

NEW, FRIENDLY FACE AT PIPKINS- - - Herman Rushing, 50 year Eastland County veteran car dealer and salesman, will expand the sales force at Pipkin Motor Co. in their continuing quest for more and better customer service. He enjoys working at what he knows and likes to do best.

IDBITS By HVO

OBVIOUSLY, THE ground hog saw his shadow Saturday ... let's hope that means six weeks of dampness.

DUREL REID was celebrating his Sixth Anniversary Friday over at Eastland Drug and coffee drinkers were treated Eastlander Russell Smith is assistant editor of the Cisco Junior College Brandin' Iron.

A COMPUTERIZED "personal" letter from a magazine subscription offer tells us:

"It might surprise you to learn, for example, that your per capita state tax burden is \$228.93. Your share of the public debt is \$66.47 and you receive \$120 in federal aid.

"You spend \$53.09 annually on highways, \$98.94 on education, \$1.25 for health, \$9.51 for hospitals. You pay for a pupil - teacher ratio of 23:1 - - and Texas is one of the 22 states without a personal income tax."

LEAPS AND BOUNDS is the growth at First Federal Savings and Loan Association, according to their year - end report which shows total assets at \$7,969,094.14. That's up, up from the mid - 1973 report reporting \$7,705,411.04; and a whopping uppage from a year earlier when \$7,262,292.97 was reported. Bill Herod is new executive vice president and secretary. Other principals are:

Felton P. Brashier, President; Willard Swaney, Vice President; Reba C. Rawls, Vice Pres., Treasurer; Dewey C. Cox, Jr., Director, General Counsel; W.P. Watkins, M.D., Director; Col. B. Mills, Director.

Parade Of American Music

of American Music this week the programs. with daily broadcasts of local

The Eastland Music Study 9:00 a.m. immediately Club will celebrate the Parade following TSN news and enjoy

Wayne Bailey Announces Valley View

Wayne Bailey of Eastland is proud to announce the opening of Valley View Grocery, located on west Sadosa in Eastland just across from Sabine Terrace Apartments. The store which has been under construction for about six months, will open Monday with hours from 7 a.m. until 10 p.m., open seven days a week. It will be able to handle all grocery needs, and will teature a drive - through window for quick pick - up needs for added convenience.

Mr. Bailey said he believes neighborhood groceries are important in today's society and he hopes the Valley View Grocery will fill a real need. Eastland County Television Sales and Service, a Motorola dealer, adjoins the grocery. Bob Sitton is owner - operator.

Justice Peace R.L. (Buddy) Rowch, 50, of Eastland has filed for Justice of the Peace Precinct 1, which includes Eastland, according to Mrs. Scott Bailey, Eastland County Democratic Chairman. Rowch will be contesting the position now held by Wells Dalton, 55. Dalton filed earlier in January for his third four

Buddy Rowch

year term. Dalton won the

office originally as a write - in

candidate and has served two

two year terms and two four

Mrs. Bailey said Rowch

Bruce Pipkin, newly elected

Chamber of Commerce has

announced the following

committees to serve for the

year 1974. Mr. Pipkin said

Martin and James Fullen

Ray Winingar.

Underwood.

Obie Duncan.

Frank Savre

Pipkin:

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Frost, Wendell Siebert,

Also Otis Coleman, Marcus

O'Dell, Dale Bakker, Kenneth

Reese, James Fullen, Charles

Freyschlag, Wade Freeman,

Roger Terrell and Mike

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listed his occupation as

mechanic and farmer.

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year terms.

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Carl Garrett

Carl Garrett Seeks Post Of County Judge

Carl Garrett, native Eastland Countian, has authorized this newspaper to announce that he is a candidate for the office of County Judge in the May Democratic Primary. president of the Eastland

Mr. Garrett filed as a candidate with Mrs. Scott Bailey, County Democratic Chairman, Friday. Garrett, 59, is married to the

much time had been spent in former Shirley Ferrell. He naming these committees and attended Eastland public with the leadership of those schools and Hardin - Simmons men he feels this should be a University. He attended law great year for the Chamber of school in Washington, D.C. Commerce and for Eastland. receiving his L.L.B. degree Membership: Emmett from George Washington Lasater, Chairman; E.A. University.

Connel, Kenneth Payne, Don His first employment was with Texas Electric Service Industrial: J.T. Carter, Co., Eastland. He then entered Chairman; Jim Hogan, Gene government service and Johnson, Kenneth Reese, and worked 32 years for the General Accounting, United States Special Events: Wade Treasury and U.S. Department

EASTLAND TELEGRAM

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'Family Portrait'

"Family Portrait" by Lenore Coffee and William Cowen will be Eastland Civic Theatre's new production. Casting will begin Monday at 7:30 at the theatre.

The play, selected by the Board of Directors, was announced by Mrs. Virginia Russell, theatre director, at a meeting of the theatre membership Friday night. The cast has twenty - two

parts and includes men, women and children. Anyone interested in reading for a part is invited to the Monday night meeting. The play portrays the family

of Jesus and concerns the theme that a prophet is not without honor except among his own people. Judith Anderson received

critics' acclaim for her portrayal of Mary when the play was presented on Broadway a number of years ago.

Beef Cattle Short Course

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There will be a beef cattle short course for Eastland County cattlemen Feb. 4 - 6. On the first night, Dr. Earnest Davis, beef cattle marketing specialist, will discuss the needs and opportunities in beef marketing.

The meeting will take place in the community room of the First Federal Savings and



board meeting.

degree there in 1973.

teacher.



British Isles Lecture

Library Conference Room British Isles Lecture was enjoyed by more than a hundred guests Jan. 31. Dr. Alice Cushman Jobe of the faculty at Tarleton State College is the daughter of the librarian, Mrs. A.E. Cushman who introduced her. Together they had shared a six week study - holiday this summer in England and Scotland

The appreicative audience enjoyed the excellent slides and the scholarly background of will feature Dr. Stephen information. Especially the beef cattle Stonehenge. Dramatic pictures All sessions will begin at 7:30 and the Roman Baths and the p.m., according to DeMarquis excavations of the ancient Gordon, Eastland County cities will be long remembered. agent. Gordon said that anyone interested in improving

of these of the Hadrian Wall. An appreciation of the president of the Thursday Club, Mrs. Dan Childress was in the form of a yellow rose of Texas

early editions of classics, maps, Toby Jugs - - and the beautiful library interior made a friendly holiday. Other lectures and exhibits

will follow. The generous guests were donors to the Library fund. CENTENNIAL MEMORIAL

LIBRARY CONTRIBUTIONS Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bagley in memory of Jim Isbell \$10.00 Dr. Harris Isbell in memory of my brother, James B. (Jim) Isbeli . Mrs. Beth Isbell Kay in memory of James B. (Jim) Isbell ... Mrs. Ann Isbell Michael in memory of james B. (Jim) Isbell .10.00 Zeta Pi Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi in honor of Marene Johnson Johnson Miss Loretta Morris in honor of and appreciation for Wendell

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honor of Wendell Siebert ... 10.00

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a Charter member of the

Madge Brelsford Wise in

memory of mother, Mrs. H.P.

