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## Through The Editor's Specs

By EAB

The response to the campaign for memberships in the Lakewood Country Club in connection with the project for developing the club into a recreational center for this area has been most gratifying to the sponsors.

It shows a definite and healthful interest in the improvement and growth of our communities, and certainly encourages further efforts in this development.

A great deal of emphasis has been placed on industrial promotions and increased payrolls, which is certainly good business. Eastland County, with the help of state officials, is now engaged in an industrial promotion program which should realize some benefits for this county.

The objective in all such promotions is to increase wage income and bring in more people. But in our enthusiasm for new payrolls we sometimes lose sight of the fact that people, and not money, make towns. We also tend to lose sight of that fact that good living conditions are a prime requisite of good community life.

Industrial payrolls are not the only means of town building. As a matter of fact good, growing and healthful towns have been built without any industries in the commonly accepted sense, whatsoever.

A critical look at our own community assets does not encourage very much hope for significant industrial developments. We are lacking in some of the resources that industry wants, notably available young labor and transportation.

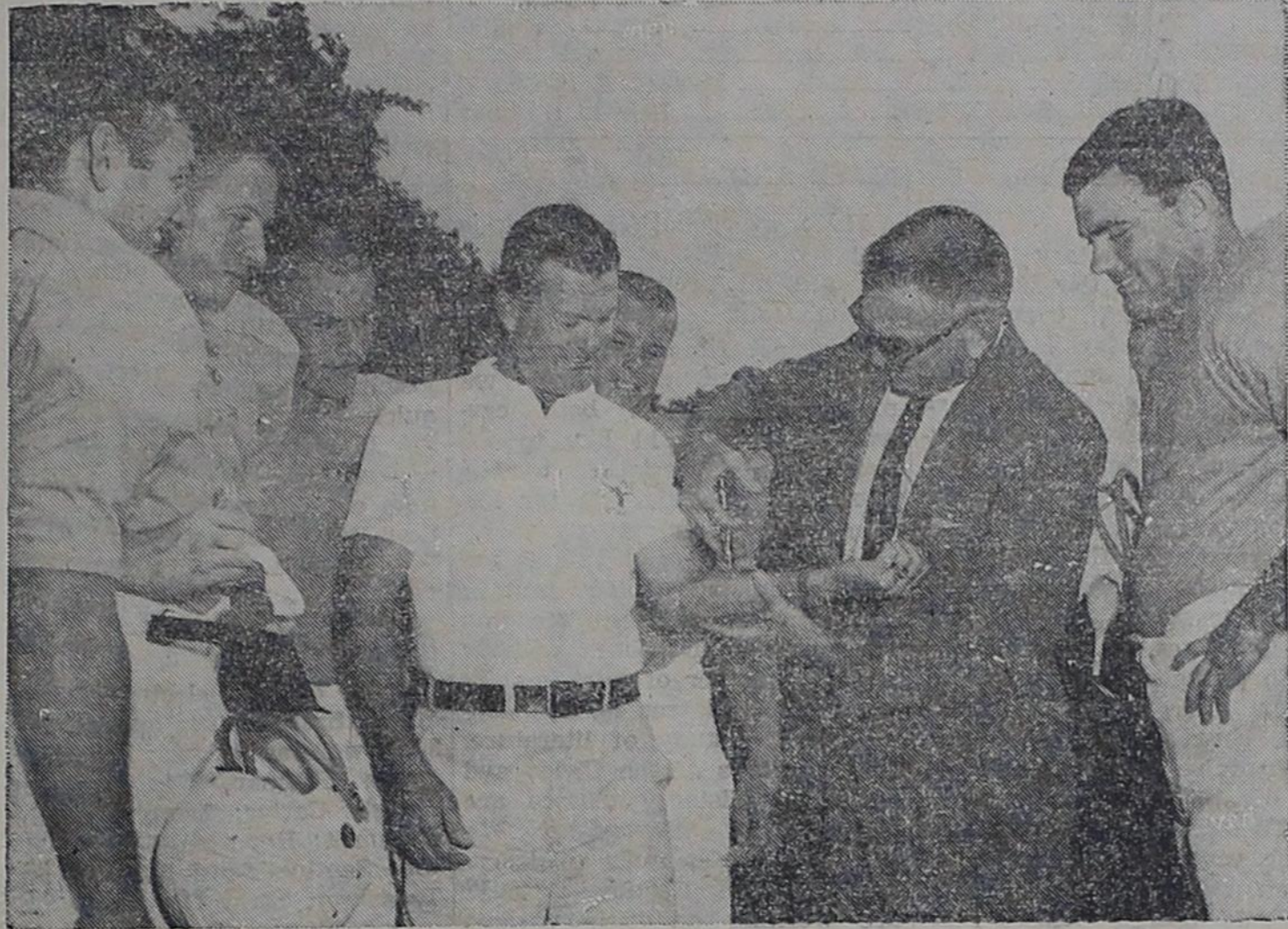
But it doesn't mean that we are without resources. We do have some very excellent resources, opportunities to attract new population and all of the benefits in better living, better business and all those community values that arrive with the increase in community numbers.

We are good communities in which to live. That is an asset that is very real and attractive indeed, a fact that can be appreciated by people who live in crowded industrial centers with all the problems, cultural, political and racial, that fester in such centers.

Good living conditions attract people, and people make good towns, in both the social and economic senses.

The promotion of good community services, good schools, churches, medical facilities, utilities, mercantile services, recreation and community attractiveness is good business. It means attracting people who want to live as well as work. And the more citizens we attract, young or old, the more business services will be required.

The Lakewood project is one of the most important and promising community projects that has been undertaken here. It will be worth several industries to our communities, for, when completed it will provide a family type recreation program that will answer problems of better use of leisure time, healthful recreation and to a very great extent, indeed, the problem of dealing with juvenile needs. These benefits are certainly attractive to people who are looking (Continued on Page Two)



NO. ONE COACH TESTED — The University of Texas Football Coach Darrell Royal is tuberculin tested while a group of his players look on. Players Charles Buckalew, George Sauer, Earl Hudson, Jack Howe, and Jim Helms (left to right) had chest X-rays before football practice started. Coach Royal's tuberculin test, being administered by Dr. Robert Morrison of Austin, will show whether the coach has been exposed to tuberculosis and needs further checking.

## Best Ever, Verdict Of Rising Star Homecomers

The best homecoming of all was the consensus of opinion among Rising Star High School exes following last Saturday's annual reunion attended by more than 200 former students of Rising Star High School.

From 8 a.m. until the final whistle of the Rising Star-Cross Plains football game Saturday night, the exes were in a program of visiting, meetings, class reunions, parades and happy reminiscing which crowded the day with pleasure for former students of the Rising Star School who were able to attend.

The highlight of the day's events, and a very satisfying one for both former and present students, was the football game between the Rising Star Wildcats and the Cross Plains Buffaloes, won by the Wildcats with a score of 20 to 8 Saturday night.

A feature of the between halves activities at the field was the presentation of the Homecoming Queen, Mrs. Lanell Henry, the former Lanell Clark, who was presented a bouquet of red roses by James Rutherford, president of the Ex-Students Association.

Mrs. Henry was a member of the graduating class of 1933 of which Mr. Rutherford was also a member, and this class, which numbered about 40 at graduation, had ten of its members present for the reunion, the largest number of any class.

Officers for 1965 elected at the business meeting Tuesday morning at the High School gym are:

Mrs. Cliffogene Witt, president, and Mrs. Patsy Elliott, secretary.

During the business meeting a resolution setting up awards for the highest ranking boy and girl members of the graduation class, was passed, and a committee consisting of Fred Roberds, Rising Star; Burton Bowers, Fort Worth, and Miller Ray Henry, Ozona, was named to draw up details of the award and design a scroll to be presented to each of the honor students selected.

In his welcoming remarks to the exes at the morning meet-

ing Preston Mangum suggested that former students who are retiring from active careers give serious thought to making the old home town the community in which they retire.

Registration began at the Home Ec Cottage on the High School campus at 8 a.m. and continued throughout the day. More than 200 former students signed the register.

