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Through The Editor's Specs

By BAE

What we have just come through these months just past in a process of choosing a leader for the greatest nation on earth is a heartening demonstration of why we are the greatest nation on earth.

To many of our critics abroad—and at home—the long, sometimes turbulent elective process appears as a foolish waste of time and national energy.

The answer is, of course, that a national campaign that serves to unify and direct a nation a nation can be a waste of energy.

The political conventions, the events leading up to them, as riotous and angry as they sometimes might have been, the campaign itself, and particularly its denouement, as the fiction writer would term it, are proof that a country of 200 millions of ethnic diversity and conflicting ideals, can fashion a clear national decision.

It is said that a goodfight tends to clear the air. That is something of what happened in the campaign just completed, as it has happened in national political campaigns of the past.

It was not the campaign that divided us; it wasn't the events surrounding the Democratic convention in Chicago, or any of the other manifestations of discontent that erupted into public violence; it wasn't the campaign oratory.

Whatever division there was existed long before Divisions are common to any human society. Conflict is a law of life.

In other and dictatorial governments, the grievances and divisions exposed in the American political campaign would have been dealt with by forceful suppression, as demonstrated in Czechoslovakia, or with solutions arbitrarily imposed from above. But in our case, they were brought into the open, publicly recognized, aired and fought over, and in the election a mandate given a chosen leadership. The nation as a whole, pro and con, has accepted that decision and therein lies harmony.

It does not mean that these problems will be solved or that the means to their solution will not continue to be fought over. It does mean that an intelligent and free electorate, enlightened by open and frank discussion, is capable of dealing with its problems.

But even more significant is what happened after the election. Hubert Humphrey was gallant in defeat as Richard Nixon was magnanimous in victory. Both showed qualities worthy of the finest traditions of our democracy. In their magnificent behavior, their coming together after the campaign they gained new stature and respect, and, what is more, demonstrated the essential genius of the American political system.

They gave an example if what Americans of all political faiths need to do in this time of great national challenge and greater opportunity.

It would not have happened in Soviet Russia, or in any other dictatorial land. There the defeated candidate can be banished to anonymity and neglect, if not otherwise disposed of, whatever talents he might possess lost to the nation.

But Hubert Humphrey in de-

Peanut Crop Adds Extra Million Dollars to Area Economy

SENIOR CITIZEN'S SURVEY SHEET

Date Town County

Name M () F ()

Date of Birth

Address Rural () City () Ph.

Alone () Couple () Lives in own Home ()

Relatives Home () Private Home () Nursing Home ()

Owens Home () Rents Home () Buying Home ()

RACE: Negro () Latin () Angelo () Other

Citizenship Naturalized In Process of Naturalization

NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE AND RELATION of persons most responsible for senior citizens:

Do you belong to any groups, center, or community groups of persons like yourself? What?

Would you like to join and participate in such an organization? Yes () No ()

What special talents do you have?

What church do you belong to?

PROGRAMS INTERESTED IN:

Recreation Center	()	Sewing & Mending	()
Workshop	()	for Needy	()
Arts & Crafts	()	Quilting	()
Driver Refresher	()	Dominoes	()
Musicals	()	Vocational Ed.	()
Bingo	()	Painting	()
Basic Adult Ed	()	Clerical	()
Senior Citizens	()	Hobbies	()
Nurses Aids Course	()	Arts & Crafts Fair	()
Homemaking Course	()	Covered	()
		Dish Luncheons	()

Would you be willing to VOLUNTEER HELP in:

Surveying	()	Teaching	()
Typing	()	Helping in Senior	()
Telephoning	()	Citizen Center	()
Transportation	()	Making of	()
Visiting	()	Cancer Bandages	()

NEEDED SERVICES: HOME & HEALTH SERVICES:

Shopping	()	Companion	()
Adult Sitting	()	Telephone	()
Transportation	()	Food Preparation	()
Escort Service	()	Self Help	()
Health Aide	()	Maid Service	()
Library	()	Mail Service	()
Buddy System	()	Legal Service	()

OTHER

Home Nursing () Sewing ()

Baby Sitting () Yard Work ()

Cooking () Business Trade ()

Social Work () Nurses Aids ()

Teaching () Maid Service ()

Vocational () Volunteer Work ()

The above survey sheet was prepared by the Eastland County Committee on the Aging as a means of developing information upon which a meaningful program of activities for the senior citizens of the county may be based. Filling it out will not obligate you in any way.

Cats Play Hico Friday; Down Evant 28 to 0

The Rising Star Wildcats half. The third quarter was scoreless but in the fourth Clark ran 12 yards around right end for an additional six points, bringing the count to 28 to 0. The try for PAT failed.

The game, postponed from Friday night because of snow, ended in a 28 to 0 victory for the Wildcats.

The Cats scored 14 points in the first quarter when Dick Clarke ran 12 yards around right end for the first touchdown and passed to Dalton Hughes for the second. Clarke circled right for two points after the second score, the first try for point after touchdown having failed.

In the second quarter, Ronnie Green picked up six more points for the Rising Star team when he took a pass from Clarke for a 45-yard gain. The Cats added score to two points PAT z score to 22-0 nothing at the

8 In. Snow Helps and Damages

Snow which weather observer John W. Lee said reached a depth of eight inches here Friday, did heavy damage to pecan, fruit and shade trees and some of the shrubbery in the area.

Although it benefited cover crops and some late peanut harvesting in the tight land areas, the loss in future pecan production will amount to around a third of the normal crop, C. E. Smith, local grower, said.

The snow was wet and heavy which made it cling to the limbs and the pecan trees, already burdened with ripened nuts, were badly broken.

Other trees, fruit and ornamental, suffered somewhat less but serious damage in many areas.

Mrs. Sallie Hines Buried Here In Services Nov. 8

Funeral services for Mrs. Sally Ellen Hines, 87, were held in the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel at 2 p. m. Nov. 8, 1968, with Rev. Mart Agnew of Cisco officiating, assisted by Rev. Bill Coff of the Bethel Baptist Church of Eastland. Burial was in Rising Star Cemetery.

Mrs. Hines died in the Deering Nursing Home at Odessa Nov. 6. She had been ill since Dec. 12, 1963.

Born in Polk County, Texas Aug. 13, 1881, she was married to Andrew Franklin Hines Feb. 10, 1910 at Eastland. Mr. Hines died April 29, 1950. Mrs. Hines was a member of the Baptist Church.

Grandsons were pallbearers. Survivors include three sons, Marvin of Barland, C. P. and Franklin Hines of Odessa; five daughters, Mrs. L. L. Jordan of Odessa, Mrs. Nancy Mahon, Pecots, Mrs. Douglas Burns, Mrs. Jack Kitchen, and Mrs. Ed Hammer, all of Eastland; 34 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren.

