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RECOVERS FROM EYE OPERATION

Arthur Cannon has returned to his home here after recovering from an eye operation in Brownwood. He was visited, while in the hospital, by Mrs. Arthur

Cannon, his daughter, Mrs. Lorene Williams, his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elzo Been and other relatives.

SHOP WITH OUR ADVERTISERS.

"I GIVE YOU TEXAS"

By Boyce House

We should be freer in the expression of our appreciation of others.

Back in the 1920's when I was a visitor in Mineral Wells, an acquaintance called my attention to a tall man wearing a dark overcoat in a hotel lobby, with the remark, "He wrote 'The Slow Train through Arkansas'."

"Thomas W. Jackson! I remembered the name well, for as a small boy had I not read his book while actually riding on a slow train in that very State? The jokes were new to me; and how I chuckled over them and re-told them.

My first impulse was to go over and tell him how much his books—for he wrote several others, including "Through Missouri on a Mill"—had entertained me; but then I thought, "He wouldn't be interested in meeting me," so I didn't. Now, years and years later, having written some books myself, I know that a writer is always

glad for anyone to tell him that his writings have given pleasure.

When I was a little boy, our family lived in Benton, Ark. Our physician was Dr. Gann. He wore a silk hat—maybe it was just once, on some special occasion, but the circumstance so impressed my young mind that his memory is always associated with a top hat. He officiated when my sister, Marion, was born. One time, however, when I needed his services, he was out of town, so another doctor was summoned. I had fallen out of a small wagon and had cut my chin on the stump of a sapling in our yard. The wound left a scar and I remarked, "There wouldn't have been one if Dr. Gann could have been here."

Nearly 25 years later, I revisited Benton on business and, having a little time before my train arrived, I inquired about Dr. Gann. He was still living

but had retired. Learning the location of his home, I thought I'd pay him a visit. There were several persons sitting in the yard, back from the sidewalk, and, even in the gathering dusk and without his silk hat, I recognized the elderly physician. Then came the thought, "He doesn't remember me and he won't want to be bothered," and so I walked on. Not many years ago, in driving through Benton, I saw, near the cemetery fence, the monument at his grave.

Being older now myself, I realize he would have been glad for a former patient to have greeted him and by that act to show that a once-little boy still remembered him as a faithful physician.

We should be freer in the expression of our appreciation of others.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hamilton of Route 2, Cisco, were visitors of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Large Sunday, January 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hart and daughters, Sandra and Sylvia, accompanied by Mrs. Paul Poe, all of Cisco, were visitors in Rising Star on Sunday, January 3.

Mrs. T. L. Ellis and son, Terry of Fort Worth, visited her mother, Mrs. P. C. Larkin, and sisters, Mesdames S. C. Tucker, Bertha McKinney and Hulin Erwin, and other relatives here on Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 2 and 3.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Davidson of Comanche visited friends in Rising Star Sunday. Charles is recovering from serious injuries received in an automobile accident several weeks ago near Wichita Falls.

Jerry Taylor, a student of the University of Texas, visited his parents in Hamilton and friends in Rising Star during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carver of Fort Worth were recent visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Carver. James Carver is with Foremost Dairy Association in Fort Worth.