The parade, led by the Wildcat Band at 2 p.m. through the Rising Star business district, had more than 50 entries of floats and decorated cars, most of them entered by graduated classes and organizations of the school.

During the lunch hour sandwiches and drinks were served at the P-TA concession stand at the football field.

At 3:30 p.m. a pep rally and cokes party were held at the gym.

The day's program was concluded with the football game at 8 p.m.

## Cats Beat Buffs 20-8; Go To Early Saturday

The Cross Plains Buffaloes had one moment of glory in their game with the Rising Star Wildcats at Wildcat field Saturday night, and it compensated in some measure for an evening of frustration.

The Buffs lost to their Rising Star rivals by a score of 20 to 8 — their fourth loss to the Wildcats in a row — but the eight points they scored were a well-earned blot on the Rising Star homecoming day.

The Wildcats, on the other hand, showed considerable improvement over their previous play, particularly in their passing game and their secondary defense.

They made 16 first downs to two for the Buffs, completed five out of seven passing attempts, two for touch downs, and frustrated five passing efforts by the visitors. On the

## Kittens Defeat Early 20-8; To Play CP Here

The Rising Star Junior High Kittens defeated the Early Junior High team at Early Tuesday night by a score of 20 to 8.

Dick Clarke scored the first Rising Star touchdown on a pass from Dalton Hughes and Hughes ran over for two extra points.

Clark again scored from the Early 20-yard line to add six more points. The try for extra point failed.

Carter Housnel scored the third Kitten touchdown on a run.

Harvey Harris and Ronnie Green were outstanding on defense.

The Kittens will play Cross Plains Juniors here next Tuesday night. The B teams will play at 6:30 and the A teams at 7:30.

## Brother-in-Law of Mrs. Lucy Boase Dies

E. B. Marchant, 80, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Lucy Boase of Rising Star, died at his Seaview, Wash., home last week and was buried at Seaview Thursday, Sept. 24, a message to Mrs. Boase said. Mrs. Marchant is a sister of Mrs. Boase.

## Lakewood Project Member Appeal Gets Good Response

Prospects that the planned recreational center at Lake Phil-Pe-Co midway of Rising Star and Cross Plains would become a reality through Farmers Home Administration financing were good this week as a membership drive met with fine response in both communities.

At noon Tuesday a total of 174 memberships had been signed in the two towns, representing a very encouraging start toward the total needed to insure the income base necessary for approval of the project.

Outlook for a total of 300 memberships in the two towns was good, according to W. E. Tyler, Rising Star banker and R. D. Needham of Cross Plains who were taking the lead in

the promotion of the project. In Rising Star at noon Monday the number of those who had signed up for a one-year membership at \$5 per month had reached 99 with quite a number reported on lists which had not been merged with the

## Mrs. Maude Smith Buried Here In Services Monday

Funeral services for Maude Elizabeth Smith, 82, who died in Blackwood Hospital, Comanche, Sunday at 8 p.m., were held at Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Rising Star at 3:30 p.m. Monday with burial in Rising Star cemetery.

Rev. Glenn Wilson, of the First Methodist Church at Crowell, officiated and Higginbotham Funeral Home here was in charge of burial arrangements.

Mrs. Smith was born May 5, 1882, at Fayetteville, Ark. Her husband, Barney Smith, to whom she was married at Gorman in 1931, died in 1957.

Survivors include a brother, J. L. Thomas of Lubbock, and two sisters, Mrs. Stella Hutton of Rising Star and Mrs. Dora Dendy of Fort Worth, Texas.

In 1963, 64 per cent of the man over age 65 had no work experience the previous year.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

ADMISSIONS — Mrs. Janie Fussell, Ellen Mayes, Mrs. J. D. Morrow, Frank Whitlock, Mrs. June Harris, Mrs. Mary Stovall, Mrs. Edna Hancock, Mrs. Charles Carroll, Mrs. Ethel Stover, J. W. Bishop and Mrs. Stella Favor, Rising Star; Mrs. Mary Wiggins, Mrs. Mabel Smith, Norman Ray and Dick Murdoch of May.

DISMISSED — Ellen Mayes, Mrs. J. D. Morrow, Mrs. June Harris, Mrs. Charles Carroll, Mrs. Ethel Stover, Mrs. Mabel Smith and Dick Murdoch.

## Oil and Gas Contribute \$2.5 Millions to County

A 2.5 million a year ingredient in the prosperity of Eastland County is the production of oil and gas, the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association says in its current survey of economic factors stemming from petroleum operations here.

Using just published U. S. Bureau of Mines figures as a base, the Association has projected what oil and gas activities mean in this county. In 1962 Eastland County was producing crude oil and 5 billion cubic feet of natural gas. The oil was valued at \$1.9 million; the natural gas at \$631,000.

Eastland County ranks 139th in the state in total value of oil and gas production.

"Demand for Texas crude picked up enough last year to give us an increase of about 3 per cent over 1962 on a statewide basis. This slightly improving trend seems to be holding this year as more autos are put on the road and nationwide business conditions accelerate," said James L. Sewell, president of the association.

"It will be several months, however, before we know to what extent individual counties are participating the current market.

The dispersion of oil dollars through Eastland County business channels and the healthy effect given property values by petroleum industry activity are indicated by several figures published by the Association.

It is estimated that royalty payments to Eastland County

landowners who are fortunate enough to have producing wells on their property create a 'crop' worth about \$317,000 annually. These and other farmers and ranchers who have leased acreage for exploration receive additional rental and bonus payments, but sufficient current data is not available for measuring the amount.

Oil and gas operators invested an estimated \$688,000 in Eastland County last year in the search for new fields and in the development of zones where production had been found. The Oil and Gas Journal reports that 31 wells were drilled in the county in 1963, resulting in 6 oil wells, 2 gas wells, and 23 dry holes.

Drilling operations included 12 wildcat wells in which operators hunted oil in new territory or at new depths. About \$452,000 of the drilling expenditures was lost to dry holes, the Association estimated.

Petroleum industry payrolls contribute about \$2.1 million a year to the county, according to Texas Employment Commission records. They show about 450 persons directly employed in oil and gas operations.

The state government's financial interest in Eastland County operations is measured by the \$132,000 a year which the operators and royalty owners provide the state government in production taxes. These payments are in addition to those paid to local units of government and schools as property taxes. Oil and gas property taxes are reflected in local support of many Texas school districts. For example, 30.5 per cent of the local taxes for the Cisco School District comes from oil and gas operations; 27.3 per cent at Eastland.

Visitors in the Leonard Harris home during the week-end were Mrs. E. B. Mitchell and Monty Mitchell and Dale Garrett, all of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Parsons of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Parsons of Fort Worth; and Lee Harris and Joyce Rance of San Antonio.

master list. Cross Plains, where the drive started later than in Rising Star, had already signed a total of 75 with additional names on lists not yet reported to the central list.

Mr. Tyler said that while every effort is being made to contact every citizen who may be interested, some will not be seen. "We don't mean to overlook anybody," he said. "If you haven't been contacted and you want a part in this program, we hope you will come to the bank where we have a list to be signed, or see one of the other workers. This is everybody's project, and we want everybody who wishes to have a part in putting it over."

The membership drive is designed to give the Lakewood Country Club a first year income base sufficient to meet operating costs and payments on the loan which is sought from the FHA, and to set up a reserve. Revenues from the completed project are expected to be ample for meeting these costs after the first year.

Many of those who are taking memberships in the club are doing so primarily to help in the promotion of a worthy community project, said Mr. Tyler.

"Some of them will probably never use the recreation facilities that will be developed but they see a great family-type recreational center as a great community asset, and they are anxious to help us make it a reality."

The overall response to the campaign has been very gratifying, he said. He predicted that both communities would easily reach the goal of 150 members, making a total of 300 memberships. The income from dues of that many members will be sufficient to guarantee the first year operation and payments, after which the normal club revenues should be more than sufficient, he said.

