

PERSONALS

George Goss was admitted to Twilite Acre Nursing Home, Saturday. He had spent several weeks in Hendrick Hospital at Abilene.

Mrs. Jim Christian was admitted to Eastland Memorial Hospital Sunday night, May 5th. Her condition is reported satisfactory.

Louis Mayfield is recovering satisfactorily, following surgery twice in West Texas Medical Center at Abilene. He enjoys hearing from Rising Star.

Beau Hughes, a long time employee of an Oil Co. at Hobbs, New Mexico, has recently retired and returned to Rising Star where he and his mother, Mrs. Georgia Crossnal will reside in the Crossnoe home on North Anderson Street. Mrs. Crossnoe has been making her home in Lubbock since the death of her husband. She will move back to Rising Star in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Lacey of Dallas visited their aunt, Miss Addie Irby at Twilite Acre Nursing Home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll and children, Lisa, Christy and Shelli, of Tolar, were weekend

visitors in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Carroll.

Mrs. Ruby Dukes has returned to her home after a week's stay in the Comanche hospital.

Ray Agnew, who has been hospitalized in West Texas Clinic at Abilene, was dismissed Monday and is now at his home here. His condition is reported improved.

Mrs. Pat Nall is still undergoing tests in the Graham Memorial Hospital in Cisco. She will appreciate hearing from Rising Star friends.

Mrs. E.F. Smith of Abilene visited her mother, Mrs. Ira Smith early in the week.

Mrs. C.F. Carroll is a patient in Eastland Memorial Hospital. She will probably be there for some time yet.

Weldon Hill came home from Graham Memorial Hospital at Cisco Monday after spending several days there.

Rodney Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Dallas, with two friends spent the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. C.E. Smith of Rising Star. The boys enjoyed hunting and fishing at Lake Brownwood while here.

Mrs. Alma Burton of Menard visited Mr. and Mrs. Eli Jacobs last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Jacobs visited friends in Abilene on Sunday.



Cheerleaders for the '74 - '75 school year were announced at the All Sports Banquet on Thursday evening, May 2. Reading clock wise, Sharon Wilson, head cheerleader; Kathy Wilson, reporter; Gwenda Butler, assistant head; and Kasey Maynard, secretary - treasurer.



Johnny Turner, Dale Wolf, selected for "Prep 100 Squad".

Local Athletes Named In Prep Yearbook

The full - length biographies of Johnny Turner and Dale Wolf will be presented in the "Prep All - America Football Yearbook", the publication of the 1973 - 74 program to be published in June.

These athletes were selected to appear in this publication on the basis of their outstanding athletic ability, sportsmanship, leadership and all around contributions to team and community.

The prep 100 squad was selected on the above basis.

DALE WOLF
Starter in football four years.
Starter in basketball three years.

1972 - Jr. Year - - All district defense, 2nd team offense, all area offense.

1973 - Sr. - - All district defense, all district offense, all area offense and defense, 2nd team all state, prep - all america.

JOHNNY TURNER
Starter 3 years in football
Starter 2 years basketball
1973 - All district offense guard, 2nd team defensive tackle; all area guard; 2nd team all state; pref. All America.

73 - 74 - - All district basketball
74 - District champ discus
74 - Second in district in tennis

Johnny is a junior and we feel he is going to be a great senior leader.

To Receive Masters

Calvin H. Easterling, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stock of Rt. 2, Rising Star, will receive his Master's Degree from Stephen F. Austin College in Nacogdoches, on May 15.

A 1966 graduate of Rising Star High School, Calvin received a BA degree in 1972, from McMurry College at Abilene. After graduation he plans to enter Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, Dallas.

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Art Show Is Big Success

"Grandma Pickles", a realistic oil, painted by an Erath County artist, took Best of Show Honors at the First Annual Eastland County Art S Association Exhibit in Eastland Friday and Saturday.

Contemporary: 1st Joe Hubbard of Rising Star; 2nd, Vallie Parker of Cisco; and 3rd Mike Cheshire of Cisco.

