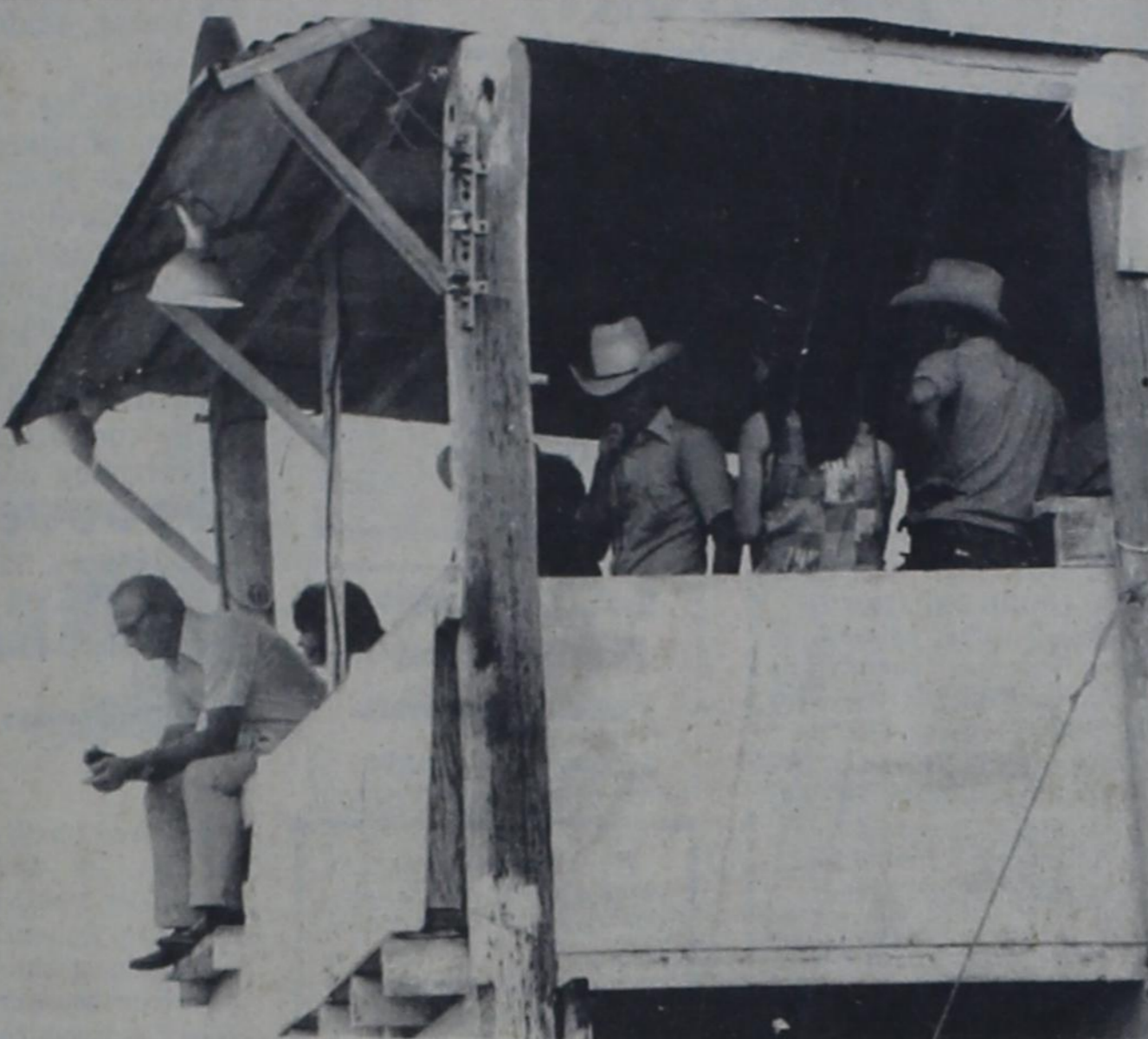




If Rising Star wasn't on the map prior to this Bicentennial year of 1976, be assured that it is now. Mrs. Ruth Smith reports that our "Kaleidoscope of Freedom" is receiving all sorts of recognition, including the international type - from the Holy Land no less!

Also Mrs. Smith has received word that the Kaleidoscope story along with a picture of the flags has recently been published in the official publication of the Alaska Retired Teachers' Association, which incidentally is read in almost every one of these United States.



Watching the time clock and keeping the entrees up front is a full time job for rodeo officials. Shown left to right are: L.T. Owen, Travis Williams, and Jimmy Rutherford.

Roping Club Opens 24th Rodeo Season

The first performance of Rising Star's 24th rodeo season opened with an enthusiastic and responsive group of spectators and participants on hand for the Saturday event.

The parade, headed by the Rising Star High School Band, the Rising Star Roping Club and Miss Shelley Gray, rodeo sweetheart, drew a spontaneous round of applause from the onlookers who had gathered for the combined events of rodeo and the Bicentennial Recognition Ceremony. Jimmy

Rutherford, president of the local Roping Club, has announced that future rodeo events will be scheduled each Friday night at 8:00 for the remainder of the season.

Rutherford extends an invitation to rodeo fans and participants to attend these performances.

Winners in the Saturday night events were as follows:

- Flag Race:**
 1st--Carla Linceford--12.05
 2nd--Becky Moore--13.14
 3rd--Terry Kitchens--16.76
- Barrels (12 and under)**
 1st--Tommy Guy--20.29
 2nd--Lori Dee Guy--20.79
 3rd--Terry Kitchens--20.99
- Barrels (13 and over)**
 1st--Vickie Hankins--20.07
 2nd--Sherri Kitchens--21.67
 3rd--Roma Templeton--22.38
- Professional Barrels**
 1st--Debbie Russell--19.53
 2nd--Vickie Biggs--19.56
 3rd--Terri Mattison--19.72

- Bronc Riding**
 1st--Ken Bowney--61.
 2nd--Glen Dale Phillips--53.
 3rd--Bob Ribble--49.
- Bull Riding**
 1st--Mackie Elliott.
 2nd--Junior Willingham.
- Calf Roping 1st Round**
 1st--Frank Miller--9.52
 2nd--Dan Webb--9.53
 3rd--Nelly Adair--9.70
 4th--Tony Lucas--10.00.
- Calf Roping 2nd Round**
 1st--Jerry Jetton--8.73
 2nd--Joe Allen--8.81
 3rd--Silvester Mayfield--8.85
 4th--Less Cochran--9.38.
- Average Roping**
 1st--Silvester Mayfield--Clov. N. Mex. Co.
 2nd--John Burren--Stephenville.
 3rd--Tony Lucas--Stephenville.
 4th--Phillip Harrison--Eastland.
- Steer Riding**
 1st--Todd Pair.

