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Have Something around the house you no longer need? A Want-Ad in the Record will bring cash!

President's Wife Asks Mothers to Support Red Cross

WASHINGTON.—Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower today called on the Mothers of America to support the Red Cross with their funds and their blood to make sure that Gamma Globulin and Serum Albumin—blood derivatives that combat paralytic polio and fight shock—will be available to their children in this country and to their sons in Korea.

In a special statement, the first lady, herself a mother and grandmother, asked mothers throughout the nation to do three things "right away" to help the current Red Cross appeal for \$93,000,000:

1. Make a fund contribution of their own and make sure that other family members and neighbors have contributed.
2. Call their Red Cross chapters with an offer of assistance to collect funds in neighborhoods where there are no solicitors.
3. Sign up for a blood donation at the earliest possible moment.

RFC to Be Killed By Public Poll Opinion in State

DALLAS, March 31. (Special)—Approval of the plan to abolish the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is indicated by the public opinion poll of Facts Forum, Robert H. Dedman, chairman, announced today in releasing final results of the March questionnaire.

Voters participating in the poll of the national public affairs organization cast their ballots in the ratio of 74 per cent for; 26 per cent against, in response to the question, "Should RFC be abolished?" This opposition to the big government lending agency has been consistently expressed by Facts Forum voters. When the issue first was polled in June, 1951, 77 per cent voted in favor of abolition, and on four polls subsequent to that date through March, 1952, the voting was 79, 78, 78 and 75 per cent, respectively.

Comparing results of past polls on two other issues raised in the current poll, sentiment has heightened for granting statehood to Hawaii, while there is a slight decline in the big majority which expressed support of the Eisenhower Administration. The current poll shows 73 per cent for Hawaiian statehood. On a poll in March, 1952, 68 per cent favored statehood. Presently, 85 per cent favor President Eisenhower over a Democratic nominee if an election were held now. On the January poll, 89 per cent expressed preference for President Eisenhower.

Chamber of Commerce Backers for 1952

The following list of names are those who supported the Chamber of Commerce for the past year, together with the amount contributed by each member:

E. F. Agnew & Sons	1.50
F. D. Boggus	1.00
City Drug	1.00
City of Rising Star	5.00
E. M. Crisp	1.00
Dill Drug	.50
Jigginbotham Bros. & Co.	17.00
Jones Feed Store	1.00
Palace Drug	2.00
Rutherford & Steel	2.50
A. P. Smith	.50
Terry Cafe	1.00
A. Louise Weber	1.00
West Texas Utilities	22.50
First State Bank	12.00
Bowers Grocery	1.00
Dr. Ben H. Bradley	2.50
Butler Chevrolet	4.00
H. S. Childress	1.00

Eudaly Speaks at Dairy Meeting Last Thursday Night

Eastland county has enough Johnson grass going to waste every year to feed half the cattle, said "Hico" Eudaly at a meeting of some 30 dairy operators in Rising Star last Thursday night. We take out of the silo only what we put in it he said and it is the best and cheapest feed known to man up to now. Silage will keep for 20 years has been proven many times and the kind of feed we have depends on the intelligent handling of the crops, how silo is built and the way the feed is packed. It must be put down right the speaker said.

Eudaly is no stranger to Rising Star. He spoke here 15 years ago and has been back on another occasion to judge stock. For several years he was with A & M College and for the past few years has been associated with Universal Mills.

Mr. Eudaly explained relative values of silage in comparison with other feeds and gave a highly technical discourse on the values of different kinds of hay, when fed with proteins and hydrocarbons.

Corn cobs, cotton burrs, shucks and some of the other things that we used to throw away have been put to use as roughage, only corn cobs must not be ground too fine. We need to get the cow to drink water, plenty of water and we must offer her plenty of hay at all times. The old cow knows what she wants to eat. Man can offer her hay—if she eats it well and good and if not, we have saved both the cow and kept our manners at the same time.

Many technical matters were discussed—a number of the dairymen took down notes and Mr. Geyer, FFA teacher, made memorandum of different kinds of feed so that he would be in position to advise with any who might care to work out a feed program as suggested by the speaker.

Syrup was stressed as part of old Bossy's diet, not only because of its splendid food value but because of its sugar content and easy to eat. Too much syrup, not over 10 per cent is the proper balance.

The meeting was the outcome of several previous gatherings at which time dairymen have been searching for cheaper feed and according to Eudaly, the trench silo is the answer.

D. E. Ware, Red Chain feed dealer took an active-part in the different kinds of feed and said he was in position to mix bran, or any materials the dairyman might need.

Chamber of Commerce Talks Cemetery and Park

Mr. Walter Burnett was a visitor at the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce luncheon Tuesday.

Members discussed the need for funds for the cemetery. A committee will be appointed by president Bill Button to meet with the business and professional women's club in regard to this matter. It was also brought out at the meeting that more land was needed and it was suggested that it might be the wise thing to reorganize the entire setup, buy more land and make a charge for future burial lots. Nothing final was done in this matter.

The local park site was discussed and some plans will be worked out to improve the land and make it more attractive. This will be brought up next meeting.

WEST SIDE OF N. MAIN HAS NEW PAINT JOB

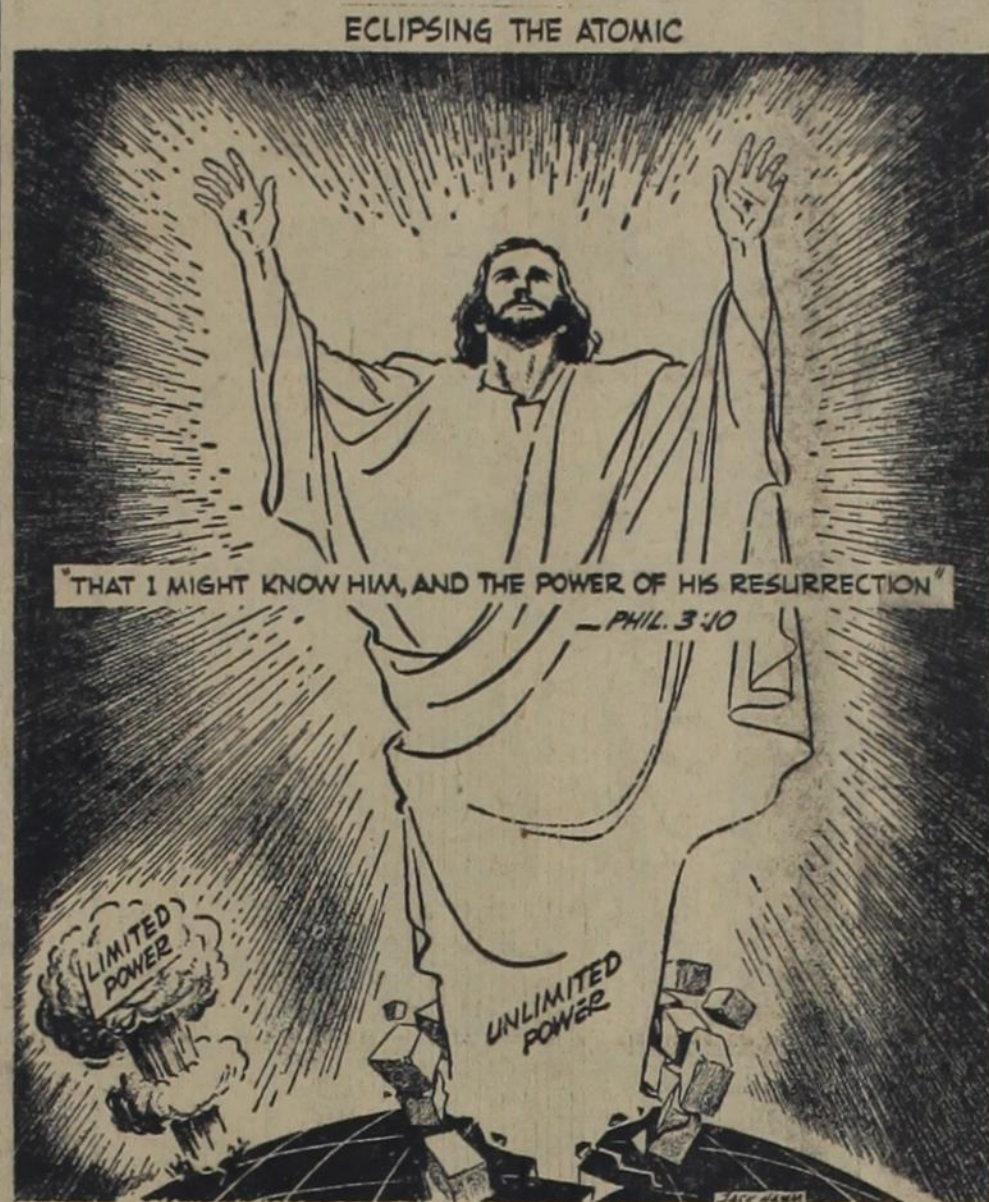
The west side of N. Main St. is now a shining example of how white paint can improve the appearance of a building.

Herrington's variety was the first to paint outside and inside. This was followed by M. G. Joyce Dry Goods, next door to Herrington's. This was followed by the City Drug Store and then Watkin's grocery got the fever and it is now a beautiful white.

These paint jobs add much to the appearance of West Main and express the civic pride characteristic of Rising Star.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Mary Chick has received news that her son, C. E. Chick, is in a hospital at Big Lake, for surgery.



INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT EASTER

The following interesting facts are gathered from various sources and are considered authentic.

THE NAME EASTER

In view of the fact that Easter is one of the two most outstanding days celebrated by Christians, it is surprising that it does not bear a Christian name. Following as it does at the time of the Jewish Passover, it was for a long time celebrated something after the order of the Passover, especially by Jewish Christians. The name Easter was adopted by the Christians of Western Europe because it coincided with a heathen festival in honor of the goddess of spring who was named Ostara. The name Easter occurs once in the New Testament in Acts 12:4. This is, however, what is known as anachronism or using a modern name for an ancient fact. The word in the original Greek is pascha, meaning Passover. When the Authorized Version of the Bible was made in 1611, the name Easter had become established in the vocabulary and the translators thought English readers would understand that verse better if they said Easter instead of Passover. The Revised Version has corrected this error.

Easter and all the other sacred season of the religious year, such as Palm Sunday and Whit-Sunday, are movable. This is explained briefly by saying that the dates are determined by the Jewish calendar.

The Manner of Celebration.

There is no instruction in the New Testament as to how the resurrection Sunday that we know as Easter should be celebrated. It seems that the early Christians celebrated the resurrection the first day of every week. Even the early Church fathers make no mention of a day set apart once a year to celebrate the resurrection of Christ. Like Christmas and other special days, the keeping of Easter was a practice begun some time after the days of the Apostles.

In some places great concourses of people assemble at sunrise for a period of spectacular worship on Easter morning. It would seem, in view of all these methods of observing the day which is supposed to celebrate the resurrection of Christ, that the fact of His resurrection should be more universally believed. The question can well be asked, why celebrate such a day as commemorating the resurrection of Christ if Christ was never resurrected?

D. R. Phillely
Pastor First Baptist Church
Rising Star

Sipe Springs Man Receives Infantry Badge in Korea

WITH THE 7TH INFANTRY DIV. IN KOREA.—The Combat Infantryman Badge for excellent performance of duty under enemy fire in Korea recently was awarded to Pfc. Joe R. Whiteside, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Whiteside of Sipe Springs, Texas.

He is a member of the 7th Infantry Division, the outfit which has seen action in every sector of the Korean fighting since landing at Inchon in September, 1950.

Whiteside, a member of Company G of the 31st Infantry Regiment, has served in Korea since last December.

He was a rancher before entering the Army in February, 1952.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. P. E. Buckley of Lawton, Oklahoma were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowers.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Hospitalized.
Mrs. Jess Moore, Cross Plains.
Bobby Zellars, City.
T. S. Holden, City.
Miss Emma Schoor, Rt. 2, Cisco.
Marvin West, City.
Mrs. L. D. Steel, N. M.
Dismissed.
Glenn Wilburn, Rt. 1.
Mrs. W. M. Loopey, City.
J. M. Jones, Cross Plains.
Mrs. W. C. Carter, Cross Plains.

Mrs. Pearl Henderson, City.
Mary Webb, Cross Plains.
Mrs. Christin King, Cross Plains.
Mrs. J. B. May, Sidney.
Mrs. Emil Ringhoffer, Cross Plains.
Mrs. Bell King, City.

Gorman Man's Wife Kills Herself With Razor Blade

GORMAN, March 25 (Special)—Mrs. Charles W. Gibbs, wife of Gorman's school superintendent, killed herself at her home here early Wednesday by slashing her throat with a razor blade.

Mrs. Gibbs, 36, mother of two, was found dead in the bathroom of her home after neighbors, summoned by her mother, broke through the locked door. A butcher knife and five razor blades were found in the blood stained laboratory.

Justice of Peace J. A. Boggus, who conducted an inquest, said she died of self-inflicted injuries. Her throat had been gashed at least three times with a razor blade, he said.

Members of her family said Mrs. Gibbs had been despondent lately because of illness.

Her husband had left the house only minutes earlier to open up the high school building and had planned to return home to accompany his wife to a hospital. Mrs. Gibbs, in the meantime, went to the bathroom and locked the door.

Her mother heard her fall and summoned neighbors when she couldn't budge the door.

Mrs. Gibbs moved with her husband to Gorman about four years ago from Glen Rose, where she was reared. Gibbs was made superintendent of schools here about a year ago after serving as high school principal three years.

Survivors include her husband, her mother, and two children, Chuck, 7, and Marilyn, 1.

Funeral was held at 10 a.m. last Thursday at the First Baptist Church here.

Burial in the Glen Rose cemetery.

Texas Dairy Farmers Must Advertise Their Products to Keep Going

AUSTIN.—An expanded and stronger program to protect and build the American dairy industry, particularly in Texas, was adopted at the 14th annual convention of the American Dairy Association in Chicago, Texas delegates reported this week.

