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REASONABLE TIME

Before a contract arises someone must make an offer and another must accept it.

Without an offer, no acceptance; with no acceptance, no agreement.

But there is often a time within which you can accept the offer. And if not, the offer ends anyhow within a "reasonable time" which is determined by circumstances and the parties' intentions.

Smith had a set of books which Brown wanted. Brown wrote and offered him \$200 for the set.

Smith didn't answer for six months, and meantime Brown bought a similar set. One day Brown got a letter from Smith saying "I accept your offer of \$200 for the set of books."

Brown told Smith he'd bought the books elsewhere, but Smith still claimed that his belated "acceptance" had nevertheless sealed the contract with Brown. Was there a contract? No, the offer had lapsed because it had not been accepted in the circumstances within a reasonable time.

There are many ways to end an offer. You may withdraw it, you may say that the offer expires at a given time, or you may die, or the other party may turn it down directly or by making a counter offer.

Here Smith had failed to accept Brown's offer within a reasonable time, which ended it just as though it had been withdrawn.

What is a reasonable time? It varies. The offer could ex-

pire in a few minutes in the stock market or last for quite a while, depending upon what a court would think is a reasonable time.

But in Smith's case six months was unreasonable.

(This newsfeature, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

Harrells Return From Visit With Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harrell and their daughter, Carol, have returned from a week's visit with their daughter, Mrs. Ed Ware, and family in Midland.

They also visited Mrs. Harrell's sister, Mrs. Ben Clark, and family at Clovis, N. M. There they met Mrs. Clark's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Damon, who have recently returned from Jima, Ethiopia. Edwin Damon, a student at Oklahoma A&M College, was chosen by the college to work in Ethiopia for a year. The family told the Harrells of some of their experiences while in that country.

Mr. Damon will re-enter Oklahoma A&M College to work on a higher degree. He has taught in Alamogordo, N. M., for several years. The Harrells visited in Lubbock, Hereford and Littlefield.

Read the Classifieds!

Reed Implement Company Opens New Plant to Public

Six months or more ago the Reed Implement Company, Rising Star area dealers in J. I. Case farm tractors and equipment, was a smoking ruin. Saturday this week, after months of hard work, often discouraging, W. C. Reed, owner of the allowed the club for use in a completely rebuilt and re-equipped plant to public inspection at an Open House during which he will also show a big line of J. I. Case 1960 tractors and farm machinery.

At the open house Mr. Reed and his staff will show new steel and concrete buildings housing modernized parts department, a well-equipped shop for repair and servicing of equipment, a paint and steam cleaning department, an office building, and store rooms which represent a great improvement over the old structures lost in the fire. The new buildings are fireproof, roomy, well lighted and easy of access. The parts department is equipped with ample bin and display space, well designed for serving customers of the firm.

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There will be refreshments and door prizes. Every member of the family is invited to visit the new Rising Star farm machinery agency and plant and be the guests of Mr. Reed and his organization.

Representatives of the J. I. Case company will be on hand also.

Mrs. Hugh Bosse and two small sons of Sperry, Okla., are here for a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delton Chambers. Mrs. Bosse is the former Tressie Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Darnell, Danella, Tommy, and Ray spent Thursday in Wichita Falls visiting Mr. Darnell's mother, Mrs. E. F. Darnell and other relatives.

Annual Meeting, Credit Problems Talked by PCA

STEPHENVILLE.—(Spl.) R. B. Wesson of Eastland, field representative of the Stephenville Production Credit Association, attended a meeting at the central office in Stephenville Thursday, August 18, to make plans for the association's annual meeting and to discuss special credit problems.

Stockholders from the 10-county area served by the agricultural lending organization will hold their annual meeting at the Stephenville Recreation Hall on September 17, General Manager W. M. Irwin told field representatives and other administrative personnel at the day-long conference.

Counties in the Stephenville Association include Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Hamilton, Hood, Johnson, Scurry, Tarrant and Wise. Field offices are operated in Comanche, Cleburne, Decatur, Eastland and Fort Worth.

In addition to Wesson, other field representatives attending the conference were J. L. Young of Fort Worth, J. H. Bumpas of Comanche, and Leon Atkinson of Decatur. Central office personnel attending were Assistant Manager Robert Norwood and C. Russell. Irwin presided at the meeting.

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150 Attend Pioneer Ex-Students Reunion at Tabernacle August 11

The Pioneer Ex-Students Reunion was held at the Union tabernacle at Pioneer on August 11 where school mates of years ago were gathered to renew associations and talk over old times. One hundred and fifty homecomers were counted.

Much of the day's program was devoted to recounting early day experiences in the Pioneer community and reliving school day happenings.

Claud Minton, vice-president, was elected president of the association for the next year, and Rev. Tom Flippin was named vice-president and Mrs. Sam Eakin, nee Grace Curry, secretary and treasurer.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Henry McCoy, nee Avie Tate, and Mrs. Lige Tate, the former Dora Nunn.

The reunion committee had hoped for more ex-teachers to attend but only three appeared. They were L. C. Cash of Baird, Mrs. Carroll Westerman, the former Lucile Inabnet, and Mrs. Fred Roberts of Rising Star, the former Eleanor Clark.

