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Tidbits by HVO

ANOTHER LINK to Eastland County's rich past is gone; Joe Gray, who had been writing "Gray Matter" columns for these papers off and on for many years, died at his home on S. Seaman St. late Wednesday. A retired Postal Service employee, Mr. Gray had served as District Clerk here, and had been active in his church, the computer club and was a director for the E.H.S. Reunion organization... Like his many readers, we will miss him. He brought his two columns in each Thursday, and we always looked forward to his brief visits, as he was a treasure-trove of information. We depended on his knowledge to help sort out many names and places in an effort to be accurate... The accompanying photo shows the late Mr. Gray being interviewed by the German news agency reporter at the annual Old Rip Commemoration here last month.



VETERANS WHO served in China, Burma and India in WWII are invited to a reunion, Aug. 16-20, 1995, in Salt Lake City. The 48th get-together is being organized by the 7,000-member group. CBI information may be secured by contacting A.L. Smith, 5006 FM 154, West Point, TX 78963-5108; whether you plan to attend the reunion or not.

WHERE DID the phrase "He's so heavenly minded, he's can't do any early good" come from?

INDEPENDENT, STATE-controlled banking won a legislative victory in the Texas House of Representatives this week when lawmakers voted unanimously for Texas to "opt-out" of federally sponsored interstate branch banking. Supporters of legislation warn that out-of-state banks will make an all-out effort to reverse the action in the Senate.

SLICKEST BROCHURE we've seen this week is from SAIA Motor Freight Line, which serves the South from here to Florida. It has a beautiful full-color photo of a Panhandle-town main street, (pop.: 507), with this headline: "If we can give you Turkey, we can give you Texas." Besides Turkey, they also list Happy, Flower Mound and Old Dime Box as towns they serve.

AHEAD OF the pack: Mason County sends out pamphlets describing three Mason County Lanes tours; bluebonnets in April and other wildflowers in May.

PARKS-WILDLIFE Dept. reports stats on Lake Leon records as follows: 11.69 lbs, 26.13 inches, largemouth bass, 11/12/91, Allen Thomas, Eastland, rod & reel; 9.64 lbs, 26 inch smallmouth buffalo, 5/14/94, 8.81 lb., 26 inches carp, 4/27/94, and 5.94 lbs., 31.25 inches, spotted gar, 5/14/94, all taken by Bob Morrison, Stephenville, bow and arrow. It also shows Morrison took two large gars out of the Leon River with bow and arrow, and that John Evridge of Comanche took 55-lb., 47 inch blue catfish out of the river in 1992.

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Fullen Motor Co. Presents Laugh-A-Day

When someone says he has a clear conscience, it often means he or she just has a bad memory.

Ranger Times



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Filings For City, School Board, Hospital Districts

Cisco City Election

Filing for Cisco City places are:

Mayor: Joe Wheatley, incumbent.

Place #1: James Hinman, incumbent.

Robert Anderson.

Place #2: Jerry Jeffcoat, incumbent.

The Election will be held May 6 at the Corral Room on Conrad Hilton Ave.

Cisco School Board Election

Filing for a place on the School Board are:

Place #1: Gary Harris.

Place #2: Angeline Stoval.

Monty Toler.

Place #3: Bob Snyder.

John Gonzales.

The Election will be held May 6 at the Corral Room on Conrad Hilton Ave.

Cisco Hospital District

Filings for Cisco Hospital District are

Bob Conner, incumbent.

H. K. Neely, incumbent.

Eastland City Election

Three Places are open on the Eastland City Commission. Filing for a Place are:

Dale Squires, Incumbent.

Dr. Stephen Barry, Incumbent.

James Fullen, Incumbent.

Steve Haines

The Election will be held May 6 at the Eastland High School Library, 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Early Voting will be held at City Hall. It begins Monday, April 17, and ends Tuesday, May 2. Early Voting hours will be 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., with City Hall remaining open at noon.

Eastland School Board Election

Filing for a Place on the School Board are:

Place No. 1: Susie Miller Thomas, Incumbent.

Place No. 2: Kenneth D.

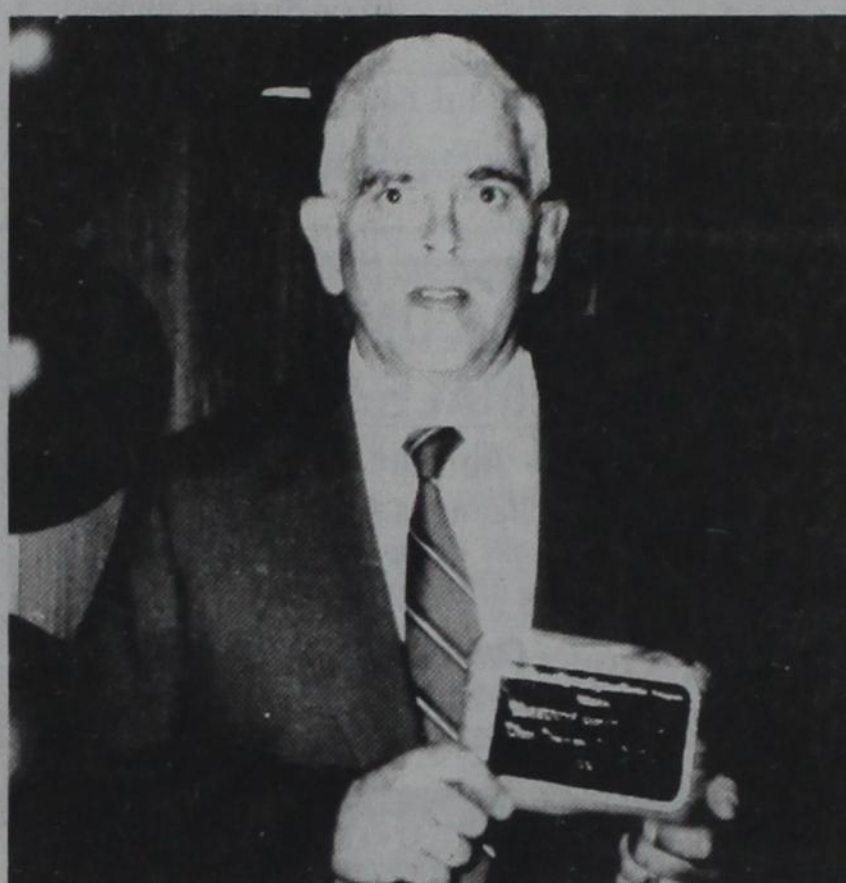
Parker, Incumbent
Place No. 3: Walter L. (Rocky) Maynard, Incumbent
Place No. 5: D.E. "Gene" Kea, Incumbent, 1-yr.

Unexpired term.
The Election will be held May 6 at the High School during the hours of 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Early Voting by per-

sonal appearance will begin April 17 and end May 2. It will be held at Eastland ISD Tax Office, 1100 W. Sadosa.

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Many Awards Given At Cisco Chamber Banquet



Bob Snyder received the Overdue Award at the Cisco Chamber Banquet Thursday

The Cisco Chamber of Commerce Banquet Thursday evening at the Elementary School Cafeteria was an entertaining event as the various people on the program kept the crowd filling the cafeteria laughing as they ate their chicken-fried steaks and baked potatoes. It was a fast moving event for Mayor Joe Wheatley and Martha Davis to give so much information as they presented the Community Service Award and the Overdue Award.

As the crowd waited for an individual to be named as the honoree, Mayor Wheatley instead presented the Community Service Award to an organization. The CCDAP (Cisco Community Development Action Program) received the award for the many projects that have been carried out, and the ones yet to be done, which have improved and beautified Cisco. Mayor Wheatley also promised that law enforcement officers would be on the

lookout for anyone forcing citizens to play golf, fish, etc. when they had rather be helping with a CCDAP project in Cisco.

The Overdue Award was presented to Bob Snyder, an outsider who moved to Cisco and became a very active Ciscoian after retiring from his job as an officer in the army. He has been President of the CCDAP and an interim CHS Principal, he is the Chamber President, a member of the School Board and the Constable. And he has been President of the Lions Club. He has continued to work to promote and improve Cisco and to be a community leader.

Outgoing Chamber President Bob Conner received the Presidents Award. The Chamber has grown under his leadership. And Snyder addressed the crowd as the incoming President.

Jane Hounshell and Larry Wende were recognized as the seniors at Cisco High School with the highest grades. Jane is the

daughter of Bill and Sarah Hounshell, and Larry is the son of Melvin and Lynda Wende.

Cisco Jr. College sophomores Melissa Batteas, daughter of Linton and Gail Batteas, and Jeremy Rhodes, son of Ron and Nancy Rhodes, were also recognized for academic excellence. Melissa's average was 3.88 and Jeremy's was 3.68 out of a possible 4.00.

The CCDAP has undertaken projects such as beautifying the triangle with student help, cleaning along a street, starting a fall jamboree and spring chili cook-off which both promise to be much bigger next time, gaining a state project to replace downtown sidewalks and curbs with new ones, building signs to welcome people to Cisco, painting windows and cleaning up in the downtown area, painting murals on building walls, and raising over \$5000 to fund projects. And more projects are in the works.

Chamber members are also working to bring additional business and industry to Cisco, and with money from the half cent sales tax, they may soon succeed.

Speaker Mike Butler gave the crowd some words of encouragement and inspiration and a lot of humor.

He insisted that everyone should remember the quotation, "He is no fool who gives away what he cannot keep to gain what he cannot lose." And he used examples as he encouraged Ciscoians to "use what you've got, use all of your talents, get involved, and serve the entire com-

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Heritage Health Care In Cisco Celebrates First Year Opening

Heritage Health Care is about to celebrate its first year being open in Cisco. They are located in what used to be Chief Brown's location at 800 W. 6th Street. Heritage offers FREE Blood Pres-

sure Screening at any time at your home, Senior Citizens Center in Cisco, or in their offices.

With the assistance and referrals of therapy and Rehabilitation Center, Heritage has been able to offer Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy and Speech Therapy for in-home visits to patients. Other home health agencies may not offer these services.

With the continued patient referrals and backing from the local doctors in the area and the con-

tinued patient referrals, Heritage has grown beyond expectation. Heritage is providing quality care for the home-bound clients, which also includes nursing and social services, in and around Eastland, Cisco, and a 50 mile radius of these cities.

