

Moore... ABOUT EASTLAND

by Virgil E. Moore

Remember Wilford Wright, the fellow who we ran a feature story on back in the last part of May? He was the guy who was riding a tricycle cross country. Well, he apparently is still going strong. We received a picture post card from him from Alaska this week. He was at Juneau when he wrote and said he had managed to get that far by riding and pushing. We think he would have been better off by going by bus and leaving the driving up to that guy they call us.

We have had more response to our "Cute Sayings" contest than anything we have ever carried before. Those cute sayings just keep coming in. And as long as they do, we will just keep running a new contest of some kind or other. In Thursday's column, we will name the winner of the first contest. The prize, of course, is that 8x10 inch picture made by Canaris Studio. Joe has already agreed to go along with us on a new contest, which will end Sept. 15, so keep on sending those cute sayings in.

We got a nice letter from someone on Route 2 this week about the contest.

"I can't resist sending in a cute saying of our little son, he was very affectionate and loved his daddy, so much he would hug and kiss and pat his face. One day he told his daddy his whiskers stuck him. His Dad replied that he needed a shave. Another time he was getting him he said, 'O Daddy, you will have to shave again, your whiskers have come up.'"

"Now, Mr. Moore, this may be a joke to you, for that little boy is 30 years old now. He has served our country since he was 18 years old and has been to Germany twice. He had his 19th birthday near the Elbe River. He also served in Korea. He will soon be going back to Germany, but he is still our little boy. I am only sending this saying in for fun. I do not count on getting a picture. Come to think of it, it would be nice to have a picture of him before he crosses the ocean again, his seventh time. Sincerely, His Mother."

To us the letter was proof that to mothers children never grow old. Far be it to us to set a maximum age limit on these cute sayings. We care not if a child uttered the words 10, 20, 30 or 40 years ago. If the lady who wrote the letter will send us her name, in all seriousness we will enter the saying in the contest.

And from Cisco comes this entry in the contest from Mrs. F. P. Curry:

"My two children, Nathan, 3½ years old, and Linda, 5, and I were traveling along a West Texas highway when the noon hour arrived. They began to beg for hamburgers after seeing a huge hamburger sign near the highway."

"I tried to explain to them that sometimes the meat was not always fresh, therefore they could not have one. But as children sometimes are, they knew no difference between fresh and stale so they were persistent in their demands. In order for our trip to resume its quiet and solitude, I told them that the hamburgers all had worms in them. Not another word was said. I selected a very nice place to eat, had both youngsters settled and had just given the waitress our order for well balanced meals, when Nathan said, 'And no worms, please man.'"

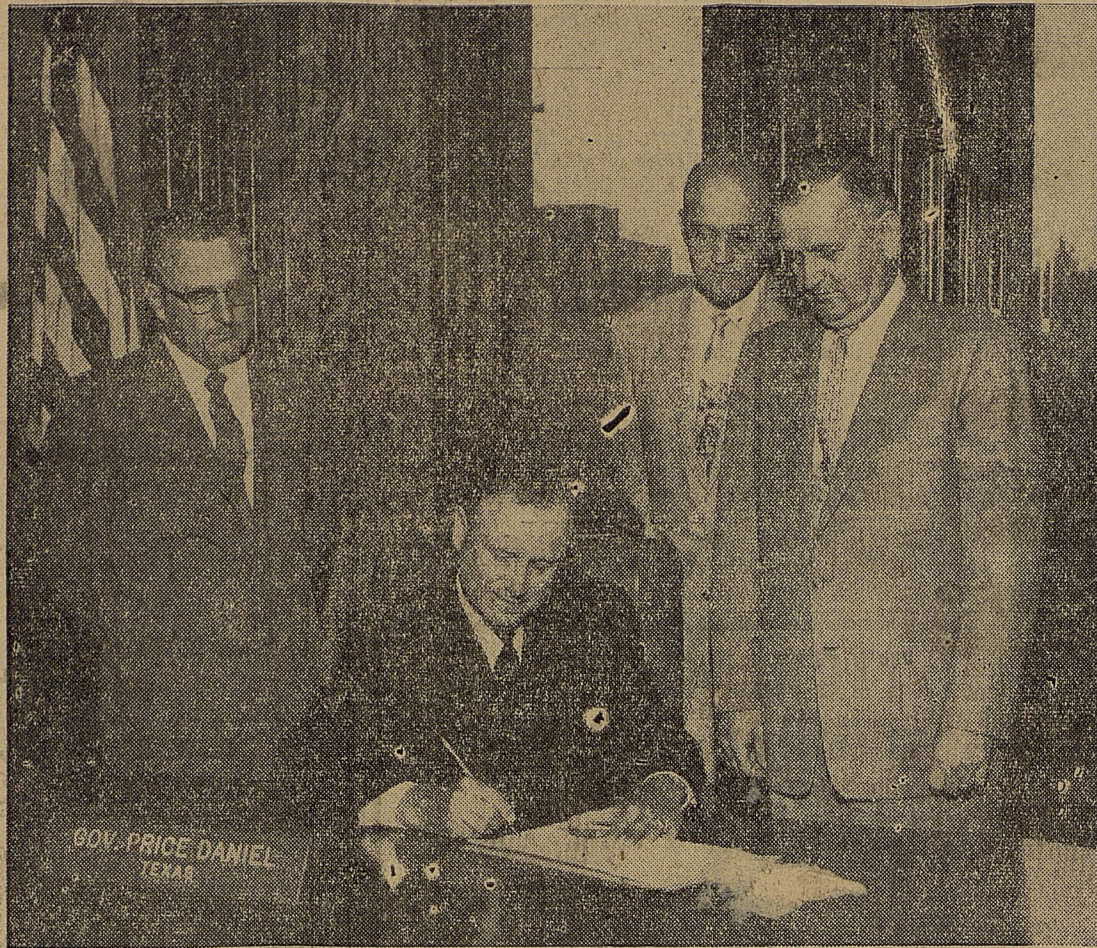
Mrs. Curry was also kind enough to say, "I have been reading the sayings of youngsters in your paper. I certainly do enjoy them." Not as much as we enjoy putting them in the paper, we would guess.

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Low	75
Rain	0
Total For Month	40
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12 Month Ave.	25.83
Lake Leon Level	74'
Forecast	Partly cloudy, warm



HONORS VA TEACHERS—Gov. Price Daniel is shown signing a resolution declaring Aug. 11-17 Vocational Agriculture Teachers Week in Texas. With the governor, from left to right, is V. C. Marshall, director of the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association; Everett Harding, member of the Board of directors of the Association, and Lewis B. Taylor, executive secretary of the statewide association.