Local Students Receive T.S.U. Degrees

A word of appreciation is due to a number of people who were responsible for the success of last Saturday's events - certainly to Owen Aikin, general chairman of the local Bicentennial committee, and to his working committee members; to the Rising Star React Club for the use of the P.A. system; to the officers of the Rising Star Roping Club for their cooperation; to the local merchants for their attractive decorations; to Mayor Carroll and his staff for clean streets; and to each and every individual who contributed in any way to this community effort.



Mary Jane Kizer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kizer of Rising Star, graduated May 16, from Tarleton State University with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in Accounting. The commencement exercises were held in Wisdom Gymnasium.

Mary Jane has been on the Dean's List while at Tarleton, and is a 1972 graduate of Rising Star High School, where she was editor of the yearbook her senior year.

Mary Jane is living in Dallas where she is employed by Texas Power and Light there.

It's good to have Edra back in the office after a brief vacation. They report a most enjoyable week in Las Vegas.

It is hoped that a good response will come from the appeal in this edition of The Rising Star for funds to restore the old log Scout Hut - it is truly a landmark of Rising Star and should be preserved.

City Library Announces Summer Schedule

The Saturday Club announces that the City Library will be open through the months of June, July and August each Tuesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock.

A number of children's classics have been added to encourage summer reading.

Notice

The office of Dr. B.T. Carpenter will be closed from 5:00 p.m. Friday, June 4, until 9:00 a.m. Thursday June 24.

The doctor will be out of town.

Training Stable Locates In Rising Star



Wayne King stands beside the attractive sign which indicates that he is the owner, trainer, and tack man for his new and enterprising business.

A love of horses was the probably inspiration for a new and growing enterprise in the Rising Star-Cross Plains area.

This business is the Pecan Valley Training Stable located six miles west of Rising Star on Highway 36, directly across from Lakewood Recreation Center.

Wayne King, a native of Corpus Christi, is the owner of the stable. He has had

Local Legion Post Plans Memorial Service

The local American Legion Post will sponsor a memorial service on Sunday, May 30. The ceremonies will be held at the Rising Star Cemetery, but in case of inclement weather, will be moved to the high school gym.

Being conducted in conjunction with the Bicentennial year, the ceremony will honor the memories of not only deceased servicemen, but of all of those of the community who have passed on and are buried in the local cemetery.

The service, to begin at 4:00 p.m., will open with the playing of taps by Clark Smith, May graduate of Rising Star High School and former member of the high school band. The opening prayer will be given by Owen Aikin, minister of the Rising Star Church of Christ. Following the invocation will be the presentation of colors, conducted by the local American Legion post.

Mayor C.M. Carroll will issue a welcome to those in attendance, and then will follow an

Plea Made For Restoration Of Old Scout Hut Rising Star Is Proclaimed Bicentennial Community

Calling all former members of Troop No. 115, Boy Scouts of America in Rising Star. Your financial assistance is sought to save and rebuild the Scout Hut on Methodist Church property in Rising Star.

This call is made by Jack McCarty, of Glen Rose, former long-time Scoutmaster of the troop, who said he had been told, the old Boy Scout meeting place is in bad state of repair and needs to be rebuilt or torn down and friends of Scouting in Rising Star would like to see it saved for future generations.

There are memories by the dozen in this old log structure and McCarty said he felt there are sufficient former members of the troop to provide the financial assistance to save it.

Fellows, if you want a part in this movement, mail your check today to

Mrs. Cecil Joyce
 Rising Star, Texas 76571

Perhaps when the project is completed, we may find it possible to hold a reunion of Rising Scouts and Scouters and might even have an old-fashioned belt-line and show the present day Scouts how we handled our discipline problems and without parental consent, too!

Memorial Holiday To Be Observed Locally

Rising Star merchants, First State Bank and the Post Office will all be closed on Monday, May 31, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. Local post office boxes will be serviced, but no rural delivery will be made and there will not be any window service, Postmaster Don Boyett said. The Rising Star will be published according to regular schedule, with Tuesday noon as the usual deadline for all news and advertising.

Saturday was the culmination of a year's planning and work for the city of Rising Star in the Bicentennial realm, and, hopefully, was just the re-birth of a future of progress and self esteem for our talented community.

Rising Star received the national and state official Bicentennial recognition Saturday in ceremonies held on Main Street as part of the 24th annual opening parade of the local summer rodeo series.

A proud and enthusiastic crowd of about 200 persons on hand for the ceremonies, in the balmy, shirt-sleeve summer heat. The crowd milled and visited, and seemed to be in no real hurry to leave following the parade. One local resident likened last Saturday afternoon to "Saturday afternoons of 25 or 30 years ago in Rising Star", when everyone was in town on Saturday afternoon, visiting on the streets, shopping and staying until well after dark.

