

Through The Editor's Specs

By BAB

There are only two weeks left before it's Clean-Up week in Rising Star.

Actually, the designated week—April 29 - May 4—should be only a time of assessing what has actually been done toward making Rising Star a more attractive community...

Better get busy.

The awards will be in cash—\$15, \$10 and \$5.

But it isn't the money—it's the "principle" of the thing that counts.

There are other prizes to be given away, too—awards that will be distributed in a series of drawings on Saturday afternoon...

It's a good time, too, to undertake the home improvements which you have been planning for so long.

You will be surprised at the improvements you can make without any money down and on a convenient monthly repayment plan.

The City street department has done a good job on the vacant lot between the Palace Drug Store and the Higginbotham building...

Plans for the lot, which belongs to the Horton Estate, include installing tables and benches for the comfort of elderly persons...

The Lions Club hopes to have its annual broom and mop sale on Saturday, May 4. It has always had a nice response from the women of the community...

Texas Lions Clubs, including the Rising Star club, also support a camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville.

Those of us who remember (Continued on page two)

Only Two Weeks Left In Clean-Up Campaign

With the final week of the campaign drawing near, officials of the Chamber of Commerce and the City—joint sponsors of the annual Clean-up Paint-up, Fix-up program in Rising Star—issued appeals to the citizens to cooperate in a... of the program toward making the campaign the most successful...

Cemetery Ass'n In Need of Funds For Summer Use

The Rising Star Cemetery Ass'n is in need of contributions to its fund for the upkeep of the Rising Star burial place...

During the Spring and Summer months a full time caretaker is required to keep the cemetery free of weeds and clean, the Mayor pointed out and the need for funds with which to pay the expenses of the upkeep is very acute.

The fund is raised by donations from families who have loved ones buried in the grounds. Pledges may be paid in cash or in monthly, quarterly and semi-annual installments.

Luther Keel Is Buried Friday In Cemetery Here

Luther Marion Keel, 61-year-old resident of Rising Star for the past eight years, was buried in Rising Star cemetery Friday, April 12, after funeral services at the First Baptist Church...

Mr. Keel died in Rising Star Hospital at 8:40 p.m. Wednesday April 10, after an illness of four days.

Mr. Keel was born Feb. 5, 1882 in Garth, Ala. He was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church. He married Eugenia Jones in February 1909 in Gilmer, Texas.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Allen W. of Sea, Gene of Houston and George of Rising Star; six daughters, Mrs. Lela Edwards of Plainview, Mrs. Willie Willis of Comanche, Mrs. Ellen Russell of Holiday, Mrs. Mable Ingram of May, Tex., and Mrs. Lora Gifford and Mrs. Laurie Fraley, both of Rising Star; three brothers, Fred, Robert and George, all of Troup, Tex.; three sisters, Mrs. Lucy Young and Mrs. Besie Williams, both of Troup, and Mrs. Martha Jones, Bettie, Tex.

LVNA Unit Meets At Cisco, April 8th

Eastland County LVNA Division No. 64, met at the American Legion hall in Cisco Monday, April 8, for its regular meeting. Eighteen members and 16 visitors were present.

Mrs. Veneta Mitchell and 14 of the student nurses from the Cisco Junior College of Nursing attended the meeting, accompanied by Mrs. Williamson of Breckenridge, who is working with the school.

Four new members were added to the division at the meeting bringing the total of members to 41.

At the close of the meeting refreshments and fellowship were enjoyed by the group.

Mrs. Ray Smith and daughter Mrs. D. E. Worley and her daughter, Dana Sue Worley, all of San Angelo, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frye, Mrs. Love Shults and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith during the Easter holidays.

Specifically, residents were asked to enter seriously into the business of putting their residential—and business—premises in the most attractive condition; to make improvements needed; repainting, rewiring, and replumbing where necessary, and increase the value, as well as the looks, of their property by additions or remodeling where feasible.

Stress is being laid on FHA financing as one means of accomplishing the improvements urged, while free electrical and plumbing inspections by local plumbers and electricians have been arranged through the Chamber of Commerce...

Another feature of the campaign is the offering of three cash prizes to residents whose lawns and home premises are judged most attractively improved.

As a concluding feature of the campaign, a merchandizing carnival, with street sales, drawing for free prizes, and a bazaar with booths furnished by various civic organizations and sponsored by the Lions Club, will be held Saturday, May 4.

Registration for the prizes is free and each individual may register as often as desired. Registration slips will be available in each of the business houses or at the Chamber of Commerce.

Bill Would Move 91st District "In Toto" To Dallas

A bill introduced by Rep. Herby Stoltenwerck of Dallas, would deprive Eastland County of its 91st District Court. Under the terms of the bill the court would be moved "in toto" to Dallas.

The legislative effort is consonant with the attempts of Abilene legislators to have the 11th Court of Civil Appeals moved to Abilene.

Under the bill Eastland County would be grouped with Comanche, Hamilton and Coryell Counties.

Judge T. M. Collie of the Court said that in his opinion the court would not be moved. He said that various attempts had been made during the past 20 years to move the court.

Sen. Tom Creighton had told him that the measure would be carefully watched in Austin.

"Our 91st Court had only 30 less cases filed in 1961 as did the district into which Rep. Stoltenwerck would place this court. In 1961, District Court 52, made up of Bosque, Comanche, Coryell and Hamilton Counties, had 533 cases filed. Our Court had 503 cases," the Judge said.

"That district represented 55,123 total population, while this court served a population of only 19,526," Judge Collie said.

Dr. Bowden, Pioneer May Physician, Is Ill

Dr. A. M. Bowden, 87-year-old pioneer May physician, is in Medical Arts Hospital, Brownwood, under treatment for a stroke which he suffered at his home Sunday afternoon, April 7. His condition was said to be serious.

WORKERS CONFERENCE Monday, April 15, The Worker's Conference of the Baptist Cisco Association met with First Baptist Church in Albany.

Executive Board and W.M.U. meetings took place at 5:30, and supper was served by the host church at 6:15.

The main program began at 7:00. Emphasis was on Denominational Night. Speakers for the evening included L. L. Trott, Byron Bryant, J. C. Hoard, and Eugene Greer. Representing Rising Star church were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts, Pauline Roberts and M. G. Joyce.



LONE SEAT—While crowds bustle around her and buildings hover over her, a young girl finds a seat where she can watch the world go by.

Wildcats Sweep District; Go To Regional Next Saturday

Rising Star High School and Junior High track and field teams swept the District 20-B track and field events at Brownwood Thursday of last week to pile up 198 points and win the district title by a record margin.

The Wildcats won almost every first place in the Senior and Junior meets.

May High School, however, remained very much in the regional

competition—to be held at Stephenville next Saturday—by capturing a majority of the second and third places and garner 150 points.

Second and first place winners are eligible for the regional. Only the senior high school division winners will participate in the regional however. The junior high school winners are not eligible.

The Rising Star high school contestants won first place in every track event, losing first or failing to place in only the high jump, the pole vault and discus.

The Junior high boys took first places in all but high hurdles and the pull-up event, and in most of the events they also took second and third or fourth places.

Mack Harris was high point for the senior high school meet, with 31 points closely followed by Kenneth Nunnally with 30 points.

In the junior high meet Rex Long was high with 21 1/2 points and Franz Pittman second with 14 1/2.

