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## Through The Editor's Specs

By BAB

Rising Star extends a hand of welcome to former students of Rising Star high school this week, particularly those who will return from other communities to which they have gone since leaving the local school.

Few communities of our size has as many ties with other towns and cities and states as has Rising Star, Texas. It is unfortunate that the economy of our town has not been able to afford employment for all who have graduated from our high school, and thus keep them here; but on the other hand Rising Star is fortunate in the fact that so much affection for the old home town exists among those who have gone elsewhere to work and live.

Many of these former residents still keep a close contact with their old home town through subscriptions to the Rising Star Record. We have several hundred such out of town subscribers on our subscriptions lists.

And most of them still take eager advantage of any opportunity to return to Rising Star to visit with former classmates and old friends and neighbors and thus renew those ties which make for this community an influence as widespread as the population it has given to the rest of the country.

We welcome these former students and residents with the sincere wish that they may find their visit enjoyable, their return an inspiration and their renewal of old ties a further strengthening of the affection so mutually held.

Texans are accused of bragadocio attitudes by their more envious fellow-Americans, and perhaps there is a disposition on the part of a lot of us to be as expansive on the subject of Texas as the boundaries of the state suggest. After all, a person who isn't proud of his country, his state or his community, ought to seek a climate more favorable to his affections.

However this may be, there is one subject upon which Texans may speak with justifiable pride. It is the state's highway system.

I can remember when, not so many years ago, an automobile trip to Dallas through Fort Worth to the State fair or other popular event, was an experience in frustration, not to speak of its traffic hazards.

Last week-end we went to Dallas to see the SMU-Air Force game at the State Fair. From Rising Star to Dallas through the heart of Fort Worth it was rarely necessary to stop except to conform to traffic controls which were at a minimum. Although the volume of traffic was many times what it was twenty years ago, we sped through Fort Worth on a freeway at a speed of 50 miles an hour, went directly into six lane turnpike where speeds up to 70 miles an hour are permissible, and within less than 30 minutes from the Fort Worth turnpike entrance, we turned into Industrial en route to the fair grounds. It took us longer to drive Industrial and Forest Avenue to the Fair gate than to travel the turnpike. And I might add it took about as long to find a parking spot. All the fair grounds parking was taken up by school buses, and the fair grounds by about forty-eleven thousand kids.

If the future of the country is insured by the kid crop you could certainly take heart for that future at Dallas Saturday. But the excellence of the state's highway system is only dramatized by the fine controlled

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## Sewage Plant Bids Due Nov. 1

Engineers were working on final details of the plans for the new Rising Star sewage disposal system, and Mayor Walter Smith said this week it would probably be November 1 before bids on the \$98,800 project are asked.

A number of requests for bid forms have already been received from contractors, he said.

Meanwhile the proceeds from the sale of an issue of revenue bonds approved by voters of the city, have been received and deposited in the local bank, the Mayor said. A check for \$64,000 representing the full face value of the bonds was sent the city by the firm handling the bond sale.

In addition a grant of \$25,800, not to be repaid has been approved by the State Health Department and by Washington, D. C., and this money is available when needed, the mayor said.

Included in the project is a relocation of the sewage disposal plant, its modernization and a pipe line to carry the sewage to the plant.

## North Star Club Nets \$80. From Achievement Days

The North Star Home Demonstration Club held its regular meeting October 1, with 16 members answering roll call. Roll call response was a statement on "A Color I Like to Wear."

The club's annual Achievement Days were held on October 4 and 5. A large number of people visited the club exhibits of things made by the members during 1963.

There was also a display of canned vegetables and fruits and of fruits and vegetables grown in and around Rising Star by the members.

One section of the building was used to display antiques some of them almost 100 years old.

Mrs. Sam Nichols won the club quilt.

The club realized a net of \$80. It expressed its thanks to all who helped make the success of the event possible.

## New Baptist Pastor Welcomed Wednesday

The Rev. A. D. Kvie, new pastor of the First Baptist Church, began his work with the local congregation Wednesday, Oct. 8, when the church welcomed him and his family with a covered dish luncheon.

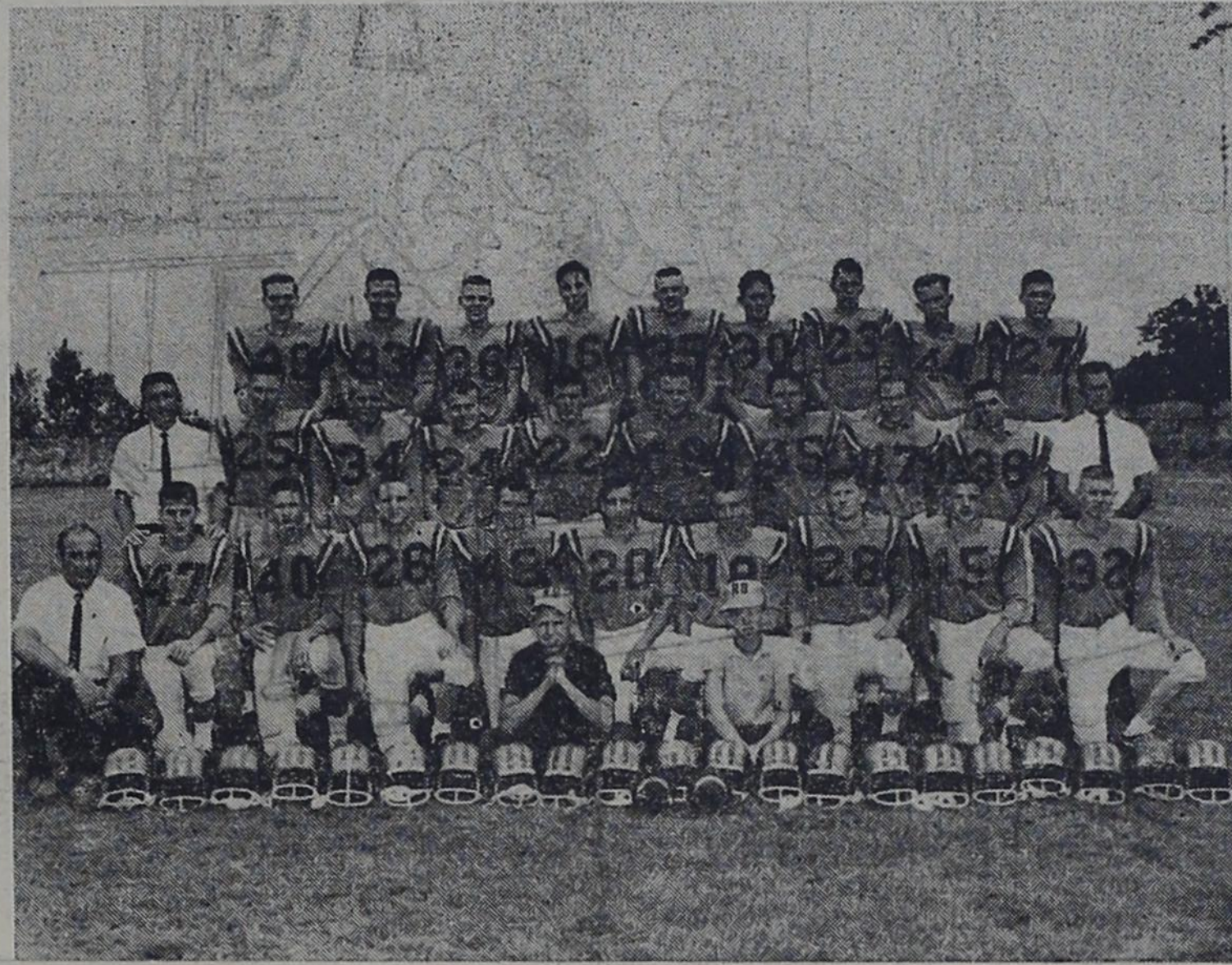
The pastor and his family moved into the pastor's home Monday. Some improvements were made to the residence, including painting of the woodwork and the laying of new linoleum.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Pierce attended the Elkins cemetery working on Wednesday, Oct. 2.

