

During the general election early in November Gov. Preston Smith called The Rising Star from his home in Lubbock where he had gone to cast his ballot. It was in a real sense, a pre-Thanksgiving Day message.

He wanted to tell the people of Rising Star, for whom the governor feels a particular affection, of his gratitude for the support that they have given him in his several state political campaigns.

He talked with Mrs. Vada Arnold, who was, understandably, quite excited by receiving a call from the governor of the state so unexpectedly.

It was a most thoughtful gesture on the part of the Governor and one that reveals, very commendably, the character of the man who sits in the chair of the highest office in the state. Texas has been fortunate in the integrity and the ability of the man whom they have chosen for their political leadership, and we are, in my opinion, certainly fortunate in having at the helm of the state government a man of the ability and the character of Preston Smith. He is not only an able governor, but a courageous one. The fact that he remembers and treasures the friendship and political support of the people of a little community enough to pick up a telephone and send them a personal message from 250 miles away even before he knows the outcome of the balloting that decides his political fate, suggests that he is also a man of humility and appreciation.

It is certainly in the spirit of the Thanksgiving season, and I would like at this time, to express my thanks for Gov. Smith and others of our state's political leaders who, in spite of difficulties and human errors, are doing a commendable job and helping to keep Texas among the most respected of the American family.

The call that the Governor made to Rising Star was one in spirit to all the small communities around Texas. He has always been close to the "little people" and a great deal of his campaign time has been spent in visiting and talking with them. He has been to Rising Star several times, speaking at chamber of commerce dinners and visiting in the stores and public offices and the homes, and he has a number of warm personal friends in the community.

We appreciate very much his thought of the small towns. It is comforting to know that they have the concern and the affection of the Governor of the State while he endures the great pressures of an office which has to deal mostly with problems created by the crowding and often overriding needs of the big urban centers.

Those who watched the NBC Saturday night movie "Return of the Seven," may be interested to know that it was written by the son-in-law of an area couple.

The script author was Larry Cohen of Beverly Hills, California, whose wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Webb of Rising Star. Bobby Cohen, son of the Larry Cohens, is a student in the Rising Star Junior High School.

The elder Cohens visit here quite frequently. Mrs. Cohen in her own right is an accomplished photographer who sells frequently to some of the big shows in the television world.

They are an interesting as well as highly talented couple.

ATTEND FESTIVAL

Rev and Mrs. Milton Slayden of Bedford and Dr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson, district superintendent of the Cisco district of First United Methodist Church, attended the Harvest Festival celebration in Rising Star, Saturday.

MRS. ALLEN HOME

Mrs. Vic Allen, wife of Rev. Vic Allen pastor of First Baptist Church, is at home after spending two months in Eastland Memorial Hospital following a severe backache.

We Honor Our Ancestors On This Thanksgiving



This year, the 350th since the landing of the Pilgrims at Plymouth Rock, we give Thanks for the courage and faith of our ancestors in seeking a new Life and making real the Freedom that we enjoy.

Perpetual Fund For Cemetery Upkeep Growing

The Rising Star Cemetery Perpetual Fund continues to grow with unsolicited donations.

Mrs. Louis Mayfield has announced with thanks, a \$500 contribution by Mrs. D. Breeding of Rising Star. Mrs. Breeding's gift will add to the permanent endowment from which only the interest will be used for cemetery upkeep.

Those who wish to make gifts that will endure in memory of friends and loved ones, will find the fund for perpetual maintenance of the cemetery a wonderful opportunity for such purpose, said Mrs. Mayfield.

A donation of \$5 for the current fund of the cemetery from M. I. Watkins, Plainview, Texas, was also acknowledged with thanks.

Perry Spenny Buried Here

Masonic graveside services for Perry C. Spenny, 69, former Rising Star resident, were held here at 2:30 p.m., Friday, November 20. The Rising Star Masonic Lodge had charge of rites.

Mr. Spenny died Tuesday Nov. 17, in Haskell Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were held in the First United Methodist Church at Haskell with the pastor, Rev. H. O. Abbott, officiating.

