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Through The Editor's Specs

By BAB

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray—Mrs. Gray is the former Bill Shults—have an interesting, rewarding profession. They operate cotton and grain harvesting machines and their work takes them all over Texas and the Southwest and into portions of the Old South. Since they remain several days and sometimes several weeks in a location, they have leisure enough to really see the country and meet the people, and they have formed some very rewarding friendships in many of those places, particularly those to which they return regularly each season.

Among the areas they like especially is that around Kennedy, Texas, where they go to harvest the flax crop. It lies just east of San Antonio, and the country is lovely. And so, says Bill, are the people.

"They treat you like neighbors, and not as if you were unwanted strangers," she told me, "By the way, I was in the Kennedy post office one day last month, and met a very nice lady who asked me where I live. I told her, and she exclaimed, 'Why we get the Rising Star paper. Your editor exchanges with us.'"

Turned out she was the editor and business manager of the Kennedy Times.

"It was quite a coincidence," said Bill. "Seems like you run into a Rising Star 'effect' most everywhere you go."

The Kennedy Times is one of those weekly newspapers which are keeping abreast of the modern in the techniques of newspaper publishing. It is printed by the "offset" process, of which, if you know nothing you know very little less than I. Briefly, it is a process related to photography and dispenses with the method of printing from the metal type as we print The Rising Star.

The only paper in our immediate area which employs this method is the De Leon Free Press.

Offset is the "wave of the future" in newspaper publishing which already is washing out a lot of the old equipment and letterpress techniques employing typesetting machines, type metal and direct from type presses. It is bringing about revolutionary changes in jobs and methods of the old school.

Instead of an operator sitting at the keyboard of a typesetting machine, grinding out "galley" of metal type, the work of putting copy into printable form is being done in an increasing number of instances by women who operate special typewriters that punch the tape from which the typesetting machine takes its orders. In the case of strictly offset printing special kinds of typewriters type the copy in columns just as it would be printed from metal type, and these paper "galley" are trimmed, cut and fitted with paste into a page layout that is then photographed on a thin metal or paper plate to run on the offset press.

There are forms of typesetting machines for offset work which set the type, letter by letter. I understand, by the photographic process, and do a crisp, beautiful job.

It would be nice to have one of them if one had the business, and \$40,000 to spend.

The world do move! We live in a fortunate age, for all its problems.

How nice that not only are the improving methods and mechanics of our world interesting, but more so that

General Rains Effect Ideal 'Season' for Peanut Planting

Peanut farmers of the Rising Star and May areas were "planting up a storm" this week following the good general rains of last week.

Rarely has there been a better planting season in the area, say growers. The rains broke a long Spring growth which had the farmers looking anxiously toward

a nearing July 1, the generally accepted deadline for putting the peanut seed in the furrow.

There was a good "bottom" season, provided by the rains of last winter, but without good late showers to moisten the top soil and "make the moisture meet" as the expression is, the subsoil moisture would be use-

less. Last weeks rains provided a happy answer to a problem over which the farmers themselves could have no control.

The Rising Star city station gauge registered 2.3 inches for the week-end period. But north and east of town the precipitation was much greater, ranging up to five and six inches in spots. The Okra community was one which received large amounts.

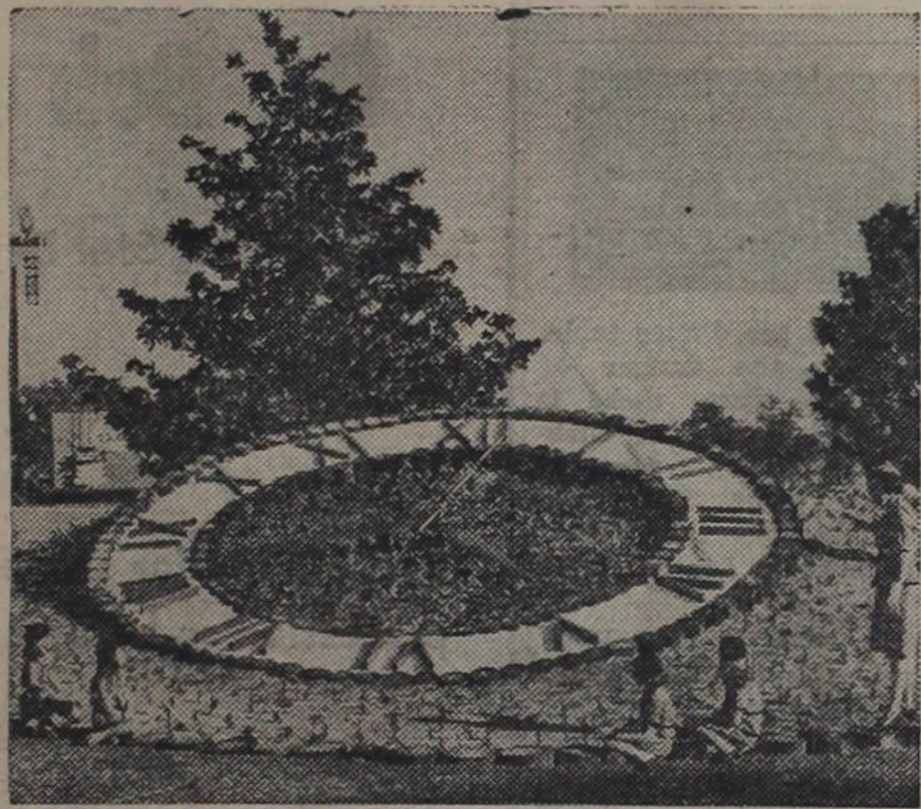
Fortunately although the rains were preceded by stormy fronts with boiling clouds and heavy winds, this section escaped any measurable storm damage.

