

Peanut Game

By B.A. Butler

Growing a peanut crop puts one in mind of a tight football game, played down to the wire; a lot of time you can't know whether or not you've won until the last play.

Anything can happen - and usually does!

You start out in the spring - in the first quarter of the game - with a fair to middlin' amount of moisture. Your crop raises a good stand and you put a few hopeful points on the board. But you know it's going to settle down to some tight plays in the second quarter - the middle of the summer, that is. Old Man Weather is on your schedule every year and he's a tough opponent. As a matter of fact you don't have much more than a "pass and a prayer" to go on.

But the herbicide takes care of the weeds and grass, mostly, and the fertilizer you put down at a lot of dollars per acre has a way of attracting moisture - deliquescent, they call it - and if it doesn't rain, as usually it doesn't at least there are heavy dews. And Hope!

All in all, this second quarter is a draw with the farmer and Old Man Weather feeling each other out. If this probing shows up any weak spots you know very well which team they are on!

But weaknesses or not your peanut farmer has to keep plugging away at the line, now and then gambling some kind of a pass, perhaps, just to open up the chances. He can't quit; some way or other he's got to turn the game around and get the momentum going in his direction.

It begins to look pretty hopeless, though, with Sol burning down out of a sky a brass astrodome, the soil getting more and more like baked talcum powder, and the helpless leaves of the peanuts turning sides and in the rows like prayer plants.

But, just the same, the peanut plant is a gutsy thing, especially when it's young. It can take a lot of abuse and the way it reacts to thirst is an object lesson for the alcoholic. It does without. It stands there five or six inches high, in the adolescent stage of its life span, looking forlorn, but wasting nothing. To a bank examiner passing through the fields and having examined the ledgers of the local lending institution, it must appear as mightily poor

collateral for the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. But the banking sleuth doesn't know his peanuts - or does he? Chances are he comes out of Houston or Dallas or Fort Worth, with his hair styled in a beauty parlor, and his nice finger nails innocent of any dirt. And in Dallas or Houston Fort Worth they don't have to plow up the concrete every

year. But the banking sleuth doesn't know his peanuts - or does he? Chances are he comes out of Houston or Dallas or Fort Worth, with his hair styled in a beauty parlor, and his nice finger nails innocent of any dirt. And in Dallas or Houston or Fort Worth they don't have to plow up the concrete every year, and what farming they know is restricted to window boxes and plastic gardens.

They simply don't know what a "Stauback to Pearson" resource resides in those burnished fields awaiting its climatic moment for a game-winning pass!

Well, along about now it is intermission time - say about the first to the middle of August - with the score about even and half the game still to be won or lost!

There has to be a break one way or the other, and it does happen. Mostly it happens in favor of the farmer; he gets a few inches of moisture and, boy, how his collateral responds!

Sensibly, the game plan provides that the farmer be kept going and hopeful at mid-game. It would be mighty poor sports business to cut off the contest in the middle. That happens enough in play games, even though it is bad for the gate. But in the deadly serious business of growing peanuts, suspense demands that the outcome be kept in doubt until the last hurrah!

So, in the third quarter, the farmer gets a break. The game starts going his way and he puts some points on the board.

There is a general air of rejoicing; the growers stand around the wet streets in their billed, red caps and compare rain gauges while in the dripping fields those mournful peanut plants come suddenly to life and start growing like a

runner making a touchdown from his own two-yard line!

There come several weeks of warm, brilliant growing weather. It is remarkable how those yellow-green peanut plants expand until they almost, or do, shake hands in the middle! The fans - and that includes about every one of us who depends upon a peanut economy - relax in their seats and begin counting chickens in a lot of nice, white eggs.

The dryer plants get busy preparing for the rush; the peanut buyers sweep our their storage barns; the banker gets ready to trade a lot of paper for cash and the itinerant peanut grader polishes up his scales and his tweezers.

The farmer, our team, has won the game! Or ha he?

As I said there is a fourth quarter still to be played, and if you've ever watched a close professional football game you know what a fourth quarter can do, especially with an opponent as resourceful and craft as Old Man Weather!

Just about the time the middlebustlers start turning up the gold and the combines begins to march up and down the windowed vines stripping them of their wealth at \$5 or so per bushel - depending on the grade - Old Man Weather comes back with his Sunday lunch! A week of steady, slow rain! - right in the middle of the harvest season with the ball in midfield in possession of the farmer and nothing to do but "eat up the clock"! How disgusting! The margin of points on the board falls to one lone digit! The issue hangs on one play - a turnover or an intercepted pass!

Fortunately it happens; the rain stops. The sun comes out and the gloomy wet days of late October become once more bright and beautiful, if more mature. The farmer has the ball once more, right on his own goal line.

And brother, he'd better not fumble it! There isn't any time left. But, you can bet he won't. As the Rising Star went to press this week it was too soon to determine the effect of last week's long rainy spell on the crop, but you can bet your egg money that, if good weather keeps up, the peanut farmer will be in the fields digging, combining and hauling to market as if his life depended upon it - as it very probably does!

Reports of digging prior to the rain - which amounted to three or four inches variably - said that the yield was gratifying - better than average, and the grade good.

And most estimates of the rain's effect are optimistic. Given time to get the remainder of the crop out it looks as if the growers can pay the bank, take care of most of their pressing bills and get themselves ready to go back in to hock next year.

Meanwhile several millions of economy nourishing dollar will begin circulating the Big Country. Or our part of it.

NOTICE

Dr. Carpenters office will be closed Friday, November 12 and Saturday November 13th. The Doctor will be out of town.

Kittens Spook Blanket

The Rising Star Kittens destroyed Blanket Thursday night, 20-0. The Kittens touchdowns were ran by number 11, Alfonso Martinez; and number 36 Thad Chambers. Our only conversion was ran by number 42, Bobby Burns.

This was our Homecoming game. Charlene Maynard was chosen as the Kitten Sweetheart for the 76-77 season.

This win brings the season record for the Kittens to 6-3. Next time the Kittens play Evant at Evant. This is our last game so come and watch.

Head Mgr.-Gwynn Tharp
Asst. Mgr.-Mike Fraley

VOTING BOX NAME	TABULATING FORM NOV 2 1976												PROP. NO. 1		PROP. NO. 2		BUDGET	TAN. DOTE			
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RISING STAR	675	160			654	151			689	96			565	61	65	254	312	273	271	749	848
CISCO	987	709	6		1075	589	5		1212	378	10	4	853	283	230	660	649	722	556	1403	1720
LAKELEON	80	45			83	41			96	22			67	20	19	36	50	48	39	107	128
CARBON	138	45			132	42			144	25			121	11	8	49	76	56	66	157	185
RANGER	642	356	1		669	293	2	1	705	203	2	3	524	158	76	289	440	307	409	818	143
GORMAN	445	107	3		459	105			484	64	0	1	353	80	4	150	240	168	216	533	591
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Presidential Election Goes To Carter

Jimmy Carter, Democratic nominee, carried every voting box in Eastland County, and it was Texas in the early hours Wednesday morning that put him over the top in electoral and popular votes to be elected

President. Biggest margins for Carter were in Rising Star and Gorman and Ranger boxes.

Total county vote was 6,788, with Carter polling 4,320 and Ford, 2,340, in the complete, unofficial tallies.

There were no locally contested races and Democratic nominees were swept in, with

scattered write-ins.

Sen. Tom Creighton received 5,584 votes and Rep. Joe Hanna, 5,649 in Eastland County.

Appeals Court Chief Justice Austin McCloud drew 5,580 votes in this county, and District Court Judge Earl Conner Jr. got 5,671, with Jim Wright receiving 22 write-in votes.

R.B. White drew 5,710 and John Morren, 16, in the sheriff's election. County Tax

assessor-Collector Nancy Trout got 5,860, and County Commissioner Danny Woods got 1,476.

Order Of Eastern Star Meets

The Rising Star Chapter #277 Order of the Eastern Star held its regular meeting in the Masonic Hall on Monday evening, November 1st at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Carleton presided at the business meeting. Grand officers presented were Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Call of the Indian Creek Chapter and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Carleton of the Rising Star Chapter.

Reports of the committees were presented. The Worthy Matron gave a report on the Grand Chapter Meeting held in Ft Worth on October 25th and thanked the Chapter for courtesy extended to the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron.

The Chapter voted to invite Mary Edwards, Deputy Grand Matron to visit the Chapter December 6th.

Mary Clark invited members to a Christmas party in her home on December 11th.

After the meeting, the group assembled in the fellowship hall for the social hour.

Mr. Wilson Carleton voiced the invocation.

Grace Morrison and Ladell Key served sandwiches, cookies, coffee, and tea to members and visitors.

The next meeting will be held on December 6th, the Annual Christmas dinner at 6 p.m.

Wildcats Shutdown Blanket

The Rising Star Wildcats shutout the Blanket Tigers 26-0 last Friday night at Blanket to make their on the road record 4-0-1 for the year and 6-2-1 overall. Sloppy playing conditions made the ball hard to hold on to at times for both teams.

Roger Potet opened the scoring for the Wildcats as he hauled in a 14 yard strike from Mackey Elliott out of the shotgun. The PAT failed as the first quarter ended with the Cats on top 6-0.

In the second quarter, Elliott went around left end for 65 yards and another TD. The PAT failed and the Cats led 12-0. Following an interception just before half, Elliott made the next play count as he scrambled out of the pass pocket and went 80 yards to run the score to 18-0 at halftime.

On the first play of the third quarter for the Wildcats the Cats completely fooled the Tigers setting up in the wing formation to run a sweep and

Rate Your Telephone Service

The following telephone survey questionnaire was received by Mrs. Lavonne White, City Secretary. The public is urged to fill out this form and return it to City Hall in order that a study may be made concerning the proposed rate increase presently pending before the Public Utilities Commission.

The Rising Star area is serviced by Continental Telephone Company who are presently requesting this rate increase.

Additional forms may be obtained at City Hall - - - please come by and fill one out. Those mailed should be returned to City Hall, P.O. Box 35, Rising Star, Texas 76471.

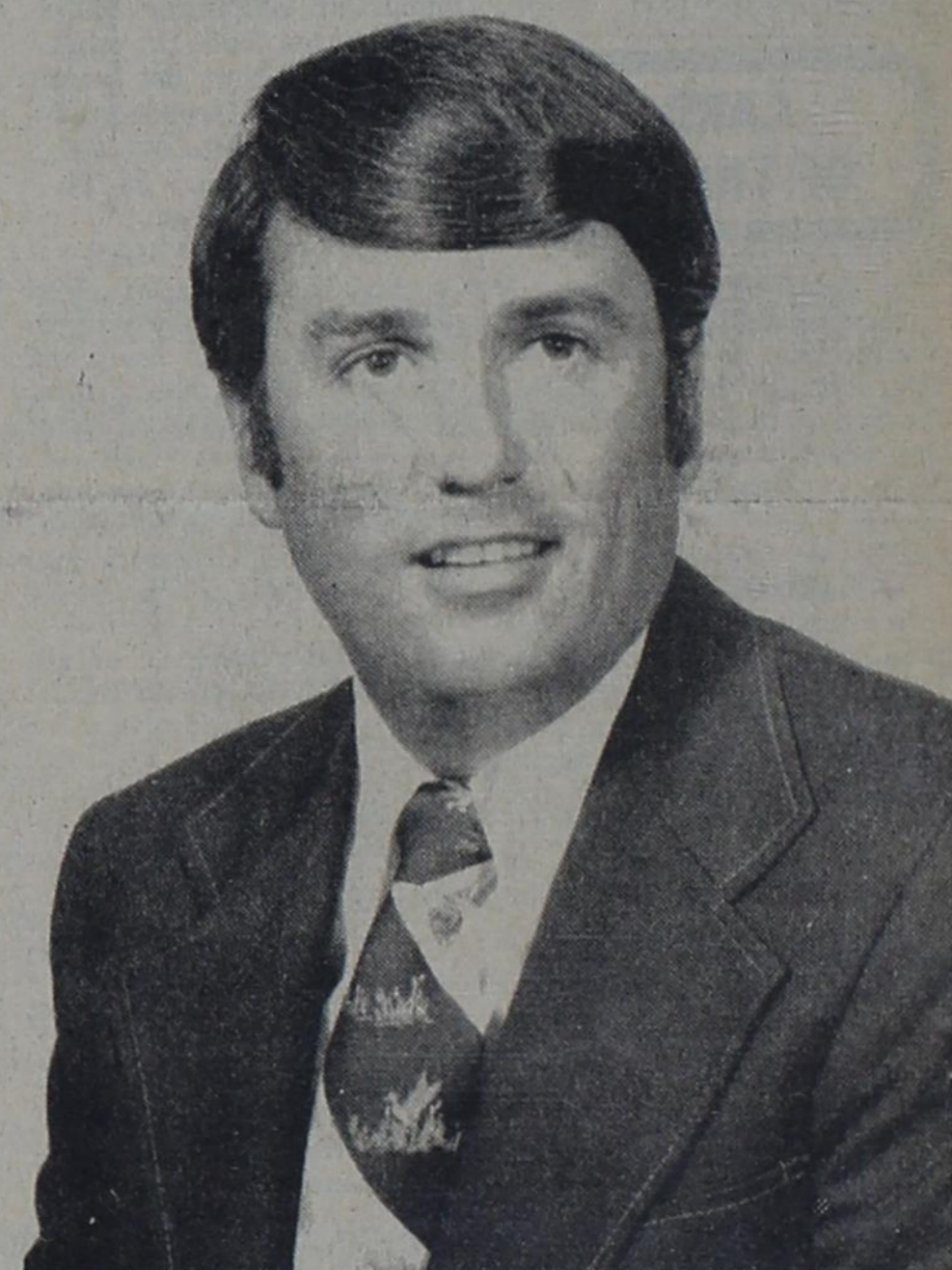
This survey of the quality of telephone service is conducted for utilization by the City of Rising Star in analyzing the proposed rate increase presently pending before the Public Utility Commission. It is necessary that those survey cards be signed and returned as soon as possible. If you have any specific complaints or comments, please make your comments in writing to the City.

TELEPHONE SURVEY

NOVEMBER, 1976

- Rate the overall quality of telephone service.
(Circle one)
Excellent - - Above average - - Average - -
Below average - - Poor
- Rate the quality of Direct Dial Service.
Excellent - - Above average - - Average - -
Below average - - Poor
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Excellent - - Above average - - Average - -
Below average - - Poor
- How do the present telephone rates compare to the quality of service.
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Fred Niccum To Speak At First Baptist Church

Mr. Fred R. Niccum will be guest speaker for the 7:00 o'clock evening service at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. Niccum is administrator at the Mexican Baptist Children's Home located in San Antonio.

This home, founded in 1944, is a full 113 acres located Southwest of San Antonio. It is complete with 12 cottages with

acomodations for 104 boys and girls.

The Mexican Baptist Children's Home is made possible by the Cooperative Program of the Texas Baptist General Convention of Texas and the gifts of individual Texas Baptists.

The church extends an invitation to all to come and hear Mr. Niccum this Sunday evening.

May Lord's Acre

As an activity of the Lord's Acre Program, members of the May United Methodist Church will serve a turkey dinner, Saturday evening, November 6th between the hours of 5:30 and 9 p.m.

The meal will consist of turkey and dressing, traditional vegetables, salads and home baked pies.

The price of the meal will be \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children under twelve years of age.

Everyone is invited to join the May group in fellowship and sharing food to help forward the progress of the Church.

FHA To Collect Stamps

The Rising Star FHA is collecting stamps to help fight tuberculosis or TB. All you have to do is get any kind of cancelled postage stamps you use in letters and give them to us. Just tear off the stamps of your old letters and if you would not mind, give them to us. It goes for a good cause. The last day to have in the stamps is November 16. To make it more interesting we are having a contest. The Juniors and Freshman are a

team and the Seniors and Sophomores are a team. The team who loses has to serve the winner refreshments. So far the Juniors and the Freshman are ahead. You sophs, and seniors better start thinking of something good to fix us because we are gonna win. If you have a favorite FHA person give them the stamps. Of course, we know you will give it to Freshman and Juniors because everyone just loves us and also because we are great.

Patrolman Calloway Presents Program To Local 4-Hers

Hello! The Rising Star 4-H Club met on Wednesday afternoon, October 20, 1976. The program was Bicycle Safety, presented by Patrolman Benny Calloway of Cross Plains. There were 13 members present. We also had a new member to join - we are very happy to have David Alford in our 4-H Club.

Everyone interested in bicycles and safety while riding are invited to attend. It will really be interesting. I will be talking to ya'll next week. Please come join all the fun and excitement.