Heritage Home Health is providing Elderly Day Care at the 800 W. 6th St., Cisco. This is a new service offered and it can vary. Please call Cyndee McBee if you would like more information at 442-1890.

Mangum Automotive Presents

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Wednes.	93	55	0
Thursday	83	57	0

Political Announcements

County, District, State.....\$85.00
Precinct, City Offices, School..\$45.00

This entitles candidate to have name published in Political Calendar throughout campaign, and two statements, one at beginning of campaign and one later in campaign with picture.

Grand Jury Indictments

The following are Grand Jury Indictments returned on March 16, 1995.

Brenda Gail Cisneros, DOB: 2/06/64, white female, resides in Ranger. Charge: Possession of a controlled substance, methamphetamine, less than 1 gram.

Donald Dayon Jaynes, DOB 2/19/76, white male, resides in Rising Star. Charge: Aggravated sexual assault.

Tina Kay Nichols, DOB 2/8/69, white female, resides in Ranger. Charge: Possession of a controlled substance, methamphetamine, less than 1 gram.

Samona Michelle Sanders, DOB 10/15/73, white female, resides in Eastland. Charge:

Forgery by passing.

Cherissa Dawn Sharp, DOB 7/21/74, white female, resides in Olden. Charge:

Forgery my making. Wesley Wayne Warren, DOB 5/27/68, white male, resides in Gorman. Charge: Possession of a controlled substance, methamphetamine, less than 1 gram.

Steven Duane Wells, DOB 7/7/72, white male, resides in Ranger. Charge: Possession of controlled substance, methamphetamine, less than 1 gram.

There were six other indictments returned on this date in which no arrest has been made. This information will be available once service has been obtained.

The Eastland Memorial Hospital Auxillary Presents LET'S DO BEANS!

March 30, 1995
Serving from 11 - 1 p.m.
\$4.00 per plate (take out available)
Fellowship Hall at Daugherty St.
Church of Christ, Eastland

Eastland City Commissioners Meet Road Maintenance, Paving Included On Agenda

During a lengthy meeting Monday Eastland City Commissioners heard about problems with a natural spring on the south side of Highway 80 East.

The spring is believed to originate near Walmart, and it drains west toward the Leon River watershed.

Business people requested help on draining the spring, also on maintaining Lago Vista Drive, south of Highway 80. Developers in the area reportedly built Lago Vista Drive, and the City has not been maintaining it.

Mayor C.W. Hoffman reported that the property is inside the City limits, but no record has been found showing that the street was dedicated to the City.

The Commissioners made no decision on the matter. The City Attorney will continue to search the records, and the item will be on the agenda again in April.

The Commissioners also took no action on personnel matters relating to the Police Department.

On an item related to the sewer plant and collection system, the Commissioners gave approval to do repair work on some of the streets. This will include Bassett St. and others.

They also approved a request by Don F. Jordan of Red Star Fuels to utilize the city sewer system, provided the plan is approved by the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission.

The Chairman of the Mayor's Beautification Committee, asked the Commissioners how to

deal with large items which businesses leave out on sidewalks after closing hours. She said she wants to help the businesses, but finds the items unattractive. She also said they could be a liability.

City Manager Paul Catoe said he would personally contact merchants who leave goods out at night.

On another matter, the Commissioners agreed to ask the Engineering firm of Frieze and Nicholas, Fort Worth, to draw up plans and specifications on paving West Valley St., which connects Ostrom and Madera Sts. on the south side of the High School gymnasium.

There were two estimates on the cost of the project - one at \$23,000, the other \$27,000. Some curb and gutter work may need to be done. The school will be asked to pay part of the costs.

The Commissioners held their second public hearing on the annexation of the Moser tract, which lies southeast of town.

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Sunday, 26 March 1995

ROBIN M. ELLIS;
11843 Braesview -
1002; San Antonio,
TX 78213-4894 would
like to hear from anyone
with information regard-
ing merchandise "Scrip"
for towns in Ranger, and
other Eastland County,
TX towns or communi-
ties. Mr. Ellis has
enclosed copy from THE
NUMISMATIST, August
1922, in which the follow-
ing was printed.

"Believing that an
explanation and an
account relative to the
recent Ranger, Texas
scrip issues would be of
interest to collectors, we
will endeavor to give as
complete history and dis-
cription of it as possible.
The following news item
appeared in the Dayton
(Ohio) Journal, Decem-
ber 5, 1921. This was our
first notice of these
issues. We give the news
item in its entirety."

The news item:
"SCRIP USED TO
TIDE TOWN OVER

MONEY SHORTAGE.

Merchants and Financiers
Come to Aid of Bank,
Which was pressed for
Funds.

Ranger, Texas, Dec. 4.-
Confidence and use of
scrip is said by residents
of Ranger to have pre-
vented serious financial
difficulties a few months
ago, when one of the
larger banks closed its
doors. The issuance and
use of the scrip as in the
case here is said to be
unusual.

When the bank
announced it was unable
to continue payments the
business men met with
bank officials, the State
banking officers and oth-
ers interested. An agree-
ment to appoint a trustee
of the accounts in the
bank was made.

Special scrip was printed
and depositors in need
of ready cash were per-
mitted to assign their
accounts and to issue the
scrip up to 75 per cent.
of their deposits. Both
depositor and trustee signed the scrip. It was

accepted by the business
men as cash.

The plan worked
smoothly. A total of
about \$40,000 in the scrip
was issued, and practically
all of it has been redee-
med."

**The the story in THE
NUMISMATIST con-
tinues, and portion
follows:**

"These circulating certi-
ficates, which are some-
what unusual and which
are new, perhaps, to most
collectors, were the work
of the Ranger Retail
Merchants' Association.
This scrip was issued on
safety paper of different
tints and came in deno-
mination of \$1, \$5 and
\$10.

The first issue, that for
use of the Guaranty State
Bank of Ranger, was
dated July 1, 1921. Later
in the year, no date, came
the second issue, that for
the use of the Farmers and
Merchants' State
Bank of Ranger. The
Guaranty notes were
seven and one-half inches
long by three and one-
eighth inches wide. The
Farmers and Merchants'
notes were seven and
one-eighth in length and
three and one-sixteenth
inches in width."

Mr. Ellis is very
interested in correspond-
ing with anyone regard-
ing this or any other "scrip."
For my information he
enclosed two small ones
from the Strawn Mer-
chandise Company, Lyra
[TX] and are signed by A.
Deffebach sec-treas.

Send your queries to
Pilgrims To Pioneers;

**Tri-City Tricksters
Compete In Area Meets**

The Tri City Tricksters
of Eastland have recently
competed in three area
meets and are looking
forward to the district
meet March 25th in
Snyder. This will be the
State qualifier meet.

Tejas Tumblers hosted
the 1st meet in Strawn,
Jan. 28th.

Boys ages 3-4
Tumbling "pre begin-
ners" 1st place Cory Clark;
2nd place Seth Johnson

Boys ages 3-4
Trampoline level 0 1st
place Seth Johnson; 3rd
place Cory Clark

Girls ages 3-4
Tumbling "pre begin-
ners" 2nd place Amber
Roberts; 4th place Chelsey
Bledsoe; 6th place Ashlyn
Orms

Jeanne Pruett, Editor;
P.O. Box 99; Ranger,
Texas 76470. (Notices
and announcements, as
well as books and other
material for review, are
also accepted.)

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Girls age 11-12
Tumbling level 4 1st
place Monica Fraser

Girls age 11-12
Trampoline level 1 1st
place Monica Fraser

Girls age 13 and over
Tumbling level 6 4th
place Amanda Gary; 2nd
place Amanda Gary -
trampoline

Michelle's Gymnastics
hosted 2nd meet in Co-
manche Feb. 18th.

Boys 3-4
Tumbling "pre begin-
ners" 1st place Cory Clark;
2nd place Seth Johnson

Boys age 3-4
Trampoline level 0 2nd
place Amber Roberts; 4th
place Ashlyn Orms; 6th
place Chelsey Bledsoe

Girls age 3-4
Trampoline level 0 3rd
place Ashlyn Orms

Girls 7-8
Tumbling level 5A 3rd
place Susan Oliver

Girls age 7-8
Trampoline level 1 3rd
place Susan Oliver

Boys age 9-10
Tumbling level 4 2nd
place Lance Fitzgerald

Boys age 9-10
Trampoline level 2 2nd
place Lance Fitzgerald

Girls age 11-12
Tumbling level 4 1st
place Monica Fraser; 2nd
place Brooke Snyder

Girls age 11-12
Trampoline level 1 1st
place Monica Fraser

Girls 11-12
Trampoline level 2 1st
place Brooke Snyder

Girls 13 and over
Trampoline level 3 1st
place Amanda Gary

Girls 13 and over
Tumbling level 6 4th
place Amanda Gary

The Seals of Brownwood
hosted the 3rd meet
March 4th.

Girls 3-4
Tumbling "pre begin-
ners" level 0 1st place
Chelsey Bledsoe; 2nd
Amber Roberts; 3rd Ash-
lyn Orms

Girls 3-4
Trampoline level 0 "pre
beginners" 1st Ashlyn
Orms; 2nd Amber
Roberts; 3rd Chelsey
Bledsoe

Girls 7-8
Tumbling level 5A 3rd
place Susan Oliver

Girls 7-8
Trampoline level 1 3rd
place Susan Oliver

Tumbling level 4 1st
Lance Fitzgerald

Girls 9-10
Tumbling level 6 1st
Leisa Hennington

Girls 9-10
Trampoline level 4 1st
place Leisa Hennington

Girls 11-12
Tumbling level 4 2nd

Monica Fraser
Girls 11-12

Trampoline level 1 1st
Monica Fraser

Girls 13 and over
Tumbling level 6 1st
Amanda Gary

Girls 13 and over
Trampoline level 3 1st
Amanda Gary

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the course will be Tianay
Rabb.

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ques of typing and build-
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puters will benefit be-

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familiar with the key-
board before taking other
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upon completion.

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course is \$43 and is lim-
ited to 15 students. Regis-
tration deadline is April
10.

