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Just Peanuts

By Evelyn

The Easter holidays are once more behind us, hope everyone had an enjoyable time visiting with friends and family and hopefully not hunting too many eggs! My son and I attended the Easter egg hunt held on the CJC campus and you have never seen the likes of kids and eggs. Although there were a few disappointed youths, it appeared that everyone had a very enjoyable hunt. Kids will return back to classes here Tuesday as did most all area schools.

Rain is in the forecast and most area farmers would appreciate a nice shower. Moisture received in the rains several weeks ago has just about left us and winds have started to blow dust on the more. More land is being prepared for spring planting therefore there is a greater area blowing these days.

I had a rather usual visitor to the paper office last week. Pat Berry who is a photographer with Texas Monthly magazine spotted the star on the window of the office and asked if he could take a picture of it-he is traveling throughout the state of Texas and photographing stars wherever he can find them. In a conversation with him, I learned that stars can be found in rather unique locations. Nonetheless, he stated that in the near future a book will be published with a sampling of some of the various photographs he has made and should be in bookstore this fall.

Violin Concert Presented To Saturday Club

The Saturday Club enjoyed a music program at the Library April 6, 1977. Mrs. Joe Tunnel from Leveland gave a violin concert accompanied by Mrs. Rex Hudson. They each are very accomplished musicians. The selections they played were "My God and Me", "The Holy City", "He Touched Me" and "Living For Jesus".

There were sixteen members and four guests present. Guests were Mrs. Joe Tunnel, Mrs. Linda George, Mrs. Cecil Joyce and Mrs. Fred Cook.

Mrs. E.B. McCollum was hostess with Mrs. Carl Marsh as program chairman.

Delicious refreshments were served from a lace covered table centered with beautiful irises.

The Club will meet again April 20th with Mrs. Floyd Joyce as Hostess and Mrs. E.L. Ratcliff as program chairman.

Pasture And Range Team Place First



(left to right - rear) Dr. J.L. Tackett, Dean, School of Agriculture and Business Mr. Henry Turney, Contest Superintendent, H.L. Geye, Vocational Agriculture Teacher. (left to right - front) Ken Hounsel, Bruce Williams 1st high individual score 347; Randy Bibb, 2nd, high individual, score 323; Marty Hill 5th high individual, score 313.

The Rising Star Chapter of Future Farmers of America placed First in the Area IV Pasture and Range Area VIII Contest held at Tarleton State University, Wednesday, April 6. Team members were Ken Hounsel, Bruce Williams, Randy Bibb and Marty Hill.

The contest was sponsored by the Agriculture Department and the Agricultural Education Department of Tarleton State University. Contests were held in Land Judging and Pasture and Range Judging. Approximately 350 FFA members from Areas IV and VIII participated in the competition.

Vocational Agriculture teacher H.L. Geye stated that the team will participate in State competition at Tarleton on April 14.

Rising Star FF Chapter Land Judging team composed of Randy Bibb, Ken Hounsel, Marty Hill, and Johnny Childers placed 8th in the Area 4 Contest held at Stephenville April 6. The contest was won by FFA team from Windthorst. Johnny Childers was the third high individual in the contest with a score of 252 out of a possible 280.

Results Of Thursday's Junior High Track Meet

By Regina White

Results of Thursday's Jr. High Track Meet
The Rising Star Jr. High girls took first in the track meet with a total of 81 points. While Blanket girls finished second with 79 points. The Rising Star boys won first in their division also.

Girls' Division
Shot Put-1. Williams, Lometa-30.7; 4. White, Rising Star-27.4; 5. C. Maynard, Rising Star-26.3
Discus-1. Collins, Santa Anna-81.1; 3. Harris, Rising Star-74.3; 4. Luncford-Rising Star-65.1
High Jump-1. Lowry, Gordon-5.0; 3. C. Maynard, Rising Star-4.2; 6. Harris, Rising Star-4.2

Long Jump-1. Nabers, Blanket-14.8; 3. Underwood, Rising Star-13.8; 6. Luncford, Rising Star 12.1
Triple Jump-1. Teague, Blanket-30.8; 3. C. Maynard, Rising Star-29.10
440 Relay-1. Blanket-55.1; 2. Gordon-56.9; 3. Rising Star-57.0

440 Dash-1. C. Maynard, Rising Star-66.6; 2. Beckham, Newcastle-68.4; 3. Locke, Richland Springs-68.9
220 Dash-1. Vicki Mann, May-28.7; 3. Underwood, Rising Star-29.0; 5. Luncford, Rising Star-30.2; 6. Hubbard, Rising Star-31.5
60 Dash-1. Nabers, Blanket-7.5; 2. Lewis, Richland Springs-7.8; 3. Estes, Lometa-8.0
80 yd. Hurdles-1. Smith, Richland Springs-13.7; 6. White, Rising Star-15.1

880 Relay-1. Blanket-1:57.1; 2. Rising Star-1:59.3; 3. Throckmorton-1:59.6
100 Dash-1. Lisa Mann, May-12.4; 2. Lewis, Richland Springs-12.6; 3. Freeman, Moran-12.7

880 Dash-1. Anthony, Richland Springs-2:39; 2. Rolfe, Santa Anna-2:43.6; 3. Thrash, Lometa-2:47

Boys Division
Pole Vault-1. Martinez, Rising Star-10'0; 4. Alford, Rising Star-9'0
High Jump-1. Hopson, Blanket-5'4; 2. Zungia, Gordon-5'2

Shot Put-1. Hopson, Blanket-40'11 three fourth; 2. Smith, Blanket-40'7; 3. Zungia, Bronte-39'5/4

Discus-1. Gricham, Blanket-118; 2. Chambers, Rising Star-109'7/2; 4. Wright, Rising Star-105'8; 6. Harris, Rising Star-98'3
Long Jump-1. Warnock, Santa Anna-17'6/2; 2. Dubese, Lometa-16'11/2; 3. Parham-Gordon-16'1

880 Dash-1. Watson, Rising Star-2:23.6; 3. Childers, Rising Star-2:31.5
60 High Hurdles-1. Kizer, Rising Star-9.1; 4. Martinez, Rising Star-9.6
100 Dash-1. Gutierrez, Bronte-11.3; 3. Wright, Rising Star-11.7
440 Dash-1. Parrish, Moran-61.1; 6. Alford, Rising Star-66.0

100 Low hurdles-1. Warnock, Santa Anna-12.5; 2. Martinez, Rising Star-13.0; 4. Kizer, Rising Star-13.5.2
50 Dash-1. Dubose, 6.1; 2. Martinez, Rising Star-6.3; 3. Wright, Rising Star-6.5; 5. Burns, Rising Star-6.62

440 Relay-1. Bronte-51.5; 4. Rising Star-52.6
880 Relay-1. Santa Anna-1:49.2; 2. Bronte-1:49.7; 3. Gordon-1:52.0



The Eastland County Art Association announces that noted western artist, Jack Bryant of Azle will be the guest demonstrator at their May 5 meeting.

Mr. Bryant, native of Fort Worth, does landscapes, wood carving and bronzes, as well as painting his favorite subjects which are horses, buffalo and Stately Indians. His unusual rendition of lighting smacks of the works of the Old Masters.

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May 4-H To Have Hay Ride And Party

The May 4-H Club held a meeting at the Community Center in May on April 6, 1977. The meeting was called to order by Bo Allen, president of the club. Melissa Norris led the Pledge of Allegiance; Shane Crafton led the 4-H Pledge and Crissy Moore led the 4-H Prayer.

Tonja Crafton called the roll and read the minutes from the previous meeting.

Kenny Hignight gave a Council report stating that applications are being taken for the 4-H Camp during the summer.

Janet Nelson gave the treasurers report.

The club agreed to have a hay ride and 4-H party at the end of school. It was also decided to have a booth at the May Day celebration and have a bake sale that day. A committee was appointed to make a schedule for the 4-H workers for the day. It will be May 14.

The committee is as follows:

Becky Moore, Janet Nelson, Kenny Hignight, Shellon McCallie, and Lynne Whiteaker.

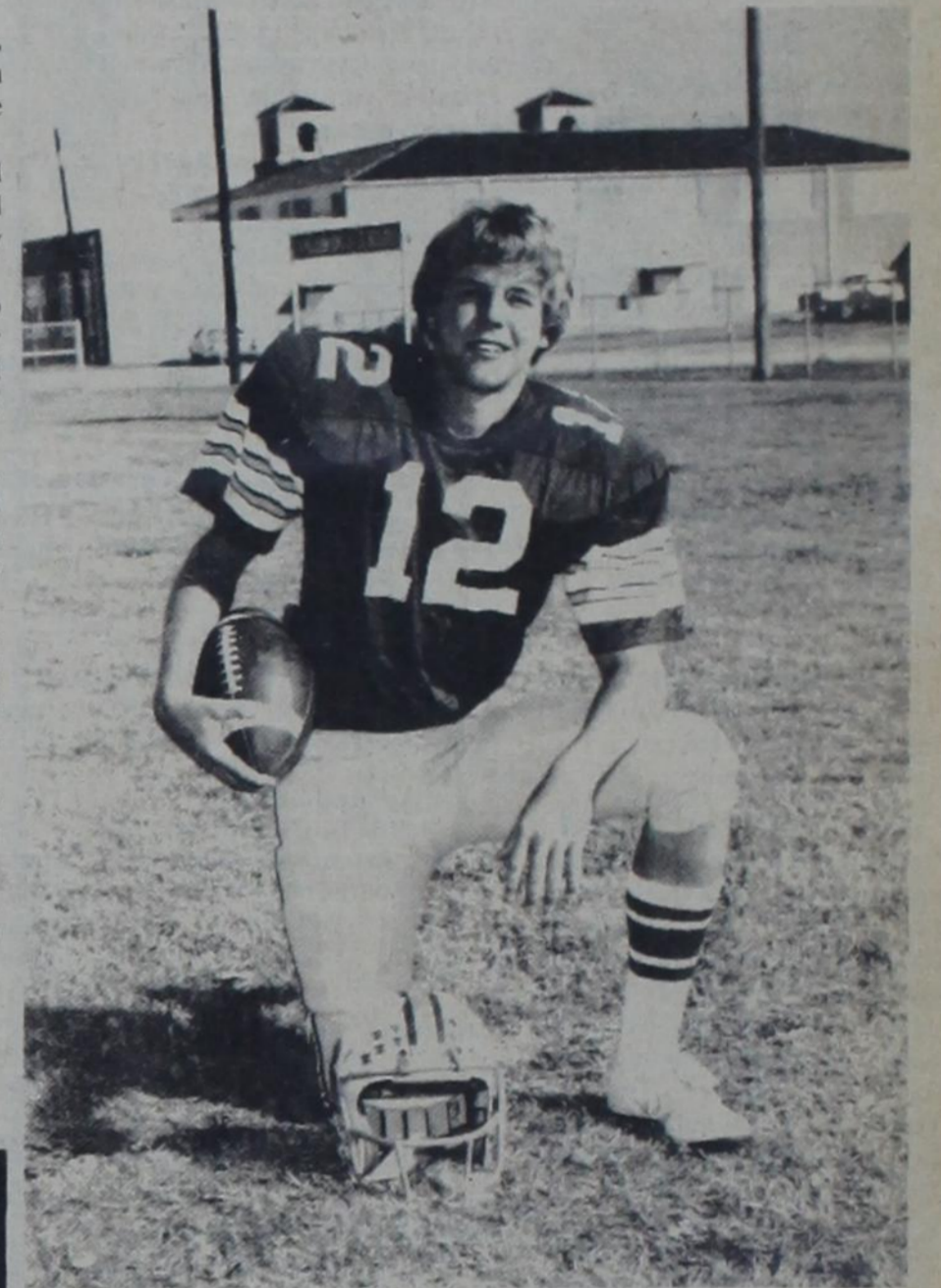
The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served by Bo Allen and Kenny Hignight.

