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Through The Editor's Specs

By BAH

They are still fighting the Civil War in Washington.

A majority of the United States Senate, in a pious posture of regard for the qualifications required of a Supreme Court justice, has for the second time turned down a Supreme Court nominee who happened to be from the South.

This time the opposition emphasis was on a remark allegedly made by the nominee many years before and branding him a racist, and on qualifications for the high judicial office said to be lacking. The qualifications charges, of course, were a convenient cover for the real issues involved, which everyone knows were strictly political.

There were no such opportunities for the opposition which defeated the earlier appointment of Judge Haynesworth. His judicial record survived the closest scrutiny of those ultra-liberal elements whose own prejudices cover behind a screen of hypocrisy. They were forced to justify their real motives by the flimsiest accusations of a conflict of interest. It was a charge that surely must condemn in his tracks every senator who voted against the Virginia jurist on this plea.

The real reasons involved in the defeat of these appointments does not honor the qualifications and integrity proposed for the highest judicial body in the land. Instead they demand for the judges of that court a prejudicial mind. They demand that these judges follow a philosophy of constitutional interpretation favorable to the tyranny of those political elements who hold threats of organized reprisal against members of the senate vulnerable to their power.

What is reprehensible is not that these elements have political faith and a means of asserting it. Such is their right.

The harm occurs when organized minority prejudices are used to forestall the balanced functioning of a government agency, to emphasize divisions both sectional and political that have influence upon good democratic processes. It is aggravated when such a strategy results in the coercive use of government forces to effect a social reform without regard to the rights or welfare of large and helpless elements of the population.

What the administration will do now is a good guess. Perhaps Nixon will wait until after the November elections, to nominate another justice, hoping to read in the outcome a further mandate which may be of some guidance or persuasion. In the last general election the voters stated clearly enough a general desire for a more balanced interpretation of constitutional issues. But it has had little effect where dominant parochial concerns are controlling in the political life of a congressman or other government official.

Neither in the South nor the North, where state lines effectively define the political creed of a public official, can one expect a primary and wholesome response to the general attitude. Congressmen, senators, governors and the like are going to stay within their political fences. That, at least, is the general idea.

But however the issue is resolved, there is one sentiment that seems to be shared by more people than not.

It is a hope that the politicians, including the judges, will return the schools to the people qualified to run them and stop using the millions of school children of the land as pawns in political power games and social experiments.



Mr. and Mrs. Neil H. Carlock and their six-year-old son, Gary, have recently moved to Rising Star from Fort Worth. Mr. Carlock has assumed his duties as mortician and funeral director for Higginbotham Funeral Home. He was employed by Ray Crowder Funeral Home of Fort Worth for three years as mortician and funeral director and comes highly recommended. The family is at home on North Main Street next door to the Funeral Home. They are Methodists.

Luther Allen Is Buried In Rites Monday at 2:00

Funeral services for Luther Thomas Allen, 78, who died Saturday night at his home in Rising Star, were held at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel, Monday at 2 p.m.

Rev. Vic Allen, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Rising Star, officiated and burial in Rising Star Cemetery was under the direction of Higginbotham's.

Mr. Allen was born February 2, 1882, in Arkansas. He was married to Willie Smothers on September 11, 1909, in Brown county. He had lived in Rising Star for 61 years.

Survivors include his wife and three sons, Robert L. of Abilene; Clyde T. of Overton and L. E. of Maryneal.

Pallbearers were Dean Bailey, Willie Cooper, Ray Agnew, Buck Collins, W. C. Witt and Lee White.

Emma Mae Hines Buried April 9

Funeral services for Emma Mae Hines, 74, were held in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel Thursday, April 9, at 2 p.m. with Fronia Blackwell officiating. Burial was in the Rising Star cemetery, Higginbotham's directing.

Mrs. Hines died in her home on East Mills Street following a long illness Tuesday, April 7, at 7:30 a.m.

Born at Rosebud, Texas, she had lived in Eastland County for 59 years. She married Allen W. Hines at Rosebud in January, 1912. She was a member of the Pentecostal Church.

Grandsons served as pallbearers. Survivors include her husband of the home; four sons, Allen W. Eunice, New; James, Hollywood, Calif.; Robert, Jal, New Mexico; and Bobby, Baytown, Texas; five daughters, Mrs. Hazel Edwards, Lovington, New Mexico; Mrs. Huby Hogan, Lubbock; Mrs. Edna Mae Havner and Mrs. Velma Ray Belcher both of Abilene and Nina Hines, Odessa; two brothers, Finnie Mullins, Lexington, Texas; and Johnny Mullins, Austin; three sisters, Mrs. Mande Blackburn, Bryan; Mrs. Nina Spivey, Paris, Texas; and Mrs. Anner Owen, Navasota, Texas; 24 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Religion in Art Festival at First Methodist Sunday Night

First United Methodist Church, Rising Star, will be the scene of the first Religion in Art Festival Sunday, April 19. The time is 6:00 p. m.

Dr. Bob Evans, pastor of First United Methodist Church Cisco, will lead the Festival. Dr. Evans is a former teacher of art. He is an active artist today. One of his works will appear on the front cover of the bulletin to be used in the Festival.

The Festival will begin in the sanctuary with a service of worship. Following the worship service will be a gallery



OREN M. (MONK) CROWDER shown standing beside 1885 lamp which he converted to modern use at his home in Cisco.

Carriage Day Antique Now Lights Oren Crowder Yard

In front of the Oren M. Crowder home at 200 East Seventh Street in Cisco stands what is perhaps the only yard lamp of its kind to be found anywhere. Almost 100 years old, it could well have distinguished the carriage portico of some ante-bellum southern mansion.

The lamp, with its rich patina of old copper, bears the patent date of December 15, 1885, and the patentee name of Thomas Lee. Originally built to burn a combination of Kerosene and whale oil or candles, it has been modernized with an electric light and now sheds of evening a soft moonlike glow over the Crowder entrance.

Crowder, known to his friends as "Monk", is, as you may have guessed, an antique buff, and the lamp is his most prized relic. He found it among abandoned "junk", re-

modelled and restored it from antiquity to modern use.

The lamp originally had two uses, as Mrs. Crowder, who shares her husband's interest in antiques, explained. One was to furnish the light, the other to discourage insects. On one side is a spout from which in fair weather burned an open flame, a fatal attraction to mosquitoes, flies, night beetles and other bugs. Needless to say, that feature now only an interesting detail of the antique.

"In foul weather," said Mrs. Crowder, the candle burned inside protected by four triangular shaped glasses that also formed a slanted roof effect. To convert this to an effective light to be used today, Monk installed two mirror sides to reflect the light downward. It now burns electricity and is mounted on a wooden box frame anchored to an iron post.