Mrs. Burkhead Is North Star Hostess

The North Star Club met in the home of Mrs. Clara Burkhead last week.

Mrs. Burkhead gave the devotional reading from the book of Isaiah, the 30th chapter, 15-21, and Psalm 27-14. She led the group in prayer, "Standing on The Promises" was sung.

The club gave \$5 to the Boy Scout fund, \$10 to Boys Panch at Amarillo and \$2.50 to the T. B. Association. Refreshments of Ritz sandwiches, Brownies, hot chocolate and popcorn were served. Games of Bingo were enjoyed. Mrs. Mabel Ralston, Reporter.

IT HAS BEEN

By Vada Arnold

As a "young man's fancy lightly turns to love in the spring time." So our fancy turns to eating on Thanksgiving Day.

We go to modern food markets to buy plump Butter Ball turkeys, perfectly dressed, put up in cellophane sacks topped with lovely mesh bags of pastel yellow, pink and blue; pickles and relishes in glass jars; fruits of all kinds, frozen or canned vegetables and various ready-prepared and cooked in electric or gas burning cook stoves in ultra modern kitchens.

In comparison we look back to early day kitchens with huge iron burning cook stoves, tin safes for storing food, no running water, no sinks, no tile or linoleum floor coverings, only smooth pine floors scrubbed until they were glossy.

With kitchens of this description it would be beside the point to pass up the old time grocery stores. There were stone crocks filled with ten-pound lots of apple butter. Pickles came in barrels and stood open to be dipped from the barrel with a not too clean dipper that hung on the side of the barrel. Nothing was quite so delicious as those fat, briny pickled cucumbers and believe it or not a dime's worth of this juicy luxury was enough to serve with a crowd at a meal. Cracker barrels were a must, filled to the top with large square soda crackers, and if you were a well behaved-child the friendly groceryman invited you to "reach in and get a cracker" free of charge, a morsel of that kind was indescribable. If the child's mother bought a good sized bill of groceries a paper bag of crackers was thrown in as a courtesy.

There were boxes on the counter filled with chewing tobacco, snuff and cob pipes. Thirty pound buckets of candy were a temptation to every customer. It was called "Liberty Mix" and a nickles worth was candy enough for three hungry children. As gifts a dime's worth was bought. Butchers dressed their own beef in those days and sold choice steak for .15 per pound, roasts .19 per pound. Liver was given away, large meaty soup bones sold for a dime each and pork sausage .10 a pound.

Arbuckle Coffee packed in one pound paper bags contained large stick of peppermint candy. Farmers brought butter in from the farm in different sized packages wrapped in clean wet cloths. Customers would unwrap and taste each package to make sure of fresh butter before buying. The majority of people either raised their Thanksgiving turkeys or bought them from nearby farms. The birds were cooped and fed rich foods daily in preparation for the great day. At the proper time the poor fowls neck was laid across a log at the wood pile and a sharp axe was raised and the turkey was decapitated in the twinkling of an eye. There was the process of picking feathers and pin-feathers, and all other steps in preparation for cooking. Finally the turkey was placed on a tray and left near an open window over night. Early the next morning the oven was heated and baking started. There were barrels of dry picked turkeys shipped in with feet on and entrails in. Weather was cool enough to keep turkeys with out regret.

Mrs. Mary Marsh Buried Nov. 25 At Rising Star

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Wilmoth March, 72, were held in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 25, with the Rev. Vic Allen, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in the Cisco Cemetery, under the direction of Higginbothams.

Mrs. Marsh died at Mims Hospital in Comanche at 9:25 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 23, after a brief illness.

Born July 1, 1898, in De Leon, Texas, she was married to Carl W. Marsh at Gorman Dec. 1, 1921. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband of the home in Rising Star; one daughter, Mrs. Mary Warren of Lubbock; two brothers, Grady Owen, Fort Worth, and Lorraine Owen of Eastland; one sister, Mrs. Hallie Acker, Rising Star and one grandchild.

Saturday Club Sees Film On Conservation

The Saturday Club met Wednesday, Nov. 18, at the clubhouse. The invocation was given by Mrs. James Haney. Roll call was answered by a response about conservation.

