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## Through The Editor's Specs

By BAB

Presidential candidate Richard Nixon is being criticised in some quarters, principally his opposition, for his refusal to debate HHH and CW on television.

One large newspaper whose sympathies, have a Nixon flavor, recently suggested that the GOP candidate was doing the public a disservice in not agreeing to meet his competition face to face on a televised platform because the "give-and-take," repartee, etc., would bring out information not otherwise inspired, and the public is entitled to it.

Granted that the public is entitled to all the information that can be developed, I am inclined to discount the argument.

About all that a televised debate would do, in my opinion, would be to dramatize what is already being said. And the hecklers are doing a pretty good job of that as it is.

Neither Mr. Nixon nor Mr. Humphrey nor their common bete noir, Mr. Wallace, seems to have any trouble exposing the issues. They are revealing about everything possible, real or imaginative, about the policies, capabilities, intentions and shortcomings of each other and there is nothing to be said from a shared platform that is not already being reviewed in their separate campaign appearances.

It might make a good show—and God knows with the quality of television fare we are being fed these days we could do with a good one now and then—but I doubt it. I judge Mr. Nixon aright, he is not in the show biz—not, at least, that kind, having made such a flop in his televised confrontations with a then unknown and handsome young Lochinvar who rode out of Boston's east about eight years ago.

If he has learned anything from those ill-advised—for him—debates, it should be, and doubtless, is this: when you've got the "possum by the tail, don't risk his teeth. In other words when you are winning don't change your tactics.

About the only person who stands to make any gain from the suggested debates is Mr. Humphrey, and he lacks a lot of the Kennedy romantic flair. He is having a mighty hard time getting his campaign off the ground and any old change would be an improvement.

But if I were Dick Nixon I would do just as he is and steer a wide detour around any soap box with two chairs and a TV camera.

It just wouldn't be fair to the hippies.

## Bonnie Byrd Named On NTSU Honor List

DENTON — Bonnie Byrd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew L. Byrd, Rf. 1, Rising Star, is among three Eastland County students listed on the 25 honor roll for the spring semester at North Texas State University.

Students on the 25 honor roll include those whose grade averages came at least midway between an "A" and a "B"

## MELODY SINGERS MEET

The Melody Singers met Monday evening in regular practice session. Felton Carr directed the group. Singers will not meet on Oct. 21, since the coronation will be held at the High School on that date.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, Oct. 28 at 7 p. m.

## Parcel Post And Catalog Rates Will Be Increased

Postmaster Cliffogene Witt this week reminded postal customers that higher parcel post and catalog rates will go into effect Saturday.

The rate increase will average 10.5 per cent and in most cases will mean an additional ten cents postage per parcel.

The higher rates were approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission in July.

Under the new rates the minimum charge for local parcel delivery will go from 40 to 50 cents. The minimum charge for parcels destined outside the local delivery area will be raised from 50 cents to 60 cents.

Almost all parcels that are charged up to \$1.10 under present rates will go up 10 cents. This accounts for more than 80 per cent of all parcel post, Postmaster Witt pointed out.

There will be a 15-cent hike on most parcels now charged between \$1.10 and \$4, and a 20-cent increase on parcels now charged over \$4.

Parcel post rates are based on the weight of the package and the distance it is mailed.

Higher rates for the delivery of packages and catalogs are required to bring revenue from this type of mail within four percent of operating costs, as required by law, Postmaster Witt explained. The higher rates are designed to put parcels and catalogs, which are fourth-class mail, on a break-even basis.

Additional revenue is needed from parcel post and catalogs to offset higher costs resulting from pay increases approved last year for postal employees.

## Mrs. Ima Fair Takes Higginbotham Post

Mrs. Ima Fair has been employed by Higginbotham's here to have charge of the fabrics and notions department of the dry goods department.

Mrs. Fair succeeds Mrs. Lila Jarrett, who has retired after several years as head of the department.

The announcement was made by Jay Koonce, general manager.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. T. B. Busbee and Geraldine were Mrs. R. M. Dunson and Mrs. Ellen Garner of Houston. They also visited other friends while here.

## High School Royalty to Be Crowned . . .



LINDA HUBBARD



JIMMY ROACH

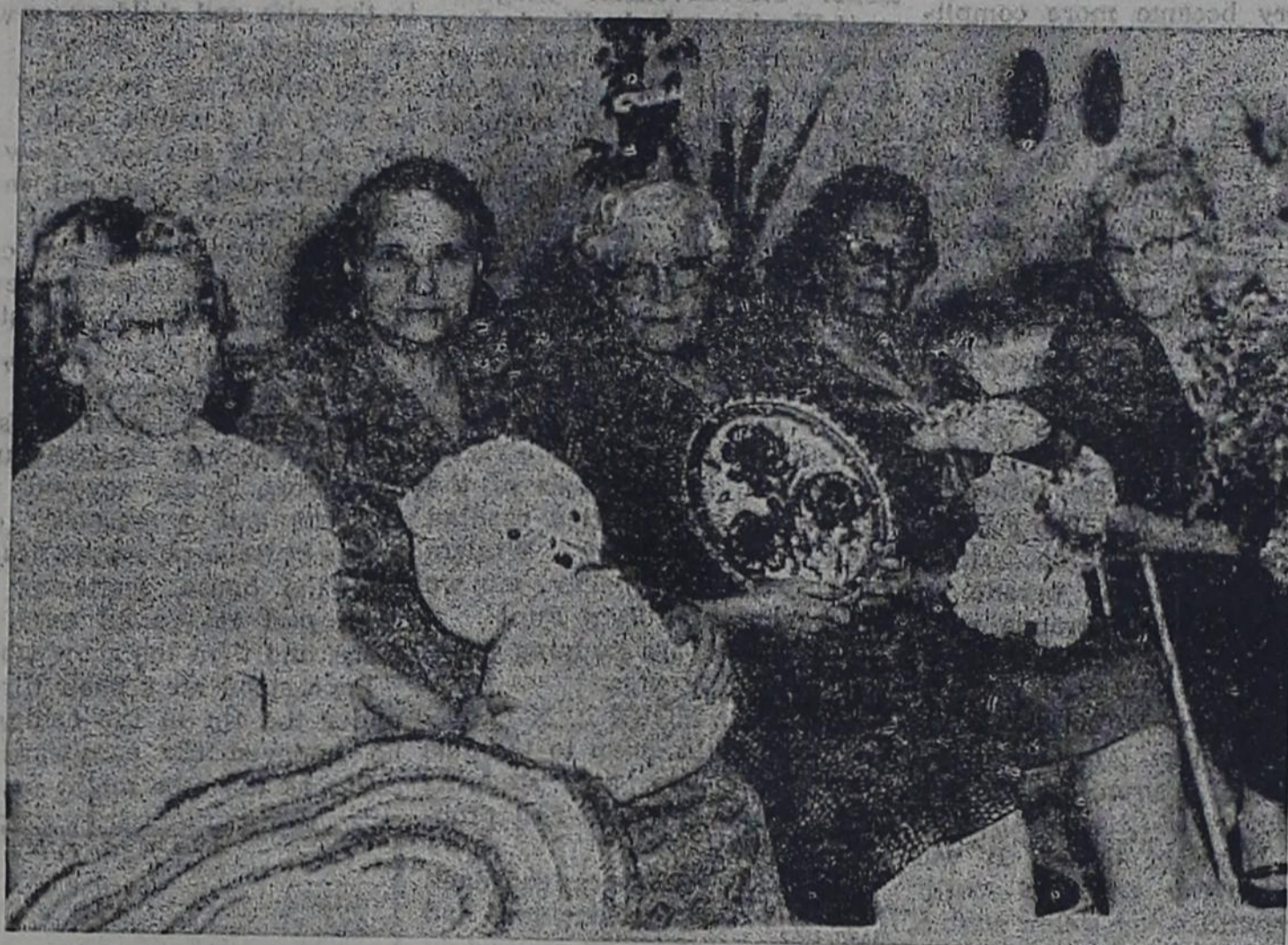
## High School Queen To Be Crowned Mon.