Our Ladies Ready-to-Wear

CLEARANCE

Continues

- LADIES DRESSES
- LADIES TOPPERS
- LADIES COATS
- LADIES SUITS
- LADIES SKIRTS
- LADIES BLOUSES
- LADIES SPORTSWEAR

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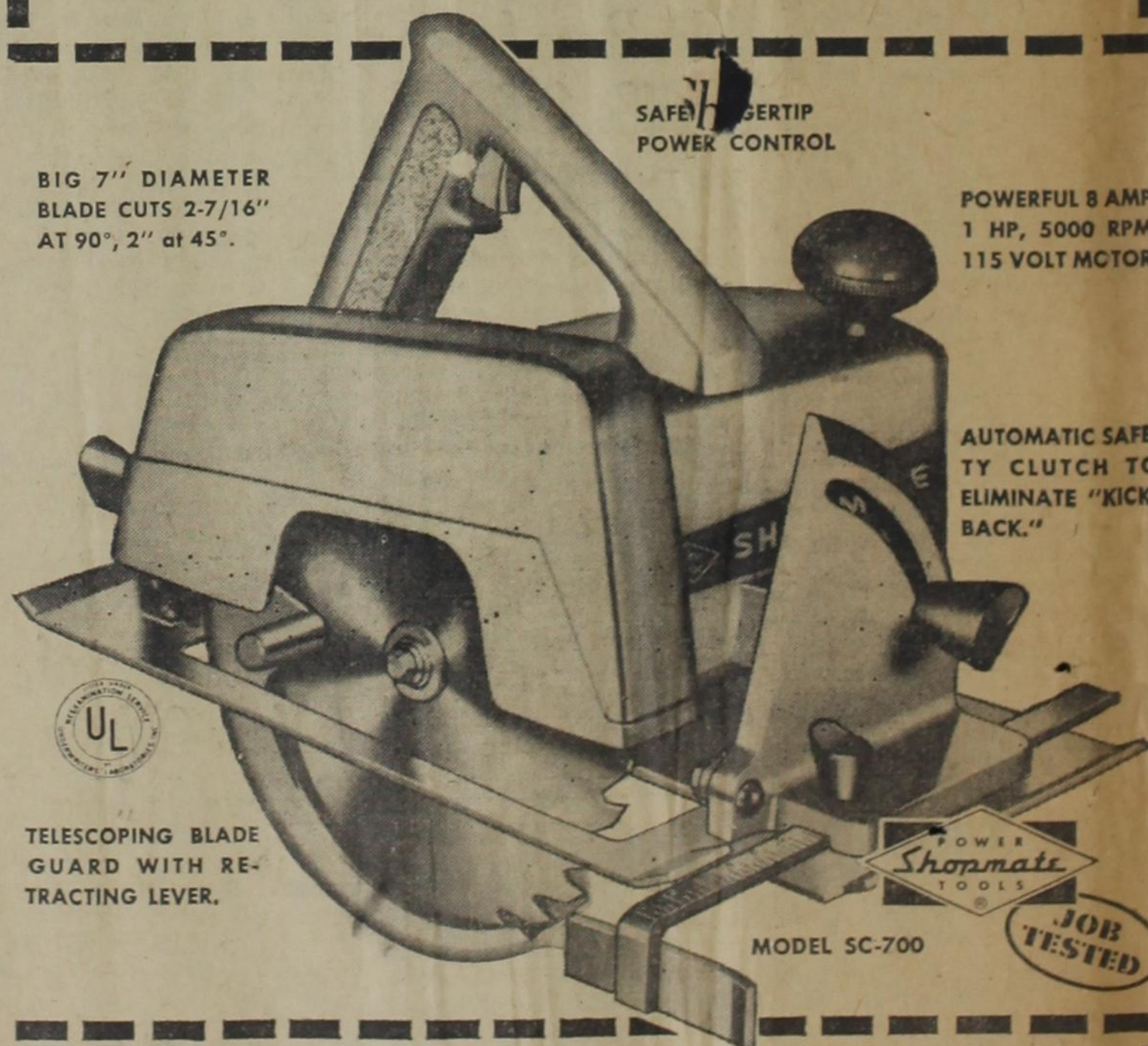
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- 79c DRESS MATERIAL, 36" 59c
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- 1.98 DRESS MATERIAL, 45" 1.33
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- 1.98 BOYS SPORT SHIRTS 1.39

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- 3.95 WOMEN'S FLATS 2.49
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- 3.95 KHAKI PANTS, MEN'S 3.39
- 1.00 MEN'S CORDUROY CAPS 69c
- 1.95 MEN'S LEATHER CAPS 1.29

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RISING STAR

Comanche County Agent Voted One of Five Top Young Texans by Jaycees

COMANCHE. — Angus Dickson, Jr., Comanche County's efficient, hard working County Agricultural Agent and civic leader, has been named as one of the Five Outstanding Young Texans for 1959, in a contest sponsored by the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Dickson, among his accomplishments since moving to Comanche 2½ years ago, helped lead the Newburg community to the status of Top Rural Community in Texas for the past two years—and has developed the Adult 4-G Club Leaders to the top group of this nature in the state.

Angus is a World War II veteran, spending 23 months in Alaska. He is married and has three sons, Dickie, Jerry and Mike. He came to Comanche from Hillsboro and was assigned as Comanche's County Agent.

He is a graduate from Texas A&M where he delivered milk for the A&M Creamery servicing some 400 patrons per day to help defray his college expenses.

Since Angus has been in the county, he has worked on reorganizing the County 4-H Clubs. He started the first farm and Ranch School held in the county.

He organized the first Adult 4-H leaders association in the county. During this 2 year period, adult members have increased from five to 55.

In January of 1958, Dickson started working with the Junior Livestock Show. At that time there were only 65 entries and about 60 boys and girls participating. The 1959 show had 85 entries from 77 boys and girls. This year, 180 animals are being fitted for the local livestock show.

During the Spring of 1958, Angus helped the Comanche County Swine Breeder's Association to hold a one week Swine short course. This was the first school of this type held in the State of Texas away from the A&M Campus.

During the Spring of 1958, he worked with the local community clubs with their entries in the Texas Rural Neighborhood Progress Contest and Pasture Improvement Contest.

Through the county agent's efforts and leadership, he greatly assisted the Newburg Community in being named as the Top Rural Community in the State.

Also in the spring of the same year, two of Comanche County 4-H girls, Nancy and Geneva Richmond, won the State Co-op Team Demonstration. These girls traveled over 6000 miles in the United States giving their demonstrations.

Since Dickson has come to Comanche, four of the Comanche County communities have won over \$1500 in prize money in the Rural Neighborhood Progress Contest and Pasture Improvement program.

GUESTS OF MR. AND MRS. DUNN DURING HOLIDAYS

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Dunn during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rachel and three sons of Hobbs, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smith and sons of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Boggs of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Foster of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henderson of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Henderson of Houston.

Bernard Watkins returned home Monday of this week after spending the Christmas holidays visiting his son, Mildred L. Watkins and family in El Paso and other relatives in New Mexico.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



Now is the time to make plans for the seeding of perennial grasses in 1960.

Much grain sorghum stubble is now on the land which has not been plowed since harvest. This stubble makes an excellent seedbed in which to plant grasses. The stubble should be left standing and not plowed prior to seeding of grasses.

When sorghum is grown strictly a a litter crop in which to seed grasses, the sorghum should be drilled or planted in close spaced rows. The sorghum should be mowed or shredded prior to frost to prevent the maturing of a seed crop.

Shredding to leave stubble six to eight inches in height is preferred over mowing.

