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Harvest is the key word in this little town and the surrounding area. Both the pecan and the peanut harvest are going full blast—at least they are blasting us full as the weather permits. Some peanut fields are still too wet to support the necessary equipment and it is too soon to determine an average on the yield or quality. But there is one known fact for sure, these hard working farmers are making a supreme effort to save the peanut crop. Pecan quality and yield reports are varying, but here again, orchard owners are working long and hard hours to gather the crop.

A very special visitor in the Rising Star office was little Miss Allison Rhodes, six week old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Rhodes of Cross Plains. Allison was accompanied by her lovely mother, Susan Rhodes, who will be remembered as a former director of the Wildcat Band of Rising Star High School.

A big welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ogden, who are new residents in our community. The Ogdens, former residents of Temple, Arizona, are now living in the Bess Wright home on Pollock St.

Our verbal bouquet of the week goes to Twilite Acres Nursing Home for the instigation of a new activities program, under the able direction of Mrs. Gaynelle Sansom. In this program, the residents of Twilite Acres are being introduced to handicrafts, games and various phases of entertainment—in short a whole new world has been presented to them in this recreational program. We commend Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton and the staff for this worthwhile effort.

Men In Service

E/M 1/C

Clyde C. Howard

Nov. 4-Navy Electrician's Mate First Class Clyde C. Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett C. Howard of Rising Star, Tex., has returned to Norfolk, Va., aboard the amphibious assault ship USS Inchon after a six-month deployment to the Mediterranean.

During the cruise, the ship participated in "Nimbus Star," the minesweeping operations in the Suez Canal. Howard also took part in the humanitarian evacuation of U.S. citizens and persons from 25 other nations from Cyprus during the recent crisis there.

He visited Alexandria, Egypt, and ports in Italy and Spain for liberty, in addition to serving as part of the U.S. Sixth Fleet during training exercises.

A 1959 graduate of Iraan High School, Iraan, Tex., he joined the Navy in December 1959.

Edward D. Massey Enlists In Air Force

Edward D. Massey, son of retires SM-Sgt. & Mrs. William D. Massey, of May, Tex., enlisted on November 4, 1974 in the United States Air Force, according to Sergeant Norman L. Brannon, local Air Force Recruiter.

Edward D. Massey was a 1968 graduate of Odessa High School. He has departed for Lackland AFB, Texas, to undergo six weeks of basic training, and has selected the Personal Affairs Spec. area. For information about the opportunities available in the United States Air Force, contact Sergeant Norman L. Brannon at 111 E. Lee, Brownwood, Tex., or call 646-4661 in Brownwood, Tex.



Marilyn Clark has been chosen to attend a Washington Workshop for selected high school students from across the nation and abroad.

Local Student Selected To Participate In U.S. Seminar

Marilyn Clark, of Box 336, Rising Star, presently a junior at Rising Star High School, has been chosen to participate in the 1975 Washington Workshops Congressional Seminar in Washington, D.C. The seminars are conducted by the Washington Workshops Foundation, a nonprofit, nonpartisan association, founded in 1967. Throughout the coming year, 10 one-week seminars have been scheduled, all held in cooperation with Mount Vernon College, where the students are housed. The seminars provide a unique and intensive study of American Government for selected high school students from across the nation and abroad.

Participants travel daily to Capitol Hill where they confer with government leaders. In dialogue sessions with Members of Congress, Supreme Court Justices, Cabinet Members, and other officials, the students receive commentary on the operation of the government of the United States and in turn submit their questions and comments concerning government activities. The students also spend time observing the workings of the

national government firsthand, as they attend sessions of the House and Senate, as well as Committee hearings and meet individually with their own Congressmen and Senators. Each seminar features the student-run Sense of the Seminar session at which students present resolutions on national priority issues using Congressional research sources as background. In the mock Congressional session, debate follows the rules of the U.S. House of Representatives and an officer of the House presides.

The National Advisory Council of the Washington Workshops Foundation includes many distinguished Members of Congress and education leaders from across the nation. The seminars are widely acclaimed by parents, teachers, and students, and have recently received the Americanism Award of the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge.

Further information on the program is available from the Washington Workshops Foundation, 1111 Munsey Building, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004; Telephone: (202) 638-4357.

Services For Mary Pilant

Mrs. Mary Bell Pilant, 75, of Rising Star, died at 1:50 a.m. Monday in a local nursing home. Services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Hubert Taylor, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiated. Burial followed in Rising Star Cemetery.

Born Mary Bell Brooks on Dec. 27, 1898, in Oklahoma, she married William Pilant and he preceded her in death. Mrs. Pilant was a Methodist.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. D.C. Rachael of Robstown; one brother, George Brooks of DeLeon; three sisters, Mrs. Winnie Armstrong of Rising Star, Mrs. W.E. Allen of Corpus Christi and Mrs. Mabelle McConaughy of La Marque; two grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Three brothers preceded her in death.

RISING STAR CEMETERY ASSOCIATION
We are grateful for the following contribution to our maintenance fund, and also for those who have given to our "TREE REMOVAL" fund.
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M.E. Walters \$12
Olene & Maudine Brazzil \$10
Mrs. Arthur Foyt \$10
TREE REMOVAL
Joe Martin \$25
Irene Mayfield Secretary

Cemetery Ass'n Needs Funds

The Rising Star Cemetery Ass'n. needs to raise \$800 for the purpose of removing dead trees which have become a hazard, and must be taken out of the Ass'n. will accept donations of any amount to have this work done. This is a must, as many tombs are in danger of being broken. Please give your donations to any of the cemetery committee—Mrs. M.B. Shook, Mrs. Irene Mayfield, C.M. Carroll or Lane B. Wells.

Lane B. Wells
President
Rising Star Cemetery Ass'n.

U.I.S. Announces Change Of Date

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, a change of date has been made in the Unemployment Insurance Service for this area.

The Texas Employment - Commission representative will be in Dublin at the American Legion Auxiliary building on Friday, Nov. 29, 1974, instead of Thursday, Nov. 28. Hours of service will remain the same.

If further information is needed, contact the Texas Employment Commission in Brownwood at 646-1591.

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FFA WINNING TEAM - - Members of the Junior Chapter Conducting team of the Rising Star FFA, winners of its class at the Cross Timbers District conte. The team competed in the Area Contest November 19. at Stephenville. Left to right: James Wallace, Glenn Dennard, Johnny Childres, Tanner Schlitter, Randy Kinsey, Robert Underwood, Randy Bibb, Nicky Newbury, Darren White, and Marty Hill.

Awards Presented At F.F.A. Banquet

Don't be ashamed to love the flag and to be patriotic," Bill Campbell of Dublin, FFA Area Four president, told members of the Rising Star Future Farmers of America and their guests at the annual FFA banquet in the Rising Star High School gym Thursday evening of last week.

He said that nothing is needed so much now as respect and regard for the principles that America represents.

The youngster's speech was received with applause by the 100 or thereabout diners who ate barbecued beef and sausage served by a Brownwood catering firm, heard demonstrations by FFA members of work done in the Chapter programs, and listened with pleasure to guitar - accompanied singing of country music by Burx Hargrove, Tarleton College senior now doing a stint of student teaching at Cisco. Hargrove was presented by Larry Anderson, a classmate doing similar work at Rising Star under H.L. Geyer, veteran high school agriculture teacher, and advisor to the Rising Star Chapter.