## Poll Tax Amendment To Be Voted On At Special Election Called for Nov. 9

EASTLAND — County Judge Scott Bailey was the first Eastland County resident to pay the 1963 poll tax. Judge Bailey arranged to receive Eastland County's poll tax receipt number "One" in order to call attention to the up-coming election on November 9 which will allow qualified voters of Eastland County to vote for or against an amendment to the State Constitution making payment of the poll tax a requirement for voting. Judge Bailey called attention to the fact that a provision for

## Wildcat 1963 Football Squad . . .



The Rising Star Wildcat football squad will meet the Evant Elks in the feature event of the Rising Star High School Homecoming here Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock. The members are: Top row, left to right—Kenny Butler, Gary Duggan, Rex Long, Dick Goldston, Terry Geye, Jas. Cox, John Hutchinson, Roger Goodwin, Jimmy Rutledge; 3rd row—Coach Eddie Henry, Don

West, Frazier Clark, Bill Clarke, Larry Duggan, Mike Donham, Russell Botts, Bobby Burns, Danny Wooley, Head Coach Weldon Hill, second row, l. to r.—Coach Frank Grav, Franz Pittman, Davey Jones, Doug Fisher, Gene Burns, Jimmy Rutherford, Dwight Carter, Bob Reeves, Danny White and Ben Chick. Seated front—Managers Bob Clark and Willie Ezell.

## Football, Parade, Will Be Features of Homecoming

Election of a homecoming queen will be high on order of business for the annual business meeting of the Rising Star High School Exes which will open the 1963 homecoming program next Saturday.

The meeting will be held at the High School gym and will

be called to order at 11 a. m. following a registration period at the Home Economics building on the school campus.

The homecoming queen will be presented during the half time ceremonies of the Rising Star-Evant football game at Wildcat stadium Saturday

night. The game, which will be the concluding feature of a busy day will start at 7:30 o'clock.

Other events of the day's program will be a barbecue lunch at the American Legion Hall at noon; a parade led by the High School band and pep squad through the business district at 2 p. m., and a pep rally at the High School gym at 3 p. m.

Prospects were bright for the largest attendance ever recorded at a homecoming here, President James Rutherford of the Ex-Students Ass'n. urged all local Exes to make a special effort to be present to help swell the attendance and to greet out-of-town grads and former students who will be here for the event.

The program committee was particularly hopeful that all who plan to attend the barbecue purchase their tickets early in order that an accurate estimate of the number of plates needed could be realized before the order is placed with the caterer.

The parade is not confined to entries by the schools and extrastudent organizations, but anyone who wishes to enter a float or other features is not only welcomed but urged to do so.

## 1963 Not so Drouthy-- Just Dry in Spots

EASTLAND — Many Eastland County farmers are hoping for "just one more" rain to round out their crops, but for as dry as it has seemed, the statistics show that this year hasn't been "drouthy" — just dry in spots. With 33.84 inches of rain in September, according to Official Weather Observer James Smith, the first nine months of the year tally up to only .74 of an inch less than the average. The average total for the nine months is 19.83 inches, and through Sept. 30 this year, Eastland had had 19.09 inches.

Melvin and Geneva Boatman are here for a visit with his mother, Mrs. E. A. Boatman. They were on their way back to Monahans, where they live. They had been to Liberty, Tex., to visit their youngest son, Edward Boaman and wife, and to welcome a new grandchild.

Charley Harrell is receiving treatment in Hendricks Memorial Hospital, Abilene.

## Cats-Mav Game Is Close For 3 Quarters

The first three quarters of the football game between the Rising Star Wildcats and the Eastland Mavericks at Eastland last Friday night was as good a game as the customers could want.

As a matter of fact, until the closing minutes of the third period it was still anybody's ball game. The score at the end of the half was 7-6. It was a fumbled punt after a magnificent midfield stand by the Rising Star lads which gave Eastland its second successful scoring opportunity and took the heart out of a Rising Star defense that had been tough as green leather up to that point.

And it was a tiring Rising Star defense and the loss of key players through injuries which let down the bars for the Eastland team and enabled them to run over three more touchdowns with ease.

The score at the end of the third period was 14-6. At the end of the game it was 33-6. Both teams were somewhat

under par for the game. Both suffered from mild flu attacks, but the Wildcats were most seriously crippled. They played without the services of one of their best ball carriers, Bill Clark, and mid-way of the fourth quarter they lost the services of their quarterback, Rising Star touchdown in the first quarter.

Defensively the Cats played a remarkable game, but they lacked the speed to match the exceptional maneuvering of the Eastland secondary.

## Eastland Scores Early

The game started off as though it would be a rout from the first Maverick offensive play. The Cats received and advanced the ball seven yards on thrusts by Frans Pittman and Danny Wooley. James Cox recovered a fumbled punt but a penalty cost the Cats possession and Larry Duggan dropped Joe Cooper at midfield on Geye's second kick. After one ineffective running play, Cooper threw a long touchdown pass to Stanley Underwood. The Mavs were caught holding, and suffered a 15-yard penalty, but on the very next play Cooper—the best running back the Cats have faced this season — broke loose for 67 yards and the score. The Mavs added the extra point.

It was the only Mav score during the half.

The Wildcats scored early in the second quarter. Credit for the score must go largely to a jarring Wildcat defense which cost the Mavericks fumbles at crucial points. Even so the score was anything but a fluke. A key play in the drive which led to the score was a 20-yard pass from Geye to Rex Long which put the ball on the Eastland 37. (Continued on Page Five)

## Construction Started On 32-Bed Nursing Home

Construction of a 32-bed nursing home for senior citizens began this week on a site purchased from H. H. Frye and Mrs. Love Shults in southwest Rising Star. Builder is J. R. Newton, of

Fort Worth, who will operate the home. The site is located on an extension of Miller Street south from Ross which the city will open and which will be surfaced with hot top.

The home, plans for which have been approved by the State Health Department will be of brick veneer construction on concrete and will meet state requirements in all details of construction, arrangement and operation, Mr. Newton said. It is planned that additional rooms may be added if necessary.

