

City Of Rising Star Receives 8% Increase In Sales Tax Allocations

AUSTIN--State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Thursday that city sales tax allocations for the first half of 1978 are running a healthy 17.5 percent ahead of last year.

Bullock announced that his office has sent checks totaling \$60.9 million to 900 Texas cities as their June share of the local option one percent tax.

The latest checks raise the cities' share to date this year to \$196.5 million, compared to \$167.2 million for the first half of last year. That's a 17.5 percent increase.

Of the state's larger cities, Houston continued to chalk up the biggest percentage increase in city sales tax collections.

The city received a check for \$12,356,904, bringing its total for the year to \$40.8 million, a 20 percent increase over the same period last year.

City sales tax allocations for the year are up 11 percent in Dallas, 15 percent in Fort Worth, 10 percent in San Antonio and 17 percent in Austin.

The tax is collected by local merchants along with the state sales tax and is rebated to the cities monthly by the Comptroller's Office.

Rising Star will receive an 8 percent increase over last year's net payment of 2,482.80 for the same period. The city will receive \$3,629.64 in sales tax allocations.

Scenes From The Recent Rising Star Home Ec Play School



Pictured from left to right are: Robin Wallace, Christopher De Long and Christy Hughes; along with workers Charlene Maynard and Dena Willett.



Play time was fun for Shawnda Mahan and Jomi Clark. Assisting with games were Pam Ratliff and Eva Alexander.

Zellers Meet For Family Reunion At Lake Brownwood

The Zellers brothers, sisters families and friends met for their annual reunion week-end of June 2, 3, and 4 at Kirkland Fishing Boat Docks, Lake Brownwood.

Those in attendance were Hershel Edna Zellers of Frisco; Robert H. Zellers of Jacksonville Beach, Florida; Leon, Peggy and Angela Zellers of McKinney; Rodney, Joannie, Donny and Jennice of Lewisville; Rex, Bertha and Kathy Dunlap of Brownwood; Dinky, Judy, Kerry and Chad Hill of Rising Star; Guy and Nita Zellers of Odessa; Joe Leonard of Odessa; Paul Leonard of El Paso; Skippy, Sherry, Michael and Julie Morgan of Odessa; Jimmy, Vicky and Cory Calloway of

Jal, New Mexico; Bobby and Evelyn Zellers of Big Springs; Tuffie, Billie and Fred Zellers of Odessa; Joe and Jo Ann Gray of Odessa; Susan Zellers Blount of Odessa; Mark Baker of Odessa; Linda and Brooka Bartley of Brownwood; Mae and Nonnie Leonard of Sipe Springs; Lana and Craig Arther of Eastland.

The group enjoyed watching slides made of previous reunions, also looking at snapshots, swimming, skiing, golfing, baseball, boating and the best of all--enjoying one another plus the good food.

The reunion in 1979 will be June 1, 2, and 3 at the same location.

EASTLAND COUNTY 4-H CLUB MEETS

The Eastland County 4-H Club Council met Friday morning, June 16 at 9:00 a.m. in the Reddy Room. Theresa Scott, Council Chairman, presided over the meeting. Lili McDonald conducted opening exercises. Theresa Scott of the Rising Star 4-H club told about the district retreat. A report about the district leadership lab was given by Tommy Donham of the Nimrod 4-H club. Sherry Kidd of the Eastland 4-H Club discussed activities at

round-up held at Texas A&M University. The council members elected the following slate of officers: Chairman, Sherry Kidd; Boys V.C., Neil Scott; Girl V.C., Terrye Jeffs; Secretary, Lili McDonald; Treasurer, Ruthie Hagood and Reporter, Brad Fortune. At the conclusion of the meeting the Eastland County 4-H Council decided to go to Crystals Pizza Cave in Abilene and then to a movie afterwards.



Waiting to go home were: Christy Hughes, Robin Wallace and Will Ezzell. Waiting with the children were Charlene Maynard and Home Ec Teacher, Mrs. Dorothy Diddle.



Included in this young group were: Aaron Don Long, Mackey Doug Elliott, Page Rankin and Ginger Burgess. Leaders were Jaylayne Bass, Cindy Elliott and Beth Wallace.

Madison's Hold Reunion

The annual Madison reunion was held June 3- 4 at the May Community Center. Mrs. D. L. Dean, president, was in charge of the two day reunion.

Mrs. Ruth Cagle was elected president for 1979. Those attending the reunion came from Fort Worth, Bryan, May, Rising Star, Odessa and Brownwood.

After a business meeting,

Glenn Family Reunion

The W. H. Glenn family had their reunion June 12 in the May Community Center with 81 present from Ft. Worth, Grapevine, Weatherford, Austin, Abilene, Houston, Big Spring, San Antonio, Amarilla, Levland, Keller and Brownwood.

The Glenn's have been having reunions for fifty

years. This is the first time they have had it May in several years. The reunion will be here next year. We enjoy visiting with everyone, we have a delicious lunch. In the afternoon we all enjoy singing the old songs of yesterday.

Our reunion will be here again next year the second Sunday in June.

Mrs. Diddle Presents Program To Senior Citizens

On June 13 Mrs. Diddle brought a program "Stitch N Sew". She taught us lots of easy and simple ways to make several useful articles. She also passed out some pamphlets on the use and care of our sewing machines. I am sorry the rain kept the attendance down to 14. We appreciated and enjoyed

you, Mrs. Diddle and are looking--forward to some classes under you later.

We thank La Juan Killion for the doubleknit scraps and Mrs. Waymon Ware for various donations of clothing, games, and artificial flowers. I am sure we can put them to a good use.

Club Reporter

Forty-Seven Family Members Attend Nunnally Reunion

The 29th annual Nunnally reunion met on Sunday, June 11, at the American Legion Hall in Rising Star with 47 family members registering. This meeting, the 29th since it was organized, was special because the president, John Nunnally, who has recently not been too well, was able to attend and had the most fun of any attending. John has been president since these meetings started.

Attending from Rising Star were: John and Pearl Nunnally, Mrs. Rose Roach, Mrs. Eitel Parker, Ray and Eleanor Nunnally, Duck and Ruby Bailey, Dean and Jeannine Bailey, Robert and Edra Butler, Lottie Mae Roach, Franklin, Sharolyn and Laura Cox.

Attending from Abilene

were: Alton and Jessie Nunnally, Bob, Joy, Lark and Tia Nunnally, Wanda Siekman and Mia Allen.

Attending from other places were: John and Nell Nunnally of Kilgore; C.C. and Florence Nunnally of O'Donnell; Ruby Ervin Pullig of Gorman; Willie Ervin Jackson of Gorman; Mart Agnew of Cisco; Geneva Wallace of Ranger; Jack and Ann Roach of Fort Worth; Dick, Brenda, Chad and Kevin Goldston of Sheffield; Don and Mary Nunnally and two children of Odessa; James and Nancy Roach of San Angelo; Mae Claire Crownover of Comanche.

Visitors were Virgil and Doris Young of Rising Star.

Reported by Secretary, Mae Claire Crownover

MRS. R.O. JACOBS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY



Mrs. R.O. Jacobs was honored Sunday, June 18, with a surprise birthday dinner at the home of her niece, Mrs. Jack Watkins, in Cross Plains. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lovie Burnet of McCamey; Mrs. Augusta Dupree of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Moore of Dallas; Mrs. Banna West of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Eli Jacobs of Rising Star; and Mr. and Mrs. James Willett of May.

Mrs. Jacobs recently returned to Rising Star to make her home again after living in Artesia, New Mexico for a number of years. She is the daughter of the late C.M. Coopers, prominent pioneer family. Her late husband, also a member of a prominent pioneer family, was for several years county commissioner for this area and was retired from the oil business.

Mrs. Jacobs is a member of the First Methodist Church and a charter member of the Saturday club.

Mrs. Diddle Named Leader

Mrs. Dorothy Diddle, Rising Star High School home economics teacher, has been selected by Dr. Joan Kelly of Texas Tech University, and Wilma P. Griffin, project director of the University of Texas department of home economics, to serve as a group leader for a workshop in this area.

The project is entitled "The Development and Pilot-Testing of a Model Creating Awareness of Sex Bias and Sex Stereotyping in Vocational Education." The project is a response to the Vocational Education Amendments of 1976 (Public Law 94- 482), which mandate the elimination of sexism in vocational education, especially in consumer and homemaking education.

The duties of Mrs. Diddle will be to attend training sessions in Austin on July 19- 21. This will enable the facilitator to conduct small group sessions and area inservice meetings during the 1978- 79 school year.

Two From May To Play All-Star Football

Brian Holmes and Robert Windham of state champion May will join 36 other athletes July 22 competing in the Texas Small School all-star football contest at Tarleton State University.

Holmes was an all-state back last year and rushed for 68 touchdowns and 3,928 yards in his career. He also accounted for 11 tackles a game. Windham was also named all-state, and averaged nine tackles and 11 assists.

The game is a part of the annual Texas Small School Coaches Association Clinic, which gets underway July 19 when about 100 coaches from throughout the state will register in TSU's Wisdom Gymnasium.

The clinic is being sponsored by the Stephenville Chamber of Commerce.

The players register July 16 and begin workouts the following day. Coaches, who were selected by the association, are Billy Massingill and Larry Pruitt of Jonesboro (East football); Ben Grill of Benjamin and Chet Forehand of Weinert (West football); Jackie Williams of Megargel (East basketball); and Troy Lemley of Hedley (West basketball).

The six-man football teams will have 19 players each on their rosters, while the basketball teams will suit up 12.

Activities are planned throughout the week and include golf, fishing and bowling tournaments, a picnic at the city park and a queen's contest. The week will be capped Saturday, July 22, with the all-star basketball game at 2 p.m. in Wisdom Gymnasium, followed at 8 by the football game at TSU's Memorial Stadium.

rian-Paula New, and sponsor Mrs. Diddle. They decided to have a meeting June 26 from 1:30-3:00 for planning the 4th of July float. All members including incoming freshmen, are asked to attend if interested in helping.