Other sections of the county were not so fortunate. Cisco reported damages to a house and an oil field installation during an electrical storm, and there were minor wind damages at Eastland. The latter community had six inches of rain Friday and Saturday, the heaviest reported in the county.

County farm leaders said that as a result of the good rains, they expected all of the county's allotment of 35,000 peanut acres to be planted.

Most of the county's lakes and tanks were running spillway full and stockwater was in good supply. Pastures and feed crops were prospering.

State Fair Clock Matches "Big Tex" . . .



A SWISS FLOWER CLOCK approximately 17 feet in diameter is a new year-round tourist attraction at State Fair Park in Dallas. The colorful timepiece, a replica of one in Geneva, Switzerland, has a minute hand ten feet long, and its numerals are almost two feet high. The clock face is of a floral design which the Dallas Park Department will change with the seasons. Above, four Brownies and their Girl Scout leader look at the clock, which is located near the State Fair Music Hall.

J. R. Bucy Retires; Jerry Winfrey Assumes Scales

J. R. Bucy, for 30 years publisher for the Rising Star precinct of Eastland county, this month retired from service with the sale of his scales to Jerry Winfrey.

"I thought it best to retire

Services For Zezna Swain Wednesday

Funeral services for R. Zezua Swain, 89, who died in a Church of Christ Home for the Aged at Gunter, Texas, Monday, was buried in Rising Star cemetery Wednesday afternoon following services at the local Church of Christ at 2 o'clock.

Minister H. McDonald officiated and interment was under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mr. Swain was born in Bastrop County on July 8, 1876. He was a retired laborer.

He is survived only by his wife Sarah Swain.

Pallbearers were Jack Agnew, Norman Claborn, Robert Seale, Jim Pittman, John Nunnally and E. L. Underwood.

Ex-Resident Wants To Hear from Old Friends

In a letter from J. W. Zuber, Box 212, Childress, Texas, to the Rising Star, Mr. Zuber writes: "My family moved to Texas in 1905 and settled near Rising Star, we lived in this community until 1917, moving that year to Childress in covered wagons. "I spent most of my school days at the old, "Salt Tank" school. We moved to town for two years, before moving to Childress. Among my friends of that day were Ira Swift and Herbert Clark. I wonder how many of my friends still live in and around Rising Star?"

"I retired as a bus driver in 1958, on account of disability, am now a shut in, and think of my old home and friends, very often, would like to hear from my friends if you care to write."

Sgt. and Mrs. Dean Womack and son Jeffery are here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Smith and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Elliot of Midland visited his sister Mrs. Rada King and mother Mrs. B. G. Elliott over the weekend.

Court Only Resort Says Phone Co.

Members of the Cross Plains City Council in a lengthy session Tuesday night at Cross Plains, rejected a modified proposal of the Kizer Telephone Co. for an increase in rates.

The Cross Plains council's action was unanimous. It followed a similar decision by the Rising Star City Council about two weeks ago when the local city governing body rejected the same proposal by a vote of three to two.

Officials of the Kizer company said they had come to the decision that their only recourse is an appeal to the State courts in resolving what they said is a problem of insufficient income against debt and operating costs. Other than that they had no comment to make.

The company is seeking increases on business and residential telephone rentals. Long distance rates are not involved.

Their first request in which they asked that the full increases be immediately authorized, was turned down by both councils. The company then proposed that the increases be authorized in two steps—one-half now and the other next January. In the modified proposal they agreed to eliminate increases on extension rentals.

It was this proposal which the two councils lately denied.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Koonce have returned from a trip to Phoenix Ariz., and Sacramento, Calif., where they visited his sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Bill Selliger.

LINDY PENS AT THE STAR

Mrs. W. S. Carter And Grandson on Angus Tour

Mrs. W. S. Carter and grandson, Carter Housell have returned from the first "All American Angus Tour" ever held in the State of Texas.

The tour started at Brady, June 16, and lasted through

Rodeo Results . . .

Results of competition in the Rising Star Roping Club's Rodeo performance last Friday night were:

Barrel race—Under 12 years: Terry Edington, 20.3; Paula Wright, 21; over 12 years: Shirley White, 19.6; Colene White, 20.1;

Professional barrel races — Donna Lovelady, 19.8; Calf roping — Joe Allen, 9.2; Joe Templeton, 10; Clyde Kennedy, 19.2.

Jack Pot roping — Donnie Gibbs, Paul Herrera; Hall Churchill; Horace Gibbs;

Bronc riding — Tommy Avis; Mike Hendricks; Bull riding — Dee Ogden; Wayne Jackson.

Clowns were Darrell Bucland of Abilene and Les Watson.

May Club Hears Three Speakers From Zephyr

The May Community Improvement Club met at the club house Monday evening, June 13.

Harold Gist, President of the Zephyr Club and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lockridge also of Zephyr, were invited speakers for the evening. The Zephyr Club won state honors last year. Mr. Gist said, "I attribute our success in winning the honors to large community cooperation and the cooperation of school population, teachers and children."

A covered dish supper was served. Mrs. Ray Lancaster led the group in folk songs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shults and Mrs. Abernathy attended the funeral of a friend at Palo Pinto recently.

RUBBER STAMPS MADE TO ORDER AT THE STAR



CHICAGO—Shirley Howell, 17, Roff, Oklahoma and Alan DeGood, 17, St. Francis, Kansas national winners in the 1965 4-H Safety Program, are congratulated by General Motors Vico President Anthony G. De Lorenzo and Deborah Bryant, the current Miss America. The youths are among eight national safety winners selected from nearly 600,000 4-H Club members participating in the program which has been sponsored by GM for the past 22 years.