It is hoped to have the institution in operation before the first of the year. Original site for the building was a lot out of City Park property, but the title considerations caused the relocation on the private property which was purchased by Mr. Newton.

Mr. Newton said that a rumor to the effect that all beds in the home have been taken was incorrect. "We have not yet received applications," he said.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

### ADMITTED:

Mrs. Lola Groves, Mrs. C. E. Flanagan, Mrs. Edna Hancock, John Freeman, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Stella Sutton and J. F. Hallingshead, Rising Star; Mrs. Maggie Clardy and Mrs. Don Lee, May.

### DISMISSED:

Mrs. C. E. Flanagan and Mrs. Stella Sutton, Rising Star.

## Lawrence Townsend Buried at Rockdale

Funeral services for Lawrence Townsend, 34, who died at Dallas Saturday night, presumably of a heart attack, were held at Rockdale, his home, at 10 a. m., Tuesday. Burial was at Rockdale.

He was the son of Mrs. Julie Townsend of the Cook community and attended school at Crocker and at Rising Star.

He was an employee of the Texas Automatic Sprinkler Co and was living at Dallas temporarily. About 8 o'clock Saturday night he complained of not feeling well, according to information here, and his roommate took him back to their motel and left him. When the roommate returned he found Mr. Townsend dead.

He is survived by his wife, Uba, and two sons, Allen, 3, and Larry, 2, of Rockdale; his mother, and three sisters, Mrs. Virginia Lee of Rising Star, Mrs. Inez Clifton of McCamey, and Mrs. Don Smith of Brownwood.

Mrs. J. E. (Mary) Smith has suffered a light stroke and is being cared for in Rising Star hospital.

## Methodist Revival To Begin Sunday

The annual Fall revival of the First Methodist Church will begin Sunday, Oct. 13, to continue through next week. Services will be held each week-day evening at 7 o'clock.

Dr. S. Wayne Reynolds, district superintendent of the Cisco district of the church, will do the preaching.

The Rev. Milton Slayden, pastor, invited the public to attend.

Mrs. Ronald Hicks is here from Refugio for a visit with relatives. Her husband, Ronald is expected here next week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hicks of Dallas plan to be here this week for the High School Homecoming. Patsy Hicks of Abilene plans to be here also.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Eddy attended her brother's funeral in Sherman recently.

## Bank Deposits Soar; Effects Of Drouth Sales Cautioned

Deposits in the First State Bank of Rising Star as of the last call date—Sept. 30, 1963—were almost \$300,000 above the figure a year ago, but bank officials were not inclined to view the increase with any great optimism.

"We are not at all pessimistic; the situation does not reflect an unhealthy situation by any means," said Vice-President James Rutherford. "But it is only reasonable to point out that certain conditions, not altogether prosperous, are to be credited with a considerable portion of the increase."

He pointed out in particular that cattlemen in the area are selling down their herds due to the drouth, and that much of the capital investment in their cattle has been converted to cash and deposited in the bank. "We anticipate that when it rains and range conditions improve the deposits will decline," he said. "Cattlemen may be expected to buy more cows and convert their cash capital to investment."

Even discounting the increase, however, deposits in the bank were at a high figure. The bank reported total deposits of \$2,920,607.46 for the call date, as compared with \$2,837,900.83 reported on June 29, 1963.

The situation with respect to local deposits is similar to that affecting bank deposits all over the section, it was explained. Any enthusiasm over the high figures should be tempered with an understanding of the effect of the drouth upon livestock investments and other factors.

Nevertheless, deposits of over \$2,500,000 which are normal in Rising Star, are remarkable in a community of this size, it was pointed out.

Total assets of \$3,232,933.82 were reported for the call date. Loans and discounts were \$1,513,363.61. Reserves were reported at \$212,326.37. The bank has capital stock of \$500,000 and a certified surplus of \$50,000, making a total capital of \$1,000,000.

President of the bank is W. E. (Bill) Tyler. Charles Tyler and Mr. Rutherford are vice-presidents, and Lane B. Wells is cashier.

## STRICTLY FRESH

Many a person is dominated by a rich uncle's will power.

Economy is a strange word today; it means the



large size in soap and the small size in cars.

It is said that a fanatic is someone who is highly enthusiastic about something in which you are not even remotely interested.

Lovers lament: "You should see the Juan that got away."

# Rising Star Homecoming Saturday, October 12

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It's Our Money They're Wasting . . .

It may be of interest to the Government at Washington that more and more of the citizens of this country are becoming critically interested in the amount of their tax money which is being spent and the purposes for which it is so spent. This is especially true with respect to the sums that are being lavished on foreign countries. Our foreign aid program, designed, it is said, to prevent the spread of communism is, in many cases, doing just the opposite. During the past 16 years \$124 billions of American money has been poured into 100 countries,

many of them either avowedly communist in their governments or frankly sympathetic toward the communist ideology.

This is a big sum to be taken from the American people, and it is high time that the experience we have had with the program should come under a most critical review as to its merits or failures.

Some facts lifted from a speech of Rep. Ed Foreman in the House of Representatives are well worth keeping in mind when it comes time to remit another portion of our income tax to the federal treasury. More importantly, they should be forcibly called to the attention of our senators and congressmen along with an insistence that American aid while it may be justifiable in certain cases should be administered with common sense and an insistence upon self-help and upon the purposes for which the money is given.

Said Rep. Foreman:

The foreign aid authorization bill, H.R. 7883, last week, passed by the House of Representatives and now under consideration by the Senate, provided handouts to 104 of the 112 countries of the world. We are sending aid to every distasteful on the face of the earth, most of the Socialist nations and many Communist countries.

The Agency for International Development has 64,508 employees engaged in this foreign aid program, traveling around the world dishing out our hard-earned tax dollars to all corners.

Nine Stalls for Each Bull

Entirely too much emphasis has been placed on meeting personal desires of political leaders of recipient governments or in carrying out the unsound schemes of our own people; and too little emphasis has been given to common sense thought and action. Documentation of these charges can be had by the hundreds, and many of them are chronicled in detail in the thousands of pages of the record of the hearings of the House Sub-committee on Foreign Operations Appropriations. Such things as these:

Six hundred technical aid projects in one country, and more ready to be started before completion of the existing ones. A highway in Vietnam on which the costs skyrocketed from an original estimate of \$18 million to more than \$129 million before completion. A fertilizer plant in Taiwan, started with foreign aid money and estimated to cost \$34 million, which was inoperable because equipment did not meet the specifications for the desired operations—\$3.1 million for an air-conditioned yacht for the Emperor of Ethiopia. One thousand 23-inch TV sets were ordered for use in community education programs in undeveloped countries overseas at a cost of \$400,000 for areas with no electric power supply. Foreign aid funds were used to buy suits for undertakers in Greece. U.S. aid to Kenya was used to buy extra wives for government officials. A stock breeding farm was erected in Lebanon with U.S. aid. Nine stalls were built for each bull.

It is our money, earned in the sweat of our brows. Perhaps we should listen less to the claims of the spenders and take a closer look at what is actually being done with the cash.

