

Lying on his desk in the superintendent's office in the Rising Star High School was a large nicely bound new volume entitled "Counterpoint in Literature."

Victor Childers pointed to a sheet of paper lying beside it on which was written in longhand a long list of phrases much more appropriate to a bar room or a back alley brawl than a school room.

"Those expressions were copied from that book," said Victor. He indicated a page number beside one of the quotations and turned to that page where the phrase was underlined in the context from which it had been lifted. It was profanity of the rankest.

"This is a textbook furnished by the state for use in Eighth Grade English," said Victor. "Would you believe it? Our Eighth Grade English teacher has refused to use it in her classes. We called Austin and asked that it be removed from our list, and the Education Agency told us that the textbook had been accepted for use in Texas schools provided the objectionable material was deleted and that we had received copies which had not been purged.

"Imagine using such material to teach a class of Eighth Grade students!"

The flyleaf of the volume named as its authors some of the most eminent educators in the nation.

I leafed through the book. It was well written, in a style related to that which the adult market seems to prefer. Shorn of its profanity and vulgarities and certain suggestive passages, it was perhaps basically a good text, well adapted to the purpose for which its material had been developed.

But when educators, men and women charged with the nurture of the most precious resource of our nation — the minds and character of its youth — choose to recognize and even dignify the smut that appears on our lurid newsstands by making it a subject for classroom study, one is certainly entitled to wonder what purposes our public school education has come to serve.

Are we being told that realism is a compelling fact, that failure to face up to it is intellectual dishonesty and that because kids of 13 or 14 years are aware of it they are mature enough to deal with it openly and creatively in their classrooms. Are we to believe that unless they are permitted to do so they will be warped in their development and incapable later on of dealing with the harsh, often ugly realities of life?

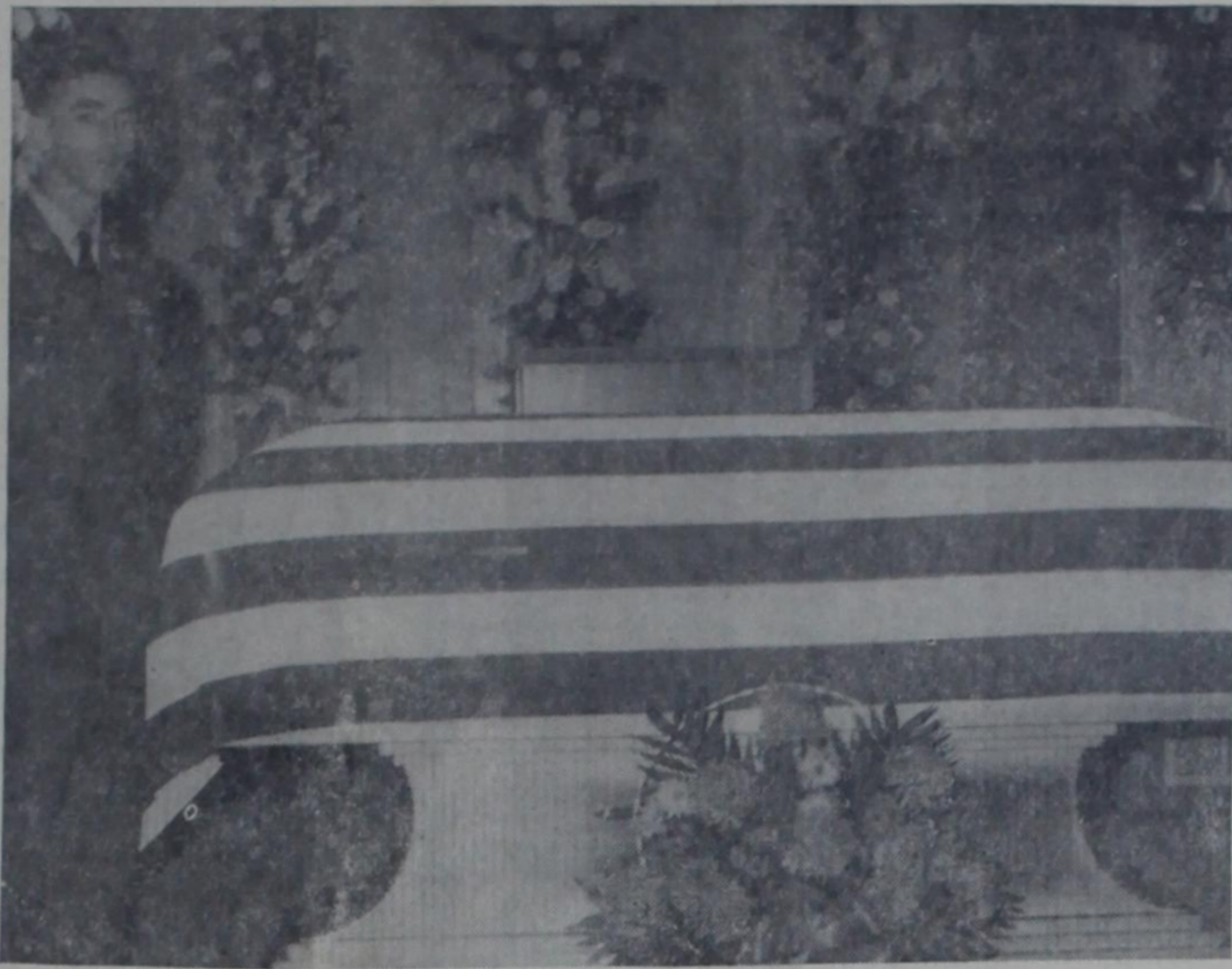
What a naive idea, that a person must wallow in filth because he knows it exists. It is about as sane as suggesting that we should jump into the sewage so that we may learn to keep ourselves clean.