A grass drill or planter with disc openers should be used when seeding in a dead cover of stubble. This method permits planting without dragging of dead litter.

Such grasses as Little Bluestem, Sand Bluestem, Indiangrass, Green Sprangletop, Side-oats Grama, and a mixture of Bluestem grasses should be seeded during the period of January 1 to April 1.

Weeping Lovegrass, Blue Panic, Switchgrass, Sand Lovegrass, and King Ranch Bluestem are grasses that should be seeded from March 15 to June 1 for best results.

All of these grasses are perennial and will come back each year from the stool if properly managed.

Grazing should be deferred the first growing season after seeding or until plants are well established.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Flanagan spent the holidays with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Nay in Monahans. While they were in Monahans C. L. Flanagan of Hobbs, N. M., visited here with them.

Farm Facts
A U.S. farmer produces enough to feed himself and others. In Russia, farmers produce only enough to feed themselves.

ABOUT YOUR HEALTH

Meet the man who gets the State Health Department's vote as Man of the Year.

He operates the water system in your home town. Does the task sound prosaic? Then listen to health department sanitary engineers...

Without the commodity he handles, men and cities would slowly die. You use his handiwork with confidence, yet without thought, each time you turn the faucet to drink of the clean, clear water.

Each time you fill the basin to wash your face or brush your teeth or shave you call on him. Or on a hundred occasions during a single, fleeting day.

He and all men like him are subjects of prime concern to the State Health Department's sanitary engineering division. The interest stems from the fact that clean water is indispensable to good health.

The division is responsible for certifying water and sewage system operators who have the proper knowledge of the job and its public health implications, and for approving water systems serving the public. Well over 300 cities and towns, representing 90 percent of Texas' urban population now have approved systems.

Boiled down to its simplest terms, the Man of the Year has the task of collecting water for processing, making it safe for human use, and transporting it to homes and businesses. It is on 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

The Man of the Hour retails clean water. Is that important? So important that no tyrant Jares deny it to his people. Wars have been fought over it. Once mighty nations have collapsed because supplies were cut off.

The wandering children of Israel faltered in the desert and threatened rebellion until Moses smote a rock and brought forth a spring.

Because of what the Man of the Year does during his eight-hour day, plus gallon after gallon of water daily assumedly delivered to your door...

Part engineer—part chemist—his badge of honor is his cherished operator's certificate, bestowed by the State Health Department only on those who have proved to their ability to handle vital water system assignments. But the use of water so pervades human life that it loses significance. Thus does the Man of the Year get slighted when the public hands out accolades for service. (A weekly feature of the Health Education Division, Texas State Department of Health.)

Eighth Grade Presents Christmas Program

The eighth grade class presented a program Dec. 18 for the enjoyment of the room mothers and visitors. The program included the play, "What Is Christmas?" The cast included announcer Wanda Nelson and players Carolyn Crisp, Patsy Stephenson, Roger Goodwin, Lovey Bishop, Jimmy Rutledge, Harvey Clark, Loretta Pittman, Sammy Mixson, Donna Chalk, Sandra Scaramell, and carolers Judy Lewis, Patricia Burns, Linda Harris, Cherry Maples, Lynda Marrs, and Sharon Donham.

Some Christmas songs were played by junior band member Patsy Stephenson and senior band member Lovey Bishop.

After that another play, "The Christmas Spirit" was presented. That cast included announcer Wanda Nelson, and players, Sharon Donham, Willie Vandivere, Randy Lewis, Arthur Jones, Cherry Maples, Jimmy Rutledge, Judy Lewis and Larry McKinnerney.

After the play we were served by our room mothers. After that we exchanged gifts.

—Reporter, Sandra Scaramell

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miley Wilson on Christmas Eve night were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Awalt of Mineral Wells. Mrs. Awalt is a niece of Mrs. Wilson. Joe Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, was working for...

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF THE

First State Bank of Rising Star

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1958

ASSETS:	LIABILITIES:
Loans and Discounts \$ 637,685.38	Capital Stock \$ 40,000.00
Overdrafts 402.51	Surplus (Certified) 40,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 7,100.00	Reserve 194,221.97
Other Assets 6.00	Deposits 2,861,224.02
Prepaid Insurance Premiums 487.80	
QUICK ASSETS:	
Cash in vaults and in other banks \$ 730,309.31	
U. S. Govt., State, Municipal Bonds and Securities 1,599,657.37	
Bank Participation	
Loans 159,797.62	
Total Quick Assets \$2,489,764.30	
TOTAL \$3,135,445.99	TOTAL \$3,135,445.99

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NICK MILLER

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METHODIST CHURCH

May, Texas
 Rev. Weldon Stephenson
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Preaching Services 11 a.m.
 MYF 7 p.m.
 W. S. C. S. Monday 2 p.m.
 (Mrs. Elvie Shults, Pres.)
 Prayer Services Wednesday evening following second Sunday.
 Family night, Wednesday following fourth Sunday.