Winners of last weeks \$10.00 bag of groceries are as follows:

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14. Mrs. Gladyce Crow
15. Irene Mayfield
16. Goldene Ware
17. Mrs. Nora Carroll
18. Ruth Ellen
19. W.F. Butler
20. DUBY JONES

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Thursday, November 4, 1976

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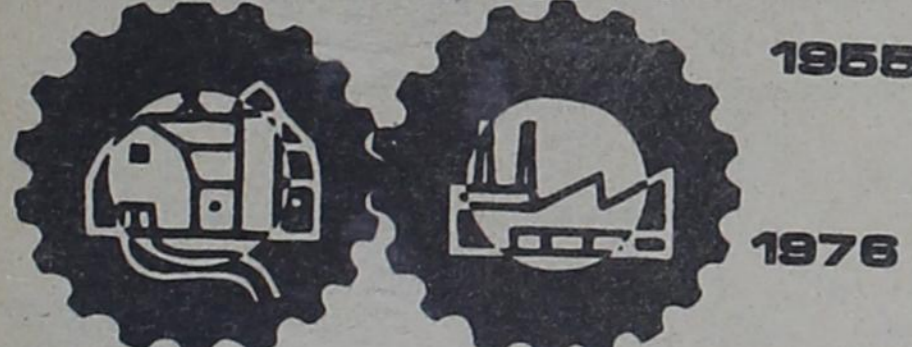
CARD OF THANKS
After several days delay, I would like to express my appreciation for the gifts, flowers, cards and visits during my recent hospital stay.
Era Witt
45-1tp

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and death of our grandmother, Mrs. Maggie P. Groce. A special thanks to the ladies of the United Methodist Church for the meal that was served, to friends and neighbors for the flowers, and other expressions of sympathy. God bless you all.
Jeanie and Randal Jameson
Larry and Marsha Parker
Ann Parker
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CARD OF THANKS
Our sincere Thanks to friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses and love shown us during our recent sorrow in the passing of our loved one, Mrs. Tom Bush. May God Bless Each of you.
The Family of Mrs. Tom Bush
45-1tc

CARD OF THANKS
Words cannot express the love and gratitude in our hearts for the many kindnesses shown us in the loss of our loved one. The food, flowers and many expressions of sympathy helped to ease the loss. A special Thanks to Bro. Lee, who was so wonderful to visit with Wayne during his long illness. May God bless each and everyone is our prayer.
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3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath Mobil home to be moved. \$4500.00. In Eastland.
Real nice cabin at Lake Leon. \$15,900.00.
5 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath home, swimming pool, lots of storage and extras. \$65,000.00. Located in Eastland.
3 bedroom, 1 bath older home, approximately 1 acre with good well, city water, Located in Carbon. \$8500.00.
Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath Mobil home with 6 1/2 lots, on pavement with city water, water well, and nice barns. Located in Carbon.
3 bedroom, 1 bath home in Cisco on West 12th. \$5250.00.
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FARMS AND RANCHES

593 acres with nice home, barns and corrals; 60 acres coastal bermuda, city water, good fences, and lake with two nice lake cabins. Located in Stephens County. \$525.00 per acre.
282 acres with 2 bedroom home, barns, pens, with 40 acres in coastal, 40 acres in love grass, 101 acres peanuts. Some minerals. \$525.00 per acre. Owner will finance.
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160 acres with 2 bedroom, 1 bath home, water well. All net fences and 11 acres of coastal. Near Cisco. \$350.00 per acre.
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451 acres between Eastland and Breckenridge with 60 acres in cultivation, new steel corrals, 10 tanks, water well but city water available.
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707 acres with 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, net fences, two stock tanks, and half minerals. 300 acres in coastal.
160 acres Southeast of Ranger with deer and half minerals. \$325.00 per acre.
215 acres with good fences and good stock tanks. Located near Olden.
491 acres in Eastland County with nice brick home, some coastal, fenced and cross fenced. Approximately 1/2 minerals. Shown by appointment only.
695 acres in Eastland County with some river bottom. \$315.00 per acre.
75 acres West of Cisco, 1 mile off I-20 with good fences and some improved grasses. \$350.00 per acre.
160 acres with a 3 bedroom home fireplace, 2 good tanks, natural gas, on pavement with city water and some love grass.
150 acres South of Eastland, 140 acres in coastal, good fences on county road with city water. \$425.00 per acre.
143 acres Northwest of Ranger with 52 acres of peanuts. \$450.00 per acre.
74 acres with cultivation on county road North of Eastland with city water, and on pavement. \$400.00 per acre.
128 acres on Sabanna River, pecan trees, deer and turkey, and half minerals. Good terms.
1450 acres near Albany with approximately \$900.00 a month old income, on pavement. \$225.00 per acre.
150 acres North Eastland on pavement with 77 acres of cultivation and city water. \$400.00 per acre.
612 acres near Lake Leon, with large 2 bedroom home, on pavement with 174 acres of cultivation, good fences and good pens and barn.
153 acres South of Cisco with fair fences and half minerals. \$350.00 per acre.
152 acres near Eastland on Interstate 20. Will sell all or will subdivide. City water, electricity, and telephone available.
194 acres N. W. of Gorman with 3 bedroom home with 2 baths, 112 acres of peanut allotment, and 23 pecan trees. \$500.00 per acre and terms.
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★ From Our Churches

First United Methodist Church

A Good Neighbor can be a blessing unto others. With this thought, let me share an article recently noted in one of my Church papers.

"A certain man moved into our community; he didn't fall among robbers, who stripped him and beat him, and departed, leaving him half dead. He just moved in. By chance a certain neighbor was going down that way, and when he saw him, passed by on the other side, saying to himself, 'I'm almost late now for my meeting at the church. If I stop now to visit, I'll surely miss the opening prayer, and I do hate to be late. Besides, the church staff already knows about him. And in like manner also another neighbor came to the place and saw him and passed by on the other side, saying, 'So they want us to visit new neighbors such as this one? Well, I don't believe in giving the impression that I'm a fanatic on religion. I'll just wait until the subject comes up some day, then I'll say, 'Pardon me, and don't think I'm the type that goes overboard such things, but if you ever get a chance you might like to visit our church some Sunday when you feel like it and the children aren't sick and you don't plan to go out of town, or have company and you get up in time.'"

But a certain neighbor as he journeyed, came where he was and when he saw him he was moved with compassion and came to him and courteously welcomed him to the community, appropriately bringing up the matter of his church life and even offered to come by for him next Sunday if he needed a way. The following Sunday, he went by picked him up and brought him to the church, saying to him, 'Whatever further service I may be, I will be glad to render. Which of these three, thinkst thou, proved neighbor unto him that moved into the community?'"

Many there are who prayeth for such a neighbor who is not too busy to be concerned about others. See you in Church this Sunday, and will you bring a neighbor with you?"

Mrs. Kelsey "Pete" Starks is a patient in the Hendricks Hospital in Abilene. She is reported to much improved.

Let us not forget the Harvest Festival next week-end? Our Country Store will be in the old Western Auto Building, and will be open for the public on Nov. 12 and 13th. Our Bar-B-Q Dinner will be served at the Church on Saturday the 13th. Help us to make this Festival a big success. The proceeds will be used for the maintenance and upkeep of our Church property. All donations will be appreciated.

If we can be of any help to you and yours please give us a call. Hope to see all our members and friends in Church next Sunday.

Hubert Taylor

Annual Meeting Of The Texas Farm Bureau Set For Dec. 5-8

FORT WORTH--About 1,500 farmers and ranchers are expected to attend the 43rd annual meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau here Dec. 5-8. General sessions will be in the Tarrant County Convention Center with some conferences scheduled for the Sheraton Hotel. Policies to guide the state's largest farm organization next year and recommendation on national policies will be adopted during the final two days of the convention. Delegates will also

Though the phrase "the Real McCoy" probably originated in Scotland, at one time it applied to an outstanding American boxer whose name happened to be McCoy.

Some people believe that the best way you can get good luck out of a four-leaf clover is to wear it in your shoe.

Church of Christ

This week, our nation selects its leaders for the next four years. In a world crackling with tension, the choice is a crucial one. For the many Christian, changes in government are always a matter of concern, in many respects.

It is true that the believer is first and foremost a citizen of the Kingdom of Heaven (Ephesians 2:19; 1 Peter 2:9-10; Hebrews 12:28); that his loyalty is vested in God and in the one appointed by God "heir of all things"; Jesus Christ (Hebrews 1:1-4; Ephesians 1:20-23; 1 Corinthians 15:24-28); that, in any conflict of directives, he must "obey God, rather than men" (Acts 5:29).

However, this does not mean that the follower of Jesus is to be totally detached from Civil authority. He is to be "subject to the higher powers..." (Romans 13:1-7). The context of this passage makes it plain that civil rulers are intended. Taxes (tribute) are to be rendered (Romans 13:7; Cf. Matthew 17:24-27). It should be noted that both Jesus and Paul are careful to stress the Christian's priority; God first, state afterward-Romans 13:7; Matthew 22:21. In a word, the Christian maintains dual citizenship; he is a part of the state and has responsibilities toward it (Acts 16:37; 22:25-29), but the edicts of Jesus, his Lord (King) and Savior, must inevitably prevail over those of earthly magistrates.

Most frequently in history, Christians have been the objects of bitter persecution by civil authorities. In many other lands even today, this is true. How thankful we ought to be that such is not presently the case in our Land and how earnestly we ought to pray for our leaders that we might "lead a quiet and tranquil life" (1 Timothy 2:1-2). Our worship of God and our service to our Lord do not depend upon favorable civil conditions-indeed, Christianity has flourished most when things seemed to be at their worst, but how much more agreeable it is when individuals can serve God in such complete freedom "as we enjoy" in America.

We have a Bible class for YOU: on Sunday morning at 9:30 and on Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. (note the time change, effective November 3). Be with us also in the Assemblies: on Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and at 6 p.m.

This Wednesday (November 3), we begin a series of audio-visual lessons on the vital subject of: The Inspiration of the Bible. Everyone is invited to these, scheduled for succeeding Wednesday evenings.

Most of our sick show improvement. Rena McClanahan is in Ft. Worth, in preparation for eye surgery. Mrs. Edna Barnes was sick last week, but is better. Alice Harris improves slowly.

We congratulate David & Joy Harris on the birth of a new daughter, at Brownwood Hospital last week.

A decision was reached by our elders recently to assist in the mission work of Don & Claudia Hindsley in Kumba, Camerouns (West Africa), in addition to such in Honduras and in India.

Have a good week. Call us if we can serve in any way.

--Owen Aikin

First Baptist Church

On one occasion two blind men approached Jesus and sought to be healed.

Jesus asked a very important question, "Believe ye that I am able to do this?" "Yes, Lord", was their reply. Our Lord touched their eyes saying, "According to your faith be it unto you." (Matthew 9:27-29).

What does this mean to us today? The question Jesus asked is still relevant.

"Therefore he is able to save completely those who come to God through him, because he always lives to intercede for them." (Hebrews 7:25)

Do you believe and accept what God can do? Yes, He can save us from the penalty and power of sin. In faith I believe and accept what Christ did on the cross for me, and I am saved.

But he saves "to the uttermost," that is completely. Do I believe He can save, that is deliver, from anger, a bad temper, and untamed tongue, harmful habits as smoking and drinking! Jesus said, "According to your faith be it unto you." We also read in Hebrews (2:18) "For since He Himself was tempted in the which He suffered, He is able to come to the aid of those who are tempted."

How can we resist temptation? We are told Jesus has already lived through temptation and without sin. He is qualified to sympathize with us. But more, He able to come to our aid.

Faced with temptation? "According to your faith be it unto you."

Believe God as He says, "No temptation has seized you except what is common to man. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can stand up under it."

God is able. He asks us in faith to trust Him to do what He has promised.

Last year our church set a goal of 140 people to be in Sunday morning Bible study. We went over that goal and had 145 in attendance.

This year we set a goal of 175 for Sunday School. This last Sunday we went over this goal and had 185 in attendance. Keep coming for Bible study. Let us keep our attendance growing!

R.D. Williams, Pastor

★ People In The News

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bennett, Mrs. Elfreda Franke, Mrs. Veda Franke, and Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Retzell all of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Dill of Cross Plains; and Mrs. Howard White and Mrs. Opal Dean of Rising Star were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wells of New Albany, Mississippi spent the week visiting their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Lockhart and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Maples of Fort Worth also visited with the Lockharts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Winchester and Mr. and Mrs. Kim Joyce visited Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Winchester of Houston over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Henry and 3 boys of Big Springs were weekend visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Henry.

Do more than exist-Live
Do more than touch-Feel
Do more than look-Observe
Do more than hear-Listen.
Do more than listen-Understand.
Do more than talk-Say Something.

Mrs. Ruby Morris has returned from visiting her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gordon and Sid of Houston and also Mr. and Mrs. Warren Moerbe of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horton and Mrs. A.O. Winters of Kerrville spent several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Shults and Stanford Horton.

Mrs. Ressie Chambers is a patient in West Texas Medical Center, in Abilene. Her room number is 203.

Mrs. Pete Starks is hospitalized in Hendricks Hospital, Abilene, and is reported as doing somewhat better.

Charles Carroll is a patient in the Granbury hospital where he is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Carroll have returned from a two week vacation during which they visited their son, Brad in Tomball and also friends and relatives in Lufkin, Kilgore, and Livingston. Upon their return they then traveled to Hobbs, New Mexico, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Claborn.

WHERE IN THE WORLD?

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Where is this city?

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In autumn occurs Oktoberfest, a beer drinker's holiday. All year there are two Holiday Inns with indoor pools, local or American food, and a nightclub decorated with live sharks!

It's near the Alps, but warmed by a southerly wind called The Föhn. Natives and tourists alike retreat from its

hot breath into glasses of cool light beer.

This city is in (a) Switzerland (b) France (c) Germany (d) Holland.



ANSWER: (c) The city is Munich, often called the secret capital of West Germany! For more information about touring Munich write to: Werner Breitenecker, Munich Holiday Inn, Leopoldstr. 200, 8 Munich 40, Germany

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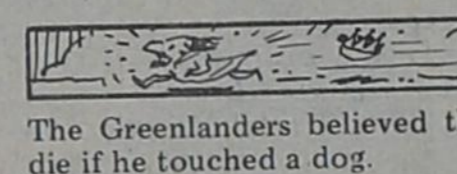
A BARGAIN IN ART: The art dealer who paid Renoir only \$80 for a painting that was purchased a century later for \$1,550,000 was certainly among the most artful bargainers around.

Family Birthday Party Held In Home Of Mrs. Winnie Stock

The annual Family Birthday party was held in the home of Winnie Stock, Saturday October 30th beginning with a covered dish dinner at 7 p.m.

Later games were played, pictures taken, singing and a recording was made.

Those in attendance were sisters and brothers of Mrs. Stock: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Timms of Seagraves; Mr. and Mrs. George Martin of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Miller of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs.



The Greenlanders believed that their king would certainly die if he touched a dog.

Obituaries

Wayne Teague Mrs. Tom Bush

Services for Wayne Henry Teague, 69, were held in Higginbotham Funeral Home with Rev. Johnny Lee officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

Mr. Teague died at 5:50 a.m. Friday in a Comanche Hospital following a three-day illness.

He was born July 30, 1907 in Zephyr and was a mechanic. He married Inez M. Cox May 9, 1931 in May. He was a member of the East Mills Baptist Church and was a former Woodman of the World.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Wayne M. Teague of Rising Star and James E. Teague of Brady; a daughter, Mrs. Sandra Gilliland of Cleburne; three sisters, Mrs. Gerald Milner Mrs. Pauline Witt and Mrs. Oritta Lester, all of Rising Star; nine grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Tom (Dennie White) Bush, 81, of Rising Star died at 3:15 a.m. Friday at E.L. Graham Memorial Hospital in Cisco after a short illness. Services were at 3 p.m. Saturday at Higginbothams Funeral Home Chapel in Rising Star.

The Rev. Floyd Killough of Fort Worth officiated. Burial was in May Cemetery.

Born Jan. 19, 1895, in Eastland County, she married Tom Bush Dec. 19, 1911 in Eastland County. She was a member of Barnes Chapel Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, D.E. (Buck) of Friona, Bryan of Thrifty and Grady of Rising Star; four daughters, Doris Crutchfield of Cisco, Ola Killough of Fort Worth, Tennie Simpson of Brownwood, and Veda Thompson of Blanket; a brother, Jack White, of Stillwater, Okla.; a sister, Tennie Crutchfield of Rising Star; 31 grandchildren; and 42 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two sons.

Fall Foliage Tour

Mrs. Conrad Schaefer has returned from a twenty-four day Northeast Fall Foliage Tour which included the New England states and Canada. The tour originated in Austin, where she joined her sister. Through the courtesy of Rep. Jake Pickle, the beautifully colored foliage was enhanced by the multitudes activities of Big Government in Washington, D.C. For instance, at one time, we were held up by the President's entourage motoring along to the World Series.

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Wildcat Tales



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 De Golyer and Mac Naughton, to BSG Co.-Rel D/T.
 Wayne Dodson to I.S. Dolen Jr.-Asgn. of OGL. Int.
 William C. Dennis and wife to William C. Dennis and wife-Warranty Deed.
 Mrs. W.L. Fore, Sr. to Betty Ann Fore-Warranty Deed.
 1st St. Bk.-Rising Star to Douglas W. Curtis and wife-Rel D/T.
 1st St. Bk. Ranger, to Bobby J. Pennington and wife-Rel D/T and V/L.
 F. & K. Tubing Inc. to Dixie Marie Fambrough and others-Warranty Deed.
 Dixie Marie Fambrough and others to N.D. Pate and others-Warranty Deed.
 Dixie Marie Fambrough and others to N.D. Pate and others-Bill of Sale.
 Ollie Grommer to Royce Earl Bolton-Warranty Deed.
 Go International, Inc. to Olympic Pet. Co.-Rel MML Affid.