According to Mrs. Crowder, Monk began collecting antiques and restoring them five years ago when a friend gave him an old iron hitching post, now firmly anchored in the front yard near the light.

Mrs. Crowder has several prized possessions of furniture, including a bed room suite of venerable vintage, that reward her approval of his hobby.

In the workshop at the rear of the Crowder lot, there is a panel crowded with old tools that would engage the interest of an antique fan for hours. Among them are a wagon jack built by Walter Clements of Cisco in 1905 and which Crowder is shown holding in one of

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\$4,000 Subscribed As Reforming Of Development Corp. Under Way

Reactivation of the Rising Star Development Corporation got under way at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce at the Elite Cafe at noon Tuesday when \$4,000 of the necessary \$15,000 stock was subscribed.

The CofC members, approving the program to assist possible new industry in the community, set June 1 as a target date for the organization of the reformed corporation.

The corporation which was dissolved with payment of all stock at par and dividend several years ago, was successful in securing the location of the Winfrey Feed and Peanut plant, now one of the most successful in the area, Charles Rutherford, chairman of the organization committee, told the CofC.

It was also announced that a dog anti-rabies vaccination clinic will be held in Rising Star on April 28 from 3:30 to 6 p. m. when Dr. Bill Cardwell of Cisco, will vaccinate dogs for a special price of \$2.00 rents of which 50 cents will be given the club to finance its projects.

Preceding the dinner members of the 4-H club gave demonstrations in dairy management and in public speaking which the CofC members applauded.

Gwendolyn Butler and Rickie Williams gave the dairying demonstration and James Steel spoke on "Journalism."

A feature of the meeting was the presentation of a "Friend of the 4-H" plaque to Cecil Shults for his services in behalf of youth work in the club.

Shults, taken by surprise, and somewhat overcome by the award, declared that the Chamber of Commerce was the real recipient. "It has always backed the youth of the farm organizations," he said, "and George Steel and A. D. Jenkins and I have just served as a committee."

Mrs. Beavers To Honor Society

Mrs. Jay Beavers (Millie) was in Fort Worth, Sunday in installation ceremonies as a charter member of Beta Alpha Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau, the only National Honor Society of Nursing.

Constituent Chapters are established in Collegiate Schools of nursing accredited by the National Accrediting Board recognized by the profession.

Mrs. Beavers is a graduate of Texas Christian University and the Harris School of Nursing both at Fort Worth.

Seventy-one nurses were installed in this new organization on Sunday afternoon, April 12.

Dr. Lois Meier Vice-Pres. of the National Council, presented the Charter for the new Chapter.

Mrs. Beavers is the wife of Rev. Jay Beavers, pastor of First United Methodist Church at Rising Star. She is the mother of one daughter, Jana Kay, who celebrated her first year birthday, February 14.

Funeral Rites Wednesday For Charles Baird

Charles Wesley Baird, 91, died Tuesday morning, (today) in his home southwest of Cisco. Funeral services will be at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday, April 16, in the Rust-Martin-Rhynne Funeral Home Chapel.

Baird was a retired farmer who had lived in Cisco for 34 years. He was born February 8, 1879 in Chico. He moved here from Coryell County.

SON BORN

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Shults and members of the Horton family have received the announcement from Major and Mrs. Lowery Phil Horton of the birth of a son, David Robertson Horton. Lowery Horton of Rising Star is the grandfather of the baby.



J. W. Worthington

Specialist To Instruct Friday At Pecan School

Friday, April 17, is the date of the Eastland County Pecan Budding and Grafting School. County agent De Gordon said about 150 men, women and students are expected to attend the annual event.

The morning session is scheduled to begin at 9:30 a. m. in the auditorium of Cisco Junior College. This session will be devoted to lectures and demonstrations on budding and grafting.

The event will be sponsored by the Cisco Chamber of Commerce and the Eastland County Pecan Grower's Assn.

Instruction will be given by Dr. J. W. Worthington, Extension Service Horticulturist, Gordon said. Dr. Worthington has an excellent set of visual aids to help make his lecture easy to understand. There will be available several new publications on pecan propagation reports the county agent.

After lunch the group will practice budding and grafting at Dr. Bill Cardwell's orchard one mile west of Cisco on the Old Abilene Highway.

Pecan budwood and graftwood—of some of the better varieties will be sold by the growers' assn. at the school. Budding and grafting supplies will also be sold. There will be no fee for attending the school and everyone interested is encouraged to attend.

ON DESTROYER

(31NN03859) USS LOFBERG (FHTNC) APRIL 2—Navy Fireman Apprentice Samuel Fletcher Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fletcher of 506 E. Sixth St., and husband of Mrs. Janie M. Fletcher, all of Cisco, Tex., is serving aboard the destroyer USS Lofberg with the Seventh Fleet in the Western Pacific. This ship is in its third combat deployment in Vietnam.

Census Canvass Nears Completion This Week

Robert C. Ford, district manager, reported that the 1970 Census of Population and Housing in nearing completion in the area, that in about another week the census takers should have visited every resident on their lists.

Census takers began visiting households on April 1 and have been working continuously to cover their territories. Ford asked that householders hold their questionnaires, which were delivered prior to April 1, and have them fill out, ready for the census taker to pick up. This will save time for both the householder and the census taker and speed up the completion of the census.

For every fifth household, the census taker will have a longer questionnaire which she will fill out by interviewing a number of the household.

Most of the census takers are women. Each wears a red, white, and blue identification badge which is her official credential. It bears her signature

Joe Hanna Asks Support In Bid For Legislature

Joe Hanna, candidate for state representative, today issued the following formal statement in behalf of his candidacy:

"As a candidate for state representative of this district, I take this means of asking you for your vote May 2.

"If I have not contacted you personally, I certainly hope to do so at a later date, because I want to be a true representative of all the voters of this area.

"Since I have never served in an elective position before, except for 13 years on the school board in Stephens County, I am basing this campaign on my reputation as a mature business man of integrity, honesty, and sound judgment. With such qualifications I feel I am well qualified to serve in Austin as your state representative, and will bring dignity and respect to that office.

"Our five-county area has only one man to represent us in the house of representatives in Austin. Unless the voice of that one man is a strong one, respected by his constituents, our area has little chance of getting its needs and desires known. I have run a successful business for 24 years, and I have worked with farmers, ranchers, servicemen, senior citizens, and business people of all kinds. Last July I sold my business and am now ready to devote my time to being a good state representative.

"I know the problems of the people of this area and I know what kind of a government they want in Austin. I am a World War II veteran, a family man with a wife and three children, a home owner and tax payer, and I have the backing of the people of Breckenridge who know me as a 26-year resident of Stephens County.

"I think it is time this area is represented in Austin with some mature business judgment. State government is Texas' biggest business, and it takes a huge bite out of our income and administers services that affect all our lives. I feel that government should be run efficiently and honestly and I am ready to spend my time and effort to do just that.