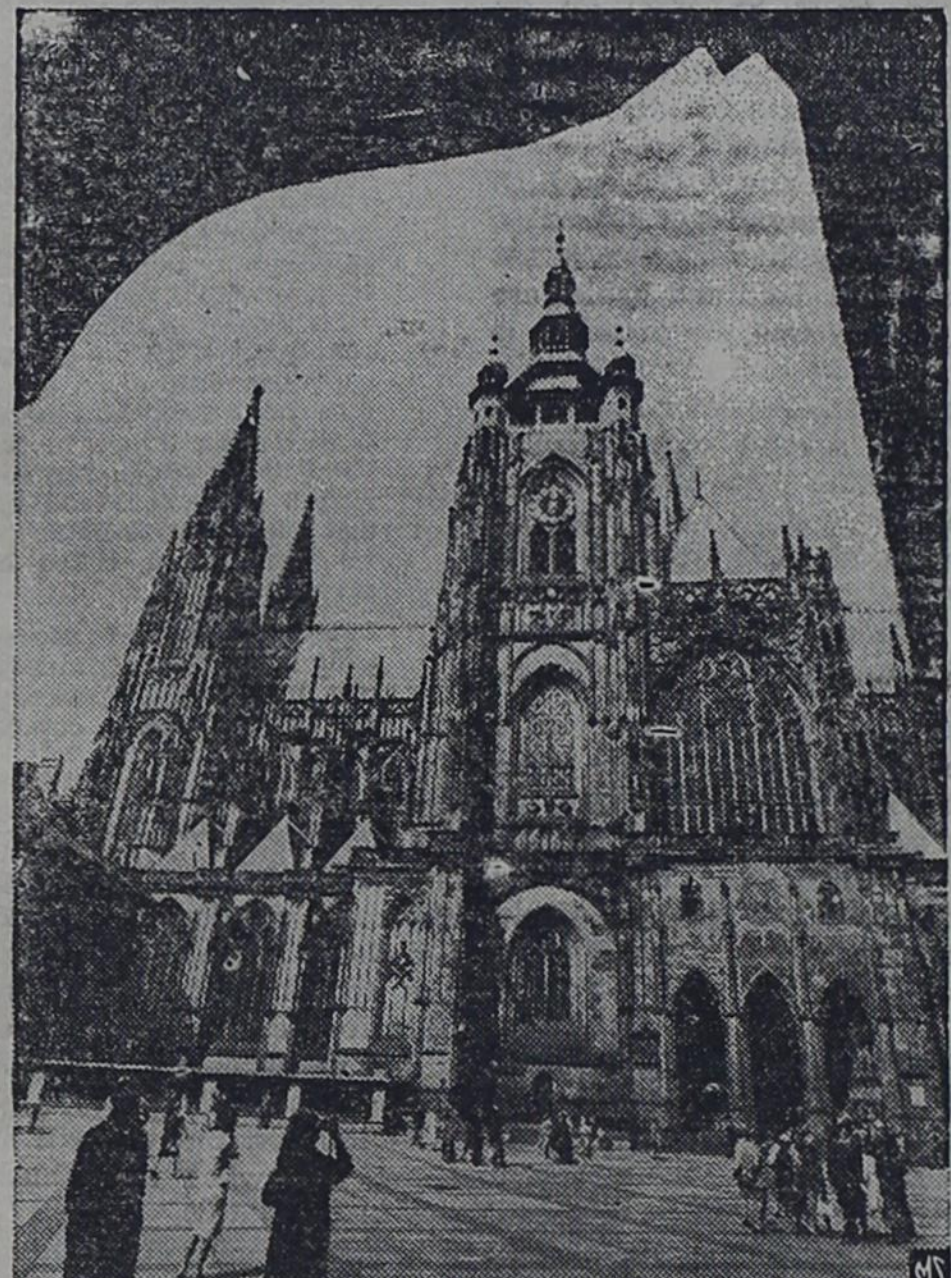
4-H Horse Group To Be Organized

All boys and girls in Eastland County who are interested in belonging to a Youth Horse group should plan to attend an organizational meeting in Eastland. Due to the increasing interest, in Eastland County, in a youth horse group, an effort is being made to organize a 4-H Horse Group. The meeting will be held in the Farm Bureau Building East of Eastland at 7:30 P. M. November 19. The program will include some information concerning horses and horse clubs.

According to Bob Cohen, Asst. County Agent, all over the State of Texas and even the United States there is a large demand on the part of young people for horse clubs. In these clubs the members learn how to properly groom, feed, show, and train their horses. This training is done for such things as performance events in shows, halter classes in shows, polo, roping, or even training a young horse to be ridden (breaking). Every boy and girl between 9 and 19 years of age should attend this meeting if they have a genuine interest in horses and horsemanship.

Former Rising Star mayor Walter Smith was scheduled to undergo surgery at Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene Thursday (today). Mr. Smith underwent earlier surgery last week.

TOWERING ST. VITUS CATHEDRAL



The highest spires in Prague—city of 100 spires—are found at beautiful St. Vitus Cathedral, an awesome structure that is part of Prague Castle. Construction began on this largest of the city's churches in the 10th century, but the finishing touches weren't applied until 1929. Two of the most skilled architects who contributed most to the cathedral's Gothic character were the 14th century artists, Matthias of Arras and Peter Parler. Parler was just 23 years old when he was commissioned for St. Vitus. Today, the building is a must on travelers' lists of things to see, reports the Czechoslovak Government Committee for Tourism. Masses are celebrated here regularly and on special occasions—during the Prague Spring Music Festival, for example—concerts are performed at the cathedral.

Rutherford Withholds Decision On Council

James Rutherford, who was named by two members of the Rising Star City Council Tuesday night to serve the unexpired term of A. B. (Duby) Jones on the council, said Wednesday that he would withhold his acceptance of the appointment pending a study of the conditions under which the choice was made.

"I am willing to serve the community as a member of the council if I can be assured that the election is harmoniously and properly done," he said. "But we have had too much controversy in our town without my adding to it. I hope that the matter can be worked out to the harmony and good of the community and I am ready to do what I can to reach that result. I will reach a decision on what I shall do within a reasonable time, but I need time to consider it. The community interest should be first."

Rutherford was named by Councilman L. W. Morrison and L. W. Middleton in a continuation of a meeting recessed Monday night after the council accepted the resignation of A. B. (Duby) Jones and Rutherford was nominated.

Jones has accepted employment by the County of Eastland in Precinct Three and the county's policy required him to surrender his place on the Council.

The meeting Monday night recessed when Mayor W. G. Reed took possession of the minutes and declared it adjourned, according to Mr. Morrison and Mr. Middleton.

They admitted that the mayor's maneuver took them by surprise and for a while they were nonplussed. Mr. Jones, his resignation formally accepted, was a spectator, and the third active member of the council present was John G. Lee whose presence made a quorum.

The fifth member of the council, Charles Chamberlain, is out of the state for an indefinite time. The meeting disbanded about

Harvest 80 Pct. Finished

The peanut harvest, favored with good weather, was estimated at between 80 and 90 percent complete this week, with a resultant income to farmers touching an all-time high.

President Bill Tyler of the First State Bank said that deposits in the Rising Star financial institution had been swelled by about one million dollars from the proceeds of the crop. The deposits, reported at \$4,485,089.12 Wednesday, were the highest in the bank's history by a great deal.

Peanut buying and processing plants were "tailing out" the crop this week and turning attention to the sale of fertilizers and field seeds for planting cover crops on the bare peanut acres.

A heavy yield, and a grade averaging the highest in many years combined to give the growers of the peanuts the maximum in return from their crops.

CC Committees Named on Freight, Christmas Lights

COMMITTEES - 2-36 President Gene Rhodes named Cecil Shults, H. McDonald and Bill Medley a committee to work on a solution of the truck service problem posed here with the announced withdrawal of service by the Santa Fe when the question was brought before the Chamber of Commerce at its noon luncheon Tuesday.

Shults said some progress was being made in securing five-day service by another line. The CofC also made plans for installing Christmas street decorations this month. The matter was turned over to Mr. Rhodes and J. D. Jenkins, manager, for action.

Funeral Services Held Sunday For John Lancaster

John Louis Lancaster, 87, died in Twilight Acre Nursing Home in Rising Star at 12:05 a. m. Nov. 9 after an illness of ten years.

Funeral services were held in the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel Sunday, Nov. 10 at 2:30 p.m. with the Rev. Don Timberlake officiating. Burial was in the Wolf Valley Cemetery under the direction of Higginbothams.

Born at May, Texas Jan. 23, 1881, he was a retired farmer and a member of the Baptist Church. He married Nov. 10, 1907 at May.