Mr. Geyer's part of the program was the presentation of a number of awards to members of the local FFA.

Mr. Geyer explained that a "Parliamentary Demonstration" provided by the Junior Chapter Conducting team as a significant part of the program following the meal, was designed also to provide the members with practice before the Area contests in

T.S.T.A. To Ask For Pay Hike

AUSTIN - The Texas State Teachers Association will ask the Texas Legislature for a salary schedule which next year (1975 - 76) would put Texas teachers \$595 above the national average paid teachers in all states.

Salary is only one part of a major measure proposed by TSTA, according to Mrs. Carolyn Harrell of Gonzales, chairman of the TSTA Legislative Committee.

The total bill - estimated unofficially to cost \$2 billion for the next biennium - would revise the school finance system, reduce class sizes, provide state - funded compensatory education for the educationally disadvantaged, continue the special education program for the physically and mentally handicapped, provide increased funds for poorer districts, and allocate more state aid for school transportation for maintenance and operation.

Cost of the salary portion of the bill was unofficially pegged at from \$800 million to \$1 billion. Official cost estimates will be made by the Texas Education Agency. "This basically is a bill to improve education, not just teacher salaries," Mrs. Harrell said. The TSTA plan for revising school finance includes basing the local fund assignment of costs on market value of property, as Atty. Gen. John Hill ruled this week must be done. This is the plan for which TSTA fought unsuccessfully in the 1973 legislative session. The 1973 TSTA proposal was developed after long study, Mrs. Harrell pointed out. Since that session, the TSTA committee has worked continuously to revise the proposal to meet current needs.

and water management, crop production; Dodie Chambers, livestock production, and Ken Hounsel Star Greenhand for a year ago.

Johnny Turner was master of ceremonies for the program which is an annual event during which the boys of the FFA pay tribute to their fathers, to members of the school board and faculty and to business men and farmers and ranchers of the community honored for their contributions to the FFA program with designations as Honorary Chapter Farmers.

The program was formally opened by the Greenhand chapter conducting team, consisting of first year members. Ken Hounsel read an article "In Balance With Nature", illustrating that the role of the farmer in producing the food supplies of the nation has grown out of balance with the rest of society because of farming efficiency.

Awards presented by Mr. Geyer were: Certificates of Merit, Johnny Turner, leadership and tractor operation; Doddie Chamber, beef production; Mackey Elliott, tractor operation; Ken Hounsel, Beef production and leadership; Bruce Williams, leadership; Kirby Guthrie, Beef production; Bryan Ezzell, peanut production; Guy Stewart, beef production and leadership; Nicky Newbury, leadership; and Randy Bibb Leadership, FFA Foundation Medals; Guy Stewart, farm mechanics; Bryan Ezzell, soil

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WELDING SCARS - - Black patches of blistered paint from the heat of the interior welding show on the bowl of the water tower. These were sanded and repainted.

Rising Star's Water Tower Gets "New Lease On Life"

Rising Star's 55-year old water tower this week had a new and long term "lease on life" as a team of water tower maintenance experts completed a 10-day job of renovation. The job included repairing pits in the metal of the interior caused by the rusting action of water, reinforcing the bowl, or bottom part of the tank, coating the interior with hot wax to resist further chemical action, reinforcing the legs of the tower and painting. The job required ten days.

The work, completed Monday, was done under contract with Water Service and Maintenance, Inc., of Joplin, Missouri, at a total cost to the city of \$7,200. A three-man team consisting of Jerry Baker, foreman, and Dennis Monohon and Sonny Herring, did the work from a huge machine shop on wheels moved onto the site.

Since city officials could not climb into the interior of the 100 foot high tank, the extent of the

pitting and repairs necessary to be done was shown them by color photographs and by a closed circuit television system. The degree of pitting and the rusting of rivets was extensive, the pictures showed. All of it was repaired by building up the pits and reinforcing the seams with welding. The interior was sandblasted before the repair work and afterward, and then the coating of non-toxic hot wax was applied.

The exterior was also sandblasted and repainted where the welding on the inside burned through the paint, and the legs of the tower reinforced or restore the 75,000 gallon reservoir to almost the condition it was when erected in 1920-21. The company guarantees the work for 15 years. More than \$150,000 worth of machine shop equipment was moved on the site to do the work.

The water tower was erected with part of the proceeds of a \$100,000 bond issue voted in

1919. The bonds also paid for Rising Star's first sewers and water system and for \$30,000 in street work. The cost of a similar program today would be several times as much, Arthur Smith, a member of the city council when the bond issue was put through, reminded. Also on the council was Walter Smith, a long-time city official and former mayor.

Both recalled that the bond issue went over by a good vote although not without spirited opposition from some of the principal property owners who objected to the increase in taxes that such "new-fangled" city services would cause.

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Birthday Greetings

- NOVEMBER 22
Mike Holden
Ken Hounsel
Bill Medley
- NOVEMBER 23
Gaylon Merritt
Mrs. Red Cook
Ethel Parker
- NOVEMBER 24
Jim Ratliffe
Toby Long
Johnny Croft
Mrs. M.A. Arvin
- NOVEMBER 25
Glen Henry
Robert A. Landreth
Lorraine Clark
Jay Benson
Jim Ray Bucy
- NOVEMBER 26
Nelda Teague
Jim Christian
F.D. Underwood
- NOVEMBER 27
Kenneth White
Toby White
Curtis Howard
- NOVEMBER 28
Shannon Childers
Ann Warfield
Hassie Moon
Rada King

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Consider The Rising Star classifieds, others do.

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Consider The Classifieds — Others Do

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I would like to express my deep appreciation to each and every one who were so good to me during my stay in the hospital.
The cards, visits, prayers and each act of kindness will never be forgotten.
Thank you and God bless you.
Rufus Pierce

I would like to express my thanks to my friends for remembering me in so many ways, during my stay in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.
Your visits, the beautiful flowers, and cards, the telephone calls were appreciated more than words can express.
Mrs. Snova Walker
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NOVEMBER 13, 1974

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2 bdrm, 1 bath hoom, kitche, living room, dining room, Hillcrest add. Asking \$8500.00 make us an offer.
Completely remodeled 2 bdrm, 2 bath in Cisco, \$15,000.00
Nice 3 bdrm, 2 bath home, approx. 3,000 sq. ft., 4 ac. land, barns, corrals, tanks etc. Cisco area.
Large 3 bdrm home, lots of storage, laundry room, fireplace, garage, chain link fence, partially new panelling and carpets. Well and city water. Approximately 1 ac. land. \$13,000.00.
3 bdrm frame home, completely paneled, So. Lamar St, Eastland, \$12,000.00, owner financed with \$2,000.00 down, bal. 15 yrs. 8 percent int.
Nice 3 bdrm 1 3/4 bath, 2 car garage, new carpet, Eastland, \$13,750.00. Owner will finance 7 percent int. with \$4,000.00 down, pmts \$100.00 per month.
Good 3 bdrm frame home, partially carpeted, bal. hardwood floors, Oaklawn St., nice trees and yard, good neighborhood, \$13,000.00, \$6,000.00 loan bal, 6 percent int., payments \$58.00 per mo.
Neat two bdrm frame home, large kitchen new wiring and plumbing, Commerce St. \$8480.00.
Large older home in Cisco, big lot, 6 bedrooms, good liveable condition.

