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Through The Editor's Specs

Some years ago Dr. James Whittington, Eastland ear, eye, nose and throat specialist, proposed a plan for the reorganization of the public schools of the county on a county-wide consolidation basis.

Dr. Whittington's efforts to sell his program to the county aroused so much opposition and even antagonism that the good doctor, in disgust of so unprogressive a section and moved his practice to Fort Worth.

The trouble with his plan was that it was 15 or 20 years too soon. Like Banquo's ghost it has now reappeared.

In its published report, a copy of which lies on my desk, the committee advocates with some exceptions, that a county unit of organization be adopted.

This scheme of organization is in keeping with the committee's recommendation that a district have not less than 2,500 scholastics, except where geographic and population factors forbid.

No existing district in the county has sufficient scholastics to qualify under that requirement.

The fact that such a reorganization is recommended does not mean that the State Legislature will adopt it as designed, but the State and Federal governments through whom is furnished most of the financing, can be powerfully persuasive.

You can look for a radical reorganization of our public schools within the next few years.

The question of whether or not it will hurt the communities economically is debatable. It is not a question to be answered hastily. Communities which have lost their schools entirely have gone into decline.

35 Bushel Average Peanut Crop Seen

Peanut crop prospects for 1968 indicate a yield somewhere between the bumper production of 1966 and last year's good crop, County Agent Dee Gordon, said this week.

Mrs. Ethel Brown Buried In Service At Dallas Sept. 24

Mrs. Ethel Irby Brown, 3924 Penrod, Dallas, died Sept. 24 at 11 p. m. Funeral services were held in Lamar-Smith Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Olin Tunneil, pastor of Cockrell Hill Methodist Church, officiating, assisted by a Church of Christ minister.

Born in Rising Star Nov. 4, 1886, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Irby, she grew up in Rising Star, attended local schools until she graduated from high school.

She was married to B. F. Brown of Runnels County Dec. 25, 1913, in the home of her parents.

Mrs. Brown was very active in the Methodist Church. She is survived by one son, Irby Brown of Raton, New Mex.; two daughters, Mrs. Marjorie Lacy of Dallas and Mrs. Frances Colson, Denver, Colo.; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; one brother, Carl Irby, Rising Star; two sisters, Miss Addie Irby, Rising Star, and Mrs. R. D. Brice of San Mateo, Calif.

erable, if spotty, especially among the early peanuts. Early peanuts which have been harvested had generally poor grades, Mr. Gordon said, a report which was confirmed by the Winfrey Feed and Peanut Company here, which has processed some of this early crop. Later peanuts were expected to grade much better, however.

The predicted average production for this season compares with 31.9 bushels per acre on 31,827 acres in 1967 and 41.9 bushels per acre in 1966.

The peak of the harvest just beginning should be reached about the latter part of the month, the county agent said.

Prices for the crop are up slightly from last year, another encouraging condition.

Specialists Will Talk at Beef Short Course Aug. 15-17

Three Texas A&M Extension Service specialists will discuss beef cattle breeding, health and nutrition at a beef cattle short course in Eastland October 15, 16



W. D. THOMPSON

and 17. Eastland county agent DeMarquis Gordon says that the short course was planned to assist ranchers with beef produc-



C. M. PATTERSON

The short course will be held at the Farm Bureau Building on Highway 80 east of Eastland. Each session will begin at 8:00 P. M.

During the first evening's session L. A. Maddox, Jr., Animal Husbandman with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will discuss animal breeding. Maddox managed his own commercial cow and calf operation for ten years.

On Wednesday night Dr. C. M. Patterson, Extension Veterinarian, will discuss animal health.

Gordon says with the recent outbreak of fever ticks, anthrax, screwworms and anaplasmosis animal health is an important topic.

Uel D. Thompson, Extension Animal Husbandman, will discuss the subject of supplemental feeding the cow herd on Thursday night, Oct. 17.

Gordon says that the short course was planned for the benefit of all beef cattle producers in Eastland County.

'Western Supper' At Sipe Springs Oct. 17

The Sipe Springs Community Center will be the scene of a "Western Supper" and western music Thursday evening, Oct. 17. Everyone is invited to attend and enjoy the evening together in a "western way," said the program sponsors.

District Ball Game Highlight Of Homecoming Saturday

Homecomers — former students of Rising Star High School — will be guests of honor in Rising Star this weekend. The Exes will gather here Saturday to renew old associations and revive memories of their school days.

The game has double significance since it will also initiate play for the 1968 championship of football district 32-B to which the Wildcats returned this year after two seasons of absence in Class A.

against Class A opponents into the contest with Panthers. The record does not stand in conference play, however.

Admission prices for the game are \$1.25 for adults and 50c for high school and grade school students. College students, once admitted for 50c will now pay the adult rate.

Other features of the day for the Exes are a business meeting at 11 a.m. at the high school gym when officers for the new year and a homecoming queen will be chosen; a parade at 2 p. m. through the business district, and a pep rally at 3 p. m.

PROGRAM FOR HOMECOMING

- Registration 9:00 - 11:00 A. M.
- Business Meeting 11:00 - 11:30 A. M.
- Parade 2:00 P. M.
- Pep Rally 3:00 P. M.
- Wildcats vs. Gorman Panthers 8:00 P. M.

Musgrove to Speak On School Program

State Rep. Burke Musgrove of Breckenridge will be the speaker at a special meeting sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association Monday, Oct. 14 at 8 p. m. in the High School gym.

Musgrove will show a film entitled, "Challenge and the Chance" and will speak on the recommendations of the Governor's Committee on Public School Education for reorganization of the public school system.

invitation has also been extended to teachers and patrons of the May Schools.

Services for Miss Mattie Joiner Are Held Here Monday

Miss Mattie Joiner, 84, died in the Mims Hospital at Comanche Friday, October 4, at 9:30 p. m. Funeral services were held at 9 o'clock Monday in the Rising Star First Baptist Church with the Rev. Don Timberlake officiating.

Retired Minister Buried at Abilene

Funeral services for Rev. Arthur B. Armstrong, 79, were held in the First Methodist Church at Abilene Friday, October 4, at 3 p. m. with the Rev. Herbert Thompson, pastor, officiating.

Services for Miss Mattie Joiner Are Held Here Monday

She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Tommie Frericha, and Mrs. Christine Thompson, both of Guilford, Conn., and Mrs. Poteet of Rising Star.

Mrs. Mary Henry Is Buried at Handley

Mrs. Mary Henry, 81, died in Cox Memorial Hospital at Abilene, Sunday at 1:30 p. m. Funeral services were held in North Memorial Chapel, Abilene, with Rev. Wallace Faris, pastor of Central Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial was in the Handley Cemetery.

Charles Falls Dies At Corpus Christi

Word has been received of the death of Charles Clifton Falls at Corpus Christi. He died Tuesday following a short illness.

BROTHER BURIED

Mrs. Will A. Knight recently attended the funeral of her brother, Orlando Wilder, in Hereford. Mr. Wilder, 89, died in the Kings Manor Home at Hereford, Texas on Oct. 2. He is survived by four sisters Mrs. B. T. Baxter of Franklin, Texas; Mrs. J. L. Davis of Vidor; Mrs. L. F. Cox, Wichita Falls; and Mrs. Knight of Rising Star.

Singers to Gather At Rising Star Sunday

The Eastland County Singing convention will be held in Rising Star at the American Legion Hall Sunday, Oct. 13, it was announced this week. The meeting will last all day. Those attending were asked to bring basket lunches.

Terry Geye Member Of National Fraternity

Terry Geye has become a member of Delta Tau Alpha, national honorary agriculture fraternity, at Sam Houston State College at Huntsville.

Mrs. Jim Fleming On Tarleton Honor List

STEPHENVILLE, Texas (Spl.) —Mrs. Jim Fleming, a junior at Tarleton State College from Rising Star has been named to the Distinguished Student List for the Spring semester, 1968. Mrs. Fleming is a chemistry major at Tarleton.

Medalist Tournament At Lakewood Sunday

A partnership medal play golf tournament is scheduled at Lakewood Center Sunday, Oct. 13, at 1:00 p. m. Tournament rules will apply. The total partnership score by flights will be registered. An entry fee of \$1 will be charged. Women golfers will be welcome.

NURSES TO MEET

The Licensed Vocational Nurses Ass'n, Div. 64, will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday, Oct. 14, at 7:30 p. m. in the conference room of the Eastland Memorial Hospital.