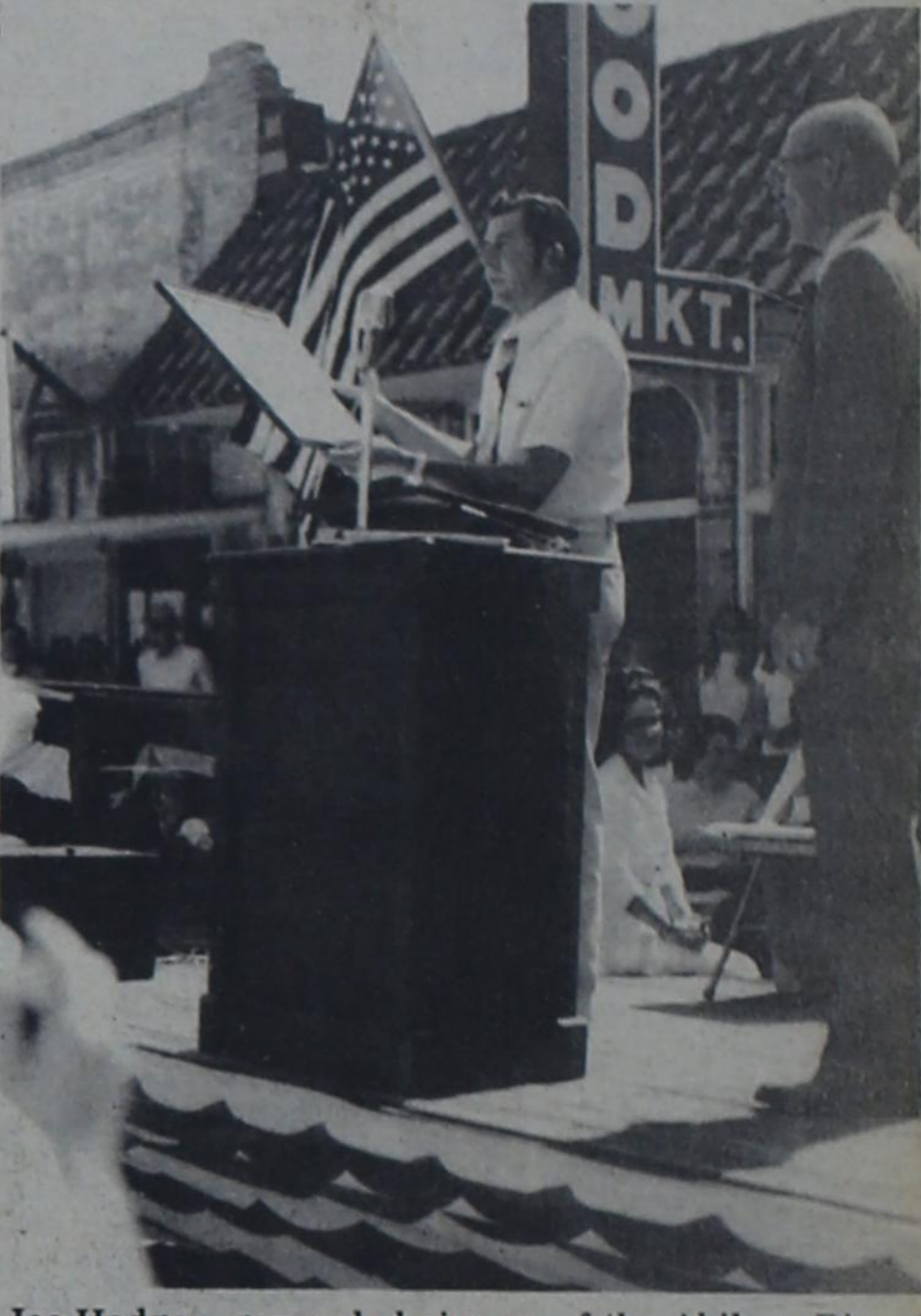
On hand for the official Bicentennial recognition ceremonies, which began promptly at 3:45 p.m., was Joe Hodges, chairman of the Abilene Bicentennial Commission and partner in H&H Oil Company in Abilene.

Following a greeting to the people by Owen Aikin, minister of the Rising Star Church of Christ and general chairman of the Rising Star Bicentennial Committee, Mr. Hodges delivered an informal, and very heart-warming talk of about 10 to 12 minutes, after he removed his suit coat and remarked that he would speak "as long as the temperature and the mood of the people would allow."

Mr. Hodges expressed his delight at being invited to Rising Star for this historic occasion. He reminded the attentive audience that there are many things to reflect on in this Bicentennial year and that there are many things to be thankful for, but, he stated, the future still holds much to be thankful for.

"The real heart-beat of the nation is in the hearts and minds of people who live in townships like Rising Star, Cross Plains, and Abilene," Mr. Hodges said. "The celebration of our Bicentennial actually started in the grass-roots communities like this," he added. Hodges issued a challenge to individuals and communities to recognize their heritage and to carry on in the great American tradition.

Mr. Hodges, in bringing out the three official phases of the nation's Bicentennial celebration, referred to the Heritage



Joe Hodges, general chairman of the Abilene Bicentennial Commission, presents the certificates of recognition from both the National and State Bicentennial Commissions to Owen Aikin, general chairman of Rising Star's Bicentennial Committee.

division as "time for reflection", the Festival division as a time for parties and celebrations and to the Horizon division as what we can do to influence the future of our nation.

He further urged each of us to ask ourselves, "What can I do?" Before expressing his best wishes and congratulations for Rising Star's Bicentennial accomplishments, he concluded: "If you are going to do something, do it now."

At this time the rodeo parade had approached the speakers platform, located on the west side of street, where the Rising Star High School band played the national anthem, directed by Paul Fullerton, director.

Mr. Hodges then presented the state and national Bicentennial certificates in handsome brown and gold frames to Mr. Aikin, and the striking national Bicentennial flag to Mayor Pro Tem Lane Wells, thus making Rising Star an official Bicentennial community. Mr. Wells accepted the flag in the absence of Mayor C.M. Carroll, who was out of town.

Following an appreciative round of applause, Mr. Aikin then read a citation and presented a certificate to Mrs. Hodges, making him an honorary citizen of Rising Star. "With all the rights and privileges thereof, including the paying of taxes," Mr. Aikin quipped. Hodges was also presented a complimentary copy of the "Kaleidoscope of Freedom" script, autographed by its author, Mrs. Ruth Smith, and Mr. Aikin explained the background of "Kaleidoscope of Freedom" in Rising Star's Bicentennial observance.

The Bicentennial flag, carried by Don Boyett and Rev. Hubert Taylor then became a part of the rodeo parade and the march continued.

The parade was led by the Rising Star Roping Club, headed by Shelley Gray, and rodeo sweetheart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray.

Other riding clubs participating in the parade were the Callahan County Rough Riders and the May Riding Club, as well as numerous individual riders.

