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### Jail Standards, Funding For Library Items At Commissioners Meeting

An important agenda item at County Commissioners Court on Monday, April 13, concerned Jail Standards and a jail inspection report and compliance of the county facility.

County Judge Scott Bailey, who presided at the meeting, asked Sheriff Don Underwood: "Do you feel like we're in pretty good shape on the last (State) inspection?"

"All except some of the light fixtures, and this is mainly structural," the

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### Volunteers Needed for County History

Progress on Eastland County's new history book is moving along nicely even though more volunteers are still needed.

Taylor Publishing Co. Representative Jessie White and County Book Chairman Ron Bailey held meetings

throughout the county this week at the various chambers of commerce, working with volunteers in making plans for the publishing of the new and updated history book.

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### Davy Jones Opens Rising Star Exxon

Davy Jones has opened Rising Star Exxon, 201 N. Main. Jones offers full service at the gasoline pumps and has batteries, tires and other automotive items for sale. He does oil changes and other auto services.

The telephone number at Rising Star Exxon is 643-3130.

### Good Friday Service at First United Methodist Church

The First United Methodist Church extends a warm invitation to all in the community to join in a Good Friday service to be held at the church. It is our hope that this will become a new family tradition for everyone. The service will begin at 6:30 Friday evening.

The service will include several of your favorite Holy Week hymns. The hymns will be interspersed with readings from the scriptures

and extinguishing of candles. This will be a greatly moving worship experience as we remember the passing of the Light from the World, with Christ's death upon the cross, to return with the resurrection.

The Good Friday service will be a cherished Easter tradition for years to come. Please bring the whole family and your out-of-town guests and join us in this service of worship on Friday at 6:30 p.m. Come early and get acquainted.

### Homecoming Date, Speaker Selected

is set for Saturday, November 7, 1987. The Wildcats will host the Blanket Tigers for the event. Some difficulty arose in finding a team to play us on Saturday night. In the future a Friday night game may have to be considered.

Pat Howard, a 1958 graduate and valedictorian for her class will speak at the Ex-Student Association business meeting.

Pat has completed a Ph.D. in educational administration, with an emphasis in international education, courses in management and related fields.

Since entering the field of education in 1962 as a high school English teacher, Dr. Howard has had exposure to a great variety of educational settings and professional activities both in the U.S. and around the world. She has lived in and worked for educational institutions based on Capitol Hill in Europe and the Middle East.

Pat is the author and co-author of numerous books and articles and has served as editor of a number of education related publications. She is listed in the following volumes: "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities," "Personalities of the South," "Dictionary of International Biography," "The Worlds Who's Who of Women," "Who's Who in American Women," "Who's Who in the South and Southwest."

The class of 1937 will be honored as they celebrate their 50th anniversary as well as all other classes ending in 7.

Members of these classes which end in 7 and all other classes that are planning a reunion or party need to begin making plans now.

More information and a complete schedule of events will be published at a later date.

C. Walker, reporter



"Linking the Past and Present to Enrich the Future" will be the theme for the 31st Annual Rising Star High School Homecoming, which

### Heritage Cemetery Officers Meet

At a recent meeting of the Heritage Cemetery Officers a general financial review was given by Mrs. Glen Henry, treasurer. The report revealed that the cemetery operated with expenses to be greater than the income from grave opening, permits and donations. The mowing of plots, weed eating of curbs, and grave fillings came to \$4,746.87; donations \$4,625.14.

Joe Flores has been the caretaker for the past year and has done a good job, despite the problems of rain and even some flooding. Each mowing is contracted for \$500. This does not include filling of sunken graves.

Recently, water has "seeped" under the fence on the West side and has caused some damage. We thank the Mayor and City Utility people for using equipment to pump away the water. New barrels have been placed on the North side, donated by Mr. Gaylon Swift, who is also on the Cemetery board.

On June 29, 1978, under the charter designated as "Perpetual Care," the cemetery was officially named the Rising Star Heritage Cemetery.

The money donated and designated for perpetual care fund has been invested in certificates of deposit at the First State Bank and is accumulating interest. In the future only the interest can be used. Under the very careful bookkeeping of

Lenell Henry, the fund has been wisely guarded and we are hoping to add more to it. When the cemetery is filled the fund so designated will be used for this cemetery only.

A board of directors does exist, along with the officers, and a very excellent set of By-Laws and Constitution are included in the charter which was drawn up and examined by a qualified

### Heritage Cemetery Report

We are grateful to the following who have made donations, given memorials and paid for grave opening permits in the past three months. Pauline Graham,

Christene Spenny, May Pearl Hull, Worthwhile Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church, Ethel and Kenneth Bibb, Dorothy Shook, Hazel Marsh, Esther Spring, Mrs. E.L. Gaines, Don and

### Ambulance Report

The Rising Star Emergency Medical Service made the following runs during the month of March:

Mary Shields from Rising Star Nursing Center (RSNC) to Brownwood, Ruth Suderth from Abilene to Cross

lawyer. We thank all those who have helped in any way to keep the "City of the Dead." Over 368 unmarked graves are to be found in the Rising Star Cemetery.

In the near future we are hopeful that monuments which have been damaged and have been neglected through the years can be improved.

WE NEED HELP!!

James L. Jenkins, James F. and Betty Busbee, Ruby R. Darnell, Nadine White, Dorothy Bearden, Glen and Lenell Henry, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Swift, Sue Graham, Higginbothams, Artie Turner White Service, Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Claborn.

Expenses for maintaining the cemetery in 1986 were \$4,746.87. Donations, memorials and grave opening permits were \$4,470.14.

Plains, Visla Cozart from RSNC to Eastland, Oleta Palmore from Rising Star to Eastland, E.A. McBeth from Rising Star to Eastland, Jane Stark from Rising Star to Abilene, Verdell Haney from May to Brownwood and Maggie Morrow from RSNC to Brownwood.