"I have a big stake in the future, with three children of my own who must be a part of it. I want the opportunity to do my part in making this nation, this state, and this district, the best possible place to live.

"With your vote and confidence, I shall make that effort."



MRS. NELMA LEE POOL, formerly of Rising Star, and owner of Nelma Lee's Painting and Jewelry Salon, Odessa, is making an outstanding success in her profession. Investment in art, she said, in a recent interview in the Odessa American, is sound because art values do not depreciate, but are constantly increasing. In another photo she is shown with Congressman O. C. Fisher of San Angelo, longtime friend and supporter. Nelma is a sister of Odis Lee of Rising Star.

Horace Smith Is Made Director Of Nat'l Ass'n

Horace L. Smith, son of the late Charles L. Smith and Mrs. Smith of Rising Star, was recently made a national director of the W. P. C. A.

Horace was born at Rising Star Dec. 30, 1925, and attended the local schools. He graduated from the Rising Star High School in 1943, and from Texas Technological College in 1948 with a B.S. degree in civil engineering.

After graduation, Horace took a position with the Bureau of Reclamation at Tucuman, New Mexico, and Ft. Sumner, N. M. In 1951 he joined the consulting engineering firm of H. N. Roberds and Associates, at Lubbock. From 1954 to 1956 he was city engineer for Snyder, Texas.

Horace moved to Denver, Colo., and became assistant sanitary engineer in 1956 for the city of county of Denver. He became sanitary engineer from 1961 until 1966. He then moved to the duties of chief water waste control engineer for Denver and area.

He has held offices of vice president of Colorado Southern Wyoming Chapter of the A. P. W. A.; member of the board of directors of the Metropolitan Denver sewage disposal District No. 1; Chairman of The Drainage Advisory Committee of the Denver Regional Council of Governments; and Chairman of the Sanitary Engineering Advisory Committee of the Denver Regional Council of Governments.

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North Star Club To Visit State School, Abilene

The North Star Club met on Tuesday, April 7, in the home of Mrs. Carl Irby.

Plans were made for the annual picnic in Riverside Park at Brownwood.

A visit to Abilene State School for retarded children will take place on April 30. We will take good used clothing and greeting cards. We will also take as many cookies for the children's parties as possible.

We will visit the State School for Girls at Brownwood on May 26. This school has recently officially opened. The club gave \$5 to the Jack Smith fund.

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 Charles A. Brown to Burdett Hitt, warranty deed.
 Jerry Hansford Buckley et ux to Eastland National Bank, deed of trust.
 David Bestor et ux to Bill Doyle, warranty deed.
 Forrest Boone to S. Payton Scott et ux, warranty deed.
 Osburn L. Burns et ux to First State Bank, deed of trust.
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 Maud Elizabeth Craighead deceased, to the public, certified copy of no inheritance tax due.
 O. D. Cunningham et ux to Jim West to First Federal Savings and Loan, Ranger, mechanic and materialman's lien and assignment.
 W. T. Carruth to Jerry W. Cearen, quit claim deed.
 James L. Cate et ux to Neta Marie Cate, quit claim deed.
 James M. Cate, deceased, to the public, proof of heirship.
 H. H. Cassie to Jewel Goldson, warranty deed.
 Vernon Cozart to West Texas Utilities Company, easement and right of way.
 Carbon Cemetery Association to Mrs. Edward Jackson, cemetery deed.
 Capital Investment Company to James T. Slaughter, Inc., easement of right of way.

warranty deed.
 C. M. Campbell et al to Dr. John C. Allensworth, warranty deed.
 Oral Davis et ux to Brazos Electric Power Cooperative Inc., easement and right of way.
 E. L. Dennis et ux to C. C. Revels, warranty deed.
 R. Y. Dorsett et ux, deceased, to the public, proof of heirship.
 Noland L. DeFord et ux to Eastland National Bank, deed of trust.
 Bill Doyle to George Harris and Company, warranty deed.
 Ralph Lash Dunkle deceased to the public, certified copy probate.
 Mary Dunkle to Selene Dunkle Kriete, certified copy of power of attorney.
 G. T. Dawkins et ux to Lee Ratner, oil and gas lease.
 R. M. Barp et ux to Brazos Electric Power Cooperative Inc., easement and right of way.
 City of Eastland to Don O. McClendon, quit claim deed.
 City of Eastland to Eastland Memorial Hospital, quit claim deed.
 J. S. Encke et al trustee to J. S. Encke, et al, mineral deed.
 Sam Harrison Eakin, deceased to the public, proof of heirship with will attached.
 Rolland Curry Eakin et al to Grace E. Eakin, quit claim deed.
 J. R. Ervin et ux to E. E. Ford, warranty deed.
 Evelyn M. Eldridge to R. J. Clark, et ux, warranty deed.
 City of Eastland to C. H. Burkett, cemetery deed.
 Vyron H. Funderburk et ux to Brazos Electric Power Cooperative Inc., easement and right of way.
 Union Oil Company of California to H. S. Holden, oil and gas lease.
 Veterans Land Board to C. G. Uffelmann, deed.
 Veterans Land Board to Ronald K. Bond, contract of sale and purchase.
 Veterans Land Board to Don Lewis Moore, contract of sale and purchase.
 Ralph Veal et ux to Burl Gene Wright et ux, assignment of lake lease.
 Village Investors Inc. to J. R. Newton, warranty deed.
 D. B. Warrn et ux to Dale Gilmore, deed of trust.
 Derwood Wells et ux to Harvey E. Franklin, warranty deed.
 Oliver Wesley to Glen Hamner et ux, warranty deed.
 Jerry W. Warren et ux to Veterans Land Board, warranty deed.
 Burl Gene Wright et ux to First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Ranger, deed of trust.
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For Congress, 17th District:
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For State Rep. 53rd Dist.:
 JOE HANNA, Breckenridge
 BURKE MUSGROVE, (re-electin).

For County Judge:
 SCOTT BAILEY (Re-Election)
 CARL L. GARRETT

For District Clerk:
 JOE GRAY

For County Supt.:
 O. L. STAMEY (Re-Election)

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3:
 E. M. (BUDDY) TURNER
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 Mrs. Jim Christian

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to my friends for the flowers, cards, letters, visits and prayers for me during my stay in the Brownwood Hospital. I can't find words to express my appreciation. God bless you.
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ARE WE THE SOFT GENERATION?