Honorable Mention: Vallie Parker of Cisco, Laura Blizard, Ben Blizard and Mildred Sayre all of Eastland.

Watercolor, Pastel, Pen &

1st Mildred Sayre of Eastland; 2nd Macie Hyatt of Cisco and 3rd Johnnie Cheshire of Cisco.

Honorable Mention: Viola Brown of Drownwood, Sandra Keating, Dot Mueller of Eastland and Sherry Jennings of Eastland.

Realistic
1st Nell McConnell of DeLeon; 2nd Carole Sudderth of Comanche, 3rd Macie Hyatt of Cisco.

Honorable Mention: Winifred Pippin of Cisco,

Carole Sudderth of Comanche, Sue Morohart of Stephenville and Lois Whitaker of Cisco.

Palette:
1st Mildred Sayre of Eastland; 2nd Myrle Poe of Eastland and 3rd Laverne Allgood of Eastland.

Honorable Mention: Glenn Liles of Eastland, Nadine Elliott of Eastland; Nine Painter of DeLeon and Joe Hubbard of Rising Star.

Children Division:
1st Lesa Thomas of Eastland; 2nd Kenneth Hawari of Cisco and 3rd Kerry Watson of Eastland.

Honorable Mention: Lesa Thomas of Eastland,



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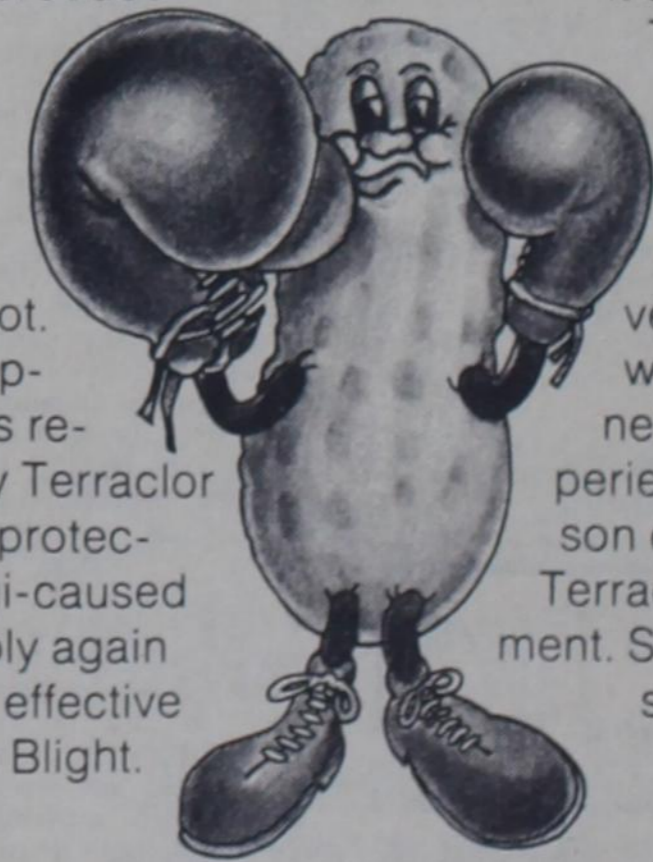
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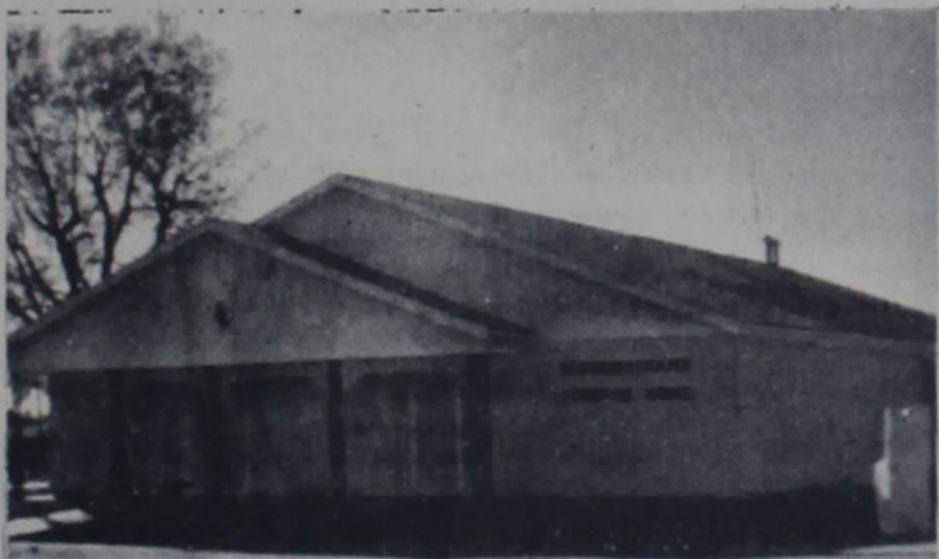
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 Cheerleader - "All the Way, Big Blue" Cheryl McGinnis