Indian Trouble Marked County's Early History

(Editor's Note: This is the second in a series of articles taken from the book, "A History of Eastland County, Texas," written by Mrs. George Langston and published in 1904. The Telegram is grateful to H. J. Tanner, chamber of Commerce manager, for the use of the book.)

In 1858 the counties of Denton, Parker, Palo Pinto, Eastland, Brown, Lampasas, Burnet, Gillespie, Kendall, Bexar and San Patricio marked the frontier line in Texas which, for 20 years, made little advance. The Comanche Indians and their allies, the Kiowas, held undisputed sway over the remaining two-thirds of the State, with here and there a lone settlement of some venturesome pioneer. Between this frontier line and the Indians rode the dauntless and intrepid Texas Ranger, laboring day and night for the defense of the white citizens.

In 1865 the United States Gov-

ernment, having decided to pursue the policy of placing the Indians on reservations, established the Comanches — "the Arabs of the New World, whose hand was against every man, and every man's hand against them"—on a reservation on the Clear Fork of the Brazos River, about five miles from where Fort Griffin was located later. Forty miles below this reservation, and 10 miles southeast of where Graham City now stands, and about the same distance below the junction of the Clear Fork with the parent stream, was a second reservation, called the "Tonk Reservation," containing, besides the Tonkaways, remnants of the Caddo and other tribes. The two reservations were connected, the former with Camp Cooper and the latter with Fort Belknap.

The Comanches and Kiowas were always political allies and hated enemies of the "Tonks" and Caddos. When this is remembered, together with the fact that the

Tonkaways were mild, and in the main, friendly it is not surprising that reinforcements were frequently drawn from this reservation for raids against the treacherous, thieving, murderous Comanches. Five hundred of the latter were fed at the upper reservation by the government, and given horses and cattle, but it is estimated that 2000 were roaming the Western prairies as wild and untamed as the eagle in the clefted rock of the highest peak.

The Comanches chafed under restraint and longed for the freedom of the plains — perhaps for the freedom of the scalping knife. In 1856 a few daring ones stole slyly out and made raids on the white settlements. In the early spring of 1857 the raids were renewed with sudden vigor, and were continued throughout the year.

An expedition, commanded by Colonel Rip Ford, was sent out by the State in April, 1858, against a band of hostile Indians located on the Canadian River. One hundred friendly Indians from the lower reservation, which was under the command of Captain L. S. Ross, joined in. The Indian scouts, having located the enemy, the Comanches, were attacked at daybreak May 12, 1858, the allies leading the charge.

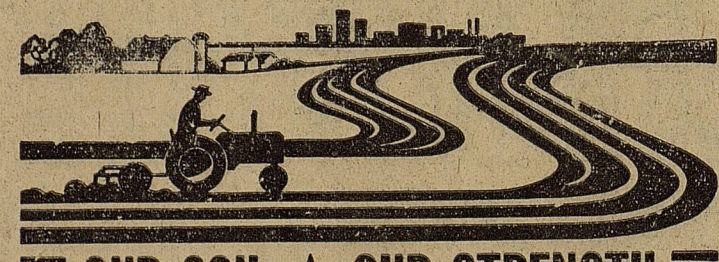
The Comanche chief, Prohebits Quasho, called "Iron Jacket," from the scaled coat of mail he wore, believing, it is said, that his armor bore a charm, rode in front, inciting his followers to deeds of bravery by his own cool daring. The bullets fell around him; still he rode unhurt. At last an Anadarko chieftain among the allies, sent a well-directed rifle bullet which pierced the charmed armor, and Iron Jacket fell to rise no more. The Comanches fled in wild confusion, and several prisoners were captured, among them, No-po, the small son of Prohebits Quasho. This was known as the battle of Antelope Hills.

Some months later, Oct. 1, 1858, the same force again surprised the Comanches at their homes just at sunrise. Lieutenant Van Camp and several soldiers were killed. In this battle a Caddo ally recaptured a little white girl whose identity has not been determined.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Indians had agreed that anyone found off the reservations would be shot, the year 1858 had barely ended when they were in Erath County stealing horses. From the years 1855-1859—the time when the government was attempting to herd the Indians, feed them and keep peace with them—there was continued and serious trouble between them and the white citizens, for the former would steal horses and scalp the whites nearly every night under the light of the moon, and the latter would seek

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SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH

We are making good progress in "restocking" our ranges with grass this summer. Soil soaking rains in April and May gave land owners their best opportunity in years of bringing the better grasses back to their range land. After the heavy rain was over in May some ranges with extra good cover were soaked over ten feet deep. Even those with only light cover were wet about five feet.

Our better deep rooted grasses have taken advantage of this moisture for unusually prolific growth. Shallow rooted spring grasses such as Texas grama and annual needle grass have made little more than their normal growth, being over shaded in many places with weeds. Shallow rooted grass have also suffered some what from a lack of rain in June and July.

Weed growth has been tremendous this summer particularly broom weed and sneeze weeds, on almost all rangeland. While most weeds have little grazing value, many times they may be taken as an indication of progress in range improvement. Weeds usually cover bare ground and improve soil condition for future grass growth.

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Prospects look good for a badly needed grass seed crop this fall on our ranges. Little bluestem and Indian grass has already begun to root, and Side oats grama is already seeding in many pastures. A good rain in the near future would do much toward insuring a seed crop. Range deferment is considered essential while seed is being made for natural reseeding of native range. Even a few animals in a pasture will almost always top all the seed heads of most good grasses while they are in the soft dough stage.

Installation of conservation structures is proceeding at a fair rate this summer. Ponds have been recently built by J. E. McDaniel at Carbon, Owen Hamilton on the Mary Coffman place south of Ranger, Raymond Penn four miles west of Cisco, Walter Underwood near Alameda, W. E. Kurklin between Cisco and Eastland, and Dean Perry on his farm west of Cisco.

J. C. Gideon recently built a nice terrace system on his farm six miles southwest of Eastland. J. H. Taylor has completed the terrace system on his farm at Cisco. Chas. A. Clark who lives two miles west of Eastland has just completed two large diversion terraces, which are designed to keep outside water out of his cropland.

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Three More Girls In Queen Contest

Sidney Seale Named As Local Candidate

The Eastland County Farm Bureau's Queen contest—to be held in Legion Hall in Eastland Friday, Aug. 16—gained three new entries and lost one this past week.