Many people of the older generation say that we are a soft generation. Are we? Our parents seem to think so. They say that we have life too easy. I am sure that more than a few teen-agers have heard their parents talk about how hard they had to work when they were young. Maybe this is so, but I would not call today's generation soft. Many people today want to find out what life is really about. Maybe they do not have to work so hard and save every penny they get, but they do care about what is going on around them. I would not call anyone who stands up for what he believes soft. There are a few exceptions who would rather sit around and spend the money that their parents give them, but the majority of young people want to make it on their own. This generation contains the leaders of tomorrow. Some people believe that this will be disastrous. I think that this generation will make fine leaders. They care about such every

day things as wildlife and air pollution, which are gradually becoming big problems. Is the younger generation really soft? I do not think that we can afford to be. The older generation has done some fine work, but they are leaving even larger problems for the younger generation to solve. Each year over population and pollution are becoming worse. How can any generation be soft when they face their problems. It is true that the older generation has had to work hard, but soon our generation will be the older hard working generation. This generation may appear to be soft now, but when it comes our time to take on responsibility, we will be ready.

Pat White
English III

THE CHALLENGES OF LIFE

The challenges of life start the first day of one's existence. Making it to this world and being alive are the first challenges. Being born is a challenge which one cannot fight against, but as we grow, we

learn that our physical structure is something that obeys our mind, and our mind is the most unique structure on earth. All of its many functions cannot add up to its one main purpose; to challenge life and adjust to the fact that life is people either helping or criticizing the establishment. Some people try to fight against old-fashioned principles and morals when all the time, they do not know what they want out of life. Their challenge is to create new ideas and put them to use. The challenge of the people who try to help the old standards is too fight to keep new ways of life from developing. Both types of people are doing what they think is right; therefore, how can all the world's problems ever be settled?

The next challenge of life is for the people who are past the age wanting to make new discoveries and are content to just let life take them on any course it chooses. These people have looked back and seen all of what they could have done and some of what they should not have done. These people think their lives are shorter; in years, this is true, but in knowledge their life grows more each hour. The last challenge to man is death. Death signifies the stopping of all the years of life. The physical and mental being has stopped; therefore, is not life one big challenge which has its climax at death? Death awaits all human beings, and it is truly a challenge to see how much good one can do in the world before death takes over.

Vickie Stewart

LEADERS OF TOMORROW

This is the first week of the final six weeks for the mighty Srs. of '70. A few of us have our caps and gowns. Do not forget to bring your clothes hanger so you can claim yours.

Last week in Civics class we listened to records. These were very interesting, especially the music and songs, Right, Larry Bond?

In H.E. III we have canned some apples and are now learning how to make jams and jellies. We baked cookies for F.H.A. Week which was last week.

We have put aside the study of words and how they are formed. This showed us how to use the dictionary more efficiently.

Remember this seniors: Knowledge is power. So keep in there and learn all you can while you can.

Janet

THERE'S ROOM AT THE TOP

The Junior class would like to thank the homeroom mothers for preparing the food for our banquet. We would also like to thank Mrs. Dennard and Mrs. Claborn for helping us with some of our decorations. It was very nice of the Youth Center officers to let us borrow some of their equipment. We hope that all who attended enjoyed the program and food.

We have been wishing that our class rings would arrive; we surely are anxious to wear them.

Everyone is happy that six weeks test are over; just think we are now in the last period for this school year of 1969-1970.

Sandy Jones

WILLING TO LEARN

Hi! Talk about tests! The Biology test was a whopper; it was on vertebrates and the fish. Not many of us passed it but we have survived!

The Algebra test was not exactly easy either; we knew all the hard problems, but we forgot how to do the easy ones.

In Home Ec. II, we have been busy this week getting everything ready for the P.T.A. model show.

And in English—some passed; some did not. I guess everyone was confused with verbals.

World History can not claim a victory over us through a six week's test, but only through a chapter test, which will be plenty hard, being over the

Second Industrial Revolution. We have twenty-nine days of school left and two World Wars to finish!

IN THE FISH BOWL

Hello again from your fish reporter. There's not just a whole lot to tell, but I'll give you a few little bits of information!

Math is just riding! We had a test last week with report cards out this week.

I hope you enjoyed the P.T.A. Style Show. I think some fish proved to be excellent models with their first garments.

The fish girls are over the jitters of the District track meet; we decided we had fun after it was all over, though!

So long,
B. J.

WHO'S WHO

Larry Gerhardt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gerhardt, was born in Rising Star, July 27, 1952. He has attended Rising Star schools all of his life.

Larry says he likes banana splits and cherry pie. Nice combination there, Larry. His favorite actor and actress are Steve McQueen and Raquel Welch. He watches the Dean Martin Show on T.V., and his favorite movie is "Ray". His favorite singers are the Creedence Clearwater Revival. Larry's favorite song is "Who Stopped the Rain." His favorite color is blue and he likes the spring season. Larry says his hang-out is all around. His hobby is fishing and hunting.

Larry has participated in basketball. Because of his wonderful personality and his way with girls, he was selected as the 1969-70 F.H.A. Beau. He was Who's Who in Ag. II his junior year.

Larry's philosophy of life is to be yourself and respect others for what they are. His pet peeve is someone whose interest is someone else's business and not his own. Larry plans to attend college. The Srs. of 70 wish Larry all the luck. His happy go lucky attitude will always be outstanding in our memories.

L. C.'S CHAMPS

With cold wind biting at everyone last Saturday, the girls' track team did not make any outstanding runs. With teams at Comanche from as far off as Lake Dallas and Midway, the B schools were quite outnumbered.

Jana Hubbard made her best run on the 880-dash, but still this did not place among

the large schools. Cynthia Hounsel and Sara Butler both made good runs in the 440 dash, but neither of them placed for the finals.

In the discus, Pat White made good throws that placed high with the other B schools, but again the A class schools out did us. Vickie Stewart placed fourth in the shot putt. We hope to do better this Tuesday when we are at the district meet in Stephenville.

TOWARD NEW HORIZONS

Hello! Everyone of you! And now here's Sheila reporting her news of the past, present, and future.

On April 14, we had our style show for the P. T. A. meeting.

Last week was F.H.A. week; posters were made; the symbol, a red rose, was placed on the desk of each teacher. The girls made cookies for all the student body, and we also had Western day! Ride 'em cowboys!

Keep in mind, girls, that the State F.H.A. Meeting is the 23th and 26th of this month. Only two are chosen to go. From the stem of Love will grow the flower of Peace.

Sheila

WHO'S WHO

Born on January 5, 1952, at Gorman, Ray Darnell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Darnell.

Ray's favorite food is pizza. His favorite stars are Clint Eastwood and Jane Fonda. He likes the T. V. show "My World and Welcome to It." His favorite movie is the "Pink Panther"; for his song, he has chosen the theme song of that movie. His favorite singer is Bobbie Gentry. His favorite color is orange and he says he likes the spring season. Ray's hang-out is the school and his hobby is gourmet.

Ray has participated in track. He acquired Who's Who in American History his junior year. Ray has also served on the Student Council.

Ray's philosophy of life is a quote from Emerson—"Write it upon your heart that each day is the very best day of the year."