Brelsford, a Charter member

of the Thursday Afternoon

Homer Brelsford in memory

of mother, Mrs. H.P. Brelsford,

a Charter member of the

The Library Committee in

appreciation of Dr. Alice Cush-

man Jobe for her lecture on the

Mrs. Lillian Horton in

memory of Gloria West 5.00

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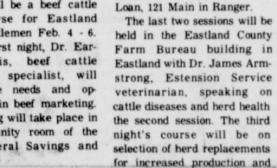
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talent performing American Music. The schedule of programs if for five programs of 15 minutes each. The programs give an opportunity for young musicians ranging from primary to Junior College age for radio performance beamed at a potential of 300,000 listeners.

The five programs include the Eastland High School, Junior High and Beginner Bands, Stacy Blair playing trumpet selections, excerpts of the Black American Musical and numbers performed by the Cisco Jr. College Choir, Band, and Stage Band.

Ms. Mary E. Bingham, chairman of this nationally sponsored celebration dedicated to the use of American music urges each club member and citizen of Eastland to tune in KERC at

Funeral Held For Billy Garrett Monday In Calif.

Billy Burl Garrett, 47, of Needles, Calif., raised in Eastland, died at 7:20 a.m. Friday at Needles after a lengthy illness. Funeral will be at 2 p.m. Monday in Needles. Survivors include his mother of Needles, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Delores Clark of Barstow, Calif., and Mrs. Patsy Samson of Atwood, Calif.; and 'two brothers, Jimmy and Dennis Garrett, both of Needles, Calif.





Pat Moseley Files For

Commissioner Pat Moseley, a life - long resident of Eastland County, has authorized this newspaper to announce his candidacy for Commissioner of Precinct 2. Mr. Moseley and his wife, the

former Oleta Knight, are the parents of three children, Jim, a student at Baylor University; Mrs. Patricia Boyd, a student at Texas A&M and Dollie, a student in Eastland High School. Mr. and Mrs. Moseley reside at Route One, Ranger. Mr. Moseley served 11 years

in the National Guard in Ranger and is currently serving as president of the Olden Water Supply Corp. and is president of the Eastland County Livestock Raisers Association and served on the Olden Indenependt School Board.

Mr. Moseley is presently engaged in ranching and has 16 years experience in road construction. He said he is well qualified for the job of Commissioner and will make a formal statement at a later date

Freeman, Chairman; Emmett of Agriculture as a special Lasater, Doug Underwood, Otis agent.

Coleman and Don Baird. He served three years and Retail Trades: Clint Bray, ten months in World War II, Chairman; Marie Boney, Ann have commanded naval gun Jernigan, Ed Shanafelt, Jay crews on merchant ships in the Staggs, H.V. O'Brien, and Doug Pacific and Alaska. He later was promoted to commanding City Rural Community officer of the USS LSM40, Relations: M.L. Terrell, landing craft, which participated in ten D - Day lan-Chairman; Veon Howard and

dings in the Phillipines. City Beautification: Lewis Recently he served on the Tiner, Chairman; Eugene faculty of Ranger Junior Frost, Wendell Siebert, and College as Development Officer developing a master plan and

Industrial Team: M.H. vocational courses including a Perry, Chairman; Lewis Tiner, peanut - production course John Morren, Jay Staggs, Pat which is the only one of its type Miller, Jim Wright, J.T. in the nation.

Carter, James T. Wright, Jim He is presently developing a Hogan, Wilbert Simmel, Clint small real estate propertyy.

Bray, Gene Johnson, Eugene He is a member of First Christian Church where he Also Emmett Lasater, Bob serves as a deacon and church Perkins, R.P. Haun, Ray treasurer. He has taught the Winingar, Charles Martin, non - denominational Men's Grover Hallmark, Veon Fellowship Bible Class for over Howard, H.V. O'Brien, Bruce 15 years.

> He is president of Eastland Ex - Student Association, director and song leader of Lions Club, chamber of commerce member, director for Goodfellows Association, vice president of Civic Theatre, Cross Timber Shrine and

Masonic Lodge 467. Mr. Garrett said that he will issue a formal statement regarding his candidacy at a future date.

Music Briefs

* Piano continues to be the most popular instrument among America's amateur musicians. According to an American Music Conference survey, more than 44% of all amateur musicians play

piano.

football coach, head basketball and tennis coach at Rosebud -Lott High School for the past six years, has been elected head coach and athletic director of the Ranger High School

Bulldogs for the next two years. Rosebud - Lott has been a powerhouse in AA State playoffs for the past five years. This action was taken Tuesday night in a special

A native of Cisco where he lettered three years in football, Carson received his Bachelor of Science degree from North Primary.

Texas State University in 1968 and his Master of Science Age 27, Carson is married. The Carsons have two children, Yvonne who is nearly four and Michelle who is nearly one. His estate"

wife, Yvonne, is a native of Haltom City and also is a Carson has been at Rosebud

Lott located southeast of Waco all of his coaching career. He is currently headline coach, head basketball coach, tennis coach and defensive coach. In 1968 Rosebud was Class A semi - finalist in the State playoffs with a 11 - 3 record. In 1970 they were District 19AA 1973

champs with a 10 - 1 record. In 1971 they played in the State finals with a 13 - 2 record. In 1972 the school was district champions in 21AA with an 8 - 1 - 2 record. They lost out at bi district to West High School after tying the score but losing

on penetrations. This school year they were 7 - 3, finishing second in their

district. Rosebud - Lott has lost only one district game in six years specialists. Gordon said the short course was planned by the Eastland County beef committee to help local cattlemen increase efficiency.

production efficiency of beef

cattle, is urged to attend and

hear the three Texas A&M

University Extension Service

Filings For May 4 Primarv

Two county - wide political races have been turned into contests with last minute filings for the May 4 Democratic

According to Eastland Democratic chairman Mrs. Scott Bailey. Carl Garrett, 59. of Eastland, filed for County Judge late Friday afternoon. He lists his occupation as "real

Garrett will once again face 11 year incumbent Scott Bailey of Cisco who defeated him for the same office in 1970.