It is not being dishonest to admit that the vulgar and the obscene do exist while condemning it as something to be avoided in the name of decency and the moral security of our society. It is intellectually stupid to hand a child a mess of filth in the belief that he won't be soiled.

There seems to be — among many of our educational leaders — such a fear of "inhibiting the natural development of the child" that they have forgotten that education is equally a matter of restraints. Filth has always existed and the child as he grows into adulthood will be dirtied enough, but at least he should have the assurance and the security of knowing that the vulgar and the obscene are recognized as conditions from which society has grown away as it has made progress toward higher culture.

We can ask ourselves to what extremities is this cult of permissiveness leading us?

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MILITARY HONORS—A military guard of honor stands beside the casket of Vietnam Sgt. Roy Gene Burns, killed in a car accident only days after returning from special duty in England.

Military Rites For Sgt Burns Here Nov. 13th

Funeral services for Sgt. Roy Gene Burns, 22, much decorated Vietnam war veteran who died in a car accident November 11 near Carbon, were held in the Higginbotham Funeral Chapel Friday, November 13, at 2 p.m. with Minister James Haney of the Rising Star Church of Christ officiating.

Sgt. Burns who completed his tour of duty in Vietnam a short while ago and then served 30 days in a special mission to England, died when the car he was driving collided with a truck on a farm to market road 1 1/2 miles west of Carbon at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 11.

He was scheduled to report to Fort Hood on Thursday following.

Burial was with full military honors, carried out by a squad commanded by a captain from the ROTC at Tarleton State College.

Sgt. Burns was a native of Gorman but had lived practically all of his life in Rising Star where he graduated from Rising Star High School in 1967.

He was the son of John H. Burns of Carbon and Mrs. Edith Tuggle of Stephenville, both of whom survive him.

He is also survived by a step-mother; two brothers, John Wayne Burns of Fort Worth and Ronnie Burns of Carbon; four step-brothers, Gerald, Timmy and Bobby Wooley of Carbon and Danny Wooley of Weatherford; a sister, Mrs. Carol Burke of Fort Worth and a step-sister, Mrs. Fannie Smith of Dyersburg, Tenn.

Pallbearers for the services were Jimmy Rutherford, Bobby Burns, Larry Burns, John Hutcherson, Doug Fisher and Davey Jones. Davy White, Mike Stanley and Randy Peck were honorary pallbearers.

He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Among the military awards won by Sgt. Burns while in Vietnam were the Purple Heart, two Bronze Stars, a combat service Award and the Air Medal.

Kittens Defeat Gorman To Close Out Season

The Rising Star Kittens closed out their 1970 football schedule with a 22-6 victory over the Gorman juniors Thursday of last week.

The first half was a defensive battle in which neither team scored. In the second half, however, Johnny Cook intercepted a pass and ran to the Gorman five before he was tackled.

Three plays later Craig Campbell, quarterback, scored from the one yard line. J. B. Jarvis scored the extra points and the score became 8-0. Later on in the third quarter, Teo Mangua ran 45 yards for another touchdown and the extra points were added making the score 16-0, Rising Star on top. Late in the fourth quarter Johnny blocked a Gorman punt and ran 30 yards for a touchdown. The other point failed.

With five seconds left in the game Gorman scored. The final score stood 22-6. It was the last game of the season for the Kittens.

—By Johnnie Turner

Contributions To Cemetery Fund Announced

Mrs. Louis Mayfield, Sec'y-treasurer of the Rising Star Cemetery Association has announced the following contributions received last week.

Regular fund: Mrs. Rada King, Mrs. B. G. Elliott, G. E. McDonald, Dan Bucy-Cleburne, Texas.

Perpetual Fund: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Wood-1909, Glenwood Ave. Joliet, Ill. \$100 In memory of his grandmother, Mrs. Alice Switzer.

Children of the late James Irby, Jr., and Mrs. Clara Irby Cain have given seven shares of Shell Transportation trading stock and Pacific Gas and Electric stock. The children are Mrs. A. O. Savage, 425 Willow, Wichita Falls, Texas; Mrs. T. J. Shaw (Virginia), 2119 Breckenridge, and James Irby—2001 Kentwood, Austin, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Semeniuk, Shaughnessy Alberta, Canada, in memory of their son, the late Dr. Steve Semeniuk.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris attended funeral services for Mrs. Bob Prensing at Eden, last Friday. The Prensings made their home three and one half miles east of Rising Star for several years. Mrs. Prensing had been an invalid for some time.

Judge Joe Frazier Brown, executive director of the Criminal Justice Council, said the grant will be used by West Central Texas COG to continue its training academy for police officers in the region. Four courses will be held for 100 students with subjects ranging from criminal investigation to teletype operation and record keeping.

The classes are approved by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education.