The three entries are Sidney Lou Seale of Eastland, Nell Park of Carbon and Maritta Webb of Cisco.

Miss Seale is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Seale, Miss Park's parents are Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Park and Miss Webb is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Webb.

Betty Yancey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Yancey of the

Cheaney community, announced that she was having to drop from the contest because she would be out of town when the judging took place. The other entry in the contest so far is Barbara Joy Smith of Gorman.

Deadline for entering the queen contest, which is sponsored by the county annually, is Aug. 13. Contest entries should be sent to Mrs. John Leveridge, Route 5, Cisco.

Winner of the county contest will represent the state in the regional queen contest and the regional winner will compete for state honors in Dallas in November.

In addition to the regular queen contest, which is open to girls who are single, aged 16 to 22 and a daughter or sister of a Farm Bureau member, a special contest will be held this year for young girls from 10 to 15 years old. Winner of this contest will be named Miss Junior Farm Bureau Queen.

Girls are judged on "grace, poise, charm, vivaciousness and the other qualities that go to make up winsome Texas future homemakers."

Other entries in the contest were urged.

Commissioners Meeting Delayed For One Week

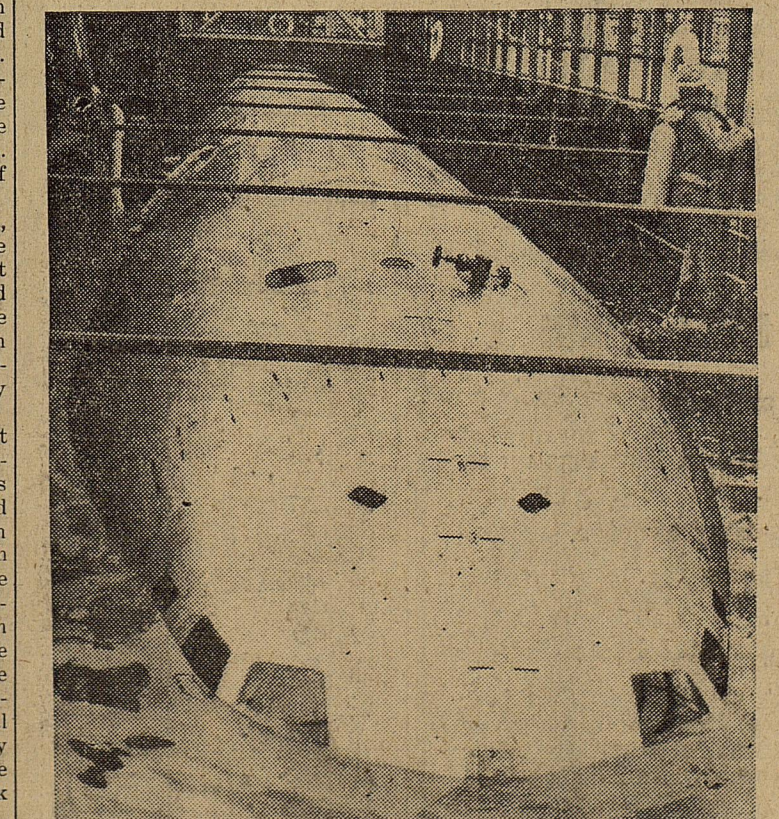
The regular monthly city commission meeting, which was slated for Thursday night, was postponed until next Thursday.

Mayor Horace Horton said the meeting would be held at 7 p.m. in City Hall.

Lone Star Gas Employees Will Hold Big Picnic

Plans were announced Saturday by Mrs. Archie Robinson, president of the Lone Star Gas Ladies Club, for an annual picnic of all Lone Star Gas Co. employees and their families.

The picnic will be Aug. 24 in Ranger. Lone Star employees will meet at the Willow Swimming pool there at 5:30 p.m. for free swimming. Following a dip in the pool the picnic will be held. Everyone was asked by Mrs. Robinson to bring a basket lunch. Drinks will be furnished by the club. After the picnic there will be a get-together at the community club house where games will be played.



WRONG ELEMENT—Usually an airplane is found in the air or on the ground but here's one looking like an ailing whale in a pool of water. The fuselage of the huge Boeing KC-135 jet aerial tanker is being given hydrostatic tests in a 300,000-gallon tank to simulate high altitude stress and strain. The KC-135 is a military version of Boeing's commercial jet airliner. Testing took place in Seattle, Wash.

Gray Matter



By JOE GRAY

One of the chief forms of amusement in days of yore was the coming of the singing school. Usually an out-of-town fellow would arrive in Our Town with a tuning fork and a good voice who put in an appearance at some of the local churches and, of course, the school, letting it be known that he would hold a singing school at such-and-such a location if enough people could get together and raise enough money to make it worth his while. Usually enough music lovers contributed to get the visitor to stay a while.

Sometimes these traveling musicians were representing music publishing houses; sometimes they were on their own. Sometimes they were very good singers and excellent piano players along with it; sometimes they weren't so good, but any time we had an old-fashioned singing school, we had a jolly good time.

Back in the days before television and radio, people found their entertainment in social gatherings of one kind or another. Sometimes these social gatherings were merely old-fashioned gospel meetings with all-day singing and dinner on the grounds. Other times we had a good get-together in the form of singing school at which gospel singing was stressed.

Back in those days a lot of people couldn't read the round notes they read so well today. Then many of our best singers played and sang only from a book of shaped notes. And some of the singing heard then was the finest and prettiest music this side of heaven, with all deference to that fellow from Ontario who has the out-of-tune sax that plays dance music so well.

One reason so many people in our part of the country years ago were such good singers was due to economic condition of that time. Nobody had much money and few if any had enough to buy a musical instrument to satisfy their love for music. So, that meant that most of our people had to be content with expressing themselves musically by singing.

This fact alone probably accounts for the phenomenon of so many good gospel quartets today being in the South while one seldom finds a quartet that originated in a Northern state. Singing seems to be a good Southern heritage.