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lotte Nix Speegle or Anita
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lege - Cisco campus, 817-
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90 Dodge Caravan, auto, air,
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one owner. \$3995

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AM/FM, one owner, 10,000 actual
miles. \$6495

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Auto, air, fully loaded. \$2995

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Auto, air. \$2995

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2 wheel drive, extra nice. \$4995

75 Chevy Pickup 4 wheel drive,
auto, air. \$1500

86 Chevy Nova, auto, cold air, good
work car. \$1295

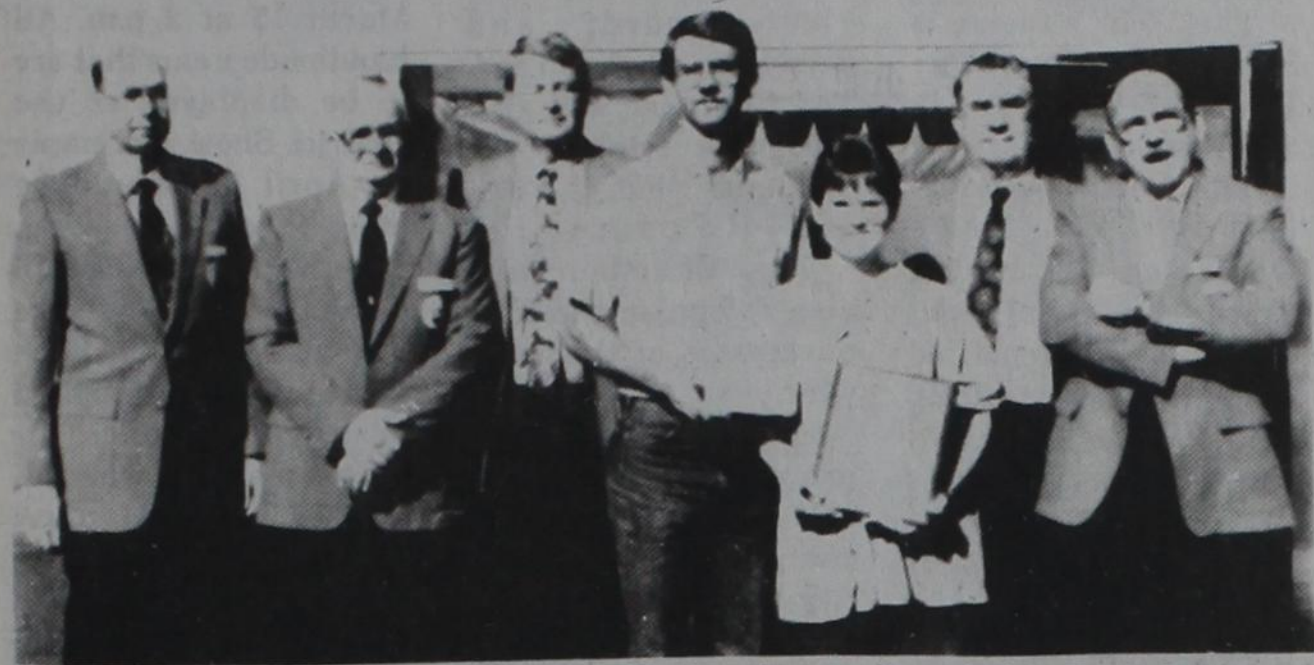
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auto, air. \$2995

FOCUS



Pictured are Ronnie and Jody Cagle (center) and the Red Coats of Eastland at the grand opening of The Corner Nursery in Eastland.

The Corner Nursery Holds Grand Opening Celebration

Ronnie and Jody Cagle hosted the Eastland Chamber of Commerce "Red Coats" on Thursday, March 23, for a Grand Opening celebration. Corner Nursery has been open for some months, providing winter plants, great flowers and preparing for spring and summer. The greenhouse is up and running, the sign is higher and a lighted sign advertises specials. The Cagle's accepted

their first Eastland dollar and explained that they wanted to offer Eastland and the surrounding area a knowledgeable nursery service. They will stock most varieties that do well locally and some that will be different for our area. So, if you're looking for something to brighten your yard, or an office plant, try 'em. Nursery hours are 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., Tuesdays

through Saturday. By the way, while you are there, check out the Red Lion Ampharillis in the greenhouse. Looks great at the corner of Daugherty and Sadosa. Call 629-1333 for more information.

Free Blood Pressure Screening

Heritage Health Care will hold a free blood pressure screening Monday, March 26, 1995, at 11:00 a.m. at the Cisco Senior Citizens Center, located on Conrad Hilton

p.m. and 6:00 p.m. You are invited to join us in expressing appreciation to Chief Justice McCloud for 24 years of exemplary service to this Court and to this community. We hope that you will join us in honoring Austin, Mary Anne, and their family. Everyone is welcome.

Reception To Honor Judge McCloud

The judges and staff of the Eastland Court of Appeals cordially invite you to a reception honoring Chief Justice Austin O. McCloud. The reception will be in the first floor lobby of the Eastland County Court House on Friday, March 31, 1995, between the hours of 4:00

From Page One Filings For Elections

Eastland Hospital District
The filing deadline for a Place on the Board of Eastland Memorial Hospital will be April 15, in compliance with the enabling legislation which created the Hospital District.

Four places are up for election this time, and the election will be held May 6 at the High School.

Petitions for candidates wishing to file are available in the main lobby of the Hospital, at the Eastland Chamber of Commerce office, and at the Eastland Telegram office.

Ranger City Election

Candidates for

Ranger City Election to be held May 6, 1995 are as follows:

- Mayor:**
1. Snyder, David.
2. Ainsworth, Ronnie.
- Place #1 Police & Fire Commissioner:**
1. Johnson, Buddy.
2. Lopez, Adam Jr.
3. Radloff, Harry
4. Rogers, Michael
- Place #2 Street Commissioner:**
1. Jones, J.J. (Red)
2. Stott, Arvin
3. Jernigan, Bill
- Place #3 Finance Commissioner:**
1. Guess, Bill
2. McNabb, B.C. Jr
3. Dawson, Jean
4. Veal, Donny
- Place #4**
1. Tankersley, Phil.

County Commissioners' Court To Meet Monday

Notice is hereby given that Eastland County Commissioners' Court will meet in a regular meeting at 10 a.m. on Monday, March 27, 1995, in the Eastland County Commissioners' Courtroom, Eastland, Texas, to consider the following agenda items:

1. Read and Sign Minutes - County Clerk
2. Economic Development - Distribute Information on Economic Incentives to Attract Industrial Development and Job Creation
3. Consider Acquisition of a Copier for Adult Probation Department - The Steven Company, Gayland Miller
4. Request for Authority to Apply for Bulk Rate Mail - Bill Miears, District Clerk
5. Consider Approval of

Resolution for the Drug Task Force - Adrian Hudleston

6. 9-1-1 Information Update - Conrad Buchanan

7. Discuss Ways of Getting Defendants to Trial More Quickly - Commissioner Reggie Pittman

8. Request of Commissioner Pittman and Commissioner Ainsworth for Commissioners and News Media to Tour Eastland County Jail

9. Budgetary and Appropriative Matters; Amend Budget for Office of Tax Assessor/Collector - Nancy Trout

10. Discuss Precinct Roads - Commissioner L.T. Owen

11. Bills, Claims and Accounts

Posted by order of Eastland County Commissioners' Court.

B.P. Cain Begins Duties As Stenholm's District Manager

Since B.P. (Beep) Cain began his new job as District Manager for Congressman Charles Stenholm, he has been on the road.

Besides running around the 17th District, he spent a week in Washington, D.C., learning the ropes of being on a Congressional staff.

Cain was able to attend various committee meetings of Congress and spent a great deal of time learning about the computer systems and how to access information that will be beneficial to members of the 17th District.

As District Manager, he oversees the operations of the District Staff in the Stamford, Abilene and San Angelo offices. Annette Wilson and Don Starr both work in the Stamford office while Jayne Shoonmaker is in the San Angelo office and Elaine Tally in Abilene.

Mostly the District office handles individual constituent concerns including, Veteran's Affairs, Social Security benefits, FMHA, etc.

Maintaining the quality of service from the staff is among one of Cain's goals for the office.

"Bill Longley has done a tremendous job in the past," he added of his predecessor.

He also wants to be able to contact as many constituents as possible.

Cain, who grew up on a ranch in rural West Texas outside of San Angelo, has been an acquaintance of Stenholm since the begin-

ning. "I worked on Charlie's first campaign," he said, "then I worked part time on his district staff for three years."

Since then, he has worked in the banking business in San Angelo.

He received his degree in Government History from Angelo State University and has two teenage children living in Corpus Christi.

Cain is excited about his new position and feels that he comes at an exciting time. "I think this is going to be an exciting legislative session."

He said that Stenholm still has high hopes about the balanced budget

amendment passing and hopes to get another vote out of the Senate.

He has also been hard at work on the Farm Bill and is trying to accomplish as much as they can and work with the majority party to assure that the concepts of the "Contract With America" will effect all Americans in a positive way, plus take in the concerns of the 17th District.

While in Washington, Cain was impressed with the respect Stenholm receives from his colleagues in the Congress.

"It is gratifying to see that good ole' West Texas common sense has some ears in Congress."

CJC To Offer Class In Hunter Ed. Training

Cisco Jr. College will offer a Continuing Education Course in "Hunter Education Training." The course will meet on Saturday, April 1 and 8 from 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. in the Ag Building - Cisco campus. Tommie Lee, a Certified Volunteer Instructor will teach the 10-hour course.

The deadline for registration is March 29, and is limited to 15 students. A course fee of \$5 will be charged.

For information or to register, contact Charlotte Nix Speegle or Anita Wheat at Cisco Junior College - Cisco campus. 817-442-2567.

Still Time To Make Donation

There is still time for you to send in your donation for the purchase of the Bob Carroll Complex, that the Ranger Historical Society has work so

hard to purchase.

So if you have not yet sent in your donation, please do so now before its to late. Donations can be sent to P.O. Box, Ranger, Texas 76470.

From Page One Cisco Chamber Banquet

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Kokomo News

By Zelda Joran

We are sure enjoying this beautiful spring weather. The temperatures are saying that it is almost summer time.

Gary Browning of Lubbock was a visitor at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday. Gary was home for a visit with his parents, Woodrow and Helen Browning while on Spring break from Texas Tech.

Visitors last week with Anna Laura Clearman were Jamie Clearman of Ovalo, Ken and Linda Clearman of Arlington, Kyla and Caleb McIntire of Sugarland, Nanetta Thompson of Plainview, Dianne Morgan of Friona was a recent visitor with Mrs. Clearman.

Weekend visitors with Johnnie B. Griffith were Burl and Hattie Griffith of Forsan, Dale, Karen, Paul and Karen Griffith of Lubbock, Evelyn Burleson and Jan Brown of Benbrook.