"The Texas dairy farmer realizes more than ever before that he must support programs promoting and selling all dairy foods in order to build greater markets," he said.

The cooperative promotional program of the ADA which include advertising, merchandising research and public relations is also supported by a growing number of related food manufacturing companies.

Easter Services at Various Churches

SERVICES AT THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sincere Easter greetings from the minister and the church.

As we pause to reflect at this Easter Tide, we realize that the joy of Christian service comes through the resignation of the opportunities God has given us, to labor together, in the cause which Jesus gave his life.

Special Holy Week services began Wednesday, April the first and will run through Sunday evening. On Friday evening at the close of the service, a candle light communion service will be held.

Aspecial christening and dedication service for infants and children on the Easter Sunday hour.

A beautiful Easter cantata will be given Sunday evening with Mrs. Jay Koonce director. Mrs. Tom Lewis at the piano, with the Robed Choir singing. This Cantata is not only beautiful music but is also most worshipful. The Cantata will climax the Easter services.

We will be looking for you at these services which will begin at 7:30 P. M.

VOLLEY BALL GAMES TO BE PLAYED

Rising Star grade school volleyball team will journey to Cross Plains Thursday, April 2. The match will be played in the afternoon.

Monday night Cross Plains will tangle with the high school team of Rising Star here. The game will be at 7:30.

SAMPLE BALLOT

School Election to Be Held Saturday, April 4.

Two to Be Elected:

George Steel
J. T. Hopper

4-H Clubs TO Try Win Prizes - Trip Next November

Three national 4-H awards programs relating to conservation, beautification and insect control in rural areas have been approved by the State Club office for member participation in 1953. The programs are conducted under the direction of the Co-operative Extension Service.

Incentives for outstanding records of achievement comprise medals of honor for county winners and 17-jewel watches to the state winners in all three programs. In Entomology and Soil-and-Water Conservation, sectional winners are given all-expense trips to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago next November and national winners receive \$300 college scholarships. In Beautification of Home Grounds program, there are no sectional awards, but national winners receive trips to the 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

Additional awards in Soil-and-Water Conservation are a \$25 Defense Bond to the State winner in the Junior Division, and in the Demonstration phase of the program the state winning individual demonstrator and the two members of the state winning team each receive a fountain pen and pencil set.

Achievement figures for 1952 show that 140,000 4-H boys and girls beautified their farmsteads, and 192,000 club members received training in soil and water conservation practices. About 60,000 members participated in wildlife and nature study activities, including entomology.

The following names were filed with city secretary for a place on the city ballot.

CITY ELECTION ON TUESDAY, APRIL 7

Walter Smith for Mayor.

For City Aldermen, 2 year term:

Glen Henry.
B. B. Morris.
J. W. Roach.
W. A. Williams.

Mr. Williams is the only new man for the 2 year term.

For the 1 year term the following names were filed:

Mrs. Bessie Bowers.
Dan Deen.

SERVICES AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY

Morning Sermon—Testimonies concerning the Resurrection.

Evening Sermon—Remembering Christ. The Lord's Supper will be observed.

ANNOUNCING SPRING REVIVAL AT THE PIONEER BAPTIST CHURCH

A simultaneous revival will begin at the Pioneer Baptist Church on April 3rd running through the 12th, with Rev. Dan Whaley of Brownwood doing the preaching. On Sunday morning worship, lunch at the church at noon.

Easter egg hunt for the children, then at three there will be the ordination service of V. D. Mitchell to the office of Deacon, the pastor and members extend a cordial invitation to spend the entire day at the church in fellowship.

DONOR CARD

Certainly you can count on me to give blood for the defense of our country.

Specified age limits — 18 to 60.

Under 21 — written consent of both parents or husband/or wife. These rules are NOT flexible.

NAME _____ Date _____

ADDRESS _____ Telephone _____

IF SPECIFIC TIME DESIRED, PLEASE INDICATE _____

I (do), (do not) give permission for my blood type to be registered locally. (No charge is made for this service).

Take or Mail to Mrs. Tom Butler, Rising Star.

Silage Meeting to Be Held at Rising Star Monday Nite

Roger Simmons will speak at the agricultural building in Rising Star next Monday night at 8. In addition to his knowledge about making silage he will show a film that explains the actual operation of all stages of making this cheap feed. Mr. Rogers is an expert in his field and is employed by a feed and implement house in Dallas.

H. L. Geyer, who has taken the lead in getting the cattlemen interested in cheaper feed, is anxious that as many cattlemen as possible here him on next Monday night.

Dairymen are especially in this movement as they have had several meetings recently and some have completed plans to build trench silos and feed best adapted to their particular needs. Everyone is invited to this meeting.

Eastland County 4-H Club Day April 4th At County Site

The Eastland County boys and girls 4-H club show opened on March 23 with 163 home made electric lamps on exhibit in the Texas Electric Service Company office in Eastland. The lamps will be on exhibit until April 4th, it was said.

Judging will be held on April 2nd at 10:00 a.m. at which time the lamps will be classified in three groups. The lamps in each group will be awarded appropriate ribbons. In addition the makers of the four best lamps will be given rosettes and cash prizes of \$10.00, \$7.50, \$5.00 and \$2.50 respectively. Prizes are awarded by the Texas Electric Service Company, co-sponsors of the program. Mrs. Tom Joyce Cunningham, Stephens county home agent, and Mr. Tom Ward of Breckenridge will be the judges. They will judge the lamps on attractiveness, originality, construction and balance.

Results will be announced and prizes awarded at the gala 4-H rally day in Eastland on April 4th.

Twenty-two lamps were entered from the Rising Star 4-H clubs.

Farmers Advised About Fertilizer

COLLEGE STATION, March 31.—A situation, says M. K. Thornton, agricultural chemist for the Texas Extension Service, has developed in the fertilizer field which is causing concern among farmers. Ammonium nitrate, he says is in short supply but farmers should not fail to use a nitrogen fertilizer if one is needed to boost crop and pasture yields.

Thornton's recommendation for overcoming the existing shortage is to use ammonium sulphate. He says the supply of this material is plentiful and readily available. It contains 21 per cent nitrogen as compared to 33 per cent for the ammonium nitrate. To get the same amount of nitrogen in the soil, Thornton says, just apply one half more of the ammonium sulphate. In other words, 150 pounds of ammonium sulphate would contain the same amount of nitrogen as 100 pounds of the ammonium nitrate.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION TO BE HELD NEXT SATURDAY

Two names, George Steel and J. T. Hopper will appear on the official ballot of the school trustee election to be held Saturday. Both men are now members of the board.

THE RISING STAR RECORD

and the STAR THEATRE
Have guest tickets for J. I. Busbee and one
Route 2, Rising Star to see "The Blazing Forest" Friday, April 3
Present This Coupon At Box Office

Total \$117.50

Red Cross Lags In Fund Collection

Mrs. John Love, Red Cross fund campaign chairman announced today that a total of \$5,573.89 had been turned in by volunteer workers to date. Reports are incomplete. Mrs. Love stated that with a special effort on the part of all workers the quota could be met by March 31st. She went on to say that "Your best buy in March is a membership in Red Cross."

BUSINESS ON EVEN KEEL

By Roger W. Babson



Roger W. Babson

The volume of business today, as measured by my Composite Business Chart, is 19% above normal. This is 1 point below what it was last month and 8 points above what it was in March last year. Business for the last four months has been unusually stable, fluctuating only 2 points during that time. In August, 1952, the volume of business was 4 per cent below normal on account of strikes. From the low point for that year the volume climbed steadily upward until now we are again in a relatively high zone. The year 1952 closed at 18 per cent above normal and since that time the volume has been up 2 points.

The business boom that we have had for the past 13 years has been due largely to war and preparations for war. We have learned from recent experience that we can produce butter and guns at the same time. However, if there were a real Korean truce, business would lose that support and readjust to that condition. On the other hand, if the Korean War is intensified or

a World War III eventuates, business might boom. These are uncertain possibilities. Even though a Korean truce were effected, we would continue to produce defense material, which should hold business at high levels.

The Administration is moving rapidly to take the shackles off business and let economic forces operate freely once more. The fear of inflation is dwindling out and many commodity prices are declining. As this takes place, the value of the dollar increases. Governmental economy, looking toward a balanced budget and lower taxes, will cause some unemployment, but now nothing serious. Personal income hit a new high of 268 billion dollars in 1952. That and a favorable Administration should for a while sustain business at relatively high levels and alleviate the readjustment that may occur. The new Administration is now on optimistic factor to both business and labor; but we must not forget that Eisenhower got only 55 per cent of the popular vote.

shoulder and say he is "it". Neither had the Congressman any such latitude in the past.

The Civil Service Commission gives an examination for these positions. Regardless of the number who participate in the examination, only three can qualify. From these three, a recommendation can be made, but even so, there are limitations in connection with provisions of law favoring veterans. It should also be said that neither the Congressman nor, as the case is now, the Republican County Chairman, has anything to do with the examination or the grading of papers by the Civil Service Commission. If this were not true, there would be no need to hold an examination.

It is my hope that this brief explanation may be of help to the Republican County Chairman, who I understand will have this responsibility from now on.

Either next week or the following, unless other subjects appear to be more interesting at the time, it is my expectation to discuss what is commonly referred to as the Bricker Constitutional Amendment to prohibit the making of Treaties and Agreements by the President with foreign nations which could have the effect of superseding Constitutional law. It is a current controversial question in the Congress and one which will draw considerable attention in the future.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN H. PERRY BUY RUTLEDGE FARM EAST OF RISING STAR

Rising Star welcomes Mr. and Mrs. John H. Perry of Phoenix, Ariz., who have just recently purchased the James Albert Rutledge farm a few miles east of town.

Mr. Perry has been associated with the Mathew Bender & Co., as sales representative of Albany, N. Y. for a number of years. He states that it is his intention of retiring and taking things easy. Mrs. Perry is a very pleasant lady and says she loves to fish. Mrs. Hicks has already dated the lady up for a fling at this happy sport.

The Record invited Mr. Perry into the Chamber of Commerce where the new president, Bill Button and other members will find something for him to do. Speaking for the club women we feel they will find a place for her.

BE YOURS TO HOLD IT HIGH



Down Memory Lane...

MARCH 29, 1938

The Rising Star Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Club is the newest civic organization having been formed the past week with 63 charter members. Messrs. W. H. Kilgore, president and Frank Robertson, secretary. These gentlemen, with the help of a few others spent only a half day in securing the names.

Fred Eberhardt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Eberhardt of this city is making quite a record as a baseball pitcher at A & M College. He has been dubbed by his team mates as "Dizzy" Vance, a great player in the National league.

Workmen the past week began the erection of a new home for Perry Valliant, his place having recently been destroyed by fire.

Robert Hill, last of the Cisco bank robbers received a 99 year sentence in district court and is now comfortably situated at Huntsville.

Bernal Hickox of this city will wrestle Dick Peters of Cross Plains at Pioneer tonight. This is to be a feature attraction.

Honoring Mrs. P. L. McLauren, formerly Miss Sammy Smith whose marriage occurred recently in Rising Star. Mrs. Floyd Joyce entertained with a surprise shower Monday afternoon.

J. Baker, Brown county farmer, has begun his duties as trapper of wolves according to A. L. Nunn, president of the Wolf club.

MARCH 31, 1938

After an illness of only ten days, J. W. "Uncle Jim" Clark, 85, passed away at his home here early Friday morning. "Uncle Jim" became ill only a couple of days after celebrating his 85th birthday. He made his home in Rising Star for 60 years.

Neal Wood and Fred Siekman, used car salesman for the Butler Chevrolet Company, are this week smiling quite broadly upon receipt of some very nice prizes won in the used car contest conducted during the past six months.

Fine rain covers wide section of Rising Star area. Yes, it measured 1.95 inches in gauge at Gus Bowden farm a few miles south of town.

A rattle snake drive was begun on Copperas creek last week. More than 100 snakes were killed by men with shot guns.

The garden club met in the home of Mrs. Hubert Jones on Tuesday. The following were present: Mesdames Siekman, Roberts, Berry, Smith, Foster, Cox, Landreth, Morrison, Sneary, Small, Jones, Harris, Camp, Bucy, Chrisley and Chastain. Refreshments were served.

The drilling campaign around Rising Star got under way this week with the spudding in Monday of the P. C. Larkin No. 4. The well is located 3 miles northwest of town and is being drilled by rotary equipment. Marian Harvey was reported moving in on the A. O. Angel tract four miles west of May.

BEN R. WILSON'S NEW HAMPSHIRE HENS LAY EXTRA LARGE EGGS

Mr. Ben R. Wilson is the proud owner of nine New Hampshire hens that are laying extra large eggs even for that strain. L. B. Hughes, a son-in-law of Mr. Wilson brought the Record office two eggs that weighed nearly one half pound. Size of the largest egg was 8 inches by 6 inches. The editor smacked his lips when he saw the hen fruit, but lo and behold that man just walked out with the eggs in his pocket. Hope he broke 'em before he got home.

Plant at least one acre of temporary summer pasture for each animal unit on the farm.



The 1953 Easter Seal Appeal was launched in Texas today by Tony Mikeska of Taylor when he sold the first sheet of Easter Seals to Attorney General John Ben Sheppard in Austin. Tony, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin H. Mikeska, is a victim of cerebral palsy due to a birth injury. When Tony began his therapy treatments at the Austin Cerebral Palsy Center five years ago, he couldn't even sit alone. Now with the aid of braces he can walk.

Tony is typical of the thousands of crippled children being helped to more useful living by the Texas Society for Crippled Children and their ninety-two county affiliates through gifts and donations to the annual Easter Seal Appeal—March 5 through April 5.

Dairymen Must Cut Operation Cost To Make A Profit

COLLEGE STATION, March 25.—Plans should be made now says R. E. Burleson, dairy husbandman for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, to provide the dairy herd with ample pasture and forage during the next 12 to 15 months. At least one acre of sudan for summer grazing, six tons of silage and two tons of hay for each cow in the herd, should be the minimum goal, he adds.