Mrs. Hill Buried In Sipe Springs

Funeral services for Mrs. Oma Lee Hill, 63, were held in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel at 10 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 21. Burial was in the Sipe Springs cemetery under the direction of Higginbothams. Mrs. Hill died at 1:35 a.m. at her home in Gatesville following a brief illness.

Born August 10, 1907, in Pottawatomie County, Okla., she married Charles Ray Hill in Rising Star and made her home here for several years. Survivors include her husband of Gatesville; two sons, Jack W. Milner, of Richardson and Gene Milner of Monument, Colo.; two daughters, Mrs. Winona Burzenski of Sarasota, Fla.; and Mrs. Bobby Clough of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Hollenbeck, Oklahoma City, Okla., and Pat Crowder of Olton; eight grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Grid Title Settled, Cats Turn To Basket Ball Play

Richland Sprs. Wins Toss For District Crown

Richland Springs correctly called the fall of a coin flipped by Supt. Victor Childers of Rising Star at a meeting Friday night in Brownwood and the three-way tie for the right to represent District 18-B in the play-offs was abruptly dissolved.

The meeting followed the Richland Springs 18-8 victory over Eden at Richland Springs. Santa Anna and Rising Star were eliminated by the toss and turn this week to the basket ball season.

Richland Springs will meet Meridian in the play-offs. While the Rising Star girls, coached by L. C. Housnel, have already played several games, the Rising Star boys will play their first here Tuesday night, December 1, in a twin bill with the girls. They will meet teams from Gustine.

Both the boys, coached by Frank Gray, and the girls are in good prospect. The boys lost only one starter from last year's team.

Following the Gustine games here, the Rising Star boys and girls will play in the Cross Plains invitation tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week.

On December 17, 18 and 19, Rising Star will host an invitation tournament.

District play will begin January 5.

Following the Gustine game of the season schedule for both teams:

- December 8 - Goldthwaite here; December 11 - Cross Plains, here; December 15 - May, there; December 17, 18 and 19 - Rising Star tournament; December 29 - Bangs, here; December 31-January 1, 2 - Early Tournament; January 5 - Gustine, there; January 8 - Gorman, here; January 12 - Carbon, here; January 15 - May, here; January 19 - Putnam, there; January 22 - Moran, there; January 26 - Gorman, there; January 29 - Carbon, there; February 5 - Putnam, here; February 9 - Moran, here.

Drug Evils Are Discussed at P-TA Meeting

Mrs. Weldon Hill called the meeting of P T A, to order on Tuesday, November 23.

Opening prayer was offered by Minister James Haney. Mrs. James Haney introduced Mr. Hernandez of the Abilene Police Department. He spoke on "What The Law Says About Drugs."

Mr. Hernandez displayed many samples of drugs most commonly used and explained the danger of all. He answered numerous questions and as he stowed films he explained the evils of drugs and their usage.

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Raymond Wade showed a film on Conservation and Wildlife and lectured as he showed the film. Everyone enjoyed and profited by this worthwhile part of the program.

Members present were Mmes. Robert Butler, C. M. Carroll, Lee Clark, Fred Cook, Helen Donham, James Haney, Della Hickman, C. H. Joyce, F. B. Joyce, Louis Mayfield, Roy Noah, Sam Polk, Fred Tunnell, Lloyd Coker, Mr. Wade (a visitor) and Miss Elizabeth Robertson.

Mrs. Lee Clark was hostess for the day and served pie and coffee.— Mrs. Robert Butler, Reporter.

Rev. and Mrs. Jay Beavers and Jana of Colleyville were weekend visitors and attended the First United Methodist Harvest Festival at the American Legion Hall, Saturday.



VISUAL AID—Mrs. Dean Madison, in charge of the Visual-Audio Director at Cisco Junior College, is shown here with the television camera she uses in making video tapes for use in class at the college. Mrs. Madison is the wife of the Dean of Students, and she and her husband are well known in the Rising Star area where they have a ranch. Mr. Madison is a nephew of Frank Madison of May.