Jimmy and Verna Lee Little met Mr. and Mrs. Fails of Comanche and Cody and Jarad Fails of Arlington in De Leon on Tuesday afternoon and the boys came home with them for a visit while on Spring break from school last week. The Little's and Cody and Jarad met their mom, Nelda Fails in Weatherford on Monday and the boys returned home with her.

Nelda Fails spent Wednesday to Friday here with the Jimmy Little's and they attended the funeral of Weldon Tankersley in Eastland on Wednesday. Others visiting in the Little home during the week were Ray Neal, Melissa and Emily Little of Eastland, James and Jill Little and Ashley of Lake Leon, Dora Garrett of Eastland, Earl Little, Sarah Murphy of Richardson and Zelda Jordan.

Jimmy and Verna Lee Little and Glenn and Shirley Clement attended the gospel singing at the Will Rogers Auditorium in Fort Worth on Saturday night.

Vance and Donna Lam-inack, Lauren and Ellen of Fort Worth visited with Cullen and Ava Rodgers on Tuesday.

Sylvia Buchanan of Stephenville and Kelly Buchanan of Giddings visited during the weekend with Nancy Hendricks. Other visitors in the Hendricks home were Doris Bradshaw of Gorman, Hope Joiner and Ruth Bryant.

Jeannie Murphy-Bartz of Richardson came for a weekend visit with Zelda Jordan and her daughter Sarah returned home with following a weeks visit here with Zelda. Jeannie, Sarah and Zelda

visited in Eastland on Saturday with Dora Garrett, Ora Mae Jordan, Melva Jordan and Tammy Collins, Sabrina, Vanessa and Savannah of Olden who were visiting in the Melva Jordan home.

Rev. Jimmy and Maggie Nelson of Bowie visited on Sunday night and Monday with the Clifford Nelson's and Cassie Nelson. Jimmy preached in Merkel on Sunday.

Visitors with Delmon and Joyce Eaves last week were Deliah, Christopher and Jonathan Lewis of Ennis, Margaret and Preston Eaves of Mansfield, Clifford and Doris Graham of Monahans, and Phena Pierce of Wink.

Cindy, Kyle and Kayla Jordan of Portales, N.M. are visiting this week with Zelda Jordan and Bill and Glenda Priest and Wade and Sheri Daniell in Abilene while Kyle is on Spring break from school.

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Olden F.C.E. Club Holds Regular Meeting

The Olden F.C.E. Club had its regular meeting at 2 p.m. on March 14, 1995 in the Olden Community Center.

The meeting was called to order by our president,

Jane Davidson. The Creed and prayer were read. The minutes and roll call were made by our secretary, Mildred Raney. The minutes were approved as read. There were 10

Rising Star CofC And Ag Awards Banquet Thursday

The Rising Star Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture annual awards banquet will be Thursday, March 30, at 6:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church Activity Building in Rising Star.

This year's theme is Somewhere Over The Rainbow A Star Is Shining.

The meal will be catered by Max's Quickway of Rising Star. The meal will consist of chicken fried steak, baked potatoes, gravy, green beans, pie, coffee or tea. Tickets are \$7.50. They can be purchased at the door or through the directors of the Chamber.

Miss Rising Star will give her farewell

speech. The audience will have a chance to hear, see, and vote on Miss Rising Star 1995.

Other awards to be given out that night will be Farm Family of the Year, Citizens of the Year, Community Service Award, and Business of the Year. The Chamber will also recognize High Point Students, FHA, FFA, and 4-H Students.

The Chamber will also recognize the new businesses of this past year.

Child care will be provided. Door prizes will be given away including two \$100 savings bonds from Peoples State Bank of Clyde, Rising Star Branch.

Carbon Community Center starting at 7 p.m. on March 27. Gorman 4-H is sponsoring this event. These young people have worked very hard on these projects. Let's all go and show our support for them. You will enjoy and be surprised at the talent.

The first Board Meeting will be held in the Eastland National Bank Community Room on March 15 at 2 p.m. All handmade items that are to be displayed at the District Show in Temple on April 19 should be brought to this meeting. Janet will be driving a 16 passenger van and cars will also be going. Each Club will be represented in several categories.

The meeting was adjourned. A time of fun and fellowship followed refreshments were served by Dois Hodges and Helen Stewart.

Rachel Wakefield
Reporter

Cisco Press, Eastland
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March 26, 1995

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members present on a cold, rainy day.

The treasurer's report was read by our treasurer, Hilda Squires. It was approved as read.

The program on "Frauds and Scams" was given by our vice presi-

dent, Jean Young. It was interesting and most all present had been taken at one time or another. A lively discussion followed. Thank you Jean for a most interesting and informative program.

We were reminded of

the District 8 Family Leadership Training Workshop to be held in Hamilton on March 23, at 9 a.m. We were also reminded of the 4-H Fashion Show to be held in the

Pharmacy Topics

It's an old story that heartburn feels like a heart attack. But a study in *Lancet* suggests that heartburn may actually diminish the heart's blood supply.

A new cancer drug - taxotere - was able to reduce tumors in patients with non-small cell lung cancer (the most common kind), according to scientists at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center in New York.

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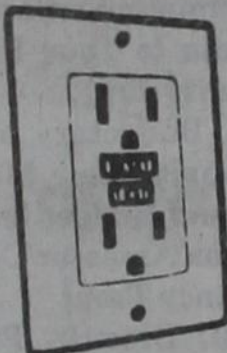
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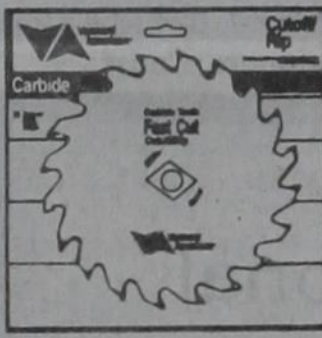
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Sports Artist Vernon Wells Returns To Ranger College

Vernon Wells was a student at Ranger College from 1973 to 1975. While at Ranger he was an outstanding wide receiver on the Rangers football team, was

named first team All American and Most Valuable Player. He had a unique talent for finding the open spot in an opponent's pass defense and a great pair of

hands that caught just about everything that was thrown in his direction. He went on to Texas Christian University where he continued to star at that position for the Horned Frogs.

Not unlike most talented young football players, his dream was to play for the National Football League.

He was drafted by the Kansas City Chiefs when he graduated from TCU in 1978 but was eventually released. Shortly following his release from the Chiefs, the coach who had cut him was himself released and the new coach called Vernon and asked him to return. By this time he had signed a contract with the Calgary Stampeders of the Canadian Football League and was committed. He went on to play for the Stampeders until a shoulder separation ended his career prematurely. At this point he decided to take his destiny into his own hands, work to build a career for himself where he would not be cut and, as he said on the Michael Irvin Television Show recently, "Get into a business where I had less chance of getting my head bashed in." Vernon Wells the athlete became Vernon Wells the artist.

Although his degree from TCU was in Radio-Television-Film, he had a natural talent for illustration. He relocated to Shreveport, Louisiana where he got his first non-football job as a commercial artist producing ads for the print media and an advertising agency. He became the art director for an advertising agency then was hired in that capacity by a publishing company that produced magazines for several professional and college football programs, a job that provided him with the opportunity to continue his new career as an artist and, at the same time, keep in touch with his first love, sports. He did his first paintings of athletes in action for publication in the magazines. From this point he went out on his own, doing original paintings of professional athletes for the athletes themselves.

The market for his work continued to expand as more and more athletes saw his work and wanted one of his paintings for themselves. His popularity with the players eventually landed him his

biggest break: he was the original artist featured by the Upper Deck Company, the top-rated baseball card publishers in the country. His sphere of success has grown steadily over the years, and he includes some of the country's most outstanding sports figures among his friends and supporters. Vernon's work hangs in the homes of Muhammad Ali, Emmitt Smith, Roger Staubach, Nolan Ryan, and Troy Aikman, Michael Jordan, and virtually hundreds of other athletes throughout the sports world.

Vernon now lives in Arlington, Texas, is married and the father of two sons and a daughter. He has not only translated his love for sports into a means of earning a living, but he has continued to participate through an association with the Senior Professional Baseball League in Florida, a league embodying former Major League players. He captained the Texas team that won the '92 Dream Week Tournament in Orlando and played in the old-timer's game that was held in Arlington last year.

Vernon returned to Ranger College last Monday evening for a special reception sponsored by the college. He transformed an informal gathering into a thoroughly entertaining and informative activity in which he related many stories about the NFL, his friends among the stars of professional athletics and his days as a student at Ranger College. Before making the trip to Ranger, he raided the Ball Park Gallery, an art gallery located in the Texas Rangers' new home that features his work, to have some of his paintings to share with students and local folks who came by to share the evening with him. The proof of his success as a painter needs no further verification than the fact that he owns very few of his own paintings.

The drawing board now receives the same commitment from Vernon that he gave to the playing field. "As

an athlete," he stated in his talk, "I considered myself to be the best player on the field every time I entered the game and worked hard to maintain the skills to support this idea." "I work just as hard as an artist. I always strive to be a better painter each year than I was the year before." Starting with colored pencils as the medium in which he rendered the subjects of his paintings and an airbrush for the surrealistic settings in which he placed them, his work has evolved to the use of the point where he uses the airbrush almost exclusively.

A painting featuring Michael Irving and Emmitt Smith entitled "Friends," his most recent, is the first of Vernon's work to be offered directly to the public. The painting is being offered in the form of 1500 limited edition 19x25 inch prints, signed and numbered by the artist, that may be purchased framed or unframed. In 1992 the subjects of this painting were the first and only teammates in professional football history to lead the league in rushing and receiving, an accomplishment that added a greater bond to their enduring friendship.

CJC To Offer Painting Class

Cisco Jr. College will offer a Continuing Education Course in "Painting" on April 13, 20, 27, May 4, 11 and 18 from 6-9 p.m. Instructor for the course will be Linda Foster. The course will meet in Room 53 of the Vocational-Technical II Building at the Cisco campus. Cost for the 18-hour course is \$43, and supplies are furnished by the student (list available). Registration deadline is April 7 and is limited to 10 students.

