EACH MONDAY
RESERVE A MEAL:
Meals on Wheels are provided
Mondays at Rising Star Senior
Citizens Center, 643-5141.
Make reservations by 9:45
a.m., as the meals come from
Cisco.

Wildcat Booster Club
meets in the high school library.

EACH TUESDAY
The Rising Star City Council
meets at 7 p.m.

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BLOOD PRESSURE
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be given at Senior Citizens
Center by Evelyn Ward from
10:30 until 11:30 a.m. The
center will open at 10.

MUSIC AT RSN
The Joy Makers band from
Comanche will play at Rising
Star Nursing Center at 3 p.m.
Fri., Sept. 21.

3RD THURSDAY
SCOTTISH RITE
DEPT. HUMAN SERVICES
assistance regarding
food stamps, aid to families
with dependent children,
Medicare, City Hall, 8:30-
4:30

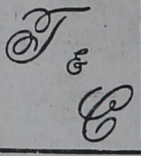
3RD FRIDAY
LADIES AUXILIARY
Luncheon, Lakewood Recre-
ation Center

4TH TUESDAY
CHAMBER OF COM-
MERCE, First State Bank, 5:30

LAST TUESDAY
DINNER at Lakewood
Recreation Center

School Calendar
Thurs., Sept. 20
Jr. Hi vs Hico, there, 6:30
Fri., Sept. 21
HS game vs Hico here, 8

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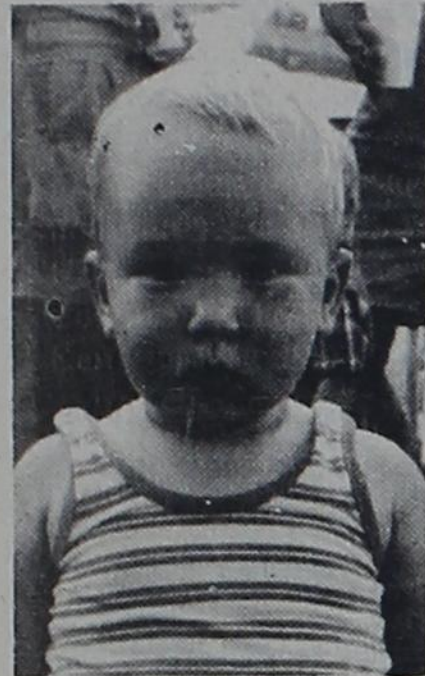
2 LITER DRINKS
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DOUBLE COUPONS 7 DAYS A WEEK

BRAG CORNER



Nell Cooper of Rising Star with all her great-grandchildren, center front, Chance Cooper; left, Daniel, Kimberly and Jennifer Witcher; and right, Nicole and Ashley Jackson.



CHANCE COOPER at 19 months

Parents: Damon & Donna Cooper of Arlington
Grandparents: Gerrie & Donald Cornett of Rising Star, Louise & Art Lancaster of Early, Gene & Mary Lou Laughlin of Brady
Great-grandmother: Nell Cooper, Rising Star
Uncle: David Cooper, Rising Star

Area Student Graduates

Naidene Tiemann of Rt. 4, Comanche received a Bachelor of Science degree in Kinesiology from Sam Houston State University after the second summer session.

In Eastland

Democrats Meet Tonight

Democrats of Eastland County plan a meeting at the Community Room of the First National Bank, Cisco on Thursday night, Sept. 20.

Mary Bailey, County Democrat Chairman, states that the meeting is open to all interested people. County Key Democrats will be available for people to be involved in different campaigns about 6:30 p.m. Materials will be available from 6:30 to 7:30. Coordinators for the campaigns are Clarence Dill for Hugh Parmer and Gary Mauro, June Hicks for Ann Richards and Jim Hightower,

HSU Book

Abilene-Hardin-Simmons University Press has released the book *Watkins Reynolds Matthews: A Biography*, an account of the 90-year-old Albany legend.

Written by Dr. Lawrence Clayton, dean of HSU's College of Arts and Sciences, the book examines Matthews' dedication to the preservation of history and wildlife, his life on the ranch he owns in Albany and his ability to touch the lives around him.

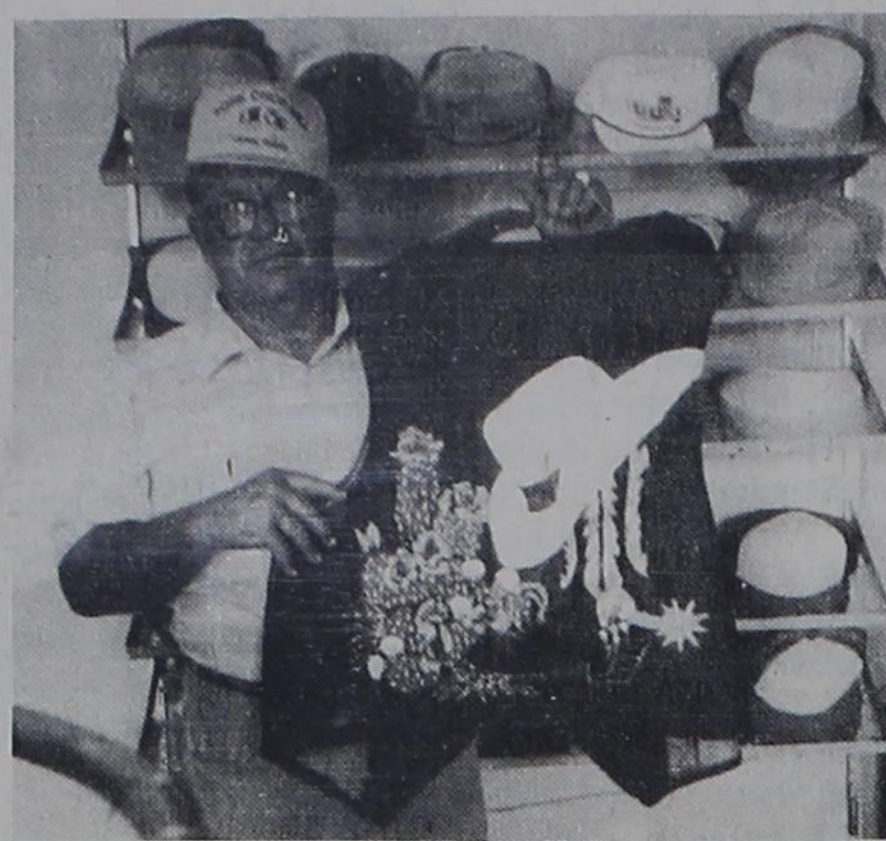
The book is illustrated by Paul Cameron Smith.

