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By BAB

Next Wednesday, March 7, Rising Star high school will offer its second annual "Career Day", an innovation which Mrs. C. A. Claborn, school guidance counselor, and her co-workers introduced last year with such marked success.

Briefly, the program is a sort of seminar during which students looking toward careers in adult life, may, with the assistance of professionals in those areas, examine the opportunities and the problems which they are likely to meet with in certain favored fields of a life's work.

The choice of and preparation for a career becomes more and more important as the complexities of modern society increase. In no more than the span of a lifetime the social organization of this country has advanced from a cottage type economy to one of intricate design wherein the field of the average career has narrowed to an infinitesimal part of the whole effort.

Only Monday afternoon Weldon Roach and I were talking about the kind of life people had when there was a family here on almost every 80-acre tract. To a very great degree each of these families was self-sustaining, not in money earned, but in products grown on its own acres.

Each grew most of its food — an average grocery bill ran little more than one hundred dollars a year — transportation was fueled by a few acres of feed; clothing requirements were modest, and there was little need and practically no expense for entertainment. Each family was to a great degree self-sustaining, while the education essential to carrying on the family enterprise was obtained mostly by the apprentice system in which father and mother brought up son and daughter in the fear of the Lord and respect for the traditional mode. An elementary knowledge of arithmetic sufficed for counting the few dollars and bushels or pounds which expressed the limited economy of the family. A trained back was more important to survival than a trained mind. In those days Sallie and Johnny could leave the Ninth Grade to get hitched with very good chances of marital success under the old "third and fourth" rental system. There was a reasonable prospect of acquiring a farm of their own. One could even learn to clerk and bookkeep, and eventually acquire a business or a bank if one was reasonably proficient in numbers and the ABCs and knew where to look for guidance.

But no more. This is a day of specialization. The fences are growing longer and the jobs are getting narrower and more and more exacting. One must be a Bachelor of Science in order to grow cattle nowadays, and a specialist in agronomy to grow peanuts. From bugology to misie-building the standards are growing up and up, until it takes a college degree merely to qualify as a button pusher.

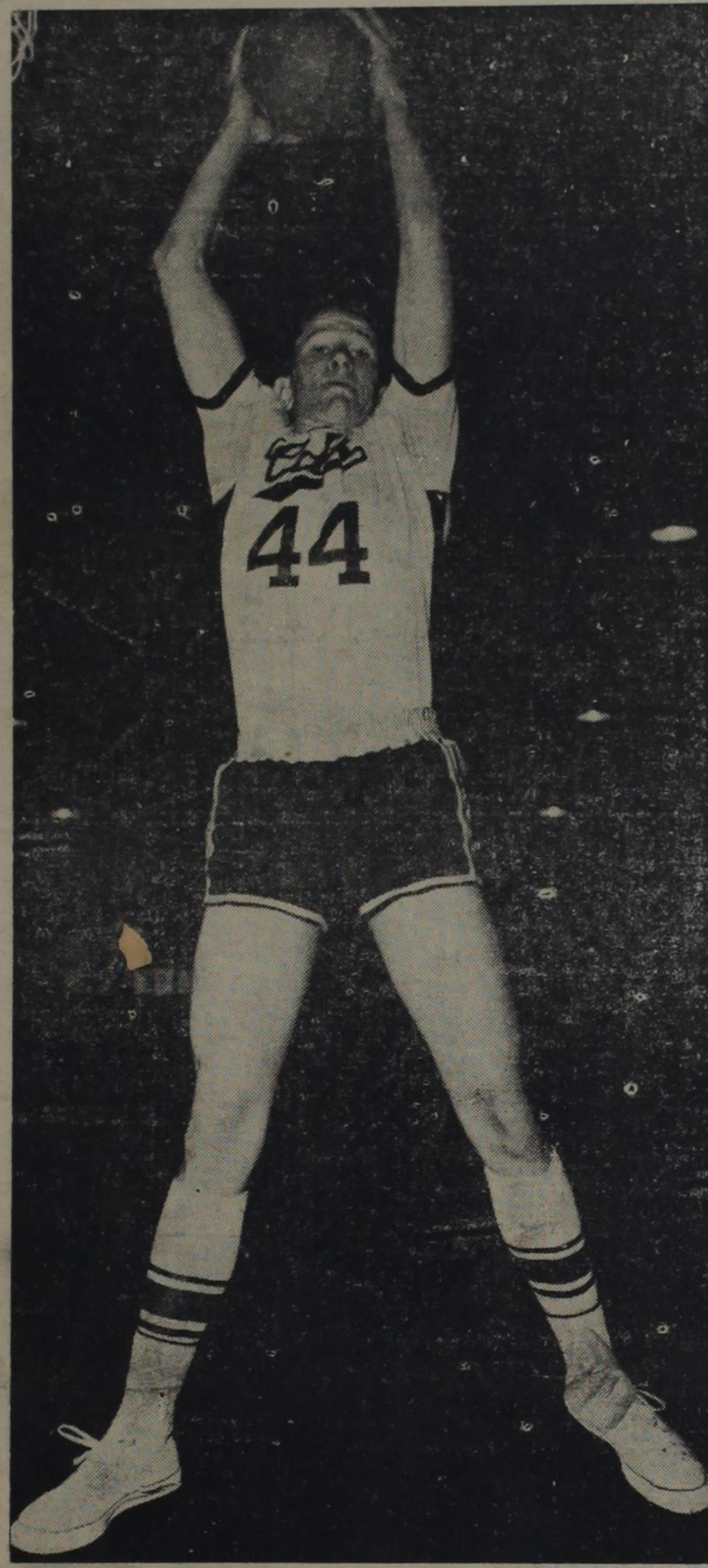
Recently in one of the national publications there was an article warning against the increasing incidence of high school marriages and its social and economic dangers. It can be a tragic thing in this day of specialization, to rush into marriage unprepared to support a family except by common labor. The market for that commodity is growing steadily less. Training in a worthy profession is now more essential than ever to a successful career.

Perhaps Career Day at the high school here will help to emphasize that very important fact.

Nothing that has happened since the end of World War II has given this nation a greater thrill than the successful orbital flight of Col. John Glenn.

It was the sort of thing needed. (Continued on page four)

Record Maker



. . . Pat Agnew, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Agnew of Rising Star, a rapidly rising star of the Abilene Christian College Wildcat basketball team. Pat was a football star of the Rising Star Wildcats in his high school career.

Local Boy Is Building Record on ACC Court

Abilene (Spl.) — Pat Agnew, a 6-6 center from Rising Star, has become the second Abilene Christian College sophomore to ever crack the 400-point barrier in a single season, and at the same time could become the highest scoring center in Wildcat history.

In this seasons games Agnew has totaled 416 points for a 18.6 game average. At this clip he could amass 426 points which would push him ahead of center Bill Johnson who dumped in 416 points in 1952-53. Also it would rank him second in the sophomore list to Robert McLeod who set the record at 485 in 1958-59, and move Agnew up to sixth on the all time one season ACC list.

The Wildcats end their season with McMurry at Eagle Stadium, Abilene, Friday night.

Agnew came to ACC in 1960 with honorable mention all-state clippings, but he was awkward and spent half of his freshman season on the bench. "You wouldn't think he was the same player," said Coach Dee Nutt last fall. "He's the most improved boy on the squad, and the reason is that he's not afraid to work."

Still when Abilene Christian opened the 1961-62 season last December, Agnew didn't get off the bench against Oklahoma Christian. Coach Nutt gave the Rising Star ace his chance in the next game and the 6-6 center countered with 24 points and 21 rebounds to pace the Wildcats over the University of Dallas.

Late in the game Coach Nutt visited Agnew on the bench for a moment and he barely missed the

one-game rebounding record of 23 set by McLeod in his sophomore season. "If I had known he was close, I'd left him in for a chance at the record," said Nutt.

The free-wheeling Agnew can pop the ball in with a good jump shot from the free throw line or from far out on either side. His hook shot from in close are deadly and he is becoming adept at tipping in loose shots.

His best scoring night was 31 points against Howard Payne, top effort by a Wildcat this season. He owns the best field goal percentage figure, hitting 144 of 315 for .457 and has a 10.3 rebounding average.

Return From Medical Meeting In Florida

Dr. and Mrs. Allen Dean Schmitt have returned from Bal Harbour, Florida, where last week Dr. Schmitt attended the Annual Convention of the American College of Osteopathic Obstetricians and Gynecologists and the American College of Osteopathic Pediatricians there February 19-22, 1962.

Nearly 1,000 osteopathic physicians and guests from throughout the United States attended the scientific assembly. Topics discussed included infectious diseases in childhood, Neo Natal Morbidity, Carcinoma and the Physician, and Pediatric Endocrinology.

Speakers included osteopathic college faculty, government health officers, and outstanding practicing physicians.

Miss Nell Barnes of Dallas visited her mother, Mrs. A. J. Courtwright, in Brownwood Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Barnes, here this week

14-Degree Cold Kills Fruit Hopes

Any prospect that even a portion of the fruit crop would be spared by Tuesday night's 24-degree cold, were erased Wednesday night when a renewed cold blast sent the mercury here tumbling to 14 degrees, as recorded by the city hall gauge.

The severity of the cold spell compared with that in January when the city experienced the coldest weather in many years.

A period of unseasonable warm weather in the early part of February had brought peaches, apricots and other fruit to full bloom and the cold wave caught the trees in the late blossoming stage.

There were slight flurries of sleet and some freezing sprinkle of Tuesday. The Brownwood area was reported to have had severe hail and freezing rain which covered highways in that vicinity with ice.