Linda Hubbard, a member of the Junior class of the Rising Star High School, will be crowned Queen of the school in a coronation program to be presented at the gym-auditorium Monday night, October 21, at 7:30 p. m.

The crown, symbolizing her reign over the student body of the school, will be placed on her head by Jimmy Roach, designed as the great Lord Chamberlain of her court.

She and her court, consisting of representatives of the various classes from the sixth grade through the 12th, and other honored students, will be entertain-

## North Star Members Show Achievement Day Exhibits . . .



Mrs. Clara Burkhead, Mrs. Jesse Perry, Mrs. Hattie Goss, Mrs. Roy Rutledge and Mrs. Mabel Ralston, shown, left to right, display some of the articles exhibited at the highly successful Achievement Day Fair of the North Star

Club here Friday and Saturday of last week. The exhibits were shown in the former Dress Dry Goods building owned by Mrs. J. D. W. Jones. George Steel won the quilt given away during the exhibit.

## Cats Start With League Win; Try Meridian Friday Night

The Rising Star Wildcats opened their conference grid season auspiciously Saturday night of last week with a well-deserved 14-0 victory over the invading Gorman Panthers.

The Wildcats dominated the game for most of the time, scoring a touchdown in the first quarter and icing it away with a touchdown and two-point conversion in the fourth.

Gorman posed only one serious threat, advancing to the Wildcat four in the fourth where a fumble thwarted the drive.

The Wildcats with a 1-2 record against A class teams in pre-conference play, now face six more foes consecutively in District 19-B. They go to Meridian Friday night of this week for a game with the Bosque county eleven and following that they return home to meet the Richland Springs team the following week-end. They finish their season on November 22 against Lometa here.

Dalton Hughes scored the first Rising Star touchdown in the

Gorman game when he ran four yards around right end after Dick Clarke, quarterback, set up the score with a 45-yard pass-option run down the center of the field. His receivers covered, Clarke saw the opening and took off. The try for extra point was no good.

Hughes also scored the second touchdown from the two-yard

## Bessie Chambers Rites October 15

Bessie Leach Chambers, 72, of Rt. 1, May, died in Medical Arts Hospital at Brownwood at 7:05 a. m., October 14 after an illness of four days.

Funeral services were held in the Higginbotham Funeral Chapel at Rising Star Tuesday, Oct. 15, at 2 p. m., with the Rev. Ross Grace of the Wesley United Methodist Church in Cisco officiating. Burial was in the Wolf Valley Cemetery under the direction of Higginbothams Funeral Home.

Mrs. Chambers was born at Jewett, Texas on December 14, 1895, and was married to Spence Allen Chambers at May on May 11, 1912. She had lived in Brown County for 63 years.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband; four sons, Curtis and L. Roy, May; Delbert of Azle, and Albert, Phoenix; one daughter, Mrs. Wanda Ruth Sherrill of Arlington; one brother, A. J. Palmore of Stephenville; two sisters, Mrs. Lottie M. Wilson, Bangs, and Mrs. Ollie Fuller of El Paso; 14 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

## P-TA Program Led By Mrs Ray Nunnally

The Rising Star P-TA met on Oct. 8, 1968, in the Grade School Music Room.

Mrs. John Joyce, vice-president, called the meeting to order. Rev. Don Timberlake gave the opening prayer. The program, a planned discussion on "What is Best for our Children?" was led by Mrs. Ray Nunnally. Others taking part in the discussion were Mrs. Jack White, Weldon Hill, Mrs. L. C. Hounsell, and Rev. Timberlake. Minutes were read by Mrs. White and approved. Mrs. S. C. Cotton gave a treasurer's report. Mrs. Dorothy Shook reported that there are now 62 members in the P-TA.

There will be no Halloween carnival this year. A rummage sale was discussed. The December program will be held Tuesday, December 17, in the afternoon.

The third and ninth grades won the room count and Mr. Hill closed the meeting with a prayer.

lin after a 45-yard run up the middle. A Gorman defender tripped the Wildcat back at that point.

The Wildcat forward wall with Mike Rhodes, Danny Hughes, David Bailey, Joe Dell Hubbard and other members of the team doing outstanding work, played a tight defensive game.

Rising Star made 14 first downs to seven for Gorman. Neither team's passing attack prospered during the fray. Rising Star completed only two out of 13 attempts while Gorman notched five completions in 16 efforts. Two of the Gorman tosses were intercepted.

Rising Star made 274 yards rushing while Gorman could manage only 31. The two Wildcat aerials accounted for 36 yards. Gorman's five completions gained them 77 yards.

Rising Star was penalized ten times for 47 yards and Gorman drew 55 yards in five fines.

## Service for Mrs. Gertrude Boggs Held Here Oct. 11

Funeral services for Mrs. Matie Gertrude Boggs were held in the First United Methodist Church in Rising Star at 2 p. m., Oct. 11, 1968, with Rev. Jay Beavers officiating. Burial was in the Rising Star Cemetery under the direction of Higginbothams.

Mrs. Boggs was born October 3, 1890, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Haynes. She had lived in and near Rising Star all of her 78 years. She died in a Brownwood hospital Oct. 10 at 9 a. m.

She was married to Walter L. Boggs in Rising Star January 10, 1915. She was a member of the Methodist Church. Mr. Boggs died August 6, 1965.

Pallbearers were Weldon Hill, James Wolf, Timmie Johnson, Benny Steel, Leroy Woody and Deen Broughton.

Survivors include one brother, Rev. Roy Haynes of Gail, Texas; three sisters, Mrs. Annie Wiggins, Rising Star, Mrs. Allie Steel, Bryan, and Mrs. Bessie Smith, Cleburne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blizard of Santa Clara, Calif., visited her foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harris recently. It had been nine years since they visited her last. Mrs. Blizard is the former Winona Haley, who grew up in the Harris home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alford and Leslie and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Alford of Huntsville attended the homecoming over the weekend and visited their relatives while here.

## Homecoming Hailed As Best Ever Held

More than 200 Exes from out of town gathered in Rising Star Saturday of last week to take part in what was described as the best homecoming of all that have been held so far.

More than 120 of the numbered went to the Homemaking Cottage on the High School campus between the hours of 9 a. m. and 11 a. m. to register. But usually, according to James Rutherford, retiring president, hardly more than half of those who return to their old school for the reunion do register.