Students will learn to use the basic tools of paint-

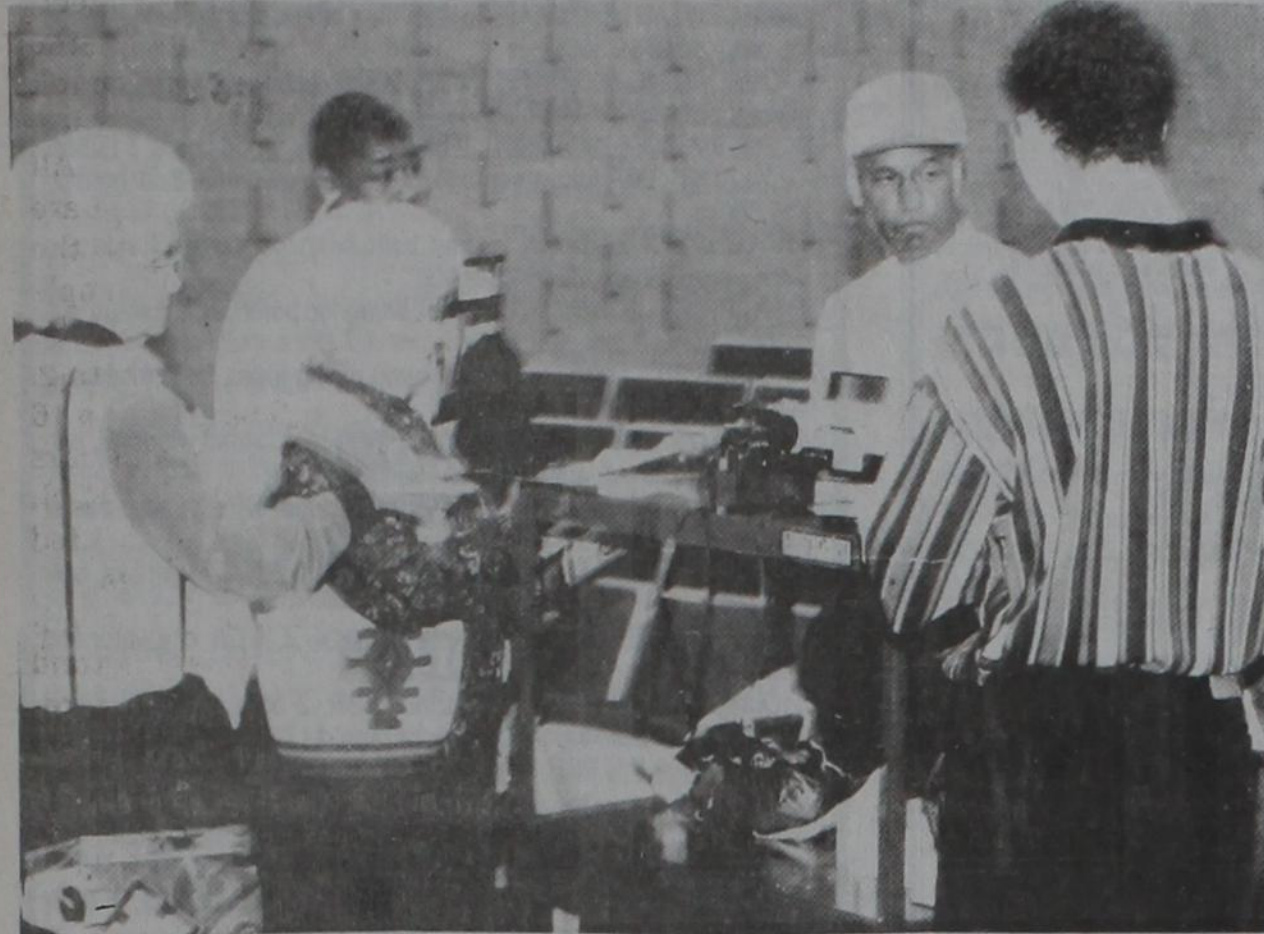
Old Mesquite Trees Bloom

Wanda Hull said "The Old Mesquites are bloomin' at our house." This is a sure sign of spring in this part of the Big Country.

Seems George and Wanda found them yesterday, March 21st. Hope this is true - no more cold weather.

ing-brushes, canvas, and the use of color. Students may work at their own speed on subjects that interest them most.

For more information or to register, contact Charlotte Nix Speegle or Anita Wheat at Cisco Jr. College - Cisco campus, 817-442-2567.



(ED. NOTE: Eager fans visit with R.C. - Ex Vernon Wells Monday evening when he returned to discuss his successful career and motivate current students to make the most of their opportunities. Jay Bethany, who was Wells' instructor at Ranger College did this story for us when a conflict of meetings prevented us from attending the popular artist's visit and presentation. From left are Loraine Oliver, Inez Bordeau, Barbara Jones and Randy Feist).

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR



(ED. NOTE: We had written asking for information of Mr. Evans after we had run across his photo (shown here as he looked in 1944) in a book

named "The Nashville I Knew", and remembered, we thought, that Mr. Evans had had Eastland County connections. We were partly right, and are grateful to Mr. McCrea for providing this accurate information. A copy of his obituary was included which pointed out that Mr. Evans was a prominent figure in the Democratic Party, helped found the airline business in the Southwest, was a federal postal official and insurance company executive.)

Thursday, March 16, 1995, I am enclosing an article descriptive of his life.

As you can see, he was born in Joshua, Johnson County, Texas, April 2, 1894. On November 20, 1923, he married Celia Lucile McCrea of Cisco, Texas.

Lucile was the daughter of Luther Hannibal McCrea and Celia Alma Anderson McCrea, long-time residents of Cisco. He worked in the newspaper business, followed by politics, fourth assistant post master general, president of Maryland Casualty Company, and president of the Nashville Tennessean Newspaper. He died in June 1955 at the age of 61 in Fort Worth several hours after at-

tending the funeral of Amon Carter, publisher of the Fort Worth Star Telegram.

His son, Silliman Jr., died of a heart attack on July 29, 1961. After serving a stint as publisher of the Tennessean, Amon Carter Evans, his second son, sold the Nashville Tennessean Newspaper.

Lucile McCrea Evans died November 22, 1985; she was my father's sister.

Sincerely, Llew McCrea II 703 Woodland Trail Belton, TX 76513

County Defensive Driving Class Set April 8 In Cisco

Eastland Co. Defensive Driving Classes (State License #C0023-632) Are Now Enrolling! For early registration please call 442-2145 or after 10 a.m. 442-2673. The fee for the class is \$20. Classes are held at the Mountain Top Church Family Center at 600 E. 8th St. in Cisco.

The next class to be held will be April 8, and will begin at 8 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Class materials and videos have been updated to include a more streamline effective course lasting only six hours! These new changes follow the guidelines of House Bill 2410 of the 73rd Texas State Legislature.

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March Is National Mental Retardation Month

FACTS AND FIGURES

As stated in an earlier article, Northview has all sorts of activities taking place in honor of National Mental Retardation Awareness Month. The people who live and work at Northview held a track meet as part of their training program for the upcoming Special Olympic Games. We also have eight people working at Northview that have been trained to serve on Surrogate Decision-Making Committees in Eastland and a number of surrounding counties. This is a volunteer program that is greatly in need of participants. Several of our employees also volunteer as coaches and trainers for Special Olympics. This requires attending a day-long training session as well as extra time devoted to practicing, setting-up practice track and field meets, and then coordinating all aspects of participation in the local, regional and state meets. In conjunction with our public awareness program, the following facts about mental retardation have been provided by The ARC (Association for Retarded Citizens), a national organization on mental retardation. For more information ARC can be contacted at: 500 East Border Street, Suite 300, Arlington, TX 76010, (817) 261-6003.

One in 10

One of every 10 Americans has a family member who has mental retardation, according to The Arc, Association for Retarded Citizens, a national organization serving the individuals and families affected by the condition.

Three Percent have Mental Retardation

In the United States about three percent of the population, or more than 7 million individuals, will be identified as having mental retardation at some point in their lives. Mental retardation is four times more common than rheumatic fever, nine times more prevalent than cerebral palsy, and affects 15 times more people than blindness.

Causes of Mental

Retardation

A condition that hinders or interferes with intellectual development before or during birth or in the early childhood years can be the cause of mental retardation which is also known as a developmental disability. Although more than 250 causes are known, these account for only one-fourth of all identified causes.

Institutional Population Declines

A growing number of people with mental retardation are now living in group homes and receiving community-based services. The population of state institutions has declined dramatically. The number of clients in all state institutions has decreased from a peak of 194,650 in 1967 to 97,901 in 1987, according to the University of Minnesota's Center for Residential and Community Services.

100,000 Annually

People with mental retardation constitute one of America's largest groups having disabilities. Each year some 100,000 babies and young children are born with or acquire the condition.

Little Difference

About 89 percent of children and adults with mental retardation are mildly affected and in many respects, quite simi-

"Steel Grooves" To Present Concert At Majestic Thursday

The Eastland Fine Arts Association will present Abilene Christian University's Steel Drum Band, "Steel Grooves", in a concert at the Majestic Theatre in Eastland at 10 a.m., Thursday, March 30. Admission will be 50 cents for public school students and \$2 for all others.

"Steel Grooves," a division of the ACU Department of Music's Percussion Ensemble, has performed for dozens of Civic, University, Business, and Private events since it was founded in the fall of 1992.

In February the group performed with the Abilene Philharmonic in what is believed to be the first U.S. appearance of a Steel Drum Band in concert with a Symphony Orchestra.

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Steel drums are fashioned from 55-gallon steel barrels by master craftsmen.

The ensemble is directed by Allen Teel, Assistant Professor of Percussion and Music Literature at ACU. In addition to his teaching duties, Teel is Principal Timpanist with the Abilene Philharmonic Orchestra and is active as a performer, adjudicator, and clinician.

Teel has received degrees from West Texas State University, Texas Tech University, and the University of Georgia, where he recently completed his doctorate in Percussion Performance.

"Steel Grooves" plays music from around the world - Samba from Brazil; Guaguango from Cuba; Gahu from Ghana (West Africa); and Soca and Calypso Steel Drum Styles from Trinidad.

Further information can be obtained by calling the Majestic Theatre at 629-2102.