Mrs. Roberts was the "honorary" teacher since she is the

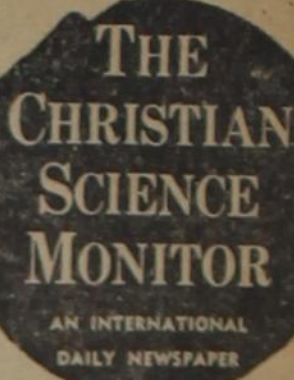
only teacher living who taught in the school in 1907. If this reporter is not mistaken, this was her first time to attend, so we were happy to have her and her husband and daughter, Miss Pauline, a teacher in the Brownwood school system, to be with us.

The committee plans to have next year's program so arranged that each teacher attending may be acknowledged and the year in which he or she taught stated, and the pupils attending also recognized. See you next year. —Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Doyle were here from near Big Lake for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Doyle. They also visited relatives in Mullin while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coffee and children of Odessa were here for a week end visit with her mother, Mrs. New.

Mr. and Mrs. Bee Walker were here last week visiting Mrs. John Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Sex Hull.

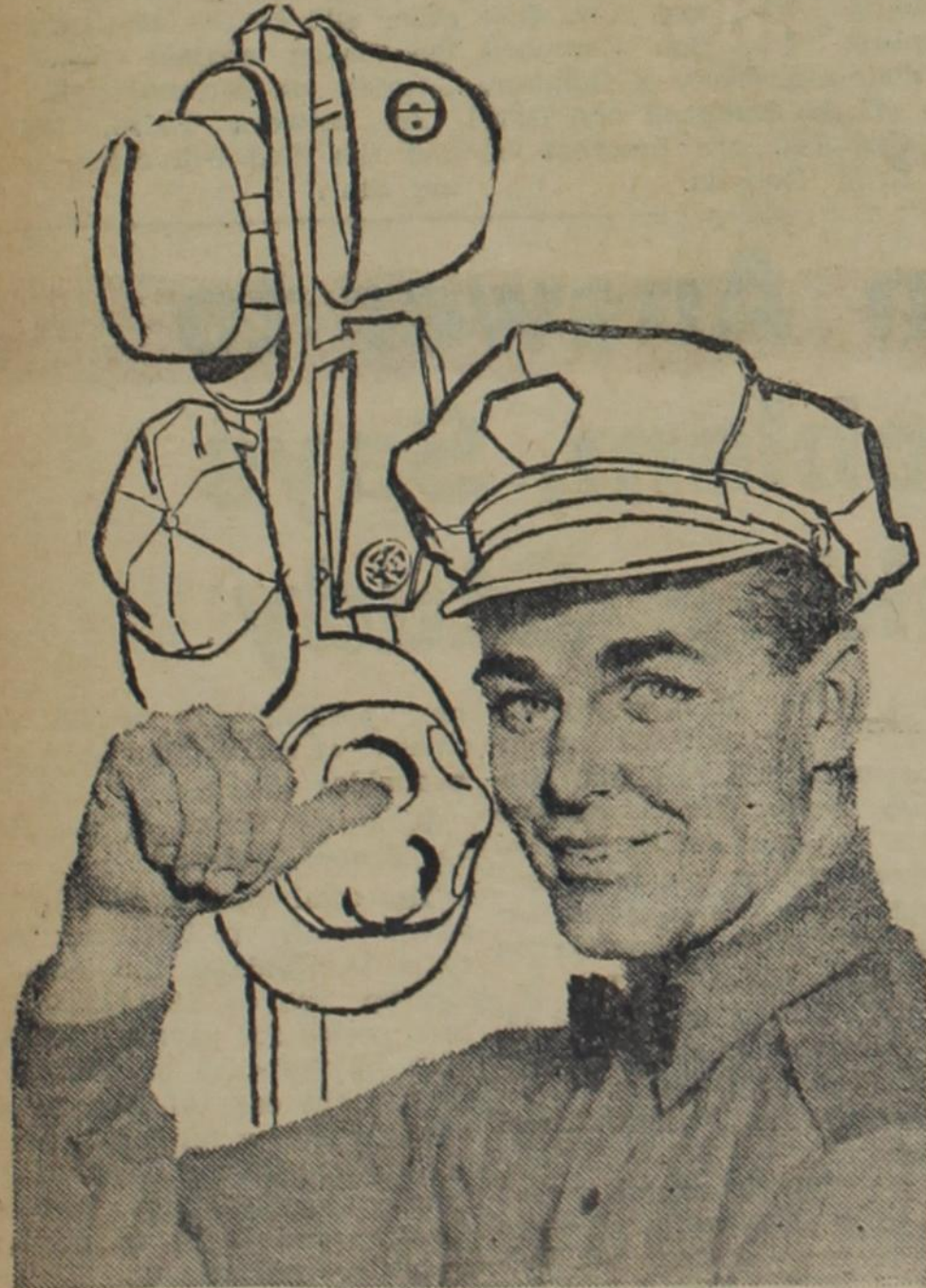


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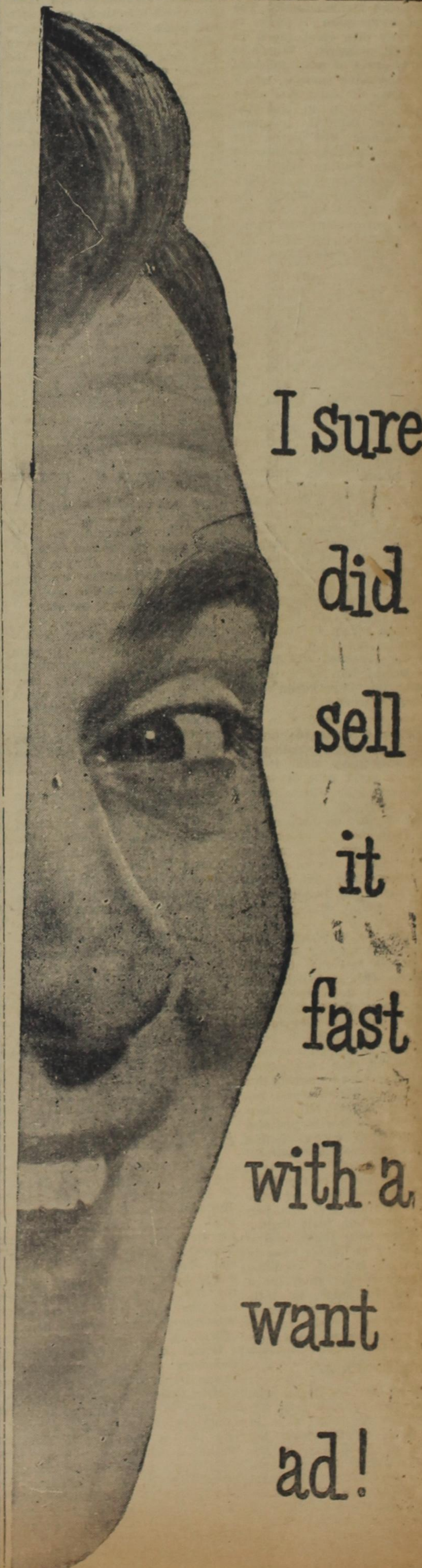
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Season Tickets For Jacket Games On Sale Aug. 29th

BROWNWOOD.—Season tickets for the home football games of the Howard Payne College Yellow Jackets will go on sale to the public Monday, August 29, according to Bennie B. Williams, HPC athletic director.

Season ticket holders will see five home games for \$7. The home games include matches with East Central Oklahoma, Sept. 10; McMurry College, Sept. 17; Sam Houston State, Oct. 8; Lamar Tech, Oct. 29, and Southwest Texas State, Nov. 12.

With the prospects of a "better than last year team," Howard Payne expects to be a strong contender for the Lone Star Conference championship this fall.

Coach Williams in part bases this prediction on his squad of 23 returning lettermen. His team will have better depth at key positions than last year, and can stack monogram holders two-deep across the line.

Coach Williams also believes the addition of two new coaches will add vigor to the program. On the scene for the first time this year are Melvin Lindsey, backfield coach, and Bill Purser, line coach.