An in-kind match of \$48,140 will be provided by the grant. (Continued On Page Six)

District Football Title Hinges On Eden-Richland Springs Game Friday

Top Spot In 18-B Is Now In Three-Way Tie

The Rising Star Wildcats were sitting on the bench this week, waiting for the Eden Bulldogs to hand them the football championship of District 18-B in a game to be played at Eden Friday night.

This the Bulldogs can do by defeating Richland Springs—an accomplishment they are said to be very capable of doing.

Richland Springs is the only team in the district to hold a victory over the Wildcats, a reverse for which the Cats are blaming their complacency on the night the Richland Springs eleven came to Rising Star for the first conference clash of the season.

Since that defeat the Wildcats snapped out of their lethargy and defeated Blanket, Santa Anna and Eden in order.

Last Friday night at Eden the Cats took a hard-earned 14-8 victory over a determined Bulldog squad to maintain their claim on the district title, while the Santa Anna Mountaineers, rebounding from a sound thumping at the hands of the Wildcats a week earlier, were disposing of the Richland Springs eleven by a decisive 30 to 13 score.

As matters now stand in the district, Rising Star, Santa Anna and Richland Springs are in a three-way tie for first place.

If Eden should defeat Richland Springs Friday night that result would hand the Wildcats the district title by virtue of their victory over the Mountaineers.

If however, Richland Springs should prevail, the three-way deadlock in standings would continue and the district championship would be awarded on the luck of a coin toss.

Hence the acute Rising Star interest in the outcome of the game.

Neice of Mrs. Burkhead Dies

Mrs. Clara Burkhead has received word of the death of her niece Mrs. Bill Falls at Gladewater, Mrs. Falls died Friday, Nov. 14, following a long illness. Funeral services were held Friday at Gladewater, with burial in the Gladewater Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband of the home and a daughter, Miss Carol Ann Falls of Dallas.

Cisco Vet-Texas A&M Try To Save Herd Bull For Rising Star Rancher

The superintendent of Rising Star schools was hopeful this week that the ingenuity of a Cisco veterinarian with the aid of the School of Veterinary Medicine at Texas A&M University could save his valuable Santa Gertrudis herd bull.

The 23-month-old registered bull, known to Victor Childers as Big Red, sustained a broken right hind leg in a fight last week with a neighbor's bull that broke into the Childers pasture near Nimrod, 10 miles south of Cisco. The break was just above the hock, and it was so bad that the bull's foot was hanging limp.

Big Red's injury was noticed the next morning by Bill Childers, father of the ranch owner. He notified Victor, who is superintendent of schools at Rising Star, 20 miles south of Cisco.

The rancher called Dr. Bill Cardwell, who came here three years ago soon after graduating from the A&M School of Veterinary Medicine.

Should they shoot him or was there a chance to save the bull? they wanted to know.

"Bring him to my home west of Cisco," Dr. Cardwell told them. He had an empty lot with water and feed troughs.

After inspecting the bull's leg, Dr. Cardwell called Dr. Bill Romane, head of the large animal section of the A&M school. And they agreed on a plan to use a modified Thomas Splint, which was developed for use on small animals (dogs and cats).

Dr. Cardwell tied up Big Red and started to work. He took a flat steel plate a little bigger than the bull's foot bottom. He bored holes in the steel and in the bull's hoof and welded it tightly to the steel with wire.

Two one-inch steel rods were welded to the foot plate on each side of the hoof. The rods were connected to a ring that fits around Big Red's thigh and snug into his crotch. Each of the rods was sawed in two and threaded and fitted together with a steel union that could be screwed out to tighten the rods until the bull's leg was stretched into normal position. The rods maintain constant traction.

Dr. Cardwell set the broken bone as best he could as he tightened the rod splints. This keeps the bull's leg rigid whether he is standing or lying down.

The bull, which is valued at approximately \$1,000 and weighed 1,650 pounds, was in obvious pain at first. Dr. Cardwell, who checks on him several times daily, reported that he lost maybe 100 pounds before he began to bounce back. He is eating better and getting around with more enthusiasm, he added.

Mr. Childers, who had Big Red in a pasture with 20 registered Santa Gertrudis heifers, said that "we're hopeful that our bull will recover and not have to be destroyed as we feared he might have to be." He is a weekend rancher. His 16-year old son, Mike, is the top cow hand for the herd.

Dr. Cardwell has just completed a new clinic in which to practice veterinary medicine in this area. Located on the Lake Cisco Road a mile north of town, the new clinic was opened by Dr. Cardwell last week.

Twelve modern apartments are under construction in May, Texas, just south of the High School football field.



IN SPLINT — Santa Gertrudis herd bull at Victor Childers ranch near Nimrod wears splint to mend broken leg.

Oil, Gas Add Nearly \$2 Millions To County

Eastland County's petroleum industry produces 395,790 barrels of crude oil valued at \$1,270,187 and 4,988,219 thousand cubic feet of natural gas valued at \$680,646 for an annual economic value of \$1,950,833.

These figures, just released by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, show the county ranked 151st among state counties in oil and gas production during 1969.

Texas production which has registered an increase over each previous year during the past decade hit another all-time high in 1969 with 1,151,775,000 barrels, according to U.S. Bureau of Mines statistics. This is a production increase of 24.2% since 1960.