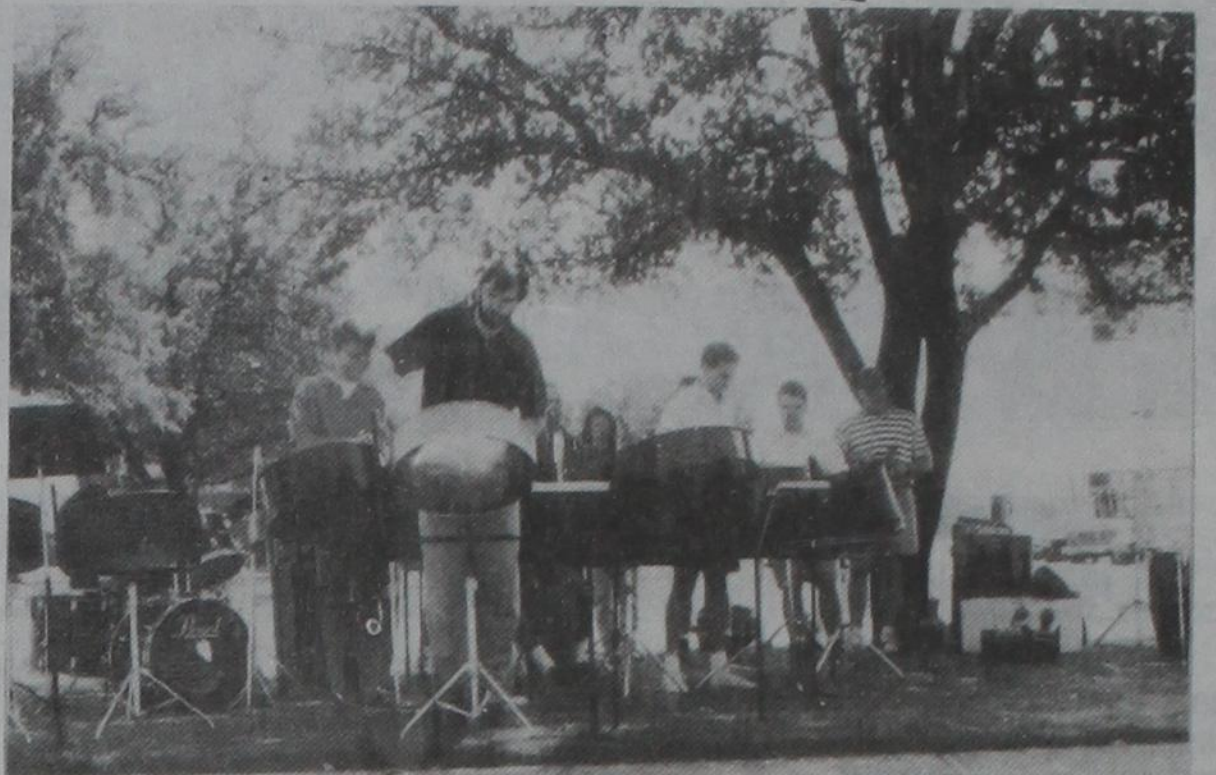
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Nightly March 27-29 starting at 7:00 PM. There will be a noon meal & Bible Studies (Mon-Wed) 12:00-12:45 pm.

Youth Night Tuesday March 28 fellowship & Free Pizza 5:45 pm.

Evangelism Team Kevin & Toni Warner Everyone is invited

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"Steel Grooves" Allen Teel, center, (with beard) April 23, 1994 Earth Day outdoor concert at Abilene Civic Center.



"Steel Grooves" Band pictured at Earth Day Concert held outdoors at Abilene Civic Center, April 23, 1994.

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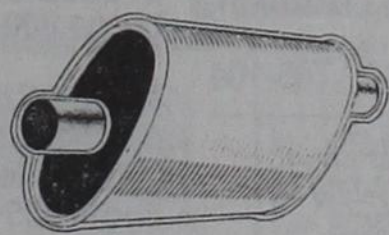
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1. Health, October 1993
2. Business Week, Mar. 7, 1994
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Eastland Manor Health Care News

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Some of the volunteers were Connie Lewis, Mrs. Peveh, Bud Carmack, Rosie and Jesse. We had 27 present. Shirley from Valley View was present to help.

We appreciate her so much. She helped to bring the residents down for the singing. Let me say a great big thank you to all the volunteers. What would we do without them?

The residents really enjoy the singings. They say "this helps them make the day!"

Smile and make someone happy!

Reporter, Jesse Price

Valley View Nursing Center Hold Singing

Thursday morning, March 23rd, the residents and volunteers met at 10 a.m. for their weekly singing. A total of 37 were present. Some of the volunteers present were Mrs. Sullivent who played the piano, Lori Smith leading the singing. We had several ladies from Cisco. Forgive me for not remembering their names. Connie Lewis, Mrs. Pevehouse, Rosie, Bud Carmack and Bud's daughter Cora Mae all the

way from Kerrville, Texas. Jesse sang "Consider the Lilies" and dedicated it to Cora Mae, also Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tucker were present.

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GUEST SLOT

By HVO

(Ed. Note: The following is an edited letter from an Army-days friend of 40 years ago. We had sent him copies of recent columns of our remembrances of that mid-50's boot camp, training and service where he had worked with him. In this, he adds other thoughts from that era. By the way, the "15 minutes of glory" he mentions near the end has reference to his highly successful advertising executive career after military service. He is the man who originated and developed the famous "Baseball, hot dogs and Chevrolet" slogan and campaign which was such a hit back in the mid-70's. He now lives in Michigan, his native state.)

Just the other day I observed "I was sleeping in the White House when Clinton was a boy." Then your surprise arrived in my Grosse Pointe mailbox on this sunny pre-spring Saturday. Thank you, HV. What fun it was to read your recollections. Your memory of the equipment astounds me. About all that remains in my muddy mind are the people, the card games, our shared basement apartment across from the rear entrance of the Indonesian Embassy...gathering to watch George Gobel on Saturday nights. Bill Sermons, Bill Mullane, Andy McCollum, Sgt. Arnot, Sgt. Vickroy, Captain Torrey, Ralph Merritt, and a switchboard guy named Duffin, I believe, who ate matches - yes ate them, not just chewed them, remember? I remember watching "20,000 Leagues Beneath the Sea" with Ike and Mamie, and he had to ask her who Kirk Douglas was and, yes, I believe he walked out that night.

It was such a distraction having the President sitting between you and the screen in such a small room...double-deck Pinochle by the hour, and I was never an avid cardplayer. I made it to Camp David just once...spent a few weeks in Denver during that fateful summer of Ike's heart attack, attended news conferences, received (much later) a citation from Sherman Adams - who never knew the likes of us used his little basement office to sleep away the midnight shift. I never had the courage to sleep in the Presidential bunks, though some did - did you? I was a little ahead of you, having arrived in DC in August of '54 after a long spell of COSACing (I'd forgotten that term)...mostly driving trucks around Camp (now Fort) Gordon. I'd forgotten that mechanics' garage where everybody checked in...I ended up at a YMCA my first week or so as I recall then lived at least a half dozen places over my 16 months in DC total, the best of which was the place & life I shared with you & Len...and, upstairs, Barb & Andy.

It would be such fun to round up a few of that bunch and spend some time together comparing recollections after all these years. I recall a bar off Depont Circle where we spent a lot of time - eating, drinking, and singing along with The Mills Brothers, who dominated the jukebox at that time, and I think I remember us being booted out of there a time or two for the ruckus.

Sixteen months in his house and I never met Ike. Never took that special tour. Never set foot in the Oval Office.

I cherish these memories. We were so lucky to have drawn such an assignment. Have you ever wondered - why me?

The story I tell most is - I got called back from Denver abruptly, having taken my laundry to be done out there that very morning, had to leave it behind, asked Ralph Merritt to recover it for me...got a call from Ralph about a week later, said "your laundry arrives Andrews such-and-such a day & date...aboard the Columbine." So there I stood on the edge of the tarmac - maybe you were with me that day?? - waiting for Ralph or one of our guys...no Ralph, nobody familiar, nothing that looked

like a bundle of laundry. I was about to leave when the cockpit door opened, down came Col. Draper, Ike's pilot, ... yep, with a bundle under his arm. I knew right away it was my socks and underwear the President's pilot had there and, blushing, I stepped forward, identified myself, and claimed the bundle...

Oh, and in 1972 I think it was, I was helping shoot a commercial for Chevrolet on a movie lot in Burbank, and it was a slow day, and the baseball playoffs were on, and my beloved Tigers were playing the Oakland A's...so I went into the office and asked - do you know a place downtown where they might have the ball game on (it was about 10:30 in the morning) and they told me, and as I exited - a small & oldish man standing near the door with a little duffel bag, having overheard, said "I wouldn't mind watching a little of that game - could I bum a ride into town?" I said sure...we walked out to my rent-a-car and it came to me - I knew this little guy...he was telling me he had worked all night shooting a special with Zero Mostel...had just come in from Vegas to do it...was exhausted...would call his son Greg when we got to the bar, to come get him - was so happy I was there to rescue him. Well, we pulled up a couple of stools near the TV, he ordered a martini, I ordered beer - and we sat and watched the game and chatted like old buddies and he called his son...

And I told him how when I was in the army living off base in Washington in the middle fifties, any of us who weren't on duty on Saturday night gathered with beer to watch our favorite TV show - a very funny show - kind of the Saturday Night Live of its day...and he was pleased, tickled even. My pal George Gobel.

His son came, George paid for our drinks, I said - I'd be honored if you and Greg would have one more - on me. They did. And when the little guy finally departed, he gave me a little loving punch on the arm and said - "you're a good guy."

I also met my wife in Washington, and had the honor of knowing, working with, living with the likes of the first real Texan I ever did meet.

This was written on a machine WHASA would have long-ago dropped into the ocean, my beloved Remington manual, the very one upon which I composed the first crude versions of a Chevrolet commercial which gave me my fifteen minutes of Andy Warhol fame back in the mid-seventies.

I am well, hope you are, love my simple life. Thanks again for thinking of me.

By best to you and yours.

"40 years later"

Jim

ENGAGEMENTS



Curley - Pope

The engagement of Joann Curley and Shane Pope has been announced by their parents, Delores Curley of Amarillo and Bryan Curley of Austin, and Jim and Peggy Pope of Cisco.

Vows will be exchanged Saturday, April 15th in

Amarillo.

Joann is a 1989 graduate of West Texas Christian High School and attended West Texas A & M and Amarillo College. She is employed by Roche Bio-Medical Laboratories in Amarillo.

Shane is a 1988 graduate of Quanah High School and attended West Texas A & M. He is currently employed by the Texas Department of Transportation in Canyon.