Challenging incumbent Johnson Smith for Eastland County Clerk will be Mrs. Carol Senkel, 30 year old Eastland housewife. Mrs. Senkel was formerly employed by the Eastland National Bank as an assistant cashier until June of

Smith, 64, filed for re election Jan. 14. He has held office since January 1, 1953. Filing deadline for the May 4th Democratic primary is

Monday, Feb. 4. County - wide incumbents who are still running unopposed are Criminal District Attorney Emory C. Walton and 91st District Court Clerk Joe T. Gray, both of Eastland.

County Surveyor Chester H. Breneman of Ranger also has no opponent. date.

Merit. The committee for the day included Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Mrs. E.C. Rice, Mrs. M.H. Corbell and Mrs. Vernon Humphrey.

- a well deserved Award of

A formal English High Tea preceded the lecture and set the theme for the day. Real hot scones, strawberry topped and cakes were served from a Paisley shawl covered table. Appointments of brass and copper on other tables with fresh flowers throughout the rooms and tall candles beloed the display of memorabilia from the British Isles -models of the old Curiosity Shop and Shakespeare's birthplace - wall decorations of china Dickens characters porcelain figurines of the Peter Rabbit beloved animals, museum reproductions, rare

Mrs. Carol Senkel **Seeks County Clerk Position**

Mrs. E.R. (Carol) Senkel Jr. has authorized this newspaper to announce that she has filed as a candidate for the office of Eastland County Clerk in the May Primary.

Mrs. Senkel has lived in the county five years, having been employed at Eastland National Bank for four and a half years. She and Mr. Senkel came here from Baird where she was also employed at the bank.

Mr. Senkel is a native of Graham and Mrs. Senkel is a native of Shreveport, La., having lived most of her life in Texas.

Mr. Senkel is an Eastland business man.

Mrs. Senkel will issue a about you in the hometown formal statement at a later newspaper."

MOTOR CO. Lough A Day From the Republic (Marathon, Iowa): "The best

literature in the world is a complimentary paragraph



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Doug Dallas History Class

The following themes are from Coach Doug Dallas' seventh grade History class: MODERN TELEVISION

I am Bart Boles and this Randy Potter telling you of our answers we got from three people we interviewed.

First we interviewed Mrs. P. and here is what she said. We asked, "Do you enjoy watching television?" she replied, 'Some''. Then we asked, "Do you enjoy television programs as much now as you have in the past?" She answered "No". We asked her what she didn't like about television programs and she said it was the sex. When we asked Mrs. P. how many hours if prime time 7/8;30 to 10:00, she said she watched 31/2 hours only some nights. I asked "Mrs. P. we found that during the prime time of one week there are 38 programs with police, detectives, and violence in them. During these programs 62 people are killed, 33 people are wounded, and 13 people are involved in fights. So what do you think about these programs?" She replied to me, "These programs don't bother me because it seems to me just like reading a good mystery. " And when I asked Mrs. P. if she exercised any besides around the house working instead of watching television she replied "If I watched Jack Lalanne I would but I don't watch Jack La lanne'

We asked Mrs. P to see how interested she might become in a program, what she might do if someone came up to her and asked her something and she said, "I'd say go to your room". I thin enquired, "Mrs. P. what would you like more of on television?" Mrs. P. answered "I would like more family shows". We asked Mrs. P., for our last question, if she thinks today's criminals could learn things by watching television. Mrs. P. answered "Possibly, a

person with a weak mind could get ideas from the shows. I think it's like watching a cooking show, I get ideas on cooking and so might a criminal get ideas from the programs

Second we interviewed Miss S. about television. We started by saying, "I am Bart Boles and this is Randy Potter and we are doing some interviews to help on our survey we are doing in Coach Dallas' Texas History Class on television. We would like to ask you some question." We started by asking Miss S. if she enjoyed watching television. Miss S. replied, "Yes", as we thought she would. We asked Miss S. if she enjoyed television programs now as much as she had in the past. She answered "No". We then enquired, "Miss S what part of the programs on television do you dislike?" She replied that it was the violence and sex that displeased her. We then told Miss S. that during the prime time, 6:30 to 10:00 p.m. there are in one week 38 shows with violence, police, or something in that order on them. When we asked how many hours of prime time television she watched in one day she replied maybe one hour. On our last question we inquired "Miss S, what is your favorite television program." She answered "Sanford and Son is my favorite show." For our third interview we

asked Mr. B. We started, "I am Bart Boles and this is Randy Potter and we are studying television in Coach Dallas' Texas History a class and we would like to talk with you. Mr. B. simply said "Yes" Next we inquired if he en-

joved television programs as much now as he had in the past. Mr. B. said yes. When we asked how much he watched of prime time television a night he told us maybe two hours. Next we inquired "Mr. B., do you know





A GIANT IN COMMUNITY SERVICE - - Today's Texas Guard is composed of 17,000 men and women from every walk of life...all are citizen soldiers ready to drop their civilian pursuits and respond when disaster strikes. Floods, hurricanes, tornadoes and blizzards - - Texas Guardsmen are always there. The citizens of Texas salute those who serve in the Texas Guard.

to watch, it has a lot of action in

Tuesday, Jan. 29, 63 people

any ways television effects you tive show?" "Kojak". "Why do physically?" In reply he said, you like Kojak?" 'It's exciting "Yes, it can effect your posture and eves if you spend a great deal of time watching it. ". We asked Mr. B. what he thought the violence on about television. He told us that he less violence on wants television. We then told Mr. B. that we have been conducting a survey and that during the prime time hours of one week there are 38 shows on television having to do with violence, police, or detectives. We told him that during these programs approximately 62 people are killed, 33 are injured, and 13 are involved in a fight. For our last question we asked Mr. B. what he disliked most on television. He said that he did not like all the shows that have doctor, sickness, or people in hospital on them.

Good afternoon.

This is Donnay Adair reporting for the Dallas Times Herald. I have been doing some

were killed, 33 injured and 13 fights were on TV?" "No, I didn't realize that". "Which would you say was better for watching your health, television or exercising?' "Exercising." "TThank you Mr. Adair". "Let's move on to somebody else now." "Excuse me Miss, my name is Donnay Adair from the Dallas Times Herald." "What is your name?" "Mildred Adair". "I have been doing some researching on TV. do you mind if I ask you some questions?" "No". "Do you like TV?" "Not really". "Why don't you like it?" "I have better things to do with my time than watch TV!" "Do you like any shows at all?" "I enjoy Cannon occasionally." 'Do you realize that on Tuesday, Jan. 29, 63 people were killed, 33 injured, and 13 fights were on TV?" "I'm not

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Guard Project, "Guardsmen For Texas"

month, while married Guard-

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other service benefits are also

"New Guardsmen return

home and attend meetings one

weekend a month and two

weeks each summer." the

General continued, "The

money saved on active duty.

coupled with weekend checks,

often helps our young Guard-

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vocational school expenses.