Also, Merlin Harris from RSNC to Brownwood, Darren Gray from Rising Star to Brownwood, Stanley Wells from Rising Star to Brownwood, Geraldine Milner from Rising Star to De Leon, Haymon Lawson from Rising Star to Brownwood, Velma Carr from Rising Star to Brownwood and Emma Harrell from May to Brownwood.

### Playdays Begin April 21

Rising Star Roping Club's third annual Playday will begin Tuesday, April 21. The playday will be held on the third Tuesday night of each month; April 21, May 19, June 16, July 21, opening at 6:00 p.m. and the show will begin at 7:00 p.m.

- Performance Order:
1. 1986-'87 colts and fillies
  2. 4 yr. old and under mares
  3. 5 yr. old and over mares
  4. 4 yr. old and under geldings
  5. 5 yr. old and over geldings
  6. Showmanship (8 & under), (9-14), (25-19), 20 & under
  7. Western pleasure (8:under), (9-14), (15-19), (20 & under)
  8. Barrels

### Roping Club Members Meet at Arena April 20

Rising Star Roping Club will meet Monday April 20, at 7 p.m. All directors, members and anyone wishing to join please feel free to come. Membership is \$1.00 per person. This will also be clean-up

- Prizes:
10. Poles
  11. Goat Ringing (8:under) (9-14)

Trophies will be given to the high point boy and girl of each division. Ribbons will be given for first through sixth place. High point buckles will be given at the end of the series in July in the performance events, a halter will be given to the high point horse in the halter classes, and the high point in showmanship.

You must attend three out of four playdays to qualify for high point awards. No stallions!! Entry fee \$3.00 per event. Everyone is invited to attend.

### Eastern Star Hosts Supper for Masons

The Rising Star chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will have a supper at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 16, at the Rising Star Masonic Hall for Masons and their wives and widows of Masons, announced Worthy Matron Goldia Lancaster.

The Rising Star High School Cheerleaders are planning a busy end of the season with several fund raisers aimed at involving the community, as well as tryouts April 30.

On April 21 at 8 p.m. in the gym a Texas Birthday Celebration will be held to celebrate the 151st birthday of Texas. Any class, organization, club, or group may enter but each act must have something to do with

### Family Portrait Day Is Easter

How many times have you promised yourself to get that special family portrait made for Mother's Day? Well, don't put this project off any longer!

### 4-H Horse Project Meeting

The 4-H Horse Project is having their monthly meeting Saturday, April 18th at 1:00 p.m. at the Ranger Jaycee Arena. Dr. Paul Duncan will present a program on horse health. Everyone is invited to attend and bring your horse if you have one. We will also practice for the upcoming playday schedule for Sunday, April 26th at 1:00 p.m. at the Eastland County Livestock Arena.

Easter Sunday afternoon gather up the family after your special dinner and bring them all down to the Rising Star gym for that once-

### Band Concert Rescheduled

The Band Concert has been rescheduled for Thursday, May 7, at the gym at 7:00 p.m.

in-a-lifetime picture that you can look back on for years.

No appointment is necessary, first come - first shot!! Miller's Studio will bring professional backgrounds and props in order to make you look your very best.

For one free 8x10 and two 5x7's, each group will have five portraits taken for a cost of \$25. If more copies are desired they may be purchased separately at a later date. Couples and children are also welcome.

This project is sponsored by the yearbook class to raise money to support the annual.



### Good Friday Services

3rd FRIDAY Lakewood Ladies Luncheon

### CLOTHING WORKSHOP

A clothing project workshop will be held at Comanche High School Friday, April 17.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. and the fee is \$2.

If you need a ride contact Stephanie Long at school or call 643-6103.

### 4-H CLUB MEETING

The Rising Star 4-H club will meet Friday, April 17 at 3 p.m. in the 4-H clubhouse in city park.

### FAMILY PORTRAITS

Professional family portraits will be made at the school gym Easter Sunday afternoon. Portrait day is sponsored by the yearbook class to help fund the school annuals.

### FOOD COMMODITIES

Food commodities will be distributed in Rising Star Tuesday, April 21, at the Senior Center from 1:30 p.m. til 3:00 p.m.

**Dr. Carpenter's Office**  
Will Be Closed  
April 23, 24  
He will be attending the Texas Osteopathic Convention.



# Area News Briefs

**CISCO**  
A Food Bank for Eastland County has been set up in Cisco at the Gaslight Apartments, 802 Conrad Hilton. The Food Bank will be for County residents who are experiencing financial hardship. Applicants who are in need may contact the Food Bank through any church in Eastland County, Vista Volunteers, County Commissioners, or city offices in the county. Dr. Kenneth Breeze, Pastor of the First Christian Church in Cisco, is Director of the facility. Dr. Breeze says that the Food Bank needs money, and there is an account set up at Olney Savings in Cisco, Eastland and Ranger. People may also donate at a church and specify where the contribution goes. All are urged to assist, so that no one will go hungry in Eastland County.

Jack Grimm, the Abilene oil man who has conducted searches for the passenger ship Titanic, was among the speakers at Cisco High School's Career Day. Grimm showed a golden replica of the Titanic, about two-and-one-half ft. long and worth about \$50,000. Grimm's talk included a report about his 17 yr. old nephew who died of an overdose of drugs. He expressed the hope that young people were becoming increasingly aware of the dangers of drugs and tobacco. After his talk Jack Grimm went with the crowd to the CHS cafeteria and enjoyed hamburgers served on buns baked there in the kitchen.

The Folklife Festival Parade will be held Saturday, May 2 at 10 a.m. on the opening day of the annual two-day Cisco Folklife Festival. Chairman Ronnie Ledbetter reports that details will be worked out and announced soon. Arrangements have been made to borrow an old-fashioned steam calliope from Albany

to lead the Parade. After the Parade the doors will open at the Festival grounds in Rockwall Lumber Yard, which will be the location of numerous activities Saturday and Sunday.