New Dentist Arrives To Open Office About July 1

Rising Star, without a dentist since the death three years ago of Dr. W. S. Carter, was to have that vacancy filled with the arrival this week of Dr. Robert J. (Bob) Mahoney to open an office in the building formerly occupied by Dr. Carter on West College Street.

Dr. Mahoney told the Rising Star that he expected to begin practice around July 1, depending upon when the office could be refurnished and new equipment

A graduate of the University of Tennessee College of Dentistry at Memphis, Tenn., from which he received his DDS degree on May 30, the young dentist passed both the Tennessee and Texas examinations this month and received licenses to practice in both states.

He and his wife, the former

Judy Chowning of Midwest City, Okla., whom he married in January of 1962, were househunting this week, and planning to move their home here this weekend. The Mahoneys have one child, a two-year-old son.

The office which Dr. Mahoney will occupy is being refurnished, a new tile floor laid and other improvements made in the furnishing and decorations. New dental equipment conforming to the latest type now being used and including an audio-analgesic machine, will be installed.

The latter is a machine which reduces patient discomfort by diverting his mind from the subject, the young dentist explained.

Dr. Mahoney, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mahoney, live in Chicago, Ill., took his premed work at the University of Oklahoma. He was accepted by a number of dental schools and chose the University of Tennessee College of Dentistry at Memphis.

His mother is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Laswell of Brownwood, Mrs. Laswell is a member of a pioneer Rising Star family, the sister of Mrs. Fred Roberts and Lee Clark and a sister-in-law of M. G. Joyce.

Yanks Lead Little League Standings By Three Games

The Little League ball games are going strong this year, with some close competition among the three teams.

Dodgers 7 to 5 and the Indians 8 to 7 in a doubleheader Tuesday night, June 21, to put the Yanks out front by three games.

The Dodgers are second in the standings, with the Indians close behind.

The Yankees gained another player Tuesday, which gives their roster two 12-year-olds. The newcomer is Benly Clark who has moved back to Rising Star and will attend school here next year.

The concession stand is kept busy each evening of the games. A new cement floor has been poured which helps considerably. The stand serves sandwiches, cup cakes, drinks, gum, candy and snow cones.

Little League games are played each Tuesday and Thursday beginning at 6:30 p. m.

Gene Rhodes, Little League president, and his assistants have done a great deal of work on the ball park this year, and the public address system now in use has added much to the enjoyment of the games. A new picket fence has been built to define the outfield, but so far none of the boys has hit a homer over the boundary, although a few have come pretty close to doing so.—Reporter.

Hospital News . . .

IN HOSPITAL—Mrs. Hattie Goss, Mrs. Ada Walker, Mrs. Lynette Starks, Miss Melba Chamberlain, Columbus Morris, Tillie Gardner, Pete Starks, Houston McClain and David Moore.

Browns See Beauties Of Black Hills on Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Brown and daughters, Caroline, Cynthia and Emily returned recently from a vacation trip to South Dakota. Highlights of the trip were given by Mrs. Brown as follows:

In the southwestern corner of South Dakota's wind-swept prairie are the Black Hills. However, the Black Hills are not black; their color is deep, cool green of the pines and spruce that clothe them. They are not "hills", but mountains with 7242-foot Harney Peak the highest point between the Rockies and the Alps.

We began the sight seeing tour of the Black Hills at picturesque Hot Springs. Driving through Custer State Park, one of the largest in the United States, we saw the antelope, bison and prairie dogs at very close distance, more—lots more. . . . and the friendly, begging donkeys greet tourists in the roadway, poking their noses into cars for a gentle pat and for food, any food—crackers, cookies, candy, or popcorn.

Traveling on Iron Mountain Road we passed over pig tail bridges one of which is claimed to be the longest spiral bridge in America. Each curve passes over the last one, winding upward and upward, and drove through tunnels to Mt. Rushmore where on a 6,000 foot high gigantic granite mountain the famed heads of four presidents Washington, Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt and Lincoln, are carved. The work began in 1927. Over 400,000 tons of extremely hard granite were removed in carving the colossal figures. Built to the proportions of a man 465 feet tall, each head is 60 feet, each twice as large as the entire Egyptian Sphinx. Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor, born in Idaho became world famous, but Mt. Rushmore National Memorial was the consummation of a brilliant career. He died in 1941 six months before the shrine was completed. The last work on it was done by his son, also a sculptor.

Later in the Black Hills we

traveled the 14½ mile Needles Highway, seeing the most unusual formation of hugh granite rocks and pinnacles and one-car width tunnel.

At Lead (Leed) South Dakota, we saw the richest gold mine in the United States. Its annual production exceeds 16 million dollars. There also we rode the Terry Peak Lift, 4,000 feet long, high into the mountain to its peak where one sees an unforgettable dramatic view of the mountain wonderland.

At Deadwood we saw the many historical places including the saloon No. 10 where the famed Wild Bill Hickock was killed, the wax museum, and Boot Hill Cemetery.

At Rapid City we visited the Dinosaur Park and continued through the Bad Lands National Monument which contains more spectacular examples of wind and water erosion. The highway continues for 28 miles, winding among the steep-walled canyons and fantastically carved pyramids and spires. The Bad Lands were so named by the Sioux Indians because of the extremely difficult travel for them in the early days.

We, the Browns, enjoyed pleasant weather, wonderful western hospitality, inspiring scenery and marvelous beauties of nature that only God can create, but with glorious memories of wonderful vacation week we are happy to be back home in Rising Star, Texas.