And Guard checks are always a

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Wholly voluntary, the Texas

regular income."

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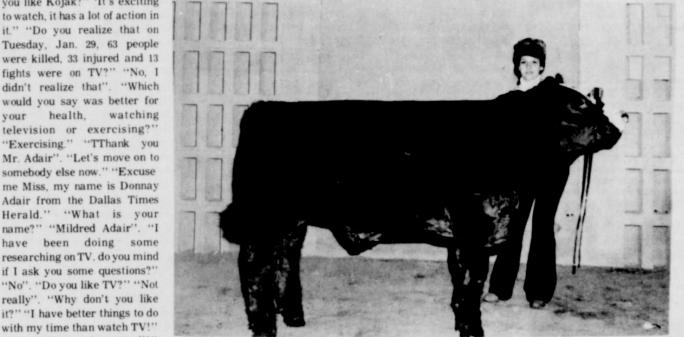
The Texas Guard today launched Project "Guardsmen for Texas" an energetic recruiting campaign aimed at bringing the state's Guard strength to 100 percent.

The campaign's goal is to recruit 1,500 men and women into the Texas Guard.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe, in support of Project Guardsmen, stated "A strong Guard program is an honorable way for Texas' sons and daughters to serve their state and nation. February will be a challenging month for the Texas Guard and lurge every Texan to become familiar with this vital organization.

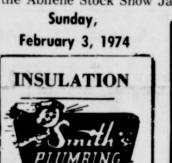
The Texas Guard mission is to respond either to disasters within the state, or to the President in time of national emergency

Texas Adjutant General. Major General Thomas S. Bishop, pointed out that



STEER AT ABILENE STOCK SHOW - - Wt. 1060 lbs. owned by Theresa Scott of Rising Star, was shown at the Abilene Stock Show Jan. 20, 21, 22.

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newcomers in the Texas Guard Guard is composed of 17,000 men and women from every today earn more than \$43 a walk of life.

"New Guardsmen attend "Our Guardsmen stand basic and advanced training for ready to drop their civilian approximately six months," pursuits and respond whenever General Bishop said, "During they're needed", Gen. Bishop this time, single Guardsmen said Jobs in the Texas Guard are paid more than \$325 per

include diesel mechanics, truck drivers, electronic specialists, cooks, medical personnel, heavy equipment operators, tank drivers and airborne specialists.

Individuals know the job they will be assigned before they join the Texas Guard.

Texas Guard history dates back to the Army of the Republic of Texas when volunteers banded together to form fighting units and companies to defend their homes. These Militiamen of another age are the roots of today's Texas Guard.

Beauty School To Hold Open House

Cisco Junior College's new BEAUTY SCHOOL will hold open house on Thursday, Feb. 7, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the college's new Technical -Vocational Building, according to an announcement by CJC officials.

Cosmetology instructors Ruth Hardy and Roger Carlile have issued a special invitation to the public to attend the open house and get a look at the Cisco college's newest facility. They also issued a special invitation to persons possibly interested in taking beauty

More details about the open house will be released in a few days, the two teachers explained.





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Eastland County is in the midst of a severe winter drought. The small grain pastures that looked so good in the fall now appear to be almost dead. According to the weather officials we have gotten about

Rita's Fashion Fabrics Int. 20 Next To Ramada Inn Lots Of New Spring Knits And Woven Fabrics Including Seersucker. Shop Now While Selection Is Good





It's no news to anyone that three months. Most of that came in November The condition is comparable to the winter of 1966 - 67 when we had about one inch of rain between November and March

Lawns need water during the one inch of rain during the last winter. It's easy to forget about watering lawns since the grass is dorman and does not show the drought symptoms that you can see in the growing season.

in the animals. Animals are stressed during winter conditions because of poor grazing and low nutrition, which The roots are living and need creates an extra burden on the water and nutrients. animal's defense to ticks. This is the season to apply Effective tick control can be

dormant oils for controlling economically accomplished some of the hard - to - kill with sprays, dips or individual insects on trees and shrubs. ear treatments. Materials for Properly prepared petroleum ear tick control include Co oils are effective for controlling Ral, Lindane, Malathion,

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one gallon of water. Too much

oil could damage the leaves of

Livestock producers should

inspect their livestock for in-

creasing infestation of spinose

ear - ticks. The ear - tick

Tick infestations result in a

general loss in thrift and vigor

populations are increasing.





Mrs. Vivian Blair, Family Life - Aging Specialist for the **Texas Agricultural Extension** Service, will be in Eastland County this coming Monday, Feb. 4

Mrs. Blair is known throughout the state for her work with county committees on aging. There will be a meeting at the Texas Electric Reddy Room in Eastland at 2 p.m. for interested persons. She will discuss ways individuals, organizations and county committees on aging can better help the elderly person through projects and services in their communities. Eastland County has 23.5

percent of its population over 65 years of age compared to 8.8 percent in the state. As you



The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas: **REVERSED AND**

RENDERED **Reed Stewart**, Tax Assessor Collector of Tarrant County v. Howard Green, County Judge of Tarrant County. (Opinion by Judge Walter. Former Opinion dated October 19, 1973, is withdrawn and Opinion dated January 18, 1974, is substituted therefor). - - Tarrant

MOTIONS SUBMITTED **Reed Stawart**, Tax Assessor Collector of Tarrant County v. Howard Green, County Judge of Tarrant County. Appellee's motion for reharing. --Tarrant

Employers Commercial Union Insurance Company v. Mary Ellen Schmidt. Joint motion for extension of time to file appellee's briefs - - Taylor MOTION GRANTED

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servings.

21/2 cups warm water

1 small egg, beaten

3/4 teaspoon vanilla

1 tablespoon butter or

Combine the mix with the

water in top of double boiler.

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cook until thickened, stirring

constantly. Cover and cook 10

minutes longer. Add the fat.

Remove from heat and beat

half of the hot mixture into the

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over hot water one minute

longer. Remove from heat and

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Top musicians, such as Arthur Fielder, conductor of the Boston Pops, often make guest appearances with high school and college groups. During one such appear-ance, at Elgin, (III.) High School, Fiedler

Rock or Bach?