CJC to Cap LVN Class on Friday

Cisco Junior College's Vocational Nursing School will hold capping ceremonies for its sixth class on Friday evening, October 11, according to an announcement by Mrs. Mary S. Lee, R.N., director-instructor of the LVN program at CJC. The program will be held at the Corral Room of the CJC Hotel Annex, and will begin at 7:30 p. m.

The invocation will be given by Gary Adams, director of the Biblical Studies Center at CJC, and following the invocation will be the class song, led and accompanied by Mrs. Rachel George. Leland Willis, president of the college, will welcome guests and introduce the speaker, Dr. H. L. Bulgerin of Eastland.

After the address, Mrs. Lee will point out the significance of the cap, after which will follow the capping ceremony itself, administered by the area hospital chiefs and nursing directors. The benediction will be given by Gary Adams.

Students receiving caps will be: Mabel Adams, Kathleen Broom, Blanche Calloway, Shirley Frost, Rachel George, Wanda Kellar, Imogene Williams, Dorothy Wink, Ida Jenkins, Mary L. Knott, Linda Pharr, and Brenda Reed. Participating hospitals in the program include Eastland Memorial Hospital and Graham Hospital of Cisco.

MELODY SINGERS

Ten members attended the meeting of the Melody Singers Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Mae Brown. Two new members joined the singers, Mrs. Irene Mayfield and Mrs. Martha Cook. Next meeting will be on Monday, Oct. 14, at 7:30 p. m., with Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. George Payne has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. I. V. Clark and family at Grand Prairie.

WILDCAT TALES

EDITOR COLLEEN WHITE
 ASSISTANT EDITOR LINDA HUBBARD
 SPONSOR MRS. RAY NUNNALLY
 REPORTERS:

Seniors, Patty Stuard; Juniors, Janet Ezzell; Sophomores, Carol Stroebel; Freshmen, Cynthia Hounsel; F.F.A., Larry Alford; F.H.A., Sheila Green; Band, James Steel; Boys' Sports, Tony Gey; Girls' Sports, Debbie White; Cheerleaders, Betty Medford; Library, Barbara Richter.

EDITORIAL

I have said and heard the statement many times, "Why do I have to study this subject anyway?" It has taken a while and a little thought to obtain the answer.

As I sat here in the library with my classmates, my eyes caught a picture in a newspaper. There was a pain from within as I wondered how the U. S. could be mixed up in a war and have so many crises and riots as it has. How can we as young people, as seniors on the edge of graduating, help?

First of all, our country needs many students who care to study in school and graduate. People who quit school and generally loaf around without a care or purpose have cost the U. S. part of its reputation and might cost it its freedom. How are we as future leaders going to accomplish anything if we are a bunch of dropouts?

Many people do not think that America is capable of sinking below water. But just take a look around and see all the crime and rioting. Do you still feel the same?

There are several elements that can prevent deterioration and help the "sick society." Some of them are a good education, a deep kind of care to make America a well society, and excellent leadership (which will soon come from the teenagers of today). Yes, there are a lot of young people who care and are striving to get ahead; but then again, if a rotten apple stays in the barrel long enough, the others begin to rot. So give it some thought and let us remove the bad apples by getting the most out of our education.

In addition to this, we need

united effort to build a good state, a better country, a great nation, and a wonderful world in which to live.

Patty Stuard

JUNIOR NEWS

September 27, 1968, the juniors class (with the exception of the football players) had a most surprising (but encouraging) lecture. Our sponsor, Mr. Frank Gray talked to us about a most serious and grave affair. I will not reveal all of this solemn lecture because the other sponsors may decide that their classed need this same sermon. But Mr. Gray was quoted as saying, "I do not see any reason for anybody else to get it!" "I think we should keep it the rest of the football season!" But the most outstanding statement was this: "These five or six boys helped a lot. So you girls keep up the good work!" I hope we did not disappoint ya too much, Frank! At least we got the good ole "Spirit Jug" for half the week, and we still ahead of everyone else! Three and one-half weeks!

A few F. H. A.'s seem to like to sit on the stove and ice box rather than use them properly. Did the stove seem to sink a little, S. K.? It was a long way down, right, D. M.?

L. B., did you finally get your mod car washed? May we ask why?

Is C. H. a purse snatcher, or was he just returning it to the proper owner?

Do you have a bad memory, B. L.? Or was it something else? Did you forget your date?

Is that make-up on your collar, D. B.? Where could it have come from? Is the library so interesting that you have to get thrown

Come Back, Little Waistline!



THE FASHION FORECAST is for a comeback of the waistline. If you'd like your own waistline to make a comeback to where it was a few years ago, cherish those recipes for slimming desserts. Fluffy-Topped Peaches is one that costs you a very few calories a serving thanks to D-Zerta Low Calorie Gelatin Dessert and canned low calorie peaches. Additional bonuses: it's fun to make and lovely looking, too.

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- 1 can (16 oz.) low calorie peach halves
- 2 envelopes (4-serving size each) low calorie gelatin, any red flavor

Drain peaches, measuring liquid. Add water to liquid to make 3 1/2 cups. Bring measured liquid to a boil in a saucepan. Dissolve gelatin in boiling liquid; then set aside 1 1/2 cups. Chill remaining gelatin until slightly thickened. Pour a small amount of chilled gelatin into a 9 x 5-inch loaf pan; top with peaches, cut side up. Pour remaining chilled gelatin over peaches. Chill until set, but not firm. Meanwhile, chill reserved gelatin until slightly thickened. Place bowl in larger bowl of ice and water; beat with rotary beater or electric mixer until fluffy and thick — about double in volume. Spoon over fruit gelatin mixture. Chill until set; then cut into squares. Makes about 6 cups or 8 servings.

out three times? ?

We want to welcome all R. S. Exes and hope they enjoy their '68 Homecoming.

"TO MAKE THE BEST BETTER"

Hi! Things have really been busy this week. We have been getting ready for the coronation and homecoming. We seniors wish to tell all underclassmen that they may as well not even plan on making a float because we are going to prove once again which class is supreme over all.

The homecoming this year is going to be one that will be remembered for many years to come; so we would like to invite all of you to come to the game and root the fighting Wildcats to another great victory over the Gorman Panthers.

We would also like to invite you to come to the Coronation for 1968. This will be held October 21, 1968, in the Rising Star High School gymnasium.

D. H., is it really true that you try to get in on all the pictures?

P. C., do you really enjoy those "midnight rides"?

T. P., now really isn't your neck a lot cooler with that extra you had?

B. L., did you enjoy your weekend with the boys who are serving your country?

Were you worried about them? Real patriotic, no?

Colleen White

"THERE IS ROOM AT THE TOP"

It is that same time of the week again, and here I am, trying to think of something to tell you about the sophs.

This is that good old week that everyone has been looking forward to? ? ! Six weeks' tests.

Do not forget about our money-making products. Selling grapefruits and oranges and key-chains is going to make us lots of money-if all those nice people buy them from us needy Seniors '71!

Due to technical advantages, S. W., B. K., and J. B. will not be wearing glasses this year. Contacts! !

Sorry, D. H., D. M., and B. C., Texas is one of the few states that does not practice hanging. And even if it did, you could not hang something that was already dead - like that skeleton in the science room.

Our F. H. A. bake sale was a big success, and we appreciated all the business you gave us.

Welcome exes! We hope to make this the best homecoming that ever was!

The band is getting ready for the homecoming performance. Oh, no! Not another fire baton routine! ! Is it true the major-ettes have just bought a fire insurance policy?

What you do not know will not hurt you, D. G.

P. W., we all like your hair! ! Snazzy!

Since my carpals, metacarpals, and phalanges (We learn that in health) are beginning to ache, I had better pull myself from my news.

Keep those cards and letters coming in.

I kid you not,
C. S.