ACREAGE
Nice 4 bdrm, 2 bath, large living room, den comb., central heat and air, 8 ac. land nice pecan trees, owner financing.
25 ac. between Cisco and Eastland on I.H. 20, 3 bedroom house, barns, corrals, good well, tank \$20,000.00 with \$12,900.00 existing lien can be assumed \$100.00 per mo.
82 ac. 7 mi. north Ranger, land has been cult but in grass at present. City water avail. Best buy we have on todays market at \$19,000.00
20 ac. for homesite, close in, city water available. \$10,000.00
87 acres, very good improved grass, barn, tank, 1/2 minerals, this place will grow beef. \$315.00 per acres.
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50 ac, 2 wells, barn mobile home, 40 ac. cult, tractors, good fences, Clyde \$25,000.00
200 ac. between Cisco and Eastland, mostly grass, County road on 2 sides, 25 ad. Coastal, barn, assumable loan.
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READY FOR EVERYTHING

Hi there! Well third six weeks is already here and the Seniors are getting very anxious because it won't be long until graduation or until the Senior trip. Since football is over, basketball is moving right along. The boys play their first game this week - good luck, boys!

In the classes this week everyone is still kind of dragging along - we still have not got over last six weeks grades.

In English IV we are reading a play - "She Stoops to Conquer." Hey Woods, who did you say looked like a turkey? & Civics class is getting better and better every day, thanks to M.P. - We gave Mr. Fortune a birthday party, he said he was 22 but don't be embarrassed Mr. F. if we really know that you are 37.

Well newspaper fans that's it for this week.

C' Ya,
Gwenda Lou

TODAY NOT TOMORROW

Hi!
It's hard to believe Thanksgiving is only a week away. It seems school only started a few weeks ago.

The Juniors have been working to earn some more of that green stuff. Last week we sold chocolate candy, but this week we are selling key chains. The key chains are blue and gold with a wildcat imprinted on top. Anyone interested in a new key chain see a Junior.

In American History we've been trying to improve our grades. It seems a few too many have been relaxing and goofing off too much. The Algebra II students (all ten of us) are studying linear equations and common points in a system. The English III class is in process of giving oral reviews of different stories.

That's about it for this week!
Marilyn

MOVIN' RIGHT ALONG

Hi! These days are getting shorter everyday. In Band this week and all the ones following we have been getting ready for marching contest. In Physical Science we're talking about expansion and doing experiments. We have been reading about Julius Caesar in English. In Homemaking they have been cooking and visiting the Nursing Home. Ya'll be sure to come to the basketball games this week.

Tha's about all,
Gwen

IN THE FISH BOWL

Hello Fish Fans! How's the world treating you this week? Well this week has been full of surprises. The boys started basketball and it's alot different. We had our first ball game together last Tuesday with Blanket. Hopefully the season will turn out good. Oh by the way our Home Ec. class made pie's last Thursday. Talk about sick!! Ask Jenny about it!! Everyone be sure and come to all the games. Basketball has started and The Rising Star Wildcats are coming at you strong.

Take care,
Jeanne

"A YEARBOOK NEVER FORGETS"

The annual staff met the first deadline of the year, November 7, when we sent in 35 pages of the yearbook to Taylot Publishing Company. Our next deadline is December 12 when we send in 40 more pages.

Mr. Hammer, our photographer, made his second trip to R.S.H.S. last week to finish up all the pictures we needed.

The annual staff started selling chances on a turkey this week and we sure would appreciate it if everyone would buy one. We need the money!!
Jerrilynn

TOWARD NEW HORIZONS

The Homemaking I girls are seeing films on pies and are going to have a lab.

Our Homemaking II girls are seeing films on oranges and how to buy them. They are also studying salads and gelatin. The Home Family Living class are still talking about marriage and it's trials and tribulations. H.E.C.E. students are working on their lesson plans. We are still working on the toys.

The F.H.A. will have a speaker from W.T.U. the 20th at 10:30. She will present Christmas ideas.

Have a wonderful week,
Bonnie

ON THE FARM

The Ag. I boys are studying material injection of cows, hog, cats, horses, sheep, and goats. With a cow the temperature needs to be 101.5, dogs 101.5, cats 101.5, horses 100.5 sheep and goats 103, and Fowl 106.

The Ag. II boys are studying types of bacterial. There are three types; bacillus, spersila, and coccus.

The Ag. III boys are studying all about diseases in all types of animals.

See you later,
Doddie

TRUCKIN' ON

Hi!
Well, I guess you know by now that football season is over. The boys now share the gym with us. We are all playing basketball together now - and boy are we together. The boys are working hard - nearly as hard as we are - I wish them all the luck this year.

We not only get to share the gym, but also the music. We now have two sp- eakers in teh gym connected to a tape player in the boys' dressing room. We really enjoy it while we are working out.

Frank filmed our game with May two weeks ago, and it was really fascinating getting to watch it in our dressing room last week.

That's about all for this week.
Have a nice day,
Pam

WILDCAT COUNTRY

Hello, wildcat fans. Football is over for another season with the cats ending with a 35 - 0 win over Blanket. This left their record at 4 - 5 - 1 for the season, it was a lot of fun and can't wait till next year.

The cats started basketball and their first game is Nov. 19 against Blanket then Nov. 22 against Strawn. Both games are there. Hope to see you there and watch the ball bounce.

Back the cats,
Ken



FIFTY YEARS A MASON - - W.H. Carleton, center, receives Certificate of Fifty - Year membership in the Masonic Fraternity from past Grand Master of Texas Masons Hal Burnett of Alpine at a ceremony at the local Masonic Lodge Saturday night. At left James Cox, Worshipful Master of the Rising Star lodge.

U.S.D.A. Announces Increase In Food Stamp Allotments

Food stamp allotment for a family of four will increase on January 1 from \$150 to \$154, based on August food price statistics, according to an announcement today by Under Secretary of Agriculture J. Phil Campbell.

The Food Stamp Act, as amended by the Agriculture and Consumer Protection Act of 1973 (Public Law 93 - 86), requires that coupon allotments be adjusted semiannually to reflect changes in the prices of food as published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Allotment adjustments are based on the cost of the Department of Agriculture's (USDA) economy food plan as it is computed from Bureau of Labor Statistics food prices. The law requiring semiannual adjustments specified that the January 1974 adjustment reflect changes in food prices through August 1973. A similar procedure was used for the July 1974 adjustment and is being used for the January 1975 increase in the value of the coupon allotment, which is based on the cost of the economy food plan in August 1974.

Cost of the economy food plan for August was \$153.40 for a family of four with school

children. Accordingly, USDA will raise the value of the coupon allotment from \$150 to \$154 for a family of four and make appropriate adjustments for other household sizes. The maximum income eligibility standard for the four - person household will increase from \$500 to \$513.

The following tables giving coupon allotments, income eligibility standards and purchase requirements for all household sizes in the 48 contiguous states and the District of Columbia are scheduled for publication in the Federal Register of Monday, Nov. 18, 1974. Separate tables for Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and Guam will be announced shortly.

Maximum income eligibility standards by household size starting Jan. 1 are:

One\$194
Two280
Three406
Four\$513
Five606
Six700
Seven793
Eight886

For each additional household member over eight, add \$73 to the eight - person eligibility level.