His plans are to go to college and further his education. His classmates will really miss Ray's singing, whistling, and wild animal calls. Best of luck to a real cool cat!

WHO'S WHO

Kava Lu Poynor was born

November 28, 1951, in Dallas, Texas. Her mother is Mildred Childers of Rising Star, and her father is Scot Poynor of Dallas.

Kava likes to eat pizza and hamburgers. Her favorite actor is Paul Newman and her actress is Sandra Dee. She likes "Bracken's World" as a T. V. show. Could it be that Kava has a touch of sentiment when she considers "Romeo and Juliet" her favorite movie? Johnny Rivers is her singer and "Lodi", and "Born on the Bayou" are her favorite songs. Her favorite colors are blue and green and her season is spring. Kava's hang-out is Cisco. Her hobbies are swimming and going to dances. Her favorite groups are the Beatles, Creedence Clearwater Revival, and Led Zeppelin.

Kava has participated in F.H.A. for three years. During her senior year, she was on the Annual Staff, "Wildcat Tales", and Student Council. She played powderpuff football for two years.

Kava's pet peeve is people who brag a lot. Her philosophy of life is to live each day to the fullest; some day you'll wish you had.

Kava's plans for the future are to just be happy, maybe later on going to a business school.

The class of '70 will miss Kava's friendly nature. Best of luck to a real great gal.

WHO'S WHO

Shirley Ann Kendrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Kendrick, was born at Gorman, Texas, on December 4, 1951.

Shirley's favorite foods are pizza, tuna sandwiches, and potato salad. Her favorite actors are Clint Eastwood and David Canary. Her favorite T. V. show is "Bracken's World". She likes any movie in which Clint Eastwood stars. Her favorite singer is Johnny Cash, Charley Pride, and Tony Douglas. Johnny Rivers sings her favorite song, "Baby, I Need Your Lovin'". She likes the colors of blue and green and the summer season. She lists as her hang-out The Starlite and her hobbies are sewing, collecting records, signs, and making other people unhappy. Really now, Shirley! Her favorite singing group is the Creedence Clearwater Revival.

Shirley has participated in E. H. A. three years. She was

chosen Who's Who in Home Economics her freshman year. She was elected Football Sweetheart her senior year. Shirley's philosophy of life is "It's not what you do that counts, it's what you are caught doing." She has several pet peeves—a nosy person, one who thinks he's better than everybody else; Tattle Tales; But her biggest peeve is a certain blonde headed guy that wears sun glasses all the time.

Shirley's plan for the future are to attend business school in Lubbock.



Grandson Will Wed at Gilmer

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Wilburn of Gilmer, Texas, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Leslie Wilburn, to Jack Clay, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Clay of 7816 Tacoma Drive, Fort Worth.

The wedding is scheduled for 8 p.m., June 13, in the First Baptist Church at Gilmer.

Miss Wilburn attended Kilgore Junior College and is now a junior at North Texas State University at Denton. Mr. Clay is a graduate of Weatherford Junior College and North Texas State University, Denton.

Mr. Clay is the grandson of Mrs. Florence Graves, Rising Star.

BRIDGE

Mrs. Oliver Smith has announced that the Bridge Club will play bridge at Lakewood Recreation Center on Thursday evening April 16 at 8 p.m.

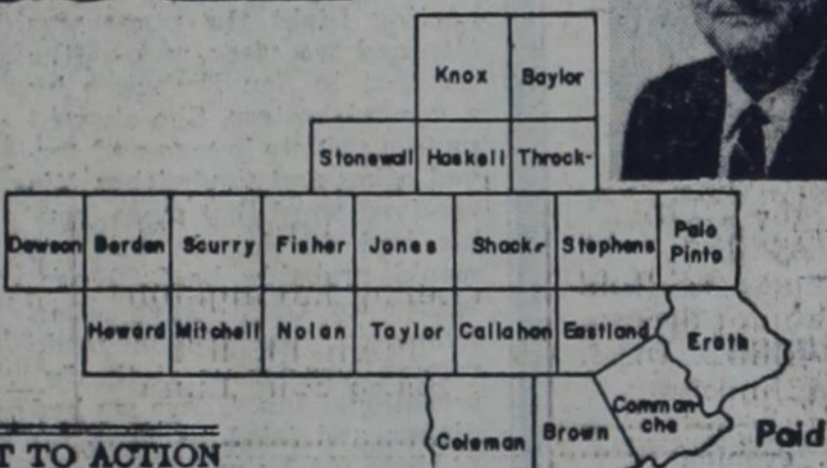
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Evening Preaching -- 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Prayer Service ----- 6:30 p.m.

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Bible Study ----- 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening

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Evening Service ---- 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Service Wed. 7 p.m.
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Evening Service ----- 7 p.m.

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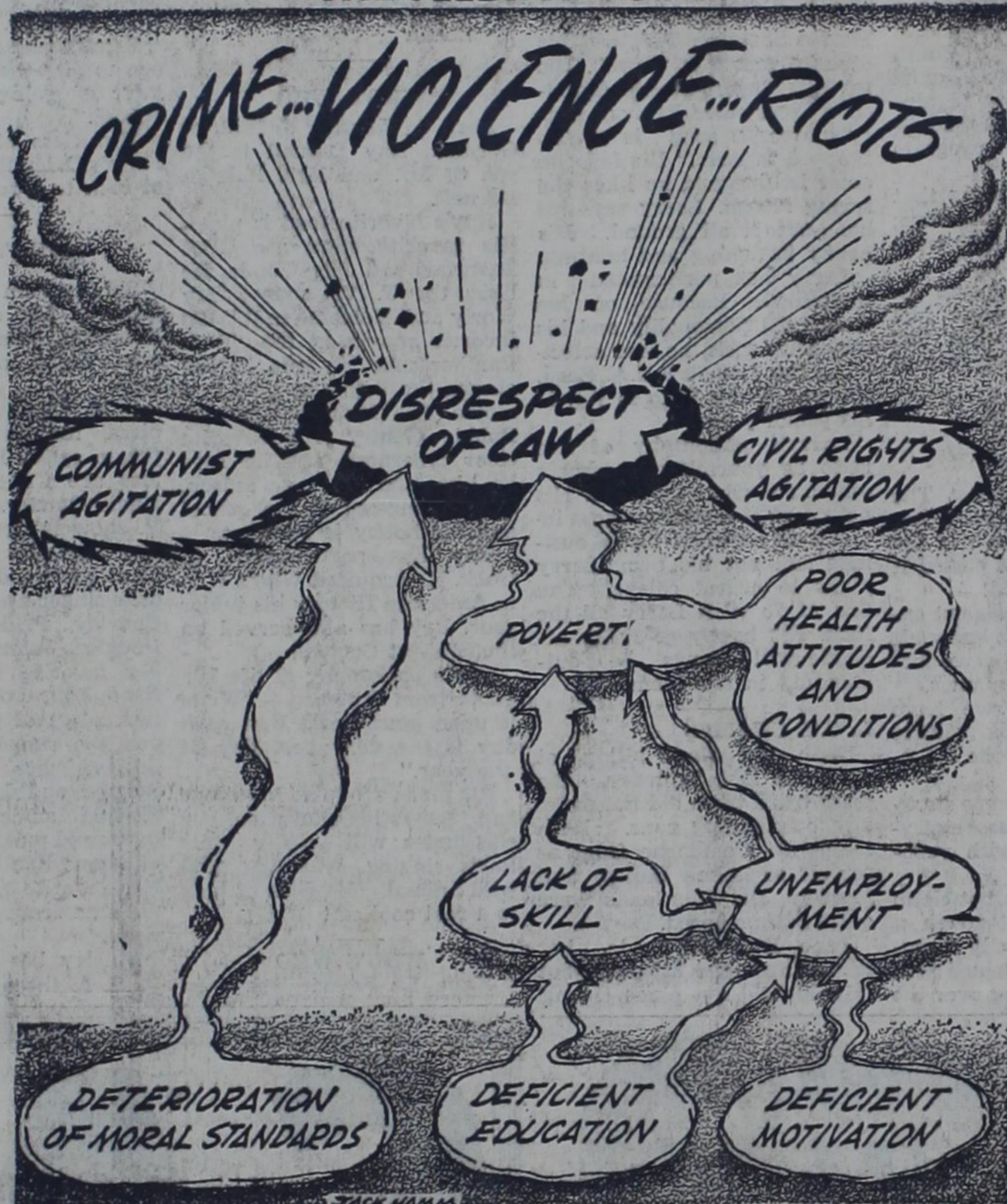
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THE FEEDING FUMES