Grandsons were pallbearers. Survivors include his wife; four sons, Newton, Delton and Howard, all of May, and B. N. Lancaster of San Angelo; five daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth New of San Angelo, Mrs. Ernestine Brazzil and Mrs. Bertha Peoples, both of Abilene, Mrs. Johnnie Comp-ton, Hobbs, New Mexico, and Mrs. Fay Wilson of Angleton; twenty-three grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren.

No Meeting of Band Club in November

There will be no meeting of the Band Parents Club during the month of November due to the pressures of harvest work, Thanksgiving activities and other events, it was announced this week. Meetings will be resumed in December.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Joyce were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don J. Joyce and son of Fort Worth, and another son, Kenneth Joyce of Arlington.

It Has Been

By Vada Arnold

The Senior Class of the Rising Star High School gave a program at the Chapel hour on Monday, Dec. 9, 1928. Gid Bowers, president of the class, had charge of the program.

The first number on the program was a musical reading by Mrs. W. H. Henderson, expression teacher, with Miss Arte Boase at the piano. A humorous playlet, "Pa Gets Took," with Helen Clarkson, Lucille Bolding, Thelma Lambreth, Moselle Williams and Doris Wilkerson as characters, "gave the crowd a good laugh." A quartet composed of freshmen and sophomores "delighted the audience with their numbers." Helen Clarkson read, "A Colored Lady at the Telephone." Charlotte Gibson played a piano solo. Joe Beth Horton drew applause that called her back for an encore on her vocal solo. Thelma Lambreth read, "Say Something Good." Neely Joe Mickey read "Expressions in School Romances." Men members of the faculty were greatly surprised when they were called on to sing a song. Finally they sang "America" in shaky unpracticed voices.

Supt Dawson commended the Seniors and declared that theirs was the best program ever presented.

Carl E. Joyce, president of the Rising Star School board, announced in August, 1931, that the city schools of Rising Star would open with an enrollment of about 600. Mr. Joyce said "transfers are unusually heavy this year."

The Grigsby School house, four miles northeast of town was burned to the ground Monday night, according to a report in

the Rising Star X-Ray, dated 1901. The fire was of unknown origin. The building and contents valued at \$1,000 were a complete loss. The Salt Tank School house six miles west of Rising Star was burned on Saturday night, May 11, 1901. "It looks like the work of fire bugs," the citizens said. Several other rural communities lost their school houses by fire during the same period. After investigations, two arrests were made and the suspects were jailed.

Other news of 1901: D. M. Jacobs and N. A. Watkins have recently put in cisterns at their respective places of businesses.

Seventeen pounds of babies were born to Rev. and Mrs. I. D. Hull Friday morning of last week, two boys, each weighing 8 1/2 pounds. Mrs. Hull and babies are doing nicely and the preacher is able to be up and attend to simple business. Carpenter P. S. Venable and several other Starites returned the last of the week from a few days of fishing on the Colorado and Concho. They say they are very successful but they did not smell fishy when they returned.

The following couples of 1901 were socially minded for they went to a nice shady spot six miles north of town last Sunday, May 30, 1901, and engaged in the pleasure of a private picnic. Each couple took their dinners. The couples were Will Pelfrey and Miss Frances Head, Frank Montgomery and Miss Maud Burk head, Sam Hancock and Miss Josie Maxwell, Mack Gibson and Miss Etta Montgomery and Will Byerly and Miss Ella McCaskill.

"Two young men stopped in our little town the other day, and from all appearances they were the sons of some millionaire

Kaffee Klatch Season

by Betty Crocker

The study group's coming? The Christmas committee? Old friends are passing through town? Whatever the occasion, take time out for a coffee break and bake up a warm welcome with a scrumptious coffee cake. Like my perfectly elegant Honey Butter Brunch Ring. Or the glamorous Chocolate Swirl Coffee Cake. For added drama, serve on a cake pedestal and use your silver cake server for cutting. And, oh yes, feature a bottomless coffee pot.

<p>HONEY BUTTER BRUNCH RING</p> <p>3 cups New Bisquick 1/4 cup sugar 1/4 cup butter or margarine, softened 3/4 cup milk Date-Nut Mixture (below) 1/2 cup honey 2 tablespoons butter, softened</p> <p>Heat oven to 350°. Grease 6-cup ring mold. Stir together New Bisquick, sugar and 1/4 cup butter. Add milk; stir with fork to a soft dough. Drop half of dough by tablespoonfuls into ring mold. Sprinkle dough with Date-Nut Mixture. Drop remaining dough by tablespoonfuls onto Date-Nut Mixture. Bake about 35 minutes or until golden brown. Invert mold onto plate; leave over ring 5 minutes. Blend honey and 2 tablespoons butter; drizzle over warm coffee cake. Serve warm.</p> <p>Date-Nut Mixture: In saucepan, melt 1/4 cup butter; mix in 1/2 cup brown sugar (packed), 1/4 cup cut-up dates, 1/4 cup chop-</p>	<p>ped nuts and 1 teaspoon cinnamon.</p> <p>CHOCOLATE SWIRL COFFEE CAKE</p> <p>1/2 cup flaked coconut 1/4 cup chopped nuts 1/4 cup sugar 3 tablespoons butter, melted 2 cups New Bisquick 1/4 cup sugar 1 egg 3/4 cup milk 1/2 cup semisweet chocolate pieces, melted</p> <p>Heat oven to 400°. Grease square pan, 8 1/2 x 2 inches. In small bowl, stir together coconut, nuts, 1/4 cup sugar and 1 tablespoon of the butter; set aside. Mix New Bisquick, 1/4 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons butter, the egg and milk with spoon. Beat vigorously 1/2 minute. Pour into prepared pan. Spoon chocolate over batter; with knife, cut through batter several times for marbled effect. Sprinkle coconut mixture evenly over top. Bake 20 to 25 minutes. Serve warm. 9 servings.</p>
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or else they were on some great important mission. They walked our streets as though the ground was too dirty for their sweet little feet, and when they reached the sidewalk and finally stopped into a store we thought of bank robbers. But we will never know just what their business was in our town.

We wondered if God made such people or were they products of the serpent. We are led to think of the latter."

McGinn-Fraley Vows Are Exchanged Tues.

Miss Verilyn McGinn and Don Fraley exchanged marriage vows in the home of the groom's parents Tuesday, November 5 at 7:30 p. m. Rev. N. E. McGinn, uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony.

Miss McGinn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McGinn and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fraley.

Only relatives attended the wedding. A reception was held in the home following the ceremony.

Mr. Fraley is a graduate of the Rising Star High School and spent two years in the armed services, 14 1/2 months of which was spent in Vietnam. Mrs. Fraley attended Rising Star Schools. The couple will make their home in Fort Worth where he is employed.

Billy Cook To Wed Jo Etta Cornelius

Mrs. R. E. Cornelius of Zephyr has announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Jo Etta, to Billy Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Cook of Rising Star.

Miss Cornelius is a graduate of Zephyr High School and is employed at the Fabric Mart in Brownwood.

The prospective bridegroom, a graduate of Rising Star High School, is employed at Superior Cable in Brownwood.

The wedding date has been set for Nov. 30 in the Zephyr United Methodist Church.

MUSICAL PROGRAM

Pop Whitaker of Baird will direct a musical program at Cottonwood Friday night, November 8 at 7:30. The program will take place at the community center where a turkey supper will be served at \$1 per plate.

Nimrod News

By Mrs. Eva Stroebel

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Morgan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bush of Cross Plains.

Mrs. T. R. Johnson, Judy and James of Fort Worth, were weekend visitors of Mrs. H. C. Ledbetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Townsend visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bostick and Lanham Brown in Rising Star Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Curry of Pony, Montana visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cozart, last week.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. L. D. Clements were her mother of Odessa and a sister of Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Boland were in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stroebel made a business trip to Abilene Wednesday.