Church of Christ

May, Texas
 Preaching Services every Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Union Grove Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
 Morning Services 11:00 A.M.
 Evening Services 8:00 P.M.
 Rev. Henry Fuller, Pastor

FRIENDSHIP

Sunday School Class

Dr. Ben H. Bradley, Teacher
 Members from all denominations
 SUNDAY 9:45 A.M.
 At Library Building

Okra Baptist Church

Pastor, Rev. Dale Martin
 Fort Worth
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Sunday Services 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Services 8:00 p.m.
 (Service Every Sunday)

PLEASANT VALLEY METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10 A. M.
 Preaching Service 11 A. M.
 Bible Study & MYF 7:45 P. M.
 W. S. C. S. Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.
 Pastor, John A. Lightfoot

PIONEER BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, C. F. Cloud
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 (Bible alone is taught)
 Preaching Services 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Church Services, 7:30
 Bible Study Tuesday 7 p.m.
 Prayer Meeting Wed. 7 p.m.
 A hearty welcome to all.

The Bible Baptist Church

Rising Star
 Pastor, Rev. H. S. Hinson
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Morning Services 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 7 p.m.
 Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7
 Evangelistic Service

CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. Luther Dabney, Minister
 Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
 Morn. Worship Service 10:55 a.m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
 Ladies' Bible Class, Tuesday afternoon 2:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening Bible Class 7:30 p.m.

Assembly of God Church

Rev. Travs Stanley, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 C. A.'s and Children Church 8:30 p.m.
 Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
 Wednesday night Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
 Saturday 7:30 p.m.

A Good New Year's Resolution

Give them a Faith to live by



Worship with them this week

Naturally you want them to have all the good things in life . . . a happy home . . . a good education . . . plenty of chances to meet other nice young people. But be sure to give them the most precious gift of all . . . Faith.

The wonderful part is that faith is yours to give . . . no matter who you are, what you do for a living, how much money you have in the bank.

Faith is the gift you give a little at a time. Every week you worship with the children at your church or synagogue. The youngsters see you . . . the biggest, smartest, most important people in their world . . . asking God for help, thanking Him for blessings. Then it's clear to them . . . here they can *always* find the strength they need, *always* find the happiness they want.

Then you've done the best a parent—any parent—can do.



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Public Accountant

Max Watson

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First Baptist Church

Ed Jackson, Pastor
 Preaching hour 10:45 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. each Sunday.
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 BTU 6:45 p.m.
 Evening service 7:45 p.m.
 WMU 2:30 p.m.
 Mid Week Service 7 p.m. Wed.
 A Friendly Welcome Awaits Everyone.

First Methodist Church

Robt. E. Cook, Pastor
 A Friendly Church with a warm heart Welcomes You to
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Mrs. M. B. Shook, Superintendent
 Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
 Mrs. Tom Lewis, Music Director.
 M. Y. F. 6:15 p.m.
 Mrs. Jay Koonce, Choir Director.
 Evening Service 7:00 p.m.
 Monday, W. S. C. S. 3 p.m.
 Second Monday 7:30 p.m.
 Mrs. M. S. Sellers, President.

Prayer Meeting

Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
 Choir Rehearsal 8:45 p.m.
 Mrs. Jay Koonce, Director.
 Board Meeting, Jay Koonce, Pres.

Long Branch Baptist Church

Rev. C. O. Clement, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Sunday Services 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Services 8:00 p.m.

Mountain Top Pentecostal Church

Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
 Sunday Services 11:00 A.M.
 Evening Services 7:45 P.M.
 Prayer Night 7:45 P.M.
 (Every Thursday)
 Young Peoples Service 7:45 P.M.
 (Every Saturday)

Calvary Baptist Church

May, Texas
 Rev. Harold Mills, Pastor
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Preaching Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 7 p.m.
 W.M.U. Tuesday at 2 p.m. at church.
 Mrs. Virgie Wiggins, Pres.

BLAKE BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
 B.T.U. 7:00 P.M.
 Preaching .. 11:00 A.M.-8:00P.M.

UNION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Mickey Warlick, Pastor
 Sunday Morning Service 10
 Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
 Preaching 11 a.m.
 Sunday Night Service 7 p.m.
 Wed. Night Prayer Meeting at 7

First Baptist Church

May, Texas
 Rev. F. E. Suttle, Pastor
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Preaching Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
 W.M.U. Tuesday 2 p.m. at church
 Prayer service Wednesday 7 p.m.
 Mrs. Ira Nelson, Pres.

CHURCH OF CHRIST PIONEER, TEXAS

G. A. Dunn, Jr., Minister
 Worship Hour 11:00 A.M.
 Bible Study 10:00 A.M.

IT'S THE LAW in Texas

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Trust Arrangements Explained

When property is placed in trust it is turned over to a trustee who will see to it that it is properly managed for the benefit of a person or persons you name as beneficiaries. It is a method of disposing of your property and may be used in conjunction with a will.

Trusts have many advantages. A trust may be used to provide income for persons unable to support themselves, to provide funds for a child's education, as a means of establishing an annuity, or to provide a gift for a charitable institution.

In these days of high taxes, a trust may be utilized to minimize the tax burden. If carefully planned, a trust may decrease income and inheritance taxes.

A trust arrangement works roughly in this manner. A person who desires to create a trust is called a grantor. The

grantor chooses a trustee. The trustee may be a bank, an individual, or a trust company. The grantor through a trust instrument tells the trustee how to distribute the trust property or income. The trustee will then manage and distribute the trust proceeds or property in whatever manner the grantor desires.

A very common arrangement is to place the property in trust with directions to pay the income from the property to a wife for her life, and on her death the trust is to end and the property is to be distributed to the grantor's children.

An interesting type of trust is that which is sometimes called a spendthrift trust. This is an arrangement whereby one sets up a certain sum of money to be given out to another at a definite rate per month or per year, or under definite restrictions.