Both the teams and the individual high point winners received nice trophies.

Preliminaries in the regional meet will be held at Stephenville Saturday morning and the finals in the afternoon.

Following are the individual winners in the two divisions:

Senior High School 440-yard relay—Rising Star—Kenneth Nunnally, Mark Walker, Tommy Alford and Mack Harris. Time 46.5 sec.

880-yard run—Donald Inglet, 2 min. 12 sec.

120-yard high hurdles—Larry Weise, 1st; Frazier Clark, 2nd.

100-yard dash—Mack Harris. Time 10.8 sec.

440-yard dash—Kenneth Nunnally, 1st; Garry Duggan, 2nd. Time: 53.7 sec.

180-yard low hurdles—Tommy Alford, 1st.

220-yard dash—Mack Harris, 1st.

1 Mile run—Larry Duggan, 1st. Time: 5 min.

1 Mile relay—Rising Star—Nunnally, Alford, Weise and Garry Duggan.

Pole vault—Mack Harris, 3rd.

Running broad jump—Nunnally, 1st. 19 ft.

12-pound shot put—James Cox, 1st, Kenny Butler, 4th. 41 ft. 9 in.

Discus—James Cox, 2nd.

Junior High School Division 50-yard dash—Franz Pittman, 1st; Bobby Burns, 2nd; Doug Fisher, 4th.

100-yard dash—Franz Pittman, 1st; Bobby Burns, 2nd; John Hutchinson, 3rd.

75-yard dash—Rex Long, 1st; Gene Burns, 2nd; Doug Fisher, 3rd.

440-yard relay—Rising Star—Franz Pittman, Gene Burns, Bobby Burns and Rex Long, 1st.

Pull-ups—Larry Burns, 2nd; Doug Fisher, 3rd.

Running high jump—Rex Long, 1st; Doug Fisher, 3rd.

Running broad jump—Rex Long, 1st; Franz Pittman, 2nd; John Hutchinson, 3rd.

8-pound shot put—Ted McKeehan, 1st; Harold Butler, 2nd.

Low hurdles—Rex Long, 1st; Gene Burns, 2nd; Dick Goldstein, 3rd.

High hurdles—Harold Butler, second.

Schools participating were: Rising Star, M a y, Blanket, Brookesmith and Zephyr.

STRICTLY FRESH

In Africa, certain tribes follow a ritual called the "mah'oola." It consists chiefly in a senseless beating of the ground with clubs. The same thing in America would be called golf.

A race horse is an animal which can take thousands of



GOODYE BANK ROLL!

Some say that never before did we have so much federal aid in spending our money.

Too bad we can use daylight savings time only once as an excuse for being late.

HOSPITAL NEWS

ADMITTED: Fred Clark, May; Mary Stovall, Rising Star; Mrs. J. G. Hill, Rising Star; Mrs. Henry Gregg, Rising Star; Mrs. M. M. Watkins, Rising Star, and H. R. Nichols, Rising Star.

DISMISSED: Mrs. Mattie Keeler, May; Mrs. Arley Angel, Rising Star; Mrs. W. H. Duggan, Rising Star; Lewis Lauderdale, St. Jo., and C. W. Richter, Rising Star.

George Branton, Native of Rising Star, Buried Here

George Lyndon Branton, 46, a native of Rising Star and a resident of Houston, who died at Ulyssess, Kan., Tuesday of last week, was buried in Long Branch cemetery following services Friday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. in the Higginbotham Funeral Home.

The Rev. H. K. Neely, Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church here, officiated and Higginbotham Funeral Home directed burial arrangements.

Mr. Branton died in Bob Wilson Memorial Hospital at Ulyssess at 7:55 p.m. Tuesday, April 9, of pneumonia.

He was born in Rising Star on Sept 5, 1916, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Branton. He was a member of the First Christian Church, and lived at Houston, Texas, where he was a construction worker.

Survivors include one son, Lt. James Branton of Barksdale, La.; a daughter, Mrs. Shirley Ables of Eastland; two brothers, I. N. and J. W., both of Pasadena; four sisters, Mrs. A. L. Buchanan of Rising Star, Mrs. J. T. Eric of Tahoka, Mrs. N. H. Parker of Port Lavaca and Mrs. Aaron Robison of Chicago, and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were George Hill, Glenn Henry, Curt Smith, Jack White, E. T. Hudnell and Lanham Burkhalter.

Malon Sheffield Joins Round Rock Bank

Malon Mark Sheffield, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sheffield of Okra community, has been elected vice-president and director of the Farmers State Bank of Round Rock, according to an announcement by President Tom Joseph of the bank. He is also an advisory director of the Citizens State Bank of Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield visited their son and his family last week-end and also went to Round Rock to see the new bank building there. Mr. and Mrs. Malon Sheffield are living in Austin where he was, until his resignation to go with the Round Rock bank, a bank examiner in charge of the Austin district of the State Banking Department. The family will move to Round Rock soon.

Kenneth Joyce, a teacher at Spur, was at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Joyce, during the Easter holidays.

Bulletin Pix Features Rising Star Tot

Three-year-old Casey Dee Rutherford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Rutherford, was featured in an appealing Easter pose, "Please, Mr. Bunny," in the Brownwood Bulletin last week. Casey was photoed cuddling her mechanical easter bunny. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tyler of Rising Star, are grandparents of Casey.

More Free Prizes for Clean-Up Week

- Oil Change Dunn Tractor Co.
Wash and Grease Job Freeman Premier Station
Oil Change O. R. Shults Cosden Station
\$3.00 Cash Elgie Crisp Humble Station
\$5.00 in trade Agnew Grocery
\$5.00 Gift Certificate Higginbotham's
\$5.00 in trade Palace Drug Store
Wheel Balance Job Carroll Service Station

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As It Looks From Here

By Omar Burleson, M. C. 17th Texas District

WASHINGTON, D. C. — IN NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES AND other publications of current events, we run across the term "balance of payments." This reference comes up in tax trade with other nations, military defense and about everything else that has to do with our relations with other countries.

QUESTION AND ANSWER FORM MIGHT BE HELPFUL, although these answers may be somewhat oversimplified.

Q. What is meant by balance of payments?

A. It is an accounting of a country's financial dealings with the rest of the world during a specified period, which is usually a year. It shows the relationship between the total outflow of expenditures to other countries and the total receipt from outside the United States.

Q. What do payments by the United States consist of?

A. They include the money other countries get through selling their goods in American markets, Government loans and grants to foreign countries, military spending overseas, spending by American tourists and other sources.

Q. What do receipts consist of?

A. Receipts include money received from American goods sold abroad, income received from American investments overseas, expenditures of foreign tourists in the United States and

repayment of loans by foreign businessmen or foreign governments.

Q. How does the U. S. now stand on its balance of payments?

A. The United States has been running a deficit in its balance of payments (that is, payments exceed receipts) every year since 1951, except 1957. The deficit last year was \$2.2 billion.

Q. How did this compare with previous years?

A. It was slightly better than in 1961, when the deficit was \$2.4 billion. From 1958 to 1960 the yearly deficit was higher, totaling \$11.3 billion during those three years.

Q. Why does the U. S. have such a large balance of payment deficit?

A. In recent years the deficit has been caused by heavy military spending overseas, foreign aid programs and private investment abroad by businessmen. In international trade, the United States annually exports more goods than it imports. In 1962 exports exceeded imports by \$4.4 billion, but other expenditures offset this sum and created a deficit.