Local Students Named Winners In County Walkathon

The Future Nurses Club of Ranger, Sponsors of the Eastland County March of Dimes Walk-a-Thon announced the winners of this event.

Participants from Rising Star were: Deann Alford, Karen Guthrie, Darla Hosch, Jeannie Housell, Cheryl Perry, Dorenda Lawrence, Janetta Lawrence, Kathy Reed, Mary Alice Stovall, Belinda Switzer, and Susan Walker.

Prize winners were: Jenny Walker, for collecting the second largest amount of money, a purse; Belinda Switzer, gift certificate, for being the most determined and Susan Walker and Darla Hosch, were named the "Best Path Finders," because Jenny Walker could not fulfill her obligations. The Future Nurses club created this award for these girls because their thoughtfulness was deserving of the special award. Each received an assortment of items; one of which was the cuddly stuffed animal donated by Palace Drug Store of Rising Star.

Notice

Jaycees still have 55 gallons barrels for sale at a reasonable price.

May be seen at Pollock's Mobile Station.

MEMORIAL DAY '76

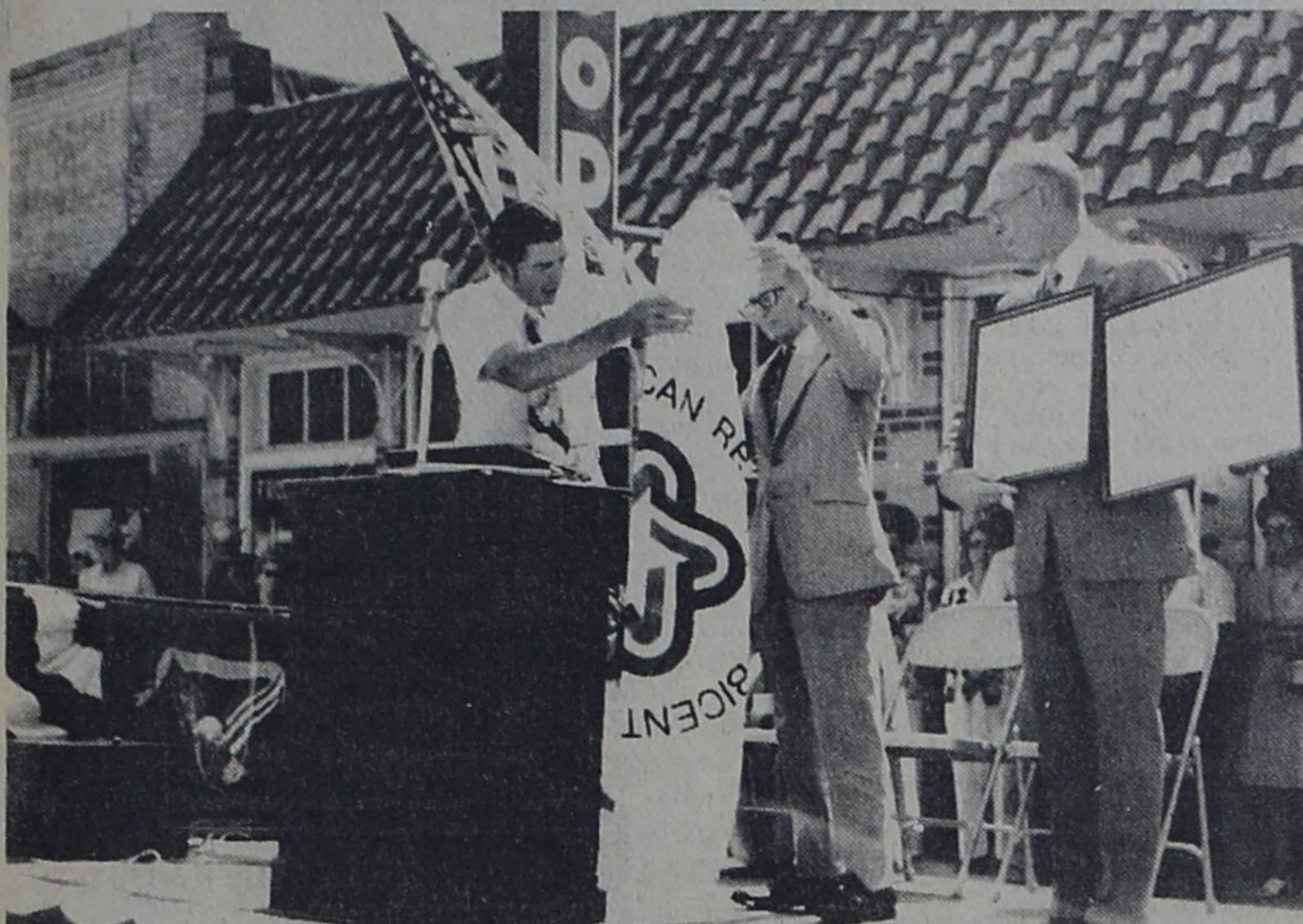


It's Time to Remember Our American Servicemen.