Dinner guests of Mrs. O. O. Wolf Sunday, Oct. 6 were her brother Tommy Elliot, and wife from Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. H. McDonald, Mrs. Willie Hughes and Mrs. Wilburn Scott.

Under Observation



As It Looks From Here

By Omar Bureson, M.C., 17th Texas District

WASHINGTON, D. C.— UNDER THE HEADING OF "AS STRANGT AS IT MAY SEEM" are:

THE COMPLAINTS OF MANY PEOPLE and organizations who say the President is not moving fast enough in matters of "civil rights" and other "liberal" legislation. The pressures on the Administration are not confined to the negro or negro organizations, but come from many sources, including large religious groups.

REMEMBER WHEN COFFEE WAS THE ONLY "INSTANT" thing around? Now, seemingly, many people want everything to be instant—instant change.

SOMEONE RECENTLY SAID THAT THE AUSTRALIANS have invented powdered butter. If they have, we should shortly have dehydrated water, liquid bread, jelled alcohol, cantaloupe crumbs, liquid ice, and quick frozen fried eggs.

THE WRITER, ROBERT ROUARK, commented that if

this came about, a drop of liquid pepper from a handy tube could be dropped first into the frozen eggs and later, if indigestion occurred, it could be cured with a bicarbonate spray.

FURTHER, HE WONDERS THAT IF IN THE FUTURE we may have quick frozen powdered babies. add a touch of dry water and boom!—an adult is produced—ready for the psychiatrist—filled with fear of a nuclear war. Or he or she will probably have a vinyl heart which will throb to electrical impulses.

THEN THERE IS THE IDEA OF SOME THAT WE SHOULD HAVE "instant" government. Government would come in small packages and come in small packages and everyone would be given one. Add a pinch of selfish desire sprinkled with various philosophies and experimental ideas and bingo!—instant government for all, according to their liking.

ALTHOUGH THIS MAY BE THE INVENTION OF THE UNITED STATES, it

would doubtless have even a greater market around the world. In fact, some countries already have beaten us to it.

THERE ARE INSTANT GOVERNMENTS IN AFRICA AND SOUTHEAST ASIA and with our "help" instant governments are trying to be brought about in Latin America.

THE POPULAR THEME IN RECENT YEARS has been freedom and independence for everybody. The tragedy of it is that a responsibility in these "instant" governments has been thrust upon many people who had little idea of what was in the package. They had not been prepared for self-government but seem to have that hasn't mattered too much.

WITH OUR HELP AN ATTEMPT HAS BEEN MADE toward "instant" government in the Congo and other places, like Cuba. We have been a party to throwing overboard strong personal leadership, ordinarily referred to as "dictator." The vacuum left has, in most instances, been filled with leaders who have had their government packaged and ready for the people.

REGARDLESS OF THE MERITS OR EVILS of the Batista government in Cuba, we helped his ouster and the story since is familiar to everyone.

WE HELPED OUST TRUJILLO OF THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC to bring in a regime who was to "reform" everything. Because it wasn't "instant," it is out.

NOW HONDURAS HAD A REVOLUTION and there is a clamor and demand on the President to do something about it. No one says what to do, but supposedly those with these ideas want our military strength to be thrown into every little place

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



FUNNY BUSINESS



to support these people who want instant government under what they call democratic processes.

THE IDEA OF DEMOCRACY, AS WE KNOW IT, is not known to the greater part of the world. We insist, however, that they must have a constitutionally established democratic government, whatever the circumstances.

IT IS ABOUT TIME WE KEEP OUR NOSE out of the business of a lot of these countries when they are not operating just as we think they should.

WE SHOULD LEARN THAT without a sense of the historical values of freedom and democracy, they are likely to fall when instantly applied.

JAMES GARFIELD SAID, "All free governments are managed by the combined wisdom and folly of the people." It seems worthy to add that there should be an ample store of the first before any measure of the latter could be afforded.

J. B. Mauldin of Venezuela is here to visit a brother and to look after real estate interests.

SPECS --

access thoroughfares which keep through traffic moving through the crowded cities. It is just as evident in the cardinal highway system and, if you think about it, even more so in the farm-to-market roads which give our rural homes, farms and ranches such good all-weather connections with the cities. Much of the trip which we made Saturday was over these capillary roads.

We can certainly be thankful for these highways and for a State Highway Department against which there has not been in many years so much as a breath of scandal.

Joyce Brothers in Reunion At Alpine

The Joyce brothers and their families—two of them from Rising Star—gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Joyce in Alpine for a reunion over the week-end.

They were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Joyce of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Joyce of Rising Star, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Joyce of Alpine.

Kenneth Joyce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Joyce, of Crane met the group at Alpine and his mother returned to Crane with him. He will bring her home to Rising Star in time for the Homecoming Saturday.

LOCAL ITEMS

Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Barnes of Novice visited Mrs. Beryl Heath and Mrs. Jay Rachels Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hester of Burleson, visited Mrs. Beryl Heath and Mrs. Jay Rachels, recently.

Friday Mrs. Beryl Heath visited the Heath relatives in DeLeon, while Mrs. Jay Rachels visited Mrs. Eva Hatlock there.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Marris attended a family get-together in Eastland Sunday, Oct. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Lusk and two children of Abilene, and Mrs. Frances Allen, her husband and four children, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McDonald on Sunday, Oct. 6. The Allens live in Fort Worth.

Advertisement for SUPER KEM-TONE... AMERICA'S FAVORITE WALL PAINT. Includes an illustration of a man painting a wall and a can of paint.

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• NEW COLORS—bring more beauty to your rooms.
• NEW MONEY-BACK GUARANTEE—purchase price of paint refunded if you're not completely satisfied.

HIGGINBOTHAM'S

Advertisement for Jenkins Agency INSURANCE & REAL ESTATE. Includes text: 'HAVE YOU BEEN SAVING? It is especially tragic when an unexpected accident or illness wipes out your savings account...' and contact information for Jenkins Agency.

Large vertical advertisement for the 1963 STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, OCT. 5-20. Includes text: 'WELCOME TO THE 1963 STATE FAIR OF TEXAS', 'EXPOSITION OF OUR AMERICAN HERITAGE', 'FEATURING: BROADWAY MUSICAL "How To Succeed In Business Without Really Trying"', 'ICE CAPADES', 'PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION', 'DEEP RIVER FIFE & DRUM CORPS', 'HORSE SHOWS', 'TEXAS INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR', 'COLOSSAL FREE CIRCUS', 'PARADE OF THE STARS AND STRIPES', 'Southwestern Historical WAX MUSEUM', 'AMERICAN INDIAN VILLAGE', 'FACES OF FREEDOM', '1964 AUTOMOBILE SHOW', 'MOSIL SKY REVUE', 'AGRICULTURE - THE BIG PLUS', 'Sewing Fashion Festival', 'INDIAN ART OF THE AMERICAS', 'GIANT SEATTLE WORLD'S FAIR FERRIS WHEEL', 'TEXAS KITCHEN WINDOW', 'AND LOTS, LOTS MORE!'.