Season tickets for the Yellow Jacket home games are available at Weakley-Watson in Brownwood or by writing Bennie B. Williams, athletic director, Howard Payne College.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fox returned from a 10-day vacation trip during which they visited the Big Bend National Park, Judge Roy Bean's museum and the bridge over the Pecos River. The bridge is 273 feet in height. It is located where the Pecos runs into the Rio Grande. They also visited the Falcon Dam and Corpus Christi, returning by way of Victoria where they visited with their son and family.

Farmer With \$400 Income May Get FHA Housing Loan

Under a recent change in the eligibility requirements for Farm Housing loans, a farmer who owns a farm that will annually produce for sale or home use at least \$400 worth of commodities may, if he meets other eligibility requirements, be able to obtain a Farm Housing loan, the Farmers Home Administration has announced.

Previously, according to H. P. Cole, Farmers Home Administration county supervisor for Eastland county, an applicant had to own a farm that would produce a substantial amount of the operator's income.

Farm Housing loans are made by the Farmers Home Administration and are used to construct and repair needed farm houses and farm service buildings.

Other eligibility requirements for Farm Housing loans remain unchanged. These requirements are that the applicant lacks the resources needed to obtain credit elsewhere, be a citizen of the United States, and have sufficient income from farm and other sources to pay farm operating and family living expenses and meet payments, when due, on his debts.

Applications for this type of credit may be made at the county office of the Farmers Home Administration located in the Petroleum Building in Eastland.

New Research on Screwworms Being Planned By USDA

COLLEGE STATION.—While some scientists are trying to send a rocket to the moon, others are trying to rid the South-west of one of its worst livestock pests... the screwworm.

The USDA has announced that new research on means of eradicating the screwworm will begin soon at Kerrville. This is the same USDA station that was responsible for much of the basic research that led to the sterile-fly technique used successfully against the screwworm in the Southeast.

One of the main projects of the USDA's entomologists will be to develop better methods of rearing screwworms, and also to find ways to produce strains of the insect better suited to sterilization by radiation. Another important aim of the Kerrville research is to learn more about the nutritional requirements of screwworm larvae so that an improved, inexpensive rearing medium may be developed. Project scientists will also seek new methods by which flies can be irradiated with minimum effect on their life processes.