FATHER'S DAY LUNCHEON

M. G. Joyce and Fred Roberds were honored on Father's Day with a luncheon at the Elite Cafe, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Merle L. Joyce of Albany. Members of the families attending were, Mrs. Alyne Siekman and Bob Pyote, Mrs. Art Fisher, Beverly and Jim, Mrs. F. W. Roberds and Miss Pauline Roberds.

The total length of the oil pipelines in the United States—estimated at more than 213,000 miles—could encircle the earth more than eight times, Oil Facts reports.

Hit the Dirt—Hometown Style



An Army National Guard automatic rifleman drops into firing position in a combat attack exercise. Land made available to Army Guard units by local and State authorities across the nation has played an important part in the development of the Guard's increased readiness status. Through weekend training, which in many States is taking the place of traditional Armory drill nights, Army Guard units get outdoors into areas where there is the elbow room soldiers need in order to accomplish realistic training. Guard and Active Army leaders believe that units which have emphasized outdoor, weekend training through the year, will be ready for more advanced training—even participation in Army Maneuvers—during Annual Field Training.

News From May

By Mrs. Ludene Michael

Sgt. Wayne Lancaster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lancaster who has been stationed in Germany for a year, is visiting his parents in May.

Glen Robason is seriously ill in a Brownwood hospital.

The revival at the Calvary Baptist church closed Sunday night June 19. The Rev Melvin Harper of El Campo was the revival preacher. The meeting was termed very successful.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boland of Shamrock visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Weathersby and friends at Amity recently.

John Hardy is a new resident of Twilite Nursing Home at Rising Star.

Ruth Steel of Gorman and Lucille Vernon of Corcoran, Calif., and Johnnie Weathersby visited in the Floyd Michael home, Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Aubry Edwards have moved to Capps. Rev. Edwards served the Methodist church at May last year as pastor. He will pastor the Methodist church there. May regrets to lose the fine family.

Mrs. J. J. Prentice and son, Maj. Max Prentice, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. James O. Cade of Lubbock were in Austin for a visit recently and attended the wedding of Linda Prentice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Prentice.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walker and children of Odessa were recent visitors of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. A. White.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boyd of Hobbs New Mexico spent the week-end with his sister Mrs. Willie Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindsey and their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billy G. Lindsey of Mullins were Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Barnes and family are in South Texas harvest fields, near Raymondville.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

TOO MANY FACTS

Sculpture is subtraction. The figure takes shape as the artist, wielding his chisel, cuts away from the original block all that is surplus.

Something similar happens in a trial. The issues take shape as the judge, wielding the rules of evidence, seeks to cut away whatever is surplus—facts that are not "relevant" to the case. The purpose is to remove those facts that are not important, the better to see those facts that are.

Which facts are relevant? Basically it's a matter of common sense, applied to the circumstances of the individual case. Thus, in a murder trial, the fact that the defendant owned a gun might well be relevant—but not if the slaying was done with a dagger. For the ownership of the gun would have no logical connection with the murder.

Even if there is a connection a fact may be held irrelevant if the connection is too slight. Consider these examples:

In an assault case, the court ruled out evidence that the defendant was found drunk—a considerable time after the crime had been committed.

In a theft case, the court ruled out evidence that the defendant often used profanity.

In an abduction case, the court ruled out evidence that the defendant knew a man who had a police record.

Each of these rejected facts might have been enough as a conversational tidbit. But none of them shed much light on the issues before the court. Worse, they could easily have had a prejudicial effect on the minds of the jurors.

To the person on the witness stand, it is often frustrating to be hemmed in by rules of evidence. His instinct may be to tell his story, wide open style, just as he would at the dinner table.

Mrs. Bobby Wilson and mother Mrs. L. D. Westerman visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Westerman at Abilene last week. The Westermans are the parents of a baby boy born recently. The baby has been named Don Jr.

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THE RISING STAR

A Warm Welcome

To

Dr. Bob Mahoney

New Rising Star Dentist, and his Family

Best wishes for success in th practice of a profession so badly needed in our community.

PALACE DRUG STORE

Bill Dennard, B. S. in Pharmacy

Here's what to do about obscene or harassing phone calls:

1. Don't talk.

Don't keep talking to the caller. What he really wants is an audience. Don't be that audience.

2. Hang up.

Hang up if the caller doesn't say anything. Hang up at the first obscene word. Hang up if the caller doesn't identify himself to your satisfaction.

3. Call us if . . .

these obscene or harassing calls persist. We're concerned about these calls and want to help stop them. Should you receive any, remember, you control your phone. You can end any conversation simply by hanging up.

If the calls continue, don't hesitate to phone your Telephone Representative. We can call in people specially trained to help investigate, identify, and work with police in the apprehension of these callers. With the help of improved procedures many persistent callers have been caught.

We also remind everyone that Texas law provides up to \$1,000 in fines and 12 months imprisonment for making obscene or harassing calls. And where evidence is clear, we are permitted to disconnect or remove the phone service of anyone making such calls.

We want you to know we're doing all we can to preserve your right to privacy.

Kizer Telephone Co.

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As It Looks From Here

By Omar Burleson, M. C. 17th Texas Dist.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—“TRUTH IN PACKING” was a subject of this release in February of this year. Legislation beamed to the proposition that food products should not be labeled to mislead the purchasing public may be up for consideration in the near future.

THE TREND NOWADAYS, both in the administration of Laws already on the books and those proposed, emphasizes favor and protection for the “consumer”. Actually, of course, we are all consumers, and there are more of us than there are manufactures, packagers and so forth.