We All Say

# WELCOME

Rising Star Exes To Your

## Homecoming Saturday, October 12



**Program**

9 to 11 a. m. -- Registration, Home Economics Cottage.

11 a. m. -- Business Meeting at Gym

Call to order .....	President
Invocation .....	H. McDonad
Welcome to Exes .....	Ray Nunnally
Reading of Minutes .....	Secretary
Old and New Business	
Election of Homecoming Queen	
Class Roll Call	
Benediction	

12 Noon -- Barbecue Lunch, American Legion Hall

2 p. m. -- Parade, Band and Pep Squad

3 p. m. -- Pep Rally, Gym

7:30 p. m. -- Homecoming Game, Wildcat Stadium

Halftime Activities:

- Crowning of Football Sweetheart
- Crowning of Homecoming Sweetheart

## Rising Star vs Evant Wildcat Stadium - 7:30 P. M.

This Greeting Paid for by:

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| Higginbotham's             | Dill Drug Store              | Jenkins Insurance Agency |
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# Wildcat Tales

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## WE WELCOME YOU, EXES!

This week is the week designated as our 1963 Homecoming. We have been looking forward to this event for some time. It is always a great pleasure to see so many of our former Rising Star High School students back with us again. This is one of the high-lights of every school year.

To you exes we extend a very special welcome; we also want to say that we could not carry on our Homecoming each year without your support and help. Many of us can remember when you were in the same places that we fill today. It is a bit sad to recall all the things that have passed concerning you exes. Certainly there are things that are outstanding in your memory about Rising Star High School. Each year this Homecoming gives us an opportunity to relive some of those great moments.

In only a few short years we, too, will be exes. Perhaps then we will better understand the feelings that can be associated with a Homecoming. Each of you has a specially reserved seat at the pep rally and ball game. Our Homecoming will not be complete if you are not there occupying your places.

The football game on Saturday night is one that no one will want to miss. Our fighting Wildcats will meet Evant here at 8 o'clock. Every boy playing in that game will have the greatest possible desire to win, and you exes can be certain that these boys are playing this game for you. It is your special night, and they want to give you a victory for the many things that you have given them in the past years. Support our Wildcats because they are playing this game as a tribute to you.

The success of our Homecoming depends on you — the exes of R. S. H. S. We could have no Homecoming without you. Please do not disappoint us but take an active part in the activities planned for you this week.

Excitement is in the air here in Rising Star, and I am sure there is no doubt why. This is the week of the 1963 Homecoming. There is a parade at 2:00 and then a pep rally at 3:00; at 7:30 at night the big game with the Evant Elks. "Cats," the seniors

wish you all the luck possible."

Loretta Pittman, a senior, has been named Football Sweetheart. We are surely glad this week is over; you see it ends our first six weeks. It has been hard for us to get back in the groove; now that we are, let's stay in it — by studying!

Our girls are now having their daily workouts on the gridiron. We're getting in shape (although before it's over, we may be out) for our big game scheduled for October 18th.

Don W. I'm sure my father wouldn't cater to the idea of your removing the medicine from my capsules and sending notes to a certain junior in it!

S. D. Is that letter still smoldering? ? ?  
R. G. Believe me, you aren't needed in the library every day 6th period! Mrs. Nowlin will surely agree.

Harriet  
"KNOWLEDGE COMES, BUT WISDOM LINGERS"

Here we are in the second six weeks of school. The tests are over with and everything is slowly but surely getting back to normal.

As you all know, this weekend is Homecoming for the R. S. H. S. Exes. We would like to welcome every Ex to take part in this event. It is something everyone should be proud to attend. There will be a parade downtown, a bar-b-que lunch at the American Legion Hall, and a pep rally in the gym - all on Saturday afternoon; then we will all come back to the biggest event of all - the football game. The Wildcats will be playing Evant and we will really show them, want we, boys? At the half-time performance, the Wildcat Band will march and the Homecoming Queen and Football Sweetheart will be crowned.

Everyone please come and make this an outstanding homecoming. The junior class has decided on the amount of their class dues. They are fifty cents a month or four-fifty for nine months. We hope that with this money, we will be able to do something that all the Seniors of '65 will enjoy.

We will like to ask a few juniors what they would do if their names were:  
Mark Walker - Erase Crawler  
Tommy Darnell - Tommy Darnhammer  
Terry Geye - Terry Man  
Sandra Teague - Dirtra Coffee  
Robin Reeves - Canary Reeves  
Virginia Cook - Michigan Bake  
Anna Ezzell - Anna Hardsell

That wraps it up for this week, and may I be seeing you during all Homecoming Events?

Junior Reporter,  
Linda Burkhalter  
"LIVE AND LEARN"

Hi! I'm writing you at the end of a very busy week, and it is not over yet!

This week we've been very busy taking our first six weeks' tests. From the looks of them, some of us need to improve in a few subjects such as world history!

I would like to send out a welcome from the Sophomore class to the Exes. We hope this is your very best Homecoming!

Other than six weeks' tests we also carry out a week of classes. World History students are working on another chapter in their workbooks. The typing students

are working very hard on their next units. The Homemaking II girls are still working on their garments; while the Ag II boys are working on rations. The seventh period P. E. girls are recovering from last week's tests. In English, we are studying a unit in literature entitled "Julius Caesar."

Everyone be sure and attend the activities concerning the Homecoming all day Saturday and don't forget to come and back the fighting Wildcats!

Now for some juicy tidbits that I received on some of our prominent Sophomore students:  
We were well represented at Gorman last Saturday night.

Beck, did you burn anything; I bet Julie did it.  
While we were in Gorman, another Sophomore was window shopping in Brownwood.

Until next week —  
Marcia Lee  
"IN THE FISH BOWL"

The Freshmen selected class colors last Wednesday. They are red and white. We are also discussing the class motto; we will adopt. One of the suggestions, from Mrs. Newlin, was "Ever Loyal." We have also elected Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Nunnally, Mrs. Wolf, and Mrs. Hubbard as our room "mothers" for the year.

We took another test in Algebra I last Tuesday over "Variables and Open Sentences." Our six weeks' test was given in English I last Thursday, after completing fourteen stories, and Mr. Gray assigned our six weeks' test in General Science for last Thursday also; so, you see, we have been very busy taking tests. In Home-making, we are planning a simple meal consisting of a main dish, salad, dessert, and tea. The Ag. boys are studying parliamentary procedure - some of them attended a meeting in Stephenville last Monday - the district officers meeting.

We girls have begun our first tests in P. E. and are still playing basketball. The boys are still having long workouts in football - they will play Evant here Saturday night at the homecoming game. Good luck, boys!

In the line of gossip — K. B., who is it in Brownwood that interests you so? T. C. - has he accepted yet?  
Until next week -  
Reporter

"FROM THE MEGAPHONE"

We are in the middle of our season and we have done very good; haven't we, Wildcats? The cheerleaders big event is coming up. Being a cheerleader, you always look forward to the Homecoming Pep Rally. The pep rally will begin at 3:00 and we hope all of you Exes will come.