Under the plans as already tentatively approved by the state FHA office, the Lakewood Country Club would be developed into a rural recreation center serving several thousand people in a three-county area. The present nine-hole golf course would be modernized, a swimming pool built, boat docks and bath houses constructed, a new club building erected, tennis courts, miniature golf course, and picnic grounds installed and the entire area landscaped and improved.

The site is one of the most adaptable in this part of the state, located on the eastern shore of Lake Phil-Pe-Co, and the sponsors are confident that it can be developed into a resort second to none, and one that will prove extremely popular.

## Bill Lee President Of May FFA Chapter

Bill Lee was elected president of the May FFA at an organizational meeting of the chapter recently. Other officers are Troy S. Stewart, vice-president; Oliver West, reporter, and Junior Smith, sentinel.

Mandy Buzbee, a May High School sophomore, was elected sweetheart of the chapter. Miss Buzbee will compete for district FFA sweetheart at Coleman in the annual awards banquet and sweetheart contest.

Oliver West was named treasurer of the Coleman district Future Farmers of America recently. He has just completed a term as reporter for the Coleman district.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. C. W. Eddy were Mrs. Ella Thomas of McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Al Wingo of Archer City; Mr. and Mrs. W. Petrie of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burton of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Otho Lovell of Fort Worth.

Stamp Pads at the Record

## Many Exes Here for Homecoming...

Among out-of-town Exes who attended the Homecoming Saturday were:

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hicks, Victoria, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker, Midland; Mrs. Nadine White, McAllen; Mrs. Frances Thomas, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Burton Bowers, Fort Worth; A. T. Shults, Jr., Ddesa; Wesley Moore, Eden; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis, Brady;

Bruce Stovall, Lubbock; Mrs. Davis Dunson, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. James Nay, Monahans; Mrs. Wanda Hardy, Monahans; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Jenkins, Abilene; Miss Pat Howard, Spearman; Tony Smith, San Antonio; Coy and Ollie Edmiston, Arlington; Jody Edmiston, Odessa; Larry Harding, Kermit; Mrs. Donnie Rogers, Gorman; Howard Walker, Big

Spring; Jerry Don Aaron, Lubbock; Clifton Hord, Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Pringle, Port Neches; Mrs. Oneal Parker, Irving; Miller Ray Henry, Ozona; Mr. and Mrs. Verne Coleman, Denver City; Beth Lynn (Dill) Love, Abilene; Mrs. Myrlene Lewis, Gorman; Laverne (Croft) Key, Eastland; Jerry Walker, Jal, New Mexico; Mrs. Margie

Kent, Coleman; Thomas and Frances Kent, Knox City; Neal Jones, Fort Worth; Don Maynard, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Billie McKinnerney, Tuscola; Lewis Barton, Knickerbocker; Lanell Black, Dallas; Buryl Bailey, Tye, Tex.; Mrs. Joan (Allen) Lay, Stephenville; Larue Cobb, Mesquite, and Janis Norton, Fort Worth.



# It's the Law in Texas

## DRAMA IN THE COURTROOM

We've all seen a great many courtroom dramas in the movies, on the stage or on television. Too many, some may say, but there's no denying the drama to be found in the courtroom.

A theater seat of a comfortable chair in front of the TV screen is the closest many of us ever get to a courtroom. It's from such a vantage point that most of our ideas come today about court procedures and how a trial is carried on.

Stage and screen trials normally present only the highlights and take many shortcuts in the interest of brevity and audience appeal. Often an attorney is pictured making objection after objection to the questions and answers as witnesses testify. He makes these objections vehemently, pompously, or sarcastically—and often in a voice louder than necessary—according to the demands of his role, and depending upon whether he's on the side of the villain or the hero. The judge raps for order, and booms out, "sustained," or "overruled," and those of us in the audience usually are at a loss over why he made his decision.

In a real courtroom it's true that attorneys protest against what's being done or said, as a means of assuring a fair trial, and the judge must allow or disallow each objection.

The principals in the real courtroom are just practicing common sense when they follow the "rules of evidence" in placing facts before the judge and jury. If there's to be a fair trial and a just verdict, there must be true facts.

Evidence in the courtroom may take several forms, but two are most common. Answers to questions from a witness under oath are the best-known type of evidence. Exhibits—written records, letters, "the murder weapon," and other physical objects having to do with the case—are the next most common. "Depositions," or written statements, from a witness who for some reason is unable to appear personally in court, are sometimes admitted as evidence in certain cases.

Perhaps you've heard: "A trial is not a contest of learning, skill, or tact between lawyers, but a proceeding to find out the truth according to the evidence received and the law as explained by the judge."

That's about the size of it, and that's the way each of us wants it to be if ever we are placed on trial or taken to court for even so much as a speeding ticket.

(This newsfeature, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

## County Budget for 1965 Calls for Total of \$493,626 in Expenditures

EASTLAND — Drought months apparently affect Eastland County budget-planning officials much the same as they do individual land owners—"proceed with caution and moderation."

This would seem to be the case upon analyzing the county's 1965 budget which will be submitted to the Commissioners Court for consideration. The budget hearing had originally been scheduled for Sept. 11 but due to the absence of one of the commissioners, was postponed and according to County Judge Scott Bailey, will be called soon.

The proposed budget for 1965 is for \$493,626.95 in county resources. Compared to the 1963 actual expenditures and balances which were \$633,513.95, there is a \$139,887 drop for the coming year. This then, like the farmer's outlook for the coming year, might be shaded by what's happened this summer when it just didn't rain.

The '65 figure is below the budgeted 1964 figure, too, by the way. The county is currently operating on a budgeted \$536,000.86.

Only one fund, the county poor farm, is being budgeted for more than in 1963 and 1964. Judge Bailey has indicated that he plans to ask for a small amount of funds for two special projects. One will be for civil defense education and the other a historical fund to be used for marking certain historical locations, such as old cemeteries.

The commissioners will hear the following proposals (compared to budgeted 1964 amounts and actual 1963 figures.) All these figures include expenditures and balances, actual and anticipated, at the end of the year:

JURY FUND — Proposed for

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for places for satisfying living, and we make no mistake in spending time and money to develop them.

The Lakewood Country Club project is one for better living, better business and community growth. It is a project that many other towns would like very much to be able to promote.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith were visited by their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Smith, of Denver, Colorado, during the past week.

## WILDCAT TALES

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- BOYS' SPORTS REPORTER ..... Sandra Teague
- SPONSOR ..... Franz Pittman
- STUDENT COUNCIL REPORTER ..... Mrs. C. A. Claborn
- ..... Sharon Stewart

### NATIONAL CONGRESS OF P.T.A.

P.T.A. is a voluntary organization that unites the forces of home, school, and community for the benefit of children and youth. It is noncommercial and develops its educational program through conferences, committees, and projects. Local associations encourage cooperation between home and school by interpreting the school to the community and the community to the school.

The purposes of P.T.A. are:

1. To promote the welfare of children and youth in home, school, church and community.
2. To raise the standards of home life.
3. To secure adequate laws for the care and protection of children and youth.
4. To bring into closer relationship the home and the school that parents and teachers may cooperate intelligently in the training of the child.

To develop between educators and the general public such united efforts as will secure for every child the highest advantages in physical, mental, social education.

The P. T. A. organization was first founded as the National Congress of Mothers at a meeting in Washington, D. C., on February 17, 1897.

The first local units organized by the Congress devoted themselves to child study. The P. T. A. urged parents to study the curriculums of the school's children attended. One of the first large-scale projects was to extend the kindergarten.

The Congress encourages its members to become fully informed about their school program and take an active interest in all school affairs; however, it does not try to direct the administrative activities of the school or to control their policies.

The P. T. A. organization in our school has undertaken many worthwhile projects in the past years. They have made many great contributions to our school. The most recent of these are the air-conditioning systems in grade school and high school. We feel very fortunate to have such a cooperative and dependable group of parents and teachers to aid us students in so many ways.

Editor

### "KNOWLEDGE COMES BUT WISDOM LINGERS"

Hi! The most important thing the seniors have done this week is to decide the subject of selling magazines. We are going to use the money we earn for our class trip. All the support you can give us will be appreciated.