The first step in the forage program, believes the specialist, is to collect and submit soil samples for testing not only from crop land but pastures as well. Soils, he says, can be over or under fed the same as a dairy cow and the only accurate way for determining what is needed in the soil, is through soil testing.

Competition and milk prices, says Burleson, are factors which are now calling the signals in the dairy industry. To meet the situation, operations must be made more efficient. The dairyman, he says, who puts into practice the known methods for cutting costs will continue to make a profit from his operations.

In addition to growing most of the roughage at home, another mighty important consideration for the dairyman is the growing of replacements for the herd. It takes as long to raise a heifer as it does to build a battleship, so do a good job, advises Burleson.

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OWNER of the BALTIC
• THE BALTIC, U.S. PADDLE-WHEEL LUXURY LINER OF HER DAY, WON THE TRANS-ATLANTIC SPEED RECORD FOR STEAMERS IN AUGUST, 1852. HER VOYAGE TOOK 9 DAYS, 13 HOURS. HER AVERAGE SPEED WAS 13.34 KNOTS.

SAMUEL SAMUELS
HER MASTER

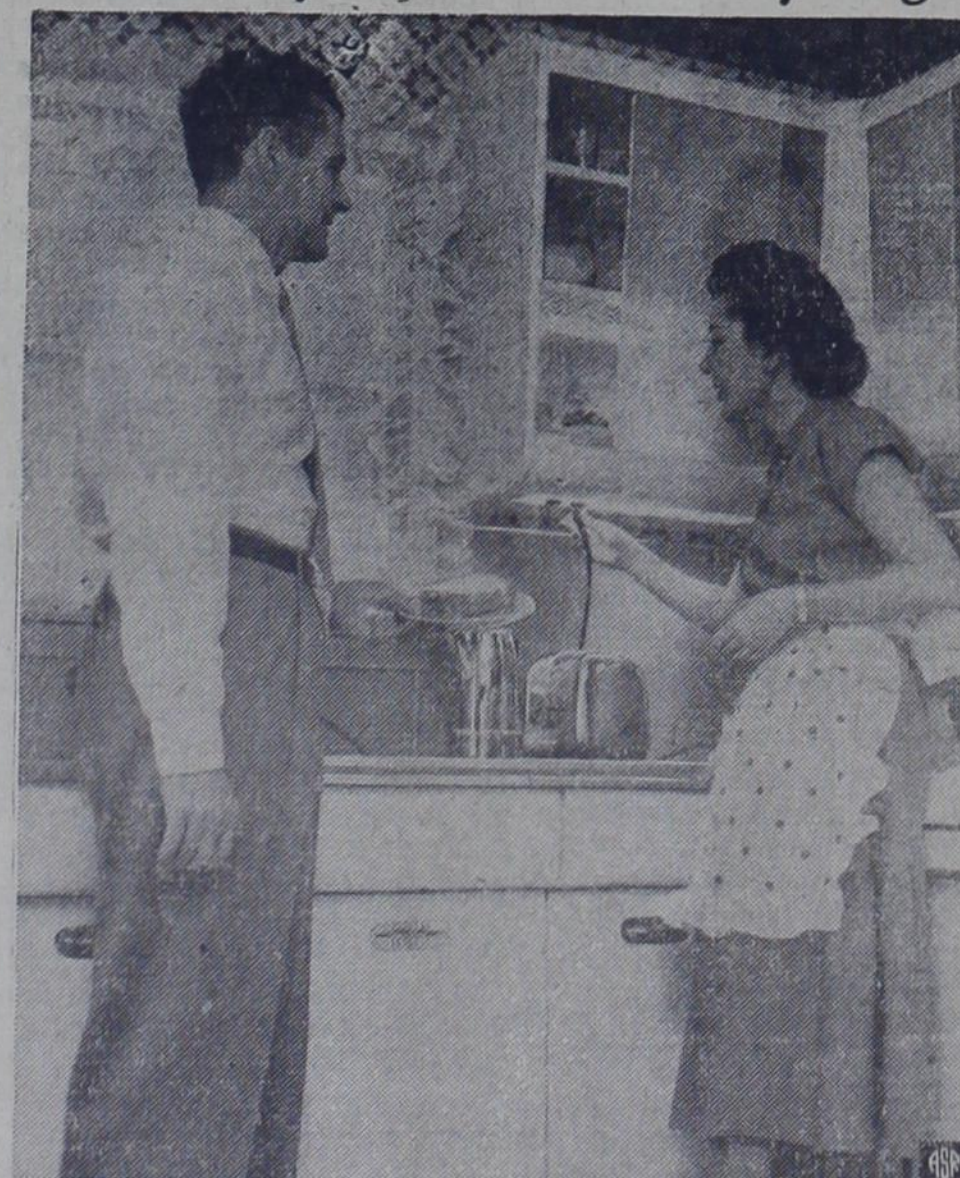
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MASTER

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• THE DREADNOUGHT, MOST FAMOUS OF ALL ATLANTIC SAILING PACKETS.

• THE SUPERLINER UNITED STATES, WORLD'S FASTEST SHIP, WHOSE SPEED RECORDS HAVE ADDED PRESTIGE TO THE ENTIRE AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE.

Now They've Electrified Everything!



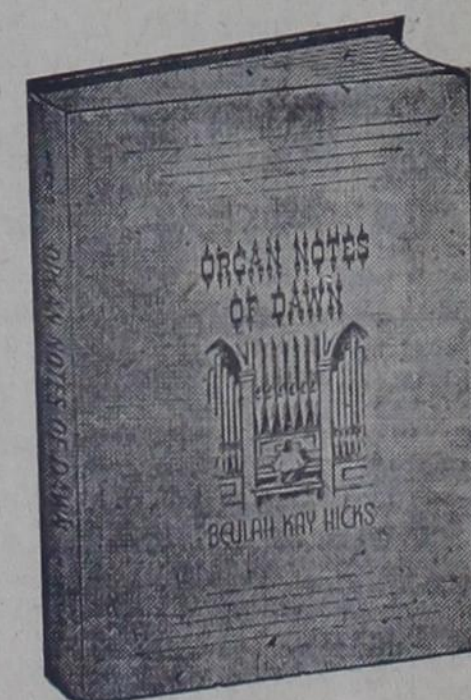
New applications of electricity to household and farm use have made the business of everyday living continually easier through the years, from such major projects as mass milking operations, to things as simple as toasting a piece of bread. Now they've even electrified the kitchen cabinet itself. A new fixture called a "totalite," which fits in the base of these unusually-styled glass-door "pantryettes," has a two-way fluorescent light, and convenient electrical outlets to plug in the toaster, coffee-maker or electric mixer. The light illuminates both counter-top below, and the interior of the "pantryette."

Easter Bunny Comes In Style Pulling An Ice Cream Cart



What fun for the family to make an Easter egg cart out of ice cream, drawn by a team of bright-eyed bunny cookies! A perfect cart is the block-shaped carton of pre-packaged ice cream so conveniently available in your grocery or drug store. Buy either a pint or half-gallon of your favorite flavor, depending on your family's size and appetite. To make the Easter bunny cookies, follow directions for your favorite sugar cookie recipe. Cut half the dough with a bunny cookie cutter, and remaining half with a round cutter. After baking, place bunnies upright on base in small mound of confectioners' sugar frosting. Place block-shaped ice cream on serving platter. Mound shredded coconut on top of ice cream to resemble Easter nest; fill nest with jelly beans. Place chocolate mint patties on sides for wheels, and put bunnies in front. For individual carts, cut each pint of ice cream into 3 or 4 blocks, use two mint patties for wheels.

A Good Book Is a Long Enjoyed



EASTER GIFT

ESPECIALLY ONE THAT WILL BE READ OVER AND OVER.

THIS BOOK IS CATALOGED AS A RARE BOOK AND PLACED IN THE McKIE COLLECTION IN THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS.

MRS. HICKS, AT THE RECORD OFFICE, IS THE AUTHOR.

The Book Is Captioned:

"A Book of Simple Beauty"—See it at GERALDINE'S NEWS STAND or at THE RECORD OFFICE.

—DANCE—

EVERY

Saturday Night

Music by Lone Star Rhythmers

Starting at 8:30

Sponsored by the

Smith-Slaughter Post

V. F. W.

at the hall in

Pioneer, Texas

From Rural Correspondents

RISING STAR RECORD

Thursday, April 5, 1953

Sipe Spring News

By Mrs. Newman Jones

The Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Guy Houser Friday, March 27 with seven members present and one visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Boon of Cisco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Millwee.

Mr. and Mrs. Baso Winfrey of Sundown spent the week end with his father, Charlie Winfrey.

Frank Jr. Whitlock was in Eastland last week to visit his granddad, Ruff Caggle.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Screws of Little River visited her brother, Dick Wyatt Sunday.

Mrs. Polly Mitham, Billie and Donna of Houston visited in the home of Mrs. A. D. Jones over the week end.

Mrs. Buck Jones was called to the bed side of her brother at Mount Pleasant Saturday who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Minor Elliott of Fort Worth spent Sunday with Mrs. Charlie McKeehan.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Houser visited in Bangs one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Picture of Weatherford spent the week end with Mrs. Lee Potest.

Mrs. Tommie Crawford of Eastland visited her mother, Mrs. Mazie Zellars Wednesday.

Mr. Frank Weaver of Dallas visited in home of his son, T. A. Weaver last week.

Mrs. A. D. Jones, Sis, Polly and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jones of Cross Plains Tuesday night.

Mrs. C. G. Warren and daughters of Gorman visited her daughter, Mrs. Newman Jones Sunday.

Mrs. N. L. Lenard visited her mother, Mrs. J. P. Rize of Gorman Sunday.

Family gathering at Mr. and Mrs. Guy Houser's Sunday, Mar. 8. Those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas of Louisville, Ky. and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Morgan and Mrs. Beulah Carter, Mrs. Marcie Bell of Marlin, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hardwicke of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Thomas and boys of

Owens, Mrs. A. C. Dickerson of Amarillo.

Amity

By Mrs. O. J. Reynolds

The community club social and supper at the club house Saturday night was well attended and enjoyed by all.

Visitors in the Harold Pierson home Sunday were Mrs. Pierson's mother, Mrs. Maude Grissom and a brother, Hamon Grissom of Rock and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Murphree and sons of Williams.

David Willis of Comanche spent Sunday with Darrell Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Flannagan of Fort Worth visited in the Perry Mullis home last week end.

New people moving into the community recently are Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gossett and three small children from Mexico, on the John Plummer place and Mrs. Etna Lassater and son, Nannon from near May to the place formerly owned by the Elvis Moores.

Perry Mullis, Jr. celebrated his birthday Sunday with a dinner at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mullis in May with several friends and relatives present.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds and children of Merkel visited in the O. J. Reynolds home Sunday.

NOTICE TO OUR READERS

With the latest raise in prices of white news prints of \$10 per ton it has become necessary that all complimentary copies of the paper be removed from the list. We hate to do this but have no other way to take up the slack.

All advertisers will be furnished tear sheets of their advertisements when billed. The price of the paper will remain the same \$2 in a radius of 50 miles and \$3 elsewhere. Those going out of the state just about pay for the postage. The present publishers are doing their best to give the people a good paper—we have reduced the price over the counter to 5 cents and are each week mailing out over 100 more than previously printed and the list is growing weekly.

Thanks a lot for everything and we trust all will understand.

Cut Flowers.—Barefield Florist.

PIONEER NEWS

By A. O. (Slim) Harris

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dean left last Wednesday for Enid, Oklahoma to be at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Ida Dean who has been in ill health for several months. Mrs. Dean passed away last Thursday afternoon, and was buried on Saturday; Mrs. Dean was 82 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pancake spent Sunday at the home of their son, Billy Pancake in Cross Plains.

Mrs. W. H. Phillips, Mrs. H. N. Harris visited relatives in Coleman last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Marshall visited their daughter, Mrs. Jack Stout and family in the May community last week.

Noel Muse who has been serving in the U. S. Army is home after receiving a discharge.

Mrs. W. R. Gibson has been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Anderson at May.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rasco of Sweetwater visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Harris last Sunday.

Grandpa and Gramma Shirley now have a back yard full of grandsons. Tommy Paul King of Cross Plains arrived last Tuesday March 23rd. It's about time for the walking canes and rocking chairs to go into use at the Shirley home, as they now have three fine grandsons to furnish a world of pleasure from here on.

Jesse Brown and Mack Gray are polishing up their combines this week preparatory to entering the flax fields in South Texas near Alice where they will begin the harvest next week.

Rev. Quint Farley and family of Brownwood were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fore last Sunday.

Easter Sunday program at the Baptist Church, everyone is cordially invited.

Mr. W. L. Lee, who was rushed to the Coleman hospital the earlier part of the week is back at home somewhat improved.

Gordon Lee and Britton Underwood accompanied their father, Leman Underwood for a boating trip on the Brownwood lake last Sunday, the boys report a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Griffith, of Jal, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Webb of Weatherford visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Griffith last Sunday.

Lunchroom Menus

MONDAY, April 6: Lima beans, scalloped potatoes, with cheese topping, greens, and grapefruit salad, corn bread, apple brown betty and milk.

TUESDAY, April 7: Barbecued ham chunks, potato salad, steamed carrots, enriched white bread, honey gingerbread and milk.

WEDNESDAY, April 8: Turkey patties, creamed carrots, seasoned mixed greens, onions and pickles, whole wheat bread, peanut butter, stewed prunes and milk.

THURSDAY, April 9: Fried liver and onions, buttered peas, corn, tomato slices, enriched white bread, cherry cobbler and milk.

FRIDAY, April 10: Cheeseburger, whipped potatoes, green beans, orange and grapefruit salad, peanut butter cookie and milk.

OKRA NEWS

Mrs. Carl Burns

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marsh were in Cisco Friday on business and to visit their daughter's family, Mrs. Revis Gregg.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Shan Medford, and Mr. and Mrs. Author Wolf went fishing Monday down on the Colorado River. They reported a nice catch of fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Guss Earp were in Eastland Sunday afternoon and visited Mrs. Earp's sister, Mrs. Nova Pafford.