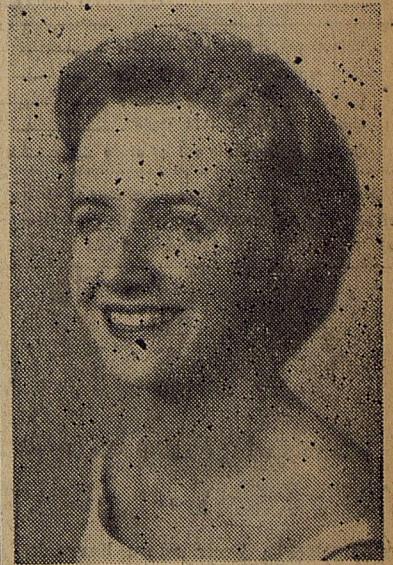
As a result of these singing schools and the peoples' love of good music Our Town has produced some very good singers. And as a result of these good singers we in turn have produced some of the best vocal groups assembled anywhere. And in these vocal groups we have had at one time or another some of the best church choirs found in the land.

Some of the finest music heard anywhere has been produced right here in Eastland in some of our church choirs. I figure almost any choir in Eastland could contest it with the giant musical Gorman Choir in Salt Lake. They may have more people in theirs but they can't sing a bit better.

Why even our bank is a singing bank, off duty. Banker Fry leads the singing at the Church of Christ. James Reid performs with an open mouth at the First Baptist Church choir loft. Frances Van Coem beautifies the First Methodist Church physically and vocally. Russell Hill serenades the back row of the church while Emily Lee Miller helps Frances beautify things up in the choir loft. Tom Wilson contributes to the general welfare by singing in the shower.

Every once in a while, though, we get a new choir director at one of our churches who has to get

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Eastland's Jimmy Martin will play in the contest.

This is the Eighth Annual Greenbelt Football Classic and the citizens have as much fun and look forward to the Greenbelt Bowl Football Game more than any other local event.

This should be the outstanding game of the series since the all-stars who represent the East and those who represent the West will have the opportunity to send their area ahead in this hard fought series. The East has won four games and the West three.

Coaches for the East will be C. R. Gilstrap and Burley H. Bearden of Arlington State College. H. A. "Sandy" Sanford and Johnny Dunn will coach the West Team.

Tickets for the Greenbelt Bowl Game may be secured by mail from the Chamber of Commerce, P. O. Box 28, Childress. Price is \$2 each.

Former Members Of CCC Company Plan Reunion

Former members of CCC Co. 849 and their families will hold their third Reunion Sept. 1, at the Brownwood State Park once headquarters for this group.

L. G. (Buggie) Morris, president of the organization, said the group has the "Group Hall" rented from Saturday evening until Sept. 2. The hall is available to out of town and out of state guests to spend the night.

Everyone is asked to bring enough food for their family for a basket lunch Sunday. There will be a short business meeting immediately following lunch.

Former members of CCC Co. 849 met for the first time in 1955 after the Camp was disbanded in 1942. They elected officers and decided to make Labor day weekend an annual reunion date. Last year there were about 40 ex members and their families present and it's expected there will be over 70 this year.

Lake Leon Now Clear From 2214 Bridge On Up

Wilson Guest of Ranger told the Telegram this week that fishing at Lake Leon is picking up and the lake water is clearing up.

"The water is clearing up in the lake and from the bridge on Farm Market Road 2214 to the upper end the lake is in good condition," Guest said. "The entire lake should be clear within a week or 10 days."

He added that, "Reports coming in now are to the effect that both bass and crappie are beginning to bite and channel cat fishing has been excellent."

Fifty Scouts to Visit Briefly In City Sunday

Fifty Cub Scouts and their parents from Fort Worth will arrive here Sunday by Texas and Pacific railway.

The Scouts are making the trip so that they can say they once had a train trip. While here they will be served ice cream and lemonade. The group will be met by Eastland members of the Sheriff's posse and chamber of commerce representatives. They will catch the 1 p.m. train back to Fort Worth.

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to repel and punish the invasions. At last, however, matters reached a climax and the Indians were removed by the Federal Government across the Red River into the Territory, where they have since remained. The Comanches were not slow to see and act upon the existing fact that they had greater freedom, and depredations continued, becoming more frequent.

It was the custom in these turbulent times for neighbors to work together in clearing land, plowing and planting, the women and children being placed in the nearest house.

(To be continued)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Eastland County, Texas, will, on the 19th day of August, 1957, at 10 o'clock a.m., in its usual meeting place in the court house at Eastland, Texas, proceed to receive and consider competitive bids for the purchase of the following described road machinery: For Proc. 3, Rising Star, Texas. One, New Tandem Drive Diesel Motor Grader, 115 to 125 H.P., Mechanical Control, Hydraulic Steering Booster, 9,000-24 front and 13,000-24 Rear Tires and Two, 50 H. P. Diesel Tandem Drive Motor Graders, 8,25-20 Tires, 10 ft. Moldboards with end bits and 2-ft. L. H. extensions; and One, New Crawler type, 72 H. P. Diesel Loader, electric Starter and lights, Crankcase and radiator guards, front idler and roller guards; Bucket teeth, and rear mounted ripper and Trade-In Three Cat 112 Motor Graders and One HD-11 A-C Tractor and Gar-Wood 25 Scraper and will at such time let a contract therefore if any bid be accepted; all such bids to be made as required by law; and if any bid be accepted it is the intention of the Court to Pay cash difference.

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COUNTY NEWS ROUND-UP

Fair Program Underway
Rising Star—Members of the Free Fall Committee, meeting Monday evening at the Majestic Hotel, began putting plans in shape for the three-day fair which will be held here on September 26, 27 and 28. J. D. (Skeet) Clark, general superintendent, presided at the meeting.

The program will begin with a parade at 5 p.m. on Thursday evening at 7:30—the Fair Queen, to be selected from girls of the Senior class of Rising Star High School, will be crowned in a ceremony on a stage to be erected on the lot at the back of the City Market building, in which the exhibits of the fair will be located.—The Rising Star Record

Progress Is Being Made
Cisco—Progress is still being made by the community development committee of the Chamber of Commerce in a campaign to obtain a new street paving program for Cisco, it was reported by Chairman A. Z. Myrick of the group. The project was studied at a meeting of the committee Monday night.

Mr. Myrick said all the property owners of three blocks have signed agreements for the paving work. In several more blocks, the signatures of one or two property owners are needed to complete them.—The Cisco Press

Football Practice Begins
Rising Star—Members of the Rising Star Wildcat football squad will be called into practice sessions for the 1957 season and Monday morning, August 26, Coach Nunally announced.