In announcing the new project, the USDA reported that Dr. Raymond C. Bushland would head the researchers.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sheffield, son, Mark, and daughter, Cyd, of Austin and Misses Joy Sheffield and Laverne Davis of Fort Worth visited the M. M. Sheffield at Okra over the week end.

Roy Harris of Bell Flower, Calif.; F. L. Harris of Long Beach, Calif.; Sherry Harris from Littleton, Colo.; Mrs. Media Edwards and Dan from San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harris of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Dill and Dallas and Charles of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris recently.

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North Star Club Enjoys Annual Picnic Monday

Members of the North Star H. D. Club and their families met at the club house on Monday evening for their annual picnic.

A long table was spread with all kinds of sandwiches, salads, cakes and pies, drinks of tea and coffee. The meal was served cafeteria style. Invocation was spoken by M. M. Sheffield.

Everyone enjoyed the good eats and the fellowship. Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield were welcomed as ex-members of the club. Families who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carroll and their grandsons, Danny Dukes and Medford DeLoach, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Clark and their grandsons: Mickey and Carl Clark, Mrs. Will Ware and her granddaughter, Connie Porter, also Mesdames Rose Roach, Jesse Perry, Tee Hardin, Alex Conner, Beyrl Heath, Mrs. Ella Wells and her granddaughter, Avelon, Mrs. Clara Burkhead,

Mr. and Mrs. Lee White, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Irby, Mr. and Mrs. Miley Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bucy and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sheffield. — Ella Wells, Reporter.

Third May Rodeo September 3 and 5

The third Amateur Rodeo will be held at May on Saturday, September 3 and Monday, September 5 in the new arena east of May, it was announced. Entries will be accepted until 6 p.m. each day.

There will be a parade at 6 p.m. Monday.

Events, with entry fee include bronc riding, \$7.50; calf roping, \$7.50; girls barrel races, \$7.50; bull riding \$7.50, and old timers double mugging \$7.50.

The old timers double mugging will be open to Brown county residents only. The pair must total at least 100 years of age and the youngest member not less than 16 years. The event actually is a calf roping throw down test, it was said.

Attend the Church of Your Choice Sunday.

Low-Level Feeding Of Anti-Biotics Shows No Value

COLLEGE STATION.—What about routine low-level feeding of antibiotics to dairy herds? This question is being asked by Texas dairymen, says A. M. Meekma, extension dairy husbandman.

In answer to this question, Meekma points out that the Food and Drug Administration okayed the feeding of aureomycin to dairy cattle at the level of 0.1 milligram daily per pound of body weight. The clearance merely stated, says Meekma, that if aureomycin were fed at the recommended level, no antibiotic would carry through to the milk.

Texas dairymen are also debating the merits of routine low-level antibiotic feeding. As a possible guide, Meekma cites research recently conducted by the Tennessee Agricultural Experiment Station. This research, says Meekma, found no detrimental effects, but neither did it note any advantages in milk

production. Likewise, there was no significant differences between the controls and the antibiotic-fed animals in resistance to mastitis, foot rot or other bacterial infections. Body weight changes were not affected, either.

Meekma points out, however, that the negative results might possibly reflect the excellent management and low incidence of disease typical of this herd. Where management is not so good, and where disease is ordinarily a problem, the results might differ.

The specialist concludes by saying that, under conditions of good management, feeding aureomycin to milking cows apparently has no advantages. On the contrary, he says, the dairyman may run the risk of having his milk condemned because of faulty feed mixing, he may cause the creation of antibody resistant disease organisms in his herd, and he will certainly raise his feed costs.

M. D. Gibson and his brother-in-law, Dr. Hob Gray of Austin, made a business trip to Waco last Friday. Mr. Gibson was buying gift goods for the City Drug Store.

Youth Day to Be Observed Aug. 28 At Baptist Church

Youth Day at First Baptist Church will be observed on Sunday, August 28.

College students and all High School graduates will have charge of the morning service in an "Off to College Program." At the evening hour the "Girls Auxiliary of the WMS will observe their annual coronation. The WMS of the church has about 80 members including members of WMS, YWA's, GA's and Sunbeams. All members will attend the coronation, and the entire church and the public is invited to attend these services.

G. H. Carroll was here last week visiting relatives before going to Brownwood to see his father, Sam Carroll, who lives with his daughter, Mrs. Earl Plummer.

Marvin Graham was a guest Tuesday of last week of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lockhart.

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ABOUT YOUR HEALTH

Attention parents: It's later than you think.

This comes from W. D. Carroll, state registrar, whose vital statistics staff at the Texas State Department of Health is responsible for handling the flood of requests for birth certificates for children entering school for the first time this September.

Carroll's problem is this: There is a tendency among parents to put off requesting copies of their youngsters' birth records until the last moment. When too many parents delay in this manner, the results are obvious: a work overload.

The condition does not result from any lack of effort on the part of Carroll's staff. "Our limited Vital Statistics Division staff — despite long hours of night and week-end work — can process just so many requests before school begins," he explains.

More than 262,000 children are expected to enter elementary schools of Texas for the first time this fall. The estimate is based on calculations made by the Texas Education Agency.

A good many parents — some of whom may have waited too long in past years — have already requested and received birth records on this year's new school year, but tens of thousands of additional records will have to be processed between now and the time that first school bell rings in September.