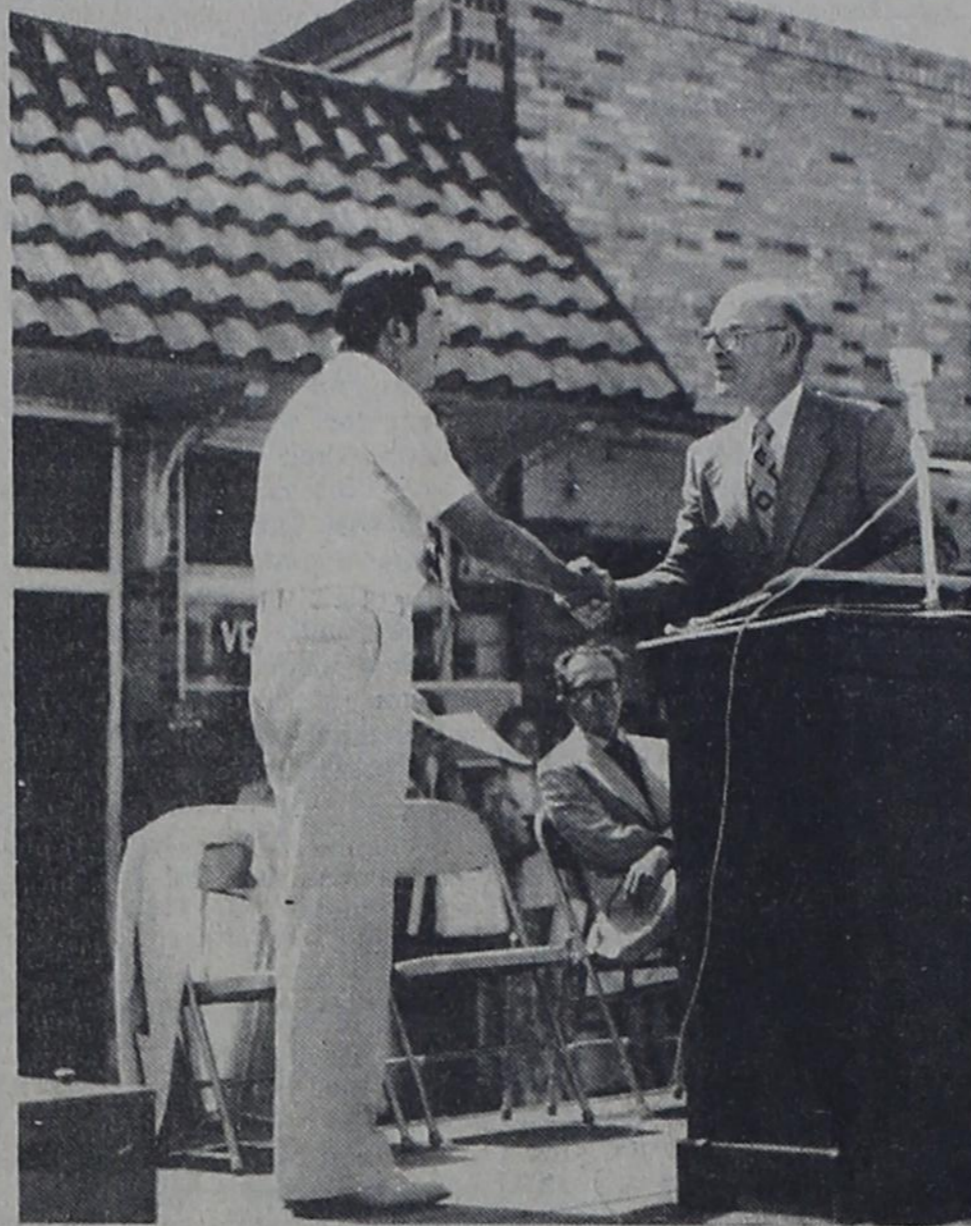
Throughout history, there have been many who dedicated themselves to upholding our nation's high ideals. They were from all backgrounds. But they had one common bond. They were Americans.

Each and every one of us owes them more than words could express. Let's show our gratitude now, by taking this day to honor them in our hearts... and pay tribute to their outstanding courage.

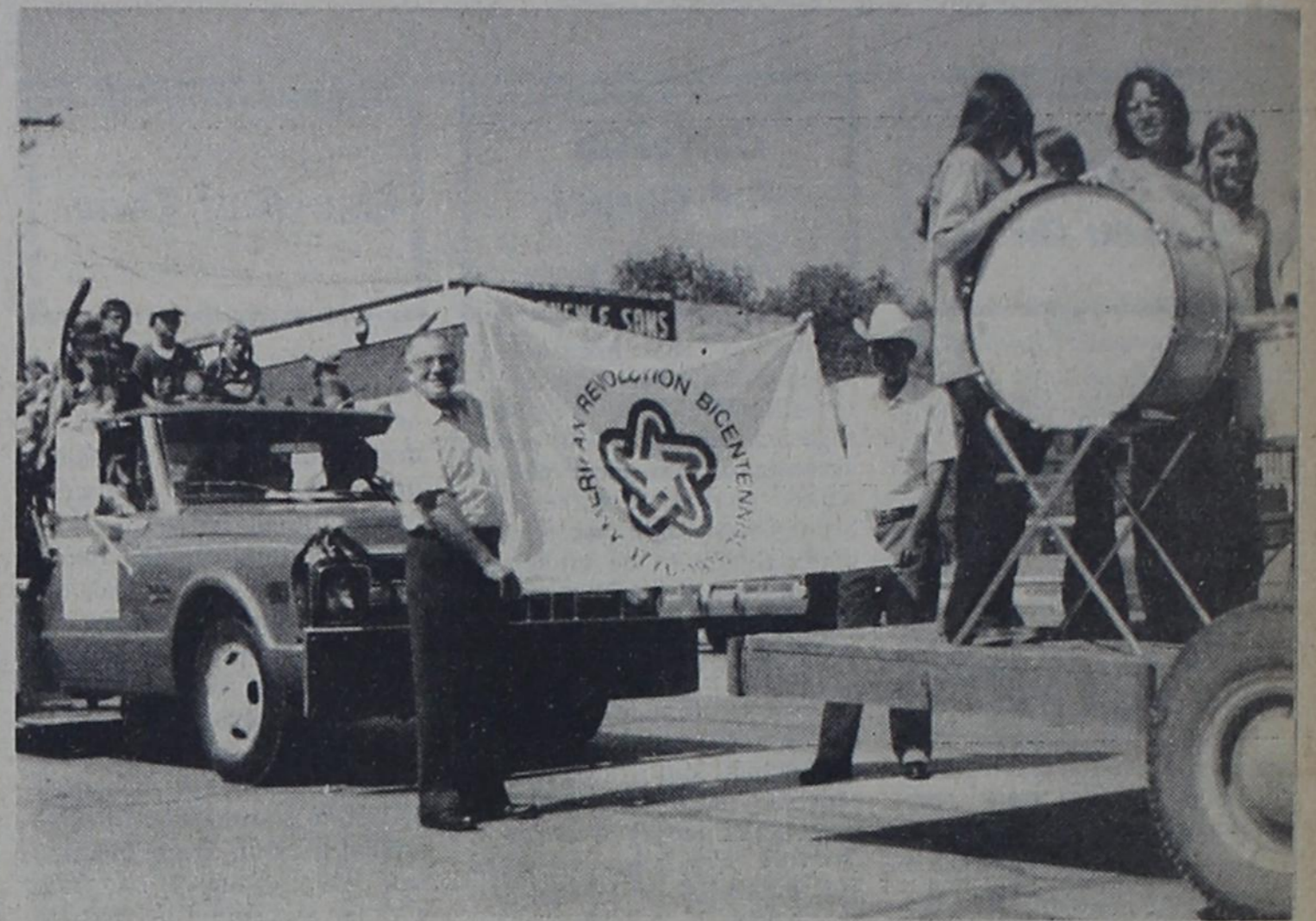




Lane Wells, Rising Star Mayor Pro - Tem, accepts the National Bicentennial Flag from Joe Hodges in the formal recognition ceremonies on Saturday.