Mrs. Maud Hill and Mrs. Dinky Hill were shopping in Cisco on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Speegle were Sunday luncheon guests in the O. M. Speegle home at Cisco.

Eunice Hembree was a Sunday guest of Hazel and Beulah Respass in Cottonwood. They all visited friends in Cross Plains in the afternoon.

Mrs. Julie Townsend and her daughter, Mrs. Ottis Lee and little daughter, Frankie of Rising Star, visited in the Edgar Townsend home recently.

Mrs. H. C. Ledbetter visited Mrs. J. R. Merritt in Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. D. Boland is at home after spending several days in the Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Ola Boles spent Monday

and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Townsend.

Through error last week, the name of Rev. Ronnie Bostick, pastor of the Nimrod and Cisco Baptist Churches, was listed as pastor of the Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Rufus Pierce was admitted to Hendricks Memorial Hospital last week where she will be under treatment for an indefinite time.

Saturday Club Makes

Up Box For Hospital

The Saturday Club will meet in the Library building at 2:30 p. m. Monday, November 18.

A box of gifts will be made up to send to patients in the State mental institution at Wichita Falls. Members are asked to bring their contributions to this meeting. Mrs. Louise Weber said, "wearable clothing, jewelry, toilet articles, small combs, head scrabs, etc., will be gladly accepted."

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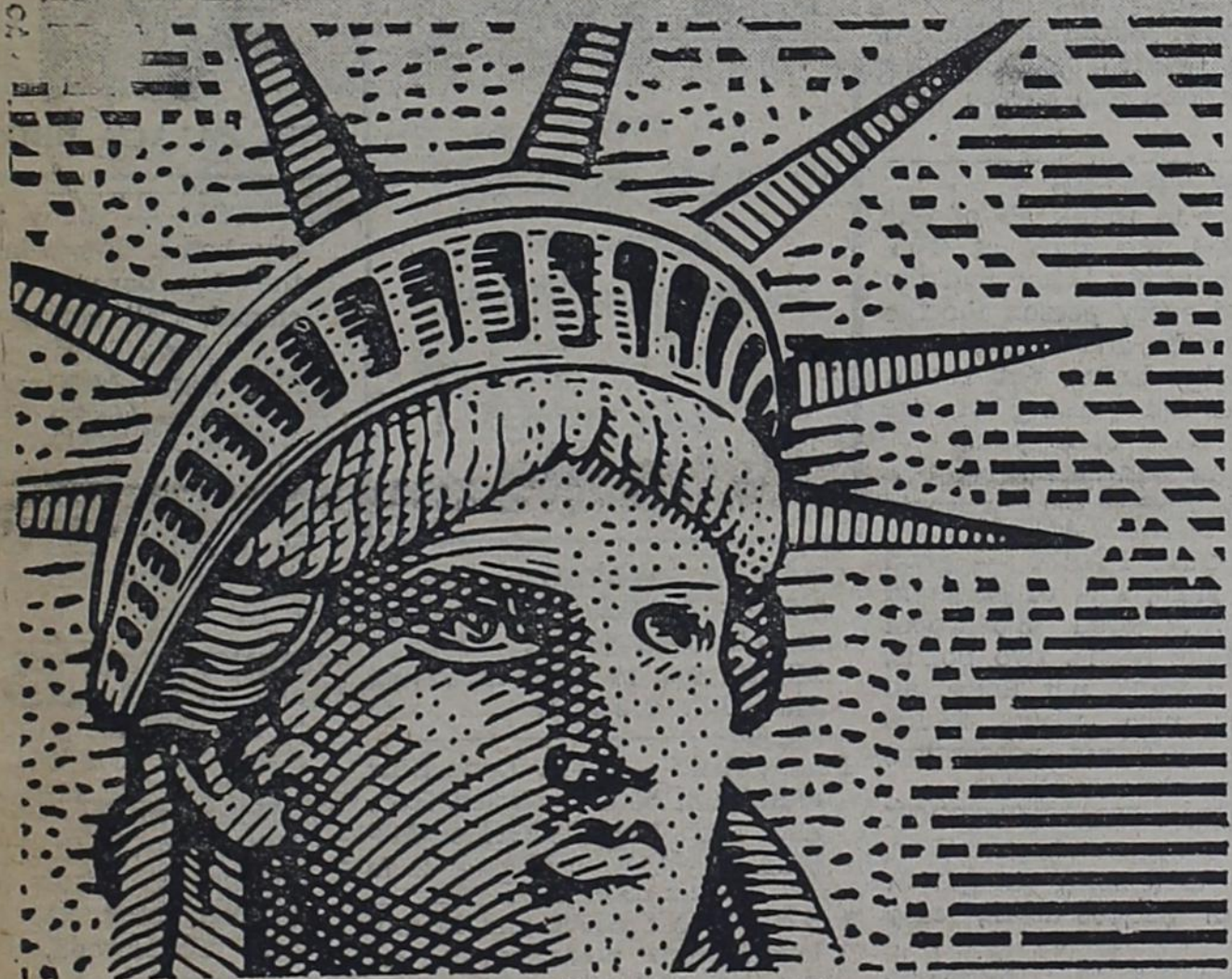
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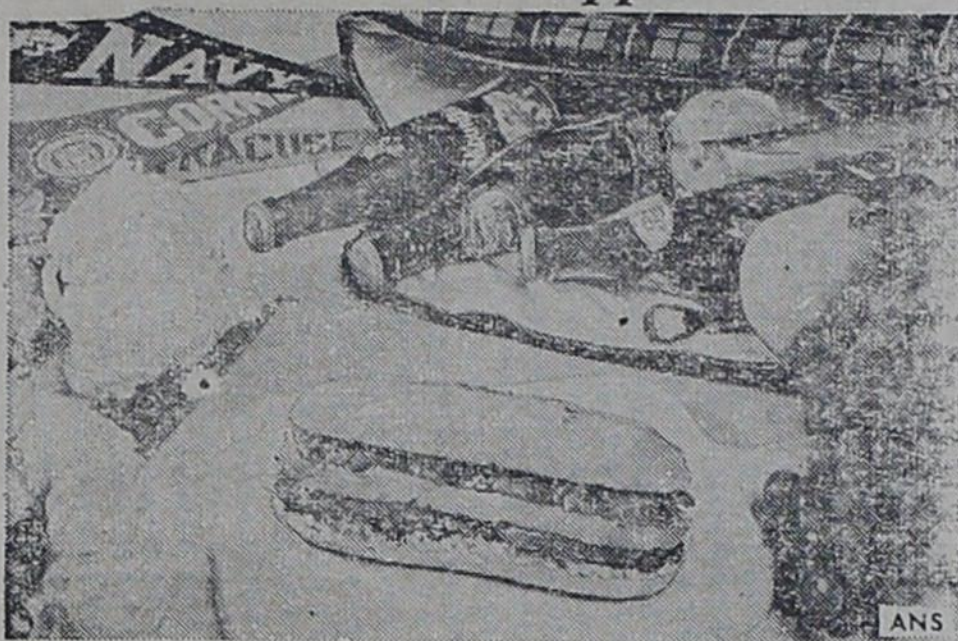
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TOUCHDOWN HEROS

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| 1 package (3 oz.) cream cheese | 2 individual hero breads |
| 1 teaspoon chopped chives | Butter or margarine, softened |
| 1/4 cup creamy style peanut butter | 4 strips crisp bacon |
| 2 tablespoons grated carrot | Lettuce |
| 1 tablespoon raisins | 1 tomato, sliced |

Mix separately cream cheese and chives, then mix next 3 ingredients. Cut breads lengthwise into 3 slices. Butter. Spread bottom slice with cheese. Top with bacon, lettuce and tomato. Spread center slice with peanut mixture. Top with third slice. Makes 2 sandwiches.