Students in the Kindergarten through the Sixth grade Sunday School classes at the First United Methodist Church will present an Easter program at the church on Thursday, April 16 at 7 p.m. Jane Ray, Sunday School teacher, invites everyone out for this enjoyable program.

"The Life of Christ", an annual event at Kendrick Amphitheater, will be presented on Easter Sunday, April 19, beginning at 3:30 a.m. and ending at sunrise. The pageant will be portrayed in 60 scenes by a cast of Christians from several religious denominations. Admission is a free will offering, and free parking and overnight camping space is available on the grounds. The Kendrick Religious Diorama Museum, also on the grounds, will be open from 10 a.m. Saturday to 4 p.m. Sunday, except during the Pageant. The Amphitheater is located halfway between Eastland and Cisco on U.S. 80.

**RIISING STAR**  
Johnnie Morren, former Eastland County Sheriff, was sworn in as Assistant Police Chief in Rising Star last Thursday. Morren was an Eastland Police Chief before becoming County Sheriff in 1979. He served in this position until Jan. 1, 1985. During Morren's term the present jail facility was constructed. In Rising Star he will work with a Police Department under Mayor Henry Burk.

**RANGER**  
The Ranger Chamber of

Commerce and the Ranger City Council announces the annual city-wide spring clean-up, which will be held April 20-May 2. The city dump will be open for free dumping during this time to all Ranger residents, except for commercial cleaning crews. A big project this year is to clean up and improve the looks of the Highway 80 and Main St. intersection. Saturday, April 25 has been set aside as a community work day at the intersection.

DPS Sgt. Wendell Rehm of the Abilene Dept. of Public Safety will present a program on bicycle safety at 7 p.m. Thursday, Apr. 16 in the Ranger Junior College Science Building. This is part of the Ranger 4-H Bicycle Project, and riders from this and other groups in the area are urged to attend.

Evangelist David Ring, a cerebral palsy victim, will speak at the First Baptist Church, beginning Easter Sunday morning April 19. He will continue nightly at 7 p.m. through Wednesday, April 22. There will also be noonday services, Apr. 20-22. The public is cordially invited to hear this gifted speaker, and learn of the tremendous difficulties the Lord has helped him overcome. Since 1973 he has worked in full time

evangelism. —  
"Disney Spectacular", a choreographed program, will be presented Tuesday, April 21, at Ranger Elementary School. Performance times are 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., with the evening performance being followed by Open House. This revue will feature 21 of the Disney favorites, and should be a lot of fun for everyone.

**BAIRD**  
Billy Collins and Fred Graham, local students, won the Community History Award for their entry "History of the Baird Star" at the Big Country Regional History Fair in Abilene. Fred Bailey, Assistant Professor of History at ACU, was Director of the Fair. Bailey explained that the Community History Award is given to the project that celebrates the culture of a local community. He added that the display arranged by the Baird boys is a beautifully illustrated piece which should be placed in a museum for everyone to enjoy.

There will be a \$60 per man round robin heading and healing Roping at the Baird Rodeo Arena Saturday, April 18. Books will open at 1 p.m. and roping will begin promptly at 2 p.m. The first 15 headers and 15 heelers will rope.

**EASTLAND**  
A Laubach Literacy Workshop will be held at the Centennial Memorial

Library April 26 and 27. Jean Nettles, a certified instructor, will train volunteer tutors to teach adults to read by using the Laubach method. Registration is 1:30 p.m., with the Seminar 1:30 - 5:30 p.m. On Monday the Seminar will be 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The workshop is free, and all materials will be provided. If you are interested in this program do come and participate.

Leni Reed, a consultant and writer in the nutrition and health program field, will speak in the Eastland High School Auditorium at 7 p.m. on April 25. The Hospital Auxiliary is sponsoring her program, and tickets are available at the hospital or from Auxiliary members. The cost is \$2.50 for students and senior citizens, \$5 for adults and \$7.50 for couples. All proceeds go to benefit Eastland Memorial Hospital.

A volunteer who restores dolls for the Goodfellows could use more old dolls to clean up and dress. Dolls may be left at the Telegram office, where they will be turned over to the Volunteer. Let your old dolls find new life and make some little girl happy next Christmas.

**Lone Cedar To Hold Golf Scramble**  
Lone Cedar Country Club will hold a Golf Scramble, Saturday, April 18. Tee-off time will be 1:00. Sign up before 12:30.

**Ancient Sport Comes To Life**  
Visitors to the 14th Annual Folklife Festival in Cisco, Texas, will have the opportunity to see demonstrations of free-flying birds of prey. Dennis Smith of Dallas, who has been involved with falconry for eight years, will be demonstrating the ancient sport with a red-tailed hawk, a prairie falcon and a Harris hawk.

Demonstrations of pioneer skills, along with plenty of homemade bread, cinnamon rolls and strawberry shortcake, will also be part of the agenda. Food booths, bazaars, arts and crafts and "entertainment under the big top" will vie for the attention of the visitors. The Folklife Festival will be held on Saturday and Sunday, May 2-3, 1987, in the downtown historical complex in Cisco. The Festival will open immediately after the 10:00 a.m. parade and be open until 10:00 p.m. on Saturday. Sunday hours will be from 12:00 noon until 5:00 p.m.