The seniors are settling down to a less strenuous week. We all have a lot of fond memories to look back on for our last homecoming.

The senior English class is getting involved in two murders and witchcraft—in "Macbeth" that is!!! Our vocabulary is also improving... right, Mike?

The chemistry students are reading charts and trying to understand Frank's illustrations. We have had our first lab experiment and also another pop test.

The math students seem to be catching onto their equations and are faithfully trying to keep up their notebooks.

The typing students are still working on units and increasing their speed.

We seem to have a hot-rodder in our class—Sandra Teague.

Beat Early!!!

Judy

### USDA Surplus Food Dates Are Scheduled

EASTLAND — Dates for the distribution of USDA surplus foods to eligible persons in Eastland County during October are: Monday, Oct. 12: Eastland Tuesday, Oct. 13: Rising Star, Pioneer, Okda, Carbon, and Desdemona; Wednesday, Oct. 14: Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.

75,800,000 persons had some wages reported to their social security accounts in 1963.

### "LIVE AND LEARN"

Hello, everyone! This week is our fifth week of school, and we are all preparing for six-weeks' tests.

A report from our treasurer, Doug Fisher, says that we made \$90.00 from both car washes. We would like to express our appreciation to the owners of the stations for letting us use their stations.

This week in our lessons we have completed another unit in algebra. The typing students have handed in a unit without a great number of mistakes. In our English classes we are continuing the study of literature. The members of the Civics and American History classes are having panel discussions. We find this a fun way of learning. The Home Economics "five" are working on their various articles of clothing. The chemistry class is getting deeper and deeper.

Be sure and travel with the Wildcats to Early on Saturday night.

Oh, yes, Doug also reports that we are \$21.00 in the hole with our candy machine.

Be sure and join us next week.

Until then,

Junior reporter—Marcia

### "BUILDERS OF TOMORROW"

Several members of the Sophomore class volunteered to help plan and decorate the cars for the parade last week. They worked hard to get something new and original, and we really appreciate their efforts.

Previously I have failed to mention the Sophomore boys on the football squad. Those from this class are Dwight Carter, Jimmy Rutherford, Mike Donham, Danny White, Ben Chick and Bob Clark is the manager.

I would like for everyone of you to come along with me and let us spend a day at R.S.H.S. To make the tour more interesting, we shall begin at the end and work our way up.

The seventh period P.E. girls are working out in basketball; the forwards have begun running play and the guards just try to stay up with them; the boys work out on the football field. We have Health the sixth period; we are starting to study Unit II, "How You Grow Socially." It is Wednesday, and the English II students have fifth period to work on book reports, which will be due tomorrow. We eat lunch, then go to World History Class; we must complete work in our notebooks on Chapter IV because we will have a test over it tomorrow. Third period most of us have either Algebra I, Typing, or Study Hall, the typing class is working on drills, the Algebra students are thriving on pop tests, and we in Study Hall, just study. Activity follows; this is a ten minute break where we drink cokes and gossip; today about the game with Early. Biology class occupies second period; we just had a short test over simple plants and animals. The first period Home Ec. II girls are sewing on darts and seams of our dresses.

This completes your backward day with the Sophomores; I'm in a daze just thinking of it.

Sophomore Reporter,

Karen Harris

### "NOT FINISHED; JUST BEGUN"

The freshmen have had a very exciting Homecoming weekend. All during the week we had a special day. One of these was car day in which we were supposed to decorate our cars with blue and gold. We had a car in the parade to represent our class. This was all topped off by our homecoming game with Cross Plains.

During activity, we selected a motto, "Not Finished, Just Begun." We selected the yellow rose as our class flower; our colors are green and white.

We have given book reports, which were due Thursday of the fourth week. We are all busy studying for six weeks' tests. In biology, we are studying simple plants and animals and comparing them to each other.

We would like to thank the room mothers who worked in the stand at the Rochelle football game. We also thank everyone who brought food to the game.

Freshman Reporter, James Gerhardt

### "TOWARD NEW HORIZONS"

Mrs. Nowlin had a meeting to plan our program of work. We have decided upon a "little sister" project. Every member chooses a girl that will be in high school soon to help influence her in being in F.H.A.

We also decided to have a Mother-Daughter Banquet this year and to continue our Home-maker of the Month plan.

The Homemaking I and II girls are still trying to sew. The Homemaking I girls are beginning the preparation of quick breads. Since Homemaking II is first period, there are a few girls who have had to take out a dart or two because they were still asleep!

F.H.A. Reporter, Pam Geye

### F. F. A. NEWS

The chapter elected officers at our first meeting on Tuesday. They were as follows: President, Franz Pittman, Vice-President, Dwight Carter; Secretary, John Gerhardt; Reporter, Dick Goldston; Sentinel Mark Walker, and Treasurer, Terry Geye.

Our chapter has received \$99 from the Sears and Roebuck Program for the purchase of a rotating livestock project. The members voted to buy two registered Angus heifers. The second heifer will be a gift of the business men of Rising Star.

Franz Pittman, Mike Donham, and Danny White volunteered to draw up rules and regulations for boys who wished to apply for one of the heifers.

It seems to me that this year our chapter is doing more than I can remember since I first became a member. For this we can thank the stronger support of parents, local business men, and Sears and Roebuck.

Dick Goldston

### DOREMI

After a hard week's work getting ready for homecoming, the

band has settled down to some steady practice since we have big events coming up.

The band will go to the State Fair at Dallas on October 14; we play in a concert and march in the parade.

The stage band has also been practicing, and we are very proud of the new music stands. It will certainly add to the appearance of our arrangement at different concerts.

Good Luck, Wildcats!  
Bye,  
Trudi

### "FROM THE WILDCAT DEN"

This week the "Wildcats" will take on their old rivals, the Early "Longhorns". This season the "Longhorns" have tied their first game and have lost their second. This game will be played at Early. We hope all the "Wildcat" fans will go and back the cats all the way. The remaining games will be played away from home, except for May, which will be played here. Next week's game will be played against Richland Springs.

"Dehorn the Longhorns, Cats" Reporter, Franz Pittman

### "SPORTS SCOOP"

Things are back to normal again with the excitement of homecoming over. Everything was a big success.

The girls in seventh period P. E. class are still busy with the daily calisthenics and basketball. From all indications we should have a good team this year; however, it is still too early to make any prediction.

It is a school requirement the girls take a physical this year before they are allowed to compete in any sport. Let's hurry and get these girls.

Girls' Sports, Sandra Teague

### WILDCATS LASSO THE LONGHORNS

We certainly had a successful homecoming this year! It was so good to have all you exes back with us again. Did you enjoy yourselves? I certainly did and I want to say the school spirit shown at the pep rally Saturday afternoon was just

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B.T.U. .... 7:00 P.M.

**Okra Baptist Church**

Rev. Aubrey Helbert  
Pastor, Abilene  
Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Services ... 11:30 a.m.  
BTU ..... 7 p.m.  
Evening Services ... 8 p.m.

**The Bible Baptist Church**

Rising Star  
Rev. Geo. Epperson  
Sunday School ..... 10:00

**First Baptist Church**

Rising Star, Texas  
Rev. A. D. Kyle  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching Service ... 10:45 a. m.  
Training Union ..... 6:30 p. m.  
Preaching Service ... 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m. Wed.  
Morning Services ..... 11:00  
Evening Service ..... 7:30  
Prayer Meeting Wed. at 7:30  
A hearty welcome to all!

**Baptist Church**

Carbon, Texas  
Sunday School ..... 10 a. m.  
Preaching ..... 11 a. m.  
Preaching ..... 7:30 p. m.  
Training Union ..... 6:30 p. m.  
Mrs. Bob Hastings, training director;; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reed, adult group captains.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

H. McDonald, Minister  
Sunday Bible Study ..... 10 a.m.  
Morn. Worship Service 10:55 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p. m.  
Ladies Bible Class, Wednesday at 9:30 a. m.  
Wednesday Evening Bible Class ..... 6:30 p. m.