The game Saturday night will be with the Evant Elks. During half-time, the Band Sweetheart, Football Sweetheart, and Homecoming Queen will be presented by the band. We are proud to say two of our own cheerleaders will be presented as these sweethearts: Loretta Pittman as the Football Sweetheart and Sharon Donham as Band Sweetheart.

We hope to see all of you fans and Exes at our pep rally and the game.  
Say, Wildcats, let's dehorn the Elks! O. K.  
Linda Duggan

which are to be decided upon; this committee is James Cox, Terry Geye, Bobby Burns, Bobby Reeves, and Jimmy Rutherford. We also discussed ways that our chapter could raise money. Several were brought out in the discussion, but none was brought before the chapter in the form of a motion. At our next chapter meeting we plan to have the Greenhand ceremony.

This Monday our district F. F. A. meeting was held. Members of the chapter who attended were Danny White, Mike Donham, Hurby Hubbard, Ben Chick, and Mr. Geye.

Franz P.  
"GIRLS' SPORTS"

Another week has past; another week of study and exercise. Last week both the sixth and seventh period P. E. girls took their state physical tests and played some basketball. I think that on the average they all did fairly well.

One important event coming up in girls' sports is the "Powder Puff Football Game." It will be played on October the nineteenth with the Freshmen and Junior girls battling against the Sophomores and Seniors. This game is sponsored by the Sophomore Class and the admission is twenty-five cents for students and fifty for adults. We want everyone to be sure and come.

That is all the news for this week, but we want to urge everyone to come to our Homecoming game Saturday; let's back the Wildcats in their game against Evant.

Until next week,  
Sharon Lewis  
"ON BEING A FRESHMAN"

Everyone who goes to high school has to begin as a freshman. This year my class is the freshman class. Although everything has changed since the ward school days, I am sure that all of us will try to make our freshman year the best we have ever had.

All the high school schedules and procedures are different from those we had last year. Everything seems new, but I am sure we will all get used to it after a while. It's interesting to learn something new, and that is certainly what we are doing this year.

Traveling from class to class can be a problem. Last year we al-

ways stayed in the same room and the teachers came to us. This year we go to the different rooms. The halls are normally crowded. It is fairly difficult to get to your locker; especially if it is a bottom one. It is the same trouble all over again when you start to a new class.

A freshman can participate in many sports and activities. The boys can compete in football, basketball, and track; also there are many class activities. Among these are the class officers, special committees, and many others.

Although there are all the activities a freshman can join in, class work is still the most important. Attention is required every day throughout the year. The classes we take today are preparing us for college tomorrow.

We must have a desire to learn and use it. Unless we use it, all the teachers can say and do will not make us learn what we do not try to learn. The freshman of today must look to the future and help to make our country a better place in which to live for the generations to come.

Danny White  
English I  
"A FOOTBALL GAME"

Early in the morning when the sun comes up,  
I call my dog and his little pup.  
I get my knapsack, axe and gun,  
And go to the woods to have some fun.  
Before I leave, I get some ammunition,  
Because I want to be in good condition.  
My hunting dog's name is Trix,  
He knows his way around the sticks.  
Bobby is the little pup,  
He has a hard time keeping up.  
In a little while I hear them bay,  
I start off fast and say, OK.  
They've chased a varmit into a hollow.  
They roll around and try to wallow.  
I chop it open and what do I see?  
A striped kitty looking up at me.  
A mile or so on down the creek,  
I see a chicken-hawk cleaning his beak.  
I load my gun and take good aim,  
After I shoot he isn't the same.  
I'm getting hungry, it's nearly noon,  
The dogs are barking, they've got

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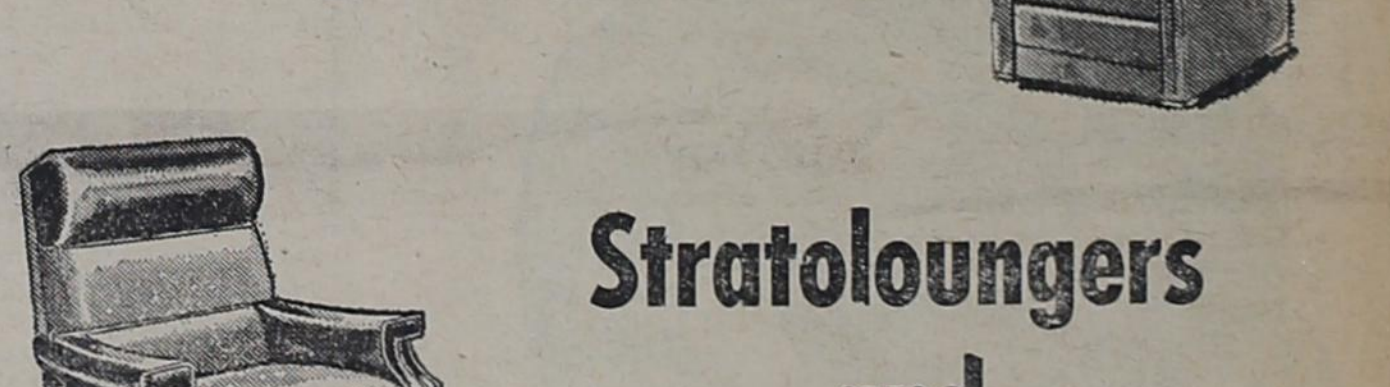
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Kenny Butler's smashes at the line were effective in carrying the ball to the Eastland 15, from where Geyre ran to the 9-yard line on an option. The Mavericks held and Geyre's touchdown-seeking pass was incomplete in the end zone.

**Wildcats Count**  
But Eastland fumbled possession to the Cats on their six-yard line and Geyre lunged for the score between guard and center. Frazier Clark, the Cats' kicking specialist had one of his rare misses in the try for the extra point, and the score at half-time was 7 to 6.

The Rising Star defense was exceptional during the remainder of the period. At one point the Wildcats stopped the Mavericks charge on a fourth and one situation at midfield after a May interception and took over. The Cats, helped by a 15-yard penalty for roughing the kicker, advanced to the Eastland 45, but Eastland again intercepted a pass attempt, and the Rising Star defense smothered a Maverick aerial effort to widen the score in the closing moments of the half. Doug Fisher broke up a long pass and the Wildcat line, led by Frazier Clark, Rex Long and Gary Duggan, dropped Cooper for consecutive losses on further attempts.

Early in the second half the Wildcats stopped an Eastland drive with a fumble recovery on the Rising Star 39 and the Cats carried to the Eastland 31, in a series of plays featured by Larry Duggan's completion of a 15-yard pass. The Mavericks tightened and Geyre was smothered on a passing effort for a 15-yard loss.

The Cat defense held, with Russell Botts, Jimmy Rutledge and the rest of the forward wall throwing up an airtight defense, but a fumbled Eastland punt cost the Cats possession on their 42 and paved the way for the second Eastland score. Jim Moylan, 205 May fullback took a pass for the score after Cooper had advanced to the Rising Star 9 yard line on a lateral. The kick for points was good.