"WILLING TO LEARN"

"Willing to Learn," our motto, is getting worked over. The freshmen are now more than ever (Continued on Page Four)

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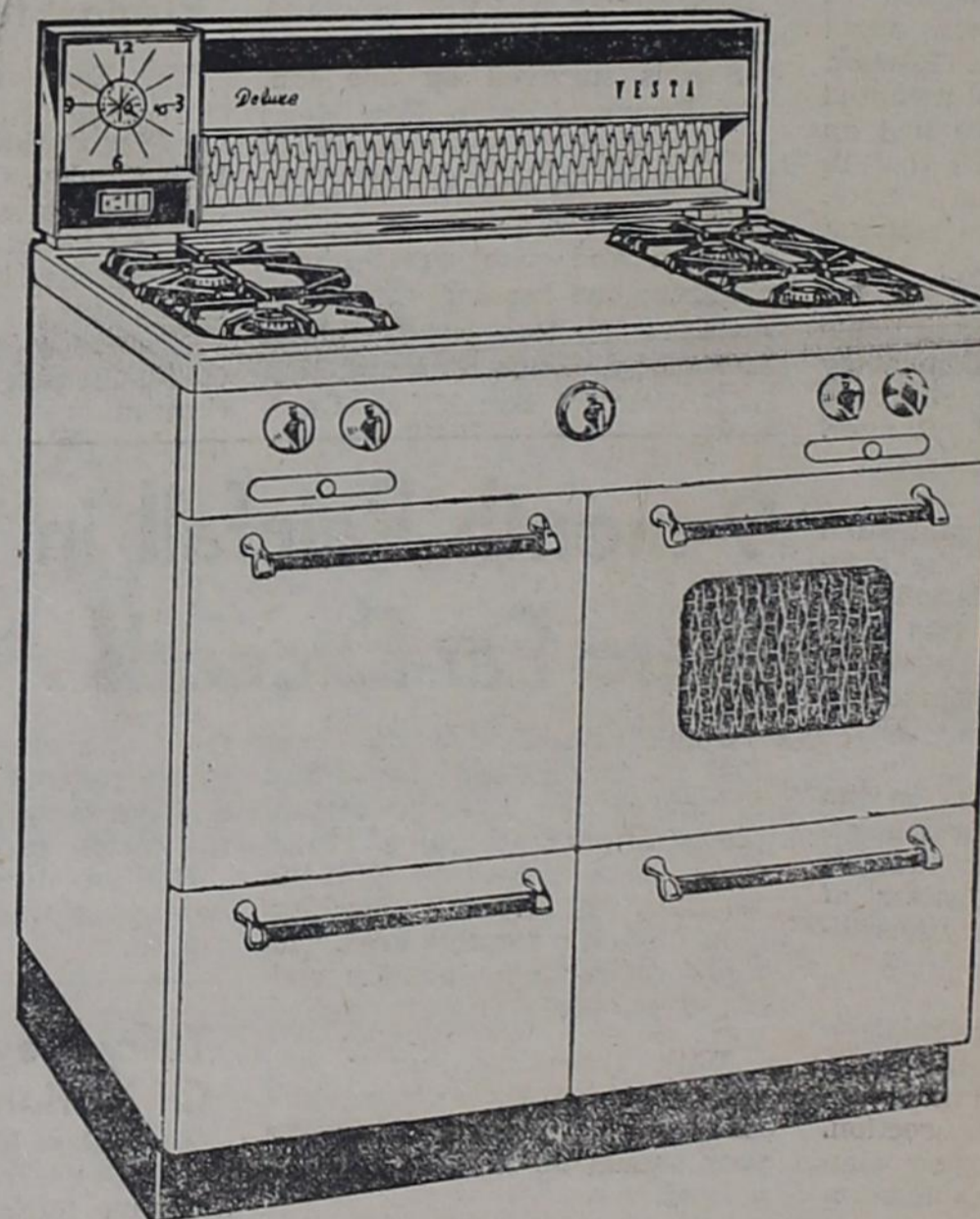
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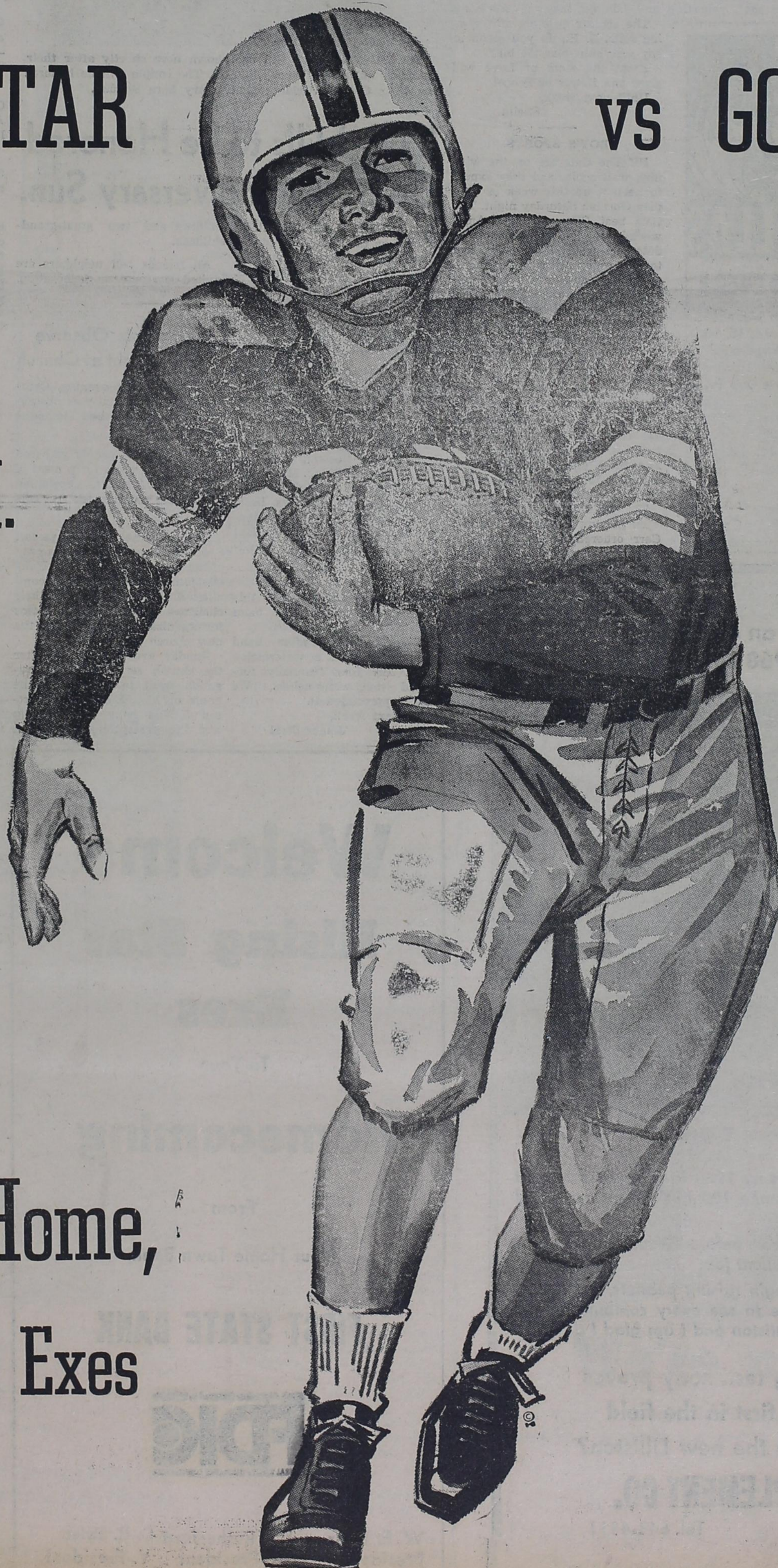
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Welcome Home,

Rising Star Exes

WILDCAT TALES

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 before being tested to see if we can prove worthy of this motto. We have been having tests in every subject lately; by some of the grades, man, we "Fish" are sick! You know? We will make it, however, because we are "Willing to Learn!"
 Now, down to business. These seniors just must be scared; they have not even tried to scare us. Beside the fact that they trample us in the halls and slaughter us in P. E., we are not hurt yet! Ke know that they will attack; but since they have not yet, we are not scared - we are terrified.
 Cynthia Hounsel

The Farmers that went to the National Contest are going to try to go again, if possible.
 F. F. A. Reporter
 Larry Alford

LIBRARY NEWS
 Two copies of "Readers Digest Almanac for 1968" have been purchased, one for high school and one for junior high. Also, Miss Lusk is placing new books on the shelves each week.
 We are very proud of the many periodicals and magazines which our library is receiving daily, weekly and monthly.
 For the interest of the band members, there is now a book on marching in the library. It is a very interesting book and might be a lot of help to those interested. It is "Fundamentals of Marching."
 Signing off,
 Barbara R.

"LEARNING TO DO"
 The old saying, "A farmer's work is never done" is very true. The Farmers are still very busy with the plant identification chapter of Agriculture. None of us can tell one plant from another. (Or at least I can not.)