DRIVE FRIENDLY—Governor Preston Smith and A. Ross Rommel, Traffic Safety Administrator, have issued an appeal to Texas motorists to "Drive Friendly". Dashboard, window and bumper stickers bearing "Drive Friendly" are being used on most state vehicles, driver education cars and school buses. Business and civic groups were urged to participate. Stickers can be obtained at nominal cost by writing Drive Friendly, Governor's Office, Austin, Texas 78711.

Traffic In Beautiful Manila Frightening, Says Mrs. Wilson

On January 30, Mrs. Jimmy Wilson and two young sons, Brent and Jimmy Vance, flew from Dallas Love Field to Borneo to join Mr. Wilson who is employed by Shell Oil Company there.

Mrs. Wilson in a letter to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Crisp, at Rising Star, gave an account of the trip.

The first leg of the trip started when they left Dallas by Delta Air Lines for San Francisco, Calif.

The boys and I were very anxious to see the wonderful Rockies, but unfortunately we were seated over the wing and the view of the loved Rockies was limited. Due to a connecting flight the plane was late and we were met at the air port in San Francisco by a ground hostess. She showed us to a private lounge and served cokes and sandwiches. We received word that more trouble had developed and it would probably be 2:30 am. before we could leave San Francisco. The airline made reservations for us at the International Inn. There we had dinner and tried to get a bit of sleep. At 3 am. we were awakened by a call from the air port and we were picked up at 3:30 am. We had a very nice thing happen. We met two lovely women, one from Boston, Mass. with her four-month-old son. She was on her way to Manila for a visit with her husband who was stationed in Vietnam, as a military doctor. He had never seen his young son.

The other woman was from San Francisco and was going to Hong Kong to visit her parents and introduced her eleven-month-old son to her parents.

We arrived in Manila at 2:30 p.m. their time. We were met at the airport by a limeousine

from the Manila Hilton Hotel. The ride was really something. The way people drive would scare you to death. But the drive was wonderful. We viewed many interesting points, even saw the American Embassy. I would love to visit Manila some day on a sight-seeing tour. The city is simply beautiful it has the charm of Old Mexico and the people are extremely nice and friendly.

"From Manila we flew to Singapore and spent a day and night there in the Hotel Malaysia. Have never seen such a busy place, once again the traffic terrified me. People drive up to a red light and who ever sounds his horn goes first. Of course, they all drive on the wrong side of the street. That is hard to get accustomed to. I don't believe I'll ever learn that."

"Next morning we flew to Kuching, a very small airport. Due to a recent rain shower the heat and humidity were terrible. We left Kuching on a flight to Malaysia. The boys got a kick out of our small twin engine Fopper plane after flying by jet."

"We made an unscheduled stop at Saba, 100 miles from our destination."

"At 1:35 p.m., Jimmy met us at the airport along with several people from Piason. They presented me with a beautiful bouquet of orchids."

"Borneo is one of the most primitive countries in the world but it is very beautiful. The people are nice and friendly, their way of life is indeed interesting. They never get in a hurry."

"I am looking forward with much expectation and interest to our next nineteen months here in this story book country. Love Carolyn."

17th County Pecan Bud School Scheduled For April 17 in Cisco

The 17th Annual Eastland County Pecan Budding and Grafting School is scheduled for Friday, April 17 in Cisco according to an announcement today by DeMarquis Gordon, Eastland County Agricultural Agent.

The school will be co-sponsored by the Eastland County Pecan Growers' Assn. and the Cisco Chamber of Commerce. The morning session of the school will begin at 9:30 a. m. in the auditorium of Cisco Jr. College. This session will be devoted to discussions, pictures and demonstrations on budding and grafting.

After lunch the afternoon session will be held at Dr. Bill Cardwell's orchard near Cisco. Field demonstrations will be given and everyone will have an opportunity to practice the patch budding and inlay grafting techniques.

Dr. J. W. Worthington, Texas A&M Extension Service Horticulturist, will be the instructor. Pecan producers and county agent will assist with the demonstrations.

Anton White, President of the Eastland County Pecan Growers' Assn., said the assn. will have bud wood, and graft wood for sale. This will include wood from recommended varieties such as Choctaw, Wichita, Mohawk, Apache, Caddo and others. The assn. will also sell budding and grafting supplies.

White said this budding and grafting school is one of the largest and oldest of this type in the state. He said over 1,700 men and women from all parts of Central and West Texas have attended the school during the last 16 years and learn-



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Miss Lake Cisco Winner Now Eligible For State

Effective this year the winner of the Miss Lake Cisco Pageant annually held on the Fourth of July at Lake Cisco will be eligible for the Miss Texas Pageant, and, if winner there, for the Miss America Pageant.

Announcement that the K-Park Recreation-Lake Cisco has received a franchise from the Miss Texas Pageant, Inc., was made Monday by Truman Kirk of the K-Park organization.