**First Methodist Church**

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Rev. Milton Slayden, Pastor  
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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ... 10:50 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship ... 6:45 p. m.  
Evening Worship ... 7 p. m.  
Mid-Week Service, Wednesday  
Choir Practice, Wednesday at 7 p. m.  
Mrs. Tommy Lewis, Organist at 7:30 p. m.

**Calvary Baptist Church**

May, Texas  
Rev. Pat Cummins, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10 a.m.  
Preaching Service ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 7 p.m.  
W.M.U. Tuesday at 2 p.m. at church.  
Mrs. Ralph Hardy, Pres.

**First Baptist Church**  
May, Texas

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

**Pentecostal Church**

West Highway 36  
Mrs. A.J. Martin, pastor  
10 A.M. Sunday Sunday School  
11 A.M. Sunday ..... Preaching  
7:30 P.M. Sunday ... Preaching  
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G. A. Dunn, Jr., Minister  
Worship Hour ..... 11:00 A.M.  
Bible Study ..... 10:00 A.M.  
Evening Service ..... 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Bible Study ..... 7 p.m.

**Assembly of God Church**

Rev. V. E. McGinn, Pastor.  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday Night Prayer and Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

**Mountain Top Pentecostal Church**

Sunday School ..... 10:00 A.M.  
Sunday Services ..... 11:00 A.M.  
Midweek Services Each Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

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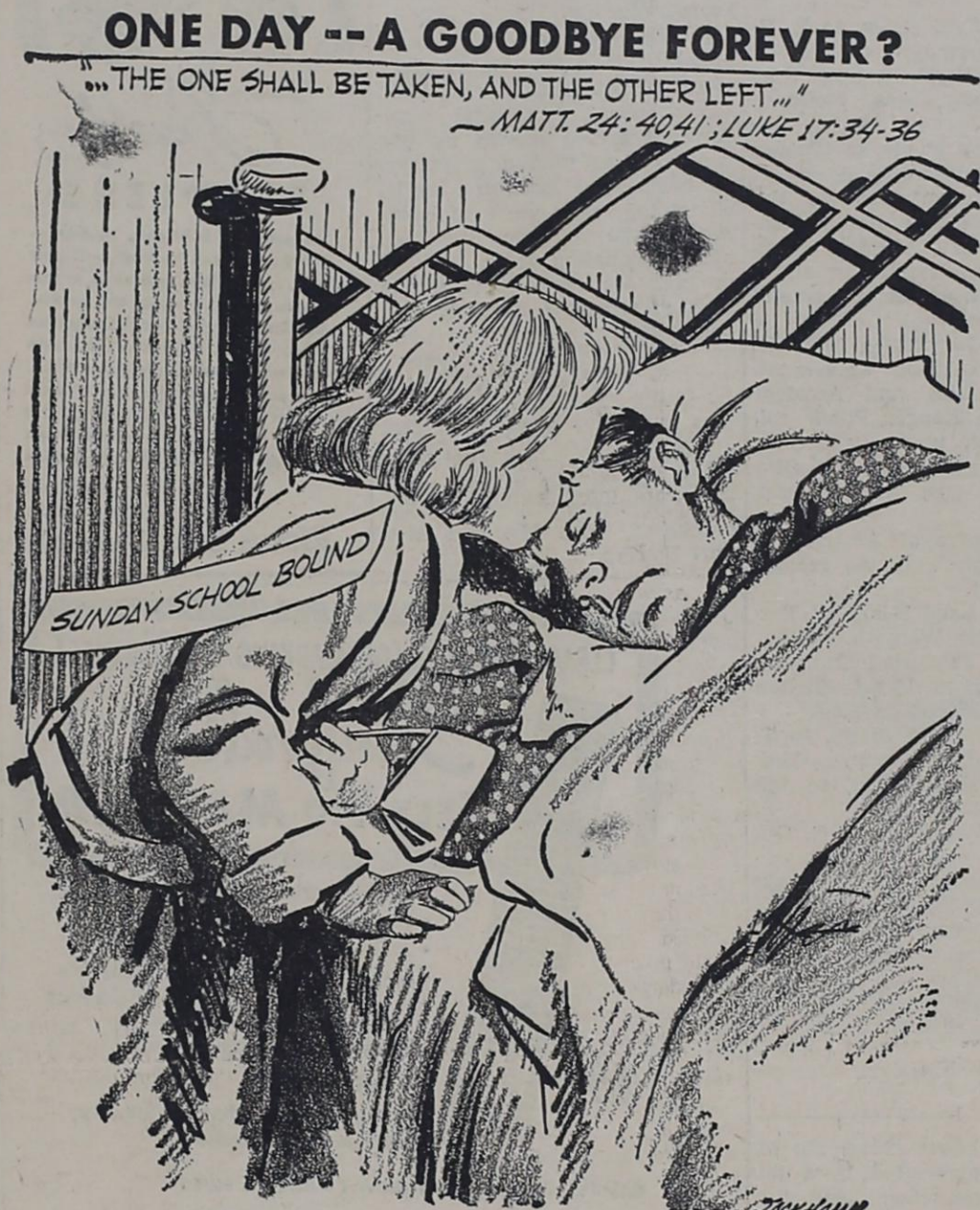
May, Texas  
Rev. Weldon Haynes, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10 a.m.  
Preaching Services ..... 11 a.m.  
MYF ..... 7 p.m.  
W. S. C. S. Monday 2 p.m.  
(Mrs. Grace Gienn, Pres.)  
Prayer Services Wednesday evening following second Sunday.

**Long Branch Baptist Church**

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

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 Mrs. John Garrett, Chevrolet, Eastland.  
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 Rubye Whaley, Chevrolet pickup, Eastland.  
 J. T. Berry, Ford, Eastland.  
 J. O. Earnest, Ford pickup, Eastland.  
 James Horton, Ford pickup, Eastland.  
 T. M. Alford, Chevrolet, Eastland.  
 Gulf Gas Company, Chevrolet pickup, Eastland.

**Suits Filed**  
 Diantha Wilson vs. Joe Wilson, divorce and child custody.  
 Jerry Don Hamilton vs. Hardware Mutual Casualty Company, compensation.  
 Byron Davis vs. J. N. Elison, damages.

**Marriage License**  
 Eddie Wayne Baker to Barbara Ann Kinser.  
 Kenneth Eugene Smith to Alma Lorraine Shelton.  
 Clinde Thomas to Mrs. Gertrude Wilson.

**Instruments Filed**  
 Kenneth Archer et ux, to B. E. Hanson, warranty deed.  
 Fred Brizendine to Sadie Brizendine, power of attorney.  
 Harriett Boatman et al, to Eugene Keef et ux warranty deed.  
 Laura Viola Boles et vir, to B. E. Hanson et ux, release of lien.  
 First National Bank, Cisco, et ux, to Kenneth Marvey, release of lien.  
 First Federal Savings and Loan, Ranger et ux, to D. D. Allen, release deed of lien.  
 First Federal Saving and Loan Association, Ranger et ux, to Francis Worden, Partial release of deed of trust.  
 Franklin Life Insurance Company et ux, to Oakland Development Corporation, release deed of trust.  
 W. T. Guy to the Public, affidavit.  
 W. T. Guy et ux, to B. E. Hanson, warranty deed.