TOWARD NEW HORIZONS
 Hi! I am here again reporting

for the F.H.A.
 How did you all like my last report? This one will not be so long as the last.
 Guess what? The freshmen are learning to cook! The first meal we cooked was cinnamon or orange toast and hot cocoa. P. H., did you really burn it? R. B. and D. C., with two people watching it, how could you have burned it a second time? Thanks to S. G., who helped P. H., we did not burn ours a second time. D. C., why did you not make enough cocoa? Thanks again to S. G., who came to the rescue! Looks as if C. O., W. R., P. C., S. M., and A. W. were the only group that did everything right.
 On October 1, 1968, Mrs. Diddle showed us how to make square biscuits; they surely were good. Mrs. D., don't you know you are supposed to use three table-spoons of baking powder instead of salt?
 On October 3, we got to make some biscuits. Surely hope our biscuits are as good as Mrs. Diddle's.
 The sophomore girls are sewing dresses. They are doing well, I hear. Also, the junior girls are doing fine - a few mistakes now and then, but they are improving.
 The seniors girls are still sewing suits. B. H., do you mean to say your skirt was too big?
 From the stem of Love will grow the flower of Peace!
 Until next week,
 Sheila

BOY'S SPORTS
 Hi! The Cats are on the winning trail again, and they expect to keep it up this week as they play Gorman Saturday night. The Cats beat Class A Santa Anna week before last and had an open date last week. They will have to play especially well for homecoming because everybody will be out there watching. They are working out real hard and hope to sock it to 'em Saturday night.
 Until next week,
 Tony Geyer

DO-RE-MI
 Hello!
 The eighth grade music class has received the music ordered and has started practicing on it. The third grade Tonnette band and the junior band also have begun working.
 This week the senior band has been playing the new music Mr. Carr ordered for us. Also the

At Wedding Fifty Years Ago ...



Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill are shown here shortly after their wedding at Duster, Texas, in 1918. The couple will be honored on their Golden Wedding anniversary here Sunday.

J. M. Hills to Be Honored On 50th Anniversary Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill will be honored on their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday, October 13, from 2 to 4 p. m. in their home. Children of the couple will host the event.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill were married at Duster, Texas on October 13, 1918. Mrs. Hill was the former Vera Huddleston. They have lived in Rising Star for 25 years, moving here from Sipe Springs. Mr. Hill owns and operates the Sanitary Barber Shop.
 The Hills have seven children, Curtis Hill of Nocona; Mrs. Faye Poyner, Hugo, Okla.; Mrs. Margie Lancaster, Midkiff; Mrs. Georgia Lynn, Anson; Mrs. Billie Lewis, Eunice, New Mex.; Kenneth Hill, Eastland; and Rex Hill of Rankin. There are ten grand-

children and two great-grandchildren.
 All friends and neighbors are invited to attend the celebration.
 Following the meal the pastor, Rev. Jay Beavers, gave a survey of the new structure of the United Methodist Church. Each commission of the church with their chairmen met in separate rooms for organization and plans for the new church year.
 Sunday evening, Oct. 6, after the church service, the congregation went in a body to the home of Miss Elizabeth Robertson for an hour of fellowship and the presentation of a gift

salesman has been here this week taking orders for band jackets.
 Thursday night after band practice we had a watermelon party. Mr. John Nunnally furnished the watermelons. We really appreciated it.
 'Til next week,
 James Steel

Mrs. Jones Hosts Saturday Club

The Saturday Club met Wednesday, Oct. 2 at the library with Mrs. Olice Jones as hostess.
 Mrs. Ira Hudler was responsible for the program on Wildlife. A film, "The Whooping Crane", was shown by Mr. Young from the Soil Conservation Service of Brownwood.
 Mrs. Louise Weber presided at a short business session at which time the club voted to buy an ad in the high school yearbook, La Estrelleta.
 Mrs. Ruth Noah and Mrs. Roy Acker were reinstated in the club.
 Mrs. Helen Donham gave a short report on the Federation Day luncheon held at Cisco Sept. 27. Mrs. A. A. Stewart, district president, of San Saba, was speaker. Mmes. Olice Jones, Louise Weber, Helen Donham, Robert Butler, Ira Hudler and S. C. Cotton attended the meeting.
 A salad plate was served to 14 members and a visitor, Mrs. Irene Mayfield.
 The next meeting will be held October 16th with Mrs. J. R. Bucy as hostess. The topic is "Space."
 — Reporter.

To Testify ...



Divine Healing To Be Discussed at C. P.

Gertrude Ticer of Houston will give testimony and personal history of divine healing at the natural stone church on East 8th Street in Cross Plains, Friday and Saturday nights, Oct. 11 and 12. Prayer for the sick will be offered both nights.
 Mrs. Charlie McCowan, pastor of the congregation, advised that services will begin each evening at 7:30 and invited the public to attend.
 Special music is scheduled each night featuring singers from the Revival Center.

Mrs. R. D. Brice of San Mateo, Calif., is visiting her sister, Miss Addie Irby, and brother, Carl Irby, and Mrs. Irby.

from the church to Miss Robertson for her new home.

Refreshments of angel food and chocolate cake with lemonade or coffee were served in the garden by hostesses, Mrs. C. L. Smith, Mrs. Beuna Gracey, Mrs. J. R. Bucy, Mrs. Dorothy Shook, and Mrs. Edward Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Jacobs of Los Angeles, Calif., and his brother, Frank Jacobs, and Mrs. Jacobs, left Wednesday morning for a week at Lake of the Pines in East Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Millard Jacobs will return to Rising Star for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Clara Burkhead, and brothers, Frank and Wyatt Jacobs and families.

Methodists Observe Family Night at Church

On Wednesday evening, October 2, Family Night was observed at the First United Methodist Church.

More than 50 people gathered in the dining room for a meal of a variety of meats, vegetables, salads, and desserts, tea and coffee.

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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS OCT. 5-20 DALLAS

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"Man of La Mancha" ... Royal Canadian Mounties "Musical Ride" ... "Up With People" Oct. 14, 15, 16 ... Cotton Bowl Football ... Cowsills Singers ... "Fountasia" spectacle ... Deep River Fife & Drum Corps ... Dallas Symphony Pops Concerts Oct. 10, 12, 13, 19, 20 ... Colossal Free Circus ... Mark Wilson's Magic ... The Pearl Thing starring Jesse Lopez ... 1969 Automobile Show ... Cotton Bowl Spectaculars and Fireworks Oct. 7, 8, 11, 12 ... Pan American Livestock Exposition Oct. 5-13.
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 "I used a Lilliston for five years before I traded on this new 1968 model, and it did an excellent job.
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News From May

By Mrs. V. O. King

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the United Methodist Church met Monday afternoon for the third lesson on "Christ and Crisis in South Asia". Nine members were present.

Loretta Pearce had parts on the program.

The meeting was dismissed with the Lords Prayer repeated in unison — Reporter, May Pearl Hull.

Mrs. John Mathis presided. Mrs. H. S. Switzer gave the program. The devotional was given by Mrs. Clara Burkhead. She spoke on "The house founded on a rock." Mrs. John Mathis, Mrs. Fred Cook, E. A. Hull and Miss

Mrs. Jack N. White is visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Ingram in Fort Worth this week.

Typewriter Ribbons at The Rising Star

held silver wedding rings in their beaks. Clusters of grapes and roses furnished color accents of pink and green, and white satin ribbons were attached to bridesmaids' favors buried in the bottom layer of the cake.

French Bacarat crystal was used for the bride and groom's toast.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Walter Guynes of Sidney, Texas. Her great-grandfather, Jake Cox, came from Missouri by wagon train and was one of the early settlers of Comanche County.

Patricia, who is known to her family and friends as "Kathy" grew up and was educated in Louisiana and Texas. She attended West Jefferson High School in New Orleans, and Sidney and Rising Star High Schools in Texas. Patricia is also a recent graduate of Dallas Fashion and Merchandising College, where she excelled in design and merchandising.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Ludovina Alma Alimbini of San Francisco and Albert Frank Alimbini of Sacramento, California. He is the great-grand nephew of Joseph Serpa, one of the first pioneers in California history to settle in the Siskiyou which was also named after a tribe of Indians in that area.

Albert, who is known as "Frank" was an honor student at Palo Alto Military Academy and St. Monica's College High School in Berkeley, California, and attended University of Pacific in Stockton prior to enlisting in the Navy. He is attached to the U. S. Naval Air Station in Dallas, Texas.

Guests attended the wedding from Fort Worth, Houston, Dallas, Victoria, Guadalupe, Comanche, Brownwood, Stephenville, San Antonio, Austin, Abilene, Dublin, Sidney and Graham, Texas, San Diego, San Francisco, and Lexington, North Carolina.