[The following is an excerpt from Joshua Monument Desert Journal, Established 1945, G. Burton Gholson, Publisher and Editor]

Rev. Christinea Loving, - D.D.R., minister and counselor of the Friendly Hills area left by plane on Sept. 30, with her secretary, Rose Charles of Quail Spring Road to fulfill a series of speaking engagements.

Rev. Loving is the former Peggy Faye Harris, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Harris of Rising Star. Se is the founder and pastor of the Church of Light Divine which has recently moved its headquarters from Los Angeles to the high desert region of Joshua Tree, Cal.

Rev. Loving has gained recognition in points around the world for her consultations in various realms. Her flight and public appearances are sponsored on this trip by the New Age Group of Charlotte, N.C.

Rev. Loving has conducted seminars and workshops and has participated in a "Psychic Fair". In one of two radio presentations she was on for three hours on a "talk" program. On October 2 at High Point, N.C., she was sole guest on TV. At present she is addressing the New Age Group in Winston Salem, proceeding then to Greensboro and from there she will go to Washington, D.C., with possible visits to Baltimore and Boston.

minimum of 60 semester hours of college credit. Persons selected as cadets will be assigned to Austin for an 18 week training school beginning Feb. 11, 1975, at the DPSAcademy. Qualified female applicants are now being accepted for the uniformed services of the DPS, and the department has been increasingly successful in recruiting persons from minority groups.

During the training school, cadets will receive a salary of \$651.00 per month. After graduation, cadets will be commissioned as probationary patrolman I at a salary of \$743.00 per month and assigned to the highway patrol, license and weight service, motor vehicle inspection service or driver license service according to the need of DPS and consideration of personal preference. The salary automati-

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Sipe Springs News

Mrs. Jack Millwee

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Davis of Eunice, New Mwciso

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis of Eunice, New Mexico and Mrs. George Reeves of Comanche visited Mrs. Ruby Boswell recently.

Visitors at Heman Anderson's last weekend were Mr. George Duvall of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Holly Howell of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson of Rising Star, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Anderson of Snyder.

Mr. Skippy Morgan and Mrs. Jimmy Calloway of Odessa and Kevin Leonard of Rising Star spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Housel visited her sister Mrs. Hattie zardwick in Bangs who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Mae Leonard visited Mr. and Mrs. De Rachels at Pioneer Saturday.

Weekend visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitesides were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lacy and Wade of Lampasas. Dr. and Mrs. All Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Martin and Mrs. Gean Henery all of Lampasas.

Mr. Don Long and son of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whiteside.

Mr. C.A. Dry of Dallas is visiting Mr. Boe Rainer.

Visitors at T.A. Weaver's are Mr. V.C. Cagel of Abilene, Mr. Buck Weaver and Kevin Weaver of DeLeon visited Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Basham and son and wife of Nabor's Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith.

Mrs. J.D. Mitchel and Cnnie Martin and children of New Castle visited Mr. and Mrs. John McKeehan.

There will be a Thanksgiving supper at the Community Hall beginning at 6 p.m. on Nov. 21. Plates will be \$1.75 for adults and \$1.00 for children. Everyone is invited.

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FROM OUR CHURCHES

Church of Christ Rising Star

We commend the following article, by Harold Hazelip, to your careful attention. It is entitled: Do We Need a New Moral Code?

"Those who follow the American press read a great deal about dope, drink, vandalism, game-fixing, tax-evasion, price rigging, race riots, party-crashing, wild beach parties and the like. Several magazines have recently undertaken the task of analyzing the causes and prescribing treatment.

In a recent article, one responsible magazine gave a frightening examples of immorality in America: 500,000 supermarket carts disappeared last year (cost, 15 million dollars); oilmen have recently stolen \$50 million worth of oil by slant-well digging; 85% of all the marriages in which both partners are high school students are "forced"; hundreds of suburban couples in an area participated in wife-swapping; employee thefts of money and merchandise from their employers are estimated at \$2 billion annually if everyone were honest; there is one divorce in every four marriage in America, with the result that 13 million children today belong to broken homes; the number of illegitimate births has tripled since 1940 and on and on.

The Senior Editor of *Look* concluded after his survey, reflected above, that "we must find a new moral code that will fit the needs of the society we live in." Blame is placed upon government, business and religious groups, somewhat overlooking the responsibility which the press, the entertainment world, or even the home, must bear. The conclusion of all-too-many is that what is old is no longer fitted to our needs; they call this the "Post-Christian" age and look for new standards.

But it is the same old story. Christianity has not been tried and found wanting—it has been found difficult and has not been tried. It is always easier to make our gods in our own image than to change ourselves into God's image. Although it is true that the world is changing so fast that our understanding can hardly keep pace, it is also true that the sins of the theft, unchastity and even assassination are virtually as old as the human race.

Our moral need does not call for something new, but for something true. A very old standard says, "And what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?" And again, "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God." (Micah 6:8; Matthew 5:8). And there is something very deep within each of us which instinctively answers to the appeal of these words. Let's not lower the standards; instead, let us lift our lives.

Most of our sick are doing much better. Bertha Carter was recently in the Brownwood Hospital for tests, but is now back home and feeling much better. Snova Walker is also recovering quite well at home after her surgery. Etta Mae Tyler is at Twilight Acres Rest Home and appears to be greatly improved. Mrs. Clara Burkhead was due to be transferred from Abilene to the rest home here the first of this week. She is still in very serious condition. The E.B. Hardings have been ill, but were able to be out and at services both times Sunday. Others have had the flu and various other ailments, but are better.

Our young people again enjoyed a period of fellowship and recreation with the young people of the church of Christ in Cisco Sunday evening.

This Sunday evening, after the evening Assembly, all who will stay are invited to eat and visit together in a period of fellowship.

To help the missionary family we help support: the Rudy Wrays, move from El Salvador to Honduras, to begin a new work, the church here has contributed \$500.

Join us for detailed Bible study: On Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and in the Assemblies on Sunday; at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. The meeting on Wednesday of this week, at 7 p.m., will be devoted to singing, prayer and scripture readings. The sermon topic Sunday morning will continue the studies on Satan and will deal with: The Devices of Satan.

May your week be a good one. Call us if we can serve you in any way.

---Owen Aikin

Universal Full Assembly Church

One of our local pastors asked a question recently which should have stirred every heart that read it: "Are you doing your part to help keep your church from being closed?" As we look and see the great tide of Communism sweeping over the world we had better be thanking God for our churches and doing all in our power to keep them open. There might come a time when you will want somebody to pray! Can you imagine a nation with no churches, no Bibles, no prayer meetings? If we, as Christians, do not buckle down and pray and seek the face of God and be faithful to our churches, we might well see the time when we, too, will be crushed under the iron grip of Communism. So we might ask ourselves these questions: 1. Am I faithful in attending every service? 2. Am I faithful in working for my church, doing whatever my hands find to do? 3. Am I faithful in supporting my church with my finances? Or do we just leave it up to somebody else? The results--your church doors will close. Your pastor can't do it all. Neither can he fill your place. Some Christians like to play games.

"Drop the Handkerchief" in this game a person accepts a responsibility, then goes around the circle until he can drop it behind some unsuspecting person, whereupon he runs very fast (usually out of town every Sunday) so he won't get caught. "Tag"--This is a real fun game because it puts the minister at a disadvantage where the odds are 100 to 1. The rules of this game are very simple. In fact, there is only one: "Every time you visit me, I'll come to church one Sunday or tag me at home, and I'll tag you in the pulpit next Sunday."