Mrs. Horace Witt and Mrs. Jim Christian were in Brownwood Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roley Earp visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Phillips of Rising Star Sunday. The Phillips' were one time neighbors of the Earp's living on the Barnes place near them.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelsie House of Rising Star were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Earp.

Mrs. Ada Butler of Rising Star spent Sunday in the home of Joe Butler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns visited in the T. N. Goodwin home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Altizer and daughter of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shan Medford. Mrs. Bob Edwards returned home with them for a week's visit.

Carolyn Cawley and Glenda Sue Burns were guests Sunday of Jetta Butler of Elm community.

Out of the community people attending the 50th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Edd McClesley were: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Edwards, Mrs. A. L. Smith, Herman Gregg, Bobby Acker and son, Jimmy of Eastland, Bob Housh of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Acker of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reed of Long Branch community, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cawley of Elm community.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Kirkland and children, Ronald, Donald and Linda Gayle of San Antonio were week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Kirkland.

Mrs. Addie Culwell has had her sister, Mrs. Ida Norris of Selma, California as a visitor for several days. Mrs. Norris came to be at the bedside of her brother, Joe McKinley, in the hospital but is now improving at home. Sunday, Mrs. Norris' daughter and husband of Irwin, Mrs. Culwell's son, Lee Culwell and wife of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Rutherford, Mrs. Hub and Mrs. Geo. Flippen and children, all of Baird were dinner guests in the Culwell home.

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Club Boys Place In County Stock Show at Eastland

Following is list of placings of Rising Star FFA and 4-H club members in county livestock show at Eastland March 28th.

FAT STEERS.

Prime—Jerry Davis (2 head), Rhea Erwin.

Choice—Glenda Witt, Freddy Joiner, Malon Sheffield.

Good—Jerald Maynard. Medium—Frank Weathers, Bobby Elliott.

Reserve Champion—Jerry Davis. Grand Champion—Charlotte Hilley, Gorman.

FAT BARROWS.

Choice—Jerry Winfrey (2 head), Pat Agnew.

Good—Billy Conner (2 head), Donald Westerman, Eddie Harding (2 head), Burl Bailey.

Medium—Billy Conner, Burl Bailey.

BREEDING SWINE.

3rd Place Duroc Gilt—Sandra Bradley.

1st place Duroc boar (under six months)—Eddie Bradley.

Grand Champion Female—Pat Agnew.

3rd Place Duroc gilt—Donald Westerman (over six months).

FAT LAMBS.

Prime—C. W. Butler (2 head).

Choice—C. W. Butler, FFA chapter (2 head), Wesley Moore.

Good—C. W. Butler, FFA Chapter (2 head), Wesley Moore (3 head).

Medium—FFA Chapter (4 head), Wesley Moore.

DAIRY ANIMALS.

Bue Ribbon.

Glen Winfrey (2 head), Jerry Winfrey (2 head).

Red Ribbon.

Durwood Fussell.

White Ribbon.

Jerry Winfrey.

Farm Ownership Meeting Held At Rising Star

The farm ownership annual meeting was held at the vocational agriculture building in Rising Star, Texas. This is a group of farm ownership borrowers who have borrowed money from the government with which to buy their farms. There are 18 of these farmers in Eastland County.

George I. Lane reported a very fine program:

(1) Source of incomes (whether from farm crops, livestock or poultry, farm oil leases, timber, gravel, labor or off of farm income. (2) The chart shows the percent of income from each source. (3) These statistics or analysis shows cost of production as well as returns of cash from each source of returns.

At the noon hour the group enjoyed a very fine lunch and hot coffee. Mr. W. W. White, of the Dallas office gave a talk on "Farm Outlook" for 1953. Mr. Ray Brown, County supervisor of Wise county showed a film produced by the Texas Jersey Cattle growers Association which it was said costed \$25,000 to film.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffman of Home Management department of the Farmers Home Administration, Dallas presented an educational part of the program. Colored slides were shown about gardens.

District supervisor, Herman F. Myatt, state office, Dallas made a summary of the day's program.

Present were Mr. Chester Ervin, Damon D. Jones, Leonard L. Lewis, Roland Earp, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bostick, Rocky Erwin, Nick Duggan. From the local office: Mr. George I. Lane, Co. supervisor William B. Beeson, assistant county supervisor Elmer

L. Purtle, assistant county supervisor and Miss Betty Pickens, assistant county clerk. Since June 30, 1952 the Farmers Home Administration office in Eastland county has loaned \$93,915.00 for disaster loans and \$90,770.00 for our regular operating loans.

CORRECTION.

The Pioneer H. D. Club did not purchase the club house as mentioned in the Record last week. The deed was a gift. The club house will be used as a community house.



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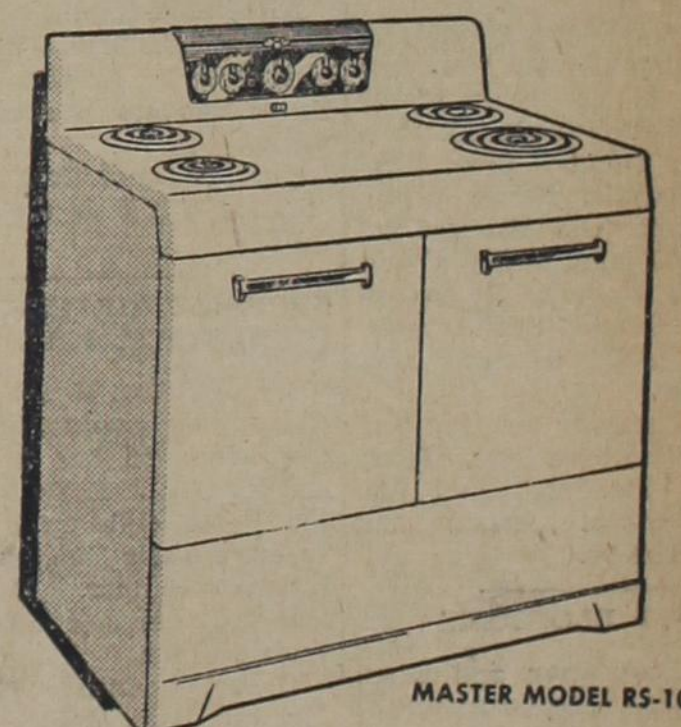
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SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MRS. RUCKER

Mrs. Alice Rucker was honored and pleasantly surprised Thursday afternoon in her home with a "Friendship Shower." She was driven into town by her husband, when she returned a host of friends had gathered for the surprise.

Games were played, the prizes won were presented to the honoree, which were potted plants. She was also presented a lovely bouquet of pink gladiolus along with her other gifts.

After the gifts were opened and admired by everyone, refreshments of open food sandwiches, whiffen chips, cookies and ice cream was served by the hostess, Mrs. Cecil Bostick to Mmes: Deward Maynard, Troy Lamb, Delbert Tarver, Walter Denton, Cecil Carter, Brice Webb, Ross Tarver, Cecil Kile, Will Swan, Joan Kile, Jennie Tarver and the honoree, Alice Rucker. Those sending gifts were Shirley Tarver, Joan Barnes, A. B. Reed family and Mrs. Delores Turner, Bakersfield, Calif.

4-H CLUB GIRLS TO RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS

COLLEGE STATION, March 31.—Two club members from Coleman and McLennan counties have achieved top honors for 4-H club work in Texas.

Foyd Lynch, state 4-H club leader for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, announced Barbara Golsen, Coleman county, and Sandra Kirkland, McLennan county, have been chosen to receive the two scholarship awards, valued at \$500 each, awarded yearly by the Texas Home Demonstration Association.

Barbara will receive the Maggie W. Barry award offered annually for the last 27 years. Sandra will be presented the newer Helen H. Swift scholarship. Both come from the special fund donated by voluntary contributions from each of the 40,000 home demonstration club members in Texas. The scholarships may be used by the girls in any accredited, four year college in the state, and will be available for the school year beginning in September.

PLEASANT HILL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. HAILE

Mrs. Edith Bostick, Reporter The club met in the home of Mrs. Virgil Haile, on March 23 for the regular meeting with 12 members present.

After the roll call and a short business session the program was turned over to the County Home Demonstration agent Miss Mildred Daniels. Good light and more comfort living was her subject. Colored slides were shown to illustrate her subject. She also showed us samples of insulation board and how to patch a screen.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Virgil Haile using Easter as her color theme to Mmes. Edith Bostick, Ida Morton, Bessie Tucker, Cleo Rice, Merle Campbell, Nettie Berry, Bonnie Pierce, Ola Boles, Opal Horne, Bela Tucker, Billie Woods, guests Miss Daniels, Bemedeon Campbell, Glenda Ruth Pierce, and little granddaughter of Mrs. Bela Tucker.

The next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Nettie Berry on Thursday, April 9th. Regular meetings second and fourth Thursdays.

SPRING BLOSSOMS

Riding about town and peeping in yards reveals a lot of beauty. In the J. F. Robertson yard are many items of colorful beauty.

The most outstanding is the Wisteria tree. The limbs, form a perfect umbrella and fairly drip long bunches of the purple wisteria. Tulips, narcissus and other spring flowers add a note of color.

Mrs. M. S. Sellers has a lot of the vine wisteria, equally beautiful. A number of flowering shrubs outline her back flower garden along with many trees and green grass.

The Sellers vegetable garden is also green with many vegetables outlining long straight rows.

Mrs. O. R. Shults has a wisteria vine growing high on a tree. The purple blossoms make a trail some thirty feet high. All over Rising Star beautiful lawns and flowers greet the onlooker giving much pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Somerford had as their week end guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller and children of Breckenridge.

G. A. NEWS

The girls auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met Friday, Mar. 27th with seven girls answering roll call.

Vice-president, Bennie Sue Morris, called the meeting to order. Sandra Lea Erwin led in prayer. Mrs. N. Jones read Psalm 115 for the devotional.

We made plans for a prayer calendar and worked on our forward steps. We all want to be ready to pass our work before the reviewing counsel. We are working to be a maident by G. A. focus week in May.

Mrs. Lee Clark played for us as we sang several songs and the meeting was closed by prayer led by Mrs. Jack Gryder. —Reporter

NORA LEE SMITH SENDS EASTER POEM

Nora Lee Smith is a well known Texas poet. She has contributed to the Good Housekeeping Magazine, The Ladies' Home Journal and many others. She lives between Gorman and De Leon.

Her health has been bad for the past few years but her love of poetry and putting it into words is still her hobby and delight.

AMITY H. D. CLUB REPORT

Mrs. Guy Taylor, Reporter Mrs. Buster Brown was hostess to the Amity H. D. club on March 23 with 12 members present, Miss Carlson, H. D. agent and the following visitors: Mesdames Edward Watkins, Perry Mullis, Walter Henderson and Richards, the latter being a new resident of the community. All these ladies have been invited to join the club.

After routine matters Miss Carlson brought a very interesting demonstration on loaf breads. From the many remarks of all who sampled the bread as very good, Miss Carlson is an expert. After taking score on the bread a fine record or score was given Miss Carlson.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mesdames Homer Smith, and Mrs. Baggett. During the social hour belated "get well cards" were presented to Mesdames Oscar White, I. A. White and Brown.

The regular club gift was drawn by Mrs. E. R. West from Mrs. Fox which were three attractive ash trays. Collection for this and the birthday dues for March helped increase the club fund.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Homer Smith on April 7.

CROSS CUT ARTS AND CRAFT CLUB ENJOYS SOCIAL

The Arts and Craft Club at Cross Cut enjoyed their monthly social at the club room on March 24th. The Easter theme was carried out in the club room.

After table games were played. The hostesses Mrs. Alton, Mathis, Mrs. Ferril Newton and Mrs. Bruce Sanders served refreshments.

The Arts and Craft Club contributed \$22.73 to the Red Cross fund.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER FOR MRS. SEALE

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindley of the Amity community were in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Seale Sunday. All the Seale children came in to surprise their mother with a birthday dinner. They had a lovely dinner and many gifts for their mother.

Other children present were Mr. and Mrs. James Seale and family of Sidney and Bob Seale from Louisiana. Another relative, Mrs. D. M. Seale was reported as making a great improvement in health.

S. S. CLASS ENJOYS SPRING PICNIC

The King's Daughters S. S. Class, junior department of the Baptist Church, with their teacher, Mrs. L. H. Morrison, enjoyed a picnic Tuesday afternoon on the Roberds' ranch north of town.

After a number of games were played the class enjoyed picnic lunch of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, cookies and punch.

Those present were: Sandra Erwin, Tressie Chambers, Alice Roberts, Joan Fisher, Danelia Darnell, Bennie Sue Morris, Mary Lois White, Karen Steel, Betty Grace Jenkins, Billie Jo Hammet, Mrs. Morrison and three visitors, Mrs. B. B. Morris, La Veda Boggs and Judy Alford.

Mrs. J. C. Honea spent the week end in Dublin visiting relatives and friends.

STORY OF THE DOGWOOD TREE

(Nora Lee Smith.)

Perhaps you too, at your parents knee
Heard the solemn story of the dogwood tree,
When its delicate trunk was huge and grand—
Magnificent as an oak in our Holy Land.

From the hardy tree a cross was made
Our Lord to crucify in guilt, degrade.
As suspended there for all to see
None could sense His great humility.

Some trembled, wept, at His awful pain
But He promised this "Hour" No—never again
No man shall suffer pain or loss
From the dogwood formed into a cross.

It profusely 'decks the country side
Its grace and beauty's known far and wide
But the famous leaf like this downy floss
We shall ever recall as the form of a cross.

On the outmost edge where our Savior bled
You'll find there nail prints tinted red.
Each dogwood center was a thorny crown
That adorned His head when they took Him down.

Far more than beauty you can see
This was His day on calvary,
But His coming forth on Easter morn—
New faith and hope to men were born.

Amity Party — Large Crowd Attends Family Night at Amity

Amity, according to French scholars in this area means love, friendship and all that's good—it was proven last Saturday night when neighbors and friends came together to break bread, fellowship and play games. It was very pleasant evening for all.