GRAMM MATERIAL AVAILABLE

Re-election campaign material for Sen. Phil Gramm is available from County Chairman Jim Keffer in Eastland.

Mr. Keffer may be contacted at 629-1731 or at EBAA Sales, north of Eastland on Highway 69. Material includes bumper stickers and other items.

Rising Star Products Given Clayton Williams



Arley Bibby holds the vest made at Ole Rip Cap Co. for Clayton Williams.

During the recent visit of Clayton Williams to Eastland County for the regional Williams for Governor Rally in Eastland, a presentation of Rising Star products from two local industries was made by Dr. Charles Barnes, local precinct chairman for the Republican Party.

Ole Rip Cap Company prepared a western style vest for the cowboy gubernatorial candidate. It was labeled in the front with a Rising Star insignia similar to the current Chamber of Commerce logo. On the left side was embroidered "Clayton Williams, Governor of Texas." Felecia Bibby, associate owner of Ole Rip, hand painted a beautiful western scene of a boot, hat and cactus in flower on the back of the vest jacket. In addition, special caps with the Rising Star logo were prepared and included in the contribution.

A cap identical to that of Mr. Williams was presented to Rick Perry, candidate for Agricultural Commissioner of Texas, who also attended and spoke at the rally.

Joy Pecan Shoppe prepared two packages of Rising Star-produced pecans, one for each candidate. Both the Williams and Perry families expressed extreme pleasure for these

gifts and the interest that Rising Star citizens have in their good government campaigns.

The two industries concerned are to be congratulated on their thoughtfulness at this occasion. It is certain that both candidates will long remember our little town and we may ultimately receive many-fold returns if these gentlemen are elected.

Comanche Pow Wow

The 9th Annual Comanche County Pow-Wow is set for September 22 and 23, 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. Saturday and noon until 5 p.m. Sunday in the Comanche City Park. A one day admission to the park activities is \$1.00 per person for school age and up.

The fair will feature a brisquet cookoff, arts and crafts, lots of great food by local clubs and organizations, a car show in the park and an Old Time Fiddler's Contest on Sunday at 1:30.

A new event this year will be a downtown street dance, with Kelly Spinks & Miles of Texas providing great country music. Admission will be \$5.00 per person.

Booster Club Names Contest Winners

The Rising Star Booster Club met Monday at 7 p.m. with seven present.

The winners of the window contest were named; they are 1st place, Junior Class; 2nd place, Freshman Class; 3rd place, Senior Class; and 4th place, Sophomores.

We are thankful for the judges, Darrell Dosey, John

Barnard, Clayton Wilson and LaQuita Lucas for donating their time and expertise.

Blue and Gold Day begins this Friday, so let's all get in the spirit and wear your blue and gold.

Watch for the new "Just Do It" Wildcat tee-shirts coming soon!

Fall Fun Golf Tourney Is September 22-23

Lakewood Golf Course has scheduled a 2-Person Fall Fun Golf Tournament for Saturday and Sunday, September 22 and 23.

In this tournament on Saturday the first nine holes are scrambled, then low ball is played the second nine. On Sunday contestants play for the combined team score the

first nine holes, then play alternate shots on the last nine. This is a lot different from usual but is a lot of fun.

Entry fee is \$100 per team with the mulligans and contests extra. Women are more than welcome to play in this tournament. Tee off times are 8 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., with the meal to follow play on Saturday evening.

To enter call the Pro Shop at 817/643-7792. Deadline is Friday, September 21.

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<p>Shurfine Aluminum Foil 12 in. 59¢</p>	<p>Shurfine Ramen Noodles 3 oz. Assorted 6/\$1.00</p>	<p>Shurfine Dog Food 14 oz. 5/\$1.00</p>
<p>Shurfresh Orange Juice 12 oz. \$1.09</p>	<p>Shurfresh Biscuit 7.5 oz. Old Fashioned or B/M 7/\$1.00</p>	<p>Shurfresh Margarine Quarters 1 lb. 2/\$89¢</p>
<p>Shurfresh Pizza 7 oz. Assorted 69¢</p>	<p>Washington X-Fancy Red Delicious Apples 58¢ lb.</p>	<p>Shurfresh Carrots 2 lb. 39¢ bag</p>
<p>Dole Fancy Lemons 6/\$1.00</p>	<p>Yellow Onions 4 lbs./\$1.00</p>	
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