"Production from Eastland County helped meet this record demand," says Kenneth E. Montague, Association President. "We are now calling on it and the rest of Texas to meet an even greater demand as events in the Middle East have again forced us to dip into our declining reserves. Fortunately, the price for Texas oil is inadequate to stimulate enough exploratory drilling to replace reserves."

Eastland County landowners and others with mineral interests received \$243,854 in royalty last year. Texas received \$58,429 from crude oil production taxes and \$48,326 from natural gas production taxes.

Estimated drilling expenditures totaled \$522,699 with \$203,970 of that amount spent on dry holes yielding nothing for the driller. Ira Rinehart's Yearbook showed drillers completed 9 oil wells, 3 gas wells and 13 dry holes. Six wildcats were drilled and all were dry.

The county's oil and gas processing plants, also added

WEEKEND GUESTS

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Witt were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Patterson of Woodsboro, Tex. and Mrs. Witt's mother, Mrs. J. L. Coleman and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coleman, all of Big Spring.

to the economy. The Oil and Gas Journal listed 6 natural gasoline plants with a capacity of 60.3 million cubic feet daily.

Major Nichols Among Officers In Briefing

NORTH CHARLESTON, S. C.—U. S. Air Force Major Carl B. Nichols Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Nichols of Star Route, Rising Star, Tex., recently participated in a three-day series of briefing, discussions and special events at Military Airlift Command (MAC) headquarters at Scott AFB, ILL.

Major Nichols was among a select group of officers who attended the three-day event, part of a MAC program called "High Flight." High Flight is designed to seek out and honor future Air Force leaders and managers. MAC officers with high career potential are selected for participation from among the command's units in the continental U. S.

They attend extensive briefings at Scott where key members of the MAC headquarters staff are available for interviews and informal discussions.

Major Nichols is 437th Avionics Maintenance Squadron commander at Charleston AFB, S. C. The 437th is part of MAC which provides global airlift for U. S. military forces and which supports, administratively, certain of USAF's special services.

A 1947 graduate of Rising Star High School, the major received his B. S. degree in textile engineering in 1953 from Texas Technological College where he was commissioned through the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program. He also holds an M. A. degree in industrial engineering from Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

Major Nichols' wife, Carleene, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Irby of Rising Star.



DIRECTOR OF NURSES at the new Cisco community hospital is Mrs. Mary Lee of Rising Star.

ENTRIES SOUGHT FOR ANNUAL CO. PECAN QUEEN CONTEST

The annual Eastland County Pecan Queen Contest will be held during the week of December 7-12 in connection with the Eighteenth Annual Eastland County Pecan Show.

All organizations and clubs in the county are invited to sponsor a girl in the contest. No entry fee is required.

The contestants must be between the ages of 16 and 19 as of July 1971, date of the State Pecan Queen Contest. The Girls home must be in Eastland County. The Winner of the county contest will be expected to represent the County Pecan Growers Association at the county pecan show December 11 and 12 and the State Pecan Queen Contest in July, 1971.

Contestants will be judged on the basis of beauty, poise, and personality. There will be no talent or swim suit competition. Girls will wear formals in the contest.


A billfold size, head and shoulders, black and white picture of the contestant must be provided with the entry form. Entry forms may be obtained from the Eastland Chamber of Commerce. All entry forms must be returned to the Eastland Chamber of Commerce or to Ben McKinnis by December 1.

Contestants will be notified of the time, place, and other plans at a later date. The former Diana Kay Maynard of Eastland is the 1970 County Pecan Queen.

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Talents and Skills of Elderly To Be Exhibited In Bazaar Nov. 21

By Mrs. Janet Thomas, Ass't County HD Agent
 Afghans, crocheted sweaters, knitting, oil paintings, ceramics, wood crafts, quilts, and many other articles will be on sale Saturday, November 21st at the Senior Citizen's Fall Harvest Bazaar. The Bazaar will be held in the First Christian Church annex in Eastland.
 If you are 60 years of age or older, you are welcomed to show and sale any handmade articles at the Bazaar. Money from the sale of articles will go to the exhibitor.
 The Bazaar is being sponsored by the Eastland County Home Demonstration Clubs and they plan to make this the biggest and best exhibition of talents and skills ever given in Eastland County. Mrs. Janet Thomas, County Home Demonstration Agent, states that there is lots of enthusiasm all over the county, and neighboring counties from the inquiries of various people planning to sell handmade articles. We are expecting a large number of people to participate with many Christmas gift items to be on sale at this time.
 The public is invited to the BAZAAR to see and buy the many lovely articles that will be exhibited!
 Rules And Regulations For The Bazaar Are As Follows:
 1. All exhibitors must be age 60 years or older. The exception to this rule is: any handicapped person 50 years years or older may participate.
 2. Any entry must be handmade and entered by the person making it. Entries do not have to be made during the current year.
 3. Entries may include such items as oil paintings, quilting, knitting, crochet, ceramics, wood work, household articles, and any other miscellaneous items.
 4. Exhibits must be entered on individual basis. No articles entered will be judged on a competitive basis and may

be sold by the exhibitor.
 5. The bazaar will be held in the First Christian Church Annex in Eastland. Entries can be brought in on Friday, November 20th between 3 and 5 p.m. or the morning of Saturday, November 21st. All articles, not sold, are to be removed by 5 p.m. on Saturday, November 21st.
 6. Exhibits should have a card attached giving the name and address of the owner. If article is to be sold, state price on the card. Money from the sale of an article will go to the owner.
 7. The Home Demonstration Clubs cannot be responsible for the loss or damage of articles. Home Demonstration ladies will be present throughout the day's show.
 8. Those desiring transportation to the Bazaar may call a Home Demonstration Club member.
 9. A pie and cake sale will be held by the Home Demonstration Clubs in conjunction with the Bazaar.