W. T. Guy et ux, to Southern Saving and Loan Association, agreement.  
 Raymond Gray et ux, to W. E. Tyler, warranty deed.  
 Elsie Glenn et ux, to Joe Martin Barton, warranty deed.  
 Edith Hulín to Julie Townsend, warranty deed.  
 B. E. Hanson to C. M. McCain et ux, deed of trust.  
 Lucie Harrell to the Free Press Publishing Corporation, warranty deed.  
 Kenneth Harvel et ux, to George Kinard et ux, warranty deed.  
 B. E. Hanson to W. T. Guy, deed of trust.  
 Allan Heggedahl et ux, to B. E. Hanson, warranty deed.  
 Hattie Boatman et al, to Otto Spratt, oil, gas, and mineral lease.  
 H. C. Bowers et ux, to Mrs. Cordie Wolf, warranty deed.  
 Rhoda Boatwright, deceased, to the Public, affidavit.  
 Vernon Bosworth et ux, to Texas Building Material, Inc., mechanic vs. materialman's lien.  
 Ruth Callerman et al, to Donald Callerman et al, agreement.  
 H. W. Clifton et ux, to D. Chancellor et ux, warranty deed.  
 N. D. Chancellor to the First Federal Saving and Loan Association, Ranger, deed of trust.  
 Wallace Cantrell et ux, to Elsie Glenn, warranty deed.  
 Nick Duggan et ux, to State Hanson, warranty deed.  
 Nick Duggan et ux, too State of Texas, state tax lien.  
 Eastland Independent School District et al, to Armstede West, warranty deed.  
 First Federal Saving and Loan Association, Ranger et ux, to William B. Eaves, release of lien.  
 J. P. Herbert et ux, The Public, Proof of Heirship.  
 R. E. Hanson et ux, The Public, affidavit.  
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 J. E. Dickman, estate of The Public, Certified Copy, Will.  
 J. E. Dickman, estate of The Public, Certified Copy, Probate.  
 Nettie Hickman to Otto

**Spratt Warranty Deed.**  
 Dora Faye Harris, et vir, to J. B. Bailey, Warranty Deed.  
 Gracie Viola Harris to Nina Eaker, Warranty Deed.  
 Jim Walter Corporation to Mid-State Home Inc., mechanic vs. materialman lien.  
 D. J. Joba to O. B. Rone et ux, release deed of trust.  
 George Jones to Elsie Glenn, warranty deed.  
 Ben Jackson to Floyd Shelton, release deed of trust.  
 J. S. Nursing Home Inc. to the State of Texas, state tax lien.  
 Lone Star Gas Producing Company to Odessa Smith Children et al, release oil, gas and mineral lease.  
 Everett Martin et ux, to B. E. Hanson, warranty deed.  
 John Morgan to the Pan American Petroleum Corporation, depository.  
 E. V. McCright et al, to the First National of Fort Worth, amend oil, gas, and mineral lease.  
 C. M. McCain et ux, to B. E. Hanson, warranty deed.  
 E. V. McCright to Lone Star Gas Company, gas purchase contract.  
 Dell Norton et vir, to Charles P. Marshall, warranty deed.  
 Ranger Peanut Inc. to the Commercial State Bank, Ranger, extension of deed of trust.  
 Virgil Seaberry Jr., et al, to E. V. McCright et al, amend oil, gas, lease.  
 Seabony Corporation to O. P. Leonard, extension agreement.  
 Security Life and Accident Company to Ranger Public college District, warranty deed.  
 Mrs. Briggs Terry to Otto Spratt, oil, gas, and mineral lease.  
 United States of America to Nick Duggan et ux, release deed of trust.  
 Veteran's Land Board of Texas to Everett Womack, deed.  
 V. and J. Producing Company Incorporated to Floyd Shelton et al, release deed of trust.  
 Everett Womack et ux, to T. E. Weathersbee, warranty deed.  
 W. B. Wright et al, to the Public, affidavit.  
 Frances Warden to J. G. Gilliam et ux, warranty deed.  
 James Webster et ux to Marie T. C. Williams to E. E. Hill et ux, warranty deed.  
 Maples, warranty deed.  
 Linnie Zellars to Lane B. Wells, warranty deed.

**Wildcat Tales--**  
 GREAT! I know every one of the boys appreciated it a lot and it helped them play the great ball game they played Saturday night. They really played a wonderful game and another star was added to our crown with scores of 20-8.  
 Saturday night we meet the Early Longhorns at the Longhorn Stadium in Early at 8:00. We urge everyone to go and help support our great Wildcat Team! They are really doing a fine job this year and they need your support.  
 Leadin' you on in cheers Saturday night.  
 Sharolyn Roach

**HIGH SCHOOL AT LAST**  
 High school—at last, was my first thought upon entering the doors of the Rising Star High School on August thirty-first. Of course, along with this thought came others. Will I pass? Do the teachers bite? Will they give pop quizzes? Will it be fun? Of all these thoughts, my first was most prominent. After eight years of preparation and expectation here I am, a freshman in high school.  
 My next thought was oh, dear, what is my locker number? I panicked, then calmed myself; and after consulting my schedule, I walked to number one-fifty-one and placed my notebook in it. Since it was a few minutes before the bell was to ring, I had more time to let my thoughts wander. I smiled, remembering the football parties, the night our basketball team beat Goldthwaite... but that was in the past. I have the present and future to look forward to.  
 After all these thoughts, I have no fear or dread of the next four years. I know that if, at last, I have made it to high school, with a few brains and a lot of hard work I can go through high school making my parents proud of me.  
 My next thought was 'College! Here I come!  
 English I  
 Beverly White

**HIGH SCHOOL—AT LAST!**  
 After eight long years in grade school, I am actually in high school! Though I looked forward to the first day in high school and being a freshman, I went through the first day in a daze.

In going from class to class, my mind was unable to place the many events in the right order. I realize that I must mold my study habits and my character early enough to help me throughout high school. I wish to make high grades and many best friends while I am in high school. I am enjoying high school very much and the hard work and confusion of the first few days. My courses and teachers are easy and enjoyable. They are as follows: Biology, Mr. Gray; Algebra, Mr. Henry; English, Mrs. Claborn; Vocational Agriculture, Mr. Geye. As for athletics, I am eagerly anticipating representing my school and my school's reputation at the events.  
 As I have been told, and as is being proven, high school is like one big vacation. Though it does not seem like it, there is an awful lot of work involved in achieving that vacation. I am looking forward to many unforgettable events that are sure to take place in the four years following.  
 In looking at education in general, I define it as eight years of elementary school (four years of college) some form of armed service for our country, and then a profession or business. Education also includes the many years of learning in the average life span after graduation from college or high school. As a freshman in high school, I am only now beginning.  
 Grant Poynor  
 English

Mrs. Arthur Wolf is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Otis Wolf while waiting for possession of the new home which she has purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowers.

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
 I wish to thank everyone who sent flowers, cards, and gifts while I was in the hospital. Each visit to the hospital was greatly appreciated. You will never know how much each of them meant to me. God bless each of you. Mrs. P. E. Green.

APPLES! APPLES! APPLES! — Red Delicious, Winesaps and Jonathans. See Bart Brown, Pioneer. Tel. 725-3188. 50-3tp

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V. Fenter, Altus Butler, Curt Smith, Fred Hubbard and Deward Maynard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberds and Pauline attended the Golden Wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Elzo Been at their home near Carbon Sunday, Sept. 27.

A wedding shower honoring Mrs. Dick Morrow, the former Marcia Simmons, was sponsored at the First Baptist Fellowship hall on Thursday, Sept. 24. The bride received a number of useful gifts and the table was beautifully decorated. Hostesses: Mmes. J. R. McKinney, L. L. Lewis, H. L. Geyer, R. T. Ezzell, Bruce Harris, W. Rubber Stamps at the Record

### STERLING FOR STABILITY



"Home is where the heart is," but home is a lot more home-like with your own things around you. Many newlyweds, in off-campus and city apartments with storage problems, find most of their pretty wedding gifts ending up in mom's attic.

Whatever else has to stay behind, the wise bride will take along her sterling silver flatware. No matter how cramped the quarters and how few the luxuries, with sterling the bride can serve with a flourish even if it's from a card table set up in the living room. Also, sterling silver is reassuring—because it is always correct and its permanence lends a feeling of stability to a new household.

**Browsing With Bev**  
By Beverley Nicholson, County HD Agent

Preparing sandwiches for the school lunch pail can be a real morning chore for mothers who have several children in school. It can be made easier by preparing a large quantity of sandwiches at one time, then freezing them. Wrapped in a double thickness of heavy waxed paper, sandwiches can be stored a week in the freezer without loss of quality. If you use a moisture vapor-resistant wrap, you can extend this period to two or three weeks.

Let the youngsters help you "do sandwiches" each weekend. They'll love the chance to pick their own fillings and look forward to finding these sandwiches in their lunches.