Hank Sims Will Head Pecan Ass'n For Third Time

Hank Sims was re-elected president of the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association at the annual mid-winter meeting of that organization recently. It will be the third term for Sims.

Sam Kimmell, Cisco rancher, was named as vice-president. He replaces Doss Alexander, Rising Star. Ben McKinnis, Eastland, was re-elected as secretary-treasurer.

B. B. Freeman, Route 1, Rangely, was named as a new director for a two year term, he replaces J. W. Sitton, Cisco.

C. T. Barton, Pioneer, was re-elected for a two year term. Hold over directors are Edwin Schaefer, Cook and C. E. Smith, Rising Star.

The date for the annual spring field day was set for May 24, Sims said. Plans for this affair will be developed later. He said that B. G. Hancock, horticulturist of the A&M College Extension Service, had already agreed to be on the program.

In a business session following the election it was voted to allow only members with paid up dues to vote for the site for the annual county pecan show. Previously those who exhibited nuts at the previous years show were allowed to vote whether they were members or not.

Peggy Winfrey Is Rising Star Draft Board Registrar

Austin — Mrs. Peggy L. Winfrey of Rising Star has been appointed registrar for the Eastland and Stephens county draft board in the Rising Star area.

Boys who reach the age of 18 can register in Rising Star by calling on Mrs. Winfrey in her office located in the City Hall from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily.

A registrar is maintained in the area so that men will not have to travel to the draft board at Eastland.

Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state director of the draft system, expressed public appreciation of the services of Mrs. Winfrey.

"People of the Rising Star area should appreciate the services she renders them," Colonel Schwartz said, "as she is doing the work without pay as a public service to her country."

All males are required to register under the draft law on their 18th birthday or within five days thereafter. Maximum penalties that can be applied for failure to register are \$10,000 fine, or five years in prison, or both.

MOTHER DIES

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Courtwright attended funeral services for Mr. Courtwright's mother, Mrs. A. J. Courtwright, in Brownwood Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Courtwright died in May cemetery.

3 Trustees, 2 Councilmen To Be Chosen In April Votes

Three trustees of the Rising Star Independent School district and two members of the Rising Star City Council will be named in elections to be held in April.

The city voting will take place at the city hall on Tuesday, April 3. Councilmen to fill places now occupied by B. B. Jackson and Curt Smith will be chosen.

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Candidates must file on or before March 3 in order to have their names on the ballot, under the law. Terms are for two years.

The School Board election will be held on Saturday, April 7, also at the city hall and filing must be done on or before March 7.

The three retiring trustees are C. M. (Mutt) Carroll, Joe Fraley and Oscar Schaefer. Mr. Carroll and Mr. Fraley have filed for re-election and James Wolf has filed for the post occupied by Oscar Schaefer. Mr. Schaefer indicated he would not announce for re-election.

Holdover members of the board are Robert Butler, S. C. Cotton, Jim Ray Cox and Roy Holly.

Holdover members of the city council are Elgie Crisp, Charlie Carroll and Glen Henry.

Retired Publisher and Wife . . .



Mr. and Mrs. M. S. (Doc) Sellers in the picture as they appeared with a recent story in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. Mr. Sellers formerly published the Rising Star Record.

Rising Star Will Compete In Mason Track Meet Mar. 3

Mason — One of the first school boy track meets of this young season will be held in Mason on Saturday, March 3, when the Hill Country Relays open.

The Hill Country Relays had their beginning in 1958 when the Mason Junior Chamber of Commerce and Mason High School co-sponsored this event. The meet has been held each year, except in 1961.

Mason Coach Keith Miles has received entries from the following class A & B schools:

Marble Falls, Blanco, Lohm Santa Anna, Cherokee, Bandera, Early of Brownwood, Junction, Melvin, Albany, Leakey, Comfort, Robert Lee, Rochelle, Coppas Cove, Rising Star, Eldorado, Harper, Eden and Mason.

Individual medals will be given for the first three places in each event; a trophy will be given for the winner of each relay event, team championship and high point individual. The medals and trophies are being donated by the Mason Junior Chamber of Commerce. Preliminaries start at 10 a.m. and Finals at 2 p.m.

19 Professions On Career Day Program

Nineteen professions offering opportunities for a life's work will be examined by students of Rising Star High School in the second annual Career Day next Wednesday at the school.

The program, a feature of Public School Week, will begin at 8:15 a.m. with a general assembly to be addressed by James McCracken, president of the First National Bank of Cisco.

At 9 o'clock the first of a series of six one-hour sessions will be held during which students will attend sessions of their choice to discuss with professionals the opportunities and problems of the various professions and to receive from them suggestions for training.

Professions to be discussed are: Medicine, law, music, retail sales, nursing, law enforcement, secretarial training, civil service, beautician, engineering, teaching, vocational trades, agriculture, veterinary medicine, banking, journalism, advertising, religion and mortuary.

Professionals from Abilene, Brownwood, Cisco and Rising Star will appear on the program to lead discussions in their respective sections.

SEE GAMES

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Agnew and Mrs. Roxie Butler were in Arlington Saturday night for the ACC-Arlington State basketball game and in San Antonio Monday night to see the ACC-Trinity game. Pat Agnew, son of Mr. and Mrs. Agnew, is center on the ACC team, and highest scoring player for the Wildcats.

CORRECTION

The Record was in error in stating that Andy Bankhead, who received his CPA rating recently, was the accountant for Kizer Telephone Company. Mr. Bankhead was formerly with the Kizer Company until he accepted a position with the telephone company at Burnet, Texas.

Rising Star Students Entertain Cisco Lions

Five young musicians of Rising Star High School and Rising Star Elementary school went to Cisco Wednesday noon to present a program at the Cisco Lions Club luncheon.

The program was by way of advertising the Zogi show which the Rising Star Lions club will present at the High School gym next Tuesday evening.

Don Donham high school student served as master of ceremonies.

The program was: "Humoresque" by Rachmaninoff, a piano solo by Don Donham; "Polickinelle", by Rachmaninoff, a piano solo by Maria Gey; "Shortnin' Bread", by Schaum, a piano solo by Lee Ann Chalk; "Valse", by Chopin, a piano solo by Linda Koonce, and "It's a Most Unusual Day", a vocal solo by Julie Watkins.

Don and Maria and Linda are high school students and Lee Ann and Julie are members of the Eighth grade of the Elementary school. Linda is the Rising Star Lions club sweetheart.

Mrs. C. H. Joyce visited her son, Don, and family in Fort Worth last week.

Rising Star Girls Meet Avoca In Regional Basketball Tournament

Rising Star girls basketball team will meet Avoca in the first round of the regional tournament at Howard Payne College gym in Brownwood Friday night at 7 o'clock. Avoca defeated Eula 41-40 in bi-district play-off Tuesday night at Abilene.

The Rising Star girls coached by Eddie here on Tuesday night and 67-47 in a game at Lingleville Friday night.

Avoca, a close contest with Carbon whom they had previously defeated.

They drew a bye in bi-district play and go directly to the regional meet.

In two interim practices with the Lingleville sextet last week the local girls lost here on Tuesday night and 67-47 in a game at Lingleville Friday night.

THE WILDCAT TALES

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TWELFTH OBSERVANCE OF PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK

March 5-9, 1962

In 1950 supporters of the public schools system were shocked to discover the conditions that had developed in the schools: shortage of teachers, overcrowded classrooms, loss of bond issues for improvement, enlargement, and addition to schools, and the difficulty of interesting people to the responsibility of the School Board. In view of this, a State Committee started to work on an idea of a state-wide event designed to acquaint citizens of the conditions of their public schools. The committee received the support of state government and educational authorities, and the Government of Texas proclaimed the event to be the first full week in March. It has been continued every year since then and will be observed March 5-9, 1962.

Public School Week has a single purpose: to advance the general interest in the public schools. It is designed to create greater community interest in the needs, achievements, and weaknesses of the schools and to show the citizens that all problems confronting our public schools are problems with end results we cannot solve for years to come, or even meet without the active co-operation of every public spirited citizen.

For several years the slogan of Public School Week has been "Texas Public Schools—Democracy in Action". This has been adopted because schools are democracy in action; without schools we could never have a successful a democracy as we do now.

The faculty and students of Rising Star High School extend to you, the citizens of Rising Star and surrounding area, a cordial invitation to visit our school during Public School Week, especially on Monday, March 5. We are proud of our school and would be honored if you would come and be an active participant of this special week.

Editor

"THE CREAM OF THE CROP"

The Senior class has been very busy deciding on the place for their Senior trip, and it is to be Prade Ranch. Everyone is so excited they can hardly wait — right, Jody?

Now for the Big news — the Senior class is having a bake sale this Saturday — the best

doesn't she, S. D.?
 Certain girls such as Linda, Judy, Lovey, and Cherry have rubber necks or else have stretched them a good four inches — kangaroo style.

We have decided some of our boys need Astronaut Glenn's sugar coated pills for energy!! Patsy is in orbit most of the time.

Harriet will be back next week to bring you the latest news from your sophomores.

Cherry
 P. S. What about that fourth person, Cherry!!

FISH BAIT

Another six weeks is almost gone and it's about time for those exams again. Start burning that mid-night oil.

The Ag. boys are getting in practice on judging land, cattle, and hogs. There is one Freshman boy who is putting in extra time judging — what about that, T. G.?

The Homemaking girls are still working hard on skirts and blouses. We were presented last week with a demonstration on how to operate our new electric stoves given by Mrs. Exie Dillingham of West Texas Utilities Co.