Amity club house is now located just east of the cemetery and is the result of the generosity of Mr. I. W. Robertson who gave the community the right and privilege to use the old homestead that he built in 1904 as a club house. The Robertson family moved to the Henry place where they have lived for many years. The place is very comfortable—gas and lights and the women are now planning to touch up the premises a bit and make it more homelike.

A splendid dinner (supper to this writer) was served to the following:

Messrs. and Mesdames Homer Smith, S. N. Haynes, Mary and Martha, I. A. White, E. R. West, A. H. Brown and Kent, A. D. Jenkins, G. A. Gossett, Alma, G. A. and Gayland, Guy Taylor, Everette Harris, James Armstrong and Eddie, Herbert Herbert Henry, J. B. Caudle and Delwin, Perry Mullis and Jimmy, O. J. Reynolds, Bonnie and Maurine, Vera Beth and Janet Watkins, Martin Joyce and F. D. Hicks, Rising and Mrs. R. L. Flanagan, Fort Worth.

Mrs. S. L. Myers and Ramona, Mrs. Grace Perry, Miss Elizabeth Robertson, Mr. I. W. Robertson, Walter Henderson, Mrs. Beryl Heath. Miss Ramona Myers recited several appropriate numbers that were very much appreciated.

MANY SUNDAY VISITORS IN WARE HOME

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ware last Sunday were their children, Wayman Ware of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ware, Graham; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Ware and children, Mrs. L. M. White, all of Rising Star, A. C. White of Cisco, a sister-in-law, Mrs. Tom White, San Angelo, who will be here for some time and friends Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Prestrige and Winnie Sue of Eastland and Mrs. Ruth Claborn of Okra.

RIISING STAR BOY TO MARRY IN BROWNWOOD ON APRIL 5TH

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Guthrie, 408 Milton, have announced the approaching marriage of their daughter, Nelda, to Troy Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bailey, Rising Star. The bride-elect, a graduate of Blanket High School is attending business school in Abilene, where she is employed as a secretary. The prospective bridegroom, a graduate of Rising Star High School, is attending business college in Abilene and is assistant manager of the St Addington's Parking Lot. Wedding vows will be solemnized at the home of the bride-elect's parents, April 5 at 10 a.m. —Brownwood Bulletin

MRS. TOM STEEL TO CELEBRATE HER BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Tom Steel's relatives and friends, for a number of years, have helped her to celebrate her birthday.

Her birthday falls on Sunday, April 12, this year. Everyone is invited to attend and bring a covered dish, and make this a great day for this good friend and neighbor. Remember the date—Sunday, April 12th.

UNION CENTER

Reporter, Mrs. Lela Ham Mrs. Lela Ham, of Union Center, her son Murry and wife and baby visited Capt. and Mrs. C. M. Wells of Austin. Mrs. Wells is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Ham. While there they saw the Governor's mansion, those beautiful chandeliers in each room; also silvery crystal glass and large mirrors. The museum and the homes on the hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Criswell visited their son, Joe at A & M College. The agriculture boys were having their stock show. Cows, bulls, sheep, chickens and more. Joe showed them all the things of interest. The returned very happy but want to go back and see more.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Maynard entertained with bride's shower for Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kent, nee Frances Lyon. A large crowd attended. Many nice useful gifts were received. Thomas, Doyle, and Dwight Loyd rendered some very fine music. Cake, cookies, punch and coffee was served. Mr. and Mrs. Kent are making their in Kermit. We wish them a long and happy life. Co-hostess was Mrs. Bill Maynard.

ing room lighting by Miss Daniels.

She also showed slides on proper living room arrangements and furnishings.

Refreshment plates of ritz sandwiches, cookies and cokes were served to the following: Mmes. Oral Davis, Paul Cawley, Carl Burns, Joe Butler, Jim Christian, Douglas Burns, Jim Cawley, Horace Witt, R. M. Earp, Rufus Cox, J. R. Cox and Miss Mildred Daniels.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Horace Witt.

As reporter, I would like to extend my apologies to Mrs. Carl Burns for not turning in a report on the club meeting in her home in Feb. Due to illness I was unable to attend.

It was an all day meeting and members spent most of the day

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quilt. The quilt was not finished but the following week several of the members returned and the quilt is now ready for sale.

Pvt. Kenneth Malone has just finished Signal Service Technical training at San Luis Obispo, Calif. and is here for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Mollie Barefield and other relatives before he has to report at Stone-man, Calif on April 10. He has his orders to be sent to the Far East on his return to camp.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. West are announcing a great grandson, born March 21 at San Diego, Calif. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Henson, we did not learn the young man's name. His mother is the daughter of Mrs. Ralph Fitzgerald, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. West of the Amity community.

W. A. Stewart of route one dropped by the Record office last Saturday to renew his paper and get acquainted. Glad he came in.

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WE AGAIN WISH YOU HAPPINESS IN THIS HAPPY EASTER TIME.



Higginbotham's



Red Cross Funds \$200 Short of Amount Asked

Frank Robertson in making a canvass of the city for Red Cross funds reported at the Chamber of Commerce meeting on Tuesday that unless more people helped and others stopped cutting their last year pledges the quota of \$650 would be cut in half. It is serious said Robertson, as we have always met our quota and more and this time to fall would certainly be a black eye for our city.

Mr. Robertson further stated that anyone who had witnessed the aftermath of a cyclone and then go back a year later and see what the Red Cross had done to help the unfortunate victims of the storm would certainly think before they refused to help or cut their contribution. He also said that he believed that after the people had time to think it over they would come in with their aid.

The overall picture for the county is that we are still about \$2,000 short of the quota for the county.

streams and restores ponds and tanks which have been dry for months.

The moisture is expected to be particularly beneficial in West Texas, said the Executive Secretary. Some areas there had not had sizable rains for more than a year. In deep southwest Texas, the drought had become so acute that some species of animals were dying from thirst and starvation.

One immediate effect of the soaking rain in West Texas was announcement of plans by Mari-on Toole, Chief Aquatic Biologist, for possible resumption of production by the San Angelo State Fish Hatchery. He said if enough water is caught from the runoff, brood bass now confined to holding quarters, may be moved to normal spawning tanks. There still is time, he explained, for "a fair 1953 bass production" at that hatchery with consequent stocking of revived lakes and streams or restored farm tanks.

Game bird authorities likewise weighed the importance of the new moisture. Ernest G. Marsh, Assistant Director of Wildlife Restoration for the Game and Fish Commission, said quail are about to pair off and begin mating. Particularly severe dry spells, he said, discourage quail from even planning a family because of lack of nesting cover and absence of food and water.

Eugene Walker, Wildlife Biologist, said wild turkeys also react to moisture at this period since they are breaking up from flocks and beginning their mating activities.

The 14th annual meeting of the Texas Safety Association will be held at the Rice Hotel in Houston on March 30-31. The Farm and Ranch section meets at 2 p. m. on March 30.

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SLEEP sounder, healthier, on a modern mattress; all cotton carded like quilt bats. Write Western Mattress Company P. O. Box 1130, San Angelo, Texas, or leave call at Sutherland Cities Service Station, Rising Star, Texas. Make sure the Truck is Western. 2-19-tfc

FOR SALE—Practically new table top electric range. Star Electric. 1-tfc

FOR RENT—House and garden. 2½ miles southwest of Rising Star. See Ola McBride, Route 1, May, Texas. 3-26-5tp

WOMEN WANTED—To address a and mail postals. Make over \$50 week. Send \$1 for instructions. Lendo, Watertown, Mass. 3-26-3tp

WANTED—To sharpen hedge shears, scissors, paring knives and things in that line. Also have lawn mower wheels for sale. L. W. Mayfield, near Ward School. 3-26-2tp

IT'S BABY CHICK TIME AGAIN—Come in and see what we are going to have and place your order for what you want. The first hatch off December 12, and a hatch off every week through the season. Rising Star Hatchery. 2-6-tfc

FOR SALE—80 acre farm; 20 acres grass, balance cultivation. 18 acre peanut allotment. J. F. Robertson. 4-2-tfc

CELEBRATED BY McCLESKY'S GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY IS

Better than 50 years ago a shy young lad and a beautiful young lady met and immediately fell in love. They courted for some time then decided to marry and establish a home all their own, disregarding the objection of their parents. This lad, D. E. McClesky and Miss Belva Milford quietly slipped away on March 29, 1903 and were united in holy bonds of matrimony at Avery, Texas in Red River county.

Their home thus established, they remained in this county rearing their four children amid all the hardship of life for 22 years then moved to Eastland county and have lived here all of the remaining 28 years.

They speak of their married life as being a happy life although they have experienced many ups and downs. Many happy ones and many sad ones

LEGAL NOTICES
Sealed Bids will be received in the office of the City Hall, Rising Star, Texas on April 13, 1953 at 7:30 o'clock on the following equipment: One 1944 Ford school bus, and one 1947 Dodge, (both with school bus bodies), being offered for sale. This equipment may be seen at the market building in Rising Star. Bid proposals may be secured by contacting Sam Jones at the High School Building. 4-2-2tc

FOR SALE or TRADE—"46" Oliver 60 tractor with all equipment, in good condition. See W. H. Green at Green's Laundry, Rising Star. 4-2-4tc

SINGER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY—See these new Table models, desk models, portables and treadles today. Good used machines \$15.00 and up. Call or write. Phone 863, Eastland, Texas. 15-tfc

FOR SALE—My home, 5 rooms, bath, electric pump in pump house, chicken houses, small barn with four cow stalls, two other barns 14' x 16', 31 acres of land. Good big cellar. J. H. Wilson. 4-2-4tp

HOME FOR SALE—3 good size rooms and bathroom. One out-building on ½ acre of ground. Across street south of gym. Price \$1050. See T. C. Crisp or Ross Fussell. 4-2-3tp

but they give thanks unto the Lord for the life they have shared these 50 years.

Some 70 or 75 friends and relatives called in their home Sunday and helped them celebrate this occasion. Many lovely gifts were received by both Mr. and Mrs. McClesky.

Charles Morgan, a 15 year old grandson cooked the delicious two layer cake and decorated it himself for this 50th anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. McClesky have two remaining children, two girls having departed from this life to reap their rewards in a better world. The boys: Curtis is in Washington and Wilson is located somewhere in Korea. They have nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Mrs. Author Wolf, Mrs. Jim Watkins and Mrs. Shan Medford served lovely refreshments of punch and cookies to the many friends and relatives who gathered to wish them many more

FOR SALE—14 inch new Royal Elite typewriter. Late model. See Mrs. Irene Mayfield. Telephone 5683. 4-2-1tp

ELECTION NOTICE
Be it ordered by the board of trustees of Rising Star Independent School District that an election be held at the city hall, in the town of Rising Star, Texas, in said Independent School District on the 4th day of April, 1953 for the purpose of electing two (2) School Trustees for said Rising Star Independent School District.

S. J. White is hereby appointed manager of said election. Said election to be held in the manner prescribed by law for holding such election. The returns for said election shall be made following the election in accordance with the law. Said election shall be held between the hours of 8 a.m. and 7 p.m.

A copy of this order signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the board shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the president shall cause notice of said election to be given in accordance with law.

J. T. HOPPER, President.

GEORGE STEEL, Secretary. 3-12-4tc

FOR RENT—3 room furnished apartment with garage. Mrs. Mary Damron, West College Street. 4-2-1tp

happy days together. Mr. and Mrs. McClesky ask this reporter to express their thanks and appreciation for all the lovely gifts and for friends who helped to make this one more happy day in their life.

LT. GRAVES TO HAVE SPECIAL TRAINING

Lt. and Mrs. S. E. Graves, who has been stationed in Calif. have been transferred to Wichita, Kansas for four weeks. He will have that time in a special training course. From Wichita he will be stationed at Tucson, Ariz. Mrs. Graves will be here with her mother, Mrs. Chester Claborn until school is out. They will then join Lt. Graves in Arizona.

Stapling machines and staples on sale at the Record.

FOR SALE—Beltsville White Turkey eggs. Also booking orders for April and May profits. Contact, for prices, Alvin Klacaid & Son, Cisco, Texas. 3-13-5tp

FOR SALE—Pianos and organs. Tuning and over-hauling a specialty. See Perry Williams or Elbert Fagan, or phone 112 1-29-4tc

WANTED—Assemblers, mechanics, shop trainees, and shop helpers. No experience necessary. Mechanical ability helpful. 40 hour week, time and one-half for all overtime. Apply Lone Star Boat Mfg. Co., 1930 E. Main St., Grand Prairie, Texas. 3-12-5tc

FARM FOR SALE—40 acres on Highway 36, 3 miles east of Rising Star. Large surface tank, well with electric pump, tile house, 4 rooms and bath. Modern conveniences, butane gas, on mail route. Telephone 177, daytime only. Mrs. W. W. Tippen. 15-tfc

FOR SALE—5-room house and three large lots. In southwest part of town. Reasonable priced. See Mrs. R. B. Lamb. 4-2-1tp

FOR SALE—Tomato plants, several leading varieties, also pepper plants now ready to put out. Tennyson Nursery, Cisco. 4-2-1tp

CISCO VISITORS IN RECORD OFFICE

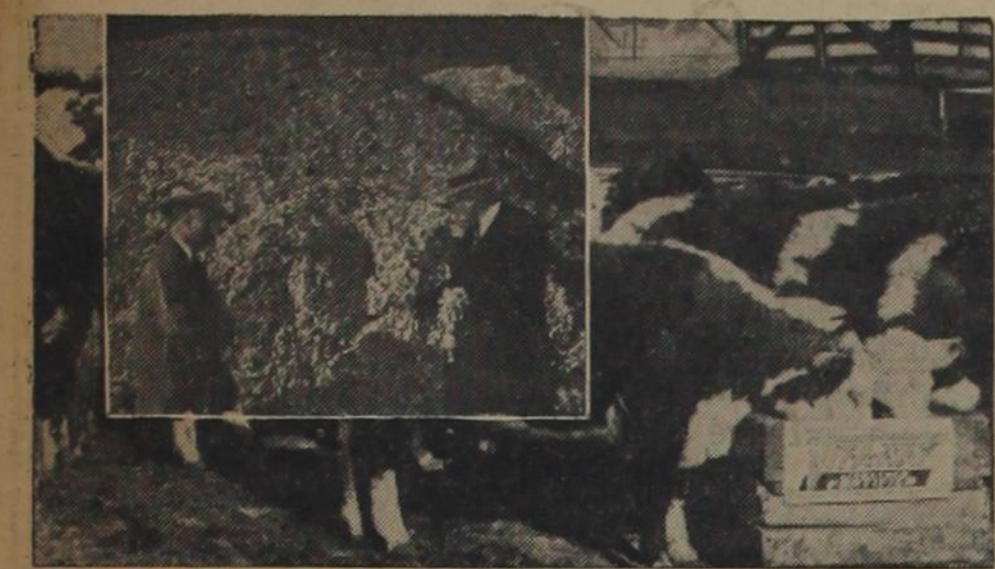
Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Nix of Cisco, were in the Record office recently to renew their subscription. Mr. and Mrs. Nix formerly lived west of town, where the J. Elmo Smiths live now. They lived there for 45 years and farmed. They moved to Cisco eight years ago.