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1-1972 John Deere 4020 Diesel Tractor, Ansel Cab, Air, D.K.  
1-1967 MF 180 Diesel Tractor, WF, S.H., 15.5X38 Rubber  
1-1963 John Deere 4010 Diesel Tractor, WF, S.H., 15.5X38 Rubber, 4020 Air in Motor  
1-Case 400 Gas Tractor, 11  
1-Moline M5 Diesel Tractor, WF, S.H., 15.5X38 Rubber  
1-Wyster 4000 Pounding Gas Forklift  
1-Massey Ferguson 1010 Gas Tractor  
1-1971 John Deere 4020 Diesel Tractor, WF, S.H., 15.5X38 Rubber  
**TRUCK TRACTOR, GRAIN TRUCK, TRAILERS, TRAIL BIKE —**  
1-1974 Ford 174 Diesel Truck-Tractor, Cabover, Cat, 345H Engine, 13 Sp. Rayco Ride, Twin Screw, Wet Kit, 1125X5 Rubber, New Paint  
1-1972 International Tractor T.A. Diesel Truck Tractor, Cabover, Cummins 330 Engine, 5 Sp, 3 Sp, Air Ride, Twin Screw, Wet Kit, 1125X5 Rubber  
1-1973 AMC 50 T.A. Dump Truck, 11225 Rubber  
1-1970 T.A. Dump Truck, 10025 Rubber, New Crimper (1 year)  
1-Chrysler 40 Hopper Bottom Grain Trailer, 100022 Rubber  
1-1978 Chevrolet Duall Truck, 454 Engine, 4 Speed, P. 2, P. 8, Coaxial Hitch  
1-1974 Ford F750 T.A. Grain Truck, V8 Engine, 5 Sp, 2 Sp, 22 Bed, 11 C Hitch  
1-1962 Chevrolet Truck, V8 Engine, Single Axle, 4 Sp, 2 Sp, 5th Wheel  
1-1951 Chevrolet T.A. Dump Truck & Cyl. 4 Sp, 4 Ford 2-Speed, T.A. with Side Boards 27B, 140  
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1-2 Row In Planter, 3 pt.  
4-Ferguson 2 Row Cultivator  
1-Inc. Star & Row Cultivator, Double Bar  
1-Long Tandem, 10', 3 pt.  
1-Over 1 Bottom Mulchboard  
1-4 Row Litter With Row Mowers  
2-5 Row Litters  
1-Letterly 9' Stake Chisel  
1-4 Row Mower  
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## Senior Center News

Due to illness the news is short this week. Thanks to Stella and Marjorie for getting it.

Rickey Carouth of Cross Plains came by Wednesday to check on his mother. He had been to Ft. Hood to bid on some new houses.

Marion and Marjorie West visited Juanita Hollis and children in Clyde and they went shopping in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Semmie Alexander visited Edith Bostick Wednesday and had supper with her.

Rada King's son, Thomas Ray and family of Midland, visited her the past week.

Henry and Inez Robertson went to Grand Prairie over the weekend for a grandson's wedding.

Betty Raybon would like to thank everyone for the cards, visits and all the food and help since her return home from the hospital. She is better but will return for a checkup this Thursday. Her mother, Snovia Walker, was taken to Hendrick Hospital and will return to the nursing home when her condition is better.

Deepest sympathy to Pearl Lockhart and family in the loss of her brother-in-law, Stanley J. Wells, who had recently moved here.

## Nursing Center News

Peggy Goodman Activity Director

REMINDER to staff and their kids, residents and their families and kids: don't forget the Easter Egg Hunt and Party Saturday, April 18, at 2:30. Kids, bring your Easter baskets. Parents, we would appreciate eggs or wrapped candy before the hunt if you can spare them. Refreshments will be served.

Thursday, April 26, at 1 p.m. (shortly after lunch) the Rising Star Independent School District Child Development Class and Future Homemakers of America will be sponsoring an Easter Egg Hunt here at the nursing center. Children in the community are invited to attend. That this Thursday at 1:00.

The Curry Trio will be here Friday, April 17, at 2:20 p.m.

Easter Sunday services will be held at 4:00 p.m. in the dining area. Rev. Don Longoria and members of the May First Baptist Church will be here for the service. (That's 4:00 p.m. instead of the usual 3:00 p.m. service).

We thank Rev. Linnstaedt and members of the United Methodist Church who were here for last week's services and devotional.

Thanks to Olive Odom and Dorothy Reynolds who were here for last Tuesday's Bible Study Class. Both were pleased with the big attendance.

We thank the Joy Maker Band of Comanche for the great program they gave last Friday afternoon. They add something new everytime they visit. Thanks to all of you.

### RESIDENT NEWS & VISITORS:

Lena Scott spent three days in Lockhart at the home of her granddaughter, Jan Roberts. She visited with friends and relatives in Lockhart and San Marcos.

Pauline Hill and her daughter, Barbara Wright, spent the day Friday, in Brownwood.

Mamie Wells traveled to Abilene on Saturday with her son and daughter-in-law, Buddy and Collette Wells. Mamie spent the day visiting with her dear friend, Othie Griffith. Mamie and Othie have been friends for 60 some years and correspond weekly.

Vera Forbes traveled to Cross Plains with her daughters, Marie Woods and

Murlene Somerford to visit with family.

Our good friend, Oleta Mae Wilson, visited with staff and residents on Sunday.

Visiting Joe Fox were his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards of Victoria.

Visiting Dave and Mary Shields was Mary's sister, Maggilee Prowse of Farmington, New Mexico.

Ruby Hancock is expecting her children to visit over the Easter holidays. They are her two sons and wives, Harold and Sara Hancock of Monahans and Buddy and Betty Hancock of Abilene, and her two daughters and their husbands, Fred and Dorothy Zedlitz of Cross Plains and J.D. and Carol Flack of Houston.

Visiting Martha Irby was her friend, Mrs. Fred Eberhardt of Fort Worth.

Visiting Mary Crisp were her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Rae Crisp of Brownwood and great grandson, Jerry Brown from Fort Worth.

Attending Bingo this week were Ruby Hancock, Mary Shields, Mamie Wells, Grace Goss, Ethel Moore, Alma Armstrong, Irene Arnold, Joe Fox, Annie Selman, Robbie Henderson, Pauline Hill, Martha Irby, and Buster Rixford. Rita Wilson was here this week and we enjoyed having her back.

Thanks to Rita and Buster for setting up and keeping things rolling.