Reunion

The Descendants of Benjamin Thomas Porter and Mattie (Porter) Brown will be holding a Reunion on the 8th of April at Frank A. Gray Memorial Park (Bass Lake), Gorman, Texas.

Family members and friends are invited. Bring a covered dish for Saturday lunch. Follow the signs to Frank A. Gray Memorial Park.

The Reunion will be hosted by J.E. and Euna Porter - Gorman, Texas and Loretta Hardin of Temple, Oklahoma.

Cisco Press - Eastland Telegram - Ranger Times Sunday, March 26, 1995



Ingram - Smith

Richard and Mary Ingram of Cisco are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sandra Jo Ella Ingram to Robert Wilson Smith of Cisco. He is the son of Bobby and Beverly Smith of Cisco.

A June 3, 1995 wedding is planned at Calvary Baptist Church in Cisco. Bro. Ronnie Shackelford and Bro. Gary Turner will officiate.

Sandra is the granddaughter of Margie Hackney of Glenrose and Ruth Ingram of Fort Worth.

Robert is the grandson of Thelma Smith and Frank and Mamie Ruth Wilcoxon all of Cisco.

Sandra is presently attending Cisco Jr. College and will be attending Texas A & M University in the fall of 1995. She plans to major in Elementary Education. She is employed at CJC in the Admissions Office.

Robert is presently attending Cisco Jr. College. He will also be attending Texas A & M University in the fall of 1995. He plans to major in Business.

Sandra Ingram and Robert Smith To Be Honored With Shower

All friends and family are invited to attend a Wedding Shower in honor of Sandra Jo Ella Ingram, the bride-elect of Robert

Wilson Smith, at the First United Methodist Church in Cisco on Sunday, April 2, from 1 to 3 p.m.

Lois Raley To Celebrate 100th Birthday March 26

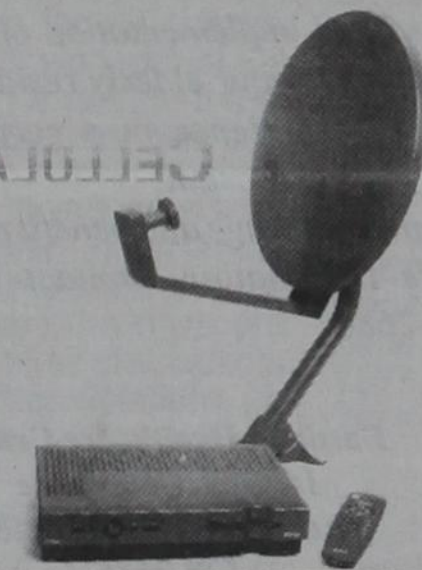
Lois Fyffe Raley will soon be celebrating her one hundredth birthday.

She is looking forward to sharing this occasion with her family and friends on Sunday, March 26, from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm, at the First

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Lake Cisco Country Club To Sponsor Senior Golf Play Day

Lake Cisco Country Club will sponsor a Senior Golf Play Day on Tuesday, March 28 beginning at 1:15 p.m. This will be the start of a new program that will allow all golfers, men and women over the age of 55 to meet on the last Tuesday of each month and participate in a fun type golf activity.

Tuesday's format will be a nine hole 2 person combination of scramble and low ball. Each two person

team will play 5 holes of scramble and 4 holes of low ball for a total nine hole score. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners. Entry fee will be \$4.00 per person.

We are encouraging all local and area golfers to come join in this new event. Please sign up in the Club house by 1:00 p.m. and teams will be assigned at that time. Tee for Two on Tuesday.

Aging And Alcohol Abuse

By Patti Ervin
According to the National Institute on Aging, alcohol abuse among older men and women is a more serious problem than people in general realize.

Until recently, older problem drinkers tended to be ignored by both health professionals and the general public.

The neglect occurred for several reasons: our elderly population was small and few were identified as alcoholics; chronic problem drinkers often died before old age; and, because they are often retired or have fewer social contacts, older people have often been able to hide drinking problems.

Some families may unknowingly "encourage" drinking in older family members if they have the attitude that drinking should be tolerated because older people have only a limited time left and therefore should be allowed to "enjoy" themselves.

As more people learn that alcohol problems can be successfully treated at any age, more are willing to seek help to stop drinking.

Not everyone who drinks regularly or heavily is an alcohol abuser, but the following symptoms frequently indicate a problem:

- *drinking to calm nerves, forget worries, or reduce depression
- *loss of interest in food
- *gulping drinks and drinking too fast
- *lying about drinking habits
- *drinking alone with increasing frequency
- *injuring oneself, or someone else, while intoxicated
- *getting drunk often (more than three or four times in the past year)

*needing to drink increasing amounts of alcohol to get the desired effect

*frequently acting irritable, resentful, or unreasonable during non-drinking periods

*experiencing medical, social or financial problems that are caused by drinking

If you have any concerns, you can write for free literature. Write to: National Clearinghouse for Alcohol Information, P.O. Box 2345, Rockville, MD 20852.



EMMETT SOLOMON

Emmett Solomon To Be Speaker At Cisco Baptist Assoc. Meeting March 27

Unfortunately, one of the fastest growing segments of society in Texas is the population of Texas prisons. Teaching people how to minister in jails and prisons is the preview of Emmett Solomon.

Emmett Solomon, formerly Chief of Chaplains of the Department of Criminal Justice for Texas, will be the speaker at the Cisco Baptist Association meeting in March. Solomon has 30 years experience in the Criminal Justice system, 10 as Chief of Chaplains. He is currently the coordinate of Criminal Justice Ministries for the Baptist General Convention of Texas. Solomon also directs the INFORMS min-

istry, an informational ministry located in Huntsville.

The CBA meeting will be at East Cisco Baptist Church in Cisco; where Michael Young is the pastor. The program will begin at 7 p.m.

Merriman Baptist Church Ladies Hold Bible Study

Merriman Baptist Ladies held their Monthly Bible Study on Monday, March 20th. The Bible Study was held at the church parsonage.

The opening prayer was led by Janie Sholar. The lesson was taught by Judy Kelly. The lesson was on the "Institution of Marriage." The lesson was taught from the book of Nehemiah.

At the end of the lesson

the ladies revealed their Secret Pal and exchanged gifts. The closing prayer was led by Rose Williams.

The ladies enjoyed refreshments and fellowship with one another.

The Merriman Baptist ladies cordially invite ladies in the area to attend their monthly Bible Study held the 2nd Monday of each month at 7 p.m.

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Obituaries



Joe T. Gray

EASTLAND - Joe T. Gray, 81, of Eastland, died Wednesday, March 22, 1995 at his residence.

Services were held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, March 25, 1995, at the Edwards Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland with Rev. Kyle Glenn officiating. Burial was in the Eastland City Cemetery.

Mr. Gray was born on November 16, 1913 to Walter and Alice (Amis) Gray. He was a graduate of Eastland High School and Texas A & M University where he was in the Aggie Band. He began working in the Postal Service in Odessa and mostly the Fort Worth area, retiring from Fort Worth in 1971 from Customer Relations. He returned to Eastland after his re-

tirement and operated an accounting business and was elected to the office of District Clerk. He enjoyed traveling the world, and had currently been writing articles for the Eastland Telegram on history. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church, a charter member of the Eastland High School Ex-Student Association, and the Texas A & M Band Alumni.

Survivors include a brother and sister-in-law, Rex and Ruth Gray of Garland; 2 nieces, Shelly Angel and Bettie House; 1 nephew, Stephen Gray; and several grand nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the Eastland Ministerial Alliance and left at the Eastland National Bank or the Funeral Home.

Christian Plank

EASTLAND - Christian Plank, 88, of Buffalo Gap, formerly of Texas City, died Tuesday, March 21, 1995, at 9:00 a.m. at Abilene Regional Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m. Friday, March 24, 1995, in the Bakker Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland with Rev. Claude Harris officiating. Burial was in the Murray Cemetery at Carbon.

He was born May 24, 1906 in Yokum, Texas, moving to Waco at an early age. He graduated from Waco High School. He married Juanita Mangum on May 10, 1963 in Galveston, and moved

to Buffalo Gap from Texas City in October of 1994. He was a boiler-maker by trade, retiring from Monsanto Chemical Plant in Texas City, after having worked there for 17 years. He was a member of the Highlands Baptist Church in LaMarque, Texas and a member of Masonic Lodge #1325 in LaMarque.

Survivors include his wife Juanita Mangum Plank; a step-son Rayburn E. Bunton and his wife, Lori, all of Buffalo Gap, Texas; three step-grandsons, John Bunton of Abilene, Jacob Ethan Bunton and Brian Bunton both of Buffalo Gap.

Joe A. Waggoner

BAIRD - Joe Allen Waggoner, 58, died Tuesday, March 21, 1995, at his home.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Thursday, March 23, 1995 in Parker Funeral Home Chapel with the Revs. Knox Waggoner and Riley Fugitt officiating. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery.

Mr. Waggoner was born in Clyde and moved to Baird in 1946. He worked as a cattle truck driver and was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include one son, Leon Henson of Beeville; two daughters, Darla Kay Ross of

Abilene and Becky Kirkpatrick of Andrews; his mother, Nona Waggoner of Baird; two brothers, Knox Waggoner of Clyde and Charles Waggoner of Cottonwood; three sisters, Fannie Carver and Doris Brown, both of Baird, and Shirley Hughes of Colorado City; six grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

CJC's Spring Dinner Theatre To Present "Theater Pizza" April 4-8

Cisco Jr. College announces its spring dinner theater production THEATER PIZZA, an evening featuring slices of "every show we've ever wanted to perform." Director of Theater, Carroll Brown, stated that "we have a lot of talent and everyone wanted to do something different this spring. So we just decided

to do a little bit of several of them. This way everyone go to try different styles and numerous plays they've heard of but couldn't do, full length."

So April 4-8 at the Hilton Community Center, the following students will "serve up" this unique theater revue: Joanna Mullinax, Kathy Toff, Lorrie Gann, Edie Char-

les, Christy Hughes, Tommy Squiers, David Ford, Jeremy Rhodes and Roger Dube.

The evening includes scenes from TROJAN WOMEN, TOUR DI EUROPA, THE VIEW FROM HERE, BED AND BREAFAST, AMADEUS, WHO WILL CARRY THE WORD?, FRENCH FRIES, 'DENITY CRISIS, THE DIARY OF ANNE FRANK, LAUNDRY AND BOUR-

BON, EDITH STEIN, STREETCAR NAMED DESIRE, HARVEY AND NIGHT MOTHER. Additionally, several dance and vocal selections will be featured.