The franchise, Mr. Kirk said, entitles Miss Linda Chandler, 1969 Miss Lake Cisco, to enter the 1970 Miss Texas Pageant at Fort Worth. If Miss Chandler is unable to enter, then Miss Kathy Reynolds, last summer's runner-up will be eligible, he said.

This is so because the Miss Lake Cisco pageant is held annually on July 4, too late for the state pageant, Kirk said. Many local pageants over the state have the same problem and send their winners of the year before to the state pageant, he said.

The affiliation with the state and national pageants has dictated a reorganization of the Miss Lake Cisco pageant—a countywide program as the franchise recognizes, he explained.

Judging in the local pageant has been exclusively on bath-

ing suit features, but under the new program educational benefits will be emphasized and judging on talent and evening dress appearance will be added to the formula for choosing a winner. This coincides with the emphasis placed in the Miss Texas and Miss America contests, Kirk explained.

State and national winners receive valuable scholarship awards and Kirk hopes to obtain similar awards for the Miss Lake Cisco winner each year.

Local contests for each of the five communities in the county are planned at Lake Cisco on June 29 and 30 of this summer preceding the grand finale in the Miss Lake Cisco pageant July 4.

These preliminary contests for Cisco, Eastland, Ranger, Gorman and Rising Star will each pick first and second

TEACHING

Mrs. Elizabeth Carman is among 709 North Texas State University students who are serving as student teachers in the Dallas, Fort Worth, Denton schools during the spring semester. Mrs. Carman is the daughter of Mrs. Flara Westerman of Rising Star. She is teaching home Economics at Decatur High School in Decatur, Texas.

place winners for the July Fourth finale.

Judges for the Miss Lake Cisco contest will be from out of town and assigned by the Miss Texas Pageant, Ins., Kirk said.

An experienced director for staging the contest is also being obtained.

Playday For 4-H Horse Club At Ranger College

The Eastland County 4-H Horse Club will sponsor a playday on April 25 at 1:00 p. m. in the Ranger Junior College arena, according to Jim Wells, ass't county agent. Any public school student is invited to attend and participate in the playday. Entries will be accepted until noon on April 25th. A minor's release must be signed by the participants parents and turned in with the entry blank. Entry fees are 50 cents per event.

The following events will be held: Barrel Race, Pole bending, Goat tying, Rescue race, Egg race, Flag race, Potato race, and Boot race. All events with the exception of the Boot race will be for both the junior and senior age groups. The Boot race is for only the juniors.

Juniors are participants 13 years old and younger, and Seniors are 14 years old and older, up to high school students still in school.

Ribbons will be awarded for the first six places in each event in both the junior and senior age groups. A rosette will be given to the boy and girl who earn the most points in each age group.

Entry blanks and minor releases are available from the County Agents office or may be obtained by writing Jim Wells, Ass't County Agent, Box 447, Eastland, Texas 76648.



TO EUROPE—Mrs. C. M. Cleveland, center, Cisco High School librarian, and two of the students she will chaperone on a European study tour this summer. At left, Allen Brooks, Cisco; at right, Peggy Tubbs, Eastland.

Cisco Teacher Will Lead Student Group In Study Tour Of England

A teacher of Library Science at Cisco High School is going to jet across the Atlantic this summer with a group of students to attend classes at a campus in England.

Mrs. Josephine C. Cleveland, of Cisco, has been appointed by the American Institute for Foreign Study (AIFS) to chaperone a group of high school students on a six-week European study tour during July and August. They will attend classes at the University of Durham.

Although Mrs. Cleveland will do no teaching in Europe—all instruction will be by European university staffs—her role as AIFS chaperone will be to act as combination guardian, advisor and friend. All student life in Europe will revolve around her, and she will help her students make the necessary adjustment to European life. Mrs. Cleveland has scheduled a number of meetings prior to departure to prepare the students for the experience.

The American Institute for Foreign Study is an association of teachers and students, with national headquarters in Greenwich, Connecticut. The Institute was founded to meet the growing demand for serious programs combining study and travel in Europe at the lowest practical cost. Over

the years, more than 20,000 students and teachers from all over the U. S. have jetted across the Atlantic with AIFS to study at famous universities and schools throughout Europe. For college students, the Institute offers similar summer study-tours, as well as a full-year academic program abroad.

Among the students from this area who are planning to go with Mrs. Cleveland are Randy Allen Brooks of Airport Road, Cisco, Carolyn Cleveland of 1200 Bliss, David Charles Roberts of Cisco, Judy Rendall of Cisco, Peggy Tubbs, Eastland, and Brenda Jackson, Springdale, Ark.

TO LONDON

On the first leg of their trip, Mrs. Cleveland and her students will depart from John F. Kennedy International Airport in New York for London. After a day in the British capital, they will drive by sightseeing bus to Durham.

Located in the north of England on the River Wear, Durham is a cathedral city where history stretches back some 1,000 years. Parts of Durham Castle, where many of the students will be housed, date back to the times of William the Conqueror. The University itself was founded in 1833, making it the third oldest in England after Oxford

and Cambridge. The curriculum will consist of courses on English literature, Modern Britain, and of such special-interest electives as the history of the Romans and Saxons in Northern England.

Following their four-week stay at Durham, Mrs. Cleveland and her group will board a sightseeing bus and head for London. After spending another day in the British capital her group will then head for the Continent, crossing the English Channel by ferry from Dover to Calais. From Calais, they will continue by sightseeing bus to Paris.

During their three days in the French capital, they will stroll down the Champs Elysees, visit the Louvre to see some of the world's greatest works of art, and make an excursion to the Palace at Versailles—to name just a few of the scheduled activities. They will then board an overnight train for Milan, from where they will continue via Florence to Rome. During their three days in the Eternal City, their sightseeing will include such famous landmarks as St. Peter's the Colosseum and the Trevi Fountain. From Rome they will depart by jet for the U. S.

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NIMROD NEWS

BY EVA STROEBEL

Nimrod News
Those visiting in the Edgar Townsend home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Notgrass of Midland, Mrs. Ola Boles of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Townsend of Eastland, and Yeager Owings of Cisco.

Mrs. Beulah Sheridan spent Saturday with Mrs. Barron in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stroebel attended funeral services for Mrs. Emma Hines in Rising Star Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams and daughter, Clydette, and son of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cozart Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Dan Jackson and children were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Donham in Cisco.

Mrs. McCaughren, Mrs. Herman Schaefer, Mrs. Dick Ingram, met at the home of Drey Dan Jackson Monday to work on the community club yearbook.

Bobby Cozart of Austin spent Saturday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

Buford Cozart.
M. and Mrs. Drew Dan Jackson spent last weekend in Sweetwater with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ziehr. Her sister has had major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Townsend and Mrs. Beulah Sheridan visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hageman Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stroebel visited the Dan Wendt and Mrs. Herman Reich and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Etta Hill, formerly of this community but now of Cisco, is in the Eastland Hospital suffering from a broken hip.