'Try to Remember' To Mail Early Local Postmaster Urges for Yule

Rising Star Postmaster, Mrs. Cliffigene Witt has urged residents "to try to remember" that recommended mailing dates for civilian domestic Christmas mails start the first of December.

The national Christmas "mail early" theme this year, he explained, is based on the familiar musical tune "Try to Remember." "The idea," he said, "is to have our customers remember recommended mailing dates. This will insure fast and efficient delivery of parcels and cards and prevent disappointments for friends and family members. Of course, it will also be a big help to your post office."

Key suggested latest dates by which Christmas mail should be deposited are as follows, but the Postmaster urged customers to mail earlier wherever possible:

- a. Distant States, Parcels, Dec. 1; Greeting Cards Dec. 10; b. Local and Nearby Areas, Parcels, Dec. 11; Greeting Cards Dec. 15; Alaska and Hawaii a. Surface Mail, Parcels, Nov. 30; Greeting Cards, Dec. 4; b. Airmail Mail, Parcels, Dec. 14; Greeting Cards, Dec. 14. In addition the postmaster noted several key dates applying for civilian international mail, as follows: To Canada and Mexico—Surface Parcels, Dec. 4; Greeting Cards, Dec. 9; and Air Parcels to Mexico, Dec. 16. To South and Central America—Surface Parcels, Nov. 12; Greeting Cards, Nov. 18; and Air Parcels, Dec. 14. These same dates apply for the various types of mail for Europe. Dates for international mails to other parts of the world are usually posted in post office lobbies, but, in case of questions, consult the local post office.

Earlier the postmaster announced deadlines required on military mail going overseas, as follows: Nov. 6 for surface parcels, Nov. 29 for "SAM" (space available parcels), and Nov. 27 for "PAL" (parcel afloat service). Further details on these basic parcel services for the military, as well as dates applying for other mailings to servicemen are also available at the post office.

Week of Prayer Meetings Set

Baptist Women's Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions begins Monday, Nov. 30. All ladies are invited to attend these meetings at 2 p.m. each afternoon. Meetings will be held in homes. Hostesses are: Monday—Mrs. B.B. Morris; Tuesday—Mrs. C. E. Baker; Wednesday—Mrs. Vic Allen and Mrs. Carl Smith, at the parsonage; Thursday—Mrs. C. A. Watson, and Friday—Mrs. Agnes White. On Saturday, Nov. 21 seven girls and leaders from the First Baptist Church of Rising Star went to Travis Avenue Baptist Church in Fort Worth to the State "Aetens' Celebration." The theme was "Use Me In Love, Peace and Missions." Nine hundred twenty two seventh, eighth and ninth grade girls and their leaders were registered. Speakers were Mr. and Mrs. James Humphries who had served for four years as missionary associates in Viet Nam and Miss Jane Horton, a missionary journeyman to Brazil. The music throughout the day was presented by the New Hope Singers, a youth choir group from Plymouth Park Baptist Church in Irving. The day was very inspirational to the Rising Star girls and their leaders. Mrs. Rex Long and Mrs. Billy T. Carpenter, Girls attending from Rising Star were, Sharon Wilson, Susan Walker, Inell and Nelda Teague, Dodie and Taronna Chambers, and Dorothy Bishop.

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generation.
There were barrels of sauer kraut and pickled green beans in stores. Milk was dipped from five-gallon cans and sold to customers who brought a bucket or pitcher to take it home. Eggs by the dozen were sold and taken home in paper sacks. Cheese in large hoops was placed on the counter and cut with a large butcher knife in the amount ordered by customers.
Each grocery store ran a horse drawn delivery cart, and to have groceries delivered was a mark of prestige for a housewife.
When kerosene oil was bought for lamps, Mr. Groceryman always placed a small Irish potato on the spout of the oil can to keep oil from spilling on other items in the grocery basket.
These old time grocery stores may sound crude and unsanitary to modern, germ-minded housewives but they answered the purpose and our fathers and grandfathers seemed to thrive eating food from such places, and were deeply grateful for the blessing of their day.