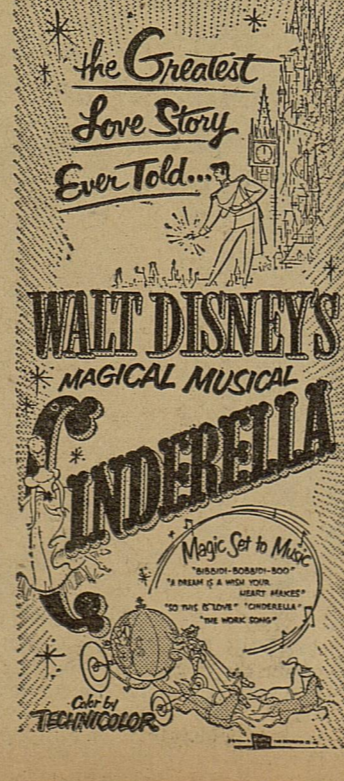
A squad of about 24 boys is expected to report for the first session at Wildcat Stadium. The squad will be short on experience and weight as well as numbers but Coach Nunally and his assistant, J. M. Crump, will have several good boys about which to build their hopes for a good season this year.—The Rising Star Record

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J. I. (Slim) Adams celebrated his birthday Aug. 3. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Munn of Ozona, Mrs. Zora Griffin of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cantrell of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams of Dallas. A nice birthday cake and ice cream were served to all those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arnold and children of Midland are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold.

The Annual Homecoming will be held here Aug. 10. The committee has a nice program arranged.

Lonnie Williamson is a patient in the Gorman Hospital with complications following an accident of stepping on a nail earlier last week.

F. C. Hershel, Wayne Griffith and his girl friend, Leslie Finn of Saten Island, N. Y., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Griffith and other relatives here while Hershel is on furlough from

the service.

The E. M. Keith's of Cisco spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Keith, Alton Thompson and mother, and Mrs. Annie Thompson, of Fort Worth were visitors here Saturday with Mrs. Millie Emde and also visited his aunt, Mrs. Katie May who remains as a patient in the Fred Jofes Rest Home in Dublin. Mrs. May expects to be home in the near future.

Calvin Williams returned to his home in Burns, Ore. after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Williams is a patient in a Cisco hospital following a severe attack of rheumatism. But is now reported improved.

Coleman Wier is a patient in a Veterans Hospital at the time of this writing.

Mrs. Horace Kullenberg of Austin is visiting with her mother, Granny Northcutt and Eva. Granny has been bedfast more than a month. Also Benny Northcutt of Brownwood and Lyman Northcutt of Kilgore spent the weekend here.

Mr. and Mrs. Radolph Duke are visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Duke.

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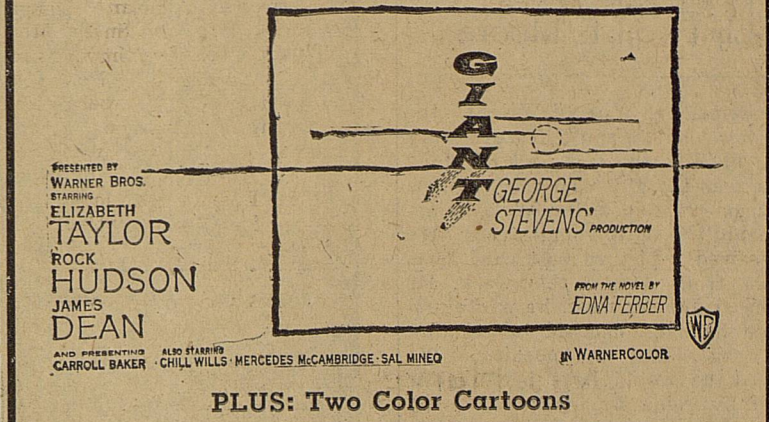
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore spent the weekend in Lamesa with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Branham and children. in Bunion Sunday.

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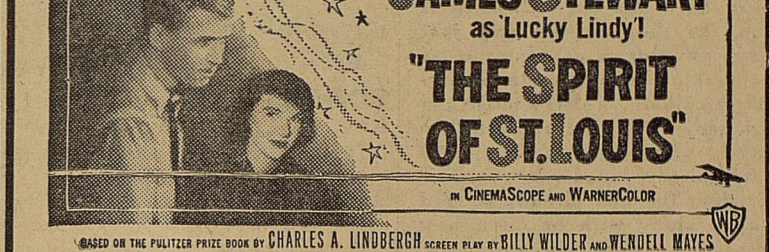
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Piano Studio Is Opened by Mrs. Harvy Kimbler

Mrs. Harvy Kimbler is announcing the opening of her studio of piano in her home at 401 South Seaman in Eastland. Classes will begin in September—but reservations are being accepted now.

Mrs. Kimbler studied piano at Hardin-Simmons University and majored in sacred music at Southwestern Baptist Seminary School of Music in Fort Worth. She has taught private lessons in Abilene and in Santo.

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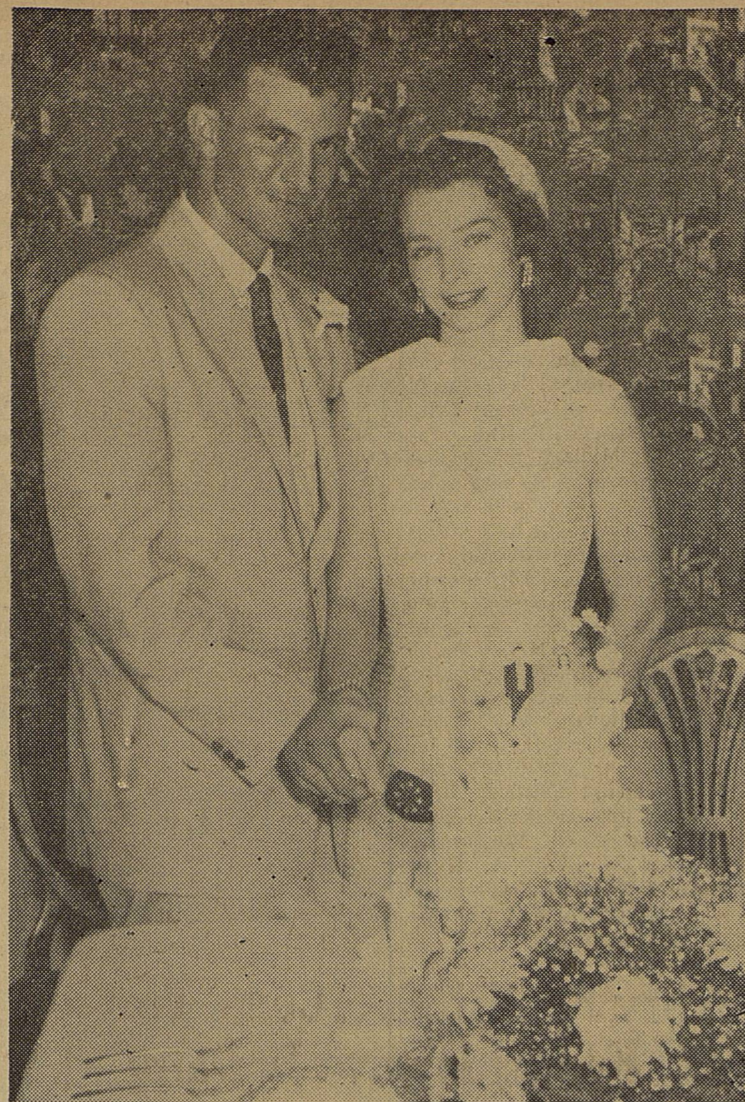
Birthday Party Honors Delinda