This type of trust is generally used in wills where a person desires to leave money to an individual, but feels that the individual is not capable of properly caring for the money and that if left to them in full that the party receiving the

money will spend and waste the money and not receive the maximum benefit from it.

Trust property quite often consists of securities. The law regulates the type of property in which trust funds may be invested. However, the grantor may designate the type of investments the trustee may make.

The effectiveness of a trust is dependent largely on its proper creation. To avoid the pitfalls and dangers of lawsuits and ineffective trust operations, a trust instrument should be properly prepared. A poorly planned or carelessly drawn trust instrument can not only defeat the objectives of its creator, but may prove costly as well.

You lawyer can advise you whether a trust arrangement will be advantageous in your particular situation, and is qualified by education and experience to prepare properly the legal papers necessary to set up a trust. If you have in mind some bank or trust company to act as trustee, that firm's trust officer will be glad to discuss the matter in a conference with you and your attorney.

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mathis of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. House and two sons of Pasadena, Texas, spent the holidays in Rising Star and Amity. The men got in some quail hunting while here.

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Written by Mrs. F. W. Roberts, Phone 5-5301

LOCAL BRIEFS

Miss Flo Appleby returned to her home in De Leon, after spending two weeks here with Mrs. Beyrl Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Wright of Austin were here at Christmas and had as their guests in the Landreth home Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith and Aunt Mary Smith. Mr. and Mrs. B. Wright are looking after the Landreth ranch and the home here in town.

Miss Alice Faye Roberts, who works for the Pioneer Gas Co. in Midland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Roberts, during New Year's holidays.

Mrs. Mabel Byrd of Brownwood visited her aunt, Mrs. Mary Smith here during the holidays.

Visitors in the home of A. P. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Curt Smith during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Leon R. Smith of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Foster of Cross Plains, and Jack Smith of Howard Payne College at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Smith of Denver, Colo., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith. Horace Lee Smith has visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith and has returned to his work in Denver, Colo.

Katharine Witt is able to return to her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Witt after an appendectomy in Rising Star Hospital.

Recent guests of Mrs. J. W. Murphy were her daughter, Mrs. Durwood Young, husband and three children from Irving, Tex., and her son, Leo Murphy, wife and two girls from Fort Worth.

The family of Mrs. Florence Graves spent the holidays here; including Capt. Sammie Graves (in Reserves) who now works for Lockheed's in Atlanta, Ga. He with his wife and son; Miss Nellie Ann Graves, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clay and two sons all of Fort Worth; and Mrs. Loran Kellar, daughter of the late Sam Graves, who is a teacher in North Texas Teachers College, all were here. Mrs. Kellar's daughter, Mrs. Graves Sivells, and two children of Wharton, Texas, also spent a merry Christmas here with Mrs. Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. King of Hobbs, N. M., spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts and other members of the Clark family. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George B. Laswell of Brownwood.

Mrs. Conrad Schaefer, a teacher in Cisco High School, was here on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Crownover visited Mr. and Mrs. "Bud" Sickman and other relatives in Abilene on Saturday and Sunday, January 2 and 3.

Miss Martha Jay Childress visited in Breckenridge with Dr. and Mrs. Frank Payne during the holidays.

Mrs. W. E. Ellis spent the holidays with her sister, Miss Beulah Scudday, in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Groce of Austin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Groce, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Turner, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Dennard visited his parents in Goldthwaite on Christmas day and visited Mrs. Dennard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Chipman, in Arlington on Sunday, Dec. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin of Amarillo and Leslie Martin of Presidio spent the holidays with Mrs. Carl Martin, mother of the two men.

Mrs. Ed. Allgood of Eastland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Morris, here on Saturday, January 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Parrish and two boys, Don Dixon and David, of Corpus Christi spent the holidays here with her parents, Parrish is now principal of a junior high school in Corpus Christi.

Mrs. C. M. Cox is in Dallas visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Roebuck, who have a new baby boy.

Mrs. Raymond Wade had as her guests on Friday Mrs. U. S. Cooper and daughter Gerri of Muleshoe.

WMU Studies Mission Work in Cuba Monday

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist church met Monday, January 4 to study Baptist mission work in Cuba. A hymn, "Send the Light" was led by Mrs. Olive Jones accompanied by Mrs. F. J. Maynard. The "Calendar of Prayer" was observed by Mrs. Clark Crownover. Prayer was led by Mrs. G. E. McDonald. The devotional "God's Storehouse," was led by Mrs. F. J. Maynard. Other parts on the mission work in Cuba were given by Mesdames Ware, Ella Wells, Love Shults, Chas. Watson, F. W. Respass, Fred Roberts and Mrs. Dennis Clark, who is program chairman.

Rev. Ed Jackson gave a review of the year's work and of new year's plans.

The W. M. U. president reported the goal of \$530 for foreign missions had been reached, and the report would be sent in by Jan. 5. Fifteen members of the W. M. U. were present for the meeting.

WSCS Has Mission Study Monday P. M.

The WSCS of the First Methodist Church met on Monday, January 4, for a study of the mission churches to town and county churches, the interdependence of one to the other, and how they may help each other. The program was presented by the pastor's wife, Mrs. R. E. Cook, who was assisted by Mrs. York Eberhart.

VISIT CRISPS

Out of town guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Crisp during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lovell and sons of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hall and children of Dumas. Mr. and Mrs. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Crisp visited their sister and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Young and family at Hamilton Monday.