TACKLER'S DELIGHT

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| 3 hard-cooked eggs, chopped | 1/4 teaspoon salt |
| 1/4 cup finely diced celery | 6 slices bologna |
| 1 tablespoon finely diced onion | 6 dill pickle sticks |
| 1 tablespoon diced olives | 6 slices rye bread |
| 2 tablespoons mayonnaise | Prepared mustard |
| | Lettuce |

Mix first 6 ingredients in bowl. Roll bologna slice around pickle stick. Spread bread with mustard. Spread 3 slices with egg salad. Set 2 bologna rolls on each. Top each with lettuce and slice of bread. Makes 3 sandwiches.

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"TO MAKE THE BEST BETTER"

The seniors finally got the "Spirit Jug" last Friday. It really looked grand sitting there on Mr. Hounsel's desk in our homeroom. Kind of gave us a nice feeling to see it there at last. Well, we do not want to rub it in more than we need to; so I will leave things be for now.

This is the fifth week of this six weeks; so we will probably be having to crack our books once more before tests.

Boys, that was a great game Friday night. You really gave them a hard fight. Now, show us what you can do with the Hico Tigers!

Patty

"LEADERS OF TOMORROW"

I have received more information on the results of the Halloween Carnival. It seems as if we made around \$200. We now have over \$800 in the bank. Thanks goes to everyone who helped us.

S. C., did that kid hit you in the nose? Cute teeth, Cutch! Is that smell coming from the Spook House? Could it be liver? Madam JNELL, did your cat go to sleep? How does it feel to be the only fortune teller in town, J. C.? Was the water cold, C. H., L. G., and S. C.? D. L., did you fly your broom? B. S., did you really make three baskets in a row? M. S., was it you or B. M. that had a bucket of water thrown at you instead of a sponge? B. S., L. B., and M. H., your faces look wet! What happened? C. C., is fishing your new sport? Hey, I thought the juniors were supposed to be dunked! Where did those senior girls come from?

The biggest part of our project is not quite finished. We still have to clean the building. I would like to thank Higginbotham's for our class. We really appreciate their generosity in letting us use their building. We would also like to thank the band parents for letting us borrow their lumber.

Mr. Gray is still limping. We hope that his ankle gets well soon!

Some of the freshman girls are using a different type of shampoo now! Would you believe eggs and butter?

We would like for everyone to journey to Hico tomorrow night to help support our mighty Wildcats.

Janet

"THERE IS ROOM AT THE TOP"

Howdy, fans! The sophomores are really busy this week getting ready for six weeks' tests. It is almost too much to put into

words, but I will try.

In algebra we are still studying negative numbers. They are rather hard to understand, but some are trying harder everyday. Microbiology seems to be the main topic in biology. Last week we studied those wiggly, squirmy, mean, old, hairy, bad and sometimes good viruses.

The first period biology class is studying line breeding, out breeding, and hybrids. In world history we are studying our debt to the Greeks and Europeans in the early middle ages.

We are getting ready to hand in our term themes on "Julius Caesar" in English II. In the meantime, we are reading some very good stories in our textbook.

The corrective English II class has been studying autobiographies. Poems have also been said. We are running over some pieces of music in band. Every day we learn more.

We are paddling around, dodging the last of the wasps, hearing about "Good Old Army Days" discussing alcohol and narcotics, and doing a little bit of everything else in health. We are looking forward to mid-term, when we will not longer be taking this course. We hope.

S. J., so old and yet so young?? There is only one kid in our whole class who is only fourteen. Better hep it up and turn fifteen pretty soon, or else! !

Wonder what B. L. was doing when he had that wreck?

Some of us are glad about the results of the election. Very glad. Others are not so happy. Very sad. Wonder whose bumper sticker that was? ?

G. W., what did J. LEE say about the unusually large amount of water in his tape player?

Not much more news except that so many sophs got hit with eggs Halloween night they are beginning to cackle, and so many were hit with water balloons they are beginning to grow gills.

I kid you not,

Carol

"TOWARD NEW HORIZONS"

Hi! Boy, I bet you all get tired of my starting off with "Hi!" So from now on (until I can think of something better) I'll say "Hey!"

The Home Ec I girls are surely glad they made enough cookies for the Artex Party and to send to the guys in foreign countries.

Barbara Hollis and Mickie Chambers are sending dozens of cookies to former RSHS students now serving in some far-off country. Accompanying each batch of cookies is a long note with the signatures of all high school students who want to sign it. May

God bless our boys overseas, points.
Until next week . . . Get 'em Cats . . .
Pray for peace and love, Debbie White
Shelia

BAND NEWS

GIRLS' SPORTS
The Rising Star Wildcat basketball girls leaped one of their highest hurdles when they defeated Eula last Monday night. The B team game was a close one with both sides showing good sportsmanship. Rising Star won 21-18. Vickie Stewart scored 11 points and Barbara Richter 10.

The A team game was by far the most exciting the Wildcats have played this year. The score the first quarter went both ways; Rising Star was in the lead one minute and Eula the next. The score at the end of the first half was 25-25. Neither team could manage to get ahead for long, and the third quarter ended with the score 39-39. The Wildcats got a head start in the fourth quarter and managed to stay in the lead throughout most of the quarter. When the final quarter ended, Eula had 50 and Rising Star 55. Bess Lee lead the Wildcats to victory by scoring 36 of the 55 points.

Hi!
For those who were not at the Richland Springs football game Barbara Richter was crowned band sweetheart. She was escorted by Bobby Seider, band president.

The band is constantly trying to improve its marching. B. W., what was that you said we were doing Friday night?

I hope to have more news next week.

James Steel

BOYS' SPORTS

The Wildcats have really been working to get ready for the game at Hico Friday night. We have only two district games left; if we win both of them, we will cinch at least a tie for the district championship.

The games we have remaining are Hico at Hico Friday and Lometa here next week. They are probably the best teams in the district.

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 Gladys Copper to Texas Electric Service Co., easement and right-of-way.
 Victor Cornelius to Texas Electric Service Co., easements and right of way.
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 Robert L. Donaho to Detta Webb, warranty deed.
 O. D. Dillingham et ux to Humble Oil and Refining Co., amendment lease agreement.
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 James V. Fields to Texas Electric Service Co., easement and right-of-way.
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 Richard Gray, deceased, to the public, proof of heirship.
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 Harold G. Hudson et ux, to Lone Star Gas Co., lease agreement.
 Paul Hodge et ux to Texas Electric Service Co., easement and right-of-way.
 Alvin Kincaid et ux to Texas Electric Service Co., easement and right-of-way.
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 Camma Glenn Boon Liles et vir to Veterans Land Board, warranty deed.
 Mitchell and Mitchell Oil and Gas Corp., to Bank of the Southwest National Association, Houston, supplementary deed of trust.
 B. W. Martin to Mary Lee Geary, warranty deed.
 Waverly Massengale to Texas Electric Service Co., easement and right-of-way.
 R. C. Mehaffey et ux to Texas Electric Service Co., easement and right-of-way.
 Standlee McCracken to James P. McCracken, warranty deed.
 Rubye M. Pledger to Texas Electric Service Co., right of way.
 W. S. Poe, deceased, to the public, proof of heirship with will attached.