GENERALLY THE ASSUMPTION seems to be that the housewife buys a product and gets cheated. There is already a complete Department set up in Government to see that this is not done, but a majority of the Congress may decide that further Law is needed to provide machinery for greater protection.

They say that there are too many items on the market and not enough information about them to permit the consumer to make an independent choice. Some apparently feel that we are unable to read the labels and tell the good from the bad. In other words, emphasis is on the assumption that we are being sold the sizzle instead of the steak.

ACTUALLY, A PRODUCT is what it does. A freezer, for instance, is not the sum of its nuts and bolts but something designed to save food, time and effort. A steak stripped of its sizzle is a bloody piece of meat from the carcass of a steer. Where the usage of a product is self-evident, such as the wood screw, little more need be said.

PROBABLY WE HAVE all experienced disappointment and a feeling of being cheated with a number of things we buy and expect to get its maximum benefit. Power sprays and pressurized

toothpaste which runs out of power before the can is empty is a favorite gripe of a lot of us. It is real convenient while it works but provoking that we can not get our money's worth by using it all.

IF THIS AS it may, someone has got to decide what is adequate “information.” Where does it begin and end? How thorough must it be for those of us who are not too perceiving or patient enough to find out about the product?

THIS PROPOSITION MIGHT be taken a great deal further in some things other than food. Antiques could really furnish a good example. Depending on one's knowledge, today's trash might be tomorrow's treasure. The person who paid \$5 for an 18-inch piece of barbed wire may really have known what he was doing. Over the years there have been several hundred different types of barbed wire and some of it has now become a collector's item under something called “Industrial archeology.”

INCIDENTALLY, IF WE want to go in for “GADGETRY” in

products, we can buy soap manufactured in Yokohama with a message that remains visible down to the last sliver. It is described as having messages on thin layers which are then pressed together to make the full bar. Not being sure of what the advantages are, one would suppose that youngsters might be able to do their homework while taking a bath.

DRUG LABELING AND beneficial claims is a separate legislative issue from that involving food products. Scientific advances have brought so many drugs on the market recently that even the experts are unable to keep up with them. The Food and Drug Administration has grown by leaps and bounds, and Committees of Congress are constantly inquiring into the effects new drugs are having on the consuming public. In some cases it is a serious matter of health by reason of side effects—in some cases worse than the disease it is supposed to cure. All these things have to be policed and the authority for it must be furnished. The fact remains

however, that it is going to be difficult to guarantee by law that the individual is always going to get his money's worth in everything he buys. By and large there is a high integrity on the part of businessmen in our various communities and there are few who are not willing to take serious note of their customers' complaints. This may be the best answer to Truth in Packing and labeling of Products. He, too, is a buyer from his source of supplies.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Standifer and daughter, Kathy, of Baytown are visiting Mrs. Standifer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jarrell, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Graves and son, Jimmy, and wife and baby of Atlanta, Ga., are spending their vacation with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Florence Graves. While here they will visit other relatives.

Mrs. H. S. Switzer is in Pasadena, Calif., where she will attend the wedding of her granddaughter, Rebecca Switzer, on June 22.



WHOOPEES—The 47,000-acre Aransas National Wildlife Refuge, 75 miles northeast of Corpus Christi, is the November-through-March home of the only flock of wild Whooping Cranes in the world today.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Harris spent Thursday in Mason visiting her people.

Nimrod News

BY MRS. EVA STROEBEL

Mrs. Wanda Thomas and son Gary of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Wayne Webb and children of Cisco were Sunday guest in the J. L. King home.

Mrs. Mary Hollis and Minter Hollis accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ramsey and Mary Frances went to Abilene for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Speegle left Tuesday to attend the Methodist conference in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stroebel, Mary Ann and Mrs. Maud Hill and Dinky attended the Fandangle in Albany, Thursday night.

Albert Parkinson is home after spending several days in the Gorman hospital.

Ben Williams and his daughter, Mrs. Buford Cozart were in Abilene Friday to visit Mrs. Williams, who is a patient in Hendricks Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brandon visited in Baird recently.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ingram, are in Houston for medical check-ups.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson of Winters visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Townsend recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lusk and sons of Fort Worth spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Burk Lusk, and Mike and attended the Newman reunion at Lake Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eubank, Mr. Lee and Mrs. Lee and baby of Lubbock and Mrs. Joe Ann Davis and son of Houston were weekend guest of Mrs. Viola Gattis.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Morris of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stewart last week.

Mrs. H. C. Ledbetter and Mrs. T. R. Johnson visited in the Jack Ledbetter home at Cisco Saturday.

Mark and Lydia Burkett are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Lusk, this week.

Several from Scranton attended the Callahan county singing convention, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gattis and family of Midland are visiting Mrs. J. W. Gattis.

Mrs. Wes Holcomb has as her guest this week her niece, Jan, and children of Cisco.

Miss Eunice Hembree was a Sunday night guest of Misses Hazel and Beulah Respass in Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Speegle and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shrader attended Sunday night services at Wesley Methodist Church at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tonne and family of Moran and Mrs. Mary Whitehead of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Morgan, Sunday.

Miss Vicki Hardwick of Tulsa, Okla., is here for the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Ralston, and other relatives. Vicki will return to Tulsa in the fall to enter college.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Jacobs have returned from an extended visit with their daughter and family in California.