## Emory C. Walton Asks Write-In For County Attorney

Emory C. Walton has authorized The Rising Star to announce his candidacy as a write-in candidate for the office of county attorney of Eastland county. Mr. Walton said:

"I want to take this opportunity to announce as a 'write-in' candidate for the office of County Attorney of Eastland County at the General Election on Tuesday, Nov. 5, 1968. The incumbent, Mr. Perry Brown, is not seeking re-election.

"It is necessary for me to announce as a 'write-in' candidate since I was not a resident of Eastland county for a sufficient period of time to file as a candidate for the office of County Attorney in the May primary election. Had I been so qualified as a resident for the required period of time then, I would have filed and actively campaigned for this office in the May primary election.

"I have a strong feeling that effective law enforcement and firm prosecution constitute our principal deterrents to crime. My qualifications for the office of county attorney are being a graduate of both North Texas State University and Baylor University School of Law; five years as an investigator for the U. S. Treasury Dept., three years as an assistant city attorney of Abilene of which one year was in the capacity of first assistant city attorney, and since April 1, 1968, I have been the assistant county attorney of Eastland County. Also I have served in the U. S. Air Force. I am married and we have a daughter, age four.

The office of county attorney of Eastland county is really more than the title implies. By law, the person holding this office has a dual responsibility; he is responsible as a county attorney for the prosecution of cases in all of the justice courts and the county court, and he is responsible as a district attorney, for the prosecution of cases in the district court.

"It is my earnest desire to be the county attorney of Eastland County. There is no name shown on the general election ballot for the office of county attorney and a citizen can only vote for this office by inserting a name in the 'Write-In' column provided. I will gratefully appreciate the support of each citizen of this county and respectfully ask and urge that each of you vote and that you 'Just write in my name, please.'

## News From First Baptist Church

Mrs. Billy T. Carpenter, director, Mrs. Don Timberlake, Mrs. W. H. Carleton, Mrs. Bill Denard and Mrs. Rex Long attending the Associational WMU meeting at Breckenridge last week.

The WMU met Monday afternoon with 17 members present. The topic was "Advance to Rhodesia." Mrs. Lela Clark directed the program.

Our Revival will be October 21 through October 27. Everyone is invited.

The day's events were climaxed in a manner very satisfactory to the Exes as the Rising Star Wildcats initiated their 1968 football season with the 14 to 0 win over the Gorman Panthers Saturday night.

During the half-time activities, the Exes presented their Homecoming Queen, Mrs. Grace Carter Keeling of San Antonio. Mrs. Keeling, a member of the graduating class of 1917, is a sister of the late Dr. W. S. Carter.

She was chosen queen during a business meeting at 11:30 when the Exes also elected Burton Bowers of Fort Worth as president for 1969, and Mrs. Bowers, the former Ester Maynard, as secretary-treasurer. Mr. Bowers graduated in 1933 and Mrs. Bowers in 1938.

The class of 1933, with seven members attending, took honors for the largest number present.

Mrs. Keeling was presented a bouquet by retiring Exes president James Rutherford, in a ceremony during half-time staged by the High School band.

Between 20 and 25 floats and cars took part in a parade at 2 p. m. through the business district, led by the Wildcat Band.

Mr. Rutherford expressed his appreciation to the various committee chairmen and their helpers who made the events of the day possible. They were: Registration - Mrs. Dorothy Shook; Parade - C. M. Carroll; Coke Party - Lee Hughes; and Publicity - Mildred Hounsell.

Mrs. Edith Bibb is the retiring secretary-treasurer.

## Chas. Massegee To Preach Revival For First Baptist

The Rev. Charles Massegee, once an all-state high school and all-conference football star and now a highly successful evangelist, will do the preaching for a series of revival meetings to be held at the First Baptist Church beginning Monday, October 21, and continuing through Sunday, October 27.

The announcement was made by the pastor, Rev. Don Timberlake, who issued a cordial invitation to the public throughout the Rising Star area to attend the services at 7 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. each week-day.

Rev. Massegee comes from a prominent preacher family. His father and grandfather are both ministers of long and distinguished careers, and Rev. Massegee has been preaching since he was ordained while a high school senior.

He has preached in 24 states and has travelled to remote mission areas in his work, and in addition to his revival meetings he has appeared many times in television.

During his college days he was a star halfback on Hardin-Simmons football teams and was honorably mentioned in several All-American selections.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Buck of Fort Worth have announced the birth of their first child, a boy, weighing six pounds and nine ounces. Mrs. Buck is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Duke of Fort Worth, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Tucker. The baby is the first great-grandchild for the Tuckers and the first great-great-grandchild of Mrs. P. C. Larkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyler of Abilene attended the homecoming Saturday. They paid a call to the Rising Star and recalled the birth of their daughter in the Rising Star Hospital in 1958. The child was the second smallest baby born in the local hospital, weighing 3 pounds and 14 ounces. Kenneth Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butler, was the smallest baby, weighing only one pound and 14 ounces.



# WILDCAT TALES

EDITOR ..... COLLEEN WHITE  
 ASSISTANT EDITOR ..... LINDA HUBBARD  
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 REPORTERS:  
 Seniors, Patty Stuard; Juniors, Janet Ezzell; Sophomores, Carol Stroebel; Freshmen, Cynthia Hounsel; F.F.A., Larry Alford; F.H.A., Sheila Green; Band, James Steel; Boys' Sports, Tony Geyer; Girls' Sports, Debbie White; Cheerleaders, Betty Medford; Library, Barbara Richter.

**"TO MAKE THE BEST BETTER"**  
 Report cards came out yesterday; so you can (or maybe can't) imagine all the midnight oil that was burned instead of motor oil. Anyway, all is determined and sentences are passed by now.  
 Homecoming prompted many exes to come home to Rising Star to visit their parents, teachers, and friends. Many activities were attended and enjoyed; the homecoming parade, the P.T.A. luncheon, the pep rally, and the

football game, just to name a few.  
 Soon we will be exes coming home as they did. For some of us it will be a time of laughter as we remember how M. R. stuck C. W.'s pigtailed in the ink wells, or a time of tears as we remember graduation day, or a time of mixed emotions as suddenly the memory of Mrs. C. throwing our term themes away without grading them comes to mind. (???)  
 Boys, that was a great game

Saturday. Keep up the good fight, Cats.  
 J. C., did you know that while you were working in the press box and whistling "Dixie", the fourth period study hall began to applaud? The loud speaker was on.  
 Patty

**"LEADERS OF TOMORROW"**  
 The Juniors find that being Juniors, Upperclassmen, or The Big Kids is not so easy as it was the first few days. A test in history was barely passed, poetry in English was learned at the last minute, and bookkeeping and chemistry became more complicated.

In American history, we hear the repeated statement "Life is a continuing right." We have won the Revolutionary War and are now planning a new constitution and government.

People wondered; they began to ask questions; then they found the answer - if they happened to ask an F.H.A. member. Was it "Flower Power"? Are we becoming hippies? Or was it Tiny Tim around with his tulips, to tiptoe through? No! The F.H.A.'ers were just making decorations for the homecoming parade.

If you heard a strange noise during your second period class of last week and never found out what it was, think of what it sounded like. Maybe a wolf whistle, or a siren, or Mr. H's little silver whistle he uses in P. E.? None of these! It was just Mr. Gray and the "fish" playing with a toy steam engine.