THE MAGIC OF MUSHROOMS

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 Veterans Land Board to Robert Earl Hamilton, contrast of sale and purchase.
 Veterans Land Board to John M. Kidd, contract of sale and purchase.
 JaAnn Wagley et al to J. O. Harris quitclaim deed.
 J. E. Walker Sr., deceased, to the public, proof of heirship.
 B. H. Westerman et ux, to Veterans Land Board, warranty deed.
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 Lonnie Jake Coleman and Mary Lou White.
 Danny Walton Norris and Linda Kay Swan.
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 Edna E. Jones et al vs Bankers Commercial Life Company, to collect insurance.
 L. B. Hurd vs Spurgeon Hurd, divorce.
 Harold Anthony Smith vs. Dorothy Faye Smith, divorce and custody of minor child.
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 Kay White et al vs Kenneth Gaeta et al, damages.
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First class mail is 6 cents per ounce, while third class mail is

6 cents for the first two ounces. "Since most Christmas cards weigh under an ounce, it will usually cost 6 cents whether you send a Christmas card first class or third class unsealed. So, unless you're sending unusually heavy cards, it will be advantageous to send this year's Christmas cards first class and receive the forwarding and return privileges.

County Pecan show Slated For Dec. 13 And 14 In Eastland

The 1968 Eastland County Pecan Show will be dedicated to the late J. M. Cooper. The officers and directors of the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association and the special event committee of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce made the decision in a joint meeting November 4.

Grover Hallmark, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce com-

mittee, said this would be the sixteenth annual Eastland County Pecan Show and the first time for the show to be held in Eastland. He said it would be an appropriate occasion to honor Cooper, the former county agent, who organized the first pecan show in the state.

The pecan show will be held in the building formerly occupied by the Men's Shop on the north side of the courthouse square, December 13 and 14.

Tony White, president of the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association, asks pecan growers in Eastland and adjoining counties to start selecting entries for the show. An entry consists of 40 nuts of one variety. The pecans must be grown by the person entering the nuts and they must have been grown in 1968. There is no entry fee. Ribbons will be awarded to the first three place entries of each variety, native or seedling. Pecans are judged on the basis of size, appearance, shelling percentage and quality of kernel.

The Gordon Spot

By DeWitt Gordon
Eastland County Ag. Agent

It now looks as if our county peanut crop will be one of the best ever. We do not yet know if the peanut crop in the county will be as large as the 1966 crop, but several farmers have told me their individual crop is better than it was in 1966. The average peanut yield in 1966 was 41.9 bushels per acre in Eastland County — the best yield on record.

Many believe that this year's crop will be valued higher than the 1966 crop because the price of peanuts are up \$13.25 per ton over the '66 crop.

The County ASCS records show that the average yields in the county were from 17 to 20 bushels per acre, between 1960 and 1964. In 1966 the yield was 23.2 bushels and in 1967 it was 31.2.

Increased use of irrigation and better production practices are largely responsible for the increase in yields the last four years. However, the weather was very favorable in 1966 as well as this year.

While the yields and the prices are up this year, we should also mention that costs of production is up. Many people are surprised to learn that it cost as much as \$65 per acre to produce dry land peanuts and as much as \$180 per acre to produce irrigated peanuts.

We would like to recognize farmers who produce outstanding peanut yields this year. The Southwest Peanut Growers' Association presents producers of outstanding yields with a membership to the Southwest Peanut Pacesetter Club. Only those who produce 4,000 lbs. or more on irrigated land or 1,500 lbs. or more per acre on dry land are eligible for membership in the Pacesetter Club. These yields must be averaged on the entire farm allotment.

If your peanut yields qualify, you for this recognition, please contact me. A producer's membership in the club is permanent once he qualifies for membership.

Plans are rapidly developing for the pecan show to be held in Eastland December 13 and 14. The officers of the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association and the Eastland Chamber of Commerce special event committee met last Monday night to plan the show.

The Eastland Jaycees will sponsor the pecan queen pageant. A big bake sale and centerpiece show is being planned by the Home Demonstration Council.

We would like to urge everyone who has at least one pecan tree to select an entry of 40 nuts to enter the pecan show. To have a good show we must have a large number of entries.

Deer hunters will be interested in two publications we now have in our office. One is "Field Dressing a Deer" and the other is "Wild Game Care Cooking". They are free and may be picked up in the county agent's office.

Mmes. Goss and Perry Host North Star Club

Mrs. Hattie Goss and Mrs. J. O. Perry were hostesses for the North Star Club on Tuesday, Oct. 5. Mrs. Goss led the devotional, reading from the 14th chapter of Luke. The group sang "Almago". Two bedshirts were sent to the Twilite Acre Nursing Home.

Refreshments of hot chocolate Ritz sandwiches, bugles and potato chips were served to the members present and two visitors, Mrs. Nora Harris and Miss Florence Scott. — Mrs. Mabel Ralston, reporter.

Pre Mack Harris visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harris, while on a 14-day leave recently. Mack was enroute from Fort Bliss, El Paso, to Fort Sill, Okla., for further training.

Mrs. Wilburn Scott has returned from an extended visit in Fort Worth, Dallas, Abilene, Hereford and Oklahoma City.

Sipe Springs to Host Thanksgiving Supper

The Sipe Springs community will serve a Thanksgiving supper at the Sipe center Thursday night, November 22, it was announced this week.

A charge of 50¢ per person will be made. The meal will be served beginning at 6:30 p. m.

A special feature of the evening will be a musical program by the Chapman family of De Leon.

The public is invited.

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CHICAGO—The happy scene above will be repeated soon when 1,650 of the nation's most outstanding 4-H members begin to arrive at Chicago's Conrad Hilton Hotel for the opening of the 47th National 4-H Congress. The group pictured here was among the first arrivals at last year's session and lost no time getting acquainted.

The 4-H Congress is the highlight of the 4-H year, and this year will convene the first week in December. The delegates are between the ages of 15 and 19 years and represent all 50 states and Puerto Rico. They will travel to Chicago with expenses paid by private firms that support nationwide 4-H programs.

The young delegates are the top achievers in some 40 different 4-H categories.

Responsibility Is Theme

While in Chicago, the youths will hold assemblies to discuss the congress theme: Commitment to Responsibility. A colorful pageant written around this theme will officially open the session on Sunday afternoon, December 1.

In two half-day sessions the delegates will hear an address by Senior Editor of Reader's Digest, Charles W. Ferguson; and Judge of the County Court of Philadelphia, Juanita Kidd Stout. Judge Stout last year was honored as one of eight former 4-H members to receive the national 4-H Alumni Key award

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Among other speakers will be Dr. Harold Sponberg, president of Eastern Michigan University, and Dr. Luther S. Roehm, president of Merck Chemical Division, Merck & Co., Inc. The firm sponsors the national 4-H Horse program.

Delegates to the Chicago meeting will see, hear and learn many things which will expand their horizons and contribute to their education.

Balanced Program

Entertainment will include a pop concert played by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra under the baton of Arthur Fiedler, world-renowned conductor of the Boston Pops Orchestra. The Singer Company, a 4-H sponsor, will be the host for this musical treat. The recently restored Auditorium Theatre will be the setting for another exciting evening, courtesy of Tupperware, also a sponsor.