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Arkansas Louisiana Gas Company to Lone Star Producing Company, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Joe Anderson, et ux, to Stephenville Saving and Loan Assn., deed of trust.
U. Z. Aaron, et ux, to Mrs. Mildred Childers, warranty deed.
Charles Arnett, et ux, to First Federal Savings and Loan Assn., deed of trust.
Edith Hurd Bowen, individual and independent executrix of James Bowen, deceased, to James Gibbs, assignment of oil and gas lease.
J. L. Beggs, et al, to B. E. Henson, warranty deed.
R. A. Bearman, et ux, to First

Federal Savings and Loan Assn. of Ranger, deed of trust.
E. C. Bethany, et ux, to D. D. Sandlin, warranty deed.
Roy Blair to City of Gorman, quit claim deed.
Tera Maye Beall to Mrs. Mertrie Murray, warranty deed.
Estes Burgamy, independent executor of will of Mrs. Alice Smith, deceased, warranty deed.
W. E. Bradshaw, et ux, deceased, warranty deed.
Charlie Campbell, et ux, to Southern Savings and Loan Assn., deed of trust.
J. B. Blackwell, et ux, to Charles Taylor, et ux, warranty deed.
R. C. Carpenter to Cora Walker, warranty deed.
William M. Caudle, deceased, to the public, proof of heirship and will.
Cecil Cogburn to Jack Cogburn, et ux, warranty deed.
Jack Cogburn, et ux, to First Federal Savings and Loan Assn., Ranger, deed of trust.
Mrs. Mildred Childers to U. Z. Aaron, warranty deed.
Lydia Mae Coleman, et al, to Vaudine Billey, warranty deed.
T. D. Crockett, et ux, to Verna Johnson, warranty deed.
Robert Cox to the public, affidavit.

City of Ranger to A. R. Huffman quit claim deed.
Joe Clark to Billy Herod et ux, warranty deed.
Joe Clark to Billy Herod lease agreement.
Frances Dunn, et al, to Wilson Robinson, warranty deed.
Mrs. Maude Dabney to A. Jeffcoat, assignment of deed of trust.
John Ernest vs. Sam Hedanovick, et al, abstract of judgment.
Lola Ewart, et al, to R. C. Carpenter, proof of heirship.
Eastland County Water Supply District to C. B. Pruet, et al, consent and ratification.
Eastland Independent School District to J. L. Owen, quit claim deed.
First National Bank of Abilene to Stephenville Savings and Loan Assn., assignment of mechanic v. materialman's lien.
Farmers and Merchants Bank DeLeon, to B. E. Hanson, partial release of deed of trust.
Federal Land Bank Houston to John Simmons et ux, release of deed of trust.
Federal Land Bank of Houston to C. M. Cox, et ux, release of deed of trust.
First State Bank of Abilene to Leonard Moseley, appointment of trustee.
First National Bank of Cecil Jessup, release of deed of trust.
First National Bank of Cisco to J. W. Stevens, et ux, partial release of vendors lien.
Aubrey Guy, et ux, to Veteran's Land Board, warranty deed.
W. L. Guy to B. E. Hanson, release of vendors lien.
L. W. Gary, et ux, to First Federal Savings and Loan Assn., deed of trust.
B. E. Hanson et ux, to the public, affidavit.
B. E. Hanson, et ux to American-Amicable Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.
B. E. Hanson to Southern Savings and Loan Assn., deed of trust.
Agusta Hart, et ux to State of Texas, deed.
Juge Investment Co vs. E. M. James, abstract of title.
D. L. Kinard to Ben McKinis, et ux, release of vendor's lien.
Odus Kenedy, deceased, to the public, certified copy of probate.
Gilbert Kanady to Mrs. Katherine Roy, warranty deed.
Willie Kenedy, individual and independent executrix to W. D.

Beggs, et ux release of deed of trust.
H. R. Lewis, et ux, to H. O. Miller, et ux, warranty deed.
Chester Myrick, et ux, to Charlie Campbell, et ux, warranty deed.
Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York to Arkansas-Louisiana Gas Company, release of deed of trust.
W. F. McDermott to C. R. Krapp, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Trina Moreno, et ux, to Home Specialties Company, mechanic v. materialmans lien and assignment.
Everett Martin, et ux, to B. E. Hanson quitclaim deed.
William Mitchell to American-Australian Oil Company, warranty deed.
Doyle Lee Maynard, et ux, to Herbert Ekru, deed of trust.
Ben McKinnis, et ux, to B. E. Hanson, warranty deed.
W. L. Nicholson, et ux, to Lee Fields to First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Ranger, mechanic v. materialmans lien and assignment.
Wesley Poyner, et ux, to Gene Gourley to First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Ranger, mechanic v. materialmans lien and assignment.
Guy Parker, et al, to B. A. May, et al, declaration of interest.
C. B. Pruet, et al, to C. O. Smith, et ux, assignment of deed of trust.
G. B. Rush, et ux, to Charles Arnett, et ux, warranty deed.
Guy Scholl to James Gibbs, assignment of oil and gas lease.
Gracie Skiles, et al, to Charlie Fenwick, warranty deed.
Southern Savings and Loan Association to B. E. Hanson, et ux, partial release of deed of trust.
State of Texas, et al, vs. H. L. Hicks, et ux, certified copy of judgment.
State of Texas, et al, vs. Mrs. Beulah Heyser, certified copy of judgment.
State of Texas, et al, vs. Albert Hanson, et ux, certified copy of judgment.

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By Mrs. Beverly Nicholson Co. HD Agent

What's one of the most common types of home fires? According to research statistics, a flaming frying pan is a most common cause of fire in the home. It may result in serious burns or even the destruction of property.

Here are some fire-fighting guidelines to use, if a fire should start in a frying pan:

Turn off the gas or electricity. Do not remove the pan from the burner. If a lid is handy, slide the lid over the top of the pan in a motion away from your body, and smother the flames. Do not lower a lid over the flames. This will cause the flames to spread sideways and perhaps burn your arm or ignite your clothing or other nearby articles.