Q. What happens to American dollars when the United States has an adverse balance of payments?

A. When the United States is running a deficit in its balance of payments, more dollars have left the country than have come in. Foreign countries, particularly their central banks, can either

hold the dollars or convert them into gold at the United States Treasury.

Q. What is a dollar worth in gold?

A. The Treasury buys and sells gold at the rate of \$35 an ounce. By law, however, Americans can not keep gold except for specified uses.

Q. What have foreign banks been doing with the dollars they accumulate because of the United States' balance of payments deficit?

A. Since 1958, foreign banks have been converting much of their dollar stores into gold.

Q. Why have these banks been taking gold?

A. Fear of inflation is one reason. Inflation in the United States would lower the purchasing power of dollars held by the foreign banks. Gold is considered the ultimate means of settling

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transactions.

Q. But isn't the dollar as good as gold?

A. Not quite. Like all paper currencies, it is vulnerable to inflation. Still, it is considered one of the strongest currencies in the world and is often used as a substitute for gold in international transactions.

Q. Is the United States losing much of its gold?

A. Yes. In 1946 the United States gold stock was \$24.6 billion. Today it is down to \$15.9 billion. If all foreign banks demanded gold for their dollars, the United States would not have enough gold to exchange for their dollars.

Q. Is the steady drain of American gold a serious problem?

A. Yes, if it continues until all our gold is gone. Confidence in stability of the dollar's value might decline. Fearing a decline, producers of goods, both at home and abroad, might demand more dollars to make up for the loss. This would mean higher prices, higher wages and serious inflation.

GETS CERTIFICATE IN DELCO SERVICING

Bill Medley of Medley Motor Co., returned Tuesday night from Dallas with a certificate of graduation from a General Motors school in the repair and servicing of Delcotron Alternators, a new type of automobile generator and charging circuit. He is now prepared to give his customers expert service on this advanced motor car equipment.

Mrs. C. E. Flanagan and Mrs. Harley Nay were visited by a niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Ross, of West Virginia, who also visited Ted McSpadden and wife at Vanderbilt, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nay and two children of Monahan were guests of his mother, Mrs. Harley Nay, and of his aunt, Mrs. C. E. Flanagan, during the Easter holidays.

Specs—

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fishing for "crawdads" about the gin tanks of a generation or so ago may be surprised to learn that the ugly, clawed creatures are a table delicacy much relished by the gourmets. A gourmet—the word is French and if you want to pronounce it look it up in Webster—is the person who ate the first oyster and swallowed the first egg. He is a fellow who eats things an honest, steak-eating West Texan wouldn't allow in his garbage can. He worships his taste buds and he is constantly looking around for new oddities of animal and vegetable life that will give them a new sensation.

This is the crawfish season and the swank restaurants of Dallas, Houston and New Orleans are featuring dishes made from the tails of the "fresh water lobsters"—the only edible portion, at least so far as the devotees of the eating art have been able to discover. The best crawfish come from Louisiana, according to the food writers, specifically from a river with an unpronounceable name in the southern part of the state. But I doubt very seriously if the haunts of the Cajuns can yield "crawdads" any bigger or more ferocious than some of the specimens I used to haul out of their mud holes about an old gin tank at Cooper, Texas, with a piece of fat meat on a string.

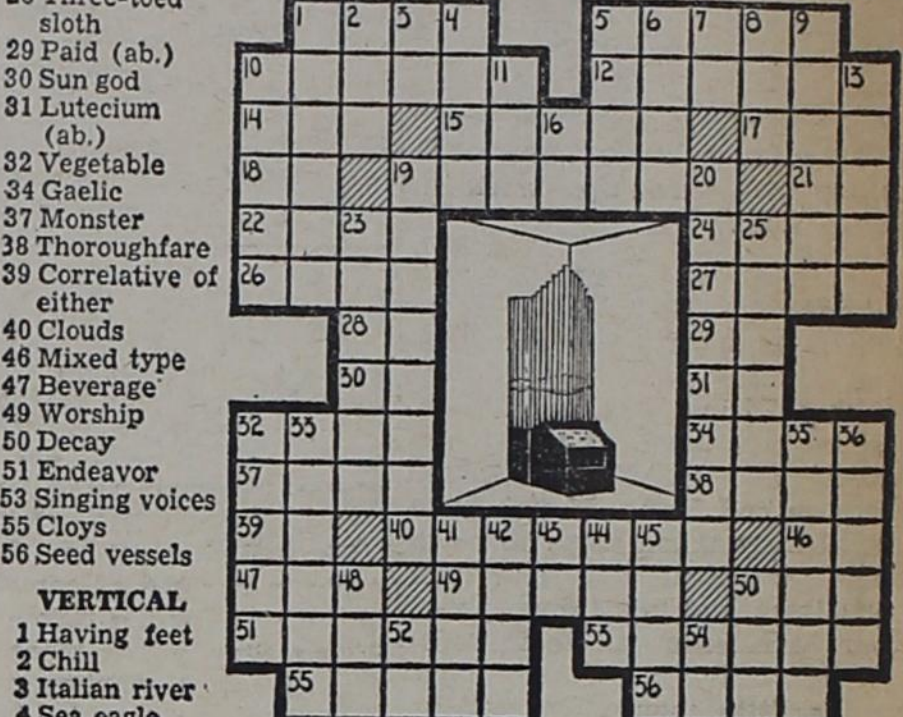
I am sure the Rising Star country can produce crawdads just as big.

Crawdad fishing was a wonderful boyhood sport. But nobody in our country ever thought seriously of eating them, although I do remember frying a batch of the tails on a makeshift stove at one time and finding the smell not bad. Once we got used to them as a food item, however, we might think no more of eating a crawfish "etouffee" than we now do of relishing a shrimp cocktail or a

WEEKLY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Music-Maker

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| 15 Depicted musical instrument | 6 Chest rattle | 33 Herons | 45 Cry |
| 10 Report | 7 Great Britain (ab.) | 20 Pieces of embroidery | 48 Brazilian macaw |
| 12 Hydrophobia | 8 Ventilator | 23 Closes | 41 Possess |
| 14 Poem | 9 Tidier | 25 Strong and dark | 42 Fruit drinks |
| 15 Knob-like | 10 Strong cords | 16 District | 43 Accomplish |
| 17 Rodent | 11 Canine | 19 Treats attorney (ab.) | 44 Morsel |
| 18 Parent | 13 Rock | 19 Shines | 45 Cry |
| 19 Treats | 14 Poem | 22 Volcano in Sicily | 48 Brazilian macaw |
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| 24 Prayer ending | 17 Rodent | 27 Female horse | 54 Negative reply |
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| 27 Female horse | 19 Treats | 29 Paid (ab.) | |
| 28 Three-toed sloth | 20 Pieces of embroidery | 30 Sun god | |
| 29 Paid (ab.) | 21 Preposition | 31 Lutecium (ab.) | |
| 30 Sun god | 22 Volcano in Sicily | 32 Vegetable | |
| 31 Lutecium (ab.) | 23 Closes | 34 Gaelic | |
| 32 Vegetable | 24 Prayer ending | 37 Monster | |
| 34 Gaelic | 25 Strong and dark | 38 Thoroughfare | |
| 37 Monster | 26 Sow | 39 Correlative of either | |
| 38 Thoroughfare | 27 Female horse | 40 Clouds | |
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| 40 Clouds | 29 Paid (ab.) | 47 Beverage | |
| 46 Mixed type | 30 Sun god | 49 Worship | |
| 47 Beverage | 31 Lutecium (ab.) | 50 Decay | |
| 49 Worship | 32 Vegetable | 51 Endeavor | |
| 50 Decay | 34 Gaelic | 53 Singing voices | |
| 51 Endeavor | 37 Monster | 55 Cloys | |
| 53 Singing voices | 38 Thoroughfare | 56 Seed vessels | |
| 55 Cloys | 39 Correlative of either | | |
| 56 Seed vessels | 40 Clouds | | |



lobster thermidor. After all, there is very little difference in the way the three look. If the addition to the accepted list of foods would reduce the rising cost of groceries, it would certainly be one big point in its favor.