More than one youngster has

been forced to postpone his first days at school simply because his parents couldn't produce proof of his age when it came time to register him.

Carroll's advice to parents: "Send in your request today to the local registrar, county clerk, or the State Department of Health."

All you have to do is give the child's name, date and place of birth, the mother's maiden name, and the name of the father. This information, with the legal fee of one dollar, should be addressed to your local registrar, the county clerk, or to the State Department of Health, Section on Records and Statistics, 410 East 5th Street, Austin, Texas.

Something else: Be prepared to show school officials a record of "shots" your youngster has had. Depending on local school board regulations, proof of immunizations against smallpox, whooping cough, diphtheria, and other diseases may be required. (A weekly feature of the Health Education Division, Texas State Department of Health.)

Mrs. June Harris and children, Linda, Brenda, Gayla and Harvey, visited friends a few days last week in Austin, Houston and went on to Galveston Beach and visited several places of interest.

SHOP THE CLASSIFIEDS!

Better Prices for Hogs Are Forecast

COLLEGE STATION. — The price outlook for hogs for the next few months is considerably brighter. John McHaney, extension economist, says that prices received by farmers in the last half of 1960 will be higher than those received in the last half of 1959. He says they will not, however, reach the peak prices of 1958, and the usual fall price decline can be expected.

McHaney explains this forecasted price rise by pointing out that the 1960 spring pig crop was down 16 per cent from the 1959 spring crop. This decrease was brought about mainly because fewer sows farrowed and fewer pigs were produced per sow.

Spring prices in 1961 will be largely determined by the size of the 1960 fall crop, McHaney continues. According to the present crop forecast, the 1960 fall crop should be smaller than the 1959 crop, thus the prices received in the spring of 1961 should be higher than those received this year.

ENTERTAINERS FOR BROTHERS, SISTERS

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mayes entertained in their home Saturday night and Sunday, August 20-21, for three brothers and two sisters of Mr. Mayes. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Merl Mayes and Don of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kornegay, Rising Star, Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Harvey J. Mayes and daughters, Monika and Caren of Copperas Cove, Mrs. D. H. Myers, Ozona, Lester Mayes, Rising Star, two cousins, Lynn Jeffers and Mrs. Malon Soneyer of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Gardner of May.

A basket luncheon was served on the lawn Sunday followed by an afternoon of singing.

Union Center Club Meets August 16th

The Union Center Hobby Club had a called meeting August 16 with three visitors and eight members present. One quilt was quilted.

Visitors were Gala Gage, granddaughter of Nell Gage, Tommy Perkins, grandson of Daisy Perkins and Mrs. Pearl Criswell.

Members were Miss Vera McBeth, Mrs. Loree Crowell, Ellie Scott, Daisy Perkins, Ruth Perkins, Nell Gage, Unice Allen, and Tomamy Heairren.—Reporter.

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Arthur Godfrey To Appear at Fair Horse Show

DALLAS.—Television and radio star Arthur Godfrey will make personal appearances on the first three days of the 1961 State Fair of Texas Horse Show.

"The Old Redhead" will appear with his famous Palomino, "Goldie," at the night performances of the Horse Show Oct. 7 and 8 at the matinee performance Oct. 9 in the State Fair Livestock Coliseum.

The Horse Show gets underway on the Friday evening before the State Fair officially opens Saturday, Oct. 8.

Godfrey has been a horse lover for more than 25 years. At his farm, Beacon Hill in Loudoun County, Va., he keeps horses of several different breeds. The most famous is his Palomino stallion, Catocin Gold, known as "Goldie" to the millions who have seen him on the Godfrey TV shows or in personal appearances he has made from coast to coast.

Godfrey and "Goldie" will appear at the State Fair Horse Show in an exhibition of "dressage" riding, in which the horse is sent through intricate maneuvers without discernible instruction from the rider.

Godfrey has appeared with "Goldie" at a number of major horse shows in recent years, including the National Horse Show in New York and the International Horse Show in Chicago.

The State Fair's Series I Horse Show which opens Friday night, Oct. 7, will present five and three-gaited saddle horses, fine harness and walking horses, roadster and parade horses and hunters and jumpers. The Series I show runs through Oct. 11.

The opening series will be followed by cutting horses and quarter horses competing in Series II, Oct. 12-16, and by the final series, Oct. 18-23, which will feature Shetland ponies, Palominos and Arabian horses.

WATKINS FAMILY HERE

Members of the late Bernard Watkins family were here the past week enjoying their vacations and looking after business matters. Those present included: M. L. Watkins and son, Victor, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fowler and Delores, Dallas; Mrs. A. C. Foyt, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Woody Hall, Fort Worth, and son James, Lubbock.

SCHOOL STUDY—

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have studied the matter would judge sufficient for a fully effective and economical unified school system." To further quote from the N. E. A.: "This appears to be another example where mistaken local pride and jealousy have stood in the way of better educational opportunity for boys and girls."

We must conclude from the study that some form of consolidation is past due if we are even to maintain our present standards of education. We would recommend a County Unit System as most desirable under ideal conditions both from an educational and administrative point of view. Should the Unit System not be possible, a two Unit System composed of Eastland, Ranger, Olden, Gorman, Carbon, Desdemona as one unit and Cisco, Rising Star and Scranton as the other unit, would be desirable.