J. C., is that any way to sit down? Why not set in a chair like normal people do?  
 Do not forget your dues, Juniors. They are \$2.25 for this year. Also some still owe from last year; so let's get them paid!  
 M. S., the sign said nickles, not dimes!

Just keep those dimes and nickles coming in the candy machine, and we Juniors will really thank you.  
 Stay tuned till next week - same time, same channel - for the dramatic lives of the Junior class.  
 Janet

**"THERE IS ROOM AT THE TOP"**

The best homecoming we have ever had has come to an end.

Now the coronation is on its way. Representing our class in this big event will be Mary Hubbard and David Harris.  
 To all to whom it may concern: The seniors of 1971 had the most beautiful float in the homecoming parade.  
 The preceding was a paid political announcement.  
 Happy belated birthday, V. S! Fifteen years old!  
 I just knew it was gonna rain, M. H.!

See a soph and buy the best product that has ever hit the vast face of the earth. The greatest of all the greats! It's fantastic! Unbelievable! Magnificent! Would anybody like to buy a key chain? With a bubble on the end of it? Well, how about some grapefruit and oranges? Pain?  
 Watch it, Leroy! Atta boy, Luther!

Last week, seniors '71 got the hard-earned, well-deserved spirit jug. We are gonna get it again (in spite of those juniors.)  
 I will if you will, J. B.!

Ring the bells! Shout it from the hilltops! Tell it to the fishes of the sea, to the birds of the sky - we have started reading "Julius Caesar" by William Shakespeare. And believe me, we are having fun! Fun! Fun!

The ag boys are studying grasses and buying pigs.  
 MORE MORE MORE  
 Getting right down to the real nitty gritty, we are studying axioms and equations and problem solving.

Dominant and recessive genes, Pummert squares, genotypes and phenotypes are being studied in biology. We are eager to start cutting animals apart.  
 Talking about heart transplants we nearly have our plans for ours in health finished. We are keeping the donor's heart in cold storage while we wait for the ether to take effect on our recipient.  
 More next week.  
 Keep those cards and letters coming in.  
 I kid you not  
 C. S.

**News From Twilite Acre**  
 We have welcomed another new resident this week. Mr. John L. Lancaster had been a patient in the hospital at Comanche and was discharged Saturday, October 12.  
 Mr. Lon McDaniel a former resident of the nursing home, came by to visit with us last Friday. He is getting along very well and thinks he will spend the winter months with us again.  
 I suppose Ella Fitzgerald had a wonderful birthday, as her son and his wife from Mesa, Ariz., visited with her for several days.  
 So many times I have heard people say that the "old folks" are placed in a nursing home and forgotten. But that certainly does not hold true in the case of our senior citizens. Last Sunday and all during the week, our local residents drop in to visit and this past week a number of out-of-town friends and relatives came by. Mrs. Ethel Barnes' daughter, Nell, of Dallas, spent the week-end with her and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Starkey of Artesia, New Mex., visited.  
 Nadine White and Dorothy Bearden of Band were guests of Mrs. Dulah Taylor along with Mr. and Mrs. West of Dallas.  
 Mrs. Susie Coursey and Mrs. Tee Haran were visited by Mrs. Mack White of Cisco and Mrs. E. E. Winfrey.  
 Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Mallone of Andrews were on their way home from Dallas and stopped by to visit with Mrs. Mallone's mother, Melissa.  
 Lloyd Carroll of Spearman spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Josie Carroll.  
 Mrs. Mollie Croft had as guests last week-end her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Williams of Hobbs, New Mex.  
 Mrs. Laura Ellison's family has been coming to see her real often, and Mrs. Eva Smith's son, Joel, is a frequent visitor.  
 Mrs. Emma Floyd was visited by her sister and brother, Cricket and Ceebe.  
 Mrs. Dora Hartsfield of Edinburg, Texas, has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Bessie Zieschang, for several days.  
 Teebe McCracken sure was happy to see her daughter, Berna Lee, get back from vacation and to have her coming by again every other day or so.  
 Margaret Watson was visited by her sister, Mrs. Cornelia Sandifer and by Mrs. Thelma Peavy of Cross Plains.  
 Mrs. J. W. Joyce of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roark spent some time with Mrs. Roark's sister, Mrs. Mabel Smith.  
 Mrs. Ada Hull will be celebrating a birthday on Oct. 17.

## It Has Been

By Vada Arnold

As we bask in the warmth and comfort of clean, even-temperated natural gas in our homes, the memory for those who remember wood or coal-burning heaters, is dimmed to the recollection of years ago when the heaters were taken down and stored until the first cool spell in the fall. Then they were taken out of storage and put up in their designated place.  
 What could be more torture for the man of the house, and to the wife and children as well, as "putting up the stove."  
 The ordeal was postponed just as long as possible, then one day a "blue norther" blew in. Children's teeth chattered, mama shivered as she thought up threats for papa when he came home from work in the late evening, if he didn't put up the stove.  
 After much remonstrance, the old pot-bellied stove, the box heater or maybe a plain old sheet iron heater, was dragged out of the smoke house covered with cobwebs and a season's dust. Joints of stove pipe were dragged into the house, scattering soot from past season all over the place, and then the show started.  
 Papa stood on a chair directly under the flu in the ceiling, as he removed the cardboard or cover as the case might be, and

pulled from the flue a couple of soot covered tow sacks, out fell enough soot to black a full acre of land.  
 The barrage of words that fell from dear old dad's lips would have put an infidel to shame. He ranted and raved until the kids all ran from the house frightened almost to death, to find a hiding place.  
 Poor mama, the entire room was black with soot as the "ace of spades". The bed, her pride and joy, covered with a snowy white heirloom counterpane, and stiffly starched pillow shams over fat goose feather pillows, was now a feathery mass of black, black soot. Ties on chairs, dresser scarf and lace curtains were almost unrecognizable.  
 Even though her grief and dismay over the sooty room came near causing her to lose consciousness, she stood loyally by and handed joint after joint of stove pipe up to her unhappy black mate.  
 At last with sweat running down his face through the soot, bruised fingers and skinned knuckles, papa stepped down from the chair, vowing that this was the last stove he ever expected to put up. He slunk out

to the kitchen to "wash", leaving sooty footprints all through the house. With each step, he felt that he was the most mistreated, imposed upon man of all creation.  
 Mama finally cleared the room of as much soot as possible, in so short a time. A fire was kindled in the heater and after a satisfying meal in the kitchen an unbroken family gathered in the nice warm room until bed time.  
 Papa read a passage of scripture on patience and asked the forgiveness of God for his sins. Very soon the house was quiet and putting up the stove was forgotten until the next winter.  
 September 6, 1900, "Skeletons were found in a natural cave which was filled with dirt and rocks on the C. U. Connlee farm near Sabanno."  
 The skeletons were in a bad state of decay and were thought to have been there for many years. Some were so badly decomposed that it was impossible to make a definite estimate as to how many there were.  
 The Rising Star X-Ray ran a special offer in their edition for April 13, 1916. Subscribers were few, the editor needed money and he tried to make an offer that would induce subscribers.  
 The offer ran "A speedy stitcher mends your harness with it. Our offer - sent free for one years subscription to the X-Ray

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In

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At

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# 7 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Charles Massegee, an All-State High School and All-Conference football star with honorable mention on several All-America teams, was ordained to the gospel ministry while a senior in High School.