Thursday, November 4, 1976

New Arrivals

Frank A. Robinson and wife to 1st St. Bk. Ranger-Deed of Trust.
 Kyle Rich and others to Comanche Crude Oil Corp.-OGL.
 Rural Builders of Tex. Inc. to Frank Miller and wife-Warranty Deed.
 Rockwell Lumber Co. to Jack Hailey-Rel Abstract of Judg. St. of Tex-Empl. Comm. To Wade Ramsey-Abstract of Judg.
 Sandra L. Striegler to Allan A. Strigler-Quit Claim Deed.
 State of Texas to Betty Daniels-Abstract of Judg.
 Walter S. Sneed and wife to Jack Coleman-MML.
 Benny Skinner to Arthur E. Crossley and wife-Rel. MML.
 State of Texas to Mozelle Harris, dba Nob Nob Restaurant-Rel. St. Tax Lien.
 Ira Mae Taylor to Jerry M. Pruitt, Trustee-Deed of Trust.
 Tri-Mark Dev. Inc. to Jerry M. Pruitt, Trustee-Deed of Trust.
 E.R. Wagner and wife, dec'd to The Public-Proof of heirship. Minnie Wende to Lawyers Bond and Trust Co.-OGL.
 Mary Frances Watson and others to Willie J. Holland and wife-Warranty Deed.
 Ward Homes, Inc. to the Public-Resolution.

GORDON SPOT

by DeMarquis Gordon

It seems too early, but we have had some frost in Eastland County. Johnsongrass has been killed in some areas of the county and this could possible cause prussic acid poisoning in livestock. Livestock grazing certain pasture grasses and forage that have been frozen and wilted may be poisoned. Many plants contain the toxic principal which causes poisoning, however, a number of common pasture and cultivated plants such as Johnsongrass, Sudan grass and sorghum or hybrids of these plants may cause death to livestock under certain conditions.

Producers in the Ranger area can benefit by attending the Beef Production Short Course planned for November 8-11. B.S. Dudley, Jr., Vocational Agriculture teacher at Ranger High School, has arranged for the short course which will be held in his agriculture classroom. Dr. Elmer V. Krehbiel, Beef specialist for the Texas Education Agency, will be the instructor.

The most dangerous time is following frosting when the plant material begins to wilt. Livestock should not be allowed access to the wilted material until it has dried completely. This usually takes three or four days of good sunlight to thoroughly dry the plant material. New growth of plant material usually becomes non-toxic within 10 days to 2 weeks following a rain.

We have seen several mimosa trees dying in the county and did not know the cause. Now we learn from a plant pathologist that Fusarium wilt is killing many mimosa throughout Texas. The wilt affects plant vitality and the leaves. The tree later shows symptoms of color loss and drooping and cracks along the bark soon appear, emitting a foul smelling sap. Chemical controls for the disease are not practical at this time. About all homeowners can do is to give the trees good cultural care and avoid mechanical injury.

Prussic acid acts very rapidly, frequently killing animals within a few minutes, although sometimes poisoned animals may live for several hours after the symptoms develop. In most acute cases, animals become affected within 10-15 minutes of eating toxic material and can die within 2-3 minutes. Death is caused by suffocation, since the oxygen remains in the blood and is not exchanged to the tissues. This also causes the blood to appear a bright red color, one of the diagnostic signs of prussic acid poisoning.

Mulberry trees in the county have been afflicted with a fungal leafspot disease during the fall months. Leafspot can be contained by applying two fungicide applications during the year. Since the disease is predominant in the fall, the first application of Benomyl should be applied in early fall and the final application made three weeks later. The disease does not kill mulberry trees but defoliates them prematurely, bringing on a wintry appearance.

wildcat country

Wildcats win again! We beat Blanket 26-0 to raise our record to 6-2-1 and 2-1 in District 6-B East Zone play. Gorman is leading at 3-0. Rising Star and Evant are tied at second with 2-1 records and a tie. Blanket is 1-2 in third and Lometa is in the cellar at 0-4. In the West Zone Eden and Richland Springs are 4-0 and play this Friday night for the championship of that zone. Mackey Elliott has 122 points on the season and is among the tops of the area scoring. The Cats play Evant this week for fight for second place behind Gorman. Gorman has already won the zone championship even if they do lose to Blanket because Blanket has 2 losses and Gorman has beat the only team which will be Evant or the 'Cats. Evant is 8-1 on the season and is in the top ten in the state. Come root for the 'Cats in their last game of 1976. Wildcats vs. Elks

Annual news

Well, it's finally over with. The Carnation that is I hope everyone enjoyed it, I thought it was real pretty, thanks to Joanne Hubbard, Clara Schlittler, Peggy Dennard and Pauline Winfrey. Thanks a whole lot! I think we made close to \$200 dollars. That's really going to come in handy. Now that most of the activities are over with we have to start getting to work on the annual. We're hoping it be a good one. Everyone be sure and get ya one. If you want to buy one with your name on it, this week is the last one. Well, I guess that's all for this week. See ya next time. Gwen

Junior News

Hi! Here is the news for this week. R.B. has turned into a Mexican frog. He sits in Mrs. Casey's class on a lilly pad going Ribet! Ribet! Ribet! Mrs. Casey asked him what a noun was and he said a Ribet! Why he even makes them put flies in his taco's. Yuk!!! I would like to tell you some of the people's nicknames that they have in our room. T.L. is known as Red because of his red hair, and also Rosebud. J. Childers is Chong, because he acts like a Chinaman, he always eats rice and raw fish. YUK!!! C.B. is safari woman or jungle bunny because she has a little white round tail, and J.W. as boom boom and I won't say why.

In American History we are studying about business. In English we are learning about plots, ect. In Algebra II they are learning how to do math. In Chemistry they are studying about chemicals. In typing we are just typing. We are also having speed tests. That's all this week. See ya, Diana

Sophomore News

Well we tried to beat Gorman. We are now getting ready to play Evant Friday night. Two or three of our teachers have taken the Juniors and Seniors to Ranger for some kind of School. Mrs. Casey and Mr. Fortune had to put up with us all day Friday. That's all for the Soph's news. Kirk

Fish Bowl

This week in the Fish Bowl nothing much is going on. The carnival was really good. Eggs flying everywhere outside. I think it was a real success. The Carnation was really nice too. It was beautiful to watch, everybody should have been there. Everybody had better show up at the Evant game. We really are going to need everybody to yell. Come on out and lets win the game. See you all Friday.

Toward New Horizons

Hello Again, Well, Rain, rain, rain. I sure wish it would stop for a little while. Now for F.H.A. we haven't really did anything lately. We have seen some films on how to prepare a healthy meal. I sure wish I had some really good news to tell. I would like to apologize to Kim Harris for leaving her out for winning a ribbon in the fair. We had an F.H.A. meeting in Stephenville. Becky Wilson and Lesa Thorton went and really found out some good news. Well that's it for now. See yo Marilyn

Girls Sports

Well this week is really coming along great. Tuesday night as many of you know we played a terrific game against May. We meet Eula Thursday night in Mays gym and we hope for an even better night. Thanks to all of you who came Tuesday night and yelled for us. We really appreciated you coming. Be sure and come to May on November 4 and help us beat Eula. I guess that's about all for this week. See ya next week. Pam

Everything is happening so fast!

The whole school seems to be busy. With basketball starting, football going, carnivals, and the coronation everyone has something to do the total participation has been wonderful. I'm really proud of our student body - they really came through. But that's not all that came through. I want to personally and I know the whole student body wants to thank all those who have helped with the carnival and the coronation. It's been a lot of work, but all has really turned out great. Parents and friends have joined in to help us with our activities, and we want you all to know that we appreciate you and could not have done it without you! Thanke again, Pam

Do Re Me

Hi ya'll, The band really did a good job in performing at the Coronation which was really beautiful. Sorry we didn't perform at the Blanket game but we will perform at the Evant game which will be here at 7:30 Friday night. This should be a tough game so come see us. See ya, Donna

Ag News

The Ag Students are studying Parliamentary Procedure. The District contest is November 15. The Junior boys have a sheep project and the Senior boys have a pig project. We have a student Ag teacher from Tarleton. His name is Willard Flippen. Welcome to R.S.H.S Gary Fox

RAH! Rah!

Rah! Rah! Rah! Well we beat Blanket. The score was 28 to 0. Now we are getting ready for Evant. The game will be here at 7:30. This is our last game and ya'll be sure to come. The cats are really going to need you all to come and back them. This is going to be a tough game. But I hope that we Sock it to'em. See ya next week. Carolyn

RISING STAR JR. HI FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1976	
Sept. 2	Rising Star vs. Lometa at Early
Sept. 9	Cross Plain at Rising Star
Sept 16	Gorman at Rising Star
Sept 23	Rising Star at Blanket
Sept. 30	Evant at Rising Star
Oct. 7	Lometa at Rising Star
Oct. 14	Abilene Christian Junior High
Oct. 21	Rising Star at Gorman
Oct. 28	Blanket at Rising Star
Nov. 5	Rising Star at Evant
All games at 7:00 p.m.	



Baby Shower

All friends and relatives are invited to a baby shower honoring, Chance Schaefer son of Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Schaefer November 5th from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Norma Carpenter. Cards will not be sent out but all are welcome to attend.

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REHEARSAL SCENES FROM "THE MAN WHO CAME TO DINNER," the dinner theater presentation of Cisco Junior College scheduled for November 6-7-8, show: Left—Sherry Bryant as Maggie Cutler and Craig Campbell as Sheridan Whiteside. Right—Bryant and Dale Fuller, playing the part of Ber Jefferson. (Photos by CJC Publications Staff)



"The Man Who Came To Dinner"

"THE MAN WHO CAME TO DINNER," one of the gayest and giddiest comedies in American stage history, will be presented by the Cisco Junior College Fine Arts Department at the Roof Garden Dinner Theater of the College Hotel on Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, November 6, 7, and 8. Department Chairman Wyley Peebles has announced. The time of each dinner show is 7:30 p.m. The dinner play will be the department's first theatrical production of the 1976-77 school year. Peebles said that reservations are necessary and can be made by telephoning 442-2567. They should be made by 5:00 p.m. Friday, November 4. The Saturday evening show is already half booked. Mr. Peebles stated. The Saturday and Sunday menus will feature a prime rib dinner and the cost will be \$6.00 per person. The Monday night format will be a dessert-show combination planned especially for students, and the price will be \$2.50. The play, written by George S. Kaufman and Moss Hart, authors of the Pulitzer Prize

winner, "You Can't Take It With You," has earned many superlatives through having remained fresh and popular in hundreds of presentations throughout America every year since its wildly successful first production in New York 1939. The first production scored one of those smash hits that overwhelm Broadway only about every three or four years. It drew capacity audiences for 21 months and was toured by three companies simultaneously. It was later made into a film, as well as a television drama, and finally, in 1967, into a stage musical called "Sherri." The comedy's drolleries center around a sharp-tongued, egotistical radio celebrity, to be played by Craig Campbell. He gets deposited on the Stanleys, a family living in a small town in Ohio, through falling on their doorstep and breaking his hip. Doctors say he cannot be moved for weeks. The Stanleys, who were honored to have the eminent man for dinner, find that his continued presence, long after the coffee has been served, is a disaster. The guest's

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Twilite Acre News

Eva Ashworth
By the Residents

Our Halloween Trick or Treat for the youngsters of the community went off good. We had 8 trick or treaters, or should I say "Little Spooks." While waiting for the Trick or Treaters, the residents enjoyed music by Nell Maynard, Earl Epley and our Bryant Houston. Those as our guests were: Fred Ashworth, Bill Whitt, Betty Boatright, Doris James-daughter of Mrs. Yocham and Clara Epley-Elsa Whitt was not a guest, she helped bring everyone up to the dining room and back to their rooms. Thanks Elsa.

Opal Criswell, Babe Swift, Mrs. Stock, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Epley were guests of Willie Cooper and Lorenzo Epley.

Jean Weise of Carlsbad, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Weise of Morton Valley visited George Varner. Jean is a daughter and Wayne is his grandson.

Homer and Irene Sims looked in on Eddie Sims last week. Also his daughter and son-in-law was in on Sunday.

Winnie Stock and Mrs. Ira Swift came by for a chat with Mary Hood.

Roxie Shearrow and Hallie Williams, a daughter and daughter-in-law of George Williams was in to see him this week. Charlie Talbott has been going to Church services the past several Sundays. Thanks to Ronnie Pipkins for coming by for Charley.

John and Betty Boatright of Mesquite and Elton and Doris James of Lubbock visited their mother, Leah Yocham and Mary Hammett.

LeRoy Chambers came by with a bag of fruit and for his mother-in-law Ethel Degman. Guess it was a Trick or Treat bag for Ethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wilson, Becky and Marilyn came by to take Hank Wilson home with them for dinner and to visit with his granddaughter and family from Abilene, Texas. Hanks says he had a wonderful visit.

Johnnie Weatherly has a visitors Mr. and Mrs. Julian Steele of Gorman and Ima Crooks and Lillian Michaels of May.

Syble Roark came by to see her sister Mable Smith and Beatrice Hellums last week.

Nell Barnes brought her mother Ethel Barnes Home, from a weeks visit to Dallas. Nell spent Saturday and Sunday in Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Duggan had as visitors Irma Hudnall, Cleo White, Claudia Mae Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Aiken, Lizzie Brooks, Minnie Swann, Ellie Elliott, Irene Sims, Mrs. Winnie Stock, Mrs. Babe Swift, Geraldine Richter, and Pink and Ruth Haley of Eastland.

Madge Hornsby had several visitors-Dr. Carl J. Sohns, Mrs. Minnie Swann, Mrs. Lizzie Brooks and Ila Mae Marshall.

Martha Irby and Hester Miller had for visitors Winnie Stock, Mrs. Ira Stock, Mrs. Willie Bennett, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bennett.

Ted and Mark Barton, Detta Webb, Beulah Stodghill, Herbert Henry, Winnie Stock, and Mrs. Swift dropped in to see Omie Henderson and Bet Millwee.

Mrs. Earl Epley, Winnie Stock, Detta Webb, Syble Roark and Marjorie West came by to see Emma West this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coleman of Ackerly, Texas; Mrs. Ira Swift, Winnie Stock and Mr. and Mrs. Whitt visited Martha Coleman.

George and Detta Webb came by for a visit with Leo Atkinson and Buster Rixford.

Irma Hudhall, Joe Barnes of Big Springs, Tex; T'Van and Loraine Barnes came in to see Edna Barnes and Mattie Knight last week. It was Edna's birthday, October 31st. They "treated" her pretty good instead of "Tricking" her. She received several nice presents.

Verna McCowen of Cross Plains and Ellie Elliott visited with Bertie Medford and Loraine Williams.

Bessie Bowers of Brownwood and Thelma Doebner of Lake Brownwood dropped in to see their mother, Ora White last week. Annie May Young of May who comes over often to see her mom.

May News

BY VIOLA HANEY

Mr. Weaver Smith had as guests in his home his sister-in-law, Mrs. J.D. Fisher of Mountainer, New Mexico.

Mrs. Mary Kent celebrated her 84th birthday the 23rd of October. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Paul of Ft. Worth; Jo Steubing of Brownwood; Bettie Vaughn and children-William, Dona Jo and Paula of Cleburne, Texas; and Elizabeth and Roger Johnson of Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Wayne Bruton is in the hospital in Comanche.

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3 cups sugar
3/4 cup margarine
2/3 cup evaporated milk
1-12 oz. pkg. semi-sweet chocolate chips
1-10 oz. pkg. marshmallows
1 cup chopped nuts
1 tsp. vanilla
Combine sugar, margarine and milk, bring to a boil (Rolling) stirring constantly. Boil for 5 minutes, over medium heat. Remove from heat and stir in chocolate chips and marshmallows; beat until well blended and add nuts and vanilla. Pour into greased pan. Cool and cut in squares.



Spirit Of 76 Fall Round-Up

This will be an opportunity for all boys not in scouting to join the fun and adventure of scouting with Troop #115.

DATE: Monday, November 8.

TIME: 7:30 p.m.
PLACE: Elementary School Cafeteria.

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Starks Rated Number Four

Randy Starks, quarterback for the Cisco Junior College Wranglers, is the number four passer in the nation's junior college football ranks, according to statistics released this week by the National Junior College Athletic Association. Starks also is the country's third-ranked individual player in total offense.

Randy is a 6'4" 190-pound signal caller from Aldine, Texas, where he played high school football for MacArthur H.S. He can also play at a defensive safety position. He is a sophomore at CJC.

In being ranked fourth nationally in passing and third in total offense, Starks leads all Texas Junior College quarterbacks and yardage producers.

The players rated above him are all from other states--Utah, Iowa, and Wisconsin. In five games, Starks had attempted 105 passes, completed 46, and suffered four interceptions. His passing yardage is 819, and four tosses have been for touchdowns. His completion percentage is 43.8. In individual total offense figures, he has rushed for an additional 169 yards, giving him a total production of 988.