Transportation is no problem. The cost not the responsibility of the local district. We do believe that under the Unit System the office of county school superintendent should function as prescribed by law.

State Law Not Favorable for Reorganization:

Though the saving obtained through reorganization would be great, Eastland County would suffer financial loss through loss of State Aid.

Under the present laws we would have to state that reorganization is highly desirable for better education, but not possible in Eastland County at this time.

Under the present laws we do not believe that the needed consolidation elections would carry in any district in Eastland County. The State laws must be changed to encourage consolidation and not penalize the area wishing to consolidate.

Conclusion:

We recommend that the school boards of Eastland, Olden and Ranger take no action at this time.

We hope that legislation will be introduced to the 1961 Texas Legislature. This would be incentive consolidation legislation which would accomplish the following objectives:

1. Encourage consolidation.
2. After ten years, would save the State millions of dollars.
3. Make stronger school districts and better education.
4. Build good school district without mandatory legislation.
5. Would cost the State no more than at present.

6. Would have popular appeal at the State and local level.
7. Would build good will.
8. Insure a continued adequate supply of good teachers. We hope the following principle will be drafted into the legislation at the 1961 session of the Texas Legislature.

1. Permissive legislation to allow the State Education Agency to pay the same amount of State Aid to an area that wishes to consolidate that it is paying at present if the area will take the legal steps toward consolidation.

2. Allow the savings obtained through consolidation, as determined by the New Board and the Commissioner of Education, to be used toward new construction if needs. This fund may be used for a period of ten years.

Note of Thanks: We wish to thank the listed organizations for the cooperation given us in this study.

1. School boards of Eastland, Olden and Ranger.
2. The Texas Research League, Austin, Texas.

3. The Ford Foundation, New York, N. Y.
4. Department of Health, Education, Welfare, Washington, D. C.
5. Texas Education Agency, Austin, Texas.
6. National Education Association, Washington, D. C.
7. Department of Rural Education, N. E. A., Washington, D. C.
8. The Area Press, Eastland County, Abilene, Fort Worth, Houston, Radio Station KERC, Eastland, County

Post Script: Under the new laws we could expect a unified school system with one high school in a neutral area. Elementary schools in each of our towns; no increase in taxes, but equalization of taxes; repair and new construction when and where needed. Each town could offer an education system second to none in the State of Texas. We could hope to offer in 1965, the State of Texas 4-A football championship from our County High School.

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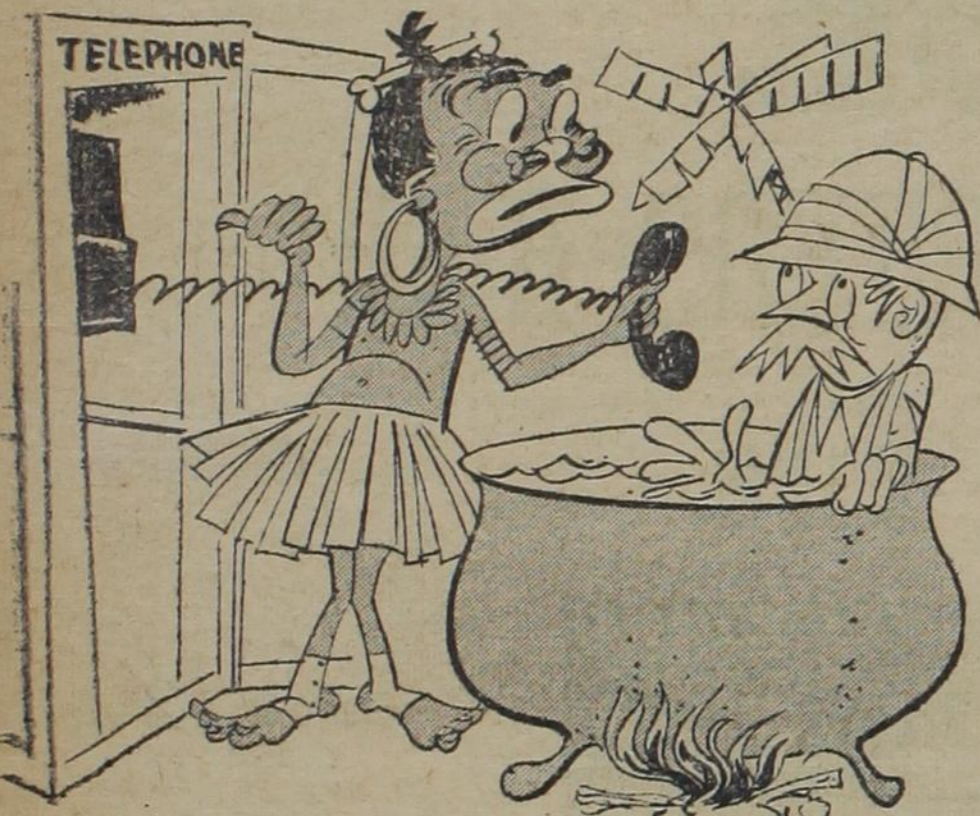
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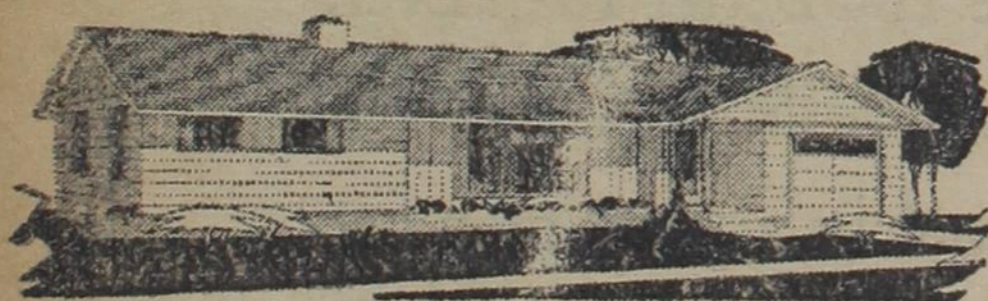
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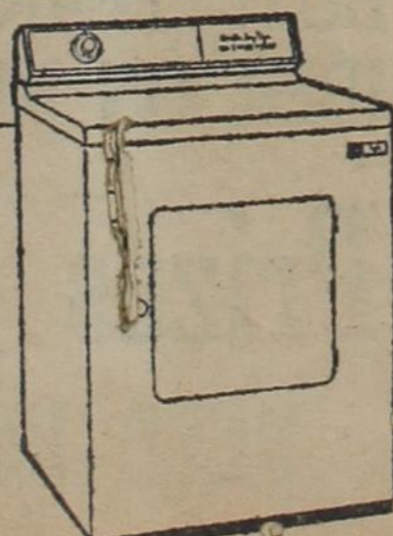
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Santa Anna Girl To Be Bride of Rising Star Man