Kick Bawl: (Purpose to demoralize the whole church, a small team is enough to play. Object: kick about everything that is done, and bawl if you are not asked to help.)

Hide and Seek: Here is a game with a lot of excitement and personal satisfaction. It goes something like this: A member of the church hides in a bed in a room down a long corridor on the upper floor of a hospital. The object is for the minister to find him. It's against the rules for anyone to tell him. If the minister loses the game, the member enjoys the victory by telling everyone plus the minister. "I was in the hospital two weeks and the minister nor anyone from the church ever came to see me the entire time."

Let us not play games. Let's be a "faithful Christian".

Bro. McGinn

First United Methodist Church Rising Star

I would like to share some thoughts that have come to me recently as we have been studying more closely the Lord's Prayer.

Said Jesus: "Give us this day our daily bread". For centuries men have prayed this prayer, including these very words. But, how often does it impel man to seek out a destitute family and ease their hunger? How often today does it cause us to dig down into our pockets to give to overseas relief? How often does it make us choke on food from our ample tables, as our minds have turned to those gaunt pictures of the starving, homeless, frightened and cold children we have seen? Although we have uttered the words with a familiarity born of habit, they are strange on our lips. These are not ordinary words. They are words paced with explosives, for when prayed as Jesus prayed them they strike at the heart of wars and injustices in international economic systems that cause people to be hungry. In a land where there is poverty in the midst of plenty we need to pray, "Lord have mercy on us, and make us to know the full meaning of what we say when we pray". And more we need to let that prayer explode under outmoded practices, so that our concern starts creating a system in which all may have food. The good earth brings forth in abundance, but because of our greed and poor distribution system many still go to bed hungry every night.

If the millions of Christians throughout the world were to pray this prayer as Jesus prayed

it, and then do something about it, there would be an economic revolution over the world the like of which the world has never seen.

Mrs. C.L. (Lessie) Smith is a patient in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene. Miss Artie Boase was admitted to Graham Hospital in Cisco one day last week.

Miss Madge Bell remains in Hendrick Hospital. She shows little improvement. The condition of Mrs. Clara Burkhead is unchanged.

Joe Bobeen is back in Veterans Hospital in Temple after suffering a light stroke. We are happy to learn that Mrs. Carl Irby is home after a short stay in Graham Hospital in Cisco. And too, Mrs. H.B. Sone is home for a short time, but will be returning to Scott and White Hospital in Temple for further treatments.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Mrs. Mary Pilant who passed away early Monday morning.

This is the WEEK for our Country Store. You will find it fully announced elsewhere in your local paper. Come by to see us, you'll be glad you did!

Worship in the Church of your choice this week, you will be blessed by God by your participation.

Hubert Taylor, Pastor

First Baptist Church Rising Star

A couple of years ago I was called to bring an ambulance to an accident. Upon arriving two girls were lying on the street injured. The girls were loaded into the ambulance and taken to the hospital.

The reason for the accident, a man had failed to stop for a stop sign. He failed in his responsibility.

Each person has a work he must do, an influence he is to exert which are his alone. No society survives when people do what is right in their own eyes. (Judges 17:6) Neither do schools, churches, homes or communities. Each person must accept his own responsibilities.

Who is to fault when things go wrong? A teacher asked her third grade pupil "What keeps you from getting your homework done?" With surprising brevity but with great objectivity the child replied, "Just me". How true for us.

We are facing in our country as never before the breakdown of marriages. Divorce is ever on the increase. Dr. Virgil G. Damon in his book, "I Learned About Women From Them", states the major cause of conflict is that people "don't know the meaning of responsibility, they won't face up to it in any form."

Marriage is far from a 50-50 arrangement. It demands that husband and wife each accept 100% responsibility and enrich and fulfill the needs of their partner. To fail is to court conflict.

This is true of the Church. God expects every christian to accept the responsibility of doing His will.

Daniel Webster said, "The most important thought I ever had was that of my individual responsibility to God."

Sunday morning message, "When You Pray".

Sunday evening the pastor will continue the study of Romans chapter 12. The theme for the study will be "The Life of Dedication as a Testimony to Other Christians."

Wednesday we will continue our study of the Book of Genesis.

Visiting with us Sunday morning were Miss Joe Windham of Rising Star, Jane Coe of San Manuel, Arizona; and Melody, Tammy and Deidra Wynne of San Angelo.

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NIMROD NEWS

The supper at the Nimrod Progressive Club Monday night was well attended.

Mrs. Edgar Townsend is on the sick list this week. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Marshall Turnful of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blankship Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sweeney spent the weekend in Odessa with their children.

Dale Wirt spent the weekend with his sister inreckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Boen spent last weekend weekend in Odessa and other West Texas towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Weiser of Cisco visited Mrs. Dan Wende Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L.O. Richardson of Loca Hills, New Mexico, visited his sisters Mrs. Maude Hill, Mrs. Eva Stroebel and husband, also his niece Mrs. Veena Hart in Cisco. They didn't get to see the other sister Mrs. Lela McBeth who was in Dallas for eye surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuett Dawkins attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Roady at Pioneer Sunday afternoon.

Lizzie Brooks of Cross Plains visited Josey and Alma Morris Sunday afternoon.

The Joe Brauley family of Cisco are working hard to finish their new house on the farm, south of Cisco.

Mrs. O.B. Swetzer and grandson David, were business visitors in Abilene Saturday. Mrs. Beulah Sheridan who is in Dallas with her daughter is reported to be showing improvement.

Mrs. Ernest Stroebel visited Mrs. Dan Wende Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox and daughter Mary Ann and Mrs. Nannie Brooks of Cisco visited Ladies sister, the Truett Dawkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.L. King were Friday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thoman at Lake Leon.

Jim Blackwell of Clyde spent the week end with his mother, Nora and Arzie Green.

Bertha Whitlock visited her sister the Wordis Erwins Sunday.

Randy Foster accompanied his grandparents the Edwin Erwins to Abilene Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Elrufe Gray of Abilene visited the E.E. Blankshipp recently.

1,000 Deer Expected In Current Harvest

Deer season opened Saturday, Nov. 16, and will remain open until Jan. 1. For those of you who want to hunt and have not got your license they cost \$5.25. Leases will run from about \$100 to \$150.

Game Warden Kenneth Payne estimates that there will be approximately \$2,000 to \$3,000 spent on hunting violation fines in Eastland County this year.

There will probably be about 750 to 1000 deer killed this year. The deer will probably be hiding a lot more this year since there has been plenty of food for them. They will not be out looking for food so they should be fairly still. There are about 100,934 acres of deer range with about one deer to every 20 acres. This year there were about 2,500 doe permits issued. You are allowed two deer of either sex.

For you turkey hunters Eastland County has no open this year.

Quail season is open from December 1st thru February 16th.

The average hunter is likely to spend around \$100 for clothes and another \$125 for food and beverages. Hunters spend about \$75 for shells. That is if they are hunting deer and quail. Transportation and camping

T.F.U. Drafts '75 Policy

Fifteen farmers and ranchers from across Texas met in Waco last week to draft the 1975 policy statement of the Texas Farmers Union. The members of the policy committee wrote the draft of the general farm organization's guiding document by incorporating recommendations and resolutions submitted by the county Farmers Union locals. The delegates to the Texas Farmers Union annual convention in Houston, December 13-14 will debate the proposed statement and adopt the final version.