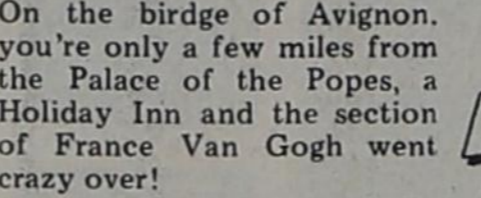
Coach Karl Sartore expressed great delight in having one of his Wrangler players high in the national juco standings. "In spite of our many disappointing 'down-to-the-wire' losses this season, it's great to have one of our players gain this kind of recognition," Sartore said.

Some 30-30 Rifle Cartridges Recalled

MINNEAPOLIS, MN.-Federal Cartridge is recalling certain 30-30 rifle cartridges and empty unprimed 30-30 cartridge cases which have a structural weakness making them potentially dangerous to shoot.

The recall is for 30-30 ammunition or empty 30-30 cases with lot codes ending in -5289 through -6285. Lot codes are stamped on the back of each box. Boxes may have the brand names of Federal, Revelation, Wards, or Hiawatha.

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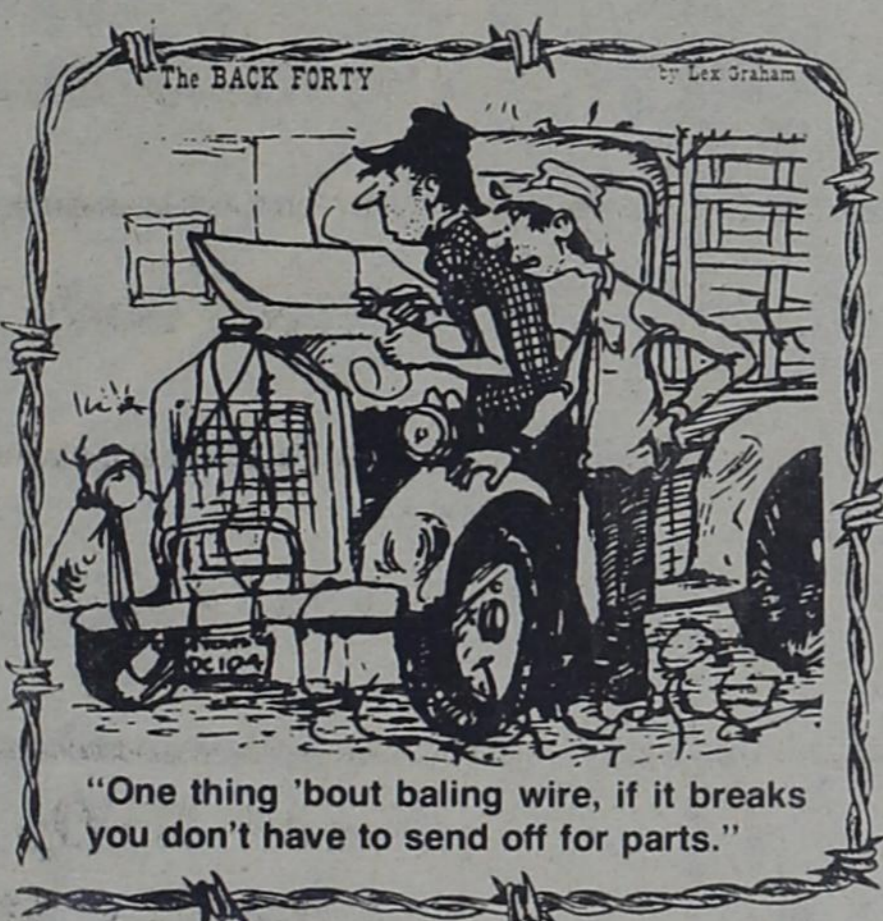
The May Quarterback Club wishes to announce a meeting November 10, 1976 at 7:30 p.m. at the Community Center.

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9	Neil Scott	E	89	Fr.
10	Mackey Elliott	B	165	Sr.
11	Mike Holden	B	135	Fr.
15	Nicky Newbury	B	139	Jr.
17	Ken Hounsel	B	142	Sr.
20	Steve White	B	129	Fr.
22	Jerry Lunceford	B	143	Fr.
24	Johnny Christian	E	121	Jr.
25	Kirk Rust	B	139	So.
27	Johnny Childers	B	149	Jr.
29	Roger Poteet	E	154	Sr.
30	Donald Watson	B	173	So.
44	John David Lee	E	153	So.
45	Bruce Williams	E	131	Sr.
50	Terry Leonard	G	155	Jr.
52	Jerry Williamson	C	131	Fr.
60	Gary Fox	G	117	Jr.
61	Bryan Ezzell	G	175	Sr.
65	Dewayne Teague	G	150	Jr.
66	Kyle Williams	G	112	Fr.
68	Lamar Gregg	G	171	Jr.
71	Glen Dennard	T	169	Jr.
73	Gordon Rimer	T	140	So.
75	Darren White	C	150	Jr.
77	Randy Bibb	C	176	Jr.
78	Marty Hill	T	198	Jr.
80	Randy Kinsey	E	126	Jr.
83	Mark Wilson	E	132	So.
85	Kevin Rust	E	183	Sr.

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Asst. Head- Gene Woods

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Jenny Walker- Asst. Head
Pam Hill- Secretary
Darla Houch- Treasurer
Carolyn Bessent- Reporter

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Band Director- Mr. Davis
Drum Major- Lissa Campbell

Twirlers:
Kaycee Rutherford
Becky Wilson
Sharon McGinnis
Taby Chambers
Colors- Blue & Gold

Football 1976		
Sept. 3	Early	H 8:00p.m.
Sept. 10	Tolar	H 8:00 p.m.
Sept. 17	Richland Springs	T 8:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	Cross Plains	T 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	Santa Anna (Homecoming)	H 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 8	Lometa	T 7: 0 p.m.
Oct. 15	Abilene Christian High	T 7:30 p.m.
Oct. 22	Gorman	H 7:30 p.m.
Oct. 29	Blanket	T 7:30 p.m.
Nov. 5	Event	H 7:30 p.m.

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- ½ pint whipping cream
- 1 cup chopped pecans

Combine cream cheese, 2 tablespoons of sugar and mayonnaise. Blend until smooth. Peel oranges, separate into sections and cut sections into bite-size pieces. Add rice, cherries, oranges and marshmallows to cream cheese mixture, mixing well. Whip cream, sweetening with remaining 2 tablespoons of sugar. Fold whipped cream and pecans into mixture. Chill well. Yield: 8-10 servings.

For additional rice recipes send a postcard request to Commissioner John C. White, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

Texas Taxes



By BOB BULLOCK, State Comptroller

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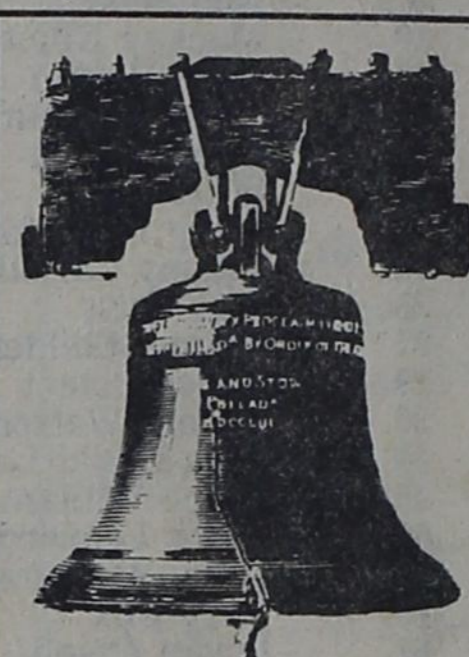
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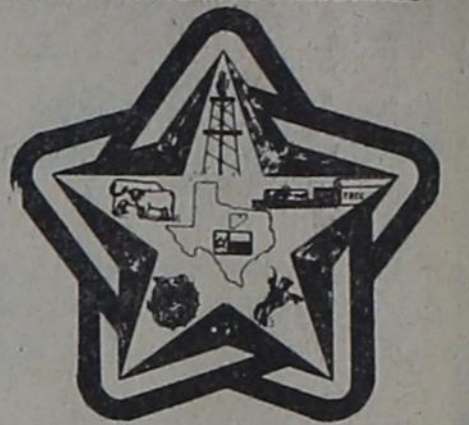
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- 1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese, softened
- 4 Tbsp. sugar
- 1 Tbsp. mayonnaise
- 2 cups cooked rice
- 12 maraschino cherries, halved
- 2 Texas oranges
- 1 (10 oz.) pkg. miniature marshmallows
- ½ pint whipping cream
- 1 cup chopped pecans

Combine cream cheese, 2 tablespoons of sugar and mayonnaise. Blend until smooth. Peel oranges, separate into sections and cut sections into bite-size pieces. Add rice, cherries, oranges and marshmallows to cream cheese mixture, mixing well. Whip cream, sweetening with remaining 2 tablespoons of sugar. Fold whipped cream and pecans into mixture. Chill well. Yield: 8-10 servings.

For additional rice recipes send a postcard request to Commissioner John C. White, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

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Once again this editor is in debted to several people "who did the chores" while I "vacated" for a week. A big "thank you" to Evelyn and Edra.

The annual Nebraska pheasant hunt was great, as always. Nebraska is dry and the hunting was hard, nevertheless our five days there were most enjoyable.

Nebraskans were busy with the corn harvest and there appeared to be an abundant crop of it, and that's good, because corn is to Nebraska what peanuts are to our area, the mainstay of their economy.

The red willow, golden cottonwood, and the sand hills provided a landscape that was nothing less than beautiful.

Our town can be turned out for the excellent voter turnout in last Tuesdays General Election-no symptoms of voter apathy here.

Hope everybody is happy with the election results. One new development in the change of administration is already evident, the "golden nuggets" which are produced in such abundance in this area, are definitely "in the spotlight". Don't believe I ever saw a rating jump quite that fast.

Peanut harvest is in full swing again, after the brief interruption due to the rains of week before last.

Another football season has ended and the Wildcats along with coaches Frank Gray and Gene Woods are to be commended for their 3-1 District record.

Good show, Wildcats!

Of special interest to area residents will be the Harvest Festival, on Friday and Saturday, November 12 and 13, sponsored by the First United Methodist Church.

The Country Store and Bake Sale on Friday afternoon, then on Saturday a barbecue lunch will be served in the Church dining room.

The Rising Star Chapter of the Future Farmers of America are taking orders for the delicious citrus fruits, oranges, and grapefruit, so nice to have during the holidays.

Orders may be placed with the FFA's, or H.L. Geyer, chapter advisor.

Kittens Romped Over Evant 6-2

The Kittens romped over Evant, 6-2 Thursday, November 4 in a dreadful district game. Our only touchdown was made by number 11, Alfonso Martinez. Evant's 2 points were made on a safety.

This win put the Rising Star Kittens in second place.

We start basketball this week with an opener Thursday, November 11, when the Kittens play Eastland there. Come watch!

STATISTICS	RISING STAR	EVANT
15 First Downs	7	
15 Penalties	15	
0 Passing Yardage	10	
3 Interceptions	0	
7 Defensive Yardage	0	
0 Conversions	0	
2 Fumbles	1	
0 Safety	1	
6 Final Score	2	

James Steel To Present Junior Recital

The junior recital of James Steel, organ, will be presented Friday by the Hardin-Simmons University School of Music on November 12. The recital, to begin at 8:00 p.m. will be given at the First Baptist Church in Abilene.

James is a fourth year music student at HSU majoring in applied music and music education. He is from the studio of Dr. John C. Campbell, associate professor of organ and church music at Hardin-Simmons, and organist of Abilene's First Baptist Church.

James is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Steel of Rising Star. He served for three years as organist of the First Baptist Church in Rising Star and is presently serving as substitute organist for several churches in Abilene and the area. He has served as organist for the Texas Baptist Student Convention for the past two years.

At Hardin-Simmons, he has been a member of the HSU Chorale, the Celebration Singers and is a member of the University Concert Band, Music Educator's National Conferences and the HSU Student Chapter of the Maecrian Guild of organists, of which he was



James Steel - Hardin-Simmons music major will be presented in an organ recital on Friday November 12.

president last year. He also serves as accompanist for several vocal and instrumental majors in the School of Music.

Friday night's recital will include works for the organ by Pierre du Mage, J.S. Bach, Marcel Dupre, and Louis Vierne. A reception in the Church Parlor will follow the recital.

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

Flags Win Again

The Kaleidoscope of Freedom Flags scored three more appearances and brought back another first prize. The float took first place in the Homecoming parade in the Somerset Community southwest of San Antonio on Saturday, Nov. 6.

The full program was given in Somerset Baptist Church Sunday night, Nov. 7, to a very receptive and appreciative audience.

On Monday, Nov. 8, it was presented to 500 eight grade students in the Edward H. White Middle School in San Antonio. This school is a memorial to Edward H. White, one of the astronauts who lost his life in a fire during a practice

session several years ago. This was the largest audience for the program to date. The school is located near a military installation. Naturally, the children were of military background and were exceptionally receptive toward a patriotic program of this type. It was a thrilling experience.

These three displays made the thirty-ninth time for the flags. The fortieth will be on Nov. 17, in Eastland when the full program will be given for the Home Demonstration Achievement Day program.

Another appearance has been officially cleared which we hope will be a red letter day for Rising Star. Through the

cooperation of State Representatives Joe Hanna, the State Board of Control in Austin, and Col. Russell O. Fudge of the Douglas MacArthur in Brownwood, the original flags will be on display in the Rotunda of the Capitol Building of the State of Texas, on Mar. 2, 1977. Col. Fudge graciously released the larger flags for this occasion. The program will not be given.

Jaycees Announce Important Meeting

The Rising Star Jaycees will hold a public meeting on Thursday evening, November 11, at 8:30, in the Community Room of the First State Bank.

The purpose of this meeting is the discussing of the discontinuance of the ambulance service in Rising Star. Mr. Don McAlister of the Texas Department of Health Resources will be the guest speaker.

The residents of Rising Star should be informed of the circumstances involved in this problem and it is hoped that Mr. McAlister can explain the existing regulations and help us reach a solution", stated David Harris, President of the Jaycee organization.

The Higginbotham Firm, has announced that ambulance service will be discontinued on January 1, in Rising Star, Cross Plains, and Comanche, because of state

'Some Where Over The Rainbow'-- Theme For '76 Coronation

The Rising Star High School gym sparkled Monday night as this year's Miss La Estrellita, Gwen Winfrey, was crowned in the 1976-1977 Coronation. The lovely evening was accentuated by the "Somewhere Over the Rainbow" theme from the Wizard of Oz as the Students honored their own.

Gwen who is the daughter of Mrs. Pauline Winfrey and Mr. Jerry Winfrey of Rising Star was escorted by Mackey Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Elliott of Rising Star. Besides her Miss La Estrellita honor, Gwen has also been named Miss Rising Star. Mackey was honored as Football Captain, Mr. Rising Star High School and Most Athletic, besides his Great Lord Chamberlain title.

Other honorees included Pam Hunt who was honored as Miss Rising Star High School, Senior Favorite, and Most Athletic. Ken Housnel was named Football Captain, Friendliest, Most Likely to Succeed, Senior Favorite, and Most Athletic. Darla Hosch the Friendliest, was escorted by John David Lee, the Sophomore Class President. Pam Hill was honored as Most Likely to Succeed and Most Attractive, and she was escorted by Bruce Williams, the Most Attractive Boy. Theresa Scott, the Football Sweetheart, was escorted by Kevin Rust who was honored as Friendliest Boy, Football Captain, and FHA Beau. K.C. Rutherford, the Student Body Resident was escorted by Bryan Ezzell, Senior. The Band Sweetheart, Becky Wilson was escorted by the Junior Class President, Glenn Demard. The Junior Favorite and FFA Sweetheart, Carolyn Bessent, was escorted by Junior Favorite, Terry Leonard. The Sophomore Class Favorites were Sharon McGinnis and Mark Wilson. The Freshman Favorites were Kathy Woody and Mike Holden. Alfonso Martin-



Queen Darla, of the House of Hosch, and Her Royal Court.

ez, the kitten Football captain and David Morris, eighth grade favorite, escorted Charlene Morris, kitten Sweetheart, and eighth grade favorite. Seventh grade favorites were Merinda Munguia and Damon Cooper. Cindy Cotton and Tod Herring were sixth grade favorites.

One highlight of the evening was the four little Stars. They were Karen Fortune, Becky

Walker, Windy Green and Kimberly Wilson. The crown-bearer was Kody Pruitt.

The pianist, Kay Pollock, and the singer, Kay Gray, added a great deal to the entertainment of the evening. The High School and Sixth Grade bands also performed some lovely musical numbers.

The ushers for the evening were Lissa Campbell and

Eugene Christian from the Senior Class.

The beautiful decorations based on the "Somewhere Over the Rainbow" theme were done by Mrs. Peggy Dennard, Mrs. John Schlitter, Mrs. Jack Hubbard, and Mrs. Jerry Winfrey.