If a lid is not available use salt or baking soda to smother the flame. Simply pour or throw either of the items directly on the flame, but be careful not to push the grease and flames outside the pan. Do not use flour, sugar, or water to try to put out the fire. Flour will explode, sugar will burn, and water will only push the fire out of the pan onto some other surface.

In addition to remembering these simple hints, it's also a good idea to have a fire extinguisher handy.

Don't let slush-spattered stockings spoil the effect of a well-groomed appearance. Those slush splashes are easy to wipe away with a sudsy cloth once you reach your destination—especially if you tuck a small sponge into a plastic bag to carry in your handbag for just such an emergency.

Lather the cloth with soap-suds, wipe the slush marks from your nylons while wearing them. The nylons will dry quickly, and

Mrs. Glen Penninger of Deming, New Mexico, recently spent several days with her mother Mrs. E. E. Able, at Twilight Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper of Breckenridge visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ober Cooper, Sunday June 19.

your legs will feel damp for only a few seconds.

To avoid a dark slush ring around the ankles just above the tops of galoshes or boots, scrub your boots inside as well as outside, using a brush dipped into hot soap or detergent suds. Then your rainwear boots won't soil your shoes or hose.

Joe Scasta Now Commissioned As Guard Lieutenant

AUSTIN — Joe Louis Scasta, Jr., of Rising Star has graduated from the Texas National Guard Academy and has been commissioned a second lieutenant.

A member of the National Guard since 1963, Scasta is with Headquarters, 1st Battalion of the 142nd Infantry that drills in Brownwood.

Scasta, a range conservationist with the USDA, was one of more than 100 new lieutenants commissioned in ceremonies Saturday, June 18, in Austin at the end of the year-long Academy course.

The Academy's year consists of two 15-day summer encampments at Camp Mabry in Austin and monthly week-end training school branches in Austin and Dallas.

The sessions are designed to place candidates under physical, mental and emotional stress to simulate, as closely as possible, the stress and fatigue of combat. The course develops and tests leadership, physical fitness and military skills.

Patterned after the U. S. Army Infantry School at Fort Benning, Ga., the Academy has a wash-out rate of about 40 per cent. The Academy, prime source of junior officers for the Texas National Guard, is federally recognized.

The Portland, Oregon, Traffic out of six cars on the average would fail to pass a vehicle safety inspection.

Plainview Girl To Become Bride Of Rising Star Man

Dist. Judge and Mrs. James A. Joy, 1503 Ennis, Plainview, have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Chelly Sue, to Don Frazier Clark of Rising Star.

The prospective groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Clark of Rising Star.

Thursday, August 4, has been selected by the couple as their wedding date.

They will pledge vows in First Methodist Church Chapel in Plainview with Roy F. Osborne, Church of Christ minister of San Leandro, Calif., as officiant.

Miss Joy, graduated from Plainview High School and attended Abilene Christian College. She was a member of A. Cappella Choir, both at ACC and in High School.

Last year she was chosen a runnerup in the Miss Lake Meredith contest and this year entered the Miss Plainview pageant, later dropping out of the contest because of her forthcoming marriage.

The groom-to-be will be a sophomore next fall at ACC, majoring in animal husbandry.

Wedding Date Set for August Fourth . . .



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Dr. W. Allen Wallis, President of the University of Rochester, says, "Inflation can be generated only by government." Here's how he explained it: "Business firms, labor unions or consumers with excessive market power can do many objectionable things that are contrary to the public interest. But one objectionable thing that they cannot do is to cause inflation—or, for that matter, prevent it."

According to a report issued by the U. S. Department of Commerce, state governments spent \$45.5 billion in fiscal 1965, including \$4.2 billion paid in ad other insurance trust systems.

Senator Frank Lausche (Dem. Ohio) said the battle against water pollution is the most important problem facing the nation today.