The spiritual centers around attending the historic Chicago Sunday Evening Club where Bishop John E. Hines of the

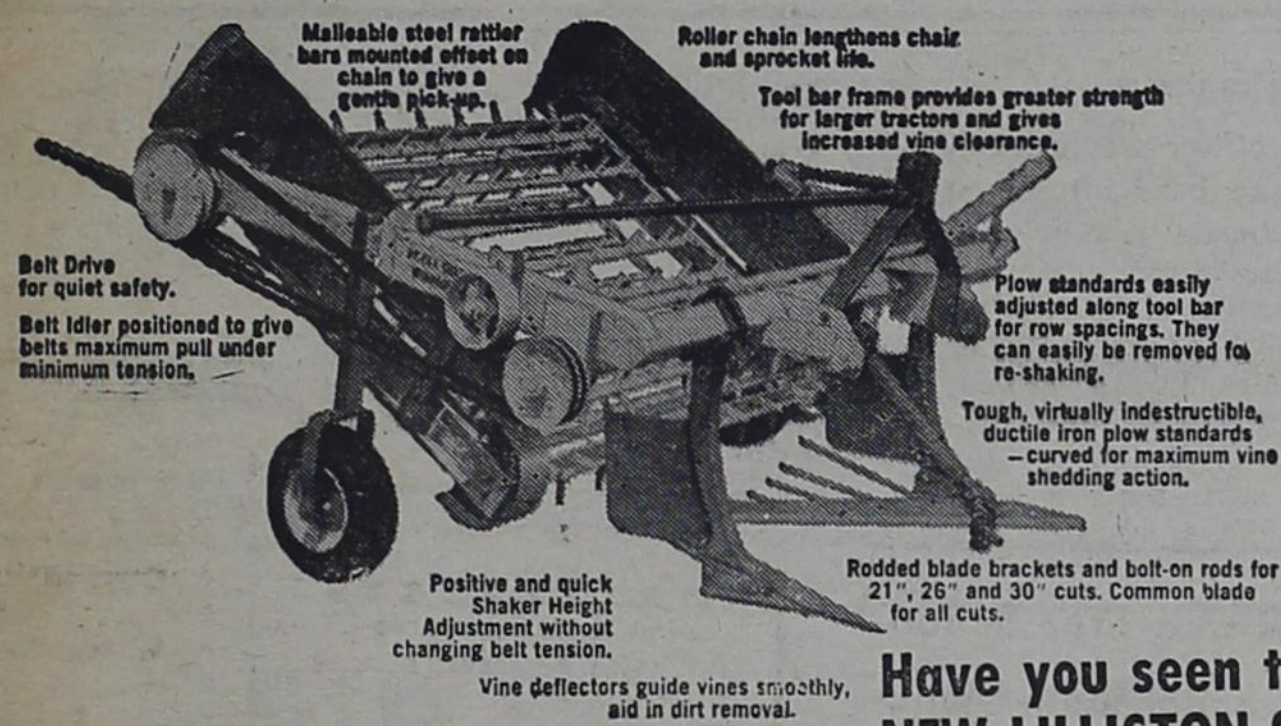
Episcopal Church, New York City, will be the guest speaker. Sunday morning the traditional 4-H service will be conducted in Central Church by the Rev. Kenneth Hildebrand.

Many Sponsors

Among the nearly 60 firms and foundations that help make the national 4-H Congress possible are: Ford Motor Company Fund; Chevron Chemical Company—Ortho Division; Ralston Purina Company; American Forest Institute; Homelite, A Division of Textron Inc. and E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Company.

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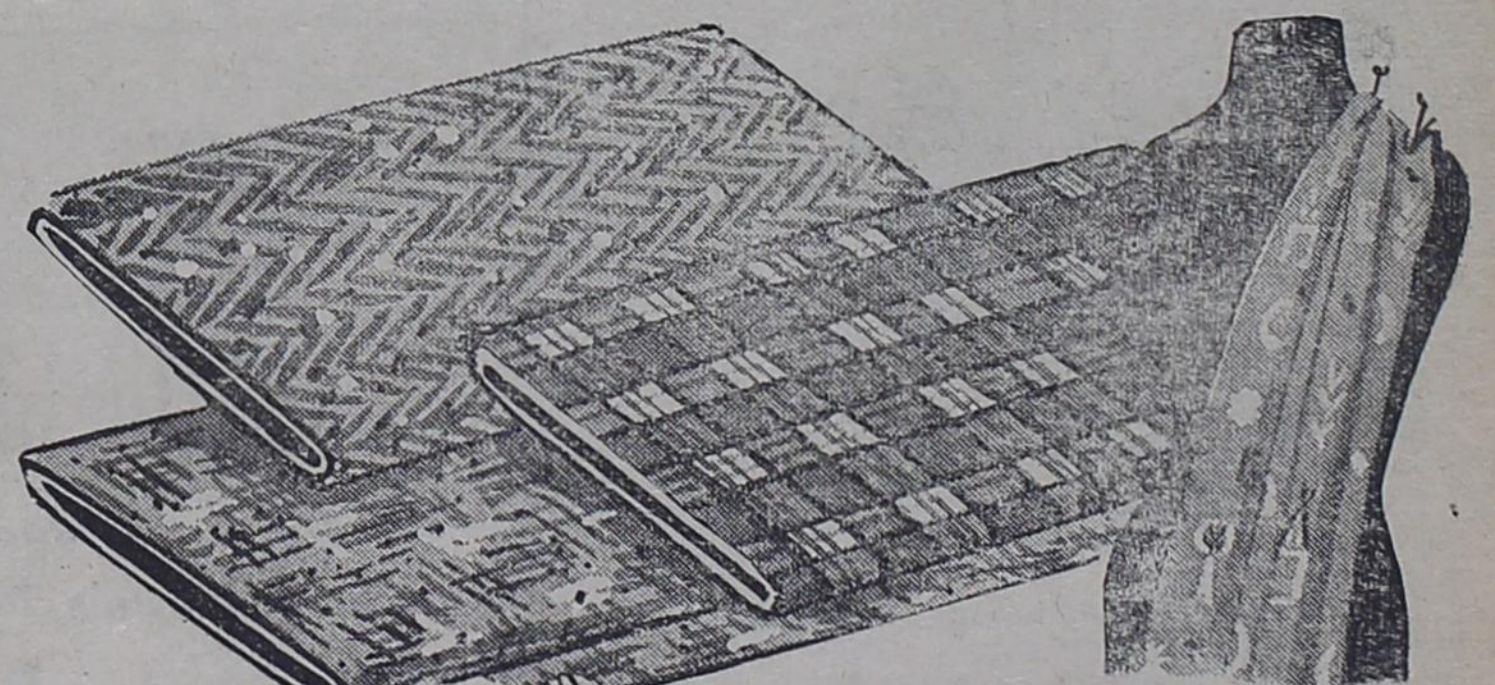
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News From Twilite Acres ...

Our sympathy is extended to the wife and family of Mr. ... L. Lancaster, Mr. Lancaster passed away early Saturday morning here at the nursing home.

Two new residents were welcomed last week. Mrs. Josephine Lewis came to us from a Cisco nursing home. Saturday morning Mr. Allen B. Teston was discharged from an Abilene hospital and will now reside in the home.

In the lobby of the nursing home we have placed a book for the folks to register on the week-ends. We like to meet people and to make the acquaintance of our residents' families. In reading through the visitors' names, I found that Mrs.

Ruth Green had visited with Mrs. A'lie Hogan here at the nursing home.

The Sunday service was brought by our local Methodist minister, Jay Beavers, with excellent attendance by the residents.

News From First Baptist Church

The WMU met Monday with 19 members present. Mrs. Lee Clark directed the program on mission study, "Missions in Ecuador." A social hour followed the program. Refreshments were served.