The Stage Band has attended two festivals lately, going to Dallas and Brownwood. Everyone seemed to have had a really nice time and enjoyed everything, including buckets of ice.

Now for some more "What if?"

Virginia were Boil instead of Cook?

Bonnie were Chicken instead of Byrd?

Judy were Steel instead of Rutherford?

Jay were Dishes instead of Ware?

"What if" you miss our news next? Don't forget to look for US!

OUR TRIP TO BIG D

The Sophisticians left for Dallas on February 16; after quite a struggle, and I mean struggle too, we arrived at Holiday Inn. After every one freshened up, we had a very nice dinner in the Holiday Inn Restaurant. Mike Fisher had some troubles remembering his table manners. Then everyone packed into the cars and went down town to the Majestic Theater. We had already been lost once in Dallas, and we just knew we would not get lost going back to the Inn, but surely enough we did.

Kenneth Pittman and Charlene Vermillion had a little ice thrown on them!! Tommy, you know better than to knock on other people's doors, Judy and Maria, what gave you such a scare?

Saturday morning came bright and early, and it surely was hard for everyone to get awake. The girls had breakfast in their room; isn't that right, Sweetheart Linda?

The drive to SMU was not a long one, but we got lost again. No prizes or trophies were given, but we received a one rating. The drive back home was not as exciting as the first one because we did not even get lost. Maria and Linda were certainly

in a hurry to get home for some reason. Everyone was tired out but we had a nice trip. We competed at Brownwood on February 23 and had a very nice day.

Reporter

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council of the Rising Star High School met Wednesday, February 21. A note was drawn up to present to the school board, a request for two Bibles as references, to be placed in the library. It was signed and read by the President, Dick Morrow.

Dress-Up-Day was discussed and set for March 7; this day has also been set as Career Day. The next meeting has been set for March 5 when Career Day will be discussed.

Pat

JODY EDMISTON

On October 18, 1944, a most important event took place for Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Edmiston. A son was born to them; they named him Jody. This event took place at the Rising Star Hospital, Rising Star, Texas. Jody began his first year of school at Rising Star, where he has remained for the past twelve years and will graduate in May of 1962.

Jody has been a very popular boy around Rising Star High School. He has been an active member of the F.F.A. He has participated in all kinds of sports. He lettered in football for four years, ran track, and played basketball. He received honorable mention in Senior year in football — when a Junior he was class favorite and in the Junior Play "Angel Brats". He also received the honor of Chapter Farmer in Agriculture. Jody hopes to be in the Senior play.

Jody's favorite pastime is participating in sports, hunting, fishing and swimming. His favorite actor and actress are Dan Blocker and Elizabeth Taylor. His favorite TV program is "Bonanza". The best movie he has seen was "Home From the Hill". His favorite colors are blue and gold. But now for

more important things — eating — he likes steak, black-eyed peas, lettuce and tomato salad, and ice cream. Don't let that strong chest slip — Jody!

As for the future, Jody plans to attend Cisco Junior College and become a coach.

Jody has been a great asset to every member of Rising Star High School. His wonderful personality makes everyone love him — Good luck, Jody, in your future endeavors!

LUNCHROOM MENUS

March 5-9
 Monday
 Bar - B - Q Weiners, Buttered Potatoes, Cabbage and Apple Salad, Applesauce Cake, Enriched White Bread and Milk.

Tuesday
 Spaghetti in Cheese Sauce, Buttered Peas, Green Salad, Stewed Raisins, Enriched White Bread, Chocolate Cake and Milk.

Wednesday
 Meat Loaf and Catsup, Green Beans, Creamed Potatoes, Tossed Salad, Hot Rolls, Enriched White Bread, Peanut butter, Honey Butter and Milk.

Thursday
 Pinto Beans, Spinach, Buttered Corn, Onion, Pickle Salad, Enriched White, Corn Bread, Pumpkin Pie and Milk.

Friday
 Hamburgers, Baked Beans, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions, Pickles, Buns, Fruit Jello and Cookies and Milk.

TO ATTEND DISTRICT MEET

Members of the W.S.C.S. of rising to attend the District meeting the Methodist church are planning in Mineral Wells on Thursday, March 1st. Those attending will be Mrs. Floyd Joyce, Mrs. D. L. Barnes, Mrs. Cecil Joyce, Mrs. M. S. Sellers and Mrs. J. R. Bucy.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Relatives who attended funeral services for Mrs. H. H. Brooks at Lometa Sunday at 3 p.m. were Mrs. B. F. Dunn of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford of Midland, Mrs. Irene Foster of May, Mrs. Zola Plumlee of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Buzbee, Charlie Hill, Mrs. Nettie McInnis and Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hickman and children all of Rising Star.

Fallout Protection Guide At CD, Post Offices Now

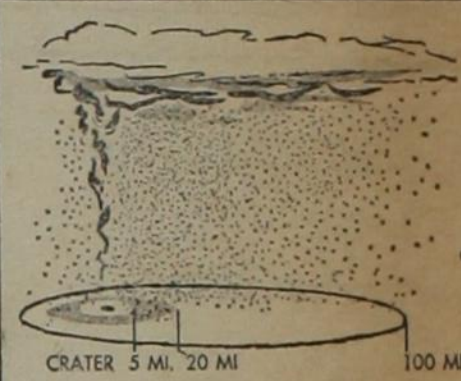
A pocket-sized booklet with the most essential, up-to-the-minute information for families and individuals on how to survive a nuclear attack is now available to Americans without charge from any post office or state or local civil defense office.

The 48-page, yellow-covered booklet, entitled "Fallout Protection—What to Know and Do About Nuclear Attack," includes specific instructions on how to survive fallout, build a fallout shelter or improvise a last-minute shelter if necessary, stock and ventilate the shelter, and take sanitary and first aid measures. Special information for farmers is provided on protecting or decontaminating livestock, food and equipment in a fallout zone.

The Department of Defense, Office of Civil Defense, produced the booklet to provide up-to-date, easily-readable survival information in one publication. So far, 25 million of the booklets have been printed and placed in distribution.

The booklet also points out other ways in which the Defense Department's new civil defense program will provide increasing protection:

- The National Shelter Survey now under way will identify fallout shelter spaces in existing structures for about 50 million persons. Identification, marking and stocking with austere food and water rations, first aid kits, radiation detection instruments and other essentials will cost less than \$4 per space.
- The proposed Federal Shelter Incentive Program would provide Federal grants of something less than the cost of constructing fallout shelters in schools, hospitals and in other non-profit institutions. Many shelters also would serve a dual peace-time function.
- The existing National Warning System is being extended to provide Americans near-instant attack warning.



How Fallout Endangers U.S. Told in Booklet

What is fallout?
 This frequently-discussed and even more frequently misunderstood phenomenon of the nuclear age is simply explained in the Department of Defense's "Fallout Protection" booklet now available to the public through post offices and local civil defense offices.

This drawing from the booklet shows how fine dust and debris from a nuclear explosion can be carried downwind from the blast, the amount of fallout gradually diminishing with the distance. Each dust particle is like a tiny X-ray machine whose gamma radiation will penetrate lighter materials but will dissipate in a relatively short time and do little harm to those protected by a sufficient amount of dense materials in shelters.

Where to Get Booklet

You can obtain your free copy of the Defense Department's survival booklet for all Americans, "Fallout Protection," at your local post office or your community civil defense office. After April 1, 1962, it will be available only from civil defense offices.

Mrs. Criswell Honored With Surprise Party

Mrs. Pearl Criswell was honored with a surprise birthday celebration at her home Saturday, Feb. 24.

Her daughter, Mrs. Jim Sawyer, and son from Midland, and son, Don Criswell, and family, Irving, were present as were many other friends and relatives including Mr. and Mrs. Grady Clark and family; Mrs. Weaver Callaway of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs.

Harry Millward, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Culvahouse of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gerhardt Mr. and Mrs. Ode Criswell and Joe Criswell, Rising Star.

Plates of turkey, dressing and all the trimmings were sent out to those ill and unable to attend.

The remark was passed during the gaiety, "Well, Pearl really got one put over on her today," as it was a complete surprise.

Wife of Rising Star Service Man Named Valentine Sweetheart at Fort Benning

Fort Benning, Ga. — Mrs. John Wilbur Harris, wife of SP4 Harris of Rising Star and May, Texas, has been named "Valentine Sweetheart" at Fort Benning's Martin Army Hospital.

Mrs. Harris, the former Sharon Howard of May, was elected for the honor in a contest among the hospital wards. Each patient was asked to submit a picture of his wife or sweetheart. Entries were judged at a party in the American Red Cross Rec-

reation Hall. Mrs. Harris was presented a box of Valentine candy. SP4 Harris met his wife when they attended May High School. They have been married almost two years.

A supply clerk assigned to the 806th Engineer Battalion, 151st Engineer Group, SP4 Harris came to Fort Benning in August 1960.

He and Mrs. Harris live at 309-C Baker Village, Columbus, Ga.



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There are powerful professional lobbyists who live outside this legislative district who would like very much to defeat me in my race for a second term as your state representative. I have consistently voted independently and for the best interests of the people of this area, and for this reason I have aroused the lobby's dislike for me.

It is regrettable that my opponent is conducting the type of campaign these professional lobbyists would like to see carried on in this legislative race. I assure you that I will continue to ask for your support solely on the basis of issues and my legislative record and that of my opponent.

As the campaign progresses, it is my plan to tell you, the voters, the facts about the legislative records of each of us. I will try diligently to meet as many of you as time will allow.