Some fillings that freeze well are luncheon meats, leftover sliced or chopped roast beef, roast pork, baked ham, chicken, turkey, dried beef, well-drained tuna or salmon, sliced cheese, cheese spreads, hard-cooked egg yolks, and peanut butter. You may use these separately or combined with cream cheese, milk, dairy sour cream, applesauce, creamed butter, or lemon, orange, or pineapple juice to make spreading easy. Add sliced or chopped olives and pickle, if desired. Spread the bread with softened (not melted) butter or margarine to keep the filling from soaking into the bread.

But don't put in any raw vegetables such as lettuce, celery, or tomatoes. They lose crispness, color, and flavor when frozen. Also, the whites of hard-cooked eggs become tough, and jellies or very moist fillings such as egg salad or tuna salad soak into the bread. Wrap the sandwiches separately. Freeze at 0 degrees F. or below.

Frozen sandwiches can go directly into the lunch pail. By noon, they'll be completely thawed. Once thawed, however, they should be eaten at once. Sandwiches spoil rapidly after they have warmed too 450 degrees F.

### Farm Bureau To Hold Convention Tuesday, Oct. 13

The Eastland County Farm Bureau board of directors met in their regular monthly meeting September 21, 1964 in the office location with the president, Jack Cozart, presiding. Roll call was answered by seventeen directors.

A membership report given by Cyrus Justice, membership chairman, showed as of August 31, 1964, 618 families enrolled in the county bureau.

Mitchell Campbell, chairman of the policy development, said his committee would welcome any and all opinions on any subject or resolutions pertaining to farm problems and policies.

John Love public information chairman, gave a report on his committee.

Cyrus Justice, chairman of the annual barbecue that was held in August, gave a report. The barbecue was well attended.

The board voted to have the annual convention of the Eastland County Farm Bureau Tuesday, October 13, 1964 in the office location in Eastland. They also voted to enter the Farm Bureau Queen in the Peanut Bowl parade.

The president appointed a refreshment committee for the convention, which are Mrs. Dora Schaefer, Mrs. John Love, and Mrs. Willie Cantwell.

Records for 1940 show that the average annual wage reported for social security credit for 35,000,000 persons was \$332.

### WSCS Program After Luncheon Monday

The WSCS of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon in the Fellowship hall of the church, following the regular monthly luncheon at noon, for a business and Spiritual Life program.

There were 15 members present.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. J. R. Bucy, president of the society.

After an opening song, Mrs. Milton Slayden gave a report on the workshop at Gorman Thursday of last week.

Miss Loretta Pearce led the devotional, "God Is In Charge," and read Scripture from First Corinthians.

Mrs. M. S. Sellers led the closing prayer.

Present were Mmes. J. R. Bucy, Cecil Joyce, Floyd Joyce, Mollie West, W. C. Witt, Beryl Heath, Emma Weathermon, M. S. Sellers, Claude Griffin, Milton Slayden, Maggie Groce May Pearl Hull and Jay Rachel, Miss Loretta Pearce and one new member, Mrs. John Mathis. —May Pearl Hull, Reporter.

### Award Winner Will Speak To Abilene Club

The Abilene Garden Club will have as guest speaker October 8 Mrs. E. O. Barton of Houston, it was announced this week. Mrs. Barton, winner of the Jackson and Perkins award in New York, will speak at 9:30 a.m. at the Abilene Garden Center, North Third and Westwood Drive, in Abilene. An admission charge will be made.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. Chester Harris is visiting her sister, Mrs. Media Edwards, and daughter, Dawn, in

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carroll visited their daughter, Delphine, and family at Burnet during the week end.

Dave Eubank of Houston visited his sister, Mrs. Ira Hudler, and Mr. Hudler in Rising Star, and his two sisters in Santa Anna, recently.

OFFICE SUPPLIES AT THE RECORD

### WMS Installs Officers At Meeting Monday

The W.M.S. of First Baptist Church met Monday, Sept. 23 for installation of officers and committees and recognition of group captains and their groups.

Mrs. A. D. Kyle conducted the installation which was followed by a social hour arranged by Mrs. Jimmie Fridge. Twenty two women were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Jarrett were here for the High School Homecoming and visited his mother, Mrs. Lila Jarrett, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hubbard. They teach at Gail.

The four daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Cooper, Lucine, Clarine, Banna Maude and Marion, all of Dal- enjoyed the homecoming at Rising Star Saturday.

Of 1,509,000 wage and salary workers retiring after 1957, 63 per cent did so voluntarily.

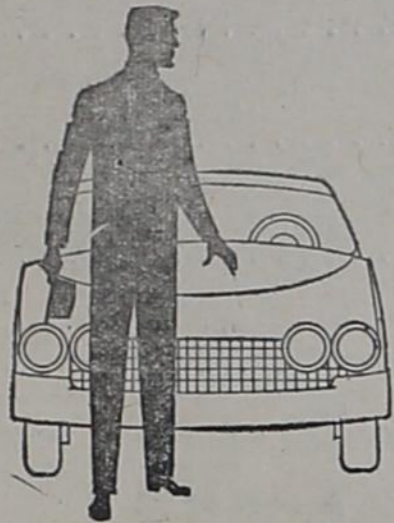
### May Methodists Have Family Night Sept. 23

Wednesday night, Sept. 23, was Family night at the May Methodist Church at which time the W.S.C.S. had charge of the program and carried out their regular study program. Major Max Prentice presented the lesson on Spanish Americans from the second and third chapters of the book, "Death of a Myth." A large group was present to enjoy the program and a covered dish supper which was served in the dining room prior to the W.S.C.S. program. An hour of visiting and good fellowship followed and the meeting was dismissed with a prayer by Mrs. A. J. Prentice.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Steel, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Alford, and attended the Wildcat-Buffalo football game.

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Darnell Swift of Denver City, Tex., came to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Swift, and Miss Ruby Ray Swift, sister of Ira, and a retired teacher for whom one of the buildings in the Arlington system is named. Miss Swift formerly taught at

Rising Star and Cisco.

Mrs. Doris Dunson of Houston, and her daughter, Mrs. Judie Satterwhite of Pasadena, Tex. visited Mrs. T. B. Busbee, and Geraldine over the week-end.

Football--

local eleven's touchdown plays were purely delightful. The first was a 10-yard toss by Terry Geye to John Hutchinson which overcame a five-yard deficit the Cats had suffered for illegal procedure, and the second was a long and difficult pass to Larry Duggan from a fake kick formation near the end of the third period. On the first play the Rising Star quarter found his receiver on a well-nigh perfect pattern two or three yards from the nearest defender. In the second Geye laterally out-raced a posse of Buffs while Duggan maneuvered into position in the northeast corner of the end zone and took the ball just over the reach of covering defenders.

The Cats scored their second touchdown midway of the second period when Kenny Butler climaxed a 38-yard drive, going over from the four, Geye, on another fake field goal formation, passed to Larry Duggan for two points.

Rising Star's first touchdown was set up by a particularly defensive play by Rex Long, who broke up a pitchout attempt to allow Rising Star to recover on the Cross Plains 16. Butler promptly drove through the line for a first down on the visitors' six, and gained another yard in the second attempt. Rising Star drew five for illegal procedure and Geye then passed to Hutchinson for the score.

The second Rising Star score followed a kick-off by Frazier Clark that was fumbled out on the Buff 5-yard line, a penalty against the Buffs, a staunch Wildcat defense that forced a punt which Doug Fisher returned to the Cross Plains 38. Butler's power drives carried to the 16 yard line where Geye followed him on a keeper to the 8 yard line. A succession of line rushes earned the score with Butler handling the ball on the final distance, and Geye passing for two points.

Woolley contributed a sizeable portion of the yardage on the Cats' drive to their final touchdown, and two pass completions, one for seven yards to

Dick Gholson and another for 12 to Larry Duggan in Geye's scoring heave to Duggan. A pass attempt for two points failed.

One of the evening's pass completions was a 9-yard toss from understudy quarter Fisher to Rex Long on a drive that was frustrated by a fumble.