Owen Aikin presents a citation to Mr. Hodges naming him as an honorary citizen.



Band students and Little League get in on the act as National Bicentennial Flag is displayed by Hubert Taylor and Don Boyett.



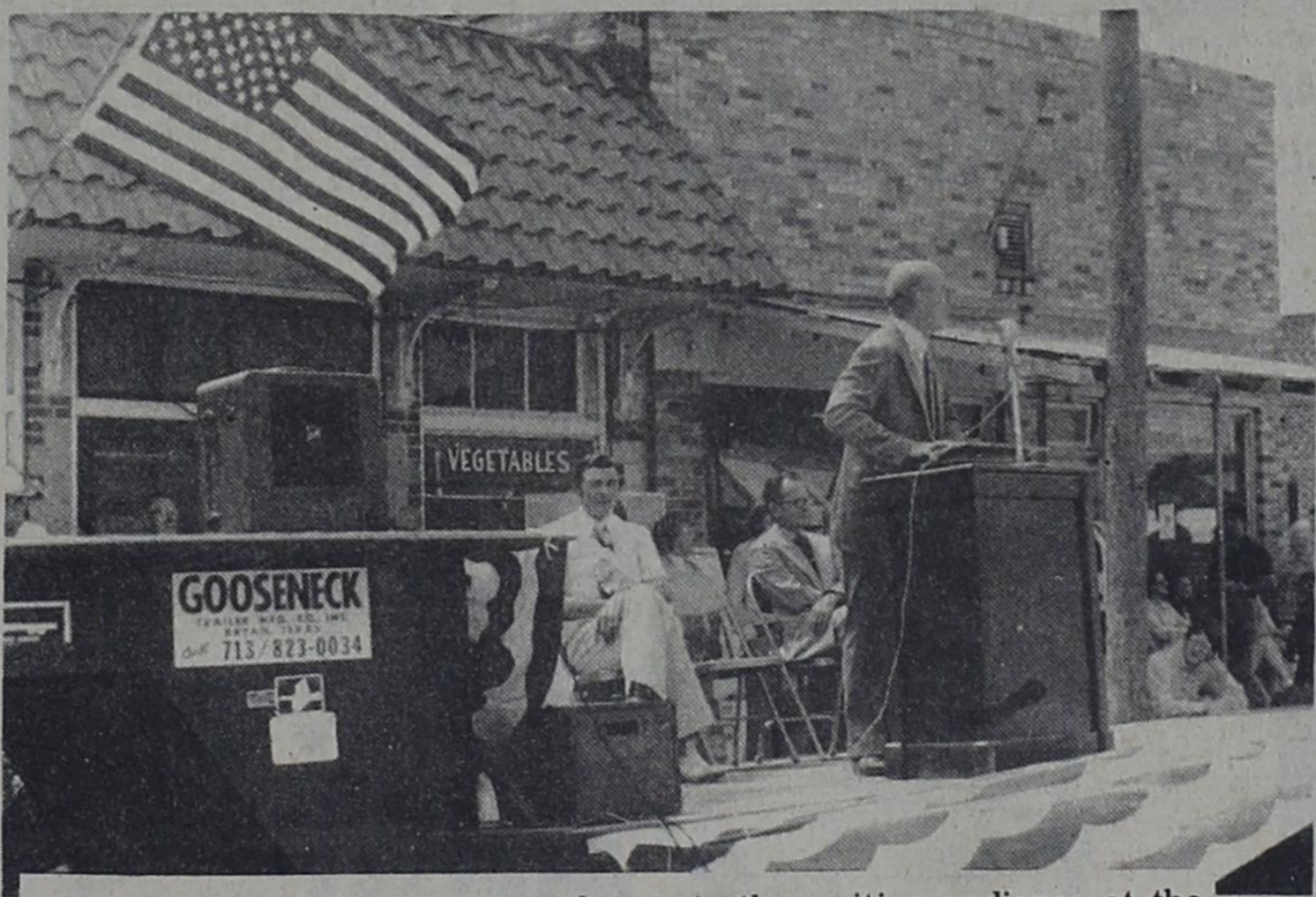
The rodeo parade made a colorful spectacle as it passed through the downtown area.



Miss Shelly Gray, rodeo sweetheart, proudly carries the Gold and White Banner of the Rising Star Roping Club.



Mr. Hodges visits with some of his listening audience, shown here in the center of the photograph, is Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith. Mrs. Smith presented Hodges with an autographed copy of her book, "The Kaleidoscope of Freedom".



Owen Aikin extends a hearty welcome to the waiting audience at the Saturday ceremony.

Schools Announce Final Honor Roll For 1975-76

The honor roll for the final quarter of 1975-76 school year for the Rising Star Public Schools has been announced. Principal Bobby Fortune of Rising Star High School has reported the following high school students on the A and B honor listings:

SENIORS: A roll-Marilyn Clark, Peggy Perry, Clark Smith, Susan Walker, and Kathy Wilson; B roll-Tami Barnes, Brenda McDaniel, Craig Campbell, Dottie Chambers, Mark Griffin, Nancy Medford, Denise Willett, Tom Hill, and Tricia Jones.

JUNIORS: A roll-Pam Hill, Ken Hounsel; B roll-Darla Hosch, Bruce Williams, Gwen Winfrey.

