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# Local News In Brief

the parents of a baby girl whom the funeral of their sunt, Mrs. they have named Charlene. Ste Bud Tucker, in Dablin I was been July 20 in the Eastland Tucker was killed near Stepl

kin, of Rising Star Sunday after- of Carbon.

of Fort Hood visited J. Z. Phil- Mitchell and wife and her mothlips and wife Sunday.

Marvin Hays and wife and Miss Nell Park visited Airman Bryan Lee Hays who is stationed at Harlingen over the week end.

Guests of Wade White and wife last week end were their sun, Edgar White, and family of Odessa.

Mrs. Mack Stubblefield, presdent of the local Baptist In Progress W. M. U., accompanied by Mrs. Mike Morgan, Mrs. Vern Jackson and Mrs. Roger Butler attended a District W. M. U. meet ing in Lueders last Thursday and Priday.

Visiting with their parents, John Nicholas and wife, over the week end was Don Nicholas of Monahans and Burl Nicholas and family of Odessa.

Mrs. J. A. Clement of M ran and daughter, Miss Opal Clement, of Dallas and Mrs. Sidney Reff of Eastland visited Mrs. J. T Clement last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen S. Schreiner of Houston visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stubi them after an extended visit vices are held twice daily at 10 a. Jackson, of Bartlesville, Okla here with their grandparents.

B. J. Levens and family of Andrews are visiting her parents, Clyde Beaton and wife.

Pasedena visited her parents, M. is directing the singing with Miss ter, Miss Sybie McDaniel, H. Byrd and wife, this week.

her father, R. H. Benton in the the family and enjoy good sing- week. Eastland Hospital, also his par- ing and good preaching in airents, George Barton and wife,

Mr. and Mrs. Heary Harle are Joe and Les Barnett attended ital and weighed 8 pounds ville Saturday, when the car a was driving went out of conti Mr. and Mrs. Leaster Vaughn and overturned. She was the visited her sister, Mrs. P. C. Lar. mother of John Tucker, formerly

Babe Mitchell and family of William Dean Allen and fatally Munday visited his parents, R. F er, Mrs. Laura Foley, this week.

> Mrs. H. R. Gilbert received word of the death of her brother, W. O. Kinsel, of San Diego, Calif. last Saturday. Mr. Kinsel visited his sister here only a few months ago.

# Baptist Revival



REV. ED SCARBROUGH

can last Friday evening at the ocal church and will continue through Sunday, August 9. Ser- are visiting her sister, Mrs. T. G. 7:30.

Rev. Ed Scarbrough, pastor of tended visit in Bartlesville, Second Baptist Church, Ranger, is the evangelist and Rev. Roger Glenn Garrett and family of Butler, paster of the local church, Patsy Jackson at the piano.

Rev. Scarbrough is bringing inconditioned comfort.

# Again Ghanged

The Sabanna Valley Game Pre I the date for the barbeque, a spekeeman mid this week. We announced last week that the date had been tentatively set for August 27, but it has been moved to Wednesday might, August 19.

This change is due to the fact that the association has invited Murray Cox, farm editor of WFFA WBAP Radio, to the affair and this is the only open date he has in August. So let's remember the date and be there.

### Weaver Reunion

The Weaver family reunion will be held Sunday, August 9, at Bass Lake near Gorman. All relatives and friends are urged to

### Jones-Johnson

M-Sgt. and Mrs. C. H. Jones have announced the marriage of their daughter, Barbara, to Mr. Richard Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lenzie Johnson of Pampa, Texas.

The candlelighted double ring ceremony was read in the Central Baptist Church in Pampa by the pastor, Rev. Thurman Upshaw, Saturday, August 1, at 8 p. m.

The couple will make their home at 712 W. Francis St. in P. of Mrs. J. R. Turner of Carbon.

Miss Shirley Hogan has been visiting her brother, Lynn Hogan, The Baptist summer revival and family of Spearman.

m. and 8 p. m. Group prayer and other points during their vameetings begin each evening at cation. Their daughters will return home with them after an ex-

> Miss Kay McDaniel is visiting in Abilene this week with her sis-

J. Z. Phillips was taken ill early to the Gorman Hospital and was transferred from there later in the day to Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene where emergency surgery was performed. He is resting well and will undergo further surgery later.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayneal Baze and David of Ranger visited her mother, Mrs. J. L. Black, this week and attended the revival at the Baptist Church.