All Music Beneficial Say Top Musicians Parazaider added that des-

Should your child play rock or Bach? Arthur Fiedler suggests you relax and let your son or daughter enjoy both. The 79 year old conductor

strict rehearsal plan, hold of the Boston Pops not only writing seminars and find provides his symphony with time to assess their growth one of the most catholic repertories in the country but he takes his message to teen. agers directly.

Fiedler, a member of the AMC Advisory Board, travels throughout the country conducting orchestras of teen musicians. "It keeps me young, and convinces me that while istening is fun, nothing beats the fun of playing." he

says. This emphasis on participation was also voiced by Carl (Doc) Severinsen, musical director of the "Tonight Show," and Walt Parazaider, of the rock group Chicago. Both also serve on the AMC onorary advisory board. Said Parazaider

"I think music rounds a person out. It seems to make him more aware of different things. Even if kids only play in a school band, it gives them a certain sensitivity towards people.

Severinsen also suggested participation in the school band, a route he followed when he was in school. "I believe that school mu

reviews the score with the first violinist. The opportunity to perform with outstanding professionals is part of the new trend in music education.



dergartens often begin their training on simple percussion instruments such as the triangle, which can be used to teach not only rhythm but basic arithmetic

as musicians. Adds Severinsen:

pite a heavy schedule of

tours (about 250 concerts a

year) and recordings, Chi-

cago members adhere to a

"School music programs get kids interested in playing. If I can help a kid pick up an instrument and get enjoyment from playing it, I've really introduced him to the most reliable friend he can ever find.

"I don't mean to sound like a preacher, but I really believe that the fun and sat isfaction of playing any instrument is for everybody. There are no generation hangups in the music scene.' Commented Parazaider, "I

really don't think there is any age limit for beginning musical training. When people realize they have enough ability to do something musical and to create something. they really get turned on by

There are a lot of people that play an organ and even write songs, and get as much satisfaction out of that as the young people playing in a band

Severinsen summed up

Youngsters in musical kin

Thursday Afternoon Club tea.

Sunday, February 3, 1974



news and features

Music Programs Popular With Pre-School Set

Although most parents are offer lessons have a group youngsters handle a tambourine or a triangle in kindergarten, it's a less common sight to listen to a four year old swing out with Mozart on a 1/16 size violin. But that's one of the sights

that's becoming more common in the burgeoning trend to musical kindergartens developing throughout the U.S.

Spurred by innovative music education systems and by the natural interest of youngsters in rhythm and melody, the kindergartens are developing enthusiastic partisans among both parents and children.

Some of these musical kindergartens are independent operations, others are regular elementary school programs offering classes that stress music. But by far the largest proportion of musical kindergartens are offered by music merchants.

According to a national American Music Conference survey, about one-quarter of all large music retailers who among their peers.

accustomed to having their, program for the pint-sized set. While lessons in stores are nothing new, bringing in the 3 to 5 year old group is. Almost all these musical preschool groups were formed after 1960, and many have been added in just the past three years. In some general instru-

ment preparatory classes, youngsters are introduced to everything from guitar to drums. They may learn about piano one day, woodwind or percussion the next. The object is to introduce children to the entire gamut of musical experience so that they can select the instrument they would like to play.

Many teachers combine a variety of methods to develop an approach best suited for their individual classes. But almost all of the programs focus on group instruction. This helps children learn teamwork, shows them that music is an enjoyable, shared experience, and gives them a standard of performance



Waiting for the lecture to begin in the conference room

Music Is Bridge Over Communications Gap

The world seems to be endlessly in conference trying to communicate. In the name of straightening things out there are meetings in Paris, meetings in Washington, meetings at the office, meetings down the block.

Parents tell us they can't talk to their children. Children say they can't talk to parents. And everybody's talking about talking things out.

We're reminded that this month in our city the one form of communication that does seem to reach everybody is being celebrated. The language is music.

We're being invited to discover music, to find out how much personal satisfaction there is in picking up an instrument, or opening our mouths to sing. Of course, millions of kids know all about music as a language, but as we get older, we tend to tune it all out.

If we were paid in yen, or marks, or rubles for the American music we exported, our foreign trade balance would no longer be a problem. American jazz usually played by high school or college groups – makes friends before diplomats have a chance.

Right here at home, the prospects of playing instead of talking are intriguing. If Mom plucked a guitar instead of pleading, or Dad tried a riff instead of a huff, could we have a generation overlap rather than a gap?

Sume 35 million Americans have already discovered music. Think what life might be like if we all played. When you're trying to make music, you learn to play together.

We don't think a trumpeter in a jazz band would



sic programs are very important. A school doesn't need a state championship band to offer inspiration to young musicians. Just playing with a band offers him an opportunity to participate in school events. It did a lot for me." Severinsen added:

"It's important for parents

to support the school music programs. I have never heard of a bad band which had strong parental support or an effective booster club.

While all three professionals come from musical families, Severinsen insists that 'you don't need a professional father or someone musical in your family to get started on a musical instrument.

"However, as Severinsen notes, it is important that parents see that their kids practice enough to get something out of playing.

Severinsen himself has always practiced at least 2 to 3 hours daily and still con--siders his day incomplete unless he puts in at least that much time in rehearsal and practice today.

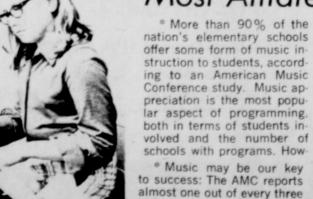
One of the most popular instruments today among children and adults --- is the organ. Easy to learn to play, the organ has the added advantage of giving the performer the option of a keyboard sound or the range of an entire band simply by flicking a switch.

everyone's feelings when he commented.

"Even if I were not a professional musician, I would still play. I took up music because I wanted to. If I had gone into another career I would still play for the fun of it.'



The guitar continues to grow in popularity among beginning musicians and pros. Group learning experiences help youngsters and adults master the basic skills needed to become proficient musicians. The guitar's popularity is due in large measure to the ease of learning to play the instrument.



* Music may be our key to success: The AMC reports almost one out of every three U.S. presidents played a musical instrument as compared to the general population in which one out of every five is an amateur.

Musical Gifts Suitable For Every Occasion

to more than \$50); recorders

(about \$7); ukeleles (about

\$10), and acoustic (non-elec-

tric) guitars (beginning at

\$40). Teaching aids begin

wants to play a more sophis-

ticated instrument, there are

brass' (trumpet and trom-

bone) under \$200 and wood-

winds (flute, clarinet) which

from about \$500 to several

thousand dollars) and pianos

which average about \$1,000

Organs (which can range

begin at about \$150.

For the adult or child who

at less than \$1.