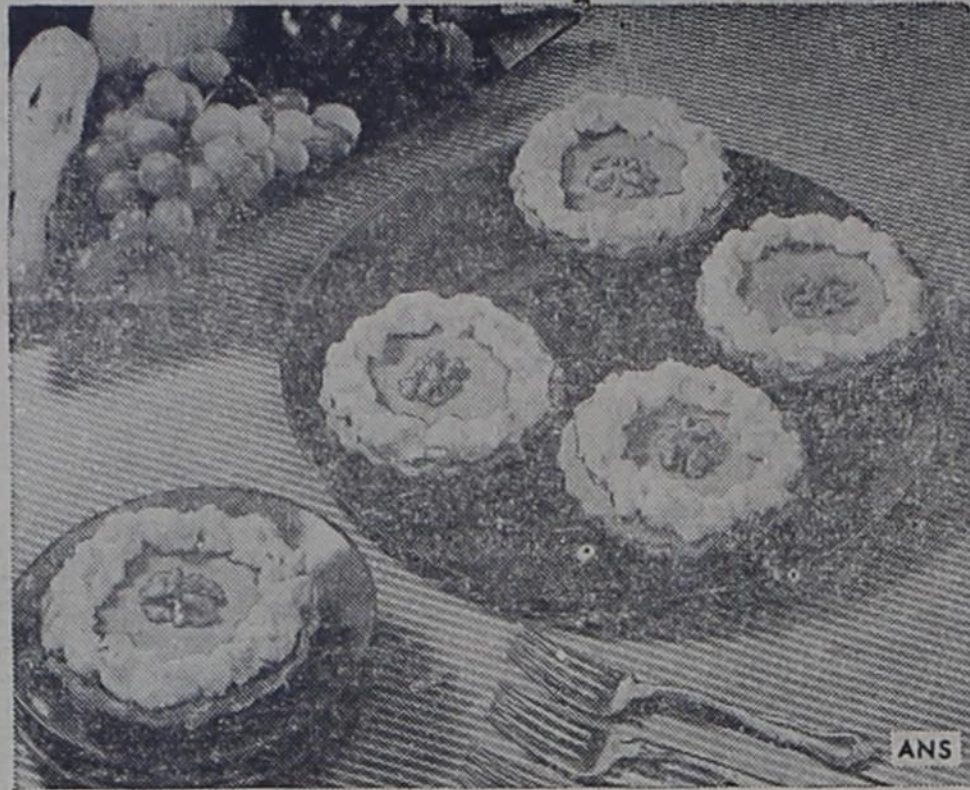
Rev. Don Timberlake is attending the Baptist Convention of Texas at Fort Worth.

Plans are being formulated for a Thanksgiving Supper to be held in the church dining room on Wednesday evening, November 20. Everyone is invited to attend and enjoy fellowship and food.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Bob) Shults attended the dedication of the historic Belding Ranch house in Palo Pinto County Sunday.

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- 1/4 teaspoon salt
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- Prepared whipped topping
- Walnut halves

Pour cream and milk into bowl. Add pudding mix, pumpkin, spice, and salt. Beat slowly with rotary beater or at lowest speed of electric mixer until well blended—about 1 minute. Mixture will be thin. Pour at once into tart shells. Chill 30 minutes. Garnish with prepared whipped topping and walnut halves. Makes 5 or 6 servings.

News From May

By Mrs. V. O. King

The May Grade School Football Banquet was held in the lunch room last Monday night. Mr. M. H. Buchanan was the guest speaker. Members of the football team and the pep squad presented gifts to coach Redwine and Mrs. Pat Allen, pep squad sponsor. Cheerleaders and majorettes for next year were announced. They are: Tina Bailey, head majorette, Shirley Musick, Anna Edwards, Teresa Ribble. Head cheerleader, Connie Ehrke, Pam Ribble, Becky Buchanan and Kyra Murdock. Drummers are Beth Pallette and Marjorie Taylor.

Last Tuesday night the high school girls basketball team defeated Hawley in a game at May. Boys high school football team was victorious in their game with Mullin last Thursday night. They play Sidney at Sidney this Thursday night, Nov. 14, and play their last game at home on Nov. 21. The game will be with Star, Texas.

Rising Star Grade School basketball girls defeated May Monday night and May boys won over Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervay McGregor spent last week in Houston visiting with their son and family.

The Brown County 4-H awards program is to be Saturday night, Nov. 16 in Brownwood. All 4-H members, parents and friends are invited to attend.

In October Methodist womens groups across the country united with womens groups of the Evangelical United Brotherhood. On Tuesday, the Womens Society signed a new charter. The charter service was held in the sanctuary of the Church and the Agape or love feast was held in the Friendship room of the church.

Mrs. J. J. Prentice, who was president of the WSCS when it was formed in 1940, was pres-

ent and signed the new charter. Others attending included Mmes. Myrtle Kelton, president; Mary Michael, vice-president; O. C. Allen, treasurer; Grace Glenn, secretary; Buck Keaton who sang, "Break Thou the Bread of Life"; C. B. Brannam, Lloyd Alexander, and Vera Shults, chairman of the Spiritual Growth Committee.

The Grade school played their last football game of the season Tuesday, Nov. 5, and were defeated by Gustin.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nesbit, were a nephew and his wife, Capt. and Mrs. Holmes D. Bengé. Capt. Bengé recently returned from Vietnam, where he served with the 4th Infantry Division, 1st Brigade at Dak To. He will go to the U. S. Army Ordnance Center and School at Aberdeen Proving Grounds at Aberdeen, Md., for an officer career course. Mrs. Bengé (Mary Jo) is a former Stephenville resident where she and Capt. Bengé attend Tarleton State.

Sook Burnett has not been well and has been out of the store for several days. We miss her and hope to see her back real soon.

The May Parent-Teacher Club will meet Monday, Nov. 18.

Mrs. Alice Eakin Installed President Of LVNA Div. 64

Mrs. Alice Eakin of Gorman was installed as president of the Licensed Vocational Nurses Association, Division No. 64, in installation ceremonies held Monday evening, November 11, in the Conference Room of Eastland Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Bolinger, RN of Ranger, conducted the impressive installation ceremony using the

musical band as theme.

Each new officer was presented a miniature band instrument as she was installed into her elected office. As president, Mrs. Eakin was presented a director's baton symbolizing the director of the group; Mrs. Lucille Broom, second vice-president, was presented a piano, signifying the lead instrument in the band, and Louise Kimmell, treasurer, was

presented a drum.

New board members installed were Mrs. Gertrude Wallace of Gorman and Mrs. Merel Stroebel of Cisco. Each was presented a horn instrument.

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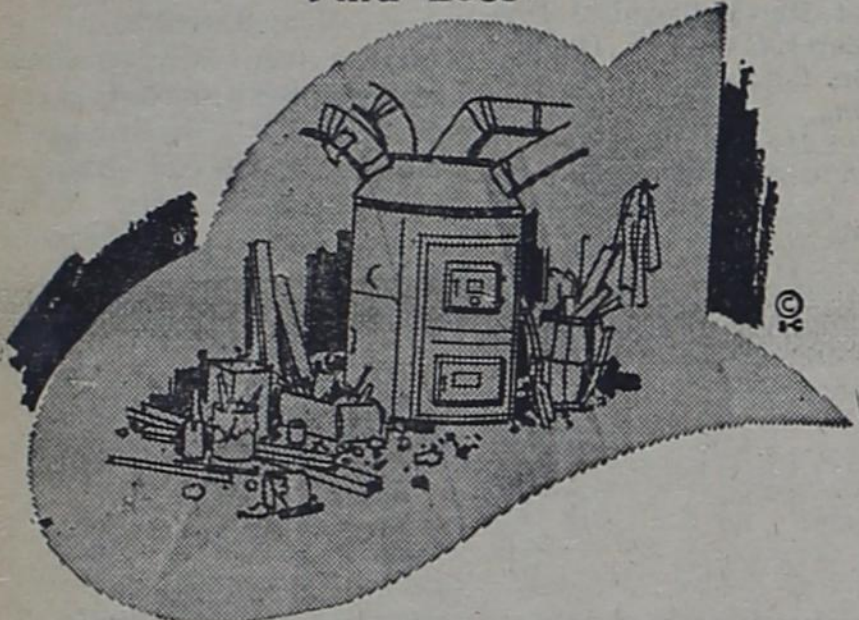
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