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CARD OF THANKS
 Our sincere thanks to all the friends and relatives of our loved Gene, for the kindness shown during our tragedy. All of the telephone calls, visits, flowers, cards, food, and prayers were appreciated more than words can convey. It helps to ease our sorrow to know that Gene had so many wonderful friends who brightened his life while he was with us. For all of this we are deeply grateful. May God bless each of you.
 The family of Gene Burns

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12 From Eastland County Attend State Farm Bureau Convention

Eastland County Farm Bureau was represented at the 37th annual meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau Nov. 8-11 in Ft. Worth by 12 delegates. Sessions were held in the Convention Center Theater and the Sheraton-Fort Worth Hotel.

State policies and recommendations on national issues were adopted by more than 800 official voting delegates from 200 county Farm Bureaus. Total attendance at the convention was about 2,000.

Registration got under way on Sunday, Nov. 8. Highlights of that day included Discussions Meet and Talent Find competition for young people and vesper services.

The Monday morning program included the annual address by TFB President Sidney Dean of Victoria, and an administrative report by Executive Director O. R. Lang of Waco. Special conferences were held Monday afternoon on women in Farm Bureau, young farmers and ranchers, farm labor, natural resources, dairy research and education, community services, livestock, field crops, poultry and services. The annual TFB queen contest was held Monday evening.

Featured Tuesday morning were recognition and awards for counties and address by

Dolph Briscoe, Jr. prominent Uvalde farmer-rancher. Banquet speaker that evening was Dr. Charles Allen, pastor, First Methodist Church Houston.

The business session got under way Tuesday afternoon with voting on resolutions sent in by counties. The voting session continued Wednesday until all recommendations were either amended, adopted or rejected. Final order of business Wednesday was election of officers and directors.

Harvest Tournament At Comanche Course

The PAR Country Club at Comanche has announced a Harvest Tournament for November 28 and 29 to which Eastland County golfers are invited. There will be a \$10 entry fee and \$75 of merchandise prizes will be offered in each flight as prizes.

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THERE'S ROOM AT THE TOP

Another six weeks has gone by and for us seniors the time is really flying. Even though time is passing quickly, we are looking forward to the Thanksgiving holidays and no school.

In English IV we are studying outstanding stories in English literature. In Chemistry we are studying molecular composition of gases. In Algebra II we are studying rational numbers and expressions. Civics has become very interesting since we have taken up the study of the Presidents of the United States and what their duties are. In Bookkeeping we are working on a project, which has different types of problems in it. Everyone beware! G. W. is the mysterious rubber band

cutter! M. H., how do you like being a beauty queen? Until next week — PAT

WILLING TO LEARN

The Junior class has been selling candy this past week. We want to thank everyone for buying our candy and helping the Junior class. We hope you enjoyed it.

In the Algebra II class, we have begun the chapter, "Rational Numbers and Expressions." In English III, we are studying American writers and their works. The American History class is studying the chapter "The Advance to the Pacific." In typing we are learning the forms to type letters and address envelopes. It's all a matter of learning the center of the typewriter and the

center of your papers. After that it's not so hard. That's all for this week — MARY JANE

NOT FINISHED—JUST BEGUN

This week seems quiet compared to last week now that the Coronation and our last football game is over.

We have begun a new six weeks. We are beginning new units in nearly all of our subjects. In Algebra I we are studying "Electrical Engineering and Mathematics." In World History we are beginning the unit "The Dawn of Modern Times." We Home-making II girls do not have to work as hard as we did last week since we have finished our garments and turned them over to Mrs. Diddle for grading. In English II we are reading a modern play, "The Miracle Worker." In

Since football season is over, the basketball girls have at least one game a week. Everyone be sure to come and watch them play.

til next week DEBBIE

IN THE FISH BOWL

This is the beginning of the third six weeks. Time has just seemed to fly away at R.S.H.S. Some fish can still remember going into the Math room for English.

In biology we will begin the study of microbiology. The Algebra I class will be busy with Electrical Engineering and Mathematics. In Related Math the Fish are in Fractions. This will be the last six weeks of literature in English I. Some fish need to get their book reports, R.S. That's all the news from the Fish.

MARY LEE

AGRICULTURALLY SPEAKING

The Cross Timbers District



Leadership contests were held at Tarleton State College in Stephenville on Monday, November 9. Rising Star's entry was a Junior Conducting Team, composed of Freshmen boys. Congratulations to Mr. Geyer and his Ag. I boys for their effort in this contest. The citrus fruit sale will be started next week; again, the cases of oranges or grapefruit will sell for \$5.50 per box. If you would like to buy some of the fruit, any FFA member will be glad to make the sale.

I am sure everyone enjoyed the Coronation last Tuesday night. The FFA chapter felt well represented.