The wedding couple left immediately after the reception for an undisclosed honeymoon destination. They will make their home in Dallas, Texas, during the groom's tenure in the service.

Reception attendants were Miss Sally Medford, and Miss Jeannie Tarver of Rising Star. They wore identical blue lace dresses and shoulder corsages.

By mistake we reported that the May Community Improvement Association would meet last Monday night. It does, however, meet next Monday night, October 14, with a covered dish supper. Chuck Treet will be unable to attend and the speaker will be Dr. James Gandy, veterinarian of Brownwood, who will speak on a phase of animal health and welfare.

Thirty members of the May 4-H Club, along with four adults, attended the State Fair in Dallas last Saturday. Some attended the football game in the Cotton Bowl. Mrs. Charles Skaggs and myself witnessed the official opening of the Fair where Gov. Connally cut the ribbon and was the main speaker. Thanks go to all parents who helped transport the children to and from Brownwood.

The May Grade School football team defeated Sidney last Tuesday night where the score was 58 to 19.

May High School Tigers play Pottsville here on Thursday night, October 10.

The May School is participating in a pilot program designed to help the small schools. If you know of anything our school might need and are interested in keeping our school at May, I am sure that Mr. Buchanan and the school board members would be interested in hearing from you.

The W.S.C.S. met in the Friends Hall of the May Methodist Church Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Myrtle Kelton, president, was in charge of the meeting. She also led the group in singing, with Mrs. Buck Kelton at the piano. Mrs. O. C. Allen brought the devotional from Romans 3:15-17. Mrs. Vera Shults presented a program on Thailand with Mrs. Lloyd Alexander giving the economy of that country, Mrs. Buck Kelton the religion,

and Mrs. A. F. Michaels the education. Those present included Messrs. Vera Shults, Buck Kelton, A. F. Michaels, Frank Madison, Myrtle Kelton, C. B. Branum, O. C. Allen, Lloyd Alexander, and a visitor, Mrs. Iris Kirksey.

Lee Roy Lemaster came home from the hospital last week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lloyd Alexander visited in a Sn Angelo with Mrs. Alexander's mother, Mrs. John G. Evans, last weekend.

Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Skaggs, Pam and Ralph, visited in Da Leon with Mr. Skaggs' brother and father and family last Sunday.

Mrs. Virginia Moore visited Mrs. Floyd Martin in the Blackwood Hospital in Comanche on Tuesday. Mrs. Martin's illness has not been diagnosed and it isn't known how long she will stay in the hospital.

The W.S.C.S. Rummage Sale is in the process of moving to the old Elvie Shults Gro. Store. They plan to be open by next Friday, October 18.

News From The First Baptist Church

Those attending the quarterly Wednesday night supper enjoyed lots of good food, fellowship and worship.

Time changes are as follows: Training Union 5 p. m.; Evening worship 6 p. m.; Wednesday evening at 6 p. m.

Our Revival begins October 21. The WMU met for Royal Service and business Monday with 15 members present. Mrs. Easter Gray directed the program on "New Patterns for Changing Times." — Mrs. C. E. Baker, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray moved their cotton picker to Amherst Monday and will remain there during the cotton harvest season.



MRS. ALBERT FRANK ALIMBINI

Patricia Guynes And Albert Alimbini Wed

Candlelight, white gladioli and candelabra nestled in lemon leaf foliage formed the setting for the formal double ring wedding at eight o'clock Sunday evening, September 29, when Patricia Kathlene Guynes of Sidney, Texas, and Albert Frank Alimbini, Jr. of San Francisco, California, both descendants of American pioneer families, were married at the Church of Christ in Rising Star, Texas. Professor George W. Euing of Abilene officiated. The bride wore antique white brocaded satin in an ante bellum design with a sweeping train and

a long sleeved brief lace jaquette. A pearl tiara secured the veil of antique tulle which fell to her train. She carried a cascade bouquet of white palm mums and lily of the valley centered by a purple throated white orchid from which fell satin streamers tied in love knots. Her "something blue" was the traditional garter, and an English sixpence from the groom's collection of foreign coins was tucked in the toe of her right shoe. A lovely lace handkerchief was "borrowed", and the "something old" was an antique gold jeweled family heirloom pin from the brides great-grandmother's wedding.

Ginger Rutherford of Rising Star served as maid of honor and bridesmaids were Rita Carol Mille of Dallas, Terry Sue Moore of Houston and Linda Raye Rankin of May, Texas. Their gowns were princess styled, sheer pink brocaded georgette over white satin with white accessories and they carried bouquets of pink carnations and pink palm mums backed by a filigree of lemon leaf greenery.

An exact replica of the bridesmaids was doll-like six-year-old Sharon McClanahan of Brownwood, who served as flower girl.

Seven-year-old Wesley Lynn Faries carried the heart-shaped white satin pillow edged in lace bearing the wedding rings secured by pearl pins.

James J. Waddel of San Diego, California, stood as best man, and James Douglas Guynes of Sidney, Texas, and William Nissan Shore of Lexington, North Carolina, attended as groomsmen. White carnation boutonnières adorned their lapels.

The white altar candelabra were lit by Rickey and Russell Bailey of May, Texas, who also performed as attendants for the aisle cloth over which the bride approached on the arm of her father, James Walter Guynes.

Mrs. Guynes attended her daughters wedding in a salmon pink crepe, accented by a shoulder corsage of orchid cymbidiums.

The groom's mother was gowned in a biege lace sheath with matching accessories, also accented by a shoulder corsage of cymbidium orchids.

Mrs. Katie Cox, the maternal grandmother, attended her granddaughter's wedding in a Solana silk embroidered costume. Her flowers were pink and white gladiola blossoms.

The paternal grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Taylor, wore a two-piece avocado green suit with a soft red gladiola blossom shoulder accent.

Ginger McDaniel of Comanche, a distant cousin of the bride, was musician.

A reception was held in the church parlor after the ceremony. Small white doves, perched upon the tiered white wedding cake,