Delinda was honored with a birthday party on her seventh birthday on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Peterson of 305 North Green, parents of Delinda, were hosts at the birthday party.

She had a beautiful birthday cake which was chocolate decorated with pink roses and pink candles. The guests were served cute cup cakes, ice cream, and punch. Favors of bubble gum, suckers and balloons were presented to Sandra Harp, Karen Green, Tania Faircloth, Mildred Smith, Kay Smith, Robert Russell, Ginger Russell, Debbie Smith, Bryan Garner, Sherry Carey, Linna Pittman, and Randy Beskow.

Gary Lindsay, Susan Couch, Mike Couch, Mrs. Leo Smith, Mrs. Roy Carey, Mrs. Roy Smith, and Mrs. F. C. Couch of El Paso.

The group enjoyed several different games. One game which the group "just loved" was Pin the Puppy Tail was won by Karen Green. Fania Faircloth won the game of dropping clothes-pins into bottles.



Mr. and Mrs. Donald Eddleman

Beverley Gailey, Donald Eddleman Are Married In Strawn Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Eddleman are at home in Strawn following their wedding in Strawn Friday evening in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Gailey.

The bride is the former Beverley Ann Gailey, and her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eddleman of New Hope.

The Rev. Jack Taylor, pastor of the Baptist Church of New Hope officiated. The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a dress of white taffeta interwoven with silver threads. A chiffon bow with long streamers was back accent. She added white opera pumps and a white hat. On a white Bible she carried an orchid.

Mrs. Lloyd Waddington of Abilene was her sister's matron of honor. She wore a light blue chiffon dress with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Jackie Eddleman, brother of the bridegroom was best man. Benny Gailey, brother of the bride, was escort to the matron of honor.

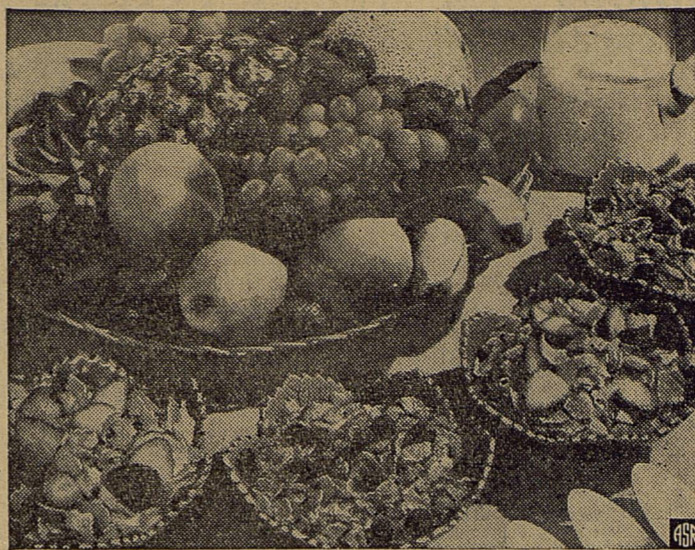
Mrs. Byron Gailey played "Melody of Love" and traditional wedding music on the piano.

When the couple left for a wedding trip to Colorado the bride wore a two piece suit of aqua linen and white accessories.

Mrs. Eddleman is a graduate of Ranger High School and is employed at the Strawn bank. Her husband, a graduate of Breckenridge High School, is employed at Convair in Fort Worth.

Hot weather hint—

Eat A Cool Refreshing Breakfast



Take time to eat a cool, refreshing breakfast and see how much better you and your family are prepared to cope with the heat of a hot, summer day. An attractive breakfast buffet might be just the change of pace that would perk up listless appetites, dulled by excessive heat.

The buffet need not be elaborate but should provide enough variety so that each person can select a combination of breakfast foods that will appeal to him and at the same time meet the requirements of an adequate breakfast. An adequate breakfast follows a basic breakfast pattern recommended by leading doctors and dietitians to provide 1/4 of the daily nutritional requirements for most people. This basic breakfast pattern calls for fruit, cereal, milk, bread and butter.

If a member of your family has been advised by his physician to go on a low-fat diet, you will find a basic cereal breakfast pattern among the best because it is low in fat.

Set up your breakfast buffet in the coolest spot you can find. It might be on the porch, in the garden or patio. If outdoor eating is not feasible, perhaps some indoor location other than the regular eating place could be more comfortable. Fresh fruit atop crisp, ready-to-eat breakfast cereal served with chilled milk is the main dish for your buffet. Set out several different varieties of breakfast cereals—this is easy with more than two dozen varieties available at your grocery store. Provide a choice of two or three fresh fruits while they are in season. Honey or cinnamon sugar add variety. Be sure the milk is ice cold. Breadstuffs offer additional variety with the many kinds of breads, rolls, and coffee cakes that are available.

Research at a leading Midwestern university has demonstrated that breakfast is essential for all ages. The subjects who ate an adequate morning meal not only felt better, but they performed better, especially in the late morning hours.

- Refreshing Breakfast Buffet**
 Strawberries, Blueberries, or Peaches atop
 Corn Flakes or Whole Wheat Flakes
 Chilled Milk for Cereal and Beverage
 Raisin Cinnamon Swirl Bread Butter
 Coffee, if desired

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Hospital News

Patients in the Eastland Memorial Hospital are:

Glenn Moore, medical
 Mrs. Ed Cox, medical
 Mrs. Clyde Butler, and baby girl

Dismissed were:
 Raymond Lilly and Mrs. Claude Archer.