Performances will be April 4 and 5 in show only at 7:30 p.m. with tickets priced at \$1.00. Dinner performances will be April 6, 7, and 8 at 7 p.m. with tickets priced at \$10.00.

For reservations call 817-442-2589.

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Although the first official day of summer is still months away, students interested in a summer job with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) need to apply now.

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Potential summer employees can go to work as early as May 1 and work through August 31. Salary is based on education and work experience.

Brownwood District Engineer Lynn Passmore said TxDOT's summer employment program does more than just benefit the department. It introduces students from high schools, technical schools, colleges and universities to TxDOT and provides opportunities to these students to gain practical, on-the-job experience, he said.

TxDOT's Eastland County office is located at 906 East Main in Eastland. Applications can be picked up during the week from 8 a.m. until noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

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Beulah Strickland

ARLINGTON - Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 21, 1995 at 2 p.m. at Tate Springs Baptist Church for Beulah Strickland, 99, grandmother of Linda Parker of Eastland.

Mrs. Strickland, a retired nurse, died Sunday, March 19, 1995 in Benbrook.

Burial was at Emerald Hills Memorial Park in Kennedale.

Mrs. Strickland was born in Sadler and had lived in the Tate Springs area since 1936.

She was preceded in death by her husband of

65 years, H.G. Strickland, and a son, Emory Strickland.

She is survived by one son, W.W. Strickland of Arlington; two daughters, Rozelle Lyle of Arlington and Bobbie Siegler of Granbury; a brother, Wesley Curtis of Stephenville; a sister, Claudia Andrus of Singleton; 11 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and 13 great-great grandchildren.

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R C Update

On February 27, 1995, the R.C. Board of Regents approved as policy the Title System for Ranger College faculty. The Ranger College Title System will include the following levels: Professor, Associate Professor, Assistant Professor, and Instructor.

The purpose of the Ranger College Title System is to provide a fair and consistent means for recognizing teaching experience level, and service to Ranger College or the education profession. Although the Title System is honorary and has no relationship to salary, it can apply to any current academic or vocational technical faculty member, coaches who teach, and administrators with a minimum of the Master's Degree plus 18 graduate hours in a teaching field/subject at Ranger College.

Before the Title System for Ranger College faculty came effective, all the faculty members were referred to as instructors. One major component of the policy is that all part-time faculty will be referred to as instructors and all full-time faculty members would become Assistant Professors. Through the policy, Procedures, and guidelines of criteria for implementation, some faculty will be promoted to Associate Professor and Professor within the year. The title of "Professor" will have to be earned and will follow a dossier submitted by the candidate, a recommendation from the Dean of Instructors, the Title and Tenure Committee, the

President, and final approval from the Board of Regents. The criteria for the title of "Professor" is a Master's Degree plus 24 post-Master's graduate hours plus 16 years experience or a Doctorate 12 years academic experience.

Jimmy Wells, Chair, Elizabeth Bromley, and Mickey Sargent of the Title and Tenure committee all agree that this will be a rewarding change to the Ranger College Title System especially considering all the criteria and years experience the majority of the Ranger College Faculty has.

Ranger Kiwanis Annual Fish Fry Saturday, April 1

Kiwanis annual fish fry Sat. April 1, 1995 at the Ranger Community Club House serving time will be 4:00 - 8:00 P.M.

Call 647-3022 by Fri. March 31, 1995 for delivery service. Adults \$6.00 child 12 and under - \$3.00. Proceeds go to Ranger Youth Baseball Program. Door prizes will be drawn you do not need to be present to win.

Political Calendar

The following candidates have authorized this newspaper to announce their candidacy for the offices shown, subject to the action of their respective party. This calendar runs through May 7.

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Ranger P.D. Report

February: 140 911 calls answered.
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Accidents; 3
Incidents; 4 reports.
Citations; 38 on Interstate 20
22 in city limits
4 Ranger college
1 City ordinance (dog bite)
1 minor in possession
2 city ordinance (curfew violation)
2 disorderly conduct
Total 70 Citations issued.

Ranger Baseball Sign-Ups And Work Day March 25 & April 1

Sign ups for T-Ball, Coach Pitch, Minor League and Little League Baseball will be Saturday, March 25 and Saturday, April 1 from 10-12 at the baseball field. If you cannot sign up on these two days, you can sign up at Ranger Building Supply. Cost will be \$20 for one player and \$15 for each additional player from the same family. Try-outs for Little League will be Saturday, April 1 at 1:30 p.m. Try-outs for Minor League and Coach Pitch will be Sunday, April 2 at 1:30 p.m.

A workday has also been scheduled for Saturday, March 25 and Saturday, April 1 beginning at 10 a.m. both days.

The following divisions and age limits will apply:
T-Ball: 5 years old, must be 5 before April 25
Coach Pitch: 6-7 years old

Minor League: 8-9-10 years old
Little League: 11-12 years old

Players cannot be older than the ages listed before July 31, 1995.

Ranger Clothes Closet Open Sat.

The Ranger Clothes Closet will be open this Saturday from 8:30 am to 12:00 noon.

The Clothes Closet is located across the street from the Ranger Times on Elm St.

Ranger College To Have Annual Campus Day '95' March 29

Ranger College is having their annual Campus Day '95' in the Ranger College Gym, March 29th at 1:30 p.m.

High School students interested in Ranger College and wanting to continue their education are encouraged to attend. You will have the opportunity to visit with the Ranger College faculty, staff, and different program directors. The program:

kicks-off with special performance by the Southern Belles.

Agenda

Brief history of Ranger College.
Welcome seniors.
Requirements and Admissions procedures.
Dormitory living (Do's and Don'ts.)
Scholarships and financial aid.
Vo-Tech, what's available.

Jr. High Girls & Boys Track Schedule 1995.

Sat. March 4 - Breckenridge.
Fri. March 10 - Comanche.
Sat. March 18 - Open.
Sat. March 25 - Baird.
Sat. April 1 - Ranger.
Sat. April 8 - District (Ranger).

Varsity Girls & Boys Track Schedule 1995.

Sat. Feb 25 - Bulldogs Relays.
Sat. March 4 - Eastland.
Sat. March 11 - Brownwood.
Sat. March 18 - Open.
Sat. March 25 - Baird.
Fri. March 31 - Comanche.
Sat. April 8 - Open.
Fri. April 14 - District (Eastland).
Fri. & Sat. April 28-29 - Regional (ACU Abilene).
Fri. & Sat. May 12-13 - State (Austin).

1995 Ranger High School Junior Varsity Baseball Schedule.

Feb. 18, Saturday Millsap (Scrimmage) Away 10:00.
Feb. 20, Monday Millsap Home 4:30.
Feb. 27, Monday Eastland Home 4:30.
Mar. 6, Monday Lingleville Home 4:30.
Mar. 11, Saturday Breckenridge Tournament Away TBA.
Mar. 13, Monday Lingleville Away 4:30.
Mar. 20, Monday Eastland Away 4:30.
Mar. 27, Monday Millsap Away 4:30.
Apr. 3 Monday Comanche Away 5:00.
Apr. 10, Monday Comanche Home 5:00
Apr. 20 Thursday Cisco Away 5:30.
Apr. 24, Monday Cisco Home 4:30.

May 1, Monday Breckenridge Away 5:30.
May 8, Monday Breckenridge Home 5:00.

1995 Ranger High School Varsity Baseball Schedule

Feb. 6, Monday Comanche (Scrimmage) Home 4:00.
Feb. 10, Friday Merke (Scrimmage) Home 5:00.
Feb. 14, Tuesday Breckenridge (Scrimmage) Away 5:00.
Feb. 18, Saturday Millsap (Scrimmage) Away 10:00.
Feb. 21, Tuesday Home 4:30.
Feb. 24, Friday Peaster Home 4:00.
Mar. 2-3-4 th-f-sat. Brownwood JV Tournament Away TBA.
Mar. 7, Tuesday Gorman Away 4:30.
Mar. 10, Friday Eastland Home 4:30.
Mar. 16-17-18 Th-F-Sat. DeLeon Tournament Away TBA.
Mar. 23-24-25 Th-F-Sat. Ranger Tournament Home TBA.
Mar. 28, Tuesday Jim Ned Away 4:30.
Mar. 31 Friday *Baird Home 4:30.
Apr. 4 Tuesday *Cisco Away 5:00.
Apr. 7, Friday Jim Ned Home 5:00.
Apr. 11 Tuesday *Albany Home 4:30.
Apr. 18, Tuesday *DeLeon Away 4:30.
Apr. 21 Friday *Baird Away 4:30.
Apr. 25 Tuesday *Cisco Home 5:00.
May 2, Tuesday Brock Away 4:30.
May 5, Friday *Albany Away 5:00.
May 9, Tuesday *DeLeon Home 4:30.

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Wrap-up (thanks, hot dogs, & cold drinks, tour instructions). For more information about Campus Day '95', contact Mary Warford, Director of Recruiting at Ranger College. 647-3234 ext. 134.

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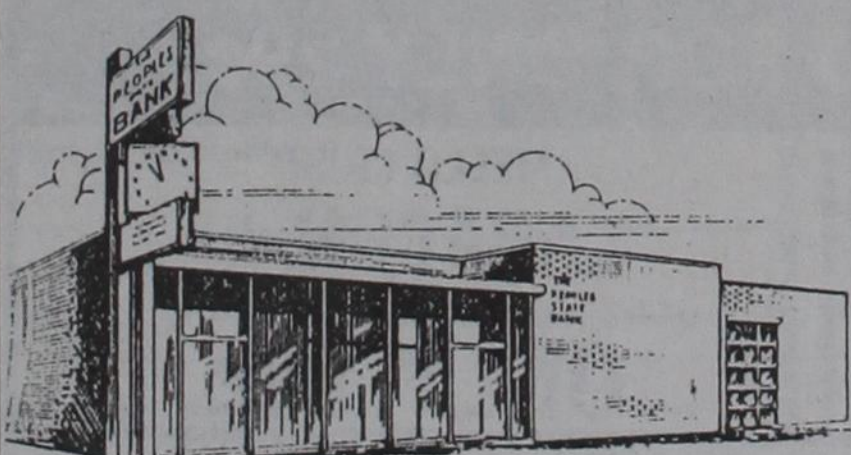
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