Adequate income protection for farmers and ranchers was one of the key issues before the farmer-rancher panel. Many of the recommendations passed by the committee deal with proposed changes to the 1973 Farm Act. Other issues which will spur debate in Houston concern the farm organization's position on the subjects of land-use planning,

the administration of the creation of a state utility commission, property taxes and fuel allocation to agricultural producers. The agricultural producer delegates will also debate questions of school financing, brand inspection, water priorities and the commodity check-off programs.

Members of the Policy Drafting Committee who will present their recommendations to the Houston convention are: Co-Chairmen Joe Rankin of Ralls; Henry Harnly, Pampa; Herbert Heine, Del Valle; Stanley Moore, Lorraine; G.W. "Dub" Drummond, Hamlin; William F. Powell, Howe; George Lee Streit, Electra; J.W. SADBERRY, De Leon; Melvin Long, Memphis; Gene Perry, Big Spring; Keith Lynch, Crawford; Patrick Rasmussen, Louise; Sylvester Cery, El Campo; and James Cooper, Lockhart.

President Bell To Attend N.A.R.F.E. Meeting

Texas Federation President Vernon Bell, of Lubbock, will attend the Monday night Nov. 25th, meeting of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees. The dinner meeting of NARFE will be held at 6 p.m. at the Ramada Inn in Eastland. The price of the dinner will be \$2.50 and prospective members and guests will be welcome. No reservations will be necessary. This will be the final meeting of the year as the members of Chapter 555 voted not to meet in December.

Lessie Smith, Rising Star, will be Program Chairman and has planned a Musical to honor President Bell and his wife, Ileana. Guest violinist will be Mrs. Joe Tunnell of Levelland. Vocalist will be Vice-President Carl Garret, of Eastland. Mrs. Rex Hudson, Rising Star, will be accompanist. Traditional Thanksgiving and Holiday numbers will be presented. New members welcomed to the organization are Mr. and Mrs. Hill of Ranger and Mrs. Reaves and Miss Jones of Eastland.

equipment could possibly run \$150 to \$200 based on seven days of hunting.

There will probably be about a thousand hunters out this year in pursuit of deer and quail.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

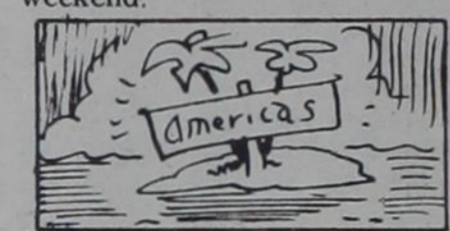
Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Burns and Mrs. W.G. Elliott visited with the Robert Wilson's in Denton Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Hook and Jody, of Mineral Wells was a visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cole White over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bailey of Abilene were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ballews and other relatives.

Donald J. Joyce of Fort Worth was a weekend visitor of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Geye, Debbie and Brandon, of Clyde, were visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Geye and Helen Donham, during the weekend.



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MAY NEWS

BY
Entha Campbell

Dear Sis,
Here is an easy pie and a delicious one. Finish a graham cracker pie crust. Put a 6 oz. package of chocolate bits or butterscotch morsels in a double boiler to melt (about 35 minutes). Thaw 1 quart Cool Whip, cool double boiler mixture slightly then blend into Cool Whip. Pour into pie crust and chill 6 hours before serving.

I wish you and Wilson could come up for Thanksgiving and Christmas. We may be able to come down for Christmas if things work out as we have planned.

The person who repeats gossip is worse than the originator of it because without the repeater the gossip would die.

Sausage seasoning makes a very delicious poultry seasoning and is excellent in cornbread dressing.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Devers of Amarillo visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Devers last weekend.

Mrs. Addie Anderson of Bangs, Mrs. Joe Corsan, and the Gerald Ezra family of Brownwood were visitors in the home of Mrs. Lillian Ezra last week. Also visiting in Mrs. Ezra's home were Mrs. Mae Ribble, Mrs. Peg Willett and Mary Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. H.F. Roberts of San Angelo have recently moved into the Fleming house.

Mr. C.D. Jackson has spent several days at home this past week. Marshall has gone to Pennsylvania and Tommy Petross is home so...So much for our long distance truckers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Medley, Pat, Joe, Jimmy, Tim and Vicki of Brownwood visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore this last weekend.

Darwin Dickerson celebrated his 21st birthday Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Dickerson.

Mrs. Grace King will reside in the Brownwood Car Center for five more weeks due to the daily care required for her eye since cataract surgery. Cards, letters, or visits would be appreciated.

Mrs. Monsey, Mrs. Maud Killion, Mrs. Hillard Smith, Mrs. Eva Smith, and Mrs. Pearl Burns are in the same care center, and all were doing well when I last visited them on Nov. 14.

Mrs. Lee Devers was dismissed from the Brownwood Community Hospital Friday. She was in there for diagnostic tests for 6 days.

Mr. Edgar Burnett is doing fairly well since he had surgery on a badly broken leg about two weeks ago.

Mrs. Dana Killion was to have been released from the hospital last Friday.

Mrs. Bernice Barber and Mrs. Willie Raye Gray went to Dallas to visit their sister, Mrs. Johnnie Lee Russo on Nov. 12. She died Nov. 15 and was to have been buried Nov. 18 in Dallas. Our sympathy is extended to this family.

Sympathy is also extended to the family of Mrs. Eula Lee who was buried Nov. 14. She was the mother of Olin Lee.

Mr. Donald Isbell of Houston spent 2 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Isbell.

Mrs. Isbell visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lafferty, Nov. 10, to 14 in Lake Dallas.

Need a gift suggestion? See the Book Shelf in The Rising Star office.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Willett, Jennifer and Andrea of Brownwood visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M.D. Willett last Sunday.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. John R. Edwards. She died at 2 a.m. Nov. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adkins of Mt. Syvan have a new daughter, born Nov. 15, at 7 a.m. in the Mineola General Hospital in Mineola, Texas. She has been named Tricia Lynn and weighed 7 lbs.

The maternal grandmother is Mrs. Raylene Edwards. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Adkins of Mt. Sylvan.

Maternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John R. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Young of May.

Paternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Gentry of Van; and Mrs. Virgie Adkins of Mineola.

Maternal great grandmother is Mrs. Ora White of Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. White of Dalhart were visitors in the Ray Lancaster home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A.F. Seaton, known to their friends as Evelyn and Curly, plan to move here from Dublin as soon as they remodel the house they have recently purchased just east of Dorthie Smith.

Mrs. Delia Flores, Mrs. Naomi Mendoza, Isaac Mendoza, Rebecca Mendoza, attended the funeral of Mrs. Juana Sanchez, in San Antonio. Mrs. Sanchez had eight children, 49 grandchildren, 107 great-grandchildren, 13 great-great-grandchildren. She was born Dec. 27, 1879, in Seguin, Texas. She died Nov. 6, 1974.

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Gleaton and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Gleaton visited Daniel Baker Homecoming last Saturday and came back by here to visit and reminisce. The Gleatons are from Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Tick Lindley, Jerry Lindley, and Cotton Moore ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindley.

AROUND THE PARSONAGE
Calvary Baptist Church - WMU has been studying about student ministers in Columbia.