SANTA ANNA.—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kingsbery of Santa Anna announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Kay, to Richard Frank Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gray of Rising Star.

Miss Kingsbery, a graduate of Santa Anna High School, also attended Patricia Stevens Modeling College in Fort Worth, and was later employed there as an instructor.

Her fiancé, Mr. Gray, is a graduate of Rising Star High School, and of Sam Houston State Teachers College and is presently employed as Texaco consignee in Rising Star.

The couple will exchange vows at 7 o'clock on the evening of Saturday, Sept. 17, in the First Methodist Church in Santa Anna. The Rev. Jim Turner of Anson will officiate.

Friends of the couple are invited to attend.

Cisco Ass'n GA To Have Party at Ranger Aug. 25-26

The Cisco Associational Girls' Auxiliary will have its annual retreat in the form of a "Slumberless" Houseparty in the First Baptist Church of Ranger on August 25, 26th. Registration will begin at 4 p.m. and the first formal session will open at 7:30 following a picnic supper in the Junior Department.

Mrs. Epifano Salazar of Waco will be the missionary speaker. Mr. and Mrs. Salazar work with the Spanish-speaking people of Waco and are connected with the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. In connection with their work there is also a kindergarten under the Home Mission Board direction. She will bring slides to show of the work done in Waco.

Activities will be planned for the entire evening and throughout the night. There will be serious moments, stunt hours, talent-time, fun and fellowship periods, and opportunities for those working on forward steps to complete part of their projects. After an early morning devotional and breakfast, the group will swim at the local pool where regular life guards will be on duty.

At the closing session, the missionary message by Mrs. Salazar will be followed by an installation of officers directed by Mrs. E. A. Cain, Breckenridge, Associational WMU president. Miss Ann Raney, Ranger, is president of the Associational GA; Miss Carol Walters of Eastland is first vice-president; Miss Betty Nance, Cisco, is the second vice-president; Miss Karen Moore of Cisco is the secretary. Mrs. Ralph Perkins of Ranger is the Associational GA Director.

Telephone List Finders. The Record.

Public Library to Close for Season

The public Library will close for the season on August 27. All of those who have books from the library will please return them on that day.

—Librarian of Saturday Club.

Wedding Party For Little-Beeler Nuptials Named

The wedding party for the Little-Beeler wedding to take place at the First Methodist Church at 5 o'clock p.m. on Saturday, September 3, has been announced by the bride-to-be, Miss Anna Little, daughter of Mrs. Denman Burns of this city.

The groom-to-be is Kenneth Beeler, son of Mrs. Oleta Beeler of Cross Plains and Claude Beeler of Colorado City.

The wedding party will be: Matron of honor, Mrs. John A. Pancake, Cross Plains; maid of honor, Miss Jerry Koenig, Cross Plains; bridesmaids, Miss Mary Margaret Burns, Brownwood, Miss Nancy Bishop, Brownwood, Miss Donna Atwood, Kermit, Miss Margie White, Odessa, Mrs. Kenneth Walker, Odessa; best man, Gene Bush, Cross Plains; groomsmen, Donald Beeler, Kermit, Claude Beeler, Kermit, Dennis Beeler, Cross Plains, John A. Pancake, Cross Plains, and Ted Davidson, Odessa; ring bearers, Lynn and Eddie Koenig, Cross Plains; candlelighters, Mary and Bill Shults, Rising Star; Ushers, Bill Rutherford, Rising Star and Vernon Baum, Eastland; minister, Rev. R. A. Brooks, Mansfield; organist, Miss Linda Koonce, Rising Star; vocalist, Miss Julie Watkins, Rising Star.