Hanna Attends Orientation Meet At Austin
AUSTIN — SP — District 53's newly elected State Representative, Joe C. Hanna, was in Austin Thursday and Friday to attend a Legislative Orientation Meeting in the State Capitol.
In a welcoming address, House Speaker Gus F. Mutscher discussed his feelings as he approached his first session of the Legislature some ten years ago and talked of the challenges facing the 62nd Legislature.
"Just as each man's district is different, each of you will search for your own formula for public service," Mutscher said. "The record and the respect you gain as an elected official stem from the manner in which you represent your district."
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BY
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Shirley White and Junior Smith Wed In Ritual Here November 21

Miss Shirley White and Junior Smith repeated wedding vows in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. I. A. White, in Rising Star Saturday, Nov. 21, at 7:30 p.m.

WSCS Meeting Held Monday

The Womens Society of Christian Service of the United Methodist Church met Monday afternoon for a Christian Social Relations program.

Ten members were present. "Wonderful Words of Life" was opening song. Miss Madge Bell led the prayer. Mrs. Mabel Ralston gave the devotional, reading scripture from the 25th chapter of Matthew and gave a prayer. Mrs. John Stock talked on "The Alarming Use of Drugs," in Texas. And the many Community Centers and Mission Schools for the training and betterment of people. Mrs. Loyd Coker told the story "More Than a Cup of Water." Mrs. E. A. Hull closed the meeting with prayer. Mrs. E. A. Hull, Reporter.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of bridal satin accented with a jacket of white lace. She carried a white Bible topped with white orchids and rose buds.

Rev. L. L. Lewis read the vows. Mrs. Jim Hargrove, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Her gown was of red velvet, she carried a white rose.

Bill Smith of Abilene served as his brothers best man. A three-tiered wedding cake and punch were served from a table laid in white lace centered with a red centerpiece. Wanda Lee and Mona Buchanan of May presided at the table.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hayden White of May. She is a graduate of the May School. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith of Sidney, a graduate of May High School, and is presently serving in the United States Army at Fort Carson, Colo., where the couple will reside.

Rev. Smith Sent To Kennedale

Transfers of ministers within the Central Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church this month have resulted in sending the Rev. J. Herbert Smith recently appointed to the Blanket and May charges, to the Kennedale charge near Fort Worth. The transfer is effective December 1.

NIMROD NEWS

By Mrs. Eva Stroebel

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ziehr and sons of Sweetwater spent Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ziehr, zart last week. Mrs. Broom and daughter remained for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams of Big Springs were recent visitors of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cozart.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carlile of Abilene visited his brother Dale Carlile and family one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Broom and daughter of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Co-

Mr. and Mrs. G. Stroebel and Mrs. Maud Hill spent Wednesday of last week with Mrs. A. R. McBeth in Cisco. Also visiting there were Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Johnston of Stephenville. Mr. Johnston is

a cousin of the three ladies.

Mrs. Buford Cozart visited her mother, Mrs. Ben Williams in Rising Star Monday of last week.

Tommy Pope of Cisco spent Thursday night with Warren Carlile.

Mrs. Otto Nauret and her mother, Mrs. Otto Wende of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schaefer Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Dan Jackson and children attended a birthday party in the home of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pence in Cisco Thursday night.

Mrs. Vernie Allen is visiting her mother in Grandview, Okla.

Mrs. Pearl Donaway of Dallas and Mrs. Ethel Manning of Cisco visited Mrs. Schaefer Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Townsend of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Townsend Tuesday.

Bobby Cozart of Haskell spent last weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cozart.



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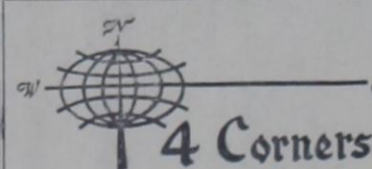
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Tomorrow will be a new day. Relatives will go home, and only vague memories are left. People will be less forgiving and less generous. Thanksgiving will be remembered as a holiday where friends gathered and no work had to be done. Is this the right feeling that should prevail? Should we see Thanksgiving only as a holiday. Our attitude should be that Thanksgiving serves as a revival of our spirit and mind. Make this day a joyous one, but do not let it end at 12,00. Keep your thoughts forgiving and give "Thanks" every day for loved ones and the opportunities offered each of us in this beautiful land of America—your country, my country, a great part of God's world.