GUESTS OF MRS. RESPASS

Mrs. F. W. Respass was visited during the holidays by her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mayfield of Baird; Misses Hazel and Beulah Respass of Cottonwood and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Otto of Cooperstown, N. Y. Her daughter and husband also visited in Houston and Midland, Texas.

BACK TO SOUTH AMERICA here with Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mauldin and their daughter Marsha, have returned to their home in South America after visiting at Denton

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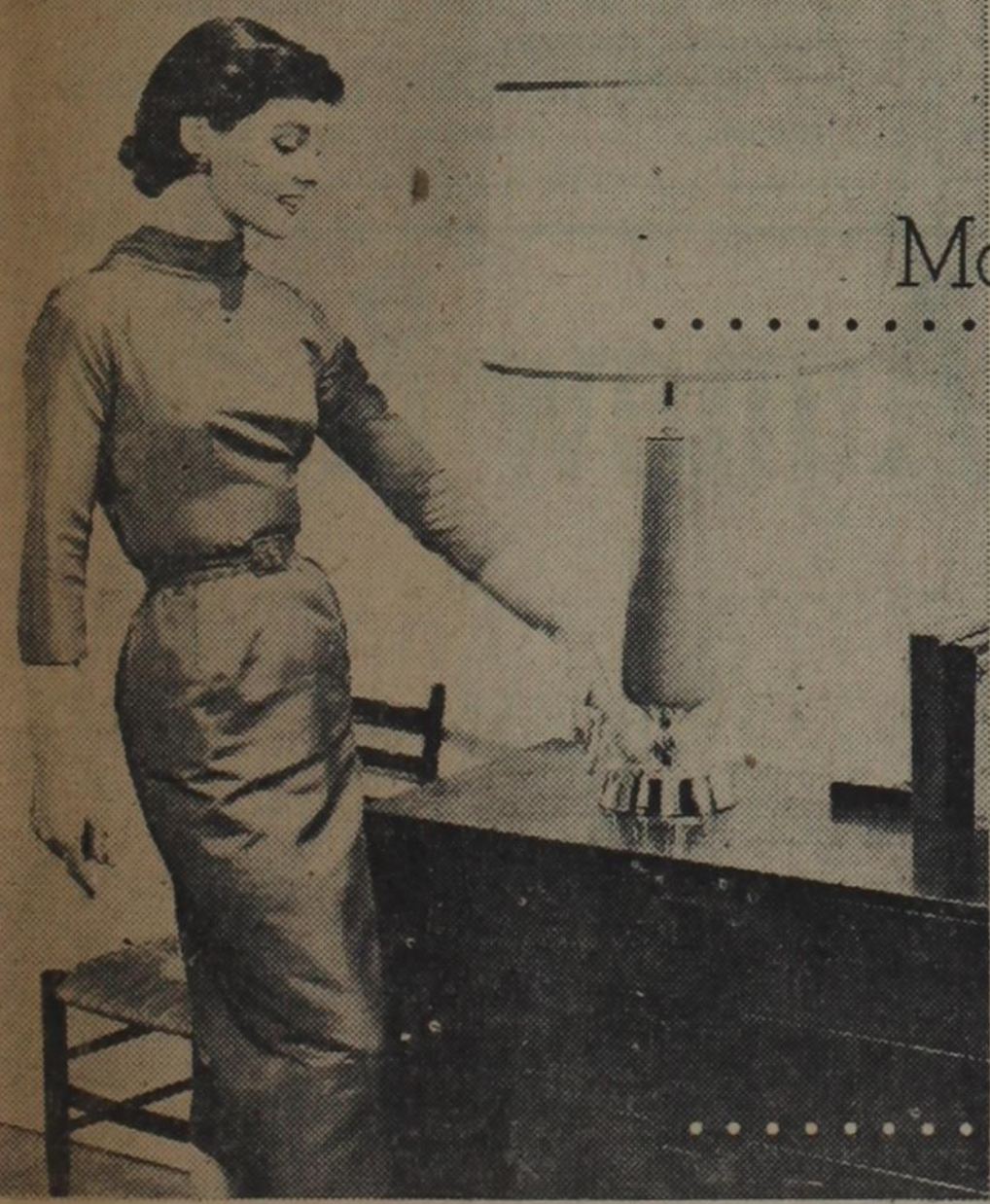
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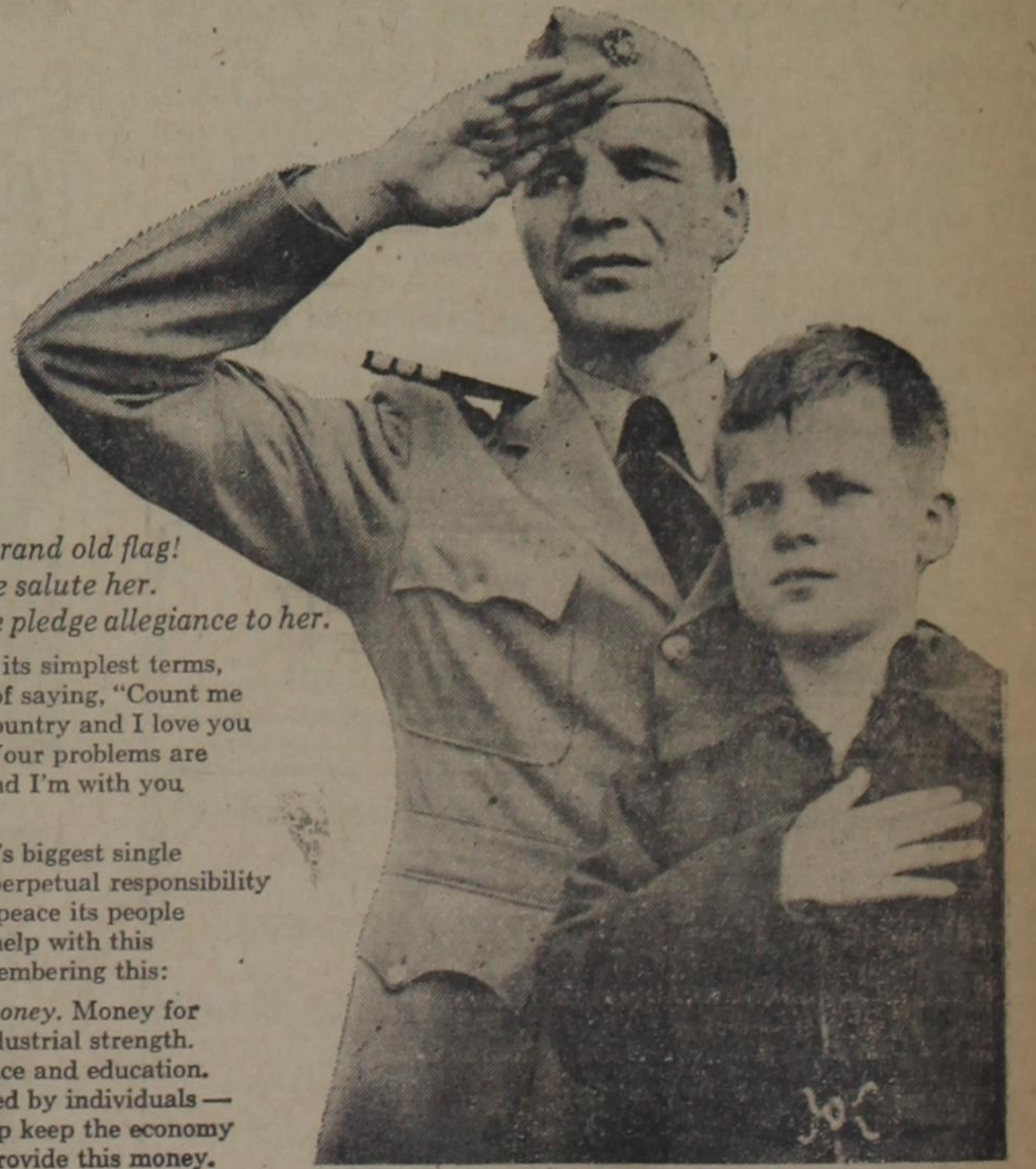
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We wish to thank the kind people for their kindness, for the food, donations, and kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved Martha. May God bless you. The Smoot Family