A guitar for a birthday. accessories for the musical bride and groom, a recorder for mom, or a harmonica and some rhythm instruments for the young child as a house gift, all are welcome gifts. And the price is always right.

Emily Perkins and Nancy Childress serving the guests prior to the

Music stores have hundreds of gift ideas for everyone on your shopping list and in every price category.

An appropriate gift for all amateur musicians is a selection of sheet music (starting at under \$3) in their favorite moods.

are memorable family gifts For the beginner there are at Christmas, an anniversary easy to learn instruments or for Mother's and Father's and self instruction aids harmonicas (from under \$3 day.

> * Forty-two per cent of all U.S. households have at least one amateur musician, says the American Music Conference. About 31 per cent of all amateurs play more than one instrument and nearly 8 per cent play more than 2.

Most Amateurs Start Music In School

ever, nearly 56% of schools surveyed offer band and 19% have an orchestra. * Women's lib is having an effect on the types of in-

struments girls are taking up. Over the past year, women drummers have more than doubled and those playing trumpet have nearly tripled, says the American Music Conference. However, most women continue to play instruments traditionally con-sidered "appropriate" such as piano (71.8%), organ (57.9%), clarinet (55.3%), flute (77.7%) and violin

(54.9%).

* American families have more than \$15 billion invested in musical instruments that they use at home, according to the American Music Conference. This figure does not include instruments owned by schools, religious institutions or professional bands and orchestras.

* In dollar value, America's most important musical export is electric organs, says the American Music Conference, with more than 22,790 units shipped last year for a total value of \$18,429,170. Canada is the leading customer.

have any trouble communicating with a trumpeter in a symphony orchestra. And they wouldn't care about the shape of the table.

Learning to 'Rap'

A Guide to Parents Of Verbal Shorthand

If a teenager in your house says that "soul is heavy" he doesn't mean his spirit is sinking. He's talking about the importance of soul music.

Since phrases such as these might pop up during musical rap session in your house, here are translations of some of the current verbal "shorthand" most often used today.

AMP	- amplifier, amplification as in mu- sic
BASS	 bass guitar (as opposed to the orchestral double bass which is currently referred to as "Big Bass")
BITES	 such as: "show them your bites" (teeth); indicating a command by leader to "smile"
CHORUS	 used in context such as: "he shot me his solo chorus," he offered me his views
СОМВО	 group of no more than 8 or 9 musicians
DIG	- understand
EASY	 sweet sound, mello, cool, sound- ing music
FREAKED	- surprised, or taken aback
GIG	 job, in music, a one-nighter, such as a dance or club date
HEAVY	 really great, but also interchange- able with "dynamite", "boss", "tough", "mellow", "cool", (de- pending on geographical locale)
HEP	 meaning groovy (term used by over 30 set now trying to act younger than their years)
LICK	 musical phrase or segment, us- ually accomplished with solo in- strument as lead
NATUTA	 sounds you don't need electron- ics or tricks to make
RAP	- talk, discuss
SOUL	 a type of music; when applied to people implies understanding, sensitivity
TOGETHER	- in music and other uses mean- ing great, heavy
VOCAL CHICK	 girl singer (as opposed to loud girl)



Mr. And Mrs. Hoffmann Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. (Bill) Hoffmann of Eastland announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeanie Kay Hoffmann, to Johnny Allen Swanson

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Swanson of Electra. The wedding will take place July 20 in the First united Electra. Methodist Church of Eastland.



Eastland Order of Eastern Star will meet Tuesday, Feb. 5. for regular stated meeting at 7:30 p.m. Members and visitors are urged to attend.



The following persons have authorized this newspaper to announce their candidacy for political offices: STATE REPRESENTATIVE

Joe Hanna CONGRESSMAN

Omar Burleson

COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT **Jimmy Hughes** Alton Roan Carlos Turner O.C. (Stubby) Warden comm. prec. 2 Pat Moseley COUNTY JUDGE Scott Bailey **Carl Garrett** JUSTICE OF PEACE Wells Dalton **Buddy Rowch** DISTRICT CLERK Joe T. Gray COUNTY TREASURER Dick Foster Mrs. Ellen Justice CRIMINAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY **Emory Walton** COUNTY CLERK Mrs. Carol Senkel

just past was 54.7 degrees Miss Hoffmann is a Junior compared to 51.6 degrees last elementary education major at year. Texas Tech. She is a member of The lowest reading for Zeta Tau Alpha sorority.

Her fiance is a 1973 graduate of Texas Tech. He is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is presently associated with his father in the oil business at

Grand Jury Finishes It Winter Session

The December - January 91st District Court grand jury finished its winter session by indicting 15 persons.

Four persons were no - billed and nine indictments were sealed

A Sweetwater man, Jerry D. Caldwell, 26, was indicted on charges of "homicide with a motor vehicle". Caldwell was driver of a semi - tractor trailer truck involved in a two truck collision, 1.6 miles southwest of Eastland on Interstate 20 Dec. 5 in which the driver of the second truck, Morris S. James, 62, of Ranger was fatally injured. Caldwell has been free on \$2,500 bond set by

Ladies Night Out

Tuesday night was "Ladies Night Out" for the women of the First United Methodist Church. Refreshments of coffee, spiced tea, nuts, and a variety of cookies were served. Mrs. Austin McCloud and Miss Bess Thurman poured tea and coffee as the women gathered

Another Dry Month In January

Official national weather service records in Eastland at the end of January reflected another dry month for Eastland and the Eastland County area for the third month in a row. An official .12 of moisture was recorded for the month, and that fell on Jan. 24, whereas January of 1973 was relatively wet with a total of 3.66 inches recorded.

Highest temperature in

January 1974 was 79 degrees on Jan. 21. Highest reading for the

same period last year was 72

degrees on Jan. 20. Average

high temperature for the month

January 1974 was 13 degrees.

This reading was recorded two

nights in succession during the

early morning hours of Jan. 12

and 13, January 1973 produced

much colder nights with

readings dipping to minus 6

Average night time low for

January this year was slightly

degrees on Jan. 12 and 13.

over 26 degrees, whereas the average low for the same period in 1973 was 26 degrees. Olden, who was also arrested Jan. 23, was indicted for "sale of a dangerous drug". He has been free under \$5,000 bond which was also set by Dalton. Glenn Ed. Rabb, 29, of Cisco

was indicted on charges of "burglary with intent to commit arson". Rabb has been free on \$4,000 bond set by Cisco Peace Justice Carl Holder. Those no billed were two Ranger Junior College students, Richard Guerra, 19, of Arlington, and Stephen A. Miller, 19, of Houston, Both had been free on \$1,500 bond after being charged with the Oct. 30 break in of an Eastland electronics store.