Last week the band chose a band president for next year and the lucky fellow was Clark Smith - Congratulations, C.S. Guess that's all for this week. Have a nice day!
 Nancy
 P.S. Just one more week M.C. and K.W.!!!

SPORTS' BANQUET
 This last banquet of the school year '73 - '74 was the greatest. It was sponsored by the cheerleaders who had help from their mothers, the Quarterback Club, and a nice donation from the P.T.A. The invocation was given by Dale Wolf, Bill Anderson, former coach of the Wildcats, gave the speech. He was followed by an entertainer, Miss Dixon from Cross Plains. The coaches, Mr. Gray and Mr. Hounsell, gave highlights of the season. The cheerleaders for 1974 - '75 were announced as follows: Head cheerleader - Sharon Wilson, Assistant head - Gwenda Butler, Secretary - Treasurer - Kasey Maynard; Reporter - Kathy Wilson. Mr. Childers gave the benediction which was followed by the school song.

Nimrod News

By Eva Stroebel

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Karouse and daughters of Copperas Cove spent last weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ziehr.

Those visiting Mrs. Minnie Wende were Mrs. C.A. Weiser, Mrs. Ernest Schaefer, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wende and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stroebel of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haggaman visited Mrs. Beulah Sheridan.

Eva Stroebel is home after a few days in E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Brown of Jal, N.M., visited his sister, Mrs. Charlie Living and husband last week.

Mrs. Maul Hill is convalescing in the G.C. Stroebel home after spending several days in E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wende attended a family reunion at Old Glory last Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Livingston and Mrs. Serdian visited Mrs. G.C. Stroebel Friday.

Mrs. Edgar Townsend visited friends in Cisco Wednesday.

O.E.S. Member Enjoy Salad Supper

At the regular meeting of Rising Star Chapter 23, Order of Eastern Star, Monday, May 6, a salad supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleming, Worthy Patron and Matron, presided at the business meeting.

A beautiful memorial service was presented by the officers. Kenneth Morrison sang a solo, "Beyond the Sunset".

Celestine Carlton thanked the chapter for a key honoring grand officers. The next meeting will be held June 3.

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Bubba Jones of May placed fifth in shot put at the state track meet in Austin with a personal best of 48. Bubba is a junior at May High School.



Dirk Murdock and Roger White of May have been selected to play in the Class B, six man, All Star Football game, July 20, in Brownwood. Both were selected All District and both are seniors at May High School.

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Howdy! The Senior invitations arrived last week. Everyone is busy addressing them. The Powder Puff ballgame has been changed to Monday night, May 13. Senior boys will be coaching and refereeing. Graduation is set for May 17, at 8:00 in the gym. Just one more week! In English we have finished our workbooks and our last test from it. The ones that are not exempt are studying for the final.

In Civics we have one more chapter to go. We have really been busy studying to finish the books. In Consumer Education we are making reports on different subjects and giving a speech to the class.