VICKIE STEWART
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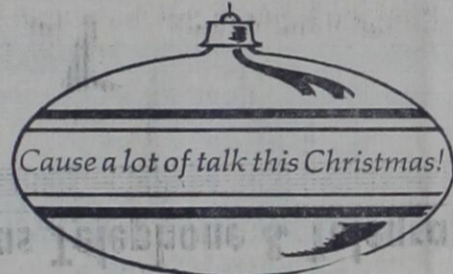
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We seniors were very pleased with our Coronation. We were very proud of four fellow seniors, Mary Hubbard, who was the queen, and Brad Carroll, another senior, who crowned her. We would like to thank the ladies who decorated the stage for the wonderful job that they did. It gave us seniors something to think back on and be proud of next year when we have graduated.

In English IV we are studying the outstanding English poet, Alfred Lord Tennyson. In Chemistry we are balancing equations and figuring standard temperature and pressure problems. In Civics we are studying the responsibilities of the President of the United States.

We are still selling light bulbs and would like very much to sell all of them before Christmas. We only have a few left and would like to get rid of them.

V.S. do you know anything about the green phantom? B.C. you should wear your hair braided all the time. It really looks good on you; so long for now from the seniors.

PAT

WILLING TO LEARN

Hi. I hope everyone is enjoying the Thanksgiving holidays as much as I am.

The Coronation, which was Nov. 17, was very pretty; everyone enjoyed it.

In Alg. II we are studying rational numbers and expressions. The American History class began a new unit—"Division and Reunion." In English III class we are studying Washington Irving; in Typing we are learning to type themes.

The next girls' basketball game will be Nov. 24 with Eastland. The game will be played there.

That's all.
MARY JANE KIZER

NOT FINISHED— JUST BEGUN

It is really wonderful to have a vacation from school for a little while. The Sophomores are going to enjoy this Thanksgiving holiday.

Everyone received report cards last Wednesday, and we have already begun the third six weeks. Before we know it, midterm tests will catch us not ready.

In World History we are studying how the European built colonial empires. In Algebra I we are learning how to work problems with consecutive integers. In Biology we are studying microscopic plants and animals. In English II we are reading another play entitled "Twelve Angry Men." The Homemaking girls are busy delivering tupperware; a truck load came in last week.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING
DEBBIE

IN THE FISH BOWL

Hi! In Algebra I we are still studying equations. The English I class is reading a novel by Charles Dickens "A Tale of Two Cities." In Biology microbiology is very interesting right S.J.B.?

The Coronation was great. Our band did a superb job and so did the soloist, Our Queen looked lovely.

Cliff Tarleton is still in Eastland Hospital; his room number is 28. He's been in the hospital nearly a month and all the Fish would like to see Cliff up and around at R.S.H.S.

All the News—
MARY LEE

"AGRICULTURALLY SPEAKING"

There was a mix-up on the citrus fruit project. We discovered that orders must be mailed in by December, so this week is our deadline. The fruit is always the best and we got very few complaints. The 3/4 bushel box sells for \$5.50; same price for both oranges and grapefruit; all to be delivered about Dec. 12. If you have not been contacted and would like to purchase some fruit, see any FFA member and he will take your order. We have had good response to the project so far.

The FFA and FHA held a joint meeting at the football field last Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Ezell gave an interesting presentation with their sheep dogs. We appreciated Mr. and Mrs. Ezell's cooperation on this.

The Ag. I boys are on wood-work projects in the shop. Shoe-Shine kits seem to be the most popular project. They are a bit expensive, right boys? It takes quite a bit of lumber to build one.

The Ag. II boys are also working in the shop. Ag III boys are still in the classroom studying animal reproduction.

That's it for this week—
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