It was truly a lovely evening for the Queen and her court. One that should be a beautiful memory for all involved.

Wildcats Down Evant, 30-12

By Ken Housnel

Elk season officially opened last Friday night in Wildcat stadium. The Evant Elks came to Rising Star last Friday with the credentials of a 5-Star general and left in shame. Evant supported a 8-1 record losing only to top ranked Gorman 22-14. They were rated 4th by the Harris poll and 7th by the Associated Press in Class B Texas football ratings. They also supported a defense which had allowed only 40 points in nine games and only 18 in those games excluding Gorman. All those nice things changed in the short time of 48 minutes. The Rising Star Wildcats had one problem, no one told the poor ole 'Cats Evant was so good. It took a half to wake up, but the 'Cats did, pouring in 22 points in the final half to embarrass Evant 30-12.

The win gave the 'Cats second in the District 6-B East Zone behind Gorman.

Evant opened the scoring when Johnny Clark scored from 14 yards out. The PAT sweep failed.

The 'Cats soon came back to take a second quarter 8-6 lead on a 26 yard run and a 2 pointer by Mackey Elliott.

The score ran to 12-8 at halftime when Steve Sugg went over from the one. The big gainer was a trick play. The quarterback apparently dropped the ball behind the right guard and faked a left sweep. The guard stepped back and picked up the ball and ran for about 40 yards. He was the Elks leading rusher for the night as

he carried it one other time on the same play. The only explanation was that it was an offensive fumble which any offense play can advance.

Coach Frank Gray pointed out to the 'Cats at halftime to score and you'll win, as simple as that. It brought on results as on the third play after the half, Mackey Elliott followed his wave of blockers around right end for a 72 yard gallop. The PAT failed and the Wildcats led 14-12.

The fourth stanza was all Rising Star as the Elks never again crossed the midfield strip. A short punting game the 'Cats another scoring chance as Elliott went in from 10 yards out and Nicky Newbury passed to Ken Housnel for the 10 point edge, 22-12.

The 'Cats held Evant at the 30 and forced them to attempt a punt. The punt was no doubt to anyone a fake. The punter saw he had no where to throw and a strong rush gave the Elks an intentional grounding penalty and the 'Cats the ball at the 15 as a loss of down came with it. The 'Cats fumbled the next play but Newbury picked off an overthrown aerial and returned it to the 6 where Elliott hit Kevin Rust for the 6 points. His first of his career. Elliott got the 2 pointer with only 10 ticks left in the season. It ended for the Wildcats as it started for the Elks--a touchdown. The final score was 30 to 12. The Wildcats ended at 3-1 in Zone play and 7-2-1 on the season.

They scored 40 touchdowns and 22, two point conversions scored by 11 different people. The results are 284 points, a powerful statistics for any football team. The defense allowed only 149 points and the A team only 119. The losses came by Early 33-26, Gorman 28-0; and a 6-6 tie with Cross Plains. Wins were Tolar 38-6; Richland Springs, 50-30; Santa Anna 30-8; Lometa 56-6; Abilene Christian 22-20; Blanket 26-0 and Evant 30-12.

The 1976 Wildcats were regarded as a team and one of the best groups ever to represent Rising Star High School. Senior leaders were guard, Brian Ezzell, Defensive Safety, Bruce Williams; Tightend, Kevin Rust; tailback, Mackey Elliott; Flanker, Ken Housnel; and split-end, Roger Poteet.

The fans, well, were unbelievable. Everywhere the 'Cats went, wherever they did, the fans supported and whoever we beat they were uncontrollable. The Wildcats salute their backers.

Rising Star	Evant
13 First Downs	17
17 Rushing Yardage	242
27 Passing Yardage	71
4 of 12 Passes Completed	5 of 15
3 Passes Intercepted	By 1
3 for 46.4 Punt, Average	3 for 36.2
6 for 40 Penalties, Yards	6 for 80
2 Fumbles Lost	2
Rising Star 8 0 6 16 30	
Evant 6 6 0 0 12	

Randy Lewis Residence Destroyed By Fire

The trailer home of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Lewis was totally destroyed in a Tuesday night blaze.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and their two children were not at home at the time of the fire and all of their household and personal

belongings were destroyed. The probable cause of the fire was thought to be faulty electrical wiring. The young couple are presently residing with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Lewis.

Local Man Injured In Sunday Accident

Dick Goldston was seriously injured in a Sunday morning accident at the Winfrey Peanut Dryer in Rising Star.

Goldston received severe facial and head injuries, and is

expected to undergo surgery in Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene on Thursday. His mailing address is: Room C-708, Hendricks Hospital, Abilene, Texas, 79601.

Local Flu Immunization Program Slated

The A/New Jersey influenza immunization campaign will open in Rising Star, Texas on Friday, November 19, 1976 with clinics in operation at one site, according to Dr. Billy Carpenter.

Everyone should be immunized with these free shots as soon as possible in order to be protected against this strain of influenza, said Dr. Carpenter.

There's every reason to believe that the A/New Jersey, or swine, influenza poses a serious threat to the health of all individuals in the community.

It was detected last winter at Fort Dix, N.J. If it follows the pattern of other influenza outbreaks, it can be expected to spread during the coming flu season, said Dr. Carpenter.

Local public health authorities and members of the First

Lady's Volunteer Program are working statewide in the influenza immunization campaign. The First Ladies are assisting with the recruitment and organization of the statewide volunteer program to complete the immunization campaign. Volunteers will work in the campaign alongside private physicians and nurses, other volunteers and public health personnel.

Clinic sites have been established to provide for the efficient administration of the vaccine and the compilation of necessary information on each individual.

Clinic locations and clinic hours follow: First Baptist Church, November 19, 1976, 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. All shots administered in public health clinics will be free, said Dr. Carpenter.

News Briefs Local Churches Slate City Wide Census

Three local churches of our community will be conducting a religious census beginning November 29th for the purpose of learning all members and families living in this area.

The Churches are interested that all have a Church affiliation and are given an opportunity for witnessing and serving Our Lord. We covet the full cooperation of the community in the taking of this census.

Harvest Festival

Just a reminder that we hope to see each of you at the Country Store and Bake Sale to be held at the Western Auto Building on Friday, Nov. 12 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and on Saturday Nov. 13 from 9:30 - 2:00 p.m. sponsored by the First United Methodist Church.

The Bar-B-Q dinner will be served in the dining room of the Church on Saturday, Nov. 13 from 1:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Adults will be \$2.00 and Children \$1.00

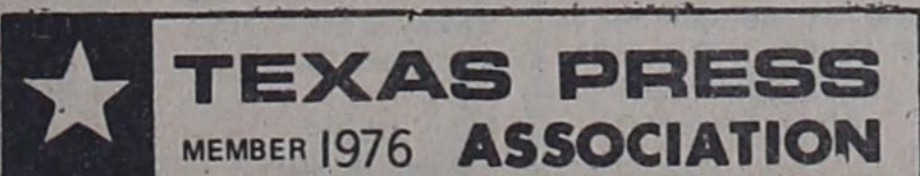
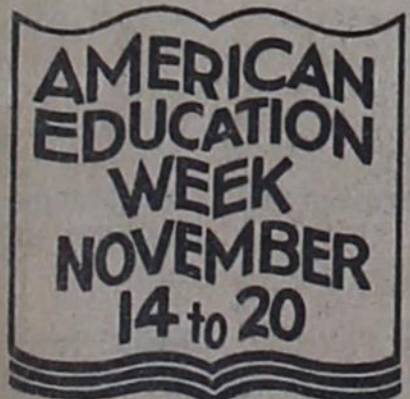
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Mrs. C.A. Claboron, Publicity Chairman

Brisco Approves L.E.A.A. Grant

AUSTIN - Governor Dolph Briscoe has approved a \$17,137 grant for law enforcement training in the West Central Texas region. Basic certification training will be provided for 40 recruits and advanced courses for 215 officers throughout the 19- country area. Courses will be provided by Texas A&M University and West Central Council of Governments Law Enforcement Academy.

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64 acres good pasture land, good stock tank, good hunting, some improved grasses, terms available, north of Eastland.
70 acres, all cultivation, south of Cisco, some peanut allotment- excellent terms available.
70 acres, good location and highway frontage, pasture land, 10 minutes from Eastland, some terms available.
80 acres of land west of Eastland, fenced and county road on two sides, 2 bedroom frame house, good well, handy to town.
100 acres south of Eastland, 55 acres Coastal, 20 ac. Love Grass, 25 acres native grass, some new fences, 2 bedroom house, 2 water wells, 90 per cent minerals, good existing loan available.
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40 acres, partially fenced with come cultivation, highway frontage, and city water. Owner will carry papers.
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53 acres on the pavement with city water. Near Morton Valley.

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8 acres located on the Interstate near Ranger.

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3 bedroom, 2 bath two-story home with carpet and built-ins. Real nice located in Eastland.
3 bedroom, 2 bath home with double garage, carpet, enclosed heated swimming pool. Nice located in Eastland. \$60,000.00
3 bedroom, 2 bath home carpeted, paneled, central air and heat, with 2 acres. Located on Olden.
3 bedroom, 2 bath Modular home on 1 1/2 lots. Close to all schools. Loan can be assumed. Located in Eastland.
3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath Mobil home to be moved. \$4500.00. In Eastland.
Real nice cabin at Lake Leon. \$15,900.00.
5 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath home, swimming pool, lots of storage and extras. \$65,000.00. Located in Eastland.
3 Bedroom, 1 bath older home, approximately 1 acre with good well, city water, Located in Carbon. \$8500.00.
Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath Mobil home with 6 1/2 lots, on pavement with city water, water well, and nice barns. Located in Carbon.
3 bedroom, 1 bath home in Cisco on West 12th. \$5250.00.
2 bedroom, 1 bath Mobil home on nice lot in Ranger. \$6500.00.

1 large lot in Olden. Ideal for Mobil home. \$1700.00.
6 lots in the city of Ranger. Good location. Only \$8500.00.
3 bedroom, 1 bath home with 2 lots, fruit trees, double garage. Located in Cisco. \$20,000.00.
2- 2 bedroom houses on East 18th Street in Cisco. \$12,600.00.
7 bedroom, 3 bath older type home. Needs repair. \$6500.00. located in Eastland.
New 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home on large corner lot. \$30,000.00. Located in Eastland.
Large 1 bedroom, 1 bath home. carpeted and paneled. In good location. \$17,000.00. Located in Eastland.
2 bedroom, 2 bath Mobil home, furnished, with garage and lots of storage buildings. A real nice place. Located in Eastland.
2 bedroom, 1 bath home with carpet, built-ins, and storage room. New duplex on Corner Street. Can assume loan.
2 bedroom, 1 bath on large lot with 12 pecan trees. Real nice. Located in Eastland.
1 bedroom. 1 bath duplex with carpet on South Connellee. \$10,500.00.
3 bedroom, 2 bath Mobil home on leased lot. \$9500.00. Lake Leon.
3 bedroom, 2 bath Modular home at Lake Leon.

FARMS AND RANCHES
593 acres with nice home, barns and corrals; 60 acres coastal bermuda, city water, good fences, and lake with two nice lake cabins. Located in Stephens County. \$25,000 per acre.
282 acres with 2 bedroom home, barns, pens, with 40 acres in coastal, 40 acres in love grass, 101 acres peanuts. Some minerals. \$25,000 per acre. Owner will finance.
253 acres in Stephens County. Good deer country. \$315.00 per acre.
160 acres with 2 bedroom, 1 bath home, water well. All net fences and 11 acres of coastal. Near Cisco. \$350.00 per acre.
160 acres South of Cisco with highway frontage and good fences. 300 acres, 1 mile East of Eastland with 1 mile of Leon River, good fences and half minerals. \$375.00 per acre.
451 acres between Eastland and Breckenridge with 60 acres in cultivation, new steel corrals, 10 tanks, water well but city water available.
668 acres, some improved grasses, with a 2 bedroom home, good barns, and good well water. Located in Stephens County.
707 acres with 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, net fences, two stock tanks, and half minerals. 300 acres in coastal.
160 acres Southeast of Ranger with deer and half minerals. \$325.00 per acre.
215 acres with good fences and good stock tanks. Located near Olden.
491 acres in Eastland County with nice brick home, some coastal, fenced and cross fenced. Approximately 1/2 minerals. Shown by appointment only.
695 acres in Eastland County with some river bottom. \$315.00 per acre.
75 acres West of Cisco, 1 mile off I- 20 with good fences and some improved grasses. \$350.00 per acre.
160 acres with a 3 bedroom home fireplace, 2 good tanks, natural gas, on pavement with city water and some love grass.
150 acres South of Eastland, 140 acres in coastal, good fences on county road with city water. \$425.00 per acre.
143 acres Northwest of Ranger with 52 acres of peanuts. \$450.00 per acre.
74 acres with cultivation on county road North of Eastland with city water, and on pavement. \$400.00 per acre.
128 acres on Sabanna River, pecan trees, deer and turkey, and half minerals. Good terms.
1450 acres near Albany with approximately \$900.00 a month oil income, on pavement. \$225.00 per acre.
150 acres North Eastland on pavement with 77 acres of cultivation and city water. \$400.00 per acre.
612 acres near Lake Leon, with large 2 bedroom home, on pavement with 174 acres of cultivation, good fences and good pens and barn.
153 acres South of Cisco with fair fences and half minerals. \$350.00 per acre.
152 acres near Eastland on Interstate 20. Will sell all or will subdivide. City water, electricity, and telephone available.
194 acres N. W. of Gorman with 3 bedroom home with 2 baths, 112 acres of peanut allotment, and 23 pecan trees. \$500.00 per acre and terms.
163 acres with 25 acres in coastal, 17 acres in love grass, and lots of pecan trees. On Sabanna River, 3/4 miles Southwest of Gorman.

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★ From Our Churches

First Baptist Church

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Getting married is an exciting and beautiful experience. Each couple seem to be so in love and committed to each other. As time passes things change. For some everything seems to go wrong. The marriage is sick!

What happens? Rather than seeking help, a couple gives up. A divorce is the only way out. Is it?

Now that is just like a sick person, instead of going to a doctor for help, to accept death as the only solution.

Why, I ask as a Pastor, Why don't people with sick marriages come to their pastor or to some professional person for help?

Divorce is not always the solution. Most of the time all couple needs is an x-ray to see into what is going on.

There are no magic cures. Some medicine is hard to take. Recovery is not over night.

God, who instituted marriage, makes it very clear how a man and woman can become very happy and have marriage a meaningful experience.

If you want a growing, beautiful, caring marriage, if it is sick, get the help you need now!

Visiting Sunday were: Shirley Jordon of San Angelo, Lorene and Joe Dale Potote of Gorman, and Alfonso Martinez of Rising Star.

R.D. Williams, Pastor

First United Methodist Church

Recently in our study of the Gospel of Matthew, and the Sermon on the Mount, I came across some ideas relating to the beatitude: "Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God" as expressed by Samuel A. Keen. I believe his ideas are worth sharing with those who read this paper.

Said Mr. Keen, Matthew 5:8 might be amplified as follows: (1). Blessed are the clean in motive, for they shall find the God of light. (2). Blessed are the transparent in thought, for they shall behold the God of Truth. (3). Blessed are the unspotted in imagination, for they shall discern the God of Beauty. (4). Blessed are the unstained in affection, for they shall know the God of Love. (5). Blessed are the blameless in conscience, for they shall be at home with the God of Peace. (6). Blessed are the holy in word and deed, for they shall be united with the God of Strength. (7). Blessed are the unblemished in desire, for they shall rejoice with the God of Hope.

Our blessed Lord gives us the assurance that evil in both big issues and small ones can be overcome. And good men in every age have slain the swarming Goliaths of evil with the available instruments of their faith and courage and truth. "Blessed is the man that maketh the Lord his trust." (Psalm 40:4)

Mrs. Lynette Starks is still a patient in Hendricks Hospital in Abilene, Room 616C. She would enjoy a card from her many friends here in the community.

In a joint effort the three major churches of our community will be conducting a religious census the week of November 29th. Many new faces are seen about town in the last couple years, and our churches are interested to know them and their church affiliation. We need the cooperation of all local citizens.

THIS IS THE WEEK for Our Lord's Harvest Festival. We want to alert the whole community. The Country Store in Western Auto Building will be open both Friday and Saturday. If you would like some good baked goods come by and see us. And too, a Good Bar-B-Que Dinner will be served in the Fellowship Hall of Our Church on Saturday, beginning at 11:30. Tickets are on sale by several of Our members for the low price of \$2.00. If you don't get a ticket come by anyway for the upkeep and maintenance of Our Church property. We covet the support of Our Community in making Our Harvest Festival a success. Donations will be appreciated. Mr. Andy Griffin will be on hand both Friday and Saturday if you have something to share. We thank you in advance in the name of Our Lord.

Come by and visit with us. You are always welcome in Our Church. If we can be of help to you let us know. We would be happy to share the ministry of Our Lord with you.

Hubert Taylor

Church Of Christ

Today is the traditional Veteran's Day, until recently known as Armistice Day. On this occasion, for almost sixty years, our nation has honored those who gave their lives in defense of American ideals.