Members present included: Bo Allen, Bobby and Terry Burnett, Tonja, Shane, and Jimmy Crafton, James Driskill, Benny Edwards, Perry Ellis, Jamie Epley, Kenny Hignight, Gary Jackson, Aaron and Shellon McCallie, Lisa and Vicki Mann, Becky and Crissy Moore; Mart Muckleroy, Janet Nelson, Melissa Norris, Larry Owings, Lynne Whiteaker, Becky and Richard Windham, Linda and Carol Harris, Janette Holmes, and Glenn Pittman.

Adult Leaders present were Mrs. Carol Nelson, Mrs. Nancy Burnett, Mrs. Ina Mae Moore, Mrs. Francis Crafton, and Mrs. Kay Whiteaker. Mrs. Loma Pittman was a visitor.

reporter
Lynne Whiteaker

Bobby Guy Lucas Named Distinguished Student



Bobby Guy Lucas

Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Burns were recently notified that their grandson, Bobby Guy Lucas has been nominated by his high school sponsor and has been selected to represent Roscoe High School in The Society of Distinguished American High School Students - the nation's leading honorary. This is a tremendous accomplishment for a junior and one of which is to be highly commended.

Each year high school principals and counselors from across the country assist

The Society in recognizing and rewarding America's most distinguished students. This honor is one of the highest that can be bestowed upon a student and is representative of his superior scholastic achievement, as well as the leadership he has demonstrated in extracurricular and civic activities.

Bobby will be featured in the 1977 volume of The Society of Distinguished American High School Students. This Membership Registry will include his name, high school and accomplishments.

Tommie Crisp Honored



On 84th Birthday

Thomas J. Crisp, long time resident of Rising Star, was honored Sunday, on his 84th birthday at his home in Rising Star, Tommy, (as he is best known by his many friends) was born April 5, 1893, in Freestone County, Texas, to Iva late Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Crisp.

He was married to Mary Elizabeth Fussell, June 16, 1917, in Palestine, Texas, by the Rev. Van Kelley.

The Crisps are the parents of five children, one daughter is deceased, the four living children include two sons and two daughters, all were present

to honor their father for lunch and afternoon party, on his day. They also have 15 grandchildren and thirty great-children.

Mr. Crisp cut his large birthday cake furnished by his children.

The cake was served to Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Crisp, and Earl Fussell, of Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Crisp, of Jal, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hall, of Dumas, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Crisp, and children, of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young, Glenda and Jay, of Victoria, Texas.

Newly Elected Trustees Assume Duties

With two new trustees taking oath and one incumbent retaining his seat, the Rising Star School Board of Trustees began a new year so to speak, as a new slate of officers were elected.

John D. (Skeet) Clark was once more elected to his post as president of the School Board. A. W. Andrew Griffin was unanimously voted into the position of Vice-President and Jack Hubbard was once more awarded the secretarial job.

In other business, the board canvassed votes from the Trustee election held April 2nd 1977. The results were read and the order signed declaring the results of the Trustee election. Newly elected members Douglas Walker, Mr. Joe (Linda) Butler and John D. (Skeet) Clark were administered the oath of office. The oaths were signed and commissioned by the President of the Board.

A motion was made to turn the list of delinquent taxes over to the lawyer, Edward E. Cockrell of Abilene and also compile a new list of additional delinquent taxes for a lesser amount motion carried.

The Board approved the Blue Book and N.A.D.A. Valuation

Motor Vehicle booklets as a guideline for the Tax-Assessor for use in compiling the new tax roll.

The property valuation report worked up by Mrs. Rowena Chambers was approved and signed by the Board.

A discussion was held surrounding possible appointments to the Rising Star Equalization Board. May 15, 1977 has been set for meeting date with Thomas Y. Pickett to meet with the Equalization Board.

The Rising Star Band has asked permission to use a school bus for a trip to Six Flags over Texas. The Board has requested additional information concerning this trip and has selected Andy Griffin and Linda Butler to look into the matter further.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Members present were: John D. (SKEET) Clark, A.W. Griffin, R.L. (Bob) Rust, Douglas Walker, Linda Butler, David Harris, and Jack Hubbard. School personnel present were Mrs. Rowena Chambers and J.L. Newbury

Gene Hicks Chief of Police was also present.

Felker Assigned To Transportation Battalion

Hanau, Germany (AHTNC) April 5 - Army Sergeant Donald H. Felker, whose wife, Linda, lives at 101 Williams Dr., Comanche, Tex., recently was assigned to the 205th Transportation Battalion in Hanau, Germany.

Sgt. Felker is an aircraft hydraulics repairman with the

battalion's Company B.

The Sergeant entered the Army in October 1972.

He is a 1972 graduate of West Lafayette High School, West Lafayette.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Felker, 822 N. Salisbury, West Lafayette, Ind.

Items Of Interest

Wednesday, April 13
Public Presentation of the play "The Sand Box" (U.I.L. first place winner)

Thursday, April 14
Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Meeting

Thursday, April 14
Jaycee meeting
West Texas Utilities Open House

Thursday, April 14
Girls District Track Meet
Rising Star Field Events start at 11:30 and Prelims at 2:30

Friday, April 15
Boys District Track Meet
Ranger
U.I.L. play members travel to Stephenville for competition

Friday, April 15
Lakewood Ladies Luncheon 12:30
Lakewood Recreation Center

Saturday, April 16
Bridal Shower Karen Vaughn - Nathan Jones
Community Room First State Bank 3-5 pm.

Sunday, April 17
Golf Suramble 1:30
Lakewood Recreation Center

Sunday, April 17
Golden Wedding Anniversary Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hill 2-5 pm. Hill Home

Monday, April 18
Golf Team Meet
Par Country Club
Proctor Lake 9:30 a.m.

Tuesday, April 19
PTO Meeting

Brag Corner



JENNIFER CAROL
AGE 3

Parents: Billie Jean and Curtis Pell

Grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Jack White of Rising Star and Mr. and Mrs. August Hahn of Burnett.

File Your Income Tax Return By April 15th

**Accident Occurs
North Of Town**

Two men remained fair condition Monday afternoon in E. L. Graham Hospital following a one-car mishap at 5:40 a.m. Monday on U.S. 183. Treated for multiple abrasions, according to a hospital spokesman, were Leonard Hageman, 57, driver of the vehicle, and George Parks, 27, passenger. DPS troopers Don Stewart and Leroy Polnick said the accident occurred three miles north of Rising Star on U.S. 183 when Hageman's south-bound vehicle went out of control, crossing over the midstripe and rolling over 1 1/2 times before coming to rest. No explanation for the cause of the accident was available, according to the DPS.

**Study Of
Mark Given**

The United Methodist Women met Monday afternoon in the youthroom for a Business meeting and the Study of the Gospel of Mark. Seven were present. Mrs. Hubert Taylor presided and Mrs. Bob Smith gave the opening prayer. Mrs. E.A. Hull gave the Study 'Disciples by the Way'. Mrs. Hubert Taylor read scriptures from Mark, the 8th chapter 22nd through the 30th verse. The Subjects of Discussion were 'Discipleship, The Way of the Cross, The Paradox of Life', 'The Disciples Missunderstanding', and 'Teaching of Discipleship'. The Society Benediction was repeated in unison in closing.

★ Deaths & Funerals

James Earl McDONALD Services were held for James Earl McDonald, 57, Friday, April 8 in Kingsville conducted by his son, David McDonald, Baptist minister of Arlington with burial following in the Kingsville Cemetery. Mr. McDonald passed away Thursday, April 7th in a Kingsville Hospital. James Earl was born and grew up in Rising Star. He was a graduate of Rising Star High School. He later moved to Kingsville and met and married Eloise Krueger.

Mr. McDonald, is survived by his wife, Eloise; one son, David; father, Guy McDonald; three grandchildren; three brothers, Almos of Kingsville; Lorán of Lubbock; and Roy of Fort Stockton; four sisters, Mrs. Ferrell Crook of San Antonio; Mrs. Lauster Wauelle of Fort Wogth; Mrs. Mary Jo Lusk of Zapata and Mrs. Frances Allan of Fort Worth. Mr. Guy McDonald returned home Saturday, after attending funeral services for his son-



In the language of flowers, when you're wearing a zinnia, you're thinking of absent friends.



Repeat after me, "Only you..."



Governor Dolph Briscoe (center) has received the Texan of the Year Award for "his outstanding contributions for Texas in the filed of public affairs," from the Texas Legislative Conference, sponsored jointly by the Texas State Chamber of Commerce and the New Braunfels Chamber of Commerce. Bill Collyns of Midland, President of the Texas State Chamber of Commerce (left), presented the award as Mrs. Janey Briscoe (right) looks on. The ceremony was held March 31 at the award reception of the Legislative Conference in New Braunfels.

**AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE
OMAR BURLESON M.C.
/H/DISTRICT* TEXAS**

WASHINGTON* D.C.--NOTHING SEEMS QUITE AS PERMANENT as a temporary Government program. Year by year the Congress continues to extend supplemental unemployment benefits beyond the 39 weeks available under the regular Federal-State payments. The unemployment program has been in effect for many years, paid for by employers. The additional 26 weeks of benefits are paid from general revenues which means the costs come from all taxpayers of the Nation.

JOBLESS BENEFITS CAN NOW REACH the maximum of 65 weeks in States with a rate of 6 percent or more unemployment. This drops to 52 weeks when the rate is between 5 and 6 percent. The sum of 500 million dollars is budgeted for the payments between now and October 1. The various States administer the program with Federal "guidelines". Some States are more "liberal" in determining payments than others. California and New York are the big beneficiaries under this program. The bulk of all payments will go to a few States

which provide high benefits. Texas has one of the best administered programs in the Nation and, because of our comparatively low unemployment rate and because it is well run, we just about draw a goose-egg in this extended benefits program but we help pay for it.

THIS PAST WEEK THE "TEMPORARY" ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION PROGRAM was passed by the House of Representatives. The Senate had approved the legislation a few days before to which was attached an amendment requiring future pay raises for the Legislative, certain since the recent increase in salary for Members of Congress, Cabinet and other Executive no all, voted for the increase in unemployment compensation, hoping to "get off the hook" for their previous support of the pay raise. It had a real wholesome sound (as if another raise was about to occur the fact being there definitely is not going to be any for years in the future and just maybe never).