SOPHOMORES: A roll-Randa Bradley, Glenn Dennard, Karen Guthrie, David Reed, Becky Wilson; B roll-Dixie Benson, Carolyn Bessent, Randy Bibb, Donna Boyett, Johnny Childers, Gary Fox, Jeanne Hounsel, Randy Kinsey, Derenda Lawrence, Dianna Linney, Nicky Newbury, Dortha Pannell, Kaycee Rutherford, Theresa Scott, Jenny Walker, and Darren White.

FRESHMEN: A roll-Kimberly Harris, Sharon McGinnis; B roll-Cheryl Perry, Mary Alice

Stovall, Deann Alford, Vicki Elliot, Kathy Reed, Mal Newbury, Katrina Linney, John David Lee, Janetta Lawrence, Belinda Switzer, and Laurie Hill.

The quarter roll for the fourth through the eighth grades of Rising Star Grade School and Junior High School has been announced by Principal Weldon Hill as follows:

EIGHTH GRADE: A roll-Cindy Walker, Laurie Stovall; B roll-Shelley Gray, Carla Bowers, Pam Ratliff, Marilyn Wilson, Kathy Woddy, Taby Chambers, and Darla Bond.

SEVENTH GRADE: A roll-Shannon Childers, Konnie Harris; B roll-Jo Anne Carpenter, Michael Alford, Theresa Underwood, and Gwynn Tharp.

SIXTH GRADE: A roll-Regina White, Damonn Cooper; B roll-Terry Walker, Barbie Sanders, Wade Ratliff, Jana Perry, Carla Luncford, Edward Anderson, Jonnie Hubbard, and Rae Jean Jarvis.

FIFTH GRADE: A roll-none; B roll-Sandra Allen, La Dell Burns, Amy Dudley, Jerry Harris, Darlene Maynard, Selena McCuiston, Melonie Ratliff, Gretchen Williams.

FOURTH GRADE: A roll-Vickie Walker; B roll-David

Alford, Brad Fortune, Steve Hill, Kathy Linney and Sam Scott.

The junior high and grade school honor rolls for the final six weeks term were listed as follows:

EIGHTH GRADE: A roll-Cindy Walker, Kathy Woody; B roll-Carla Bowers, Shelley Gray, Laurie Stovall, Taby chambers, and Darla Bond.

SEVENTH GRADE: A roll-Konnie Harris; B roll-Shannon Childers, Jo Anne Carpenter, Michael Alford, and Theresa Underwood.

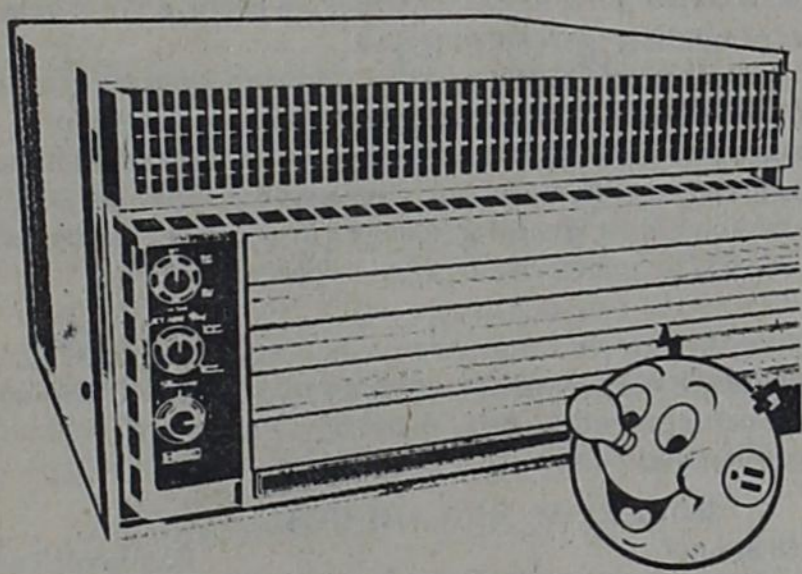
SIXTH GRADE: A roll-Regina White, Damon Cooper; B roll-Terry Walker, Barbie Sanders, Wade Ratliff, Jane Perry, Bill Nall, Carla Luncford, Edward Anderson, Jonnie Hubbard and Margaretta Lunkford.

FIFTH GRADE: A roll-Darlene Maynard; B roll-Sandra Allen, LaDell Burns, Amy Dudley, Jerry Harris, Selena McCuiston, David Nall, Melonie Ratliff, Paul Thornton, Gretchen Williams.

FOURTH GRADE: A roll-David Alford, Brad Fortune, Vickie Walker; B roll-Gary Barker, Steve Hill, Kathy Linney, and Sam Scott.

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| App. 5 cords of oak fire wood (long lengths) | |
| Wooden hen nest in sections | |
| 2 wheel barrows | |
| Lg. older milk cooler w/compressor | |
| Stainless milk pails | |
| Perfection suction unit (dairy) | |
| 2 feed store hand trucks | |
| 2 Fairbanks platform scales | |
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| App. 100 new steel post | |
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| Blacksmith forge | Metal hay rack |
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Amity Sets Work Day

A workday at Amity Church will be held from 9 a.m. to completion Wednesday June 2, to prepare the building and yard for the Annual First Sunday in June Singing and Amity Cemetery Association Meeting June 6. Basket lunch will be served under the live oak trees. The public is invited to attend.

Dr. Leon Woods

Long Branch Speaker

The annual Long Branch homecoming has been announced for this Sunday, May 30, according to Rev. Terry Wright, pastor of the Long Branch Baptist Church. Dr. Leon Woods of Howard Payne University in Brownwood will be the morning speaker at 11:00 a.m., followed by a basket lunch at noon. Plates and cups will be furnished, it was reported. Rev. Wright extends a welcome to everyone to attend.

Sipe Springs News

BY MRS. JACK MILLWEE

Visitors in the Dick Wyatt home have been Mrs. Ricky Huddlestone of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. David Buckston of Dallas, and Mr. Ellison of Denver, Colorado.

Visitors at the N.L. Leonard home have been Mr. and Mrs. Don Leonard of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harris of Rising Star.