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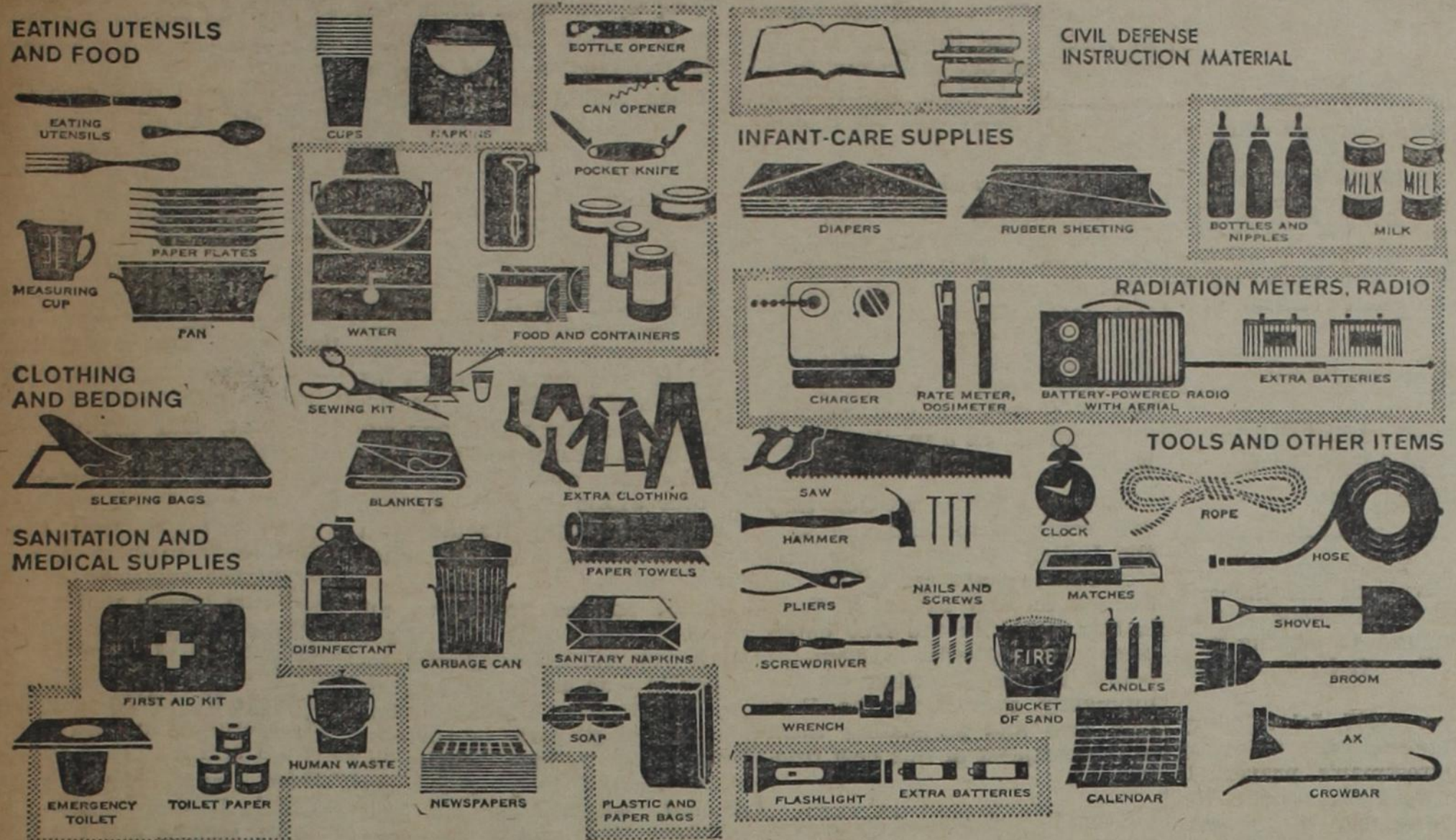
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FALLOUT SHELTER supplies necessary to be self-sustaining over a two-week period are shown in these drawings from the "Fallout Protection" booklet prepared by the Department of Defense and available free to the public through post offices and local civil defense offices. The most essential supplies are outlined in gray, including water, the most important individual item. Each shelter occupant would require at least a quart of water a day, and a gallon would be better to allow for cleansing. Radiation meters, now commercially available, include pencil-like instruments for measuring amount of radiation per hour and total exposure to radiation, and a charger to eliminate previous readings by returning instruments to zero settings.

ABOUT YOUR HEALTH

Dysentery, while not a major killer among Texans, still claims many lives each year. Sadly most deaths occur among infants under one year of age.

Last year there was a 10 per cent increase of shigellosis — the technical name for bacillary dysentery — according to the Texas Morbidity published each week by the Communicable Disease Division of the Texas State Department of Health.

At the end of the year, the 1961 total stood at 3,915 cases, compared to 3,420 cases at the end of 1960.

The total deaths from dysentery have not been compiled for 1961; however, in 1960 there were 79 deaths from the disease with 53 per cent among infants.

Dysentery is transmitted "by eating contaminated foods, or drinking contaminated water or milk, and by hand-to-mouth transfer of contaminated material; by flies; by objects soiled with feces of a patient or carrier."

This is one of the reasons foodhandlers should wash their hands thoroughly before any food preparation — and especially after visiting the bathroom.

Also foods which are moist or eaten raw require special attention in washing and preparation.

Fly control and control of fly breeding are important steps in fighting this disease. Control of existing flies can be done by screening, fly traps and by contact poison and space sprays.

Fly breeding can be controlled with adequate garbage collection and disposal, elimination of garbage dumps and substitution of land-fill operations, and provision for proper sewage disposal.

Infant mortality from shigellosis can be curtailed with adherence to good hygiene principles, scrupulous cleanliness in preparation, handling and refrigeration of food, safe milk and water for infant feeding, and continuous supervision of their diet.

It is generally acknowledged that many cases of unreported diarrhea probably result from shigellosis. A suspect victim

Every person over 62 should get free booklet no. 23c from his nearest social security office.

should seek aid from his physician. (A weekly feature from Public Health Education Division, Texas State Department of Health.)

Sweet Potato Is Industry Growing As Texas Resource

College Station, — Whether you call them yams or the more sophisticated sweet potatoes, there's still a lot of them produced in Texas. Even with a decrease in acreage and number of growers, sweet potato production in the state is becoming a larger operation.

The industry is not without its problems, however. In 1940 sweet potatoes represented 16 per cent of the \$26 million farm value of the 20 major vegetables in Texas, but in 1960 this figure had declined to 6.8 per cent of the \$64 million farm value of the 20 major vegetables.

What are causing the problems in the industry? Marketing problems developed from variations in quality caused by cultural practices, small acreages and low yields. Compounding these marketing problems is the fact that consumption per capita is decreasing, and the fresh and canned products compete with each other for the consumer's interest.

In a survey conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, sweet potato growers, shippers and wholesalers expressed a feeling that improvement of seedstock and better advertising of the industry are the most important needs for industry improvement. Something else that concerned the entire industry was obtaining the most desirable package for their products.

There are other problems confronting the sweet potato industry in Texas, and most of the people in the industry are interested in solving them. Perhaps a concerted effort on the part of everyone concerned will help solve some of the problems.

For a complete report of the findings of the Experiment Station survey, write the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas, and request a copy of MP-540, "Problems of the Texas Sweet Potato Industry."

Annual Reports To Social Security Due By April 15th

Social security beneficiaries who earned over \$1,200 from employment or self-employment in 1961, and were under the age of 72 in any part of the year, must file a report of their 1961 earnings with the Social Security Administration by April 15, 1962. Failure to so report may result in a loss of benefits, according to R. R. Tuley, Jr., manager of the Abilene Social Security District Office.

This report will enable the Social Security Administration to determine:

(1) whether all benefits possible were paid in 1961. If not, the additional benefits due for last year will be made.

(2) If more benefits were paid in 1961 than were due. If so, a refund of the amount of the overpayment will be requested.

(3) whether any benefit checks for 1962 should be withheld. This will be determined on the basis of the estimate of earnings for the year.

Tuley noted that beneficiaries who received no benefits in 1961 are not required to file the report. However, they are encouraged to do so as they may be entitled to receive some benefits for the year even though their total earnings greatly exceeded the \$1,200. Benefits can be paid to a beneficiary for any month in which he did not earn over \$100 as an employee and did not render substantial services in self-employment.

The annual report form has been simplified this year and, when it is received, may be completed at home, signed, and returned in the addressed envelope that is furnished.

If help is desired in completing the form or other information concerning social security status, contact should be made at the social security district office at 203 Fannin in Abilene, or with a representative of that office according to the schedule of area visits available at all post offices in the Abilene district.

tural Information Office, College Station, Texas, and request a copy of MP-540, "Problems of the Texas Sweet Potato Industry."