Miss Mary Butler of Ft. Worth spent the week end with her parents, E. R. Butler and wife.

### Issue Dates For Surplus Food Given

The next issue date for the Surplus Foods for Rising Star, Okra, Carbon, Gorman and Des-Semona is Tuesday, Aug. 11, acrdirg to an announcement by J. J. Porter, admis

# Farm Home Agency Dedicated To Keeping Farmers On Farm

Most Eastland County citizens think they know what the Farmers Home Administration (FHA) does, but the truth of the matter

is that few persons really do.

And the few that do don't realize what a large part the FHA plays in this county. Last year, for instance, the agency loaned out \$324,000 in Eastland County. The bright part of the picture is that \$578,000 was paid back on past loans. Homer P. Cole, who is in charge of the Eastland office, points out that was 60 percent more than was borrowed in the fiscal year which ended July 1. He credits the rosy picture to the fact that Eastland County had a good peanut crop in 1958.

Cole predicts that farmers in the county, with another good year, will be on stable footing

More emphasis has been placed on the local FHA office, which is located on the fourth floor of the Petroleum Building in Eastland, in view of the fact that Elmer L. Foster has been moved to Eastland from Abilene. Eastland is now headquarters for Foster, area 13 supervisor. He is in charge of an eight county area including Jones, Taylor, Eastland, Shackelford, Callahan, Comanche, Erath and Hood counties. This is one of just 22 districts in the state.

Still the duties of the FHA aren't defined. Cole likes to tell the story about the many persons who get his FHA mixed up with another FHA, the Federal Housing Authority. His agency does lend money on homes, but just on farm homes.

He explains that the FHA is an agency set up to make money available to agricultural people who cannot get loans from regu-lar lending institutions.

and ranchers get enough money to get going, and enough techni-cal help to stay in business," Cole explains. Once a farmer does get in a position to have credit with other lending agencies, the

De Leon's 45th annual peach and meion festival, which opened Wednesday with a parade, will end Saturday after everybody is stuffed with free ice-cold melons,

Thursday night's activities will Mr. and Mrs. Ervin of include gospel singing and fire m. Friday.

The free melon slicing on Mala Monday morning and was taken day. A square dance will con- invited to attend these services. elude the festival.

"You might say we are trying to work ourselves out of a job,' Cole said with a smile.

The agency is the lending or financing agency of the Department of Agriculture. Farm own-ership for individuals is its goal. The agency can, and does, make 100 percent loans to veterans who have a farm background. Normally a farm of 200 to 250 acres is considered an economic unit. Four hundred acres are usually needed to make a livestock operation economical, Cole explained. A limit of \$25,000 on farms is imposed in the county.

There is no limit on housing loans, but the house must be a part of an economic farm unit. During the drouth years, applications were kept low.

At the beginning of the last fiscal year, 187 farmers and ranchers were participating in the program. During that time 64 paid in full, leaving 124 accounts today.

The FHA has a long range program, three to seven years. It stresses making a farm pay off, including gardening as well as cash crops. Cole points with pride to the fact that during the past year each farmer in the program averaged producing foodstuff for his own use valued at

Getting livestock on farms has been another key objective of FHA. Cole believes farmers can better stabalize their income by buying some cattle.

Actually, the FHA can lend money on anything which pertains to farmers' needs.

FHA became into being in 1947 under the Bankhead-Jones-Tenant Act. The agency originally started under another name in

Cole can point to a lot of success stories. He mentioned one farmer in the south part of the county who almost gave up during the drouth. Today he has paid off in full, including a good herd of cattle, and has money in the bank.

What's the main job of the FHA? Keeping farmers on the farm! - Eastland Telegram.

Hope Baptist Church Number 2 starts Friday. August 7, and continues through 16. Rev. H. B. "Butch" Gregory, paster of the South Side Baptist Church in O-Russell Barton and family of teresting and influential messages Brownwood visited her sister, Mrs works display. An old time fide dessa, will do the preaching and Lake Ridge, Oregon are visiting from time to time. Come bring Marvin Hale, and family this lers contest will begin at 7:30 pl the singer will be C. L. Mahon of De Leon.