The Cat defense weakened in the fourth and the Mavs were able to add three touchdowns in that period, making the final count 33 to 6.

## Peggy Foy Harris Wed To Nelson Low In Hollywood Ritual on June 30th

Ministry Chapel in Hollywood California was the scene of the colorful wedding of Miss Christina Loving to Mr. Nelson Low on June 30th, 1963 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Miss Loving, better known by her friends of Rising Star as Peggy Foye Harris, is the daughter of the late Mr. John T. Harris and Laura Harris, pioneer residents of Rising Star, having lived here for sixty years.

At the wedding Miss Jacquelyn Ulibarri sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because", closing with "The Lord's Prayer." The officiating minister, Reverend Eileen Bennett, led the wedding procession to the altar dressed in her beautiful ministerial robe, where she stood banked on either side with baskets of white flowers composed of huge chrysanthemums, carnations, gladioli and lilies of the Nile.

Following the minister in the march came the groom and his best man, Mr. Carl Benson. The matron of honor, Mrs. Edna Neher Charles, walking alone took her place at the right of the altar. She was followed by two couples, Miss Nellie Dusenberry, first bridesmaid on the arm of the usher, Mr. Allen Olsen, and Miss Luanne Duim, second bridesmaid with Mr. Keith Hafer, the second usher.

Two flower girls, three years of age, blond Susan Harris and brunette Cathy Benson, dressed in white organza embroidered in pink carried white baskets with pink rose petals. Then came seven year old Brook Olsen bearing on a white, lace trimmed, satin pillow, the bride's wedding ring - a circlet of pearls set in white gold.

To the strains of the wedding march came the bride on the arm of Charles Arthur Potts, a friend, who gave the bride away. The bride wore a floor length gown of white organza over shell pink taffeta, made with a scalloped, heart-shaped neckline, basque waist, pointed wrist length sleeves and full pleated skirt.

Her bouquet was composed of white carnations, stephanotis and two huge white orchids with yellow throats tied with narrow satin

streamers of ribbon, carried atop a white Bible. Her light pink veil was held in place by a heart shaped crown of pearls and pink and white rosettes and lace.

The attendants of the bride wore identically designed silk taffeta dresses of ankle length in harmonizing colors of soft yellow, pastel lavender and pastel blue with matching head bands of ribbon bows and roses.

The something old was a necklace and bracelet of tiny white pearls; something new was a white lace handkerchief, carried with her bouquet; something borrowed was the white Bible and something blue was a blue garter.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at Haven House, 1007 Elden Avenue, Los Angeles 6. This is the spacious home of Christina Loving and the headquarters for the Church of Light Divine of which Miss Loving is the founder and minister and where she carries on her work of counseling service.

The white, three tiered wedding cake was cut by the bride and groom, and served with punch to the guests by Meses. Leora Knudsen, Joseph Babrose, Edward Harris and Jack Elledge. An aggregate of 195 guests were present at either the wedding or the reception, representing 25 suburban towns around Los Angeles, as well as several other states.

The mother of the bride, Mrs. Laura Harris from Texas, was present for the wedding, the only relative of either bride or groom who was present.

The groom received a doctor of philosophy degree in economics from the University of Southern California in 1950. Mr. Low is a certified public accountant, real estate broker and has been employed for fifteen years by Finkle and Finkle, a business firm in Beverly Hills.

The couple spent their honeymoon in the mountainous resort area of Big Bear City and Lake Arrowhead, California.

### Wildcat Tales--

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a coon!  
I kill the coon and also a hare,  
I'm getting hungry as a bear.  
My knapsack is heavy, and so is my gun,  
I'm very tired, but I've had some fun.  
Mike Stroebel, English I

### Powder Puff Game

The Sophomore class is sponsoring a powder puff football game between the sophomore and senior girls and the freshman and junior girls.

The game takes place at the Wildcat stadium on Saturday, Oct. 19, at 7:30 p.m. The price is 50c for adults and 25c for students.

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## News From May

Mrs. J. J. Prentice

Rev. D. L. Barnes of Novice, former pastor of the May Methodist Church, preached at the May church last Sunday morning and administered the sacraments at the close of the service. He was accompanied by Mrs. Barnes.

Mrs. Bill Wilson was hostess to the W.S.C.S. at her home on Monday afternoon. She ably presented the third chapter of the mission study, "These Cities Glorious." The opening song, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," was led by Mrs. Wilson with Mrs. Allen at the piano, and Mrs. Fleming offered the prayer. Members present were Mrs. Clyde Nesbit, Mrs. O. G. Allen, Mrs. Marvin Chambers, Mrs. Loyd Alexander, Mrs. C. A. Fleming, Mrs. J. J. Prentice and one visitor, Mrs. V. E. Earp.

After adjournment refreshments were served.

Mrs. V. E. Earp of Monahans is the guest of her brother, Boots Allen, and Mrs. Allen.

Gary Dewbre has returned to Fort Bliss after spending a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dewbre.

Mrs. Claude Clardy is a patient in the Rising Star hospital.

### Thought For the Day:

You are a sure loser when you get even with another loser.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Holamon and their three children were here for a week-end visit with his mother, Mrs. Ada Holamon; her grandfather, M. G. Joyce and her sister, Mrs. Art Fisher and family and other relatives. The Bert Holamons live at Goldsmith.

## Missionary And Business Program For WMS Meeting

A missionary program and business meeting were observed by the W.M.S. of the First Baptist Church on Monday, Oct. 6. The meeting opened with prayer and hymns. The president, Mrs. Jimmie Fridge, presided.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. B. B. Morris and the treasurer's report was given by Mrs. C. E. Baker. Beautiful posters, one for each month of the year, were shown, emphasizing the program - Mission Study, Prayer, Stewardship, and Community Missions, Chairmen work.

The circle chairmen, Mrs. Lee Clark, Mrs. Oral Davis, Mrs. Charles Carroll and Mrs. Frank Whitlock, were recognized as each announced the circle meetings for Monday, Oct. 14. After a silent prayer of dedication, the hymn, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past," was played by Mrs. F. J. Maynard and sung by the 23 members present.

A number of these W.M.S. members plan to attend a workshop in Cisco on Thursday, Oct. 9, at First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Pierce attended the funeral of Lee Walker at Bangs on Oct. 3. He was the father of Mrs. Wallace Pierce, wife of the pastor of the Northern Baptist Church of Bangs. Rev. Pierce is a nephew of Rufus Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cox visited their daughter and family in Abernathy where she teaches in the High School. They returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Bucy, their friends in Midland, during the week-end.

## CHURCHES, SOCIETY AND CLUBS

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### WSCS Studies Fourth In Lesson Series

The W.S.C.S. of the First Methodist Church met at the church Monday afternoon for the fourth lesson of a series on "The Christian Family and Its Money." Seventeen members were present.

Mrs. Guy Taylor led the devotional after an opening hymn. The group said the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. Frank Gray sang, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Jay Koonce.

Mrs. Milton Slayden was in charge of the program. Those taking part included Mrs. J. R. Bucy, Mrs. L. R. Smith.