I Give You Texas

By the Late Boyce House

How does one go about producing a best seller? Luck, pure luck. At least, that was my experience. In the Spring of 1943, I was in Austin as a newspaperman covering the session of the legislature. The lawmakers recessed for the week end so I thought it would be pleasant to visit San Antonio and bask in the romantic atmosphere of sunshine and palm trees. But when the bus arrived in San Antonio, rain was pouring down. "When does the next bus leave for Austin?" I asked and the ticket agent replied, "It'll be late. The lawmakers recessed two hours." Wondering what I could do during that interval, I thought of Joe Naylor, the book publisher. I had heard him speak at a State Historical Association meeting in Austin but had never met him. If you are a writer (I had at that time written one book and it was out of print), it comes in handy to know a publisher. So I phoned. Naylor was in and invited me to come by. I had nothing in mind — just wanted to get acquainted — but when I was about to leave the office after a pleasant visit, I thought of a manuscript of mine. Now this manuscript had really gone the rounds. Ten big Eastern publishing houses had rejected it. The manuscript was so soiled from so much handling that I had re-typed it. Finally a publisher accepted it and then changed his mind. I had about given up, deciding that the manuscript was jinxed. But when I described the contents, Naylor said, "Send it on; I'll be glad to look at it." When I returned to my home in Fort Worth, I mailed it. After several months, he wrote a letter saying in substance, "I am inclined to publish your book." So we met for luncheon and a conference in the St. Anthony coffee shop. "How many copies do you think I should print, if I print it?" he asked. "A thousand copies are a lot of books but you couldn't very well print any less if you printed it at all" was the anxious author's reply. He nodded in agreement. But he had not definitely said he was going to publish it. So I did a little mental arithmetic. There were relatives and business associates to whom I should send a copy and perhaps, occasionally, someone, happening to near of the book, would order a copy from me — so eventually I could use a goodly number. "Joe," I said, "if you'll print the book, I'll buy a hundred copies." "Boyce," he said, "I'll print the book." The first edition was 2,000 copies and his supply was gone in a week. A second printing of 2,000 lasted only a week. Parents, wives and sweethearts were buying the little book to send to Texans in the armed forces all over the world. As the sales of "I Give You Texas" soared, the two most surprised men in Texas were the author and the publisher. It was months before I received my 100 copies but you may be sure there was no complaint at the delay. The total on "I Give You Texas" has reached 200,000 copies and every now and then somebody goes into a book store, even yet, and buys one. That about tells the story. Suppose it hadn't been raining in San Antonio that day or there had been a return bus to Austin in just a few minutes? It's just luck, that's all.

COMMITTEE NAMED FOR F. B. MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Board of Directors of the Eastland County Farm Bureau met in the Farm Bureau office in Eastland at 7:30 p.m., February 8, 1962.

Plans were made to have a membership drive in March. Mr. Cyrus Justice, membership chairman, appointed the following as co chairmen of the different committees to work with him: Cisco, Mrs. Beth Coats and Aubrey Easter; Gorman, Lauris Ann Brown and Luke Palmer; Ranger, John Love; Chaney, Bud Blackwell; Carbon, Marcel Justice and Cyrus Justice; Rising Star, A. W. Wright and Henry Reed; Scranton, R. L. Ricks and Lee Starr; Desdemona, Howard Wade and Ed Harrison; Nimrod, Jack Cizart and Herman Schaefer; Eastland, Pat Moseley and Cyrus Justice.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors who were so helpful and sympathetic during the loss of our beloved husband and brother, Frank Moore. May God bless each of you.

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A New Emphasis Needed?

Friday, March 2, is Texas Independence Day. The event has been only negligibly observed. Except for bank holidays and some patriotic recognition by ex-students of the University of Texas and other school and civic groups, its significance has been merged with the larger context of the Fourth of July. Even so, a statement recently made abroad by a high official of the United States government tends to give the Texas holiday a revised meaning. And, for that matter, the whole stream of American destiny which flowed west and southwest in the formative years of this nation.

According to the Attorney-General of the United States, replying to the question of an Indonesian student, the annexation of Texas and the subsequent U. S. - Mexican War were "unjustified" and "not a very bright spot" in American history.

It is unfortunate. Not that the people of Texas will be inclined to accept Bobby's pronouncement as authoritative, except as it may indicate how the wind blows out of Massachusetts. He seems, in other statements abroad to have been speaking officially.

Can it be possible that this singular crossing of Puritan conscience and Celtic political cunning has produced a new attitude toward historical American virtues and those traditions which made possible a rise from insignificance to riches and political affluence? If so, it is difficult to credit ignorance; the presumptions are too emphatic.

One wonders if it was a noble thing for the colony of Massachusetts to rebel against the mercantilism of the England of George III, but a dark and shameful episode in American history when a handful of Texans revolt against a Mexican butcher for essentially greater reasons?

The attorney-general, with honesty and certainly more respect for the great traditions of his country and the aspirations of freedom-loving men everywhere, could have taken opportunity to point out to his questioner that the causes for which the Texans of 1836 fought were the same ideals which the Indonesians of 1962 assert.

I hope it isn't true that we have come to such a poverty of self-respect that we must seek friendship in a frame of guilt; that we must tarnish our national shrines and betray our martyred dead to purchase support for an idealism we thereby admit not to have practiced.

Perhaps we need to give March 2 a new emphasis, and a renewed reverence.

He Should Have It

The President of the United States has asked authority to revise tariffs on a broader scale than permitted under the reciprocity law. The argument is that the growing economic importance of the free world combines, particularly the European common market, the competition of communist nations and the increasing dependence of the United States upon foreign sources of raw materials

ials require that this nation improve its competitive position or risk loss of its favorable trade balance. As a matter of fact, its present trade balance is a myth, for the money which we are sending abroad to maintain our military establishments on foreign soil and in the form of economic assistance to other nations cancels out the excess of what we sell abroad over what we buy and leaves us deeply in the red.

Not the least of the reasons for the increasing flight of capital and loss of trade by the United States is the policy of our large manufacturing concerns of establishing plants in foreign nations in order to get behind their tariff walls.

Unless we can find some means of leveling these barriers into areas of mutual and really competitive trade, we are likely to find ourselves increasing isolated from the foreign market, priced out of competition and still compelled to buy from them what we need to keep our domestic plant functioning. The health of a free economy requires as few and as less permanent artificial barriers as possible.

We think the President should have the authority he asks.

AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE

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

Washington, D. C. — In 1774 Edmund Burke, a member of the British House of Commons, expressed a scholarly theme, reconciling the views of the people, with experienced judgment and conscience of the elected official.

Edmund Burke was a champion of principles of representative government. He was a true friend of the New World Colonists, and those who planted some of the ideas on which our Constitution was founded.

The following was a part of Burke's speech delivered in the English Parliament in the year 1774, in response to stinging criticism that he was too friendly to the cause of self government for the American Colonies.

This is what he had to say of the attributes of a representative of the people in a legislative body:

"Certainly, gentlemen, it ought to be the happiness and glory of a representative to live in the strictest union, the closest correspondence and the most unreserved communication with his constituents. Their wishes ought to have great weight with him; their opinion high respect; their business unremitting attention. It is his duty to sacrifice his repose, his pleasure, his satisfactions, in theirs — and above all, ever, and in all cases, to prefer their interest to his own.

"But his unbiased opinion, his mature judgment, his enlightened conscience, he ought not to sacrifice to you, to any man, to any set of men living. These he does not derive from your pleasure, no, nor from the law and the Constitution. They are a trust from Providence, for the abuse of which he is deeply an-

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ed to re-affirm America's faith in itself after being so rudely jolted out of our smug certitude when the Soviets raced into space long ahead of us a few years ago.

There is no doubt that the Soviets achieved a propaganda coup as well as a scientific lead when they were first to orbit a satellite and followed up this feat with a succession of initial achievements leading to the first orbital space flight of a manned vehicle. It can be expected that they will achieve other "firsts" as a result of their lead.

This does not mean that they will continue to lead and that the United States and the free world will always lag behind the Soviets in this field. If there is any virtue in the free enterprise, or capitalist system, it points in the direction of our ultimately overtaking the Russian lead and surpassing them in the conquest of this new frontier.

Even in the matter of propaganda, America, to use an old Comanche expression, has "counted coup". Nothing has given so much authority and prestige to the American achievements in space as the policy of conducting them in full view of all the world. We have not been afraid to "lay it on the line", to challenge our rivals with the prospect of four failures as well as our successes. Such open honesty has cast a shadow of doubt upon the Soviet claims. It suggests that they are less confident of their system than they claim, and it gives reason to wonder, not only how much failure preceded their successes, but how much of truth there may be in their advertised achievements.

The Soviets may need their early lead. From the standpoint of talent and creativity, the communist system, of necessity, cultivates less ground. The field of study, experiment, trial and error, for all their advertised emphasis upon scientific training, is much more restricted in the Soviet system. Communist pseudo-determinism and political restraints do not encourage the venturesomeness and the production of ideas cultivated in the freedoms of a democratic society. Freedom of choice may be anathema to a controlled society, but it is a basic condition of pure research and without

IT'S THE LAW IN TEXAS

TIPS ON TAXES

The preparation of income tax returns require that you do a little thinking, a little reading of rules, and a little searching for the books and records you should have been keeping during the taxable year. This is the first in a series of articles designed to assist you in accomplishing your task.

Generally, you must file an income tax return if you receive gross income of \$600 or more during a calendar year. However, if you have reached 65 years-of-age by the end of the calendar year for which you are filing your return, you need not file a return unless you received over \$1,200 in gross income. These rules apply whether you are married or single, a minor or an adult.

Gross income refers to all amounts which you receive for work you perform and also includes income and profits which you receive from the investment and sale of property or savings. Income from savings includes interest credited to your savings account, whether or not you withdraw it. Gross income does not include amounts received by you as Social Security or Railroad Retirement pension benefits, gifts, inheritances or workmen's compensation benefits.

The specific form you use to submit your return is a matter of personal choice with you based upon the type of income you have, the type of exclusions you claim, and the amount of deductible expenditures you have incurred.