> Services will be at 10 a. m. and Street will begin at 4 p. m. Satur- 7:30 p. m. daily. Everyone is Bud May, Pastor

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### Cutting Weeds In Pastures Is Urged For Better Yield

college station — Weeds often cut improves pasture and hay yields by 50 percent or more. This, says E. M. Trew, extension pasture specialist, is the reason why weeds should be controlled in improved pastures.

Weeds cut yields by stealing moisture, plant nutrients and light from the pasture or hay plants, and some weeds prevent grazing and lower hay quality.

Prevention is the best means of weed control. Pastures that are properly grazed and fertilized usually do not have a severe weed problem, said Trew. Fencerows and roadsides should be kept clean and weed seed should not be brought in by Combines and other machinery, in feed or in planting seed.

Mowing is an effective means of pasture weed control when properly timed. All weeds should be mowed before they produce seed. Some weeds, such as eastern bitterweed and yankeeweed will require at least two mowings in one season, he said.

One spraying of 2,4-D with ground equipment costs about the same as one mowing, but if

the spraying is properly done it is often as effective as three mowings. One properly timed application of 2,4-D often gives control for the entire season.

Weeds should be sprayed when they are in the young, rapid growth stage. When crops susceptable to 2,4-D are nearby, pasture spraying may have to be done before these crops are planted, the specialist said. When pasture legumes, such as clovers, are to be protected, spraying may be delayed until the legumes have formed enough hard seed to insure a volunteer stand the next fall.

For spraying improved pastures in areas of 30 inches annual rainfall, use 1 pound of 2,4-D amine to 10 to 25 gallons of water per acre. Add ½ to 1 cup of liquid household or laundry detergent per 100 gallons of spray mixture as a wetting agent.

For stands of such grasses as buffel and blue panic in areas of less than 30 inches rainfall, use 1 pound of 2,4-D amine or low volatile ester, with a wetting agent, he said. For summer temporary pastures of Sudan and the like, use ½ to ¾ pound of 2,4-D amine in 10 to 25 gallons of water per acre. Do not use a weting agent an these grasses.

Boom-type sprayers give the most accurate placement of the spray but are more troublesome, Trew said. Bomless-type spray-

ers using a single nozzle or a cluster of nozzles are faster and less trouble, and they have a minimum of 15 gallons of mixture per acre for good coverage. Airplanes may be used effectively, with spray output at 5 gallons per acre.

Before spraying get a copy of the State Herbicide regulations and study them to see how they apply to you, as they are for your protection, added Trew.

Ask your county agent for a copy of Bulletin 892, "Weed Control in Texas Pastures."

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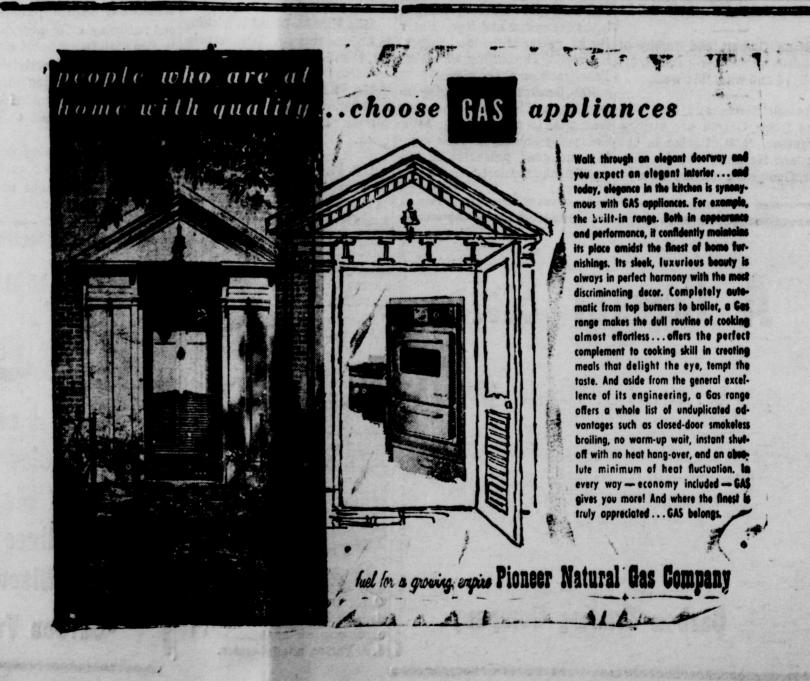
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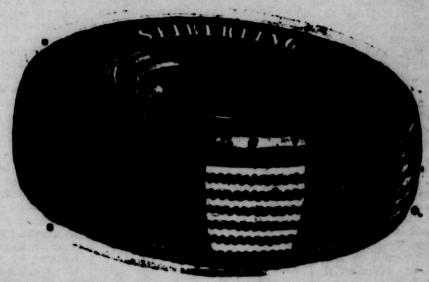
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### Peanut Growers Meeting Is Called A Big Success