On June 27th from 10 a.m. to 12 and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. we will start work on the float.

On August 14th the officers are having a meeting to plan the swimming party. The swimming party is to be August 25th the day of registration. All FHA members, including incoming freshmen are invited. Details later.

Pam Ratliff
Paula New

FHA News

The FHA of Rising Star High School held a meeting on Monday, June 19th at 2:00. The officers present were Pres.-Konnie Harris, V. Pres.-Shelly Gray, 2nd V. Pres. Pam Ratliff, 5th V. Pres.-Carla Bowers. History

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Brag Corner

Tara--One year old
Parents: Wanda and Larry Barnett of Copperas Cove
Maternal grandparents: Benjamin and Berna Lee Chick of Rising Star

Paternal grandparents: Billie and R.L. Burnett of Cross Plains
Maternal great grandmother is Mrs. Rohus of Abilene.

Third Annual Rising Star Fourth Of July Celebration Planned

A day of "flags, fun and feasting" is planned for Tuesday, July 4, when citizens of Rising Star and surrounding a area gather for the annual July 4 picnic.

This celebration, which originated in 1976 as a Bicentennial event, was met with such approval and success that it has been continued for this third year.

Owen Aikin general chairman, has announced the committee for the planning of the event as follows; Frank Gray, food; Jimmy Rutherford, parade; R.D. Williams, entertainment Mrs. Ronnie Green, carnival; Mrs. Mike Donham, decorations Tommy Pernell, softball games; Travis Williams and Morris DeLong, physical arrangements; and Mrs. George Steel publicity.

The parade will form in front of the high school building and will begin at 10:30 a.m.

First, second, third and fourth, place prizes of \$50.00, \$25.00 and \$10.00 will be offered for the best float, and a \$5.00 prize will be given for the best decorated bicycle.

This is a new feature of the parade, and chairman Jimmy Rutherford urges all cyclist, young and old, to participate.

Mrs. Green, carnival chairman, states that a variety of games and booths are planned for this phase of the celebration. Trophies and ribbons will be given in the toss games, and there will be spirited competition in the three leg race, the egg race, the tobacco spitting contest and in many other activities.

Additional carnival attractions will be the booth, sponsored by the Rising Star Nursing Center; a county store, a fishing booth for children, a cake walk, a dunking board, just to name a few.

The barbecue lunch will be served beginning at 12:00 noon on the lawn of the Rising Star Clinic. Tickets for this event will be priced at \$3.00 each, with proceeds going to the local Chamber of Commerce.

Tickets are available at local businesses or may be purchased from any member of the Chamber of Commerce.

Reception Friday To Honor Girl From Puerto Rico

A reception will be held Friday afternoon, June 23rd for Rosita Sepulvida of Puerto Rico. Rosita is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reed, who live east of Rising Star.

The reception will be held in the Community Room of the

First State Bank. Let's give her a big welcome to Texas. Be sure to stop by between the hours of 3 and 6 p.m. to meet her and learn a little bit about her island.

Puerto Rican punch and cookies will be served. Come by and meet Rosita.

Smith--Alford To Hold Reunion

The annual Smith-Alford family reunion will be held Sunday, July 2, 1978 at the American Legion Hall in Rising Star.

A noon lunch will be served.

Will the person who borrowed two card tables and matching chairs from Lakewood please return them. The Ladies Auxiliary passed a rule that no one at any time will be allowed to take any furniture from the club house.

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MAY NEWS

By Entha Campbell

Dear Sis:

Marie brought me home after my 5 days in the hospital in San Antonio and then 5 days of outpatient therapy there. I certainly did enjoy my visit with her. Marie said tell you that you missed a very wonderful time by not attending the reunion. Everyone said tell you both hello that they missed you. Eighty four were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Windle Glenn visited friends in Lake Jackson last week. They also visited Mrs. Glenn's sisters

families in Dayton Texas. Mrs. Carroll French, Todd and Karla of Levelland; Mrs. Debra Wagner and Genefer of Spring Dale, Arkansas are visiting their grandmother Mrs. Grace Glenn. Miss Marie Wills of San Antonio spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell, and they attended the Steel family reunion at Kirklands cabin on Lake Brownwood. Mrs. Vivian Loper visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Verdell Haney last week; also Mrs. Ann Sparks of Alice.

Brandin' In Aggieland



BRANDIN' IN AGGIELAND - - John, left, and Jim Dudley of Comanche burn their Backward D and B cattle brand in the monumental stairway of the new \$9.5 million Robert Justus Kleberg, Jr., Animal and Food Sciences Center at Texas A&M University during the summer board meeting of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. The panel-lined "branded stairway," representing the state's 254 counties and which will recognize hundreds of historic ranches was dedicated to Dr. O. D. Butler, head of A&M's Animal Science Department for 22 years before his recent promotion to associate vice president for agriculture and renewable resources at the university.

Scripture Thought
OF THE WEEK

As in all the churches of the saints, let the women keep silence in the churches: for it is not permitted unto them to speak; but let them be in subjection, as also saith the law. And if they would learn anything, let them ask their own husband at home: for it is shameful for a woman to speak in the church. (1 Corinthians 14:34,35)

CJC To Offer Four Community Service Courses

Cisco Junior College's four **SUMMER COMMUNITY SERVICE COURSES** will get under way this week. Registrar Olin Odom, has reminded interested persons.

Beginning Monday June 19, Art for children will be taught from 4-5:30 p.m. for six weeks. It will be held in the Fine Arts Bldg. Room 109 and will be for ages 5-14. The cost is \$8, and instructor is Vallie Parker. Macrame will be taught by Joan Walker in the Administration Bldg. and will be held from 7-9 p.m. for five weeks on Tuesday nights. It will begin Tuesday, June 20, and cost of the course is \$8 plus supplies. A bowling class will be held in the Student Union

Bldg. from 7-9 p.m., for nine weeks, beginning Tuesday June 20. Cost of the course is \$15, and will be taught by "Ace" Prescott.

A course in Cake Decorating will be taught by Jerry Stephenson at the Science Hall Building, Room 19. It will begin Tuesday, June 20, and will run for six weeks, from 7-9 p.m. Cost of the course is \$10 and some supplies must be furnished by the student.

To register in advance, interested persons may call the Registrar's Office at Cisco Junior College, or may register at the first class meeting.

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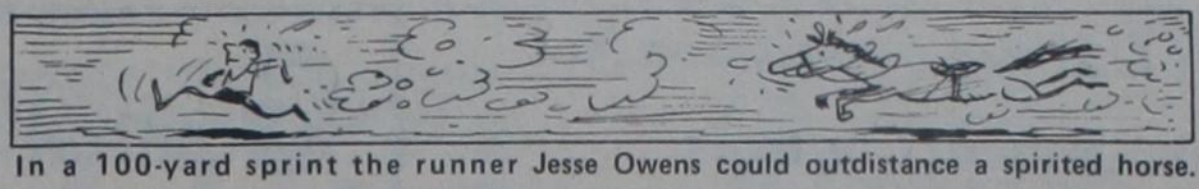
Mrs. Diddle, Homemaking Teacher wishes to take this opportunity to thank Sue Watson for giving her time to present a new informative program on cake decorating. She made everything seem so simple and easy to do that she is an inspiration to encourage one to try to reproduce her creations or make ones own. Also grateful, heartfelt thanks go to Brother Williams for giving his valuable time for four afternoons to "instinct a small group in gaining new insights into the art of "Parentry". The basic concepts explored are also of value in just plain everyday living of dealing with people and understanding oneself.

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WTU Urges Public Utility Commission Not To Adopt Management Controls

West Texas Utilities Co. has urged the Public Utility Commission of Texas not to adopt innovative utility rate structures or new electric use management controls until it is proven conclusively that benefits outweigh costs and that the customer will readily accept the changes.

In a statement prepared for hearings which began Monday in Austin, G. Holman King, a WTU vice President, advised against rate concepts "which might be politically attractive in the short run but which would have disastrous effects on the public in the long run."

Specifically, King said WTU opposes widespread application of time-of-day pricing, mechanical load management techniques, and lifeline rates.

Time-of-day pricing would charge more for electricity consumed during the hours when demands on an electric system's generating capacity is at its peak. By trimming the peak, a utility company could delay capital outlays for new power plants and benefit all customers.

Load management deals with non-pricing methods for changing the level or pattern of demand for electricity. It could involve devices which curtail operation of appliances such as water heaters and air-conditioners at certain times.

The so-called lifeline rates are designed theoretically to help the poor by providing at low cost the minimum amount of electricity necessary to maintain a modest quality of life.

King said WTU's position is that electric rates should be based on the cost of service to all customers, but that it should be recognized that costs of providing electricity vary widely among different classes of customers.

"There seems to be a basic misconception," King said, "that because residential customers on the average pay more per kilowatt hour than industrial customers, the large industries are being subsidized by the smaller users."

"This viewpoint is of course, completely erroneous and reflects a basic mis-

understanding of electric utility economics," he said.

Time-of-day pricing has been found practical for some of WTU's large electric customers which have flexibility to change their time of use, King said, but is not considered feasible for most residential and commercial customers.

A major objection, he noted, would be the initial cost of special time-of-day meters. Cost of installation throughout WTU's large, sparsely populated territory would be almost \$25 million, which is equal to the cost of the company's newest power generating plant.

Another obstacle would be customer resistance. Shifting a desired amount of electric load away from the peak demand period would require customers to turn off their air-conditioners during the hottest hours of the summer. Load curves of WTU's 1977 system peak demand show that to accomplish a significant reduction of electric usage, the period defined as "on peak" and subject to higher rates would have to be extended from early afternoon to almost midnight.