This year there are only two income tax forms available, the 1040 and the 1040A. Form 1040A, the "punch card" form, is by far the simpler of the two.

pure research scientific achievement ultimately languishes. Such research is a quest for truth, and it infers a willingness to "follow the gleam" no matter in what direction it may lead. This the Soviet political system with its prejudicial concepts and its dogmatism, will not permit. On the other hand, the free-ranging direction allowed by the democratic system guarantees that the maximum of genius inherent in society will be given opportunity and encouragement to express itself. The success of Col. Glenn at Cape Canaveral is a justification of a confidence in our system which cannot but generate a responsive confidence in the rest of the free world.

However, it may only be used if your income was less than \$10,000 and consisted entirely of wages reported on your withholding statement (Form W-2) and not more than \$200 total of dividends, interest, and other wages not subject to withholding. A husband and wife may file a joint return on Form 1040-A if their combined incomes do not exceed these limits. Form 1040A also may not be used if you itemize deductions, claim a dividend received credit or a retirement income credit or claim an exclusion for "sick pay".

Form 1040 has been revised this year, and the old 1040W has been eliminated. The new form has only two pages, similar to pages 1 and 2 of the old Form 1040. A new separate Schedule B replaces the items (except the summary of capital gains and losses) which formerly appeared on pages 3 and 4 of the old form. If your income is only from salary and wages and not more than \$200 of dividends and interest, you need only file pages 1 and 2.

The appropriate separate Schedule B (Supplemental Schedule of Income and Credits), C (Profit or Loss from Business or Profession), D (Gains and Losses from Sales or Exchanges of Property) or F (Schedule of Farm Income and Expenses) should be used if your income is not all of the type described.

Our tax laws are self-assessing in nature. This means that you, as the taxpayer, have a duty and obligation to report the facts and circumstances surrounding your receipt of income. The majority of simple tax returns can best and most properly be prepared by you, the taxpayer, after studying the instruction booklets available to you.

The Internal Revenue Service also makes available a booklet entitled "Your Federal Income Tax" to help you understand more complicated problems and more adequately submit the required information. Any problems which you might encounter should properly be referred to the various offices of the Internal Revenue Service or your lawyer for advice.

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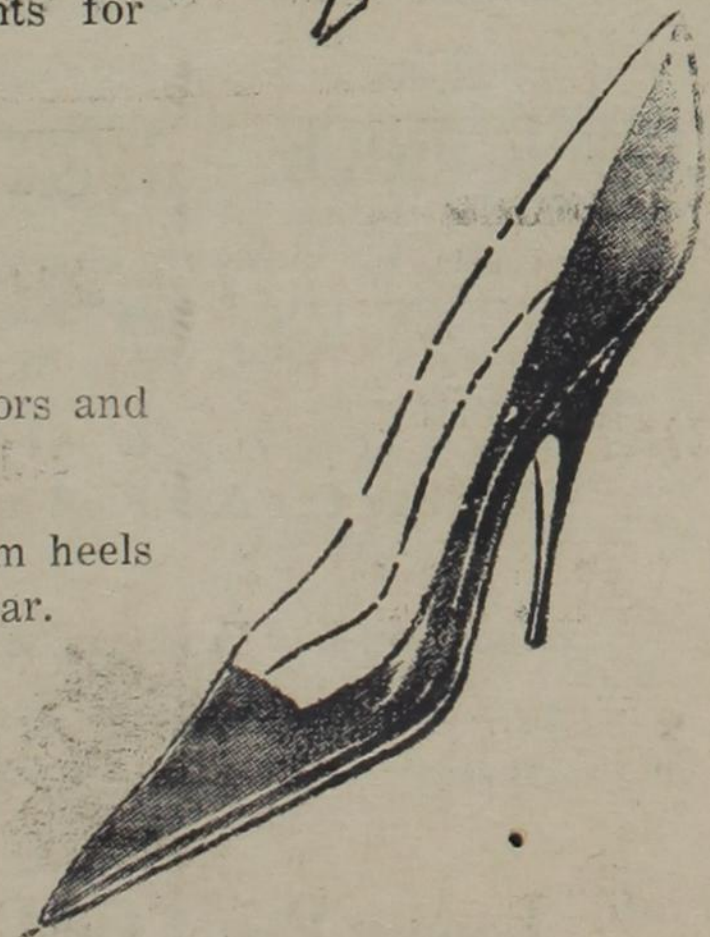
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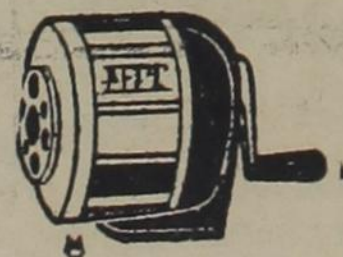
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NEWS FROM AMITY

By MRS. VIRGIL BRAMLET

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Vies, Mrs. O. L. Barnes, Mrs. Floyd Joyce and Marvin West of Rising Star were visitors during the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor.

Sorry, Henry Lindley is in Comanche hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Strain and children were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Craighead in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bramlet attended the funeral of Mrs. Ada Courtwright in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolf Richards and sons, Ronny and Rodney, were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tige Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dell Cornelius of Fort Worth visited in the

home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bramlet Saturday afternoon.

La Dean Lindley left Monday for the Houston Pat Stock Show. He is showing a calf and a lamb. Good luck, La Dean.

Mrs. Mamie Strain, Mrs. Fern McNeil and Pam Thomas of Grandbury were guests Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Strain.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jones and children were guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. Mollie Harris in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bramlet visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones in Comanche Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Robertson of Talpa, Mrs. Johnny Eilen and sons, Hank and David, of Odes-

sa, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Henderson of Gorman; and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harris of Rising Star recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. West visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin West in Rising Star Saturday.

Mrs. Mamie Graham of Cross Plains, Larry Moore of May, Ray Mereworth of Fort Hood and Darrell White of Rising Star were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. White.

Mrs. Mabel Smith returned to her home Monday after treatment in a Fort Worth hospital.

Mrs. Virgil Bramlet visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Seale of Sidney Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden White visited Henry Lindley, Sunday, who is ill in a Comanche hospital.

Bounty System Is Questioned In Predator Control

College Station. — Many Texas counties are still using the bounty system in an attempt to control predators. Ed Cooper, extension wildlife specialist, says that there is good evidence that this system is ineffective. Under the bounty system, the county or perhaps a livestock association, offers a reward for killing animals which occasionally prey on livestock or crops, or otherwise create a problem. The reward ranges from as little as 10 cents per head for crows to as much as \$75 for large animals such as wolves or coyotes.

Although nearly every wild animal has some definite positive values, control is sometimes necessary. The bounty system is not the way, however, says Cooper.

There are few, if any recorded instances where the offering of a bounty reduced predator numbers to the point where the problem no longer existed. This in itself should discourage perpetuation of the bounty system.

It has also been found that those suffering losses attempt a control program, regardless of whether or not a bounty is offered, points out Cooper.

Another weakness of the system is that dishonest practices usually occur. For example, people have been known to bring in coyotes killed in other counties to collect the bounty, and there is no way of disproving their claim. There are known cases where dog ears have been substituted for coyote or wolf ears where bounties are paid on the scalp alone.

SISTER DIES

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Lon Archer at Hendricks Hospital in Abilene. Her home was at Buffalo Gap. She is a sister of Ms. P. C. Larkin of Rising Star. Funeral services are pending.

Nephew Married February 16th In Ritual At Wickett

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flanagan returned Tuesday, February 21, from Monahans after visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harley E. Nay. They attended the wedding of James Nay and Wilma Fay Chapman at the Church of Christ at Wickett, Texas on February 16 at 3 p.m.

Mrs. Wanda Hardy, sister of the bridegroom was matron of honor. Glen Freeze, brother of the bride served as best man. Minister Cecil Greiger officiated in a double ring ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her brother.

The church was decorated in white chrysanthemums and greenery. The bride wore a navy blue suit with white accessories and a white corsage. All of the ladies in the wedding party wore white "mums".

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride, where a three-tiered wedding cake, baked by the groom's mother, was served with punch. About 75 relatives and friends were present. The couple will reside at 114 East Ninth street in Monahans. The groom is employed by Taylor Simpkins Implement Company, there.

The couple spent their honeymoon trip at the Indian Camp in the Davis Mountains.

Sgt. Lowell Hughes Assigned to Larson AFB

Sheppard AFB, Tex. — Staff Sergeant Lowell B. Hughes Jr., whose father resides at 5208 Flossman Road, Toledo, Ohio, is being assigned to Larson AFB, Wash., following graduation from the United States Air Force technical training course for missile facilities electrical technicians here.

Sergeant Hughes received special instruction in the maintenance of missile electrical systems and equipment.

He and his wife, the former Esther L. Gilbert of Carbon, Tex., have three children.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Small of Roswell, New Mexico, visited her sister, Miss Mary Hord, who is ill at the Rising Star Hospital. They have returned to Roswell.

SOCIETY, CHURCHES AND CLUBS

Written by Mrs. F. W. Edwards, Phone 5-3381

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Perry T. Brown, who teaches in the Public schools in Fabens, spent the week end here with her husband and daughters.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cooper recently were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Daugherty from Fort Worth and Mrs. Cooper's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Walker from Lawn.

Mrs. Florine Forbes and three children of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cox during the week end.

Mrs. L. B. Forbes, accompanied by Mrs. Hugh Green, visited Mrs. Forbes daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Utsey, in Denison Sunday Feb. 25.

Mrs. Lee Henry is visiting her children at Monahans, Fort Worth and at other places before she returns home.

Weaver Boyd of Andrews was here during the week end to accompany his wife to their home. She had been here visiting her sister, Mrs. Perry Valliant.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Pressley of Richardson came to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sprayberry, and stayed two days and nights. They were accompanied by their two boys.