The All - Sports' Banquet was a big success and congratulations to the new cheerleaders. Also congratulations to Stony Smith - Valedictorian and Rickey Ware - Salutatorian.

C'ya,
Lorri

READY FOR EVERYTHING

One more down and one more to go! Juniors stayed busy last week with practice sets, tests, and wondering where our annuals could be? I hope everybody in English I through IV finished the book reports. Remember if you did not, tests!

The history class was interesting last week or at least it seemed that way. We all stayed awake, even Cook.

Mrs. Ballew and Mrs. Hill took turns keeping our bookkeeping class and will be until Mr. Hill recuperates. While they were here, I heard the typers really worked!

I wonder why some geometry students are in such a hurry to get to class (one hour early - T Tanner?). What's your hurry?

Next week is the week for which we have all been waiting. Don't stop now though; we still have plenty of work to be done. Remember our motto!

The Juniors of '74 saved this space just to say, "Get well, Mr. Hill". We need help in Bookkeeping.

Jay Benson - Sub.

TODAY NOT TOMORROW

Hi. The countdown is on! Everyone is keeping an eye on the calendar. Ask anyone; you will hear that it is only ten days until the glorious day.

We have started reviewing in nearly all of our classes in preparation of six weeks. In addition to reviews, we have been working on book reports and semester notebooks.

In English II we completed Unit Six and also studied the form and content of both business and friendly letters. We completed Unit Seven in physical science and are now through with electrical energy for a year. In Algebra I we found a new equation to answer an age - old problem, but by now we have all forgotten the question. We have started the study of World War II.

Four of the sophs are planning on participating in the powder puff football game on the tenth; ya'll come.

Till next week
Marilyn

IN THE FISH BOWL

Hi! Wow, it really is getting hot! That's a good point because that means only a week of school is on the calendar. We are already celebrating since we have been on our class trip to Cisco.

Our annuals came in; they are really terrific!!! We are surely going to miss this year's annual staff, which included Mrs. Claborn; she was really great! The new annual staff will be super, and we welcome Mrs. Linda Burns.

It's test time again. We didn't do too well on our chapter test in math. Maybe we can do better on the next one. We are working on equations. In Homemaking we are studying C Child Care and Development. In the Biology class we have been dissecting pigs (or did you know?) It really is a lot of fun if you have a strong stomach and stopped up nose!! We have been taking tests in English. Don't forget your book reports.

WITH THE FARMHANDS
 Hello Everybody! I hope all of you farmers enjoyed the rain we had last week. Two or three inches should help everybody.

Getting down to business, Ag II and III are working on personal projects. Mr. West said we could work on anything we wanted to. (He didn't know what he was getting into.) They are working on everything from a feeder for cows to three dimensional chess boards. Wow!

Ag I is still on plant science; they must be waiting for the things to grow. They are learning about seeds now and the different varieties of seeds. (Yes, D.K. you have to plant a seed to grow a plant.) Well that's about all for now!

Keep on planting,
Dwane

TOWARD NEW HORIZONS

Hello, everybody! We've all been busy preparing for final exams. Only one more week, is it possible? Hope all enjoyed the All Sports' Banquet on Thursday night. We went on our class trips to Cisco on Friday. It was lots of fun. The band took a trip to Six Flags Saturday and had a blast. That's about all that has been happening around here. Mrs. Diddle took all her classes to West Texas Utilities Friday for open house. This proved to be an interesting session; everybody seemed particularly impressed with the refrigerator and tape deck combination. That's all 'till next week.

Have a nice day,
Kathy

DO RE MI

Hello people! One more week, only One More Week! Can you believe in seven days we will be out of school; as for the lucky seniors - forever.

Six Flags was a blast! The band thanks Mr. and Mrs. Steinberg and Mr. and Mrs. Burns for helping to make it as much fun.

The band concert was very good; we appreciate all you people who came. The party afterwards was really nice and a special "thank you" to the mothers and Mr. and Mrs. Steinberg for planning it.