"This would defeat the purpose of air-conditioning and be completely unacceptable to our customers," King said. He added that WTU's experience with time-controlled water heaters indicates that customers will not accept time clocks for other devices which drastically interfere with their living patterns.

Concerning lifeline rates, the WTU statement recognizes "the severe economic squeeze being felt by the poor and by those on fixed incomes," but rejects lifeline rates as a method of relieving these problems.

"Our study in the City of Abilene in 1976, using U.S. Census Bureau data, block canvassing, real estate evaluation, and other information showed no consistent correlations between financial income and kilowatt hour usage."

King said the Crisis Intervention Program administered by the Texas Dept. of Community Affairs

worked reasonably well this past winter in identifying and assisting those with real needs.

"We believe this approach to be far more cost effective and efficient than lifeline or other socially oriented utility rate forms. WTU endorses the idea that the poor need relief from rising utility bills, as well as other inflated living costs, but believes the better solution lies in the use of social agencies qualified to determine an individual's need to act accordingly."

The hearings have been scheduled for nine days, and were requested by the Texas Legislature. A commission spokesman said the purpose is to "find rate structures which meet present-day conditions."

After considering the findings, the Commission will issue recommendations to the Legislature late this year.

King said WTU sees the main issue of the hearing as an effort to "determine how the rising cost of electric service will be assigned to each of the customer classes being served by each utility."

The primary question to be answered, he said, is "Will it be public policy in Texas to allocate the cost burden as equitably as possible among our customers or will one class be given preferential treatment over the others?"



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GORDON SPOT

by DeMarquis Gordon

Peanut planting is progressing well with the good moisture conditions for planting in Eastland County. Some small areas had as much as 3 inches of rain last week, but most received only about 1/2 inch, while some areas around Ranger did not get any rain. Stockmen are still needing running water to fill ponds

and lakes. We've had about 7 inches of rain in 1978 which is much below normal.

Flowering onions are worse than ever this year and anyone growing onions knows that the seedstem reduces the size of the bulbs. But, why are there more seedstems this year?

Normally, a biennial crop, onions sometimes form seedstems the first year rather than continuing to grow leaves in the spring and form bulbs. Onions that have 5 to 6 leaves and are exposed to 3 or 4 weeks of temperatures of 45 degrees F or lower go through a physiological change. The cold weather converts the onion plant from the vegetative stage and...Zoom!...up comes the seedstem.

The bulbs of onions with seedstems are edible but will not grow large and will not store. Homeowners can harvest the seedstem onions early and eat them fresh, leaving those without seedstems to continue to grow until leaves fall over at maturity. Commercial growers in South Texas have lost over 50 percent of the March and April harvest because of seedstems caused by the colder than normal spring.

Fresh potatoes can be harvested any time for

immediate consumption once the tubers are of sufficient size. However, yield is reduced and storage quality is lowered by harvesting potatoes before tops begin to dry down. Potatoes harvested early (immature tubers) have thin skins which allow fairly rapid water loss, causing them to shrivel and become soft shortly after storage.

Once harvested, proper storage is important to maintain the quality of the fresh potatoes. Store potatoes in complete darkness in moist air at about 60 degrees F. for several weeks if possible. Lower temperatures to 38-40 degrees F. for long-term storage. Colder temperatures prevent sprouting while warmer temperatures encourage it. Whatever the storage temperature, keep potatoes in complete darkness. Exposure to light causes freshly dug potatoes to turn green and to develop an undesirable bitter flavor.

Digging potatoes at the right time and storing them properly can mean a supply of top quality potatoes for some time.

What causes tomato leaves to curl? Leaf curl or distorted leaf shape quite often may be related to virus infection or sometimes chemical spray injury. However, in most cases this is not the case. The exact cause of this "tomato leaf roll" is not fully known. Tomato leaf roll generally starts to show up about the time of tomato fruit setting. The tomato plants begin to show an upward rolling of the leaflets to the older leaves on the lower half of the plant. This gives the leaflets a cupped appearance with sometimes even the

margins touching or overlapping. The overall growth of the plant does not seem to be greatly effected and, in general, yields are about normal. This condition appears to be more common on staked and pruned plants than on those that are not. Also, it seems to be common when excessive rainfall or overwatering keeps the soil too wet for too long a period. It also seems to be related to intensive sunlight which

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SHADY LANE—Vegetation is heavy in the Sabano area of Eastland County. This shaded lane leads to a more modern house down toward its end. Meantime, a relic that once housed a farm family sulks just off the paved road and not far from the cemetery.



PIONEERING FAMILY—The Erwins were among the first to settle in the good farming community of Tin Can. [Sabano] We are not certain whether the one remaining Erwin, Sam, who lives half a mile west of the cemetery is a son, or grandson of this William A. Erwin who died in 1916.

Sabanna Once Named For Pile Of Tin Cans

Eastland County holds many interesting spots, most of which are within easy driving distance of Breckenridge. Not the least interesting of these is the community of Sabano, once known as "Tin Can", about 22 miles south of Cisco.

To reach this land of post oak, sand, grass burrs, neat farms and fat dairy cows, turn south from Cisco on U.S. 183 as if going to Rising Star and Brownwood and then turn west at the sign that reads Nimrod. Thence south on the road leading to Cross Plains. You will come to a sign that reads Sabanna. It is only a community now and is a mile or so west of the Cross Plains road.

Its name is a derivative of the word Sabanna, in this case, the name of a creek that runs through the community. Originally the place was called Tin Can because of a small mountain of empty tins piled up a few yards from the general store that once was a must for travelers.

The school house is no longer there. The Community House is a building that once housed a retail store, but not the original grocery place. That was back toward the creek crossing.

In the early 1900s, Sabanna was home to some interesting people. The Erwins, for example. And Sam still lives there one-half mile west of the cemetery. Believe he is a third generation Erwin. His younger brother lives in Sundown,

Texas. Name of Everett and called Ike, he is retired from a long and good career with the Texas Company.

One Erwin was named Horace. He was a gospel singer of big league caliber and was on the sawdust circuit with Billy Sunday for a time. (In case you don't know who Billy Sunday was, here goes: He was the Billy Graham of his day and left a great career as a big league ball player to take up the cause of that man who died on a cross.)

Horace's sister Laura, married Eddie McKoy, himself a capable singer and brother-in-law of the late Boyd McKoy of Breckenridge. Together with the late Bob Presley, they made a great singing group. Homer Roadaheaver, an

instrumental musician for the same Billy Sunday, was a close friend to Horace Erwin and the others mentioned. I am not sure whether he was from Sabanna or not.

Then there was the Bell family. Those people had teams and hauled freight to Sabanna from Cisco a couple of times per month. Also, they had hounds. Full packs of Walker hounds. And in the days before sheep and goat fence, poison baits and steel traps, those dogs ran just about every time there was a good rain and the trailing conditions were right.

The papa of the Bell tribe was a man named Cody Bell. And to small boys of the day and time, Mister Cody Bell was somewhat like Councilor Doone in the story of Lorna Doone. The Sabanna cemetery now holds most of the old names.

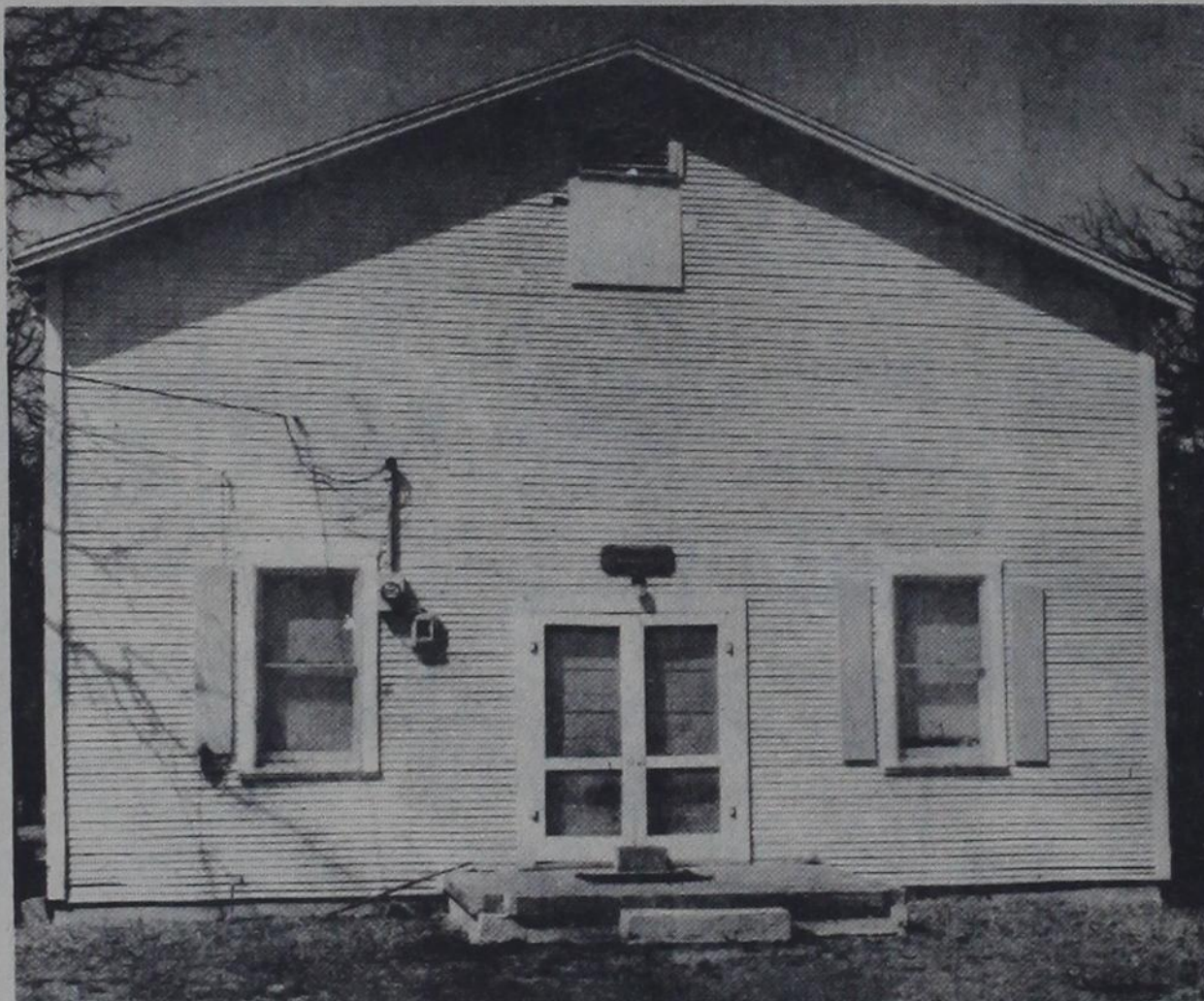
A new marker there of late, marks the resting place of one of the last of the Bells. That same location holds more Erwins than yet live in the community.