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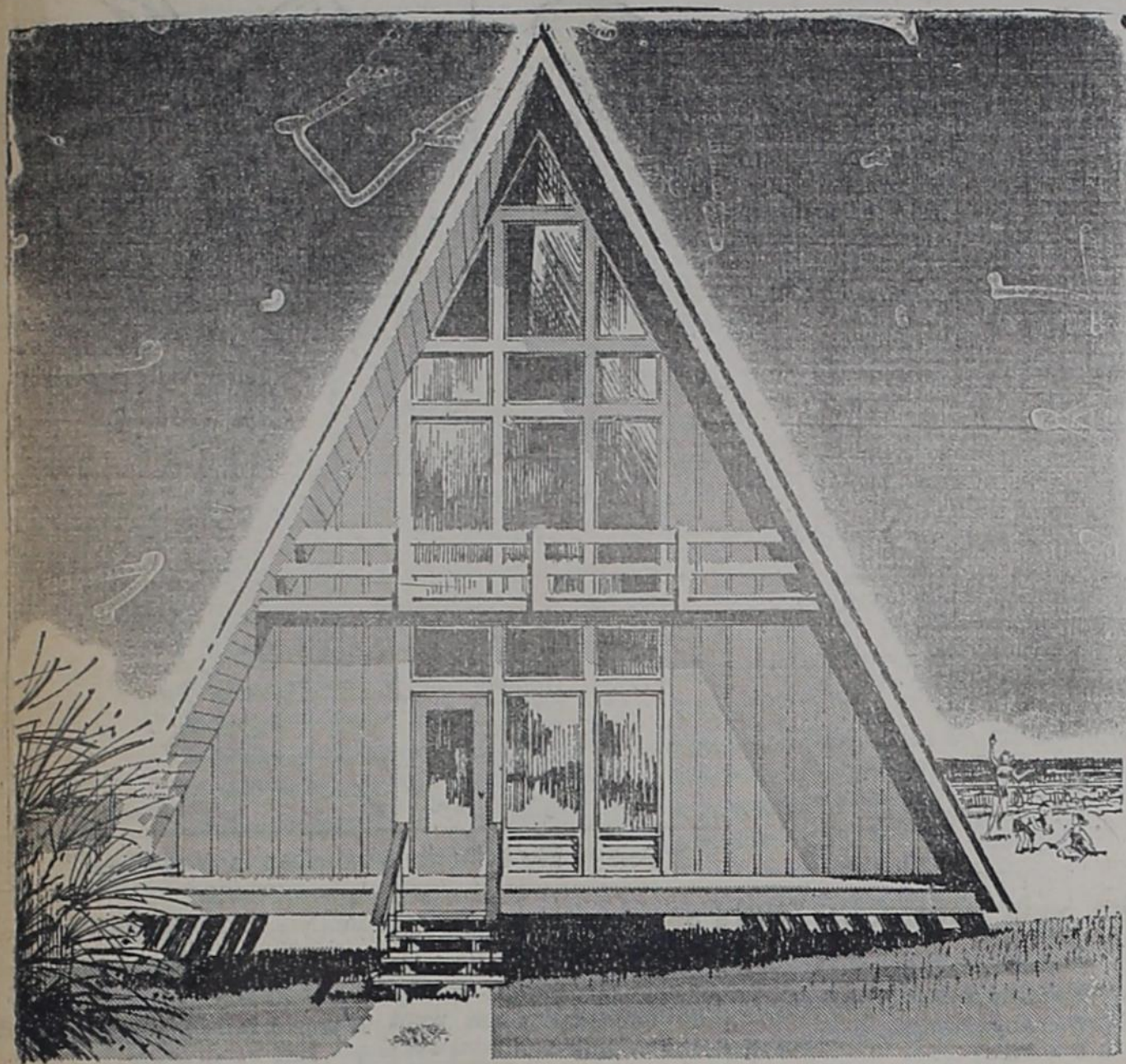
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FARM MACHINERY Sale

Reed Implement Co. in Southwest Part of Rising Star, Texas

Mr. Reed has commissioned Bryant & Gregory Auction Co. to sell his Farm Machinery and Equipment to the bare fences. On March 15th we sold for 12 continuous hours, but only scratched the surface for closing him out. WE ARE TAKING COMPLETE CHARGE OF THIS SALE. The Tractors and Farm Machinery will be lined up, numbered and sold right down the line.

FRIDAY APRIL 19, 1963

TERMS: CASH Day Of Sale

TIME: 10:00 A. M.

TRACTORS

- 3—Case Diesel Tractors, Model 430. These Tractors are 1962 models and have been used only 90 days for mowing.
- 2—Case Diesel Tractors, Model 530, used only 3 months.
- 1—Case Tractor, on Diesel, Model 631. Used only as Demonstrator.
- 1—Case Model 300 Utility Tractor, 1957, on L. P. Gas.
- 1—Case Model 350 Tractor, with complete 4 row equipment.
- 1—M. M. Model U. T. U. Tractor, Gas.
- 2—Case Model L. A. Tractors. 1 Gas, 1 L. P.
- 1—M. M. Model Z Tractor, 1947, Gas.
- 1—I. H. C. Model H Tractor.
- 1—Massey Harris Tractor, L. P.
- 1—Case Model 541 W. Tractor 1961 Model.

There are several other Tractors in this sale with missing parts, and in need of repairs.

FARM MACHINERY

- 2—New Case Shredders, 3 point.
- 3—Used Case Shredders, 3 point and drag type.
- 1—Case Twin Subsoiler, good.
- 1—IHC Grain Drill, with Fertilizer Attachment.
- 1—IHC 6 Disc. Breaking Plow.
- 1—3 Bottom Moleboard Breaking Plow, 3 point.
- 1—2 Bottom Moleboard Breaking

- Plow.
- 1—Case Model F-170 Rake.
 - 1—Gehl Feed Mill, Mixer, and Grinder on Trailer, new, P.T.O.
 - 2—New Case Rakes, Model 281.
 - 1—Case One Way, 9 Disc.
 - 1—Case One Way, Mounted, 5 Disc.
 - 1—6 Disc. Mounted One Way.
 - 5—Case Balers, Model 135 W.
 - 3—Case Balers, Model 140 W.
 - 1—J. D. Baler, P.T.O.
 - 1—J. D. Baler, with Motor.
 - 1—Case 4 Row Planter.
 - 3—2 Row, 3 Point Planters.
 - 3—4 Row Cultivators.
 - 4—2 Row Cultivators.
 - 1—14' Float and Trailer.
- And numerous other Equipment that is in need of repair.