Antiques . . .

(Continued from page one)
the accompanying pictures; a fence stretcher patented by John Burns in 1899 and unlisted in any known barbed wire catalogue, buggy jack; a broad ax, also made by Clements (who, incidentally will be 98 years old next June; a wooden block plane of Civil War days;

a ratchet-type hand brace for wood drilling dates 1884; various types of ice tongs; a wood shave bit for dressing wagon spokes, a gift from daughter Pat Johnson of Hot Springs, Ark.; a circular measuring device, one of several gifts from Charles Sandler; a bullet mold and powder gauge presented by Fox Patterson of Cisco; a Waffle iron for the wood-burning cookstoves of 1880; a Model T Ford headlight, also the gift of Mr. Sandler, and many others.

Crowder has now more than 200 ancient items, enough to form a very respectable old west museum, in his workshop and home.

There are blacksmith tools, carpenter tools, crocks, bottles, jars, irons, churns and just about any item from "a-way back" that one would want to find. Many were given him by friends or relatives attracted by his interest in collecting; but the bulk of them are the fruits many Saturday afternoons of search through old farm houses and junk piles.

He has had offers from some collectors who wanted to purchase his collection, but he finds it much more valuable to his own interests, and a very absorbing hobby after his duties at the Cisco Lumber and Supply where he is right hand man to owner Charles Sandler.

Crowder is also a member of the Cisco Rotary Club where daughter, Cathey, is the club sweetheart and piano player.

IT HAS BEEN

By Vada Arnold

The Clark-Dill Trail Blazers Association was the name given to the new organization, formed at a meeting in Cisco in October, 1929.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dill of 311 East 21st Street, Cisco, were host and hostess for the occasion.

The chief qualification of membership was "they must have attained the age of 60 years."

Some of the charter members were:

Bill Dill, 71. He lived in Texas since 1876 and in Eastland County since 1882.

Capt. A. M. Curry, 91, a resident of Eastland County since 1883. The Rising Star Record said "Capt. Curry still rides his horse and performs his duties as care taker for the Pioneer Cemetery, he does all the work himself. He has never used coffee or tobacco or any stimulant. He was captain of the 8th Missouri Infantry, Company G. He does considerable reading and is in perfect health."

John M. Clark, 88, who had lived in Brown County just south of Rising Star since 1851. He was one of the early settlers of this section and was instrumental in helping Bill Dill organize this association.

A. D. Tyler, 82, a native of Texas, who had lived at Rising Star for many years and was one of the town's influential citizens.

Tom J. Morris, 70, who was one of the younger boys. He had lived in Eastland County for 24 years;

Aaron Mayhew, 63, who came to Texas in 1877;

M. D. Paschall, called Bud by his many friends. Although he was only 63, he had traveled and had worlds of experience. He came to Eastland County in 1887 and remembered the terrible drought years.

Bill Shults, "Jolly Big Bill", Shults was said to have gotten into this organization on account of his merry temperament since he was below the age limit. He was only 58, he was the ideal type of a "big hearted Texan". He asked for the next meeting to be held at his home in Rising Star.

The Trailer Blazers voted 100 percent for that meeting place. Mr. Shults was the baby of the association and always

felt that it was his duty to see that everyone else had a good time;

Mrs. Bill Dill the hostess of the meeting in Cisco, had lived in Texas for 61 years. She served an old fashioned home cooked dinner to the association members that will never be forgotten, and was given unanimous vote of appreciation for the wonderful hospitality and delicious food;

Mrs. C. C. Tyler was born in Indiana and came to Texas with her family in 1864. The town of Cisco was only a village of three years when the Scott family arrived there on their way to a new home near the present site of Rising Star. The family rode from Cisco in an ox wagon. They drove hard and were able to get three miles out of Cisco where they spent the night and traveled all of the next day over the deep sandy road to reach a new home in a wilderness;

Mrs. Tom Morris had seen Texas develop from wild, Indian infested wilderness into a civilized land of security;

Officers elected for the association were: John Clark, president; Capt. A. M. Curry, vice president; Bill Shults, treasurer; and Mrs. C. C. Tyler, Secretary.

Dues were set at one dollar per year. Each member was expected to donate one dollar to the treasury. Capt. Curry was made a life member without dues.

Regrets were read and registered that John M. Dill, Frank Weaver, John Nobles, J. M. Williamson and J. A. Mashburn were unable to attend.

In May, 1929 20 members of the Senior class of the Rising Star High School received diplomas at the graduation exercises.

Dr. M. E. Davis of the faculty of Howard Payne College at Brownwood, made a short, inspiring commencement address.

Miss Bill Shults was valedictorian and Miss Thelma Maxwell salutatorian of the class.

Mrs. J. F. Robertson representing the Saturday Club presented Miss Shults with the Saturday Club Medal. The custom of the club was to present the honor graduate of the class

a handsome medal each year.

Presentation of diplomas was made by E. T. Dawson, school superintendent, Mrs. J. R. Bucy gave a vocal solo, one of the most pleasing numbers on the program.

Benediction was said by H. S. Childress, president of the school board.

Local Legion Post Cited For Members Quota

Abilene, April — Twelve American Legion Posts will be honored at the annual 17th District Spring Convention of The American Legion, to be held here Saturday and Sunday, April 18-19. Bill E. Davis, Commander of Parramore Post 57 has announced, by being presented citations for attaining their membership quotas.

Posts and their commanders are: Breckenridge 191, L. A. Maddox; Cisco 123, J. D. Collier; Dublin 219, J. L. Wilson; Gordon 544, W. H. Merriam; Mineral Wells 867, D. O. Sutton; Mingus 670, B. J. Tibbets; Róby 24, J. M. Whitfill; Rotan 174, S. J. Hamn; Snyder 181, S. A. Tibbets; Stephenville 240, Dr. B. B. McCollum, Jr.; Strawn 497, K. E. McDonald; Rising Star 433, J. H. Nunnally.

Registration will open Saturday afternoon at the Windsor Hotel where all sessions of the convention will take place. There will be a social hour followed by a dance.

On Sunday registration will be resumed at the Hotel.

The joint session for the American Legion and Auxiliary will be called to order by Commander Davis. Willis H. McGregor, department adjutant of the American Legion, Austin, will deliver the principal address. The Memorial service will conclude the morning session.

Immediately following lunch the Legion and Auxiliary will hold their separate business sessions with District Commander Arnold Pieper of Sweetwater, presiding over the Legion meeting. Department Vice Commander Rosaire L. Brodeur of El Paso will speak at this session. committee reports will be heard. Delegates and alternates to the national convention to be held in Portland, Oregon in August will be elected and provision will be made for the principal and alternate members of the department convention committees.



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