The sandy land is great for farming. The "Doc" Green place is just across the road north of the burial ground. It is a farm which was producing great crops at the turn of the century and, as this writer was there in early April, same was under a heavy plowing program.

To visit the Sabanna area in Eastland county is like going back in time. The trees and other vegetation have gone back to the primitive stage. No more does one see goats keeping the trees trimmed to park-like appearances, no more can one see for some years under the foliage of the trees and no longer is there an illicit whiskey still to every ten acres of shinnery. And no more does a stout team of mules or horses have to lean toward each other and grunt as they tow a light farm wagon along deep sandy ruts. Modern roads and changing times have wrought changes in this land of fat cows, grass burrs and bermuda grass.

Gone is the mountain of tin cans. No more do teamsters camp along the Sabanna creek. Nor do hounds course the wily fox and the needle-nosed coyote. Just powered tractors with gang plows and youngsters in jeans, chousing along paved roads in neat pickups.

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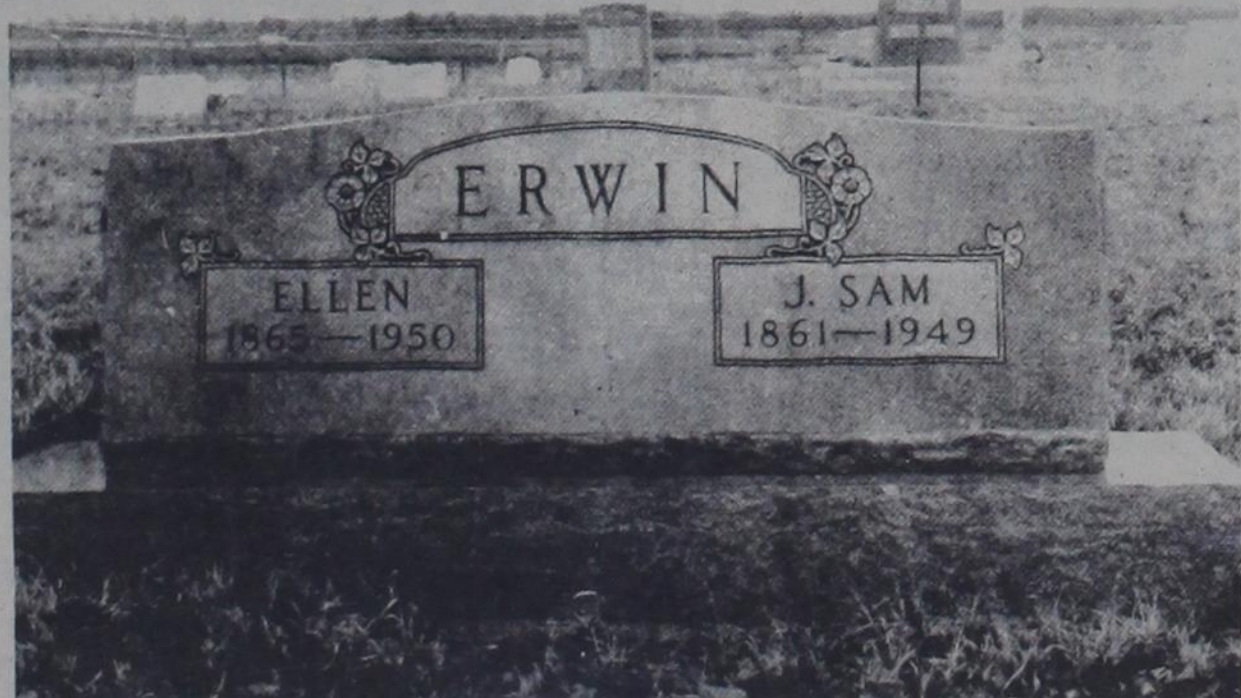


COMMUNITY HOUSE—This stout building, once a retail store, is now the meeting place for a handful of area citizens who take pride in their surroundings. It is in close range of the Sabanna cemetery.

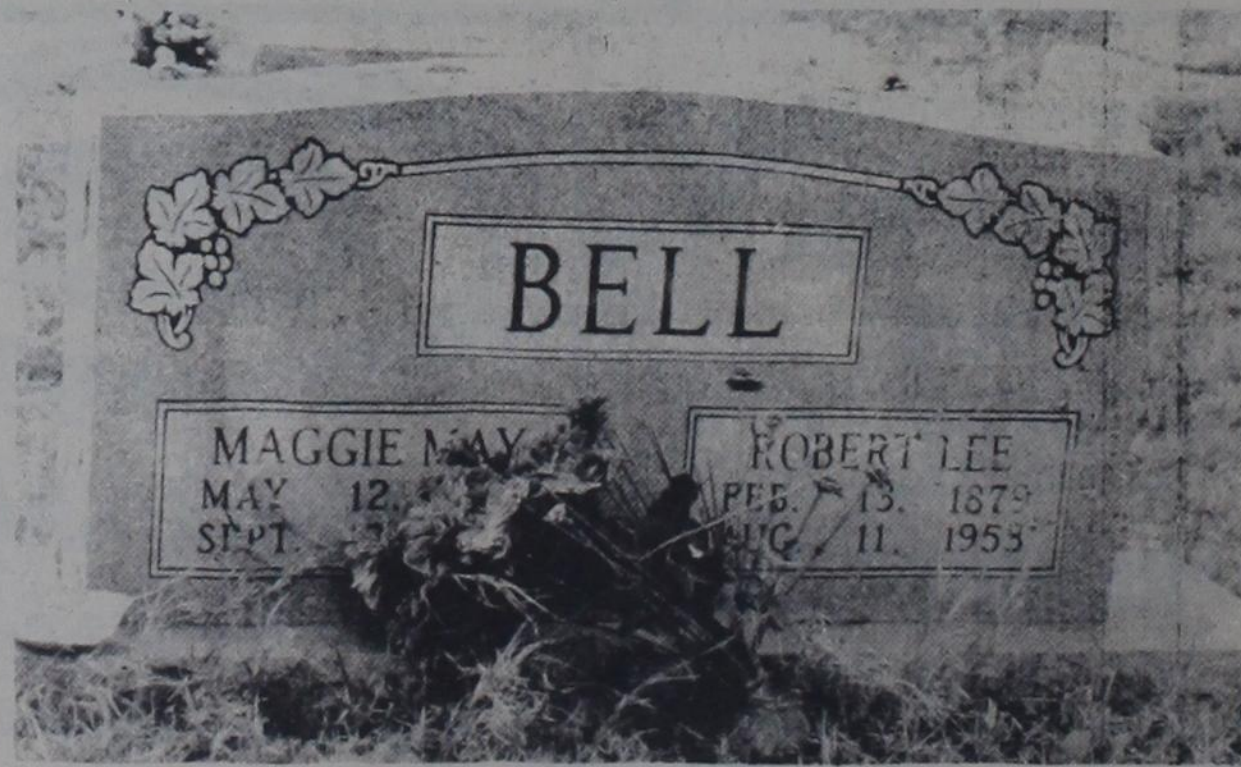
Story and Photos

by

John Vail



LONGEVITY—These two Erwins seem to bear out a claim that people within a fifty-mile radius of Cisco outlive the average life-span. Hard work and temperance in all things were trademarks of the Erwin clan. Maybe that had something to do with their longevity.



TWO OF THE BELLS—Cody Bell's progeny is dwindling. In fact there was a new Bell grave closed the day before this picture was taken. Many will remember the Bell clan as freighters and hound dog men. Also, they were good farmers. The family was a pioneer group of Tin Can, later named Sabanna.

Church News

Methodist Church

God Lives! He is the living God. This means much more than God is. We Christians affirm that the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ (that is, the God of history and the Incarnation) is a living God, effective, purposive, willing, and achieving. The scene of his mighty acts are this little world (and what other worlds besides?) He is just as active in our age as in ages past. History is God's story whether ancient or modern. In our time what is God proposing? What is God achieving? Be still and know that God Lives! Jesus Christ lives! We cannot explain Him; we can only appraise Him. "No man hath seen God at any time; the only begotten Son, which is in the bosom of the Father, he hath declared him." This affirms that Jesus Christ was God in person on this life's stage. This same Jesus walks beside us in the dust of the often weary road we must take, and he is our joyous friend of our sunny days. What about your life in this ever involved and perplexing world with wars and rumors of wars and soul mangling machines? John the Revelator beheld in heaven a throne, and saw upon it One in whose hand was the Book of the Ages, and there was none worthy to open it. But he who had redeemed men by his blood out of every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation, "came

and took the book." "I am he that liveth, and was dead; and behold, I am alive and evermore." Jesus Christ is he, "which was, and which is to come." "The kingdoms of this world shall be the kingdoms of our Lord." God has willed it. So be it! The Holy Spirit lives! This we know! We know through our conscience, both by his commendations and by his condemnations. His guidance is real. His comfort makes us strong. He takes the things of Christ and gives them to our minds, applies them to our hearts, and by them empowers to do by ourselves. God lives! God the Father, still creates and still provides. God the Son, still redeems and forgives. God the Holy Spirit, still comforts and empowers and seeks to make us Christlike. What is written by your name in the Book of Ages? You are invited to hear the morning sermon. "Getting the most out of your vacation." You are invited to hear the evening sermon at 6:30 p.m. "Little Things do make a Big Difference." Our evening service will be in the basement of the Church. We will share our sandwiches together after our worship service. The Church will furnish ice tea. We will be looking forward to sharing with you in good hymn singing, worship and good Christian fellowship. If you need a ride to the Church please call 643-3791.