The Sunday School set a goal of fifty for the statewide high day in Sunday School. They had forty in attendance. Visitors in the church recently have been Rev. and Mrs. Morgan Ashworth and family and Cindy Jackson.

Rev. and Mrs. Armo Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ashworth visited Mrs. Grace King in the care center Saturday night.

The Rev. and Mrs. Armo Bentley served Sunday night supper to Rev. and Mrs. Morgan Ashworth and family of Brownwood. Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ashworth, and Mrs. Barbara Dewbre and Shane of Cross Plains were also there.

Sunday night message was delivered by Rev. Morgan Ashworth, a special song was sung by Rev. Armo Bentley "Farther Along". On Nov. 7, the church had a singing from 5:30 p.m. until service at 6:30 p.m.

Specials were rendered by Teri Bentley and Tommy Ashworth with James Bentley at the piano.

Notice

The site for the Pioneer Bluegrass and Country Western Festival has been changed from Sharon Park to the Cross Plains High School auditorium, on Saturday, November 23, from 7:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.

The public is cordially invited to attend.
No alcoholic beverages!

Mrs. Alford To Present Mission Study

The United Methodist Women will meet on Monday, Nov. 25, at 2:30 in the home of Miss Elizabeth Robertson for the last lesson of the mission study, "The Sermon on the Mount", presented by Mrs. Ronnie Alford.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

T.M.A. Urges Hunting Safety

Some millions of American males - along with more than a few females - are taking to the woods this month, firearms in hand, in search of live targets.

These are the hunters among us.

The Texas Medical Association has a note of caution for those who are planning a fall safari into the fields and woods in search of deer and other game.

Know what you're firing at before you pull the trigger.

The hunter who blazes away rapidly at everything that moves is a highly dangerous animal. His quarry might well be another hunter.

The wise Texas hunter will be wearing a "hunter orange" vest or, at the very least, a cap made in this glowing bright fluorescent color. The color sends a glowing signal to other hunters, but goes unnoticed by color-blind game such as white-tail deer, which will only be alarmed when it distinguishes motion, sound, or scent.

Each year several hunters return from fall outings via hearse. Many others return with a load of bird shot or a rifle bullet to be dug out by a doctor. Behind almost every hunting accident is one cause: carelessness.

Never cross over or through a fence or climb a tree with a loaded gun. It might fall and discharge. Don't shoot at a hard, flat surface. Glancing bullets can carry long distances. Even a small bore rifle has considerable range. Know where your bullet will stop before pulling the trigger.

Keep guns away from children. Never leave a weapon unattended without unloading it. Store guns and ammunition beyond the reach of youngsters, preferably under lock and key. Always carry a gun so that you can control the direction of the muzzle if you stumble. Keep the safety catch on until ready to shoot. Be sure the barrel is clear of mud, snow or other obstructions. A clogged barrel may burst.

Leave your liquor bottle at camp, and wait until you're through with the day's hunting and the guns are unloaded to take that first drink. And don't overdo it. You want to have a clear head for the next day's hunt.

Good luck on a successful - and safe - hunt.

R. Star Girls Win Over Cisco

Theresa Lawrance

The Rising Star girls beat both the Cisco "A" & "B" girls at Rising Star Friday night.

The "B" team game score was Rising Star 41, Cisco 36. Gwen Winfrey made 23 of the 41 points with 9 field goals and 5 free throws. Marion Woody made 2 field goals for 4 points; and Kaycee Rutherford made 5 field goals and 4 free throws for a total of 14 points. Our guards - Carolyn Bessent, Diana Linney, Linda Christian, Donna Nelson, Karen Guthrie, and Kim Leonard - did a fine job of guarding, letting Cisco make only 2 points in the first quarter, 10 points in the second quarter, 12 points in the third quarter, and 12 points in the fourth quarter for a total of 36 points.

Christian Leaders To Honor Dr. Grady Wilson On Nov. 24

SWEETWATER-Christian leaders from around the world have been invited to participate in a special day of activities in the Sweetwater area, Sunday, November 24, to honor Dr. Grady Wilson, long-time evangelist and associate to Billy Graham.

The Grady Wilson Day program will come as a surprise to Wilson who is coming to Texas on what he thinks is a deer hunting trip.

The program will feature such well-known personalities as soloist George Beverly Shea and Miss Ethel Waters, a unique camp meeting under a big tent, and the naming of Dr. Wilson as an Honorary Texan by Governor Dolph Briscoe.

Miss Waters, Shea, soloist Steve Musto, pianist Barbara Musto, and a special guest speaker will participate in a special service at the First Baptist Church of Sweetwater from 10:50 until noon.

Beginning at 2:30 p.m. Sunday the general public is being invited to assemble at West Texas Ranch for Christ, 23 miles south of Sweetwater off the San Angelo Highway for an area-wide evangelistic camp meeting at which Dr. Grady Wilson will preach.

During the tent meeting a representative of Governor Briscoe will name Wilson an Honorary Texan, and the management of West Texas Ranch for Christ will dedicate a restored 100 year old former frontier home for Wilson to use when he visits Texas.

A 300-voice volunteer choir from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene will also perform at the tent service along with Shea, Miss Waters, and the Mustos.

The restored home, transported from San Angelo, will also serve as a guest house for speakers at West Texas Ranch for Christ conference activities when not in use by the Wilsons. The Ranch is a discipleship training center operated by the International Evangelism Association.



Rising Star Girls Basketball "A" team, left to right; Jenny Walker, Sharon Wilson, Dodie Chambers, Pam Hunt, Kasey Maynard, Gwenda Butler, Marilyn Bibb, Taronna Chambers, Jeanne Housel, Pam Hill, and Marissa Polk.



Rising Star Girls Basketball "B" Team, left to right; Gwen Winfrey, Mrion Woody, Lisa Campbell, Pam Hunt, Debbie Chilton, Linda Christian, Diana Linney, Caroline Bessent, Jenny Walker, Kaycee Rutherford, Kim Leonard, Derenda Lawrance, Karen Guthrie, and Donna Nelson.

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Pictured above is the new Dodge Econo van recently acquired by the Eastland County workshop. The van will transport eight passengers and will be used by the workshop for field trips and transportation of the students to and from the workshop. The van was donated to the MHMR center by the Brown County Association of Retarded Citizens.

Eastland County Workshop Acquires Van For Transportation

The Eastland County Workshop received a van Friday, Nov. 15, for the transportation of students to and from the workshop, and on field trips.

The Eastland County Workshop is a satellite workshop of the Brownwood MHMR. It was established to serve the vocationally handicapped of Eastland County.

Eastland County is one of seven in the Central Texas MHMR Catchment area. The

program includes work activity training and personal social adjustment training. There are presently eight students now enrolled in the program, five from Eastland and three from Cisco.

Mrs. Berette Lovelace is the Vocational Trainer. The program is open to any vocationally handicapped adult, with "adult" being defined as anyone 17 years of age or older. The program is located on the

Cisco Junior College campus in the Vocational Technical Building, number two. The college provides rent free space, and also pays all the utilities for the program. Financial support is also received from the Community Chest and the Eastland County Commissioner's Court.

Students attend the program six hours a day. The shop is open five days a week. Current contracts include packaging small plasticware and hardware.