BACKSEAT PLOT

Two old ladies boarded an airliner in a state town for a flight to Memphis on a day of shopping in the Bluff City. Before taking a seat, one of them went up front and spoke to the pilot.

"Now young man," she commanded sternly, "Don't travel faster than sound. We want to talk."

Flower Arrangements—Barefield Florist.



MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN CHEAP FEED NOW AVAILABLE TO LIVE STOCK INDUSTRY
Cattle in the lots of J. Smiley Triplett, Amarillo feeder, now eat a ration in which ground cotton burrs replace 75% of the conventional high-priced roughage. Inset shows Triplett (right) standing in front of a mountain of cotton burrs, with Virgil Seroga, nutritionist of VIT-A-WAY, Inc., who developed formula for a supplement which makes it possible to feed ground cotton burrs.

Farm Families Are Learning To Pull Together More During Last Few Years

COLLEGE STATION, March 11.—Families are becoming more conscious of the need of planning together. Learning to understand each family member, and to solve every-day problems together, was the trend for farm and rural families during 1952 according to Mrs. Eloise Johnson, family life education specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

As evidenced by the reports from county Extension agents, many families participated in the Extension program and activities which involved the family. These activities involved family counselling, recreation, work on family history, including young married women in clubs, providing for children during the meetings, and considering the needs of older family and community members.

Mrs. Johnson says county home demonstration agents assisted more than 10,000 farm and ranch families to analyze and solve some of their family relationship problems. Many more were given family life information through leaders trained by the specialist or agents.

izing and arranging cooperation for health examinations and clinics.

COTTON QUIZ
WHAT DOES COTTON MEAN IN FARM INCOME?

ANS—IN 1951, COTTON LINT AND SEED BROUGHT COTTON BELT FARMERS A CASH INCOME OF ALMOST \$4,000,000,000!

During 1952 farm and ranch families showed an increasing interest in neighborhood and community study and improvements. The agents and leaders assisted with more than 5,000 family life discussions at agricultural, home demonstration, demonstration, civic and church meetings. Family life conferences were held in community and county groups to create an awareness of the problems which community analysis and cooperation could solve.

In rural health, attention was centered on ways to finding and meeting personal and community health needs and to the study and improvement of available services for health care. More than 5,000 families were assisted in making health inventories. There were 250 communities which made health surveys and more than 400 reported study of cooperative health facilities and services. Fifteen hundred communities were assisted in organ-

Wild Life Greatly Helped by Recent Rains Over State

AUSTIN, March 18.—Rainfall bringing moisture to bone dry parts of Texas has stimulated hopes for the Animal Kingdom in the entire state, according to the Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission.

He said the precipitation came at a crucial time for wildlife since species such as quail and wild turkey are readying for the spring reproduction while big game, particularly fawn-carrying does, now are seeking vital green nourishment after changing over from the mast crop winter feed.

Equally important, added the Executive Secretary, fish life is at an important seasonal stage. The rain reinvigorates lakes and

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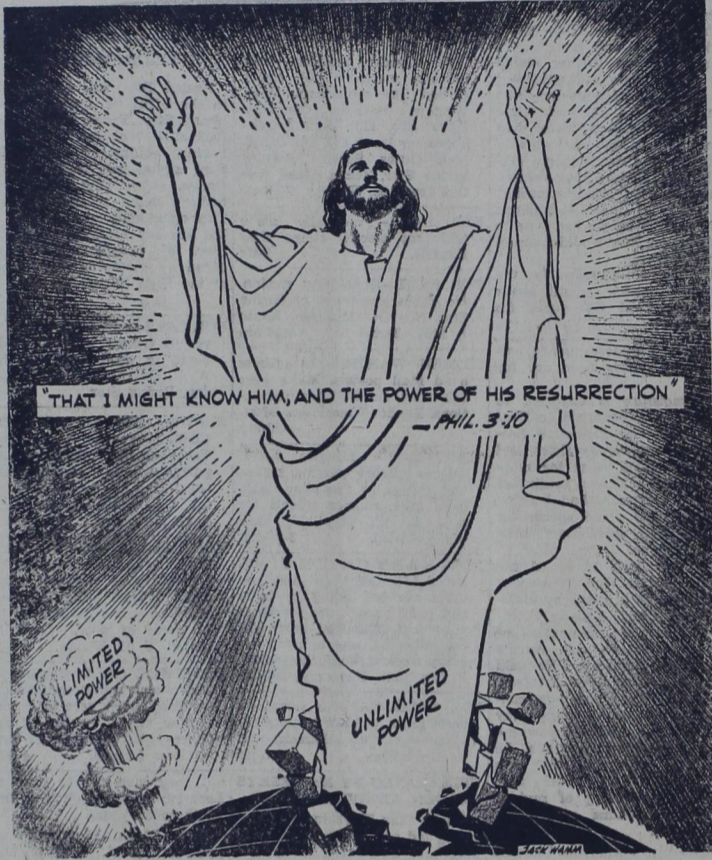
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To comfort all that mourn. To appoint unto them that mourn in Zion, to give unto them beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness.—Isaiah 61, 2-3.

HIS PRAISE

David in Psalm 122 said I was glad when he said unto me, Let us go into the house of the Lord.

PRAISE YE THE LORD,
PRAISE GOD IN HIS SANCTUARY:

LET EVERYTHING THAT HATH BREATH
PRAISE THE LORD.—Psalm 150—1 and 6.

HIS SUFFERING

But He was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: The chastisement of our peace was upon Him; and with His stripes are we healed.

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned everyone to his own way; and the Lord hath laid on him the iniquity of us all.

He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth. He is brought as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before her shearers is dumb, so he openeth not his mouth.—Isaiah 53, 5-6-7.

JESUS TOLD HIS ELEVEN DISCIPLES BEFORE HIS ASCENSION:

"ALL POWER IS GIVEN UNTO ME IN HEAVEN AND IN EARTH"—Mathew 28:18

What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it.

And when he hath found it layeth it on his shoulders rejoicing.—Luke 15, 4-5.

WITH THIS UNLIMITED POWER JESUS WALKED AMONG MEN TEACHING AND HEALING. THE GREATEST TEACHER THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN YET HE USED SIMPLE DAILY THOUGHTS TO BRING HOME HIS GREAT TRUTHS — THE SOWING OF THE SEED — THE VINE — SHEEP — LILIES OF THE FIELD.

Are not two sparrows sold for a farthing? and one of them shall not fall on the ground without your Father. Fear not therefore, ye are of more value than many sparrows.—Math. 10, 29 and 31.



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Churches

CHURCH OF CHRIST

H. McDonald, Minister
 Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Y. People's Class 6 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7 p.m.
 Ladies' Bible Class, Tuesday afternoon 3 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening Bibles Class 7 p.m.

Okra Baptist Church

Pastor, Rev. Mart Agnew, Cisco.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Morning Services 11:15 a.m.
 Training Union 7 p.m.
 Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

Assembly of God Church

Pastor, Rev. Al Stricklin
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 C. A.'s and Children Church 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
 Wednesday night Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
 Saturday 7:30 p.m.
 Evangelistic Service

The Bible Baptist Church

Rising Star
 John Burleson, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 (Bible alone is taught)
 Preaching Services 11:00 a.m.
 Evening services 7 p.m.
 A hearty welcome to all.

Pioneer First Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Preaching Services 11:00 a.m.
 Bible Study 3:00 p.m.
 Evening Services 7:00 p.m.
 Rev. Quint Farley, Pastor

Mountain Top Pentecostal Church

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

Union Grove Baptist Church

Rev. Bill Clardy
 Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
 Morning Services 11:00 A.M.
 Evening Services 7:00 P.M.
 Wednesday Services .. 7:00 P.M.

East Mills Baptist Church

J. C. Weathers, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:15 p.m.
 Wed. Night Service 7:15 p.m.
 Everyone Has a Cordial Invitation

Amity Baptist Church

J. R. Higginbotham, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Sunday Services 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Services 8:00 p.m.
 (First and Third Sundays)

Long Branch Baptist Church

Rev. Lee Bailey, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Sunday Services 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Services 8:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church

E. P. Philley, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Preaching hour 11:00 a.m. and 7 p.m. each Sunday.
 BTU 6:00 p.m.
 WMU 2:30 p.m.
 Mid Week Service 7 p.m. Wed.
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May, Texas
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First Methodist Church

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 M. M. Sheffield, Superintendent.
 Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
 Mrs. Jay Koonce, Choir Director.
 Mrs. Tom Lewis, Music Director.
 M. Y. F. 6:15 p.m.
 Doris Sue McCollum, President.
 Evening Service 7:00 p.m.
 Monday, W. S. C. S. .. 3:00 p.m.
 Mrs. Lee Burkhead, President.
 Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
 Prayer Meeting

Choir Rehearsal

7:45 p.m.
 Mrs. Jay Koonce, Director.
 Second Monday 7:30 p.m.
 Board Meeting, Fred Cook, Pres.
 Sunday, April 5—"We Believe in Eternal Life".
 Through these days of the lent season may we draw near unto God.

The First Methodist Church and its pastor invite you to be present.

In England lemonade is called lemon squash.

BARNES CHAPEL

Preaching Rev. Jack Page
 (First and third Sundays)
 Preaching Rev. Pope
 (Second and fourth Sundays)
 Services: 3 o'clock in afternoon

First Baptist Church

May, Texas
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Preaching Service 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
 W.M.U. Tuesday 2 p.m. at church
 Prayer service Wednesday 7 p.m.
 Rev. John Allen, Pastor.

FRIENDSHIP

Sunday School Class
 Dr. Ben H. Bradley, Teacher
 SUNDAY 9:45 A.M.
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 Members from all denominations and all ages, welcome.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

(COOK COMMUNITY)
 Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
 Morning Services 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
 (2nd and 3rd Sundays)
 Rev. Dan Applin of Cross Plains, Pastor

Calvary Baptist Church

May, Texas
 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.
 Rev. Hugh Bronstad, Pastor

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Boggs and La Veda took his mother, Mrs. J. D. Boggs, of Kress, who has been visiting with them a few weeks, to Lometa last Wednesday. Mrs. Boggs will visit a daughter, Mrs. O. L. Brooks, at Lometa.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

E. D. Hays, Minister
 PIONEER, TEXAS
 Bible Study 10:00 A.M.
 Worship Hour 11:00 A.M.
 Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.

BLAKE BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. A. J. QUINN, JR., Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
 Preaching .. 11:00 A.M.-8:00P.M.
 (2nd and 4th Sundays)
 B.T.U. 7:00 P.M.
 PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Terrell of Fort Worth, were recent visitors in the homes of A. N. Snearly and Mark Clark the past week. Mrs. Terrell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tatsch and was a neighbor of the Snearly family while living at Mason, Texas, fifty years ago.

METHODIST CHURCH

May, Texas
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Preaching Services on second and fourth Sunday at 11 a.m.
 W. S. C. S. Monday 2 p.m.
 (Mrs. J. J. Prentice, Pres.)
 Prayer Services Wednesday evening following second Sunday.
 Family night, Wednesday following fourth Sunday.
 Rev. Victor Hankinson, Pastor

FINDS BONE OF INDIAN ON PECAN BAYOU

Mr. C. T. Goss dropped by the Record office last week and said the bone of what is thought to be that of an Indian was dug up on Pecan Bayou recently. It was part of one arm and hand. He said he would bring it by the office to be placed in the show window.

RIISING STAR RECORD

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about fixing the blame on "Mom" but soon found out that wouldn't get the job done. Then a bright idea hit the editor—why not lay it on the devil (we got one around here) so that worked. Anyway, somehow we forgot to identify the page one cut last week as belonging to a group of girl athletes at May, Texas, high school. Sorry.

PERSONAL MENTION
 Judge Turner Collie of Eastland was a business visitor in Rising Star last Saturday.

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EDITOR'S NOTE—This is the second of a series of three articles written by F. D. Hicks explaining the Chamber of Commerce and its functions.

IS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NECESSARY

This question has been asked many times by lots of people and the answer is always yes. For thirty years the Rising Star C of C has been functioning in an orderly manner always assisting any group or worthy cause in getting its program over, with only one purpose in mind and that to help the town and all its citizens. Any program that is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce helps all our citizens.

In Dublin the rodeo is sponsored by a group of men banded together to boost Dublin. In De Leon the Peach and Melon Festival is sponsored by both men and women who recognize and realize the merits of a show of this kind. Comanche, Eastland and Ranger groups work for the town and all its citizens all the time. A Chamber of Commerce is necessary for these reasons alone. There are other reasons too—the Rising Star Fall Fair, one of the best of its kind in all this area, was started and carried over the years by the Chamber of Commerce. This project grew from a small group of hog and chicken men showing their wares until it was patronized by every group, whether it be agriculture, cattle, sewing, women's clubs and even merchants saw the benefits of such a gathering and had booths to display their goods. There was no place to hold this show at the beginning—vacant lots, old buildings and any place that happened to be available. But today Rising Star has a fine building as the result of WPA, promoted by men of vision, who saw the need of such a building that could be used for so many things of interest to all the people.