MISCELLANEOUS

- 1—Feedmill, Belt, and Motor.
 - 1—Case Model 90, Corn Picker and Sheller.
 - 1—Poloroid Camera with Flash Att. Pump Jacks.
 - 2 and 4 Cylinder Gasoline Motors.
 - Electric Motors
 - Sheet Iron
 - Busters
 - Guage Wheels
 - Tires and Wheels of all kinds, both new and used.
 - Cedar Posts, Bailing Wire, Binder Twine.
- Some used wire and hundreds of other miscellaneous items not mentioned.

More Than Half Of Texas Land In Co-Operation

More than half the agricultural land of Texas is now under cooperative agreement with soil conservation districts, says H. N. Smith, State Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service of Temple. More than 150,000 farm and ranch operators have completed conservation plans for more than 80,000,000 acres. An additional 47,000 operators are in the process of completing their plan on another 26,000,000 acres according to reports from soil conservation districts over the State.

During 1962, 14,000 operators completed their plans for more than seven and one-half million (7,500,000) acres, said Mr. Smith. In addition, more than 8,100 farmers and ranchers revised their conservation plans during the year to bring them up to date to include changes in land use and treatments.

A conservation plan is like a blueprint for a house to be built. It charts a sound and practical course of action for the operator and the agencies assisting the landowner to apply a conservation program on his land.

The objectives of farmers and ranchers in developing plans for applying conservation on their land are well expressed in a basic policy adopted by the National Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts. Smith cited the policy in part:

"There is a need for a complete conservation plan for every farm and ranch in the nation to provide a conservation and land use program fitted to the resources of each operating unit. As a matter of good business, a farmer or rancher can do a better job of farming or ranching with a conservation plan than without one. Piecemeal and uncoordinated efforts cannot be fully effective. When each acre is protected according to its individual needs, in cost of production is reduced and per acre yields are normally increased."

Landowners and operators in the Rising Star Work Unit area are assisted in developing complete conservation plans for their units with technical assistance from the Soil Conservation Service provided through the Upper Leon and Brown-Mills Soil Conservation Districts. There are now 182 such districts in Texas, which include 98.1 per cent of the land area of Texas, as reported by Arthur Leesch, Chairman of the State Soil Conservation Service.

When a farmer or rancher requests assistance from the district, a technician of the Soil Conservation Service goes over the unit with the operator. The soil, water, and plant resources are studied in detail, and the conservation problems and needs are analyzed. Alternative treatments are developed that would result in getting the needed protection and desired production on the land.

Information from all sources is considered in developing the alternatives. Research data of the Texas Experiment Stations and research foundations, and the experiences of the operator and his neighbors are used in developing possible solutions. Financial assistance available from various sources, such as the cost-sharing of the Agricultural Conservation Program and loans from the Farmers Home Administration are considered in the ways and means of applying the plan. Crop allotments are important in developing possible cropping systems.

Some of the soil conservation districts have equipment, seed, and other materials that may be made available for the conservation job. In the Great Plains area of 95 counties in the northwestern part of the State, cost-sharing assistance may be available for certain permanent-type practices through a contract arrangement with the Soil Conservation Service, said Smith.

From the alternatives or possible solutions, the cooperators select those treatments that best fit their individual needs and resources. Decisions made by the operator are recorded into a conservation plan, which is the blueprint for doing the job. The cooperator signs an agreement with the local soil conservation district, which indicates his willingness to apply the plan with assistance from the district.

A Conservation plan encompasses many things. It considers increasing agricultural income and efficiency through proper land use and treatment; protecting land against all forms of soil deterioration; rebuilding eroded and depleted soils, building up soil fertility; stabilizing critical run-off, sediment-producing areas; improving grasslands, woodlands, or wildlife lands; developing recreational areas; conserving water; proper agricultural drainage and irrigation



HOLD THAT TIGER—Young Japanese girl has hands full as she holds tiger back from investigating rabbits.

where these are needed; and reducing floodwater and sediment damage.

Farmers and ranchers who have developed plans and are applying conservation programs on their land are dedicating themselves to the well-being and betterment of their family, community and nation. If we are to remain a strong and leading nation of the world, we must conserve our natural resources, concluded State Conservationist Smith.

The number of persons receiving social security checks rose from 16,622,117 for January, 1962, to 18,170,835 for January, 1963.

About Your Health

Nutritious foods are important to oral health, but it is what we avoid eating that really counts in preventing dental decay.

The young growing child whose teeth are developing should receive adequate amounts of the building materials found in good nutrition. The foods that result in good general health also are important for the development of the teeth.

However, after the teeth have erupted, an important thing to remember is to avoid excessive consumption of sugar-rich foods and carbonated beverages, especially between meals.

Studies have shown that the acids which are produced in the mouth from the fermentation of carbohydrates, and especially sugar, are a basic factor in causing tooth decay.

For this reason, the consumption of foods such as candy, pastry, chewing gum, sweetened beverages, etc., should be kept at a minimum. High carbohydrate confections are the most undesirable.

In adulthood, a good diet is an aid in avoiding diseases of the gums and other supporting tissues of the teeth, the leading cause of tooth loss after age 35.

The essential daily foods for adequate nutrition, experts agree, include milk, vegetables, fruits, eggs, meat and butter.

Dentists emphasize that foods should be selected not only for nutritional qualities but for their physical character as well.

Fibrous or firm food plays an important role in keeping the mouth naturally clean and providing a massaging effect on the

gums. Examples of such foods are carrots, celery, apples and oranges. Through eating such cleansing foods, ancient man was able to keep his mouth relatively free of debris without the aid of the modern toothbrush.

Milk is desirable for a well balanced diet. It is particularly needed from birth to about eight years of age. During this period when the teeth are formed, the body needs plenty of calcium. Once the teeth are formed, however, it is too late to make up a calcium deficiency. (A weekly feature from Public Health Education Division, Texas State Department of Health.)

Hartford Company Is Baseball Co-Sponsor

The Hartford Insurance Company, one of the big old line agencies represented by the Jenkins Insurance Company here, is a co-sponsor of the Baseball Games of the Week on the NBC television network this summer. Joe Garagiola is the narrator for the games between American League and National League teams each Saturday and Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowman and daughter of Ft. Worth spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Boggs were visited by their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Parish, and three children of Corpus Christi.

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INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE

Last week our school participated in the Interscholastic League Spring Contest. Twenty-six students represented our school in the track contests; three students, only three, represented our school in the literary events. These events are just as important; why not more participation?

First, as in most schools, more emphasis is placed on athletics, and students are encouraged to participate. The newspapers often carry headline stories about our school's accomplishments in these events. Why should not just as much emphasis be placed on the literary events which test skills such as number sense, science, and debate which are just as important as athletics? Which will help more to defeat communism — science or the broad jump? Athletics have an important part in our American school system, but science and other such skills have an equal place, and they are not getting this attention today in Interscholastic League.

Secondly, coaches for literary events are hard to find. Overworked teachers are often appointed as coaches, and they just do not have time to give the attention that these events require; the solution to this problem is a hard one; however, I think that is can be worked out.

In conclusion, I would say that we should not de-emphasize athletics; rather, we should bring the literary events up to an equal place.