1959 Requirements For Filing Income Tax Return Stated

Requirements for filing Federal income tax returns for 1959 were announced here today by Arthur E. Fogle Jr. of Internal Revenue Service.

To sum it up—"most people with \$600 or more of gross income for 1959 must file a return with Uncle Sam," Mr. Fogle said.

Every citizen or resident of the U. S. A.—whether adult or minor—who had \$600 or more gross income in 1959 must file; if 65 or over, \$1,200 or more.

"However," Mr. Fogle continued, "if you're self-employed, you file a return if your self-employment income was \$400 or more, even though your gross income was less than \$600."

The Revenue representative added these potent points: A person with income of less than these amounts should file a '59 return to get a refund if tax was withheld. . . . A married person with income less than her (his) own personal exemption (s) should file a joint return with husband or wife to get the smaller tax or larger refund for the couple. . . . Members of Armed Forces should give name, service serial number, and permanent home address.

Area taxpayers are urged to file their returns for '59 with their IRS District Director as soon after January 1, 1960, as possible.

"Although the filing deadline is April 15, folks who wait until the last minute find it more difficult to get technical help the nearer the final day approaches."

"Also," Mr. Fogle said, "last minute filers make more costly errors in their returns."

Checks or money orders for any tax due should be clipped, not stapled, to the return and should be made payable to the "Internal Revenue Service."

Taxpayers with technical problems may have them solved by phoning IRS FOR HELP at 239

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POLITICAL Announcements

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FOR COMMISSIONER, Prec. 3:
MARK (Mutt) CLARK
DENNIS CLARK
C. F. (Doc) HUBBARD
R. L. (Bob) CARTER
(Re-Election, 2nd Term)
ERVIN HULL
DERRELL W. WHITE

For Sheriff of Eastland County:
J. B. WILLIAMS
(Re-Election)
LEE HORN
W. E. (Bill) REID

Constable, Precinct 3:
R. B. (Blake) FOREHAND
(Re-Election)
GEORGE CARTER

For State Representative, 76th District:
PAUL BRASHEAR
(Re-Election)

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:
J. C. ALLISON
(Re-Election, Second Term)

For State Senate, 22nd District:
TOM CREIGHTON, Palo Pinto County.

WATERMELONS—A BIG CROP

COLLEGE STATION—Watermelons are one of Texas' main vegetable crops grown for fresh market, ranking fifth in value among the vegetable crops grown for fresh market. They are grown in most of Texas' 254 counties, according to A. B. Wooten, extension economist, with 33 counties producing 1,000 or more acres of melons. Production is concentrated in the five flowing areas: the Lower Rio Grande Valley, the Rio Grande Plain, the Post Oak Area, the Northeast Sandy Land Area and the West Cross Timbers.