The group was dismissed by the president, Mrs. Bucy.

### ATTEND FUNERAL

Attending the funeral of C. B. Chastain, Jr., in Brownwood at Coggin Ave. Baptist Church, were Lane B. Wills, Carl Alford and his daughter, Mrs. Edward Watkins, all of Rising Star; Gaston Alford of Wichita Falls and Keith Butler of Houston. The Chastains have a number of friends here who mourn his death.

## Saturday Club Hears Program On Home and Family

The Saturday Club met October 2 at the club house with Mrs. Jack Agnew and Mrs. Ed Croan as hostesses.

Mrs. John D. Clark, president, called the meeting to order and Mrs. Milton Slayden gave the invocation.

Twenty members answered roll call with quotations on "Home and Family."

"Choosing Books for Children," was most interestingly discussed by Mrs. Bill Dennard, and Mrs. Cecil Joyce gave an educational talk on "Planning for Color and Continuous Bloom," for your flower garden.

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The next meeting of the club will be held on October 16 at the club house.

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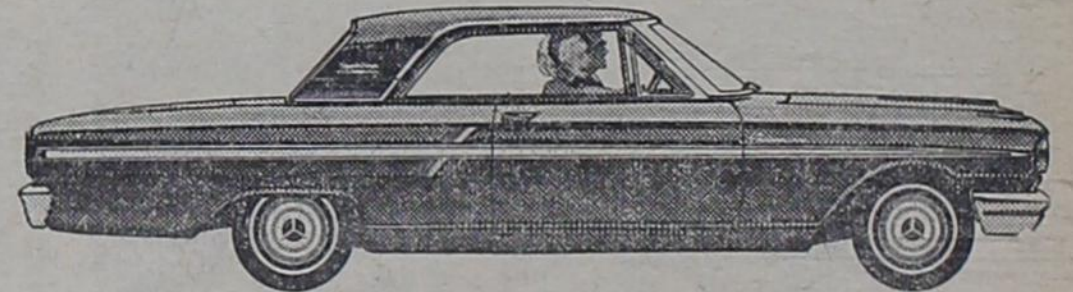


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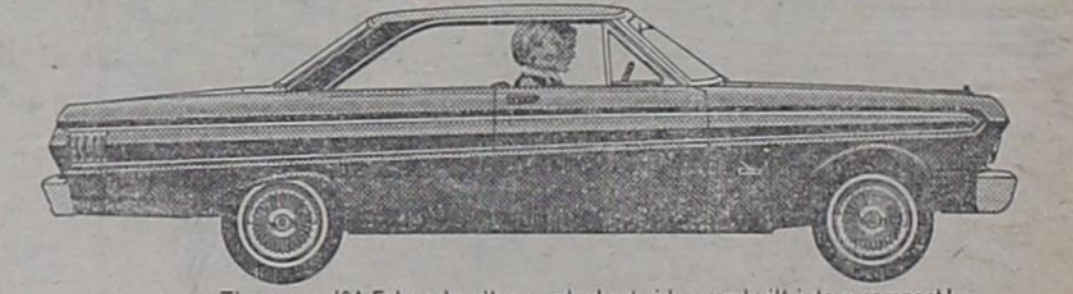
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**Poll Tax . . .**

ported the Populist candidates from being able to vote, he said. Texas is one of the three states in the Union that has no system of voter registration at the present time. The poll tax rolls plus exemptions is the Texas qualified voter list. The \$1.75 a year poll tax in Texas is divided as follows: \$1.00 school tax, 50 cents and 25 cents to the county. Judge Bailey stated that he has received a proclamation signed by Governor John Connally directing each County Judge in Texas to cause a special election to be held on November 9, 1963. He expects to comply with the proclamation by signing the necessary orders and notices within the next few days. Judge Bailey urged all qualified voters to turn out for this election as its outcome will be extremely important to the political future of Eastland County as well as to the State of Texas.

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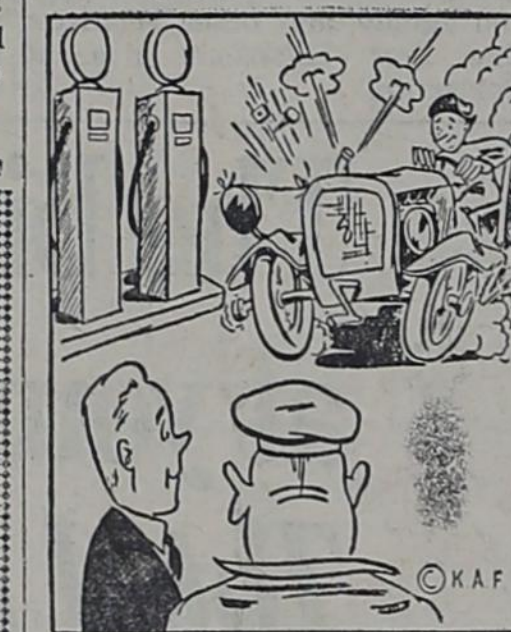
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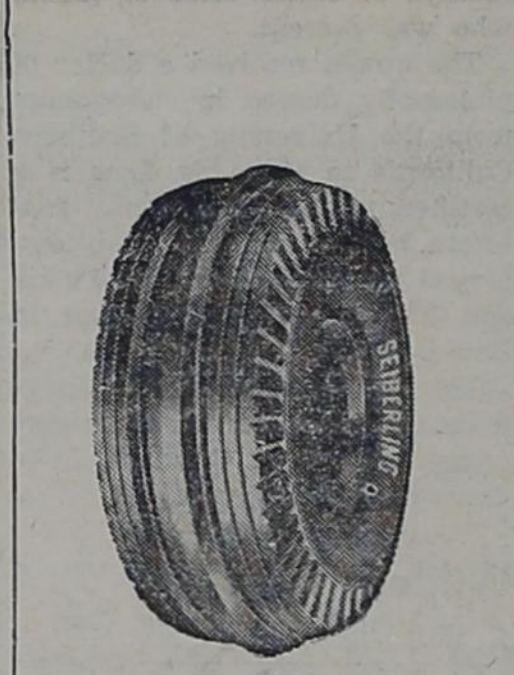
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DOUBLE BUCCANEER STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY

<b>CRISCO</b>	3-Pound Can	69¢
<b>SPUDS</b>	10-Pound Bag	39¢
<b>TUNA</b>	Del Monte Chunk Style	29¢
<b>MILK</b>	Carnation or Pet Tall Can	2 cans 29¢
<b>MEAL</b>	Gladiola 5-Pound Bag	39¢
<b>PRUNE JUICE</b>	Sunsweet Quart	39¢
<b>TOWELS</b>	Scott Regular	20¢
<b>MATCHLESS</b>	KRAFT HALF MOON	
<b>BACON</b>	lb. 49¢	<b>CHEESE</b> 10-Oz. 45¢
<b>GOOCH'S COUNTRY STYLE</b>		<b>GOOCH'S</b>
<b>SAUSAGE</b> 2-lb. bag	79¢	<b>PICNICS</b> lb. 29¢

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