—Editor

"NOT FINISHED, JUST BEGUN"

Hi there,
 Most of the Seniors are preparing for the Regional Meet in

Interscholastic League at Stephenville this week-end. First and second place District winners in the literary vents are eligible and first place winners in sports' events.

Classes have settled down to study after our Easter vacation. Bookkeeping students are working on another practice set; English students are finishing off a unit on verbals with a test. In between German lessons in Civics, we are still studying state governments. Typing II students are relaxing for a change; for once they are up in their units.

The Seniors are planning what they are going to wear to the Junior-Senior Banquet the 26th. One of our Senior boys seems to think he is a regular Cassanova. From a conversation overheard by one of our Senior girls, he seems to be trying to add to his list. Too bad, T. C., she says she has enough to occupy her.

That's it for this week.

—Bye for now,
 Katy

"UPWARD AND ONWORD"

We Juniors enjoyed our Easter vacation but are now back at school—hard at work.

In our studies the American History students are approaching World War II, while the Civics students are studying about the Supreme Court. Sound interesting???

The Home Ec. III girls are engaged in a unit on their future home; the Ag. boys are learning how to "prune" trees or at least they've given the Home Ec. cottage a "bare" look.

Believe it or not, most of the Typing students are beginning to get the "hang" of keeping up!

In English we are studying infinitives and diagramming sentences—Ugh!!!

Columnar Pads at the Record

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THE STATE OF VIRGINIA ONCE LEVIED A TAX ON BATH TUBS!

The Chemistry students are studying organic chemistry now.

Our volleyball girls seem to have had a very successful year—congratulations, girls, on your second place in district.

L. M.—What's this about posing in Room 5???

A. J.—If you don't hush, I'm going to send you on a trip in one of those airplanes along with a few other Junior boys!

J. R.—What did you say my name was—think before you speak because I have one for you now!

L. B.—Never pull that stunt again.

J. L.—Making big decisions? Until next week—Harriet

"KNOWLEDGE COMES, BUT WISDOM LINGERS"

It is nearing the time when so many of our activities and trips are to take place; we are having no trouble in staying occupied.

The volleyball girls finished the season with the district competition last week; the team took second place. The track boys also

did very well at their track meet last week; we are very happy to say that our Sophomores have done some outstanding work in all sports this year. Also congratulations to our tennis player, Charles Hubbard, on his victories last week.

The science and biology classes are having tests, tests, and more tests. Keep those grades up there, Sophs; school is not out yet. That last book report will be due soon; also, we are still studying noun and adjective clauses. The math students are still working on those unknowns. The speech class has been having some very interesting and expressive discussions, haven't we, S. S.?

(We also want to give R. C. our sympathy; we understand about your problem with girls.)

We want to thank all of you who helped the Sophomores with our bake sale last week-end; also thanks go to Agnews for the use of their store. Let me remind you about our talent show later this month; we would like for all of you who wish to enter to contact Sandra Teague, Class President, or Eddie Henry, if you have something you would like to present that night.

The waitresses are excited about the Junior-Senior Banquet. The girls representing the Sophomores for this event are: Sherry Jones, Sharilyn Roach, Linda Duggan, Sandra Teague, Sharon

Stewart, Anna Ezzell, Crolyn Stover, and Judy Rutherford. The girls who are trying out for cheerleader are working hard; they will try out the day preceding the banquet, and results will be announced at the banquet. Please look for us next week. Charlene

"LIVE AND LEARN"

Hi! School is rolling smoothly. Everyone is studying very hard during this last six weeks.

Freshmen, let's surprise Mrs. C. and get in our book reports early!

Becky is still holding her cup; so let us all pay our class dues.

This week we are studying and learning. The Biology students are reviewing what they have learned. Everyone is driving in drivers' ed. In Algebra we are taking up a new chapter. The PE girls are playing volleyball and tennis, while the boys are running track. The Ag. boys have started back to the shop; the girls are back in class.

Linda, I hear you can give me tips on going to the door after a date. It's run; don't walk!

Let's, you'd better stop day-dreaming from library windows; people might get ideas.

Until next week,
 Marcia

"TOWARD NEW HORIZONS"

We FHA girls are getting a little lazy, I'm afraid, since our last six weeks is well under way. The freshmen are finishing their projects in sewing.

The sophomores are studying "Family Relations."

The juniors have been learning the ABC's of Budgeting and Consumer Buying.

Today the FHA opens the state meeting in Dallas. We all hope it is a great success. The girls representing our club are Sharon Donham, Harriet Schmitt, and Julie Watkins.

Until next week,
 Becky

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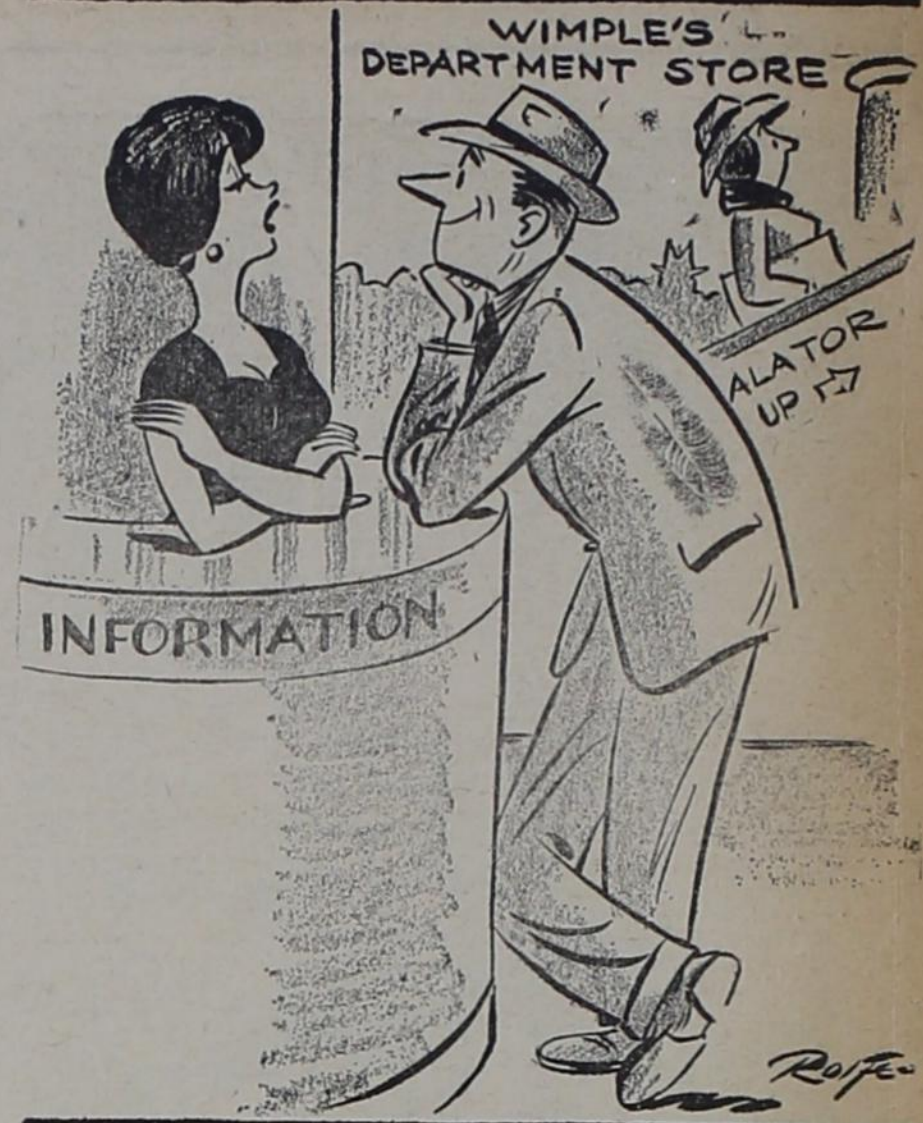
The Wildcat Band has decided that for their trip they will go to San Antonio on the fourth of May. We will visit the Brackenridge Park, Sunken Gardens, Playlands, and other historical landmarks while in the Alamo City.