For the past two years the fair was not held—because of the drouth and during the war it was suspended. This year, if it rains and there is a good season no doubt the Chamber of Commerce will again tote the ball and carry this enterprise that is good for all the people. Anything that can bring all the people together where they fellowship, visit and discuss their problems is worth all the effort and money that it might cost. There are any number of reasons why your Chamber of Commerce is necessary.

The financing of an organization should not be left to just a few. All should be willing to throw in together and help in financing the one organization that is always working for the best interests of us all. Soon the new membership campaign will begin. Old members will be encouraged to keep their pledges but their attendance at meetings and to take part in the ongoing of the organization! All will want to have a part.

Read the membership list in this week's paper and you will see who is trying to help and what each individual and business firm is contributing toward the publicizing of Rising Star. Farmers and ranchers are especially invited to come in help to make Rising Star a better place to live and make our homes.

EX-MAYOR SNEARLY BEEN READING THE RECORD FOR MORE THAN 40 YEARS

One of the best known and best loved citizens of the city dropped by the Record office

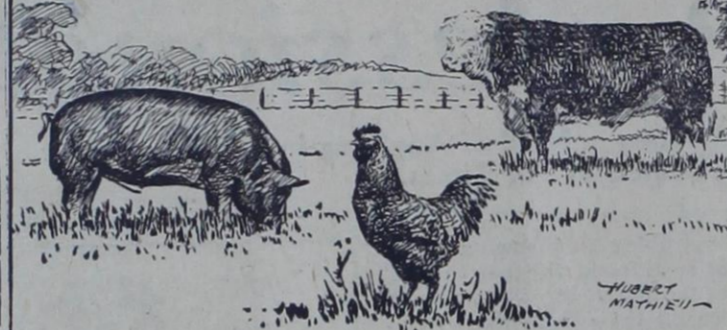
last Saturday to bring us a news item and to "brag on the paper". Says he has been a constant reader for 46 years and looks forward to reading it each week. In addition to serving the city

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

TURKEY FOR TWO



By scientific breeding and feeding, the farmer is today tailoring his livestock and poultry production to meet the preference of the market place — tenderer steaks, smaller hams, leaner bacon and pork loins, more white meat on the chicken, and turkeys for families of two... and by these same techniques he is also increasing production.



THIS IS TYPICAL OF THE CONTRIBUTION THAT FARMERS ARE MAKING TO THE REAL WEALTH OF THE COUNTRY, IN CARRYING OUT THE PROGRAM DEVELOPED BY THE EXPERTS IN OUR AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES AND FEDERAL AND STATE EXPERIMENT STATIONS. BECAUSE OF THE FARMERS' IMPROVED METHODS AMERICANS ARE LIVING BETTER.

EASTER SHOPPING

AT OUR STORE IS EASY

Lovely New

DRESSES — HATS
HOSE — HANDKERCHIEFS

NEW MATERIALS

In Our Piece Goods
SEW FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

NEW BED SPREADS
new spring colors

PLASTIC TABLECLOTHS — APRONS

JOYCE DRY GOODS



Easter Gifts

COTY'S COMBINATION
POWDER AND LIPSTICK
\$3.00 Value — Now \$2.00

Coty's Cream Powder Compact — Coty's Hand Lotion — Cream Sachet — Hazel Bishop Lipsticks.

MEET YOUR FRIENDS HERE FOR
COFFEE AND OTHER REFRESHMENTS

CITY DRUG STORE

as mayor for 18 years he has been treasurer of the First Baptist church for a long time. Mr. Snearly says he keeps busy most of the time and has been active all his life. That when he can't find anything to do around his home place he goes over and tries to find something for the neighbors to do in the hope they will give him a job.

Glad to have Mr. A. N. Snearly come by for a visit—he has been a good citizen and his influence for good will bear fruit in the years to come.

CROSS PLAINS VETERAN BURIED AT CROSS PLAINS

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church, in Cross Plains last Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Travis Hamilton Irvin, 33, who died at the family home north of town Tuesday.

Travis was born July 7, 1919 and attended Deer Plains and Cross Plains schools. He served in the armed forces in the Pacific Theatre for three years during World War II and was badly wounded on Okinawa.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Rosa Irvin, Cross Plains; four brothers, Loren of Cross Plains; Oris of Haskell, W. B. and Biggs of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Ben Atwood and Mrs. Bill Sheppard of Fort Worth. Burial was in the Cross Plains cemetery.

FLOWERS for Easter

Pot Plants

Hydrangeas

Lilies

Caladium



Stop in soon to select your favorites from our sparkling assortment of Easter flowers.

Barefield Florist

EASTER

Greetings

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

WE WISH YOU ALL THE HAPPINESS
OF THIS JOYFUL SEASON

Spring Time Is Tuneup Time for Your ...

Car -- Pickup -- Truck

Bring them to us. We have expert mechanics who service them to new handling ease that lets the driver relax with perfect safety.

No matter what model your car is we can tune it or repair it. If it is worth driving it is worth checking and keeping it in perfect order. It may save your life or a serious wreck. Have it checked today.

Butler Chevrolet Company

SALES — SERVICE



Easter Greetings

TO ALL OUR CUSTOMERS

We Wish You All the Happiness of the
Easter Season

VISIT OUR STORE

WE STILL HAVE

MANY EASTER ITEMS

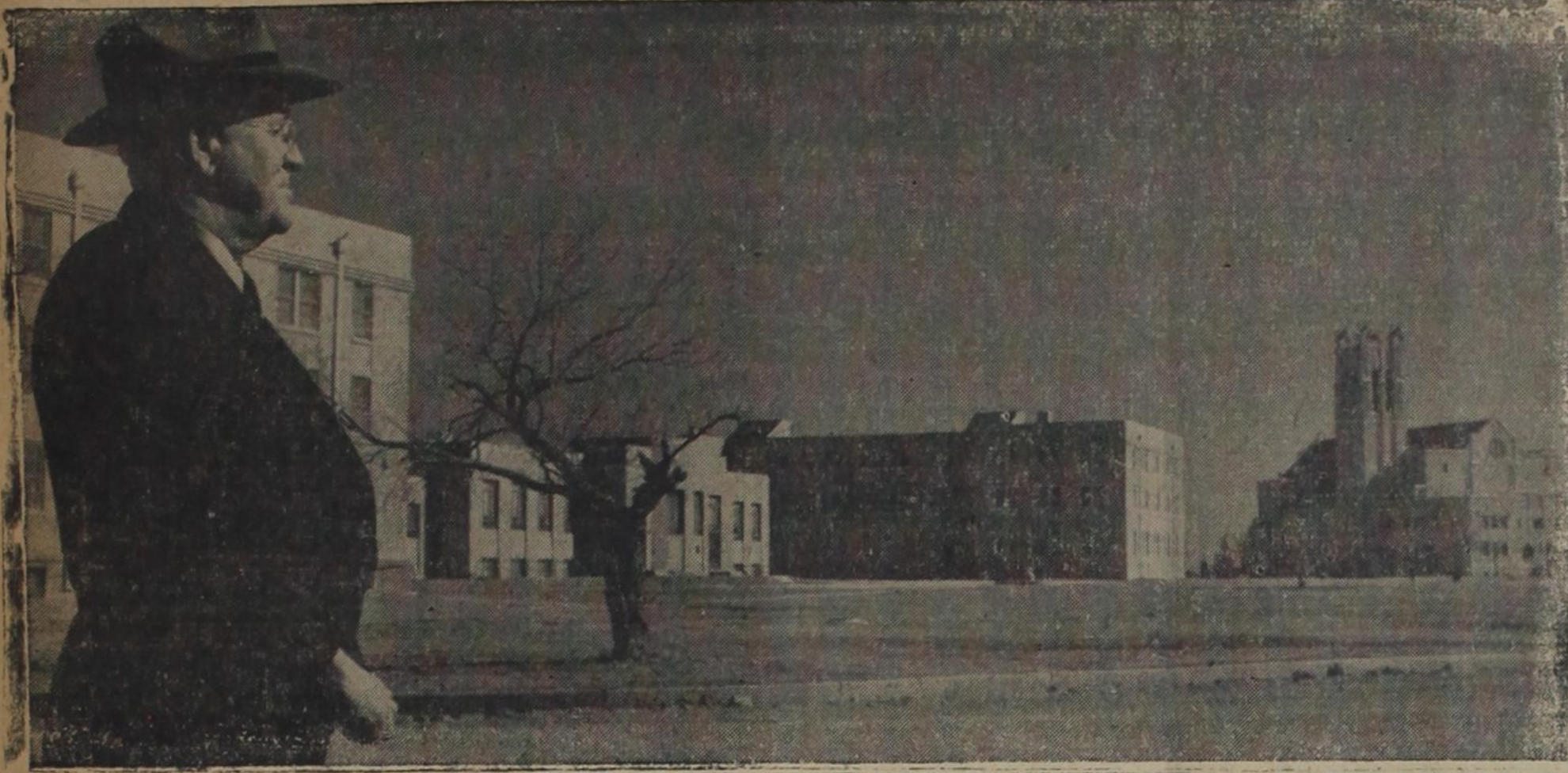
TOYS — CARDS — CANDY EGGS

Come in for your Easter needs. We appreciate your trade and even more so your friendship.



Lovely New
Corsages
For Your
Easter Costume

HERRINGTON'S



This single picture reveals partially why McMurry College will pause March 10-14 to celebrate ten years of progress under the administration of Dr. Harold G. Cooke. With the "Builder" President in the foreground, four permanent buildings constructed during his tenure are shown in the background. Beginning at the left are Gold Star Dormitory for Men, Iris Graham Memorial Dining Hall, President Hall Dormitory for Women, and Radford Memorial Student Life Center.

All the Way From Private to General

Austin, Tex.—Governor Allan Shivers has named Col. James E. Taylor of Kerens and Austin, present division chief of staff, to succeed General A. B. Crowther of San Antonio as 36th Division Artillery Commander with the rank of brigadier general.

General Taylor, a former senator and now executive director of Texas Motor Transportation Association, enlisted as a private in Battery E, 132nd Field Artillery at Kerens in 1938. He was commissioned in 1939 and in 1943 had risen to command the 131st Field Artillery Battalion, with which he served throughout the Italian campaign and in the campaign of Southern France.

When the division was reorganized after the war, he became division artillery executive officer, serving until his appointment as chief of staff. He holds the Silver Star medal awarded after the Salerno landing and the Bronze Star and the French Croix de Guerre for action in the Southern France campaign.

Educated at Baylor University, General Taylor was in the lumber business for five years and was a



HAL C. JOHNSON, left, pinned the silver star of a brigadier general on James E. Taylor, who enlisted as a private in Johnson's Battery E, 132nd Field Artillery, in December, 1908. General Taylor, for four years chief of staff of the 36th Division, now becomes division artillery officer. He is executive director of Texas Motor Transportation Association.

newspaper publisher at Kerens for eight years. He served as a member of the Texas House of Representatives for two terms before entering the Army in World War II

and was elected to the Senate while still serving with the 36th Division in France in 1944. Returning to the U. S. in January, 1945, he served three sessions as a Senator.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gardner have their daughter, Mrs. S. J. Foster, of Wingate here for an extended visit. They also had their son, W. E. Gardner and their daughter, Mrs. L. E. Davis of Kermit for the week end.

Miss Florence Fielder of Comanche is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. R. T. Janes, who is ill. Mrs. Janes also had her son, Henry Robertson of Grand Prairie for a week end guest.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cox were Mrs. Bill Forbes and children and Miss Sarah Alice Cox of Corsicana. Their grandson, Bill Forbes remained for an extended visit.

Mrs. George Varner of this city visited her daughter, Mrs. David Weise and family in Breckenridge this week.

Those visiting in the A. H. Morris home Sunday were their daughter, Mrs. "Lucky" Landreth and husband and a granddaughter, Miss Nelda McKinnery, all of Odessa.

Mrs. A. H. Morris is in Wichita

Falls, to visit her daughter, Mrs. G. C. Ross, who is recuperating from a recent operation.

Mrs. Loyd Carrell and son and her father Mr. George Tarrant of Granbury, visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Carrell Sunday.

Those visiting with Mrs. Hazel Butler during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Butler and son of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Butler and daughter of Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bearden and daughter of Houston and Mrs. B. W. Lawson of Lubbock.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hancock were Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson and sons of Comanche, Mr. Jessie Parker and sons of Bronte, and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hancock and sons, Johnny Dale and Freddie Mack of Stephenville.

Miss Eva Richardson spent last week with her sister, Mrs. A. N. McBeth and family in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Harris, "Sonny" and family of El Dorado, Ark., visited in the home of the C. B. Harris family last Friday. They were on their way to Denver where "Sonny" is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Dill of San Angelo visited relatives and friends over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Smith have as their guests, his son, Leo J. Smith and wife of Detroit. Mr. Smith has a very important position. He is superintendent of a government arsenal in that city. Leo J. Smith is also the brother of Mrs. Curtis Smith.

Mrs. L. R. Smith was in Olney last week to attend the Central Texas Conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service as a delegate from her society here.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Evans and two sons of Crystal City visited his parent, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Evans. Mr. Evans has been quite ill but is much improved at this date.

Mrs. Earl G. Harper had her sister, Mrs. J. R. Graham of Gatesville as a guest last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellis attended a family reunion of Mrs. Ellis' relatives, in Maryneal Sunday. They also visited Mrs. Beulah Scudday in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Starkey of Dallas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Duggan and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Harris visited friends in Stephenville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Duggan of Cook Sunday.