After a brief time as pastor of the East Side Baptist Church in Ranger, he entered the field of Evangelism.

Many thousands have come each year to hear him preach Christ each year in tents, stadiums and churches, and his TV appearances reach many thousands more. Come and hear him now.

# Everybody Welcome



Richard M. Nixon

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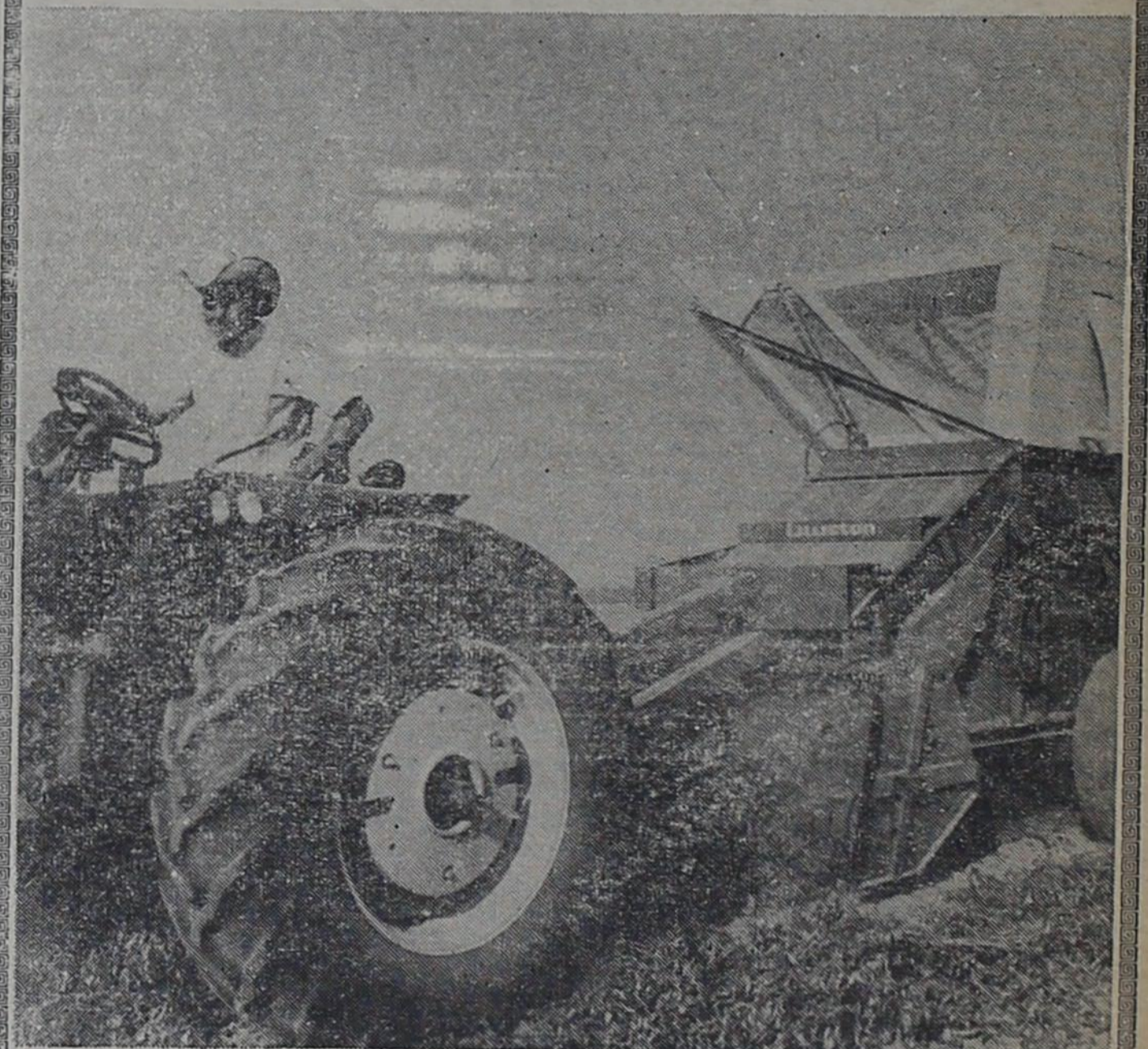
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**Monday, Oct. 21:**  
Bar-B-Q weiners  
Cream style corn  
Devil's food cake  
Milk  
Bread  
Cheese wedges and onion  
slices

**Tuesday, Oct. 22:**  
Fried ham  
Green beans  
Creamed potato  
Hot rolls  
Milk

**Wednesday, Oct. 23:**  
Peanut butter and honey  
Pinto beans  
Spinach  
Pickles, onions  
Apple cobbler  
Milk  
Milk  
Cornbread

**Thursday, Oct. 24:**  
Minute steaks, cream gravy  
English peas  
Green salad  
Hot rolls  
Apricot cobbler  
Milk

**Friday, Oct. 25:**  
Frito pie  
Potato salad  
Plum cobbler  
Bread  
Milk

### Brownwood Cattle Auction Brownwood, Texas

Date: October 9, 1968.  
Market: Strong and active  
with plenty of buyers. Calves  
and yearlings steady to 50c  
higher, except heifer calves  
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Estimated receipts: 800.  
Stocker steer calves, wts 250-  
425 — 27.50-32.50; stocker heif-  
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26.50; steer yearlings — wts.  
500-700 — 22.50-26.00; bull year-  
lings — 21.00-24.50; heifer year-  
lings — 21.00-23.00; plain feeder  
steers 21.50-24.00; plain feeder  
heifers — 19.50-22.00; cows and  
calves pair—good, 21.00-24.00;  
plain, 15.00-21.00; stocker cows —  
15.00-21.00; stocker bulls —  
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Office to Houston J. Wink, graz-  
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S. L. Swindl et ux to J. D.  
Fugua, warranty deed.  
O. R. Shults et ux to Clifford  
Hale, warranty deed.  
Minnie Tully, deceased, to the  
Public, proof of heirship and af-  
fidavit.  
Loretha Simmons to Robert  
B. Simmons, warranty deed.  
Universal CIT Credit Corp to  
Earlene Brown, release judg-  
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United States to Paul W.  
Riffle et al, notice federal tax  
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Veterans Land Board to El-  
mer Edward McCary, contract  
of sale and purchase.  
Henry E. Van Geem et ux to  
First Federal Savings and Loan  
Association, Ranger, deed of  
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Veterans' Land Board to Gil-  
bert L. Luster, deed.  
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Camp 1059, Ranger, warranty  
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Savings and Loan Association,  
Ranger, transfer deed of trust.  
Alton B. Walker, et ux, to  
State of Texas, deed.  
John G. Warren et ux to Clyde  
Porter to First Federal Savings  
and Loan Association, Ranger,  
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Hall Walker to Morris L. New-  
nam, deed of trust.  
Jesse Youngblood, deceased, to  
the Public, proof of heirship with  
attached.  
Lloyd L. Bruse to Weldon R.  
Leonard et ux, release vendor's  
lien.  
Lela Bell, deceased, to the Pub-  
lic, proof of heirship.  
Don E. Box to D. P. King,  
deed of trust.  
Myrtle R. Broiles, et al, to C.  
A. P. Broiles, deceased, to the  
Public with will attached.  
Hattie Mae Beasley deceased,  
proof of heirship with will at-  
tached.  
Richard Henry Beasley et al to  
Cecil Bostic, warranty deed.  
Ester Cowley to Floyd Stov-  
A. M. Cade et al to the Public,  
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Carter et ux warranty deed.  
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First Federal Savings and  
Loan Association, Ranger, to J.  
C. Tankersley, et ux, release of  
deed of trust.  
E. A. Falls et ux to Glyn Gil-  
liam, warranty deed.  
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Bible Study ..... 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening

## First Baptist Church May, Texas

Joe Miller, Pastor  
Preaching Service ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer service Wednesday 7 p.m.  
Family night, Wednesday following fourth Sunday.  
Sunday School ..... 10 a.m.  
Worship Hour ..... 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Service ..... 7 p.m.

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Prayer Services Wednesday evening following second Sunday.  
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Rev. C. O. Clemeid, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Services ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6 p. m.  
Preaching Service ..... 7 p. m.

## Assembly of God Church

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

## First Methodist Church

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Morning Worship ..... 10:50 a. m.  
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### "If there's one God, why are there so many religions?"

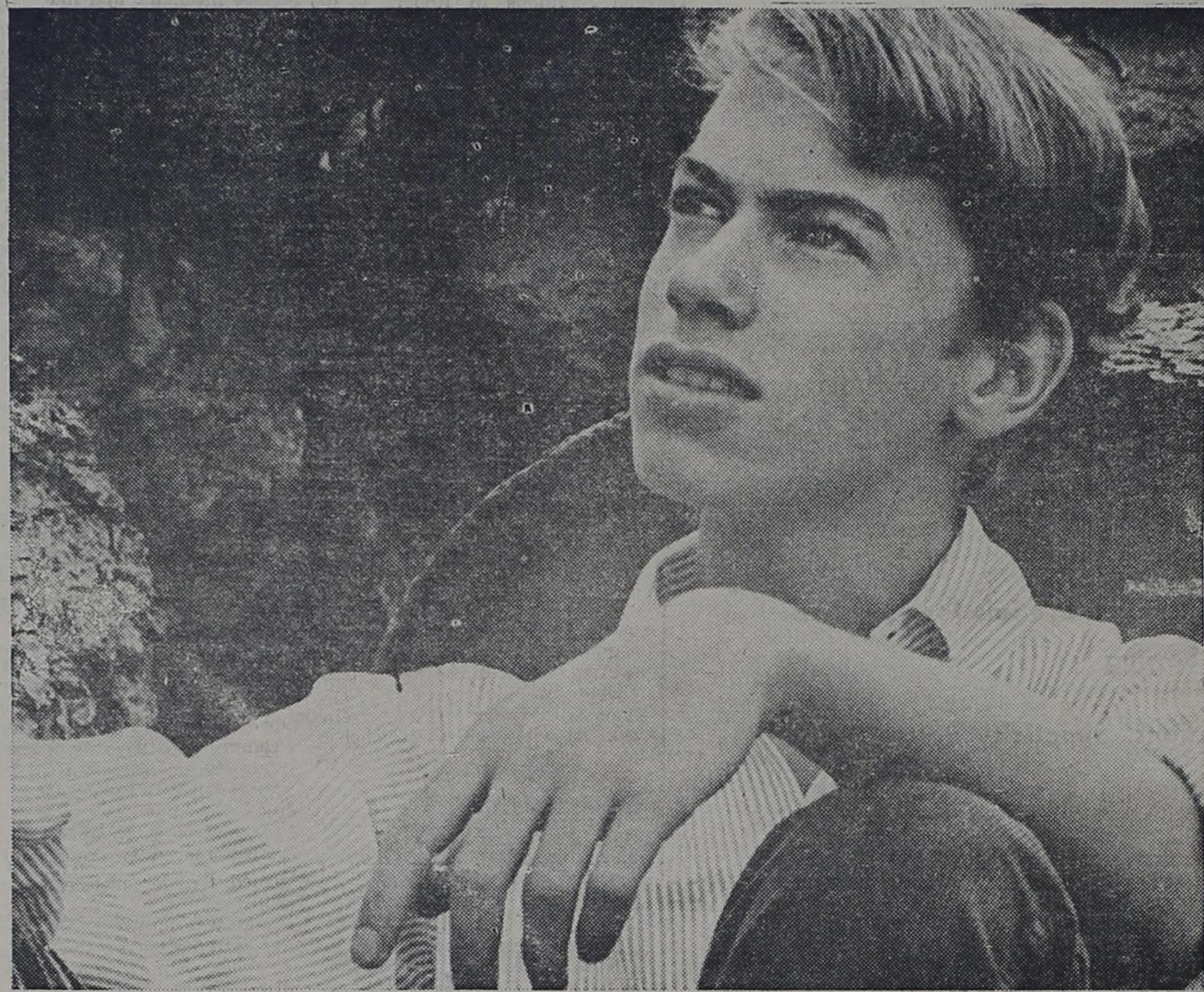


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That's a question that has plagued thoughtful people for centuries. Religions often have seemed to divide men rather than join them—which could hardly be God's will. In our time, so full of wonders, we're witnessing what may be the greatest wonder of all: the growing force of

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

## The Bible Baptist Church Rising Star

H. S. Hinson, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching Service ..... 10:45 a. m.  
Training Union ..... 6:30 P. M.

Evening Service ..... 7:30 P. M.  
Prayer meeting 7 p. m. Wed.

## Church of Christ May, Texas

Preaching Services Every Sunday at 10:45 A.M.

## Calvary Baptist Church

May, Texas  
Mike Shaw, Pastor  
Sunday Bible Study ..... 10 a.m.  
Morn. Worship Service 10:55 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p. m.  
Ladies Bible Class, Wednesday at ..... 9:30 a. m.  
Wednesday Evening Bible Class ..... 6:30 p. m.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rising Star, Texas  
H. McDonald, Minister  
Sunday Bible Study ..... 10 a. m.  
Sunday Worship ..... 11 a. m. and 6 p. m.  
Wednesday, Ladies Cass ..... 9:30 a. m.  
Bible Class ..... 7:30 p. m.