The act of laying one's life on the line, of exposing one's self to the ultimate sacrifice, has always symbolized the perfect example of dedication to a cause. It has been so in the human context and it is likewise the case in the spiritual sense. Jesus said, "Greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." (John 15:13). Of course, it is true that Jesus seemed to carry this complete commitment a step farther, in that "while we were yet enemies... Christ died for us." (Romans 5:6-11).

History likewise records abundantly instances of joyful martyrdom for the sake of the Christian faith: from Stephen (Acts 7), through James (Acts 12:1), through the early and extremely bloody years of the Gospel Era, to the present. Even as the deadly blade sped to accomplish its grisly mission, or the crackling flames leaped to extinguish the spark of human life, voices rang with conviction and sublime peace: "Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" (1 Corinthians 15:57).

It is at such a crucial moment as this: whether facing death or some other "fiery trail" (1 Peter 4:12), that the critical question comes: Do I really believe that "God is and is a rewarder of them that seek him." (Hebrews 11:6)? In the comfortable sanctuary of America, such a test is not likely to come for which we should be extremely grateful to God, but in a symbolic manner, the challenge nevertheless faces us as we are called upon to choose between right and wrong, between zeal or lukewarmness, between service and indifference (1 John 3:13-24).

Real faith must come from the Word of God (Romans 10:17). We invite you to attend our Bible classes, where the Scriptures are reverently read and discussed: on Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m. and the Assemblies: on Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.

This Wednesday evening (November 10) the adult class, meeting in the auditorium, will be studying the evidences from within the Bible itself and which demonstrates that it is from God. All are invited.

We regret very much the severe accident suffered by Dick Goldston last Sunday morning. He is awaiting surgery Thursday morning at Hendricks Hospital in Abilene (Room C708) to re-attach his lower facial bones to his skull, following a blow to the face at work. He appeared to have suffered no skull or brain damage.

Word was received that Rena McClanahan had her eye surgery in Ft. Worth last week and that all seemed to have gone well. She is at her daughter's (Mrs. Harold Shankle-Rt. 8, Box 379-V-Rancho Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76179).

Others of our number who have been sick include: Alice Harris, who is slightly improved, Willie Hughes, Buck Maples & Clifford Hale (about the same), Olene Claborn, Snova Walker, Ruth Middleton and others.

During the week of November 29, a Religious Census of Rising Star is planned. See other feature articles in the paper for details.

Also, don't forget the "Swine Flu Clinic (free shots) at the First Baptist building, on Friday, November 19.

God bless you with a good week. Call us if we can serve in any way.

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Society And Clubs

Mr. And Mrs. C. E. Chick Celebrate 50th Anniversary

More than 85 friends and relatives called to visit Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Chick Sunday as they observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary at the Community Center.

They came home to Big Lake to hold the event hosted by their children as they had returned January 5 to Rising Star where they had previously lived for about 17 years.

Mr. Chick started as a carpenter in that community and during the World War II had been in motor ordinance for four years at Camp Bowie near Brownwood, 38 miles from Rising Star. They had married Oct. 16, 1926 in the Valley Creek Community of Taylor County. They had six children, four now living who were present for the occasion.

Mrs. Hudson Reviews For Saturday Club

The Saturday Club met in regular meeting on Wednesday, November 3rd, at the City Library.

Mrs. Rex Hudson gave an interesting review of "Water Ship Down" by Richard Adams, a delightful story about animal life.

Mrs. Louis Mayfield was hostess for the occasion.

Mrs. Ed Witt, club president,

presided at the business meeting, with Mrs. Vera Ratcliff acting as secretary in the absence of Mrs. Horace White.

Lovely refreshments were served to sixteen members and six guests.

The Club will meet again on November 18, with Mrs. Conrad Schaeffer as hostess.

Olice B. Jones, Reporter

U.M.W. Meets With Mrs. Switzer

The United Methodist Women met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H.S. Switzer for the 6th study of the Decision For Destiny which was presented by Mrs. Switzer.

Mrs. Hubert Taylor presided with Mrs. Stock giving the opening prayer.

Mrs. Taylor read a letter from the District President and read the poem "Happiness is".

Mrs. Switzer gave the lesson on the Prophet Jeremiah and read the First Chapter of Jeremiah.

Mrs. J.R. Bucy discussed missions and blessing boxes were collected. Prayer for the sick and shut-ins was led by Mrs. John Stock.

Mrs. Switzer served coffee, nuts, cheese bits, olives, fruit salad and trisket crackers at the close of the program.

Ten members were present.

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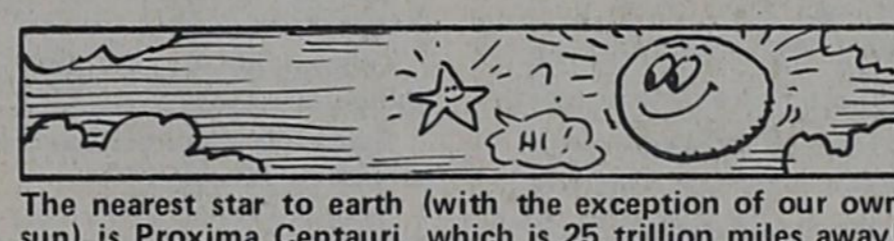
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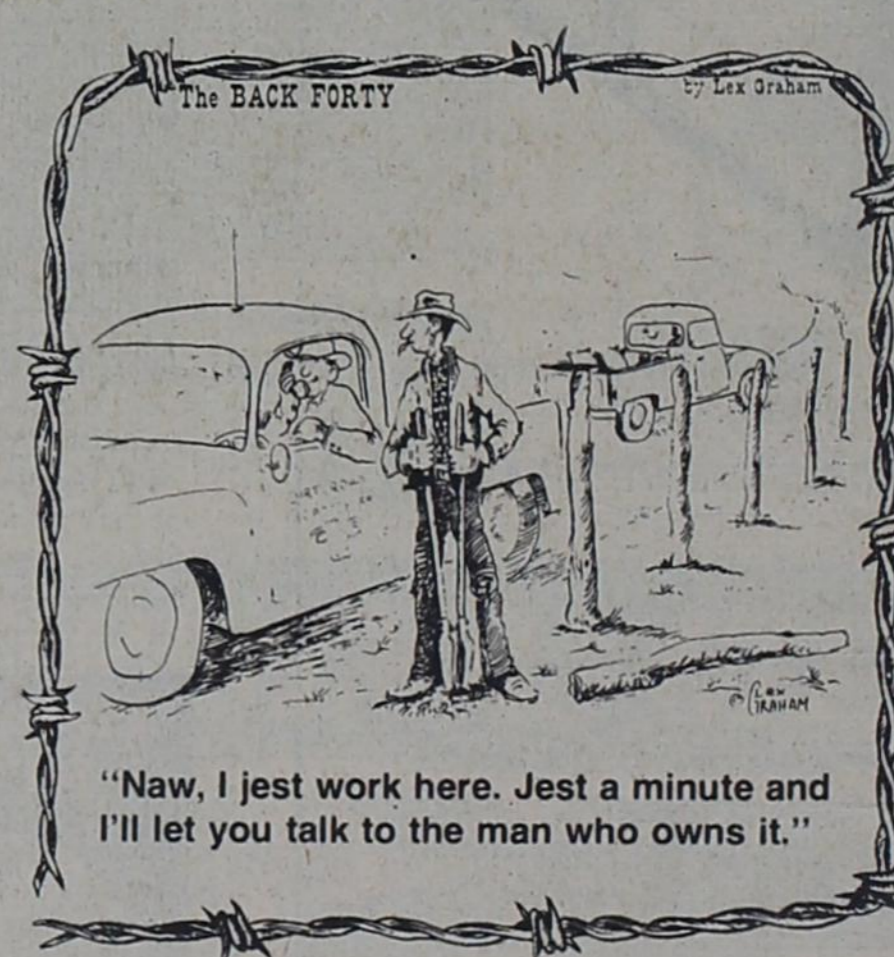
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Eastland County Oil News

EASTLAND Fine Petroleum Energy Inc. of Sherman will drill No. 4 Bishop in the regular field 12 miles south of Cisco on an 80-acre lease.

Having a proposed depth of 3,100 feet, it spots 330 feet from the south and 660 feet from the west lines of Section 46, Lavaca CSL Survey.

Earl King, Trustee, of Fort Worth will drill No. 2-B Alford in the Penn Field one mile north of Rising Star.

Drillsite is 1,050 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of the northeast quarter of Section 26, Block 2, ETRR Survey, A- 853.

Permit depth applied for is 3,040 feet to test the Caddo and Ranger pays.

STEPHENS- Tru Oil Inc. of Breckenridge will drill No. 2 Bob Grammer in the Little Cedar (Strawn) Field 15 miles north of Ranger on a 160-acre lease.

The planned 2,900-foot venture is located on a 160-acre lease.

It spots 2,310 feet from the south and 1,408 feet from the east lines of Section 20, Block 6, T&P Survey.

from perforations at 2,926 feet, treated with 750 gallons of acid. The pay was fractured with 20,000 gallons of water and 20,000 pounds of sand. Operator set the 4½-inch casing at 2,982 feet.

Total depth was 3,000 feet, and plugged back to 2,984 feet.

Enserch Exploration Inc. will drill No. 1 Robert E. Hamilton as a proposed 4,000-foot wildcat eight miles southwest of Cisco in Eastland County.

Drillsite is 2,173 feet from the south and 1,000 feet from the east lines of Section 112, Block 3, H&TC Survey, A- 1547.

The lease is composed of 320 acres.

Hamco Exploration & Development Co. of Dallas will drill two ventures in the Penn (Ranger) Field two miles north of Rising Star.

Both are slated for 3,300 feet. No. 1-F G. Dunn will be drilled 1,150 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of Section 27, Block 2, ETRR Survey, A- 1193.

Site for No. 3 G. Dunn is 330 feet from the north and east lines of Section 26, Block 2, ETRR Survey, A- 1023.

GeoDynamics Oil & Gas Inc. of Brownwood completed No. 2 CG Strooble in Eastland County six miles north of Rising Star in the Foster (Marble Falls) Field.

Location is 3,450 feet from the north and 9,577 feet from the east lines of John F. Sapp Survey 34, A- 435.

Daily potential was 62 barrels of 43 gravity oil, plus four barrels of water. It is pumping

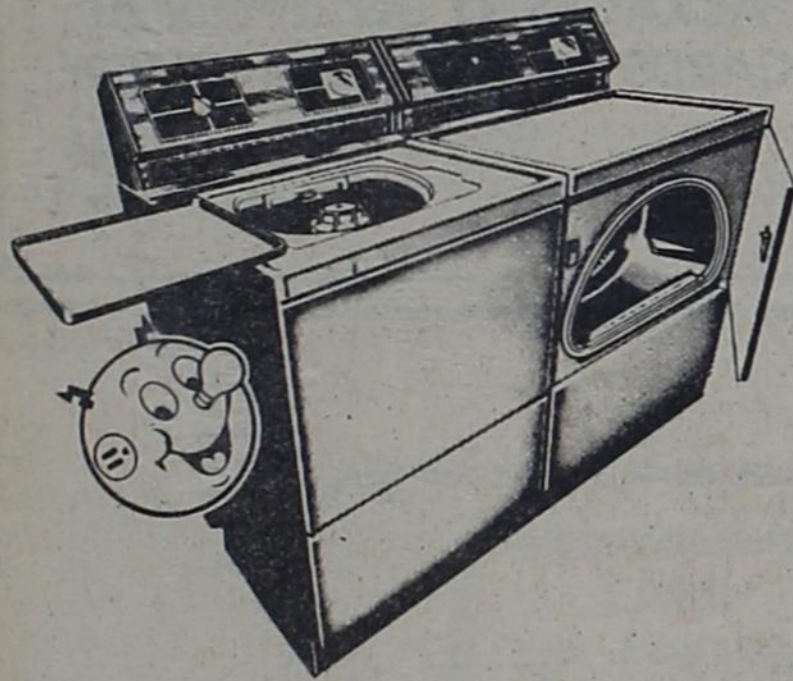
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The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN—The last thing a homeowner wants to discover during a hard autumn rainstorm is a damp spot forming on the ceiling. It's likely to mean a cold, blustery weekend spent up on the roof checking shingles instead of in front of a warm fire or watching an exciting football game on television.

If the problem is a relatively minor one, you can probably make the roof repair yourself. If you do decide to tackle the job, it's best to get to it right away before serious damage results.

Roofing specialists recommend that you inspect the roof just as soon as you notice a wet spot on the wall or ceiling. The location of the spot may tell you the cause of the trouble. If it's near a chimney or outside wall, check for defective or too-narrow flashing or for loose mortar joints.

If you're going to "do-it-yourself," be sure to replace missing or loose shingles with the same kind or with a piece of galvanized metal. In an emergency, you can make a temporary repair with metal from a tin or aluminum can. If you use metal, be sure to paint it on both sides and slip it under the shingle, being careful not to loosen the surrounding shingles.

You may find, upon inspection, that the job is too big for you to handle. If faced with major roof damage, it's often best to call in roofing experts to get the job done right, unless you are experienced and capable at home repairs.

If you have a complaint about a roofing contractor, contact the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division, your county or district attorney, or the Better Business Bureau.

week or two before a roofing specialist can get to your job, it may be a temptation to hire an itinerant roofing contractor who appears at your door looking for work.

Don't do it, our lawyers urge. It's far better to wait a bit and get the job done right by a reputable company or individual than to deal with an unknown itinerant who may do a poor job, leave the job half-finished, or skip town entirely with your money.

Most reputable contractors ask for payment when the job is completed according to prearranged specifications. Sometimes you will be asked to put some money down in advance, but never hand over the payment for the entire job in advance, or even give a major portion of it. There have been many cases in which an itinerant contractor asked for money in advance "for supplies and to hire some helpers," and then never returned to do the job.

Our lawyers recommend that you get estimates from three roofers and that you check with their previous customers before deciding to hire one. Then draw up a contract or written agreement spelling out what is to be done, starting and completion dates, types of materials, total cost, and the requirement that your approval be obtained in advance of any changes, substitutions, or increase in costs. Get the contractor's signature on the contract or agreement, and be sure to keep a copy of it.

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New Vehicle Registrations
Bob G. England-Chev. 4 dr.-Olden.
Bobby G. Edwards-Courier Pu-Eastland.
C.A. and Fannie Cox-Chev. 2 dr.-Bangs.
So. Savings and Loan-Chev. Suburban-Brownwood.
Larry N. Cashon-Chev. Pu-Stephenville.
James W. and Mattie Taylor-Chev. Pu-Ranger.
Mrs. Esco Walter-Olds 4 dr.-Eastland.
Paul Flinn-GMC Pkpw-Weatherford.
Earl L. Brown-Chev. 4 dr.-Colorado City.
Floyd G. Lindsey-Route 2-E Eastland.

91st District Court
Ramon Jimenez vs. Jerry Don Brett and Kenneth D. Henson-Suit for damages.
Monte C. Covington vs. Fay N. Perkins and Linda F. Davis-Suit for Damages.
First Natl. Bank, Gorman, vs. Charles Duran-Suit for Damages.
Pamela Lee. Baugh vs. Rickey Lynn Baugh-Divorce.
Leslie O. Lynch, Trustee vs. Western Hills Oil & Gas-Suit for damages.
First State Bank, Ranger vs. Reliance Insurance Co.-Suit for Damages.

Marriage Licenses
Russell Belton Whitehead and Vicki Anne Griggs.
James Landon Mamilton and Ethel Mae Moon.

Instruments Filed-Co. Clerks Office
William Rowe Aaron to Texas Elec. Ser. Co.-Esmt. R/W Edgar F. Altom to Comanche Crude Oil-OGL.
H.C. Abbs and others to The Public-Affid.

Truett Been and wife to Olney Sav. Assn.-Deed of Trust.
Boykin Bros. and others to Cook Lbr. Co.-Asgn OGL.
David Burch to W.E. McGough and wife-Warranty Deed.
Clarence D. Bloomer and wife to Sidney H. Webb and wife-Warranty Deed.
Dewey Cox Jr. to The Public-Affid.

Comanche Crude Oil To Bondurant Corp.-Asgn. OGL.
Comanche Co. kElectric Coop to U.S.A.-Mortgage Note.
Wanda Clinton and others to T.T. Shepard-Warranty Deed.
M.V. Cates and wife to James E. Farmer-Asgn of Contract S/P.
Dynamo Drilling Co. to McMurry Gathering System-Asgn. OGL.
J.T. Duncan to J.L. Ward and wife-Lake Lease.
James G. Dickinson and



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others to Comanche Crude Oil Corp.-OGL.
Joseph Stanton Edwards, dec'd to The Public-Proof of Heirship.
Equitable Life Assurance to Roy H. Simmons and wife-Par Rel D/T.
W.H. Ervin to Moultrie A Ervin-Power of Atty.
First Natl. Bk. Gorman To B.G. Brown Const. Co.-Deed of Trust.
First Natl. Bank, Cisco-To Mary I. Hammer and others Rel Deed of Trust.
James M. Fisher to 1st St. Bk. Ranger Deed of Trust.
D.G. Fambrough and wife to Clovis C. Hines and wife-Warranty Deed.