Also no billed was Mrs. Sue Humphreys, 32, of Azle. She was charged Nov. 1 with

in Fellowship Hall of the church.

Reverend Ben Marney's lecture on the Holy Land was adequately illustrated by slides. Many scenes showed the remains of edifices that were known to the Roman Empire. Each important city had its acropolis which was sometimes surrounded by a moat. Reverend Marney's talk related the scenes being shown to the Biblical passages as they are found in the Old and New Testaments.

In order to become better acquainted with each other, Mrs. Richard Britt, president of the United Methodist Women, asked each person to relate an experience from her life as a beginner in school. The childhoods of the members reached from the East to the South and to the West as far as California

Saigon Ants

Mr. and Mrs. I.E. Tailey of Olden received news from a niece who is an R.N. and is in Saigon. She did work at Baylor Hospital in Dallas but joined her husband in Saigon the first of December. Her husband is Dr. Charles Saunders. He is employed at a large hospital. They have two children Karion 13 and Danny 11. They have a nice three bedroom home to live in and two servants to help. They say you don't hear any noise of the war there in Saigon and war is going on 40 miles north of Saigon.

Danny has been doing studying on some little ants. They are smaller than 9 our sugar ants here and are very fast and wiry. He catches a bunch of them and fastens them on white paper by covering them with clear plastic and transparent tape. They can't fet air, but they don't just sit and die. They think it is more honor to kill themselves (so Danny says). They sting each other to death until only two are left. Then they start on each other sting and sting. Then only one is left. Then he stings himself to death. Then Danny sends his dead ants back home for his grandfather to see how smart the ants are in Saigon.

Martha Rodrick And Herbert Casey Jr. Repeat Vows

became the bride of Sgt. Herbert Ray Casey, Jr., December 28, 1973, in a double ring ceremony in the Lingleville Baptist Church. Col. Samuel Bays, (USAF retired) of Lingleville performed the ceremony. Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Bahr of Lingleville. The groom's parents are Mrs. Juline Hopson of Eastland and Herbert Casey of Carbon. Honored guests of the bride were her aunt and

uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Bahr of Hico, Texas. The church was decorated in colors of red and white. Poinsettias were placed at either side of the altar with a

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Martha Anne Rodrick candelabra in the center with two thin white candles at either side of a large white anniversary candle.

> Maid of honor was Louann Hyde of Mabank, Texas. Mrs. Joyce Pence of Austin, sister of the groom, was bridesmatron. George Casey of Carbon, brother of the groom, was best man. Ricky Alan Pack of Carbon served as groomsman. When given in marriage by her father, LeRoy Bahr, the bride wore a formal Victorian gown of all - over imported French chantilly lace. The empire bodice featured a high bonded lace neckline and full Victorian sleeves with wide cuffs. A double row of sculptured satin ribbon extended from the bodice down the front of the skirt forming a redingot

effect that swept to a flowing chapel train. She wore a veil of chantilly and imported silk illusion that matched her gown and carried a bouquet of white carnations with red ribbon streamers over a white Bible.

She wore a small gold cross around her neck that was a gift from the maid of honor Louann Hyde. She also wore a cameo pendant belonging to her paternal grandmother and carried a small white New Testament, a gift from her aunt, Mrs. C.E. Bahr of Hico. Miss Debra Casey of Carbon, sister of the groom, accompanied Mr. Donald Nichols at the piano as he sang "Whither Thou Goest" and "I Love You Truly'

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Bahr chose a full - length aqua dress. She wore a white carnation corsage with red ribbons

The groom's mother chose a full length blue dress. She also wore a white carnation corsage with red ribbons

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. Assisting at the reception were Ruth Moreland of Lancaster, Texas; Tracey Wolfe of Commerce, Texas; and Debbie Taylor of

Marathon, Texas. The bride's table consisted of a three tiered cake decorated in the wedding colors with red roses and white icing. A red sherbet punch was served from a crystal punch set.

For a weekend trip to Fort Worth, the bride chose red slacks with a red floral blouse layered with a light blue sweater. Her corsage was of red and white carnations from her bouquet.

The newlywed couple is living in Altus, Oklahoma, where Sgt. Casey is presently assigned to the weather detachment.

The bride is a graduate of Pioneer High School in San Jose, California. She attended East Texas State University at Commerce for two years and Tarleton State University where she majored in government

Sgt. Casey graduated from Carbon High School and attended Cisco Junior College for two years

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Dalton. Indicted were Bobby Gene Turner, 24, of Eastland, charged Jan. 23 with sale of a dangerous drug. Turner has been free on \$5,000 bond set by Eastland Peace Justive Wells Dalton.

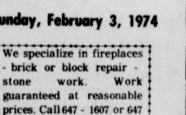
Bradley M. Rutledge, 24, of Cisco, was indicted under new drug laws with "delivery of a controlled substance". **Rutledge was arrested Jan 23** and had his bond set at \$7,500. Also indicted was Theodore Chester Meachem, 18, who had been charged Jan. 23 with "delivery of a controlled substance". Meachem has been set free on \$7,500 bond set by Dalton.

swindling by worthless check involving two separate checks totaling \$200 allegedly given to Emory Ford of Ranger. Kenneth Doyle Smith of

Rising Star was no billed on charges of swindling by worthless check. He allegedly gave the worthless check of \$198 to Woody Chambers of Rising Star June 30, 1973.

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stone work. Gary Louis Arnold, 21, of - 3576. t- 17



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Worship 1x:00 a.m.; Ev Training Union 6:00 p.m.; Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. CALVARY BAPTIST

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Worship 10:45 a.m.; Training Union 6:00 p.m.; Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.; Wed nesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

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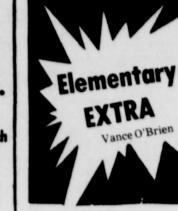
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MISS YOUNG KINDERGARTEN

This week in Miss Young's Kindergarten we have been learning how to print our names and our numbers. Also we have been saying nursery rhymes and doing art work to go with them. We are looking forward to Valentines and all the good things it brings. We have really missed Lisa and hope she will be with us soon.

> MISS SIMMS FIRST GRADE We have been very busy

studying different types of houses. One day we drew and colored our own houses. These pictures along with our family portraits are in the display cases in the hall. Darla Sadler had a birthday Tuesday, and she was seven years old. Also two of our classmates. David Lewis and

Loretta Nelson, have been absent with the chicken pox. We hope that they will be back soon. Our Good Citizens for last

Nathan Pennington. MRS. DALLAS

SECOND GRADE We are learning how to tell time and we are learning about verbs and nouns and pollution. And we are practicing for the program. We are making snowmans. Everyone is feeling fine.