Church of Christ

What is baptism? To many,

the word describes a ritualistic ceremony with its roots deeply embedded in ancient Judaism. Under the Law, given by God to Israel through Moses and from Sinai, there were such washings (Exodus 30:17-21; Leviticus 11:24ff; Hebrews 9:11-where the word 'baptism' is used in the original). To a great number of others, baptism is simply an anachronism-an outdated holdover from the Middle Ages, when symbolism meant so much. But perhaps the most widely held view of baptism is that it is merely a means of signifying attachment to a particular religious organization: a membership ritual.

The word itself is not really an English word. It is Greek, with the letters simply transposed into the Latin characters, as are many of our words: Philadelphia, hydrophobia, charismatic, etc. It occurs in the New Testament well over one hundred times. Any Greek, or Greek scholar, will tell you that always means: immersion, plunging, submersion, dipping.

But, it baptist is viewed in any of the above manners: merely as a ritual: out of date and unnecessary, the whole richness of its character, as set forth in the New Testament, is lost. There, baptism (or immersion in water) is consistently portrayed as a "burial with Christ", preceded by a "dying with Christ" followed by and a "resurrection with Christ" (Romans 6:3-11; Colossians 2:12-13). The action is symbolic, but it is very meaningful and thus essential. Through faith, based upon the testimony of the Gospel, the individual dies to the loyalty to sin; through repentance, based upon the definitions and demands of that Gospel, one dies to the love and practice of sin, and through immersion in water, the sinner dies to the state of condemnation. He arises to "walk in newness of life" (Romans 6:4). The entire figure is a unit and one element can not be omitted without destroying the image. This is consistently borne out by the accounts of the conversion process, as given in the New Testament (Mark 16:15-16; Matthew 28:19; Acts 2:36-38; etc.). It is a beautiful, powerful and indispensable part of the Gospel message and practice.

We invite you to attend our Bible classes: on Sunday at 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m., and the Assemblies on Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. J.W. Lee remains in very serious condition. Snova Walker is now at the Rising Star Nursing Center for a while. It was good to have Kate Cooper with us Sunday, along with Effie Williams and Alton Claborn.

For those of you who get the paper on Wednesday, one more service remains in our special series: tonight (Wednesday) at 7:30, you are

invited to hear Arthur Latson, of Itasca, Texas. He has been with us throughout the week.

God bless you. Call us if we can serve you in any way. Owen Aikin

Commentary

by Myrtle Owen

The principles of Spiritual Law, if any man among you seem to be religious, and brideth not his tongue, but deceiveth his own heart, this man's religion is vain, (James 1:26). God's Word that is conceived in your heart, then formed by the tongue, and spoken out of your own mouth, becomes a spiritual force releasing the ability of God within you. That's why Paul said, I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me, (Philippians 4:13). His heart (spirit) had received God's word. It was not Paul's ability that made him say that, but the ability of God formed in him by the word, and out of the abundance of his heart his mouth spoke. Those that say they can and those that say they can't are both right. Words are the most powerful thing in the universe. We read in John 1:1, In the beginning was the word, and the word was with God, and the word was God. We must learn to use our words more effectively. The words you speak will either put you over, or hold you in bondage. If you control those words, and bring them into obedience to spiritual law, which is the WORD OF GOD. Words governed by spiritual law become spiritual forces working for you. THE SPIRIT WORLD IS CONTROLLED BY THE WORD OF GOD. THE NATURAL WORLD IS TO BE CONTROLLED BY MAN SPEAKING GOD'S WORDS. THE SPOKEN WORD OF GOD IS CREATIVE POWER. If we pray contrary to the word of God, we have prayed in defeat, Even prayer produces after its kind. In Mark 11:24 the word says, What things soever ye DESIRE, when ye pray, BELIEVE that ye receive them, and ye shall have them. Jesus has set forth a great truth about spiritual law. GOD'S WORD is spiritual law. It functions just as sure as any natural law. We have learned how to work with natural law. The natural law that governs electricity, we have learned that if we work with that law by obeying and enforcing it, that electrical force will work for us. But if we violate that law that governs or controls electricity, we could get into a lot of trouble. If we will enforce the law that controls electrical forces, it will produce energy to give us light, heat our homes, cook our meals, wash our clothes, and it will do us no harm, if we apply the law by which it is controlled. But this same

energy will, kill, burn, and destroy, if the law is not enforced. So are the words that come out of your mouth. They will work for you to put you in tune with God. We have prayed to Jesus, but Jesus said, And in that day ye shall ask ME nothing. Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whatsoever ye shall ask the FATHER in my name, He will give it to you. Hitherto have ye asked nothing in my name: ASK, and ye shall receive, that your joy may be full, (John 16:23-24). It is the word abiding in you that causes faith to be present in your words. PRAYER IS YOUR LEGAL RIGHT TO USE FAITH FILLED WORDS TO BRING GOD ON THE SCENE IN YOUR BEHALF, or for another, that your JOY MAY BE FULL.

Myrtle Owen

NEWS FLASHES

Rains over much of the country have taken some of the sting out of the word "drought"--and there's a new source of assistance for those who took last year's dryness particularly hard.

The federal government's Small Business Administration is offering low interest drought disaster loans for many Texas ranchers and farmers. Long available for the hard-pressed town merchant, the SBA came to sudden realization last year that most ranching and farming operations qualify as small businesses, too. Consequently, loans will henceforth be available to agricultural producers in declared--more than 100 counties have been officially recognized as drought (or in some cases, hail) disaster areas, and another 88 counties automatically qualify because they adjoin the others. Producers in these counties may apply for disaster loans if they can show losses attributable to the given disaster.

It's not as complicated as it may sound, but then, judging from the application documents, it's no breeze, either. Most of the loss verification is being handled through local ASCS offices, many of which also have the application forms--all eight forms, to be more precise.

The program in Texas is limited to drought losses during the 1977 calendar year, and applications for loans will be accepted until October 11. The loans earn the government three percent interest up to \$250,000 and six and five eighths percent above that. Collateral terms, say both SBA and ASCS representatives, are very liberal; no security at all is required on loans under \$5,000.

Up to half the loan amount may be used to pay existing debts and "reasonable living expenses". The remainder must go into either the next year's crop or, say the reps, legitimate operating expenses.

The program was designed with farmers in mind and, consequently, has been a little difficult to adapt to the often totally different needs of stockmen. Much of the wording, in fact, is so specifically farm and crop-oriented that very broad interpretations are needed to apply it to the most basic needs and problems of ranchers.

A good example is the fact that sheep producers, whose lamb crops were generally dismal this year, reportedly cannot obtain the loans to cover the shortfall, even though drought-induced poor nutrition at breeding time has been blamed for much of the problem. There is confusion on this issue, however; one district SBA spokesman says poor lamb crops quality, another sitting at the next desk in the same office says no.

This particular issue is being taken up with the powers that be, and other complexities in relating the program to ranching are said to be near solutions.

One important difference between this program and a very similar one administered by the Farmers Home Administration is that the SBA loans, in a slightly different form, are also available to related agribusiness concerns. This would include such operations as seed and fertilizer dealers, wool warehouses and implement dealers, all of whom suffer right alongside their producer clients in times of disaster.

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3 bedroom, 1 1/4 baths with small glassed-in area ideal for office or plant room. Paneled and carpet. Total electric central, heat and air. Kitchen has built-ins. City and lake water, nice shade trees, some small fruit trees. Double garage. \$40,000.00.

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wonderful volunteers working in our behalf all over the District," said Stenholm. Campaign Manger Longley knows of over 250 active workers throughout the District, "but there is no telling how many there are that I don't even know about," he said.

Both Lora and Fern are proud to boast about their children and grandchildren. And both still find time to spend on their hobbies. Fern enjoys bridge and plants, and Lora enjoys needlepoint and sewing.

Fern Hansen and Lora Oman are definite assets to the Stenholm for Congress Campaign. But the look upon their jobs as "a step in the goal of sending Charlie to Washington. That's what we're all working together for. We are a team working for a common goal," both ladies agree.

Stenholm led the May 6 primary with the highest number of votes in the District. He will face his opponent in the June 3 runoff in this quest for the post being vacated by retiring Cong. Omar Burleson.

Both Stenholm office workers are quick to agree that "Charlie has already proven his leadership abilities in local, state and national activities. There is no doubt in our minds that he will demonstrate the same leadership abilities as he represents us as our Congressman in Washington," they concluded.

Any of the campaign workers at the Stamford headquarters are quick to praise Fern and Lora. "They are supposed to have weekends off, but they are always coming in when we need them," noted Brent Bolding, Stenholm's youth coordinator.

Lora, the office manager and bookkeeper; and Fern, the office secretary, are both from Avoca. They drive the 12 miles each day to the Stenholm headquarters where they perform their own duties in addition to coordinating all volunteer office help.

Originally from Anson, Lora has known Stenholm for 37 years (all but two years of his life.) "I have known Charlie since I married and moved with my husband, the late Johnny V. Oman, to Ericksdahl to a farm owned by Charlie's mother and father. Charlie was only a baby. Then our son, John Bill, was born, and he and Charlie went to school in Stamford at the same time. Charlie was John Bill's 'idol,' and both were very active in FFA," related Lora.