## Obituaries .....

### S.J. Wells

Services for Stanley James Wells, 82, of Rising Star were held at 4 p.m. Friday at Higginbotham Funeral Home, with burial in Rising Star Cemetery.

He died at 12:05 Wednesday at Rising Star Nursing Home.

Born in Mississippi on Dec. 28, 1904, he married Maurine Maples in Roswell, N.M. on Feb. 21, 1921. He was a Methodist, a retired farmer and a Mason.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Verba Haynes of Millington, Tenn.; three brothers, Earnest and Edgar Wells, both of Ohio, and Herman Wells of Mississippi; and a sister, Lois P. Omeroy of Tennessee.

### Don Callaway

LAKE BROWNWOOD - Don Callaway, 57, died Friday at an Abilene hospital. Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel with Herschel McDonald and Paul Hays officiating. Burial was in Greenleaf Cemetery.

He was born in Callahan County. He moved to Lake Brownwood 10 years ago.

He was a carpenter. He was a member of the Church of Christ and the Mullin Masonic No. 806.

He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Survivors include his wife, Linda Callaway of Lake Brownwood; two daughters, Donna Lee Smoot of Angleton and Ruth Ann Smalley of Goldthwaite; his mother, Faye Callaway of Cisco; two brothers, Wayne Callaway of Rising Star and Jack Callaway of Germany; a sister, Barbara Nichols of Abilene; three stepdaughters, Rhonda Bush of Lake Brownwood, and Debra Gresham and Sharon Gilbert, both of Brownwood; a stepson, James Sibley of Cisco; and nine grandchildren.

### Kayla Burgess

GORMAN - Kayla Dale Burgess, infant daughter of Gary Dale and Evelyn Ann Burgess, died Saturday at a De Leon hospital. Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Oaklawn Cemetery with Ron Carroll officiating, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home.

She was born in De Leon. In addition to her parents, she is survived by three sisters, Shawnda Burgess, Ginger Burgess and Sonya Burgess, all of Gorman; and her grandparents, Frank and Ima Jean Busby of Brownwood and Mrs. Rayford Burgess of Gorman.

## Teacher Is Honored

Mary Jo Butler, employee of the Breckenridge Independent School District (BISD), was recently honored by the Association of Texas Professional Educators (ATPE) during an annual convention March 19-21 in Austin, according to an article printed recently in *The Breckenridge American*.

Butler, a reading and math aide in the BISD, was named Associate Educator of the Year and another BISD employee, Jim Isbell, was named Secondary Educator of the Year by ATPE.

Mary Jo's varied assignments have included substitute teaching and serving as a physical education aide. She has worked in the Rankin, Rockspring and Early school districts, in addition to Breckenridge. Currently she teaches reading and math to six different groups of second and third grade students.

ATPE, the largest non-union educators' association in the country, is comprised of classroom teachers, administrators, professional support personnel, retired teachers, students and public members.

Mary Jo's husband, Butch Butler, is the son of Robert and Edra Butler of Rising Star. Butch is teaching and coaching at Breckenridge High School.

The couple's children are a son and daughter, Jody, a 19-year-old freshman majoring in criminal justice at Tarleton State University in Stephenville, and Jojo, 16 years old and a sophomore in high school.

Mary Jo's mother is Thadia Jo Awalt of Eastland.

Remember your loved ones. Help the Rising Star Heritage Cemetery!

## Sipe Springs News

The musicians and singers were enjoyed by all at the community center on Saturday night. Refreshments were served and a good crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson, Mrs. Winnie Anderson, and Mrs. Jessie Duncan attended funeral services at Midland Wednesday for Mr. George Duval.

Relatives received word Monday of the death of Mrs. George Barton of New London. We extend our sympathy to her family and

other relatives.

Mrs. Elayne Millwee visited her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Layne Colter, at Baird Wednesday.

Mr. Elton Richardson of Levelland visited Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Leonard Friday.

Mr. N.L. Leonard is home after spending several days at the V.A. Hospital.

Mr. Don Leonard of Temple visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Leonard Thursday.

Mrs. Ruby Boswell of Whitney is visiting friends here this week.

## Searching the Scriptures

Oran Rhodes

### THE SPIRIT BEARETH WITNESS

One of those passes often twisted and misused is Romans 8:16, "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God." Please note that the Spirit bears witness WITH, not TO our spirit. Advocates of "better felt than told" religion whose main thesis of religion is the direct operation of the Holy Spirit, try to make this passage say that the Spirit bears witness TO our spirits, but honestly, it can not be done.

The Spirit speaks to us today through the scriptures (II Pet. 1:21; II Tim 3:16,17). We are told that in God's Word we have been given all things pertaining to life and godliness (II Pet. 1:3), therefore the Spirit has revealed truth everything that is necessary for one to know how to become a Christian and how to remain a faithful Christian. When one examines his life and heart by God's Word and when he has conformed himself to God's pattern and will; then, through the Word of his Spirit indeed bears witness with our spirits that we are the children of God.

## Obituaries

### Lee Ivan Bender

Word has been received here of the death of Lee Ivan Bender, who died March 17, 1987 and was buried March 18 at Tampa, Florida.

His sister was the late Gladys Carr of Rising Star.

### Correction

CORRECTION: An error was made in the "History" story, last week. Mamie Wells' son is Aaron Wells, not Lane. Aaron's wife is Collette, as stated.

In this manner, we prove not only to ourselves, but to the world, that we are truly children of God.

Do not be misled by false teachers, claiming that one must have a "religious experience" or that the Holy Spirit must speak directly to you. Such is completely contrary to what the Word of God teaches. The gospel is all sufficient, but one must be obedient unto it if one is to be saved.

## Happy Birthday

APRIL 19  
Mrs. E.C. Howard  
Sharolyn Cox  
Murel Forbes  
Bettie Hosch  
Trudi Owen  
Glenn David Shipp

APRIL 20  
W.E. Caudle

APRIL 21  
Estelle Martin  
Chad Gilliland  
Cullen Couch  
Bart Poyner  
Harley Gene Butler  
Carol Bibbrey

APRIL 22  
Buddy Cook  
Johnny Cook, Jr.