RELATIVES HERE

Relatives visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Faulkenberry during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Harris and son from Eula; Mr. and Mrs. L. Echols of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Harris and babies of University, Austin; Miss Eugenia Edwards, of Abilene; Mrs. Cecil Rider and daughter, Juda, and Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Rogers all of San Diego, Cal., and Mrs. E. C. Barnes and Mrs. James Posey of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Heath of De Leon and Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell and son, Toni, from Andrews, visited Mrs. Beysl Heath on Tuesday, December 29.

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Poultry Exhibits Deadline Jan. 10th At Fat Stock Show

Deadline for entering poultry, turkeys, rabbits and pigeons in the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, January 29 through February 7, will be Sunday, January 10, John C. Sherman, Department Superintendent, has announced.

Pigeons, rabbits and turkeys will show January 29 through February 2. Pigeons will be judged at 9:00 a.m. Jan. 30 and 31 and turkeys at 9:00 a.m. Jan. 31. Rabbits will be judged at 9:00 a.m. Jan. 30 and 31.

Standard and bantam poultry will be shown Feb. 3 through 7 with bantams to be judged at 9:00 a.m. Feb. 4 and 5 and standard poultry at 9:00 a.m. Feb. 4.

Poultry judge will be C. T. Driesses of Grtat Falls, Mont.

secretary of the American Poultry Association; Allen D. Fitchett, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, Cushing, Okla. and Joe R. Harner, treasurer of the association and large poultry breeder of Fairborn, Ohio. E. D. Parnell, APA licensed judge and poultry husbandry professor of Texas A&M College, will judge turkeys and water-fowl.

Poultry, turkeys, rabbits and pigeons will compete for a total of \$2,800, Sherman said.

Grand champions of the large poultry, the bantam poultry and the turkey departments will be crowned World Champions as the American Poultry Association, oldest livestock organization on the American Continent, will hold the World Championship Poultry Classic at the Fort Worth Show.

AT AUSTIN

Supt. Sam Jones of Rising Star public schools is in Austin this week attending the Mid-Winter Conference of School Administrators.

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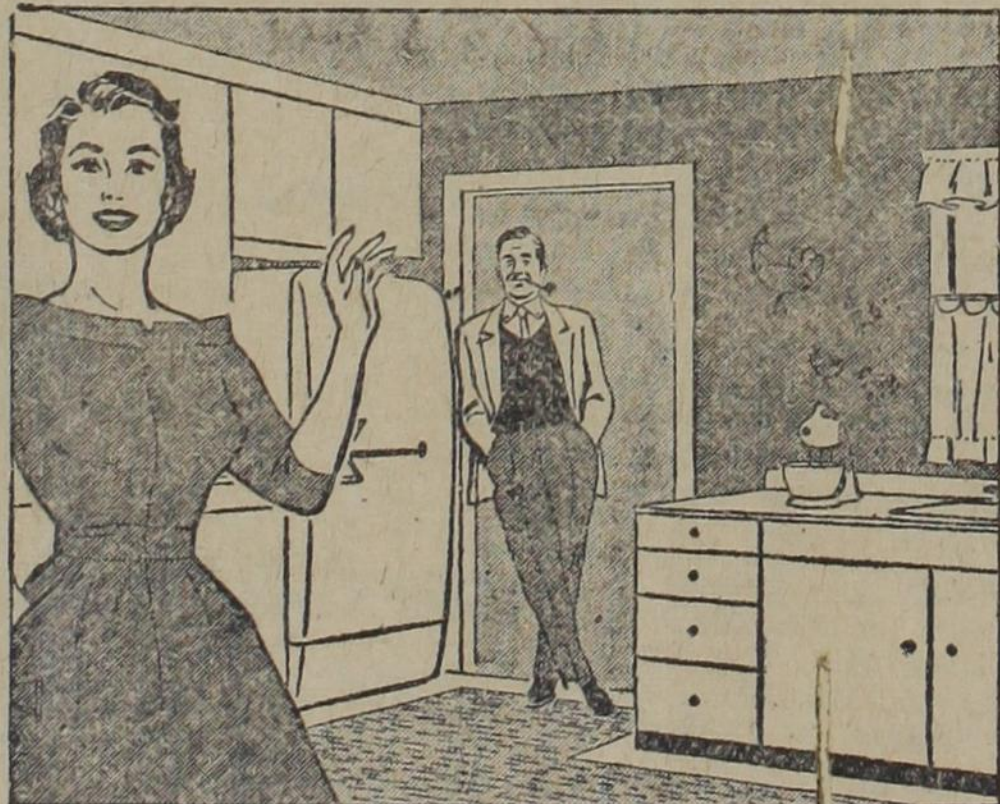
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BACON	MATCHLESS	Lb.	32c
BACON	GOOCHES	Lb.	30c
BISCUITS	ARMOURS STAR	Lb.	45c

VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Phillips of Saint Jo, Texas, who are teachers in Saint Jo High School, spent the Christmas holidays here with her mother, Mrs. Olive B. Jones, and her brothers, Monty and Mearlyn, and other relatives. Mrs. Billy Phillips has recently been elected to serve on their area advisory council of their district, for two years, in Home Economics.

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