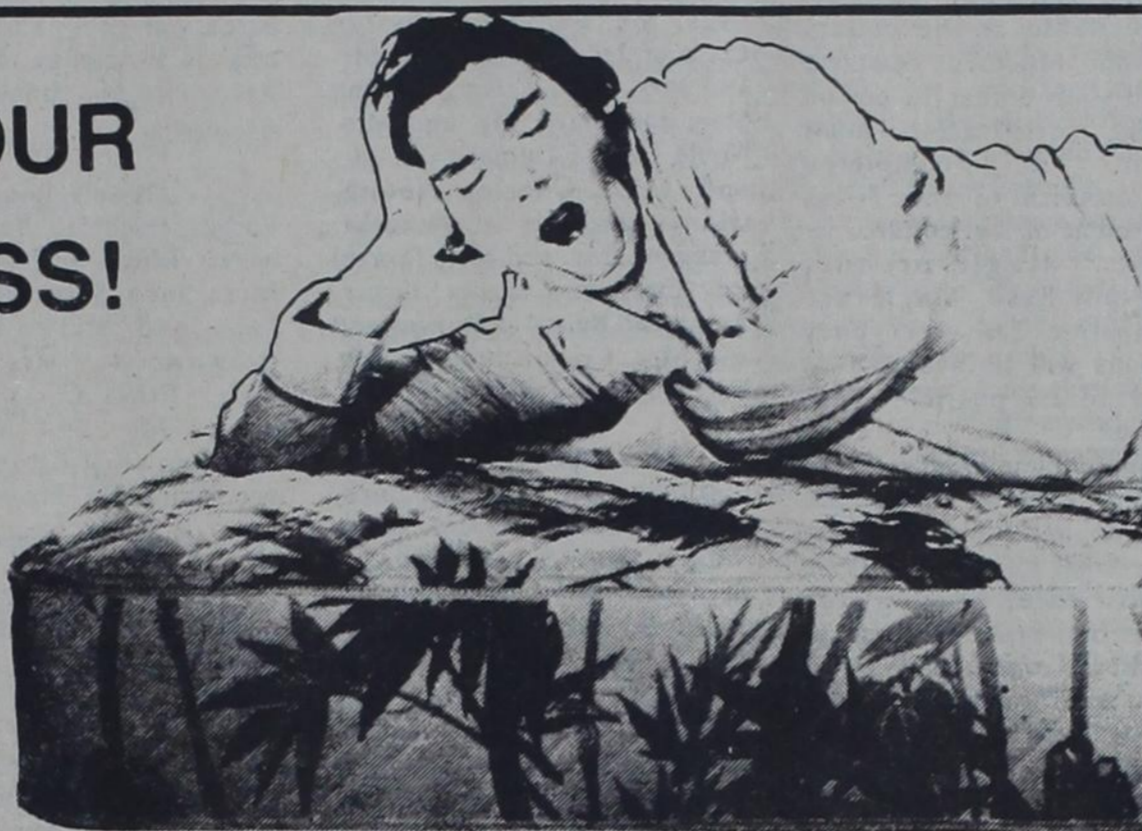
THE SENATE WAS ON RECORD AND VOTED FAVORABLY on the recent pay raise but the House, under parliamentary procedures, avoided it. Unlike the House of

Representatives the State can put an amendment on a bill which has no relevance to the measure but the House, under its rules cannot do so. The House has the rule of "germaneness" which requires any amendment. As a matter of fact, there is already legislation avoiding automatic pay increases. An amendment recently adopted in the Budget Committee prohibits increases which otherwise would occur in October.

THERE WERE ONLY TWO VOTES against the measure on extending benefits for unemployment compensation; this member being one of those two. The vote was cast on the judgement that, first, there is a big question as to the rate of unemployment; the fact that our State is on the short end of any benefits; the further fact that every dime of this money has to be as the economy improves. The States with the high payments are a drain on those who try to hold a reasonable line on these costly payments but reap the greatest benefit. These payments and other available benefits which make it more attractive not to work than to work simply cannot be justified.

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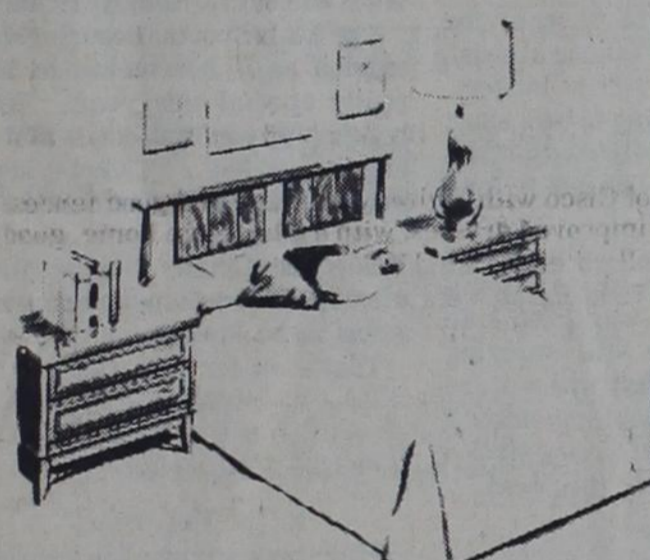
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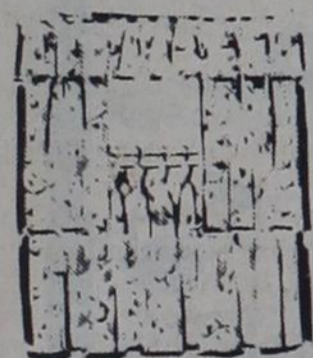


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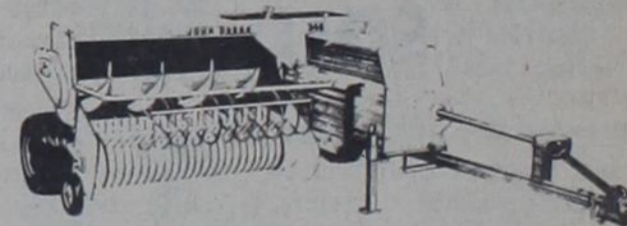
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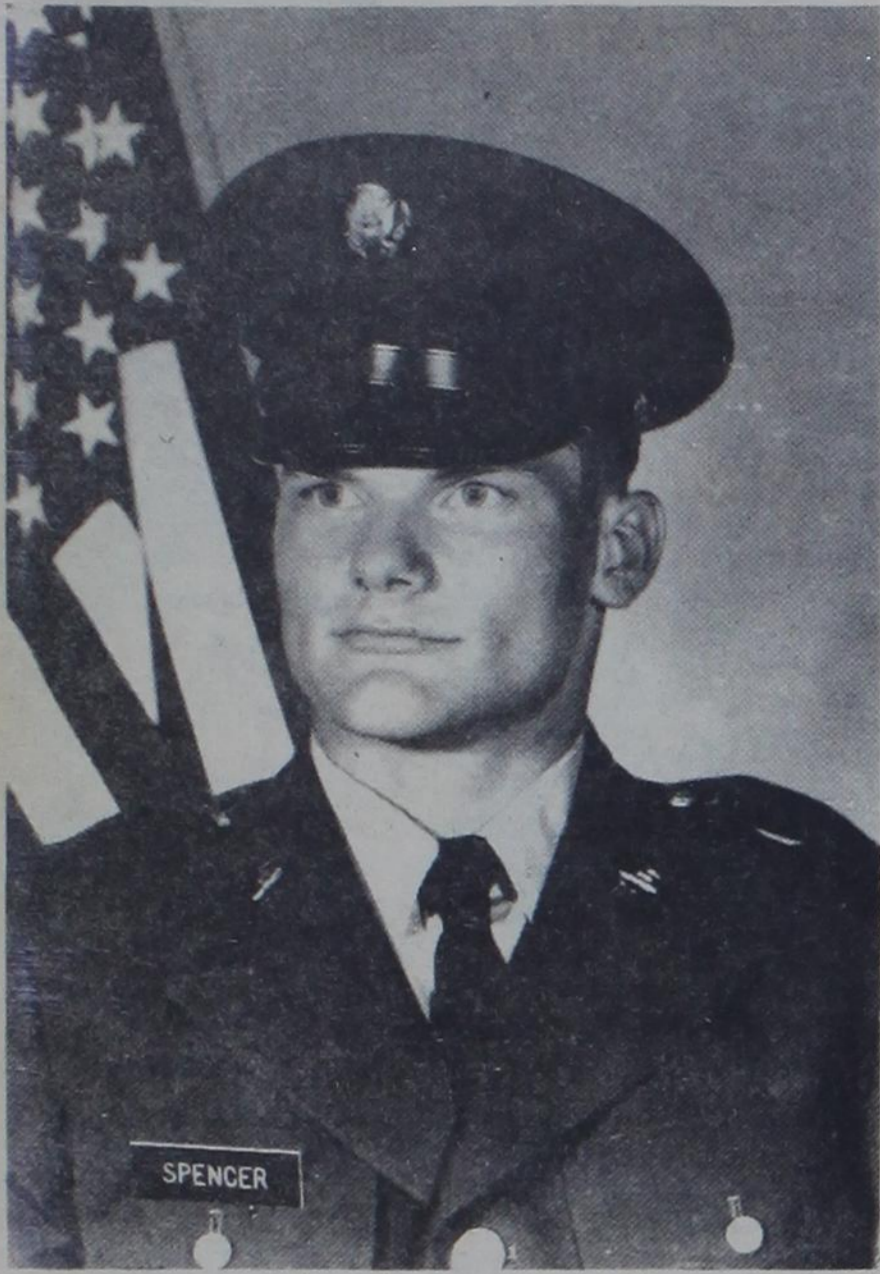
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Rising Star



PFC Alvin R. Spencer is stationed in Korea on a 13 month tour of duty. He entered the service in May of 1975 and completed Basic Training and AIT at Fort Polk La. He was later stationed at Fort Hood and left March 14th 1976, for Korea. Alvin is married to the former Nelda Teague and they have one son, Alvin Jr. He is the son of Earlene Benson of Rising Star.

GORDON SPOT

by DeMarquis Gordon

Eastland County Extension Agent, DeMarquis Gordon, says that all agricultural producers in the county should be award of the pesticide certification requirements.

The Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) as amended, enforced by the Environmental Protection Agency, includes among other requirements (1) the classification of all uses of pesticides as either restricted use or general use and (2) the certification of applicators (private and commercial) as a requisite to the legal use of supervision of use of restricted use pesticides.

The Texas Pesticide Control Act, although not requiring certification of private applicators authorizes the Commissioners of Agriculture to establish a program to certify private applicators, on a voluntary basis, who wish to use or supervise the use of restricted use pesticides in compliance with federal law.

The term "Private Applicator" means a certified applicator who uses or supervises the use of any Pesticide which is classified for restricted use for purposes of producing any Agricultural Commodity on Property owned or rented by him or his employer or if applied without compensation other than trading of personal services between producers of Agricultural Commodities on the property of another person.

The program established by the Texas Department of Agriculture provides three options for certification of private applicators to include: 1) Completion of an approved training program conducted by a qualified institution or training group. 2) Submission of a completed questionnaire to the Texas Department of Agriculture following review of self-study material, and 3) For emergency situations, a

single-product, single use certification available through Texas Department of Agriculture.