Speaking of Stenholm, she said, "Charlie has always been a friendly, hard working, conscientious young

man. Above all, he is a fine christian gentleman."

Lora taught Stenholm in her first Sunday School class at Bethel Lutheran Church where both are still active members. "He was a thoughtful and studious child at 10 years old," she remembers.

During Lora's first term on Bethel Lutheran's Church Council, "Charlie was board chairman, and it was wonderful to serve with him."

"He is one of the finest persons I have ever known, and it has been a joy and privilege to work with him and his wonderful family in every way for Congressman," said Lora.

Fern has known Stenholm 35 years. She is a Stamford-Avoca native and the wife of the late Johnny Hansen.

"Charlie is a kind, considerate man. He and Cindy (Stenholm's wife) are good friends. I'm working for Charlie because I believe in him. He is honest and well qualified for the job (of Congressman)," Fern said.

She tells of Stenholm asking her to attend a precinct meeting two years ago. She not only attended that meeting, but went on to the county and state meetings.

"I'm convinced everyone needs to get involved," stated Fern. "I'm grateful for the opportunity to work in this campaign for Charlie."

Stenholm is quick to praise the two volunteers on his staff. "They have known me most of my life. I guess they know just about as much about me as anybody around here does," he said. "I am extremely grateful for their time, hard work and dedication. It's people like Fern and Lora that make everything come into focus, make you know that everything you are doing is worth an extra mile. I can come into the campaign headquarters literally exhausted after a long day of campaigning. I know they are just as exhausted, but they have a big smile and friendly hello and want to know 'how it went.'"

"I guess campaigning would really be rough if it weren't for people like Lora and Fern and all the other

Deaths & Funerals

Mrs. Montgomery

Mrs. S.O. (Elvis V.) Montgomery, 78, of Cross Plains died at 9 p.m. Monday at a Rising Star nursing home after a lengthy illness. Services were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Higginbotham Funeral Chapel.

Audie Moore, minister of North Main Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born May 25, 1900, in Cross Plains, she lived here all her life. She was a member of the North Main Church of Christ. Survivors include a son, John D. of Cross Plains; two daughters, Mrs. O.B. Fortune of Cross Plains and Mrs. Paul McCowen of Abilene; a sister, Mrs. Russell Dennis of Oklahoma City, Okla.; nine grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Jewel Stroud

Jewel Cearley Stroud, 80, of Cross Plains died at 5 a.m. Tuesday in a Rising Star nursing home after a lengthy illness. Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Knox Waggoner, pastor of Cottonwood Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born June 25, 1897, in Bridgeport, she lived here nine years, moving from Cottonwood. She was a Baptist. She married J.H. Stroud August 1911 in Bridgeport.

Mr. Stroud and a son preceded her in death. Survivors include two sons, Guy of Cross Plains and X.L. of Cottonwood; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

HATTIE MAE COTTON

Hattie Mae Cotton, 76, of San Angelo died at 4:55 p.m. Thursday at St. John's Hospital.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Earl Dunn, pastor of the Harris Avenue Baptist Church, and the Rev. Bill Huth, pastor of the Sierra Visala United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens.

She was born April 4, 1902 in Goldthwaite. She had been a San Angelo resident since 1921 and worked many years as housekeeper at Shannon Hospital. She was a member of the Harris Avenue Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Velma Reed, of San Angelo; two sons, S.C. Cotton and Wayne Cotton, both of San Angelo; a sister, Lee Hibbs of San Angelo; 11 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

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Good Farm Records Can Increase Profit Potential

COLLEGE STATION-- Farmers and ranchers cannot survive today's high level of agricultural production without good records. They need a financial management plan. Such a plan can also increase their profit-making potential, believes an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Management of capital is vital to production efficiency and maximum profits," says Cecil Parker. Included in this management of finances are three key items--the financial statement, profit-loss statement and cash flow summaries.

The financial statement shows the farm's financial picture at a given time. This includes the present solvency of the operation and also a projection of future solvency. List all assets and liabilities. Use current, intermediate, and fixed or long-term groupings in defining assets and providing a realistic look at repayment requirements.

The profit-loss statement sums up income and expenses and the resulting net profit or loss during a given period, such as a crop year, points out Parker. Handle non-farming items separately. To obtain the operation's gain or loss, subtract net cash expenses from net cash income and adjust for changes in inventory and capital items. Comparing profit-loss statements for a period of years will show any progress or decline of the farming or ranching operation.

Cash flow summaries list all cash income and expenses. They include family living expenses, money borrowed and debts paid. A monthly summary of these figures determines the flow of cash during the planning period. Cash flow summaries can help determine the time and amounts for credit needs and availability of repayment funds.

"Although some time is required to develop a sound financial management plan,

the end result can be increased returns on capital," contends the economist.

"Agriculture 1978-style requires forward planning, keeping a close check on operations, and making adjustments as new situations and conditions arise. Increasing competition makes it more important than ever to produce on an efficient basis.

"Anyone in the farming and ranching business has got to have good records and accounts to make sound management decisions," emphasizes Parker. "Complete and accurate accounting of income and expenses can mean dollar savings in income tax management, business management and social security benefits."

The economist identifies several proper accounting procedures:

1. Record cash received from all sources related to farming or ranching. By proper identification, some of these receipts may be excluded from taxable income.
2. Record all annual operating expenses. A poor operating expense record may result in increase tax liability.
3. Record capital expenditures. Many of these assets may be subject to depreciation. This will also serve as a record of cost at time of sale.

"Not only do records and accounts increase management efficiency but they provide the only basis for making a cost analysis of the business and may be used to determine credit needs. Future business adjustments should be made only after carefully analyzing the financial and physical data from your records and accounts," contends Parker.

Farmers and ranchers can obtain more information on adequate farm and ranch records and accounts from any county Extension office.

People in the News

Debra Duensing of Peterson Air Force Base, Colorado Springs, Colorado, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Duensing. She will return home thursday.

Bill Harris and daughter, Tracy, of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Petzell attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Les Prickett of Cisco, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack White, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. James Rutherford have all returned from a short stay in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Boyett and family were weekend visitors Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boyett.

Kenneth and Janice Carter of Kansas City, Missouri are visiting with the Erwin Hull's.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Geyer, Debbie and Mrs. Helen Donham have all returned from England where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Donham and Benjamin. While there they also went on various tours throughout the countryside.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Merritt have recently returned from a vacation in the east section of Texas. They reported a very enjoyable trip.



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First Natl. Bank, Cisco To Tri-Mark Dev. Co. Rel. Deed of trust
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Helen Marie Flora To Frankie Lea Bradford & husband Quit Claim Deed
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1st St Bk, Ranger To The Public C-C Amend.
Tri-Mark Dev. Inc. To 1st Natl. Bk, Cisco Deed of trust
Tri-Mark Dev. Inc. To Robert Don McCrary Warranty Deed

Thursday, June 22, 1978

Estate of John J. Toombs, dec'd To Raymond F. Smith & wife Quit Claim Deed
Tex. Water Commission To D.A. Keener Permit to approp. St. Water
Betty Tucker To J. Paul Goldsmith OGL
Richard Tucker & wife To J. Paul Goldsmith OGL
Dorcas Tayloe, Indv. & others To James E. Russell Pet. Inc. OGLM
Veteran's Land Board To Doyle E. Squires Deed
Veteran's Land Board To Fred J. Perkins Deed
Veteran's Land Board To James E. Farmer Deed
Gaylond B. Wilcoxon & others To Benny Skinner To Olney Sav. Assn MML asgn
Raymond Winigar & wife To John C. Koen & wife Warranty Deed
Raymond Winigar & wife To Jim L. Webb & others To George Owens & others Warranty Deed
R.D. Wells & wife To Margie B. Fox Deed of trust
Joe L. Ward Jr. To Sentinel Pet. Corp. OGL
Youngblood Builders Inc. To Cisco Manor Inc. Warranty Deed

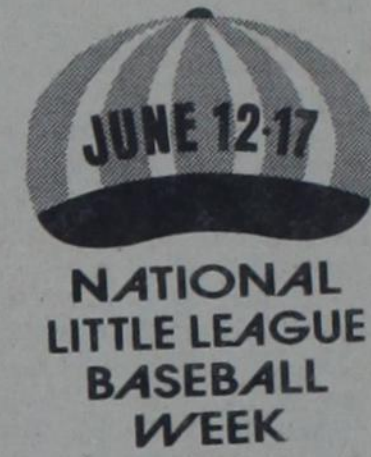
Diana Elena Williams
Kenneth Allen Richardson and Debbie Ruth Owings.
New Vehicle Registrations
Kenneth M. Link Olds 2 Dr. Eastland
Othel Clark Chev. Pu Gorman
Johnny E. Ferrell Dodge Van Eastland
Jim Williamson Cad. 2 Dr. Eastland
H.T. Wilson Buick 4 Dr. Eastland
C.O. Clement Chev. 4 Dr. Cisco
Clinton Pierce Ford Welding Cisco
Mary Lou Siebert Chev. 4 Dr. Eastland
91st Dist. Court
Johnny Doyle Wells vs Sally Synde Wells Divorce
Rebecca Johnson vs Charles Wayne Johnson Divorce
Rising Star Oil Field Supply Inc.; & Byars Bit & Tool Co. ang G&D Bit Service
Richard Smith dba Cal-Tex Drilling Co. Suit on account
John D. McCuiston dba Mand L Oil Co. vs Kenneth Cherry dba Main Line Investments Suit on contract

Marriage Licenses

David Elliott and Betty Lynette Johnston
Richard Blaine Fletcher and Debra Suzanne Swindle
Glen Alton Kitchens and Lila Lanelle Beard
Luther Ray Maxwell and Susan Renee Blackwell
Henry Martin Walton and Avis Da Vene Newman
Paul Keith Thomas and Beverly Jo Self
Joe Felton Richards and Margie Belle Fox
Gerald Wayne Mercer and

Ada Prentice Unit Meets In May

The Ada Prentice Unit of the United Methodist Women of First United Methodist Church of May met in the fellowship hall on Monday, June 5th at 2:30 p.m.
The hymn chosen was "I Need Thee Every Hour".
The study was part four of the Caribbean Crescent and additional reference studies.