Mrs. John McInnis attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fannie Brooks, wife of the late H. H. Brooks who lived at Lometa, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hudler are in Monahans on business.

Glan Cox of Johnson City was here to visit his aunt, Aunt Kate Jones, and also his cousin, Mrs. Mark Clark, and Mr. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Swift, accompanied by their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. "Smitty" Smith of Abilene, visited their sisters, Miss Ruby Ray Swift in Arlington, Mrs. Ivan Sargeant in Fort Worth, and Mrs. Cora

WCSA Meets For Luncheon And Business Session

The Rising Star WCSA met Monday at the First Methodist Church for the society's regular luncheon, followed by a program and business session.

The meeting was called to order by the president and the group sang, "Higher Ground" and "In the Garden."

Mrs. O. D. Carver gave the devotional with a Scripture lesson from the 23rd Psalm and Mrs. Beryl Heath led in prayer.

After quite a lengthy business meeting there was a brief program in which Mrs. J. W. Joyce sang "An Evening Prayer". The meeting was dismissed with the Society benediction.

Those present were Misses Loretta and Mary Pierce; and Mrs. Beryl Heath, Jay Rachel, J. W. Weathermon, Raymond Cray, O. D. Carver, J. R. Bury, L. B. Smith, M. S. Sellers, Marvin West, J. W. Joyce, C. H. Joyce and F. B. Joyce.

WMS Reviews Book At Meeting Monday, Feb. 26th

The W.M.S. of the First Baptist Church met on Monday, Feb. 26, in an all-day meeting to study a Home Mission Book, entitled "Glimpses of Glory", written by C. C. Warren. The book was introduced by Mrs. F. W. Respass who also reviewed the first chapter, "The Glory Sun."

Mrs. Raymond Turner gave a brief review of the second chapter, "The Camps Encircled"; Mrs. Oral Dav's spoke on the third chapter, "The Altar Bull"; Mrs. Lee Clark reviewed the fourth chapter, "The Trumpet Sounded"; and Mrs. Jimmie Fridge gave a review of the last chapter, "The Truth Triumphant."

Other members who attended the meeting were Mrs. Ella Wells, Mrs. J. W. Murphy, Mrs. Everett Parker, Mrs. Earl Marsh, and Mrs. Fred Roberts. The W.M.S. will soon observe a week of prayer for Home Missions and the Annie Armstrong Mission Offering.

"Answer to Security" YWA Program Theme

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of the W.M.S. met in the home of their sponsor, Mrs. Ira Hudler, on Feb. 21 and presented a program on "The Answer to Security". The Calendar of Prayer was read by Maria Geyer, and prayer was led by Cynthia Brown. Others who served on the program were Carol Harvell, Louise Fraley, Lovey Bishop and Ollie Winfrey. Mrs. Hudler led the closing prayer and afterwards served delicious refreshments. The Y.W.A. will meet again on March 7th and 21st.

VISIT HERE

Visitors in the home of Mrs. A. F. Shultz during the week end were her sister, Mrs. Ray Smith and daughter, Mrs. D. E. Worley, and Sue Wooley all of San Angelo, and Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Brown and three children of San Antonio. Mrs. D. E. Worley and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith while here. All of these relatives also visited Aunt Kate Jones at the May Nursing Home.

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March of Dimes Mothers Hold Key In Fight Against Crippling Disease

Some two million Marching Mothers, wearing the symbolic Golden Key of Hope, will appear on America's doorsteps toward the end of January asking support for the 1962 New-March of Dimes fight against crippling birth defects, arthritis and polio.

Why do these women brave winter weather to ask their neighbors for funds?

Mrs. Phyllis Sublett of Evansville, Ind., does it because experience with her fourth child, three-year-old Stevie, who was born with a birth defect, has shown her the need to have medical help more readily available in the community when an imperfect child is born.

"Stevie was born with an open spine and water on the brain in 1958, the year The National Foundation expanded its program to include birth defects," says Mrs. Sublett. "I had never heard of either condition. Since then I have learned that these malformations, and hundreds of other birth defects, afflict one out of every 16 babies born in this country each year."

"These children need help, their parents need to know where to find the specialists who can give prompt and effective treatment. I know now that the March of Dimes supports work in clinics to improve treatment, in laboratories to find the causes, and in building a network of diagnostic and treatment centers to make new knowledge available to everyone, not just those fortunate enough to live close to great medical institutions."

"The March of Dimes already supports nearly 50 centers throughout the country, and many more are being planned."

"That's why I'm in the Mothers' March—to let people know this help and hope exists. I want to ask their support so the 250,000 American babies born each year with birth defects need not go through life hopelessly disabled for lack of proper treatment."

In Denton, Tex., Mrs. Mona Grisham says, "Until our lit-



"IS MY BABY ALL RIGHT?"—More than 250,000 mothers of babies born with birth defects in the U. S. each year hear a heartbreaking reply to this question. Marching mothers will seek public support late in January for March of Dimes research and patient aid to control crippling birth defects and rheumatoid arthritis, just as polio has been controlled.

tle Sondra developed juvenile rheumatoid arthritis, I'd always thought arthritis was something you got when you reached old age. Now I know that thousands of children are stricken with it each year. It can twist and cripple little bodies with permanent disability if it's not caught and treated in time.

"I've seen the wonders accomplished at Arthritis Clinical Study Center at Parkland Hospital in Dallas supported by the March of Dimes, and I know that doctors in the laboratory there and elsewhere are working hard to find out what causes arthritis and how it can be prevented or cured. I'm a Marching Mother because I know firsthand how important this work is."

Marching Mothers across the nation have similar reasons. Mrs. George Dibbon of Kansas City, who lost a child born with a birth defect, marched actively until the past year. But then her own arthritis forced her to "retire" to a quieter paperwork and record-keeping job for the Mothers' March. In Tustin, Calif., Mrs. Polly

Spangler has been confined to a wheelchair since a paralytic polio attack in 1954. Yet she, too, enthusiastically works for the Mothers' March via the telephone, and prepares marchers' kits for distribution.

Multiply these shining examples by thousands, and you have the reasons for the scope of success of the traditional Mothers' March for the New March of Dimes. Mothers' March volunteers know there is a need for the cause they support, and they are determined to make every one of the 40,000,000 households they call on aware of the magnitude of the problem.

Mothers' March volunteers will be identified by a distinctive badge bearing the Golden Key of Hope, symbolizing medical progress against crippling diseases. Each will give those who open the doors a valuable health information slip summarizing basic information about birth defects, the most important unmet childhood medical problem today; as well as arthritis and rheumatic disease which afflict 11,000,000 Americans.

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Mrs. Ralph Hardy, Pres.

Mountain Top Pentecostal Church

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

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Rev. Ross Grace, Pstor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Preaching Services 11 a.m.
MYF 7 p.m.
W. S. C. S. Monday 2 p.m.
(Mrs. Clyde Nesbit, Pres.)
Prayer Services Wednesday evening following second Sunday.

First Baptist Church

May, Texas
Rev. Jack Riley, Pastor
Family night, Wednesday following fourth Sunday.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Preaching Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Prayer service Wednesday 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

PIONEER, TEXAS
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Worship Hour 11:00 A.M.
Bible Study 10:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening
Bible Study 7 p.m.

Church of Christ

May, Texas
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
(Bible alone is taught)
Preaching Services 11:00 a.m.
Preaching Services every Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

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

The Bible Baptist Church

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Sunday School 10:00
Morning Services 11:00
Evening Service 7:30
Prayer Meeting Wed. at 7:30
A hearty welcome to all!
Pastor, C. F. Cloud
Evening Church Services, 7:30
Bible Study Tuesday 7 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7 p.m.
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First Baptist Church

Rev. H. K. Neely, Jr., Pastor
Preaching hour 10:45 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. each Sunday.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
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Wednesday Evening Bible Class 7:30 p.m.

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Choir Practice, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.
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Mrs. Tommy Lewis, Organist
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Union Grove Baptist Church

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

Okra Baptist Church

Rev. Lee Fields, Carbon, Pastor
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Morning Services 11:30 a.m.
ETU 7 p.m.
Evening Services 8 p.m.

Long Branch Baptist Church

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

Assembly of God Church

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
C. A.'s and Children Church 8:30 p.m.
Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Night Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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FOR STATE SENATOR, 22nd
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NOTICE OF ELECTION

BE IT ORDERED; by City Council of the City of Rising Star, that an election be held at the City Hall on the first Tuesday in April 1962, it being the third day of said month, for the purpose of electing two City Aldermen to serve the City in this capacity for a period of two years. Filling the places of B. R. Jackson and Curt Smith, whose terms will expire at this time.

Said election shall be held in accordance with the State Election Laws.

Done by order of City Council in regular session on February 6, 1962.

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W. J. Armstrong, Well-Known Cisco Oil Man Buried

Death of William J. (Curly) Armstrong, 78, well-known oil man and long-time resident of Cisco, occurred at Graham Hospital, Cisco, at 10 a.m. Wednesday of last week after a brief illness.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Friday at Wylie Funeral Chapel, Cisco, with burial in Cisco cemetery.

Mr. Armstrong was a native of Missouri and grew up in Oklahoma. He was married December 17, 1910, to Erma Robinson in Nevada, Mo.

Mr. Armstrong came to Cisco in 1919 as West Texas superintendent for Humble Oil & Refining Company. After 10 years, he resigned and entered the oil business as an independent operator in partnership with his brother, Karl, who died last year.