Private applicator certification training programs will be scheduled as a means by which Eastland County producers may qualify for certification as private applicators. Five training-certification meetings have been planned in Eastland County. The first meeting will be at Gorman High School April 25 beginning at 6:30 p.m. The other four will be in May Dates, locations and times of these meetings will be announced in the near future.

As an alternative to participation in a training program, self-study materials are available at the county Extension office. To complete the self-study option the person seeking certification must submit a completed questionnaire to the Texas Department of Agriculture.

The single-product single-purchase, single use certification for emergency situations will be available as restricted use pesticides are marketed.

The full implementation of the amended Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act is scheduled for October 1977. On this date, barring any changes in the law, producers of agricultural commodities must be certified applicators as a requisite to the use of restricted use pesticides.



Thursday, April 14, 1977



PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Bass, Jalayne, Angela and Doug from Benton Arkansas spent the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hubbard.

Mrs. Von Dene Willett, Dena and David visited Denise Hill in Waco during the Easter holidays and helped her celebrate her 19th birthday on Easter Sunday. Everyone enjoyed sighthseeing, picnicing and fishing. Denise attends Texas State Tech in Waco where she is taking courses in Interior Decorating, Upholstery and Floral Designing.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Crisp during the Easter holidays were their children: sons, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Crisp of Jal, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. elgie Crisp of Rising Star; daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hall of Dumas; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young, Glenda and Jay of Victoria; grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Crisp and family, Kathy, Angie and Randy of Brownwood and Mrs. Crisp's brother, Mr. Earl Fussell of Rising Star.

Those spending the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George Steel were Mrs. Gwen Singer, David and Carla of Bryan and James Steel, student at Hardin Simmons University.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie vandivere, DeLana and Tammi visited the following people during the Easter holidays: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Vandivere; his sisters Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pilcher of Albany and Charlene Hines of Garland and also his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Vandivere all in Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hatch and daughter, Treacy of Wichita Falls were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monty Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Jones and children, John and Carye spent the holidays with Gary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Jones.

Gloria and Billy Phillips and son, Leeton Joe were holiday visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. Alice Jones and her brother H.M. Jones. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Monty Jones and daughter.

Those visiting with Mrs. Olice Jones over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones of Houston and Mrs. Jones sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Fielder.

Mrs. Bufford (Velma Lee) Carr is hospitalized in the Brownwood Community Hospital suffering from pneumonia and several blood clots.

Weekend visitors of the H.W. Calloway's were: Florence Oakley of Ashland, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Calloway of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Nichols and family of Abilene; Larry Nichols; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hooten and family of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. David Harris and family and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonny Butler and Jeffery of Houston visited his mother and family, Mrs. Eva Woody.

Jim and Nancy Roach of San Angelo visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Roach and had Easter dinner with Nancy's parents at Cross Cut, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arledge. Mrs. Lottie Roach also had dinner with the Arledge's.

Those helping Mrs. L.B. Forbes celebrate her birthday were: Murel Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Somerford, Rev. Leon and Marie Woods of Brownwood; Mrs. Forbes sister Ethel Clark; and her niece, Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Breeding all of Cross Plains. A very enjoyable day was had by all.

Mr. Weldon Roach is a patient in the V.A. Hospital in Temple where he is undergoing a series of tests.

Pam and Taylor Hicks of Houston were weekend visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Geye. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Geye spent the week visiting the Geye's and Mrs. Helen Donham.

Mrs. Olive Schaeffer has recently returned from Austin where she attended funeral services for Otis Mayben, services were held in Marble Falls. Mrs. Schaeffer also visited Mrs. Lola Mae Shelby. Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Ruby Morris were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gordan and family of Houston and her daughter, Lavern Allgood of Eastland.

Mrs. C.L. Smith, mother of Carl Smith died Monday, April 11 at 11:00 am, in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Smith was 98 years old. Services will be held Wednesday afternoon at Flomot, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Smith left Monday afternoon and will be joined by their sons, Stony and Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perkins of Sulphur Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Maynard and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burns and Kialynn over the weekend.

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jack White during the Easter break were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright and children, Staci and Heather of San Diego, California.

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LITTLE MISS PAGEANT COMING SOON
 For all those little ones up to kindergarten age who would like to participate in the 1977 Little Miss Pageant, be sure and remember the following information. It is to be May 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the Rising Star High School Gymnasium. There will be an entry fee of five dollars per child. Those that are over kindergarten age are chosen by their class and are not required to pay an entry fee. Each Senior is going to try to get in touch with every mother that they can, but it would be a tremendous help if you could let us know if you have a little boy or girl that wants to participate. It's going to be lots of fun so plan ahead to attend!

SENIOR NEWS
 Well we are back from the Easter Holidays but we all wish they had been a little longer. This is really going to be a short week because of the two district track meets Thursday and Friday. There is about a month and a half left of school and everyone is really looking forward to the summer. In English we are still studying speeches. In first aid we are still learning mouth to mouth resuscitation and saving lives. Thats about it for this week.
 Pam

R.S.H.S. NEWS
 The whole student body is very proud of the One Act Play cast and Sponsors. The play is to be presented at Stephenville this Friday. Two more events that are to take place this week are the Girls & Boys District track meet. The girls will run here this Thursday, while the boys will go to Ranger Friday. The All Sports Banquet is looking as if it is going to be really special this year. We hope all of you that can will be able to attend. Tickets are being sold now by the R.S.H.S. Cheerleaders.
 The Seniors are planning for the Little Miss Pageant that is going to be May 2. That's all for this week!
 pam

In the Fish Bowl
 This week we are having six weeks test, which are very hard. And Wednesday night the school is giving the UIL Play, Thursday and Friday is District Track. Everybody come and see the play and boost us in track.
 Pam

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80 ACRES 5 miles west of Eastland- 1/4 minerals 2 Bedroom House- Trees- County Road on 2 sides- 2 tanks- \$399.00- ac.

39 ACRES south of Cisco on Hiway 183- 1/2 mineral Stock tank - Water well- 15 acres of Peanut allotment- Excellent Building site- Barn.

84 ACRES adjoining city limits of Eastland- Lots of road frontage- 50 acres of irrigated coastal- Bottom land- Creek- Hundreds of Pecan Trees- Would consider splitting- Very CLOSE IN.

100 ACRES love grass and Coastal- 90 per cent menierals 6 miles from Eastland- 2 wells good fences on 3 sides Small assumable loan- Some trees- Excellent garden and building site- \$420.00- ac.

100 ACRES south of Cisco- Pavement Frontage- 25 acres cultivation- Balance in native pasture and trees- Good stock tank- Small peanut allot. \$320.00- ac.

136 ACRES north of Cottonwood- Pavement front- 4 room house- 20 acres love grass- old barn- all suitable for coastal- \$320.00- ac.

150 ACRES SE of LAKE LEON- 73 acres of coastal- Pavement frontage- 3 Stock Tanks- Creek- Good fences- Some minerals- Good building sites- Some owner financing- \$375.00- Ac.

240 ACRES all sandy cultivation- 100 acres peanuts- 40 acres coal- 1/2 minerals- Water wells and city water- Pavement- \$450.00- ac.

387 ACRES South of Cisco- All in coastal or Love grass- 1/4 minerals- Irrigation well and system- Good fences- 24 acre Peanut allot. \$375.00 ac.

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Man was created to work and not to sit idly by. Adam was put in the garden of eden to dress and to keep it before there was ever a transgression. People have a false illusion as to what the future holds for them. Those who retire from active employment usually find themselves retiring from life instead.

Heaven has been misunderstood by many. Heaven is not a place of fleecy clouds where those who have departed sit tooting horns while the ages roll.

An active mind is a happy mind! 'By much slothfulness the building decayeth; and through idleness of the hands the house droppeth through.' Eccles. 10:18.

Host Ministers,
Don Bruce

Church Of Christ

One of the most serious challenges facing any individual in a religious context is that of maintaining a balance between the various emphases of his faith. It is always easy to lose one's perspective and become overly jealous in a single area, while neglecting others.

In Matthew 23, Jesus addresses a serious of scathing rebukes against the Pharisees and scribes, in which he

characterizes the as 'hypocrites', 'whited sepulchres', and 'blind guides'. He does not describe them as immoral - at least in the usual sense of the term. He doesn't accuse them of gross idolatry. Rather, their crime against God and others was that they had allowed themselves to become unbalanced in their religious concepts. These hyper-devout individuals, the elite among the Jews, had come to feel that the only thing of value before God was to pay strict attention to the rituals and ceremonies of the Law of Moses, even to such minute details as 'tithing mint, anise and cummin', while neglecting altogether social and fraternal considerations. Even faith was abandoned in favor of the externals (Matthew 23:23).

It is certainly true that attention to doctrinal matters is indispensable (2 John verses 9-11; 1 Timothy 4:1ff; etc.); one can not serve God and minimize, or deny: the divinity of Christ, the atonement by Christ, the nature and importance of the church, the requirements for the forgiveness of sins, and other doctrinal matters. But neither is it possible to be hyper-orthodox doctrinally, while denying aid to a neighbor or a brother in Christ and be acceptable to God (Matthew 25:31-46; 1 John 3:17; etc.). The latter is what the scribes and Pharisees of Jesus' time were doing.

Some of our time devote themselves to social changes, while minimizing doctrine; others emphasize doctrine and neglect the material and emotional needs of fellow-humans. Jesus makes it plain that a balance must be struck and both areas be given proper emphasis (Matthew 22:34-40).

Bring your Bibles and join us in a detailed study of the

Scriptures: on Sunday at 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday at 7 p.m. and in the Assemblies on Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Mrs. Georgia Crossnoe remains in the Lubbock West Texas Hospital (Room 323), in rather serious condition. Keneta Rainer has undergone surgery in the Eastland Hospital. It was good to have Mrs. Mary Looney and members of her family with us Sunday morning. She hopes to get someone to stay with her so she can come back home to Rising star. For some time, she has been in the Brownwood Care Center. A large number of our folk have had the flu.

For some time, the church here has been assisting in gospel work in the Central American country of Honduras, among others. A sizable sum was sent from here recently aid in a special Campaign effort. We appreciated and enjoyed so much the many visitors with us last Sunday.

May your week be a profitable and enjoyable one, in every way possible. Call us if we can serve you.

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First United Methodist Church

Off the coast of Newfoundland, we are told, one may see a strange sight. The winds are blowing from the south. The driftwood and all drifting things on the sea are silently moving northward.

But far out at sea one sees the mighty icebergs. They are moving majestically southward. Winds and currents carry all drifting things toward the north, but the icebergs,

eight-ninths of their bulk under water, are gripped by strong ocean currents and carried southward.

The fact of Christ's presence is like that. His spirit can so possess us that we are not bothered by the trivial movements of life about us. We have a goal, we have a task, we have a destiny; and we have a power which drives us forward toward the fulfillment of the mission of Our Christ. Surface movements may come and go; Christ in us is an inner power which is greater. Thus we can say with the Apostle Paul, "I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me."

Everybody is talking about the joy they experienced on Easter Sunday. The Sunrise Service were well attended and the musical program was an inspiration to all who attended as was the message brought to us by Brother Williams. We too are rejoicing over the services held at the regular hour of worship. For all the beautiful flowers that graced the Lord's House, for the music rendered by the choir and Mrs. George along with the help of the musicians we are deeply grateful. We were privileged to baptize the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Estrada and to receive them into our fellowship along with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Setser. To these as to all we have received into our fellowship recently, we say Welcome.