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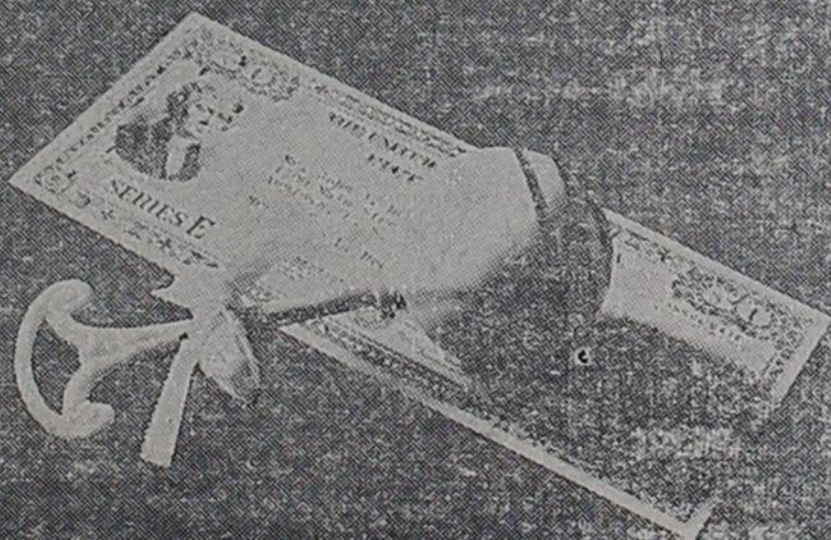
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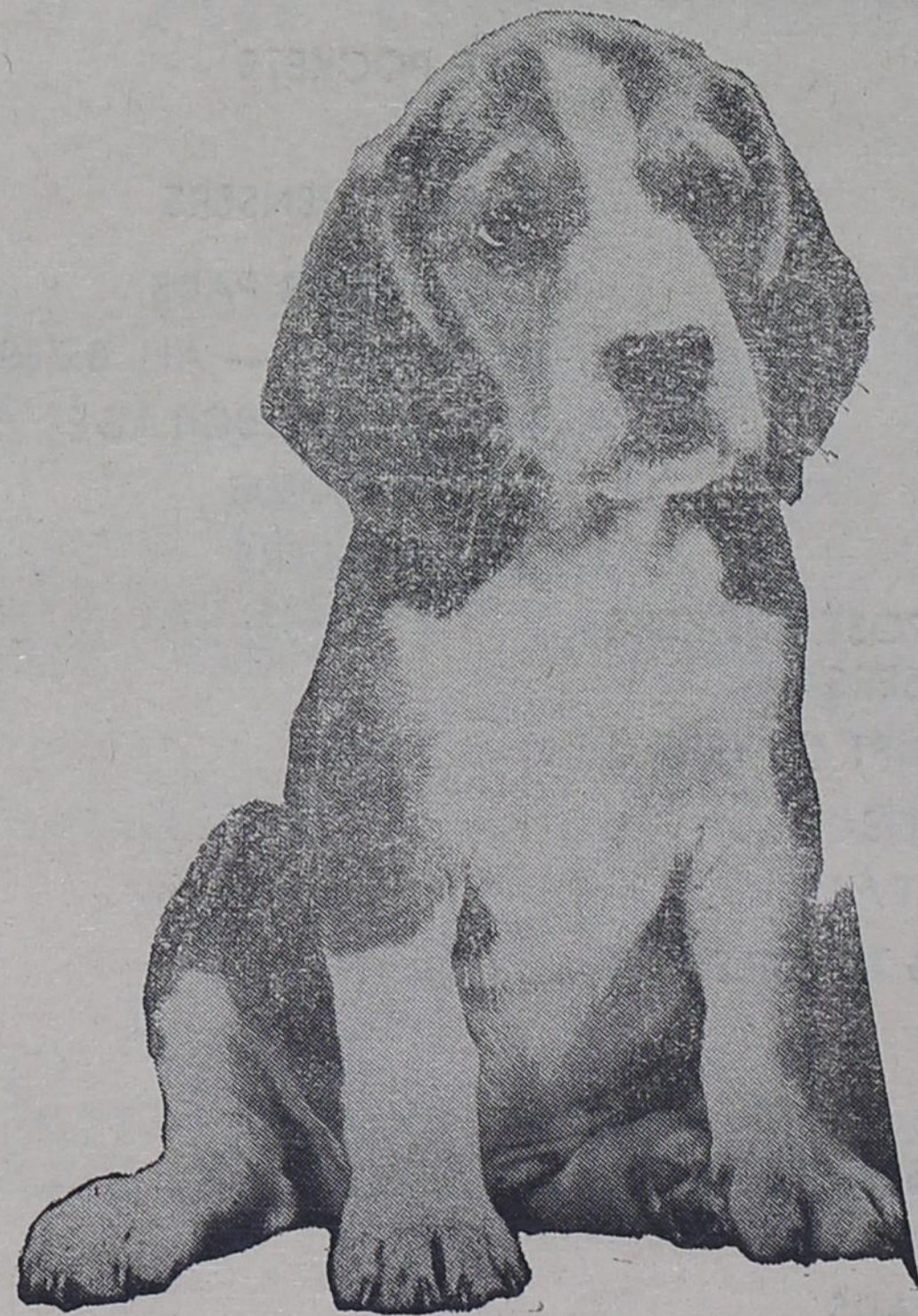
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 Pickles
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Tuesday, Oct. 15:
 Barbecued beef
 Blackeyed peas
 Tossed salad
 Hot rolls
 Peanut butter - honey apple sauce
 Milk
Wednesday, Oct. 16:
 Beef casserole
 Green beans
 Peach cobbler
 White bread
 Milk
Thursday, Oct. 17:
 Meat loaf
 Creamed potatoes
 Steamed cabbage
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 Hot rolls
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By Vada Arnold

Homecoming - how much meaning that word holds and how wonderful for friends, relatives and ex-school students to gather in old homes, schools, churches, recreation centers, and camps for such events. To renew past relations and recall days gone by as well as exchange of present and future plans.

All through the years in this area, homecomings have played a big part in the life of families and the community at large.

More than seventy-five years ago, invitations went out to residents and ex-residents of the Amity community, located about six miles southeast of Rising Star, to come to the community church for a "homecoming." This meeting started an annual homecoming and is always well attended. Programs are good, singings in the afternoon led by former residents, memorials and happy remembrances of the "good old days," with worlds of home cooked food at the noon hour, all round out a day long to be remembered.

First Methodist Church held a homecoming during the early 30's at which time a full history of the church was compiled and written by the late Mrs. James Irby, Sr., a charter member of the church. Rev. Sidney Anderson, a native of Rising Star, a missionary in China at the time, was at the meeting and spoke of his boyhood days and the impact the local church had on his life, and he gave a survey of his work in China. Ex-pastors and dignitaries were included on the program.

First Baptist Church and the Church of Christ have also hosted homecoming, that brought much pleasure and profit to all who attended.

The Salt Tank School ex-students gather yearly with their

families for their reunion, and there are the George Hill, Nickle Hill, Hallmark and Elm Schools, whose exes meet annually at the Union Center Community House for a day of reunion and homecoming. Brooks, Macedonia, and Union Grove Schools have happy times together each year.

Pioneer always celebrates yearly with a homecoming. Sipe Springs comes in for her share of reunion each year, the latter part of July. Exes come for hundreds of miles to visit, renew ties and pay tribute to those who have died during the current year. This event plays an important role in life of the community and the lives of former residents. This year the Governor of Alabama was speaker at the morning hour. May cannot be left out for their homecoming is certainly an important yearly occasion with parades, programs, football games, visiting and food.

There was a homecoming for the Rising Star Boy Scout Troop, on April 8, 1932, on its fourth birthday.

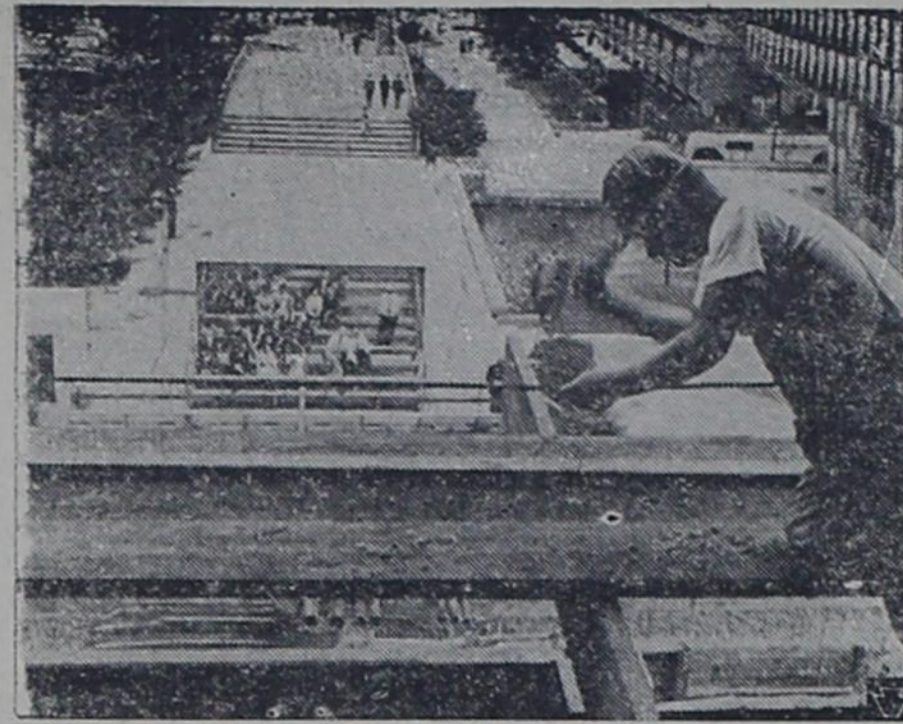
The troop was organized in 1928 under the leadership of Otha Venable, with 32 members.

In the four years of its existence the troop became well known for its sportsmanship and good fellowship with other troops of the area. Indian Dancers in the troop were envied by every troop in the council. In 1930 the troop held the Camp Martin Honor Inspection Penant. The troop held the distinction of having more Eagle Scouts than any other troop in the entire council.

Wayne Sellers and Charles Rutherford were the only boys in the troop from 1928, present at the homecoming.

Any number of families and other organizations meet regularly each year for reunions in this area. When descendants and their

"Sidewalk Super's" Get Royal Treatment



Sidewalk superintendents in Pittsburgh get special treatment these days as they chart construction progress of the 22-floor Westinghouse Building in Gateway Center. They use a specially built grandstand, the first of its kind in the country.

It's been an instant hit. Girls from surrounding office buildings often bring their lunches and watch the proceedings. For, what better place is there to see husky young men than at a construction site? Equitable Life Assurance Society, owners of Gateway Center, decided that peeking through a hole in a fence isn't very dignified.

Interest in the work isn't all one sided, either. Construction workers are equally fascinated with their grandstand fans. Several girls bring

large cardboards on which they pencil messages. These are answered by the construction men who scrawl replies on the steel beams. It's not very private, but it is fun and some interesting friendships have been made this way.