1st St. Bk. Rising Star to K. & H. Joint Venture-OGL.
J.W. Ferguson, dec'd To The Public-Proof of Heirship.
Lucille Furr to D.I. Sessums Warranty Deed.
Larry Gage to CNS Exploration Co.-Asgn. OGL.

Edgar T. Gregory and wife to Comanche Crude Oil-OGL.
D.O. Gaudney, dec'd to The Public-Proof of Heirship.
Tommy Gaudney and others to W.E. McGough and wife-Warranty Deed.
H.L. Gray to K&H Joint Venture-Subord V/L.
M.B. Gilbert to The Public-Affid.

Ima Lou Haley to Southwestern Bell-R/W.
C.T. Hord, dec'd To The Public-Affid.
Charles M. Hutto to Olney Sav. Assn.-Deed of Trust.
Eddie B. Harding and wife to D.G. Fambrough-Deed of Trust.

William L. Hope Jr. to Johnny Vinson-OGL.
Robert L. Hill to Robert O. Gettelman-Asgn. OGL.
E.A. Ivey and wife to Jerry Kent Davis-Warranty Deed.
Janta Pet. Co. to Max Penn-Asgn. OGL.

Troy Johnson and wife to 1st Natl. Bk. Gorman-Deed of Trust.
Elmer K. Koen and wife to John C. Koen-Warranty Deed.
Clifton Ray Kanady and wife to Doyle Lee Kanady to Olney Sav. Assn.-MML & Asgn.
Erma Kelly, dec'd to The Public-Proof of Heirship will attached.
Frances Hope Love and others to Johnny Vinson-OGL.
James Albert Larmon and

OGML.
J.A. Lyle and wife to Veteran's Ld. Bd.-Warranty Deed.

Truman Miller and wife to 1st St. Bk. Ranger-Deed of Trust.
Jessie L. Mangum and others to H.L. Sims-Warranty Deed.
W.E. McGough and wife to 1st Natl. Bk. Cisco-Deed of Trust.
Olney Sav. Assn. To Robert E. O'Neal and wife-Rel D/T.
Olney Sav. Assn. to Wesley Stiffler and wife-Rel D/T.
Wayne Pryor and wife to Houston Weeks-Warranty Deed.

Lee Roy Pearson Jr., and wife to Tex. Elec. Sav.-Esmt. and R/W.
Max Penn to Paul Pendley-Asgn OGL.
Nancy D. Phillips Indv. to Troy Johnson-Warranty Deed.
Edward A. Ponder to E.D. Sallie-Asgn. OGL.

Ranger Athletic Mf. Co. to 1st St. Bk. Ranger-Deed of Trust.
Myrtle Lee Ratliff dec'd to The Public-Proof of heirship.
T.L. Smyth and wife to Bobby Jack White and wife-Warranty Deed.
Nancy Jane Sims, dec'd to The Public-Proof of heirship.
Ulala Squires to Roscoe L. Seay, Jr. and Wife-Warranty Deed.

Glen S. Schreiner and others to Harwin D. Cook-OGML.
Southeastern Resources Corp to Charles W. Ingham-Par Asgn. OGL.
T.T. Shepard to Fed. Ld. Bk. Houston-Deed of Trust.
Roy H. Simmons, Indv. to H. Dail Ables and Wife-Warranty Deed.

Gordon H. Turner and wife to 1st St. Bk. Ranger-Deed of Trust.
Larry Terrell and wife to Tex Elec Serv. Co.-Esmt. and R/W.
L.W. Tucker to Comanche Crude Oil-OGL.
Tra-C Oil and Gas to Artex Oil Co. Asgn. OGL.
U.S.A. to Jimmy Cotton dba Rel Fed Tax Lien.

U.S.A. To Troy Johnson and wife-Rel Deed of Trust.
Bobby Jack White and wife-To Olney Sav. Assn.-Deed of Trust.
W.P. Watkins and wife to Ralph Hogsten and wife-Warranty Deed.
A.V. Westmoreland dec'd to The Public-Proof of Heirship.

Ward Homes, Inc. to Commercial Natl. Bk. Brady-Deed of Trust.

United States of America To Elmer L. Simmons and others — Rel. Tax Lien.

United States of America To William H. Terry — Rel. Hed. Tax Lien.

United States of America To John B. Swint — Rel. Hed. Tax Lien.

Veteran's Land Board To Harvey E. Franklin — Deed warranty.

Jim L. Webb to Linton Bateas and wife — Warranty Deed.

Cathy A. R. Woods To O.M. Crowder — Quit Claim Deed.
Max H. Witt Estate To The Public — Cent. Of no inheritance Tax Due.

Austin Williamson, Jr. and others To K.M. Williamson — Power of atty.
Raymond E. Winigor and wife To DTri Mark Dev. Inc. — asgn.

Western Hills O&G To Tra-C Oil&Gas — asgn OGL.

Western Hills O&G To David A. Keener and others — asgn.OGL.

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The following proceedings were held in the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas:

Motion Submitted
John Thomas Griffin v. Dr. John R. Phillips. Appellant's motion for rehearing. Harris J.M. Naftalis, et al v. Robert E. Rankin, et al. Appellant's motion for leave to file amended motion for rehearing. Knox Motion Granted

J.M. Naftalis, et al. v. Robert E. Rankin, et al. Appellant's motion for leave to file amended motion for rehearing. Knox Motion Overruled
John Thomas Griffin V. Dr. John R. Phillips. Appellant's motion for rehearing. Harris.

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Wildcat Tales

Toward New Horizons

Hi! This week in FHA we had a speaker, Mrs. Judy Caton. She was from West Texas Utilities, and she spoke on the new ovens and how to work with them. We really enjoyed her alot. Also this week the Freshman girls made some egg dishes. They were really good. The FHA'ers are going to sell cookbook, and they really have some good recipes in them. We hope everyone will help. Well I guess that's it for now.

Do RE Mi

Last Friday night the band presented its Sweetheart, Becky Wilson, at the half-time show. She was escorted by her father, Mr. Clinton Wilson, who presented her with a bouquet of yellow mums. The band also got her a charm for her charm bracelet.

The band also recognized Mr. Payton Scott for the help he gave the band when Mr. Davis was ill. Thanks Mr. Scott.

We would also like to thank everyone else who has supported us during the marching season, especially our great Band Boosters.

We really appreciate it!!!
Signing off,
Donna

Rah! Rah! Rah!

Well last week was a very exciting week. We WON!!! 30-12. I thought they played a great game against the 4th ranked team in the State. Well football is over now until the year 1977. We will be planning the All Sports Banquet, and I'll be letting you know about it later on in the year. At that time we will find out who the cheerleaders of 1977 will be. Until then, Rah! Rah! Rah!
Carolyn

Junior News

It was a very bad day for Rosebud on election day. Rosebud was running for senator, and he was the only congressman running. He didn't get it because he promised no school at all, now nobody can beat that!!

In American History we are reading Chapter 9. In English III we are reading short stories. We're trying to help Mrs. Casey name her new puppy. She hasn't done too good a job so far. In typing we are having speed tests. In Algebra II they are doing "it" and please don't ask me what that is. In Chemistry they are learning about chemicals.

If anyone is looking for a turkey, the Junior class has one - R.U. We also have a nice supply of chickens or roosters, but only one frog. That is R.B.

The girls played May Tuesday night but they lost. Thursday night we played Eula and won. Yea!!! WSee ya next week.
Diana

Sophomore News

This is the week we start quarter test
RS

Sophomore News

This is the week we start quarter tests. Friday night we beat the number four team in State. The score was 30-12. Yeah!!

The Ag. boys are going to Stephenville for a chapter conducting team. We wish them alot of luck. Well, I'd better hit the books.

See ya next week,
Kirk

High School News

Sports have turned a page for our boys leaving in Rising Star High History a wonderful season. The whole student body and I'm sure all our backers were very very proud of our Wildcats last Friday night when they embarrassed the 4th ranked Evant Eldks during the last game of the season with a 30-12 victory. Now the girls and boys both are working hard to have a winning season in Basketball. The girls have already played two games one won; one lost. The boys started this week preparing for their game against Sidney scheduled for next Tuesday night. We want you all to come and back us at our games!

Six weeks and Quarter test have kept both students and teachers busy this week. But like we all like to think things will be better tomorrow! until next week,
Pam

The Ag. III class is studying animal science. The other classes are studying Chapter Conducting. The Chapter Conduction team is still working hard for the district contest. We are having a Farm Radio team this year for the district contest. (Let's all wish our Ag. guys lots of luck in this contest - editor)

gWildCat Country

Wildcats win! The Wildcats ended their 1976 football season with a victory over No. 4 rated, by the Harris Pole, and No. 7 by the AP, Evant. The 'Cats won 30-12 in the big upset for the week in State Class B football as stated by the Associated Press. We also came in second in the East Zone behind Gorman for the second year. We

ended at 7-2-1 on the year. Here's how he District ended up for the year.

East Zone

District.....	Season
Gorman.....	4-09-0
Rising Star.....	3-17-2-1
Evant.....	2-28-2
Blanket.....	1-32-8
Lometa.....	0-42-7

West Zone

District.....	Season
Eden.....	5-08-2
Richland.....	4-17-3
Springs.....	3-24-6
Santa Anna.....	3-24-6
Bronte.....	2-32-8
Irion Coun.....	1-41-9
Miles.....	0-40-9

Eden defeated Richland Springs 29-14 for the West Zone title, and play Gorman this week for the District 6-B title. Next week I will GIVE THE RESULTS AND GIVE A BREAKDOWN OF HOW THE TEAMS RATE WITH BOTH ZONES PUT TOGETHER. I will also give a statistical rundown and a preview of the district play-off games.

The Cats now start basketball. "7-2-1" What a Season!!!
Ken

APPLE FACTS AND FIGURES

Yes, there really was a Johnny Appleseed. He was John Chapman, born in Massachusetts in 1774. The pioneers called him Johnny Appleseed because he tramped for 40 years over the Ohio Valley, planting apple seeds and giving packets of seeds to families moving westward in covered wagons. He was a kindly man, and he apparently had great endurance—possibly from eating so many apples—because he saved Mansfield, Ohio, from massacre by running 60 miles through the night for troops.

People in the News

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Harding and children of Alvin spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Harding.

Mrs. Stanley Collins from Canyon, Texas has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Millner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberts and daughter, Robin, of Ennis were weekend visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Milner, Mrs. Della Roberts and other relatives.

Mrs. Irma Carter from Las Cruces, New Mexico has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lessie Smith. She returned to her home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith from Denver, Colorado are guests of his mother Mrs. Lessie Smith this week.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Ada Holamon over the weekend were: La Rue Holamon and friend from Longview; a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Willett of Ft. Worth; and Mr. and Mrs. George Scruggs of Abilene.

Mrs. Mildred Childers attended the homecoming activities at Baylor University, where her son, Russell is a junior student.

Mr. and Mrs. George Steel attended Parents Day and Homecoming activities at Hardin-Simmons University on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B.G. Kinard have returned from an extended vacation in the northeastern states, where they visited their daughter and her family in Olathe, Kansas, toured Washington, D.C. and other points of interest in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sparkman of May have recently returned from a European tour.

Obituaries

Floyd Martin

Services for Floyd D. Martin, 76, of May were held on Monday at 2:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of May, Higginbotham Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Burial was in May cemetery with Masonic graveside rites. Rev. Eddie Martin will officiate. Mr. Martin died at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at a Cisco hospital following a long illness.

He was born July 5, 1900 in Brown County and was a member of the First Baptist Church of May. He was a retired county employee.

Survivors include his wife; a son D.F. Martin and his wife June, of Brownwood; a daughter, Dorothy Bourland of Dallas; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Ray V. Falls, of Llano, Texas, died at 1:00 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 23, 1976, at Llano Memorial Hospital. Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Monday at Waldrop Funeral Home in Llano. Mr. Newman, Minister of Llano Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in Cherokee Cemetery. Born Dec. 17, 1908, in Rising Star, he was married to Thelma Houston Pollock in 1952 in San Angelo, Texas.

Survivors include his wife, Thelma Falls, Llano; one son, Larry of Snyder; a daughter, Mrs. Robert Harrison of Dothan, Ala; two step children; Jimmie N. Pollock of Artesia, N.M.; and Mrs. Geraldine Fry of Burnett, Tex.; a brother, L.D. Falls of Bowie, Texas; three sisters, Mrs. Claude Hill of Grandview, Texas, Mrs. A.C. Halsell of Cross Plains, and Mrs. Jim Cottrell of Alvarado, Tex.; four grandchildren and eleven step-grandchildren, and five step-great-grandchildren.

Thursday, November 11, 1976

Rate Your Telephone Service

This survey of the quality of telephone service is conducted for utilization by the City of Rising Star in analyzing the proposed rate increase presently pending before the Public Utility Commission. It is necessary that those survey cards be signed and returned as soon as possible. If you have any specific complaints or comments, please make your comments in writing to the City.

The following telephone survey questionnaire was received by Mrs. Lavonne White, City Secretary. The public is urged to fill out this form and return it to City Hall in order that a study may be made concerning the proposed rate increase presently pending before the Public Utilities Commission.

The Rising Star area is serviced by Continental Telephone Company who are presently requesting this rate increase. Additional forms may be obtained at City Hall - - - please come by and fill one out. Those mailed should be returned to City Hall, P.O. Box 35, Rising Star, Texas 76471.

TELEPHONE SURVEY NOVEMBER, 1976

1. Rate the overall quality of telephone service.
(circle one)
Excellent - - Above average - - Average - -
Below average - - Poor
2. Rate the quality of Direct Dial Service.
Excellent - - Above average - - Average - -
Below average - - Poor

3. Rate the quality of Local service.
Excellent - - Above average - - Average - -
Below average - - Poor
4. How do the present telephone rates compare to the quality of service.
Low - - High - - Fair - - Excessive

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Please return telephone survey forms by November 15.

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3 envelopes unflavored gelatin
1 bottle (1 pound, 1 ounce) India mango chutney, chopped
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2 can (11 ounces each) mandarin oranges, drained

Combine cranberries, sugar and 2 cups of water. Simmer 10 minutes. Mix gelatin and remaining 2 cups water. Stir gelatin mixture into hot cranberries. Chill until slightly thickened. Fold in chutney, celery and oranges. Pour mixture into a 2-quart mold. Chill until firm. To unmold, dip mold into lukewarm water for a few seconds, tap to loosen and invert onto platter. Garnish with bite-size greens, orange slices and celery curls if desired.

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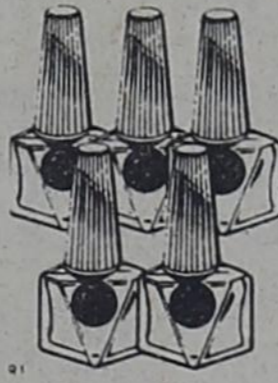
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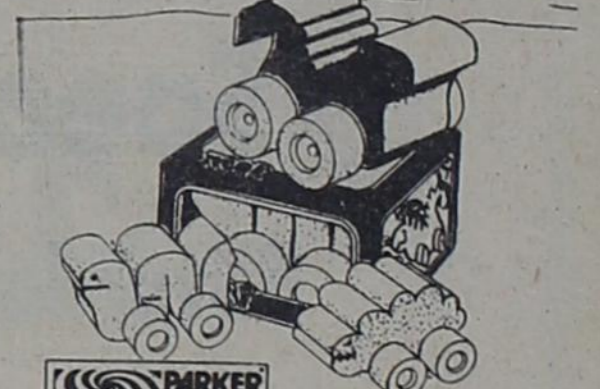


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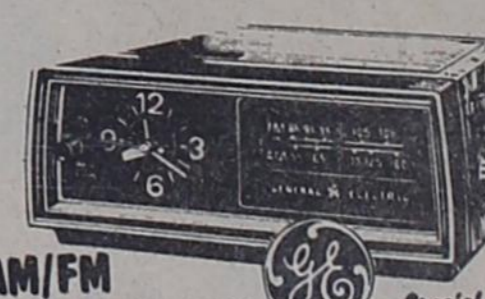
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New Tax Legislation Affects Estate Planning

COLLEGE STATION.—The new tax legislation that has just become law will have a big effect on farm and ranch families, contends Tom Prater, an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Most of the legislation is effective after Dec. 31, 1976, although gifts are effective as of Sept. 8, and trusts as of April 30.

"One item in the legislation that will affect the estate planning and management of Texas farm and ranch families will be the 'current use base' for establishing the value of farm and ranch lands," says Prater. "This will reduce the valuation below the fair market value approach which is now used."

However, there are qualification considerations for using the "current use" value: —50 per cent or more of the adjusted value of the gross estate consists of real and personal farm and ranch property and passes to a qualified heir (member of family).

—25 per cent or more of the adjusted value of the gross estate consists of such real property.

—Such properties use for which five of the past eight years before the descendant's death was qualified and was used in business in which the descendant or a member of the descendant's family materially participated.

"The new tax law will also increase the exemption level as far as estate taxes are concerned," points out Prater. "A unified tax table would include estate taxes and gifts."