It was reported early Monday morning that Mrs. Pete Starks has been readmitted to the Hendricks Hospital in Abilene over the week-end. There are still others who are on the sick list and are unable to be about. Mr. Lee Byrd is home but confined to his bed. Mrs. Byrd is reported to be having a little back trouble trying to lift her husband. For all of these and others that we may not know about we continually lift our prayers on their behalf to Our Heavenly Father.

We too are praying all will have a good week, both beneficial unto themselves as unto Our Lord and the fulfilling of His ministry. If we can be of service to you or yours, please come by or give us a call. We would be most happy to share with you in your time of need.

Hubert Taylor

Universal Full Gospel Assembly

God is a great God! How wonderful it is to know we belong to him.

We had a glorious Service Sunday morning as we gathered together to worship and glorify our risen Savior. There was 62 in attendance and most assuredly everyone there went away with a new and fresh assurance that Jesus Christ still lives and that he lives and reigns within the hearts of men and women today. Surely 'There is a fountain filled with blood, drawn from Immanuel's veins; and sinners plunged beneath that flood, lose all their guilty stains.'

How wonderful it is to be set free from a heavy burden of sin and have the Slate of our life washed clean. Have a chance to start all over and live a clean and happy life, a production life. Have a chance to do things that will live in Eternity.

All of this we can have because our Savior died and rose again and today is sitting at the right hand of our Father, making intercession for us.

We are looking for this same Jesus to come back again, and "Receive us unto himself that where he is, there we may be also."

We were indeed happy for each one that attended the House of God Sunday morning as well as Sunday night, but let us be faithful each and every Sunday, because Our Glorious Lord is to be praised Every Day, not just on Easter Sunday.

Let us be up and about the Master's business, telling the world that Jesus still lives, "for the Fool, hath said in his heart, there is no God." Psalms 53:1.

Let us Praise Him, Our Savior and Lord. Psalms 48:1. "Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised."

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Henry Lindly - - May
Mrs. Billy Abbey - - Comanche
A.H. Frankenberg - - Abilene
Bob Shults - - Rising Star
Tom Perkins - - Sulphur Springs
Cowan Hutton - - Rising Star



Thursday, April 14, 1977

Church News

Scripture Thought Of The Day

Preach the word; be urgent in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort, with all longsuffering and teaching. For the time will come when they will not endure the sound doctrine; but, having itching ears, will heap to themselves teachers after their own lusts; (2 Timothy 4:2,3)



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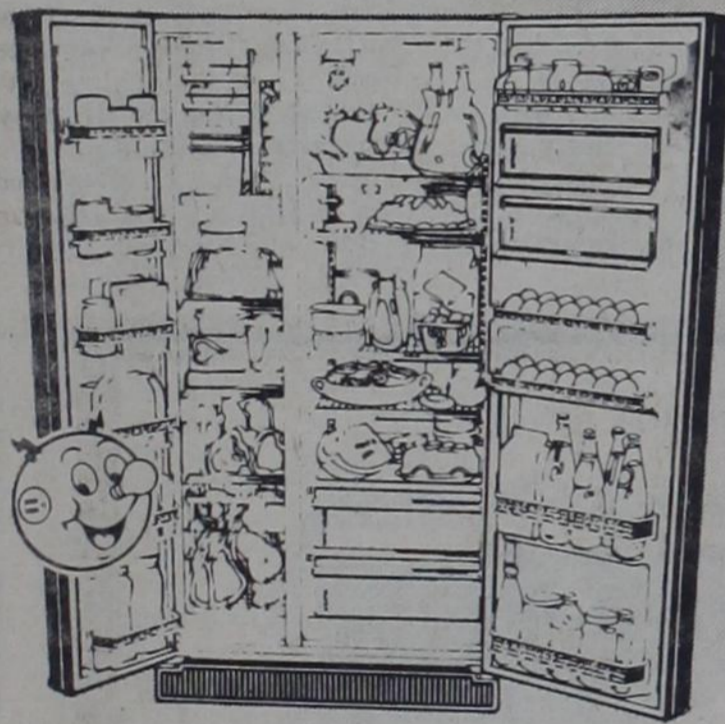


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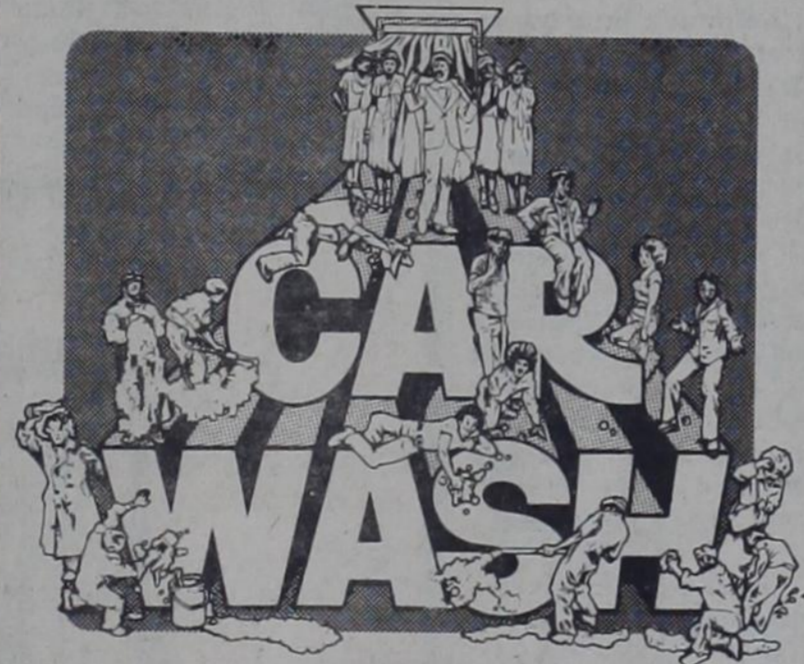
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 Mike Roberson- Chev. Pu- Proctor.
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 Ray Bain- Ford Fordor-Corpus Christi.
 Al Hicks Welding- Ford Welding Tnk- Abilene.
 Chris Spandoni- Dodge 2 dr.- Carbon.
 Don Kinnaird- Mercury 4 dr.- Eastland.
 Hayden L. Wilson- Chev. 2 dr.- Ft. Worth.
 Larry Don Pierce- Ford 4 dr.- Stephenville.
 Grant Lewis- Ford 4 Dr.- Desdemona.
 Alla Ray Morris- Cad. 4 dr.- Ranger.
 Mrs. W.P. Watkins- Olds 4 dr.- Ranger.
 H.T. Hadaway- Chev. 4 dr.- Brownwood.
 Alva A. Jones- Chev. Tordor- Ranger.
 Gene Underwood- Chev. cpe- Odessa.
 Three Soil Co.- Chev. Kpkup- Albany.
 Raymond E. Beck- Chev. Pu.- Eastland.

Instruments Filed
 Co. Clerk's office
 Roy Adams to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W Esmt.
 Jammes R. Agnew and wife to West bound Water Supply Corp.- R- W Esmt.
 Rudolph Aguilar and wife to West bound Water Supply Corp.- R- W Esmt.
 Leola Alderman to Daniel Abernathy- OGL.
 Ray Alexander and wife to 1st St. Bk. Rising Star- Deed of Trust.
 W. Lynn Ball to U.L. Kinsherry- Ssgn. OGL.
 Tommy Bacon and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp.- R- W Esmt.
 Truman E. Bacon and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp.- R- W Esmt.
 Billy Bacon and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp.- R- W Esmt.
 Dennis Barrett- to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W Esmt.
 Truett Been and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W Esmt.
 Don H. Bentley to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W Esmt.
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 Arlin Bintl and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp.

R- W Esmt.
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 Henry B. Burkett and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W Esmt.
 Larry D. Bearden and wife to Loper Mortgage Co. Deed of Trust.
 Earl Bass and wife to Calvin Michelson- OGL.
 Catherine Cunningham to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W Esmt.
 Mrs. J.A. Cross to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W Esmt.
 B.J. Chafin and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp. Esmt.- R- W Esmt.
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 Bill Christian and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp. Esmt. R- W.
 Mike Collins and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp. Esmt. and R- W.
 Dewey Cox Jr. and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp. Esmt. R- W.
 CComanche Brown- Asgn. OGL.
 Comanche Crude Oil Corp to Wylie Brown- Asgn. OGL.
 J.W. Crowder to Atha Keel Crowder Warranty Deed.
 Cisco Oil and Gas Co. to Schkade Bros. Drlg. Co.- Asgn. OGL.
 Pearl Carson to Schkade Bros. Drlg. Co.- Asgn. OGL.
 Gladys Chambliss to the Public Affid.
 Marie Louise Campbell to 1st St. Bk. Abilene Certified Copy Probate.
 Estate of Marie Louise Campbell deed to The Public-Letters Testamentary.
 Olan Culp and wife to Geo. Vera Sales Contract.
 Ruby Nell aDavis and husband to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W Esmt.
 Clarence B. Dill and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W. Esmt.
 H.H. Durham and wife to Westbound Water Supply Corp. R- W. Esmt.
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 Arlton E. Smith to James Jay Rel D- T- V- L.
 State of Texas to Royce R. Phillips Rel. Abstract of Judgement.
 John H. Scitern and wife to 1st St. Bk. Ranger- MML and Asgn.
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 Jacl. Stubblefield to Tra- C- Oil Gas Co.- OGL.
 Charles G. Taylor and wife to Olney Sav. Assn. Deed of Trust.
 Mrs. Dan Wende to Westbound Water Supply- R- W Esmt.
 Terrell Willaims and othrs to J.R. Bilhartz- OGML.
 W.C. Westerman deed to The Public- Proof of Heirship.
 Ward Homes, Inc. to Eastland Natl. Bk. Deed of Trust.
 Frances L. Walker to Pitts Oil Co. OGL.
 John C. Wilhite Jr. to Patricia C. Scott and others Asgn. OGL.
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 Nina H. Lockhart To Joy Webber-Power of Atty.
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 The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh Supreme Judicial District of Texas:
Affirmed
 Silvestre Mata v. Richard O. Albert et. al. (Opinion by Judge McCloud) Jim Wells
 M.J. Brannon, Jr., et al v. Gulf States Energy Corporation et al. (Opinion by Judge Walter) Coleman
 Virginia Page v. Central Bank & Trust Company, Dallas Reversed and Remanded.
 Baen- Bec, Inc. v. Tom Tenhoppen. (Opinion by Judge Brown) Hunt.
Reversed and Rendered
 Johnson- Walker Moving & Storage Inc. v. Lane Container Company. (Opinion by Judge Brown) Dallas
Appeal Dismissed
 Rosti Kumbiloeff dba Alpine Auto Haus v. Donald Cohen. Harris
Motion Submitted
 Mary J. Field v. The Charter Oak Fire Insurance Company. Appellant's motion to remove exhibits from file. Eastland
 W.L. Martin et al. v. Juan Briseno, Individually and as next friends of his minor son, Jerry Brieseno. Appellee's motion for rehearing. Bexar
 Rosti Kumbiloeff dba Alpine Auto Haus v. Donald COHEN. Appellee's motion to dismiss the appeal. Harris
 Hubert Hoovey v. Nationwide Supply Company. Appellee's motion for leave to file briefs. Harris
 Raford Hargrove et al v. The City of Rotan, Texas. Appellant's motion for extension of time to file transcript. Fisher
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Trouble With The Spring Sun