The Westinghouse Building is the final structure in Equitable's Gateway Center which has transformed Pittsburgh's downtown section into a showcase of civic pride.

The Gordon Spot

By DeWitt Gordon
Eastland County Ag. Agent

Thirty-three men met at the Pioneer Farmers Co-op on Sept. 30 and went with us on a peanut tour. Most of these were peanut farmers, but we had a few out-of-county guests who

families keep family ties strengthened and recall important events in the lives of their families and friends.

The Rising Star homecoming is the BIG event, locally and has been for years.

In the fall of 1952 the Homecoming was linked with the Free Fall Fair and was one of the best ever held here.

This week we again take pleasure in extending congratulations to exes and their families and friends as they celebrate their 1968 "Homecoming."

came to see some of our Eastland County crops. Among these were Dr. Charles Simpson, Agronomist at the West Cross Timbers Experiment Station in Stephenville; James Denton, Extension Farm Management Specialist from Stephenville; and John Galloway, Farm Editor for Radio Station KBWD in Brownwood.

I think everyone was impressed with the good crop prospects we saw on the tour. We saw dry land peanuts that should produce over 50 bushels per acre at J. T. Biggs' and Conrad Schaefer's. Conrad also had the best crop of grain sorghum I have seen in Eastland County. Several of the men guessed at the yields involved in feeding.

The guesses ranged from 2,000 pounds to 4,000 pounds per acre.

The double row peanuts at Cowan Hutton's and Edwin Schaefer's caused a lot of interest.

There were disagreements as to when the peanuts should be dug. At each stop some men said they would dig these peanuts in a few days if the crop was theirs. Others said they would leave them three weeks to a month before digging.

Edwin Schaefer is one who believes in leaving the peanuts until they are 130 to 140 days old which is much longer than most farmers want to wait. It's hard to argue with Edwin. His peanuts graded 79 last year and produced high yields. He said he has about \$150 per acre tied up in the crop when it is harvested. He leaves them in the ground as long as possible to make as much as he can. Some farmers have trouble with Southern Blight and have to dig before the peanuts start coming off.

The most pleasant surprise of the tour was at Drew Dan Jackson's. His wife and Mrs. Herman Schaefer had cold drinks, hot coffee, cookies and cake waiting for the men on the tour. After four hours of riding and walking in the sand the brownies and drinks sure were good.

Drew Dan also showed us a real good peanut crop.

A beef cattle short course has been planned for all beef producers in Eastland County Oct. 15, 16 and 17. It will be held at the Farm Bureau building east of Eastland on Highway 80. Each session starts at 8:00 p. m. On Tuesday night L. A. Maddox, Extension Animal Husbandman, will discuss animal breeding. He plans to cover crossbreeding which is causing a lot of discussion among cattlemen.

Dr. C. M. Patterson, Extension Veterinarian, is going to talk about animal health on Wednesday night. This is a very important subject, especially since the recent outbreaks of anthrax in Brown County.

On Thursday night U. D. Thompson, Extension Animal Husbandman, will talk on animal nutrition and the many problems the men guessed at the yields involved in feeding.

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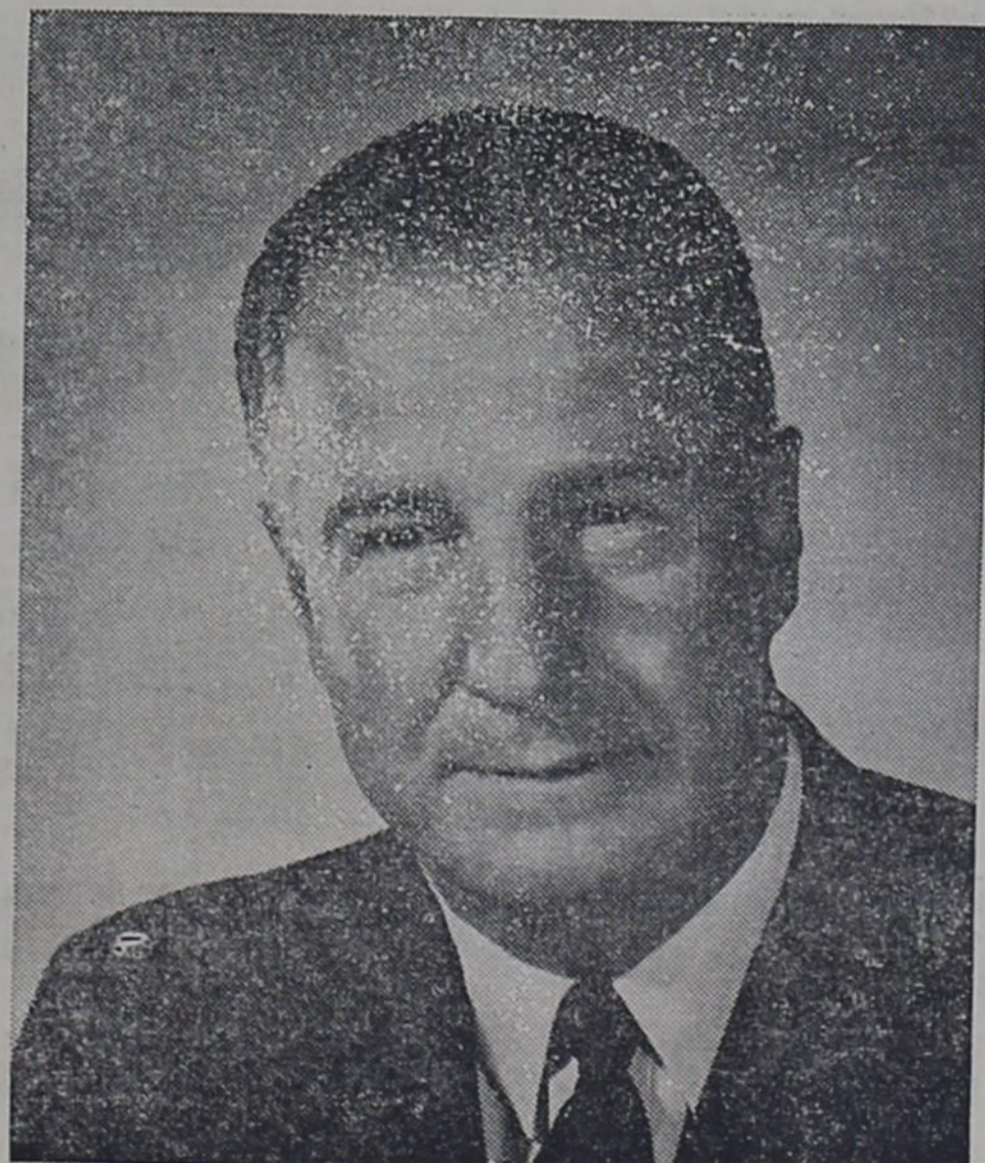
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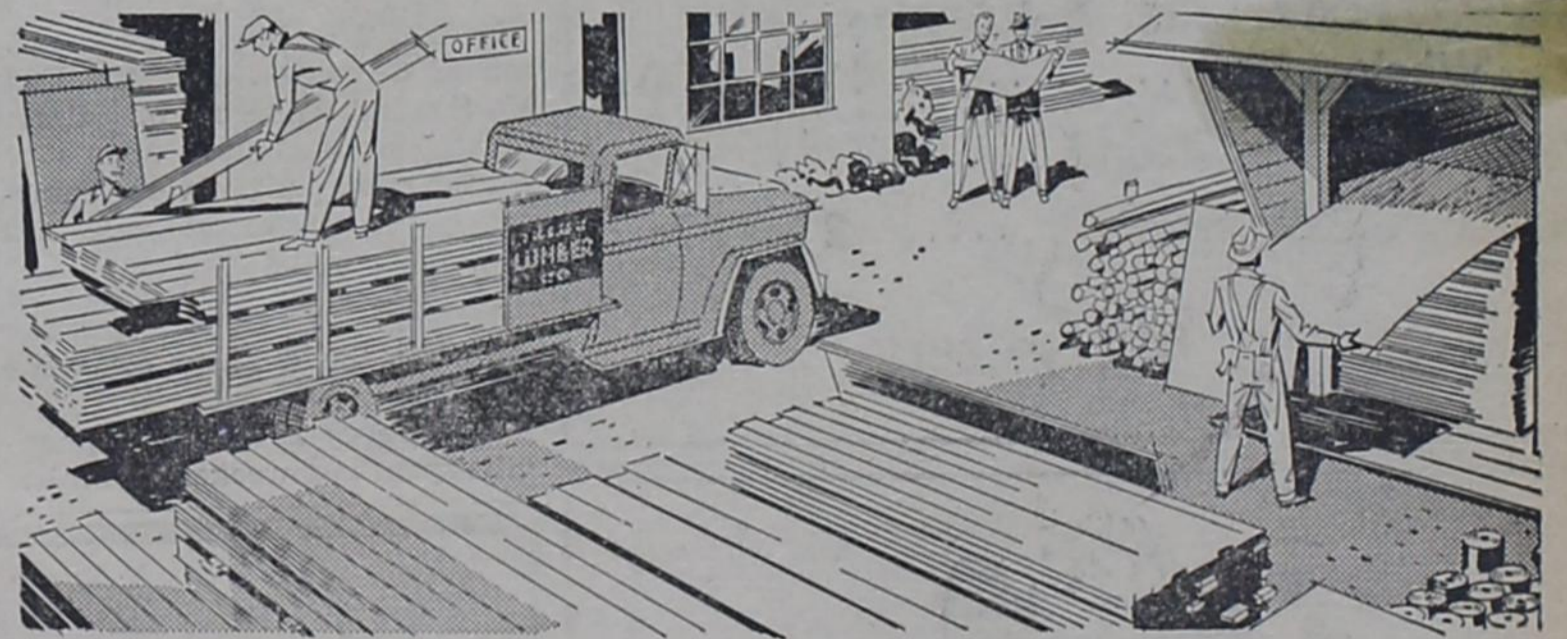
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News From Twilight Acres . . .