The Stage Band is attending a district meet this week-end at Brownwood. Only a few schools from the surrounding towns will attend.

Band uniforms should be turned in and all fees and uniform rent is due within the next week.

Shopping Around

By Rolfe



"Sorry! My telephone number is classified!"

GIRLS SPORTS

The season for sports is here and everyone is using it wisely. The girls' volleyball team went to district the 19th and won second place. The Zephyr team won first. The girls who helped us to win second were as follows: Charlene Vermillion, Cherry Maples, Anna Ezzell, Loretta Pittman, Virginia Bishop, Lovely Bishop, Linda Duggan, Vendell Atwood, Sharon Stewart. The other girls who played substitutes in the third game were all of the remaining volleyball girls. We would like to extend our congratulations to the girls and hope they will all be back with us next year.

In tennis the girls are still working hard and this Saturday, Cynthia and Judy go to regional in Stephenville, Texas. We wish you lots of luck, girls!

We would like to extend our appreciation to those who helped back the volleyball girls and showed their interests by coming to the games. This is all of volleyball for this year, but we hope we have even a more rewarding season next year; right, girls?

Until next week,
 Linda B.

BEING A TEENAGER

A teenager's life is just what it seems

A world full of hopes, a heart full of dreams

The little secret everyone knows.

The wonderful feeling that you belong,

It's having a boyfriend and having a date.

It's going steady and getting to stay out late.

Having a crowd where no one's square.

The fun and enjoyment when everyone's there.

It's having a boyfriend and hoping he'll call.

Being in a group and having a ball.

It's doing things you know are wrong.

And the childish crush that lasts so long.

It's having a romance ending in tears.

It's the movies and cokes, and basketball cheers.

It's rockin' and rollin' with Al and Fred.

It's walking and laughing with Don and Ted.

It's acting silly when the (Continued on page five)

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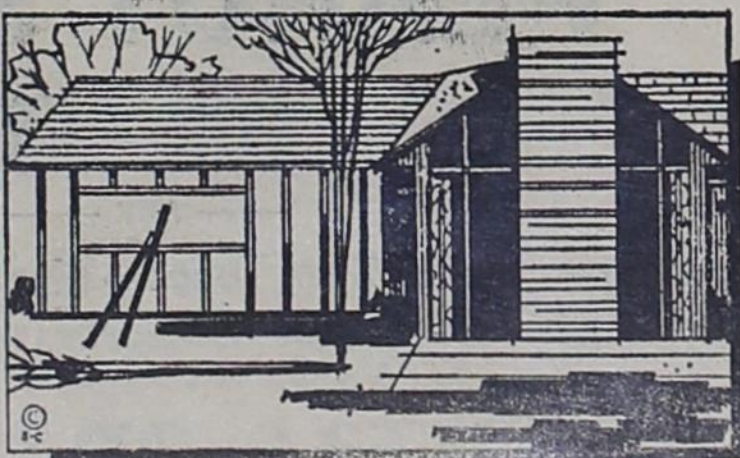
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News From May

Recent guests of Mrs. J. J. Prentice were Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Spivey of Tyler and Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Prentice of Cross Plains.

Heflin Bowden and son of Westlaco, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chambers were at the bedside of Dr. A. M. Bowden, who is ill in a Brownwood hospital. Mr. Bowden is a son and Mrs. Chambers is a daughter of Dr. Bowden.

Comm'd'r Ralph E. Prentice, Ret., of Clear Lake, Calif., is staying with his mother, Mrs. J.

J. Prentice, at May, while his brother, Maj. Max Prentice, Ret., is touring the Orient. Maj. Prentice will visit Okinawa, Guam, the Philippines and Japan among other places, during a month's absence.

Comm'd'r Ralph Prentice and his wife recently returned from a similar tour.

Guests of Mrs. John M. Roach during the Easter holidays were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Montgomery of Midland, and their daughter and husband of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. David Koetling and baby, Lori.

Mrs. J. W. Murphy was visited by her daughter and family, Mrs. Young of Arlington.

WSCS Has Program On Prayer Topic

The WSCS of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon at the church for the third lesson on the "Dimensions of Prayer", with Mrs. Milton Slayden in charge of the program.

"Beautiful Garden of Prayer" was sung; Mrs. Slayden discussed "The Power of Prayer"; Mrs. J. R. Bucy, the "Tree of Prayer"; Mrs. Jay Rachel read, "Family Prayer," a poem; Miss Loretta Pearve discussed "Prayer and Spiritual Healing"; Mrs. Guy Taylor, "A Prayer Was Said"; and Rev. Milton Slayden, "Are We Afraid of Prayer?"

A lesson on the Lord's Prayer was discussed by Mrs. Slayden. Following a solo by the minister the group was dismissed by the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison.

The next luncheon date for the WSCS will be Monday, April 22.

Union Center Club Makes One Quilt

The Union Center Club met on its regular date—Tuesday, April 9—when one quilt was made.

Mrs. Trantham furnished barbecued sausage for lunch, fresh from the oven.

Present were Meses. Crowl, Reed, Wright, Burkhalter, Perkins, Scott, Ham, Trantham and Miss Vera McBeth.

We are sorry our president was kept away by illness. —Lela Ham, Reporter.

Children and grandchildren of M. G. Joyce who spent the Easter holidays with him were: Mrs. Alyne Siekman of Pyote, Texas, where she teaches in the public school; and Bob and "Bud" Siekman and "Bud's" wife and two daughters of Slayton, Texas. These relatives also visited in the Art Fisher home.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Marvin West was visited by her son and family during the Easter holidays, R. D. Maxwell of Odessa and daughter Wanda Sanders of Abilene.

Miss Mary Nell Barnes of Dallas spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ethel Barnes.

Mrs. M. M. Sheffield visited her sister Mrs. Casey in Coleman on Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ray Bucy spent Easter holidays with his son and family Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ray Bucy, in Cleburne.

Mrs. Elmer Trantham and Mrs. Beryl Heath visited friends in Cisco on Thursday.

Mrs. R. Neal Greer is a patient in the Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene. R. Neal Greer was pastor of the First Baptist Church here for some time and they have many friends in Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Otto of Midland spent the Easter holidays here with her mother, Mrs. F. W. Respass, and she accompanied them to Midland for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shults and their twins, Bob and Mary, were on a sight-seeing trip to Presidio and other places during the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gray visited his brother and family in De Leon. They were accompanied by Mrs. Beryl Heath who visited the Heath relatives and Eva May Matlock there.

Tom Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Toni Smith, deceased, and a brother of Jim Smith, is here for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Lois A. Tucker of Ruidosa, N. M., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Grady Adams, and her sister, Mrs. C. A. Claborn.