APRIL 23  
Debbie Nunnally  
Gene Rhodes

APRIL 24  
Ricky Pennell

APRIL 25  
Effie Williams  
Rocky Seales

## Rising Star, May

### Methodists

### Join in Prayer

The United Methodist Women of Rising Star joined the United Methodist Women at First United Methodist Church of May in a Call to Prayer and Self Denial Program, Monday morning at 10 a.m. At noon Rev. Caden, pastor, dismissed the group and all enjoyed a salad luncheon.

# From the Red River to the Rio Grande: WTU people are good neighbors!

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John Hudson, Serviceman, Hamlin, Texas, is a certification coordinator of training in the volunteer fire department and has served for ten years.

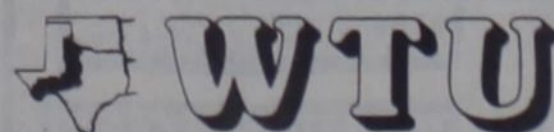


Robert Bryson, Serviceman, Alpine, Texas, is involved in many civic activities with youth, including Little League.

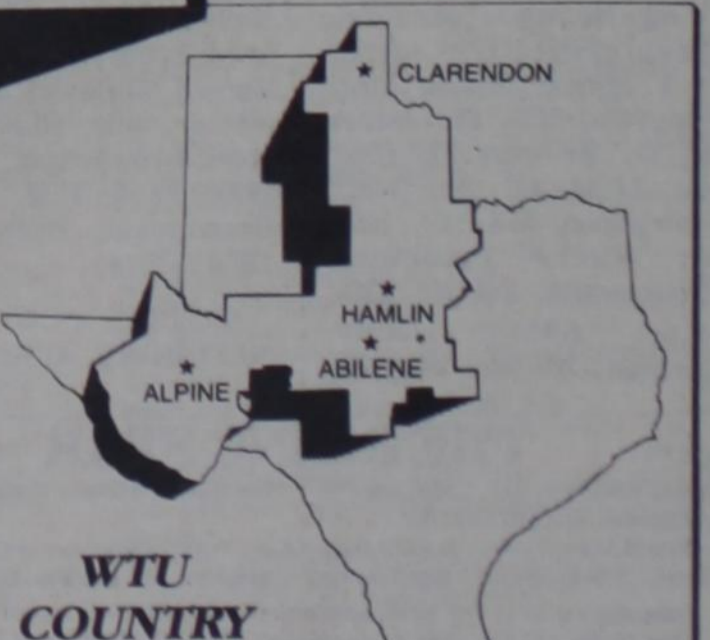
Carolyn Myers, Bookkeeper-Cashier, Clarendon, Texas, has served as a Girl Scout leader for the past nine years.

Myra Harris, Accounting Supervisor, Abilene, Texas, is much appreciated by many folks. She is a volunteer in the weatherization program.

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### THANK YOU

The family of Stanley J. Wells wish to express our deepest appreciation for your many acts of kindness; prayers, flowers, food, calls and all the other considerations shown to us during our time of sorrow.  
May God bless each of you.  
Mrs. Stanley J. Wells  
Dorothy Dunn

For those who supported me in the recent election, thank you.  
JAMES NEW

**RSHS Homecoming Saturday, November 7**

### Tax Rebate

**AUSTIN, TX.**-State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday sent checks totaling \$47.9 million in local sales tax to 1,038 cities that levy the one-percent city tax. Bullock said that 1987 payments to date were down 6 percent as compared to payments to date made in April of last year.

April checks represent taxes collected on sales made in February and reported to the Comptroller by March 20.

Rising Star: Net payment this period \$575.87, comparable payment prior year \$1,098.10, 1987 payments to date \$6,150.57, 1986 payments to date \$6,629.57, percent change to date, down 7.23 percent.

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# WILDCAT TALES

## RISING STAR HIGH JOURNALISM

### You've Come a Long Way, Band

Last Wednesday, April 8, the Rising Star High School Band went to Tarleton University for the U.I.L. concert and sightreading contest. They performed at 8:55 a.m. right after Gorman. Rising Star received a III in concert and a I in sightreading. Rising Star receives a plaque for their one rating. This was the first Division I (superior) rating the band had received in many years.

The judges commented that it was good to see the size of the Rising Star Band had increased. Last year the band took 14 students to contest, this year the Wildcat Band had 34 members. Another judge commented that the band had come a long way but there was still a long way to go, however the band has made a good start. The same judge said, "I believe this band will be better a year from now, still better the next year and a real challenge a year from then." Way to go band, keep it up!

Jackie Harris  
Amy West

### Girls Athletics

This past Friday and Saturday the girls tennis team traveled to Santa Anna to play in district competition. Laura Cox and Laura Bearden dropped their first game, but they play well. Ranay Hatten and Jackie Harris won their first game, only to lose their next two games to take fourth. The girls would like to thank Mrs. Wood for her help and support.

The girls track team will run Thursday in the district track meet in Comanche. Come on out and support the Lady Cats.

Jackie Harris

### THANK YOU

The Senior class of 1987 would again like to say a sincere Thank You, to the Junior class. The decorations, food, and entertainment were all so very special. Each of you mean a lot to each of us.

We hope the memories and fun we've all had together will never be forgotten, and we hope that your Juniors next year will mean as much to you as you all mean to us.

We would also like to thank the Junior class sponsor as well as the parents of class members for all their time and hard work.

Thanks again,  
With love,  
The Seniors 1987

### THANK YOU

The Junior class would like to show their thanks to the mothers and friends that helped us to pull the Jr-Sr Banquet together and make it a good one. We would also like to say thank you to our servants. You did a very good job!

Thank You,  
The Junior Class

### "The Magic Time Machine..."

was the title of the Junior Senior Banquet this year. Instead of the traditional formal banquet, the Juniors decided to do something different and it was a great success!