Patients in the Ranger General Hospital from Eastland and Olden are:
 J. R. Langham, medical

M. A. Garrett, medical
 Mrs. Bill Brashier and baby boy
 W. A. Blackmon, surgical
 Betty Smith, surgical, Olden
 Mrs. Glen Hart and baby boy
 Dismissed were:
 Mrs. Burl Houston, Carla Boustead, and Nancy Copeland.

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 By Frances Moore

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If you have ever run up against the problem of forgetting a child's birthday until after the downtown stores have closed you will be glad to hear that the **HILLCREST FOOD MARKET** has a whole rack of toys and another of socks and panties. Either would make any child happy. And don't forget the **HILLCREST** stays open seven days a week until 8 p.m.

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You people don't forget the show passes that are waiting for you at the businesses mentioned above. The passes, plus a service charge, will allow you to see a movie in the cool comfort of the **MAJESTIC THEATRE**. Don't forget to pick your's up.

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ABOUT YOUR HEALTH
 A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health
HENRY A. HOLLE, M.D., Commissioner

AUSTIN — Summer-time is barefoot-time. One of the joys of summer vacations for small boys—and girls too—is to be able to go about their business sans shoes.

What adult can say that he found no pleasure in mud oozing between his toes or the coarse grass tickling his feet?

However, shoes are basically a protective item of clothing, and when they are not worn, the protection is removed. For that reason each summer the incidence of foot injuries to children goes up.

These injuries are varied, but usually they are abrasions, cuts or punctures.

Prompt action and a hurried trip to the doctor or first aid kit is usually all that is required to set things right.

But oftentimes there is a hidden spectre waiting to complicate what may appear to be a simple little glass cut or nail puncture. This spectre is tetanus, commonly called lockjaw.

Lockjaw is an acute disease of the nervous system caused by by poisons from wounds infected with tetanus bacteria. These organisms, Clostridium tetani, are found in the soil, especially in the feces of domesticated animals.

Contrary to popular beliefs, tetanus is not restricted to farm areas. Any domesticated animal, including cats and dogs, are capable of carrying the organisms.

The tetanus bacteria cannot survive well in open air, but thrive in closed wounds, which they enter through breaks in the skin, establishing themselves in dirty wounds resulting from all sorts of accidents from highway accidents to the most trivial penetrating wound.

The incubation period ranges from two to 50 days after contact with the germ. The first signs are often stiffness in the neck and jaw, sometimes preceded by chills, fever and stiffness of the muscles near the original wound.

In time, if left unchecked, tetanus causes severe spasms involving the entire body and may result in death.

Fortunately serious damage from the infection may be avoided through immunization with tetanus toxoid and should be included in the routine vaccinations of children, with an occasional "booster" to insure immunity.

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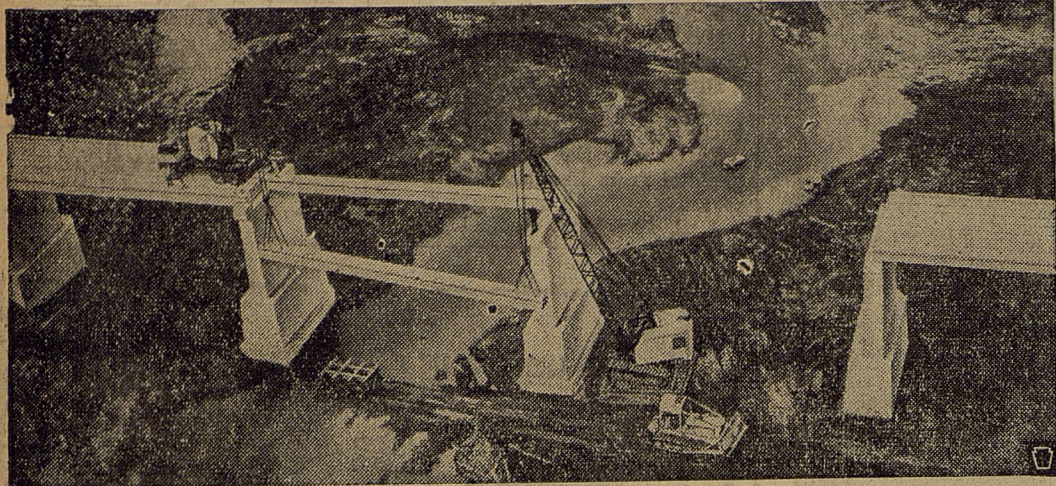
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NEW TECHNIQUES IN BRIDGE BUILDING HELP SPEED UP HIGHWAY PROGRAM



Precast concrete spans, reinforced with prestressed steel, are brought from the factory and quickly positioned for a big bridge

Modern wonders in construction will enable the National Highway Building Program to better accomplish its mission of reducing traffic congestion and providing safer travel.

Precast concrete spans—a cost-saving development—will go into many of the 304,600 bridge structures required in the 13-year road program including the 41,000-mile network of super-highways.

On just one highway in one state (Illinois), there was a saving of \$20,000 on each of 200 bridges by using precast bridge members. The weather-proof structures require a minimum of maintenance and no painting.

Each of the spans in precast bridge sections is reinforced with steel cables and pretensioned. They function as the support between piers and as flooring. American-Marietta Company — one of the nation's foremost sup-

plier of construction materials — produces them in lengths up to 100 feet.

While contractors' crews are building forms and pouring concrete for piers, workers in American-Marietta's plants are precasting the concrete span sections.

They are trucked to the bridge site for placement as soon as upright supports are ready. Cranes swing them onto the piers, and they are interlocked in required widths.

Derricks are moved forward on the newly placed spans. Where a stream bed is shallow, a crane may be operated from there.

Placing of one full span a day is normal, though some installations are finished within hours.

No longer must men risk their lives by extending scaffolds across the depths and then building forms that have to be torn away later.

Contractors save construction time, and motorists avoid detours that often plague drivers for months.

Uniformly made with high-strength concrete, the bridge decks are manufactured under closely controlled factory conditions.

First step in American-Marietta's process is the stringing of high tensile steel cables in a pouring bed, formed to the required dimensions. These cables are the unseen sinews of the bridge.

Tension of the cables after they are released increases the span strength by exerting pressure inward on the finished concrete. A favorite engineering comparison is a row of books. When pressed inward at each end, the row becomes so strong it can be moved, for the books' strength has been multiplied. So it is with steel cable and concrete for a modern bridge.