Sunburn sneaks up on a lot of people this time of year. The sun can burn you painfully not only on bright, hot days but also on cloudy days, on the water and at high altitudes. The rays which cause the burn are the ultra-violet rays which are reflected by light surfaces, such as sand, sails and snow, the Texas Medication Association says.
 If someone is determined to get a tan, they should do it gradually. Start out with a ten-minute sunning at first and increase the exposure by a few minutes a day. The ultra-violet rays are most potent between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., and this is the time to be most cautious. Fair-skinned persons should avoid exposure to the sun during those peak hours. Some people are so sensitive to the sun that they should wear a hat, long-sleeved shirt and full length pants if they are required to go out in the sun during mid-day.
 A number of lotions are available which screen out the burning rays and thus, to a degree prevent sunburn. Sun screens containing para amino benzoic acid (PABA) are among the most effective. The protective lotion should be applied not only before you

expose yourself to the sun but after you have been swimming or have sweated so much that you may have washed it off. Generally, it is a good idea to re-apply the lotion every two hours.
 If sunburn does occur, the safest treatment is to apply cold compresses to the painful area. There are a number of soothing ointments available, but many doctors do not encourage patients to use them because the individual may develop an allergic reaction. If the sunburn is so severe that the skin blisters, it is wise to check with a doctor to prevent infection and get relief from excessive pain.
 Some people who have had a severe sunburn may be highly sensitive to sunlight for many months. And if someone

chronically gets sunburned, even mildly, the skin can develop a prematurely wrinkled and leathery appearance. For some persons chronic sunburn will increase the likelihood of developing skin cancer. Another problem for some people is that some medicines increase sensitivity to the sun. If in doubt, check with a doctor or pharmacist.

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The Governor's Coordinating Office for the Visually Handicapped (GCOVH) helps visually handicapped Texans gain access to all available services in the most efficient manner. It hopes to make its presence known to those it seeks to serve.

The GCOVH is a young state agency-created in 1975 when the 64th Texas Legislature passed H.B. 1673, the Texas Bill of Rights for the Handicapped. A two-year House committee study had found a lack of coordination among the state and local agencies providing services to the visually handicapped.

The GCOVH attacks this problem through four major efforts:

The Ombudsman and Individual Assistance function provides information to consumers about services. The toll-free WATS number, 1-800-252-9211, may be called 24 hours every day.

Technical Assistance makes available methods, devices and information about programs to meet the unique needs of the 130,000 visually handicapped Texans.

Program Development consults and advises state and local agencies on the interpretation of human services law.

Administration and program support.
 When its goals are fully realized, the GCOVH program benefits both the state and the individual.

First, large numbers of citizens are taken off welfare and made self-respecting, productive members of society. Secondly, the whole human service system becomes more economical by converting people from recipients of services paid for with tax dollars to tax-paying workers.

Case in point is found in the GCOVH's state office:

Dr. Robert J. Winn, Executive Director, is himself a blind person. He heads a compact core of highly professional experts with practical experience in working with the various agencies that deliver services to the visually handicapped.

The streamlined GCOVH mandate is to develop plans that encourage cooperation across agency and service delivery "boundaries" to ensure that handicapped individuals receive comprehensive services.

The major state agencies that serve the visually handicapped are the Texas Commission for the Blind, the Texas Education Agency, the Texas School for the Blind, the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, and the Texas State Library.

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Twilite Acre News

Eva Ashworth
By the Residents

We wish to extend our sincere sympathy to Susie Seals on the death of her son, Cecil E. Baker age 54 of Brownfield, Texas.

Pat Clark of Joshua, Tex. visited with Dolly Clark over the holidays.

Chris and Lynn Porter of Cross Plains came by to see Elvis Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Irby enjoyed a visit from their daughter and grandson, Carleene Nicholes and Rob of Offalon, Ill, also 2 nieces of Mrs. Irbys: Mrs. Bob Boyd and Mrs. Frank Nelson of Abilene, Tex. and a nephew of Carls. Mr. and Mrs. Irby C. Brown of Raton, New Mexico. Carleene and Rob was here several days.

Mrs. Effie Pearl Jones of Wink Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Witt of Abilene were in to see martha Coleman Easter Sunday. Mrs. Coleman's son-and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coleman of ig Springs hospital for a check-up.

Mrs. H.W. King of May came over to see Alice Mayes and Ethel Barnes-Ethel went home with her daughter Nell Barnes of Dallas for a few days visit.

John and Betty Boatright and Elton Doris James were in to see their mother, Leah Yocham and Mary Hammett.

Effie Jones of Wink Texas and Inez Hutton dropped in to see Beatrice Hellums and Mable Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Loper of Port Arthur Texas Eldon and Gladys Gotcher of Winnie Texas came by to see Annie Gotcher.

Onex Coppedge of Hobbs New Mexico, Vanita Swift, Jaime and Terry of Andrews, Tex. visited with Omis Henderson and Etta Whitlock.

Lucy Burcham the relief cook is home. She had surgery in Ranger hospital last week.

Mrs. Valda Choate (Suzie's sister) of Breckenridge; Mrs. Omar Mir and children Jon and Angela of Burleson; Ellie Elliott, Elsie Criswell, Maxine Morgan, Fredda Criswell, Wayne Criswell, Mrs. Betty Hartsfield of Dallas; and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Carter of California visited with Susie Seals and Bertie Medford.

The weather was perfect for the Easter Egg Hunt Saturday. Ethel Degman, Emma West, and Bessie Smith helped hide the 234 eggs on the front lawn. There was 7 little folks to hunt them. The chocolate covered rabbit first prize went to De Lana Vandivere who found 39 eggs. A chocolate covered Easter Egg second prize went to Terry Ware, who found 37 eggs. Third prize of a Caddy full of M and M's went to Laura Cox who found 36 eggs. Everyone had a good time. The front lawn was full of wheel chairs and other Residents watching the egg hunt.

We want to extend a big welcome to Alice Mayes, who came from the Eastland hospital.

Marjorie West, Nell Fleming, Mrs. Jim Fleming Alan and Jason, Ellie Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Barnes Fredda, Criswell and Wayne Criswell, Owen and Elda Aiken, Bill and Elsa Witt, Ruby Murdock, Inez Hutton Corbett and Vance McDaniel, Clara and Earl Epley, and U.Z. Aaron, visited Friends and relatives in Twilite Acre Nursing Home last week.

June Moore and boys came in to see her Dad, Newman Jones and Bet Millwee.

Ora Jane White visited in May with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Young. A son, Calvin White from Plainview, Tex. met his mother at the Young residence. She reported a good time.

Eva West had two daughters who dropped by to see her over the holidays, Bobby Bell and Alice Fitzgerald, also a granddaughter Leslie Billings. Eva has been on the "puny" list this last week.

Mrs. Howard Barnes of Fort Worth Texas and Nell Barnes of Dallas dropped by to see Alice Griffin and Hattie Boatman. Alice went with her children to Brownwood Tex. for a Bar-B-Q supper Sun. night.

Albert and Louise Clark, Mrs. J.T. Clark, Dusty, Paula and

Six Flags Over Texas Is A City In A City



CITY WITHIN A CITY - Six Flags Over Texas functions very much like a small city. It has its own landscape department where Milo Busy, on the left, waters plants in one of the huge greenhouses. And in the security department, on the right, Officer John Terrell monitors traffic flow into the Arlington theme park on a closed-circuit TV set.

Arlington, Texas--In many ways, Six Flags Over Texas is a "City within a city" where the population fluctuates between 40 and 40,000.

The 145 acre theme park has most amenities found in a small town only the name given certain functions may be different. For instance, the park has a security department that performs activities similar to a police department; first aid that takes care of medical needs and departmental "schools" FOR TRAINING.

Of course, Six Flags has an exceptionally strong "recreation department." What community of its size can claim a zoo, porpoise pool, six theaters and dozens of rides? but then most cities are not in the unique position of having a census count of 40 during the dead of the night or as many as 40,000 on an exceptionally busy day when the park is open.

Guests--which is what park visitors are called--are often surprised to learn that behind the scenes at the entertainment center, there is an "invisible army" of people working around the clock to keep the large-scale operation functioning.

This is the way the park operates on a typical day during the summer season. At midnight there are several departments still working. One that never closes is the 26 member security force, which is larger than many area suburban police departments.

A major function of the security department is patrolling the multi-acre entertainment center on foot, in vans and with the assistance of a closed-circuit TV system. A large TV camera is mounted on top of the 300 foot tall Oil Derrick, turning a full 360 degrees as it scans the park area.

There are a multitude of other duties performed by the officers. Probably the guests favorite is the lost and found service. During the 1976 season, more than 2,500 items were found and the vast majority were returned to their owners.

All security officers are cross-trained in fire protection and first aid. Although there are registered nurses and fire specialists on duty when the park is open, the officers have the necessary training to assist in an emergency.

Around 1 a.m., the night landscape crew reports to work for gardening chores. The park's landscaped areas have to be cared for by moonlight rather than during the day when the park is open.

In addition, these gardeners tend to hundreds of varieties of plants grown in the park's three greenhouses, which turn out a perpetual flow of new plants to suit the season of the year.

Under Landscape Manager Richard Warner's watchful eye, flower beds may be changed as many as four times in one season, beginning with early-blooming tulips and pansies and finishing with hardy chrysanthemums.

Landscape crews complete watering, spraying, mowing and trimming about the time the first guest is ready to step

gardeners finish, the grounds quality staff or cleanup crews--are wrapping up final sweeping and hosing down of miles of park streets. This washdown is done every morning to give the park a clean, fresh appearance.

clean-up is a 24-hour operation that is not just restricted to grounds quality personal. All park employees, including the park's manager are expected to pick up litter and cigarette butts.

A majority of the "city" personnel--the hosts and hostess--begin arriving about an hour before the guests do to prepare for operating the rides, opening the stores and cooking food in park restaurants.

They range in age from 16 to 89. A majority of the 2,200 seasonal staff members are area high school and college students.

Charlie Patton, at 89 has the distinction of being the oldest

employee. He has been driving the Six Flags train around the perimeter of the park since it opened 17 years ago.

The theme park also has its merchant, craftsmen and entertainers, including many with specialized skills, such as portrait artists, woodcarvers, ring makers, candle carvers and others.

Every town has street signs--Six Flags has an abundance of them painted by staff artists. There are over 5,000 signs in the park that do everything from identifying restaurants to pointing the way to restrooms.

Guests never see many of the skilled workmen. There are staff members who maintain all the park vehicles and fiberglass specialists who might repair such unusual items as a band of Indian mannequins or a fleet of French riverboats. Then there are the park machnics, who are busy all winter taking apart,

cleaning and putting back together all the rides so they will be in mint condition for the following season.