When the guests entered the "Time Machine," Kerry Hill (the wizard) led them on a grand march around the different time periods. The tour started with Jennifer Linney's Hawaiian Luau, then Shannon Dudley's Plantation, La Quita Hendrick's Thanksgiving Day, Jackie Harris's Mexican Cafe, Barbara Major's Western Saloon, Danetta Bible's Italian Sidewalk Cafe, Amy West's Oriental Tea Room, Elizabeth Holland's Arabian Nights, and Renee O'Connor's Jungle Safari.

After the grand march and all the "Ohh's and Ahh's," the host and hostesses led their guests to their tables.

Dr. Bryan gave the invocation, then the Junior Class president, La Quita Hendrick gave the welcome and Senior vice president, Carol Smoot Robins gave a response.

Delicious meals were served, starting with a salad bar, then various main courses from turkey and dressing to spaghetti, and garlic toast, and finally, to stuff our guests to the top, delicious desserts were served.

Then after everyone was completely stuffed the real entertainment started. The Junior class selected some very descriptive songs, including "Living on a Prayer," and "Girls Just Want to Have Fun," depicting the Seniors. The Junior class vice president, Jennifer Linney, gave the Prophecy. It described Kevin Rhodes as another Oral

Roberts, Laura Cox as a professional beauty pageant winner til the age of 60, and Freddy Perales as Mr. Universe, ten years in a row. Of course the Seniors had a chance to make people laugh. Laura Cox and Kelly Hill read the class "will." Coy Barker left David White some movies for those dateless, lonely Saturday nights and Laura Bearden left Danetta Bible a wish to get to school on time.

After everyone stopped laughing there was a slide show, and to end the evening just right, everyone held hands in a circle and sang the school song, "Joyous and Ever Loyal..."

Danetta Bible

### SportsReport

Last Friday and Saturday the Wildcats competed in the district boys tennis tournament held in Santa Anna. Friday, Freddy Perales won his first match 6-4 and 6-4. Then David White and Terry Barker played doubles and they won with a score of 6-1 and 6-1.

The team went back Saturday to see if they could make it to regional and they did. David and Terry won Saturday 6-4 and 6-3. This put them 3rd place doubles team.

Freddy Perales placed second in boys singles after losing a heartbreaker.

Freddy will represent Rising Star in singles at regional contest and Terry and David will go as alternates in doubles. The three boys brought home the runner-up all-around trophy in the boys division.

Way to go Cats!!!  
Ronnie Evans

## Campus Calendar

### "APRIL EVENTS"

Start marking your calendar now for upcoming events through the month of April.

- APRIL 16..... High School District Track Meet in Comanche
- APRIL 16..... Spring Band Concert, 7 p.m.
- APRIL 17..... Holidays begin
- APRIL 19..... Family Portrait Day
- APRIL 21..... Cheerleaders sponsor Texas Birthday Celebration, 8 p.m., gym
- APRIL 23..... Teacher Appreciation Banquet
- APRIL 24..... Holiday
- APRIL 25..... UIL Regionals
- APRIL 25..... Regional Golf Meet, Abilene
- APRIL 30..... Cheerleader Tryouts, 1:50 p.m., gym
- APRIL 30..... Awards Banquet by Laura Cox

## Cisco Senior Class

### Sponsoring 10th

### High School Dance

The Senior Class of Cisco High School, in coordination with Senior Class parents, is sponsoring their 10th Eastland County and Area High School Dance on Saturday, April 18th.

The Saturday night dance will be held at the Corral Room in downtown Cisco from 8 to 11:30 p.m. at the old Laguna Hotel at 400 North Conrad Hilton, next door to the First National Bank. The dance is for high school students only.

Disc Jockey L&L Sight & Sound will provide the music for the dance. Admission will be \$3 per person. Soft drinks will be available.

Cisco has an active group of parents, Parents for Teens, who have sponsored monthly parties for Cisco High School students for the last two years. Senior Class parents who work with Parents for Teens will serve as chaperones, in addition to other interested Senior parents, or parents from other classes. Parents from all surrounding towns are invited to also help chaperone. Definite rules have been established for high school students as follows:

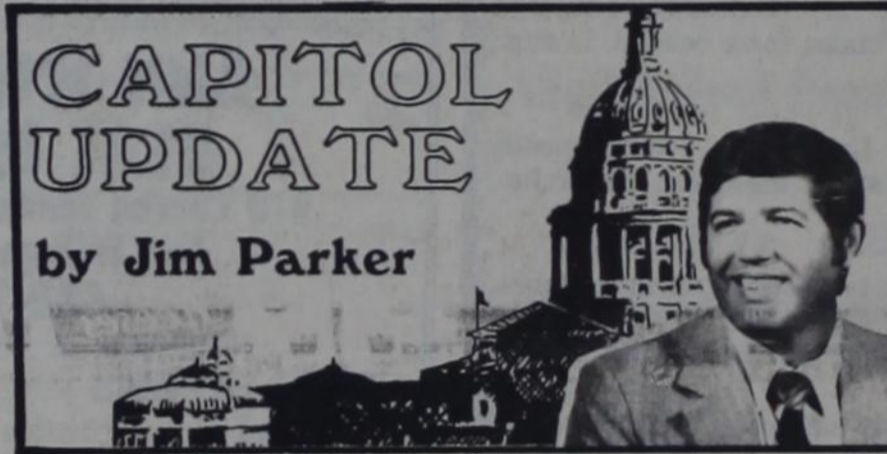
1. Only high school students will be allowed to attend the dance.
  2. Students may leave the dance at any time, however, once a student leaves they may not return.
  3. No drugs or alcohol will be allowed.
- Says a "spokes parent" for the Senior class, "High School parents should be assured that the dance will be well chaperoned and our definite rules will be followed. Please feel secure in allowing your teenager to attend our dance, and feel free to join us if you can."
- For further information please contact Joe or Jan Cooper at 442-3994 or Gus Smothers at 442-1291.