That's about it for now JAMES STEEL

TOWARD NEW HORIZONS

Hello, World! First off, the girls in the "Sew-It-With-Wool" contest are very relieved to say that there was another mistake on the deadline for the garments; the deadline is Nov. 18—all garments must be received at the college on or before this date. Good Luck to everyone!

It seems as if we have five new "students" in Hm. Ec. and they call themselves "The White Rats"; really we have five white rats on which to do experiments. Two get a balanced diet, two get a poor diet, and one gets a little of both. It shows you how you look with and without nutrients; thus, you should eat the right foods which are good for you.

The Hm. Ec. girls are making dolls for our little friends. OOPS! Six weeks is over, and report cards are out. Everyone is smiling. So-Long, SHEILA

L.C.'s GOALFLINGERS

Basketball season is in full swing now. We are playing 2 games a week Tues. and Thurs. Some of our games will be on Monday instead of Tuesday, but there will be signs downtown showing the

date, time, and place of each game so you should not get too confused.

We have a tournament in December and, of course, we want to keep the first place trophies for ourselves. It is just that we are selfish; it is just that we have grown attached to them, or to any first place trophies for that matter. I think you will see us do some very hard, serious playing that weekend. We hope that is the kind of playing for all season.

That is all for this week so I will leave you with one simple question: WHAT IS THE BEST KIND OF SCOREBOARD?

Those that have the Wildcats way out; let's make them all that way. BILLIE JEAN

Retirement Tips Offered

Are you getting ready to retire? R. R. Tuley, Jr., social security manager in Abilene, has some tips that may help save you time and trouble when you apply for your social security benefits.

A telephone call to the social security office is a good first step. Someone there can answer your questions and tell you how to apply and when to do it. In fact, it all may be done by telephone in some cases.

It's generally a good idea to apply about 3 months before you reach age 65, whether retiring or not. Don't delay because you don't have any of the required documents or information. The people in the social security office will be glad to help you get the necessary information. Try phoning (915) 677-5262.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Jacobs of Los Angeles, Calif. have returned to their home after a visit here with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jacobs and his sister, Mrs. Clara Burkhead.

Kick-Off Supper For Lord's Acre Held Nov. 11th

A Kick-Off Supper for chairman and committees of the Rising Star First United Methodist Church Lord's Acre Harvest Festival was held in the church dining room, Wednesday at 6 p.m., Nov. 11.

J. F. Bebeben General Chairman of the Rising Star project introduced chairman of the following committees: Mrs. Vada Arnold - Country Store; John H. Nunnally - Barbecue; Mrs. W. C. Witt - Food and Serving; Mrs. M. B. Shook and B. A. Butler - Advertising. Each chairman introduced their committee members.

Rev. Loyd Coker pastor of the church gave a history on the organization of the Lord's Acre Harvest Festival, and told of successful projects in other churches. Rev. Coker led in prayer.

Forty three Committeemen and their husbands and wives served themselves from tables beautifully decorated in autumn motif. Plate favors were colorful turkeys, designed and made by Mrs. Bobeen. Food consisted of baked ham, chicken salad, vegetable casserole, salads, green beans, dessert with coffee and iced tea.

Saturday, Nov. 21 has been set for the Festival to be held in the American Legion Hall.

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WSCS Completes Study Program

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Mrs. Loyd Coker gave the program. Taking part on the program were Mrs. F. B. Joyce, Mrs. C. H. Joyce and Mrs. John Stock.

Mrs. Coker gave the prayer and used the subject for her lesson "Who's Listening."