National Little League Baseball Week

Hostess was Rosalie Glenn. Other persons present included: Clyde Allen, Mary Michaels, Alice Gee, Ginger Palmore, Muriel Allen and Estill Allen.
The next meeting will be Monday, June 19th at 2:30 p.m.

Two From R.S. Named To Dean's

LUBBOCK-More than 4,000 students at Texas Tech University qualified for the deans' honor rolls in the six colleges during the spring semester.
Among them were two from Rising Star. William A. Murphree of Route 2, geology. James L. Simonton of Route 2, Box 130, textile technology and management.
To qualify for a dean's

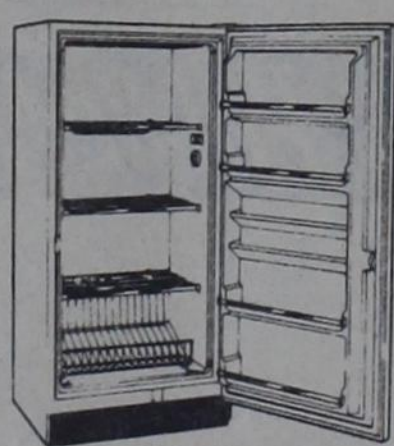
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wyatt attended graduation exercises of their granddaughter, Angela Wyatt at the business college in Brownwood Thursday.
Sorry to report the death of Mrs. Eula Cagle of Olden. Funeral services and burial was at Eastland last Sunday. Our sympathy goes out to her family.
Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Weaver, Maritta Smith and son, Kyle, attended the Weaver and Caffey reunion at Lake Eane, Comanche Sunday.
Glad to report another inch of rain on Tuesday.

List At Tech

honor roll a student must have a grade point average of 3.0 or more on a 4.0 scale and must have taken as many as 12 semester hours of work.
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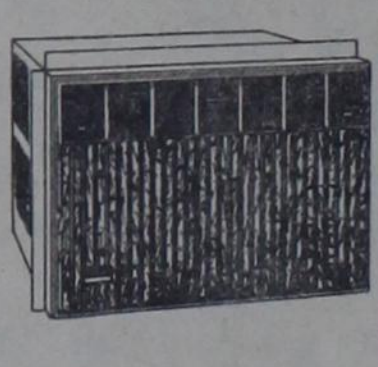
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Rising Star Nursing Center

We would like to express our thanks to the family members for the beautiful cakes and cream furnished for the birthday party.

The residents really enjoyed it and the men received Father's Day gifts from the home.

Music was furnished by Earl Eply Bryant Houston. Mrs. Buck Kelton, Frankie Aldredge, Nell Maynard, Martha Bible, the residents expressed and enjoyable time, all were out except four residents.

We have two new residents, Delia Walker and Virginia Moore.

Visiting Mary Boase and Virginia Moore were Ruth Murphy, Mrs. Inez Carroll, Jessie Alice Carroll, Henry and Edna Allen.

Clara and Earl Eply visited his father Lorenzo Eply. Linnie Brashear was visited by Melba Harvey. Freepport Roma Rhyme and Altha Reese, Clyde, Rickey Coats, and girl friend and Nanette Coats of Ft. Worth, Woodrow Jones, San Angelo, Nancy Jones, Cisco, Francis Boatman and children Clyde, Clint Brashear of Cisco.

Visiting Delia Walker and Martha Isby were Allie Steel Rev. and Mrs. J. Roy Haynes, Inez Robertson, Mary Carroll, Rada King. These last three helped serve at the party. Thanks ladies.

Belle Harris and Delia Dalton visited Georgia Crossnoe and Evelyn Coker, Big Spring, Olena Ezzell and Becky Murphee visited B. Hellums.

Mrs. Ed Witt, Nell Barnes of Dallas, Corrine Hopper visited Ethel Barnes and Fannie White, Nell is spending some vacation time with her mother Ethel Barnes.

Visiting Hassie Moon and Minnie Mayfield were Ruth Murphy, Nell Maynard, Rada King, Mary Carroll, Inez Robertson, Velma Turner and O. W. Bill Mayfield also Otis and Emma visits daily.

Nell Maynard, Ruth Murphy, Corinne Hopper, Mary Carroll, Inez Robertson, Rada King, T. Van and Loraine visited Edna Barnes and Oma Poteet. Edna ate lunch with T. Van and Loraine.

Inez Robertson, Rada King, Mary Carroll, Mrs. Jack Millwee and children visited Bet Millwee and helped with party also Bet's daughter from Lubbock.

Mrs. Ada Foster had her children and self at Brownwood at daughters for lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Hines, Odessa Tx. Lucille Stillwell, Ft. Worth, Marjorie West were here to celebrate Emmas birthday.

Visiting Annie Gotcher

RISING STAR NURSING CENTER

by Martha Bible A.D.

were Rita Kerri and Chad Bryd from Early, Hettie Hastings, Stacy, Mrs. Alice Mayes David and Derrick Roy and Pauline Haynes, Nina Hines of Odessa, Tx. and Allie Steel.

Owen Aiken visited the residents of the home last week Ethel Degman.

Josie Hammonds and Dolly Clark were visited by Genevieve Hammonds Crawford, Waco Texas., Clara Thomas Arlington, Sonny and Sam Livermore Calif.; Lee and Meridith, Ruth and Joseph Pollick, Kay Murphy, Inez Robertson, Mary Carroll and Rada King.

Corbett and Vance McDaniel, Nell Maynard and Ruth Murphy visited Bryant Houston and E. A. McDaniel also Mary Hard.

Visitors of Susie Seals and Bertie Medford were Alvin Roberts of Midland, John Lovelady Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Rood, Wichita Falls, Tx. Wynogene Rood Mrs. Bob Medford is with her as Bertie is sick.

George Webb visited Leo Atkinson, Gay Nell Samson and Homer Sims visited Eddie Sims and Charles Rixford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Eply, Elmer Kelton, San Angelo Myrle Kelton, Mrs. Adis Mayfield, Burkett Tx., visited Buck Kelton Mrs. Kelton helped with the birthday party.

Rev. Ray and Pauline Haynes, Allie Steel visited Mary Starkey.

Mrs. Ed Witt, Melvin and Geneva Boatman, Monahans, Margaret Millwee, Judy Leslie, Velma Turner, Mary Carroll, Rada King and Inez Robertson visited Hattie Boatman and Alice Griffin.

Uva Jones, Olena Ezzell, Maurice Martin, Janet Murphee of Sidney, Linda and Misti Worley, Waco, Pauline Parson, Baird, Bobby Price, Baird, Lucy Bulleon, Big Spring.

Its a shame we are losing such a wonderful pastor as he is so dedicated to visiting and helping all and anyway he can for the residents. He is the only pastor who visits regularly and will really be missed by all who know him here.

James Kelly had a reunion with his family at Marble Falls also Barbara Chick also had one.

Mrs. Bertie Medford is quite ill so please remember her.

We would like to express to Owen and Elda Aiken a big thanks for everything and hope you the best of luck.

"As it looks from here"

OMAR BURLESON

Congressman 17th District

WASHINGTON D.C. - A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE has ordered the Attorney General, Griffin Bell, to divulge the names of secret informants on activities of the Socialist Workers Party. The Attorney General has thus far refused and is threatened with contempt.

THE SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY and other subversive organizations were at one time outlawed because of their clear intent to overthrow this Government by force and violence. In more recent years, the Supreme Court has said that unless there is an act committed which carries out this intent, the mere existence of these organizations is not in violation of either the Constitution or laws enacted by Statute.

FOR YEARS OUR INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES particularly the FBI, have sought to protect the interest of the Republic and its citizens by infiltration and by other techniques, to learn the operations of these subversive organizations and to anticipate their threat in advance.

FOR AT LEAST THE LAST FIVE YEARS THIS AUTHORITY AND RESPONSIBILITY has been greatly diminished, stripped away by the Courts. We are in another era from the days when we could keep a watch on those who would destroy our Nation and now we are in a time when terrorism is practiced throughout the world. Who could be a better target for terrorism than the United States, which is held by these radicals as representing the hearland of imperialism, corruption, exploitation etc.?

THERE IS EVERY REASON TO BELIEVE that we would be a most attractive and spectacular target for the revolutionists. A successful assault in the U.S. would have profound global repercussions and would lift the terrorist offense to its ultimate level.

IN THE MEANTIME IT SEEMS THAT POWERFUL ELEMENTS in our Nation want to war against the FBI, CIA and other intelligence agencies instead of against preparing protective measures.

THERE HAS RECENTLY BEEN CREATED A COMMITTEE under the Executive Branch of Government to look into this

situation and make recommendations on how to counter the tactics of the terrorists who will launch attacks in this Country when they think they have the ability for reasonable success. Those who have given study to this matter understand the absolute discipline of terrorists and know that it will take counteractions to safeguard our interests and that of our citizens.

IN THE PAST WE HAD SECRET SURVEILLANCE infiltration, wiretaps, mail checks and files on millions of persons throughout the world. Now, the leftwingers bringing action in the Courts are getting decisions which will prevent this measure of protection. CERTAINLY WE MUST HONOR THE CONSTITUTION not to intrude upon the rights of others in their freedom of speech and movement. On the other hand, plans should be mustered to prevent crimes on innocent Americans and to recognize that self defence is an art. Unless we have the will and the resoluteness to prepare for every possibility, it may take a tragic circumstance to force us to do something. That "something" may have to be so drastic as to really violate some of the rights which opponents of such actions imagine have been violated. Opponents of such actions, including the courts may find this "something" more repugnant that what we could and should do under calm resolve.