Approximately 200 persons were in the Tarleton State College Agriculture Auditorium at Stephenville July 24, when the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association held the opening session of its annual convention, according to information received

cording to information received today.

Ross Wilson, manager of the organization, stated that the meeting was the most successful ever held. In the first session of the convention, Mr. Wilson reported to members on the past year's operation.

He told the group that the Association took under price support warehouse loan some 22,-600 tons of peanuts in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico. The Association was not able to sell

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Rev. Roger Butler, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a, m. J. E. Jackson, Superintendent Morning worship 11:00 a. m Training Union 7:00 p. m Evening worship 8:00 p. m. W. M. U. Menday 2:00 p. m Prayer meeting Wed. 7:80 p.m. Note: The Brotherhood will be glad to take the elderly people home from church morning and night.

# Methodist Church

Rev. Royce Gilmore, paster Services 1st, 2nd and 8rd Sundays 10:00 a. m Sunday School 11:00 a m Morning Worship 7:00 p. m. Youth meeting 8:00 p.m Evening Services 2:30 p. m. Mon W.S. C.S. 8 p. m. Wed. Prayer meeting

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### LAUROROM AT

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shellers due to heavy purchases of shellers directly from producers last fall.

It was explained that the Commodity Credit Corporation decided to carry this inventory over which means maintaining the peanuts in government inventory after August 1. The CCC through the Association, offered the peanuts for bidding. Low were then placed in cold storage for safekeeping away from sum-mer insects.

The manager also described be organization's efforts to set the organization's efforts to set up legislation to enable the growers to assess themselves for funds to carry on research and promotional projects. Representative Ben Sudderth of Comanche and Senster Hugh Sandlin of Holdenville, Oklahoma, sponsors of the legislation in their respective states, were present to com-ment on plans during the 1961 session of their legislature.

In the general session at 11 a.m., Dolph Briscoe Jr., of Uvalde, the principal speaker for the event, reminded lawmakers and citizens to remain aware of the pressing need in the Southwest for generally improved programs of soil and water conservation.

Briscoe was recently appointed by President Eisenhower to a commission to study the conser-vation needs of Texas and to make recommendations in that respect.

Another feature of the meeting was in charge of James Dickens, agricultural engineer at North Carolina State College. He demonstrated recently developed shellers, automatic samplers, shakers and splitters to be used in the inspection of peanuts. Some of this equipment will be used this year and some will need further perfection.

### Other Disability Pay No Longer Offsets SS Law

Disabled workers who have not applied for social security disability benefits because they are receiving disability payments from another Federal agency, or under a State Workmen's Compensation program, should get in touch with their local social security office without delay.

per of the Abilene social security district office, many such workers can get social security disability benefits. Moreover, mefits can go back as far as agust, 1958, if an application is filed before September 1, 1959.

Under the law in effect prior to August 1958, a worker's social security disability payment was reduced by the amount of any other disability benefit he received under a State Workmen's Compensation program, or from another Federal agency. In a number of cases this meant that no social security disability payment could be made. As a result, many workers who would not have benefited by the "disability freeze" did not file a claim. These workers should check with their local social security office not later than August 31, 1959, Tuley emphasized

A representative of the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration will again be in Cisco on the morning of July 29, August 12 and 26 at the Chamber of Commerce. He will be glad to discuss your social security question with you.

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