Most cities don't clean their employes clothes, but Six Flags provides this service. Fresh uniforms are supplied daily to all hosts and hostesses, which means that, at the end of the day, washing machines are kept in perpetual motion cleaning tons of clothing.

The wardrobe department stocks some 25,000 separate articles of clothing including many "oddball" accessories, such as turn-of-the-century conductor hats and Indian headbands.

Six Flags was designed from the beginning to be as self-sustaining as possible. The trend began in 1960 when the park was built and a carpentry mill was installed on the construction site. This mill cut lumber for the

authentic-looking buildings found in the park's six section that represent the countries that have ruled the Lone Star state.

Through the years, the park has attempted whenever possible to make its own products. An example is the ice-making machine which is camouflaged as a courthouse clock tower rising behind the six flags in the entrance mall.

Like any other city, Six Flags has its own trash collection service with tons of waste material being transported to huge compactors out of the public view.

Park officials will be in the first to admit that they could not operate without city services and support from the city of Arlington. But they still like to think of themselves as a unique entity, where their main purpose manufacturing fun and enjoyment for more than 2 million "citizens" who take up residence in the park for a day each season.

Annual Collegiate Rodeo Scheduled

ABILENE - - - - Hardin-Simmons University's 31st Annual Intercollegiate Rodeo will officially begin Thursday, April 21, with the downtown parade. The first rodeo performance will be held that evening at 8 p.m. in the Carl Meyers Arena at 2800 Grape St.

The parade will begin at 4:30 pm., and will travel south on Pine St., west on N. 2nd, and north on Cypress, ending at the Civic Center. Leading the parade will be H-SU's Six White Horses and Cowboy Band.

Rodeo performances will be held each evening, Thursday through Saturday, at 8 pm. A special 2 pm. matinee will be held on Saturday. Almost 200 entries from West Texas, the Panhandle and eastern New Mexico are expected to compete for points in an attempt to qualify for the National Finals Rodeo in Bozeman, Mont., this summer.

Other activities connected with the rodeo and western life are scheduled throughout the week preceding the rodeo. Hardin-Simmons is a charter member of the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association, and the H-SU rodeo is one of the oldest college rodeos in the nation.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR



Hill's To Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. (Gene) Hill of Rising Star will be honored on Saturday, April 16, from 2 to 5 p.m. with a reception in their home celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. The reception will be hosted by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill of Kermit, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hill of Rising Star. The Hills were married in Carbon, Texas, an April 16, 1927, and have lived only in Eastland County. Mr. and Mrs. Hill have seven grandchildren.

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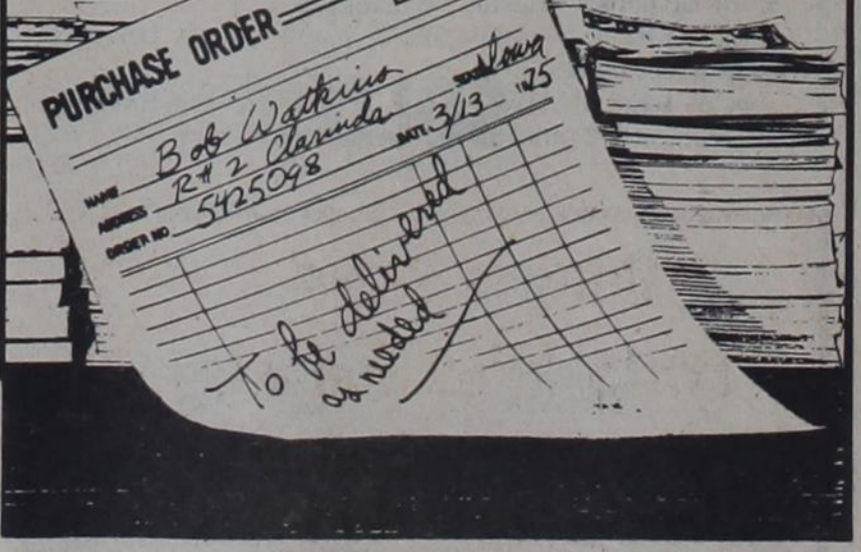
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Oil News

Hailey Oil Co. of Jackson, Miss. will drill No. 1 T. V. Wallis as a proposed 3,600-foot wildcat five miles southeast of Rising Star in Comanche County.

Drillsite is 340 feet from the northeast lines of the southwest quarter of Section 3, Block 3, BBB&C Survey. The lease is composed of 171 acres.

Location for Ascot Oils Inc. of Shreveport No. 2 Scott was staked in the Beattie, North (Marble Falls) Field two miles northeast of Beattie.

The planned 3,000-foot venture spots on a 160-acre lease. Drillsite is 1,060 feet from the south and 1,550 feet from the east lines of Section 26, Block 2, H&C Survey.

CALLAHAN-W.F. (Bill) Roper of Abilene will drill No. 2 Fred T Hart as a proposed 700-foot wildcat six miles northwest of Putnam.

Site is 150 feet from the south and east lines of the northeast quarter of Section 7, D&DA Survey. The lease has 80 acres.

ECL of Coleman completed three Brown County Regular Field wells one mile southeast of Bangs.

They are on the Dr. J. B. Stephens 121-acre lease in John Robinett Survey 4, A-775 No 2 Stephens spots 150 feet from the most southerly north line and 150 feet from the east line of the survey.

Daily potential was nine barrels of 36 gravity oil, plus 64 barrels of water. It is pumping from perforations at 1,204-124 feet, treated with 250 gallons of mud acid.

Operator set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 1,240 feet, total depth.

Site for No. 3 Stephens is 1,111 feet from the most southerly north line and 150 feet from the east line of the survey.

It had a daily pumping potential of 16 barrels of 36 gravity oil, plus 25 barrels of water, from perforations at 1,182 to 1,209 feet. The pay was treated with 250 gallons of mud acid.

The 4 1/2-inch casing is set at 1,240 feet, total depth.

Other well is No 4 Stephens, spotting 560 feet from the most northerly south line and 2,640 feet from the west line of the survey. Daily potential was 187 barrels of 36 gravity oil, plus 40 barrels of water.

It is pumping from perforations at 1,192 to 1,219 feet.

treated with 250 gallons of mud acid. The 4 1/2 inch casing is set at 1,286 feet, total depth.

GeoDynamics Oil & Gas Inc. of Brownwood will drill No. 2 Byrd-Henry in the BBB&C Blk. 3 (Marble Falls) Field three miles northeast of May.

The planned 2,900-foot venture is located on a 464-acre lease.

It spots 1,650 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east lines of Lot 13, J. Dickinsonson Survey 10.

A regular field location was staked three miles north of Bangs as Neiswanger & Whitside of Abilene No. 1 William Hudson.

I slated for 1,290 feet, it spots 2,130 feet, it spots 2,130 feet from the south and 450 feet from the east lines of Garcia, Montez & Duran Survey 160, A-340.

The lease is composed of 51 acres.

Monument Energy Corp. of Lovington, N.M. staked two Brown County Regular Field locations one mile southwest of Brookesmith.

Both are on the R. Stanley 130-acre lease and slated for 1,500 feet.

No. 1 Stanley will be drilled 150 feet from the north and 61 feet from the west lines of M. Curbier Survey 144.

Site for No. 2 Stanley is 150 feet from the north and 539 feet from the east lines of A. Arredondo Survey 130.

C. L. Tyra of Midland will drill No. 1 C.M. Knott in Eastland County Regular Field two miles north of Rising Star.

The planned 3,500-foot test is located on an 80-acre lease.

It spots 2,310 feet from the south and east lines of Section 27, Block 2, ETRR Survey.

Hamco Exploration & Development Co. of Dallas Staked two locations two miles north of Rising Star in the Penn (Ranger) Field.

Both are slated for 3,350 feet. No. 3-C McGinnis will be drilled on a 72-acre lease.

It spots 3,535 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of Section 27, Block 2 ETRR Survey.

No 4-D McGinnis will be drilled 1,100 feet from the south and 660 feet from the east lines of Section 26, same survey.

Tra-C Oil & Gas Co. Inc. of Cisco No. 1 H.H. Byrum was staked 10 miles south of Cisco in the Foster (Marble falls) Field.

Slated for 3,100 feet, it spots 467 feet from the north and 2,159 feet from the east lines of Section 37, Block 3, H&C Survey, A-165.

The lease is composed of 128 acres.

Comanche Crude Oil of Fort Worth staked two Brown County Regular Field locations eight miles southwest of Rising Star.

Both are slated for 1,450 feet. No. 1 Burl E. Horton will be drilled on a 58-acre lease.

It spots 970 feet from the south and 317 feet from the east lines of James M. Harris Survey 784.

Other project is No. 1 C.D. Tischler, located on a 92-acre lease.

It spots 2,650 feet from the south and 470 feet from the east lines of the same survey.

Staked in the regular field 15 miles northwest of Brownwood was Arlas M. Sikes of Brownwood No. 3 Bryan Bush.

The planned 1,200-foot venture is on a 77-acre lease.

It spots 2,668 feet from the north and 1,580 feet from the west lines of James Kinney Survey 624.

Delray Oil Inc. of San Antonio completed a Marble Falls gas discovery well six miles south of Brownwood in Brown County.

It is No. 1 Seal¹. Curbier spotting 467 feet from the northwest and northeast lines of C&M Survey 1.

Absolute open flow was 800,000 cubic feet of dry gas daily from perforations at 1,316-26 feet, treated with 1,000 gallons of acid. The pay was fractured with 20,000 gallons of water and 32,000 pounds of sand.

Operator set the 4 1/2 inch casing at 1,626 feet, three feet off bottom.

KGB Oil Co. of Arlington will drill No. 1 Green as a proposed 3,400-foot wildcat in Eastland County.

Location is three miles west of Gorman on a 70-acre lease. It spots 330 feet from the north and west lines of George Miller Survey A-379.

Runnels-W.W. West of Midland will drill No. 2 Bonnett-Clayton as a proposed 3,800-foot wildcat three miles west of Talpa.

Drillsite is 6,150 feet from the north and 467 feet from the east lines of A.A. Millican Survey 260.

The lease is composed of 839 acres.

Ronald R. Perkins of Dallas will reenter to 4,230 feet to test the Goen lime at a project three miles southeast of Norton in the Motley North Field.

It is No. 1-A L.S. Evans, located 895 feet from the north land 972 feet from the west lines of Wallace Brandt Survey 12.

It was originally completed as a Goen lime well but was later recompleted in the Fry Sand.

John R. Thompson of Abilene will drill No. 1 J.R. Donahoo as a proposed 3,200-foot wildcat one mile north of Grovenor in Brown County.

Drillsite is 1,723 feet from the north and 990 feet from the east lines of Section 36, HT&B Survey.

The lease is composed of 88 acres.

GeoDynamics Oil and Gas Inc. of Brownwood staked location for No. 1 M.H. McCleery in the regular field three miles southwest of May.

The planned 2,900-foot venture is on a 160-acre lease.

It spots 660 feet from the south and west lines of Section 71, HT&B Survey.

The Termo Co. of Texas, operating from Long Beach, Calif., spotted No. 2 W.F. Kilgore in the regular field 10 miles southwest of May.

The proposed 2,300-foot venture is located on a 109-acre lease.