Good secondary defensive by Fisher, Jimmy Rutherford and Dwight Carter accounted for most of the Buff passing failures, while the Cat front showed up exceptionally well on defense as usual. Rex Long, James Cox and Russell Botts were outstanding on defensive play, but all of the boys acquitted themselves very well during the evening.

Both sides had exceptionally good gains nullified by penalties, one very fine pass completion being lost to the Buffs by a rules infraction.

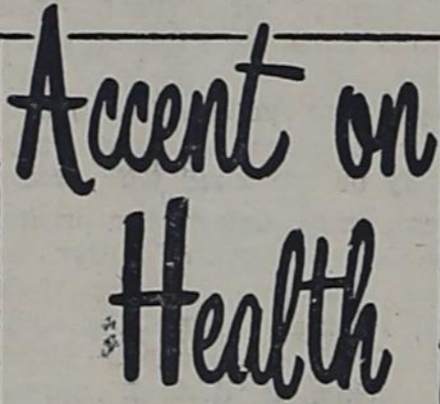
Next Saturday night the Wildcats will be featured in another homecoming attraction when they go to Early to engage the Longhorns in a contest that will highlight the Early High School Exes memory trek.

Horace Shoemaker is here for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Dee Breeding. He is remembered here by a host of friends.

Mrs. Alyne Siekman and son, Bob, of Pyote, and Mr. and Mrs. "Bud" Siekman of Slaton were here for a visit with M. G. Joyce and other relatives Saturday.

Mrs. Earline Swift and her daughter from Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Swift, during the week-end.

A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health



Salmonella may sound like the name of a fish, but it's really a class of bacteria which can cause food poisoning.

If you've ever had salmonella-caused food poisoning — and your chances increase every year—you'll not forget the name.

A nationwide incidence of 9,680 cases were reported in 1962, the last year for which accurate figures are available.

Infections from salmonellae are acquired usually by eating or drinking contaminated food or drink.

The foods most often implicated are poultry, eggs, milk, prepared meats, sausage, meat pies, dried coconut, cake mixes and custard-filled bakery products which are lightly cooked and subject to much handling. Animal foods and fertilizers are also a possible source of infection.

Effective control of salmonellosis requires the cooperation of physicians and health officials, veterinarians and wildlife experts, farmers and industrialists and, especially, the public as a whole.

As one means of prevention, your health department sponsors schools for food handlers, and employs trained sanitarians to make routine inspections of food handling establishments.

But this is only a small part of the story. Adequate cooking of food is one of the most practical methods of preventing salmonellosis. Food which is to be held after cooking should be kept under refrigeration or else kept hot. Food which is "just warm" and held for a period of time allows the bacteria to multiply, thus enabling them to cause infection.

Refrigeration prevents the bacteria from multiplying but will not kill them.

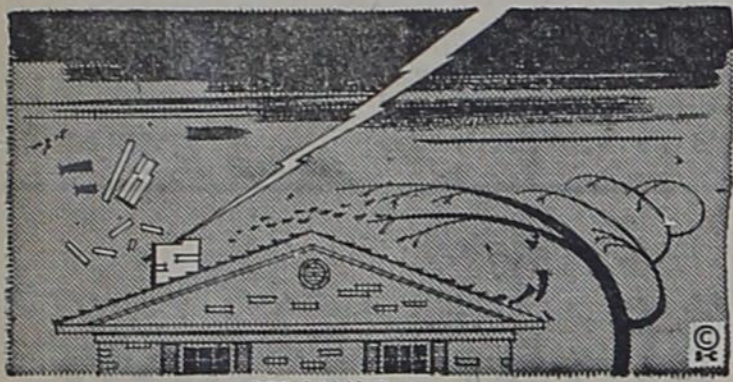
Foods of animal origin should be purchased from sources which come under official inspection. This is evidenced by a stamp or printed legend on the product.

Use sudsy water and disinfectants to eliminate the bacteria from your work area and eating utensils.

These precautions may sound like just so much trouble, but just ask anyone who has ever had salmonella and he'll tell Division of Public Health Education it's more than worth while.

(A weekly feature from the cation, Texas State Department of Health.)

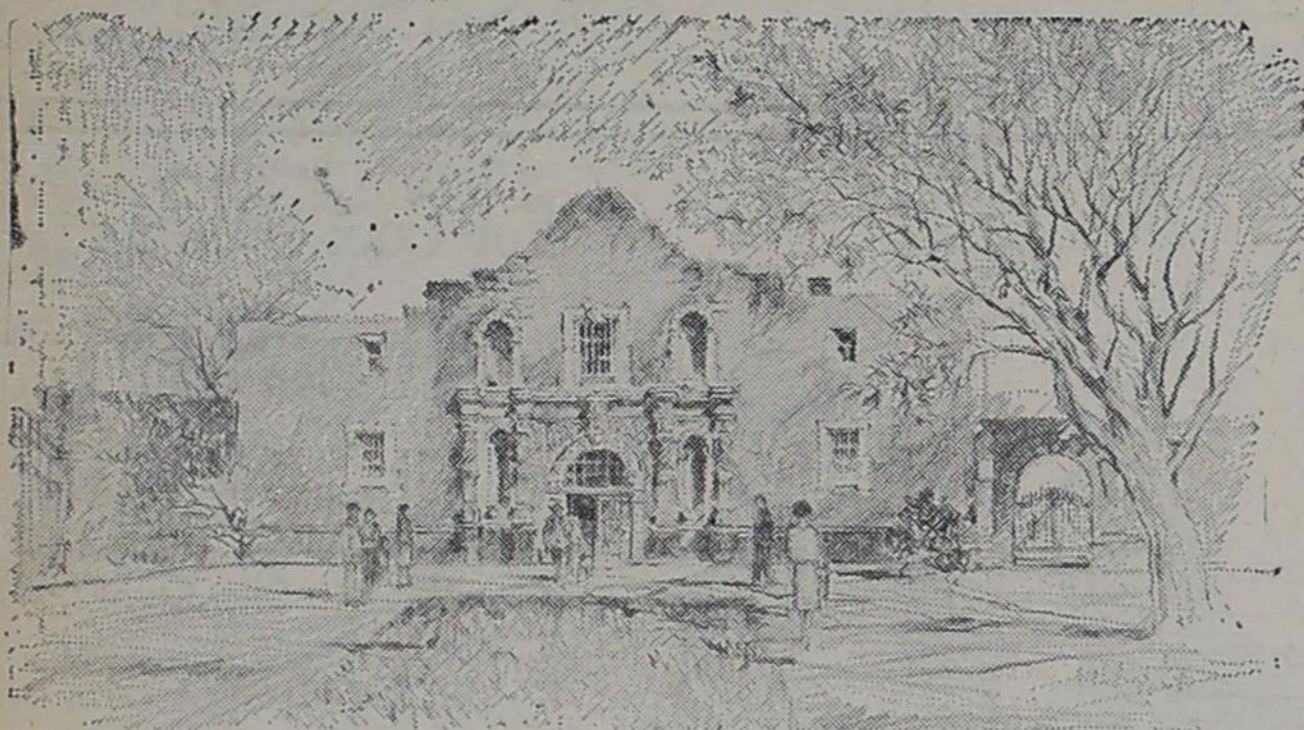
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Youth Center Meeting Called for Oct. 2nd

The Rising Star Youth Center committee has set Friday, Oct. 2, as the time for an organizational meeting of the Center membership. The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock when the members will name their officers and will also be asked to name adult advisers who will be responsible for chaperoning the Center when it is open.

All teen-agers are urged to attend and to either buy their membership cards beforehand or come prepared to purchase them at the Center. Only those with paid up memberships will be allowed to vote. Annual dues are \$1.00.

Eighth Grade Names Officers Monday

Eighth Grade Meteorites met Monday and chose officers at follows:

President, Linda Hubbard; vice-president and treasurer, Beverly Fisher; secretary, Colleen White; sergeant-at-arms, Mickie Chambers; commissary manager, Gayla Harris; reporter, Verilyn McGinn.

The group voted to have a Halloween party, time and place to be determined later.

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