## Mountain Top Pentecostal Church

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

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10 A.M. Sunday Sunday School  
11 A.M. Sunday ..... Preaching  
7:30 P.M. Sunday ..... Preaching  
Childrens Church and Bible

## First Baptist Church

Rising Star, Texas  
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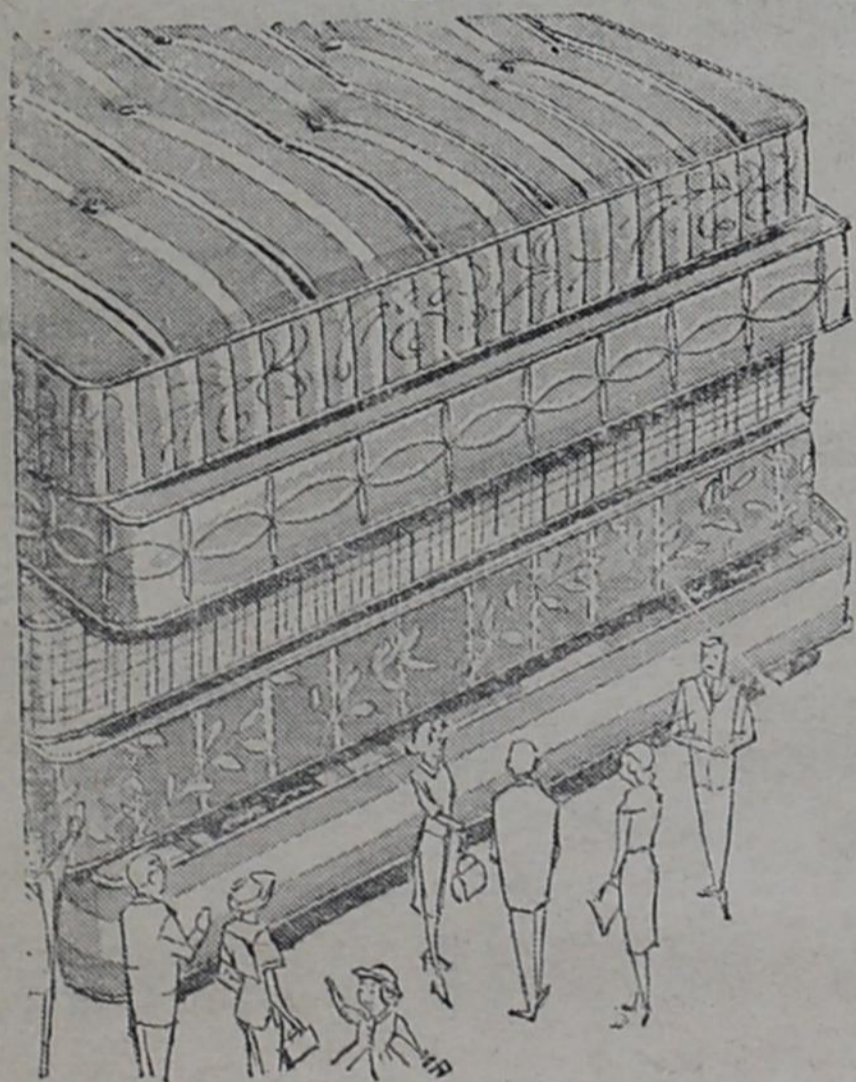
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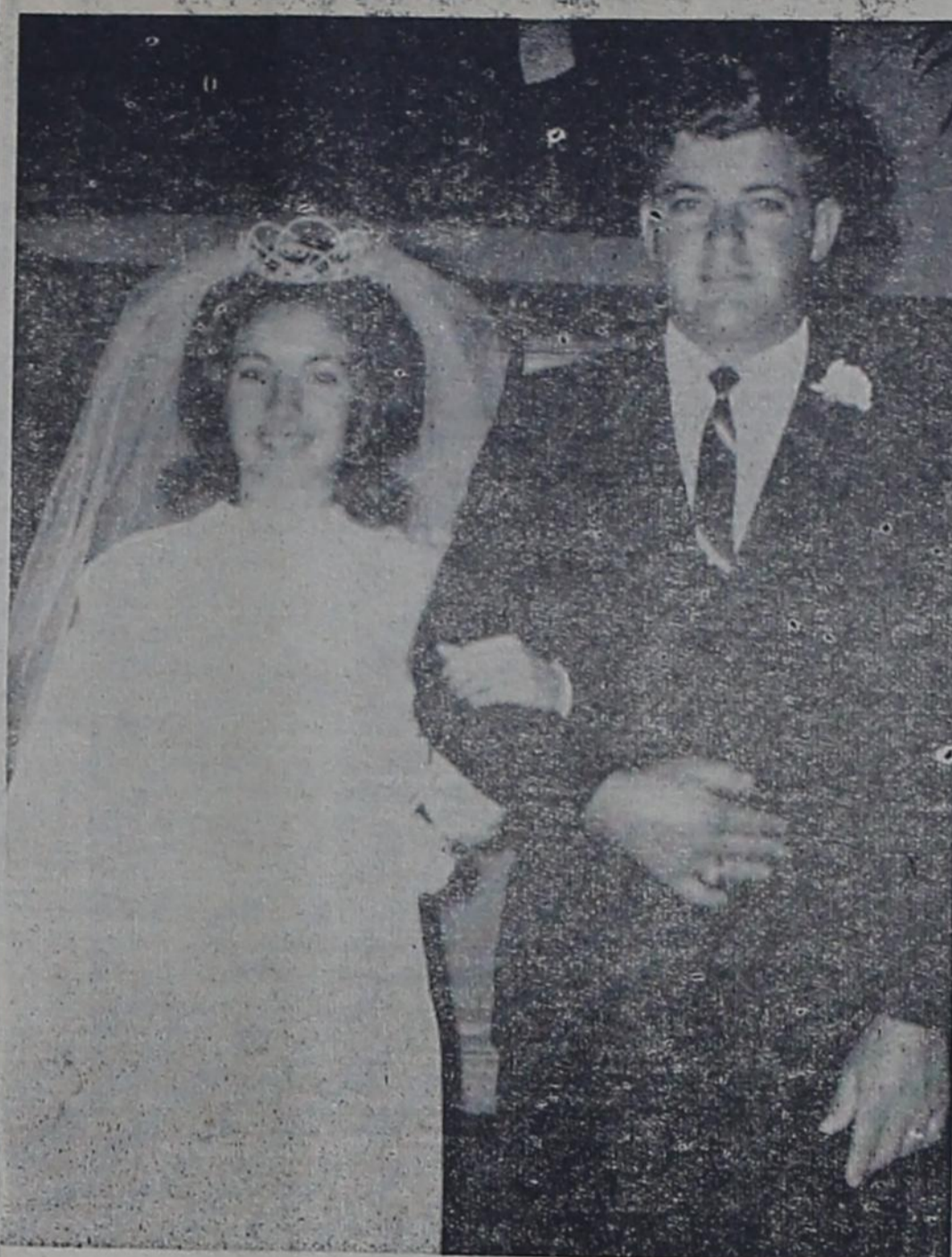
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### Medley-White Wedding Rites Celebrated Oct. 4th

Miss Deborah Kay Medley and Dannie White were married in the Rising Star First Baptist Church October 4. Rev. Don Timberlake officiated in the double ring ceremony. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Medley and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. White, all of Rising Star.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of peau de soie with an overlay of chantilly lace. Her chapel train of peau de soie lined with bridal satin and embellished with lace, was attached to the shoulders of her gown. Seed pearls and crystals held her veil.

She carried white carnations centered with a white orchid.

Miss Rita Jones was maid of honor and Miss Brenda Bailey and Miss Sandra Linney were bridesmaids. They wore empire fashioned dresses of royal blue accented with white rose lace bands. Shoes of matching material and long white gloves and headbands attached to royal blue tulle veils completed their costumes. Each carried a nosegay of white carnations.