S.P. McKeenan and John McKeenan visited Mr. A.M. King in Breckenridge Saturday.

Visiting in the Carl Washburn home has been Mr. and Mrs. Larry Strube, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hall and Betty Handy and son.

Visitors in the Jack Millwee home have been Mrs. Jo Kanady of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. David Jones and Susan Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Leonard visited Mike Butler in the Brownwood hospital.

Mrs. Joyce McKeenan and Opel Whiteside visited their Aunts, Mrs. Julie Wagley and Josie Murphey in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. G.T. Whittle visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hejl and girls in San Angelo.

Practise Session Slated

A good turnout was reported for the organizational meeting Sunday afternoon for the ladies softball team. The initial meeting was held at the Jaycee Baseball Park.

Those interested in participating are asked to meet at 5:00 p.m. on Sunday afternoon at the high school practice field. At this time, teams will be selected and practice will begin.

May News

Entha Campbell

DEAR SIS,

Here is a dream cake recipe: Bring to boil 1/2 cup Crisco, 1 stick oleo, 1 cup strong coffee and 1/4 cup Cocoa and cut off burner. Mix 2 cups sifted flour and 2 cups sugar in large mixing bowl and stir in hot liquid. Beat together 1/2 cup buttermilk, 2 whole eggs, 1 teaspoon of each - - soda, vanilla and cinnamon. Mix well and pour into a cake pan, 16 x 11 x 1 for a thin cake or 13 x 9 x 2 and bake for 30 to 40 minutes at 400 degrees. Ice with dream frosting: Bring slowly to a boil, 1 stick oleo, 3 1/2 T. Cocoa and one - third cup milk. Remove from heat and add 1 pound sifted powdered sugar, 1 teaspoon vanilla and blend. You may add 1 cup of chopped nuts if desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jordan, Lisa and Tammy of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Erickson and Tara of Arlington visited Mrs. Ima Crooks last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hardy and Tracy of San Angelo; Mrs. James Underwood, Mike and Wendy of Stephenville; Mrs. Albert Richardson of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Graves of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Sparkman were Saturday visitors in the home of Mrs. Freddy Hardy for a family get - together.

Mrs. Virgie Mabra is able to be up and going a few places at this time.

Mrs. Lorene Cox has returned to a hospital in Abilene.

Mrs. Billy Chambers returned home after spending five days in the hospital. Wade Chambers is now improving in a nursing home in Comanche.

Phil Mitchell, Richard Verdine, Jacky Michael, Jerry Newman, Clendon Chambers and Rusty Bailey helped in the clean - up of the May Community Improvement Club House and grounds on May 11, during an all - out effort to ready the club area for the first May Day celebration in May, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Bell gave the boys their lunch after they had finished their work.

Love to all,
Entha



A GOOD WAY TO PRESERVE VEGETABLES--This year, try pickling a variety of vegetables, suggests the Texas Department of Agriculture home economist. Pickled Vegetables makes a colorful mixture of cucumbers, onions, celery, carrots, sweet peppers and cauliflower that you'll be proud to serve guests throughout the year.

from the TAP kitchen



Texas Department of Agriculture--John C. White, Commissioner

PICKLED VEGETABLES

- 1/2 cup prepared mustard
- 4-2/3 cups white vinegar
- 3-1/2 cups sugar
- 1/2 cup pickling salt
- 4 Tbsp. celery seed
- 2 Tbsp. mustard seed
- 1/2 tsp. whole cloves
- 1/2 tsp. ground turmeric
- 1-1/2 tsp. powdered alum
- 4 lbs. pickling cucumbers, cut into chunks
- 2 lbs. small onions, peeled and quartered
- 1 qt. (1/2 inch) celery pieces
- 2 cups (1/2 inch) carrot pieces
- 2 cups chopped red or green sweet peppers (or combination)
- 2 cups cauliflower flowerets

In a saucepan, blend prepared mustard with about 1/4 cup vinegar. Stir in remaining vinegar, sugar and next six ingredients. Heat to boiling. Add vegetables; heat just to boiling. Simmer while quickly packing one clean, hot jar at a time. Fill to within 1/2 inch of top, making sure vinegar solution covers vegetables. Cap each jar immediately. Process five minutes in boiling water bath. Yield: 9 to 10 pints.

For additional canning and freezing information send a postcard request to Commissioner John C. White, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

How to Avoid Pickling Problems

AUSTIN--Commercially prepared pickles are convenient, but home canned pickles are highly prized for their fresh, delicious taste and crisp texture.

Texas cucumbers are doing well, thanks to spring rains, and they should be plentiful for cooks who want to "put by" their own pickles.

The Texas Department of Agriculture home economist says that it is important to learn to distinguish between spoiled pickles, which should not be eaten, and those which are unattractive but still edible.

She points out that cooks should learn to check pickles (and other canned foods) for the following signs of spoilage: broken seal; seepage around a seal; mold in the contents or around the seal or on the underside of the lid; bubbles in the contents; spurting liquid as the jar is opened; mushy or slippery pickles; cloudy or yeasty liquid; and off-odor, disagreeable smell or musty smell.

Canned foods exhibiting any of the above signs should be destroyed so that neither people nor animals can eat them. The jars and closures should be washed in hot soapy water and then boiled for 15 minutes in clean water.

If jars have good seals and there are no signs of spoilage but the pickles are hollow, shriveled, dark, or bleached, they are still edible.

Hollow pickles can result if more than 24 hours elapsed between the time the cucumbers were pickled and the time they were pickled.

Cucumbers that developed imperfectly on the vine can also cause hollow pickles; these may be culled out when washing the cucumbers since they float in water.

Shriveled pickles may be caused by too-hard water, or by too fast cooking in a sugar-vinegar solution, or by putting cucumbers into a salt, vinegar or sugar solution that is too strong to be absorbed gradually.

Dark pickles are caused by iron in hard water or by loose ground spices.

Bleached-out pickles sometimes are caused by exposure to light during storage.

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NIGHT CLASSES	Hist. 113.2 Gov. 213.2 Eco. 213.1	6:45-10:15 6:45-10:15 6:45-10:15	History of United States to Reconstruction American National Government Principals of Economics (Macroeconomics)
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