For further information about the program contact Mrs. Lovelace at 442-2574 or Christine Clement, Director of MR Programs for the Central Texas MHMR at 915-646-9576.

C.J.C. To Sponsor Barrel Racing School

A Barrel Racing School will be held on the campus of Cisco Junior College in June, according to an announcement by CJC Dean of Students Dean Madison. The school, which will utilize the rodeo arena and housing facilities of the college, will be held June 15 - 21, 1975.

Madison said the school would be open to any young lady who is interested, but that a maximum number of 25 students could be accepted. Students will be housed in one of the college dormitories and take their meals in the campus cafeteria.

Head instructor for the school will be Frances Hanson, a well-known barrel racer and camp director from Gardendale, Texas. Mrs. Hanson will be assisted by her daughter, Janet, an award-winning barrel racer in her own right, and by Donna Saul, who was National All-around Cowgirl while a student at Sul Ross University in 1962.

Mr. zMadison said the main purpose of the school is to provide students with instruction and trianing in competitive barrel racing, and that special emphasis would be given to individualized in-

struction in all aspects of western horsemanship and arena events. Such subjects as selecting and judging horses, fitting and showing, western pleasure, pole bending, reining, and the use and care of equipment will also be covered, he said.

More details concerning the school may be obtained by contacting: Dean Madison; Dean of Student Services; Cisco Junior College; Cisco, Texas 76437.

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May 4-H Club Meets In Community Center

The May 4 - H club met November 14, 1974 at 7:30 p.m. in the community center. Tonya Allen called the meeting to order. Kenny Hignight led the 4 - H motto. Grant Wells led the Pledge of Alligiance. Janet Nelson led the 4 - H prayer.

The club talked about what the members won at the 4 - H banquet held November 9. Also at the meeting the club will exchange gifts and then the club will go caroling. The club made out programs and activities for 1975.

Greg Wells and Shellon McCallie selected games for the night. The club played Shoe Scramble and Hide and Go Seek.

Becky Windham and Becky Moore served punch and cookies.

The club enjoyed themselves and the meeting was then adjourned.

Members of the club present at the meeting were: BGrant Wells, Darin Chambers, Matt Muckleroy, Yvonne Petross, Tonya Craftman, Shellon McCallie, Lynn Whitaker, Bo Allen, Brad Wells, Kenny Hignight, Greg Wells, Bobby Burnett, Becky Windham, Tanha Allen, Becky Moore, and Janet Nelson. Leaders present were: Mrs. Eugene Pollette and Mrs. S.M. Moore. Visitors present were: Dee Dee Chambers Crissy Moore, Mrs. Wayne Nelson, Mrs. Mike Muckleroy, Mrs. Vic McCallie, Mrs. Clayton Chambers, and Mr. Jerry Burnett.

by reporter
Janet Nelson

Twilite Acre News

BY GAYNELLE SANSOM

Mr. Martin Hill visited and trimmed the men's hair. He told us the story of a cow that got into the popcorn patch. Seems the sun was so hot that day, the popcorn started popping. The poor cow looked around at the white field and thought it was snow. She started shaking and finally she froze.

Etta Mae Tyler appreciates the visits of her many friends and thanks for stopping by to see her.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Swift and boys from Denton visited Etta Whitlock.

Happy Birthday, Robert Landreth.

Lessie Claborn's visotrs were Athol and Mae Dee Claborn from Trent and Merle and Edra Claborn from Zephyr.

Omie Henderson's visitors were Mrs. Buela Stodghill and Herbert Henry.

The Staff of Twilite Acres extends sincere sympathy to the family of Mary Pilant.

Rufus Pierce enjoyed visiting with his son and family, the Ebert Pierce's from Chapel Hill, North Carolina. His dresser has many pictures of his 7 month old great-granddaughter, Kirsten Brantley.

Thank you to Mrs. Owen Aiken and Inez Robertson for the egg cartons.

Buster Rixford attended services at the Church of Christ.

Alice Griffin enjoyed visites with the A.W. Griffins. Mark Griffin also visited her.

Welcome to Wanda Randolph, our new resident. She is from Cross Plains. Dr. A.D. Stone visited with her.

Buck and Louise Clark visited ertie Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. thurman Garner were visited by Raymond Mayes and Mrs. Charlie Young of May.

Ted and Mark Barton from Sipe Sptings visited Sallie Millwee.

Bessie Bowers brought several huge sweet potatoes to show us. They weighed over 5 lbs. each. She visited her mother, Ora White also.

Mrs. Vera Butler visited her mother, Ella Roan.

The Mountaineers hope to be here Nov. 27 to play for the residents We're looking forward to seeing Chief Many Fingers, Shy Enne, and Uncle Earl again.

Color Brochures Available From USDA Soil Conservation Service

How soil surveys can help you is the subject of a new set of color brochures available from the USDA Soil Conservation Service.

The leaflets are designed to describe uses which can be made of soil surveys by nine different groups including home buyers, builders, developers, land use planners, land appraisers, farmers, ranchers, construction engineers, and others.

T.S.C.R.A. Names Special Assistant

FORT WORTH--Cullen Robinson has been named Special Assistant-Field Services for the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, effective Nov. 7, 1974, announced Don C. King, Secretary-General Manager. Robinson has been a TSCRA field inspector since 1963, serving Brazos, Burleson, Robertson, Milam, Grimes, Washington, Leon and Madison Counties, with headquarters in Bryan, Texas.

A native of Scurry County, Robinson was in Snyder, Texas, and graduated from Hermleigh High School. He attended Texas Tech and served in the U.S. Army during World

District Conservationist Ronald Bailey of the Eastland Field Office said single copies of these leaflets are available free from his office.

Soil Surveys have been made on 120 million acres of land in Texas as part of the National Cooperative Soil Survey. Additional land is being mapped at the rate of about five million acres per year.

The surveys are made by SCS soil scientists who examine the soil acre-by-acre. They record depth, percent sand or clay in each layer, acidity, or alkalinity, wetness, flood hazard, and other features by soil name symbols on aerial photographs. After a county survey is completed, the survey is published for public use.

Bailey said the survey for Eastland County is complete but not published. Until the report is published, soil survey information for all land mapped in Eastland County is available at the Eastland SCS office.

War II. Following his discharge, he was involved in professional rodeo, both as a producer and contestant specializing as a calf roper. He served as a field representative with the Texas Animal Health Commission in Bryan from 1952 to 1963. Robinson has raised Quarter Horses and Paint Horses for many years and for the past five years, has been a member of

Soil surveys can be interpreted to determine suitability of soil for home sites, building foundations, septic tank filter fields, gardens, cropland, trees, parks, fill material and other uses.

They can also be used to predict depth to bedrock; location of sand, gravel or caliche deposits; corrosivity to metal pipelines; shrink-swell hazards; and dozens of other features.

Bailey urged anyone interested in soil surveys to contact his office for a free leaflet explaining how surveys can be used. If making your request by mail, specify your business or special interest so you will receive the leaflet designed for you.

The Eastland SCS office is located on the third floor of the Eastland National Bank Building. The mailing address is Soil Conservation Service, P.O. Box 231, Eastland, Texas, 76448. The telephone number is 629-1480.

the board of directors of the American Paint Horse Association and served as chairman of the Stallion Inspection Committee of the APHA.

King said that Robinson had been a top inspector in every respect and through the years had provided outstanding service for the members and cattlemen in his area.

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