Friends and acquaintances of the immediate families are invited to attend the ceremony and the reception at the home of the bride-elect following.

M. G. Joyce Is Honored Upon 82nd Birthday

M. G. Joyce was honored Sunday, August 21st, on his 82nd birthday with a family reunion and a dinner at his home here. The family attended church and afterwards gathered at his home where the meal was spread. Mrs. Alyne Siekman was the hostess and served and received the family guests. Other members of the family present were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Joyce, their son, Joe, and a niece of Mrs. M. L. Joyce, Jan Hawkins, from Munday. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Art Fisher, Mike, Doug, Beverly and Jim, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberds and Pauline. During the afternoon games were played and many happy experiences were recalled. During the evening meal, Mr. Joyce remarked that he was glad his doctor was not present so he did not have to keep a strict diet. The day was very pleasantly spent and family and friends wish for him many more happy birthdays.

Granddaughter of Rising Star Couple Wed at Eastland

EASTLAND.—Phyllis Margaret Phillips of Dallas was married Saturday evening to David Scott Willoughby, also of Dallas.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Willoughby. The couple exchanged marriage vows at eight o'clock in the evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Allgood.

J. L. Nisbeth, minister of the Olden Church of Christ, read the ceremony.

Music was by Patricia Ann Liles, pianist.

Mr. Allgood gave the bride in marriage. She wore a dress of white organdy and lace styled with sweetheart neckline and carried a white orchid atop a white Bible.

Earl Conner III was best man and Garland Love was maid of honor.

Miss Love wore a sheath of white lace. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

At the reception which followed the ceremony, members of the houseparty were Bennie Sue Morris and Danelia Darnell of Rising Star, Bobby Love and Willie Pearl O'Steen.

The couple will reside at 3414 Swiss Ave., Dallas, where the bridegroom is employed with Union Bankers Insurance Co.

The bride is an employe of Huey and Philip Hardware Wholesale.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby are graduates of Eastland High School. He attended Texas Technological College one year.

The bride is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Morris of Rising Star.

Mrs. Tommy Cox and her daughter, Jackie Martin, and four daughters from Afton, visited Miss Beulah Spears in Eastland during the week end and also attended Spears reunion in Gorman.

Mrs. Mabel Falls of Irving is visiting here with her brother, Lee Burkhead and Mrs. Burkhead.

what was done by the children who attended."

The school began Monday morning, August 15. Classes were in session each morning from 9 until 11. There was a 15-minute song service followed by the same amount of time devoted to Bible stories. There was a 30-minute study period followed by a similar time for recreation and refreshments. The final 30 minutes was devoted to crafts.

The children were taught the story of Creation as told in Genesis; the Ten Commandments; the Beatitudes, and the Lord's Prayer as found in Luke 11.

Made by the pupils in craft classes were: A setting for worship, consisting of wooden cross holders; a number of Christian symbols such as crosses, lamps, anchors, etc., and various items of interest to children in the kindergarten classes.

Mrs. Cynthia Jones was director of the school, and she also taught the kindergarten classes. She was assisted by Linda Koonce, Bonnie Byrd, and Sharon Stewart.

Mrs. James Armstrong taught the juniors, assisted by Julie Watkins, Harry Heflin, Frances Eberhardt and Rev. Norman Purvis. Linda Koonce played the piano while Julie Watkins led the singing. Women of the WSCS served refreshments.

Harvey Chick of the Higginbotham company lumber department was thanked for his contribution in cutting the wood used in the craft classes.

Vacation Church School Ends at Methodist Church

The Vacation Church School of the First Methodist Church closed a successful week of classes with a special program at the church Sunday evening.

"Although we were late in getting started our plans for the school," said the pastor, the Rev. Norman Purvis, "we had one which the children and workers are sure to remember for a long time and we think our Christ rejoiced with us in

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roebuck and son, Carey, are here from Austin with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cox.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Scott on Friday were Mrs. Bobby Pierce and Paula of Evansville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Joyce, accompanied by Mrs. Beyrl Heath, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wade Clark at his home in Carbon Monday. Wade is seriously ill and has been in Gorman Hospital for some time.

Miss Artie Coley, a teacher at De Leon, visited Mrs. Beyrl Heath on Thursday of last week.

W. M. S. of First Baptist will render the program, "Testing Your Vision" a Mission program, on Monday, August 29 at 2:30 o'clock instead of meeting on Labor Day, which is a holiday. Mrs. Dennis Clark is program chairman. Mrs. Raymond Turner is president.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Swift were visited on Sunday and Monday by her brother, Carl Hill of San Angelo, also by their daughter Earleen Smith of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Watkins and daughter, Julie, have returned from a two weeks vacation in Louisiana and Mississippi. They visited friends at Baton Rouge, and visited Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Webb and family at Amite, Louisiana. While in Mississippi they visited the Guess Plantation near Brookhaven.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen W. Hines and six children of Eunice, N. M., were here this week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hines.

Miss Judy McSpadden of Sweetney, Texas, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lockhart.

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Sept. 23	Early	Here	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 30	May	There	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 7	Baird	Here	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 14	Blanket	Here	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 21	Jim Ned	Here	7:30 p.m.
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