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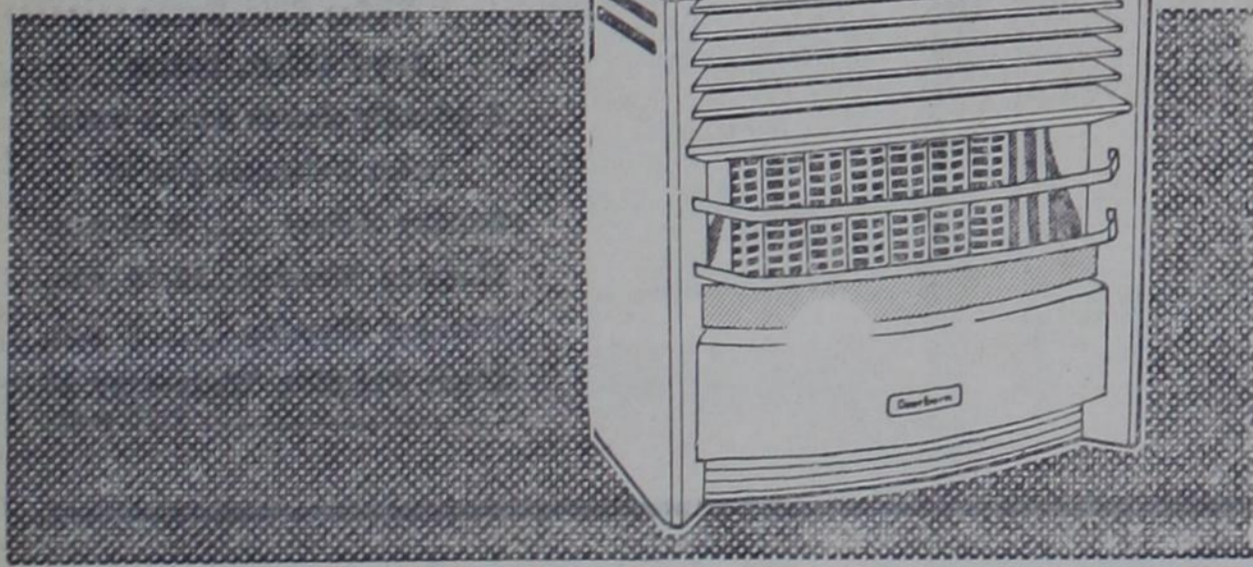
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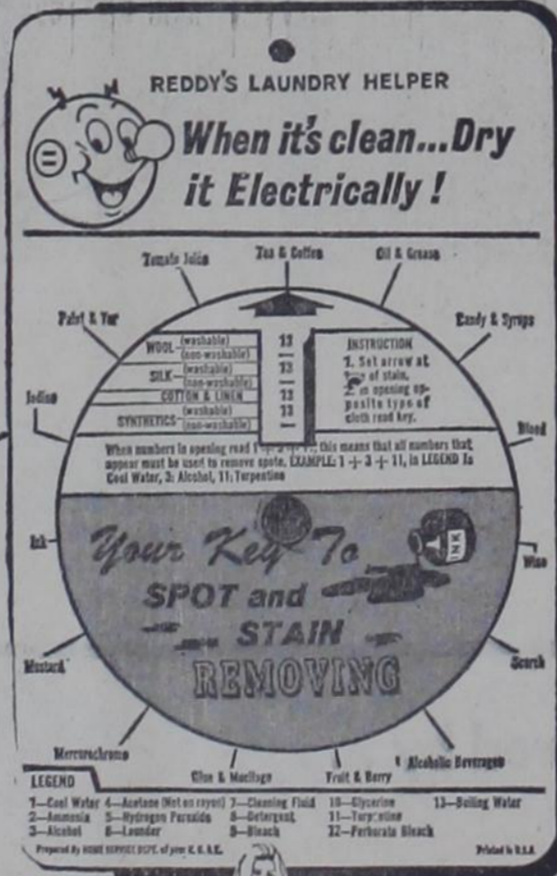
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Mrs. Glenn recently visited her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Todd at Hereford. She also visited Mrs. John Reed and Mrs. Sally Nesbit in Lubbock.

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ther, Mrs. W. R. Marshall of Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoffman and wife of Ranger and Mrs. Ola Cooper and son, Paschal Austin, of Lawton, Okla.

Joe Frank Crisp and sons, Joe Wayne and Todd of Abilene spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Crisp.

Deposits in Eastland County banks continue to rise and stand at an all-time recent-history record, but total loans are down a wee bit from three months ago, but still far a-

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1st Nat., Cisco	\$9,536,095	\$9,355,023	\$8,540,956
Eastland National	9,899,841	9,535,008	9,087,606
1st Nat., Gorman	3,110,597	2,972,895	3,245,349
1st State, Ranger	4,656,882	4,612,524	4,238,819
TOTAL	\$31,804,215	\$30,985,338	\$29,290,712

LOANS

	10-28-70 3rd	6-30-70 2nd	10-21-69 3rd
1st Nat., Rising Star	3,242,754	3,513,561	2,898,466
1st Nat., Cisco	\$6,011,798	\$5,824,566	\$4,920,263
Eastland National	5,557,602	5,325,719	4,847,119
1st Nat., Gorman	1,986,508	2,066,429	1,944,652
1st State, Ranger	2,638,598	2,736,922	2,744,716
TOTAL	\$19,437,260	\$19,467,197	\$17,355,216

head of the same period last year, according to reports just issued. port, \$29,290,712 was recorded.

Money on deposit in the five banks as of Oct. 28, totaled \$31,804,215. That's up from a combined total of \$30,985,338 on June 30 of this year. At the Oct. 21, 1969 report, \$29,290,712 was recorded.

Constable Attends Arlington Seminar

W. K. Kornegay is in Arlington to attend a seminar for Constables, and justices of the peace. The meeting, a three-day affair, will be held at the University of Texas at Arlington, beginning Wednesday, Nov. 18, and closing on Friday, Nov. 20. A series of classes dealing with law enforcement and other phases of the duties of peace officers are being offered without cost to officers who attend.

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Counties in the West Central Texas State Planning Region are Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Shackelford, Stephens, Stone-wall, Taylor, Throckmorton, Comanche and Scurry. The Criminal Justice Council, responsible for statewide planning, administers grants to units of state and local government to assist them in carrying out projects for improving the criminal justice system. The funds come from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, U. S. Department of Justice, under provisions of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968.

Navasota Man Heads Brazos Electric Co-Op

Curtis F. Maynard of Navasota has been elected president of the Brazos Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., with headquarters in Waco and F. C. Lusdtwe of McGregor has been elected vice president.

The elections took place during a business meeting of the board of directors of the rural electric cooperative at its headquarters building at 2404 LaSalle. In the meeting T. E. Craddock of Seymour was re-elected secretary-treasurer. He has held this post since the formation of the cooperative in 1941.

Maynard is the manager of the Mid-South Electric Cooperative of Navasota, one of the nineteen cooperatives which own and operate BEPC. He was named to the board in 1949 and was elected vice-president of the board January 8, 1969.