Mrs. Francis Wilkerson returned to her home from Eastland hospital Sunday after undergoing major surgery two weeks ago. She was doing well, and expects to return to her duties as a registered nurse at the Eastland hospital before long.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clay and sons, Jackie and Douglas, of Ft. Worth, spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Florence Graves. Douglas is a student at Texas School for the Deaf at

Wildcat Tales--

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moon's around And searching for love that can't be found. It's laughing and crying and having fun. But most of all it's just being young.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reed, Connie and Pat, of Odessa, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Earp, and also visited in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Hill, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Jay Hill of Fort Worth visited in the home of Mrs. Henry Hill and Hallie last week. They were here to attend funeral services for Mrs. Hill's uncle, Dick Branton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nunnally visited their son, John, Jr., and his wife and two children at Gladewater during the Easter holidays and report their son is still improving after a car accident.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Tucker were visited at Easter by their daughter, Carolyn, and husband and children of Roswell, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ray. They will return to Roswell on Wednesday, April 17.

Mrs. A. H. Frankenburg and children of San Angelo are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Witt this week. Mrs. Witt and Mrs. Frankenburg are sisters and the daughters of Mrs. Perry Valliant of Rising Star.

Mrs. Aaron Wells and three boys of Hamlin, visited her mother, Mrs. Loraine Williams, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cannon, during the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hudler were host and hostess to his sisters and families: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Brantley of Monahans, and a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hudler of La Marque, Tex. All of these spent the Easter holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shults and two daughters of Abilene, visited his mother, Mrs. Love Shults, on Easter Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Otis Wolf during the holidays were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Elliott of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. "Dock" Carroll of Crane, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Vise of Dallas; and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hill of Anson. All of these and Mrs. B. G. Elliot had lunch with Mrs. Otis Wolf on Easter Sunday. Other visitors with Mrs. Otis Wolf on Monday, April 15, were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laughlin of El Paso and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tyler of Jal, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Ford were in Lubbock for a few days making the acquaintance of a new grandson, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Danny Chambers.

\$1,243,102,000 was the total of all monthly social security checks paid for January, 1963, old-age, survivors, and disability payments.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Woorow Harris went to Lorraine, Texas, to visit Rev. and Mrs. Jim Turner and attend services at First Baptist Church there where Jim Turner is pastor. Two of the Turner children came home with the Harris families.

Mrs. A. T. Shults, Jr., of Odessa, and two children visited A. T. Shults, Jr., in Waco during the week-end and found him much improved in the Veteran's hospital there.

Mrs. Ethel Parker underwent surgery in Eastland Memorial Hospital, Monday, April 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jackson have as their guests, his mother, Mrs. Pierce, from Denison, Tex.

Mrs. Minter Hardin was visited by her son and family, Ray Hardin of Midland, and by her daughter and family, Mr. Roy Don Hickman of A&M College. The Hickmans also visited Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Shults and Stanford Horton. The Ray Hardins also visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Witt.

Mrs. Lois Wright of Kermit

and her son, Joe Wright, and family of Oakland, Calif., visited Mrs. Roy Rutledge and other relatives here during the holidays.

Mrs. Doris Sue McCollum Braungardt, a Public School nurse in Houston, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bullis McCollum, during Easter holidays. Her husband is Dr. Dave Braungardt of Houston.

Gary Jones, a Texas Tech student, spent the Easter holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mearlyn Jones, and Miss Olice Jones and Monty.

Mrs. Farrell McDonald Crook of San Antonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McDonald, at Easter.

Rummage Sale Is Planned By P-TA

The Parent-Teacher Ass'n will hold a rummage sale in the former City Drug Store building adjoining the Childress Dry Goods Store on Saturday, May 4, is was announced this week.

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- 2-Pc. Sofa Bed Suit With Swivel Platform Rocker, in Beige, Regular \$159.50, Sale \$144.50
- 2-Pc. Sofa Bed Suite in Rose Beige, Regular \$149.50, Sale \$139.50
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Mrs. L. M. Keel and Family.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Henry were host and hostess to Mr. and Mrs. Terry Henry of Forsan and their son, Tommy, who teaches in Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Miller Ray Henry and two children of Kingfisher, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jacobs of Denver City, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lawson and daughter, Susan; Mr. and Mrs. Millard Jacobs of Los Angeles, Calif.; and Mrs. Jennie Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Joe Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Clark of Rising Star.

Mrs. Bemous Carver and son, Murkey, of Floydada spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Carver.

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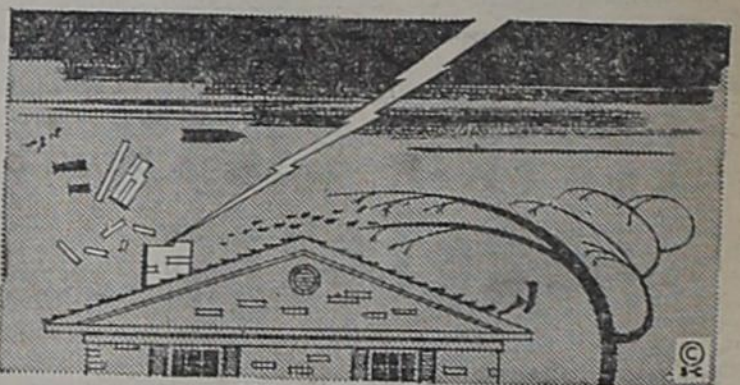


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Mrs. Mattie Shults visited her daughter, Mrs. Larry Benson, and Mr. Benson in Odessa at Easter. Mrs. Benson is a teacher in Odessa public schools. Mrs. Mattie Shults was accompanied by two of her grandchildren, University of Texas students.

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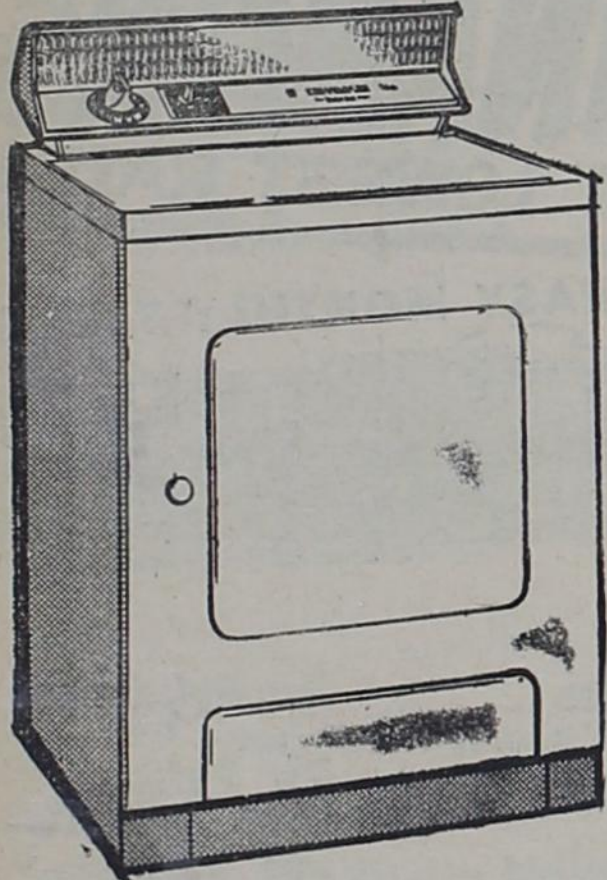
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