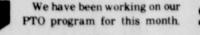
Brad Hobbs MRS. COATS SECOND GRADE

We have been practicing for our P.T.O. program. Mrs. Coats is reading us Brighty We are learning to do cursive writing.

Sharon is moving to Delawear. We are learning to tell time. We have been playing cars

with our traffic light. We did our weekly reader Kevin Wright

MRS. ALLMAND SECOND GRADE



MRS. TURNER THIRD GRADE We have had a lot of people sick with chicken pox. Jackie Meek came back for two days then got the mumps on the other side.

We got our geography books today. Monday we had seven people

sick. We are glad that June and Valerie are back Casey Meazeil has the

reading.

chicken pox. We are studying about foods. We planned a menu from the four food groups today. Shirley Housson

MRS. YOUNG

THIRD We have been doing a lot of

work this week. We have some readers and they have fun in We have fun when we play MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4

ball and we play baseball and we play football We read every day. It is fun to do a lot of work all the time . It is fun in school every day. Kellar

> MRS. GREEN FOURTH GRADE

Last Friday we had our first

Science test. We hope everyone makes good grades. We are studying energy in Science. Joni Pyke, Mary Pennington, Carol Webb and Johnny Williams brought models they had made of Basuto villages. We are going Friday were Janna Adair and , right along in Math.

> Today we won in baseball. Tommy Smith has chipped his arm. Diane Johnson has been sick. So long!!

> > Jack Simmons

MRS. COOPER FIFTH GRADE I like our new time because now we go to school at 8:45 in

the morning and get out at 3:45 in the afternoon. Lorie Ann Bagwell

> MISS HEARN FIFTH GRADE

The fifth grade has been working on some craft material. The girls are making jewelry boxes and the boys are making jeepsters.

In our reading this week we read a very interesting story about eagles. We drew a picture about eagles and wrote a paper about their habits and appearance.

We have enjoyed playing baseball on the playground these warm sunny days.

MRS. WELCH

SIXTH GRADE

Spiraling Cost On The Agricultural Economic Re-emphasized

price may be higher."

In 1973, Stephenville PCA

Spiraling costs on the agricultural economic scene were re - emphasized in this area today when Stephenville **Production Credit Association** reported its stockholders borrowed \$34.7 million in 1973 -\$5.5 million more than in 1972.

Bill Irwin, the association's president, said loans for production agriculture were up all over the state and were expected to increase even more

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Apple cobbler FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8 Hot dogs with chili Pork & beans Stuffed celery Jello & cookies

were fun. We have made a folder in Social Studies this past week. That's been about all. Your Friend

. . .

. . . MRS. LITTLE SIXTH GRADE It has been very easy on us so far since this new time. It's ok so far in the morning. When it comes to afternoon, I always get confused. For the six graders first time we got to sing a contract in Social Studies. Tell you more later.

Hjardeir

in 1974 Irwin noted that alleviation of

the subsidy programs for agriculture and encouragement of a 15 percent production increase pointed to even greater Imoney needs in 1974. "In addition, fuel and energy in all forms are going to cost

more", the president predicted. "We are confident that adequate credit for production agriculture will be available in

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Bacon of Cisco, Harold Hampton of Crowley and Loel 1974", Irwin said, "but because Stephenville directors are of higher cost of money and R.W. Evans of Dublin, Fred Dene Clark of Sidney. inflationary pressures, the Klutts of Pottsville, Tommy

in the selection of a cemetery

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Rev. Ronald Bear

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CHURCH OF CHRIST Jack Landrum

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.; Evening Worship 6:00 .m.; Wednesday Night Worship 7:30 p.m. FIRST UNITED

METHODIST Rev. C.C. Shultz Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; Morning

ship 9:30 a.m. OLDEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Howard Meeker

School 10:00 a.m.; Morning 11:00 a.m.; Evening Prayer ervice 7:00 p.m.; Evening Worship 7:30 dnesday Night Service 7:00 p.m. CHURCH OF CHRIST

Frank Kilbourne

Bible Class 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. FLATWOOD CHIRCH OF CHRIST Wilkie E. Moore Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning rship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 day evening 8:00 p.m OUTHSIDE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH 107 New St. Morning Worship Wed. night 7:15

We are still practising cur sive writing. Our new letters this week are x, y, z, a, o, and c.

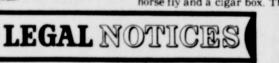
We are reading in Mustard Seed Magic and drilling on nouns and verbs. We learned more rules for dividing words into syllables. We put words with same beginning letters in A, B, C order. In math we have been carrying in adding thousands

This has been another busy week for the sixth grade. We recorded some songs in band Thursday. They will be on the radio next week.

> In English we have been working with stress, juncture, and pitch. We had to draw some pictures like a banana split, a horse fly and a cigar box. They

and shall be known as the Lake

Leon Voting Precinct; Election



NOTICE OF ELECTION PRECINCT CHANGE

Precinct No. Five shall be located within the boundaries Notice is hereby given by the of new Commissioner Precinct Eastland County Com-No. Three and shall be known missioners' Court that on as the Gorman Voting January 14th, 1974 by Com-Precinct; Election Precinct missioner Court Order certain No. Six shall be located within Eastland County election Commissioner Precinct No. precinct boundaries and Three and shall be known as the numbers were changed as Carbon Voting Precinct; follows: Election Precinct No. Election Precinct No. Seven One shall hereinafter consist of shall be located within Comthe entire territory contained in missioner Precinct No. Three the new boundaries of Comand shall be known as the missioner Precinct No. One and **Rising Star Voting Precinct:** shall be known as the Eastland Election Precinct No. Eight Voting Precinct: Election shall consist of the territory Precinct No. Two shall be contained within County located within the boundaries Commissioner Precinct No. of the new County Com-Four and shall be known as the missioner Precinct No. Two Cisco Voting Precinct. and shall be known as the Reference is hereby made to an Olden Voting Precinct: Eastland County highway map Election Precinct No. Three more fully describing these shall be within County Comelection precincts by natural missioner No. Two and shall be and artificial boundaries drawn known as the Ranger Voting on said highway map which is Precinct; Election Precinct hereby annexed and made a No. Four shall be located within part of the order and is on file in Commissioner Precinct No. the minutes of the Eastland Two and shall be known as the County Commissioners' Court. Desdemona Voting Precinct; PUBLISHED by order of the Eastland County Com-Voting Precinct No. Nine shall be located within Commissioners' Court. missioner Precinct No. Two (1 - 20, 1 - 27, 2 - 3)

Yours truly Kem Miller

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