### FAMILY PORTRAIT

#### Easter Sunday afternoon

#### Rising Star Gym

Sponsored by Annual Staff



by Jim Parker

Now seems an appropriate time to recommence my Capitol Update column, not simply because I think you want to read one more political writer's column, but because so many strange and quasi-wonderful things are now happening in Austin that you probably ought to get as many viewpoints as possible. Let me start by telling you a little about the unhappy state of affairs in our prison system.

If you break it down to a "good news, bad news" scenario, the bad news is that our prisons are staying closed about as many days per month as they are staying open. They are literally packed to the bursting point and on the 15th of this month we have to, as a state, show the Honorable William Wayne Justice good cause why we should not be assessed \$855,000 per day in fines for failure to comply with this mandate.

As late as last week over 500 inmates were released from TDC simply because there was no room to put them. In one example out in an adjacent county, an inmate who was given a 6 year prison term by a jury, actually served less than 6 months in TDC!

That is the bad news. The good news is that if you ever seriously considered committing a felony crime, now would be a real good time to do it.

As with many problems of the state, there is nothing wrong with TDC that money wouldn't cure. The problem seems to be that the powers that be in Austin are simply not prepared to spend the money to adequately fund our prison system.

The prison problems did not just materialize two weeks ago, two months ago, or even two years ago. The problem with TDC is a problem that knowledgeable observers have watched build and grow for at least the last ten years. One of the first crises that I heard about when I first came to Austin as your shiny, new, take-on-the-world State



Rising Star's girls tennis team competing in district play last week were, from left, Laura Cox, Jackie Harris and Ranay Hatten, and, not pictured, Laura Bearden.

Cox and Bearden played in girls doubles, as did Harris and Hatten who placed fourth in district. Tennis coach is Mrs. Cindy Wood.



The Lady Wildcat track team members are, l. to r. first row, Becky Walker, Maxine Perales, Laura Myatt and Jackie Harris; second row, Coach Anna Cox, Jennifer Linney, Stacey Wright, Tracey Rhodes, Renee O'Connor and Stephanie Long.

April 16 District Meet..... at Comanche

## ASCS News

### REPORT BY MAY 1

The final date to report wheat, oats and barley is May 1. The ACR must be reported by this date if a small grain is used for cover. Reports of acreage will be accepted should a farm wish to establish a record of crop history.

### ACCURATE REPORTING

When filing an acreage report, be sure to file an accurate report. Failure to do so can result in loss of program benefits and the assessment of a monetary penalty. Measurement service is available and is recommended to those not sure of their exact acreage.

### SMALL GRAIN FAILED ACREAGE

Program crops intended for grain which have failed due to weather or other conditions beyond the operator's control must not be disposed of by grazing, plowing, etc., unless a request for disaster credit has been made on form ASCS-574 and a field inspection has been made by ASCS. Program benefits will be lost on small grain disposed of prior to May 1 unless failed acreage has been requested and approved.

FCIC SALES CLOSING DATE for peanuts, cotton, corn and grain sorghum is April 15.

INITIAL '87 PEANUT NOTICES of peanut farm

poundage quotas have been mailed. Additional notices of quota should be received later if the farm is to receive additional undermarketings or quota allocated from farms reduced due to non-production.

FINAL, NORMAL PLANTING DATE for corn is April 30, cotton is May 31 and grain sorghum is June 20. Those unable to plant by this date due to adverse conditions should file for prevented planting credit within 15 days after the final date for the crop.

ASCS-574 REVISION Request for prevented planting or failed acreage credit made on form ASCS-574 may be withdrawn or revised by May 1 for small grains or July 15 for other crops.

## 4-H NEWS

### By Crystal Wilbanks,

The 4-H Horse Project is having their monthly meeting Saturday, April 8th at 1:00 p.m. at the Ranger Jaycee Arena. Dr. Paul Duncan will present a program on horse health. Everyone is invited to attend and bring your horse if you have one. We will also practice for the upcoming playday schedule for Sunday, April 26th at 1:00 p.m. at the Eastland County Livestock Arena.

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## Archaeological Display Set Up

### In Hilton Community Center

For the enjoyment of the visitors to the Hilton Community Center in Cisco, the Hilton Board of Trustees has made arrangements with the Texas Institute of Texan Cultures to display "Archeology in Texas" from mid-April to mid-May. The exhibit will be viewable during normal Chamber of Commerce hours and on the weekends during regular building tour hours.

People have been explor-

ing and settling Texas for at least 12,000 years, but less than 500 years of this exciting history are recorded. This exhibit helps explore how archeological research helps today's Texans gain an understanding of the State's first inhabitants. It also teaches how to recognize archeological sites and artifacts, and to protect them, since they are an important part of Texas' heritage.

This exhibit is one of more than a dozen different travel-

ing exhibits available from the Institute of Texas Cultures for display in schools, libraries, businesses and other places. The Institute is a statewide learning and communications center concerned with the ethnic, cultural and folk history of Texas. For more information about traveling exhibits or other programs write the Institute of Texan Cultures, P.O. Box 1226, San Antonio, Texas 78294 or call (512) 226-7651.

## Hospital Report

### Ranger General

Helen Landtroop  
Coleman Brown

There is a total of 10 patients in Ranger Hospital. Some names have been withheld upon the request of the patients.

### Eastland Memorial

The following patients have released their names for publication in this newspaper:  
Charles (Dale) Carey  
Vernelle Waynette Trejo  
Jasper H. Elam  
Melvin Gene Cole

### E.L. Graham

Cindy McGough  
Frankie Eaton  
Ruby Tullos  
Maurice Morgan  
Lola Gleghorn

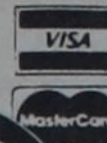
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April 16, 1987

### To Report Information On Missing Persons Contact

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