A pioneer in the organization of the Permian Basin Oil & Gas Association, Mr. Armstrong was a longtime director. Two years ago, he was made an honorary director for life. He was among the first presidents of the Cisco Country Club, was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Shrine.

Surviving are his wife of Cisco; one daughter, Mrs. Jourdine Miller, Cisco; one grandson, Harris Miller, Cisco; one brother, Jim Armstrong of Pawhuska, Okla., and two sisters, Mrs. Eula Wilker and Mrs. Curtis Clymer of Pershing, Okla.

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Roberta, specialty actress with the TV Thrill-Orama Show, says, "There is never a dull moment in my job." Nightly during the performance she is decapitated, hypnotized, floated in thin air, subjected to the searing flames of burning torches, pierced with swords and made to vanish into the unknown. All this is in addition to her own specialty acts; but it is all in fun and she emerges smiling from each ordeal.

Lions Club to Present Ken Griffin Show At High School Gym Tuesday Night

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AUCTION

The Noah Griffin House and Lot, 1½ blocks north of the First Baptist Church in Rising Star, will be sold to the highest bidder Saturday, March 3, at 2 p.m. It will be sold on the property.

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North Star Club Assembles Easter Box For School

The North Star Home Demonstration club had 15 members present for its regular meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 20 when one new member, Mrs. Wilson Morris, was welcomed into the club.

Mrs. Jesse Perry gave the council report at the business session.

Two quilts were finished, one to be presented to the Jarvis family and the other to Mrs. W. V. Fenter, a club member who lost her home by fire before moving to Rising Star.

It was announced that a new supply of assorted greeting cards has been received. Cards may be obtained from Mrs. Mabel Ralston, Mrs. Ella Wells and Mrs. C. E. Baker. Proceeds from their sale will be used in helping various fund drives.

An Easter gift box is being assembled for the Travis State School at Austin and donations of the following will be greatly appreciated:

Empty spools, buttons, pencils, crayolas, men and boys clothing, ages 1 to 90 years, picture magazines, used greeting cards, candy, cookies, chewing gum and etc.

The highlight of the day was a beautiful display of handmade quilt blocks ordered from Miss Sallie Hill who works through Progressive Farmer. Any club member may get these for a limited time. The patterns may be copied by anyone and may be used as projects by the club. There are blocks from all states of the Union in the display, which was very ably presented by Mrs. Burkhead.

It was announced that a furniture refinishing workshop will be held at the club house by the county HD agent, Mrs. Beverly Nicholson, on March 8.

The workshop is open to anyone and further details will be announced soon. All supplies may be obtained from Higginbotham's. — Mrs. Ella Wells, Reporter.

Visit Mrs. Everett Parker Here Sunday

Rev. and Mrs. Herff Epperson of Brownwood visited her aunt, Mrs. Everett Parker, Sunday, Feb. 25. Rev. Epperson is a Senior student in Howard Payne University.

Edward Stanfield, a nephew of Mrs. Everett Parker's also visited her here Sunday. He is in the Merchant Marine in the Great Lakes District.

Margarite Stanfield, a niece of Mrs. Everett Parker, is attending the Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Rising Star Fire Department and all the friends and neighbors who worked to extinguish the grass fire at my ranch last week.
Skeet Clark

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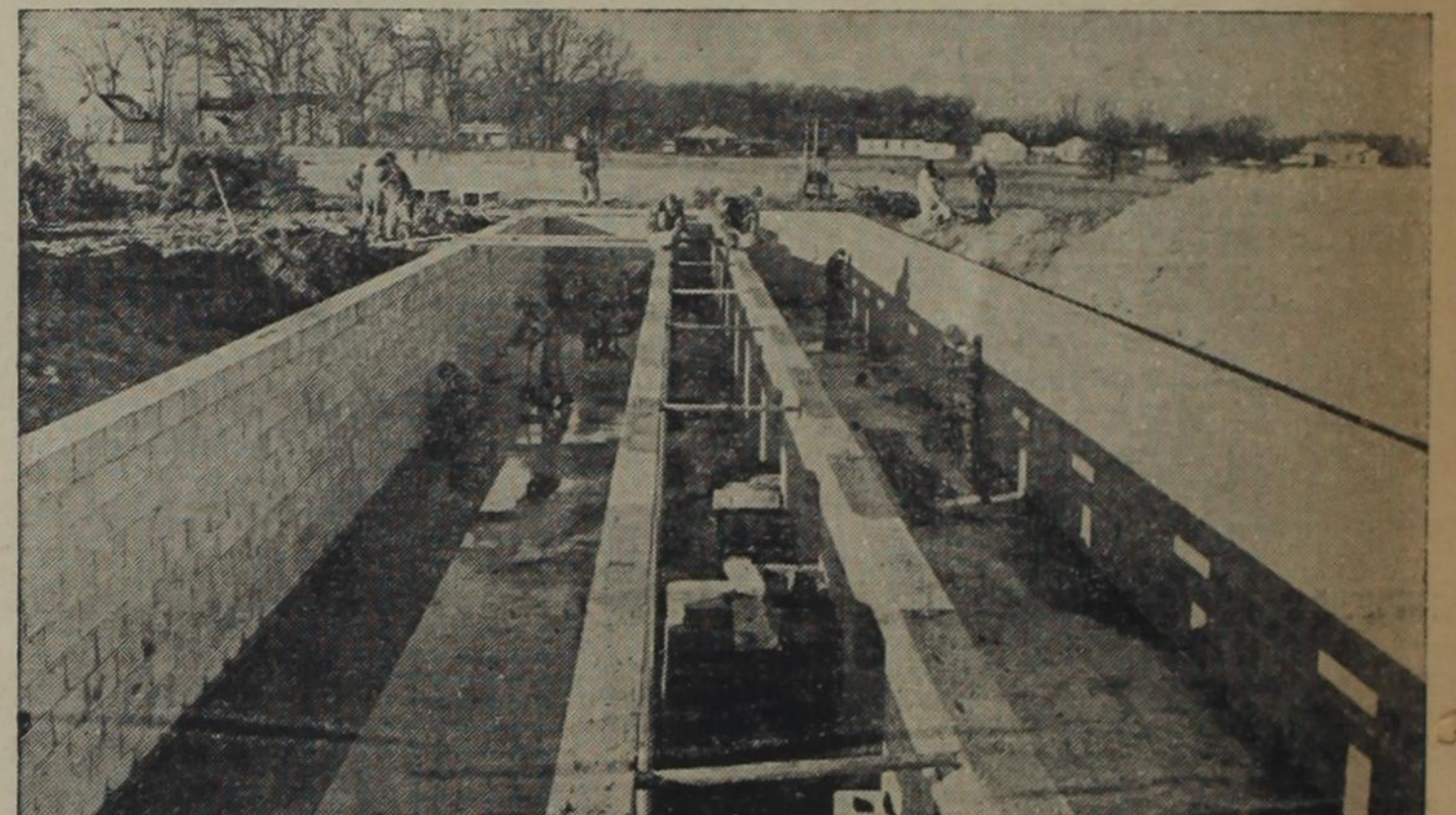
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| FLOUR | GLADIOLA 10 POUND BAG | 95¢ |
| SHORTENING | VEGETOLE 3 POUND CARTON | 63¢ |
| SUGAR | POWERED OR BROWN POUND BOX | 2 for 29¢ |
| BEANS | RANCH STYLE | 2 for 29¢ |
| SPINACH | DEL MONTE NO. 300 | 2 for 29¢ |
| FRUIT COCKTAIL | DEL MONTE NO. 2½ CAN | 37¢ |
| GRAPEFRUIT JUICE | TEXSUN 46 OUNCE | 29¢ |
| PICNICS | lb. 29¢ | CAMPFIRE THICK SLICED BACON 2 lb. box 89¢ |
| CHEESE | 2 Lb. 59¢ | BISCUITS 3 for 25¢ |



COMMUNITY FALLOUT shelter in Laketon Township, near Muskegon, Mich., under construction on a do-it-yourself basis by men from most of the families which joined in a non-profit corporation to pay for the underground shelter. Participants pay \$40 per family member if they work on the shelter, and \$75 per person if they don't. The shelter, now entirely covered by earth and nearing completion, will include a community room, kitchen, lavatories, 25 family compartments, deep well, a gasoline-operated generator and standby generator, and a control room and radio room for outside communication during an emergency. (Muskegon Chronicle Photo)

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott and Miss Florence Scott over the week end were their neices and nephews, Miss Florence McCaskill of Portland, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. Forest Barton and Spear McCaskill of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCaskill of Houston.

Worth, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Joyce are enjoying a visit of two of their grandchildren, Scott and Laura McLeod, of Fort Worth, ages 2 and 3½ years.

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| PEACHES | ROSEDALE NO. 2½ CAN | 25¢ |
| FLOUR | GOLD MEDAL 5 POUND BAG | 49¢ |
| FISH STICKS | FRIONOR FROZEN 10 OUNCE PKG. | 35¢ |
| GREEN PEAS or SQUASH | STOKELYS FROZEN 10 OUNCE PKG. | 19¢ |
| VEL | LARGE SIZE BOX | 25¢ |
| CRUSHED PINEAPPLE | DIAMOND NO. 300 CAN | 19¢ |
| BISCUITS | CAN | 10¢ |
| OLEO | SOLID POUND | 19¢ |
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| SAUSAGE | FRESH MADE PURE PORK 2 POUNDS | 79¢ |
| BEEF RIBS | FOR STEW OR BAR-B-Q POUND | 29¢ |
| DRY SALT IOWL | Lb. 25¢ | VERI-BEST CHEESE 2-Lb. Box 69¢ |