Presbyterian Worship Service Schedule Listed

The last morning worship service until September will be held Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church. The subject of the sermon by the Minister will be "The Twelve Apostles."

Sunday Church School convenes at 10 o'clock. The regular session meeting will be held on Monday at 5 o'clock, in the Pastor's Study at the church.

The Women's Association, postponed from last week, will meet Tuesday morning at 9:30 at the church.

As indicated above, there will be no morning worship service on next Sunday or the next. The last two weeks of August constitute the remainder of the Pastor's vacation. Sunday Church School will be held as usual.

Gray Matter—

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acquainted with his performers before he can do his best singing. A good choir director knows the musical strengths and weaknesses of his choir members as well as he knows the palm of his hand.

One day the First Baptist had a new choir director who was having his first rehearsal with his newly acquired singers. He wasn't too well pleased with what he heard so he kept silencing first one singer then another as the evening progressed trying to find out who was handing him all the dischords. Finally he gleefully approached our county clerk.

"Brother Smith, what part do you sing?"

Johnson, looking as blank as a new checkbook, answered, "Professor, I don't sing any part. When I sing a song I sing it all the way through from beginning to the very last note. I don't miss a one."

"I mean," the choir director asked, "what vocal part do you sing, Mr. Smith?"

"Oh, vocal part," the county clerk answered, "why didn't you say so? I sing shaped notes."

"What shape shaped notes do you sing?"

"Standing up here between James Reid and Ed Layton it's about all I can do to occasionally sing a note wedgeways, professor," the courthouse bass answered.

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Summer Revival Begins Sunday

The summer revival begins Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock at First Baptist Church with L. V. Simmonds, pastor of the Allena Baptist Church, San Antonio, preaching and John Dickey, Minister of Music of the local church directing the music.

Brother Dickey has planned for the Booster Choir to meet each evening before services at 7:30, the Church Choir will bring special music each evening and he will bring messages in song as a soloist.

Prayer meetings will be held by classes in upper departments and by departments in the Elementary departments each evening at 7:30. Evening Revival Services begin at 8:00 with the morning services at 10:00. The pastor, Harvey Kimbler, extends an invitation to every one to attend these services.

Other activities for the week include Sunday School, 9:45; Cherub and Celestial Choirs, 6:00 p.m. and Training Union at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday. On Wednesday evening at 7:00 the R. A., G.A., Y.W.A., and Sunbeams will meet. Other meetings will not be held because of revival.

Calvary Baptist Hold Fellowship

The Calvary Baptist Church 207 North Oak Street is having an all day fellowship meeting Sunday. Dinner will be served at the church.

Sunday School begins at 10 a.m. and preaching service at 11. Everyone is welcome. Rev. H. L. Williams is pastor.

Christian Science

The practical power of goodness and spirituality will be set forth at Christian Science services Sunday.

Keynoting the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Spirit" is the Golden Text from I Corinthians (2:12): "Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God."

Episcopal Church Services Listed

Lay Leaders service is held Sunday at 11 a.m.

Rev. L. Russell Clapp of Stephenville will conduct communion services at the church at 11 a.m. Sunday.

From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will be read the following (277:7-9): "As God Himself is good and is Spirit, goodness and spirituality must be immortal."

Scriptural selections will include the following from II Corinthians (3:4,5): "And such trust have we through Christ to God-ward: Not that we are sufficient of ourselves; but our sufficiency is of God."

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First Christian Church Meets for Regular Services

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The evening vespers at 7:30 will have as a sermon theme, "Little Beginnings and Great Issue" from Acts 16: 6-15.

A called board meeting at 8:30 p.m. will be held with Carl Garrett presiding. This is a very important meeting.

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

Cottage Bible Study Begins At Church of Christ

For some time now plans have been in progress to begin regular weekly Bible study classes in various homes in Eastland, according to Otta Johnson, Church of Christ minister.

He says that any family in town may have such a study class in their home "regardless of religious persuasion," and that the course will be on the entire Bible.

"It is possible to complete the study course in five weeks," he explained. "Any one wishing to take part in this cottage Bible study work should contact me. The course is free with all material furnished," he concluded.

"A Study of the Church at Rome" will be the morning sermon topic at 10:50 a.m. and "The Church in Philippi" will be the sermon subject at the 7:30 p.m. worship hour.

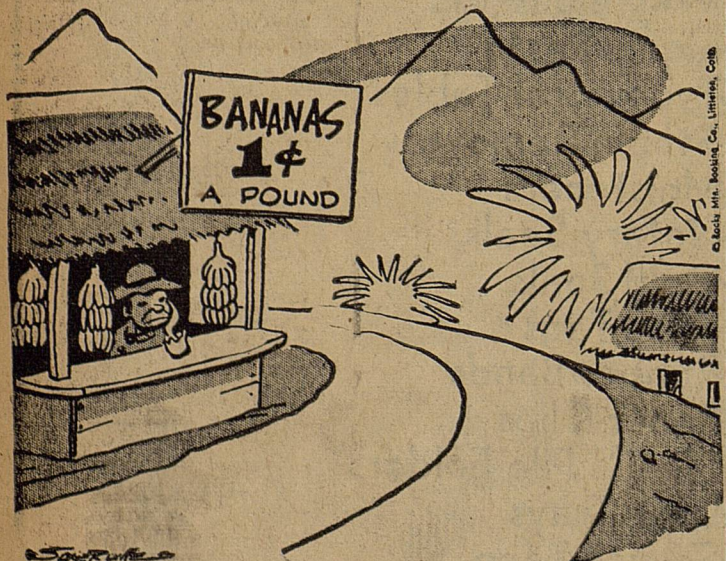
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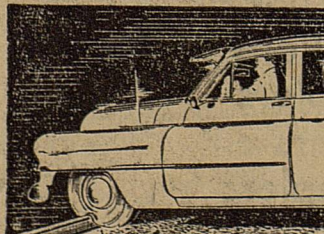
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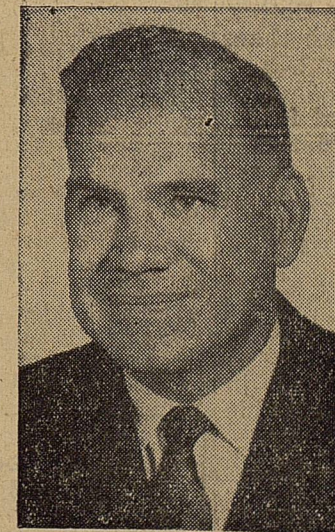
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