He replacts Truett W. Bailey of Cleburne who has retired from the board and also as manager of the Johnson County Electric Cooperative.

Maynard is a former board member and past president of Texas Electric Cooperatives, the statewide organization of rural electric cooperatives. The Maynards have two children, a daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Mathews, a teacher in Freeport, and a son, Tom, a senior in high school. They are members of the Baptist church.

He is a graduate of Gatesville High School and Texas A&M and is a veteran of World War II.

Luedtke has been a member of the Brazos board since 1959. He is manager of the McLennan County Electric Cooperative with headquarters in McGregor where he has been an employee since 1938.

He is a lifelong resident of the McGregor area, is married to the former Miss Bertha Fehler of McGregor. They have two daughters, Donna, teaching in Austin, and Betty Ann, a student in University of Texas. He is a member of the McGregor city council and is active in McGregor 4-H Club work. He has served on the board of the Texas Electric Cooperatives and is a member of the Lutheran church.

Reese Strong of Cleburne, newly appointed manager of the Johnson County Electric Cooperative, was appointed to leave on the BEPC board.



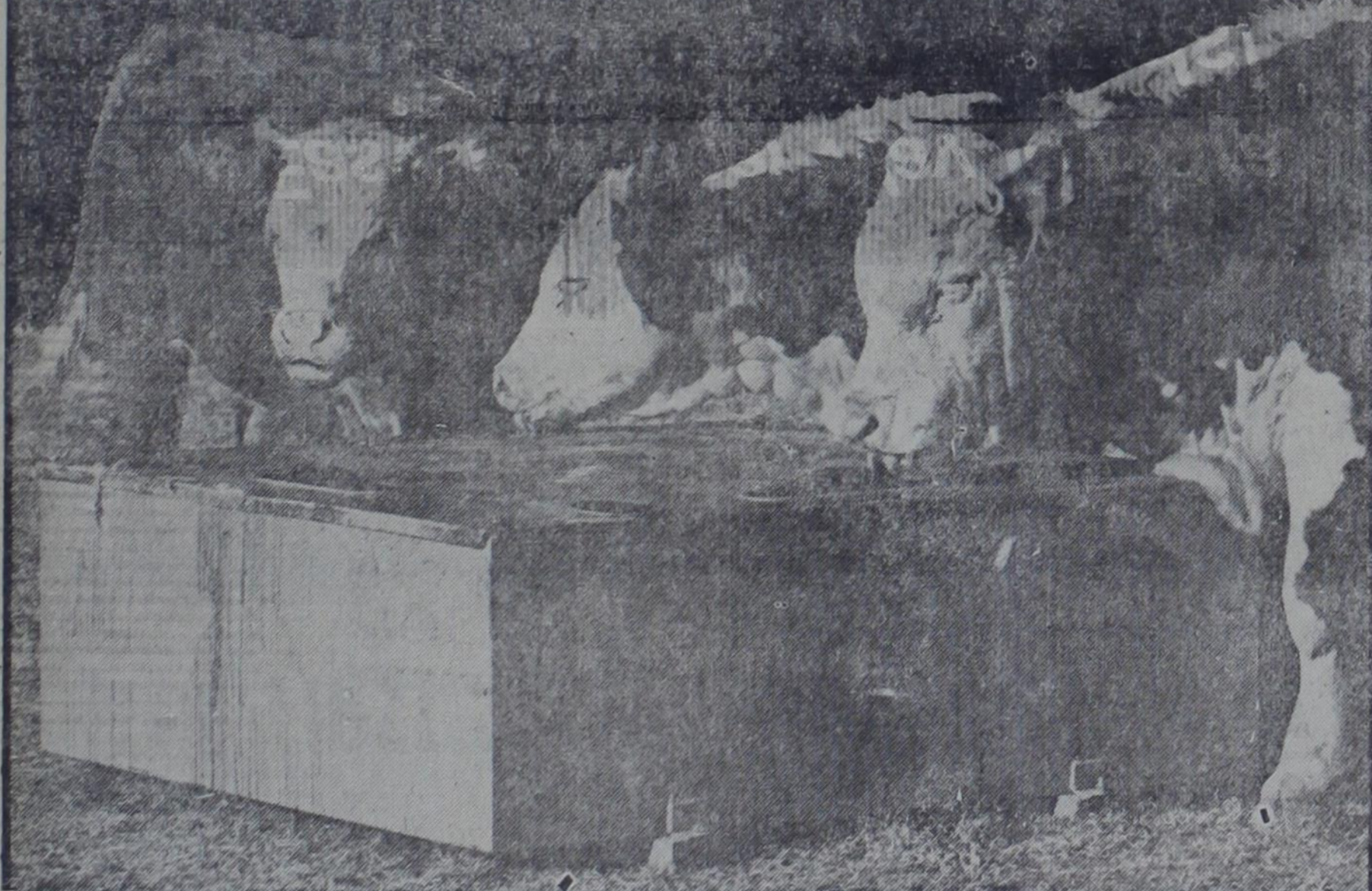
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COCONUT	14-oz. Angel Flake	59c
STOKLEYS Sweet Peas	303 cans	5/\$1
GANDY'S Round Carton Pure Ice Cream	1/2-gal.	69c
FIG BARS	Big 2-lb. pkg.	39c
KLEENEX 200 size	4 boxes	99c
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