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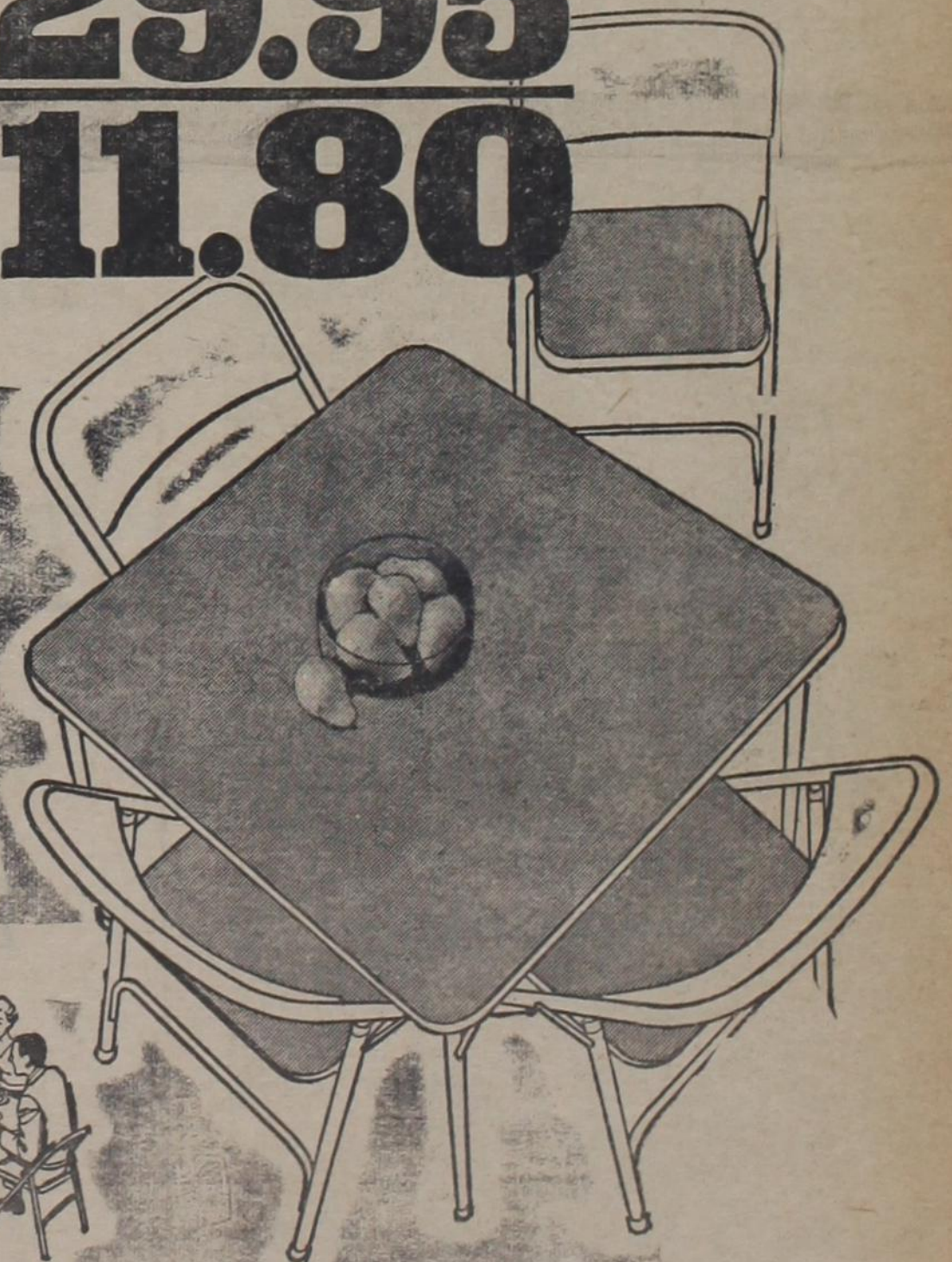


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It Has Been

By VADA ARNOLD

In 1937 the editor of the Rising Star Record, said "when heat waves sizzle from the pavements it is hot enough to fry an egg on the sidewalk, and the thermometer rises to unrecorded heights what do citizens do to cool themselves off?"

A survey in August of that year revealed that more than 250 cups of coffee were sold a day. On Wednesday afternoon when the temperature registered a little over 100 degrees, and "Uncle Jim" Clark said "There had never been a hotter day, a-way back in the 90's;" Local cafes were crowded with coffee drinkers.

The late Bill Barnes was drinking it black. When questioned as to the sanity of drinking the black liquid "red hot", he answered "It was the best way he knew to "cool off". "I like it as well on hot days as any other day." Bill said as he smacked his lips and went on with his coffee drinking.

Maybe those coffee drinking boys had found something. Nick Higginbotham, M. D. Gibson, Cecil Joyce and Waldo Wilcox along with Bill Barnes, managed to keep cool while they continued to drink coffee.

After making a survey of beverage drinkers in Rising Star, the Record representative was "perfectly amazed" when he found out how many soda pops went down the gullets of local citizens.

On Tuesday, August 3, 1,032, soft drinks were downed in Rising Star.

The man from the Record, figured this out. "One thousand and thirty two pops is a lot of pops. Figuring six ounces to the drink, 48 gallons were consumed last Tuesday. If all the drinks were in bottles and most of them were, and the bottles were placed end to end it would be

Mr. and Mrs. James Caruthers and children of Baytown are visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jarrell and other relatives.

Mrs. W. C. Hardy and children of Monahans visited her mother, Mrs. Harley Nay, recently.

602 feet from the beginning of the line of bottles to the end of the line.

"That would be almost the distance from one end of the business district to the other on Main Street, or ten times deeper than the new city well."

"At five cents per drink, \$51.60 worth of soft drinks were sold in Rising Star, Tuesday. Forty three cases of "cokes", strawberries" ect. Think of the lumber it required to build 43 wooden cases for the bottled drinks."

One soda "skeet" in town said said "if the figures on water served free to customers were compiled, the total would so far exceed the number of soft drinks sold. Soft drinking would never be mentioned again."

YWAs Hear Report On Trip to Glorietta

The Young Womens auxiliary of the First Baptist church, met in the home of Mrs. Ira Hudler, Saturday June 18.

The meeting was opened with the song "Onward Christian Soldiers". Markie Roberts presented the program on "Baptist in Portugal". Scripture was read from the book of 2-Kings. Pam Geyer read the calendar of prayer and gave a special report on the youth trip to Glorietta, New Mexico.

Mrs. Hudler dismissed the group with prayer.

Gary Jones of Dallas spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and family of Post visited his mother Mrs. Jessie Camp last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jackson spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Pearce at Denison.

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Specs--

there are still nice folks to be met, folks like those at Kenedy who find people from Rising Star their neighbors.

When you consider that all our problems are man-made—those of our living together, that is—there is still hope in this that they will be solved.

The wealth of knowledge possessed by today's youth is amazing—and frustrating.

Curtis, who is learning to set type on the Star linotype machine, came in the office Tuesday with the profound information that the day just beginning would be 14 hours and 17 minutes long—the longest daylight of the year.

I asked him how you divide the word "through" if it overran a line of type, and he said he didn't know.

I can understand, better now, why we are trying to get to the moon. What we need is long days, and those on the moon are 29 of ours, so I am told.

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