Drillsite is 2,555 feet from the south and 3,685 feet from the east lines of Robert Mitchell Survey 141.



Tortoises of the Galapagos Islands can live to be 190 years of age.

May News

Easter Sunday was certainly a beautiful day. Just perfect for the many egg hunts that I'm sure that went on in the May Community. Maybe our winter will be over now, and all these flu bugs will disappear. The sick folks seem to be doing better. Mrs. Viva Burnett, Garland Dewbre and Buck Kelton all still in the hospital. I understand Mr. Kelton is still pretty sick.

Charley Moore is able to be up and going some. Is to go back to Abilene for his check up again this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Nunnally of Abilene, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Don Lee and family of Bangs were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maddison.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lancaster went to Corpus Christi for a visit with a cousin of Nell's and to fish. The weather wasn't suitable for fishing. That will be an excuse for going back. Rev. and Mrs. Armo Bentley of Winters, Tex. spent Friday night with the Lancasters.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jackson and family of Andrews Tex. and Andrew Jackson and family of Dallas Tex. were week end guests of Vera Jackson.

Minnie Dickerson spent the Easter Holidays with her son Mr. and Mrs. John D. Dickerson and Diane of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vanderveer of Crane Texas were visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. Grace King.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richardson of Odessa, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Graves of Brownwood spent the Easter Holidays with Mrs. Freddie Hardy.

Rev. and Mrs. Morgan Ashworth and family of Burkwood Texas visited in the home of her Dad, Looney Johnson of Cross Plains and

Morgans folks the Fred Ashworth's for the Holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Altum of Abilene, Tex. spent Fri night with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Altum.

Emory Plummer of Novice, Texas formerly of May is very ill. He is a brother of John Plummer and Jewell Harold.

Clendon Chambers of May and Susan Thecker of Brownwood were married Saturday evening at his mother's home, Mrs. Wade Chambers. They are to make their home in May.

Stanley Purcell and Dawn Stewart both of May were married Saturday Evening in the First Baptist Church of May. They are to make their home in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Verdell Haney have returned home after spending the Easter holidays with their three children in Lubbock.

Richard Verdine spent the weekend in Lubbock with his brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bell and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Bell's daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schaefer in Cross Plains.

Visiting Mrs. Grace Glenn through the Easter holidays were Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Glenn of Lake Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Todd of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods and children Susan and Glenn of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Karl French and children Todd and Karla of Stanton. Mrs. Grace Glenn visited Mrs. Roy Branum Friday morning.

Mr. Charles Campbell spent Easter with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell.

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Wednesday, April 13th

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Ranger Area
Little Miss Pageant
Ranger Junior College
Gymnasium
April 30--6:30 p.m.

Rising Star, ages 3-17, are eligible to compete in the Ranger Area our Little Miss Pageant to be held April 30 at the Ranger Junior College gymnasium.

Texas Fiddler's Championship

Friday, April 22, and Saturday, April 23, are the dates of this year's 7th annual Texas State Championship Fiddlers' Frolics to be held at the new ultra-modern, super spacious K. of C. Hall in Hallettsville, Texas. Friday night, designated as 'Cajun Fun Night,' will also host the grand opening of the Texas Fiddler Hall of Fame and the Senior Division Contest. Everyone's favorite Cajun, Ed Junot, will kick off the 'Kajun Fun Night' festivities at 7:00 p.m. followed immediately by Cash Box Magazine's pick of 1975 for instrumentalist and album of the year, the top Cajun entertainer of the U.S., 'Fiddlin' Frenchie Burke' and his band, 'The Outlaws.' Next will be one of the main highlights of this year's Fiddlers' Frolics, the opening of the first and only Fiddler Hall of Fame in the state of Texas with the induction of the late Claude Henson. The Senior Division Contest (ages 65 and over) will follow and a second big Cajun Show featuring the 'Fiddlin' Frenchie Burke Show' and Ed Junot will conclude the nights activities.

Saturday's festivities will begin at 10:00 a.m. with the Freshman Division Contest (ages 0 to 15) followed by the Open Division Contest (any age). The winner of Saturday's competition will go on to compete against last year's state champion fiddler, Randy Elmore who is now lead fiddler for the famous Red Steegal, to determine the 1977 Texas State Champion Fiddler. Various interim entertainment with plenty of pickin' and grinnin' will be provided throughout the event.

At 9:00 p.m. Nashville's own 'Dickey Lee' and his band the '9,999,999 Tears' will perform for the big show and dance.

This year's contest is open to any fiddler, breakdown, blue grass, swing, western, etc., from the state of Texas to determine the Texas State Champion. Over \$3,000.00 in cash prizes will be awarded. Food and drinks and facilities for self-contained campers are available on the grounds. Camping facilities with hooks are available at the large shaded city park.

All proceeds from the kiddlers' Frolics go to charity and to promote Texas fiddling.

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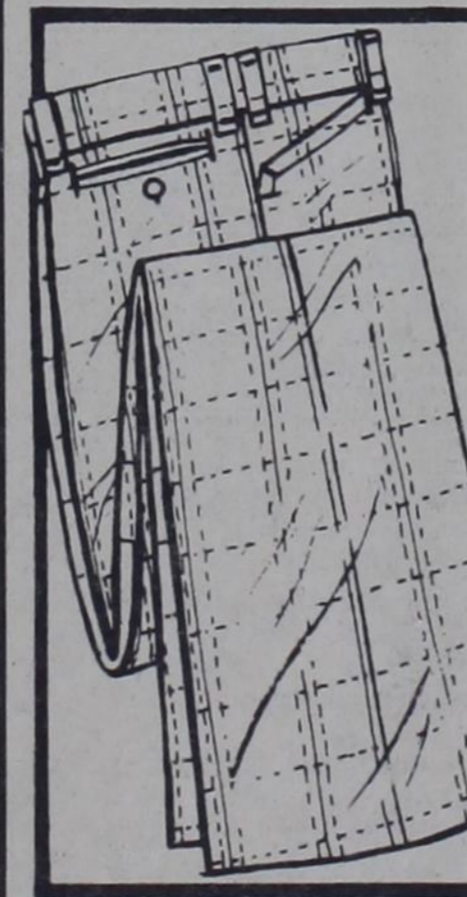
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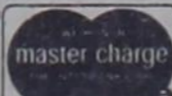
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NOTICE

The 7th and 8th grade band members of the Big Blue Band are holding a Bake Sale to help pay for their annual trip to Six Flags Over Texas. The sale will be held this Saturday, the 16th of April in front of Higginbothams. For those who have not had an opportunity to purchase bumper stickers or calendars, they will also be available. This sale will be sponsored by Mrs. Mike Davis, our band Director's wife.

The Light Touch



BY CLINT BRAY
 An optimistic gardener is one who believes that whatever goes down must come up.

Everyone gives pleasure in some way. One may do it by entering a room, another by leaving.

Every cloud has a silver lining. Then again, every silver lining has a cloud.

Inflation: a condition that allows you to live in a more expensive neighborhood without moving.

We get new glasses. Now the spots before our eyes are much clearer.

You'll see the outfit you'll really fall for at Bray's in Eastland and Ranger.

Long To Be In Brownwood

On Wednesday, April 20, 1977, the Dallas District Office of the Small Business Administration will have W.D. Long, Loan Officer, visit the Brownwood area. Mr. Long will headquarter at the Chamber of Commerce building in Brownwood and will be available to discuss the loan programs of the Small Business Administration. Meetings with Mr. Long will be by appointment only. Appointments may be made by calling area code 915-646-9535. Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Chamber of Commerce office.

March Sales Reported

March sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Eastland county were reported today by County Bond Chairman Jim R. Wright. Sales for the three-month period totaled \$46,059 for 15 percent of the 1977 sales goal of \$300,000.

Texas sales during the month amounted \$23,903,984, while sales for the first three months of 1977 totalled \$67,751,895 with 24 percent of the yearly sales goal of \$276.9 million achieved.

Sipe Springs News

BY MRS. JACK MILLWEE

SIFE SPRING NEWS
 Mr. & Mrs. Dave Miller of Carlsbad, New Mexico spent several days with his mother Mrs. Mimm Houser.

Mrs. Thelma Jenkins of Rising Star attended the graveside services here Wednesday afternoon for her Aunt Mrs. (Trudie) Clyde Dunlop of Dallas. Our Sympathy goes out to her daughter's and family.

Mrs. Kemita rainer underwent surgery in Eastland Memorial Hospital. At last report doing nicely. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Jack Millwee and family visited her parents Mr. & Mrs. Layne Cotter at Baird and Mr. & Mrs. Canistrac and family in Cisco.

Visitors in the N.L. Leonard home were Mrs. Jonell and George Leonard of Gorman, Mrs. Jackie Gattis of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Leonard and Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Bickham of Fort Worth, Miss Kim Leonard of Stephenville,

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Double Stamps Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. George Leonard and Terry Leonard of here and Mrs. Travis H. we, of Arlington spent the week end with his mother Mrs. Ruby Boswell.

Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Wewer visited her brother Vernon Cagel, who is ill in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene. We hope for Vernon a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lasy and son Wade spent Easter Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitesides.

Mr. and Mrs. Quilla McKeehan visited Mr. and Mrs. Chipper Lee of Stephenville Sunday and got acquainted with their little new son, Clay.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wyatt and family of Sidney, spent Easter Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKeehan, Mr. and Mrs. Quilla McKeehan and S. P. McKeehan visit Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKeehan in Brownwood Saturday night.

Mrs. Jack Millwee

Commentary
 By Myrtle Owen

'Commentary on Revelation'
 In Mark 12: 28-34, when Jesus is asked which is the first Commandment of all. He replied: It is to love the Lord with all our heart, soul, mind and strength. The Church of Ephesus had left their first love.

The Bible says: 'Godly sorrow worketh repentance to salvation, (11 Corinthians 7:10)

There are many persons who repent. They are sorry for what they have done, but they don't repent because of Godly sorrow. They repent because they have been caught or because suddenly they are confronted with their wrong and they are terribly embarrassed about it. But God wants you to repent as did the prodigal son, who said 'Father, I have sinned against heaven,

and before thee, And am no more worthy to be called your son. Make me as one of the hired servants' Luke 15: 18,19)

This is the kind of repentance that results from Godly sorrow. When you repent like this, you actually make a change. Your purpose in life is changed. You stop the downward course of your life, and begin to live a new life in Christ Jesus.

Myrtle Owen
 My Vision
 The Place That I Worship

The Place that I worship
 So lovingly to behold
 Is adorned with God's love
 The great keeper of the fold

At the entrance we find
 A welcome to all mankind
 To the Jew, to the Greek
 To all that seek
 A Radiance of God's love
 Sufficient to hallow the place
 Nothing to us,
 Salvation cometh by grace

We see the children
 All lined in a row
 Smiles beaming with sunlight

And faces aglow.
 How we would hear the words
 Of the Pastor so clear
 Repeat ye now
 For the Kingdom is n ear.
 Weeping and praying
 For ones that are lost
 Willing to pay
 At any cost.

So on through the Service
 From beginning to end
 In it we've found
 An outlet from sin.

How the atoning blood
 Can cleanse one and all And
 cause them
 Never, never, to fall.

Laura Walters