The economist cites these examples of estate taxes. Starting in 1977, there will be a tax credit of \$30,000 for any

estate having a death; \$34,000 in 1978; \$38,000 in 1979; \$42,000 in 1980; and \$47,000 in 1981 and thereafter. Comparing this to the exemption equivalent would mean \$120,667 in 1977; \$134,000 in 1978; \$147,333 in 1979; \$161,563 in 1980; and \$175,625 in 1981 per individual.

The new tax bill also provides a change in marital deductions, enabling one spouse to leave \$250,000 or one-half of the estate, whichever is greater, to the surviving spouse. In addition to this deduction, there is an additional \$100,000 lifetime marital deduction gift exemption that one spouse can give to the other spouse with no tax, notes Prater. This has to come from separate property.

"Another important feature is the privilege of paying estate taxes over 15 years at 4 per cent interest if 65 per cent of the adjusted tax estate qualifies as a farm, ranch or closely held business. The federal government will have a first lien on property during this period of tax payout," explains Prater.

The recapture of estate taxes is also affected by the new legislation. If a farm or ranch is sold out of a family within 10 years, estate taxes on the total fair market value can be recaptured. If the property is held 10 to 15 years, the taxes can be partially recaptured.

State of Texas inheritance laws remain the same.

"All of these plus other changes brought on by the new tax legislation make it important for managers and owners of farms and ranches to review and revise estate plans so that all management opportunities are realized," emphasizes Prater.

CJC Announces Nursing Home Administrative Program

Cisco Junior College officials have announced that a 200-hour program in NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATION will begin at their Cisco campus in the spring semester of 1977, registration for which will be held in mid-January.

The various NHA courses to be offered will be the first taught by the Cisco college in several years. The reason for the proposed program, according to Technical-Vocational Dean Gerald Bint, is that a new state law requires that new administrators of nursing homes have a specified amount of college training in order to be certified.

Dean Bint further stated that a new law requiring nursing home administrators to have an associate, or two-year, college degree has been temporarily suspended in order to fill the present need, but in the near future the legal requirement of the degree would be reinstated. In the meantime, a 200-hour program, consisting of five three-credit courses is the minimum requirement, for certification.

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The dean also stated that the new law requiring the associate degree for nursing home administrators would be strictly enforced by the state as soon as there is an adequate supply of qualified applicants with the 200-hour certification to fill the present need.

The five courses taken by a student in order to fulfill the 200 hour requirements will all be applicable towards an associate degree for any who wish to continue the program later, Bint said.

Mr. Bint emphasized that the classes would be held at convenient meeting times for students - during the day, evening or even on weekends (Saturday and/or Sunday classes). He also said that it was extremely important that interested students get in touch with either him or Executive Dean Carroll Scott between now and January 1. "We can offer as much as the needs dictate," he said, and he even suggested that the college could

hold classes during both daytime and evening or weekend hours if there were sufficient numbers of people wanting the program at the different times.

"This is a last-chance opportunity to become qualified and licensed as a nursing home administrator without having to take the full two year associate degree college program," he reiterated.

The spring semester NHA program will include five courses out of a possible ten, and all will be semester-length, ending in early May. A student may take any number of the classes - from only one to all five. The program will also continue into the two five-week summer semesters and into the fall term of 1977 providing the interest continues.

The costs will follow the colleges' schedule of tuition and fees, which are: 3 hours - \$47.50; 6 hours - \$59.00; 9 hours - \$92.50; 12 hours - \$112.00; and 15 hours - \$124.75. The costs do not include textbooks which may be needed in some classes.

There are no admission requirements other than a high school diploma or the establishment of high school equivalency through a satisfactory score on a General Educational Development (GED) test, Bint said. He also stated that the Management of the Nursing Home; Nutrition and Quality Foods; and Nursing Internship.

Dean Bint, in conclusion, once again underscored the importance of interested students getting in touch with him during the next few weeks. "The only way we can know the extent of the demand for this program is for prospective students to inform us of their interest. They may see either Dean Scott or me at our CJC campus offices, or may telephone either of us at 817-442-2567."

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CANCER ANSWER LINE

American Cancer Society
M. D. Anderson Hospital
and Tumor Institute

A farm manager writes: "Recently in a magazine that comes with the Sunday paper, I read an article about cancer centers being the only place to go if you are unlucky enough to get cancer. What about my own doctor and our local hospital? Aren't they able to handle cancer any more?"

ANSWERline: Local doctors and hospital staffs are crucial to saving lives from cancer because they are usually the first to discover the disease. This being "on-the-scene" is very important because when it comes to cancer, early diagnosis and prompt treatment offer the key to cure. Medical societies and the American Cancer Society constantly provide information to keep local physicians informed about the latest in cancer diagnosis and treatment. This is accomplished by publishing special medical journals, holding conferences and providing films and tape cassettes for hospital or office use. The comprehensive cancer centers further this "updating" by maintaining "outreach" programs with physicians in the field. The centers themselves couldn't possibly handle the one million Americans who will be under care for cancer this year. However, the center's specialists are always available to local doctors for consultation and guidance. For some forms of cancer, childhood leukemia, for example, which involves complicated treatment, the patient may be treated at the center itself. Comprehensive centers

and specialized centers are involved in clinical trials of new kinds of treatment for different forms of cancer. Patients can be informed about them by asking local physicians, their local American Cancer Society Unit, or their nearest center.

A woman asks: "I am beginning to think that it might not be the best thing in the world to take estrogen just to help one over the change of life because of the possible cancer risk. But doesn't estrogen really help some women?"

ANSWERline: There are some very sound medical reasons for giving careful doses of estrogen to certain women during menopause. A painful change in vaginal tissue or severe "hot flashes" are examples of conditions that can be improved. However, each individual woman's condition must be assessed on a personal basis and her whole health history taken into account. A physician has to make the decision about the types of therapy and give a full explanation of the benefits and risks to the patient.

Do you have further questions? Call your local unit of the American Cancer Society or call M. D. Anderson Hospital & Tumor Institute's Cancer Information Service, 1-800-392-2040 toll-free in Texas, 792-3245 in the Houston area.

Thursday, November 11, 1976

FARM EQUIPMENT AUCTION

Sat.---Nov. 13-- 1:30 p.m.
J.D. Brown Farm

10 mi. South of Bangs on Farm Road 586 (Trickham Rd.) Mr. Brown is quitting farming & will sell the following by public auction.

d-19 Allis Chalmers turbo charged diesel Tractor (new tires). Model 30 Ferguson Tractor. H. Farmall Tractor w 2 row planter & cultivator DC Case Tractor 3 pt. butane (new overhaul). Gleaner Baldwin self propelled combine w 14 ft. header. John Deere 16-8 grain drill. Case 16-8 grain drill 1948 Chevrolet grain truck w good 13 ft. hyd. dump bed (motor bad). 1950 Dodge grain truck w 13 ft. bed (Motor overhauled-good cond). 16 disk Krause One-way (late model). 11 ft. wheel type tandem. 6 ft. wheel type shredder. 8ft drag type tandem. 3 pt. spring tooth harrow. 5 section harrow. Ferguson 11 shank 3 pt. cultivator. Ferguson 3 pt. 2 row planter. Case 3 pt. 4 row planter. 11 ft. single axle stock trailer. Feed mill. 2 wheel utility trailer. Continental sprayer. 500 gal. Propane tank. 250 gal. propane tank. 2- water tanks. Older Dodge pickup (needs repair) 6 in. 16 ft. grain auger w gas motor. 4 in. 10 ft. grain auger w elec. motor Forge & blower.

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1/2 teaspoon flavoring
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Beat softened cream cheese. Add one cup powdered sugar and mix until smooth. Blend in flavoring and appropriate food color. (If using paste color, a generous scoop with the wide end of a toothpick is a good start.) Now add remaining powdered sugar. It may be necessary to knead mixture until smooth. It should be like stiff pie dough. Pinch off a small piece of dough (about 1/2 teaspoon), form into small ball, roll in granulated sugar. Press into candy mold and unmold immediately onto wire rack. Makes 70 to 90 mints, depending on mold used. (The leaf mold uses a scant 1/2 teaspoon candy mixture, the daisy, a generous one, and the rose, just an average one.)

Questions and Answers



If you are reaching the age at which you plan to retire or file for Medicare, there are a few things concerning your proof of age that will help avoid long delays at the local social security office.

You are required to furnish a birth certificate or a baptismal record if one of those records were made before age five. Either would be sufficient to establish your age.

If you do not have a birth record made before age five, a delayed birth certificate recorded before age 55 is generally acceptable.

Though most records are helpful in establishing the proper date of birth, the older the record, the more valid it would be. Some of the more common supportive records of birth, you might have are: Some

a school record, your children's birth certificate, a church record, insurance, policies, a Bible or other family record, military record, passport, old driver's license, or old voter's registration.

If you do not have a delayed birth certificate, it is not necessary for social security purposes to obtain one. A delayed birth certificate is only as good as the supporting evidence you furnished to get the certificate. This supporting evidence would be as good for the Social Security decision as a delayed birth certificate based on that evidence.

If you have questions about any date of birth verification requirements please feel free to telephone 698-1360 in Abilene on any weekday between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

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Twilite Acre News

Eva Ashworth
By the Residents

Louise Clark and Elsie Chriswell served cake and punch to the residents Tuesday, in honor of Dollie Clark's 93rd Birthday. Her sons Wade and Buck Clark furnished the beautiful cake.

Mary Hord, Marth Irby and Alice Griffin enjoyed the domino games at the American Legion Hall for Senior Citizens which is observed each Tuesday afternoon at 1 p.m.

We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Duggan from our circle. Mrs. Duggan went to the Doctor Wednesday and he let them go home. Everyone will miss them so much.

The Prayer circle group waited until Wednesday afternoon to have the Bible study and film, Mrs. Winnie Stock, Mrs. Della Webb, Mrs. Anna Baker, Mrs. Elsie Criswell and Mrs. Leta Hicks was a guest. The Residents enjoyed the singing very much. Thanks ladies.

Opal and Finis Irwin of Brownwood and Mrs. Ima Crooks of May visited with Thrum and Nell Garner.

Bet Millwee and Omie Henderson enjoyed a visit from Evelyn Monsey, Norene Boggs, Grace Morrison, kMr. and Mrs. Jack Millwee and daughter, Margaret, Herbert Henry and Beulah Stodghill.

Mrs. Louis Johnson and Mrs. Perry Evans of Abilene Texas gave each side a pocket new testament.

Grace Morrison, Norend Boggs, U.Z. Aaron, Mrs. Hudson and Hallie Hill visited Martha Irby and Hester Miller.

A.W. Griin, Nell Cooper, Owen and Elda Aiken and Alpha Hogan dropped in to see Alice Griffin and Hattie Boatman. Alpha also visited Dolly Clark and Josie Hammonds.

in from Cross Plains, as he does each day to see Madge his wife. So good to see some one who takes time to come each day.

Mrs. Robert Duggan, Gari Sue Maynard and U.Z. Aaron and Stella Copeland of May dropped in to see Edna Barnes and Mattie Knight Stella and Edna have been friends for years.

Delta and George Webb and Winnie Stock came by to see Leo Atkinson and Buster Rixford. Leo went home with the Webbs for a good home cooked meal.

Opal Hill, U.Z. Aaron, Bob Medford, Hallie Hill, Mrs. Ira Swift and Steve (Hosshide) Williams of Clyde Texas, and Ladell Key came by to see Bertie Medford and Loraine Williams.

Neil Maynard, Earl and Clara Epley, Corbett and Vance McDaniel of May all dropped in to see Ernest McDaniel and Bryant Houston.

Opal Hill, Elvis and Sue Yocham of Hillsboro and U.Z. Aaron dropped by to see Leah Yocham and Mary Hammett.

Mrs. Nancy Matthews had visitors from out of town this week - Bill Watson of Pampa, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming of Pioneer. Nancy had a minor operation on her hand last week. Said it is feeling better today.

Roxie Shearrow dropped in to see her father, George Williams and Charley Talbott.

Nona Saunders of Abilene and U.Z. Aaron came by to see Mary Hord.

Earl and Clara Epley, Ben and Alvis Kinar, Mrs. Opal Criswell visited with Lorenzo Epley and Willie Cooper. The Kinaras have been on a months vacation.

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Zenovia Strickland, Ava Childers and Evelyn Monsey dropped in to see Madge Hornsby. Alton Hornsby came

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October 29

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Tabby Chambers
Bill Owen
Bob Cohen

October 30

Mildred Hounsel
L.C. Hounsel
Brad Carroll
Dwight Hutchinson

October 31

Ada Clark
Grady Bush, Sr.

November 1

Vicki Jean Harvey
Andy Robinson
Edward Markham

November 2

Dolly Clark
Delta Webb
Pat Howard

November 3

Jack Bibby
L.D. Bond
Elma Grace Green
Lanham Burkhalter

November 4

Carter Hounsel
Ruby Morris
Gary Wilson
Donald Martin

November 5

Larry Wilson
Trudi Long
E.B. Harding
Randy Kinsey
Raymond Thompson
Ben H. Moore
Julia Ann Lindley

November 6

Blanche Cawley
Harry Anderson
Bryan Brown
Vina White
Allen Morris
Bob Winfrey

November 7

Bufford Carr
Texas Viola Harden
I.T. Alford

November 8

R.D. Williams
E.L. Busbee
Brent Wilson

November 9

Letha Maynard
James B. Jones
Bob Clark
Newman Jones

November 10

May E. Setser
Nora Yancy
Gwendolyn Winfrey
Alta Scruggs
Calvin McDaniel

November 11

L.J. Linney
Lynette Starks

November 12

Bettye C. Jones
Woody Chambers
Rita Gibson
Olene Claborn
Russell Poyner

November 13

Naomi Burns
Gertie Smith
Marilyn Wilson

November 14

Henry Lamb
Beatrice Hellums

November 15

Joe Fox
Vernon Walker
Mamie Joyce
Joe Wayne Crisp
A.J. Butler

November 16

James Underwood
L.J. Coker
Clarence Gales

November 17

Calvin Woody
Howard Lawrence
Rhea Mayfield

November 18

Doug Bass
Louise Bailey
Annie Lester
Michelle Renay McCutcheon
Opal Atwood

Pioneer News

- Mrs. A.C. Halsell

From the eyes of a small child about two generations ago, as written by Virginia Cary Hudson in her "O Ye Jigs and Jeleps!

Education is what you learn in books, and nobody knows you know it but the teacher. I asked Mrs. Harris--what good Marco Polo would ever do me, and Mrs. Harris said education gave you satisfaction, but I had rather be ignorant and have fun than be educated and have satisfaction.

The Library is full of dust. In the Library are three kinds of books. Books people like to read. Books people do not like to read, and books people never will read.

Everlasting Life is what God gives you and you can't get rid of it.

Etiquette is what you are doing and saying when people are looking and listening. What you are thinking is your business.

Visiting during the week with Mrs. Ethel Brown were Lou Grider and Velma Brown of Pioneer, and Mrs. Halsell, Cora Howland and Lois Garrett of Cross Plains; on Thursday Mrs. Joe La Roux and two children, and Mrs. Roylene Rice of San Angelo, who brought Mrs. Billie King to visit her aunt Ethel during the weekend. Mrs. King will return to her home Monday.

Visiting the A.C. Halsells on Friday was Rev. John Swift and on Saturday was Mrs. Lois Garrett, both of Cross Plains.

Estelle Huntington of Brownwood spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fore and attended the 42 Party at the Club house.

Weekend before last Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Beggs had two of their children visit them. They are Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Beggs and children of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Beggs of Waco. At that time Mr. and Mrs. Beggs had just returned from Sulphur, Oklahoma where they had been visiting in the home of her mother, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Young.

Ray and Gloria Curry, of Abilene, had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Norris Saturday. Their visitors for lunch Sunday were Mrs T.O. Powell, Mrs. Ruby McCowan, Naomi McCowan, Bobby McCowan, and E.M. Curry. Annie Hill of Corona, Calif., visited the Norris couple Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris had lunch one day during the week with Mr. and Mrs. T.O. Powell Cross Plains. They also visited Mrs. Blanch Brooks, about thirty-five people attended singing at the Norris home Friday night. They came from Cross Cut, Cross Plains, Rising Star, and Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Foster of Abilene spent Saturday getting fire wood for their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Foster. Mrs. Foster reports good interest shown at the Tuesday Quilting at the Club House; also an enjoyable occasion, Thursday night at the Family Night Party.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rody visited them during the weekend. They are Mr. and Mrs. N.A. Rody, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Freeman, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rody and sons Art and Calvin of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rody, Cindy and George of Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Bob McNeil of Baird and Joe McNeil of Dallas.

Mrs. Jay Kirkham and Mrs. Kate Watson of Cross Plains, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleming Sunday.

Mrs. Fleming reports that her mother, Mrs. Mathews, is recovering normally since she had surgery on her hand.

Mrs. Halsell returned home Tuesday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sue Taylor and family, in Denton.

Mr. Roy Sessums of Eufis; Mr. D.I. Sessums of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Lottie Sooter and Mrs. Winnie Flippin of Pioneer, all visited in the Bill Sessums home recently.

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