JERRY LYON TAKES PLACE WITH RECORD

Jerry Lyon, popular young Beau Brummel of Rising Star has accepted a place on the staff of the Record and will assist in getting out the "Great Headlight of the West" each week. Jerry has many friends here, where he has been reared, who will be glad to learn of his decision to make his home in Star. Jerry is a real fast linotype operator and wants to complete the technique to where he will rate with the sophisticated bullet casters of the city. He is also a fair job printer and floor man, all of which will fit in with the plans of the present publishers.

Weldon Wootten, who has been with the paper for past three months and was partnership publisher with Jack McCarty, wants to take a rest and look after some unfinished business in other parts. Wootten has many friends here who will be glad to know he will not be too far away for a visit every now and then.

Phil Horton is another employee of the Record who is taking an interest in being "devil" and some day hopes to run the machine like Jerry does. The policy of the present publishers has been to employ all home people where possible. Phil is a member of the 1953 football team and while we have never seen him play but once feel that during the coming year he will make it tough on all competition.

RIISING STAR MAN LIKES SOUTH TEXAS

Chas. Tepfer has returned from a visit with his half brother, James Avair in San Antonio.

Mr. Tepfer, is enthusiastic about the country and sights he saw on the trip. He especially enjoyed seeing the Alamo and all the historical relics. Brackenridge Park with all its wonders and animals, and Randolph Air Base demanded all his attention.

He visited Buchanan Dam and climbed mountains at Seguin. Deer and wild turkey with their young birds were interesting sights. He stated that the entire trip was interesting.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Barnes and son of San Angelo visited in Rising Star and Okra last Monday after a week end stay in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnes.

Mrs. Ethel Barnes is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnes in Fort Worth and Mary Nell Barnes of Dallas this week.

Negroes Bring Tremendous Price In Virginia

The following interesting item was taken from the Fayette, Miss. Chronicle.

95 YEARS AGO

Negroes are bringing tremendous prices in Virginia. The Richmond Enquirer notes sales as follows: "A house servant, 25 year old, sold for \$1960; a seamstress, \$1450; field hands from \$1200 to \$1400; one family; a young woman and three children, very small, for \$2500; another, same number, for \$2725. There were about forty Negroes sold, averaging nearly \$900 for young and old. They were sold on a credit of six months with interest.

The Ohio Senate has passed the bill repealing an act pro-

hibiting the confinement of fugitive slaves in the jails of Ohio, by a vote of 20 to 14.

It is stated that on Saturday, the 9th of January, the English Ecclesiastical Courts throughout the kingdom closed, to open no more after having existed nearly eight hundred years.—Jefferson Journal, March 19, 1858.

W. H. GREEN'S NOW IN CHARGE GREEN LAUNDRY

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Green have recently purchased the Ray and Gladys Green Laundry in Star and solicit the patronage of those in need of their work. Mr. and Mrs. Green are not strangers to the people here and invite the readers of the Record to check their advertisement found elsewhere in this issue.

Hyponex—Makes Ivy grow Brilliant. Barefield Florist.

CISCO COMMISSIONERS TO RATION WATER

Preparation of an emergency ordinance to begin a strict water rationing program on May 1 was ordered Tuesday night at a meeting of the city commission at the city hall. The ordinance was expected to be prepared and submitted for official action at the next meeting.

The action is necessary due to the low level of Lake Cisco, Mayor G. C. Rosenthal said. He reported that a recent study of the lake shows that the city has a ten months' supply of water on hand.

DID YOU KNOW?

Nora Lee Smith

Blood donors, it's much easier for you to wear tapes than for a soldier to have taps.

Easter Greetings TO EVERYONE BUY A HOME - A FARM OR A RANCH FOR A PERFECT EASTER GIFT



WE HAVE MANY EXCELLENT LISTINGS

INSURANCE - ALL KINDS
FARM LOANS - AUTO LOANS
SEE US TODAY

J. F. ROBERTSON

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

103 E. College

Phone 54



Easter GREETINGS

To All Our Customers and Friends.

Spring Time Is The Time to Check and Tune Up the Family Car for the Easter Parade.

DRIVE IN FOR A COMPLETE CHECKUP ON YOUR CAR.

CHECK WHEEL ALIGNMENT SAVES WEAR ON YOUR TIRES.

Our Precision machine can detect the slightest off balance. Our First class mechanics can put those wheels right back on the beam. Easier handling.

CHECK YOUR BRAKES.

Plenty of all kinds of parts — New Cars — We'll be glad to talk trade.

GOOD USED CARS.

Roach Motor Co.

AUTHORIZED DEALER
CHRYSLER — PLYMOUTH
AUTHORIZED SERVICE
Rising Star — Phone



DEAD ANIMALS Un-Skinned REMOVED free

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BROWNWOOD RENDERING CO.

You've Been Asking for a Paint Like This!



PITTSBURGH WALLHIDE Rubberized SATIN FINISH

- 1 SO QUICK-DRYING
- 2 SO EASY TO CLEAN
- 3 STURDY ELASTICITY
- 4 VELVET-LIKE SMOOTHNESS

What's more, it's odor free, this new and amazing finish that makes and KEEPS walls looking fresh and clean. Tough, it resists wear, stains and won't chip, crack or peel. Color won't wash off in repeated scrubbing! Thrifty because it wears longer—better. Put it on with brush or roller.

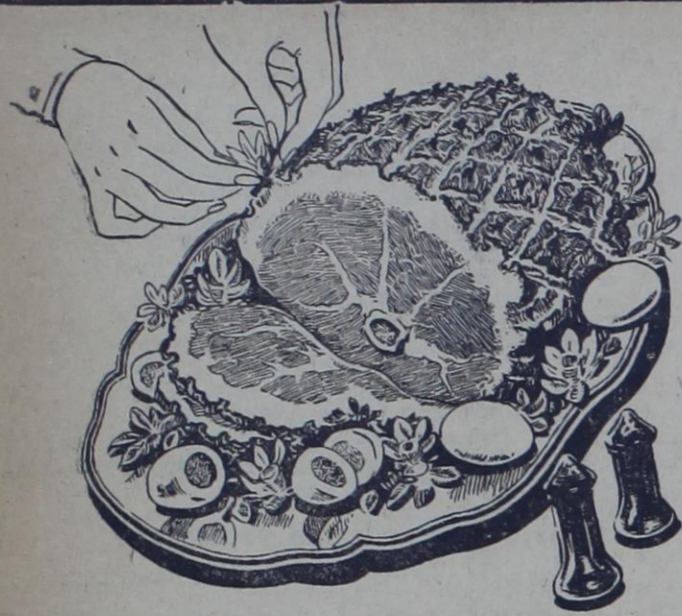
4.95 GALLON

Rutherford & Steel Co.

"Not Only to Sell, But to Serve Well"

PHONE 124

RIISING STAR, TEXAS



FEATURING
Ready to Eat
HAMS
For Your
EASTER
DINNER
Reserve Yours
TODAY.

ORANGE
JUICE 46 Oz. **35¢**

JELLO 3 Pkgs. **25¢**

POWDERED
SUGAR 2 Boxes **25¢**

ADMIRATION
COFFEE Pound **89¢**

QUALITY MEATS
PROPERLY PREPARED
VISIT OUR MARKET

GLADIOLA
FEOUR 10 Lbs. **95¢**

LETTUCE Lg. Head **10¢**

CHOICE BEEF—CENTERCUT — LB.
CHUCK ROAST **49¢**



Pringle Grocery & Market

FORMERLY BOWER'S GROCERY—WE DELIVER—109 S. MAIN—PHONE 27

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FORMER RISING STAR TEACHER VISITS HOME

Weldon Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Gibson of Star, a teacher in the Corpus Christi school system was visiting his parents and friends here last week. He was en route home after a check on schools and colleges over the state looking

for a supply of teachers. Gibson says his school pays \$400 over the scale and his department is on the outlook for new teachers all the time.

Gibson saw service in World War Two, being discharged a Lieutenant Commander. After teaching in the local school during the depression, he accepted a place at Corpus where he has been ever since. Miss Charlotte Gibson, a sister of Gibson, teaches there.

"Dock" Setters tells this one on Gibson. He came to see Setters just before catching the bus for his new job at Corpus. It had been tough in all this section several years—the depression was on. "Dock" said Gibson, "please send me the Record and when I thrash my peanuts will send you the money." "Dock" laughingly said, guess Weldon has made lots of peanuts for he has been taking the paper all the time. He never missed an issue. His friends were glad to see him again.

MEATS

WHOLESALE — RETAIL

FIRST QUALITY — HOME KILLED
ALWAYS FRESHER — MUCH CHEAPER

FRESH EGGS

WHY NOT TRADE WHERE YOUR
DOLLAR GOES THE FARTHEST

CARL BOWERS

E. MILLS — WE DELIVER — PHONE 52

"It Pleases Us To Please You"

CHOICE RIB
STEW Lb. **21¢**

2 BOXES SKINNER'S SPAGHETTI OR
MACARONI **25¢**

WHITE SWAN
COFFEE Lb. **79¢**

SOUTHERN BLOSSOM
FLOUR 25 Lbs. **1.79**

SUGAR 10 Lbs. **89¢**

TREND
SOAP .. Large Size **15¢**

LARGE
IVORY SOAP **15¢**

CARROTS Pound **5¢**
LETTUCE Head
POTATOES Pound

CHOICE / Round
STEAK LOIN **59¢**
T-BONE

SEVEN **49¢**
CHUCK

FRESH
GROUND BEEF .. **39¢**

WHITING
FISH Pound **21¢**

SUN VALLEY
OLEO **19¢**

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

Star Grocery & Market

Tom and Pauline

Rising Star 4-H Club Enters Lamp

The annual Eastland County 4-H Club Rally Day will be held on Saturday, April 4th. The rally day is the highlight of a year's activities in 4-H work and is looked forward to by all 4-H club members.

The festivities will begin at 10:00 a.m. in the Majestic Theatre in Eastland. County Judge John S. Hart will award achievement medals to the 45 most outstanding boys and girls in the county. Results of the Electric Lamp contest will be announced and cash prizes presented.

The group will move to the Electric Company's office to view the 166 lamps made by 4-H Club boys and girls.

Dairy Treat on West Main Street will give free ice cream cones.

The second part of the day long program will be a picnic at noon in the city park. All 4-H members and their parents are invited to come and bring a picnic lunch. A local bank is providing cold drinks for this event.

The highlight of the day's activities in the high school festivities will be the gala talent beginning at 2:00 p. m.

MR. AND MRS. WILSON VISIT IN DE LEON

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilson visited in De Leon last Sunday. They attended singing at the Primitive Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson lived in De Leon at the time of their marriage many years ago.

Mrs. Wilson was the former Elta Harvell, daughter of A. J. Harvell. Mr. Harvell is now 94 years of age and lives at Alice, Texas.

HAVE YOU TRIED A CLASSIFIED AD IN THE RISING STAR RECORD?

The classified columns of the Record is growing each week. There are many who have some article lying around the place that could be sold to someone who could use it. Search the attic storage room and other places and bring up some item that would be of value to others. An ad in the classified columns will help you sell it. The cost is very small. Read these interesting items each week. You may find something that you have been looking for.

FREE BATTERY

Replacement If Span-O-Life Battery
Fails under terms of the Guarantee

Guaranteed for the
Life of YOUR Car



Authorized Dealers

TOM LEWIS
TEXACO SERVICE STATION

STAR THEATRE

WED. — THURSDAY
APRIL 1 - 2

"Flatop"

STERLING HAYDEN
(In Thrilling Color)

FRIDAY - SATURDAY
APRIL 3 - 4

"The Blazing Forest"

JOHN PAYNE

Color by Technicolor

Plus "Little Rascals"

SUNDAY - MONDAY
APRIL 5 - 6

"April in Paris"

DORIS DAY

Color by Technicolor

TUESDAY
APRIL 7

STERLING HAYDEN

"The Golden Hawk"

Color by Technicolor

WED. - THURS.
APRIL 8 - 9

"Hangman's Knot"

RANDOLPH SCOTT

Color by Technicolor

5 POUND BAG
ORANGES **33¢** | **CELERY** **15¢**

DELICIOUS
APPLES Lb. **15¢** | DOZEN
LEMONS **39¢**

CAKE FLOUR INSTANT
Swan's Down **29¢**

FLOUR NO. 2½
AUNT JEMIMA **39¢**

10 Lb. Bag89¢
25 Lb. Bag 1.79
CRUSHED
PINEAPPLE No. 2 **29¢**

TIDE Regular Size **25¢** | **KARO** White — ½ Gallon **69¢** | **SUGAR** Powdered or Brown 2 For **25¢**

VIENNA DEL VALLE
SAUSAGE .. 3 Cans **29¢** | ANY BRAND
MILK **15¢**

FRESH
FRYERS Lb. **53¢** | PICNIC
HAMS Lb. **39¢**

LONGHORN
CHEESE **53¢** | **SHORT RIBS** .. Lb. **29¢**

Watkin's Food Market

E. F. Agnew & Sons

RISING STAR'S FAVORITE
FOOD STORE SINCE 1920

Crisco 3 Pound Can **89¢**

FLOUR BETSY ROSS
25 Lb. Bag **1.89**

Prune Juice DEL MONTE
Quart Size **32¢**

SPINACH TENDERSWEET
2 Reg. Cans **29¢**

JELLO ALL FLAVORS
3 For **25¢**

DREFT Large Package **25¢**

TUNA EATWELL BRAND
Reg. Can **25¢**

"Our Market Dept. Is Never Surpassed"

Salad Dressing SUPREME
Pint **19¢**

PEAS SWEET JUNE — "Our Favorite"
2 Cans **29¢**

Sherbet Mix LIPTON'S FROSTEE
Package **19¢**

REMEMBER—WE SELL REAL QUALITY MEAT!

COFFEE SCHILLING'S
1 Pound Tins **85¢**

SPAM Regular Can **49¢**

DRESSED TURKEYS — FRYERS — HENS — (IN OUR MARKET)

BISCUITS PUFFIN
Package **10¢**

HAMS Finest Quality—Gorch, Blue Ribbon
Half, Part or Whole **65¢**

HAM ROAST FRESH PORK
Per Pound **49¢**