State Department Needs Workers

Shaping a peaceful world is one of the most important enterprises of mankind. The U.S. Department of State has a crucial role in this mission and, because of the vital nature of the job, the Department requires special kinds of persons for the conduct of this work. Right now, the Department needs support staff personnel to work in Washington, D.C. We are looking for stenographers and typists, male and female.

In performing their duties stenographers and typists join the team which carries out U.S. Foreign Policy objectives. These employees are called upon to perform a variety of office duties which range from the accurate use of their technical skills to greeting visiting Foreign Ambassadors and other dignitaries. Occasionally, secretaries are scheduled to assist at international conferences in foreign capitals and at the U.S. Mission to the United Nations in New York. Becoming a part of the world of diplomacy can be exciting and rewarding to all who participate.

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which may be shared with the many persons who are attracted from all over the country to work for the federal government or for private industry in Washington. The new subway system offers increased opportunity to live in any part of Washington as well as the suburbs of Maryland and Virginia, and to commute easily to work to the Department's offices, most of which are located near the White House.

Salaries range from \$7,035 to \$9,959 per year, depending upon education, experience and Civil Service Commission test scores. Applicants must be American citizens at least 18 years old with a high school diploma or equivalent. A background investigation is required. If accepted for employment, the Department of State will pay transportation costs from home to Washington, D.C.

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Medical Insurance Premium To Increase

Starting with July 1978, the basic premium for the medical insurance part of Medicare will increase to \$8.20 a month, up from the \$7.70 it has been since July 1977. Glyn Hammons social security district manager in Abilene said today.

People who pay the premium directly will notice the increase in their bills. But, Hammons said, people who have the premium deducted from their social security check may not notice the change because of the 6.5 percent increase in their social security check as a result of the cost of living increase that goes into effect with July checks.

Some people pay a higher amount than the basic premium. This is because there was a period of 12 months or more that they were eligible for medical insurance but were not enrolled for this protection. The increase in the basic premium amounts to 10 percent for each such 12-month period.

Even with this slight increase, medical insurance represents a real buy, Hammons said. This is because the people pay only about 30 percent of the cost while the Federal Government pays the remaining 70 percent from general revenues.

The basic premium will remain \$8.20 a month through June 1979.

Those interested can get more information about Medicare and about social security retirement, survivor, and disability benefits at the Abilene social security office, located at 142 S. Pioneer. The telephone number is 698-1360.

Oil News

Thursday, June 22, 1978

Trinity Oil & Gas Corp. of Fort Worth will drill three Eastland County wildcats two miles north of Romney. Each is slated for 4,000 feet.

No. 1 Lois Ford will be drilled on a 160-acre lease.

It spots 660 feet from the south and east lines of Section 59, H&TC Survey, A-246.

No. 1 George Fee will be drilled 2,030 feet from the north and 660 feet from the east lines of Section 59.

The lease is composed of 163 acres.

Other wildcat is No. 1 H.B. Crutchfield, located on a 160-acre lease.

Site is 660 feet from the south and 1,980 feet from the west lines of Section 59.

Spotted as a wildcat four miles north of Eastland was The Dunagan Companies of Fort Worth No. 1 Laura Simer.

The planned 4,000-foot venture is located on a 172-acre lease.

It spots 2,233 feet from the south and west lines of Section 22, Block 4, H&TC Survey.

Another wildcat location was staked four miles north of Coleman as TIPECO Inc. of Dallas No. 1 Texaswest Ltd.-Hart.

The planned 4,000-foot venture is located 1,000 feet from the north and 575 feet from the west lines of Section 57, Block 4, H&TC Survey, A-225.

Richard Gray Inc. of San Angelo completed No. 6 W.F. Shelton in the Brooksmith (Marble Falls) Field one-fourth mile southeast of Brooksmith.

Location is 1,945 feet from the northwest and 1,635 feet from the northeast lines of M.M. Cleveland Survey 144. Absolute open flow was 197,000 cubic feet of dry gas daily from perforations at 1,190-98 feet, treated with 6,000 gallons of acid.

Operator set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 1,220 feet, and the hole is bottomed at 1,229 feet.

James E. Russell Petroleum Inc. of Abilene completed No. 1 R.L. Carroll as a Conglomerate discovery four miles north of Eastland in Eastland County.

Location is 517 feet from the south and east lines of the northeast quarter of Section 14, Block H&TC Survey.

Daily potential was 85 barrels of 40.8 gravity oil. Flow was through a 12-64-inch choke with 400 pounds casing and 175 pounds tubing pressures.

Production is from perforations at 3,529-39 feet, treated with 500 gallons of acid.

Operator set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 3,810 feet. Total depth was 4,047 feet, and plugged back to 3,807 feet.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,950-1. Lamesa Crude completed No. 5 Newt Hagan in the Tee Jay (3,700) Field eight miles northwest of Cisco.

It spots 2,310 feet from the north and 990 feet from the west lines of Section 480, SP Survey.

Daily potential was 156 barrels of 42.5 gravity oil. Flow was through a 16-64-inch choke with 425 pounds tubing pressure.

Production is from perforations at 3,743-53 feet, treated with 1,250 gallons of acid. The pay was fractured with 100 sacks of sand and 11,000 gallons of gel.

The 4 1/2-inch casing is set at 3,879 feet. Total depth was 4,071 feet, and plugged back to 3,879 feet.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,942-1. Paul DeCleva of Wichita Falls will drill No. 1 Brown-Withee as a proposed 3,600-foot wildcat.

Location is one-fourth mile northwest of Cisco on a 424-acre lease.

It spots 2,050 feet from the north and 1,115 feet from the east lines of Section 86, Block 4, H&TC Survey.

Bayou Oil and Gas Corp. of Ranger, Dallas will drill No. 2 J. A. Beard as a proposed 1,800 foot wildcat in Eastland County.

Location is four miles northeast of Eastland on a 160 acre lease.

It spots 836 feet from the south and 1,730 feet from the east lines of Section 10, Block 4, H&TC Survey.

Massey and Co. Trust of Dallas will drill No. 4 Choate in the Lee Ray (Duffer) Field 12 miles northwest of Cisco. The planned 3,900 foot venture is located on a 150 acre lease.

Site is 990 feet from the north and west lines of Section 466 SP Survey.

Mercury Production Co. of Fort Worth spotted No. 1-A L. A. Hightower in the regular field seven miles south.

Reserve Oil Inc. of Santa Anna will drill six Brown County Regular Field projects three miles southwest of Brownwood.

All are located on the R. D. Shelton 107 acre lease and slated for 700 feet.

No. 3 Shelton will be drilled 990 feet from the most northerly south line and 1,650 feet from the east line of J. C. Brown Survey 25 A-7k4.

Site for No. 4 Shelton is 100 feet from the east lines of the same survey.

No. 5 Shelton spots 330 feet from the most northerly south line and 330 feet from the east survey lines.

Site for No. 6 Shelton is 330 feet from the most northerly south line and 1,6750 feet from the east survey lines.

No. 7 Shelton spots 990 feet from the most northerly south line and 990 feet from the east survey lines.

Site for No. 9 Shelton is 168 feet from the northeast and 77 feet from the south lines of M. W. Shannon Survey A-836.

Maverick Production Co. Inc. of San Antonio will drill No. 1 Maggie Connaway as a proposed 1,500 foot wildcat in the Brownwood, South (Marble Falls) Field.

Location is eight miles southeast of Brownwood on a 132 acre lease.

It spots 500 feet from the northwest and 990 feet from the southwest of J. H. Voges Survey A-1120

Cassell Oil Co. of Cross Plains completed No. 6 Swift in the regular field four miles north of Williams.

Locations is 1,075 feet from the north and 2,040 feet from the east lines of J. M. Harris Survey 764.

Daily potential was 36 barrels of 45 gravity oil, plus 40 barrels of water. Flow was through a 32-64 inch choke and perforations at 2,293-97 feet. The pay was treated with 1,000 gallons of acid.

Operator set the 4 1/2 inch casing at 2,349 feet, one foot off bottom.

Gas ratio was 683-1. Trinity Oil and Gas Corp. of Fort Worth will drill No. 1 Carl Stroebel as a proposed 4,000 foot wildcat in Eastland County.

Location is three miles north of Romney on a 329 acre lease.

It spots 660 feet from the north and 1,160 feet from the west lines of Section 59, Block 3, H&TC Survey A-246.

Tinewal Oil Co. Inc. of Odessa will drill No. 5 Trimmer in the regular field seven miles southeast of Eastland.

The planned 1,150 foot venture is located on a 169 acre lease.

Site is 1,520 feet from the south and 630 feet from the east lines of Section 16, Block 2, H&TC Survey A 733.

Arlex Oil Co. of Abilene will drill No. 2 Fred K. Mosely as a proposed 4,150 foot wildcat in Eastland County.

Location is eight miles northwest of Cisco on a 735 acre lease.

Site is 1,430 feet from the most southerly south line and 7,380 feet from the most easterly east line of G. W. Click Survey A-50.

L. M. Young of Abilene will drill No. 1 Larry Avants as a proposed 2,800 foot wildcat four miles northeast of Bangs.

Location is on a 21 acre lease, spotting 996 feet from the south and 687 feet from the west lines of Section 13, HT&B Survey.

Bruce A. Clark Dallas, No. 1 K. Murdoch will be drilled in the regular field five miles southwest of Rising Star.

The planned 4,000 foot venture is located on an 80 acre lease.

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NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING
RISING STAR INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the City of Rising Star, Texas, Comanche County, Texas, at 2 o'clock P. M., beginning on Friday, the 23 day of June, 1978, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Rising Star Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1978, and any and all persons interested, or having business with said Board, are hereby notified to be present.

DONE BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF RISING STAR Eastland, Brown and Independent School District, Comanche County, Texas, at Rising Star Texas, the 6 day of June, A.D., 1978.

E. P. James
Secretary

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