New residents at the home are Mr. and Mrs. Randolph C. Hubbard, Morgan Powell, Mrs. Ethel Barnes and Mrs. Laura Ellison. Mrs. Barnes' daughter, Nell, accompanied her mother and spent some time with a longtime friend and neighbor, Mrs. Mattie Boatman.

We are deeply grieved over the loss of Miss Mattie Joiner and wish to extend our sympathy to her sister, Mrs. Potect, and other members of the family. George Carter returned from the hospital on Wednesday, Oct. 9, and is doing very well.

Mr. Roberts visited his mother, Mrs. Lena Wallace, Sunday morning.

Mrs. Bennie Jarrett dropped by to see her parents, the Hubbards.

Mrs. Maudie Cox was the envy of all the ladies Sunday when

her son, Clyde, presented her with a dozen Tyler roses. He also brought his sister, Dixie, a dozen roses.

Happy Birthday to Miss Annie Wright, Oct. 11, and to Mrs. Ella Fitzgerald, Oct. 12.

Drive-in Across From School Will Open

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Vaughn have announced the opening of the Starlite Drive In, across the highway from the High School.

The Vaughns are not strangers in Rising Star. Mrs. Vaughn is the former Joy Morrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morrow. Mr. Vaughn is a native of Cross Plains and is well known here. They have three sons, the oldest a First Grader in school.

"The best of food will be served," said Mrs. Vaughn.

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Mrs. Roy Rascoe of Sweetwater visited in the home of her brother, S. L. Rankin, and Mrs. Rankin recently.

Canning Can Be Fun!



Canning is a truly creative kitchen activity and it can be fun! The time-consuming tasks of pureeing, chopping and grating fruits and vegetables can now be done in seconds with an electric blender. Here's a carrot-cabbage relish that is just one example of how easy canning can be.

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| 3 cups peeled carrot pieces | 3 1/2 cups vinegar |
| 3 sweet red peppers, cut in pieces | 1/2 cup water |
| 3 sweet green peppers, cut in pieces | 1 1/2 cups sugar |
| 4 cups cabbage pieces | 3 tablespoons salt |
| 3 large onions, cut in eighths | 1 tablespoon mustard seed |
| | 1 tablespoon celery seed |

Put carrot pieces into Osterizer blender container, cover with cold water, cover container and process at Hi (Liquefy) and Off quickly two or three times to coarsely chop carrots. Pour through a strainer or colander. Chop remaining vegetables in same manner, using Hi (Chop) and Off method. Drain vegetables well, then mix together. Mix remaining ingredients in a large saucepan and boil three minutes. Add vegetables and bring to a boil. Boil exactly one minute. Pack into sterilized jars and seal. Yield: about 6 pints.

Nimrod News

By Mrs. Eva Stroebel

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Richardson of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stroebel recently.

James Switzer of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox and daughters of Eastland visited her sister, Mrs. Truett Dawkins, and Mr. Dawkins, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Casey of Mineral Wells spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson were in Gorman Friday.

Mrs. Robert Walker of Dublin and son of Stehenville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King.

Visitors in the G. C. Stroebel home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Dinky Hill, Mrs. A. N. McBeth and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hart of Cisco and the Edgar Townsends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Townsend shopped in Cisco Wednesday and visited Mrs. Gene Ford.

Mrs. A. N. McBeth of Cisco visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stroebel, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Belyeu of Cisco were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson visited in the Truett Dawkins home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herchel Kent and son of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris and children of Cross Plains and Mrs. Della Morris of Birmingham, Ala., were Saturday guests of Misses Josie and Alma Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon visited in the Williams community Sunday afternoon.

Miss Peggy Erwin of Stephenville spent last weekend with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wordis Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Reed and children of Stamford spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Rich, and other relatives in Cisco.

Mrs. J. H. Shrader, Sr. and Mrs. Mary Anderson of Baird and Kathy Ricks of Snyder visited relatives and friends in Scranton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walker of Fort Worth were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Morgan.

Mrs. J. R. Merritt of Cisco and Mrs. H. C. Ledbetter visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mays in Eastland and Mrs. K. Young in Cisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reimer of Cisco were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schaefer.

Mrs. Jerri Hammer, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Hammer and daughter, Bobby Penn of Cisco, visited Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cozart

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ing Star, Carbon and Gorman and combine them in one large school would mean of course, a better school with a wider range of educational opportunity for the students, and that is the first fact to be considered. Such a consolidation would not favor one community over another.

At the same time, by retaining the junior high and elementary schools in their present locations would serve to keep these communities closely related physically as well as educationally to that system.

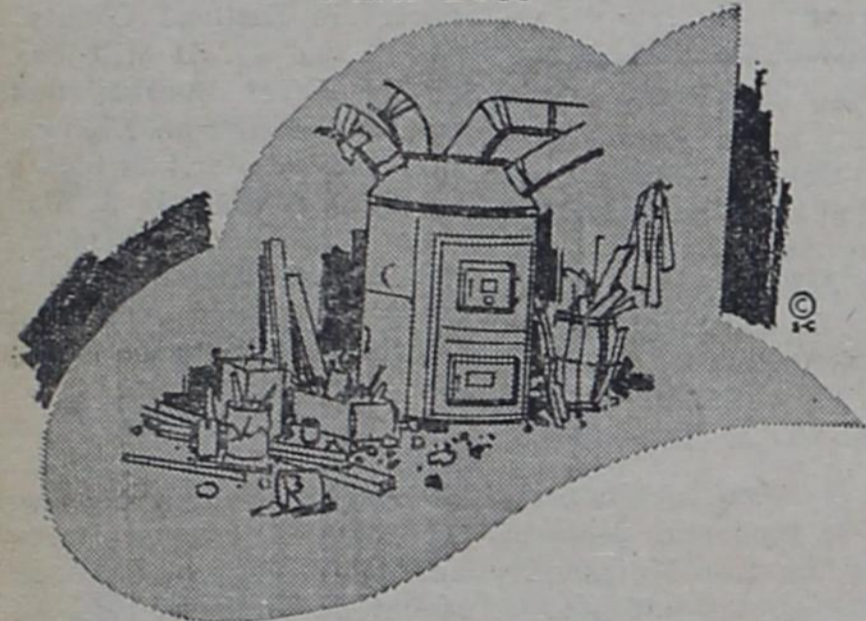
It is a fact to be considered also, that the strengthening of the county school system would tend to improve the county economy as a whole.

Watkins Food Market

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
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SHORTENING	Mrs. Tucker's Three-Pound Can	59¢
BANANAS	Golden Ripe	2 lbs 25¢
CABBAGE	Homegrown Pound	5¢
YAMS	Sugary Sam 22-Ounce	25¢
TUNA	Del Monte	3 for 89¢
GOOCH'S BLUE RIBBON		
BACON	Lb.	59¢
SHORT RIBS	lb.	29¢
CHUCK		
ROAST	Lb.	57¢
BEEF		
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