Mike Donham served as best man, Ben Chick and Jams Cox were groomsmen. Regina White, wearing a royal blue dress identical to the bridesmaids' was flower girl.

Mrs. Frank Gray sang "B-cause" and "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. Pat Walker was organist. Tommy Byrd and Danny Kay Medley seated guests and lighted candles.

A reception followed the wedding in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Bride's table was covered with white satin overlaid with white ruffled net. At center front and each corner two white satin wedding bells hung from a large royal blue ribbon bow. The three-tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom under an arch of white lace and blue forgetmenots. A mirror edged with a royal blue net ruffle bordered with blue candles formed the centerpiece for the table.

Cake was served by Mrs. Tommy Byrd, sister of the groom. Debbie White served punch. Mrs. Wayne Gibbs registered guests.

Miss Peggy Burns distributed blue rice bags.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Weise and a friend of San Marcos spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weise.

### Nimrod News

By Eva Stroebel

Star Fox Hunters Ass'n met in the Nimrod Club house Saturday with a good attendance.

Mrs. Beulah Sheridan was in Eastland Monday on business.

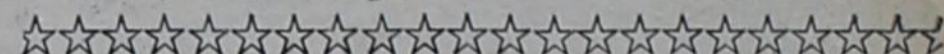
Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stroebel attended funeral services for Mrs. Walter Boggs in Rising Star Friday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin returned Monday after visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin, in Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer attended funeral services for Ernest Snyder at Coleman Sunday.

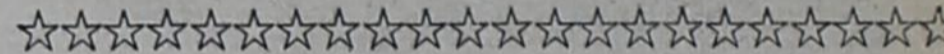
Edwin Erwin was in Cisco on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Jones of Brownwood were here for homecoming Saturday. They visited his mother, Mrs. J. D. W. Jones, and other relatives.



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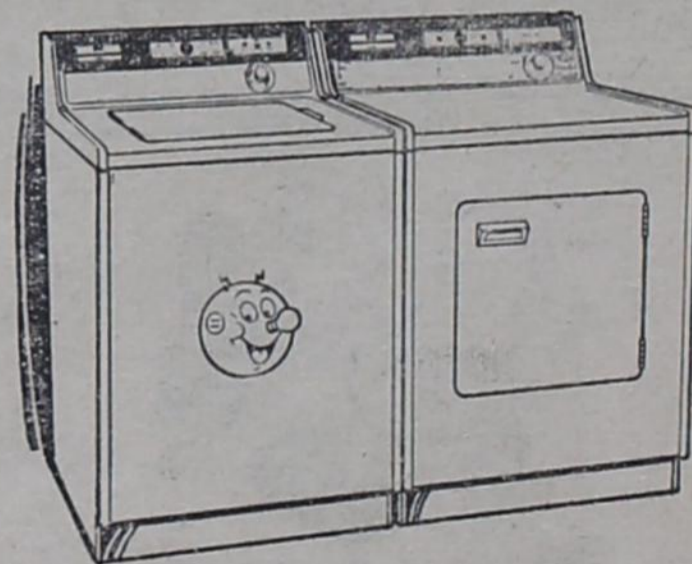
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**LAKWOOD ...**

A foursome of Jay Koonce, John Lee and Monty Hward of Rising Star and Frank Rhymes of Gorman won first place in the partnership golf tournament at Lakewood Sunday afternoon. The foursome had a total score of 357.

Second place was taken by a quartet consisting of Art Fisher and Fred Cook of Rising Star and Dick Dillard and Cliff Gilmore of Cross Plains with a score of 364.

Four Cisco lady golfer came

over for the Ladies Day event at the Lakewood course Thursday of last week. Letha Stafford and Lavenna Nance of Cisco were matched with Lou Brown and Minnie Cunningham of the Lakewood membership. The Cisco girls took a 1-up victory.

In a second match Rosalie Bonner and Syble Spies of Lakewood defeated Nadine Elliott and Jessie Pippen of Cisco 4-up.

This week's ladies' day event will be play with one iron and putter.



MR. AND MRS. FRED DRAPER

**Sylvia Butler and Fred Draper Say Nuptial Vows**

Rev. Don Timberlake read marriage vows for Sylvia Butler and Roy Fred Draper in the home of the bride's parents on September 21, at 3 p. m. The ceremony took place before an altar of white gladioli and wrought iron candelabra holding white bridal tapers.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Butler and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Draper of Comanche.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Draper are at home in Comanche where he is employed.

Mr. Draper is a graduate of the New Home High School and attended Cisco Junior College. He has finished his Army career. His bride attended Rising Star Schools.

**News From May**  
By Mrs. V. O. King

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a traditional gown of bridal satin, embellished with imported lace. Her bouquet of white carnations centered with a white orchid was tied with knotted satin streamers.

Mrs. Johnnie Epperson, sister of the groom, was the bride's only attendant. Harold Butler, brother of the bride, served as best man.

Close friends and relatives attended the wedding.

A reception in the home followed. White lace laid over green covered the bride's table, centered with a white flower centerpiece.

Sue Butler of Sylvester served lime float, while Belinda and Priscilla Hutchinson served the beautiful three-tiered wedding cake.

May Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, Oct. 9. The program was presented by Mrs. Lloyd Alexander, who gave statistics on the increased cost of living and information on retirement. Mrs. W. M. Holt was hostess to nine members. The May Club has invited the North Star Club to visit with them at their next meeting, Wednesday, Oct. 23, at 2 p. m.

The May Hi Tigers were defeated in their game with Pottsville here last hursday night.

The May Grade School team won their game with Mullin last Tuesday night.

The May Community Improvement Association met Monday night in the club house. O. A.

**Watkins Food Market**

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY  
DOUBLE BUCCANEER STAMPS ON WEDNESDAYS

<b>EGGS</b>	Garrett's Large Grade A Per Dozen	49¢
<b>MELLORINE</b>	1/2-Gallon	3 for \$1.00
<b>CAKE MIX</b>	Duncan Hines	3 for \$1.00
<b>CORN</b>	Del Monte No. 303	3 for 70¢
<b>CARAMELS</b>	Kraft 12-Ounce	37¢
<b>ONIONS</b>	Yellow Pound	5¢
<b>YAMS</b>		2 Lbs. 25¢
<b>ROUND</b>		
<b>Steak lb.</b>		85¢
<b>SOLID POUND</b>		
<b>OLEO lb.</b>	2 lbs	29¢
	GOOCH'S BLUE RIBBON	
	<b>BACON Lb.</b>	59¢
	<b>BEEF</b>	
	<b>SHORT RIBS lb.</b>	29¢

Burnett, president, was in charge of the meeting. The main speaker was Dr. James Gandy of Brownwood, who spoke on animal diseases and veterinary medicine. Dr. Ben H. Moore reported that we are still in the process of trying to get a doctor for the community and that we should know within the next six weeks.

**IT HAS BEEN —**  
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at \$1.00, this is a great offer, take advantage of it and help yourself and the editor." In 1916 J. T. Woodruff brought a bunch of turkeys to town. There were twenty-three turkeys in the bunch that weighed 385 pounds. Mr. Woodruff was paid 16 1/2 cents per pound, netting more than \$38. Editor J. J. Gregg said, "If a

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<b>POTATOES</b>	French Fried Two-Pound Package	29¢
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